

110 POINTS

HOMEWORK 1

DUE: 1/21/15

1. (40 pts.) Consider the system shown in Figure 1. You are given the following: $k = 5000 \text{ N/m}$, $c = 1000 \text{ N/(m/s)}$, $l = 1 \text{ m}$, $m = 10 \text{ kg}$, $M_0 = 100 \text{ N} \cdot \text{m}$, $\omega = 1000 \text{ rpm}$. $M_0 \cos(\omega t)$ represents an externally applied moment about the hinge.

- (10 pts.) Derive the transfer function of the system, where the externally applied moment is the input, and θ is the output.
- (10 pts.) Calculate general response of the system $\theta(t)$ starting from rest.
- (10 pts.) Calculate the steady-state response $\theta(t)$ as $t \rightarrow \infty$.
- (10 pts.) Plot these two responses (part b and c) on the same graph. Choose the scales appropriately to see the convergence to steady-state clearly.

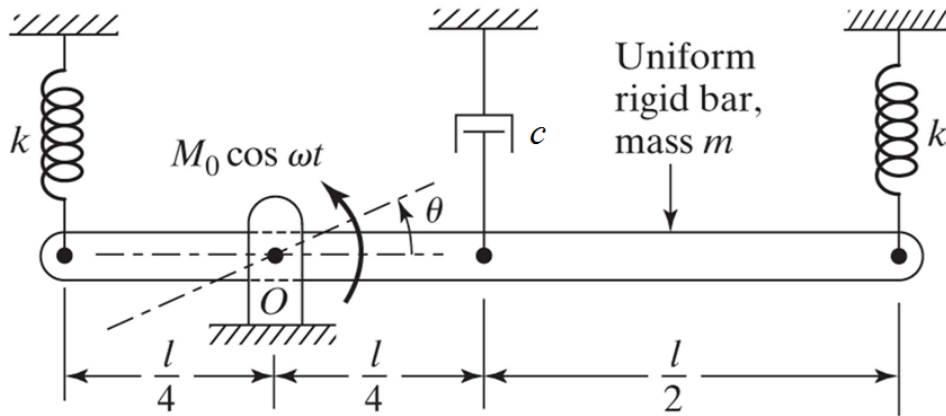


Figure 1

2. (20 pts.)

- (10 pts.) Prove that the unit ramp response of a system is just the integral (assuming 0 initial conditions) of the unit step response. (Hint: this is easily shown using transfer functions.)
- (10 pts.) Show how a state-space model of a system can be augmented to output its ramp response if the input is a unit step.

3. (20 pts.) Solve the following ODE using the Laplace Transform method:

$$\ddot{x} + 4\dot{x} + 40x = 10, \quad x_0 = \dot{x}_0 = 0$$

Please write out by hand all steps.

4. (30 pts.) The unit step response of a 2nd-order system is shown in Figure 2.

- (10 pts.) Where are its poles located in the s-plane?
- (10 pts.) What is the transfer function of this system?
- (5 pts.) How many times more should its damping be increased over its current value to eliminate overshoot in the step response?
- (5 pts.) If the conditions of part (c) are met, where would the poles be located in the s-plane?

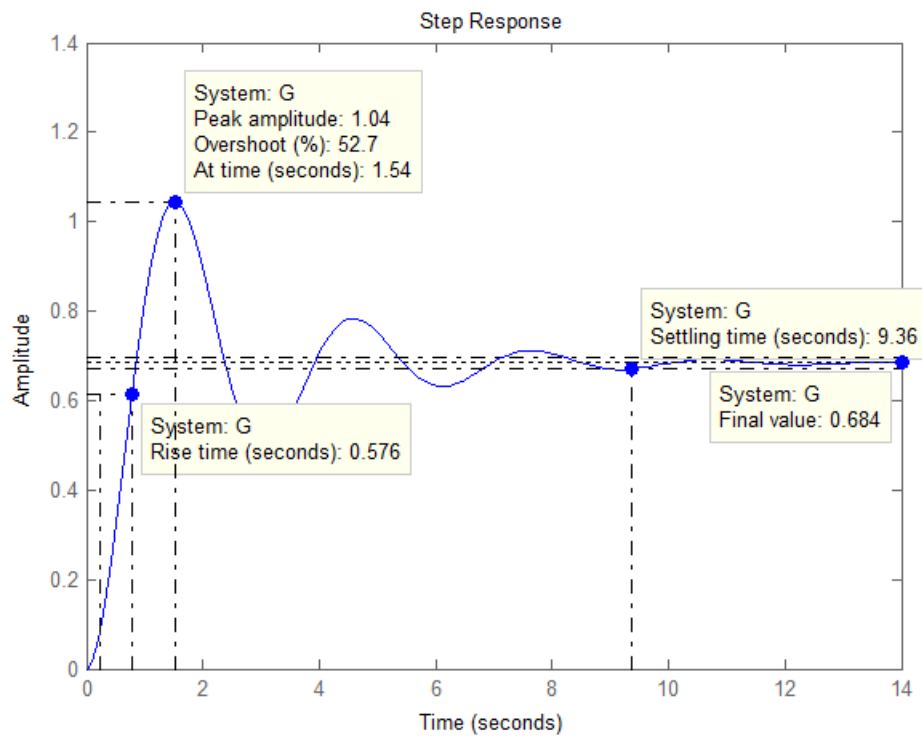


Figure 2