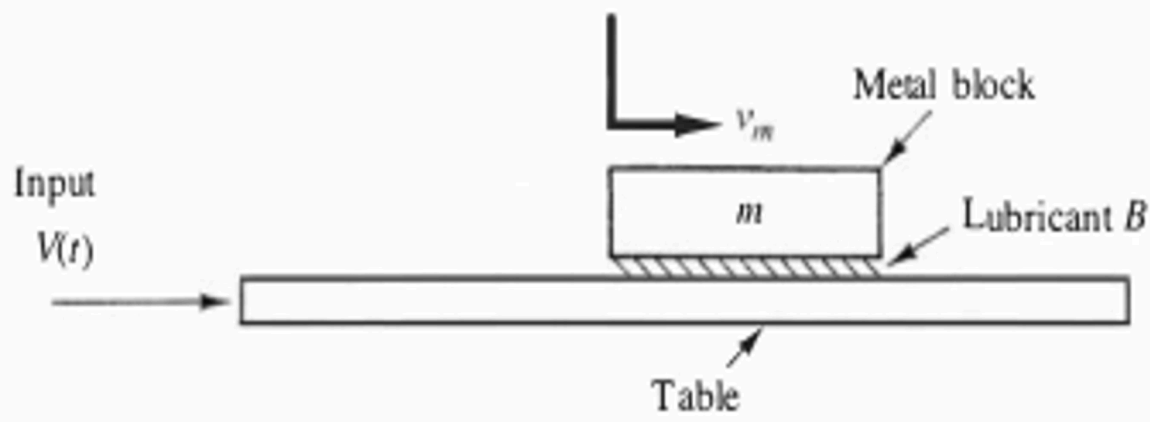


**5.1.** A metal block of mass  $m$  sits on a table. Vibrations in the floor cause the table to move horizontally with a velocity  $V(t)$ . A thin film of lubricant allows the block to slide on the table with an effective viscous frictional coefficient  $B$ , as shown in Fig. 5.23.



**Figure 5.23:** A mass element sliding on a table.

- Draw the system linear graph and normal tree.
- Derive a state equation for the system.
- Derive an output equation for the force accelerating the mass.

