

Physics Lecture

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1 Introduction

1.1 How to pass

There will be a remote exam, more info nearing the end of the semester.

1.2 Curriculum

1. Kinematics
2. Dynamics
3. Quantum

2 Some math

$$f'(t) = \frac{df(t)}{dt} = \lim_{\Delta t \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(t+\Delta t) - f(t)}{\Delta t}$$

Velocity is a derivative of the position vector.

Acceleration is a derivative of the velocity vector as well as the second derivative of the position vector.

3 Vector Operations

1. Dot product / Scalar product
$$A \cdot B = |A||B|\cos(\alpha)$$
$$A \cdot B = a_x * b_x + a_y * b_y + a_z * b_z$$
$$A \cdot A = |A||B|\cos(0) = |A|^2$$
2. Vector Scaling
$$kA = (kx_a, ky_a, kz_a)$$

4 Kinematics

4.1 Cartesian reference frame

$$f'(x) = \frac{df(x)}{dx} = \lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+\Delta x) - f(x)}{\Delta x}$$

- Position Vector $\vec{r}(x^{(t)}, y^{(t)}, z^{(t)})$
- Velocity Vector $\vec{v} = \frac{d\vec{r}}{dt}$
$$|\vec{v}| = \sqrt{\dot{x}^2 + \dot{y}^2 + \dot{z}^2}$$

- Acceleration Vector $\vec{a} = \frac{d\vec{v}}{dt} = \frac{d}{dt}\left(\frac{d\vec{r}}{dt}\right) = \frac{d^2}{dt^2} = \ddot{\vec{r}} = \dot{\vec{v}}$
 $|\vec{a}| = \sqrt{\ddot{x}^2 + \ddot{y}^2 + \ddot{z}^2}$

4.1.1 circular motion

$$\vec{r} = x\hat{n}_x + y\hat{n}_y$$

$$\vec{v} = \dot{x}\hat{n}_x + \dot{y}\hat{n}_y$$

4.2 Cylindrical Reference Frame

Helps to simplify motions like circular, spiral in 2d or 3d etc. Coordinates in the rf:

- z = height
- ρ magnitude of the radius
- ϕ projection angle of the radius

4.3 Normal Reference Frame

5 Dynamics

Concerns the cause of motion Physical laws of dynamics(Newtonian Dynamics)

5.1 3 Newton Laws

1. If there is no force acting on an object, the object stays at rest or moves with a constant velocity
2. In a inertial R-F: $\vec{F} = m\vec{a}$
3. When one body exerts a force on a second body, the second body simultaneously exerts a force equal in magnitude and opposite in direction on the first body.

5.2 4 Fundamental Forces of Nature

1. Gravity $\vec{F}_g = -G \frac{Mm}{r^2}$; $G \approx 6.67 * 10^{-11} [N \frac{m^2}{kg^2}]$
2. Electromagnetic $\vec{F}_c = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{Qq}{r^2}$
3. Weak
4. Strong