ATTACHMENT #1

Point P moves with constant speed vp on the circumference of a circle. Point Q moves such that x coordinates are equal. The motion of pont Q on the diameter is defined as SHM.



NOTES:

1. The radius of the circle is x_m , the maximum value of x, which is called the 'amplitude' of the motion.

2. The radius line follows P around the circle, rotating one complete circle of 2π radians in a time of one period, T.

3. The constant angular velocity of the radius is $w = 2\pi/T$.

4. In the above circle, if time begins when point Q is at x_m ,

the angle between the base \boldsymbol{x} and the hypotenuse $\boldsymbol{x}_{\text{m}}$ is wt as shown.

Xm