

MEEG 311 – Lecture 12 Vibration and Control

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Goals:

- Second-order systems:
 - Standard form of second-order systems
 - Pole locations: underdamped, critically damped, overdamped
 - Example of a second-order feedback control system
- Unit-step response of second-order systems:
 - Underdamped: oscillations (poles with non-zero imaginary part)
 - Critically damped: fastest response before oscillations appear (real poles)
 - Overdamped: no oscillations, slow response (distinct real poles)

