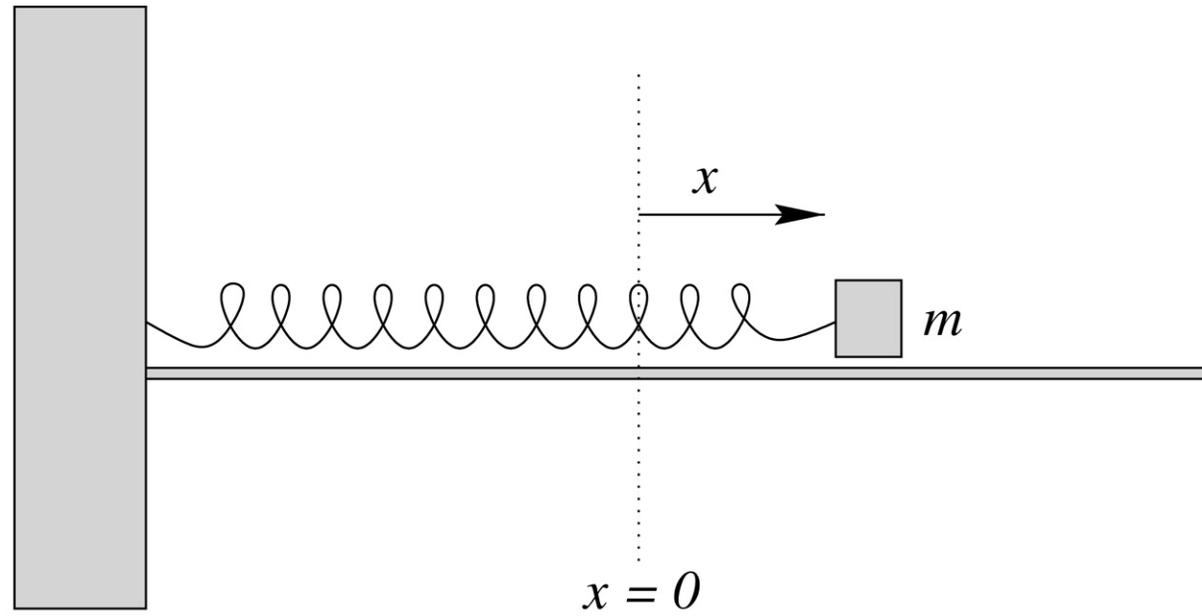
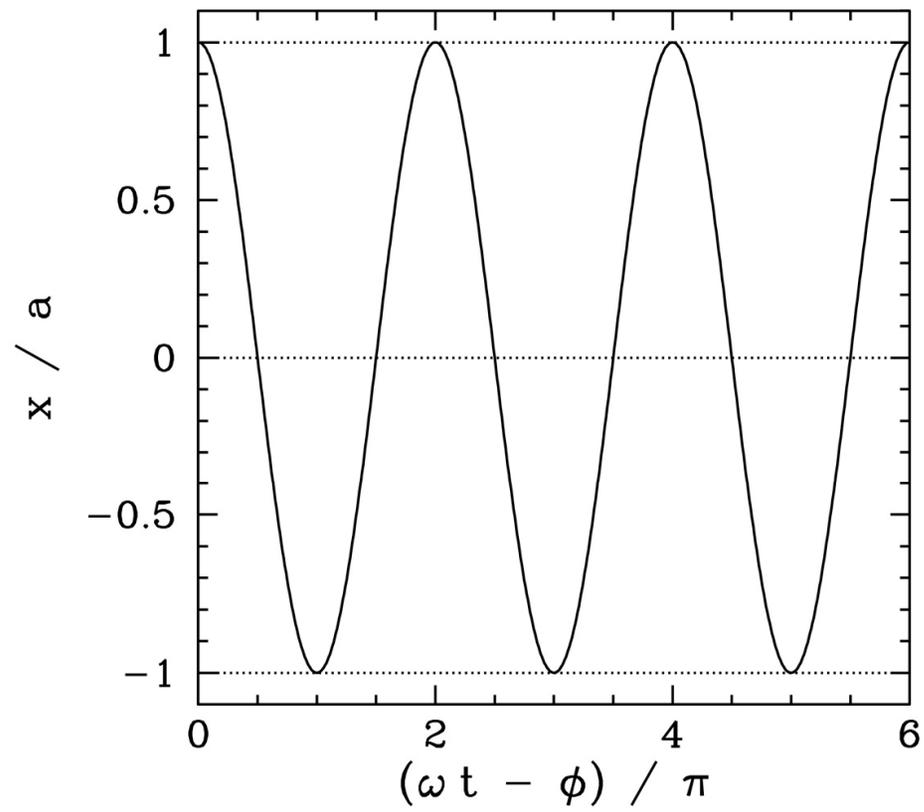


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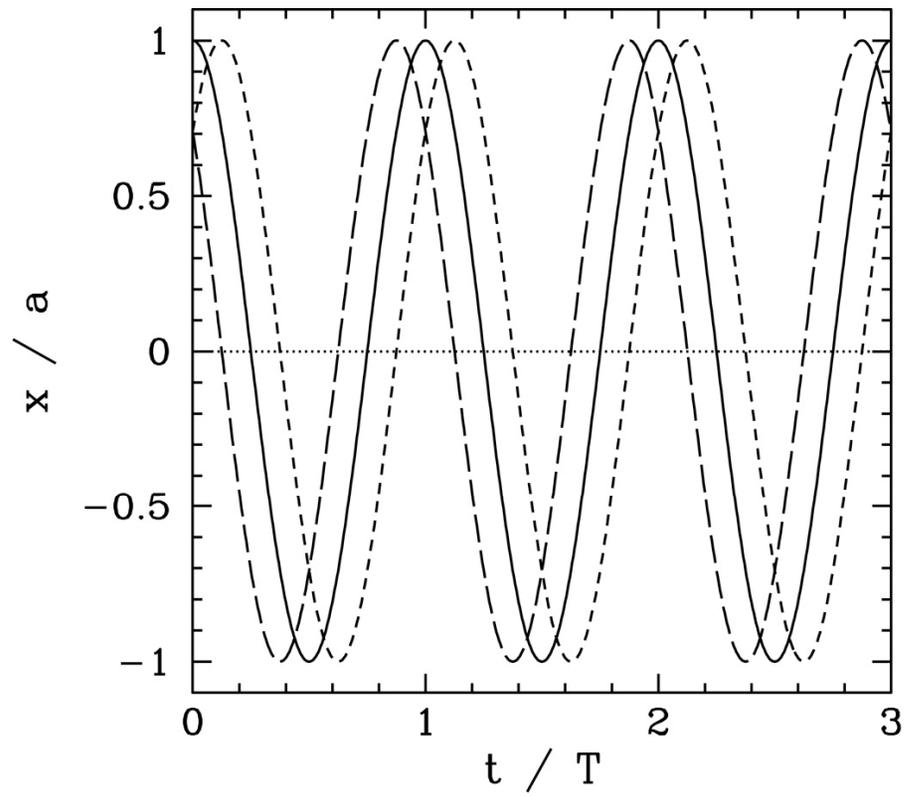
## 1 Simple Harmonic Oscillation



**FIGURE 1.1**  
Mass on a spring.

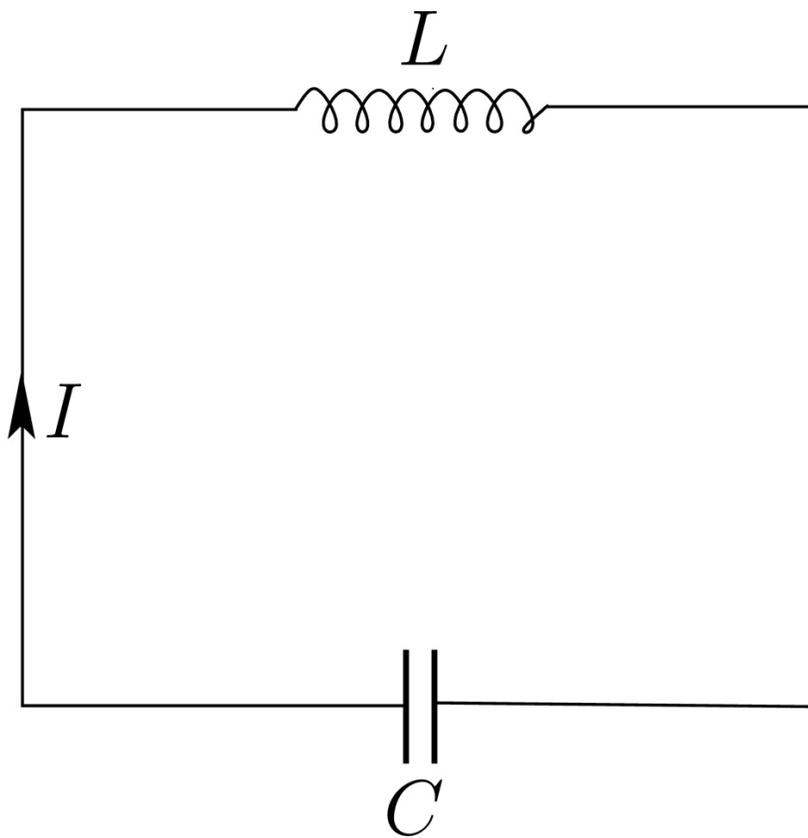


**FIGURE 1.2**  
Simple harmonic oscillation.

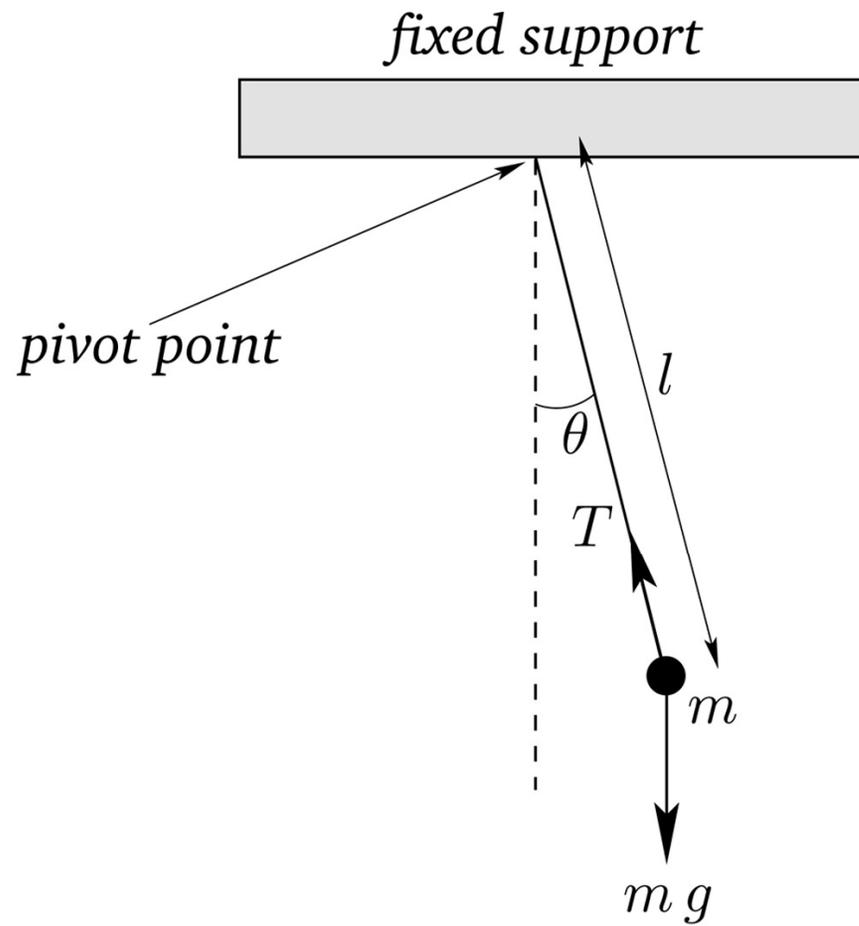


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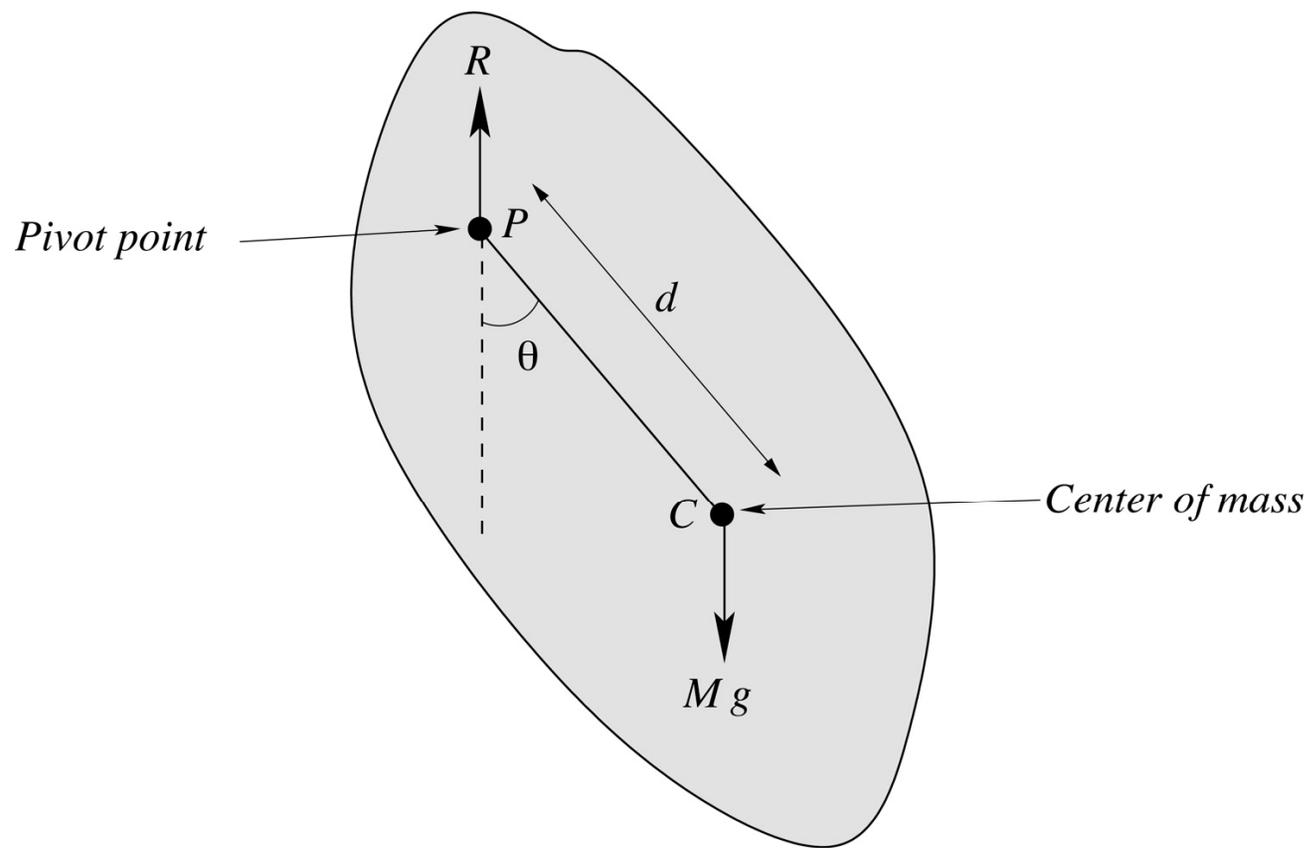
Simple harmonic oscillation. The solid, short-dashed, and long-dashed curves correspond to  $\phi = 0$ ,  $+\pi/4$ , and  $-\pi/4$ , respectively.



**FIGURE 1.4**  
An LC circuit.



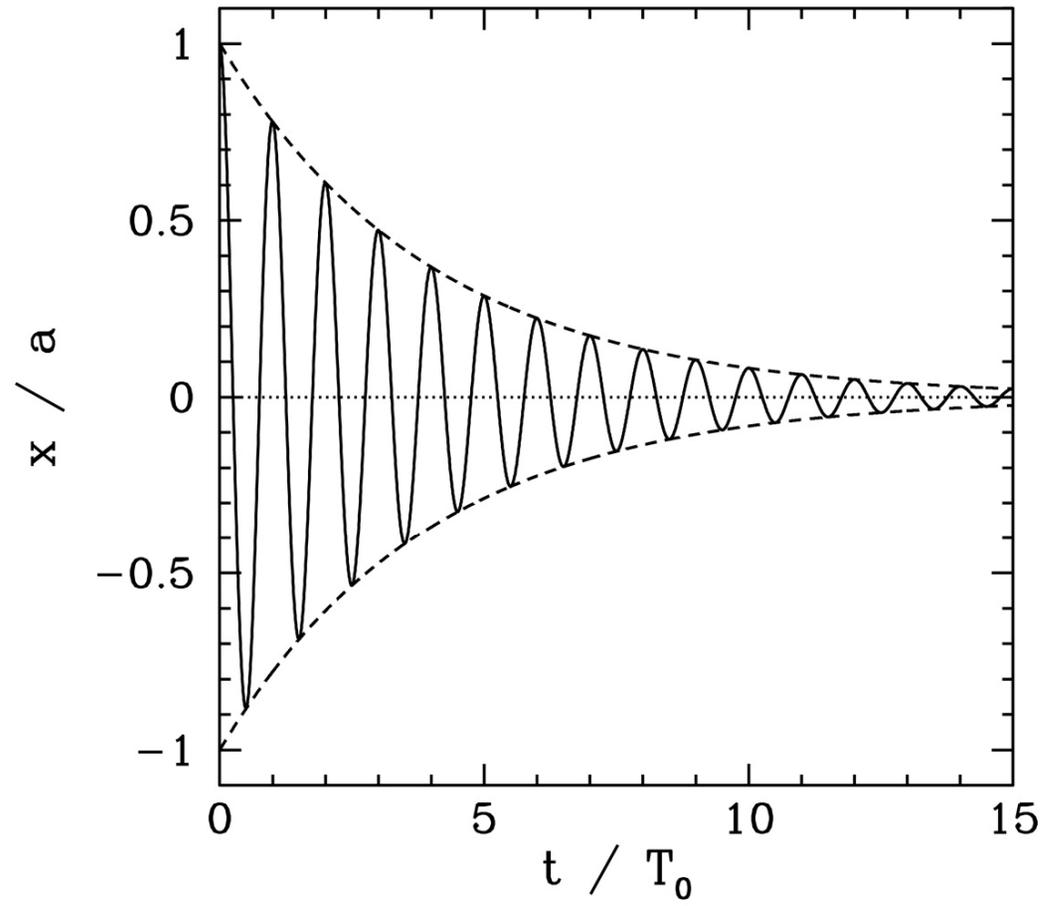
**FIGURE 1.5**  
A simple pendulum.



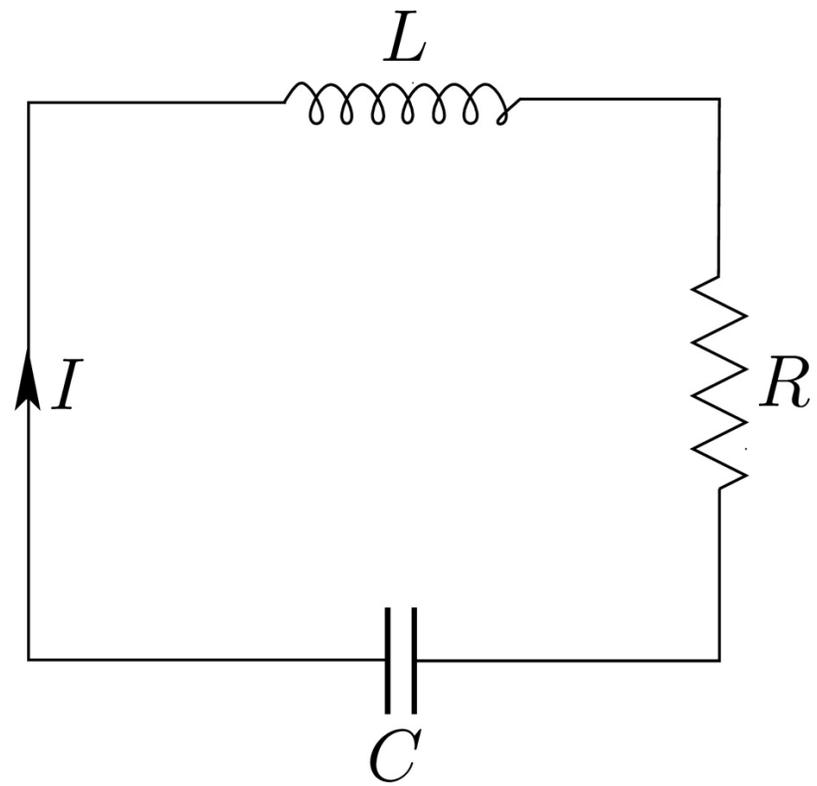
**FIGURE 1.6**  
A compound pendulum.

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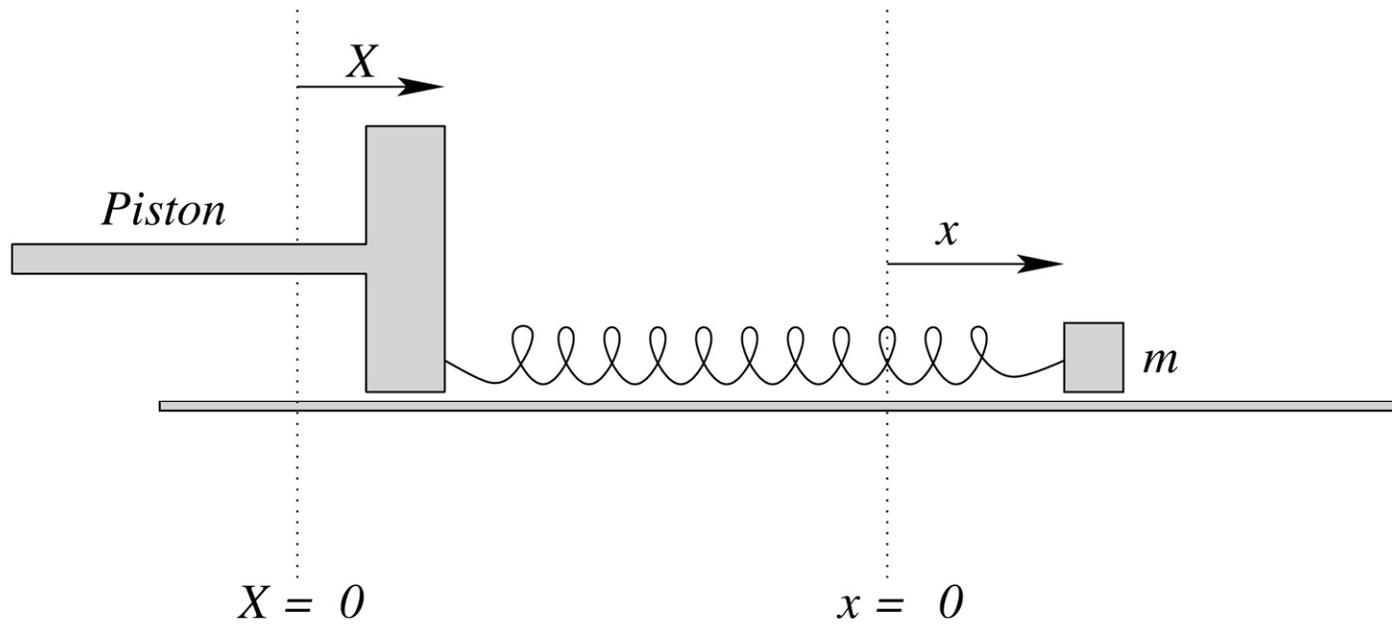
## 2 Damped and Driven Harmonic Oscillation



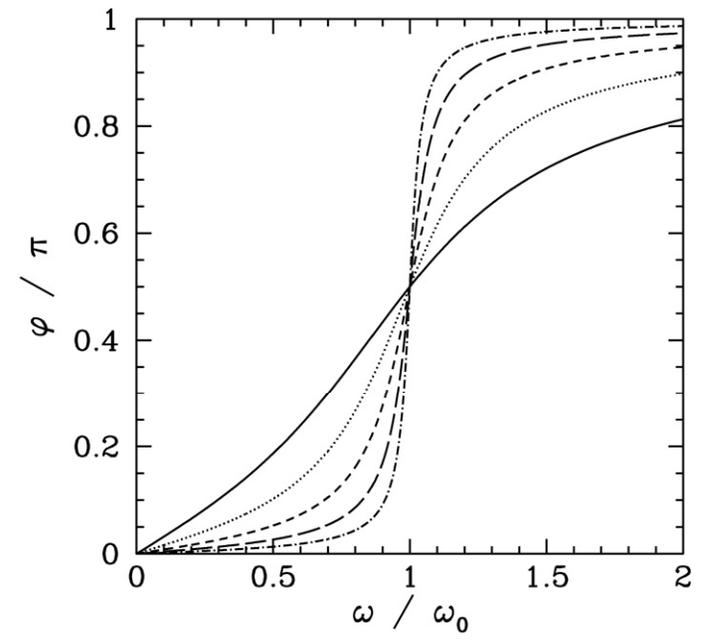
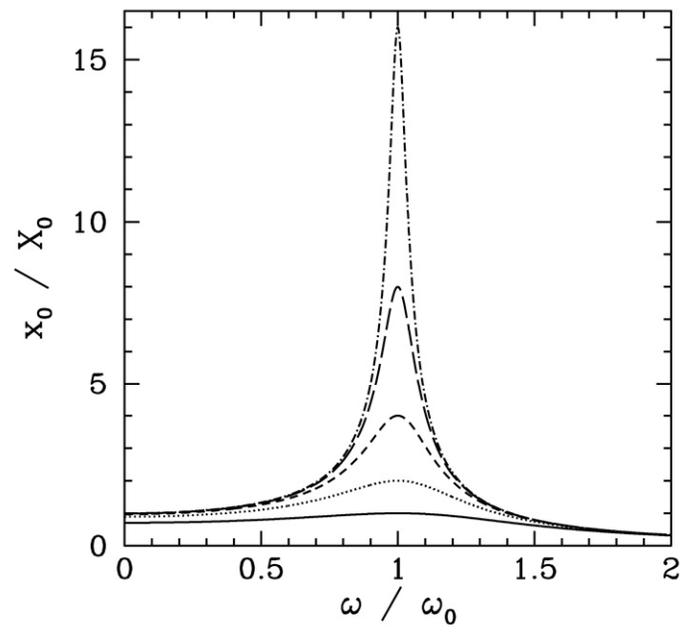
**FIGURE 2.1**  
Damped harmonic oscillation.



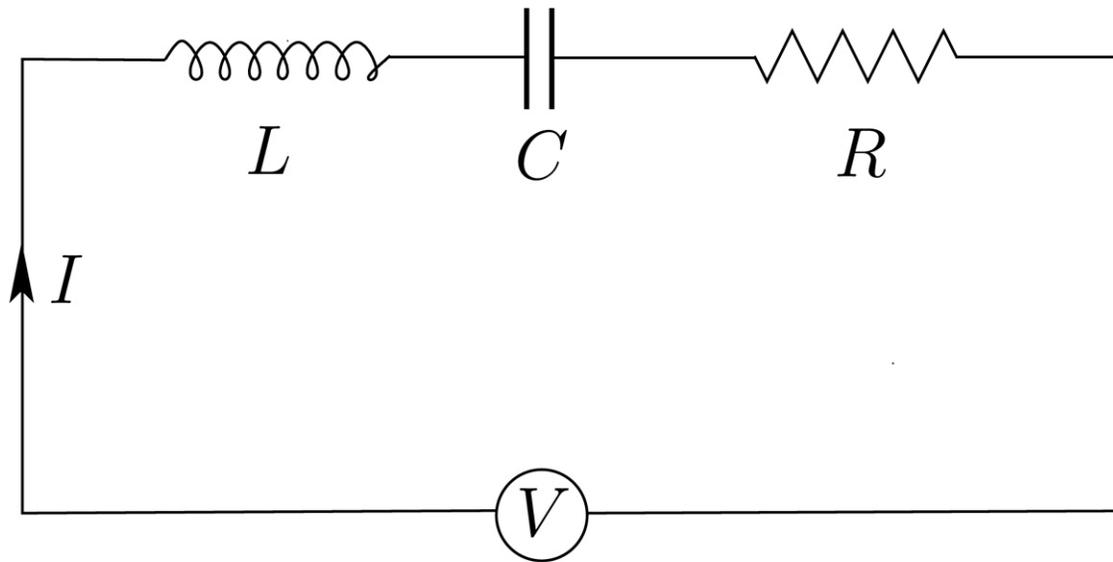
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An LCR circuit.



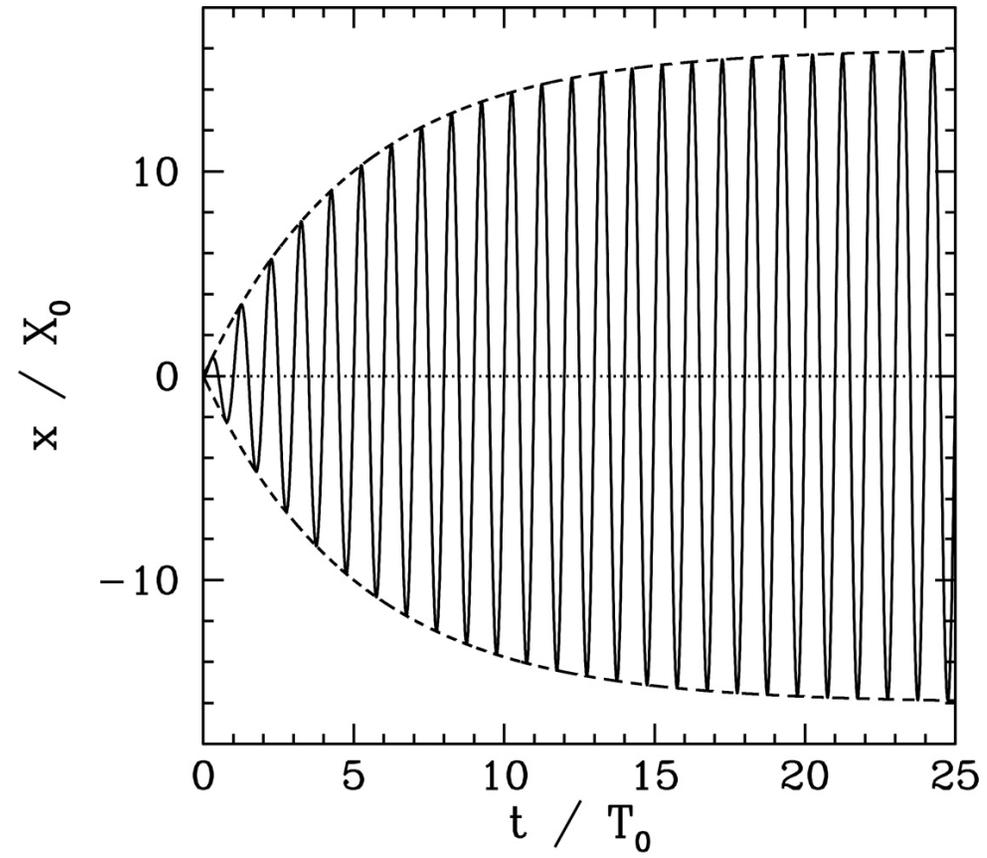
**FIGURE 2.3**  
A driven oscillatory system



**FIGURE 2.4**  
Driven harmonic motion.

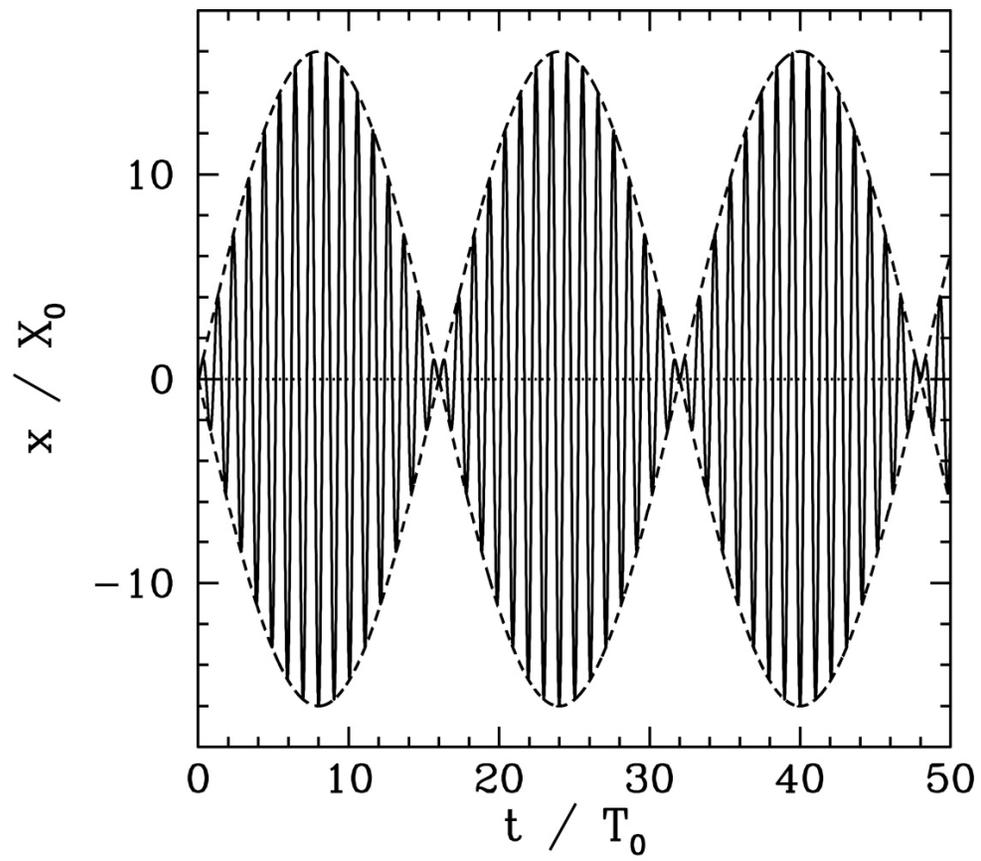


**FIGURE 2.5**  
A driven LCR circuit.

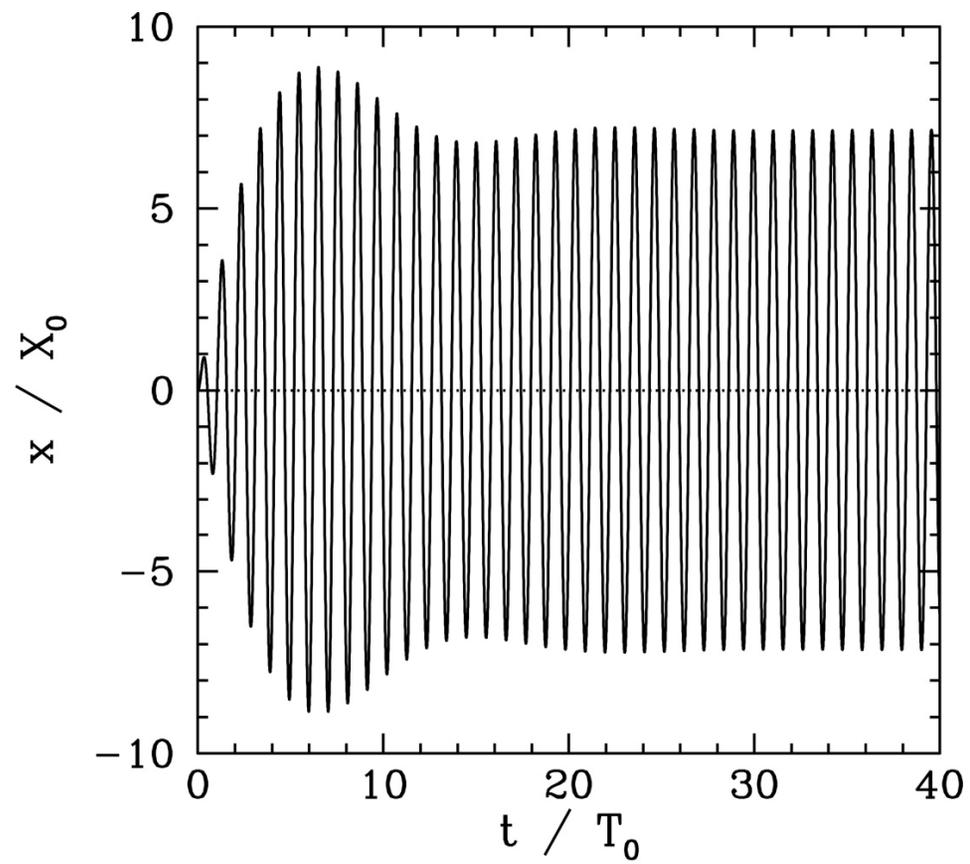


**FIGURE 2.6**

Resonant response of a driven damped harmonic oscillator.

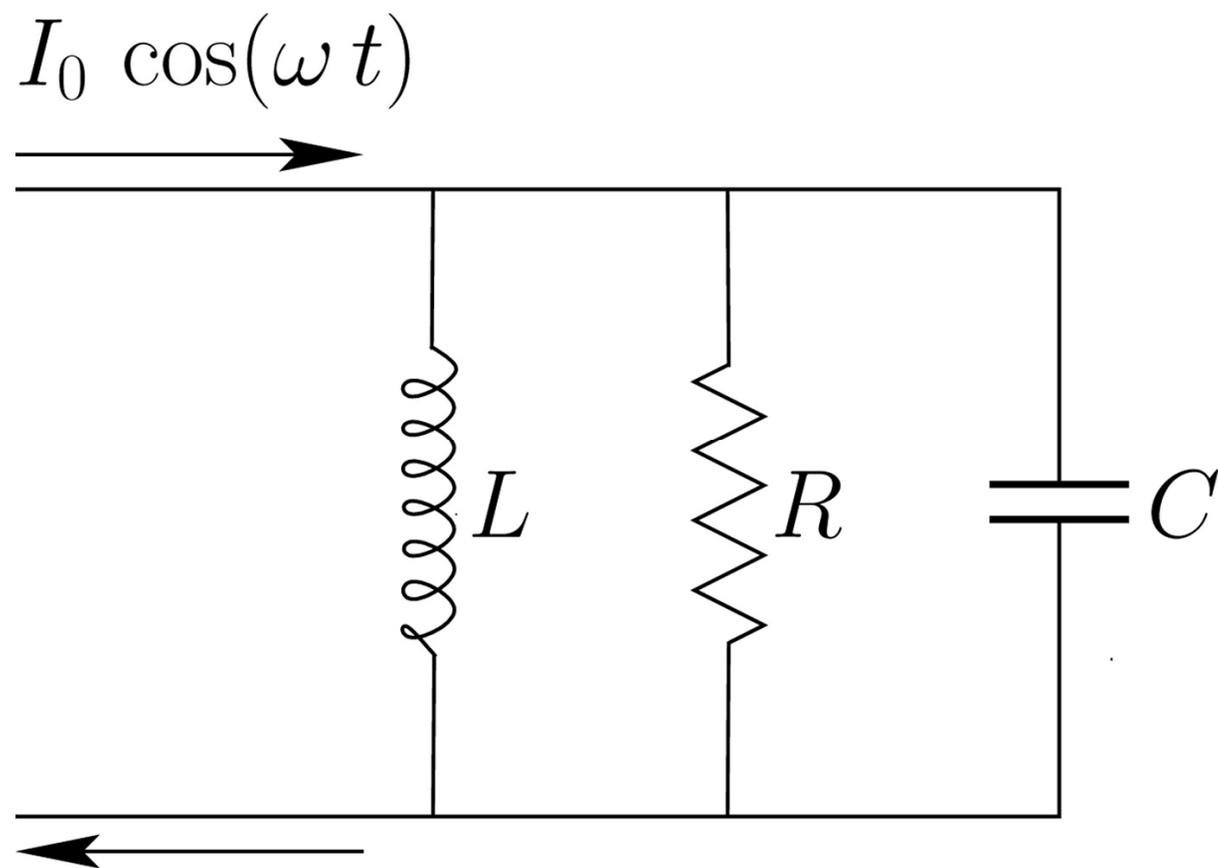


**FIGURE 2.7**  
Off-resonant response of a driven undamped harmonic oscillator.



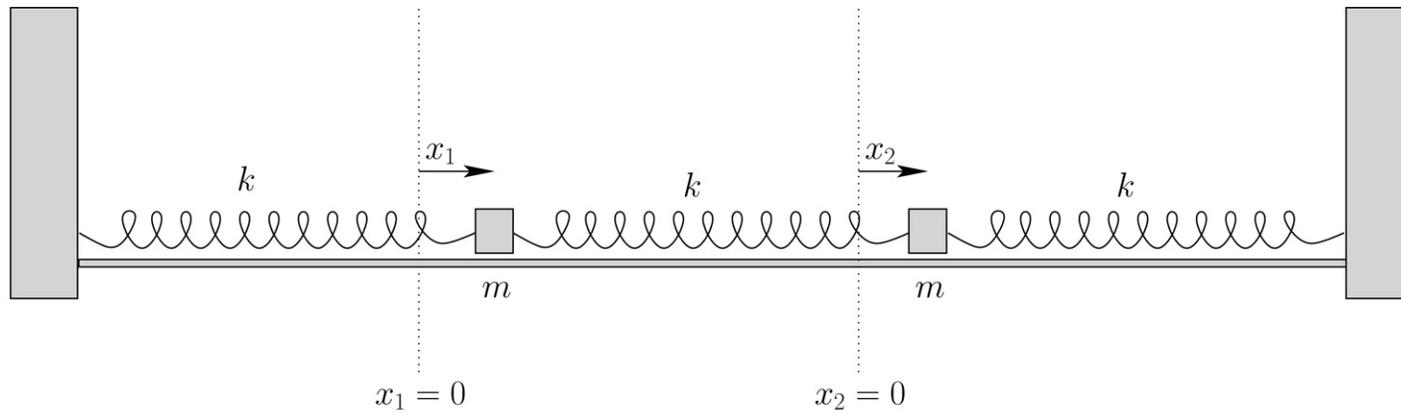
**FIGURE 2.8**

Nonresonant response of a driven damped harmonic oscillator.

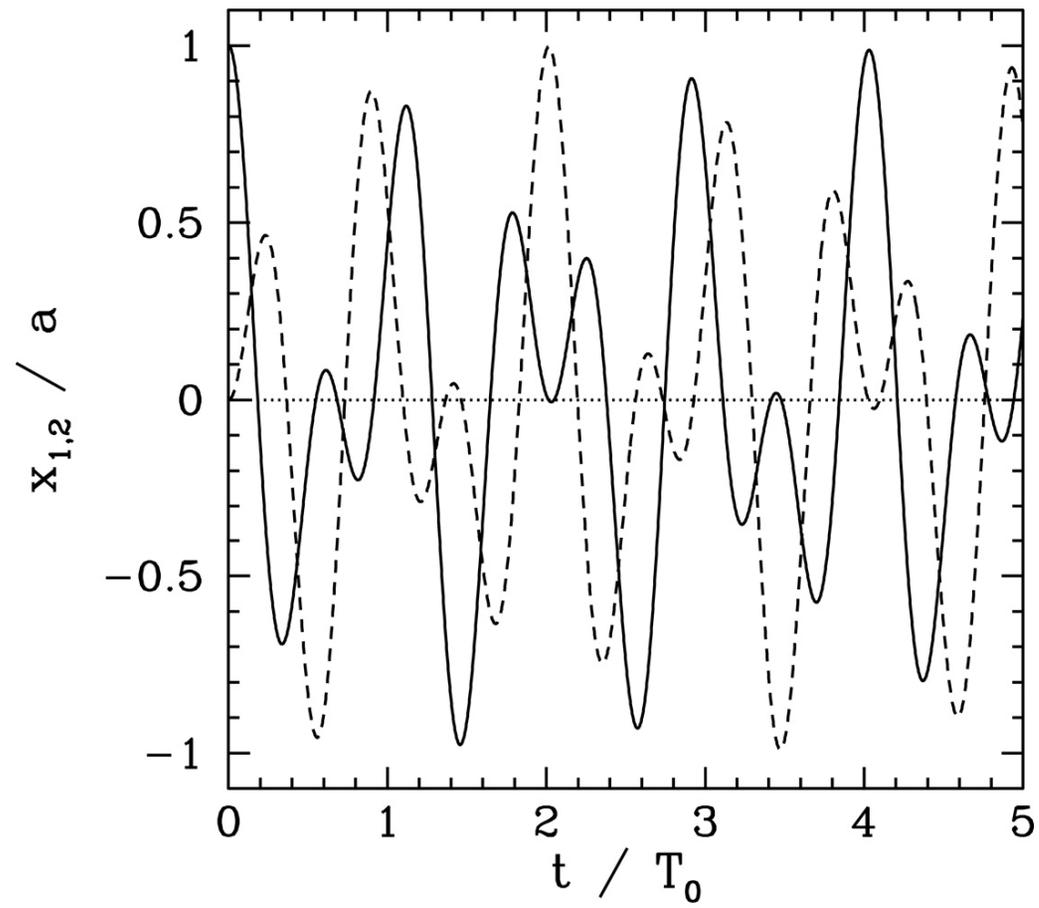


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## 3 Coupled Oscillations

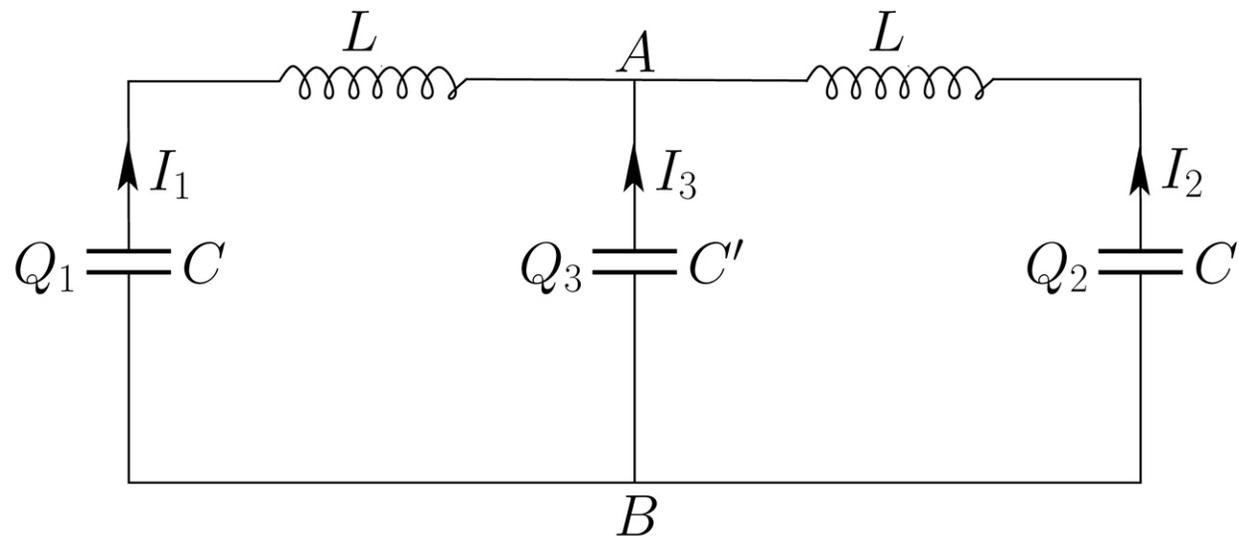


**FIGURE 3.1**  
Two degree of freedom mass-spring system.



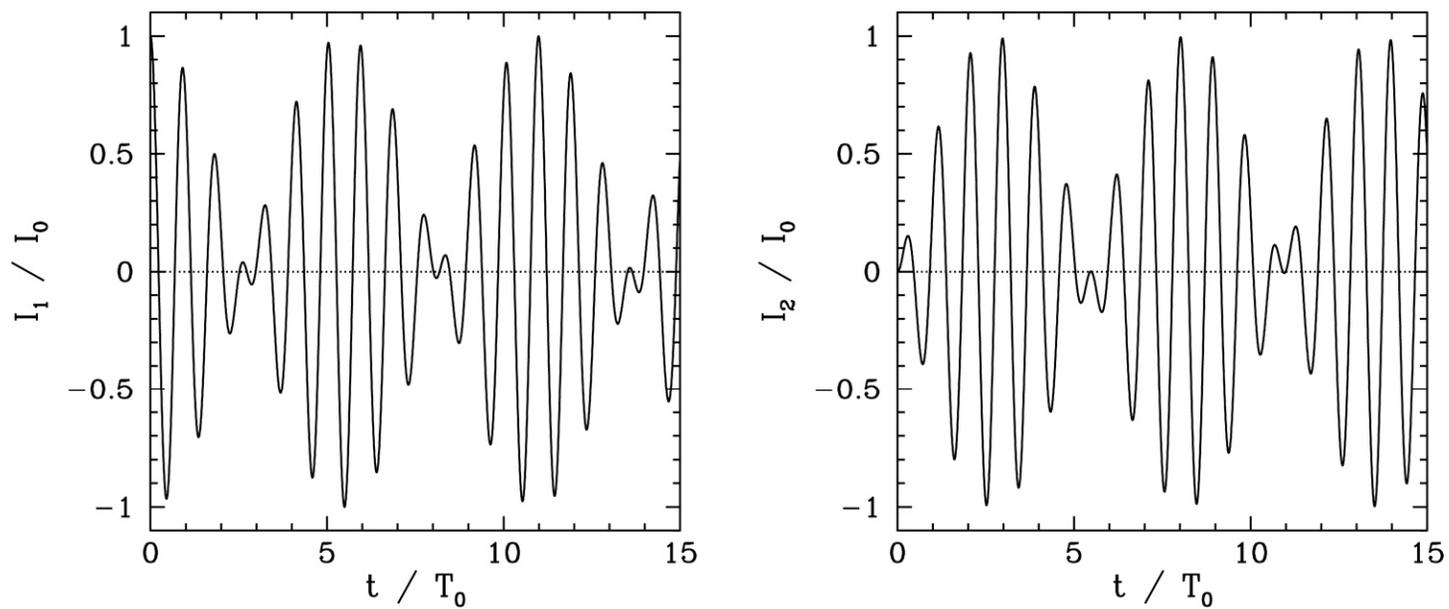
**FIGURE 3.2**

Coupled oscillations in a two degree of freedom mass-spring system.



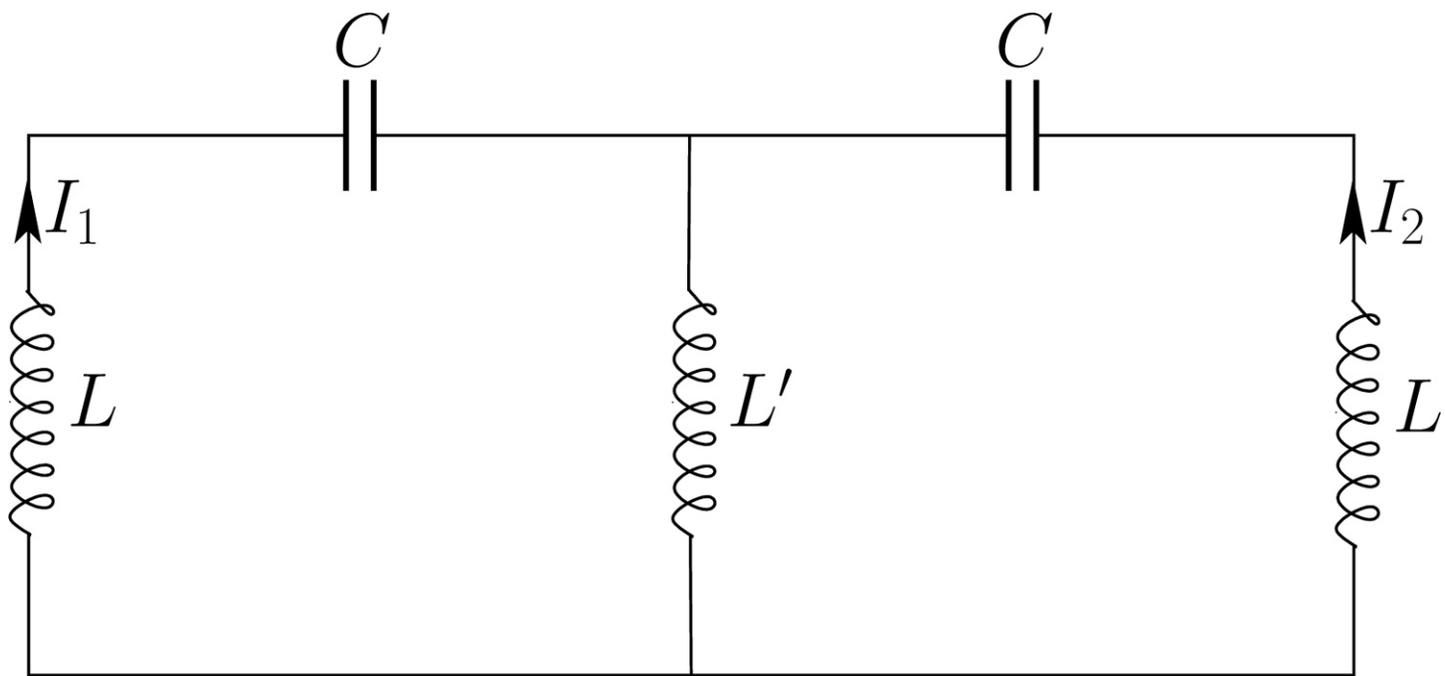
**FIGURE 3.3**

A two degree of freedom LC circuit.



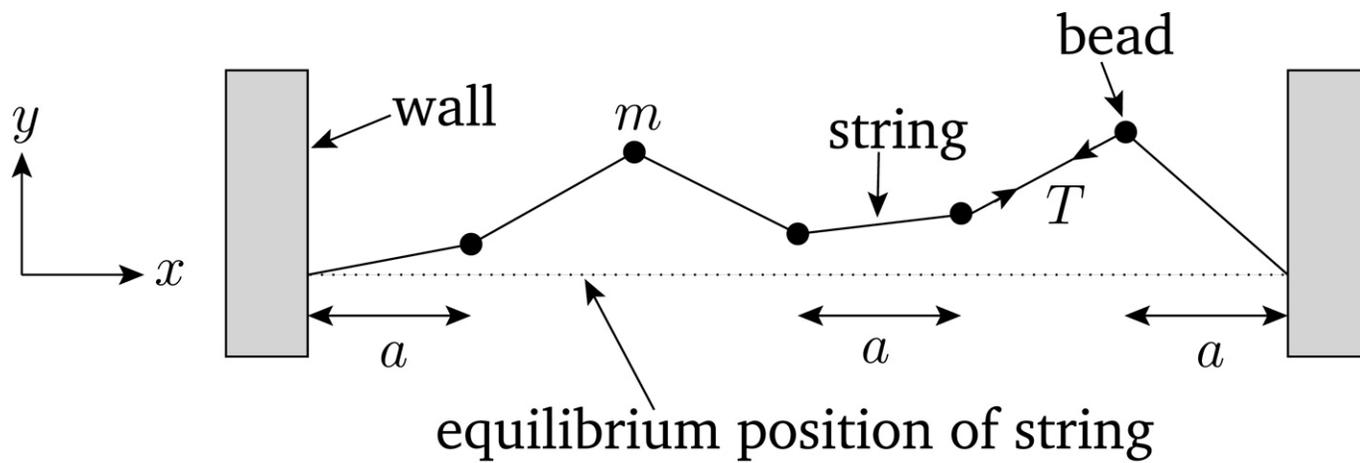
**FIGURE 3.4**

Coupled oscillations in a two degree of freedom *LC* circuit.

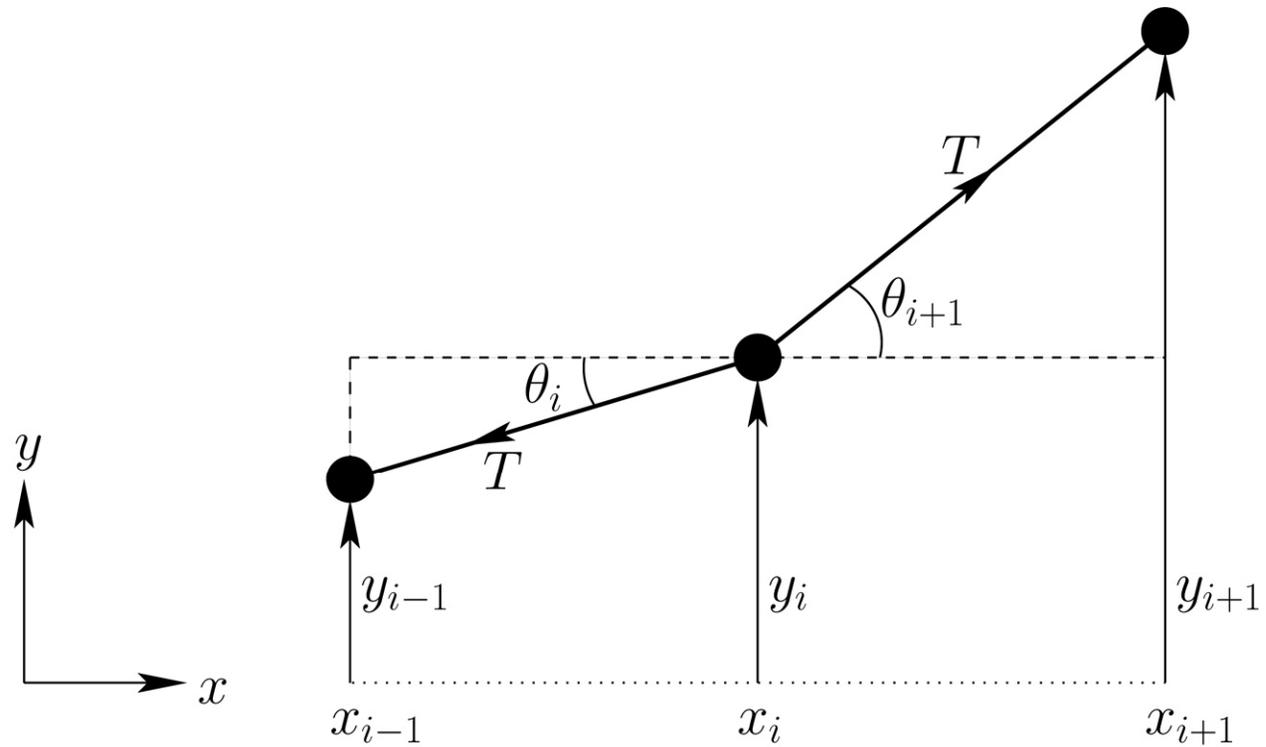


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## 4 Transverse Standing Waves

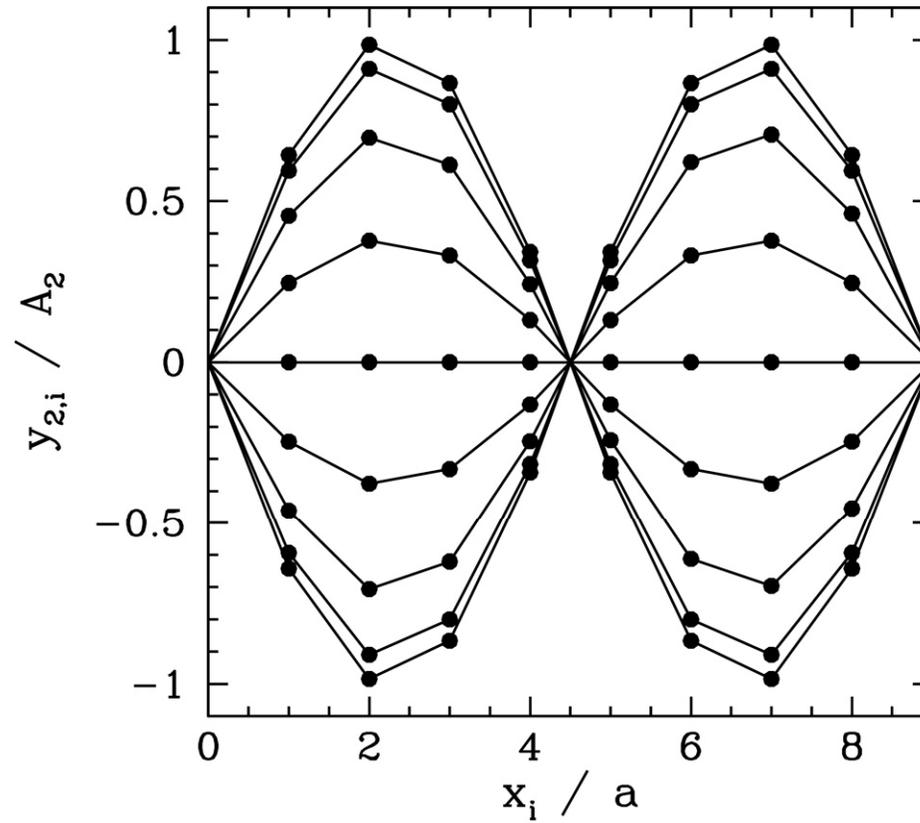


**FIGURE 4.1**  
A beaded string.



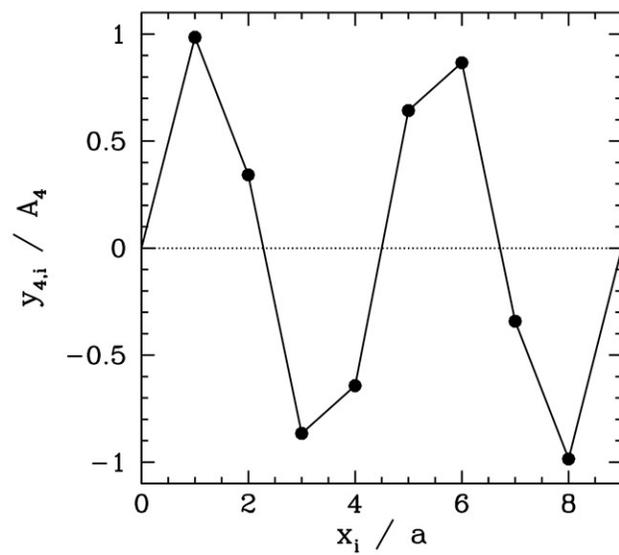
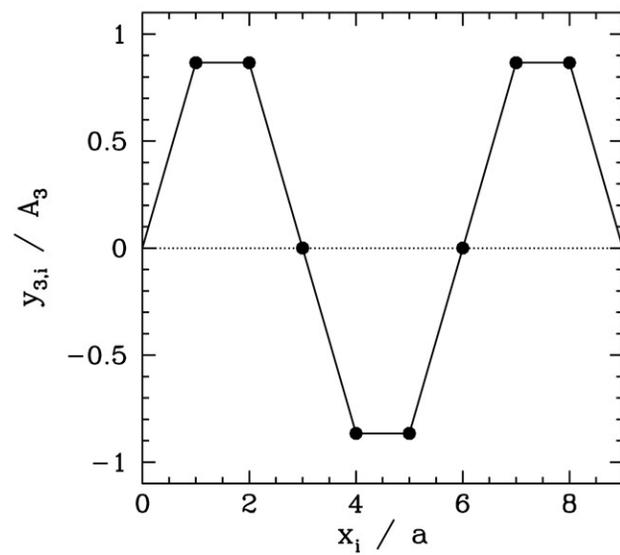
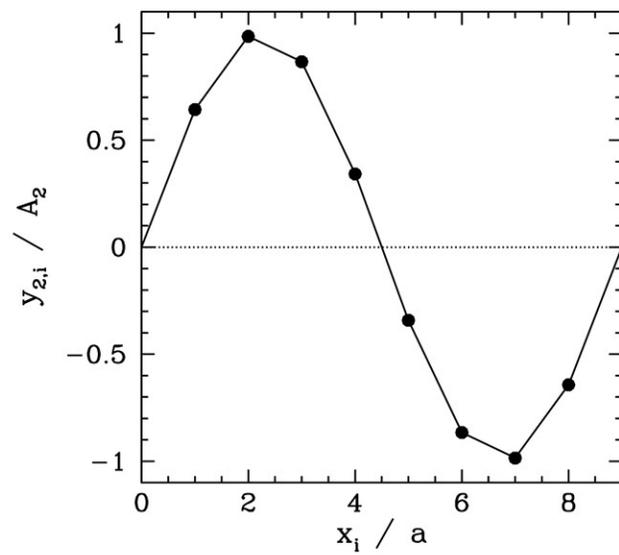
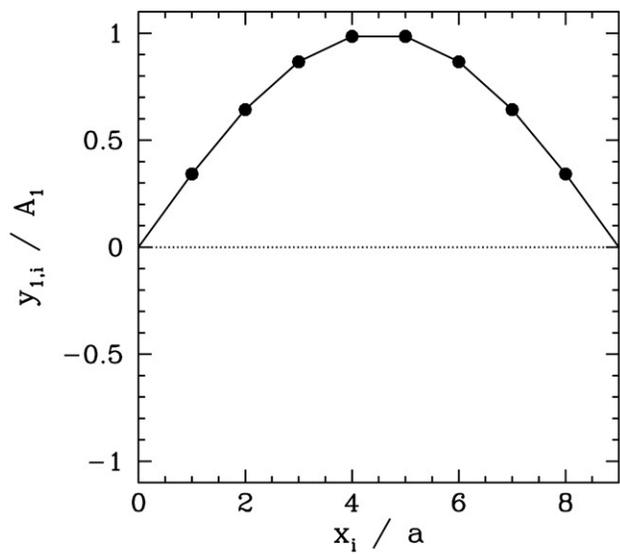
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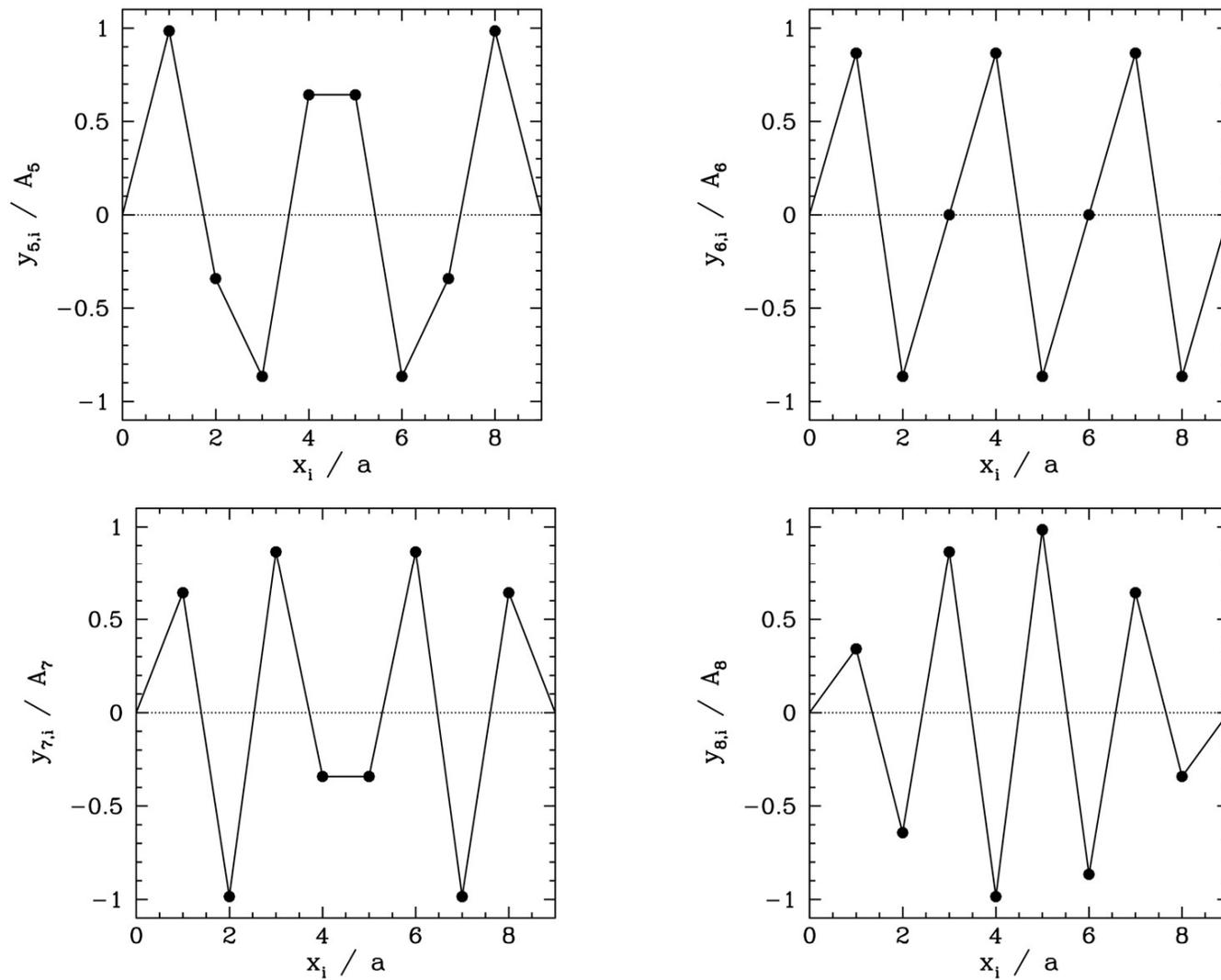
A short section of a beaded string.



**FIGURE 4.3**

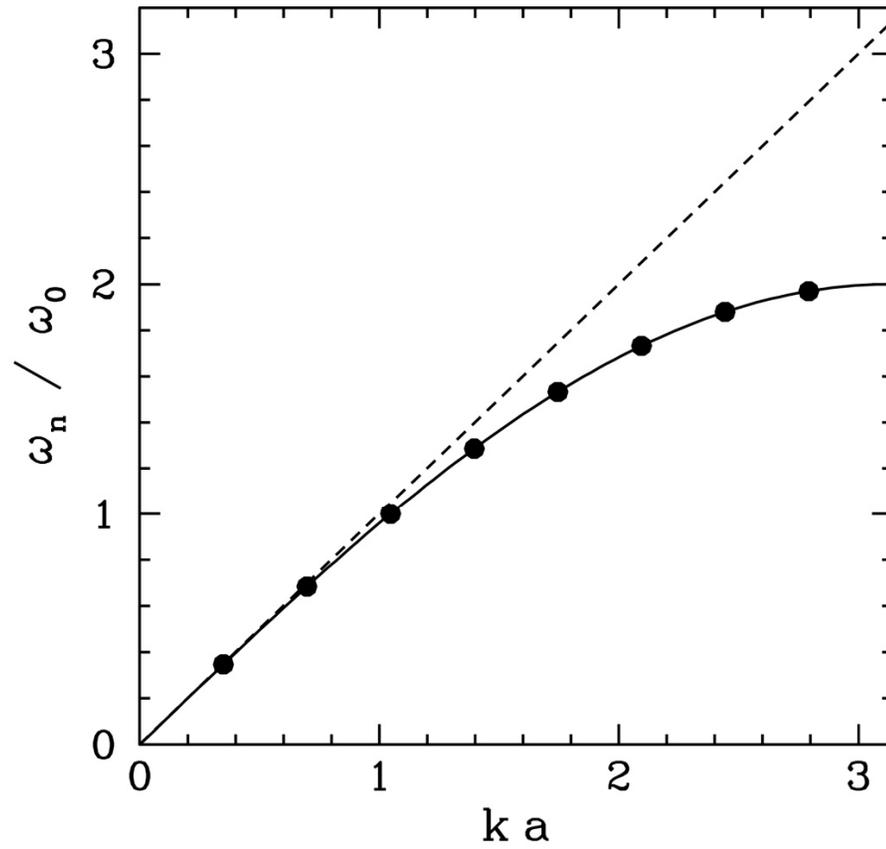
Time evolution of the  $n = 2$  normal mode of a beaded string with eight equally spaced beads.



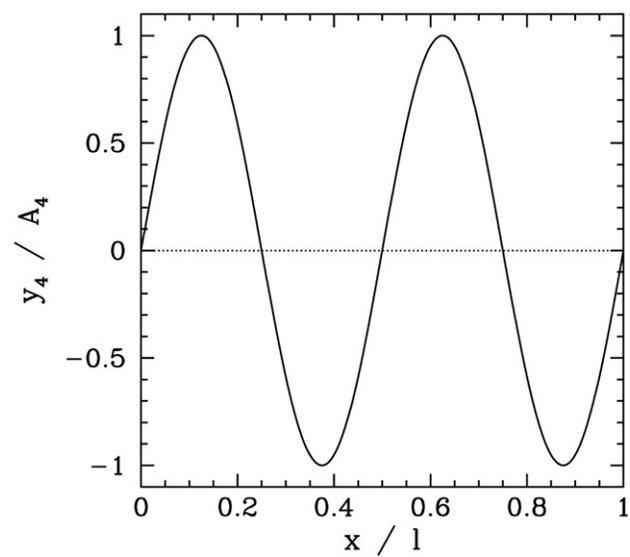
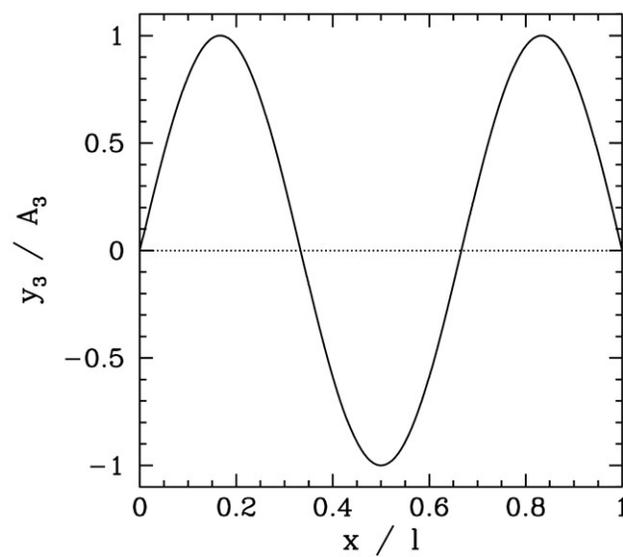
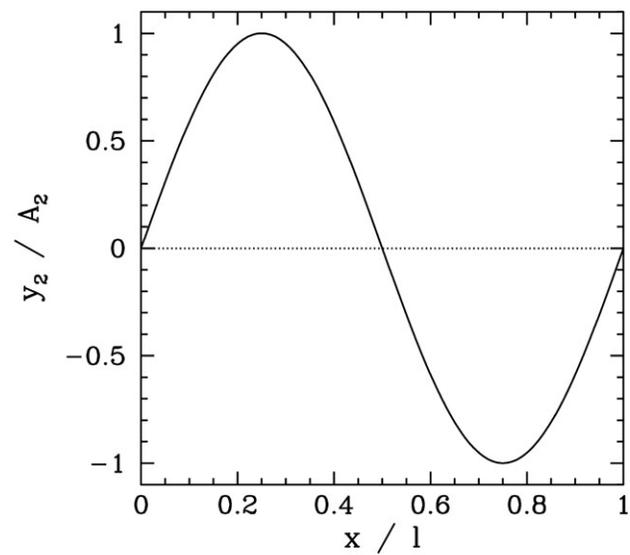
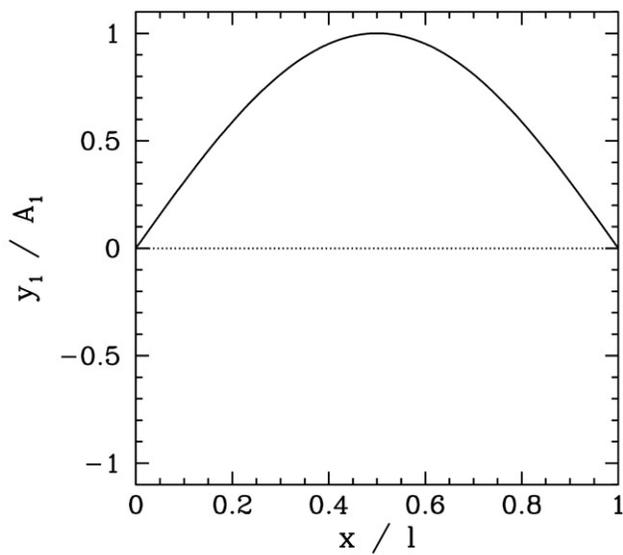


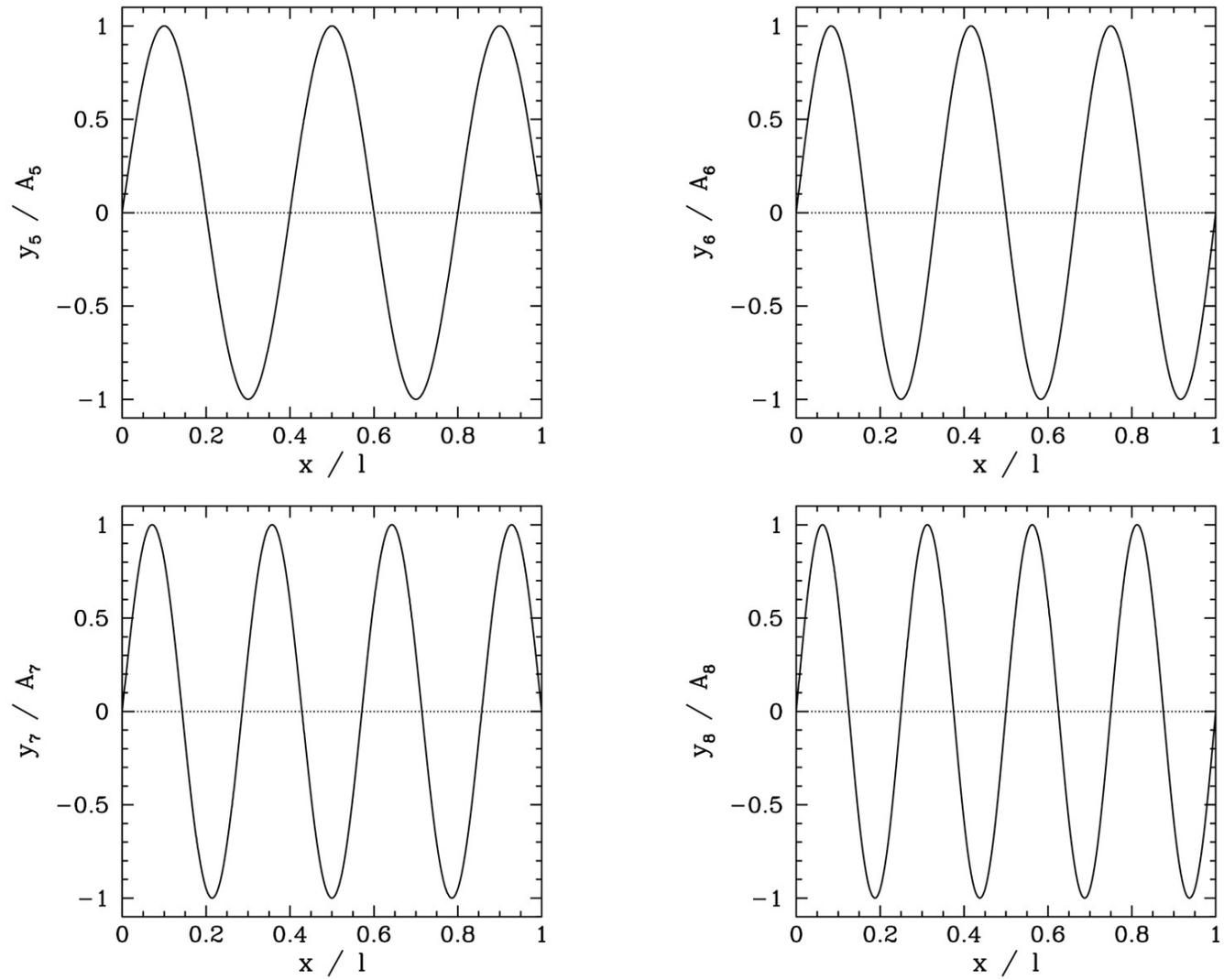
**FIGURE 4.4**

Normal modes of a beaded string with eight equally spaced beads.



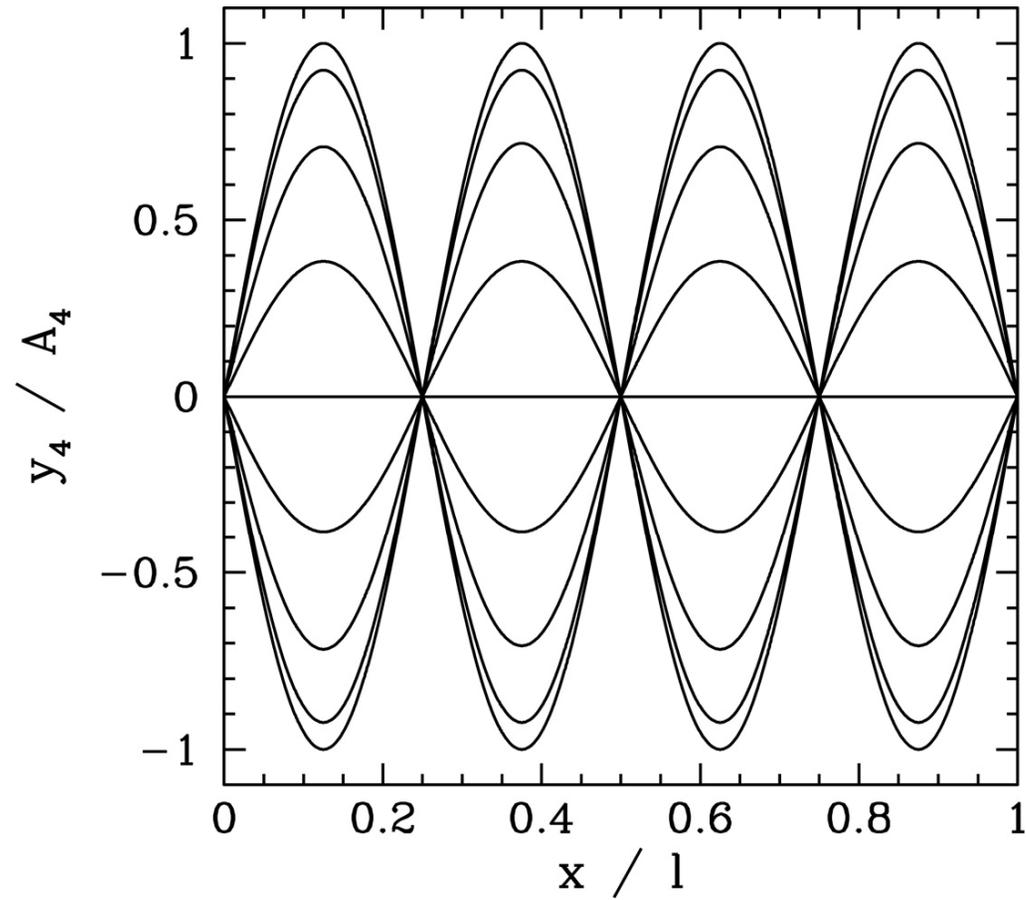
**FIGURE 4.5**  
Normal frequencies of a beaded string with eight equally spaced beads.





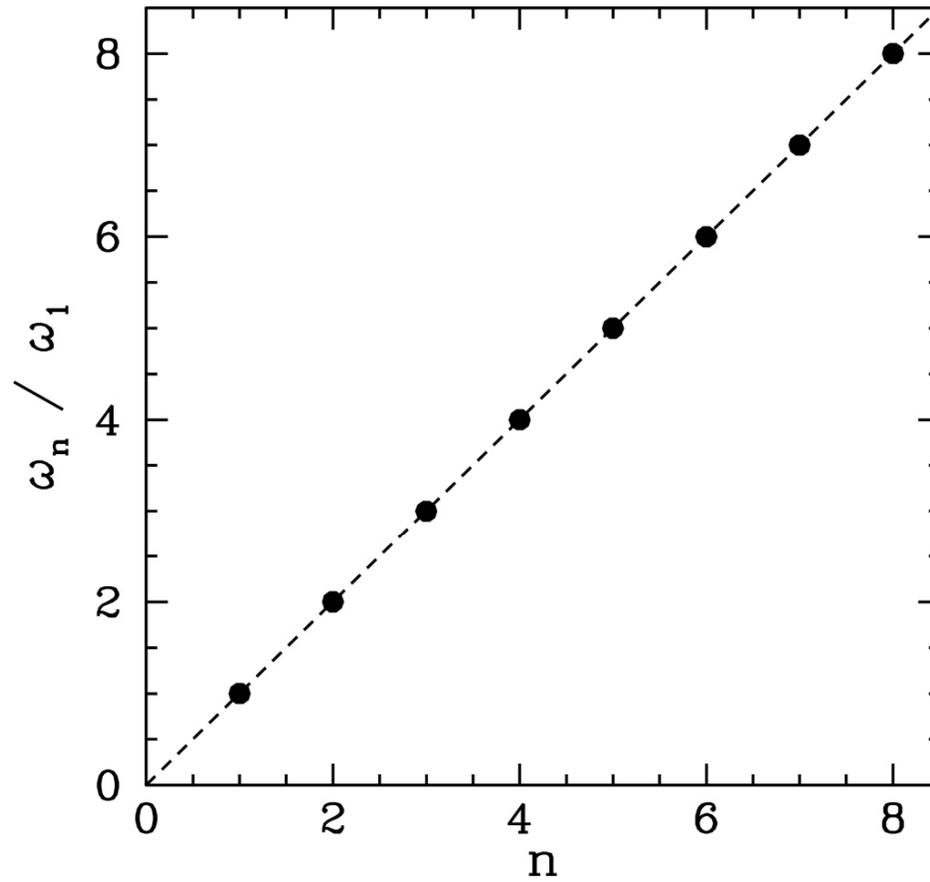
**FIGURE 4.6**

First eight normal modes of a uniform string.



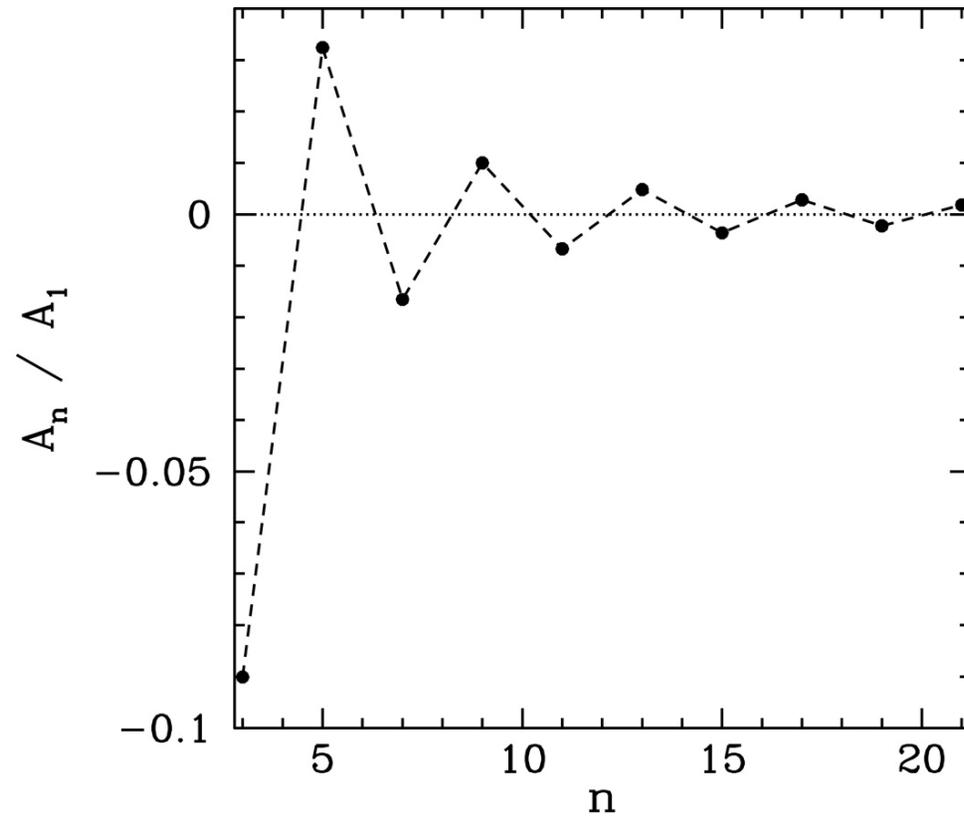
**FIGURE 4.7**

Time evolution of the  $n = 4$  normal mode of a uniform string.



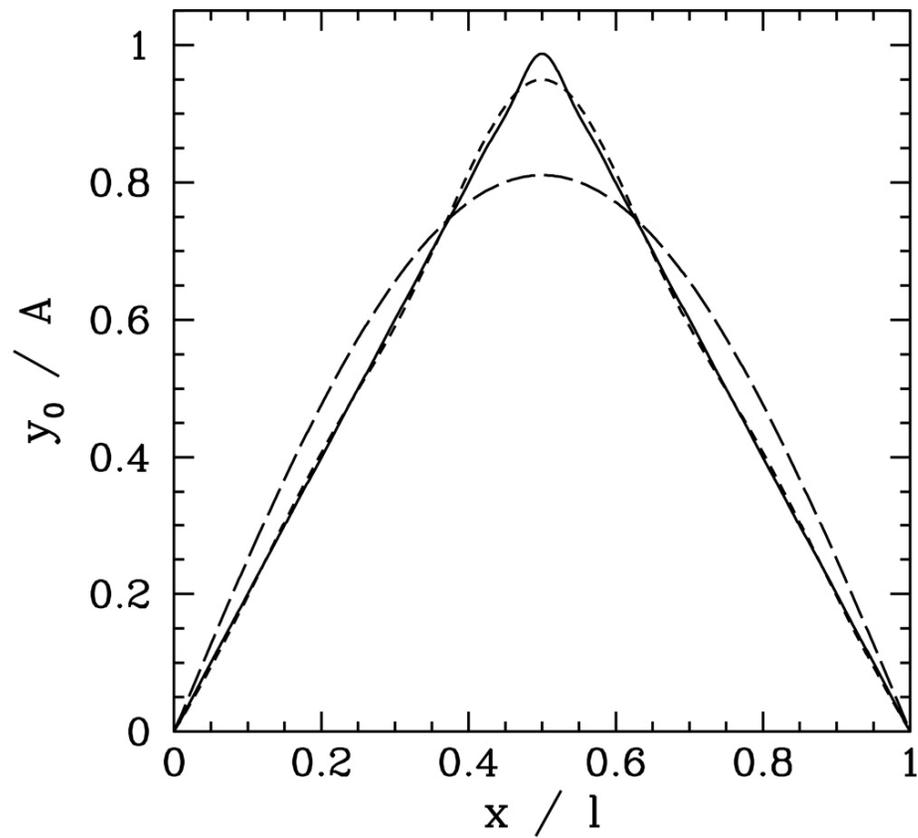
**FIGURE 4.8**

Normal frequencies of the first eight normal modes of a uniform string.



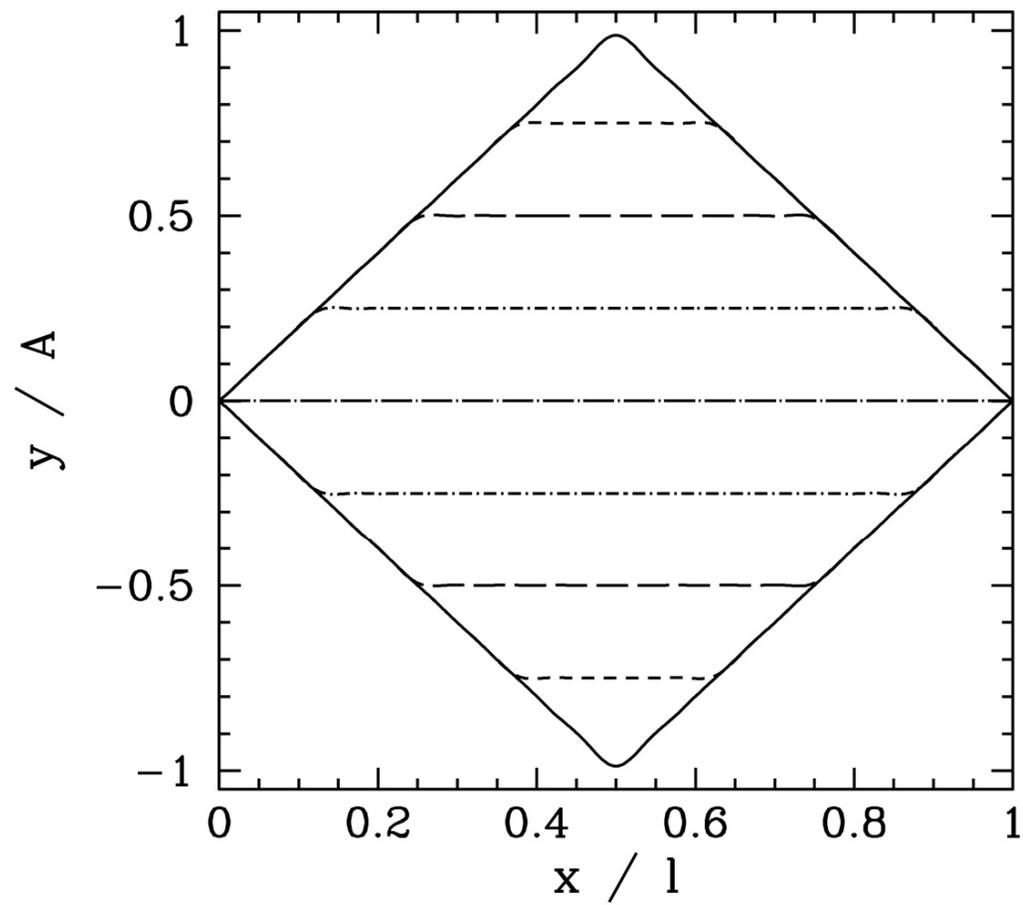
**FIGURE 4.9**

Relative amplitudes of the overtone harmonics of a uniform guitar string plucked at its midpoint.



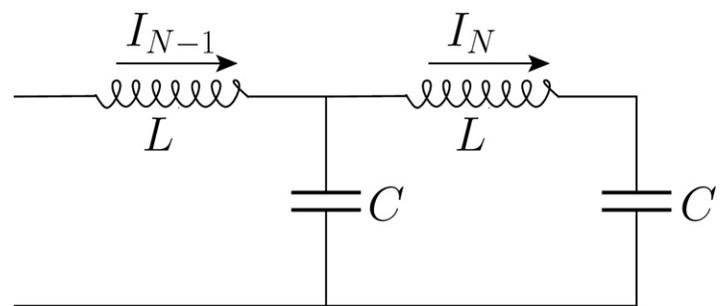
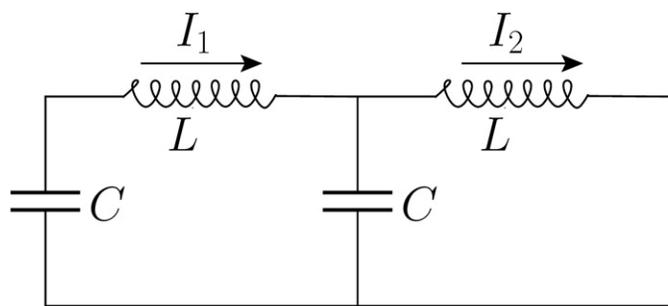
**FIGURE 4.10**

Reconstruction of the initial displacement of a uniform guitar string plucked at its midpoint.



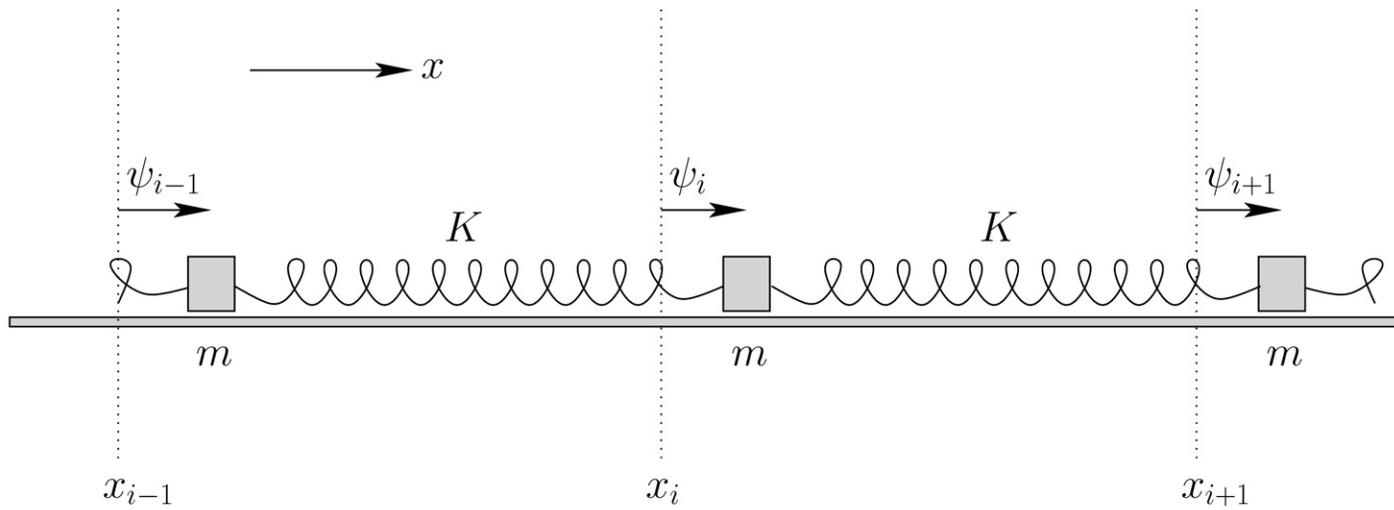
**FIGURE 4.11**

Time evolution of a uniform guitar string plucked at its midpoint.

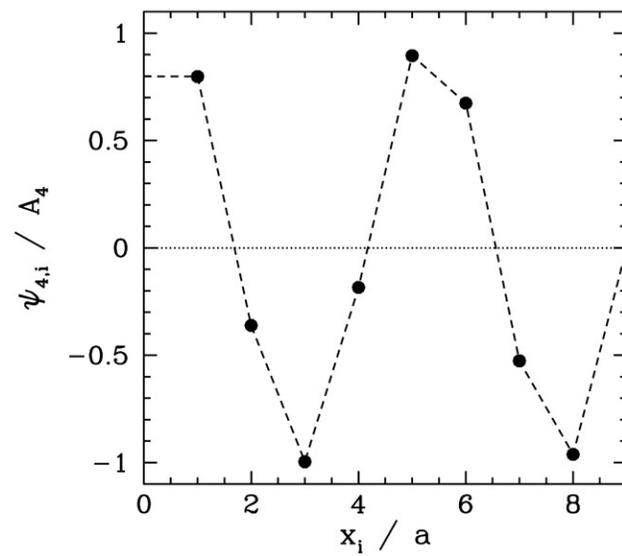
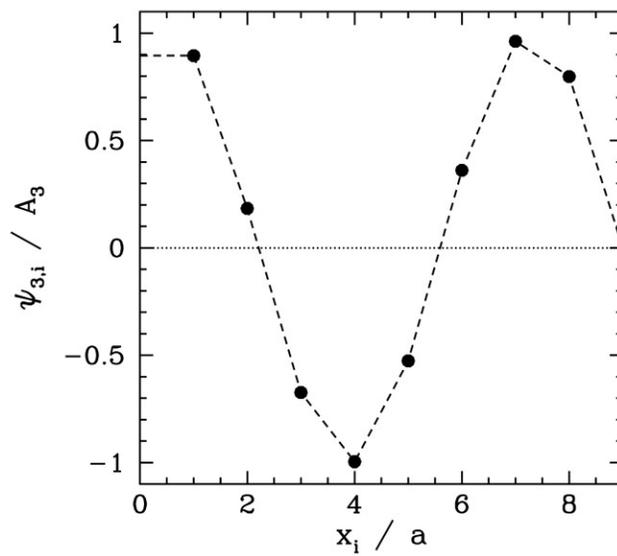
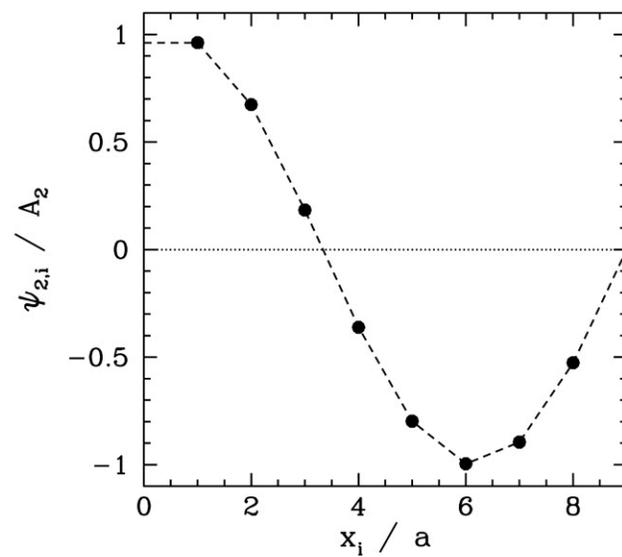
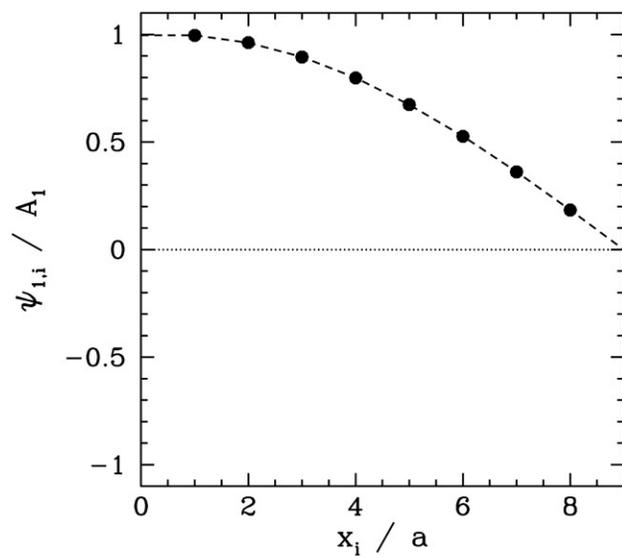


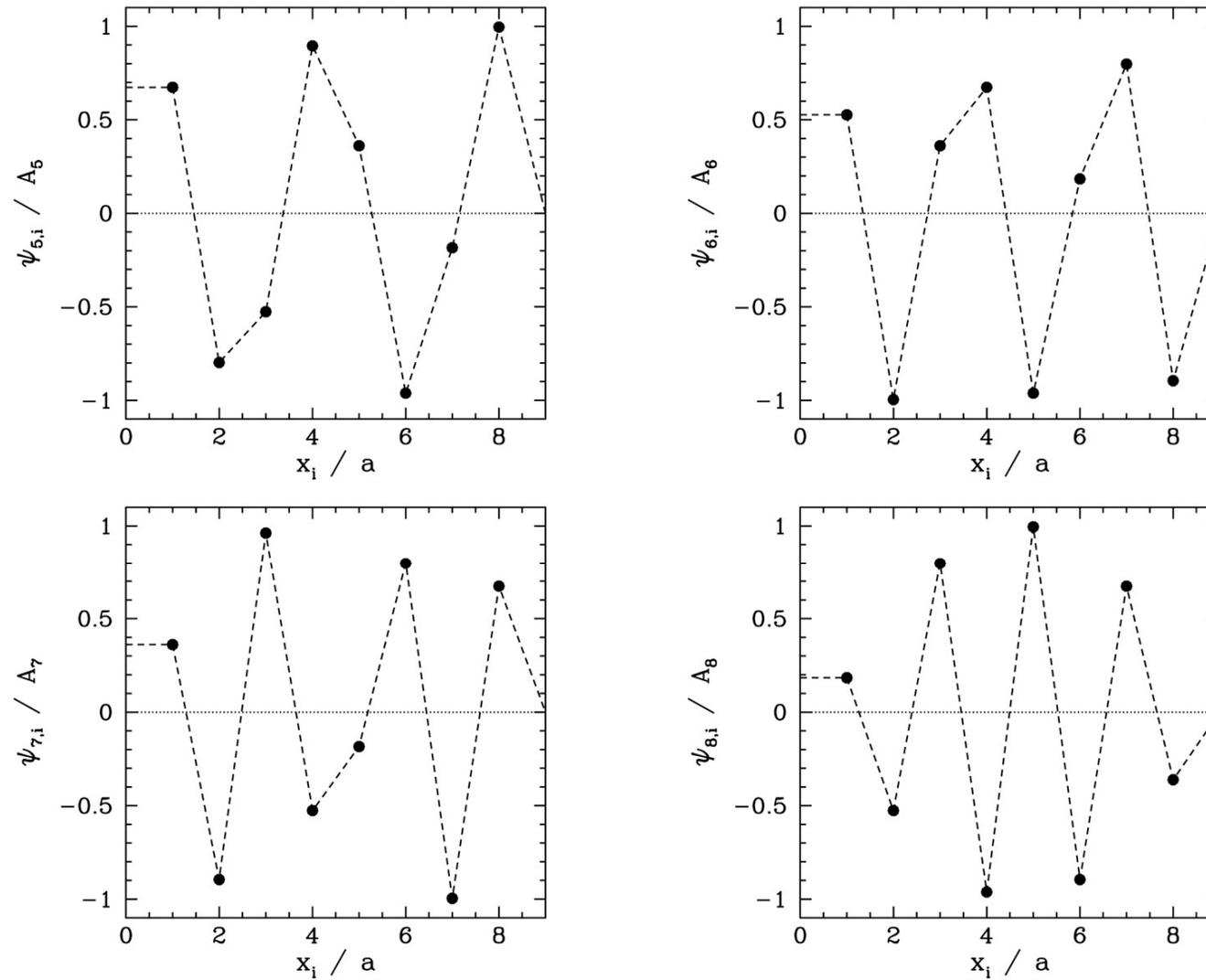
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## 5 Longitudinal Standing Waves



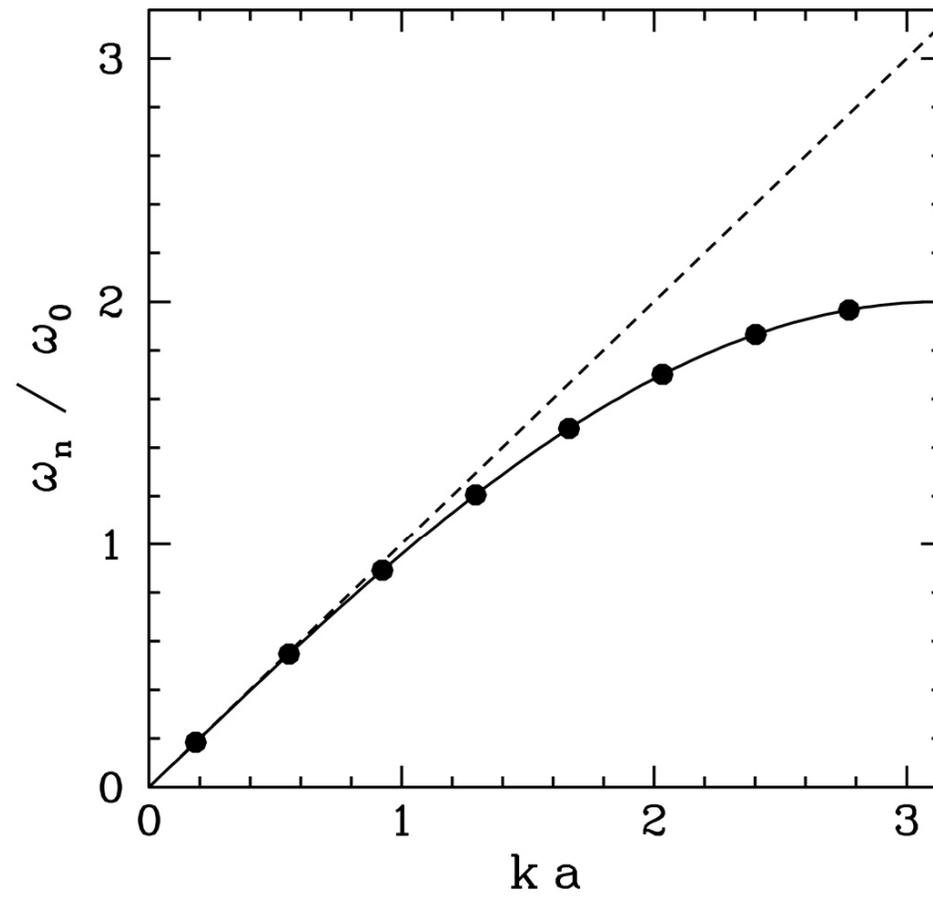
**FIGURE 5.1**  
Detail of a system of spring-coupled masses.





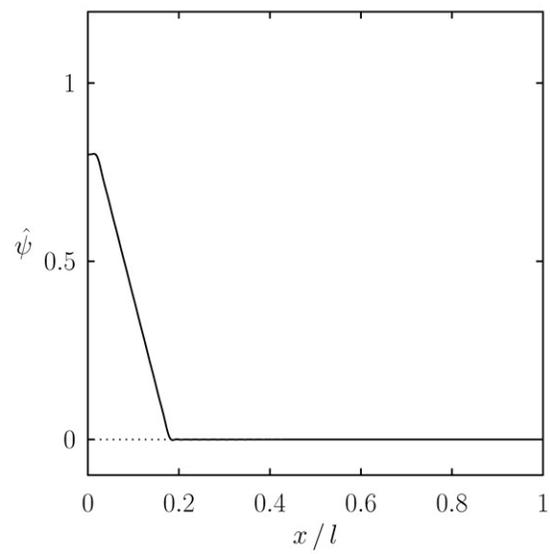
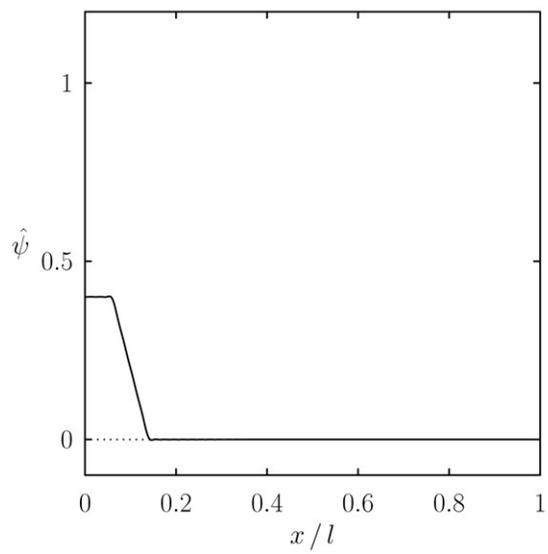
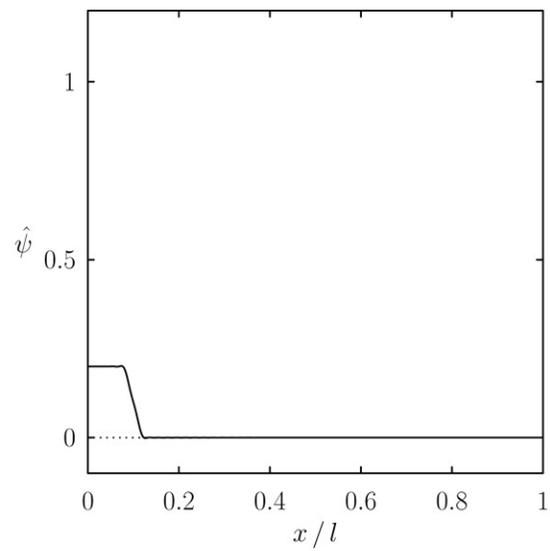
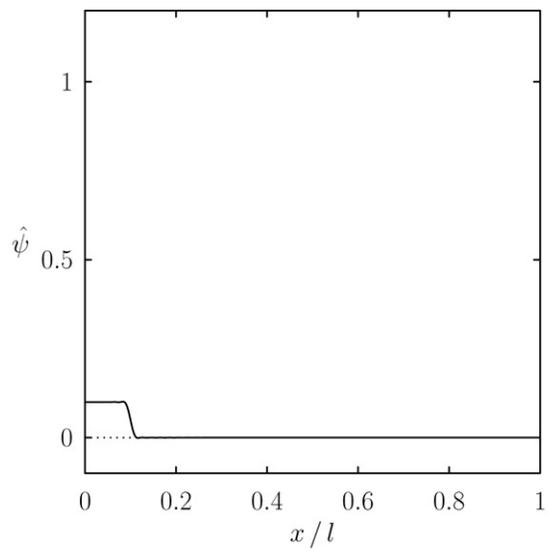
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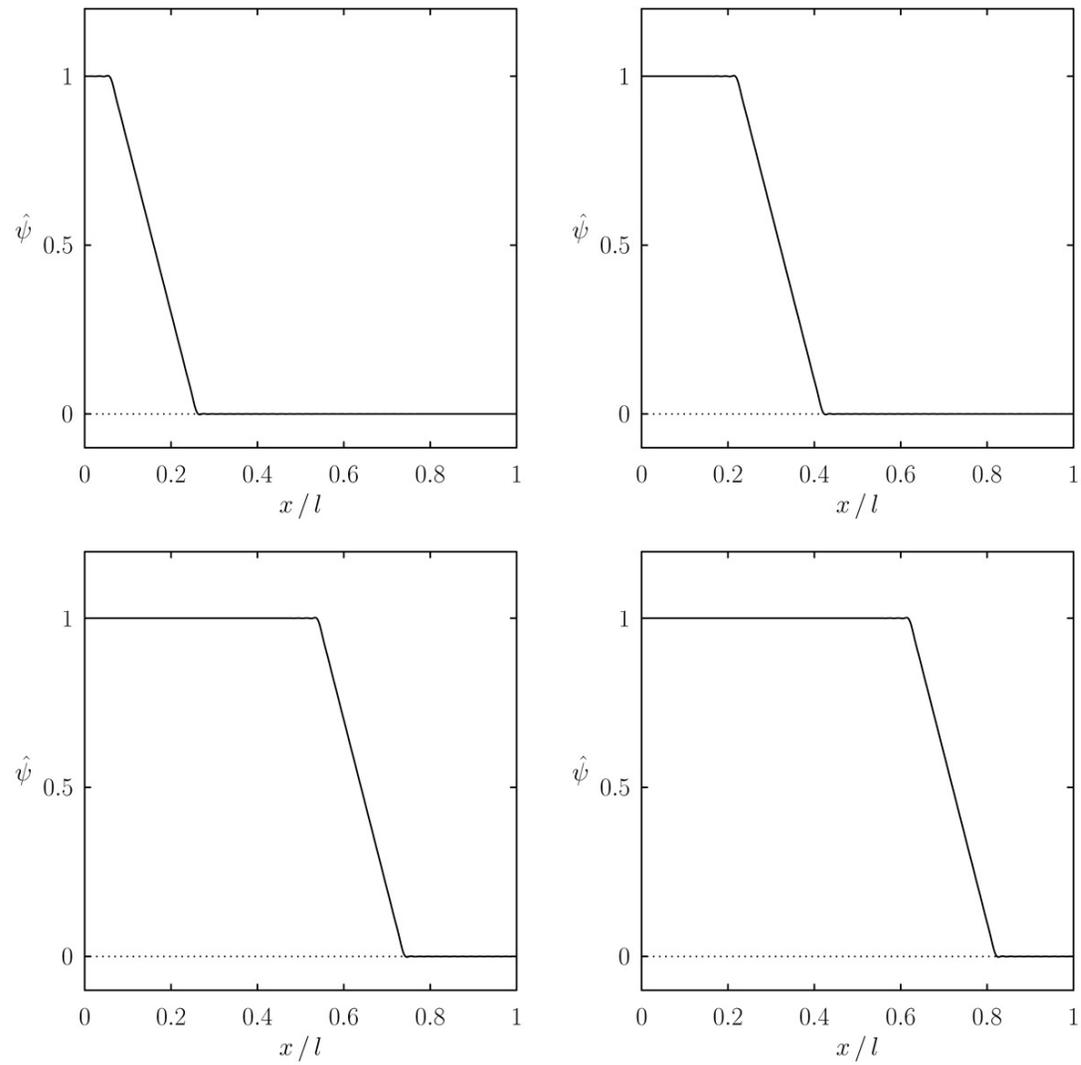
Normal modes of a system of eight spring-coupled masses.



**FIGURE 5.3**

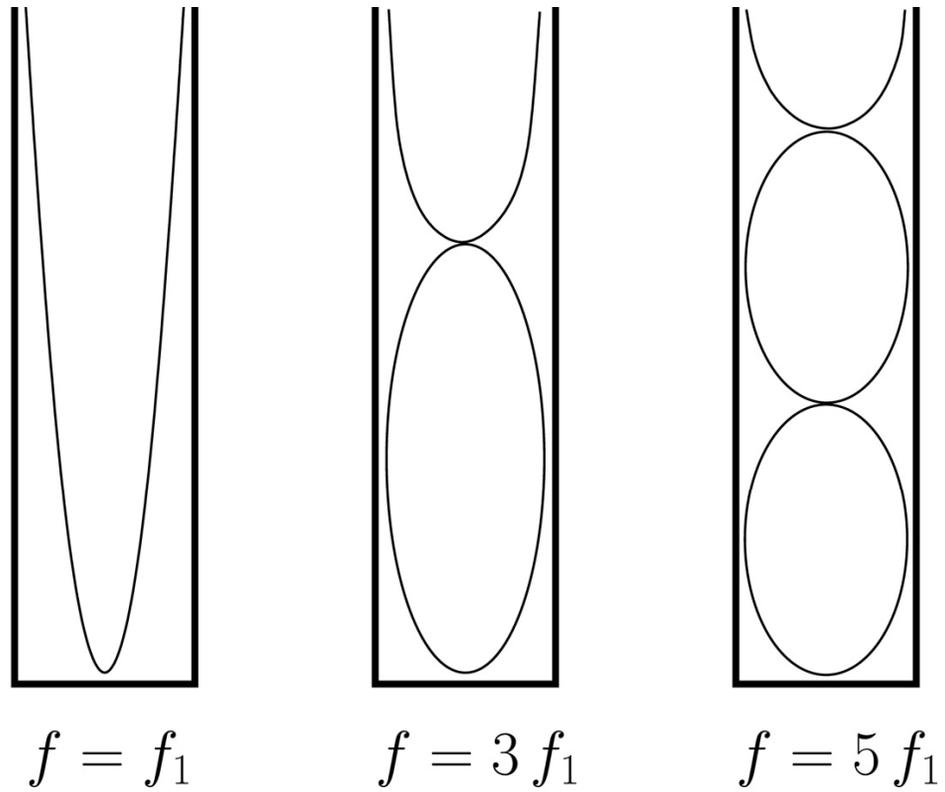
Normal frequencies of a system of eight spring-coupled masses.





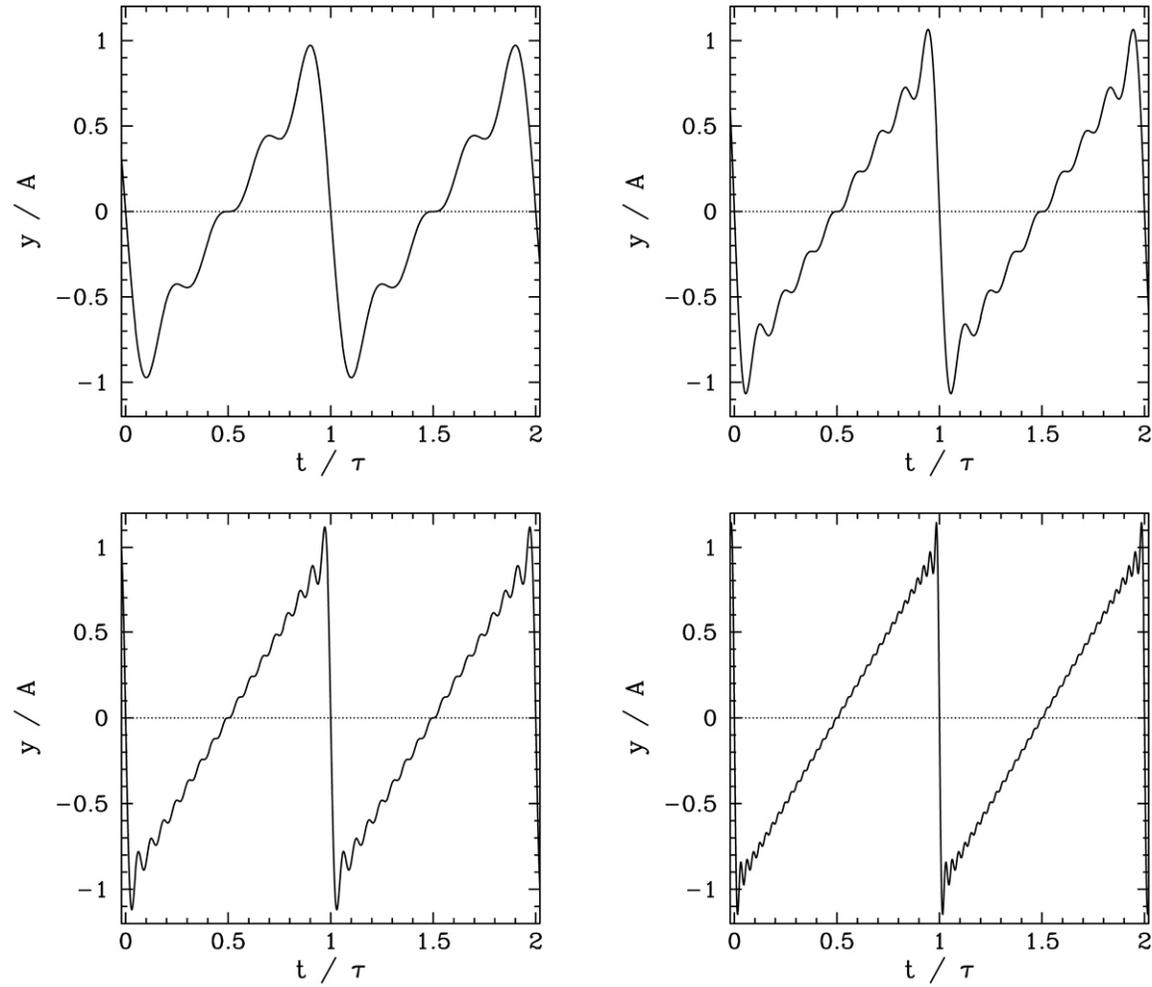
**FIGURE 5.4**

Time evolution of the normalized longitudinal displacement of a thin elastic rod.



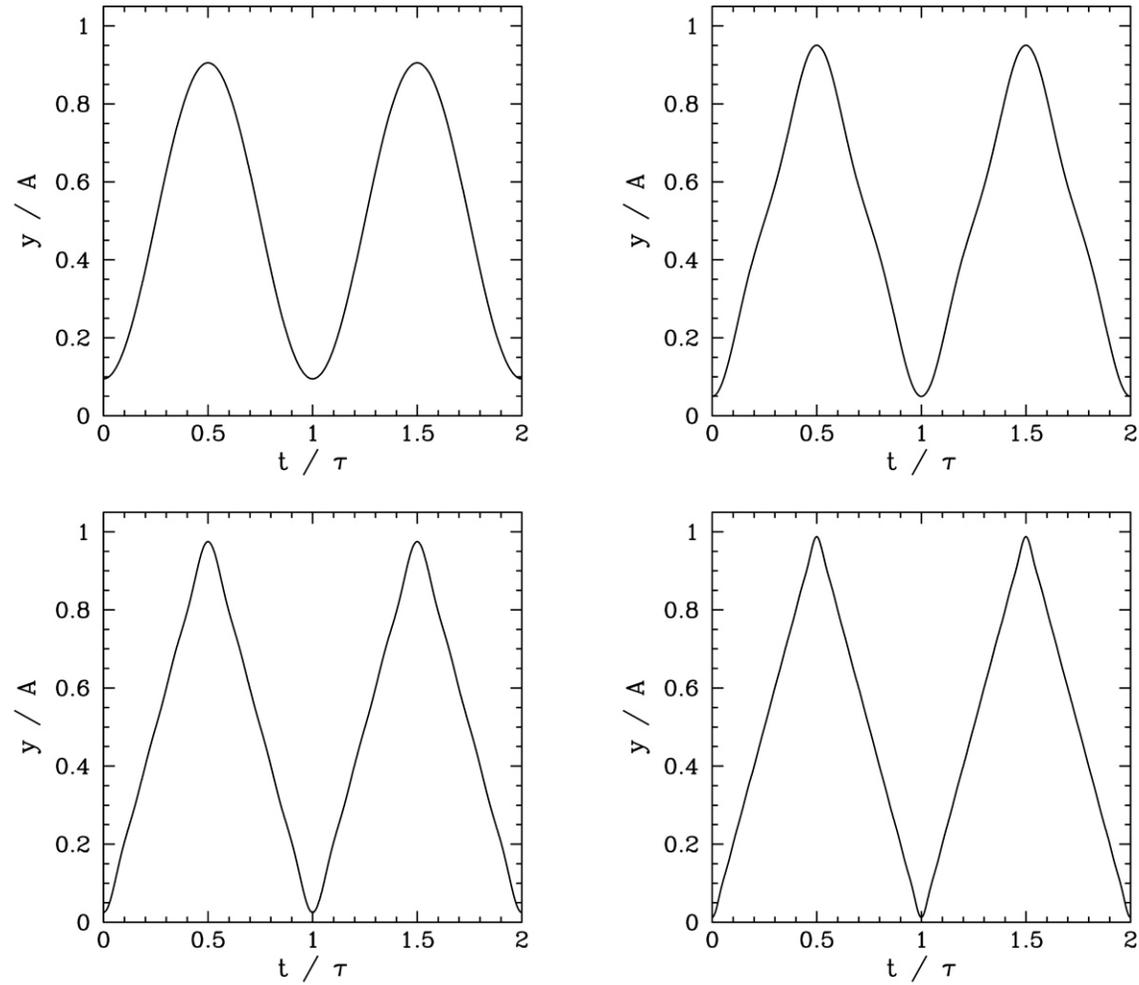
**FIGURE 5.5**

First three normal modes of an organ pipe (schematic).



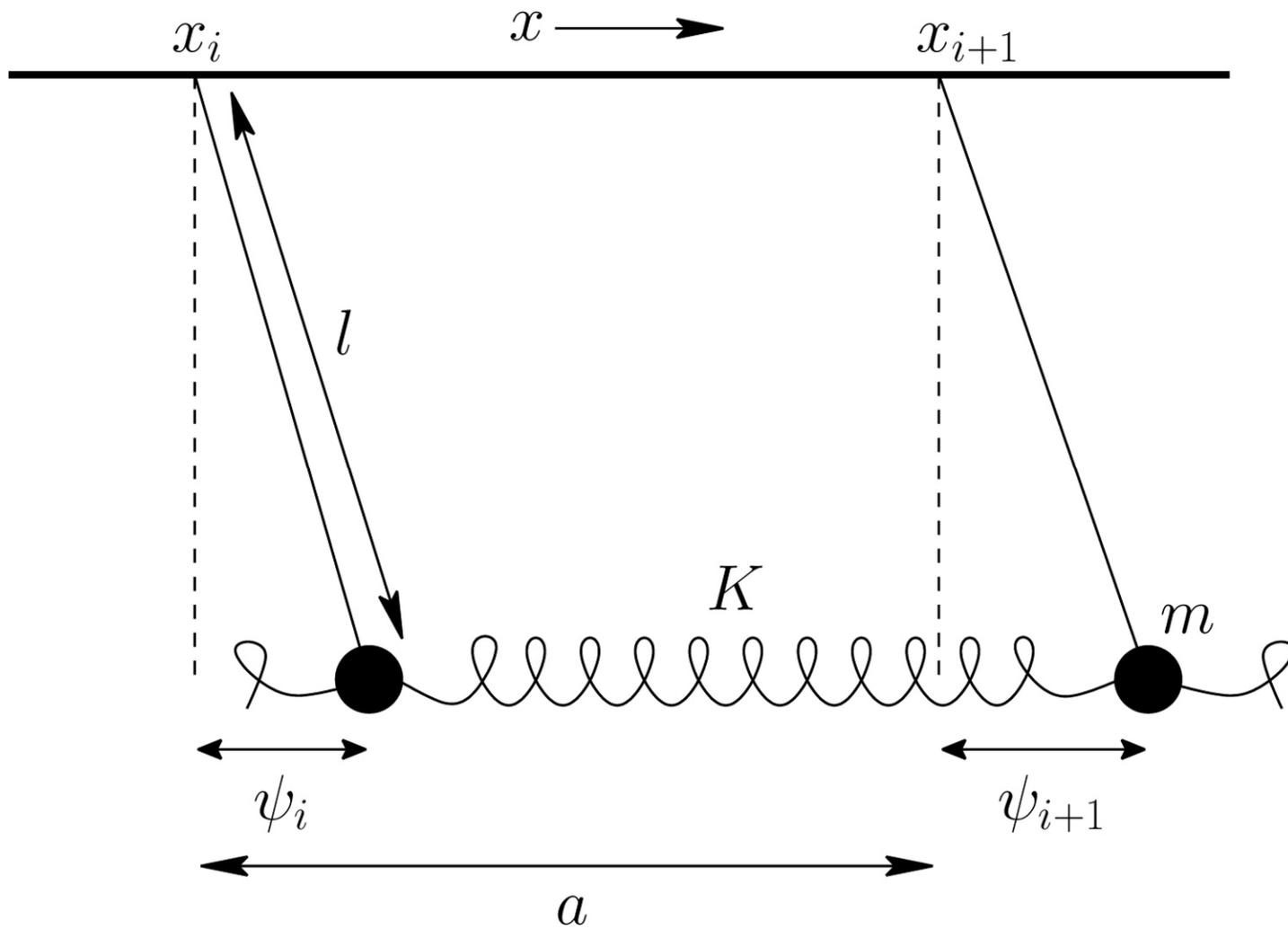
**FIGURE 5.6**

Fourier reconstruction of a periodic sawtooth waveform.



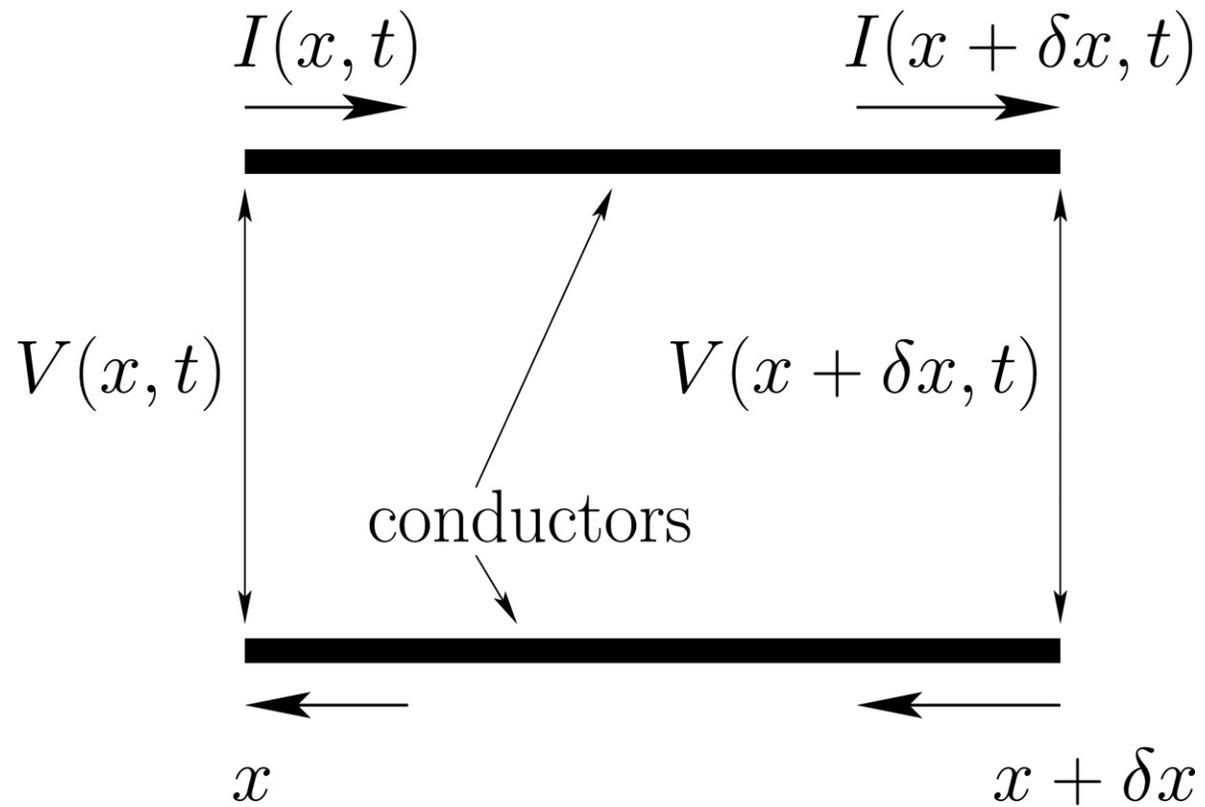
**FIGURE 5.7**

Fourier reconstruction of a periodic “tent” waveform.



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## 6 Traveling Waves

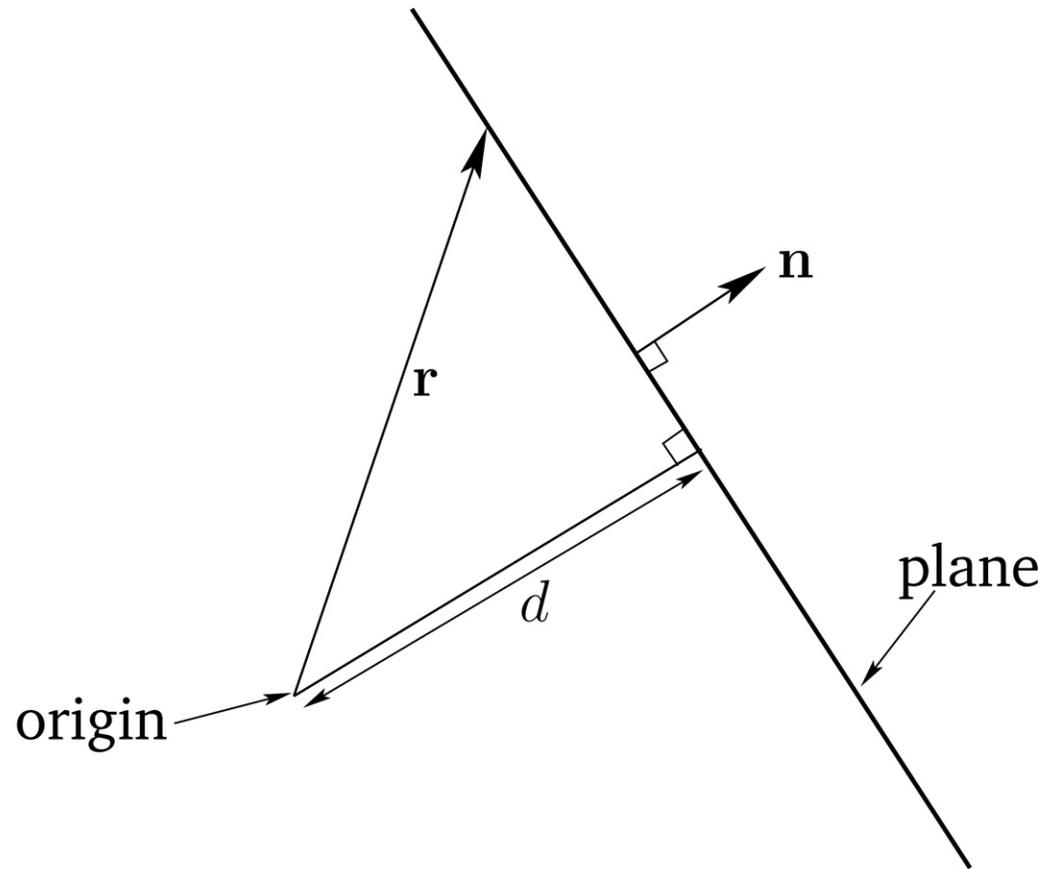


**FIGURE 6.1**

A section of a transmission line.

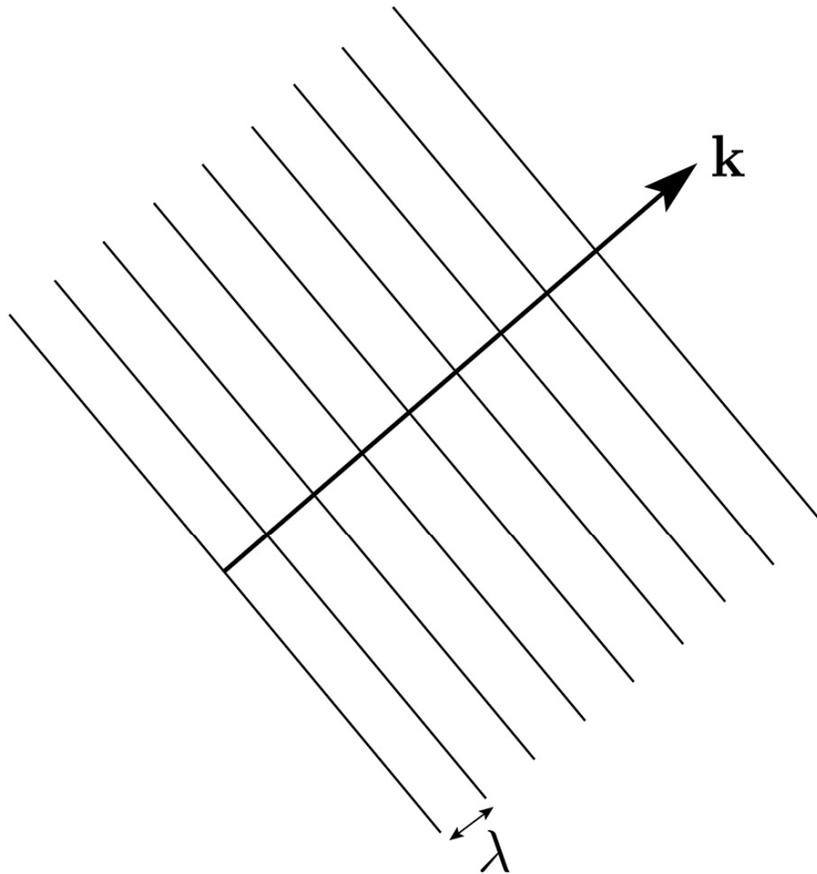
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## 7 Multi-Dimensional Waves



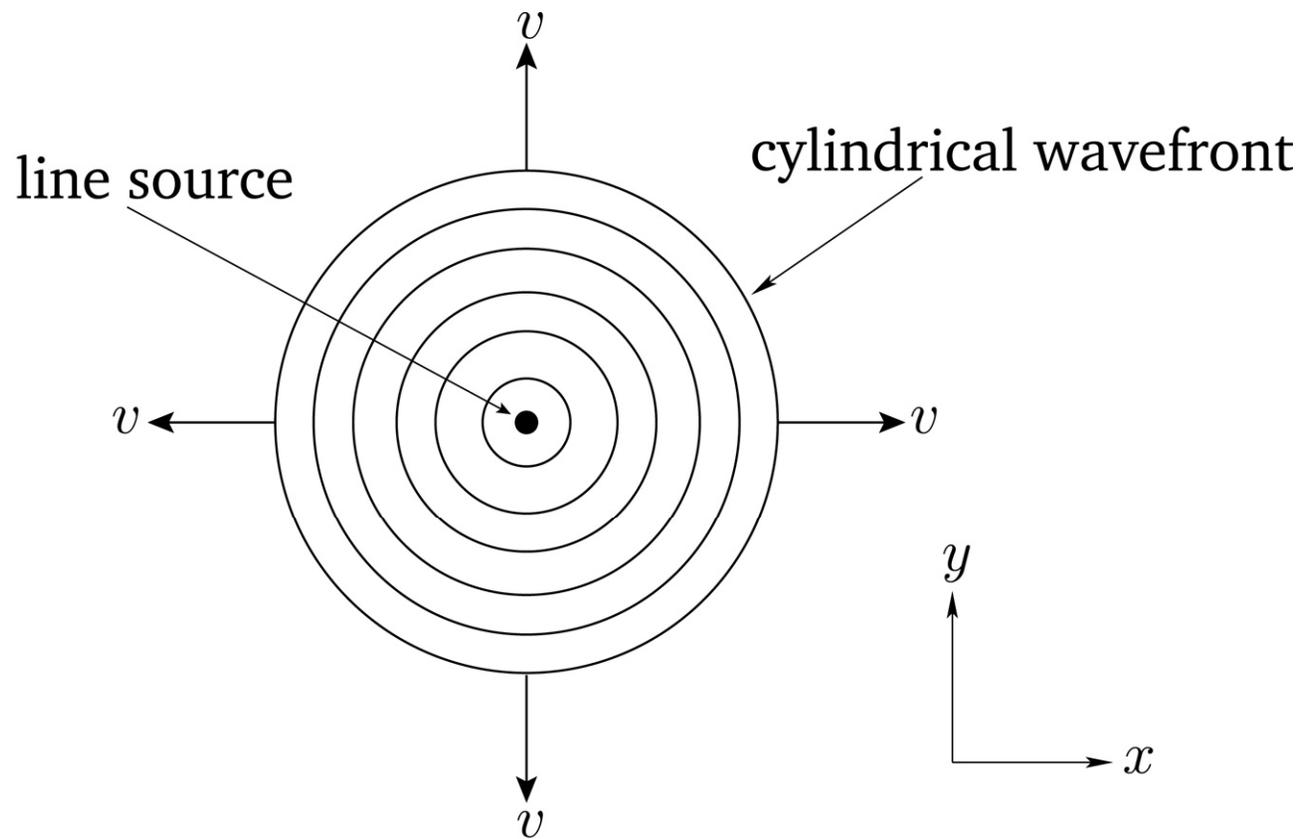
**FIGURE 7.1**

The solution of  $\mathbf{n} \cdot \mathbf{r} = d$  is a plane.

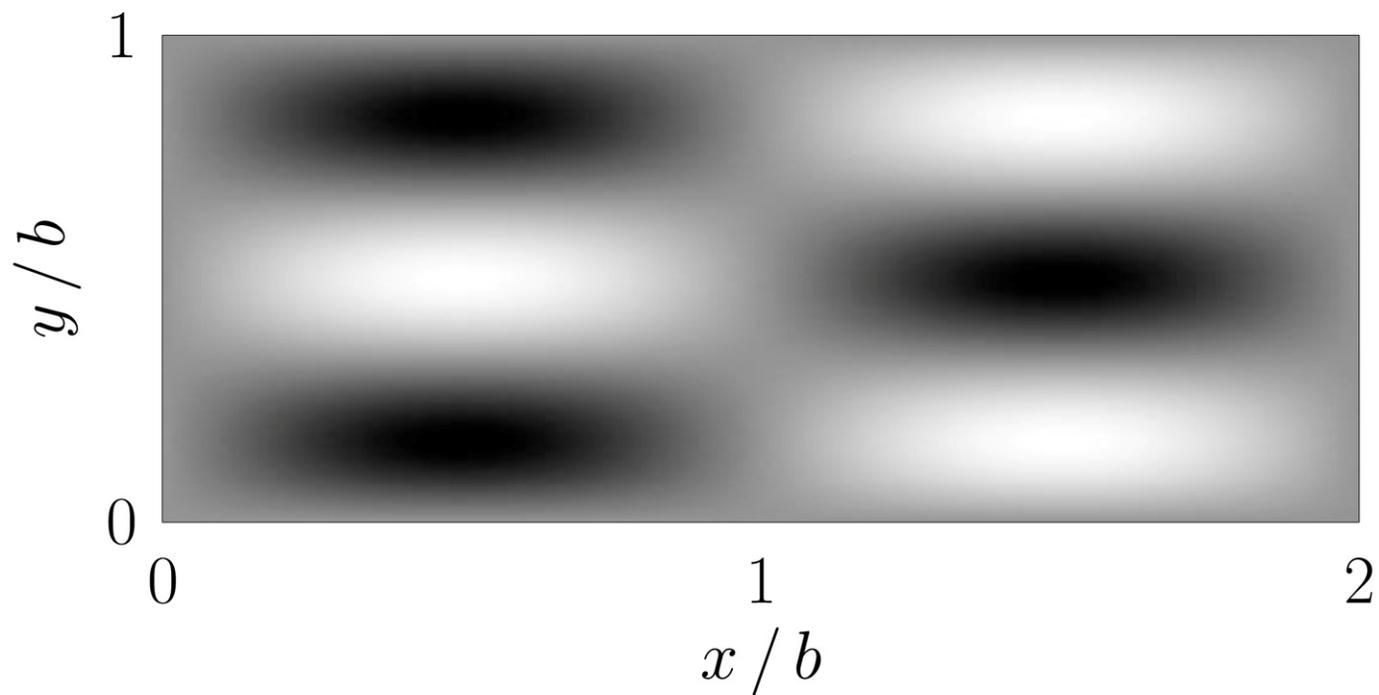


**FIGURE 7.2**

Wave maxima associated with a plane wave.

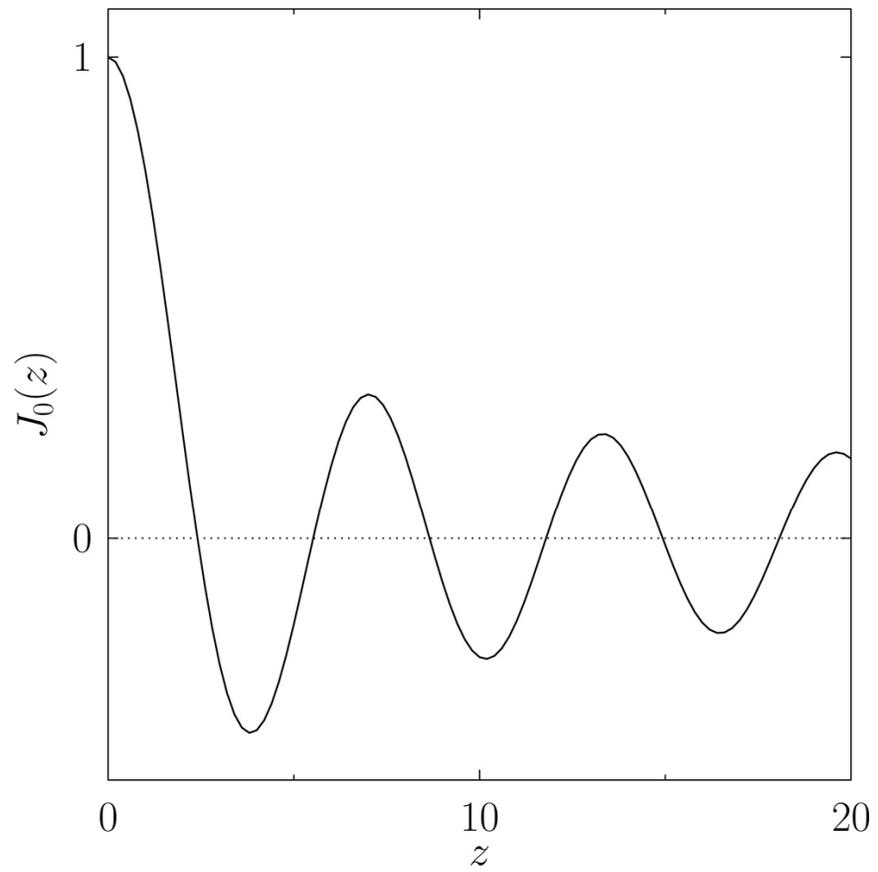


**FIGURE 7.3**  
A cylindrical wave.

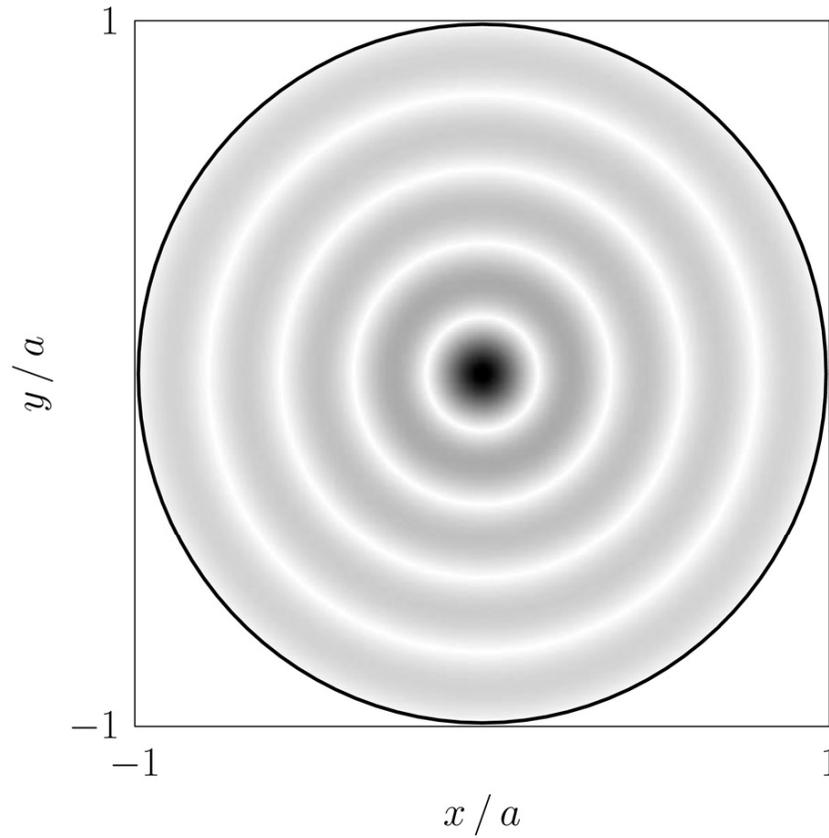


**FIGURE 7.4**

Density plot illustrating the spatial variation of the  $m = 2, n = 3$  normal mode of a rectangular elastic sheet with  $a = 2b$ . Dark/light regions indicate positive/negative displacements.

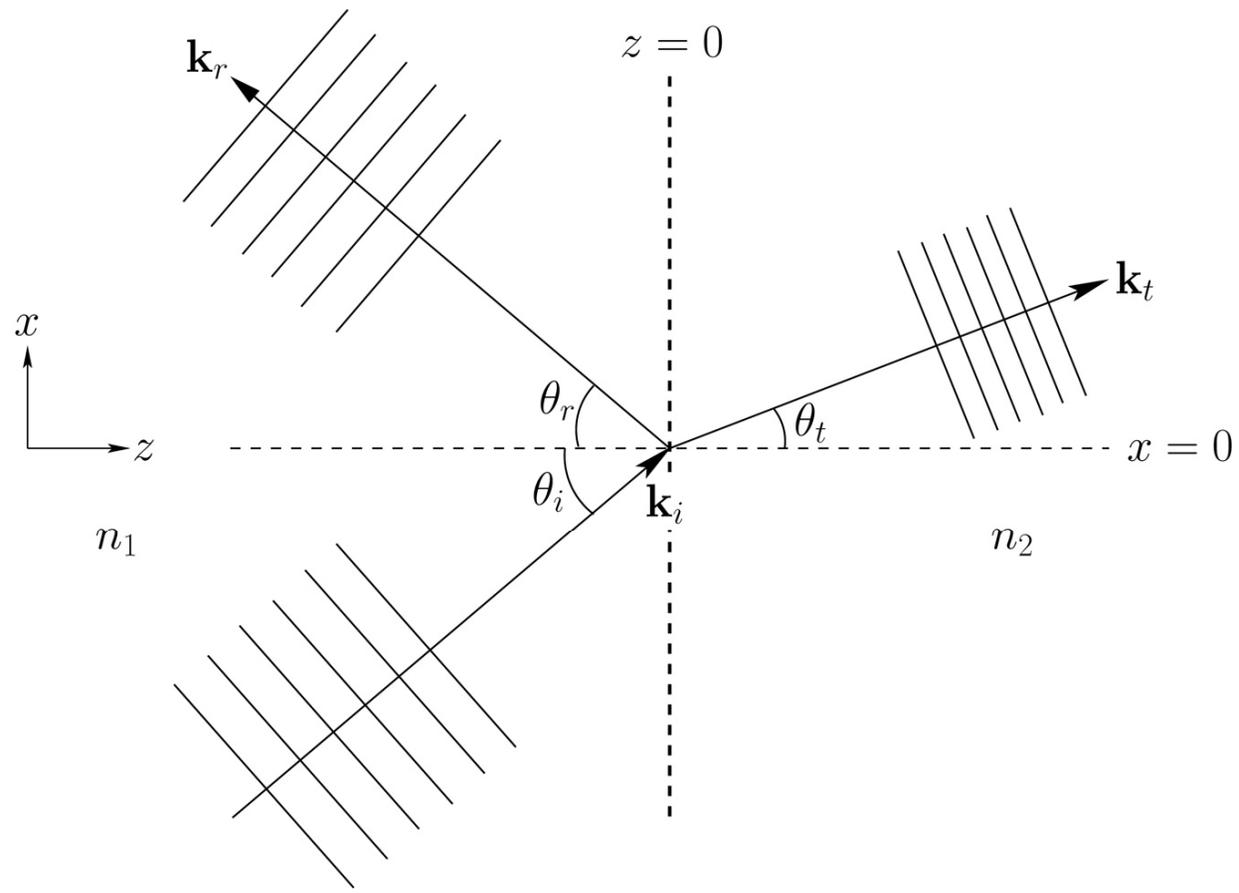


**FIGURE 7.5**  
The Bessel function  $J_0(z)$ .



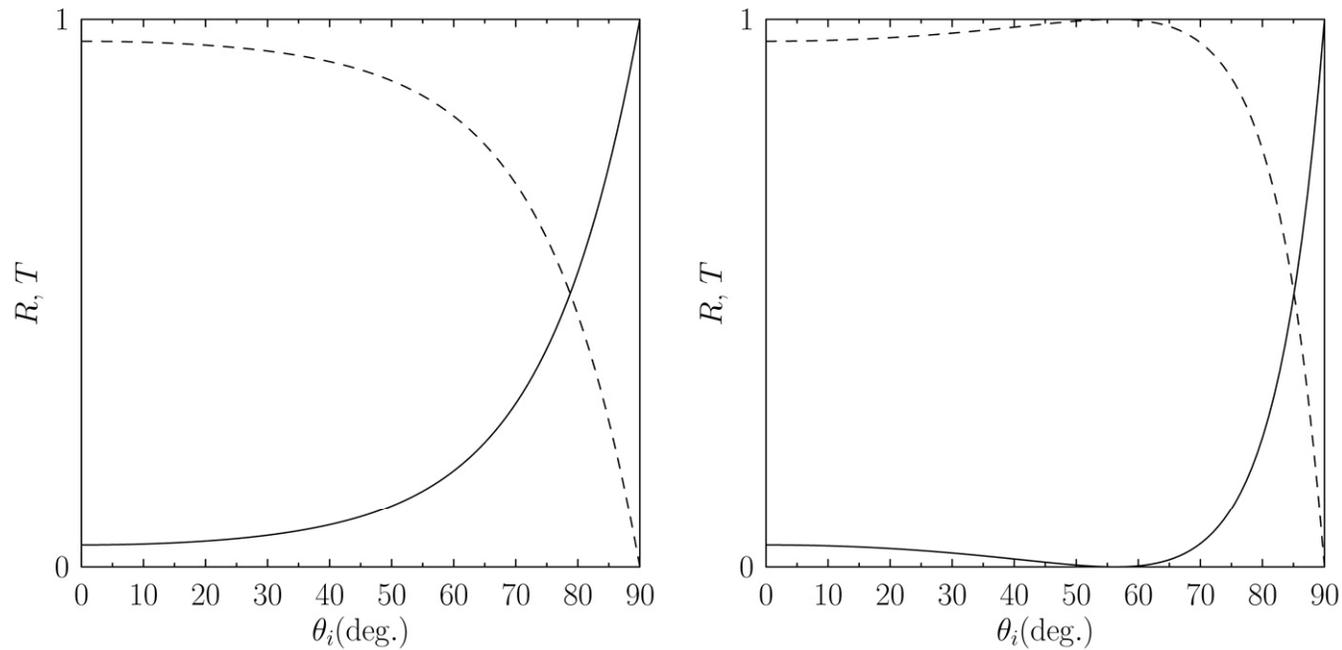
**FIGURE 7.6**

Density plot illustrating the spatial variation of the  $j = 5$  normal mode of a circular elastic sheet of radius  $a$ . Dark/light regions indicate large/small displacement amplitudes.



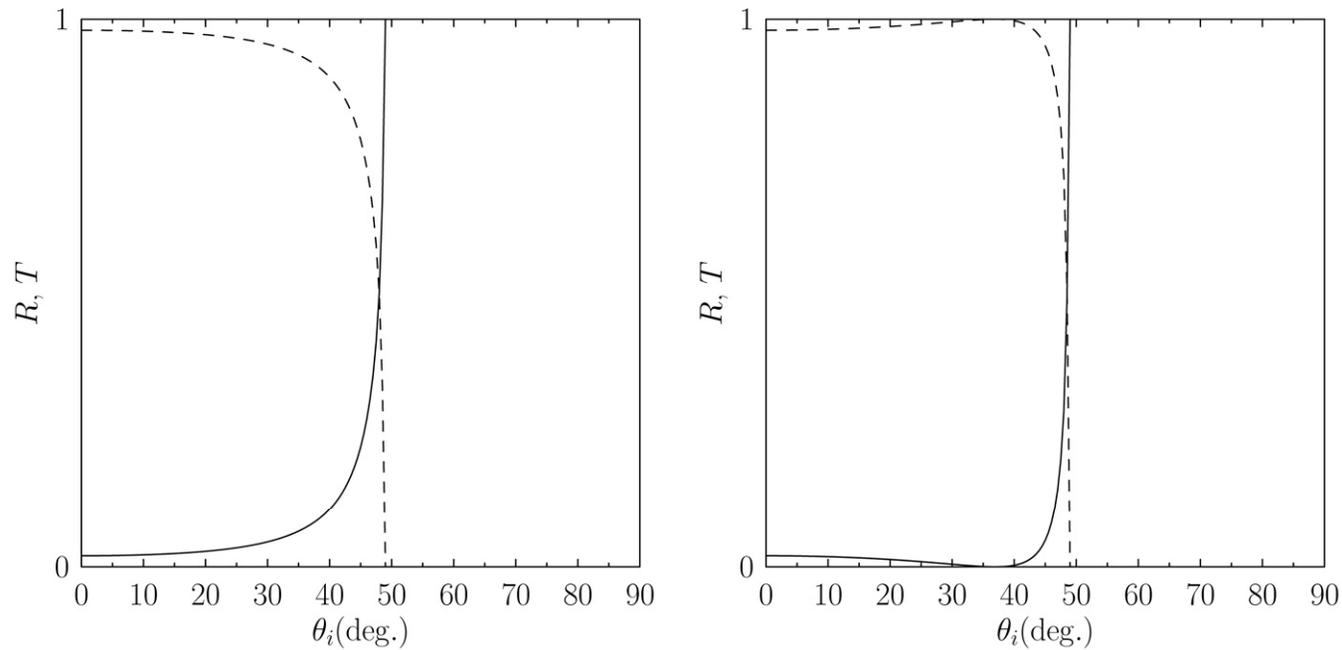
**FIGURE 7.7**

Reflection and refraction of a plane wave at a plane boundary.



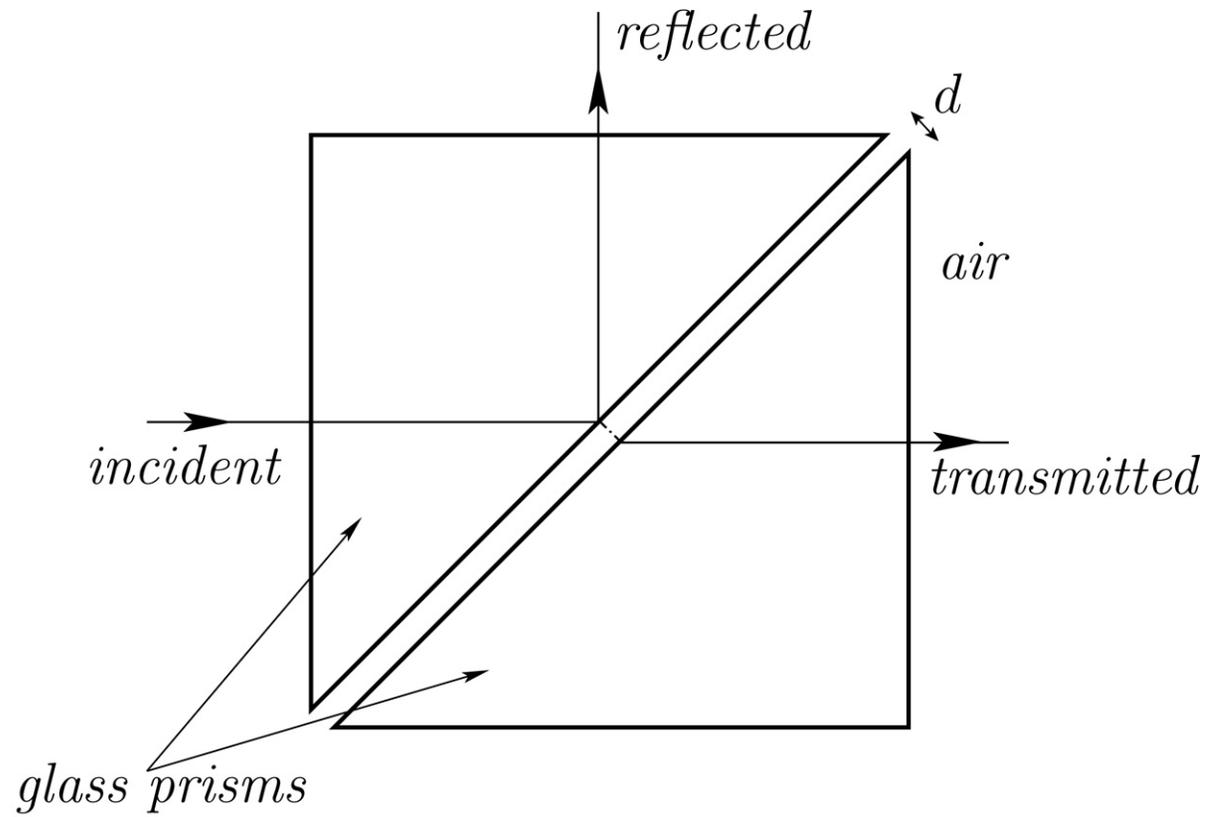
**FIGURE 7.8**

Coefficients of reflection (solid curves) and transmission (dashed curves) for oblique incidence from air ( $n_1 = 1.0$ ) to glass ( $n_2 = 1.5$ ). The left-hand panel shows the wave polarization for which the electric field is parallel to the boundary, whereas the right-hand panel shows the wave polarization for which the magnetic field is parallel to the boundary. The Brewster angle is  $56.3^\circ$ .

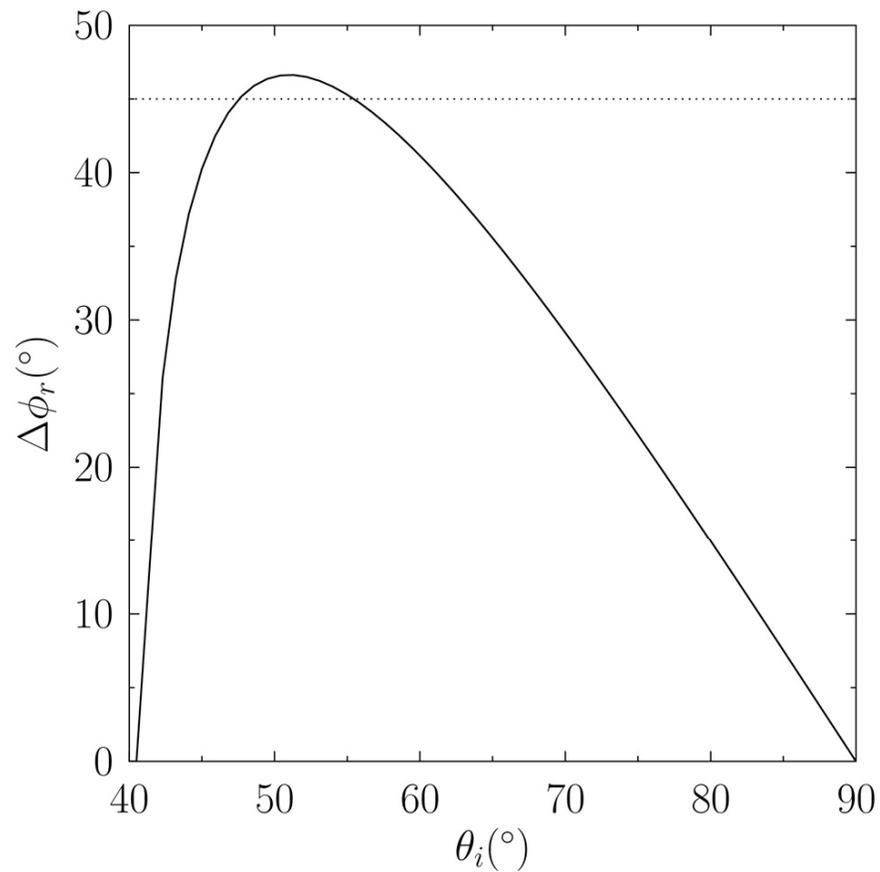


**FIGURE 7.9**

Coefficients of reflection (solid curves) and transmission (dashed curves) for oblique incidence from water ( $n_1 = 1.33$ ) to air ( $n_2 = 1.0$ ). The left-hand panel shows the wave polarization for which the electric field is parallel to the interface, whereas the right-hand panel shows the wave polarization for which the magnetic field is parallel to the interface. The critical angle is  $48.8^\circ$ .

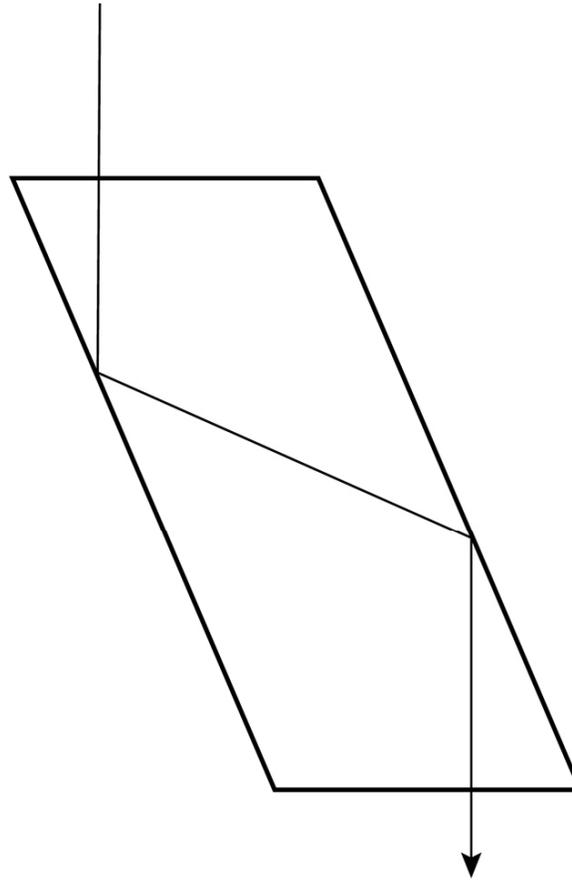


**FIGURE 7.10**  
Frustrated total internal reflection.



**FIGURE 7.11**

Phase advance introduced between the two different wave polarizations by total internal reflection at an interface between glass ( $n_1 = 1.52$ ) and air ( $n_2 = 1.0$ ).

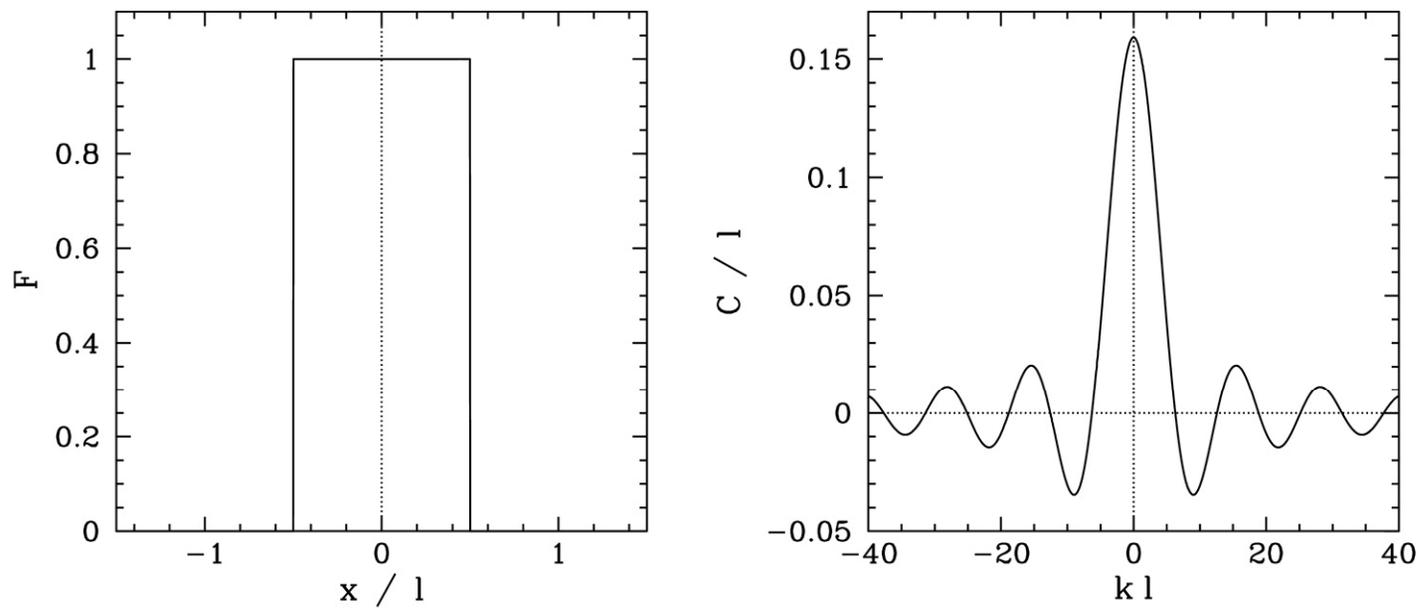


**FIGURE 7.12**

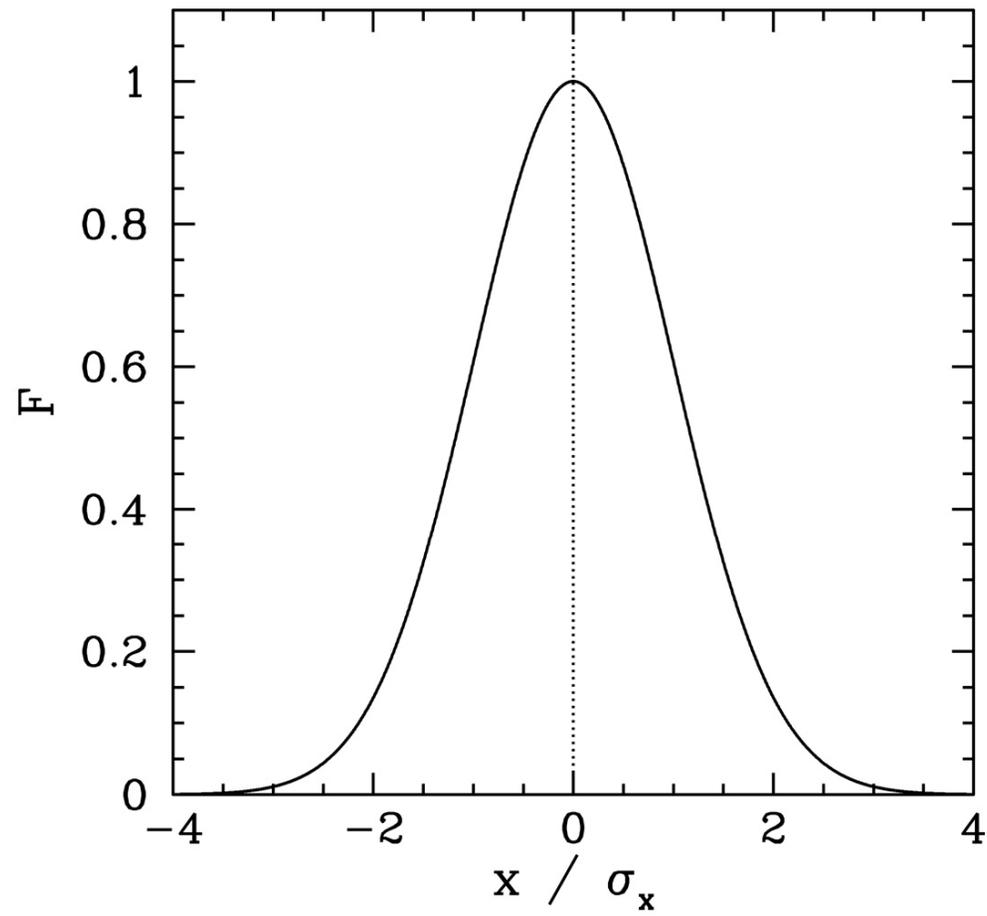
Path of light ray through Fresnel rhomb (schematic).

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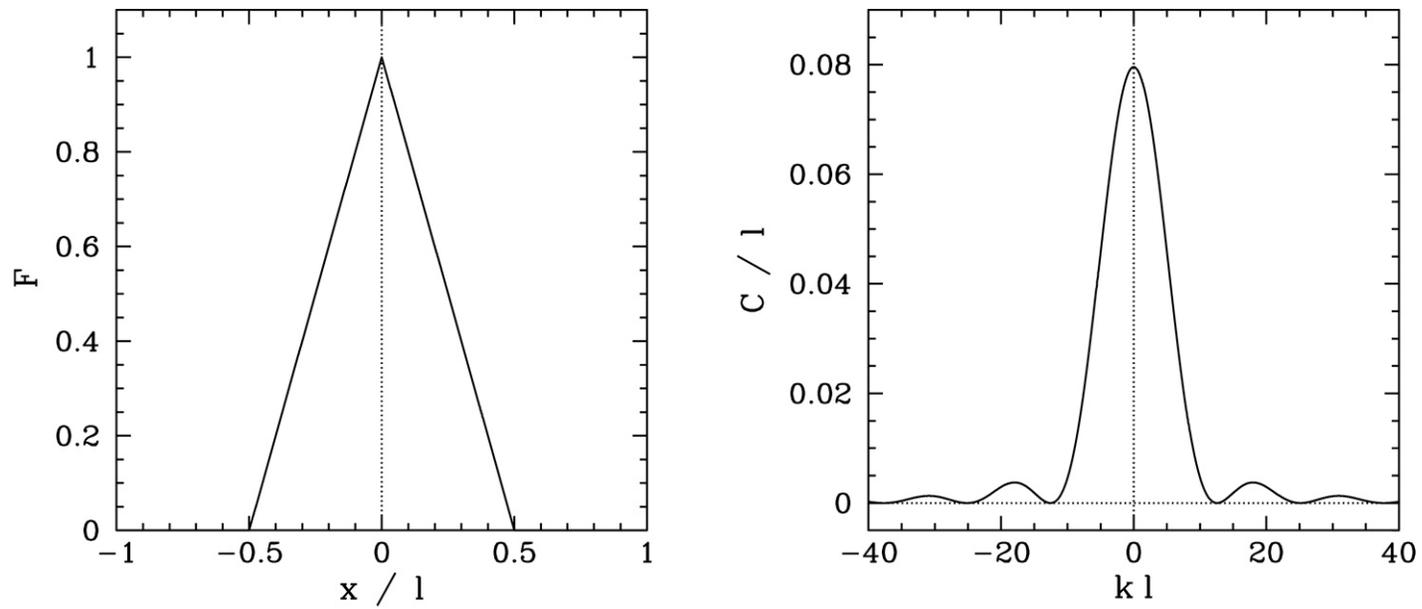
## 8 Wave Pulses



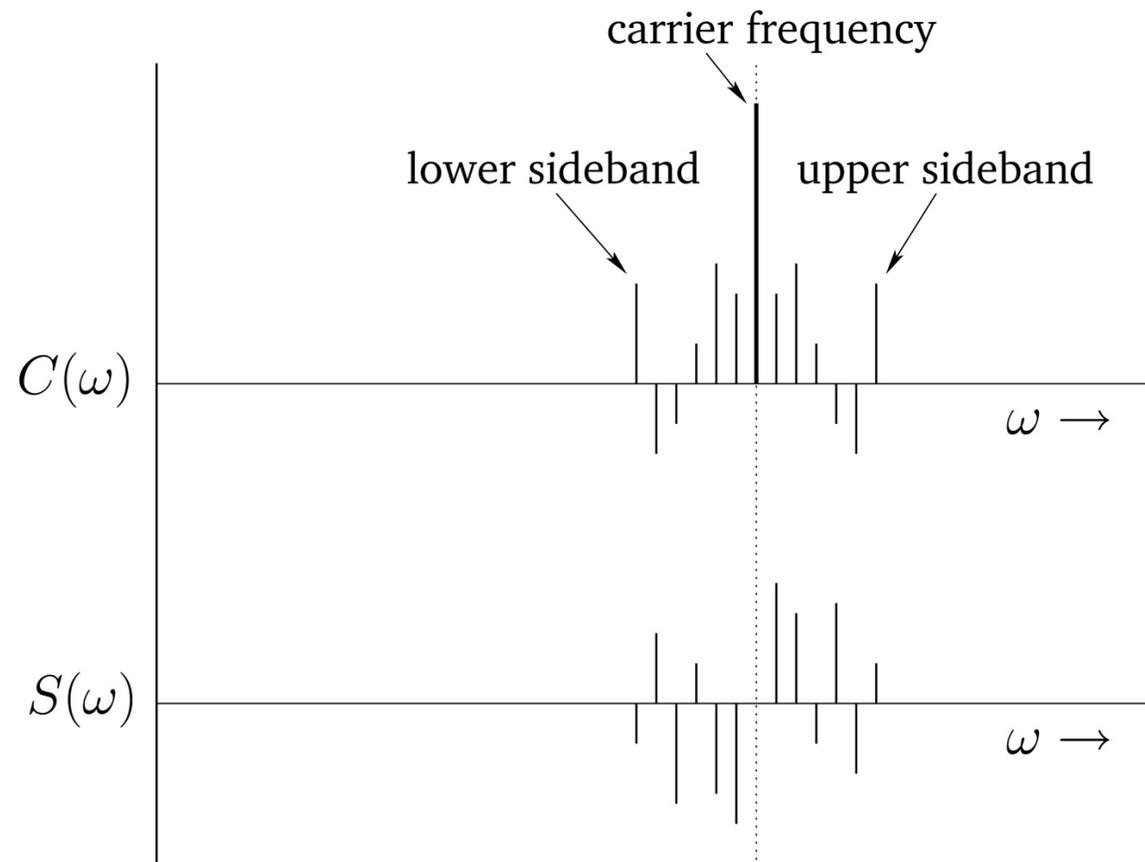
**FIGURE 8.1**  
Fourier transform of a top-hat function.



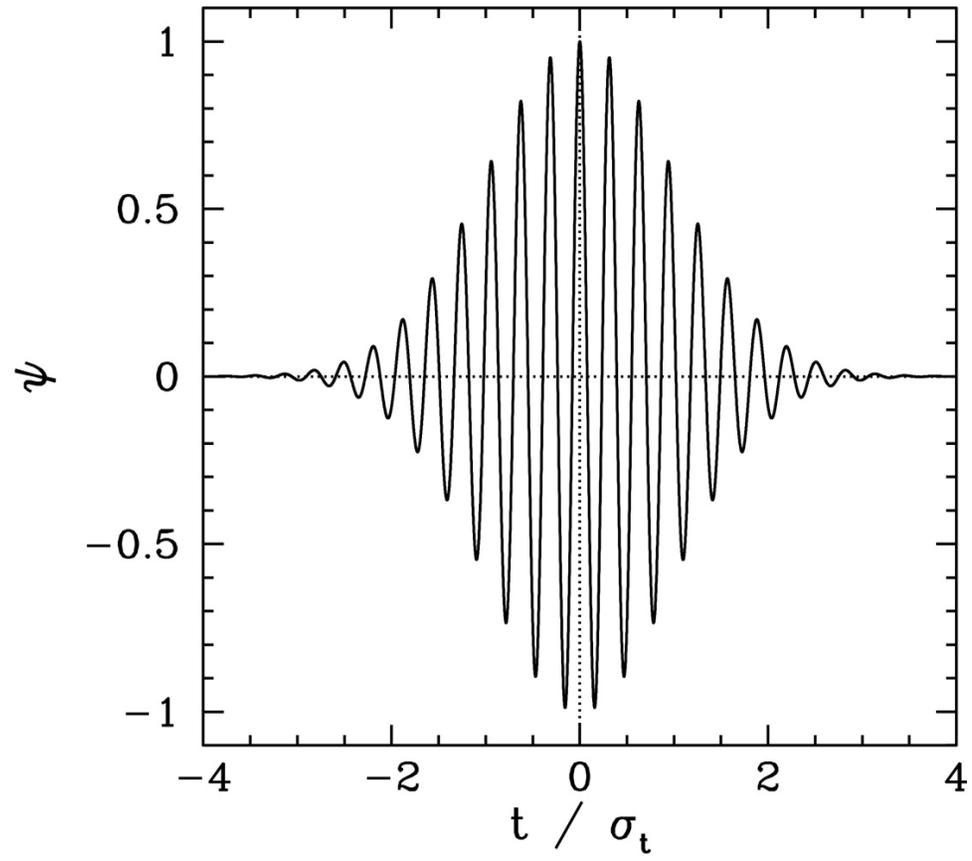
**FIGURE 8.2**  
A Gaussian function.



**FIGURE 8.3**  
Fourier transform of a triangular wave pulse.



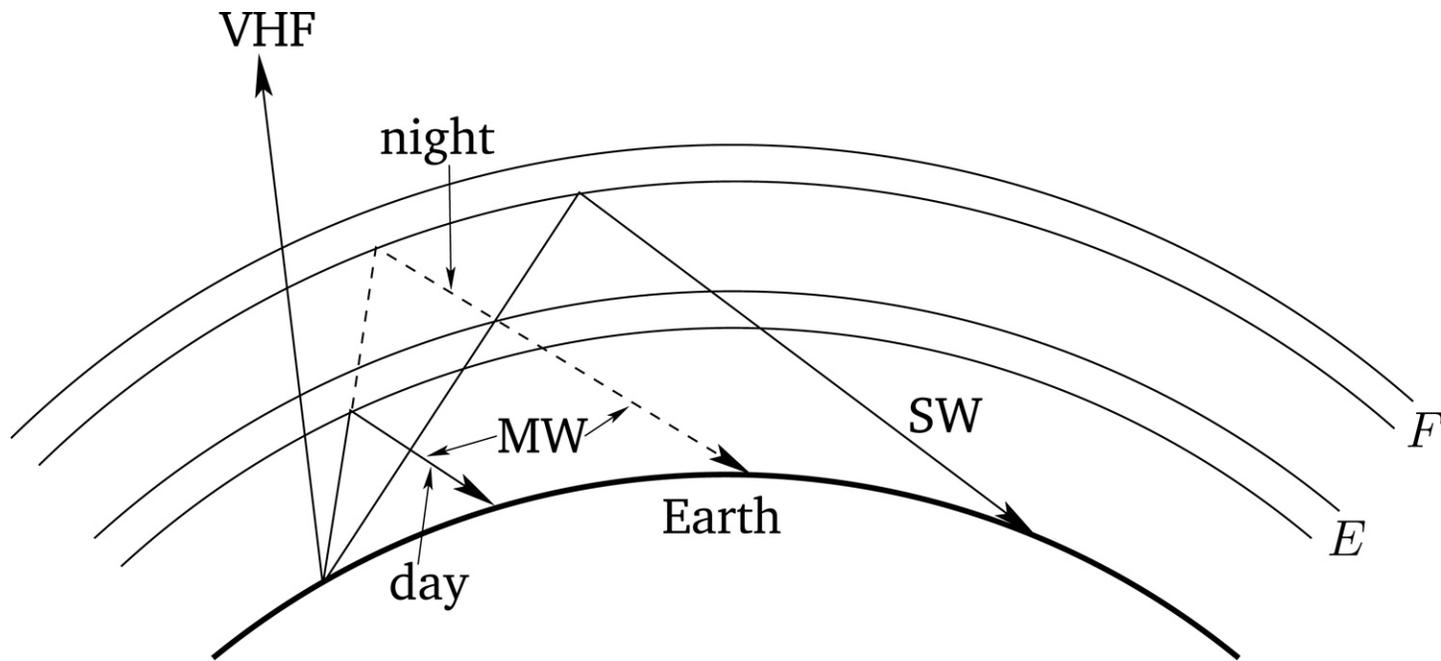
**FIGURE 8.4**  
Frequency spectrum of an AM radio signal.



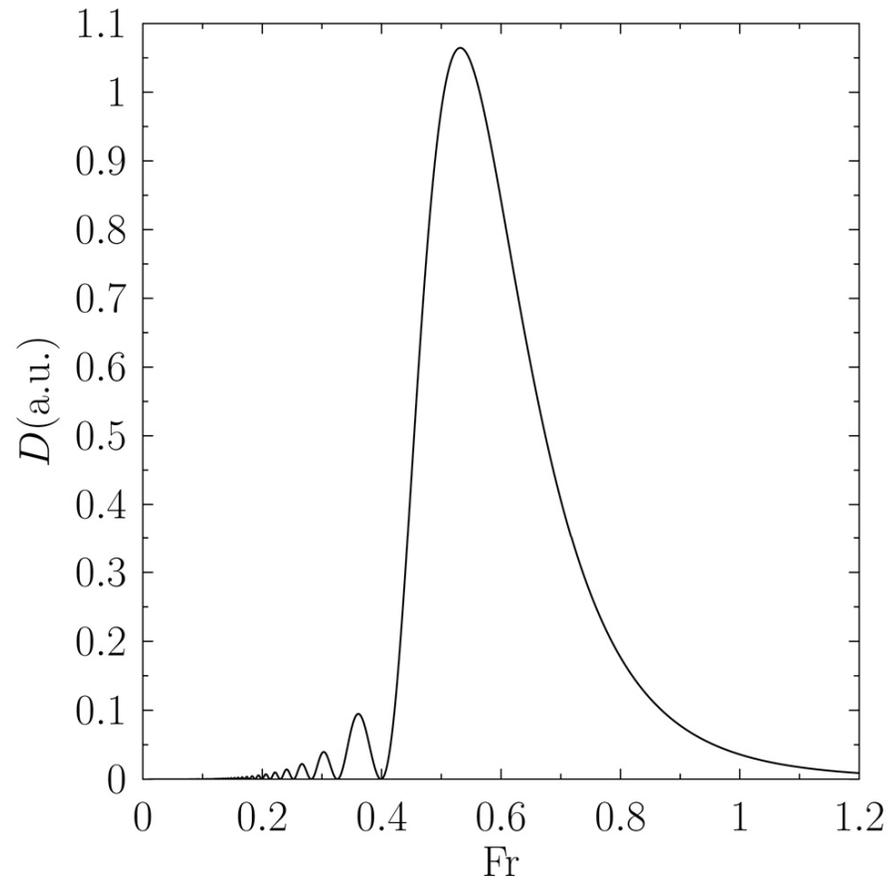
**FIGURE 8.5**  
A digital bit transmitted over AM radio.

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## 9 Dispersive Waves

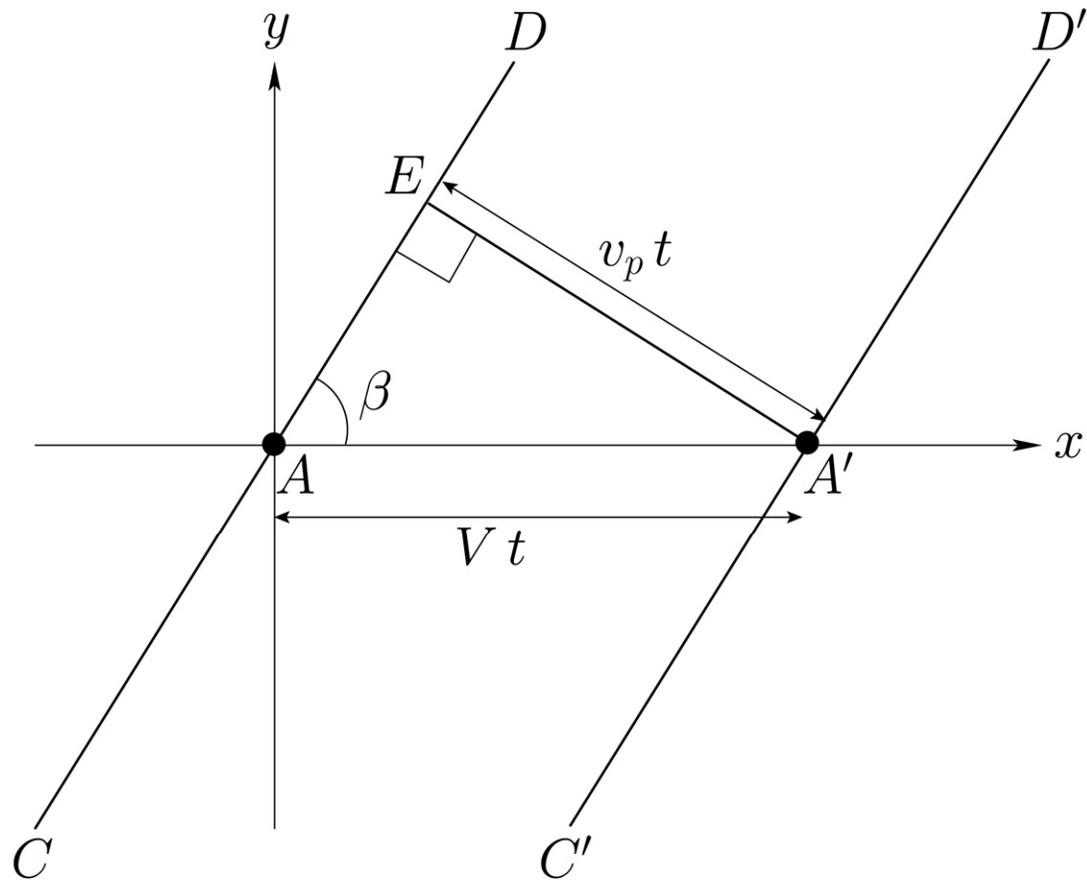


**FIGURE 9.1**  
Reflection and transmission of radio waves by the ionosphere.



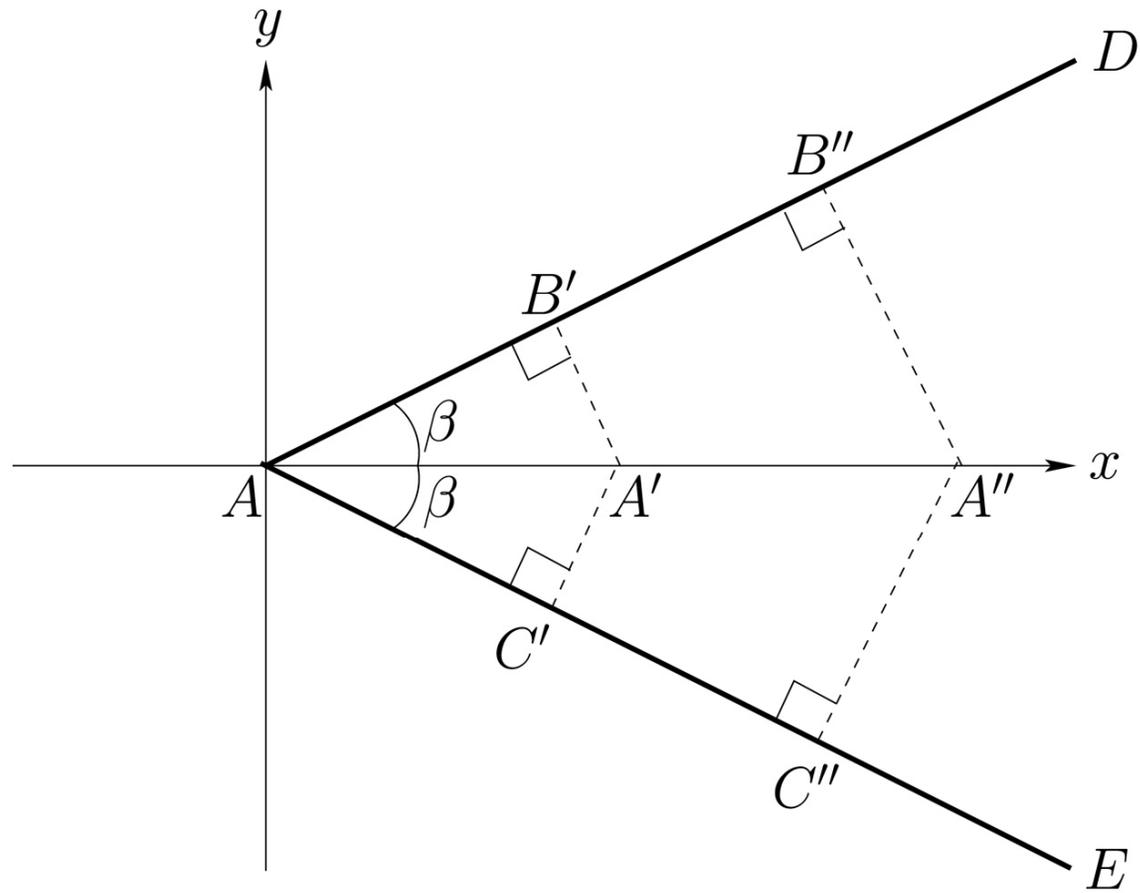
**FIGURE 9.2**

Variation of wave drag,  $D$ , with Froude number for a ship traveling through deep water.

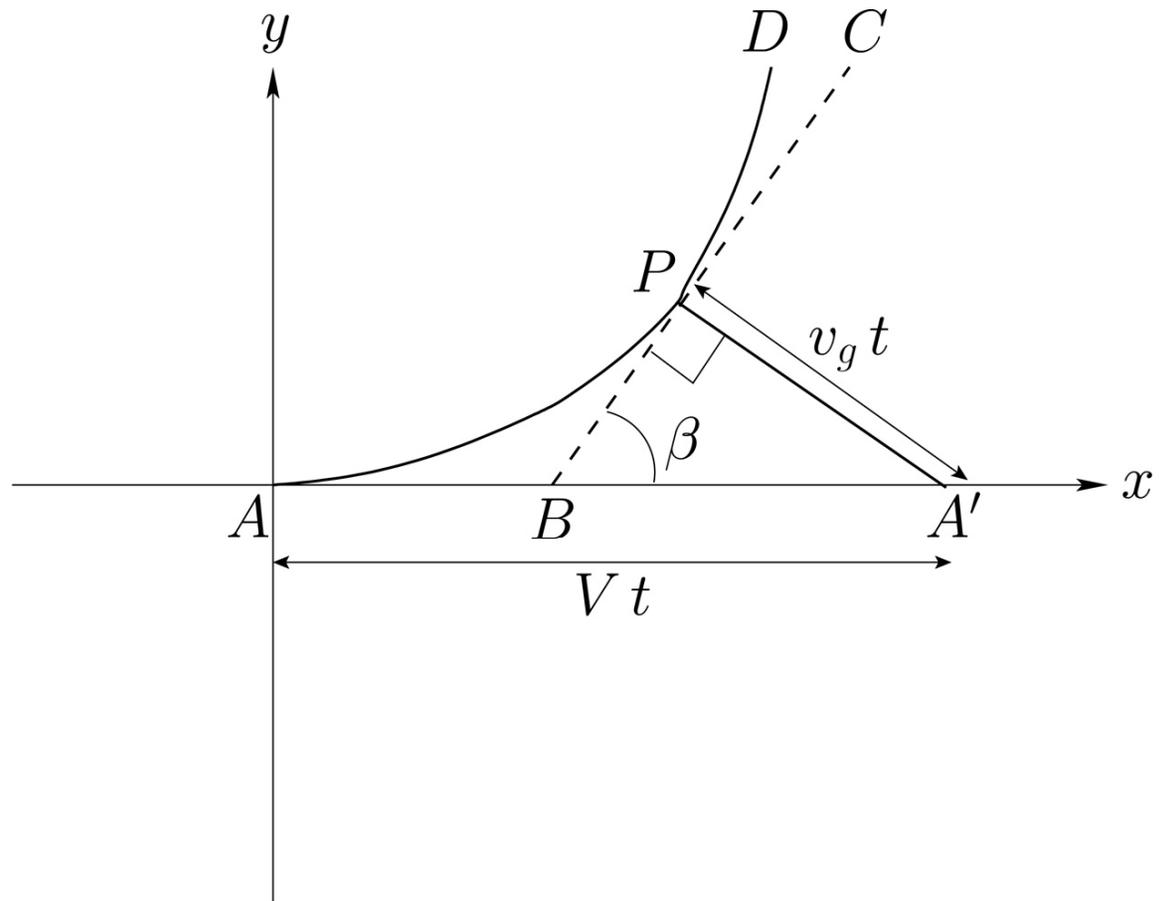


**FIGURE 9.3**

An oblique plane wave generated on the surface of the water by a moving ship.

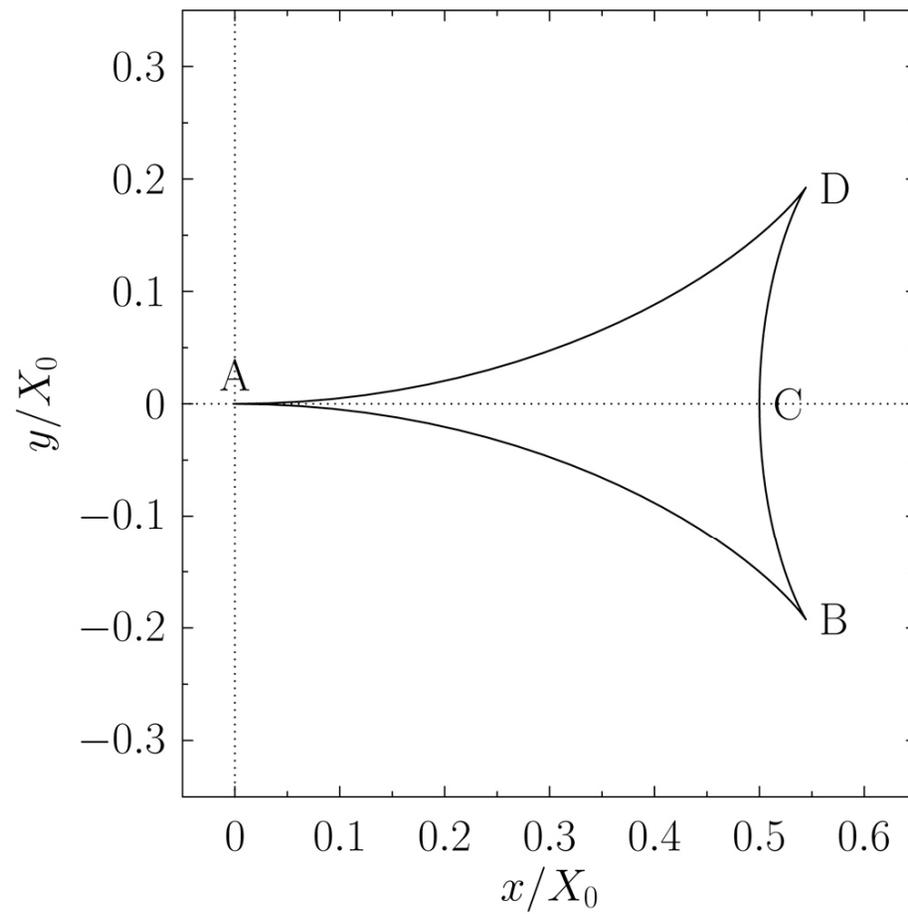


**FIGURE 9.4**  
A shallow water wake.



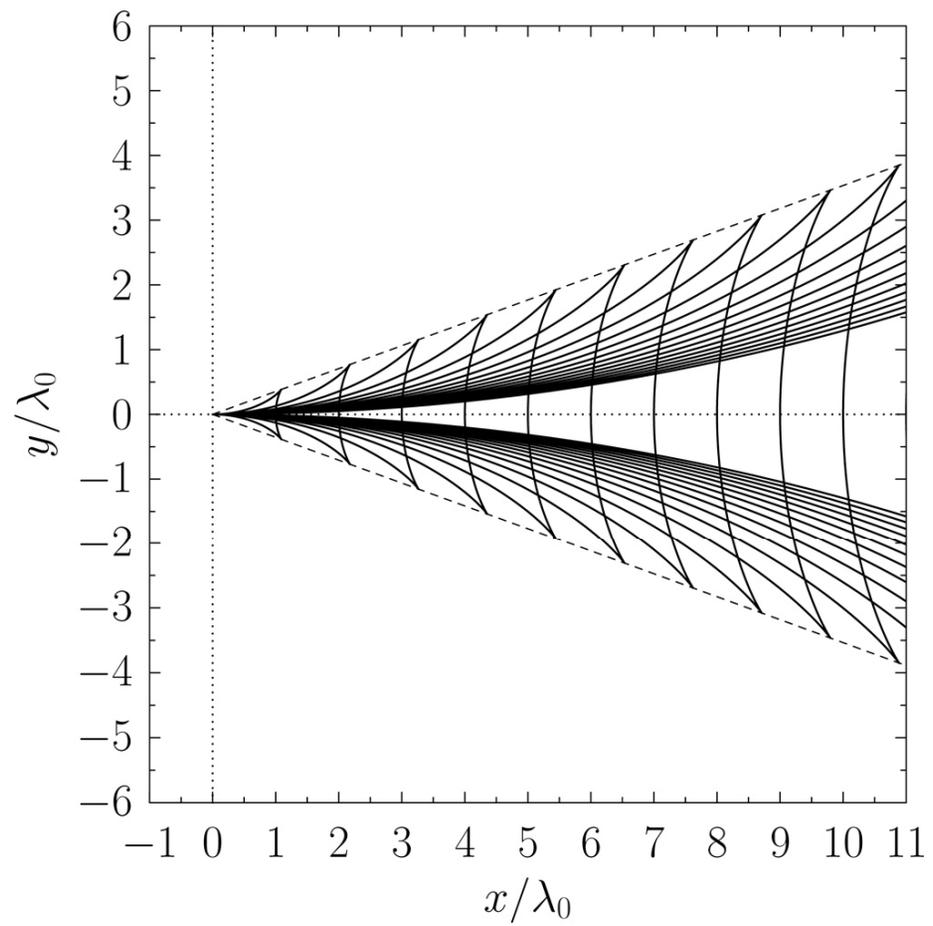
**FIGURE 9.5**

Formation of an interference maximum in a deep water wake.



**FIGURE 9.6**

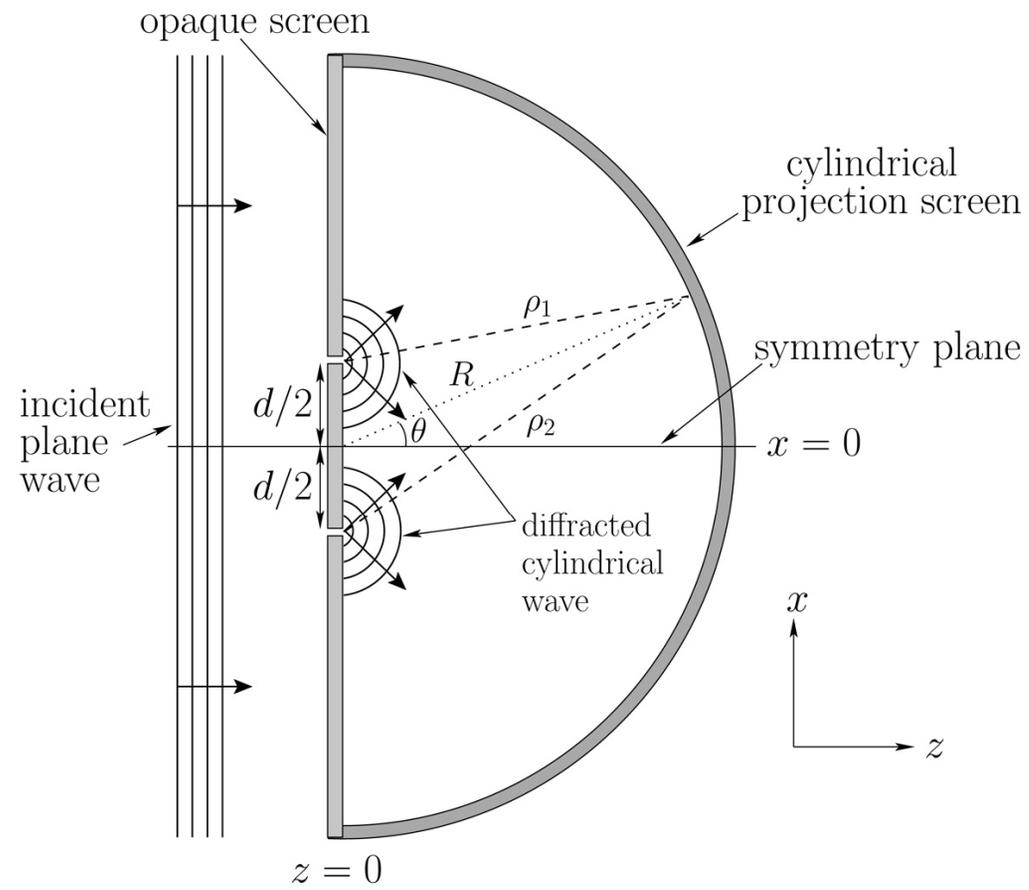
Locus of an interference maximum in a deep water wake.



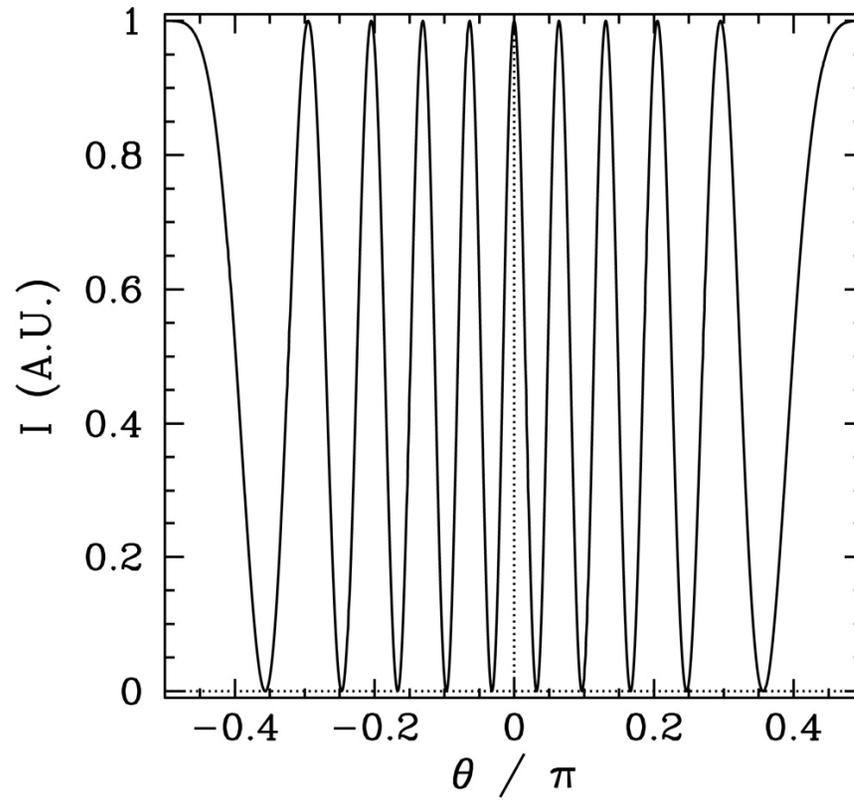
**FIGURE 9.7**  
A deep water wake.

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## 10 Wave Optics

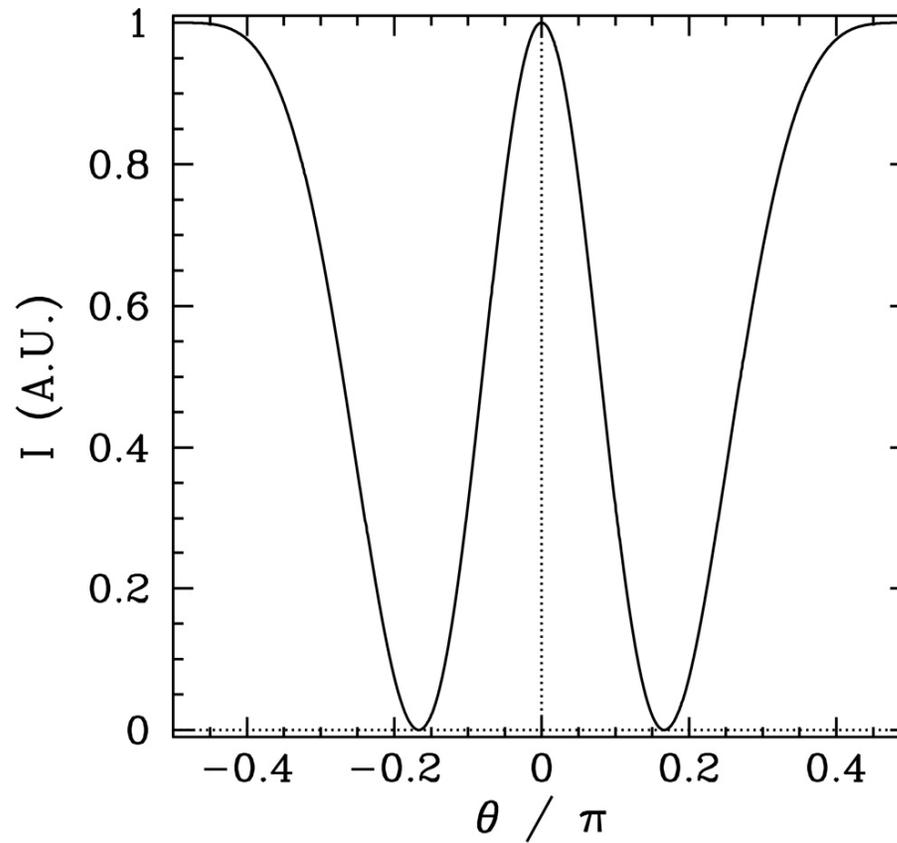


**FIGURE 10.1**  
Two-slit interference at normal incidence.



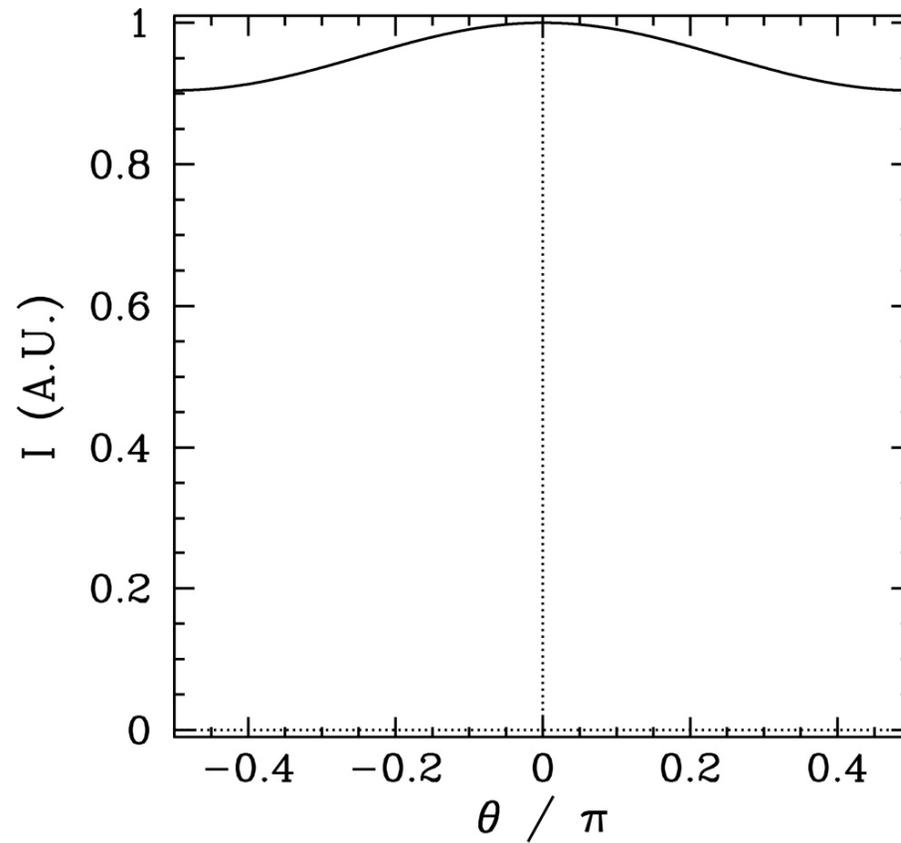
**FIGURE 10.2**

Two-slit far-field interference pattern calculated for  $d/\lambda = 5$  with normal incidence and narrow slits.



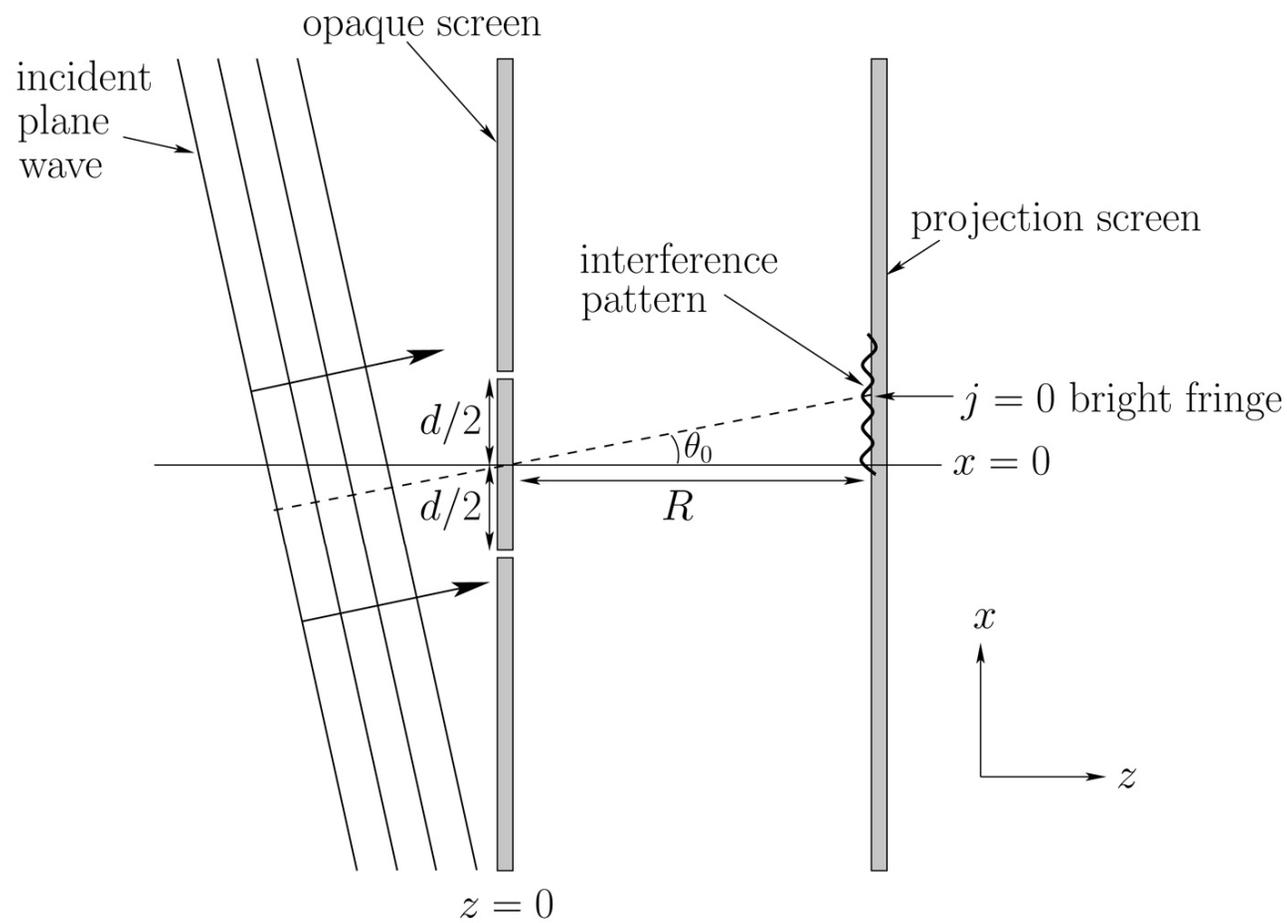
**FIGURE 10.3**

Two-slit far-field interference pattern calculated for  $d/\lambda = 1$  with normal incidence and narrow slits.



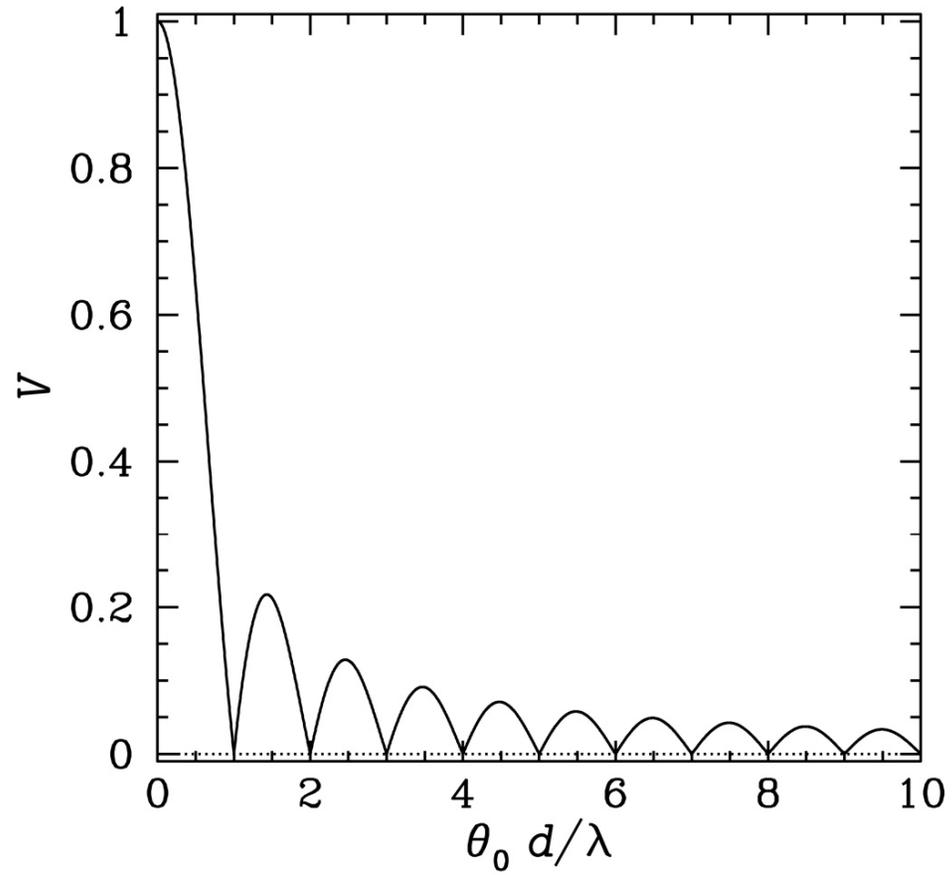
**FIGURE 10.4**

Two-slit far-field interference pattern calculated for  $d/\lambda = 0.1$  with normal incidence and narrow slits.



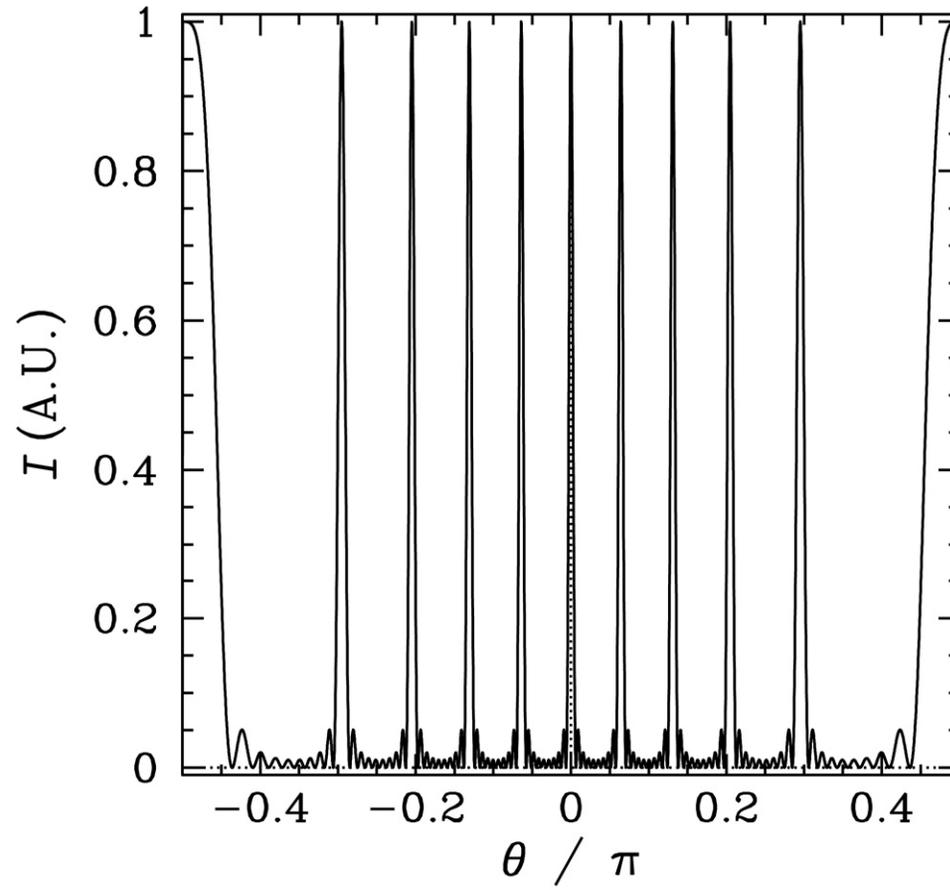
**FIGURE 10.5**  
Two-slit interference at oblique incidence.





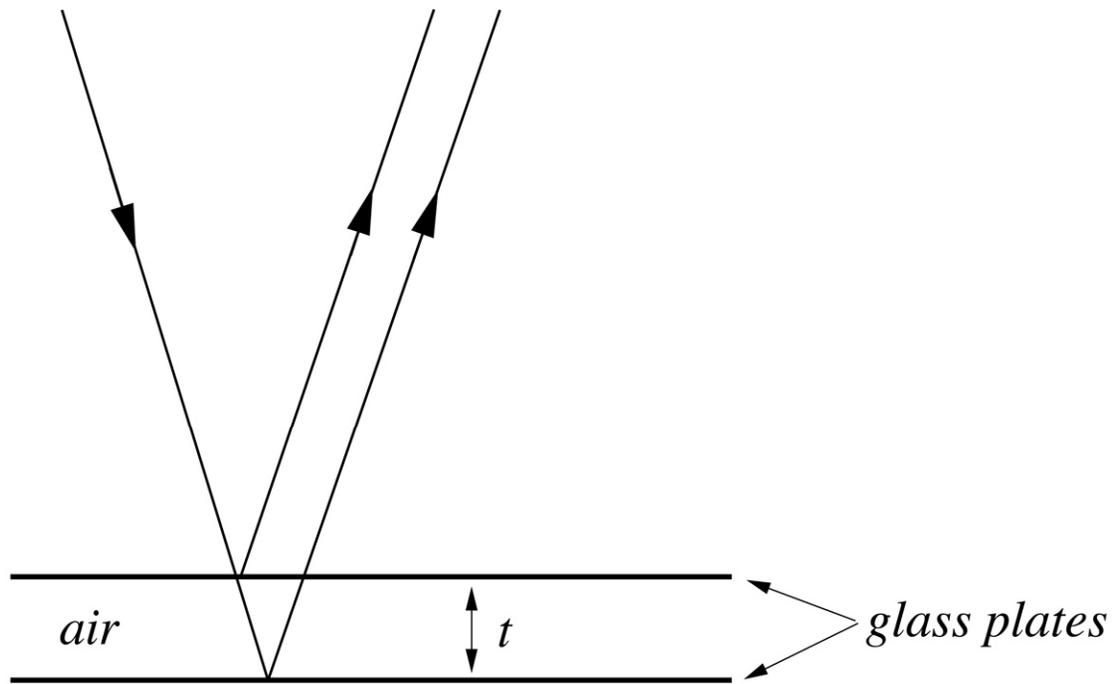
**FIGURE 10.7**

Visibility of a two-slit far-field interference pattern generated by an extended incoherent light source.



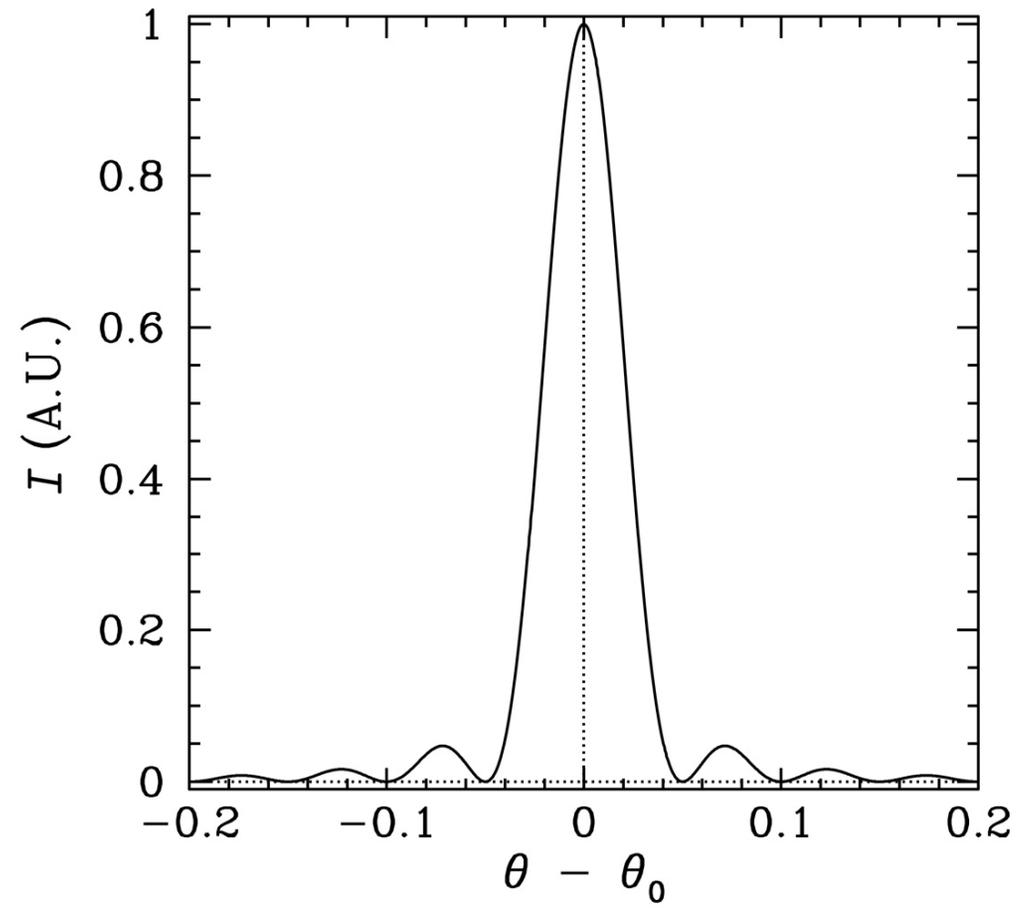
**FIGURE 10.8**

Multi-slit far-field interference pattern calculated for  $N = 10$  and  $d/\lambda = 5$  with normal incidence and narrow slits.



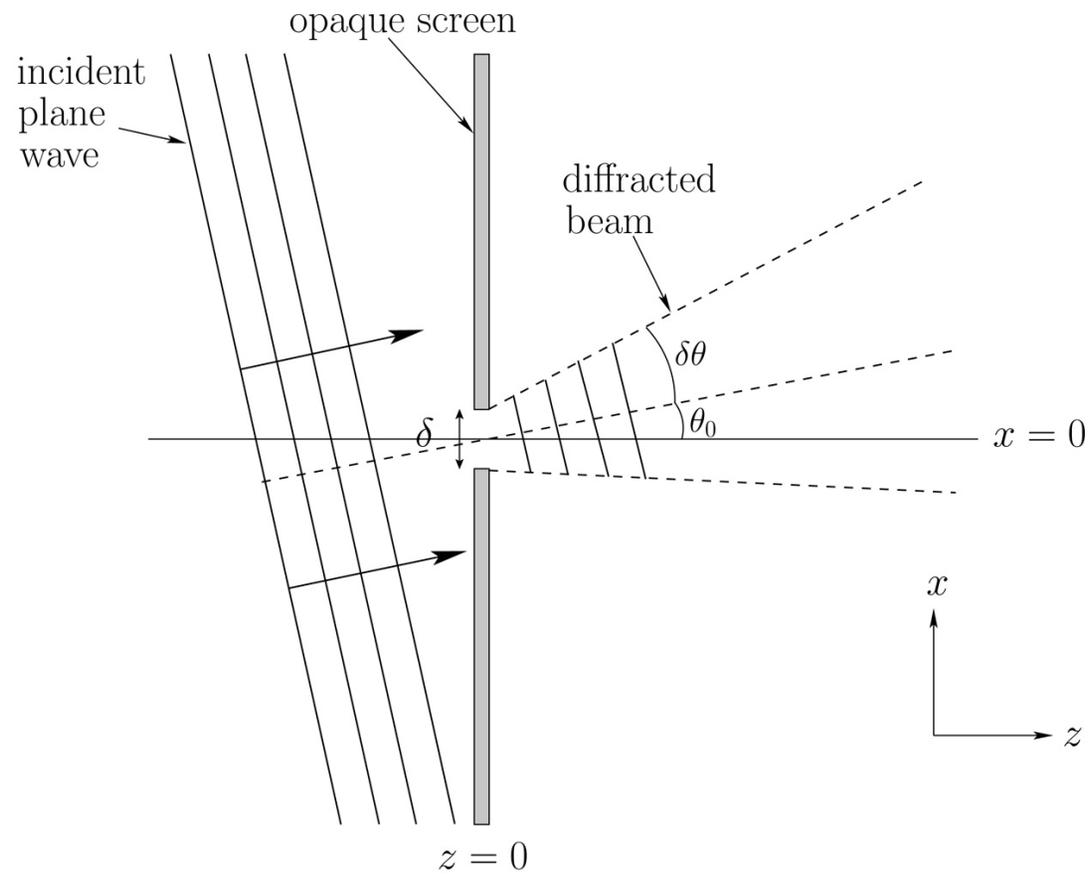
**FIGURE 10.9**

Interference of light due to a thin film of air trapped between two pieces of glass.

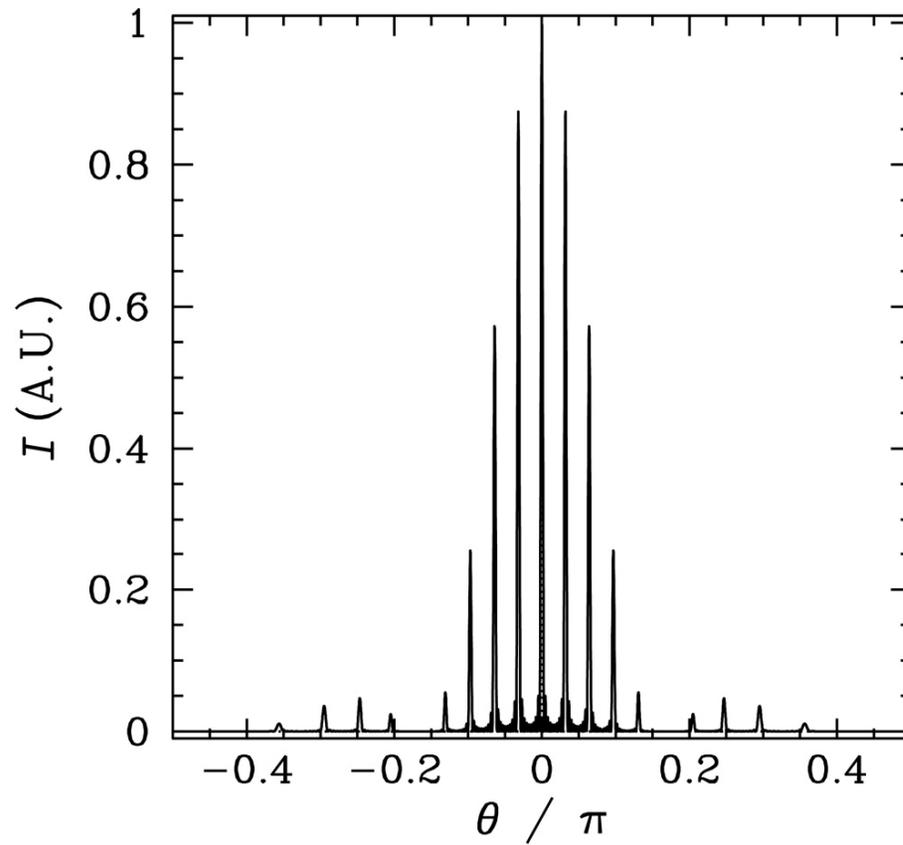


**FIGURE 10.10**

Single-slit far-field diffraction pattern calculated for  $\delta/\lambda = 20$ .

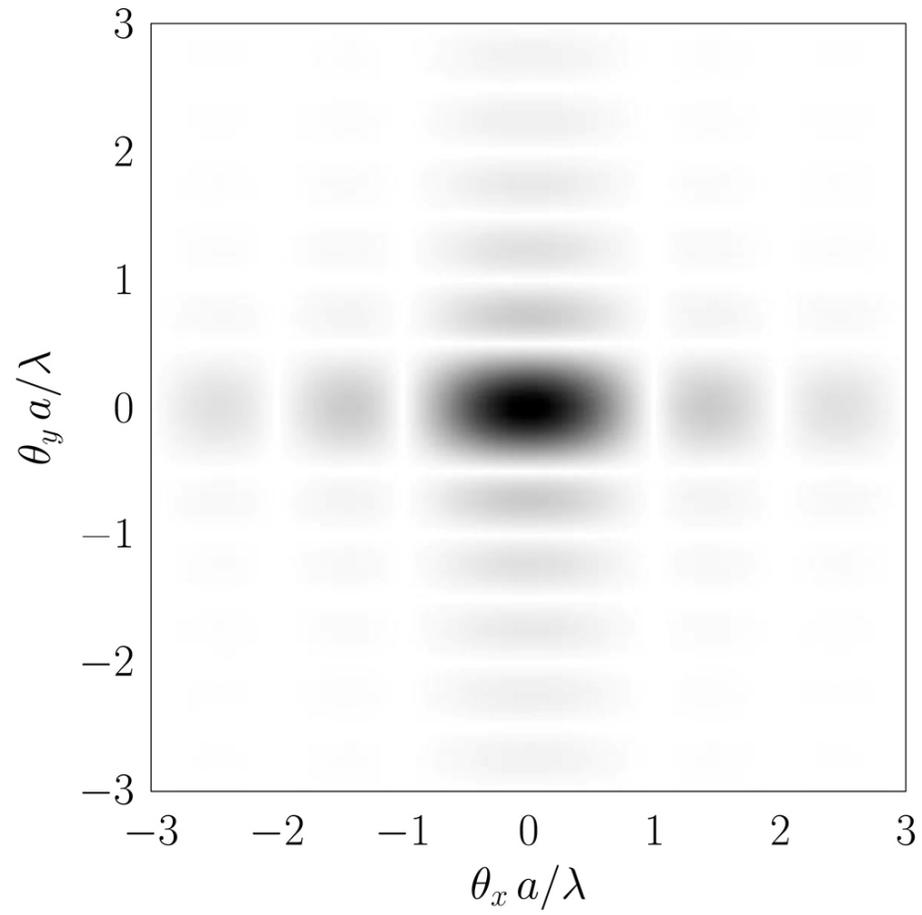


**FIGURE 10.11**  
Single-slit diffraction at oblique incidence.



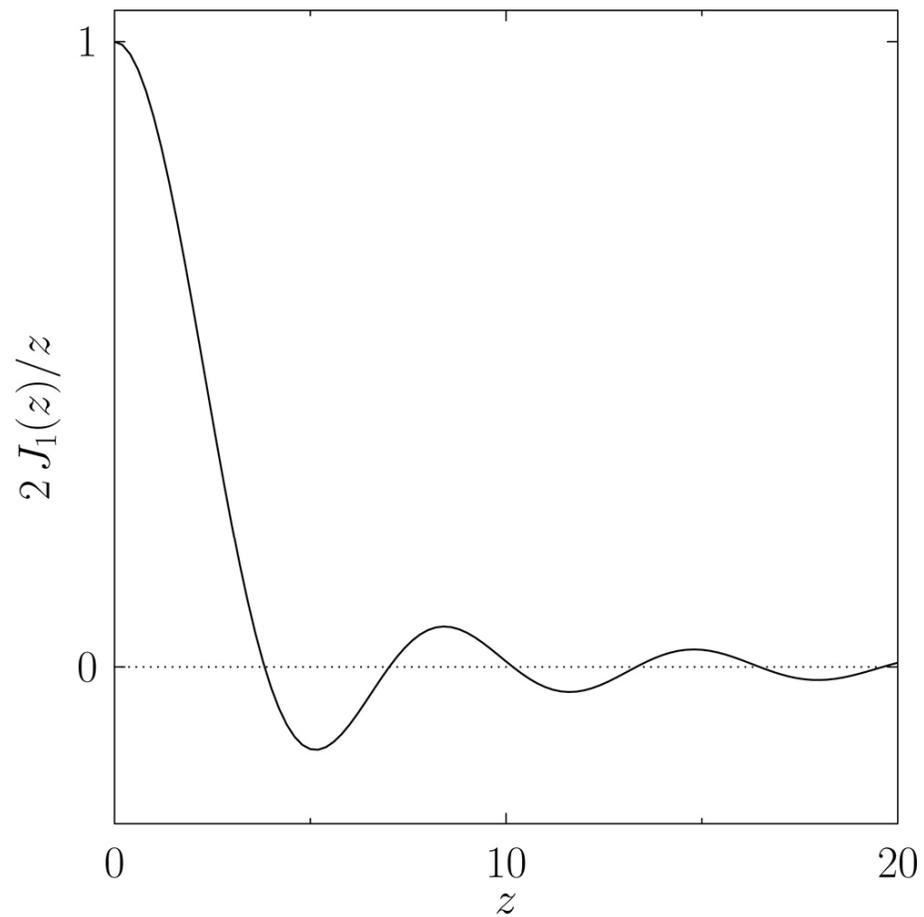
**FIGURE 10.12**

Multi-slit far-field interference pattern calculated for  $N = 10$ ,  $d/\lambda = 10$ , and  $\delta/\lambda = 2$ , assuming normal incidence.

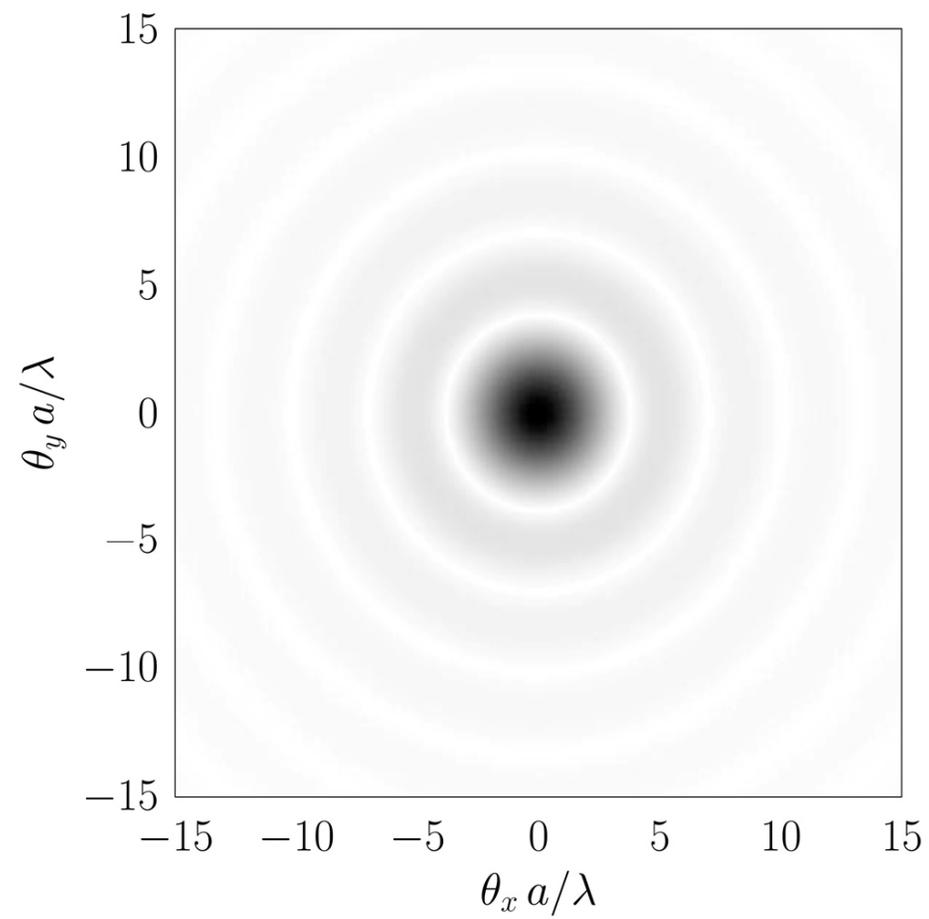


**FIGURE 10.13**

Far-field interference/diffraction pattern produced by a rectangular aperture for which  $b = 2a$ . Darker regions indicate higher light intensity.



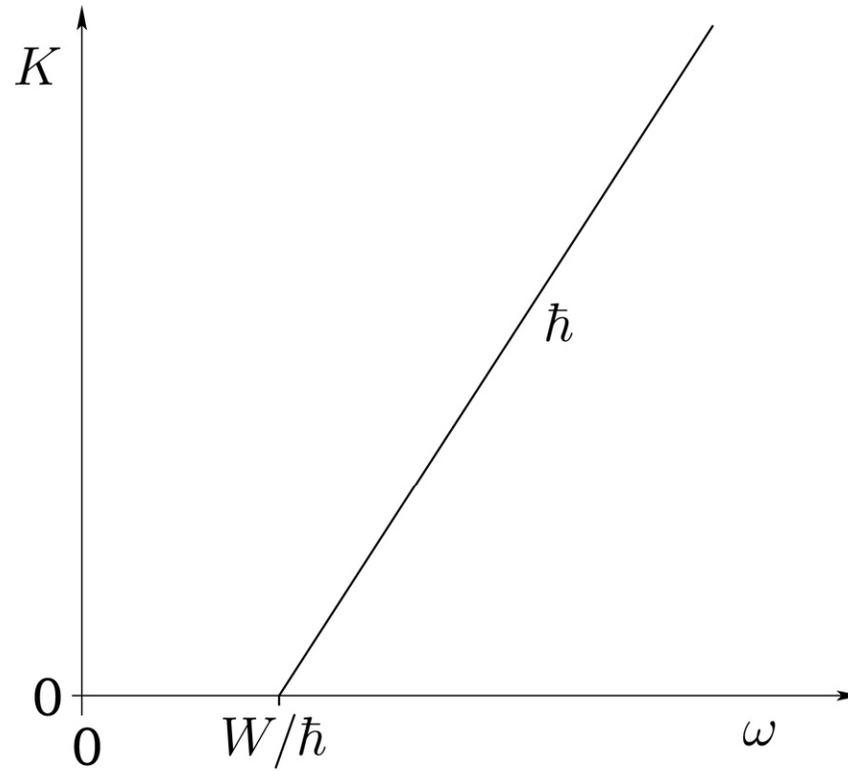
**FIGURE 10.14**  
The function  $2 J_1(z)/z$ .



**FIGURE 10.15**  
Far-field interference/diffraction pattern produced by a circular aperture of radius  $a$ .  
Darker regions indicate higher light intensity.

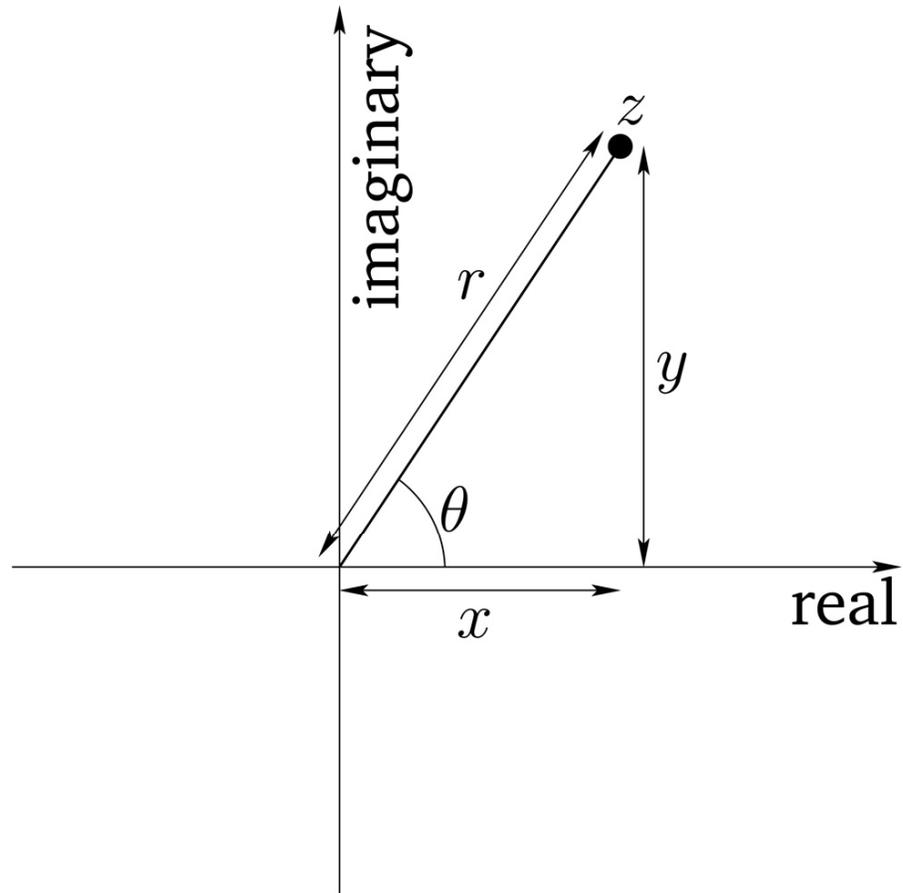
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## 11 Wave Mechanics



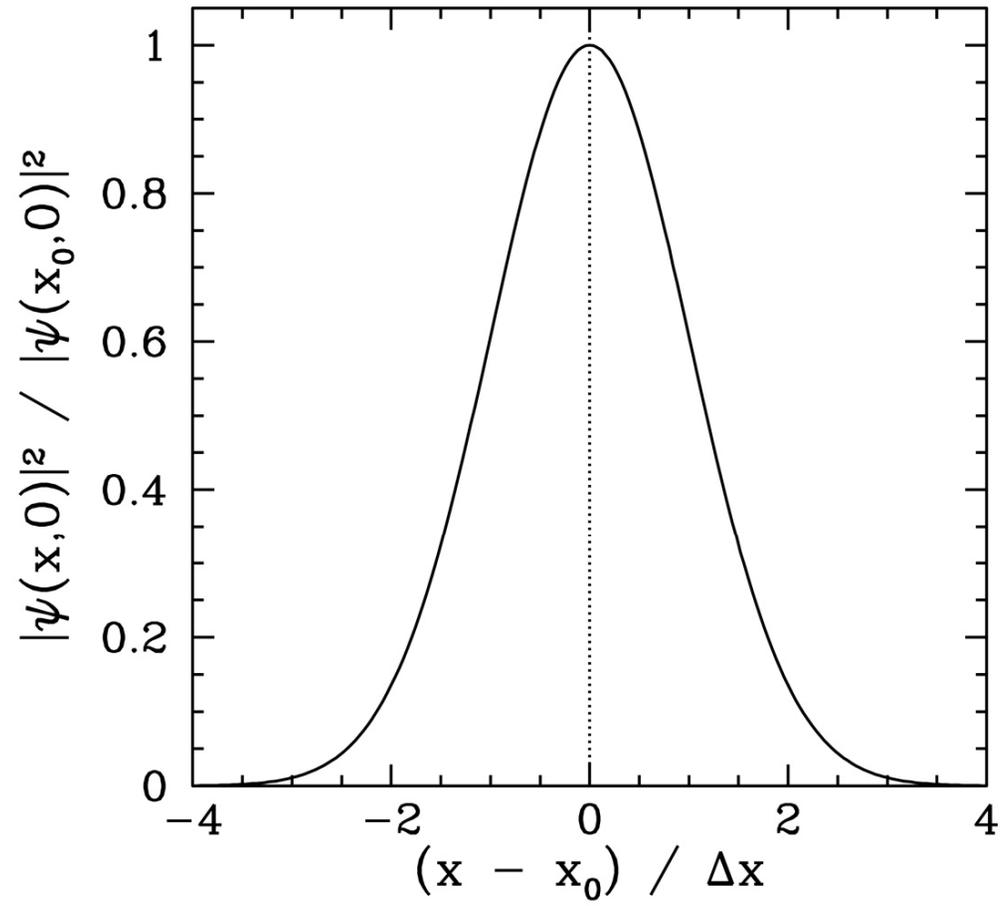
**FIGURE 11.1**

Variation of the kinetic energy  $K$  of photoelectrons with the wave angular frequency  $\omega$ .



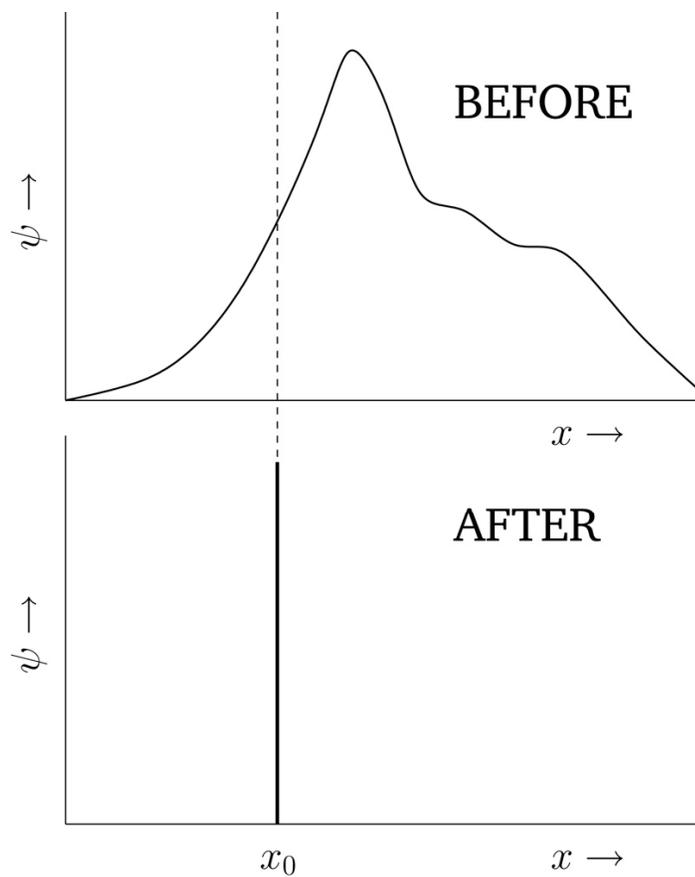
**FIGURE 11.2**

Representation of a complex number as a point in a plane.

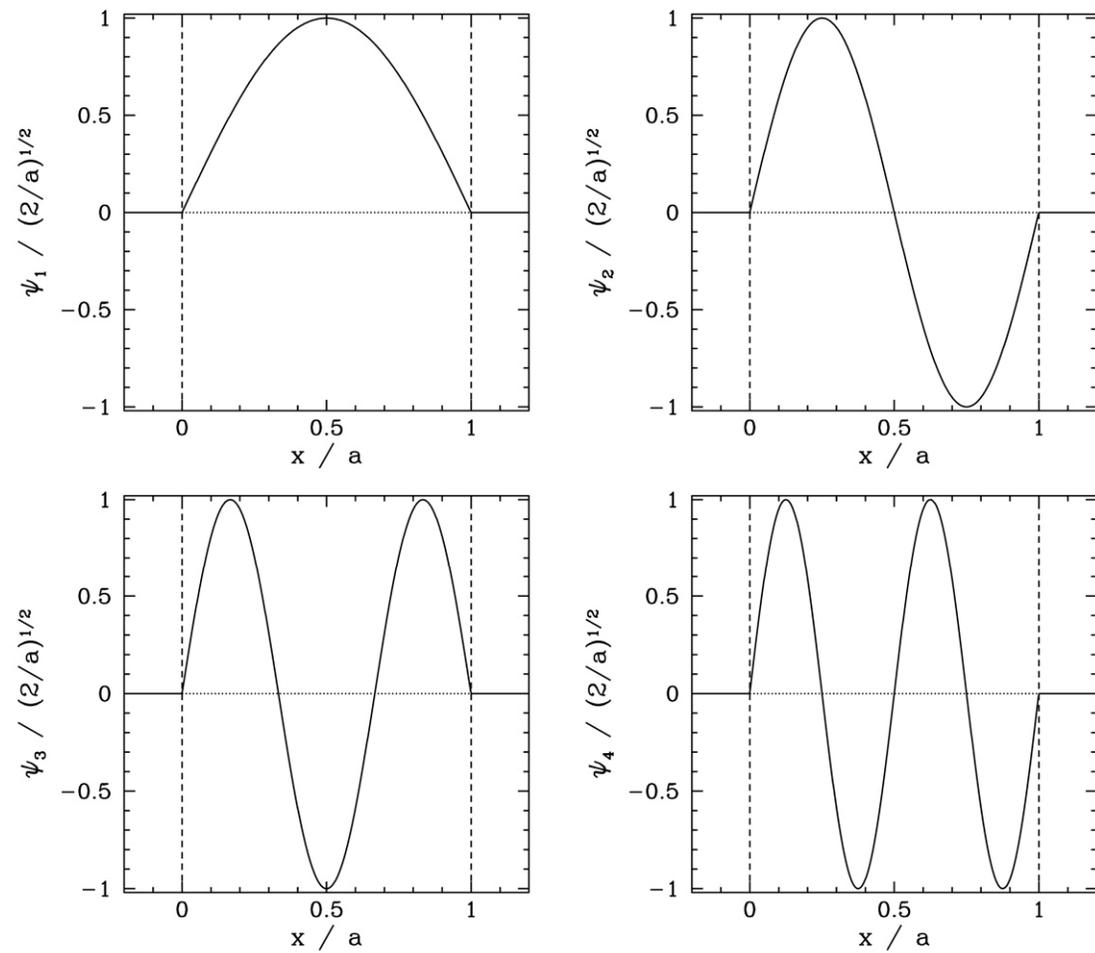


**FIGURE 11.3**

A one-dimensional Gaussian probability distribution.

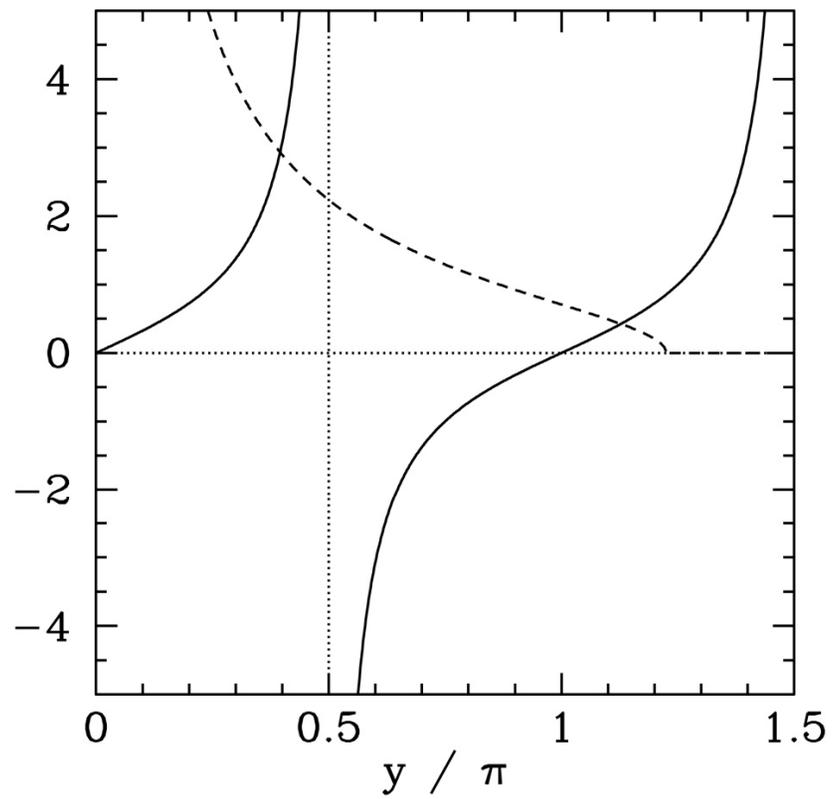


**FIGURE 11.4**  
Collapse of the wavefunction upon measurement of  $x$ .



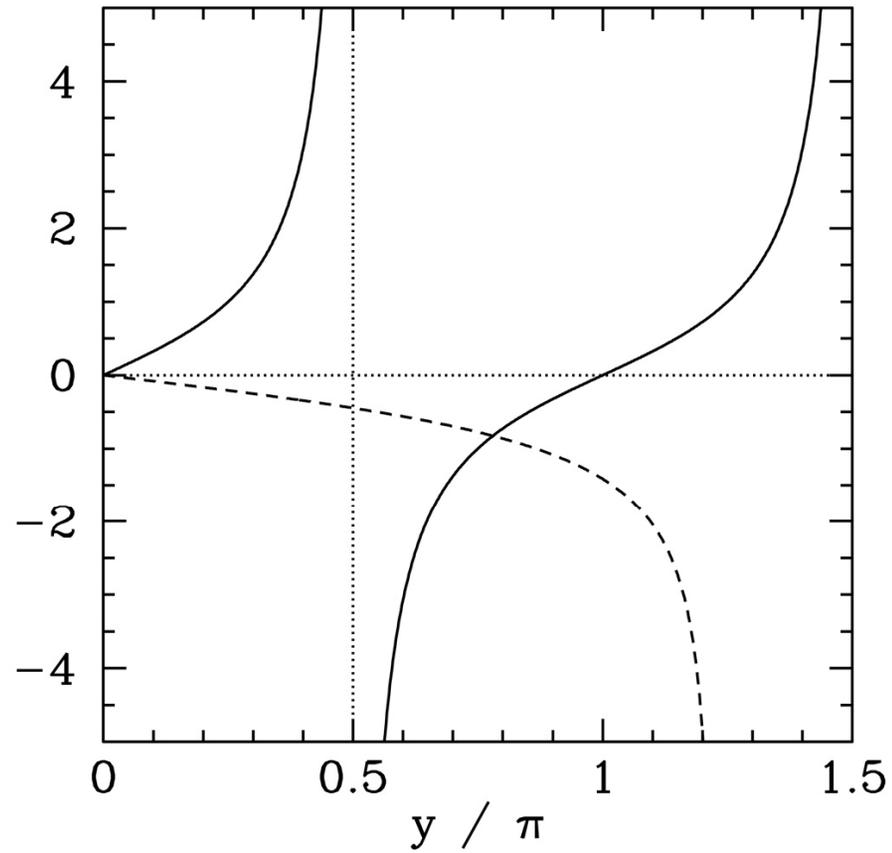
**FIGURE 11.5**

First four stationary wavefunctions for a particle trapped in a one-dimensional square potential well of infinite depth.



**FIGURE 11.6**

The curves  $\tan y$  (solid) and  $\sqrt{\lambda - y^2}/y$  (dashed), calculated for  $\lambda = 1.5 \pi^2$ . The latter curve takes the value 0 when  $y > \sqrt{\lambda}$ .



**FIGURE 11.7**

The curves  $\tan y$  (solid) and  $-y/\sqrt{\lambda - y^2}$  (dashed), calculated for  $\lambda = 1.5\pi^2$ .