

Speed Frequency and Wavelength Worksheet 1

This worksheet is designed to give you some practice using the general wave equation: $v = \lambda f$. You'll be expected to use this equation correctly on the upcoming chapter test, sound lab and TAACB test.

1. What is the v if $\lambda = 8$ m and $f = 20$ Hz?
2. What is the λ if $v = 50$ m/s and $f = 25$ Hz?
3. What is the f if $v = 50$ m/s and $\lambda = 10$ m?
4. What is the v if $\lambda = 1$ m and $f = 340$ Hz?
5. What is the λ if $v = 100$ m/s and $f = 3$ Hz?
6. What is the f if $v = 100$ m/s and $\lambda = 3$ m?
7. What is the v if $\lambda = 3$ m and $f = 10$ Hz?
8. What is the λ if $v = 340$ m/s and $f = 100$ Hz?
9. What is the f if $v = 340$ m/s and $\lambda = 20$ m?
10. Joe the whistle maker knows that the maximum volume for a whistle will occur if the length of the whistle is exactly $\frac{1}{4}$ of the wavelength. If Joe must make a whistle that plays at a pitch of 300-Hz, how long will the whistle be?
11. How long is the wavelength of KAJA radio whose broadcast frequency is 87.5 MHz? ($1 \text{ MHz} = 1,000,000 \text{ Hz}$ and $v = 300,000,000 \text{ m/s}$)
12. Using the velocity of sound at 340 m/s and given the frequencies of a piano scale, compute the wavelengths of that scale.

Note	Frequency	Wavelength	Note	Frequency	Wavelength
C ₁	261.5		C ₆	1024	
D ₁	293.5		D ₆	1468	
E ₁	329.5		E ₆	1635	
F ₁	349.2		F ₆	1792	

13. What is the relationship of the frequencies of notes C₁ and C₆?
14. What is the relationship of the wavelengths of notes C₁ and C₆?
15. What happened to the wavelength as the frequency increased between notes C₁ and C₆?