

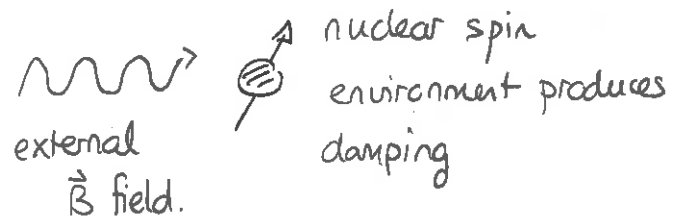
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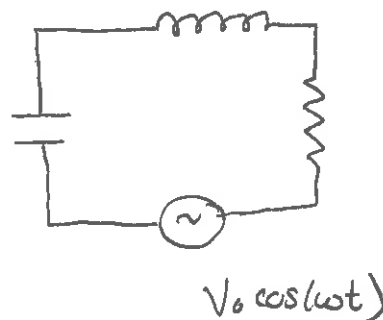
Driven damped oscillator

In many situations a damped oscillator is driven by a controllable external force. For example.

1) magnetic resonance



2) driven RLC circuit



The mathematics of these is identical to that of a spring mass system that is driven. The equation of motion is:

$$\boxed{\frac{d^2x}{dt^2} + \gamma \frac{dx}{dt} + \omega_0^2 x = \frac{F_0}{m} \cos(\omega t)} \quad (1)$$

where  $\omega_0 =$  natural frequency  
 $\omega =$  controllable driving frequency.

Again, we would like to:

- 1) determine steady state solutions to the equation of motion.
- 2) determine amplitudes of oscillation and how these depend on driving frequency
- 3) determine energy absorbed by the oscillator

We attempt a trial solution and find:

The steady-state solution to (1) is:

$$x(t) = A(\omega) \cos(\omega t - \delta)$$

where the amplitude of oscillation is:

$$A(\omega) = \frac{F_0/m}{\sqrt{(\omega_0^2 - \omega^2)^2 + \omega^2 \gamma^2}}$$

and the phase is:

$$\delta = \arctan \left[ \frac{\omega \gamma}{\omega_0^2 - \omega^2} \right]$$

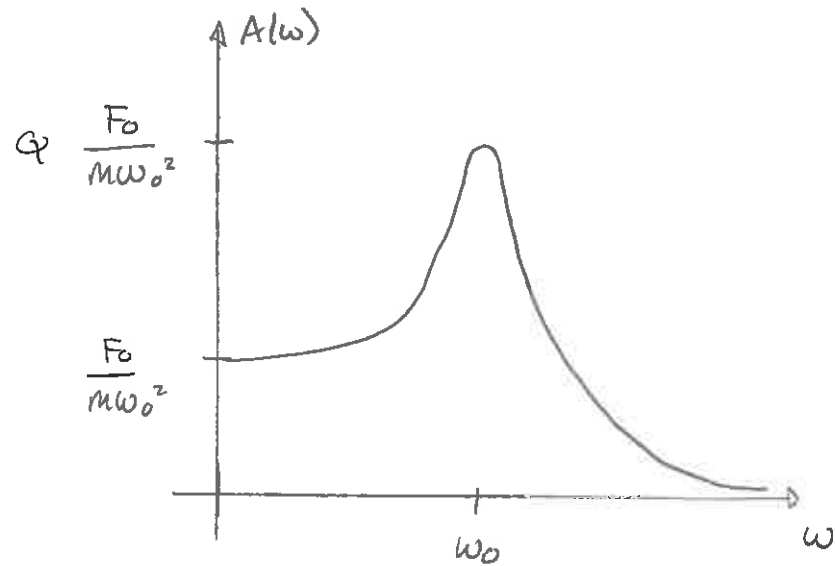
The amplitude varies with driving frequency.

1) as  $\omega \rightarrow 0$   $A(\omega) \rightarrow \frac{F_0}{m\omega_0^2}$

2) as  $\omega \rightarrow \infty$   $A(\omega) \rightarrow 0$

3) as  $\omega \rightarrow \omega_0$   $A(\omega) \rightarrow \frac{F_0}{m\omega_0^2 \gamma / \omega_0} = \frac{F_0}{m\omega_0 \gamma} Q$

We find a peak near  $\omega = \omega_0$



This peaked amplitude behavior when  $\omega \approx \omega_0$  is called resonance.

## Intermediate Dynamics: Group Exercises 7

### Driven Damped Oscillator

#### 1 Solutions to the equation of motion

The equation of motion for a damped driven oscillator is

$$\frac{d^2x}{dt^2} + \gamma \frac{dx}{dt} + \omega_0^2 x = \frac{F_0}{m} \cos \omega t \quad (1)$$

Consider the following candidate for the steady state solution to the equation of motion:

$$x(t) = A \cos(\omega t - \delta).$$

- A preliminary step involves rewriting the right hand side of Eq. (1). Note that  $\cos(\omega t) = \cos(\omega t - \delta + \delta)$ . Use this and a trigonometric identity to rewrite  $\cos(\omega t)$  as a linear combination of  $\cos(\omega t - \delta)$  and  $\sin(\omega t - \delta)$ .
- Substitute  $x(t)$  into the rewritten version of Eq. (1) and express the result as a linear combination of  $\cos(\omega t - \delta)$  and  $\sin(\omega t - \delta)$ . Use this to determine conditions that  $A$  and  $\delta$  must satisfy. Solve these to get expressions for  $A$  and  $\delta$ .

#### 2 Phase of oscillation for a driven damped oscillator.

The phase of a driven damped oscillator is.

$$\delta = \arctan \left[ \frac{\omega \gamma}{\omega_0^2 - \omega^2} \right].$$

The aim of this exercise is to explore this phase as a function of driving frequency and relate it to the motion of the oscillator.

- Rewrite  $\delta$  in terms of  $Q$  and  $u = \omega/\omega_0$ .
- Suppose that  $\omega \rightarrow 0$ . Determine an approximate expression for  $\delta$ . What does your result imply for the motion of the oscillator relative to the driving force?
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- Sketch a plot of  $\delta$  as a function of  $u$ .

## Ex 7

### Question 1

$$\begin{aligned} \text{a) } \cos(\omega t) &= \cos[(\omega t - \delta) + \delta] \\ &= \cos(\omega t - \delta) \cos \delta - \sin(\omega t - \delta) \sin \delta \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{b) } \frac{d^2 x}{dt^2} + \gamma \frac{dx}{dt} + \omega_0^2 x &= \frac{F_0}{m} \cos(\omega t - \delta) \cos \delta \\ &\quad - \frac{F_0}{m} \sin(\omega t - \delta) \sin \delta \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = -\omega A \sin(\omega t - \delta)$$

$$\frac{d^2 x}{dt^2} = -\omega^2 A \cos(\omega t - \delta)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow -\omega^2 A \cos(\omega t - \delta) - \gamma \omega A \sin(\omega t - \delta) + \omega_0^2 A \cos(\omega t - \delta) \\ = \frac{F_0}{m} \cos \delta \cos(\omega t - \delta) - \frac{F_0}{m} \sin \delta \sin(\omega t - \delta) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow \left[ (\omega_0^2 - \omega^2) A - \frac{F_0}{m} \cos \delta \right] \cos(\omega t - \delta) \\ + \left[ -\gamma \omega A + \frac{F_0}{m} \sin \delta \right] \sin(\omega t - \delta) = 0 \end{aligned}$$

This is only true at all times if:

$$(\omega_0^2 - \omega^2) A = \frac{F_0}{m} \cos \delta$$

$$\gamma \omega A = \frac{F_0}{m} \sin \delta$$

Immediately we get:

$$\frac{\frac{F_0}{m} \sin \delta}{\frac{F_0}{m} \cos \delta} = \frac{\omega \gamma}{\omega_0^2 - \omega^2} \Rightarrow \tan \delta = \frac{\omega \gamma}{\omega_0^2 - \omega^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \delta = \arctan\left[\frac{\omega \gamma}{\omega_0^2 - \omega^2}\right]$$

Now

$$\left(\frac{F_0}{m} \cos \delta\right)^2 + \left(\frac{F_0}{m} \sin \delta\right)^2 = (\omega_0^2 - \omega^2)^2 A^2 + \omega^2 \gamma^2 A^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{F_0}{m}\right)^2 \underbrace{[\cos^2 \delta + \sin^2 \delta]}_{=1} = [(\omega_0^2 - \omega^2)^2 + \omega^2 \gamma^2] A^2$$

$$\Rightarrow A = \frac{F_0}{m} \frac{1}{\sqrt{(\omega_0^2 - \omega^2)^2 + \omega^2 \gamma^2}}$$

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a) Note that  $Q = \omega_0/\gamma$  gives  $\gamma = \omega_0/Q$ . Thus

$$\begin{aligned}\delta &= \arctan \left[ \frac{\omega\gamma}{\omega_0^2 - \omega^2} \right] \\ &= \arctan \left[ \frac{\omega\omega_0/Q}{\omega_0^2 - \omega^2} \right] \\ &= \arctan \left[ \frac{\omega\omega_0}{\omega_0^2 Q} \frac{1}{1 - \omega^2/\omega_0^2} \right] \\ &= \arctan \left[ \frac{\omega}{\omega_0 Q} \frac{1}{1 - \omega^2/\omega_0^2} \right] \\ &= \arctan \left[ \frac{u}{Q} \frac{1}{1 - u^2} \right] \\ &= \arctan \left[ \frac{1}{Q} \frac{u}{1 - u^2} \right].\end{aligned}$$

b) If  $\omega \rightarrow 0$  then  $u \rightarrow 0$ . Thus

$$\delta \rightarrow \arctan \left[ \frac{u}{Q} \right] \rightarrow \arctan 0 = 0.$$

*The oscillator moves in step with the driving force.*

c) If  $\omega \rightarrow \infty$  then  $u \rightarrow \infty$ . Thus

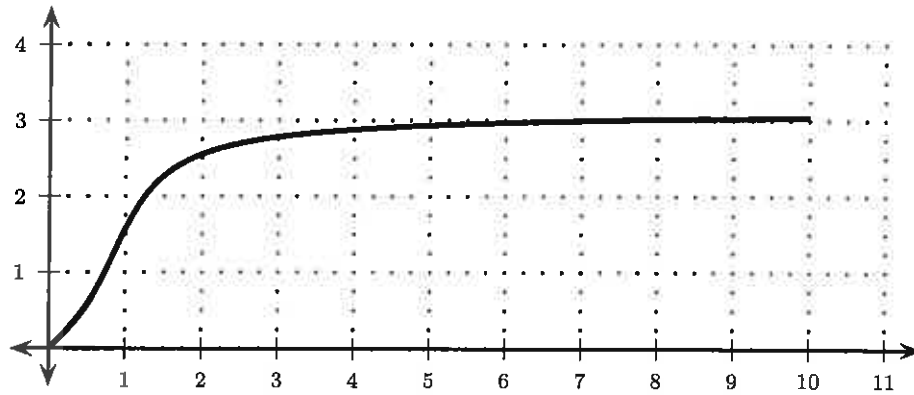
$$\delta \rightarrow \arctan \left[ \frac{u}{-Qu^2} \right] = \arctan \left[ \frac{1}{-Qu} \right] \rightarrow \pi$$

*since the argument of arctan is negative. The oscillator opposite to the driving force.*

d) Here  $u = 1$  and

$$\delta \rightarrow \arctan[\infty] = \frac{\pi}{2}.$$

e) This depends on the value of  $Q$ . For  $Q = 1$ ,



For  $Q = 100$ ,

