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clear all
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# Problem 2:

For the example we did in class on 4 March, use Matlab to plot the transmissibility ratio for a range of damping coefficients. Use at least 5 values of c, and they should mostly span the range for underdamped responses. Include figures both for the transmissibility plotted as a function of the base excitation frequency, and as a function of the frequency ratio. (reminder:  $m=100kg,\ k=2000N/m,\ Y=0.03m,\ \omega_b=6rad/s$ )

# Known

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m, k, Y, \omega_b
```

```
mass = 100; % kg
stiffness = 2000; % N/m
amplitudeBase = 0.03; % m
num = 1000;
frequencyBase = linspace(0, 10, num); % rad/s
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# **Calculations**

$$\omega_n = \sqrt{\frac{k}{m}}$$

$$r = \frac{\omega_b}{\omega_n}$$

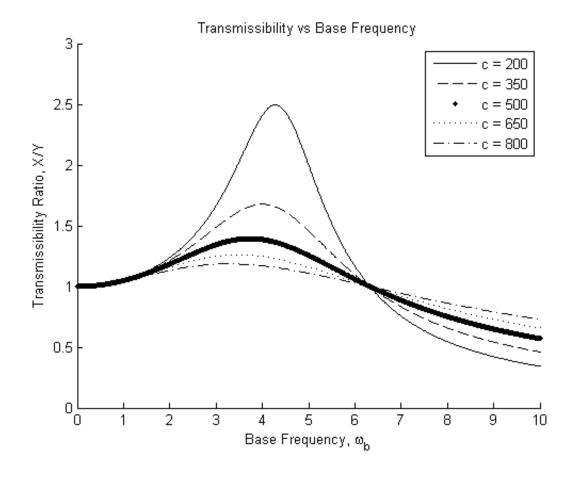
$$\zeta = \frac{c}{2\sqrt{km}}$$

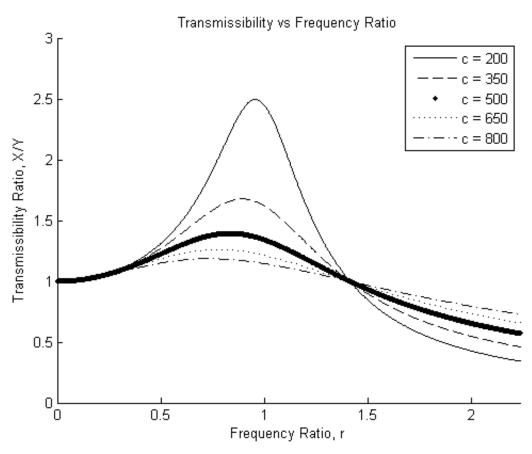
$$rac{X}{Y} = \left[rac{1 + (2\zeta r)^2}{(1 - r^2)^2 + (2\zeta r)^2}
ight]^{1/2}$$

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frequencyNatural = sqrt(stiffness / mass);
ratioFrequency = frequencyBase ./ frequencyNatural;
ratioDamping = @(c) c / (2 * sqrt(stiffness * mass));
```

#### **Plots**

```
figure(1)
hold on
xlabel('Base Frequency, \omega_b')
ylabel('Transmissibility Ratio, X/Y')
title('Transmissibility vs Base Frequency')
axis([0 frequencyBase(end) 0 3])
plot(frequencyBase, transmissibility(:, 1), '-', 'color', [0 0 0])
plot(frequencyBase, transmissibility(:, 2), '--', 'color', [0 0 0])
plot(frequencyBase, transmissibility(:, 3), '.', 'color', [0 0 0])
plot(frequencyBase, transmissibility(:, 4), ':', 'color', [0 0 0])
plot(frequencyBase, transmissibility(:, 5), '-.', 'color', [0 0 0])
legend('c = 200', 'c = 350', 'c = 500', 'c = 650', 'c = 800')
figure(2)
hold on
xlabel('Frequency Ratio, r')
ylabel('Transmissibility Ratio, X/Y')
title('Transmissibility vs Frequency Ratio')
axis([0 ratioFrequency(end) 0 3])
plot(ratioFrequency, transmissibility(:, 1), '-', 'color', [0 0 0])
plot(ratioFrequency, transmissibility(:, 2), '--', 'color', [0 0 0])
plot(ratioFrequency, transmissibility(:, 3), '.', 'color', [0 0 0])
\verb|plot(ratioFrequency, transmissibility(:, 4), ':', 'color', [0 0 0])|\\
plot(ratioFrequency, transmissibility(:, 5), '-.', 'color', [0 0 0])
legend('c = 200', 'c = 350', 'c = 500', 'c = 650', 'c = 800')
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