

Answer on Question #84756- Physics - Mechanics/Relativity

Question: During a certain period of time, the angular position of swinging door is described by

$$O=5.00+10.0t+2.00t^2$$

Where O is in rad and t is in second.

Determine the angular position, the angular speed and the angular acceleration of the door

a) at $t=0$

b) at $t=3.00s$

Answer:

By definition, angular velocity ω and angular acceleration α are defined as:

$$\omega = \frac{d\theta}{dt}, \quad \alpha = \frac{d\omega}{dt}. \quad (1)$$

Calculating the derivatives explicitly, one can obtain:

$$\omega = 10 + 4t, \quad \alpha = 4. \quad (2)$$

Substituting numerical values, we get:

$$\begin{aligned} \theta(0) &= 5rad, & \theta(3s) &= 53rad \\ \omega(0) &= 10rad / s, & \omega(3s) &= 22rad / s. \\ \alpha(0) &= \alpha(3s) = 4rad / s^2 \end{aligned} \quad (3)$$

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