



Mechanical Vibrations

Chapter 4

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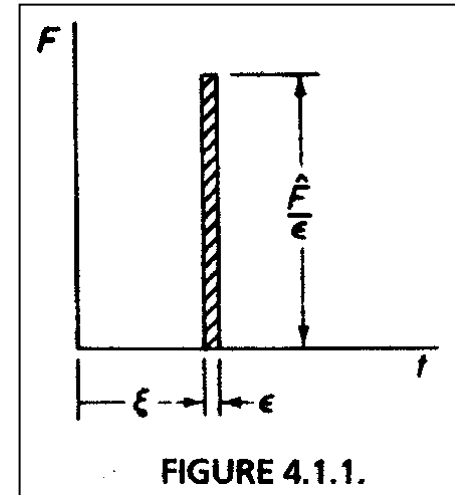


Impulse Excitation

Impulsive excitations are generally considered to be a large magnitude force that acts over a very short duration time

The time integral of the force is

$$\hat{F} = \int F(t)dt \quad (4.1.1)$$



When the force is equal to unity and the time approaches zero then the unit impulse exists and the delta function has the property of

$$\delta(t - \xi) = 0 \quad \text{for } t \neq \xi$$



Impulse Excitation

Integrated over all time, the delta function is

$$\int_0^{\infty} \delta(t - \xi) dt = 1 \quad 0 < \xi < \infty \quad (4.1.2)$$

If this function is multiplied times any forcing function then the product will result in only one value at $t=\xi$ and zero elsewhere

$$\int_0^{\infty} f(t) \delta(t - \xi) dt = f(\xi) \quad 0 < \xi < \infty \quad (4.1.3)$$



Impulse Excitation

Considering impact-momentum on the system, a sudden change in velocity is equal to the actual applied input divided by the force.

Recall that the free response due to initial conditions is given by

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



Impulse Excitation

Then the velocity initial condition yields

$$x = \frac{\hat{F}}{m\omega_n} \sin \omega_n t = \hat{F}h(t) \quad (4.1.4)$$

and it can be seen that the solution includes $h(t)$

$$h(t) = \frac{1}{m\omega_n} \sin \omega_n t \quad (4.1.5)$$



Impulse Excitation

When damping is considered in the solution, the free response is given as ($x(0)=0$)

$$x = \frac{\dot{x}(0)e^{-\zeta\omega_n t}}{\omega_n \sqrt{1-\zeta^2}} \sin \omega_n \sqrt{1-\zeta^2} t = \frac{\dot{x}(0)e^{-\sigma t}}{\omega_d} \sin \omega_d t$$

which can be written as

$$x = \frac{\hat{F}}{m\omega_n \sqrt{1-\zeta^2}} e^{-\zeta\omega_n t} \sin \omega_n \sqrt{1-\zeta^2} t \quad (4.16)$$

or as

$$x = \frac{\hat{F}}{m\omega_d} e^{-\sigma t} \sin \omega_d t = \hat{F}h(t)$$



Arbitrary Excitation

Using the unit impulse response function, the response due to arbitrary loadings can be determined.

The arbitrary force is considered to be a series of impulses

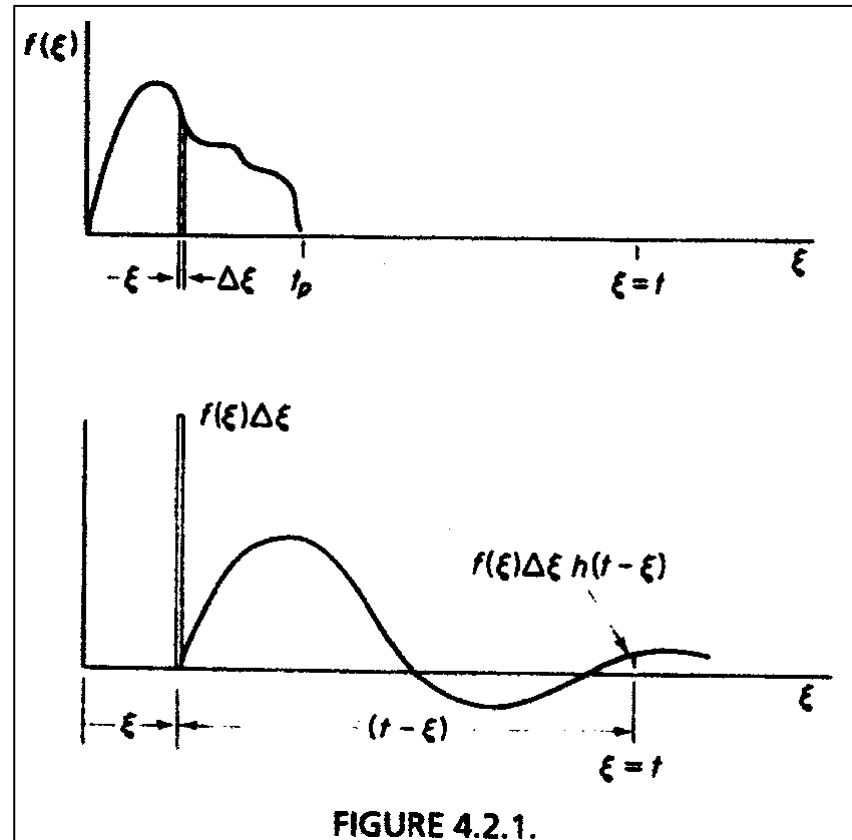


FIGURE 4.2.1.



Arbitrary Excitation

Since the system is considered linear, then the superposition of the responses of each individual impulse can be obtained through numerical integration

$$x(t) = \int_0^t f(\xi)h(t-\xi)d\xi \quad (4.2.1)$$

This is called the superposition integral. But it is also referred to as the

*Convolution Integral
or
Duhammel's Integral*



Step Excitation

Determine the indamped response due to a step.

For the undamped system,

$$h(t) = \frac{1}{m\omega_n} \sin \omega_n t$$

which is substituted into (4.2.1) to give

$$x(t) = \frac{F_0}{m\omega_n} \int_0^t \sin \omega_n (t - \xi) d\xi \quad (4.2.2)$$

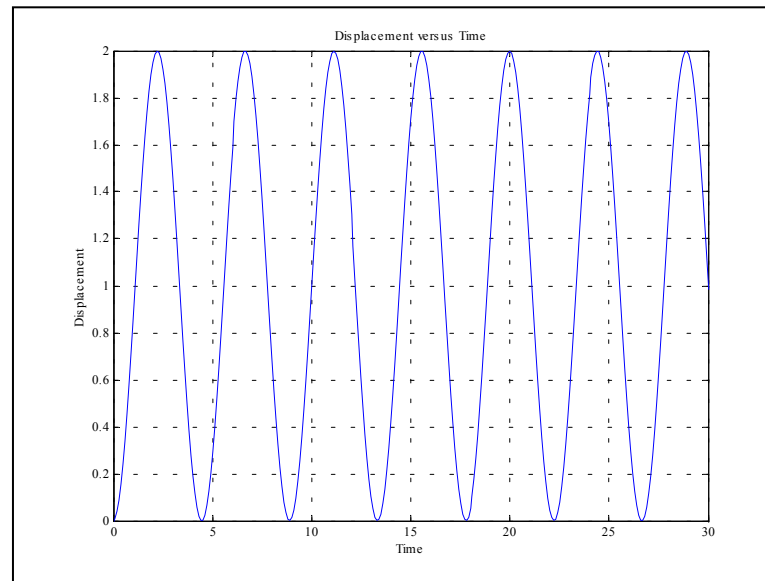
$$x(t) = \frac{F_0}{k} (1 - \cos \omega_n t)$$



Step Excitation

This implies that the peak response is twice the statical displacement

$$x(t) = \frac{F_0}{k} (1 - \cos \omega_n t) \quad (4.2.2)$$



Note: Force selected such that F/k ratio is 1.0



Step Excitation

When damping is included in the equation, then

$$h(t) = \frac{e^{-\zeta\omega_n t}}{m\omega_n \sqrt{1-\zeta^2}} \sin \omega_n \sqrt{1-\zeta^2} t \quad (4.2.2)$$

and

$$x(t) = \frac{F_0}{k} \left[1 - \frac{e^{-\zeta\omega_n t}}{m\omega_n \sqrt{1-\zeta^2}} \cos \omega_n \sqrt{1-\zeta^2} t - \psi \right] \quad (4.2.3)$$

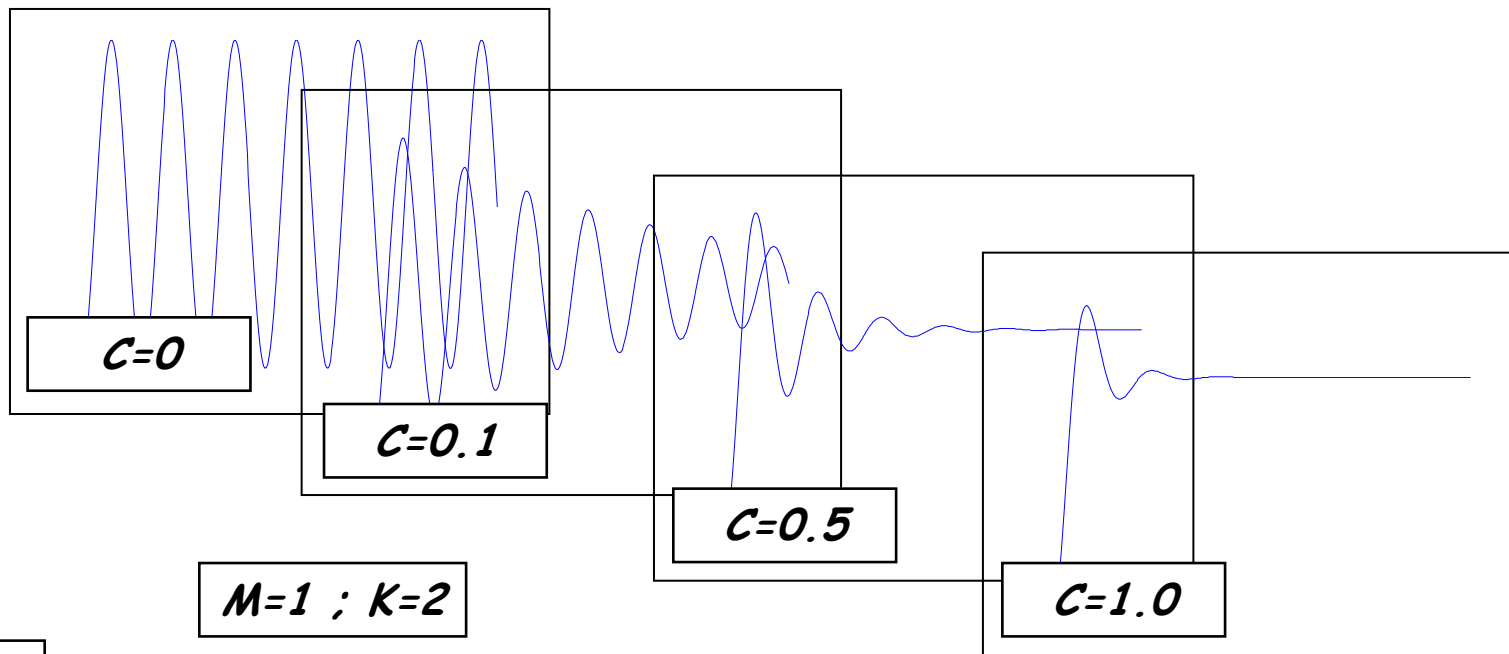


Step Excitation

This can be simplified as

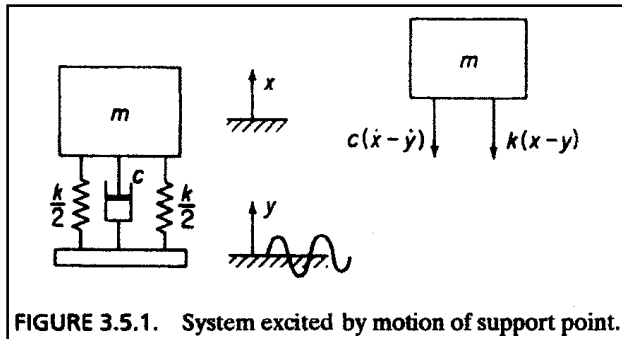
$$h(t) = \frac{e^{-\sigma t}}{m\omega_d} \sin \omega_d t$$

$$x(t) = \frac{F_0}{k} \left[1 - \frac{e^{-\sigma t}}{m\omega_d} \cos \omega_d t - \psi \right]$$



Base Excitation

For base excitation,



$$m\ddot{x} = -k(x - y) - c(\dot{x} - \dot{y}) \quad (3.5.1)$$

$$z = x - y \quad (3.5.2)$$

the equation of motion is expressed as $z=x-y$ and will result in

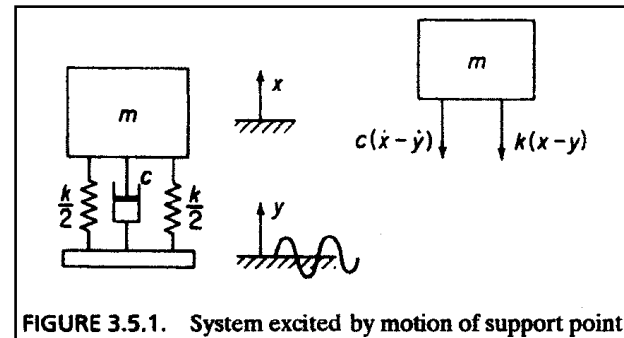
$$\ddot{z} + 2\zeta\omega_n\dot{z} + \omega_n^2 z = -\ddot{y} \quad (4.2.4)$$

Notice that the F/m term is replaced by the negative of the base acceleration (ie, $F=ma$)



Base Excitation

For an undamped system initially at rest, the solution for the relative displacement is



$$z(t) = -\frac{1}{\omega_n} \int_0^t \ddot{y}(\xi) \sin \omega_n(t - \xi) d\xi \quad (4.2.5)$$



Ramp Excitation and Rise Time

This solution must always be considered in two parts - the time less than and greater than t_1

The ramp of the force is

$$f(t) = F_0 \left(\frac{t}{t_1} \right) \quad (4.4.1)$$

and $h(t)$ for the convolution integral is

$$h(t) = \frac{1}{m\omega_n} \sin \omega_n t = \frac{\omega_n}{k} \sin \omega_n t \quad (4.4.1)$$



Ramp Excitation and Rise Time

The response for the first part of the ramp is

$$\begin{aligned} x(t) &= \frac{\omega_n}{k} \int_0^t F_0 \frac{\xi}{t_1} \sin \omega_n (t - \xi) d\xi \\ &= \frac{F_0}{k} \left(\frac{t}{t_1} - \frac{\sin \omega_n t}{\omega_n t_1} \right) \quad t < t_1 \end{aligned} \quad (4.4.2)$$

and the response of the step portion after t_1 is

$$x(t) = -\frac{F_0}{k} \left(\frac{t - t_1}{t_1} - \frac{\sin \omega_n (t - t_1)}{\omega_n t_1} \right) \quad t > t_1$$



Ramp Excitation and Rise Time

The superposition of the two pieces of the solution gives the total response due to the force as

$$x(t) = \frac{F_0}{k} \left(1 - \frac{\sin \omega_n t}{\omega_n t_1} + \frac{\sin \omega_n (t - t_1)}{\omega_n t_1} \right) \quad t > t_1 \quad (4.4.3)$$



Rectangular Pulse

The rectangular pulse is the sum of two different step functions - one positive and one negative shifted in time

Step Up $\frac{kx(t)}{F_0} = (1 - \cos \omega_n t) \quad t < t_1$ (4.4.4)

Step down $\frac{kx(t)}{F_0} = -(1 - \cos \omega_n (t - t_1)) \quad t < t_1$ (4.4.5)

Combined

$$\frac{kx(t)}{F_0} = (1 - \cos \omega_n (t)) - (1 - \cos \omega_n (t - t_1)) \quad t < t_1 \quad (4.4.6)$$

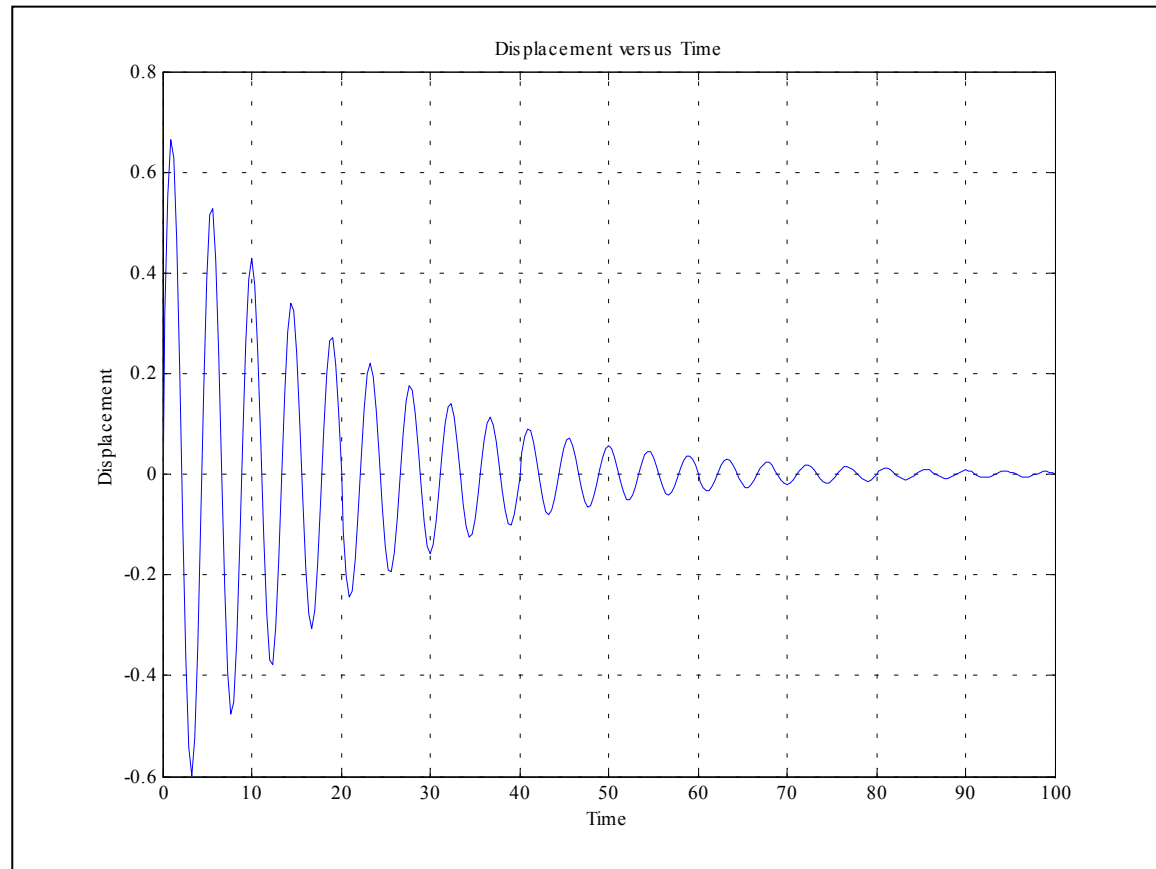
$$\frac{kx(t)}{F_0} = (-\cos \omega_n (t)) + (\cos \omega_n (t - t_1)) \quad t < t_1$$



MATLAB Examples - VTB3_1

VIBRATION TOOLBOX EXAMPLE 3_1

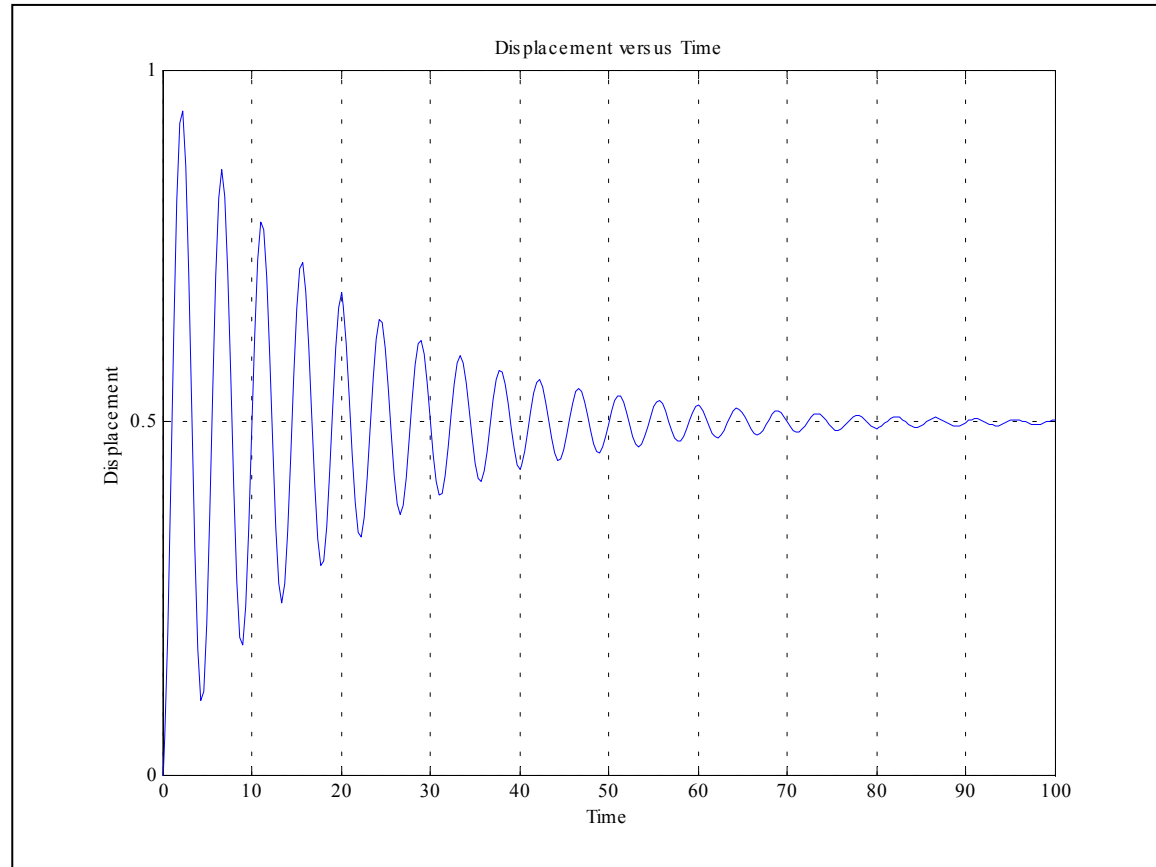
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>> m=1; c=.1; k=2; tf=100; F0=1;  
>> vtb3_1(m,c,k,F0,tf)  
>>
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MATLAB Examples - VTB3_2

VIBRATION TOOLBOX EXAMPLE 3_2

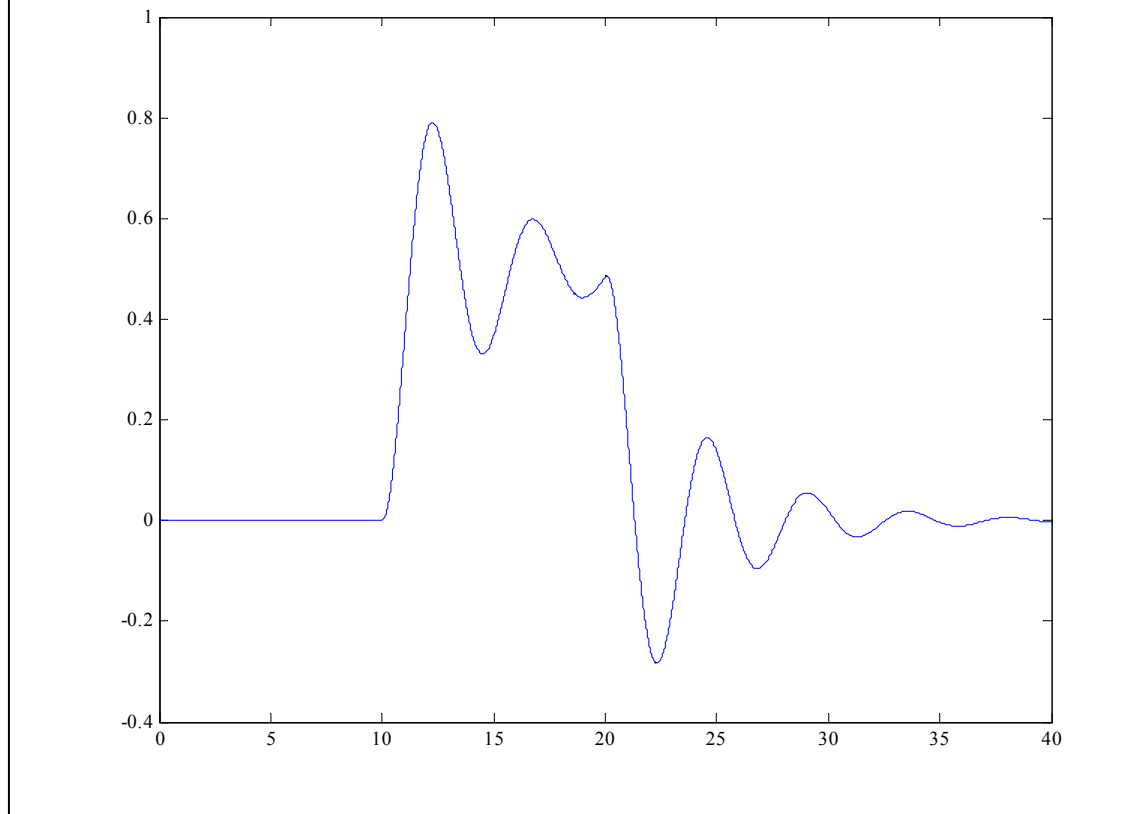
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>> m=1; c=.1; k=2; tf=100; F0=1;  
>> VTB3_2(m,c,k,F0,tf)  
>>  
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MATLAB Examples - VTB1_4

VIBRATION TOOLBOX EXAMPLE 1_4 – pulse

```
>> clear; p=1:1:1000; pp=p./p; ppp=[(p./p-p./p) pp (p./p-p./p) (p./p-p./p)];  
>> x0=0; v0=0; m=1; d=.5; k=2; dt=.01; n=4000;  
>> u=ppp; [x,xd]=VTB1_4(n,dt,x0,v0,m,d,k,u);  
>> t=0:dt:n*dt; plot(t,x);plot(t,xd)  
>>
```



MATLAB Examples - VTB1_4

VIBRATION TOOLBOX EXAMPLE 1_4 – ramp up (basically a static problem)

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>> clear; x0=0; v0=0; m=1; d=.5; k=2; dt=.01; n=3000;  
>> t=0:dt*100:n; u=t./3000; [x,xd]=VTB1_4(n,dt,x0,v0,m,d,k,u);  
>> t=0:dt:n*dt; plot(t,x);  
>>
```

