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11.3

$$(K - \omega^2 M) = \begin{bmatrix} k_1 + k_2 - m_1 \omega^2 & -k_2 \\ -k_2 & k_2 + k_3 - m_2 \omega^2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\det(K - \omega^2 M) = (k_1 + k_2 - m_1 \omega^2)(k_2 + k_3 - m_2 \omega^2) - k_2^2$$

$$\omega_1 = \sqrt{\frac{k_1}{m_1}}, \omega_2 = \sqrt{\frac{k_3}{m_2}}$$

11.5(a)

$$(K - \omega^2 M) = \begin{bmatrix} 2k - m\omega^2 & -k \\ -k & k - m\omega^2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\det(K - \omega^2 M) = (2k - m\omega^2)(k - m\omega^2) - k^2$$

$$\omega = \pm \sqrt{\frac{3 \pm \sqrt{5}}{2}} \sqrt{\frac{k}{m}}$$

(b)

$$v_1 = \begin{bmatrix} -\frac{1+\sqrt{5}}{2} \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$v_2 = \begin{bmatrix} -\frac{1-\sqrt{5}}{2} \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Both carts oscillate

11.6(a)

$$(K - \omega^2 M) = \begin{bmatrix} 5k - m\omega^2 & -k \\ -k & 2k - m\omega^2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\det(K - \omega^2 M) = (5k - m\omega^2)(2k - m\omega^2) - k^2$$

$$\omega = \pm \frac{1}{2} (7 \pm \sqrt{13}) \sqrt{\frac{k}{m}}$$

(b)

$$\begin{bmatrix} 5 - (\pm \frac{1}{2} (7 \pm \sqrt{13}))^2 & -1 \\ -1 & 2 - (\pm \frac{1}{2} (7 \pm \sqrt{13}))^2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$v_1 = \begin{bmatrix} -\frac{3-\sqrt{13}}{2} \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$v_2 = \begin{bmatrix} +\frac{3+\sqrt{13}}{2} \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$