

Lecture 16  
Mon. 10.28.2019

# Hamilton Equations for Trebuchet and Related Things (Ch. 5-9 of Unit 2)

Review of Hamiltonian equation derivation (Elementary trebuchet)

Hamiltonian definition from Lagrangian and  $\gamma_{mn}$  tensor

Hamilton's equations and Poincare invariant relations

Hamiltonian expression and contravariant  $\gamma^{mn}$  tensor

Hamilton  $p_\mu$  equation log-jam

Hamiltonian energy and momentum conservation and symmetry coordinates

Coordinate transformation helps reduce symmetric Hamiltonian

Free-space trebuchet kinematics by symmetry

Algebraic approximate approach

Direct approximate approach and Superball analogy

Trebuchet vs Flinger and sports kinematics

The multiple approaches to Mechanics (and physics in general)

A simplified trebuchet approximation (but unfinished)

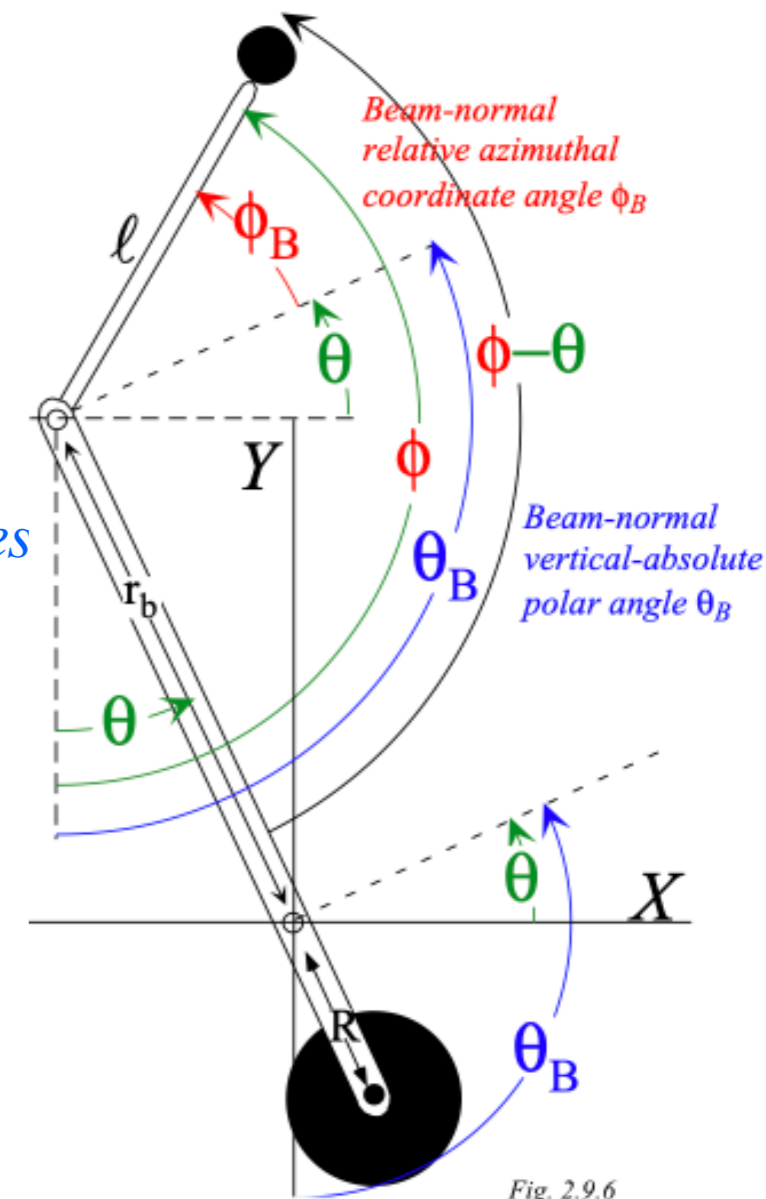


Fig. 2.9.6

# This Lecture's Reference Link Listing

[Web Resources - front page](#)

[UAF Physics UTube channel](#)

[Quantum Theory for the Computer Age](#)

[Principles of Symmetry, Dynamics, and Spectroscopy](#)

[Classical Mechanics with a Bang!](#)

[Modern Physics and its Classical Foundations](#)

[2017 Group Theory for QM](#)

[2018 Adv CM](#)

[2018 AMOP](#)

[2019 Advanced Mechanics](#)

## Lectures #12 through #16

*In reverse order*

### Trebuchet Web Animations:

[Default/Generic URL](#), [Montezuma's Revenge](#), [Seige of Kenilworth](#),  
["Flinger"](#),

[Position Space \(Course\)](#), [Position Space \(Fine\)](#)

[Wacky Waving Solid Metal Arm Flailing Chaos Pendulum - Scooba](#) [Steeve-yt-2015](#)

[Triple Double-Pendulum - Cohen-yt-2008](#)

[Punkin Chunkin - TheArmchairCritic-2011](#)

[Jersey Team Claims Title in Punkin Chunkin - sussexcountyonline-1999](#)

[Shooting range for medieval siege weapons. Anybody knows? - twcenter.net/forums](#)

[The Trebuchet - Chevedden-SciAm-1995](#)

[NOVA Builds a Trebuchet](#)

### Recent Articles of Interest:

*(Many of these may be a bit beyond this course,  
but are included to lend added insight):*

[Springer handbook on Molecular Symmetry and Dynamics - Ch\\_32 - Molecular Symmetry](#)

[Tunable and broadband coherent perfect absorption by ultrathin blk phos metasurfaces - Guo-josab-2019](#)

[Quantum Supremacy Using a Programmable Superconducting Processor - Arute-n-2019](#)

[Vortex Detection in Vector Fields Using Geometric Algebra - Pollock-aaca-2013.pdf](#)

### An assist from [Physics Girl](#) (YouTube Channel):

Posted this year:

[How to Make VORTEX RINGS in a Pool](#)

Crazy pool vortex (new inclusion with more background)

[Crazy pool vortex - pg-yt-2014](#)

Posting with the best visuals:

[Fun with Vortex Rings in the Pool - pg-yt-2014](#)

*She covers it beautifully!*

### Pirelli Relativity Challenge (Introduction level) - *Visualizing Waves:*

[Using Earth as a clock](#),

[Tesla's AC Phasors](#) ,

[Phasors using complex numbers](#).

[CM wBang Unit 1 - Chapter 10, pdf\\_page=135](#)

[Calculus of exponentials, logarithms, and complex fields](#),

[RelaWavity Web Simulation - Unit Circle and Hyperbola \(Mixed labeling\)](#)

[Smith Chart, Invented by Phillip H. Smith \(1905-1987\)](#)

Excerpts (Page 44-47 in *Preliminary Draft*) from the

[Geometric Algebra- A Guided Tour through Space and Time - Reimer-www-2019](#)

### Select, exciting, and related Research

[Clifford Algebra And The Projective Model Of Homogeneous Metric Spaces - Foundations - Sokolov-x-2013](#)

[Geometric Algebra 3 - Complex Numbers - MacDonald-yt-2015](#)

[Biquaternion -Complexified Quaternion- Roots of -1 - Sangwine-x-2015](#)

[An Introduction to Clifford Algebras and Spinors - Vaz-Rocha-op-2016](#)

[Unified View on Complex Numbers and Quaternions- Bongardt-wcmms-2015](#)

[Complex Functions and the Cauchy-Riemann Equations - complex2 - Friedman-columbia-2019](#)

[An sp-hybridized Molecular Carbon Allotrope- cyclo-18-carbon - Kaiser-s-2019](#)

[An Atomic-Scale View of Cyclocarbon Synthesis - Maier-s-2019](#)

[Discovery Of Topological Weyl Fermion Lines And Drumhead Surface States in a Room Temperature Magnet - Belopolski-s-2019](#)

["Weyl"ing away Time-reversal Symmetry - Neto-s-2019](#)

[Non-Abelian Band Topology in Noninteracting Metals - Wu-s-2019](#)

[What Industry Can Teach Academia - Mao-s-2019](#)

[RoVib- quantum state resolution of the C60 fullerene - Changala-Ye-s-2019 \(Alt\)](#)

[A Degenerate Fermi Gas of Polar molecules - DeMarco-s-2019](#)

# Running Reference Link Listing

## Lectures #11 through #7

*In reverse order*

### Eric J Heller Gallery:

[Main portal](#), [Consonance and Dissonance II](#), [Bessel 21](#), [Chladni](#)

[The Semiclassical Way to Molecular Spectroscopy - Heller-acs-1981](#)  
[Quantum dynamical tunneling in bound states - Davis-Heller-jcp-1981](#)

[Pendulum Web Simulation](#)

[Cycloidulum Web Simulation](#)

**Links to previous lecture:** [Page=74](#), [Page=75](#), [Page=79](#)

[Pendulum Web Sim](#)

[Cycloidulum Web Sim](#)

**JerkIt Web Simulations:** [Basic/Generic](#); [Inverted](#), [FVPlot](#)

[CMwithBang Lecture 8, page=20](#)

[WWW.sciencenewsforstudents.org: Cassini - Saturnian polar vortex](#)

“RelaWavity” Web Simulations:

[2-CW laser wave](#), [Lagrangian vs Hamiltonian](#),

[Physical Terms Lagrangian L\(u\) vs Hamiltonian H\(p\)](#)

[CoulIt Web Simulation of the Volcanoes of Io](#)

[BohrIt Multi-Panel Plot:](#)

[Relativistically shifted Time-Space plots of 2 CW light waves](#)

### BoxIt Web Simulations:

[Generic/Default](#)

[Most Basic A-Type](#)

[Basic A-Type w/reference lines](#)

[Basic A-Type A-Type with Potential energy](#)

[A-Type with Potential energy and Stokes Plot](#)

[A-Type w/3 time rates of change](#)

[A-Type w/3 time rates of change with Stokes Plot](#)

[B-Type \(A=1.0, B=-0.05, C=0.0, D=1.0\)](#)

### RelaWavity Web Elliptical Motion Simulations:

[Orbits with b/a=0.125](#)

[Orbits with b/a=0.5](#)

[Orbits with b/a=0.7](#)

[Exegesis with b/a=0.125](#)

[Exegesis with b/a=0.5](#)

[Exegesis with b/a=0.7](#)

[Contact Ellipsometry](#)

### CoulIt Web Simulations:

[Basic/Generic](#)

[Exploding Starlet](#)

[Volcanoes of Io \(Color Quantized\)](#)

### JerkIt Web Simulations:

[Basic/Generic](#)

[Catcher in the Eye - IHO with Linear Hooke perturbation - Force-potential-Velocity Plot](#)

### OscillatorPE Web Simulation:

[Coulomb-Newton-Inverse Square](#),

[Hooke-Isotropic Harmonic](#),

[Pendulum-Circular Constraint](#)

[AMOP Ch 0 Space-Time Symmetry - 2019](#)

[Seminar at Rochester Institute of Optics, Aux. slides-2018](#)

[NASA Astronomy Picture of the Day -](#)

[Io: The Prometheus Plume \(Just Image\)](#)

[NASA Galileo - Io's Alien Volcanoes](#)

[New Horizons - Volcanic Eruption Plume on Jupiter's moon IO](#)

[NASA Galileo - A Hawaiian-Style Volcano on Io](#)

[Pirelli Site: Phasors animation](#)

[CMwithBang Lecture #6, page=70 \(9.10.18\)](#)

### Select, exciting, and related Research & Articles of Interest:

[Burning a hole in reality—design for a new laser may be powerful enough to pierce space-time - Sumner-KOS-2019](#)

[Trampoline mirror may push laser pulse through fabric of the Universe - Lee-ArsTechnica-2019](#)

[Achieving Extreme Light Intensities using Optically Curved Relativistic Plasma Mirrors - Vincenti-prl-2019](#)

[A Soft Matter Computer for Soft Robots - Garrad-sr-2019](#)

[Correlated Insulator Behaviour at Half-Filling in Magic-Angle Graphene Superlattices - cao-n-2018](#)

[Sorting ultracold atoms in a three-dimensional optical lattice in a realization of Maxwell's Demon - Kumar-n-2018](#)

[Synthetic three-dimensional atomic structures assembled atom by atom - Barredo-n-2018](#)

Older ones:

[Wave-particle duality of C60 molecules - Arndt-ltn-1999](#)

[Optical Vortex Knots - One Photon At A Time - Tempone-Wiltshire-Sr-2018](#)

[Baryon Deceleration by Strong Chromofields in Ultrarelativistic](#)

[Nuclear Collisions - Mishustin-PhysRevC-2007, APS Link & Abstract](#)

[Hadronic Molecules - Guo-x-2017](#)

[Hidden-charm pentaquark and tetraquark states - Chen-pr-2016](#)

# Running Reference Link Listing

## Lectures #6 through #1

In reverse order

[RelaWavity Web Simulation: Contact Ellipsometry](#)

[BoxIt Web Simulation: Elliptical Motion \(A-Type\)](#)

[CMwBang Course: Site Title Page](#)

[Pirelli Relativity Challenge: Describing Wave Motion With Complex Phasors](#)

[UAF Physics UTube channel](#)

[Velocity Amplification in Collision Experiments Involving Superballs - Harter, 1971](#)

[MIT OpenCourseWare: High School/Physics/Impulse and Momentum](#)

[Hubble Site: Supernova - SN 1987A](#)

### **BounceIt Web Animation - Scenarios:**

[49:1 y vs t, 49:1 V2 vs V1, 1:500:1 - 1D Gas Model w/ faux restorative force \(Cool\),](#)

[1:500:1 - 1D Gas \(Warm\), 1:500:1 - 1D Gas Model \(Cool, Zoomed in\),](#)

[Farey Sequence - Wolfram](#)

[Fractions - Ford-AMM-1938](#)

### **Monstermash BounceIt Animations:**

[1000:1 - V2 vs V1, 1000:1 with t vs x - Minkowski Plot](#)

[Quantum Revivals of Morse Oscillators and Farey-Ford Geometry - Li-Harter-2013](#)

[Quantum Revivals of Morse Oscillators and Farey-Ford Geometry - Li-Harter-cpl-2015](#)

[Quant. Revivals of Morse Oscillators and Farey-Ford Geom. - Harter-Li-CPL-2015 \(Publ.\)](#)

[Velocity Amplification in Collision Experiments Involving Superballs-Harter-1971](#)

### **WaveIt Web Animation - Scenarios:**

[Quantum Carpet, Quantum Carpet wMBars,](#)

[Quantum Carpet BCar, Quantum Carpet BCar wMBars](#)

[Wave Node Dynamics and Revival Symmetry in Quantum Rotors - Harter-JMS-2001](#)

[Wave Node Dynamics and Revival Symmetry in Quantum Rotors - Harter-jms-2001 \(Publ.\)](#)

[AJP article on superball dynamics](#)

[AAPT Summer Reading List](#)

[Scitation.org - AIP publications](#)

[HarterSoft Youtube Channel](#)

### **BounceIt Web Animation - Scenarios:**

[Generic Scenario: 2-Balls dropped no Gravity \(7:1\) - V vs V Plot \(Power=4\)](#)

[1-Ball dropped w/Gravity=0.5 w/Potential Plot: Power=1, Power=4](#)

[7:1 - V vs V Plot: Power=1](#)

[3-Ball Stack \(10:3:1\) w/Newton plot \(y vs t\) - Power=4](#)

[3-Ball Stack \(10:3:1\) w/Newton plot \(y vs t\) - Power=1](#)

[3-Ball Stack \(10:3:1\) w/Newton plot \(y vs t\) - Power=1 w/Gaps](#)

[4-Ball Stack \(27:9:3:1\) w/Newton plot \(y vs t\) - Power=4](#)

[4-Newton's Balls \(1:1:1:1\) w/Newtonian plot \(y vs t\) - Power=4 w/Gaps](#)

[6-Ball Totally Inelastic \(1:1:1:1:1:1\) w/Gaps: Newtonian plot \(t vs x\), V6 vs V5 plot](#)

[5-Ball Totally Inelastic Pile-up w/ 5-Stationary-Balls - Minkowski plot \(t vs x1\) w/Gaps](#)

[1-Ball Totally Inelastic Pile-up w/ 5-Stationary-Balls - Vx2 vs Vx1 plot w/Gaps](#)

### **BounceIt Dual plots**

**$m_1:m_2 = 3:1$**

[v2 vs v1 and V2 vs V1, \(v1, v2\)=\(1, 0.1\), \(v1, v2\)=\(1, 0\)](#)

[y2 vs y1 plots: \(v1, v2\)=\(1, 0.1\), \(v1, v2\)=\(1, 0\), \(v1, v2\)=\(1, -1\)](#)

[Estrangian plot V2 vs V1: \(v1, v2\)=\(0, 1\), \(v1, v2\)=\(1, -1\)](#)

**$m_1:m_2 = 4:1$**

[v2 vs v1, y2 vs y1](#)

**$m_1:m_2 = 100:1$ , (v1, v2)=(1, 0): V2 vs V1 Estrangian plot, y2 vs y1 plot**

[With g=0 and 70:10 mass ratio](#)

[With non zero g, velocity dependent damping and mass ratio of 70:35](#)

[M1=49, M2=1 with Newtonian time plot](#)

[M1=49, M2=1 with V2 vs V1 plot](#)

[Example with friction](#)

[Low force constant with drag displaying a Pass-thru, Fall-Thru, Bounce-Off](#)

[m1:m2= 3:1 and \(v1, v2\) = \(1, 0\) Comparison with Estrangian](#)

X2 paper: [Velocity Amplification in Collision Experiments Involving Superballs - Harter, et. al. 1971 \(pdf\)](#)

Car Collision Web Simulator: <https://modphys.hosted.uark.edu/markup/CMMotionWeb.html>

Superball Collision Web Simulator: <https://modphys.hosted.uark.edu/markup/BounceItWeb.html>; with Scenarios: [1007](#)

[BounceIt web simulation with g=0 and 70:10 mass ratio](#)

[With non zero g, velocity dependent damping and mass ratio of 70:35](#)

[Elastic Collision Dual Panel Space vs Space: Space vs Time \(Newton\), Time vs. Space\(Minkowski\)](#)

[Inelastic Collision Dual Panel Space vs Space: Space vs Time \(Newton\), Time vs. Space\(Minkowski\)](#)

[Matrix Collision Simulator: M1=49, M2=1 V2 vs V1 plot <<Under Construction>>](#)

More Advanced QM and classical references will soon be available through our: [Mechanics References Page](#)

(Now in Development)

# Chapter 1. The Trebuchet: A dream problem for Galileo?

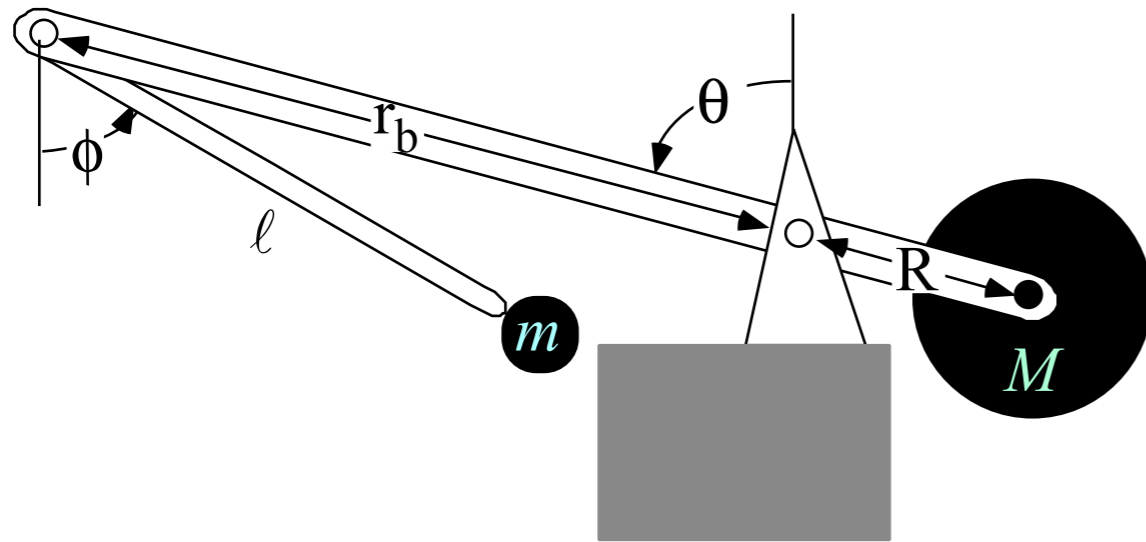
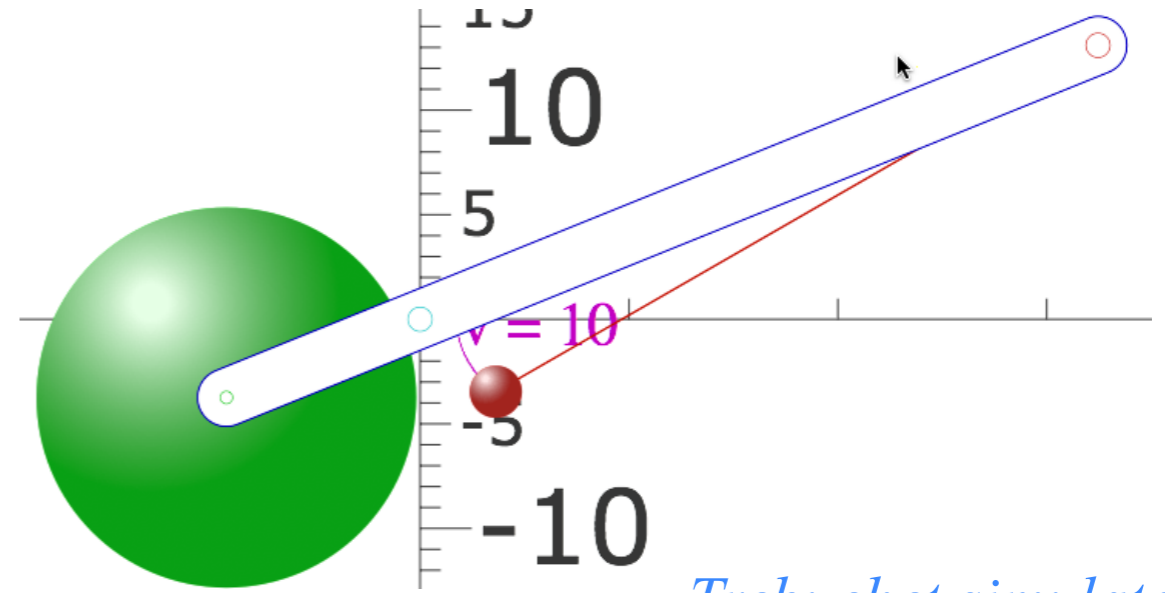
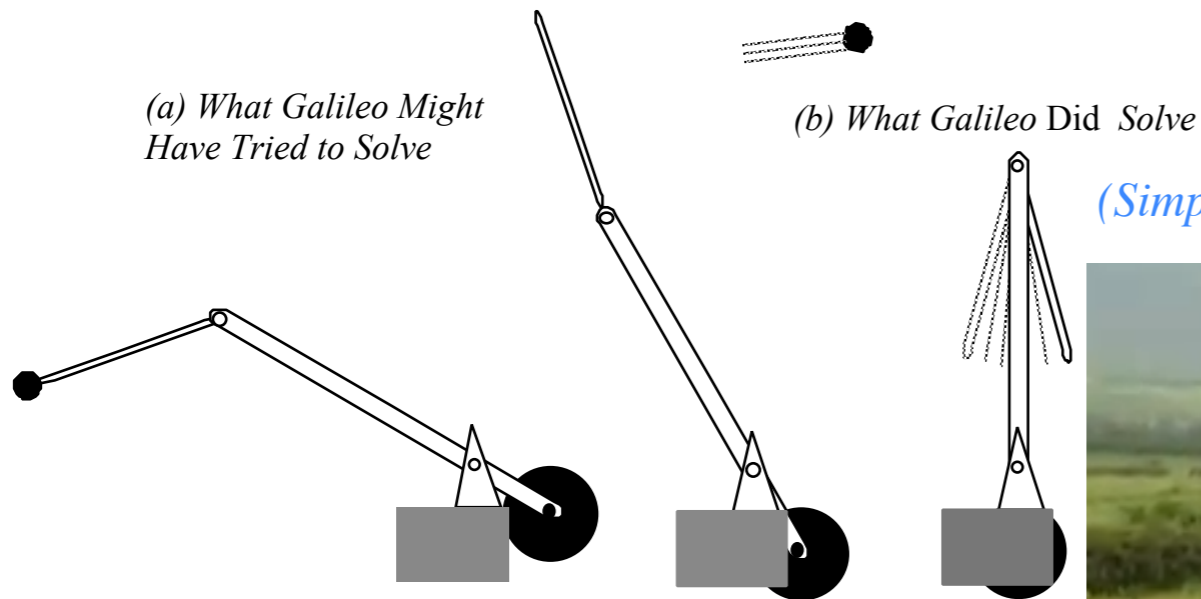


Fig. 2.1.1 An elementary ground-fixed trebuchet



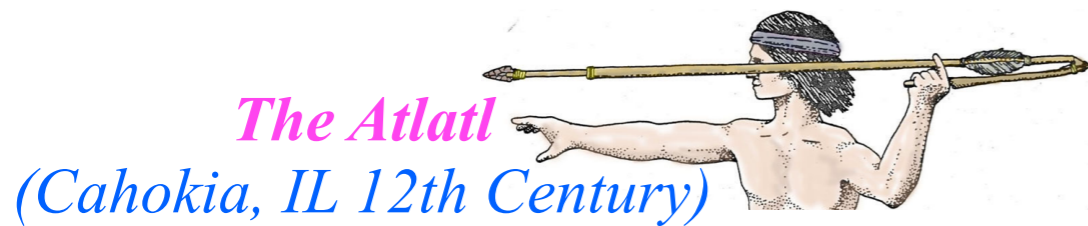
Trebuchet simulator

<https://modphys.hosted.uark.edu/markup/TrebuchetWeb.html>



(Simple pendulum dynamics)


Fig. 2.1.2 Galileo's (supposed) problem



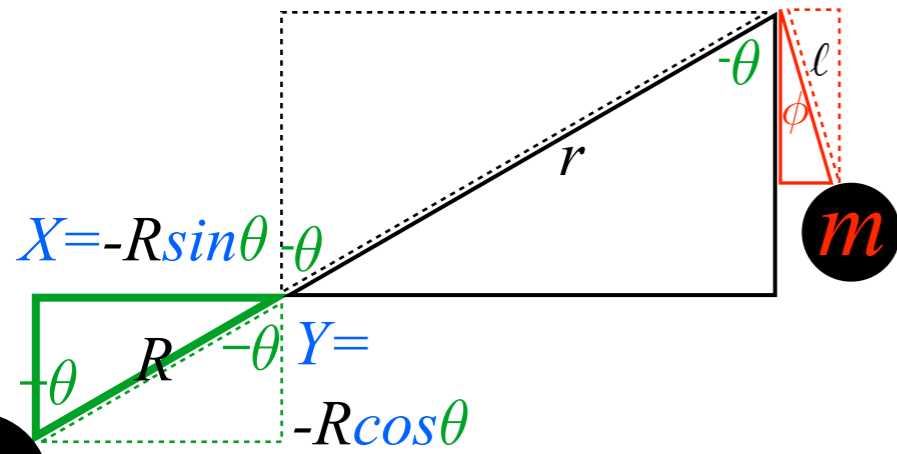
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*Review of Hamiltonian equation derivation (Elementary trebuchet)*

 *Hamiltonian definition from Lagrangian and  $\gamma_{mn}$  tensor*  
*Hamilton's equations and Poincare invariant relations*  
*Hamiltonian expression and contravariant  $\gamma^{mn}$  tensor*

$$\text{Total KE} = T = \frac{1}{2} [M\dot{X}^2 + M\dot{Y}^2 + m\dot{x}^2 + m\dot{y}^2] = \frac{1}{2} [(MR^2 + mr^2)\dot{\theta}^2 - 2mrl \cos(\theta - \phi)\dot{\theta}\dot{\phi} + ml^2\dot{\phi}^2]$$



$$T = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} \dot{\theta} & \dot{\phi} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} MR^2 + mr^2 & -mrl \cos(\theta - \phi) \\ -mrl \cos(\theta - \phi) & ml^2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \dot{\theta} \\ \dot{\phi} \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{2} \gamma_{mn} \dot{q}^m \dot{q}^n$$

*Covariant  
Dynamic metric tensor*

$$\begin{pmatrix} p_{\theta} \\ p_{\phi} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \gamma_{\theta,\theta} & \gamma_{\theta,\phi} \\ \gamma_{\phi,\theta} & \gamma_{\phi,\phi} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \dot{\theta} \\ \dot{\phi} \end{pmatrix}$$

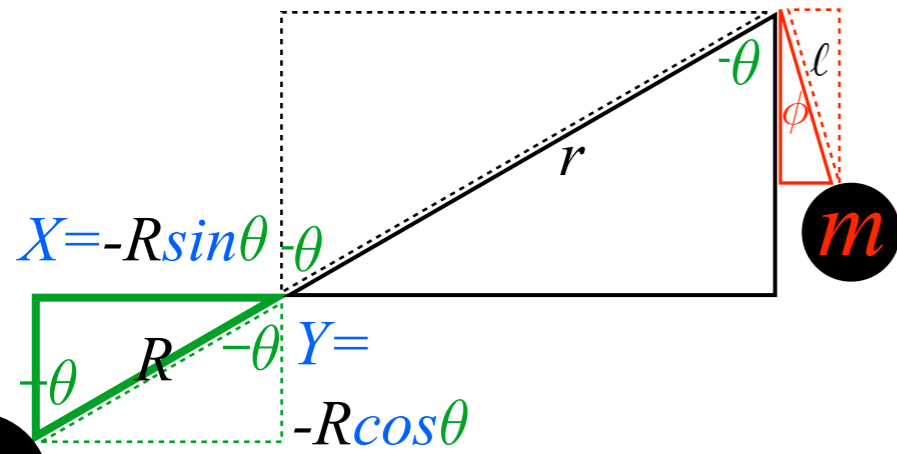
$\gamma_{mn}$   
in GCC  $\theta$  and  $\phi$

Lagrangian function of GCC and velocities:  $L(\theta, \phi, \dot{\theta}, \dot{\phi}, t) = T(\theta, \phi, \dot{\theta}, \dot{\phi}, t) - V(\theta, \phi, t)$

$$dL(\theta, \phi, \dot{\theta}, \dot{\phi}, t) = \frac{\partial L}{\partial \theta} d\theta + \frac{\partial L}{\partial \phi} d\phi + \frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{\theta}} d\dot{\theta} + \frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{\phi}} d\dot{\phi} + \frac{\partial L}{\partial t} dt$$

*1st differential chain*

$$\text{Total KE} = T = \frac{1}{2} [M\dot{X}^2 + M\dot{Y}^2 + m\dot{x}^2 + m\dot{y}^2] = \frac{1}{2} [(MR^2 + mr^2)\dot{\theta}^2 - 2mrl \cos(\theta - \phi)\dot{\theta}\dot{\phi} + ml^2\dot{\phi}^2]$$



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$$\begin{pmatrix} p_\theta \\ p_\phi \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \gamma_{\theta,\theta} & \gamma_{\theta,\phi} \\ \gamma_{\phi,\theta} & \gamma_{\phi,\phi} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \dot{\theta} \\ \dot{\phi} \end{pmatrix}$$

*Covariant  
Dynamic metric tensor*  
 $\gamma_{mn}$   
in GCC  $\theta$  and  $\phi$

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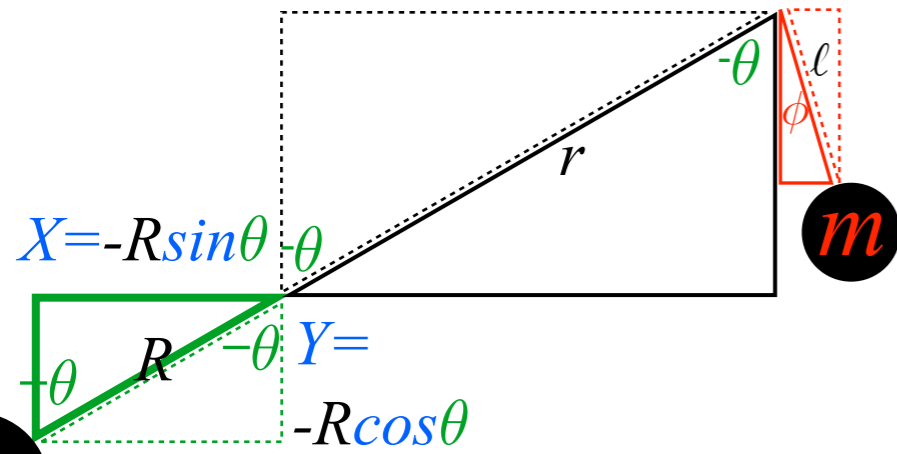
*1st differential chain*

$$\frac{dL}{dt} \equiv \dot{L}(\theta, \phi, \dot{\theta}, \dot{\phi}, t) = \frac{dL}{dt} = \frac{\partial L}{\partial \theta} \frac{d\theta}{dt} + \frac{\partial L}{\partial \phi} \frac{d\phi}{dt} + \frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{\theta}} \frac{d\dot{\theta}}{dt} + \frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{\phi}} \frac{d\dot{\phi}}{dt} + \frac{\partial L}{\partial t}$$

*velocity chain*



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Lagrangian function of GCC and velocities:  $L(\theta, \phi, \dot{\theta}, \dot{\phi}, t) = T(\theta, \phi, \dot{\theta}, \dot{\phi}, t) - V(\theta, \phi, t)$

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*1st differential chain*

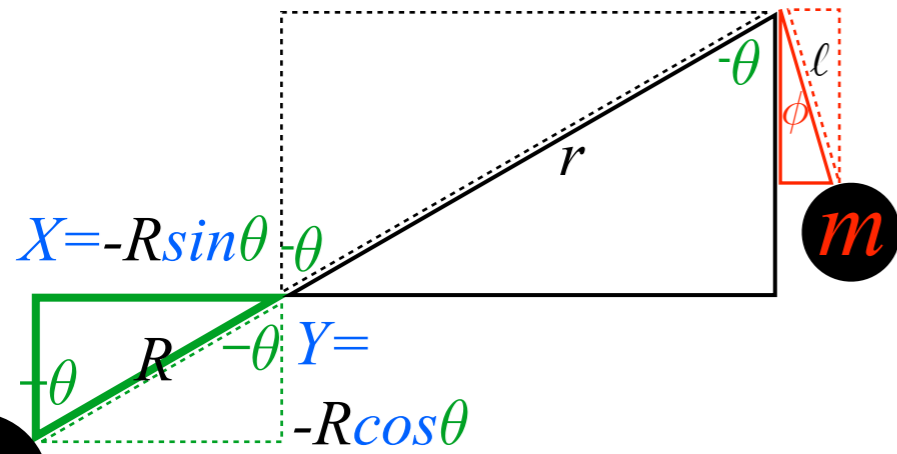
$$\dot{L}(\theta, \phi, \dot{\theta}, \dot{\phi}, t) = \frac{dL}{dt} = \frac{\partial L}{\partial \theta} \frac{d\theta}{dt} + \frac{\partial L}{\partial \phi} \frac{d\phi}{dt} + \frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{\theta}} \frac{d\dot{\theta}}{dt} + \frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{\phi}} \frac{d\dot{\phi}}{dt} + \frac{\partial L}{\partial t}$$

*velocity chain*

$$\dot{L}(\theta, \phi, \dot{\theta}, \dot{\phi}, t) = \frac{dL}{dt} = \dot{p}_\theta \frac{d\theta}{dt} + \dot{p}_\phi \frac{d\phi}{dt} + p_\theta \frac{d\dot{\theta}}{dt} + p_\phi \frac{d\dot{\phi}}{dt} + \frac{\partial L}{\partial t}$$

*Lagrange equations 1 and 2*

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$$T = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} \dot{\theta} & \dot{\phi} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} MR^2 + mr^2 & -mrl \cos(\theta - \phi) \\ -mrl \cos(\theta - \phi) & ml^2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \dot{\theta} \\ \dot{\phi} \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{2} \gamma_{mn} \dot{q}^m \dot{q}^n$$

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*1st differential chain*

$$\dot{L}(\theta, \phi, \dot{\theta}, \dot{\phi}, t) = \frac{dL}{dt} = \frac{\partial L}{\partial \theta} \frac{d\theta}{dt} + \frac{\partial L}{\partial \phi} \frac{d\phi}{dt} + \frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{\theta}} \frac{d\dot{\theta}}{dt} + \frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{\phi}} \frac{d\dot{\phi}}{dt} + \frac{\partial L}{\partial t}$$

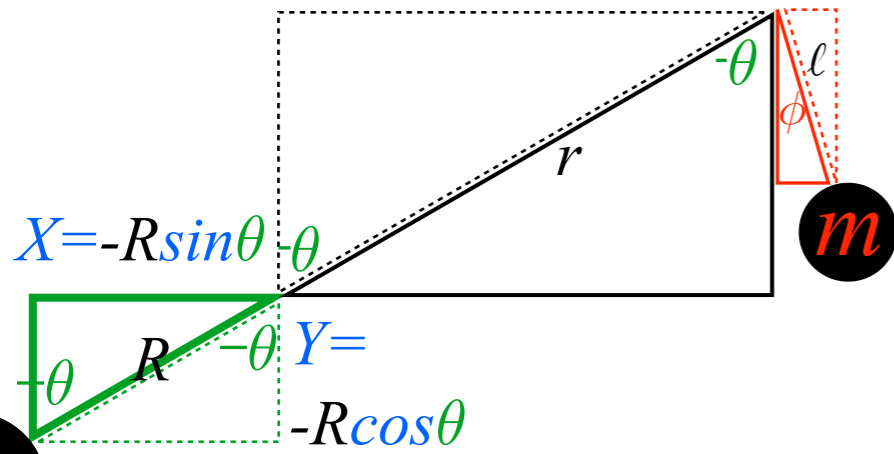
*velocity chain*

$$\begin{aligned} \dot{L}(\theta, \phi, \dot{\theta}, \dot{\phi}, t) &= \frac{dL}{dt} = \dot{p}_{\theta} \frac{d\theta}{dt} + \dot{p}_{\phi} \frac{d\phi}{dt} + p_{\theta} \frac{d\dot{\theta}}{dt} + p_{\phi} \frac{d\dot{\phi}}{dt} + \frac{\partial L}{\partial t} \\ &= \frac{dL}{dt} = \frac{d}{dt} (p_{\theta} \dot{\theta} + p_{\phi} \dot{\phi}) + \frac{\partial L}{\partial t} \end{aligned}$$

*Lagrange equations 1 and 2*

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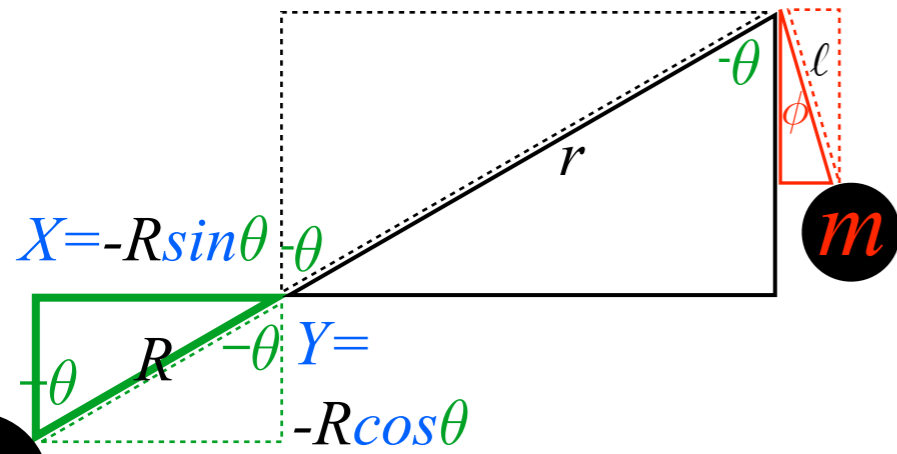
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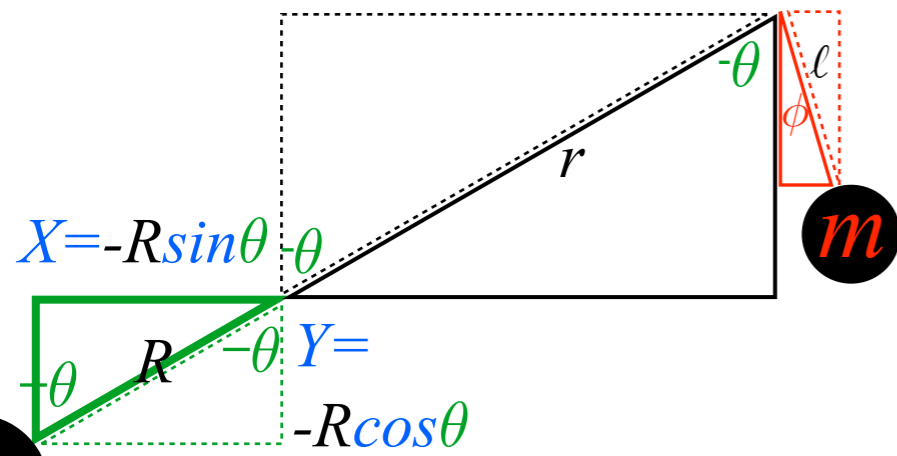
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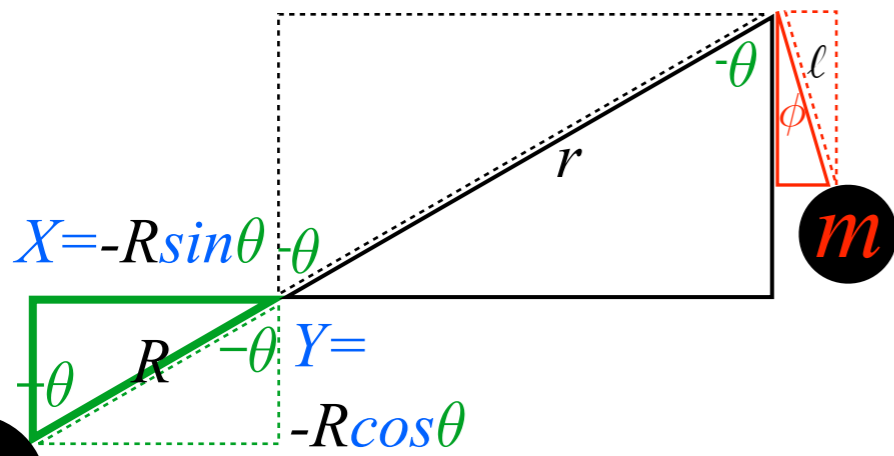
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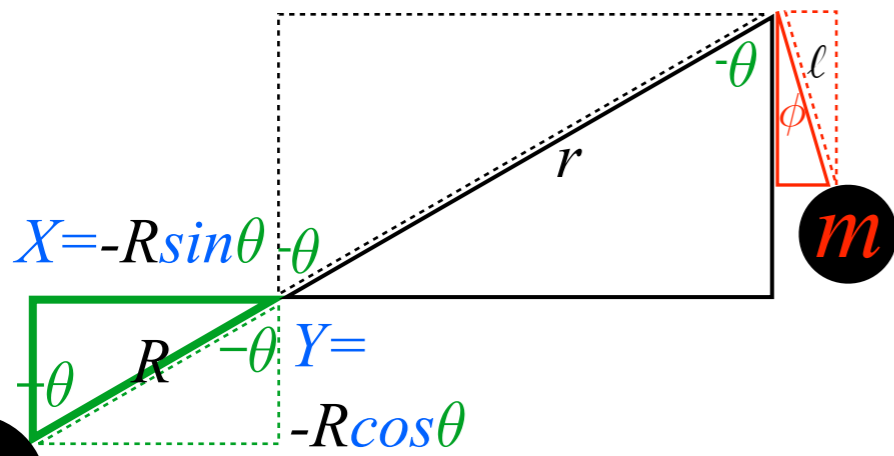
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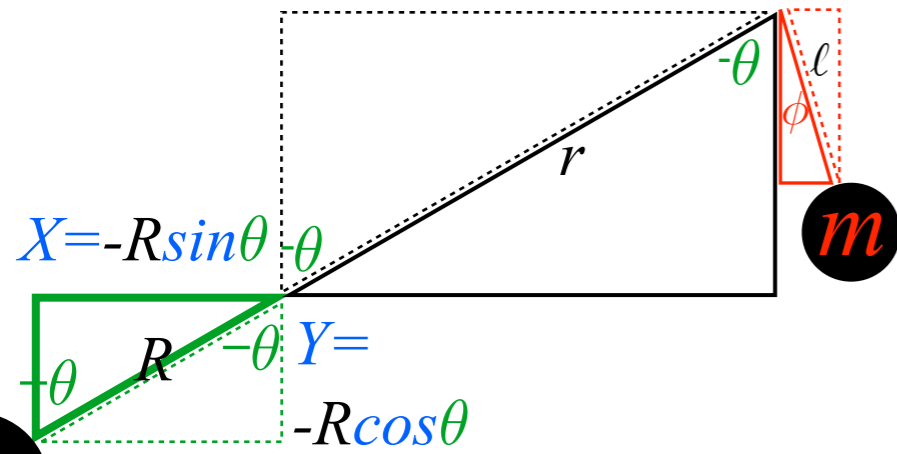
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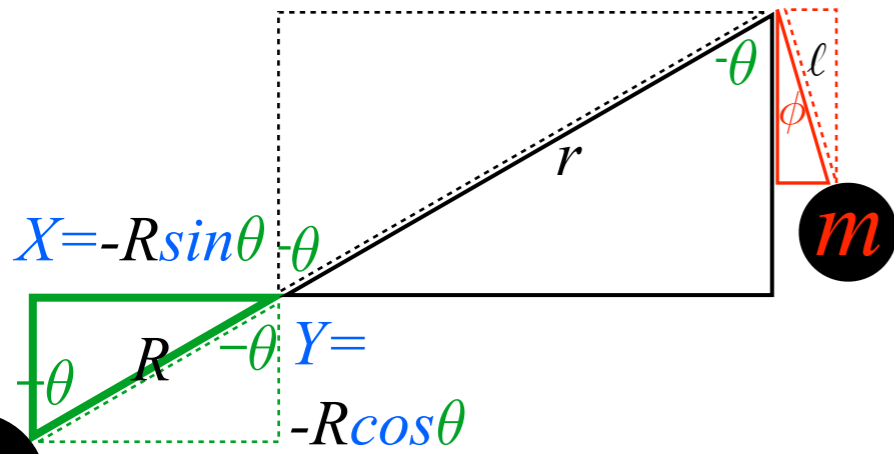
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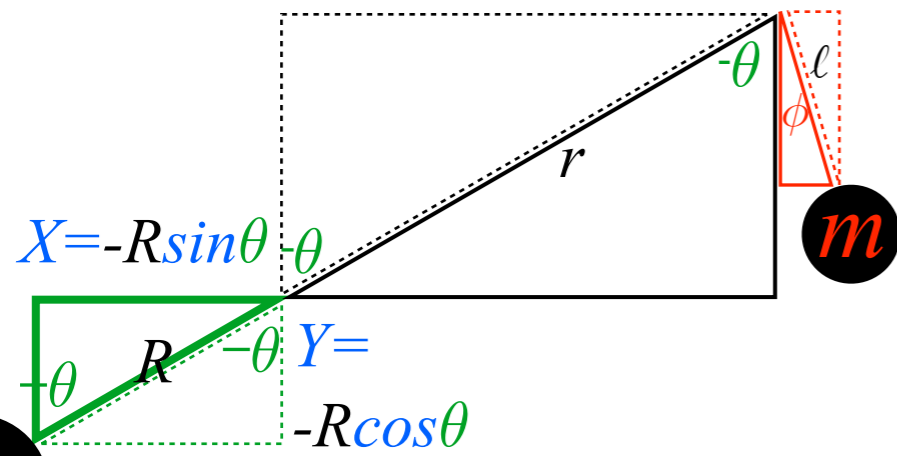
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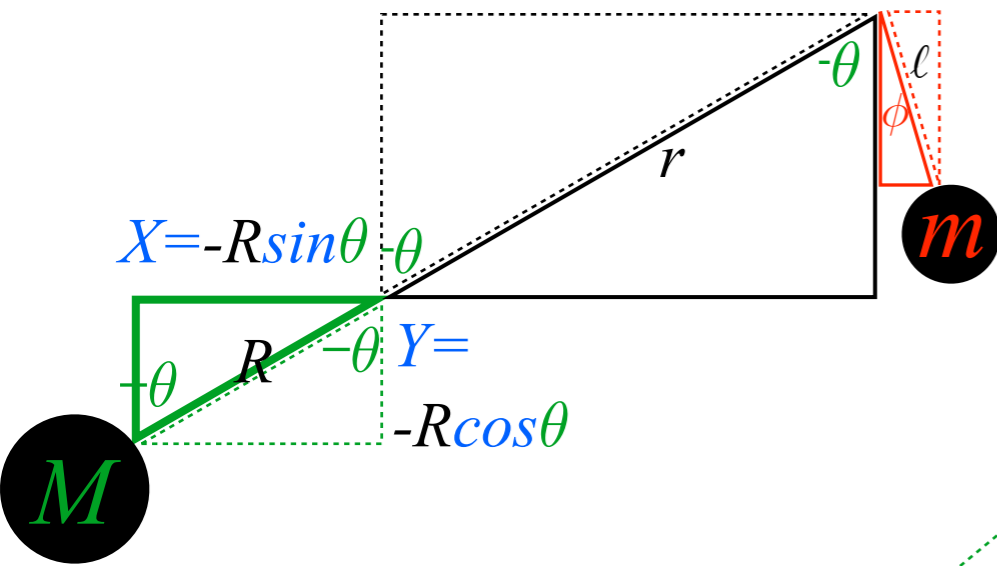
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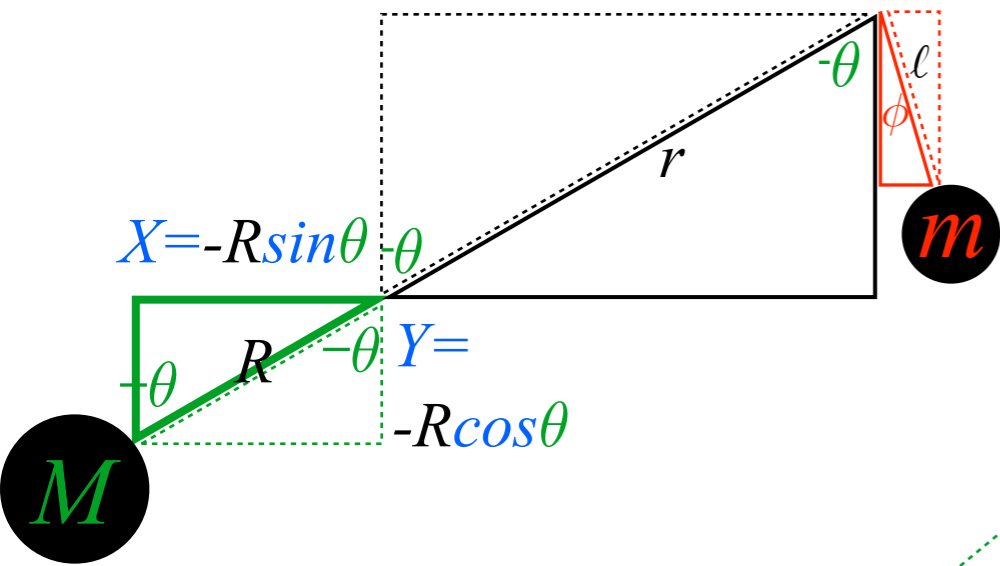
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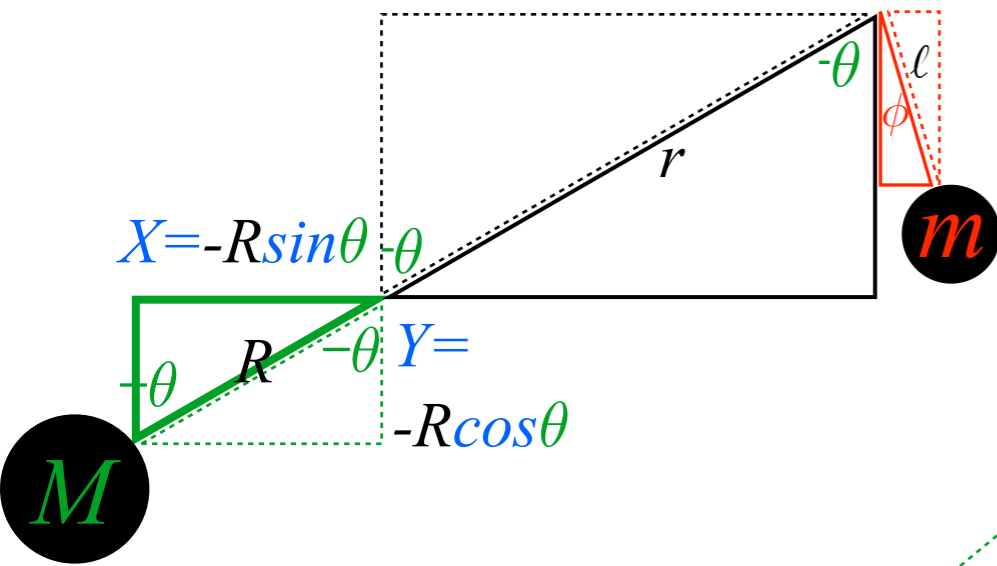
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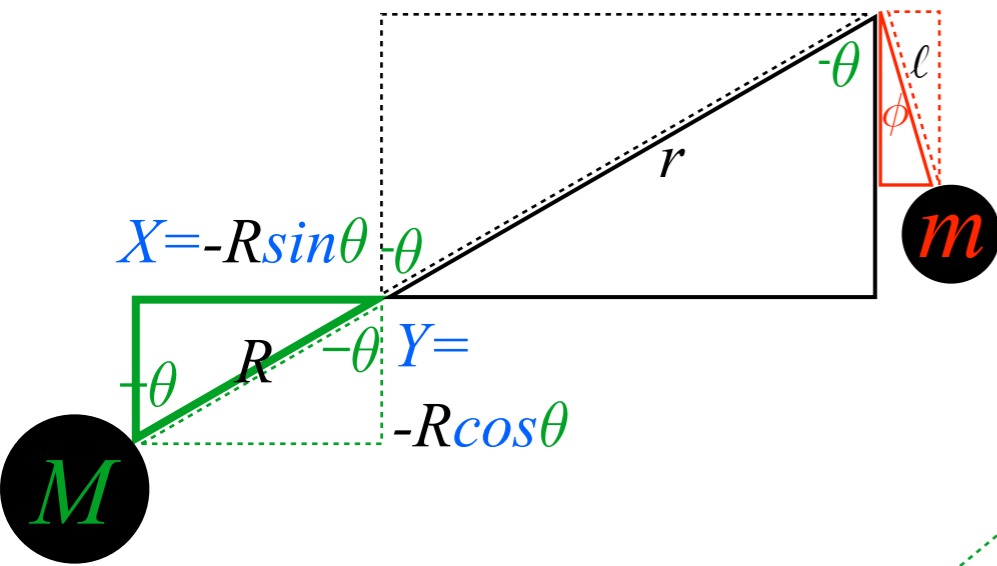
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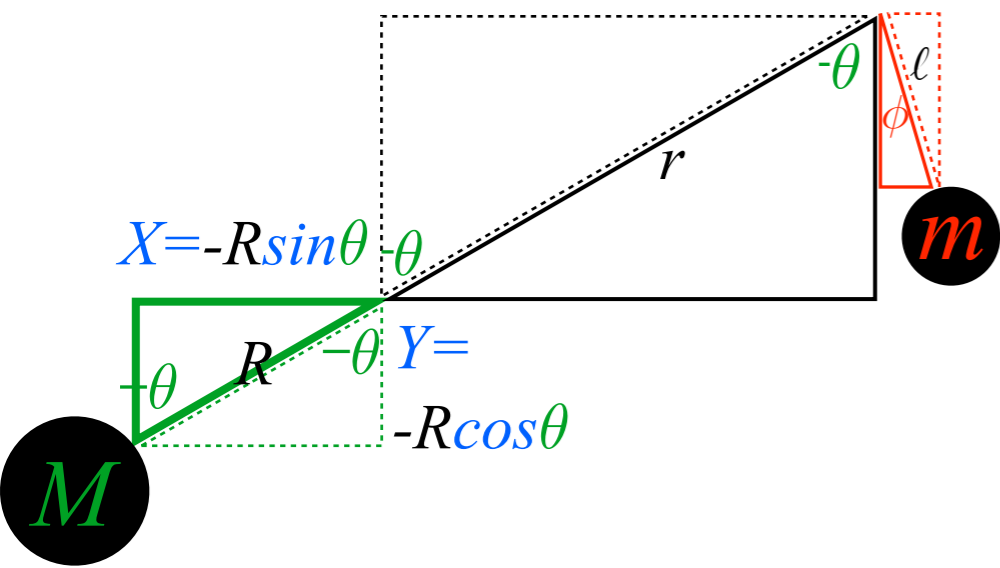
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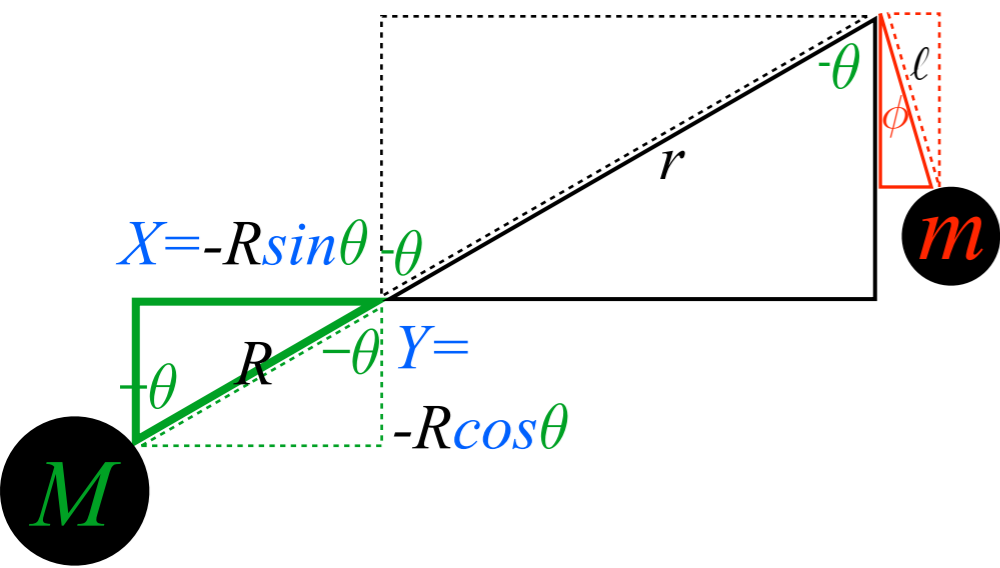
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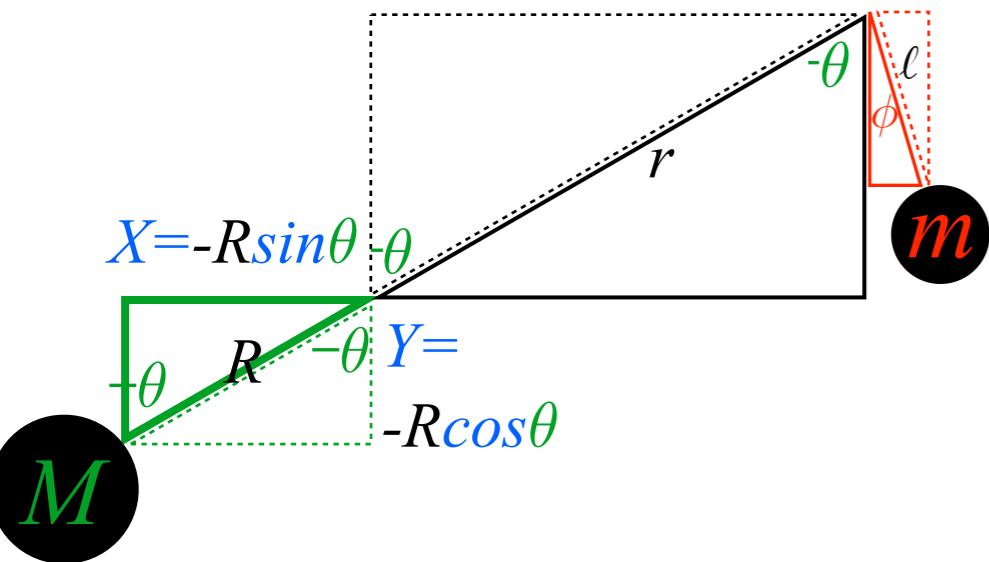
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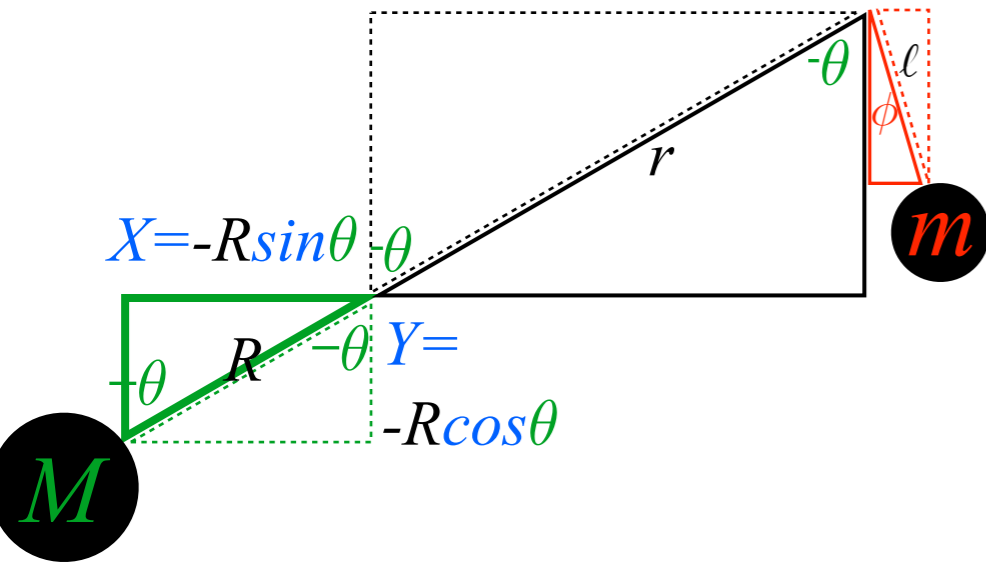
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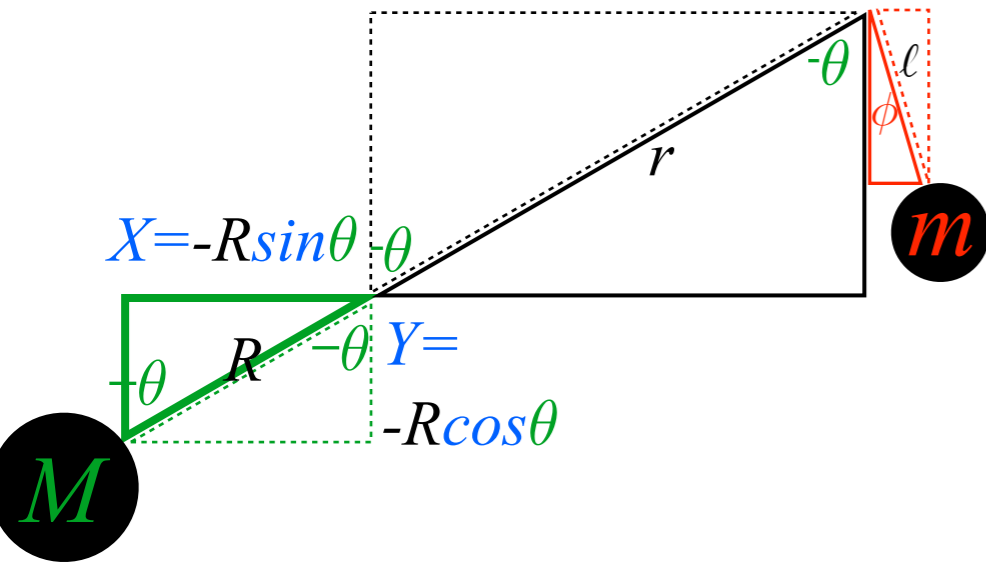
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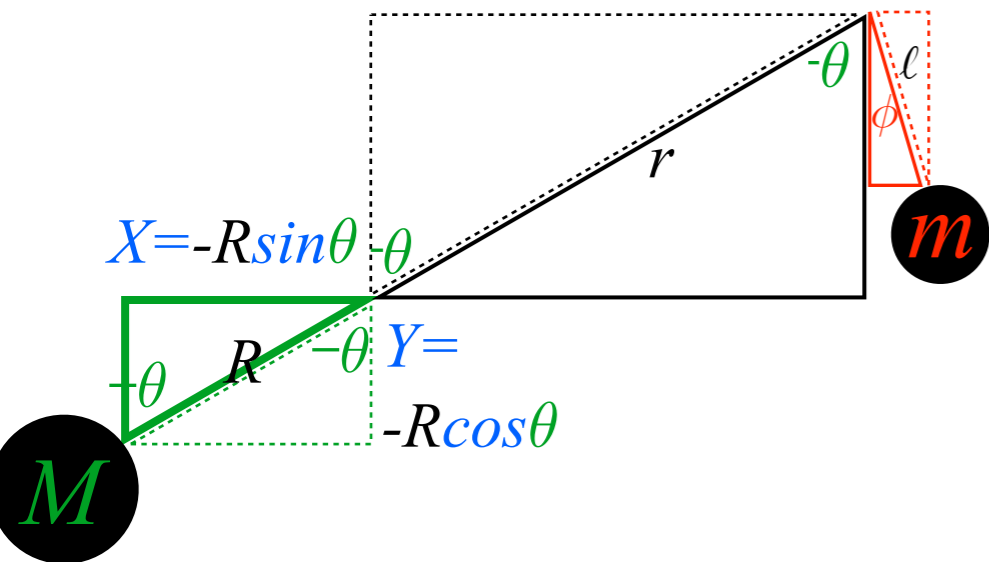
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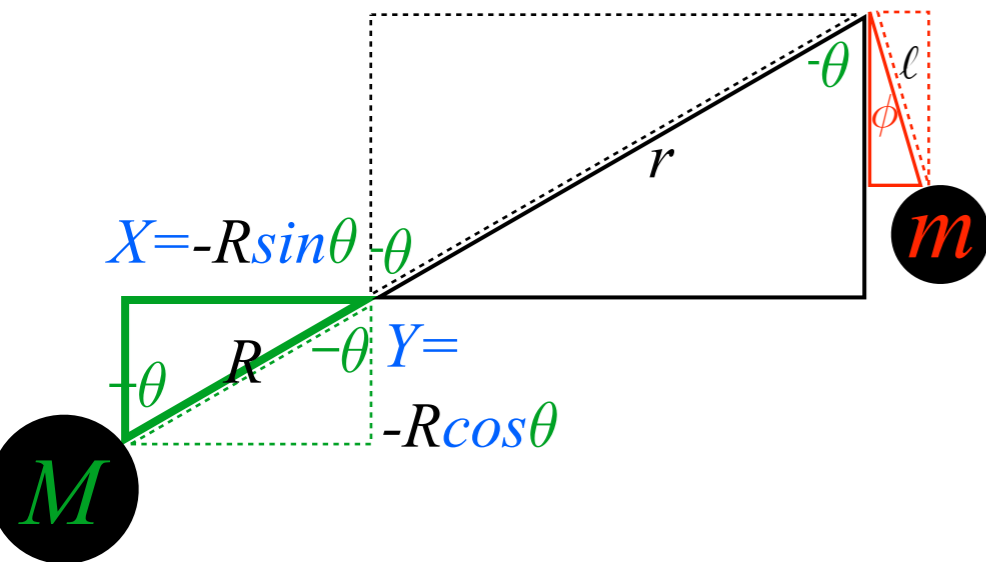
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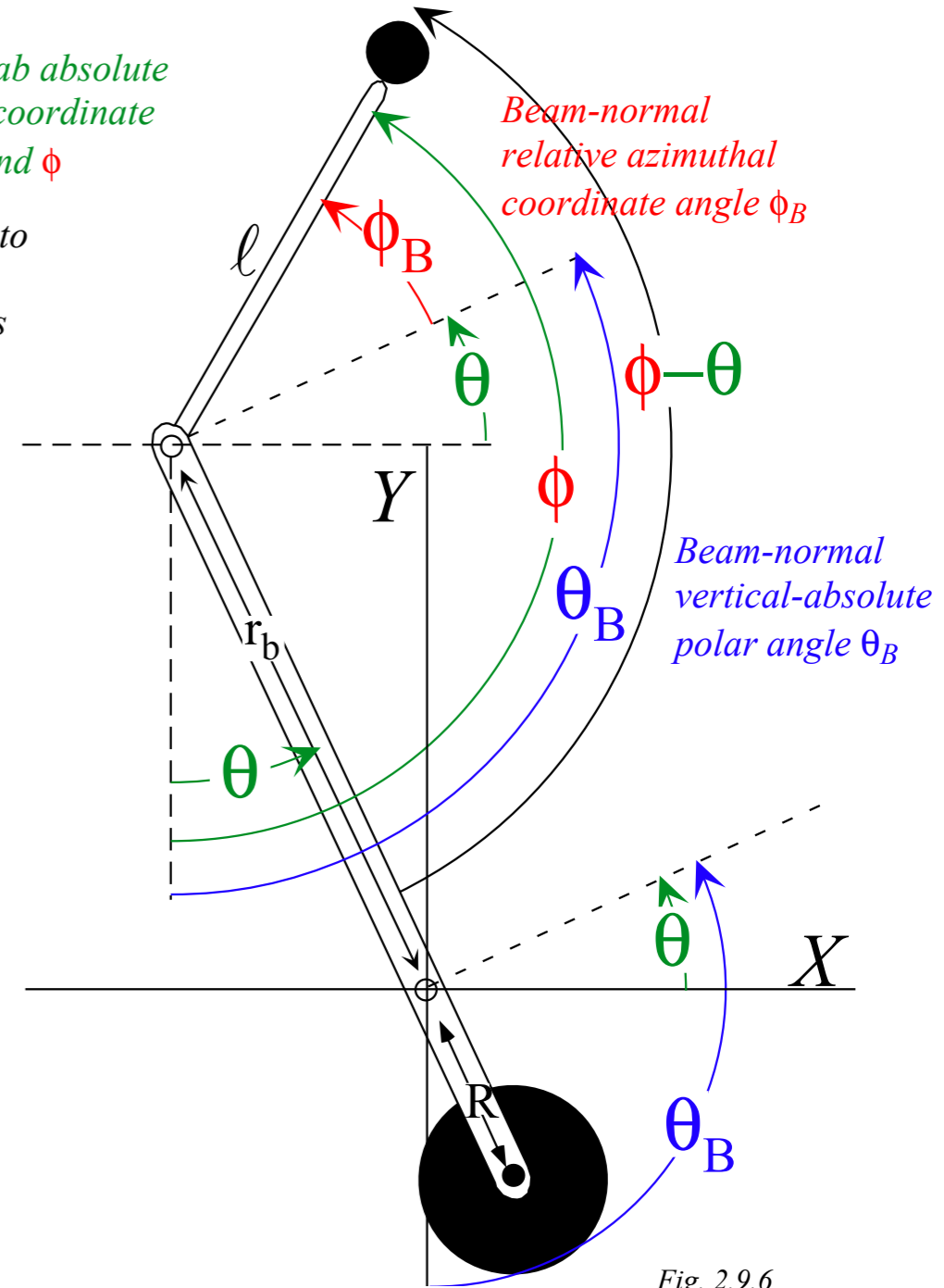


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Lemma-1 from Lect.9 p.13 used in Lect.14 p.63

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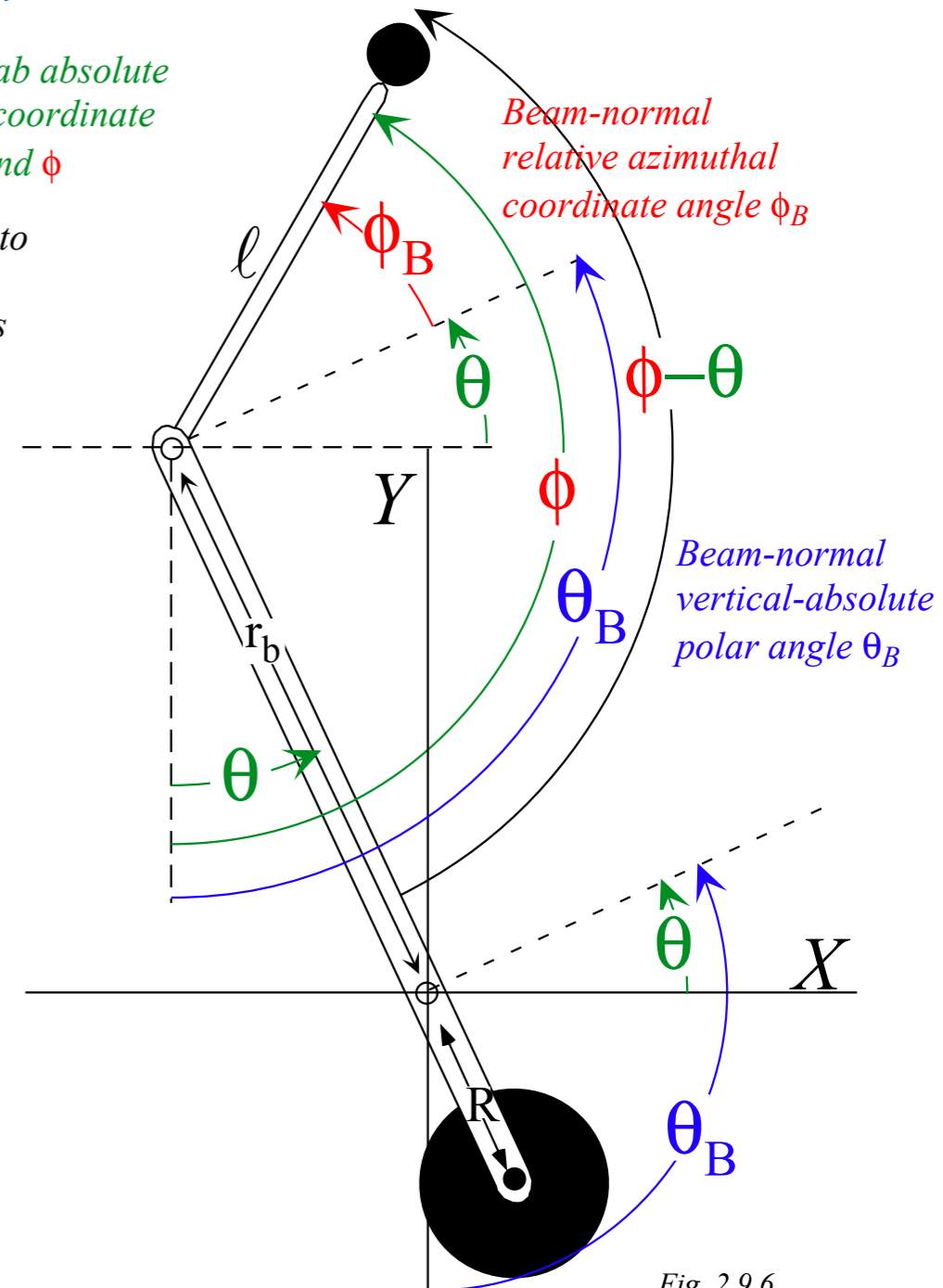


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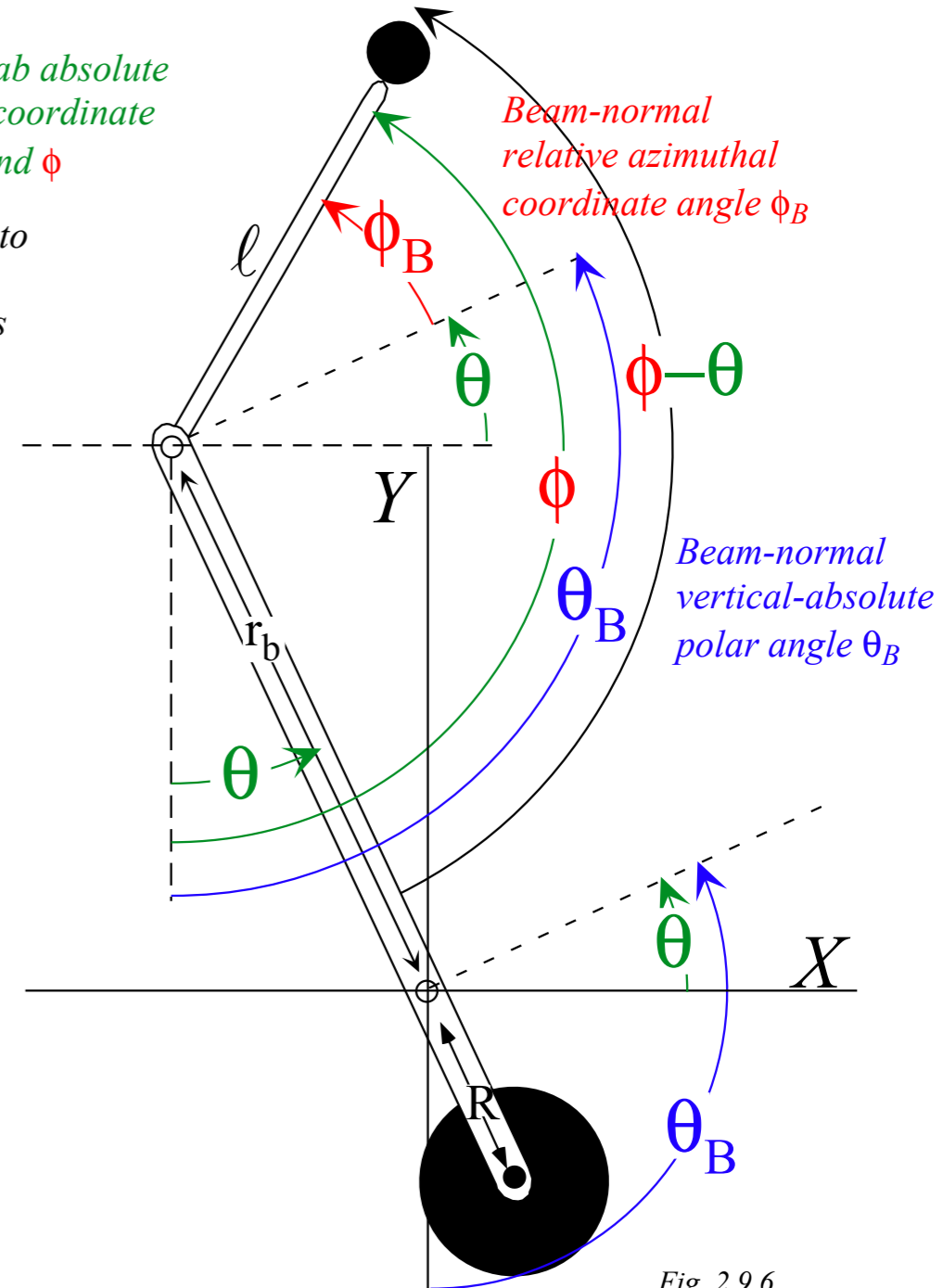


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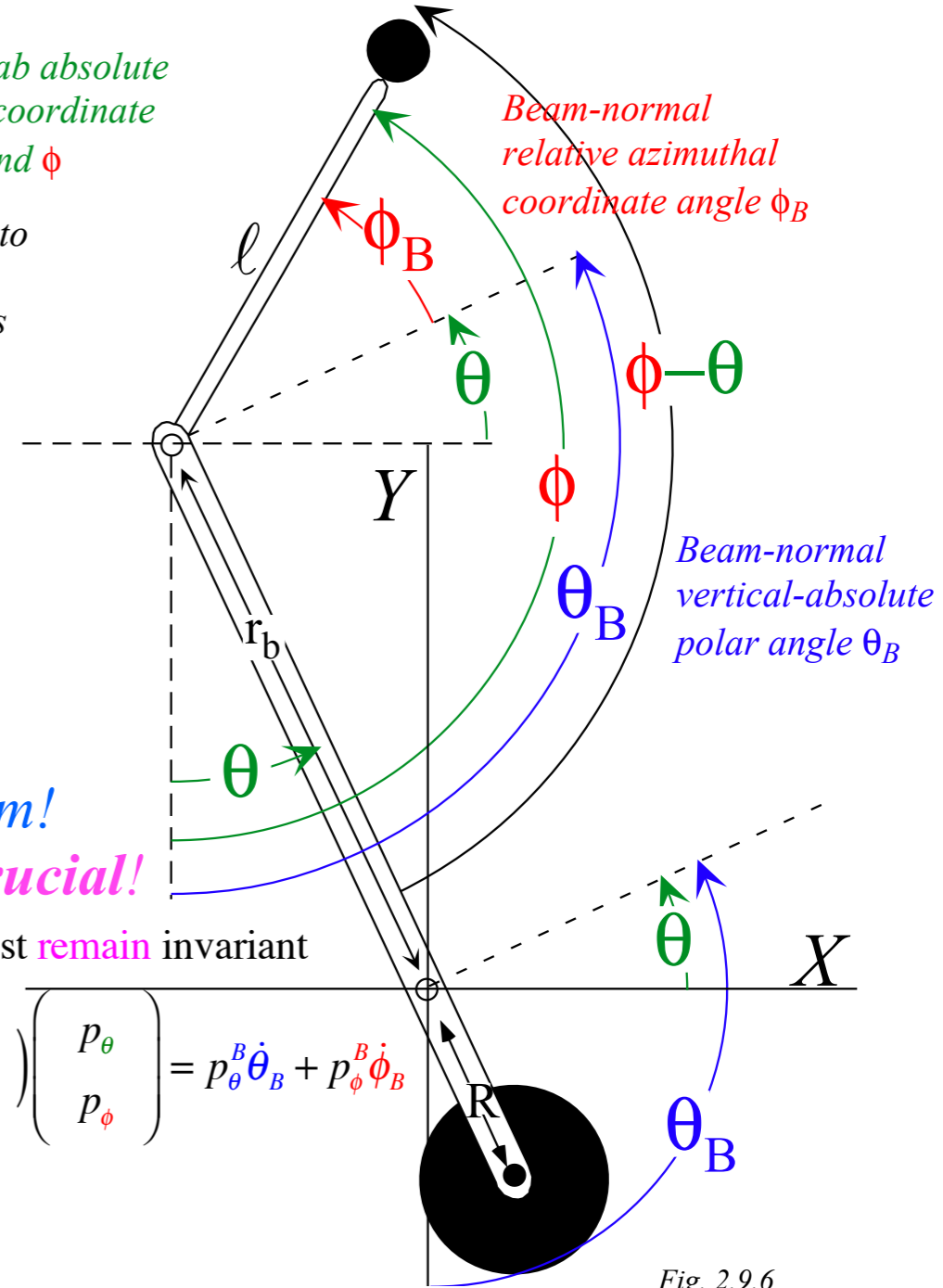


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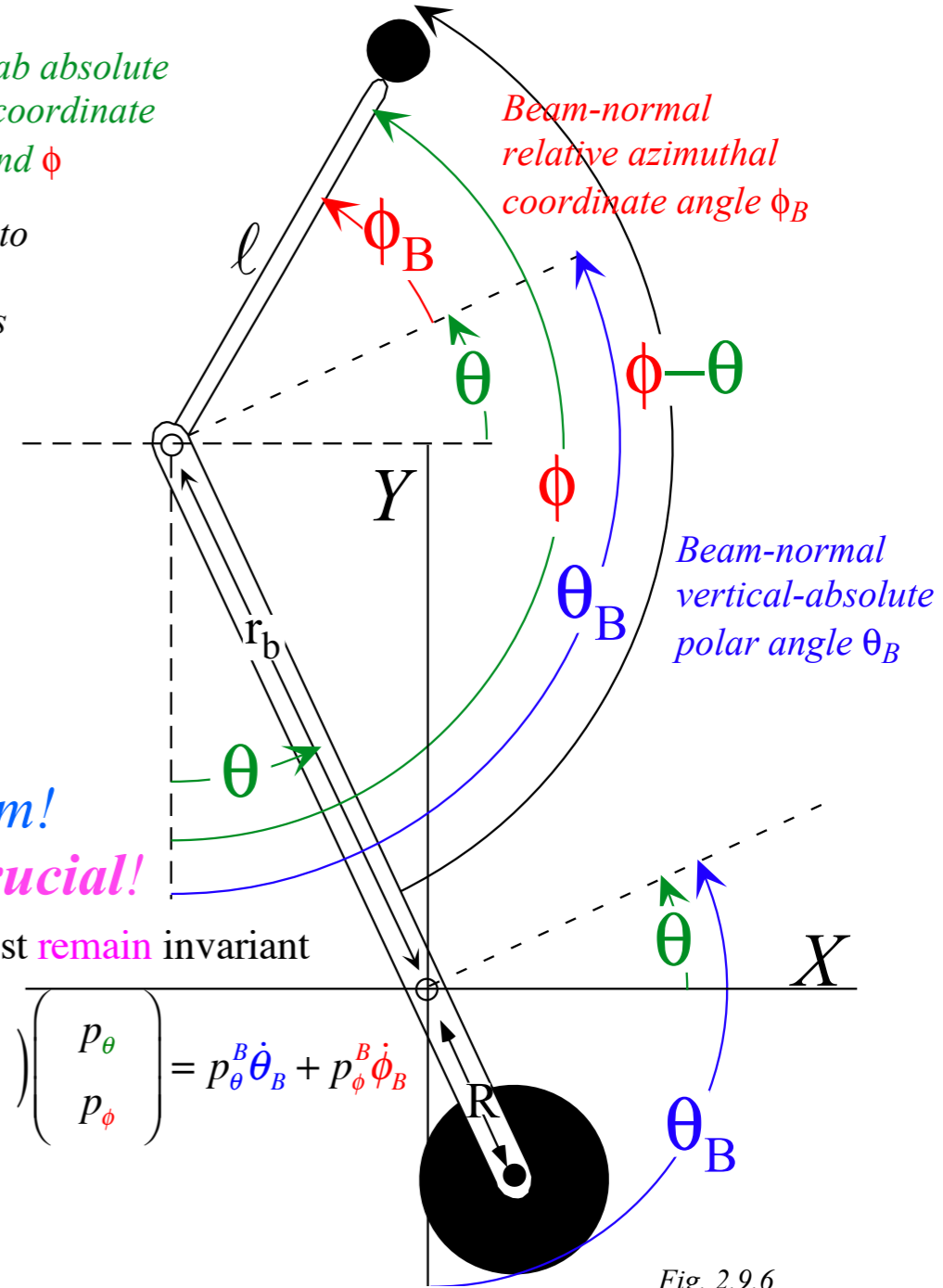


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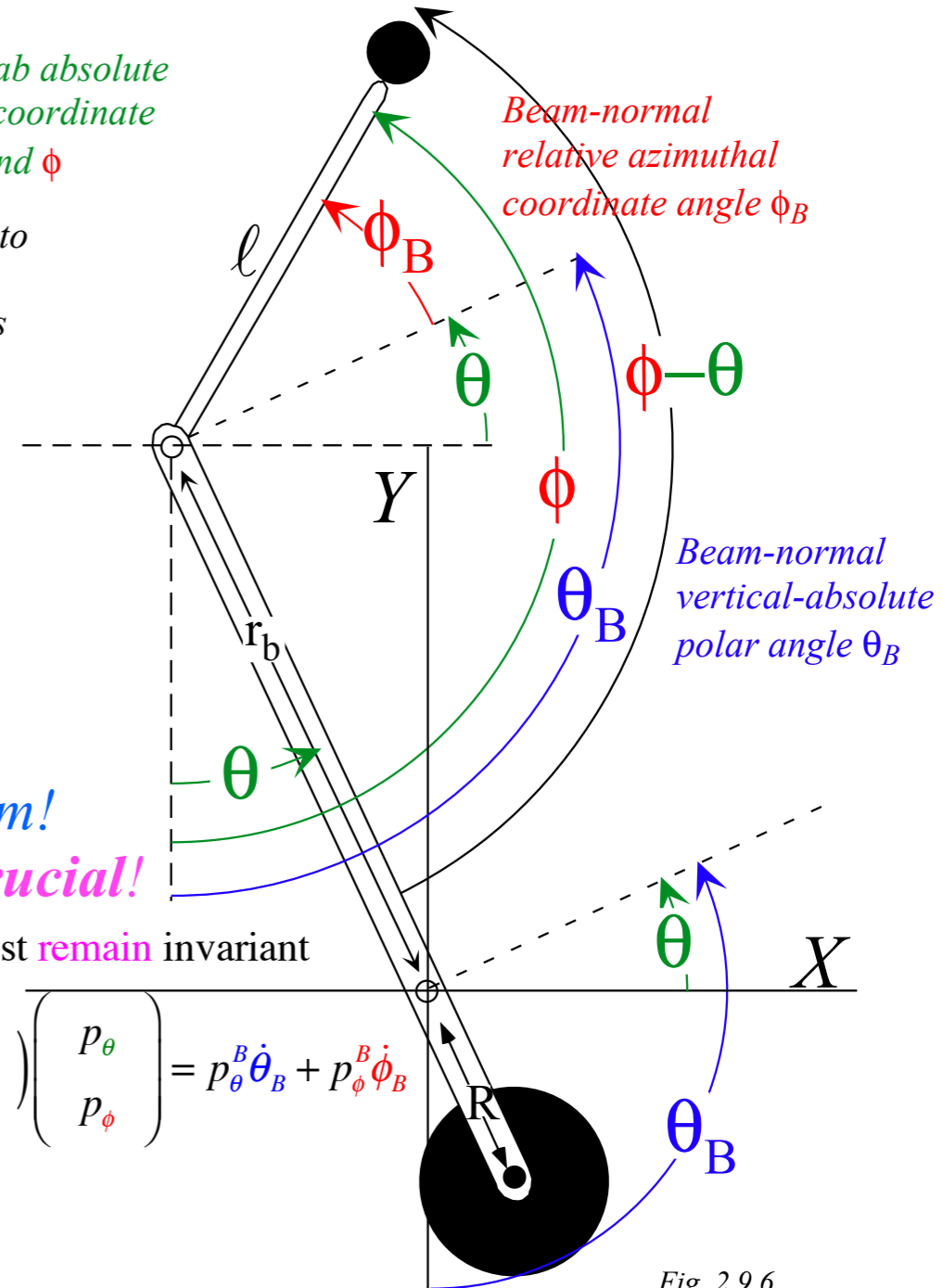


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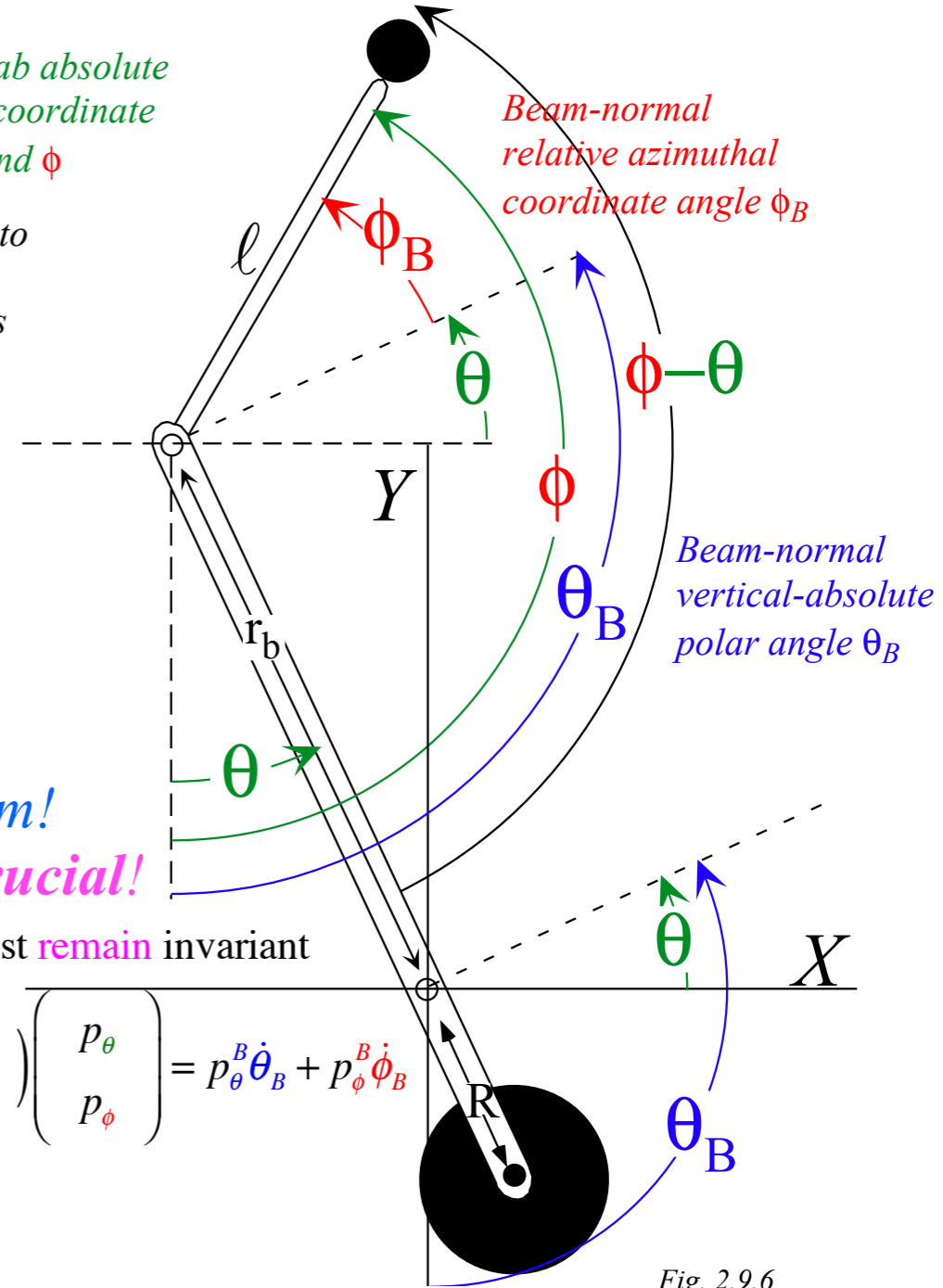


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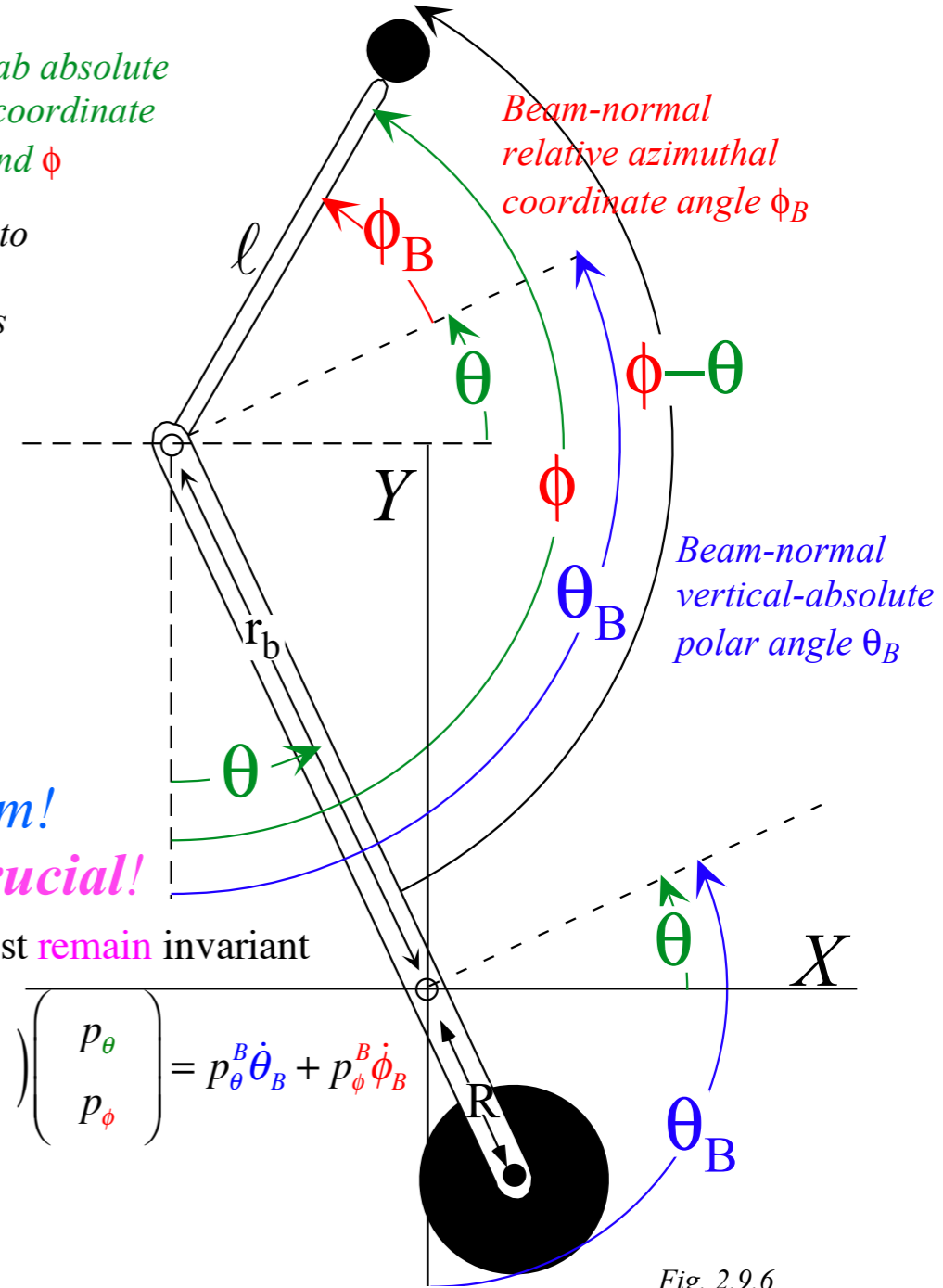


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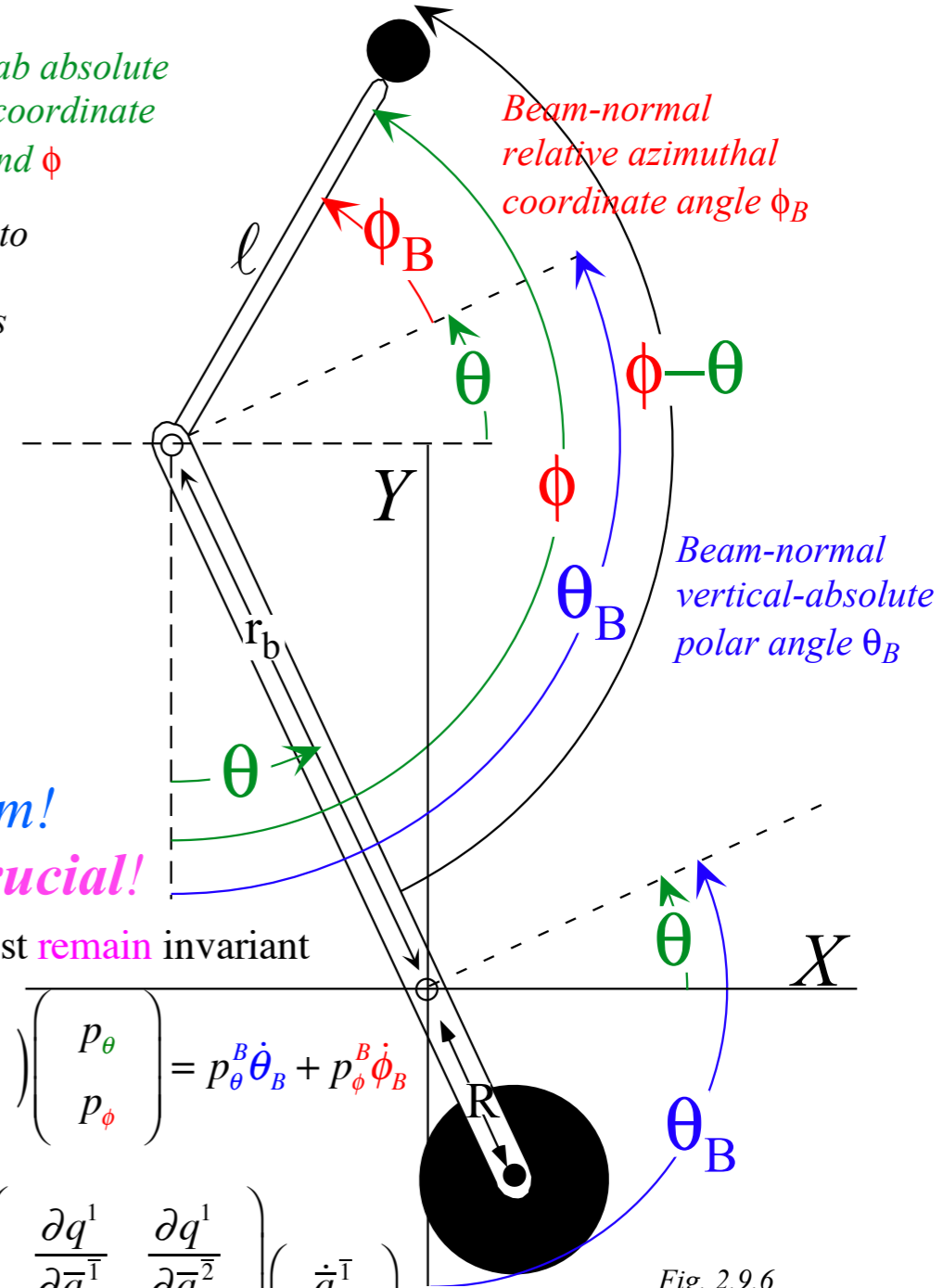


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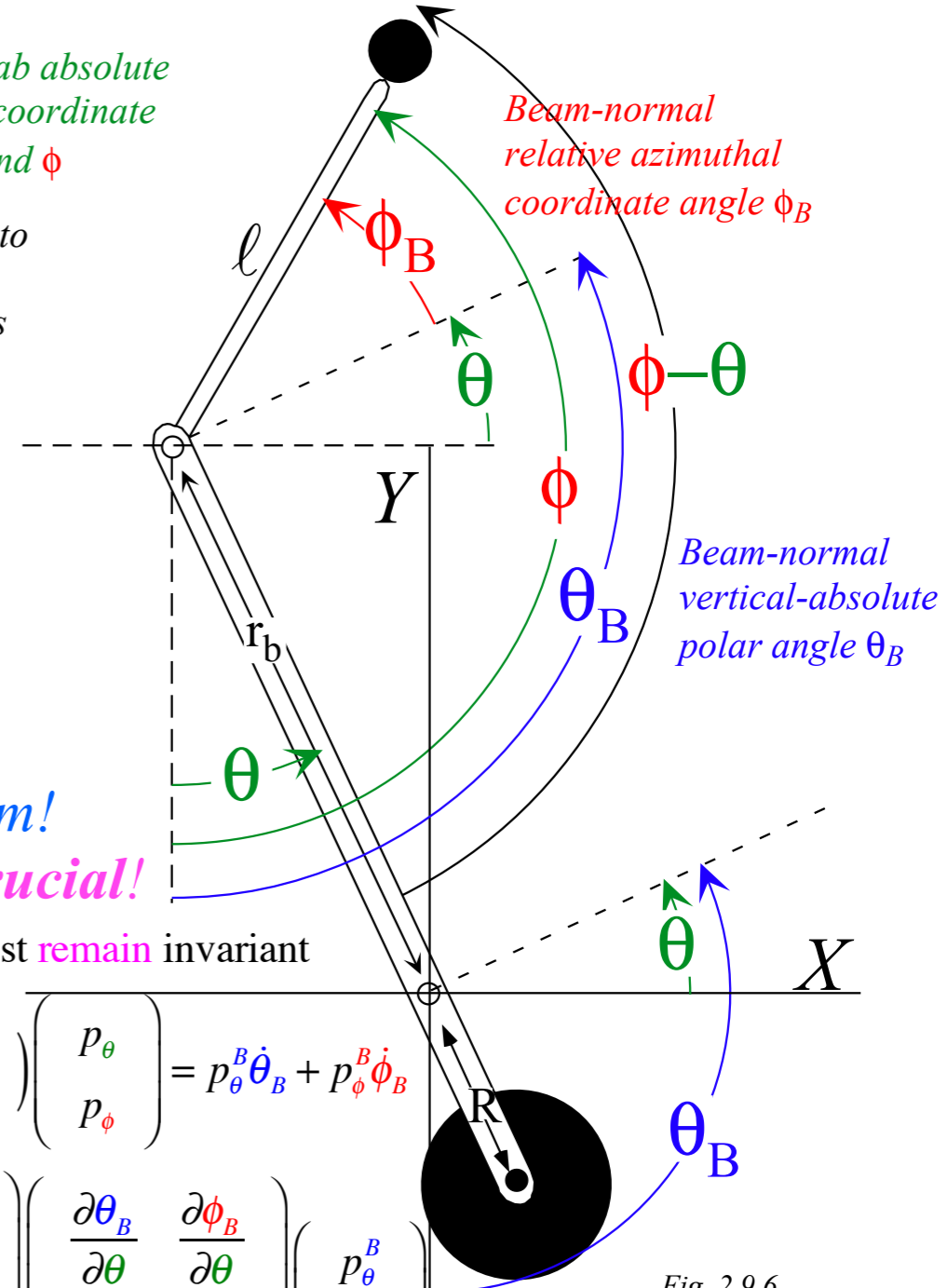
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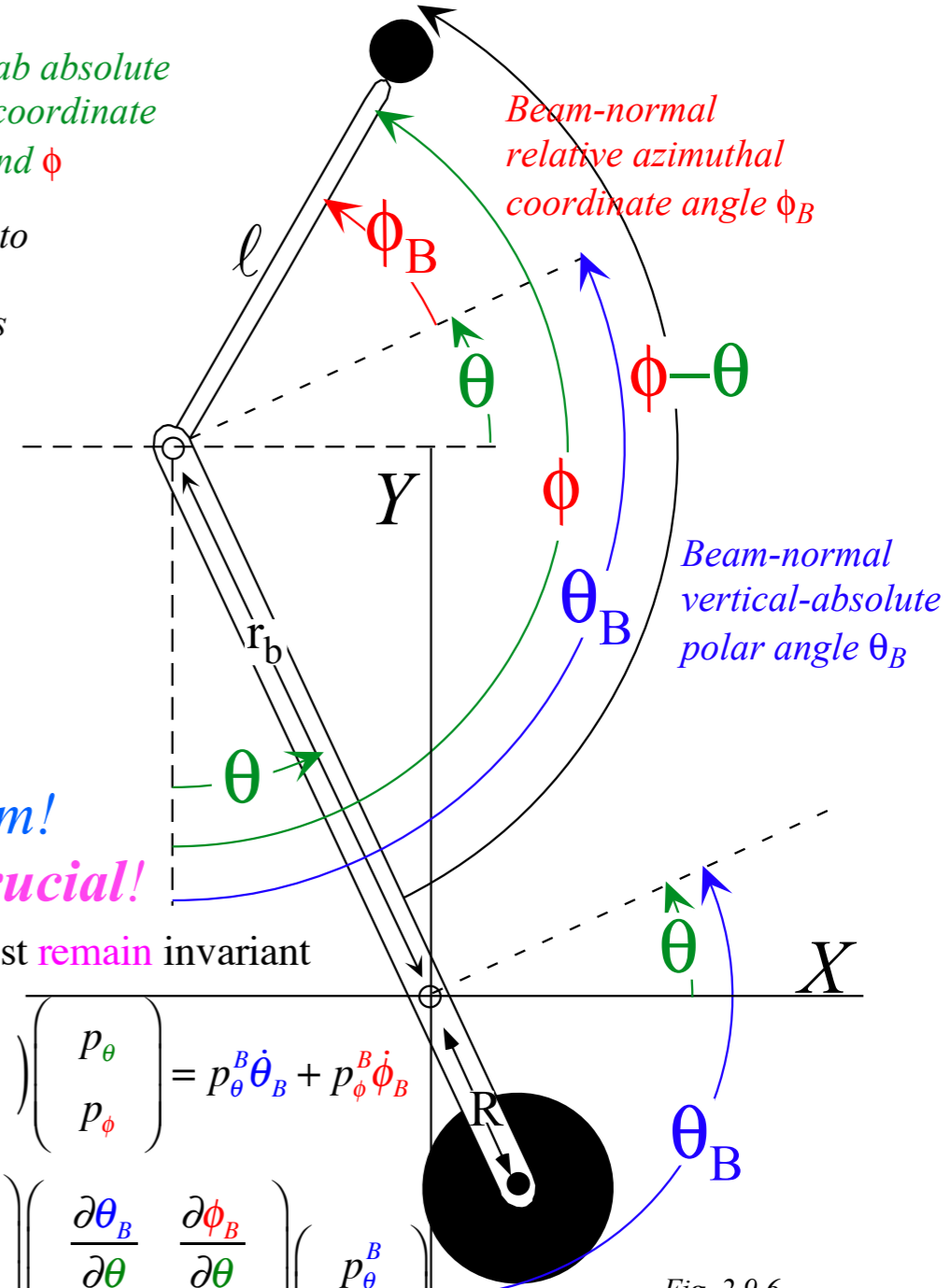


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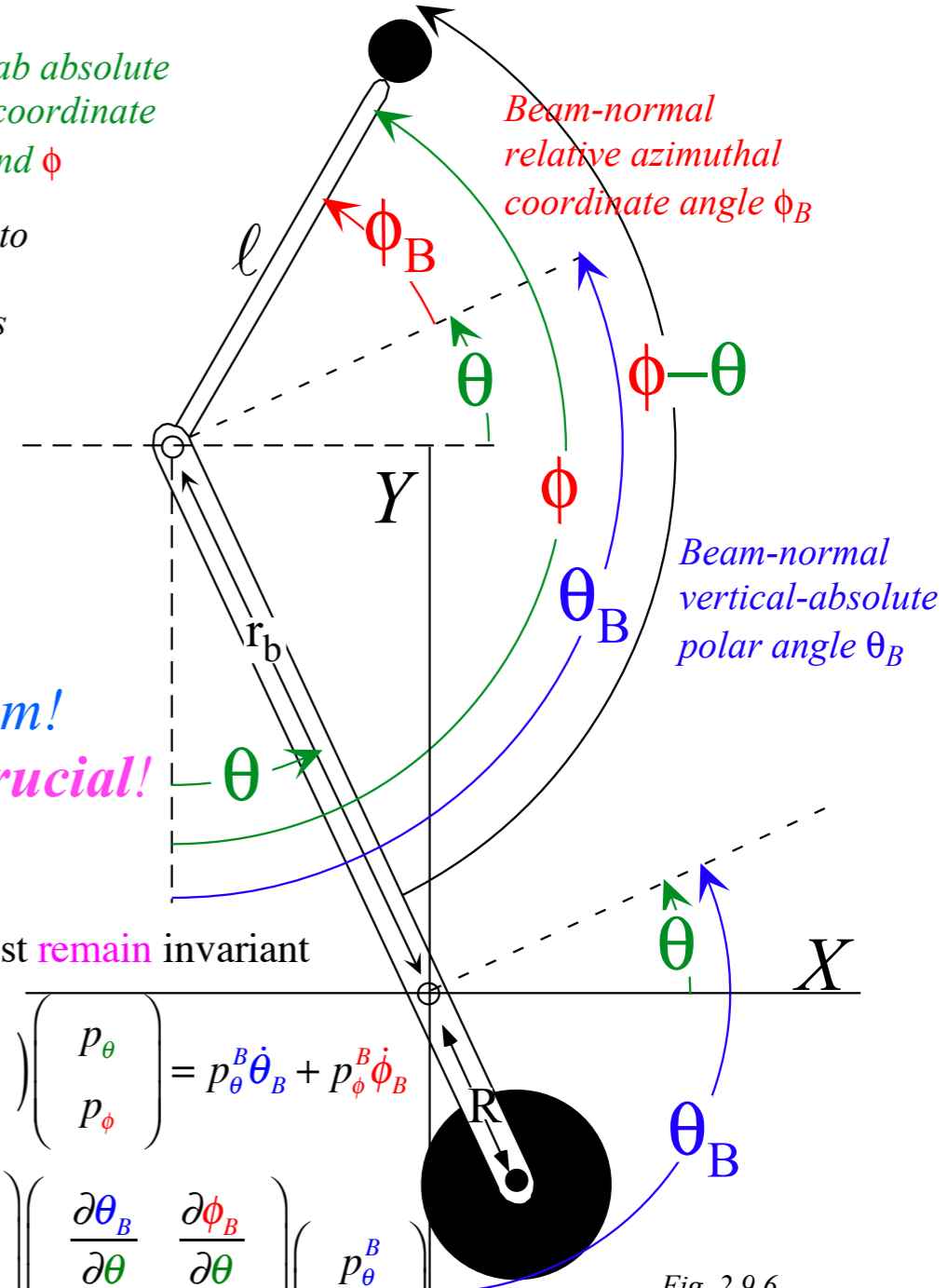
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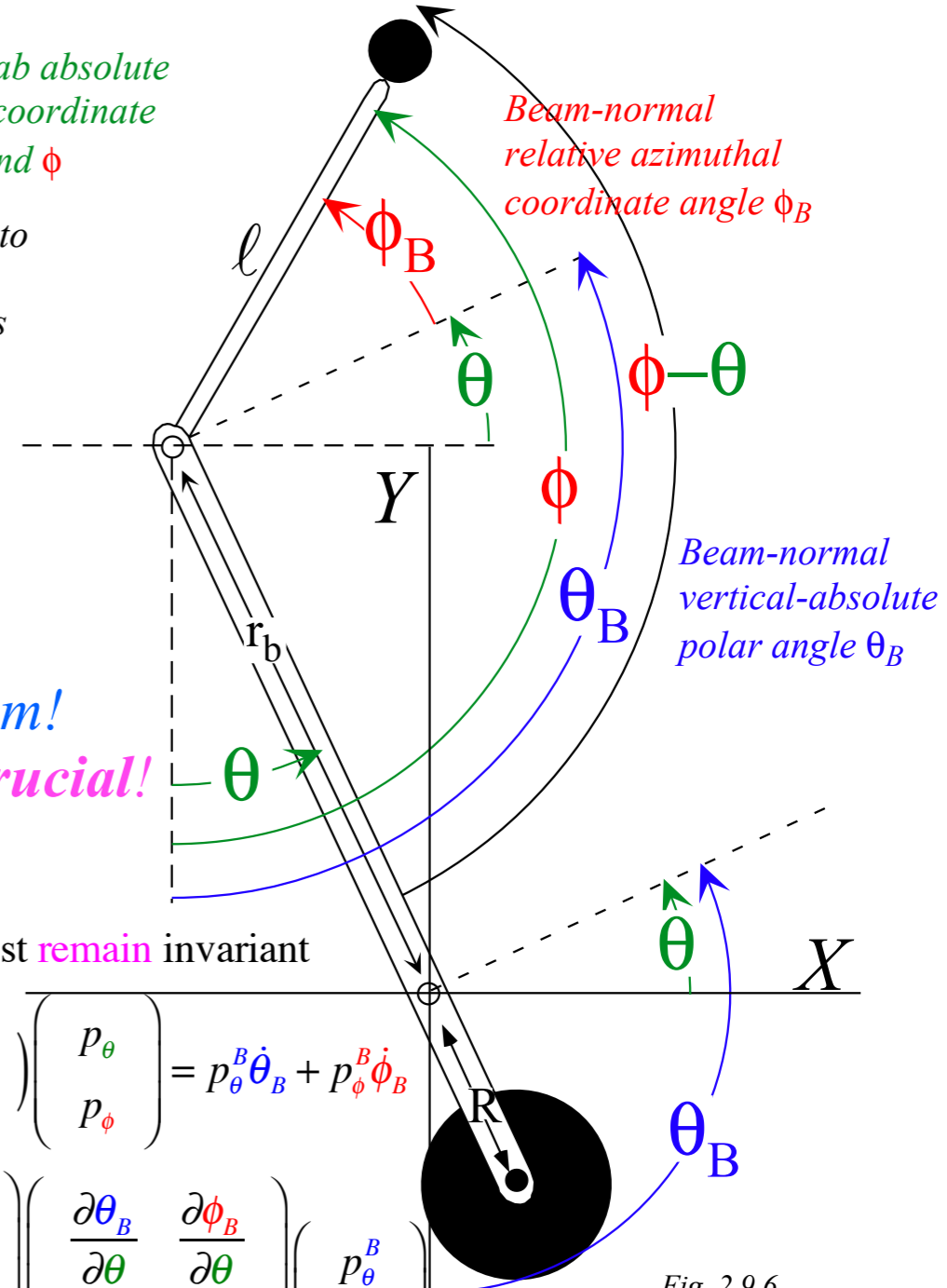
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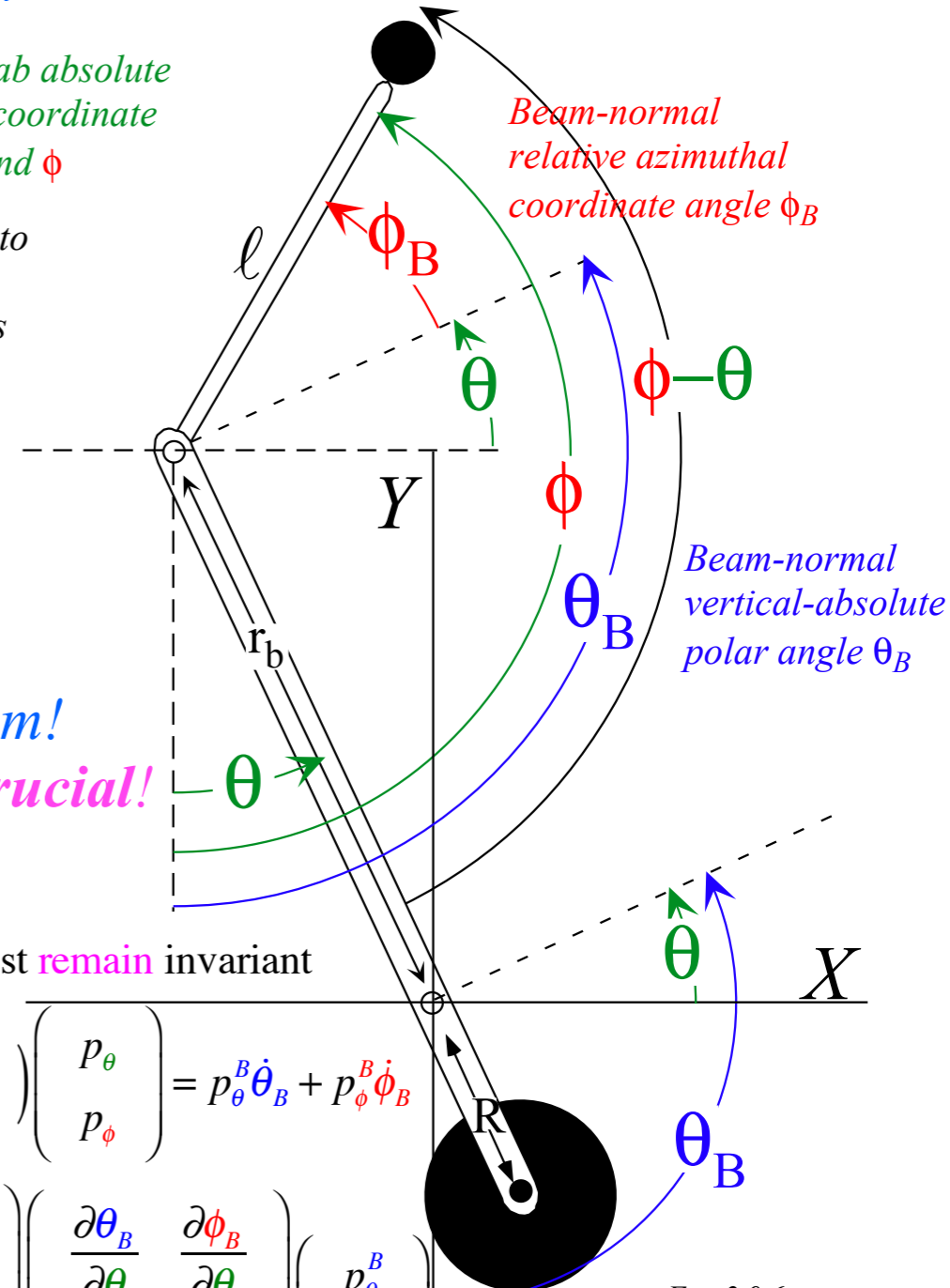
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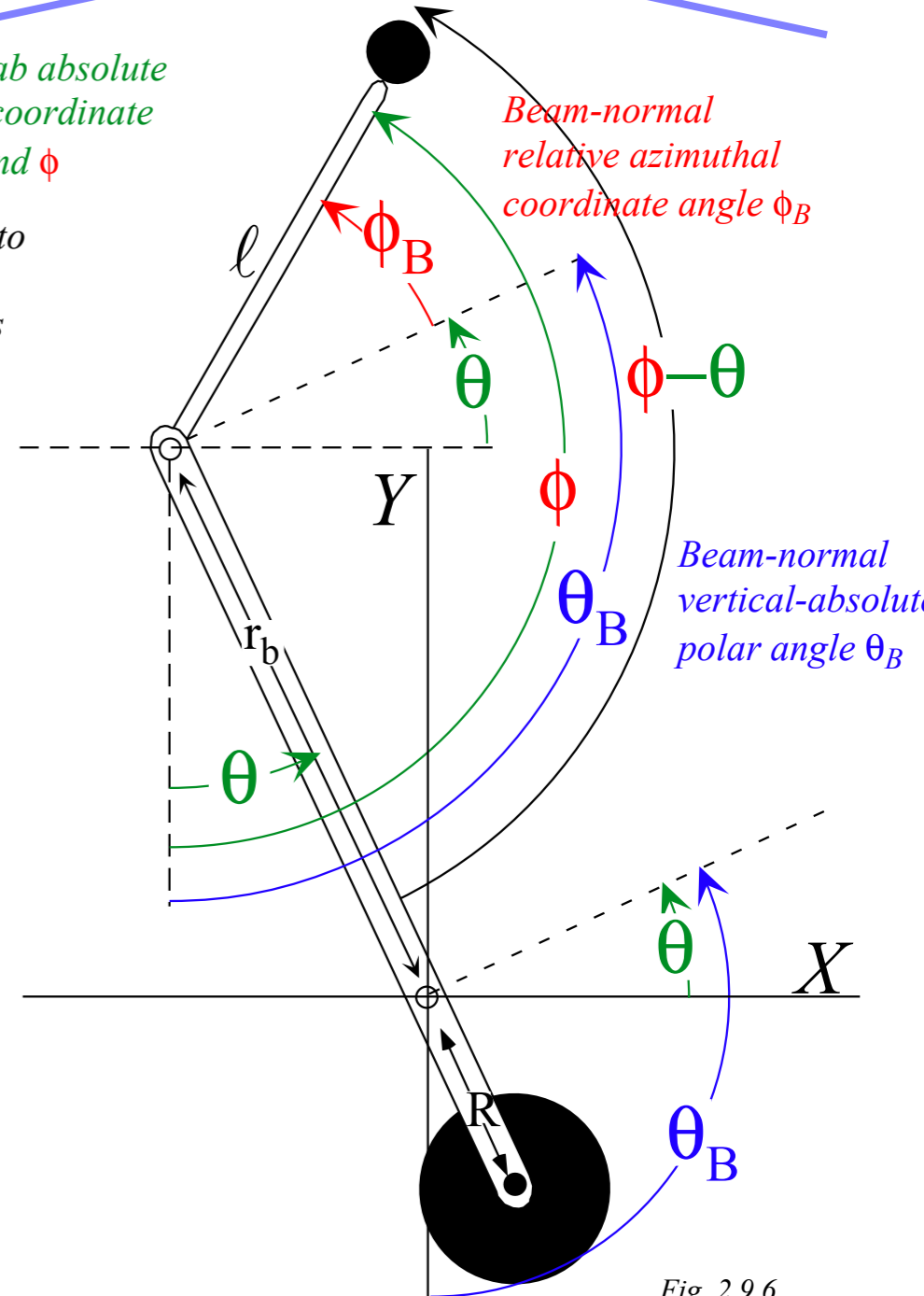


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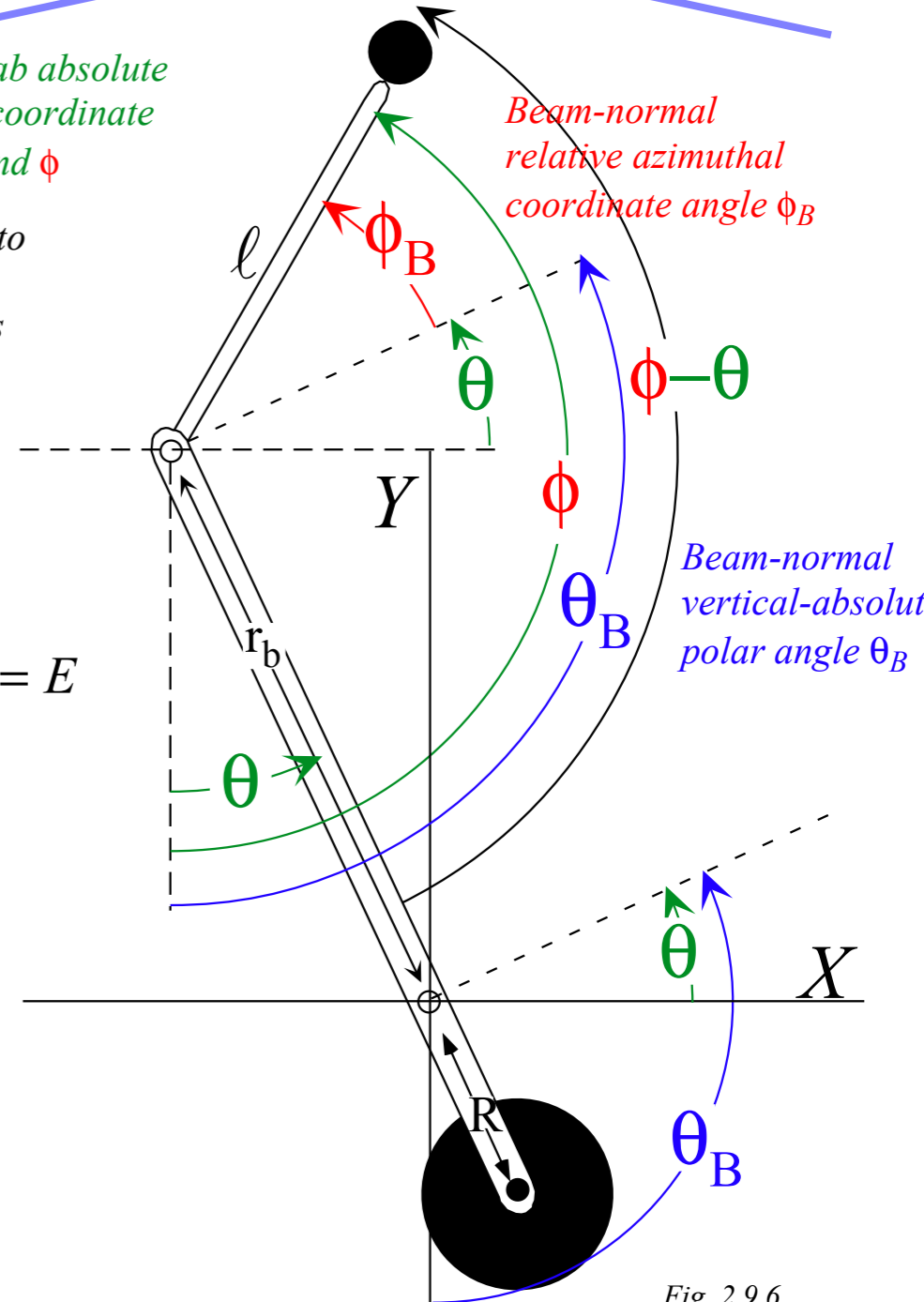


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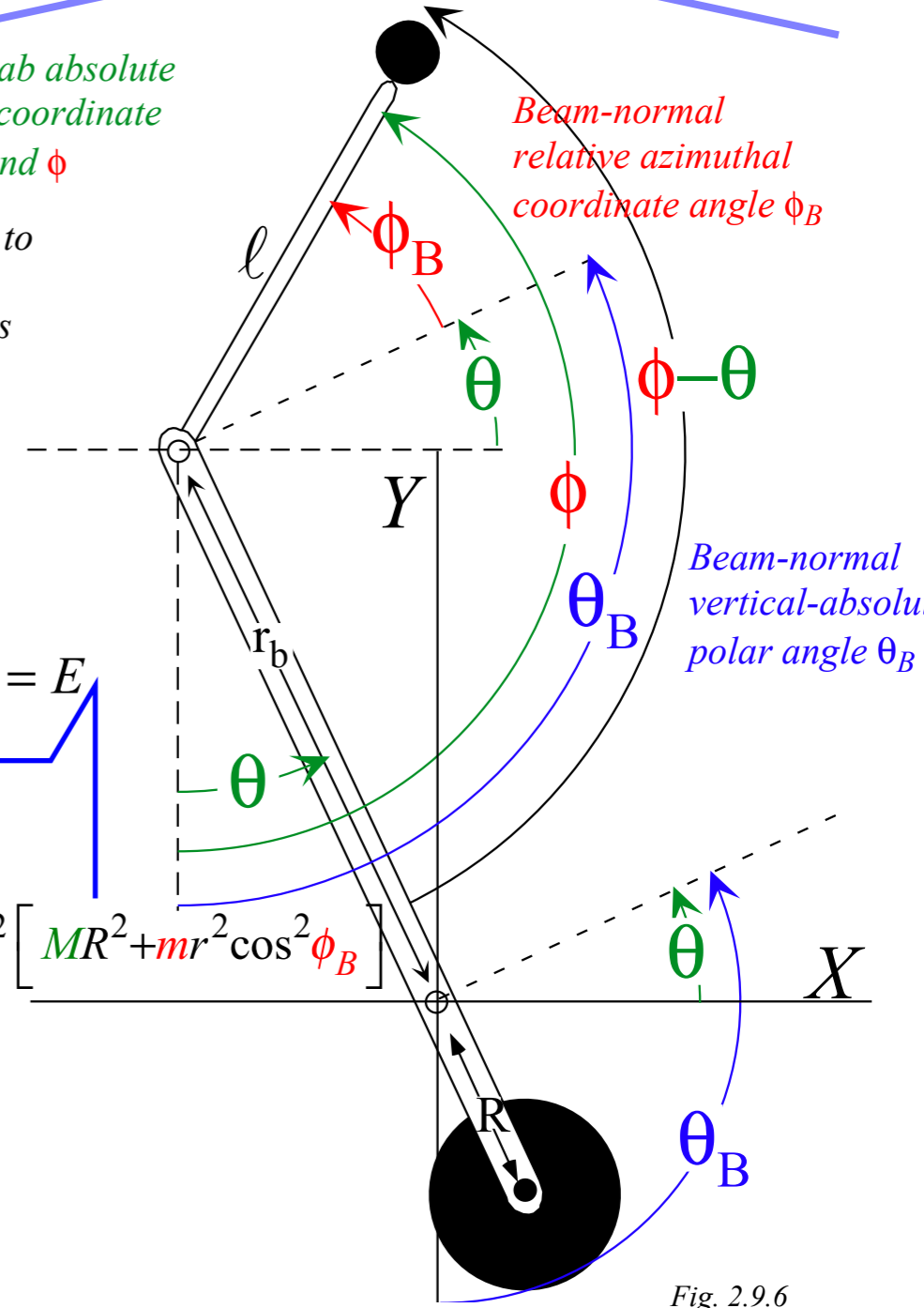


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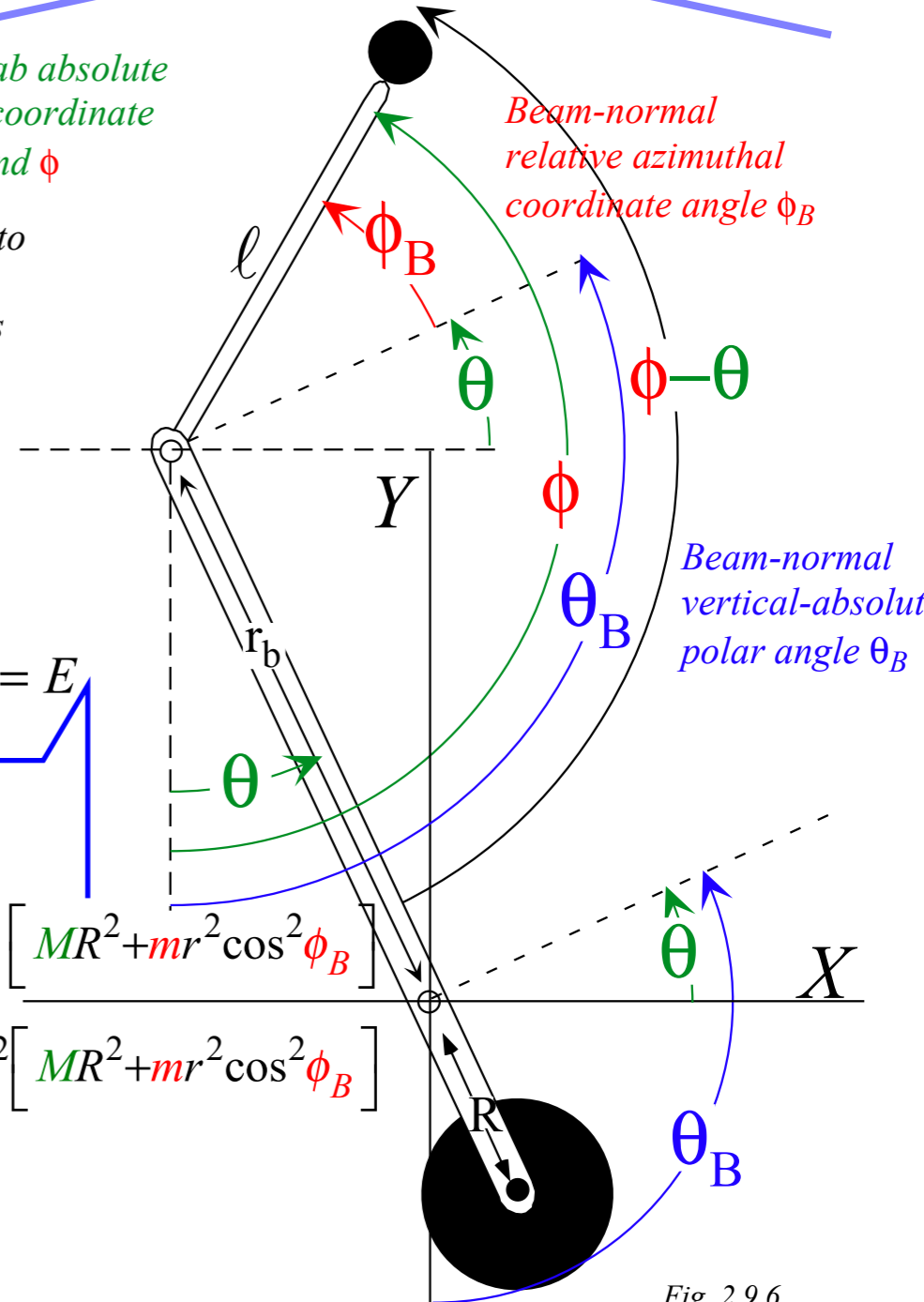


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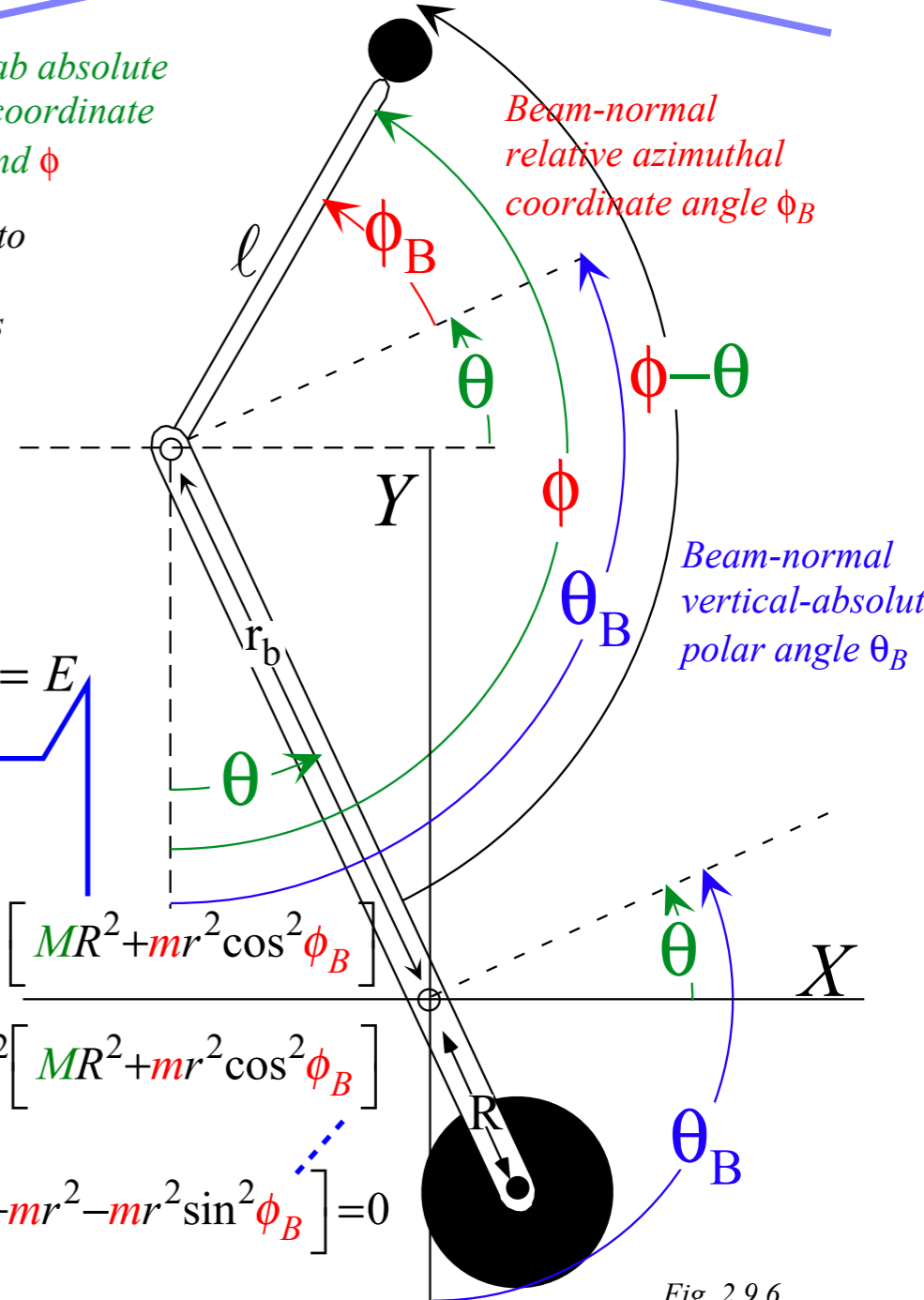


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$$\left( 1 + 2(r/\ell) \sin \phi_B + J \right) (p_\phi^B)^2 - 2\Lambda \left( (r/\ell) \sin \phi_B + 1 \right) (p_\phi^B) + \Lambda^2 - E \left[ I - mr^2 \sin^2 \phi_B \right] = 0$$

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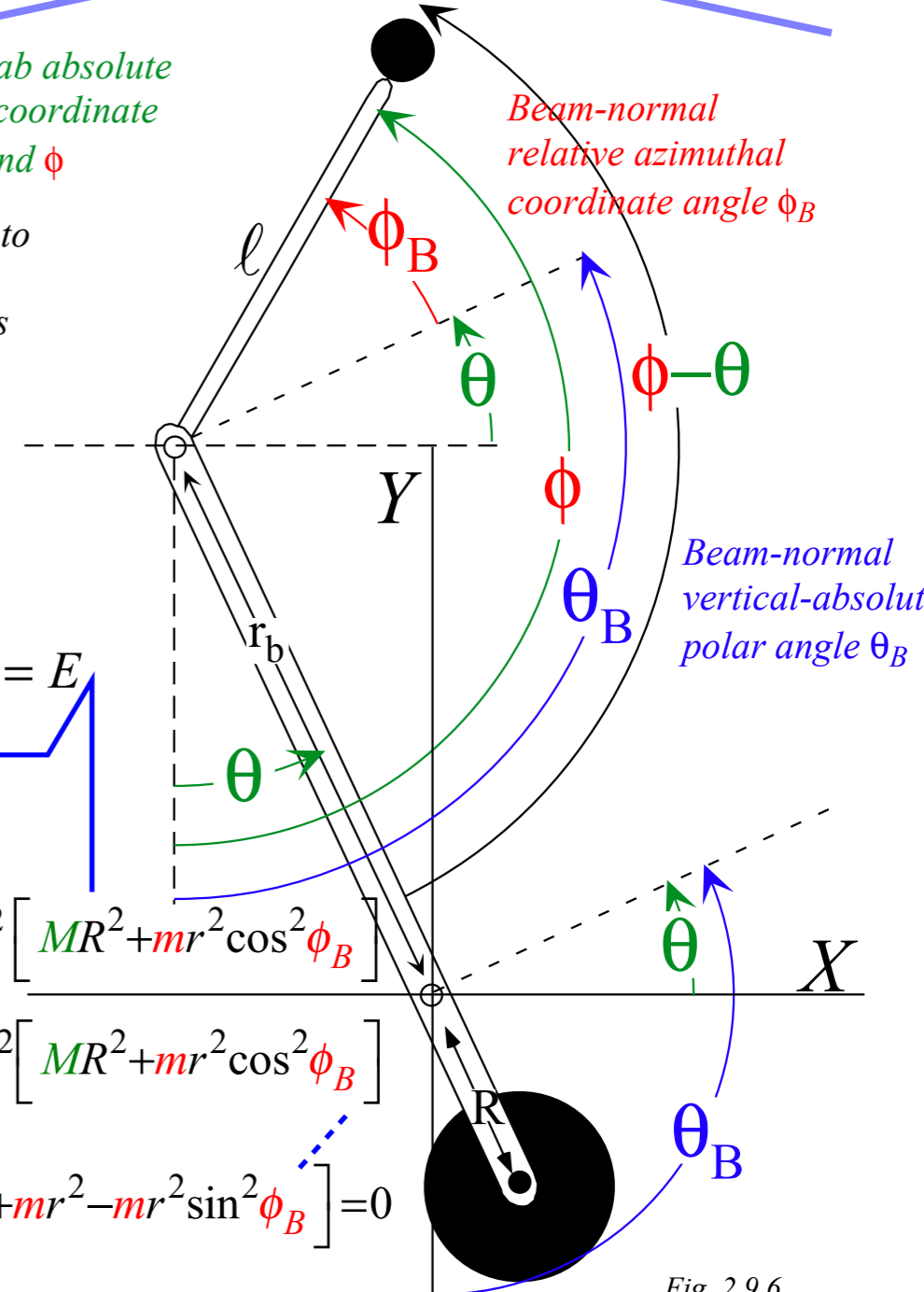


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$$H = \frac{m\ell^2 \left( p_\theta^B - p_\phi^B \right)^2 + \left( MR^2 + mr^2 \right) \left( p_\phi^B \right)^2 - 2mr\ell p_\phi^B \left( p_\theta^B - p_\phi^B \right) \sin \phi_B}{m\ell^2 \left[ MR^2 + mr^2 \cos^2 \phi_B \right]} - \left( MR - mr \right) g \sin \theta_B - mgl \cos \left( \phi_B + \theta_B \right)$$

(Assume zero-gravity)

For zero-gravity  $H$  is not a function of  $\theta_B$

so :  $\dot{p}_\theta^B = -\frac{\partial H}{\partial \theta_B} = 0$  and :  $p_\theta^B = \Lambda = \text{const.}$

$H$  is not an explicit function of  $t$  so :  $H = \text{const.} = E$

$$H = \frac{m\ell^2 \left( \Lambda - p_\phi^B \right)^2 + \left( MR^2 + mr^2 \right) \left( p_\phi^B \right)^2 - 2mr\ell p_\phi^B \left( \Lambda - p_\phi^B \right) \sin \phi_B}{m\ell^2 \left[ MR^2 + mr^2 \cos^2 \phi_B \right]} = \text{const.} = E$$

Rewrite  $H=E$  as a quadratic equation in  $p_\phi$  :

$$m\ell^2 \left( \Lambda^2 - 2\Lambda(p_\phi^B) + (p_\phi^B)^2 \right) + \left( MR^2 + mr^2 \right) (p_\phi^B)^2 - 2mr\ell(p_\phi^B) \left( \Lambda - p_\phi^B \right) \sin \phi_B = Em\ell^2 \left[ MR^2 + mr^2 \cos^2 \phi_B \right]$$

$$m\ell^2 \Lambda^2 - 2m\ell^2 \Lambda(p_\phi^B) + \left( m\ell^2 + 2mr\ell \sin \phi_B + MR^2 + mr^2 \right) (p_\phi^B)^2 - 2mr\ell \Lambda \sin \phi_B (p_\phi^B) = Em\ell^2 \left[ MR^2 + mr^2 \cos^2 \phi_B \right]$$

$$\left( m\ell^2 + 2mr\ell \sin \phi_B + MR^2 + mr^2 \right) (p_\phi^B)^2 - 2\Lambda \left( mr\ell \sin \phi_B + m\ell^2 \right) (p_\phi^B) + m\ell^2 \Lambda^2 - Em\ell^2 \left[ MR^2 + mr^2 - mr^2 \sin^2 \phi_B \right] = 0$$

$$\left( 1 + 2(r/\ell) \sin \phi_B + J \right) (p_\phi^B)^2 - 2\Lambda \left( (r/\ell) \sin \phi_B + 1 \right) (p_\phi^B) + \Lambda^2 - E \left[ I - mr^2 \sin^2 \phi_B \right] = 0 \quad \left( \text{using quadratic solution: } x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a} \right)$$

Throwing-momentum  $p_\phi^B$  is a function of beam-relative angle  $\phi_B$ , total  $E$ , and  $\Lambda = p_\theta^B$ .

$$p_\phi^B = \frac{2\Lambda \left( (r/\ell) \sin \phi_B + 1 \right) \pm \sqrt{4\Lambda^2 \left( (r/\ell) \sin \phi_B + 1 \right)^2 - 4 \left( 1 + 2(r/\ell) \sin \phi_B + J \right) \left( \Lambda^2 - E \left[ I - mr^2 \sin^2 \phi_B \right] \right)}}{2 \left( 1 + 2(r/\ell) \sin \phi_B + J \right)} \quad \text{with: } J = \frac{MR^2 + mr^2}{m\ell^2}, \quad I = MR^2 + mr^2$$

Previous lab absolute trebuchet coordinate angles  $\theta$  and  $\phi$

compared to

new angles  $\theta_B$  and  $\phi_B$ .

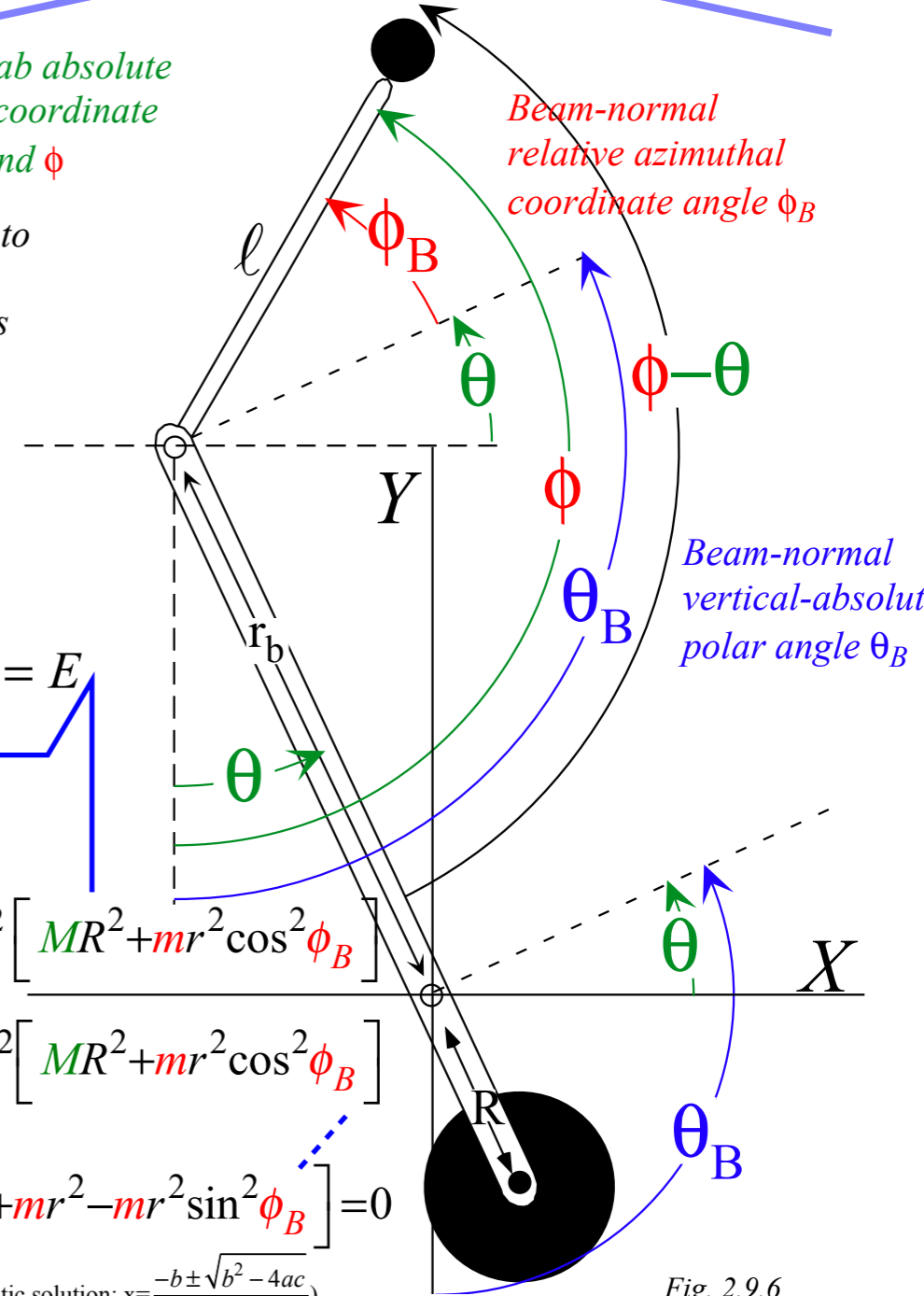


Fig. 2.9.6

Lab  $(\theta, \phi)$  and beam-normal  $(\theta_B, \phi_B)$  relative coordinates for trebuchet.

(Each value is positive.)

*Hamiltonian energy and momentum conservation and symmetry coordinates*

*Coordinate transformation helps reduce symmetric Hamiltonian*

*Free-space trebuchet kinematics by symmetry*

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# Free-space trebuchet kinematics by symmetry: Direct approach and Superball analogy

## Energy for zero-gravity

$$\text{Total KE} = T = \frac{1}{2} \left[ (MR^2 + mr^2) \dot{\theta}^2 - 2mrl \cos(\theta - \phi) \dot{\theta} \dot{\phi} + m\ell^2 \dot{\phi}^2 \right]$$

$$p_{\theta} = \frac{\partial T}{\partial \dot{\theta}} = (MR^2 + mr^2) \dot{\theta} - mrl \dot{\phi} \cos(\theta - \phi)$$

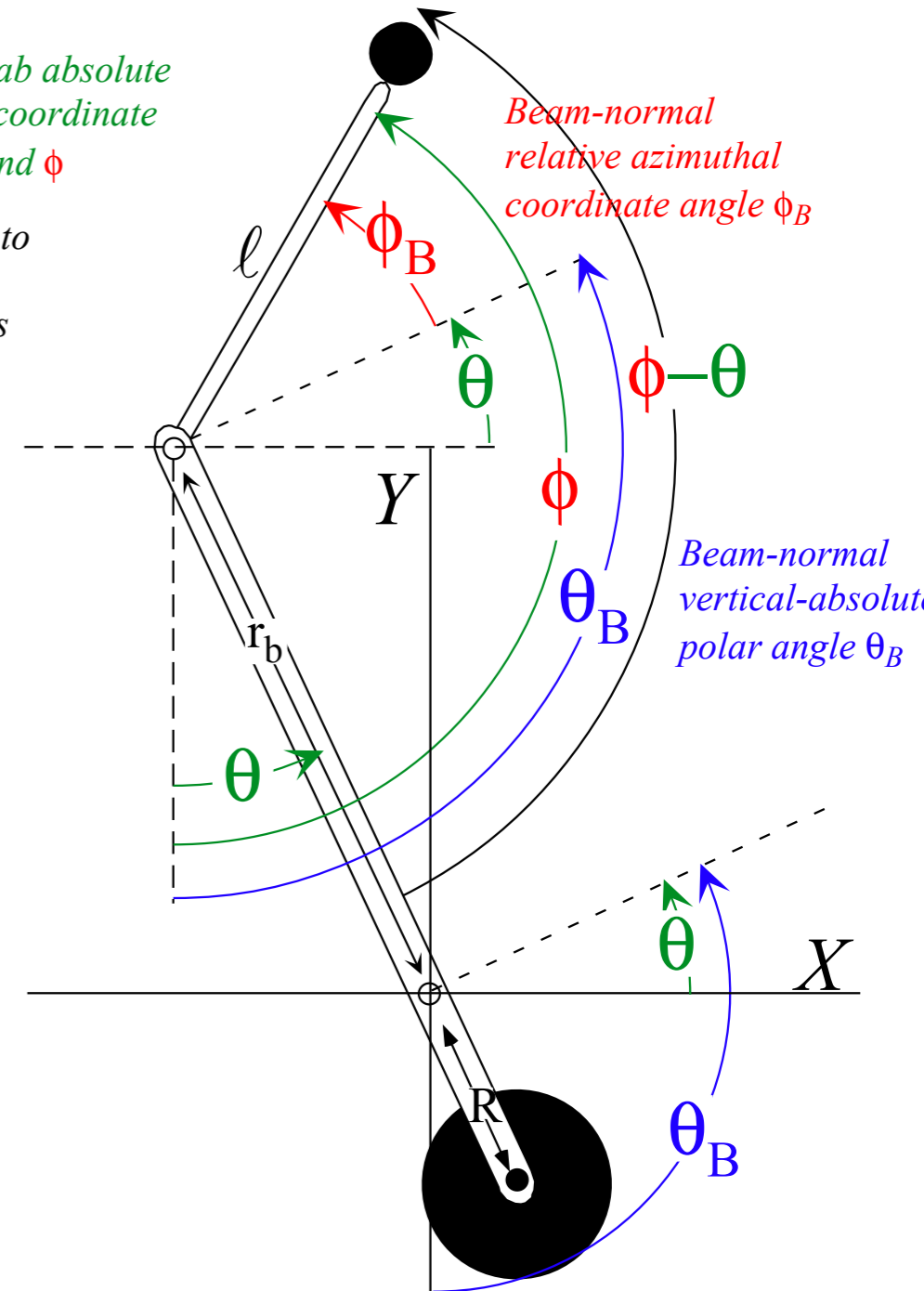
$$p_{\phi} = \frac{\partial T}{\partial \dot{\phi}} = m\ell^2 \dot{\phi} - mrl \dot{\theta} \cos(\theta - \phi)$$

(Assume zero-gravity)

Previous lab absolute trebuchet coordinate angles  $\theta$  and  $\phi$

compared to

new angles  $\theta_B$  and  $\phi_B$ .



# Free-space trebuchet kinematics by symmetry: Direct approach and Superball analogy

(Assume zero-gravity)

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$$p_{\phi} = \frac{\partial T}{\partial \dot{\phi}} = ml^2 \dot{\phi} - mrl \dot{\theta} \cos(\theta - \phi)$$

## Transform to beam-relative coordinates and momenta

$$\theta = \theta_B - \pi/2$$

$$\phi = \theta_B + \phi_B$$

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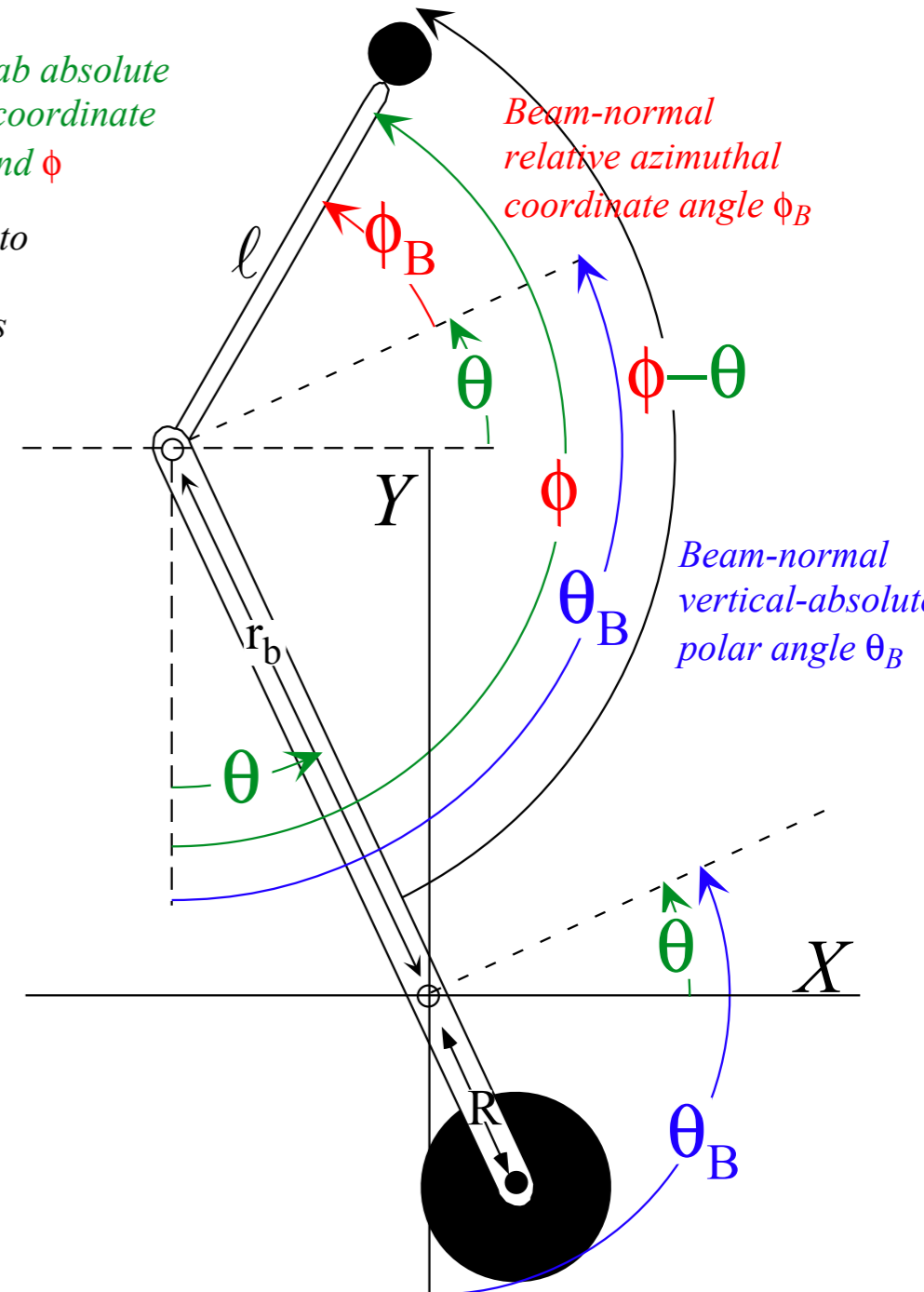
$$p_{\theta} = p_{\theta}^B - p_{\phi}^B$$

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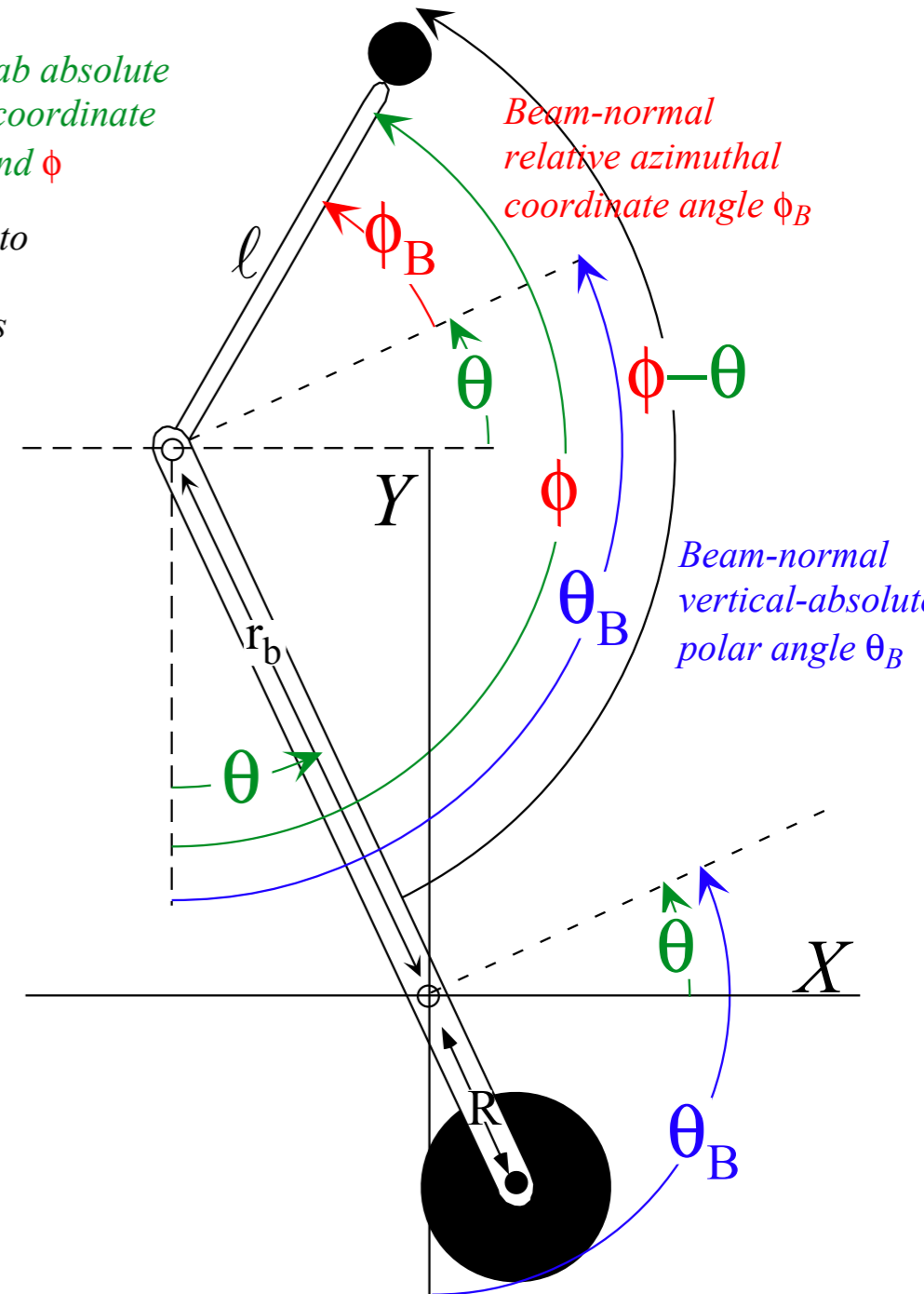
$$2E = (MR^2 + mr^2) \dot{\theta}^2 + 2mrl \dot{\phi} \dot{\theta} \sin \phi_B + ml^2 \dot{\phi}^2 = \text{const.}$$

(Assume zero-gravity)

Previous lab absolute trebuchet coordinate angles  $\theta$  and  $\phi$

compared to

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# Free-space trebuchet kinematics by symmetry: Direct approach and Superball analogy

## Energy for zero-gravity

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$$p_{\phi} = p_{\phi}^B$$

$$2E = (MR^2 + mr^2) \dot{\theta}^2 + 2mr\ell \dot{\phi} \dot{\theta} \sin \phi_B + m\ell^2 \dot{\phi}^2 = \text{const.}$$

$$p_{\theta}^B = \Lambda = \text{const.} = p_{\theta} + p_{\phi}$$

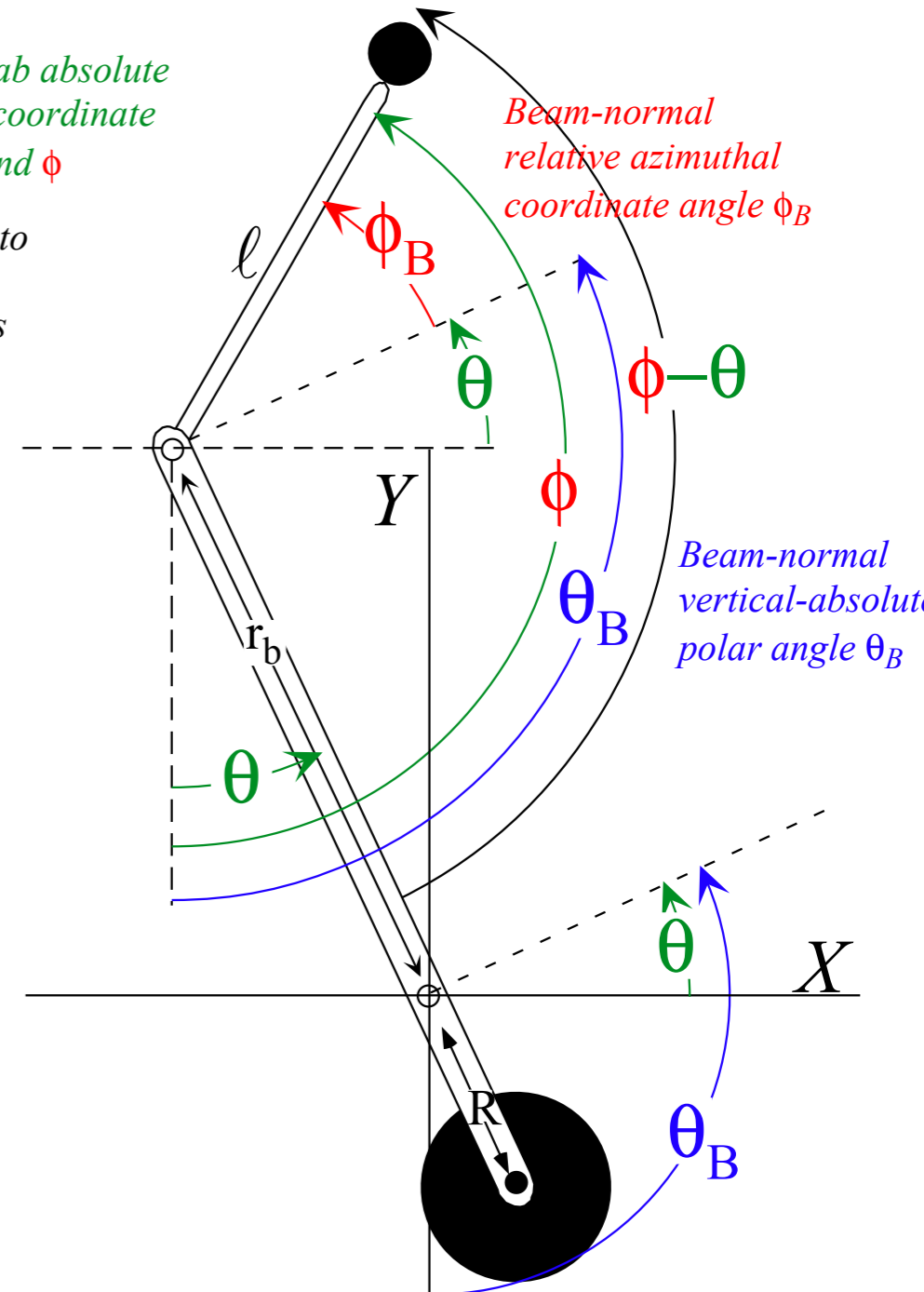
$$= \left( (MR^2 + mr^2) \dot{\theta} + mr\ell \dot{\phi} \sin \phi_B \right) + \left( m\ell^2 \dot{\phi} + mr\ell \dot{\theta} \sin \phi_B \right)$$

(Assume zero-gravity)

Previous lab absolute trebuchet coordinate angles  $\theta$  and  $\phi$

compared to

new angles  $\theta_B$  and  $\phi_B$ .



# Free-space trebuchet kinematics by symmetry: Direct approach and Superball analogy

(Assume zero-gravity)

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$$p_{\theta} = p_{\theta}^B - p_{\phi}^B$$

$$p_{\phi} = p_{\phi}^B$$

$$2E = (MR^2 + mr^2) \dot{\theta}^2 + 2mr\ell \dot{\phi} \dot{\theta} \sin \phi_B + m\ell^2 \dot{\phi}^2 = \text{const.}$$

$$p_{\theta}^B = \Lambda = \text{const.} = p_{\theta} + p_{\phi}$$

$$= \left( (MR^2 + mr^2) \dot{\theta} + mr\ell \dot{\phi} \sin \phi_B \right) + \left( m\ell^2 \dot{\phi} + mr\ell \dot{\theta} \sin \phi_B \right)$$

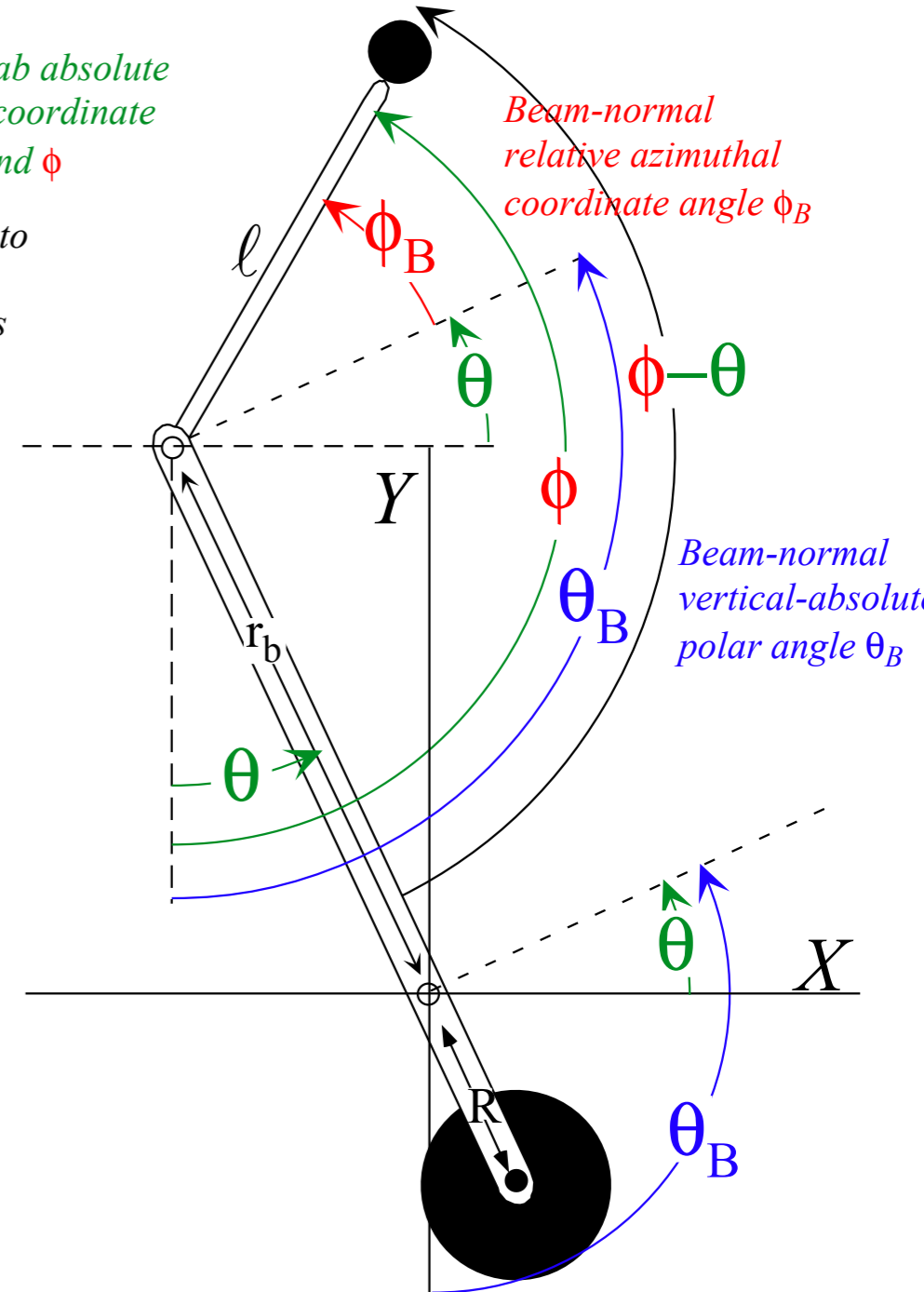
## Case of equal arms $r = \ell$ (easier algebra)

$$\left. \begin{aligned} 2E &= MR^2 \dot{\theta}^2 + mr^2 \left( \dot{\theta}^2 + 2\dot{\phi} \dot{\theta} \sin \phi_B + \dot{\phi}^2 \right) \\ \Lambda &= MR^2 \dot{\theta} + mr^2 (1 + \sin \phi_B) (\dot{\theta} + \dot{\phi}) \end{aligned} \right\} \text{(For: } r = \ell)$$

Previous lab absolute trebuchet coordinate angles  $\theta$  and  $\phi$

compared to

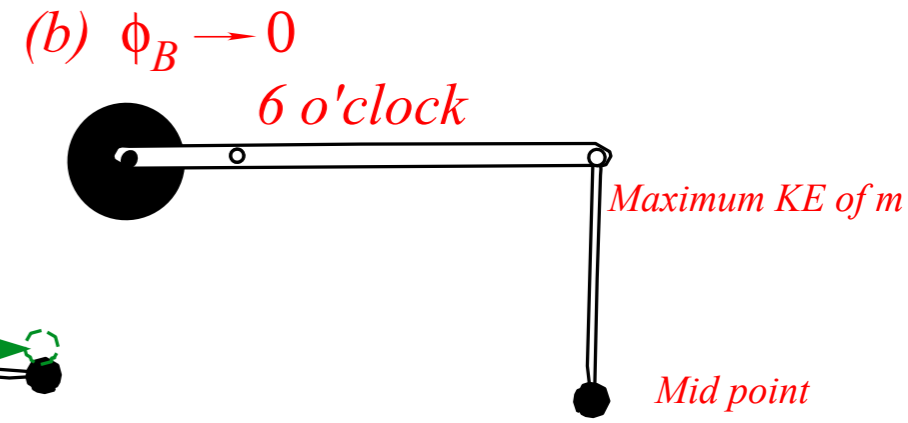
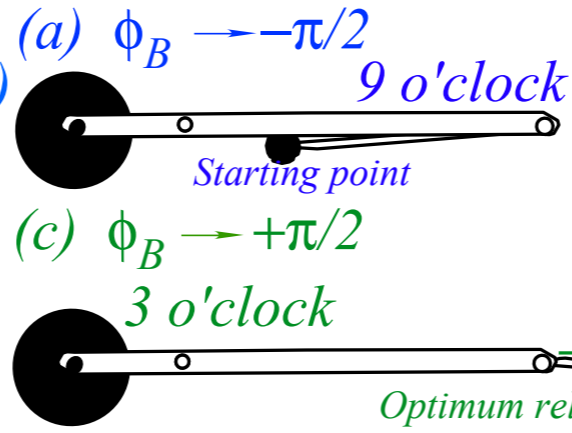
new angles  $\theta_B$  and  $\phi_B$ .



*Free-space trebuchet kinematics by symmetry: Direct approach and Superball analogy*

*Case of equal arms  $r = \ell$  (easier algebra)*

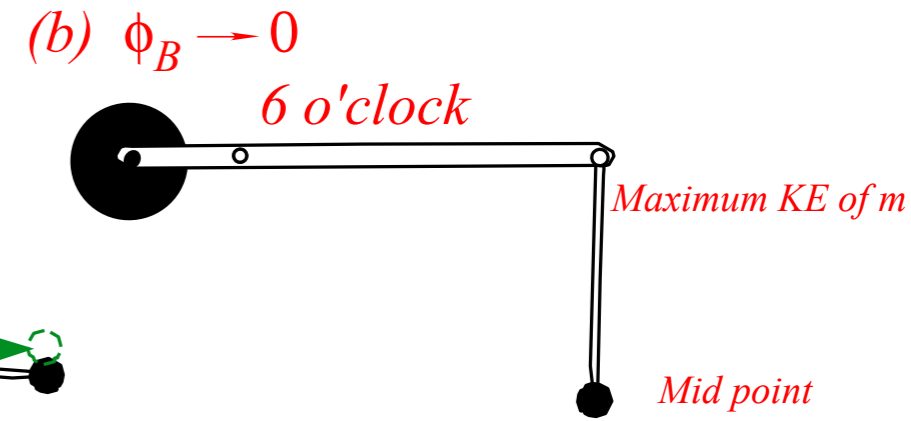
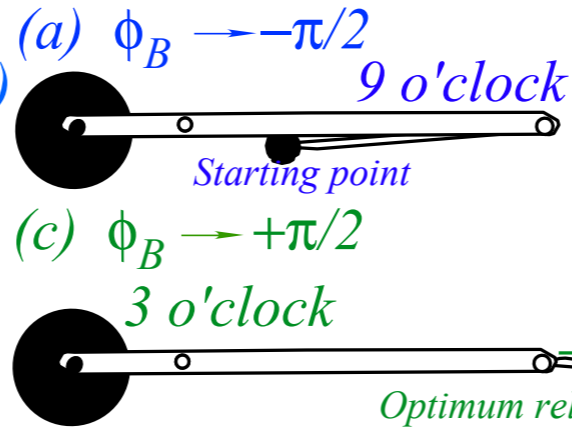
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# Free-space trebuchet kinematics by symmetry: Direct approach and Superball analogy

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Start at 9 o'clock with  $\phi_B \sim -90^\circ$  (beam  $r$  and throwing arm  $\ell$  rotating together at  $\omega$ )

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \phi_B &= \frac{-\pi}{2} \\ \sin \phi_B &= -1 \end{aligned} \right\} \begin{cases} 2E = MR^2 \dot{\theta}_{-\pi/2}^2 + mr^2 (\dot{\phi}_{-\pi/2} - \dot{\theta}_{-\pi/2})^2 \\ \Lambda = MR^2 \dot{\theta}_{-\pi/2} \end{cases}$$

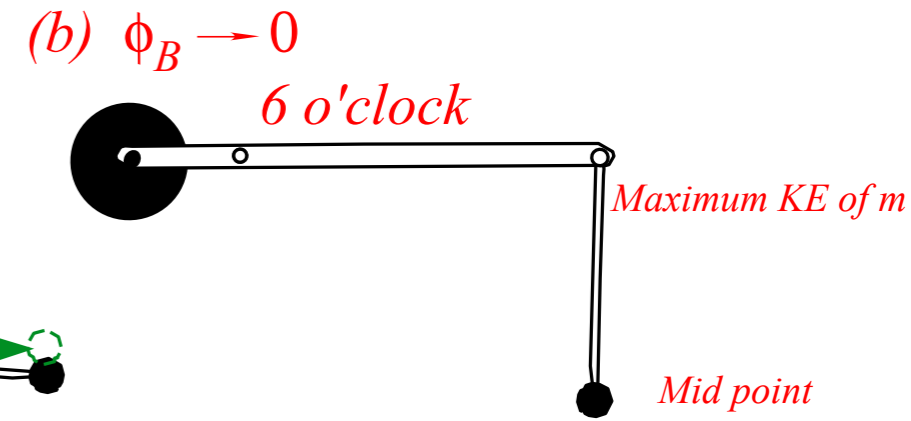
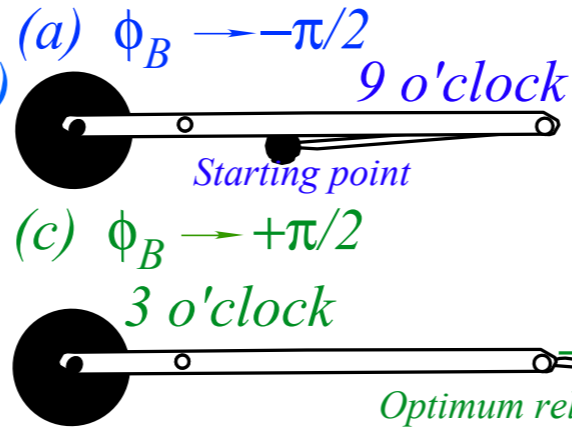
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$$\text{or: } \begin{cases} \text{initial } 2E \\ 2E = MR^2 \omega^2 \\ \Lambda = MR^2 \omega \\ \text{initial } \Lambda \end{cases} \quad \text{For: } \dot{\theta}_{-\pi/2} = \omega = \dot{\phi}_{-\pi/2}$$

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Move to 6 o'clock with  $\phi_B \sim 0^\circ$  (beam  $r$  slowing, throwing arm  $\ell$  accelerating)

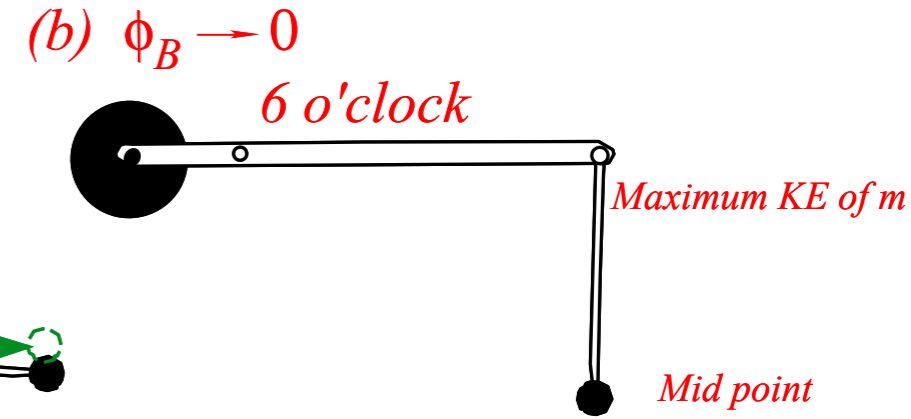
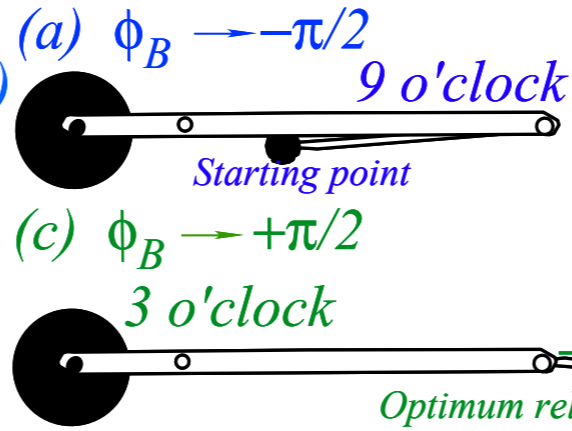
$$\left. \begin{aligned} \phi_B &= 0 \\ \sin \phi_B &= 0 \end{aligned} \right\} \begin{cases} 2E = MR^2 \dot{\theta}_0^2 + mr^2 (\dot{\phi}_0^2 + \dot{\theta}_0^2) \\ \Lambda = MR^2 \dot{\theta}_0 + mr^2 (\dot{\phi}_0 + \dot{\theta}_0) \end{cases}$$



# Free-space trebuchet kinematics by symmetry: Direct approach and Superball analogy

Case of equal arms  $r = \ell$  (easier algebra)

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Start at 9 o'clock with  $\phi_B \sim -90^\circ$  (beam  $r$  and throwing arm  $\ell$  rotating together at  $\omega$ )

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or:  $\begin{cases} \text{initial } 2E \\ 2E = MR^2 \omega^2 \\ \Lambda = MR^2 \omega \\ \text{initial } \Lambda \end{cases}$  For:  $\dot{\theta}_{-\pi/2} = \omega = \dot{\phi}_{-\pi/2}$

Move to 6 o'clock with  $\phi_B \sim 0^\circ$  (beam  $r$  slowing, throwing arm  $\ell$  accelerating)

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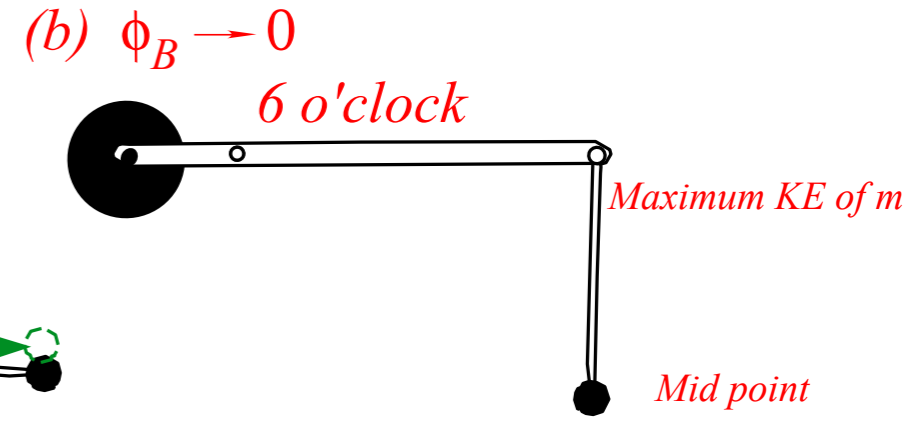
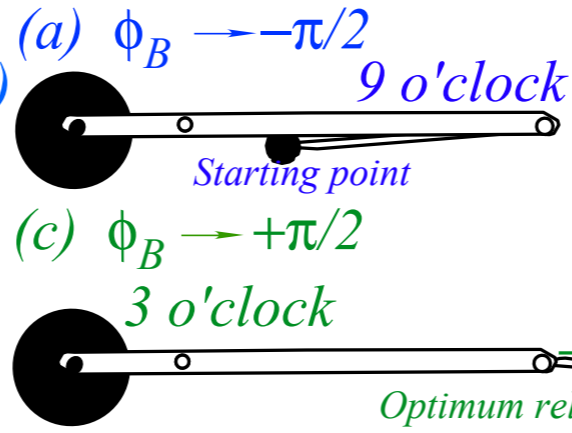
Move to 3 o'clock with  $\phi_B \sim +90^\circ$  (beam  $r$  slowed, throwing arm  $\ell$  releasing)

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \phi_B &= \pi/2 \\ \sin \phi_B &= +1 \end{aligned} \right\} \begin{cases} 2E = MR^2 \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2}^2 + mr^2 (\dot{\phi}_{\pi/2} + \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2})^2 = \text{initial } 2E \\ \Lambda = MR^2 \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2} + 2mr^2 (\dot{\phi}_{\pi/2} + \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2}) = \text{initial } \Lambda \end{cases} \text{Conserved}$$

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Start at 9 o'clock with  $\phi_B \sim -90^\circ$  (beam  $r$  and throwing arm  $\ell$  rotating together at  $\omega$ )

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \phi_B = \frac{-\pi}{2} \\ \sin \phi_B = -1 \end{aligned} \right\} \begin{cases} 2E = MR^2 \dot{\theta}_{-\pi/2}^2 + mr^2 (\dot{\phi}_{-\pi/2} - \dot{\theta}_{-\pi/2})^2 \\ \Lambda = MR^2 \dot{\theta}_{-\pi/2} \end{cases} \text{Conserved initial } 2E \text{ or } \begin{cases} 2E = MR^2 \omega^2 \\ \Lambda = MR^2 \omega \end{cases} \text{For: } \dot{\theta}_{-\pi/2} = \omega = \dot{\phi}_{-\pi/2}$$

Move to 6 o'clock with  $\phi_B \sim 0^\circ$  (beam  $r$  slowing, throwing arm  $\ell$  accelerating)

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \phi_B = 0 \\ \sin \phi_B = 0 \end{aligned} \right\} \begin{cases} 2E = MR^2 \dot{\theta}_0^2 + mr^2 (\dot{\phi}_0^2 + \dot{\theta}_0^2) \\ \Lambda = MR^2 \dot{\theta}_0 + mr^2 (\dot{\phi}_0 + \dot{\theta}_0) \end{cases}$$

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$$\left. \begin{aligned} \phi_B = \pi/2 \\ \sin \phi_B = +1 \end{aligned} \right\} \begin{cases} 2E = MR^2 \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2}^2 + mr^2 (\dot{\phi}_{\pi/2} + \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2})^2 = MR^2 \omega^2 \\ \Lambda = MR^2 \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2} + 2mr^2 (\dot{\phi}_{\pi/2} + \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2}) = MR^2 \omega \end{cases} \text{Conserved initial } 2E \text{ initial } \Lambda$$

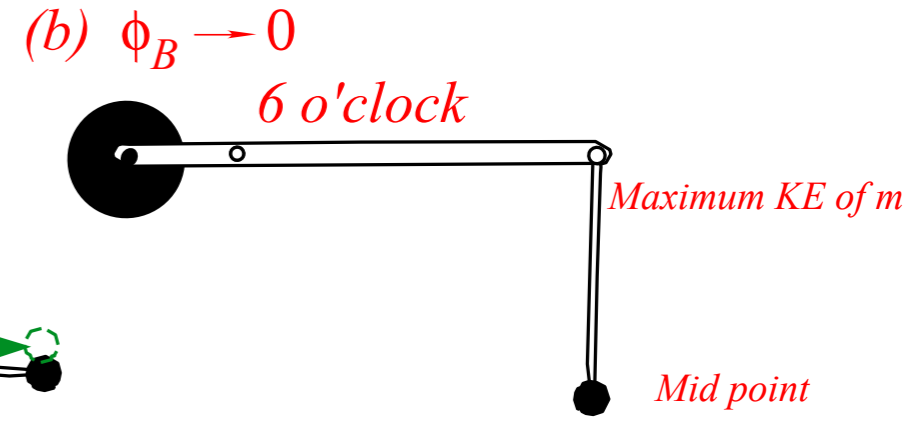
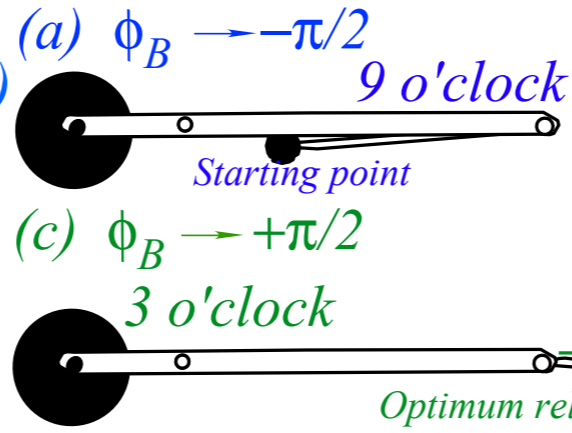
KE of projectile  $m$   
 $KE(m) =$

$$\frac{mr^2}{2} (\dot{\phi}^2 + \dot{\theta}^2 + 2\dot{\phi}\dot{\theta} \sin \phi_B) = \begin{cases} \frac{mr^2}{2} (\dot{\phi} - \dot{\theta})^2 & \left( \text{For: } \phi_B = -\frac{\pi}{2} \right) \\ \frac{mr^2}{2} (\dot{\phi}^2 + \dot{\theta}^2) & \left( \text{For: } \phi_B = 0 \right) \\ \frac{mr^2}{2} (\dot{\phi} + \dot{\theta})^2 & \left( \text{For: } \phi_B = \frac{\pi}{2} \right) \end{cases}$$

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Move to 6 o'clock with  $\phi_B \sim 0^\circ$  (beam  $r$  slowing, throwing arm  $\ell$  accelerating)

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \phi_B &= 0 \\ \sin \phi_B &= 0 \end{aligned} \right\} \begin{cases} 2E = MR^2 \dot{\theta}_0^2 + mr^2 (\dot{\phi}_0^2 + \dot{\theta}_0^2) \\ \Lambda = MR^2 \dot{\theta}_0 + mr^2 (\dot{\phi}_0 + \dot{\theta}_0) \end{cases}$$

Move to 3 o'clock with  $\phi_B \sim +90^\circ$  (beam  $r$  slowed, throwing arm  $\ell$  releasing)

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \phi_B &= \pi/2 \\ \sin \phi_B &= +1 \end{aligned} \right\} \begin{cases} 2E = \underbrace{MR^2 \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2}^2 + mr^2 (\dot{\phi}_{\pi/2} + \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2})^2}_{\text{Divide by } MR^2 \text{ and subtract}} = \underbrace{MR^2 \omega^2}_{\text{Conserved initial } 2E} \longrightarrow (\omega^2 - \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2}^2) = \frac{mr^2}{MR^2} (\dot{\phi}_{\pi/2} + \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2})^2 \\ \Lambda = \underbrace{MR^2 \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2} + 2mr^2 (\dot{\phi}_{\pi/2} + \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2})}_{\text{initial } \Lambda} = MR^2 \omega \longrightarrow (\omega - \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2}) = \frac{2mr^2}{MR^2} (\dot{\phi}_{\pi/2} + \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2}) \end{cases}$$

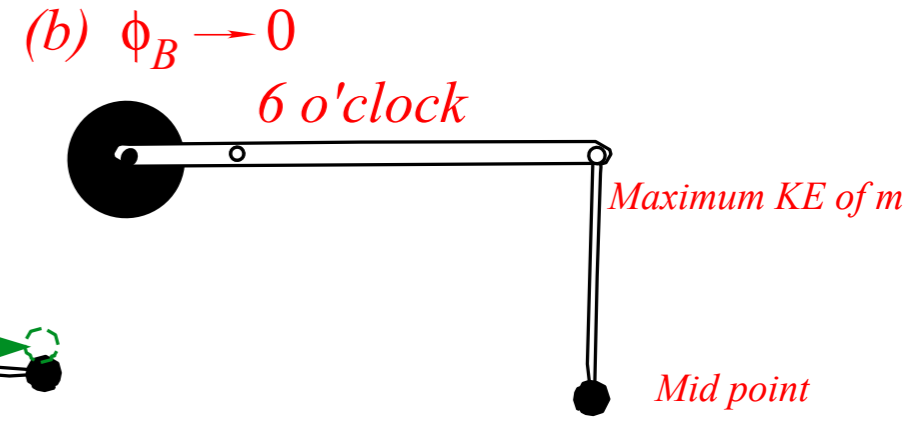
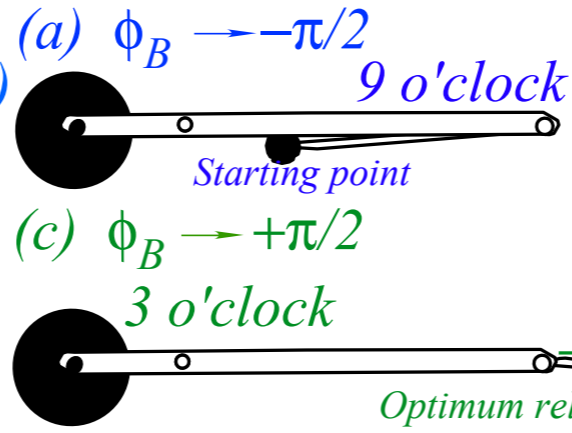
KE of projectile  $m$   
 $KE(m) =$

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Move to 6 o'clock with  $\phi_B \sim 0^\circ$  (beam  $r$  slowing, throwing arm  $\ell$  accelerating)

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Move to 3 o'clock with  $\phi_B \sim +90^\circ$  (beam  $r$  slowed, throwing arm  $\ell$  releasing)

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \phi_B &= \pi/2 \\ \sin \phi_B &= +1 \end{aligned} \right\} \begin{cases} 2E = \underbrace{MR^2 \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2}^2 + mr^2 (\dot{\phi}_{\pi/2} + \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2})^2}_{\text{Divide by } MR^2 \text{ and subtract}} = \underbrace{MR^2 \omega^2}_{\text{Conserved initial } 2E} \\ \Lambda = \underbrace{MR^2 \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2} + 2mr^2 (\dot{\phi}_{\pi/2} + \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2})}_{\text{initial } \Lambda} = MR^2 \omega \end{cases}$$

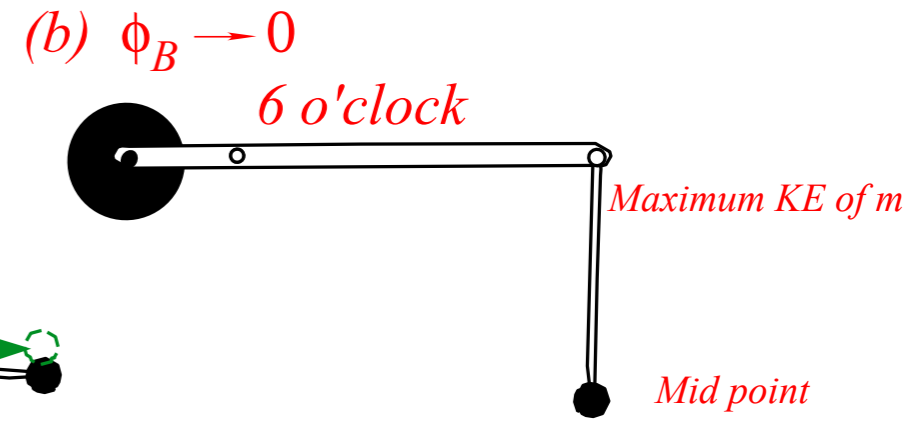
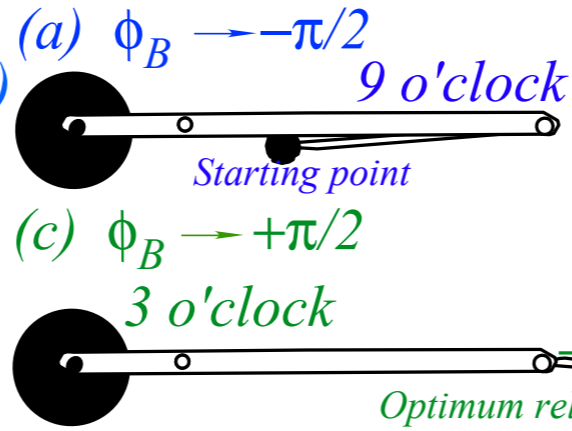
$$\begin{aligned} (\omega^2 - \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2}^2) &= \frac{mr^2}{MR^2} (\dot{\phi}_{\pi/2} + \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2})^2 \quad \text{divide } 2E \\ (\omega - \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2}) &= \frac{2mr^2}{MR^2} (\dot{\phi}_{\pi/2} + \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2}) \quad \text{by } \Lambda \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} KE(m) &= \frac{mr^2}{2} (\dot{\phi}^2 + \dot{\theta}^2 + 2\dot{\phi}\dot{\theta} \sin \phi_B) \\ &= \begin{cases} \frac{mr^2}{2} (\dot{\phi} - \dot{\theta})^2 & \text{(For: } \phi_B = -\frac{\pi}{2}) \\ \frac{mr^2}{2} (\dot{\phi}^2 + \dot{\theta}^2) & \text{(For: } \phi_B = 0) \\ \frac{mr^2}{2} (\dot{\phi} + \dot{\theta})^2 & \text{(For: } \phi_B = \frac{\pi}{2}) \end{cases} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} (\dot{\phi}_{\pi/2} + \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2})^2 \end{aligned}$$

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Start at 9 o'clock with  $\phi_B \sim -90^\circ$  (beam  $r$  and throwing arm  $\ell$  rotating together at  $\omega$ )

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Move to 6 o'clock with  $\phi_B \sim 0^\circ$  (beam  $r$  slowing, throwing arm  $\ell$  accelerating)

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \phi_B &= 0 \\ \sin \phi_B &= 0 \end{aligned} \right\} \begin{cases} 2E = MR^2 \dot{\theta}_0^2 + mr^2 (\dot{\phi}_0^2 + \dot{\theta}_0^2) \\ \Lambda = MR^2 \dot{\theta}_0 + mr^2 (\dot{\phi}_0 + \dot{\theta}_0) \end{cases}$$

Move to 3 o'clock with  $\phi_B \sim +90^\circ$  (beam  $r$  slowed, throwing arm  $\ell$  releasing)

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \phi_B &= \pi/2 \\ \sin \phi_B &= +1 \end{aligned} \right\} \begin{cases} 2E = MR^2 \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2}^2 + mr^2 (\dot{\phi}_{\pi/2} + \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2})^2 \\ \Lambda = MR^2 \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2} + 2mr^2 (\dot{\phi}_{\pi/2} + \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2}) \end{cases} \text{Divide by } MR^2 \text{ and subtract } \begin{cases} \text{Conserved initial } 2E \\ \text{initial } \Lambda \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{aligned} (\omega^2 - \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2}^2) &= \frac{mr^2}{MR^2} (\dot{\phi}_{\pi/2} + \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2})^2 \\ (\omega - \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2}) &= \frac{2mr^2}{MR^2} (\dot{\phi}_{\pi/2} + \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2}) \end{aligned} \xrightarrow{\text{divide } 2E \text{ by } \Lambda} (\omega + \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2}) = \frac{1}{2} (\dot{\phi}_{\pi/2} + \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2})$$

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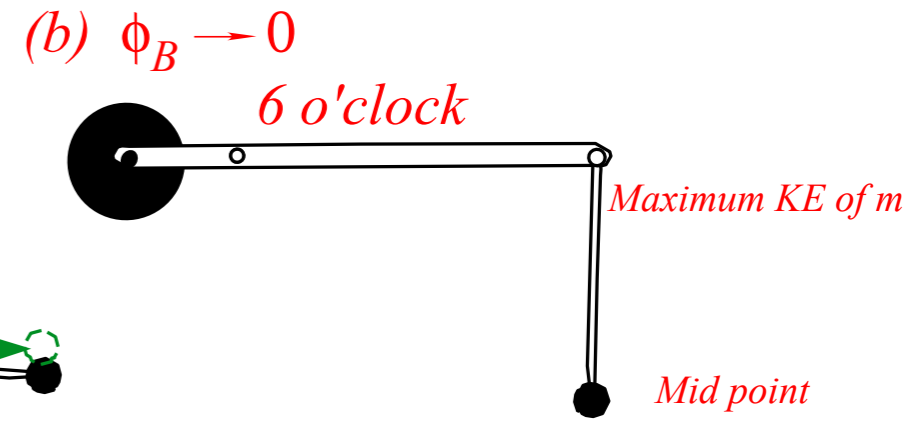
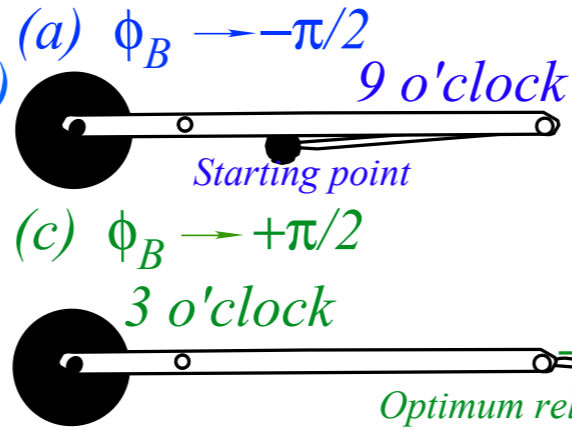
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Move to 6 o'clock with  $\phi_B \sim 0^\circ$  (beam  $r$  slowing, throwing arm  $\ell$  accelerating)

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Move to 3 o'clock with  $\phi_B \sim +90^\circ$  (beam  $r$  slowed, throwing arm  $\ell$  releasing)

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \phi_B &= \pi/2 \\ \sin \phi_B &= +1 \end{aligned} \right\} \begin{cases} 2E = MR^2 \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2}^2 + mr^2 (\dot{\phi}_{\pi/2} + \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2})^2 \\ \Lambda = MR^2 \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2} + 2mr^2 (\dot{\phi}_{\pi/2} + \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2}) \end{cases} \begin{array}{l} \text{Divide by } MR^2 \text{ and subtract} \\ \text{Conserved initial } 2E \\ \text{Conserved initial } \Lambda \end{array}$$

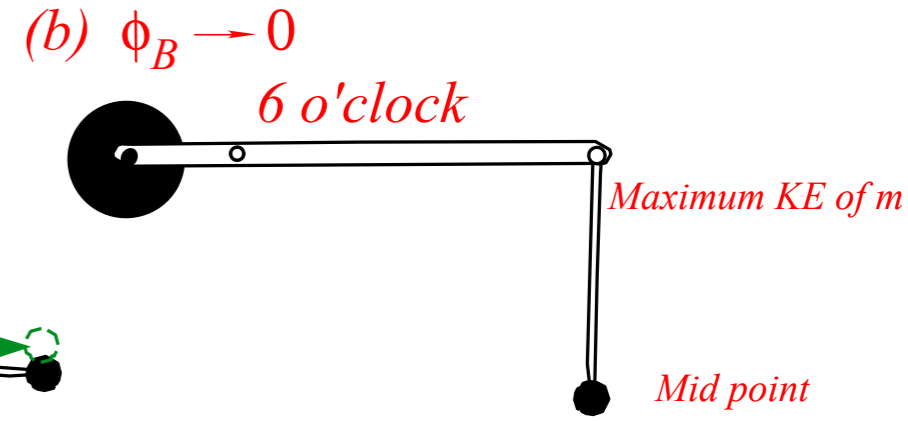
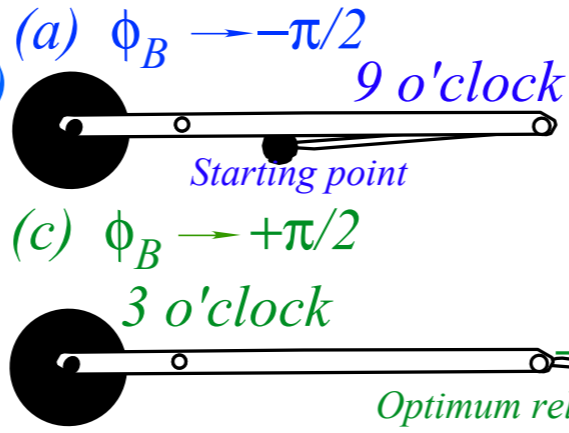
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initial  $2E$   
initial  $\Lambda$

$$\text{or: } \begin{cases} 2E = MR^2 \omega^2 \\ \Lambda = MR^2 \omega \end{cases} \text{For: } \dot{\theta}_{-\pi/2} = \omega = \dot{\phi}_{-\pi/2}$$

Move to 6 o'clock with  $\phi_B \sim 0^\circ$  (beam  $r$  slowing, throwing arm  $\ell$  accelerating)

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \phi_B &= 0 \\ \sin \phi_B &= 0 \end{aligned} \right\} \begin{cases} 2E = MR^2 \dot{\theta}_0^2 + mr^2 (\dot{\phi}_0^2 + \dot{\theta}_0^2) \\ \Lambda = MR^2 \dot{\theta}_0 + mr^2 (\dot{\phi}_0 + \dot{\theta}_0) \end{cases}$$

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Move to 3 o'clock with  $\phi_B \sim +90^\circ$  (beam  $r$  slowed, throwing arm  $\ell$  releasing)

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initial  $2E$   
initial  $\Lambda$

Divide by  $MR^2$  and subtract

$$\begin{aligned} (\omega^2 - \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2}^2) &= \frac{mr^2}{MR^2} (\dot{\phi}_{\pi/2} + \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2})^2 && \text{divide } 2E \\ (\omega - \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2}) &= \frac{2mr^2}{MR^2} (\dot{\phi}_{\pi/2} + \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2}) && \text{by } \Lambda \\ \omega - \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2} &= \frac{2mr^2}{MR^2} (2\omega + 2\dot{\theta}_{\pi/2}) && \text{substitute} \end{aligned}$$

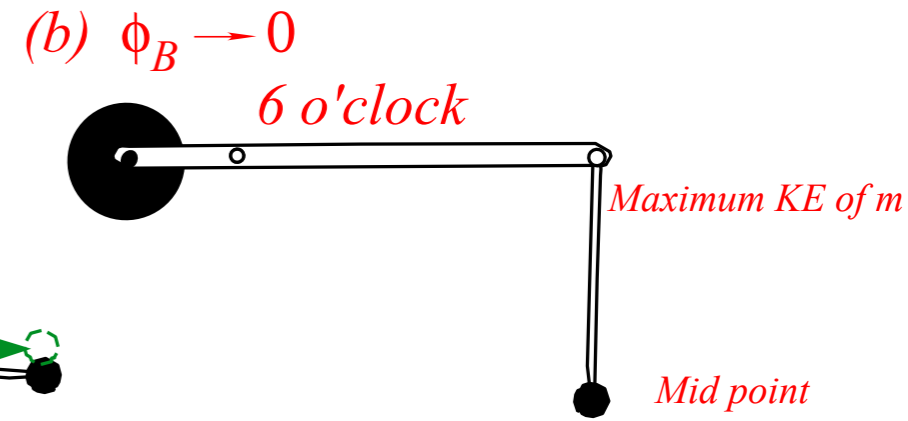
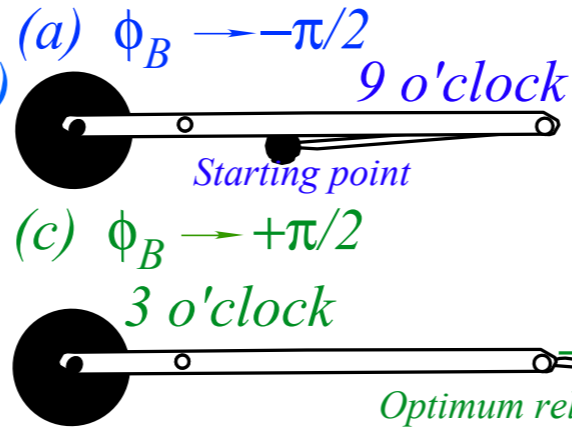
$$(\omega + \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2}) = \frac{1}{2} (\dot{\phi}_{\pi/2} + \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2})$$

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or:  $\begin{cases} \text{initial } 2E \\ 2E = MR^2 \omega^2 \\ \Lambda = MR^2 \omega \\ \text{initial } \Lambda \end{cases} \text{ For: } \dot{\theta}_{-\pi/2} = \omega = \dot{\phi}_{-\pi/2}$

Move to 6 o'clock with  $\phi_B \sim 0^\circ$  (beam  $r$  slowing, throwing arm  $\ell$  accelerating)

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Divide by  $MR^2$  and subtract initial  $2E$

$$\begin{aligned} (\omega^2 - \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2}^2) &= \frac{mr^2}{MR^2} (\dot{\phi}_{\pi/2} + \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2})^2 \\ (\omega - \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2}) &= \frac{2mr^2}{MR^2} (\dot{\phi}_{\pi/2} + \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2}) \end{aligned}$$

divide  $2E$

$$(\omega + \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2}) = \frac{1}{2} (\dot{\phi}_{\pi/2} + \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2})$$

substitute

$$\dot{\phi}_{\pi/2} = \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2} + 2\omega$$

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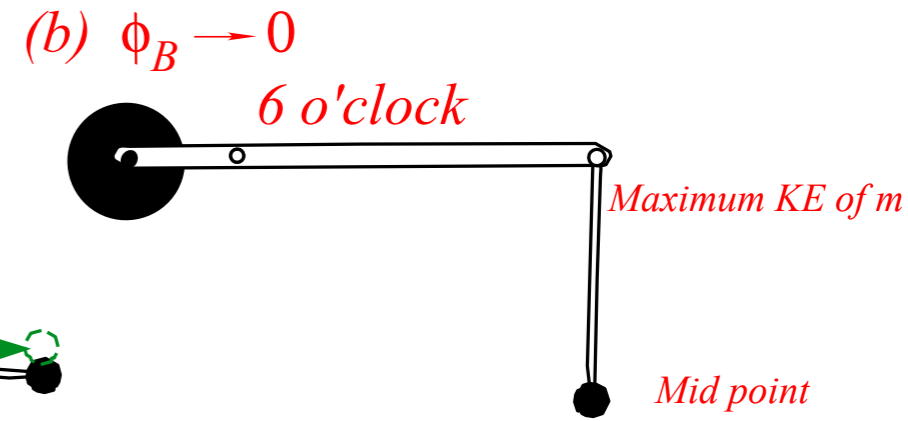
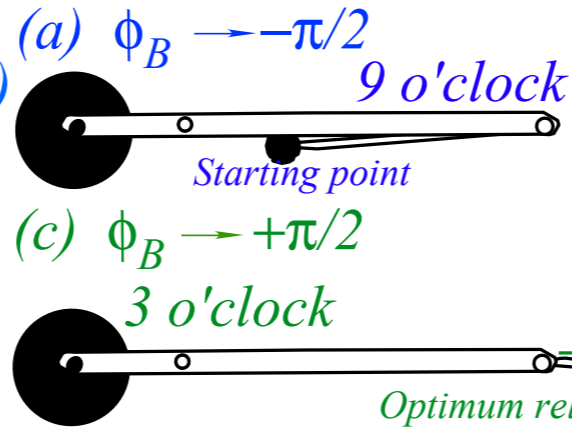
$$\omega - \frac{4mr^2}{MR^2} \omega = \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2} + \frac{4mr^2}{MR^2} \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2}$$



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Start at 9 o'clock with  $\phi_B \sim -90^\circ$  (beam  $r$  and throwing arm  $\ell$  rotating together at  $\omega$ )

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \phi_B &= \frac{-\pi}{2} \\ \sin \phi_B &= -1 \end{aligned} \right\} \begin{cases} 2E = MR^2 \dot{\theta}_{-\pi/2}^2 + mr^2 (\dot{\phi}_{-\pi/2} - \dot{\theta}_{-\pi/2})^2 \\ \Lambda = MR^2 \dot{\theta}_{-\pi/2} \end{cases} \text{Conserved}$$

or:  $\begin{cases} \text{initial } 2E \\ 2E = MR^2 \omega^2 \\ \Lambda = MR^2 \omega \\ \text{initial } \Lambda \end{cases}$  For:  $\dot{\theta}_{-\pi/2} = \omega = \dot{\phi}_{-\pi/2}$

Move to 6 o'clock with  $\phi_B \sim 0^\circ$  (beam  $r$  slowing, throwing arm  $\ell$  accelerating)

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \phi_B &= 0 \\ \sin \phi_B &= 0 \end{aligned} \right\} \begin{cases} 2E = MR^2 \dot{\theta}_0^2 + mr^2 (\dot{\phi}_0^2 + \dot{\theta}_0^2) \\ \Lambda = MR^2 \dot{\theta}_0 + mr^2 (\dot{\phi}_0 + \dot{\theta}_0) \end{cases}$$

$$KE(m) = \frac{mr^2}{2} (\dot{\phi}^2 + \dot{\theta}^2 + 2\dot{\phi}\dot{\theta} \sin \phi_B)$$

$$= \begin{cases} \frac{mr^2}{2} (\dot{\phi} - \dot{\theta})^2 & \left( \text{For: } \phi_B = -\frac{\pi}{2} \right) \\ \frac{mr^2}{2} (\dot{\phi}^2 + \dot{\theta}^2) & \left( \text{For: } \phi_B = 0 \right) \\ \frac{mr^2}{2} (\dot{\phi} + \dot{\theta})^2 & \left( \text{For: } \phi_B = \frac{\pi}{2} \right) \end{cases}$$

Move to 3 o'clock with  $\phi_B \sim +90^\circ$  (beam  $r$  slowed, throwing arm  $\ell$  releasing)

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \phi_B &= \pi/2 \\ \sin \phi_B &= +1 \end{aligned} \right\} \begin{cases} 2E = MR^2 \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2}^2 + mr^2 (\dot{\phi}_{\pi/2} + \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2})^2 \\ \Lambda = MR^2 \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2} + 2mr^2 (\dot{\phi}_{\pi/2} + \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2}) \end{cases} \text{Conserved}$$

Divide by  $MR^2$  and subtract initial  $2E$ :  $(\omega^2 - \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2}^2) = \frac{mr^2}{MR^2} (\dot{\phi}_{\pi/2} + \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2})^2$  (divide  $2E$ )

Divide by  $MR^2$  and subtract initial  $\Lambda$ :  $(\omega - \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2}) = \frac{2mr^2}{MR^2} (\dot{\phi}_{\pi/2} + \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2})$  (by  $\Lambda$ )

Substitute:  $(\omega - \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2}) = \frac{2mr^2}{MR^2} (2\omega + 2\dot{\theta}_{\pi/2})$

Solve:  $\omega - \frac{4mr^2}{MR^2} \omega = \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2} + \frac{4mr^2}{MR^2} \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2}$

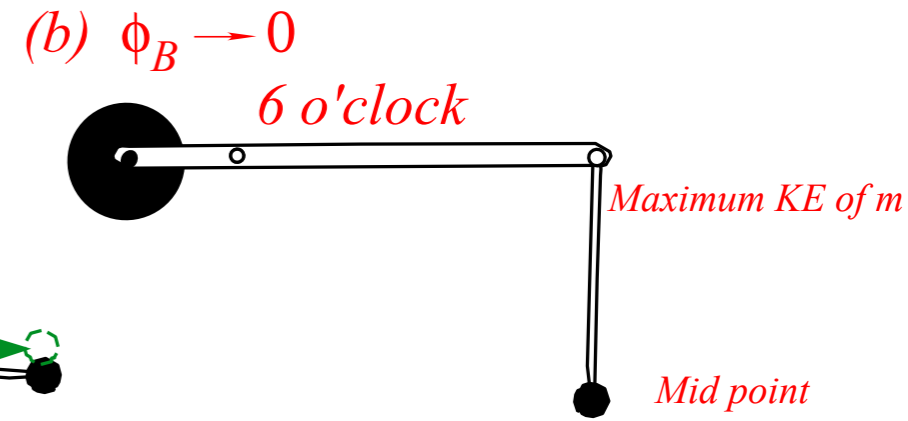
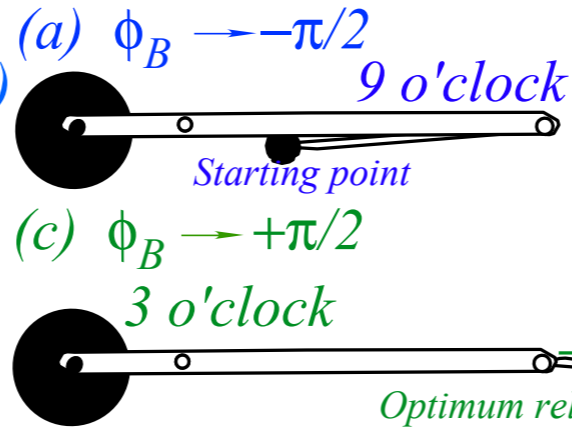
Final result:  $\dot{\theta}_{\pi/2} = \frac{1 - \frac{4mr^2}{MR^2}}{1 + \frac{4mr^2}{MR^2}} \omega$

Intermediate result:  $\dot{\phi}_{\pi/2} = \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2} + 2\omega$

# Free-space trebuchet kinematics by symmetry: Direct approach and Superball analogy

Case of equal arms  $r = \ell$  (easier algebra)

$$\left. \begin{aligned} 2E &= MR^2 \dot{\theta}^2 + mr^2 (\dot{\theta}^2 + 2\dot{\phi}\dot{\theta} \sin \phi_B + \dot{\phi}^2) \\ \Lambda &= MR^2 \dot{\theta} + mr^2 (1 + \sin \phi_B) (\dot{\theta} + \dot{\phi}) \end{aligned} \right\} \text{For: } r = \ell$$



Start at 9 o'clock with  $\phi_B \sim -90^\circ$  (beam  $r$  and throwing arm  $\ell$  rotating together at  $\omega$ )

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Move to 6 o'clock with  $\phi_B \sim 0^\circ$  (beam  $r$  slowing, throwing arm  $\ell$  accelerating)

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Divide by  $MR^2$  and subtract

Conserved initial  $2E$ :  $(\omega^2 - \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2}^2) = \frac{mr^2}{MR^2} (\dot{\phi}_{\pi/2} + \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2})^2$  (divide 2E)

Conserved initial  $\Lambda$ :  $(\omega - \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2}) = \frac{2mr^2}{MR^2} (\dot{\phi}_{\pi/2} + \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2})$  (by  $\Lambda$ )

substitute:  $(\omega + \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2}) = \frac{1}{2} (\dot{\phi}_{\pi/2} + \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2})$

Result:  $\dot{\phi}_{\pi/2} = \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2} + 2\omega$

Large  $M \gg m$  case (Beam nearly constant  $\omega$ )

$$\dot{\phi}_{\pi/2} = \omega + 2\omega = 3\omega$$

$$\dot{\theta}_{\pi/2} = \frac{1-0}{1+0} \omega = \omega$$

$$\omega - \frac{4mr^2}{MR^2} \omega = \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2} + \frac{4mr^2}{MR^2} \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2}$$

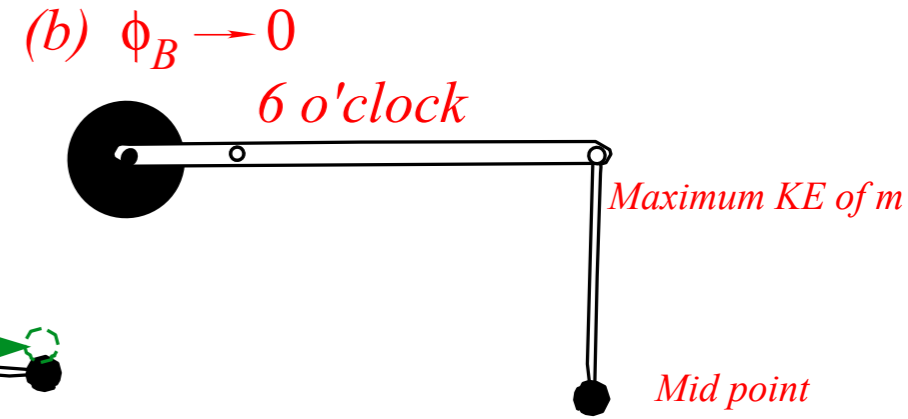
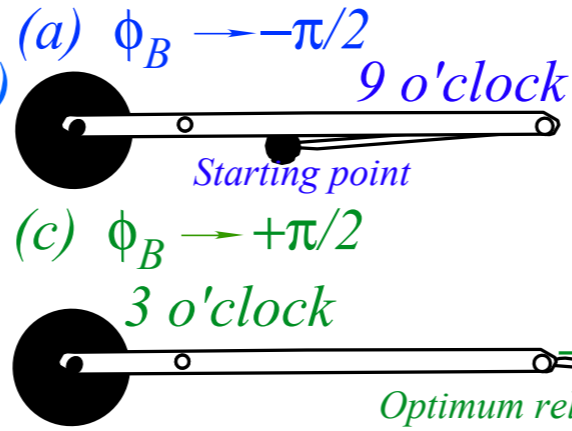
solve

$$\dot{\theta}_{\pi/2} = \frac{1 - \frac{4mr^2}{MR^2}}{1 + \frac{4mr^2}{MR^2}} \omega$$

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Start at 9 o'clock with  $\phi_B \sim -90^\circ$  (beam  $r$  and throwing arm  $\ell$  rotating together at  $\omega$ )

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Move to 6 o'clock with  $\phi_B \sim 0^\circ$  (beam  $r$  slowing, throwing arm  $\ell$  accelerating)

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \phi_B &= 0 \\ \sin \phi_B &= 0 \end{aligned} \right\} \begin{cases} 2E = MR^2 \dot{\theta}_0^2 + mr^2 (\dot{\phi}_0^2 + \dot{\theta}_0^2) \\ \Lambda = MR^2 \dot{\theta}_0 + mr^2 (\dot{\phi}_0 + \dot{\theta}_0) \end{cases}$$

$$KE(m) = \frac{mr^2}{2} (\dot{\phi}^2 + \dot{\theta}^2 + 2\dot{\phi}\dot{\theta} \sin \phi_B) = \begin{cases} \frac{mr^2}{2} (\dot{\phi} - \dot{\theta})^2 & \text{(For: } \phi_B = -\frac{\pi}{2}) \\ \frac{mr^2}{2} (\dot{\phi}^2 + \dot{\theta}^2) & \text{(For: } \phi_B = 0) \\ \frac{mr^2}{2} (\dot{\phi} + \dot{\theta})^2 & \text{(For: } \phi_B = \frac{\pi}{2}) \end{cases}$$

Move to 3 o'clock with  $\phi_B \sim +90^\circ$  (beam  $r$  slowed, throwing arm  $\ell$  releasing)

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \phi_B &= \pi/2 \\ \sin \phi_B &= +1 \end{aligned} \right\} \begin{cases} 2E = MR^2 \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2}^2 + mr^2 (\dot{\phi}_{\pi/2} + \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2})^2 = MR^2 \omega^2 \\ \Lambda = MR^2 \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2} + 2mr^2 (\dot{\phi}_{\pi/2} + \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2}) = MR^2 \omega \end{cases} \text{Conserved initial } 2E \text{ and } \Lambda$$

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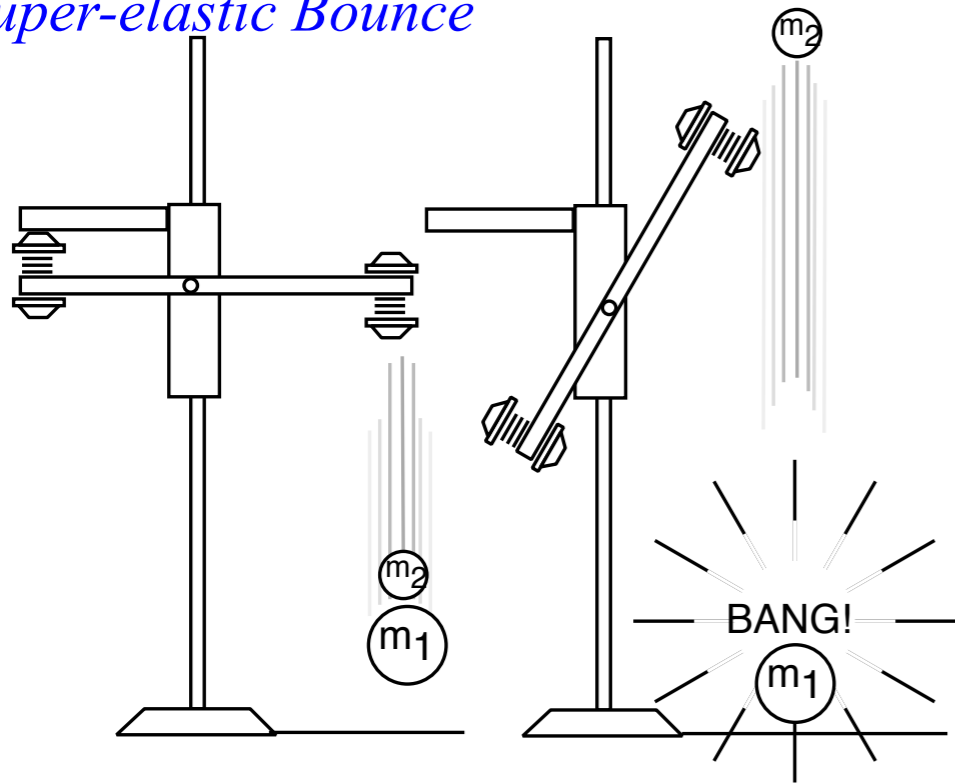
Optimum  $MR^2 = 4mr^2$  case

$$\dot{\phi}_{\pi/2} = 0 + 2\omega = 2\omega$$

$$\dot{\theta}_{\pi/2} = \frac{1-1}{1+1} \omega = 0$$

$$\begin{aligned} (\omega^2 - \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2}^2) &= \frac{mr^2}{MR^2} (\dot{\phi}_{\pi/2} + \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2})^2 \quad \text{divide } 2E \\ (\omega - \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2}) &= \frac{2mr^2}{MR^2} (\dot{\phi}_{\pi/2} + \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2}) \quad \text{by } \Lambda \\ \omega - \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2} &= \frac{2mr^2}{MR^2} (2\omega + 2\dot{\theta}_{\pi/2}) \quad \text{substitute } \dot{\phi}_{\pi/2} = \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2} + 2\omega \\ \omega - \frac{4mr^2}{MR^2} \omega &= \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2} + \frac{4mr^2}{MR^2} \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2} \quad \text{solve} \\ \dot{\theta}_{\pi/2} &= \frac{1 - \frac{4mr^2}{MR^2}}{1 + \frac{4mr^2}{MR^2}} \omega \end{aligned}$$

## Super-elastic Bounce

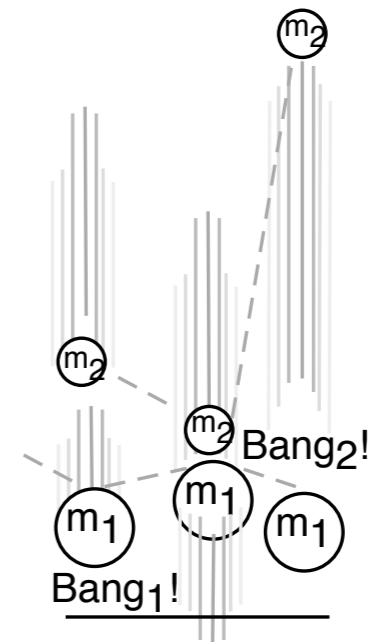


## Analogous Superball Models

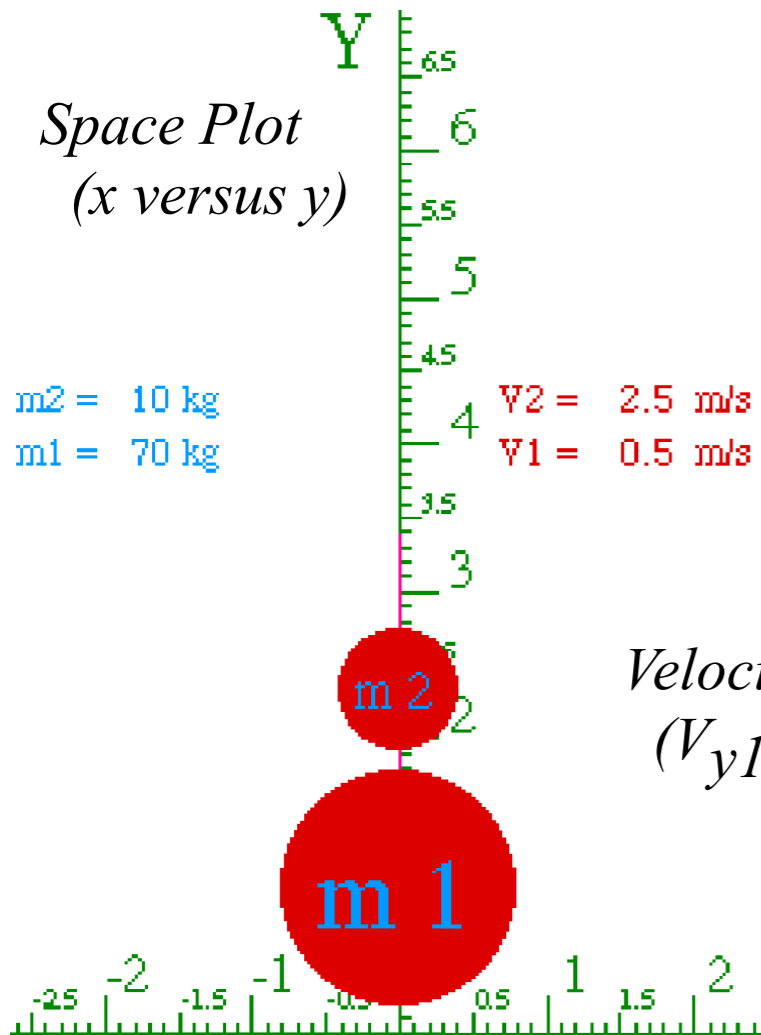
Similar in some ways to trebuchet models

Class of W. G. Harter, "Velocity Amplification in Collision Experiments Involving Superballs," *Am. J. Phys.* 39, 656 (1971) (A class project)

## 2-Bang Model



## Space Plot (x versus y)



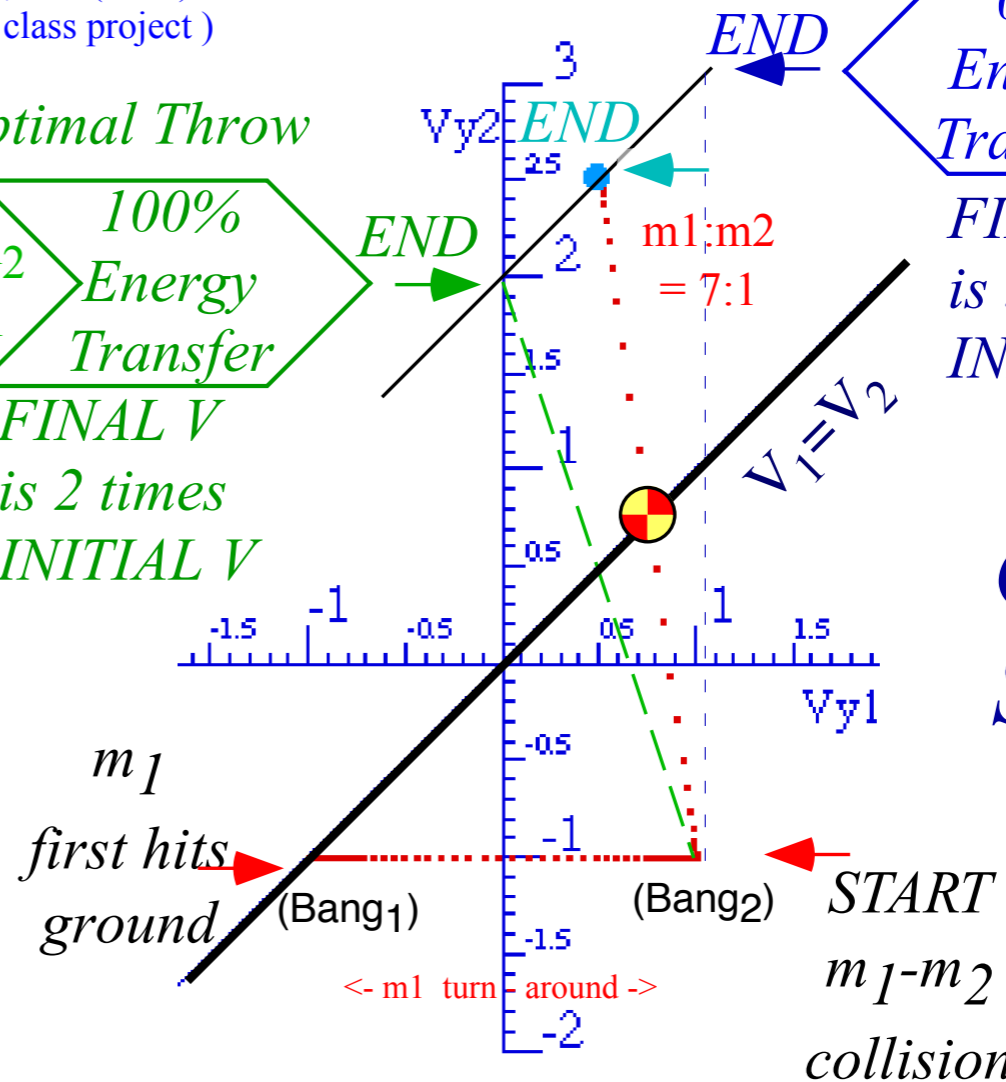
## Velocity Plot ( $V_{y1}$ versus $V_{y2}$ )

Optimal Throw

100% Energy Transfer

$m_1:m_2 = 3:1$

FINAL V is 2 times INITIAL V



## Graphic Solution

## NOVA trebuchet kinematics compared in Unit 2 p. 66: Direct approach and Superball analogy

The reproductions of 13<sup>th</sup>-century trebuchets in Ref. [2] were based on drawings from ingeniums used in the 1215 *Siege of Kenilworth*. The modern-day ingeniators used twelve to thirteen thousand pounds of lead and sand to throw a 250 pound stone ball, that is,  $M/m \sim 50$ . Had they used the criterion  $MR^2 = 4mr^2$  for 100%-energy transfer from (2.9.24) their trebuchet would have a ratio  $r/R = \sqrt{50/2} = 3.5$  of the throwing beam to driving beam radii. Instead, the drawings show that  $\ell \sim r \sim 42$  ft. is about 3.7 times the driving radius  $R$  of the sand box  $M$ . Using (2.9.22) to (2.9.25) with 100% energy transfer assumption we find the following approximate launch velocity.

$$v_{final} \cong 2\omega r = 2\sqrt{\frac{g}{R}} r = 2\sqrt{\frac{32}{42/3.5}} 42 = 137 \text{ ft / sec.} = 94 \text{ mph} \quad (2.9.26)$$

As one might expect, this 100% estimate is below the 100 to 120 mph. velocities achieved in Ref. [2]. By assuming the correct ratio of radii in using (2.9.22) to (2.9.25), one can bring the estimate closer.

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1. Paul E. Chevedden, Les Eigenbrod, Vernard Foley, and Werner Soedel, "The Trebuchet", *Scientific American* **273**, 66-71 (July 1995).
2. Evan Hadingham and Patrick Ward, "Ready, Aim, Fire!", *Smithsonian* (January 2000) p. 80.

NOVA links from beginning of Lect. 14

<https://www.pbs.org/wgbh/nova/lostempires/trebuchet/builds.html>



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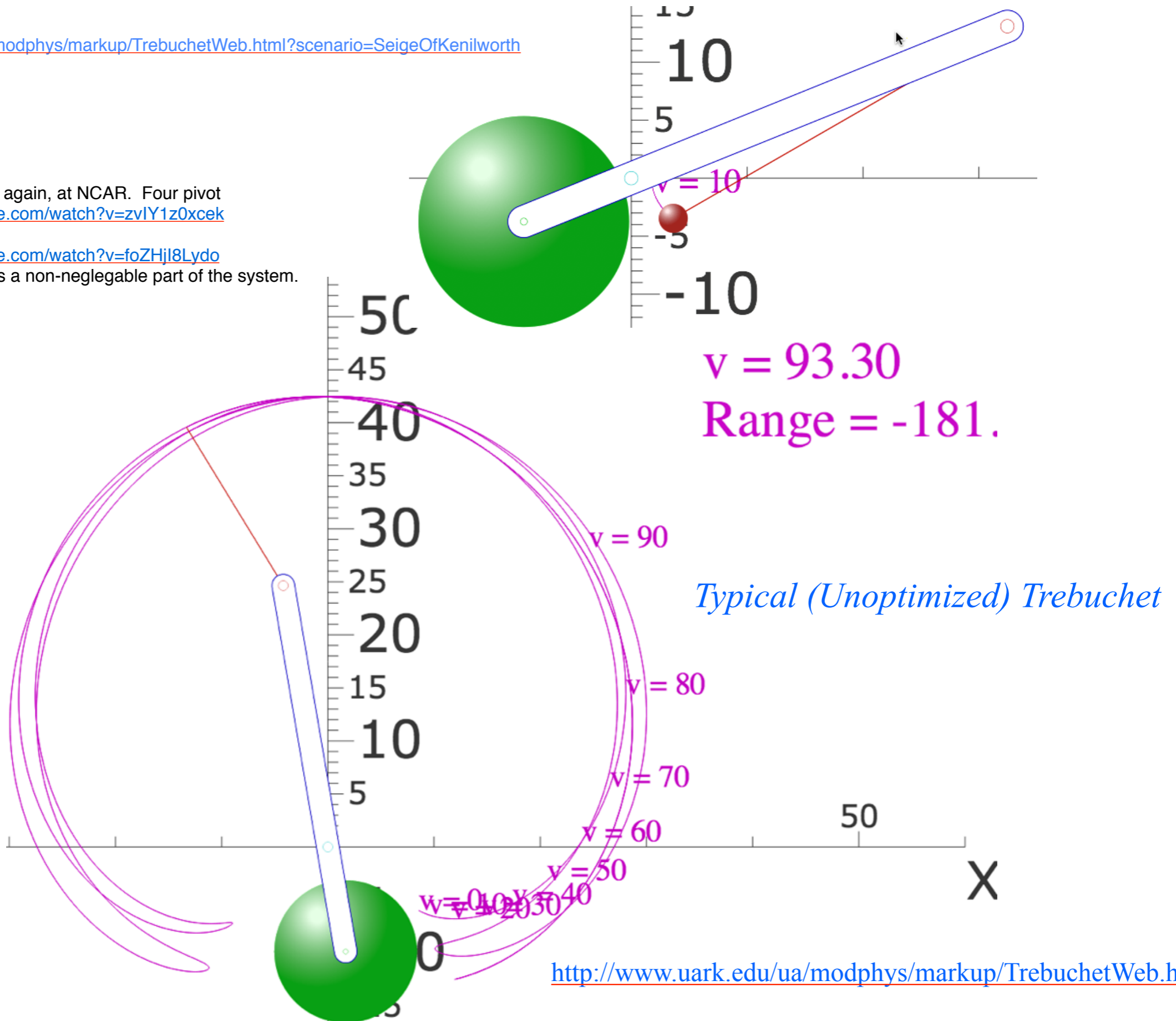


The plan: NOVA and a team of master builders from England, Germany, France and the United States will reconstruct one of the most destructive of medieval weapons ever made: a giant trebuchet. They will raise the weapon in the shadows of Castle Urquhart, located on the shores of Loch Ness in the Scottish Highlands.

This is one of the castles that English armies attacked during Edward I's Scottish campaign 700 years ago. As part of the campaign, the army was said to have built one of the most monstrous trebuchets ever. Only its name survives: Warwolf.

<http://www.uark.edu/ua/modphys/markup/TrebuchetWeb.html?scenario=SeigeOfKenilworth>

Here is the system, again, at NCAR. Four pivot  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=zvIY1z0xcek>  
Another rig:  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=foZHjI8Lydo>  
Ha! the clock face is a non-neglegable part of the system.

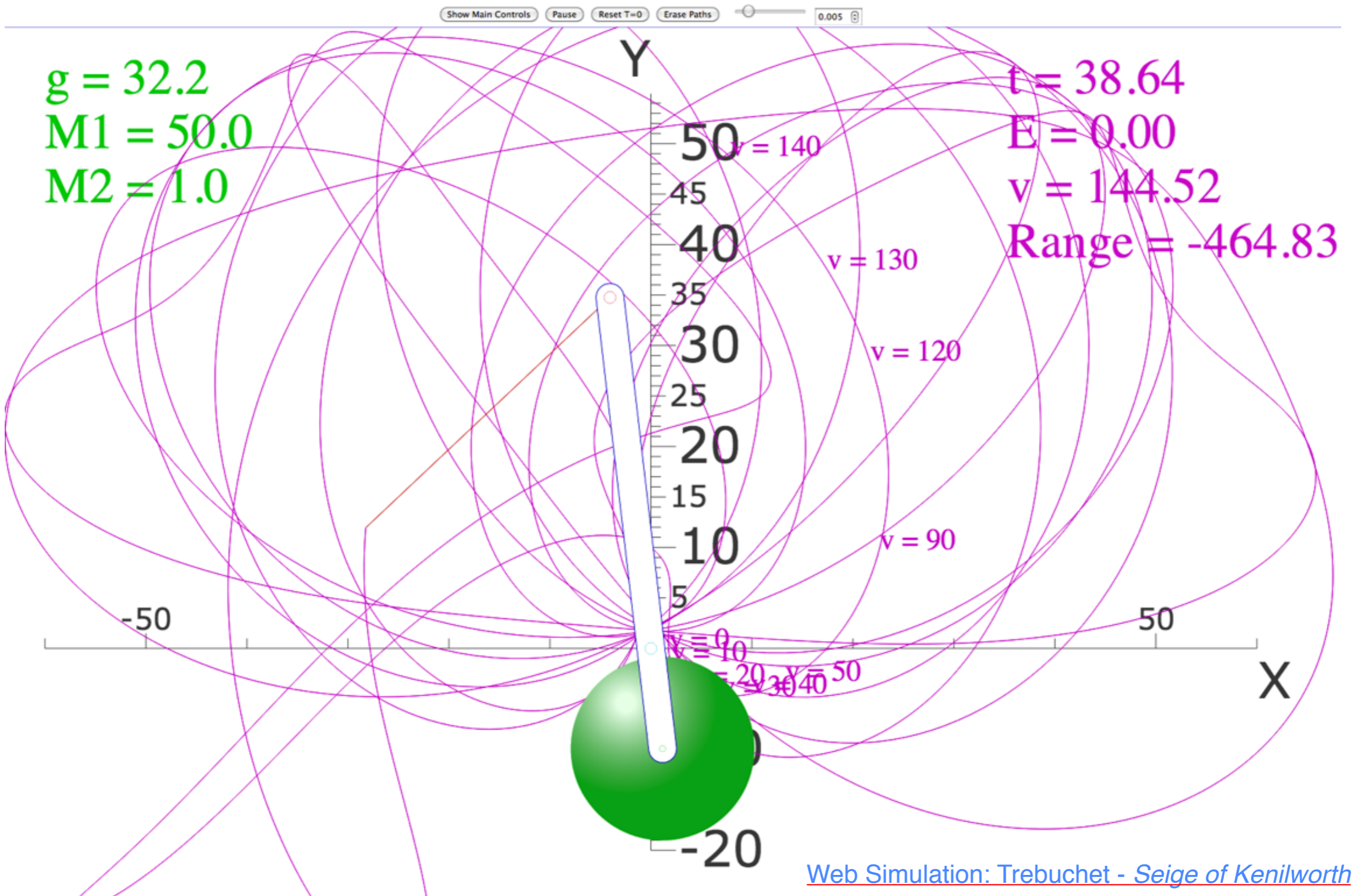


$v = 93.30$   
Range = -181.

*Typical (Unoptimized) Trebuchet*

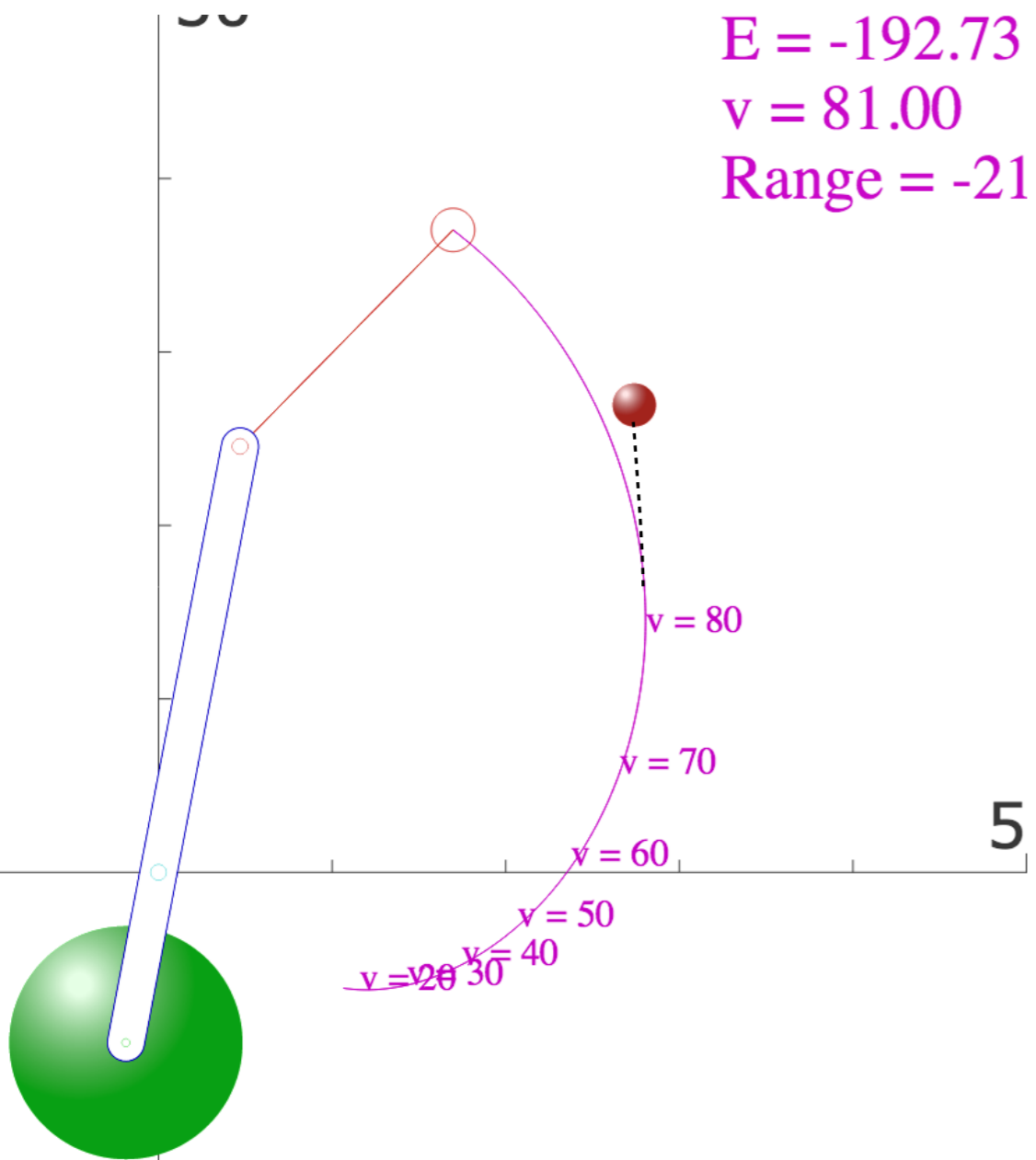
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*Trebuchet in Siege of Kenilworth 1215 ACE  
(Re-enactment shown on NOVA-TV 2005)*



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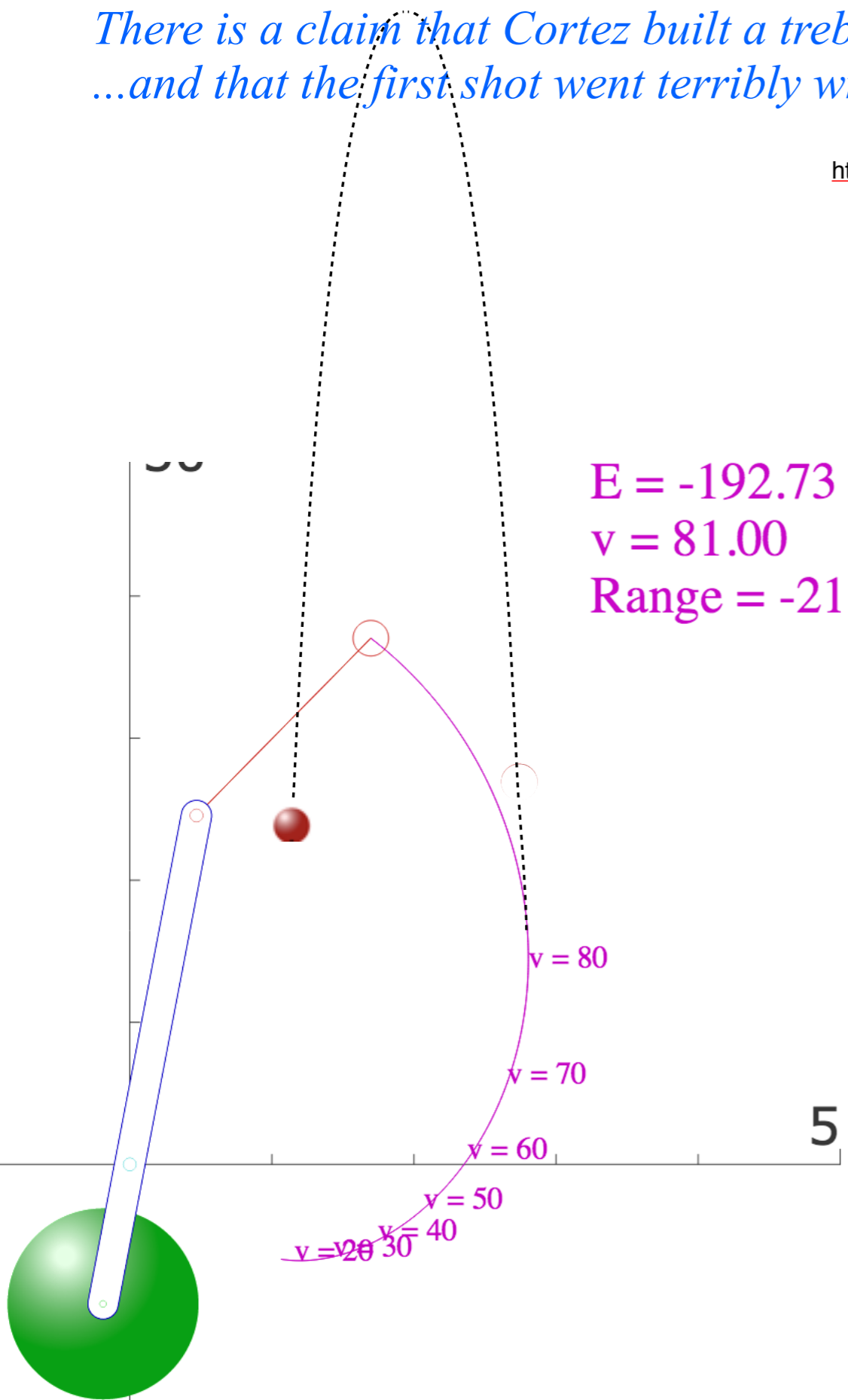
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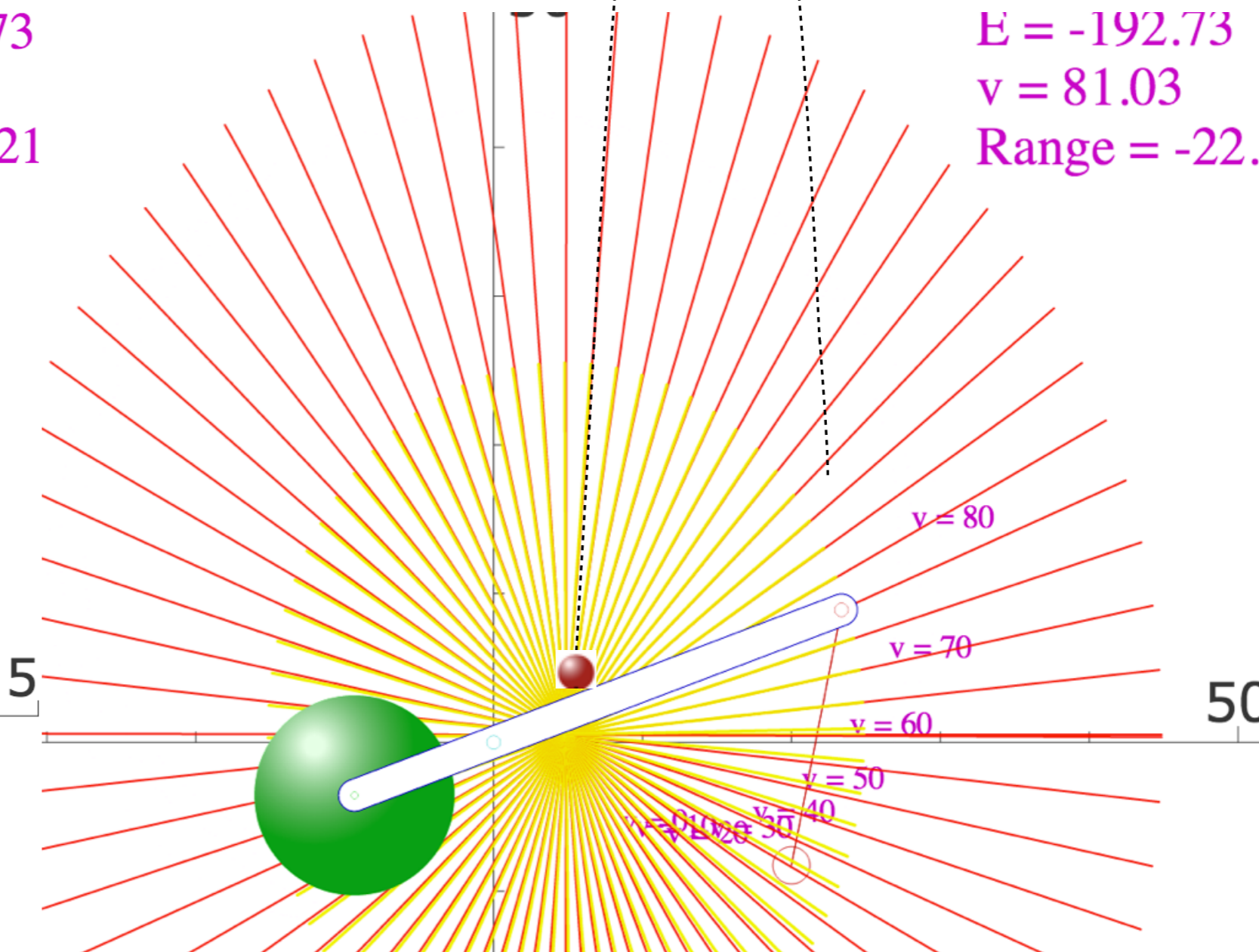
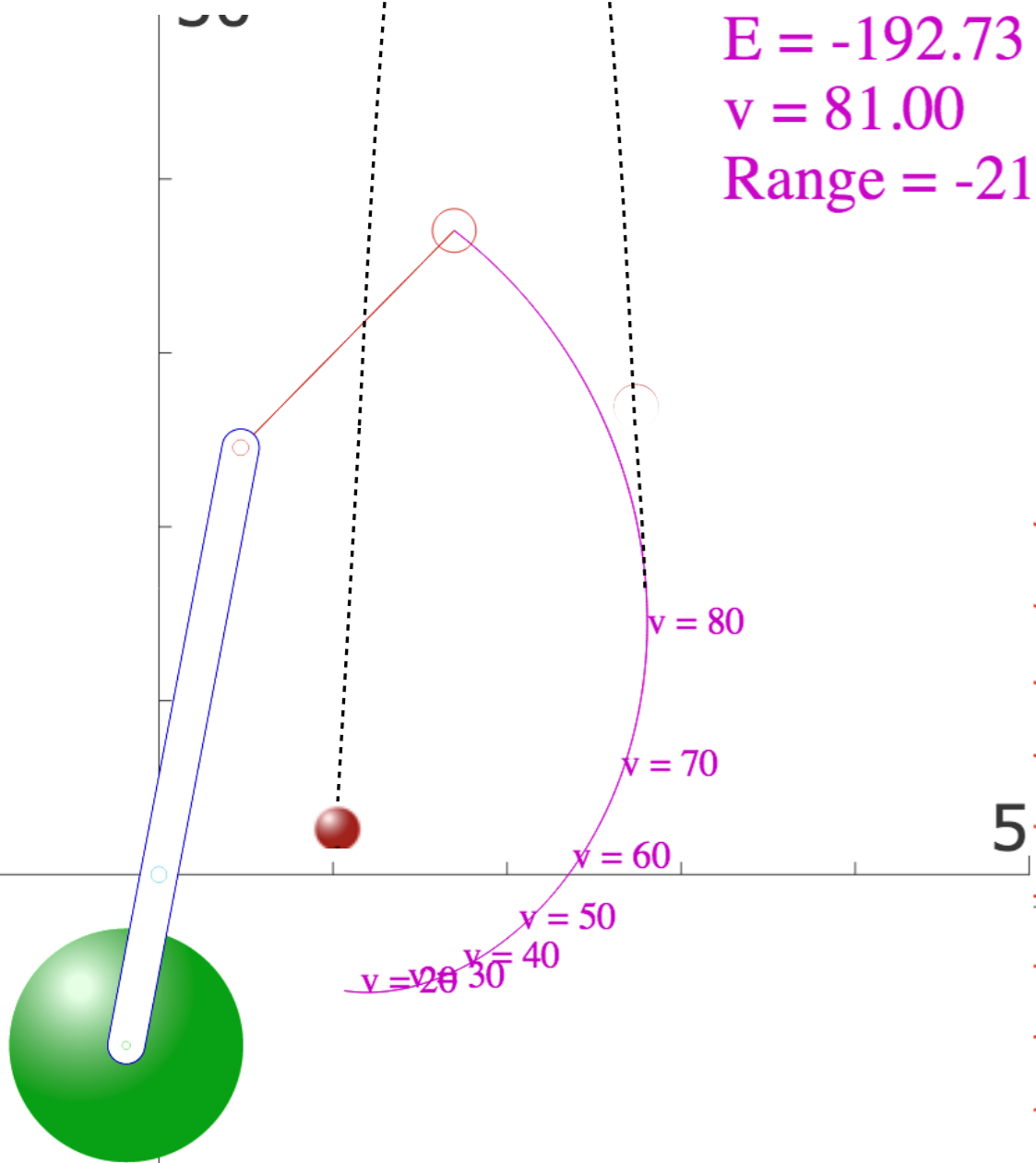
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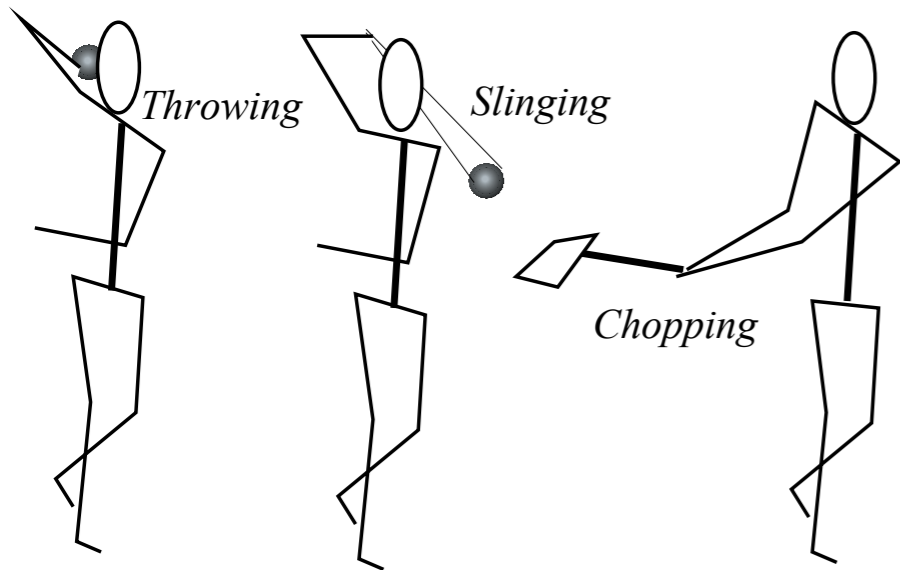
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...and that the first shot went terribly wrong...*

*...if this story is true, then it gives new meaning  
to the expression "Montezuma's Revenge"...*



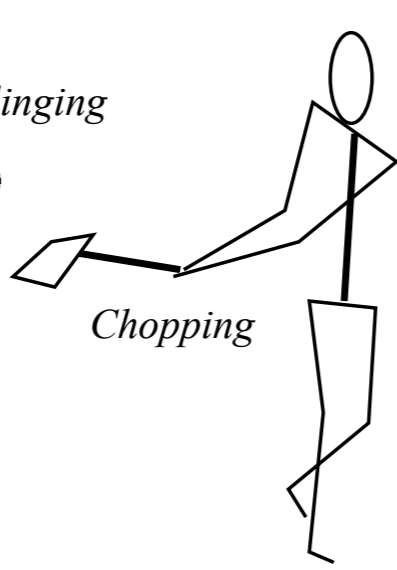
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*Coordinate transformation helps reduce symmetric Hamiltonian*  
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*Early Human Agriculture and Infrastructure Building Activity*

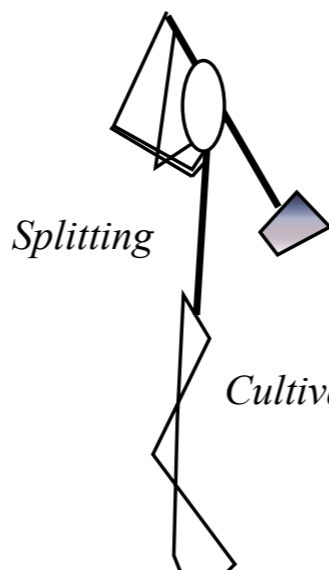


*Throwing*

*Slinging*

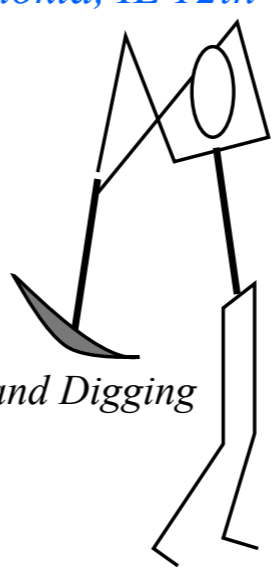
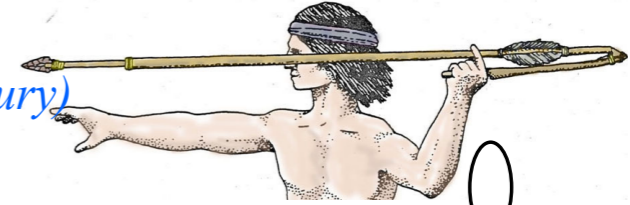


*Chopping*

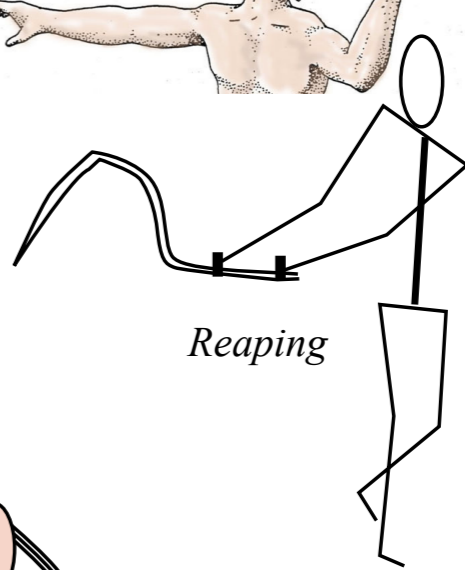


*Splitting*

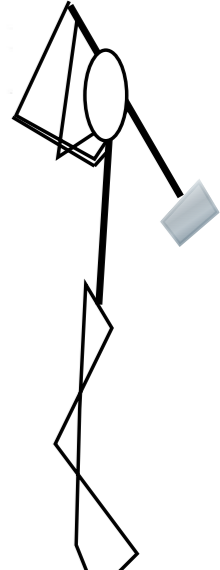
*The Atlatl  
(Cahokia, IL 12th Century)*



*Cultivating and Digging*



*Reaping*



*Hammering*

*What Trebuchet mechanics  
is really good for...*

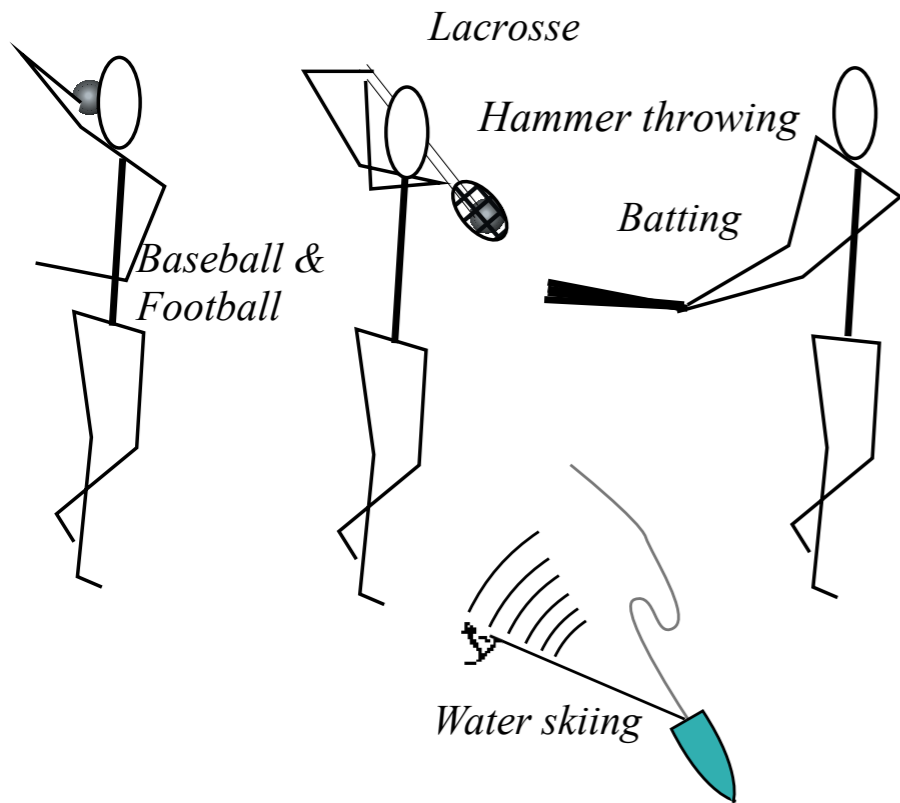


*Bull whip cracking*

*Fly-fishing*

*“Ring-The-Bell”  
(at the Fair)*

*Later Human Recreational Activity*

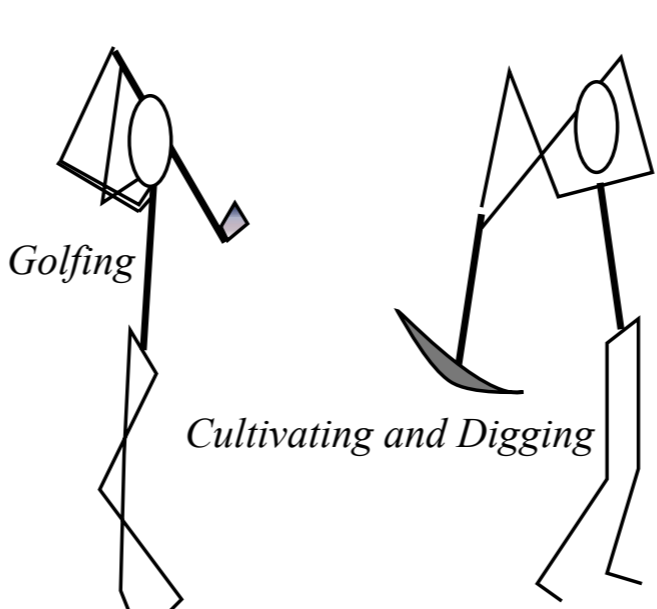


*Lacrosse*

*Hammer throwing*

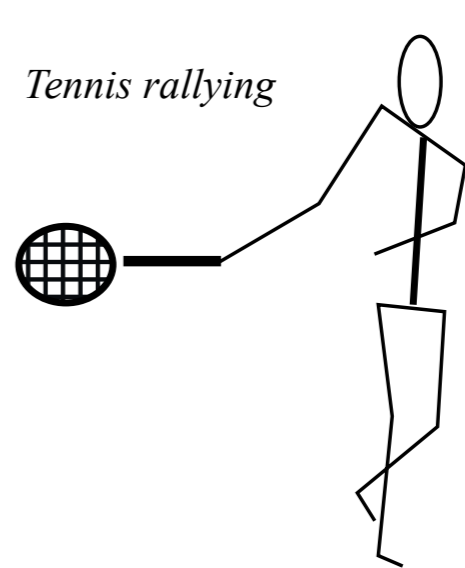
*Batting*

*Baseball &  
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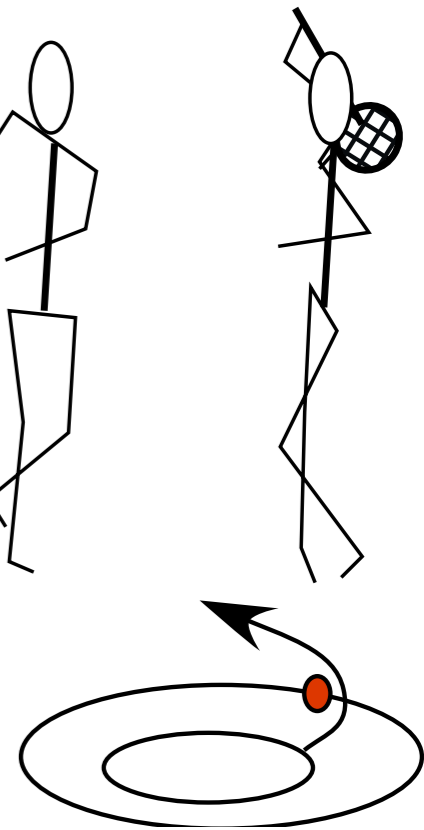
*Golfing*

*Cultivating and Digging*



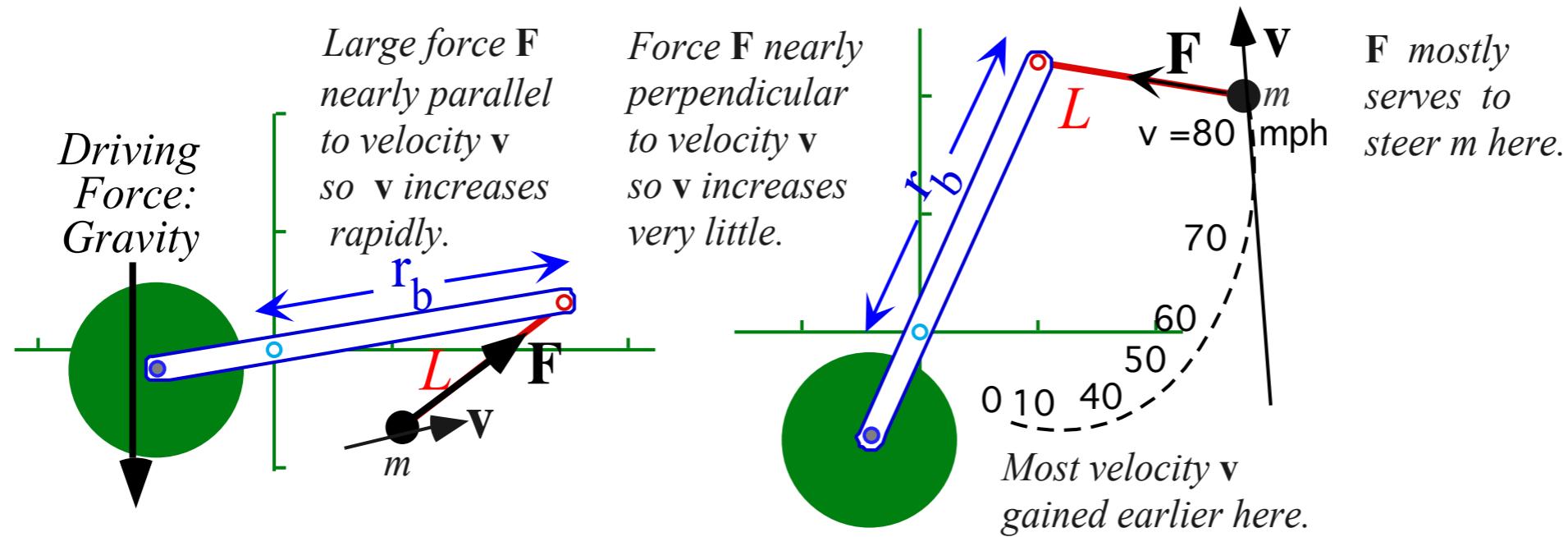
*Tennis rallying*

*Tennis serving*



*Space Probe “Planetary Slingshot”*

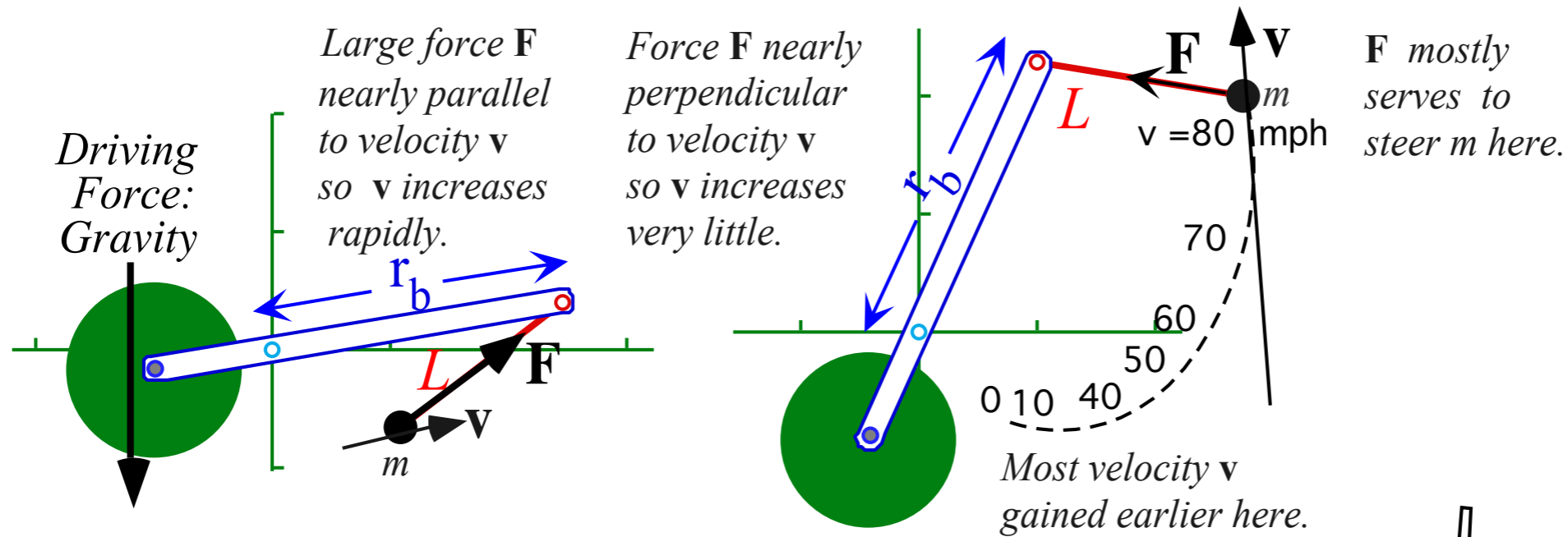
# Trebuchet analogy with racquet swing - What we learn



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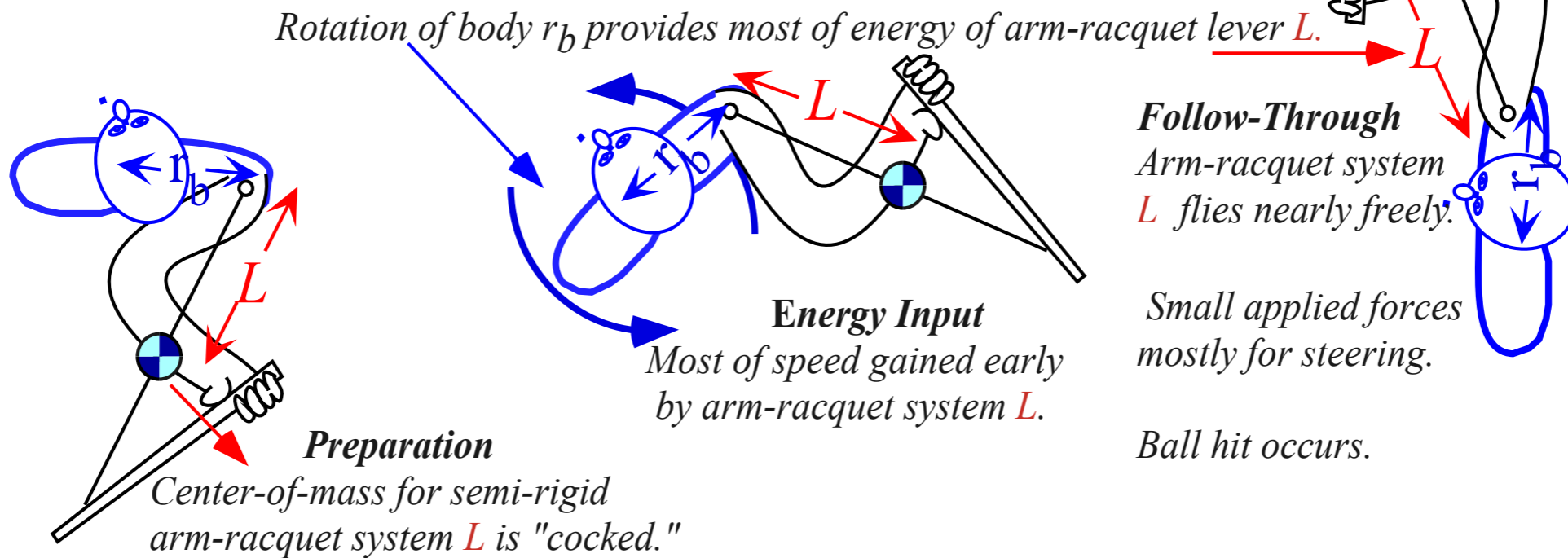
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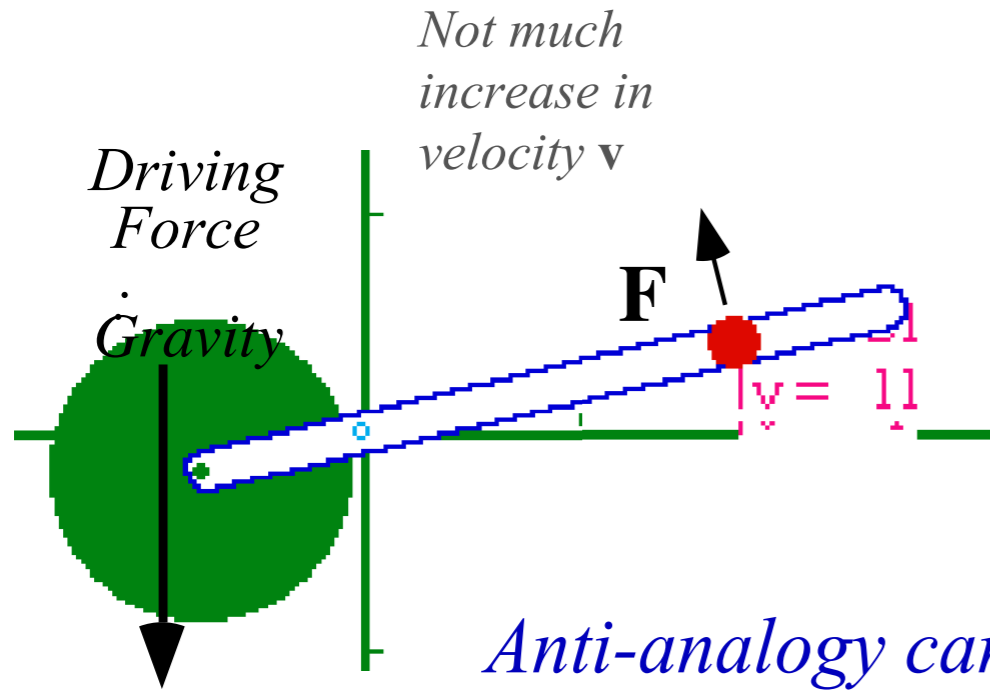


# An Opposite to Trebuchet Mechanics- The "Flinger"

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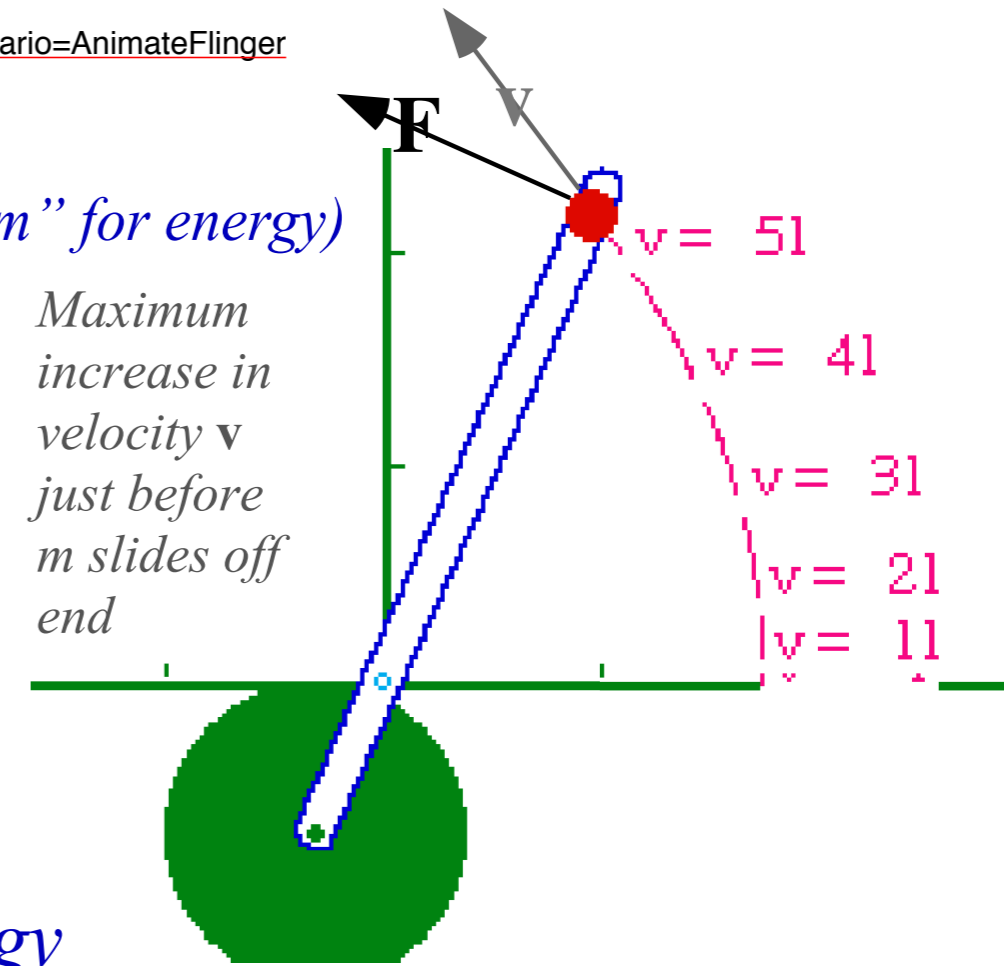
## Early on

(Not much happening)



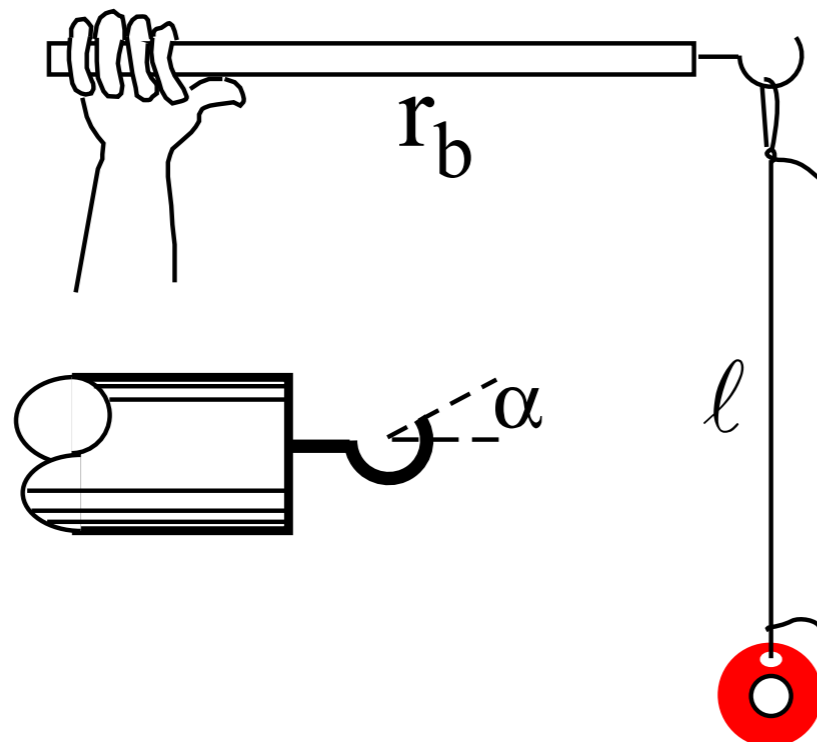
## Later on

(Last-minute "cram" for energy)

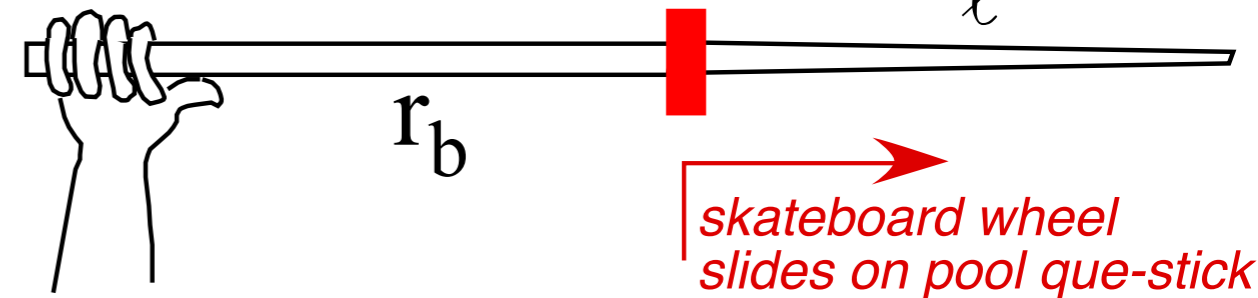


Anti-analogy can be useful pedagogy

Trebuchet-like experiment



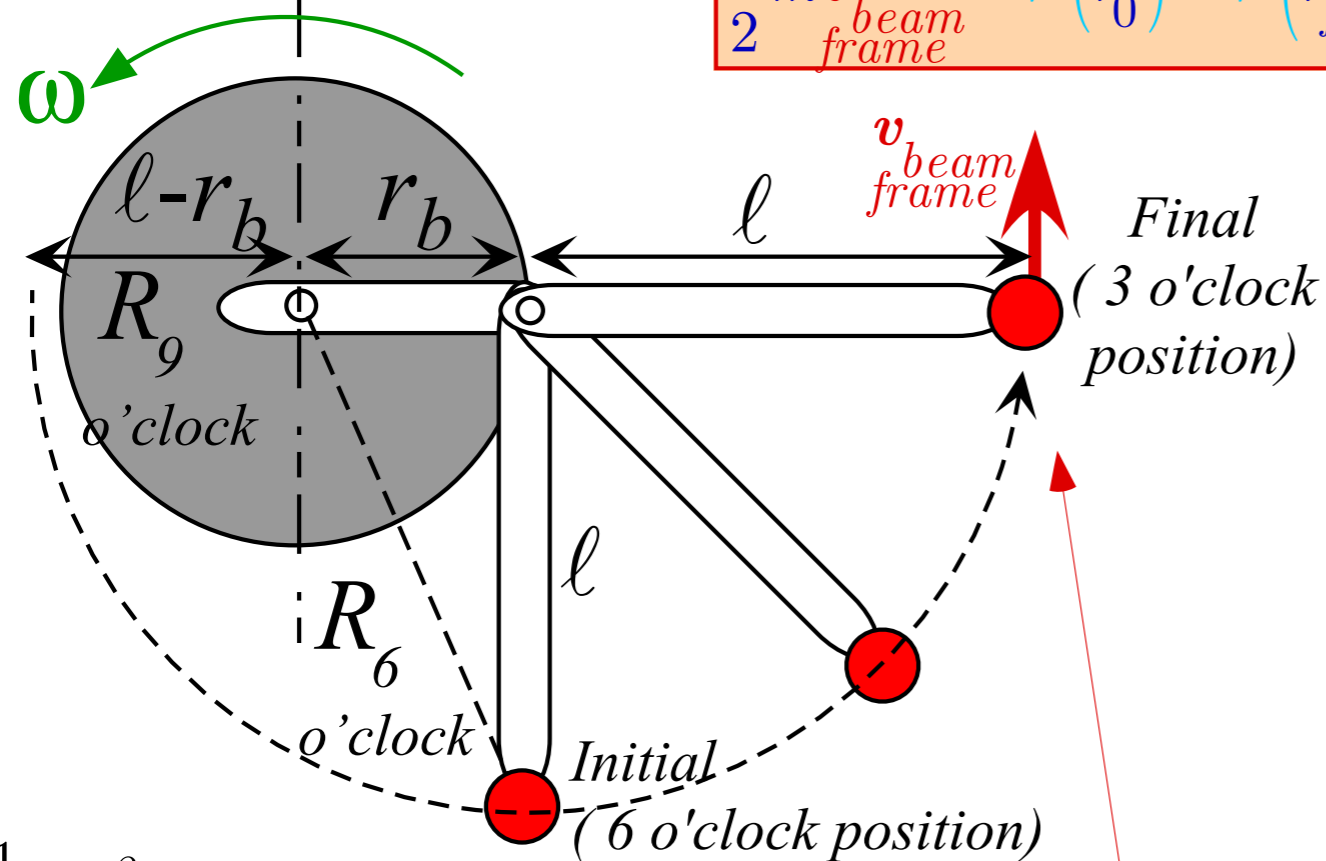
Flinger experiment



skateboard wheel swings

# Trebuchet model in rotating beam frame

Assume: Constant beam  $\omega$

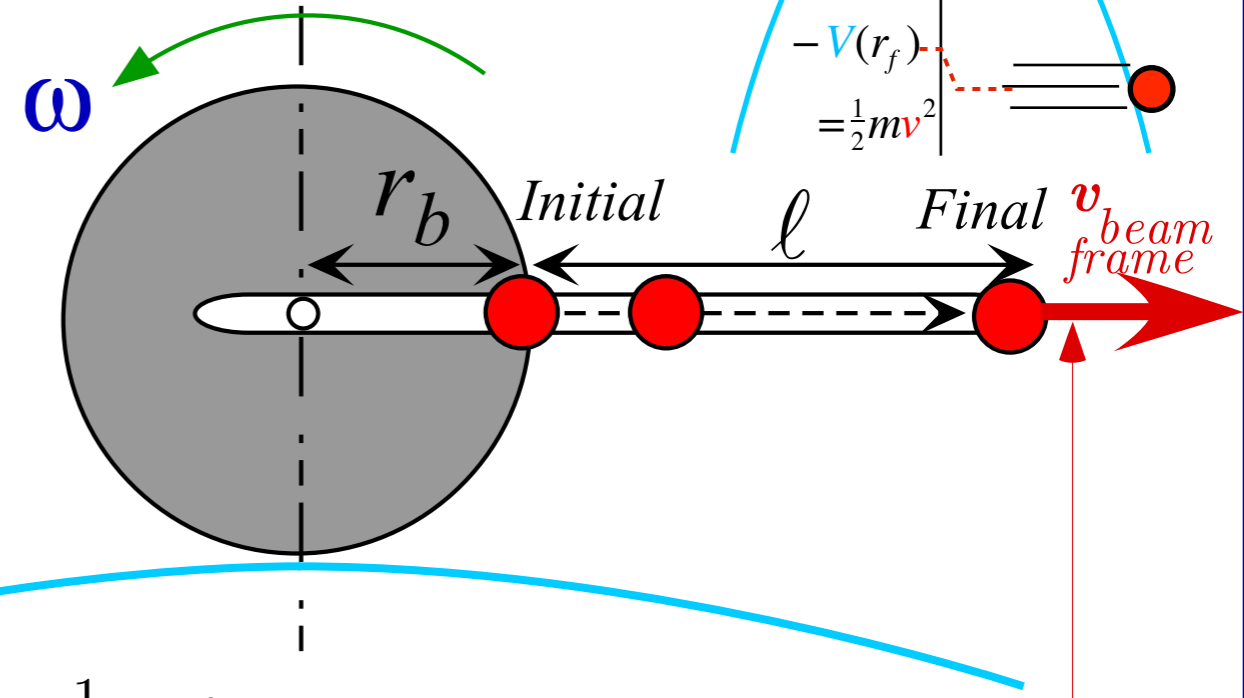


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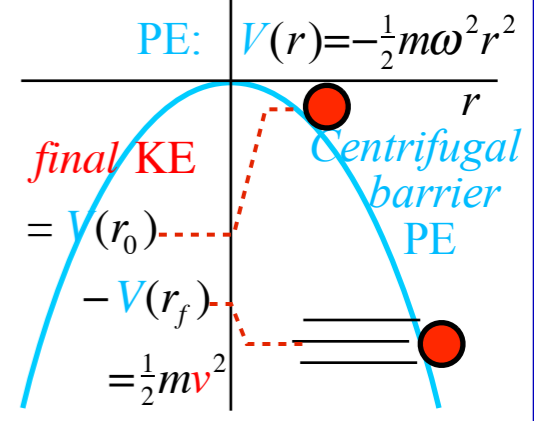
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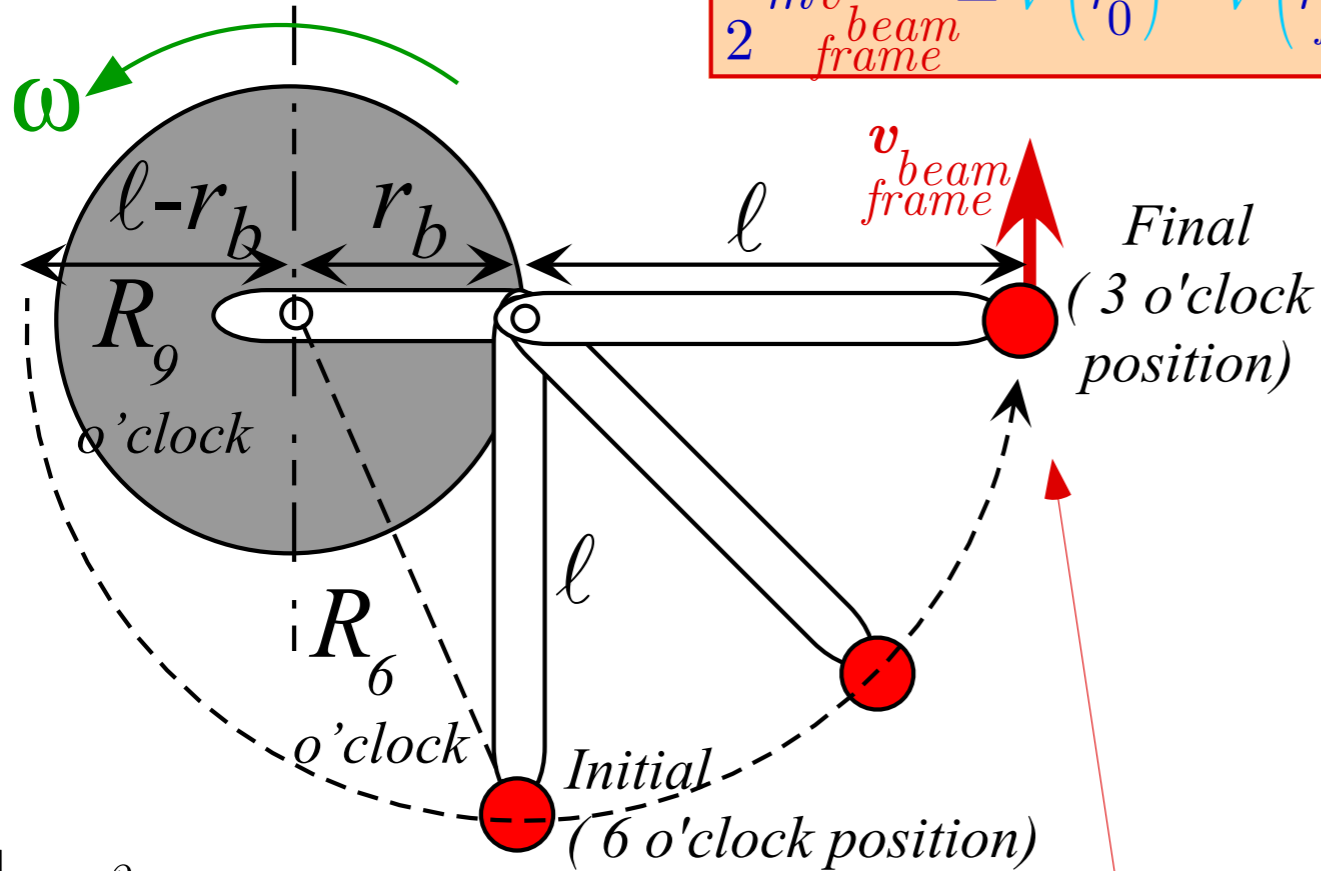
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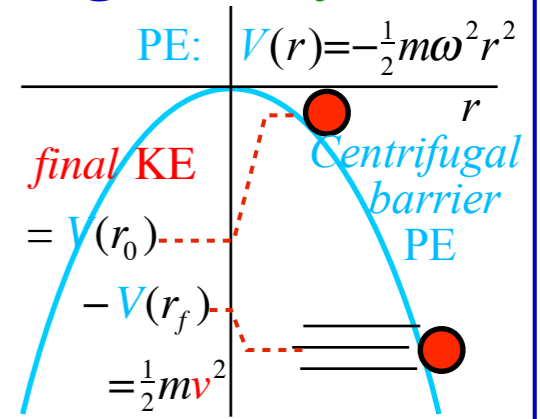
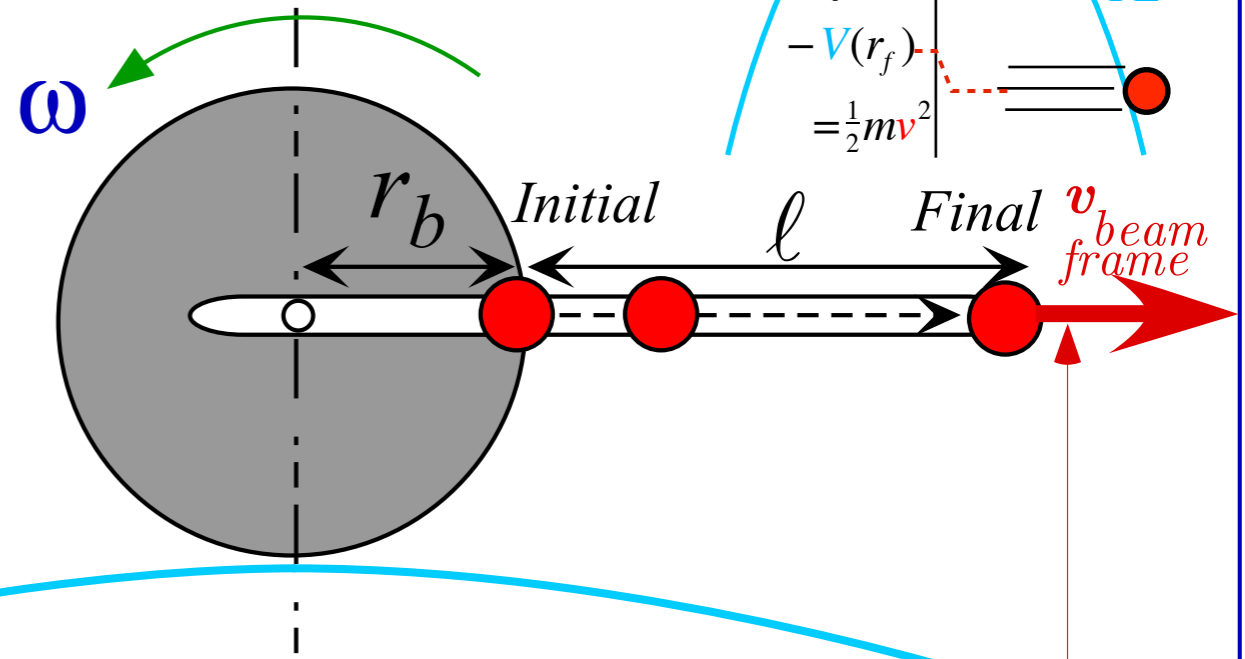
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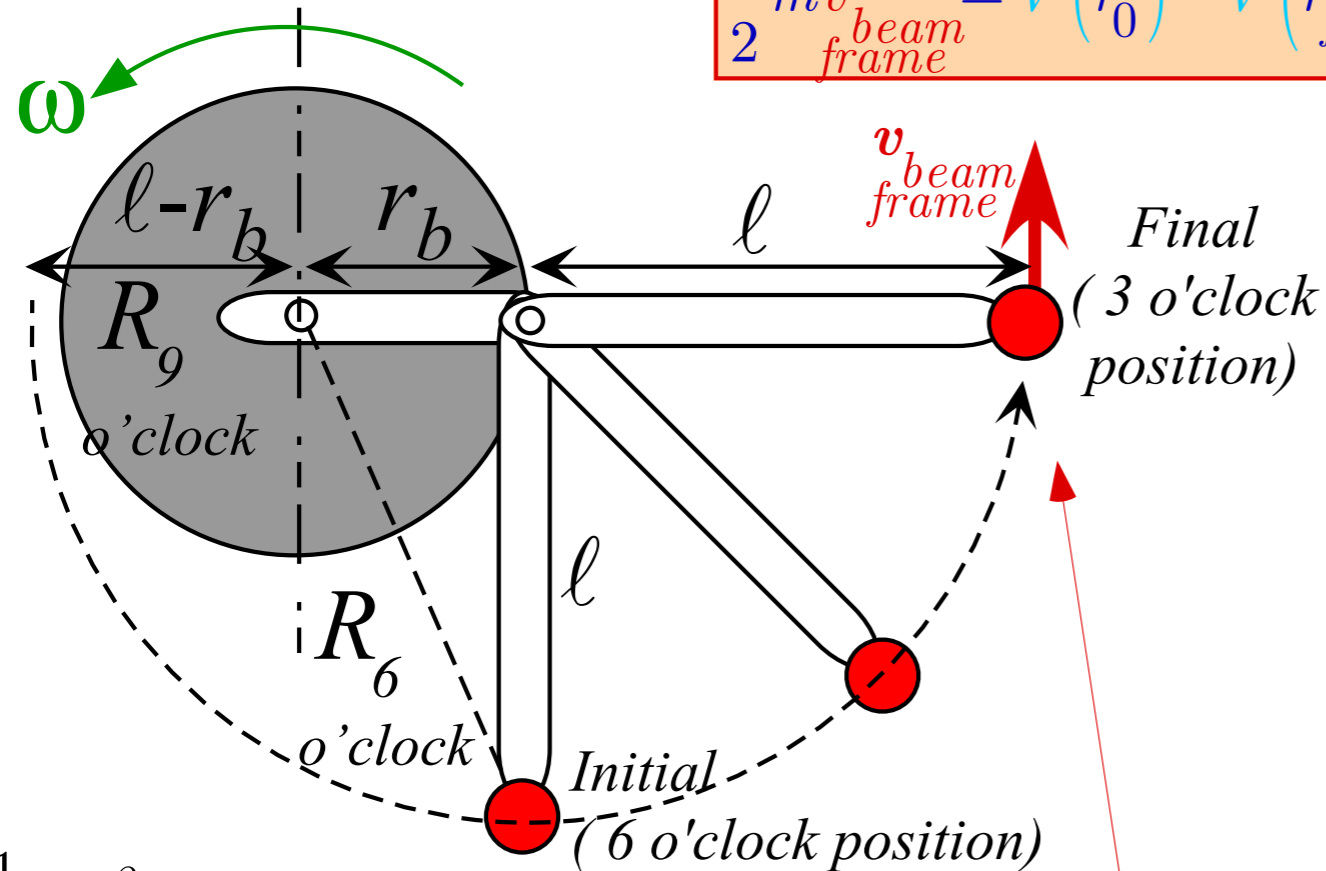


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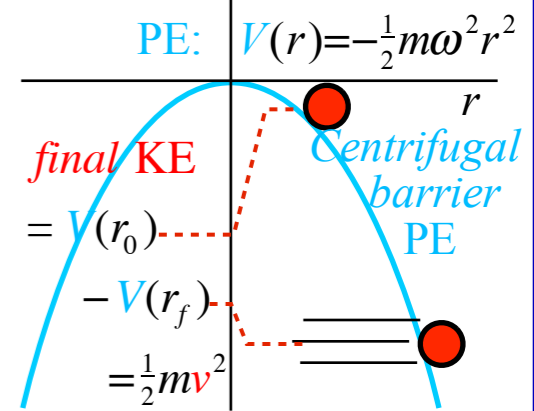
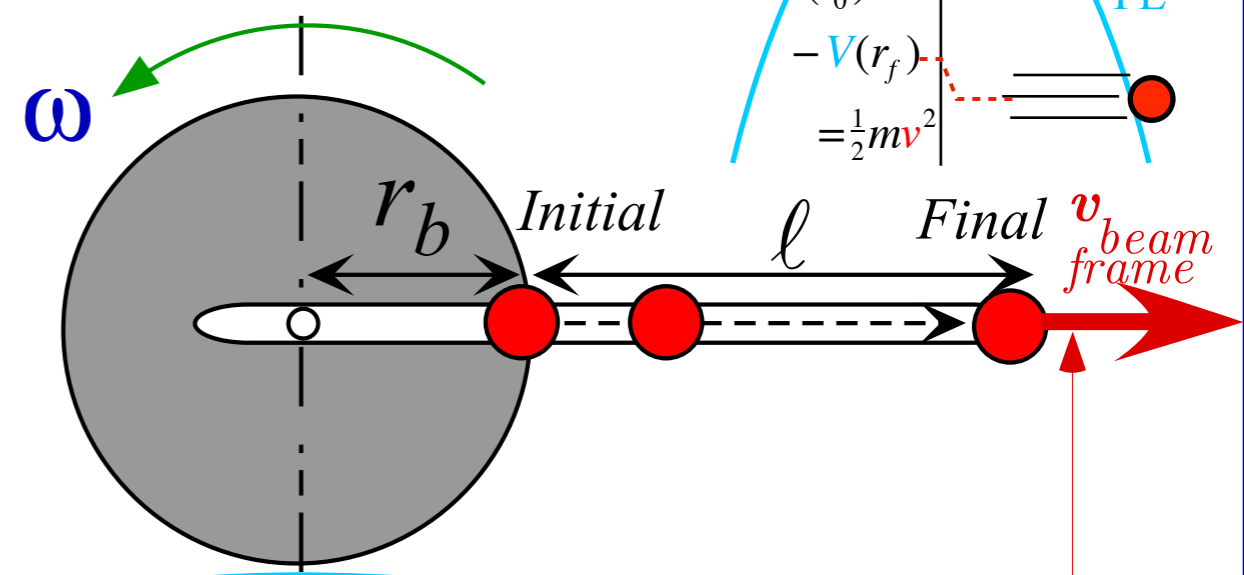
Final
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6 o'clock

$$R_6^2 = r_b^2 + l^2$$

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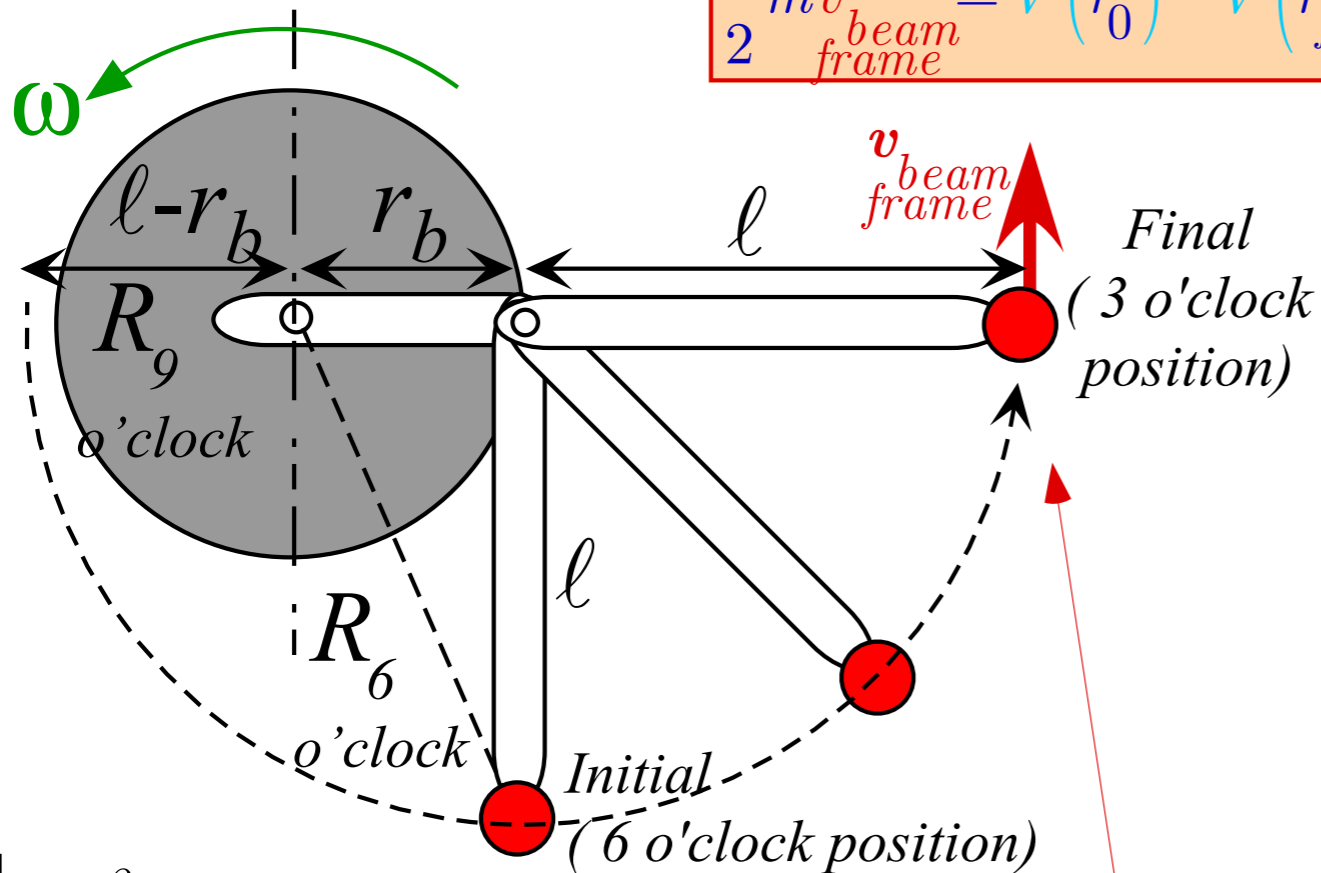
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Flinger KE is  $\frac{m \omega^2}{2} l^2$  more than 6 o'clock trebuchet but misdirected

## Trebuchet model in rotating beam frame

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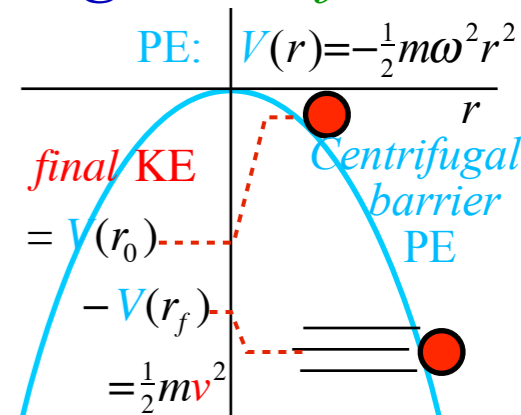
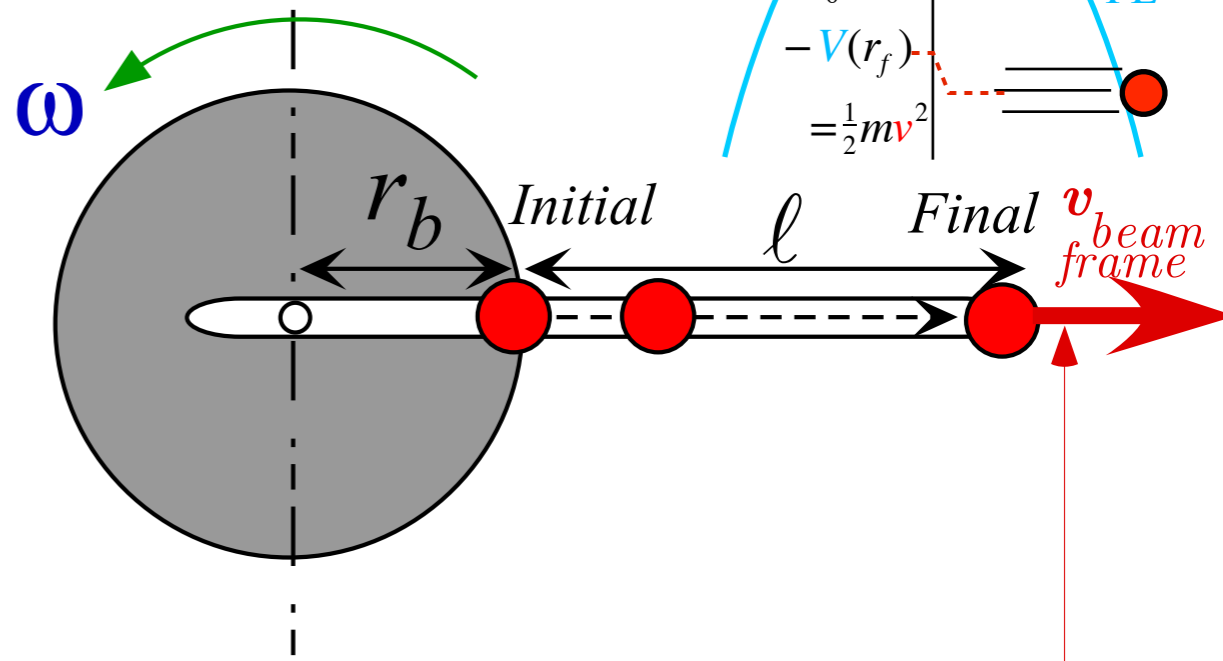
$$\text{Initial } 9 \text{ o'clock} = \frac{1}{2} m \omega^2 (4r_b l)$$

$$R_9^2 = r_b^2 + l^2 - 2r_b l$$

o'clock

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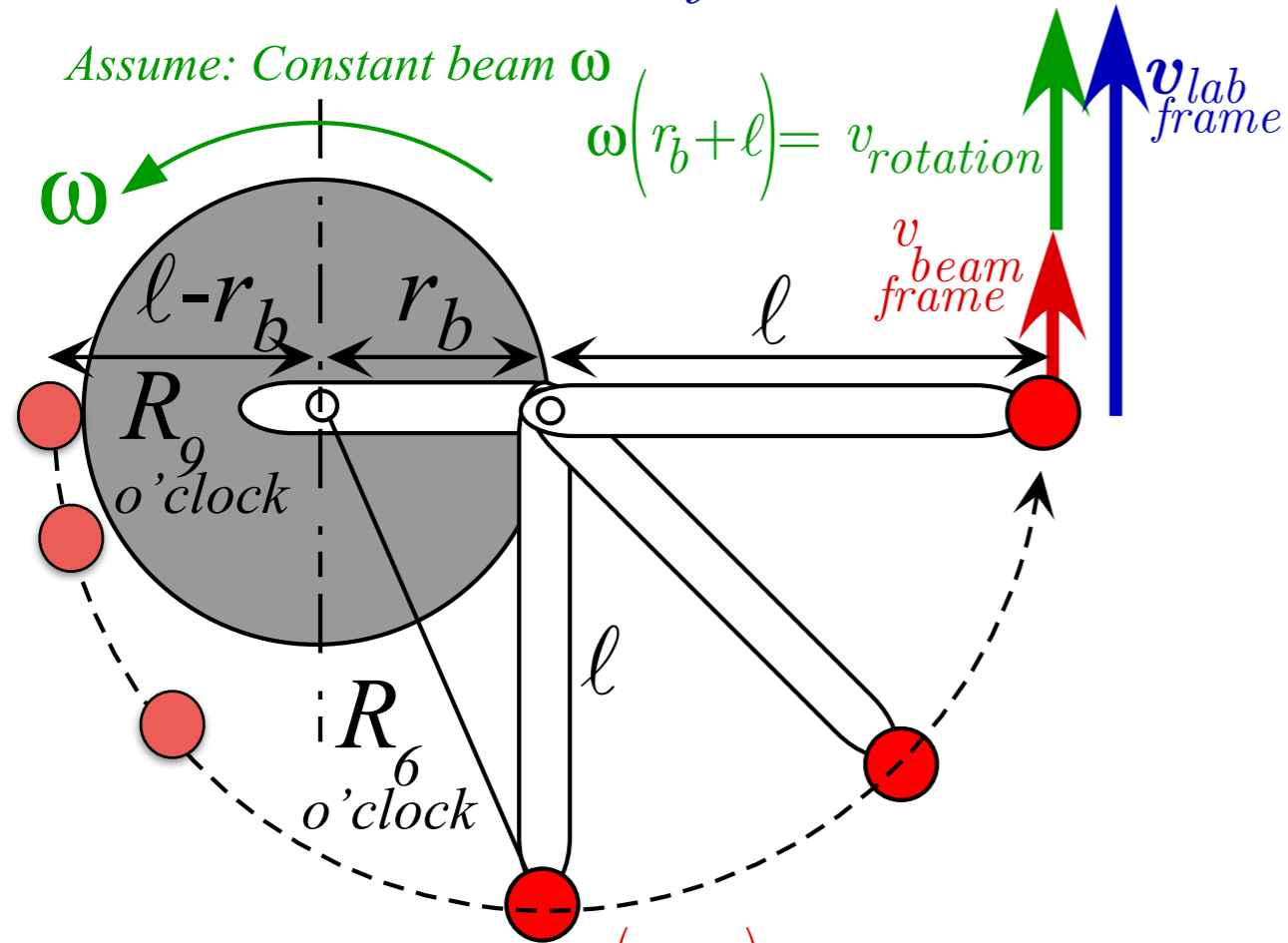
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Flinger KE is  $\frac{m \omega^2}{2} l^2$  more than 6 o'clock trebuchet but misdirected

Flinger KE is  $\frac{m \omega^2}{2} (2r_b l - l^2)$  less than 9 o'clock trebuchet and misdirected

## Trebuchet model in lab frame



$$v_{beam\ frame}^2 (trebuchet) = \begin{cases} \omega^2 (2r_b l) & \text{half-cocked 6 o'clock} \\ \omega^2 (4r_b l) & \text{fully-cocked 9 o'clock} \end{cases}$$

$$v_{lab\ frame} (trebuchet) =$$

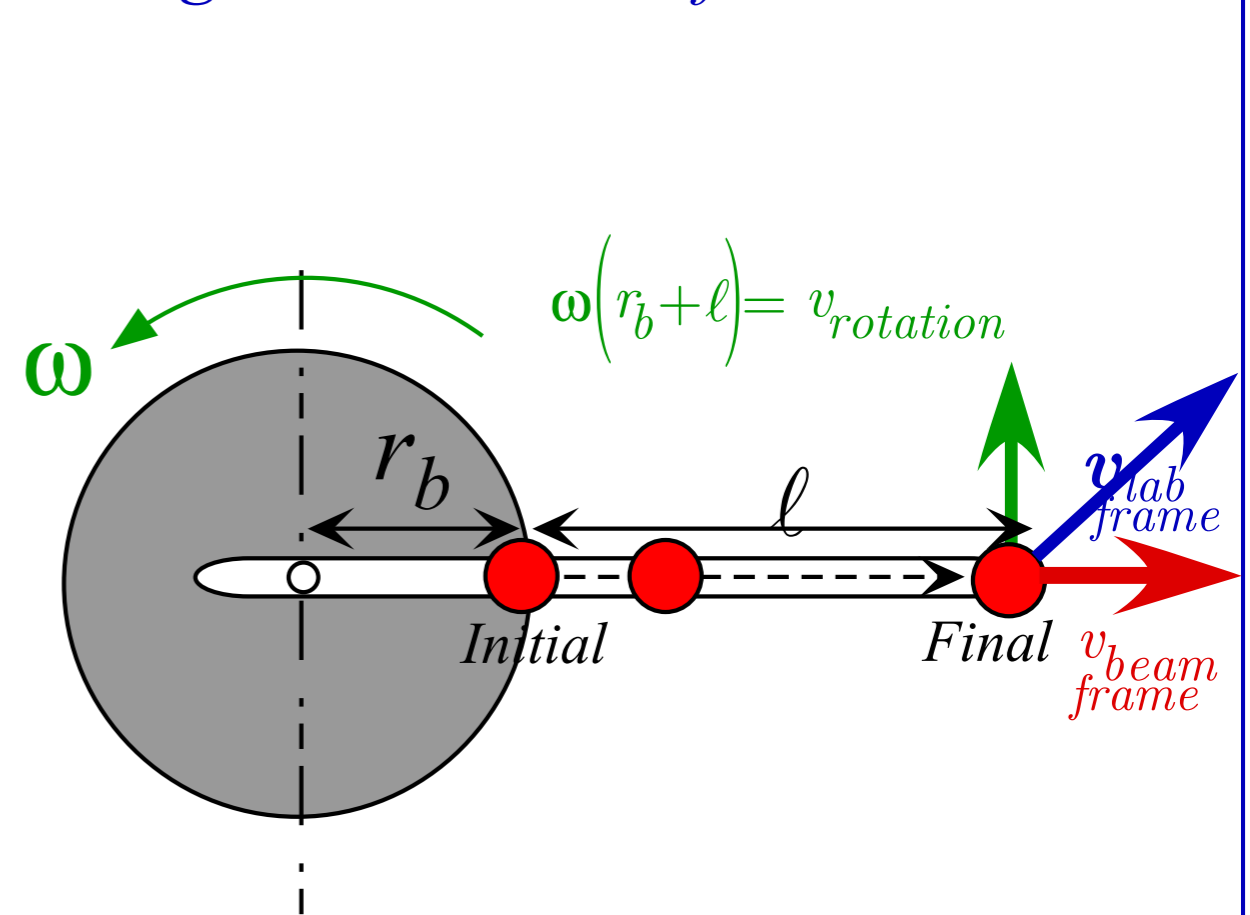
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## Flinger model in lab frame



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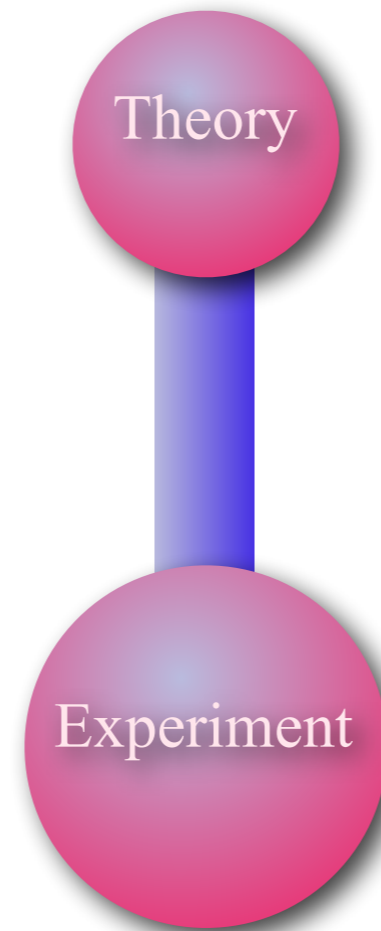
$$= \omega \sqrt{(r_b + l)^2 + l(2r_b + l)} = \omega \sqrt{2(r_b + l)^2 - r_b^2}$$

(compare)

$$= 3.74\omega \quad = 3.96\omega \quad = 4.12\omega$$

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Physics used to be pretty much bi-polar...



Now that situation is changing...

# Many Approaches to Mechanics (Trebuchet Equations)

Each has advantages and disadvantages

- U.S. Approach

*Quick'n dirty*

Newton F=Ma Equations

Cartesian coordinates

- French Approach

*Tres elegant*

Lagrange Equations

in Generalized Coordinates

$$F_\ell = \frac{d}{dt} \frac{\partial T}{\partial \dot{q}^\ell} - \frac{\partial T}{\partial q^\ell}$$

- German Approach

*Pride and Precision*

Riemann Christoffel Equations

in Differential Manifolds

$$F^k = \ddot{q}^k + \Gamma_{mn}^k \dot{q}^m \dot{q}^n$$

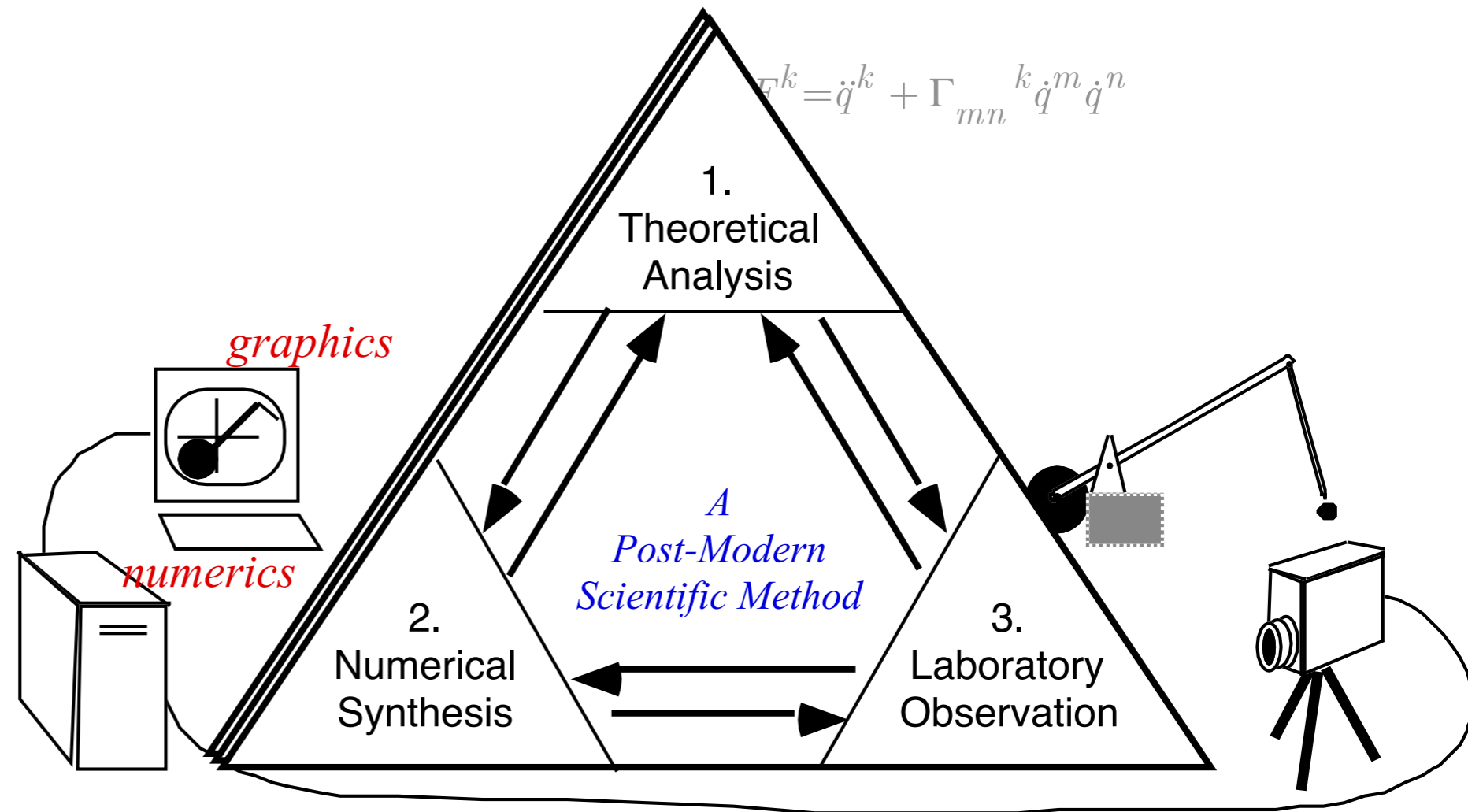
- Anglo-Irish Approach

*Powerfully Creative*

Hamilton's Equations

Phase Space  $\dot{p}_j = -\frac{\partial H}{\partial q^j}, \quad \dot{q}^k = \frac{\partial H}{\partial p^k}.$

- Unified Approach



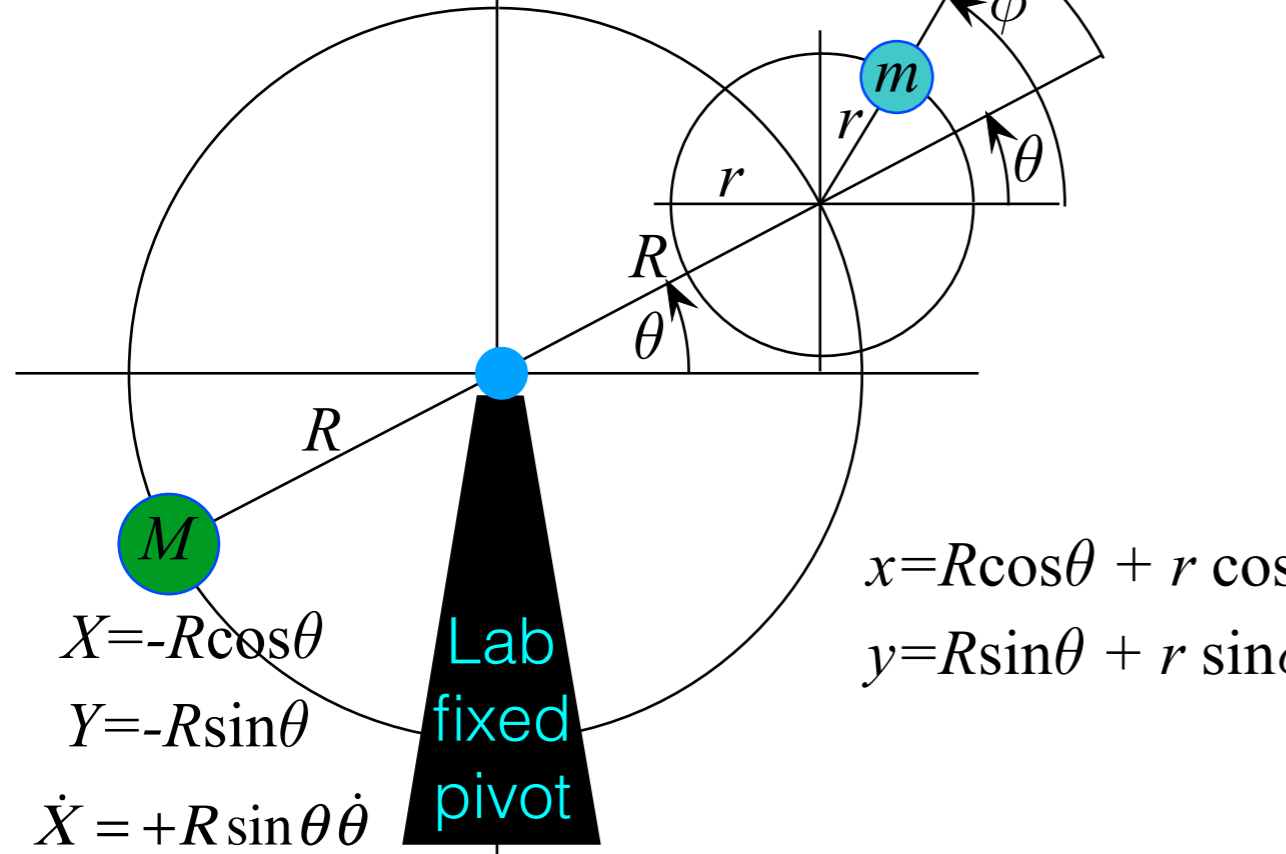
All approaches have one thing in common:

The Art of Approximation

Physics lives and dies by the art of approximate models and analogs.

Hamilton-Jacobi-Poincare:  $dS = Ldt = p_\mu dq^\mu - Hdt$   
 $p_\mu = \frac{\partial S}{\partial q^\mu}, -H = \frac{\partial S}{\partial t}$

# Cheap Trebuchet Theory



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$$Y = -R \sin \theta$$

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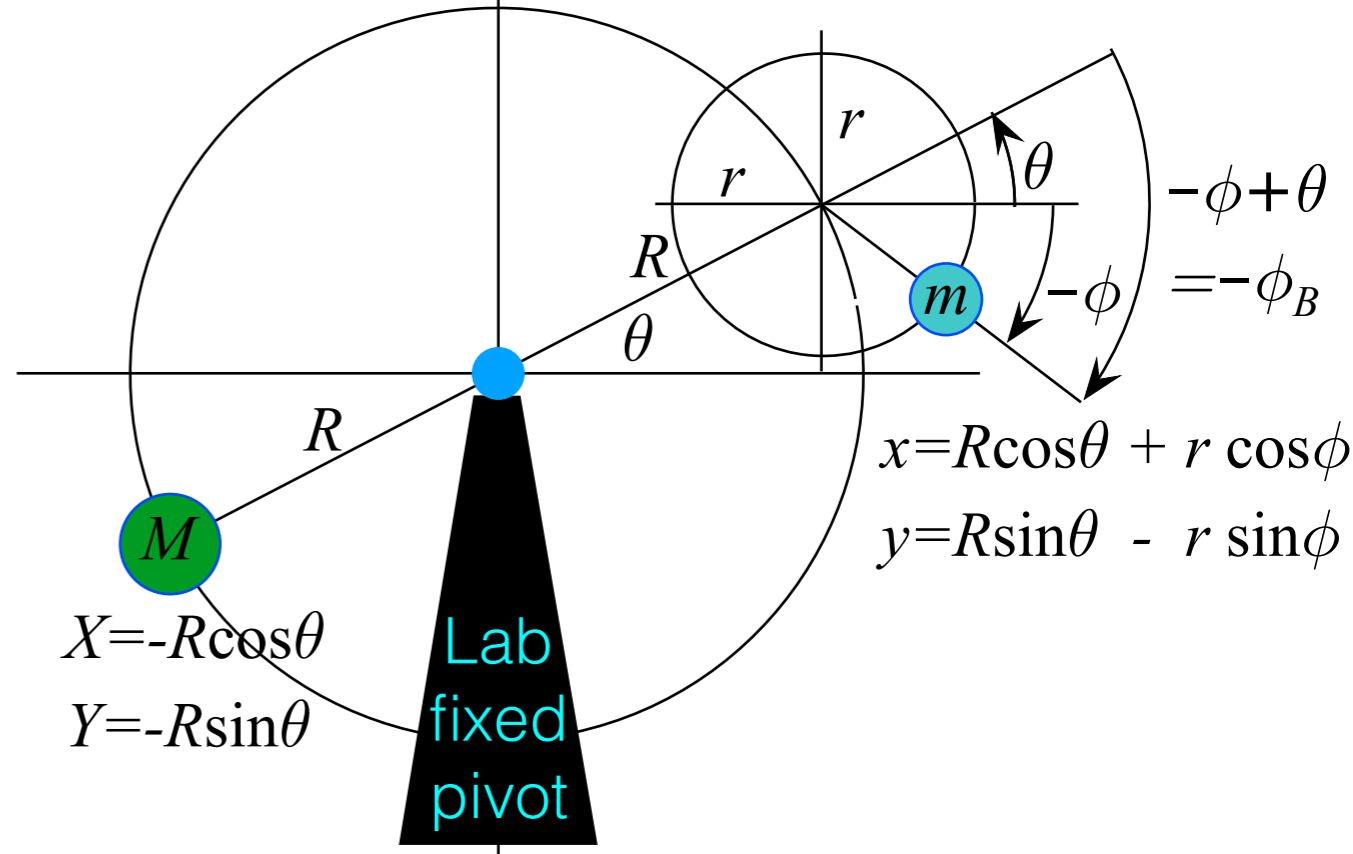
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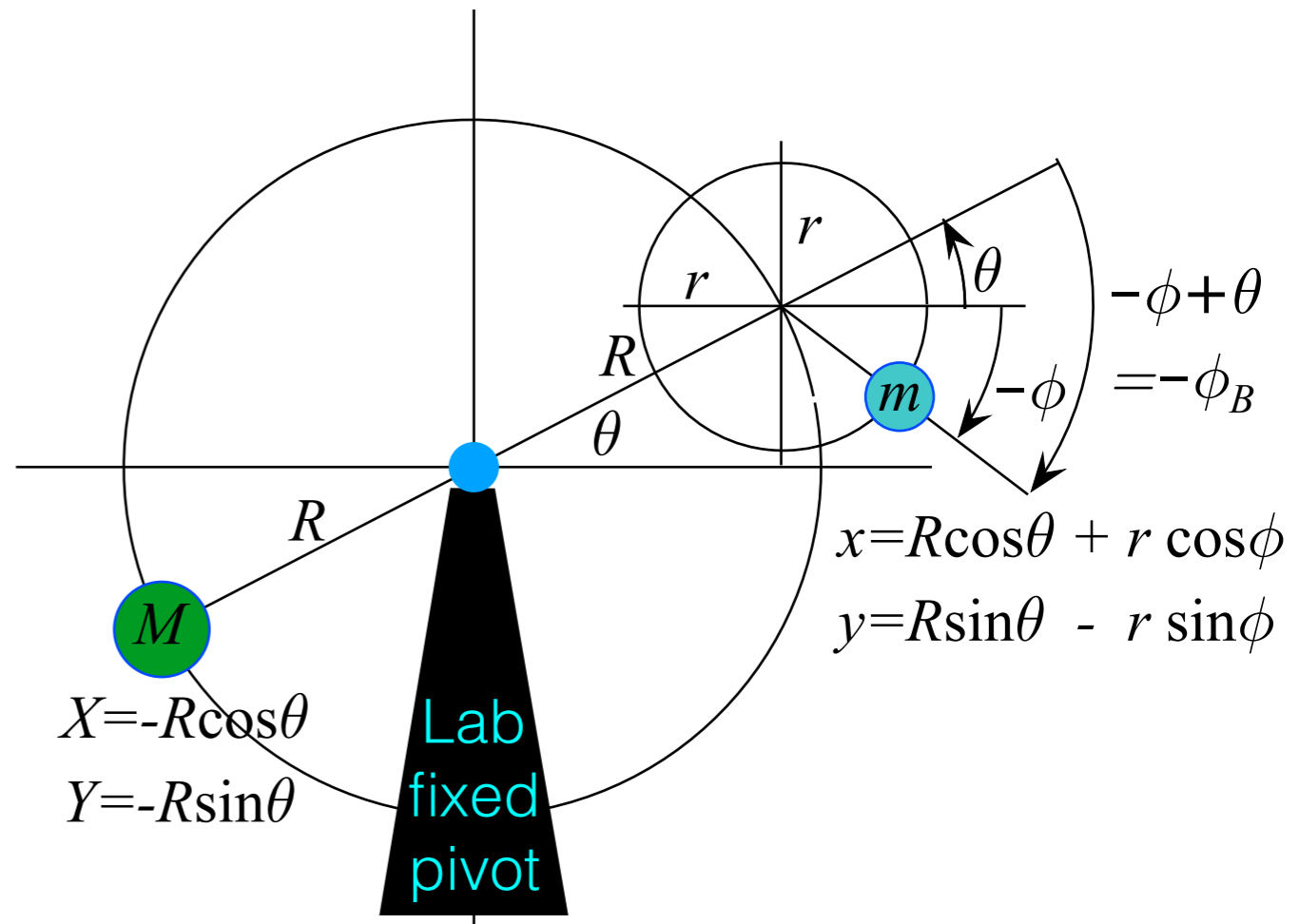
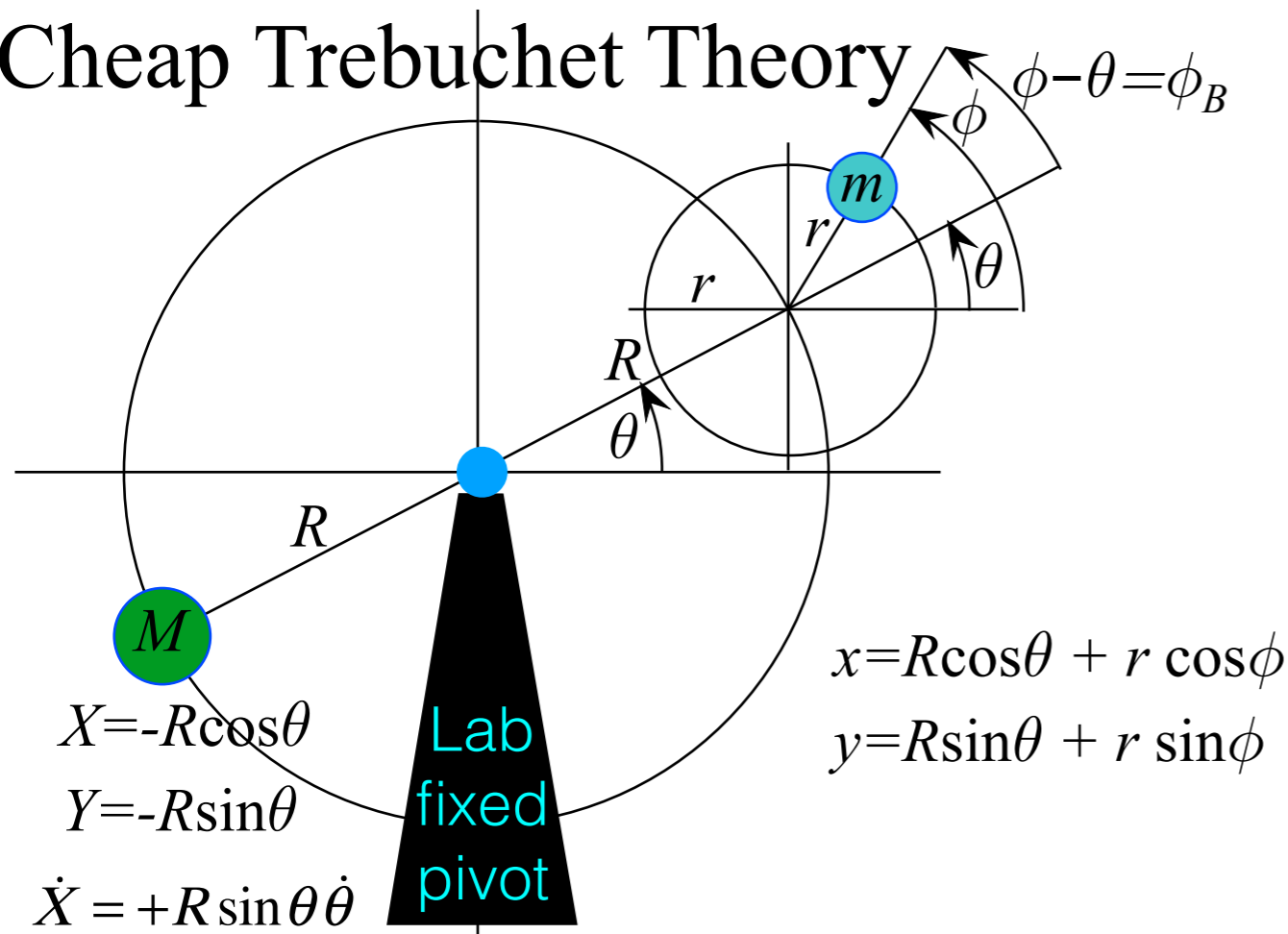
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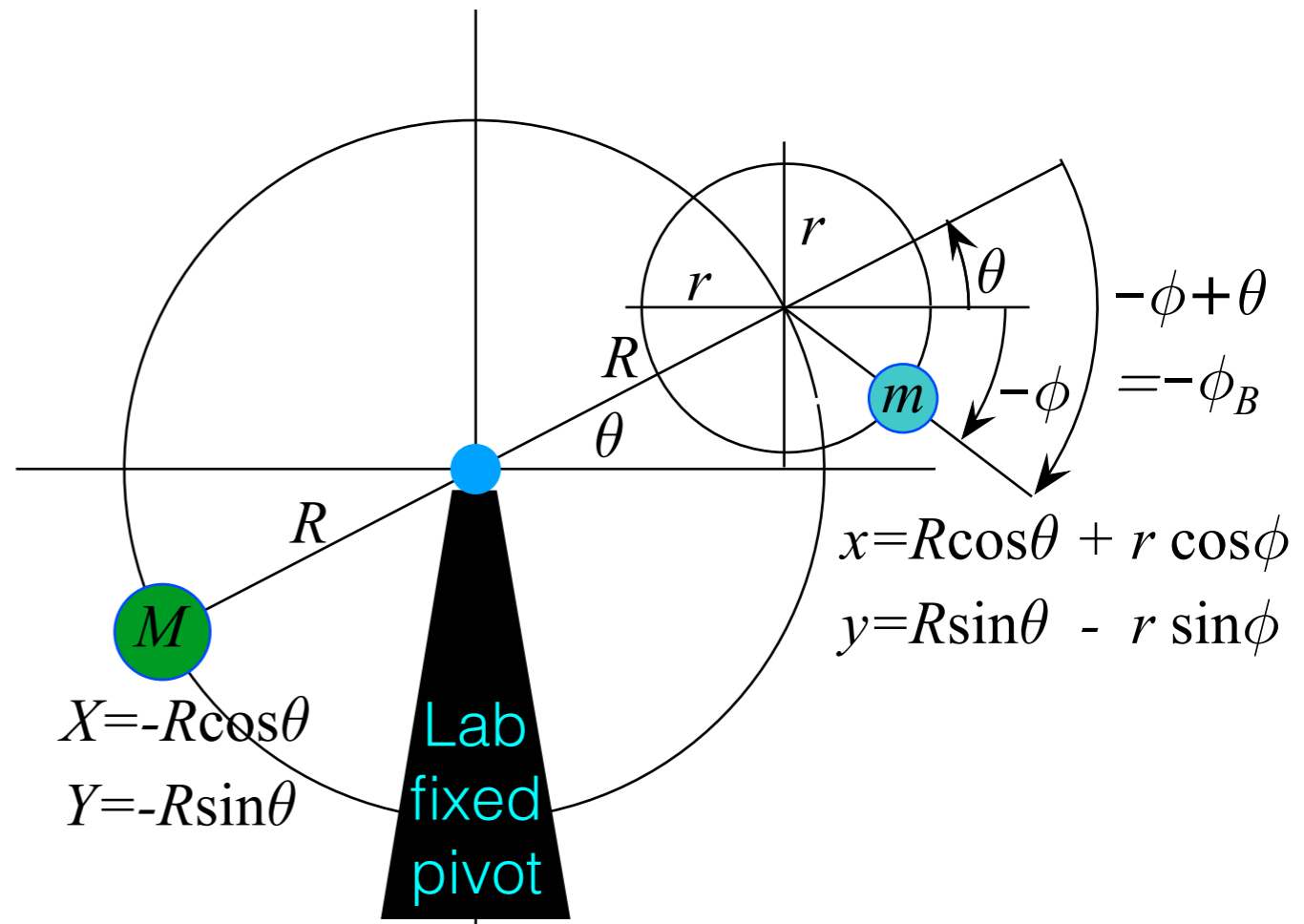
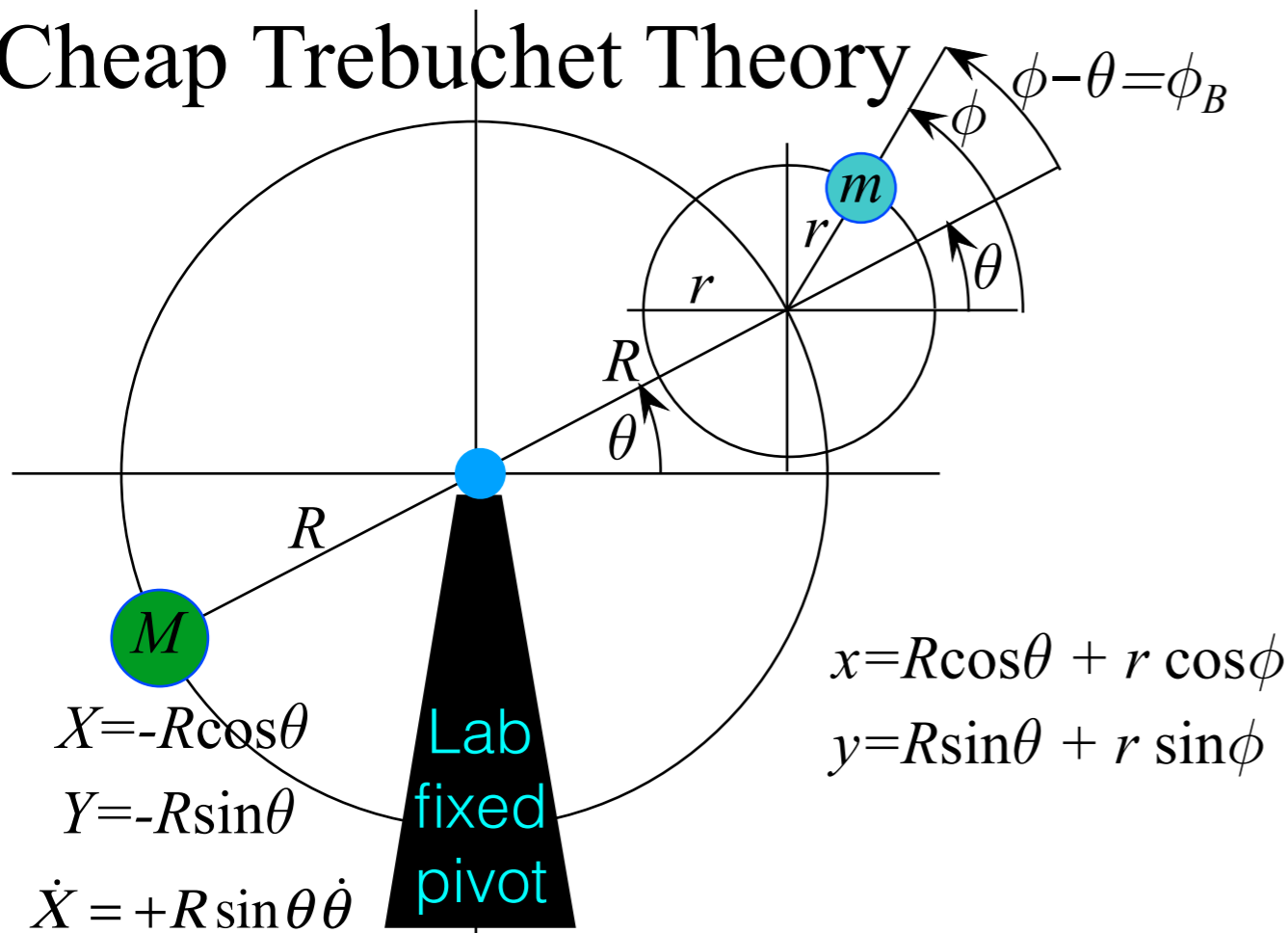
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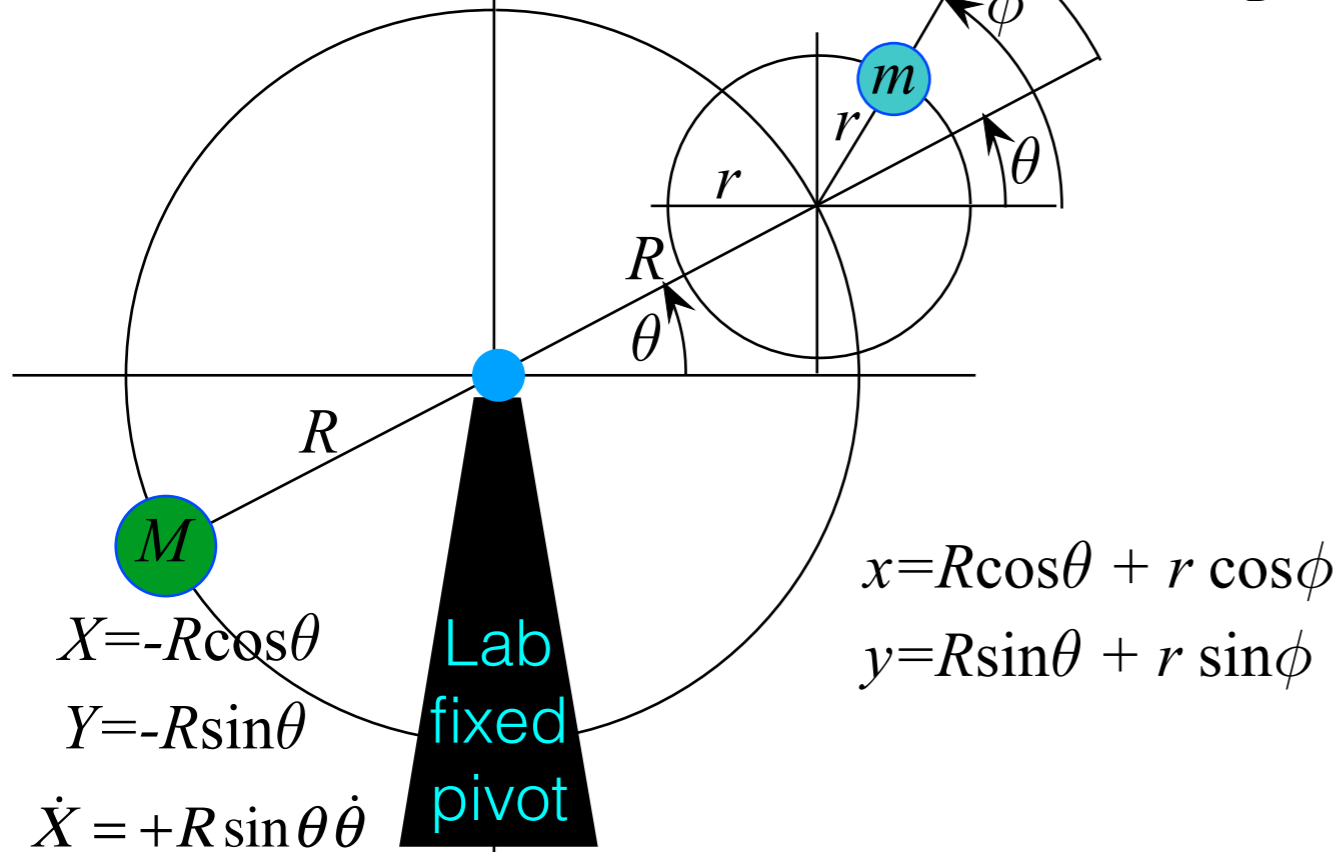
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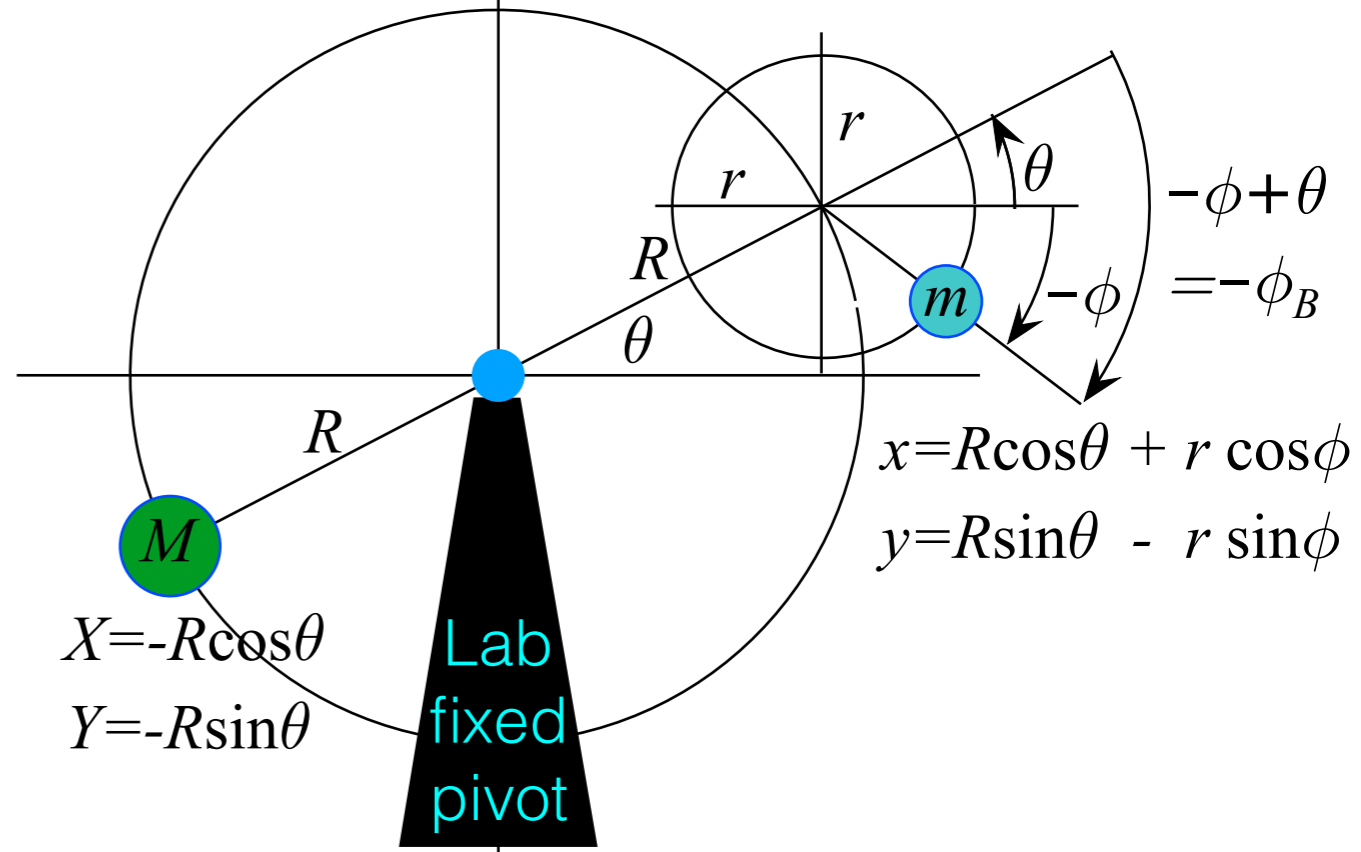
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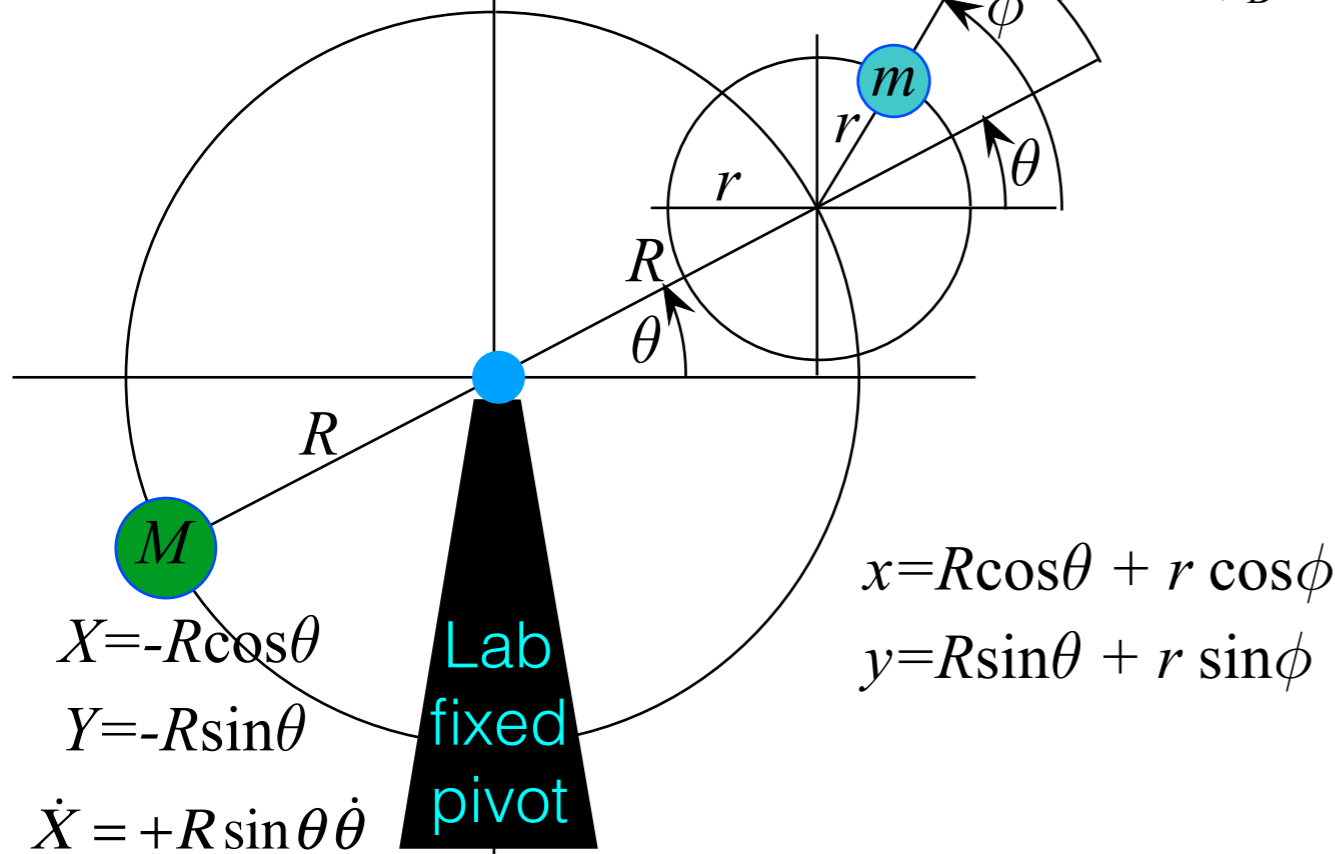
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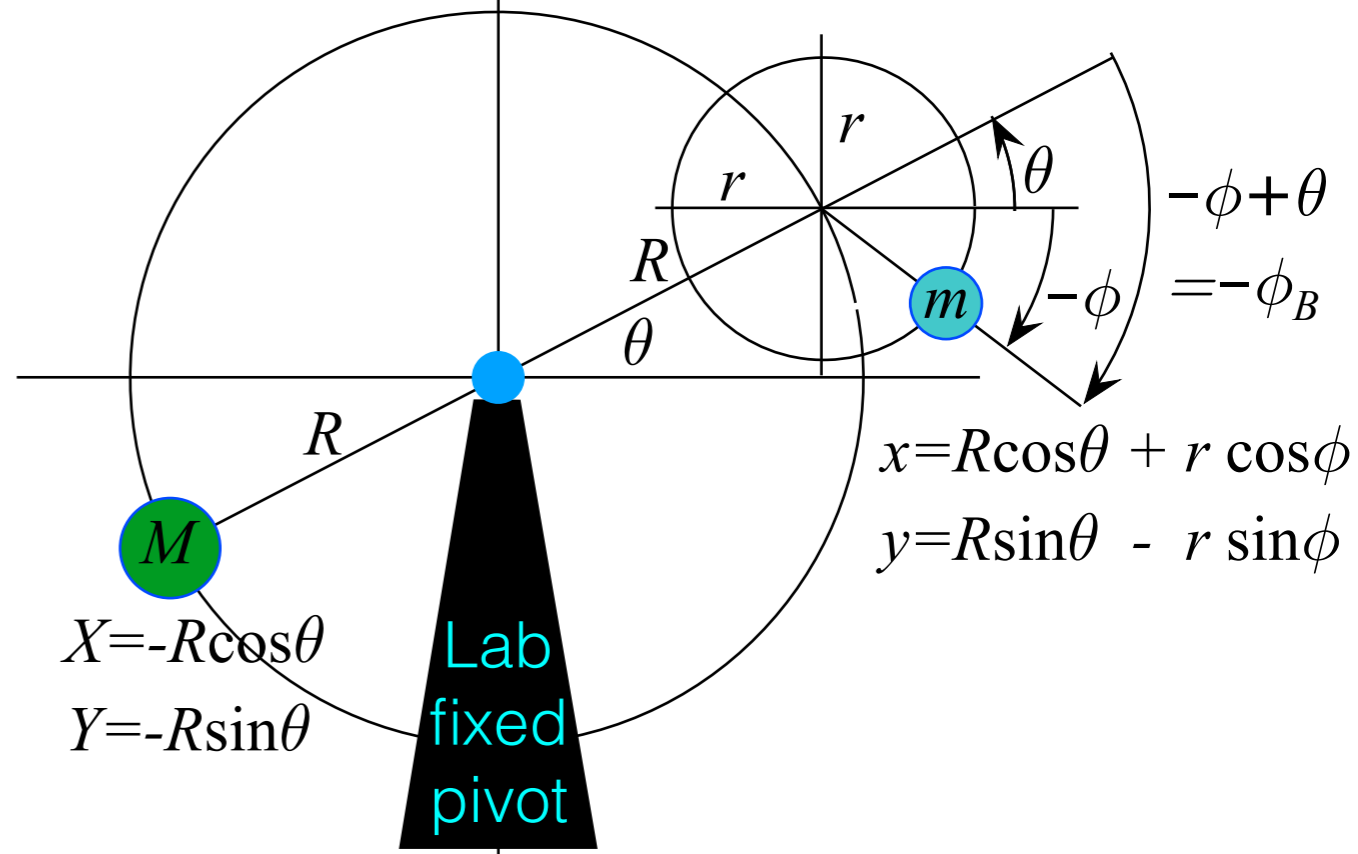
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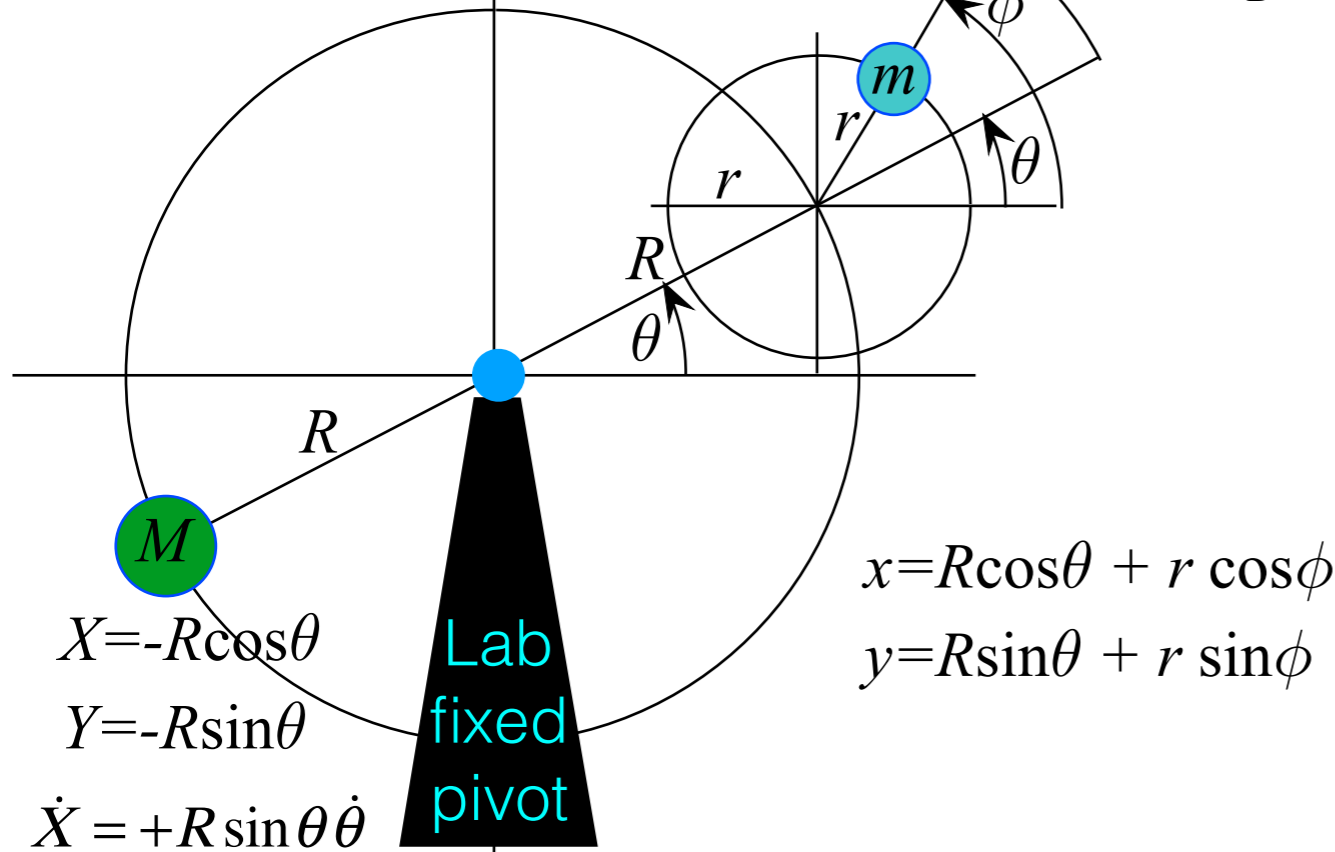
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KE of driver  $M$  plus projectile  $m$  is explicit function of beam-relative coordinate  $-\phi_B = (\theta - \phi)$  only

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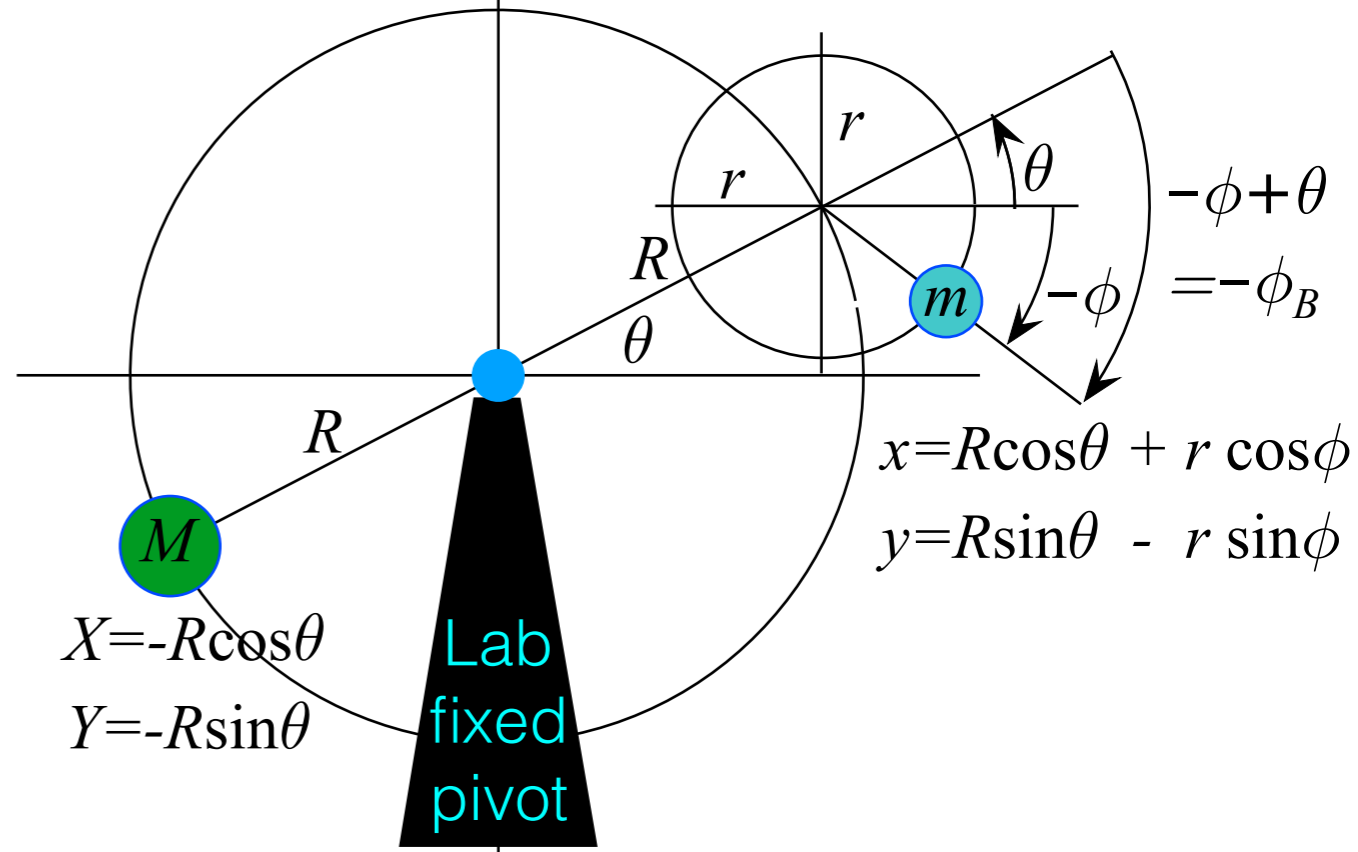
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$$\dot{y}^2 = (R \cos \theta \dot{\theta} + r \cos \phi \dot{\phi})(+R \cos \theta \dot{\theta} + r \cos \phi \dot{\phi}) = R^2 \cos^2 \theta \dot{\theta}^2 + 2Rr \cos \theta \cos \phi \dot{\theta} \dot{\phi} + r^2 \cos^2 \phi \dot{\phi}^2$$

$$\dot{x}^2 + \dot{y}^2 = R^2 \dot{\theta}^2 + 2Rr \cos(\theta - \phi) \dot{\theta} \dot{\phi} + r^2 \dot{\phi}^2$$

KE of driver  $M$  plus projectile  $m$  is explicit function of beam-relative coordinate  $-\phi_B = (\theta - \phi)$  only

$$T = \frac{1}{2} M (\dot{X}^2 + \dot{Y}^2) + \frac{1}{2} m (\dot{x}^2 + \dot{y}^2) = \frac{1}{2} M (R^2 \dot{\theta}^2) + \frac{1}{2} m (R^2 \dot{\theta}^2 + 2Rr \cos(\theta - \phi) \dot{\theta} \dot{\phi} + r^2 \dot{\phi}^2)$$

$$T = \frac{1}{2} M (\dot{X}^2 + \dot{Y}^2) + \frac{1}{2} m (\dot{x}^2 + \dot{y}^2) = \frac{1}{2} (M + m) (R^2 \dot{\theta}^2) + mRr \cos(\theta - \phi) \dot{\theta} \dot{\phi} + \frac{1}{2} m r^2 \dot{\phi}^2$$

For symmetric ( $R=r$ ) trebuchet:  $T = R^2 \left[ \frac{M+m}{2} \dot{\theta}^2 + \frac{m}{2} \dot{\phi}^2 + m \dot{\theta} \dot{\phi} \cos \phi_B \right]$

**Force, Work, and Acceleration**

$$dW = F_X dX + F_Y dY + F_x dx + F_y dy$$

$$= M\ddot{X}dX + M\ddot{Y}dY + m\ddot{x}dx + m\ddot{y}dy$$

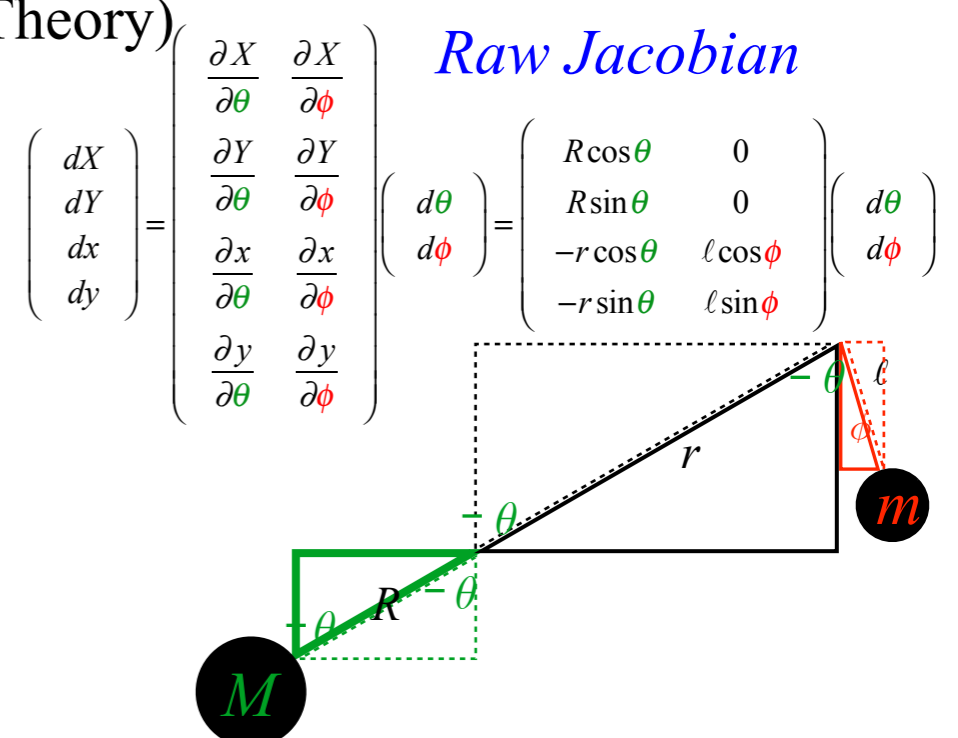
Write work-sums in columns: (Using GCC  $d\theta$  and  $d\phi$  in Jacobian)

$$dW = F_X dX = M\ddot{X}dX = F_X \frac{\partial X}{\partial \theta} d\theta + F_X \frac{\partial X}{\partial \phi} d\phi = M\ddot{X} \frac{\partial X}{\partial \theta} d\theta + M\ddot{X} \frac{\partial X}{\partial \phi} d\phi$$

$$+ F_Y dY + M\ddot{Y}dY + F_Y \frac{\partial Y}{\partial \theta} d\theta + F_Y \frac{\partial Y}{\partial \phi} d\phi + M\ddot{Y} \frac{\partial Y}{\partial \theta} d\theta + M\ddot{Y} \frac{\partial Y}{\partial \phi} d\phi$$

$$+ F_x dx + m\ddot{x}dx + F_x \frac{\partial x}{\partial \theta} d\theta + F_x \frac{\partial x}{\partial \phi} d\phi + m\ddot{x} \frac{\partial x}{\partial \theta} d\theta + m\ddot{x} \frac{\partial x}{\partial \phi} d\phi$$

$$+ F_y dy + m\ddot{y}dy + F_y \frac{\partial y}{\partial \theta} d\theta + F_y \frac{\partial y}{\partial \phi} d\phi + m\ddot{y} \frac{\partial y}{\partial \theta} d\theta + m\ddot{y} \frac{\partial y}{\partial \phi} d\phi$$



Lagrange trickery:

**STEP D** Add up first and last columns for each variable  $\theta$  and  $\phi$  for:

$$T = \frac{M\dot{X}^2}{2} + \frac{M\dot{Y}^2}{2} + \frac{M\dot{x}^2}{2} + \frac{M\dot{y}^2}{2}$$

Let:  $F_X \frac{\partial X}{\partial \theta} + F_Y \frac{\partial Y}{\partial \theta} + F_x \frac{\partial x}{\partial \theta} + F_y \frac{\partial y}{\partial \theta} \equiv F_\theta = \frac{d}{dt} \frac{\partial T}{\partial \dot{\theta}} - \frac{\partial T}{\partial \theta}$

Let:  $F_X \frac{\partial X}{\partial \phi} + F_Y \frac{\partial Y}{\partial \phi} + F_x \frac{\partial x}{\partial \phi} + F_y \frac{\partial y}{\partial \phi} \equiv F_\phi = \frac{d}{dt} \frac{\partial T}{\partial \dot{\phi}} - \frac{\partial T}{\partial \phi}$

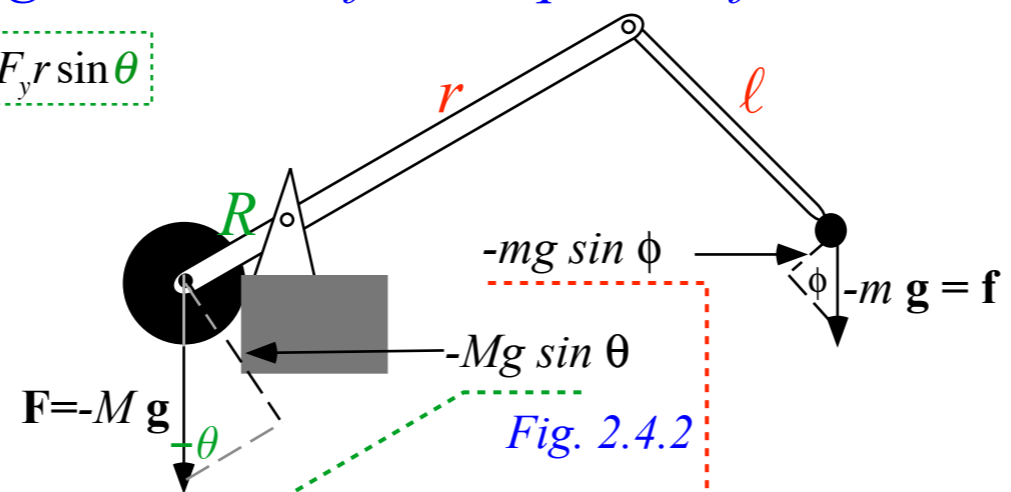
Completes derivation of Lagrange covariant-force equation for each GCC variable  $\theta$  and  $\phi$ .

$$F_X R \cos \theta + F_Y R \sin \theta - F_x r \cos \theta - F_y r \sin \theta$$

$$\equiv F_\theta = \frac{d}{dt} \frac{\partial T}{\partial \dot{\theta}} - \frac{\partial T}{\partial \theta}$$

Add  $F_\theta$  gravity given  
 $(F_X=0, F_Y=-Mg)$   
 $(F_x=0, F_y=-mg)$

$$F_\theta = \frac{d}{dt} \frac{\partial T}{\partial \dot{\theta}} - \frac{\partial T}{\partial \theta} = -MgR \sin \theta + mgr \sin \theta$$



$$F_X \cdot 0 + F_Y \cdot 0 + F_x \ell \cos \phi + F_y \ell \sin \phi$$

$$\equiv F_\phi = \frac{d}{dt} \frac{\partial T}{\partial \dot{\phi}} - \frac{\partial T}{\partial \phi}$$

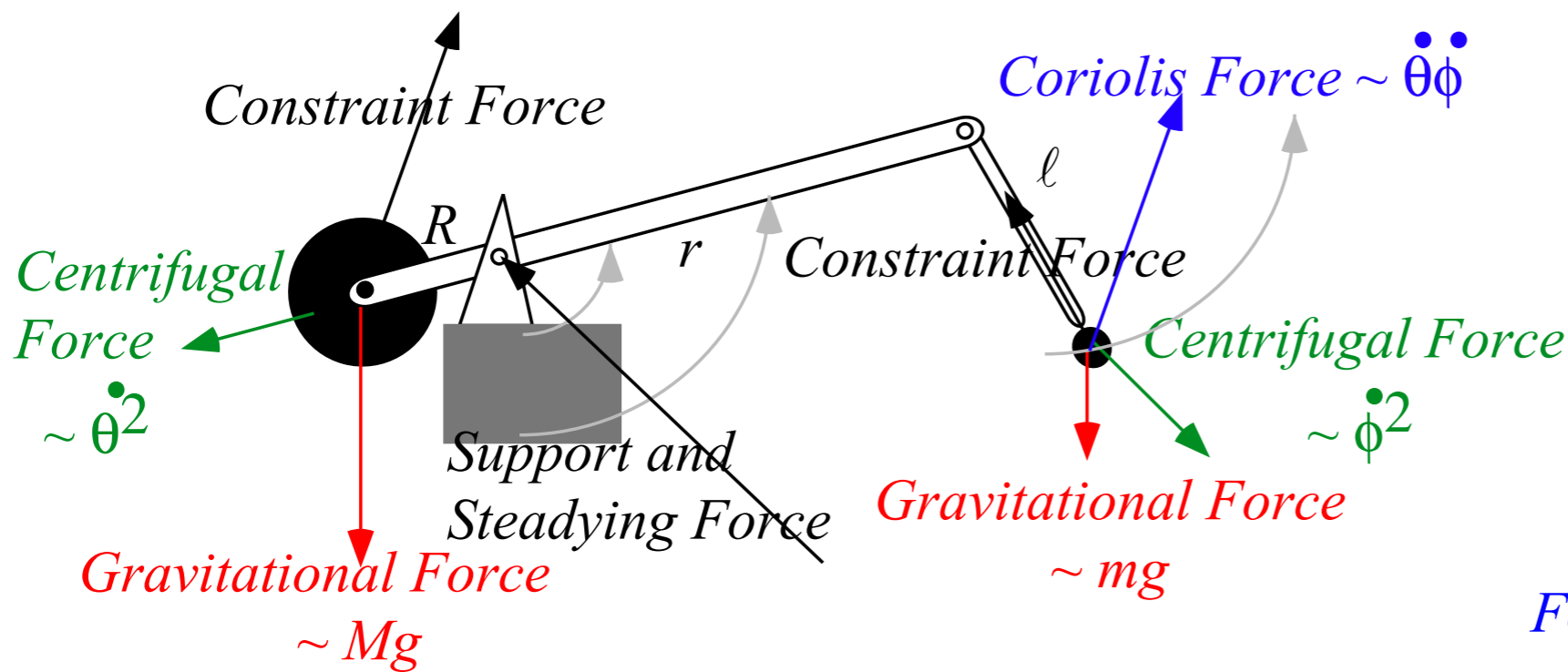
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 $(F_x=0, F_y=-mg)$

$$F_\phi = \frac{d}{dt} \frac{\partial T}{\partial \dot{\phi}} - \frac{\partial T}{\partial \phi} = -mgl \sin \phi$$

These are competing torques on main beam R...

... and a torque on throwing lever  $\ell$

*Forces: total, genuine, potential, and/or fictitious*



*Acceleration and 'Fictitious' Forces:*

*Coriolis  
Centrifugal*

*Applied 'Real' Forces:  
Gravity  
Stimuli  
Friction...*

*Constraint 'Internal' Forces:  
Stresses  
Support...  
(Do not contribute. Do no work.)*

*For conservative forces*

where:  $F_{\theta} = -\frac{\partial V}{\partial \theta}$  and:  $\frac{\partial V}{\partial \dot{\theta}} = 0$   
 $F_{\phi} = -\frac{\partial V}{\partial \phi}$  and:  $\frac{\partial V}{\partial \dot{\phi}} = 0$

$$\dot{p}_{\theta} = \frac{d}{dt} \frac{\partial T}{\partial \dot{\theta}} = \frac{\partial T}{\partial \theta} + F_{\theta} + 0$$

$$\dot{p}_{\phi} = \frac{d}{dt} \frac{\partial T}{\partial \dot{\phi}} = \frac{\partial T}{\partial \phi} + F_{\phi} + 0$$

*Lagrange Force equations*  
 (See also derivation Eq. (2.4.7) on p. 23, Unit 2)

$$p_{\theta} = \frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{\theta}} \quad \dot{p}_{\theta} = \frac{\partial L}{\partial \theta}$$

$$p_{\phi} = \frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{\phi}} \quad \dot{p}_{\phi} = \frac{\partial L}{\partial \phi}$$

*Lagrange Potential equations*  
 $L = T - V$

Fig. 2.5.2 (modified)

Compare to derivation Eq (12.25a) in Ch. 12 of Unit 1 and Eq. (3.5.10) in Unit 3.