

Answer on Question #44651, Physics, Mechanics | Kinematics | Dynamics

For all three strings:

$L = 0,1 \text{ m}$ (length)

$A = 1 \text{ mm}^2$ (cross section area)

$g = 9,8 \text{ m/sec}^2$

Hooke's Law:

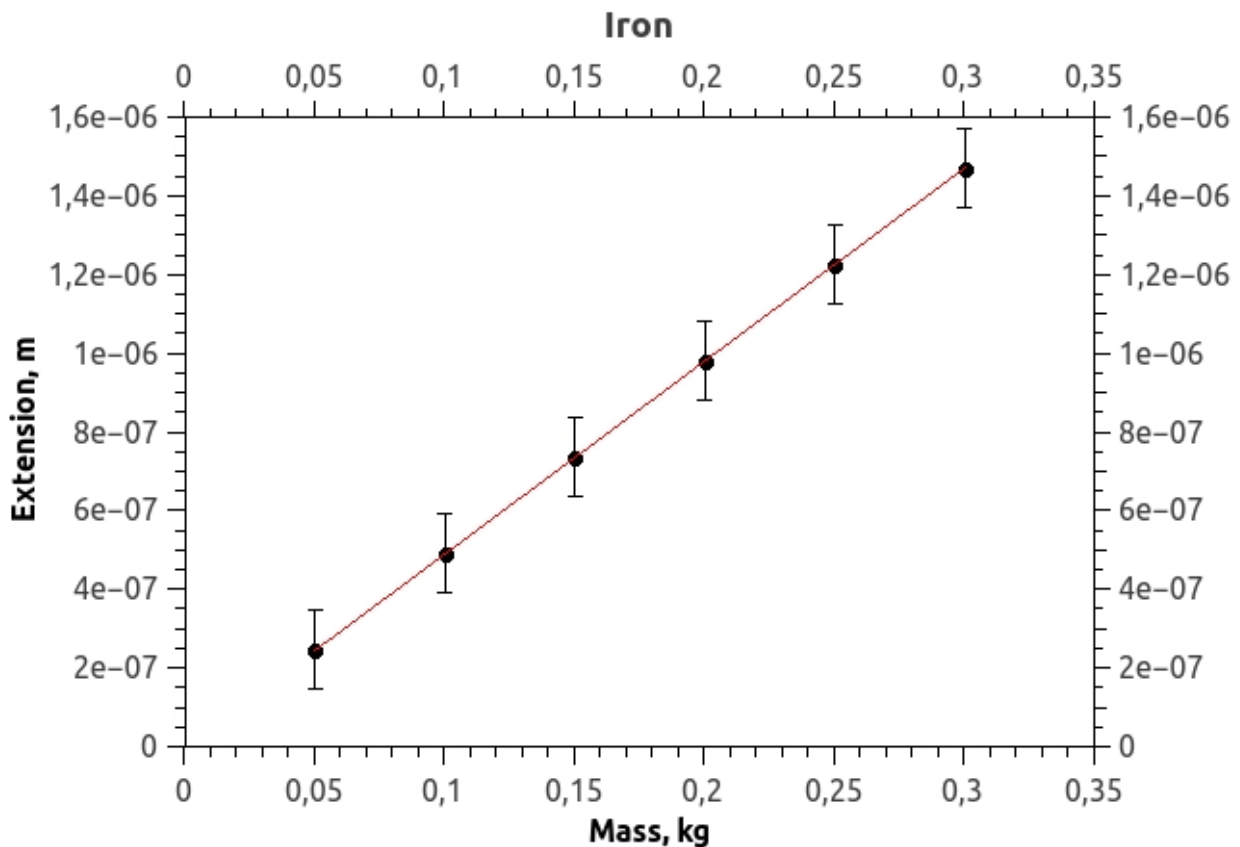
$F = -K \cdot X$, K – extension coefficient, X – extension of the string. ΔX – error for X value.

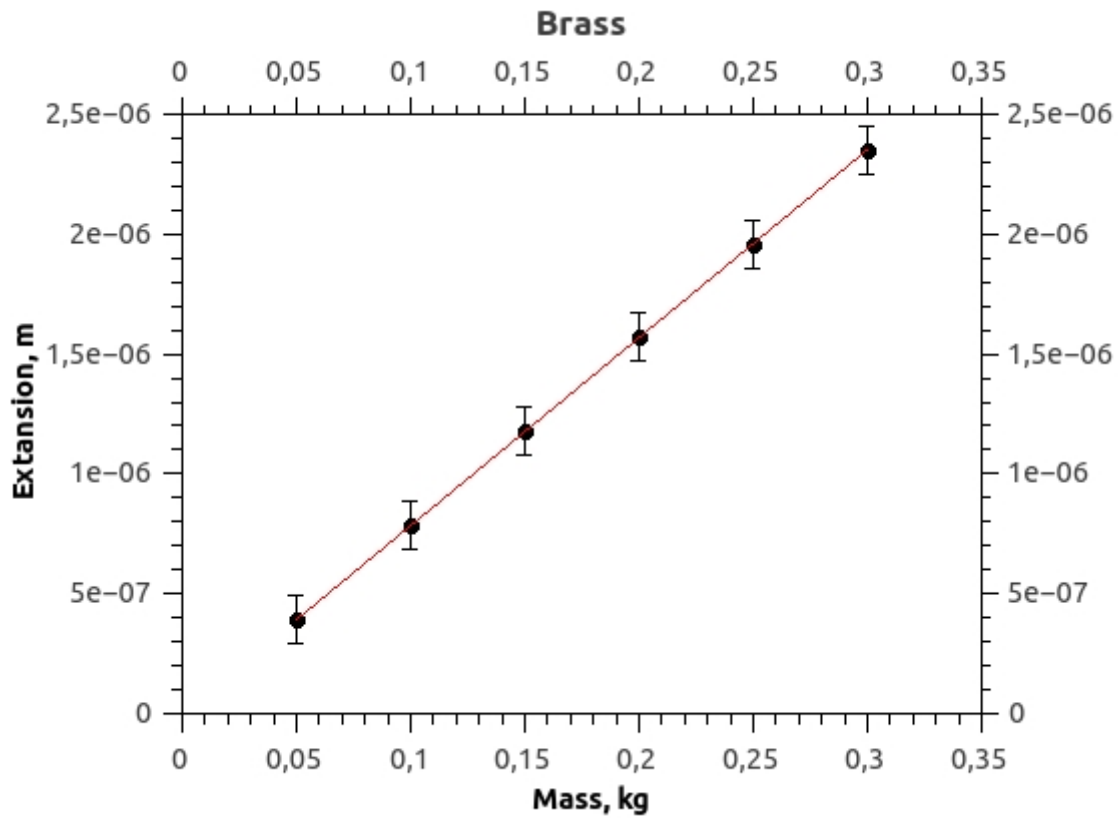
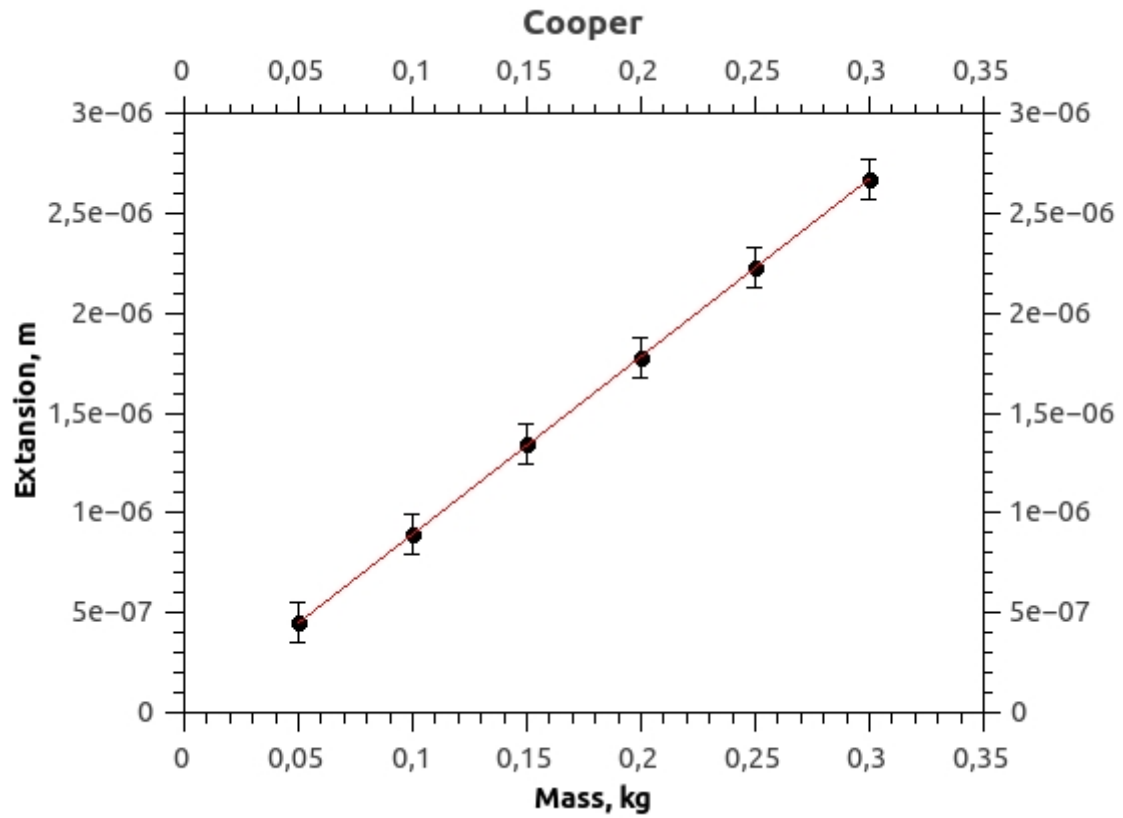
M – mass of the block that was put on the string.

Iron		
X, m	ΔX , m	M, kg
0,000000245	0,0000001	0,05
0,00000049	0,0000001	0,1
0,000000735	0,0000001	0,15
0,00000098	0,0000001	0,2
0,000001225	0,0000001	0,25
0,00000147	0,0000001	0,3

Cooper		
X, m	ΔX , m	M, kg
0,00000045	0,0000001	0,05
0,00000089	0,0000001	0,1
0,00000134	0,0000001	0,15
0,00000178	0,0000001	0,2
0,00000223	0,0000001	0,25
0,00000267	0,0000001	0,3

Brass		
X, m	ΔX , m	M, kg
0,000000392	0,0000001	0,05
0,000000784	0,0000001	0,1
0,000001176	0,0000001	0,15
0,000001568	0,0000001	0,2
0,00000196	0,0000001	0,25
0,000002352	0,0000001	0,3





As we can see from the graphs all three strings obey Hooke's law.

To compare our results with the table data with the table data, we need to find Young's modulus.

$$K = \frac{E \cdot A}{L} \Rightarrow E = \frac{K \cdot L}{A}$$

We can find K from the plot. Linear law was used to fit the data:

$$F = K \cdot X = M \cdot g \Rightarrow X = M \cdot \frac{g}{K}$$

For Iron: $X = a \cdot M + b = 4,89 \cdot 10^{-6} \cdot M + 2 \cdot 10^{-22}$, So $\frac{g}{K} = 4,89 \cdot 10^{-6} \Rightarrow K = 2 \cdot 10^6 \text{ m/N}$

$$E = \frac{2 \cdot 10^6 \cdot 0,1}{1 \cdot 10^{-6}} = 200 \text{ GPa} \text{ (the same as table data)}$$

For copper we make the same calculations:

E = 110 GPa (the same value as table data)

For Brass:

E = 115 GPa (the same value as table data)