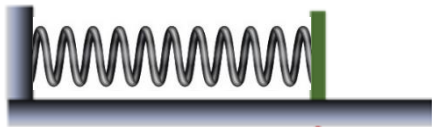


## CONCEPT: Hooke's Law & Springs

- When you push/pull against a spring ( $F_A$ ), spring pushes back in the \_\_\_\_\_ direction. (Action-Reaction!)

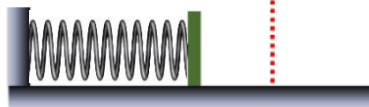
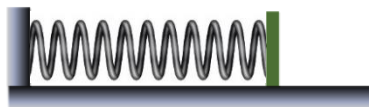


$$F_s = -F_A = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$$

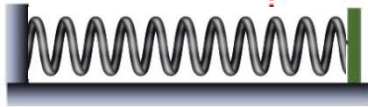
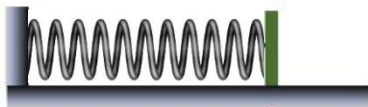
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$$|F_s| = |F_A| = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$$

Ex. 1: You push on a spring with a force of 120N. The spring constant  $k$  is 20. How much does it compress?



Ex. 2: How much force is required to pull a spring of length 10m out to 16m, if the spring constant  $k$  is 40N/m?



- $x = D$  \_\_\_\_\_

- Relaxed position → \_\_\_\_\_ ( $x = \underline{\hspace{1cm}}$ )

- **NOT** the spring's length → ( $x = \underline{\hspace{1cm}}$ )

- $k$  = spring's force constant

- Measures how \_\_\_\_\_ the spring is.

- Higher  $k$  → \_\_\_\_\_ to deform

- Ex. 1:  $x =$        $k =$        $F =$

- Ex. 2:  $x =$        $k =$        $F =$

- Units of  $k$ : \_\_\_\_\_

- $F_s = R$  \_\_\_\_\_ force, always opposes deformation

## CONCEPT: WORK DONE BY SPRINGS

- For **CONSTANT** Forces only, we calculate Work using  $W = Fd\cos\theta$

- For **VARIABLE** (i.e. not constant) Forces, we use the \_\_\_\_\_ of the Force instead  $\Rightarrow W_{var} = \text{_____} \Delta x \cos\theta$

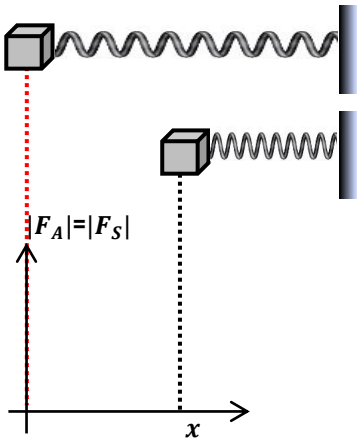
- The most common variable force you'll see is the **Spring** Force (Hooke's Law)  $\Rightarrow$

$$F_s = -F_A = -kx$$

- Work Done BY SPRING when compressing:  $W_s = -W_{F_A} = \text{_____}$

EXAMPLE: You push a light box attached on a spring with a spring constant  $k = 500\text{N/m}$ . If you compress the spring by  $2\text{m}$ ,

(a) write an expression for the work done by your push and the spring; (b) Calculate the work done by you & the spring.



PROBLEM: It takes 200 J of energy to compress a 1.0 m-long spring to 70 cm. How much additional work would you have to do to compress this same spring from 70 cm to 50 cm?

#### WORK & ENERGY

$$KE = \frac{1}{2}mv^2$$

$$W = Fd\cos\theta$$

$$W_g = -mg\Delta y$$

$$W_{FA} = -W_s = -\frac{1}{2}k\Delta x^2$$

$$W_{NET} = \Sigma W = F_{NET}d\cos\theta = \Delta K$$

- In general, the work done ON or BY a spring between two points **A**→**B**:

$$W_{s,A \rightarrow B} = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$$