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$$d) \begin{cases} x = A \cos \omega t \\ y = A \sin \omega t \\ z = 0 \end{cases} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} v_x = -A\omega \sin \omega t \\ v_y = A\omega \cos \omega t \\ v_z = 0 \end{cases} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} a_x = 0 \\ a_y = -A\omega^2 \sin \omega t \\ a_z = 0 \end{cases}$$

b) $v^2 = A^2 \omega^2 (1 + \cos^2 \omega t)$ must be $< c^2$
 but $1 + \cos^2 \omega t \in [1, 2] \quad \forall t$

$\Rightarrow 2 A^2 \omega^2 < c^2 \Rightarrow A\omega < \frac{c}{\sqrt{2}}$

c) Use eqs (4.4) but careful that the boost in the problem is along the z -axis. It's probably easier

to ① relabel $z \rightarrow x, x \rightarrow y, y \rightarrow z$

② Apply (4.4) as it is since the boost is along the new x

③ relabel back $x \rightarrow z, y \rightarrow x, z \rightarrow y$

So:

①: $v_x = 0$

$v_y = A\omega$

$v_z = A\omega \cos \omega t$

$a_x = 0$

$a_y = 0$

$a_z = -A\omega^2 \sin \omega t$

$$\textcircled{2} \quad Q'_x = 0 \quad (\text{since } Q_x = 0)$$

$$Q'_y = 0 \quad (\text{since } Q_y = 0)$$

$$Q'_z = \frac{Q_z}{\gamma^2 \left(1 - \frac{u v_x}{c^2}\right)} = // v_x = 0, \gamma = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 - \frac{u^2}{c^2}}} //$$

$$= -A \omega^2 \left(1 - \frac{u^2}{c^2}\right) \sin \omega t$$

$\textcircled{3}$ transform back:

$$Q'_x = 0$$

$$Q'_y = -A \omega^2 \left(1 - \frac{u^2}{c^2}\right) \sin \omega t$$

$$Q'_z = 0 \quad //$$