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Question - 1

Given data

$$E = 29000 \text{ ksi}$$

$$I = 150 \text{ in}^4$$

$$L = 10 \text{ ft} = 10 \times 12 = 120 \text{ inch}$$

$$W = 7742 \text{ lb}$$

Sol:

The general E.O.M for SDOF system is

$$ku + cu' + m\ddot{u} = p(t)$$

In our case system is undamped ($c=0$) undergoing free vibration $p(t)=0$

Hence general EOM = $ku + m\ddot{u} = 0$

$$k = \frac{3EI}{L^3}$$

$$k = \frac{3 \times 29000 \times 150}{(120)^3}$$

$$k = 7.5521 \text{ k/in}$$

$$k = \frac{7.5521 \times 1000}{1/12}$$

$$k = 90625 \text{ lb/ft}$$

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$$m = \frac{W}{g}$$

$$m = \frac{7742}{32.2}$$

$$m = 240.43 \text{ slug}$$

$$\omega_n = \sqrt{\frac{k}{m}}$$

$$\omega_n = \sqrt{\frac{90625}{240.43}}$$

$$\omega_n = 19.41 \text{ rad/sec}$$

$$T_n = \frac{2\pi}{\omega_n}$$

$$T_n = \frac{2 \times 3.14}{19.41}$$

$$T_n = 0.324 \text{ sec}$$

so

$$k u + m \ddot{u} = 0$$

$$90625 u + 240.43 \ddot{u} = 0$$

* where 'k' is in lb/ft and 'm' is in lb sec²/ft

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A general solution to EOM for undamped free vibration is

$$u(t) = u(0) \cos(\omega_n t) + \frac{\dot{u}(0)}{\omega_n} \sin(\omega_n t)$$

$$u(0) = \frac{1}{24} \text{ in} \Rightarrow \frac{1}{24} \text{ in} \quad \text{and} \quad \dot{u}(0) = 0$$

$$u(t) = \frac{1}{24} \cos(19.41t) + \frac{0}{19.41} \sin(19.41t)$$

$$u(t) = \frac{1}{24} \cos(19.41t)$$

Equivalent static force at any time 't' is

$$F_s(t) = k \cdot u(t) = \frac{90625 \cos(19.41t)}{24}$$

$$F_s(t) = 3776.04 \cos(19.41t)$$

Amplitude of dynamic displacement, u_0 for undamped free vibration is

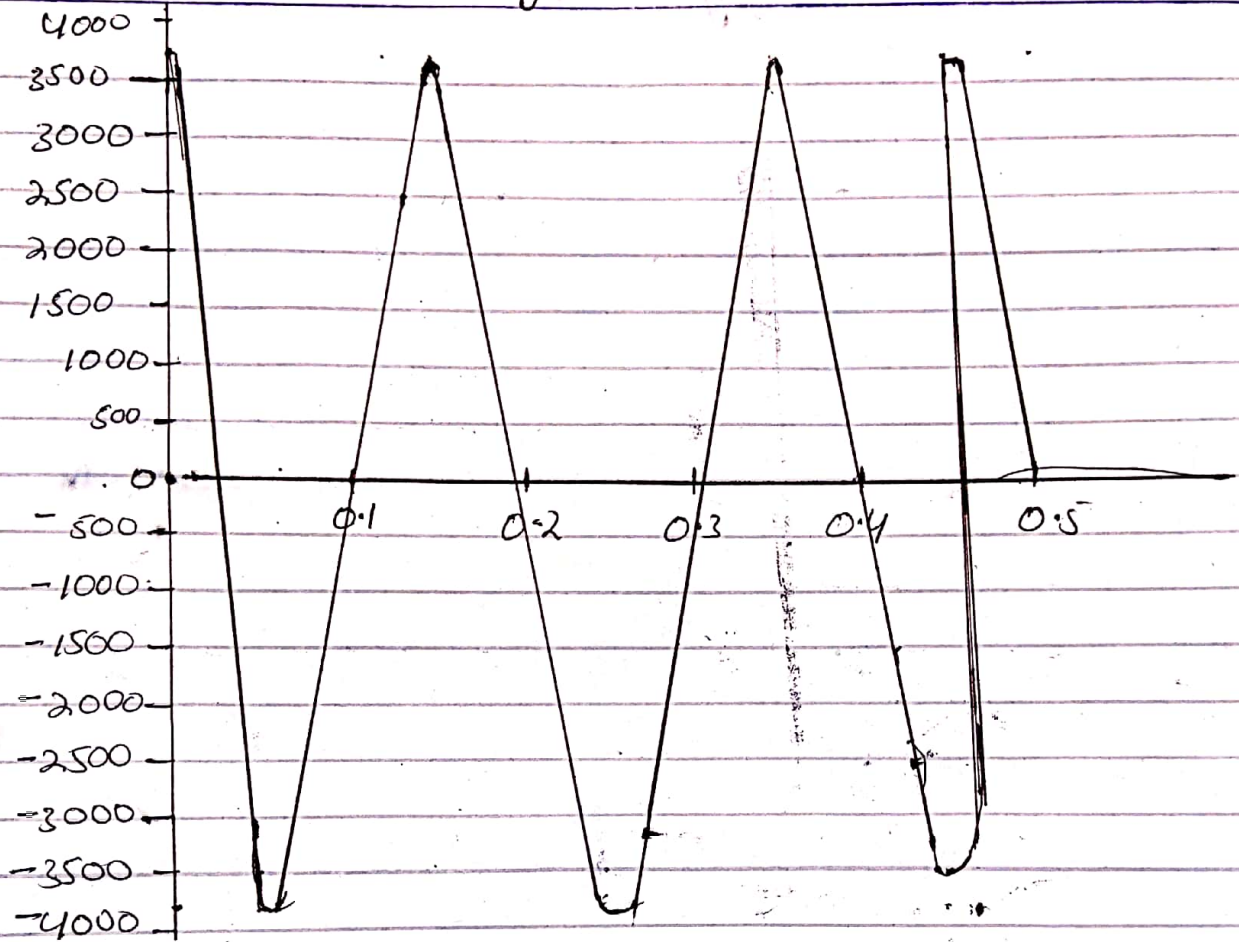
$$u_0 = \sqrt{(u(0))^2 + \left(\frac{\dot{u}(0)}{\omega_n}\right)^2}$$

$$u_0 = \sqrt{\left(\frac{1}{24}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{0}{19.41}\right)^2}$$

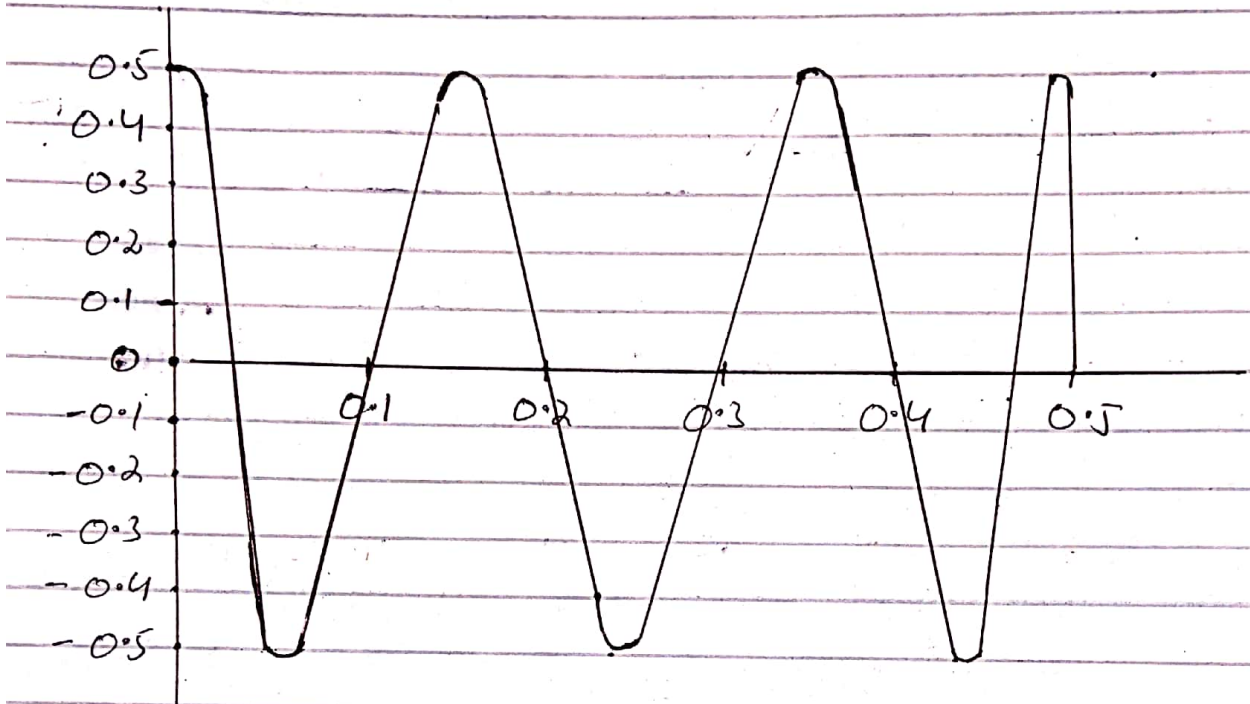
$$u_0 = \frac{1}{24} \text{ in}$$

$$k u_0 = 90625 \times \frac{1}{24} \Rightarrow 3776.04 \text{ lb}$$

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variation of Equivalent Static Forces with time



variation of displacement with time

Question - 2:

Given:

→ Consider Damping ratio $\zeta = 0.03$

→ $m = 240 \text{ lb} \cdot \text{sec}^2 / \text{ft}$

→ $k = 90625 \text{ lb/ft}$

→ $\omega_n = 19.41 \text{ rad/sec}$

SOL:

E.O.M for damped free vibration is

$$kx + c\dot{x} + m\ddot{x} = 0 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$c = \zeta \times 2m\omega_n$$

$$c = 0.03 \times 2(240)(19.41)$$

$$c = 279.504 \text{ lb} \cdot \text{sec} / \text{ft}$$

Put value in eqn (1)

~~$$90625x + 85.26x$$~~

$$90625 + 279.504\dot{x} + 240\ddot{x} = 0$$

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solution to E.O.M for damped
free vibration is

$$u(t) = e^{-\zeta \omega_n t} \left[u(0) \cos(\omega_D t) + \frac{1}{\omega_D} [\dot{u}(0) + u(0) \zeta \omega_n] \sin(\omega_D t) \right]$$

$$\omega_D = 19.41 \text{ rad/sec}$$

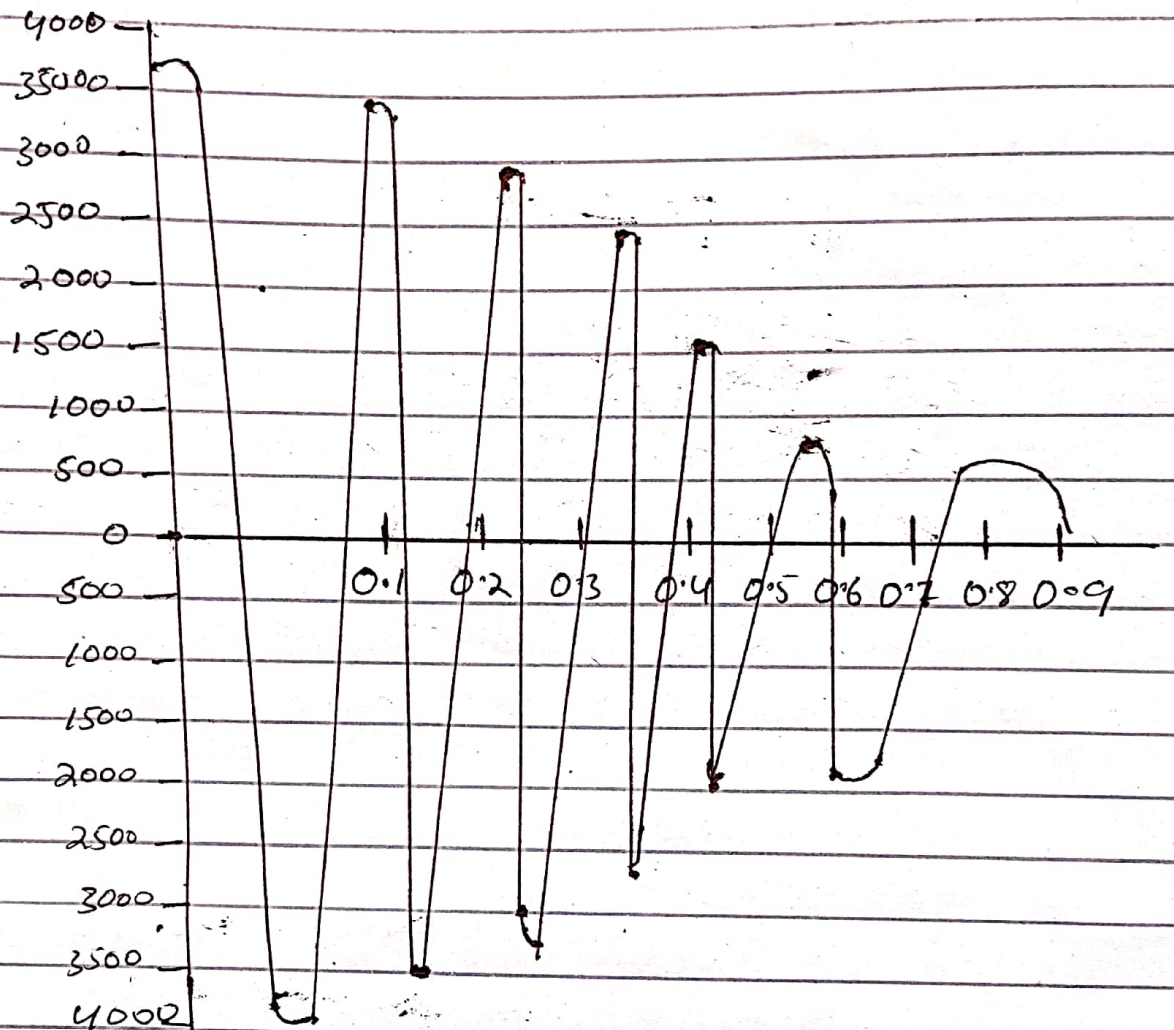
$$u(t) = e^{-0.03 \times 19.41 t} \left[\frac{1}{24} \cos(19.41 t) + \frac{1}{19.41} \left[0 + \frac{1}{24} \times 0.03 \times 19.41 \sin(19.41 t) \right] \right]$$

$$u(t) = e^{-0.5823 t} \left[0.4167 \cos(19.41 t) + 0.00125 \sin(19.41 t) \right]$$

$$F_s(t) = k \cdot u(t)$$

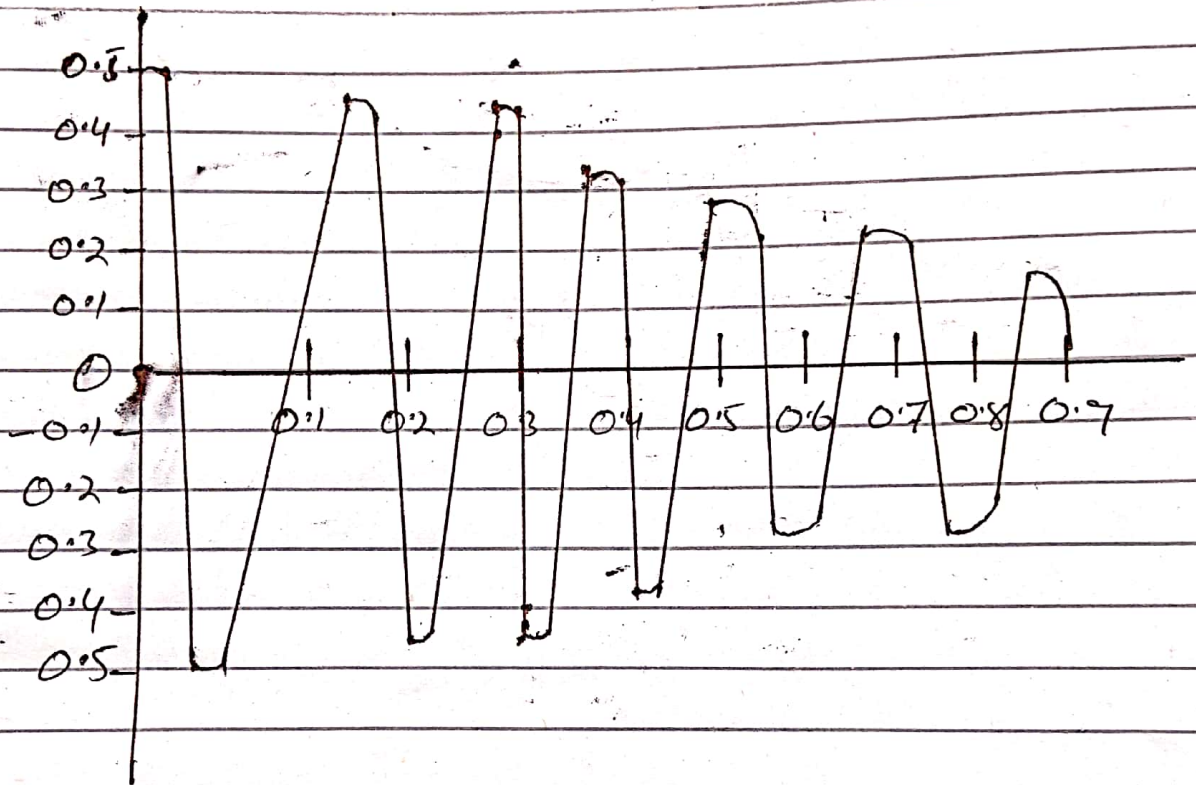
$$F_s(t) = 90625 \times e^{-0.5823 t} \left[0.4167 \cos(19.41 t) + 0.00125 \sin(19.41 t) \right]$$

$$F_s(t) = e^{-0.5823 t} \left[37763 \cos(19.41 t) + 113.28 \sin(19.41 t) \right]$$



variation of displacement with time ^{static} Equivalent forces

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variation of displacement
with time

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Question - 3:

Given data:

→ Force = 60 kips

→ Tank is displaced = $\frac{7742}{1000} = 7.742''$

→ cycle = $j = 7$ cycles

→ Time = $t = 3.57$ sec

→ Amplitude of displacement = 2.286 cm
= 0.9 inches

Sol:

part a) $U_1 = 7.742''$

After $j = 7$, $U_{j+1} = U_{7+1} = U_8 = 0.9''$

$$j = \frac{1}{2\pi\zeta} \ln \left[\frac{U_1}{U_{j+1}} \right]$$

$$7 = \frac{1}{2 \times 3.14\zeta} \ln \left[\frac{7.742}{0.9} \right]$$

$$7 = 0.343/\zeta$$

$$\zeta = 0.049 = 4.9\%$$

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part b: natural period of un-damped vibration

7 cycles in 3.57 seconds

Time required to complete one cycle = $\frac{3.57}{7}$

$$T_D = 0.51 \text{ sec}$$

NOW

$$\omega_D = \omega_n \sqrt{1 - \zeta^2}$$

$$\frac{2\pi}{\omega_D} = 2\pi / \omega_n \sqrt{1 - \zeta^2}$$

$$T_D = \frac{T_n}{\sqrt{1 - \zeta^2}}$$

$$T_n = T_D \times \sqrt{1 - \zeta^2}$$

$$T_n = 0.51 \times \sqrt{1 - (0.049)^2}$$

$$T_n = 0.5093 = 0.51 \text{ sec}$$

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Part C: stiffness of structure
(k):

$$k = \frac{60 \cos 60^\circ}{7.742}$$

$$= 3.875 \text{ k/in}$$

$$k = 46500 \text{ lb/ft}$$

Part D: weight of tank, w :

$$\omega_n = \sqrt{\frac{k}{m}} = \sqrt{\frac{k}{\left(\frac{w}{g}\right)}} = \sqrt{\frac{k \times g}{w}}$$

$$\omega_n^2 = \frac{k g}{w}$$

$$\text{Also } \omega_n = 2\pi / T_n$$

$$w = \frac{k g}{T_n^2}$$

$$w = \frac{k g T_n^2}{4\pi^2}$$

$$w = \frac{(46500)(32.2)(0.51)^2}{4(3.14)^2}$$
$$= 9874.84 \text{ lb} = 9.875 \text{ k}$$

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Part E: Damping coefficient
(C):

we know that $\zeta = \frac{C}{2m\omega_n}$

$$C = \zeta \times 2m\omega_n$$

$$C = \zeta \times 2m \left(\frac{2\pi}{T_n} \right)$$

$$C = 0.049 \times 2 \left(\frac{9874.84}{32.2} \right) \left(\frac{2 \times 3.14}{0.51} \right)$$

$$C = 370.075 \text{ lb}\cdot\text{sec}/\text{ft}$$

Part F: number of cycle
to reduce the displacement
amplitude to 0.5":

$$j = \frac{1}{2\pi\zeta} \ln \left[\frac{u_1}{u_{j+1}} \right]$$

$$j = \frac{1}{2 \times 3.14 \times 0.049} \ln \left[\frac{7.742}{0.9} \right]$$

$$j = 6.99 \approx 7 \text{ cycles.}$$