

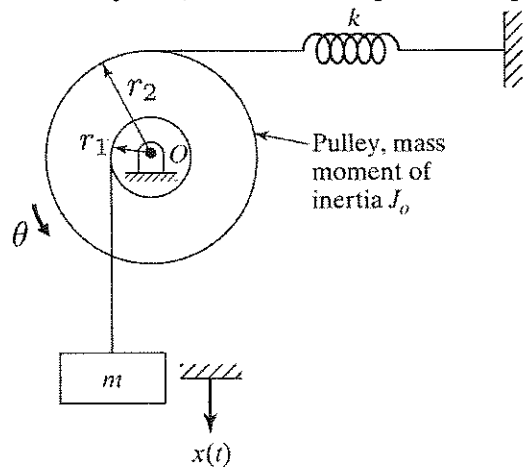
**ME 440**  
**Intermediate Vibrations**

Homework #4 (2 problems)  
due Friday, October 13, 2017

**Problem 1**

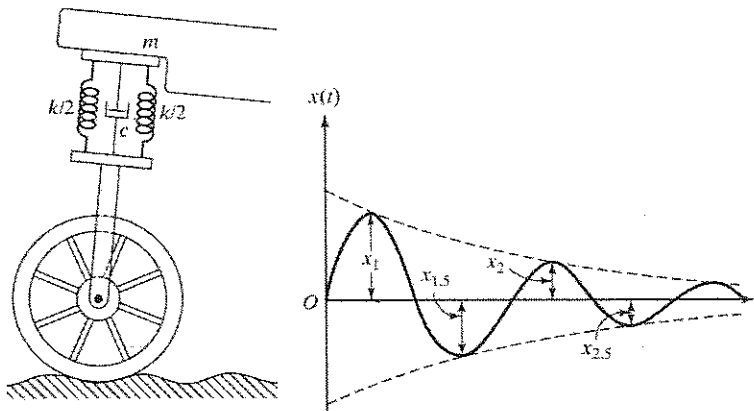
The pulley is in fixed axis rotation about Point  $O$ . Using energy concepts and  $\theta$  as the generalized coordinate, determine

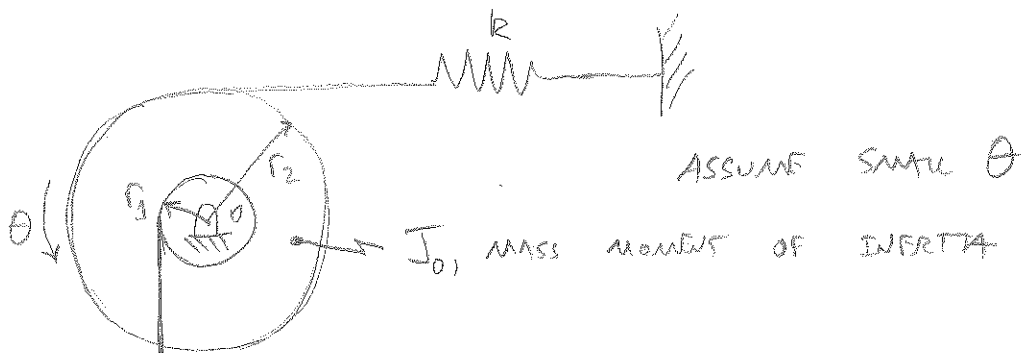
- a) the natural frequency of the system shown below, and
- b) the equation of motion for the system, in terms of the parameters provided.



**Problem 2**

An underdamped shock absorber is to be designed for motorcycle of mass 200 kg. When the shock absorber is subjected to an initial vertical velocity due to a road bump, the resulting displacement-time curve is to be as illustrated below. Determine the necessary stiffness and damping constants of the shock absorber if the damped period of vibration is to be 2 seconds and the amplitude  $x_j$  is to be reduced to  $1/4$  in one half cycle (i.e.,  $x_{1.5} = x_j/4$ ). Also find the minimum initial velocity that leads to a maximum displacement of 250 mm.





ASSUME SMALL  $\theta$

$J_0$ , MASS MOMENT OF INERTIA

USE ENERGY ( $T_{\max} = U_{\max}$ )

$$x(t) = r_1 [\theta(t)] \quad \dot{x} = r_1 \dot{\theta} = v$$

$$T_{\max} = \left[ \frac{1}{2} m v^2 + \frac{1}{2} I \omega^2 \right]_{\max}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} m (r_1 \dot{\theta}_{\max})^2 + \frac{1}{2} J_0 (\dot{\theta}_{\max})^2$$

EQU 1

$$U_{\max} = \left[ \frac{1}{2} k \Delta^2 \right]_{\max}$$

$$\Delta = \theta r_2$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} k (\theta_{\max} r_2)^2$$

EQU 2

ASSUME

$$\theta = \theta_{\max} \sin \omega_n t \quad \text{THEN}$$

$$\dot{\theta} = \theta_{\max} \omega_n \cos \omega_n t \quad \text{AND} \quad \dot{\theta}_{\max} = \theta_{\max} \omega_n$$

EQU 3

EQUATE

$$\frac{1}{2} m r_1^2 \dot{\theta}_{\max}^2 + \frac{1}{2} J_0 \dot{\theta}_{\max}^2 = \frac{1}{2} k r_2^2 \theta_{\max}^2$$

PLUG IN 3

$$\frac{1}{2} m r_1^2 (\theta_{\max} \omega_n)^2 + \frac{1}{2} J_0 (\theta_{\max} \omega_n)^2 = \frac{1}{2} k r_2^2 \theta_{\max}^2$$

SOLVE FOR  $\omega_n$

$$\omega_n = \sqrt{\frac{k r_2^2}{J_0 + m r_1^2}}$$

PART b

$$\frac{d}{dt}(T+U) = 0$$

$$T+U = \frac{1}{2} m r_1^2 \dot{\theta}^2 + \frac{1}{2} J_0 \dot{\theta}^2 + \frac{1}{2} k r_2^2 \theta^2$$

$$\frac{d}{dt}(T+U) = 2\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) m r_1^2 \dot{\theta} \left[ \frac{d\dot{\theta}}{dt} \right] + 2\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) J_0 \dot{\theta} \left[ \frac{d\dot{\theta}}{dt} \right] + 2\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) k r_2^2 \theta \left[ \frac{d\theta}{dt} \right] = 0$$

$\dot{\theta}$                        $\dot{\theta}$                        $\dot{\theta}$

[2, 1/2,  $\dot{\theta}$  ALL CANCEL]

$$m r_1^2 \ddot{\theta} + J_0 \ddot{\theta} + k r_2^2 \theta = 0$$

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$$\ddot{\theta} [m r_1^2 + J_0] + \theta [k r_2^2] = 0$$

UNDERDAMPED

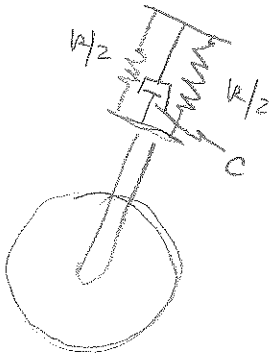
$$m = 200 \text{ kg}$$

- WANT  $\tau_d = 2 \text{ s}$  AND AMPLITUDE TO BE REDUCED

TO  $1/4$  IN ONE HALF CYCLE ( $x_{1.5} = \frac{x_1}{4}$ )

- FIND  $k$  AND  $c$ . AND  $v_0 = \dot{x}_0$  SO MAX

DISPLACEMENT IS 250 mm



WE WANT  $x_{1.5} = \frac{x_1}{4}$  AND  $\tau_d = 2 \text{ sec}$

IF  $x_{1.5} = \frac{x_1}{4}$  THEN  $x_2 = x_{1.5}/4 = x_1/16$

CONSEQUENTLY

$$\ln\left(\frac{x_1}{x_2}\right) = \zeta \omega_n \tau_d = \frac{2\pi \zeta}{\sqrt{1-\zeta^2}}$$

$$\ln(16) = \frac{2\pi \zeta}{\sqrt{1-\zeta^2}} = 2.7726$$

$$\zeta^2 \pi^2 = 1.922(1-\zeta^2)$$

$$\zeta^2 = 0.16298$$

$$\zeta = 0.4037 \quad \text{OR}$$

$$\zeta = \sqrt{\frac{\{\ln(x_1/x_2)\}^2}{\{4\pi^2 + \ln^2(x_1/x_2)\}}}$$

- NOW FIND  $\omega_n$

$$\omega_n = \frac{2\pi}{\tau_d \sqrt{1-\zeta^2}} = \frac{2\pi}{2 \sqrt{1-0.4037^2}} = 3.434 \frac{\text{RAD}}{\text{SEC}}$$

$$\omega_n = \sqrt{\frac{k}{m}} \Rightarrow k = \omega_n^2 m = (3.434 \frac{\text{RAD}}{\text{SEC}})^2 200 \text{ kg} = 2358 \frac{\text{kg}}{\text{SEC}^2}$$

$$k = 2358 \frac{\text{N}}{\text{m}}$$

$$C = 2 \xi \omega_n m = 2(0.4037)(3.434 \frac{\text{RAD}}{\text{SEC}})(200 \text{ kg}) \quad \text{OR } C = 2 \xi \sqrt{km}$$

$$C = 554.5 \frac{\text{kg}}{\text{SEC}} \Rightarrow \boxed{C = 554.5 \frac{\text{N}\cdot\text{s}}{\text{m}}}$$

UNDERDAMPED FREE VIBRATION RESPONSE (SLOPE 126)

$$x(t) = e^{-\xi \omega_n t} \left[ B_1 \cos(\omega_d t) + B_2 \sin(\omega_d t) \right]$$

$$B_1 = x_0 \quad B_2 = \frac{\dot{x}_0 + \xi \omega_n x_0}{\omega_d}$$

$$x_0 = x(0) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow B_1 = 0$$

$$\dot{x}_0 = \dot{x}(0) = v_0$$

$$B_2 = \frac{\dot{x}_0}{\omega_d} = \frac{v_0}{\omega_d}$$

$$x(t) = \frac{\dot{x}_0}{\omega_d} e^{-\xi \omega_n t} \sin \omega_d t$$

TO FIND WHEN  $x(t)$  IS A MAX, TAKE DERIVATIVE, THEN = 0.

$$\frac{dx(t)}{dt} = \frac{\dot{x}_0}{\omega_d} e^{-\xi \omega_n t} \left[ -\xi \omega_n \sin \omega_d t + \omega_d \cos \omega_d t \right] = 0$$

$$\text{OR } -\xi \omega_n \sin \omega_d t + \omega_d \cos \omega_d t = 0$$

$$\tan \omega_d t = \frac{\omega_d}{\xi \omega_n} = \frac{\omega_n \sqrt{1-\xi^2}}{\xi \omega_n} \quad *$$

$$\tan \omega_d t = \frac{\sqrt{1-\xi^2}}{\xi} \Rightarrow \tan 3.434 \sqrt{1-0.4037^2} t = \frac{\sqrt{1-0.4037^2}}{0.4037}$$

$$\left[ \text{NOTE } \omega_d = \omega_n \sqrt{1-\xi^2} \right]$$

$t = 0.3677 \text{ SEC}$ , PLUG BACK INTO  $x(t)$

$$0.25 \text{ m} = \frac{\dot{x}_0 e^{-0.4037(3.434)(0.3677)}}{(3.434) \sqrt{1-0.4037^2}} \sin 3.434 \sqrt{1-0.4037^2} 0.3677$$

$$\dot{x}_0 = 1.429 \text{ m/s} = 1429 \text{ mm/SEC}$$