

# Announcements – 15 Oct 2013

1. While you're waiting for class to start, see how many of these blanks you can fill out.

**Tangential Accel.:** Direction: \_\_\_\_\_  
Causes speed to \_\_\_\_\_ Causes angular speed to \_\_\_\_\_  
Therefore, causes:  $a$  \_\_\_\_\_  $a$  \_\_\_\_\_

*Definitions:*  $\theta =$  \_\_\_\_\_  $\omega =$  \_\_\_\_\_  $\alpha =$  \_\_\_\_\_

*Connecting eqns:* arc length  $s =$  \_\_\_\_\_  $\tan. v =$  \_\_\_\_\_  $\tan. a =$  \_\_\_\_\_

*Angular Kinematic Equations:*  $x \rightarrow$  \_\_\_\_\_  $v \rightarrow$  \_\_\_\_\_  $a \rightarrow$  \_\_\_\_\_

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_

## **Centripetal Accel.:**

Causes \_\_\_\_\_ Direction: \_\_\_\_\_  
but not \_\_\_\_\_ Magnitude:  $a_c =$  \_\_\_\_\_

How to use with N2: Always include on the  $r$  \_\_\_\_\_  $h$  \_\_\_\_\_  $s$  \_\_\_\_\_

## Worked Problem

You swing a ball (mass  $m$ ) in a vertical circle with a string; its speed is constant ( $v$ ) through the whole circle. (a) What is the tension at the lowest point? (b) At the highest point?

(a) Picture:

Equation:

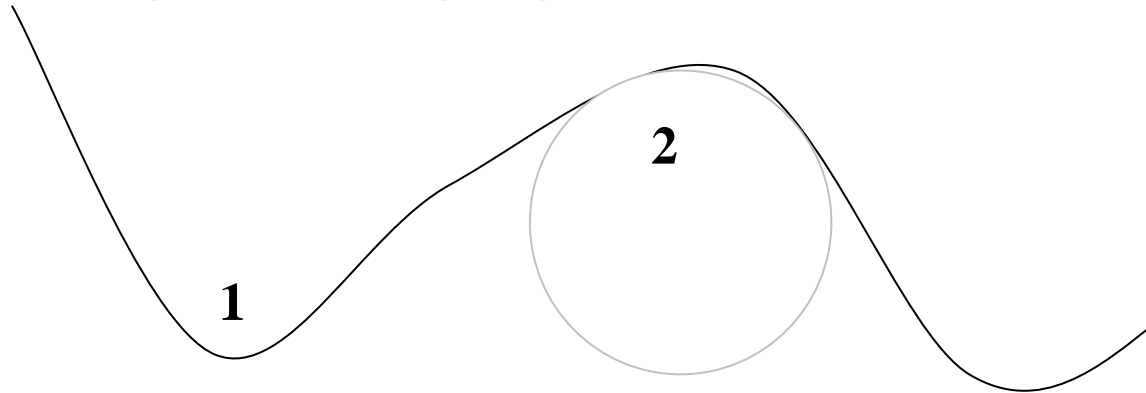
(b) Picture:

Equation:

Answers:  $mg + mv^2/r$ ,  $mg - mv^2/r$

## Unsafe roller coasters (no seatbelts)

For the top of an *outside* curve (pt 2), radius of curvature = 8 m, what is the maximum speed if the people are **not to fall out**?



What's the difference between pt 1 and pt 2?

*Free-body diagrams:*

What happens to Normal force at pt 2 as speed increases?

→ Just as people fall out, the normal force is \_\_\_\_\_.

**Solution to the problem (8 m radius of curvature):**

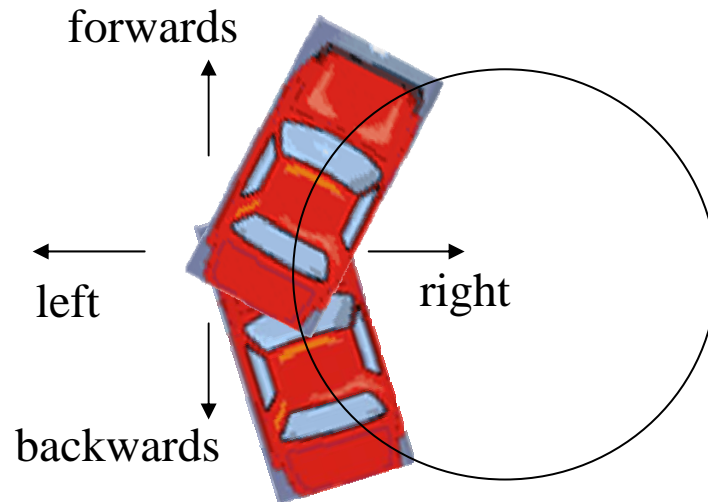
Answer: 8.85 m/s

## Question

Angular velocity of **earth** (1 rev/24 hours, convert to rad/s) gives speed at Provo = 792 mph (354 m/s)! (Using  $6.371 \times 10^6$  m as radius of earth and  $40.24^\circ$  as latitude of Provo.)

Why don't we fly off?

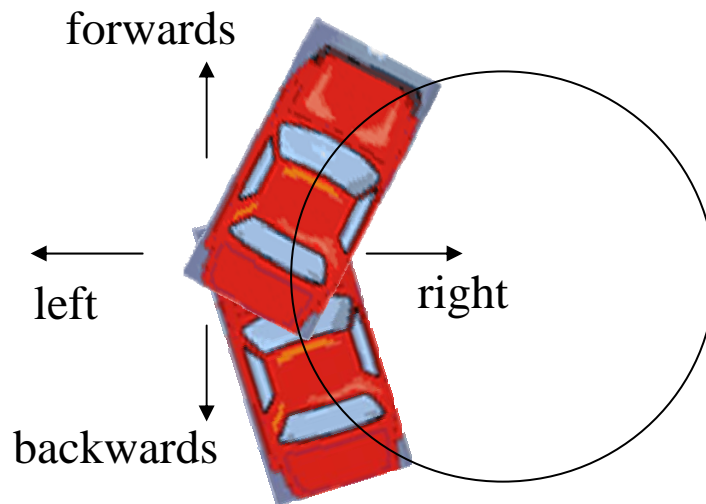
# Scenario: Back Seat of Car



You are in the middle of the back seat of a car. The car turns right at constant speed, moving in a circle.

**Question:** What happens to you if no friction from seat?

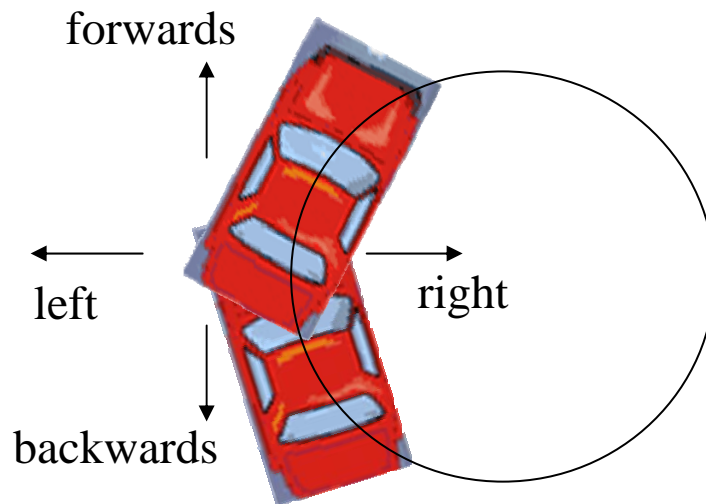
# Clicker Quiz



The net horizontal force on you *after you are pressed up against the door* is:

- a. Towards the left
- b. Towards the right
- c. Forwards
- d. Backwards

# Clicker Quiz

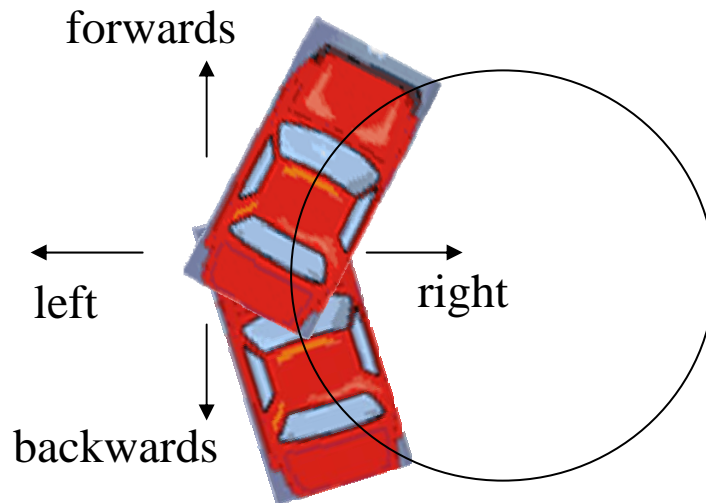


What if there's enough static friction so that you do not slide? In what direction is the static friction?

- a. Towards the left
- b. Towards the right
- c. Forwards
- d. Backwards



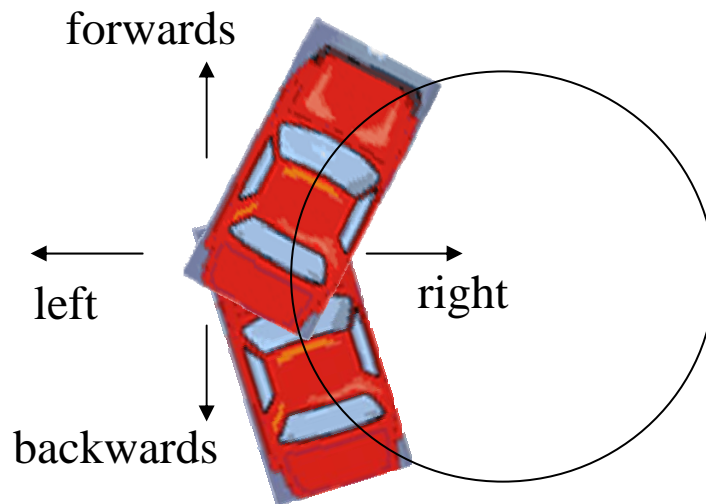
# Clicker Quiz



What if there's only a little bit of friction, so that you are sliding, but not as much as if no friction. In what direction is this kinetic friction?

- a. Towards the left
- b. Towards the right
- c. Forwards
- d. Backwards

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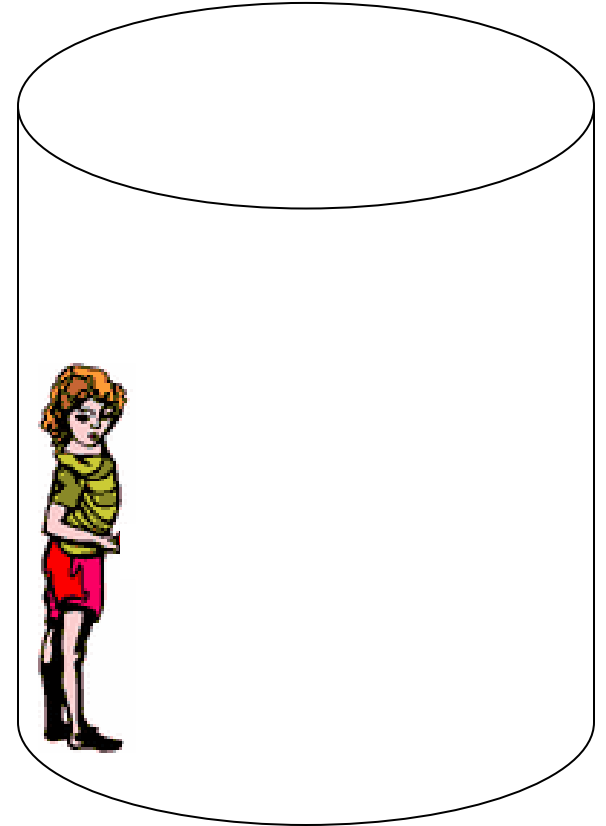


In what direction is the friction force from the road acting on the car's tires?

- a. Towards the left
- b. Towards the right
- c. Forwards
- d. Backwards

## Worked Problem: Floor-dropping ride

If the coefficient of friction is  $\mu$ , what minimum speed  $v$  must you be going before the floor is removed?



Answer:  $\sqrt{\frac{rg}{\mu}}$

# Banked roadways

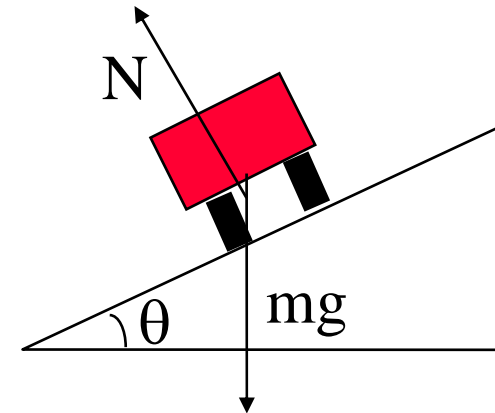
**Consider turn with no friction...**

What direction will car go if slight banking?

What direction if steep banking?

In between?

So, why do they bank turns?



**HW Problem, 13-1 (due Thurs):** what should the banking angle be so that there is no sideways friction force needed? (given overall turn radius and speed)

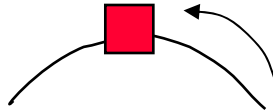
**Hardest part:** which way to draw the axes?? Conflicting advice:

- Colton: “Make the positive x-axis be along the inclined plane”
- Colton: “Make the positive x-axis be towards the center of the circle”

**Conflict resolved:**

# Combined Centripetal and Tangential

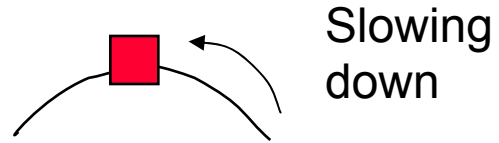
Example: Going around a corner while slowing down



**Clicker quiz:** The centripetal acceleration at this instant is

- a. up
- b. down
- c. left
- d. right
- e. zero

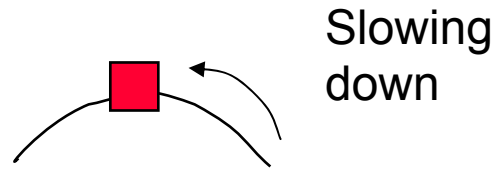
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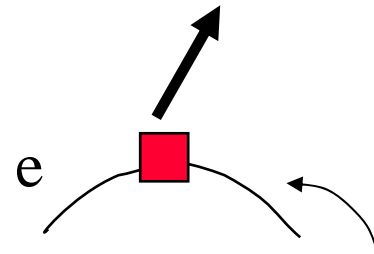
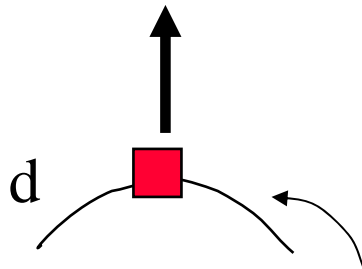
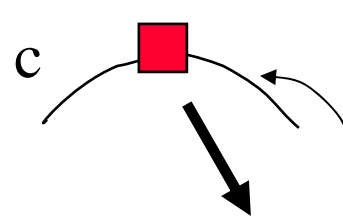
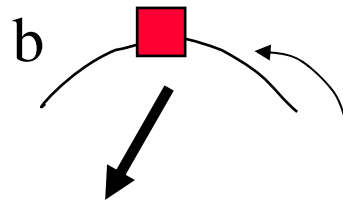
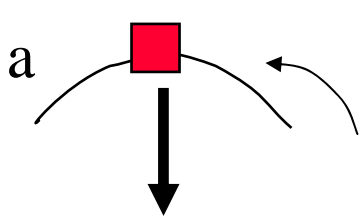
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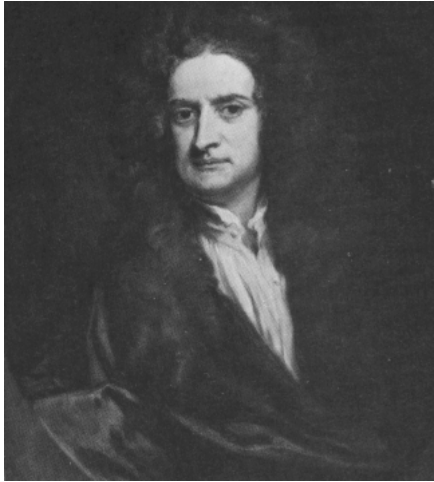
# Clicker quiz



Which figure represents the total  $\mathbf{a}$  vector?



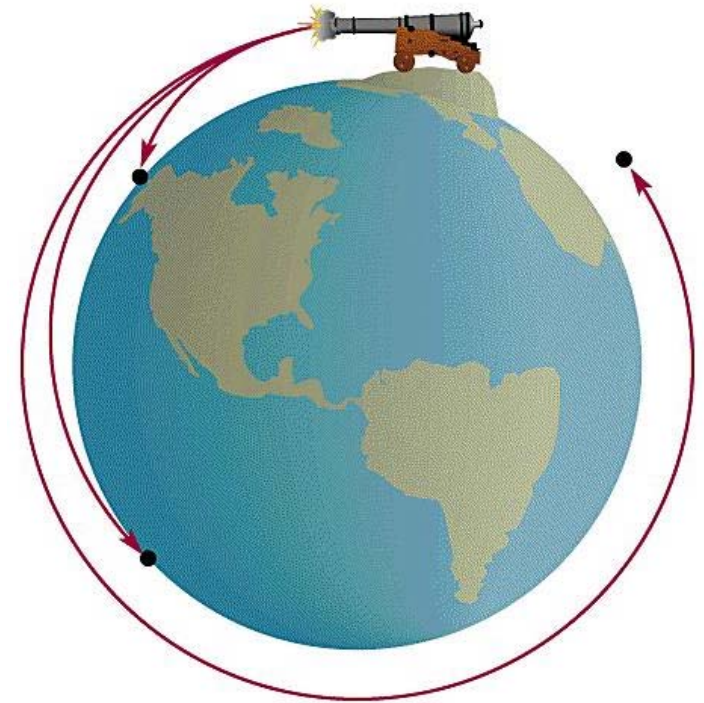
# On to Gravity!!



Newton's thoughts about the moon's orbit and projectile motion, c. 1670:

Parabola of projectile turns into a **circle**.  
The apple, the cannonball, and **the Moon**

→ all are in \_\_\_\_\_





# Newton's Law of Gravity:

**All masses attract all other masses!**

$$F_G = G \frac{mM}{r^2}$$

$r$  measured from \_\_\_\_\_

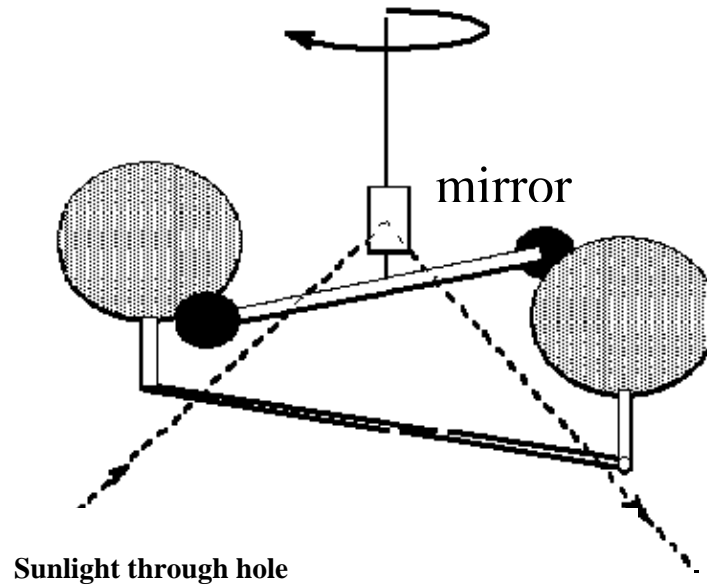
(sometimes written with negative sign)

Proportionality constant:  $G = 6.674 \times 10^{-11} \text{ N}\cdot\text{m}^2/\text{kg}^2$

Near the surface of the earth:

$$R_{\text{Earth}} = 6.371 \times 10^6 \text{ m}$$
$$M_{\text{Earth}} = 5.974 \times 10^{24} \text{ kg}$$

# Cavendish Experiment



**1783:** first measurement of forces between “regular” masses, by Cavendish.

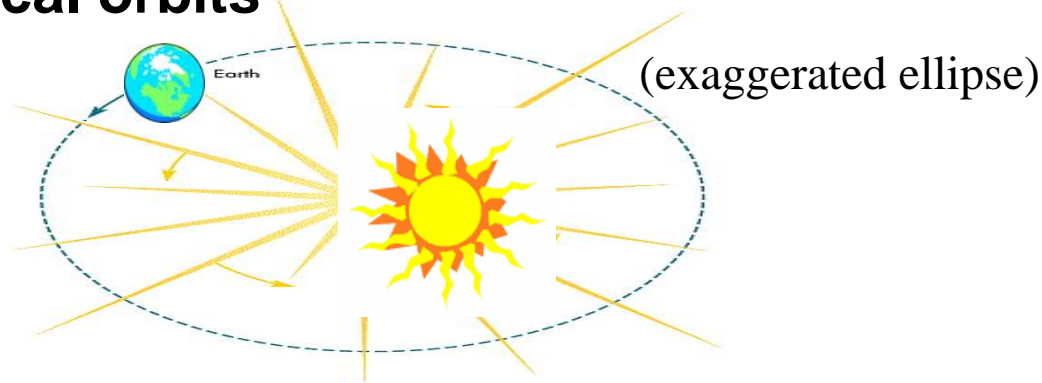
“Weighing the world” vs. determining  $G$

→ Most accurate such measurement for 102 years!  
(only 1% off of today’s value)

# How did Newton know it was **inverse square**?

**Kepler's laws** (about 1600) came from observations of the planets in our solar system:

## 1. Elliptical orbits



2. **Equal areas in equal times:** fastest close to Sun

3.  $T^2 \sim r^3$

(T = "orbital period" = \_\_\_\_\_)

All three can be exactly predicted using Newton's Second Law together with Newton's Law of Gravity! (Done in Phys 321)

## From warmup

Which is not one of Kepler's laws?

- a. Planets all move in the same plane
- b. Planets move in elliptical orbits
- c. Equal areas swept out in equal time: faster closer to sun
- d. The period of orbit increases as  $r$  increases

## Worked Problem

Figure out what the proportionality constant is in Kepler's Third Law,  $T^2 \sim r^3$ , in terms of  $G$  and the mass of the sun. Assume a circular planetary orbit.

Answer:  $4\pi^2/(GM)$

## Worked Problem

How long is Jupiter's year? ( $r_{Jupiter} \approx 5.2 r_{Earth}$ )

Answer: 11.86 years

# Satellites

**Question:** What's the difference between the earth revolving around the sun, and a satellite revolving around the earth?

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# Orbital Velocity

On the moon (no air friction, mass  $M$ ) someone really *could* get into orbit by being fired horizontally off the highest mountain (radius  $r$ ).

How fast would you have to shoot that person?

How long would it take him to go around once?  
“orbital period”

Answers:  $v = \sqrt{GM/r}$ ,  $2\pi r/v$



# Circular orbits

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**Clicker quiz:** A satellite in a higher orbit will be going \_\_\_\_\_ than a satellite in a lower orbit.

a. faster

b. slower

## Real satellites:

<http://science.nasa.gov/RealTime/JTrack/3d/JTrack3d.html>

International space station, 340.5 km above surface of Earth ( $R_e = 6,371$ km)	7.707 km/s
Geostationary orbit, 35,786 km above surface	3.075 km/s
Moon, $r = 381,715$ km	1.022 km/s

**Worked Problem:** How long does it take ISS to orbit?

Answer: 91.2 min

## From warmup

If the Earth attracts the moon with gravitational force, why doesn't the moon fall into the Earth? Give an explanation that a friend in junior high school could follow.

**“Pair share”**—I am now ready to share my neighbor’s answer if called on.

a. Yes

## Clicker quiz

You are on planet Xarthon, which has a mass of  $2\times$  that of the earth and a radius  $2\times$  as big. If you throw a ball at the surface, and you will find that

$g_{\text{Xarthon}}$  is \_\_\_\_\_  $g_{\text{earth}}$

- a. larger than
- b. smaller than
- c. the same as

## Clicker quiz

Satellites in higher orbits are travelling slower, so to “shoot” a satellite from the surface of the earth into a high orbit (i.e. with a cannon), you would provide it with \_\_\_\_\_ initial kinetic energy than for a satellite in a low orbit

- a. more
- b. less
- c. same

**Next time...**

## Gravitational PE

Need new  $\mathbf{PE}_{\text{gravity}}$

$\mathbf{PE = mgy}$  just won't work...  
Force isn't "mg" any more!