

PHYS 320 ANALYTICAL MECHANICS

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Rotation



TODAY

Vector review!

Newton's Laws

Vectors: triple vector products

- There are several (see text)
- Most likely to use:

$$\vec{A} \cdot (\vec{B} \times \vec{C}) = \vec{B} \cdot (\vec{C} \times \vec{A}) = \vec{C} \cdot (\vec{A} \times \vec{B})$$

volume of parallelepiped

$$\vec{A} \times (\vec{B} \times \vec{C}) = \vec{B}(\vec{A} \cdot \vec{C}) - \vec{C}(\vec{A} \cdot \vec{B})$$

Vector Derivatives

- Distributive: the derivative of a vector is the derivative of its components:

$$\begin{aligned}
 \dot{\vec{r}} &\equiv \frac{d\vec{r}}{dt} = \frac{d}{dt}(x \hat{x}) + \frac{d}{dt}(y \hat{y}) + \frac{d}{dt}(z \hat{z}) \\
 &= \hat{x} \frac{d}{dt}(x) + x \cancel{\frac{d}{dt}(\hat{x})} + \hat{y} \frac{d}{dt}(y) + y \cancel{\frac{d}{dt}(\hat{y})} + \hat{z} \frac{d}{dt}(z) + z \cancel{\frac{d}{dt}(\hat{z})} \\
 &= \hat{x} \frac{d}{dt}(x) + \hat{y} \frac{d}{dt}(y) + \hat{z} \frac{d}{dt}(z) \\
 &= \hat{x} \frac{dx}{dt} + \hat{y} \frac{dy}{dt} + \hat{z} \frac{dz}{dt}
 \end{aligned}$$

“ \vec{r} dot” means time derivative of \vec{r} !

So, how do we write “speed” then?

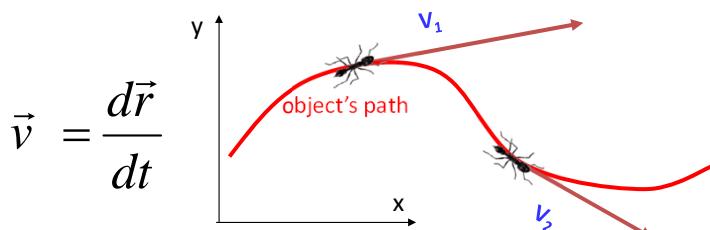
Vector Derivatives

- Velocity and acceleration vectors:

$$\vec{v} \equiv \dot{\vec{r}} \equiv \frac{d\vec{r}}{dt} = \hat{x}\frac{dx}{dt} + \hat{y}\frac{dy}{dt} + \hat{z}\frac{dz}{dt}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\vec{a} \equiv \ddot{\vec{v}} \equiv \ddot{\vec{r}} &\equiv \frac{d\vec{v}}{dt} = \hat{x}\frac{d}{dt}\left(\frac{dx}{dt}\right) + \hat{y}\frac{d}{dt}\left(\frac{dy}{dt}\right) + \hat{z}\frac{d}{dt}\left(\frac{dz}{dt}\right) \\ &= \hat{x}\frac{d^2x}{dt^2} + \hat{y}\frac{d^2y}{dt^2} + \hat{z}\frac{d^2z}{dt^2} \\ &= \hat{x}\frac{dv_x}{dt} + \hat{y}\frac{dv_y}{dt} + \hat{z}\frac{dv_z}{dt}\end{aligned}$$

Instantaneous Velocity



\vec{v} is the rate of change of position
and can be represented by a vector!

*The velocity vector is always tangent
to the path (trajectory) of motion in
real space*

CYLINDRICAL COORDINATES

$r = s$ = POLAR COORDINATE - RADIAL (XY-PLANE)

ϕ = POLAR COORDINATE - ANGLE (X-Y- PLANE)

z = CARTESIAN Z-COORDINATE

UNIT VECTORS: $\hat{r} = \hat{i} \cos \phi + \hat{j} \sin \phi$

$$x = r \cos \phi$$

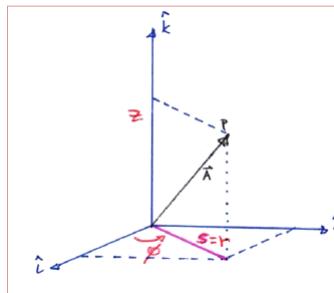
$$y = r \sin \phi$$

$$z = z$$

$$\hat{r} = \hat{s} = \cos \phi \hat{i} + \sin \phi \hat{j}$$

$$\hat{\phi} = -\sin \phi \hat{i} + \cos \phi \hat{j}$$

$$\hat{k} = \hat{k}$$



$$s = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$$

$$\phi = \tan^{-1}[y/x]$$

$$z = z$$

$$\hat{i} = \cos \phi \hat{i} - \sin \phi \hat{j}$$

$$\hat{j} = \sin \phi \hat{i} + \cos \phi \hat{j}$$

$$\hat{k} = \hat{k}$$

$$d\vec{r} = dr \hat{r} + r d\phi \hat{\phi} + dz \hat{k}$$

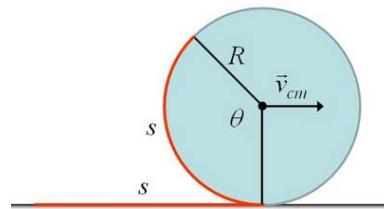
$$ds = dV = r dr d\phi dz \quad \Rightarrow \quad d\vec{r} \text{ DEPENDS ON SURFACE!}$$

DIV, GRAD, and CURL are no longer so simple!!

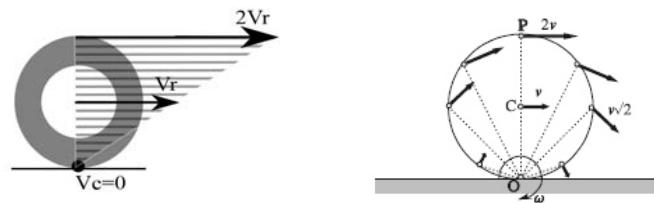
Rolling motion

Radians ("unit" of angular measure) are defined as a *ratio* of two lengths.

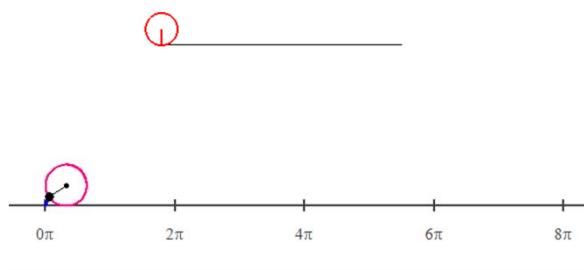
$$\theta = s / r$$



Rolling motion



Rolling motion



Path of point on the rim of the wheel is a cycloid.

Rolling motion

- How describe ...

➤ linear motion?

$$\vec{r}_1 = \hat{i} b\omega t + \hat{j} b$$

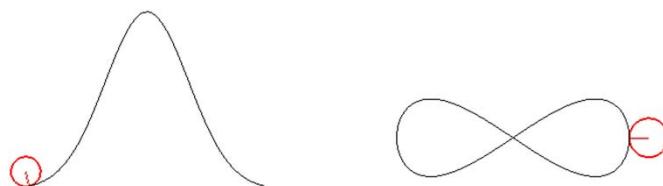
➤ circular motion? $\vec{r}_2 = \hat{i} b \sin \omega t + \hat{j} b \cos \omega t$

➤ the combination of circular and linear motion:
rolling motion?

$$\vec{r} = \vec{r}_1 + \vec{r}_2 = \hat{i} b(\omega t + \sin \omega t) + \hat{j} b(1 + \cos \omega t)$$

Rolling motion

For more general fun ...



NEWTON'S LAWS

Valid only in INERTIAL reference frames!

- ▶ I Every body continues in its state of rest, or of uniform motion in a straight line, unless it is compelled to change that state by forces impressed upon it.
- ▶ II The change of motion is proportional to the motive force impressed; and is made in the direction of the line in which that force is impressed.

Note: these two refer to a specific body (mass)