

# pendulum\_demo

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[1]: %matplotlib inline
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[23]: import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import math as m
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[28]: #simulation parameters
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length=10
g=10
omega=m.sqrt(g/length)
ht=0.01
Nt=2000
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#initial conditions
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tstep=0
time=tstep*ht
theta=0.5*m.pi
nu=0.0
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[29]: #storage - fill with initial conditions
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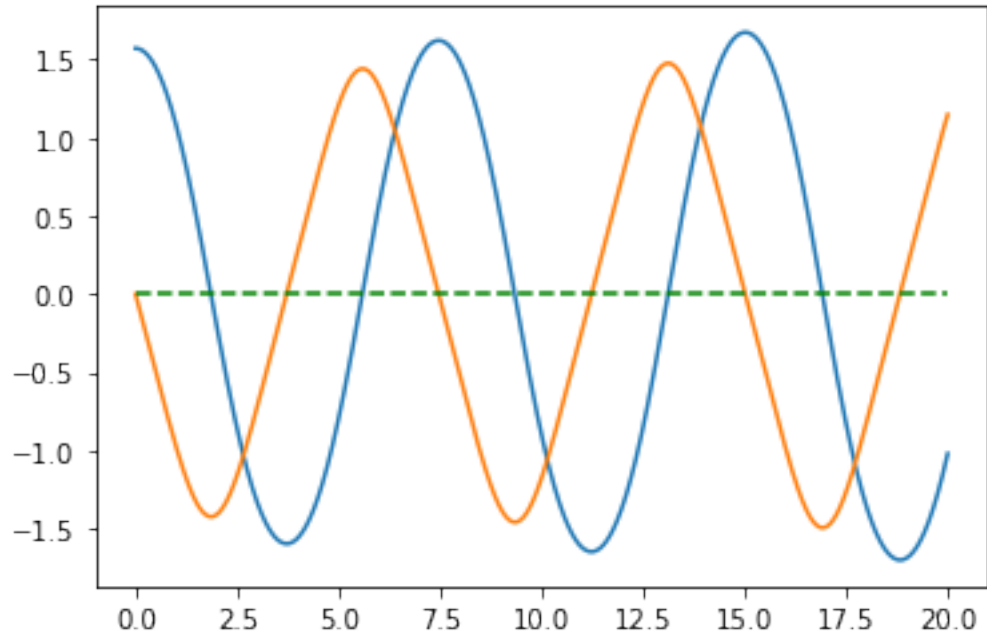
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tarray=[time]
thetaarray=[theta]
nuarray=[nu]
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[30]: #main loop
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while tstep<Nt:
    thetanew=theta+ht*nu
    nunew=nu-ht*omega*omega*m.sin(theta)
    tstep=tstep+1
    time=ht*tstep
    nu=nunew
    theta=thetanew

    tarray.append(time)
    thetaarray.append(theta)
    nuarray.append(nu)
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[31]: plt.plot(tarray,thetaarray)
plt.plot(tarray,nuarray)
plt.plot([0,Nt*ht],[0,0], 'g--')
plt.show()
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