

19(2): Light Deflection due to Gravitation in a Theory.

In the Newtonian theory the orbital velocity is:

$$v_N^2 = MG \left(\frac{2}{r} - \frac{1}{a} \right) \quad - (1)$$

here M is the mass of the attracting object, G the gravitational constant, r is the distance between a mass m orbiting a mass M and a the semi major axis defined by:

$$a = \frac{d}{1-\epsilon^2} \quad - (2)$$

here d is the half right distance and ϵ the eccentricity. The orbit is the conic section:

$$r = \frac{d}{1 + \epsilon \cos \phi} \quad - (3)$$

in the plane polar coordinate system (r, ϕ) . At closest approach:

$$\cos \phi = 1 \quad - (4)$$

Denote closest approach by $r = R_0$ - (5)

then

$$R_0 = \frac{d}{1 + \epsilon} = a \frac{(1 - \epsilon^2)}{1 + \epsilon} = a(1 - \epsilon) \quad - (6)$$

So at closest approach:

$$\frac{1}{a} = \frac{1 - \epsilon}{R_0} \quad - (7)$$

and

$$v_N^2 = \frac{MG}{R_0} (\epsilon + 1) \quad - (8)$$

So

$$\epsilon + 1 = \frac{R_0 v_N^2}{MG} \quad - (9)$$

For electromagnetic radiation grazing a large mass:

$$\epsilon \gg 1 \quad - (10)$$

so

$$\epsilon \sim \frac{R_0 v_N^2}{MG} \quad - (11)$$

The angle of deflection is:

$$\Delta\phi = \frac{2}{c} = \frac{2mG}{R \cdot v_N^2} \quad - (12)$$

is Newtonian theory.

The experimental result is:

$$\Delta\phi = \frac{4mG}{R \cdot c^2} \quad - (13)$$

and it is claimed that this is precise. The result (13) can be obtained from the Lorentz transform in Minkowski spacetime:

$$v = \gamma v_N \quad - (14)$$

where the Lorentz factor in Minkowski spacetime is:

$$\gamma = \left(1 - \frac{v_N^2}{c^2}\right)^{-1/2} \quad - (15)$$

In eq. (14), v is the observable relativistic linear velocity.

From eqs. (14) and (15):

$$v_N^2 = \frac{v^2}{\gamma^2} = v^2 \left(1 - \frac{v_N^2}{c^2}\right) \quad - (16)$$

for which

$$v_N^2 = \frac{v^2}{1 + \frac{v^2}{c^2}} \quad - (17)$$

From eqs. (12) and (17):

$$\Delta\phi = \frac{2mG}{R \cdot \left(\frac{v^2}{1 + \frac{v^2}{c^2}}\right)} \quad - (18)$$

The photon travels at:

$$v = c \quad - (19)$$

So for eq. (18):

$$\Delta\phi \xrightarrow{v \rightarrow c} \frac{4\pi G}{Roc^2} - (20)$$

This is precisely the experimental result, P.E.D.
 It is infinitesimal line element of the Minkowski
 spacetime is:

$$ds^2 = c^2 d\tau^2 = c^2 dt^2 - dr^2 - r^2 d\phi^2 - (21)$$

$$= (c^2 - v^2) dt^2$$

in plane polar coordinates, so:

$$v^2 = \left(\frac{dr}{dt}\right)^2 + r^2 \left(\frac{d\phi}{dt}\right)^2 - (22)$$

In $n(r)$ theory the infinitesimal line element is:

$$ds^2 = c^2 d\tau^2 = \frac{c^2}{n(r)} dt^2 - \frac{dr^2}{n(r)} - r^2 d\phi^2 - (23)$$

So light deflection due to gravitation can be
 explained with:

$$n(r) = 1. - (24)$$

This result is preferred to the hugely elaborate and
 erroneous EGR explanation, which asserts that light
 deflection due to gravitation needs:

$$n(r) = ? \cdot 1 - \frac{r_0}{r} - (25)$$

This is another refutation of EGR.

The rigorous theory of light deflection in n theory
 requires the orbital linear velocity in n space,
 calculated in Note 317(7). As in that note the

+) calculation starts from the Hamiltonian of n theory:

$$H = m(r) \gamma m c^2 - m(r)^{1/2} \frac{n M G}{r} \quad - (26)$$

where

$$\gamma = \left(m(r) - \frac{v_N^2}{m(r) c^2} \right)^{-1/2} \quad - (27)$$

A smooth transition to classical theory is obtained by using

$$H_0 = T + U \quad - (28)$$

where:

$$T = m(r) \gamma m c^2 - m(r)^{1/2} m c^2 \quad - (29)$$

is the relativistic kinetic energy of n theory derived in UFT 18 from the work integral of $m(r)$ theory. In eq. (28), the potential energy of n theory is:

$$U = - m(r)^{1/2} \frac{n M G}{r} \quad - (30)$$

As in Note 417(-), is the approximation:

$$v < c, \quad - (31)$$

$$H_0 \rightarrow \frac{1}{2} \frac{m v_N^2}{m(r)^{3/2}} - m(r)^{1/2} \frac{n M G}{r} \quad - (32)$$

Using

$$v_N^2 = \dot{r}^2 + r^2 \dot{\phi}^2 \quad - (33)$$

and the conserved angular momentum of n theory:

$$L = \frac{\gamma m r^2}{m(r)} \dot{\phi} \quad - (34)$$

it follows that:

$$H_0 = \frac{1}{2} \frac{m \dot{r}^2}{m(r)^{3/2}} + \frac{1}{2} m(r)^{1/2} \frac{L^2}{\gamma^2 m r^2} - m(r)^{1/2} \frac{n M G}{r} \quad - (35)$$

Now use the approximation:

$$\frac{1}{\gamma^2} = m(r) - \frac{v_N^2}{c^2 m(r)} \quad - (36)$$

$$\xrightarrow{v_N \ll c} m(r)$$

- (37)

and it follows that:

$$v_N^2 = m(r)^{3/2} \frac{MG}{r} \left(\frac{2m(r)^{1/2}}{r} - \frac{1}{a} \right)$$

is the given approximation of Note 417(7).

So eq. (1) is modified to eq. (37) is a theory.

Now assume that eq. (7) holds approximately at closest approach, so:

$$v_N^2 = m(r)^{3/2} \frac{MG}{R_0} \left(\epsilon + 2m(r)^{1/2} - 1 \right) \quad - (38)$$

and assume that:

$$\epsilon - 1 + 2m(r)^{1/2} \sim \epsilon + 1 \quad - (39)$$

In the approximation:

$$\epsilon \gg 1 \quad - (40)$$

it follows that:

$$\epsilon = \frac{R_0 v_N^2}{m(r)^{3/2} MG} \quad - (41)$$

and

$$\Delta\phi = m(r)^{3/2} \left(\frac{2MG}{R_0 v_N^2} \right) \quad - (42)$$

Now use:

$$P_1 = \gamma m v_1 \quad - (43)$$

i.e

$$v = \gamma v_N \quad - (44)$$

b) So:
$$v_N^2 = \frac{v^2}{v^2} = v^2 n(r) \left(1 - \frac{v_N^2}{n(r)^2 c^2} \right) \quad - (45)$$

It follows that:
$$v_N^2 = n(r) \frac{v^2}{1 + \frac{v^2}{n(r)c^2}} \quad - (46)$$

So eq. (17) in space becomes eq. (46).

From eq.s. (42) and (46):

$$\Delta \phi = n(r)^{3/2} \left(\frac{2mG}{R_0 n(r) \frac{v^2}{1 + \frac{v^2}{n(r)c^2}}} \right)$$

$$\xrightarrow{v \rightarrow c} \left(\frac{1 + n(r)}{n(r)^{1/2}} \right) \left(\frac{2mG}{R_0 c^2} \right) \quad - (47)$$

In the limit:

$$n(r) \rightarrow 1 \quad - (48)$$

it follows that:

$$\boxed{\Delta \phi = \frac{4mG}{R_0 c^2}} \quad - (49)$$

Q.E.D

Any observed deviation from eq. (49) can be explained with eq. (47).