

$\Delta \theta$

angular

displacement } Δx

ω

angular

velocity } v

α

(A red arrow points from the word 'alpha' below to this symbol)

angular

acceleration } a

alpha, not a

Problems with Constant Angular Acceleration

DKDC

$\Delta\theta$	\rightarrow	$\omega_f = \omega_i + \alpha(\Delta t)$
ω_i	\rightarrow	$\Delta\theta = \omega_f \Delta t - \frac{1}{2} \alpha (\Delta t)^2$
ω_f	\rightarrow	$\Delta\theta = \omega_i \Delta t + \frac{1}{2} \alpha (\Delta t)^2$
α	\rightarrow	$\Delta\theta = \frac{1}{2} (\omega_i + \omega_f) \Delta t$
Δt	\rightarrow	$\omega_f^2 = \omega_i^2 + 2\alpha \Delta\theta$

Given 3 of these variables,
we can solve for a 4th,
leaving one behind. DKDC variable
(don't know don't care)

$\Delta\theta$: "turns 180° "
 "turns 5 radians"
 "turns 50 times" } Convert to radians

ω : "spins at 8 rad/s "
 "8 times per second" $8 \frac{\text{rev}}{\text{s}}$

"takes 6 s to go around once" $6 \frac{\text{s}}{\text{rev}}$
 α : rad/s^2 $\frac{1 \text{ rev}}{6 \text{ s}}$
 $\frac{2\pi \text{ rad}}{6 \text{ s}}$

Δt : seconds from beginning to end of motion

A wheel is spinning with an initial angular velocity of 3 rad/s . A brake is then applied, giving it an angular acceleration of -0.1 rad/s^2 . How long does it take for the wheel to go around 5 times?

$\Delta\theta$	5 rev = 10π rad
ω_i	3 rad/s
ω_f	DKDC
α	-0.1 rad/s ²
Δt	NEED

$$\Delta\theta = \omega_i \Delta t + \frac{1}{2} \alpha (\Delta t)^2$$

$$10\pi = 3\Delta t + \frac{1}{2}(-0.1)(\Delta t)^2$$

$$0 = \underbrace{-0.05}_{a} (\Delta t)^2 + \underbrace{3}_{b} (\Delta t) - \underbrace{31.4}_{c}$$

$$\Delta t = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$$

$$= \frac{-3 \pm \sqrt{3^2 - 4(-0.05)(-31.4)}}{2(-0.05)}$$

$$= \frac{-3}{-0.1} \pm \frac{1}{-0.1} \sqrt{9 - 6.28}$$

$$= 30 \pm 16.5 \text{ s}$$

$$= \boxed{13.5 \text{ s}} \text{ or } 46.5 \text{ s}$$

↑
wheel stops and
reverses until
the net # of
times around is
5 again

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A wheel initially spins so
that it takes 6s to go
around once. A brake is
then applied, and the wheel
spins 4 times before
it comes to a stop.

What is its angular
acceleration?

6 s/rev

$$\Delta \theta \quad 4 \text{ rev} = 8\pi \text{ rad}$$

$$\omega_i \quad 6 \text{ s/rev} \rightarrow \frac{1 \text{ rev}}{6 \text{ s}} = \frac{\pi \text{ rad}}{3 \text{ s}}$$

$$\omega_f \quad 0$$

α NEED

$$\Delta t \quad \text{DKDC}$$

$$\omega_f^2 = \omega_0^2 + 2\alpha \Delta\theta$$

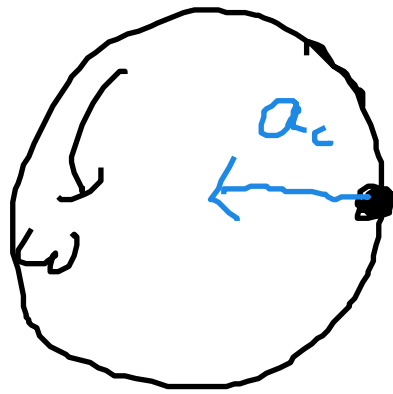
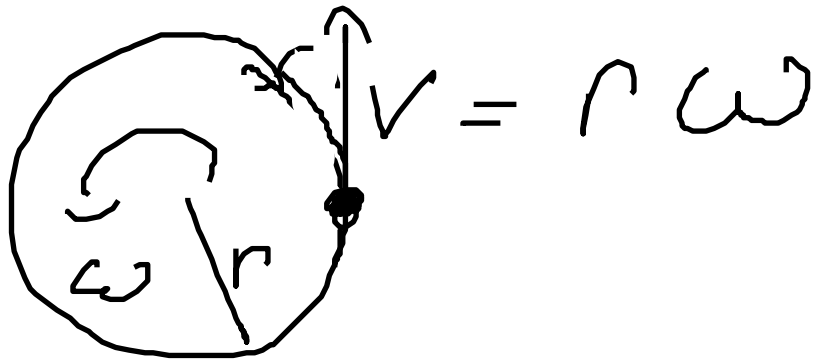
$$0 = \left(\frac{\pi}{3}\right)^2 + 2\alpha (8\pi)$$

$$-\frac{\pi^2}{9} = 16\alpha$$

$$-\frac{\pi}{144} = \alpha$$

$$\alpha = -0.02 \text{ rad/s}^2$$

Angular Acceleration



ω is constant $\rightarrow \alpha = 0$

What is point's

linear acceleration a ?

$$a_c = \frac{v^2}{r}$$

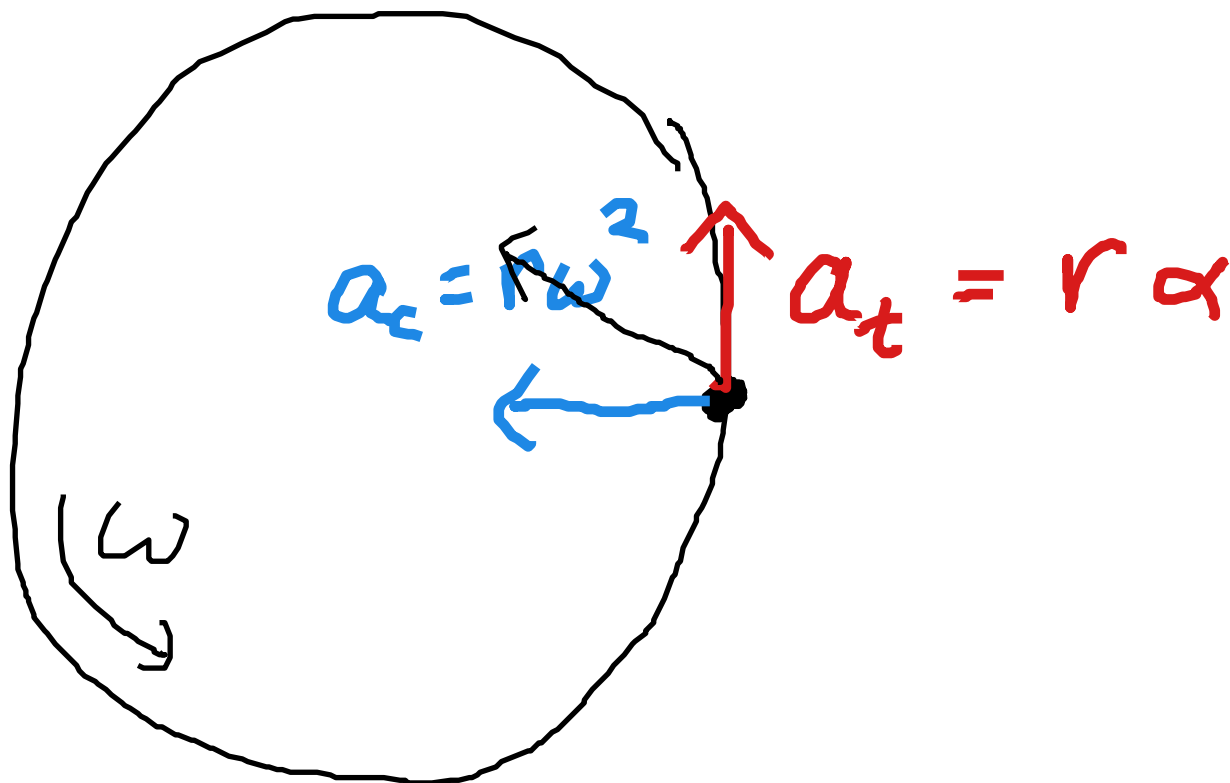
centripetal
acceleration

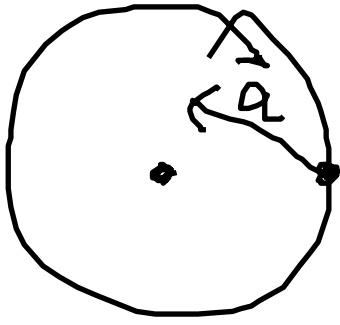
$$a_c = \frac{(r\omega)^2}{r} = r\omega^2$$

$$a_c = r\omega^2$$

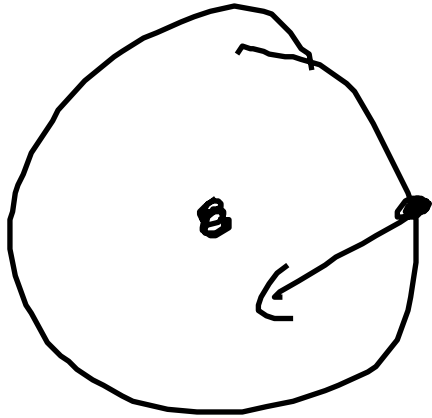
Useful because ω is uniform everywhere on rigid spinning object

If $\alpha > 0$

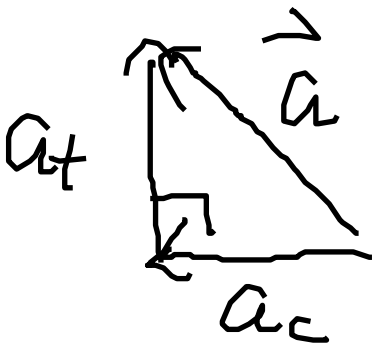




speeding up



slowing down



$$|\vec{a}| = \sqrt{a_c^2 + a_t^2}$$

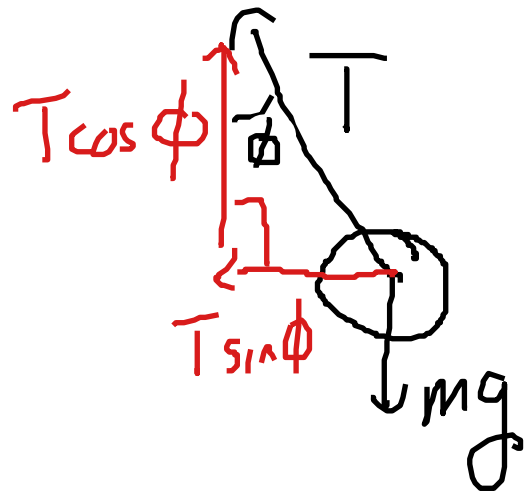
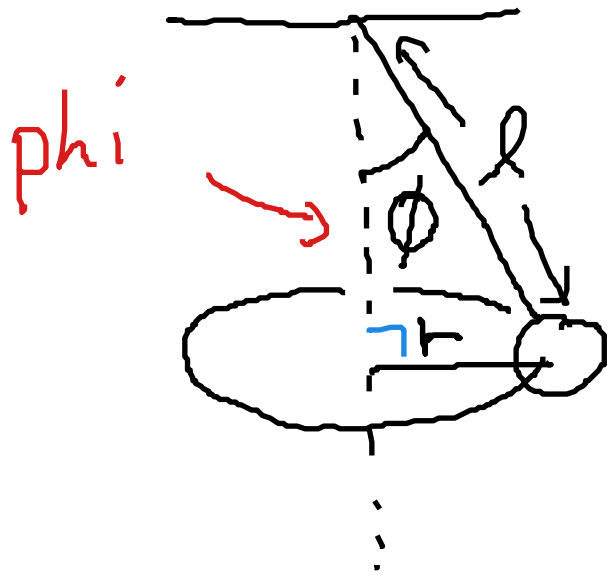
$$= \sqrt{(r\omega^2)^2 + (r\alpha)^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{r^2 \omega^4 + r^2 \alpha^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{r^2} \sqrt{\omega^4 + \alpha^2}$$

$$|\vec{a}| = r \sqrt{\omega^4 + \alpha^2}$$

Conical Pendulum



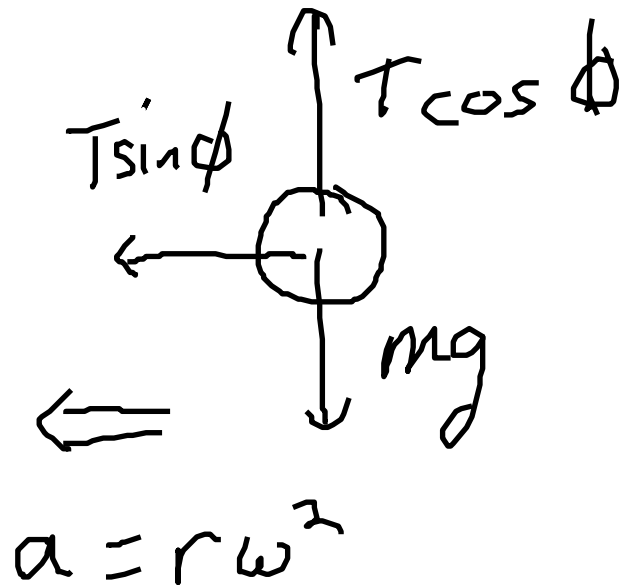
Vertical forces

$$mg = T \cos \phi$$

Horizontal forces

$$F_{\text{net}} = ma$$

$$T \sin \phi = m r \omega^2$$



$$r = l \sin \phi$$

$$T \sin \phi = m (l \sin \phi) \omega^2$$

$$T = m l \omega^2$$

$$mg = T \cos \phi$$

$$= (ml\omega^2) \cos \phi$$

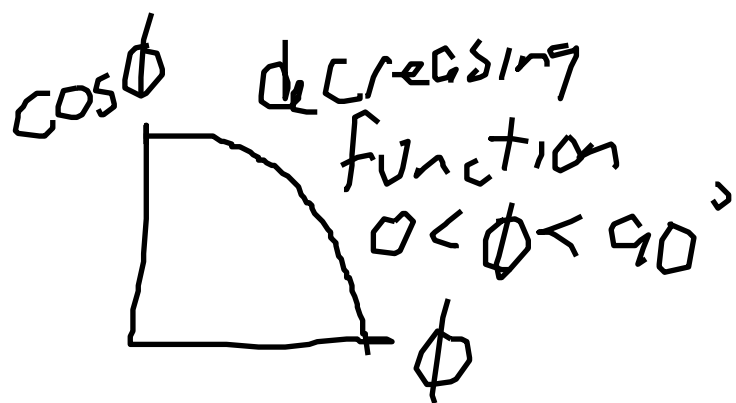
$$g = l\omega^2 \cos \phi$$

$$\omega^2 = \frac{g}{l \cos \phi}$$

$$\cos \phi = \frac{g}{l\omega^2}$$

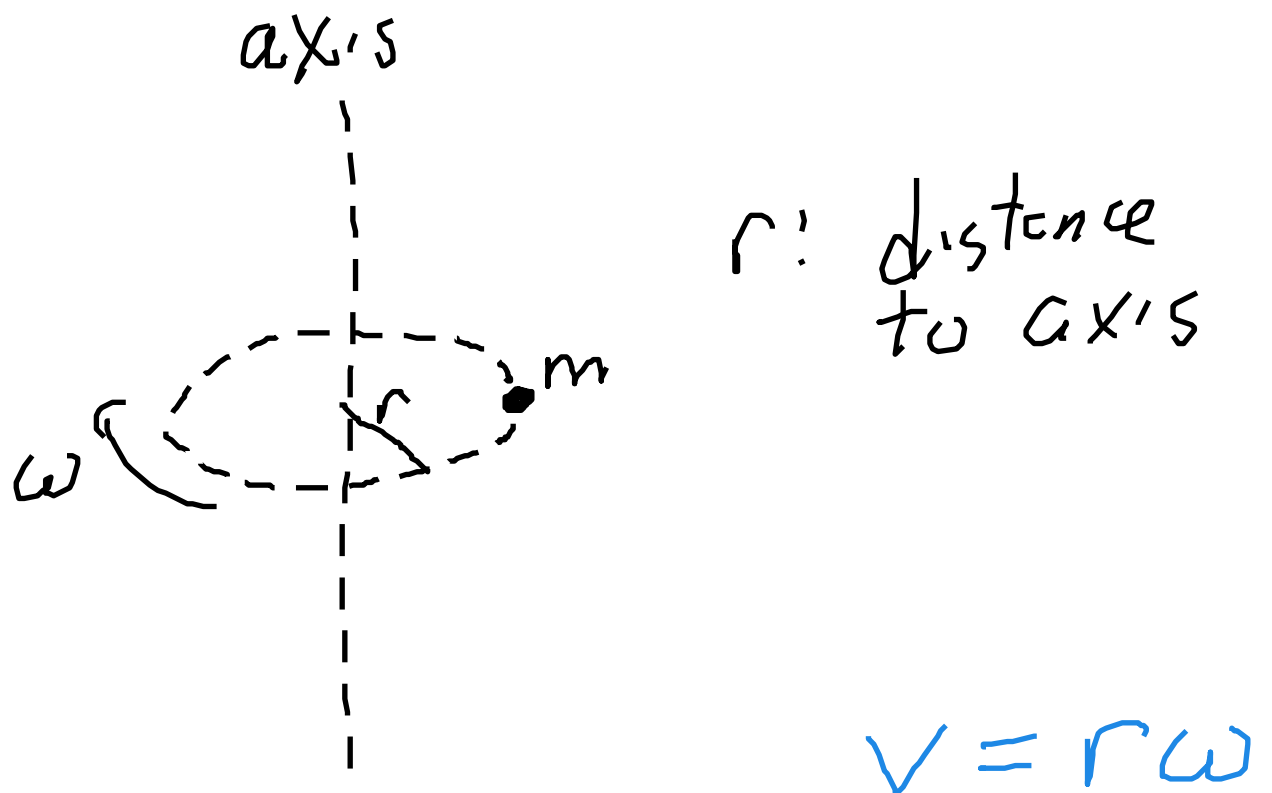
$$\omega = \sqrt{\frac{g}{l \cos \phi}}$$

As l bigger, ω gets smaller
for same ϕ



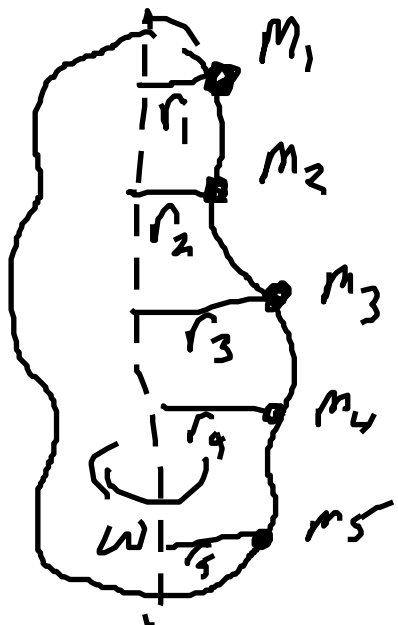
As ϕ gets bigger,
 $\rightarrow \cos \phi$ gets smaller
 $\rightarrow \omega$ gets bigger

Kinetic Energy of Rotation



$$E_k = \frac{1}{2} m v^2$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} m r^2 \omega^2$$



$$E_k = \frac{1}{2} m_1 r_1^2 \omega^2$$

$$+ \frac{1}{2} m_2 r_2^2 \omega^2$$

$$+ \dots$$

$$+ \frac{1}{2} m_5 r_5^2 \omega^2$$

If all points spin together,
 ω is same for all of
 them

$$E_k = \frac{1}{2} \left(m_1 r_1^2 + m_2 r_2^2 + \dots + m_5 r_5^2 \right) \omega^2$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left(\sum_{i=1}^n m_i r_i^2 \right) \omega^2$$

I

moment of inertia
 of these points

$$E_k = \frac{1}{2} I \omega^2$$

compare $\frac{1}{2} m v^2$

Moment of inertia is
 angular analog to mass.
 "Rotational inertia"

$$I = \sum_{i=1}^N m_i r_i^2 \quad \text{for a collection of point masses}$$

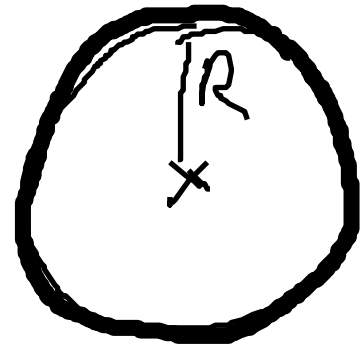
depends on your choice of axis

for a continuous collection of masses, divide it into a bunch of tiny little masses dm

$$I = \int_{\text{total mass}} r^2 dm \quad \left(\begin{array}{l} \text{we won't} \\ \text{use this} \end{array} \right)$$

Ring
around its
central axis

(a circle without its
interior)



with radius
R

$$I = M R^2$$

↑
total
mass

Disk (circle with its interior)

$$I = \frac{1}{2} M R^2$$

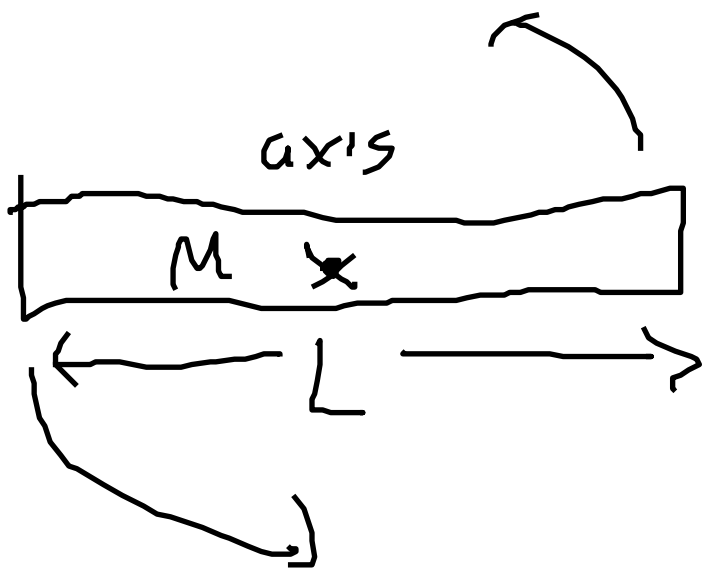


larger I

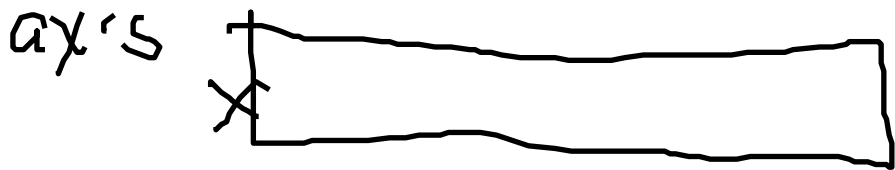
Basically, the more far-flung
the mass, the larger the
moment of inertia

Solid sphere	$I = \frac{2}{5} MR^2$
Hollow Sphere	$I = \frac{2}{3} MR^2$

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Spun around
central axis



$$I = \frac{1}{12} ML^2$$



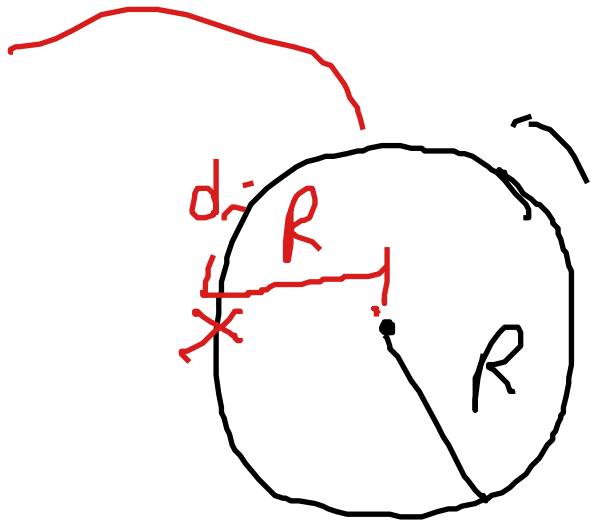
Parallel - Axis Theorem

if you rotate an object around an axis that isn't through the center of mass,

$$I = I_{\text{com}} + Md^2$$

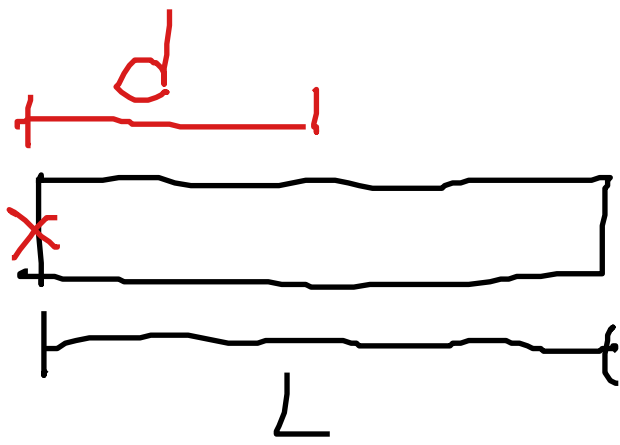
(axes must be parallel)

d : distance from C.O.M.
to new axis



$$I_{\text{com}} = MR^2$$

$$\begin{aligned} I &= MR^2 + Md^2 \\ &= MR^2 + MR^2 \\ &= 2MR^2 \end{aligned}$$



$$I_{\text{COM}} = \frac{1}{12} ML^2$$

$$I = I_{\text{COM}} + Md^2$$

$$= \frac{1}{12} ML^2 + M \left(\frac{L}{2} \right)^2$$

$$= \frac{1}{12} ML^2 + \frac{1}{4} ML^2$$

$$= \left(\frac{1}{12} + \frac{1}{4} \right) ML^2$$

$$\frac{1}{12} + \frac{3}{12}$$

$$\frac{4}{12} = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$I = \frac{1}{3} ML^2$$

$$E_k = \underbrace{\frac{1}{2} I \omega^2}_{\substack{\text{rotational} \\ \text{kinetic} \\ \text{energy}}} + \underbrace{\frac{1}{2} M v_{\text{com}}^2}_{\substack{\text{linear} \\ \text{kinetic} \\ \text{energy}}}$$