

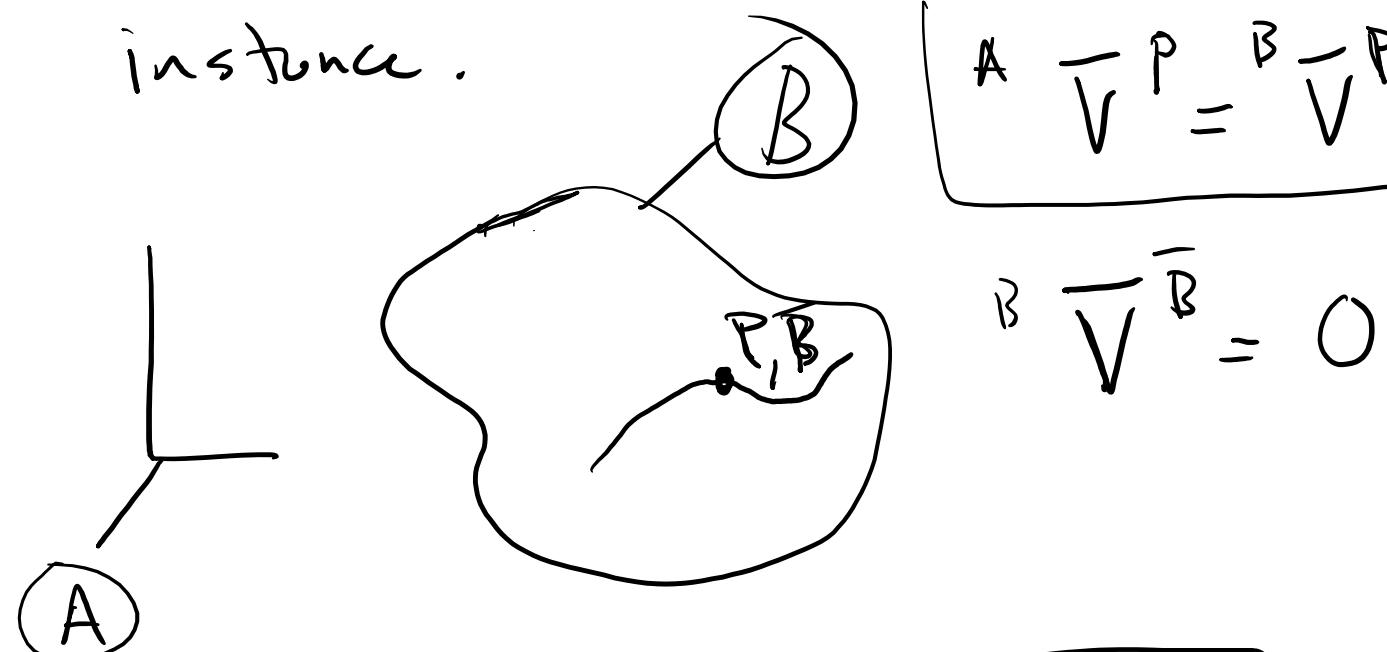
One point P moving in RF/RB (B)

while (B) moves in another RF (A).

Let B̄ be a point fixed in (B)

that coincides with P at a particular instance.

$${}^A \bar{V} P = {}^B \bar{V} P + {}^A \bar{V} B$$



$${}^B \bar{V} B = 0$$

Acceleration

$${}^A \bar{a} P = {}^B \bar{a} P + {}^A \bar{a} B + 2 \bar{\omega} {}^A B \times \bar{V} B$$

relative acc  
 $\bar{\omega} \times (\bar{\omega} \times \bar{r})$

${}^A \bar{a} B$

Coriolis acceleration term

State variables of a set  $S$  of  $N$  particles  $p_i$   $i=1, 2, \dots, N$

in a reference frame  $(A)$  consists of two parts:

- configuration of  $S$  in  $A$  (where they are in  $A$ )
- motion of  $S$  in  $A$  (how they are moving in  $A$ )

Fundamental question: "How does the state change with time?"

Configuration - characterized by position vectors of each particle

Motion - characterized by velocity vectors of each particle

When motion is unconstrained we need  $2N$  vectors  
or  $6N$  numbers.

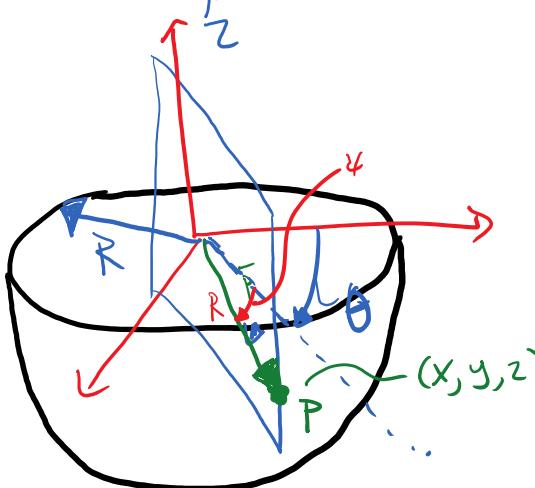
Constraints reduce the number of variables

Configuration variables are called "generalized coordinates  
of  $S$  in  $A$ ".

Motion variables are called "generalized speeds of  $S$  in  $A$ "

Both the GC's and GS's are functions of time  
and both can be chosen in an infinite # of ways.

ex hemispherical bowl of radius  $R$  with single particle moving on surface.



alt. G.C's ??  $(\theta, \psi)$

$\psi < 0 \Rightarrow$  a config constraint

$$\begin{aligned} |\vec{r}| = R &= x^2 + y^2 + z^2 \\ x^2 + y^2 + z^2 - R &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

configuration constraint

G.C's :  $x, y, z$

Configuration constraint equations that can be written as follows:

$$f(x_1, y_1, z_1, \dots, x_v, y_v, z_v, t) = 0$$

↑ no velocity terms!

holonomic constraint eq

functions of positions and time

Holonomic constraint types:

- a) Rheonomic: when time is explicit in the constraint
- b) Scleronomous: when time is implicit

Not only is  $f(\dots) = 0$  but  $\frac{df}{dt} = 0$

$$f = x^2 + y^2 + z^2 - R^2 = 0$$

$$\frac{df}{dt} = x \dot{x} + y \dot{y} + z \dot{z} = 0$$

$$\frac{df}{dt} = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \frac{dx}{dt} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \frac{dy}{dt} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial z} \frac{dz}{dt} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial t}$$

to be integrable  
 $\frac{\partial f^2}{\partial x \partial y} = \frac{\partial f^2}{\partial y \partial x} \Rightarrow$  mixed partials must commute

this is "new" version of the config constraint that includes velocities.

if integrable this is a redundant way of stating  $f = 0$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} = x \Rightarrow \frac{\partial f^2}{\partial x^2} = 1 \quad \left. \right\} \text{equal!}$$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = y \Rightarrow \frac{\partial f^2}{\partial y^2} = 1$$

"Intelligent" choices of G.C.s and G.S.s are part of "art" of dynamics.

How do we choose these?

Every system has a minimum,  $n$ , of G.C.'s required to specify the configuration of the system uniquely.

All  $n$  coordinates must be independent to be the minimal set, i.e. there are no holonomic constraints if  $n$  is minimal.

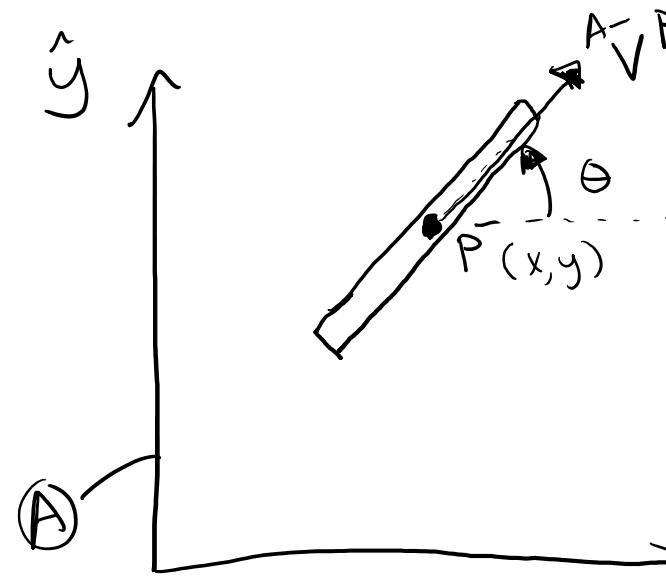
All other constraints are called non-holonomic constraints.

Nonholonomic constraints must involve velocities but are not able to be integrated to remove the velocity dependence.

NH constraints are essential velocity constraints.

$$\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x \partial y} = \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2} \right)$$

ex ice skate blade that can slide only along its length



3 G.C.s  $x, y, \theta$

$x, y$  are measure numbers of  $\overrightarrow{AVP}$

constraint  

$$\tan \theta = \frac{y}{x}$$

$f(x, y, \theta, t) =$

$$\dot{x} \tan \theta - \dot{y} = 0$$

$$\frac{df}{dt} = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \frac{dx}{dt} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \frac{dy}{dt} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial \theta} \frac{d\theta}{dt} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial t}$$
 is it integrable?

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} = \tan \theta \quad \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = -1 \quad \frac{\partial f}{\partial \theta} = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x \partial y} = \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y \partial x} \quad \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} = \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial \theta^2}$$

$$0 = 0 \checkmark$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x \partial \theta} = \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial \theta \partial x} \quad 0 = \sec^2 \theta \times$$

