Homework 1

Question 1

A typical input variable is identified for each of the following examples of dynamic systems. Give at least one output variable for each system.

- 1. Human Body: neuro-electric pulses.
- 2. Company: information.
- 3. Power Plant: fuel rated.
- 4. **Automobile**: steering wheel movement.
- 5. **Robot**: applied voltage to joint motor.
- 6. Highway Bridge: vehicle force.

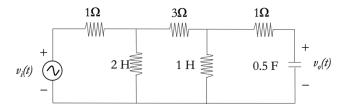
Also, indicate other possible inputs.

Question 2

Give four categories of uses of dynamic modeling. List advantages and disadvantages of experimental modeling over analytical modeling.

Question 3

Represent the electrical network in state space where $v_0(t)$ is the output.



Question 4

Please find the state space model for the mechanical system below, assuming f(t) as input, $x_1(t)$ and $x_2(t)$ as the outputs.

