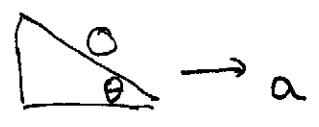
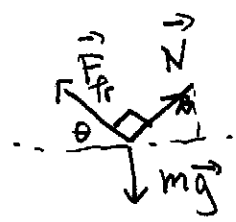


15) Moving Cart Exp't.



free diagram



vertical:  $N \cos \theta + F_{fr} \sin \theta = mg$   
 horizontal:  $N \sin \theta - F_{fr} \cos \theta = ma$

$$N = m(g \cos \theta + a \sin \theta)$$

$$F_{fr} = m(g \sin \theta - a \cos \theta)$$

$$F_{fr} > 0 : g \tan \theta > a$$

$$F_{fr} < \mu N$$

$$g (\sin \theta - \mu \cos \theta) < a (\cos \theta + \mu \sin \theta)$$

$$(g \tan \theta > a) \Rightarrow g \frac{\tan \theta - \mu}{1 + \mu \tan \theta}$$

In this band, the glider stays put!

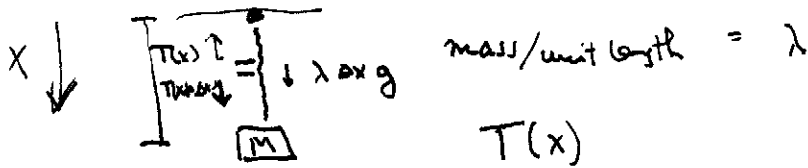
Q: What happens, if  $\vec{F}_{fr}$  points the other way?  
~~Q:~~ when does this case apply?

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→ allude to Jean Valjean, SP #2

# 16) Ropes and Pulleys

Analyze "bit by bit"



$$T(x) = T(x+\Delta x) + \lambda \Delta x g$$

↓

$$\frac{dT}{dx} = -\lambda g$$

$$T(x) = -\lambda g x + \text{const.}$$

block:  $T(L) = Mg$

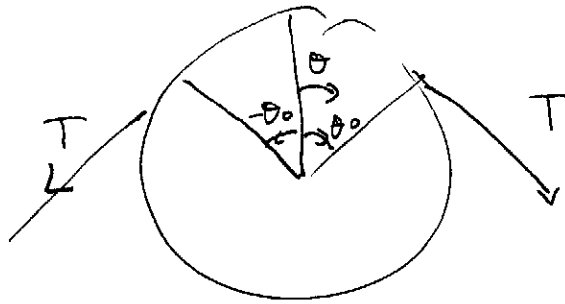
$$\Rightarrow T(x) = \lambda g (L-x) + Mg$$

$$T(0) = \lambda L g + Mg$$

~~WIS. B.~~

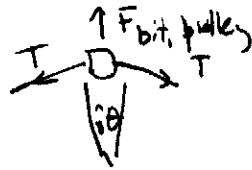
~~WIS. B.~~

Note for  $\lambda=0$   $T = \text{const.} = Mg$ ; rope "transmits" the force.

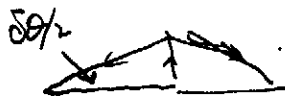


constant tension }  $\lambda = 0$   
 neglect gravity  
 no friction

free a bit of rope



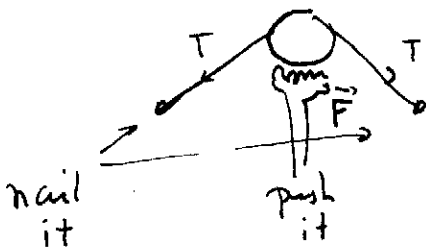
(constraint force, in normal direction — i.e., radially out)



$$F = 2T \frac{\delta s}{2} = T \delta \theta$$

$$\left( \vec{F}_{\text{pulley, rope}} \right)_{\text{down}} = \int_{-\theta_0}^{\theta_0} T \cos \theta \, d\theta = 2T \sin \theta_0$$

W.I.S.B.!



total force on system



$$F = 2T \sin \theta_0$$

# 17) Motion in Polar <sup>vector!</sup> ~~Component~~ Coordinates

$\hat{r}, \hat{\theta}$  define a non-trivial vector field. That is, their values - the directions they define - depend on where you are! (not what inertial motion gives you!)



In fact  $\hat{r} = \cos\theta \hat{x} + \sin\theta \hat{y}$   
 $\hat{\theta} = -\sin\theta \hat{x} + \cos\theta \hat{y}$

In mechanics:

position  $\vec{r}(t) = r \hat{r}$

$\vec{v} = \dot{\vec{r}} (\equiv \frac{d\vec{r}}{dt}) = \dot{r} \hat{r} + r \dot{\hat{r}}$

Since  $\dot{\hat{r}} = -\sin\theta \dot{\theta} \hat{x} + \cos\theta \dot{\theta} \hat{y} = \dot{\theta} \hat{\theta}$

$\vec{v} = \dot{r} \hat{r} + r \dot{\theta} \hat{\theta}$

$\vec{a} = \dot{\vec{v}} = \ddot{r} \hat{r} + \dot{r} \dot{\hat{r}} + \dot{r} \dot{\theta} \hat{\theta} + r \ddot{\theta} \hat{\theta} + r \dot{\theta} \dot{\hat{\theta}}$

Since  $\dot{\hat{\theta}} = -\cos\theta \dot{\theta} \hat{x} - \sin\theta \dot{\theta} \hat{y} = -\dot{\theta} \hat{r}$

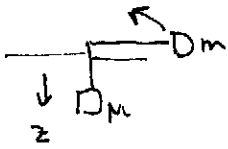
$\vec{a} = \ddot{r} \hat{r} + \dot{r} \dot{\theta} \hat{\theta} + \dot{r} \dot{\theta} \hat{\theta} + r \ddot{\theta} \hat{\theta} - r \dot{\theta}^2 \hat{r}$

$= (\ddot{r} - r \dot{\theta}^2) \hat{r} + \cancel{2\dot{r}\dot{\theta}} (r \ddot{\theta} + 2\dot{r}\dot{\theta}) \hat{\theta}$

↑ Centrifugal term  
↑ Coriolis term  
also written as  $(\ddot{r} - r\omega^2), r\dot{\omega} + 2\dot{r}\omega$

18) Examples

Whirling Hook



$$m(2\dot{r}\ddot{\theta} + r\ddot{\theta}) = 0 \quad (= \frac{m}{r} \frac{d}{dt} (r^2 \dot{\theta}))$$

$$m(\ddot{r} - r\dot{\theta}^2) = -T$$

~~$M\ddot{z} = Mg - T$~~   $M\ddot{z} = Mg - T = -M\ddot{r}$

since  $z+r = \text{const.}$   
(length of string)

$\frac{d}{dt} r^2 \dot{\theta} = 0$  ;  $\boxed{mr^2 \dot{\theta} \equiv L}$  independent of time  
( $L = \text{initial value}$ )

$$m \left( \frac{1}{M} - g - r \left( \frac{L}{mr^2} \right)^2 \right) = -T$$

Angular momentum!

$$\boxed{T \left( \frac{1}{m} + \frac{1}{M} \right) = g + \frac{L^2}{m r^3}}$$

$$M\ddot{r} = \left( \frac{1}{m} + \frac{1}{M} \right)^{-1} \left( g + \frac{L^2}{m r^3} \right) - Mg$$

$$\ddot{r} = \frac{-M}{m+M} g + \frac{m}{m+M} \frac{L^2}{r^3 m(M+m)}$$

$L = 0$  ✓

↑ dominates for large  $r$ , in

↑ dominates for small  $r$ , out

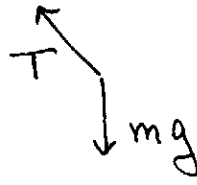
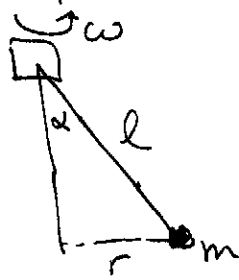
settles to

req.  $\frac{L^2}{mMg}$

$\frac{(ML/T)^2}{M^2 L/T^2}$  ✓

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### Conical pendulum



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

$$2\dot{r}\dot{\theta} + r\ddot{\theta}$$

vertical:  $T \cos \alpha = mg$

horizontal:  $T \sin \alpha = m r \omega^2 = m l \sin \alpha \omega^2$

sol<sup>n</sup> 1:  $\sin \alpha = 0, T = mg$

sol<sup>n</sup> 2:  $T = m l \omega^2$

$$\cos \alpha = \frac{g}{l \omega^2}$$

This is only available if  $\cos \alpha \leq 1$ , i.e.  $\omega^2 > \frac{g}{l}$

In this regime, sol<sup>n</sup> 1 is unstable.

### Common pendulum



$$m(r\ddot{\theta} + 2\dot{r}\dot{\theta}) = \cancel{m\ddot{r}} - mg \sin \theta$$

$$[m(\ddot{r} - r\dot{\theta}^2) = -T + mg \cos \theta]$$

$$\ddot{\theta} = -\frac{g}{l} \sin \theta \approx_{\text{small } \theta} -\frac{g}{l} \theta$$

$$\theta = A \cos(\omega t + \delta) \quad (\text{harmonic motion})$$

$$\omega^2 = g/l$$

w'd get the same equations for a spring!  $\omega^2 = \frac{k}{m}$

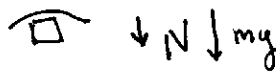
$$T = m(g \cos \theta + l \dot{\theta}^2) = m(g \cos \theta + \omega^2 l A^2 \cos^2 \theta)$$

$$\cos \theta = 1 \Rightarrow m g (1 + A^2)$$

$$\text{if } g \cos \theta + \omega^2 l < 0$$

if ~~even~~ ~~g cos theta~~ ~~= l omega^2~~, rope goes slack!

similarly loop-the-loop



$$N + mg = m \omega^2 / R \leftarrow \text{radius of curvature}$$

better have  $\omega^2 > Rg$ !

Why the shape is maintained ("walking chain")



$$F \approx \frac{T \Delta S}{R}$$

$$m \approx \rho \Delta S$$

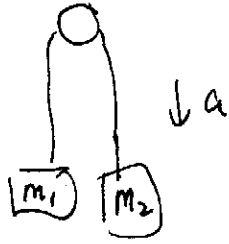
$$\frac{F}{m} = \frac{T}{R \rho}$$

$$a \approx v^3 / R$$

So if  $v^2 = T/\rho$ , it works!



19) Atwood Machine



$$a = \frac{m_2 g - T}{m_2} = \frac{T - m_1 g}{m_1}$$

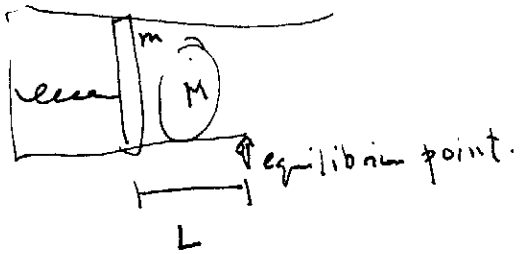
$$\Rightarrow T = \frac{2m_1 m_2}{m_1 + m_2} g$$

$$a = \frac{m_2 - m_1}{m_2 + m_1} g \quad \text{"slowing it down"}$$

$$s = \frac{1}{2} a t^2 = \frac{m_2 - m_1}{m_2 + m_1} \frac{g t^2}{2}$$

$$g = \frac{2s}{t^2} \frac{m_2 + m_1}{m_2 - m_1}$$

# Spring gun



velocity of ball?

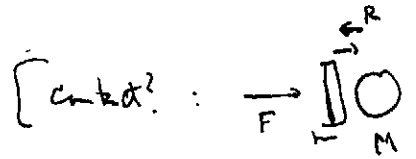
$$(m+M)\ddot{x} = -kx \quad x(0) = -L \quad (\text{origin at equilibrium point})$$

$$\dot{x}(0) = 0$$

$$x = A \cos \omega t + B \sin \omega t$$

with  $\omega^2 = k/m+M$

while in contact



$$\left[ \frac{F-R}{M} = \frac{R}{M}, R > 0 \Rightarrow F > 0 \right]$$

$$-L = A$$

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

$$B = 0$$

so  $x = -L \cos \omega t$ , until  $x = 0$  ( $\omega t = \frac{\pi}{2\omega}$ )

At that time  $\dot{x} = L\omega \sin \omega t = L\omega = L\sqrt{\frac{k}{m+M}}$

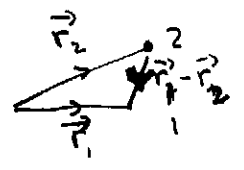
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# Newtonian gravity: statement

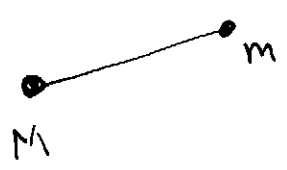
$$\vec{F}_{12} = \frac{G m_1 m_2}{|\vec{r}_{12}|^2} \hat{r}_{12}$$

↑  
force of 2 on 1

↑  
vector from 1 to 2 =  $(\vec{r}_2 - \vec{r}_1)$



# 20) Newtonian gravity $\rightleftharpoons$ Kepler Laws

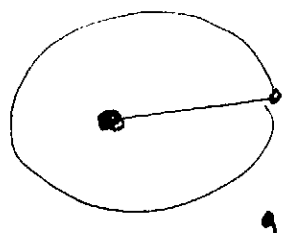


$M \gg m$ ; neglect motion of  $M$ , use it as origin

central force (no  $\vec{F}_\theta$ )  $\Leftrightarrow$   $m(r\ddot{\theta} + 2\dot{r}\dot{\theta}) = 0$   
 $\frac{1}{r} \frac{d}{dt} [m(r^2\dot{\theta})]$

$r^2\dot{\theta} = \text{const.}$

but  $\delta A = \frac{1}{2} r^2 \delta \theta$ ,  
 so  $\frac{dA}{dt} = \text{const.}$



circular orbit  $\ddot{r} = 0$   
 $\frac{GMm}{r^2} = -m\omega^2 r$

$\Rightarrow \omega^2 = \frac{GM}{r^3}$

$T = \frac{2\pi}{\omega} \propto r^{3/2}$

22) Newton's hard integral  
Gravitational force due to a uniform spherical shell.

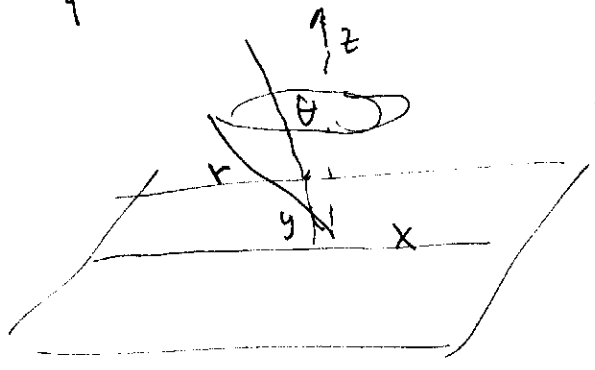
Simple result:

- i) Inside the shell, no force!
- ii) Outside the shell, force "as if" total mass concentrated at center.

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You should etch this result into your memory; the derivation is for character-building.

Spherical coordinates



$$z = r \cos \theta$$

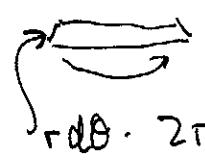
$$\sqrt{x^2 + y^2} = r \sin \theta$$

$$x = r \sin \theta \cos \phi$$

$$y = r \sin \theta \sin \phi$$

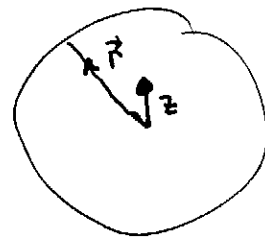
element of area

ring of at radius r,  
range of angles  $(\theta, \theta + d\theta)$



$$dA = 2\pi r^2 \sin \theta d\theta$$

let density  $(dm/dA) = \sigma$



vertical component of force / m

$$= 2\pi G\sigma R^2 \int_0^\pi d\theta \sin\theta \frac{R\cos\theta - z}{R^3 \left( \sin^2\theta + \left(\cos\theta - \frac{z}{R}\right)^2 \right)^{3/2}}$$

$$\left[ \frac{GM(\vec{r} - z\hat{z})_z}{|\vec{r} - z\hat{z}|^3} \right] = 2\pi\sigma R^2 \sin\theta d\theta \frac{(\vec{r} - z\hat{z})_z}{|\vec{r} - z\hat{z}|^3};$$

$$\vec{r} = (R\sin\theta\cos\phi, R\sin\theta\sin\phi, R\cos\theta)$$

$$\vec{r} - z\hat{z} = (R\sin\theta\cos\phi, R\sin\theta\sin\phi, R\cos\theta - z)$$

$$(\vec{r} - z\hat{z})_z = R\cos\theta - z$$

$$|\vec{r} - z\hat{z}| = \sqrt{(R\sin\theta\cos\phi)^2 + (R\sin\theta\sin\phi)^2 + (R\cos\theta - z)^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{R^2 \sin^2\theta + (R\cos\theta - z)^2}$$

$$= R \left( \sin^2\theta + \left(\cos\theta - \frac{z}{R}\right)^2 \right)^{1/2}$$

$$= 2\pi G\sigma \int_{-1}^1 du \frac{u - \alpha}{(1 + \alpha^2 - 2\alpha u)^{3/2}} \quad \text{with } \alpha \equiv \frac{z}{R}, u \equiv \cos\theta$$

Since  $\frac{u-a}{(1+\alpha^2-2\alpha u)^{3/2}} = \frac{d}{d\alpha} \frac{1}{(1+\alpha^2-2\alpha u)^{1/2}}$

$$I = 2\pi G\sigma \frac{d}{d\alpha} \int_{-1}^1 \frac{du}{(1+\alpha^2-2\alpha u)^{1/2}}$$

Now using  $\int \frac{du}{\sqrt{a-u}} = \dots \Rightarrow 2\sqrt{a-u} \dots$

$$= 2\pi G\sigma \frac{d}{d\alpha} \left[ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\alpha}} 2 \left[ -\sqrt{\frac{1+\alpha^2}{2\alpha}-1} + \sqrt{\frac{1+\alpha^2}{2\alpha}+1} \right] \right]$$

$$= 2\pi G\sigma \frac{d}{d\alpha} \left[ \frac{1}{\alpha} \left( \sqrt{(1+\alpha)^2} - \sqrt{(1-\alpha)^2} \right) \right]$$

$$= 2\pi G\sigma \frac{d}{d\alpha} \left[ \frac{1}{\alpha} (1+\alpha - |1-\alpha|) \right]$$

absolute value!  
(positive  $\sqrt{\quad}$ )

i) if  $\alpha < 1$ ,  $|1-\alpha| = 1-\alpha$ , quantity in  
( ) =  $2\alpha$ ,  $\frac{d}{d\alpha} \rightarrow 0$ !

This corresponds to  $z < R \Leftrightarrow$  inside sphere.

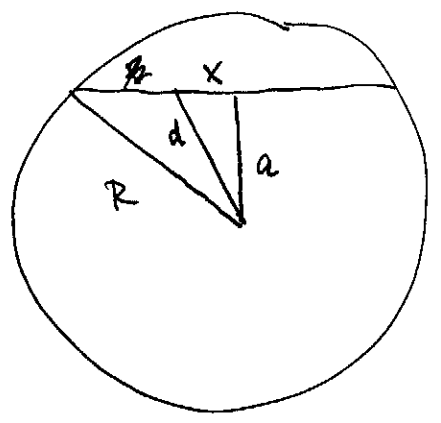
ii) if  $\alpha > 1$ ,  $|1-\alpha| = \alpha-1$ , so

$$I = 2\pi G\sigma \frac{d}{d\alpha} \frac{2}{\alpha} = -\frac{4\pi G\sigma}{\alpha^2} = \frac{-4\pi\sigma R^2}{z^2}$$

= attraction · GM  
(distance to center)<sup>2</sup>

(since  $M = 4\pi R^2 \sigma$ !)

# 23) The Gravity Express



So gravity at distance  $r$  from center, assuming uniform earth =  $G \rho \frac{4\pi}{3} r^3 / r^2$  (towards center)

toward center

$$M = G \rho \frac{4\pi}{3} R^3$$

$$\text{So } f_{\text{net}}/m = \frac{GM}{R^3}$$

spring-like!  
(for diameters)

Now consider tunnel as in drawing

$$\text{Effective } f_{\text{net}}/m = \frac{(f_{\text{net}})_x}{m}$$

$$= \frac{GMd}{R^3} \frac{x}{d} = \frac{GMx}{R^3} \text{ anyway!}$$

$$\omega^2 = \frac{GM}{R^3} = g/R$$

$$T = \frac{2\pi}{\omega} \approx 80 \text{ minutes!}$$

# 24) Describing Systems: Center of Mass

"Fundamental" laws are for infinitesimal bits of matter. Fortunately, the laws "scale up"!

$$\vec{F}_i = \vec{F}_{i,ext.} + \sum_{j=1}^n \vec{F}_{ij} = m_i \ddot{\vec{r}}_i$$

with  $\vec{F}_{ii} = 0$ ,  $\vec{F}_{ij} = -\vec{F}_{ji}$   
3<sup>rd</sup> law

Add them up

$$\sum m_i \ddot{\vec{r}}_i = \sum_{i=1}^n \vec{F}_i = \sum_{i=1}^n \vec{F}_{i,ext.} + \underbrace{\sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^n \vec{F}_{ij}}_0$$

$\equiv \vec{F}_{ext. (total)}$

$$\sum m_i \ddot{\vec{r}}_i = \ddot{(\sum m_i \vec{r}_i)}$$

$$\sum m_i \vec{r}_i = \sum m_i \frac{\sum m_i \vec{r}_i}{\sum m_i} = M \vec{r}_{CM}$$

$$\vec{F}_{CM} = \frac{\sum m_i \vec{r}_i}{\sum m_i}$$

$$M \ddot{\vec{r}}_{CM} = \vec{F}_{ext.}$$