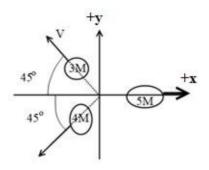
METÓDY RIEŠENIA FYZIKÁLNYCH ÚLOH zima20 – Príklady 2

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Príklad 1

An object of mass 12M is at rest when it suddenly explodes into 3 pieces with masses 3M, 4M, and 5M. The piece of mass 3M moves with speed V in the direction shown in the diagram. What is the speed of the piece with mass 5M knowing that it is moving directly to the right?



Príklad 2

In unbounded vacuum, the initial electric and magnetic fields are given by

$$\mathbf{E}(\mathbf{r}, t = 0) = \hat{\mathbf{y}}f(x)$$
$$\mathbf{B}(\mathbf{r}, t = 0) = 0.$$

Find $\mathbf{E}(\mathbf{r},t)$ and $\mathbf{B}(\mathbf{r},t)$ for $t \geq 0$.

Príklad 3

PROBLEM: A mechanical system consists of two particles, one of which moves in three dimensions, the other of which is confined to a plane. The particle masses are m_1 and m_2 , respectively. The potential energy of the system is

$$U(x, y, z, \rho, \phi) = V(u, v)$$
,

where

$$u \equiv \alpha x + \beta y + \gamma z$$
 , $v \equiv y + a\phi$.

Thus, the potential U depends only on two linear combinations of the five degrees of freedom.

- (a) Write down the Lagrangian and the equations of motion.
- (b) Noether's theorem says that to each continuous one-parameter family of transformations of the generalized coordinates, there corresponds an associated conserved quantity. For this system, identify all such one-parameter families and conserved quantities.
- (c) Is anything else conserved by the dynamics?

Príklad 4

PROBLEM: The index of refraction in the atmosphere of a planet varies according to the law $n(h) = n_0 - \alpha h$, where h is the height and both n_0 and α are constant. Find the height h at which electromagnetic waves propagate along a circular orbit around the planet. The planet's radius is R.