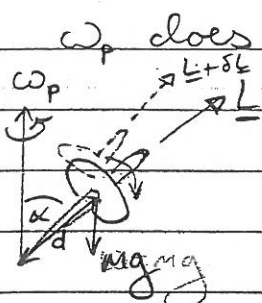


(A1)



ω_p does not depend on α [1]B

Torque $\tau = r \times F$ } [1]B
 thus $\tau = dmgl \sin \alpha$

[1]B for deriv and/or defns

In a small time δt

$$\delta L := |\delta L| = L \sin \alpha \omega_p \delta t$$

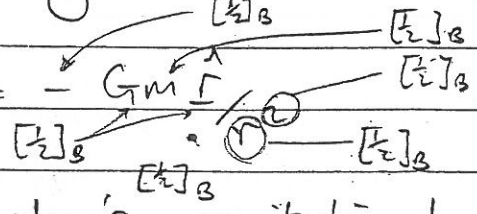
$$\therefore \frac{dL}{dt} = \omega_p L \sin \alpha$$

$$\tau = \frac{dL}{dt} \Rightarrow \omega_p = \frac{dmgl}{L}$$

(A2)

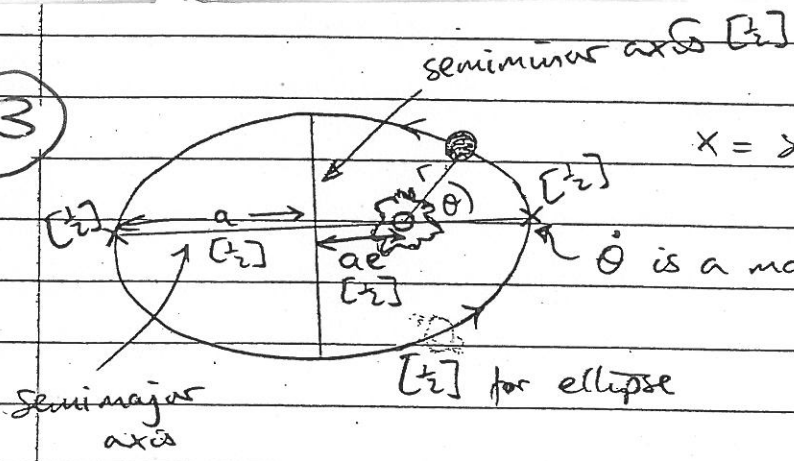
Inside the sphere $g(r) = 0$ [1]B

Outside $g(r) = -Gm \frac{\hat{r}}{r^2}$ [1]B



where G is Newton's gravitational constant and \hat{r} is the unit vector $\hat{r} = \frac{r}{r}$ in the direction r [1]B

(A3)



$x = \text{spots where } \dot{r} = 0$

$\dot{\theta}$ is a maximum here. [1]B

[1]B

(A4) \underline{R} is the position of the point in Southampton relative to the centre of the Earth, using axes which rotate with the Earth. [1]B

[1]B $\underline{\omega}$ is the vector angular velocity of the Earth (and thus points north and has magnitude ...)

[1]B $-2\omega \times \dot{\underline{r}}$, where m is the mass of the ball, is the Coriolis force. It is proportional to the ball's velocity $\dot{\underline{r}}$ and acts perpendicular to it.

For most complete answers

$m\omega \times (\omega \times \underline{R})$ is the centrifugal force due to the Earth spinning. In total $g \frac{R}{R} + \omega \times (\omega \times \underline{R}) = g^*$

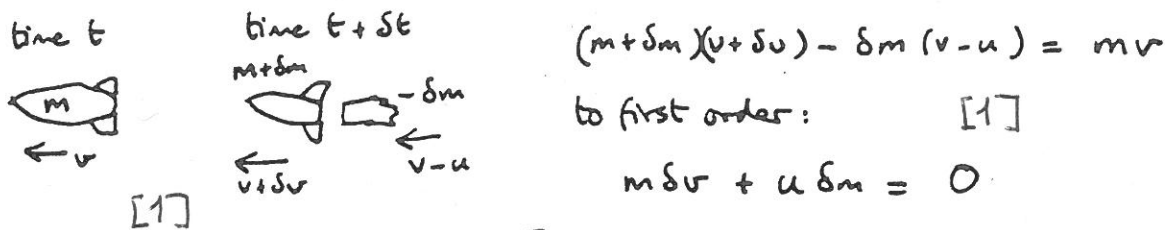
[1]B an apparent gravity pointing slightly more towards the equator and with slightly smaller magnitude than g .

(A5)

[2]B
IF $\underline{x}(t)$ is a time-dependent solution of the harmonic motion, then Time Translation Invariance states that also $\underline{x}(t+c)$ is a solution, for any constant c

[2]B

(B1) (a) Momentum of isolated system is conserved. [1]



[for identifying masses & speeds] $\frac{dm}{dv} = -\frac{m}{u}$ [1]

Integrate from v_i, m_i to $v_f, m_f \Rightarrow u \int_{m_i}^{m_f} \frac{dm}{m} = - \int_{v_i}^{v_f} dv$ [2]

$\Delta v = v_f - v_i = u \ln \frac{m_i}{m_f}$ [1] (Book work)

(b) (i) first burn: $m_i = Nm$

$m_f = nm + r(Nm - nm) = [rN + n(1-r)]m$ [2]

$\therefore v_1 = u \ln \left(\frac{N}{rN + n(1-r)} \right)$ [2]

(ii) 2nd burn: $m_i = nm$

[or just let $(N, n) \rightarrow (n, 1)$ in last result]

$m_f = m + r(nm - m) = [rn + (1-r)]m$ [1]

$\therefore v_2 = u \ln \left(\frac{n}{rn + 1-r} \right)$ [2]

(iii) $v_1 + v_2 = u \ln \left[\frac{Nn}{(rN + n(1-r))(rn + 1-r)} \right]$ [2]

$\frac{d(v_1 + v_2)}{dn} = u \left(\frac{1}{n} - \frac{1-r}{rN + n(1-r)} - \frac{r}{rn + 1-r} \right)$

vanishes when: $\frac{1}{n} = \frac{1}{n + \frac{r}{1-r}N} + \frac{1}{n + \frac{1-r}{r}}$

$n^2 + n \frac{r}{1-r} N + n \frac{1-r}{r} + N = n^2 + n \frac{1-r}{r} + n^2 + n \frac{r}{1-r} N$

$n = \sqrt{N}$ [2]

For this n :

$v_1 = u \ln \left(\frac{N}{rN + \sqrt{N}(1-r)} \right) = u \ln \left(\frac{\sqrt{N}}{r\sqrt{N} + (1-r)} \right)$

$v_2 = u \ln \left(\frac{\sqrt{N}}{r\sqrt{N} + (1-r)} \right) \Rightarrow \text{equal}$ [2]

[can check that $\frac{d^2(v_1 + v_2)}{dn^2} \Big|_{n=\sqrt{N}} < 0$
-not required]

(BZ)

(a) MoI about a fixed axis

$$I = \sum_i m_i R_i^2 \leftarrow R_i = \text{perp dist from rotation axis}$$

↑
mass of i th particle

[2] B

MoI of sphere about a diameter. Let axis be x axis, y, z axis in turn.

$$I_x = \int (y^2 + z^2) \rho d^3r$$

$$I_y = \int (z^2 + x^2) \rho d^3r$$

$$I_z = \int (x^2 + y^2) \rho d^3r$$

but $I_x = I_y = I_z$ by symmetry

$$\Rightarrow 3I = 2\rho \int (x^2 + y^2 + z^2) d^3r$$

$$= 2\rho \int_0^a 4\pi r^2 \cdot r^2 dr$$

$$= \frac{8\pi \rho a^5}{5}$$

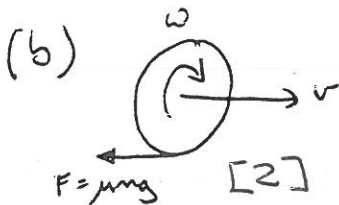
[2] B

but $m = \frac{4}{3}\pi \rho a^3$

[2]

$$\Rightarrow I = \frac{8\pi}{15} \rho a^5 = \frac{2}{5} m a^2$$

[2] B



let ball have radius a , mass m .

linear motion: $m\dot{v} = -\mu mg$ [2]

so: $v = u - \mu g t$ using $v = u$ at $t = 0$

angular motion (about CM) [2]

$$I\dot{\omega} = \mu m g a$$

$$\omega = \frac{\mu m g a}{I} t$$

using $\omega = 0$ at $t = 0$

[2]

Stops skidding when $v = a\omega$, so

$$\frac{\mu m g a^2}{I} t = u - \mu g t$$

[2]

$$u = \mu g t \left(1 + \frac{5ma^2}{2ma^2} \right) \Rightarrow t = \frac{2u}{7\mu g}$$

[2]

(B3)

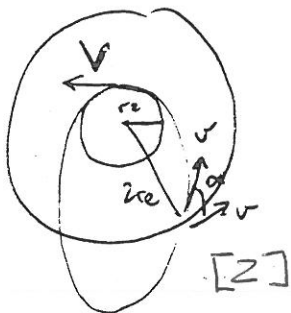
The gravitational attraction is a central force \therefore it exerts no torque about the Earth. So, the ang. mom. of the ~~pt~~ satellite wrt the Earth is constant. [2] B

Vector \underline{L} is conserved and is always perp to \underline{r} and \underline{r} \Rightarrow orbit always lies in a plane. [2] B

Other conserved quantities? central forces are conservative so have total energy conserved.

[bonus marks if mention Runge-Lenz vector]

[2] B



$$\text{Initial orbit: } \frac{mv^2}{2r_e} = \frac{GMm}{4r_e^2} \Rightarrow \boxed{v^2 = \frac{GM}{2r_e}}$$

[2]

After the instantaneous change.

Consider conserved qties.

[1] \square ang mom: $mVr_e = mv \cos \alpha \cdot 2r_e$ (1) [2]

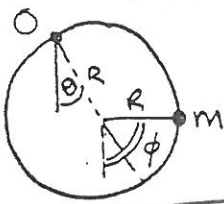
[1] \square energy [1] $\frac{1}{2}mV^2 - \frac{GMm}{r_e} = \frac{1}{2}mv^2 - \frac{GMm}{2r_e}$ (2) [2]

$$\frac{V^2}{2} = \frac{v^2}{2} + \frac{GM}{2r_e} = \frac{3v^2}{2} \Rightarrow V = \sqrt{3}v$$

sub in (1): $V = 2v \cos \alpha$ [2]

$$\Rightarrow \cos \alpha = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \Rightarrow \boxed{\alpha = \frac{\pi}{6}}$$
 [2]

(P4) In a normal mode, every part of the system oscillates with the same frequency. [2]_B



Let O be pt. of suspension and use coordinates θ, ϕ as shown.

▣ Kinetic energy: $T_{ring} = \frac{1}{2} I_O \dot{\theta}^2 = \frac{1}{2} (mR^2 + mR^2) \dot{\theta}^2$
MoI about O ↑ del axis thru
 $= mR^2 \dot{\theta}^2$ [2]_A

Lagrangian method (1)

For bead, horizontal displacement, x , is $R(\theta + \phi)$ for small displacements
 vertical displacement is 2nd order in θ, ϕ .

$\therefore T_{bead} = \frac{1}{2} m \dot{x}^2 = \frac{1}{2} m R^2 (\dot{\theta} + \dot{\phi})^2$ [2]_A

▣ Potential energy: $V = -mgR \cos \theta - mgR(\cos \theta + \cos \phi)$
 $= mgR \left(\theta^2 + \frac{\phi^2}{2} \right) + \text{const}$ (for small θ, ϕ). [2]_A

▣ Lagrangian: $L = \frac{1}{2} m R^2 (3\dot{\theta}^2 + 2\dot{\theta}\dot{\phi} + \dot{\phi}^2) - mgR \left(\theta^2 + \frac{\phi^2}{2} \right) + \text{const}$. [2]_A

▣ E-L eqns:

for θ : $\frac{d}{dt} \left(\frac{1}{2} m R^2 [6\dot{\theta} + 2\dot{\phi}] \right) = -mgR \cdot 2\theta$
 for ϕ : $\frac{d}{dt} \left(\frac{1}{2} m R^2 [2\dot{\theta} + 2\dot{\phi}] \right) = -mgR \phi$ $\Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \ddot{\theta} \\ \ddot{\phi} \end{pmatrix} = -\frac{g}{R} \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \theta \\ \phi \end{pmatrix}$ [2]

▣ Look for modes $\begin{pmatrix} \theta \\ \phi \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} A \\ B \end{pmatrix} e^{i\omega t} \Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 3-2\alpha & 1 \\ 1 & 1-\alpha \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} A \\ B \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$ [2]

solve: $(3-2\alpha)(1-\alpha) - 1 = 0 \Rightarrow \alpha = \frac{5 \pm 3}{4}$; $\alpha = 2, \frac{1}{2}$ or [2]

$2\alpha^2 - 5\alpha + 2 = 0$

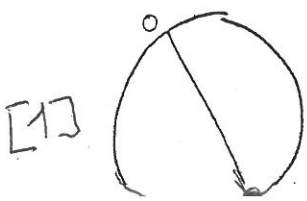
$\omega = \sqrt{\frac{g}{2R}}, \sqrt{\frac{2g}{R}}$

Note Students can also apply Newton's laws directly if they wish - I do not require Lagrangian method in this question, though some students know it

▣ Form of modes

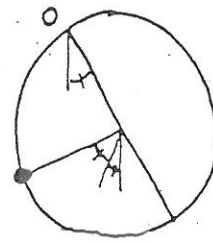
① $\omega = \sqrt{\frac{g}{2R}}$ or $\alpha = 2$ [2]

$\begin{pmatrix} -1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} A \\ B \end{pmatrix} = 0$ so $A = B$



bead remains at end of diameter through O (ang freq. of ring alone is same as simple pendulum of length $2R$)

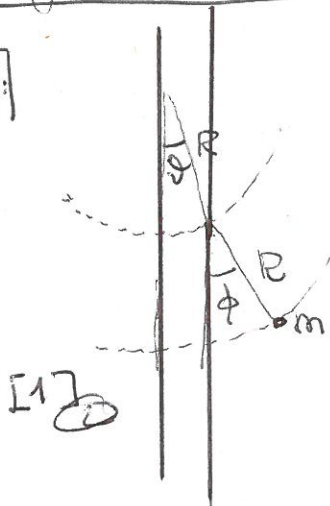
② $\omega = \sqrt{\frac{2g}{R}}$ or $\alpha = \frac{1}{2}$ [2]
 $\begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 1/2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} A \\ B \end{pmatrix} = 0$ so $B = -2A$



-horizontal displacement of bead and CM of ring are equal and opposite. [1]

Using Newton's laws, method ②

Bead:



horizontal displacement (small osc.)

$$R\psi + R\phi$$

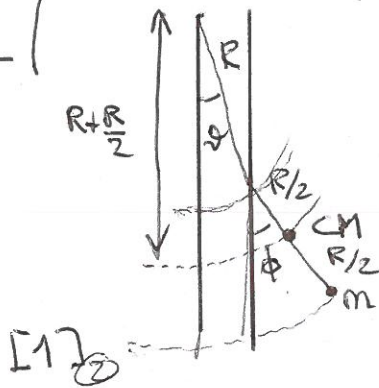
[2] ②

Eq motion

$$mR(\ddot{\psi} + \ddot{\phi}) = -mg\phi$$

[1] ②

CM



horizontal displacement (small osc.)

$$\left(R + \frac{R}{2}\right)\psi + \frac{R}{2}\phi$$

[2] ②

Eq. motion

$$2m \frac{1}{2}R(3\ddot{\psi} + \ddot{\phi}) = -2mg\phi \quad [1] ②$$