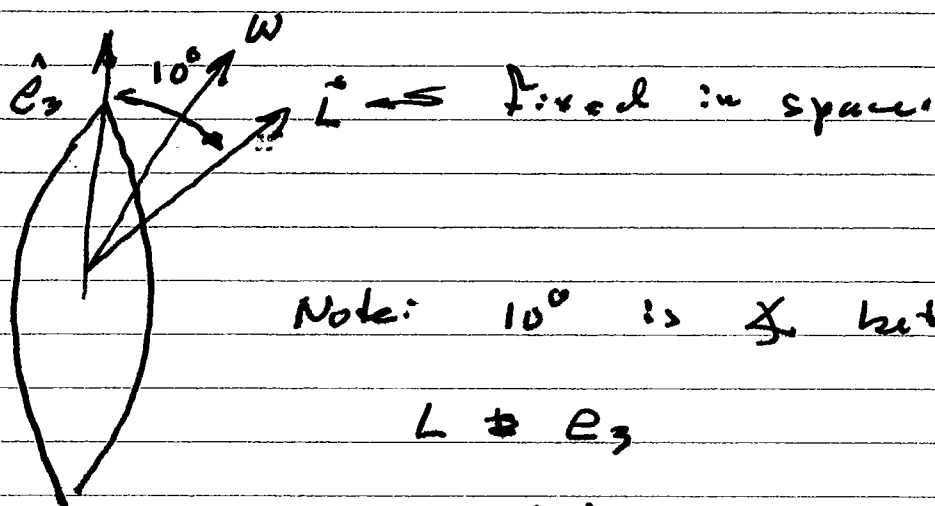


Problem Set 11

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Note: 10° is \angle between

$$L \neq e_3$$

also $2\pi(6)$ is the

wobble freq. ω_w [Note it is not ω_3]

In class we saw

$$\omega_w = \frac{|L|}{I_\perp} \Rightarrow |L| = I_\perp \omega_w = 12\pi I_\perp$$

$$L = \begin{pmatrix} I_\perp & & \\ & I_\perp & \\ & & .6 I_\perp \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \omega_1 \\ \omega_2 \\ \omega_3 \end{pmatrix} = I_\perp \begin{pmatrix} \omega_1 \\ \omega_2 \\ .6 \omega_3 \end{pmatrix} \quad (1)$$

Component of L in \hat{e}_3 dir $I_\perp (.6) \omega_3$

$$\text{Thus } |L| \cos(10^\circ) = I_\perp (.6) \omega_3$$

$$\text{or } 12\pi \cos(10^\circ) I_\star = I_\star (.6) \omega_3$$

$$\omega_3 = \frac{12\pi \cos(10^\circ)}{.6} = 19.7\pi$$

From (1)

$$L^2 = I_\star^2 (\omega_1^2 + \omega_2^2 + (.6)^2 \omega_3^2)$$

$$(12\pi)^2 I_\star^2 = I_\star^2 (\omega_1^2 + \omega_2^2 + (.6)^2 (19.7\pi)^2)$$

$$(12\pi)^2 - (.6)^2 (19.7)^2 \pi^2 = \omega_1^2 + \omega_2^2$$

$$4.29\pi^2 = \omega_1^2 + \omega_2^2 \equiv \omega_\perp^2$$

$$2.1\pi = \omega_\perp$$

6) In class, just after the intro. of

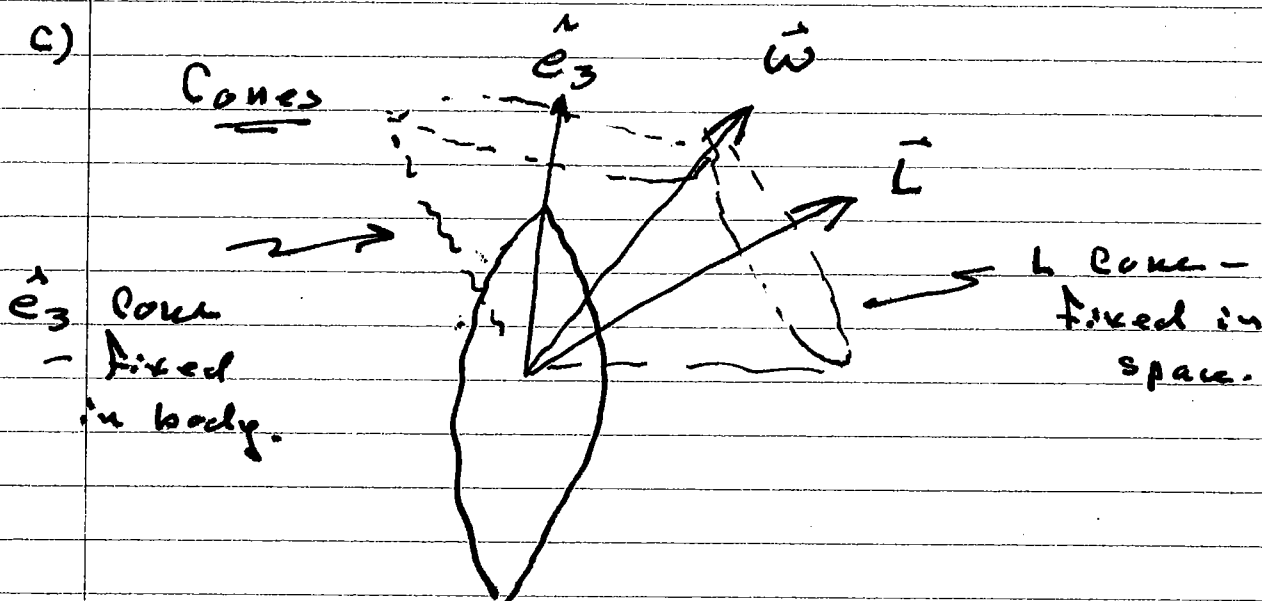
Euler eq. we showed

$$\ddot{\omega}_1 = -\Omega^2 \omega_1$$

$$\text{where } \Omega^2 = \frac{(I_3 - I_\star)}{I_\star} \omega_3$$

$$= (.6 - 1) \omega_3$$

$$|\Omega| = .4 (19.7 \pi) = 7.9 \pi$$



The \hat{e}_3 cone rolls without slipping around the \vec{L} cone. For disc

the \hat{e}_3 cone was inside the \vec{L} cone. Here it is out side

since $I_3 < I_{\perp}$. Seen from

the \hat{e}_3 cone $\vec{\omega}$ (pt. of contact with L cone) goes the other way around from ω .

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$$I_1 \dot{\omega}_1 = \omega_2 \omega_3 (I_2 - I_3)$$

$$I_2 \dot{\omega}_2 = \omega_3 \omega_1 (I_3 - I_1)$$

$$I_3 \dot{\omega}_3 = \omega_1 \omega_2 (I_1 - I_2)$$

$$\dot{\omega}_1 = \omega_2 \omega_3 \frac{(I_2 - I_3)}{I_1}$$

$$\dot{\omega}_2 = \omega_3 \omega_1 \frac{(I_3 - I_1)}{I_2}$$

$$\dot{\omega}_3 = \omega_1 \omega_2 \frac{(I_1 - I_2)}{I_3}$$

$$I_3 > I_2 > I_1$$

$$\frac{I_2 - I_3}{I_1} = -\alpha_1$$

$$\frac{I_3 - I_1}{I_2} = \alpha_2$$

$$\frac{I_1 - I_2}{I_3} = -\alpha_3$$

when all α_i 's are pos.

$$\dot{\omega}_1 = -\omega_2 \omega_3 \alpha_1$$

$$\dot{\omega}_2 = \omega_3 \omega_1 \alpha_2$$

$$\dot{\omega}_3 = -\omega_1 \omega_2 \alpha_3$$

1st w close to $\hat{e}_1 \Rightarrow w_1$

large seek evolution of w_2 & w_3

$$\dot{w}_2 = w_1 d_2 w_3$$

$$\dot{w}_3 = -w_1 d_3 w_2$$

Take $w_1 \approx \text{const}$

$$\ddot{w}_2 = w_1 d_2 \dot{w}_3 = - \underbrace{w_1 d_2 w_1 d_3}_{\text{pos.}} w_2$$

So harmonic oscillator —

2nd w close to $\hat{e}_2 \Rightarrow w_2$ large
& $\approx \text{const}$

See evolution of w_1 & w_3

$$\dot{w}_1 = -w_2 d_1 w_3$$

$$\dot{w}_3 = -w_2 d_3 w_1$$

$$\ddot{w}_1 = -w_2 d_1 \dot{w}_3 = + \underbrace{w_2^2 d_1 d_3}_{\text{pos.}} w_1$$

pos. HO with
the wrong sign

— unstable.