

Exam II review

1. Expand $3 \cos(2t - \pi/3)$ as $a \cos(2t) + b \sin(2t)$. Write $\cos(3t) - \sin(3t)$ in standard form.
2. Consider the equation $x'' + bx' + 9x = 0$.
 - For what values of b is it underdamped? Overdamped? Critically damped?
 - Suppose we observe that $x(\pi/4)$ and $x(3\pi/4)$ are both zero. Which of the above cases must we be in? What must be the value of b ?

3. What is the general solution to

$$x'' + 3x' + 2x = 4e^t + e^{-2t} + (12t^2 + 14t + 14)e^{2t} + t^2 + e^t \cos(t) + e^t \cos(t + \pi/4)$$

4. Think about the equation $x'' + 2x' + kx = \cos(2t)$. How does the gain change as k increases? The phase lag? For what value of k is there a $-\pi/2$ phase lag? $-\pi/4$?