

HW #5 - Solutions

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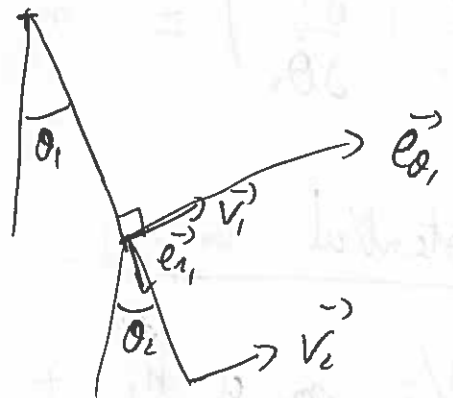
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Kinetic energy:

$$T = \frac{1}{2} m_1 V_1^2 + \frac{1}{2} m_2 V_2^2 + \frac{1}{2} m_3 V_3^2$$

$$V_1 = l_1 \dot{\theta}_1$$

$$\vec{V}_2 = (V_1 + V_2 \cos(\theta_2 - \theta_1)) \vec{e}_{\theta_1} - V_2 \sin(\theta_2 - \theta_1) \vec{e}_{r_1}$$



$$\Rightarrow V_2^2 = (V_1 + V_2 \cos(\theta_2 - \theta_1))^2$$

$$+ V_2^2 \sin^2(\theta_2 - \theta_1)$$

$$= (l_1 \dot{\theta}_1 + l_2 \dot{\theta}_2 \underbrace{\cos(\theta_2 - \theta_1)}_{=1 - \frac{(\theta_2 - \theta_1)^2}{2}})^2 + (l_2 \dot{\theta}_2)^2 \underbrace{\sin^2(\theta_2 - \theta_1)}_{\sim (\theta_2 - \theta_1)^2}$$

\(\ll\) small neglect

$$= (l_1 \dot{\theta}_1 + l_2 \dot{\theta}_2)^2$$

Similarly $V_3^2 = (l_1 \dot{\theta}_1 + l_2 \dot{\theta}_2 + l_3 \dot{\theta}_3)^2$

$$\Rightarrow T = \frac{1}{2} m_1 l_1^2 \dot{\theta}_1^2 + \frac{1}{2} m_2 (l_1 \dot{\theta}_1 + l_2 \dot{\theta}_2)^2 + \frac{1}{2} m_3 (l_1 \dot{\theta}_1 + l_2 \dot{\theta}_2 + l_3 \dot{\theta}_3)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{d}{dt} \left(\frac{\partial T}{\partial \dot{\theta}_1} \right) = (m_1 + m_2 + m_3) l_1^2 \ddot{\theta}_1 + (m_2 + m_3) l_1 l_2 \ddot{\theta}_2 + m_3 l_1 l_3 \ddot{\theta}_3$$

$$\frac{d}{dt} \left(\frac{\partial T}{\partial \dot{\theta}_2} \right) = (m_2 + m_3) l_2^2 \ddot{\theta}_2 + (m_2 + m_3) l_1 l_2 \ddot{\theta}_1 + m_3 l_2 l_3 \ddot{\theta}_3$$

$$\frac{d}{dt} \left(\frac{\partial T}{\partial \dot{\theta}_3} \right) = m_3 l_3 \ddot{\theta}_3 + m_3 l_1 l_3 \ddot{\theta}_1 + m_3 l_2 l_3 \ddot{\theta}_2$$

$$\frac{\partial T}{\partial \theta_1} = \frac{\partial T}{\partial \theta_2} = \frac{\partial T}{\partial \theta_3} = 0$$

Potential energy

$$\begin{aligned} V &= m_1 g h_1 + m_2 g h_2 + m_3 g h_3 \\ &= m_1 g l_1 (1 - \cos \theta_1) + m_2 g (l_1 (1 - \cos \theta_1) + l_2 (1 - \cos \theta_2)) \\ &\quad + m_3 g (l_1 (1 - \cos \theta_1) + l_2 (1 - \cos \theta_2) + l_3 (1 - \cos \theta_3)) \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial V}{\partial \theta_1} = m_1 g l_1 \sin \theta_1 + m_2 g l_2 \sin \theta_2 + m_3 g l_3 \sin \theta_3$$

$\theta_1, \theta_2, \theta_3$ small

$$\approx g (m_1 l_1 \theta_1 + m_2 l_2 \theta_2 + m_3 l_3 \theta_3)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial V}{\partial \theta_2} &= m_2 g l_2 \sin \theta_2 + m_3 g l_3 \sin \theta_3 \\ &\approx m_2 g l_2 \theta_2 + m_3 g l_3 \theta_3 \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{\partial V}{\partial \theta_3} = m_3 g l_3 \sin \theta_3 = m_3 g l_3 \theta_3$$

\Rightarrow Lagrange's equation

$$[m] \ddot{\vec{\theta}} + [k] \vec{\theta} = \vec{0}$$

$$\vec{\theta} = \begin{Bmatrix} \theta_1 \\ \theta_2 \\ \theta_3 \end{Bmatrix}$$

$$[m] = \begin{bmatrix} (m_1 + m_2 + m_3) l_1^2 & (m_2 + m_3) l_1 l_2 & m_3 l_1 l_3 \\ (m_2 + m_3) l_1 l_2 & (m_2 + m_3) l_2^2 & m_3 l_2 l_3 \\ m_3 l_1 l_3 & m_3 l_2 l_3 & m_3 l_3^2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$[k] = \begin{bmatrix} (m_1 + m_2 + m_3) l_1 g & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & (m_2 + m_3) g l_2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & m_3 g l_3 \end{bmatrix}$$

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$$[m] = m l^2 \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2 & 1 \\ 2 & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad [k] = m g l \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\det([k] - \omega^2 [m]) = 0$$

$$\begin{vmatrix} 3mg l - 3ml^2\omega^2 & -2ml^2\omega^2 & -ml^2\omega^2 \\ -2ml^2\omega^2 & 2mg l - 2ml^2\omega^2 & -ml^2\omega^2 \\ -ml^2\omega^2 & -ml^2\omega^2 & mg l - ml^2\omega^2 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

divide by $mg l$, let $\alpha = \frac{l}{g} \omega^2$

$$\begin{vmatrix} 3(1-\alpha) & -2\alpha & -\alpha \\ -2\alpha & 2(1-\alpha) & -\alpha \\ -\alpha & -\alpha & 1-\alpha \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$-\alpha^3 + 9\alpha^2 - 18\alpha + 6 = 0$$

$$\alpha^3 - 9\alpha^2 + 18\alpha - 6 = 0$$

\Rightarrow use MATLAB roots

$$\alpha_1 = 0.4158$$

$$\alpha_2 = 2.2943$$

$$\alpha_3 = 6.29$$

$$\omega_1 = \sqrt{\alpha_1} \sqrt{\frac{g}{l}} = 0.6448 \sqrt{\frac{g}{l}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \omega_2 = 1.5147 \sqrt{\frac{g}{l}}$$

$$\omega_3 = 2.5128 \sqrt{\frac{g}{l}}$$

Mode shapes

$$\{\vec{X}^{(i)}\} = \begin{Bmatrix} X_1^{(i)} \\ X_2^{(i)} \\ X_3^{(i)} \end{Bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 3(1-\alpha_i) & -2\alpha_i & -\alpha_i \\ -2\alpha_i & 2(1-\alpha_i) & -\alpha_i \\ -\alpha_i & -\alpha_i & 1-\alpha_i \end{bmatrix} \begin{Bmatrix} X_1^{(i)} \\ X_2^{(i)} \\ X_3^{(i)} \end{Bmatrix} = \{\vec{0}\}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} -2\alpha_i & -\alpha_i \\ 2(1-\alpha_i) & -\alpha_i \end{bmatrix} \begin{Bmatrix} X_2^{(i)} \\ X_3^{(i)} \end{Bmatrix} = \begin{Bmatrix} -3(1-\alpha_i) \\ +2\alpha_i \end{Bmatrix} X_1^{(i)}$$

\Rightarrow solve using MATLAB for each modal vector

$$\Rightarrow \begin{Bmatrix} X_2^{(1)} \\ X_3^{(1)} \end{Bmatrix} = \begin{Bmatrix} 1.2921 \\ 1.6312 \end{Bmatrix} X_1^{(1)} \quad \{\vec{X}^{(1)}\} = \begin{Bmatrix} 1 \\ 1.2921 \\ 1.6312 \end{Bmatrix} X_1^{(1)}$$

$$\{\vec{X}^{(2)}\} = \begin{Bmatrix} 1 \\ 0.3529 \\ -2.2981 \end{Bmatrix} X_1^{(2)}$$

$$\{\vec{X}^{(3)}\} = \begin{Bmatrix} 1 \\ -1.645 \\ 0.7669 \end{Bmatrix} X_1^{(3)}$$

Mass-normalization of modal vectors

$$\{\vec{X}^{(1)}\}^T [m] \{\vec{X}^{(1)}\} = (ml^2) \cdot 21.463 |X_1^{(1)}|^2 = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow X_1^{(1)} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{21.463} \sqrt{ml^2}}$$

$$\{\vec{X}^{(1)}\} = \begin{Bmatrix} 0.2149 \\ 0.2777 \\ 0.3506 \end{Bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{ml^2}}$$

Similarly : $\{\vec{X}^{(1)}\}^T [m] \{\vec{X}^{(1)}\} = 3.9228 X_1^{(1)^2} ml^2$

$$\{\vec{X}^{(2)}\} = \begin{Bmatrix} 0.5049 \\ 0.1782 \\ -1.2108 \end{Bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{ml^2}}$$

$$\{\vec{X}^{(2)}\}^T [m] \{\vec{X}^{(2)}\} = 1.4309 (X_2^{(2)})^2 ml^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \{\vec{X}^{(3)}\} = \begin{Bmatrix} 0.8360 \\ -1.3752 \\ 0.6411 \end{Bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{ml^2}}$$

\Rightarrow Modal matrix :

$$[X] = \frac{1}{\sqrt{ml^2}} \begin{bmatrix} 0.2149 & 0.5049 & 0.8360 \\ 0.2777 & 0.1782 & -1.3752 \\ 0.3506 & -1.2108 & 0.6411 \end{bmatrix}$$

Compute :

$$\{\vec{q}^{(1)}(0)\} = [X]^T [m] \{\vec{q}_0\} = [X]^T [m] \begin{Bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{Bmatrix} Q_{30}$$

$$= \begin{Bmatrix} 0.8433 \\ -0.5277 \\ 0.1019 \end{Bmatrix} \frac{Q_{30}}{\sqrt{ml^2}}$$

$$\{\vec{q}(0)\} = [X]^T [m] \{\vec{\theta}_0\} = \{\vec{0}\}$$

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$$\Rightarrow \{\vec{q}(t)\} = \begin{pmatrix} 0.8433 & \frac{\theta_{30}}{\sqrt{m l^2}} \cos \omega_1 t \\ -0.5277 & \frac{\theta_{30}}{\sqrt{m l^2}} \cos \omega_2 t \\ 0.1019 & \frac{\theta_{30}}{\sqrt{m l^2}} \cos \omega_3 t \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\{\vec{\theta}(t)\} = [X] \{\vec{q}(t)\}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} \theta_1(t) \\ \theta_2(t) \\ \theta_3(t) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0.1813 \cos \omega_1 t - 0.2664 \cos \omega_2 t + 0.0852 \cos \omega_3 t \\ 0.2342 \cos \omega_1 t - 0.0940 \cos \omega_2 t - 0.1601 \cos \omega_3 t \\ 0.2957 \cos \omega_1 t + 0.6389 \cos \omega_2 t + 0.0653 \cos \omega_3 t \end{pmatrix}$$