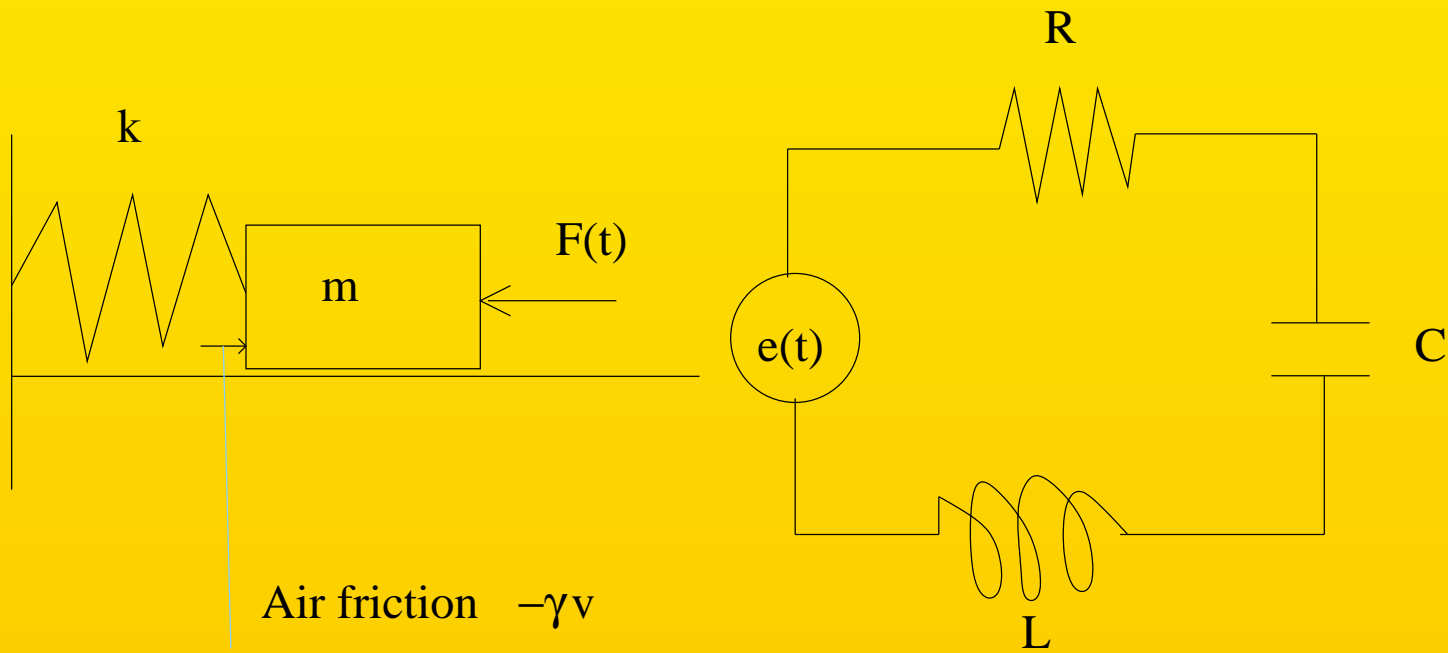
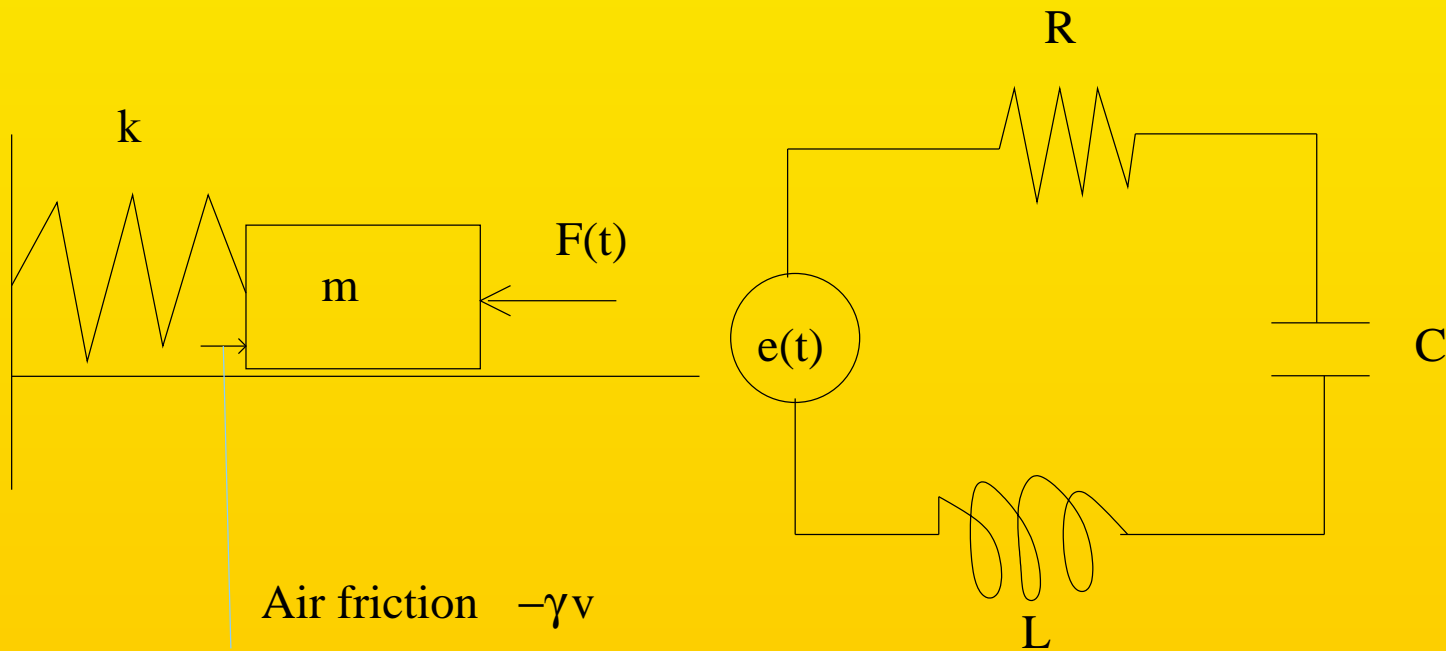


Forced oscillations. Review of power series

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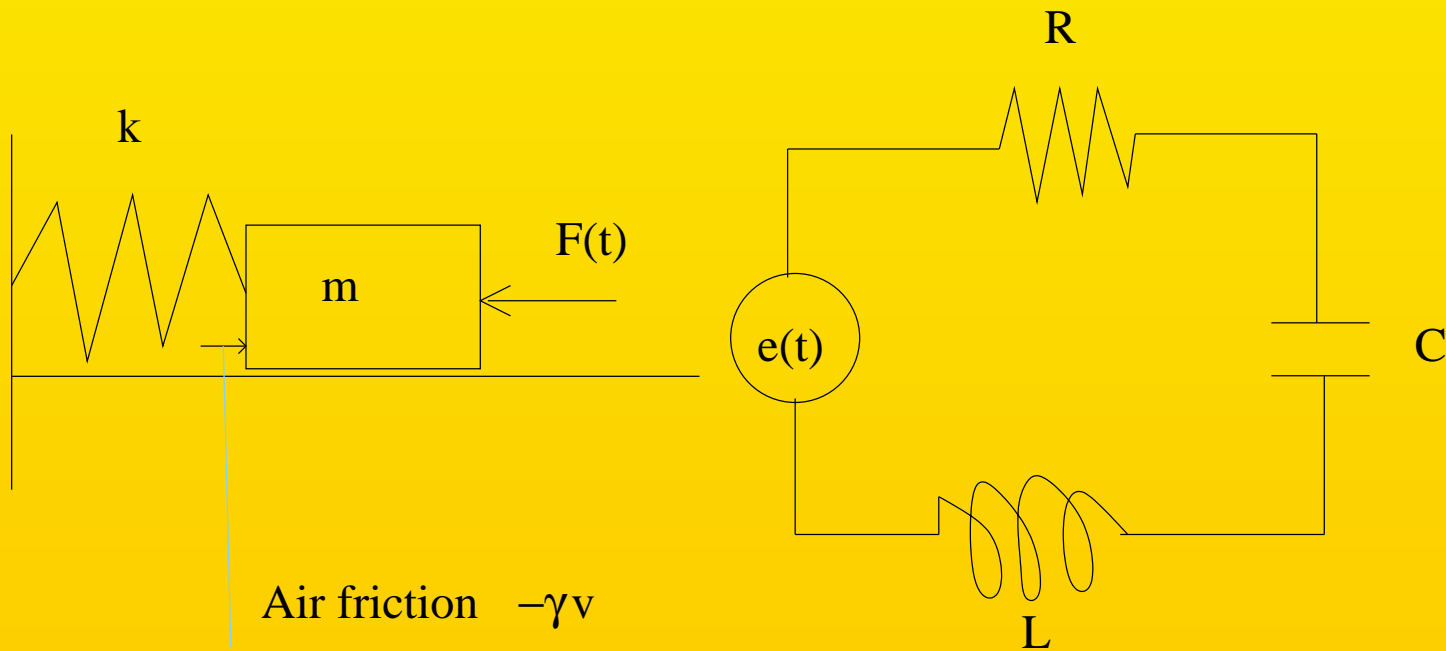


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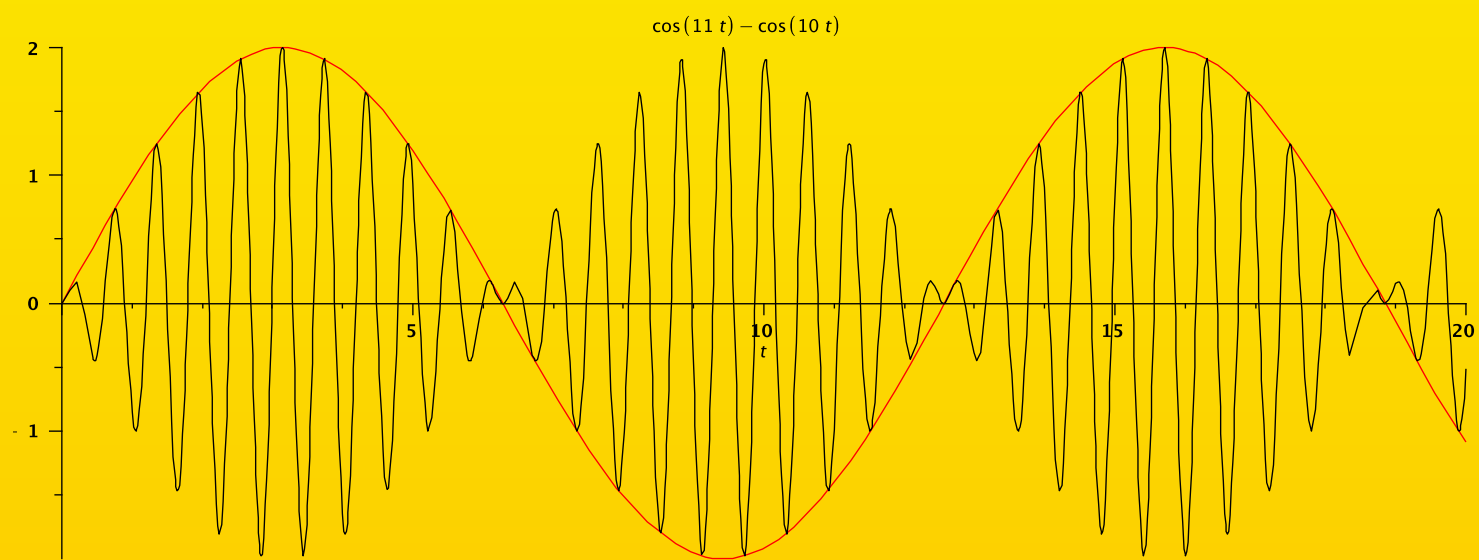
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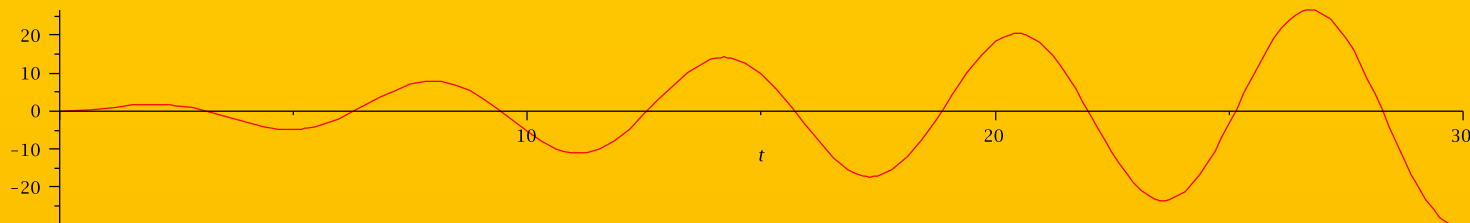
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Tacoma Narrows bridge, 1940

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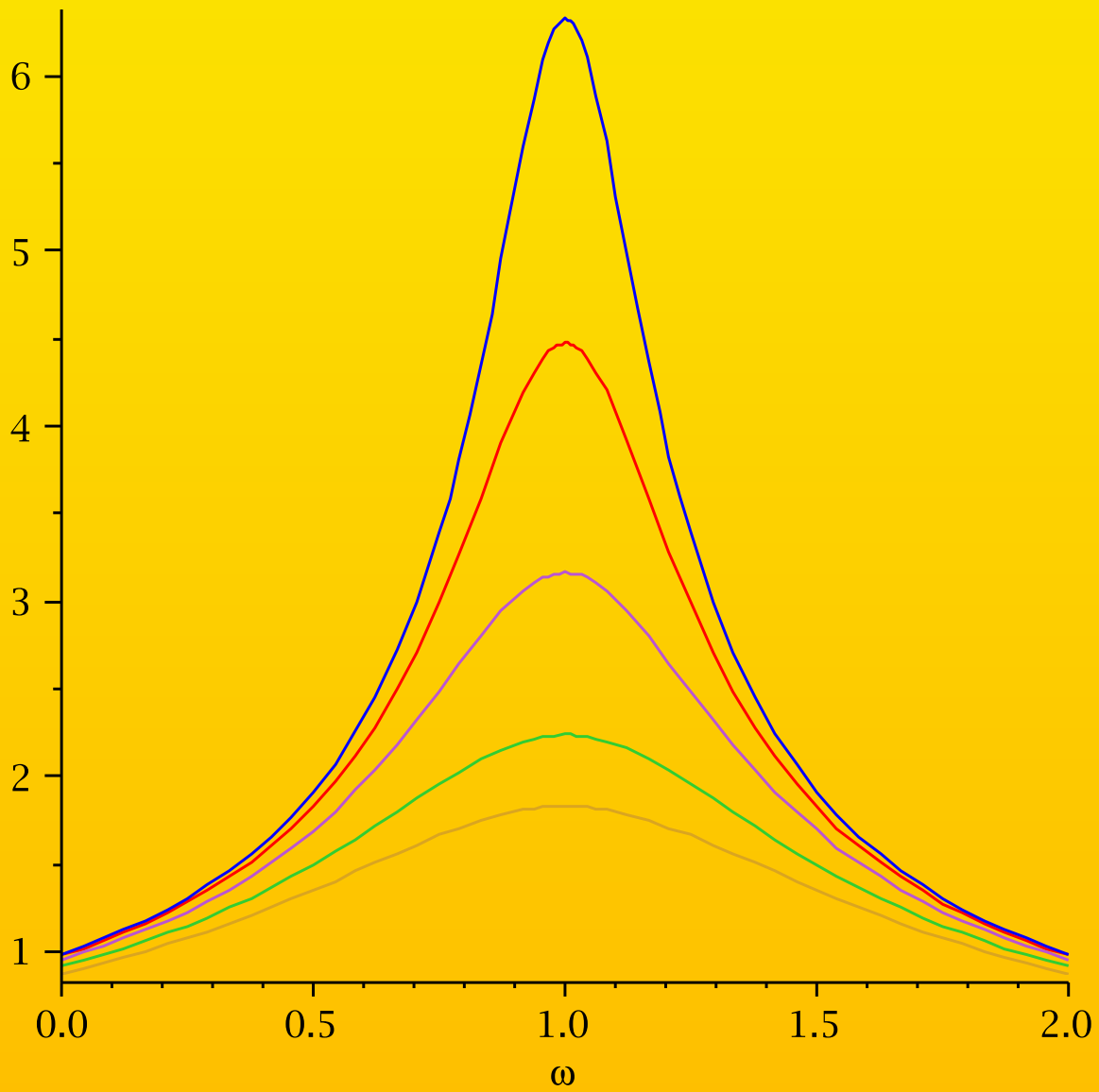


Figure 1: Response vs. frequency.

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