

Mechanics → "deals with machines"

⇒ Mechanics is the branch of Science which deals with the motion of objects.

Types:-

- i) Classical mechanics (deals with ordinary obj.)
- ii) Quantum mechanics (microscopic objects)

Classical mechanics → (mainly used)

⇒ It deals with the objects which are usually visible by naked eye.

Quantum mechanics:-

⇒ It deals with microscopic objects.

Particle:-

A particle is a point mass i.e. a definite mass with no size (no dimension i.e. length height etc) & it is an imaginary (abstract) concept.

Rigid body:-

A rigid body is a collection of such particles, distance b/w them is unchanged even under the effect of any type of external force &

A rigid body obeys the constraint

$$|\mathbf{r}_i - \mathbf{r}_j|^2 = c_{ij} \quad (\text{constant})$$

Where \mathbf{r}_i is a position vector of i th particle of rigid body.

Newtonian Mechanics:-

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⇒ It is that type of mechanics where Newton's law of motion remain valid. (i.e. it deals with Newton's laws).

Generalized forms-

It is more generalized in the form of Hamiltonian & Lagrangian Mechanics.

Newton's law of Gravitation-

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

distance b/w their

Inertial frame of reference centres

$a=0$

⇒ It is frame of reference in which Newton's law of motion hold. These frame of reference are either at rest or moving with uniform velocity.

⇒ Earth is considered as inertial frame irrespective of that it is rotating.

⇒ Practically it is due to small distance b/w the objects as compared to rotation of earth & small velocities of objects as compared to the velocity of earth.

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History of mechanics

Aristotle's Theory

Mechanics during middle ages

Kepler, Galileo & Newton's period.

Hamilton, Lagrange.

extraInertia

Inertia is the resistance of any physical object to any change in its state of motion including changes to its speed & direction.

It is tendency of object to keep moving in a straight line at constant velocity i.e. first law of Newton is inertia.

Moment of Inertia

$$I = \frac{L}{\omega}$$

$\xrightarrow{\text{angular momentum}}$
 $\xrightarrow{\text{angular velocity}}$

Moment of inertia is mass property of rigid body that determines the torque needed for a desired angular acceleration about axis of rotation.

Angular Momentum

\Rightarrow It is measure of the amount of rotation of object & has product

$$L = I\omega$$



linear momentum

extra

Translation & Rotation:

The displacement of a rigid body is a change in position of its particles in any direction. This displacement is called translation. If all particles of the body are displaced by equal amount then vectors joining initial & final positions of the particles are mutually parallel.

If all the particles of the body displaced through some angle around a fixed line (axis), displacement is called rotation.

In rotation, motion of each particle traces an arc of circle.

Angular Velocity:



The rate of change of angular displacement of a rigid body.

If $\Delta\theta$ is angular displacement of rigid body in a very small interval of time Δt , then angular speed is defined as,

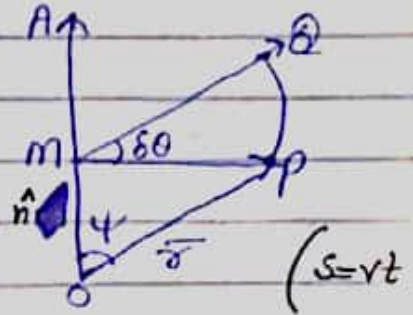
$$\omega = \lim_{\Delta t \rightarrow 0} \frac{\Delta\theta}{\Delta t} = \frac{d\theta}{dt} = \dot{\theta}$$

If \hat{n} is a unit vector in the direction of axis of rotation. Then the angular velocity is

$$\vec{\omega} = \dot{\theta} \hat{n}$$

Let a particle rotates about a fixed axis OA. \vec{r} is position-vector of the particle P making an angle ψ with the axis OA.

Let the particle rotates about the axis through an angle $\delta\theta$ & displaces through small arc PQ then in limiting case;



$$PQ = v\delta t \rightarrow \textcircled{1}$$

also, $PQ = |PM|\delta\theta$ ($r \cdot l = r\theta$)

$$= r \sin\psi \delta\theta \rightarrow \textcircled{2}$$

by $\textcircled{1}$ & $\textcircled{2}$

$$v\delta t = r \sin\psi \delta\theta \rightarrow \textcircled{3}$$

$$|\hat{n} \times \vec{r}| = |\hat{n}| |\vec{r}| \sin\psi$$

$$|\hat{n} \times \vec{r}| = r \sin\psi$$

$\textcircled{3}$ becoms,

$$v\delta t = |\hat{n} \times \vec{r}| \delta\theta$$

$$v = |\hat{n} \times \vec{r}| \frac{\delta\theta}{\delta t}$$

$$= |\hat{n} \times \vec{r}| \lim_{\delta t \rightarrow 0} \frac{\delta\theta}{\delta t}$$

$$= |\hat{n} \times \vec{r}| \frac{d\theta}{dt} = \omega |\hat{n} \times \vec{r}|$$

$$= |\dot{\theta} \hat{n} \times \vec{r}|$$

In vector form,

$$\vec{v} = \vec{\omega} \times \vec{r}$$

Angular accelerations:-

Rate of change of angular velocity.

$$\vec{a} = \frac{d\vec{\omega}}{dt} = \frac{d^2\theta}{dt^2}$$

Angular Momentum of a particle

⇒ Moment of linear momentum is called angular momentum.

⇒ If m is mass of the particle & \vec{v} is its velocity then its momentum is given by $\vec{p} = m\vec{v}$

So, moment of this momentum (linear) is given by $\vec{L} = \vec{r} \times \vec{p}$

Where \vec{r} is the position vector (radius vector) of the particle & \vec{L} is angular momentum.

We have,

$$\vec{v} = \vec{\omega} \times \vec{r}$$

So,

$$\vec{L} = \vec{r} \times \vec{p}$$

$$= \vec{r} \times m\vec{v} = m\vec{r} \times \vec{v}$$

$$= m\vec{r} \times (\vec{\omega} \times \vec{r})$$

$$= m[(\vec{r} \cdot \vec{r})\vec{\omega} - (\vec{r} \cdot \vec{\omega})\vec{r}]$$

$$\vec{L} = m[r^2\vec{\omega} - \vec{r} \cdot \vec{\omega}\vec{r}]$$

$$\begin{aligned} & (\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b})\vec{c} - (\vec{a} \cdot \vec{c})\vec{b} \\ & = (\vec{a} \cdot \vec{c})\vec{b} - (\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b})\vec{c} \\ & \text{is moment} = \vec{r} \times \vec{F} \end{aligned}$$

The quantity angular momentum can also be represented by 'J'.

Angular Momentum of a System of Particles

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Consider a system of n particles having masses m_1, m_2, \dots, m_n . Let their respective radius vectors are given by $\vec{r}_1, \vec{r}_2, \vec{r}_3, \dots, \vec{r}_n$. The eqn of motion for any i th particle is

$$\vec{F}_i = m_i \vec{a}_i = m_i \frac{d^2 \vec{r}_i}{dt^2}$$

∴ $\vec{v}_i = \vec{\omega} \times \vec{r}_i$

Where each particle is assumed to have same angular velocity.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{angular momentum} &= \underline{L}_i = \vec{r}_i \times m_i \vec{v}_i \\ &= m_i \vec{r}_i \times \vec{v}_i \\ &= m_i \vec{r}_i \times (\vec{\omega} \times \vec{r}_i) \end{aligned}$$

Total angular momentum for the system of particles.

$$\underline{L} = \sum_{i=1}^n \underline{L}_i$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^n [m_i \vec{r}_i \times (\vec{\omega} \times \vec{r}_i)]$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^n m_i [\vec{r}_i^2 \vec{\omega} - \vec{r}_i \cdot \vec{\omega} \vec{r}_i] \rightarrow \text{①}$$

Where,

$$\vec{r}_i = x_i \hat{i} + y_i \hat{j} + z_i \hat{k}$$

$$\vec{\omega} = \omega_x \hat{i} + \omega_y \hat{j} + \omega_z \hat{k}$$

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① becomes,

$$L_x \hat{i} + L_y \hat{j} + L_z \hat{k} = \sum m_i [(x_i^2 + y_i^2 + z_i^2)(\omega_x \hat{i} + \omega_y \hat{j} + \omega_z \hat{k}) - (x_i \omega_x + y_i \omega_y + z_i \omega_z)(x_i \hat{i} + y_i \hat{j} + z_i \hat{k})]$$

Comparing coefficients of \hat{i}

$$L_x = \sum m_i [(x_i^2 + y_i^2 + z_i^2) \omega_x - (x_i \omega_x + y_i \omega_y + z_i \omega_z) x_i]$$

$$= \sum m_i [x_i^2 \omega_x + (y_i^2 + z_i^2) \omega_x - x_i^2 \omega_x - x_i y_i \omega_y - x_i z_i \omega_z]$$

$$= \sum m_i [(y_i^2 + z_i^2) \omega_x - x_i y_i \omega_y - x_i z_i \omega_z]$$

$$= \sum m_i (y_i^2 - x_i^2) \omega_x - \sum m_i x_i y_i \omega_y - \sum m_i x_i z_i \omega_z$$

$$L_x = \frac{I_{xx}}{m} \omega_x + \frac{I_{xy}}{m} \omega_y + \frac{I_{xz}}{m} \omega_z$$

$\because \sigma_i^2 = x_i^2 + y_i^2 + z_i^2$
 $\sigma_i^2 - x_i^2 = y_i^2 + z_i^2$

Similarly;

$$L_y = \frac{I_{yx}}{m} \omega_x + \frac{I_{yy}}{m} \omega_y + \frac{I_{yz}}{m} \omega_z$$

$$L_z = \frac{I_{zx}}{m} \omega_x + \frac{I_{zy}}{m} \omega_y + \frac{I_{zz}}{m} \omega_z$$

Where,

$$I_{xx} = \sum m_i (\sigma_i^2 - x_i^2)$$

$$I_{yy} = \sum m_i (\sigma_i^2 - y_i^2)$$

$$I_{zz} = \sum m_i (\sigma_i^2 - z_i^2)$$

$$I_{xy} = - \sum m_i x_i y_i = I_{yx}$$

$$I_{xz} = - \sum m_i x_i z_i = I_{zx}$$

$$I_{yz} = - \sum m_i y_i z_i = I_{zy}$$

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$$\begin{aligned} I_{xx} &= I_{11} \\ I_{yy} &= I_{22} \\ I_{zz} &= I_{33} \end{aligned}$$

These are moment of inertia & product of inertia respectively.
i.e

$I_{xx}, I_{yy}, I_{zz} \rightarrow$ moment of inertia,

$I_{xy}, I_{yz}, I_{zx} \rightarrow$ Product of inertia.
Moment of inertia & product of inertia for a rigid body

We have calculated moment of inertia for a system of n -particles i.e

$$I_{xx} = \sum_{i=1}^n m_i (y_i^2 + z_i^2) \rightarrow \text{①}$$

Small

A rigid body can be considered as a collection of infinite many infinitesimal particles. Particles with no gap b/w them. So, considering the mass of the infinitesimal i th particle $\Delta m_i = \rho(x_i) \Delta V_i$; where ΔV_i is the volume of the i th particle & $\rho(x_i)$ is the density of the particle.

from ①, we have,

$$I_{xx} = \sum_{i=1}^n \Delta m_i (y_i^2 + z_i^2)$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^n (y_i^2 + z_i^2) \rho(x_i) \Delta V_i$$

for whole rigid body taking h_i as $n \rightarrow \infty$, we get,

$$I_{xx} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{i=1}^n (y_i^2 + z_i^2) \rho(x_i) \Delta V_i$$

$$\text{Similarly, } \int_V (y^2 + z^2) \rho(x) dv$$

$$I_{yy} = \int_V (z^2 + x^2) \rho(x) dv$$

$$I_{zz} = \int_V (x^2 + y^2) \rho(x) dv$$

also, corresponding product of inertia are,

$$I = -\int_V x_i y_j \rho(x) dv = -\int_V x y \rho(x) dv$$

$$I_{yz} = -\int_V \rho(x) y z dv = I_{zy}$$

$$I_{zx} = -\int_V x z \rho(x) dv = I_{xz}$$

Note

in discrete system $\xrightarrow{\text{rotation}}$ $\sum m_i d_i^2$
 " Continuous system $\rightarrow \int$

$$I_{xx} = \sum m_i (y_i^2 + z_i^2) = \sum_{i=1}^n m_i (y_i^2 + z_i^2) = \sum_{i=1}^n m_i d_i^2$$

“ Moment of inertia of a rigid body about a given line ”

Let M be the mass of the system & \hat{e} be the unit vector along the line, along which we have to