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CHAPTER 2 (odd-numbered problems)

## Instructor's Solutions Manual

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2.1 Solution

(a) Determine the equation of motion of the mass  $m$  in Fig. 1.

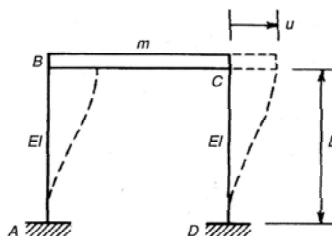


Figure 1

To determine the stiffness of the columns, we can use the unit dummy load method.

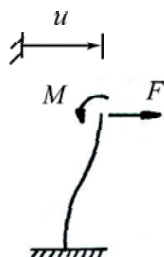


Figure 2

$$u = \int_0^L \frac{(-Fx)(-x)}{EI} dx + \int_0^L \frac{M(-x)}{EI} dx$$

$$= \frac{FL^3}{3EI} - \frac{ML^2}{2EI}$$

$$\theta = \int_0^L \frac{(-Fx)(1)}{EI} dx + \int_0^L \frac{M(1)}{EI} dx$$

$$= -\frac{FL^2}{2EI} + \frac{ML}{EI}$$

Since  $\theta = 0$ ,

$$M = \frac{FL}{2} \text{ and } F = \frac{12EI}{L^3}u = ku$$

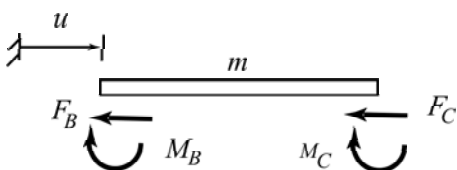


Figure 3

$$\sum F_x = m\ddot{u}$$

From the free-body diagram in Fig. 3,

$$-F_B - F_C = -\frac{12EI}{L^3}u - \frac{12EI}{L^3}u = m\ddot{u}$$

$$m\ddot{u} + \frac{24EI}{L^3}u = 0$$

Ans. (a)

(b) How would the equation of motion differ if the left-hand column had a stiffness  $2EI$ , with no other changes to the structure?

$$-F_B - F_C = -\frac{12(2EI)}{L^3}u - \frac{12EI}{L^3}u = m\ddot{u}$$

$$m\ddot{u} + \frac{36EI}{L^3}u = 0$$

Ans. (b)

### 2.3 Solution

(a) Determine the equation of motion of the beam in Fig. 1 in terms of tip displacement  $v$ .

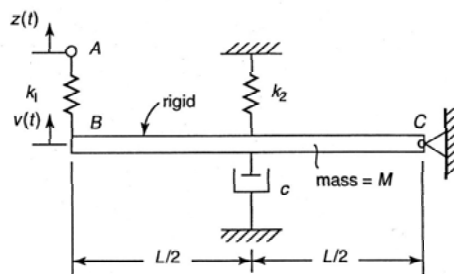


Figure 1

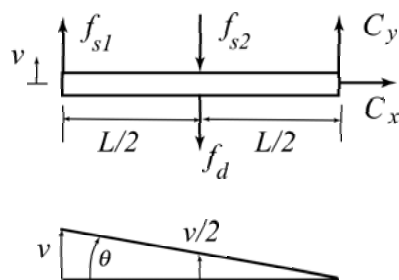


Figure 2

$$\sum M_C = I_C \ddot{\theta}$$

where

$$I_C = \frac{1}{3}ML^2$$

From the free-body diagram (Fig. 2 top),

$$f_{s1}L - (f_{s2} + f_d)\frac{L}{2} = I_C \ddot{\theta}$$

The constitutive relationships of the linear springs and the linear dashpot are:

$$f_{s1} = k_1[z(t) - v], \quad f_{s2} = k_2 \frac{v}{2}, \quad f_d = c \frac{\dot{v}}{2}$$

From the deformation diagram (Fig. 2 bottom) and kinematics, for small  $\theta$ ,

$$v = L\theta, \quad \text{or} \quad \theta = \frac{v}{L}$$

Combining the above equations, we get

$$k_1[z(t) - v]L - \left(k_2 \frac{v}{2} + c \frac{\dot{v}}{2}\right) \frac{L}{2} = \frac{1}{3}ML^2 \left(\frac{\ddot{v}}{L}\right)$$

Finally, the equation of motion of the beam in terms of displacement  $v$  is

$$4M\ddot{v} + 3c\dot{v} + (12k_1 + 3k_2)v = 12k_1z(t) \quad \text{Ans. (a)}$$

(b) Determine the equation of motion of the beam in terms of the spring force  $f_{s1}$ .

In the above answer to Part (a), substitute the force-deformation of spring 1 in the form

$$v = z(t) - \frac{f_{s1}}{k_1}$$

Then, the equation of motion for  $f_{s1}$  is

$$4M\ddot{f}_{s1} + 3c\dot{f}_{s1} + (12k_1 + 3k_2)f_{s1} = k_1(4M\ddot{z} + 3c\dot{z} + 3k_2z) \quad \text{Ans. (b)}$$

Although the left-hand sides of these two equations of motion have exactly the same form, the right-hand side of Ans. (b) is more complicated.

### 2.5 Solution

Determine the equation of motion of the beam in Fig. 1 in terms of displacement  $v$ .

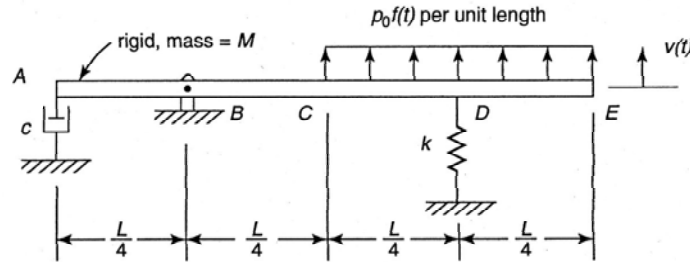


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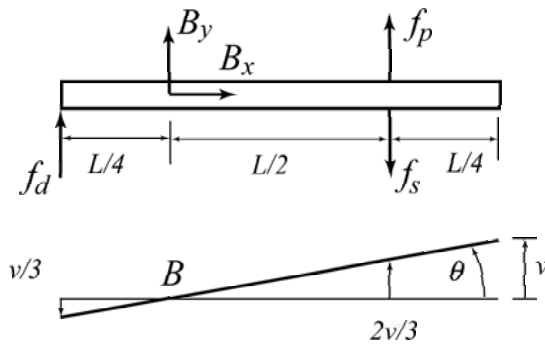


Figure 2

From the free-body diagram (Fig. 2 top),

$$-f_d \frac{L}{4} + f_p \frac{L}{2} - f_s \frac{L}{2} = I_B \ddot{\theta}$$

where

$$f_p = \frac{p_0 L}{2} f(t)$$

From the deformation diagram (Fig. 2 bottom) and kinematics, for small  $\theta$ ,

$$v = \frac{3L}{4} \theta, \text{ or } \theta = \frac{4v}{3L}$$

The constitutive relationships for the linear spring and the linear dashpot are:

$$f_s = k \frac{2v}{3}, \quad f_d = c \frac{\dot{v}}{3}$$

For the right-hand side of the EOM, we get

$$I_B \ddot{\theta} = \frac{7ML^2}{48} \left( \frac{4\ddot{v}}{3L} \right) = \frac{7}{36} ML \ddot{v}$$

Combining the above equations, we get the final EOM in the desired form.

$$7M\ddot{v} + 3c\dot{v} + 12kv = 9p_0 L f(t)$$

**Ans.**

For the equation of motion, take

$$\sum M_B = I_B \ddot{\theta}$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} I_B &= \frac{1}{3} \left( \frac{M}{4} \right) \left( \frac{L}{4} \right)^2 \\ &+ \frac{1}{3} \left( \frac{3M}{4} \right) \left( \frac{3L}{4} \right)^2 \\ &= \frac{7ML^2}{48} \end{aligned}$$

### 2.7 Solution

Use the *Principle of Virtual Displacements* to derive the equation of motion of the beam in Fig. 1. Let  $v(t)$ , the vertical displacement at end B, be the displacement coordinate.

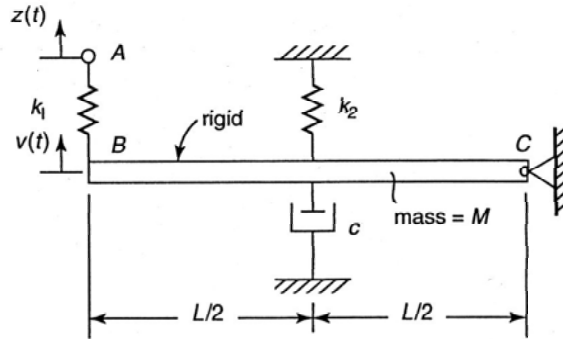


Figure 1

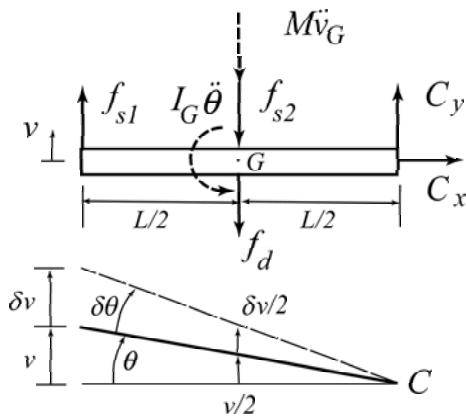


Figure 2

From Eq. 2.25,

$$\delta \mathcal{W}^* \equiv \delta \mathcal{W}_{\text{real}} + \delta \mathcal{W}_{\text{inertia}} = 0$$

From the deformation diagram (Fig. 2 bottom) and kinematics of small-angle rotation of the beam,

$$v = L\theta, \quad \delta v = L\delta\theta, \quad v_G = v/2$$

From dynamics,

$$I_G = \frac{1}{12}ML^2$$

The constitutive relationships of the linear springs and the linear dashpot are:

$$f_{s1} = k_1[z(t) - v], \quad f_{s2} = k_2 \frac{v}{2}, \quad f_d = c \frac{\dot{v}}{2}$$

The terms in the virtual-work equation are:

$$\delta \mathcal{W}_{\text{real}} + \delta \mathcal{W}_{\text{inertia}} = f_{s1}\delta v - f_{s2}\frac{\delta v}{2} - f_d\frac{\delta v}{2} - \frac{M\ddot{v}}{2}\frac{\delta v}{2} - I_G\ddot{\theta}\delta\theta = 0$$

Finally, substituting for  $I_G$ ,  $\theta$ , and  $\delta\theta$  and obtaining the form  $[\cdot]\delta v = 0$ , we take the expression in brackets as the equation of motion.

$$4M\ddot{v} + 3c\dot{v} + (12k_1 + 3k_2)v = 12k_1z(t)$$

**Ans.**

### 2.9 Solution

Use the *Principle of Virtual Displacements* to derive the equation of motion of the beam in Fig. 1. Let the angular displacement  $\theta$  (counterclockwise positive) be the displacement coordinate.

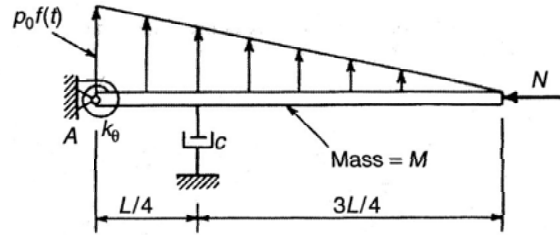


Figure 1

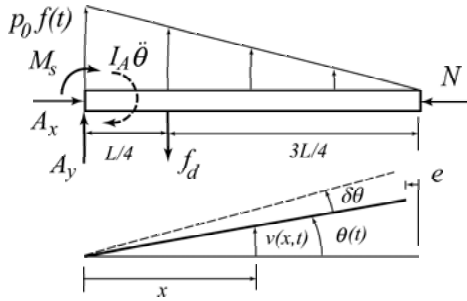


Figure 2

From Eq. 2.25,

$$\delta \mathcal{W}^* \equiv \delta \mathcal{W}_{\text{real}} + \delta \mathcal{W}_{\text{inertia}} = 0$$

From the deformation diagram (Fig. 2 bottom) and kinematics of small-angle rotation of the beam,

$$e = L(1 - \cos \theta) \approx \frac{1}{2} L \theta^2, \quad \delta e = L \theta \delta \theta$$

$$v(x, t) = \frac{x}{L} \theta(t), \quad \delta v(x) = \frac{x}{L} \delta \theta$$

The constitutive relationships of the linearly elastic spring and the linear viscous dashpot are:

$$M_s = k_\theta \theta, \quad f_d = c \frac{L}{4} \dot{\theta}$$

The virtual work terms are:

$$\begin{aligned} \delta \mathcal{W}_{\text{real}} &= \delta \mathcal{W}_p + \delta \mathcal{W}_s + \delta \mathcal{W}_d + \delta \mathcal{W}_N \\ &= \int_0^L \left[ p_0 f(t) \left( 1 - \frac{x}{L} \right) \right] \delta v(x) dx - M_s \delta \theta - f_d \left( \frac{L}{4} \delta \theta \right) + N \delta e \end{aligned}$$

$$\delta \mathcal{W}_{\text{inertia}} = -I_A \ddot{\theta} \delta \theta$$

Finally, substituting for  $\delta v(x)$  and  $\delta e$  and obtaining the form  $[\cdot] \delta \theta = 0$ , we take the expression in brackets as the equation of motion.

$$I_A \ddot{\theta} + c \left( \frac{L^2}{6} \right) \dot{\theta} + (k_\theta - NL) \theta = p_0 \left( \frac{L^2}{6} \right) f(t)$$

**Ans.**

where, from dynamics,

$$I_A = \frac{1}{3} ML^2$$

**2.11 Solution**

Use the *Principle of Virtual Displacements* to derive the equation of motion of the thin, uniform bar of weight  $W$  that rotates through a small angle about the (vertical)  $z$  axis.

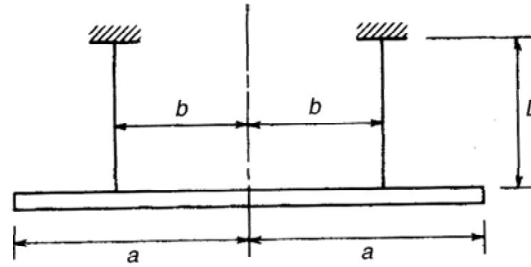


Figure 1

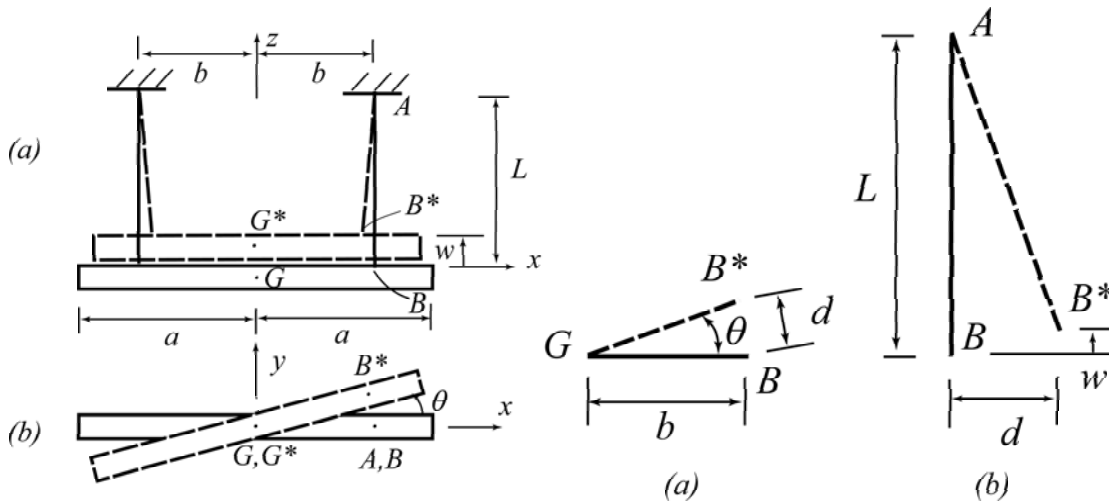


Figure 2 Deformation geometry.

Figure 3 More deformation geometry.

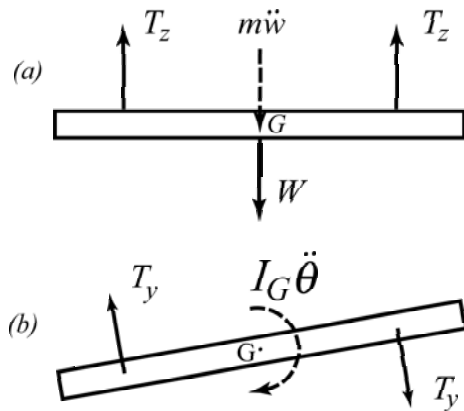


Figure 4 Force Diagrams.

**Problem 2.11** (p. 2)

We first examine the geometry of deformation in order to relate the vertical displacement of mass center  $G$  (and of  $B$ ) to the rotation angle  $\theta$ . For small angle  $\theta$ , from Fig. 3a,

$$d = b\theta$$

From Fig. 3b,

$$w = L - \sqrt{L^2 - d^2} = L - L\sqrt{1 - (d/L)^2} \approx L - L\left[1 - \frac{1}{2}\left(\frac{d}{L}\right)^2\right] = \frac{1}{2}\left(\frac{b^2}{L}\right)\theta^2$$

Therefore, the vertical displacement  $w$  is second-order in  $\theta$ , and since  $\theta$  is considered to be small, the vertical inertia term in Fig. 4a will be neglected. From the vertical equation of motion based on Fig. 4a,

$$T_z = \frac{W}{2}$$

Since the tension  $T$  in the support wires when the bar is at angle  $\theta$  will be along the direction  $B^* \rightarrow A$  in Fig. 3b, the relationship between the force components  $T_y$  and  $T_z$  in Fig. 4 is

$$\frac{T_y}{T_z} = \frac{d}{L - w} \approx \frac{d}{L}$$

Therefore,

$$T_y = \frac{d}{L}T_z = \frac{bW}{2L}\theta$$

From Eq. 2.25, the principle of virtual work is

$$\delta\mathcal{W}^* \equiv \delta\mathcal{W}_{\text{real}} + \delta\mathcal{W}_{\text{inertia}} = 0$$

Then, substituting the forces that are shown in Fig. 4b into the principle of virtual work applied to rotation of the bar, we get the following equation of motion:

$$-(I_G\ddot{\theta})\delta\theta - 2T_y(b\delta\theta) = 0$$

$$\frac{1}{12}\left(\frac{W}{g}\right)(2a)^2\ddot{\theta} + \frac{b^2W}{L}\theta = 0$$

or

$$\ddot{\theta} + \left(\frac{3b^2g}{a^2L}\right)\theta = 0$$

**Ans.**



### 2.13 Solution

Use the *Assumed-Modes Method* to derive the equation of motion for axial motion of the bar with tip mass, as shown in Fig. 1. Let  $\psi(x) = x/L$  be the shape function.

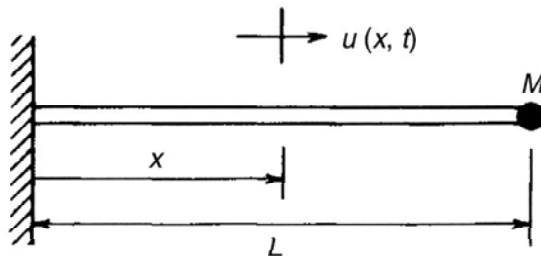


Figure 1

The axial displacement is assumed to have the form

$$u(x, t) = \psi(x)u(t)$$

Since there are no external forces acting on the bar, the equation of motion will have the form

$$m_u \ddot{q}_u + k_u q_u = 0$$

where

$$m_u = \int_0^L \rho A \psi^2 dx + M \psi^2(L), \quad k_u = \int_0^L AE (\psi')^2 dx$$

Then,

$$m_u = \int_0^L \rho A \psi^2 dx + M [\psi(L)]^2 = \frac{\rho A}{L^2} \int_0^L x^2 dx + M(1)^2 = \frac{\rho AL}{3} + M$$

$$k_u = \int_0^L AE (\psi')^2 dx = \frac{AE}{L^2} \int_0^L dx = \frac{AE}{L}$$

Finally, the equation of motion for the SDOF assumed-modes model is

$$\left( \frac{\rho AL}{3} + M \right) \ddot{u} + \left( \frac{AE}{L} \right) u = 0$$

**Ans.**

### 2.15 Solution

Use the *Assumed-Modes Method* to derive the equation of motion for axial motion of the tapered bar in Fig. 1. Let  $\psi(x) = \sin(\pi x/2L)$  be the shape function.

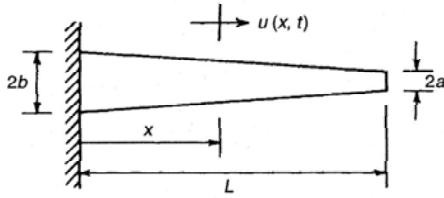


Figure 1

Since the bar is flat,

$$A(x) = hw(x) = h \left[ 2b - \frac{x}{L}(2b - 2a) \right]$$

Since there are no external forces acting on the bar, the equation of motion will have the form

$$m_u \ddot{q}_u + k_u q_u = 0$$

where

$$m_u = \int_0^L \rho A(x) \psi^2 dx, \quad k_u = \int_0^L A(x) E (\psi')^2 dx$$

Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned} m_u &= \int_0^L \rho A(x) \psi^2 dx = \rho h \int_0^L \left[ 2b - \frac{x}{L}(2b - 2a) \right] \sin^2 \left( \frac{\pi x}{2L} \right) dx \\ &= c_1 \int_0^L \sin^2 \left( \frac{\pi x}{2L} \right) dx + c_2 \int_0^L x \sin^2 \left( \frac{\pi x}{2L} \right) dx \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} k_u &= \int_0^L A(x) E (\psi')^2 dx = Eh \left( \frac{\pi}{2L} \right)^2 \int_0^L \left[ 2b - \frac{x}{L}(2b - 2a) \right] \cos^2 \left( \frac{\pi x}{2L} \right) dx \\ &= c_3 \int_0^L \cos^2 \left( \frac{\pi x}{2L} \right) dx + c_4 \int_0^L x \cos^2 \left( \frac{\pi x}{2L} \right) dx \end{aligned}$$

Finally, the equation of motion for the SDOF assumed-modes model is

$$\left. \begin{aligned} m_u \ddot{q}_u + k_u q_u &= 0, \quad \text{where} \\ m_u &= \rho b h L - \rho h L (2b - 2a) \left( \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{\pi^2} \right) \\ k_u &= \frac{\pi^2 b h E}{4L} - \frac{\pi^2 (2b - 2a) h E}{L} \left( \frac{1}{4} - \frac{1}{\pi^2} \right) \end{aligned} \right\} \text{Ans.}$$

### 2.17 Solution

Use the *Assumed-Modes Method* to derive the equation of motion for axial vibration of the circular rod that is fixed at both ends. See Fig. 1. Let  $\psi(x) = (x/L)(1 - x/L)$  be the shape function.

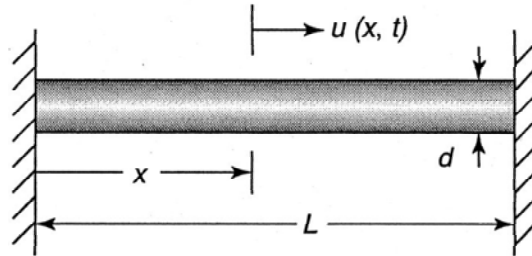


Figure 1

Since there are no external forces acting on the bar, the equation of motion will have the form

$$m_u \ddot{q}_u + k_u q_u = 0$$

where

$$m_u = \int_0^L \rho A \psi^2 dx, \quad k_u = \int_0^L AE (\psi')^2 dx$$

where

$$\psi(x) = \frac{x}{L} - \left(\frac{x}{L}\right)^2, \quad \psi(x)' = \frac{1}{L} \left(1 - 2\frac{x}{L}\right)$$

which satisfies the two fixed-end requirements:  $\psi(0) = \psi(L) = 0$ . Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned} m_u &= \int_0^L \rho A \psi^2 dx = \rho A \int_0^L \left[ \left(\frac{x}{L}\right)^2 - 2\left(\frac{x}{L}\right)^3 + \left(\frac{x}{L}\right)^4 \right] dx = \rho AL \left( \frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{5} \right) \\ &= \frac{\rho AL}{30} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} k_u &= \int_0^L AE (\psi')^2 dx = \frac{AE}{L^2} \int_0^L \left[ 1 - 4\left(\frac{x}{L}\right) + 4\left(\frac{x}{L}\right)^2 \right] dx = \frac{AE}{L} \left( 1 - 2 + \frac{4}{3} \right) \\ &= \frac{AE}{3L} \end{aligned}$$

where  $A = \pi d^2/4$ . Finally, the equation of motion for the SDOF assumed-modes model is

$$\left( \frac{\rho AL}{30} \right) \ddot{q}_u + \left( \frac{AE}{3L} \right) q_u = 0$$

**Ans.**

### 2.19 Solution

Use the *Assumed-Modes Method* to derive the equation of motion for transverse vibration of the cantilever beam in Fig. 1. Use a simple polynomial shape function.

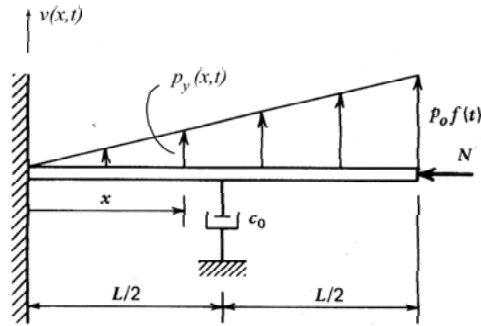


Figure 1

Let the shape function be the simplest polynomial that satisfies the fixed-end condition at the left end, that is  $\psi(0) = \psi'(0) = 0$ . Pick

$$\psi(x) = \left(\frac{x}{L}\right)^2$$

Then, the transverse displacement is approximated by

$$v(x,t) = \psi(x)q_v(t) = \left(\frac{x}{L}\right)^2 q_v(t)$$

Since the beam has a time-dependent transverse load and a constant axial compressive load, the equation of motion will have the form

$$m_v \ddot{q}_v + c_v \dot{q}_v + (k_v - k_G)q_v = p_v(t)$$

where

$$m_v = \int_0^L \rho A \psi^2 dx = \frac{\rho A}{L^4} \int_0^L x^4 dx = \frac{\rho AL}{5}$$

$$c_v = c_0 [\psi(L/2)]^2 = c_0 \left[ \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^2 \right]^2 = \frac{c_0}{16}$$

$$k_v = \int_0^L EI (\psi'')^2 dx = EI \left(\frac{2}{L^2}\right)^2 \int_0^L dx = \frac{4EI}{L^3}$$

$$k_G = N \int_0^L (\psi')^2 dx = N \left(\frac{2}{L^2}\right)^2 \int_0^L x^2 dx = \frac{4N}{3L}$$

$$p_v(t) = \int_0^L p_y(x,t) \psi(x) dx = \int_0^L [p_0 f(t) \left(\frac{x}{L}\right)] \left(\frac{x}{L}\right)^2 dx = \frac{p_0 L}{4} f(t)$$

Therefore, the final equation of motion is

$$\frac{\rho AL}{5} \ddot{q}_v + \frac{c_0}{16} \dot{q}_v + \left(\frac{4EI}{L^3} - \frac{4N}{3L}\right) q_v = \frac{1}{4} p_0 L f(t)$$

**Ans.**