# Classical Mechanics by John R. Taylor Problems

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## 1 Newton's Laws of Motion

## 1.1

$$\mathbf{b} + \mathbf{c} = 2\hat{\mathbf{x}} + \hat{\mathbf{y}} + \hat{\mathbf{z}}$$

$$5\mathbf{b} + 2\mathbf{x} = 7\hat{\mathbf{x}} + 5\hat{\mathbf{y}} + 2\hat{\mathbf{z}}$$

$$\mathbf{b} \cdot \mathbf{c} = 1$$

$$\mathbf{b} \times \mathbf{c} = \begin{vmatrix} \hat{\mathbf{x}} & \hat{\mathbf{y}} & \hat{\mathbf{z}} \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= \hat{\mathbf{x}} - \hat{\mathbf{y}} - \hat{\mathbf{z}}$$

$$\mathbf{v}_{\text{body}} = \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \hat{\mathbf{y}} + \hat{\mathbf{z}}$$

$$\mathbf{v}_{\text{face}} = \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \hat{\mathbf{z}}$$

$$\mathbf{v}_{\text{body}} \cdot \mathbf{v}_{\text{face}} = v_{\text{body}} v_{\text{face}} \cos \theta$$

$$2 = \sqrt{6} \cos \theta$$

$$\cos \theta = \frac{2}{\sqrt{6}}$$

$$\theta = \arccos \frac{2}{\sqrt{6}}$$

$$= 35.26^{\circ}$$

The particle moves counterclockwise in an ellipse of width 2b and height 2c. The angular speed is  $\omega.$ 

## 1.23

$$\mathbf{v} = v \cos \theta \frac{\mathbf{b}}{b} - v \sin \theta \frac{\mathbf{b} \times \mathbf{c}}{bc}$$
$$= \frac{\lambda}{b} \frac{\mathbf{b}}{b} - \frac{c}{b} \frac{\mathbf{b} \times \mathbf{c}}{bc}$$
$$= \frac{\lambda \mathbf{b} - \mathbf{b} \times \mathbf{c}}{b^2}$$

#### 1.25

$$\frac{df}{dt} = -3f$$

$$\frac{1}{f}\frac{df}{dt} = -3$$

$$\ln f = -3t + c$$

$$f = ce^{-3t}$$

One constant.

$$F_x = 0$$

$$ma_x = 0$$

$$a_x = 0$$

$$v_x = c_1$$

$$= v_o \cos \theta$$

$$r_x = v_o \cos(\theta)t + c_2$$

$$= v_o \cos(\theta)t$$

$$F_y = 0$$

$$ma_y = 0$$

$$a_y = 0$$

$$v_y = c_3$$

$$v_y = 0$$

$$r_y = c_4$$

$$r_y = 0$$

$$F_z = -mg$$

$$ma_z = -mg$$

$$a_z = -g$$

$$v_z = -gt + c_5$$

$$= v_o \sin \theta - gt$$

$$r_z = v_o \sin(\theta)t - \frac{1}{2}gt^2 + c_6$$

$$= v_o \sin(\theta)t - \frac{1}{2}gt^2$$

$$0 = v_o \sin(\theta)t - \frac{1}{2}gt^2$$

$$t = \frac{2\sin(\theta)v_o}{g}$$

$$r_x = v_o \cos(\theta)t$$

$$= \frac{2\cos(\theta)\sin(\theta)v_o^2}{g}$$

$$= \frac{\sin(2\theta)v_o^2}{g}$$

(a)

$$F = -mg \sin \theta$$

$$ma = -mg \sin \theta$$

$$a = -g \sin \theta$$

$$v = c_1 - gt \sin \theta$$

$$= v_o - gt \sin \theta$$

$$x = v_o t - \frac{1}{2}gt^2 \sin \theta$$

(b)

$$t = \frac{2v_o}{g\sin\theta}$$

$$F_x = -mg\sin\phi$$

$$ma_x = -mg\sin\phi$$

$$a_x = -g\sin\phi$$

$$v_x = c_1 - gt\sin\phi$$

$$= v_o\cos\theta - gt\sin\phi$$

$$r_x = v_ot\cos\theta - \frac{1}{2}gt^2\sin\phi + c_2$$

$$= v_ot\cos\theta - \frac{1}{2}gt^2\sin\phi$$

$$F_y = -mg\cos\phi$$

$$ma_y = -mg\cos\phi$$

$$a_y = -g\cos\phi$$

$$v_y = c_3 - gt\cos\phi$$

$$= v_o\sin\theta - gt\cos\phi$$

$$r_y = v_ot\sin\theta - \frac{1}{2}gt^2\cos\phi + c_4$$

$$= v_ot\sin\theta - \frac{1}{2}gt^2\cos\phi$$

$$0 = v_ot\sin\theta - \frac{1}{2}gt^2\cos\phi$$

$$t = \frac{2v_o\sin\theta}{g\cos\phi}$$

$$r_x = \frac{2v_o\sin\theta}{g\cos\phi} - \frac{2v_o^2\sec\phi\sin^2\theta\tan\phi}{g}$$

$$= \frac{2v_o^2\sin\theta(\cos\theta\cos\phi - \sin\theta\sin\phi)}{g\cos^2\phi}$$

 $=\frac{2v_o^2\sin\theta\cos(\theta+\phi)}{g\cos^2\phi}$ 

$$\begin{split} \frac{dr_x}{d\theta} &= \frac{2v_o^2}{g\cos^2\phi}[\cos\theta\cos(\theta+\phi) - \sin\theta\sin(\theta+\phi)] \\ &= \frac{2v_o^2\cos(2\theta+\phi)}{g\cos^2\phi} \\ 0 &= \frac{2v_o^2\cos(2\theta+\phi)}{g\cos^2\phi} \\ &= \cos(2\theta+\phi) \\ 2\theta + \phi &= \frac{\pi}{2} \\ \theta &= \frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{\phi}{2} \\ r_{x,\max} &= \frac{2v_o^2\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{\phi}{2}\right)\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{\phi}{2} + \phi\right)}{g\cos^2\phi} \\ &= \frac{v_o^2(1-\sin\phi)}{g\cos^2\phi} \\ &= \frac{v_o^2}{g(1+\sin\phi)} \end{split}$$

$$F = ma$$

$$T = m\frac{v^2}{R}$$

$$= m\frac{(\omega R)^2}{R}$$

$$= m\omega^2 R$$

#### 1.47

(a)

$$\rho = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$$

$$\phi = \arctan \frac{y}{x}$$

$$z = z$$

 $\rho$  is the distance of P from the z-axis.

The use of r may be unfortunate because it suggests it's the distance of P from the origin.

(b)  $\hat{\boldsymbol{\rho}}$  points away from the z-axis,  $\hat{\boldsymbol{\phi}}$  points counter-clockwise around the z-axis, and  $\hat{\mathbf{z}}$  points in the positive z direction.

$$\mathbf{r} = \rho \hat{\boldsymbol{\rho}} + z\hat{\mathbf{z}} + \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}\hat{\boldsymbol{\rho}} + z\hat{\mathbf{z}}$$

(c)

$$\mathbf{v} = \frac{d\mathbf{r}}{dt}$$

$$= \dot{\rho}\hat{\boldsymbol{\rho}} + \rho \frac{d\hat{\boldsymbol{\rho}}}{dt} + \dot{z}\hat{\mathbf{z}} + z \frac{d\hat{\mathbf{z}}}{dt}$$

$$= \dot{\rho}\hat{\boldsymbol{\rho}} + \rho \dot{\phi}\hat{\boldsymbol{\phi}} + \dot{z}\hat{\mathbf{z}}$$

$$\mathbf{a} = \frac{d\mathbf{v}}{dt}$$

$$= \ddot{\rho}\hat{\boldsymbol{\rho}} + \dot{\rho}\frac{d\hat{\boldsymbol{\rho}}}{dt} + \dot{\rho}\dot{\phi}\hat{\boldsymbol{\phi}} + \rho \ddot{\phi}\hat{\boldsymbol{\phi}} + \rho \dot{\phi}\frac{d\hat{\boldsymbol{\phi}}}{dt} + \ddot{z}\hat{\mathbf{z}}$$

$$= \ddot{\rho}\hat{\boldsymbol{\rho}} + \dot{\rho}\dot{\phi}\hat{\boldsymbol{\phi}} + \dot{\rho}\dot{\phi}\hat{\boldsymbol{\phi}} + \rho \ddot{\phi}\hat{\boldsymbol{\phi}} - \rho \dot{\phi}^2\hat{\boldsymbol{\rho}} + \ddot{z}\hat{\mathbf{z}}$$

$$= (\ddot{\rho} - \rho\dot{\phi}^2)\hat{\boldsymbol{\rho}} + (2\dot{\rho}\dot{\phi} + \rho\ddot{\phi})\hat{\boldsymbol{\phi}} + \ddot{z}\hat{\mathbf{z}}$$

## 2 Projectiles and Charged Particles

#### 2.1

$$1 = (1.6 \times 10^{3})Dv$$
$$v = \frac{1}{(1.6 \times 10^{3})D}$$
$$= 8.9 \,\text{mm/s}$$

When  $v \gg 1\,\mathrm{cm/s}$  the drag force can be treated as purely quadratic. For a beach ball this becomes  $v \gg 1\,\mathrm{mm/s}$ .

#### 2.3

(a)

$$\begin{split} \frac{f_{\text{quad}}}{f_{\text{lin}}} &= \frac{(1/4)\rho A v^2}{3\pi \eta D v} \\ &= \frac{\rho \pi \left(\frac{D}{2}\right)^2 v}{12\pi \eta D} \\ &= \frac{\rho D v}{48\eta} \\ &= \frac{R}{48} \end{split}$$

(b) 
$$R = \frac{Dv\rho}{\eta} \approx 0.01$$

$$v_y(t) = v_{\text{ter}} + (v_{\text{yo}} - v_{\text{ter}})e^{-t/\tau}$$
  
=  $v_{\text{ter}} + (2v_{\text{ter}} - v_{\text{ter}})e^{-t/\tau}$   
=  $v_{\text{ter}}(1 + e^{-t/\tau})$ 

The velocity starts at  $2v_{\text{ter}}$  and asymptotically approaches  $v_{\text{ter}}$ .

$$F = F(v)$$

$$m\dot{v} = F(v)$$

$$m\frac{dv}{F(v)} = dt$$

$$t = \int_{v_o}^{v} m\frac{dv'}{F(v')}$$

$$F = F(v)$$

$$m\dot{v} = F_o$$

$$v = \frac{F_o}{m}t + c$$

(a)

$$m\dot{v} = -mg - bv$$

$$\dot{v} = -g - kv$$

$$\frac{1}{-g - kv}\dot{v} = 1$$

$$-\frac{1}{k}\ln(-g - kv) = t + c$$

$$\ln(-g - kv) = c - \frac{t}{\tau}$$

$$-g - kv = Ae^{-t/\tau}$$

$$v = \tau(-g - Ae^{-t/\tau})$$

$$= -v_{\text{ter}} - \tau Ae^{-t/\tau}$$

$$v_0 = -v_{\text{ter}} - \tau A$$

$$A = -k(v_0 + v_{\text{ter}})$$

$$v = -v_{\text{ter}}t + (v_0 + v_{\text{ter}})e^{-t/\tau}$$

$$y = -v_{\text{ter}}t - \tau(v_0 + v_{\text{ter}})e^{-t/\tau} + c$$

$$0 = -\tau(v_0 + v_{\text{ter}}) + c$$

$$c = \tau(v_0 + v_{\text{ter}})$$

$$y = -v_{\text{ter}}t + \tau(v_0 + v_{\text{ter}})(1 - e^{-t/\tau})$$

$$0 = -v_{\text{ter}} + (v_{\text{o}} + v_{\text{ter}})e^{-t/\tau}$$

$$e^{-t/\tau} = \frac{v_{\text{ter}}}{v_{\text{o}} + v_{\text{ter}}}$$

$$-\frac{t}{\tau} = \ln \frac{v_{\text{ter}}}{v_{\text{o}} + v_{\text{ter}}}$$

$$t = -\tau \ln \frac{v_{\text{ter}}}{v_{\text{o}} + v_{\text{ter}}}$$

$$\begin{split} y_{\text{max}} &= -v_{\text{ter}} \left( -\tau \ln \frac{v_{\text{ter}}}{v_{\text{o}} + v_{\text{ter}}} \right) + \tau (v_{\text{o}} + v_{\text{ter}}) \left( 1 - \frac{v_{\text{ter}}}{v_{\text{o}} + v_{\text{ter}}} \right) \\ &= \tau v_{\text{ter}} \ln \frac{v_{\text{ter}}}{v_{\text{o}} + v_{\text{ter}}} + \tau (v_{\text{o}} + v_{\text{ter}} - v_{\text{ter}}) \\ &= \tau \left( v_{\text{o}} + v_{\text{ter}} \ln \frac{v_{\text{ter}}}{v_{\text{o}} + v_{\text{ter}}} \right) \\ &= \tau \left[ v_{\text{o}} - v_{\text{ter}} \ln \left( 1 + \frac{v_{\text{o}}}{v_{\text{ter}}} \right) \right] \end{split}$$

#### (c)

$$y_{\text{max}} = \tau \left[ v_{\text{o}} - v_{\text{ter}} \ln \left( 1 + \frac{v_{\text{o}}}{v_{\text{ter}}} \right) \right]$$

$$= \tau \left[ v_{\text{o}} - g\tau \ln \left( 1 + \frac{v_{\text{o}}}{g\tau} \right) \right]$$

$$\approx \tau \left\{ v_{\text{o}} - g\tau \left[ \frac{v_{\text{o}}}{g\tau} - \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{v_{\text{o}}}{g\tau} \right)^2 \right] \right\}$$

$$= \tau \left( v_{\text{o}} - v_{\text{o}} + \frac{1}{2} \frac{v_{\text{o}}^2}{g\tau} \right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \frac{v_{\text{o}}^2}{g}$$

$$v^{2} = \frac{2}{m} \int_{x_{0}}^{x} -kx' \, dx'$$

$$= -\frac{2k}{m} \left( \frac{1}{2}x^{2} - \frac{1}{2}x_{0}^{2} \right)$$

$$= -\frac{k}{m}(x^{2} - x_{0}^{2})$$

$$v = \sqrt{\frac{k}{m}(x_{0}^{2} - x^{2})}$$

$$= \omega \sqrt{x_{0}^{2} - x^{2}}$$

$$\int_{x_0}^{x} \frac{1}{\sqrt{x_0^2 - x'^2}} dx' = \int_{0}^{t} \omega dt$$

$$\arctan \frac{x}{\sqrt{x_0^2 - x^2}} - \arctan \frac{x_0}{\sqrt{x_0^2 - x_0^2}} = \omega t$$

$$\arctan \frac{x}{\sqrt{x_0^2 - x^2}} = \omega t + \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$\frac{x}{\sqrt{x_0^2 - x^2}} = \tan \left(\omega t + \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$$

$$= -\cot \omega t$$

$$\frac{\sqrt{x_0^2 - x^2}}{x} = -\tan \omega t$$

$$\sqrt{x_0^2 - x^2} = -x \tan \omega t$$

$$x_0^2 - x^2 = x^2 \tan^2 \omega t$$

$$x^2 = \frac{x_0^2}{1 + \tan^2 \omega t}$$

$$= \frac{x_0^2 \cos^2 \omega t}{\cos^2 \omega t + \sin^2 \omega t}$$

$$= x_0^2 \cos^2 \omega t$$

$$= x_0 \cos \omega t$$

$$\begin{split} a_y &= -g \\ v_y &= v_{y0} - gt \\ y &= v_{y0}t - \frac{1}{2}gt^2 \\ 0 &= v_{y0}t - \frac{1}{2}gt^2 \\ t &= \frac{2v_{y0}}{g} \\ x &= v_{x0}t \\ R &= \frac{2v_{x0}v_{y0}}{g} \end{split}$$

## 2.19

(a)

$$\begin{aligned} x &= v_{x0}t \\ y &= v_{y0}t - \frac{1}{2}gt^2 \\ &= \frac{v_{y0}}{v_{x0}}x - \frac{1}{2}g\left(\frac{x}{v_{x0}}\right)^2 \end{aligned}$$

(b)

$$y = \frac{v_{y0} + v_{\text{ter}}}{v_{x0}} x + v_{\text{ter}} \tau \ln \left( 1 - \frac{x}{v_{x0} \tau} \right)$$

$$\approx \frac{v_{y0}}{v_{x0}} x + \frac{g\tau}{v_{x0}} x - g\tau^2 \left[ \frac{x}{v_{x0} \tau} + \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{x}{v_{x0} \tau} \right)^2 \right]$$

$$= \frac{v_{y0}}{v_{x0}} x - \frac{1}{2} g \left( \frac{x}{v_{x0}} \right)^2$$

(a)

$$\begin{split} v_{\text{ter}} &= \sqrt{\frac{mg}{c}} \\ &= \sqrt{\frac{mg}{\gamma D^2}} \\ &= \sqrt{\frac{mg}{0.25D^2}} \\ &= \sqrt{\frac{\rho_3^4 \pi \left(\frac{D}{2}\right)^3 g}{0.25D^2}} \\ &= \sqrt{\frac{4\pi \rho Dg}{6}} \\ &= 22 \, \text{m/s} \end{split}$$

(b)

$$m = \rho V$$

$$= \rho \frac{4}{3}\pi \left(\frac{D}{2}\right)^3$$

$$= \frac{\pi \rho D^3}{6}$$

$$D^2 = \left(\frac{6m}{\pi \rho}\right)^{2/3}$$

$$v_{\text{ter}} = \sqrt{\frac{mg}{0.25D^2}}$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{mg}{0.25(6m/\pi \rho)^{2/3}}}$$

$$= 140 \text{ m/s}$$

(c)

$$v_{\rm ter} = 107 \, {\rm m/s}$$

$$m\dot{v} = -mg\sin\theta - cv^{2}$$

$$-\frac{\sqrt{m}\arctan\frac{\sqrt{c}v}{\sqrt{gm\sin\theta}}}{\sqrt{cg\sin\theta}} = t + c_{1}$$

$$\arctan\frac{\sqrt{c}v}{\sqrt{gm\sin\theta}} = \sqrt{\frac{cg\sin\theta}{m}}(c_{1} - t)$$

$$\frac{\sqrt{c}v}{\sqrt{gm\sin\theta}} = \tan\left[\sqrt{\frac{cg\sin\theta}{m}}(c_{1} - t)\right]$$

$$v = \sqrt{\frac{gm\sin\theta}{c}}\tan\left[\sqrt{\frac{cg\sin\theta}{m}}(c_{1} - t)\right]$$

$$v_{0} = \sqrt{\frac{gm\sin\theta}{c}}\tan\left(\sqrt{\frac{cg\sin\theta}{m}}c_{1}\right)$$

$$c_{1} = \sqrt{\frac{m}{cg\sin\theta}}\arctan\left(\sqrt{\frac{c}{gm\sin\theta}}v_{0}\right)$$

$$v = \sqrt{\frac{gm\sin\theta}{c}}\tan\left[\arctan\left(\sqrt{\frac{c}{gm\sin\theta}}v_{0}\right) - \sqrt{\frac{cg\sin\theta}{m}}t\right]$$

$$0 = \sqrt{\frac{gm\sin\theta}{c}}\tan\left[\arctan\left(\sqrt{\frac{c}{gm\sin\theta}}v_{0}\right) - \sqrt{\frac{cg\sin\theta}{m}}t\right]$$

$$\sqrt{\frac{cg\sin\theta}{m}}t = \arctan\left(\sqrt{\frac{c}{gm\sin\theta}}v_{0}\right)$$

$$t = \sqrt{\frac{m}{cg\sin\theta}}\arctan\left(\sqrt{\frac{c}{gm\sin\theta}}v_{0}\right)$$

$$v(t) = v_{\text{ter}} \tanh \frac{gt}{v_{\text{ter}}}$$

$$v(1) = 9.6 \,\text{m/s}$$

$$v(5) = 38 \,\text{m/s}$$

$$v(10) = 48 \,\text{m/s}$$

$$v(20) = 50 \,\text{m/s}$$

$$v(30) = 50 \,\text{m/s}$$

(a)

$$v_{\text{ter}} = \sqrt{\frac{mg}{c}}$$
$$= \sqrt{\frac{mg}{0.25D^2}}$$
$$= 20.2 \,\text{m/s}$$

(b)

$$y = -30 + \frac{v_{\text{ter}}^2}{g} \ln \left( \cosh \frac{gt}{v_{\text{ter}}} \right)$$
$$0 = -30 + \frac{v_{\text{ter}}^2}{g} \ln \left( \cosh \frac{gt}{v_{\text{ter}}} \right)$$
$$t = 2.78 \text{ s}$$
$$v(2.78) = 17.6 \text{ m/s}$$

2.33

(b)

$$\cosh z = \frac{e^z + e^{-z}}{2} \\
= \frac{1}{2} \left[ \left( 1 + z + \frac{z^2}{2} + \frac{z^3}{6} + \cdots \right) + \left( 1 - z + \frac{z^2}{2} - \frac{z^3}{6} + \cdots \right) \right] \\
= 1 + \frac{z^2}{2} + \frac{z^4}{24} + \frac{z^6}{720} + \cdots \\
\cos iz = 1 - \frac{(iz)^2}{2} + \frac{(iz)^4}{24} - \frac{(iz)^6}{720} + \cdots \\
= 1 + \frac{z^2}{2} + \frac{z^4}{24} + \frac{z^6}{720} + \cdots \\
= \cosh z \\
\sinh z = -i \sin iz$$

(c) 
$$\frac{d}{dz}\cosh z = \frac{d}{dz}\left(\frac{e^z + e^{-z}}{2}\right)$$
$$= \frac{e^z - e^{-z}}{2}$$
$$= \sinh z$$
$$\frac{d}{dz}\sinh z = \frac{d}{dz}\left(\frac{e^z - e^{-z}}{2}\right)$$
$$= \frac{e^z + e^{-z}}{2}$$

(d) 
$$\cosh^2 z - \sinh^2 z = \left(\frac{e^z + e^{-z}}{2}\right)^2 - \left(\frac{e^z - e^{-z}}{2}\right)^2$$
$$= \frac{1}{4}(e^{2z} + 2 + e^{-2z} - e^{2z} + 2 - e^{-2z})$$
$$= 1$$

 $=\cosh z$ 

(e) 
$$\int \frac{1}{\sqrt{1+x^2}} dx = \int \frac{\cosh z}{\sqrt{1+\sinh^2 z}} dz$$
$$= \int 1 dz$$
$$= z$$
$$= \arcsin x$$

$$\begin{split} m\dot{v} &= mg - cv^2 \\ \dot{v} &= g\left(1 - \frac{v^2}{v_{\rm ter}^2}\right) \\ \int_0^v \frac{1}{1 - v'^2/v_{\rm ter}^2} \, dv' &= \int_0^t g \, dt \\ v_{\rm ter} \operatorname{arctanh} \frac{v}{v_{\rm ter}} &= gt \\ v &= v_{\rm ter} \tanh \frac{gt}{v_{\rm ter}} \\ y &= \int_0^t v_{\rm ter} \tanh \frac{gt'}{v_{\rm ter}} \, dt' \\ &= \frac{v_{\rm ter}^2}{g} \ln \left[\cosh \left(\frac{gt}{v_{\rm ter}}\right)\right] \end{split}$$

#### (b)

$$v = g\tau \tanh \frac{t}{\tau}$$

$$y = g\tau^2 \ln \left[ \cosh \left( \frac{t}{\tau} \right) \right]$$

$$v(\tau) = g\tau \tanh 1$$

$$= 0.76v_{\text{ter}}$$

$$v(2\tau) = 0.96v_{\text{ter}}$$

$$v(3\tau) = 0.99v_{\text{ter}}$$

(c)

$$y = g\tau^{2} \ln \left[ \cosh \left( \frac{t}{\tau} \right) \right]$$

$$= g\tau^{2} \ln \left( \frac{e^{t/\tau} + e^{-t/\tau}}{2} \right)$$

$$= g\tau^{2} \ln \left( \frac{e^{t/\tau}}{2} \right)$$

$$= g\tau^{2} (\ln e^{t/\tau} - \ln 2)$$

$$= g\tau t - g\tau^{2} \ln 2$$

$$= v_{\text{ter}} t - g\tau^{2} \ln 2$$

(d)

$$y = \frac{(v_{\text{ter}})^2}{g} \ln \left[ \cosh \left( \frac{gt}{v_{\text{ter}}} \right) \right]$$

$$\approx \frac{(v_{\text{ter}})^2}{g} \ln \left[ 1 + \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{gt}{v_{\text{ter}}} \right)^2 \right]$$

$$\approx \frac{(v_{\text{ter}})^2}{g} \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{gt}{v_{\text{ter}}} \right)^2$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} gt^2$$

## 2.39

(a)

$$m\dot{v} = -cv^2 - 3$$

$$\int_{v_0}^{v} \frac{m}{-cv'^2 - 3} dv' = \int_{0}^{t} dt'$$

$$\frac{m}{\sqrt{3c}} \left[ \arctan\left(\sqrt{\frac{c}{3}}v_0\right) - \arctan\left(\sqrt{\frac{c}{3}}v\right) \right] = t$$

$$\begin{split} m\dot{v} &= -mg - cv^2 \\ \dot{v} &= -g \left[ 1 + \left( \frac{v}{v_{\text{ter}}} \right)^2 \right] \\ v\frac{dv}{dy} &= -g \left[ 1 + \left( \frac{v}{v_{\text{ter}}} \right)^2 \right] \\ \int_{v_0}^v \frac{v'}{1 + (v'/v_{\text{ter}})^2} \, dv' &= \int_0^y -g \, dy' \\ \frac{1}{2} v_{\text{ter}}^2 [\ln(v_{\text{ter}}^2 + v^2) - \ln(v_{\text{ter}}^2 + v_0^2)] &= -gy \\ \ln \frac{v_{\text{ter}}^2 + v^2}{v_{\text{ter}}^2 + v_0^2} &= -\frac{2gy}{v_{\text{ter}}^2} \\ \frac{v_{\text{ter}}^2 + v^2}{v_{\text{ter}}^2 + v_0^2} &= e^{-2gy/v_{\text{ter}}^2} \\ v &= \sqrt{(v_{\text{ter}}^2 + v_0^2)e^{-2gy/v_{\text{ter}}^2} - v_{\text{ter}}^2} \\ v^2_{\text{ter}} &= (v_{\text{ter}}^2 + v_0^2)e^{-2gy/v_{\text{ter}}^2} - v_{\text{ter}}^2} \\ \frac{v_{\text{ter}}^2 + v_0^2}{v_{\text{ter}}^2 + v_0^2} &= e^{-2gy/v_{\text{ter}}^2} \\ -\frac{2gy}{v_{\text{ter}}^2} &= \ln \frac{v_{\text{ter}}^2}{v_{\text{ter}}^2 + v_0^2} \\ y &= -\frac{v_{\text{ter}}^2}{2g} \ln \frac{v_{\text{ter}}^2 + v_0^2}{v_{\text{ter}}^2} \\ &= \frac{v_{\text{ter}}^2}{2g} \ln \frac{v_{\text{ter}}^2 + v_0^2}{v_{\text{ter}}^2} \\ &= \frac{v_{\text{ter}}^2}{2g} \ln \frac{v_{\text{ter}}^2 + v_0^2}{v_{\text{ter}}^2}} \end{split}$$

(a) 
$$z = re^{i\theta}$$

$$= r(\cos\theta + i\sin\theta)$$

$$= \sqrt{x^2 + y^2} \left[ \cos\left(\arctan\frac{y}{x}\right) + i\sin\left(\arctan\frac{y}{x}\right) \right]$$

$$= \sqrt{x^2 + y^2} \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 + \frac{y^2}{x^2}}} + i\frac{y}{x\sqrt{1 + \frac{y^2}{x^2}}} \right)$$

$$= \sqrt{x^2 + y^2} \left( \frac{x}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}} + i\frac{y}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}} \right)$$

$$= x + iy$$

r is the distance between z and the origin,  $\theta$  is the angle between the positive real axis and z.

(b) 
$$z = \sqrt{3^2 + 4^2}e^{i\arctan 4/3} = 5e^{0.927i}$$

(c) 
$$z = 2\cos{-\frac{\pi}{3}} + i2\sin{-\frac{\pi}{3}} = 1 - \sqrt{3}i$$

2.47

(a)

$$z + w = 9 + 4i$$

$$z - w = 3 + 12i$$

$$zw = (6 + 8i)(3 - 4i)$$

$$= 18 - 24i + 24i + 32$$

$$= 50$$

$$\frac{z}{w} = \frac{zw*}{ww*}$$

$$= \frac{(6 + 8i)(3 + 4i)}{(3 - 4i)(3 + 4i)}$$

$$= \frac{18 + 24i + 24i - 32}{9 + 12i - 12i + 16}$$

$$= \frac{-14 + 48i}{25}$$

$$= -\frac{14}{25} + \frac{48}{25}i$$

(b) 
$$z + w = \left(8\cos\frac{\pi}{3} + i8\sin\frac{\pi}{3}\right) + \left(4\cos\frac{\pi}{6} + i4\sin\frac{\pi}{6}\right)$$
$$= (4 + 2\sqrt{3}) + i(4\sqrt{3} + 2)$$
$$z - w = (4 - 2\sqrt{3}) + i(4\sqrt{3} - 2)$$
$$zw = 32e^{i\pi/2}$$
$$= 32i$$
$$\frac{z}{w} = 2e^{i\pi/6}$$
$$= \sqrt{3} + i$$

(a)

$$z^{2} = (e^{i\theta})^{2}$$

$$= e^{i2\theta}$$

$$= \cos 2\theta + i \sin 2\theta$$

$$z^{2} = (\cos \theta + i \sin \theta)^{2}$$

$$= \cos^{2} \theta + 2i \cos \theta \sin \theta - \sin^{2} \theta$$

$$= \cos^{2} \theta + i \sin 2\theta - \sin^{2} \theta$$

$$\cos 2\theta = \cos^2 \theta - \sin^2 \theta$$

$$\cos 2\theta + i \sin 2\theta = \cos^2 \theta + 2i \sin \theta \cos \theta - \sin^2 \theta$$
$$i \sin 2\theta = 2i \sin \theta \cos \theta$$
$$\sin 2\theta = 2 \sin \theta \cos \theta$$

(b) 
$$z^{3} = (e^{i\theta})^{3}$$

$$= e^{i3\theta}$$

$$= \cos 3\theta + i \sin 3\theta$$

$$z^{3} = (\cos \theta + i \sin \theta)^{3}$$

$$= \cos^{3} \theta + 3i \cos^{2} \theta \sin \theta - 3 \cos \theta \sin^{2} \theta - i \sin^{3} \theta$$

$$\cos 3\theta + i \sin 3\theta = \cos^{3} \theta + 3i \cos^{2} \theta \sin \theta - 3 \cos \theta \sin^{2} \theta - i \sin^{3} \theta$$

$$= \cos \theta (\cos^{2} \theta - 3 \sin^{2} \theta) + i(3 \cos^{2} \theta \sin \theta - \sin^{3} \theta)$$

$$= \cos \theta (\cos^{2} \theta - 3 \sin^{2} \theta) + i[3(1 - \sin^{2} \theta) \sin \theta - \sin^{3} \theta]$$

 $= \cos\theta(\cos^2\theta - 3\sin^2\theta) + i(3\sin\theta - 4\sin^3\theta)$ 

$$\sin 3\theta = 3\sin \theta - 4\sin^3 \theta$$

 $\cos 3\theta = \cos \theta (\cos^2 \theta - 3\sin^2 \theta)$ 

$$\mathbf{B} = B_z \hat{\mathbf{z}}$$

$$\mathbf{E} = E_z \hat{\mathbf{z}}$$

$$\mathbf{v} \times \mathbf{B} = B_z v_y \hat{\mathbf{x}} - B_z v_x \hat{\mathbf{y}}$$

$$\mathbf{F} = q(\mathbf{E} + \mathbf{v} \times \mathbf{B})$$

$$= qB_z v_y \hat{\mathbf{x}} - qB_z v_x \hat{\mathbf{y}} + qE_z \hat{\mathbf{z}}$$

$$m\dot{v}_x = qB_z v_y$$

$$\dot{v}_x = \omega v_y$$

$$m\dot{v}_y = -qB_z v_x$$

$$\dot{v}_y = -\omega v_x$$

$$m\dot{v}_z = qE_z$$

$$\dot{v}_z = \frac{q}{m}E_z$$

$$\frac{d}{dt} \begin{pmatrix} v_x \\ v_y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & \omega \\ -\omega & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} v_x \\ v_y \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} v_x \\ v_y \end{pmatrix} = c_1 \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \cos \omega t - \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \sin \omega t + c_2 \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \cos \omega t + \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \sin \omega t = \begin{pmatrix} c_1 \sin \omega t - c_2 \cos \omega t \\ c_1 \cos \omega t + c_2 \sin \omega t \end{pmatrix}$$

$$x = -\frac{c_1}{\omega} \cos \omega t - \frac{c_2}{\omega} \sin \omega t + x_0$$

$$y = \frac{c_1}{\omega} \sin \omega t - \frac{c_2}{\omega} \cos \omega t + y_0$$

$$v_z = \frac{q}{m} E_z t + v_{z0}$$

$$z = \frac{q}{2m} E_z t^2 + v_{z0} t + z_0$$

$$z = \frac{q}{2m} E_z t^2 + v_{z0} t + z_0$$

The particle moves in a helix oriented along the z-axis.

(a)

$$\mathbf{B} = B\hat{\mathbf{z}}$$

$$\mathbf{E} = E\hat{\mathbf{y}}$$

$$\mathbf{F} = q(\mathbf{E} + \mathbf{v} \times \mathbf{B})$$

$$= Bqv_y\hat{\mathbf{x}} + q(E - Bv_x)\hat{\mathbf{y}}$$

$$\dot{v}_x = \frac{Bq}{m}v_y$$

$$= \omega v_y$$

$$\dot{v}_y = \frac{Eq}{m} - \frac{Bq}{m}v_x$$

$$= \frac{Eq}{m} - \omega v_x$$

$$\dot{v}_z = 0$$

The net force has no  $\hat{\mathbf{z}}$  component, so the motion stays in the xy-plane.

(b)

$$0 = \frac{Eq}{m} - \omega v_x$$
$$v_x = \frac{Eq}{\omega m}$$
$$= \frac{E}{B}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} \dot{v}_x \\ \dot{v}_y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & \omega \\ -\omega & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} v_x \\ v_y \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ \frac{Eq}{m} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{V}_c = \begin{pmatrix} c_1 \sin \omega t - c_2 \cos \omega t \\ c_1 \cos \omega t + c_2 \sin \omega t \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{V}_p = \begin{pmatrix} c_3 \\ c_4 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & \omega \\ -\omega & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} c_3 \\ c_4 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ \frac{Eq}{m} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} c_4 \omega \\ -c_3 \omega + \frac{Eq}{m} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$c_3 = \frac{Eq}{m\omega}$$

$$= \frac{E}{B}$$

$$= v_{\rm dr}$$

$$c_4 = 0$$

$$\mathbf{V}_p = \begin{pmatrix} v_{\rm dr} \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{V} = \begin{pmatrix} c_1 \sin \omega t - c_2 \cos \omega t + v_{\rm dr} \\ c_1 \cos \omega t + c_2 \sin \omega t \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} v_{x0} \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -c_2 + v_{\rm dr} \\ c_1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$c_1 = 0$$

$$c_2 = v_{\rm dr} - v_{x0}$$

$$\mathbf{V} = \begin{pmatrix} v_{\rm dr} + (v_{x0} - v_{\rm dr}) \cos \omega t \\ -(v_{x0} - v_{\rm dr}) \sin \omega t \end{pmatrix}$$

(d)

$$x = v_{dr}t + \frac{v_{x0} - v_{dr}}{\omega}\sin \omega t + x_0$$
$$y = \frac{v_{x0} - v_{dr}}{\omega}\cos \omega t + y_0$$
$$z = z_0$$

## 3 Momentum and Angular Momentum

3.3

$$mv_0 = \frac{m}{3}(v_1 + v_2 \cos \theta + v_3 \cos \theta)$$

$$3v_0 = v_0 + \sqrt{2}v_2$$

$$2v_0 = \sqrt{2}v_2$$

$$v_2 = \sqrt{2}v_0$$

$$\mathbf{v}_2 = \sqrt{2}v_0 \left(\cos\frac{\pi}{4}\hat{\mathbf{x}} + \sin\frac{\pi}{4}\hat{\mathbf{y}}\right)$$

$$= v_0(\hat{\mathbf{x}} + \hat{\mathbf{y}})$$

$$\mathbf{v}_3 = v_0(\hat{\mathbf{x}} - \hat{\mathbf{y}})$$

3.7

$$v = v_{\text{ex}} \ln \frac{m_0}{m}$$
$$= 2079 \,\text{m/s}$$
$$F = 25 \,\text{MN}$$
$$W = 19.6 \,\text{MN}$$

The thrust is 1.28 times the weight on Earth.

3.9

$$-\dot{m}v_{\rm ex} = m_0 g$$
 
$$v_{\rm ex} = -\frac{m_0 g}{\dot{m}}$$
 
$$= 2352 \, \text{m/s}$$

(a) 
$$m\dot{v} = -\dot{m}v_{\rm ex} + F_{\rm ext}$$

(b)

$$\begin{split} m\dot{v} &= -\dot{m}v_{\mathrm{ex}} - mg \\ \dot{v} &= -\frac{v_{\mathrm{ex}}}{m}\dot{m} - g \\ \int_0^t \dot{v} \, dt &= \int_0^t \left( -\frac{v_{\mathrm{ex}}}{m}\dot{m} - g \right) \, dt \\ \int_0^v \, dv' &= -v_{\mathrm{ex}} \int_{m_0}^m \frac{1}{m'} \, dm' - \int_0^t g \, dt' \\ v &= -v_{\mathrm{ex}} \ln \frac{m}{m_0} - gt \\ &= v_{\mathrm{ex}} \ln \frac{m_0}{m} - gt \end{split}$$

(c)

$$v = 903 \, \text{m/s}$$

It would be 2079 m/s without gravity (2.3 times larger).

(d) The rocket wouldn't take off until it was light enough (from burning fuel) that its thrust was greater than its weight.

$$\begin{aligned} v &= v_{\rm ex} \ln \frac{m_0}{m} - gt \\ &= v_{\rm ex} \ln \frac{m_0}{m_0 - kt} - gt \\ y &= v_{\rm ex} t - \frac{m v_{\rm ex}}{k} \ln \frac{m_0}{m} - \frac{1}{2} gt^2 \\ y(2 \min) &= 40 \, \mathrm{km} \end{aligned}$$

$$M = m_1 + m_2 + m_3$$

$$= m_1 + m_1 + 10m_1$$

$$= 12m_1$$

$$\mathbf{R} = \frac{1}{12m_1} \left[ m_1 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + m_2 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + m_3 \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{12m_1} \begin{pmatrix} 2m_1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{6} \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

#### 3.17

If we let Earth be at the origin, then

$$R = \frac{dM_m}{M_e + M_m}$$
$$= 4630 \,\mathrm{km}$$

The centre of mass is inside Earth.

- (a) No external forces apply during the explosion so the path of the centre of mass would be unchanged.
- (b) 100 m before the target.
- (c) No.

$$\mathbf{R} = \frac{1}{M} \int \mathbf{r} \, dm$$

$$= \frac{2}{\sigma \pi R^2} \int \mathbf{r} \sigma \, dA$$

$$= \frac{2}{\pi R^2} \int_0^R \int_0^{\pi} \mathbf{r} r \, d\phi \, dr$$

$$= \frac{2}{\pi R^2} \int_0^R \int_0^{\pi} r(\cos \phi \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \sin \phi \hat{\mathbf{y}}) r \, d\phi \, dr$$

$$= \frac{2}{\pi R^2} \int_0^R r^2 \int_0^{\pi} (\cos \phi \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \sin \phi \hat{\mathbf{y}}) \, d\phi \, dr$$

$$= \frac{2}{\pi R^2} \int_0^R r^2 [\sin \phi \hat{\mathbf{x}} - \cos \phi \hat{\mathbf{y}}]_0^{\pi} \, dr$$

$$= \frac{4}{\pi R^2} \int_0^R r^2 \, dr \, \hat{\mathbf{y}}$$

$$= \frac{4R}{3\pi} \hat{\mathbf{y}}$$

3.25

$$L = L_0$$

$$I\omega = I_0\omega_0$$

$$mr^2\omega = mr_0^2\omega_0$$

$$\omega = \left(\frac{r_0}{r}\right)^2\omega_0$$

3.29

$$I\omega = I_0\omega_0$$

$$\frac{2}{5} \left( \frac{4}{3} \pi R^3 \rho \right) R^2 \omega = \frac{2}{5} \left( \frac{4}{3} \pi R_0^3 \rho \right) R_0^2 \omega_0$$

$$\omega = \left( \frac{R_0}{R} \right)^5 \omega_0$$

If the radius doubles the angular velocity is  $\omega_0/32$ .

$$I = \int r^2 dm$$

$$= \int r^2 \sigma dA$$

$$= \frac{M}{\pi R^2} \int_0^R \int_0^{2\pi} r^3 d\phi dr$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} MR^2$$

$$\begin{split} I &= \int r^2 \, dm \\ &= \int r^2 \sigma \, dA \\ &= \frac{M}{(2b)^2} \int_{-b}^b \int_{-b}^b (x^2 + y^2) \, dx \, dy \\ &= \frac{M}{4b^2} \int_{-b}^b \left[ \frac{1}{3} x^3 + x y^2 \right]_{-b}^b \, dy \\ &= \frac{M}{4b} \int_{-b}^b \left( \frac{2}{3} b^2 + 2 y^2 \right) \, dy \\ &= \frac{M}{4b} \left[ \frac{2}{3} b^2 y + \frac{2}{3} y^3 \right]_{-b}^b \\ &= \frac{2}{3} M b^2 \end{split}$$

(b)

$$\begin{split} \dot{L} &= \Gamma_{\rm ext} \\ I\dot{\omega} &= RMg\sin\gamma \\ \frac{3}{2}MR^2\dot{\omega} &= RMg\sin\gamma \\ \dot{\omega} &= \frac{2g\sin\gamma}{3R} \end{split}$$

 $\Gamma_{\rm ext} = RMg\sin\gamma$ 

$$\dot{v} = R\dot{\omega}$$
$$= \frac{2}{3}g\sin\gamma$$

(c)

$$M\dot{v} = Mg\sin\gamma - f$$
$$f = M(g\sin\gamma - \dot{v})$$

$$\Gamma_{\text{ext}} = Rf$$
$$= RM(g\sin\gamma - \dot{v})$$

$$\begin{split} \dot{L} &= \Gamma_{\rm ext} \\ I\dot{\omega} &= RM(g\sin\gamma - \dot{v}) \\ \frac{1}{2}MR^2\dot{\omega} &= RM(g\sin\gamma - \dot{v}) \\ \dot{\omega} &= \frac{2(g\sin\gamma - \dot{v})}{R} \end{split}$$

$$\begin{split} \dot{v} &= R \dot{\omega} \\ &= 2(g \sin \gamma - \dot{v}) \\ &= \frac{2}{3} g \sin \gamma \end{split}$$

$$\sum m_{\alpha} r'_{\alpha} = \sum m_{\alpha} (r_{\alpha} - R)$$

$$= \sum m_{\alpha} r_{\alpha} - \sum m_{\alpha} R$$

$$= MR - MR$$

$$= 0$$

## 4 Energy

#### 4.3

(a)

$$\int_{P}^{Q} \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r} = \int_{P}^{O} \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r} + \int_{O}^{Q} \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r}$$

(b)

$$x = 1 - t$$

$$y = t$$

$$\mathbf{r} = (1 - t)\hat{\mathbf{x}} + t\hat{\mathbf{y}}$$

$$d\mathbf{r} = (-\hat{\mathbf{x}} + \hat{\mathbf{y}}) dt$$

$$\mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r} = (x + y) dt$$

$$= [(1 - t) + 1] dt$$

$$= dt$$

$$\int_{P}^{Q} \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r} = \int_{0}^{1} dt$$

$$= 1$$

(c)

$$\mathbf{r} = \cos\phi \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \sin\phi \hat{\mathbf{y}}$$

$$d\mathbf{r} = (-\sin\phi \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \cos\phi \hat{\mathbf{y}}) d\phi$$

$$\mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r} = (\sin^2\phi + \cos^2\phi) d\phi$$

$$= d\phi$$

$$\int_P^Q \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r} = \int_0^{\pi/2} d\phi$$

$$= \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$\mathbf{F} = -m\gamma y^2 \hat{\mathbf{y}}$$

$$W = \int_{\mathbf{r}_1}^{\mathbf{r}_2} \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r}$$

$$= -m\gamma \int_{y_1}^{y_2} y^2 dy$$

$$= -\frac{1}{3} m\gamma (y_2^3 - y_1^3)$$

$$U(\mathbf{r}) = \frac{1}{3} m\gamma y^3$$

(b) Assuming no friction

$$\frac{1}{2}mv^2 = \frac{1}{3}m\gamma h^3$$
$$v = \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}\gamma h^3}$$

4.9

$$U(x) = -\int_0^x -kx' dx'$$
$$= \frac{1}{2}kx^2$$

4.11

(a)

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} = 0$$
$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = 2ay + 2bz$$
$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial z} = 2by + 2cz$$

(b)

$$\frac{\partial g}{\partial x} = -ay^2 z^3 \sin(axy^2 z^3)$$
$$\frac{\partial g}{\partial y} = -2axyz^3 \sin(axy^2 z^3)$$
$$\frac{\partial g}{\partial z} = -3axy^2 z^2 \sin(axy^2 z^3)$$

(c)

$$\frac{\partial h}{\partial x} = \frac{ax}{r}$$
$$\frac{\partial h}{\partial y} = \frac{ay}{r}$$
$$\frac{\partial h}{\partial z} = \frac{az}{r}$$

## 4.13

(a)

$$\nabla f = \frac{1}{r^2} (x\hat{\mathbf{x}} + y\hat{\mathbf{y}} + z\hat{\mathbf{z}})$$

(b)

$$\nabla f = nr^{n-2}(x\hat{\mathbf{x}} + y\hat{\mathbf{y}} + z\hat{\mathbf{z}})$$

(c)

$$\nabla f = \frac{g'(r)}{r} (x\hat{\mathbf{x}} + y\hat{\mathbf{y}} + z\hat{\mathbf{z}})$$

## 4.15

$$df = \nabla f \cdot d\mathbf{r}$$

$$= (2, 4, 6) \cdot (0.01, 0.03, 0.05)$$

$$= 0.44$$

$$f(1.01, 1.03, 1.05) - f(1, 1, 1) = 0.4494$$

- (a) An ellipse that is two times wider than it is tall.
- (b)

$$\nabla f = (2x, 8y, 0)$$

$$\nabla f|_{(1,1,1)} = (2, 8, 0)$$

$$\mathbf{n} = (1, 4, 0) / \sqrt{17}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{F} &= -\frac{GMm}{r^2} \hat{\mathbf{r}} \\ \nabla \times \mathbf{F} &= \begin{vmatrix} \hat{\mathbf{x}} & \hat{\mathbf{y}} & \hat{\mathbf{z}} \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \\ -\frac{GMm}{r^3} x & -\frac{GMm}{r^3} y & -\frac{GMm}{r^3} z \end{vmatrix} \\ &= \left[ \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \left( -\frac{GMm}{r^3} z \right) - \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \left( -\frac{GMm}{r^3} y \right) \right] \hat{\mathbf{x}} \\ &- \left[ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left( -\frac{GMm}{r^3} z \right) - \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \left( -\frac{GMm}{r^3} x \right) \right] \hat{\mathbf{y}} \\ &+ \left[ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left( -\frac{GMm}{r^3} y \right) - \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \left( -\frac{GMm}{r^3} x \right) \right] \hat{\mathbf{z}} \end{aligned} \\ &= -GMm \left[ \left( -\frac{3yz}{r^5} + \frac{3yz}{r^5} \right) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \left( -\frac{3xz}{r^5} + \frac{3xz}{r^5} \right) \hat{\mathbf{y}} \\ &- \left( -\frac{3xy}{r^5} + \frac{3xy}{r^4} \right) \hat{\mathbf{z}} \right] \end{aligned} \\ &= \mathbf{0} \end{aligned} \\ U(\mathbf{r}) &= -\int_{\infty}^{\mathbf{r}} \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r}' \\ &= -\int_{\infty}^{-} \frac{GMm}{r'^2} dr' \\ &= GMm \left[ -\frac{1}{r'} \right]_{\infty}^{r} \\ &= GMm \left( -\frac{1}{r} + \frac{1}{\infty} \right) \\ &= -\frac{GMm}{r} \end{aligned}$$

4.23

(a)

$$\nabla \times \mathbf{F} = \mathbf{0}$$

$$U = -\int_{\mathbf{0}}^{\mathbf{r}} \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r}$$

$$= -\left(\int_{0}^{x} kx \, dx + \int_{0}^{y} 2ky \, dy + \int_{0}^{z} 3kz \, dz\right)$$

$$= -\frac{1}{2}k(x^{2} + 2y^{2} + 3z^{2})$$

(b)

$$\nabla \times \mathbf{F} = \mathbf{0}$$

$$U = -\int_{\mathbf{0}}^{\mathbf{r}} \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r}$$

$$= -\left(\int_{0}^{x} ky \, dx + \int_{0}^{y} kx \, dy\right)$$

$$= -kxy$$

(c)

$$\nabla \times \mathbf{F} = 2k\hat{\mathbf{z}}$$

Not conservative

## 4.29

- (a) The mass will oscillate around x = 0.
- (b)

$$t = \sqrt{\frac{m}{2}} \int_0^A \frac{dx}{\sqrt{kA^4 - kx^4}}$$
$$= \sqrt{\frac{m}{2k}} \int_0^A \frac{dx}{\sqrt{A^4 - x^4}}$$
$$\tau = 4t$$

(d)  $\tau \approx 3.71 \,\mathrm{s}$ 

## 4.31

(a)

$$E = \frac{1}{2}(m_1 + m_2)\dot{x}^2 + (m_2 - m_1)gx$$

(b)

$$(m_1 + m_2)\ddot{x} = (m_1 - m_2)g$$

$$c = \frac{1}{2}(m_1 + m_2)\dot{x}^2 + (m_2 - m_1)gx$$

$$0 = (m_1 + m_2)\dot{x}\ddot{x} + (m_2 - m_1)g\dot{x}$$

$$(m_1 + m_2)\ddot{x} = (m_1 - m_2)g$$

(a) 
$$E = \frac{1}{2} \left( m_1 + m_2 + \frac{I}{R^2} \right) \dot{x}^2 + (m_2 - m_1) g x$$

(b)

$$0 = \left(m_1 + m_2 + \frac{I}{R^2}\right) \dot{x} \ddot{x} + (m_2 - m_1) g \dot{x}$$
$$\left(m_1 + m_2 + \frac{I}{R^2}\right) \ddot{x} = (m_1 - m_2) g$$

$$m_1\ddot{x} = m_1g - T_2$$
$$T_2 = m_1g - m_1\ddot{x}$$

$$m_2\ddot{x} = T_1 - m_2g$$
$$T_1 = m_2\ddot{x} + m_2g$$

$$\omega = -\frac{\dot{x}}{R}$$
$$\dot{\omega} = -\frac{\ddot{x}}{R}$$

$$I\dot{\omega} = (T_1 - T_2)R$$

$$-I\frac{\ddot{x}}{R} = (m_2\ddot{x} + m_2g - m_1g - m_1\ddot{x})R$$

$$\left(m_1 + m_2 + \frac{I}{R^2}\right)\ddot{x} = (m_1 - m_2)g$$

(a) 
$$U(\phi) = MgR(1-\cos\phi) - mgR\phi$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dU(\phi)}{d\phi} &= MgR\sin\phi - mgR \\ &= gR(M\sin\phi - m) \\ 0 &= gR(M\sin\phi - m) \\ m &= M\sin\phi \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{d^2U(\phi)}{d\phi^2} = MgR\cos\phi$$

There is a position of equilibrium at  $\phi = \arcsin \frac{m}{M}$ . It is stable if  $\phi < \frac{\pi}{2}$ , i.e. m < M.

## 4.51

$$\begin{split} U(\mathbf{r}_{1},\mathbf{r}_{2},\mathbf{r}_{3},\mathbf{r}_{4}) &= U_{\text{int}} + U_{\text{ext}} \\ &= \left[ U_{12}(\mathbf{r}_{1} - \mathbf{r}_{2}) + U_{13}(\mathbf{r}_{1} - \mathbf{r}_{3}) + U_{14}(\mathbf{r}_{1} - \mathbf{r}_{4}) + U_{23}(\mathbf{r}_{2} - \mathbf{r}_{3}) \right. \\ &+ U_{24}(\mathbf{r}_{2} - \mathbf{r}_{4}) + U_{34}(\mathbf{r}_{3} - \mathbf{r}_{4}) \right] + \left[ U_{1}(\mathbf{r}_{1}) + U_{2}(\mathbf{r}_{2}) + U_{3}(\mathbf{r}_{3}) \right. \\ &+ U_{4}(\mathbf{r}_{4}) \right] \\ \mathbf{F}_{3} &= \mathbf{F}_{3,\text{int}} + \mathbf{F}_{3,\text{ext}} \\ &= \left[ \mathbf{F}_{13} + \mathbf{F}_{23} + \mathbf{F}_{34} \right] + \mathbf{F}_{3,\text{ext}} \\ &= -\nabla_{3}U_{13} - \nabla_{3}U_{23} - \nabla_{3}U_{34} - \nabla_{3}U_{3,\text{ext}} \\ &= -\nabla_{3}U \end{split}$$

## 4.53

(a)

$$F = ma$$

$$\frac{ke^2}{r^2} = m\frac{v^2}{r}$$

$$v^2 = \frac{ke^2}{mr}$$

$$K = \frac{1}{2}mv^2$$

$$= \frac{ke^2}{2r}$$

$$U = -\frac{ke^2}{r}$$

$$K = -\frac{1}{2}U$$

$$E = K_1 + K_2 + U_{12} + U_{1p} + U_{2p}$$
$$= \frac{1}{2}mv_1^2 + \frac{1}{2}mv_2^2 - ke^2\left(\frac{1}{r_1} + \frac{1}{r_2} - \frac{1}{r_{12}}\right)$$

$$E_{\text{before}} = K_1 + K_2 + U_1 + U_2 + U_{12}$$
$$= T_2 + \frac{ke^2}{2r} - \frac{ke^2}{r}$$
$$= T_2 - \frac{ke^2}{2r}$$

$$E_{\text{after}} = K'_1 + K'_2 + U_1 + U_2 + U_{12}$$

$$= T'_1 + \frac{ke^2}{2r'} - \frac{ke^2}{r'}$$

$$= T'_1 - \frac{ke^2}{2r'}$$

$$T_2 - \frac{ke^2}{2r} = T'_1 - \frac{ke^2}{2r'}$$

$$T'_1 = T_2 + \frac{ke^2}{2} \left(\frac{1}{r'} - \frac{1}{r}\right)$$

# 5 Oscillations

$$U(\phi) = mgl(1 - \cos \phi)$$

$$\approx mgl\left(1 - 1 + \frac{1}{2}\phi^2\right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}mgl\phi^2$$

$$k = mgl$$

$$x(t) = C_1 e^{i\omega t} + C_2 e^{-i\omega t}$$

$$= C_1(\cos \omega t + i \sin \omega t) + C_2(\cos \omega t - i \sin \omega t)$$

$$= (C_1 + C_2) \cos \omega t + i(C_1 - C_2) \sin \omega t$$

$$= B_1 \cos \omega t + B_2 \sin \omega t$$

$$B_1 = C_1 + C_2$$

$$B_2 = i(C_1 - C_2)$$

$$x(t) = A \cos(\omega t - \delta)$$

$$A = \sqrt{B_1^2 + B_2^2}$$

$$\delta = \arctan \frac{B_2}{B_1}$$

$$x(t) = C \operatorname{Re} e^{\omega t}$$

$$C = A e^{-i\delta}$$

# 5.7

(a) 
$$B_1 = x_0, B_2 = \frac{v_0}{\omega}$$

(b)

$$\omega = \sqrt{\frac{k}{m}}$$

$$= 10 \,\text{rad/s}$$

$$B_1 = 3.0 \,\text{m}$$

$$B_2 = 5.0 \,\text{m}$$

(c) x = 0 m at t = 0.26 s,  $\dot{x} = 0 \text{ m/s}$  at t = 0.10 s.

$$\frac{1}{2}kA^2 = \frac{1}{2}mv^2$$

$$\frac{k}{m} = \left(\frac{v}{A}\right)^2$$

$$\tau = \frac{2\pi}{\omega}$$

$$= \frac{2\pi}{\sqrt{k/m}}$$

$$= \frac{2\pi}{v/A}$$

$$= 1.05 \,\text{s}$$

$$\begin{split} \frac{1}{2}kx_1^2 + \frac{1}{2}mv_1^2 &= \frac{1}{2}kx_2^2 + \frac{1}{2}mv_2^2 \\ kx_1^2 + mv_1^2 &= kx_2^2 + mv_2^2 \\ \frac{k}{m}x_1^2 + v_1^2 &= \frac{k}{m}x_2^2 + v_2^2 \\ \omega^2(x_1^2 - x_2^2) &= v_2^2 - v_1^2 \\ \omega &= \sqrt{\frac{v_2^2 - v_1^2}{x_1^2 - x_2^2}} \\ \frac{1}{2}kA^2 &= \frac{1}{2}kx_1^2 + \frac{1}{2}mv_1^2 \\ A^2 &= x_1^2 + \frac{m}{k}v_1^2 \\ A &= \sqrt{x_1^2 + \frac{v_1^2}{\omega^2}} \\ &= \sqrt{x_1^2 + v_1^2\frac{x_1^2 - x_2^2}{v_2^2 - v_1^2}} \\ &= \sqrt{\frac{x_1^2(v_2^2 - v_1^2) + v_1^2(x_1^2 - x_2^2)}{v_2^2 - v_1^2}} \\ &= \sqrt{\frac{x_2^2v_1^2 - x_1^2v_2^2}{v_1^2 - v_2^2}} \\ &= \sqrt{\frac{x_2^2v_1^2 - x_1^2v_2^2}{v_1^2 - v_2^2}} \end{split}$$

$$U(r) = U_0 \left(\frac{r}{R} + \lambda^2 \frac{R}{r}\right)$$
$$\frac{dU(r)}{dr} = U_0 \left(\frac{1}{R} - \lambda^2 \frac{R}{r^2}\right)$$
$$0 = \frac{dU(r_0)}{dr}$$
$$= U_0 \left(\frac{1}{R} - \lambda^2 \frac{R}{r_0^2}\right)$$
$$\frac{1}{R} = \lambda^2 \frac{R}{r_0^2}$$
$$r_0 = \lambda R$$

$$U(r_0 + x) - U(r_0) = U_0 \left(\frac{r_0 + x}{R} + \lambda^2 \frac{R}{r_0 + x}\right) - U_0 \left(\frac{r_0}{R} + \lambda^2 \frac{R}{r_0}\right)$$

$$= U_0 \left[\frac{1}{R}x + \lambda^2 R \left(\frac{1}{r_0 + x} - \frac{1}{r_0}\right)\right]$$

$$\approx U_0 \left[\frac{1}{R}x + \lambda^2 R \left(\frac{1}{r_0} - \frac{x}{r_0^2} + \frac{x^2}{r_0^3} - \frac{1}{r_0}\right)\right]$$

$$= U_0 \left[\frac{1}{R}x + \lambda^2 R \left(\frac{x^2}{r_0^3} - \frac{x}{r_0^2}\right)\right]$$

$$= U_0 \left[\frac{1}{R}x + \lambda^2 R \left(\frac{x^2}{(\lambda R)^3} - \frac{x}{(\lambda R)^2}\right)\right]$$

$$= \frac{U_0 x^2}{\lambda R^2}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{2U_0}{\lambda R^2}\right) x^2$$

$$\omega = \sqrt{\frac{k}{m}}$$

 $=\sqrt{\frac{2U_0}{\lambda mR^2}}$ 

(a)

$$x(t) = A_x \cos \omega_x t$$

$$y(t) = A_y \cos(\omega_y t - \delta)$$

$$\frac{\omega_x}{\omega_y} = \frac{p}{q}$$

$$\omega_x \tau = 2\pi p$$

$$\omega_y \tau = 2\pi q$$

$$(\omega_x + \omega_y)\tau = 2\pi (p + q)$$

$$\tau = \frac{2\pi (p + q)}{\omega_x + \omega_y}$$

$$x(\tau) = A_x \cos \left(\omega_x \frac{2\pi (p + q)}{\omega_x + \omega_y}\right)$$

$$= A_x \cos \left(\frac{2\pi (p + q)}{1 + \omega_y/\omega_x}\right)$$

$$= A_x \cos \left(\frac{2\pi (p + q)}{1 + q/p}\right)$$

$$= A_x \cos \left(2\pi \frac{p(p + q)}{p + q}\right)$$

$$y(\tau) = A_y \cos \left(\omega_y \frac{2\pi (p + q)}{\omega_x + \omega_y} - \delta\right)$$

$$= A_y \cos \left(2\pi \frac{p + q}{1 + \omega_x/\omega_y} - \delta\right)$$

$$= A_y \cos \left(2\pi \frac{q(p + q)}{p + q} - \delta\right)$$

5.23

$$\frac{dE}{dt} = m\dot{x}\ddot{x} + kx\dot{x}$$
$$= \dot{x}(m\ddot{x} + kx)$$
$$= -b\dot{x}^{2}$$

5.25

(a)  $\tau = \frac{2\pi}{\omega_1}$ 

(b) 
$$0 = Ae^{-\beta t}\cos\omega_1 t$$
 
$$= \cos\omega_1 t$$

$$t = \frac{\frac{\pi}{2} + n\pi}{\omega_1}, n \in \mathbb{Z}$$

The time between successive zeroes is  $\pi/\omega_1$ . The period  $\tau$  is twice this.

$$e^{-\beta\tau} = e^{-(\omega_0/2)(2\pi/\omega_1)}$$

$$= e^{-\pi\omega_0/\omega_1}$$

$$= e^{-\pi\omega_0/\sqrt{\omega_0^2 - (\omega_0/2)^2}}$$

$$= e^{-\pi\omega_0/\sqrt{3\omega_0^2/4}}$$

$$= e^{-\pi\sqrt{4/3}}$$

$$\approx 0.027$$

$$\tau_0 = 1 \text{ s}$$

$$\omega_0 = 2\pi f$$

$$= \frac{2\pi}{\tau}$$

$$= 2\pi \text{ rad/s}$$

$$\frac{1}{2} = e^{-\beta \tau_1}$$

$$= e^{-2\pi \beta/\omega_1}$$

$$= e^{-2\pi \beta/\sqrt{\omega_0^2 - \beta^2}}$$

$$\ln \frac{1}{2} = -\frac{2\pi \beta}{\sqrt{\omega_0^2 - \beta^2}}$$

$$\sqrt{\omega_0^2 - \beta^2} \ln \frac{1}{2} = -2\pi \beta$$

$$(\omega_0^2 - \beta^2) \ln^2 \frac{1}{2} = 4\pi^2 \beta^2$$

$$\omega_0^2 \ln^2 \frac{1}{2} = \left(4\pi^2 + \ln^2 \frac{1}{2}\right) \beta^2$$

$$\beta = \pm \frac{\ln \frac{1}{2}}{\sqrt{4\pi^2 + \ln^2 \frac{1}{2}}} \omega_0$$

$$\approx 0.11\omega_0$$

$$\tau_1 = \frac{2\pi}{\omega_1}$$

$$= \frac{2\pi}{\sqrt{\omega_0^2 - \beta^2}}$$

$$= \frac{2\pi}{\sqrt{\omega_0^2 - 0.0121\omega_0^2}}$$

$$\approx 1.006 \text{ s}$$

## 5.43

(a)

$$4mg = 4kx$$

$$k = \frac{mg}{x}$$

$$\approx 4 \times 10^4 \,\text{N/m}$$

(b) 
$$\omega_0 = \sqrt{\frac{2k}{m}} = 40\,\mathrm{rad/s} \approx 6\,\mathrm{Hz}$$

(c)  $5\,\mathrm{m/s} \approx 18\,\mathrm{km/h}$ 

# 6 Calculus of Variations

## 6.5

$$|AP| = \frac{|AB|}{2}\operatorname{crd}\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - \theta\right)$$

$$= \frac{|AB|}{2}2\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - \theta\right)$$

$$= |AB|\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{\theta}{2}\right)$$

$$|PB| = \frac{|AB|}{2}\operatorname{crd}\left(\frac{\pi}{2} + \theta\right)$$

$$= \frac{|AB|}{2}2\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2} + \theta\right)$$

$$= \frac{|AB|}{2}\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{\theta}{2}\right)$$

$$= |AB|\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{\theta}{2}\right)$$

$$S = |AP| + |PB|$$

$$= |AB|\left[\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{\theta}{2}\right) + \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{\theta}{2}\right)\right]$$

$$\frac{dS}{d\theta} = |AB|\left[-\frac{1}{2}\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{\theta}{2}\right) + \frac{1}{2}\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{\theta}{2}\right)\right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}|AB|\left[\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{\theta}{2}\right) - \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{\theta}{2}\right)\right]$$

$$\frac{dS}{d\theta} = 0$$

$$\frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{\theta}{2} = \frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{\theta}{2}$$

$$\theta = 0$$

$$\frac{d^2S}{d\theta^2} = -\frac{1}{4}|AB|\left[\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{\theta}{2}\right) + \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{\theta}{2}\right)\right]$$

$$\frac{d^2S}{d\theta^2} = -\frac{1}{4}|AB|\left[\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{\theta}{2}\right) + \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{\theta}{2}\right)\right]$$

 $\frac{dS}{d\theta}=0$  and  $\frac{d^2S}{d\theta^2}<0$  at  $\theta=0$  so it is a maximum.

$$S = \int_{P}^{Q} dS$$

$$= \int_{P}^{Q} \sqrt{(R d\phi)^{2} + (dz)^{2}}$$

$$= \int_{z_{1}}^{z_{2}} \sqrt{1 + \left(R \frac{d\phi}{dz}\right)^{2}} dz$$

$$f\left(z, \phi, \frac{d\phi}{dz}\right) = \sqrt{1 + \left(R \frac{d\phi}{dz}\right)^{2}}$$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial \phi} = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial \phi} = \frac{R^{2} \frac{d\phi}{dz}}{\sqrt{1 + \left(R \frac{d\phi}{dz}\right)^{2}}}$$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial \phi} - \frac{d}{dz} \frac{\partial f}{\partial \phi'} = 0$$

$$\frac{R^{2} \frac{d\phi}{dz}}{\sqrt{1 + \left(R \frac{d\phi}{dz}\right)^{2}}} = c_{1}$$

$$R^{4} \left(\frac{d\phi}{dz}\right)^{2} = c_{1} \left[1 + \left(R \frac{d\phi}{dz}\right)^{2}\right]$$

$$(R^{4} - c_{1}R^{2}) \left(\frac{d\phi}{dz}\right)^{2} = c_{1}$$

$$\frac{d\phi}{dz} = \sqrt{\frac{c_{1}}{R^{4} - c_{1}R^{2}}}$$

$$= c_{2}$$

$$\phi = c_{2}z + c_{3}$$

$$f(x, y, y') = y'^2 + yy' + y^2$$

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

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

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial f}{\partial y'} = 2y'' + y'$$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial y} - \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial f}{\partial y'} = 0$$

$$y' + 2y - 2y'' - y' = 0$$

$$y'' = y$$

$$y = c_1 e^x + c_2 e^{-x}$$

$$y(0) = 0$$

$$= c_1 + c_2$$

$$y(1) = 1$$

$$= c_1 e + c_2 e^{-1}$$

$$1 = -c_2 e + c_2 e^{-1}$$

$$1 = -c_2 e + c_2 e^{-1}$$

$$c_2 = \frac{1}{e^{-1} - e}$$

$$c_1 = \frac{1}{e^{-1} - e}$$

$$c_1 = \frac{1}{e^{-e^{-1}}}$$

$$y = \frac{e^x}{e^- e^{-1}} + \frac{e^{-x}}{e^{-1} - e}$$

$$= \frac{e^x - e^{-x}}{e^- e^{-1}}$$

$$= \frac{\sinh x}{\sinh 1}$$

$$f(x, y, y') = \sqrt{x(1 + y'^2)}$$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = 0$$

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

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

$$\frac{\sqrt{xy'}}{\sqrt{1 + y'^2}} = c_1$$

$$xy'^2 = c_1(1 + y'^2)$$

$$(x - c_1)y'^2 = c_1$$

$$y' = \sqrt{\frac{c_1}{x - c_1}}$$

$$y = 2c_1\sqrt{\frac{x - c_1}{c_1}} + c_2$$

# 7 Lagrange's Equations

$$K = \frac{1}{2}m\mathbf{v}^{2}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}m(\dot{x}^{2} + \dot{y}^{2} + \dot{z}^{2})$$

$$U = mgz$$

$$\mathcal{L} = K - U$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}m(\dot{x}^{2} + \dot{y}^{2} + \dot{z}^{2}) - mgz$$

$$F_{x} = \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial x}$$

$$= 0$$

$$F_{y} = \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial y}$$

$$= 0$$

$$F_{z} = \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial z}$$

$$= -mg$$

$$\mathcal{L} = K - U$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}m(\dot{x}^2 + \dot{y}^2) - \frac{1}{2}k(x^2 + y^2)$$

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

$$m\ddot{x} = -kx$$

$$\frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial y} = \frac{d}{dt}\frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \dot{y}}$$

$$m\ddot{y} = -ky$$

The mass is a harmonic oscillator in each dimension.

7.5

$$\begin{split} df &= \frac{\partial f}{\partial r} \, dr + \frac{\partial f}{\partial \theta} \, d\theta \\ d\mathbf{r} &= dr + r \, d\theta \\ df &= \nabla f \cdot d\mathbf{r} \\ &= (\nabla f)_r \, dr + (\nabla f)_\theta r \, d\theta \\ (\nabla f)_r &= \frac{\partial f}{\partial r} \\ (\nabla f)_\theta &= \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial f}{\partial \theta} \\ \nabla f &= \frac{\partial f}{\partial r} \, dr + \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial f}{\partial \theta} \, d\theta \end{split}$$

7.7

(a)

$$m_i \ddot{\mathbf{r}}_i = -\nabla U_i$$

(b)

$$\mathcal{L}(\mathbf{r}_1,\ldots,\mathbf{r}_n,\dot{\mathbf{r}}_1,\ldots,\dot{\mathbf{r}}_n) = \frac{1}{2}m_1\dot{r}_1^2 + \ldots + \frac{1}{2}m_n\dot{r}_n^2 - U(\mathbf{r}_1,\ldots,\mathbf{r}_n)$$

$$x = R\cos\phi$$
$$y = R\sin\phi$$
$$\phi = \arctan\frac{y}{x}$$

$$x = A\cos\omega t + l\sin\phi$$

$$y = l\cos\phi$$

$$\phi = \arctan\frac{x - A\cos\omega t}{y}$$

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$$\mathcal{L} = K - U$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}(m_1 + m_2)\dot{x}^2 + m_2 g x$$

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

$$(m_1 + m_2)\ddot{x} = m_2 g$$

$$\ddot{x} = \frac{m_2}{m_1 + m_2} g$$

$$\mathcal{L} = K - U$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}m_1\dot{x}^2 + \frac{1}{2}I\omega^2 + \frac{1}{2}m_2\dot{x}^2 - (m_2gx - m_1gx)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}\left(m_1 + m_2 + \frac{I}{R^2}\right)\dot{x}^2 + (m_1 - m_2)gx$$

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

$$(m_1 - m_2)g = \left(m_1 + m_2 + \frac{I}{R^2}\right)\ddot{x}$$

$$\ddot{x} = \frac{(m_1 - m_2)g}{m_1 + m_2 + \frac{I}{R^2}}$$

$$\mathcal{L} = K - U$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}mv^{2}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}m[\dot{r}^{2} + (r\dot{\phi})^{2}]$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}m(\dot{r}^{2} + r^{2}\omega^{2})$$

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

$$m\ddot{r} = mr\omega^{2}$$

$$\ddot{r} = r\omega^{2}$$

$$r = c_{1}e^{\omega t} + c_{2}e^{-\omega t}$$

If the bead is initially at rest at the origin

$$0 = c_1 + c_2$$

$$0 = c_1\omega - c_2\omega$$

$$= c_1 - c_2$$

$$c_1 = 0$$

$$c_2 = 0$$

thus the bead stays at the origin.

If it is released from a point  $r_0 > 0$ 

$$r_{0} = c_{1} + c_{2}$$

$$0 = c_{1} - c_{2}$$

$$c_{1} = c_{2}$$

$$= \frac{r_{0}}{2}$$

$$r = \frac{r_{0}}{2} (e^{\omega t} + e^{-\omega t})$$

r eventually grows as  $\frac{r_0}{2}e^{\omega t}$ .

$$K = \frac{1}{2}mv^{2}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}m(\dot{x} + \dot{X})^{2}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}m(\dot{x} - A\omega\sin\omega t)^{2}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}m(\dot{x}^{2} - 2\dot{x}A\omega\sin\omega t + A^{2}\omega^{2}\sin^{2}\omega t)$$

$$U = \frac{1}{2}kx^{2}$$

$$\mathcal{L} = K - U$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}m(\dot{x}^{2} - 2\dot{x}A\omega\sin\omega t + A^{2}\omega^{2}\sin^{2}\omega t) - \frac{1}{2}kx^{2}$$

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

$$-kx = \frac{d}{dt}\left[\frac{1}{2}m(2\dot{x} - 2A\omega\sin\omega t)\right]$$

$$= m\ddot{x} - Am\omega^{2}\cos\omega t$$

$$\ddot{x} + \frac{k}{m}x = A\omega^{2}\cos\omega t$$

$$\ddot{x} + \omega_{0}^{2}x = B\cos\omega t$$

$$K = \frac{1}{2}(4m)\dot{x}_{1}^{2} + \frac{1}{2}(3m)(\dot{x}_{1} - \dot{x}_{2})^{2} + \frac{1}{2}m(\dot{x}_{1} + \dot{x}_{2})^{2}$$

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

$$= \frac{1}{2}m(4\dot{x}_{1}^{2} + 3\dot{x}_{1}^{2} - 6\dot{x}_{1}\dot{x}_{2} + 3\dot{x}_{2}^{2} + \dot{x}_{1}^{2} + 2\dot{x}_{1}\dot{x}_{2} + \dot{x}_{2}^{2})$$

$$= 2m(2\dot{x}_{1}^{2} - \dot{x}_{1}\dot{x}_{2} + \dot{x}_{2}^{2})$$

$$U = 4mgx_{1} + 3mg(x_{2} - x_{1}) - mg(x_{1} + x_{2})$$

$$= mg(4x_{1} + 3x_{2} - 3x_{1} - x_{1} - x_{2})$$

$$= 2mgx_{2}$$

$$\mathcal{L} = K - U$$

$$= 2m(2\dot{x}_{1}^{2} - \dot{x}_{1}\dot{x}_{2} + \dot{x}_{2}^{2}) - 2mgx_{2}$$

$$\frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial x_{1}} = \frac{d}{dt}\frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \dot{x}_{1}}$$

$$0 = \frac{d}{dt}(8m\dot{x}_{1} - 2m\dot{x}_{2})$$

$$= 8m\ddot{x}_{1} - 2m\ddot{x}_{2}$$

$$\ddot{x}_{1} = \frac{1}{4}\ddot{x}_{2}$$

$$\frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial x_{2}} = \frac{d}{dt}\frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \dot{x}_{2}}$$

$$-2mg = \frac{d}{dt}(-2m\dot{x}_{1} + 4m\dot{x}_{2})$$

$$= -2m\ddot{x}_{1} + 4m\ddot{x}_{2}$$

$$\ddot{x}_{2} = \frac{1}{2}\ddot{x}_{1} - \frac{1}{2}g$$

$$\ddot{x}_{1} = \frac{1}{4}\left(\frac{1}{2}\ddot{x}_{1} - \frac{1}{2}g\right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{8}\ddot{x}_{1} - \frac{1}{8}g$$

$$\ddot{x}_{1} = -\frac{1}{8}g$$

$$\ddot{x}_{1} = -\frac{1}{8}g$$

$$\ddot{x}_{1} = -\frac{1}{7}g$$

The acceleration of the mass 4m is  $\frac{1}{7}g$  downwards.

$$\begin{split} x &= R\cos\omega t + l\sin\phi\\ \dot{x} &= -R\omega\sin\omega t + l\dot{\phi}\cos\phi\\ y &= R\sin\omega t - l\cos\phi\\ \dot{y} &= R\omega\cos\omega t + l\dot{\phi}\sin\phi\\ K &= \frac{1}{2}mv^2\\ &= \frac{1}{2}m(\dot{x}^2 + \dot{y}^2)\\ &= \frac{1}{2}m[R^2\omega^2 + l^2\dot{\phi}^2 + 2R\omega l\dot{\phi}\sin(\phi - \omega t)]\\ U &= mgy\\ &= mg(R\sin\omega t - l\cos\phi)\\ \mathcal{L} &= K - U\\ &= \frac{1}{2}m[R^2\omega^2 + l^2\dot{\phi}^2 + 2R\omega l\dot{\phi}\sin(\phi - \omega t)] - mg(R\sin\omega t - l\cos\phi) \end{split}$$

$$\frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \phi} = \frac{d}{dt} \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \dot{\phi}}$$

$$mR\omega l \dot{\phi} \cos(\phi - \omega t) - mgl \sin \phi = \frac{d}{dt} [ml^2 \dot{\phi} + mR\omega l \sin(\phi - \omega t)]$$

$$= ml^2 \ddot{\phi} + mR\omega l \cos(\phi - \omega t)(\dot{\phi} - \omega)$$

$$l \ddot{\phi} = R\omega^2 \cos(\phi - \omega t) - g \sin \phi$$

$$X = x + L\sin\phi$$
 
$$\dot{X} = \dot{x} + L\dot{\phi}\cos\phi$$
 
$$y = -L\cos\phi$$
 
$$\dot{y} = L\dot{\phi}\sin\phi$$

$$\begin{split} K &= \frac{1}{2} m \dot{x}^2 + \frac{1}{2} M v^2 \\ &= \frac{1}{2} (m+M) \dot{x}^2 + \frac{1}{2} L M \dot{\phi} (2 \dot{x} \cos \phi + L \dot{\phi}) \end{split}$$

$$U = \frac{1}{2}kx^2 - MgL\cos\phi$$

$$\mathcal{L} = \frac{1}{2}(m+M)\dot{x}^{2} + \frac{1}{2}LM\dot{\phi}(2\dot{x}\cos\phi + L\dot{\phi}) - \frac{1}{2}kx^{2} + MgL\cos\phi$$

$$\begin{split} \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial x} &= \frac{d}{dt} \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \dot{x}} \\ -kx &= (m+M) \ddot{x} + LM (\ddot{\phi} \cos \phi - \dot{\phi}^2 \sin \phi) \end{split}$$

$$\frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \phi} = \frac{d}{dt} \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \dot{\phi}}$$

 $M(L\ddot{\phi} + \ddot{x}\cos\phi) = -Mg\sin\phi$ 

$$-kx = (m+M)\ddot{x} + LM(\ddot{\phi} - \phi\dot{\phi}^2)$$
$$\approx (m+M)\ddot{x} + LM\ddot{\phi}$$

$$M(L\ddot{\phi} + \ddot{x}) = -Mg\phi$$

$$X = -x \cos \omega t$$

$$\dot{X} = -\dot{x} \cos \omega t + \omega x \sin \omega t$$

$$y = x \sin \omega t$$

$$\dot{y} = \dot{x} \sin \omega t + \omega x \cos \omega t$$

$$v^2 = \dot{X}^2 + \dot{y}^2$$

$$= (-\dot{x} \cos \omega t + \omega x \sin \omega t)^2 + (\dot{x} \sin \omega t + \omega x \cos \omega t)^2$$

$$= \dot{x}^2 + \omega^2 x^2$$

$$K = \frac{1}{2} m v^2$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} m (\dot{x}^2 + \omega^2 x^2)$$

$$U = mgy$$

$$= mgx \sin \omega t$$

$$\mathcal{L} = K - U$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} m (\dot{x}^2 + \omega^2 x^2) - mgx \sin \omega t$$

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

$$\ddot{x} - \omega^2 x = -g \sin \omega t$$

$$x = x_0 \cosh \omega t + \frac{g}{2\omega^2} (\sin \omega - \sinh \omega t)$$

$$\begin{split} x &= R\cos\omega t + R\cos(\omega t + \phi) \\ \dot{x} &= -R[\omega\sin\omega t + (\omega + \dot{\phi})\sin(\omega t + \phi)] \\ y &= R[\sin\omega t + \sin(\omega t + \phi)] \\ \dot{y} &= R[\omega\cos\omega t + (\omega + \dot{\phi})\cos(\omega t + \phi)] \\ v^2 &= R^2[\omega^2 + (\omega + \dot{\phi})^2 + 2\omega(\omega + \dot{\phi})\cos\phi] \\ \mathcal{L} &= K - U \\ &= \frac{1}{2}mv^2 \\ &= \frac{1}{2}mR^2[\omega^2 + (\omega + \dot{\phi})^2 + 2\omega(\omega + \dot{\phi})\cos\phi] \end{split}$$

$$\frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \phi} = \frac{d}{dt} \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \dot{\phi}}$$
$$-m\omega(\omega + \dot{\phi})R^2 \sin \phi = mR^2(\ddot{\phi} - \omega \dot{\phi} \sin \phi)$$
$$-\omega^2 \sin \phi = \ddot{\phi}$$

This is the equation of motion for a simple pendulum. For small  $\phi$  the angular frequency is  $\omega$ .

## 7.37

(a)

$$\begin{split} K &= \frac{1}{2}m\dot{r}^2 + \frac{1}{2}I\omega^2 + \frac{1}{2}m\dot{r}^2 \\ &= m\dot{r}^2 + \frac{1}{2}mr^2\dot{\phi}^2 \\ U &= mgr \\ \mathcal{L} &= K - U \\ &= m\dot{r}^2 + \frac{1}{2}mr^2\dot{\phi}^2 - mgr \end{split}$$

(b)

$$\frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial r} = \frac{d}{dt} \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \dot{r}}$$
$$mr\dot{\phi}^2 - mg = \frac{d}{dt} (2m\dot{r})$$
$$= 2m\ddot{r}$$

$$\frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \phi} = \frac{d}{dt} \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \dot{\phi}}$$
$$0 = \frac{d}{dt} (mr^2 \dot{\phi})$$
$$\ell = mr^2 \dot{\phi}$$

$$\dot{\phi} = \frac{\ell}{mr^2}$$

$$mr \left(\frac{\ell}{mr^2}\right)^2 - mg = 2m\ddot{r}$$

$$\frac{\ell^2}{mr^3} - mg = 2m\ddot{r}$$

$$m\ddot{r} = \frac{\ell^2}{2mr^3} - \frac{mg}{2}$$

$$\frac{\ell^2}{2mr_0^3} - \frac{mg}{2} = 0$$

$$\frac{2mr_0^3}{\ell^2} = \frac{2}{mg}$$

$$r_0 = \sqrt[3]{\frac{\ell^2}{m^2g}}$$

$$K = \frac{1}{2}m\dot{r}^2 + \frac{1}{2}I_{\theta}\dot{\theta}^2 + \frac{1}{2}I_{\phi}\dot{\phi}^2$$

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

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

$$\mathcal{L} = K - U$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}m[\dot{r}^2 + (r\dot{\theta})^2 + (r\sin\theta\dot{\phi})^2] - U(r)$$

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

$$mr\dot{\theta}^2 + mr\sin^2\theta\dot{\phi}^2 - \frac{dU(r)}{dr} = m\ddot{r}$$

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

$$mr^2\sin\theta\cos\theta\dot{\phi}^2 = \frac{d}{dt}(mr^2\dot{\theta})$$

$$\frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \phi} = \frac{d}{dt} \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \dot{\phi}}$$

$$0 = \frac{d}{dt}(mr^2\sin^2\theta\dot{\phi})$$

- (c) The motion remains in the equatorial plane.
- (d) The motion remains on that line of longitude.

$$z = k\rho^{2}$$

$$\dot{z} = 2k\rho\dot{\rho}$$

$$\phi = \omega t$$

$$\dot{\phi} = \omega$$

$$K = \frac{1}{2}m\dot{\rho}^{2} + \frac{1}{2}I_{\phi}\omega^{2} + \frac{1}{2}m\dot{z}^{2}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}m\dot{\rho}^{2} + \frac{1}{2}m\rho^{2}\omega^{2} + \frac{1}{2}m(2k\rho\dot{\rho})^{2}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}m[\dot{\rho}^{2} + (\rho\omega)^{2} + (2k\rho\dot{\rho})^{2}]$$

$$U = mgz$$

$$= mgk\rho^{2}$$

$$\mathcal{L} = K - U$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}m[\dot{\rho}^{2} + (\rho\omega)^{2} + (2k\rho\dot{\rho})^{2}] - mgk\rho^{2}$$

$$\frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \rho} = \frac{d}{dt}\frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \dot{\rho}}$$

$$m\rho\omega^{2} + 4mk^{2}\rho\dot{\rho}^{2} - 2mgk\rho = \frac{d}{dt}(m\dot{\rho} + 4mk^{2}\rho^{2}\dot{\rho})$$

$$= m\ddot{\rho} + 8mk^{2}\rho\dot{\rho}^{2} + 4mk^{2}\rho^{2}\ddot{\rho}$$

$$(1 + 4k^{2}\rho^{2})\ddot{\rho} + 4k^{2}\rho\dot{\rho}^{2} = (\omega^{2} - 2gk)\rho$$

# 8 Two-Body Central Force Problems

$$\begin{split} &\mathbf{r}_{1} = \mathbf{R} + \frac{m_{2}}{M}\mathbf{r} \\ &= \frac{m_{1}\mathbf{r}_{1} + m_{2}\mathbf{r}_{2}}{M} + \frac{m_{2}}{M}(\mathbf{r}_{1} - \mathbf{r}_{2}) \\ &= \frac{(m_{1} + m_{2})\mathbf{r}_{1}}{M} \\ &= \mathbf{r}_{1} \\ &\mathbf{r}_{2} = \mathbf{R} - \frac{m_{1}}{M}\mathbf{r} \\ &= \frac{m_{1}\mathbf{r}_{1} + m_{2}\mathbf{r}_{2}}{M} - \frac{m_{1}}{M}(\mathbf{r}_{1} - \mathbf{r}_{2}) \\ &= \frac{(m_{1} + m_{2})\mathbf{r}_{2}}{M} \\ &= \mathbf{r}_{2} \\ &K = \frac{1}{2}M\dot{\mathbf{R}}^{2} + \frac{1}{2}\mu\dot{\mathbf{r}}^{2} \\ &= \frac{1}{2}M\left(\frac{m_{1}\dot{\mathbf{r}}_{1} + m_{2}\dot{\mathbf{r}}_{2}}{M}\right)^{2} + \frac{1}{2}\frac{m_{1}m_{2}}{M}(\dot{\mathbf{r}}_{1} - \dot{\mathbf{r}}_{2})^{2} \\ &= \frac{1}{2}\frac{m_{1}^{2}\dot{\mathbf{r}}_{1}^{2} + m_{1}m_{2}\dot{\mathbf{r}}_{1}\dot{\mathbf{r}}_{2} + m_{2}^{2}\dot{\mathbf{r}}_{2}^{2}}{M} + \frac{1}{2}\frac{m_{1}m_{2}}{M}(\dot{\mathbf{r}}_{1}^{2} - 2\dot{\mathbf{r}}_{1}\dot{\mathbf{r}}_{2} + \dot{\mathbf{r}}_{2}^{2}) \\ &= \frac{1}{2}\left(\frac{m_{1}^{2} + m_{1}m_{2}}{M}\dot{\mathbf{r}}_{1}^{2} + \frac{m_{2}^{2} + m_{1}m_{2}}{M}\dot{\mathbf{r}}_{2}^{2}\right) \\ &= \frac{1}{2}m_{1}\dot{\mathbf{r}}_{1}^{2} + \frac{1}{2}m_{2}\dot{\mathbf{r}}_{2}^{2} \end{split}$$

$$\begin{split} \mathcal{L} &= K - U \\ &= \frac{1}{2} m_1 \dot{\mathbf{r}}_1^2 + \frac{1}{2} m_2 \dot{\mathbf{r}}_2^2 - m_1 g z_1 - m_2 g z_2 - U(r) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} m_1 \left( \dot{\mathbf{R}} + \frac{m_2}{M} \dot{\mathbf{r}} \right)^2 + \frac{1}{2} m_2 \left( \dot{\mathbf{R}} - \frac{m_1}{M} \dot{\mathbf{r}} \right)^2 - m_1 g \left( Z + \frac{m_2}{M} z \right) \\ &- m_2 g \left( Z - \frac{m_1}{M} z \right) - U(r) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} m_1 \left( \dot{\mathbf{R}}^2 + 2 \frac{m_2}{M} \dot{\mathbf{r}} \dot{\mathbf{R}} + \frac{m_2^2}{M^2} \dot{\mathbf{r}}^2 \right) + \frac{1}{2} m_2 \left( \dot{\mathbf{R}}^2 - 2 \frac{m_1}{M} \dot{\mathbf{r}} \dot{\mathbf{R}} + \frac{m_1^2}{M^2} \dot{\mathbf{r}}^2 \right) \\ &- m_1 g \left( Z + \frac{m_2}{M} z \right) - m_2 g \left( Z - \frac{m_1}{M} z \right) - U(r) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} M \dot{\mathbf{R}}^2 + \frac{1}{2} \mu \dot{\mathbf{r}}^2 - M g Z - U(r) \\ &= \left( \frac{1}{2} M \dot{\mathbf{R}}^2 - M g Z \right) + \left( \frac{1}{2} \mu \dot{\mathbf{r}}^2 - U(r) \right) \\ &= \mathcal{L}_{\text{cm}} + \mathcal{L}_{\text{rel}} \end{split}$$

$$\dot{\mathbf{R}} = \frac{m_1 \dot{\mathbf{r}}_1 + m_2 \dot{\mathbf{r}}_2}{M}$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{cm} = \frac{1}{2} M \dot{\mathbf{R}}^2 - M g Z$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} M (\dot{X}^2 + \dot{Y}^2 + \dot{Z}^2) - M g Z$$

$$\frac{\partial \mathcal{L}_{cm}}{\partial Z} = \frac{d}{dt} \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}_{cm}}{\partial \dot{Z}}$$

$$-M g = M \ddot{Z}$$

$$Z = \dot{R}_0 t - \frac{1}{2} g t^2$$

$$= \frac{m_1}{M} v_0 t - \frac{1}{2} g t^2$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{rel} = \frac{1}{2} \mu \dot{\mathbf{r}}^2 - \frac{1}{2} k (r - L)^2$$

$$\frac{\partial \mathcal{L}_{rel}}{\partial r} = \frac{d}{dt} \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}_{rel}}{\partial \dot{r}}$$

$$-k (r - L) = \mu \ddot{r}$$

$$\omega = \sqrt{\frac{k}{\mu}}$$

$$r = \frac{v_0}{\omega} \sin \omega t + L$$

$$z_1 = Z + \frac{m_2}{M} r$$

$$= \frac{m_1}{M} v_0 t - \frac{1}{2} g t^2 + \frac{m_2}{M} \left( \frac{v_0}{\omega} \sin \omega t + L \right)$$

$$z_2 = Z - \frac{m_1}{M} r$$

$$= \frac{m_1}{M} v_0 t - \frac{1}{2} g t^2 - \frac{m_1}{M} \left( \frac{v_0}{\omega} \sin \omega t + L \right)$$

(a)

$$m_1 \frac{v^2}{r} = \frac{Gm_1m_2}{r^2}$$

$$v = \sqrt{\frac{Gm_2}{r}}$$

$$T = \frac{2\pi r}{v}$$

$$= 2\pi r \sqrt{\frac{r}{Gm_2}}$$

(b)

$$\mathcal{L} = \frac{1}{2}\mu(\dot{r}^2 + r^2\dot{\phi}^2) + \frac{GM\mu}{r}$$

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

$$\mu r\dot{\phi}^2 - \frac{GM\mu}{r^2} = \mu \ddot{r}$$

$$r\left(\frac{v}{r}\right)^2 = \frac{GM}{r}$$

$$v = \sqrt{\frac{GM}{r}}$$

$$T = \frac{2\pi r}{v}$$

$$= \frac{2\pi r^{3/2}}{\sqrt{GM}}$$

This is equal to the period found in part (a) when  $m_2 \to \infty$ .

(c)  $T = 0.703 \, \text{years}$ 

$$\begin{split} \mathcal{L} &= \frac{1}{2} m_1 \dot{\mathbf{r}}_1^2 + \frac{1}{2} m_2 \dot{\mathbf{r}}_2^2 - \frac{1}{2} k (|\mathbf{r}_1 - \mathbf{r}_2| - L)^2 \\ &= \frac{1}{2} m_1 \left( \dot{\mathbf{R}} + \frac{m_2}{M} \dot{\mathbf{r}} \right)^2 + \frac{1}{2} m_2 \left( \dot{\mathbf{R}} - \frac{m_1}{M} \dot{\mathbf{r}} \right)^2 - \frac{1}{2} k (r - L)^2 \\ &= \frac{1}{2} m_1 \left( \dot{\mathbf{R}}^2 + 2 \frac{m_2}{M} \dot{\mathbf{r}} \dot{\mathbf{R}} + \frac{m_2^2}{M^2} \dot{\mathbf{r}}^2 \right) + \frac{1}{2} m_2 \left( \dot{\mathbf{R}}^2 - 2 \frac{m_1}{M} \dot{\mathbf{r}} \dot{\mathbf{R}} + \frac{m_1^2}{M^2} \dot{\mathbf{r}}^2 \right) \\ &- \frac{1}{2} k (r - L)^2 \\ &= \frac{1}{2} M \dot{\mathbf{R}}^2 + \frac{1}{2} \mu \dot{\mathbf{r}}^2 - \frac{1}{2} k (r - L)^2 \\ &= \frac{1}{2} M (\dot{X}^2 + \dot{Y}^2) + \frac{1}{2} \mu (\dot{r}^2 + r^2 \dot{\phi}^2) - \frac{1}{2} k (r - L)^2 \end{split}$$

## (b)

$$\frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial X} = \frac{d}{dt} \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \dot{X}}$$
$$0 = M \ddot{X}$$
$$X = \dot{X}_0 t + X_0$$

$$\frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial Y} = \frac{d}{dt} \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \dot{Y}}$$
$$0 = M\ddot{Y}$$
$$Y = \dot{Y}_0 t + Y_0$$

$$\frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial Z} = \frac{d}{dt} \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \dot{Z}}$$
$$0 = M\ddot{Z}$$
$$Z = \dot{Z}_0 t + Z_0$$

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

$$\mu r \dot{\phi}^2 - k(r - L) = \mu \ddot{r}$$

$$\frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \phi} = \frac{d}{dt} \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \dot{\phi}}$$

$$0 = \frac{d}{dt} (\mu r^2 \dot{\phi})$$

$$\mu r^2 \dot{\phi} = \ell$$

r remains constant:

$$\mu r \dot{\phi}^2 - k(r - L) = 0$$
 
$$\dot{\phi} = \sqrt{\frac{k(r - L)}{\mu r}}$$
 
$$r = \frac{\mu r \dot{\phi}^2}{k} + L$$

 $\phi$  remains constant:

$$\mu \ddot{r} = -k(r - L)$$

$$\ddot{r} = -\frac{k}{\mu}(r - L)$$

$$= -\frac{2k}{m_1}(r - L)$$

$$= -\omega^2(r - L)$$

$$\omega = \sqrt{\frac{2k}{m_1}}$$

$$r = L + A\cos(\omega t - \delta)$$

$$U_{\text{eff}}(r) = U(r) + U_{\text{cf}}(r)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}kr^2 + \frac{\ell^2}{2\mu r^2}$$

$$\frac{dU_{\text{eff}}(r)}{dr} = kr - \frac{\ell^2}{\mu r^3}$$

$$0 = kr - \frac{\ell^2}{\mu r^3}$$

$$r = \sqrt[4]{\frac{\ell^2}{\mu k}}$$

(c) 
$$\omega = \sqrt{\frac{4k}{\mu}}$$

$$\tau^2 = \frac{4\pi^2 \mu}{\gamma} a^3$$

$$= \frac{4\pi^2 \mu}{G\mu M} a^3$$

$$= \frac{4\pi^2}{G(M_s + m)} a^3$$

The constant would vary around 0.101%.

$$\frac{r_{\min}}{r_{\max}} = \frac{1-\epsilon}{1+\epsilon}$$

$$0.712 = \frac{1-\epsilon}{1+\epsilon}$$

$$0.712(1+\epsilon) = 1-\epsilon$$

$$1.712\epsilon = 0.288$$

$$\epsilon = 0.168$$

$$c = a(1-\epsilon^2)$$

$$= \frac{r_{\min} + r_{\max}}{2}(1-\epsilon^2)$$

$$= 7795 \text{ km}$$

$$= 1424 \text{ km above the Earth's surface}$$

# 9 Mechanics in Noninertial Frames

#### 9.1

 $\theta = \arctan \frac{A}{g}$  from vertical.

### 9.3

(a)

$$\begin{split} d &= d_0 - R_e \\ &= d_0 (1 - R_e/d_0) \\ d^{-2} &\approx \frac{1 + 2\frac{R_e}{d_0}}{d_0^2} \\ \mathbf{F}_{\text{tid}} &= -GM_m m \left( \frac{\hat{\mathbf{d}}}{d^2} - \frac{\hat{\mathbf{d}}_0}{d_0^2} \right) \\ &\approx -GM_m m \left( \frac{1 + 2\frac{R_e}{d_0}}{d_0^2} - \frac{1}{d_0^2} \right) \hat{\mathbf{x}} \\ &= -\frac{2GM_m m R_e}{d_0^3} \hat{\mathbf{x}} \\ &\approx -(1.1 \times 10^{-6}) m \hat{\mathbf{x}} \\ \frac{F_{\text{tid}}}{mg} &\approx 1.1 \times 10^{-7} \end{split}$$

(b) Same magnitude, opposite direction.

$$\dot{\mathbf{r}} = v_0 (-\cos\theta \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \sin\theta \hat{\mathbf{z}})$$

$$\Omega = \Omega \hat{\mathbf{z}}$$

$$\dot{\mathbf{r}} \times \Omega = \begin{vmatrix} \hat{\mathbf{x}} & \hat{\mathbf{y}} & \hat{\mathbf{z}} \\ -v_0 \cos\theta & 0 & v_0 \sin\theta \\ 0 & 0 & \Omega \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= v_0 \Omega \cos\theta \hat{\mathbf{y}}$$

$$\mathbf{F}_{\text{cor}} = 2m\dot{\mathbf{r}} \times \Omega$$

$$= 2mv_0 \Omega \cos\theta \hat{\mathbf{y}}$$

$$\frac{F_{\text{cor}}}{W} = \frac{2mv_0 \Omega \cos\theta}{mg}$$

$$\approx 1.1\%$$

$$\begin{split} \tan\alpha &= \frac{g_{\rm tan}}{g_{\rm rad}} \\ &= \frac{R_e \Omega^2 \sin\theta \cos\theta}{g} \\ &= \frac{R_e \Omega^2 \sin 2\theta}{2g} \\ \alpha_{\rm max} &= \frac{R_e \Omega^2}{2g} \\ &= 1.7 \times 10^{-3} \, {\rm rad} \\ \alpha_{\rm min} &= 0 \, {\rm rad} \end{split}$$

#### 9.19

- (a) As seen from the ground, the puck moves in a straight line. As seen from the merry-go-round, the puck accelerates to the right and radially outwards — it accelerates radially outwards due to the centrifugal force and to the right due to the coriolis force.
- (b) As seen from the ground, the puck is stationary. As seen from the merry-go-round, the puck moves in a clockwise circle.

### 9.25

$$\alpha = \arctan \frac{2mv\Omega}{mg}$$
$$\approx 2.2 \times 10^{-3} \, \text{rad}$$
$$\approx 0.13^{\circ}$$

The plumb line is deflected to the left.

# 10 Rotational Motion of Rigid Bodies

#### 10.3

In the equation for the centre of mass the four points at the base of the pyramid combine to a zero vector. The centre of mass is thus on the z axis  $\frac{H}{5}$  units up from the origin.

#### 10.5

By symmetry the centre of mass will be on the z axis. Its z coordinate is

$$z = \frac{1}{M} \int z' dm$$

$$= \frac{1}{M} \int z' M \frac{dV}{V}$$

$$= \int_0^R z' \frac{\pi (R^2 - z'^2)}{\frac{2}{3}\pi R^3} dz'$$

$$= \frac{3}{2R^3} \int_0^R (R^2 z' - z'^3) dz'$$

$$= \frac{3}{2R^3} \left[ \frac{1}{2} R^2 z'^2 - \frac{1}{4} z'^4 \right]_0^R$$

$$= \frac{3}{2R^3} \left( \frac{1}{2} R^4 - \frac{1}{4} R^4 \right)$$

$$= \frac{3}{8} R$$

(a)

$$V = \int dV$$

$$= \int_0^R \int_0^{\theta_0} \int_0^{2\pi} r^2 \sin \theta \, dr \, d\theta \, d\phi$$

$$= 2\pi \int_0^R r^2 [-\cos \theta]_0^{\theta_0} \, dr$$

$$= 2\pi (1 - \cos \theta_0) \int_0^R r^2 \, dr$$

$$= \frac{2}{3}\pi R^3 (1 - \cos \theta_0)$$

(b) By symmetry the centre of mass will lie on the z axis, so all other dimensions will cancel and can be ignored.

$$z = \frac{1}{M} \int z' dm$$

$$= \frac{1}{M} \int r \cos \theta M \frac{dV}{V}$$

$$= \frac{1}{V} \int_0^R \int_0^{\theta_0} \int_0^{2\pi} r^3 \cos \theta \sin \theta dr d\theta d\phi$$

$$= \frac{\pi}{V} \int_0^R r^3 \left[ -\frac{1}{2} \cos 2\theta \right]_0^{\theta_0} dr$$

$$= \frac{\pi (1 - \cos 2\theta_0)}{2V} \left[ \frac{1}{4} r^4 \right]_0^R$$

$$= \frac{\pi R^4 (1 - \cos 2\theta_0)}{8V}$$

$$= \frac{3R}{16} \cdot \frac{1 - \cos 2\theta_0}{1 - \cos \theta_0}$$

$$\begin{split} I &= \int \rho^2 \, dm \\ &= \int \rho^2 \varrho \, dV \\ &= \frac{M}{\pi R^2 L} \int_0^R \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^L \rho^3 \, dz \, d\phi \, d\rho \\ &= \frac{2M}{R^2} \left[ \frac{1}{4} \rho^4 \right]_0^R \\ &= \frac{1}{2} M R^2 \end{split}$$

### 10.13

$$\begin{split} L_z &= I\dot{\theta} \\ \dot{L}_z &= \Gamma_z \\ I\ddot{\theta} &= -mga\sin\theta \\ \ddot{\theta} &\approx -\frac{mga}{I}\theta \\ \omega_0 &= \sqrt{\frac{mga}{I}} \end{split}$$

(b) 
$$l = \frac{I}{ma}$$

(a)

$$\begin{split} I &= \int \rho^2 \, dm \\ &= \int_0^a \int_0^a \int_0^a (x^2 + y^2) \frac{M}{a^3} \, dx \, dy \, dz \\ &= \frac{M}{a^2} \int_0^a \left[ \frac{1}{3} x^3 + x y^2 \right]_0^a \, dy \\ &= \frac{M}{a^2} \left[ \frac{1}{3} a^3 y + \frac{1}{3} a y^3 \right]_0^a \\ &= \frac{2}{3} M a^2 \end{split}$$

(b)

$$K_i + U_i = K_f + U_f$$

$$Mgy_i = \frac{1}{2}I\omega_f^2 + Mgy_f$$

$$\frac{\sqrt{2}Mga}{2} = \frac{1}{3}Ma^2\omega_f^2 + \frac{1}{2}Mga$$

$$\omega_f = \sqrt{\frac{3g(\sqrt{2} - 1)}{2a}}$$

### 10.23

Any product of inertia involving z is immediately 0.

$$\begin{split} I_{zz} &= I_{xx} + I_{yy} \\ \int_{V} (x^2 + y^2) \, dm &= \int_{V} (y^2 + z^2) \, dm + \int_{V} (x^2 + z^2) \, dm \\ &= \int_{V} (x^2 + y^2) \, dm \end{split}$$

(a) Because the body is symmetric about the origin on all three principle axes, the products of inertia all cancel to 0. The moments of inertia are

$$I_{xx} = \int (y^2 + z^2) dm$$

$$= \frac{M}{8abc} \int_{-a}^{a} \int_{-b}^{b} \int_{-c}^{c} (y^2 + z^2) dz dy dx$$

$$= \frac{M}{4bc} \int_{-b}^{b} \left[ y^2 z + \frac{1}{3} z^3 \right]_{-c}^{c} dy$$

$$= \frac{M}{2b} \int_{-b}^{b} \left( y^2 + \frac{1}{3} c^2 \right) dy$$

$$= \frac{M}{2b} \left[ \frac{1}{3} y^3 + \frac{1}{3} c^2 y \right]_{-b}^{b}$$

$$= \frac{M}{2b} \left( \frac{2}{3} b^3 + \frac{2}{3} c^2 b \right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{3} M (b^2 + c^2)$$

$$I_{yy} = \frac{1}{3} M (a^2 + c^2)$$

$$I_{zz} = \frac{1}{3} M (a^2 + b^2)$$

$$\mathbf{I} = \frac{1}{3} M \begin{pmatrix} b^2 + c^2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & a^2 + c^2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & a^2 + b^2 \end{pmatrix}$$

(b)

$$\mathbf{I} = \frac{1}{3}M \begin{pmatrix} 4(b^2 + c^2) & -3ab & -3ac \\ -3ab & 4(a^2 + c^2) & -3bc \\ -3ac & -3bc & 4(a^2 + b^2) \end{pmatrix}$$

(c)

$$\begin{split} \mathbf{L} &= \mathbf{I}\boldsymbol{\omega} \\ &= \frac{1}{3}M \begin{pmatrix} 4(b^2 + c^2) & -3ab & -3ac \\ -3ab & 4(a^2 + c^2) & -3bc \\ -3ac & -3bc & 4(a^2 + b^2) \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \omega \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \\ &= \frac{1}{3}M\omega \begin{pmatrix} 4(b^2 + c^2) \\ -3ab \\ -3ac \end{pmatrix} \end{split}$$

$$\mathbf{I} = a^2 m \begin{pmatrix} 10 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 6 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 6 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\det(\mathbf{I} - \lambda \mathbf{1}) = (5a^2m - \lambda)(7a^2m - \lambda)(10a^2m - \lambda)$$
$$\lambda_1 = 5a^2m$$
$$\lambda_2 = 7a^2m$$
$$\lambda_3 = 10a^2m$$
$$\mathbf{K}_1 = (0, -1, 1)$$
$$\mathbf{K}_2 = (0, 1, 1)$$

 $\mathbf{K}_3 = (1, 0, 0)$ 

$$I_{xx} = 24 \int_{0}^{1} \int_{0}^{1-x} y^{2} \, dy \, dx$$

$$= 24 \int_{0}^{1} \left[ \frac{1}{3} y^{3} \right]_{0}^{1-x} \, dx$$

$$= 8 \int_{0}^{1} (1-x)^{3} \, dx$$

$$= 8 \left[ -\frac{1}{4} (1-x)^{4} \right]_{0}^{1}$$

$$= 2$$

$$I_{xy} = 24 \int_{0}^{1} \int_{0}^{1-x} xy \, dy \, dx$$

$$= 24 \int_{0}^{1} \left[ \frac{1}{2} x y^{2} \right]_{0}^{1-x} \, dx$$

$$= 12 \int_{0}^{1} x (1-x)^{2} \, dx$$

$$= 12 \int_{0}^{1} x (1-2x+x^{2}) \, dx$$

$$= 12 \left[ \frac{1}{2} x^{2} - \frac{2}{3} x^{3} + \frac{1}{4} x^{4} \right]_{0}^{1}$$

$$= 1$$

$$I_{xz} = 0$$

$$I_{yy} = 2$$

$$I_{yz} = 0$$

$$I_{zz} = 24 \int_{0}^{1} \int_{0}^{1-x} (x^{2} + y^{2}) \, dy \, dx$$

$$= 24 \int_{0}^{1} \left[ x^{2} y + \frac{1}{3} y^{3} \right]_{0}^{1-x} \, dx$$

$$= 24 \int_{0}^{1} \left[ x^{2} (1-x) + \frac{1}{3} (1-x)^{3} \right] \, dy$$

$$= 24 \left[ \frac{1}{3} x^{3} - \frac{1}{4} x^{4} - \frac{1}{12} (1-x)^{4} \right]_{0}^{1}$$

$$= 4$$

$$I = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 4 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\lambda_1 = 4$$
 $\lambda_2 = 3$ 
 $\lambda_3 = 1$ 
 $\mathbf{K}_1 = (0, 0, 1)$ 
 $\mathbf{K}_2 = (1, 1, 0)$ 
 $\mathbf{K}_3 = (-1, 1, 0)$ 

$$\lambda_3 = \frac{3Mr^2}{10}$$

$$\Omega = \frac{MgR}{\lambda_3\omega}$$

$$= \frac{10gh}{4r^2\omega}$$

$$\approx 21 \, \mathrm{rad/s}$$

# 11 Coupled Oscillators and Normal Modes

 $m_1\ddot{x}_1 = -(k_1 + k_2)x_1 + k_2x_2$ 

#### 11.1

$$k_1(l_1 - L_1) = k_2(l_2 - L_2)$$
  
 $k_2(l_2 - L_2) = k_3(l_3 - L_3)$ 

$$\begin{split} m_2\ddot{x}_2 &= k_2x_1 - (k_2 + k_3)x_2 \\ m_1\ddot{x}_1 &= k_1(l_1 - L_1 - x_1) - k_2(l_2 - L_2 - x_2 + x_1) \\ &= k_1(l_1 - L_1) - k_1x_1 - k_2(l_2 - L_2) + k_2x_2 - k_2x_1 \\ &= -(k_1 + k_2)x_1 + k_2x_2 + k_1(l_1 - L_1) - k_2(l_2 - L_2) \\ &= -(k_1 + k_2)x_1 + k_2x_2 \\ m_2\ddot{x}_2 &= k_2(l_2 - L_2 - x_2 + x_1) - k_3(l_3 - L_3 + x_2) \\ &= k_2(l_2 - L_2) + k_2x_1 - k_2x_2 - k_3(l_3 - L_3) - k_3x_2 \\ &= k_2x_1 - (k_2 + k_3)x_2 + k_2(l_2 - L_2) - k_3(l_3 - L_3) \\ &= k_2x_1 - (k_2 + k_3)x_2 \end{split}$$

$$\mathbf{M} = \begin{bmatrix} m_1 & 0 \\ 0 & m_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{K} = \begin{bmatrix} k_1 + k_2 & -k_2 \\ -k_2 & k_2 + k_3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{K} - \omega^2 \mathbf{M} = \begin{bmatrix} k_1 + k_2 - \omega^2 m_1 & -k_2 \\ -k_2 & k_2 + k_3 - \omega^2 m_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$0 = \det(\mathbf{K} - \omega^2 \mathbf{M})$$

$$= (k_1 + k_2 - \omega^2 m_1)(k_2 + k_3 - \omega^2 m_2) - k_2^2$$

$$\omega^2 = \frac{1}{2m_1 m_2} (m_1 (k_2 + k_3) + m_2 (k_1 + k_2)$$

$$\pm \sqrt{m_1^2 (k_2 + k_3)^2 + m_2^2 (k_1 + k_2)^2 - 2m_1 m_2 (k_2 k_3 + k_1 k_3 + k_1 k_2 - k_2^2)}$$

#### 11.5

$$m\ddot{x}_1 = -kx_1 + k(x_2 - x_1)$$

$$= -2kx_1 + kx_2$$

$$m\ddot{x}_2 = -k(x_2 - x_1)$$

$$= kx_1 - kx_2$$

$$\mathbf{M}\ddot{\mathbf{x}} = -\mathbf{K}\mathbf{x}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} m & 0 \\ 0 & m \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \ddot{x}_1 \\ \ddot{x}_2 \end{bmatrix} = -\begin{bmatrix} 2k & -k \\ -k & k \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{K} - \omega^2 \mathbf{M} = \begin{bmatrix} 2k - \omega^2 m & -k \\ -k & k - \omega^2 m \end{bmatrix}$$

$$0 = \det(\mathbf{K} - \omega^2 \mathbf{M})$$

$$= (2k - \omega^2 m)(k - \omega^2 m) - k^2$$

$$\omega = \sqrt{\frac{(3 \pm \sqrt{5})k}{2m}}$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{3 \pm \sqrt{5}}{2}} \omega_0$$

$$\omega_1 = 0.62\omega_0$$

$$\omega_2 = 1.62\omega_0$$

$$\mathbf{0} = (\mathbf{K} - \omega_1^2 \mathbf{M}) \mathbf{a}$$
$$= \begin{bmatrix} 1.62a_1k - a_2k \\ 0.62a_2k - a_1k \end{bmatrix}$$
$$a_2 = 1.62a_1$$

In the first mode, the carts oscillate in phase with cart two having 1.62 times the amplitude of cart one.

$$\mathbf{0} = (\mathbf{K} - \omega_2^2 \mathbf{M}) \mathbf{a}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} -0.62a_1 k - a_2 k \\ -1.62a_2 k - a_1 k \end{bmatrix}$$

$$a_2 = -0.62a_1$$

In the second mode, the carts oscillate out of phase with cart one having 1.62 times the ampltitude of cart two.

#### 11.7

(a)

$$\mathbf{x}(t) = A_1 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \cos(\omega_1 t - \delta_1) + A_2 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} \cos(\omega_2 t - \delta_2)$$
$$= (B_1 \cos \omega_1 t + C_1 \sin \omega_1 t) \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + (B_2 \cos \omega_2 t + C_2 \sin \omega_2 t) \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

(b)

$$\begin{bmatrix} A \\ A \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} B_1 + B_2 \\ B_1 - B_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$B_1 = A$$

$$B_2 = 0$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} C_1\omega_1 + C_2\omega_2 \\ C_1\omega_1 - C_2\omega_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$C_1 = 0$$

$$C_2 = 0$$

$$x_{1} = \xi_{1} + \xi_{2}$$

$$\ddot{x}_{1} = \ddot{\xi}_{1} + \ddot{\xi}_{2}$$

$$x_{2} = \xi_{1} - \xi_{2}$$

$$\ddot{x}_{2} = \ddot{\xi}_{1} - \ddot{\xi}_{2}$$

$$m\ddot{x}_{1} = -2kx_{1} + kx_{2}$$

$$m(\ddot{\xi}_{1} + \ddot{\xi}_{2}) = -2k(\xi_{1} + \xi_{2}) + k(\xi_{1} - \xi_{2})$$

$$= -k\xi_{1} - 3k\xi_{2}$$

$$m\ddot{x}_{2} = kx_{1} - 2kx_{2}$$

$$m(\ddot{\xi}_{1} - \ddot{\xi}_{2}) = k(\xi_{1} + \xi_{2}) - 2k(\xi_{1} - \xi_{2})$$

$$= -k\xi_{1} + 3k\xi_{2}$$

$$2m\ddot{\xi}_{1} = -2k\xi_{1}$$

$$m\ddot{\xi}_{1} = -k\xi_{1}$$

$$2m\ddot{\xi}_{2} = -6k\xi_{2}$$

$$m\ddot{\xi}_{2} = -3k\xi_{2}$$

$$\xi_{1} = A_{1}\cos\left(\sqrt{\frac{k}{m}}t - \delta_{1}\right)$$

$$\xi_{2} = A_{2}\cos\left(\sqrt{\frac{3k}{m}}t - \delta_{2}\right)$$

$$\mathcal{L} = T - U$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}(m_1 + m_2)L_1^2 \dot{\phi_1}^2 + m_2 L_1 L_2 \dot{\phi_1} \dot{\phi_2} \cos(\phi_1 - \phi_2) + \frac{1}{2}m_2 L_2^2 \dot{\phi_2}^2$$

$$- (m_1 + m_2)gL_1(1 - \cos\phi_1) - m_2 gL_2(1 - \cos\phi_2)$$

$$\ddot{\phi}_1 = \frac{-2gm_1 \sin\phi_1 + gm_2 \cos(\phi_1 - \phi_2) \sin\phi_2 - m_2 \sin(\phi_1 - \phi_2)(L_1 \cos(\phi_1 - \phi_2)\dot{\phi}_1^2 + L_2 \dot{\phi}_2^2)}{L_1(m_1 + m_2 - m_2 \cos^2(\phi_1 - \phi_2))}$$

$$\ddot{\phi}_2 = \frac{gm_1 \sin(2\phi_1 - \phi_2) - gm_2 \sin\phi_2 + L_1(m_1 + m_2) \sin(\phi_1 - \phi_2)\dot{\phi}_1^2 + \frac{1}{2}L_2 m_2 \sin[2(\phi_1 - \phi_2)]\dot{\phi}_2^2}{L_2(m_1 + m_2 - m_2 \cos^2(\phi_1 - \phi_2))}$$

#### 11.17

(a)

$$\mathbf{M}\ddot{\boldsymbol{\phi}} = -\mathbf{K}\boldsymbol{\phi}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} (m_1 + m_2)L_1^2 & m_2L_1L_2 \\ m_2L_1L_2 & m_2L_2^2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \ddot{\phi}_1 \\ \ddot{\phi}_2 \end{bmatrix} = -\begin{bmatrix} (m_1 + m_2)gL_1 & 0 \\ 0 & m_2gL_2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \phi_1 \\ \phi_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$0 = \det(\mathbf{K} - \omega^2 \mathbf{M})$$

$$\omega^2 = \frac{9g \pm 3g}{8L}$$
$$= \frac{3}{4}\omega_0^2 \text{ or } \frac{3}{2}\omega_0^2$$

(b)

$$\begin{aligned} \omega_1 &= \sqrt{\frac{3}{4}} \omega_0 \\ \omega_2 &= \sqrt{\frac{3}{2}} \omega_0 \\ \mathbf{z}(t) &= A_1 \begin{bmatrix} 1\\3 \end{bmatrix} \cos(\omega_1 t - \delta_1) + A_2 \begin{bmatrix} 1\\-3 \end{bmatrix} \cos(\omega_2 t - \delta_2) \\ \begin{bmatrix} 0\\\alpha \end{bmatrix} &= A_1 \begin{bmatrix} 1\\3 \end{bmatrix} \cos \delta_1 + A_2 \begin{bmatrix} 1\\-3 \end{bmatrix} \cos \delta_2 \\ \begin{bmatrix} 0\\0 \end{bmatrix} &= A_1 \omega_1 \begin{bmatrix} 1\\3 \end{bmatrix} \sin \delta_1 + A_2 \omega_2 \begin{bmatrix} 1\\-3 \end{bmatrix} \sin \delta_2 \\ \mathbf{z}(t) &= \frac{\alpha}{6} \left( \begin{bmatrix} 1\\3 \end{bmatrix} \cos \omega_1 t - \begin{bmatrix} 1\\-3 \end{bmatrix} \cos \omega_2 t \right) \end{aligned}$$

# 12 Nonlinear Mechanics and Chaos

12.1

(a)

$$\dot{x} = 2\sqrt{x-1}$$

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{x-1}}\dot{x} = 2$$

$$x = 1 + (t+c)^2$$

(b) There is no value of c you can choose so  $1 + (t+c)^2 = 1$  for all t.

(c)

$$Ax_1 = A + A(t+c)^2$$

$$\frac{d}{dt}(Ax_1) = 2A(t+c)$$

$$2A(t+c) \neq 2\sqrt{A + A(t+c)^2 - 1}$$

$$Ax_2 = A$$

$$\frac{d}{dt}(Ax_2) = 0$$

$$0 \neq 2\sqrt{A - 1}$$

12.13

$$K = 10^{-4}$$

$$Ke^{14.5\lambda} = 1$$

$$e^{14.5\lambda} = 10^4$$

$$14.5\lambda = \ln 10^4$$

$$\lambda = \frac{\ln 10^4}{14.5}$$

$$\approx 0.64$$

12.13

(a)

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

The state-space orbit is an ellipse and it is traced clockwise.

# 13 Hamiltonian Mechanics

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

$$U = 0$$

$$\mathcal{L} = T - U$$

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

$$p = \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \dot{x}}$$

$$= m\dot{x}$$

$$\dot{x} = \frac{p}{m}$$

$$\mathcal{H} = p\dot{x} - \mathcal{L}$$

$$= \frac{p^{2}}{m} - \frac{p^{2}}{2m}$$

$$= \frac{p^{2}}{2m}$$

$$\dot{x} = \frac{\partial \mathcal{H}}{\partial p}$$

$$= \frac{p}{m}$$

$$x = x_{0} + \frac{p}{m}t$$

$$\dot{p} = \frac{\partial \mathcal{H}}{\partial x}$$

$$= 0$$

$$p = p_{0}$$

$$T = \frac{1}{2} \left( m_1 + m_2 + \frac{1}{2} M \right) \dot{x}^2$$

$$U = (m_2 - m_1)gx$$

$$\mathcal{L} = T - U$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left( m_1 + m_2 + \frac{1}{2} M \right) \dot{x}^2 - (m_2 - m_1)gx$$

$$p = \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \dot{x}}$$

$$= \left( m_1 + m_2 + \frac{1}{2} M \right) \dot{x}$$

$$\dot{x} = \frac{p}{m_1 + m_2 + \frac{1}{2} M}$$

$$\mathcal{H} = p\dot{x} - \mathcal{L}$$

$$= \frac{p^2}{2 \left( m_1 + m_2 + \frac{1}{2} M \right)} + (m_2 - m_1)gx$$

$$\dot{p} = \frac{\partial \mathcal{H}}{\partial x}$$

$$= (m_2 - m_1)g$$

$$\dot{x} = \frac{\partial \mathcal{H}}{\partial p}$$

$$= \frac{p}{m_1 + m_2 + \frac{1}{2} M}$$

$$\ddot{x} = \frac{\dot{p}}{m_1 + m_2 + \frac{1}{2} M}$$

$$\ddot{x} = \frac{\dot{p}}{m_1 + m_2 + \frac{1}{2} M}$$

$$= \frac{m_2 - m_1}{m_1 + m_2 + \frac{1}{2} M}g$$

$$\begin{split} v^2 &= \dot{\rho}^2 + (\rho \dot{\phi})^2 + \dot{z}^2 \\ &= R^2 \dot{\phi}^2 + c^2 \dot{\phi}^2 \\ &= (c^2 + R^2) \dot{\phi}^2 \\ T &= \frac{1}{2} m v^2 \\ &= \frac{1}{2} m (c^2 + R^2) \dot{\phi}^2 \\ U &= m g z \\ &= c m g \phi \\ \mathcal{L} &= T - U \\ &= \frac{1}{2} m (c^2 + R^2) \dot{\phi}^2 - c m g \phi \\ p &= \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \dot{\phi}} \\ &= m (c^2 + R^2) \dot{\phi} \\ \dot{\phi} &= \frac{p}{m (c^2 + R^2)} \\ \mathcal{H} &= p \dot{\phi} - \mathcal{L} \\ &= \frac{p^2}{2m (c^2 + R^2)} + c m g \phi \\ \dot{p} &= -\frac{\partial \mathcal{H}}{\partial \phi} \\ &= -c m g \\ \ddot{\phi} &= \frac{\dot{p}}{m (c^2 + R^2)} \\ &= -\frac{c g}{c^2 + R^2} \\ \ddot{z} &= c \ddot{\phi} \\ &= -\frac{c^2 g}{c^2 + R^2} \end{split}$$

(a)

$$\begin{split} v^2 &= \dot{x}^2 + \dot{y}^2 \\ &= [1 + h'(x)^2] \dot{x}^2 \\ T &= \frac{1}{2} m v^2 \\ &= \frac{1}{2} m [1 + h'(x)^2] \dot{x}^2 \\ U &= mgh(x) \\ \mathcal{L} &= T - U \\ &= \frac{1}{2} m [1 + h'(x)^2] \dot{x}^2 - mgh(x) \\ p &= \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \dot{x}} \\ &= m [1 + h'(x)^2] \dot{x} \\ \dot{x} &= \frac{p}{m [1 + h'(x)^2]} \\ \mathcal{H} &= T + U \\ &= \frac{1}{2} m [1 + h'(x)^2] \dot{x}^2 + mgh(x) \\ &= \frac{p^2}{2m [1 + h'(x)^2]} + mgh(x) \end{split}$$

(b)

$$\dot{x} = \frac{\partial \mathcal{H}}{\partial p}$$

$$= \frac{p}{m[1 + h'(x)^2]}$$

$$\dot{p} = -\frac{\partial \mathcal{H}}{\partial x}$$

$$= \frac{p^2 h'(x)h''(x)}{m[1 + h'(x)^2]^2} - mgh'(x)$$

$$T = \frac{1}{2}mv^{2}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}m(\dot{x}^{2} + \dot{y}^{2})$$

$$U = mgy$$

$$\mathcal{L} = \frac{1}{2}m(\dot{x}^{2} + \dot{y}^{2}) - mgy$$

$$p_{x} = m\dot{x}$$

$$\dot{x} = \frac{p_{x}}{m}$$

$$p_{y} = m\dot{y}$$

$$\dot{y} = \frac{p_{y}}{m}$$

$$\mathcal{H} = \frac{p_{x}^{2} + p_{y}^{2}}{2m} + mgy$$

$$\dot{x} = \frac{p_{x}}{m}$$

$$\dot{p}_{x} = 0$$

$$\dot{y} = \frac{p_{y}}{m}$$

$$\dot{p}_{y} = -mg$$

$$\begin{split} \mathcal{L} &= \frac{1}{2} m [(V + \dot{x})^2 + \dot{y}^2 + \dot{z}^2] - mgz \\ p_x &= m(V + \dot{x}) \\ \dot{x} &= \frac{p_x}{m} - V \\ p_y &= m \dot{y} \\ \dot{y} &= \frac{p_y}{m} \\ p_z &= m \dot{z} \\ \dot{z} &= \frac{p_z}{m} \\ \mathcal{H} &= \sum_{i=1}^3 p_i \dot{q}_i - \mathcal{L} \\ &= p_x \left( \frac{p_x}{m} - V \right) + \frac{p_y^2}{m} + \frac{p_z^2}{m} - \frac{1}{2} m [\left( \frac{p_x}{m} \right)^2 + \left( \frac{p_y}{m} \right)^2 + \left( \frac{p_z}{m} \right)^2] + mgz \\ &= \frac{1}{2m} (p_x^2 + p_y^2 + p_z^2) - p_x V + mgz \\ T + U &= \frac{1}{2m} (p_x^2 + p_y^2 + p_z^2) + mgz \\ &\neq \mathcal{H} \end{split}$$

$$\begin{split} v^2 &= \dot{\rho}^2 + (\rho \dot{\phi})^2 + \dot{z}^2 \\ &= R^2 \dot{\phi}^2 + \dot{z}^2 \\ T &= \frac{1}{2} m v^2 \\ &= \frac{1}{2} m (R^2 \dot{\phi}^2 + \dot{z}^2) \\ U &= -\int_0^r -k r' \, dr' \\ &= \frac{1}{2} k r^2 \\ &= \frac{1}{2} k (R^2 + z^2) \\ \mathcal{L} &= T - U \\ &= \frac{1}{2} m (R^2 \dot{\phi}^2 + \dot{z}^2) - \frac{1}{2} k (R^2 + z^2) \\ p_{\phi} &= m R^2 \dot{\phi} \\ \dot{\phi} &= \frac{p_{\phi}}{m R^2} \\ p_z &= m \dot{z} \\ \dot{z} &= \frac{p_z}{m} \\ \mathcal{H} &= T + U \\ &= \frac{1}{2} m \left( R^2 \dot{\phi}^2 + \dot{z}^2 \right) + \frac{1}{2} k (R^2 + z^2) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} m \left[ R^2 \left( \frac{p_{\phi}}{m R^2} \right)^2 + \left( \frac{p_z}{m} \right)^2 \right] + \frac{1}{2} k (R^2 + z^2) \\ &= \frac{1}{2m} \left( \frac{p_{\phi}^2}{R^2} + p_z^2 \right) + \frac{1}{2} k (R^2 + z^2) \\ \dot{\phi} &= \frac{p_{\phi}}{m R^2} \\ \dot{p}_{\phi} &= 0 \\ \dot{z} &= \frac{p_z}{m} \\ \dot{p}_z &= -kz \\ z &= A \cos(\omega t - \delta) \end{split}$$

$$\mathcal{L} = \frac{1}{2}m(\dot{x}^2 + \dot{y}^2) - U(\sqrt{x^2 + y^2})$$

$$p_x = m\dot{x}$$

$$p_y = m\dot{y}$$

$$\mathcal{H} = \frac{1}{2}m\left[\left(\frac{p_x}{m}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{p_y}{m}\right)^2\right] + U(\sqrt{x^2 + y^2})$$

$$\dot{p}_x = \frac{dU}{dr}\frac{x}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}}$$

$$\dot{p}_y = \frac{dU}{dr}\frac{y}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}}$$

### 13.21

(a)

$$\begin{split} \mathbf{r} &= \mathbf{r}_1 - \mathbf{r}_2 \\ \mathcal{L} &= \frac{1}{2} M (\dot{X}^2 + \dot{Y}^2) + \frac{1}{2} \mu [\dot{r}^2 + (r\dot{\phi})^2] - \frac{1}{2} k (r - l_0)^2 \\ p_r &= \mu \dot{r} \\ p_\phi &= \mu r^2 \dot{\phi} \\ p_X &= M \dot{X} \\ p_Y &= M \dot{Y} \\ \mathcal{H} &= \frac{1}{2M} (p_X^2 + p_Y^2) + \frac{1}{2\mu} \left( p_r^2 + \frac{p_\phi^2}{r^2} \right) + \frac{1}{2} k (r - l_0)^2 \end{split}$$

X, Y, and  $\phi$  are ignorable.

$$\begin{split} \dot{X} &= \frac{p_X}{M} \\ \dot{p}_X &= 0 \\ \dot{Y} &= \frac{p_Y}{M} \\ \dot{p}_Y &= 0 \\ \dot{r} &= \frac{p_r}{\mu} \\ \dot{p}_r &= \frac{p_\phi^2}{\mu r^3} - k(r - l_0) \\ \dot{\phi} &= \frac{p_\phi}{\mu r^2} \\ \dot{p}_\phi &= 0 \end{split}$$

# (c)

$$\mu \ddot{r} = \frac{p_{\phi}^2}{\mu r^3} - k(r - l_0)$$
$$= -k(r - l_0)$$
$$r = l_0 + A \cos\left(\sqrt{\frac{k}{\mu}}t - \delta\right)$$

# 14 Collision Theory

$$\sigma = \pi R^{2}$$

$$= 0.79 \,\text{cm}^{2}$$

$$n_{\text{tar}} = \frac{6}{\pi 7.5^{2}}$$

$$\approx 0.034 \,\text{cm}^{-2}$$

$$P = n_{\text{tar}} \sigma$$

$$= 2.7\%$$

$$\begin{split} n_{\rm cm^3} &= \frac{0.07}{1.67 \times 10^{-24}} \\ &= 4.2 \times 10^{22} \, {\rm cm^{-2}} \\ n_{50 \, {\rm cm^3}} &= 2.1 \times 10^{24} \, {\rm cm^{-2}} \\ &= 2.1 \times 10^{28} \, {\rm m^{-2}} \end{split}$$

14.5

$$\sigma = 0.5 \text{ barns}$$

$$= 5 \times 10^{-29} \text{ m}^{2}$$

$$N_{\text{inc}} = 10^{11}$$

$$PV = Nk_{B}T$$

$$\frac{N}{V} = \frac{P}{k_{B}T}$$

$$= 2.65 \times 10^{25} \text{ m}^{-3}$$

$$n_{\text{tar}} = 5.3 \times 10^{24} \text{ m}^{-2}$$

$$N_{\text{sc}} = N_{\text{inc}} n_{\text{tar}} \sigma$$

$$= 2.7 \times 10^{7}$$

$$\begin{split} \Omega_{\rm moon} &= \frac{A}{r^2} \\ &= 6.5 \times 10^{-5} \, {\rm sr} \\ \Omega_{\rm sun} &= 6.8 \times 10^{-5} \, {\rm sr} \end{split}$$

$$\frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega} = 0.5 \, \text{barns/sr}$$

$$= 5 \times 10^{-29} \, \text{m}^2/\text{sr}$$

$$N_{\text{inc}} = 10^{10}$$

$$d\Omega = 1 \times 10^{-3} \, \text{sr}$$

$$n_{\text{tar}} = \rho \, dx$$

$$= \frac{m}{A} \, dx$$

$$= 5.87 \times 10^{22} \, \text{m}^{-2}$$

$$N_{\text{sc}} = N_{\text{inc}} n_{\text{tar}} \frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega} d\Omega$$

$$= 29$$

# 15 Special Relativity

# 15.3

$$\gamma = 1 + 3.56 \times 10^{-10}$$
$$\Delta t = -1.28 \,\mu\text{s}$$
$$= (-3.56 \times 10^{-8})\%$$

### 15.5

$$\gamma = 3.20$$

$$\Delta t = \gamma t_0$$

$$t_0 = \frac{\Delta t}{\gamma}$$

$$= 25.0 \text{ years}$$

A's clocks say he was gone 25 years. His twin on Earth has aged 55 years more.

$$\gamma = 7.09$$

$$\Delta t = \frac{2000 \,\mathrm{m}}{0.99c}$$

$$= 6.73 \,\mu\mathrm{s}$$

$$\Delta t_0 = \frac{\Delta t}{\gamma}$$

$$= 0.95 \,\mu\mathrm{s}$$

$$n = 650 \times 2^{-0.95/1.5}$$

$$\approx 420$$

# 15.11

$$l = l_0 \sqrt{1 - (v/c)^2}$$

$$\left(\frac{l}{l_0}\right)^2 = 1 - \left(\frac{v}{c}\right)^2$$

$$v = c\sqrt{1 - (l/l_0)^2}$$

$$= 0.6c$$

# 15.13

(a)

$$l = \sqrt{(x_0/\gamma)^2 + y_0^2}$$
  
= 0.917 m  
 $\theta = 70.9^{\circ}$ 

# 15.17

(a)

$$t_0 = 0$$
$$t_a = -\gamma a\beta/c$$

(b)

$$t_0 = 0$$
$$t_a = \gamma a \beta / c$$

(a)

$$x'_{F} = d$$

$$t'_{F} = d/c$$

$$x'_{B} = -d$$

$$t'_{B} = d/c$$

(b)

$$x_F = \gamma(x_F' + Vt_F')$$

$$= \gamma d(1+\beta)$$

$$t_F = \gamma(t_F' + Vx_F'/c^2)$$

$$= \gamma(d/c + Vd/c^2)$$

$$= \gamma d(1+\beta)/c$$

$$x_B = \gamma(x_B' + Vt_B')$$

$$= \gamma(-d + Vd/c)$$

$$= -\gamma d(1-\beta)$$

$$t_B = \gamma(t_B' + Vx_B'/c^2)$$

$$= \gamma(d/c - Vd/c^2)$$

$$= \gamma d(1-\beta)/c$$

# 15.21

$$\begin{split} v_x &= \frac{v_x' + V}{1 + v_x' V/c^2} \\ &= \frac{\frac{3}{4}c + \frac{1}{2}c}{1 + \frac{3}{4}c\frac{1}{2}c/c^2} \\ &= \frac{\frac{5}{4}}{\frac{11}{8}}c \\ &= \frac{10}{11}c \end{split}$$

$$\begin{aligned} v_x' &= \frac{v_x - V}{1 - v_x V/c^2} \\ &= \frac{-0.9c - 0.9c}{1 + (0.9c)^2/c^2} \\ &= -\frac{1.8}{1.81}c \\ &= -0.994c \end{aligned}$$

c

15.29

(a)

$$\mathbf{R} = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \theta & \sin \theta & 0 \\ -\sin \theta & \cos \theta & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

(b)  $[\mathbf{R}(\theta)]^2$  applies the rotation transformation twice which is equivalent to rotating through  $2\theta$ .

15.33

(a)

$$x'_{1} = x_{1}$$

$$x'_{2} = \gamma(x_{2} - \beta x_{4})$$

$$x'_{3} = x_{3}$$

$$x'_{4} = \gamma(x_{4} - \beta x_{2})$$

$$\Lambda_{B2} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \gamma & 0 & -\gamma \beta \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -\gamma \beta & 0 & \gamma \end{bmatrix}$$

(b)

$$\Lambda_{R+} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Lambda_{R-} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{split} f\lambda &= c \\ \frac{\omega}{2\pi}\lambda &= c \\ \omega &= \frac{2\pi c}{\lambda} \\ \omega &= \frac{2\pi c}{\lambda_{\rm red}} \\ \frac{2\pi c}{\lambda_{\rm green}} &= \frac{\frac{2\pi c}{\lambda_{\rm red}}}{\gamma(1-\beta)} \\ \lambda_{\rm green} &= \gamma \lambda_{\rm red}(1-\beta) \\ \frac{\lambda_{\rm green}}{\lambda_{\rm red}} &= \frac{1-\beta}{\sqrt{1-\beta^2}} \\ \left(\frac{\lambda_{\rm green}}{\lambda_{\rm red}}\right)^2 &= \frac{(1-\beta)^2}{(1+\beta)(1-\beta)} \\ &= \frac{1-\beta}{1+\beta} \\ \left(\frac{\lambda_{\rm green}}{\lambda_{\rm red}}\right)^2 (1+\beta) &= 1-\beta \\ \left[1+\left(\frac{\lambda_{\rm green}}{\lambda_{\rm red}}\right)^2\right]\beta &= 1-\left(\frac{\lambda_{\rm green}}{\lambda_{\rm red}}\right)^2 \\ v &= \frac{1-\left(\frac{\lambda_{\rm green}}{\lambda_{\rm red}}\right)^2}{1+\left(\frac{\lambda_{\rm green}}{\lambda_{\rm red}}\right)^2}c \\ \approx 0.20c \end{split}$$