

# **BMM3553 Mechanical Vibrations**

# Chapter 4: Two Degree of Freedom Vibration System (Part 1)

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# **Chapter Description**

- Expected Outcomes
   Students will be able to:
  - Develop Equation of Motion (EOM) for Undamped Two-DOF Free and Forced Vibration
  - Determine natural frequencies and mode shape of Undamped Two-DOF Free and Forced Vibration
- References
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# Introduction

# The number of degrees of freedom for a mechanical system can be define as:

No. of degrees of freedom of the system No. of masses in the system x no. of possible types of motion of each

mass



#### Free Vibration without Damping Introducing the third dynamic characteristics, namely the mode shape k , k<sub>1</sub>x<sub>1</sub> `m<sub>1</sub>ẍ<sub>1</sub> т <sub>1</sub> m<sub>1</sub> **X**<sub>1</sub> k (x <sub>1</sub> - x<sub>2</sub>) k $^{k}(x_{2} - x_{1})$ m<sub>2</sub>x<sub>2</sub> m<sub>2</sub> m, X 2 k 2 k<sub>2</sub>x<sub>2</sub> **Keywords** natural frequencies $X_1 > X_2$

mode shapes

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□ Mathematical model for 2 DOF system (translation motion)

$$m_1 \ddot{x}_1 + k_1 x_1 + k(x_1 - x_2) = 0$$

$$m_2 \ddot{x}_2 + k_2 x_2 + k(x_2 - x_1) = 0$$

$$m_1 \ddot{x}_1 + (k_1 + k)x_1 - kx_2 = 0$$

$$m_2 \ddot{x}_2 - kx_1 + (k_2 + k)x_2 = 0$$

Vibrations are usually harmonic in nature and it is reasonable to assume that

$$x_{1} = A_{1} \sin(\omega t + \phi)$$

$$x_{2} = A_{2} \sin(\omega t + \phi)$$

$$\ddot{x}_{1} = -\omega^{2} A_{1} \sin(\omega t + \phi)$$

$$\ddot{x}_{2} = -\omega^{2} A_{2} \sin(\omega t + \phi)$$

**G** Substitute into EOM

 $-m_1\omega^2 A_1\sin(\omega t + \phi) + (k_1 + k)A_1\sin(\omega t + \phi) - kA_2\sin(\omega t + \phi) = 0$ 

$$-kA_1\sin(\omega t+\phi) - m_2\omega^2 A_2\sin(\omega t+\phi) + (k_2+k)A_2\sin(\omega t+\phi) = 0$$

and if vibration does occur

 $\sin(\omega t + \phi) \neq 0$ 

Hence,

$$-m_{1}\omega^{2}A_{1} + (k_{1} + k)A_{1} - kA_{2} = 0$$
  
$$-kA_{1} - m_{2}\omega^{2}A_{2} + (k_{2} + k)A_{2} = 0$$
  
$$\begin{bmatrix} -m_{1}\omega^{2} + (k_{1} + k) & -k \\ -k & -m_{2}\omega^{2} + (k_{2} + k) \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} A_{1} \\ A_{2} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

□ Trivial solution  $A_1 = A_2 = 0$  gives only static equilibrium condition. Hence,

$$\begin{vmatrix} -m_1 \omega^2 + (k_1 + k) & -k \\ -k & -m_2 \omega^2 + (k_2 + k) \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

This is the characteristic or frequency equation for the system.

**Expand the equation to determine**  $\omega$  $(-m_1\omega^2 + (k_1 + k))(-m_2\omega^2 + (k_2 + k)) - k^2 = 0$ 

 $\omega^{4} - \left(\frac{k_{1}+k}{m_{1}} + \frac{k_{2}+k}{m_{2}}\right)\omega^{2} + \frac{k_{1}k_{2}+kk_{1}+kk_{2}}{m_{1}m_{2}} = 0$  $\omega^{2} = \frac{k_{1} + k}{2m} + \frac{k_{2} + k}{2m} \pm \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{\left(\frac{k_{1} + k}{m} + \frac{k_{2} + k}{m}\right)^{2} - 4\frac{k_{1}k_{2} + kk_{1} + kk_{2}}{m_{1}m_{2}}}$  $\omega^{2} = \frac{k_{1} + k}{2m_{1}} + \frac{k_{2} + k}{2m_{2}} \pm \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{\left(\frac{k_{1} + k}{m_{1}} - \frac{k_{2} + k}{m_{2}}\right)^{2} + 4\frac{k_{1}k_{2} + kk_{1} + kk_{2} + kk}{m_{1}m_{2}} - 4\frac{k_{1}k_{2} + kk_{1} + kk_{2}}{m_{1}m_{2}}}$  $\omega^{2} = \frac{k_{1} + k}{2m_{1}} + \frac{k_{2} + k}{2m_{2}} \pm \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{\left(\frac{k_{1} + k}{m_{1}} - \frac{k_{2} + k}{m_{2}}\right)^{2} + 4\frac{kk}{m_{1}m_{2}}}$  $\omega^{2} = \frac{k_{1} + k}{2m} + \frac{k_{2} + k}{2m} \pm \sqrt{\frac{1}{4} \left(\frac{k_{1} + k}{m} - \frac{k_{2} + k}{m}\right)^{2} + \frac{k^{2}}{m}}$ 

- **D** Quantities under the square root are positive, hence  $\omega^2$  real.
- Four values of w: <u>+</u> w<sub>1</sub> ; <u>+</u> w<sub>2</sub>
- Negative sign gives no new solution and merely alter the sign of the arbitrary constants.

The general solution for the D.E. is, therefore,  $x_1 = A_{11} \sin(\omega_1 t + \phi_1) + A_{12} \sin(\omega_2 t + \phi_2)$   $x_2 = A_{21} \sin(\omega_1 t + \phi_1) + A_{22} \sin(\omega_2 t + \phi_2)$   $\dot{x}_1 = A_{11} \omega_1 \cos(\omega_1 t + \phi_1) + A_{12} \omega_2 \cos(\omega_2 t + \phi_2)$   $\dot{x}_2 = A_{21} \omega_1 \cos(\omega_1 t + \phi_1) + A_{22} \omega_2 \cos(\omega_2 t + \phi_2)$ 

□ Final solution for 2dof :  

$$x_1 = A_{11} \cos \omega_1 t + A_{12} \cos \omega_2 t$$
  
 $x_2 = A_{21} \cos \omega_1 t + A_{22} \cos \omega_2 t$ 

where, the natural frequencies,

- **w**<sub>1</sub> = first natural frequency
- **w**<sub>2</sub> = second natural frequency
- **A**<sub>ii</sub> = amplitude of mass i in mode j

The amplitudes and phases are determined by the initial conditions.
 The amplitude ratios are important and are obtained from x1 and x2

$$\frac{A_{11}}{A_{21}} = \frac{k}{(k_1 + k) - m_1 \omega_1^2} = \frac{(k_2 + k) - m_2 \omega_1^2}{k}$$

$$\frac{A_{12}}{A_{22}} = \frac{k}{(k_1 + k) - m_1 \omega_2^2} = \frac{(k_2 + k) - m_2 \omega_2^2}{k}$$

#### EXERCISE: QUESTION 3 [30 Marks] \_ Final Exam 2014/15 (II)

**Figure Q3a** shows a schematic diagram an overhead crane. The cabin is at the center of the beam of the length,  $l_1$ . Reduce the system to an equivalent two degree of freedom system as shown in **Figure Q3b.** Noted that stiffness  $k_1$  is given by the expression as simply supported beam and  $k_2$  express as two cables are subjected to axial loads. Given EI = 21 MNm<sup>2</sup>,  $m_1 = 3000 \text{ kg}$ ,  $l_1 = 5 \text{ m}$ , EA = 82.5 MN,  $m_2 = 700 \text{ kg}$ ,  $l_2 = 6 \text{ m}$ . Determine:

a) Stiffness for  $k_1$  and  $k_2$ . (4 Marks)

b) Develop that the equation of motion can be written in matrix form as

$$\begin{bmatrix} m_1 & 0 \\ 0 & m_2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \ddot{x}_1 \\ \ddot{x}_2 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} k_1 + 2k_2 & -2k_2 \\ -2k_2 & 2k_2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$
(8 Marks)

c) Natural frequencies of the system. (10 Marks)

d) The principle mode shapes of the system which normalized to the first mass. Sketch the mode shapes. **(8 Marks)** 



for fixed – fixed beam with load at the middle, 
$$k_{eq} = \frac{192EI}{l^3}$$

for simply supported beam with load at the middle,

Rod under axial loading ,  $k_{eq} =$ 

**48***EI* 

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 $k_{eq} =$ 

AE

It has been seen that a 2-degree of freedom system has two natural frequencies. It is to be expected therefore that when forced the system will have two resonant frequencies.



The equations of motion are:

$$m_1 \ddot{x}_1 + k_1 (x_1 - x_2) = 0 \quad (1)$$
  
$$m_2 \ddot{x}_2 + k_2 x_2 + k_1 (x_2 - x_1) = P \quad (2)$$

□ Let  $P = P_o sinwt$ . The steady state vibration of m<sub>2</sub> must be in phase with P and that of m<sub>1</sub> must either be in phase or 180° out of phase. Therefore, let

 $x_1 = A\sin(\omega t)$  $x_2 = B\sin(\omega t)$ 

The phase angle will be decided by the signs of A and B.

□ Substitute into EOM gives

$$[k_{1} - m_{1}\omega^{2}]A\sin\omega t - k_{1}B\sin\omega t = 0 \quad (1a)$$

$$[-m_{2}\omega^{2} + (k_{1} + k_{2})]B\sin\omega t - k_{1}A\sin\omega t = P_{0}\sin\omega t \quad (2a)$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} k_1 - m_1 \omega^2 & -k_1 \\ -k_1 & -m_2 \omega^2 + (k_1 + k_2) \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} A \\ B \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ P_o \end{bmatrix}$$

The natural frequencies for the system is when RHS =0. Hence, determinant

$$\begin{vmatrix} k_1 - m_1 \omega^2 & -k_1 \\ -k_1 & -m_2 \omega^2 + (k_1 + k_2) \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

#### Using Cramer's Rule

$$\begin{bmatrix} a_{1} & b_{1} \\ a_{2} & b_{2} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} A \\ B \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} c_{1} \\ c_{2} \end{bmatrix} \qquad For A$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} c_{1} & b_{1} \\ c_{2} & b_{2} \\ \hline c_{2} & b_{2} \\ \hline a_{1} & b_{1} \\ a_{2} & b_{2} \end{bmatrix} \qquad For B$$

$$B = \begin{bmatrix} a_{1} & c_{1} \\ a_{2} & c_{2} \\ \hline a_{1} & b_{1} \\ a_{2} & b_{2} \end{bmatrix} \qquad For B$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} a_{1} & c_{1} \\ a_{2} & c_{2} \\ \hline a_{1} & b_{1} \\ a_{2} & b_{2} \end{bmatrix} \qquad \begin{bmatrix} k_{1} - m_{1}\omega^{2} & -k_{1} \\ -k_{1} & -m_{2}\omega^{2} + (k_{1} + k_{2}) \end{bmatrix} = \frac{(k_{1} - m_{1}\omega^{2}] - k_{1}^{2}}{(-m_{2}\omega^{2} + (k_{1} + k_{2}))[k_{1} - m_{1}\omega^{2}] - k_{1}^{2}}$$





# **Thank You**

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