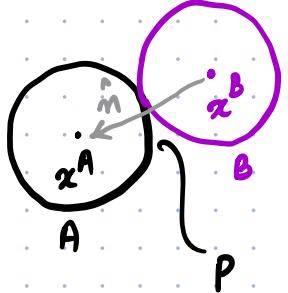


# Rigid Body Collisions



Radius of sphere A:  $r^A$   
 B:  $r^B$   
 Mass " " " A:  $m^A$   
 B:  $m^B$   
 Velocity " " " A:  $v^A$   
 B:  $v^B$

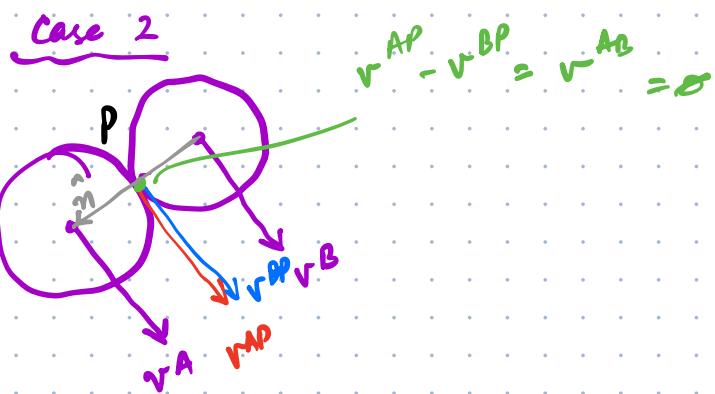
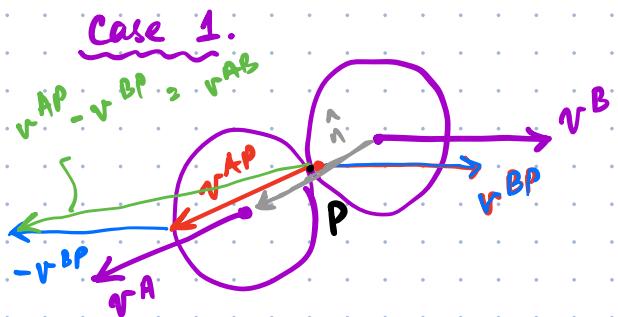
\* There are no rotational effects.

Velocity of collision point P for sphere A:  $v^{AP} = v^A$   
 B:  $v^{BP} = v^B$

Collision detection?

1. Compute normal  $\hat{n} = (p^A - p^B) / |p^A - p^B|$  \*

2. Compute relative velocity at P:  $v^{AB} = v^{AP} - v^{BP}$

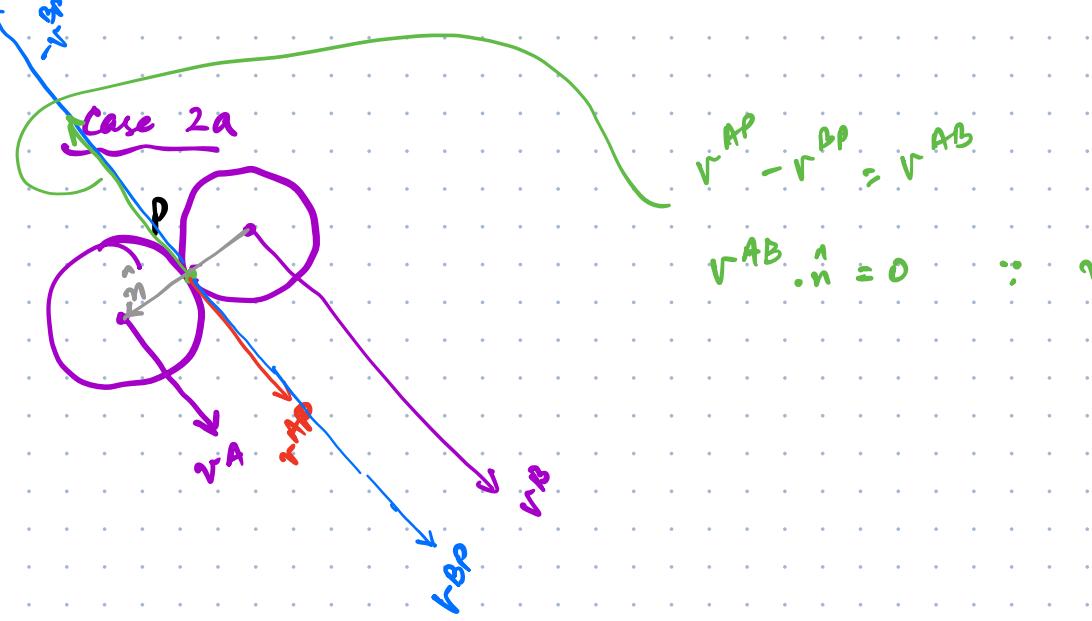


case 3

case 2  $v^{AB} \cdot \hat{n} = 0$  Resting contact

case 3  $v^{AB} \cdot \hat{n} > 0$  Bodies are moving away from each other

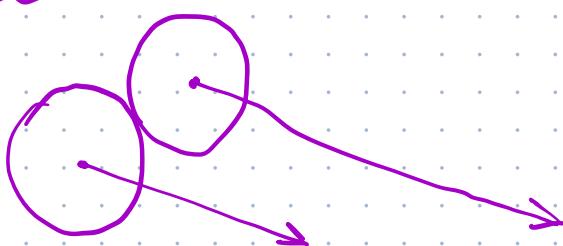
case 3  $v^{AB} \cdot \hat{n} < 0$  Distant imminent collision.



$$v_{AP} - v_{BP} = v_{AB}$$

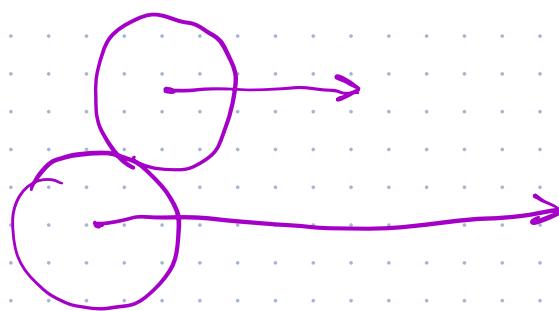
$$v_{AB} \cdot \hat{n} = 0 \quad \therefore v_{AB} \perp \hat{n}$$

Case 4



no collision

Case 5



collision

① Newton's Law of Restitution for Instantaneous Collision with No Friction.

impulse: an infinite force applied for a very short duration.

impulse is equal to the change in momentum

$$J = \Delta P \rightsquigarrow P \text{ represents momentum}$$

=  $m v_i - m v_f$

↑      ↑  
velocity before the  
impulse was applied

after

$$v_2 = v_1 - \frac{J}{m}$$

- no gravity
- no friction

- conservation of momentum:  $J$  for the first body is equal to  $-J$  of the second body.

## ② Empirical model of frictionless collisions

$$v_2^{AB} \cdot n = -e v_1^{AB} \cdot n$$

$e$  is called the co-efficient of restitution.

- $e=1$ , elastic collision, no loss of K.E.
- $e=0$ , perfectly inelastic collision, total loss of K.E.
- $0 < e < 1$ , some loss of K.E.

GOAL: given ① and ②, we want to solve for the velocities of spheres A and B after collision.

$v_1^{AP}$ : velocity of P in A before collision

$v_1^{BP}$ : " B "

require

$$v_2^{AD} = ?$$

$$v_2^{BP} = ?$$

$$\textcircled{A} \quad v_2^{AP} = v_1^{AP} + \frac{jn}{m^A}$$

$$v_2 = v_1 - \frac{j}{m}$$

$$\textcircled{B} \quad v_2^{BP} = v_1^{BP} - \frac{jn}{m^B}$$

law of conservation of momentum  
holds

$$v_1^{AP}, v_2^{AP}, v_1^{BP}, v_2^{BP}, n \in \mathbb{R}^d \quad (d=2,3)$$

$$j, m^A, m^B \in \mathbb{R}$$

impulse  $j$  acts along  $\hat{n}$   
Abuse of notation:  $n = \hat{n}$

Subtract  $\textcircled{B}$  from  $\textcircled{A}$

$$\underbrace{(v_2^{AP} - v_2^{BP})}_{\text{_____}} = \underbrace{(v_1^{AP} - v_1^{BP})}_{\text{_____}} + \left( \frac{jn}{m^A} + \frac{jn}{m^B} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \underbrace{v_2^{AB}}_{\text{?}} = \underbrace{v_1^{AB}}_{\text{?}} + \left( \frac{1}{m^A} + \frac{1}{m^B} \right) jn \quad \text{--- } \textcircled{C}$$

We have from  $\textcircled{D}$

$$\underbrace{v_2^{AB} \cdot n}_{\text{_____}} = -e v_1^{AB} \cdot n \quad \text{--- } \textcircled{D}$$

$$\left\{ v_1^{AB} + \left( \frac{1}{m^A} + \frac{1}{m^B} \right) jn \right\} \cdot n = -e v_1^{AB} \cdot n$$

$$\Rightarrow \underbrace{v_1^{AB} \cdot n}_{\text{cR}} + \left( \frac{1}{m^A} + \frac{1}{m^B} \right) jn \cdot n \underset{\text{1}}{=} -e \frac{v_1^{AB} \cdot n}{eR}$$

$$\Rightarrow j = -\left\{ (1+e) v_1^{AB} \cdot n \right\} \left( \frac{1}{m^A} + \frac{1}{m^B} \right)^{-1}$$

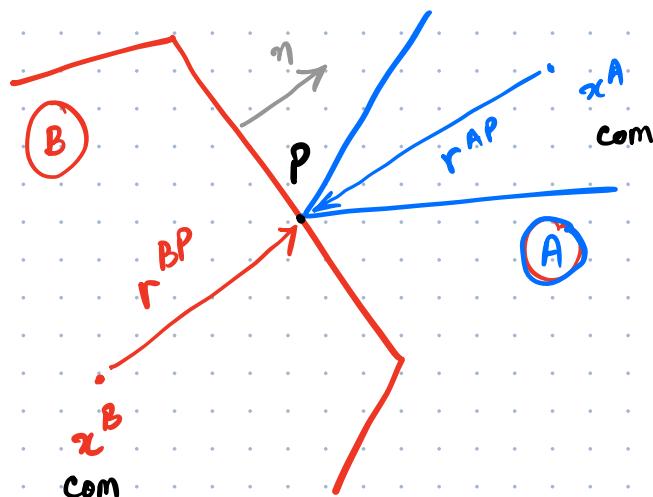
For A. What is  $j$  for B.  $-j$

$$v_2^A = v_1^A + \frac{jn}{m^A}$$

$$v_2^B = v_1^B - \frac{jn}{m^B}$$

Collision Response.

## Rigid Body Collision with Rotational Effects



Collision point P in A:  $r^{AP}$   
 B:  $r^{BP}$

Velocity of P in A:  $v_i^A + \omega_i^A \times r^{AP} = v_i^{AP}$   
 B:  $v_i^B + \omega_i^B \times r^{BP} = v_i^{BP}$

↑      ← angular velocity  
 linear velocity

We are interested in  $v_2^A, v_2^B, \omega_2^A$  and  $\omega_2^B$

post-collision velocities

Mass of A:  $m^A$

B:  $m^B$

Inertia tensor of A:  $I^A$  (world)  
 B:  $I^B$

Previously,

$$v_2^A = v_1^A + jn/mA$$

$$\omega_2^A = \omega_1^A + (I^A)^{-1} r^{AP} \times jn$$

$\underbrace{\epsilon \in \mathbb{R}^3}$      $\underbrace{\epsilon \in \mathbb{R}^{3 \times 3}}$      $\underbrace{\epsilon \in \mathbb{R}^3}$   
 $\underbrace{\epsilon \in \mathbb{R}^3}$

Similarly,

$$v_2^B = v_1^B - jn/mB$$

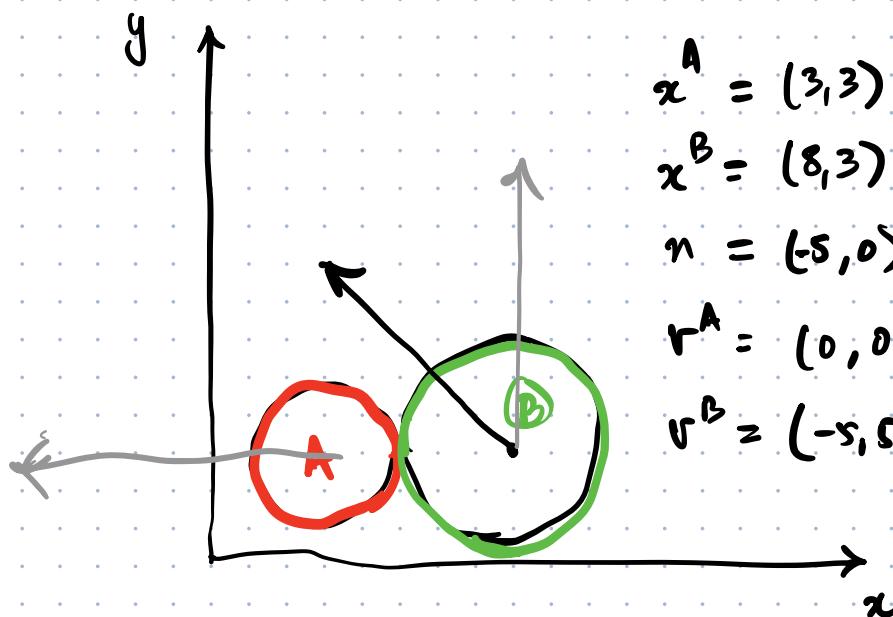
$$\omega_2^B = \omega_1^B - (I^B)^{-1} r^{BP} \times jn$$

where

$$j = \frac{-(1+\epsilon) r^{AB} \cdot n}{\left(\frac{1}{mA} + \frac{1}{mB}\right) + n \cdot (I^A)^{-1} (r^{AP} \times n) \times r^{AP} + n \cdot (I^B)^{-1} (r^{BP} \times n) \times r^{BP}}$$

Rotational effects

### EXERCISE 1



$$x^A = (3, 3)$$

$$x^B = (8, 3)$$

$$n = (-5, 0) = (-1, 0)$$

$$r^A = (0, 0)$$

$$r^B = (-5, 5)$$

$$r^{AB} = (0, 0) - (-5, 5)$$
$$\Rightarrow (5, -5)$$

$$v^{AB} \cdot n = (s)(-1) + (-s)(0) = -s < 0$$



let  $m^A = 1$ ,  $m^B = 1$ ,  $e = 1$ .

$$r_2^A = r_1^A + \frac{j n}{m^A}$$

$$r_2^B = r_1^B - \frac{j n}{m^B}$$

?

?

$j = ?$

$$r_1^A = (0, 0)$$

$$r_1^B = (-s, s)$$

$$n = (-1, 0)$$

$$m^A = 1 \times$$

$$m^B = 1 \times$$

$j = ?$

$$j = -\left\{ (1+e) v_i^{AB} \cdot n \right\} \left( \frac{1}{m^A} + \frac{1}{m^B} \right)^{-1}$$

For A. What is  $j$  for B.  $-j$

$$e = 1 \times$$

$$v_i^{AB} = (s, -s)$$

$$= -(1+1) [(s, -s) \cdot (-1, 0)] \left( \frac{1}{1} + \frac{1}{1} \right)^{-1}$$

$$= \frac{-(2)(-s)}{2}$$

$$= s$$

$$v_2^A = v_i^A + \frac{ju}{m^A}$$

$$= (0,0) + \frac{5(-1,0)}{1}$$

$$= (0,0) + (-5,0)$$

$$= (-5,0)$$

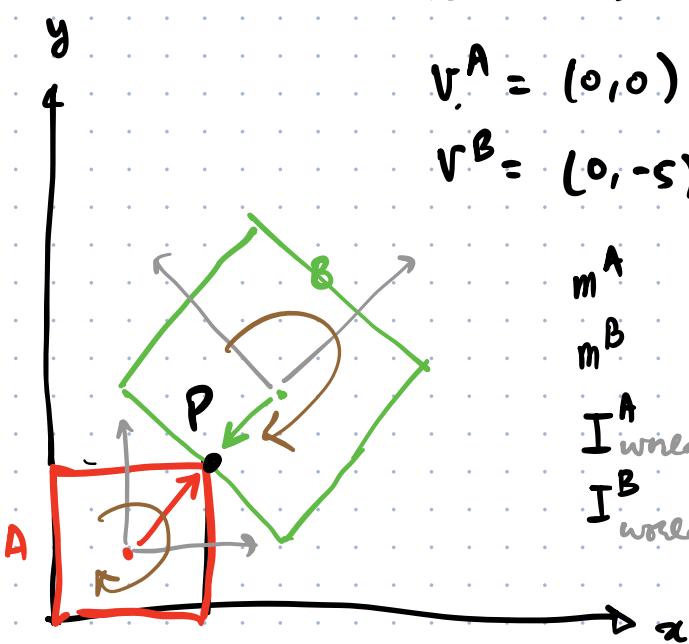
$$v_2^B = v_i^B - \frac{ju}{m^B}$$

$$= (-5,5) - \frac{5(-1,0)}{1}$$

$$= (-5,5) + (5,0)$$

$$= (0,5)$$

{EXERCISE 2}



$$x^A = (2,2) = (2,2,0)$$

$$x^B = (6,6) = (6,6,0)$$

$$v_i^A = (0,0), \quad \omega^A = (0,0,0)$$

$$v^B = (0,-5), \quad \omega^B = (0,0,0)$$

$$\begin{aligned} m^A \\ m^B \\ I_{\text{wired}}^A \\ I_{\text{wired}}^B \end{aligned}$$

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} R^A \\ R^B \end{array} \right.$$