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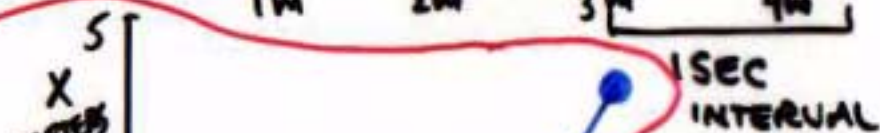
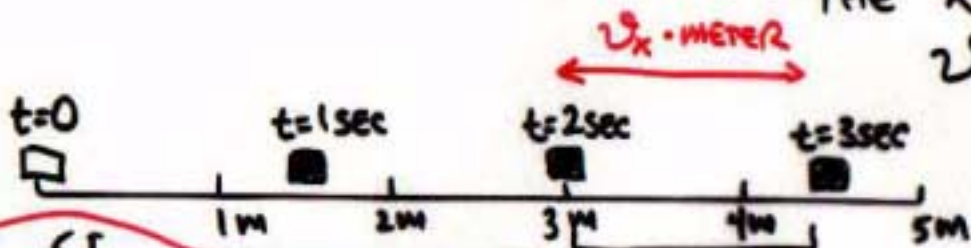
③ ACCELERATION AROUND A CIRCLE.

□ ① (CONT. $\vec{a} = 0$); \vec{v} DOESN'T CHANGE

SUPPOSE $\vec{v} = (v_x, 0) \frac{m}{sec}$... CAR IS MOVING ON

THE X-AXIS ... CONST. SPEED

v_x "VELOCITY IN THE X-DIRECTION"



DIST. = RATE · TIME

$$= v_x \frac{m}{sec} \cdot 1 sec = (v_x) m$$

ANY ONE-SEC. INTERVAL HAS $\Delta x = v_x$ METERS.

SLOPE OF THE LINE!

$$SLOPE = \frac{RISE}{RUN} = \frac{v_x m}{1 sec} = v_x$$

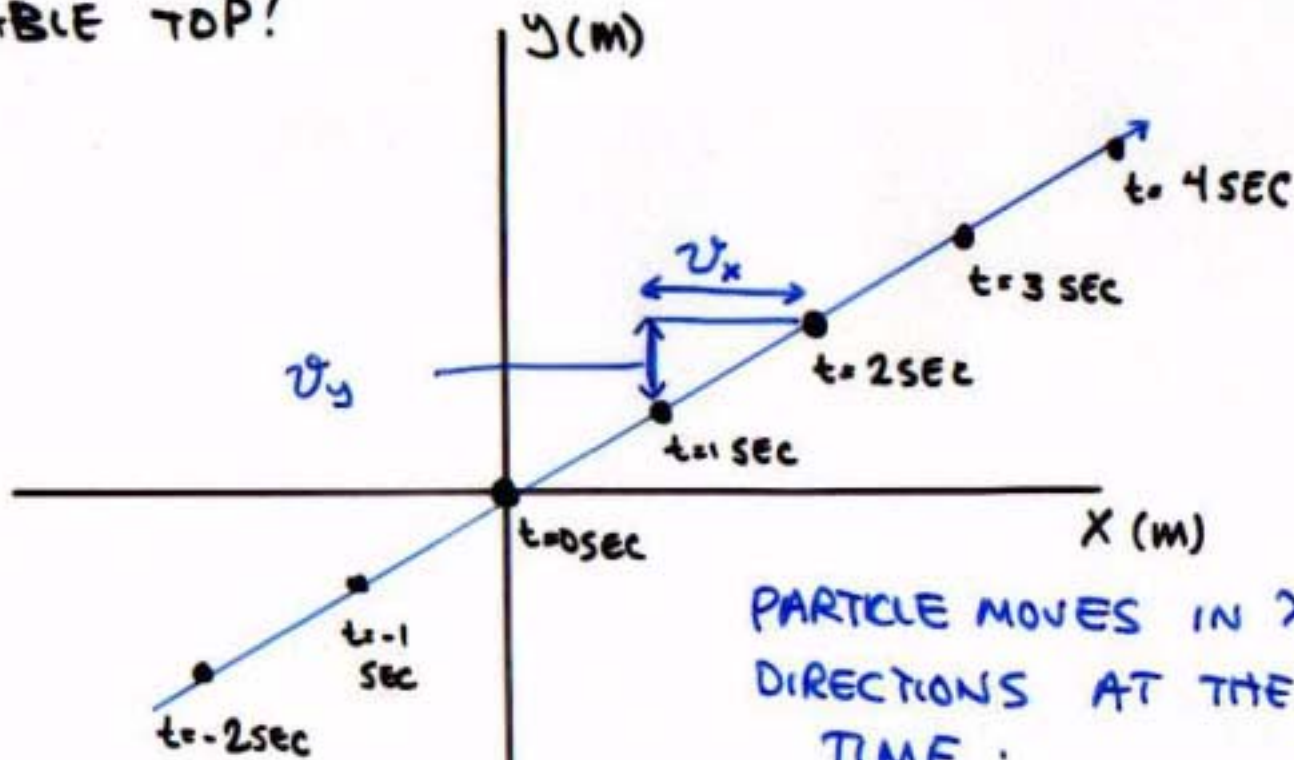
STRAIGHT LINE, CONST. SLOPE

$$\rightarrow SLOPE = \frac{v_x \cdot \Delta t}{\Delta t} = v_x$$

□ No ACCEL. AT ALL $\vec{a} = 0$ ① CONT.

\vec{v} CAN POINT IN ANY DIRECTION. $\vec{v} = (v_x, v_y)$

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PARTICLE MOVES IN X AND Y DIRECTIONS AT THE SAME TIME:

POSITION = (X, Y)

$$X(t) = v_x \cdot t$$

"DISTANCE" : "RATE" "TIME"

$$Y(t) = v_y \cdot t$$

CONST. VELOCITY IN 2 DIMENSIONS

"MOTION LAW" FOR ANY OBJECT WITH $\vec{a} = 0$

□ WHAT IS "NATURAL" MOTION OF A "HANDS-OFF" OBJECT?



ONE IDEA: STATIONARY
DOESN'T MOVE
AT ALL.


← BUT, FRICTION PUSHES THE BLOCK -
IT ISN'T "HANDS OFF"
THE EARTH IS RUBBING IT.

THINK ABOUT ELIMINATING FRICTION...

- ESSENTIALLY AN EXPERIMENTAL QUESTION
 - REDUCE FRICTION // OIL, BED OF AIR, MAGNETIC LEVITATION
 - + FIND OUT WHAT HAPPENS.
- THINKING ABOUT IT (GAULEO) GUIDES EXPP. -
STILL HAVE TO DO IT.

□ THINKING ... GALILEO.

- LITTLE FRICTION
- DON'T WANT GRAVITY TO INTRUDE

BALL THAT CAN ROLL.


————— TRACK —————

LEVEL ... GRAVITY WON'T
MOVE THE BALL.

FRICTIONLESS ... THE TRACK
WON'T "RUB" THE BALL.

LONG, LEVEL,
FRICTIONLESS

- APPROXIMATE
THIS IN THE
LAB -

STANDARD WAY TO GET BALL MOVING
- REPEATABLE + RELIABLE.

USE GRAVITY FOR PART OF THE
TRACK.

LAB Expt. #3!

UNIFORM
STARTING
POSITION

 STANDARD
"KICK!"

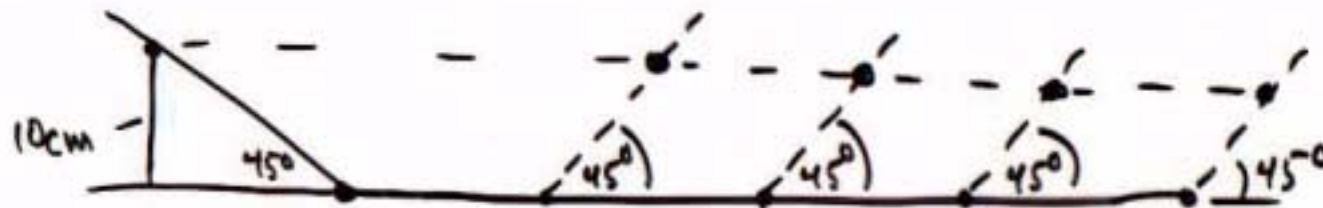
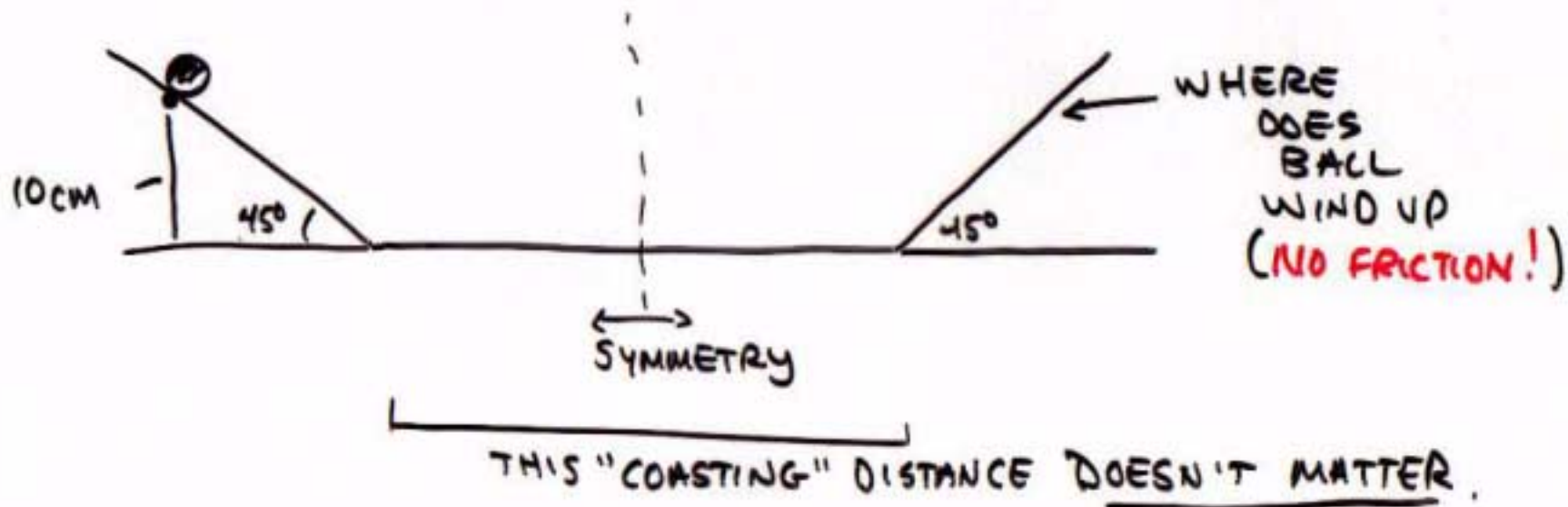


POSSIBLE WAY TO GET AT "NATURAL"
MOTION.

□ THINK A BIT MORE... BEFORE TRY IT.

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CAN'T MAKE AN INFINITE TRACK... HAVE TO STOP IT SOMEHOW. ... **ANOTHER RAMP.**

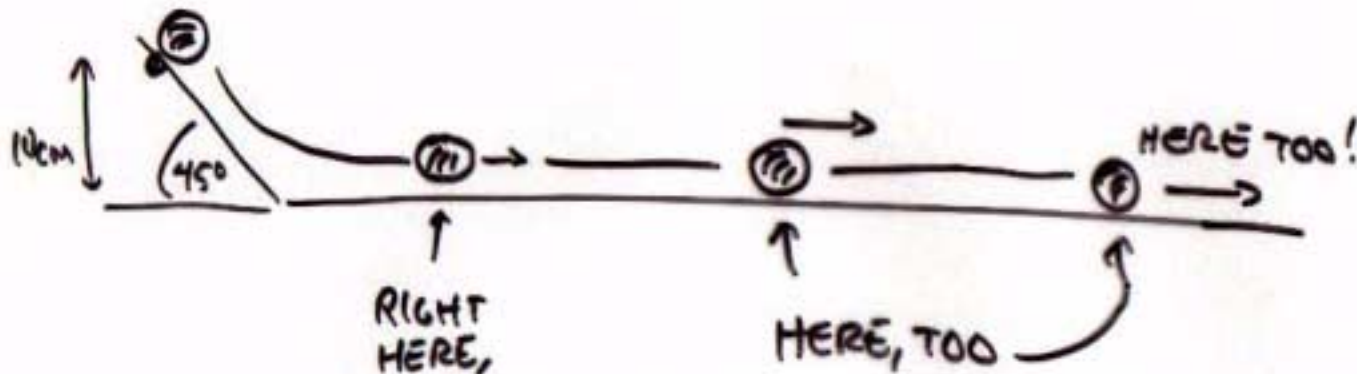


GOING UP A 45° RAMP IS EXACTLY THE REVERSE OF GOING DOWN!

THE MOTION - IN BETWEEN - IS DETERMINED BY THE INITIAL RAMP - NOT THE FLAT PART!

□ CAN IT REALLY DO THIS ... BUT WHAT IF —
THERE WERE NO SECOND RAMP?

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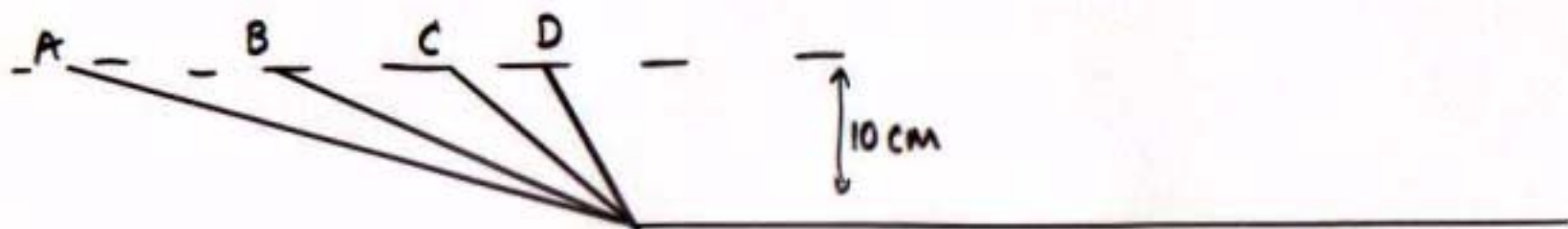
RIGHT
HERE,
BALL HAS
EXACTLY ENOUGH
-UMPH- TO GET UP
THE 45° SLOPE TO
10 cm.

STILL HAS
TO BE
CHECKED!

A GUESS FOR NATURAL
MOTION: MOTION ON A
STRAIGHT LINE, WITH
CONSTANT SPEED
... VELOCITY.

□ ONE OTHER THING... 45° ISN'T SPECIAL!

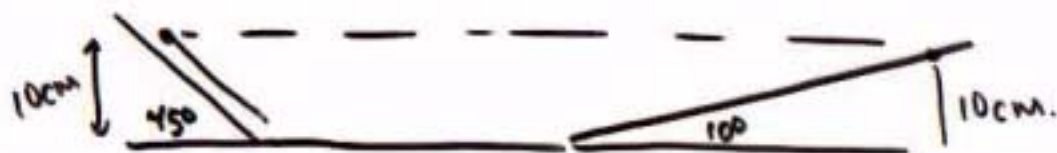
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YOU CAN ROLL A BALL DOWN ANY OF THE TRACKS

A B C D - AND GET EXACTLY
SHALLOW STEEP SAME SPEED

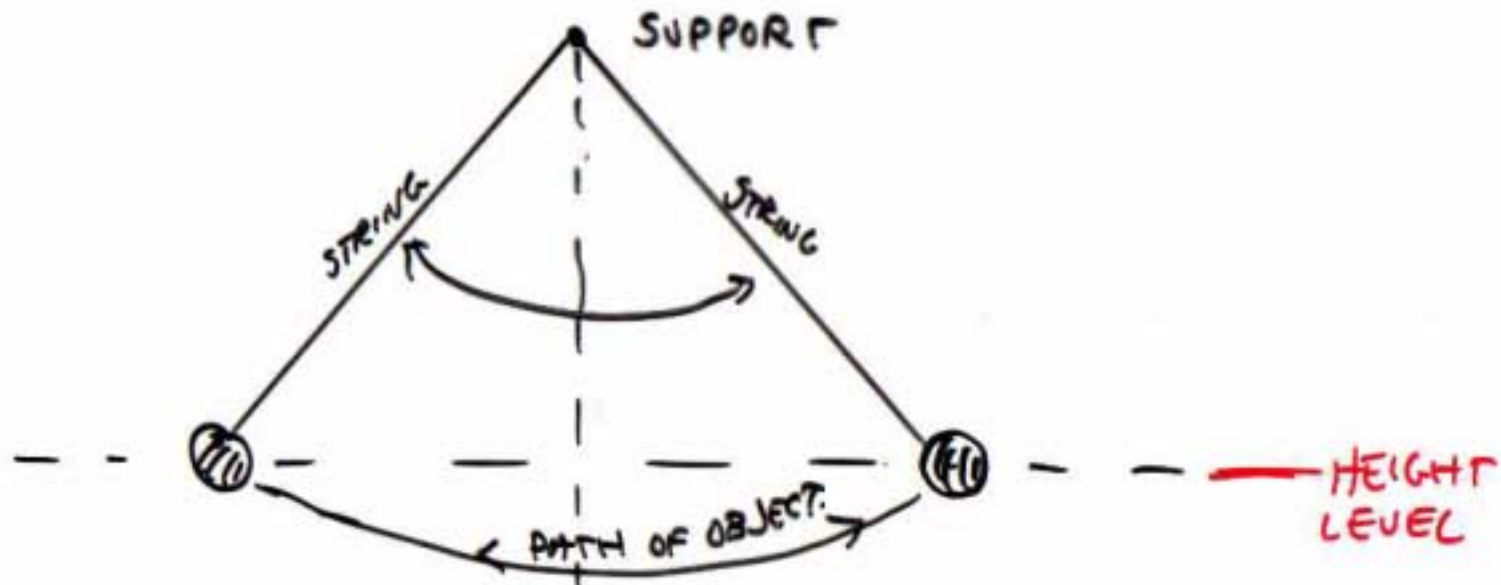
IMPORTANT CLUE THAT NEWTON WILL USE (+ THOSE AFTER HIM)



YOU CAN GO
UP AS HIGH
AS YOU
WENT DOWN.

□ GOING UP ... + DOWN HAD A NICE
REAL-LIVE EXPERIMENT TO BACK IT UP.

WEIGHTS ON STRINGS:



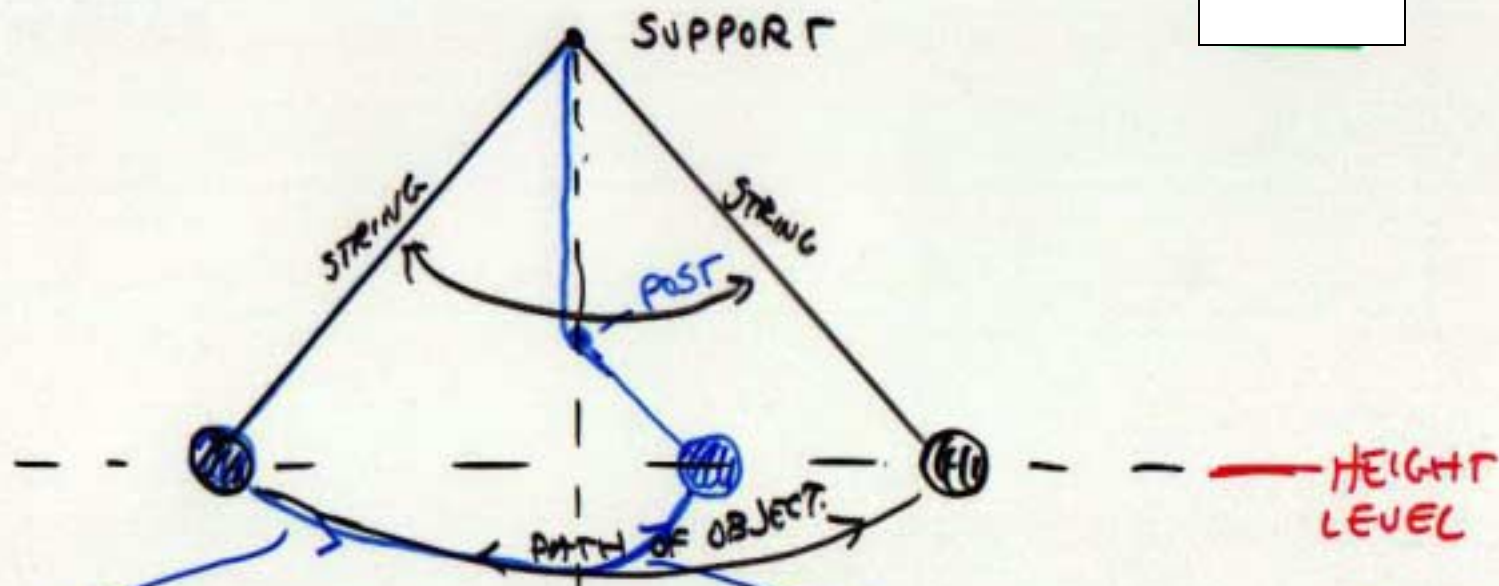
SHOULD SWING FROM SIDE TO SIDE,
COME BACK TO SAME HEIGHT LEVEL

PUT AN OBSTRUCTION IN ...

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WEIGHTS ON STRINGS:

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SHOULD SWING FROM SIDE TO SIDE, STEEP.
COME BACK TO SAME HEIGHT LEVEL BUT
SAME HEIGHT.
PUT AN OBSTRUCTION IN ...

— VERY LOW FRICTION ... LETS TRY IT

THINGS TO CHECK

- DOES THE UNRESTRICTED PENDULUM ~~GO~~ COME BACK TO SAME HEIGHT?
 - PUT IN A CROSS-BAR = STILL WORK?
 - DOES THE POSITION OF THE CROSSBAR MATTER?
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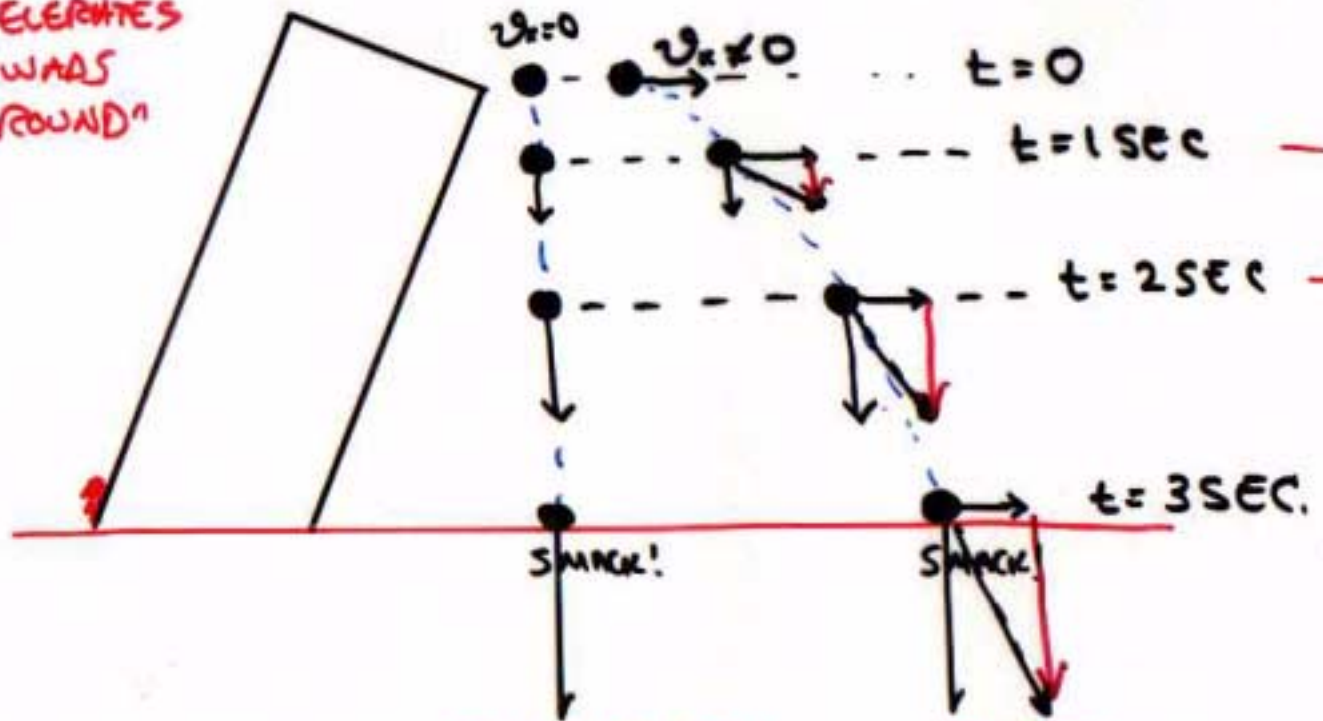
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WHAT HAPPENS TO v_x ?

$v_y = a_y \cdot t$ $v_x = \text{CONST.}$

DON'T ACCELERATE ALONG GROUND!

"ACCELERATES TOWARDS GROUND"



Y-MOTION IS THE SAME!

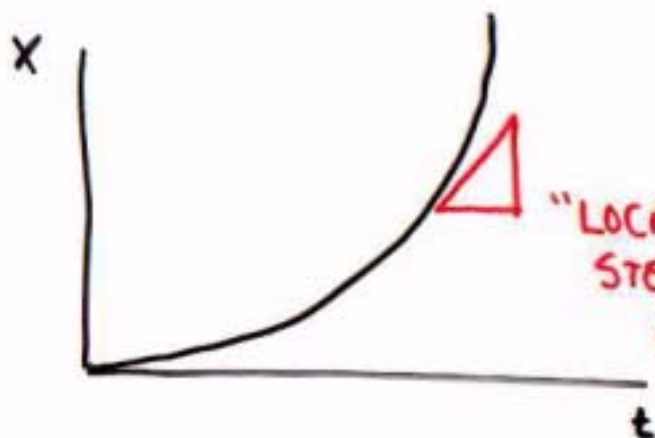
HITS AT SAME TIME.

FALLS DIRECTLY BELOW RELEASE POINT

FALLS TO THE RIGHT OF RELEASE POINT

X MOTION IS DIFFERENT.

□ CONSTANT ACCELERATION:



"LOCAL" STEEPNESS GETS BIGGER + BIGGER.

X - VS - T IS NOT A STRAIGHT LINE; CURVES UP.



CONSTANT ACCELERATION - DOWNWARDS -
CONSTANT RATE OF CHANGE IN \vec{v} .

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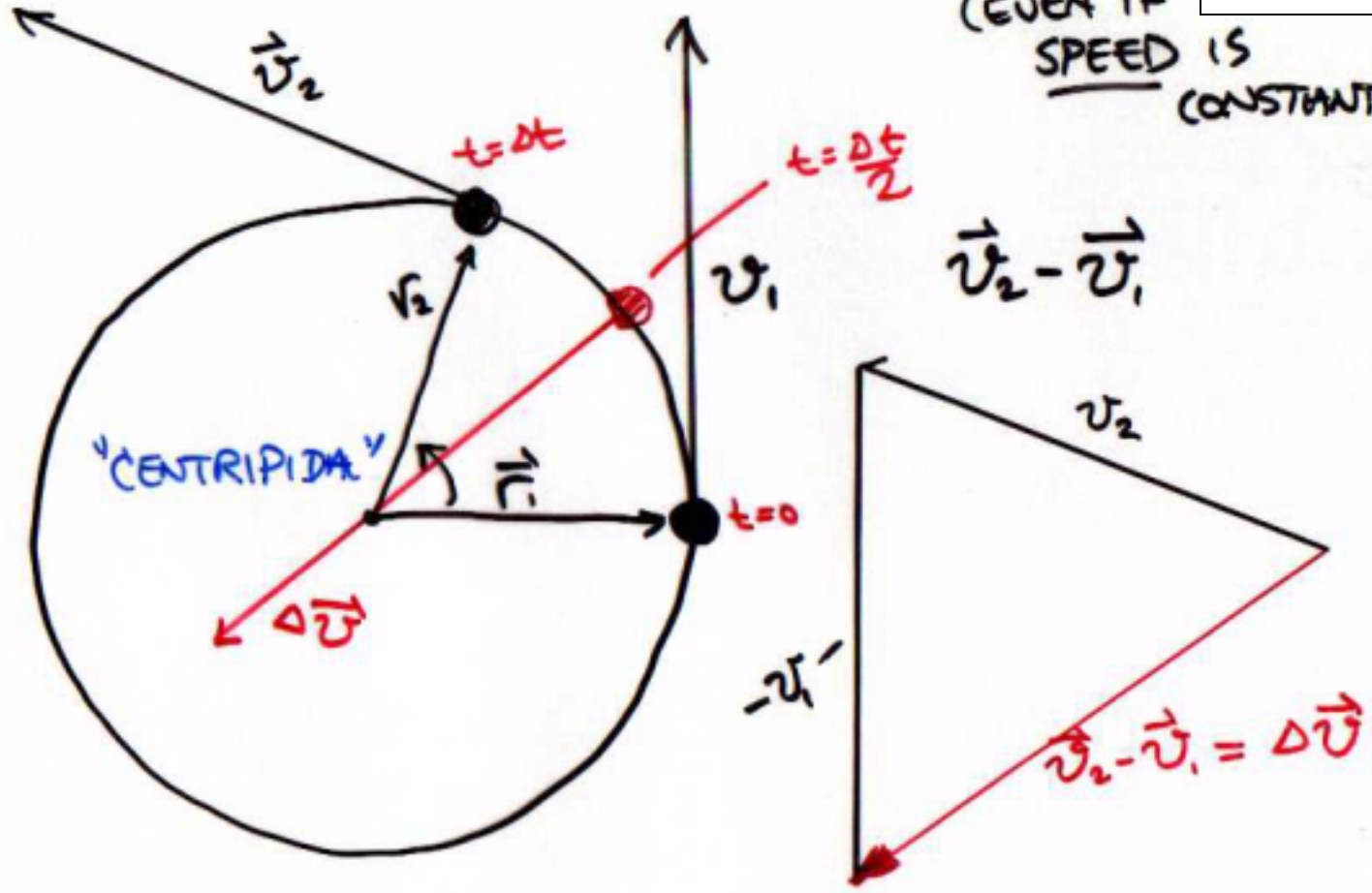
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CIRCULAR MOTION (3) MOTION ACCELERATES.

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(EVEN IF SPEED IS CONSTANT).



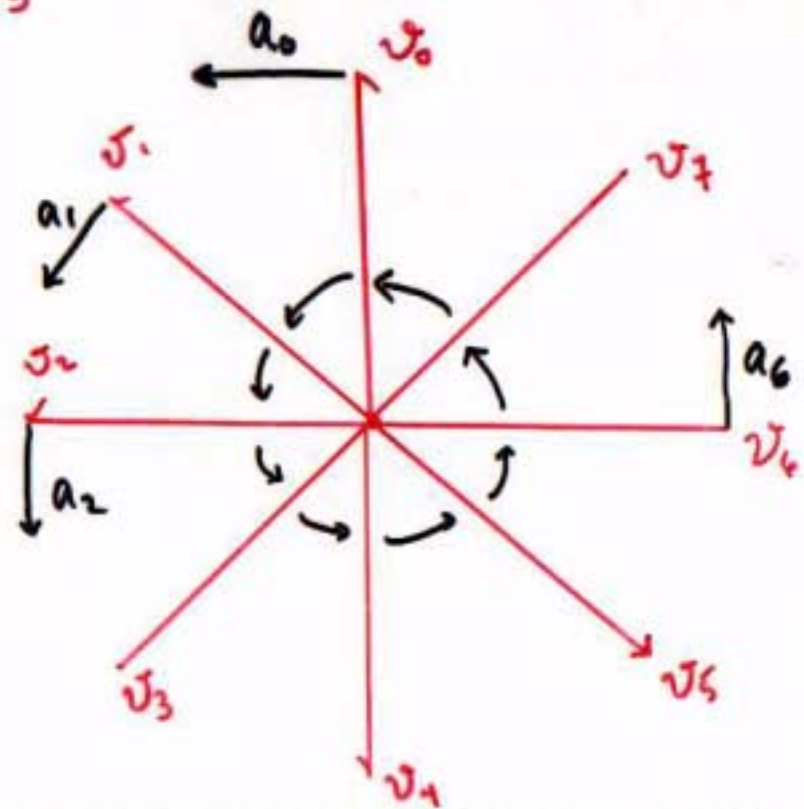
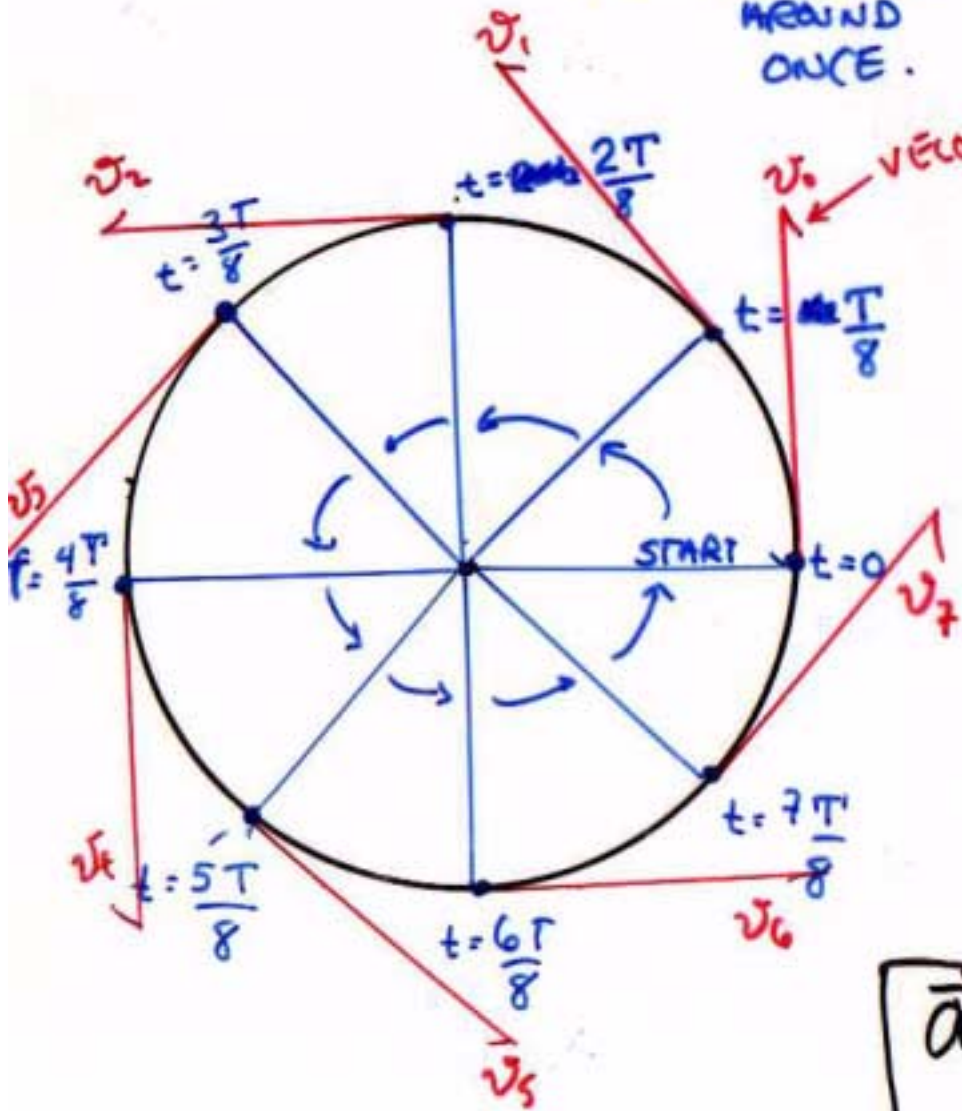
"CHANGE IN VELOCITY"
= ACCEL. VECTOR IS TOWARDS
- CENTER OF CIRCLE

□ CIRCULAR ACCEL.

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$T =$ TIME TO GO AROUND ONCE.

\vec{v} IS TANGENT TO CIRCLE



\vec{a} POINTS TOWARD CENTER OF CIRCLE

□ MAGNITUDE OF CENTRAL ACCEL :

$$|\vec{a}| = \frac{v^2}{R}$$

- SPEED AROUND CIRCLE
- RADIUS OF CIRCLE...

VERY IMPORTANT
FOR NEWTON'S
EXPLANATION
OF KEPLER'S
LAWS!

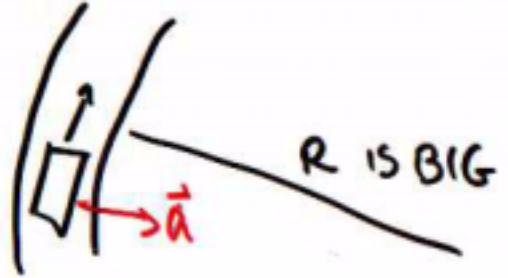
THINK OF A TIGHT TURN



$$a = \frac{v^2}{R} \dots$$

v GOES DOWN,
SO DOES a
- AND YOU DON'T SKID!

WIDE TURN (ON FREEWAY)



$$a = \frac{v^2}{R}$$

MAKE R BIG,
AND YOU DON'T
HAVE TO SLOW
DOWN.