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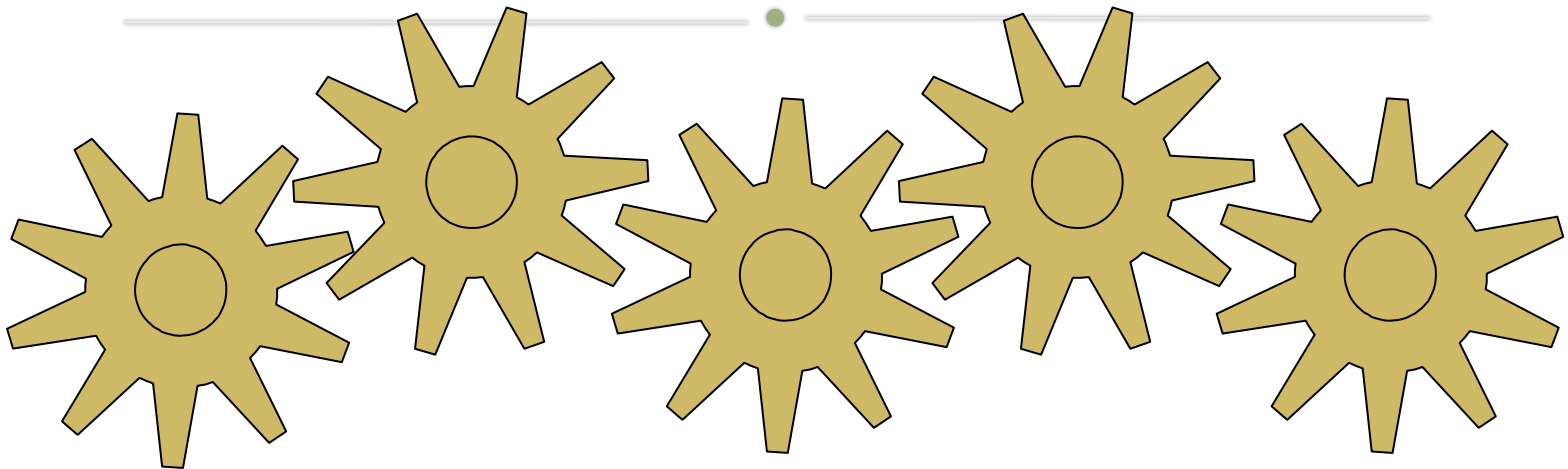
Intro to Systems & Control

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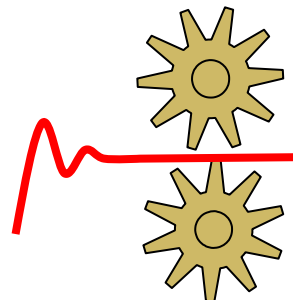
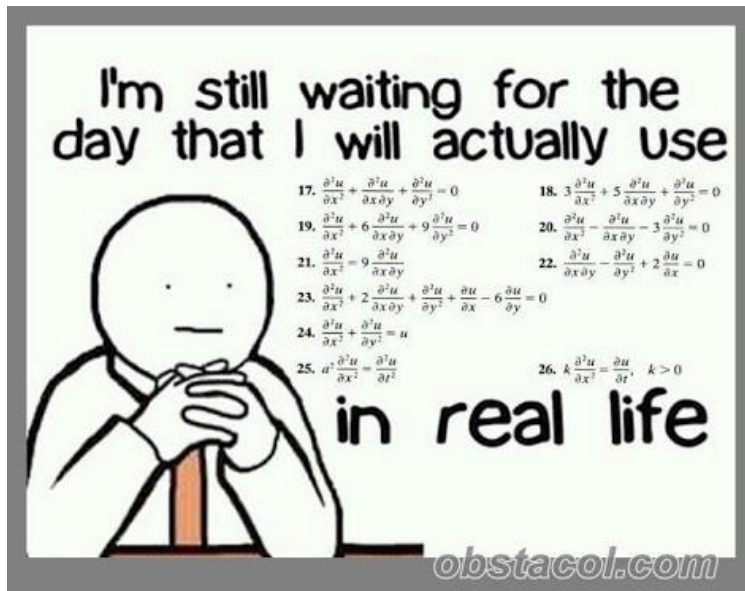
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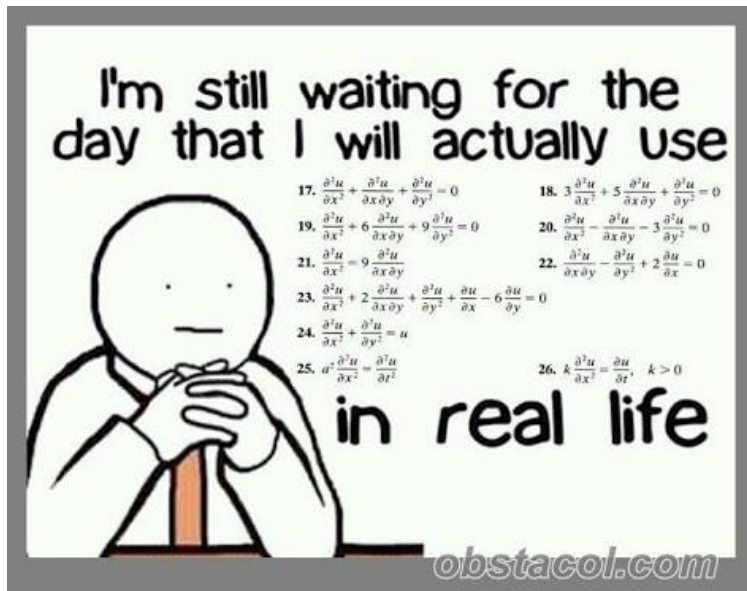
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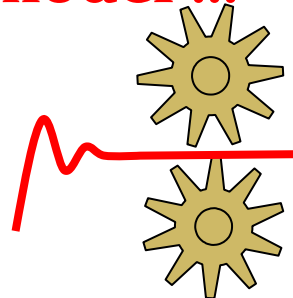


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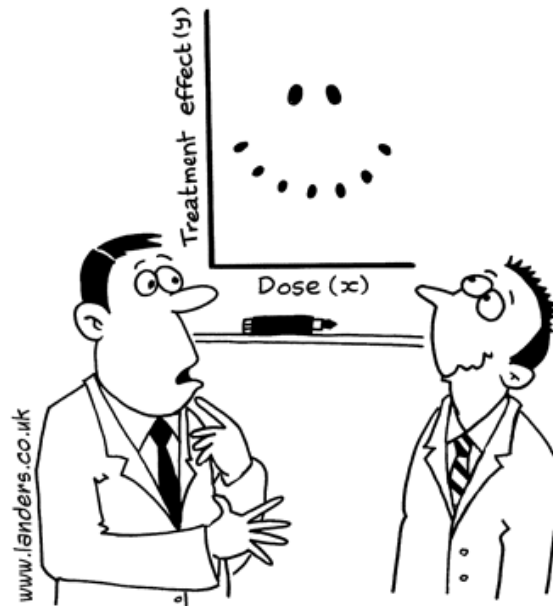
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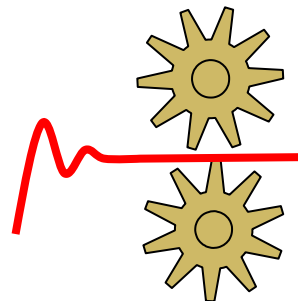
- **Today, we will continue with Laplace Transforms and formally define a transfer function model ...**



Laplace Transforms & Differential Eqn's

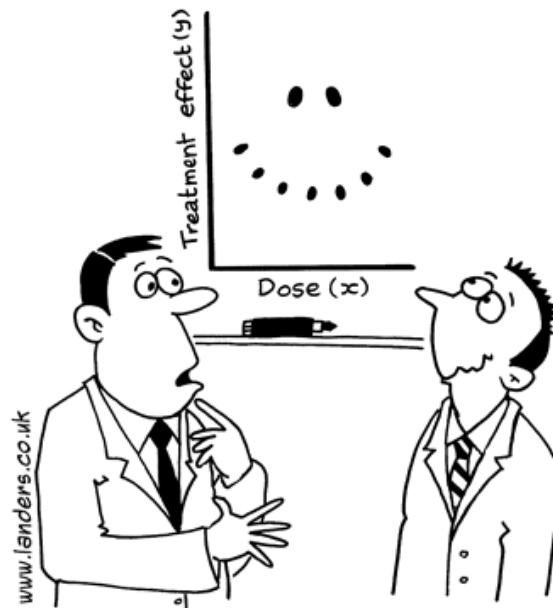


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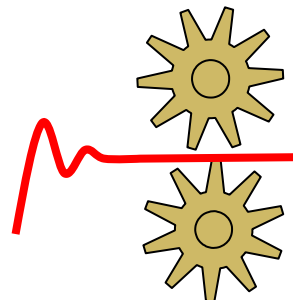


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- One of the key advantages (particularly from a system analysis viewpoint) of Laplace transforms is the **transformation of linear differential equations into algebraic equations.**



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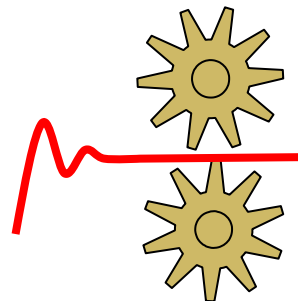
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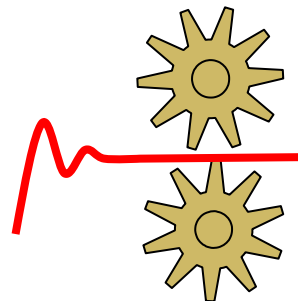
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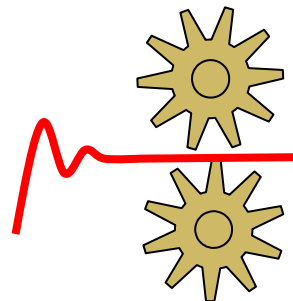
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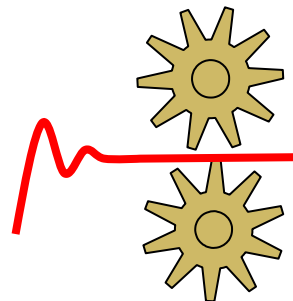
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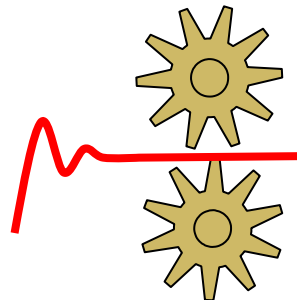
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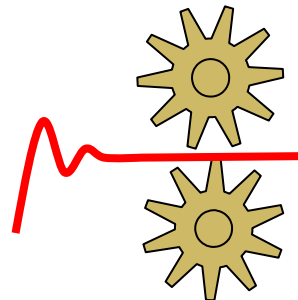
$$d/dt \rightarrow s$$



Laplace Transforms & Differential Eqn's

- *Ex 4.2 Express the following differential equation in terms of Laplace transforms given that at time $t = 0$, $x = 1$:*

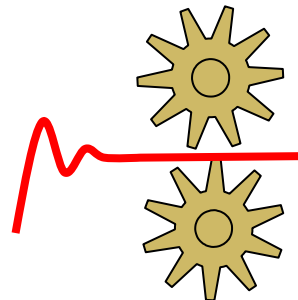
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Laplace Transforms & Differential Eqn's

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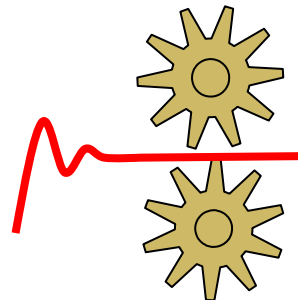
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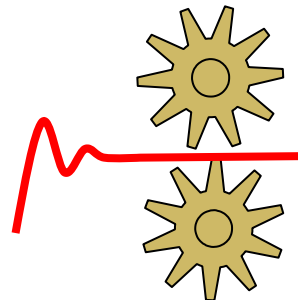


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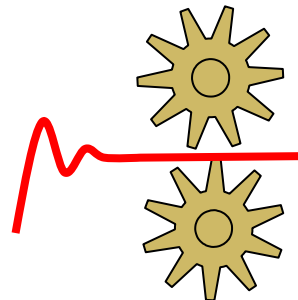
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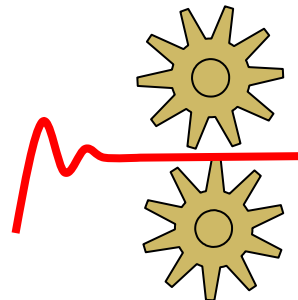


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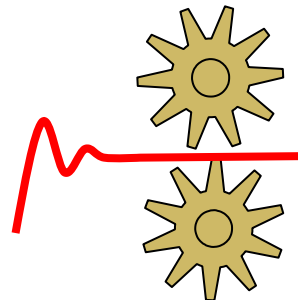


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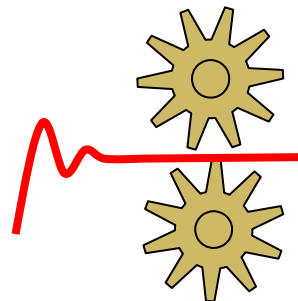
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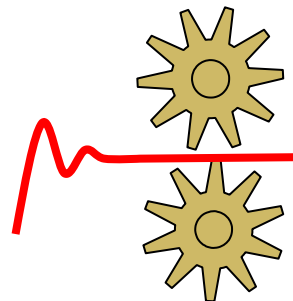


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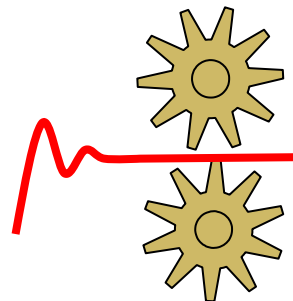
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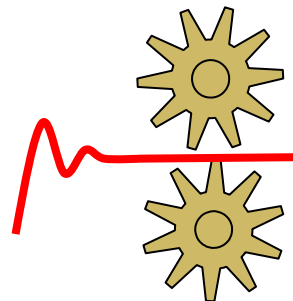
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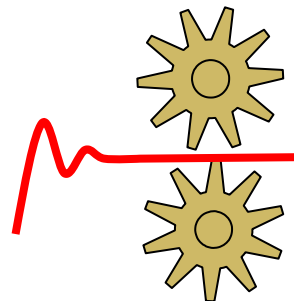


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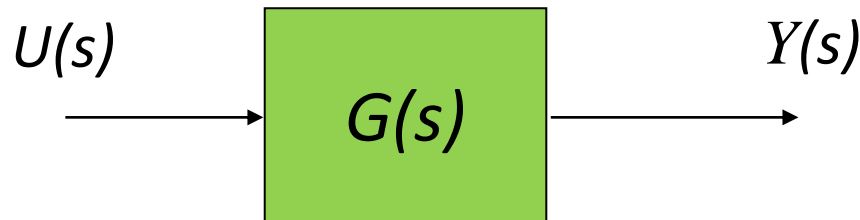
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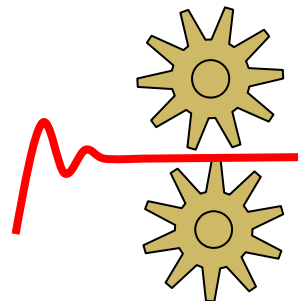


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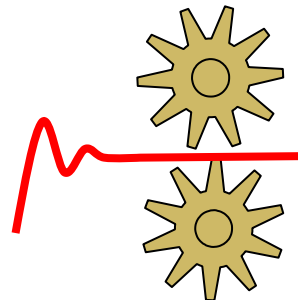


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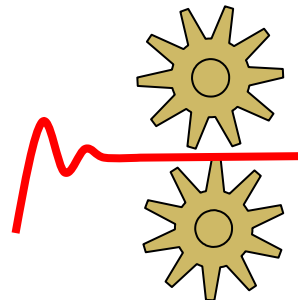
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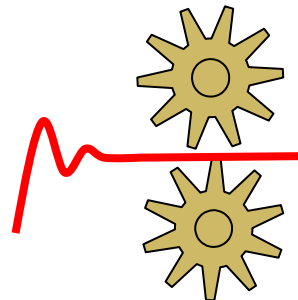
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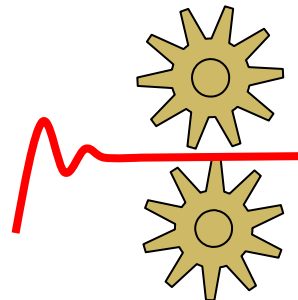
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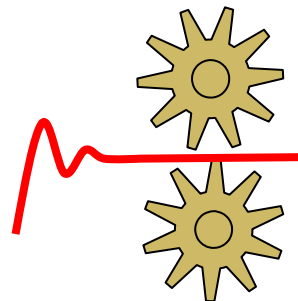
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- Obtaining

No need to worry about initial conditions in this case!

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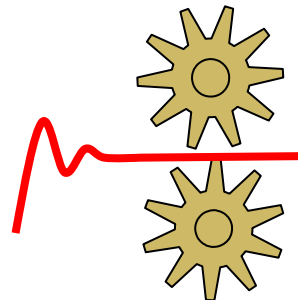
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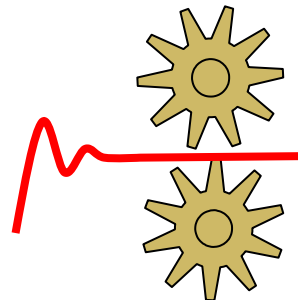


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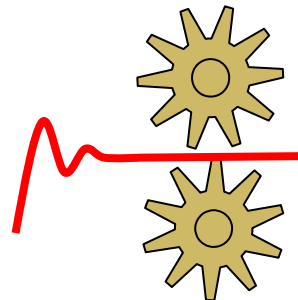
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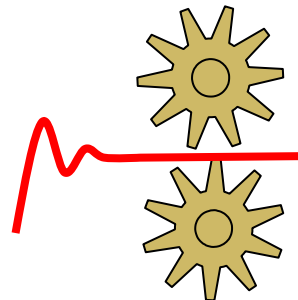
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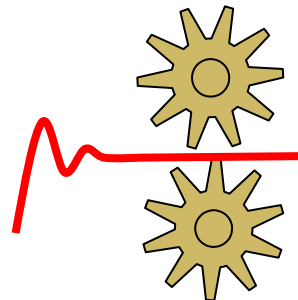
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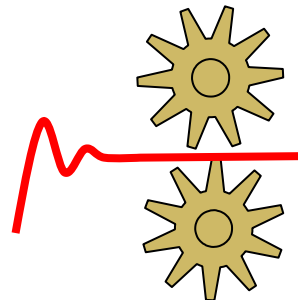


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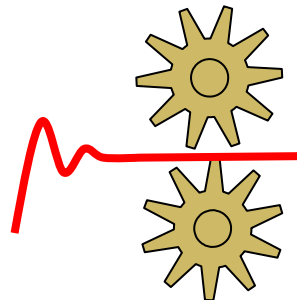
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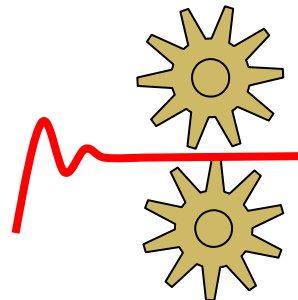
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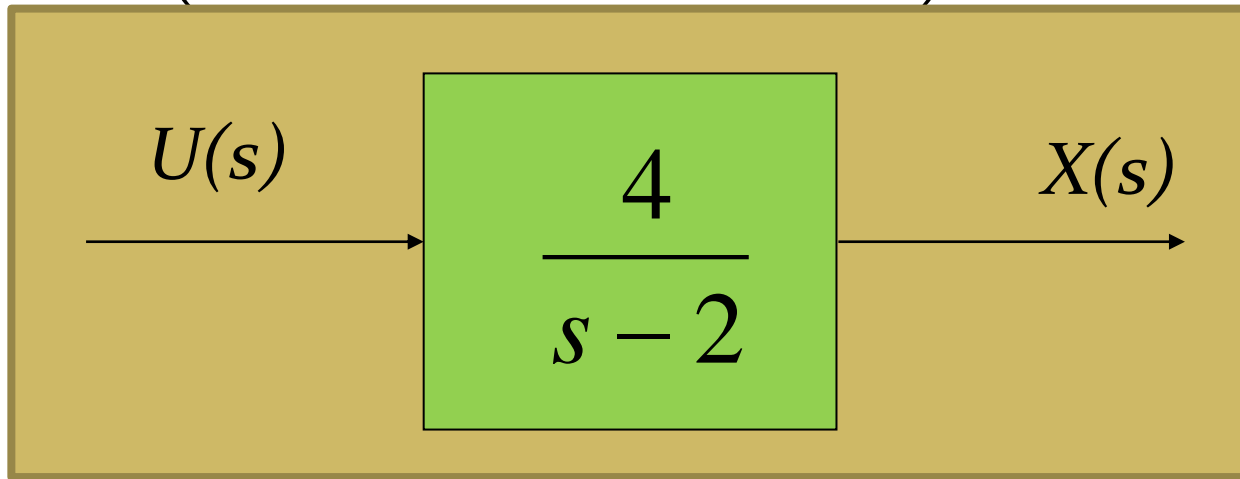
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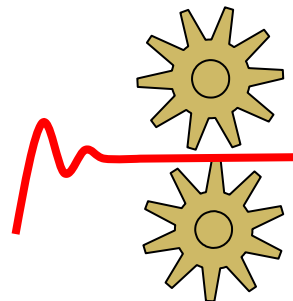
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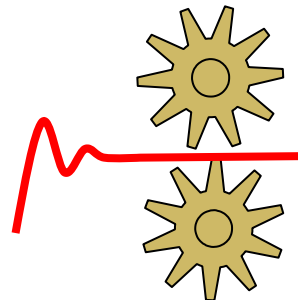
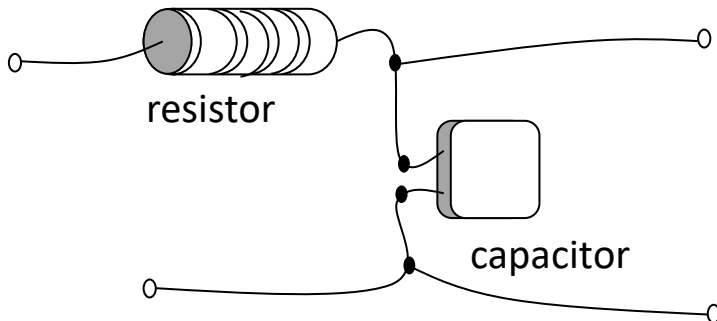
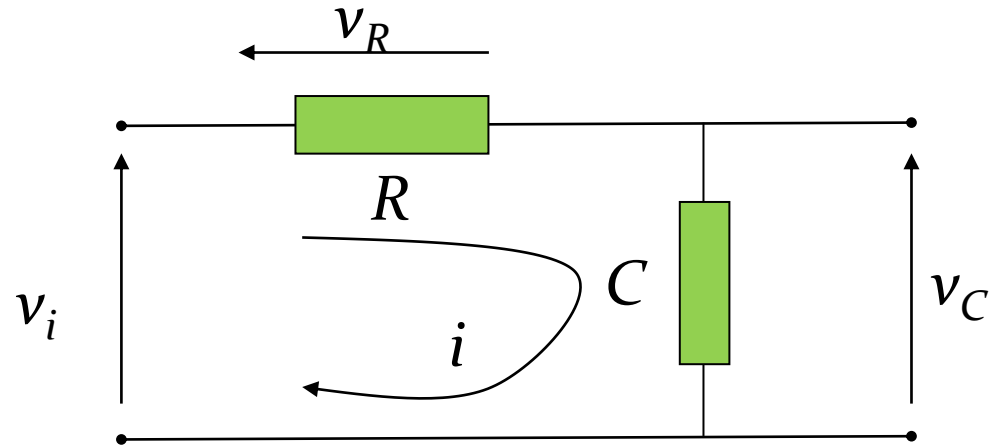


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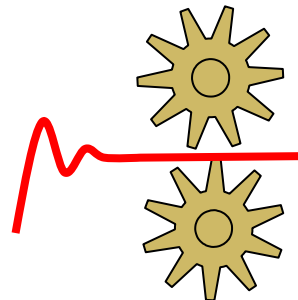


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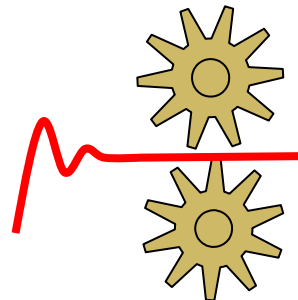
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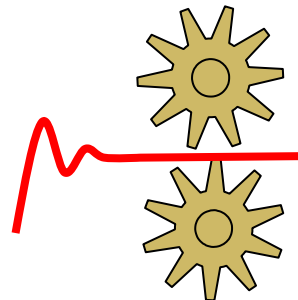
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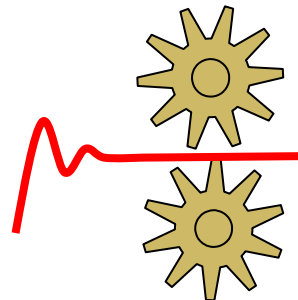
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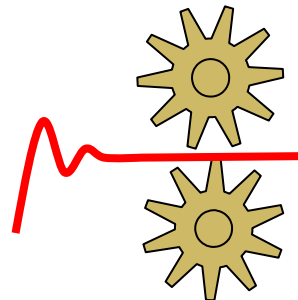
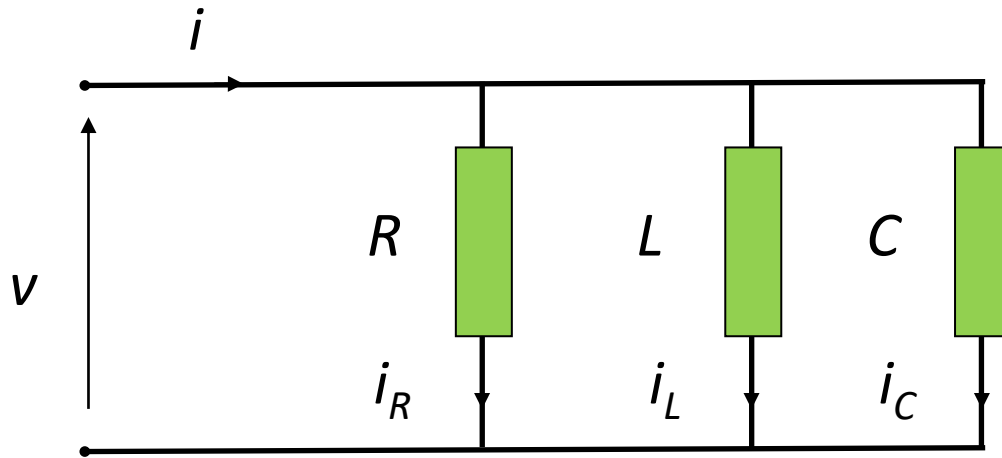
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- *Ex 4.5 Obtain the transfer function representation for the following circuit-based system, relating voltage to current (Ex3.5):*

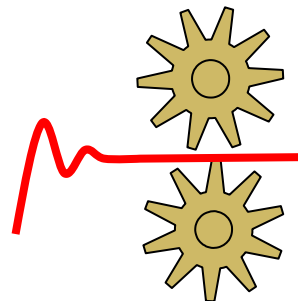


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- **Solution:**

Recall from Ex 3.5:

$$\frac{d^2 v}{dt^2} + \frac{1}{RC} \frac{dv}{dt} + \frac{1}{LC} v = \frac{1}{C} \frac{di}{dt}$$



Transfer Function Representation

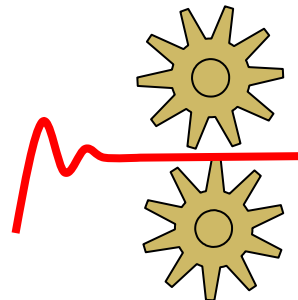
- **Solution:**

Recall from Ex 3.5:

$$\frac{d^2 v}{dt^2} + \frac{1}{RC} \frac{dv}{dt} + \frac{1}{LC} v = \frac{1}{C} \frac{di}{dt}$$

Taking the Laplace transform gives:

$$s^2 V(s) + \frac{1}{RC} s V(s) + \frac{1}{LC} V(s) = \frac{1}{C} I(s)$$



Transfer Function Representation

- **Solution:**

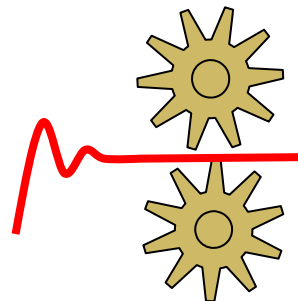
Recall from Ex 3.5:

$$\frac{d^2 v}{dt^2} + \frac{1}{RC} \frac{dv}{dt} + \frac{1}{LC} v = \frac{1}{C} \frac{di}{dt}$$

Taking the Laplace transform gives:

$$s^2 V(s) + \frac{1}{RC} s V(s) + \frac{1}{LC} V(s) = \frac{1}{C} I(s)$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(s^2 + \frac{s}{RC} + \frac{1}{LC} \right) V(s) = \frac{1}{C} I(s)$$

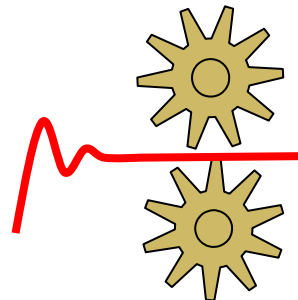


Transfer Function Representation

- **Solution:**

Hence the required transfer function is given by :

$$\frac{V(s)}{I(s)} = \frac{\frac{1}{C}}{s^2 + \frac{s}{RC} + \frac{1}{LC}}$$



Transfer Function Representation

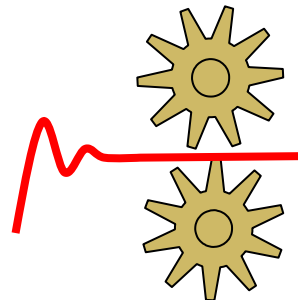
- **Solution:**

Hence the required transfer function is given by :

$$\frac{V(s)}{I(s)} = \frac{\frac{1}{C}}{s^2 + \frac{s}{RC} + \frac{1}{LC}}$$

or:

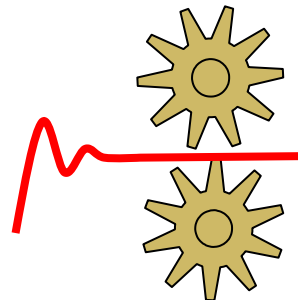
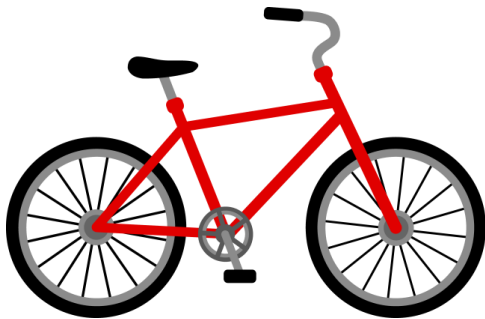
$$\frac{V(s)}{I(s)} = \frac{RL}{RLCs^2 + Ls + R}$$



Transfer Function Representation

- *Ex 4.6 Determine the transfer function model for the spring-mass-damper system given in Ex 3.6(a):*

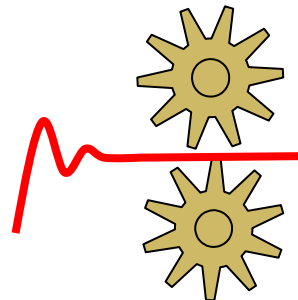
$$M \frac{d^2 x}{dt^2} + B \frac{dx}{dt} + Kx = f(t)$$



Transfer Function Representation

Solution:

$$M \frac{d^2 x}{dt^2} + B \frac{dx}{dt} + Kx = f(t)$$



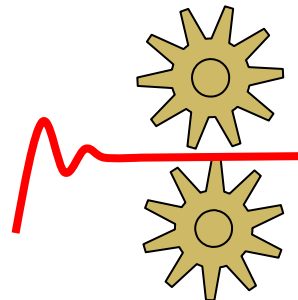
Transfer Function Representation

Solution:

$$M \frac{d^2 x}{dt^2} + B \frac{dx}{dt} + Kx = f(t)$$

Taking the Laplace transform gives:

$$Ms^2 X(s) + BsX(s) + KX(s) = F(s)$$



Transfer Function Representation

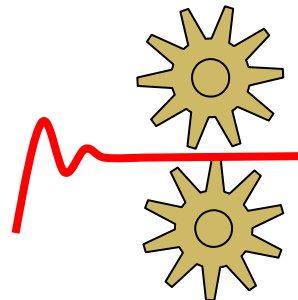
Solution:

$$M \frac{d^2 x}{dt^2} + B \frac{dx}{dt} + Kx = f(t)$$

Taking the Laplace transform gives:

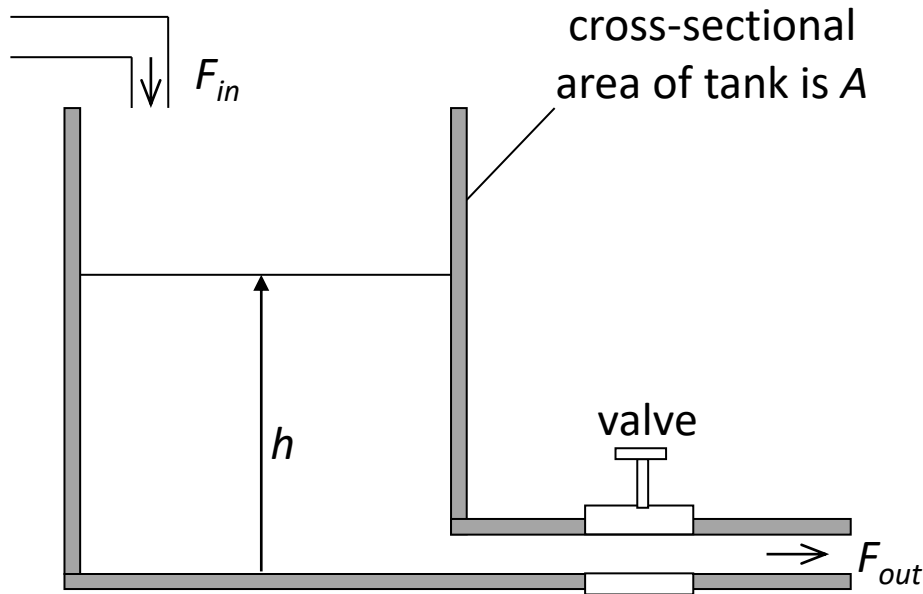
$$Ms^2 X(s) + BsX(s) + KX(s) = F(s)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{X(s)}{F(s)} = \frac{1}{Ms^2 + Bs + K}$$



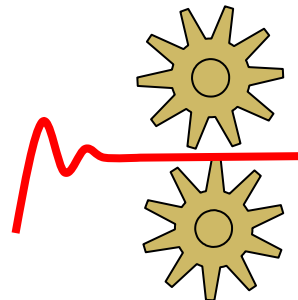
Transfer Function Representation

- Ex 4.7 Determine the transfer function model for the single water tank system represented by the differential equation:



Physical model of a single tank system

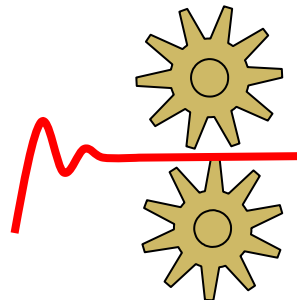
$$A \frac{dh}{dt} = F_{in} - kh$$



Transfer Function Representation

Solution:

$$A \frac{dh}{dt} = F_{in} - kh$$



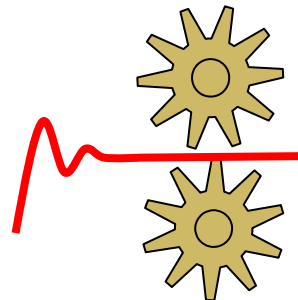
Transfer Function Representation

Solution:

$$A \frac{dh}{dt} = F_{in} - kh$$

Taking the Laplace transform gives:

$$AsH(s) = F(s) - kH(s)$$



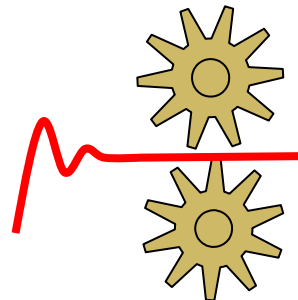
Transfer Function Representation

Solution:

$$A \frac{dh}{dt} = F_{in} - kh$$

Taking the Laplace transform gives:

$$AsH(s) = F(s) - kH(s) \quad \Rightarrow \quad H(s)(sA + k) = F(s)$$



Transfer Function Representation

Solution:

$$A \frac{dh}{dt} = F_{in} - kh$$

Taking the Laplace transform gives:

$$AsH(s) = F(s) - kH(s) \quad \Rightarrow \quad H(s)(sA + k) = F(s)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{H(s)}{F(s)} = \frac{1}{sA + k}$$

