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**Lecture 30**<sup>1</sup>

**Reading:**

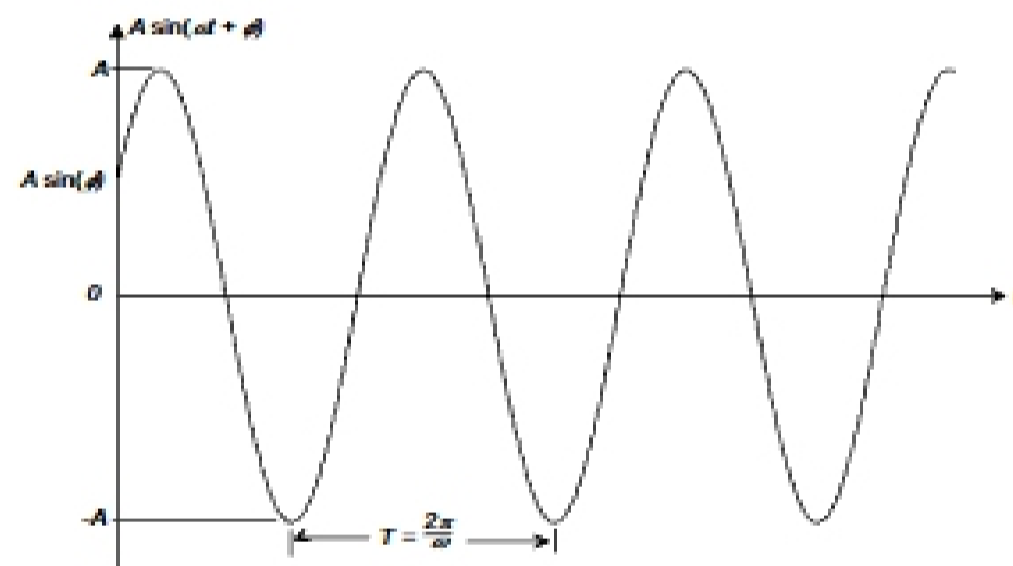
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**1 Sinusoidal Frequency Response**

**1.1 Definitions**

Consider a sinusoidal waveform

$$f(t) = A \sin(\omega t + \phi)$$



where

$A$  is the amplitude (in appropriate units)

$\omega$  is the angular frequency (rad/s)

$\phi$  is the phase (rad)

In addition we can define

$T$  the period  $T = 2\pi/\omega$  (s)

$f$  the frequency, ( $f = 1/T = \omega/2\pi$ ) (Hz)

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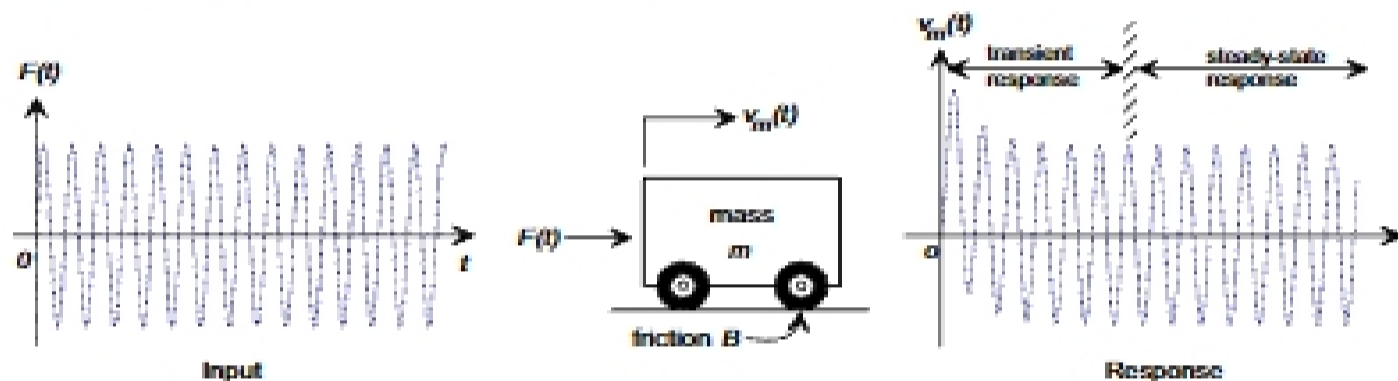
**The Euler Formulas:** We will frequently need the Euler formulas

$$\begin{aligned} e^{j\omega t} &= \cos(\omega t) + j \sin(\omega t) \\ e^{-j\omega t} &= \cos(\omega t) - j \sin(\omega t) \end{aligned}$$

or conversely

$$\begin{aligned} \cos(\omega t) &= \frac{1}{2} (e^{j\omega t} + e^{-j\omega t}) \\ \sin(\omega t) &= \frac{1}{2j} (e^{j\omega t} - e^{-j\omega t}) \end{aligned}$$

## 1.2 The Steady-State Sinusoidal Response



Assume a system, such as shown above, is excited by a sinusoidal input. The total response will have two components a) a transient component, and a steady-state component

$$y(t) = y_h(t) + y_p(t).$$

We define the steady-state component as the particular solution  $y_p(t)$ . Let the system differential equation be

$$a_n \frac{d^n y}{dt^n} + a_{n-1} \frac{d^{n-1} y}{dt^{n-1}} + \dots + a_1 \frac{dy}{dt} + a_0 y = b_m \frac{d^m u}{dt^m} + b_{m-1} \frac{d^{m-1} u}{dt^{m-1}} + \dots + b_1 \frac{du}{dt} + b_0 u$$

with a complex exponential input

$$u(t) = e^{j\omega t}.$$

Assume a particular solution  $y_p(t)$  to be of the same form as the input, that is

$$y_p(t) = A e^{j\omega t}$$

and since

$$\frac{d^k y_p}{dt^k} = A (j\omega)^k e^{j\omega t}$$

substitution into the differential equation gives:

$$\begin{aligned} &(a_n (j\omega)^n + a_{n-1} (j\omega)^{n-1} + \dots + a_1 (j\omega) + a_0) A e^{j\omega t} \\ &= (b_m (j\omega)^m + b_{m-1} (j\omega)^{m-1} + \dots + (b_1 j\omega) + b_0) e^{j\omega t} \end{aligned}$$