

Newtonian (Polar)

$$F_g = \frac{GMm}{r^2}$$

$$\vec{F} = m\vec{a} = \frac{GMm}{r^2} \quad a = \frac{GM}{r^2}$$

$$\vec{a} = \langle a_x, a_y \rangle = \langle \ddot{x}, \ddot{y} \rangle$$

$$x = r \cos \theta \quad \frac{dx}{dt} = \dot{x} = \dot{r} \cos \theta - r \dot{\theta} \sin \theta$$

$$y = r \sin \theta \quad \dot{y} = \dot{r} \sin \theta + r \dot{\theta} \cos \theta$$

$$\ddot{x} = \ddot{r} \cos \theta - \dot{r} \dot{\theta} \sin \theta - r \ddot{\theta} \sin \theta - r \dot{\theta}^2 \cos \theta$$

$$\ddot{y} = \ddot{r} \sin \theta + \dot{r} \dot{\theta} \cos \theta + r \ddot{\theta} \cos \theta + r \dot{\theta}^2 \sin \theta$$

$$a_r = \vec{a} \cdot \hat{r}$$

$$\hat{r} = \langle \cos \theta, \sin \theta \rangle$$

$$a_r = \ddot{x} \cos \theta + \ddot{y} \sin \theta$$

$$= \ddot{r} \cos^2 \theta - \dot{r} \sin \theta \cos \theta - \dot{r} \cos \theta \sin \theta - r \ddot{\theta} \sin^2 \theta - r \dot{\theta}^2 \cos^2 \theta$$

$$+ \ddot{r} \sin^2 \theta + \dot{r} \sin \theta \cos \theta + \dot{r} \cos \theta \sin \theta + r \ddot{\theta} \sin^2 \theta - r \dot{\theta}^2 \sin^2 \theta$$

$$= \ddot{r} - r \dot{\theta}^2$$

$$m a_r = F_g \quad \ddot{r} - r \dot{\theta}^2 = -\frac{GM}{r^2}$$

$$L = mr^2\omega = mr^2\dot{\theta} \quad \vec{T} = \vec{r} \times \vec{F} = 0 \quad T = \frac{dL}{dt} = 0$$

constant

$$L = mr^2\dot{\theta}$$

$$\frac{L}{m} = r^2\dot{\theta} = h$$

- ① $r_0 = \underline{\quad}$
- ② $v_{r_0} = \underline{0.0}$
- ③ $v_{\theta_0} = \underline{1.0}$
- ④ $h = r v_r \text{ or } r^2 \dot{\phi}$

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

- ① $\dot{\theta} = \frac{h}{r^2}$
- ② $\theta \doteq \dot{\theta} dt$
- ③ $\ddot{r} = h - \frac{GM}{r^2}$
- ④ $\dot{r} + = \left(h - \frac{GM}{r^2} \right) dt$
- ⑤ $r + = \dot{r} dt$

Schwarzschild Metric

$$ds^2 = \left(1 - \frac{r_s}{r}\right)^{-1} dr^2 + r^2 (d\theta^2 + \sin^2 \theta d\phi^2) - c^2 \left(1 - \frac{r_s}{r}\right) dt^2$$

for null geodesics

$$ds^2 = -c^2 dt^2 + dx^2 + dy^2 + dz^2$$

$\underbrace{dy^2 + dz^2}_{\text{total distance}}$

speed of photon = c
so $dt = c \Delta t$
 $dy^2 = c^2 dt^2$

$$= -c^2 dt^2 + c^2 dt^2 = 0$$

$$ds^2 = 0 = g_{\mu\nu} dx^\mu dx^\nu = g_{\mu\nu} \dot{x}^\mu \dot{x}^\nu \quad \dot{x}^\mu = \frac{dx^\mu}{dt}$$

$\underbrace{g_{\mu\nu}}_{\text{(metric tensor)}}$

curvature of space-time

Euler Lagrange

$$\frac{d}{dt} \left(\frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{q}_i} \right) - \frac{\partial L}{\partial q_i} = 0$$

$$\begin{aligned} L &= ds^2 \\ q &= r, \phi \end{aligned} \Rightarrow \begin{aligned} \frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{r}} \right) - \frac{\partial L}{\partial r} &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow \frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{\phi}} \right) - \frac{\partial L}{\partial \phi} &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

step along
light ray

Solve for null-geodesic stepper

$$L = \frac{1}{2} g_{\mu\nu} \dot{x}^\mu \dot{x}^\nu \quad f(r) = 1 - \frac{r_0}{r} \quad (\theta = \frac{\pi}{2})$$

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

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{\phi}} = 0 \quad \text{so} \quad \frac{d}{dt} \left(\frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{\phi}} \right) = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{\phi}} = \frac{\partial}{\partial \dot{\phi}} \left(\frac{1}{2} r^2 \dot{\phi}^2 \right) = r^2 \ddot{\phi} \quad \frac{d}{dt} (r^2 \ddot{\phi}) = 0 \quad r^2 \ddot{\phi} = L = \text{constant}$$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{r}} = \frac{\dot{r}}{f(r)} \quad f'(r) = \frac{r_0}{r^2} \quad \frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{r}} = r^2 \dot{\phi}^2 = \frac{\dot{r}^2}{2f(r)^2} \cdot f'(r) - f'(r) \frac{\dot{r}^2}{2}$$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{t}} = -f(r) \dot{r}^2 \dot{t} \quad \frac{\partial L}{\partial t} = 0 \quad \frac{d}{dt} \left(\frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{t}} \right) = 0 \quad \frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{t}} = \text{constant} \quad E = f(r) \dot{t} \quad \dot{t} = \frac{E}{f(r)}$$

$$\Rightarrow r^2 \dot{\phi}^2 - \frac{\dot{r}^2 f'(r)}{2f(r)^2} - \frac{E^2 f'(r) \dot{r}^2}{2(f(r))^2} = \frac{\partial}{\partial \lambda} \left(\frac{\dot{r}}{f(r)} \right) = \frac{f(r) \ddot{r} - \dot{r} \left(\frac{\dot{r}^2}{f(r)} \right)}{(f(r))^2} = \frac{\ddot{r}}{f(r)} - \frac{\dot{r}^2 (f'(r))}{(f(r))^2}$$

$$\ddot{r} = f(r) r^2 \dot{\phi}^2 - \frac{\dot{r}^2 f'(r)}{2f(r)} + \frac{\dot{r}^2 f'(r)}{f(r)} - \frac{E^2 f'(r)}{f(r)}$$

$$= f(r) r^2 \dot{\phi}^2 + \frac{\dot{r}^2 f' - 2E^2 f' r^2}{2f}$$

$$0 = f^{-1} \dot{r}^2 + r^2 \dot{\phi}^2 - \frac{E^2 r^2}{f^2} = \dot{r}^2 + f r^2 \dot{\phi}^2 - c^2 r^2$$

$$\dot{r} = \pm \sqrt{c^2 r^2 - f r^2 \dot{\phi}^2}$$

→ don't really need \dot{r} anymore

$$\pm \sqrt{1 - \left(1 - \frac{r_0}{r}\right) r^2 \cdot \left(\frac{b}{r}\right)^2} = \pm \sqrt{1 - \left(1 - \frac{r_0}{r}\right) \cdot \frac{b^2}{r^2}}$$

