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Advising Moment:
Workload Expectations and Management

Expectations:

Management:
The Earth has a mass of $6 \times 10^{24}$ kg. The Sun is much more massive; its mass is $2 \times 10^{30}$ kg. Which of the following statements is correct?

a) The gravitational force on the Sun by the Earth is smaller in magnitude than the gravitational force on the Earth by the Sun.

b) The gravitational force on the Sun by the Earth is exactly the same in magnitude as the gravitational force on the Earth by the Sun.

c) Neither (a) nor (b) is correct.
You hold a tennis ball at rest above your head, then open your hand and release the ball, which begins to fall. At this moment, which statement about the magnitudes of the gravitational forces between the Earth and ball is correct?

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Newton’s Universal Law of Gravitation

\[ \vec{F}_{2 \leftarrow 1} = -G \frac{m_1 m_2}{|\vec{r}_{2 \leftarrow 1}|^2} \hat{r}_{2 \leftarrow 1} \]

\[ G = 6.67 \times 10^{-11} \frac{N \cdot m^2}{(kg)^2} \]

\[ \hat{r}_{2 \leftarrow 1} = \frac{\vec{r}_{2 \leftarrow 1}}{|\vec{r}_{2 \leftarrow 1}|} \]
**Coulomb’s Law**

\[ \vec{F}_{2\leftarrow 1} = \frac{1}{4\pi\varepsilon_0} \frac{q_1 q_2}{|\vec{r}_{2\leftarrow 1}|^2} \hat{\vec{r}}_{2\leftarrow 1} \]

\[ \frac{1}{4\pi\varepsilon_0} = 9 \times 10^9 \frac{N \cdot m^2}{C^2} \]

\[ \hat{\vec{r}}_{2\leftarrow 1} = \frac{\vec{r}_{2\leftarrow 1}}{|\vec{r}_{2\leftarrow 1}|} \]
An alpha particle (which contains two protons and two neutrons) has a net charge of +2e. The alpha particle is 0.1 m away from a single proton, which has charge +e.

Which statement about the magnitudes of the electric forces between the particles is correct?

a. The force on the proton by the alpha particle is equal to the force on the alpha particle by the proton.

b. The force on the proton by the alpha particle is larger than the force on the alpha particle by the proton.

c. The force on the proton by the alpha particle is smaller than the force on the alpha particle by the proton.

d. There is not enough information to determine this.
**Subatomic Particles**

**Electron:**
- Mass: $m_e = 9.11 \times 10^{-31} \text{kg}$
- Charge: $q_e = -e = -1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text{C}$
- Interacts electrically, gravitationally, “weakly”
- Diameter: none
- Status: *fundamental*

**Proton:**
- Mass: $m_p = 1.673 \times 10^{-27} \text{kg}$
- Charge: $q_p = +e = +1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text{C}$
- Diameter: $\sim 10^{-15} \text{m}$
- Status: *composite*
  - Two “up” quarks +2/3 e charge
  - One “down” quark -1/3 e charge
- Interact electrically, gravitationally, “weakly”, and “strongly”

**Neutron:**
- Mass: $m_p = 1.675 \times 10^{-27} \text{kg}$
- Charge: $q_p = 0$
- Diameter: $\sim 10^{-15} \text{m}$
- Status: *composite*
  - One “up” quark +2/3 e charge
  - Two “down” quarks -1/3 e charge
- Interact electrically, gravitationally, “weakly”, and “strongly”
Fundamental Properties and Interactions

Mass & Gravitation

\[ \vec{F}_{2 \leftarrow 1} = -G \frac{m_1 m_2}{r_{2 \leftarrow 1}^2} \hat{r}_{2 \leftarrow 1} \]

Charge & Electrical

\[ \vec{F}_{2 \leftarrow 1} = \frac{1}{4\pi \varepsilon_0} \frac{q_1 q_2}{\left| \vec{r}_{2 \leftarrow 1} \right|^2} \hat{r}_{2 \leftarrow 1} \]

“Color” & Strong
Protons + Neutrons = Nuclei
Nuclear Stability: Coulomb vs. Strong
Nuclear instability
Nuclear instability: Decay Modes (electric and weak interactions)

$\alpha$ decay

$\beta^-$ decay

$\alpha$ Particle = 2p + 2n
Atoms: Electrical ‘solar systems’

\[
\vec{F}_{e\leftarrow p} = \frac{1}{4\pi\varepsilon_0} \frac{q_e q_p}{|\vec{r}_{e\leftarrow p}|^2} \hat{r}_{e\leftarrow p}
\]

Same form as

\[
\vec{F}_{Earth\leftarrow Sun} = -G \frac{M_E M_S}{|\vec{r}_{E\leftarrow S}|^2} \hat{r}_{E\leftarrow S}
\]
Forces and *alternative*
Representations of “Interactions”
Mass’s dual role ... General Relativity

(note: more realistically – 3D grid puckered)
Predicting the future of Complex Systems

• Too Many Objects
  • Example: three-body gravitational system

\[ \vec{F}_{2\leftarrow\text{total}} = \vec{F}_{2\leftarrow 1} + \vec{F}_{2\leftarrow 3} = -G \frac{M_1 M_2}{|\vec{r}_{2\leftarrow 1}|^2} \hat{r}_{2\leftarrow 1} - G \frac{M_3 M_2}{|\vec{r}_{2\leftarrow 3}|^2} \hat{r}_{2\leftarrow 3} \]

\[ \vec{F}_{1\leftarrow\text{total}} = \vec{F}_{1\leftarrow 2} + \vec{F}_{1\leftarrow 3} = -G \frac{M_1 M_2}{|\vec{r}_{1\leftarrow 2}|^2} \hat{r}_{1\leftarrow 2} - G \frac{M_3 M_1}{|\vec{r}_{1\leftarrow 3}|^2} \hat{r}_{1\leftarrow 3} \]

\[ \vec{F}_{3\leftarrow\text{total}} = \vec{F}_{3\leftarrow 2} + \vec{F}_{3\leftarrow 1} = -G \frac{M_3 M_2}{|\vec{r}_{3\leftarrow 2}|^2} \hat{r}_{3\leftarrow 2} - G \frac{M_3 M_1}{|\vec{r}_{3\leftarrow 1}|^2} \hat{r}_{3\leftarrow 1} \]

• Too Sensitive Dependence: “chaos”
  • Example: double pendulum

• Practical Limits to Determinism
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