

Orbital dynamics

pointmass assumption

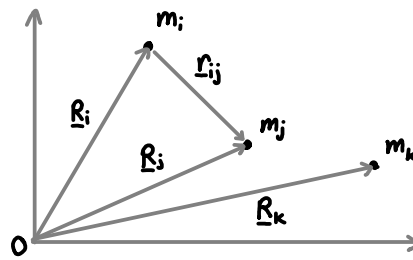
point-mass assumption is good as long as bodies are spherical with symmetric densities! (see script)

proof?

n-body problem

$$\text{EoM: } m_i \cdot \frac{d}{dt} \dot{\underline{R}}_i = m_i \ddot{\underline{R}}_i = \underline{F}_i = G \sum_{j=1}^n \frac{m_i m_j}{\|\underline{R}_{ij}\|^2} \frac{\underline{R}_{ij}}{\|\underline{R}_{ij}\|}$$

2nd law of motion law of gravitation



O : inertial frame
 m_i : mass of body
 \underline{R}_i : position of body in O
 \underline{R}_{ij} : rel. pos. of body in O

- $\sum_{i=1}^n m_i \ddot{\underline{R}}_i = \underline{0}$ (sum of forces is 0)
 - $\sum_{i=1}^n m_i \dot{\underline{R}}_i = \underline{C}_1$ (linear momentum is constant)
 - $\sum_{i=1}^n m_i \underline{R}_i = \underline{C}_2 t + \underline{C}_3$ (center of mass moves linearly: $\underline{R}_{cm} = \sum_{i=1}^n m_i \underline{R}_i / \sum_{i=1}^n m_i$)
 - $T + V = C_4$ (total energy is constant)
 - $\sum_{i=1}^n \underline{R}_i \times (m_i \ddot{\underline{R}}_i) = \underline{0}$ (sum of torques is 0)
 - $\sum_{i=1}^n \underline{R}_i \times (m_i \dot{\underline{R}}_i) = \underline{C}_5$ (angular momentum is constant)
- $$\begin{cases} T = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^n m_i \dot{\underline{R}}_i \cdot \dot{\underline{R}}_i & (\text{kinetic energy}) \\ V = -\frac{G}{2} \sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^n \frac{m_i m_j}{\|\underline{R}_{ij}\|} & (\text{potential energy } -\nabla V = \underline{F}) \end{cases}$$

• solve EoM system of differential equations for $\underline{R}_i(t)$ in closed form (by quadrature):

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \frac{d}{dt} \underline{R}_1(t) &= \dot{\underline{R}}_1(t) & \frac{d}{dt} \dot{\underline{R}}_1(t) &= \gamma_{m_1} \cdot \text{law of gravitation}_1(\underline{R}_1(t), \dots, \underline{R}_n(t)) \\ &\vdots & &\vdots \\ \frac{d}{dt} \underline{R}_n(t) &= \dot{\underline{R}}_n(t) & \frac{d}{dt} \dot{\underline{R}}_n(t) &= \gamma_{m_n} \cdot \text{law of gravitation}_n(\underline{R}_1(t), \dots, \underline{R}_n(t)) \end{aligned} \right\} \boxed{6n \text{ differential equations}}$$

↳ rewrite as $d\underline{x}(t)/dt = \underline{Y}(\underline{x}(t), t)$ with $\underline{x}(t) = [\underline{R}_1(t), \dots, \underline{R}_n(t), \dot{\underline{R}}_1(t), \dots, \dot{\underline{R}}_n(t)]^T$

find 6n "integrals" $\hat{=}$ independent equations of the form: $\underline{Z}(\underline{x}(t), t) = \begin{pmatrix} Z_1(\underline{x}(t), t) \\ \vdots \\ Z_{6n}(\underline{x}(t), t) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} a_1 \\ \vdots \\ a_{6n} \end{pmatrix} = \underline{a}$
 where \underline{a} is const. for all $\underline{x}(t)$ that solve $d\underline{x}(t)/dt = \underline{Y}(\underline{x}(t), t)$

solve $\underline{Z}(\underline{x}(t), t) = \underline{a}$ for $\underline{x}(t) \rightarrow \underline{x}(t) = \underline{\Phi}(\underline{a}, t)$

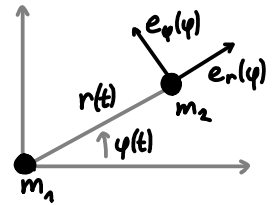
10 "integrals" are shown above with $\underline{a} = [\underline{C}_1, \underline{C}_2, \underline{C}_3, \underline{C}_4]^T$, $\underline{Z}(\underline{x}(t), t) = \dots \leftarrow$ NO more than 10 exist!

↳ no closed form solution exists! not even for $n=2$ since 10 "integrals" < 12 = 6n

2-body problem (relative motion)

EoM: $\ddot{\mathbf{r}}(t) = \ddot{\mathbf{R}}_2(t) - \ddot{\mathbf{R}}_1(t) = \frac{Gm_1}{r(t)^3} \cdot \mathbf{r}(t) - \frac{Gm_2}{r(t)^3} \cdot \mathbf{r}(t) = -\frac{\mu}{r(t)^2} \cdot \mathbf{r}(t) \quad (\mu = G(m_1 + m_2))$

"integrals": $\mathbf{r}(t) \times \dot{\mathbf{r}}(t) = \dots = \mathbf{0} \rightarrow \mathbf{h} = \mathbf{r}(t) \times \dot{\mathbf{r}}(t) = \text{const.} \rightarrow \text{motion constrained to plane } \mathbf{h}: \text{orbital plane!}$



• orbital equation $r(\varphi)$ (solve EoM):

general relative motion in polar coord. (on \mathbf{h} plane):

→ relative position: $\mathbf{r}(t) = \mathbf{R}_2(t) - \mathbf{R}_1(t) = r(t) \cdot \mathbf{e}_r(\varphi(t))$
 → relative speed: $\dot{\mathbf{r}}(t) = \dot{\mathbf{R}}_2(t) - \dot{\mathbf{R}}_1(t) = \dot{r}(t) \cdot \mathbf{e}_r(\varphi(t)) + r(t) \dot{\varphi}(t) \mathbf{e}_\varphi(\varphi(t))$
 → relative accel.: $\ddot{\mathbf{r}}(t) = \ddot{\mathbf{R}}_2(t) - \ddot{\mathbf{R}}_1(t) = (\ddot{r}(t) - r(t)\dot{\varphi}(t)^2) \mathbf{e}_r(\varphi(t)) + \frac{1}{r(t)} \frac{d}{dt}(r(t)^2 \dot{\varphi}(t)) \mathbf{e}_\varphi(\varphi(t))$

$$\begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{e}_r(\varphi(t)) \\ \mathbf{e}_\varphi(\varphi(t)) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \cos(\varphi(t)) & \sin(\varphi(t)) \\ -\sin(\varphi(t)) & \cos(\varphi(t)) \end{pmatrix}$$

EoM: $-\mu \cdot \frac{1}{r(t)^2} \cdot \mathbf{e}_r(\varphi(t)) = \ddot{\mathbf{r}}(t) = (\ddot{r}(t) - r(t)\dot{\varphi}(t)^2) \mathbf{e}_r(\varphi(t)) + \frac{1}{r(t)} \frac{d}{dt}(r(t)^2 \dot{\varphi}(t)) \mathbf{e}_\varphi(\varphi(t))$

→ $-\mu \cdot \frac{1}{r(t)^2} = \ddot{r}(t) - r(t)\dot{\varphi}(t)^2 \leftarrow \begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{h} = |\mathbf{h}| = |\mathbf{r}(t) \times \dot{\mathbf{r}}(t)| = |r(t) \mathbf{e}_r(\varphi(t)) \times (\dot{r}(t) \mathbf{e}_r(\varphi(t)) + r(t) \dot{\varphi}(t) \mathbf{e}_\varphi(\varphi(t)))| = r(t)^2 \dot{\varphi}(t) = h \end{pmatrix}$
 $= \ddot{r}(t) - h^2/r(t)^3$
 → $\ddot{r}(t) = h^2/r(t)^3 - \mu \cdot 1/r(t)^2$

reformulate $r(t)$ as $r(\varphi(t))$: $\ddot{r}(\varphi(t)) = \frac{d}{dt} \left(\frac{d}{dt} (r(\varphi(t))) \right) = \frac{d}{dt} \left(\frac{dr}{d\varphi} \cdot \frac{d\varphi}{dt} \right) = \frac{d}{d\varphi} \left(\frac{dr}{d\varphi} \cdot \frac{d\varphi}{dt} \right) \cdot \frac{d\varphi}{dt} = \frac{d}{d\varphi} \left(\frac{dr}{d\varphi} \cdot \frac{h}{r^2} \right) \cdot \frac{h}{r^2} = \left(\frac{d^2 r}{d\varphi^2} \cdot \frac{h}{r^2} - \frac{dr}{d\varphi} \cdot \frac{2h}{r^3} \right) \cdot \frac{h}{r^2}$

$$\left(\frac{d^2 r}{d\varphi^2} \cdot \frac{h}{r^2} - \frac{dr}{d\varphi} \cdot \frac{2h}{r^3} \right) \cdot \frac{h}{r^2} = \frac{h^2}{r^3} - \frac{\mu}{r^2}$$

$$\rightarrow \frac{dr}{d\varphi} \cdot \frac{h}{r^2} - \left(\frac{dr}{d\varphi} \right)^2 \cdot \frac{2h}{r^3} = \frac{h}{r} - \frac{\mu}{h}$$

substitute $u = 1/r$: $du/dr = -1/r^2 \rightarrow dr = -r^2 du$

$$\frac{dr}{d\varphi} \cdot \frac{h}{r^2} - \left(\frac{dr}{d\varphi} \right)^2 \cdot \frac{2h}{r^3} = \frac{h}{r} - \frac{\mu}{h} \leftarrow \left(\frac{d^2 r}{d\varphi^2} = \frac{d}{d\varphi} \cdot \frac{dr}{d\varphi} = \frac{d}{d\varphi} (-r^2 \frac{du}{d\varphi}) = -2r \frac{dr}{d\varphi} \cdot \frac{du}{d\varphi} - r^2 \frac{d^2 u}{d\varphi^2} = 2r^3 \left(\frac{du}{d\varphi} \right)^2 - r^2 \frac{d^2 u}{d\varphi^2} \right)$$

$$(2r^3 \left(\frac{du}{d\varphi} \right)^2 - r^2 \frac{d^2 u}{d\varphi^2}) \frac{h}{r^2} - (-r^2 \frac{du}{d\varphi})^2 \cdot \frac{2h}{r^3} = \frac{h}{r} - \frac{\mu}{h}$$

$$2hr \left(\frac{du}{d\varphi} \right)^2 - h \frac{d^2 u}{d\varphi^2} - 2hr \left(\frac{du}{d\varphi} \right)^2 = \frac{h}{r} - \frac{\mu}{h}$$

$$-h \frac{d^2 u}{d\varphi^2} = hu - \frac{\mu}{h}$$

$$\frac{d^2 u}{d\varphi^2} + u = \frac{\mu}{h^2}$$

solve

$$u(\varphi) = 1/r(\varphi) = \frac{\mu}{h^2} + C_1 \cos(\varphi - C_2)$$

$$r(\varphi) = \frac{h^2/\mu}{1 + (\mu/h^2) C_1 \cos(\varphi + C_2)} \quad (e = C_1 \mu/h^2, C_2 = 0)$$

$$r(\varphi) = \frac{h^2/\mu}{1 + e \cos(\varphi)} = \frac{p}{1 + e \cos(\varphi)}$$

φ : true anomaly e : eccentricity
 $\varphi=0$: apoapsis $p = h^2/\mu$: semilatus rectum
 $\varphi=\pi$: periapsis

• orbital velocity $v_r(\varphi), v_\varphi(\varphi)$ and $v_r(r), v_\varphi(r)$

$$\mathbf{v} = \dot{\mathbf{r}} = \dot{r} \mathbf{e}_r + r \dot{\varphi} \mathbf{e}_\varphi = \frac{dr}{d\varphi} \cdot \frac{d\varphi}{dt} \mathbf{e}_r + r \frac{d\varphi}{dt} \mathbf{e}_\varphi$$

$$\left(\frac{d\varphi}{dt} = \dot{\varphi} = h/r^2; \frac{dr}{d\varphi} = \frac{e \sin \varphi}{(1 + e \cos \varphi)} \right) \uparrow$$

$$\rightarrow v_r(\varphi) = \frac{h}{p} \cdot e \cdot \sin(\varphi) \rightarrow v_r(r) = ?$$

$$\rightarrow v_\varphi(\varphi) = \frac{h}{p} (1 + e \cos(\varphi)) \rightarrow v_\varphi(r) = h/r$$

• vis-viva equation: $\|\mathbf{v}(r)\| = \sqrt{\mu(2/r - 1/a)}$

(from \mathcal{E} preserv.: $\mathcal{E} = \mathcal{E}(\varphi=0)$ solved for $\|\mathbf{v}\|$)

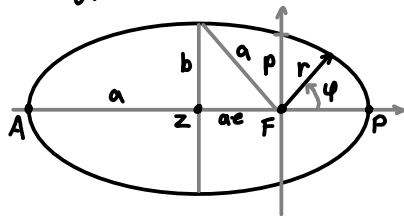
• energy preservation:

$$\mathcal{E} = \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{v}^2 - \frac{\mu}{\|\mathbf{r}\|} = \text{const.} = \text{kinetic} + \text{potential specific } \mathcal{E}$$

$$\text{at periapsis } (\varphi=0): \mathcal{E} = -\frac{\mu}{2p} (1 - e^2)$$

$$\uparrow (\varphi=0 \rightarrow \|\mathbf{r}\| = r(\varphi), \dot{\mathbf{r}}^2 = v_r(\varphi)^2 + v_\varphi(\varphi)^2)$$

• elliptic orbit ($0 < e < 1$):



F: focus
Z: center
P: periapsis
A: apoapsis
a: semi-major axis
b: semi-minor axis
p: semi latus rectum

$$p = h^2/\mu = a(1-e^2) = b^2/(1-e^2)$$

$$a = p/(1-e^2) \quad b = p/\sqrt{1-e^2}$$

$$r_p = p/(1+e) \quad \bar{AP} = 2a$$

$$r_a = p/(1-e) \quad \bar{FZ} = e \cdot a$$

$$\mathcal{E} = -\mu/2a \quad e = \sqrt{1-b^2/a^2}$$

$r_p = \bar{FP}$: periapsis dist.
 $r_a = \bar{FA}$: apoapsis dist.
 \bar{AP} : line of apsides
 \bar{FZ} : linear eccentricity

\mathcal{E} : specific Energy
T: period time

Kepler's laws of planetary motion:

- I: orbit of planets is ellipse with sun at focus
II: planet-sun line sweeps equal area in equal time
 $dA = r dr d\psi = \frac{1}{2} r^2 d\psi$ (integrate \int_0^r)
 $dA/dt = \frac{1}{2} r^2 d\psi/dt = h/2$ ($d\psi/dt = \dot{\psi} = h/r^2$)

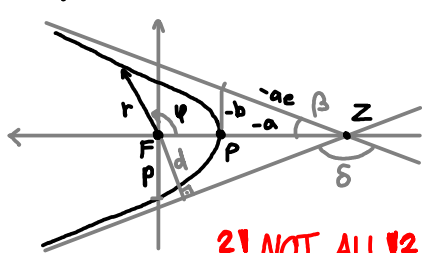
III: T^2 is proportional to a^3

$$T = \frac{\text{ellipse area}}{dA/dt} = \frac{\pi ab}{h/2} = \dots = 2\pi \left(\frac{a^3}{\mu}\right)^{1/2}$$

$$\rightarrow T^2 = \frac{4\pi^2}{\mu} \cdot a^3$$

$$\rightarrow \left(\frac{T_1}{T_2}\right)^2 \frac{m_1+m_2}{m_1+m_2} = \left(\frac{a_1}{a_2}\right)^3 \quad (T \text{ proportional for 2 bodies})$$

• hyperbolic orbit ($e > 1$)



p: semi latus rectum
 $-a = \bar{ZP}$: semi-major axis
 $r_p = \bar{FP}$: periapsis dist.

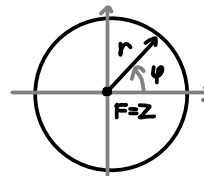
δ : turning angle
d: aiming radius

?! NOT ALL!?

formulas for ellipse are still valid! but $a < 0$!

$$\beta = \arccos(1/e) \quad \delta = \pi - 2\beta = 2 \arcsin(1/e)$$

• circular orbit ($e = 0$)



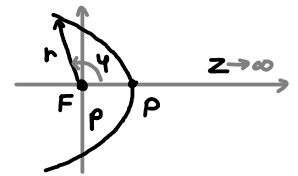
$$r = a = b = p = r_p = r_a$$

$$\mathcal{E} = -\mu/2r$$

$$v_\psi = \sqrt{\mu/r}, v_r = 0$$

$$T = 2\pi/\sqrt{\mu} \cdot r^{3/2}$$

• parabolic orbit ($e = 1$)



$$r_p = 1/2 p; a = \infty$$

$$\mathcal{E} = 0$$

$$\|\underline{v}\| = v_{esc} = \sqrt{2\mu/r}$$

(v_{esc} : escape velocity)

Position in orbit as func. of time (for 2-body-problem)

• elliptic orbit:

$$\text{area FPR}/t = \pi ab/T \quad (\text{II Kepler law})$$

$$\uparrow \text{area FPR}(E) = \text{area RSP}(E) - \text{area RSF}(E)$$

$$\uparrow \text{area RSF}(E) = \frac{1}{2}(ae - a \cos E)(a \sin E) \frac{b}{a}$$

$$\text{area RSP}(E) = \frac{b}{a} \text{area QSP}(E)$$

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

$$\rightarrow t(E) \cdot \frac{2\pi}{T} = (E - e \sin E) = M$$

$E(t)$ = only numerical solution!

$$E \leftrightarrow \psi \text{ relations: } \cos E = \frac{e + \cos \psi}{1 + e \cos \psi} \leftrightarrow \tan \frac{E}{2} = \sqrt{\frac{1-e}{1+e}} \cdot \tan \frac{\psi}{2} \quad (\text{from } \bar{ZS} = a \cdot \cos E = ae + r \cos \psi)$$

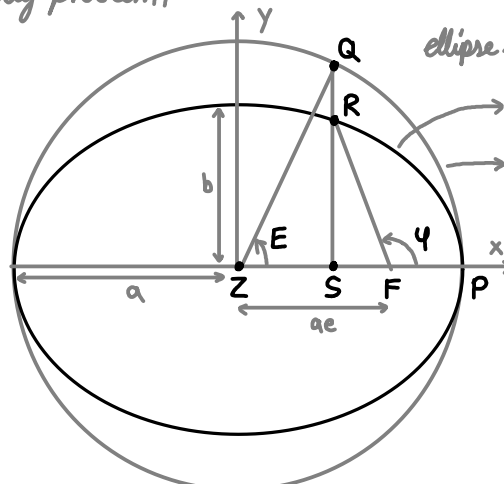
$$\text{new orbital eq: } r(E) = a(1 - e \cos(E)) \quad (\text{from orbital equation with } \psi(E))$$

• hyperbolic orbit: (derivation analogous to elliptic orbit!)

$$t(E) \cdot \frac{h}{ab} = (e \sinh E - E) = M; \quad E(t) = \text{only numerical solution!}$$

$$E \leftrightarrow \psi \text{ relations: } \cosh E = \frac{e + \cos \psi}{1 + e \cos \psi} \leftrightarrow \tanh \frac{E}{2} = \sqrt{\frac{1-e}{1+e}} \cdot \tanh \frac{\psi}{2}$$

$$\text{new orbital eq: } r(E) = a(1 - e \cosh(E))$$

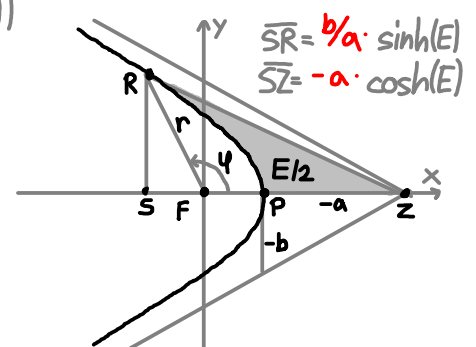


ellipse is circle squished by b/a !

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1 \rightarrow y = \frac{b}{a} \sqrt{a^2 - x^2}$$

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{a^2} = 1 \rightarrow y = \sqrt{a^2 - x^2}$$

E: eccentric anomaly
M: mean anomaly
 ψ : true anomaly
t: time passed since periapsis pass
T: period time

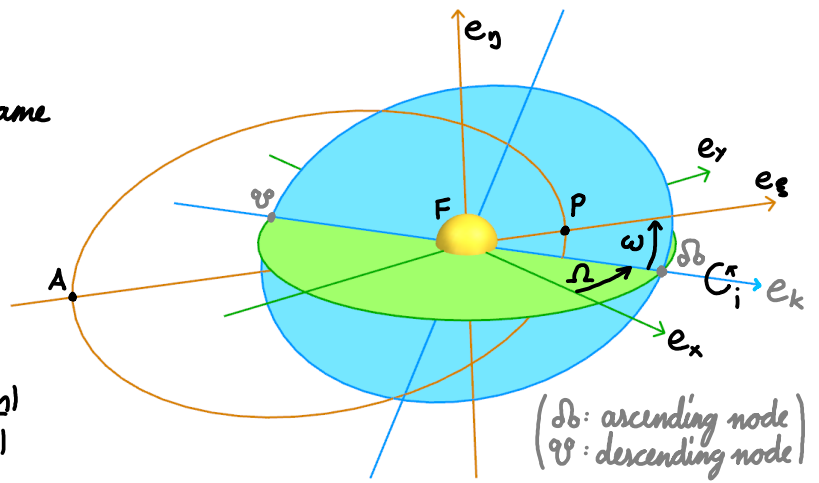


Position of Orbit rel. to a reference frame

e_x, e_y, e_z : reference frame ; e_s, e_η, e_ξ : orbit frame

(e.g.:
 ● equator plane earth
 e_x vernal equinox direction
 ● satellite orbit plane
 ○ satellite trajectory

Ω : longitude of the ascending node = $\angle(e_x, e_k)$
 i : inclination = $\angle(e_z, e_s) = \angle(e_z, h)$
 ω : argument of the periapsis = $\angle(e_k, e_s) = \angle(e_k, r_p)$

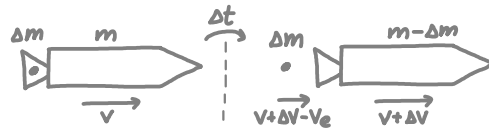


Rocket Dynamics

DO NOT TRY $d/dt(mv) = \dot{m}v + m\dot{v} = F$ 2nd Newton law is only for const. m !!

• 1D equation of motion:

momentum preservation: $P(t+\Delta t) - P(t) = F_{ext} \Delta t$



(v_e : exhaust velocity)
rel. to rocket

$$(m-\Delta m)(v+\Delta v) + \Delta m(v+\Delta v-v_e) - mv = F_{ext} \Delta t$$

$$m\Delta v - \Delta m v_e = F_{ext} \Delta t$$

$$m\dot{v} = -\dot{m}v_e + F_{ext}$$

→ with exhaust pressure:

$$m\dot{v} = -\dot{m}v_e + (p_e - p_a)A + F_{ext} = -\dot{m}c + F_{ext} = S + F_{ext}$$

rocket thrust:

$$S =$$

rocket equation:

$$\Delta v = c \cdot \ln\left(\frac{m_0}{m_1}\right) \Leftrightarrow \frac{m_1}{m_0} = e^{-(v_1 - v_0)/c}$$

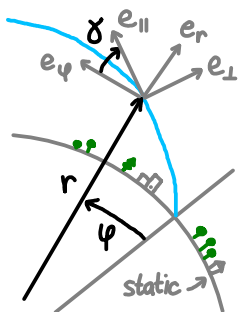
(integral $t_0 \rightarrow t_1$; $F_{ext}=0$)

↳ with gravity:

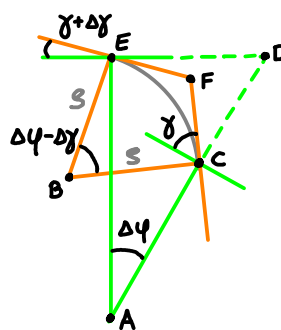
$$\Delta v = c \cdot \ln\left(\frac{m_0}{m_1}\right) - g \Delta t$$

(integral $t_0 \rightarrow t_1$; $F_{ext}=mg$) (gravity loss \propto burn time!)

• 2D equation of motion:



r, φ : polar pos of rocket
 γ : flight path angle
 S : flight path curvature
 v : abs. rocket velocity
 $a_{||}, a_{\perp}$: rocket accel. along $e_{||}, e_{\perp}$
 $(v_{||}=v, v_{\perp}=0)$



$$\angle EDA = \frac{\pi}{2} - \Delta\varphi; \angle DEF = \gamma + \Delta\gamma; \angle DCF = \frac{\pi}{2} - \gamma$$

$$\angle EFC = 2\pi - \angle EDA - \angle DEF - \angle DCF$$

$$= 2\pi - \pi + \frac{\pi}{2} + \Delta\varphi - \gamma - \Delta\gamma - \frac{\pi}{2} + \gamma$$

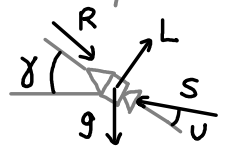
$$= \pi + \Delta\varphi - \Delta\gamma$$

$$\angle EBC = 2\pi - \angle BEF - \angle BCF - (2\pi - \angle EFC)$$

$$= 2\pi - \frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{\pi}{2} - 2\pi + \pi + \Delta\varphi - \Delta\gamma$$

$$= \Delta\varphi + \Delta\gamma$$

$S = -\dot{m}c$: thrust
 $R = \frac{1}{2} \rho v^2 A C_D$: drag
 $g = \mu/r^2$: gravity
 $L = ?$: lift



$$a_{\perp} = \frac{S}{m} \sin \gamma + \frac{L}{m} - g \cos \gamma = a_{\perp} = \frac{v^2}{S} = v \cdot (\dot{\gamma} - \dot{\gamma}) = -v \dot{\gamma} + \frac{v^2}{r} \cos \gamma$$

$$a_{||} = \frac{S}{m} \cos \gamma - \frac{R}{m} - g \sin \gamma = a_{||} = \dot{v}$$

ext. forces

accel. description

$$\begin{cases} \dot{\varphi} = v_{\perp}/r = v \cos \gamma / r \\ \dot{r} = v_{||} = v \sin \gamma \\ v = S(\dot{\varphi} - \dot{\gamma}) \end{cases}$$

(how to deal with rotating earth?
 γ angle then no longer rel to atmosphere...)

• staged rocket:

mass of stage i: $m_i = m_{pi} + m_{si}$
 mass of rocket at stage i: $m_{oi} = m_i + \dots + m_n + m_L$

mass ratio at burnout: $Z_i = m_{oi} / m_{si} + m_{oi(i+1)}$

structure coefficient: $\sigma_i = m_{si} / m_i = m_{si} / m_{si} + m_{pi} = m_{si} / m_{oi} - m_{oi(i+1)}$

payload ratio: $\nu_i = m_{oi(i+1)} / m_i = m_{oi(i+1)} / m_{si} + m_{pi} = m_{oi(i+1)} / m_{oi} - m_{oi(i+1)}$

(m_{pi} : propellant of stage i
 m_{si} : structure of stage i
 m_L : payload)

characteristic velocity:

$$\Delta v = \sum_{i=1}^n c_i \ln Z_i$$

(vel change with $F_{ext}=0$)
 from rocket equation)

- optimal staging: given $m_L, \sigma_i, \Delta V_{tot}$ (desired ΔV) \rightarrow choose Z_i that minimize m_{o1}

$$\min_{Z_i} m_{o1} \text{ subj. to: } \sum_{i=1}^n c_i \ln(Z_i) - \Delta V_{tot} = 0$$

$$\left[\begin{array}{l} m_{o1} \text{ as func of } Z_i, \sigma_i, m_L: \\ m_{o1} = m_L \cdot \frac{m_{o1}}{m_{o2}} \cdot \frac{m_{o2}}{m_{o3}} \cdot \dots \cdot \frac{m_{on}}{m_L} \\ = m_L \cdot \prod_{i=1}^n \frac{m_{oi}}{m_{o(i+1)}} \\ m_{o1} = m_L \cdot \prod_{i=1}^n \frac{(1-\sigma_i)Z_i}{1-\sigma_i Z_i} \end{array} \right. \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} \frac{m_{oi}}{m_{o(i+1)}} = \frac{m_{oi}}{m_{oi}-m_i} \leftarrow \\ = \frac{Z_i(\sigma_i-1)/(1-Z_i) \cdot m_i}{Z_i(\sigma_i-1)/(1-Z_i) \cdot m_i - m_i} \\ = \frac{Z_i(\sigma_i-1)}{Z_i(\sigma_i-1) - (1-Z_i)} \\ \frac{m_{oi}}{m_{o(i+1)}} = \frac{(1-\sigma_i)Z_i}{1-\sigma_i Z_i} \end{array} \right. \quad \left[\begin{array}{l} Z_i = \frac{m_{oi}}{m_{\sigma_i} + m_{o(i+1)}} \\ m_{oi} = Z_i(m_{\sigma_i} + m_{o(i+1)}) \\ m_{oi} = Z_i(\sigma_i m_i + m_{oi} - m_i) \\ m_{oi} = Z_i m_i (\sigma_i - 1) + Z_i m_{oi} \\ m_{oi}(1-Z_i) = Z_i m_i (\sigma_i - 1) \\ m_{oi} = \frac{Z_i(\sigma_i-1)}{1-Z_i} \cdot m_i \end{array} \right]$$

$$\min_{Z_i} m_{o1} = \min_{Z_i} \frac{m_{o1}}{m_L} = \min_{Z_i} \ln\left(\frac{m_{o1}}{m_L}\right) = \min_{Z_i} \ln\left(\prod_{i=1}^n \frac{(1-\sigma_i)Z_i}{1-\sigma_i Z_i}\right) = \min_{Z_i} \sum_{i=1}^n [\ln(1-\sigma_i) + \ln(Z_i) - \ln(1-\sigma_i Z_i)]$$

equivalent minimization problems subj. to: $\sum_{i=1}^n c_i \ln(Z_i) - \Delta V_{tot} = 0$

$$\text{Lagrangian func: } L(Z_i, \lambda) = \sum_{i=1}^n [\ln(1-\sigma_i) + \ln(Z_i) - \ln(1-\sigma_i Z_i)] + \lambda [\sum_{i=1}^n c_i \ln(Z_i) - \Delta V_{tot}]$$

$$\text{dual problem: } \max_{\lambda} \min_{Z_i} L(Z_i, \lambda) \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} 0 = \frac{\partial L(Z_i, \lambda)}{\partial Z_i} = \frac{1}{Z_i} + \frac{\sigma_i}{1-\sigma_i Z_i} + \lambda \cdot \frac{c_i}{Z_i} = 1 + \lambda c_i (1-\sigma_i Z_i) \rightarrow Z_i^*(\lambda) = \frac{1+\lambda c_i}{\lambda c_i \sigma_i} \\ 0 = \frac{\partial L(Z_i=Z_i^*, \lambda)}{\partial \lambda} = \sum_{i=1}^n c_i \ln\left(\frac{1+\lambda c_i}{\lambda c_i \sigma_i}\right) - \Delta V_{tot} \rightarrow \lambda^* = \dots \text{calc} \dots \end{array} \right.$$

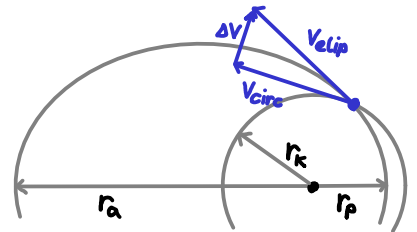
optimal solution: $Z_i^* = Z_i^*(\lambda^*)$

impulsive orbital maneuvers (instant change of vel.)

- direct: 1 maneuver transfer between circular (r_k) and elliptic (p, e) orbit:

$$\Delta V^2 = V_{circ}^2 + V_{elip}^2(r_k) - 2 V_{circ} \cdot V_{elip}(r_k) = \mu/r_k + \mu\left(\frac{2}{r_k} - \frac{1-e^2}{p}\right) - 2\sqrt{\mu/r_k} \cdot \sqrt{\mu p/r_k}$$

orbits must intersect! $\rightarrow r_p = p/(1+e) \leq r_k \leq p/(1-e) = r_a$



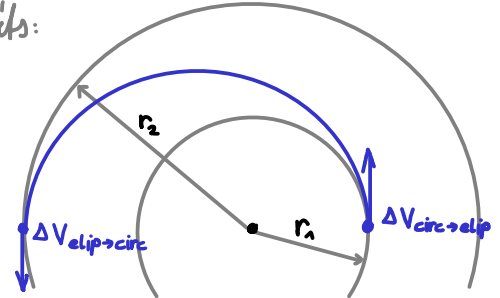
- Hohmann: 2 maneuver transfer between circular (r_1) and circular (r_2) orbits:

$$\min_{p, e} \Delta V_{circ \rightarrow elip} + \Delta V_{elip \rightarrow circ} \text{ subj. to: } r_p = p/(1+e) \leq r_1; r_2 \leq p/(1-e) = r_a$$

minimize ΔV_{tot} intersect both circles

$$\text{HARD} \rightarrow \Delta V^* = \Delta V_H = \sqrt{\mu} \left[\left(\sqrt{\frac{2}{r_1} - \frac{2}{r_1+r_2}} - \sqrt{\frac{1}{r_1}} \right) + \left(\sqrt{\frac{2}{r_2} - \frac{2}{r_1+r_2}} - \sqrt{\frac{1}{r_2}} \right) \right]$$

$$e^* = e_H = r_2 - r_1 / r_1 + r_2 \quad p^* = p_H = r_1(1+e_H) \rightarrow r_p = r_1; r_a = r_2$$



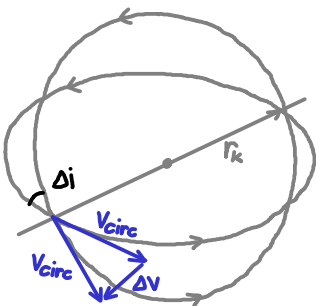
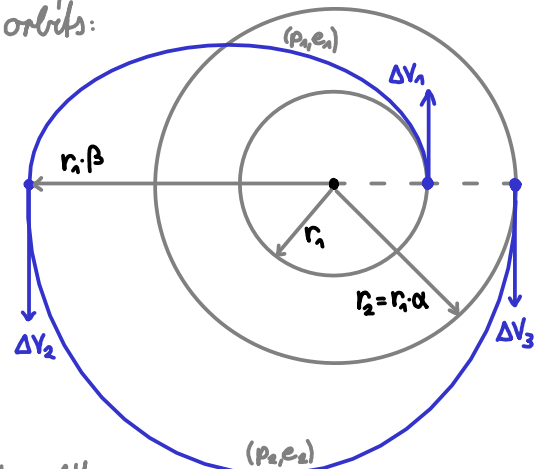
- Bi-elliptic: 3 maneuver transfer between circular (r_1) and circular (r_2) orbits:

$$\min_{p_1, e_1, p_2, e_2} \Delta V_1 + \Delta V_2 + \Delta V_3 \text{ subj. to: intersect } r_1 \rightarrow \beta r_1 \rightarrow \alpha r_1$$

$$\text{HARD} \rightarrow \Delta V^* = \Delta V_{bi} = \sqrt{\frac{\mu}{r_1}} \cdot \left(\sqrt{\frac{2}{\beta(\beta+1)}(\beta-1)} + \sqrt{2\left(\frac{1}{\alpha} + \frac{1}{\beta}\right)} - \sqrt{\frac{1}{\alpha}} - 1 \right)$$

$$p_1^*, e_1^*, p_2^*, e_2^* = \dots \leftarrow r_{p1} = r_1; r_{a1} = \beta r_1 = r_{a2}; r_{p2} = r_2$$

optimal β one of: $\beta^* = \alpha \rightarrow$ Hohmann
 $\beta^* = \infty \rightarrow$ parabola to int and back
 if $\beta^* = \infty$, then some $\alpha < \beta < \infty$ can be better than Hohmann!



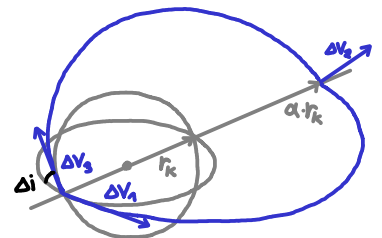
- inclination change Δi : 1 maneuver between 2 circ. orbits

$$\Delta V = V_{circ} \cdot 2 \sin\left(\frac{\Delta i}{2}\right) = \sqrt{\mu/r_k} \cdot 2 \sin\left(\frac{\Delta i}{2}\right) \quad (r_k = r_{k1} = r_{k2})$$

- bi-elliptic inclination change Δi : same but 3 maneuver

$$\Delta V = \sqrt{\mu/r_k} \cdot \left(\sqrt{\frac{2}{\alpha} \left(\frac{\alpha-1}{\alpha+1} \right) + 1} - 2 + 2\sqrt{\frac{1}{\alpha}} \sin\left(\frac{\Delta i}{2}\right) \right)$$

(out to $\alpha \cdot r_k \rightarrow$ inclin change $\Delta i \rightarrow$ back to r_k)



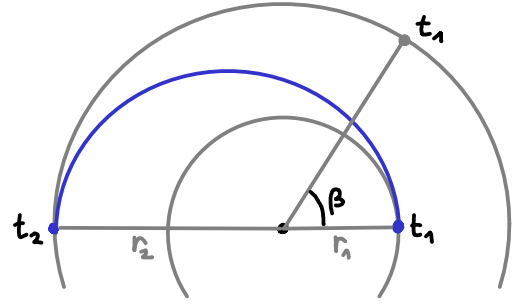
- rendezvous (Hohmann transfer, but arrive when target is at arrival location)

synodic period: $S = \frac{2\pi}{\omega_1 - \omega_2} = \frac{1}{\frac{1}{T_1} - \frac{1}{T_2}}$ ($\omega = 2\pi/T$ angular velocity)
(time before same relative pos. happens again)

probe travel $\xrightarrow{\hspace{1cm}}$ target travel

$$\Delta t = \frac{T_H}{2} = \frac{\pi}{\sqrt{\mu}} \cdot a^{3/2} = \frac{\pi}{\sqrt{\mu}} \left(\frac{r_1 + r_2}{2} \right)^{3/2} = \frac{\pi}{\sqrt{\mu}} \left(\frac{\pi - \beta}{\pi} \cdot r_2^{3/2} \right) = \frac{\pi - \beta}{2\pi} \cdot \frac{2\pi}{\sqrt{\mu}} r_2^{3/2} = \Delta t$$

$$\hookrightarrow \left(\frac{r_1 + r_2}{2} \right)^{3/2} = \frac{\pi - \beta}{\pi} \cdot r_2^{3/2} \rightarrow \beta = \pi - \pi \left(\frac{r_1 + r_2}{2r_2} \right)^{3/2} = \pi \left(1 - \left(\frac{1 + r_1/r_2}{2} \right)^{3/2} \right)$$



Continuous orbital maneuvers (const. acceleration)

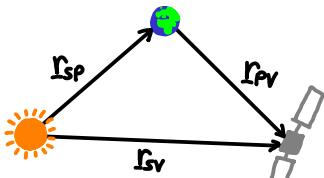
assumptions: orbit always circular ($\underline{\dot{r}} = \sqrt{\mu/r} \underline{e}_\varphi$) and thrust $\underline{S} \parallel \underline{\dot{r}}$ (only valid for really small thrust S)

circ orbit: $\underline{\dot{r}} = \sqrt{\frac{\mu}{r}} \underline{e}_\varphi \rightarrow \underline{\ddot{r}} = -\frac{\mu}{r^2} \underline{e}_r - \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{\frac{\mu}{r}} \frac{\dot{r}}{r} \underline{e}_\varphi \rightarrow \underline{\ddot{r}}_\varphi = \frac{1}{m} \underline{S} = -\frac{1}{2} \sqrt{\frac{\mu}{r}} \frac{\dot{r}}{r} \underline{e}_\varphi$

EoM with S: $\underline{\ddot{r}} = \underbrace{-\frac{\mu}{r^2} \underline{e}_r}_{\text{gravity}} + \underbrace{\frac{1}{m} \underline{S} \underline{e}_\varphi}_{\text{thrust}} \rightarrow \Delta V = \int_{t_0}^{t_1} \frac{1}{m} S dt = \int_{t_0}^{t_1} -\frac{1}{2} \sqrt{\frac{\mu}{r}} \frac{\dot{r}}{r} dt = \sqrt{\frac{\mu}{r_0}} - \sqrt{\frac{\mu}{r_1}} = \Delta V$

Domain of influence of a planet

(domain inside which less error is made by considering only gravity of planet compared to only considering gravity of sun)



$$\begin{aligned} \ddot{\underline{r}}_v &= -\frac{Gm_p}{r_{pv}^3} \underline{r}_{pv} - \frac{Gm_s}{r_{sv}^3} \underline{r}_{sv} \\ \ddot{\underline{r}}_p &= +\frac{Gm_v}{r_{pv}^3} \underline{r}_{pv} - \frac{Gm_s}{r_{sp}^3} \underline{r}_{sp} \\ \ddot{\underline{r}}_s &= +\frac{Gm_v}{r_{sv}^3} \underline{r}_{sv} + \frac{Gm_p}{r_{sp}^3} \underline{r}_{sp} \end{aligned}$$

$$\ddot{\underline{r}}_{pv} = \ddot{\underline{r}}_v - \ddot{\underline{r}}_p = \underbrace{-\frac{G(m_p+m_v)}{r_{pv}^3} \underline{r}_{pv}}_{A_p} - \underbrace{Gm_s \left(\frac{\underline{r}_{sv}}{r_{sv}^3} + \frac{\underline{r}_{sp}}{r_{sp}^3} \right)}_{P_s}$$

A_p : accel. planet; P_s : perturb. sun
 $\hookrightarrow A_p/P_s$: "only planet" error

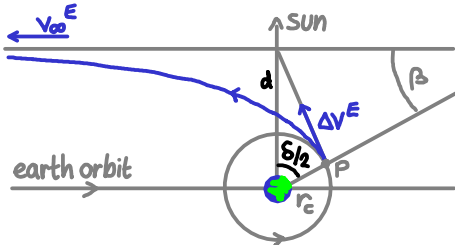
$$\ddot{\underline{r}}_{sv} = \ddot{\underline{r}}_v - \ddot{\underline{r}}_s = \underbrace{-\frac{G(m_p+m_v)}{r_{pv}^3} \underline{r}_{pv}}_{A_s} - \underbrace{Gm_s \left(\frac{\underline{r}_{sv}}{r_{sv}^3} + \frac{\underline{r}_{sp}}{r_{sp}^3} \right)}_{P_p}$$

A_s : accel. sun; P_p : perturb. planet
 $\hookrightarrow A_s/P_p$: "only sun" error

$$\hookrightarrow \text{planet domain of influence} = \{ \underline{r} \mid A_p/P_s \leq A_s/P_p \} \approx \text{sphere with } r_{inf} \approx \left(\frac{m_p}{m_s} \right)^{2/5} \cdot \| \underline{r}_{sp} \|$$

Patched conics (calculate only with body of domain of influence + assume to be at inf. when leaving / after entering)

- departure + Hohmann transfer + reentry (in 2 maneuvers) (spheres of influence of planets must be small!)

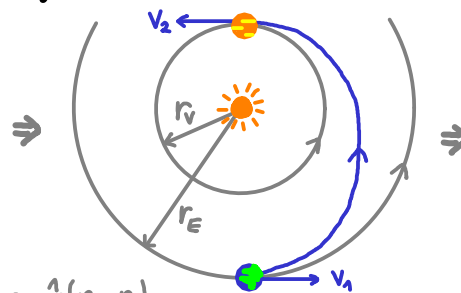


$$v_0 = \sqrt{\mu_e / r_e} \rightarrow$$

$$v_0 + \Delta v^E = \sqrt{\mu_e (2/r_e - 1/a)} = 2v_0 + v_\infty^E$$

$$v_\infty^E = \sqrt{\mu_e (-1/a)}$$

$$v_1 = \sqrt{\mu_s / r_e} - v_\infty^E$$

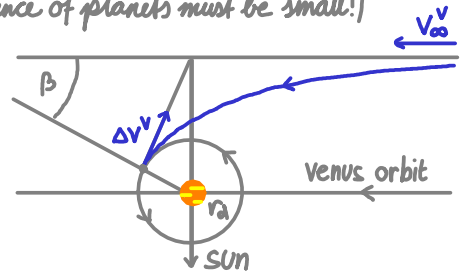


$$a = \frac{1}{2} (r_e + r_v)$$

$$v_1 = \sqrt{\mu_s (2/r_e - 1/a)} \quad v_2 = \sqrt{\mu_s (2/r_v - 1/a)}$$

$$v_\infty^E = \sqrt{\mu_s / r_e} - v_1 \quad v_\infty^V = \sqrt{\mu_s / r_v} + v_2$$

$$\Delta v^E = \sqrt{\mu_e / r_e} + v_\infty^E \quad \Delta v^V = \sqrt{\mu_v / r_d} + v_\infty^V$$



$$v_f = \sqrt{\mu_v / r_d} \rightarrow$$

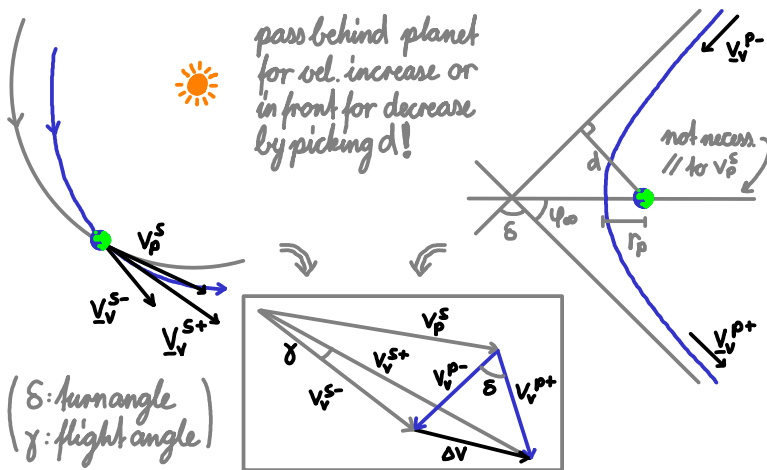
$$v_f + \Delta v^V = \sqrt{\mu_v (2/r_d - 1/a)} = 2v_f + v_\infty^V$$

$$v_\infty^V = \sqrt{\mu_v (-1/a)}$$

$$v_2 = v_\infty^V - \sqrt{\mu_s / r_v}$$

($\delta/2$ can be calculated from orbit eq. @ periapsis solved for $e \rightarrow \delta/2 = \arcsin(1/e)$)
(d can be calculated from angular momentum preservation $v_\infty d = v_p r_p$)

Gravity assist manoeuvre (use planet for "free" Δv)



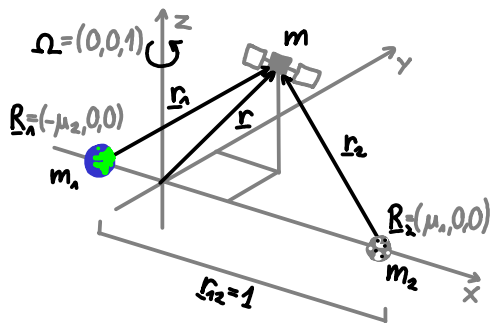
$$\begin{aligned}\Delta v &= |\underline{v}_v^{s+} - \underline{v}_v^{s-}| && \text{(vel. change in sun frame)} \\ &= |\underline{v}_v^{p+} - \underline{v}_v^{p-}| && \text{(vel. change in planet frame)} \\ &= 2v_\infty \sin(\delta/2) && \text{(from geometry with } v_\infty = |\underline{v}_v^{p-}| = |\underline{v}_v^{p+}|) \\ &= 2v_\infty/e && \text{(from parabola eq. } \delta = 2\arcsin(1/e)) \\ &= 2v_\infty/(v_p^2 r_p/\mu - 1) && \text{(from solve orb. eq. for } e \text{ at } \psi=0) \\ &= 2v_\infty/(v_\infty^2 r_p/\mu + 1) && \text{(from } E \text{ preserv. at } \psi=0 \text{ and inf.)}\end{aligned}$$

maximal Δv for a given r_p : **relevance?**

$$\begin{aligned}d\Delta v/dv_\infty = \dots = 0 &\rightarrow v_\infty^* = \sqrt{\mu/r_p} \rightarrow \Delta v^* = \sqrt{\mu/r_p} \\ \hookrightarrow e^* &= 2; \delta^* = 60^\circ = \pi/3; \psi_\infty^* = \frac{\pi - \delta}{2}; \gamma^* = ?; d^* = ?\end{aligned}$$

Restricted 3-body problem (works when patched conics is not applicable)

must be circular orbit!



set up a rotating frame $\underline{e}_x, \underline{e}_y, \underline{e}_z$ where m_1 and m_2 appear stationary, such that:

- origin at barycenter ($R_1 m_1 + R_2 m_2 = 0$) and m_1, m_2 on x-axis
 - axes scaled such that $\underline{r}_{12} = \underline{R}_2 - \underline{R}_1 = 1$
 - masses scaled such that $\mu_{12} = G(m_1 + m_2) = \mu_1 + \mu_2 = 1$ ($\mu_{12} = Gm_{1,2}$)
- $$\begin{aligned}\hookrightarrow 0 &= R_1 m_1 + R_2 m_2 = R_1 m_1 + (R_1 - 1)(\frac{1}{G} - m_1) = \dots \rightarrow R_1 = 1 - Gm_1 = 1 - \mu_1 = \mu_2 \\ \hookrightarrow 0 &= R_1 m_1 + R_2 m_2 = (R_2 - 1)(\frac{1}{G} - m_2) + R_2 m_2 = \dots \rightarrow R_2 = 1 - Gm_2 = 1 - \mu_2 = \mu_1 \\ \hookrightarrow T &= 2\pi \sqrt{a^3/\mu_{12}} = 2\pi \sqrt{r_{12}^3/\mu_{12}} = 2\pi \rightarrow \Omega = 2\pi/T = 1\end{aligned}$$

position of craft: $\underline{r} = \begin{bmatrix} x(t) \\ y(t) \\ z(t) \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \dot{\underline{r}} = \begin{bmatrix} \dot{x}(t) \\ \dot{y}(t) \\ \dot{z}(t) \end{bmatrix} + \underline{\Omega} \times \begin{bmatrix} x(t) \\ y(t) \\ z(t) \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \ddot{\underline{r}} = \begin{bmatrix} \ddot{x}(t) \\ \ddot{y}(t) \\ \ddot{z}(t) \end{bmatrix} + 2\underline{\Omega} \times \begin{bmatrix} \dot{x}(t) \\ \dot{y}(t) \\ \dot{z}(t) \end{bmatrix} + \underline{\Omega} \times (\underline{\Omega} \times \begin{bmatrix} x(t) \\ y(t) \\ z(t) \end{bmatrix}) = \begin{bmatrix} \ddot{x}(t) - 2\dot{y}(t) - x(t) \\ \ddot{y}(t) + 2\dot{x}(t) - y(t) \\ \ddot{z}(t) \end{bmatrix}$

forces on craft: $m\ddot{\underline{r}} = \underline{F}_1 + \underline{F}_2 = -\frac{Gm_1 m}{r_1^3} \underline{r}_1 - \frac{Gm_2 m}{r_2^3} \underline{r}_2 \rightarrow \ddot{\underline{r}} = -\frac{\mu_1}{r_1^3} \underline{r}_1 - \frac{\mu_2}{r_2^3} \underline{r}_2$ with $\underline{r}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} x + \mu_2 \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix}, \underline{r}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} x - \mu_1 \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix}$

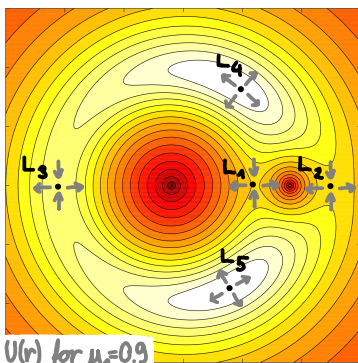
\hookrightarrow combined EoM:
$$\begin{aligned}\ddot{x} - 2\dot{y} - x &= -\frac{\mu_1}{r_1^3}(x + \mu_2) - \frac{\mu_2}{r_2^3}(x - \mu_1) \rightarrow \ddot{x} - 2\dot{y} = \partial U / \partial x \\ \ddot{y} - 2\dot{x} - y &= -\frac{\mu_1}{r_1^3}y - \frac{\mu_2}{r_2^3}y \rightarrow \ddot{y} - 2\dot{x} = \partial U / \partial y \\ \ddot{z} &= -\frac{\mu_1}{r_1^3}z - \frac{\mu_2}{r_2^3}z \rightarrow \ddot{z} = \partial U / \partial z\end{aligned}$$

with $U = \frac{1}{2}(x^2 + y^2) + \frac{\mu_1}{r_1} + \frac{\mu_2}{r_2}$

$$r_1 = \sqrt{(x + \mu_2)^2 + y^2 + z^2}$$

$$r_2 = \sqrt{(x - \mu_1)^2 + y^2 + z^2}$$

(U from left side of EoM: $dU/dt = \partial U / \partial x \cdot \dot{x} + \partial U / \partial y \cdot \dot{y} + \partial U / \partial z \cdot \dot{z} = \ddot{x}x + \ddot{y}y + \ddot{z}z \rightarrow U = \frac{1}{2}(\dot{x}^2 + \dot{y}^2 + \dot{z}^2 + C)$ const.)



for zero vel. in rot. frame ($\dot{x} = \dot{y} = \dot{z} = 0$) one gets $[\ddot{x}, \ddot{y}, \ddot{z}]^T = [\partial U / \partial x, \partial U / \partial y, \partial U / \partial z]^T = \text{grad}(U) = \nabla U$

equilibrium points ($\nabla U = 0 \Leftrightarrow \ddot{x} = \ddot{y} = \ddot{z} = 0$):

$$\begin{aligned}L_1 &= \begin{bmatrix} \mu_1 - (\mu_2/3)^{1/3} \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}; L_2 = \begin{bmatrix} \mu_1 + (\mu_2/3)^{1/3} \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}; L_3 = \begin{bmatrix} -\mu_1 - 5/12 \mu_2 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}; L_4 = \begin{bmatrix} (\mu_1 - \mu_2)/2 \\ \sqrt{3}/2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}; L_5 = \begin{bmatrix} (\mu_1 - \mu_2)/2 \\ -\sqrt{3}/2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \\ &\text{(unstable)} \quad \text{(unstable)} \quad \text{(unstable)} \quad \text{(stable)} \quad \text{(stable)}\end{aligned}$$

(L_4/L_5 stable only because of coriolis force when $v \neq 0 \rightarrow$ can't stay, but can orbit!)