## Homework H.6.F

**Given:** A homogeneous disk having a mass of m and outer radius R rolls without slipping on a rough, horizontal surface. A spring of stiffness k is connected between the center O of the disk and ground on the left side of the disk. A dashpot with damping constant c is connected between O and ground on the right side of the disk, as shown in the figure below. Let  $\theta$  represent the rotation of the disk measured positive counterclockwise. When  $\theta = 0$  rad, the spring is unstretched.

Find: For this problem:

- (a) Draw a free body diagram of the disk;
- (b) Derive the single equation of motion for the system in terms of the coordinate  $\theta$ , its derivatives, and, at most, the parameters m, R, c, and k; and
- (c) Determine the response of the system  $\theta(t)$  for t > 0, assuming  $\theta(0) = \theta_0$  and  $\dot{\theta}(0) = \dot{\theta}_0$ .



Use the following parameters in your analysis: m = 4 kg, k = 150 N/m, R = 0.1 m, c = 6 kg/s,  $\theta_0 = 0.2 \text{ rad}$ , and  $\dot{\theta}_0 = -3 \text{ rad/s}$ .