

# CIRCULAR MOTION

When a particle moves in a plane such that its distance from a fixed (or moving) point remains constant then its motion is called a circular motion with respect to that fixed (or moving) point.



# ANGULAR VELOCTIY ((1)

#### **Average Angular Velocity**

$$\omega_{\rm av} \ = \ \frac{\rm Total \ Angle \ of \ Rotation}{\rm Total \ time \ taken} \ \ ; \quad \omega_{\rm av} \ = \ \frac{\theta_2 \ - \ \theta_1}{t_2 - t_1} \ = \ \frac{\Delta \theta}{\Delta t}$$

where  $\theta_1$  and  $\theta_2$  are angular position of the particle at time  $t_1$  and  $t_2$  respectively.

#### Instantaneous Angular Velocity

The rate at which the position vector of a particle with respect to the centre rotates, is called as instantaneous angular velocity with respect to the centre.

$$\omega = \lim_{\Delta t \to 0} \frac{\Delta \theta}{\Delta t} = \frac{d\theta}{dt}$$

#### **Relative Angular Velocity**

$$\omega_{AB} = \frac{(V_{AB})_{\perp}}{r_{AB}}$$

here V<sub>AB</sub> = Relative velocity perpendicular to position vector AB

Relation between speed and angular Velocity:  $v = r\omega$  is a scalar quantity ( $\vec{\omega} \neq \frac{\vec{v}}{r}$ )

### Average Angular Acceleration

Let  $\omega_1$  and  $\omega_2$  be the instantaneous angular speed at time  $t_1$  and  $t_2$  respectively, then the average angular acceleration  $\alpha_{av}$  is defined as

$$\alpha_{\text{av}} \ = \frac{\omega_1 \ - \ \omega_2}{t_2 - t_1} \ = \ \frac{\Delta \omega}{\Delta \, t}$$

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ANGULAR ACCELERATION (a)

#### **Instantaneous Angular Acceleration**

It is the limit of average angular acceleration as  $\Delta t$  approaches zero, that is

$$\alpha = \lim_{\Delta t \to 0} \frac{\Delta \omega}{\Delta t} = \frac{d\omega}{dt} = \omega \frac{d\omega}{d\theta}$$





# RADIAL AND TANGENTIAL ACCELERATION



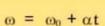
$$a_t = \frac{dv}{dt}$$
 = rate of change of speed and  $a_r = \omega^2 r = r \left(\frac{v}{r}\right)^2 = \frac{v^2}{r}$ 

$$Q_r = \omega^2 r = r \left(\frac{v}{r}\right)^2 = \frac{v^2}{r}$$

Angular and Tangential Acceleration Relation

$$a_t = \frac{dv}{dt} = r \frac{d\omega}{dt}$$
 or  $a_t = r\alpha$ 

#### **Equations of Rotational Motion**



$$\theta = \omega_{0t} + \frac{1}{2} \alpha t^2$$

$$\omega^2 - \omega_0^2 = 2\alpha\theta$$



# RELATIONS AMONG ANGULAR VARIABLES



#### **Uniform Circular Motion**

Speed of the particle is constant i.e.,

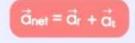
 $\omega$  = constant

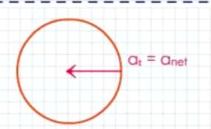
$$a_t = \frac{d|\vec{v}|}{dt} = 0$$
;  $a_r = \frac{v^2}{r} \neq 0$  .:  $a_{t} = a_r$   $a_t = \frac{d|\vec{v}|}{dt} \neq 0$ ;  $a_r \neq 0$   $a_{t} = a_r$ 

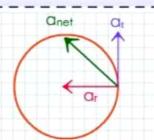
#### **Non-Uniform Circular Motion**

Speed of the particle is not constant i.e., 

$$a_t = \frac{d|\vec{v}|}{dt} \neq 0 ; a_r \neq 0$$



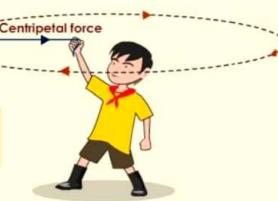


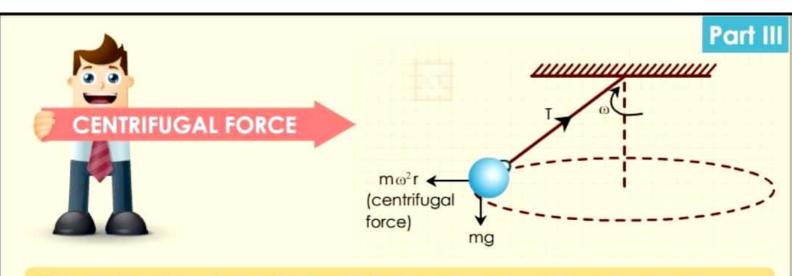


#### Centripetal force is the necessary resultant force towards the centre.



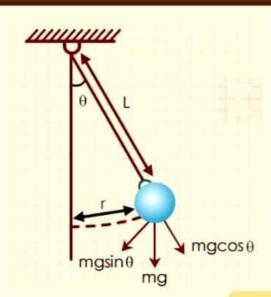
$$F = \frac{mv^2}{r} = m\omega^2 r$$





Centrifugal force is a fictitious force which has to be applied as a concept only in a rotating frame of reference to apply Newton's law of motion (in that frame)

 $F_c = m\omega^2 r$ 



# SIMPLE PENDULUM

Balancing Horizontal Forces:

 $T \sin \theta = m\omega^2 r$ 

**Balancing Vertical Forces:** 

$$T - mgcos \theta = mv^2/L \Longrightarrow T = m(gcos \theta + v^2/L)$$

$$|\overrightarrow{F}_{net}| = \sqrt{(mgsin\theta)^2 + \left(\frac{mv^2}{L}\right)^2} = m\sqrt{g^2 sin^2\theta + \frac{v^4}{L^2}}$$



# **CONICAL PENDULUM**

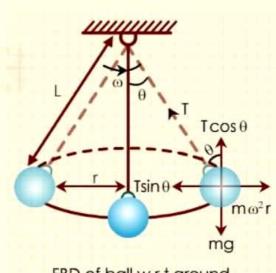
#### FBD of ball shows:

 $T \sin\theta = m \omega^2 r = centripetal force$ 

 $T\cos\theta = mg$ 

speed v = 
$$\frac{r\sqrt{g}}{(L^2 - r^2)^{1/4}}$$
 and Tension T =  $\frac{mgL}{(L^2 - r^2)^{1/2}}$ 

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FBD of ball w.r.t ground