

Ejercicios Mecánica Clásica

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Punto 1

1. Calcule la trayectoria que da la distancia más corta entre dos puntos sobre la superficie de un cono invertido, con ángulo de vértice α . Use coordenadas cilíndricas.

Tenemos como ligadura a $z = r \cot \alpha$.

Por lo tanto, $q_1 = \theta$, $q_2 = r$

• Hallando la métrica:

$$ds^2 = dx^2 + dy^2 + dz^2 \text{ (cartesianas)}$$

$$ds^2 = dr^2 + r^2 d\theta^2 + dz^2 \text{ (cilíndricas)}$$

$$\frac{dz}{dr} = \cot \alpha \Rightarrow dz = \cot \alpha dr \Rightarrow dz^2 = \cot^2 \alpha dr^2$$

• Reemplazando:

$$ds^2 = dr^2 + r^2 d\theta^2 + \cot^2 \alpha dr^2$$

$$ds^2 = (1 + \cot^2 \alpha) dr^2 + d\theta^2$$

$$ds^2 = \csc^2 \alpha dr^2 + d\theta^2$$

$$I = \int_a^b ds = \int_a^b \sqrt{\csc^2 \alpha dr^2 + r^2 d\theta^2} \\ = \int_a^b \sqrt{\csc^2 \alpha + r^2 \left(\frac{d\theta}{dr}\right)^2} dr$$

$$\Rightarrow f(\theta, \dot{\theta}, r) = \sqrt{\csc^2 \alpha + r^2 \dot{\theta}^2}$$

• Por la ecuación de Euler:

$$\frac{d}{dr} \left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial \dot{\theta}} \right) - \frac{\partial f}{\partial \theta} = 0 ; \quad \frac{\partial f}{\partial \theta} = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial \theta} = \frac{r^2 \dot{\theta}}{-\sqrt{r^2 \dot{\theta}^2 + \csc^2 \alpha}} = h \sim \text{cte}$$

$$\left(\frac{r^2 \dot{\theta}}{-\sqrt{r^2 \dot{\theta}^2 + \csc^2 \alpha}} \right)^2 = h^2$$

$$\frac{r^4 \dot{\theta}^2}{r^2 \dot{\theta}^2 + \csc^2 \alpha} = h^2$$

$$r^4 \dot{\theta}^2 = h^2 r^2 \dot{\theta}^2 + \csc^2 \alpha$$

$$\dot{\theta}^2 = \frac{h^2 \csc^2 \alpha}{r^2(r^2 - h^2)}$$

$$\dot{\theta} = \frac{d\theta}{dr} = \frac{h \csc^2 \alpha}{r \sqrt{r^2 - h^2}}$$

$$\theta = h \csc \alpha \int \frac{dr}{r \sqrt{r^2 - h^2}} = h \csc \alpha \left(\frac{\ln(r^2 - h^2) - \ln x^2}{2h^2} + K \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \theta = \frac{\ln(r^2 - h^2) - \ln x^2}{2h} \csc \alpha + K$$

2. Calcule el valor mínimo de la integral

$$I = \int_0^1 [(y')^2 + 12xy] dx$$

donde la función $y(x)$ satisface $y(0) = 0$ y $y(1) = 1$.

$$I = \int_0^1 [(y')^2 + 12xy] dx \quad \begin{array}{l} y(0) = 0 \\ y(1) = 1 \end{array}$$

$$\text{funcional} \rightarrow f(y', y, x) = (y')^2 + 12xy$$

• Aplicamos la ecuación Euler: $\frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial y'} \right) - \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = 0$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = \frac{\partial}{\partial y} ((y')^2 + 12xy) \quad \frac{\partial f}{\partial y'} = \frac{\partial}{\partial y'} ((y')^2 + 12xy)$$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = 12x$$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial y'} = 2y'$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} (2y') - 12x = 0$$

$$2y'' - 12x = 0$$

$$2y'' = 12x$$

$$y'' = 6x$$

• Integraremos ambos lados:

$$y' = 3x^2 + C_1$$

• Volvemos a integrar:

$$y = x^3 + C_1x + C_2$$

• Con las condiciones iniciales encontramos el valor de las constantes:

$$y(0) = 0 \quad y(0) = (0)^3 + C_1(0) + C_2 \quad \cancel{C_1(0)} \quad \cancel{C_2}$$

$$y(0) = C_2 \implies C_2 = 0$$

$$y(1) = 1 \quad y(1) = (1)^3 + C_1(1)$$

$$y(1) = 1 + C_1 = 1$$

$$1 + C_1 = 1 \implies C_1 = 0$$

$$y(x) = x^3$$

• Calculamos la integral reemplazando la función.

$$I = \int_0^1 [(y')^2 + 12xy] dx \quad y = 3x^2$$

$$\int_0^1 [(3x^2)^2 + 12x(x^3)] dx$$

$$\int_0^1 [9x^4 + 12x^4] dx$$

$$\int_0^1 21x^4 dx = \frac{21}{5}x^5 \Big|_0^1 = \frac{21(1)^5}{5} - \cancel{\frac{21(0)^5}{5}}$$

$$= \frac{21}{5}$$

Respuesta: El valor mínimo de la integral

$$\text{es } \frac{21}{5}.$$

3. Encuentre la geodésica (i.e. la trayectoria de menor distancia) entre los puntos $P_1 = (a, 0, 0)$ y $P_2 = (-a, 0, \pi)$ sobre la superficie $x^2 + y^2 - a^2 = 0$. Use coordenadas cilíndricas.

~~X y z~~

$$x^2 + y^2 = a^2$$

$$\left(r^2 \cos^2 \theta + r^2 \sin^2 \theta = a^2 \right)$$

$$r^2 (\cos^2 \theta + \sin^2 \theta) = a^2$$

$$r = a$$

$$ds = \sqrt{dr^2 + r^2 d\theta^2 + dz^2}$$

$$r = a \rightarrow dr = 0$$

$$ds = \sqrt{a^2 d\theta^2 + dz^2}$$

$$S = \int_0^\pi \sqrt{a^2 + (\frac{dz}{d\theta})^2} d\theta$$

Cilíndricas: • $x = r \cos \theta$
• $y = r \sin \theta$

Puntos a coordenadas cilíndricas:

$$P_1: r = \sqrt{a^2 + 0} = a$$

$$\theta = \tan^{-1}(0/a) = 0$$

$$z = 0$$

$$P_1(a, 0, 0)$$

$$P_2: r = \sqrt{(-a)^2 + 0} = a$$

$$x = r \cos \theta$$

$$\downarrow -a = a \cos \theta$$

$$\cos \theta = -1$$

$$\downarrow \theta = \pi$$

$$P_2(a, \pi, 0)$$

$$C^2 = \frac{1}{(a^2 + 1)}$$

$$C = \frac{1}{\sqrt{a^2 + 1}}$$

• Remplazo la constante C:

$$z(\theta) = \frac{\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{a^2 + 1}}\right)a}{\sqrt{1 - \frac{1}{(a^2 + 1)}}} \theta$$

$$z(\theta) = \frac{(a/\sqrt{a^2 + 1})}{\sqrt{\frac{a^2}{a^2 + 1}}} \theta$$

$$z(\theta) = \frac{a \sqrt{a^2 + 1}}{a \sqrt{a^2 + 1}} \theta$$

$$\text{F/ } z(\theta) = \theta$$

5. El Lagrangiano de una partícula de masa m es

$$\mathcal{L} = \frac{m^2 \dot{x}^4}{12} + m \dot{x}^2 f(x) - f^2(x)$$

donde $f(x)$ es una función diferenciable de x . Encuentre la ecuación de movimiento.

$$\ddot{x} = \frac{m^2 \dot{x}^4}{12} + m \dot{x}^2 f(x) - f^2(x)$$

Ecuación Euler Lagrange:

$$\frac{d}{dt} \left[\frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \dot{x}} \right] - \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial x} = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left[\frac{m^2 \dot{x}^4}{12} + m \dot{x}^2 f(x) - f^2(x) \right]$$

$$= m \dot{x}^2 f'(x) - 2f(x) f'(x).$$

$$\frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \dot{x}} = \frac{\partial}{\partial \dot{x}} \left[\frac{m^2 \dot{x}^4}{12} + m \dot{x}^2 f(x) - f^2(x) \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{3} m^2 \dot{x}^3 + 2m \dot{x} f'(x)$$

$$\frac{d}{dt} \left[\frac{1}{3} m^2 \dot{x}^3 + 2m \dot{x} f(x) \right] - m \dot{x}^2 f'(x) + 2f(x) f'(x) = 0$$

$$= \cancel{m^2 \dot{x}^2 \ddot{x} + 2m \ddot{x} f(x)} + 2m \dot{x}^2 f'(x)$$

$$-3 \dot{x}^2 \ddot{x} \quad \frac{d}{dt} (f(x)) = \frac{df(x)}{dx} \cdot \frac{dx}{dt} = f'(x) \dot{x}$$

$$m^2 \dot{x}^2 \ddot{x} + 2m \ddot{x} f'(x) \dot{x} + 2m \dot{x}^2 f'(x) - m \dot{x}^2 f'(x) + 2f(x) f'(x) = 0$$

$$\text{F/ } m^2 \dot{x}^2 \ddot{x} + 2m \ddot{x} f'(x) \dot{x} + m \dot{x}^2 f'(x) + 2f(x) f'(x) = 0$$

• Ahora integro para hallar z

$$z(\theta) = \frac{Ca}{\sqrt{1-C^2}} \theta + C_2$$

Hallo las constantes con las condiciones iniciales:

$$z(0) = 0$$

$$z(0) = \frac{Ca}{\sqrt{1-C^2}} (0) + C_2$$

$$C_2 = 0$$

$$z(\theta) = \frac{Ca}{\sqrt{1-C^2}} \theta$$

$$z(\pi) = \pi$$

$$z(\pi) = \frac{Ca}{\sqrt{1-C^2}} \cancel{\pi} = \pi$$

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

$$C^2 a^2 = 1 - C^2$$

$$C^2 a^2 + C^2 = 1$$

$$C^2 (a^2 + 1) = 1$$

Punto 4

4. Un cuerpo se deja caer desde una altura h y alcanza el suelo en un tiempo T . La ecuación de movimiento conceiblemente podría tener cualquiera de las formas

$$y = h - g_1 t, \quad y = h - \frac{1}{2} g_2 t^2, \quad y = h - \frac{1}{4} g_3 t^3$$

donde g_1, g_2, g_3 son constantes apropiadas. Demuestre que la forma correcta es aquella que produce el mínimo valor de la acción.

• Primeras ecuaciones:

$$Y = h - g_1 t \quad , \quad \dot{y} = -g_1$$

$$L = \frac{1}{2} m \dot{y}^2 - mgY$$

$$L = \frac{1}{2} mg_1^2 t^2 - mg(h - g_1 t)$$

$$S_1 = \int_0^T \left[\frac{1}{2} mg_1^2 t^2 - mg(h - g_1 t) \right] dt$$

$$S_1 = -\frac{1}{2} mg_1^2 t^2 - mg \left(ht - \frac{1}{2} g_1 t^2 \right) \Big|_0^T$$

$$S_1 = \frac{1}{2} mg_1^2 T^2 - mg \left(hT - \frac{1}{2} g_1 T^2 \right)$$

• Segunda ecuación:

$$y = h - \frac{1}{2} g_2 t^2 \quad , \quad \dot{y} = -g_2 t$$

$$L = \frac{1}{2} mg_2^2 t^2 - mg \left(h - \frac{1}{2} g_2 t^2 \right)$$

$$S_2 = \int_0^T \left[\frac{1}{2} mg_2^2 t^2 - mg(h - \frac{1}{2} g_2 t^2) \right] dt$$

$$S_2 = \frac{1}{6} mg_2^2 t^3 - mg(ht - \frac{1}{6} g_2 t^3) / T$$

$$S_2 = \frac{1}{6} mg_2^2 T^3 - mg(hT - \frac{1}{6} g_2 T^3)$$

• Tercera Ecación.

$$y = h - \frac{1}{4} g_3 t^3, \quad \dot{y} = -\frac{3}{4} g_3 t^2$$

$$\mathcal{L} = \frac{9}{32} mg_3^2 t^4 - mg(h - \frac{1}{4} g_3 t^3)$$

$$S_3 = \int_0^T \left[\frac{9}{32} mg_3^2 t^4 - mg(h - \frac{1}{4} g_3 t^3) \right] dt$$

$$S_3 = \frac{9}{160} mg_3 t^5 - mg(ht - \frac{1}{16} g_3 t^4) \Big|_0^T$$

$$S_3 = \frac{9}{160} mg_3 T^5 - mg(hT - \frac{1}{16} g_3 T^4)$$

→ Se hallaron los valores de S_1 , S_2 y S_3 mediante métodos computacionales y condiciones iniciales iguales.

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$$L = \frac{1}{2} g_{ab}(q_c) \dot{q}^a \dot{q}^b = \frac{1}{2} g_{cb}(q_c) \dot{q}^c \dot{q}^b$$

$$\frac{d}{dt} \left(\frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{q}^a} \right) - \frac{\partial L}{\partial q^a} = 0 \quad (*)$$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{q}^a} = \frac{1}{2} g_{ab}(q_c) \left(\frac{\partial q^c}{\partial \dot{q}^a} \dot{q}^b + \dot{q}^c \frac{\partial q^b}{\partial \dot{q}^a} \right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} g_{ab}(q_c) \left(\delta_a^c \dot{q}^b + \dot{q}^c \delta_b^a \right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} g_{ab}(q_c) \delta_a^c \dot{q}^b + \frac{1}{2} g_{cb}(q_c) \delta_b^a \dot{q}^c$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} g_{ab}(q_c) \dot{q}^b + \frac{1}{2} g_{ca}(q_c) \dot{q}^c ; \quad g_{ca} = g_{ac}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} g_{ab}(q_c) \dot{q}^b + \frac{1}{2} g_{ab}(q_c) \dot{q}^b$$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{q}^a} = g_{ab}(q_c) \dot{q}^b$$

$$\frac{d}{dt} \left(\frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{q}^a} \right) = \frac{d}{dt} (g_{ab}(q_c) \dot{q}^b)$$

$$\frac{d}{dt} \left(\frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{q}^a} \right) = \frac{\partial g_{ab}}{\partial q^c} \dot{q}^c \dot{q}^b + g_{ab}(q_c) \ddot{q}^b$$

Ahora,

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial q^a} = \frac{1}{2} \frac{\partial g_{ab}}{\partial q^a} \dot{q}^a \dot{q}^b = \frac{1}{2} \frac{\partial g_{cb}}{\partial q^a} \dot{q}^c \dot{q}^b$$

Reemplazando, en $(*)$,

$$\frac{\partial g_{ab}}{\partial q^c} \dot{q}^c \dot{q}^b + g_{ab}(q_c) \ddot{q}^b - \frac{1}{2} \frac{\partial g_{cb}}{\partial q^a} \dot{q}^c \dot{q}^b = 0$$

$$g_{ab}(q_c) \ddot{q}^b + \left(\frac{\partial g_{ab}}{\partial q^c} - \frac{1}{2} \frac{\partial g_{cb}}{\partial q^a} \right) \dot{q}^c \dot{q}^b = 0$$

Multiplico por g^{ad}

$$\underbrace{g^{ad} g_{ab}}_{(g^{da} g_{ab})^T} \ddot{q}^b + g^{ad} \left(\frac{\partial g_{ab}}{\partial q^c} - \frac{1}{2} \frac{\partial g_{bc}}{\partial q^a} \right) \dot{q}^c \dot{q}^b = 0$$

$$(g^{da} g_{ab})^T = (g^d_b)^T = g^b_d$$

$$\ddot{q}^d + \frac{1}{2} g^{ad} \left(2 \frac{\partial g_{ab}}{\partial q^c} - \frac{\partial g_{bc}}{\partial q^a} \right) \dot{q}^c \dot{q}^b = 0$$

$$\hookrightarrow 2 \frac{\partial g_{ab}}{\partial q^c} = \frac{\partial g_{ab}}{\partial q^c} + \frac{\partial g_{ab}}{\partial q^c} = \frac{\partial g_{ab}}{\partial q^c} + \frac{\partial g_{ca}}{\partial q^b}$$

$$\Rightarrow \ddot{q}^d + \frac{1}{2} g^{ad} \left(\frac{\partial g_{ab}}{\partial q^c} + \frac{\partial g_{ca}}{\partial q^b} - \frac{\partial g_{bc}}{\partial q^a} \right) \dot{q}^c \dot{q}^b = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\ddot{q}^d + \Gamma_{bc}^a \dot{q}^b \dot{q}^c = 0}$$