

CBE IN SPC:

$$\frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial t} + \dot{r} \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial r} + \dot{\theta} \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \theta} + \dot{\phi} \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \phi} + \dot{v}_r \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial v_r} + \dot{v}_\theta \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial v_\theta} + \dot{v}_\phi \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial v_\phi} = 0$$

No θ & ϕ dependence $\Rightarrow \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \theta} = \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \phi} = 0$

CONSIDER TERMS SEPARATELY:

$$\dot{r} = v_r$$

$$\begin{aligned} \dot{v}_r &= \ddot{r} = a_r + r \dot{\theta}^2 + r \sin^2 \theta \dot{\phi}^2 \\ &= -\frac{\partial \Phi}{\partial r} + \frac{1}{r} (v_\theta^2 + v_\phi^2) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \dot{v}_\theta &= \frac{d}{dt} (r \dot{\theta}) = \dot{r} \dot{\theta} + r \ddot{\theta} \\ &= a_\theta - \dot{r} \dot{\theta} + r \sin \theta \cos \theta \dot{\phi}^2 \\ &= -\frac{\partial \Phi}{\partial \theta} - \frac{1}{r} \left(\dot{r} + \dot{\theta} \frac{r}{\sin \theta} \right) (\sin \theta \dot{\phi} r)^2 \cot \theta \\ &= -\frac{1}{r} (v_r v_\theta - v_\phi^2 \cot \theta) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \dot{v}_\phi &= \frac{d}{dt} (r \sin \theta \dot{\phi}) = \dot{r} (\sin \theta) \dot{\phi} + r (\cos \theta) \dot{\theta} \dot{\phi} + r (\sin \theta) \ddot{\phi} \\ &= a_\phi - \dot{r} (\sin \theta) \dot{\phi} - r (\cos \theta) \dot{\theta} \dot{\phi} + r (\sin \theta) \ddot{\phi} \\ &= -\frac{\partial \Phi}{\partial \phi} - \frac{1}{r} \left(r \sin \theta \dot{\phi} \dot{r} + r \dot{\theta} r \sin \theta \dot{\phi} \cot \theta \right) \\ &= -\frac{1}{r} v_\phi (v_r + v_\theta \cot \theta) \end{aligned}$$

COMBINING TERMS TOGETHER:

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial t} + \dot{v}_r \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial v_r} + \frac{1}{r} (v_\theta^2 + v_\phi^2) \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial v_r} - \frac{1}{r} (v_r v_\theta - v_\phi^2 \cot \theta) \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial v_\theta} - \frac{1}{r} v_\phi (v_r + v_\theta \cot \theta) \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial v_\phi} \\ \cdot \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial v_r} - \frac{\partial \Phi}{\partial r} \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial v_r} = 0, \text{ AS REQUIRED } \square \end{aligned}$$