

§ 4.10 #9) An 8kg mass is attached to a spring hanging from the ceiling, thereby causing the spring to stretch 1.96m before reaching a resting equilibrium. At time  $t = 0$  an external force  $F(t) = [\cos(2t)] N$  is applied to the system. The damping constant is 3 Nsec/m. Determine steady state sol<sup>2</sup> for this system

Gravity pulls the mass downward, at equilibrium the spring force and gravity must balance. This reveals the stiffness (which they cutely left out)

$$mg = k(\Delta x)$$

$$8(9.8) = k(1.96) \therefore \underline{k = 40} \quad (\text{omitting units})$$

We must solve, for  $t > 0$ ,

$$8y'' + 3y' + 40y = \cos(2t)$$

$$8\lambda^2 + 3\lambda + 40 = 0 \rightarrow \lambda = \frac{-3 \pm \sqrt{9 - 4(8)(40)}}{16}$$

Thus  $\lambda = -0.1875 \pm 2.228i$ .

$$y_h = A e^{-0.1875t} \cos(2.228t + \phi)$$

This homogeneous sol<sup>2</sup> is the system's response to the initial conditions. Since  $y(0) = 0$  and  $y'(0) = 0$  it will follow  $y_h = 0$  but I wanted to mention it (technically  $y_h$  is not needed to find steady state sol. since  $y_h \rightarrow 0$  as  $t \rightarrow \infty$  if  $b > 0$  physically the friction force kills the initial motion of the system.)

S 4.10 #9 Finally actually finding  
steady state sol<sup>p</sup>:

$$8y'' + 3y' + 40y = \cos(2t)$$

Use undetermined coeff.

$$y_p = A \cos(2t) + B \sin(2t)$$

$$y_p' = -2A \sin(2t) + 2B \cos(2t)$$

$$y_p'' = -4y_p$$

Substitute,

$$8y_p'' + 3y_p' + 40y_p = \cos(2t)$$

$$3(-2A \sin(2t) + 2B \cos(2t)) + 8(A \cos(2t) + B \sin(2t)) = \cos(2t)$$

$$\sin(2t)[-6A + 8B] + \cos(2t)[6B + 8A] = \cos(2t)$$

$$\underbrace{\sin(2t)}_{-6A + 8B = 0} \rightarrow B = \frac{3}{4}A$$

$$\underbrace{\cos(2t)}_{6B + 8A = 1} \rightarrow$$

$$\hookrightarrow 6\left(\frac{3}{4}A\right) + 8A = 1$$

$$18A + 32A = 4$$

$$50A = 4 \quad \therefore A = \frac{2}{25}$$

$$\Rightarrow B = \frac{3}{4}\left(\frac{2}{25}\right) = \frac{3}{50}$$

Hence

$$y_p(t) = \frac{2}{25} \cos(2t) + \frac{3}{50} \sin(2t)$$

Remark: As  $t \rightarrow \infty$  the general sol<sup>g</sup> will converge to the particular sol<sup>p</sup>. Physically  $y_p(t)$  is the response of the system to the external force.

§4.10 #11] Omitting units and adjusting to compensate  
for idiotic British units,

$$m = \frac{8}{32} \quad k = 10, \quad b = 1, \quad F_{ext}(t) = 2\cos 2t$$

where  $y(0) = 0$  and  $y'(0) = 0$ . Find eq<sup>n</sup> of motion  
and the resonant frequency

$$\frac{1}{4} y'' + y' + 10y = 2\cos 2t$$

$$y'' + 4y' + 40y = 8\cos(2t)$$

$$\lambda^2 + 4\lambda + 40 = 0$$

$$(\lambda+2)^2 + 36 = 0 \Rightarrow \lambda = -2 \pm 6i.$$

Hence,  $y_h = c_1 e^{-2t} \cos 6t + c_2 e^{-2t} \sin 6t$ . Save for later.

The particular sol<sup>n</sup> can be found via undetermined coefficients,

$$y_p = A \sin(2t + \Theta)$$

$$y_p' = 2A \cos(2t + \Theta)$$

$$y_p'' = -4y_p$$

Remark: Could use  $y_p = A \cos 2t + B \sin 2t$   
but I want to check against  
text's answer, so I'll make due  
with  $A \sin(2t + \Theta)$ .

Substitute into DEq<sup>n</sup>,

$$y_p'' + 4y_p' + 40y_p = 8\cos 2t$$

$$8A \cos(2t + \Theta) + 36A \sin(2t + \Theta) = 8\cos 2t$$

$$8A[\cos 2t \cos \Theta - \sin 2t \sin \Theta] + 36A[\sin 2t \cos \Theta + \sin \Theta \cos 2t] = 8\cos(2t)$$

$$\boxed{\cos 2t} \quad 8A \cos \Theta + 36A \sin \Theta = 8$$

$$\boxed{\sin 2t} \quad -8A \sin \Theta + 36A \cos \Theta = 0 \Rightarrow A \underbrace{(-8 \sin \Theta + 36 \cos \Theta)}_{\text{Zero since } A \neq 0} = 0$$

$$\tan \Theta = \frac{36}{8} = \frac{9}{2}$$

$$\text{Thus } \Theta = \tan^{-1}(9/2) = 1.352$$

$$\Rightarrow 36.878A = 8 \Rightarrow A = 0.2169.$$

$$\underline{y_p = 0.2169 \sin(2t + 1.352)}$$

The general sol<sup>12</sup> has the form

$$y(t) = e^{-2t} [c_1 \cos(6t) + c_2 \sin(6t)] + 0.2169 \sin(2t + 1.352)$$

$$y'(t) = -2e^{-2t} [c_1 \cos 6t + c_2 \sin 6t] + e^{-2t} [-6c_1 \sin 6t + 6c_2 \cos 6t] +$$

$$C + 2(0.2169) \cos(2t + 1.352)$$

Apply the given initial conditions,

$$y(0) = 0 = c_1 + 0.2169 \sin(1.352) \therefore c_1 = -0.212$$

$$y'(0) = 0 = -2c_1 + 6c_2 + 2(0.2169) \cos(1.352)$$

$$\Rightarrow c_2 = \frac{2(-0.212) - 2(0.2169) \cos(1.352)}{6} = -0.0864$$

$$\therefore y(t) \approx -0.212 e^{-2t} \cos 6t - 0.0864 e^{-2t} \sin 6t + 0.2169 \sin(2t + 1.352)$$

(equation of motion)

The resonant frequency is the frequency for  $F_{ext}(t)$  which would result in the steady state sol<sup>12</sup> with maximal amplitude. The text shows that the frequency where this occurs depends on  $m$ ,  $b$  and  $k$  as follows:

$$f_{resonance} = \frac{1}{2\pi} \sqrt{\frac{k}{m} - \frac{b^2}{4m^2}}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2\pi} \sqrt{\frac{10}{1/4} - \frac{1}{2/16}}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2\pi} \sqrt{40 - 8}$$

$$= \frac{\sqrt{8}}{\pi}$$

$$f_{resonance} = \frac{2\sqrt{2}}{\pi} \text{ Hz}$$

§ 4.10 (extra) / Omitting units,

$m = 8$ ,  $k = 10$ ,  $b = 1$ ,  $F_{\text{ext.}}(t) = 2 \cos(2t)$  for  $t > 0$   
and  $y(0) = 0$ ,  $y'(0) = 0$ . Find eq<sup>2</sup> of motion for  
the mass.

$$8y'' + y' + 10y = 2 \cos(2t)$$

$$8\lambda^2 + \lambda + 10 = 0 \Rightarrow \lambda = \frac{-1 \pm \sqrt{1 - 4(8)(10)}}{16}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda \approx -0.0625 \pm 1.1163i$$

$$\Rightarrow y_h = A_0 e^{-0.0625t} \cos(1.1163t + \phi_0)$$

Use undetermined coefficients,  $y_p = A \cos 2t + B \sin 2t$   
thus  $y_p' = -2A \sin 2t + 2B \cos 2t$  and  $y_p'' = -4y_p$ . Substitute,

$$8y_p'' + y_p' + 10y_p = y_p' - 22y_p = 2 \cos(2t)$$

$$-2A \sin 2t + 2B \cos 2t - 22A \cos 2t - 22B \sin 2t = 2 \cos 2t$$

$$\sin(2t)[-2A - 22B] + \cos(2t)[2B - 22A] = 2 \cos 2t$$

Equating coefficients:  $-2A - 22B = 0$  &  $2B - 22A = 2$  which  
yields  $A = 11B$  hence  $2B - 22(11B) = 2 \Rightarrow B = \frac{1}{120}$

and so  $A = \frac{11}{120}$  we find the general sol<sup>n</sup>:

$$y(t) = A_0 e^{-0.0625t} \cos(1.1163t + \phi_0) + \frac{11}{120} \cos(2t) + \frac{1}{120} \sin(2t)$$

Now, we must select  $A_0$  and  $\phi_0$  that cause  $y(0) = 0$  &  $y'(0) = 0$ .

$$y'(t) = A_0 e^{-0.0625t} [-0.0625 \cos(1.1163t + \phi_0) - 1.1163 \sin(1.1163t + \phi_0)] + 2 \cdot \left[ -\frac{11}{120} \sin(2t) + \frac{2}{120} \cos(2t) \right]$$

(§4.10) extra problem continued

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$$y(0) = A_0 \cos \phi_0 + \frac{11}{120} = 0$$

$$y'(0) = A_0 [-0.0625 \cos(\phi_0) - 1.1163 \sin(\phi_0)] + \frac{2}{120} = 0$$

Need to solve for  $A_0, \phi_0$

$$\frac{2}{120} = A_0 [0.0625 \cos \phi_0 + 1.1163 \sin \phi_0]$$

$$\frac{-11}{120} = A_0 \cos \phi_0$$

Dividing one eq<sup>n</sup> by the other

$$\frac{\frac{2}{120}}{\frac{-11}{120}} = \frac{-2}{11} = \frac{0.0625 \cos \phi_0 + 1.1163 \sin \phi_0}{\cos \phi_0} = 0.0625 + 1.1163 \tan \phi_0$$

$$\tan \phi_0 = \frac{-0.244318}{1.1163} \therefore \phi_0 = 2.92613$$

$$A_0 = \frac{-11/120}{\cos \phi_0} = 0.093865$$

Hence,

$$y(t) = 0.093865 e^{-0.0625t} [-0.0625 \cos(1.1163t + \phi_0) - 1.1163 \sin(1.1163t + \phi_0)] + C$$

$$C = \frac{22}{120} \sin(at) + \frac{2}{120} \cos(at)$$