# A Reformulation of Classical Mechanics

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In classical mechanics, a new reformulation is presented, which is invariant under transformations between inertial and non-inertial reference frames and which can be applied in any reference frame without introducing fictitious forces. In addition to the above, in this paper, we assume that all forces always obey Newton's third law.

### Introduction

The new reformulation in classical mechanics presented in this paper is obtained starting from an auxiliary system of particles (called Universe) that is used to obtain kinematic magnitudes (such as universal position, universal velocity, etc.) that are invariant under transformations between inertial and non-inertial reference frames.

The universal position  $\mathbf{r}_i$ , the universal velocity  $\mathbf{v}_i$  and the universal acceleration  $\mathbf{a}_i$  of a particle *i* relative to a reference frame S (inertial or non-inertial) are given by:

$$\mathbf{r}_{i} \doteq (\tilde{r}_{i}) = (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R})$$
  

$$\mathbf{v}_{i} \doteq d(\tilde{r}_{i})/dt = (\vec{v}_{i} - \vec{V}) - \vec{\omega} \times (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R})$$
  

$$\mathbf{a}_{i} \doteq d^{2}(\tilde{r}_{i})/dt^{2} = (\vec{a}_{i} - \vec{A}) - 2\vec{\omega} \times (\vec{v}_{i} - \vec{V}) + \vec{\omega} \times [\vec{\omega} \times (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R})] - \vec{\alpha} \times (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R})$$

where  $\tilde{r}_i$  is the position vector of particle *i* relative to the universal frame [ $\vec{r}_i$  is the position vector of particle *i*,  $\vec{R}$  is the position vector of the center of mass of the Universe, and  $\vec{\omega}$  is the angular velocity vector of the Universe] [relative to the frame S] (see Annex I)

The universal frame is a reference frame fixed to the Universe  $(\vec{\omega} = 0)$  whose origin always coincides with the center of mass of the Universe  $(\vec{R} = \vec{V} = \vec{A} = 0)$ 

Any reference frame S is an inertial frame when the angular velocity  $\vec{\omega}$  of the Universe and the acceleration  $\vec{A}$  of the center of mass of the Universe are equal to zero relative to S.

Note :  $(\forall \mathbf{m} \in \text{Universal Magnitudes} : \text{If } \mathbf{m} = \vec{n} \longrightarrow d(\mathbf{m})/dt = d(\vec{n})/dt - \vec{\omega} \times \vec{n})$ 

### The New Dynamics

[1] A force is always caused by the interaction between two or more particles.

[2] The net force  $\mathbf{F}_i$  acting on a particle *i* of mass  $m_i$  produces a universal acceleration  $\mathbf{a}_i$  according to the following equation:  $[\mathbf{F}_i = m_i \mathbf{a}_i]$ 

[3] In this paper, we assume that all forces always obey Newton's third law in its weak form and in its strong form.

# The Equation of Motion

The net force  $\mathbf{F}_i$  acting on a particle *i* of mass  $m_i$  produces a universal acceleration  $\mathbf{a}_i$  according to the following equation:

$$\mathbf{F}_i = m_i \mathbf{a}_i$$

From the above equation it follows that the (ordinary) acceleration  $\vec{a}_i$  of particle *i* relative to a reference frame S (inertial or non-inertial) is given by:

$$\vec{a}_i = \mathbf{F}_i / m_i + \vec{A} + 2 \vec{\omega} \times (\vec{v}_i - \vec{V}) - \vec{\omega} \times [\vec{\omega} \times (\vec{r}_i - \vec{R})] + \vec{\alpha} \times (\vec{r}_i - \vec{R})$$

where  $\vec{r}_i$  is the position vector of particle  $i, \vec{R}$  is the position vector of the center of mass of the Universe, and  $\vec{\omega}$  is the angular velocity vector of the Universe (see Annex I)

From the above equation it follows that particle i can have a non-zero acceleration even if there is no force acting on particle i, and also that particle i can have zero acceleration (state of rest or of uniform linear motion) even if there is an unbalanced net force acting on particle i.

However, from the above equation it also follows that Newton's first and second laws are valid in any inertial reference frame, since the angular velocity  $\vec{\omega}$  of the Universe and the acceleration  $\vec{A}$  of the center of mass of the Universe are equal to zero relative to any inertial reference frame.

In this paper, any reference frame S is an inertial frame when the angular velocity  $\vec{\omega}$  of the Universe and the acceleration  $\vec{A}$  of the center of mass of the Universe are equal to zero relative to the frame S. Therefore, any reference frame S is a non-inertial frame when the angular velocity  $\vec{\omega}$  of the Universe or the acceleration  $\vec{A}$  of the center of mass of the Universe are not equal to zero relative to the frame S.

However, since in classical mechanics any reference frame is actually an ideal rigid body then any reference frame S is an inertial frame when the net force acting at each point of the frame S is equal to zero. Therefore, any reference frame S is a non-inertial frame when the net force acting at each point of the frame S is not equal to zero (see Annex IV)

On the other hand, the new reformulation of classical mechanics presented in this paper is observationally equivalent to Newtonian mechanics.

However, non-inertial observers can use Newtonian mechanics only if they introduce fictitious forces into  $\mathbf{F}_i$  (such as the centrifugal force, the Coriolis force, etc.)

Additionally, the new reformulation of classical mechanics presented in this paper is also a relational reformulation of classical mechanics since it is obtained starting from relative magnitudes (position, velocity and acceleration) between particles.

However, as already stated above, the new reformulation of classical mechanics presented in this paper is observationally equivalent to Newtonian mechanics.

# The Definitions

For a system of N particles, the following definitions are applicable:

Mass	$\mathbf{M} \doteq \sum_{i}^{\mathbf{N}} m_{i}$
Position CM 1	$\vec{R}_{cm} \doteq \mathbf{M}^{-1} \sum_{i}^{\mathbf{N}} m_i \vec{r}_i$
Velocity CM 1	$\vec{V}_{cm} \doteq \mathbf{M}^{-1} \sum_{i}^{\mathbf{N}} m_i  \vec{v}_i$
Acceleration CM 1	$\vec{A}_{cm} \doteq \mathbf{M}^{-1} \sum_{i}^{\mathbf{N}} m_i  \vec{a}_i$
Position CM 2	$\mathbf{R}_{cm} \doteq \mathbf{M}^{-1} \sum_{i}^{\mathbf{N}} m_i \mathbf{r}_i$
Velocity CM 2	$\mathbf{V}_{cm} \doteq \mathbf{M}^{-1} \sum_{i}^{\mathbf{N}} m_i \mathbf{v}_i$
Acceleration CM 2	$\mathbf{A}_{cm} \doteq \mathbf{M}^{-1} \sum_{i}^{\mathbf{N}} m_i \mathbf{a}_i$
Linear Momentum 1	$\mathbf{P}_1 \doteq \sum_i^{\mathrm{N}} m_i \mathbf{v}_i$
Angular Momentum 1	$\mathbf{L}_{1} \doteq \sum_{i}^{\scriptscriptstyle \mathrm{N}} m_{i} \left[ \mathbf{r}_{i}  imes \mathbf{v}_{i}  ight]$
Angular Momentum 2	$\mathbf{L}_2 \doteq \sum_{i}^{N} m_i \left[ \left( \mathbf{r}_i - \mathbf{R}_{cm} \right) \times \left( \mathbf{v}_i - \mathbf{V}_{cm} \right) \right]$
Work 1	$W_1 \doteq \sum_i^N \int_1^2 \mathbf{F}_i \cdot d\mathbf{r}_i = \Delta K_1$
Kinetic Energy 1	$\Delta \mathbf{K}_1 \doteq \sum_i^{\mathbf{N}} \Delta^{1/2} m_i (\mathbf{v}_i)^2$
Potential Energy 1	$\Delta \mathbf{U}_1 \doteq -\sum_i^{\mathbf{N}} \int_1^2 \mathbf{F}_i \cdot d\mathbf{r}_i$
Mechanical Energy 1	$E_1 \doteq K_1 + U_1$
Lagrangian 1	$L_1 \doteq K_1 - U_1$
Work 2	$W_2 \doteq \sum_{i}^{N} \int_{1}^{2} \mathbf{F}_i \cdot d(\mathbf{r}_i - \mathbf{R}_{cm}) = \Delta K_2$
Kinetic Energy 2	$\Delta \mathbf{K}_2 \doteq \sum_i^{\mathbf{N}} \Delta^{1/2} m_i (\mathbf{v}_i - \mathbf{V}_{cm})^2$
Potential Energy 2	$\Delta \mathbf{U}_2 \doteq -\sum_i^{\mathbf{N}} \int_1^2 \mathbf{F}_i \cdot d(\mathbf{r}_i - \mathbf{R}_{cm})$
Mechanical Energy 2	$E_2 \doteq K_2 + U_2$
Lagrangian 2	$L_2 \doteq K_2 - U_2$

Work 3	$W_3 \doteq \sum_i^{N} \Delta \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{F}_i \cdot \mathbf{r}_i = \Delta K_3$
Kinetic Energy 3	$\Delta \mathbf{K}_3 \doteq \sum_i^{\mathbf{N}} \Delta^{1/2} m_i  \mathbf{a}_i \cdot \mathbf{r}_i$
Potential Energy 3	$\Delta \mathbf{U}_3 \doteq -\sum_i^{\mathrm{N}} \Delta \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{F}_i \cdot \mathbf{r}_i$
Mechanical Energy 3	$E_3 \doteq K_3 + U_3$
Work 4	$W_4 \doteq \sum_{i}^{N} \Delta \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{F}_i \cdot (\mathbf{r}_i - \mathbf{R}_{cm}) = \Delta K_4$
Kinetic Energy 4	$\Delta \mathbf{K}_4 \doteq \sum_{i}^{N} \Delta^{1/2} m_i \left[ \left( \mathbf{a}_i - \mathbf{A}_{cm} \right) \cdot \left( \mathbf{r}_i - \mathbf{R}_{cm} \right) \right]$
Potential Energy 4	$\Delta \operatorname{U}_4 \doteq -\sum_i^{\scriptscriptstyle N} \Delta \frac{1}{2} \operatorname{\mathbf{F}}_i \cdot (\operatorname{\mathbf{r}}_i - \operatorname{\mathbf{R}}_{cm})$
Mechanical Energy 4	$E_4 \doteq K_4 + U_4$
Work 5	$W_{5} \doteq \sum_{i}^{N} \left[ \int_{1}^{2} \mathbf{F}_{i} \cdot d(\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}) + \Delta \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{F}_{i} \cdot (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}) \right] = \Delta K_{5}$
Work 5 Kinetic Energy 5	$W_{5} \doteq \sum_{i}^{N} \left[ \int_{1}^{2} \mathbf{F}_{i} \cdot d(\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}) + \Delta \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{F}_{i} \cdot (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}) \right] = \Delta K_{5}$ $\Delta K_{5} \doteq \sum_{i}^{N} \frac{\Delta \frac{1}{2} m_{i} \left[ (\vec{v}_{i} - \vec{V})^{2} + (\vec{a}_{i} - \vec{A}) \cdot (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}) \right]}{(\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R})}$
Kinetic Energy 5	$\Delta \mathbf{K}_{5} \doteq \sum_{i}^{N} \Delta \frac{1}{2} m_{i} \left[ (\vec{v}_{i} - \vec{V})^{2} + (\vec{a}_{i} - \vec{A}) \cdot (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}) \right]$
Kinetic Energy 5 Potential Energy 5	$\Delta K_{5} \doteq \sum_{i}^{N} \Delta \frac{1}{2} m_{i} \left[ (\vec{v}_{i} - \vec{V})^{2} + (\vec{a}_{i} - \vec{A}) \cdot (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}) \right]$ $\Delta U_{5} \doteq -\sum_{i}^{N} \left[ \int_{1}^{2} \mathbf{F}_{i} \cdot d(\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}) + \Delta \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{F}_{i} \cdot (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}) \right]$
Kinetic Energy 5 Potential Energy 5	$\Delta K_{5} \doteq \sum_{i}^{N} \Delta \frac{1}{2} m_{i} \left[ (\vec{v}_{i} - \vec{V})^{2} + (\vec{a}_{i} - \vec{A}) \cdot (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}) \right]$ $\Delta U_{5} \doteq -\sum_{i}^{N} \left[ \int_{1}^{2} \mathbf{F}_{i} \cdot d(\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}) + \Delta \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{F}_{i} \cdot (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}) \right]$
Kinetic Energy 5 Potential Energy 5 Mechanical Energy 5	$\Delta K_{5} \doteq \sum_{i}^{N} \Delta^{1/2} m_{i} \left[ (\vec{v}_{i} - \vec{V})^{2} + (\vec{a}_{i} - \vec{A}) \cdot (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}) \right]$ $\Delta U_{5} \doteq -\sum_{i}^{N} \left[ \int_{1}^{2} \mathbf{F}_{i} \cdot d(\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}) + \Delta^{1/2} \mathbf{F}_{i} \cdot (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}) \right]$ $E_{5} \doteq K_{5} + U_{5}$
Kinetic Energy 5 Potential Energy 5 Mechanical Energy 5 Work 6	$\Delta K_{5} \doteq \sum_{i}^{N} \Delta^{1/2} m_{i} \left[ (\vec{v}_{i} - \vec{V})^{2} + (\vec{a}_{i} - \vec{A}) \cdot (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}) \right]$ $\Delta U_{5} \doteq -\sum_{i}^{N} \left[ \int_{1}^{2} \mathbf{F}_{i} \cdot d(\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}) + \Delta^{1/2} \mathbf{F}_{i} \cdot (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}) \right]$ $E_{5} \doteq K_{5} + U_{5}$ $W_{6} \doteq \sum_{i}^{N} \left[ \int_{1}^{2} \mathbf{F}_{i} \cdot d(\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}_{cm}) + \Delta^{1/2} \mathbf{F}_{i} \cdot (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}_{cm}) \right] = \Delta K_{6}$
Kinetic Energy 5 Potential Energy 5 Mechanical Energy 5 Work 6 Kinetic Energy 6	$\Delta K_{5} \doteq \sum_{i}^{N} \Delta^{1/2} m_{i} \left[ (\vec{v}_{i} - \vec{V})^{2} + (\vec{a}_{i} - \vec{A}) \cdot (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}) \right]$ $\Delta U_{5} \doteq -\sum_{i}^{N} \left[ \int_{1}^{2} \mathbf{F}_{i} \cdot d(\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}) + \Delta^{1/2} \mathbf{F}_{i} \cdot (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}) \right]$ $E_{5} \doteq K_{5} + U_{5}$ $W_{6} \doteq \sum_{i}^{N} \left[ \int_{1}^{2} \mathbf{F}_{i} \cdot d(\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}_{cm}) + \Delta^{1/2} \mathbf{F}_{i} \cdot (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}_{cm}) \right] = \Delta K_{6}$ $\Delta K_{6} \doteq \sum_{i}^{N} \Delta^{1/2} m_{i} \left[ (\vec{v}_{i} - \vec{V}_{cm})^{2} + (\vec{a}_{i} - \vec{A}_{cm}) \cdot (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}_{cm}) \right]$

# The Relations

From the above definitions, the following relations can be obtained (see Annex II)

$$\begin{split} \mathbf{K}_{1} &= \mathbf{K}_{2} + \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{M} \mathbf{V}_{cm}^{2} \\ \mathbf{K}_{3} &= \mathbf{K}_{4} + \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{M} \mathbf{A}_{cm} \cdot \mathbf{R}_{cm} \\ \mathbf{K}_{5} &= \mathbf{K}_{6} + \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{M} \left[ (\vec{V}_{cm} - \vec{V})^{2} + (\vec{A}_{cm} - \vec{A}) \cdot (\vec{R}_{cm} - \vec{R}) \right] \\ \mathbf{K}_{5} &= \mathbf{K}_{1} + \mathbf{K}_{3} \quad \& \quad \mathbf{U}_{5} = \mathbf{U}_{1} + \mathbf{U}_{3} \quad \& \quad \mathbf{E}_{5} = \mathbf{E}_{1} + \mathbf{E}_{3} \\ \mathbf{K}_{6} &= \mathbf{K}_{2} + \mathbf{K}_{4} \quad \& \quad \mathbf{U}_{6} = \mathbf{U}_{2} + \mathbf{U}_{4} \quad \& \quad \mathbf{E}_{6} = \mathbf{E}_{2} + \mathbf{E}_{4} \end{split}$$

### The Conservation Laws

The linear momentum  $[\mathbf{P}_1]$  of an isolated system of N particles remains constant if the internal forces obey Newton's third law in its weak form.

$$\mathbf{P}_1 = \text{constant} \qquad \left[ \ d(\mathbf{P}_1)/dt \ = \ \sum_i^{\scriptscriptstyle \mathrm{N}} \ m_i \, \mathbf{a}_i \ = \ \sum_i^{\scriptscriptstyle \mathrm{N}} \ \mathbf{F}_i \ = \ 0 \ \right]$$

The angular momentum  $[\mathbf{L}_1]$  of an isolated system of N particles remains constant if the internal forces obey Newton's third law in its strong form.

$$\mathbf{L}_{1} = \text{constant} \qquad \left[ d(\mathbf{L}_{1})/dt = \sum_{i}^{N} m_{i} \left[ \mathbf{r}_{i} \times \mathbf{a}_{i} \right] = \sum_{i}^{N} \mathbf{r}_{i} \times \mathbf{F}_{i} = 0 \right]$$

The angular momentum  $[L_2]$  of an isolated system of N particles remains constant if the internal forces obey Newton's third law in its strong form.

$$\mathbf{L}_{2} = \text{constant} \qquad \left[ d(\mathbf{L}_{2})/dt = \sum_{i}^{N} m_{i} \left[ (\mathbf{r}_{i} - \mathbf{R}_{cm}) \times (\mathbf{a}_{i} - \mathbf{A}_{cm}) \right] = \sum_{i}^{N} m_{i} \left[ (\mathbf{r}_{i} - \mathbf{R}_{cm}) \times \mathbf{a}_{i} \right] = \sum_{i}^{N} (\mathbf{r}_{i} - \mathbf{R}_{cm}) \times \mathbf{F}_{i} = 0 \right]$$

The mechanical energy  $[E_1]$  and the mechanical energy  $[E_2]$  of a system of N particles remain constant if the system is only subject to conservative forces.

$E_1 = constant$	$\left[ \Delta E_1 = \Delta K_1 + \Delta U_1 = 0 \right]$
$E_2 = constant$	$\left[ \ \Delta \ E_2 \ = \ \Delta \ K_2 + \Delta \ U_2 \ = \ 0 \ \right]$

The mechanical energy  $[E_3]$  and the mechanical energy  $[E_4]$  of a system of N particles are always zero (and therefore they always remain constant)

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{E}_{3} &= \text{ constant} \qquad \left[ \mathbf{E}_{3} &= \sum_{i}^{N} \frac{1}{2} \left[ m_{i} \, \mathbf{a}_{i} \cdot \mathbf{r}_{i} - \mathbf{F}_{i} \cdot \mathbf{r}_{i} \right] = 0 \right] \\ \mathbf{E}_{4} &= \text{ constant} \qquad \left[ \mathbf{E}_{4} &= \sum_{i}^{N} \frac{1}{2} \left[ m_{i} \, \mathbf{a}_{i} \cdot (\mathbf{r}_{i} - \mathbf{R}_{cm}) - \mathbf{F}_{i} \cdot (\mathbf{r}_{i} - \mathbf{R}_{cm}) \right] = 0 \right] \\ &\sum_{i}^{N} \frac{1}{2} m_{i} \left[ (\mathbf{a}_{i} - \mathbf{A}_{cm}) \cdot (\mathbf{r}_{i} - \mathbf{R}_{cm}) \right] = \sum_{i}^{N} \frac{1}{2} m_{i} \, \mathbf{a}_{i} \cdot (\mathbf{r}_{i} - \mathbf{R}_{cm}) \end{aligned}$$

The mechanical energy  $[E_5]$  and the mechanical energy  $[E_6]$  of a system of N particles remain constant if the system is only subject to conservative forces.

$$\begin{split} E_5 &= \mbox{ constant } & \left[ \ \Delta \ E_5 \ = \ \Delta \ K_5 + \Delta \ U_5 \ = \ 0 \ \right] \\ E_6 &= \mbox{ constant } & \left[ \ \Delta \ E_6 \ = \ \Delta \ K_6 + \Delta \ U_6 \ = \ 0 \ \right] \end{split}$$

# **General Observations**

All the equations of this paper can be applied in any inertial reference frame and also in any non-inertial reference frame.

Therefore, the new reformulation of classical mechanics presented in this paper is totally in accordance with the general principle of relativity.

Additionally, inertial reference frames and non-inertial reference frames must not introduce fictitious forces into  $\mathbf{F}_i$  ( such as the centrifugal force, the Coriolis force, etc. )

In this paper, the magnitudes  $[m, \mathbf{r}, \mathbf{v}, \mathbf{a}, M, \mathbf{R}, \mathbf{V}, \mathbf{A}, \mathbf{F}, \mathbf{P}_1, \mathbf{L}_1, \mathbf{L}_2, W_1, K_1, U_1, E_1, L_1, W_2, K_2, U_2, E_2, L_2, W_3, K_3, U_3, E_3, W_4, K_4, U_4, E_4, W_5, K_5, U_5, E_5, W_6, K_6, U_6 \text{ and } E_6]$  are invariant under transformations between inertial and non-inertial reference frames.

The mechanical energy  $E_3$  of a system of particles is always zero  $[E_3 = K_3 + U_3 = 0]$ 

Therefore, the mechanical energy  $E_5$  of a system of particles is always equal to the mechanical energy  $E_1$  of the system of particles  $[E_5 = E_1]$ 

The mechanical energy  $E_4$  of a system of particles is always zero  $[E_4 = K_4 + U_4 = 0]$ 

Therefore, the mechanical energy  $E_6$  of a system of particles is always equal to the mechanical energy  $E_2$  of the system of particles [ $E_6 = E_2$ ]

If the potential energy  $U_1$  of a system of particles is a homogeneous function of degree k then the potential energy  $U_3$  and the potential energy  $U_5$  of the system of particles are given by:  $[U_3 = (\frac{k}{2}) U_1]$  and  $[U_5 = (1+\frac{k}{2}) U_1]$ 

If the potential energy  $U_2$  of a system of particles is a homogeneous function of degree k then the potential energy  $U_4$  and the potential energy  $U_6$  of the system of particles are given by:  $[U_4 = (\frac{k}{2})U_2]$  and  $[U_6 = (1+\frac{k}{2})U_2]$ 

If the potential energy  $U_1$  of a system of particles is a homogeneous function of degree k and if the kinetic energy  $K_5$  of the system of particles is equal to zero, then we obtain:  $[K_1 = -K_3 = U_3 = (\frac{k}{2}) U_1 = (\frac{k}{2+k}) E_1]$ 

If the potential energy  $U_2$  of a system of particles is a homogeneous function of degree k and if the kinetic energy  $K_6$  of the system of particles is equal to zero, then we obtain:  $[K_2 = -K_4 = U_4 = (\frac{k}{2}) U_2 = (\frac{k}{2+k}) E_2]$ 

If the potential energy  $U_1$  of a system of particles is a homogeneous function of degree k and if the average kinetic energy  $\langle K_5 \rangle$  of the system of particles is equal to zero, then we obtain:  $[\langle K_1 \rangle = -\langle K_3 \rangle = \langle U_3 \rangle = (\frac{k}{2}) \langle U_1 \rangle = (\frac{k}{2+k}) \langle E_1 \rangle]$ 

If the potential energy  $U_2$  of a system of particles is a homogeneous function of degree k and if the average kinetic energy  $\langle K_6 \rangle$  of the system of particles is equal to zero, then we obtain:  $[\langle K_2 \rangle = -\langle K_4 \rangle = \langle U_4 \rangle = (\frac{k}{2}) \langle U_2 \rangle = (\frac{k}{2+k}) \langle E_2 \rangle]$ 

The average kinetic energy  $\langle K_5 \rangle$  and the average kinetic energy  $\langle K_6 \rangle$  of a system of particles with bounded motion are related to the virial theorem.

The average kinetic energy  $\langle \mathbf{K}_5 \rangle$  and the average kinetic energy  $\langle \mathbf{K}_6 \rangle$  of a system of particles with bounded motion ( in  $\langle \mathbf{K}_5 \rangle$  relative to  $\vec{R}$  and in  $\langle \mathbf{K}_6 \rangle$  relative to  $\vec{R}_{cm}$  ) are always zero.

The kinetic energy K<sub>5</sub> and the kinetic energy K<sub>6</sub> of a system of N particles can also be expressed as follows : [ K<sub>5</sub> =  $\sum_{i}^{N} \frac{1}{2} m_i (\dot{r}_i \dot{r}_i + \ddot{r}_i r_i)$ ] where  $r_i \doteq |\vec{r}_i - \vec{R}|$  and [ K<sub>6</sub> =  $\sum_{i < j}^{N} \frac{1}{2} m_i m_j M^{-1} (\dot{r}_{ij} \dot{r}_{ij} + \ddot{r}_{ij} r_{ij})$ ] where  $r_{ij} \doteq |\vec{r}_i - \vec{r}_j|_{\text{Note 1}} (\sum_{i < j}^{N} \pm \sum_{i=1}^{N} \sum_{j>i}^{N})$ 

The kinetic energy  $K_5$  and the kinetic energy  $K_6$  of a system of N particles can also be expressed as follows :  $[K_5 = \sum_{i}^{N} \frac{1}{2} m_i(\ddot{\tau}_i)]$  where  $\tau_i \doteq \frac{1}{2} (\vec{r}_i - \vec{R}) \cdot (\vec{r}_i - \vec{R})$  and  $[K_6 = \sum_{j>i}^{N} \frac{1}{2} m_i m_j M^{-1}(\ddot{\tau}_{ij})]$  where  $\tau_{ij} \doteq \frac{1}{2} (\vec{r}_i - \vec{r}_j) \cdot (\vec{r}_i - \vec{r}_j)$  Note  $2 (\sum_{j>i}^{N} \pm \sum_{i=1}^{N} \sum_{j>i}^{N})$ 

The kinetic energy  $K_6$  is the only kinetic energy that can be expressed without the necessity of introducing any magnitude that is related to the Universe [ such as:  $\mathbf{r}, \mathbf{v}, \mathbf{a}, \vec{\omega}, \vec{R}, \text{etc.}$  ]

In an isolated system of particles, the potential energy  $U_2$  is equal to the potential energy  $U_1$  if the internal forces obey Newton's third law in its weak form  $[U_2 = U_1]$ 

In an isolated system of particles, the potential energy  $U_4$  is equal to the potential energy  $U_3$  if the internal forces obey Newton's third law in its weak form  $[U_4 = U_3]$ 

In an isolated system of particles, the potential energy  $U_6$  is equal to the potential energy  $U_5$  if the internal forces obey Newton's third law in its weak form  $[U_6 = U_5]$ 

A reference frame S is a special non-rotating frame when the angular velocity  $\vec{\omega}$  of the Universe relative to S is equal to zero, and the reference frame S is also an inertial frame when the acceleration  $\vec{A}$  of the center of mass of the Universe relative to S is equal to zero.

If the origin of a special non-rotating frame S  $[\vec{\omega} = 0]$  always coincides with the center of mass of the Universe  $[\vec{R} = \vec{V} = \vec{A} = 0]$  then relative to S:  $[\mathbf{r}_i = \vec{r}_i, \mathbf{v}_i = \vec{v}_i \text{ and } \mathbf{a}_i = \vec{a}_i]$  Therefore, it is easy to see that universal magnitudes and ordinary magnitudes are always the same in the reference frame S.

This paper does not contradict Newton's first and second laws since these two laws are valid in all inertial reference frames. The equation  $[\mathbf{F}_i = m_i \mathbf{a}_i]$  is a simple reformulation of Newton's second law.

Finally, in this paper, the equation  $[\mathbf{F}_i = m_i \mathbf{a}_i]$  is valid in all reference frames (inertial or non-inertial) only if all forces always obey Newton's third law in its weak form and in its strong form.

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### Annex I

#### The Universe

The Universe is a system that contains all particles, that is always free of external forces, and that all internal forces always obey Newton's third law in its weak form and in its strong form.

The position  $\vec{R}$ , the velocity  $\vec{V}$  and the acceleration  $\vec{A}$  of the center of mass of the Universe relative to a reference frame S (and the angular velocity  $\vec{\omega}$  and the angular acceleration  $\vec{\alpha}$  of the Universe relative to the reference frame S) are given by:

$$\begin{split} \mathbf{M} &\doteq \sum_{i}^{Au} m_{i} \\ \vec{R} &\doteq \mathbf{M}^{-1} \sum_{i}^{Au} m_{i} \vec{r}_{i} \\ \vec{V} &\doteq \mathbf{M}^{-1} \sum_{i}^{Au} m_{i} \vec{v}_{i} \\ \vec{A} &\doteq \mathbf{M}^{-1} \sum_{i}^{Au} m_{i} \vec{a}_{i} \\ \vec{\omega} &\doteq \vec{I}^{-1} \cdot \vec{L} \\ \vec{\alpha} &\doteq d(\vec{\omega})/dt \\ \vec{I} &\doteq \sum_{i}^{Au} m_{i} [|\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}|^{2} \vec{1} - (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}) \otimes (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R})] \\ \vec{L} &\doteq \sum_{i}^{Au} m_{i} (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}) \times (\vec{v}_{i} - \vec{V}) \end{split}$$

where M is the mass of the Universe,  $\vec{I}$  is the inertia tensor of the Universe (relative to  $\vec{R}$ ) and  $\vec{L}$  is the angular momentum of the Universe relative to the reference frame S.

#### The Transformations

The transformations of position, velocity and acceleration of a particle i between a reference frame S and another reference frame S', are given by:

$$\begin{aligned} (\vec{r}_i - \vec{R}) &= \mathbf{r}_i = \mathbf{r}'_i \\ (\vec{r}'_i - \vec{R}') &= \mathbf{r}'_i = \mathbf{r}_i \\ (\vec{v}_i - \vec{V}) - \vec{\omega} \times (\vec{r}_i - \vec{R}) &= \mathbf{v}_i = \mathbf{v}'_i \\ (\vec{v}'_i - \vec{V}') - \vec{\omega}' \times (\vec{r}'_i - \vec{R}') &= \mathbf{v}'_i = \mathbf{v}_i \\ (\vec{a}_i - \vec{A}) - 2 \vec{\omega} \times (\vec{v}_i - \vec{V}) + \vec{\omega} \times [\vec{\omega} \times (\vec{r}_i - \vec{R})] - \vec{\alpha} \times (\vec{r}_i - \vec{R}) = \mathbf{a}_i = \mathbf{a}'_i \\ (\vec{a}'_i - \vec{A}') - 2 \vec{\omega}' \times (\vec{v}'_i - \vec{V}') + \vec{\omega}' \times [\vec{\omega}' \times (\vec{r}'_i - \vec{R}')] - \vec{\alpha}' \times (\vec{r}'_i - \vec{R}') = \mathbf{a}_i = \mathbf{a}_i \end{aligned}$$

# Annex II

#### The Relations

In a system of particles, these relations can be obtained ( The magnitudes  $\mathbf{R}_{cm}$ ,  $\mathbf{V}_{cm}$ ,  $\mathbf{A}_{cm}$ ,  $\vec{R}_{cm}$ ,  $\vec{V}_{cm}$  and  $\vec{A}_{cm}$  can be replaced by the magnitudes  $\mathbf{R}$ ,  $\mathbf{V}$ ,  $\mathbf{A}$ ,  $\vec{R}$ ,  $\vec{V}$  and  $\vec{A}$ , or by the magnitudes  $\mathbf{r}_j$ ,  $\mathbf{v}_j$ ,  $\mathbf{a}_j$ ,  $\vec{r}_j$ ,  $\vec{v}_j$  and  $\vec{a}_j$ , respectively. On the other hand,  $\mathbf{R} = \mathbf{V} = \mathbf{A} = 0$ )

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{r}_{i} &= (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}) \\ \mathbf{R}_{cm} &= (\vec{R}_{cm} - \vec{R}) \\ \longrightarrow & (\mathbf{r}_{i} - \mathbf{R}_{cm}) = (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}_{cm}) \\ \mathbf{v}_{i} &= (\vec{v}_{i} - \vec{V}) - \vec{\omega} \times (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}) \\ \mathbf{V}_{cm} &= (\vec{V}_{cm} - \vec{V}) - \vec{\omega} \times (\vec{R}_{cm} - \vec{R}) \\ \longrightarrow & (\mathbf{v}_{i} - \mathbf{V}_{cm}) = (\vec{v}_{i} - \vec{V}_{cm}) - \vec{\omega} \times (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}_{cm}) \\ (\mathbf{v}_{i} - \mathbf{V}_{cm}) \cdot (\mathbf{v}_{i} - \mathbf{V}_{cm}) &= \left[ (\vec{v}_{i} - \vec{V}_{cm}) - \vec{\omega} \times (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}_{cm}) \right] \cdot \left[ (\vec{v}_{i} - \vec{V}_{cm}) - \vec{\omega} \times (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}_{cm}) \right] \\ &= (\vec{v}_{i} - \vec{V}_{cm}) \cdot (\mathbf{v}_{i} - \mathbf{V}_{cm}) - 2(\vec{v}_{i} - \vec{V}_{cm}) \cdot \left[ \vec{\omega} \times (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}_{cm}) \right] \cdot \left[ \vec{\omega} \times (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}_{cm}) \right] \\ &= (\vec{v}_{c} - \vec{V}_{cm}) \cdot (\vec{v}_{i} - \vec{V}_{cm}) - 2(\vec{v}_{i} - \vec{V}_{cm}) \cdot \left[ \vec{\omega} \times (\vec{v}_{i} - \vec{R}_{cm}) \right] + \left[ \vec{\omega} \times (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}_{cm}) \right] \cdot \left[ \vec{\omega} \times (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}_{cm}) \right] \\ &= (\vec{v}_{c} - \vec{V}_{cm}) \cdot (\vec{v}_{i} - \vec{V}_{cm}) + 2(\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}_{cm}) \cdot \left[ \vec{\omega} \times (\vec{v}_{i} - \vec{R}_{cm}) \right] \right] \\ &= (\vec{v}_{c} - \vec{V}_{cm}) \cdot (\vec{v}_{i} - \vec{V}_{cm}) + \left[ 2 \vec{\omega} \times (\vec{v}_{i} - \vec{V}_{cm}) \right] \cdot (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}_{cm}) + \left[ \vec{\omega} \times (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}_{cm}) \right] \cdot \left[ \vec{\omega} \times (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}_{cm}) \right] \right] \\ &= (\vec{u}_{i} - \vec{V}_{cm})^{2} + \left[ 2 \vec{\omega} \times (\vec{v}_{i} - \vec{V}_{cm}) \right] \cdot (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}_{cm}) + \left[ \vec{\omega} \times (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}_{cm}) \right]^{2} \\ &= (\mathbf{a}_{i} - \mathbf{A}_{cm}) \cdot (\mathbf{r}_{i} - \mathbf{R}_{cm}) = \left\{ (\vec{a}_{i} - \vec{A}_{cm}) \cdot (\vec{v}_{i} - \vec{R}_{cm}) \right\}^{2} \\ &= (\vec{a}_{i} - \vec{A}_{cm}) \cdot (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}_{cm}) = \left\{ \vec{\omega}_{i} - \vec{A}_{cm} \right\} \cdot (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}_{cm}) - \left[ 2 \vec{\omega} \times (\vec{v}_{i} - \vec{V}_{cm}) \right] \cdot (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}_{cm}) - \left[ 2 \vec{\omega} \times (\vec{v}_{i} - \vec{R}_{cm}) \right] \cdot (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}_{cm}) - \left[ \vec{\omega} \times (\vec{v}_{i} - \vec{R}_{cm}) \right] \cdot (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}_{cm}) \right]^{2} \\ &= (\vec{u}_{i} - \vec{A}_{cm}) \cdot (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}_{cm}) + \left\{ \left[ \vec{\omega} \cdot (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}_{cm}) \right] \vec{\omega} \cdot (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}_{cm}) \right\}^{2} \\ &= \left( \vec{u}_{i} - \vec{i} - \vec{u}_{cm} \right) \right\} \cdot \left( \vec{v}_{i} - \vec{R}_{cm} \right) - \left[ \vec{\omega} \times (\vec{v}_{i} - \vec{R}_{cm} \right]^{2} \\ &= \left( \vec{u}_{i} - \vec{i} - \vec{u}_{cm} \right) \right\} \cdot \left( \vec{v}_{i} - \vec{i} - \vec{u}_{cm$$

# Annex III

### The Magnitudes

The magnitudes  $L_2$ ,  $W_2$ ,  $K_2$ ,  $U_2$ ,  $W_4$ ,  $K_4$ ,  $U_4$ ,  $W_6$ ,  $K_6$  and  $U_6$  of a system of N particles can also be expressed as follows:

$$\begin{split} \mathbf{L}_{2} &= \sum_{j>i}^{N} m_{i} m_{j} M^{-1} \Big[ \left( \mathbf{r}_{i} - \mathbf{r}_{j} \right) \times \left( \mathbf{v}_{i} - \mathbf{v}_{j} \right) \Big] \\ W_{2} &= \sum_{j>i}^{N} m_{i} m_{j} M^{-1} \Big[ \int_{1}^{2} \left( \mathbf{F}_{i} / m_{i} - \mathbf{F}_{j} / m_{j} \right) \cdot d(\mathbf{r}_{i} - \mathbf{r}_{j}) \Big] \\ \Delta K_{2} &= \sum_{j>i}^{N} \Delta^{1/2} m_{i} m_{j} M^{-1} \left[ \mathbf{v}_{i} - \mathbf{v}_{j} \right]^{2} = W_{2} \\ \Delta U_{2} &= -\sum_{j>i}^{N} m_{i} m_{j} M^{-1} \Big[ \int_{1}^{2} \left( \mathbf{F}_{i} / m_{i} - \mathbf{F}_{j} / m_{j} \right) \cdot d(\mathbf{r}_{i} - \mathbf{r}_{j}) \Big] \\ W_{4} &= \sum_{j>i}^{N} \Delta^{1/2} m_{i} m_{j} M^{-1} \Big[ \left( \mathbf{F}_{i} / m_{i} - \mathbf{F}_{j} / m_{j} \right) \cdot \left( \mathbf{r}_{i} - \mathbf{r}_{j} \right) \Big] \\ \Delta K_{4} &= \sum_{j>i}^{N} \Delta^{1/2} m_{i} m_{j} M^{-1} \Big[ \left( \mathbf{a}_{i} - \mathbf{a}_{j} \right) \cdot \left( \mathbf{r}_{i} - \mathbf{r}_{j} \right) \Big] \\ W_{6} &= \sum_{j>i}^{N} \Delta^{1/2} m_{i} m_{j} M^{-1} \Big[ \left( \mathbf{F}_{i} / m_{i} - \mathbf{F}_{j} / m_{j} \right) \cdot \left( \mathbf{r}_{i} - \mathbf{r}_{j} \right) \Big] \\ \Delta K_{6} &= \sum_{j>i}^{N} m_{i} m_{j} M^{-1} \Big[ \int_{1}^{2} \left( \mathbf{F}_{i} / m_{i} - \mathbf{F}_{j} / m_{j} \right) \cdot d(\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{r}_{j}) + \Delta^{1/2} \left( \mathbf{F}_{i} / m_{i} - \mathbf{F}_{j} / m_{j} \right) \cdot \left( \vec{r}_{i} - \vec{r}_{j} \right) \Big] \\ \Delta U_{6} &= -\sum_{j>i}^{N} m_{i} m_{j} M^{-1} \Big[ \int_{1}^{2} \left( \mathbf{F}_{i} / m_{i} - \mathbf{F}_{j} / m_{j} \right) \cdot d(\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{r}_{j}) + \Delta^{1/2} \left( \mathbf{F}_{i} / m_{i} - \mathbf{F}_{j} / m_{j} \right) \cdot \left( \vec{r}_{i} - \vec{r}_{j} \right) \Big] \end{split}$$

The magnitudes  $W_{(1 \text{ to } 6)}$  and  $U_{(1 \text{ to } 6)}$  of an isolated system of N particles, whose internal forces obey Newton's third law in its weak form, can be reduced to:

$$W_{1} = W_{2} = \sum_{i}^{N} \int_{1}^{2} \mathbf{F}_{i} \cdot d\vec{r}_{i}$$

$$\Delta U_{1} = \Delta U_{2} = -\sum_{i}^{N} \int_{1}^{2} \mathbf{F}_{i} \cdot d\vec{r}_{i}$$

$$W_{3} = W_{4} = \sum_{i}^{N} \Delta^{1/2} \mathbf{F}_{i} \cdot \vec{r}_{i}$$

$$\Delta U_{3} = \Delta U_{4} = -\sum_{i}^{N} \Delta^{1/2} \mathbf{F}_{i} \cdot \vec{r}_{i}$$

$$W_{5} = W_{6} = \sum_{i}^{N} \left[ \int_{1}^{2} \mathbf{F}_{i} \cdot d\vec{r}_{i} + \Delta^{1/2} \mathbf{F}_{i} \cdot \vec{r}_{i} \right]$$

$$\Delta U_{5} = \Delta U_{6} = -\sum_{i}^{N} \left[ \int_{1}^{2} \mathbf{F}_{i} \cdot d\vec{r}_{i} + \Delta^{1/2} \mathbf{F}_{i} \cdot \vec{r}_{i} \right]$$

# Annex IV

### Frames and Forces

Diagram of net forces acting on a reference frame S, when the reference frame S is a linearly non-accelerated and non-rotating frame relative to an inertial frame (9 points)

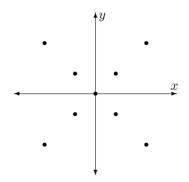


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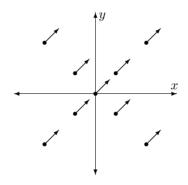
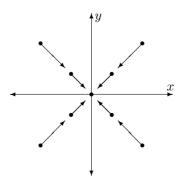


Diagram of net forces acting on a reference frame S, when the reference frame S is a linearly non-accelerated and rotating frame relative to an inertial frame (9 points)



# A Reformulation of Classical Mechanics

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In classical mechanics, a new reformulation is presented, which is invariant under transformations between inertial and non-inertial reference frames, which can be applied in any reference frame without introducing fictitious forces and which establishes the existence of a new universal force of interaction, called kinetic force.

### Introduction

The new reformulation in classical mechanics presented in this paper is obtained starting from an auxiliary system of particles (called Universe) that is used to obtain kinematic magnitudes (such as universal position, universal velocity, etc.) that are invariant under transformations between inertial and non-inertial reference frames.

The universal position  $\mathbf{r}_i$ , the universal velocity  $\mathbf{v}_i$  and the universal acceleration  $\mathbf{a}_i$  of a particle *i* relative to a reference frame S (inertial or non-inertial) are given by:

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{r}_i &\doteq (\tilde{r}_i) = (\vec{r}_i - \vec{R}) \\ \mathbf{v}_i &\doteq d(\tilde{r}_i)/dt = (\vec{v}_i - \vec{V}) - \vec{\omega} \times (\vec{r}_i - \vec{R}) \\ \mathbf{a}_i &\doteq d^2(\tilde{r}_i)/dt^2 = (\vec{a}_i - \vec{A}) - 2 \vec{\omega} \times (\vec{v}_i - \vec{V}) + \vec{\omega} \times [\vec{\omega} \times (\vec{r}_i - \vec{R})] - \vec{\alpha} \times (\vec{r}_i - \vec{R}) \end{aligned}$$

where  $\tilde{r}_i$  is the position vector of particle *i* relative to the universal frame  $[\vec{r}_i$  is the position vector of particle *i*,  $\vec{R}$  is the position vector of the center of mass of the Universe, and  $\vec{\omega}$  is the angular velocity vector of the Universe] [relative to the frame S] (see Annex I)

The universal frame is a reference frame fixed to the Universe  $(\vec{\omega} = 0)$  whose origin always coincides with the center of mass of the Universe  $(\vec{R} = \vec{V} = \vec{A} = 0)$ 

Any reference frame S is an inertial frame when the angular velocity  $\vec{\omega}$  of the Universe and the acceleration  $\vec{A}$  of the center of mass of the Universe are equal to zero relative to S.

Note :  $(\forall \mathbf{m} \in \text{Universal Magnitudes} : \text{If } \mathbf{m} = \vec{n} \longrightarrow d(\mathbf{m})/dt = d(\vec{n})/dt - \vec{\omega} \times \vec{n})$ 

### The New Dynamics

[1] A force is always caused by the interaction between two or more particles.

[2] The total force  $\mathbf{T}_i$  acting on a particle *i* is always zero [ $\mathbf{T}_i = 0$ ]

[3] In this paper, we assume that all dynamic forces (all non-kinetic forces) always obey Newton's third law in its weak form and in its strong form.

### The Kinetic Force

The kinetic force  $\mathbf{K}_{ij}$  exerted on a particle *i* of mass  $m_i$  by another particle *j* of mass  $m_j$ , caused by the interaction between particle *i* and particle *j*, is given by:

$$\mathbf{K}_{ij} = -\frac{m_i m_j}{M} \left( \mathbf{a}_i - \mathbf{a}_j \right)$$

where  $\mathbf{a}_i$  is the universal acceleration of particle i,  $\mathbf{a}_j$  is the universal acceleration of particle j, and  $M (= \sum_{i}^{All} m_i)$  is the mass of the Universe.

From the above equation it follows that the net kinetic force  $\mathbf{K}_i$   $(=\sum_{j=1}^{All} \mathbf{K}_{ij})$  acting on a particle *i* of mass  $m_i$  is given by:

$$\mathbf{K}_i = -m_i \left( \mathbf{a}_i - \mathbf{A} \right)$$

where  $\mathbf{a}_i$  is the universal acceleration of particle *i* and  $\mathbf{A} (= M^{-1} \sum_i^{All} m_i \mathbf{a}_i)$  is the universal acceleration of the center of mass of the Universe.

Since the universal acceleration of the center of mass of the Universe **A** is always zero, then the net kinetic force  $\mathbf{K}_i$  acting on a particle *i* of mass  $m_i$  is certainly given by:

$$\mathbf{K}_i = -m_i \mathbf{a}_i$$

where  $\mathbf{a}_i$  is the universal acceleration of particle *i*.

The kinetic force  $\mathbf{K}$  is considered in the new dynamics, mainly in the [2] principle, as a new universal force of interaction.

On the other hand, the kinetic force  $\mathbf{K}$  always obey Newton's third law in its weak form or in its strong form.

# The [2] Principle

The second principle of the new dynamics establishes that the total force  $\mathbf{T}_i$  acting on a particle i is always zero.

 $\mathbf{T}_i = \mathbf{0}$ 

If the total force  $\mathbf{T}_i$  is divided into the following two parts: the net kinetic force  $\mathbf{K}_i$  and the net dynamic force  $\mathbf{F}_i$  ( $\sum$  of gravitational forces, electrostatic forces, etc.) then we have:

$$\mathbf{K}_i + \mathbf{F}_i = 0$$

Now, substituting  $\mathbf{K}_i (= -m_i \mathbf{a}_i)$  and rearranging, we finally obtain:

$$\mathbf{F}_i = m_i \mathbf{a}_i$$

This equation (similar to Newton's second law) will be used throughout this paper.

On the other hand, in this paper a system of particles is isolated when the system is free of external dynamic forces.

# The Equation of Motion

The net dynamic force  $\mathbf{F}_i$  acting on a particle *i* of mass  $m_i$  is related to the universal acceleration  $\mathbf{a}_i$  of particle *i* according to the following equation:

$$\mathbf{F}_i = m_i \mathbf{a}_i$$

From the above equation it follows that the (ordinary) acceleration  $\vec{a}_i$  of particle *i* relative to a reference frame S (inertial or non-inertial) is given by:

$$\vec{a}_i = \mathbf{F}_i / m_i + \vec{A} + 2 \vec{\omega} \times (\vec{v}_i - \vec{V}) - \vec{\omega} \times [\vec{\omega} \times (\vec{r}_i - \vec{R})] + \vec{\alpha} \times (\vec{r}_i - \vec{R})$$

where  $\vec{r}_i$  is the position vector of particle  $i, \vec{R}$  is the position vector of the center of mass of the Universe, and  $\vec{\omega}$  is the angular velocity vector of the Universe (see Annex I)

From the above equation it follows that particle i can have a non-zero acceleration even if there is no dynamic force acting on particle i, and also that particle i can have zero acceleration (state of rest or of uniform linear motion) even if there is an unbalanced net dynamic force acting on particle i.

However, from the above equation it also follows that Newton's first and second laws are valid in any inertial reference frame, since the angular velocity  $\vec{\omega}$  of the Universe and the acceleration  $\vec{A}$  of the center of mass of the Universe are equal to zero relative to any inertial reference frame.

In this paper, any reference frame S is an inertial frame when the angular velocity  $\vec{\omega}$  of the Universe and the acceleration  $\vec{A}$  of the center of mass of the Universe are equal to zero relative to the frame S. Therefore, any reference frame S is a non-inertial frame when the angular velocity  $\vec{\omega}$  of the Universe or the acceleration  $\vec{A}$  of the center of mass of the Universe are not equal to zero relative to the frame S.

However, since in classical mechanics any reference frame is actually an ideal rigid body then any reference frame S is an inertial frame when the net dynamic force acting at each point of the frame S is equal to zero. Therefore, any reference frame S is a non-inertial frame when the net dynamic force acting at each point of the frame S is not equal to zero (see Annex IV)

On the other hand, the new reformulation of classical mechanics presented in this paper is observationally equivalent to Newtonian mechanics.

However, non-inertial observers can use Newtonian mechanics only if they introduce fictitious forces into  $\mathbf{F}_i$  (such as the centrifugal force, the Coriolis force, etc.)

Additionally, the new reformulation of classical mechanics presented in this paper is also a relational reformulation of classical mechanics since it is obtained starting from relative magnitudes (position, velocity and acceleration) between particles.

However, as already stated above, the new reformulation of classical mechanics presented in this paper is observationally equivalent to Newtonian mechanics.

# The Definitions

For a system of N particles, the following definitions are applicable:

Mass	$\mathbf{M} \doteq \sum_{i}^{\mathbf{N}} m_i$
Position CM 1	$\vec{R}_{cm} \doteq \mathbf{M}^{-1} \sum_{i}^{\mathbf{N}} m_i \vec{r}_i$
Velocity CM 1	$\vec{V}_{cm} \doteq \mathbf{M}^{-1} \sum_{i}^{\mathbf{N}} m_i  \vec{v}_i$
Acceleration CM 1	$\vec{A}_{cm} \doteq \mathbf{M}^{-1} \sum_{i}^{\mathbf{N}} m_i  \vec{a}_i$
Position CM 2	$\mathbf{R}_{cm} \doteq \mathbf{M}^{-1} \sum_{i}^{\mathbf{N}} m_i \mathbf{r}_i$
Velocity CM 2	$\mathbf{V}_{cm} \doteq \mathbf{M}^{-1} \sum_{i}^{\mathbf{N}} m_i \mathbf{v}_i$
Acceleration CM 2	$\mathbf{A}_{cm} \doteq \mathbf{M}^{-1} \sum_{i}^{\mathbf{N}} m_i \mathbf{a}_i$
Linear Momentum 1	$\mathbf{P}_1 \doteq \sum_i^{\mathrm{N}} m_i \mathbf{v}_i$
Angular Momentum 1	$\mathbf{L}_{1} \doteq \sum_{i}^{\scriptscriptstyle \mathrm{N}} m_{i} \left[ \mathbf{r}_{i}  imes \mathbf{v}_{i} \right]$
Angular Momentum 2	$\mathbf{L}_2 \doteq \sum_{i}^{N} m_i \left[ \left( \mathbf{r}_i - \mathbf{R}_{cm} \right) \times \left( \mathbf{v}_i - \mathbf{V}_{cm} \right) \right]$
Work 1	$W_1 \doteq \sum_i^N \int_1^2 \mathbf{F}_i \cdot d\mathbf{r}_i = \Delta K_1$
Kinetic Energy 1	$\Delta \mathbf{K}_1 \doteq \sum_i^{\mathbf{N}} \Delta^{1/2} m_i (\mathbf{v}_i)^2$
Potential Energy 1	$\Delta \mathbf{U}_1 \doteq -\sum_i^{\mathbf{N}} \int_1^2 \mathbf{F}_i \cdot d\mathbf{r}_i$
Mechanical Energy 1	$E_1 \doteq K_1 + U_1$
Lagrangian 1	$L_1 \doteq K_1 - U_1$
Work 2	$W_2 \doteq \sum_{i}^{N} \int_{1}^{2} \mathbf{F}_i \cdot d(\mathbf{r}_i - \mathbf{R}_{cm}) = \Delta K_2$
Kinetic Energy 2	$\Delta \mathbf{K}_2 \doteq \sum_i^{\mathbf{N}} \Delta^{1/2} m_i (\mathbf{v}_i - \mathbf{V}_{cm})^2$
Potential Energy 2	$\Delta \mathbf{U}_2 \doteq -\sum_i^{\mathbf{N}} \int_1^2 \mathbf{F}_i \cdot d(\mathbf{r}_i - \mathbf{R}_{cm})$
Mechanical Energy 2	$E_2 \doteq K_2 + U_2$
Lagrangian 2	$L_2 \doteq K_2 - U_2$

Work 3	$W_3 \doteq \sum_i^{N} \Delta \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{F}_i \cdot \mathbf{r}_i = \Delta K_3$
Kinetic Energy 3	$\Delta \mathbf{K}_3 \doteq \sum_i^{\mathbf{N}} \Delta^{1/2} m_i  \mathbf{a}_i \cdot \mathbf{r}_i$
Potential Energy 3	$\Delta \mathbf{U}_3 \doteq -\sum_i^{\mathrm{N}} \Delta \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{F}_i \cdot \mathbf{r}_i$
Mechanical Energy 3	$E_3 \doteq K_3 + U_3$
Work 4	$W_4 \doteq \sum_{i}^{N} \Delta \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{F}_i \cdot (\mathbf{r}_i - \mathbf{R}_{cm}) = \Delta K_4$
Kinetic Energy 4	$\Delta \mathbf{K}_4 \doteq \sum_{i}^{N} \Delta^{1/2} m_i \left[ \left( \mathbf{a}_i - \mathbf{A}_{cm} \right) \cdot \left( \mathbf{r}_i - \mathbf{R}_{cm} \right) \right]$
Potential Energy 4	$\Delta \operatorname{U}_4 \doteq -\sum_i^{\scriptscriptstyle N} \Delta \frac{1}{2} \operatorname{\mathbf{F}}_i \cdot (\operatorname{\mathbf{r}}_i - \operatorname{\mathbf{R}}_{cm})$
Mechanical Energy 4	$E_4 \doteq K_4 + U_4$
Work 5	$W_{5} \doteq \sum_{i}^{N} \left[ \int_{1}^{2} \mathbf{F}_{i} \cdot d(\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}) + \Delta \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{F}_{i} \cdot (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}) \right] = \Delta K_{5}$
Work 5 Kinetic Energy 5	$W_{5} \doteq \sum_{i}^{N} \left[ \int_{1}^{2} \mathbf{F}_{i} \cdot d(\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}) + \Delta \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{F}_{i} \cdot (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}) \right] = \Delta K_{5}$ $\Delta K_{5} \doteq \sum_{i}^{N} \frac{\Delta \frac{1}{2} m_{i} \left[ (\vec{v}_{i} - \vec{V})^{2} + (\vec{a}_{i} - \vec{A}) \cdot (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}) \right]}{(\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R})}$
Kinetic Energy 5	$\Delta \mathbf{K}_{5} \doteq \sum_{i}^{N} \Delta \frac{1}{2} m_{i} \left[ (\vec{v}_{i} - \vec{V})^{2} + (\vec{a}_{i} - \vec{A}) \cdot (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}) \right]$
Kinetic Energy 5 Potential Energy 5	$\Delta K_{5} \doteq \sum_{i}^{N} \Delta \frac{1}{2} m_{i} \left[ (\vec{v}_{i} - \vec{V})^{2} + (\vec{a}_{i} - \vec{A}) \cdot (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}) \right]$ $\Delta U_{5} \doteq -\sum_{i}^{N} \left[ \int_{1}^{2} \mathbf{F}_{i} \cdot d(\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}) + \Delta \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{F}_{i} \cdot (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}) \right]$
Kinetic Energy 5 Potential Energy 5	$\Delta K_{5} \doteq \sum_{i}^{N} \Delta \frac{1}{2} m_{i} \left[ (\vec{v}_{i} - \vec{V})^{2} + (\vec{a}_{i} - \vec{A}) \cdot (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}) \right]$ $\Delta U_{5} \doteq -\sum_{i}^{N} \left[ \int_{1}^{2} \mathbf{F}_{i} \cdot d(\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}) + \Delta \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{F}_{i} \cdot (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}) \right]$
Kinetic Energy 5 Potential Energy 5 Mechanical Energy 5	$\Delta K_{5} \doteq \sum_{i}^{N} \Delta^{1/2} m_{i} \left[ (\vec{v}_{i} - \vec{V})^{2} + (\vec{a}_{i} - \vec{A}) \cdot (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}) \right]$ $\Delta U_{5} \doteq -\sum_{i}^{N} \left[ \int_{1}^{2} \mathbf{F}_{i} \cdot d(\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}) + \Delta^{1/2} \mathbf{F}_{i} \cdot (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}) \right]$ $E_{5} \doteq K_{5} + U_{5}$
Kinetic Energy 5 Potential Energy 5 Mechanical Energy 5 Work 6	$\Delta K_{5} \doteq \sum_{i}^{N} \Delta^{1/2} m_{i} \left[ (\vec{v}_{i} - \vec{V})^{2} + (\vec{a}_{i} - \vec{A}) \cdot (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}) \right]$ $\Delta U_{5} \doteq -\sum_{i}^{N} \left[ \int_{1}^{2} \mathbf{F}_{i} \cdot d(\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}) + \Delta^{1/2} \mathbf{F}_{i} \cdot (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}) \right]$ $E_{5} \doteq K_{5} + U_{5}$ $W_{6} \doteq \sum_{i}^{N} \left[ \int_{1}^{2} \mathbf{F}_{i} \cdot d(\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}_{cm}) + \Delta^{1/2} \mathbf{F}_{i} \cdot (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}_{cm}) \right] = \Delta K_{6}$
Kinetic Energy 5 Potential Energy 5 Mechanical Energy 5 Work 6 Kinetic Energy 6	$\Delta K_{5} \doteq \sum_{i}^{N} \Delta^{1/2} m_{i} \left[ (\vec{v}_{i} - \vec{V})^{2} + (\vec{a}_{i} - \vec{A}) \cdot (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}) \right]$ $\Delta U_{5} \doteq -\sum_{i}^{N} \left[ \int_{1}^{2} \mathbf{F}_{i} \cdot d(\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}) + \Delta^{1/2} \mathbf{F}_{i} \cdot (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}) \right]$ $E_{5} \doteq K_{5} + U_{5}$ $W_{6} \doteq \sum_{i}^{N} \left[ \int_{1}^{2} \mathbf{F}_{i} \cdot d(\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}_{cm}) + \Delta^{1/2} \mathbf{F}_{i} \cdot (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}_{cm}) \right] = \Delta K_{6}$ $\Delta K_{6} \doteq \sum_{i}^{N} \Delta^{1/2} m_{i} \left[ (\vec{v}_{i} - \vec{V}_{cm})^{2} + (\vec{a}_{i} - \vec{A}_{cm}) \cdot (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}_{cm}) \right]$

# The Relations

From the above definitions, the following relations can be obtained (see Annex II)

$$\begin{split} \mathbf{K}_{1} &= \mathbf{K}_{2} + \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{M} \mathbf{V}_{cm}^{2} \\ \mathbf{K}_{3} &= \mathbf{K}_{4} + \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{M} \mathbf{A}_{cm} \cdot \mathbf{R}_{cm} \\ \mathbf{K}_{5} &= \mathbf{K}_{6} + \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{M} \left[ (\vec{V}_{cm} - \vec{V})^{2} + (\vec{A}_{cm} - \vec{A}) \cdot (\vec{R}_{cm} - \vec{R}) \right] \\ \mathbf{K}_{5} &= \mathbf{K}_{1} + \mathbf{K}_{3} \quad \& \quad \mathbf{U}_{5} = \mathbf{U}_{1} + \mathbf{U}_{3} \quad \& \quad \mathbf{E}_{5} = \mathbf{E}_{1} + \mathbf{E}_{3} \\ \mathbf{K}_{6} &= \mathbf{K}_{2} + \mathbf{K}_{4} \quad \& \quad \mathbf{U}_{6} = \mathbf{U}_{2} + \mathbf{U}_{4} \quad \& \quad \mathbf{E}_{6} = \mathbf{E}_{2} + \mathbf{E}_{4} \end{split}$$

### The Conservation Laws

The linear momentum  $[\mathbf{P}_1]$  of an isolated system of N particles remains constant if the internal dynamic forces obey Newton's third law in its weak form.

$$\mathbf{P}_1 = \text{constant} \qquad \left[ \ d(\mathbf{P}_1)/dt \ = \ \sum_i^{N} \ m_i \, \mathbf{a}_i \ = \ \sum_i^{N} \ \mathbf{F}_i \ = \ 0 \ \right]$$

The angular momentum  $[\mathbf{L}_1]$  of an isolated system of N particles remains constant if the internal dynamic forces obey Newton's third law in its strong form.

$$\mathbf{L}_{1} = \text{constant} \qquad \left[ d(\mathbf{L}_{1})/dt = \sum_{i}^{N} m_{i} \left[ \mathbf{r}_{i} \times \mathbf{a}_{i} \right] = \sum_{i}^{N} \mathbf{r}_{i} \times \mathbf{F}_{i} = 0 \right]$$

The angular momentum  $[\mathbf{L}_2]$  of an isolated system of N particles remains constant if the internal dynamic forces obey Newton's third law in its strong form.

$$\mathbf{L}_{2} = \text{constant} \qquad \left[ d(\mathbf{L}_{2})/dt = \sum_{i}^{N} m_{i} \left[ (\mathbf{r}_{i} - \mathbf{R}_{cm}) \times (\mathbf{a}_{i} - \mathbf{A}_{cm}) \right] = \sum_{i}^{N} m_{i} \left[ (\mathbf{r}_{i} - \mathbf{R}_{cm}) \times \mathbf{a}_{i} \right] = \sum_{i}^{N} (\mathbf{r}_{i} - \mathbf{R}_{cm}) \times \mathbf{F}_{i} = 0 \right]$$

The mechanical energy  $[E_1]$  and the mechanical energy  $[E_2]$  of a system of N particles remain constant if the system is only subject to kinetic forces and to conservative dynamic forces.

$E_1 = constant$	$\left[ \Delta E_1 = \Delta K_1 + \Delta U_1 = 0 \right]$
$E_2 = constant$	$\left[ \Delta E_2 \ = \ \Delta K_2 + \Delta U_2 \ = \ 0 \ \right]$

The mechanical energy  $[E_3]$  and the mechanical energy  $[E_4]$  of a system of N particles are always zero ( and therefore they always remain constant )

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{E}_{3} &= \text{ constant} \qquad \left[ \mathbf{E}_{3} &= \sum_{i}^{N} \frac{1}{2} \left[ m_{i} \, \mathbf{a}_{i} \cdot \mathbf{r}_{i} - \mathbf{F}_{i} \cdot \mathbf{r}_{i} \right] = 0 \right] \\ \mathbf{E}_{4} &= \text{ constant} \qquad \left[ \mathbf{E}_{4} &= \sum_{i}^{N} \frac{1}{2} \left[ m_{i} \, \mathbf{a}_{i} \cdot (\mathbf{r}_{i} - \mathbf{R}_{cm}) - \mathbf{F}_{i} \cdot (\mathbf{r}_{i} - \mathbf{R}_{cm}) \right] = 0 \right] \\ &\sum_{i}^{N} \frac{1}{2} m_{i} \left[ (\mathbf{a}_{i} - \mathbf{A}_{cm}) \cdot (\mathbf{r}_{i} - \mathbf{R}_{cm}) \right] = \sum_{i}^{N} \frac{1}{2} m_{i} \, \mathbf{a}_{i} \cdot (\mathbf{r}_{i} - \mathbf{R}_{cm}) \end{aligned}$$

The mechanical energy  $[E_5]$  and the mechanical energy  $[E_6]$  of a system of N particles remain constant if the system is only subject to kinetic forces and to conservative dynamic forces.

$$\begin{split} E_5 &= \mbox{ constant } & \left[ \ \Delta \ E_5 \ = \ \Delta \ K_5 + \Delta \ U_5 \ = \ 0 \ \right] \\ E_6 &= \mbox{ constant } & \left[ \ \Delta \ E_6 \ = \ \Delta \ K_6 + \Delta \ U_6 \ = \ 0 \ \right] \end{split}$$

# **General Observations**

All the equations of this paper can be applied in any inertial reference frame and also in any non-inertial reference frame.

Therefore, the new reformulation of classical mechanics presented in this paper is totally in accordance with the general principle of relativity.

Additionally, inertial reference frames and non-inertial reference frames must not introduce fictitious forces into  $\mathbf{F}_i$  ( such as the centrifugal force, the Coriolis force, etc. )

In this paper, the magnitudes  $[m, \mathbf{r}, \mathbf{v}, \mathbf{a}, \mathbf{M}, \mathbf{R}, \mathbf{V}, \mathbf{A}, \mathbf{T}, \mathbf{K}, \mathbf{F}, \mathbf{P}_1, \mathbf{L}_1, \mathbf{L}_2, \mathbf{W}_1, \mathbf{K}_1, \mathbf{U}_1, \mathbf{E}_1, \mathbf{L}_1, \mathbf{W}_2, \mathbf{K}_2, \mathbf{U}_2, \mathbf{E}_2, \mathbf{L}_2, \mathbf{W}_3, \mathbf{K}_3, \mathbf{U}_3, \mathbf{E}_3, \mathbf{W}_4, \mathbf{K}_4, \mathbf{U}_4, \mathbf{E}_4, \mathbf{W}_5, \mathbf{K}_5, \mathbf{U}_5, \mathbf{E}_5, \mathbf{W}_6, \mathbf{K}_6, \mathbf{U}_6 \text{ and } \mathbf{E}_6]$  are invariant under transformations between inertial and non-inertial reference frames.

The mechanical energy  $E_3$  of a system of particles is always zero  $[E_3 = K_3 + U_3 = 0]$ 

Therefore, the mechanical energy  $E_5$  of a system of particles is always equal to the mechanical energy  $E_1$  of the system of particles  $[E_5 = E_1]$ 

The mechanical energy  $E_4$  of a system of particles is always zero  $[E_4 = K_4 + U_4 = 0]$ 

Therefore, the mechanical energy  $E_6$  of a system of particles is always equal to the mechanical energy  $E_2$  of the system of particles [ $E_6 = E_2$ ]

If the potential energy  $U_1$  of a system of particles is a homogeneous function of degree k then the potential energy  $U_3$  and the potential energy  $U_5$  of the system of particles are given by:  $[U_3 = (\frac{k}{2}) U_1]$  and  $[U_5 = (1+\frac{k}{2}) U_1]$ 

If the potential energy  $U_2$  of a system of particles is a homogeneous function of degree k then the potential energy  $U_4$  and the potential energy  $U_6$  of the system of particles are given by:  $[U_4 = (\frac{k}{2})U_2]$  and  $[U_6 = (1+\frac{k}{2})U_2]$ 

If the potential energy  $U_1$  of a system of particles is a homogeneous function of degree k and if the kinetic energy  $K_5$  of the system of particles is equal to zero, then we obtain:  $[K_1 = -K_3 = U_3 = (\frac{k}{2}) U_1 = (\frac{k}{2+k}) E_1]$ 

If the potential energy  $U_2$  of a system of particles is a homogeneous function of degree k and if the kinetic energy  $K_6$  of the system of particles is equal to zero, then we obtain:  $[K_2 = -K_4 = U_4 = (\frac{k}{2}) U_2 = (\frac{k}{2+k}) E_2]$ 

If the potential energy  $U_1$  of a system of particles is a homogeneous function of degree k and if the average kinetic energy  $\langle K_5 \rangle$  of the system of particles is equal to zero, then we obtain:  $[\langle K_1 \rangle = -\langle K_3 \rangle = \langle U_3 \rangle = (\frac{k}{2}) \langle U_1 \rangle = (\frac{k}{2+k}) \langle E_1 \rangle]$ 

If the potential energy  $U_2$  of a system of particles is a homogeneous function of degree k and if the average kinetic energy  $\langle K_6 \rangle$  of the system of particles is equal to zero, then we obtain:  $[\langle K_2 \rangle = -\langle K_4 \rangle = \langle U_4 \rangle = (\frac{k}{2}) \langle U_2 \rangle = (\frac{k}{2+k}) \langle E_2 \rangle]$ 

The average kinetic energy  $\langle K_5 \rangle$  and the average kinetic energy  $\langle K_6 \rangle$  of a system of particles with bounded motion are related to the virial theorem.

The average kinetic energy  $\langle \mathbf{K}_5 \rangle$  and the average kinetic energy  $\langle \mathbf{K}_6 \rangle$  of a system of particles with bounded motion ( in  $\langle \mathbf{K}_5 \rangle$  relative to  $\vec{R}$  and in  $\langle \mathbf{K}_6 \rangle$  relative to  $\vec{R}_{cm}$  ) are always zero.

The kinetic energy K<sub>5</sub> and the kinetic energy K<sub>6</sub> of a system of N particles can also be expressed as follows : [ K<sub>5</sub> =  $\sum_{i}^{N} \frac{1}{2} m_i (\dot{r}_i \dot{r}_i + \ddot{r}_i r_i)$ ] where  $r_i \doteq |\vec{r}_i - \vec{R}|$  and [ K<sub>6</sub> =  $\sum_{i < j}^{N} \frac{1}{2} m_i m_j M^{-1} (\dot{r}_{ij} \dot{r}_{ij} + \ddot{r}_{ij} r_{ij})$ ] where  $r_{ij} \doteq |\vec{r}_i - \vec{r}_j|_{\text{Note 1}} (\sum_{i < j}^{N} \pm \sum_{i=1}^{N} \sum_{j>i}^{N})$ 

The kinetic energy  $K_5$  and the kinetic energy  $K_6$  of a system of N particles can also be expressed as follows :  $[K_5 = \sum_{i}^{N} \frac{1}{2} m_i(\ddot{\tau}_i)]$  where  $\tau_i \doteq \frac{1}{2} (\vec{r}_i - \vec{R}) \cdot (\vec{r}_i - \vec{R})$  and  $[K_6 = \sum_{j>i}^{N} \frac{1}{2} m_i m_j M^{-1}(\ddot{\tau}_{ij})]$  where  $\tau_{ij} \doteq \frac{1}{2} (\vec{r}_i - \vec{r}_j) \cdot (\vec{r}_i - \vec{r}_j)$  Note  $2 (\sum_{j>i}^{N} \pm \sum_{i=1}^{N} \sum_{j>i}^{N})$ 

The kinetic energy  $K_6$  is the only kinetic energy that can be expressed without the necessity of introducing any magnitude that is related to the Universe [ such as:  $\mathbf{r}, \mathbf{v}, \mathbf{a}, \vec{\omega}, \vec{R}, \text{etc.}$  ]

In an isolated system of particles, the potential energy  $U_2$  is equal to the potential energy  $U_1$  if the internal dynamic forces obey Newton's third law in its weak form  $[U_2 = U_1]$ 

In an isolated system of particles, the potential energy  $U_4$  is equal to the potential energy  $U_3$  if the internal dynamic forces obey Newton's third law in its weak form  $[U_4 = U_3]$ 

In an isolated system of particles, the potential energy  $U_6$  is equal to the potential energy  $U_5$  if the internal dynamic forces obey Newton's third law in its weak form  $[U_6 = U_5]$ 

A reference frame S is a special non-rotating frame when the angular velocity  $\vec{\omega}$  of the Universe relative to S is equal to zero, and the reference frame S is also an inertial frame when the acceleration  $\vec{A}$  of the center of mass of the Universe relative to S is equal to zero.

If the origin of a special non-rotating frame S  $[\vec{\omega} = 0]$  always coincides with the center of mass of the Universe  $[\vec{R} = \vec{V} = \vec{A} = 0]$  then relative to S:  $[\mathbf{r}_i = \vec{r}_i, \mathbf{v}_i = \vec{v}_i \text{ and } \mathbf{a}_i = \vec{a}_i]$  Therefore, it is easy to see that universal magnitudes and ordinary magnitudes are always the same in the reference frame S.

If kinetic forces are excluded, then this paper does not contradict Newton's first and second laws since they are valid in all inertial reference frames. The equation  $[\mathbf{F}_i = m_i \mathbf{a}_i]$  is a simple reformulation of Newton's second law.

Finally, in this paper, the equation  $[\mathbf{F}_i = m_i \mathbf{a}_i]$  is valid in all reference frames (inertial or non-inertial) only if all dynamic forces always obey Newton's third law in its weak form and in its strong form.

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### Annex I

#### The Universe

The Universe is a system that contains all particles, that is always free of external forces, and that all internal dynamic forces always obey Newton's third law in its weak form and in its strong form.

The position  $\vec{R}$ , the velocity  $\vec{V}$  and the acceleration  $\vec{A}$  of the center of mass of the Universe relative to a reference frame S (and the angular velocity  $\vec{\omega}$  and the angular acceleration  $\vec{\alpha}$  of the Universe relative to the reference frame S) are given by:

$$\begin{split} \mathbf{M} &\doteq \sum_{i}^{Au} m_{i} \\ \vec{R} &\doteq \mathbf{M}^{-1} \sum_{i}^{Au} m_{i} \vec{r}_{i} \\ \vec{V} &\doteq \mathbf{M}^{-1} \sum_{i}^{Au} m_{i} \vec{v}_{i} \\ \vec{A} &\doteq \mathbf{M}^{-1} \sum_{i}^{Au} m_{i} \vec{a}_{i} \\ \vec{\omega} &\doteq \vec{I}^{-1} \cdot \vec{L} \\ \vec{\alpha} &\doteq d(\vec{\omega})/dt \\ \vec{I} &\doteq \sum_{i}^{Au} m_{i} [|\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}|^{2} \vec{1} - (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}) \otimes (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R})] \\ \vec{L} &\doteq \sum_{i}^{Au} m_{i} (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}) \times (\vec{v}_{i} - \vec{V}) \end{split}$$

where M is the mass of the Universe,  $\vec{I}$  is the inertia tensor of the Universe (relative to  $\vec{R}$ ) and  $\vec{L}$  is the angular momentum of the Universe relative to the reference frame S.

#### The Transformations

The transformations of position, velocity and acceleration of a particle i between a reference frame S and another reference frame S', are given by:

$$\begin{aligned} (\vec{r}_i - \vec{R}) &= \mathbf{r}_i = \mathbf{r}'_i \\ (\vec{r}'_i - \vec{R}') &= \mathbf{r}'_i = \mathbf{r}_i \\ (\vec{v}_i - \vec{V}) - \vec{\omega} \times (\vec{r}_i - \vec{R}) &= \mathbf{v}_i = \mathbf{v}'_i \\ (\vec{v}'_i - \vec{V}') - \vec{\omega}' \times (\vec{r}'_i - \vec{R}') &= \mathbf{v}'_i = \mathbf{v}_i \\ (\vec{a}_i - \vec{A}) - 2 \vec{\omega} \times (\vec{v}_i - \vec{V}) + \vec{\omega} \times [\vec{\omega} \times (\vec{r}_i - \vec{R})] - \vec{\alpha} \times (\vec{r}_i - \vec{R}) = \mathbf{a}_i = \mathbf{a}'_i \\ (\vec{a}'_i - \vec{A}') - 2 \vec{\omega}' \times (\vec{v}'_i - \vec{V}') + \vec{\omega}' \times [\vec{\omega}' \times (\vec{r}'_i - \vec{R}')] - \vec{\alpha}' \times (\vec{r}'_i - \vec{R}') = \mathbf{a}_i = \mathbf{a}_i \end{aligned}$$

# Annex II

### The Relations

In a system of particles, these relations can be obtained ( The magnitudes  $\mathbf{R}_{cm}$ ,  $\mathbf{V}_{cm}$ ,  $\mathbf{A}_{cm}$ ,  $\vec{R}_{cm}$ ,  $\vec{V}_{cm}$  and  $\vec{A}_{cm}$  can be replaced by the magnitudes  $\mathbf{R}$ ,  $\mathbf{V}$ ,  $\mathbf{A}$ ,  $\vec{R}$ ,  $\vec{V}$  and  $\vec{A}$ , or by the magnitudes  $\mathbf{r}_j$ ,  $\mathbf{v}_j$ ,  $\mathbf{a}_j$ ,  $\vec{r}_j$ ,  $\vec{v}_j$  and  $\vec{a}_j$ , respectively. On the other hand,  $\mathbf{R} = \mathbf{V} = \mathbf{A} = 0$ )

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{r}_{i} &= (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}) \\ \mathbf{R}_{cm} &= (\vec{R}_{cm} - \vec{R}) \\ \longrightarrow & (\mathbf{r}_{i} - \mathbf{R}_{cm}) = (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}_{cm}) \\ \mathbf{v}_{i} &= (\vec{v}_{i} - \vec{V}) - \vec{\omega} \times (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}) \\ \mathbf{V}_{cm} &= (\vec{V}_{cm} - \vec{V}) - \vec{\omega} \times (\vec{R}_{cm} - \vec{R}) \\ \longrightarrow & (\mathbf{v}_{i} - \mathbf{V}_{cm}) = (\vec{v}_{i} - \vec{V}_{cm}) - \vec{\omega} \times (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}_{cm}) \\ (\mathbf{v}_{i} - \mathbf{V}_{cm}) \cdot (\mathbf{v}_{i} - \mathbf{V}_{cm}) &= \left[ (\vec{v}_{i} - \vec{V}_{cm}) - \vec{\omega} \times (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}_{cm}) \right] \cdot \left[ (\vec{v}_{i} - \vec{V}_{cm}) - \vec{\omega} \times (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}_{cm}) \right] = \\ (\vec{v}_{i} - \vec{V}_{cm}) \cdot (\vec{v}_{i} - \vec{V}_{cm}) - 2 (\vec{v}_{i} - \vec{V}_{cm}) \cdot \left[ \vec{\omega} \times (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}_{cm}) \right] + \left[ \vec{\omega} \times (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}_{cm}) \right] \cdot \left[ \vec{\omega} \times (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}_{cm}) \right] = \\ (\vec{v}_{i} - \vec{V}_{cm}) \cdot (\vec{v}_{i} - \vec{V}_{cm}) + 2 (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}_{cm}) \cdot \left[ \vec{\omega} \times (\vec{v}_{i} - \vec{R}_{cm}) \right] + \left[ \vec{\omega} \times (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}_{cm}) \right] \cdot \left[ \vec{\omega} \times (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}_{cm}) \right] = \\ (\vec{v}_{i} - \vec{V}_{cm}) \cdot (\vec{v}_{i} - \vec{V}_{cm}) + \left[ 2 \vec{\omega} \times (\vec{v}_{i} - \vec{V}_{cm}) \right] \cdot (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}_{cm}) + \left[ \vec{\omega} \times (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}_{cm}) \right] \cdot \left[ \vec{\omega} \times (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}_{cm}) \right] = \\ (\vec{v}_{i} - \vec{V}_{cm})^{2} + \left[ 2 \vec{\omega} \times (\vec{v}_{i} - \vec{V}_{cm}) \right] \cdot (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}_{cm}) + \left[ \vec{\omega} \times (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}_{cm}) \right]^{2} \\ (\mathbf{a}_{i} - \mathbf{A}_{cm}) \cdot (\mathbf{r}_{i} - \mathbf{R}_{cm}) = \left\{ (\vec{a}_{i} - \vec{A}_{cm}) \cdot (\vec{v}_{i} - \vec{R}_{cm}) \right\}^{2} \\ (\mathbf{a}_{i} - \mathbf{A}_{cm}) \cdot (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}_{cm}) - \left[ \vec{\omega} \times (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}_{cm}) \right] \cdot (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}_{cm}) + \\ \left\{ \vec{\omega} \times \left[ \vec{\omega} \times (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}_{cm}) \right] \right\} \cdot (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}_{cm}) - \left[ \vec{\omega} \times (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}_{cm}) \right] \cdot (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}_{cm}) + \\ \left\{ \vec{\omega} \times \left[ \vec{\omega} \times (\vec{v}_{i} - \vec{N}_{cm}) \right\} \right\} \cdot (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}_{cm}) + \left\{ \left[ \vec{\omega} \cdot (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}_{cm}) \right] \vec{\omega} \cdot (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}_{cm}) \right\} \cdot (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}_{cm}) - \\ \left[ 2 \vec{\omega} \times (\vec{v}_{i} - \vec{V}_{cm}) \right] \cdot (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}_{cm}) + \left\{ \left[ \vec{\omega} \cdot (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}_{cm}) \right\} \right\} \cdot (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}_{cm}) = \\ \left[ \vec{\omega} - \vec{\omega} \cdot \vec{\omega} \cdot \vec{\omega} \right$$

# Annex III

### The Magnitudes

The magnitudes  $L_2$ ,  $W_2$ ,  $K_2$ ,  $U_2$ ,  $W_4$ ,  $K_4$ ,  $U_4$ ,  $W_6$ ,  $K_6$  and  $U_6$  of a system of N particles can also be expressed as follows:

$$\begin{split} \mathbf{L}_{2} &= \sum_{j>i}^{N} m_{i} m_{j} M^{-1} \big[ (\mathbf{r}_{i} - \mathbf{r}_{j}) \times (\mathbf{v}_{i} - \mathbf{v}_{j}) \big] \\ W_{2} &= \sum_{j>i}^{N} m_{i} m_{j} M^{-1} \big[ \int_{1}^{2} (\mathbf{F}_{i}/m_{i} - \mathbf{F}_{j}/m_{j}) \cdot d(\mathbf{r}_{i} - \mathbf{r}_{j}) \big] \\ \Delta K_{2} &= \sum_{j>i}^{N} \Delta^{1/2} m_{i} m_{j} M^{-1} (\mathbf{v}_{i} - \mathbf{v}_{j})^{2} = W_{2} \\ \Delta U_{2} &= -\sum_{j>i}^{N} m_{i} m_{j} M^{-1} \big[ \int_{1}^{2} (\mathbf{F}_{i}/m_{i} - \mathbf{F}_{j}/m_{j}) \cdot d(\mathbf{r}_{i} - \mathbf{r}_{j}) \big] \\ W_{4} &= \sum_{j>i}^{N} \Delta^{1/2} m_{i} m_{j} M^{-1} \big[ (\mathbf{F}_{i}/m_{i} - \mathbf{F}_{j}/m_{j}) \cdot (\mathbf{r}_{i} - \mathbf{r}_{j}) \big] \\ \Delta K_{4} &= \sum_{j>i}^{N} \Delta^{1/2} m_{i} m_{j} M^{-1} \big[ (\mathbf{R}_{i} - \mathbf{a}_{j}) \cdot (\mathbf{r}_{i} - \mathbf{r}_{j}) \big] \\ \Delta W_{4} &= -\sum_{j>i}^{N} \Delta^{1/2} m_{i} m_{j} M^{-1} \big[ (\mathbf{F}_{i}/m_{i} - \mathbf{F}_{j}/m_{j}) \cdot (\mathbf{r}_{i} - \mathbf{r}_{j}) \big] \\ W_{6} &= \sum_{j>i}^{N} \Delta^{1/2} m_{i} m_{j} M^{-1} \big[ (\mathbf{F}_{i}/m_{i} - \mathbf{F}_{j}/m_{j}) \cdot d(\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{r}_{j}) + \Delta^{1/2} (\mathbf{F}_{i}/m_{i} - \mathbf{F}_{j}/m_{j}) \cdot (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{r}_{j}) \big] \\ \Delta K_{6} &= \sum_{j>i}^{N} \Delta^{1/2} m_{i} m_{j} M^{-1} \big[ (\vec{v}_{i} - \vec{v}_{j})^{2} + (\vec{a}_{i} - \vec{a}_{j}) \cdot (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{r}_{j}) \big] = W_{6} \\ \Delta U_{6} &= -\sum_{j>i}^{N} m_{i} m_{j} M^{-1} \big[ \int_{1}^{2} (\mathbf{F}_{i}/m_{i} - \mathbf{F}_{j}/m_{j}) \cdot d(\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{r}_{j}) + \Delta^{1/2} (\mathbf{F}_{i}/m_{i} - \mathbf{F}_{j}/m_{j}) \cdot (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{r}_{j}) \big] \end{split}$$

The magnitudes  $W_{(1 \text{ to } 6)}$  and  $U_{(1 \text{ to } 6)}$  of an isolated system of N particles, whose internal dynamic forces obey Newton's third law in its weak form, can be reduced to:

$$W_{1} = W_{2} = \sum_{i}^{N} \int_{1}^{2} \mathbf{F}_{i} \cdot d\vec{r}_{i}$$

$$\Delta U_{1} = \Delta U_{2} = -\sum_{i}^{N} \int_{1}^{2} \mathbf{F}_{i} \cdot d\vec{r}_{i}$$

$$W_{3} = W_{4} = \sum_{i}^{N} \Delta^{1/2} \mathbf{F}_{i} \cdot \vec{r}_{i}$$

$$\Delta U_{3} = \Delta U_{4} = -\sum_{i}^{N} \Delta^{1/2} \mathbf{F}_{i} \cdot \vec{r}_{i}$$

$$W_{5} = W_{6} = \sum_{i}^{N} \left[ \int_{1}^{2} \mathbf{F}_{i} \cdot d\vec{r}_{i} + \Delta^{1/2} \mathbf{F}_{i} \cdot \vec{r}_{i} \right]$$

$$\Delta U_{5} = \Delta U_{6} = -\sum_{i}^{N} \left[ \int_{1}^{2} \mathbf{F}_{i} \cdot d\vec{r}_{i} + \Delta^{1/2} \mathbf{F}_{i} \cdot \vec{r}_{i} \right]$$

## Annex IV

### Frames and Forces

Diagram of net dynamic forces acting on a reference frame S, when the reference frame S is a linearly non-accelerated and non-rotating frame relative to an inertial frame (9 points)

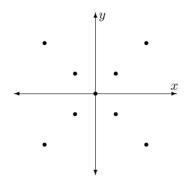


Diagram of net dynamic forces acting on a reference frame S, when the reference frame S is a linearly accelerated and non-rotating frame relative to an inertial frame (9 points)

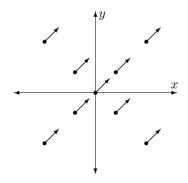
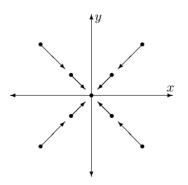


Diagram of net dynamic forces acting on a reference frame S, when the reference frame S is a linearly non-accelerated and rotating frame relative to an inertial frame (9 points)



## Appendix A

### Fields and Potentials I

The net kinetic force  $\mathbf{K}_i$  acting on a particle *i* of mass  $m_i$  can also be expressed as follows:

$$\begin{split} \mathbf{K}_{i} &= + \ m_{i} \left[ \mathbf{E} + (\vec{v}_{i} - \vec{V}) \times \mathbf{B} \right] \\ \mathbf{K}_{i} &= + \ m_{i} \left[ - \nabla \phi \ - \frac{\partial \mathbf{A}}{\partial t} + (\vec{v}_{i} - \vec{V}) \times (\nabla \times \mathbf{A}) \right] \\ \mathbf{K}_{i} &= + \ m_{i} \left[ - (\vec{a}_{i} - \vec{A}) + 2 \ \vec{\omega} \times (\vec{v}_{i} - \vec{V}) - \vec{\omega} \times \left[ \vec{\omega} \times (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}) \right] + \vec{\alpha} \times (\vec{r}_{i} - \vec{R}) \right] \end{split}$$

where:

$$\begin{split} \mathbf{E} &= -\nabla\phi - \frac{\partial \mathbf{A}}{\partial t} \\ \mathbf{B} &= \nabla \times \mathbf{A} \\ \phi &= -\frac{1}{2} \left[ \vec{\omega} \times (\vec{r}_i - \vec{R}) \right]^2 + \frac{1}{2} (\vec{v}_i - \vec{V})^2 \\ \mathbf{A} &= - \left[ \vec{\omega} \times (\vec{r}_i - \vec{R}) \right] + (\vec{v}_i - \vec{V}) \\ \frac{\partial \mathbf{A}}{\partial t} &= - \vec{\alpha} \times (\vec{r}_i - \vec{R}) + (\vec{a}_i - \vec{A}) * \\ \nabla \phi &= \vec{\omega} \times \left[ \vec{\omega} \times (\vec{r}_i - \vec{R}) \right] \\ \nabla \times \mathbf{A} &= - 2 \vec{\omega} \end{split}$$

The net kinetic force  $\mathbf{K}_i$  acting on a particle *i* of mass  $m_i$  can also be obtained starting from the following kinetic energy:

$$\begin{split} K_i &= -m_i \left[ \phi - (\vec{v}_i - \vec{V}) \cdot \mathbf{A} \right] \\ K_i &= \frac{1}{2} m_i \left[ (\vec{v}_i - \vec{V}) - \vec{\omega} \times (\vec{r}_i - \vec{R}) \right]^2 \\ K_i &= \frac{1}{2} m_i \left[ \mathbf{v}_i \right]^2 \end{split}$$

Since the kinetic energy  $K_i$  must be positive, then applying the following Euler-Lagrange equation, we obtain:

$$\mathbf{K}_{i} = -\frac{d}{dt} \left[ \frac{\partial \frac{1}{2} m_{i} \left[ \mathbf{v}_{i} \right]^{2}}{\partial \mathbf{v}_{i}} \right] + \frac{\partial \frac{1}{2} m_{i} \left[ \mathbf{v}_{i} \right]^{2}}{\partial \mathbf{r}_{i}} = -m_{i} \mathbf{a}_{i}$$

where  $\mathbf{r}_i$ ,  $\mathbf{v}_i$  and  $\mathbf{a}_i$  are the universal position, the universal velocity and the universal acceleration of particle *i*.

\* In the temporal partial derivative, the spatial coordinates must be treated as constants [ or replace this in the first equation:  $+ \frac{1}{2} (\vec{v}_i - \vec{V}) \times \mathbf{B}$ , and this in the second equation:  $+ \frac{1}{2} (\vec{v}_i - \vec{V}) \times (\nabla \times \mathbf{A})$ ]

### Appendix B

### Fields and Potentials II

The net kinetic force  $\mathbf{K}_i$  acting on a particle *i* of mass  $m_i$  (relative to a reference frame S fixed to a particle *s* ( $\vec{r}_s = \vec{v}_s = \vec{a}_s = 0$ ) of mass  $m_s$ , with universal velocity  $\mathbf{v}_s$  and universal acceleration  $\mathbf{a}_s$ ) can also be expressed as follows:

$$\begin{split} \mathbf{K}_{i} &= + m_{i} \left[ \mathbf{E} + \vec{v}_{i} \times \mathbf{B} \right] \\ \mathbf{K}_{i} &= + m_{i} \left[ - \nabla \phi - \frac{\partial \mathbf{A}}{\partial t} + \vec{v}_{i} \times (\nabla \times \mathbf{A}) \right] \\ \mathbf{K}_{i} &= + m_{i} \left[ - (\vec{a}_{i} + \mathbf{a}_{s}) + 2 \vec{\omega} \times \vec{v}_{i} - \vec{\omega} \times (\vec{\omega} \times \vec{r}_{i}) + \vec{\alpha} \times \vec{r}_{i} \right] \end{split}$$

where:

$$\mathbf{E} = -\nabla\phi - \frac{\partial \mathbf{A}}{\partial t}$$
$$\mathbf{B} = \nabla \times \mathbf{A}$$
$$\phi = -\frac{1}{2} \left(\vec{\omega} \times \vec{r}_i\right)^2 + \frac{1}{2} \left(\vec{v}_i + \mathbf{v}_s\right)^2$$
$$\mathbf{A} = -\left(\vec{\omega} \times \vec{r}_i\right) + \left(\vec{v}_i + \mathbf{v}_s\right)$$
$$\frac{\partial \mathbf{A}}{\partial t} = -\vec{\alpha} \times \vec{r}_i + \left(\vec{a}_i + \mathbf{a}_s\right)^*$$
$$\nabla\phi = \vec{\omega} \times \left(\vec{\omega} \times \vec{r}_i\right)$$
$$\nabla \times \mathbf{A} = -2\vec{\omega}$$

The net kinetic force  $\mathbf{K}_i$  acting on a particle *i* of mass  $m_i$  can also be obtained starting from the following kinetic energy:

$$\begin{split} K_i &= -m_i \left[ \phi - (\vec{v}_i + \mathbf{v}_s) \cdot \mathbf{A} \right] \\ K_i &= \frac{1}{2} m_i \left[ \left( \vec{v}_i + \mathbf{v}_s \right) - \left( \vec{\omega} \times \vec{r}_i \right) \right]^2 \\ K_i &= \frac{1}{2} m_i \left[ \mathbf{v}_i \right]^2 \end{split}$$

Since the kinetic energy  $K_i$  must be positive, then applying the following Euler-Lagrange equation, we obtain:

$$\mathbf{K}_{i} = -\frac{d}{dt} \left[ \frac{\partial \frac{1}{2} m_{i} \left[ \mathbf{v}_{i} \right]^{2}}{\partial \mathbf{v}_{i}} \right] + \frac{\partial \frac{1}{2} m_{i} \left[ \mathbf{v}_{i} \right]^{2}}{\partial \mathbf{r}_{i}} = -m_{i} \mathbf{a}_{i}$$

where  $\mathbf{r}_i$ ,  $\mathbf{v}_i$  and  $\mathbf{a}_i$  are the universal position, the universal velocity and the universal acceleration of particle *i*.

\* In the temporal partial derivative, the spatial coordinates must be treated as constants [ or replace this in the first equation:  $+ \frac{1}{2} \vec{v}_i \times \mathbf{B}$ , and this in the second equation:  $+ \frac{1}{2} \vec{v}_i \times (\nabla \times \mathbf{A})$ ]  $(\partial \mathbf{v}_s / \partial t \to \mathbf{a}_s)$  [ or replace in the first equation:  $+ \frac{1}{2} (\vec{v}_i + \mathbf{v}_s) \times \mathbf{B}$ , and in the second equation:  $+ \frac{1}{2} (\vec{v}_i + \mathbf{v}_s) \times (\nabla \times \mathbf{A})$ ]

## Appendix C

### Fields and Potentials III

The kinetic force  $\mathbf{K}_{ij}$  exerted on a particle *i* of mass  $m_i$  by another particle *j* of mass  $m_j$  can also be expressed as follows:

$$\begin{split} \mathbf{K}_{ij} &= + m_i \, m_j \, M^{-1} \left[ \mathbf{E} + (\vec{v}_i - \vec{v}_j) \times \mathbf{B} \right] \\ \mathbf{K}_{ij} &= + m_i \, m_j \, M^{-1} \left[ - \nabla \phi \, - \frac{\partial \mathbf{A}}{\partial t} + (\vec{v}_i - \vec{v}_j) \times (\nabla \times \mathbf{A}) \right] \\ \mathbf{K}_{ij} &= + m_i \, m_j \, M^{-1} \left[ - (\vec{a}_i - \vec{a}_j) + 2 \, \vec{\omega} \times (\vec{v}_i - \vec{v}_j) - \vec{\omega} \times [\vec{\omega} \times (\vec{r}_i - \vec{r}_j)] + \vec{\alpha} \times (\vec{r}_i - \vec{r}_j) \right] \end{split}$$

where:

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{E} &= -\nabla\phi - \frac{\partial \mathbf{A}}{\partial t} \\ \mathbf{B} &= \nabla \times \mathbf{A} \\ \phi &= -\frac{1}{2} \left[ \vec{\omega} \times (\vec{r}_i - \vec{r}_j) \right]^2 + \frac{1}{2} (\vec{v}_i - \vec{v}_j)^2 \\ \mathbf{A} &= - \left[ \vec{\omega} \times (\vec{r}_i - \vec{r}_j) \right] + (\vec{v}_i - \vec{v}_j) \\ \frac{\partial \mathbf{A}}{\partial t} &= - \vec{\alpha} \times (\vec{r}_i - \vec{r}_j) + (\vec{a}_i - \vec{a}_j) * \\ \nabla\phi &= \vec{\omega} \times \left[ \vec{\omega} \times (\vec{r}_i - \vec{r}_j) \right] \\ \nabla \times \mathbf{A} &= -2 \vec{\omega} \end{aligned}$$

The kinetic force  $\mathbf{K}_{ij}$  exerted on a particle *i* of mass  $m_i$  by another particle *j* of mass  $m_j$  can also be obtained starting from the following kinetic energy:

$$K_{ij} = -m_i m_j M^{-1} \left[ \phi - (\vec{v}_i - \vec{v}_j) \cdot \mathbf{A} \right]$$
  

$$K_{ij} = \frac{1}{2} m_i m_j M^{-1} \left[ (\vec{v}_i - \vec{v}_j) - \vec{\omega} \times (\vec{r}_i - \vec{r}_j) \right]^2$$
  

$$K_{ij} = \frac{1}{2} m_i m_j M^{-1} \left[ \mathbf{v}_i - \mathbf{v}_j \right]^2$$

Since the kinetic energy  $K_{ij}$  must be positive, then applying the following Euler-Lagrange equation, we obtain:

$$\mathbf{K}_{ij} = -\frac{d}{dt} \left[ \frac{\partial \frac{1}{2} \frac{m_i m_j}{M} \left[ \mathbf{v}_i - \mathbf{v}_j \right]^2}{\partial \left[ \mathbf{v}_i - \mathbf{v}_j \right]} \right] + \frac{\partial \frac{1}{2} \frac{m_i m_j}{M} \left[ \mathbf{v}_i - \mathbf{v}_j \right]^2}{\partial \left[ \mathbf{r}_i - \mathbf{r}_j \right]} = -\frac{m_i m_j}{M} \left[ \mathbf{a}_i - \mathbf{a}_j \right]$$

where  $\mathbf{r}_i, \mathbf{v}_i, \mathbf{a}_i, \mathbf{r}_j, \mathbf{v}_j$  and  $\mathbf{a}_j$  are the universal positions, the universal velocities and the universal accelerations of particles *i* and *j*.

\* In the temporal partial derivative, the spatial coordinates must be treated as constants [ or replace this in the first equation:  $+ \frac{1}{2} (\vec{v}_i - \vec{v}_j) \times \mathbf{B}$ , and this in the second equation:  $+ \frac{1}{2} (\vec{v}_i - \vec{v}_j) \times (\nabla \times \mathbf{A})$ ]

# Diagram I

