

Model a two-spring mass damper system in Simulink according to the following problem statement.

Consider the following two mass-spring-damper system:

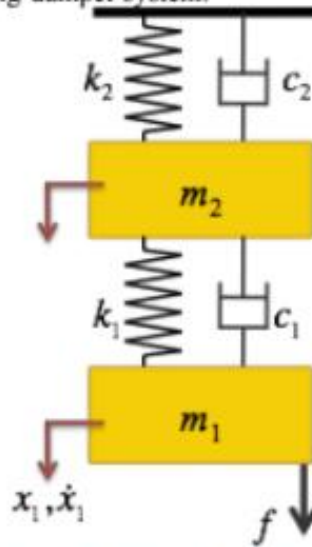


Figure 1 - System for Problem 2

The equations of motions for the system shown in Figure 1 are:

$$m_1 \ddot{x}_1 + c_1 \dot{x}_1 + k_1 x_1 - c_1 \dot{x}_2 - k_1 x_2 = f$$

$$m_2 \ddot{x}_2 + (c_1 + c_2) \dot{x}_2 + (k_1 + k_2) x_2 - c_1 \dot{x}_1 - k_1 x_1 = 0$$

- a) Implement the system of equations above in Simulink using the following parameters:

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m1 = 10;      % Mass 1 [kg]
m2 = 100;     % Mass 2 [kg]
c1 = 100;     % Damping Coefficient 1 [Ns/m]
c2 = 1000;    % Damping Coefficient 2 [Ns/m]
k1 = 1e4;     % Spring Coefficient 1 [N/m]
k2 = 1e5;     % Spring Coefficient 2 [N/m]
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Tend = 10;    % Simulation Stop Time [s]
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You can assume that the initial conditions are all zero.

Define the model parameters in a separate .m file and use the ode45 Solver. Make sure to decrease the maximum step size if the plots are not smooth.

- b) Simulate the response of the system assuming that  $f(t)$  is a step function of magnitude 5 N. Plot the response of the systems (the two positions  $x_1(t)$  and  $x_2(t)$ ) in two separate figures.
- c) Simulate the response of the system assuming that  $f(t)$  is a sinusoidal function:  $f(t) = 3 \sin(10t)$ . Plot the response of the systems (the two positions  $x_1(t)$  and  $x_2(t)$ ) in two separate figures.