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Use double pendulum solution (with assumptions) to see if normal modes exist.

$$\ddot{\theta}_2 = \frac{-mgl}{\frac{ml^2}{4} + I_c} \sin \theta_2 \quad \text{where } I_c = 0 \text{ and } \sin \theta_2 = \theta_2$$
$$= \frac{-mgl}{\frac{ml^2}{4}} \theta_2 = \frac{2g}{l} \theta_2$$

$$\frac{1}{2}(3mg \sin \theta_1, -\sin \theta_2) = \left(\frac{5ml^2}{4} + I_1 + \frac{ml^2}{2} \cos(\theta_2 - \theta_1) \right) \ddot{\theta}_1$$
$$+ \left(I_2 + m \frac{l^2}{4} + m \frac{l^2}{2} \cos(\theta_2 - \theta_1) \right) \left[\frac{-mgl \sin \theta_2}{ml^2/2 + 2I_2} \right]$$

$$\frac{1}{2}(3mg \theta_1, -\theta_2) = \left(\frac{5ml^2}{4} + \frac{ml^2}{2} \right) \ddot{\theta}_1 + \left(m \frac{l^2}{4} + m \frac{l^2}{2} \right) \left[\frac{-mgl \theta_2}{ml^2/2} \right]$$

$$\frac{1}{2}(3mg \theta_1, -\theta_2) = \frac{7}{4} ml^2 \ddot{\theta}_1 + \frac{3}{4} ml^2 \cdot \frac{2gl \theta_2}{l} = \frac{7}{4} ml^2 \ddot{\theta}_1 + \frac{3}{2} mgl \theta_2$$

$$3mg \theta_1, -\theta_2 = \frac{7}{2} ml \ddot{\theta}_1 + 3mg \theta_2$$

$$\ddot{\theta}_1 = \frac{3mg \theta_1, -\theta_2 - 3mg \theta_2}{\frac{7}{2} ml} = \frac{6mg \theta_1, -2\theta_2(1-3mg)}{7ml}$$

Putting into form of $M \ddot{\theta} + K \theta = 0$

$$\begin{bmatrix} m & 0 \\ 0 & m \end{bmatrix} \ddot{\theta} + \begin{bmatrix} \frac{6g}{7l} & \frac{-2(1-3mg)}{7ml} \\ 0 & \frac{2g}{l} \end{bmatrix} \theta = 0$$

See attached Matlab code for plotted normal modes

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function HW24()
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Problem Statement

Problem Setup

```
clear all
close all
clc

% Define parameters
m = 1;
g = 1;
l = 1;

M = [m    0;...
      0    m];
K = [(6*g)/(7*l)    -2*(1-3*m*g)/(7*m*l);...
      0              2*g/l];

[p, lambda] = eig(M^-1*K)

eVect1 = p(:,1);
lambda1 = lambda(1);

eVect2 = p(:,2);
lambda2 = lambda(2);

x0 = [eVect2(1)    eVect2(2)]';
v0 = [0    0]';
zzero = [x0;v0];

n= 1000;

tspan = linspace(0, 20, n);

%Method I: ODE soln
[t zmatrix] = ode45(@method, tspan, zzero, [], M, K);

x1 = zmatrix(:,1);
x2 = zmatrix(:,2);

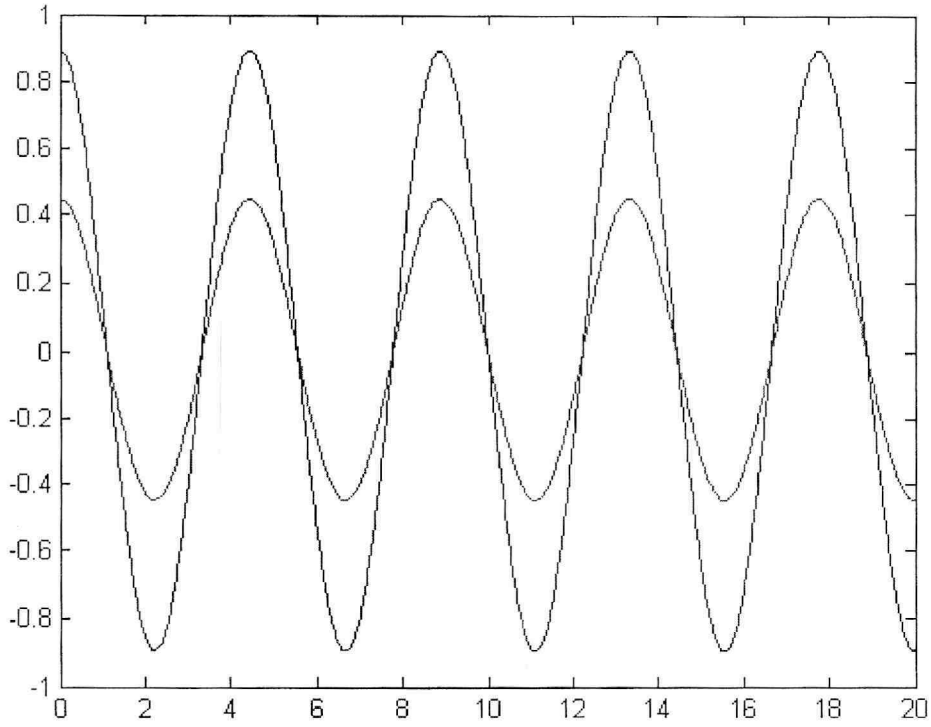
plot (t,x1,'r',t,x2,'b');

p =

    1.0000    0.4472
         0    0.8944

lambda =

    0.8571         0
         0    2.0000
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end
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x = z(1:2);
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v = z(3:4);
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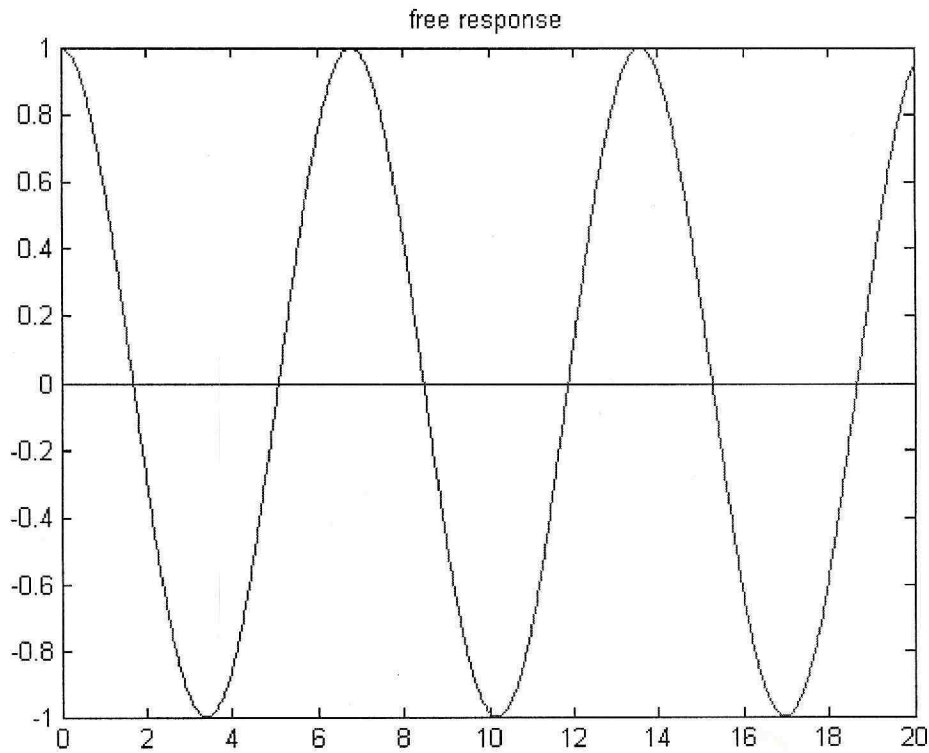
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xdot = v;
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vdot = -M^-1 * K*x;
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zdot = [xdot; vdot];
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end
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Check w/ full
non-lin. eqs.
(see if normal mode is an
approx soln.)