

Total Energy term for SHM

Total energy = KE + PE

For undamped motion, this total energy E is .....

**N.B.** at max. displacement, PE = maximum and KE = 0;

- but this applies at all times,
- since amplitude .....

A more rigorous derivation of;  $\left(\frac{1}{2}kA^2 = \frac{1}{2}m\dot{x}^2 + \frac{1}{2}kx^2\right)$

$x = A \sin(\omega t + \phi)$

$\dot{x} = A\omega \cos(\omega t + \phi)$

$E = \frac{1}{2}m\dot{x}^2 + \frac{1}{2}kx^2$

But  $\omega^2 = \frac{k}{m}$

Total energy at any time,  
displacement, velocity or .....  
acceleration is

## Parabolic form of potential energy

Start with this function;  $\frac{1}{2}kA^2 = \frac{1}{2}m\dot{x}^2 + \frac{1}{2}kx^2$

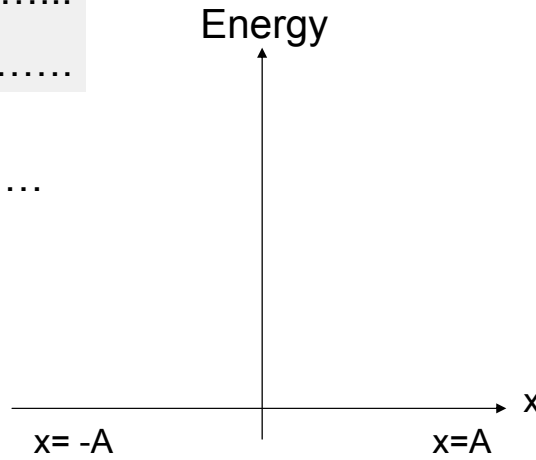
Re-arrange to find .....

**(Recognize this!)**

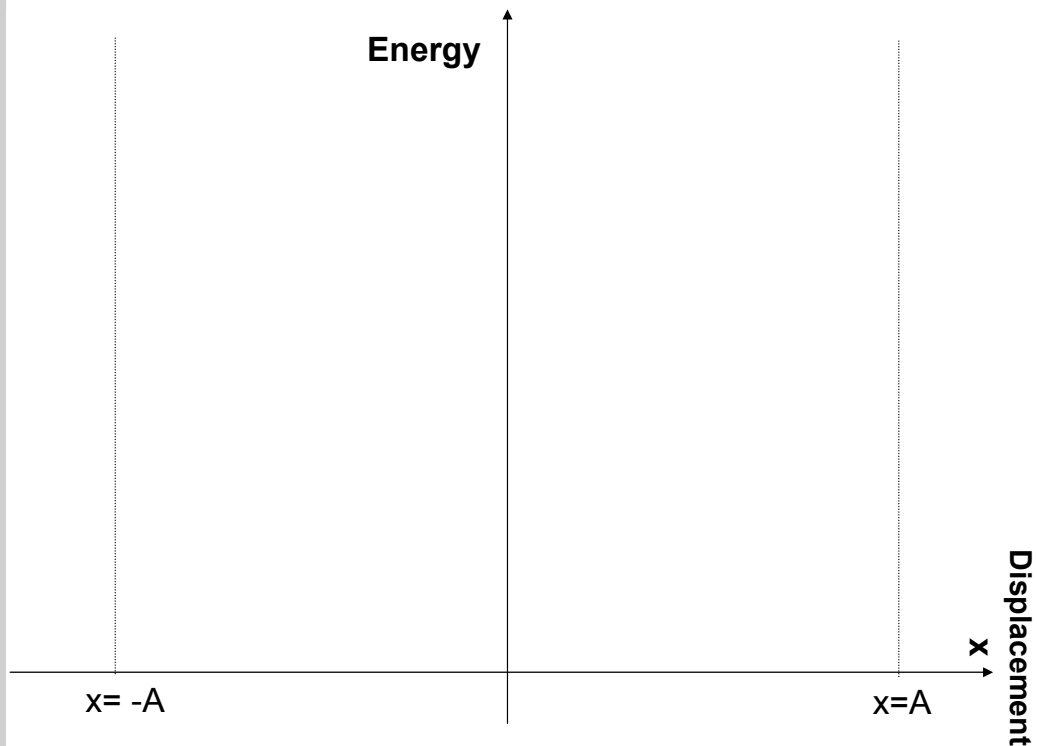
KE is a .....

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so graphically .....  
has a ..... form.



From this we now construct a more complete SHM energy graph



**Question:** At what value of  $x$ , does:  $KE = PE$  ?

### Summary so far for SHM.

For an undamped spring / mass system;

- Equation of motion;

(Derivation, units).

- Solution to equation of motion

Meaning of amplitude.

Particular attention to phase  $\phi$ .

- Energy of SHM;

This is constant.

- Knowledge of graphical form of energy (PE, KE and total E).

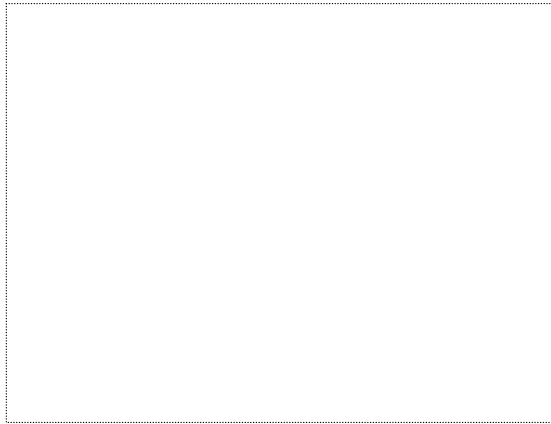
- Relation between;  $x$ ,  $\dot{x}$  and  $\ddot{x}$

## Complex number representation (1)

is a complex number Where a and b are real numbers, and  $j = \sqrt{-1}$

Complex number = (real part) + j .(imag. part)

We can represent a complex number graphically;



Real part =

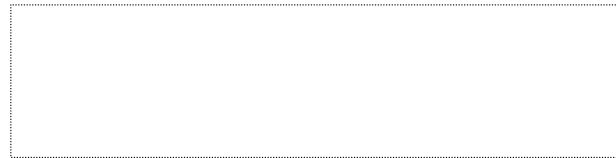
Imaginary part =

Modulus =

Argument =  $\phi$  =

## Complex number representation (2).

There is a remarkable formula in maths;



Using this, we can represent complex numbers with polar notation;



By equating real parts and imaginary parts;



We apply the complex number representation to the analysis of physical phenomena;

eg. .... in periodic motion: ..... in circuits.

The reason for this is that the maths of the analysis is much easier.

Forces and voltages are not really complex quantities (physically they only have a real part).

- we represent force as .....
- only the real part has .....

ie. We write \_\_\_\_\_ but .....there is only

### Complex number representation (3); example of use...

We will use the fact that;

$$e^{j\phi} = \cos \phi + j \cdot \sin \phi$$

The equation of motion for undamped SHM (spring / mass) is;

As a solution for this, let's try the following;



Where  $A = \text{constant length}$ , and  $\phi$  is a constant.

Displacement

Velocity

Acceleration

$$\Rightarrow \ddot{x} =$$

**It works!**