

Lecture 10

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Hamiltonian vs. Lagrange mechanics in Generalized Curvilinear Coordinates (GCC)

(Unit 1 Ch. 12, Unit 2 Ch. 2-7, Unit 3 Ch. 1-3)

Review of Lectures 8-9 procedures:

Lagrange prefers Covariant g_{mn} with Contravariant velocity \dot{q}^m

Hamilton prefers Contravariant g^{mn} with Covariant momentum p_m

Deriving Hamilton's equations from Lagrange's equations

Expressing Hamiltonian $H(p_m, q^n)$ using g^{mn} and covariant momentum p_m

Polar-coordinate example of Hamilton's equations compared to Lagrange's
Hamilton's equations in Runge-Kutta (computer solution) form

Examples of Hamiltonian mechanics in effective potentials

Isotropic Harmonic Oscillator in polar coordinates and effective potential ([Web Simulation: OscillatorPE - IHO](#))

Coulomb orbits in polar coordinates and effective potential ([Web Simulation: OscillatorPE - Coulomb](#))

Examples of Hamiltonian mechanics in phase plots (Mostly for next Lecture 11)

1D Pendulum and phase plot ([Web Simulations: Pendulum, Cycloidulum,](#))

Quick Review of Lagrange Relations in Lectures 9-11

 *0th and 1st equations of Lagrange and Hamilton and their geometric relations*

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0th and 1st equations of Lagrange and Hamilton

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Starts out with simple demands for explicit-dependence, “loyalty” or “fealty to the colors”

Lagrangian and Estrangian have no explicit dependence on **momentum p**

$$\frac{\partial \mathbf{L}}{\partial \mathbf{p}_k} \equiv 0 \equiv \frac{\partial \mathbf{E}}{\partial \mathbf{p}_k}$$

Hamiltonian and Estrangian have no explicit dependence on **velocity v**

$$\frac{\partial \mathbf{H}}{\partial \mathbf{v}_k} \equiv 0 \equiv \frac{\partial \mathbf{E}}{\partial \mathbf{v}_k}$$

Lagrangian and Hamiltonian have no explicit dependence on **speedinum V**

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Such non-dependencies hold in spite of “under-the-table” matrix and partial-differential connections

$$\nabla_{\mathbf{v}} \mathbf{L} = \frac{\partial \mathbf{L}}{\partial \mathbf{v}} = \frac{\partial}{\partial \mathbf{v}} \frac{\mathbf{v} \cdot \mathbf{M} \cdot \mathbf{v}}{2} = \mathbf{M} \cdot \mathbf{v} = \mathbf{p}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} \frac{\partial \mathbf{L}}{\partial \mathbf{v}_1} \\ \frac{\partial \mathbf{L}}{\partial \mathbf{v}_2} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} m_1 & 0 \\ 0 & m_2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{v}_1 \\ \mathbf{v}_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{p}_1 \\ \mathbf{p}_2 \end{pmatrix}$$

Lagrange's 1st equation(s)

$$\frac{\partial \mathbf{L}}{\partial \mathbf{v}_k} = \mathbf{p}_k \quad \text{or:} \quad \frac{\partial \mathbf{L}}{\partial \mathbf{v}} = \mathbf{p}$$

$$\nabla_{\mathbf{p}} \mathbf{H} = \mathbf{v} = \frac{\partial \mathbf{H}}{\partial \mathbf{p}} = \frac{\partial}{\partial \mathbf{p}} \frac{\mathbf{p} \cdot \mathbf{M}^{-1} \cdot \mathbf{p}}{2} = \mathbf{M}^{-1} \cdot \mathbf{p} = \mathbf{v}$$

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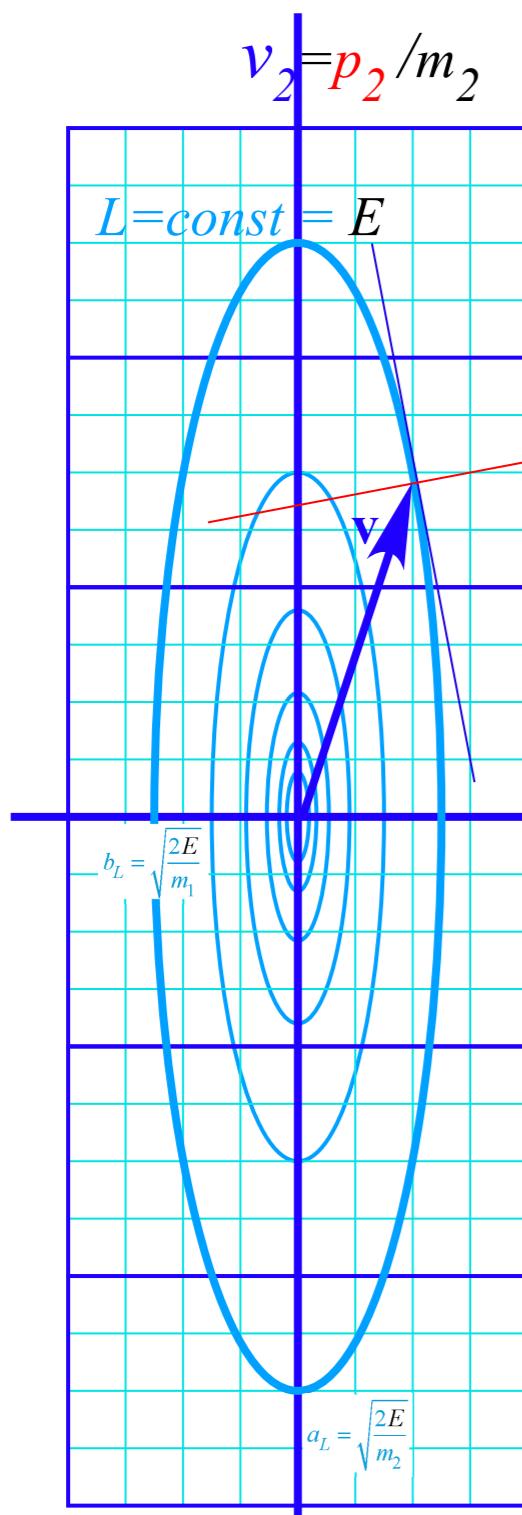
Estrangian is neglected for now.
(It is related to dual ellipse geometry in Lecture 8 p. 71-79 and 99-101)

[†]non-dependency due to stationary-value effects as shown on p. 28-31

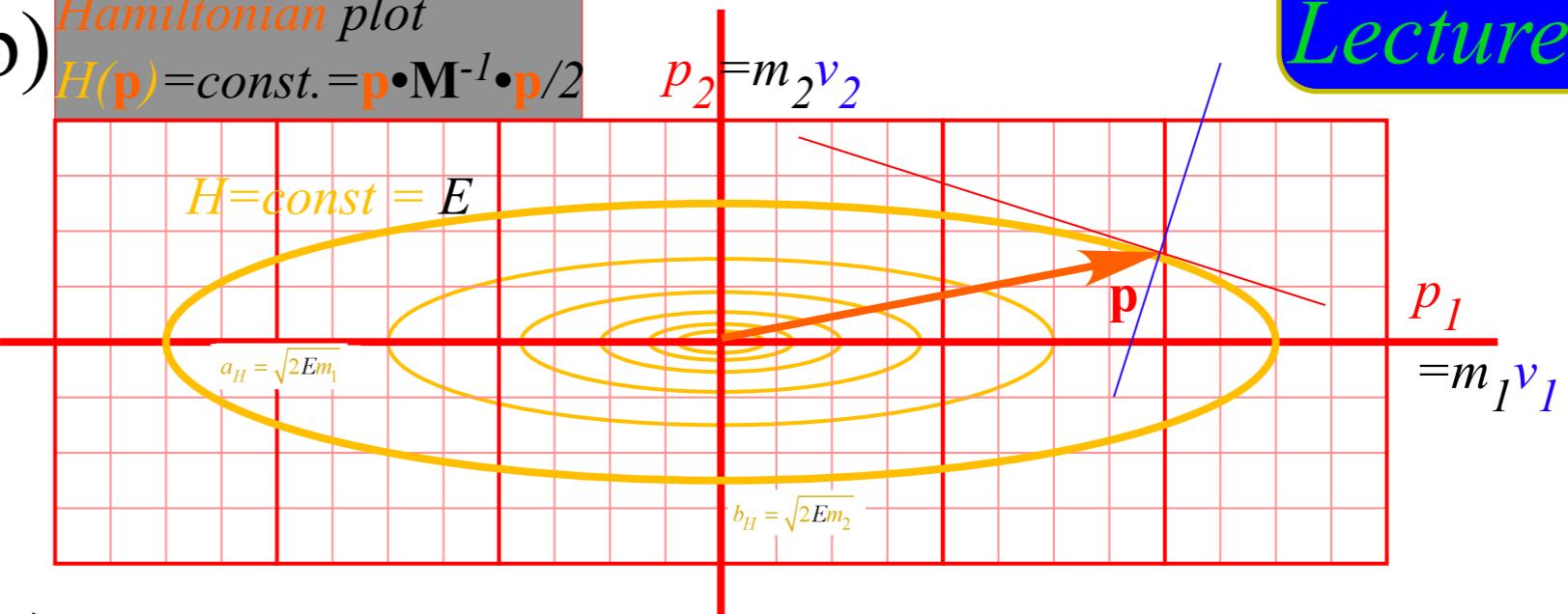
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(a) *Lagrangian plot*
 $L(\mathbf{v}) = \text{const.} = \mathbf{v} \cdot \mathbf{M} \cdot \mathbf{v} / 2$



(b) *Hamiltonian plot*
 $H(\mathbf{p}) = \text{const.} = \mathbf{p} \cdot \mathbf{M}^{-1} \cdot \mathbf{p} / 2$



(c) Overlapping plots

1st equation of Lagrange

$$L = \text{const.} = E$$

1st equation of Hamilton

$$H = \text{const.} = E$$

Lagrangian tangent at velocity \mathbf{v}

is normal to momentum \mathbf{p}

$$\mathbf{p} = \nabla_{\mathbf{v}} L \\ = \mathbf{M} \cdot \mathbf{v}$$

$$\mathbf{v} = \nabla_{\mathbf{p}} H \\ = \mathbf{M}^{-1} \cdot \mathbf{p}$$

(d) Less mass

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(Review of Lecture 9)

Review of Lagrange Equations in Lecture 9

Lagrange prefers Covariant g_{mn} with Contravariant velocity \dot{q}^m

GCC Lagrangian definition

GCC “canonical” momentum p_m definition

→ *GCC “canonical” force F_m definition*

Coriolis “fictitious” forces (... and weather effects)

Lagrange prefers Covariant g_{mn} with Contravariant velocity

Lagrangian KE-U is supposed to be explicit function of velocity. (Review of Lecture 9)

$$L(\mathbf{v}) = \frac{1}{2} M \mathbf{v} \cdot \mathbf{v} - U = \frac{1}{2} M \dot{\mathbf{r}} \cdot \dot{\mathbf{r}} - U = \frac{1}{2} M (\mathbf{E}_m \dot{q}^m) \cdot (\mathbf{E}_n \dot{q}^n) - U = \frac{1}{2} M (g_{mn} \dot{q}^m \dot{q}^n) - U = L(\dot{q})$$

Use polar coordinate Covariant g_{mn} metric (1-page back)

$$\begin{pmatrix} g_{rr} & g_{r\phi} \\ g_{\phi r} & g_{\phi\phi} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{E}_r \cdot \mathbf{E}_r & \mathbf{E}_r \cdot \mathbf{E}_\phi \\ \mathbf{E}_\phi \cdot \mathbf{E}_r & \mathbf{E}_\phi \cdot \mathbf{E}_\phi \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & r^2 \end{pmatrix}$$

This gives polar GCC form (Actually it's an OCC or Orthogonal Curvilinear Coordinate form)

$$L(\dot{r}, \dot{\phi}) = \frac{1}{2} M (g_{rr} \dot{r}^2 + g_{\phi\phi} \dot{\phi}^2) - U(r, \phi) = \frac{1}{2} M (1 \cdot \dot{r}^2 + r^2 \cdot \dot{\phi}^2) - U(r, \phi)$$

GCC Lagrange equations follow. 1st L-equation is momentum p_m definition for each coordinate q^m :

$$p_r = \frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{r}} = M g_{rr} \dot{r} = M \dot{r}$$

Nothing too surprising;
radial momentum p_r has the
usual linear $M \cdot v$ form

$$p_\phi = \frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{\phi}} = M g_{\phi\phi} \dot{\phi} = M r^2 \dot{\phi}$$

Wow! $g_{\phi\phi}$ gives moment-of-inertia
factor $M r^2$ automatically for the
angular momentum $p_\phi = M r^2 \omega$.

2nd L-equation involves total time derivative \dot{p}_m for each momentum p_m :

$$\dot{p}_r = \frac{\partial L}{\partial r} = \frac{M}{2} \frac{\partial g_{\phi\phi}}{\partial r} \dot{\phi}^2 - \frac{\partial U}{\partial r} = M r \dot{\phi}^2 - \frac{\partial U}{\partial r}$$

Centrifugal
force $M r \omega^2$

$$\dot{p}_\phi = \frac{\partial L}{\partial \phi} = 0 - \frac{\partial U}{\partial \phi}$$

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Find \dot{p}_m directly from 1st L-equation: $\dot{p}_m \equiv \frac{dp_m}{dt} = \frac{d}{dt} M (g_{mn} \dot{q}^n) = M (g_{mn} \dot{q}^n + g_{mn} \ddot{q}^n)$

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(Review of Lecture 9)

Rewriting GCC Lagrange equations :

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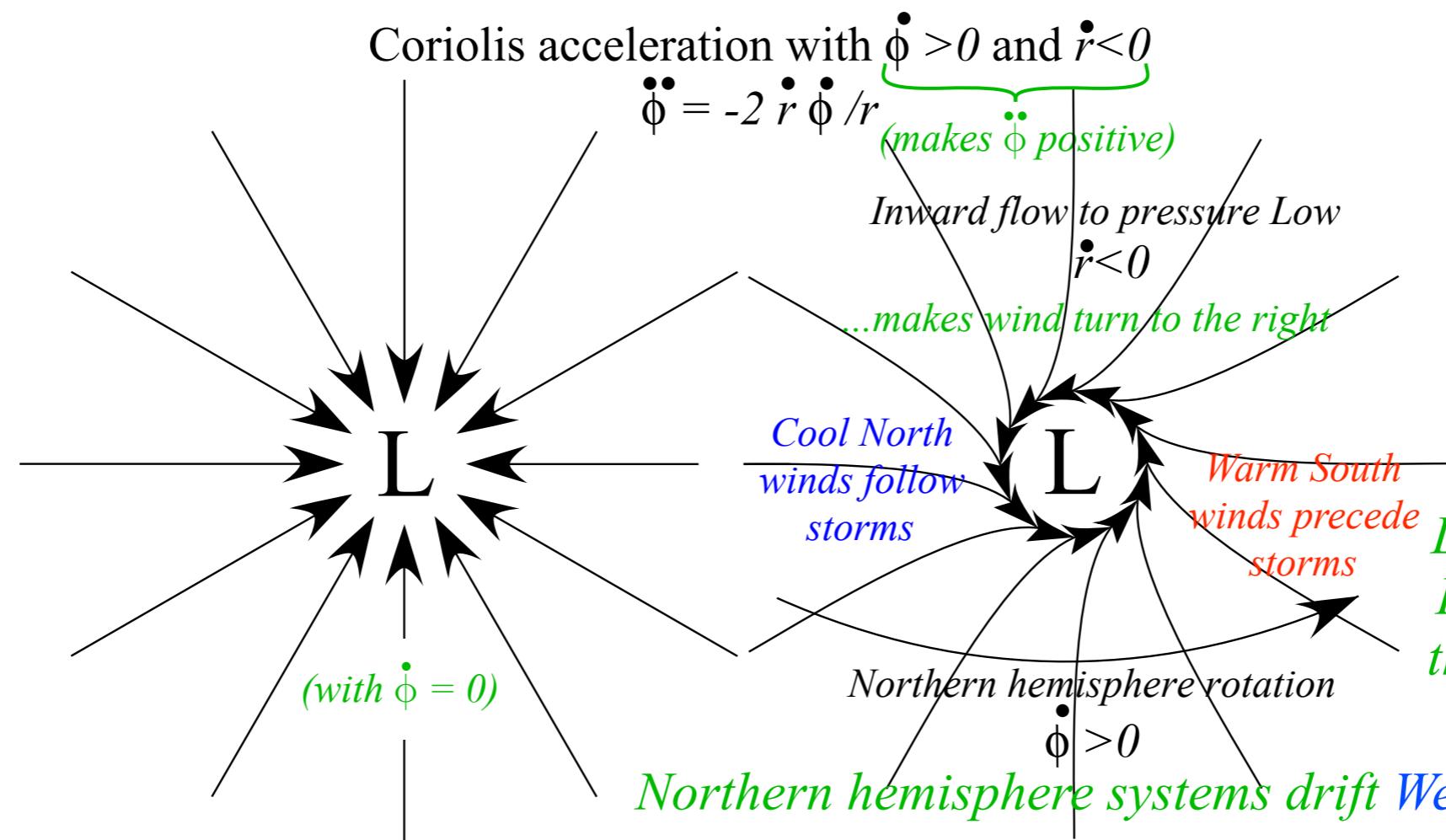
$$\text{radial force: } M \ddot{r} = M r \dot{\phi}^2 - \frac{\partial U}{\partial r}$$

$$\text{angular force or torque: } M r^2 \ddot{\phi} = -2M r \dot{r} \dot{\phi} - \frac{\partial U}{\partial \phi}$$

Field-free ($U=0$)

$$\text{radial acceleration: } \ddot{r} = r \dot{\phi}^2$$

$$\text{angular acceleration: } \ddot{\phi} = -2 \frac{\dot{r} \dot{\phi}}{r}$$



Effect on
Northern
Hemisphere
local weather

Cyclonic flow
around lows

Deep quantum rule:
Flow tries to mimic
the external rotation
(least relative v)

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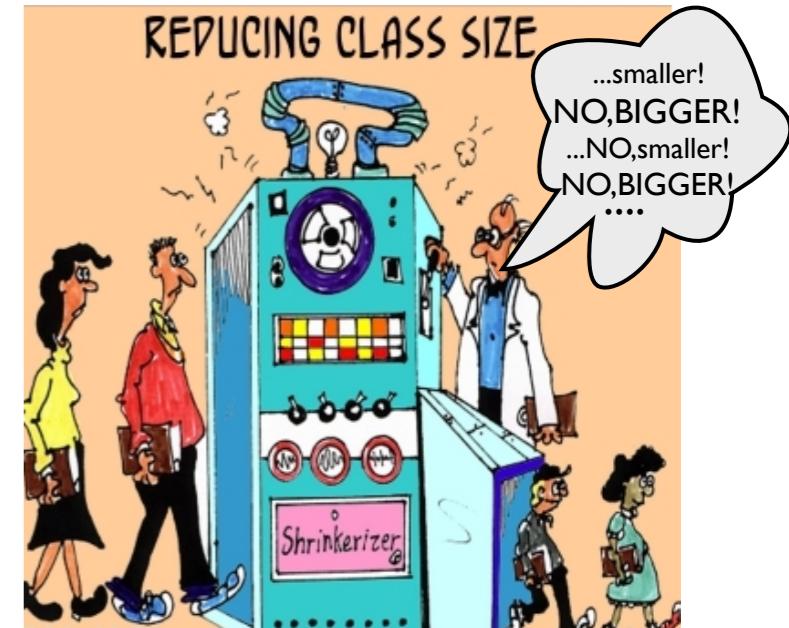
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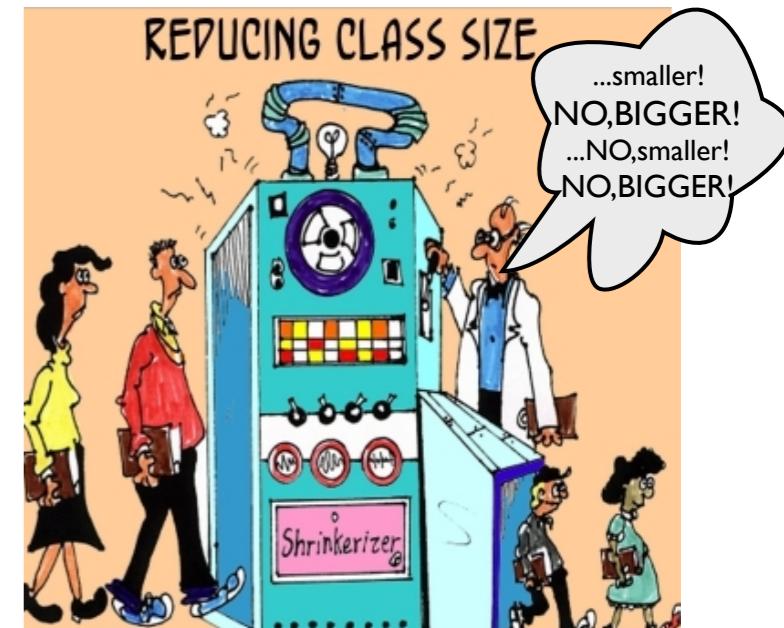
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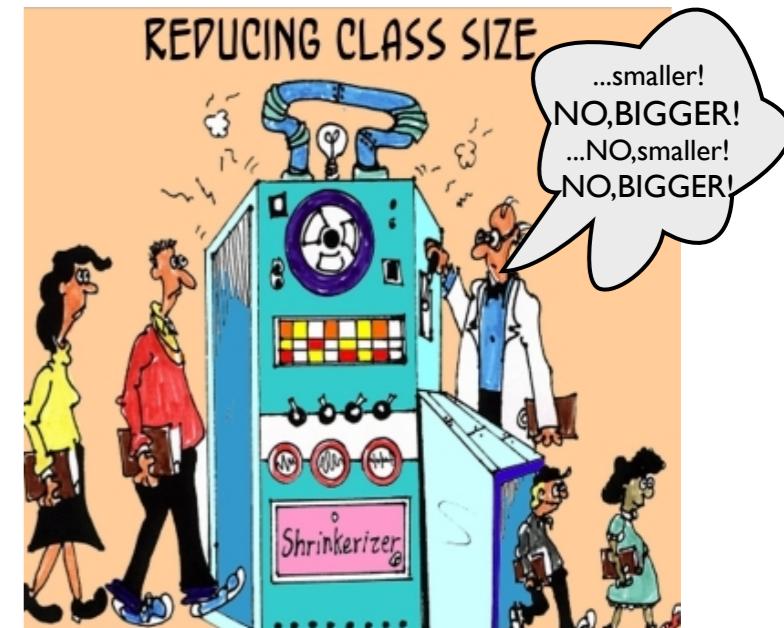
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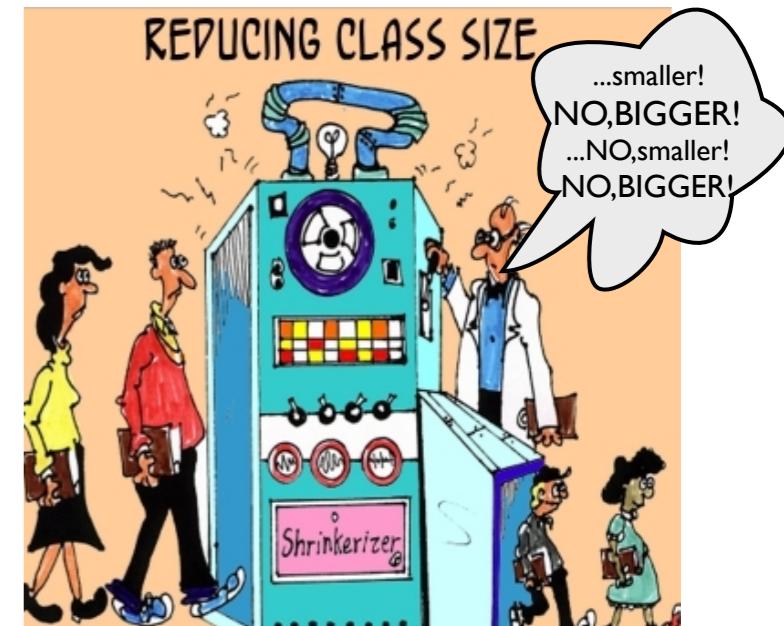
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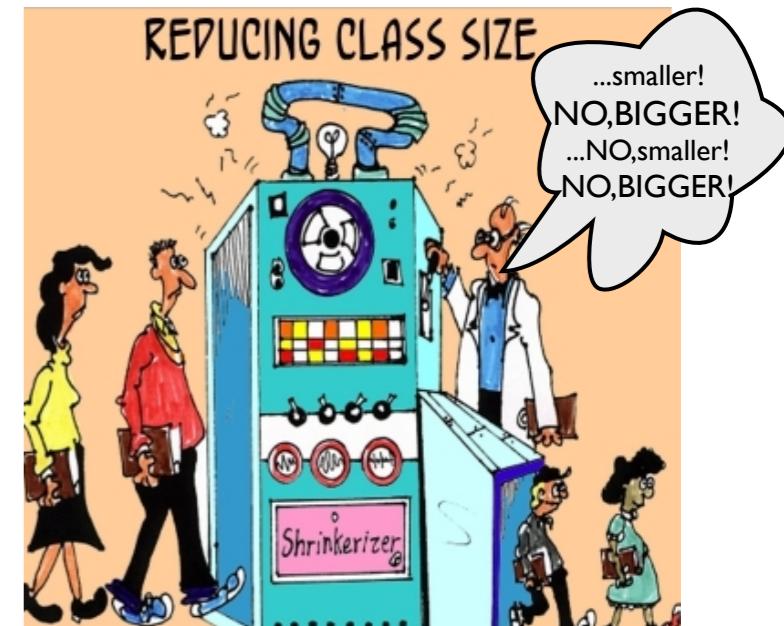
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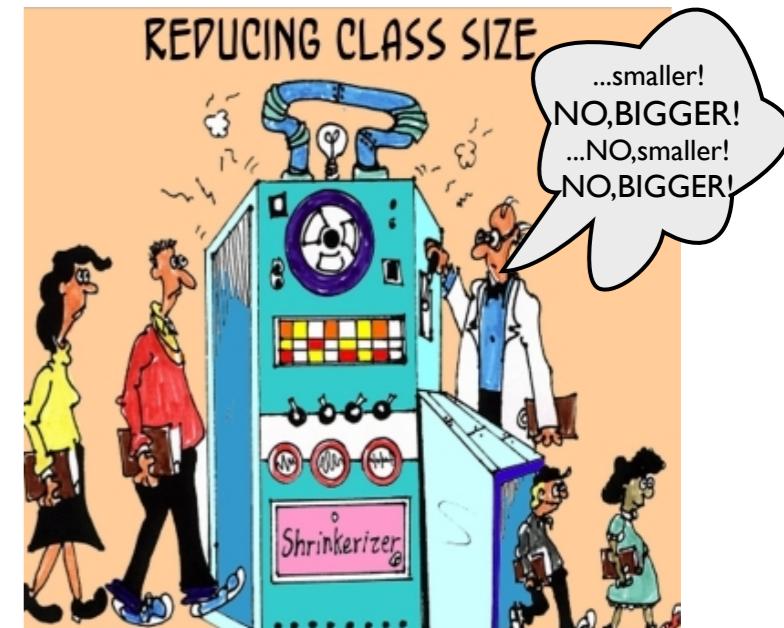
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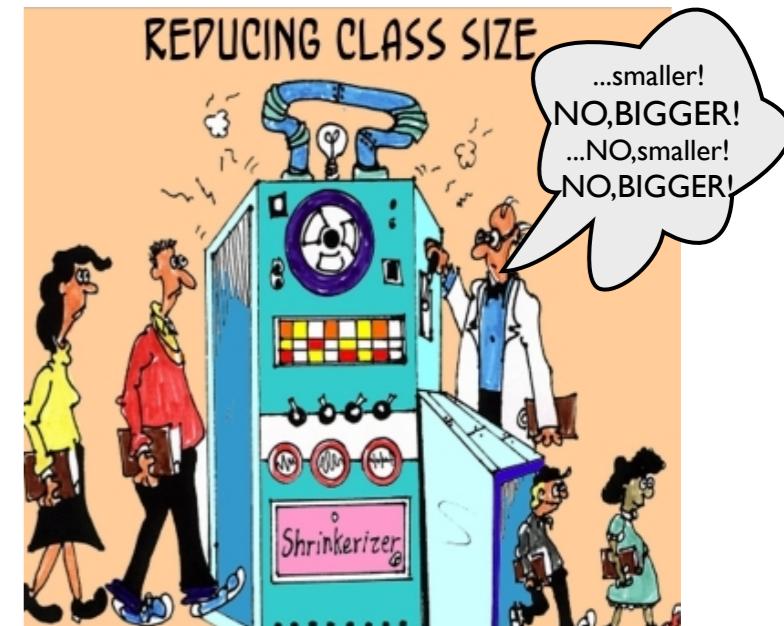
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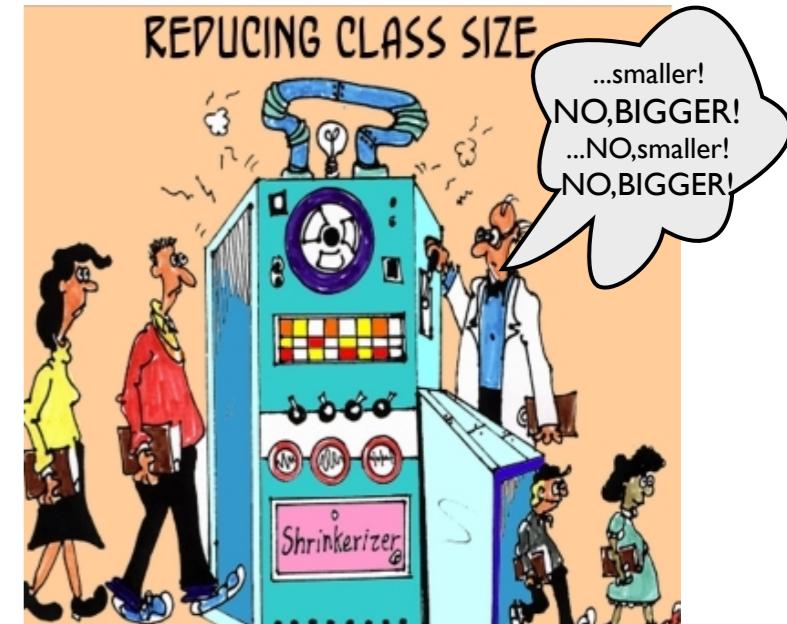
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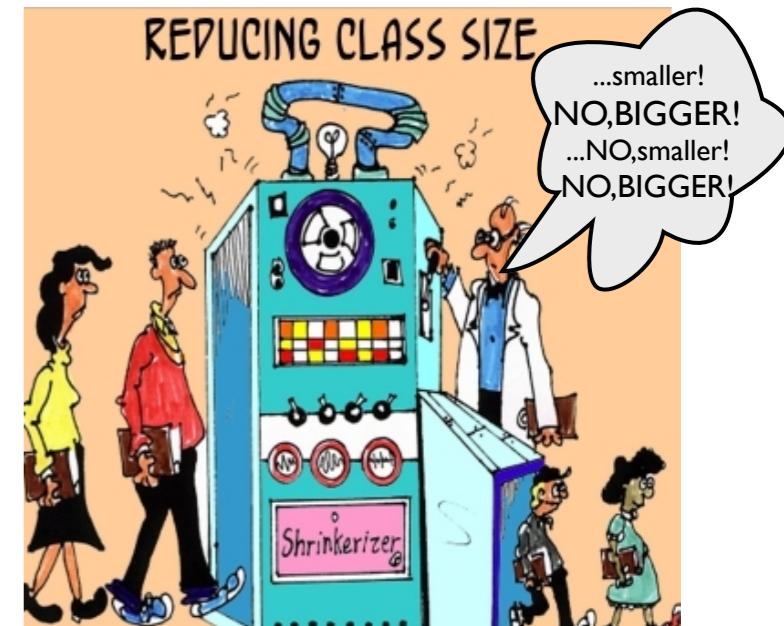
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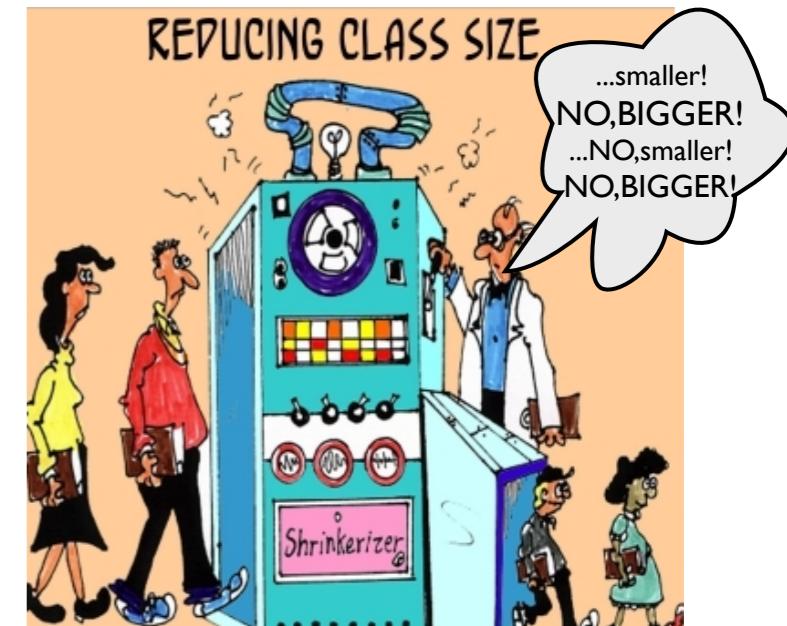
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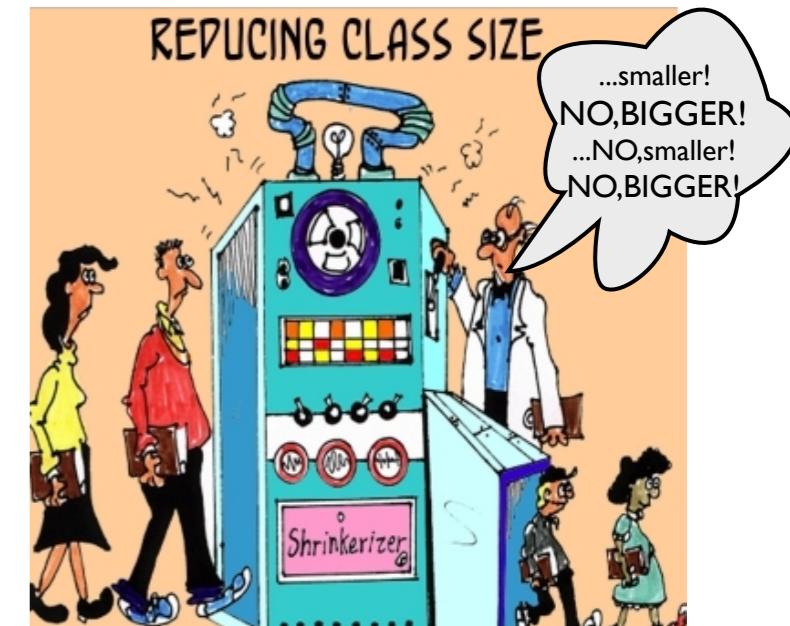
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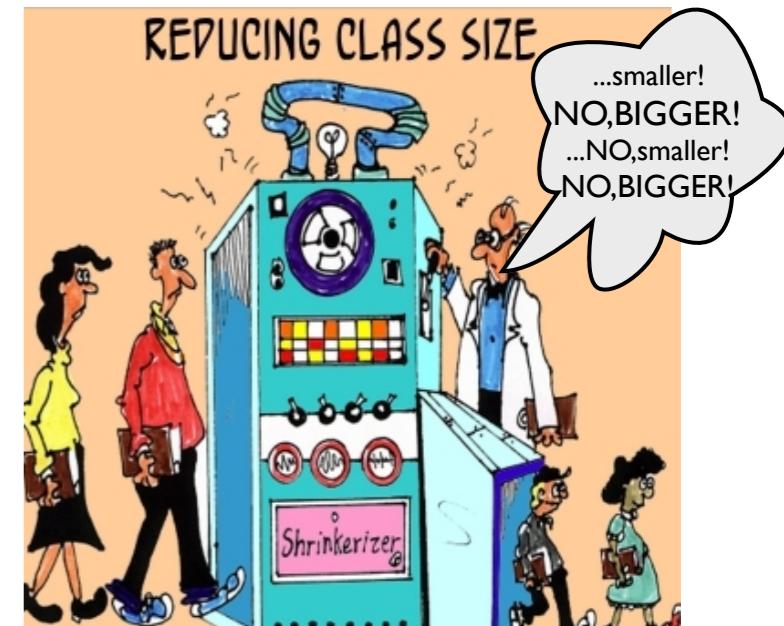
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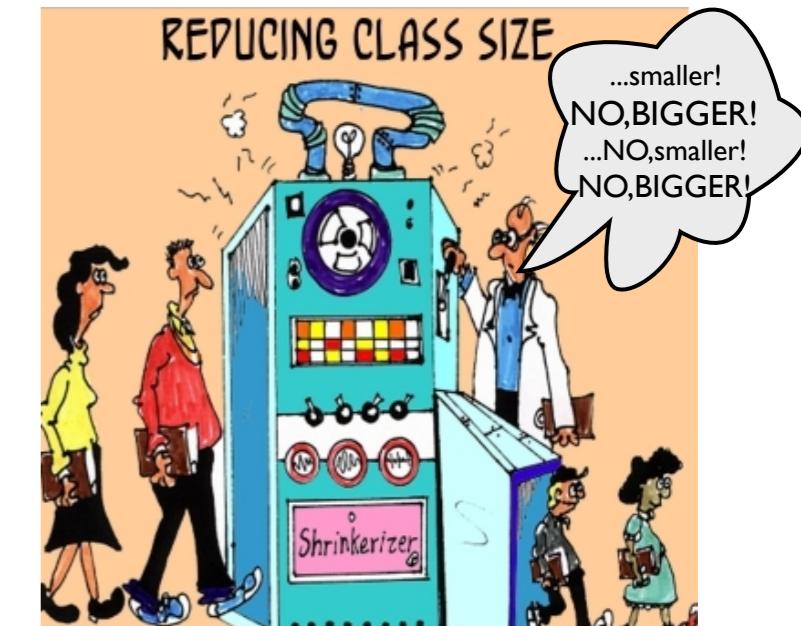
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[from p53 of Lecture 9]

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$\uparrow \mathbf{E}_1 \quad \uparrow \mathbf{E}_2 \quad \uparrow \mathbf{E}_r \quad \uparrow \mathbf{E}_\phi$

$$\langle K \rangle = \langle J^{-1} \rangle = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\partial r}{\partial x} = \cos \phi & \frac{\partial r}{\partial y} = \sin \phi \\ \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x} = \frac{-\sin \phi}{r} & \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial y} = \frac{\cos \phi}{r} \end{pmatrix} \leftarrow \mathbf{E}^r = \mathbf{E}^1$$

$\leftarrow \mathbf{E}^\phi = \mathbf{E}^2$

Covariant g_{mn}

$$\begin{pmatrix} g_{rr} & g_{r\phi} \\ g_{\phi r} & g_{\phi\phi} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{E}_r \cdot \mathbf{E}_r & \mathbf{E}_r \cdot \mathbf{E}_\phi \\ \mathbf{E}_\phi \cdot \mathbf{E}_r & \mathbf{E}_\phi \cdot \mathbf{E}_\phi \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & r^2 \end{pmatrix}$$

Invariant δ_m^n

$$\begin{pmatrix} \delta_r^r & \delta_r^\phi \\ \delta_\phi^r & \delta_\phi^\phi \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{E}_r \cdot \mathbf{E}^r & \mathbf{E}_r \cdot \mathbf{E}^\phi \\ \mathbf{E}_\phi \cdot \mathbf{E}^r & \mathbf{E}_\phi \cdot \mathbf{E}^\phi \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Contravariant g^{mn}

$$\begin{pmatrix} g^{rr} & g^{r\phi} \\ g^{\phi r} & g^{\phi\phi} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{E}^r \cdot \mathbf{E}^r & \mathbf{E}^r \cdot \mathbf{E}^\phi \\ \mathbf{E}^\phi \cdot \mathbf{E}^r & \mathbf{E}^\phi \cdot \mathbf{E}^\phi \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1/r^2 \end{pmatrix}$$

Hamilton prefers Contravariant g^{mn} with Covariant momentum p_m

Using Legendre transform of Lagrangian $L=T-U$ with covariant metric definitions of L and p_m

$$\text{We already have: } H = p_m \dot{q}^m - L \quad \text{and: } L(\dot{q}) = \frac{1}{2} M g_{mn} \dot{q}^m \dot{q}^n - U \quad \text{and: } p_m = \frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{q}^m} = M g_{mn} \dot{q}^n$$

Now we combine all these:

$$\begin{aligned} H &= p_m \dot{q}^m - L = \left(M g_{mn} \dot{q}^n \right) \dot{q}^m - \left(\frac{1}{2} M g_{mn} \dot{q}^m \dot{q}^n - U \right) \\ &= M g_{mn} \dot{q}^m \dot{q}^n - \frac{1}{2} M g_{mn} \dot{q}^m \dot{q}^n + U \end{aligned}$$

This gives an “illegal dependence” for the Hamiltonian (It mustn’t be “explicit” in velocity \dot{q}^m .)

$$H = \frac{1}{2} M g_{mn} \dot{q}^m \dot{q}^n + U = T + U \quad (\text{Numerically correct ONLY!})$$

An inverse metric relation $\dot{q}^m = \frac{1}{M} g^{mn} p_n$ gives correct form that depends on momentum p_m .

$$H = \frac{1}{2M} g^{mn} p_m p_n + U = T + U \equiv E$$

(Formally **and** Numerically correct)

Polar coordinate Lagrangian was given as: See covariant polar metric $g_{\mu\nu}$ on p39

$$L(\dot{r}, \dot{\phi}, r, \phi) = \frac{1}{2} M (g_{rr} \dot{r}^2 + g_{\phi\phi} \dot{\phi}^2) - U(r, \phi) = \frac{1}{2} M (\dot{r}^2 + r^2 \cdot \dot{\phi}^2) - U(r, \phi)$$

Polar coordinate Hamiltonian is given here:

$$H(p_r, p_\phi, r, \phi) = \frac{1}{2M} (g^{rr} p_r^2 + g^{\phi\phi} p_\phi^2) + U(r, \phi)$$

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Polar coordinate Hamiltonian is given here: Contravariant polar metric $g^{\mu\nu}$ on p35

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Hamilton prefers Contravariant g^{mn} with Covariant momentum p_m

Deriving Hamilton's equations from Lagrange's equations

Expressing Hamiltonian $H(p_m, q^n)$ using g^{mn} and covariant momentum p_m

→ *Polar-coordinate example of Hamilton's equations compared to Lagrange's
Hamilton's equations in Runge-Kutta (computer solution) form*

Polar coordinate example of Hamilton's equations

$$H(p_r, p_\phi, r, \phi) = \frac{1}{2M} (g^{rr} p_r^2 + g^{\phi\phi} p_\phi^2) + U(r, \phi) = \frac{1}{2M} (\underline{p_r}^2 + \frac{1}{r^2} \cdot \underline{p_\phi}^2) + U(r, \phi)$$

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Hamilton's 1st equations: $\frac{\partial H}{\partial p_m} = \dot{q}^m$ || Hamilton's 2nd equations: $\frac{\partial H}{\partial q^m} = -\dot{p}_m$

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Polar coordinate example of Hamilton's equations

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Polar coordinate example of Hamilton's equations

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Polar coordinate example of Hamilton's equations

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Polar coordinate example of Hamilton's equations

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Polar coordinate example of Hamilton's equations

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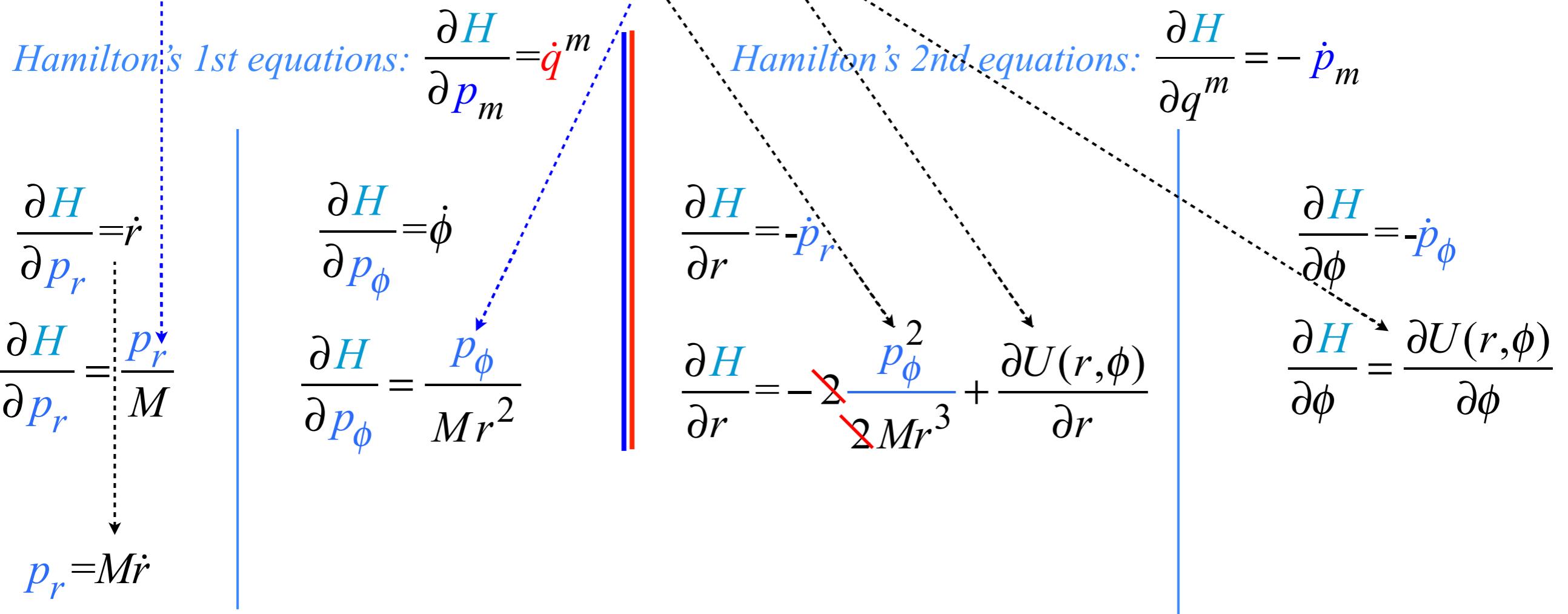
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Polar coordinate example of Hamilton's equations

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Polar coordinate example of Hamilton's equations

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$\frac{\partial H}{\partial p_r} = \frac{p_r}{M}$	$\frac{\partial H}{\partial p_\phi} = \frac{p_\phi}{Mr^2}$
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Hamilton's 2nd equations: $\frac{\partial H}{\partial q^m} = -\dot{p}_m$

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$\dot{p}_r = \frac{p_\phi^2}{Mr^3} - \frac{\partial U(r, \phi)}{\partial r}$	$\dot{p}_\phi = -\frac{\partial U(r, \phi)}{\partial \phi}$

Notes:

- The first column of equations (Hamilton's 1st eqs.) is enclosed in a blue dashed box.
- The second column of equations (Hamilton's 2nd eqs.) is enclosed in a blue vertical line.
- A red vertical line separates the two columns.
- Dashed arrows point from the first column to the second column.
- A red arrow points from the second column to the second equation in the second row of the first column.
- A red crossed-out term 2 is present in the second equation of the second row of the second column.

Polar coordinate example of Hamilton's equations

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		$= Mr\dot{\phi}^2 - \partial_r U(r, \phi)$	$= -\partial_\phi U(r, \phi)$

Hamilton's 2nd equations: $\frac{\partial H}{\partial q^m} = -\dot{p}_m$

Compare these Hamilton's equations to Lagrange's on next page...

Lagrange prefers Covariant g_{mn} with Contravariant velocity

Lagrangian KE-U is supposed to be explicit function of velocity. (Review of Lecture 9)

$$L(\mathbf{v}) = \frac{1}{2} M \mathbf{v} \cdot \mathbf{v} - U = \frac{1}{2} M \dot{\mathbf{r}} \cdot \dot{\mathbf{r}} - U = \frac{1}{2} M (\mathbf{E}_m \dot{q}^m) \cdot (\mathbf{E}_n \dot{q}^n) - U = \frac{1}{2} M (g_{mn} \dot{q}^m \dot{q}^n) - U = L(\dot{q})$$

Use polar coordinate Covariant g_{mn} metric (1-page back)

$$\begin{pmatrix} g_{rr} & g_{r\phi} \\ g_{\phi r} & g_{\phi\phi} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{E}_r \cdot \mathbf{E}_r & \mathbf{E}_r \cdot \mathbf{E}_\phi \\ \mathbf{E}_\phi \cdot \mathbf{E}_r & \mathbf{E}_\phi \cdot \mathbf{E}_\phi \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & r^2 \end{pmatrix}$$

This gives polar GCC form (Actually it's an OCC or Orthogonal Curvilinear Coordinate form)

$$L(\dot{r}, \dot{\phi}) = \frac{1}{2} M (g_{rr} \dot{r}^2 + g_{\phi\phi} \dot{\phi}^2) - U(r, \phi) = \frac{1}{2} M (1 \cdot \dot{r}^2 + r^2 \cdot \dot{\phi}^2) - U(r, \phi)$$

GCC Lagrange equations follow. 1st L-equation is momentum p_m definition for each coordinate q^m :

$$p_r = \frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{r}} = M g_{rr} \dot{r} = M \dot{r}$$

Nothing too surprising;
radial momentum p_r has the
usual linear $M \cdot v$ form

$$p_\phi = \frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{\phi}} = M g_{\phi\phi} \dot{\phi} = M r^2 \dot{\phi}$$

Wow! $g_{\phi\phi}$ gives moment-of-inertia
factor $M r^2$ automatically for the
angular momentum $p_\phi = M r^2 \omega$.

2nd L-equation involves total time derivative \dot{p}_m for each momentum p_m :

$$\dot{p}_r = \frac{\partial L}{\partial r} = \frac{M}{2} \frac{\partial g_{\phi\phi}}{\partial r} \dot{\phi}^2 - \frac{\partial U}{\partial r} = M r \dot{\phi}^2 - \frac{\partial U}{\partial r}$$

Centrifugal
force $M r \omega^2$

$$\dot{p}_\phi = \frac{\partial L}{\partial \phi} = 0 - \frac{\partial U}{\partial \phi}$$

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Find \dot{p}_m directly from 1st L-equation: $\dot{p}_m \equiv \frac{dp_m}{dt} = \frac{d}{dt} M (g_{mn} \dot{q}^n) = M (g_{mn} \dot{q}^n + g_{mn} \ddot{q}^n)$

$$\begin{aligned} \dot{p}_r &\equiv \frac{dp_r}{dt} = M \ddot{r} \\ &= M r \dot{\phi}^2 - \frac{\partial U}{\partial r} \end{aligned}$$

Centrifugal (center-fleeing) force
equals total
Centripetal (center-pulling) force

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Torque relates to two distinct parts:
Coriolis and angular acceleration
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Deriving Hamilton's equations from Lagrange's equations

Expressing Hamiltonian $H(p_m, q^n)$ using g^{mn} and covariant momentum p_m

Polar-coordinate example of Hamilton's equations compared to Lagrange's

→ Hamilton's equations in Runge-Kutta (computer solution) form

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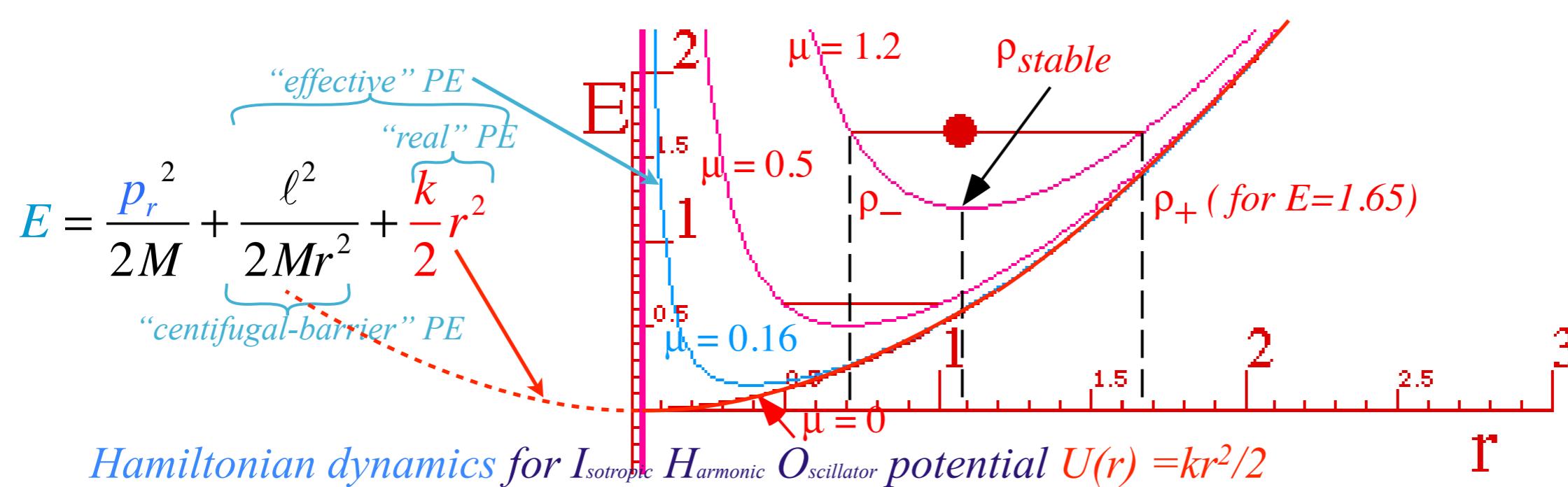
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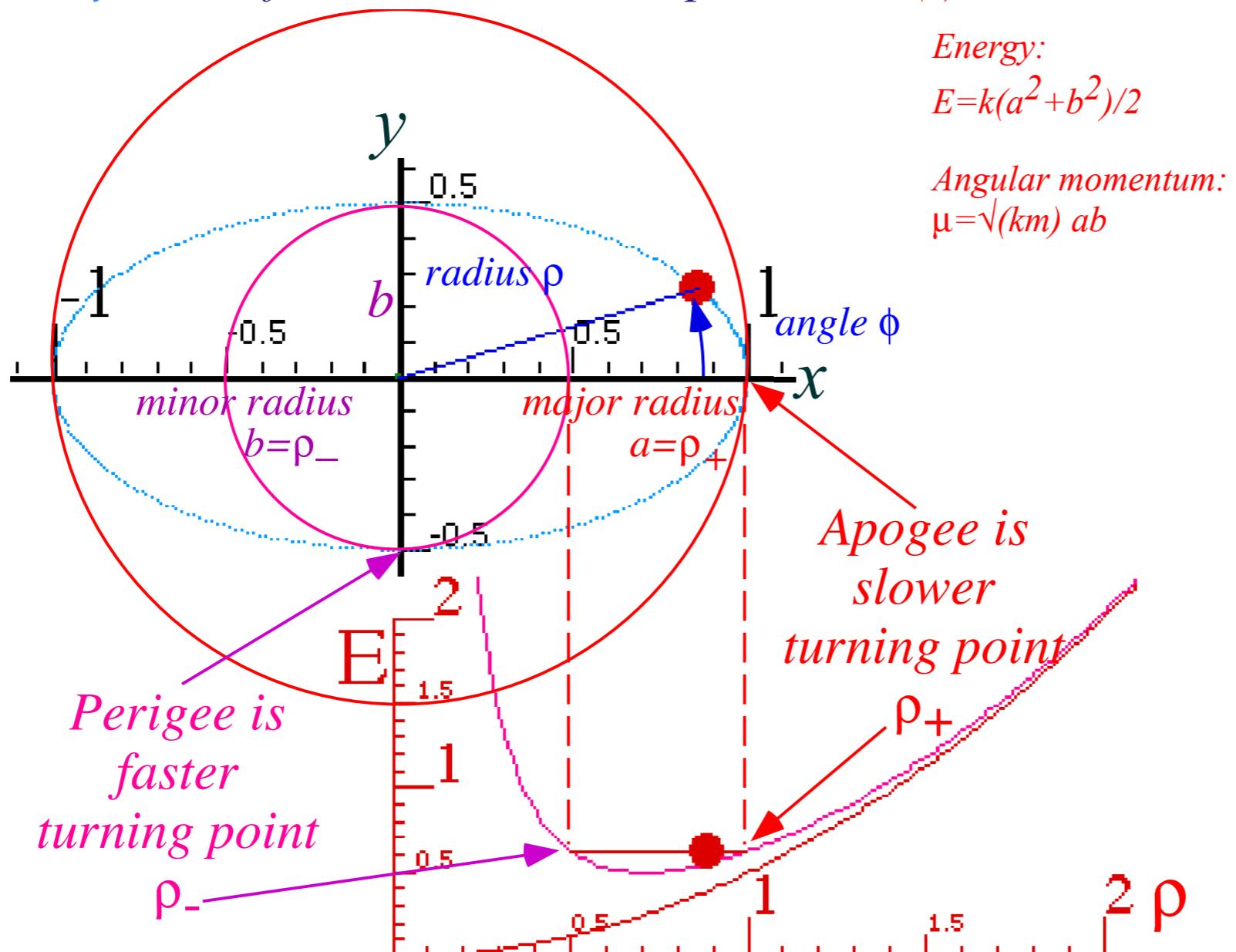
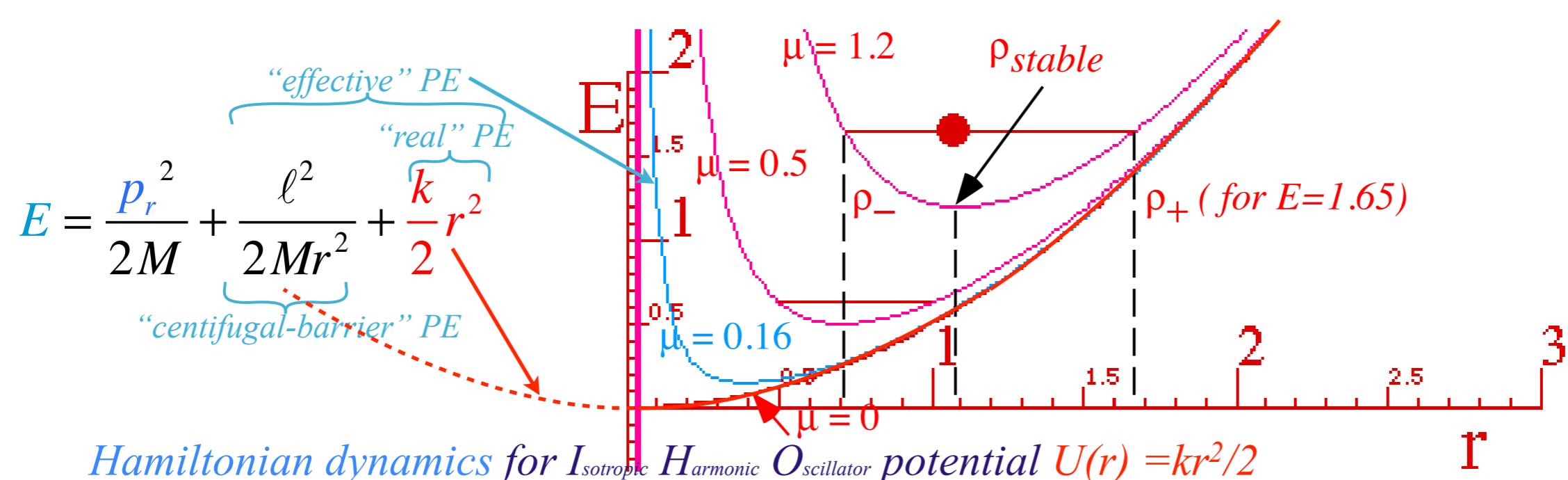
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Called the “quadrature” or
 1/4-cycle solution if
 $r_{<}=0$ and $r_{>}=\text{max amplitude}$

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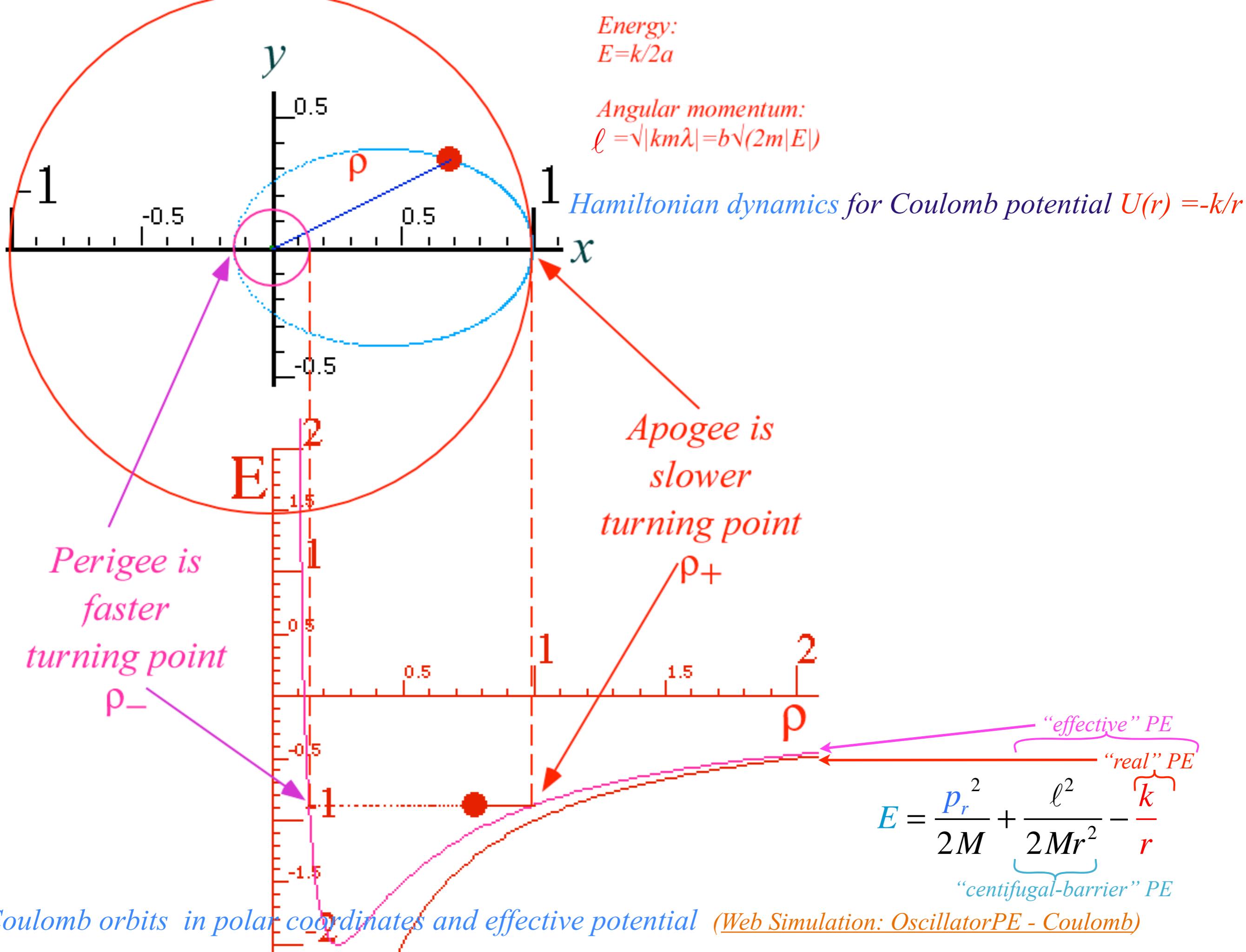


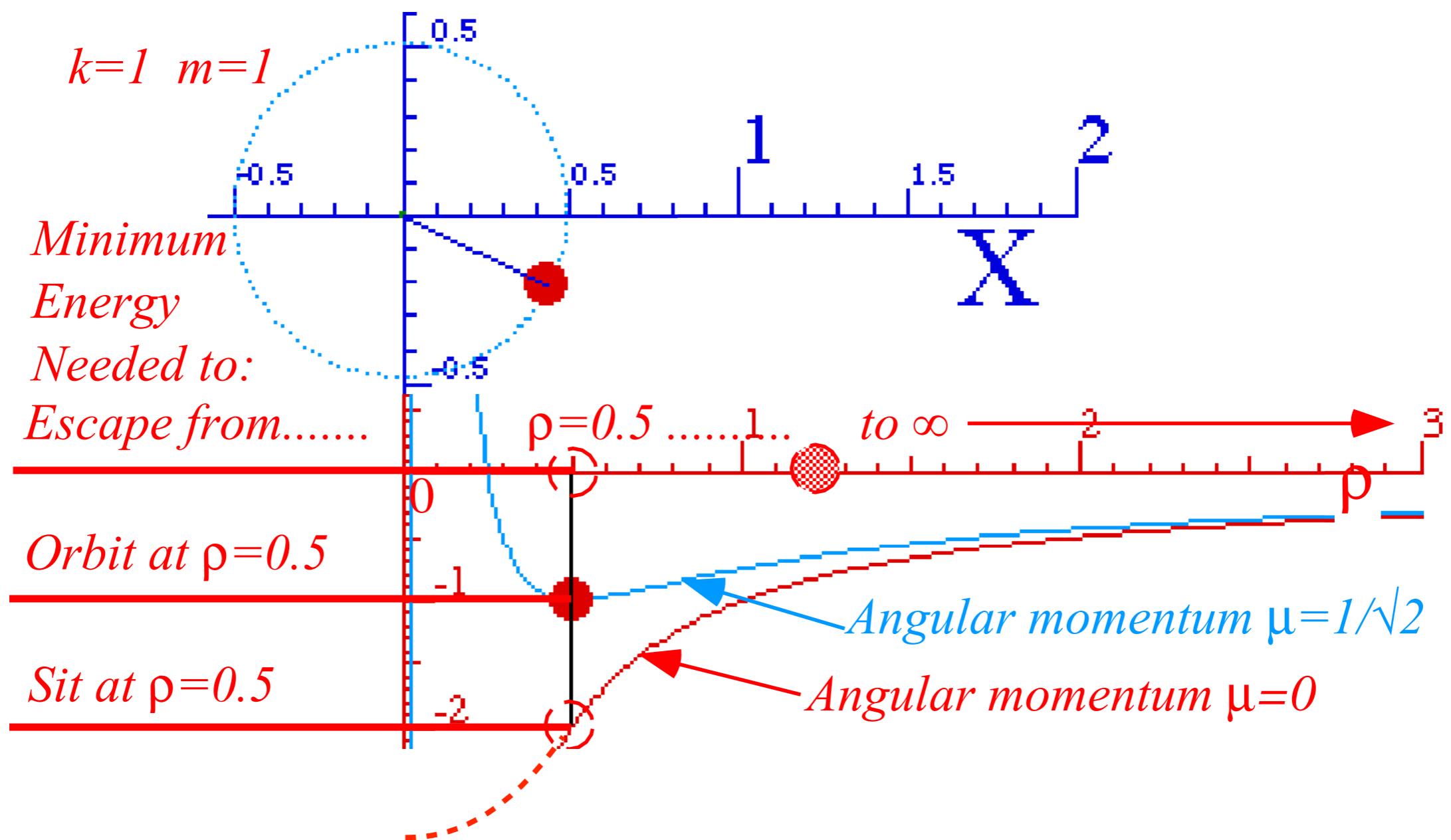
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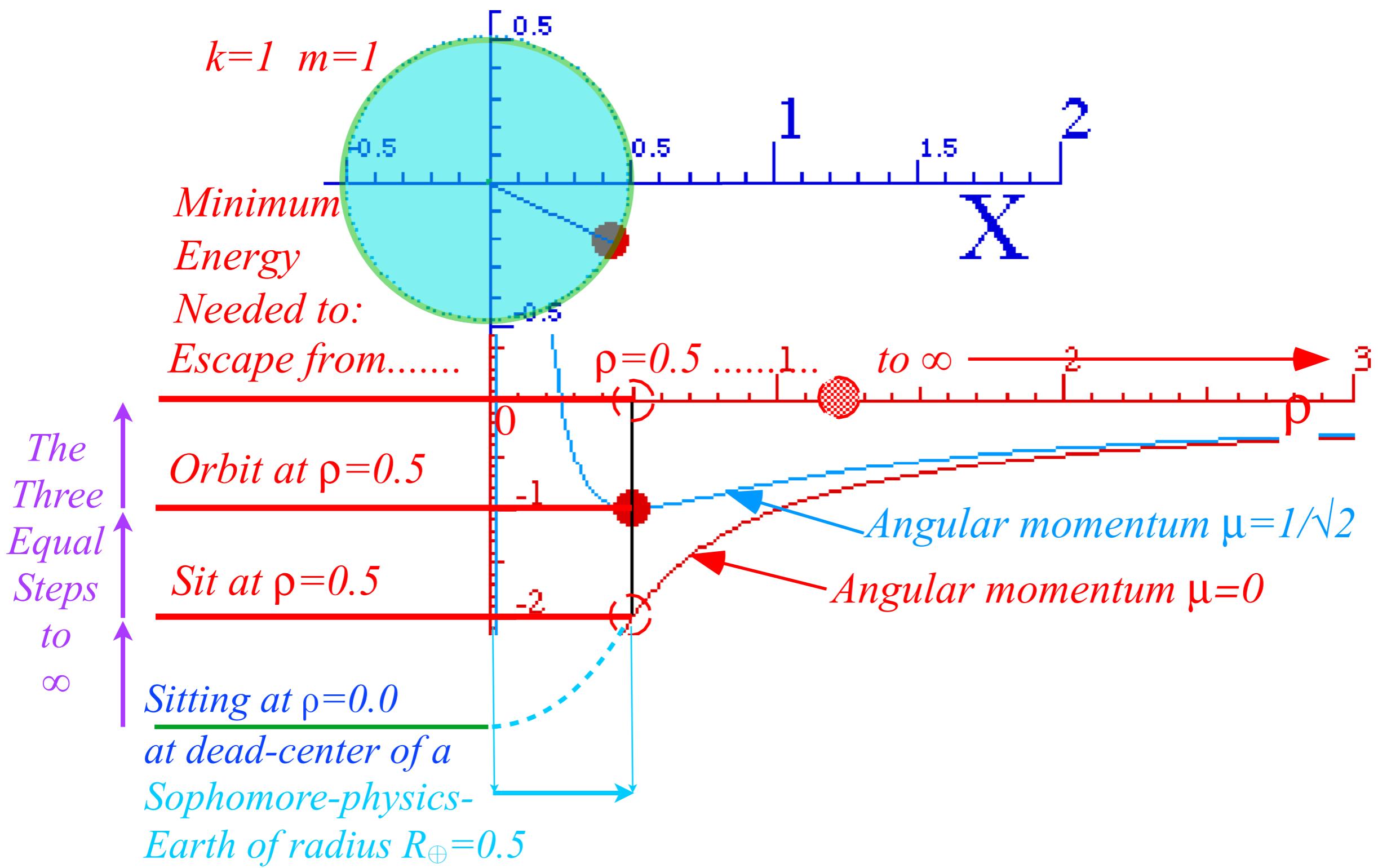
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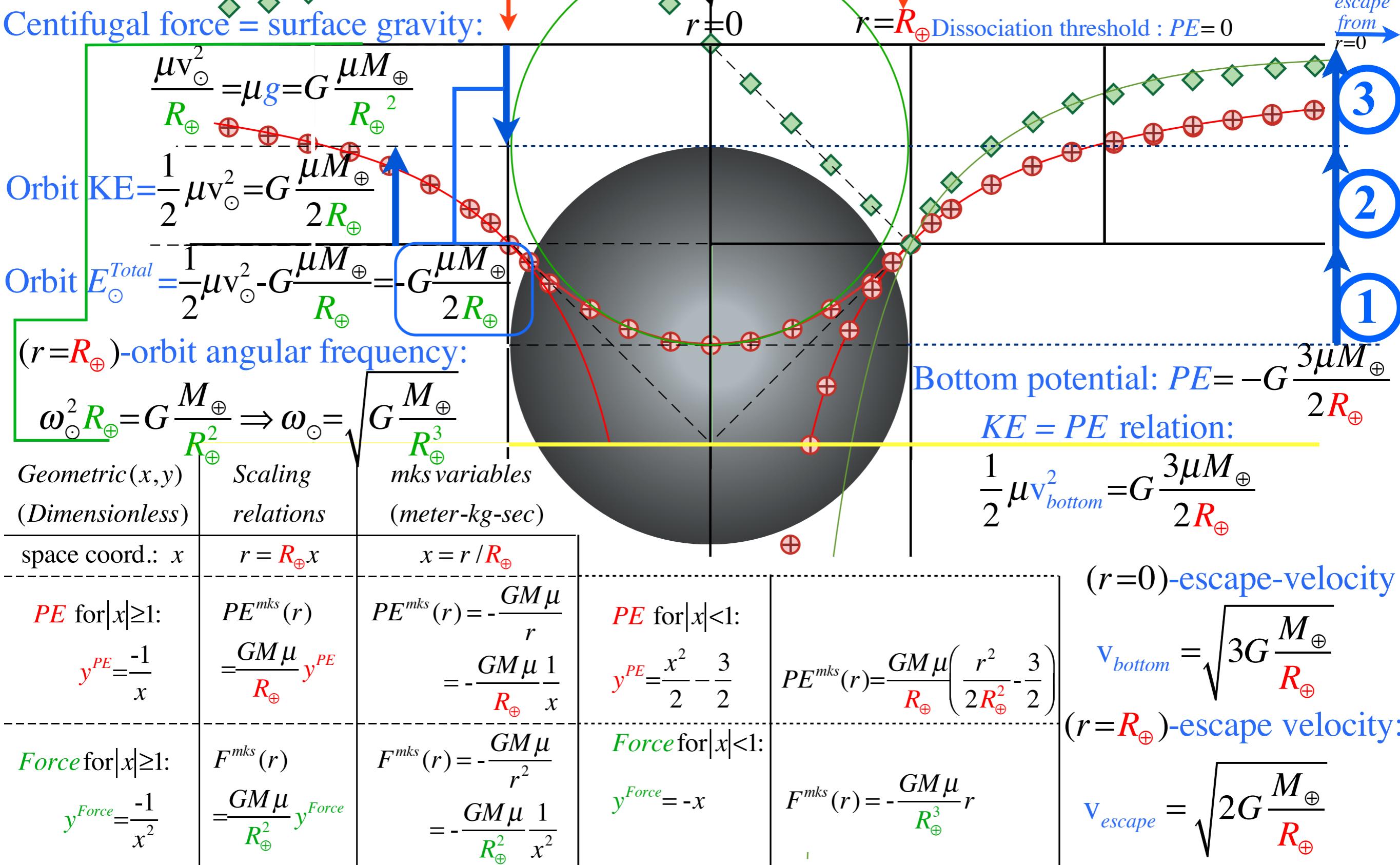






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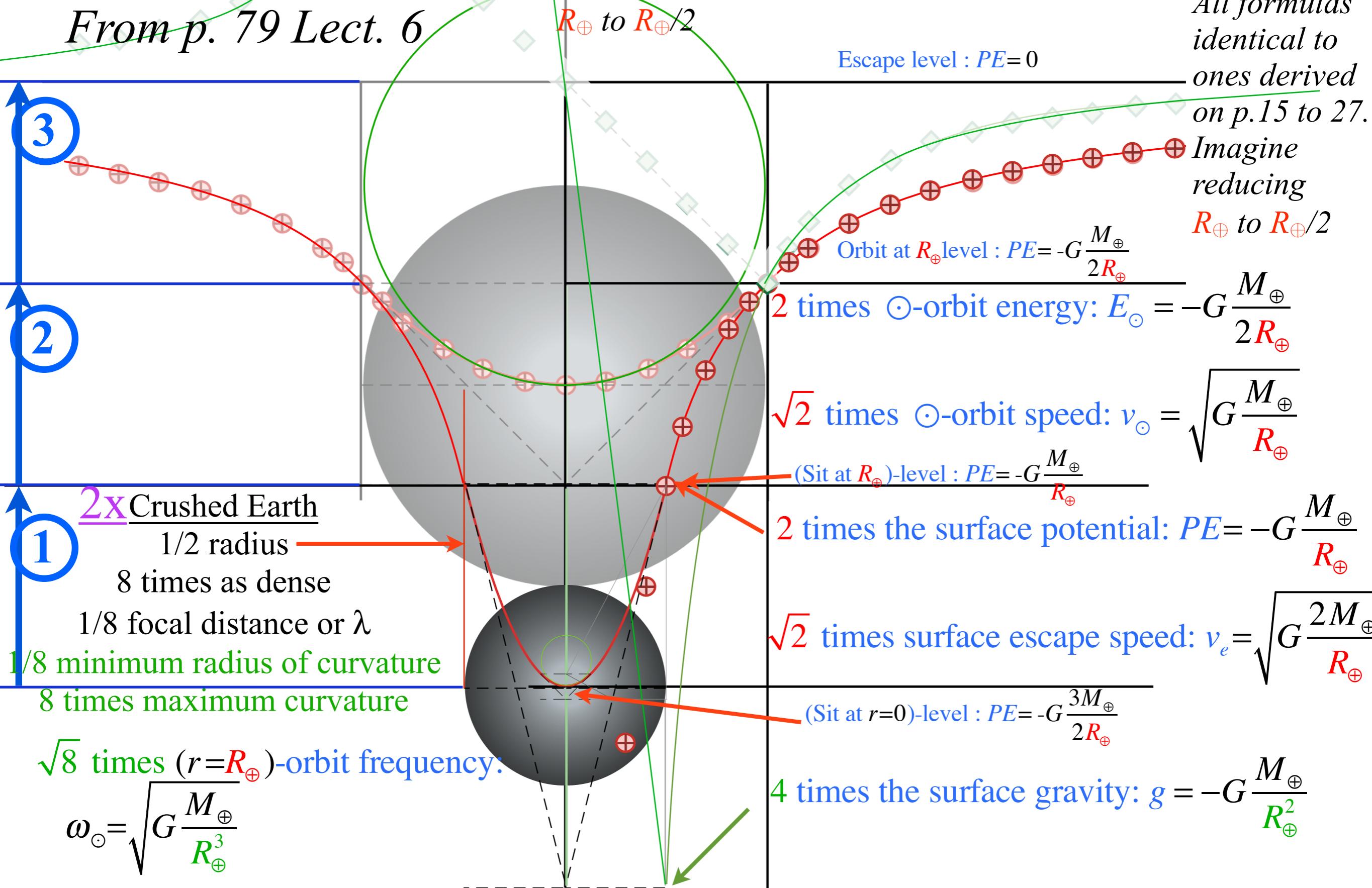
Sophomore-physics-Earth inside and out: “3-steps out of (or into) Hell”
...and surface orbit at $r=R_\oplus$
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Sophomore-physics-Earth inside and out: “3-steps to Hell”

Suppose Earth radius crushed to 1/2: ($R_{\oplus}=6.4 \cdot 10^6 \text{ m}$ crushed to $R_{\oplus}/2=3.2 \cdot 10^6 \text{ m}$)

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Next Hamiltonian Lecture 11...

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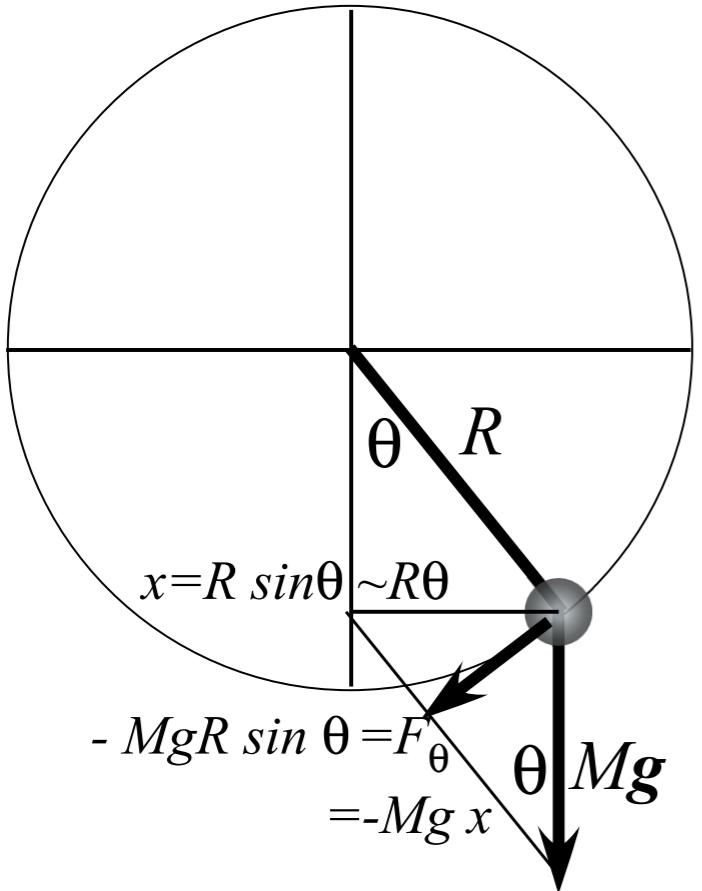
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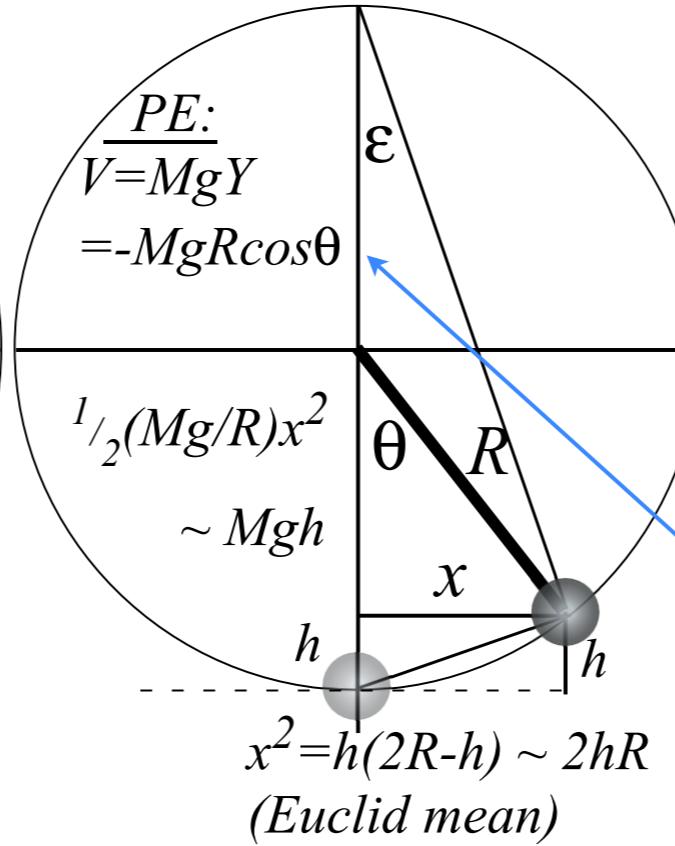
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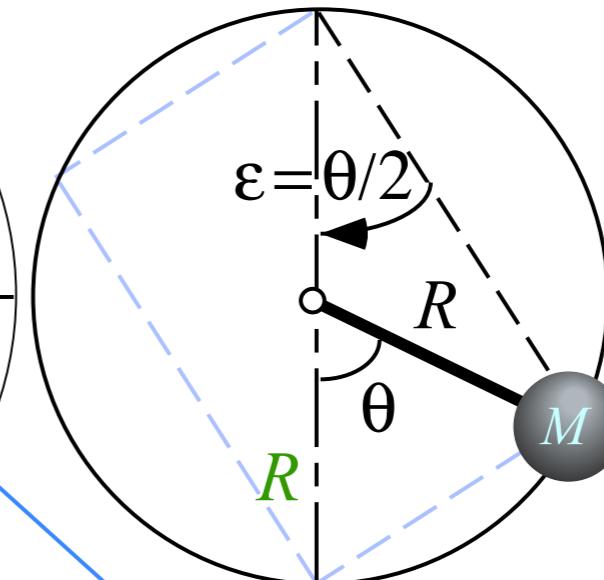
(a) Force geometry



(b) Energy geometry



(c) Time geometry



NOTE: Very common loci of \pm sign blunders

Lagrangian function $L = KE - PE = T - U$ where potential energy is $U(\theta) = -MgR \cos \theta$

$$L(\dot{\theta}, \theta) = \frac{1}{2} I \dot{\theta}^2 - U(\theta) = \frac{1}{2} I \dot{\theta}^2 + MgR \cos \theta$$