

Phys 238: Driven Oscillations

Resonance

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Differential Equation and Basic Parameters

The governing differential equation is:

$$\theta''[t] = -\omega_0^2 \theta(t) - \gamma \theta'(t) + \alpha_0 \sin[\omega_d t]$$

where κ is the restoring torque, I is the moment of inertia, $\omega_0 = \sqrt{\kappa / I}$, γ = drag, and $\alpha_0 = \tau_0 / I$, where τ_0 is the amplitude of the driving torque, ω_d is the frequency of the driving. Related quantities are $Q = \omega_0 / \gamma$ and

$$\text{linear frequency } f_0 = \omega_0 / 2\pi \text{ and } f_d = \omega_d / 2\pi$$

$$\theta''[t] = -\omega_0^2 \theta(t) - (\omega_0 / Q) \theta'(t) + \alpha_0 \sin[\omega_d t]$$

Physical constants

In[136]:=

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 $\omega_0 = 4.4$  (* rad/s, typical for torsional oscillator with 2 brass quadrants. *)
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 $f_0 = \omega_0 / (2 \pi)$ 
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tmax1 = 60 (* Useful simulation limit *)
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4.4
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0.700282
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60
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Do the numerical integration

In[139]:=

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damped = ParametricNDSolveValue[
  { $\theta''[t] == -(2 \pi f_0)^2 \theta[t] - (2 \pi f_0 / Q) \theta'[t]$ ,  $\theta[0] == 1$ ,  $\theta'[0] == 0$ },
   $\theta$ ,
  {t, 0, tmax1}, {Q}]
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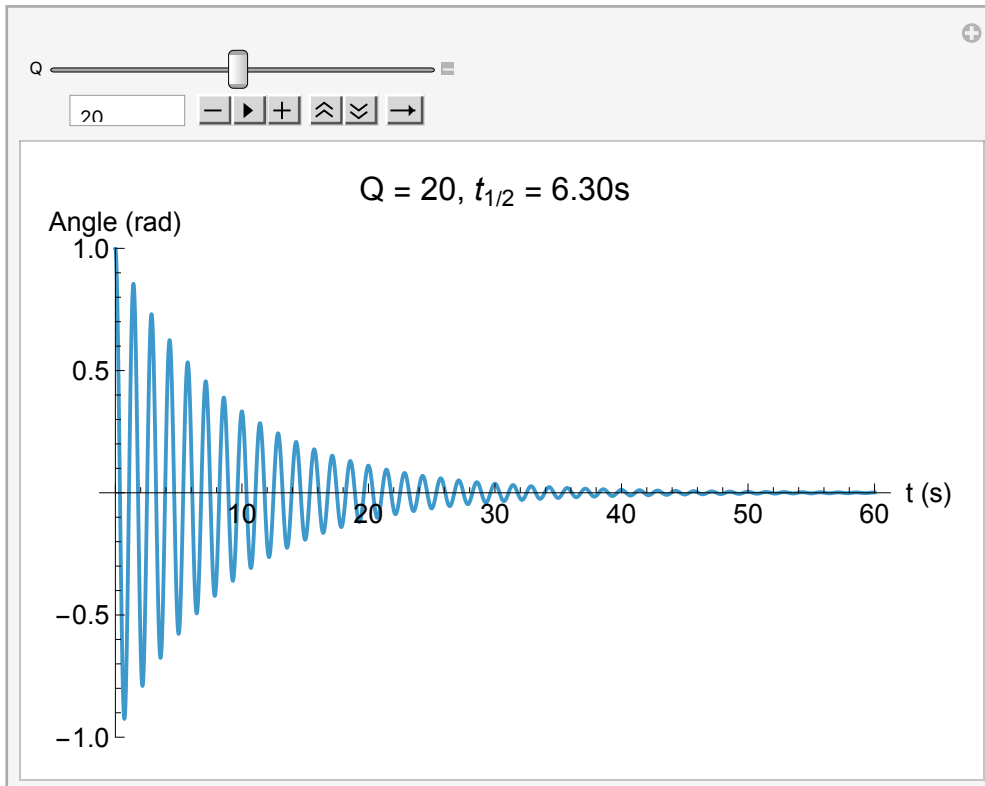
ParametricFunction[ Expression: θ
Parameters: {Q}]

Damped Oscillations -- the effect of Q

In[140]:=

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Manipulate[Plot[damped[Q][t], {t, 0, tmax1},
  PlotRange -> {-1, 1}, PlotPoints -> 300, PlotLabel ->
  StringForm["Q = ``,  $t_{1/2} = ``$ s", Q, NumberForm[2 Log[2] Q /  $\omega_0$ , {4, 2}]],
  LabelStyle -> Larger, AxesLabel -> {"t (s)", "Angle (rad)"},
  ImageSize -> Scaled[0.8]],
  {{Q, 20}, 1, 40, 1, Appearance -> "Open"}]
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Driven Oscillations -- initial transients

Set initial position to 0. Set a longer integration time to see transients.

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tmax2 = 90;
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In[142]:=

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driven = ParametricNDSolveValue[  
  { $\theta''[t] == -(2 \pi f_0)^2 \theta[t] - (2 \pi f_0 / Q) \theta'[t] + \alpha_0 \text{Sin}[2 \pi f_d t]$ ,  
   $\theta[0] == 0, \theta'[0] == 0$ },  
   $\theta$ ,  
  {t, 0, tmax2}, {Q,  $\alpha_0$ , fd}]
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ParametricFunction [ Expression: θ
Parameters: {Q, α_0 , fd}]

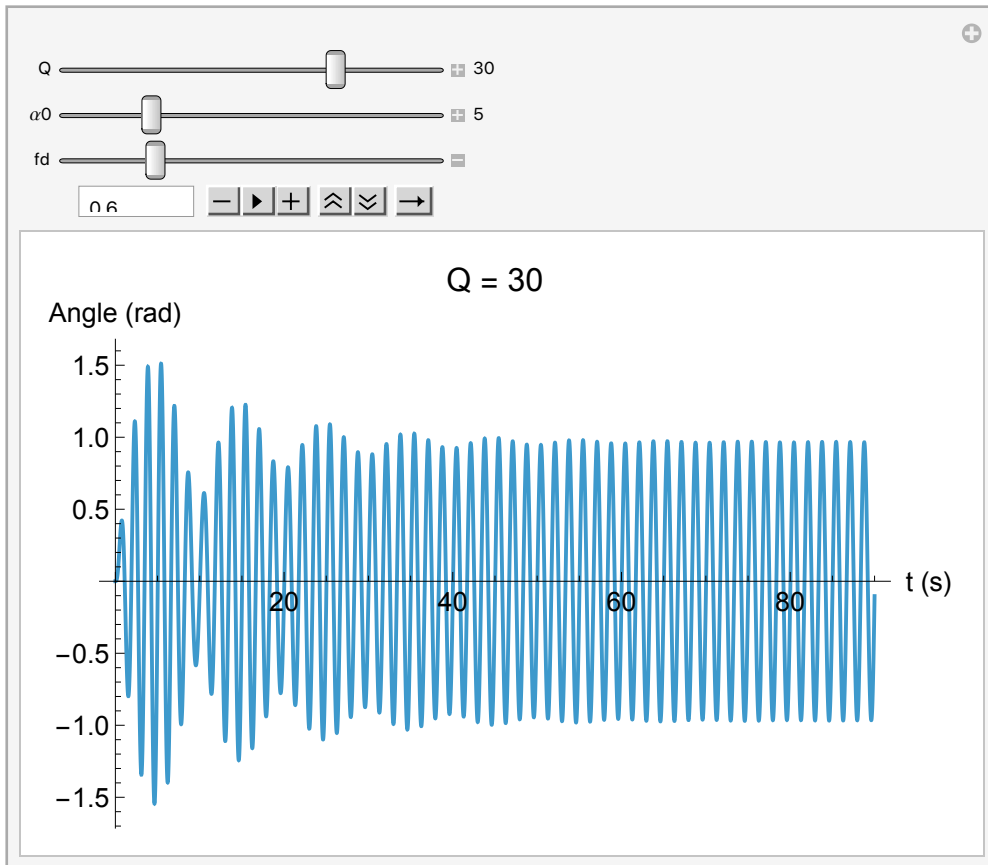
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Manipulate[Plot[driven[Q,  $\alpha_0$ , fd][t], {t, 0, tmax2}, PlotPoints  $\rightarrow$  300,
  PlotRange  $\rightarrow$  All, PlotLabel  $\rightarrow$  StringForm["Q = `", Q], LabelStyle  $\rightarrow$  Larger,
  AxesLabel  $\rightarrow$  {"t (s)", "Angle (rad)"}, ImageSize  $\rightarrow$  Scaled[0.8]],
  {{Q, 30}, 1, 40, 1, Appearance  $\rightarrow$  "Labeled"},
  {{ $\alpha_0$ , 5}, 1, 20, 1, Appearance  $\rightarrow$  "Labeled"},
  {{fd, 0.6}, 0.2, 2, 0.02, Appearance  $\rightarrow$  "Open"}]

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Steady State Response -- Resonance

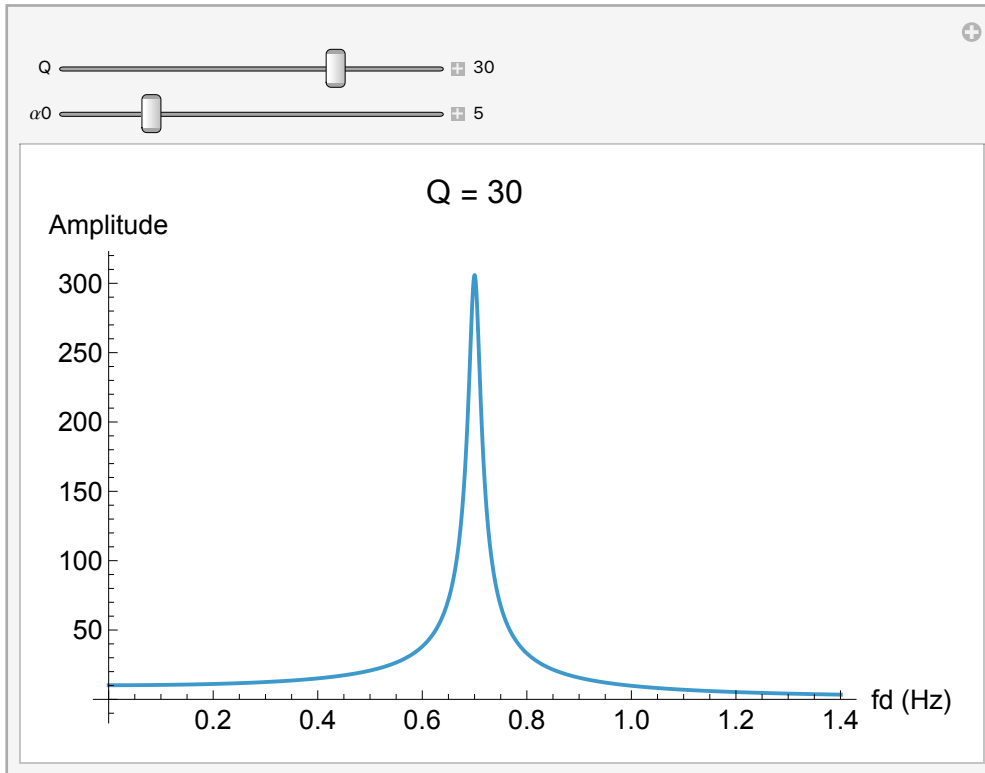
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$$\text{resonance}[\alpha_0, f_0, f, Q] := \frac{\alpha_0}{\text{Sqrt}\left[(f_0^2 - f^2)^2 + \left(\frac{f_0 f}{Q}\right)^2\right]}$$

In[145]:=

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Manipulate[Plot[resonance[ $\alpha_0$ ,  $f_0$ ,  $f_d$ ,  $Q$ ], { $f_d$ , 0, 2  $f_0$ }, PlotPoints  $\rightarrow$  300,  
  PlotRange  $\rightarrow$  All, PlotLabel  $\rightarrow$  StringForm["Q = ``",  $Q$ ], LabelStyle  $\rightarrow$  Larger,  
  AxesLabel  $\rightarrow$  {" $f_d$  (Hz)", "Amplitude"}, ImageSize  $\rightarrow$  Scaled[0.8]],  
  {{ $Q$ , 30}, 1, 40, 1, Appearance  $\rightarrow$  "Labeled"},  
  {{ $\alpha_0$ , 5}, 1, 20, 1, Appearance  $\rightarrow$  "Labeled"}]
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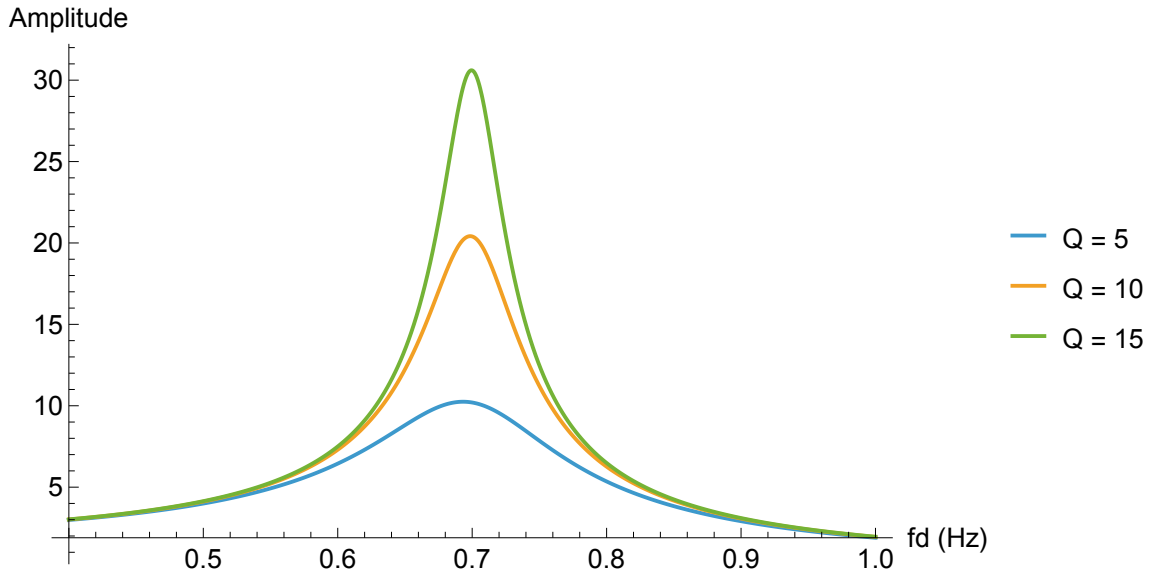
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In[146]:=

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Plot[{resonance[1, f0, fd, 5],
      resonance[1, f0, fd, 10],
      resonance[1, f0, fd, 15]}, {fd, 0.4, 1.0}, PlotPoints -> 300, PlotRange -> All,
      PlotLegends -> {"Q = 5", "Q = 10", "Q = 15"}, LabelStyle -> Larger,
      AxesLabel -> {"fd (Hz)", "Amplitude"}, ImageSize -> Scaled[0.8]]
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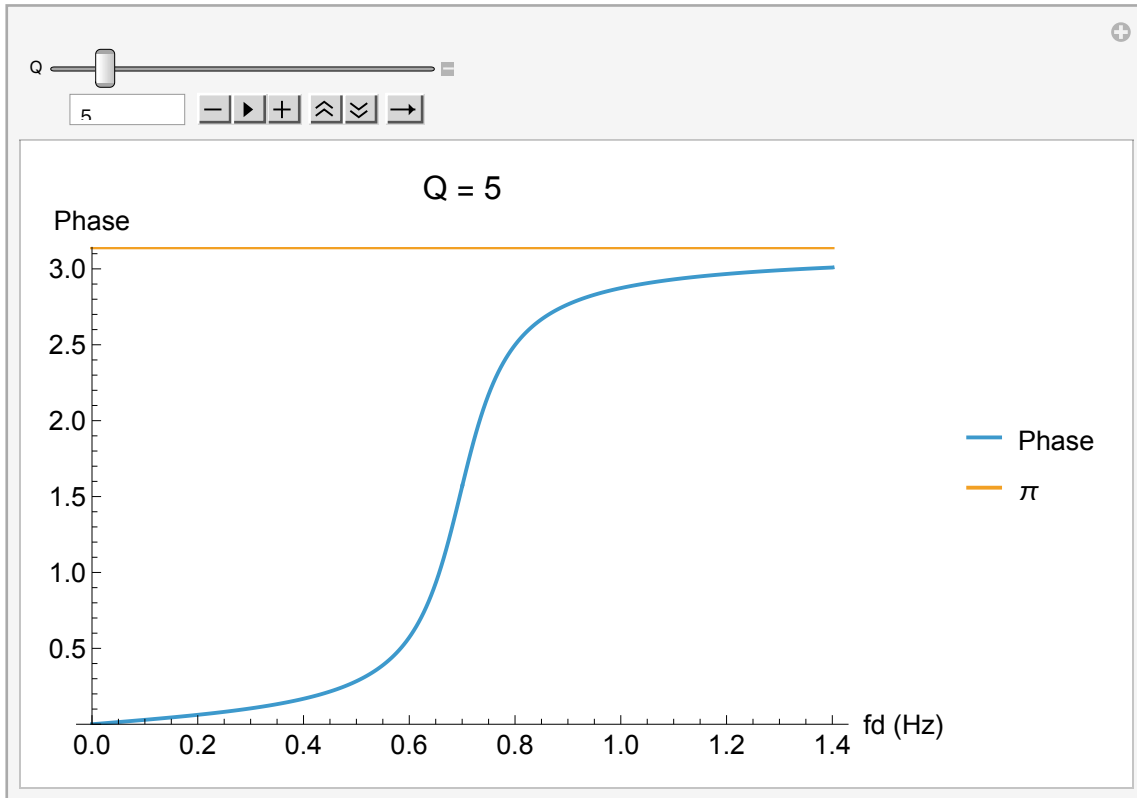
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phase[f0_, f_, Q_] := ArcTan[ f0^2 - f^2, f0 f / Q]
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In[148]:=

```
Manipulate[Plot[{phase[f0, fd, Q],  $\pi$ }, {fd, 0, 2 f0}, PlotPoints  $\rightarrow$  300,  
  PlotRange  $\rightarrow$  {0,  $\pi$ }, PlotLabel  $\rightarrow$  StringForm["Q = ``", Q],  
  PlotLegends  $\rightarrow$  {"Phase", " $\pi$ "}, LabelStyle  $\rightarrow$  Larger,  
  AxesLabel  $\rightarrow$  {"fd (Hz)", "Phase"}, ImageSize  $\rightarrow$  Scaled[0.8]],  
{Q, 5}, 1, 40, 1, Appearance  $\rightarrow$  "Open"]
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In[149]:=

```
Plot[{phase[f0, fd, 5],  
      phase[f0, fd, 10],  
      phase[f0, fd, 15]}, {fd, 0.4, 1.0}, PlotPoints -> 300, PlotRange -> All,  
      PlotLegends -> {"Q = 5", "Q = 10", "Q = 15"}, LabelStyle -> Larger,  
      AxesLabel -> {"fd (Hz)", "Phase (radians)"}, ImageSize -> Scaled[0.8]]
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