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Open your text to page 586...

What is happening in the picture?

What is an ocean wave?

How is the surfer able to move with the wave?



Why are some surfers not able to stay up and ride out the wave?

What causes ocean waves?

Are there kinds of waves other than ocean waves?

How are these wave like ocean waves?

Chapter Twenty–Three: Waves

23.1 Nature of Waves

I can explain what a wave is in terms of energy.

I can identify a few examples of wave.

I can compare and contrast mechanical waves and electromagnetic waves.



Demonstration of what waves can do.....

- ▶ Radio

- ▶ Light stick

- ▶ Bridge

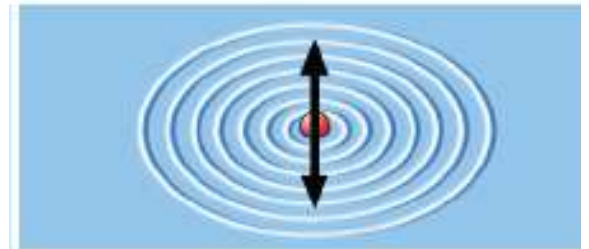
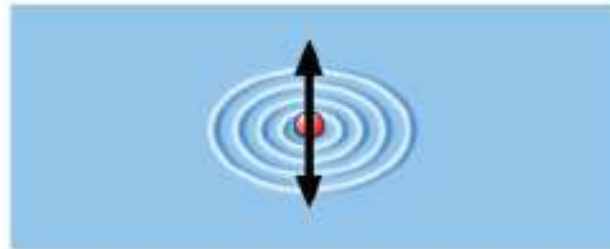
- ▶ [The Tacoma Narrows Bridge Collapse \(1940\)](#)

A *wave* is an traveling disturbance that carries energy from one place to another.

If you poke a floating ball, it oscillates (vibrates) up and down.

The oscillation (vibration) spreads outward from where it started.

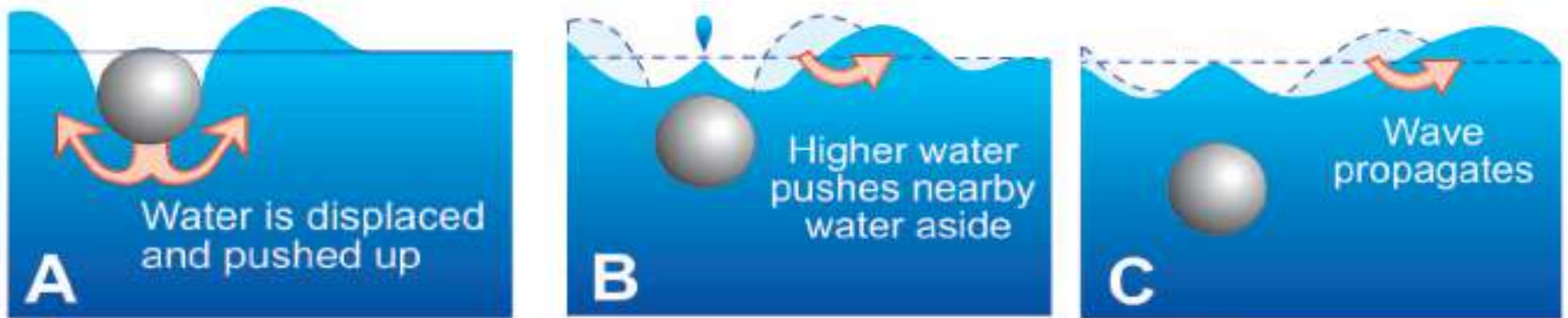
Vibration is movement that follows the same path repeatedly.



Energy is the ability to do work or cause change.

Vibrating objects are moving and have energy.

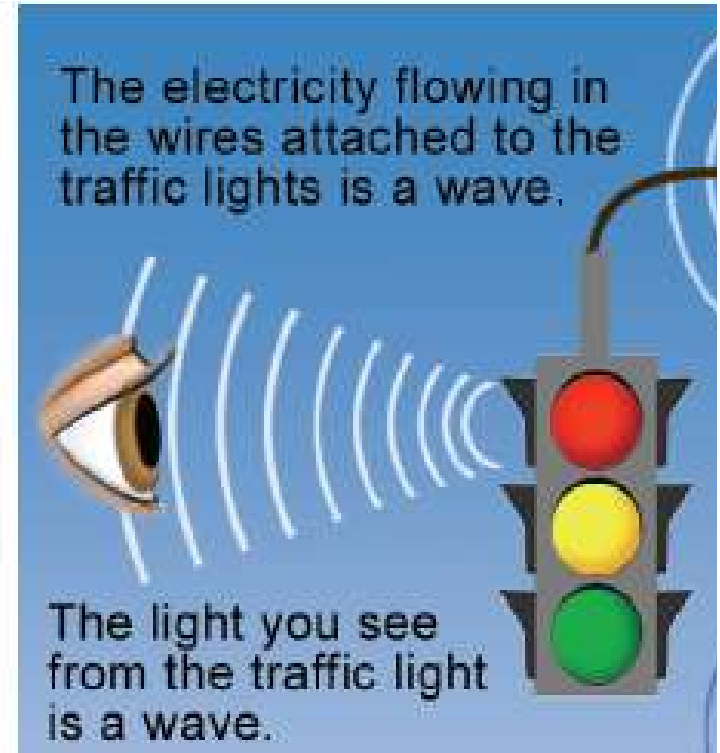
When you drop a ball into water, some of the water is pushed aside and raised by the ball.



Waves are a traveling form of energy because they can change motion.

Waves also carry information, such as sound, pictures, or even numbers.

Vibration of your eardrum allows you to be able to hear sound waves.



Types of Waves

The electricity flowing in the wires attached to the traffic lights is a wave.



The light you see from the traffic light is a wave.

Waves carry radio, TV, and cell phone transmissions through the air around you.



The ripples in a puddle are waves.

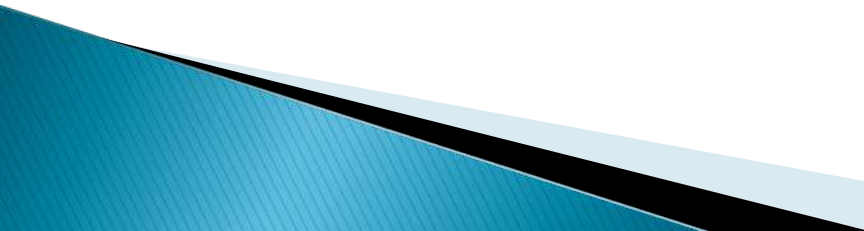


Mechanical Waves

Waves through Matter & Space

- ▶ The matter through which a wave is transmitted is a *medium*.
 - Water is the medium for ocean waves.
 - Air is the medium for sound waves.
- ▶ Solids, liquids and gases can act as a medium.
- ▶ *Mechanical waves* require a medium.

Electromagnetic Waves

- ▶ Not all waves require a medium.
 - ▶ Transmitted through a vacuum and disturb electric and magnetic fields
 - ▶ These waves are called electromagnetic waves
 - ▶ Examples: Light from the sun can travel to the Earth through the vacuum of space.
 - ▶ Microwaves in an oven and x-ray us in medicine.
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Chapter Twenty–Three: Waves

23.1 Nature of Waves

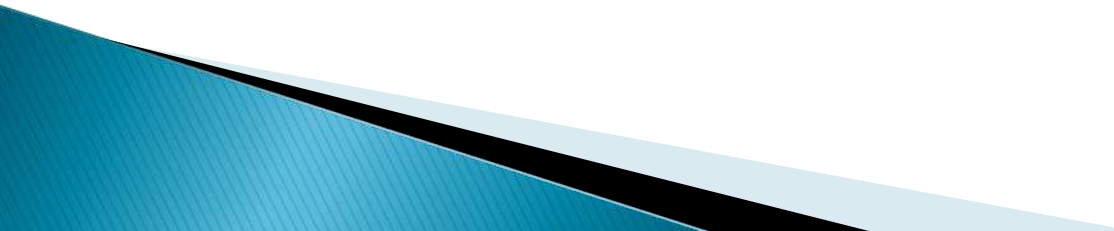
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23.2 Characteristics of Waves

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 - I can compare the characteristics of waves.
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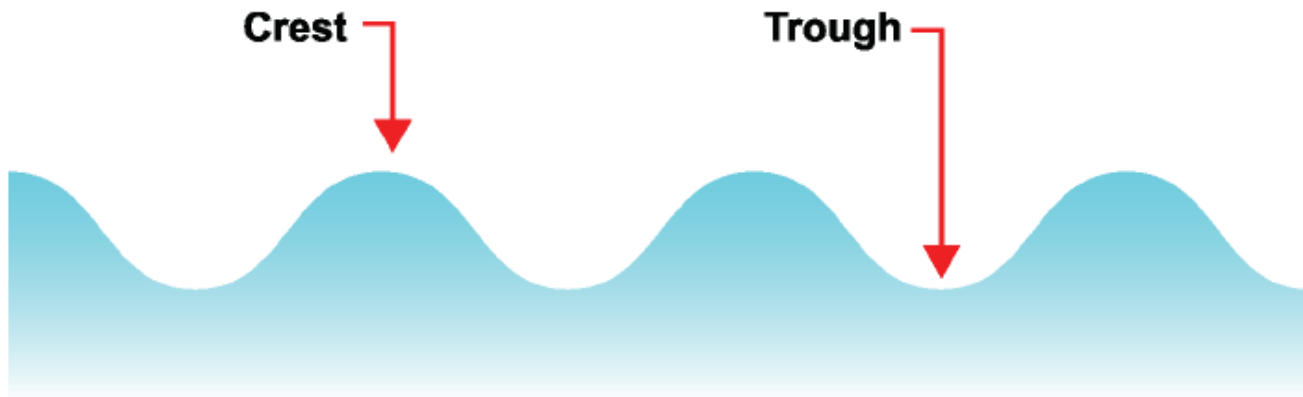
Let's play with slinkies

Characteristics of Waves

You can think of a wave as a moving series of high points and low points.

A *crest* is the high point of the wave.

A *trough* is the low point.

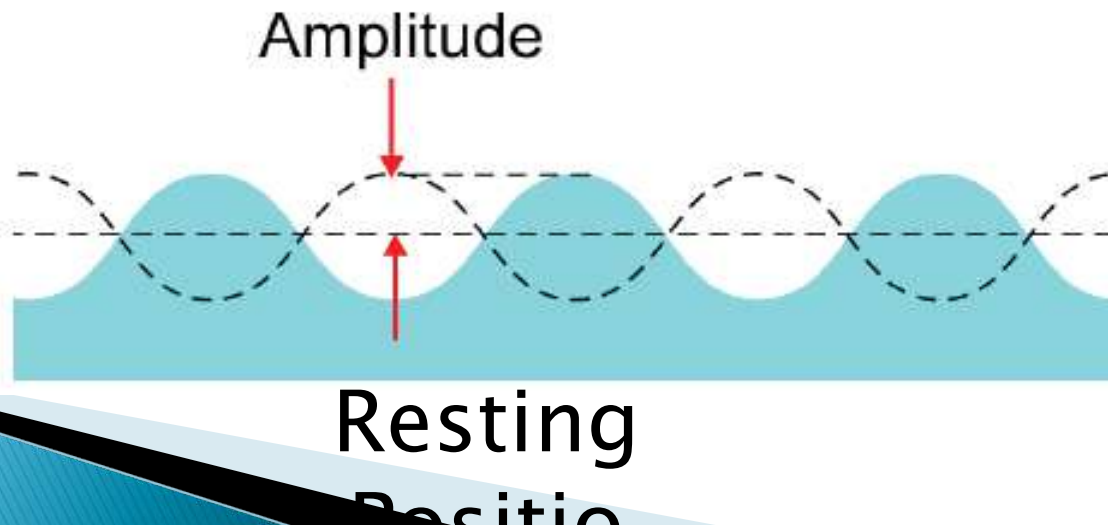


Amplitude is the maximum movement from rest.

Amplitude indicates the amount of energy carried by the wave.

Increase in energy, gives an increase in amplitude.

Measure from resting position to crest or resting position to trough.

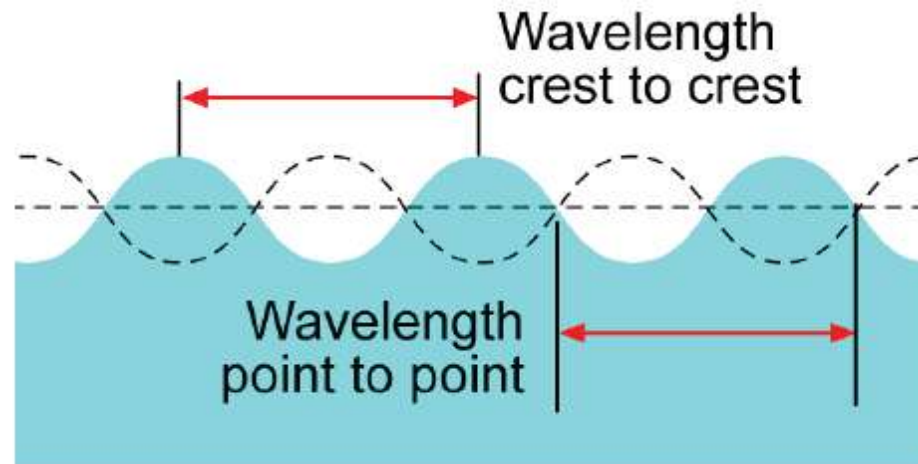


Wavelength is the distance from any point on a wave to the same point on the next cycle of the wave.

The distance between one crest and the next crest is a wavelength.

Measured in meters (m) or centimeters (cm).

Symbol is the greek letter lambda (λ).

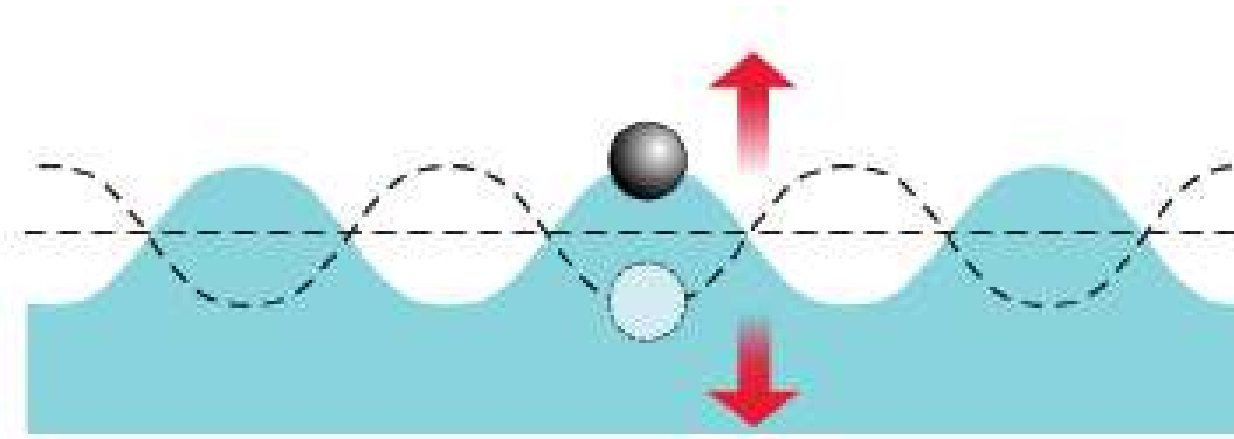


The *frequency* of a wave is number of complete waves per unit of time.

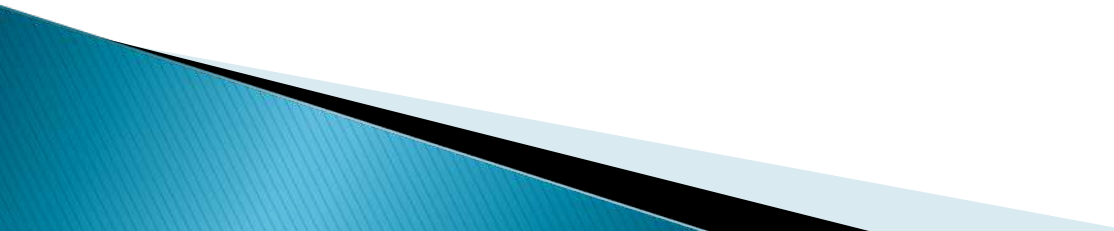
Units are hertz (Hz).

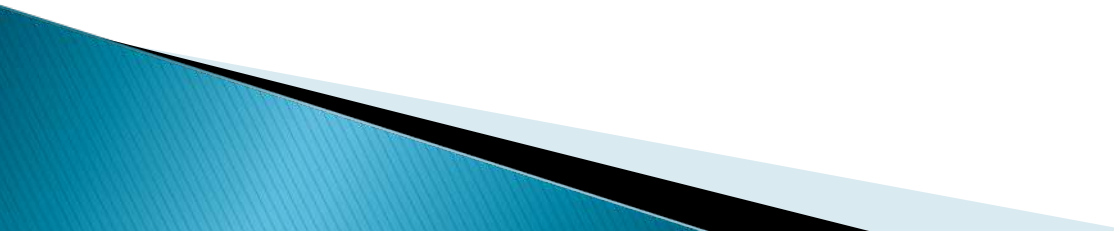
1 Hz = 1 wave/sec

The faster something vibrates, the higher the frequency.

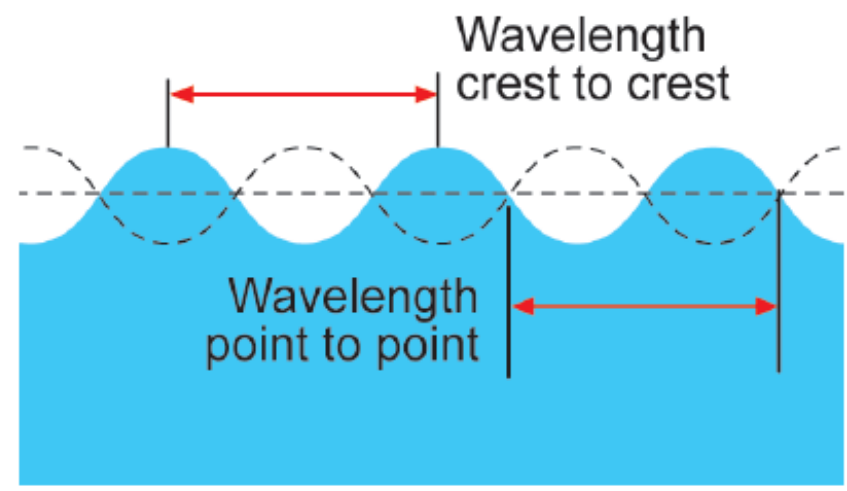
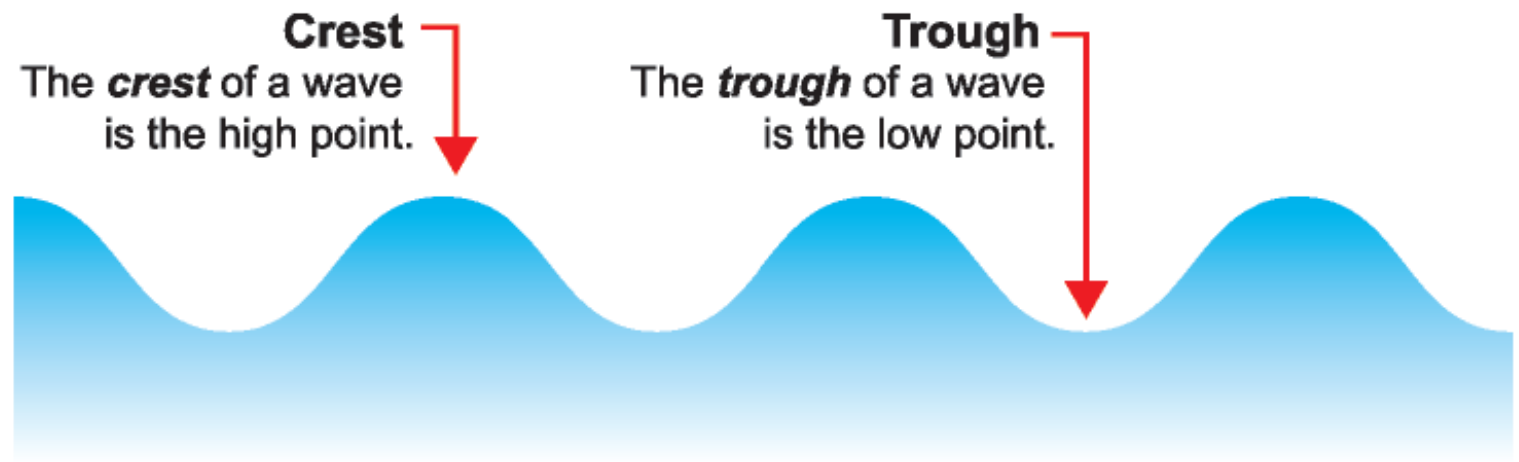


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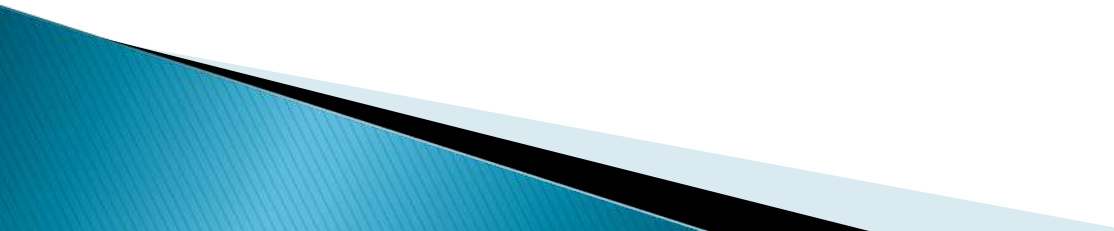
- ▶ If six complete vibrations occur in 2.0 seconds, what is the frequency of the wave?
 - ▶ If ten complete vibrations occur in 20 seconds, what is the frequency of the wave?
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- ▶ λ = wavelength measured in (m) meters
 - ▶ f = frequency = time/cycle
measured in (Hz) hertz
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Frequency, Amplitude and Wavelength



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Terms to Know

Wave	Crest
Vibration	Trough
Medium	Amplitude
Mechanical wave	Wavelength
Electromagnetic wave	Frequency

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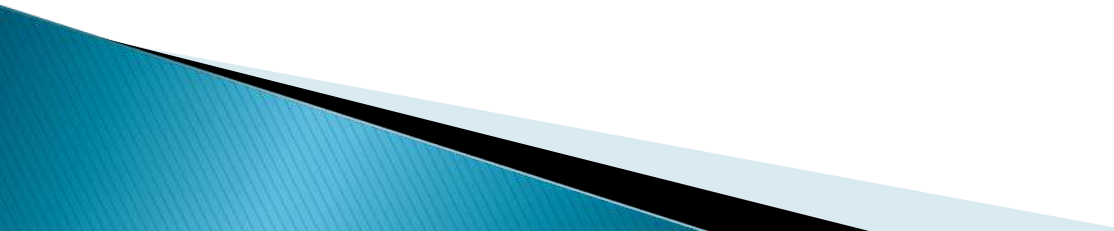
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23.3 Types of Waves

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 - ▶ I can distinguish between compressions and rarefactions.
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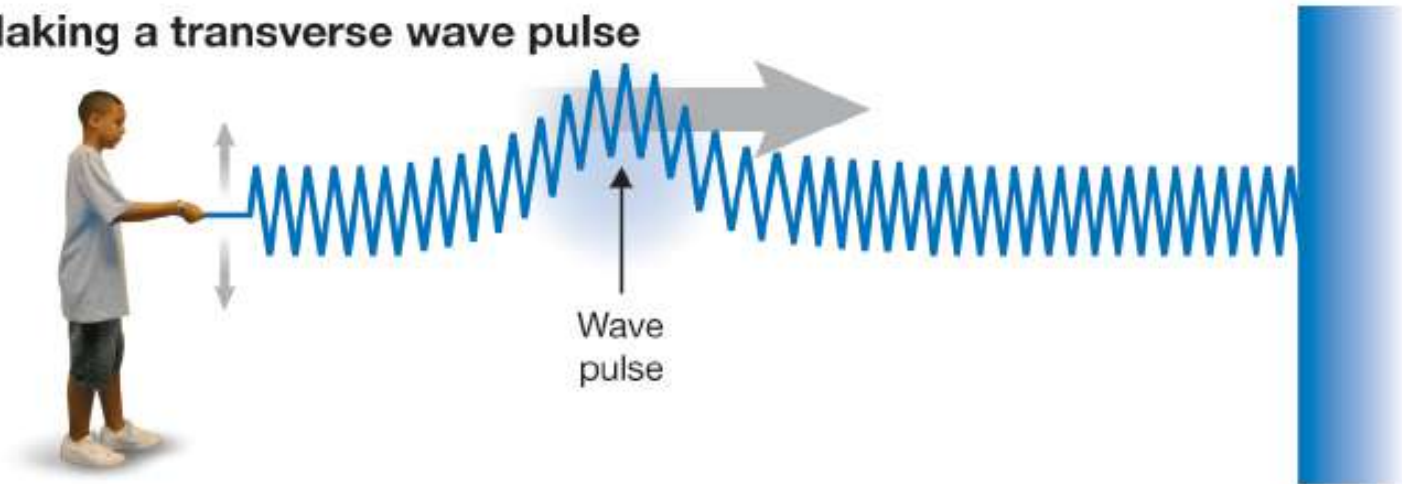
Types of Waves

Depending on the motion of the medium as compared to the movement of the wave, waves are classified as either *transverse* or *longitudinal*.

Transverse Waves

- ▶ Motion of the medium is at right angles to the direction of the wave.
- ▶ Particles move up and down (vertical), while movement of wave is across (horizontal).
- ▶ Light and other electromagnetic waves

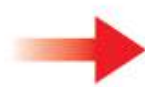
Making a transverse wave pulse



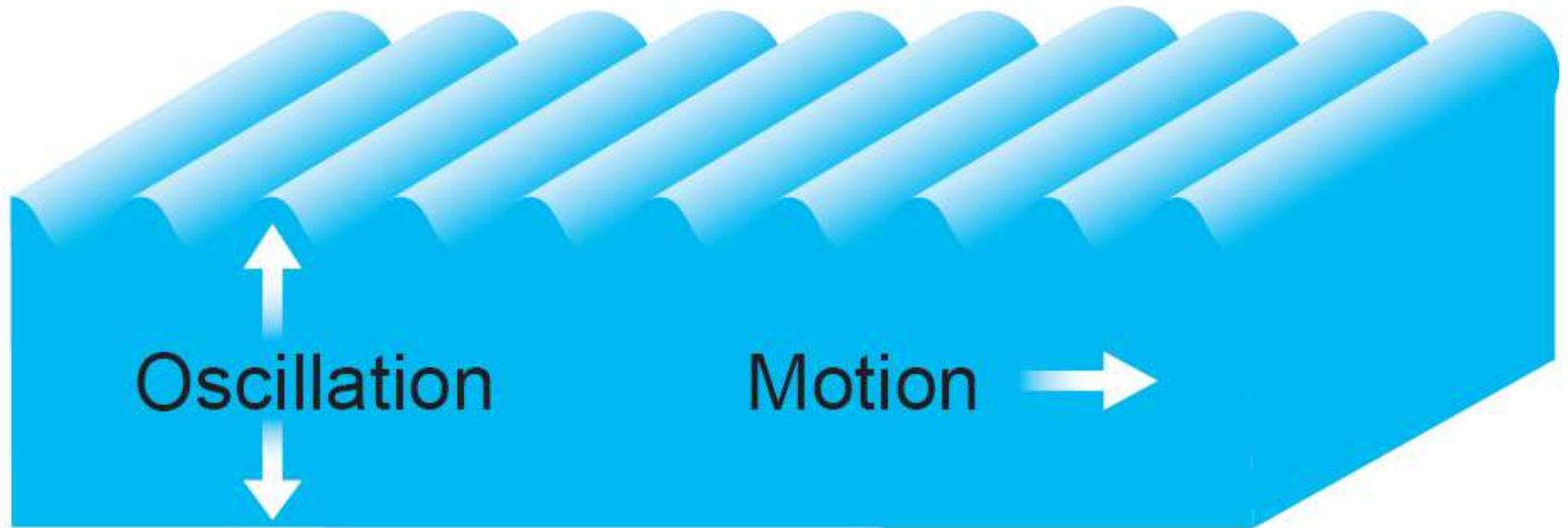
Transverse Waves

Oscillation

**VIBRATING
STRING**



Motion



Oscillation

Motion

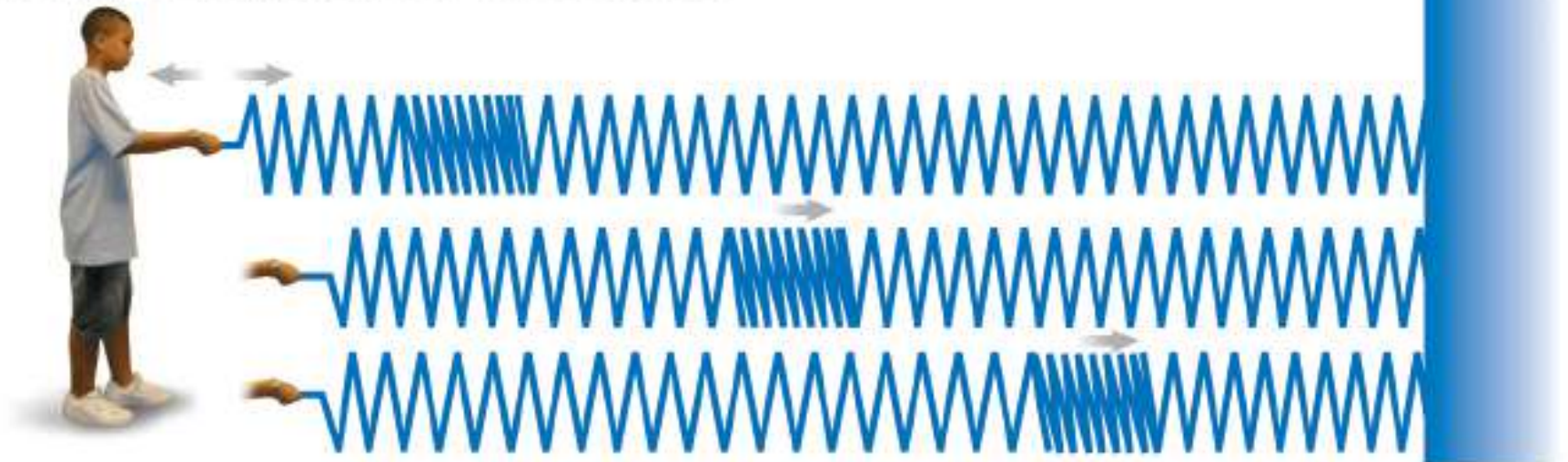
WATER WAVE

Longitudinal Waves


Compressions – space in the medium in which the particles are crowded together.

Rarefaction – space in the medium in which there are fewer particles.

Making a longitudinal wave pulse



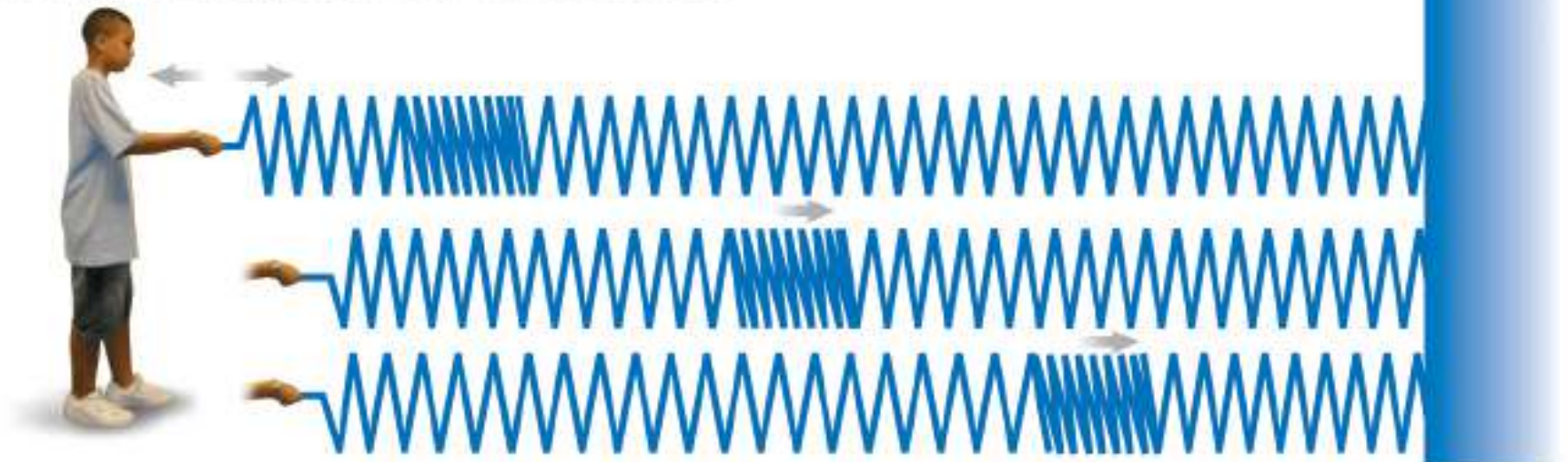
Longitudinal Waves

- ▶ Longitudinal waves consists of a series of compressions and rarefactions.
 - ▶ The motion of the medium is parallel to the direction of the wave.
 - ▶ The particles of the medium move in the same direction in which the wave moves.
 - ▶ Sound waves
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Longitudinal Waves

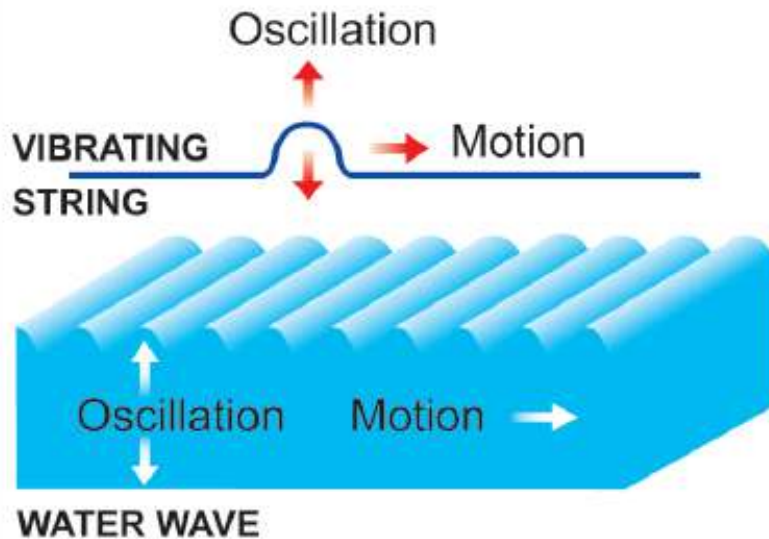
- ▶ Wavelength of longitudinal waves is the distance between compressions or rarefactions.
- ▶ Frequency is the number of compressions that pass a point per second.

Making a longitudinal wave pulse

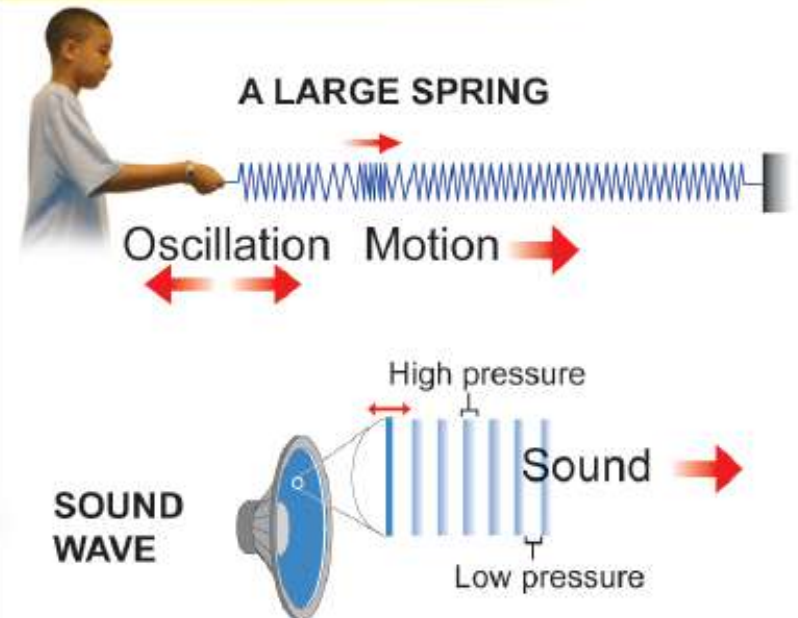


Transverse and Longitudinal Waves


Transverse Waves



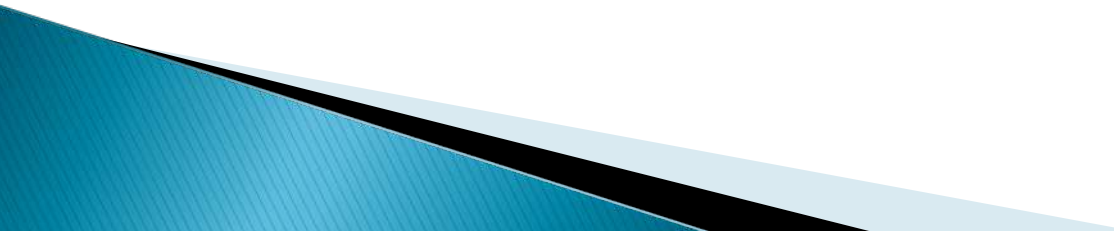
Longitudinal Waves



Combination Waves

- ▶ Some waves cannot be described as only transverse or longitudinal but a combination of both.
 - ▶ Example: Surface waves (between water and air)
 - ▶ They travel through two mediums.
 - ▶ Particles move in a circle instead of vertical or horizontal motion.
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Terms to Know

Transverse Wave

Longitudinal Wave

Surface Wave

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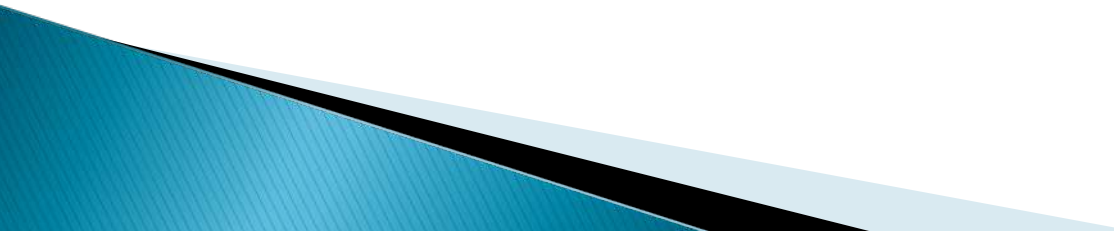
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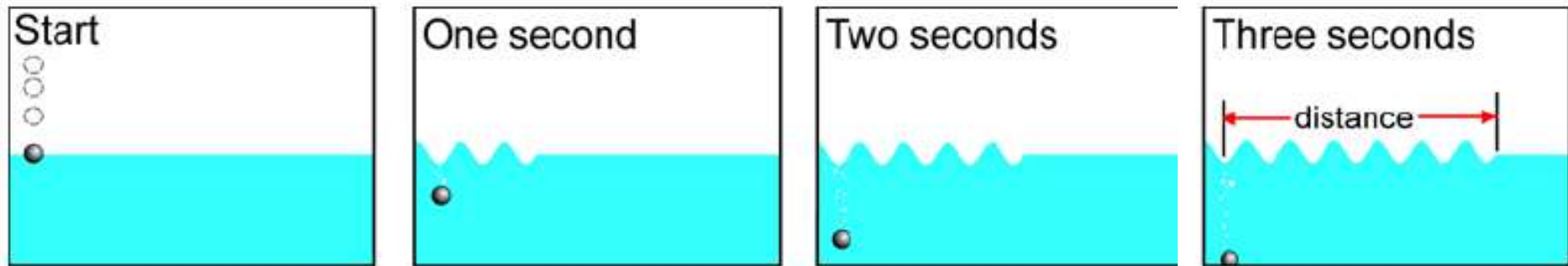


23.4 Speed of Waves

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 - ▶ I can relate speed, frequency, and wavelength.
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Speed of Waves

The speed of a water wave is how fast the wave spreads, NOT how fast the water surface moves up and down or how fast the dropped ball moves in the water.



How do we measure the wave speed?

Speed of Waves

The *speed* is the number of waves passing a point in a certain amount of time (frequency) and the wavelength.

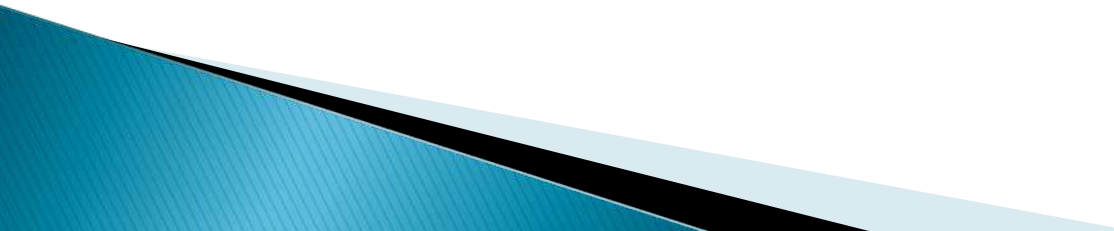
$$\text{Speed} = \text{Frequency} \times \text{Wavelength}$$

Speed is measured in meters per second (m/s).

A wave with a frequency of 4Hz (1 / s) and a wavelength of 2m has a speed of 8m/s.

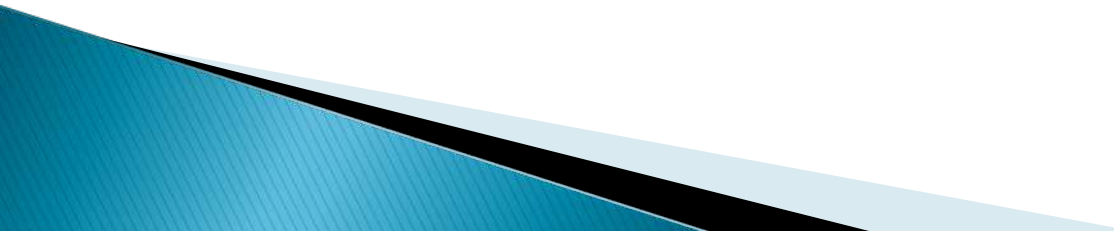
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Speed of Waves

- ▶ In a given medium, the speed of a wave is constant (does not change).
 - ▶ Increase in frequency, means a decrease in wavelength.
 - ▶ Speed of a wave only depends upon the medium through which it is traveling.
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Speed of Waves

- ▶ *Density* of the medium affects the speed of mechanical waves.
 - A wave moves slower through a medium with higher density.
 - It is harder to get all the particles of a denser medium to move the energy through.

 - ▶ *Elasticity* also affects speed of waves.
 - Elasticity is the ability of a medium to return quickly to its original shape after being disturbed.
 - Waves move faster in a more elastic medium.
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Solving Problems: Wave Speed

WAVE SPEED

$$\text{Speed (m/s)} \quad v = f \lambda$$

Frequency (hertz or $\frac{1}{T}$)

Period (s)

Wavelength (m)

Calculating Wave Speed

The wavelength of a wave on a string is 1 meter and its frequency is 5 Hz.

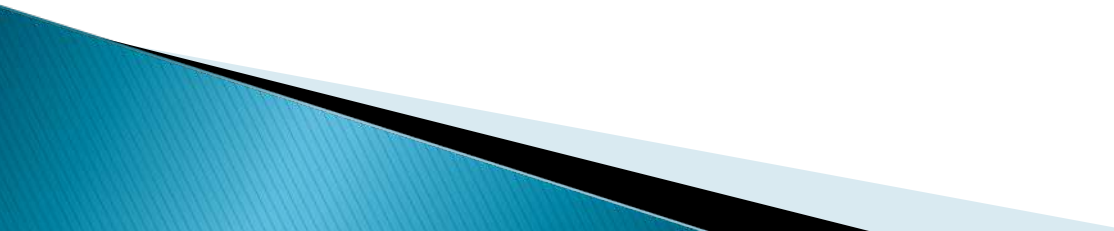
Calculate the wave speed

The frequency of a wave on a string is 2 Hz and the wavelength is 4 meters.

Calculate the wave speed



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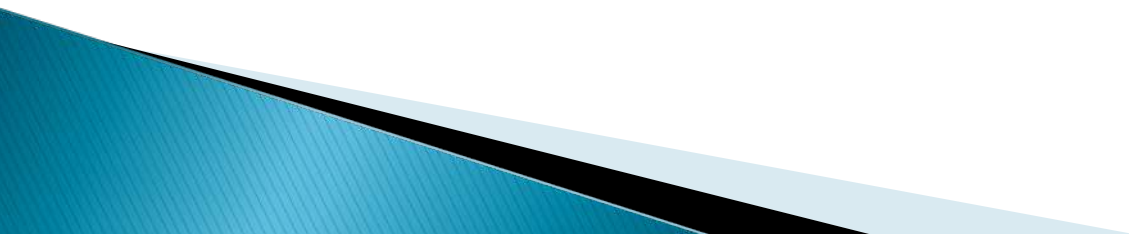
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23.5 Interactions of Waves

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4 Interactions of Waves

When a wave encounters a surface, four interactions can occur:

1. reflection
2. refraction
3. diffraction
4. interference

Interactions

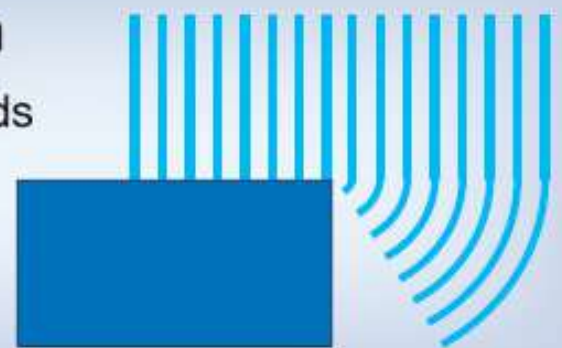
Reflection

The wave bounces and goes in a new direction.



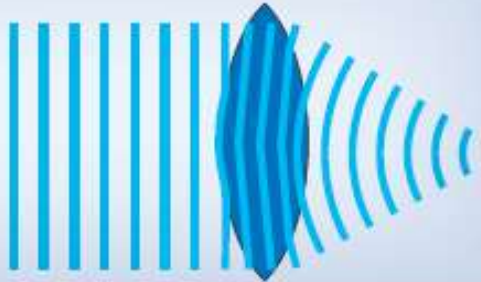
Diffraction

The wave bends around an object or through holes in the object.

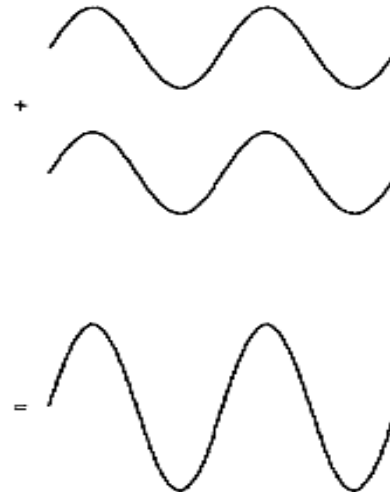


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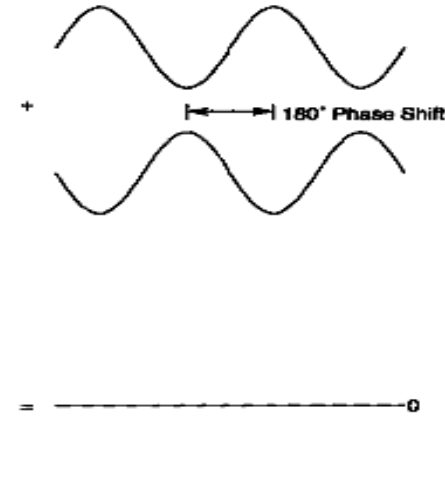
The wave bends as it passes into and through an object.



Constructive Interference



Destructive Interference



Interference – When two waves meet at the same place, either constructive or destructive occurs

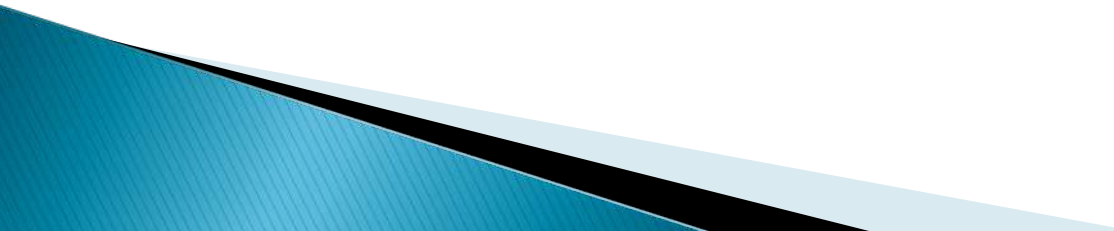
Changing Mediums

A *boundary* is an edge or surface where things change.

Reflection, refraction, and diffraction usually occur at boundaries.



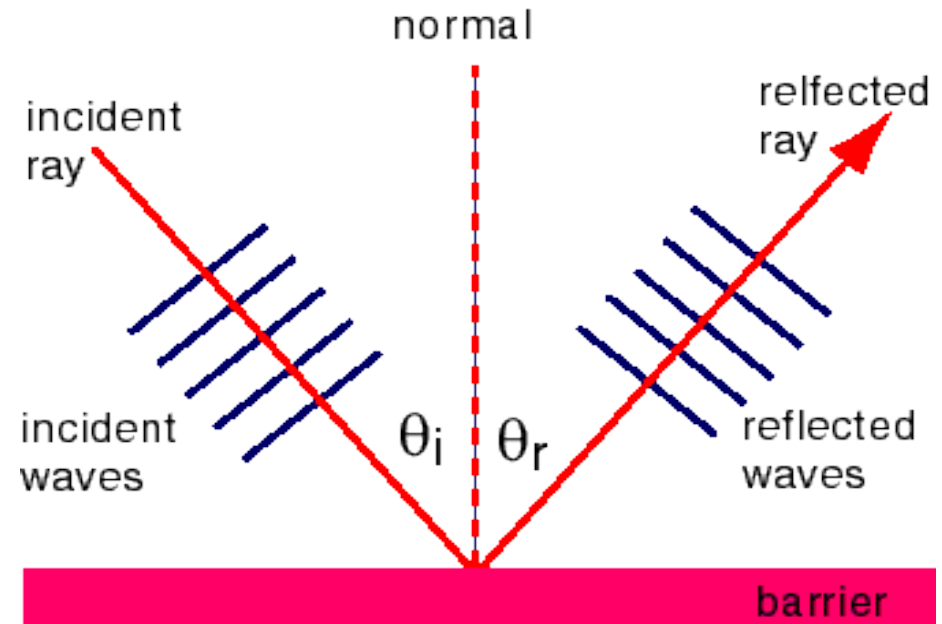
Reflection

- ▶ **Reflection** is the bouncing back of a wave after it strikes a boundary that does not absorb all of the wave's energy.
 - ▶ A line drawn in the direction of motion of a wave is called a **ray**.
 - ▶ **Incident** wave is the incoming wave.
 - ▶ **Reflected** wave is the wave bouncing back.
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Reflection

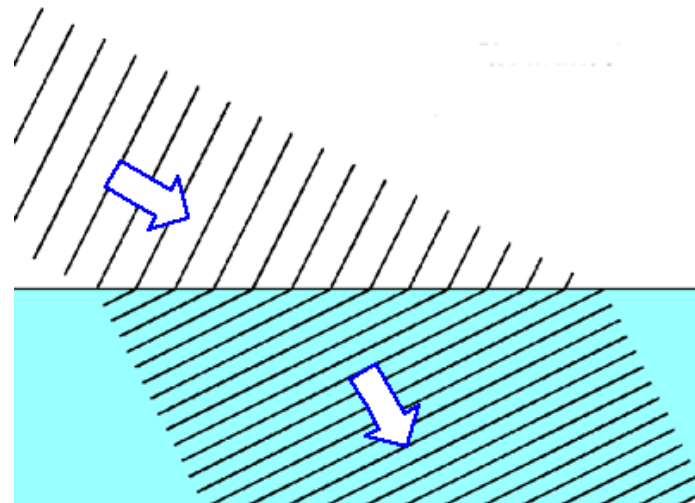
- ▶ **Angle of incidence (i)** – formed by the incident ray and the imaginary normal line.
- ▶ **Angle of reflection (r)** – formed by the reflected ray and the imaginary normal line.

Law of reflection –
the angle of
incidence (i) is equal
to the angle of
reflection (r).



Refraction

- ▶ Waves travel straight until they hit a new medium.
- ▶ **Refraction** – the bending of waves due to a change in speed (different speeds through different mediums)

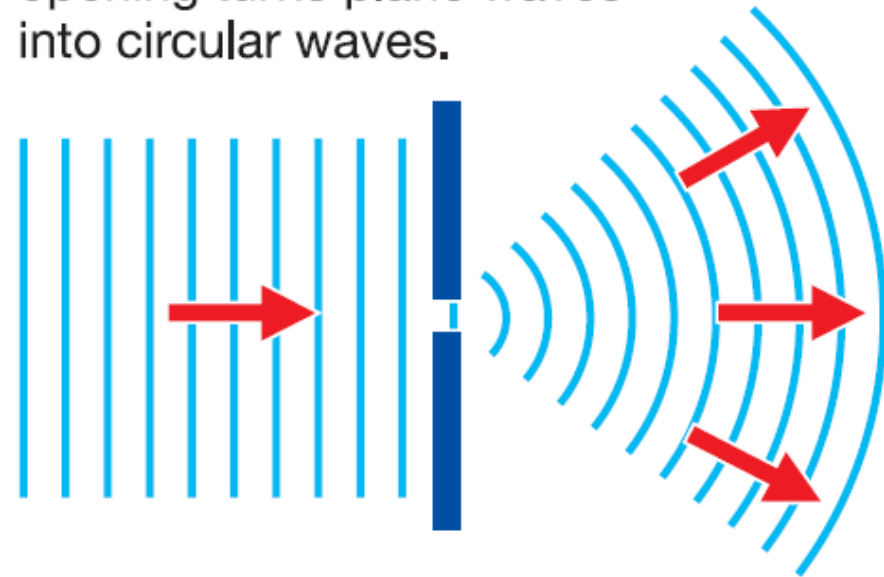


Diffraction Interactions

Diffraction – bending of waves around the edge of an obstacle.

When a plane wave passes through a small hole diffraction turns it into a circular wave.

Diffraction through a small opening turns plane waves into circular waves.




Interference

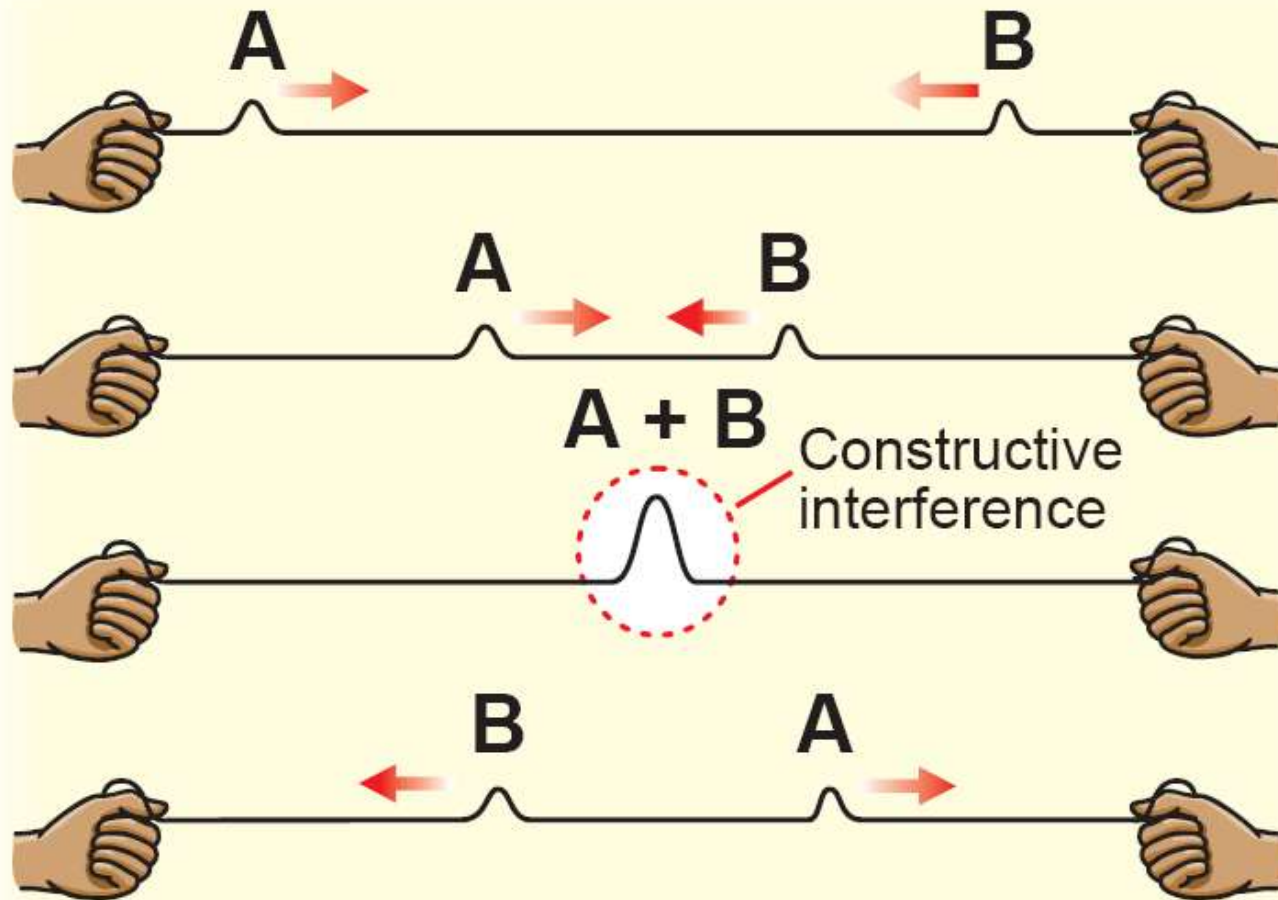
Interference – when two or more waves arrive at the same place at the same time.

There are two type of interference:
constructive and destructive

Constructive Interference

- ▶ **Constructive interference** happens if waves combine in such a way that the disturbance that results is greater than either wave alone.
 - ▶ Crests of the two waves add together to form a single wave.
 - ▶ The amplitude of the single wave is equal to the sum of the amplitudes of the two original waves.
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Constructive Interference



Two wave pulses that are in phase can add up to make a single, bigger pulse when they meet.

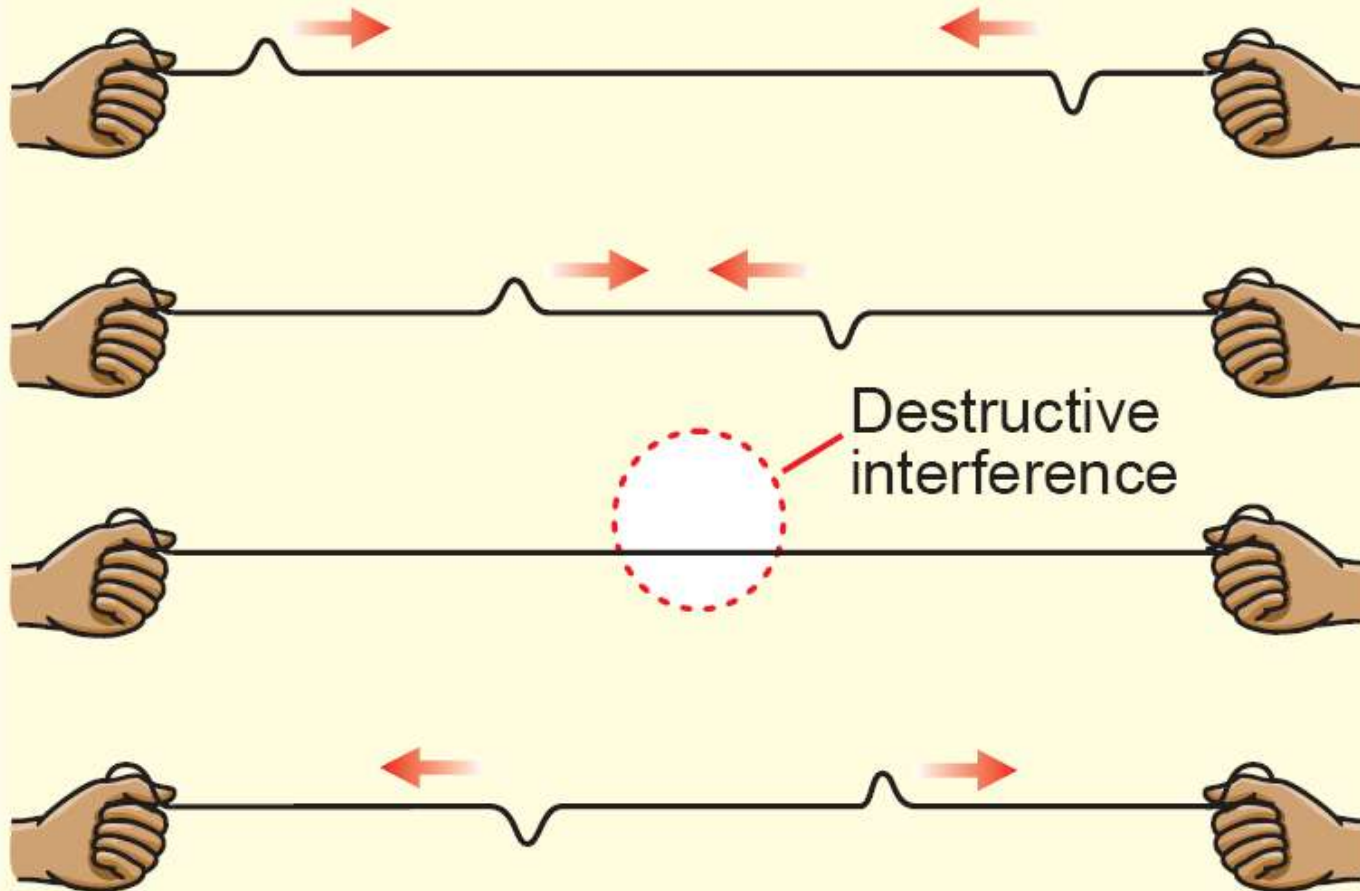
Destructive Interference

Destructive interference – waves combine in such a way that the disturbance that results is less than either wave alone.

Crests and troughs combine by subtracting from each other to form a single wave.


If the crest of one wave occurs at the trough of the other wave and both waves have the same amplitude, the waves will cancel each other out.

Destructive Interference

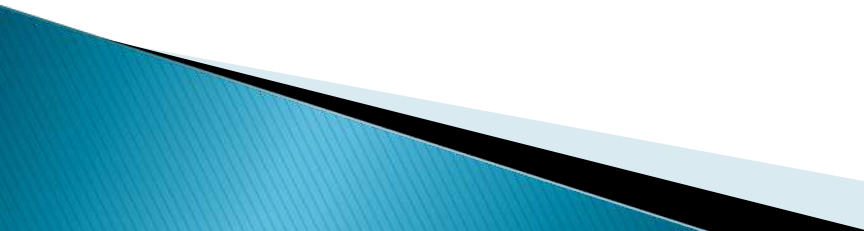


Two equal wave pulses that are out of phase will subtract when they meet. The upward movement of one pulse can exactly cancel the downward movement of the other.

Standing Waves

- ▶ Vibrating the a rope at just the right frequency can cause a standing wave.
 - ▶ Standing waves do not appear to be moving.
 - ▶ **Nodes** are where destructive interference results in no energy displacement.
 - ▶ **Antinodes** are where constructive interference causes maximum energy displacement (any crest or trough).
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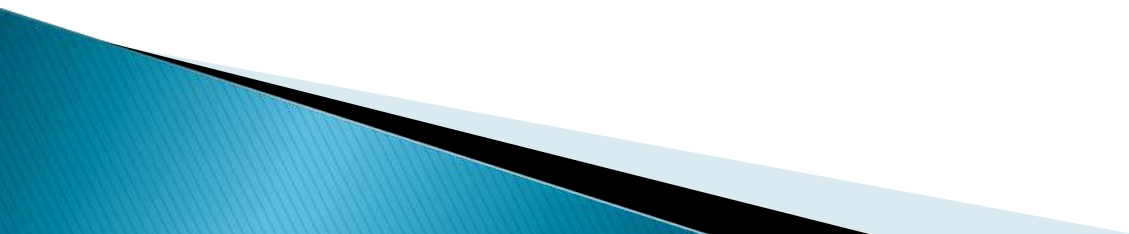
Standing Waves

- ▶ The frequency at which a standing wave occurs is called natural frequency or **resonant frequency**.
 - ▶ Less effort is required to achieve a large amplitude at its natural frequency.
 - ▶ **Resonance** is the ability of an object to vibrate by absorbing energy of its own natural frequency.
 - ▶ Singer can shatter glass by singing at the same natural frequency that a glass has. Glass is not flexible and when it absorbs the energy it breaks.
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Terms to Know

Reflections	Refraction
Diffraction	Interference
Standing Wave	Resonant Frequency

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 - #1–6

- ▶ Chapter Review Page 610
 - Multiple Choice #1–9
 - True/False #1–8
 - Concept Mastery #1–3, 5–9

Cell Phones: How they work

The process that allows a cell phone to communicate is the same as for a radio or walkie-talkie. All of these devices use electromagnetic waves of within a specific frequency range to send information.

