

Engineering Mechanics: Dynamics

- Dynamics
 - Branch of mechanics that deals with the motion of bodies under the action of forces
(Accelerated Motion)
- Two distinct parts:
 - Kinematics
 - study of motion without reference to the forces that cause motion or are generated as a result of motion
 - Kinetics
 - relates the action of forces on bodies to their resulting motions

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- Basis of rigid body dynamics
 - Newton's 2nd law of motion
 - A **particle** of mass “**m**” acted upon by an **unbalanced force** “**F**” experiences an **acceleration** “**a**” that has the **same direction as the force** and a **magnitude** that is **directly proportional to the force**
 - **a** is the resulting **acceleration** measured in a **non-accelerating frame of reference**

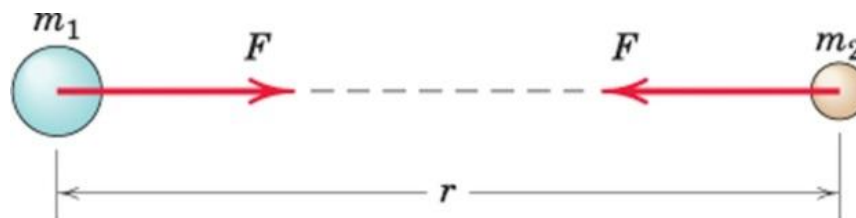
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- Space
 - Geometric region occupied by bodies
 - *Reference system*
 - Linear or angular measurements
 - **Primary reference system** or **astronomical frame of reference**
 - Imaginary set of rectangular axes fixed in space
 - Validity for measurements for velocity $<$ speed of light
 - Absolute measurements
 - **Reference frame attached to the earth??**
- Time
- Mass

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- **Newton's law of gravitation**

$$F = G \frac{m_1 m_2}{r^2}$$



- F :: mutual force of attraction between two particles
- G :: universal gravitational constant
 - $6.673 \times 10^{-11} \text{ m}^3/(\text{kg} \cdot \text{s}^2)$

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- **Weight**

- Only significant gravitational force between the earth and a particle located near the surface

$$W = G \frac{mM_e}{r^2}$$

$$W = mg$$

- $g = GM_e/r^2$:: acceleration due to gravity (9.81m/s²)
- Variation of g with altitude

$$g = g_0 \frac{R^2}{(R + h)^2}$$

g is the absolute acceleration due to gravity at altitude h

g_0 is the absolute acceleration due to gravity at sea level

R is the radius of the earth

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Effect of Altitude on Gravitation

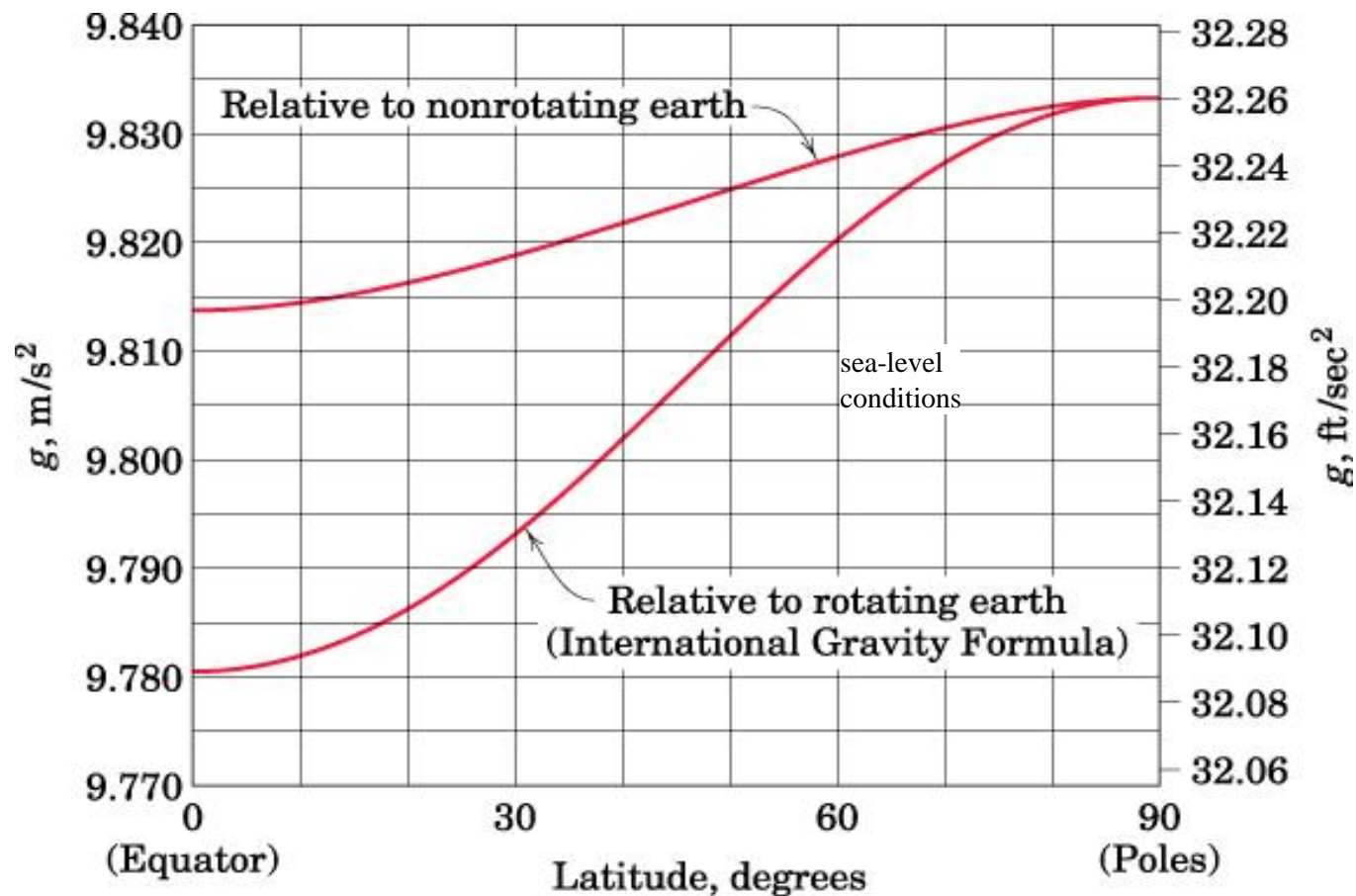
- **Force of gravitational attraction of the earth on a body depends on the position of the body relative to the earth**
- **Assuming the earth to be a perfect homogeneous sphere, a mass of 1 kg would be attracted to the earth by a force of:**
 - **9.825 N** if the mass is on the surface of the earth
 - **9.822 N** if the mass is at an altitude of 1 km
 - **9.523 N** if the mass is at an altitude of 100 km
 - **7.340 N** if the mass is at an altitude of 1000 km
 - **2.456 N** if the mass is at an altitude of equal to the mean radius of the earth, 6371 km

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- Effect of earth's rotation
 - g from law of gravitation
 - Fixed set of axes at the centre of the earth
 - Absolute value of g
 - Earth's rotation
 - **Actual acceleration of a freely falling body is less than absolute g**
 - **Measured from a position attached to the surface of the earth**

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- Effect of earth's rotation



– **Engineering applications :: variation of g is ignored**

Kinematics of Particles

- **Motion**

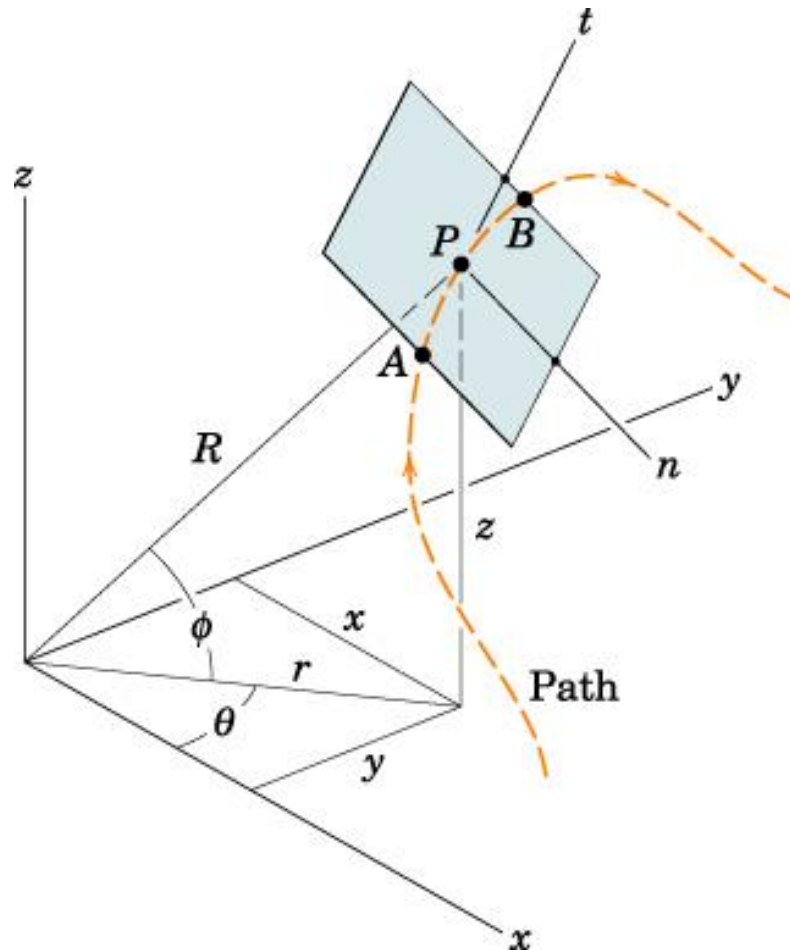
- Constrained :: confined to a specific path
- Unconstrained :: not confined to a specific path

- **Choice of coordinates**

- Position of P at any time t
 - rectangular (i.e., Cartesian) coordinates x, y, z
 - cylindrical coordinates r, θ, z
 - spherical coordinates R, θ, ϕ
- Path variables
 - Measurements along the tangent t and normal n to the curve

Kinematics of Particles

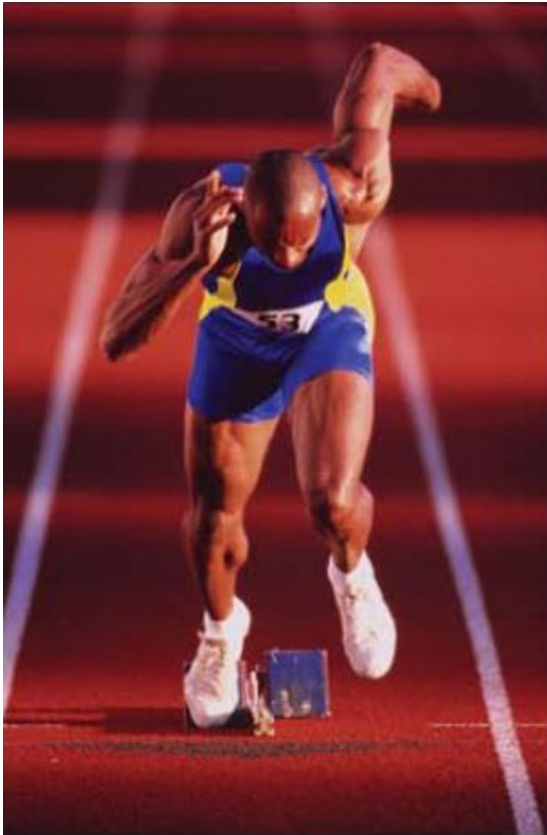
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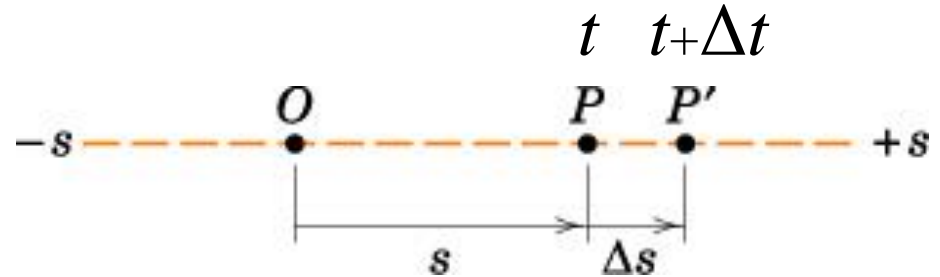
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Rectilinear Motion

- Motion along a straight line

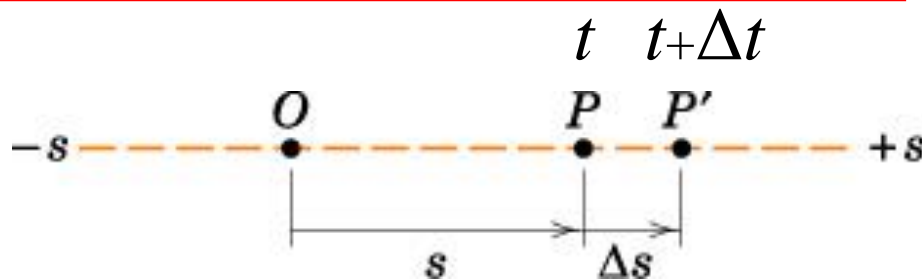


This sprinter will undergo rectilinear acceleration until he reaches his terminal speed.



Kinematics of Particles :: Rectilinear Motion

- Motion along a straight line



Position at any instance of time t

:: specified by its distance s measured from some convenient reference point O fixed on the line

:: (disp. is negative if the particle moves in the negative s -direction).

Velocity of the particle:

$$v = \frac{ds}{dt} = \dot{s}$$

Both are vector quantities

+ve or -ve depending on +ve or -ve displacement

Acceleration of the particle:

$$a = \frac{dv}{dt} = \dot{v} \quad \text{or} \quad a = \frac{d^2s}{dt^2} = \ddot{s}$$

+ve or -ve depending on whether velocity is increasing or decreasing

$$v dv = a ds \quad \text{or} \quad \dot{s} d\dot{s} = \ddot{s} ds$$

Kinematics of Particles

Rectilinear Motion: Graphical Interpretations

Using **s-t** curve, **v-t** & **a-t** curves can be plotted.

Area under **v-t** curve during time $dt = vdt = ds$

- Net disp from t_1 to t_2 = corresponding area under **v-t** curve \rightarrow

$$\int_{s_1}^{s_2} ds = \int_{t_1}^{t_2} vdt$$

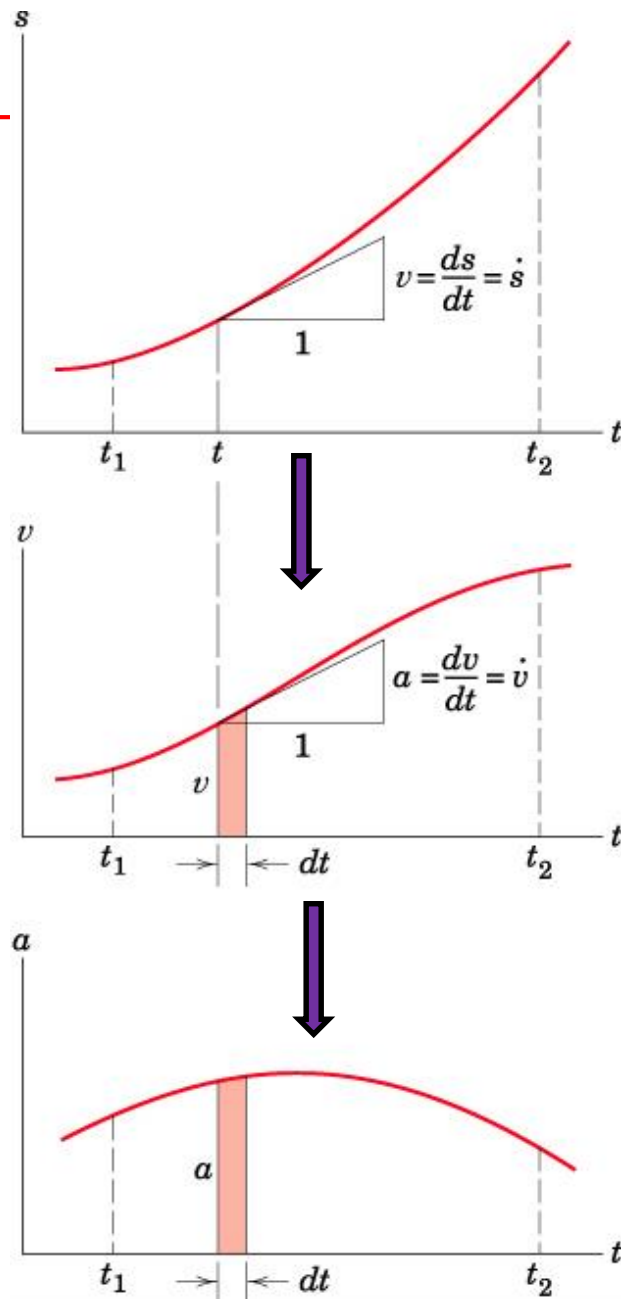
or $s_2 - s_1 =$ (area under **v-t** curve)

Area under **a-t** curve during time $dt = adt = dv$

- Net change in vel from t_1 to t_2 = corresponding area under **a-t** curve \rightarrow

$$\int_{v_1}^{v_2} dv = \int_{t_1}^{t_2} adt$$

or $v_2 - v_1 =$ (area under **a-t** curve)



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Rectilinear Motion: Graphical Interpretations

Two additional graphical relations:

Area under a - s curve during disp $ds = ads = vdv$

- Net area under a - s curve betn position coordinates s_1 and $s_2 \rightarrow$

$$\int_{v_1}^{v_2} vdv = \int_{s_1}^{s_2} ads$$

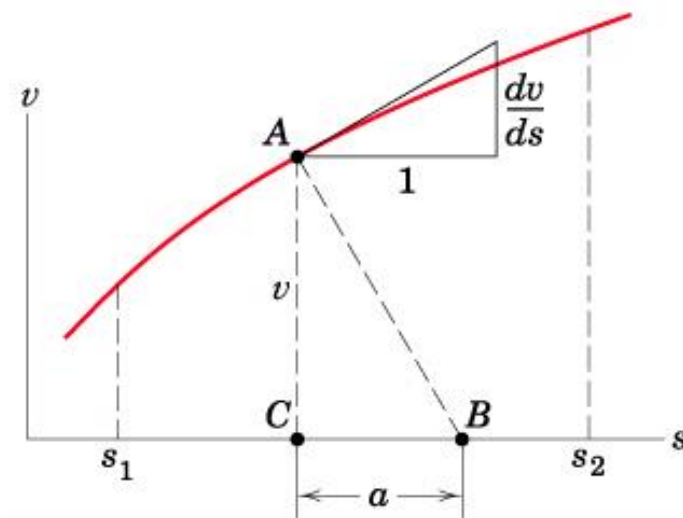
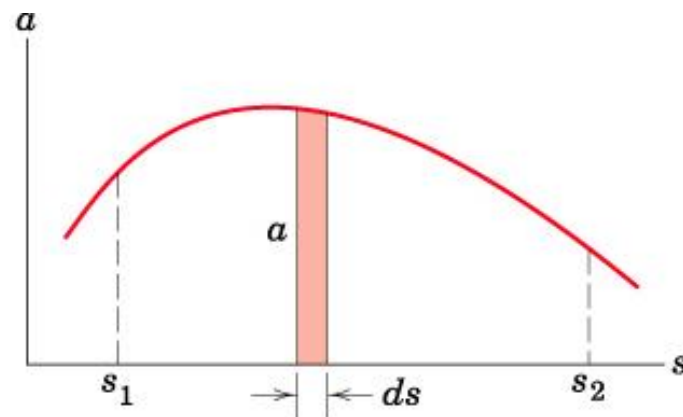
$$\text{or } \frac{1}{2} (v_2^2 - v_1^2) = (\text{area under } a\text{-}s \text{ curve})$$

Slope of v - s curve at any point $A = dv/ds$

- Construct a normal AB to the curve at A . From similar triangles:

$$\frac{\overline{CB}}{v} = \frac{dv}{ds} \quad \rightarrow \quad \overline{CB} = v \frac{dv}{ds} = a \quad (\text{acceleration})$$

- Vel and posn coordinate axes should have the same numerical scales so that the accln read on the x-axis in meters will represent the actual accln in m/s^2



Kinematics of Particles :: Rectilinear Motion

Analytical Integration to find the position coordinate

Acceleration may be specified as a function of time, velocity, or position coordinate, or as a combined function of these.

(a) Constant Acceleration

At the beginning of the interval $\rightarrow t = 0, s = s_0, v = v_0$

For a time interval t . Integrating the following two equations

$$a = \frac{dv}{dt}$$

$$v dv = a ds$$

$$\int_{v_0}^v dv = a \int_0^t dt \quad \text{or} \quad v = v_0 + at$$

$$\int_{v_0}^v v dv = a \int_{s_0}^s ds \quad \text{or} \quad v^2 = v_0^2 + 2a(s - s_0)$$

Substituting in the following equation and integrating will give the position coordinate:

$$v = \frac{ds}{dt}$$

$$\int_{s_0}^s ds = \int_0^t (v_0 + at) dt \quad \text{or} \quad s = s_0 + v_0 t + \frac{1}{2} at^2$$

Equations applicable for **Constant Acceleration** and for time interval 0 to t

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Analytical Integration to find the position coordinate

(b) Acceleration given as a function of time, $a = f(t)$

At the beginning of the interval $\rightarrow t = 0, s = s_0, v = v_0$

For a time interval t . Integrating the following equation

$$a = \frac{dv}{dt} \rightarrow f(t) = \frac{dv}{dt} \quad \int_{v_0}^v dv = \int_0^t f(t) dt \quad \text{or} \quad v = v_0 + \int_0^t f(t) dt$$

Substituting in the following equation and integrating will give the position coordinate:

$$v = \frac{ds}{dt} \quad \int_{s_0}^s ds = \int_0^t v dt \quad \text{or} \quad s = s_0 + \int_0^t v dt$$

Alternatively, following second order differential equation may be solved to get the position coordinate:

$$a = \frac{d^2s}{dt^2} = \ddot{s} \rightarrow \ddot{s} = f(t)$$

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Analytical Integration to find the position coordinate

(c) Acceleration given as a function of velocity, $a = f(v)$

At the beginning of the interval $\rightarrow t = 0, s = s_0, v = v_0$

For a time interval t . Substituting a and integrating the following equation

$$a = \frac{dv}{dt} \rightarrow f(v) = \frac{dv}{dt} \quad t = \int_0^t dt = \int_{v_0}^v \frac{dv}{f(v)}$$

Solve for v as a function of t and integrate the following equation to get the position coordinate:

$$v = \frac{ds}{dt}$$

Alternatively, substitute $a = f(v)$ in the following equation and integrate to get the position coordinate :

$$v dv = a ds$$

$$\int_{v_0}^v \frac{v dv}{f(v)} = \int_{s_0}^s ds \quad \text{or} \quad s = s_0 + \int_{v_0}^v \frac{v dv}{f(v)}$$

Kinematics of Particles: Rectilinear Motion

Analytical Integration to find the position coordinate

(d) Acceleration given as a function of displacement, $a = f(s)$

At the beginning of the interval $\rightarrow t = 0, s = s_0, v = v_0$

For a time interval t : substituting a and integrating the following equation

$$v dv = a ds \quad \int_{v_0}^v v dv = \int_{s_0}^s f(s) ds \quad \text{or} \quad v^2 = v_0^2 + 2 \int_{s_0}^s f(s) ds$$

Solve for v as a function of s : $v = g(s)$, substitute in the following equation and integrate to get the position coordinate:

$$v = \frac{ds}{dt} \quad \int_{s_0}^s \frac{ds}{g(s)} = \int_0^t dt \quad \text{or} \quad t = \int_{s_0}^s \frac{ds}{g(s)}$$

It gives t as a function of s . Rearrange to obtain s as a function of t to get the position coordinate.

In all these cases, if integration is difficult, graphical, analytical, or computer methods can be utilized.

Kinematics of Particles: Rectilinear Motion

Example

Position coordinate of a particle confined to move along a straight line is given by $s = 2t^3 - 24t + 6$, where s is measured in meters from a convenient origin and t is in seconds. Determine: (a) time reqd for the particle to reach a velocity of 72 m/s from its initial condition at $t = 0$, (b) acceleration of the particle when $v = 30$ m/s, and (c) net disp of the particle during the interval from $t = 1$ s to $t = 4$ s.

Solution

$$\text{Differentiating } s = 2t^3 - 24t + 6 \quad \rightarrow \quad v = 6t^2 - 24 \text{ m/s} \\ \rightarrow \quad a = 12t \text{ m/s}^2$$

$$\text{(a) } v = 72 \text{ m/s} \rightarrow t = \pm 4 \text{ s}$$

(- 4 s happened before initiation of motion \rightarrow no physical interest.)

$$\rightarrow t = 4 \text{ s}$$

$$\text{(b) } v = 30 \text{ m/s} \rightarrow t = 3 \text{ sec} \rightarrow a = 36 \text{ m/s}^2$$

$$\text{(c) } t = 1 \text{ s to } 4 \text{ s. Using } s = 2t^3 - 24t + 6$$

$$\Delta s = s_4 - s_1 = [2(4^3) - 24(4) + 6] - [2(1^3) - 24(1) + 6]$$

$$\Delta s = 54 \text{ m}$$

Kinematics of Particles

Plane Curvilinear Motion

Motion of a particle along a curved path which lies in a single plane.



For a short time during take-off and landing, planes generally follow plane curvilinear motion

Kinematics of Particles

Plane Curvilinear Motion:

Between A and A':

Average velocity of the particle : $\mathbf{v}_{av} = \Delta \mathbf{r} / \Delta t$

→ A vector whose direction is that of $\Delta \mathbf{r}$ and whose magnitude is magnitude of $\Delta \mathbf{r} / \Delta t$

Average speed of the particle = $\Delta s / \Delta t$

Instantaneous velocity of the particle is defined as the limiting value of the average velocity as the time interval approaches zero →

$$\mathbf{v} = \lim_{\Delta t \rightarrow 0} \frac{\Delta \mathbf{r}}{\Delta t}$$

→ \mathbf{v} is always a vector tangent to the path

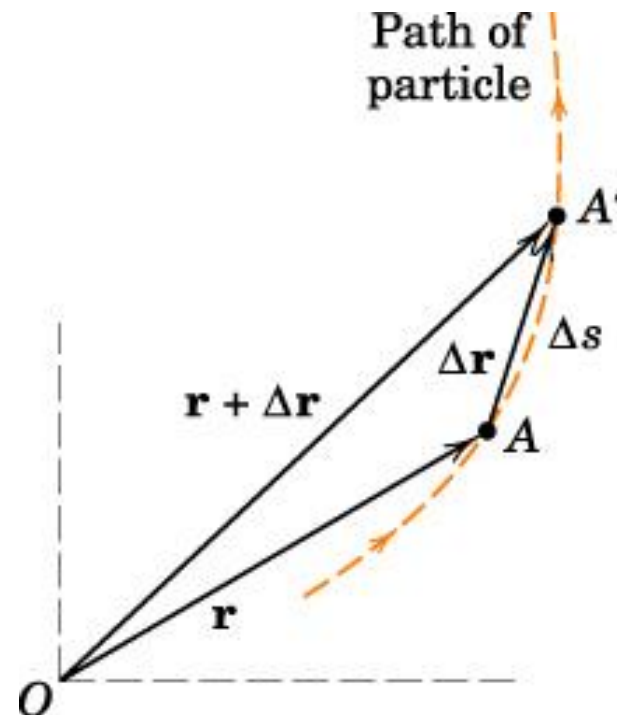
Extending the definition of derivative of a scalar to include vector quantity:

$$\mathbf{v} = \frac{d\mathbf{r}}{dt} = \dot{\mathbf{r}}$$

Derivative of a vector is a vector having a magnitude and a direction.

Magnitude of \mathbf{v} is equal to speed (scalar)

$$v = |\mathbf{v}| = \frac{ds}{dt} = \dot{s}$$



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Plane Curvilinear Motion

Magnitude of the derivative:

$$|d\mathbf{r} / dt| = |\dot{\mathbf{r}}| = \dot{s} = |\mathbf{v}| = v$$

→ Magnitude of the velocity or the speed

Derivative of the magnitude:

$$d|\mathbf{r}| / dt = dr / dt = \dot{r}$$

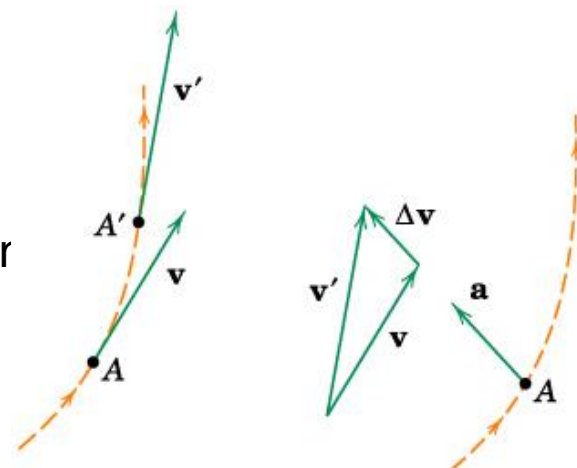
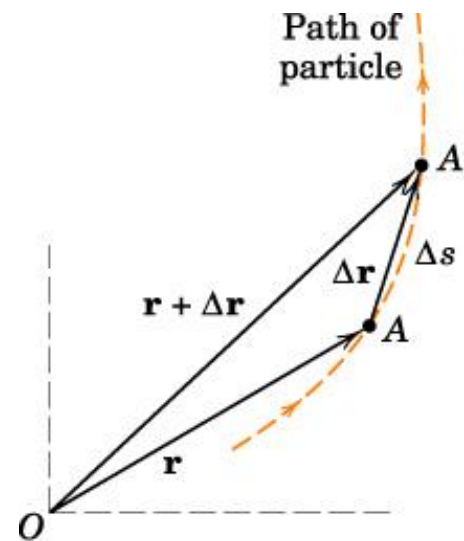
→ Rate at which the length of the position vector is changing

Velocity of the particle at A → tangent vector \mathbf{v}

Velocity of the particle at A' → tangent vector \mathbf{v}'

→ $\mathbf{v}' - \mathbf{v} = \Delta\mathbf{v}$

→ $\Delta\mathbf{v}$ Depends on both the change in magnitude of \mathbf{v} as well as on the change in direction of \mathbf{v} .



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→ A vector whose direction is that of $\Delta \mathbf{v}$ and whose magnitude is the magnitude of $\Delta \mathbf{v} / \Delta t$

Instantaneous accln of the particle is defined as the limiting value of the average accln as the time interval approaches zero →

$$\mathbf{a} = \lim_{\Delta t \rightarrow 0} \frac{\Delta \mathbf{v}}{\Delta t}$$

By definition of the derivative:

$$\mathbf{a} = \frac{d\mathbf{v}}{dt} = \dot{\mathbf{v}}$$

→ In general, direction of the acceleration of a particle in curvilinear motion neither tangent to the path nor normal to the path.

→ Acceleration component normal to the path points toward the center of curvature of the path.

