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Príklad 1

Príklad 2

The force \mathbf{F} on a particle with rest mass m is the rate of change its momentum \mathbf{p} as given by text Eq. (1.36):

$$\mathbf{F} = \frac{d\mathbf{p}}{dt} \quad (34)$$

where as given by text Eq. (1.35):

$$\mathbf{p} = \gamma m \mathbf{v} \quad (35)$$

where

$$\gamma = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 - v^2/c^2}} \quad (36)$$

where \mathbf{v} is the velocity of the particle. Eq. (34) with \mathbf{p} given by Eq. (35) is the relativistic generalization of Newton's Second Law.

Now

$$\mathbf{v} = v \mathbf{u}_t \quad (37)$$

where \mathbf{u}_t is a unit vector along the tangent of the particle's trajectory, and the acceleration \mathbf{a} of the particle is

$$\mathbf{a} = \frac{d\mathbf{v}}{dt} = \frac{dv}{dt} \mathbf{u}_t + \frac{v^2}{\rho} \mathbf{u}_n \quad (38)$$

where \mathbf{u}_n is a unit vector orthogonal to \mathbf{u}_t directed towards the centre of curvature of the trajectory and ρ is the radius of curvature of the trajectory, so

$$\frac{d\mathbf{p}}{dt} = \gamma m \left(\gamma^2 \frac{dv}{dt} \mathbf{u}_t + \frac{v^2}{\rho} \mathbf{u}_n \right) \quad (39)$$

When

$$\mathbf{F} = F \mathbf{u}_t \quad (40)$$

that is, when \mathbf{F} is parallel to \mathbf{v} , it follows that

$$\rho = \infty \quad (41)$$

That is, the particle moves in a straight line, and

$$a = \bar{a}/\gamma^3 \quad (42)$$

where

$$a = \frac{dv}{dt} \quad (43)$$

and

$$\bar{a} = \frac{F}{m} \quad (44)$$

When a particle of charge q moves in an electric field \mathbf{E} , the force \mathbf{F} on the particle is $\mathbf{F} = q\mathbf{E}$. If the particle moves in the direction of \mathbf{E} , then \mathbf{F} and \mathbf{v} are parallel. Accordingly, Eq. (42) holds with $\bar{a} = qE/m$.

It follows from Eq. (42) that $a \rightarrow 0$ as $v \rightarrow c$ and also that

$$F \simeq ma \quad \text{when } v \ll c \quad (46)$$

which is the nonrelativistic result.

When F is constant and the particle starts from rest at $t = 0$, its speed $v(t)$ is found by integrating Eq. (42):

$$\int_0^{v(t)} \frac{dv'}{(1 - v'^2/c^2)^{3/2}} = \bar{a}t \quad (47)$$

to be

$$v(t) = \frac{\bar{a}t}{\sqrt{1 + (\bar{a}t/c)^2}}. \quad (48)$$

It follows that $v(t) \rightarrow c$ as $t \rightarrow \infty$ and also that

$$v(t) \simeq \bar{a}t \quad \text{when } \bar{a}t \ll c \quad (49)$$

which is the non-relativistic result.

The position $x(t)$ of the particle is found by integrating $v = dx/dt$:

$$x(t) = \int_0^t v(t')dt' = \left(\sqrt{1 + (\bar{a}t/c)^2} - 1 \right) c^2/\bar{a}. \quad (50)$$

It follows that $x \rightarrow ct$ as $t \rightarrow \infty$ and also that

$$x(t) \simeq \frac{1}{2}\bar{a}t^2 \quad \text{when } \bar{a}t \ll c \quad (51)$$

which is the nonrelativistic result.

The position $x(v)$ is found by integrating $a(v) = dv/dt = vdv/dx$:

$$x(v) - x(0) = \int_{x(0)}^v \frac{v'dv'}{a(v')} = (\gamma - 1)c^2/\bar{a}. \quad (52)$$

It follows that $x(v) - x(0) \rightarrow \infty$ as $v \rightarrow c$ and also that

$$v^2 \simeq 2\bar{a}[x(v) - x(0)] \quad \text{when } v \ll c \quad (53)$$

which is the nonrelativistic result.

When a particle moves with constant speed, that is, when

$$\frac{dv}{dt} = 0 \quad (56)$$

it follows from Eqs. (34) and (39) that

$$\bar{\omega}\rho = \gamma v \quad (57)$$

where

$$\bar{\omega} = \frac{qB \sin \theta}{m} \quad (58)$$

where θ is the angle that \mathbf{v} makes with \mathbf{B} . For a proton moving perpendicular to a 1.00 T magnetic field, $\bar{\omega} = 95.8$ MHz.

The right side of Eq. (57) is constant. Accordingly, the radius of curvature ρ of the particle's trajectory changes to accommodate changes in the magnetic field \mathbf{B} .

When \mathbf{B} is constant (that is, time-independent and homogeneous), it follows from Eq. (57) that the particle moves in a circle with radius

$$r = \gamma v / \tilde{\omega} \quad (59)$$

and speed

$$v = \tilde{\omega} r / \gamma = \frac{\tilde{\omega} r}{\sqrt{1 + (\tilde{\omega} r / c)^2}} \quad (60)$$

The angular frequency $\omega = v/r$ of the circular motion is

$$\omega = \tilde{\omega} / \gamma = \frac{\tilde{\omega}}{\sqrt{1 + (\tilde{\omega} r / c)^2}} \quad (61)$$

as above.

It follows that $r \rightarrow \infty$ as $v \rightarrow c$ and also that

$$v \simeq \tilde{\omega} r \quad \text{when } v \ll c \quad (62)$$

which is the nonrelativistic result.

It follows also that

$$\omega \simeq \tilde{\omega} \quad \text{when } \tilde{\omega} r \ll c \quad (63)$$

For a proton moving perpendicular to a 1.00 T magnetic field, this requires that $r \ll 3.13$ m.

The above results limit the range of speeds attainable in a conventional particle-accelerating cyclotron which relies, as with Eq. (63), on a constant-frequency accelerating potential to increase particle speeds and a time-independent homogeneous magnetic field to make particles move in circles.

This limitation is overcome at the TRIUMF cyclotron on the UBC campus which accelerates protons to 520 MeV ($0.75c$), and has a diameter of 17.1 m. This is accomplished by increasing the magnetic field with radius to accommodate the Lorentz factor γ . For more information on TRIUMF, see <http://www.triumf.ca>.

Příklad 3

Solution: Let $\omega = 2\pi f$ and use $c \equiv 1$. Then, (ω, \mathbf{k}) transforms as a 4-vector under Lorentz transformations, with $|\mathbf{k}| = \omega$. Let $x'-y'$ axes be fixed with respect to the mirror (moving at $v_x = +v$ with respect to the lab axes xy). ($\gamma \equiv \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-v^2}}$)

Incident beam: $\omega' = \gamma(\omega - v k_x)$ and $k'_x = \gamma(k_x - v\omega)$ and $k'_y = k_y$ (mirror frame) as measured in the mirror frame of reference.

In the mirror frame, the incident + reflected beams have the same frequency and the angle of incidence equals the angle of reflection.

Reflected beam: $\omega'_R = \omega'$, $k'_{Rx} = -k'_x$, $k'_{Ry} = k'_y$.

We now Lorentz transform the reflected beam's (ω'_R, \vec{k}'_R) back to the laboratory frame (which moves at $v_x = -v$ with respect to the mirror):

$$\omega_R = \gamma(\omega'_R + vk'_{Rx}) \text{ and } k_{Rx} = \gamma(k'_{Rx} + v\omega'_R) \text{ and } k_{Ry} = k'_{Ry}$$

$$\omega'_R = \gamma(\omega - vk_x) \text{ and } k'_{Rx} = \gamma(-k_x + v\omega) \text{ and } k'_{Ry} = k_y$$

$$\omega_R = \gamma^2[\omega(1+v^2) - 2vk_x] \text{ and } k_{Rx} = \gamma^2[2v\omega - (1+v^2)k_x] \text{ and } k_{Ry} = k_y$$

$$\omega_R = \frac{\omega}{(1-v^2)} [1 + 2v \cos\theta + v^2] \text{ and } \tan\theta_R = \frac{(1-v^2) \sin\theta}{[2v + (1+v^2) \cos\theta]}$$

Příklad 4

Relativity problem solution

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From conservation of energy

$$pc + mc^2 = p'c + \sqrt{p_e^2 c^2 + m^2 c^4}$$

$$(pc + mc^2 - p'c)^2 = p_e^2 c^2 + m^2 c^4$$

and conservation of momentum

$$\vec{p} - \vec{p}' = \vec{p}_e \Rightarrow (\vec{p} - \vec{p}')^2 = p_e^2$$

$$\therefore p^2 + p'^2 + m^2 c^2 - 2pp' - 2p'mc + 2p'mc - p^2 - p'^2 + 2\vec{p} \cdot \vec{p}' = m^2 c^2$$

$$pp' - \vec{p} \cdot \vec{p}' = (p - p')mc$$

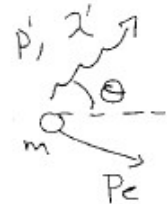
$$pp'(1 - \cos\theta) = (p - p')mc$$

$$1 - \cos\theta = \left(\frac{1}{p'} - \frac{1}{p}\right)mc$$

where $p = \frac{h}{\lambda}$

$$\therefore \lambda' - \lambda = \frac{h}{mc} (1 - \cos\theta)$$

$$\boxed{\lambda' = \lambda + \frac{h}{mc} (1 - \cos\theta)}$$



b. from above $\frac{1}{p'c} = \frac{1}{pc} + \frac{1}{mc^2}(1 - \cos\theta)$

$$\therefore p'c = \frac{mc^2}{1 - \cos\theta + \frac{mc}{p}}$$

and $K = \sqrt{p_e^2 c^2 + m^2 c^4} - mc^2 = pc - p'c$

but from energy conservation that equals $pc - p'c$
(from 1st equation in a)

$$\therefore K = pc - \frac{mc^2}{1 - \cos\theta + \frac{mc}{p}}$$

$$K = \frac{pc(1 - \cos\theta + \frac{mc}{p}) - mc^2}{1 - \cos\theta + \frac{mc}{p}}$$

$$K = pc(1 - \cos\theta)$$

$$K = \frac{pc(1 - \cos\theta)}{1 - \cos\theta + \frac{mc}{p}}$$

$$K = \frac{(1 - \cos\theta) \frac{hc}{\lambda}}{1 - \cos\theta + \frac{mc\lambda}{h}}$$