

***Chapter 5: Linear systems with several
degrees of freedom***

5.1 Degrees of freedom

The independent variables needed to describe a moving system are called degrees of freedom. If there are N independent variables q_i , we write N Lagrange equations:

$$\begin{cases} \frac{d}{dt} \left(\frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{q}_1} \right) - \left(\frac{\partial L}{\partial q_1} \right) = - \frac{\partial D}{\partial \dot{q}_1} + F_1(t) \\ \frac{d}{dt} \left(\frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{q}_2} \right) - \left(\frac{\partial L}{\partial q_2} \right) = - \frac{\partial D}{\partial \dot{q}_2} + F_2(t) \\ \vdots \\ \frac{d}{dt} \left(\frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{q}_N} \right) - \left(\frac{\partial L}{\partial q_N} \right) = - \frac{\partial D}{\partial \dot{q}_N} + F_N(t) \end{cases}$$

5.1.1 Types of coupling

5.1.1.a Coupling by elasticity

The coupling between the two systems is through a spring (capacitance).

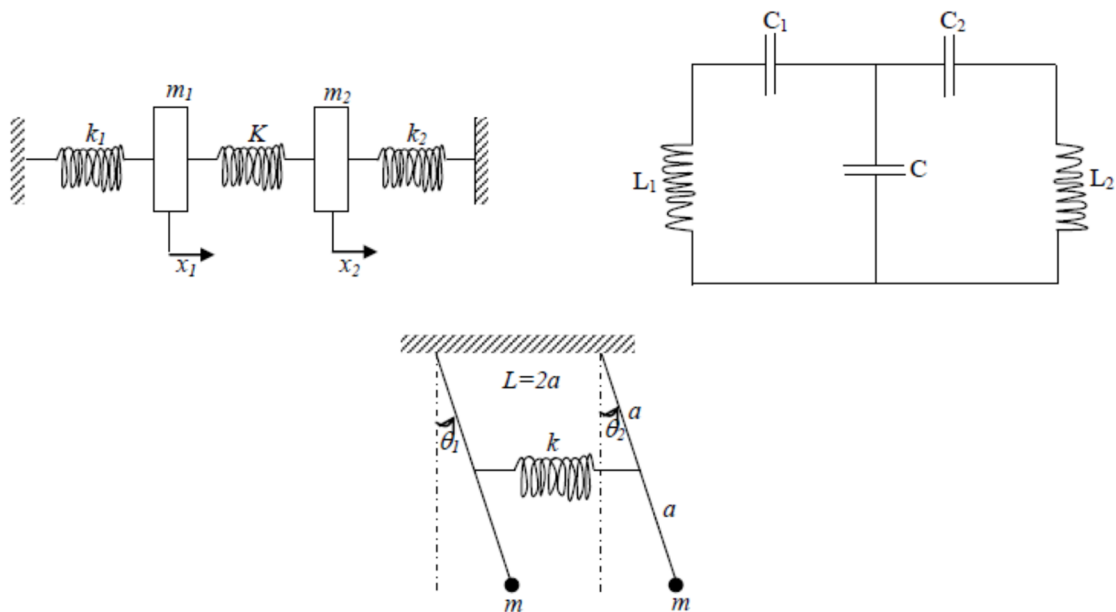


Figure 5.1: Different mechanical and electrical systems coupled by elasticity

5.1.1.b Couplage inertiel

The coupling between the two systems is through a mass (coil).

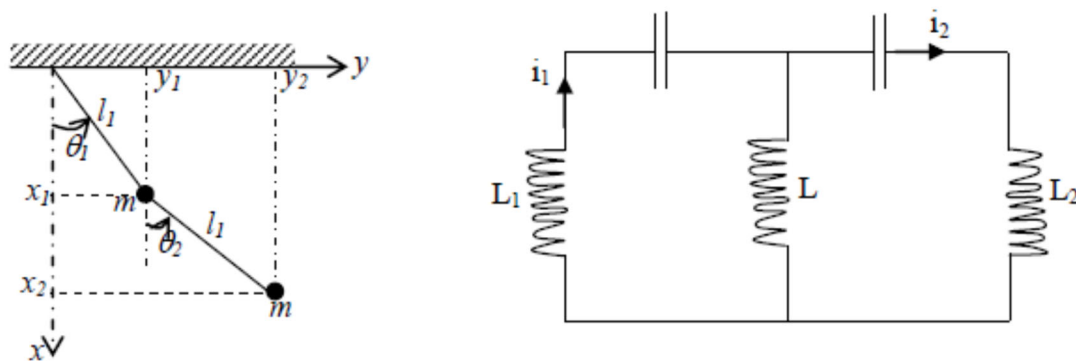


Figure 5.2 : Mechanical and electrical systems coupled by inertia

5.1.1.c Viscous coupling

The coupling between the two systems is through a damper (resistor).

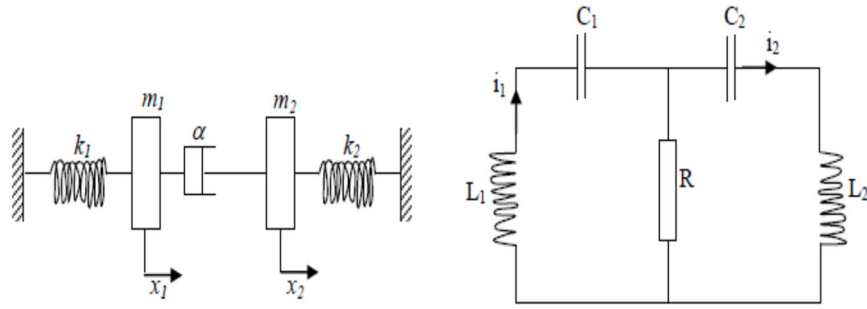


Figure 5.3: Viscous coupling of different mechanical and electrical systems

5.2 Free systems with two degrees of freedom

5.2.1 Equation of motion

Consider the free opposite system. The two independent variables are x_1 and x_2 . k is called the coupling element.

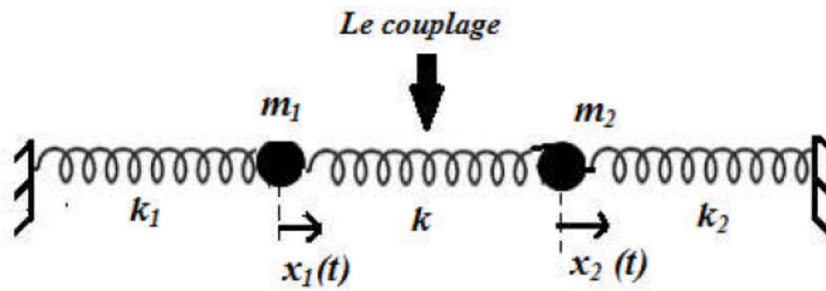


Figure 5.4: Oscillatory motion of a coupled system with two degrees of freedom

The kinetic energy is written as follows:

$$E_c = T = \sum_{i=1}^2 \frac{1}{2} m_i \dot{x}_i^2 = \frac{1}{2} m_1 \dot{x}_1^2 + \frac{1}{2} m_2 \dot{x}_2^2$$

For the potential energy we have:

$$E_p = U = \frac{1}{2} k(x_1 - x_2)^2 + \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^2 k_i x_i^2 = \frac{1}{2} k_1 x_1^2 + \frac{1}{2} k_2 x_2^2 + \frac{1}{2} k(x_1 - x_2)^2$$

Hence the Lagrangian is written:

$$\begin{aligned} L &= T - U = \frac{1}{2} m_1 \dot{x}_1^2 + \frac{1}{2} m_2 \dot{x}_2^2 - \frac{1}{2} k_1 x_1^2 - \frac{1}{2} k_2 x_2^2 - \frac{1}{2} k(x_1 - x_2)^2 \\ L &= \frac{1}{2} m_1 \dot{x}_1^2 + \frac{1}{2} m_2 \dot{x}_2^2 - \frac{1}{2} k_1 x_1^2 - \frac{1}{2} k_2 x_2^2 - \frac{1}{2} k(x_1^2 + x_2^2 - 2x_1 x_2) \\ L &= \frac{1}{2} m_1 \dot{x}_1^2 + \frac{1}{2} m_2 \dot{x}_2^2 - \frac{1}{2} k_1 x_1^2 - \frac{1}{2} k_2 x_2^2 - \frac{1}{2} k x_1^2 - \frac{1}{2} k x_2^2 - \frac{1}{2} k(-2x_1 x_2) \\ L &= \frac{1}{2} m_1 \dot{x}_1^2 + \frac{1}{2} m_2 \dot{x}_2^2 - \frac{1}{2} k_1 x_1^2 - \frac{1}{2} k_2 x_2^2 - \frac{1}{2} k x_1^2 - \frac{1}{2} k x_2^2 + k x_1 x_2 \end{aligned}$$

The two Lagrange equations are written: (For $D=0$, $F=0$: *system non damped and non forced*)

The coupled differential system then becomes:

$$\begin{aligned} \begin{cases} \frac{d}{dt} \left(\frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{x}_1} \right) - \left(\frac{\partial L}{\partial x_1} \right) = 0 \\ \frac{d}{dt} \left(\frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{x}_2} \right) - \left(\frac{\partial L}{\partial x_2} \right) = 0 \end{cases} &\Rightarrow \begin{cases} \frac{d}{dt} \left(\frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{x}_1} \right) = m_1 \ddot{x}_1, \left(\frac{\partial L}{\partial x_1} \right) = -k_1 x_1 - k x_1 + k x_2 \\ \frac{d}{dt} \left(\frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{x}_2} \right) = m_2 \ddot{x}_2, \left(\frac{\partial L}{\partial x_2} \right) = -k_2 x_2 - k x_2 + k x_1 \end{cases} \\ \begin{cases} m_1 \ddot{x}_1 + (k_1 + k) x_1 - k x_2 = 0 \\ m_2 \ddot{x}_2 + (k + k_2) x_2 - k x_1 = 0 \end{cases} &\Rightarrow \begin{cases} \ddot{x}_1 + \frac{(k_1 + k)}{m_1} x_1 - \frac{k}{m_1} x_2 = 0 \\ \ddot{x}_2 + \frac{(k + k_2)}{m_2} x_2 - \frac{k}{m_2} x_1 = 0 \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$

5.2.2 Eigen modes

In normal mode (or eigen) the solution of the preceding equation is the form of a superposition of the two eigen modes, as follows:

$$x_1 = A_1 \cos(\omega t + \varphi_1).$$

$$x_2 = A_2 \cos(\omega t + \varphi_2).$$

A_1 , A_2 , φ , Depending on the initial conditions. To find ω , use the complex representation:

$$\begin{aligned} \begin{cases} x_1 = A_1 \cos(\omega t + \varphi_1) \rightarrow \tilde{x}_1 = A_1 e^{j(\omega t + \varphi_1)} = \tilde{A}_1 e^{j\omega t} \\ x_2 = A_2 \cos(\omega t + \varphi_2) \rightarrow \tilde{x}_2 = A_2 e^{j(\omega t + \varphi_2)} = \tilde{A}_2 e^{j\omega t} \end{cases} \\ \begin{cases} \tilde{x}_1 = \tilde{A}_1 e^{j\omega t} \\ \tilde{x}_2 = \tilde{A}_2 e^{j\omega t} \end{cases} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} \dot{\tilde{x}}_1 = j\omega \tilde{A}_1 e^{j\omega t} \\ \dot{\tilde{x}}_2 = j\omega \tilde{A}_2 e^{j\omega t} \end{cases} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} \ddot{\tilde{x}}_1 = (j\omega)^2 \tilde{A}_1 e^{j\omega t} = -\omega^2 \tilde{A}_1 e^{j\omega t} \\ \ddot{\tilde{x}}_2 = (j\omega)^2 \tilde{A}_2 e^{j\omega t} = -\omega^2 \tilde{A}_2 e^{j\omega t} \end{cases} \\ \begin{cases} \ddot{x}_1 + \frac{(k_1 + k)}{m_1} x_1 - \frac{k}{m_1} x_2 = 0 \\ \ddot{x}_2 + \frac{(k + k_2)}{m_2} x_2 - \frac{k}{m_2} x_1 = 0 \end{cases} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} -\omega^2 \tilde{A}_1 e^{j\omega t} + \frac{(k_1 + k)}{m_1} \tilde{A}_1 e^{j\omega t} - \frac{k}{m_1} \tilde{A}_2 e^{j\omega t} = 0 \\ -\omega^2 \tilde{A}_2 e^{j\omega t} + \frac{(k + k_2)}{m_2} \tilde{A}_2 e^{j\omega t} - \frac{k}{m_2} \tilde{A}_1 e^{j\omega t} = 0 \end{cases} \\ \begin{cases} -\omega^2 \tilde{A}_1 e^{j\omega t} + \frac{(k_1 + k)}{m_1} \tilde{A}_1 e^{j\omega t} - \frac{k}{m_1} \tilde{A}_2 e^{j\omega t} = 0 \\ -\omega^2 \tilde{A}_2 e^{j\omega t} + \frac{(k + k_2)}{m_2} \tilde{A}_2 e^{j\omega t} - \frac{k}{m_2} \tilde{A}_1 e^{j\omega t} = 0 \end{cases} \\ \Rightarrow \begin{cases} \left(-\omega^2 + \frac{(k_1 + k)}{m_1} \right) \tilde{A}_1 e^{j\omega t} - \left(\frac{k}{m_1} \right) \tilde{A}_2 e^{j\omega t} = 0 \\ \left(-\omega^2 + \frac{(k + k_2)}{m_2} \right) \tilde{A}_2 e^{j\omega t} - \left(\frac{k}{m_2} \right) \tilde{A}_1 e^{j\omega t} = 0 \end{cases} \\ \begin{cases} \left(-\omega^2 + \frac{(k_1 + k)}{m_1} \right) \tilde{A}_1 - \left(\frac{k}{m_1} \right) \tilde{A}_2 = 0 \\ \left(-\omega^2 + \frac{(k + k_2)}{m_2} \right) \tilde{A}_2 - \left(\frac{k}{m_2} \right) \tilde{A}_1 = 0 \end{cases} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} \left(-\omega^2 + \frac{(k_1 + k)}{m_1} \right) \tilde{A}_1 - \left(\frac{k}{m_1} \right) \tilde{A}_2 = 0 \\ -\left(\frac{k}{m_2} \right) \tilde{A}_1 + \left(-\omega^2 + \frac{(k + k_2)}{m_2} \right) \tilde{A}_2 = 0 \end{cases} \\ \begin{cases} (-\omega^2 + a) \tilde{A}_1 - b \tilde{A}_2 = 0 \\ -c \tilde{A}_1 + (-\omega^2 + d) \tilde{A}_2 = 0 \end{cases} \\ a = \frac{k + k_1}{m_1}, \quad b = \frac{k}{m_1}, \quad c = \frac{k}{m_2}, \quad d = \frac{k + k_2}{m_2}. \end{aligned}$$

For the equation to be true without $\tilde{A}_1$ and $\tilde{A}_2$ both being zero, its characteristic determinant must be zero:

$$\Delta(\omega) = \begin{vmatrix} (-\omega^2 + a) & -b \\ -c & (-\omega^2 + d) \end{vmatrix} = (-\omega^2 + a)(-\omega^2 + d) - (-c)(-b) = 0$$

$$\Delta(\omega) = \omega^4 - \omega^2 d - \omega^2 a + ad - bc = \omega^4 - (d + a)\omega^2 + (ad - bc) = 0$$

This gives us the characteristic equation:

$$\omega^4 - (d + a)\omega^2 + (ad - bc) = 0$$

The two real and positive solutions ω_1 and ω_2 of this equation are called proper or normal pulsations. The smaller one is called the fundamental, the other is called the harmonic.

First eigenmode: For $\omega = \omega_1$, the system implies that:

$$\begin{cases} (-\omega^2 + a)\tilde{A}_1 - b\tilde{A}_2 = 0 \\ -c\tilde{A}_1 + (-\omega^2 + d)\tilde{A}_2 = 0 \end{cases} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} (-\omega^2 + a)\tilde{A}_1 = b\tilde{A}_2 \\ (-\omega^2 + d)\tilde{A}_2 = c\tilde{A}_1 \end{cases}$$

$$\frac{\tilde{A}_1(1)}{\tilde{A}_2(1)} = \frac{-\omega_1^2 + d}{c} > 0.$$

The vibration is said to be in phase because the solution is written in this case

$$\begin{cases} x_{1(1)} = A_{1(1)} \cos(\omega_1 t + \varphi) \\ x_{2(1)} = A_{2(1)} \cos(\omega_1 t + \varphi) \end{cases}$$

Second eigenmode: For $\omega = \omega_2$, the system implies that:

$$\frac{\tilde{A}_1(2)}{\tilde{A}_2(2)} = \frac{-\omega_2^2 + d}{c} < 0. \text{ The vibration is said to be in phase opposition because the solution is written in this case:}$$

$$\begin{cases} x_{1(2)} = A_{1(2)} \cos(\omega_2 t + \varphi) \\ x_{2(2)} = -A_{2(2)} \cos(\omega_2 t + \varphi) \end{cases}$$

In the general case, the system vibrates in a superposition of these two eigenmodes.

5.3 Forced system with two degrees of freedom

5.3.1 Motion equations

Consider the opposite system.

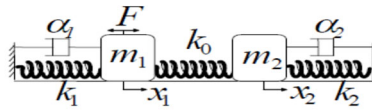


Figure 5.5: Oscillatory motion of a coupled system with two degrees of freedom

The kinetic energy is written as follows:

$$E_c = T = \sum_{i=1}^2 \frac{1}{2} m_i \dot{x}_i^2 = \frac{1}{2} m_1 \dot{x}_1^2 + \frac{1}{2} m_2 \dot{x}_2^2$$

For the potential energy we have:

$$E_p = U = \frac{1}{2} k(x_1 - x_2)^2 + \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^2 k_i x_i^2 = \frac{1}{2} k_1 x_1^2 + \frac{1}{2} k_2 x_2^2 + \frac{1}{2} k_0 (x_1 - x_2)^2$$

Hence the Lagrangian is written:

$$\begin{aligned}
L = T - U &= \frac{1}{2}m_1\dot{x}_1^2 + \frac{1}{2}m_2\dot{x}_2^2 - \frac{1}{2}k_1x_1^2 - \frac{1}{2}k_2x_2^2 - \frac{1}{2}k_0(x_1 - x_2)^2 \\
L &= \frac{1}{2}m_1\dot{x}_1^2 + \frac{1}{2}m_2\dot{x}_2^2 - \frac{1}{2}k_1x_1^2 - \frac{1}{2}k_2x_2^2 - \frac{1}{2}k_0(x_1^2 + x_2^2 - 2x_1x_2) \\
L &= \frac{1}{2}m_1\dot{x}_1^2 + \frac{1}{2}m_2\dot{x}_2^2 - \frac{1}{2}k_1x_1^2 - \frac{1}{2}k_2x_2^2 - \frac{1}{2}k_0x_1^2 - \frac{1}{2}k_0x_2^2 - \frac{1}{2}k_0(-2x_1x_2) \\
L &= \frac{1}{2}m_1\dot{x}_1^2 + \frac{1}{2}m_2\dot{x}_2^2 - \frac{1}{2}k_1x_1^2 - \frac{1}{2}k_2x_2^2 - \frac{1}{2}k_0x_1^2 - \frac{1}{2}k_0x_2^2 + k_0x_1x_2
\end{aligned}$$

The two Lagrange equations are written: (For $D = \frac{1}{2}\alpha_1\dot{x}_1^2 + \frac{1}{2}\alpha_2\dot{x}_2^2$ and $F_0 \cos \omega t$)

$$\begin{aligned}
\begin{cases} \frac{d}{dt} \left(\frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{x}_1} \right) - \left(\frac{\partial L}{\partial x_1} \right) + \frac{\partial D}{\partial \dot{x}_1} = +F \\ \frac{d}{dt} \left(\frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{x}_2} \right) - \left(\frac{\partial L}{\partial x_2} \right) + \frac{\partial D}{\partial \dot{x}_2} = 0 \end{cases} &\Rightarrow \\
\Rightarrow \begin{cases} \frac{d}{dt} \left(\frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{x}_1} \right) = m_1\ddot{x}_1, \left(\frac{\partial L}{\partial x_1} \right) = -k_1x_1 - k_0x_1 + k_0x_2, \frac{\partial D}{\partial \dot{x}_1} = \alpha_1\dot{x}_1 \\ \frac{d}{dt} \left(\frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{x}_2} \right) = m_2\ddot{x}_2, \left(\frac{\partial L}{\partial x_2} \right) = -k_2x_2 - k_0x_2 + k_0x_1, \frac{\partial D}{\partial \dot{x}_2} = \alpha_2\dot{x}_2 \end{cases} \\
\begin{cases} m_1\ddot{x}_1 + (k_1 + k_0)x_1 + \alpha_1\dot{x}_1 - k_0x_2 = F_0 \cos \omega t \\ m_2\ddot{x}_2 + (k_0 + k_2)x_2 + \alpha_2\dot{x}_2 - k_0x_1 = 0 \end{cases} & \\
\Rightarrow \begin{cases} \ddot{x}_1 + \frac{(k_1 + k_0)}{m_1}x_1 - \frac{k_0}{m_1}x_2 + \frac{\alpha_1}{m_1}\dot{x}_1 = \frac{F_0}{m_1} \cos \omega t \\ \ddot{x}_2 + \frac{(k_0 + k_2)}{m_2}x_2 - \frac{k_0}{m_2}x_1 + \frac{\alpha_2}{m_2}\dot{x}_2 = 0 \end{cases} &
\end{aligned}$$

5.3.2 Resonance and antiresonance

With $D=0$ and $F \neq 0$: *forced system but non damped*) The permanent solution is:

$$\begin{cases} x_1 = A_1 \cos(\omega t + \varphi_1) \\ x_2 = A_2 \cos(\omega t + \varphi_2) \end{cases}$$

A_1, A_2, φ_2 depend on the excitation pulse ω and F_0 . To find A_1, A_2 , use the complex representation

When $D = 0$:

$$\begin{aligned}
\begin{cases} x_1 = A_1 \cos(\omega t + \varphi_1) \rightarrow \tilde{x}_1 = A_1 e^{j(\omega t + \varphi_1)} = \tilde{A}_1 e^{j\omega t} \\ x_2 = A_2 \cos(\omega t + \varphi_2) \rightarrow \tilde{x}_2 = A_2 e^{j(\omega t + \varphi_2)} = \tilde{A}_2 e^{j\omega t} \end{cases} \\
F(t) = F_0 \cos \omega t \rightarrow \tilde{F}(t) = F_0 e^{j\omega t} \\
\begin{cases} \tilde{x}_1 = \tilde{A}_1 e^{j\omega t} \\ \tilde{x}_2 = \tilde{A}_2 e^{j\omega t} \end{cases} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} \dot{\tilde{x}}_1 = j\omega \tilde{A}_1 e^{j\omega t} \\ \dot{\tilde{x}}_2 = j\omega \tilde{A}_2 e^{j\omega t} \end{cases} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} \ddot{\tilde{x}}_1 = (j\omega)^2 \tilde{A}_1 e^{j\omega t} = -\omega^2 \tilde{A}_1 e^{j\omega t} \\ \ddot{\tilde{x}}_2 = (j\omega)^2 \tilde{A}_2 e^{j\omega t} = -\omega^2 \tilde{A}_2 e^{j\omega t} \end{cases} \\
\begin{cases} \ddot{x}_1 + \frac{(k_1 + k_0)}{m_1}x_1 - \frac{k_0}{m_1}x_2 = \frac{F_0}{m_1} e^{j\omega t} \\ \ddot{x}_2 + \frac{(k_0 + k_2)}{m_2}x_2 - \frac{k_0}{m_2}x_1 = 0 \end{cases} \\
\Rightarrow \begin{cases} -\omega^2 \tilde{A}_1 e^{j\omega t} + \frac{(k_1 + k_0)}{m_1} \tilde{A}_1 e^{j\omega t} - \frac{k_0}{m_1} \tilde{A}_2 e^{j\omega t} = \frac{F_0}{m_1} e^{j\omega t} \\ -\omega^2 \tilde{A}_2 e^{j\omega t} + \frac{(k_0 + k_2)}{m_2} \tilde{A}_2 e^{j\omega t} - \frac{k_0}{m_2} \tilde{A}_1 e^{j\omega t} = 0 \end{cases}
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{cases}
-\omega^2 \tilde{A}_1 e^{j\omega t} + \frac{(k_1 + k_0)}{m_1} \tilde{A}_1 e^{j\omega t} - \frac{k_0}{m_1} \tilde{A}_2 e^{j\omega t} = \frac{F_0}{m_1} e^{j\omega t} \\
-\omega^2 \tilde{A}_2 e^{j\omega t} + \frac{(k_0 + k_2)}{m_2} \tilde{A}_2 e^{j\omega t} - \frac{k_0}{m_2} \tilde{A}_1 e^{j\omega t} = 0
\end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases}
\left(-\omega^2 + \frac{(k_1 + k_0)}{m_1} \right) \tilde{A}_1 e^{j\omega t} - \left(\frac{k_0}{m_1} \right) \tilde{A}_2 e^{j\omega t} = \frac{F_0}{m_1} e^{j\omega t} \\
\left(-\omega^2 + \frac{(k_0 + k_2)}{m_2} \right) \tilde{A}_2 e^{j\omega t} - \left(\frac{k_0}{m_2} \right) \tilde{A}_1 e^{j\omega t} = 0
\end{cases}$$

$$\begin{cases}
\left(-\omega^2 + \frac{(k_1 + k_0)}{m_1} \right) \tilde{A}_1 - \left(\frac{k_0}{m_1} \right) \tilde{A}_2 = \frac{F_0}{m_1} \\
\left(-\omega^2 + \frac{(k_0 + k_2)}{m_2} \right) \tilde{A}_2 - \left(\frac{k_0}{m_2} \right) \tilde{A}_1 = 0
\end{cases} \Rightarrow \begin{cases}
\left(-\omega^2 + \frac{(k_1 + k_0)}{m_1} \right) \tilde{A}_1 - \left(\frac{k_0}{m_1} \right) \tilde{A}_2 = \frac{F_0}{m_1} \\
-\left(\frac{k_0}{m_2} \right) \tilde{A}_1 + \left(-\omega^2 + \frac{(k_0 + k_2)}{m_2} \right) \tilde{A}_2 = 0
\end{cases}$$

Case where: $m_1=m_2=m$ and $k_0=k_1=k_2=k$.

By posing $\omega_0^2 = \frac{k}{m}$, the equation becomes

$$\begin{cases}
\left(-\omega^2 + 2\frac{k}{m} \right) \tilde{A}_1 - \frac{k}{m} \tilde{A}_2 = \frac{F_0}{m} \\
-\frac{k}{m} \tilde{A}_1 + \left(-\omega^2 + 2\frac{k}{m} \right) \tilde{A}_2 = 0
\end{cases}$$

$$\begin{cases}
(-\omega^2 + 2\omega_0^2) \tilde{A}_1 - \omega_0^2 \tilde{A}_2 = \frac{F_0}{m} \dots\dots\dots (1) \\
-\omega_0^2 \tilde{A}_1 + (-\omega^2 + 2\omega_0^2) \tilde{A}_2 = 0 \dots\dots\dots (2)
\end{cases}$$

$$(2) \Rightarrow +(-\omega^2 + 2\omega_0^2) \tilde{A}_2 = +\omega_0^2 \tilde{A}_1$$

$$\tilde{A}_2 = \frac{\omega_0^2}{(-\omega^2 + 2\omega_0^2)} \tilde{A}_1 \dots\dots\dots (3)$$

we remplace (3) by (1)

$$(-\omega^2 + 2\omega_0^2) \tilde{A}_1 - \omega_0^2 \frac{\omega_0^2}{(-\omega^2 + 2\omega_0^2)} \tilde{A}_1 = \frac{F_0}{m}$$

$$(-\omega^2 + 2\omega_0^2) \tilde{A}_1 - \frac{\omega_0^4}{(-\omega^2 + 2\omega_0^2)} \tilde{A}_1 = \frac{F_0}{m}$$

$$\left((-\omega^2 + 2\omega_0^2) - \frac{\omega_0^4}{(-\omega^2 + 2\omega_0^2)} \right) \tilde{A}_1 = \frac{F_0}{m}$$

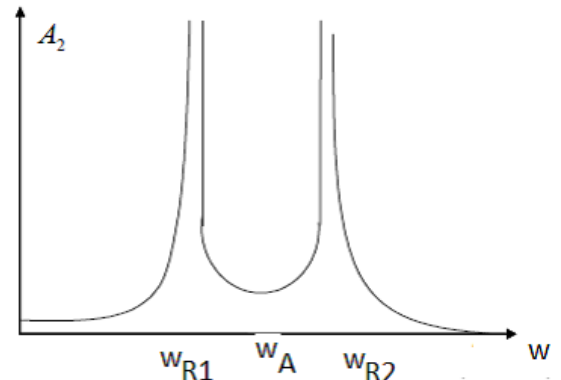
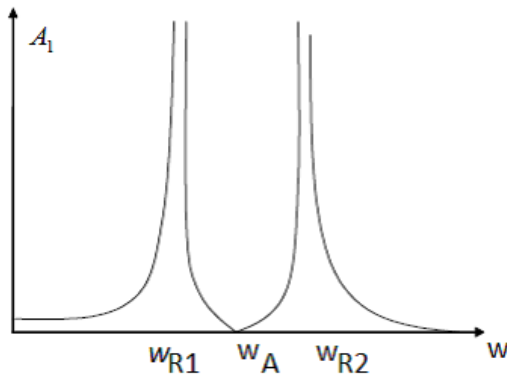
$$\left(\frac{(-\omega^2 + 2\omega_0^2)(-\omega^2 + 2\omega_0^2) - \omega_0^4}{(-\omega^2 + 2\omega_0^2)} \right) \tilde{A}_1 = \frac{F_0}{m}$$

$$\left(\frac{(-\omega^2 + 2\omega_0^2)^2 - \omega_0^4}{(-\omega^2 + 2\omega_0^2)} \right) \tilde{A}_1 = \frac{F_0}{m}$$

$$\begin{cases}
\tilde{A}_1 = \frac{F_0}{m} \frac{(-\omega^2 + 2\omega_0^2)}{((-\omega^2 + 2\omega_0^2)^2 - \omega_0^4)} \\
\tilde{A}_2 = \frac{\omega_0^2}{(-\omega^2 + 2\omega_0^2)} \tilde{A}_1 = \frac{F_0}{m} \frac{\omega_0^2}{(-\omega^2 + 2\omega_0^2)} \frac{(-\omega^2 + 2\omega_0^2)}{((-\omega^2 + 2\omega_0^2)^2 - \omega_0^4)} = \frac{F_0}{m} \frac{\omega_0^2}{((-\omega^2 + 2\omega_0^2)^2 - \omega_0^4)}
\end{cases}$$

$A_1=A_2=\infty$ when

- ✓ $\omega \cong \omega_0 \cong \omega_{R1}$ (called first **Resonance** pulsation.)
- ✓ $\omega \cong \sqrt{3}\omega_0 \cong \omega_{R2}$ $\omega=\sqrt{3}\omega_0 \equiv \omega_{R2}$ (called second **Resonance** pulsation.)
- ✓ $A_1=0$ lorsque $\omega \cong \sqrt{2}\omega_0 \cong \omega_A$ (called **antiresonance** pulsation.)



5.3.3 Input and transfer impedance

(With $D \neq 0$ and $F \neq 0$: Damped and forced system)

In electricity, the impedance is defined by $\tilde{z} = \frac{F}{i_1}$. By analogy, we define the mechanical impedance by $\tilde{z} = \frac{F}{\tilde{v}}$. $\tilde{z}_E = \frac{F}{\tilde{v}_1}$ is called input impedance. $\tilde{z}_T = \frac{F}{\tilde{v}_2}$ is called transfer impedance.

To find them we still use the complex representation:

$$F(t) = F_0 \cos \omega t \rightarrow \tilde{F}(t) = F_0 e^{j\omega t}$$

$$\begin{cases} x_1 = A_1 \cos(\omega t + \varphi_1) \rightarrow \tilde{x}_1 = A_1 e^{j(\omega t + \varphi_1)} = \tilde{A}_1 e^{j\omega t} \\ x_2 = A_2 \cos(\omega t + \varphi_2) \rightarrow \tilde{x}_2 = A_2 e^{j(\omega t + \varphi_2)} = \tilde{A}_2 e^{j\omega t} \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{cases} \tilde{v}_1 = j\omega \tilde{x}_1 \Rightarrow \tilde{x}_1 = \frac{\tilde{v}_1}{j\omega} \\ \tilde{v}_2 = j\omega \tilde{x}_2 \Rightarrow \tilde{x}_2 = \frac{\tilde{v}_2}{j\omega} \end{cases}$$

So

$$\begin{cases} \tilde{x}_1 = j\omega \tilde{v}_1 \\ \tilde{x}_2 = j\omega \tilde{v}_2 \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{cases} m_1 \tilde{x}_1 + (k_1 + k_0) \tilde{x}_1 + \alpha_1 \tilde{x}_1 - k_0 \tilde{x}_2 = \tilde{F} \\ m_2 \tilde{x}_2 + (k_0 + k_2) \tilde{x}_2 + \alpha_2 \tilde{x}_2 - k_0 \tilde{x}_1 = 0 \end{cases} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} \left(j\omega m_1 + \frac{k_1}{j\omega} + \frac{k_0}{j\omega} + \alpha_1 \right) \tilde{v}_1 - \frac{k_0}{j\omega} \tilde{v}_2 = \tilde{F} \\ \left(j\omega m_2 + \frac{k_2}{j\omega} + \frac{k_0}{j\omega} + \alpha_2 \right) \tilde{v}_2 - \frac{k_0}{j\omega} \tilde{v}_1 = 0 \end{cases}$$

By posing $j\omega m_1 + \frac{k_1}{j\omega} + \alpha_1 = \tilde{z}_1, j\omega m_2 + \frac{k_2}{j\omega} + \alpha_2 = \tilde{z}_2, \frac{k_0}{j\omega} = \tilde{z}_0$ we obtain

$$\begin{cases} (\tilde{z}_1 + \tilde{z}_0) \tilde{v}_1 - \tilde{z}_0 \tilde{v}_2 = \tilde{F} \\ (\tilde{z}_2 + \tilde{z}_0) \tilde{v}_2 - \tilde{z}_0 \tilde{v}_1 = 0 \end{cases} \Rightarrow F = \left(\tilde{z}_1 + \tilde{z}_0 - \frac{\tilde{z}_0^2}{(\tilde{z}_2 + \tilde{z}_0)} \right) \tilde{v}_1 = \left(\tilde{z}_1 + \frac{\tilde{z}_2 \tilde{z}_0}{(\tilde{z}_2 + \tilde{z}_0)} \right) \tilde{v}_1$$

➤ The input impedance is $z_E = \frac{F}{\tilde{v}_1} = \left(\tilde{z}_1 + \frac{\tilde{z}_0 \tilde{z}_2}{(\tilde{z}_2 + \tilde{z}_0)} \right) \equiv \left(\frac{\tilde{z}_1 + \tilde{z}_0}{\tilde{z}_2} \right)$

➤ The transfer impedance is $z_T = \frac{F}{\tilde{v}_2} = \tilde{z}_1 + \tilde{z}_2 + \frac{\tilde{z}_1 \tilde{z}_2}{\tilde{z}_0}$