

Modal Testing and Analysis

Undamped MDOF systems

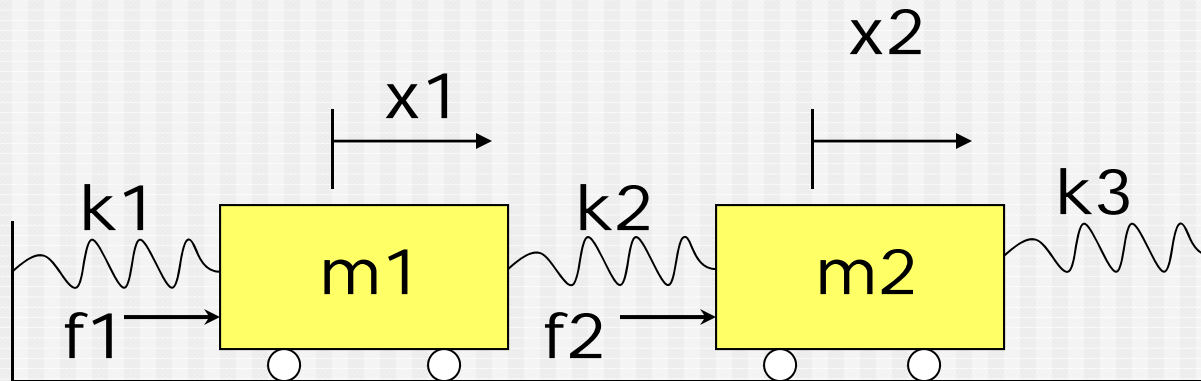
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Undamped MDOF systems

$$[M]\{\ddot{x}\} + [K]\{x\} = \{f(t)\}$$

$[M]$ and $[K]$ are $N \times N$ mass and stiffness matrices.

$\{f(t)\}$ is $N \times 1$ force vector



Undamped 2DOF system

$$m_1 \ddot{x}_1 + (k_1 + k_2)x_1 - k_2 x_2 = f_1$$

$$m_2 \ddot{x}_2 + (k_2 + k_3)x_2 - k_2 x_1 = f_2$$

or

$$\begin{bmatrix} m_1 & 0 \\ 0 & m_2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{Bmatrix} \ddot{x}_1 \\ \ddot{x}_2 \end{Bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} k_1 + k_2 & -k_2 \\ -k_2 & k_2 + k_3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{Bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{Bmatrix} = \begin{Bmatrix} f_1 \\ f_2 \end{Bmatrix}$$

$$m_1 = m_2 = 1\text{kg}$$

$$k_1 = k_3 = 0.4\text{MN} / \text{m}$$

$$k_2 = 0.8\text{MN} / \text{m}$$

Undamped 2DOF system

$$[M] = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$[K] = \begin{bmatrix} 1200000 & -800000 \\ -800000 & 800000 \end{bmatrix}$$

MDOF- Free Vibration

$$[M]\{\ddot{x}\} + [K]\{x\} = \{f(t)\}$$

$$\{f(t)\} = 0$$

$$\{x(t)\} = \{X\}e^{i\omega t}$$

$$([K] - \omega^2[M])\{X\}e^{i\omega t} = \{0\}$$

To have non-trivial solution:

$$\det |[K] - \omega^2[M]| = 0$$

MDOF- Free Vibration

Natural Frequencies:

$$\omega_1^2, \omega_2^2, \dots, \omega_r^2, \dots, \omega_N^2$$

Mode shapes:

$$\psi_1, \psi_2, \dots, \psi_r, \dots, \psi_N$$

Or in matrix form:

$$\begin{bmatrix} \cdot & \cdot & \omega_r^2 & \cdot & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \end{bmatrix}, [\Psi] \quad \text{Modal Model}$$

2DOF System- Free Vibration

$$\omega^4 - (2.4 \times 10^6)\omega^2 + (0.8 \times 10^{12}) = 0$$

Solving the equation:

$$\omega_1^2 = 4 \times 10^5 \text{ (Rad / s)}^2$$

$$\omega_2^2 = 2 \times 10^6 \text{ (Rad / s)}^2$$

Numerically:

$$[\omega_r^2] = \begin{bmatrix} 4 \times 10^5 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 \times 10^6 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$[\Psi] = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Orthogonality Properties of MDOF

The modal model possesses some very important Properties, stated as:

$$[\Psi]^T [M] [\Psi] = \begin{bmatrix} \cdot & \cdot & m_r & \cdot & \cdot \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{Modal mass matrix}$$

$$[\Psi]^T [K] [\Psi] = \begin{bmatrix} \cdot & \cdot & k_r & \cdot & \cdot \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{Modal stiffness matrix}$$

$$[\omega_r^2] = [m_r]^{-1} [k_r]$$

Exercise: Prove the orthogonality property of MDOF

Mass-normalisation

The mass normalized eigenvectors are written as $[\Phi]$
And have the following property:

$$[\Phi]^T [M] [\Phi] = [\cdot \cdot I \cdot \cdot]$$

$$[\Phi]^T [K] [\Phi] = [\cdot \cdot \omega_r^2 \cdot \cdot]$$

The relationship between mass normalised mode shape and its more general form $[\Psi]$ is:

$$\{\phi_r\} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{m_r}} \{\psi_r\} \quad \text{where} \quad m_r = \{\psi_r\}^T [M] \{\psi_r\}$$

$$[\Phi] = [\Psi] [m_r^{-1/2}]$$

Mass-normalisation of 2DOF

$$[\Psi]^T [M] [\Psi] = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix} = [m_r]$$

$$[\Psi]^T [K] [\Psi] = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1.2 & -.8 \\ -.8 & 1.2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} 10^6 = \begin{bmatrix} .8 & 0 \\ 0 & 4 \end{bmatrix} 10^6 = [k_r]$$

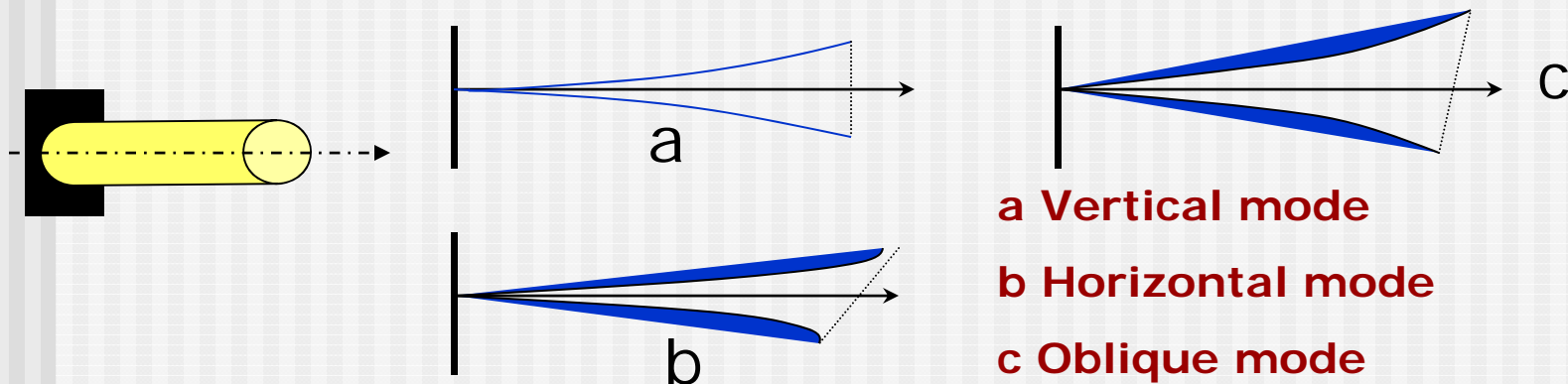
Clearly:

$$[m_r]^{-1} [k_r] = \begin{bmatrix} 0.4 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix} 10^6 = [\omega_r^2]$$

$$[\Phi] = [\Psi] [m_r^{-1/2}] = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} [m_r^{-1/2}] = \begin{bmatrix} .707 & .707 \\ .707 & -.707 \end{bmatrix}$$

Multiple modes

- The situation where two (or more) modes have the same natural frequency.
- It occurs in structures with a degree of symmetry, such as discs, rings, cylinders.
- Free vibration at such frequency may occur not only in each of the two modes but also in a linear combination of them.



Forced Response of MDOF

$$[M]\{\ddot{x}\} + [K]\{x\} = \{f(t)\}$$

$$([K] - \omega^2[M])\{X\}e^{i\omega t} = \{F\}e^{i\omega t}$$

Or by rearranging:

$$\{X\} = ([K] - \omega^2[M])^{-1}\{F\}$$

Which may be written as:

$$\{X\} = [H(\omega)]\{F\} \quad \text{Response model}$$

$$H_{jk}(\omega) = \frac{X_j}{F_k} \quad F_m = 0 \quad \text{for all } m \text{ except } m = k$$

Forced Response of MDOF

The values of matrix $[H]$ can be computed easily at each frequency point. However, this has several advantages:

- It becomes costly for large N .
- It is inefficient if only a few FRF expression is required.
- It provides no insight into the form of various FRF properties.

Therefore, we make use of modal properties for deriving the FRF parameters instead of spatial properties.

Forced Response of MDOF

$$([K] - \omega^2[M]) = [H(\omega)]^{-1}$$

Premultiply both sides by $[\Phi]^T$ and postmultiply by $[\Phi]$

$$[\Phi]^T ([K] - \omega^2[M])[\Phi] = [\Phi]^T [H(\omega)]^{-1}[\Phi]$$

$$[\omega_r^2 - \omega^2] = [\Phi]^T [H(\omega)]^{-1}[\Phi]$$

$$[H(\omega)] = [\Phi] \underbrace{[\omega_r^2 - \omega^2]^{-1}}_{\text{Diagonal matrix}} [\Phi]^T$$

Equation 1

Note that:

Diagonal matrix

$$[\Phi]^T [\Phi] = [\Phi][\Phi]^T = [I]$$

Forced Response of MDOF

As H is a symmetric matrix then:

$$H_{jk} = H_{kj}$$

or

$$X_j / F_k = X_k / F_j$$

Principle of reciprocity

Using equation 1:

$$H_{jk} = \sum_{r=1}^N \frac{\phi_{jr} \phi_{kr}}{\omega_r^2 - \omega^2} = \sum_{r=1}^N \frac{\psi_{jr} \psi_{kr}}{m_r (\omega_r^2 - \omega^2)}$$

or

$$H_{jk} = \sum_{r=1}^N \frac{{}_r A_{jk}}{\omega_r^2 - \omega^2}$$

Modal constant

Forced Response of 2DOF

$$[-m_1\omega^2 + (k_1 + k_2)]X_1 - k_2X_2 = F_1$$

$$[-m_2\omega^2 + (k_2 + k_3)]X_2 - k_2X_1 = F_2$$

Which gives:

$$\left(\frac{X_1}{F_1}\right)_{F_2=0} = \frac{k_2 + k_3 - m_2\omega^2}{m_1m_2\omega^4 - ((m_1 + m_2)k_2 + m_1k_3 + m_2k_1)\omega^2 + (k_1k_2 + k_1k_3 + k_2k_3)}$$

Numerically:

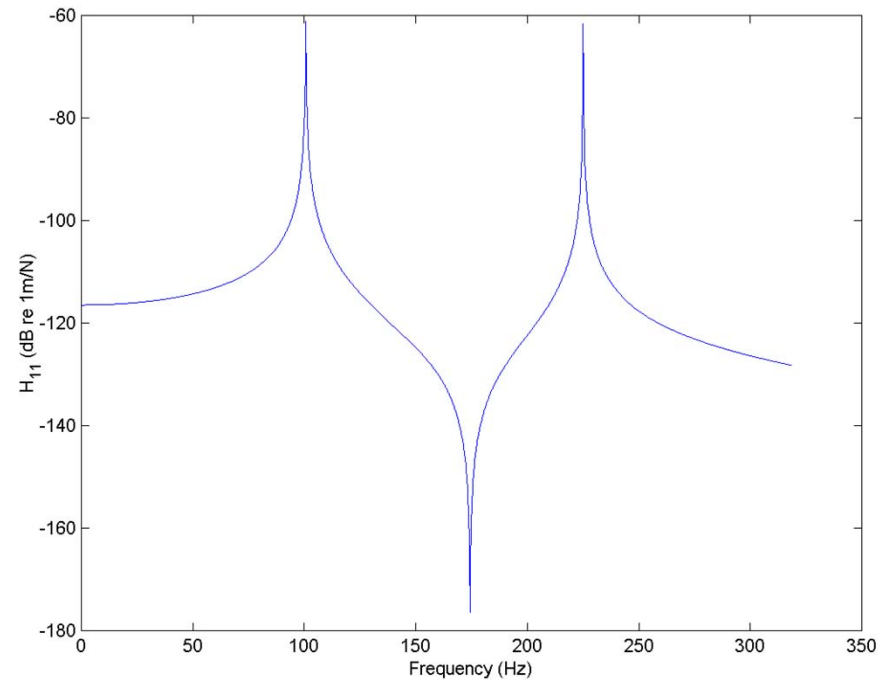
$$\left(\frac{X_1}{F_1}\right)_{F_2=0} = \frac{1.2 \times 10^6 - \omega^2}{\omega^4 - 2.4 \times 10^6 \omega^2 + 0.8 \times 10^{12}}$$

Forced Response of 2DOF

$$H_{11} = \left(\frac{X_1}{F_1} \right) = \frac{(\phi_{11})^2}{\omega_1^2 - \omega^2} + \frac{(\phi_{12})^2}{\omega_2^2 - \omega^2}$$

Or numerically:

$$H_{11} = \frac{0.5}{0.4 \times 10^6 - \omega^2} + \frac{0.5}{2 \times 10^6 - \omega^2}$$



Receptance FRF (H_{11}) for
2dof system