

ME 2580 Dynamics – Equation Sheet #4

Newton's Laws of Motion

$$\sum_i \vec{F}_i = m\vec{a}_G$$
$$\sum_i (\vec{M}_G)_i = \sum_i (\vec{r}_i \times \vec{F}_i) = I_G \alpha$$

or

$$\sum_i (\vec{M}_P)_i = \sum_i (\vec{p}_i \times \vec{F}_i) = I_G \alpha + (\vec{r}_{G/P} \times m\vec{a}_G)$$

Newton's Laws of Motion: Fixed Axis Rotation

$$\sum_i \vec{F}_i = m\vec{a}_G = m(r\alpha\vec{e}_\theta - r\omega^2\vec{e}_r)$$
$$\sum_i (\vec{M}_O)_i = \sum_i (\vec{r}_i \times \vec{F}_i) = I_O \alpha$$

Work and Energy Principle

$$KE_1 + U_{1 \rightarrow 2} = KE_2$$
$$KE = \sum_{bodies} \left(\frac{1}{2}mv_G^2 + \frac{1}{2}I_G\omega^2 \right)$$
$$KE = \frac{1}{2}I_O\omega^2 \quad (\text{fixed axis rotation})$$

Conservation of Energy

$$KE_1 + V_1 = KE_2 + V_2 = \text{constant}$$
$$U_{1 \rightarrow 2} = V_1 - V_2$$
$$V_{\text{translational spring}} = \frac{1}{2}ke^2$$
$$V_{\text{rotational spring}} = \frac{1}{2}k\theta^2$$
$$V_{\text{gravity}} = mgh_G$$

Center of Mass

$$\vec{r}_G = \frac{\sum_i m_i \vec{r}_i}{\sum_i m_i}$$

Parallel Axis Theorem

$$I_O = I_G + Md^2$$

Radius of Gyration

$$I_A = m k_A^2$$

Work Done by a Force

$$U_F = \int_s F \cos(\theta) ds$$

Work Done by a Couple

$$U_M = \int_{\theta_1}^{\theta_2} M d\theta$$