

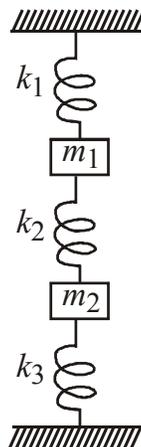
- h) For a displacement measuring instrument operating above its natural frequency, giving reference to the relationship, state if the indicated relative amplitude would be less than or greater than the absolute amplitude of vibrations.
- i) A system comprises of two masses m_1 and m_2 . Mass m_1 is attached to a support towards its left with the help of a string having stiffness K . The mass m_2 is attached to the mass m_1 by means of another spring of stiffness $2K$. Determine the four influence coefficients of the system.
- j) Determine the critical speed of a vertical shaft of stiffness $k = 5000\text{N/m}$, if it is carrying a disc of mass $m = 0.5\text{ kg}$ at its mid-point.

SECTION -B

2. Determine the magnitude (X_R) of the resultant of the following two vectors, which represent two harmonic motions:

$$x_1 = 3 \sin 20 t \quad \text{and} \quad x_2 = 4 \sin (20 t + \pi/2)$$

3. A mass, $m = 10\text{ kg}$ is supported on a suspension of stiffness, $k = 1\text{ kN/m}$ and damping coefficient, $c = 40\text{ N/m/s}$. If the mass is given an initial displacement, $X_0 = 25\text{mm}$, determine the residual amplitude (X_2) of free damped oscillations after two complete cycles.
4. Determine actual displacement, Y of a machine operating at 2400 rpm , if a vibrometer having natural frequency, $\omega_n = 4\text{Hz}$ placed on the machine shows a relative displacement, $Z = 0.2\text{mm}$. Assume damping ratio, $\zeta = 0$ for vibrometer.
5. For the 2DoF spring-mass system shown in figure constrained at both ends, the two springs at the lower and upper ends have a stiffness of $k_1 = 2000\text{ N/m}$, while the spring in the middle has a stiffness of $k_2 = 5000\text{N/m}$. If $m_1 = m_2 = 2\text{kg}$, determine the natural frequencies of the system. Also draw the corresponding mode-shapes if the masses are farthest apart at time $t = 0$.



6. A cantilever steel shaft having diameter 2cm carries two masses. The first mass weighs 10kg and is at a distance of 20cm from the support, while the second mass weighs 5kg and is mounted at the free end, which is at a distance of 30cm from the support. Obtain an estimate of first natural frequency of the system, given $E = 200 \text{ GPa}$ for steel.

SECTION - C

7. Using analytical method, determine the Fourier harmonics for the periodic function, given by: $f(t) = 20 t$ for $0 \leq t \leq 0.1$
8. The barrel of an artillery gun weighs 400kg. When it fires a shell weighing 0.5kg with a velocity of 1000 m/s, the barrel recoils by 20cm against a recoil spring. A viscous dashpot gets engaged at the end of the recoil stroke. Determine the damping coefficient of dashpot, if a damping factor of 1.2 is to be maintained. Neglecting preload of the recoil spring, determine the time taken by the barrel to return back to within 1 cm of the equilibrium position.
9. Derive the general solution for vibration of a stretched string for small amplitude of oscillation, so that the change in tension can be neglected. Assume a uniform distribution of mass (ρ) per unit length of the string.

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