

Ch_8_Lesson_2_Ex_1

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clear

m1 = 1; % initialize first mass-spring-damper
k1 = .5;
c1 = .1;

m2 = 1; % initialize second mass-spring-damper
k2 = .5;
c2 = .05;

a = 5; % initialize rest positions of system
b = 10;
d0 = b - a;

dt = 0.1;
n=300;

p1(1) = 3; % initialize system state
v1(1) = 0; % i.e. mass positions and velocities
p2(1) = 10;
v2(1) = 0;

t(1) = 0;

for i=2:n+1
    t(i) = t(i - 1) + dt;
    d = p2(i - 1) - p1(i - 1); % distance between mass 1 and mass 2
    dv = v2(i - 1) - v1(i - 1); % rate of change of d

    p1(i) = p1(i - 1) + v1(i - 1)*dt; % project position and velocity for mass 1
    v1(i) = v1(i - 1) + (-k1*(p1(i - 1) - a) - c1*v1(i - 1) + k2*(d - d0) + c2*dv)*dt / m1;

    p2(i) = p2(i - 1) + v2(i - 1)*dt; % project position and velocity for mass 2
    v2(i) = v2(i - 1) + (-k2*(d - d0) - c2*dv)*dt / m2;
end

plot(t, p1) % plot position of mass 1
hold on
plot(t, p2, 'r') % plot position of mass 2
hold off
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