# **Mechanical vibrations**

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# Single degree of freedom systems (chp. 3, chp 1,2,3).

Free vibration, forced vibration, frequency response function, harmonic excitation, periodic excitation.

### Multi degrees of freedom systems (chp. 4,5; chp 5,6).

Free vibration of 2 and N degrees of freedom system. Mass, stiffness, damping matrices. Rigid body modes. Orthogonality of eigenvetors. Modal decoupling. Forced vibration, frequency response function

#### Continuum systems(chp 6,7; chp 8;).

Free vibration of beams (flexural and axial) .

<u>Numerical methods in dynamic analysis (chp 8</u>; chp 12;). - Rayleigh-Ritz method. -Finite element method. -FEM Software: MSC. Nastran and MSC. Patran. Exercises in lab..

### Frequency analysis of signal (chp. 9; chp10).

Fourier theory, signal types.

#### Measuring vibration (chp. 9,10; chp 10).

Accelerometer, experimental modal analysis: theory and practice.

# Rotordynamics (chp. 13; chp 10).

**Exercises.** A number of exercises have to be done for the final exam. During the lessons, the lecturer will give details about this.

#### Books

- Meneghetti, Maggiore, Funaioli, Lezioni di meccanica applicata alle macchine. <u>Vol. 3</u>: Dinamica e vibrazioni delle macchine, Pàtron, 2010.
- Rao, Mechanical Vibrations, 4<sup>rd</sup> ed., New York, Addison-Wesley, 2004
- Thomson W., Theory of Vibration with Applications, 4th edition, New York, Chapman & Hall, 1993.