

Q. 11. Let g' = acceleration due to gravity on the moon. l, T' will be the length and periodic time of the pendulum on the moon.

$$\begin{aligned} T : T' &= 2\pi\sqrt{\frac{l}{g}} : 2\pi\sqrt{\frac{l'}{g'}} \\ &= 2\pi\sqrt{\frac{8}{l}} : 2\pi\sqrt{\frac{3}{\frac{1}{6}}} \\ &= \sqrt{8} : \sqrt{18} \\ &= \sqrt{4} : \sqrt{9} \\ &= 2 : 3 \end{aligned}$$

Q. 12. (i) As in text.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(ii) } T &= 2\pi\sqrt{\frac{k}{g}} \\ \Rightarrow T^2 &= 4\pi^2 \frac{k}{g} \\ \Rightarrow g &= \frac{4\pi^2 k}{T^2} \quad \text{QED} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(iii) } &39 \text{ cycles / min} \\ &= 1 \text{ cycle / } \frac{1}{39} \text{ min} \\ &= 1 \text{ cycle / } \frac{60}{39} \text{ s} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{So, } g = \frac{4\pi^2(0.6)}{\left(\frac{60}{39}\right)^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow g = 10.0 \text{ m/s}^2$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(iv) } \% \text{ Error} &= \frac{(10.0 - 9.8)(100)}{9.8} = 2.04\% \\ &= 2\% \text{ (to nearest percent)} \end{aligned}$$