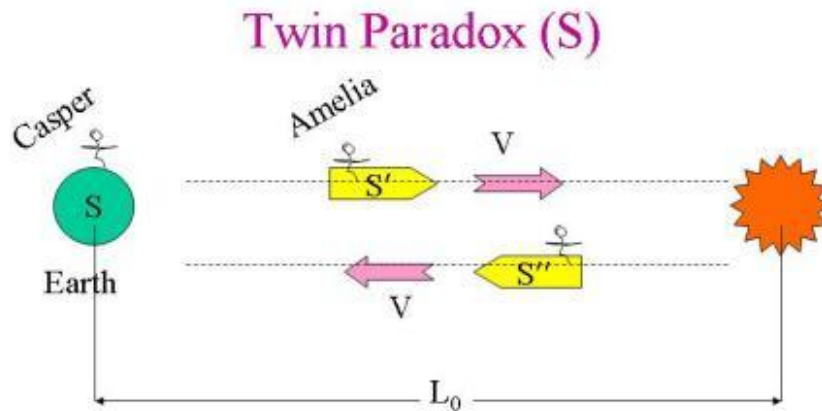


1. Twin Paradox (S)



$L_0 = 12 \text{ lt yr} = 12 \text{ (years)} \times c$
 $(= 12 \times [3.1 \times 10^7 \text{ sec}] \times [3.0 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}] = 1.1 \times 10^{17} \text{ m})$
 $V = 0.6 c$
 so $\Delta t = 20 \text{ yr}$ one way ($12 \text{ yr} \times c / 0.6c = 12/0.6 \text{ yr} = 20 \text{ yr}$)
 and 20 yr return (quick turn around). Casper ages **40 yr**.

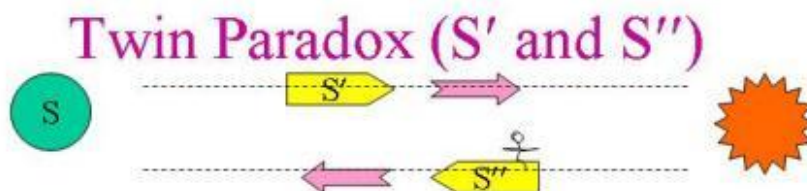
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2. Twin Paradox (S' and S'')



$S': \Delta t' = \Delta t / \gamma = 20 * 4/5 = 16 \text{ yr}$ $\gamma = 1/\sqrt{1-0.6^2}$
 $= 1/\sqrt{.64} = 1/.8 = 5/4$

Same for S'' so Amelia ages only **32 yr**.

Note that $L' = L_0 / \gamma = 12 * 4/5 = 9.6 \text{ lt yr}$ as Star approaches rocket at $V=0.6c$.

WHY doesn't Casper age less as determined from Amelia's frame? Casper stays in a *single* inertial frame, Amelia does *not*. They are not reciprocal.

Actual experiment sending atomic clock around the world!

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3. Twin Paradox and Communications 1

Twin Paradox and Communications 1

- Caspar (S) sends Amelia a radio birthday message every year, or $f_{\text{Caspar}} = 1/\text{yr} = 1 \text{ yr}^{-1}$.
- Amelia (S') receives at lower frequency due to **Doppler shift**

$$f' = \frac{1 - \frac{v}{c}}{\sqrt{1 - \frac{v^2}{c^2}}} \times f \text{ for receding source/receiver at } v$$

You don't need to know eqn, just concept

- $f' = f (1-.6) / \sqrt{(1-.6^2)} = 1/2 \text{ yr}^{-1}$ or $16/2=8$ greetings in 16 yr of the outgoing trip
- $f' = f (1+.6) / \sqrt{(1-.6^2)} = 2 \text{ yr}^{-1}$ or $16 \times 2=32$ greetings in 16 yr return trip (S') for total of 40 Caspar birthdays

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4. Twin Paradox and Communications 2

Twin Paradox and Communications 2

- Amelia (S' and S'') sends Caspar a radio birthday message every year, or $f_{\text{Amelia}} = 1/\text{yr} = 1 \text{ yr}^{-1}$.
- Caspar (S) receives at
 - $f = f' (1-.6) / \sqrt{(1-.6^2)} = 1/2 \text{ yr}^{-1}$ for **20 yr** + **12 yr** (for last signal to reach him) or $(20+12)/2=16$ greetings for the outgoing trip
 - $f = f' (1+.6) / \sqrt{(1-.6^2)} = 2 \text{ yr}^{-1}$ for $(20-12) \times 2=16$ greetings in return trip for total of 32 Amelia birthdays --- **not reciprocal**

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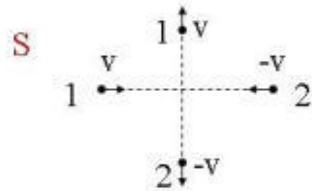
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5. Momentum

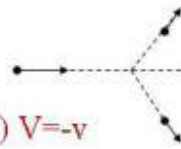
Momentum

- Elastic collision in 2 frames



Momentum \mathbf{p} of incoming particles should equal momentum of outgoing

S' (2 initially at rest) $V=-v$



Same \mathbf{p} conservation law should hold in any inertial frame, but v' in x direction gets relativistic change.

Classical definition $\mathbf{p} = m\mathbf{v}$ needs modification

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6. Momentum, mass & inertia

Momentum, mass & inertia

- Relativistic (3-) momentum
 - $\mathbf{p} = m \mathbf{u} / \sqrt{(1-u^2/c^2)}$ for velocity \mathbf{u}
 is conserved in the absence of force \mathbf{F}
 - Note that \mathbf{p} looks like classical momentum with “relativistic mass” $m / \sqrt{(1-u^2/c^2)}$
 - To avoid confusion we usually consider Rest Mass ($u=0$) m_0 and

$$\mathbf{p} = m_0 \mathbf{u} / \sqrt{(1-u^2/c^2)}$$
 - “Inertia” gets large as $u \rightarrow c$
 - Inertia would get infinitely large for $u = c$
- $\Rightarrow u$ always less than c

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7. Force and acceleration

Force and acceleration

Net force \mathbf{F} = rate of change of momentum \mathbf{p}
and classically (for particle) $p = mu$.
So change of p is change of u and that is acceleration.
Hence $F=ma$.



- But now “ m ” = $m_0 / \sqrt{(1-u^2/c^2)}$ so both u and “ m ” change as F is applied.
 - Constant \mathbf{F} does not produce constant \mathbf{a}

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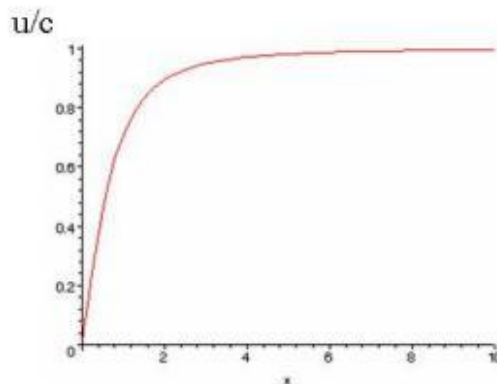
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8. Constant force in relativity

Constant force in relativity



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9. Alter Newton's Second Law

Alter Newton's Second Law

- **a** could not be constant, since velocity would increase without limit, exceeding c .
- **F** = rate of change of *relativistic* momentum
 - or F = rate of change of p [$=m_0u / \sqrt{(1-u^2/c^2)}$]
 - ($= m_0a / (1-u^2/c^2)^{3/2}$ (need to solve for u or x vs. t))
 - **p** can increase indefinitely, but **a** can not (it approaches zero)

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10. Relativizing work and energy

“Relativizing” work and energy

- Force law changed \Rightarrow Work and Energy?
- Define: Work = Force \times distance (when parallel)
 - e.g. to raise 1 Kg a distance of 1 meter requires exerting $F = m g = 1 \text{ Kg} \times 9.8 \text{ m/s}^2 = 9.8 \text{ Newton}$ (force unit)
 - So Work = $9.8 \text{ N} \times 1 \text{ m} = 9.8 \text{ Joules}$ (energy unit)
or energy expended in lifting approximately 2 pounds to 3 ft
 - No reference to time that passes. That introduces Power.
 - Free object pushed by constant force has **Classical** Kinetic Energy increasing with distance: $F(\text{applied}) \cdot \text{distance} = \frac{1}{2}mv^2$ for v = velocity reached at that distance
 - Falling object of 1 Kg. Drops 1 meter. Then gravity does 9.8 J of work = Kinetic Energy = $\frac{1}{2}mv^2 = \frac{1}{2}v^2$ (for $m=1 \text{ Kg}$)
 - So $v^2 = 2 \times 9.8 = 19.6$ or $v = 4.4 \text{ m/s}$

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11. Work & Energy

Work & Energy

- Force, Work and Energy?
- Work produces Kinetic Energy.
- Considered 1 dimensional motion.
- F acts to accelerate from $u=0$ at $x=0$, to some u_1 at x_1 . Both u and “ m ” increase, so that u always $< c$.
- For F continuing to act, inertia or “ m ” increases to make additional u increase difficult

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12. Energy, light & relativity

Energy, light & relativity

Machine that radiates light on train



Before emission E'_0
After $E'_1 + \text{light energy } (L)$
 $E'_0 = E'_1 + L$

View machine from station



Before emission $E_0 + \frac{1}{2}mv^2$
After $E_1 + \frac{1}{2}mv^2 + \text{light energy } (L)$
 $E_0 = ? E_{\text{final}} = E_1 + L / \sqrt{1 - (v/c)^2} ?$

Can only Conserve Energy if some m is reduced by E_{light}/c^2 .

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13. Relativistic Energy conservation

Relativistic Energy conservation

So Einstein: “if the energy changes by L , the mass changes in the same sense by L/c^2 .”

In general, for any kind of energy release or change E ,

$$m = E/c^2$$

$$\text{or } \mathbf{E = mc^2}$$

“**The mass of a body is a measure of its energy content.**”

“It is not excluded that it will prove possible to test this theory using bodies whose energy content is variable to a high degree (e.g. radium salts).” As M. Curie had recently discovered, Radium emits EM radiation spontaneously.

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14. Energy for object at rest

Energy for object at rest

For moving objects, $E = m_0c^2/\sqrt{(1-u^2/c^2)}$

and E is Conserved

What about “mass conservation”?

total mass input can differ from total mass output

For object at rest (or in rest frame of object) $\mathbf{u = 0}$

$$E = m_0c^2$$

What kind of energy is this “Rest Energy”?

Many forms of energy-heat, EM, sound,
gravitational

Energy is Conserved

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15.

Relativistic Energy

Relativistic Energy

Rest Energy $E = m_0 c^2$ for $c = 3.00 \times 10^8$ m/s

Scale: If $m_0 = 1$ Kg,

$$E = 1 \text{ Kg} \times (3.00 \times 10^8)^2 = 9.0 \times 10^{16} \text{ Joule}$$

$\approx 2 \times 10^4$ kiloTons of TNT (huge!)

or released over 1 yr $\rightarrow 9 \times 10^{16} \text{ J} / 3 \times 10^7 \text{ sec} = 3 \text{ GW}$ (3 Nplants)

How to **convert** from rest energy to other forms?

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