

Frame of Reference: — A system of co-ordinate axes which (1) defines the position of a particle or an event in two or three dimensional space is called a frame of reference.

The essential requirement of a frame of reference is that it should be rigid. The frame of reference must be at rest w.r. to him (observer).

For complete identification of an event in a reference frame i.e. for determination of exact location as well as the exact time of its occurrence we must in addition to x, y, z have another coordinate i.e. t .

A reference frame with coordinate x, y, z, t is called Space-time frame, these four coordinate are called space-time.

Best Inertial frames of reference: — (Newtonian or

The first two law of Newton do not always hold good in each & every frame of reference. For a body at rest in one reference frame may appear to be moving in a circle in an another frame of reference.

Hence frame of reference in which two law of motion hold good is called Newtonian, inertial or Galillian frame of reference.

In inertial frame of reference

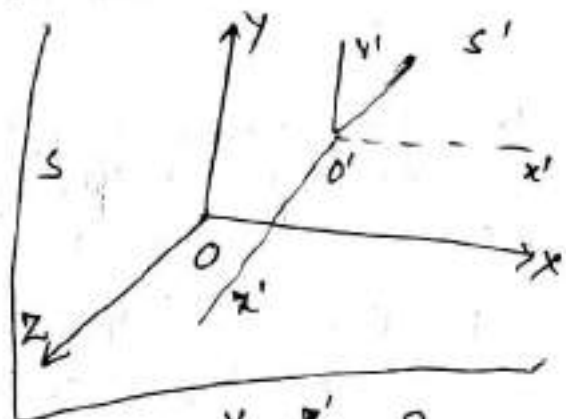
acceleration $a = \frac{d^2r}{dt^2} = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{dr}{dt} =$

$S \rightarrow$ an inertial frame at rest
 $S' \rightarrow$ another moving with velocity U
 r, r' — position vector of particle P.

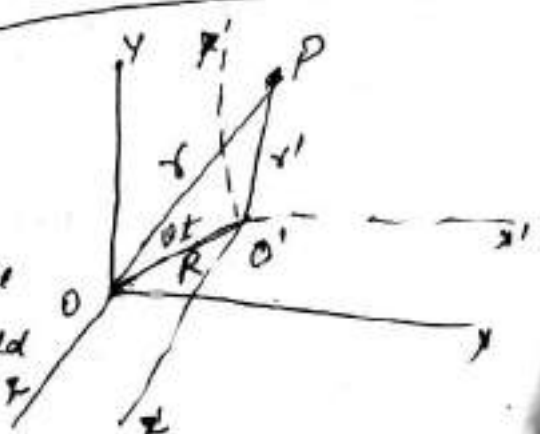
$$r = R + r'$$

$$r' = r - R = r - Ut$$

$$\frac{d^2r'}{dt^2} = \frac{d^2r}{dt^2}, \quad U = \text{const.}$$



i.e. acceleration of particle is ~~constant~~ same in two frame of reference \Rightarrow If the particle be at rest in the inertial frame S , it would also appear to be at rest in frame S' .



even collision in C.M.S. is ...

Conclusion:— all frames of reference moving with a constant velocity an inertial frame, are also inertial frame of reference.

Ex:— earth, sun, star,

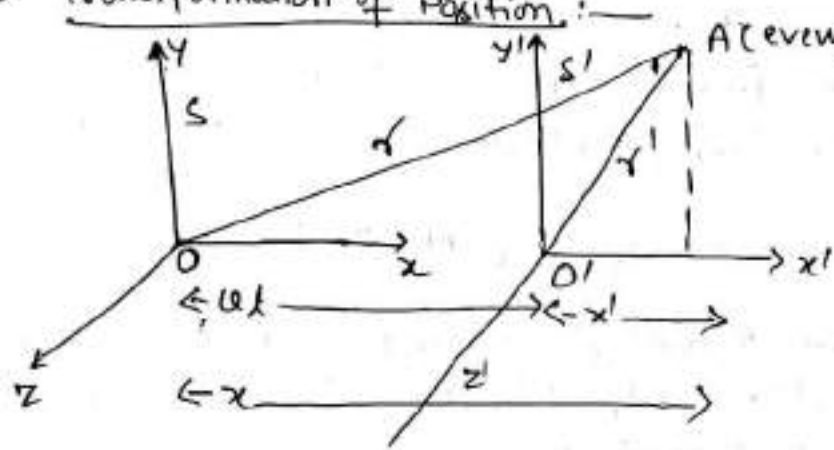
Absolute frame of reference:-

There must be exist a fundamental or absolute frame of reference in which all motions must be measured.

Ex:— star.

Galilean Transformation:— eqⁿ relating the two set of co-ordinates of the event in two system (inertial) are called transformation.

① Transformation of Position:-



S & S' - two inertial frame of reference.
S' is moving with a relative velocity u at the x dirⁿ.

Let some event occur in at A. According to observer O in S-frame determines the position of event by co-ordinates x, y, z and observer O' is by x', y', z' .

$$x' = x - ut, \quad y' = y, \quad z' = z$$

We assume that time is independent any frame of reference.
 $t = t'$

② Transformation of Length:- Let these are two events occurring simultaneously at A₁ & A₂ some distance apart along x-axis.

$$(x_1, y, z), (x_2, y, z)$$

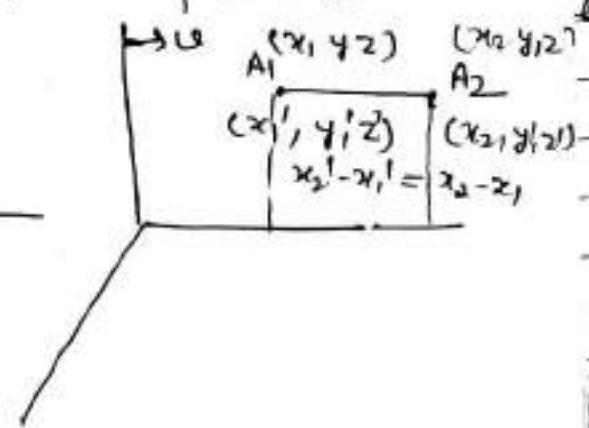
Transformation eqⁿ for A₁

$$x_1' = x_1 - ut, \quad y' = y, \quad z' = z, \quad t = t'$$

for A₂

$$x_2' = x_2 - ut, \quad y' = y, \quad z' = z, \quad t = t'$$

Hence distance betⁿ two event
 $x_2' - x_1' = \Delta x' = x_2 - x_1 = \Delta x$

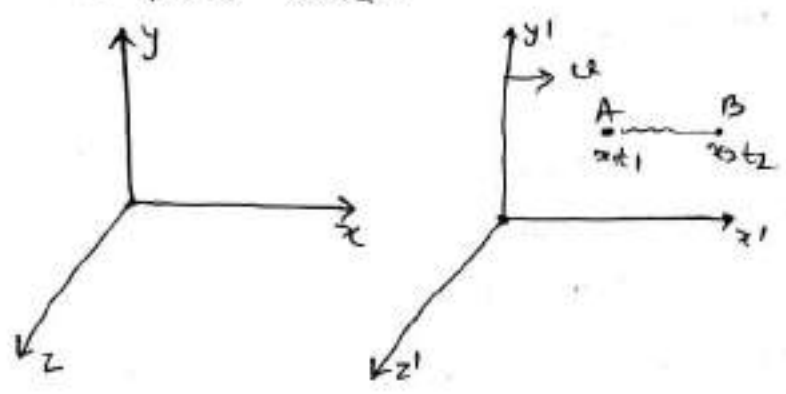


the distance betⁿ two event event, measured by the observer in either frame of reference is same, irrespective of the value of u & t .

length of rod means
length of rod is invariant in Galilean Transformation.

Transformation of velocity:

Let u & u' be the velocity of an event made by the two observer in frame S & S' . we consider a displacement in +ve x -dirⁿ & the time interval for it. If (x_1, t_1) and (x_2, t_2) be the coordinate of initial and final event



$$u = \frac{dx}{dt} = \frac{x_2 - x_1}{t_2 - t_1}$$
$$= \frac{(x_2' + ut_2) - (x_1' + ut_1)}{t_2' - t_1'}$$
$$= \frac{x_2' - x_1'}{t_2' - t_1'} + u \frac{t_2' - t_1'}{t_2' - t_1'}$$
$$= \frac{dx'}{dt'} + u$$
$$= u' + u$$

$u' = u - u$

Again we show that

$$r' = r - ut$$
$$\frac{dr'}{dt} = \frac{dr}{dt} - u = \boxed{u' = u - u}$$

velocity measured by the observer in the two frame of reference are not same, velocity is not invariant to Galilean Transformation.

Transformation of acceleration: — consider a $3d$ acceleration measured by observer in their respective frame of reference.

$$a = \frac{dv}{dt}, \quad a' = \frac{dv'}{dt'}$$

Since $u' = u - u$

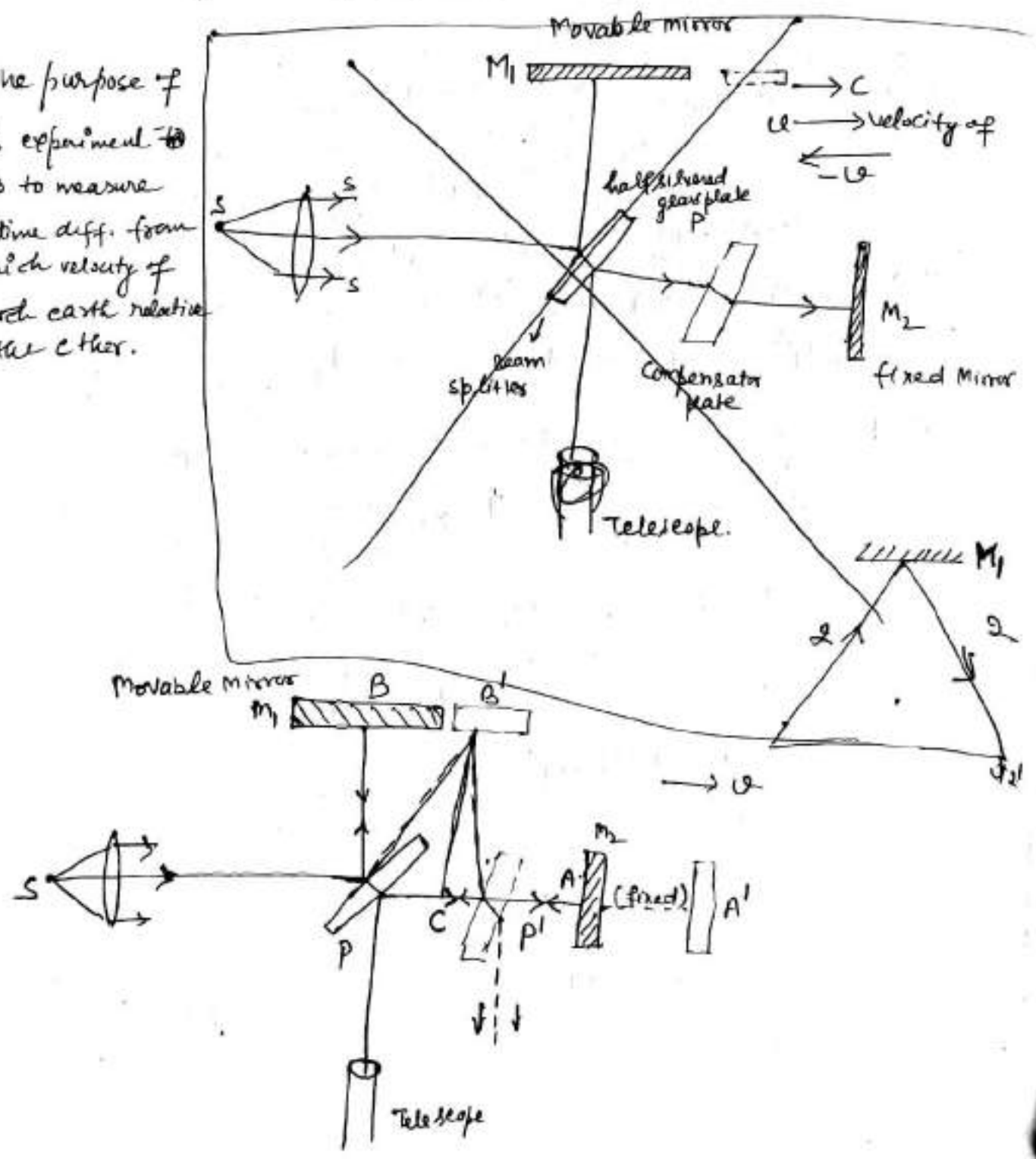
$$\frac{dv'}{dt'} = \frac{dv}{dt} - 0 \Rightarrow \boxed{a' = a}$$

i.e. accⁿ is invariant to Galilean transformation.

Michelson - Morley experiment. - (Search of fundamental frame of Ref.)

In 1887 Michelson and Morley, set out to measure the relative velocity of earth with respect to the ether. The principle of the experiment lies in noting the shift in fringes in the Michelson interferometer due to the difference in time taken by light to travel along and opposite dirⁿ of motion of earth. The time taken by a beam of light to travel along the dirⁿ of motion of earth is greater than that of travel distance opposite to the dirⁿ of motion of the earth.

The purpose of this experiment was to measure the time diff. from which velocity of earth with respect to the ether.



One arm (PA) was pointed in the dirⁿ of earth's motion, the sum and the other (PB) was pointed \perp to this motion. assume that the velocity of apparatus (or earth) relative to fixed ether is u in dirⁿ PA. The relative velocity of light ray at PA is $(c-u)$ and for returning ray $(c+u)$.

let $PA = PB = d$

Time taken by light to travel from P to A = $\frac{d}{(c-u)}$
 from A to P = $\frac{d}{c+u}$

total time taken by light to travel P to A and back

$$t = \frac{d}{c-u} + \frac{d}{c+u} = \frac{2cd}{c^2-u^2} = \frac{2d}{c} \left(1 + \frac{u^2}{c^2}\right) \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

Now consider the ray moving upward from P to B. It will strike the mirror M_1 not at B but B' due to motion of earth. If t_1 time taken by ray from P to M_1 then

$$PB' = ct_1, \quad BB' = ut_1$$

$$\text{Now } PB'P' = PB' + B'P' = 2PB'$$

since $PB' = B'P'$

$$\text{Now } (PB')^2 = (PC)^2 + (CB')^2$$

$$(ct_1)^2 = (ut_1)^2 + d^2 \quad \therefore t_1 = \frac{d}{\sqrt{c^2-u^2}}$$

total time taken by ray to travel the whole path $PB'P'$

$$t' = 2t_1 = \frac{2d}{\sqrt{c^2-u^2}} = \frac{2d}{c} \left(1 + \frac{u^2}{2c^2}\right) \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

clearly that $t > t'$, then time diff. = $t - t' = \frac{du^2}{c^3}$

then path difference = $c \times \Delta t = \frac{du^2}{c^2}$

If apparatus is turned through 90° .

Mirror M_1 & M_2 exchange their roles. the total shift will be twice of above result = $2 \frac{du^2}{c^2} = n\lambda$

$$= 2x \quad n = 0.4$$

- $\lambda = 1100 \text{ cm}$
- $0 =$
- $\lambda = 5500 \text{ \AA}$
- $u = 3 \times 10^6 \text{ cm/sec}$
- $c = 3 \times 10^{10} \text{ cm/sec}$

But in experiment no displacement of the the fringe was found. They repeated the experiment at different points of earth measuring the shift in fringe, but no result found.

speed of light result suggest that it is impossible to measure speed of earth relative to ether. (2)

Explanation of negative results

- (1) No relative motion betⁿ earth and ether. $\Rightarrow v = 0 \Rightarrow$ then $t = t'$
- (2) Lorentz and ~~Fitz~~ Fitzgerald suggest that there was contraction of bodies along the dirⁿ of their motion, through the ether.
the contracted length is $l_0 \sqrt{1 - v^2/c^2}$.
we replaced l by $l_0 \sqrt{1 - v^2/c^2}$ in (1) then t and t' are same.
- (3) Einstein. He concluded that the velocity of light in a space is universal constant.

Ether:

* According to Michelson-Morley eqⁿ (2) gives the difference of distance travelled by light betⁿ ~~para~~ parallel and transverse dirⁿ when apparatus rotate through 90° .

Theory of Relativity: — It refers only two theories:

- 1- Special relativity
2. General Relativity.

Special Relativity: — It is proposed by Einstein in 1905:

1. The law of Physics is same in all inertial frame of reference.
- 2- The speed of light in a vacuum is a universal constant, which is independent of the motion of light-source.

Intertial frame of Reference: — In which motion first and second law of motion are valid.

Special: —

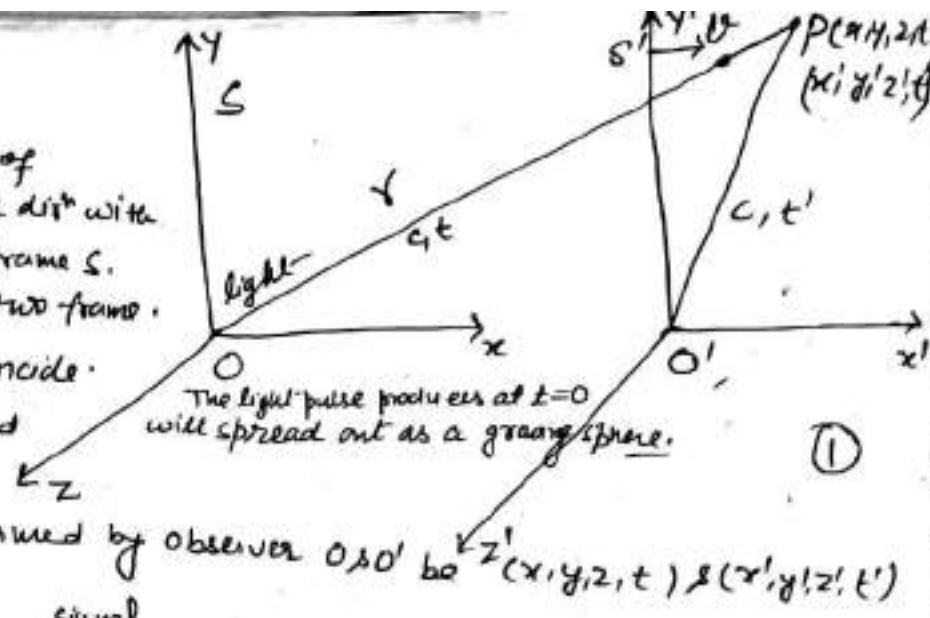
(1) Time dilation — moving clocks tick slower than an observer's stationary clock.

(ii) Length contraction: — object are observed to be small in the direction that they are moving with respect to observer.

(iii) Relativity of simultaneity: — Two events that appear simultaneous to an observer A will not be simultaneous to an observer B if B is moving with respect to A.

Relativity Transformation

Let \$S\$ and \$S'\$ be the two frames of reference. \$S'\$ is moving along +ve \$x\$ dirⁿ with constant velocity \$v\$ relative to frame \$S\$.
 Let \$t\$ & \$t'\$ time recorded by in two frames.
 at \$t = t' = 0 \Rightarrow O \& O'\$ be coincide.



Let a light placed at \$O\$ is emitted at \$t=0\$, when light reaches at \$P\$, the position & time measured by observer \$O \& O'\$ be \$z(x, y, z, t)\$ & \$(x', y', z', t')\$ of \$c\$ is the velocity of light.
 Let the time taken by light^{signal} to travelling the distance \$OP\$ in frame \$S\$ is

$$t = \frac{OP}{c} = \frac{(x^2 + y^2 + z^2)^{1/2}}{c} \Rightarrow \boxed{x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = c^2 t^2} \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

according to Einstein theory the velocity of light is also \$c\$ in frame \$S'\$.
 then time required by light to travel a distance \$O'P\$ in \$S'\$ is

$$t' = \frac{O'P}{c} = \frac{(x'^2 + y'^2 + z'^2)^{1/2}}{c} \Rightarrow \boxed{x'^2 + y'^2 + z'^2 = c^2 t'^2} \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

Now Galilean transformation gives
 $x' = x - vt, \quad y' = y, \quad z' = z, \quad t' = t$

then from eqn (2)
 $(x - vt)^2 + y^2 + z^2 = c^2 t^2$ or $x^2 - 2xvt + v^2 t^2 + y^2 + z^2 = c^2 t^2$ --- (3)

eqn (3) is not in agreement with eqn (1) due to extra term \$(-2xvt + v^2 t^2)\$
 \Rightarrow Thus the Galilean transformation fails if we assume velocity of light is constant.

on eqn (3) & (1) the terms of \$y\$ & \$z\$ are in agreement i.e. \$y' = y, z' = z\$
 Hence the extra term \$(-2xvt + v^2 t^2)\$ indicates that the transformation in \$x\$ & \$t\$ should be modified so that extra term cancelled.
 let \$O O' = vt\$

$$x' = d(x - vt)$$

and \$t'\$ is different from \$t\$ and may be depending on \$x\$, so that we also assume that

$$\boxed{t' = d'(t + fx)}$$

Here \$d, d', f\$ are constant to be determined.

for Galilean transformation (\$d = d' = 1, f = 0\$)

substituting for \$x', y', z', t'\$ in eqn (2)

$$d^2(x - vt)^2 + y^2 + z^2 = c^2 d'^2 (t + fx)^2$$

$$x^2 (d^2 - c^2 d'^2 f^2) - 2xvt (d^2 + c^2 d'^2 f) + y^2 + z^2 = c^2 t^2 (d'^2 - \frac{d^2 v^2}{c^2}) \quad \text{--- (4)}$$

eqn (4) reduces to (1) if

$$d^2 - c^2 d'^2 f^2 = 1, \quad d^2 v + c^2 d'^2 f = 0, \quad d'^2 - \frac{d^2 v^2}{c^2} = 1 \quad \checkmark$$

$$\alpha = \alpha' = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 - v^2/c^2}} \quad \& \quad \beta = -\frac{v}{c^2}$$

$$\therefore \quad x' = \frac{x - vt}{\sqrt{1 - v^2/c^2}}, \quad y' = y, \quad z' = z, \quad t' = \frac{t - \frac{v}{c^2}x}{\sqrt{1 - v^2/c^2}}$$

If $v \ll c \Rightarrow \frac{v}{c} \rightarrow 0 \quad x' = x - vt, \quad y' = y, \quad z' = z, \quad t' = t \Rightarrow$ Galilean Transform

The Inverse transformation eqⁿ: — S is moving with $-v$ velocity relative to S' along $-ve$ x dirⁿ

$$x = \frac{x' + vt}{\sqrt{1 - v^2/c^2}}, \quad y = y', \quad z = z', \quad t = \frac{t' + \frac{v}{c^2}x'}{\sqrt{1 - v^2/c^2}}$$

Ex: — An on page 20: —

Show that square of square of space-time interval betⁿ two event is invariant under Lorentz transformation.

In frame $S \Rightarrow S_{12}^2 = (x_1 - x_2)^2 + (y_1 - y_2)^2 + (z_1 - z_2)^2 - c^2(t_1 - t_2)^2$

When $S_{12}^2 = S_{12}'^2$

Start from $S_{12}'^2 = (x_1' - x_2')^2 + (y_1' - y_2')^2 + (z_1' - z_2')^2 - c^2(t_1' - t_2')^2$

Consequence of Lorentz Transformation: —

(i) Length Contraction: — the length of rod measured in frame of ref. at rest w.r. to observer is called proper length.

and coordinate of end in frame S is measured by x_1 & x_2 at same time

$$l = x_2 - x_1$$

according to Lorentz transtan

$$x_1' = \frac{x_1 - vt}{\sqrt{1 - v^2/c^2}}, \quad x_2' = \frac{x_2 - vt}{\sqrt{1 - v^2/c^2}} \Rightarrow l_0 = x_2' - x_1' = \sqrt{(x_2 - x_1)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{l = l_0 \sqrt{1 - v^2/c^2}} \quad \Rightarrow \quad l_0 > l$$

hence length of rod measured by observer O is smaller than its proper length.

(ii) ex: — l_0^3 is rest volume of cube then what is observed volume . . .
if moving with velocity v .

length measured by an observer in a frame, at rest relative to is called its proper length

Time Dilation: — If two events occur at a given point x' in frame S' at time t_1' & t_2' as noted by clock carried by it S' . and time t_1 & t_2 be noted in S .

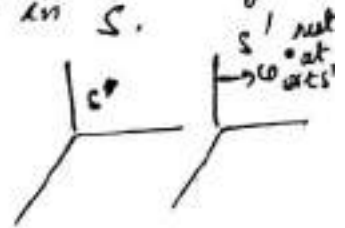
Let time interval in $S' \Rightarrow \Delta t' = t_2' - t_1'$

as w.r. to. $S \Rightarrow \Delta t = t_2 - t_1$

according to Lorentz transformation

$$t_1 = \gamma \left(t_1' + \frac{ux_1'}{c^2} \right), \quad t_2 = \gamma \left(t_2' + \frac{ux_2'}{c^2} \right)$$

$$\Delta t = t_2 - t_1 \Rightarrow \boxed{\Delta t = \frac{\Delta t'}{\sqrt{1 - \frac{u^2}{c^2}}}} \quad \boxed{\Delta t > \Delta t'}$$



Thus, the time interval, measured in the frame S is ^{larger} ~~longer~~ than the time interval in the frame S' , in which the event are occurring at a certain point x' . Time interval $\Delta t'$ is proper time, because two event occurring at same point in S' .

\Rightarrow Time dilation is independent of direction of velocity depends only on magnitude.

Twin $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} A \text{ (on earth)} \\ B \text{ (on rocket)} \end{array} \right. \Rightarrow$ after some time when B return back to earth, B appears younger than A.

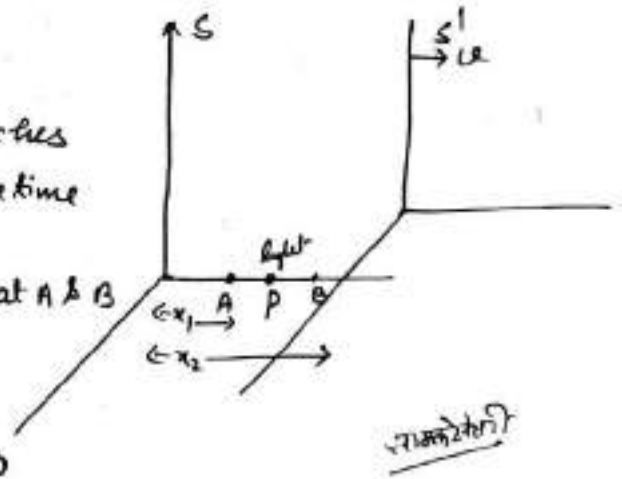
② Simultaneity: —

If light is emitted from a point P & reaches at A & B simultaneously i.e. at the same time t in frame S (at rest)

The time interval betⁿ event occur at A & B is $\Delta t = t - t = 0$

Now for observer t_1' & t_2' respectively.

$$\Delta t' = (t_2' - t_1') = \gamma \frac{u}{c} (x_2 - x_1) \neq 0$$



④ Transformation of velocity: — (velocity addition)

Let the co-ordinates of a particle in frame S (at rest) are (x, y, z, t) and in frame S' (moving with velocity u along +ve x dirⁿ), (x', y', z', t') , then component of velocity (u in S , u' in S') in two frame

$$u_x = \frac{dx}{dt}, \quad u_y = \frac{dy}{dt}, \quad u_z = \frac{dz}{dt} \quad \text{in } S$$

$$u_x' = \frac{dx'}{dt'}, \quad u_y' = \frac{dy'}{dt'}, \quad u_z' = \frac{dz'}{dt'} \quad \text{in } S'$$

from Lorentz transformation

$$x = \gamma(x' + vt')$$

$$dx = \gamma(dx' + v dt')$$

$$u_x = \frac{dx}{dt} = \frac{u_x' + v}{1 + \frac{v u_x'}{c^2}}, \quad u_y = \frac{dy}{dt} = \frac{u_y'}{\gamma(1 + \frac{v u_x'}{c^2})}$$

$$u_z = \frac{u_z'}{\gamma(1 + \frac{v u_x'}{c^2})}$$

The inverse transformation by putting $v \rightarrow -v$ and $x \rightarrow x'$

$$u_x' = \frac{u_x - v}{1 - \frac{v u_x}{c^2}}, \quad u_y' = \frac{u_y}{\gamma(1 - \frac{v u_x}{c^2})}, \quad u_z' = \frac{u_z}{\gamma(1 - \frac{v u_x}{c^2})}$$

This is relativistic law of addition of velocity.

If there is only one component of velocity along x-axis

then
$$u = \frac{u' + v}{1 + \frac{v u'}{c^2}} \quad \& \quad u' = \frac{u - v}{1 - \frac{v u}{c^2}}$$

Conclusion: (i) If $u_x' \ll c \Rightarrow u_x = u_x' + v$ Galilean Transformation.

(ii) $u_x' = c \Rightarrow u_x = \frac{c + v}{1 + \frac{v \cdot c}{c^2}} = c \Rightarrow$ velocity of light

particle has same velocity in frame $S \Rightarrow$ velocity of light is same in all inertial frames of reference.

* Two velocity \vec{v}_1, \vec{v}_2 are inclined to each other at an angle of 30° . Find their resultant value.

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Relativistic energy: Mass-energy Relation ($E=mc^2$)

Suppose a force $F = \frac{d}{dt}(mu)$ is acting on a particle of mass m , so that its kinetic energy increases. The gain in kinetic energy will be equal to work done on the particle. If force displaces the particle a distance dr along its line of motion, the small gain in kinetic energy

$$dE_k = F dr = \frac{d}{dt}(mu) dr = u d(mu)$$

$$E_k = \int dE_k = \int_0^u u d(mu)$$

$$= u \cdot m_0 \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-\frac{u^2}{c^2}}} - \int_0^u m_0 u^2 \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-\frac{u^2}{c^2}}} du = m_0 c^2 - \int_0^u \frac{m_0 u^2}{\sqrt{1-\frac{u^2}{c^2}}} du$$

$$= \frac{m_0 u^2}{\sqrt{1-\frac{u^2}{c^2}}} + m_0 c^2 \sqrt{1-\frac{u^2}{c^2}} - m_0 c^2$$

$$= \frac{m_0 c^2}{\sqrt{1-\frac{u^2}{c^2}}} - m_0 c^2 = m c^2 - m_0 c^2$$

$E_k = (m - m_0) c^2 = \Delta m c^2$ \Rightarrow where Δm is the increase in mass with increase in velocity

thus gain in kinetic energy $\boxed{\Delta E_k = \Delta m c^2}$

the quantity $E_0 = m_0 c^2$ is called rest mass energy.

Total energy

$$E = \text{Kinetic energy} + \text{Rest energy } (E_0)$$

$$= (m - m_0) c^2 + m_0 c^2$$

$$\boxed{E = mc^2}$$

Let now

$$E = \frac{m_0}{\sqrt{1-\frac{u^2}{c^2}}} c^2 \text{ for } u \ll c \text{ then}$$

$$E_k = m_0 c^2 \left(1 - \frac{u^2}{c^2}\right)^{-\frac{1}{2}} - m_0 c^2$$

$$= m_0 c^2 \left[1 + \frac{1}{2} \frac{u^2}{c^2} + \frac{3}{8} \frac{u^4}{c^4} \dots\right] - m_0 c^2$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} m_0 u^2 \Rightarrow \text{classical result.}$$

Let $F = \frac{d}{dt}(mv)$... (1) but both mass & velocity are variable, then

$$F = \frac{d}{dt}(mv) = m \frac{dv}{dt} + v \frac{dm}{dt} \dots (2)$$

If force displace the body through a distance dx then gain in kinetic energy

$$dE_k = F \cdot dx = m \frac{dv}{dt} \cdot dx + v \frac{dm}{dt} \cdot dx$$

$$dE_k = m v dv + v^2 dm \dots (3)$$

According to law of variation of mass with velocity

$$m = \frac{m_0}{\sqrt{1 - \frac{v^2}{c^2}}} \dots (4)$$

$$m^2 c^2 = m_0^2 c^2 + m^2 v^2$$

Differentiating $c^2 \cdot 2m \cdot dm = m^2 \cdot 2v \cdot dv + v^2 \cdot 2m \cdot dm$

$$c^2 dm = m v dv + v^2 dm \dots (5)$$

from (3) & (5)

$$dE_k = c^2 dm$$

$$E_k = \int_0^{E_k} dE_k = c^2 \int_{m_0}^m dm = c^2 (m - m_0)$$

$$\boxed{E_k = mc^2 - m_0 c^2}$$
 This is relativistic formula.

Total energy $E = E_k + m_0 c^2$

$$\boxed{E = mc^2}$$

This is Einstein energy mass relation.

$$\text{let } E_k = mc^2 - m_0 c^2$$

for $v \ll c$

$$E_k = m_0 c^2 \left[\left(1 - \frac{v^2}{c^2}\right)^{-1/2} - 1 \right]$$

$v \ll c$

$$\boxed{E_k = \frac{1}{2} m_0 c^2 \times \frac{v^2}{c^2} = \frac{1}{2} m_0 v^2}$$

classical result.

Relation betⁿ Total energy, rest energy and momentum

$$E = mc^2 = \frac{m_0 c^2}{\sqrt{1 - u^2/c^2}} \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$\beta p = m u$$

$$\Rightarrow u = \frac{p}{m} \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

from (1) & (2)

$$E = \frac{m_0 c^2}{\sqrt{1 - \left(\frac{p^2}{m^2 c^2}\right)}} = \frac{m_0 c^2}{\sqrt{1 - \frac{p^2 c^2}{m^2 c^4}}}$$

$$= m_0 \frac{c^2}{\sqrt{1 - \frac{p^2 c^2}{E^2}}}$$

$$E^2 = m_0^2 c^4 + p^2 c^2$$

Ex: two velocity of .8c are inclined to each other at an angle 30°. Find their resultant value.

Ans:— velocity of s' = .8c

$$u_x' : u' \cos 30 = .8c \times \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} = .4\sqrt{3}c$$

$$u_y' = u' \sin 30 = .4c$$

$$u_x = \frac{u_x' + u}{1 + \frac{u_x' u}{c^2}} = .96c$$

$$u_y = \frac{u_y' \sqrt{1 - \frac{u^2}{c^2}}}{1 + \frac{u_x' u}{c^2}} = .15c$$

$$u = \sqrt{u_x^2 + u_y^2} = 0.97c$$

$$\phi = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{u_y}{u_x} \right)$$

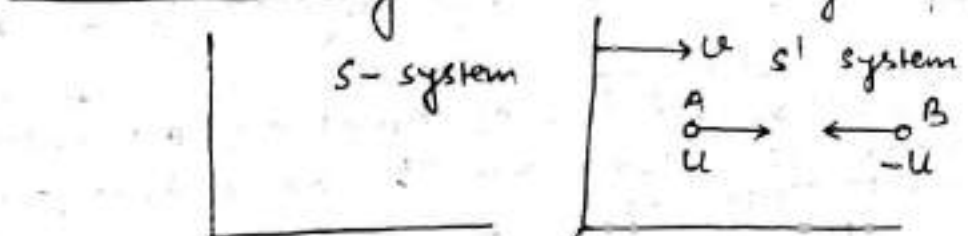
Pair production:—
when a $\gamma > 1.02 \text{ MeV}$
strike with nucleus
 $\gamma \rightarrow e^- + e^+$

Pair Annihilation
 $e^- + e^+ \rightarrow \gamma$

$$p_x' = \frac{p_x - \frac{u E}{c^2}}{\sqrt{1 - u^2/c^2}}$$

$$E' = \frac{E - u p_x}{\sqrt{1 - u^2/c^2}}$$

Relation of Mass with velocity :- Consider two system S & S'



Let mass of each ball be m in S' . They collide with each other and after collision coalesce into one body.

According to law of conservation of momentum

$$mU + (-mU) = \text{momentum of coalesced mass} = 0$$

Let us now consider with respect to S , let u_1 & u_2 be the velocities of ball relative to S , then

$$u_1 = \frac{U+U}{1+\frac{UU}{c^2}} \quad \dots \quad (1) \quad u_2 = \frac{-U+U}{1-\frac{UU}{c^2}} \quad \dots \quad (2)$$

after collision the velocity of coalesced mass is U relative to S . Let mass of body be m_1 & m_2 w.r. to S

$$m_1 u_1 + m_2 u_2 = (m_1 + m_2) U \quad \dots \quad (3)$$

$$m_1 \left[\frac{U+U}{1+\frac{UU}{c^2}} \right] + m_2 \left[\frac{-U+U}{1-\frac{UU}{c^2}} \right] = (m_1 + m_2) U$$

after solving

$$\frac{m_1}{m_2} = \frac{1+\frac{UU}{c^2}}{1-\frac{UU}{c^2}} \quad \dots \quad (4)$$

also, $1 - \frac{u_1^2}{c^2} = 1 - \frac{\left\{ \frac{U+U}{c} \right\}^2}{\left\{ 1 + \frac{UU}{c^2} \right\}^2}$

$$1 - \frac{u_1^2}{c^2} = \frac{\left(1 - \frac{U^2}{c^2}\right) \left(1 - \frac{U^2}{c^2}\right)}{\left(1 + \frac{UU}{c^2}\right)^2} \quad \dots \quad (5)$$

Similarly $1 - \frac{u_2^2}{c^2} = \frac{\left(1 - \frac{U^2}{c^2}\right) \left(1 - \frac{U^2}{c^2}\right)}{\left(1 - \frac{UU}{c^2}\right)^2} \quad \dots \quad (6)$

$$\frac{(5) \div (6)}{1 + \frac{UU}{c^2}} = \frac{\sqrt{1 - \frac{u_2^2}{c^2}}}{\sqrt{1 - \frac{u_1^2}{c^2}}} \quad \dots \quad (7)$$

from (7) & (4)

$$\frac{m_1}{m_2} = \frac{\sqrt{1 - \frac{u_2^2}{c^2}}}{\sqrt{1 - \frac{u_1^2}{c^2}}} \Rightarrow m_1 \sqrt{1 - \frac{u_1^2}{c^2}} = m_2 \sqrt{1 - \frac{u_2^2}{c^2}} \quad (8)$$

Since the L.H.S & R.H.S. of equation (8) are independent of one another, the above result can be true only if each is constant. Therefore

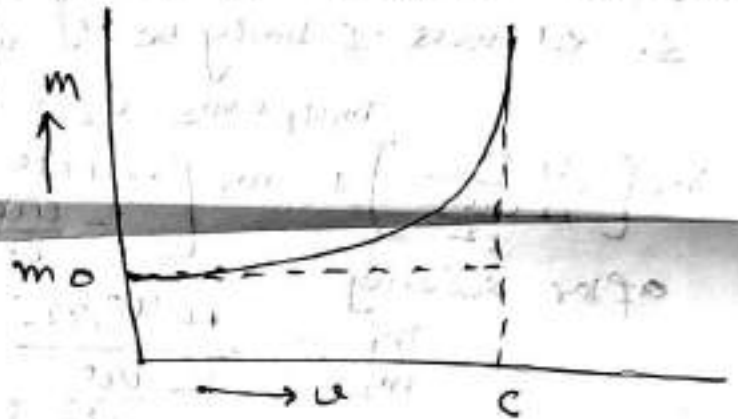
$$m_1 \sqrt{1 - \frac{u_1^2}{c^2}} = m_2 \sqrt{1 - \frac{u_2^2}{c^2}} = m_0$$

$$m_1 = \frac{m_0}{\sqrt{1 - \frac{u_1^2}{c^2}}}$$

In general

$$m = \frac{m_0}{\sqrt{1 - \frac{u^2}{c^2}}}$$

If $u \rightarrow c \Rightarrow m \rightarrow \infty$
 means an object travelling with c would have infinite mass.



When $u \ll c$

$$m = m_0 \left(1 - \frac{u^2}{c^2}\right)^{-1/2}$$

$$= m_0 \left[1 + \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{u^2}{c^2}\right) + \frac{3}{8} \left(\frac{u^2}{c^2}\right)^2 + \dots \right]$$

$$m = m_0$$

mass of particle = rest mass of particle.