## Benjamin Walter Assignment Spring\_System\_Oscillation due 01/09/2022 at 02:10pm EET

Problem 1. (1 point) METUNCC/Applied\_Math/springs/oscillate-theory.pg

Suppose a spring system with three masses and many springs oscillates at a fundamental mode with

eigenvalue  $\lambda = 25$  and eigenvector  $\mathbf{v} = \begin{bmatrix} -5 \\ 5 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$ .

(A) If mass 2 oscillates with an amplitude of 2, then what is the amplitude of oscillation for mass 1? Amplitude = \_\_\_\_

(B) If mass 2 is at maximum height at time t = 5, when will it next be at maximum height?  $t = \_\_$ 

(C) Mass 1 oscillates in the [?/same/opposite] direction as mass 3.

(D) If mass 3 begins at displacement  $u_3(0) = -4$  and velocity  $u'_3(0) = -2$ , then what is its dispacement function?

 $u_3(t) =$ \_\_\_\_\_

Problem 2. (1 point) METUNCC/Applied\_Math/springs/oscillate-2mass-3springs\_alt.pg

Consider the following spring system.

$$c_1 = 1, c_2 = 11, c_3 = 3$$
  
 $m_1 = 3, m_2 = 1$ 

Write the stiffness matrix 
$$K = \begin{bmatrix} --- & --\\ -- & -- \end{bmatrix}$$
  
Write the matrix  $M^{-1}K = \begin{bmatrix} --- & --\\ -- & -- \end{bmatrix}$ 

Find the eigenvalues and eigenvectors of  $M^{-1}K$ 

Smaller eigenvalue = \_\_\_\_ with eigenvector [\_\_\_\_\_]
Larger eigenvalue = \_\_\_\_ with eigenvector [\_\_\_\_\_]

If this spring system oscillates without any external forces present, then the position of each mass satisfies the following general formula:

$$\mathbf{u}(t) = \left(a_1 \cos\left(\underline{\phantom{a}} t\right) + b_1 \sin\left(\underline{\phantom{a}} t\right)\right) \begin{bmatrix} \underline{\phantom{a}} \\ \underline{\phantom{a}} \end{bmatrix} + \left(a_2 \cos\left(\underline{\phantom{a}} t\right) + b_2 \sin\left(\underline{\phantom{a}} t\right)\right) \begin{bmatrix} \underline{\phantom{a}} \\ \underline{\phantom{a}} \end{bmatrix}$$

If the system begins oscillation with initial position  $\mathbf{u}(0) = \begin{bmatrix} 1\\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$  and initial velocity  $\mathbf{u}'(0) = \begin{bmatrix} 0\\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$  then the position of the masses at time *t* is given by

$$u_1(t) = \underline{\qquad} \\ u_2(t) = \underline{\qquad} \\$$

Consider the following spring system.

$$c_{1} = \frac{2}{3}, c_{2} = 2, c_{3} = 0, c_{4} = 2$$

$$m_{1} = \frac{2}{3}, m_{2} = 2$$

Write the stiffness matrix 
$$K = \begin{bmatrix} --- & -- \\ -- & -- \end{bmatrix}$$
  
Write the matrix  $M^{-1}K = \begin{bmatrix} --- & -- \\ -- & -- \end{bmatrix}$ 

Find the eigenvalues and eigenvectors of  $M^{-1}K$ :

• Smaller eigenvalue = \_\_\_\_ with eigenvector  $\begin{bmatrix} --- \\ --- \end{bmatrix}$ • Larger eigenvalue = \_\_\_\_ with eigenvector  $\begin{bmatrix} -___ \\ -__ \end{bmatrix}$ 

If this spring system oscillates without any external forces present, then the position of each mass satisfies the following general formula:

$$\mathbf{u}(t) = \left(a_1 \cos\left( \ \underline{\ } t \right) + b_1 \sin\left( \ \underline{\ } t \right) \right) \left[ \ \underline{\ } \\ \underline{- \ } \\ + \left(a_2 \cos\left( \ \underline{- \ } t \right) + b_2 \sin\left( \ \underline{- \ } t \right) \right) \left[ \ \underline{- \ } \\ \underline{- \ } \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

If the system begins oscillation with initial position  $\mathbf{u}(0) = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$  and initial velocity  $\mathbf{u}'(0) = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$  then the position of the masses at time *t* is given by  $u_1(t) = \underline{\qquad}$ 

 $u_2(t) =$ 

Problem 4. (1 point) METUNCC/Applied\_Math/springs/oscillate-detatched.pg

Consider the following unattached spring system.



 $c_1 = 2,$  $m_1 = 1, m_2 = 1$ 

Write the stiffness matrix 
$$K = \begin{bmatrix} - & - \\ - & - \end{bmatrix}$$
  
Write the matrix  $M^{-1}K = \begin{bmatrix} - & - \\ - & - \end{bmatrix}$ 

Find the eigenvalues and eigenvectors of  $M^{-1}K$ :

Smaller eigenvalue = \_\_\_\_ with eigenvector [ \_\_\_\_ ]
Larger eigenvalue = \_\_\_\_ with eigenvector [ \_\_\_\_ ]

If the spring system oscillates beginning with initial displacement  $\mathbf{u}(0) = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$  and initial velocity  $\mathbf{u}'(0) = \begin{bmatrix} 6 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$  then compute the displacements of the masses at time t.

$$u_1(t) = \underline{\qquad}_0$$
$$u_2(t) = \underline{\qquad}_0$$

Find a nonzero initial velocity vector such that the displacement of the masses will be bounded.

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$$\mathbf{u}'(0) = \begin{bmatrix} \cdots \\ \cdots \end{bmatrix}$$

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