

# Exercise 17.3

## Chapter 17 Second Order Differential Equations 17.3 1E

By Hooke's Law  $k(0.25) = 25$  so  $k = 100$  is the spring constant and the differential equation is  $5x'' + 100x = 0$ . The auxiliary equation is  $5r^2 + 100 = 0$  with roots  $r = \pm 2\sqrt{5}i$ , so the general solution to the differential equation is  $x(t) = c_1 \cos(2\sqrt{5}t) + c_2 \sin(2\sqrt{5}t)$ . We are given that  $x(0) = 0.35 \rightarrow c_1 = 0.35$  and  $x'(0) = 0 \rightarrow 2\sqrt{5}c_2 = 0 \rightarrow c_2 = 0$ , so the position of the mass after  $t$  seconds is  $x(t) = 0.35 \cos(2\sqrt{5}t)$ .

## Chapter 17 Second Order Differential Equations 17.3 2E

By Hooke's Law  $k(0.4) = 32$  so  $k = 32/0.4 = 80$  is the spring constant and the differential equation is  $8x'' + 80x = 0$ . The general solution is  $x(t) = c_1 \cos(\sqrt{10}t) + c_2 \sin(\sqrt{10}t)$ . But

$0 = x(0) = c_1$  and  $1 = x'(0) = \sqrt{10}c_2 \rightarrow c_2 = 1/\sqrt{10}$ , so the position of the mass after  $t$  seconds is  $x(t) = 1/\sqrt{10} \sin(\sqrt{10}t)$ .

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A spring with mass of 2kg is stretched by 0.5m beyond its natural length by a force of 6N

Then the spring constant is

$$k = \frac{6}{0.5} = 12$$

Now the spring has damping constant  $r = 14$

Let  $x(t)$  be the position of mass at any time  $t$

Then the equation of motion is

$$m \frac{d^2x}{dt^2} + 2 \frac{dx}{dt} + kx = 0$$

i.e.  $2 \frac{d^2x}{dt^2} + 14 \frac{dx}{dt} + 12x = 0$  ----- (1)

This is a homogeneous differential equation with characteristic equation

$$2r^2 + 14r + 12 = 0$$

Or  $r^2 + 7r + 6 = 0$

Or  $(r+1)(r+6) = 0$

i.e.  $r = -1, r = -6$  are the roots.

Then the solution of equation (1) is

$$x(t) = c_1 e^{-t} + c_2 e^{-6t}$$

Where  $c_1$  and  $c_2$  are arbitrary constants

By initial conditions

$$x(0) = 1$$

And  $x'(0) = 0$

Now  $x'(t) = -c_1 e^{-t} - 6c_2 e^{-6t}$

Then  $x'(0) = 0$  implies  $c_1 + 6c_2 = 0$

And  $x(0) = 1$  implies  $c_1 + c_2 = 1$

On solving we find  $c_1 = \frac{6}{5}, c_2 = \frac{-1}{5}$

Hence the position of mass at any time  $t$  is

$$x(t) = \frac{6}{5}e^{-t} - \frac{1}{5}e^{-6t}$$

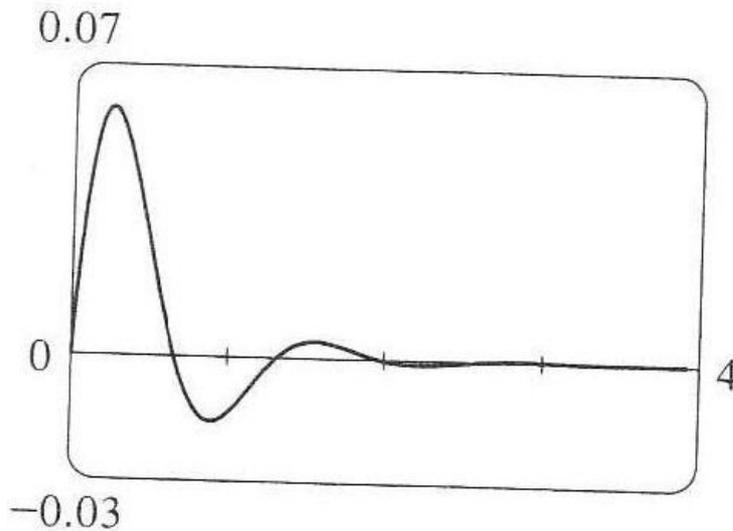
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(a)

$k(0.25) = 13 \rightarrow k = 52$ , so the differential equation is  $2x'' + 8x' + 52x = 0$  with general solution  $x(t) = e^{-2t}[c_1 \cos(\sqrt{22} t) + c_2 \sin(\sqrt{22} t)]$ .

Then  $0 = x(0) = c_1$  and  $0.5 = x'(0) = \sqrt{22} c_2 \rightarrow c_2 = 1/(2\sqrt{22})$ , so the position is given by  $x(t) = [1/(2\sqrt{22})]e^{-2t} \sin(\sqrt{22} t)$ .

(b)



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Let  $m$  be the mass that would produce critical damping.

Here the damping constant  $c = 14$

And spring constant  $k = \frac{6}{0.5} = 12$

For the critical damping  $c^2 - 4mk = 0$

i.e.  $(14)^2 - 4m(12) = 0$

i.e.  $196 - 48m = 0$

i.e.  $m = \frac{196}{48}$

i.e.  $m = \frac{49}{12} \text{ kg}$

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$m = 3 \text{ kg}, k = 123$

We need to find damping constant that would produce critical damping

Let the damping constant be  $c$

We know that for the critical damping

$c^2 - 4mk = 0$

i.e.  $c^2 - 4(3)(123) = 0$

i.e.  $c^2 = 1467$

i.e.  $c = 38.41$

Hence damping constant of 38.41 will produce critical damping

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Here  $m = 1$ ,  $k = 100$  and damping constant =  $c$

Then the equation of motion is

$$m \frac{d^2x}{dt^2} + c \frac{dx}{dt} + kx = 0$$

i.e.  $\frac{d^2x}{dt^2} + c \frac{dx}{dt} + 100x = 0$  ----- (1)

Where  $x(t)$  is the position of mass at any time  $t$

This is a homogeneous differential equation

Its characteristic equation is

$$r^2 + cr + 100 = 0$$

$$\therefore r = \frac{-c \pm \sqrt{c^2 - 400}}{2}$$

(1)

When  $c = 10$

Then  $r = -5 \pm 5\sqrt{3}i$

And then the solution of equation (1) is

$$x(t) = e^{-5t} (c_1 \cos 5\sqrt{3}t + c_2 \sin 5\sqrt{3}t)$$

Using initial conditions,  $x(0) = -0.1$ ,  $x'(0) = 0$

We have  $c_1 = -0.1$  and  $c_2 = \frac{-0.1}{\sqrt{3}}$

Then  $x(t) = e^{-5t} \left( -0.1 \cos 5\sqrt{3}t - \frac{0.1}{\sqrt{3}} \sin 5\sqrt{3}t \right)$

Damping: - under damping

(2)

When  $c = 15$

Then  $r = \frac{-15}{2} \pm \frac{5}{2}\sqrt{7}i$

Then the solution of equation (1) is

$$x(t) = e^{-\frac{15}{2}t} \left( c_1 \cos \frac{5\sqrt{7}t}{2} + c_2 \sin \frac{5\sqrt{7}t}{2} \right)$$

Using initial conditions  $x(0) = -0.1$ ,  $x'(0) = 0$

We have  $c_1 = -0.1$  and  $c_2 = -\frac{0.2}{\sqrt{7}}$

Then  $x(t) = e^{-\frac{15}{2}t} \left( -0.1 \cos \frac{5\sqrt{7}t}{2} - \frac{0.2}{\sqrt{7}} \sin \frac{5\sqrt{7}t}{2} \right)$

Damping: - under damping

(3)

When  $c = 20$

Then  $r = -10, -10$

And then the solution of equation (1) is

$$x(t) = c_1 e^{-10t} + c_2 t e^{-10t}$$

Using initial conditions  $x(0) = -0.1$ ,  $x'(0) = 0$

We have  $c_1 = -0.1$ ,  $c_2 = -1$

Then  $x(t) = -0.1e^{-10t} - te^{-10t}$

Damping: -\_critical

(4)

When  $c = 25$

Then  $r = -20, -5$

And then the solution of equation (1) is

$$x(t) = c_1 e^{-20t} + c_2 e^{-5t}$$

Using initial conditions  $x(0) = -0.1, x'(0) = 0$

We have  $c_1 = 0.03, c_2 = 0.133$

Then  $x(t) = 0.03e^{-12.5t} - 0.133e^{-2.5t}$

Damping: - over damping

(5)

When  $c = 30$

$$\text{Then } r = \frac{-30 \pm 10\sqrt{5}}{2}$$

$$= -15 \pm 5\sqrt{5}$$

i.e.  $r = -26.18, -3.81$

Then the solution of equation (1) is

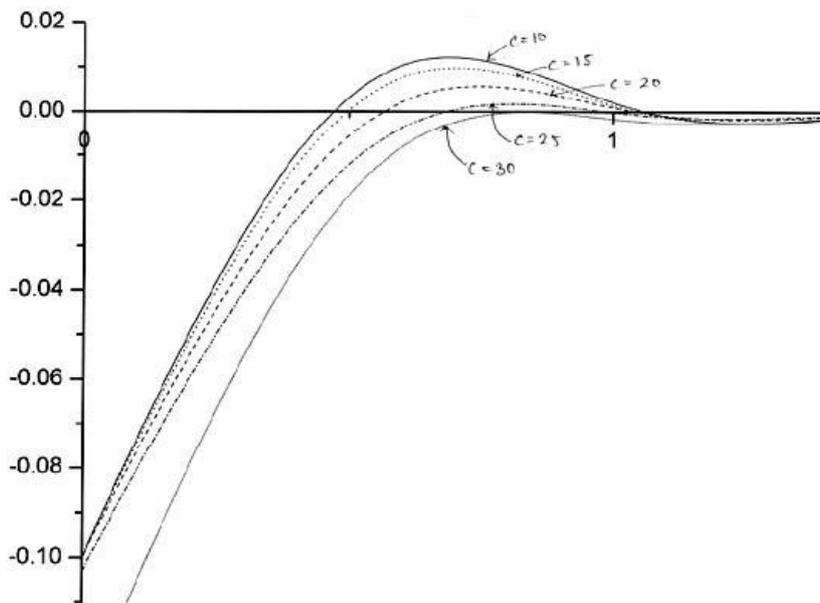
$$x(t) = c_1 e^{-26.18t} + c_2 e^{-3.81t}$$

Using initial conditions  $x(0) = -0.1, x'(0) = 0$

We have  $c_1 = 0.017$  and  $c_2 = -0.117$

Then  $x(t) = 0.017e^{-26.18t} - 0.117e^{-3.81t}$

Damping: -\_over damping



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Here  $m = 1\text{kg}$ , spring constant =  $k$

Damping constant = 10

Then the equation of motion is

$$m \frac{d^2x}{dt^2} + c \frac{dx}{dt} + kx = 0$$

i.e.  $\frac{d^2x}{dt^2} + 10 \frac{dx}{dt} + kx = 0$  ----- (1)

This is a homogeneous differential equation

Its characteristic equation is

$$r^2 + 10r + k = 0$$

Then  $r = \frac{-10 \pm \sqrt{100 - 4k}}{2}$

(1)

When  $k = 10$

Then  $c^2 - 4mk > 0$  and thus there is over damping

And  $r = \frac{-10 \pm 2\sqrt{15}}{2}$

$$= -5 \pm \sqrt{15}$$

That is  $r = -8.87, -1.12$

Then the solution of equation (1) is

$$x(t) = c_1 e^{-8.87t} + c_2 e^{-1.12t}$$

By given initial conditions  $x(0) = 0$ ,  $x'(0) = 1 \frac{m}{s}$

We have  $c_1 = -0.13$ ,  $c_2 = +0.13$

Thus  $x(t) = 0.13e^{-8.87t} + 0.13e^{-1.12t}$

(2)

When  $k = 20$

Then  $c^2 - 4mk > 0$  and thus there is over damping

$$\text{And } r = \frac{-10 \pm 2\sqrt{5}}{2}$$

$$= -5 \pm \sqrt{5}$$

$$\text{i.e. } r = -7.23, -2.76$$

Then the solution of equation (1) is

$$x(t) = c_1 e^{-7.23t} + c_2 e^{-2.76t}$$

By using initial conditions  $x(0) = 0$ ,  $x'(0) = 1$

We have  $c_1 = -0.22$ ,  $c_2 = 0.22$

Thus  $x(t) = -0.22e^{-7.23t} + 0.22e^{-2.76t}$

(3)

When  $k = 25$

Then  $c^2 - 4mk = 0$  and thus there is critical damping

$$\text{And } r = -5, -5$$

And then the solution of equation (1) is

$$x(t) = c_1 e^{-5t} + c_2 t e^{-5t}$$

On using initial conditions  $x(0) = 0$ ,  $x'(0) = 1$

We have  $c_1 = 0$ ,  $c_2 = 1$

Thus  $x(t) = t e^{-5t}$

(4)

When  $k = 30$

Then  $c^2 - 4mk < 0$  and thus there is under damping

$$\text{And } r = \frac{-10 \pm 2\sqrt{5}i}{2}$$

$$= -5 \pm \sqrt{5}i$$

Then the solution of equation (1) is

$$x(t) = e^{-5t} (c_1 \cos \sqrt{5}t + c_2 \sin \sqrt{5}t)$$

On using initial conditions  $x(0) = 0$ ,  $x'(0) = 1$

We have  $c_1 = 0$  and  $c_2 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}$

Then  $x(t) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} e^{-5t} \sin \sqrt{5}t$

(5)

When  $k = 40$

Then  $c^2 - 4mk < 0$  and thus there is under damping

$$\text{And } r = -5 \pm \sqrt{15}i$$

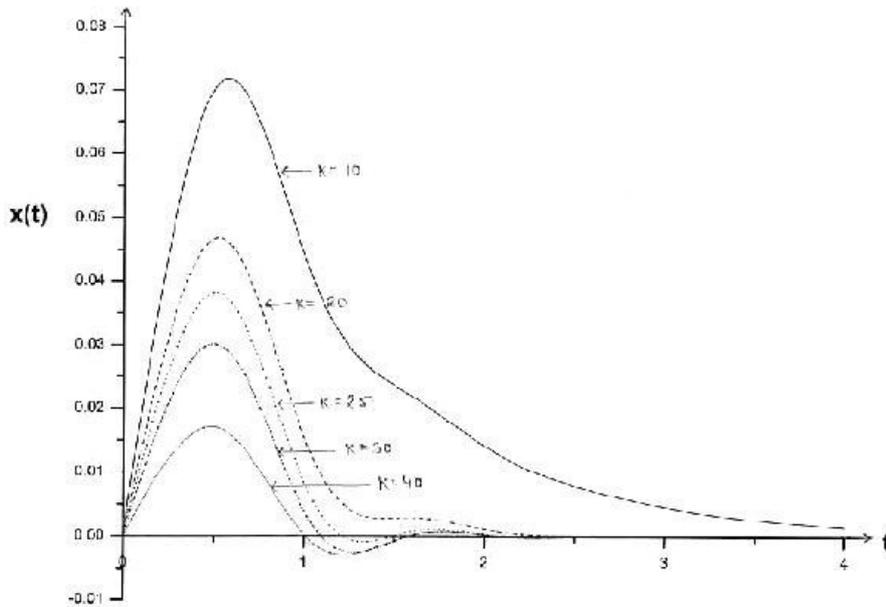
Then the solution of equation (1) is

$$x(t) = e^{-5t} (c_1 \cos \sqrt{15}t + c_2 \sin \sqrt{15}t)$$

On using initial conditions  $x(0) = 0$ ,  $x'(0) = 1$

We have  $c_1 = 0$  and  $c_2 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{15}}$

Thus  $x(t) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{15}} e^{-5t} \sin \sqrt{15}t$



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When there is no damping that is  $c = 0$  and the external force  $F(t) = F_0 \cos \omega_0 t$  acts on a spring with mass  $m$  and spring constant  $k$ , then the equation of motion is given as;

$$m \frac{d^2 x}{dt^2} + kx = F_0 \cos \omega_0 t \quad \text{----- (1)}$$

This is a non-homogeneous differential equation

Its corresponding homogeneous equation is

$$m \frac{d^2 x}{dt^2} + kx = 0$$

It has characteristic equation  $mr^2 + k = 0$

$$\therefore r = \pm \sqrt{\frac{k}{m}} i$$

Let  $\sqrt{\frac{k}{m}} = \omega$  then  $r = \pm \omega i$

And thus the homogeneous solution is

$$x_h(t) = c_1 \cos \omega t + c_2 \sin \omega t$$

For the particular solution, using method of undetermined coefficients let the particular solution is  $x_p = A \cos \omega_0 t + B \sin \omega_0 t$

(Since  $\omega \neq \omega_0$  given)

$$\text{Then } \frac{dx_p}{dt} = -A\omega_0 \sin \omega_0 t + B\omega_0 \cos \omega_0 t$$

$$\text{And } \frac{d^2 x_p}{dt^2} = -A\omega_0^2 \cos \omega_0 t - B\omega_0^2 \sin \omega_0 t$$

Substituting for  $x_p$  and  $\frac{d^2 x_p}{dt^2}$  in equation (1)

$$-mA\omega_0^2 \cos \omega_0 t - mB\omega_0^2 \sin \omega_0 t + kA \cos \omega_0 t + kB \sin \omega_0 t = F_0 \cos \omega_0 t$$

$$\text{i.e. } (-mA\omega_0^2 + kA) \cos \omega_0 t + (-mB\omega_0^2 + kB) \sin \omega_0 t - F_0 \cos \omega_0 t$$

Equating coefficients on both sides

$$A(k - m\omega_0^2) = F_0, \text{ and } B(k - m\omega_0^2) = 0$$

That is  $B = 0$  and  $A = \frac{F_0}{(k - m\omega_0^2)}$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Or } A &= \frac{F_0}{m \left( \frac{k}{m} - \omega_0^2 \right)} \\ &= \frac{F_0}{m(\omega^2 - \omega_0^2)} \end{aligned}$$

Thus the particular solution is

$$x_p(t) = \frac{F_0}{m(\omega^2 - \omega_0^2)} \cos \omega_0 t$$

And hence the required solution of equation (1) is

$$x(t) = x_h(t) + x_p(t)$$

i.e. 
$$x(t) = c_1 \cos \omega t + c_2 \sin \omega t + \frac{F_0 \cos \omega_0 t}{km(\omega^2 - \omega_0^2)}$$

### Chapter 17 Second Order Differential Equations 17.3 10E

When there is no damping i.e.  $c = 0$  and the external force  $F(t) = F_0 \cos \omega t$  acts on a spring with mass  $m$  and spring constant  $k$ , then the equation of motion is given by

$$m \frac{d^2 x}{dt^2} + kx = F_0 \cos \omega t \quad \text{----- (1)}$$

This is a non-homogeneous differential equation

Its corresponding homogeneous equation is

$$m \frac{d^2 x}{dt^2} + kx = 0$$

The characteristic equation is

$$mr^2 + k = 0$$

$$\therefore r = \pm \sqrt{\frac{k}{m}}$$

Now  $\sqrt{\frac{k}{m}} = \omega$  then  $r = \pm \omega i$

And thus the homogeneous solution is

$$x_h(t) = c_1 \cos \omega t + c_2 \sin \omega t$$

For the particular solution, using method of undetermined coefficients let the particular solution be

$$x_p = (At^2 + Bt) \cos \omega t + (Ct^2 + Dt) \sin \omega t$$

Then 
$$x_p' = [C\omega t^2 + (2A + D\omega)t + B] \cos \omega t$$

$$+ [-A\omega t^2 + (2C - B\omega)t + D] \sin \omega t$$

And 
$$x_p'' = [-A\omega^2 t^2 + (4C\omega - B\omega^2)t + 2(4 + D\omega)] \cos \omega t$$

$$+ [-C\omega^2 t^2 - (4A\omega + D\omega^2)t - 2(C + B\omega)] \sin \omega t$$

Substituting for  $x_p''$  and  $x_p$  in equation (1)

$$[-A\omega^2 t^2 + 4C\omega t - B\omega^2 t + 2Am + 2Dm\omega + Ak t^2 + Bkt] \cos \omega t$$

$$+ [mC\omega^2 t^2 - 4Am\omega t - mD\omega^2 t - 2Cm - 2Bm\omega + kCt^2 + kDt] \sin \omega t$$

$$= F_0 \cos \omega t$$

Equating coefficients on both sides

$$-A(m\omega^2 - k)t^2 + (4Cm\omega - Bm\omega^2 + Bk)t + 2Am + 2Dm\omega - F_0$$

And 
$$-C(m\omega^2 - k)t^2 - (4Am\omega - D\omega^2 m - D\omega^2 m + Dk)t - 2Cm - 2Bm\omega = 0$$

i.e. 
$$-A(m\omega^2 - k) = 0, \quad 4Cm\omega - Bm\omega^2 + Bk = 0$$

$$2Am + 2Dm\omega = F_0$$

And 
$$-C(m\omega^2 - k) = 0, \quad -(4Am\omega - D\omega^2 m + Dk) = 0$$

$$-2Cm - 2Bm\omega = 0$$

i.e. 
$$A = 0, \quad B = 0, \quad C = 0, \quad D = \frac{F_0}{2m\omega}$$

Then the particular solution is

$$x_p(t) = \frac{F_0}{2m\omega} t \sin \omega t$$

And hence the required solution of equation (1) is

$$x(t) = x_p(t) + x_h(t)$$

i.e. 
$$x(t) = c_1 \cos \omega t + c_2 \sin \omega t + \frac{F_0 t}{2m\omega} \sin \omega t$$

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Motion described by equation specified is:

$$x(t) = c_1 \cos \omega t + c_2 \sin \omega t + \frac{f_0}{m(\omega^2 - \omega_0^2)} \cos \omega_0 t$$

Given  $\frac{\omega}{\omega_0}$  is a rational number. So it will be of the form  $\frac{p}{q}$ , where p,q both are integers and  $q \neq 0$ .

Let

$$\frac{\omega}{\omega_0} = \frac{p}{q} \quad \Rightarrow \quad \omega = \frac{p}{q} \omega_0$$

Now

$$\begin{aligned} x\left(t + p \cdot \frac{2\pi}{\omega}\right) &= c_1 \cos \omega \left(t + p \cdot \frac{2\pi}{\omega}\right) + c_2 \sin \omega \left(t + p \cdot \frac{2\pi}{\omega}\right) + \\ &\quad \frac{f_0}{m(\omega^2 - \omega_0^2)} \cos \omega_0 \left(t + p \cdot \frac{2\pi}{\omega}\right) \\ &= c_1 \cos(\omega t + 2\pi p) + c_2 \sin(\omega t + 2\pi p) + \\ &\quad \frac{f_0}{m(\omega^2 - \omega_0^2)} \cos\left(\omega_0 t + p \omega_0 \frac{2\pi}{\omega}\right) \\ &= c_1 \cos \omega t + c_2 \sin \omega t + \frac{f_0}{m(\omega^2 - \omega_0^2)} \cos\left(\omega_0 t + \frac{\omega}{\omega_0} p \omega_0 \frac{2\pi}{\omega}\right) \\ &= c_1 \cos \omega t + c_2 \sin \omega t + \frac{f_0}{m(\omega^2 - \omega_0^2)} \cos(\omega_0 t + 2\pi p) \\ &= c_1 \cos \omega t + c_2 \sin \omega t + \frac{f_0}{m(\omega^2 - \omega_0^2)} \cos \omega_0 t \\ &= x(t) \end{aligned}$$

$\Rightarrow$  Motion described by equation specified is periodic with period  $\frac{2\pi p}{\omega}$ .

### Chapter 17 Second Order Differential Equations 17.3 12E

(A) Equation of motion of spring is given by,

$$x = c_1 e^{r_1 t} + c_2 t e^{r_1 t}$$

The graph of x will cross the t-axis where  $x = 0$

Therefore, we have,

$$0 = c_1 e^{r_1 t} + c_2 t e^{r_1 t}$$

$$\Rightarrow e^{r_1 t} (c_1 + c_2 t) = 0$$

Since  $e^{r_1 t}$  is always positive, therefore

$$c_1 + c_2 t = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow c_1 = -c_2 t$$

Since t is always positive therefore  $c_1$  and  $c_2$  will have opposite signs.

(B) Equation of motion of spring is given as,

$$x = c_1 e^{r_1 t} + c_2 e^{r_2 t} \quad \text{where } r_1 > r_2$$

The graph of x crosses the t-axis where  $x = 0$

Therefore, we have,

$$0 = c_1 e^{r_1 t} + c_2 e^{r_2 t}$$

$$\Rightarrow c_2 e^{r_2 t} = -c_1 e^{r_1 t}$$

$$\Rightarrow c_2 = -c_1 \frac{e^{r_1 t}}{e^{r_2 t}}$$

$$\Rightarrow c_2 = -c_1 e^{(r_1 - r_2)t}$$

Since  $r_1 > r_2 \Rightarrow r_1 - r_2 > 0$

Also  $t > 0$

Therefore  $e^{(r_1 - r_2)t} > 1$

Now

$$c_2 = -c_1 e^{(r_1 - r_2)t}$$

$$\Rightarrow |c_2| = |c_1| e^{(r_1 - r_2)t}$$

$$\Rightarrow |c_2| > |c_1| \text{ as } e^{(r_1 - r_2)t} > 1$$

Hence

The condition on the relative magnitudes of  $c_1$  and  $c_2$  under which the graph of  $x$  crosses the  $t$ -axis at a positive value of  $t$  is  $|c_2| > |c_1|$

### Chapter 17 Second Order Differential Equations 17.3 13E

We know by Kirchoff's law

$$L \frac{d^2 Q}{dt^2} + R \frac{dQ}{dt} + \frac{1}{C} Q = E(t) \quad \text{----- (1)}$$

Here  $R = 20\Omega$ ,  $L = 1H$ ,  $C = 0.002F$  and  $E(t) = 12V$

Then equation (1) becomes

$$\frac{d^2 Q}{dt^2} + 20 \frac{dQ}{dt} + 500Q = 12 \quad \text{----- (2)}$$

This is a non-homogeneous differential equation

Its corresponding homogeneous equation is

$$\frac{d^2 Q}{dt^2} + 20 \frac{dQ}{dt} + 500Q = 0$$

The characteristic equation is

$$r^2 + 20r + 500 = 0$$

$$\text{i.e. } r = \frac{-20 \pm 40i}{2} \\ = -10 \pm 20i$$

Then the homogeneous solution is

$$Q_h = e^{-10t} (c_1 \cos 20t + c_2 \sin 20t)$$

For the particular solution, let  $Q_p = At + B$  be the particular solution by the method of undetermined coefficients.

$$\text{Then } \frac{dQ_p}{dt} = A \text{ and } \frac{d^2 Q_p}{dt^2} = 0$$

Substituting  $\frac{dQ_p}{dt}$  and  $\frac{d^2 Q_p}{dt^2}$  in equation (2)

$$20A + 500At + 500B = 12$$

$$\text{i.e. } 500A = 0 \text{ and } 20A + 500B = 12$$

$$\text{i.e. } A = 0 \text{ and } B = \frac{12}{500} = \frac{3}{125}$$

$$\text{Then } Q_p = \frac{3}{125}$$

And therefore the solution of equation (2) is

$$Q = Q_h + Q_p$$

$$\text{i.e. } Q(t) = e^{-10t} (c_1 \cos 20t + c_2 \sin 20t) + 3/125$$

By given initial conditions  $Q(0) = 0$  and  $Q'(0) = 0$

$$\text{We have } c_1 = \frac{-3}{125} \text{ and } c_2 = \frac{-3}{250}$$

Hence the required solution is

$$Q(t) = \frac{-e^{-10t}}{250} (6 \cos 20t + 3 \sin 20t) + \frac{3}{125}$$

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We know by Kirchoff's law:

$$L \frac{d^2Q}{dt^2} + R \frac{dQ}{dt} + \frac{1}{C} Q = E(t)$$

Here  $L = 2 H, r = 24 \Omega, C = 0.005 F, E = 12$

Then  $2 \frac{d^2Q}{dt^2} + 24 \frac{dQ}{dt} + 200Q = 12$

Or  $\frac{d^2Q}{dt^2} + 12 \frac{dQ}{dt} + 100Q = 6$  ----- (1)

This is a non - homogeneous differential equation

Its corresponding homogeneous differential equation is

$$\frac{d^2Q}{dt^2} + 12 \frac{dQ}{dt} + 100Q = 0$$

The characteristic equation is

$$r^2 + 12r + 100 = 0$$

i.e.  $r = \frac{-12 \pm 16i}{2}$   
 $= -6 \pm 8i$

Then the homogeneous solution is

$$Q_h(t) = e^{-6t} (c_1 \cos 8t + c_2 \sin 8t)$$

For the particular solution, let  $Q = At + B$  be the particular solution

Then  $\frac{dQ}{dt} = A$  and  $\frac{d^2Q}{dt^2} = 0$

Substituting for  $Q, \frac{dQ}{dt}$  and  $\frac{d^2Q}{dt^2}$  in equation (1)

$$12A + 100At + 100B = 6$$

i.e.  $A = 0, B = \frac{6}{100}$   
 $= \frac{3}{50}$

Then the particular solution is  $Q_p = \frac{3}{50}$

And therefore the solution of equation (1) is

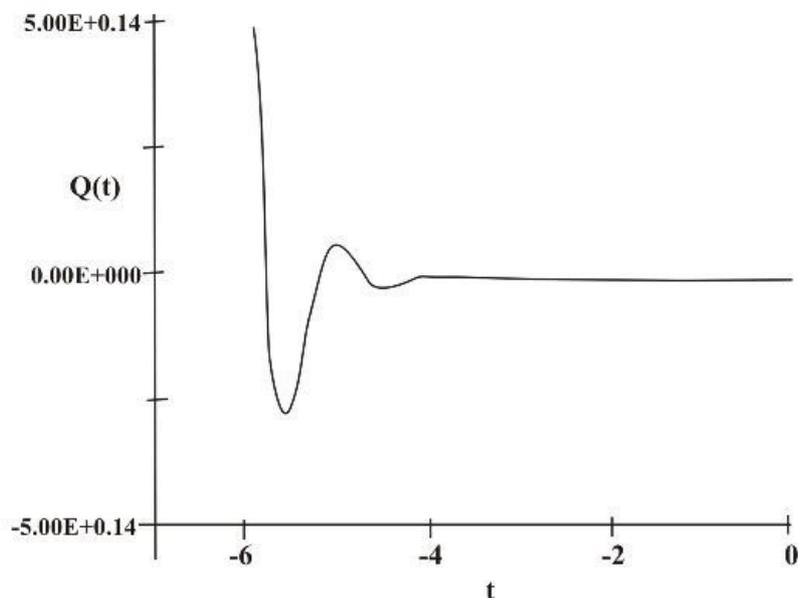
$$Q(t) = e^{-6t} (c_1 \cos 8t + c_2 \sin 8t) + \frac{3}{50}$$

By the given initial conditions  $Q(0) = 0.001c$

And  $Q'(0) = 0$ , we have  $c_1 = \frac{-59}{1000}, c_2 = \frac{-177}{4000}$

Then the particular solution of equation (1) is

$$Q(t) = \frac{-59}{4000} e^{-6t} (4 \cos 8t + 3 \sin 8t) + \frac{3}{50}$$



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We know by Kirchoff's law

$$L \frac{d^2 Q}{dt^2} + R \frac{dQ}{dt} + \frac{1}{C} Q = E(t)$$

Here  $R = 20 \Omega$ ,  $L = 1 H$ ,  $C = 0.002 F$ ,  $E(t) = 12 \sin 10t$

Then we have  $\frac{d^2 Q}{dt^2} + 20 \frac{dQ}{dt} + 500 Q = 12 \sin 10t$  ----- (1)

This is a non-homogeneous differential equation

Its corresponding homogeneous equation is

$$\frac{d^2 Q}{dt^2} + 20 \frac{dQ}{dt} + 500 Q = 0$$

The characteristic equation is

$$r^2 + 20r + 500 = 0$$

i.e.  $r = -10 \pm 20i$

Then the homogeneous solution is

$$Q_h(t) = e^{-10t} (c_1 \cos 20t + c_2 \sin 20t)$$

For the particular solution by the method of undetermined coefficients

Let  $Q = A \cos 10t + B \sin 10t$  be the particular solution

Then  $\frac{dQ}{dt} = -10A \sin 10t + 10B \cos 10t$

And  $\frac{d^2 Q}{dt^2} = -100A \cos 10t - 100B \sin 10t$

Substituting in equation (1)

$$-100A \cos 10t - 100B \sin 10t - 200A \sin 10t + 200B \cos 10t + 500A \cos 10t + 500B \sin 10t = 12 \sin 10t$$

Equating coefficients on both sides

$$(-100A + 200B + 500A) = 0$$

And  $(-100B - 200A + 500B) = 12$

i.e.  $A = \frac{-3}{250}$ ,  $B = \frac{6}{250}$   
 $= \frac{3}{125}$

Then the particular solution is

$$Q_p(t) = -\frac{3}{250} \cos 10t + \frac{3}{125} \sin 10t$$

And the solution of equation (1) is  $Q(t) = Q_h(t) + Q_p(t)$

i.e.  $Q(t) = e^{-10t} (c_1 \cos 20t + c_2 \sin 20t) - \frac{3}{250} \cos 10t + \frac{3}{125} \sin 10t$

By given initial conditions  $Q(0) = 0$ ,  $Q'(0) = 0$

We have  $c_1 = \frac{3}{250}$ ,  $c_2 = \frac{-3}{500}$

Hence the required solution is

$$Q(t) = e^{-10t} \left( \frac{3}{250} \cos 20t - \frac{3}{500} \sin 20t \right) - \frac{3}{250} \cos 10t + \frac{3}{125} \sin 10t$$

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We know by Kirchoff's law,

$$L \frac{d^2Q}{dt^2} + R \frac{dQ}{dt} + \frac{1}{C} Q = E(t)$$

Here  $L = 2H$ ,  $R = 24\Omega$ ,  $C = 0.005F$ ,  $E = 12 \sin 10t$

Then we have  $2 \frac{d^2Q}{dt^2} + 24 \frac{dQ}{dt} + 200Q = 12 \sin 10t$

Or  $\frac{d^2Q}{dt^2} + 12 \frac{dQ}{dt} + 100Q = 6 \sin 10t$  ----- (1)

This is a non-homogeneous differential equation

Its corresponding homogeneous differential equation is

$$\frac{d^2Q}{dt^2} + 12 \frac{dQ}{dt} + 100Q = 0$$

The characteristic equation is

$$r^2 + 12r + 100 = 0$$

i.e.  $r = -6 \pm 8i$

Then the homogeneous solution is

$$Q_h(t) = e^{-6t} (c_1 \cos 8t + c_2 \sin 8t)$$

For the particular solution, let  $Q = A \cos 10t + B \sin 10t$  be the particular solution

Then  $\frac{dQ}{dt} = -10A \sin 10t + 10B \cos 10t$

And  $\frac{d^2Q}{dt^2} = -100A \cos 10t - 100B \sin 10t$

Substituting in (1)

$$-100A \cos 10t - 100B \sin 10t - 120A \sin 10t + 120B \cos 10t + 100A \cos 10t + 100B \sin 10t = 6 \sin 10t$$

Equating coefficients on both sides

$$-100A + 120B + 100A = 0$$

And  $-100B - 120A + 100B = 6$

i.e.  $B = 0$  and  $A = -\frac{1}{20}$

Then the particular solution is  $Q_p = \frac{-1}{20} \cos 10t$

Thus the solution of equation (1) is

$$Q(t) = Q_h(t) + Q_p(t) = e^{-6t} (c_1 \cos 8t + c_2 \sin 8t) - \frac{1}{20} \cos 10t$$

By given initial conditions  $Q(0) = 0.001c$ ,  $Q'(0) = 0$

Now  $Q'(t) = e^{-6t} [(-6c_1 + 8c_2) \cos 8t + (-6c_2 - 8c_1) \sin 8t] - \frac{1}{2} \sin 10t$

Then  $Q(0) = 0.001$ , gives  $c_1 - \frac{1}{20} = 0.001$

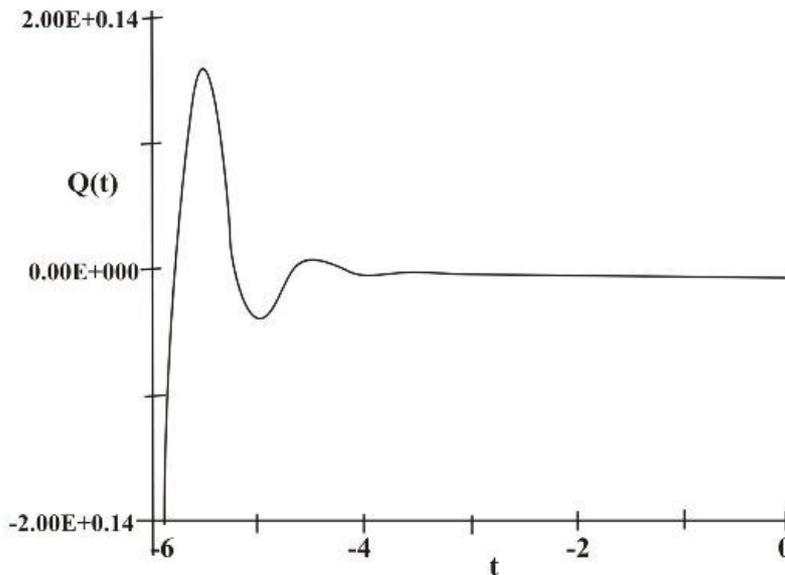
And  $Q'(0) = 0$  gives  $-6c_1 + 8c_2 = 0$

i.e.  $c_1 = 0.051$  and  $c_2 = 0.03825$

Hence the charge is given by

$$Q(t) = e^{-6t} (0.051 \cos 8t + 0.03825 \sin 8t) - \frac{1}{20} \cos 10t$$

(B)



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The given equation is  $m \frac{d^2 Q}{dt^2} + kx = 0$  ----- (1)

Or  $\frac{d^2 Q}{dt^2} + \frac{k}{m} x = 0$

Its characteristic equation is  $r^2 + \frac{k}{m} = 0$

i.e.  $r = \pm \sqrt{\frac{k}{m}} i$

Take  $w = \sqrt{\frac{k}{m}}$

Then  $r = \pm wi$

Therefore the solution of equation (1) is

$$x(t) = c_1 \cos wt + c_2 \sin wt$$

Take  $c_1 = A \cos \delta$ ,  $c_2 = -A \sin \delta$

Where  $A = \sqrt{c_1^2 + c_2^2}$

And  $\delta = \tan^{-1} \left( -\frac{c_2}{c_1} \right)$

Then  $x(t) = A \cos wt \cos \delta - A \sin wt \sin \delta$   
 $= A (\cos wt \cos \delta - \sin wt \sin \delta)$   
 $= A \cos (wt + \delta)$

Verification : - Now if  $x(t) = A \cos (wt + \delta)$  is a solution of equation (1) then it must satisfy this equation. Now  $x = A \cos (wt + \delta)$

Then  $\frac{dx}{dt} = -Aw \sin (wt + \delta)$

And  $\frac{d^2 Q}{dt^2} = -Aw^2 \cos (wt + \delta)$

Consider  $m \frac{d^2 Q}{dt^2} + kx$

$$= -mAw^2 \cos (wt + \delta) + kA \cos (wt + \delta)$$

$$= A \cos (wt + \delta) [-mw^2 + k]$$

$$= A \cos (wt + \delta) \left[ -m \frac{k}{m} + k \right] \quad (\text{As } w = \sqrt{\frac{k}{m}})$$

$$= A \cos (wt + \delta) [-k + k]$$

$$= 0, \text{ which is true}$$

Hence the solution of equation (1) can be written as  $x(t) = A \cos (wt + \delta)$

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Given  $\frac{d^2\theta}{dt^2} + \frac{g}{L}\sin\theta = 0$

For small values of  $\theta$  we can use the linear approximation  $\sin\theta \sim \theta$ , therefore we can approximate the differential equation as

$$\frac{d^2\theta}{dt^2} + \frac{g}{L}\theta = 0$$

a)

The equation of motion of a pendulum with length 1 m if  $\theta$  is initially 0.2 rad and the initial angular velocity  $d\theta/dt = 1$  rad/s

Using  $L=1$  and  $g=9.8$ , the differential equation becomes

$$\frac{d^2\theta}{dt^2} + 9.8\theta = 0.$$

The auxiliary equation is  $r^2+9.8=0$

We solve for  $r$

$$r = \pm i\sqrt{9.8}$$

so the solution of the complementary equation is

$$\theta(t) = c_1 \cos(\sqrt{9.8} t) + c_2 \sin(\sqrt{9.8} t)$$

Imposing the initial condition  $\theta(0) = 0.2$  we get

$$\theta(0) = c_1 \cos(\sqrt{9.8} \cdot 0) + c_2 \sin(\sqrt{9.8} \cdot 0)$$

$$\theta(0) = c_1$$

$$c_1 = 0.2$$

Imposing the initial condition  $\frac{d\theta}{dt} \Big|_{t=0} = 1$

$$\theta'(t) = -\sqrt{9.8} c_1 \sin(\sqrt{9.8} t) + \sqrt{9.8} c_2 \cos(\sqrt{9.8} t)$$

$$\theta'(0) = -\sqrt{9.8} c_1 \sin(\sqrt{9.8} \cdot 0) + \sqrt{9.8} c_2 \cos(\sqrt{9.8} \cdot 0)$$

$$\theta'(0) = \sqrt{9.81} c_2$$

$$\sqrt{9.81} c_2 = 1$$

$$c_2 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{9.81}}$$

so the equation is

$$\theta(t) = 0.2\cos(\sqrt{9.8} t) + \frac{1}{\sqrt{9.8}} \sin(\sqrt{9.8} t)$$

b) The maximum angle from the vertical

$$\theta'(t) = -0.2\sqrt{9.81} \sin(\sqrt{9.81} t) + \cos(\sqrt{9.81} t)$$

For the critical numbers we set  $\theta'(t) = 0$

$$-0.2\sqrt{9.8} \sin(\sqrt{9.8} t) + \cos(\sqrt{9.8} t) = 0$$

$$0.2\sqrt{9.8} \sin(\sqrt{9.8} t) = \cos(\sqrt{9.8} t)$$

$$\tan(\sqrt{9.8} t) = \frac{5}{\sqrt{9.8}}$$

We solve for t and we get that the critical numbers are

$$t = \frac{1}{\sqrt{9.8}} \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{5}{\sqrt{9.8}}\right) + \frac{n}{\sqrt{9.8}} \pi \quad \text{where } n \text{ is any integer.}$$

The maximum angle from the vertical

$$\theta\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{9.8}} \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{5}{\sqrt{9.8}}\right)\right) \sim 0.377 \text{ radians}$$

$\theta \sim 21.7^\circ$

c) The period of the pendulum

From the result of part (b) the critical numbers of  $\theta(t)$  are spaced  $\frac{\pi}{\sqrt{9.8}}$  apart.

The time between successive maximum values is  $2\left(\frac{\pi}{\sqrt{9.8}}\right)$ .

Thus the period of the pendulum is  $T = \frac{2\pi}{\sqrt{9.8}} \sim 2.007$  seconds.

d) When will the pendulum first be vertical?

We need the value of t when  $\theta(t) = 0$

$$0.2\cos(\sqrt{9.8} t) + \frac{1}{\sqrt{9.8}} \sin(\sqrt{9.8} t) = 0$$

$$\tan(\sqrt{9.8} t) = -0.2\sqrt{9.8}$$

$$t = \frac{1}{\sqrt{9.8}} \left[ \tan^{-1}(-0.2\sqrt{9.8}) + \pi \right]$$

$t \sim 0.825$  seconds.

e) the angular velocity when the pendulum is vertical

$$\theta'(t) = -0.2\sqrt{9.81} \sin(\sqrt{9.81} t) + \cos(\sqrt{9.81} t)$$

$$\theta'(0.825) = -0.2\sqrt{9.81} \sin(\sqrt{9.81} \cdot 0.825) + \cos(\sqrt{9.81} \cdot 0.825)$$

$\theta'(0.825) \sim -1.180$  rad/s.