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$$y' + ky = q(x), \quad k > 0$$

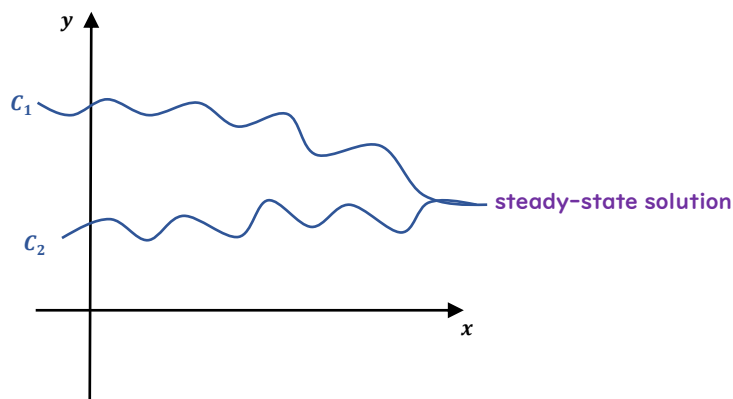
apply the integrity factor:

$$u(x) = e^{\int k dx} = e^{kx}$$

$$\Rightarrow (ye^{kx})' = e^{kx}q(x)$$

$$\Rightarrow y = e^{-kx} \int q(x)e^{kx} dx + Ce^{-kx}$$

when $x \rightarrow \infty$, y will tend to be a certain value: **steady-state solution** ($k > 0$)



Superposition of Linear Inputs

we view $q(x)$ as the input, and output the solution of the linear equation y as response

Features of Linear Equation

$$y' + ky = q_1(x) \rightarrow y = y_1(x)$$

$$y' + ky = q_2(x) \rightarrow y = y_2(x)$$

$$y' + ky = q_1(x) + q_2(x) \rightarrow y = y_1(x) + y_2(x)$$

Trigonometric Input

we have $y' + ky = kq_e(x)$

set $q_e(x)$ as trigonometric input $q_e(x) = \cos \omega x$ and find the response

apply complexification to solve the problem

$$e^{i\omega x} = \cos \omega x + i \sin \omega x$$

we annotate $\tilde{y} = y_1 + iy_2$ as complex variable of y where y is real part of \tilde{y} : $y = y_1$

$$\Rightarrow \tilde{y}' + k\tilde{y} = ke^{i\omega x}$$

apple integrity factor

$$\Rightarrow (\tilde{y}e^{kx})' = ke^{(k+i\omega)x}$$

$$\Rightarrow \tilde{y} = \frac{k}{k+i\omega} e^{i\omega x}$$

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$$\Rightarrow \tilde{y} = \frac{1}{1+i\left(\frac{\omega}{k}\right)} e^{i\omega x}$$

here we have 2 methods:

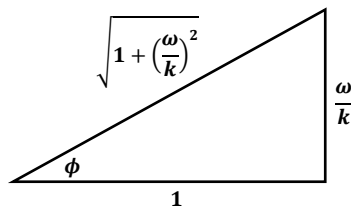
1. polar coordinates

here we apply polar coordinates

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$$\Rightarrow \tilde{y} = \frac{1}{1+i\left(\frac{\omega}{k}\right)} e^{i\omega x}$$

$$\frac{1}{1+i\left(\frac{\omega}{k}\right)} \rightarrow Ae^{i\phi}$$



$$A = \sqrt{1 + \left(\frac{\omega}{k}\right)^2}, \phi = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{\omega}{k}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \tilde{y} = Ae^{i(\omega x + \phi)} = A(\cos(\omega x + \phi) + i \sin \omega x + \phi)$$

$$\Rightarrow y = A \cos(\omega x + \phi)$$

2. Cartesian coordinates

$$\tilde{y} = \frac{1}{1+i\left(\frac{\omega}{k}\right)} e^{i\omega x}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1 - \frac{\omega}{k}}{1 + \left(\frac{\omega}{k}\right)^2} (\cos \omega t + i \sin \omega x)$$

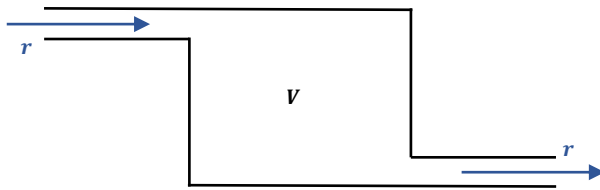
$$\Rightarrow y = \frac{1}{1 + \left(\frac{\omega}{k}\right)^2} \left(\cos \omega t + \frac{\omega}{k} \sin \omega x \right)$$

by the equation

$$a \cos \theta + b \sin \theta = \sqrt{a^2 + b^2} \cos(\theta - \phi), \quad \phi = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{b}{a}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow A \cos(\omega x + \phi) = \frac{1}{1 + \left(\frac{\omega}{k}\right)^2} \left(\cos \omega t + \frac{\omega}{k} \sin \omega x \right)$$

example:



C_e is concentration of the incoming salt, r is flow rate of the liquid

$x(t)$ is amount of salt in tank at time t and find $x(t)$

$$\frac{dx(t)}{dt} = C_e r - r \frac{x(t)}{V}$$

$$\frac{dx(t)}{dt} + \frac{r}{V} x(t) = C_e r$$

$$\Rightarrow V \frac{dC(t)}{dt} + rC(t) = rC_e$$

$$\Rightarrow C'(t) + \frac{V}{r} C(t) = \frac{V}{r} C_e$$