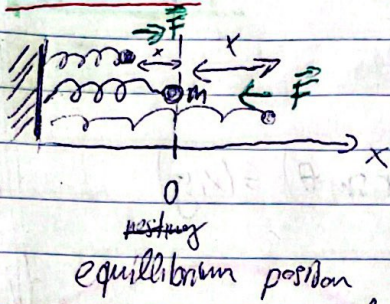


Advanced Mechanics

Harmonic Oscillator

Free 1D - no damping / driving



Hooke's law: $\vec{F}(x) = -Kx = F_x$

↳ approx. working for small displacement

$$-Kx = F(x) = ma = m \frac{d^2x}{dt^2} = m\ddot{x}$$

ODE Equation of motion

$$\ddot{x} + \left(\frac{K}{m}\right)x = 0$$

$\omega_0^2 = \text{natural freq.}$

① if $x(t)$ is a sol. \rightarrow $C \cdot x(t)$ is also a sol.

② if x_1, x_2 are sols, also their LC is a sol.

③ if x_1, x_2 lin. indep. $\rightarrow x_{gen}(t) = A_1 x_1(t) + A_2 x_2(t)$

Solutions to $\ddot{x} + \omega_0^2 x = 0$:

↳ 3 ways of expressing

Euler formula:

$$e^{\pm iy} = \cos(y) \pm i \sin(y)$$

to switch between forms:

$$\begin{aligned} A_1 &= B_1 + B_2 \\ A_2 &= B_1 - iB_2 \end{aligned}$$

$$x(t) = A_1 e^{i\omega_0 t} + A_2 e^{-i\omega_0 t}$$

$A_{1,2} \in \mathbb{C}$

$$x(t) = B_1 \cos(\omega_0 t) + B_2 \sin(\omega_0 t)$$

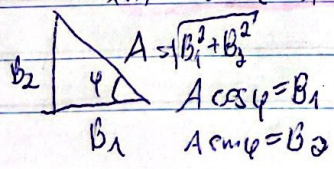
$B_{1,2} \in \mathbb{R}$

A, B constants come from initial conditions: $x(0) = 0 = B_1$

or $x(t) = A \cos(\omega_0 t - \varphi)$ with constants A and φ

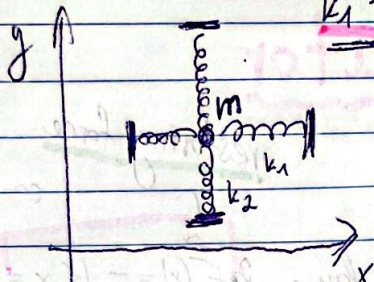
can be obtained from form ② as:

$$\begin{aligned} x(t) &= A \left(\frac{B_1}{A} \cos(\omega_0 t) + \frac{B_2}{A} \sin(\omega_0 t) \right) = A (\cos(\varphi) \cos(\omega_0 t) + \sin(\varphi) \sin(\omega_0 t)) \\ &= A \cdot \cos(\omega_0 t - \varphi) \end{aligned}$$

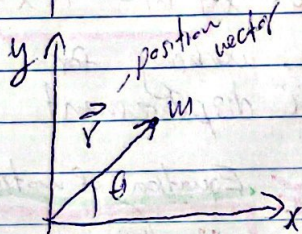


Free 2D

$k_1 = k_2 = k$ → both springs have same spring const.
 ⇒ isotropic



$$\begin{aligned} F_x &= -kx = m\ddot{x} \\ F_y &= -ky = m\ddot{y} \end{aligned}$$



$$\vec{r} = (r \cos \theta, r \sin \theta) = (x, y)$$

Equations of motion:

$$\begin{aligned} \ddot{x} + \omega_0^2 x &= 0 \\ \ddot{y} + \omega_0^2 y &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

⇒ solution:

$$\begin{aligned} x &= A \cos(\omega_0 t - \alpha) \\ y &= B \cos(\omega_0 t - \beta) \end{aligned} \quad \rightsquigarrow \cos(\omega_0 t - \alpha) = \frac{x}{A}$$

$$\begin{aligned} y &= B \cos(\omega_0 t - \beta - x + \alpha) = B \cos[(\omega_0 t - x) + (\alpha - \beta)] = \\ &= B [\cos(\omega_0 t - x) \cos(\alpha - \beta) - \sin(\omega_0 t - x) \sin(\alpha - \beta)] = \\ &= \frac{B}{A} [x \cos(\alpha - \beta) - A \sin(\omega_0 t - x) \sin(\alpha - \beta)] = \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} x^2 &= A^2 \cos^2(\omega_0 t - x) \\ &= A^2 (1 - \sin^2(\omega_0 t - x)) \Rightarrow \sqrt{1 - \frac{x^2}{A^2}} = \sin \delta \end{aligned}$$

$$= \frac{B}{A} [x \cos(\delta) \pm A \sin(\delta) \sqrt{1 - \frac{x^2}{A^2}}]$$

$$(Ay - Bx \cos(\delta))^2 = (\pm AB \sin \delta \sqrt{1 - \frac{x^2}{A^2}})^2$$

$$A^2 y^2 - 2ABxy \cos(\delta) + B^2 x^2 \cos^2 \delta = A^2 B^2 \sin^2 \delta (1 - \frac{x^2}{A^2})$$

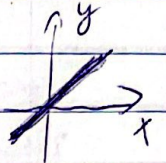
$$A^2 y^2 - 2ABxy \cos(\delta) + B^2 x^2 \cos^2 \delta = A^2 B^2 \sin^2 \delta - x^2 B^2 \sin^2 \delta$$

$$A^2 y^2 - 2ABxy \cos(\delta) + B^2 x^2 (\cos^2 \delta + \sin^2 \delta) = A^2 B^2 \sin^2 \delta$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{A^2 y^2 + B^2 x^2 - 2ABxy \cos \delta = A^2 B^2 \sin^2 \delta}$$

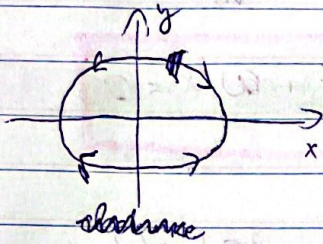
Special cases of $A^2 y^2 + B^2 x^2 + 2ABxy \cos(\delta) = A^2 B^2 \sin^2 \delta$

$\delta = 0 (\alpha = \beta) : A^2 y^2 + B^2 x^2 - 2ABxy = 0$
 $(Ay - Bx)^2 = 0$
 $Ay - Bx = 0 \Rightarrow y = \frac{B}{A} x \Rightarrow \text{line}$



$\delta = \pm \frac{\pi}{2} : A^2 y^2 + B^2 x^2 = A^2 B^2$

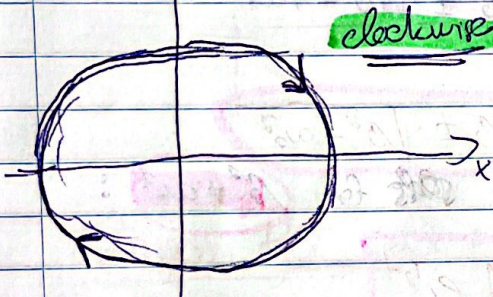
$\frac{y^2}{B^2} + \frac{x^2}{A^2} = 1 \Rightarrow \text{ellipse (for } A=B : \text{circle)}$



Phase diagram (10)

$\dot{x} = \dot{x}(x)$

$x(t) = A \cos(\omega_0 t - \varphi)$
 $\dot{x}(t) = -A \omega_0 \sin(\omega_0 t - \varphi)$



$x^2 = A^2 \cos^2(\omega_0 t - \varphi)$

$\dot{x}^2 = A^2 \omega_0^2 \sin^2(\omega_0 t - \varphi)$

$x^2 + \frac{\dot{x}^2}{\omega_0^2} = A^2 (\cos^2(\omega_0 t - \varphi) + \sin^2(\omega_0 t - \varphi))$

$\Rightarrow \frac{x^2}{A^2} + \frac{\dot{x}^2}{\omega_0^2 A^2} = 1 \Rightarrow \text{ellipse}$

$E = U + T$

$\frac{dU}{dx} = -F_x = kx \Rightarrow U = \frac{1}{2} kx^2 + C$

$T = \frac{1}{2} m \dot{x}^2$

$E = \frac{1}{2} kx^2 + \frac{1}{2} m \dot{x}^2 \Rightarrow \frac{2E}{m} = x^2 + \frac{\dot{x}^2}{\omega_0^2} = \text{const.}$

closed curves \Rightarrow Energy is conserved

$\Rightarrow 1 = \frac{x^2}{\frac{2E}{m}} + \frac{\dot{x}^2}{\omega_0^2 \frac{2E}{m}} =$

Damped HO 1D

• damping usually function of velocity

$$\Rightarrow F_{\text{damping}}(v) = -b\underbrace{v}_{\text{const.}} \quad \text{and} \quad F_{\text{spring}} = -kx$$

$$\rightarrow m\ddot{x} = -kx - b\dot{x}$$

Equation of motion: $\ddot{x} + \left(\frac{b}{m}\right)\dot{x} + \left(\frac{k}{m}\right)x = 0$ $\overset{2\beta}{=} \omega_0^2$

$$\ddot{x} + 2\beta\dot{x} + \omega_0^2 x = 0$$

Guess: e^{rt} , $r = \text{const.}$

$$\Rightarrow r^2 e^{rt} + 2\beta r e^{rt} + \omega_0^2 e^{rt} = 0$$

$e^{rt} \neq 0$

$$\Rightarrow r^2 + 2\beta r + \omega_0^2 = 0$$

$$\hookrightarrow r_{1,2} = \frac{-2\beta \pm \sqrt{4\beta^2 - 4\omega_0^2}}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow r_{1,2} = -\beta \pm \sqrt{\beta^2 - \omega_0^2}$$

leads to two lin. indep. sol^s for $\beta^2 \neq \omega_0^2$:

$$x(t) = A_1 e^{r_1 t} + A_2 e^{r_2 t}$$

↳ 3 cases which can occur:

① underdamping $\beta < \omega_0$ - weak damping force

$$r_{1,2} = -\beta \pm i\sqrt{\omega_0^2 - \beta^2}$$

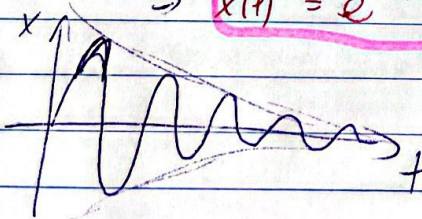
let $\omega_1^2 = \omega_0^2 - \beta^2 > 0$

$$\Rightarrow r_{1,2} = -\beta \pm i\omega_1$$

$$\Rightarrow e^{rt} = e^{-\beta t} e^{i\omega_1 t}$$

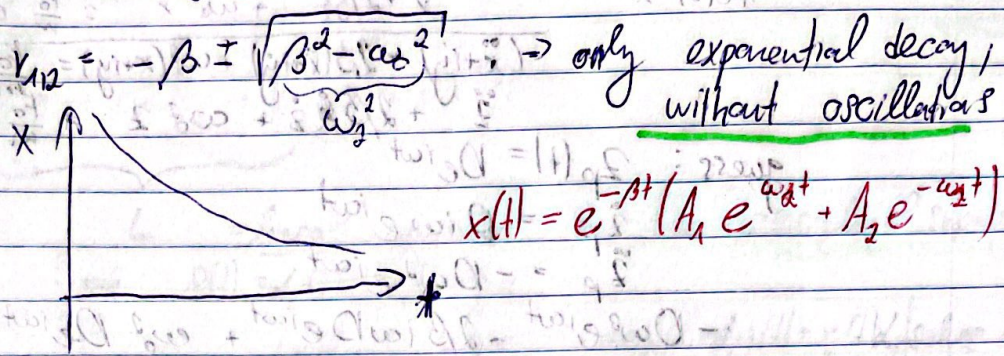
$$\Rightarrow x(t) = A_1 e^{-\beta t} e^{i\omega_1 t} + A_2 e^{-\beta t} e^{-i\omega_1 t}$$

$$\Rightarrow x(t) = e^{-\beta t} (A_1 e^{i\omega_1 t} + A_2 e^{-i\omega_1 t})$$



decaying oscillations
(envelope $\propto e^{-\beta t}$)

② **overdamping** $\beta > \omega_0$ - strong damping force

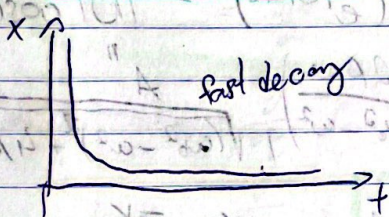


③ **critical damping** $\beta = \omega_0$

$r = -\beta$ → only one solution but we need two lin. indep. for general sol.
 ⇒ as a second solution: $t e^{rt}$

⇒ $x(t) = A_1 e^{rt} + A_2 t e^{rt}$

exp stronger than $\ln t$ ⇒ still decay in time



Driven HO 1D: $F_x = -kx$ still: $\omega_0 = \sqrt{\frac{k}{m}}$ natural freq.
 $F_{damp} = -b\dot{x}$
 $F_{driving} = F_0 \cos(\omega t)$

$F_x + F_{damp} + F_{driving} = ma = m\ddot{x}$
 $-kx - b\dot{x} + F_0 \cos(\omega t) = m\ddot{x}$

⇒ $\ddot{x} + \frac{b}{m}\dot{x} + \frac{k}{m}x = \frac{F_0}{m} \cos(\omega t)$

Eq. ⇒ $\ddot{x} + 2\beta\dot{x} + \omega_0^2 x = A \cos(\omega t)$ non-homogeneous

general solution: $x_{gen} = x_{homogeneous} + x_{particular}$ of non-homo.

same as we had before

Finding particular solution

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Let $z = x + iy$, $i(\ddot{y} + 2\beta\dot{y} + \omega_0^2 y) = i\frac{F_0}{m} \sin(\omega t)$
 $\hookrightarrow \text{Re}(z) = x$ $\ddot{x} + 2\beta\dot{x} + \omega_0^2 x = \frac{F_0}{m} \cos(\omega t)$

$$\frac{(\ddot{x} + iy) + 2\beta(\dot{x} + iy) + \omega_0^2(x + iy)}{\ddot{z} + 2\beta\dot{z} + \omega_0^2 z} = \frac{F_0}{m} \frac{(\cos(\omega t) + i\sin(\omega t))}{e^{i\omega t}} \equiv A e^{i\omega t}$$

guess: $z_p(t) = D e^{i\omega t}$

$$\dot{z}_p = D i\omega e^{i\omega t}$$

$$\ddot{z}_p = -D\omega^2 e^{i\omega t}$$

$$-D\omega^2 e^{i\omega t} + 2\beta i\omega D e^{i\omega t} + \omega_0^2 D e^{i\omega t} = A e^{i\omega t}$$

$$-D\omega^2 + i\omega 2\beta D + \omega_0^2 D = A$$

$$\Rightarrow D = \frac{A}{\omega_0^2 - \omega^2 + i\omega 2\beta} = |D| e^{i\omega t}$$

$$x = \text{Re}(z) = \text{Re}\left(\frac{1}{\omega_0^2 - \omega^2 + i\omega 2\beta} e^{i\omega t}\right) =$$

$$= \text{Re}\left(\frac{1}{(\omega_0^2 - \omega^2) + i\omega 2\beta} \cos(\omega t) + i\sin(\omega t)\right)$$

$$= |D| \text{Re}(e^{i(\omega t + \delta)}) = |D| \cos(\omega t + \delta)$$

$$\delta = \arctan\left(\frac{2\beta\omega}{\omega_0^2 - \omega^2}\right), \quad |D| = \frac{A}{\sqrt{(\omega_0^2 - \omega^2)^2 + 4\beta^2\omega^2}}$$

x_p = long-term solution; $x_c = x_{\text{homo}}$ decays fast with time

$$\Rightarrow x_p(t) = \frac{A}{\sqrt{(\omega_0^2 - \omega^2)^2 + 4\beta^2\omega^2}} \cos(\omega t + \arctan\left(\frac{2\beta\omega}{\omega_0^2 - \omega^2}\right))$$

Resonance - for a particular ω , the amplitude of oscillations becomes very large

\Rightarrow at resonance, maximum $|D|$:

$$\frac{d|D|}{d\omega} = 0 \Rightarrow$$

$$\omega = \omega_R := \sqrt{\omega_0^2 - 2\beta^2}$$

resonance frequency

when $\omega_0 \gg \beta$ nearly resonance:

Taylor expand $|D|$ in terms of $\frac{\beta}{\omega_0}$ (small):

$$|D| \approx \frac{A}{2\beta\omega_0} \left(1 + \frac{\beta^2}{2\omega_0^2} + \dots\right)$$

If there is no damping ($\beta=0$) $\Rightarrow |D| \rightarrow \infty$

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Green's Function & Fourier series

$$\left(\frac{d^2}{dt^2} + a \frac{d}{dt} + b \right) x(t) = f(t)$$

L = linear operator \Rightarrow use principle of superposition

principle of superposition $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{LHS} \\ \text{RHS} \end{array} \right. \Rightarrow f(t) = \alpha_1 f_1(t) + \alpha_2 f_2(t) + \dots$
 $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} Lx_1(t) \\ Lx_2(t) \end{array} \right. \Rightarrow x(t) = \alpha_1 x_1(t) + \alpha_2 x_2(t) \text{ solves } Lx = f(t)$

$$\Rightarrow f(t) = \sum_{n=1}^N \alpha_n f_n(t) \Rightarrow x(t) = \sum_{n=1}^N \alpha_n x_n(t)$$

with $Lx_n(t) = f_n(t)$

with period $\tau = \frac{2\pi}{\omega}$ / $F(t)$

• if we have periodic functions, we can express them as their Fourier series

$$F(t) = \frac{a_0}{2} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} [a_n \cos(n\omega t) + b_n \sin(n\omega t)]$$

with

$$a_n = \frac{2}{\tau} \int_0^{\tau} \cos(n\omega t') F(t') dt'$$

$$b_n = \frac{2}{\tau} \int_0^{\tau} \sin(n\omega t') F(t') dt'$$

useful trig identities:

$$\cos(\phi + \theta) = \cos\phi \cos\theta - \sin\phi \sin\theta$$

$$\int_0^{\tau} \cos(n\omega t) \cos(m\omega t) dt = \frac{\tau}{2} \delta_{nm}$$

$$\int_0^{\tau} \sin(n\omega t) \sin(m\omega t) dt = \frac{\tau}{2} \delta_{nm}$$

Green's function method

• Green's function G is s.t.

$$LG = \delta(t-t')$$

$$\Rightarrow x(t) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} G(t,t') \frac{F(t')}{m} dt'$$

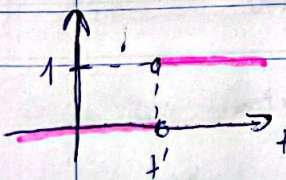
because $-\infty Lx(t) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} (LG(t,t')) \frac{F(t')}{m} dt' = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \delta(t-t') \frac{F(t')}{m} dt' = \frac{F(t)}{m}$

\hookrightarrow Dirac delta distribution

because G is the only t -dep. function

$$= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \delta(t-t') \frac{F(t')}{m} dt' = \frac{F(t)}{m}$$

HO: For $\omega_0 \neq \beta$:



$$G(t, t') = \begin{cases} \theta(t-t') \frac{e^{-\beta(t-t')}}{\sqrt{\omega_0^2 - \beta^2}} \sin[\sqrt{\omega_0^2 - \beta^2} (t-t')], & \omega_0 > \beta \\ \theta(t-t') \frac{e^{-\beta(t-t')}}{\sqrt{\omega_0^2 - \beta^2}} \sinh[\sqrt{\beta^2 - \omega_0^2} (t-t')], & \omega_0 < \beta \\ \theta(t-t') \frac{e^{-\beta(t-t')}}{2i(\omega_0 - \beta^2)^{1/2}} (e^{i\sqrt{\omega_0^2 - \beta^2} (t-t')} - e^{-i\sqrt{\omega_0^2 - \beta^2} (t-t')}) & \omega_0 = \beta \end{cases}$$

★ $F(t) = \begin{cases} D, & t > 0 \\ 0, & t < 0 \end{cases} = D \theta(t)$ forcing function of HO

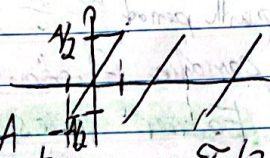
$x(t) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} G(t, t') \frac{F(t')}{m} dt' = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} G(t, t') \frac{D}{m} dt'$

use $G(t, t')$ from previous page

Newton's laws : $\vec{F} = m\vec{a}$ → old

Now: new approach : variational calculus →

Example 3.6
- sawtooth



$F(t) = A \frac{t}{\tau} = \frac{\omega A}{2\pi} t$, $-\tau/2 < t < \tau/2$
 $\tau = \frac{2\pi}{\omega}$

odd $\Rightarrow a_n = 0$

$b_n = \frac{2}{\tau} \int_{-\tau/2}^{\tau/2} \sin(n\omega t) A \frac{\omega}{2\pi} t dt =$

$= \frac{\omega A}{\pi} \int_0^{\tau/2} t \sin(n\omega t) dt =$

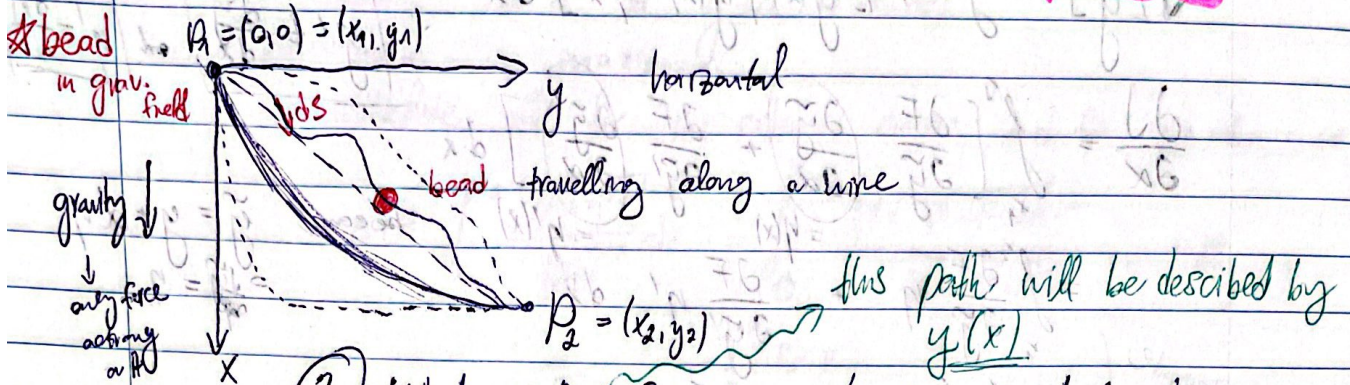
$= A \frac{\omega^2}{\pi^2} \left[-t \frac{\cos(n\omega t)}{n\omega} + \int_0^{\tau/2} \frac{\cos(n\omega t)}{n\omega} dt \right] =$

$= A \frac{\omega^2}{\pi^2} \left[-\frac{\sin(n\omega t)}{n^2\omega^2} + \frac{\cos(n\omega t)}{n\omega} \right]_0^{\tau/2} =$

$= A \frac{\omega^2}{\pi^2} \left[-\frac{\sin(n\pi)}{n^2\omega^2} - \frac{\cos(n\pi)}{n\omega} \right] = A \frac{\omega^2}{\pi^2} \frac{(-1)^n \tau^2}{n\omega} =$

$= -A \frac{(-1)^n}{\pi n} = \underline{\underline{\frac{A}{\pi n} (-1)^{n+1}}}$

Variational principle



What path for wire do we want to choose such that the travel time $P_1 \rightarrow P_2$ is minimal?

$$\Delta T = \int_{t_1}^{t_2} dt = \int_{x_1}^{x_2} \frac{dt}{dx} dx = \int_{x_1}^{x_2} \frac{dt}{ds} \frac{ds}{dx} dx = \int_{x_1}^{x_2} \frac{1}{v} \sqrt{1 + (y')^2} dx$$

$$E = T + U = \frac{1}{2}mv^2 - mgx$$

let initially $v=0$ at $P_1: x=0$
 \Rightarrow initially $E=0$ but energy is conserved
 $\Rightarrow E=0$ always $\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2}mv^2 - mgx = 0$

$$\frac{dt}{ds} = \frac{1}{v} \quad \leftarrow \quad v = \frac{ds}{dt} = \frac{ds}{dx} \frac{dx}{dt} = \frac{ds}{dx} \sqrt{1 + (y')^2} \quad \Rightarrow \quad v^2 = 2gx \quad \Rightarrow \quad v = \sqrt{2gx}$$

$$ds = \sqrt{dx^2 + dy^2} = dx \sqrt{1 + \left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)^2} = dx \sqrt{1 + (y')^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{ds}{dx} = \sqrt{1 + (y')^2}$$

$$\Delta T = \int_{x_1}^{x_2} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2gx}} \sqrt{1 + (y')^2} dx = \int_{x_1}^{x_2} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2gx}} \sqrt{1 + (y')^2} dx$$

$$\Delta T = \int_{x_1}^{x_2} \sqrt{\frac{1 + (y')^2}{2gx}} dx \quad \text{travel time along path } y(x)$$

Functional $J[y] = \int_{x_1}^{x_2} F[y, y', x] dx$ (here $\Delta T = J$)
 \hookrightarrow function of functions
 function of x

arbitrary function between P_1 and P_2 : $\tilde{y}(x) = y(x) + \alpha \eta(x)$
 written parametrically in terms of $y(x)$.
 When $\alpha=0 \Rightarrow \tilde{y}(x) = y(x)$ = minimal travel time path
 (const.) arbitrary continuous function

We want: $\frac{\partial J[y]}{\partial \alpha} \Big|_{\alpha=0} = 0$, here $\frac{\partial \Delta T}{\partial \alpha} \Big|_{\alpha=0} = 0$

Integration by parts: $\int_{x_1}^{x_2} f \cdot g' = \int_{x_1}^{x_2} \frac{d}{dx} (fg) - f'g \, dx = f \cdot g \Big|_{x_1}^{x_2} - \int_{x_1}^{x_2} f' \cdot g \, dx$

Note:

$$J[y] = \int F[y(x), y'(x), x] \, dx$$

$$\boxed{y' = \frac{dy}{dx}} \quad \text{and} \quad \boxed{y' = \frac{d\eta}{dx}}$$

$$\frac{dJ}{dx} = \int_{x_1}^{x_2} \left[\frac{\partial F}{\partial y} \left(\frac{\partial y}{\partial x} \right) + \frac{\partial F}{\partial y'} \left(\frac{\partial y'}{\partial x} \right) \right] dx$$

$$= \int_{x_1}^{x_2} \frac{\partial F}{\partial y} \eta + \frac{\partial F}{\partial y'} \eta' \, dx$$

because $\tilde{y} = y + d\eta$
 $\frac{d\tilde{y}}{dx} = \eta'$

integrate by parts, $\eta(x_1) = 0 = \eta(x_2)$

$$= \int_{x_1}^{x_2} \left(\frac{\partial F}{\partial y} - \frac{d}{dx} \frac{\partial F}{\partial y'} \right) \eta(x) \, dx = 0$$

Since

arbitrary function, so if we want $\int = 0$, we need the other part = 0

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\frac{\partial F}{\partial y} - \frac{d}{dx} \frac{\partial F}{\partial y'} = 0}$$

Euler's Equation

useful when F indep. of y

but holds always

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... minimizing problem with a bead

$$\Delta T = \int_{x_1}^{x_2} \frac{\sqrt{1+y'^2}}{\sqrt{2gx'}} \, dx$$

$$\left(\frac{\partial F}{\partial y} \right) - \frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{\partial F}{\partial y'} \right) = 0$$

0 because F doesn't explicitly depend on y

$$\Rightarrow \frac{d}{dx} \frac{\partial F}{\partial y'} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial F}{\partial y'} = \frac{y'}{\sqrt{x} \sqrt{1+y'^2}} = \text{const.} = c = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2a}}$$

Square both sides

$$\left[\frac{\text{length}}{\text{length}} \right] = [\text{length}^{-1/2}]$$

$$2a y'^2 = \frac{x(1+y'^2)}{2a}$$

$$y'^2 = \frac{x}{2a(1-x/2a)} = \frac{x}{2a-x}$$

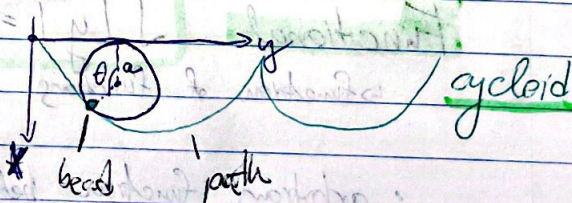
$$\frac{dy}{dx} = y' = \sqrt{\frac{x}{2a-x}}$$

$$y = \int \sqrt{\frac{x}{2a-x}} \, dx = \int \frac{x \, dx}{\sqrt{2ax-x^2}}$$

$$x = a(1-\cos\theta), \quad dx = a \sin\theta \, d\theta$$

$$y = \int \frac{a^2(1-\cos\theta) \sin\theta \, d\theta}{\sqrt{2a^2(1-\cos\theta) - a^2(1-\cos\theta)^2}} =$$

$$= a \int \frac{(1-\cos\theta) \sin\theta \, d\theta}{\sqrt{2(1-\cos\theta) - (1-\cos\theta)^2}} = a \int (1-\cos\theta) \, d\theta = a(\theta - \sin\theta)$$



\Rightarrow the extremum is $y = a(\theta - \sin\theta)$
 (2) minimum or maximum
 \Rightarrow calculate ΔT for this extreme curve and for any other curve

$$\Delta T = \int_{x_1}^{x_2} \frac{\sqrt{1+y'^2}}{\sqrt{2gx}} dx = \int_0^{\pi} \frac{\sqrt{1+a^2(1-\cos\theta)^2}}{\sqrt{2ga(1-\cos\theta)}} a \sin\theta d\theta$$

$x_1=0 \Rightarrow \theta_1$
 $x_2=2a \Rightarrow \theta_2 = \pi$
 $a(1-\cos\theta)$

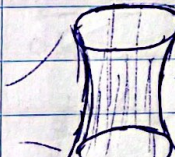
$$\Delta T = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2g}} \int_0^{\pi} \sqrt{\frac{1}{a(1-\cos\theta)} + a(1-\cos\theta)} a \sin\theta d\theta = \dots = \sqrt{\frac{2a}{g}} \pi$$

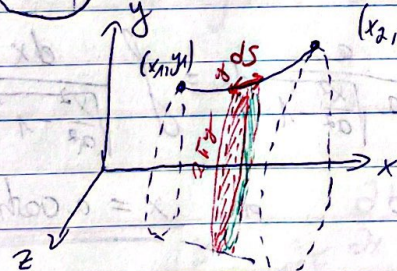
\Rightarrow compare to arbitrary curve, e.g. $y=x$:

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta T &= \int_{x_1}^{x_2} \frac{\sqrt{1+1^2}}{\sqrt{2gx}} dx = \int_0^{2a} \frac{\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{2gx}} dx = \frac{1}{\sqrt{g}} \int_0^{2a} x^{-1/2} dx = \\ &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{g}} 2\sqrt{x} \Big|_0^{2a} = \frac{2\sqrt{2a}}{\sqrt{g}} = 2\sqrt{2} \sqrt{\frac{a}{g}} > \pi \sqrt{\frac{a}{g}} \end{aligned}$$

\Rightarrow found extremum is a minimum

★ Soap film problem

metal rings  soap film \Rightarrow for lowest energy, minimize surface tension
 \Rightarrow minimize surface


 • take a line in xy -plane, then rotate about the x -axis \Rightarrow rotational (cyl. sym.) surface

$$ds = \sqrt{dx^2 + dy^2}$$

$$dA = 2\pi y ds$$

(2) find a line between (x_1, y_1) and (x_2, y_2) which gives us minimal surface upon rotation about x -axis

$$A = \int dA = \int 2\pi y \sqrt{dx^2 + dy^2} = \int 2\pi y \sqrt{1 + \left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)^2} dx = 2\pi \int_{x_1}^{x_2} y \sqrt{1+y'^2} dx$$

$$\frac{\partial F}{\partial y} - \frac{d}{dx} \frac{\partial F}{\partial y'} = 0$$

$$\frac{y}{\sqrt{1+y'^2}} - \frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{yy'}{\sqrt{1+y'^2}} \right) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\sqrt{1+y'^2} - \frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{yy'}{\sqrt{1+y'^2}} \right) = 0}$$

Euler eq

!! complicated

⇒ complicated, so we want to choose a different approach ⇒ change coordinate system ⇒ rotate instead about y-axis and keep x as indep. variable



$$\Rightarrow ds = \sqrt{dx^2 + dy^2}$$

$$dA = 2\pi x ds = 2\pi x dx \sqrt{1+y'^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow A = \int dA = 2\pi \int_{x_1}^{x_2} x \sqrt{1+y'^2} dx$$

$$\frac{\partial F}{\partial y} - \frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{\partial F}{\partial y'} \right) = 0$$

0 (ii)

$$\frac{xy'}{\sqrt{1+y'^2}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{xy'}{\sqrt{1+y'^2}} \right) = 0$$

$$\frac{xy'}{\sqrt{1+y'^2}} = \text{const.} = a \quad [\text{length}]$$

$$x^2 y'^2 = a^2 (1+y'^2) = a^2 + a^2 y'^2$$

$$x^2 y'^2 - a^2 y'^2 = a^2$$

$$y'^2 (x^2 - a^2) = a^2$$

$$y'^2 = \frac{a^2}{x^2 - a^2}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = y' = \frac{a}{\sqrt{x^2 - a^2}}$$

$$\Rightarrow y = \int \frac{a}{\sqrt{x^2 - a^2}} dx = \int \frac{a}{a \sqrt{\frac{x^2}{a^2} - 1}} dx = \int \frac{dx}{\sqrt{\frac{x^2}{a^2} - 1}}$$

$$\Rightarrow y = a \cosh^{-1} \left(\frac{x}{a} \right) + b \quad \text{or} \quad x = a \cosh \left(\frac{y-b}{a} \right)$$

Multidimensional & independent y's

• we can have

$$F(y_1, y_2, \dots, y_n, y'_1, y'_2, \dots, y'_n; x)$$

⇒ multiple dependent functions, one indep. variable

e.g. $y(x), z(x)$ ⇒ line in 3D space

⇒ we want to parametrise: $y_i(x, \alpha_i) = y_i(x) + \alpha \eta_i(x)$

$$\Rightarrow \text{again} \quad \frac{\partial J}{\partial x} = \int_{x_1}^{x_2} \sum_{i=1}^n \left(\frac{\partial F}{\partial y_i} - \frac{d}{dx} \frac{\partial F}{\partial y'_i} \right) \eta_i dx = 0$$

⇒ Euler Eq. for each $i=1, \dots, n$ because all fns are indep.

Second formulation of the Euler Eq.

useful when functional integrand F is independent of x (but can explicitly depend on y)

$$\frac{d}{dx} F[y, y'(x)] = \frac{\partial F}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial F}{\partial y} \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{\partial F}{\partial y} \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{\partial F}{\partial y'} \frac{dy'}{dx} = y'' \frac{\partial F}{\partial y'}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} \left(y' \frac{\partial F}{\partial y'} \right) = y'' \frac{\partial F}{\partial y'} + y' \frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{\partial F}{\partial y'} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow y'' \frac{\partial F}{\partial y'} = \frac{d}{dx} \left(y' \frac{\partial F}{\partial y'} \right) - y' \frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{\partial F}{\partial y'} \right)$$

substitute into left equation:

$$\frac{dF}{dx} = \frac{\partial F}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial F}{\partial y} y' + \frac{d}{dx} \left(y' \frac{\partial F}{\partial y'} \right) - y' \frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{\partial F}{\partial y'} \right)$$

$$= \frac{\partial F}{\partial x} + \frac{d}{dx} \left(y' \frac{\partial F}{\partial y'} \right) + y' \left[\frac{\partial F}{\partial y} - \frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{\partial F}{\partial y'} \right) \right]$$

$$\frac{dF}{dx} - \frac{d}{dx} \left(y' \frac{\partial F}{\partial y'} \right) = \frac{\partial F}{\partial x} = 0 \text{ from Euler's eq.}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} \left(F - y' \frac{\partial F}{\partial y'} \right) = \frac{\partial F}{\partial x}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial F}{\partial x} - \frac{d}{dx} \left(F - y' \frac{\partial F}{\partial y'} \right) = 0$$

2nd form of

Euler's eq.

useful when

F indep of x

(but holds always)

$\frac{\partial F}{\partial x} = 0$ explicitly at least

all x -dependence

only explicit x -dep. (not containing $y(x)$)

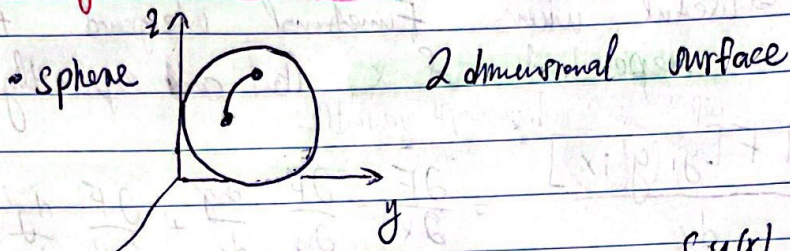
* Scarp. Altm - 1st formulation: $A = 2\pi \int_{x_1}^{x_2} y \sqrt{1+y'^2} dx$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial F}{\partial x} = 0$$

$$F - y' \frac{\partial F}{\partial y'} = y \sqrt{1+y'^2} - y' y \frac{y'}{\sqrt{1+y'^2}} = \text{const.}$$

\Rightarrow same solution as before

Lagrange multipliers



• sphere
 x - indep. , curve on sphere: $\begin{cases} y(x) \\ z(x) \end{cases}$
 but constraint to surface of the sphere!
 $\Rightarrow y$ and z are no longer independent
 $\Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = \rho^2$

$\Rightarrow g(y, z; x) = x^2 + y^2 + z^2 - \rho^2 = 0$
 (?) Euler equations when y & z aren't independent?

$$J = \int_{x_1}^{x_2} F[y(x), z(x), x] dx$$

$$\frac{\partial J}{\partial \alpha} = 0 \quad \begin{cases} \tilde{y}(x, \alpha) = y(x) + \alpha \eta_y(x) \\ \tilde{z}(x, \alpha) = z(x) + \alpha \eta_z(x) \end{cases}$$

$$\frac{\partial J}{\partial \alpha} = \int_{x_1}^{x_2} \frac{\partial F}{\partial \alpha} dx = \dots = 0$$

chain rule then integrate by parts to remove η'
 not independent anymore

$$\frac{\partial J}{\partial \alpha} = \int_{x_1}^{x_2} \left[\left(\frac{\partial F}{\partial y} - \frac{d}{dx} \frac{\partial F}{\partial y'} \right) \eta_y + \left(\frac{\partial F}{\partial z} - \frac{d}{dx} \frac{\partial F}{\partial z'} \right) \eta_z \right] dx = 0$$

Now we use the constraint: $\frac{dg}{dx} = \left(\frac{\partial g}{\partial y} \frac{\partial y}{\partial \alpha} + \frac{\partial g}{\partial z} \frac{\partial z}{\partial \alpha} \right) = 0$

$$\eta_z = - \frac{\partial g}{\partial y} \eta_y \left(\frac{\partial g}{\partial z} \right)^{-1}$$

$$\frac{\partial J}{\partial \alpha} = \int_{x_1}^{x_2} \left[\left(\frac{\partial F}{\partial y} - \frac{d}{dx} \frac{\partial F}{\partial y'} \right) \eta_y + \left(\frac{\partial F}{\partial z} - \frac{d}{dx} \frac{\partial F}{\partial z'} \right) \frac{\partial g}{\partial y} \left(\frac{\partial g}{\partial z} \right)^{-1} \eta_y \right] dx = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \left[\frac{\partial F}{\partial y} - \frac{d}{dx} \frac{\partial F}{\partial y'} + \frac{\partial g}{\partial y} \lambda(x) \right] = 0$$

$\lambda(x) = -\lambda(x)$ for arbitrary $\eta_y(x)$
 = Lagrange multiplier

$$+ \sum_{k=1}^m \lambda_k \frac{\partial g_k}{\partial y}$$

If we have m constraints

Constraint eq.

$$g(y, z; x) = 0$$

3 equations,

Euler eq. for y

$$\frac{\partial F}{\partial y} - \frac{d}{dx} \frac{\partial F}{\partial y'} + \frac{\partial g}{\partial y} \lambda(x) = 0$$

3 unknown functions of x

Euler eq. for z

$$\frac{\partial F}{\partial z} - \frac{d}{dx} \frac{\partial F}{\partial z'} + \frac{\partial g}{\partial z} \lambda(x) = 0$$

- y(x)
- z(x)
- λ(x)

We can verify that for both y and z:

$$-\lambda(x) = \left(\frac{\partial F}{\partial y} - \frac{d}{dx} \frac{\partial F}{\partial y'} \right) \left(\frac{\partial g}{\partial y} \right)^{-1} = \left(\frac{\partial F}{\partial z} - \frac{d}{dx} \frac{\partial F}{\partial z'} \right) \left(\frac{\partial g}{\partial z} \right)^{-1}$$

Hamiltonian Mechanics

↳ using Lagrangian = $S = \int L$

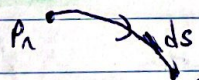
↳ trying to formulate laws of motion functional to extremize

↳ using variational techniques to derive laws of physics

Fermat's principle

- postulate

- light takes path of minimal travel time st



$$\Delta t = \int_{P_1}^{P_2} dt = \int_{P_1}^{P_2} \frac{ds}{c}$$

$$ds^2 = dx^2 + dy^2 + dz^2$$

parameterize as α

$$\begin{cases} x = \alpha \\ y = f(\alpha) \\ z = g(\alpha) \end{cases}$$

$$ds = \sqrt{\left(\frac{dx}{d\alpha}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{dy}{d\alpha}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{dz}{d\alpha}\right)^2} d\alpha$$

$$\Delta t = \int_{P_1}^{P_2} \sqrt{1 + f'^2 + g'^2} d\alpha$$

$$ds = \sqrt{1 + f'^2 + g'^2} d\alpha$$

$$\frac{\partial F}{\partial f} - \frac{d}{d\alpha} \frac{\partial F}{\partial f'} = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial F}{\partial g} - \frac{d}{d\alpha} \frac{\partial F}{\partial g'} = 0$$

$$\frac{g'}{\sqrt{1 + f'^2 + g'^2}} = a_g$$

⇒ solve $\frac{f'}{\sqrt{1+f'^2+g'^2}} = a_x$ and $\frac{g'}{\sqrt{1+f'^2+g'^2}} = a_y$

⇒ get :
$$\begin{cases} f = \alpha A + B \\ g = \alpha C + D \end{cases}$$

⇒ light moves in straight lines in homog. isotr. medium

Classical system - only for conservative
(otherwise we can't use potential energy)

Q: Is there ↓ to use euler's eq's? (e.g. Lorentz force)

Lagrangian $L \equiv T - U$

kinetic energy potential energy

$S = \int L dt$

action

⇒ by extremising action, we get equations of motion (for conservative forces) same as from Newton's

Free particle (1D)

Newton: $F=0 = ma = m\ddot{x} \Rightarrow \ddot{x} = 0 \Rightarrow \dot{x} = \text{const} \Rightarrow x = \text{line}$

Lagrangian: $L = T - U = \frac{1}{2} m \dot{x}^2$: ~~not~~

0 for free particle

⇒ $L = L(x, \dot{x}, t)$
dep indep

⇒ Euler's eq:

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial x} - \frac{d}{dt} \frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{x}} = 0$$

⇒ $m\ddot{x} = 0$
 $\dot{x} = \text{const}$
!



... Add force $\star F = -\frac{\partial U}{\partial x}$

$$\star L = T - U = \frac{1}{2} m \dot{x}^2 - U(x)$$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial x} - \frac{d}{dt} \frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{x}} = 0 \quad \Rightarrow \quad \frac{\partial L}{\partial x} = -\frac{\partial U}{\partial x}$$

$$-\frac{\partial U}{\partial x} - m \ddot{x} = 0 \quad \Rightarrow \quad m \ddot{x} = -\frac{\partial U}{\partial x} = F \Rightarrow ma = F \quad \checkmark$$

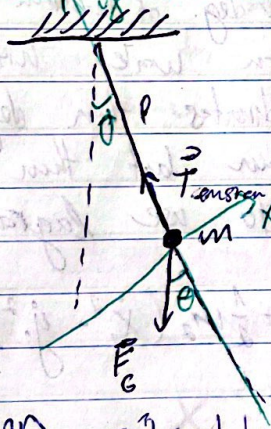
Newton

n 3D: $S = \int L[x, y, z, \dot{x}, \dot{y}, \dot{z}, t] dt$
 $\vec{r}(t) = (x(t), y(t), z(t))$

$$L = T - U = \frac{1}{2} m (\dot{x}^2 + \dot{y}^2 + \dot{z}^2) - U(x, y, z)$$

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \frac{\partial L}{\partial x} - \frac{d}{dt} \frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{x}} = 0 \\ \vdots \end{array} \right.$$

Simple pendulum



Newton: $\ddot{\theta} + \frac{g}{l} \sin \theta = 0$

Lagr.-Euler:

$$L = T - U$$

\rightarrow reducing number of degrees of freedom

$$F_x = -mg \sin \theta = \max$$

$$F_y = -mg \cos \theta + T = 0 \quad \text{way } = 0$$

\hookrightarrow in 2D - 2 coordinates
 $\hookrightarrow x^2 + y^2 = l^2$ - 1 constraint
 \downarrow
 1 coordinate

$$a_x = \frac{d}{dt} v_x = \frac{d}{dt} (l \dot{\theta}) = l \ddot{\theta}$$

$$m l \ddot{\theta} + m \frac{g}{l} \sin \theta = 0$$

$$\ddot{\theta} + \frac{g}{l} \sin \theta = 0$$

Newtonian

$$L = T - U : \quad T = \frac{1}{2} m (\dot{x}^2 + \dot{y}^2 + \dot{z}^2) = \frac{1}{2} m l^2 \dot{\theta}^2$$

$$U = mgl(1 - \cos \theta) \quad \text{zero when bottom of pendulum}$$

$$\Rightarrow L = \frac{m}{2} l^2 \dot{\theta}^2 - mgl(1 - \cos \theta) = L(\theta, \dot{\theta}, t)$$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial \theta} - \frac{d}{dt} \frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{\theta}} = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial t} - \frac{d}{dt} \left(L - \dot{\theta} \frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{\theta}} \right) = 0 \quad \text{vs.} \quad \frac{\partial L}{\partial \theta} - \frac{d}{dt} \frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{\theta}} = 0$$

$$-\frac{d}{dt} \left(\frac{1}{2} m \dot{\theta} l^2 - \dot{\theta} m \dot{\theta} l^2 \right) = 0 \quad \text{vs.} \quad \frac{d}{dt} (m \dot{\theta} l^2) = m \ddot{\theta} l^2$$

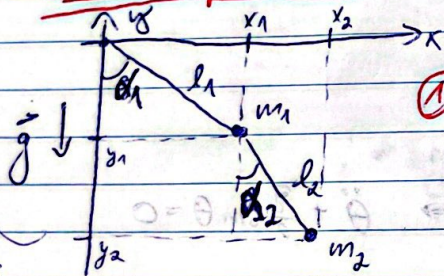
$$\dot{\theta}^2 l^2 - \frac{1}{2} \dot{\theta} l^2 = \text{const.} = C$$

$$\dot{\theta}^2 - \frac{1}{2} \dot{\theta} = \text{const.} = -C \Rightarrow \dot{\theta} + \frac{1}{2} \text{const.} = 0$$

$$\ddot{\theta} = \frac{1}{2} \text{const.}$$

Same as Newton

Double pendulum



! correct number of variables is important to getting correct answer

2 degrees of freedom

① degrees of freedom

- 2 x 2 degrees of freedom of movement in plane

- 2 constraints by l_1, l_2

\Rightarrow 2 deg. of freedom

\hookrightarrow we can work with more coordinates than degrees of freedom but then we need to use Lagrange multipliers

use angles

$$x_1 = l_1 \sin \alpha_1$$

$$y_1 = -l_1 \cos \alpha_1$$

$$x_2 = l_1 \sin \alpha_1 + l_2 \sin \alpha_2$$

$$y_2 = -l_1 \cos \alpha_1 - l_2 \cos \alpha_2$$

$$\textcircled{1} x_1^2 + y_1^2 = l_1^2$$

$$\textcircled{2} (x_2 - x_1)^2 + (y_2 - y_1)^2 = l_2^2$$

$$T = \frac{1}{2} m_1 v_1^2 + \frac{1}{2} m_2 v_2^2 = \frac{1}{2} m_1 (\dot{x}_1^2 + \dot{y}_1^2) + \frac{1}{2} m_2 (\dot{x}_2^2 + \dot{y}_2^2)$$

② kinetic energy

$$\dot{x}_1 = l_1 \cos(\alpha_1) \dot{\alpha}_1$$

$$\dot{y}_1 = l_1 \sin(\alpha_1) \dot{\alpha}_1$$

$$\dot{x}_2 = l_1 \cos(\alpha_1) \dot{\alpha}_1 + l_2 \cos(\alpha_2) \dot{\alpha}_2$$

$$\dot{y}_2 = l_1 \sin(\alpha_1) \dot{\alpha}_1 + l_2 \sin(\alpha_2) \dot{\alpha}_2$$

$$T = \frac{m_1}{2} l_1^2 (\sin^2 \alpha_1 + \cos^2 \alpha_1) \dot{\alpha}_1^2 + \frac{m_2}{2} (l_1^2 \dot{\alpha}_1^2 \cos^2 \alpha_1 + l_2^2 \dot{\alpha}_2^2 \cos^2 \alpha_2 + 2l_1 l_2 \dot{\alpha}_1 \dot{\alpha}_2 \cos(\alpha_1) \cos(\alpha_2) + l_1^2 \dot{\alpha}_1^2 \sin^2 \alpha_1 + l_2^2 \dot{\alpha}_2^2 \sin^2 \alpha_2 + 2l_1 l_2 \dot{\alpha}_1 \dot{\alpha}_2 \sin(\alpha_1) \sin(\alpha_2))$$

$$= \frac{m_1}{2} l_1^2 \dot{\alpha}_1^2 + \frac{m_2}{2} (l_1^2 \dot{\alpha}_1^2 + l_2^2 \dot{\alpha}_2^2 + 2l_1 l_2 \dot{\alpha}_1 \dot{\alpha}_2 [\cos(\alpha_1) \cos(\alpha_2) + \sin(\alpha_1) \sin(\alpha_2)])$$

$$\Rightarrow T = l_1^2 \dot{\alpha}_1^2 \left(\frac{m_1}{2} + \frac{m_2}{2} \right) + l_2^2 \dot{\alpha}_2^2 \frac{m_2}{2} + m_2 l_1 l_2 \dot{\alpha}_1 \dot{\alpha}_2 \cos(\alpha_1 - \alpha_2)$$

③ Potential Energy: $U = U_1 + U_2 = m_1 g y_1 + m_2 g y_2 = -m_1 g l_1 \cos \alpha_1 - m_2 g (l_1 \cos \alpha_1 + l_2 \cos \alpha_2) =$

$$U = -m_1 g l_1 \cos \alpha_1 - m_2 g (l_1 \cos \alpha_1 + l_2 \cos \alpha_2)$$

④ Lagrangian $L = T - U = L(\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dot{\alpha}_1, \dot{\alpha}_2, t)$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial \alpha_i} - \frac{d}{dt} \frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{\alpha}_i} = 0$$

⑤ Euler equations

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial L}{\partial \alpha_1} &: l_1^2 \dot{\alpha}_1^2 (m_1 + m_2) + m_2 l_1 l_2 \dot{\alpha}_2 \cos(\alpha_1 - \alpha_2) \\ \frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{\alpha}_1} &: 2 l_1^2 \dot{\alpha}_1 (m_1 + m_2) + m_2 l_1 l_2 \dot{\alpha}_2 \cos(\alpha_1 - \alpha_2) + \dot{\alpha}_2 \sin(\alpha_1 - \alpha_2) (-\dot{\alpha}_1 + \dot{\alpha}_2) \\ \frac{\partial L}{\partial \alpha_2} &: -m_2 l_1 l_2 \sin(\alpha_1 - \alpha_2) + (m_1 g l_1 \sin \alpha_1 + m_2 g l_1 \sin \alpha_1 \\ &\quad - m_2 l_1 l_2 \sin(\alpha_1 - \alpha_2) - m_2 g l_2 \sin \alpha_2) (m_1 + m_2) - l_1^2 \dot{\alpha}_1^2 (m_1 + m_2) \\ &\quad - m_2 l_1 l_2 \cos(\alpha_1 - \alpha_2) \dot{\alpha}_2 - m_2 l_1 l_2 \dot{\alpha}_2 \sin(\alpha_1 - \alpha_2) (-\dot{\alpha}_1 + \dot{\alpha}_2) = 0 \end{aligned}$$

... an same for α_2 . Then solve this coupled system of ODEs. ⑥ Solve ODEs

Generalised coordinates

• not just cartesian, can be anything

$$\begin{aligned} n &= \# \text{ point masses} \\ s &= \# \text{ of constraints} \\ \Rightarrow \# \text{ coordinates} &= 3n - s \end{aligned}$$

$x_{\alpha_i} = x_{\alpha_i}(q_j, t)$

index of point masses: $i=1, 2, 3, \dots$

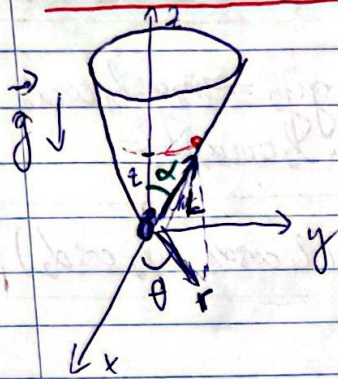
index of cartesian coordinates: $1=x, 2=y, 3=z$

index of generalised coordinate, running up to # degrees of freedom: $j=1, \dots, n$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial L}{\partial q_i} - \frac{d}{dt} \frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{q}_i} = 0$$

Point mass in a cone subject to gravity

- 3 ~~degrees~~ dimensional space
- but 1 constraint \Rightarrow 2 degrees of freedom



cylindrical coordinates

$$x = r \cos \theta$$

$$y = r \sin \theta$$

$$z = z = \frac{r}{\tan \alpha} = r \cot \alpha$$

2 coordinates: r, θ

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} L \sin \alpha = r \\ L \cos \alpha = z \end{array} \right\} \frac{r}{z} = \tan \alpha$$

constraint $\Rightarrow g(r, \theta) = r \cot \alpha - z = 0$

$$\begin{aligned} T &= \frac{1}{2} m v^2 = \frac{1}{2} m (\dot{x}^2 + \dot{y}^2 + \dot{z}^2) = \frac{1}{2} m [(\dot{r} \cos \theta - r \sin \theta \dot{\theta})^2 \\ &\quad + (\dot{r} \sin \theta + r \cos \theta \dot{\theta})^2 + \dot{z}^2 \cot^2 \alpha] = \\ &= \frac{m}{2} [\dot{r}^2 \cos^2 \theta - 2 r \dot{r} \cos \theta \sin \theta \dot{\theta} + r^2 \sin^2 \theta \dot{\theta}^2 + \\ &\quad + \dot{r}^2 \sin^2 \theta + 2 r \dot{r} \sin \theta \cos \theta \dot{\theta} + r^2 \cos^2 \theta \dot{\theta}^2 + \dot{z}^2 \cot^2 \alpha] \\ &= \frac{m}{2} (\dot{r}^2 + r^2 \dot{\theta}^2 + \dot{z}^2 \cot^2 \alpha) \end{aligned}$$

$$U = mgz = mgr \cot \alpha$$

$$\Rightarrow L = T - U = \frac{m}{2} (\dot{r}^2 + r^2 \dot{\theta}^2 + \dot{z}^2 \cot^2 \alpha) - mgr \cot \alpha$$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial \theta} - \frac{d}{dt} \frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{\theta}} = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{\theta}} = \text{const.} \Rightarrow \boxed{mr^2 \dot{\theta} = \text{const.}}$$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial r} - \frac{d}{dt} \frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{r}} = 0$$

\Rightarrow conserved angular momentum about z-axis: $|\vec{r} \times \vec{p}|_z = r \cdot m \dot{\theta} r = r^2 m \dot{\theta}$

\Rightarrow conservation of angular momentum

$$mgr \dot{\theta}^2 - mg \cot \alpha$$

$$\frac{d}{dt} (m\dot{r} + m\dot{r} \cot^2 \alpha) = m\ddot{r} + m\ddot{r} \cot^2 \alpha = m\ddot{r} \left(1 + \frac{\cot^2 \alpha}{\sin^2 \alpha}\right) = m\ddot{r} \left(\frac{\sin^2 \alpha + \cot^2 \alpha}{\sin^2 \alpha}\right) = \frac{m\ddot{r}}{\sin^2 \alpha}$$

$$\Rightarrow mgr \dot{\theta}^2 - mg \cot \alpha - \frac{m\ddot{r}}{\sin^2 \alpha} = 0$$

$$\ddot{r} - gr \dot{\theta}^2 \sin^2 \alpha + g \frac{\cos \alpha}{\sin \alpha} \sin^2 \alpha = 0$$

$$\ddot{r} - gr \dot{\theta}^2 \sin^2 \alpha + g \sin(2\alpha) = 0$$

$$\ddot{r} - gr \frac{c^2}{m^2 r^4} \sin^2 \alpha + g \sin(2\alpha) = 0$$

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \ddot{r} - \frac{g c^2}{m^2 r^4} \sin^2 \alpha + g \frac{\sin(2\alpha)}{2} = 0 \\ mr^2 \dot{\theta} = c \end{array} \right.$$

Equations of motion

Constraints

• holonomic constraints : $g(x_{\alpha i}, t) = 0$

- only depends on x (position), not velocities

labelling point $\alpha = 1, \dots, n$ labelling spatial indexes

• non-holonomic ? $f(x_{\alpha i}, \dot{x}_{\alpha i}, t) = 0$

→ often can be written as holonomic

$$\star \sum_i A_i \dot{x}_i + B = 0 \Rightarrow \sum_i \left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial \dot{x}_i} \dot{x}_i \right) + \frac{\partial f}{\partial t} = 0$$

$$\begin{cases} A_i = \frac{\partial f}{\partial \dot{x}_i} \\ B = \frac{\partial f}{\partial t} \end{cases} \Rightarrow \sum_i \left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial \dot{x}_i} \frac{dx_i}{dt} \right) + \frac{\partial f}{\partial t} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{df}{dt} = 0$$

integrate to get holonomic form

$$\Rightarrow f = \text{const. in time}$$

$$\Rightarrow g = f - \text{const.} = 0$$

Lagrange multipliers - multiple constraints

$$g_k(q_{\alpha j}, t) = 0 \quad ; \quad k = 1, \dots, s \quad ; \quad j = 1, \dots, n$$

for each constraint : Lagrange multiplier λ_k

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial L}{\partial q_j} - \frac{d}{dt} \frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{q}_j} + \sum_{k=1}^s \lambda_k(t) \frac{\partial g_k}{\partial q_j} = 0$$

n equations and $n+s$ unknowns (n q_j 's and s λ_k 's) + s equations for constraint

Generalised force - usefulness of Lagrange multipliers

$$Q_j \equiv \sum_{k=1}^s \lambda_k \frac{\partial g_k}{\partial q_j}$$

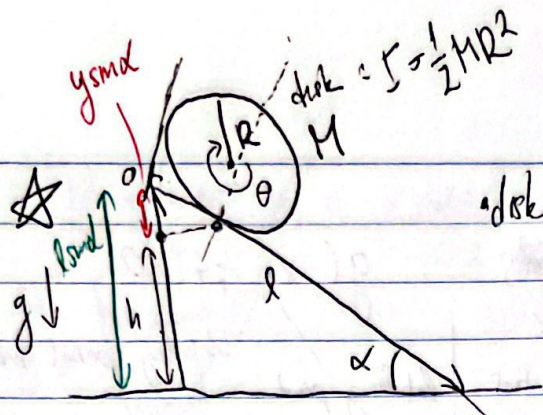
$\frac{E}{\text{length}}$

• if q = cartesian position coordinate $[L] \Rightarrow [Q] = \text{Force}$

forces responsible for constraints

e.g. friction, tension but can also be torque (if $q = \theta$)

↳ Lagrange multiplier method is useful, especially when asked about the forces (otherwise that information is lost.)



disk rolling on an incline (with friction)

additional energy from rotation

↳ KE = translational + rotational (of CM) (around central axis)

$$L = T_{cm} + T_{rot} - U$$

$$\frac{1}{2} M \dot{y}^2 + \frac{1}{2} I \dot{\theta}^2 - Mgh = Mgh - Mg(l-y)\sin\alpha$$

$$I = \frac{1}{2} MR^2 \Rightarrow \frac{1}{4} MR^2 \dot{\theta}^2$$

Equation of constraint: $y - R\theta = 0$

↳ in general for nonuniformly ~~small~~ $ds = R d\theta$ for any shape but ds will vary, e.g. if shape = $x^2 \Rightarrow ds = 2x dx$

I $y = R\theta$

$$L = \frac{1}{2} M \dot{y}^2 + \frac{1}{4} MR^2 \dot{\theta}^2 + Mg(y-l)\sin\alpha$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} MR^2 \dot{\theta}^2 + \frac{1}{4} MR^2 \dot{\theta}^2 + Mg(R\theta - l)\sin\alpha$$

$$= \frac{3}{4} MR^2 \dot{\theta}^2 + Mg(R\theta - l)\sin\alpha$$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial \theta} - \frac{d}{dt} \frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{\theta}} = 0 \Rightarrow MgR\sin\alpha - \frac{3}{2} MR^2 \ddot{\theta} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \ddot{\theta} = \frac{2}{3} \frac{g \sin\alpha}{R}$$

$$\Rightarrow \theta = \frac{2}{3} \frac{g \sin\alpha}{R} t^2 + A t + B$$

II using Lagrange multipliers

$$\begin{cases} \frac{\partial L}{\partial \theta} - \frac{d}{dt} \frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{\theta}} + \lambda \frac{\partial g}{\partial \theta} = 0 \Rightarrow -\frac{1}{2} MR^2 \ddot{\theta} - \lambda R = 0 \quad (1) \\ \frac{\partial L}{\partial y} - \frac{d}{dt} \frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{y}} + \lambda \frac{\partial g}{\partial y} = 0 \Rightarrow Mg \sin\alpha - M \ddot{y} + \lambda = 0 \quad (2) \\ g = y - R\theta = 0 \quad (3) \Rightarrow \ddot{y} = R \ddot{\theta} \end{cases}$$

$$-\frac{1}{2} MR^2 \ddot{\theta} + Mg \sin\alpha - MR \ddot{\theta} = 0$$

$$\frac{3}{2} MR \ddot{\theta} = Mg \sin\alpha$$

$$\ddot{\theta} = \frac{2}{3} \frac{g \sin\alpha}{R}$$

$$\lambda = -\frac{Mg}{3} \sin\alpha$$

$$\ddot{y} = \frac{2}{3} g \sin\alpha$$

$$Q_j = \sum_{k=1}^s \lambda_k \frac{\partial g_k}{\partial q_j}$$

Cartesian coordinate \Rightarrow actual force

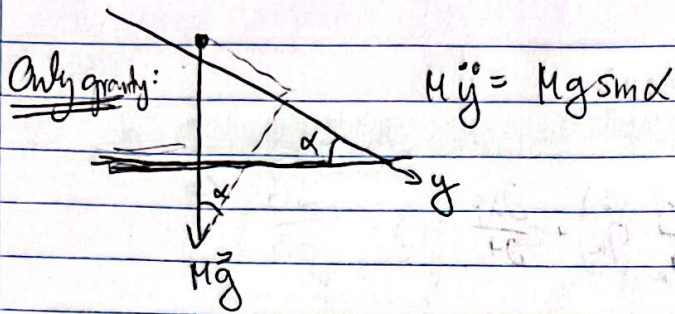
$$Q_y = \lambda \frac{\partial g}{\partial y} = -\frac{Mg}{3} \sin\alpha$$

$$Q_\theta = \lambda \frac{\partial g}{\partial \theta} = +\frac{Mg}{3} \sin\alpha R$$

friction force: $f = \frac{1}{3}$

generalised forces

torque exerted by friction



+ Friction: $\ddot{y} M = \frac{2}{3} Mg \sin \alpha$

Newton: $\ddot{y} M = F_G + F_f = Mg \sin \alpha + F_f = \frac{2}{3} Mg \sin \alpha$
 $\Rightarrow F_f = -\frac{1}{3} Mg \sin \alpha$
 $\Rightarrow f = \frac{1}{3}$

Use Lagrange multipliers only if asked to find the generalized forces

\Rightarrow independent of material?!
~~is not really~~, this is for the case of rolling
 \Rightarrow only if $f \geq \frac{1}{3}$

Equivalence of Newtonian ↑ Forces \Rightarrow vectors with Lagrangian Approach

Lagrangian \Rightarrow Newtonian

• use cartesian coordinates: $q_i = x_i$ $i=1,2,3$

$$\begin{cases} T = T(\dot{x}_i) \\ U = U(x_i) \end{cases}$$

indep. $\Rightarrow \frac{\partial L}{\partial x_i} - \frac{d}{dt} \frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{x}_i} = 0$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial (T-U)}{\partial x_i} - \frac{d}{dt} \frac{\partial (T-U)}{\partial \dot{x}_i} = 0$$

$$-\frac{\partial U}{\partial x_i} - \frac{d}{dt} \frac{\partial T}{\partial \dot{x}_i} = 0$$

and $F_i = -\frac{\partial U}{\partial x_i} \Rightarrow F_i = \frac{d}{dt} \frac{\partial T}{\partial \dot{x}_i}$

and $T = \frac{1}{2} m \dot{x}_i^2$

$\frac{\partial T}{\partial \dot{x}_i} = m \dot{x}_i$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{F_i = m \ddot{x}_i} = \dot{p}_i$$

Newtonian \Rightarrow Lagrangian

$$\mathbf{x}_i = \mathbf{x}_i(q_j, t)$$

$$\bullet \frac{dx_i}{dt} = \dot{x}_i = \sum_k \left(\frac{\partial x_i}{\partial q_k} \dot{q}_k \right) + \frac{\partial x_i}{\partial t}$$

$$\bullet \frac{\partial}{\partial q_j} (\dot{x}_i) = \frac{\partial \dot{x}_i}{\partial q_j} \quad \text{if } U \text{ indep. of } \dot{q}$$

generalised momentum

$$p_j \equiv \frac{\partial T}{\partial \dot{q}_j} = \frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{q}_j}$$

$$\bullet \text{work} = \delta W = \sum_i F_i \delta x_i = \sum_i F_i \sum_j \frac{\partial x_i}{\partial q_j} \delta q_j =$$

$$= \sum_j \left[\sum_i F_i \frac{\partial x_i}{\partial q_j} \right] \delta q_j$$

Spatial displacement

$$Q_j = -\frac{\partial U}{\partial q_j}$$

$Q_j =$ generalised force w.r.t q_j

$$Q_j = \sum_i F_i \frac{\partial x_i}{\partial q_j} = \sum_i p_i \frac{\partial v_i}{\partial q_j} = m \sum_i \dot{x}_i \frac{\partial x_i}{\partial q_j}$$

$$\bullet p_j = \frac{\partial T}{\partial \dot{q}_j} = \frac{\partial}{\partial \dot{q}_j} \left[\frac{1}{2} m \sum_i \dot{x}_i^2 \right] = \frac{\partial}{\partial \dot{q}_j} \left[\frac{1}{2} m \sum_i \dot{x}_i^2 \right]$$

$$= \frac{m}{2} \sum_i 2 \dot{x}_i \frac{\partial \dot{x}_i}{\partial \dot{q}_j} = m \sum_i \dot{x}_i \frac{\partial x_i}{\partial q_j}$$

$$\bullet \frac{d}{dt} p_j = \frac{d}{dt} m \sum_i \dot{x}_i \frac{\partial x_i}{\partial q_j} = m \sum_i \left(\ddot{x}_i \frac{\partial x_i}{\partial q_j} + \dot{x}_i \frac{\partial \dot{x}_i}{\partial q_j} \right) =$$

$$= m \sum_i \left[\ddot{x}_i \frac{\partial x_i}{\partial q_j} + \dot{x}_i \left(\frac{\partial^2 x_i}{\partial q_j \partial t} + \sum_k \frac{\partial^2 x_i}{\partial q_j \partial q_k} \dot{q}_k \right) \right]$$

$$\bullet \frac{\partial T}{\partial \dot{q}_j} = \sum_i m \dot{x}_i \frac{\partial x_i}{\partial q_j} = \sum_i m \dot{x}_i \frac{\partial}{\partial q_j} \left[\sum_k \frac{\partial x_i}{\partial q_k} \dot{q}_k + \frac{\partial x_i}{\partial t} \right] =$$

$$= \sum_i m \dot{x}_i \left(\frac{\partial^2 x_i}{\partial t \partial q_j} + \sum_k \dot{q}_k \frac{\partial^2 x_i}{\partial q_j \partial q_k} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{d}{dt} p_j = \sum_i m \ddot{x}_i \frac{\partial x_i}{\partial q_j} + \frac{\partial T}{\partial q_j} = Q_j + \frac{\partial T}{\partial q_j}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{d}{dt} \frac{\partial T}{\partial \dot{q}_j} = Q_j + \frac{\partial T}{\partial q_j} = \frac{\partial T}{\partial q_j} - \frac{\partial U}{\partial q_j} = \frac{\partial (T-U)}{\partial q_j} = \frac{\partial L}{\partial q_j}$$

24 $\frac{\partial U}{\partial q_j} = 0$, so we can subtract it freely $\Rightarrow \frac{d}{dt} \left(\frac{\partial T}{\partial \dot{q}_j} - \frac{\partial U}{\partial q_j} \right) = \frac{d}{dt} \frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{q}_j} = \frac{\partial L}{\partial q_j}$ \square

Conservation laws

① if L indep. of one of the coordinates, i.e. $L = L(q_1, \dots, \dot{q}_j, \dots, q_n)$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial L}{\partial q_j} = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{\partial L}{\partial q_j} - \frac{d}{dt} \frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{q}_j} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{d}{dt} \frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{q}_j} = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{q}_j} = \text{const.}$$

\Rightarrow conservation of gen. momentum

* for $q_j = x_j \Rightarrow$ momentum conservation if no dependence on x_j

* for $q_j = \theta \Rightarrow$ angular momentum conservation if no dependence on θ .

conserved quantity
generalised momentum

$$p_j = \frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{q}_j}$$

② if L independent of time \Rightarrow isolated system $\Rightarrow \frac{\partial L}{\partial t} = 0$

\Rightarrow conserved quantity:

Hamiltonian

$$H \equiv \sum_j \dot{q}_j \frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{q}_j} - L$$

$$\frac{d}{dt} L = \frac{\partial L}{\partial t} + \sum_j \frac{\partial L}{\partial q_j} \dot{q}_j + \sum_j \frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{q}_j} \ddot{q}_j =$$

does not depend explicitly on time

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{q}_j} = \frac{d}{dt} \frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{q}_j} = \frac{\partial H}{\partial \dot{q}_j}$$

$$H = \sum_j \dot{q}_j p_{j\dot{q}_j} - L$$

$$\frac{d}{dt} L = \sum_j \left(\frac{d}{dt} \left(\frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{q}_j} \right) \dot{q}_j + \frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{q}_j} \ddot{q}_j \right) = \sum_j \frac{d}{dt} \left(\frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{q}_j} \dot{q}_j \right) = \sum_j \frac{d}{dt} \frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{q}_j} \dot{q}_j$$

implicit summation

$$\Rightarrow \frac{d}{dt} \left(L - \sum_j \frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{q}_j} \dot{q}_j \right) = 0$$

$\Rightarrow H$ is conserved in time

$$= -H$$

\Rightarrow interpretation: $H = E = T + U$ but only under following conditions

$$\textcircled{1} \frac{\partial U}{\partial \dot{q}_j} = 0$$

: potential energy is indep. of generalised velocity

$$\textcircled{2} x_j = x_j(q_j)$$

: coordinate transformation is independent of explicit time

\Rightarrow then H is conserved

$$H = E = T + U$$

Prove $H = E = T + U$: # spatial dimension

$$T = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{\alpha=1}^n m_{\alpha} \left(\sum_{i=1}^3 \dot{x}_{\alpha i}^2 \right), \quad x_{\alpha i} = x_{\alpha i}(q_j, t)$$

$n = \# \text{ part masses}$

$$\left(\frac{dx_{\alpha i}}{dt} \right)^2 = \dot{x}_{\alpha i}^2 = \left(\frac{\partial x_{\alpha i}}{\partial t} + \sum_j \frac{\partial x_{\alpha i}}{\partial q_j} \dot{q}_j \right)^2 =$$

$$= \left(\frac{\partial x_{\alpha i}}{\partial t} \right)^2 + \sum_{j,k} \frac{\partial x_{\alpha i}}{\partial q_j} \dot{q}_j \frac{\partial x_{\alpha i}}{\partial q_k} \dot{q}_k$$

$$+ 2 \sum_j \frac{\partial x_{\alpha i}}{\partial t} \sum_k \frac{\partial x_{\alpha i}}{\partial q_j} \dot{q}_j \dot{q}_k = b_j$$

$$T = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{\alpha=1}^n m_{\alpha} \sum_{i=1}^3 \left[\left(\frac{\partial x_{\alpha i}}{\partial t} \right)^2 + 2 \frac{\partial x_{\alpha i}}{\partial t} \sum_j \frac{\partial x_{\alpha i}}{\partial q_j} \dot{q}_j + \sum_{j,k} \frac{\partial x_{\alpha i}}{\partial q_j} \frac{\partial x_{\alpha i}}{\partial q_k} \dot{q}_j \dot{q}_k \right]$$

T is polynomial in open velocities.

$$= \frac{1}{2} \sum_{\alpha=1}^n m_{\alpha} \left(\sum_{j,k} \dot{q}_j \dot{q}_k a_{jk} + \sum_j \dot{q}_j b_j + c \right)$$

$a_{jk} = \frac{\partial x_{\alpha i}}{\partial q_j} \frac{\partial x_{\alpha i}}{\partial q_k}$, $b_j = 2 \frac{\partial x_{\alpha i}}{\partial t} \frac{\partial x_{\alpha i}}{\partial q_j}$, $c = \left(\frac{\partial x_{\alpha i}}{\partial t} \right)^2$

use assumption that $\frac{\partial x_i}{\partial t} = 0$ (2) $\Rightarrow b_j = 0, c = 0$

$$\Rightarrow T = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{\alpha=1}^n m_{\alpha} \sum_{j,k} \dot{q}_j \dot{q}_k a_{jk}$$

independent coordinates \checkmark Kronecker delta

$$\frac{\partial T}{\partial \dot{q}_i} = \sum_{j,k} a_{jk} \left[\dot{q}_k \frac{\partial \dot{q}_j}{\partial \dot{q}_i} + \dot{q}_j \frac{\partial \dot{q}_k}{\partial \dot{q}_i} \right] = \sum_{j,k} a_{jk} [\dot{q}_k \delta_{ji} + \dot{q}_j \delta_{ki}] =$$

$$= \sum_k a_{ik} \dot{q}_k + \sum_j a_{ji} \dot{q}_j = 2 \sum_k a_{ik} \dot{q}_k$$

$$\sum_i \dot{q}_i \frac{\partial T}{\partial \dot{q}_i} = 2 \sum_{i,k} \dot{q}_i \dot{q}_k a_{ik}$$

$a_{ik} = a_{ji}$ (symmetric)

$$\Rightarrow 2T = \sum_i \dot{q}_i \frac{\partial T}{\partial \dot{q}_i} \quad \leadsto \quad \frac{\partial T}{\partial \dot{q}_i} = \frac{\partial T}{\partial \dot{q}_i}$$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{q}_i} = \frac{\partial}{\partial \dot{q}_i} (T - U) = \frac{\partial T}{\partial \dot{q}_i} = \frac{\partial T}{\partial \dot{q}_i}$$

$$\Rightarrow H \equiv \dot{q}_i \frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{q}_i} - L = \dot{q}_i \frac{\partial T}{\partial \dot{q}_i} - L = 2T - L = 2T - (T - U) =$$

$$= 2T - T + U = T + U \quad \square$$

Hamilton's equations

$$\frac{\partial H}{\partial q_j} = -\dot{p}_j, \quad \frac{\partial H}{\partial p_j} = \dot{q}_j$$

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↪ equivalent to Lagrange's equations

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial q_j} - \frac{d}{dt} \frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{q}_j} = 0$$

gen. momenta: $p_j := \frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{q}_j} \rightarrow \dot{q}(p, q)$

↪ 2nd order equations in time

$$H = \sum_j \dot{q}_j \frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{q}_j} - L \Leftrightarrow H = \dot{q}_j \frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{q}_j} - L$$

$$H = \dot{q}_j p_j - L(q_j, \dot{q}_j, t)$$

when index is twice in the same term (multiplied) ⇒ implicit summation

Lagrange → Hamilton's

$H = \dot{q}_j p_j - L(q_j, \dot{q}_j, t)$ but \dot{q}_j and p_j are related by
so we can rewrite H as function of:
⇒ $H = H(q_j, p_j, t)$ with $j=1, \dots, n$ $p_j = \frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{q}_j}$

$$\Rightarrow dH = \frac{\partial H}{\partial q_j} dq_j + \frac{\partial H}{\partial p_j} dp_j + \frac{\partial H}{\partial t} dt$$

and $\Rightarrow dH = \sum_j \dot{q}_j dp_j + \sum_j p_j dq_j - \left(\frac{\partial L}{\partial q_j} dq_j + \frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{q}_j} d\dot{q}_j + \frac{\partial L}{\partial t} dt \right)$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{q}_j} - \frac{d}{dt} \left(\frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{q}_j} \right) = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{\partial L}{\partial q_j} = \frac{d}{dt} p_j = \dot{p}_j$$

$$= \dot{q}_j dp_j - \dot{p}_j dq_j - \frac{\partial L}{\partial t} dt$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial H}{\partial q_j} dq_j + \frac{\partial H}{\partial p_j} dp_j + \frac{\partial H}{\partial t} dt = \dot{q}_j dp_j - \dot{p}_j dq_j - \frac{\partial L}{\partial t} dt$$

↪ ~~t~~ equal ⇔ each dx_j term equal

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial H}{\partial q_j} = -\dot{p}_j$$

Hamilton's equations

$$\frac{\partial H}{\partial p_j} = \dot{q}_j$$

$$\frac{\partial H}{\partial t} = -\frac{\partial L}{\partial t} \rightarrow \text{more on p. 30}$$

* Spherical pendulum

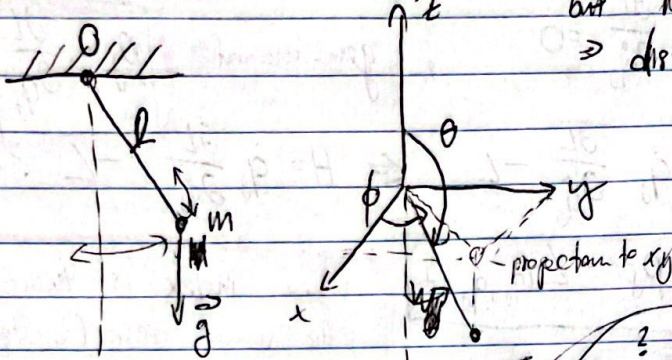
- can move in 3D

but restriction by L

\Rightarrow distance from O $r = l$

always \Rightarrow 2 indep.

coordinates: θ, ϕ



$$H = T + U \quad (2)$$

• forces: tension T (already used as constraint)

gravity $\Rightarrow U = + mgl \cos \theta$

• coordinate

indep. of $\dot{\phi}, \dot{\theta}$

\Rightarrow transforms \Rightarrow

indep. of $\dot{\theta} \Rightarrow (2) \checkmark$

$\Rightarrow (1) \checkmark$

conditions satisfied $\Rightarrow H = T + U$

$$\begin{cases} x = l \sin \theta \cos \phi \\ y = l \sin \theta \sin \phi \\ z = l \cos \theta \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{cases} \dot{x} = l \cos \theta \dot{\theta} \cos \phi - l \sin \theta \dot{\phi} \sin \phi \\ \dot{y} = l \cos \theta \dot{\theta} \sin \phi + l \sin \theta \dot{\phi} \cos \phi \\ \dot{z} = -l \sin \theta \dot{\theta} \end{cases}$$

$$T = \frac{1}{2} m (\dot{x}^2 + \dot{y}^2 + \dot{z}^2) = \frac{1}{2} m (l^2 \cos^2 \theta \dot{\theta}^2 \cos^2 \phi + 2l^2 \dot{\theta} \dot{\phi} \cos \theta \sin \theta \cos \phi \sin \phi + l^2 \sin^2 \theta \dot{\phi}^2 \sin^2 \phi + l^2 \cos^2 \theta \dot{\theta}^2 \sin^2 \phi + l^2 \sin^2 \theta \dot{\theta}^2) =$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} m (l^2 \cos^2 \theta \dot{\theta}^2 + l^2 \sin^2 \theta \dot{\phi}^2 + l^2 \sin^2 \theta \dot{\theta}^2) =$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} m (l^2 \dot{\theta}^2 + l^2 \sin^2 \theta \dot{\phi}^2)$$

$$U = mgl \cos \theta$$

$\hookrightarrow 0$ at top

$$U = mgl (1 + \cos \theta)$$

$\hookrightarrow 0$ at bottom

$$\Rightarrow H = T + U = \frac{1}{2} m (l^2 \dot{\theta}^2 + l^2 \sin^2 \theta \dot{\phi}^2) + mgl \cos \theta$$

but now $H = H(\theta, \dot{\theta}, \phi, \dot{\phi})$ but we want

$$H = H(\theta, \phi, p_\theta, p_\phi)$$

$$L = \frac{1}{2} m (l^2 \dot{\theta}^2 + l^2 \sin^2 \theta \dot{\phi}^2) - mgl \cos \theta$$

Find p_θ, p_ϕ :

$$p_\theta = \frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{\theta}} = ml^2 \dot{\theta} \Rightarrow \dot{\theta} = \frac{p_\theta}{ml^2}$$

$$p_\phi = \frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{\phi}} = ml^2 \sin^2 \theta \dot{\phi} \Rightarrow \dot{\phi} = \frac{p_\phi}{ml^2 \sin^2 \theta}$$

$$\Rightarrow H = \frac{1}{2} m \left(l^2 \frac{p_\theta^2}{m^2 l^4} + l^2 \sin^2 \theta \frac{p_\phi^2}{m^2 l^4 \sin^4 \theta} \right) + mgl \cos \theta$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{p_\theta^2}{ml^2} + \frac{p_\phi^2}{ml^2 \sin^2 \theta} \right) + mgl \cos \theta$$

$$= \frac{p_\theta^2}{2ml^2} + \frac{p_\phi^2}{2ml^2 \sin^2 \theta} + mgl \cos \theta$$

We have H , so we apply Hamilton's equations:

$$\begin{cases} \frac{\partial H}{\partial q_i} = -\dot{p}_i \\ \frac{\partial H}{\partial p_i} = \dot{q}_i \end{cases} \quad \text{and} \quad H = \frac{p_\theta^2}{2ml^2} + \frac{p_\phi^2}{2ml^2 \sin^2 \theta} + mgl \cos \theta$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} \frac{\partial H}{\partial \theta} = -mgl \sin \theta \equiv -\dot{p}_\theta = -ml^2 \ddot{\theta} \end{cases}$$

$$\frac{\partial H}{\partial \phi} = 0 \equiv -\dot{p}_\phi = -ml^2 \sin \theta \cos \theta \dot{\phi} - ml^2 \sin^2 \theta \ddot{\phi}$$

$$\frac{\partial H}{\partial p_\theta} = \frac{p_\theta}{ml^2} \equiv \frac{ml^2 \dot{\theta}}{ml^2} \equiv \dot{\theta} \equiv \ddot{\theta}$$

$$\frac{\partial H}{\partial p_\phi} = \frac{p_\phi}{ml^2 \sin^2 \theta} = \frac{ml^2 \sin^2 \theta \dot{\phi}}{ml^2 \sin^2 \theta} = \dot{\phi} \equiv \ddot{\phi}$$

$$\frac{\partial H}{\partial \theta} = -mgl \sin \theta - \frac{ml^2 \sin^2 \theta \dot{\phi}^2}{2ml^2 \sin^4 \theta} =$$

$$= -mgl \sin \theta - ml^2 \cos \theta \sin \theta \dot{\phi}^2 = -ml^2 \ddot{\theta}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{gl} \sin \theta + \cos \theta \sin \theta \dot{\phi}^2 = \ddot{\theta} \quad \text{as free Lagrange}$$

$$\frac{\partial H}{\partial \phi} = 0 = 2 \cos \theta \dot{\phi} + \sin \theta \ddot{\phi}$$

$$\dot{p}_\theta = -mgl \sin \theta - \frac{p_\phi^2}{2ml^2 \sin^3 \theta}$$

$$\dot{p}_\phi = 0 \Rightarrow \text{const. } p_\phi \Rightarrow$$

Conservation of angular momentum about z-axis

$$\frac{p_\theta}{ml^2} = \dot{\theta}$$

$$\frac{p_\phi}{ml^2 \sin^2 \theta} = \dot{\phi}$$

Hamilton's equations of motion

$$\frac{\partial H}{\partial t} = - \frac{\partial L}{\partial t}$$

$$\textcircled{I} \quad dH = \left(\frac{\partial H}{\partial q_j} \right) dq_j + \left(\frac{\partial H}{\partial p_j} \right) dp_j + \frac{\partial H}{\partial t} dt$$

$$dq_j = \frac{\partial H}{\partial p_j} dt$$

$$\frac{\partial H}{\partial p_j} = - \frac{dp_j}{dt} \Rightarrow dp_j = - \frac{\partial H}{\partial p_j} dt$$

$$\Rightarrow dH = + \frac{\partial H}{\partial p_j} \frac{\partial H}{\partial p_j} dt - \frac{\partial H}{\partial p_j} \frac{\partial H}{\partial p_j} dt + \frac{\partial H}{\partial t} dt$$

$$\Rightarrow dH = \frac{\partial H}{\partial t} dt \Rightarrow \frac{dH}{dt} = \frac{\partial H}{\partial t}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dH}{dt} = - \frac{\partial L}{\partial t}$$

proof that if L is independent of time explicitly, then $\frac{\partial L}{\partial t} = 0$, then $\frac{dH}{dt} = 0$
 $\Rightarrow H$ is conserved in time.

$$\textcircled{II} \quad \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial x} - \frac{d}{dt} \left(p - y' \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial y'} \right) = 0 \quad \text{Euler's eq - 2nd form}$$

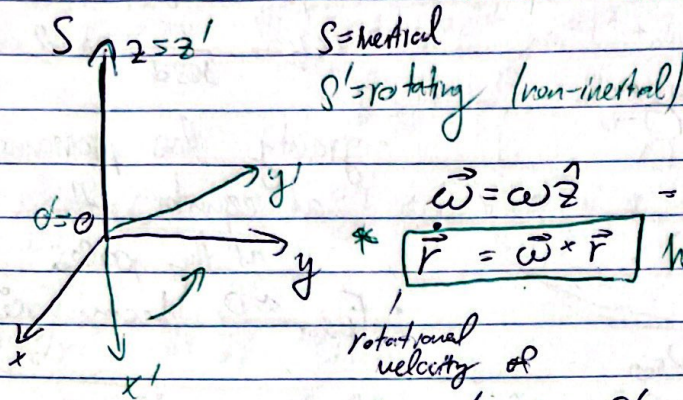
$$\text{for } L = \frac{\partial L}{\partial t} - \frac{d}{dt} \left(L - \dot{q}_j \frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{q}_j} \right) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial L}{\partial t} = \frac{d}{dt} \left(L - \dot{q}_j \frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{q}_j} \right) = - \frac{dH}{dt} \quad \square$$

$$\Rightarrow - \frac{\partial L}{\partial t} = \frac{dH}{dt} \quad \text{alternative way of obtaining the same result}$$

Non-inertial Frames

- for inertial frames: $\vec{F}_{real} = m\vec{a}$
- for non-inertial frames: $m\vec{a}' = \vec{F}_{real} + \vec{F}_{fictitious}$



$\vec{\omega} = \omega \hat{z}$ = angular velocity of S'
 $\vec{v} = \vec{\omega} \times \vec{r}$ holds for any position vector \vec{r}
 rotational velocity of a point mass in S' as seen by observer from S

* in particular, also for unit basis vectors $\hat{e}'_1, \hat{e}'_2, \hat{e}'_3$

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \dot{\hat{e}}'_1 &= \vec{\omega} \times \hat{e}'_1 \\ \dot{\hat{e}}'_2 &= \vec{\omega} \times \hat{e}'_2 \\ \dot{\hat{e}}'_3 &= \vec{\omega} \times \hat{e}'_3 \end{aligned} \right\}$$

$\vec{a} = \ddot{\vec{r}}$ - acceleration in inertial frame (relate \vec{a} and \vec{a}')

$$\vec{r} = \sum r_i \hat{e}_i = r_i \hat{e}_i \rightarrow \dot{\vec{r}} = \dot{r}_i \hat{e}_i$$

$$\vec{r} = \sum r'_i \hat{e}'_i = r'_i \hat{e}'_i \rightarrow \dot{\vec{r}} = \dot{r}'_i \hat{e}'_i + r'_i \dot{\hat{e}}'_i = \dot{r}'_i \hat{e}'_i + r'_i \vec{\omega} \times \hat{e}'_i$$

same vector, written w/ two different bases

$$\ddot{\vec{r}} = \ddot{r}'_i \hat{e}'_i + \dot{r}'_i \dot{\hat{e}}'_i + \dot{r}'_i \dot{\hat{e}}'_i + \vec{\omega} \times \vec{r} + \vec{\omega} \times \vec{r}$$

$$= \ddot{r}'_i \hat{e}'_i + \dot{r}'_i (\vec{\omega} \times \hat{e}'_i) + \dot{r}'_i (\vec{\omega} \times \hat{e}'_i) + \vec{\omega} \times \vec{r} + \vec{\omega} \times \vec{r}$$

$$\frac{d^2 \vec{r}}{dt^2} \Big|_S = \frac{d^2 \vec{r}}{dt^2} \Big|_{S'} + 2 \dot{r}'_i \vec{\omega} \times \hat{e}'_i + \vec{\omega} \times \vec{r} + \vec{\omega} \times (\vec{\omega} \times \vec{r})$$

\vec{a} acceleration as seen from S' frame = \vec{a}'

$$= 2 \vec{\omega} \times (\dot{r}'_i \hat{e}'_i) = 2 \vec{\omega} \times \frac{d\vec{r}'}{dt} \Big|_{S'}$$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{a} = \vec{a}' + 2 \vec{\omega} \times \vec{v}' + \vec{\omega} \times \vec{r}' + \vec{\omega} \times (\vec{\omega} \times \vec{r}')$$

$$\vec{F}_{real} = m\vec{a}$$

so $\vec{F}_{real} = m\vec{a}$

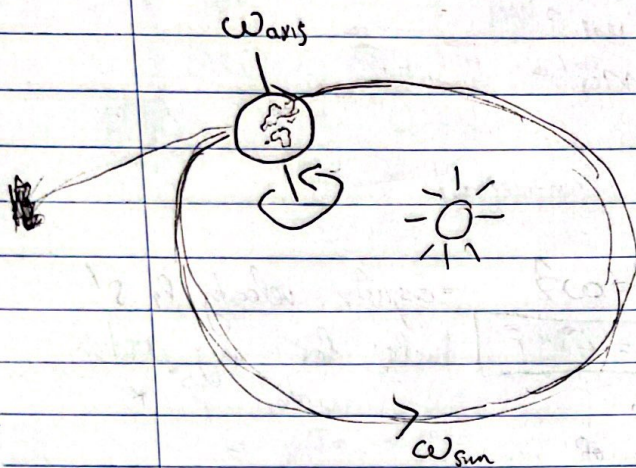
$$m\vec{a}' = \vec{F}_{real} - 2(\vec{\omega} \times \vec{v}') - (\vec{\omega} \times \vec{r}') - \vec{\omega} \times (\vec{\omega} \times \vec{r}') = \vec{F}_{real} + \vec{F}_{fictitious}$$

Fictitious forces

- Coriolis force
- Euler force
- centrifugal / centripetal force

* whole frame accelerating along with \vec{R}

★ Earth as a non-inertial frame



$$\omega_{axis} = \frac{2\pi}{24h} = 7 \times 10^{-5} \text{ s}^{-1}$$

$$\omega_{sun} = \frac{2\pi}{365d} = 2 \times 10^{-7} \text{ s}^{-1}$$

small

- gravity less pronounced at equator than at the poles

• $F_{Euler} \approx 0$ because ω small

centrifugal force:

$$m\vec{a}' = \vec{F} - m\vec{\omega} \times (\vec{\omega} \times \vec{r}') - 2m\vec{\omega} \times (\vec{\omega} \times \vec{r}') - \ddot{\vec{R}} m$$

$$\vec{r} = \vec{\omega} \times \vec{R}$$

$$\ddot{\vec{R}} = \vec{\omega} \times \dot{\vec{R}}$$

$$= \vec{F} - m\vec{\omega} \times (\vec{\omega} \times \vec{r}') - 2m\vec{\omega} \times (\vec{\omega} \times \vec{r}') - m\vec{\omega} \times (\vec{\omega} \times \vec{R})$$

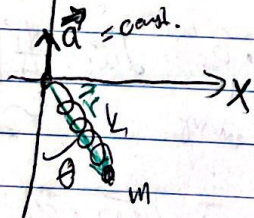
• m close to surface $\rightarrow |\vec{r}'| \ll R$

• gravity $= m\vec{g}_0$

$$\vec{g}' m \approx m\vec{g}_0 - m\vec{\omega} \times (\vec{\omega} \times \vec{R})$$

\Rightarrow reducing the pull of gravity but 0 at poles
 $\Rightarrow \vec{g}$ stronger at poles

★ \vec{r} = distance of mass to fulcrum



Inertial frame

$$\begin{cases} x = r \sin \theta \\ y = -r \cos \theta + \frac{1}{2} a t^2 \end{cases}$$

depends explicitly on t

$$\dot{x}^2 = (\dot{r} \sin \theta + r \cos \theta \dot{\theta})^2 = \dot{r}^2 \sin^2 \theta + 2r \dot{r} \sin \theta \dot{\theta} \cos \theta + r^2 \cos^2 \theta \dot{\theta}^2$$

$$\dot{y}^2 = (\dot{r} \cos \theta + r \sin \theta \dot{\theta} + a t)^2 = \dot{r}^2 \cos^2 \theta + 2r \dot{r} \cos \theta \dot{\theta} \sin \theta + r^2 \sin^2 \theta \dot{\theta}^2 + a^2 t^2 + 2a t r \sin \theta \dot{\theta}$$

$$T = \frac{m}{2} (\dot{x}^2 + \dot{y}^2) = \frac{m}{2} (\dot{r}^2 + r^2 \dot{\theta}^2 + a^2 t^2 + 2a t (r \sin \theta \dot{\theta} - \dot{r} \cos \theta))$$

$r_0 = \text{rest length of spring}$

$$U = U_{\text{spring}} + U_{\text{gravity}} = \frac{1}{2} k (r - r_0)^2 - mgr \cos \theta + \frac{1}{2} m g a^2$$

$$L = T - U = \frac{m}{2} [\dot{r}^2 + r^2 \dot{\theta}^2 + a^2 + 2atr \dot{\theta} \sin \theta - 2at \dot{r} \cos \theta - \frac{k}{m} (r - r_0)^2 + 2gr \cos \theta - g a^2]$$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial t} \neq 0 \Rightarrow \frac{dH}{dt} \neq 0 \Rightarrow H \text{ is not conserved in time}$$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial r} - \frac{d}{dt} \frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{r}} = 0$$

$$m r \dot{\theta}^2 + m a t \dot{\theta} \sin \theta + m g \cos \theta - \frac{k}{m} (r - r_0) - m \ddot{r} + m a t \dot{\theta} \sin \theta = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial \theta} - \frac{d}{dt} \frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{\theta}} = 0$$

$$0 = m a t \dot{\theta} \cos \theta + m a t r \sin \theta - m g r \sin \theta - \frac{d}{dt} [m r^2 \dot{\theta} + m a t r \sin \theta] = 0$$

$$0 = 2 a t r \dot{\theta} \cos \theta + a t r \sin \theta - m g r \sin \theta - 2 r \dot{r} \dot{\theta} - r^2 \ddot{\theta} - a \sin \theta - a t \dot{r} \cos \theta$$

$$H \neq T + U \quad H = \dot{q} p - L = \dot{\theta} p_{\theta} + \dot{r} p_r - L$$

$$p_{\theta} = \frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{\theta}} = \frac{1}{2} m (2 r^2 \dot{\theta} + 2 a t r \sin \theta) = m r (r \dot{\theta} + a t \sin \theta)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{p_{\theta}}{m r^2} = \frac{a t \sin \theta}{r} = \dot{\theta} \quad \text{replace in } L$$

$$p_r = \frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{r}} = m \dot{r} - m a t \cos \theta \Rightarrow \dot{r} = \frac{p_r}{m} + a t \cos \theta$$

\Rightarrow obtain $H \Rightarrow$ Hamilton's eq.

Non-inertial frame

$$\begin{cases} x' = r \sin \theta & \Rightarrow \dot{x}' = \dot{r} \sin \theta + r \dot{\theta} \cos \theta \\ y' = -r \cos \theta & \Rightarrow \dot{y}' = -\dot{r} \cos \theta + r \dot{\theta} \sin \theta \end{cases}$$

$$T = (\dot{x}'^2 + \dot{y}'^2) \frac{m}{2} = \frac{m}{2} (\dot{r}^2 + r^2 \dot{\theta}^2)$$

$$U = U_{\text{grav}} + U_{\text{spring}} = -m(g+a)r \cos \theta + \frac{1}{2} k (r - r_0)^2$$

\Rightarrow in non-inertial frame: conditions ① \checkmark , ② \checkmark satisfied

$$\Rightarrow \underline{\underline{H = E}} \quad \text{and} \quad \underline{\underline{\frac{dH}{dt} = 0}} \quad (\text{conserved in time})$$

Rigid body

= collection of
 • point masses with fixed distance of each other

• discrete

$$\sum_{\alpha=1}^N m_{\alpha} = M$$

↪ mass of point masses

or consider continuous:

$$M = \int_V dm$$

of independent degrees of freedom: at most **6**
 - 3 translation + 3 rotation

Center of mass

discrete

$$\vec{R} = \frac{1}{M} \sum_{\alpha=1}^N m_{\alpha} \vec{r}_{\alpha}$$

↪ position of point mass α

continuous

$$\vec{R} = \frac{1}{M} \int_V \vec{r} dm$$

Total momentum

$$\begin{aligned} \vec{p} &= \sum_{\alpha=1}^N \vec{p}_{\alpha} = \sum_{\alpha=1}^N m_{\alpha} \vec{v}_{\alpha} = \sum_{\alpha=1}^N m_{\alpha} \dot{\vec{r}}_{\alpha} = \\ &= \sum_{\alpha=1}^N \frac{dm_{\alpha} \vec{r}_{\alpha}}{dt} = \frac{d}{dt} \sum_{\alpha=1}^N m_{\alpha} \vec{r}_{\alpha} = \frac{d}{dt} M \vec{R} = M \dot{\vec{R}} \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{p} = M \dot{\vec{R}}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \dot{\vec{p}} &= \sum_{\alpha=1}^N m_{\alpha} \frac{d^2 \vec{r}_{\alpha}}{dt^2} = \sum_{\alpha=1}^N \vec{F}_{\alpha} = \sum_{\alpha=1}^N (\vec{F}_{\alpha, \text{int}} + \vec{F}_{\alpha, \text{ext}}) \\ &= \sum_{\alpha=1}^N \vec{F}_{\alpha, \text{ext}} =: \vec{F}_{\text{ext}} \end{aligned}$$

due to all other point masses

↪ from Newton's 3rd law, all of these cancel out

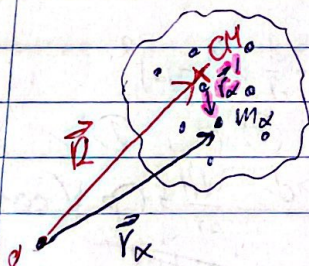
$$\Rightarrow \dot{\vec{p}} = \sum_{\alpha=1}^N \vec{F}_{\alpha, \text{ext}} = \vec{F}_{\text{ext}}$$

Total angular momentum

$$\vec{L} = \vec{R} \times \vec{p} + \sum_{\alpha} \vec{r}'_{\alpha} \times m_{\alpha} \dot{\vec{r}}'_{\alpha}$$

motion of the whole body

rotation w.r.t CM



MACH

$$\vec{R} + \vec{r}'_\alpha = \vec{r}_\alpha$$

$$\sum_{\alpha=1}^N \vec{r}'_\alpha m_\alpha = 0$$

$$\sum_{\alpha=1}^N m_\alpha (\vec{r}_\alpha - \vec{R}) = \sum_{\alpha=1}^N m_\alpha \vec{r}_\alpha - \vec{R} \sum_{\alpha=1}^N m_\alpha = \sum_{\alpha=1}^N m_\alpha \vec{r}_\alpha - \vec{R} M = M\vec{R} - M\vec{R} = 0$$

$$\vec{L} = \sum_{\alpha=1}^N \vec{l}_\alpha = \sum_{\alpha=1}^N m_\alpha \vec{r}_\alpha \times \dot{\vec{r}}_\alpha = \sum_{\alpha=1}^N m_\alpha (\vec{R} + \vec{r}'_\alpha) \times (\dot{\vec{R}} + \dot{\vec{r}}'_\alpha) =$$

$$= \sum_{\alpha=1}^N m_\alpha (\vec{R} \times \dot{\vec{R}} + \vec{r}'_\alpha \times \dot{\vec{r}}'_\alpha + \vec{R} \times \dot{\vec{r}}'_\alpha + \vec{r}'_\alpha \times \dot{\vec{R}})$$

$$= \vec{R} \times (M\dot{\vec{R}}) + \sum_{\alpha=1}^N m_\alpha \vec{r}'_\alpha \times \dot{\vec{r}}'_\alpha + \vec{R} \times \sum_{\alpha=1}^N m_\alpha \dot{\vec{r}}'_\alpha + \sum_{\alpha=1}^N m_\alpha \vec{r}'_\alpha \times \dot{\vec{R}}$$

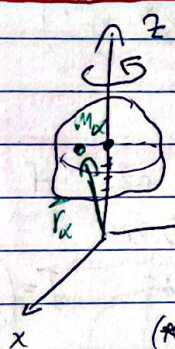
$\vec{R} \times \sum_{\alpha=1}^N m_\alpha \dot{\vec{r}}'_\alpha = \vec{R} \times \frac{d}{dt} \sum_{\alpha=1}^N m_\alpha \vec{r}'_\alpha = \vec{R} \times \frac{d}{dt} 0 = 0$
 $\sum_{\alpha=1}^N m_\alpha \vec{r}'_\alpha \times \dot{\vec{R}} = \dot{\vec{R}} \times \sum_{\alpha=1}^N m_\alpha \vec{r}'_\alpha = \dot{\vec{R}} \times 0 = 0$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{L} = M \vec{R} \times \dot{\vec{R}} + \sum_{\alpha=1}^N m_\alpha \vec{r}'_\alpha \times \dot{\vec{r}}'_\alpha$$

Kinetic energy

$$T = \sum_{\alpha=1}^N \frac{1}{2} m_\alpha \dot{r}_\alpha^2 = \frac{1}{2} M \dot{R}^2 + \frac{1}{2} \sum_{\alpha=1}^N m_\alpha \dot{r}'_\alpha^2$$

Moment of Inertia



$$\vec{\omega} = (0, 0, \omega)$$

$$\vec{L} = \sum_{\alpha=1}^N \vec{l}_\alpha = \sum_{\alpha=1}^N \vec{r}_\alpha \times m \dot{\vec{r}}_\alpha$$

only rotation: $\dot{\vec{r}}_\alpha = \vec{\omega} \times \vec{r}_\alpha$

$$\vec{L} = \sum_{\alpha=1}^N m_\alpha \vec{r}_\alpha \times (\vec{\omega} \times \vec{r}_\alpha)$$

$$\begin{vmatrix} \hat{x} & \hat{y} & \hat{z} \\ 0 & 0 & \omega \\ x_\alpha & y_\alpha & z_\alpha \end{vmatrix} = (-\omega y_\alpha, \omega x_\alpha, 0)$$

distance z to axis of rotation

$$L_z = \sum_{\alpha=1}^N l_{z,z} = \sum_{\alpha} m_\alpha \omega (x_\alpha^2 + y_\alpha^2) = \omega \left(\sum_{\alpha} m_\alpha (x_\alpha^2 + y_\alpha^2) \right) = I_{zz} \omega = I \vec{\omega}$$

$$L_x = \sum_{\alpha=1}^N l_{x,x} = \sum_{\alpha} m_\alpha (-\omega z_\alpha x_\alpha) = \omega \left(\sum_{\alpha} m_\alpha (-x_\alpha z_\alpha) \right) = I_{zx} \omega = I \vec{\omega}$$

$$L_y = \sum_{\alpha=1}^N l_{y,y} = \sum_{\alpha} m_\alpha (-\omega z_\alpha y_\alpha) = \omega \left(\sum_{\alpha} m_\alpha (-y_\alpha z_\alpha) \right) = I_{zy} \omega = I \vec{\omega}$$

moment of inertia
Product of inertia

→ In general $\vec{\omega}$ can be nonzero in all directions
 → then we also get $I_{xx}, I_{yy}, I_{xy}, I_{xz}, \dots$

→ $\vec{L} = I \vec{\omega}$

$\begin{pmatrix} L_x \\ L_y \\ L_z \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} I_{xx} & I_{xy} & I_{xz} \\ I_{yx} & I_{yy} & I_{yz} \\ I_{zx} & I_{zy} & I_{zz} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \omega_x \\ \omega_y \\ \omega_z \end{pmatrix}$
 coordinate dependent → Inertia tensor → symmetric positive definite ⇒ real eigenvalues

$$\begin{cases} I_{ii} = \sum_{\alpha} m_{\alpha} (j_{\alpha}^2 + k_{\alpha}^2) \\ I_{ij} = \sum_{\alpha} m_{\alpha} (-i_{\alpha} j_{\alpha}) = -I_{ji} \end{cases}$$

KE: $T = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{\alpha} m_{\alpha} v_{\alpha}^2 = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{\alpha} m_{\alpha} (x_{\alpha}^2 + y_{\alpha}^2) \omega^2 = \frac{1}{2} I_{zz} \omega^2$ if $\omega = (0, 0, \omega)$

$\vec{v}_{\alpha} \cdot \vec{v}_{\alpha} = (-\omega y_{\alpha})^2 + (\omega x_{\alpha})^2 = \omega^2 (x_{\alpha}^2 + y_{\alpha}^2)$
 $\vec{v} = \omega \times \vec{r}$

Principal axes := axes of rotation s.t. if $\vec{\omega}$ is always perpendicular to p.a. ⇒ $\vec{L} \parallel \vec{\omega}$ because $I = \begin{pmatrix} I_{xx} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & I_{yy} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & I_{zz} \end{pmatrix}$ Def.

* If $I = \begin{pmatrix} I_{xx} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & I_{yy} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & I_{zz} \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \hat{x}, \hat{y}, \hat{z}$ are principal axes.

Pf: $\vec{\omega} = \omega \hat{x}$: $\vec{L} = \begin{pmatrix} I_{xx} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & I_{yy} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & I_{zz} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \omega \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} I_{xx} \omega \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \vec{\omega} I_{xx}$
 $\Rightarrow \vec{L} \parallel \vec{\omega}$

→ $\vec{\omega} = \begin{pmatrix} \omega \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$, $\vec{L} = I \vec{\omega} = I \begin{pmatrix} \omega \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \vec{\omega} \parallel \vec{L} \Rightarrow I = \begin{pmatrix} I_{xx} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & I_{yy} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & I_{zz} \end{pmatrix}$

Pf: $\vec{L} = I \begin{pmatrix} \omega \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} I_{xx} & I_{xy} & I_{xz} \\ I_{yx} & I_{yy} & I_{yz} \\ I_{zx} & I_{zy} & I_{zz} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \omega \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \omega I_{xx} \\ \omega I_{xy} \\ \omega I_{zx} \end{pmatrix} \equiv \begin{pmatrix} L \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$

⇒ $I_{xy} = 0$ and $I_{zx} = 0$
 ⇒ repeat for \hat{y} and \hat{z}

• we can do coordinate transformation of I to make it diagonal and then our basis ^{vectors} are the principal axes.

thm

\forall rigid bodies and \forall points in the rigid body, \exists a set of 3 mutually orthogonal principal axes.

Proof: $\vec{L} = I \vec{\omega} = \lambda \vec{\omega} = \lambda I \vec{\omega}$ because we want $\vec{L} \parallel \vec{\omega}$
 $\Rightarrow (I - \lambda \mathbb{1}) \vec{\omega} = \vec{0} \Rightarrow \vec{\omega}$ is eigenvector of I .

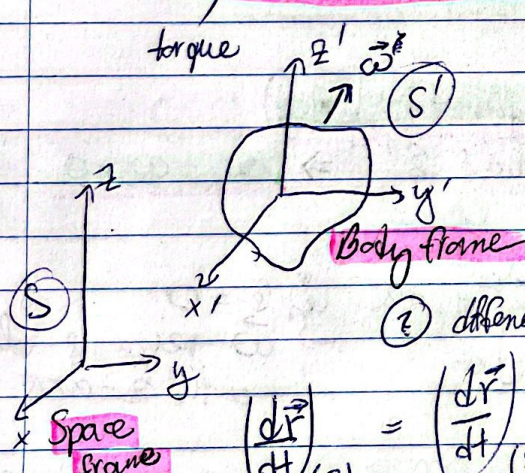
$\lambda = I_{ii}$ - diagonal components of diagonal I .

\Rightarrow If we have a symmetric body \Rightarrow principal axes are usually axes of symmetry.

Euler's equations for rigid body

- rotational version of Newton's 2nd law
 - as seen by an observer rotating along with the rigid body

$\vec{\tau} = \dot{\vec{L}} + \vec{\omega} \times \vec{L}$



$\vec{\omega} = (\omega_1, \omega_2, \omega_3)$

$I = \begin{pmatrix} \lambda_1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \lambda_2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \lambda_3 \end{pmatrix}$

x', y', z' are the principal axes

(?) differential equation for $\omega_1, \omega_2, \omega_3$

$\left. \begin{aligned} \left(\frac{d\vec{r}}{dt} \right)_{(S)} &= \left(\frac{d\vec{r}}{dt} \right)_{(S')} + \vec{\omega} \times \vec{r} \\ \text{derivative in } S & \quad \text{in } S' \end{aligned} \right\} \text{ holds for any vector}$

$\left(\frac{d\vec{L}}{dt} \right)_{(S)} = \left(\frac{d\vec{L}}{dt} \right)_{(S')} + \vec{\omega} \times \vec{L}$ (in S')

$\vec{r} = x_i \hat{e}_i$
 $\dot{\vec{r}}(S') = \dot{x}_i \hat{e}_i$
 $\dot{\vec{r}}(S) = \dot{x}_i \hat{e}_i + x_i \dot{\hat{e}}_i$

$$\vec{L} = I \vec{\omega} = \begin{pmatrix} \lambda_1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \lambda_2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \lambda_3 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \omega_1 \\ \omega_2 \\ \omega_3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \lambda_1 \omega_1 \\ \lambda_2 \omega_2 \\ \lambda_3 \omega_3 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\vec{\omega} \times \vec{L} = \begin{pmatrix} \hat{x} & \hat{y} & \hat{z} \\ \omega_1' & \omega_2' & \omega_3' \\ \lambda_1 \omega_1 & \lambda_2 \omega_2 & \lambda_3 \omega_3 \end{pmatrix} = \hat{x} (\lambda_3 \omega_2 \omega_3 - \lambda_2 \omega_2' \omega_3') + \hat{y} (\lambda_1 \omega_3 \omega_1 - \lambda_3 \omega_3' \omega_1') + \hat{z} (\lambda_2 \omega_1 \omega_2 - \lambda_1 \omega_1' \omega_2')$$

$$= \hat{x} (\lambda_3 - \lambda_2) \omega_2 \omega_3 + \hat{y} (\lambda_1 - \lambda_3) \omega_1 \omega_3 + \hat{z} (\lambda_2 - \lambda_1) \omega_1 \omega_2$$

$$\left(\frac{d\vec{L}}{dt} \right) (S) = \frac{d}{dt} \begin{pmatrix} \lambda_1 \omega_1 \\ \lambda_2 \omega_2 \\ \lambda_3 \omega_3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \lambda_1 \dot{\omega}_1 \\ \lambda_2 \dot{\omega}_2 \\ \lambda_3 \dot{\omega}_3 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} \dot{\omega}_1' \\ \dot{\omega}_2' \\ \dot{\omega}_3' \end{pmatrix} = \dot{\omega}' = \begin{pmatrix} \lambda_1 \dot{\omega}_1' \\ \lambda_2 \dot{\omega}_2' \\ \lambda_3 \dot{\omega}_3' \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} (\lambda_3 - \lambda_2) \omega_2' \omega_3' \\ (\lambda_1 - \lambda_3) \omega_1' \omega_3' \\ (\lambda_2 - \lambda_1) \omega_1' \omega_2' \end{pmatrix}$$

system of ODE's for components of ω

Euler equations for rigid body

components in primed system
body frame

no torque

(primed because written w/ primed coordinates)

System of equations:

$$\dot{\omega}_i = \lambda_i \dot{\omega}_i + (\lambda_k - \lambda_j) \omega_j \omega_k$$

$$\star \cdot \vec{L} = 0$$

all λ 's different (asymmetric body)

at $t=0$ rotating about $\hat{z}' \Rightarrow \omega_1 = \omega_2 = 0$

$$\Rightarrow 0 = \lambda_1 \dot{\omega}_1 + 0$$

$$0 = \lambda_2 \dot{\omega}_2 + 0$$

$$0 = \lambda_3 \dot{\omega}_3 + 0$$

\Rightarrow all $\dot{\omega}_i = 0$

$\Rightarrow \vec{\omega}$ remains aligned with \hat{z} -axis

\star gives the rigid body a small kick $\Rightarrow \omega_1, \omega_2 \neq 0$
still $\dot{\omega}_3 = 0$

ω_1, ω_2 small $\Rightarrow \dot{\omega}_3$ small. \Rightarrow treat ω_3 as const.

\Rightarrow we can decouple the system

$$-\lambda_1 \dot{\omega}_1 = [(\lambda_3 - \lambda_2) \omega_3] \omega_2$$

$$-\lambda_2 \dot{\omega}_2 = [(\lambda_1 - \lambda_3) \omega_3] \omega_1$$

treated as a constant

$$-\lambda_1 \ddot{\omega}_1 = [(\lambda_3 - \lambda_2) \omega_3] \ddot{\omega}_2 = \left[\frac{(\lambda_3 - \lambda_2) \omega_3^2}{-\lambda_2} (\lambda_1 - \lambda_3) \right] \omega_1$$

substitute from second eq.

$$\Rightarrow \ddot{\omega}_1 = \left[\frac{(\lambda_3 - \lambda_2) \omega_3^2 (\lambda_1 - \lambda_3)}{\lambda_1 \lambda_2} \right] \omega_1 = c \omega_1$$

$= c$

$$\ddot{\omega}_1 - c \omega_1 = 0$$

\Rightarrow based on the sign of c , we can see whether the perturbation will be killed or exponentially increased.

$\lambda_i > 0$ always

$c < 0 \Rightarrow \sin, \cos$ (oscillations)

$$\begin{aligned} &\Rightarrow (\lambda_3 - \lambda_2)(\lambda_1 - \lambda_3) < 0 \\ &\Rightarrow (\lambda_3 - \lambda_2)(\lambda_3 - \lambda_1) > 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} \lambda_3 < \lambda_2 \\ \lambda_3 < \lambda_1 \end{cases} \quad \text{or} \quad \begin{cases} \lambda_3 > \lambda_2 \\ \lambda_3 > \lambda_1 \end{cases}$$

$\Rightarrow \lambda_3$ is maximal or minimal eval \Rightarrow stable system

$c < 0 \Rightarrow \exp(\alpha t)$, $\alpha > 0$ otherwise contradiction (if $\alpha < 0$)

$$\Rightarrow (\lambda_3 - \lambda_2)(\lambda_3 - \lambda_1) < 0$$

$$\lambda_2 < \lambda_3 < \lambda_1 \quad \text{or} \quad \lambda_1 < \lambda_3 < \lambda_2$$

\Rightarrow exponential increase in the perturbation \Rightarrow unstable system

* axially symmetric body: $\lambda_1 = \lambda_2 \neq \lambda_3$

still $\vec{\omega} = 0$

$$\begin{aligned} 0 &= \lambda_1 \ddot{\omega}_1 + (\lambda_3 - \lambda_2) \omega_2 \omega_3 \Rightarrow \lambda_1 \ddot{\omega}_1 = (\lambda_3 - \lambda_2) \omega_2 \omega_3 \\ 0 &= \lambda_2 \ddot{\omega}_2 + (\lambda_1 - \lambda_3) \omega_1 \omega_3 \Rightarrow \lambda_2 \ddot{\omega}_2 = (\lambda_1 - \lambda_3) \omega_1 \omega_3 \\ 0 &= \lambda_3 \ddot{\omega}_3 + 0 \Rightarrow \boxed{\ddot{\omega}_3 = 0} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{cases} \lambda_1 \dot{\omega}_1 = -(\lambda_3 - \lambda_1) \omega_2 \omega_3 \\ \lambda_1 \dot{\omega}_2 = -(\lambda_1 - \lambda_3) \omega_1 \omega_3 \end{cases} \quad \text{using } \lambda_1 = \lambda_2$$

$$\Rightarrow \dot{\omega}_1 = -\frac{\lambda_3 - \lambda_1}{\lambda_1} \omega_3 \omega_2 = \Omega \omega_2$$

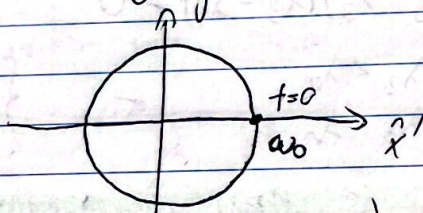
$$\dot{\omega}_2 = -\omega_1 \omega_3 \frac{(\lambda_1 - \lambda_3)}{\lambda_1} = -\Omega \omega_1$$

$$\text{let } \eta = \omega_1 + i\omega_2 \Rightarrow \dot{\eta} = -i\Omega \eta$$

$$\eta(t=0) = \begin{pmatrix} \omega_1(0) \\ i\omega_2(0) \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow \eta = \eta_0 e^{-i\Omega t} \Rightarrow \eta = \omega_0 \cos(\Omega t) - i\omega_0 \sin(\Omega t)$$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{\omega} = \begin{pmatrix} \omega_0 \cos(\Omega t) \\ -\omega_0 \sin(\Omega t) \\ \omega_3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \omega_1(t) \\ \omega_2(t) \\ \omega_3 \end{pmatrix}$$

precession \Rightarrow oscillatory behaviour, ω_3 remains the same



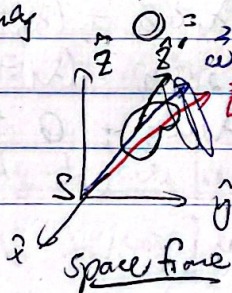
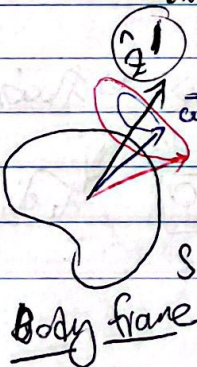
$$\vec{L} = \begin{pmatrix} \lambda_1 \omega_1 \\ \lambda_2 \omega_2 \\ \lambda_3 \omega_3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \lambda_1 \omega_0 \cos \Omega t \\ -\lambda_2 \omega_0 \sin \Omega t \\ \lambda_3 \omega_3 \end{pmatrix}$$

$\Rightarrow \vec{L}$ will also draw a circle in $x'y'$ plane with same angular freq. Ω as ω_2

$\Rightarrow \vec{L}$ and $\vec{\omega}$ precess about \hat{z}' -axis (in the body frame)

but in inertial frame = space frame

I cannot expect \vec{L} to change because



\vec{L} fixed and \hat{z}' and ω rotate (precess about \vec{L})

$t \rightarrow a : 100 \text{ m/s} \rightarrow 10^5$
 $b \rightarrow d : 1000 \rightarrow 10^3$

$\rho' / \rho : 10^0 \cdot 10^3 = 10^{13}$

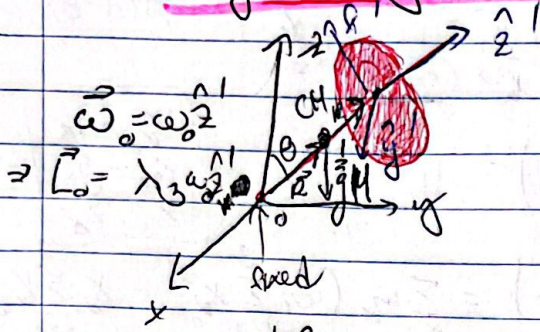
$v' / v : 10^5 \cdot 10^6 = 10^{11}$

$\rho' h' \sim 440 \text{ GPa}$

$h' \sim 208$

$1000 \rightarrow 1.3 \text{ TeV}$

★ Rigid body : disk on a rod



$\vec{g} \neq 0 \Rightarrow \vec{L} \neq \text{const.}$

$\vec{\tau} = \vec{R} \times \vec{F}_G = \vec{R} \times M\vec{g}$

$\dot{\vec{L}}|_{(S)} = \vec{\tau}$
 $\Rightarrow \dot{\vec{L}}|_{(S)} = \vec{R} \times M\vec{g}$

$\vec{R} \parallel \hat{z}'$

$\Rightarrow \vec{\tau} \perp \hat{z}'$

$\vec{A} \times \vec{B} \perp \vec{A}$
 $\perp \vec{B}$

$R \sin \theta : |\vec{\tau}| = RMg \sin(\pi - \theta) = RMg \sin \theta$

$\frac{d\vec{L}}{dt}|_{(S)} = \frac{d}{dt} (\lambda_3 \omega \hat{z}') = \vec{\tau} = \vec{R} \times M\vec{g} = RMg(-\hat{z}' \times \hat{z}) = RMg(\hat{z} \times \hat{z}')$

$\vec{\tau}$ is weak $\Rightarrow \omega_1, \omega_2$ small (\vec{L} remains roughly along \hat{z}')
 \Rightarrow value of ω won't change a lot, only the direction

$\Rightarrow \frac{d}{dt} (\lambda_3 \omega \hat{z}') = \lambda_3 \dot{\omega} \hat{z}' + \lambda_3 \omega \dot{\hat{z}}' \approx \text{proof in the notes and below *}$

$\Rightarrow \dot{\hat{z}}' = \frac{RMg \sin \theta}{\lambda_3 \omega} (\hat{z} \times \hat{z}') = \vec{\Omega} \times \hat{z}'$

$\Rightarrow \hat{z}'$ rotates with angular velocity $\vec{\Omega}$ because $\dot{\vec{r}} = \vec{\omega} \times \vec{r}$

\Rightarrow When a rigid body like this spins about \hat{z}' axis, the \hat{z}' -axis precesses about the \hat{z} -axis

* proof of $\frac{d\vec{L}}{dt} = \lambda_3 \dot{\omega} \hat{z}' + \lambda_3 \omega \dot{\hat{z}}'$

$\begin{pmatrix} \dot{\omega}_1 \\ \dot{\omega}_2 \\ \dot{\omega}_3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \lambda_1 \dot{\omega}_1 \\ \lambda_2 \dot{\omega}_2 \\ \lambda_3 \dot{\omega}_3 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} (\lambda_3 - \lambda_2) \omega_1 \\ (\lambda_1 - \lambda_3) \omega_2 \\ (\lambda_2 - \lambda_1) \omega_3 \end{pmatrix}$

$\omega_3 = 0$ because $\vec{\tau} \parallel \hat{z}$ and $\lambda_2 = \lambda_1 \Rightarrow \lambda_2 - \lambda_1 = 0$
 $\Rightarrow \lambda_3 \dot{\omega}_3 = 0 \Rightarrow \dot{\omega}_3 = 0$

$\Rightarrow \frac{d\vec{L}}{dt} = \lambda_3 \dot{\omega} \hat{z}'$

demachen

$$\vec{L} = I \vec{\omega}$$

$$A \times (B + A) = A^d \cdot \vec{B} - A(A \cdot \vec{B})$$

$$\vec{L} = \sum_{\alpha=1}^N m_{\alpha} \vec{r}_{\alpha} \times \vec{\omega}_{\alpha} = \sum_{\alpha=1}^N m_{\alpha} \vec{r}_{\alpha} \times (\vec{\omega} + \vec{r}_{\alpha}) = \sum_{\alpha=1}^N m_{\alpha} (\vec{r}_{\alpha}^2 \vec{\omega} - \vec{r}_{\alpha} (\vec{r}_{\alpha} \cdot \vec{\omega}))$$

$$\begin{cases} x_{\alpha 1} = x_{\alpha} \\ x_{\alpha 2} = y_{\alpha} \\ x_{\alpha 3} = z_{\alpha} \end{cases}$$

$$L_j = \sum_{\alpha} m_{\alpha} (r_{\alpha}^2 \omega_j - (\vec{r}_{\alpha} \cdot \vec{\omega}) r_{\alpha j}) = \sum_{\alpha} m_{\alpha} (\omega_j \sum_{k=1}^3 x_{\alpha k}^2 - x_{\alpha j} \sum_{k=1}^3 x_{\alpha k} \omega_k)$$

$$= \sum_{k=1}^3 \left[\sum_{\alpha} m_{\alpha} \omega_k \left[\delta_{jk} \sum_{j=1}^3 x_{\alpha j}^2 - x_{\alpha j} x_{\alpha k} \right] \right] \omega_k$$

$$\Rightarrow L_i = \sum_{k=1}^3 I_{ik} \omega_k \quad \text{with} \quad I_{ik} = \sum_{\alpha} m_{\alpha} \left[\delta_{ik} \sum_{j=1}^3 x_{\alpha j}^2 - x_{\alpha i} x_{\alpha k} \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{L} = I \vec{\omega}$$

$$\text{e.g. } I_{11} = \sum_{\alpha} m_{\alpha} [x_{\alpha 1}^2 + x_{\alpha 2}^2 + x_{\alpha 3}^2 - x_{\alpha 1}^2] = \sum_{\alpha} m_{\alpha} (x_{\alpha 2}^2 + x_{\alpha 3}^2) \checkmark$$

$$I_{12} = \sum_{\alpha} m_{\alpha} (0 - x_{\alpha 1} x_{\alpha 2}) = - \sum_{\alpha} m_{\alpha} x_{\alpha 1} x_{\alpha 2} \checkmark$$

as found before

rotational energy

rotation, rigid body $\Rightarrow \vec{\omega}$ for all α

$$T_{rot} = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{\alpha=1}^N m_{\alpha} |\vec{v}_{\alpha}|^2 = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{\alpha=1}^N m_{\alpha} (\vec{\omega} \times \vec{r}_{\alpha})^2 = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{\alpha=1}^N m_{\alpha} \omega^T (\vec{r}_{\alpha} \times \vec{r}_{\alpha} \times \vec{\omega})$$

$$T_{rot} = \frac{1}{2} \omega^T I \omega$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i,j} \omega_i I_{ij} \omega_j = \frac{1}{2} \vec{\omega} \cdot I \cdot \vec{\omega}$$

$$= (\omega_1 \ \omega_2 \ \omega_3) \begin{pmatrix} & & \\ & & \\ & & \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \omega_1 \\ \omega_2 \\ \omega_3 \end{pmatrix} = \text{scalar}$$

(for diagonal $I \Rightarrow \omega^T I \omega = I \omega^2$)

$$(\vec{A} + \vec{B})^2 = (\vec{A} \cdot \vec{A} + \vec{B} \cdot \vec{B}) + 2(\vec{A} \cdot \vec{B})$$

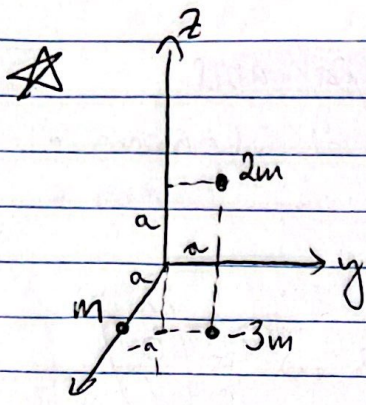
$$= \frac{1}{2} \sum_{\alpha} m_{\alpha} [(\vec{\omega} \cdot \vec{\omega})(\vec{r}_{\alpha} \cdot \vec{r}_{\alpha}) - (\vec{\omega} \cdot \vec{r}_{\alpha})^2] =$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \sum_{\alpha} m_{\alpha} \left[\left(\sum_{j=1}^3 \omega_j^2 \right) \left(\sum_{k=1}^3 x_{\alpha k}^2 \right) - \left(\sum_{i=1}^3 \omega_i x_{\alpha i} \right) \left(\sum_{j=1}^3 \omega_j x_{\alpha j} \right) \right] =$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \sum_{\alpha} m_{\alpha} \sum_{i,j} \omega_i \omega_j \left[\delta_{ij} \sum_{k=1}^3 x_{\alpha k}^2 - x_{\alpha i} x_{\alpha j} \right] =$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i,j} \left[\sum_{\alpha} m_{\alpha} \left[\delta_{ij} \sum_{k=1}^3 x_{\alpha k}^2 - x_{\alpha i} x_{\alpha j} \right] \right] \omega_i \omega_j$$

$$\Rightarrow T_{rot} = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i,j} I_{ij} \omega_i \omega_j$$



$$m : (0,0,a)$$

$$2m : (0,a,a)$$

$$3m : (0,a,-a)$$

rigid body \Rightarrow fixed distances

(?) principal moments (?) principal axes

(1) Compute I wrt given reference frame

$$I_{xx} = \sum m_{\alpha} (y_{\alpha}^2 + z_{\alpha}^2) = m(0+0) + 2m(a^2+a^2) + 3m(a^2+a^2) = 4ma^2 + 6ma^2 = 10ma^2$$

$$I_{yy} = \sum m_{\alpha} (x_{\alpha}^2 + z_{\alpha}^2) = m(a^2) + 2m(0+a^2) + 3ma^2 = 6ma^2$$

$$I_{zz} = \sum m_{\alpha} (x_{\alpha}^2 + y_{\alpha}^2) = ma^2 + 2ma^2 + 3ma^2 = 6ma^2$$

$$I_{xy} = - \sum m_{\alpha} x_{\alpha} y_{\alpha} = -m \cdot 0 - 2m \cdot 0 - 3m \cdot 0 = 0$$

$$I_{xz} = - \sum m_{\alpha} x_{\alpha} z_{\alpha} = 0$$

$$I_{yz} = - \sum m_{\alpha} y_{\alpha} z_{\alpha} = -(0 + 2ma^2 - 3ma^2) = ma^2$$

$$\Rightarrow I = \begin{pmatrix} 10 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 6 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 6 \end{pmatrix} ma^2$$

(2) Diagonalise I Find eigenvalues = principal moments I_{11}, I_{22}, I_{33}

$$0 = \det(I - \lambda I) = \begin{vmatrix} 10-\lambda & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 6-\lambda & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 6-\lambda \end{vmatrix} = (10-\lambda) [(6-\lambda)^2 - 1]$$

$$\Rightarrow 0 = (10-\lambda)(\lambda^2 - 12\lambda + 36 - 1) = (10-\lambda)(\lambda^2 - 12\lambda + 35)$$

$$\Rightarrow 10-\lambda = 0 \Rightarrow \lambda_1 = 10ma^2$$

$$\lambda^2 - 12\lambda ma^2 + 35m^2 a^4 = 0 \Rightarrow \lambda_{2,3} = \frac{12ma^2 \pm \sqrt{144a^4 - 140a^4}}{2} = 6ma^2 \pm ma^2 \sqrt{36-35} = 6ma^2 \pm ma^2$$

$$\lambda_2 = 5ma^2$$

$$\lambda_3 = 7ma^2$$

principal moments

3) Find eigenvectors = principal axes

$$\lambda_1 = 10 \text{ m}^2$$

$$(I - \lambda_1^{-1} \mathbb{1}) \vec{\omega} = 0$$

$$\left[\begin{pmatrix} 10 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 6 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 6 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 10 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 10 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 10 \end{pmatrix} \right] \text{m}^2 \vec{\omega}^{(1)} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -4 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -4 & 0 \end{array} \right) \rightsquigarrow \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -4 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -15 & 0 \end{array} \right) \rightsquigarrow \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -4 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -15 & 0 \end{array} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} \omega_3 = 4\omega_2 \\ \omega_3 = 0 \end{cases} \Rightarrow \omega_2 = 0, \omega_3 = 0$$

$$\omega_1 = 1 \Rightarrow \vec{\omega}^{(1)} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

principal axis 1 = x-axis

$$\lambda_2 = 5 \text{ m}^2$$

$$\left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 5 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \end{array} \right) \Rightarrow \omega_1 = 0$$

$$\omega_2 = -\omega_3 \Rightarrow \vec{\omega}^{(2)} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$\lambda_3 = 7 \text{ m}^2$$

$$\left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 3 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 & 0 \end{array} \right) \Rightarrow \omega_1 = 0$$

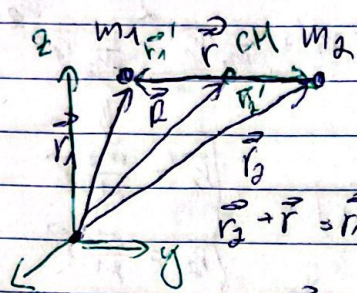
$$\omega_2 = \omega_3 \Rightarrow \vec{\omega}^{(3)} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

\Rightarrow the ~~the~~ principal axes are along $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$
along the 3 masses \leftarrow

Central conservative forces

(Kepler's laws)

- conservative forces
- central forces - only depend on relative position of the masses



$$\vec{F}_{12} = f(|\vec{r}_1 - \vec{r}_2|) \hat{r}_{12} = f(r) \hat{r}$$

$$\vec{r}_2 + \vec{r} = \vec{r}_1 = \vec{R} = \vec{r}_1 - \vec{r}_2$$

x inertial reference frame

$$\vec{R} = \frac{1}{M} (m_1 \vec{r}_1 + m_2 \vec{r}_2), \quad M = m_1 + m_2$$

use (\vec{R}, \vec{r}) instead of (\vec{r}_1, \vec{r}_2)

⇒ simplifies the problem

$$L = T - U = \frac{1}{2} m_1 \dot{\vec{r}}_1^2 + \frac{1}{2} m_2 \dot{\vec{r}}_2^2 - U(r) = L(\vec{r}, \vec{R}, \dot{\vec{r}}, \dot{\vec{R}})$$

$$\vec{r}_1 = f_1(\vec{R}, \vec{r})$$

$$\vec{r}_2 = f_2(\vec{R}, \vec{r})$$

$$\left\{ \begin{aligned} M \dot{\vec{R}} &= m_1 \dot{\vec{r}}_1 + m_2 \dot{\vec{r}}_2 \\ \vec{r} &= \vec{r}_1 - \vec{r}_2 \end{aligned} \right\} \Rightarrow \left\{ \begin{aligned} \dot{\vec{r}}_1 &= \dot{\vec{R}} - \frac{m_1}{M} \dot{\vec{r}} \\ \dot{\vec{r}}_2 &= \dot{\vec{R}} + \frac{m_2}{M} \dot{\vec{r}} \end{aligned} \right.$$

$$\Rightarrow L = \frac{1}{2} M \dot{\vec{R}}^2 + \frac{1}{2} \mu \dot{\vec{r}}^2 + U(r)$$

$$\mu = \frac{m_1 m_2}{m_1 + m_2} = \frac{m_1 m_2}{M}$$

kinetic energy of body of mass M at CM

reduced mass KE

if $m_1 \gg m_2$: $\mu \approx \frac{m_1 m_2}{m_1} = m_2$
 $M \approx m_1 + m_2 \approx m_1$

$\dot{\vec{R}} = \text{const}$ because no "external forces"

= no forces on CM

easy to deal with

⇒ reduced number of "difficult" coordinates

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \vec{r}_1 &- 3 \\ \vec{r}_2 &- 3 \end{aligned} \right\} 6 \text{ coordinates}$$

$$\left\{ \begin{aligned} \vec{R} &- 3 \\ \vec{r} &- 3 \end{aligned} \right\} 6 \text{ simple notion at const. velocity centered}$$

coordinate system attached to \vec{R} is inertial

we can move to a coordinate system at CM

$$L = \frac{1}{2} m_1 \dot{\vec{r}}_1^2 + \frac{1}{2} m_2 \dot{\vec{r}}_2^2 - U(r)$$

→ use it.

again rewrite to \vec{r} and \vec{R} . But now in coordinate system at CM $\Rightarrow \vec{R} = \vec{0} = m_1 \vec{r}_1' + m_2 \vec{r}_2'$

and I have $\vec{r} = \vec{r}_1' - \vec{r}_2' = \vec{r}_1' + \frac{m_2}{m_2} \vec{r}_1' = \frac{\mu}{m_2} \vec{r}_1'$ $\hookrightarrow \vec{r}_2' = -\frac{m_1}{m_2} \vec{r}_1'$

$$\Rightarrow L = \frac{1}{2} m_1 \dot{\vec{r}}_1'^2 + \frac{1}{2} m_2 \dot{\vec{r}}_2'^2 - U(r)$$

$$L = \frac{1}{2} m_1 \frac{m_2^2}{M^2} \dot{\vec{r}}^2 + \frac{1}{2} m_2 \frac{m_1^2}{M^2} \dot{\vec{r}}^2 - U(r)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \frac{m_1 m_2}{M} \frac{m_2}{M} \dot{\vec{r}}^2 + \frac{1}{2} \frac{m_2 m_1}{M} \frac{m_1}{M} \dot{\vec{r}}^2 - U(r)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \frac{m_2}{M} \mu \dot{\vec{r}}^2 = \frac{1}{2} \mu \frac{m_1}{M} \dot{\vec{r}}^2 - U(r)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \mu \dot{\vec{r}}^2 - \frac{m_2 + m_1}{M} U(r)$$

$$\Rightarrow L = \frac{1}{2} \mu \dot{\vec{r}}^2 - U(r)$$

* If $m_1 \gg m_2$ then $\mu \approx m_2$, $M \approx m_1$, $\vec{R} \approx \vec{r}_1$ \Rightarrow 1 body problem

Conserved quantities

momentum: $\vec{P} = \vec{0}$ because $\vec{F}_{ext} = \vec{0}$
total momentum
 $\vec{P} = M \dot{\vec{R}}$ U indep. of \vec{R}

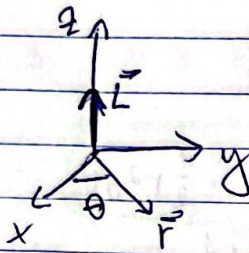
angular momentum: $\vec{L} = \vec{r} \times \vec{p} = \vec{0}$ because

energy: $E = H$ $\frac{dU}{dt} = 0$
 \hookrightarrow time-indep. L and q total angular momentum the system is isolated
(internal forces cancel out by Newton's 3rd law)

$\hookrightarrow \vec{L} \cdot \vec{r} = (\vec{r} \times \vec{p}) \cdot \vec{r} = 0$
 because $\vec{r} \times \vec{p} \perp \vec{r}$

$\hookrightarrow \vec{L} = \text{const.}$ and $\vec{r} \perp \vec{L} \Rightarrow \vec{r} \perp$ constant vector
 $\Rightarrow \vec{r}$ is in a const. plane $\perp \vec{L}$
 \Rightarrow motion in plane ∇

→ use polar / cylindrical coordinates



$$\vec{r} = (r \cos \theta, r \sin \theta, 0)$$

$$\vec{L} \parallel \hat{z}$$

angular momentum

$$\begin{aligned} \dot{\vec{r}}^2 &= \dot{x}^2 + \dot{y}^2 = (\dot{r} \cos \theta - r \sin \theta \dot{\theta})^2 + (\dot{r} \sin \theta + r \cos \theta \dot{\theta})^2 = \\ &= \dot{r}^2 + r^2 \dot{\theta}^2 - 2r\dot{\theta} \cos \theta \sin \theta + 2r\dot{\theta} \sin \theta \cos \theta = \\ &= \dot{r}^2 + r^2 \dot{\theta}^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \mathcal{L}_{\text{CM}} = \frac{1}{2} \mu (\dot{r}^2 + r^2 \dot{\theta}^2) - U(r)$$

Lagrangian in CM frame - only 2 degrees of freedom!

$$\frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \theta} - \frac{d}{dt} \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \dot{\theta}} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \dot{\theta}} = \text{const.} = p_{\theta}$$

$$\Rightarrow p_{\theta} = \mu r^2 \dot{\theta} = \text{constant} \equiv l$$

$$\frac{d}{dt} (\mu r^2 \dot{\theta}) =$$

$$= \mu (2\dot{r}\dot{\theta} + r\ddot{\theta}) = 0 \quad \text{angular momentum about CM}$$

$$a_{\theta} \Rightarrow a_{\theta} = 0 \Rightarrow F_{\theta} = 0$$

→ also conserved

$$l = \vec{L} = \mu \vec{r} \times \dot{\vec{r}} = \mu \begin{pmatrix} \hat{x} & \hat{y} & \hat{z} \\ r \cos \theta & r \sin \theta & 0 \\ \dot{x} & \dot{y} & 0 \end{pmatrix} = 0 \hat{x} + 0 \hat{y} + \mu (r \dot{y} \cos \theta - \dot{x} r \sin \theta) \hat{z}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \mu r \cos \theta (\dot{r} \sin \theta + r \dot{\theta} \cos \theta) - \mu r \sin \theta (\dot{r} \cos \theta - r \dot{\theta} \sin \theta) \hat{z} \\ &= \mu (r \dot{\theta} \cos^2 \theta + r^2 \dot{\theta} \sin \theta \cos \theta - r \dot{\theta} \sin^2 \theta + r^2 \dot{\theta} \sin \theta \cos \theta) \hat{z} \\ &= \mu (r \dot{\theta} \cos 2\theta + r^2 \dot{\theta} \sin 2\theta) \hat{z} \\ &= \mu r^2 \dot{\theta} \hat{z} \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial r} - \frac{d}{dt} \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \dot{r}} = 0$$

$$\mu r \dot{\theta}^2 - U'(r) - \mu \ddot{r} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \mu \ddot{r} - \mu r \dot{\theta}^2 + U'(r) = 0$$

in general

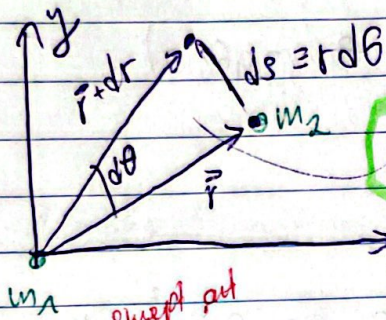
$$\vec{r} = r \hat{r} \Rightarrow \vec{a} \equiv \ddot{\vec{r}} = (\ddot{r} - r \dot{\theta}^2) \hat{r} + (r \ddot{\theta} + 2\dot{r} \dot{\theta}) \hat{\theta}$$

$$a_{\theta} = 0 \Rightarrow a = a_r$$

$$\Rightarrow -\frac{dU}{dr} = \mu (\ddot{r} - r \dot{\theta}^2) = \mu a$$

Newton's law (2nd)

Kepler's 2nd law



$$dA = \frac{1}{2} r (r d\theta) = \frac{1}{2} r^2 d\theta$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dA}{dt} = \frac{1}{2} r^2 \frac{d\theta}{dt} = \frac{1}{2} r^2 \dot{\theta}$$

$$\Leftarrow \frac{dA}{dt} = \frac{l}{2\mu} = \text{const.}$$

area covered by \vec{r} vector
in a given time is const.
always

Equations for orbit $r = r(\theta)$

$$\mu \ddot{r} = -\frac{dU}{dr} + \underbrace{\mu r \dot{\theta}^2}_{\text{angular momentum}} = \frac{l^2}{\mu r^3}$$

$$\Rightarrow \mu \ddot{r} = -\frac{dU}{dr} + \frac{l^2}{\mu r^3} = -\frac{dU}{dr} - \frac{d}{dr} \left(\frac{l^2}{2\mu r^2} \right)$$

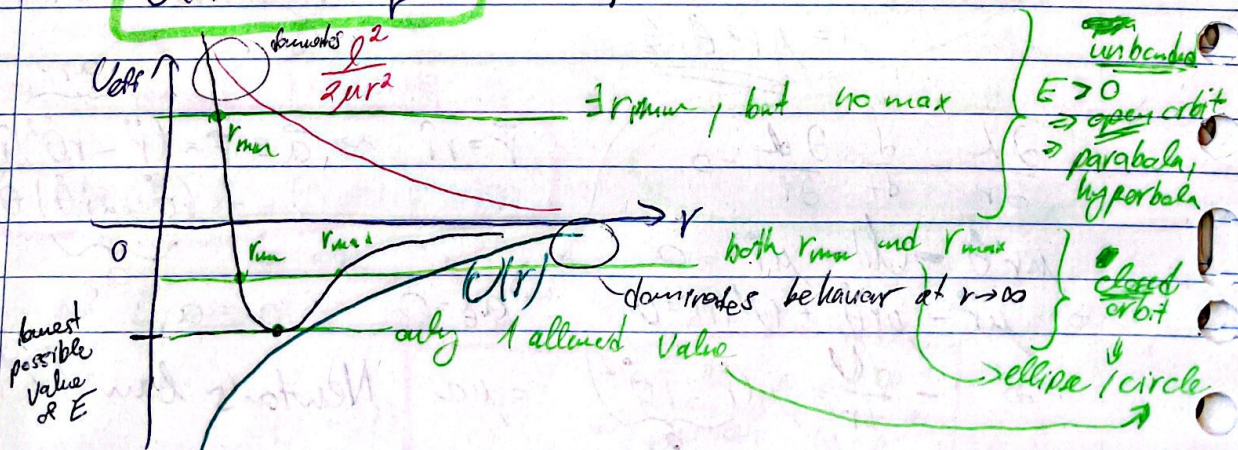
$$\Rightarrow \mu \ddot{r} = -\frac{d}{dr} \left(U + \frac{l^2}{2\mu r^2} \right) = -\frac{d}{dr} U_{\text{eff}}(r)$$

U_{eff} = effective potential

$$\mu \ddot{r} = -\frac{d}{dr} U_{\text{eff}}(r)$$

Consider gravitational potential (force) $\propto \frac{1}{r}$

$$U(r) = -\frac{Gm_1 m_2}{r} = -\frac{k}{r}$$



② Types of orbits based on energy

$$\begin{aligned} \rightarrow E &= \frac{\mu}{2} (\dot{r}^2 + r^2 \dot{\theta}^2) + U(r) = \frac{\mu}{2} \dot{r}^2 + \frac{\mu}{2} r^2 \left(\frac{l}{\mu r^2} \right)^2 + U(r) = \\ &= \underbrace{\frac{\mu}{2} \dot{r}^2}_{KE} + \frac{l^2}{2\mu r^2} + U(r) = \left[\frac{\mu}{2} \dot{r}^2 + U_{\text{eff}} \right] \geq U_{\text{eff}} \geq 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\rightarrow \frac{dl}{dt} = \frac{dl}{d\theta} \frac{d\theta}{dt} = 0 \frac{dl}{d\theta} = \frac{l}{\mu r^2} \frac{d}{d\theta}$$

$$\Rightarrow \dot{r} = \frac{l}{\mu r^2} \frac{dr}{d\theta}$$

Let $u = \frac{1}{r}$

$$\Rightarrow \ddot{r} = \frac{d}{dt} \frac{l}{\mu r^2} \frac{dr}{d\theta} = \left(\frac{d}{d\theta} \frac{dr}{dt} \right) \frac{l}{\mu r^2} - \frac{dr}{d\theta} \frac{d}{dt} \frac{l}{\mu r^2} =$$

$$= \frac{d}{d\theta} \left(\frac{l}{\mu r^2} \frac{dr}{d\theta} \right) \frac{l}{\mu r^2} - \frac{dr}{d\theta} \frac{l}{\mu} 2u \dot{u}$$

$$\Rightarrow r(\theta) = \frac{C}{1 + E \cos \theta}$$

$$C = \frac{l^2}{\mu(GM_{\text{sun}})} r$$

$E = \text{const.} \cdot C$

↳ eccentricity

$E \geq 1$, unbounded orbits

$E = 1, E = 0 \Rightarrow$ parabola

$E > 1, E > 0 \Rightarrow$ hyperbola

$E < 1$, bounded orbits

$$1 + (\cos \theta) \cdot E \begin{cases} \text{max} : 1 + E \Rightarrow r_{\text{min}} = \frac{C}{1+E} \\ \text{min} : 1 - E \Rightarrow r_{\text{max}} = \frac{C}{1-E} \end{cases}$$

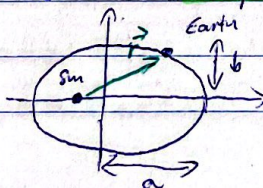
(if $E = 0 \Rightarrow r_{\text{max}} = r_{\text{min}} = r \Rightarrow$ circle, $E = E_{\text{min}}$)

$0 < E < 1, E_{\text{min}} < E < 0 \Rightarrow$ ellipse

$$a = \frac{C}{1-E^2}$$

$$b = \frac{C}{\sqrt{1-E^2}}$$

$$E = \sqrt{1 - \left(\frac{b}{a}\right)^2}$$



Kepler's 3rd law

$$r = G m_1 m_2$$

$$c = \frac{l^2}{\mu k}$$

$$a = \frac{c}{1 - \epsilon^2}$$

$$b = a \sqrt{1 - \epsilon^2}$$

$$\frac{dA}{dt} = \frac{l}{2\mu} \Rightarrow dt = \frac{2\mu}{l} dA$$

For ellipse $A = \pi ab$

$$T = \int_0^{2\pi} dt = \int \frac{2\mu}{l} dA = \frac{2\mu}{l} \int dA = \frac{2\mu}{l} \pi ab$$

$$\Rightarrow a^3 = \frac{4\pi^2}{G} \frac{a^3}{M} \quad \text{Kepler's 3rd law}$$

$$\hookrightarrow M = m_1 + m_2$$

(?) $E(\epsilon) = ?$

$$E = \frac{1}{2} \mu v^2 + V_{\text{eff}}(r)$$

const $\rightarrow \dot{r} = 0 \Leftrightarrow E = V_{\text{eff}}(r_{\text{min}}) = -\frac{F}{r_{\text{min}}} + \frac{l^2}{2\mu r_{\text{min}}^2}$

$$\begin{cases} r_{\text{min}} = \frac{c}{1 + \epsilon} \\ c = \frac{l^2}{\mu k} \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow E = \frac{\mu^2 k^2}{2l^2} (\epsilon^2 - 1)$$

$$\Rightarrow E = \frac{\mu^2 k^2}{2l^2} (\epsilon^2 - 1)$$

$$\begin{cases} \epsilon = 1 \rightarrow E = 0 \\ \epsilon > 1 \rightarrow E > 0 \\ \epsilon < 1 \rightarrow E < 0 \end{cases}$$

eccentricity	energy	orbit
$\epsilon > 1$	$E > 0$	hyperbola
$\epsilon = 1$	$E = 0$	parabola
$0 < \epsilon < 1$	$E < 0$	ellipse
$\epsilon = 0$	$E < 0$	circle

Special Relativity

Axioms:

- (1.) The laws of physics are the same in all inertial reference frames } Galilean principle of relativity
- (2.) velocity of light in vacuum is the same in all inertial reference frames

To do

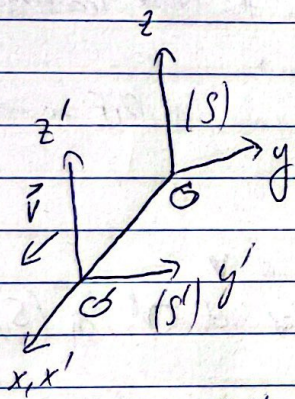
Galilean \rightarrow Lorentz transformation

Failure of Galilean transformation in electromagnetism

Maxwell's equations : $\nabla^2 \vec{E} = \mu_0 \epsilon_0 \frac{\partial^2 \vec{E}}{\partial t^2}$
 $\nabla^2 \vec{B} = \mu_0 \epsilon_0 \frac{\partial^2 \vec{B}}{\partial t^2}$
 $\frac{1}{c^2}$

\hookrightarrow for each component - wave eq.

$$\frac{\partial^2 \psi}{\partial x^2} = \frac{1}{c^2} \frac{\partial^2 \psi}{\partial t^2} \quad \text{in } (S) \quad \text{solution: } \psi = \psi_0 e^{i(kx - \omega t)}$$



$$\begin{cases} x' = x - vt \\ t' = t \\ y' = y \\ z' = z \end{cases}$$

move this to primed frame

$$\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial x'} \frac{\partial x'}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t'} \frac{\partial t'}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial x'} \Rightarrow \frac{\partial^2 \psi}{\partial x^2} = \frac{\partial^2 \psi}{\partial x'^2}$$

$$\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} = \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial x'} \frac{\partial x'}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t'} \frac{\partial t'}{\partial t} = -v \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial x'} + \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t'}$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 \psi}{\partial t^2} = \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t'} - v \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial x'} \right) = \frac{\partial}{\partial t'} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t'} - v \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial x'} \right)$$

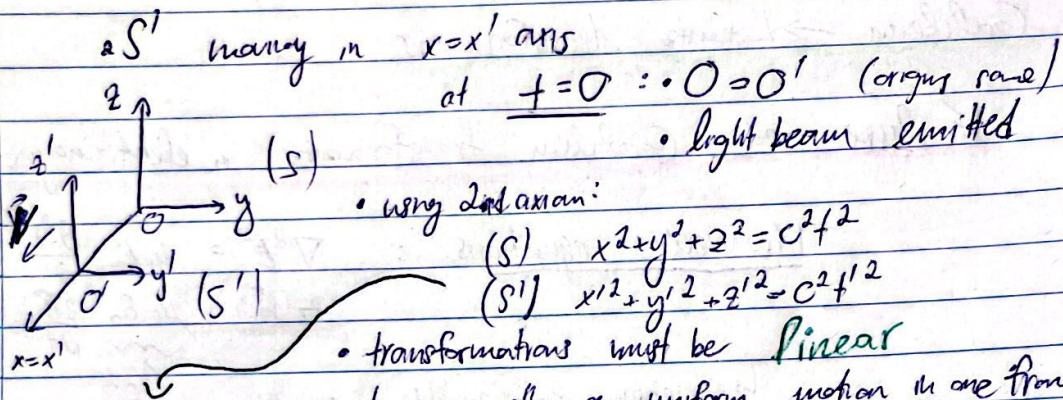
$$-v \frac{\partial}{\partial x'} \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t'} - v \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial x'} \right) =$$

$$= \frac{\partial^2 \psi}{\partial t'^2} - 2v \frac{\partial^2 \psi}{\partial t' \partial x'} + v^2 \frac{\partial^2 \psi}{\partial x'^2}$$

\Rightarrow wave eq.: $\frac{\partial^2 \psi}{\partial x'^2} = \frac{1}{c^2} \frac{\partial^2 \psi}{\partial t'^2} - \frac{2v}{c^2} \frac{\partial^2 \psi}{\partial t' \partial x'} + \frac{v^2}{c^2} \frac{\partial^2 \psi}{\partial x'^2}$ in (S')

What if solved by wave eq. sol? with different speed
 $\psi = \psi_0 e^{ik(x' - vt')}$, $v' = c \rightarrow v$
 \Rightarrow but then speed of light isn't the same
 in all frames !!

Lorentz transformations for contravariant vectors x^μ



$y^2 + z^2 = y'^2 + z'^2$
 $\Rightarrow x^2 - c^2 t^2 = x'^2 - c^2 t'^2$
 $x^2 - c^2 t^2 = (Ax + Bt)^2 - c^2(Dx + Ft)^2$
 $x^2 - c^2 t^2 = A^2 x^2 + 2ABxt + B^2 t^2 - c^2 D^2 x^2 - 2c^2 Dxt - c^2 F^2 t^2$

$\begin{cases} x' = Ax + Bt \\ t' = Dx + Ft \\ y' = y \\ z' = z \end{cases}$, $A, B, D, F = \text{const.}$

• velocity of O' as seen by O is v .
 $0 = Ax + Bt$ - coordinates of O' in (S)
 $Ax = -Bt$

$\frac{dx}{dt} = \frac{x}{t} = \frac{B}{-A} = v$ - velocity of O' in (S)

• velocity of O as seen by O' is $-v$
 $\begin{cases} x' = 0 + Bt \\ t' = 0 + Ft \end{cases}$ - coordinates of O as viewed from (S')

$\Rightarrow \frac{x'}{t'} = \frac{B}{F} = -v$ - velocity of O in (S')

$\Rightarrow \frac{B}{A} = \frac{B}{F} \Rightarrow A = F$

\rightarrow polynomials in x, t need to be equal at all x, t
 $\Rightarrow x^2 = A^2 x^2 - c^2 D^2 x^2 \Rightarrow A^2 - c^2 D^2 = 1$
 $0 = 2ABxt - 2c^2 Dxt \Rightarrow AB = c^2 DA \Rightarrow B = c^2 D$
 $-c^2 t^2 = B^2 t^2 - c^2 A^2 t^2 \Rightarrow B^2 = c^2(A^2 - 1)$ } solve

$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} A = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 - \frac{v^2}{c^2}}} = \gamma \\ B = \frac{-v}{\sqrt{1 - \frac{v^2}{c^2}}} = -v\gamma \\ D = \frac{-v/c^2}{\sqrt{1 - \frac{v^2}{c^2}}} = -\frac{v}{c^2}\gamma \end{cases}$$

Non-relativistic: $\gamma \approx 1$

$$\gamma = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 - \left(\frac{v}{c}\right)^2}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 - \beta^2}}$$

$$\beta = \frac{v}{c}$$

$$\Rightarrow x' = \gamma x - v\gamma t = \gamma(x - vt) = \gamma(x - \beta ct)$$

$$y' = y$$

$$z' = z$$

$$t' = \gamma t - \frac{v}{c^2}\gamma x \rightsquigarrow ct' = \gamma(ct - \beta x)$$

coordinates: $(x_0, x_1, x_2, x_3) = (ct, x, y, z)$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} x_0' \\ x_1' \\ x_2' \\ x_3' \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \gamma & -\gamma\beta & 0 & 0 \\ -\gamma\beta & \gamma & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_0 \\ x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} x_0' &= ct' = \gamma(ct - \beta x) \\ x_1' &= x' = \gamma(x - \beta ct) \end{aligned}$$

can be generalised for β along any direction

Four vectors

$$x^\mu = (ct, \vec{r}) \quad \begin{matrix} \text{contravariant} \\ \text{covariant} \end{matrix} \quad \begin{aligned} x^\mu &= (x^0, x^1, x^2, x^3) \\ x_\mu &= (x^0, -x^1, -x^2, -x^3) \end{aligned}$$

Euclidean space

$$\vec{x} \cdot \vec{x} = x_1^2 + x_2^2 + x_3^2$$

vs. Minkowski spacetime

$$\begin{aligned} x^\mu x_\mu &= (x^0)^2 - (x^1)^2 - (x^2)^2 - (x^3)^2 \\ &= x^0 x_0 + x^1 x_1 + x^2 x_2 + x^3 x_3 \\ &= x^0 x^0 - x^1 x^1 - x^2 x^2 - x^3 x^3 \end{aligned}$$

distance:

$$\Delta \vec{x} \cdot \Delta \vec{x} > 0$$

between (ct, \vec{r}) and (ct', \vec{r}')
 $\Rightarrow \Delta t = t - t', \quad \Delta \vec{x} = \vec{x} - \vec{x}'$

$$\Rightarrow (c\Delta t)^2 = (c\Delta t')^2 - \Delta \vec{x} \cdot \Delta \vec{x}$$

causally disconnected sets \leftarrow
 > 0 - communication
 $= 0$ - via light
 < 0 - not possible

$$\eta_{\mu\nu} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \eta^{\mu\nu} = \eta_{\mu\nu}^{-1}$$

"metric" tensor
to go between covariant and contravariant

$X^\mu = (ct, \vec{x})$ contravariant vector
 $X_\mu = (ct, -\vec{x})$ covariant vector
 (raising/lowering holds for all vectors)

$$X_\mu = \sum_{\nu=0}^3 \eta_{\mu\nu} X^\nu \rightarrow \begin{cases} \mu=0: \sum_{\nu} \eta_{0\nu} X^\nu = \eta_{00} X^0 = ct = X^0 \\ \mu=1: \sum_{\nu} \eta_{1\nu} X^\nu = -X^1 = X_1 \\ \mu=2: \sum_{\nu} \eta_{2\nu} X^\nu = -X^2 = X_2 \\ \mu=3: \sum_{\nu} \eta_{3\nu} X^\nu = -X^3 = X_3 \end{cases}$$

scalar product $\vec{x} \cdot \vec{x}$

$$\Rightarrow X^\mu X_\mu = (\eta_{\mu\nu} X^\nu) X^\mu = (X^0)^2 - (X^1)^2 - (X^2)^2 - (X^3)^2$$

invariant

$$\Lambda_\nu^\mu = \begin{pmatrix} \gamma & & & \\ -\gamma\beta_1 & & & \\ -\gamma\beta_2 & & & \\ -\gamma\beta_3 & & & \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{with } \beta_i = \frac{v_i}{c}$$

Lorentz transformation matrix
(not a tensor because doesn't transform like a tensor)

$$X^\mu = \Lambda_\nu^\mu X^\nu$$

$$\frac{\partial X^\mu}{\partial x^\nu} = \Lambda_\nu^\mu$$

we can view entries of the Λ_ν^μ matrix as derivatives of X^μ wrt x^ν , i.e.

$$\frac{\partial x^\mu}{\partial x^\alpha} = \Lambda_\alpha^\mu$$

Vectors

$T^\mu(x)$ = contravariant vector - transforms like coordinates
 $\Rightarrow T^\mu(x) \xrightarrow{x \rightarrow x'} T'^\mu(x') = \frac{\partial (x')^\mu}{\partial x^\alpha} T^\alpha(x)$

Covariant vector - transforms like the gradient wrt x^μ

$$\star \frac{\partial}{\partial x^\mu} = \partial_\mu = \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x^0}, \frac{\partial}{\partial x^1}, \frac{\partial}{\partial x^2}, \frac{\partial}{\partial x^3} \right) \frac{\partial x^\alpha}{\partial (x')^\mu}$$

\hookrightarrow transforms with the inverse of contravariant

scalar function: $f(x)$

$$\frac{\partial f(x)}{\partial x^\mu} \rightarrow \frac{\partial f(x')}{\partial x'^\mu} = \frac{\partial x^\alpha \partial f(x)}{\partial x'^\mu \partial x^\alpha} \frac{\partial x^\alpha}{\partial x'^\mu}$$

can compare: $\frac{\partial}{\partial x^\mu} = \frac{\partial x^\alpha}{\partial x'^\mu} \frac{\partial}{\partial x^\alpha}$

index up
 $\partial^\alpha = \frac{\partial}{\partial x_\alpha}$
 Contravariant

$$\partial^\alpha = \frac{\partial}{\partial x_\alpha}$$

$$\partial_\alpha = \frac{\partial}{\partial x^\alpha}$$

$$= \eta^{\alpha\beta} \frac{\partial}{\partial x^\beta}$$

$$= \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x^0}, -\frac{\partial}{\partial x^1}, -\frac{\partial}{\partial x^2}, -\frac{\partial}{\partial x^3} \right)$$

$$= \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x_0}, \frac{\partial}{\partial x_1}, \frac{\partial}{\partial x_2}, \frac{\partial}{\partial x_3} \right)$$

$$\partial^\alpha = \frac{\partial}{\partial x_\alpha} = \sum_{\beta=0}^3 \eta^{\alpha\beta} \frac{\partial}{\partial x^\beta} = \begin{cases} \alpha=0: \frac{\partial}{\partial x^0} = \frac{\partial}{\partial x_0} \\ \alpha=1: -\frac{\partial}{\partial x^1} = \frac{\partial}{\partial x_1} \end{cases}$$

TENSORS

$T^{\mu\nu}$

Lorentz Tensor: $\mu=0, \dots, 3$
 $\nu=0, \dots, 3$

$$T^{\mu\nu}(x) \xrightarrow{x \rightarrow x'} T'^{\mu\nu}(x') = \sum_{\alpha, \beta=0}^3 \underbrace{\left(\frac{\partial x'^{\mu}}{\partial x^\alpha} \right)}_{\Lambda^\mu_\alpha} \underbrace{\left(\frac{\partial x'^{\nu}}{\partial x^\beta} \right)}_{\Lambda^\nu_\beta} T^{\alpha\beta}(x)$$

both indices transform like $\Lambda^\mu_\alpha \Lambda^\nu_\beta$
 contravariant vectors (coordinates)
 \rightarrow by $\frac{\partial x'^{\mu}}{\partial x^\alpha} = \Lambda^\mu_\alpha$

From 2 vectors we can get a Lorentz invariant quantity.

$$\sum_{\alpha=0}^3 A^\alpha B_\alpha \longrightarrow A'^\alpha(x') B'_\alpha(x') = \frac{\partial x'^{\mu}}{\partial x^\alpha} A^\mu(x) \frac{\partial x'^{\nu}}{\partial x^\beta} B_\nu(x)$$

$$= \frac{\partial x'^{\mu}}{\partial x^\alpha} \frac{\partial x'^{\nu}}{\partial x^\beta} A^\mu(x) B_\nu(x) = A^\mu(x) B_\mu(x) = A^\mu(x) B_\mu(x)$$

$$\sum_{\alpha=0}^3 \Lambda^{\mu\alpha} \Lambda^{\nu\alpha} = (\Lambda \Lambda^{-1})^{\mu\nu} = \mathbb{1}^{\mu\nu} = \delta^{\mu\nu}$$

A B

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 2 & 4 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 5 & 6 \\ 7 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$\{ \Lambda^\mu_\alpha \mu=\nu$
 $0 \text{ if } \mu \neq \nu$

$$\sum_{\alpha=0}^3 A^\alpha B_\alpha = 1 \cdot 6 + 3 \cdot 0 = (AB)_1^2$$

Alembert operator (wave eq.)

\sim Lorentz invariant because no indices left over after summation

$$\square = \sum_{\alpha} \partial^\alpha \partial_\alpha = \sum_{\alpha, \beta} \eta^{\alpha\beta} \partial_\alpha \partial_\beta = \partial_0^2 - \sum_i \partial_i^2 = \partial_+^2 - \nabla^2$$

Free particle ($U=0$)

Newtonian: $L = \frac{1}{2} m \dot{x}^2 - U = \frac{1}{2} m \dot{x}^2$

action $S = \int \frac{1}{2} m \dot{x}^2 dt$

Minkowski (SR): time is no longer invariant (will be transformed) \leadsto need new quantity

"proper time" τ = time measured by a comoving observer

$$ds^2 = c^2 dt^2 - d\vec{x}^2$$

$\underbrace{\hspace{10em}}_{=0}$ is the rest frame

(for comoving observers)

$d\tau^2 = dt_{rest}^2$

invariant because $d\tau = \frac{ds}{c}$

\hookrightarrow we want to define action using invariant quantities because we want laws of physics to be the same in all reference frames

$$cd\tau = ds = \sqrt{dt^2 c^2 - d\vec{x}^2} = c dt \sqrt{1 - \frac{d\vec{x}^2}{dt^2 c^2}} = c dt \sqrt{1 - \frac{v^2}{c^2}}$$

Consider $S = -k \int cd\tau = -k \int c \sqrt{1 - \frac{v^2}{c^2}} dt$

Non-relativistic limit

$$\frac{v \ll c}{-kc \sqrt{1 - \frac{v^2}{c^2}} \approx (-kc) + k \frac{v^2}{2c} \Rightarrow mc \frac{v^2}{2} = \frac{1}{2} mv^2}$$

around $\frac{v}{c} = 0$ integrate const. $k = mc$

$$\Rightarrow S = -mc^2 \int \sqrt{1 - \frac{v^2}{c^2}} dt = \int L dt$$

$$\Rightarrow L = -mc^2 \sqrt{1 - \frac{v^2}{c^2}} = -\frac{mc^2}{\gamma}$$

Relativistic Kinematics - 4velocity, 4momentum

$$\vec{p} \equiv \frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{\vec{x}}} = \cancel{m\dot{\vec{x}}} - mc^2 \cdot \frac{\left(\frac{2v^2}{c^2}\right)}{2\sqrt{1-\frac{v^2}{c^2}}} = \dot{\vec{x}} \gamma = \gamma m \vec{v} \underset{v \ll c}{\approx} m \vec{v}$$

$$H \equiv \dot{\vec{x}} \frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{\vec{x}}} - L = \dot{\vec{x}} \gamma m \dot{\vec{x}} - (-mc^2) = m \left(\gamma^2 \dot{\vec{x}}^2 + \frac{c^2}{\gamma} \right) = \gamma m v^2 + \frac{mc^2}{\gamma} = \gamma mc^2 = E$$

↳ non-relativistic limit: $H = E \approx mc^2 + \frac{mv^2}{2} + \dots$

rest energy KE

↳ 4momentum:

$$P^\mu = \left(\frac{E}{c}, \vec{p} \right)$$

↳ 4vector, contravariant