

L17 Optional Zeta Under Damped

$$\ddot{x} + \frac{\alpha}{m} \dot{x} + \frac{k}{m} x = 0 \quad \text{Mass-Spring}$$

Often rewritten as

$$\ddot{x} + 2\zeta\omega_0\dot{x} + \omega_0^2 x = 0 \quad (DE)$$

Solution in polar form

$$x(t) = A e^{-\zeta\omega_0 t} \cos(\omega_d t - \phi)$$

$$\omega_d = \sqrt{1 - \zeta^2} \omega_0$$

These quantities have standard names.

ω_0 = natural frequency

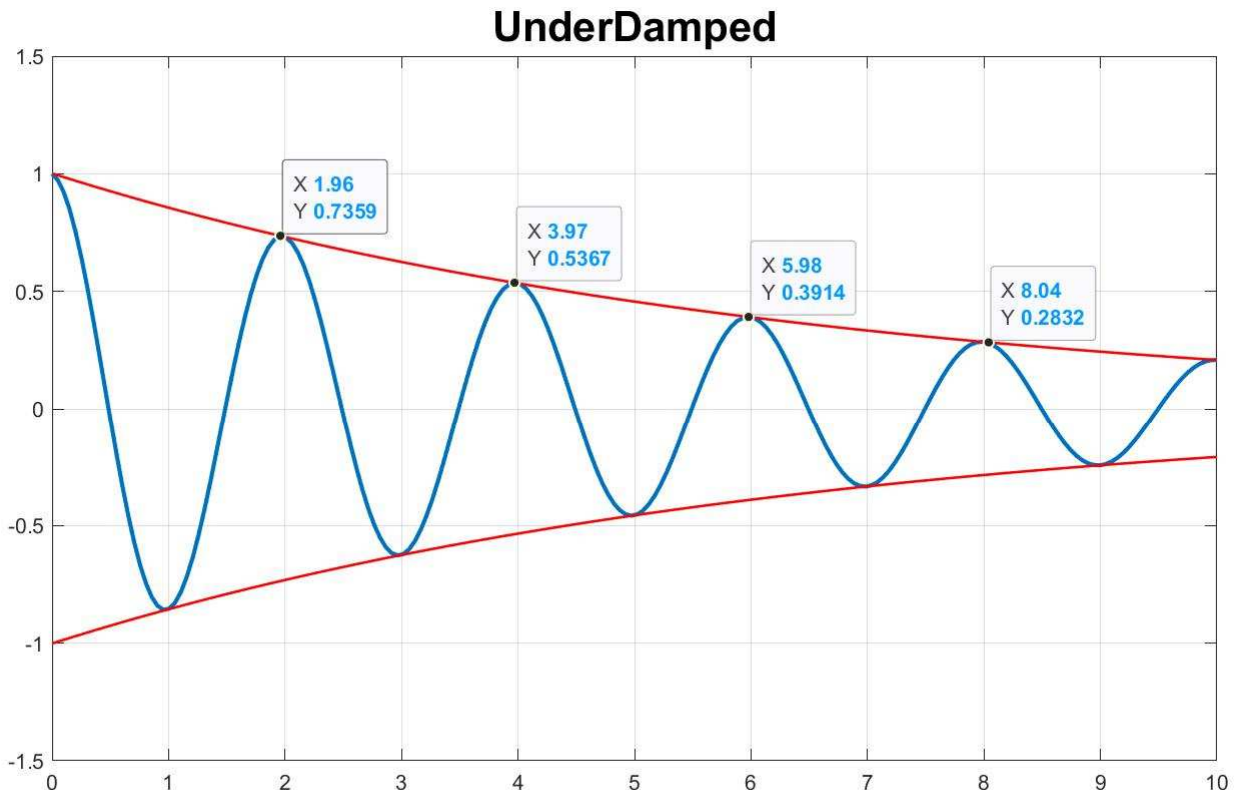
ω_d = quasi-frequency

ζ = damping ratio

(DE) is written this way because

its easy to find $\omega_d, \zeta, \omega_0$

from the graph.



$$\ddot{x} + 2\gamma\omega_0\dot{x} + \omega_0^2 x = 0$$

Solution in polar form

$$x(t) = A e^{-\gamma\omega_0 t} \cos(\omega_d t - \phi)$$

Derivation of solution

Seek $x(t) = e^{r t}$

$$r^2 + 2\gamma\omega_0 r + \omega_0^2 = 0$$

$$(r + \gamma\omega_0)^2 = -\omega_0^2(1 - \gamma^2)$$

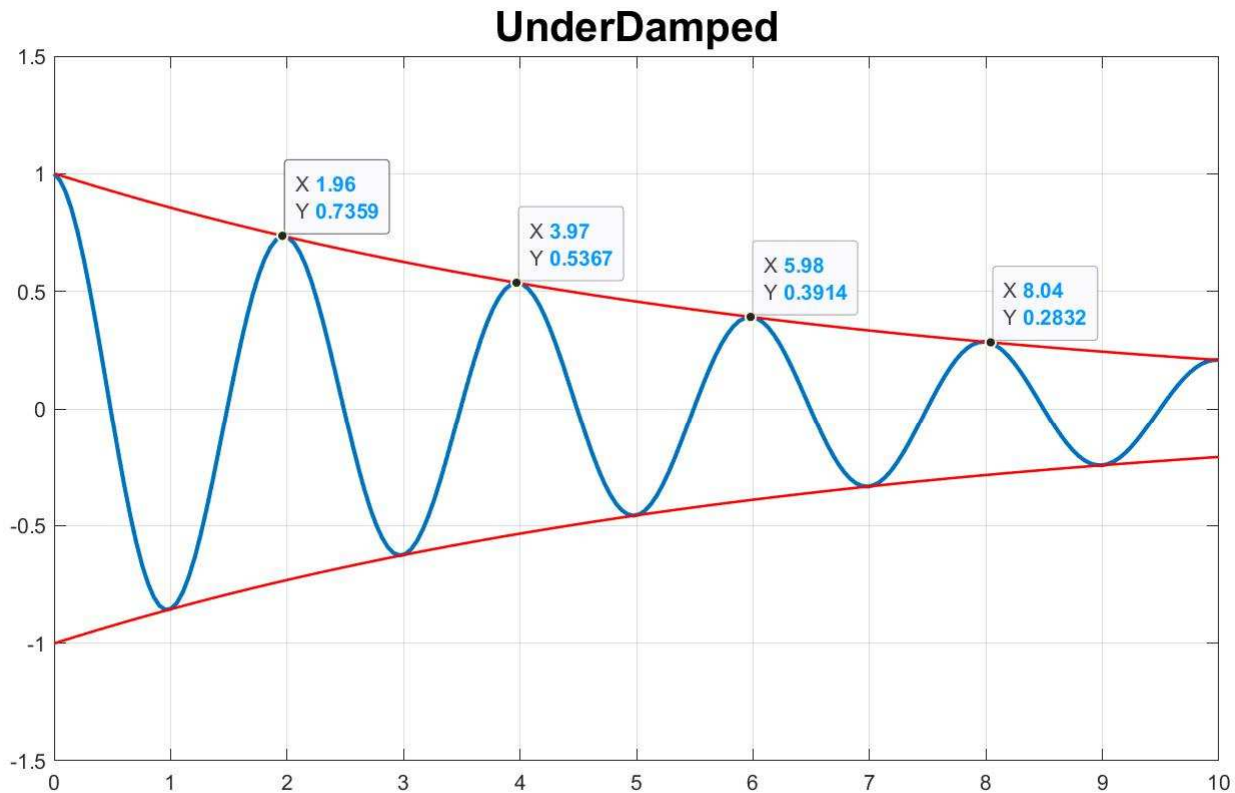
$$r = -\gamma\omega_0 \pm i\omega_0\sqrt{1 - \gamma^2}$$

Definition $\omega_d = \sqrt{1 - \gamma^2} \omega_0$

$$x(t) = e^{-\gamma\omega_0 t} (C_1 \cos \omega_d t + C_2 \sin \omega_d t)$$

$$= e^{-\gamma\omega_0 t} A \cos(\omega_d t - \phi)$$

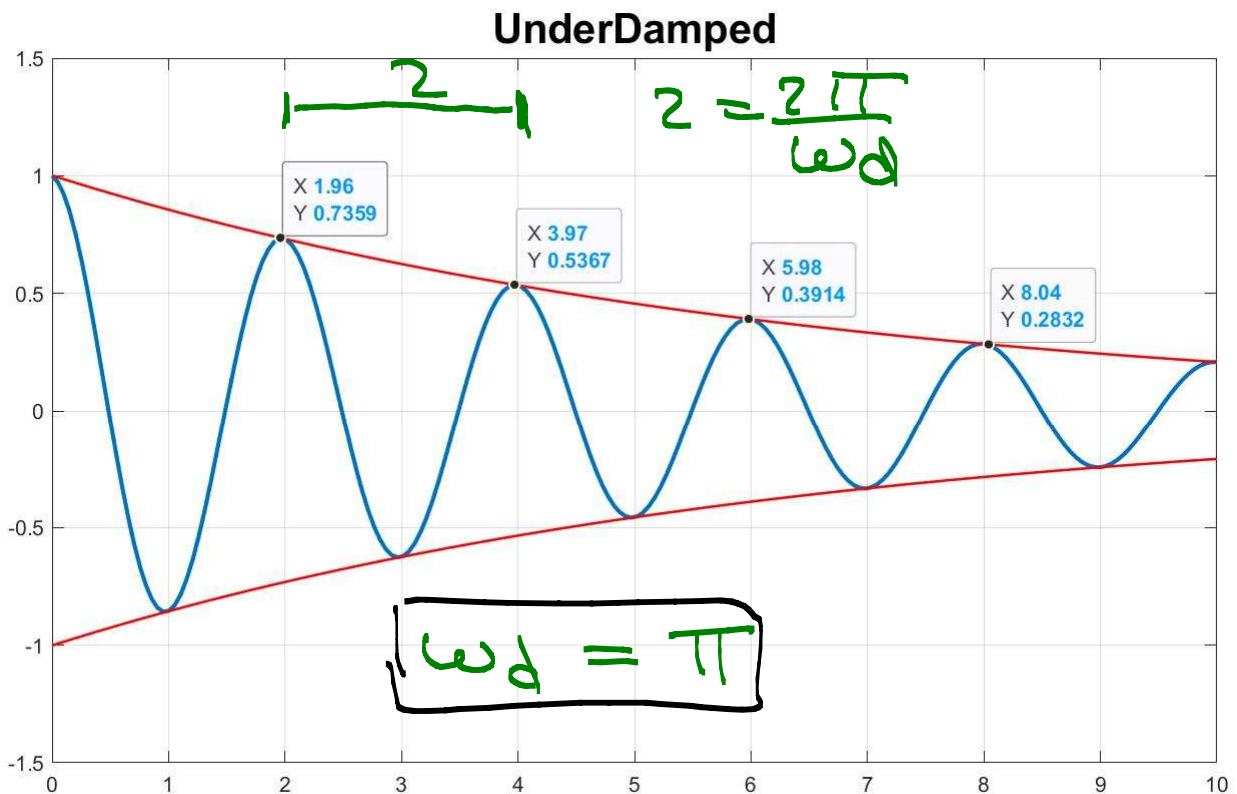
Problem: Find ω_d and ρ ($\omega_0 = \frac{\omega_d}{\sqrt{1-\rho^2}}$)³



Relevant Facts

- ① The time between peaks (local maxima) is $\frac{2\pi}{\omega_d}$
- ② The cosine term $\cos(\omega_d t - \phi)$ has the same value at all peaks
- ③ $\omega_d = \sqrt{1-\rho^2} \omega_0 \approx \omega_0$ [because, typically, ρ is small.]

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$$e^{-\beta\omega_0(1.96)}$$

$$\cos(\omega_d \cdot 1.96 - \alpha) = 0.7359$$

$$e^{-\beta\omega_0(3.97)}$$

$$\cos(\omega_d \cdot 3.97 - \alpha) = 0.5367$$

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$$\frac{e^{-\beta\omega_0(1.96)} \cos(\cancel{\omega_d} \cdot 1.96 - \alpha)}{e^{-\beta\omega_0(3.97)} \cos(\cancel{\omega_d} \cdot 3.97 - \alpha)} = \frac{0.7359}{0.5367}$$

$$\frac{e^{-\zeta\omega_0(1.96)}}{e^{-\zeta\omega_0(3.97)}} = \frac{0.7359}{0.5367}$$

$$e^{\zeta\omega_0 \cdot 2.01} = 1.3712$$

$$\zeta\omega_0 = \frac{\ln(1.3712)}{2.01} = 0.1578$$

Usual Approximation $\omega_0 \approx \omega_d$

$$\omega_0 = \omega_d = \pi$$

$$\zeta = \frac{0.1578}{\pi} = 0.0502$$

Exact Calculation

$$(\zeta\omega_0)^2 + \omega_d^2 = (\zeta\omega_0)^2 + (-\zeta^2)\omega_0^2$$

$$= \omega_0^2$$

$$(0.1578)^2 + \pi^2 = \omega_0^2$$

$$3.1455 = \omega_0$$

$$0.0502 = \frac{0.1578}{3.1455} = \zeta$$

Proof of (1) and (2)

Max occurs at t_0 where $\frac{dV}{dt} = 0$

$$\frac{d}{dt} (e^{-\beta \omega_0 t} \cos(\omega_d t - \alpha)) = 0$$

$$-\beta \omega_0 e^{-\beta \omega_0 t} \cos(\omega_d t - \alpha) = e^{-\beta \omega_0 t} \omega_d \sin(\omega_d t - \alpha)$$

$$-\frac{\beta \omega_0}{\omega_d} = \tan(\omega_d t - \alpha)$$

So at 2 consecutive peaks t_0 & t_1

$$\tan(\omega_d t_0 - \alpha) = \tan(\omega_d t_1 - \alpha)$$

$$\omega_d t_0 - \alpha = \omega_d t_1 - \alpha + N\pi$$

At consecutive maxima

$$\omega_d t_0 - \omega_d t_1 = 2\pi$$

$$\textcircled{2} \text{ IF } \tan(\omega_d t_0 - \alpha) = \tan(\omega_d t_1 - \alpha)$$

$$\text{then } \cos(\omega_d t_0 - \alpha) = \pm \cos(\omega_d t_1 - \alpha)$$

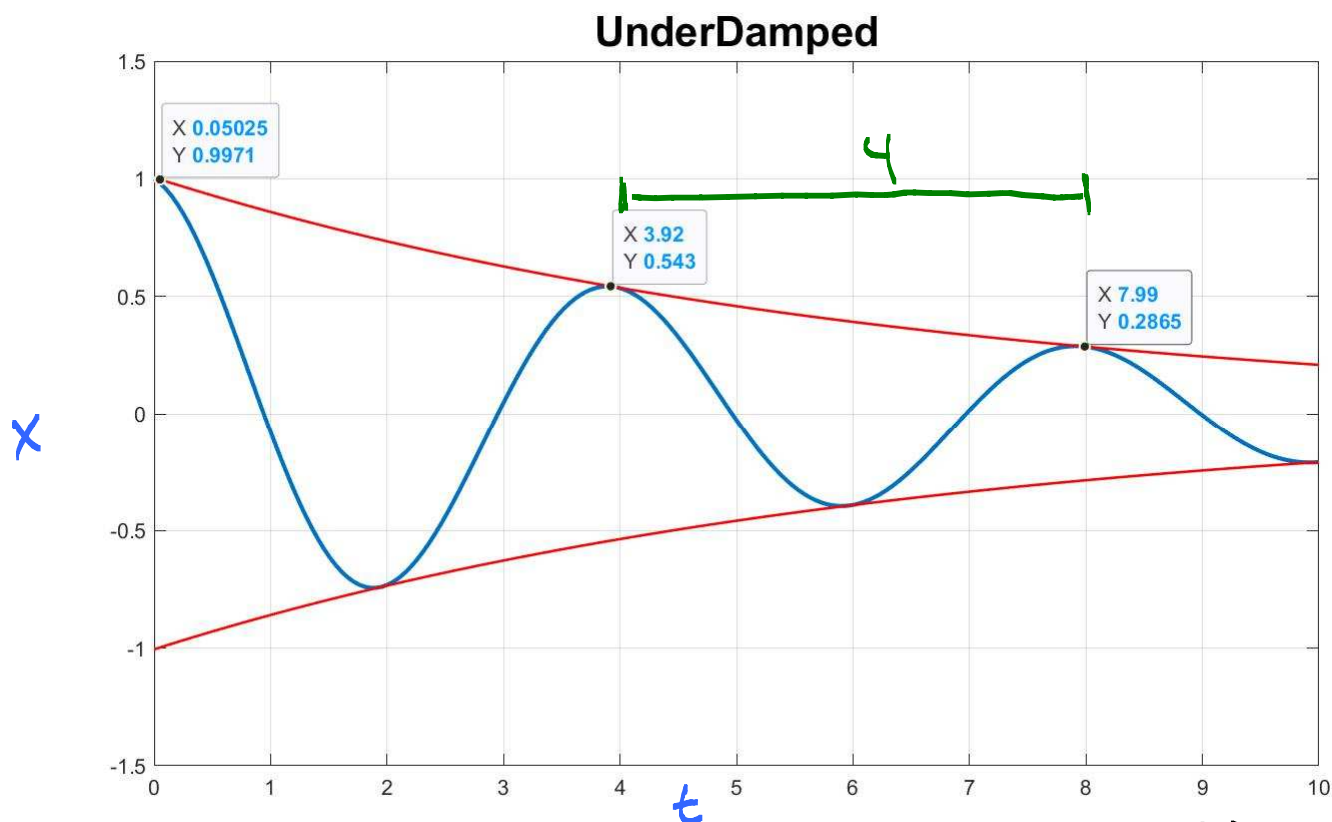
$$\text{at maxima } \cos(\omega_d t_0 - \alpha) = \cos(\omega_d t_1 - \alpha)$$

Problem 2

Find ζ and ω_0

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$$x(t) = A e^{-\zeta \omega_0 t} \cos(\omega_d t - \phi)$$



The time between peaks is $\frac{2\pi}{\omega_d}$
 $\frac{2\pi}{4} = \omega_d \approx \omega_0$

The cosine term has the same value at all peaks

$$\frac{e^{-\zeta \omega_0 \cdot 3.92} \cos(\frac{\pi}{2} \cdot 3.92 - \phi)}{e^{-\zeta \omega_0 \cdot 7.99} \cos(\frac{\pi}{2} \cdot 7.99 - \phi)} = \frac{0.543}{0.2865}$$

$$4 \zeta \omega_0 = \ln \left(\frac{0.543}{0.2865} \right) = 0.64$$

$$\zeta = \frac{0.64}{2\pi} = 0.102$$