## ME 460/660, Mechanical Vibration

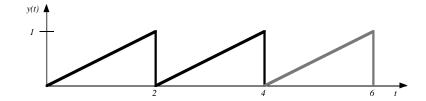
Final Exam, Fall 2008

Closed book, closed notes. Use one  $8\frac{1}{2} \times 11$  formula sheet (brought by student) and turn in with exam. Test books will be provided. All problems are to be done in the test book.

1. A linear system is governed by the following equation of motion:

$$m\ddot{x} + c\dot{x} + kx = ky$$

where m = 10 kg, c = 1.0 kg/s, and  $k = 10,000 \text{kg/s}^2$ . Given y(t) as



where  $y(t) = \frac{1}{2} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{-1}{n\pi} \sin \pi nt$ , find the first 4 terms of x(t).

- 2. An undamped system is excited by a pulse (force of amplitude F) of finite (**but not infinitesimal!**) duration. Find x(t) during and after the pulse presuming  $10\ddot{x} + 8.8826 \times 10^4 x = f(t)$  and the pulse lasts for  $\frac{1}{30}$  s.
- 3. A MDOF system is released from rest has modes of

$$S = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1\\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

no damping, and natural frequencies of 3 rad/sec and 10 rad/sec. It has initial conditions of

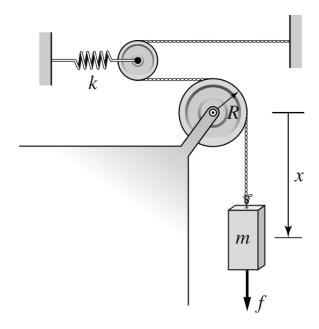
$$\mathbf{x}(0) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

and

$$\mathbf{v}(0) = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Find  $\mathbf{x}(t)$ .

- 4. Obtain the equations of motion the following system. Include the effect of gravity. Presume:
  - (a) the pulley at the end of the spring is massless
  - (b) the pulley with the radius R has a uniform mass distribution.



5. Graduate Students/Undergraduate Bonus (20% of other points): Solve for the steady-state (particular) response of the following system if the boundary conditions are presumed to be fixed-fixed (0 < x < l) where  $c = \sqrt{\tau/\rho}$ .

$$w_{tt}(x,t) - c^2 w_{xx}(x,t) = 100\delta(x - \frac{l}{3})\delta(t)$$

Recall that the integral of a Dirac delta function times another function is equal to the "another function" evaluated when the argument of the argument of the Dirac delta function is zero.

BONUS (3 point, all or nothing): List the mass moments of inertia of

- 1. a uniform disk
- 2. a hoop
- 3. a rod about its center
- 4. a rod about its end