


$$\frac{d}{dt} \left(\frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \dot{q}_i} \right) - \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial q_i} = 0$$

$$y' = \frac{dy}{dx} \quad J = \int_{x_1}^{x_2} f(y, y', x) dx$$

$$J_{\text{stationary}} \Rightarrow \frac{d}{dx} \frac{\partial f}{\partial y'} - \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = 0$$

a) minimum distance between
2 points

$$ds = \sqrt{dx^2 + dy^2}$$

$$J = \int_1^2 ds$$

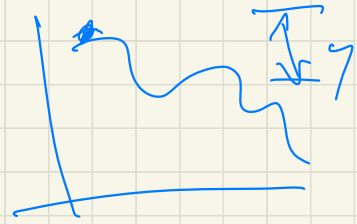
$$J = \int_{x_1}^{x_2} \sqrt{1 + \left(\frac{dy}{dx} \right)^2} dx \quad f = \sqrt{1 + y'^2}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} \frac{\partial f}{\partial y'} - \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = \frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{y'}{\sqrt{1 + y'^2}} \right) = 0$$

$\Rightarrow y'$ INDEPENDENT OF x

$$y' = \text{constant} \quad y = ax + b$$

minimum time curve for a
sliding object
y measured down



$$\frac{1}{2}mv^2 = mgy$$

$$v = \sqrt{2gy}$$

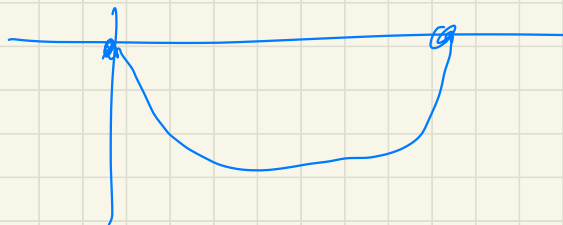
$$t = \int dt = \int \frac{ds}{v} = \int \frac{\sqrt{1+y'^2} dx}{\sqrt{2gy}}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial y'} - \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial y} = 0$$

$$x = a(\phi - \sin \phi)$$

$$y = a(1 - \cos \phi)$$

skipping lots
of steps



$$\int_{t_1}^{t_2} dt \sum_{i=1}^n \left[\frac{d}{dt} \left(\frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{q}_i} \right) - \frac{\partial L}{\partial q_i} \right] \delta q_i = 0$$

GETTING $\frac{d}{dt} \frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{q}_i} - \frac{\partial L}{\partial q_i} = 0$

REQUIRES $\{\delta q_i\}$ ARE INDEPENDENT

CONSTRAINTS $\Rightarrow$ NOT INDEP.

$$f_j(\{q_i\}) = 0 \quad j = 1, \dots, k$$

$\uparrow$ CAN ALSO BE TIME DEP.

$$0 = \delta f_j = \frac{\partial f_j}{\partial q_1} \delta q_1 + \dots + \frac{\partial f_j}{\partial q_n} \delta q_n$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{\partial f_j}{\partial q_i} \delta q_i$$

$$0 = \forall_j \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{\partial f_j}{\partial q_i} \delta q_i$$

$$\sum_{j=1}^k \lambda_j \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{\partial f_j}{\partial q_i} \delta q_i = 0$$

Integrate over t

$$\int_{t_1}^{t_2} dt + \left(\sum_{j=1}^k \sum_{i=1}^n \lambda_j \frac{\partial f_j}{\partial q_i} \delta q_i \right) = 0$$

Add to Lagrange eq

$$\int_{t_1}^{t_2} \sum_i \left(\frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial q_i} - \frac{d}{dt} \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \dot{q}_i} + \sum_{j=1}^k \lambda_j \frac{\partial f_j}{\partial q_i} \right) \delta q_i$$

$\{\delta q_i\}$ n of these $= 0$
 $n-k$ independent

use

$$\frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial q_i} - \frac{d}{dt} \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \dot{q}_i} + \sum_{j=1}^k \lambda_j \frac{\partial f_j}{\partial q_i} = 0$$

use k of these to get $\{\lambda_j\}$
 makes $\{\delta q_i\}$ effectively independent

n equations
 k constraint eq
 $n+k$ variables

$\{\lambda_j\}_n, \{\lambda_j\}_k$

$$\frac{d}{dt} \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \dot{q}_i} - \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial q_i} = \sum_{j=1}^k \lambda_j \frac{\partial f_j}{\partial q_i}$$

REWRITE WITH T

$$\frac{d}{dt} \frac{\partial T}{\partial \dot{q}_i} - \frac{\partial T}{\partial q_i} = Q_i + Q_i^{\text{CONST}}$$

FORCES

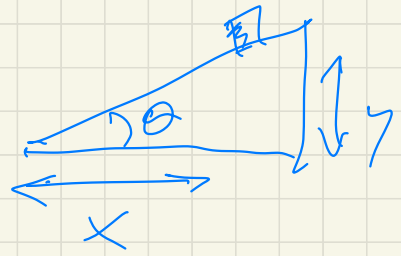
$$Q_i = - \frac{\partial V}{\partial q_i} \quad \frac{\partial V}{\partial \dot{q}_i} = 0$$

$$\frac{d}{dt} \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \dot{q}_i} - \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial q_i} = Q_i^{\text{const}}$$

(FOR NOW)

$$Q_i^{\text{const}} = \sum_{j=1}^k \lambda_j \frac{\partial f_j}{\partial q_i}$$

MASS SLIDING DOWN AN INCLINED PLANE



$$\mathcal{L} = \frac{1}{2}m(\dot{x}^2 + \dot{y}^2) - mgy$$

$$f(x, y) = y - x \tan \theta = 0$$

$$\mathcal{L} \rightarrow \mathcal{L} + \lambda f = \frac{1}{2}m(\dot{x}^2 + \dot{y}^2) - mgy + \lambda(y - x \tan \theta)$$

$$\frac{d}{dt} \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \dot{x}} = m \ddot{x} = \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial x} = 0 - \lambda \tan \theta$$

$$\ddot{x} = -\frac{\lambda \tan \theta}{m}$$

$$\frac{d}{dt} \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \dot{y}} = m \ddot{y} = \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial y} = -mg + \lambda$$

use $f \Rightarrow y = x \tan \theta \quad \ddot{y} = \ddot{x} \tan \theta$

$$\frac{m \ddot{y}}{\tan \theta} = -\lambda \tan \theta$$

$$-\lambda \tan^2 \theta = -mg + \lambda$$

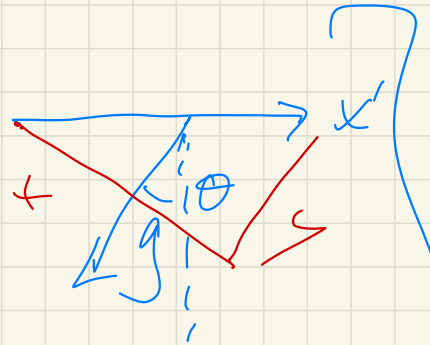
$$\lambda(1 + \tan^2 \theta) = mg$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda = mg \cos^2 \theta$$

$$\ddot{y} = -g + g \cos^2 \theta = -g \sin^2 \theta$$

$$\ddot{x} = -g \sin \theta \cos \theta$$

$$a_{x'} = g \sin \theta$$



CHECK WITH
TILTED SOLUTION

CONSTRAINT FORCES

$$F_x = \lambda \frac{\partial f}{\partial x}$$

$$y - x \tan \theta = 0$$

$$\lambda = mg \cos^2 \theta$$

$$= mg \cos^2 \theta (-\tan \theta)$$

$$= -mg \cos \theta \sin \theta (= m \ddot{x})$$

$$F_y = \lambda \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = mg \cos^2 \theta (= m \ddot{y})$$

SEMIHOLONOMIC CONSTRAINT

$$f_\alpha(\{q_i\}, \{\dot{q}_i\}, t) = 0 \quad \alpha = 1, \dots, m$$

$$f_\alpha \text{ linear in } \{\dot{q}_i\}$$

$$f_\alpha = \sum_{k=1}^n a_{\alpha k}(\{q_i\}, t) \dot{q}_k + a_\alpha(\{q_i\}, t) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \oint_{t_1}^{t_2} \left(2 + \sum_{\alpha=1}^m \mu_\alpha f_\alpha \right) dt = 0$$

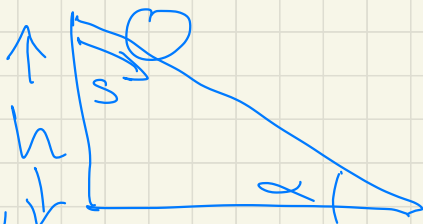
$\mu_\alpha =$ Lagrange
multipliers

$$\frac{d}{dt} \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \dot{q}_k} - \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial q_k} = Q_k = \sum_{\alpha=1}^m \mu_\alpha \frac{\partial f_\alpha}{\partial \dot{q}_k}$$

VELOCITY DEPENDENT
CONSTRAINTS

HOOP ROLLING DOWN
INCLINE

θ = ANGLE OF ROTATION
OF HOOP



$$S = \text{DISTANCE TRAVELLED} = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$$

$$S = R\theta \quad \text{HOLONOMIC}$$

$$\Rightarrow \dot{S} - R\dot{\theta} = 0 \quad \text{NON HOLONOMIC}$$

$$\mathcal{L} = \frac{1}{2} m \dot{s}^2 + \frac{1}{2} I \dot{\theta}^2 - (h - s \sin \alpha) mg$$

$$\frac{d}{dt} \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \dot{s}} - \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial s} = - \lambda \frac{\partial f}{\partial s} \quad I = mR^2$$

$$\frac{d}{dt} \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \dot{\theta}} - \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \theta} = - \lambda \frac{\partial f}{\partial \theta}$$

$$m\ddot{s} - mg \sin \alpha + \lambda = 0$$

$$mR^2\ddot{\theta} - \lambda R = 0$$

$$R\dot{\theta} = \dot{s}$$

3 eq
3 unknowns

$$\left[\begin{array}{l} m\ddot{s} - mg\sin\alpha + \tau = 0 \\ mR^2\ddot{\theta} - \tau R = 0 \\ R\dot{\theta} = \dot{s} \Rightarrow R\ddot{\theta} = \ddot{s} \end{array} \right.$$

$$\tau = mR\ddot{\theta} = m\ddot{s}$$

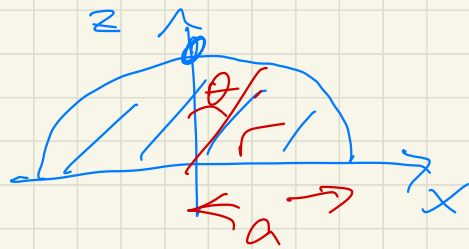
$$\ddot{s} = \frac{g\sin\alpha}{2}$$

$$\tau = \frac{mg\sin\alpha}{2}$$

$$\ddot{\theta} = \frac{g\sin\alpha}{2R}$$

FRICTIONAL FORCE
ON RIM OF
HOOP

HOLONOMIC?



$$\mathcal{L} = \frac{1}{2} m (\dot{x}^2 + \dot{z}^2) - mgz$$

$$f = a - \sqrt{x^2 + z^2} = 0$$

$$f = a - r = 0$$

$$\mathcal{L} = \frac{1}{2} m \dot{r}^2 + \frac{1}{2} m r^2 \dot{\theta}^2 - mgr \cos \theta$$

$$x = r \sin \theta \quad z = r \cos \theta$$

$$\frac{d}{dt} \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \dot{r}} - \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial r} = -\lambda \frac{\partial (a-r)}{\partial r}$$

$$\left[\begin{aligned} \cancel{m\ddot{r}} - mr\dot{\theta}^2 + mg \cos \theta &= \lambda \\ \cancel{2mr\dot{\theta}} + mr^2\ddot{\theta} - mgr \sin \theta &= 0 \end{aligned} \right]$$

APPLY CONSTRAINTS

$$\ddot{\theta} = \frac{g \sin \theta}{a} \quad m a \ddot{\theta} - mg \cos \theta + \lambda = 0$$

$$\ddot{\theta} = \frac{g \sin \theta}{a}$$

$$ma\dot{\theta}^2 - mg \cos \theta + \lambda = 0$$

SOLUTION
FROM BOOK

$$\dot{\theta}^2 = -\frac{2g}{a} \cos \theta + \frac{2g}{a}$$

$$\lambda = mg(3 \cos \theta - 2)$$

CHECK

SOL'N: $2\cancel{\dot{\theta}}\ddot{\theta} = \frac{2g}{a} \sin \theta \cancel{\dot{\theta}}$ ✓

λ POSITIVE $\Rightarrow$ CONSTRAINT
FORCE

$$\Rightarrow 3 \cos \theta \geq 2$$

MASS FLIES OFF THE DOME

$$\text{AT } \cos \theta = \frac{2}{3}$$