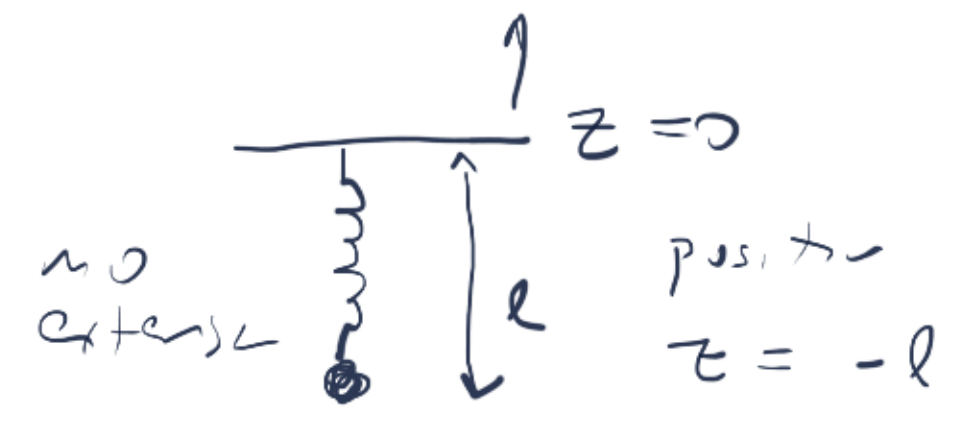


position =  $-(l + x(t))\hat{z} \equiv z(t)\hat{z}$

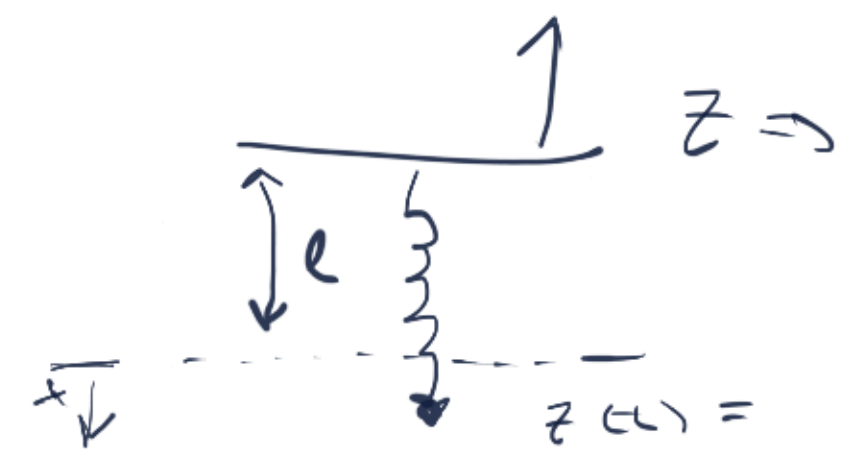
compression / extension position  $-l$

$$\vec{F} = m\vec{a}$$

$$m\ddot{z} = \text{net force} = -mg + \delta x$$



extension is:  $x(t)$



$$-\delta x(t)\hat{z}$$

$$-m\ddot{x} = \delta x - mg =$$

$$z(t) = -(l + x(t))$$

$$\dot{z} = -\dot{x}(t)$$

$$\ddot{z} = -\ddot{x}(t)$$

$$-(l + x(t))$$

$$x(t) > 0$$

Retain  $z(t) =$  thing defined on previous page

$$r(t) = u \hat{z} + z(t) \hat{z}$$

as on previous page  
measured from top of spring

measured in space

$$\dot{r} = u \dot{\hat{z}} + \dot{z} \hat{z}$$

$$\ddot{r} = \ddot{z} \hat{z} \quad \text{so} \quad \vec{F} = m \ddot{r} \quad \text{unchanged}$$

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Finally let  $R(t) = \cos(\omega t) \hat{z}$

$$r(t) = R(t) \hat{z} + z(t) \hat{z} \quad / \quad \ddot{r} = (-\omega^2 \cos(\omega t) + \ddot{z}) \hat{z}$$

behaves like a modulation of gravity

