

Lecture 33

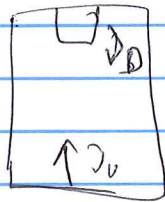
General relativity

In all floating (free fall) ~~ref~~
and non rotating reference frames
laws of physics are the same.

Equivalence
principle

~~principle~~

- * Time dilation
- * Light bending



falling frame

$$\nu_D = \nu_0$$

lab frame

$$\downarrow g \quad \nu_D = \nu_0 \left(1 + \frac{v}{c}\right) = \\ = \nu_0 \left(1 + \frac{gt}{c}\right)$$

$$\Delta \nu = \nu_D - \nu_0 = \nu_0 \frac{gt}{c}$$

$$\frac{\Delta \nu}{\nu_0} = \frac{gt}{c} = \frac{g \cdot (h/c)}{c} = \frac{gh}{c^2}$$

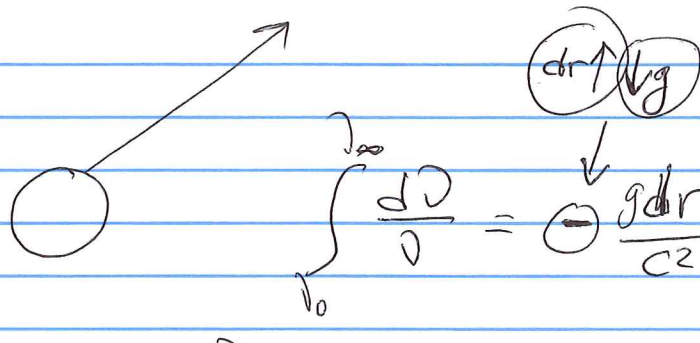
increase
of ν_0
i.e. Blue
shift

In floating frame: But $\nu_D = \nu_0 \Rightarrow \Delta \nu = 0$

So we need to introduce
Red shift to compensate.

$$\frac{\Delta \nu}{\nu_0} = \ominus \frac{gh}{c^2}$$

i.e. as photon moves up its
frequency decreases ~~since gravity~~
~~takes away energy~~



$$\int_{r_0}^{\infty} \frac{dD}{D} = - \frac{g dr}{c^2} = - \int_{R_0}^{\infty} \frac{GM}{r^2 c^2} dr$$

$$\ln D \Big|_{r_0}^{\infty} = + \frac{GM}{r c^2} \Big|_{R_0}^{\infty}$$

$$\ln \left(\frac{D_{\infty}}{D_0} \right) = - \frac{GM}{c^2 R_0}$$

$$D_{\infty} = D_0 e^{-\frac{GM}{c^2 R_0}}$$

if $\frac{GM}{c^2 R_0} \ll 1$

$$D_{\infty} \approx D_0 \left(1 - \frac{GM}{c^2 R_0} \right)$$

② correction to account space change

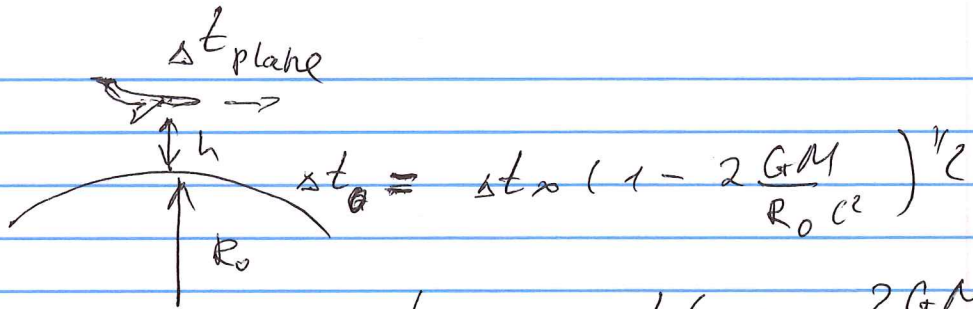
$$D_{\infty} = D_0 \left(1 - 2 \frac{GM}{c^2 R_0} \right)^{1/2}$$

$$\frac{D_{\infty}}{D_0} = \frac{\Delta t_0}{\Delta t_{\infty}} = \left(1 - \frac{2GM}{c^2 R_0} \right)^{1/2}$$

$$\Delta t_0 < \Delta t_{\infty}$$

i.e. "less time passes" for a given time Δt_{∞}

time dilation!



$$\Delta t_0 = \Delta t_\infty \left(1 - \frac{2GM}{R_0 c^2} \right)^{1/2}$$

$$\Delta t_{\text{plane}} = \Delta t_\infty \left(1 - \frac{2GM}{R_P c^2} \right)^{1/2}$$

ground ref
↓
(R_0+h)

$$\Delta t_{\text{plane}} = \Delta t_0 \left(1 - \frac{2GM}{(R_0+h)c^2} \right)^{1/2}$$

$$\frac{\Delta t_{\text{plane}}}{\Delta t_0} = \frac{\left(1 - \frac{2GM}{(R_0+h)c^2} \right)^{1/2}}{\left(1 - \frac{2GM}{R_0 c^2} \right)^{1/2}}$$

$$\approx \Delta t_0 \frac{\left(1 - \frac{GM}{(R_0+h)c^2} \right)}{\left(1 - \frac{GM}{R_0 c^2} \right)} \approx$$

$$\approx \Delta t_0 \left(1 - \frac{GM}{(R_0+h)c^2} \right) \left(1 + \frac{GM}{R_0 c^2} \right)$$

$$= \Delta t_0 \left(1 - \frac{GM}{(R_0+h)c^2} + \frac{GM}{R_0 c^2} + \left(\frac{GM}{R_0 c^2} \right)^2 \right)$$

//
 $R_0 \left(1 + \frac{h}{R_0} \right)$

$$= \Delta t_0 \left(1 - \frac{GM}{R_0 c^2} \left(1 - \frac{h}{R_0} \right) + \frac{GM}{R_0 c^2} \right) \approx$$

$$\approx \Delta t_0 \left(1 + \frac{GM}{R_0 c^2} \frac{h}{R_0} \right)$$

$$\approx \Delta t_0 \left(1 + \frac{gh}{c^2} \right) \Rightarrow \left. \begin{array}{l} \text{while on} \\ \text{ground } \Delta t_0 \text{ passes} \end{array} \right\}$$

in the plane
a longer interval
5 hour flight = 18000
⇒ you shave from your life $10^{-12} \cdot 18 \cdot 10^3 \approx 2 \cdot 10^{-8} \text{ s}$

Good atomic
clock are
stable to
the level

$$10^{-15} \div 10^{-17}$$

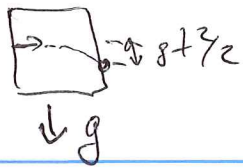
measurable

10km

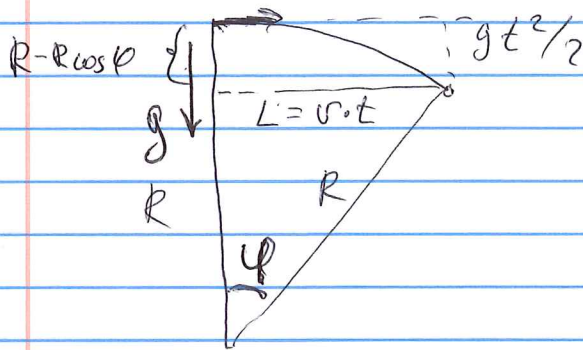
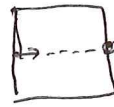
$$\frac{\Delta t_p - \Delta t_0}{\Delta t_0} \approx \frac{gh}{c^2}$$

$$\approx \frac{gh}{c^2}$$

$$\approx \frac{10 \cdot 10^4}{(3 \cdot 10^8)^2} \approx 10^{-12}$$



Floating Frame



$$\begin{cases} R(1 - \cos \phi) = gt^2/2 \\ R \sin \phi = v \cdot t \end{cases}$$

$$\phi \ll 1$$

$$R \approx \frac{v \cdot t}{\phi}$$

$$R(1 - \cos \phi) = gt^2/2$$

$$R(1 - \sqrt{1 - \phi^2}) = gt^2/2$$

$$R(1 - 1 + \frac{1}{2}\phi^2) = gt^2/2$$

$$R \cdot \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{v \cdot t}{R} \right)^2 = gt^2/2$$

$$R \cdot \frac{v^2}{R^2} = g$$

\Rightarrow

$$R_{\text{curv}} = \frac{v^2}{g} \quad (\text{eq 1})$$

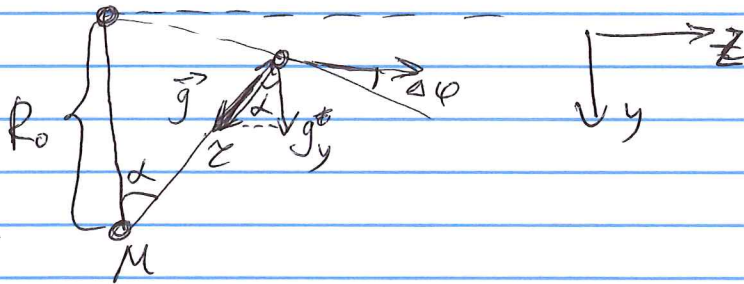
for small ϕ

$$\phi \approx \frac{v \cdot t}{R_{\text{curv}}} \quad (\text{eq 2})$$

Now replace $v \Rightarrow c$

curvature of light

Light Bending near mass



from eq. 2

from eq. 1

$$\Delta\phi = \frac{v \Delta t}{R_{\text{curv}}}$$

$$R_{\text{curv}} = \frac{v^2}{g_y}$$

$$\Delta\phi = \frac{v \Delta t}{v^2} g_y = \frac{v \Delta z}{c^2} \frac{GM}{r^2} \cos\alpha$$

$$= \frac{\Delta z}{c^2} \frac{GM}{r^2} \cos\alpha \Rightarrow \frac{\Delta z}{c^2} \frac{GM}{r^2} \cos\alpha$$

\$\Rightarrow\$

$$d\phi = \frac{dz}{c^2} \frac{GM}{r^2} \cos\alpha$$

$r = \frac{R_0}{\cos\alpha}$
 using small "arg"
 $z = R_0 \tan\alpha$
 $dz = \frac{R_0 d\alpha}{\cos^2\alpha}$

$$= \frac{R_0 d\alpha}{c^2 \cos^2\alpha} \frac{GM}{R_0^2 / \cos^2\alpha} \cos\alpha =$$

$$\int_0^{\phi_B} d\phi = \frac{GM}{c^2 R_0} \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} \cos\alpha d\alpha$$

$$= \boxed{2 \frac{GM}{R_0 c^2} = \phi_{\text{Bending}}}$$

$$\boxed{\phi_B = 4 \frac{GM}{R_0 c^2}}$$

we need extra (2) to account time dilation, photon spend more time when it is near the star