

Answer on Question #41750 Physics – Other

What is the frequency of oscillation of a simple pendulum which makes 50 oscillations in 24.4 seconds?

- 0.23Hz
- 0.014Hz
- 0.488Hz
- 2.049Hz

Solution:

$t = 24.4\text{s}$ – time of the measurement;

$N = 50$ – number of oscillations;

Formula for the frequency (T – period):

$$f = \frac{1}{T} = \frac{1}{\frac{t}{N}} = \frac{1}{\frac{24.4\text{s}}{50}} = 2\text{Hz}$$

Answer: frequency of oscillation of a simple pendulum is equal to 2Hz.