

PHY 166 Recitation 4

Chapters 9, 10, and 11.

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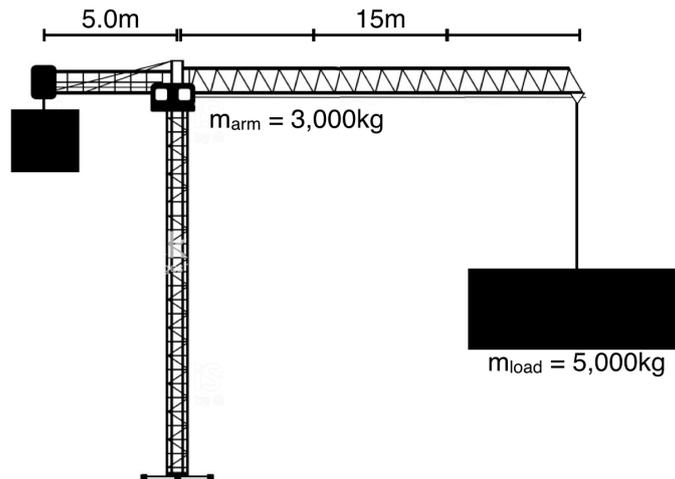


Figure 1: Figure for problem 1.

- 1.) A large crane consists of a 20 m, 3,000 kg arm that extends horizontally on top of a vertical tower. The arm extends 15 m towards the lifting end and 5 m towards the counterweight. If the crane is to lift a 5,000 kg load, what must the weight of the counterweight be in order to maintain static equilibrium?
- 2.) A piece of lead (specific gravity of lead is 11.3) weighs 80 N in air. What is its apparent weight when it is submerged in alcohol (specific gravity of alcohol is 0.79)? This piece of lead floats when it is placed in a tub of mercury (specific gravity of mercury is 13.6). What percent of its volume is outside the mercury?
- 3.) A spring stretches 0.2 m when a 0.5 kg mass is hung from it. The spring, with the mass, are then placed on a frictionless horizontal surface. The mass is then pulled 0.12 m away from its equilibrium position and released. Determine:
 - (a.) The spring constant.
 - (b.) Amplitude of oscillation.
 - (c.) Total energy of the system.
 - (d.) Maximum velocity where it occurs.
 - (e.) Maximum acceleration and where it occurs.
 - (f.) Speed when the mass is 0.5 m away from the equilibrium position.
 - (g.) Period of Oscillation.