

W9 D3

Hwk Ch.9 P. 2, 3, 4, 10, 11, 12, 16, 17, 20, 24, 26 } Due Mon.

- Read 9.1-9.6
- See online Examples for Ch.9.

Notes: Make use of tutoring & office hours

Ch.8 Hwk key online.

Quiz 4 $\mu = 5.3/8 = 66.3\%$

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TODAY: Review Quiz 4

Linear Momentum (Ch.9)

Compare to KE

Conservation Law derived from Newton's 3rd

Types of Collisions

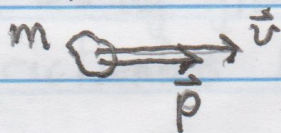
DEMO: Newton's Cradle

Linear Momentum

$$* \vec{p} = m \vec{v}$$

□ Vector

□ Units: $\text{kg} \cdot \text{m/s}$ (no special unit)



$$p_x = mv_x, p_y = mv_y, p_z = mv_z$$

* $K = \frac{1}{2}mv^2$ was a scalar (Kinetic energy)

$$K \propto v^2 \quad |\vec{p}| \propto v$$

Ex) $m_1 = 4m_2$ and $K_1 = K_2$. What is $\frac{p_1}{p_2}$?

$$\frac{1}{2}m_1v_1^2 = \frac{1}{2}m_2v_2^2$$

$$4m_2v_1^2 = m_2v_2^2$$

$$4v_1^2 = v_2^2$$

$$2 = \frac{v_2}{v_1} \text{ or } \frac{v_1}{v_2} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\therefore \frac{p_1}{p_2} = \frac{m_1v_1}{m_2v_2} = \frac{4m_2 \cdot 1}{m_2 \cdot 2} = \boxed{2}$$

→ More massive object has smaller v

→ More massive object has larger p

Momentum (cont.)

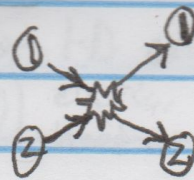
Conservation of \vec{p} from Newton's 3rd...

Consider 2 objects colliding:

At every instant...

$$\vec{F}_{21} = -\vec{F}_{12}$$

by 2 on 1



So $m_1 \vec{a}_1 = -m_2 \vec{a}_2$

so $m_1 \vec{a}_1 + m_2 \vec{a}_2 = 0$

$$m_1 \frac{d\vec{v}_1}{dt} + m_2 \frac{d\vec{v}_2}{dt} = 0$$

$$\frac{d(m_1 \vec{v}_1)}{dt} + \frac{d(m_2 \vec{v}_2)}{dt} = 0$$

or $\frac{d}{dt}(m_1 \vec{v}_1 + m_2 \vec{v}_2) = 0$

But $m_1 \vec{v}_1 + m_2 \vec{v}_2 =$ the total momentum of the system

$\therefore \sum_{i=1}^N \vec{p}_i$ is conserved in an isolated system

"The total linear momentum"

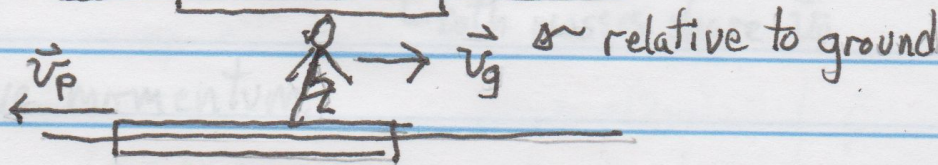
Example of 1D conservation of momentum

Ex) A 45 kg girl stands on a 150 kg plank on a frictionless lake



$$\vec{v}_g = \vec{v}_p = 0$$

If the girl walks at $1.5 \hat{i} \text{ m/s}$ relative to plank,



a) What is \vec{v}_{plank} rel. to lake and b) \vec{v}_{girl} rel. to lake.

Sol'n $\vec{v}_g - \vec{v}_p = 1.5 \hat{i} \text{ m/s} \rightarrow \vec{v}_g = 1.5 \hat{i} + \vec{v}_p$

Cons. of \vec{p} : $\sum \vec{p}_{\text{init}} = \sum \vec{p}_{\text{final}}$

$$0 = m_g \vec{v}_g + m_p \vec{v}_p$$

$$0 = m_g (1.5 \hat{i} + \vec{v}_p) + m_p \vec{v}_p$$

$$-(1.5 \hat{i}) m_g = (m_g + m_p) \vec{v}_p \Rightarrow \vec{v}_p = \frac{-1.5 \hat{i} (45)}{(45 + 150)} = -0.346 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}} \hat{i}$$

(b) $\vec{v}_g = 1.5 \hat{i} - 0.346 \hat{i}$

$$\vec{v}_g = 1.154 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}} \hat{i}$$

Types of Collisions

1. Elastic \Rightarrow Kinetic energy is conserved.

* Special equations are derived for 1-D collisions (see text)

$$(9.20) \quad \boxed{v_{1i} - v_{2i} = -(v_{1f} - v_{2f})} \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{elastic,} \\ \text{head-on} \end{array} \quad (\text{Sec. 9.4})$$

where $v_{ii} = |\vec{v}_{ii}|$, etc.

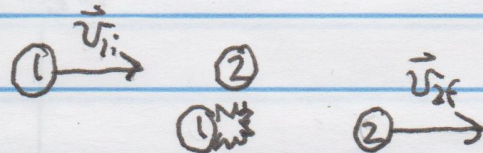
$$(9.21) \quad v_{1f} = \left(\frac{m_1 - m_2}{m_1 + m_2} \right) v_{1i} + \left(\frac{2m_2}{m_1 + m_2} \right) v_{2i}$$

$$* \quad v_{2f} = \left(\frac{2m_1}{m_1 + m_2} \right) v_{1i} + \left(\frac{m_2 - m_1}{m_1 + m_2} \right) v_{2i}$$

Ex) Try $m_1 = m_2$ and $v_{2i} = 0$

$$v_{1f} = 0 v_{1i} + 1 v_{2i} = 0$$

$$v_{2f} = 1 v_{1i} + 0 v_{2i} = v_{1i}$$



2. Inelastic \Rightarrow Kinetic Energy is not conserved.

* $KE_f < KE_i$

* Momentum is still conserved!

* Most real-life collisions

3. Perfectly inelastic \Rightarrow KE lost and objects stick together

* Special equation for 1-D collisions:

$$(9.14) \quad m_1 \vec{v}_{1i} + m_2 \vec{v}_{2i} = (m_1 + m_2) \vec{v}_f$$

↳ both masses share \vec{v}_f

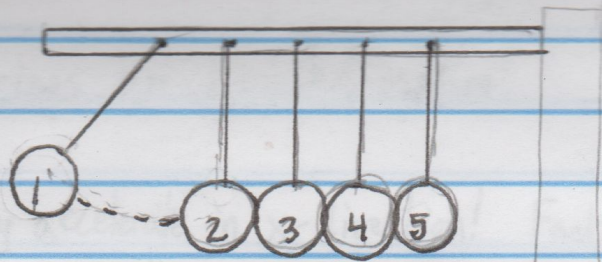
** All 3 types conserve momentum.

DEMO: "Newton's Cradle" or "Executive Time-Waster"

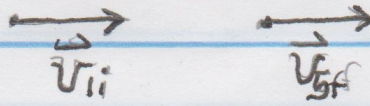
Predict what happens:

1) One ball released.

$$m_1 = m_2 = m_3 = m_4 = m_5$$



Just before collision,
 \vec{v}_i is horizontal.

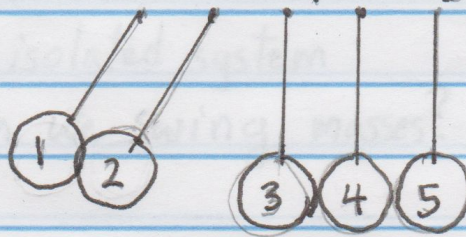


Conservation of Momentum:

$$\sum \vec{p}_{init} = \sum \vec{p}_{final}$$

$$m_1 \vec{v}_i = m_5 \vec{v}_f$$

2) Two balls released.



Cons. of Momentum: $(m_1 + m_2) \vec{v}_i = (m_4 + m_5) \vec{v}_f$

3) 3 balls released from left. ... from right.

4) 4 balls released from right.

RESULTS: we see symmetry!

energy gradually lost - not perpetual motion

5) Why can't m_4 & m_5 rise up at half the speed of m_1 in case #1?

$$\vec{v}_i \rightarrow \text{OOOOO}$$

$$\text{OOO O} \rightarrow \vec{v}_f$$

$$m \vec{v}_i = (2m) \vec{v}_f$$

$$\rightarrow \vec{v}_f = \frac{1}{2} \vec{v}_i$$

} \vec{p} conserved

But what would K_i & K_f be? $K_i = \frac{1}{2} m v_i^2$, $K_f = \frac{1}{2} (2m) (\frac{1}{2} v_i)^2 = \frac{1}{4} m v_i^2$

6) What happens if 4 & 5 are stuck together?

Assume elastic collision & use Eq. 9.21 & 9.22. Here " m_2 " = $m_4 + m_5 = 2m$

$$v_{1f} = \left(\frac{m_1 - m_2}{m_1 + m_2} \right) v_{1i} + \left(\frac{2m_2}{m_1 + m_2} \right) v_{2i}$$

$$v_{2f} = \left(\frac{2m_1}{m_1 + m_2} \right) v_{1i} + \left(\frac{m_2 - m_1}{m_1 + m_2} \right) v_{2i}$$

$$v_{1f} = \left(\frac{1-2}{3} \right) v_{1i} + 0$$

$$v_{2f} = \frac{2}{3} v_{1i} + 0$$

$$v_{1f} = -\frac{1}{3} v_{1i} \text{ "blowback!"}$$

$$v_{2f} = \frac{2}{3} v_{1i}$$

DEMO (cont.)

7) Are the 5 ball bearings an isolated system?

→ \vec{p}_{total} varies!

→ As masses descend, they accelerate in x-direction! $F_{net,x} \neq 0$

What happens when we swing masses?

8) Placing the cradle on frictionless platform

→ Now table can't exert $F_{net,x}$ on cradle

→ Balls + cradle are isolated system

What happens when we swing masses?