

Last Times

① Work

$$W_{12} = \int_1^2 \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{x}$$

$$dW = \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{x}$$

② Potential Energy

$$\Delta U = U_2 - U_1 = -W_{12}$$

or

$$dU = -F dx$$

$$F = -\frac{dU}{dx}$$

(more examples today.)

③ Work and Kinetic energy

$$W_{12}^{fr} + W_{12}^{ext} + \underbrace{W_{12}^{ig}}_{-\Delta U_g} + \underbrace{W_{12}^{ss}}_{-\Delta U_{sp}} = K_2 - K_1$$

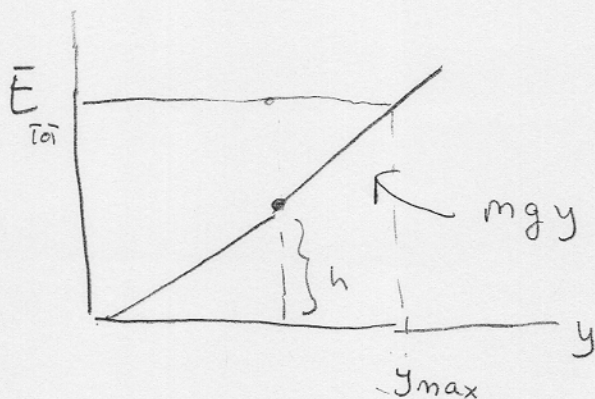
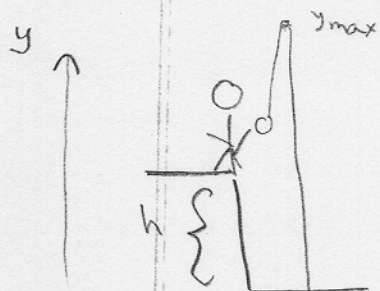
$$W_{fr} + W_{ext} = \Delta K + \Delta U_g + \Delta U_{sp}$$

So if no frict or external forces

$$0 = \Delta K + \Delta U_{tot} \Rightarrow$$

$$\boxed{K_1 + U_1 = K_2 + U_2}$$

Energy Diagrams $U(y)$



Comments

① $U(y) = mgy$

$F_g = -\frac{dU}{dy} = -mg$ ← down the slope

② $K_1 + U_1 = K_2 + U_2 = \text{Const} = E_{TOT}$

↑ we draw this a straight line

③ Notice that at any moment

$$K = E - U(x)$$

↑ kinetic energy at position x ↑ pot. energy at pos x

= Difference between the energy line and the potential

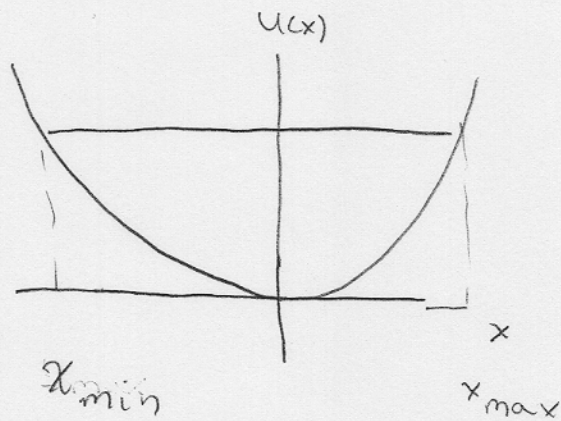
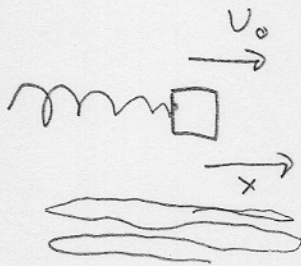
④ The "turning point" happens when the potential energy equals the total energy

i.e.

$$\frac{1}{2} m v_0^2 + mgh = E = mgy_{\max}$$

$$\frac{v_0^2}{2g} + h = y_{\max}$$

Ex 2



Comments

① $U(x) = \frac{1}{2} kx^2 \Rightarrow F = -\frac{dU}{dx} = -kx$

② No force in equilibrium position (slope of pot = 0)

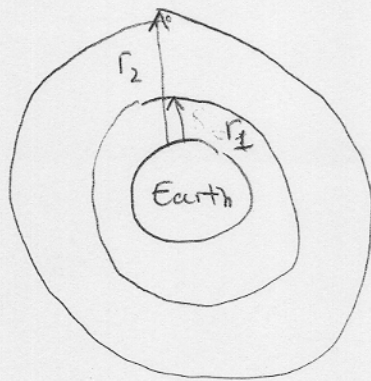
③ $E = \frac{1}{2} m v_0^2 + \frac{1}{2} k x_0^2$

④ Turning points happen when

$$\frac{1}{2} k x_{\max}^2 = E$$

$$\frac{1}{2} k x_{\max}^2 = \frac{1}{2} m v_0^2 \quad \Rightarrow \quad x_{\max} = \left(\frac{m v_0^2}{k} \right)^{1/2}$$

Ex3 - Gravitational Potential at the earth and escape velocity
 Consider the work done by gravity:



$$W_{12}^g = \int_{r_1}^{r_2} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r}$$

$$W_{12}^g = - \int_{r_1}^{r_2} \frac{GM_E m}{r^2} (-\hat{r}) \cdot dr \hat{r}$$

$$W_{12}^g = - \int_{r_1}^{r_2} \frac{GM_E m}{r^2} dr$$

$$W_{12}^g = + GM_E m \frac{1}{r_2} - GM_E m \frac{1}{r_1}$$

So the change in potential energy

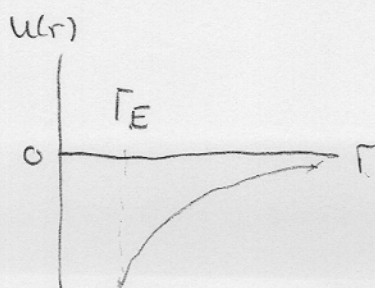
$$U_{21} - U_1 = - W_{1 \rightarrow 2}^g = - GM_E m \frac{1}{r_2} + GM_E m \frac{1}{r_1}$$

From this conclude

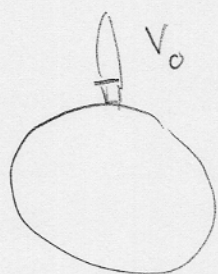
$$U(r) = - GM_E m \frac{1}{r} + C$$

The traditional choice is $C=0$

(arbitrary)
 (no potential at $r \rightarrow \infty$)

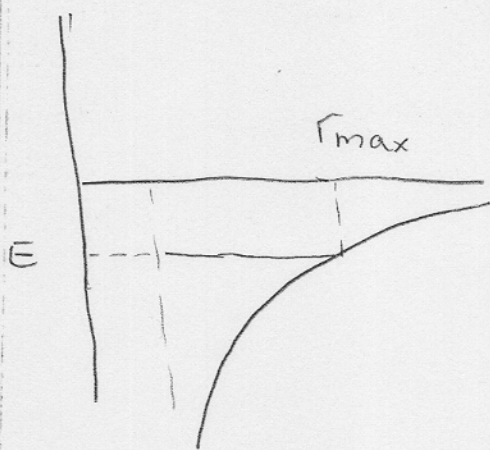


So Suppose Shoot a rocket straight up



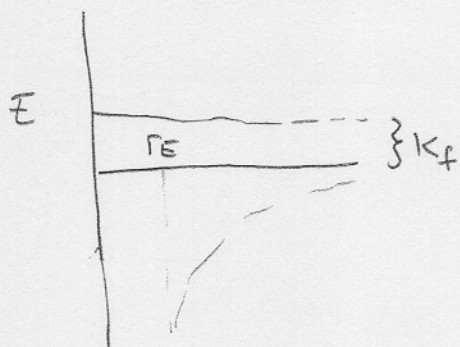
$$E = \frac{1}{2} m v_0^2 + - \frac{G M_E m}{R_E}$$

if $E < 0$ then there will be an r_{max} where all the energy is potential, the rocket will then plummet back



On the other hand if $E > 0$,

then the rocket will go a great distance and move with kinetic energy K_f



$E = 0$ v_0 is just enough to escape the earth's pull

This

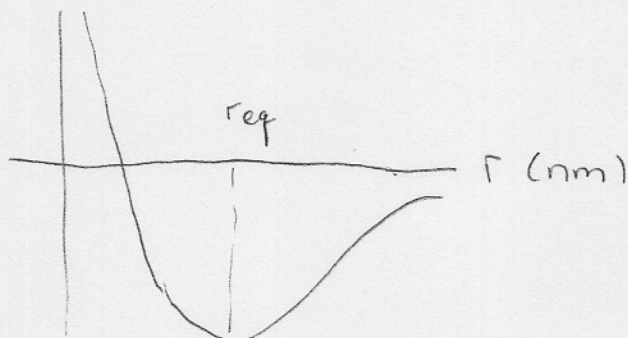
$$\frac{1}{2} m v_0^2 - G \frac{M_E m}{r_E} = 0$$

$$v_0 = \left(2 \frac{M_E G}{r_E} \right)^{1/2}$$

$$v_0 \approx 1.12 \times 10^4 \text{ m/s} \sim \text{mach 3-4}$$

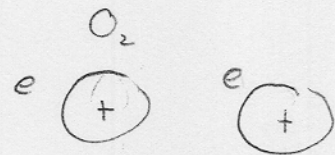
Other examples of Energy diagrams

$U(r)$



$U(r)$

where $\frac{dU}{dr} = 0$



Momentum

So far single particles we will now move to systems of particles
(Bullet vs. wrecking ball)

$$\textcircled{1} \quad \vec{p} = m\vec{v}$$

$\textcircled{2} \quad \sum \vec{F} = m\vec{a}$ ← actually this isn't quite right

$$\sum_i \vec{F} = m \frac{d\vec{v}}{dt} = \frac{d(m\vec{v})}{dt} = \frac{d\vec{p}}{dt}$$

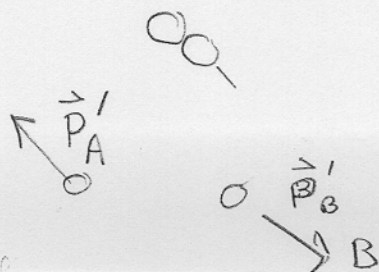
In general the sum of all forces acting on a body is

$$\sum \vec{F} = \frac{\Delta \vec{p}}{\Delta t} \leftarrow \text{matters if}$$

Momentum Conservation and multiple bodies

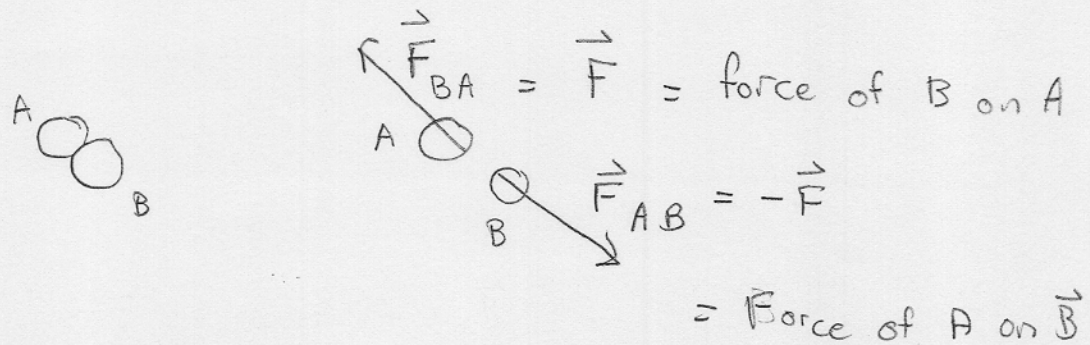


$$\vec{p}_A + \vec{p}_B = \vec{p}'_A + \vec{p}'_B$$



$$m_A \vec{v}_A + m_B \vec{v}_B = m_A \vec{v}'_A + m_B \vec{v}'_B$$

This is also a general consequence of Newton Laws



Then from Newton Laws

$$\vec{F} = \frac{d\vec{p}_A}{dt}$$

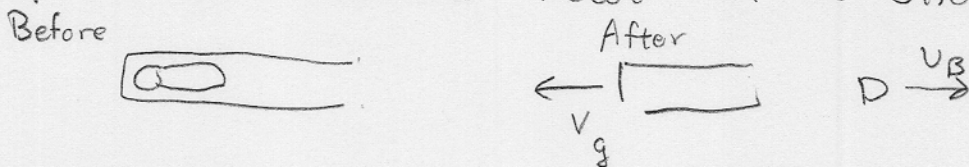
$$-\vec{F} = \frac{d\vec{p}_B}{dt}$$

Adding these equations we find

$$0 = \frac{d\vec{p}_A}{dt} + \frac{d\vec{p}_B}{dt} = \frac{d}{dt} (\vec{p}_A + \vec{p}_B)$$

↪ The total momentum is conserved

Example: Estimate the recoil ^{velocity} of a shot gun



$$P_{\text{before}} = 0 = P_{\text{After}} = m_g v_g + m_B v_B$$

So

$$v_g = -v_B \frac{m_B}{m_{\text{gun}}} \approx -500 \text{ m/s} \frac{0.005}{10 \cdot \text{k}} \approx -0.25 \text{ m}$$