

REVIEW - QUIZ # 3

(1) Spring-Mass Systems $\begin{cases} m x'' + c x' + k x = F(t) \\ x(0) = x_0, x'(0) = x_1 \end{cases}$

$m =$ mass of object , $c =$ damping constant , $k =$ spring constant
 Weight $w = m g$, Hooke's Law: $F_s = k d$, $F(t) =$ external force

A. Undamped Free Vibrations : $m x'' + k x = 0$ (Simple Harmonic Motion)

Note that $a \cos \omega t + b \sin \omega t = A \cos(\omega t - \phi)$, where $A = \sqrt{a^2 + b^2} =$ amplitude,

$\omega =$ frequency, $\frac{2\pi}{\omega} =$ period and $\phi =$ phase shift (Note: $\phi = \cos^{-1} \left\{ \frac{a}{A} \right\}$ or

$\phi = -\cos^{-1} \left\{ \frac{a}{A} \right\}$, it depends on which quadrant the angle ϕ lies in).

B. Damped Free Vibrations : $m x'' + c x' + k x = 0$

(i) $c^2 - 4km > 0$ (*overdamped*) \Rightarrow distinct real roots to CE

(ii) $c^2 - 4km = 0$ (*critically damped*) \Rightarrow repeated roots to CE

(iii) $c^2 - 4km < 0$ (*underdamped*) \Rightarrow complex roots to CE (motion is oscillatory)

C. Forced Vibrations : ($F(t) = F_0 \cos \omega t$ or $F(t) = F_0 \sin \omega t$, for example)

(i) $m x'' + k x = F_0 \cos \omega t$ (no damping) If $\omega = \omega_0 = \sqrt{\frac{k}{m}} \Rightarrow$ Resonance occurs and the solution is unbounded; while if $\omega \neq \omega_0$ then motion is a series of *beats* (solution is bounded)

(ii) $m x'' + c x' + k x = F(t)$ (damping) If you write the general solution as $x(t) = x_h(t) + x_p(t)$, then $x_h(t) =$ Transient Solution ; $x_p(t) =$ Steady-State Solution.
 (Note: transient solution satisfies $x_h(t) \rightarrow 0$ as $t \rightarrow \infty$)

(2) Systems of Linear Differential Equations $\vec{X}'(t) = A \vec{X}(t)$

A. Should be able to rewrite a single n^{th} order equation as a system of 1^{st} order equations.

B. Should be able to solve 2×2 systems of 1^{st} order equations $\begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix}' = \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix}$

using the **Elimination Method** and using *Eigenvalues* and *Eigenvectors* :

Eigenvalues : roots to $|A - \lambda I| = \begin{vmatrix} (a - \lambda) & b \\ c & (d - \lambda) \end{vmatrix} = 0$

Eigenvector : \vec{v} is a nonzero solution to $(A - \lambda I) \vec{v} = \vec{0}$.

C. If $\vec{x}^{(1)}(t) = \begin{pmatrix} x_{11}(t) \\ x_{21}(t) \end{pmatrix}$ and if $\vec{x}^{(2)}(t) = \begin{pmatrix} x_{12}(t) \\ x_{22}(t) \end{pmatrix}$, the *Wronskian* is $W = \begin{vmatrix} x_{11}(t) & x_{12}(t) \\ x_{21}(t) & x_{22}(t) \end{vmatrix}$.

If $\vec{x}^{(1)}(t)$ and $\vec{x}^{(2)}(t)$ are linearly independent solutions of $\vec{X}'(t) = A \vec{X}(t)$, then a

Fundamental matrix of the system is $\Phi(t) = \begin{pmatrix} x_{11}(t) & x_{12}(t) \\ x_{21}(t) & x_{22}(t) \end{pmatrix}$.

(3) Undetermined Coefficients for Systems : Want to find a particular solution, $\vec{x}_p(t)$, of

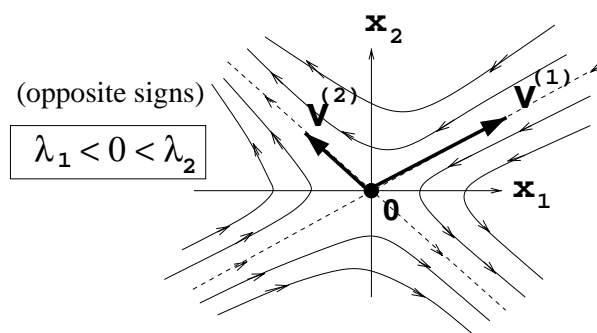
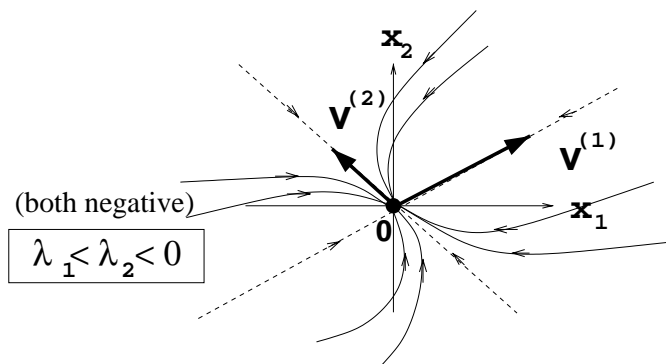
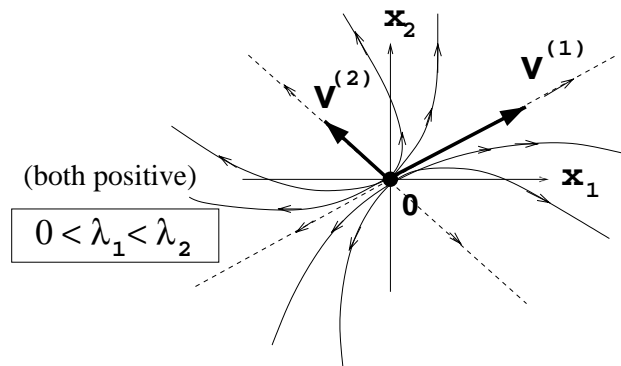
$$\vec{X}'(t) = \mathbf{A} \vec{X}(t) + \vec{F}(t)$$

The column vector $\vec{F}(t) = \begin{pmatrix} f_1(t) \\ f_2(t) \end{pmatrix}$ must have component functions $f_1(t)$ and $f_2(t)$ as one of the three special forms like those for Undetermined Coefficients for regular 2^{nd} order equations (see Review Sheet # 2). The main difference is if $\vec{F}(t) = \vec{u}e^{\lambda t}$ and λ is also an eigenvalue of A , then try a particular solution of the form $\vec{x}_p = \vec{a}te^{\lambda t} + \vec{b}e^{\lambda t}$.

(4) Mixing Problems (several tanks) : Flow through several connected tanks leads to a system of linear 1^{st} order equations. You should be able to set up and solve such problems. (Draw a picture to help with the analysis.)

(5) Phase Portraits : A plot of the trajectories (solutions) of a given system $\vec{X}'(t) = A \vec{X}(t)$ is called a **phase portrait**. To sketch the phase portrait, we need to consider 3 cases :

- (i) $\lambda_1 < \lambda_2$, real and distinct If $\vec{v}^{(1)}, \vec{v}^{(2)}$ are e-vectors corresponding to λ_1 and λ_2 , respectively $\Rightarrow \vec{x}^{(1)}(t) = e^{\lambda_1 t} \vec{v}^{(1)}$ and $\vec{x}^{(2)}(t) = e^{\lambda_2 t} \vec{v}^{(2)}$ are solutions and hence general solution is $\vec{x}(t) = C_1 \vec{x}^{(1)}(t) + C_2 \vec{x}^{(2)}(t)$.

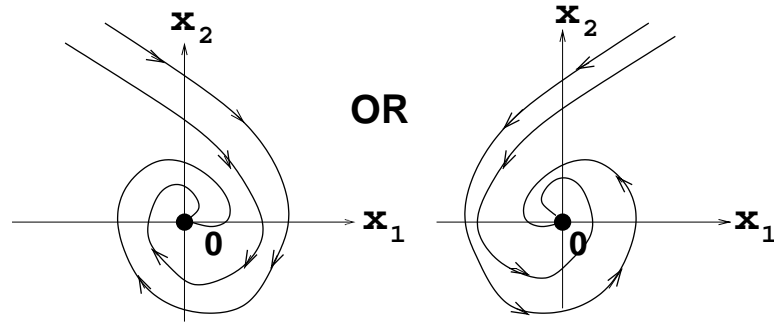


(ii) $\lambda_1 = \alpha + i\beta$ If $\vec{w} = \vec{a} + i\vec{b}$ is a complex e-vector corresponding to λ_1 then

$$\vec{x}^{(1)}(t) = \Re \left\{ e^{\lambda_1 t} \vec{w} \right\} = e^{\alpha t} (\vec{a} \cos \beta t - \vec{b} \sin \beta t) \quad \text{and}$$

$\vec{x}^{(2)}(t) = \Im \left\{ e^{\lambda_1 t} \vec{w} \right\} = e^{\alpha t} (\vec{a} \sin \beta t + \vec{b} \cos \beta t)$ are real-valued solutions and hence general solution is $\vec{x}(t) = C_1 \vec{x}^{(1)}(t) + C_2 \vec{x}^{(2)}(t)$.

If $\alpha < 0$:



(Test a point to decide which)

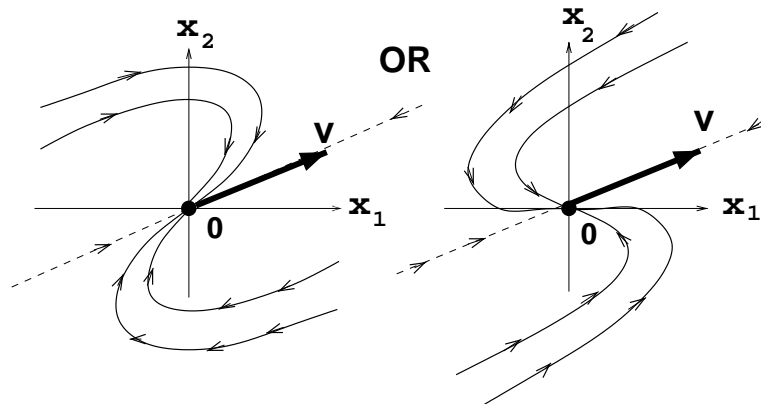
(iii) $\lambda_1 = \lambda_2$ \Rightarrow Solutions are $\vec{x}^{(1)}(t) = e^{\lambda_1 t} \vec{v}$ and $\vec{x}^{(2)}(t) = t e^{\lambda_1 t} \vec{v} + e^{\lambda_1 t} \vec{w}$, where

$$\begin{aligned} (A - \lambda_1 I) \vec{v} &= \vec{0} \\ (A - \lambda_1 I) \vec{w} &= \vec{v} \end{aligned}$$

(\vec{v} is an eigenvector while \vec{w} is a “generalized eigenvector”)

The general solution of system is $\vec{x}(t) = C_1 \vec{x}^{(1)}(t) + C_2 \vec{x}^{(2)}(t)$.

If $\lambda_1 < 0$:



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PRACTICE PROBLEMS

1. For what nonnegative values of γ will the the solution of the initial value problem $u'' + \gamma u' + 4u = 0$, $u(0) = 4$, $u'(0) = 0$ *oscillate* ?
2. (a) For what positive values of k does the solution of the initial value problem $2u'' + ku = 3\cos(2t)$, $u(0) = 0$, $u'(0) = 0$, become *unbounded* (Resonance) ?
(b) For what positive values of k does the solution of the initial value problem $2u'' + u' + ku = 3\cos(2t)$, $u(0) = 0$, $u'(0) = 0$, become *unbounded* (Resonance) ?
3. Find the steady-state solution of the IVP $y'' + 4y' + 4y = \sin t$, $y(0) = 0$, $y'(0) = 0$.
4. A 4-kg mass stretches a spring 0.392 m. If the mass is released from 1 m below the equilibrium position with a downward velocity of 10 m/sec, what is the maximum displacement ?
5. Use the Elimination Method to solve the system
$$\begin{cases} x_1' = x_1 + x_2 \\ x_2' = 4x_1 + x_2 \end{cases}$$
6. Rewrite the 2^{nd} order differential equation $y'' + 2y' + 3ty = \cos t$ with $y(0) = 1$, $y'(0) = 4$ as a system of 1^{st} order differential equations.
7. Find eigenvalues and corresponding eigenvectors of (a) $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 4 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$ (b) $A = \begin{pmatrix} -2 & 0 \\ 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$
8. Find the solution of the IVP $\begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix}' = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 4 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix}$, $\begin{pmatrix} x_1(0) \\ x_2(0) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$.
Find a fundamental matrix $\Phi(t)$.
9. Solve $\begin{pmatrix} x_1' \\ x_2' \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix}$, $\vec{x}(0) = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$.
10. Find the general solution of the system $\vec{x}'(t) = A\vec{x}(t)$, where $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$.
11. Tank # 1 initially holds 50 gals of brine with a concentration of 1 lb/gal, while Tank # 2 initially holds 25 gals of brine with a concentration of 3 lb/gal. Pure H_2O flows into Tank # 1 at 5 gal/min. The well-stirred solution from Tank # 1 then flows into Tank # 2 at 5 gal/min. The solution in Tank # 2 flows out at 5 gal/min. Set up and solve an IVP that gives $x_1(t)$ and $x_2(t)$, the amount of salt in Tanks # 1 and # 2, respectively, at time t .
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13. Find the general solution of $\begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix}' = \begin{pmatrix} -2 & 0 \\ 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} e^t$.
14. Find a particular solution of $\begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix}' = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}$.
15. Find the general solution of $\begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix}' = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 6e^{-t} \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$.

16. Match the phase portraits shown below that best corresponds to each of the given systems of differential equations:

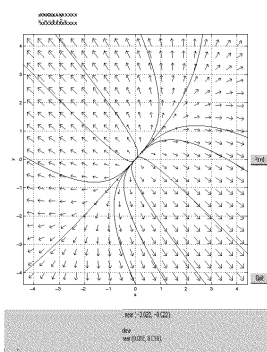
(i) $\vec{x}' = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \vec{x}$; Solution : $\vec{x}(t) = C_1 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} e^t + C_2 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} e^{-t}$

(ii) $\vec{x}' = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ -1 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \vec{x}$; Solution : $\vec{x}(t) = C_1 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} e^t + C_2 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} e^{3t}$

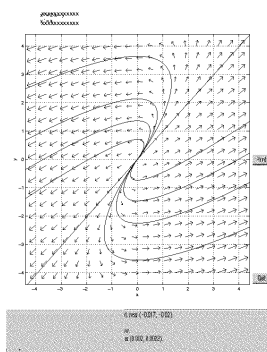
(iii) $\vec{x}' = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \vec{x}$; Solution : $\vec{x}(t) = C_1 \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} e^t + C_2 e^t \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} t + \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$

(iv) $\vec{x}' = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 1 \\ -1 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \vec{x}$; Solution : $\vec{x}(t) = C_1 \begin{pmatrix} \cos t \\ -\sin t \end{pmatrix} e^{-t} + C_2 \begin{pmatrix} \sin t \\ \cos t \end{pmatrix} e^{-t}$

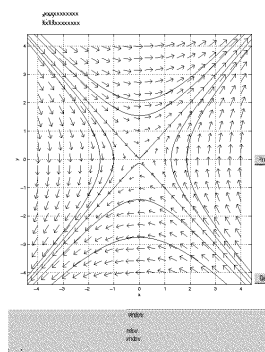
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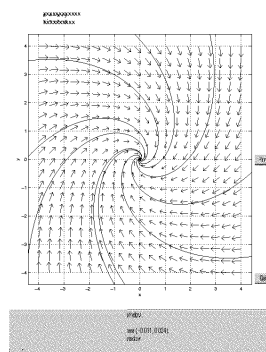
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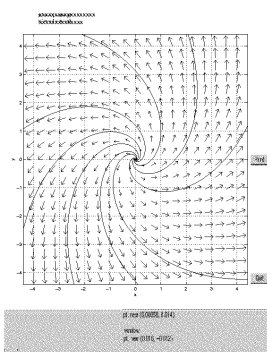
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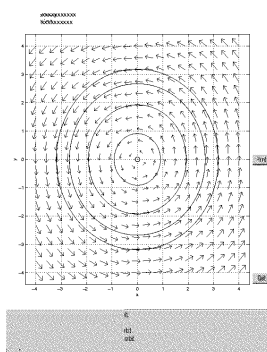
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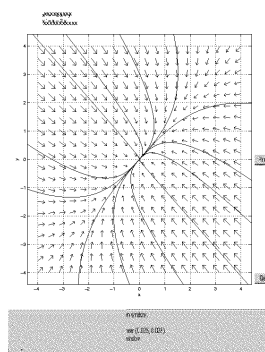
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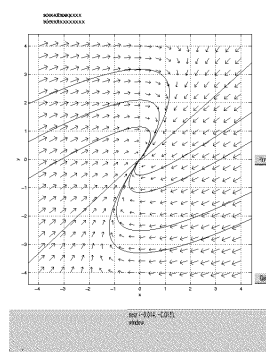
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G.



H.



ANSWERS

1. $0 \leq \gamma < 4$
2. (a) $k = 8$ (resonance) (b) NO value of k , all solutions are bounded.
3. $y = \frac{1}{25}(3 \sin t - 4 \cos t)$
4. $x(t) = \cos 5t + 2 \sin 5t = \sqrt{5} \cos(5t - \phi)$, $\phi = \cos^{-1} \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \approx 1.1$
Thus amplitude = $\sqrt{5}$.
5. $x_1(t) = C_1 e^{3t} + C_2 e^{-t}$, $x_2(t) = 2C_1 e^{3t} - 2C_2 e^{-t}$
6. Let $x_1 = y$, $x_2 = y'$, then $\begin{cases} x_1' = x_2 \\ x_2' = -3tx_1 - 2x_2 + \cos t \end{cases}$, where $x_1(0) = 1$, $x_2(0) = 4$
7. (a) $\lambda_1 = 3$, $\vec{v}^{(1)} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$; $\lambda_2 = -1$, $\vec{v}^{(2)} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}$

7. (b) $\lambda_1 = -1$, $\vec{v}^{(1)} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$; $\lambda_2 = -2$, $\vec{v}^{(2)} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$

8. $\vec{x}(t) = 2e^{3t} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} + e^{-t} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}$, $\Phi(t) = \begin{pmatrix} e^{3t} & e^{-t} \\ 2e^{3t} & -2e^{-t} \end{pmatrix}$

9. $\vec{x}(t) = 2e^t \begin{pmatrix} \sin t \\ \cos t \end{pmatrix} - e^t \begin{pmatrix} \cos t \\ -\sin t \end{pmatrix}$ 10. $\vec{x}(t) = C_1 e^t \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + C_2 \left\{ e^t \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} + t e^t \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$

11. $\begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix}' = \begin{pmatrix} -\frac{1}{10} & 0 \\ \frac{1}{10} & -\frac{1}{5} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix}$, $\begin{pmatrix} x_1(0) \\ x_2(0) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 50 \\ 75 \end{pmatrix}$
Solution : $\begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix} = 50e^{-\frac{t}{10}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} + 25e^{-\frac{t}{5}} \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$

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Solution : $\begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{125}{3} \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} - \frac{100}{3} e^{-\frac{3t}{10}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$

13. $\vec{x}(t) = C_1 e^{-t} \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} + C_2 e^{-2t} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} + e^t \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$ 14. $\vec{x}_p(t) = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$

15. $\vec{x}(t) = C_1 e^t \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} + C_2 e^{2t} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} + e^{-t} \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$ 16. (i) **C** (ii) **A** (iii) **B** (iv) **D**

Remark: There is an analogy between spring-mass systems and RLC circuits given by :

SPRING-MASS SYSTEM	RLC CIRCUIT
$mx'' + cx' + kx = F(t)$	$LQ'' + RQ' + \frac{1}{C}Q = E(t)$
$x =$ Displacement	$Q =$ Charge
$x' =$ Velocity	$Q' = I =$ Current
$m =$ Mass	$L =$ Inductance
$c =$ Damping constant	$R =$ Resistance
$k =$ Spring constant	$\frac{1}{C} = (\text{Capacitance})^{-1}$
$F(t) =$ External force	$E(t) =$ Voltage