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AAE 340 HOMEWORK #2 SOLUTIONS

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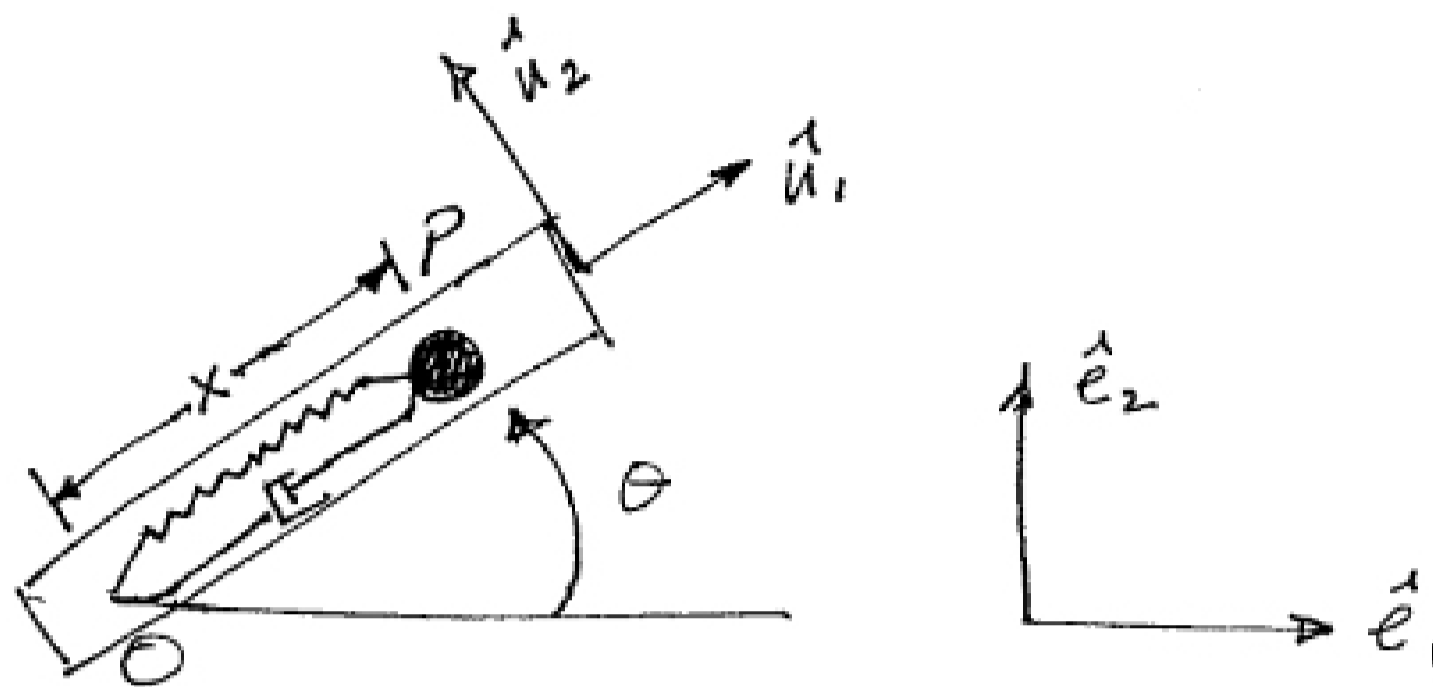
1. MASS-SPRING-DAMPER IN A SPINNING TUBE

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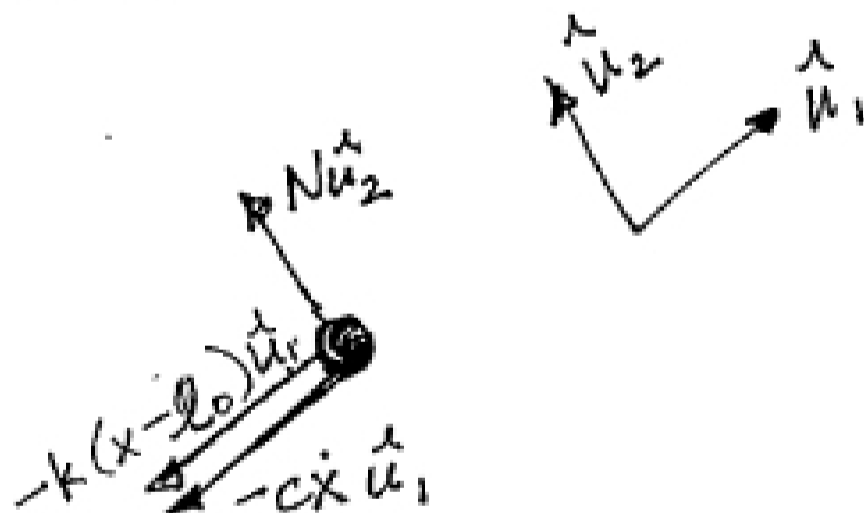


A PARTICLE, P, OF MASS m SLIDES IN A SMOOTH TUBE WHICH ROTATES AT A CONSTANT LENGTH, l_0 , IS ZERO. THE SPRING HAS A CONSTANT OF k AND THE DAMPER HAS A DAMPING COEFFICIENT OF c .

ASSUMPTIONS:

- GRAVITY CAN BE NEGLECTED
- FRICTIONLESS

1a) STEP 1: FBD



STEP 2: FIND \vec{a}^{OP} FROM KINEMATICS IN SAME COORDINATES AS FORCES (u-COORDINATES) WHERE $\vec{\omega}^u = \dot{\theta} \hat{u}_3$

$$\vec{R}^{OP} = x \hat{u}_1$$

VELOCITY:

$$\vec{v}^{OP} = \frac{d}{dt} \vec{R}^{OP} + \vec{\omega}^u \times \vec{R}^{OP}$$

$$e^{\hat{v}^{OP}} = \frac{d}{dt}(x\hat{u}_1) + (\dot{\theta}\hat{u}_3) \times (x\hat{u}_1)$$

$$e^{\hat{v}^{OP}} = \dot{x}\hat{u}_1 + x\dot{\theta}\hat{u}_2$$

ACCELERATION:

$$e^{\hat{a}^{OP}} = \frac{d}{dt}(\dot{x}\hat{u}_1 + x\dot{\theta}\hat{u}_2) + \dot{\theta}\hat{u}_3 \times (\dot{x}\hat{u}_1 + x\dot{\theta}\hat{u}_2)$$

$$e^{\hat{a}^{OP}} = \ddot{x}\hat{u}_1 + \dot{x}\dot{\theta}\hat{u}_2 + \dot{x}\dot{\theta}\hat{u}_2 - x\dot{\theta}^2\hat{u}_1$$

$$e^{\hat{a}^{OP}} = (\ddot{x} - x\dot{\theta}^2)\hat{u}_1 + 2\dot{x}\dot{\theta}\hat{u}_2$$

STEP 3: NEWTON'S 2ND LAW ($\sum \vec{F} = m e^{\hat{a}^{OP}}$)

$$-k(x - l_0)\hat{u}_1 - c\dot{x}\hat{u}_1 + N\hat{u}_2 = m[(\ddot{x} - x\dot{\theta}^2)\hat{u}_1 + 2\dot{x}\dot{\theta}\hat{u}_2]$$

STEP 4: WRITE SCALAR EQUATIONS AND IDENTIFY EOM

$$\hat{u}_1: -kx + kl_0 - c\dot{x} = m\ddot{x} - mx\dot{\theta}^2$$

$$m\ddot{x} + c\dot{x} - mx\dot{\theta}^2 + kx = kl_0$$

SINCE $l_0 = 0$

$$\ddot{x} + \frac{c}{m}\dot{x} - x\dot{\theta}^2 + \frac{k}{m}x = 0$$

$$\boxed{\ddot{x} + \frac{c}{m}\dot{x} + \left(\frac{k}{m} - \dot{\theta}^2\right)x = 0}$$

(b) FIND AN EXPRESSION FOR THE CONSTRAINT FORCE ALONG \hat{u}_2

$$\hat{u}_2: \boxed{N = 2\dot{x}\dot{\theta}m}$$

1c) LET $k = m \left(\frac{d\theta}{dt} \right)^2$ AND SHOW THAT THE EOM CAN BE PUT
IN THE FORM $\ddot{x} + 2\zeta\omega_n \dot{x} = 0$

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$$\ddot{x} + \frac{c}{m} \dot{x} + \left(\frac{k}{m} - \dot{\theta}^2 \right) x = 0$$

$$k = m \dot{\theta}^2$$

SUBSTITUTE IN

$$\ddot{x} + \frac{c}{m} \dot{x} + \left(\frac{m \dot{\theta}^2}{m} - \dot{\theta}^2 \right) x = 0$$

$$\ddot{x} + \frac{c}{m} \dot{x} + (\dot{\theta}^2 - \dot{\theta}^2) x = 0$$

$$\ddot{x} + \frac{c}{m} \dot{x} = 0$$

$$\text{LET } \frac{c}{m} = 2\zeta\omega_n$$

$$\boxed{\ddot{x} + 2\zeta\omega_n \dot{x} = 0}$$

1d) FIND ANALYTICAL SOLUTION FOR $x(t)$ FOR 1c

$$x = C e^{st}$$

$$\dot{x} = C s e^{st}$$

$$\ddot{x} = C s^2 e^{st}$$

$$C s^2 e^{st} + 2\zeta\omega_n C s e^{st} = 0$$

$$C s e^{st} [s + 2\zeta\omega_n] = 0$$

$$s = 0$$

$$s = -2\zeta\omega_n$$

$$x(t) = C_1 + C_2 e^{-2\zeta\omega_n t}$$

INITIAL CONDITIONS: $x(0) = 0, \dot{x}(0) = 0$

$$x(0) = C_1 + C_2 e^{-2\zeta\omega_n(0)}$$

$$x(0) = C_1 + C_2 = x_0$$