

# Lecture 06

P1

Well we would like to know

$\vec{r}(t)$  dependence.

For this we need extra info to use  $\Rightarrow$

Energy conservation  $\vec{r}_2 - \vec{r}_1$

$$E = \frac{m_1 v_1^2}{2} + \frac{m_2 v_2^2}{2} + U(r)$$

$$= \frac{m_1 \left( -\frac{\mu}{m_1} \dot{\vec{r}} \right)^2}{2} + \frac{m_2 \left( \frac{\mu}{m_2} \dot{\vec{r}} \right)^2}{2} + U(r) =$$

$|\dot{\vec{r}}| = v$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left( m_1 \left( \frac{m_2}{m_1 + m_2} \right)^2 + m_2 \left( \frac{m_1}{m_1 + m_2} \right)^2 \right) v^2 + U(r)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} (\mu)^2 v^2 \left( \frac{1}{m_1} + \frac{1}{m_2} \right) + U(r)$$

$\mu^{-1}$

$$E = \frac{1}{2} \mu v^2 + U(r)$$

$$\vec{L} = \mu \vec{v} \times \vec{r} = \mu r^2 \dot{\theta}$$

Energy  
and  
angular momentum  
conservation

$$v^2 = (\vec{v}_\perp + \vec{v}_\parallel) \cdot (\vec{v}_\perp + \vec{v}_\parallel) =$$

$$= v_\parallel^2 + v_\perp^2 = (\dot{r})^2 + (r\dot{\theta})^2$$

↑
Change  
change
of length
of direction  
for  $\vec{r}$ 
for  $\vec{r}$

$$E = \frac{1}{2} \mu (\dot{r})^2 + \frac{1}{2} \mu r^2 (\dot{\theta})^2 + U(r)$$

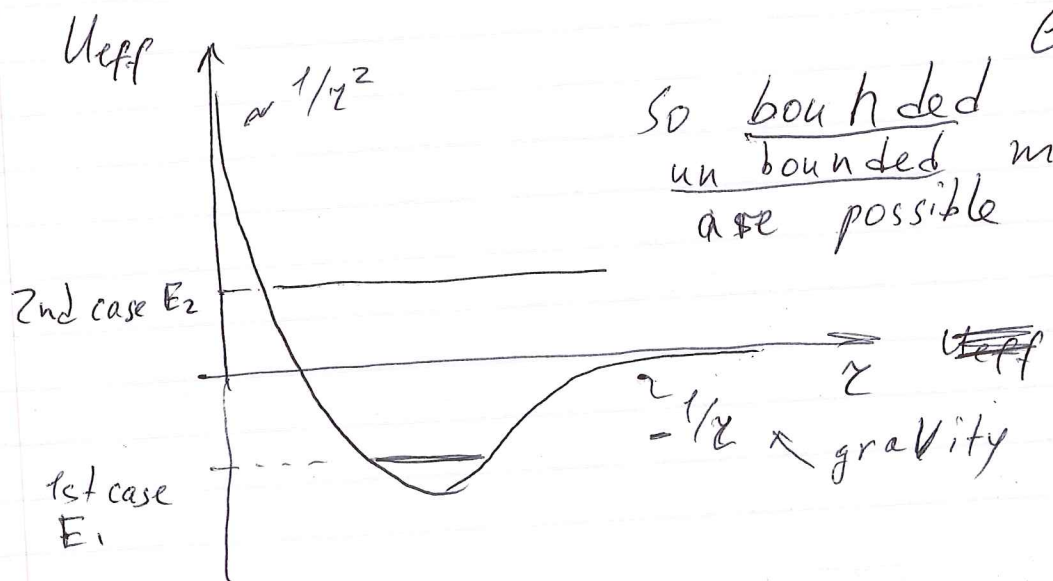
recall  $L = \mu r^2 \dot{\theta}$

$$\Rightarrow E = \frac{1}{2} \mu (\dot{r})^2 + \frac{1}{2} \mu r^2 \left( \frac{L}{\mu r^2} \right)^2 + U(r)$$

$$E = \frac{1}{2} \mu (\dot{r})^2 + \underbrace{\frac{L^2}{2\mu r^2} + U(r)}_{U_{\text{eff}}(r)}$$

↑  
look like kinetic energy

This already gives us something



So bounded and unbounded motions are possible

$$U(r) = -G \frac{m_1 m_2}{r}$$

$$= -\frac{2}{r}$$

$$\dot{z} = \sqrt{\frac{2}{\mu} (E - U_{\text{eff}})} = \frac{dz}{dt}$$

$$\frac{dz}{\sqrt{\frac{2}{\mu} (E - U_{\text{eff}})}} = dt = \frac{\mu r^2}{L} d\theta$$

$$d\theta = \frac{dz}{1} \frac{L}{\mu r^2 \sqrt{\frac{2}{\mu} (E - U_{\text{eff}})}} = dz \frac{L/r^2}{\sqrt{2\mu(E - U_{\text{eff}})}}$$

eq1  $\int d\theta = \int \frac{dz \quad L/r^2}{\sqrt{2\mu(E - \frac{L^2}{2\mu r^2} + \frac{d}{z})}} = \int \frac{1}{z} = x; \quad \frac{dz}{z^2} = -dx$

$$= \int \frac{-L dx}{\sqrt{2\mu E - L^2 x^2 - 2\mu d x}}$$

$$= \int \text{Note: } \frac{d}{dx} \arccos(x) = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}}$$

$\Rightarrow$

eq2  $\theta = \arccos \frac{\frac{L}{z} - \frac{\mu d}{L}}{\sqrt{2\mu E + \frac{\mu^2 d^2}{L^2}}} + \text{const}$   
 $\theta_0 = \arccos(\dots)$

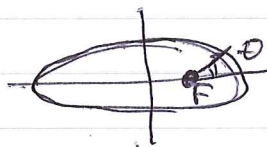
we rotate ref frame such that  $\theta_0 = 0$

HW:  
prove  
that  
eq1  $\Rightarrow$  eq2



# Orbits types

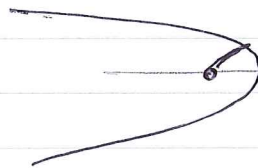
$e < 1$  ellipse



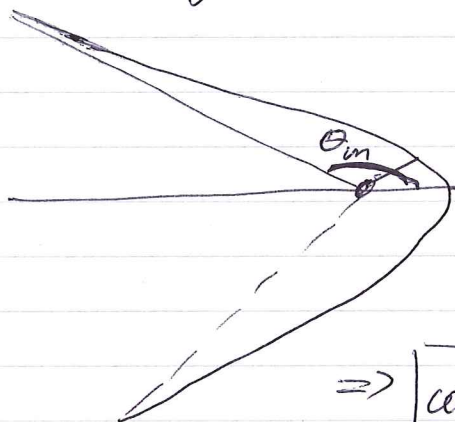
$e = 0 \rightarrow$  circle



$e = 1 \Rightarrow$  parabola



$e > 1 \Rightarrow$  hyperbola

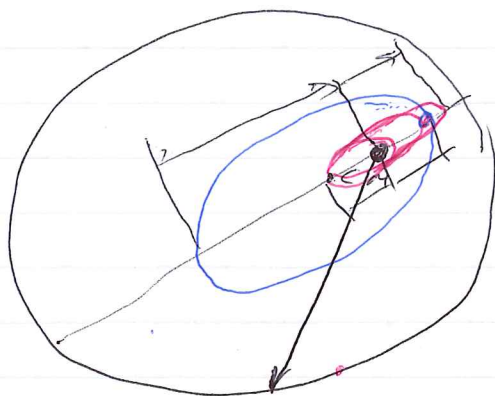


$$\frac{P}{z} = 1 + e \cos \theta$$

$$z \rightarrow \infty$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\theta_m = \frac{1}{e}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\cos \theta_m = -\frac{1}{e}}$$



$$m_1 > m_2$$

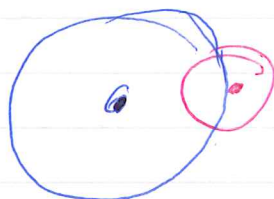
$$r_1 = -\frac{m_2}{m_1} r$$

$$r_2 = \frac{m_1}{m_2} r$$

long ends on opposite sides of C.M.

if  $e=0 \Leftrightarrow$  circular orbits.

is it possible to have situation like this?



No! Because they ~~orbit~~ <sup>move</sup> around the same C.M.



Q: Which one is heavier?

A:  $m_2 > m_1$