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Gravitation and Spacetime (Second Printing)

- p. xv, last line: ... Chapter 9).
 p. 40, Eq. [46]: ... $\simeq 2zGM/r_0^3$
 p. 44, next to last line: ... 24 hr 50 min
- p. 49, Exercise 15: Find τ_y and τ_z ; Eq. [66]: $\tau^\alpha = c^2 \sum_{k,l,s} \epsilon^{nk} R_{0s0}^k \left(-I^{ls} + \frac{1}{2} \delta_{ij}^k I^{rs} \right)$
 p. 73, Eq. [7]: Change $\mu = 0$ to $\mu = 0$ to $\mu = 0$ to $\nu = 0$.
 p. 74, Exercise 2: ... value as [8].
 p. 76, Eq. [22]: $dr = \sqrt{dx^\mu dx_\mu} = \dots$
 p. 86, fourth line: ... system is conserved*
 p. 90, Eq. [98] and left side of Eq. [99]: Change d^3x to d^3x'
 p. 93, Eq. [114]: $= (cqn, \dots)$
 p. 96, first equation in Exercise 21: ... $+ 2a^0 a^0 B_0^1$
 p. 123, Prob. 6, next to last line: What is the difference between ...
 p. 144, last column of table: $\partial_\nu T_{(m)\mu}^\nu = \frac{1}{2} \kappa h_{\alpha\beta} T_{(m)}^{\alpha\beta}$
 p. 152, lines 1 and 2 of paragraph 3: ... $x^\mu(\tau) \dots \delta x^\mu(\tau) \dots$
 p. 153, equation after Eq. [81]: $I = \int_{\tau_1}^{\tau_2} \dots$
 p. 156, Eq. [92]: ... $+ h_{\mu\alpha, \beta} u^\alpha u^\beta$
 p. 160, Eq. [108]: $\nabla^2 h_{00} = \dots$
 p. 161, Eq. [113]: $f_{\alpha\beta} = \frac{\kappa}{2} (h_{0\beta, \alpha} - h_{0\alpha, \beta})$
 p. 162, line before Eq. [117]: [2.104] and [2.105]
 p. 165, Eq. [128]: $L = \sqrt{g_{\mu\nu} \frac{dx^\mu}{d\tau} \frac{dx^\nu}{d\tau}}$
 p. 172, line 5 after Exercise 19: ... Exercise 20),
 p. 186, line before Eq. [26]: ... Using Eqs. [23] and [24], ...
 p. 189, line 3: ... given by a ...
 p. 193, line 3 in second paragraph: ... 1919, at Sobral (Brazil) and on the island of Principe ...
 p. 197, last line: ... last term on the right side ...
 p. 214, Eq. [61]: Change $(\xi - x')$ in numerator to $(x' - \xi)$; Eq. [62]: Change $(\xi - x')$ in numerator to $2(x' - \xi)$
 p. 216, Eq. [67]: $\frac{\delta x'}{D_2} = \frac{\delta x}{D_{12}} - \delta x' \frac{\partial \alpha_x}{\partial x'} - \delta y' \frac{\partial \alpha_x}{\partial y'} - \frac{D_1}{D_{12}} \frac{\partial \alpha_x}{\partial y'} - \delta x' \frac{D_1}{D_{12}} - \delta x' \frac{\partial \alpha_y}{\partial x'} - \delta x' \frac{D_1}{D_{12}}$
 and corresponding corrections for the second parts of these equations
 p. 216, Eq. [70]: Change D_1/D_{12} to $D_1 D_2/D_{12}$
 p. 221, Eq. [74]: Change $T^{\mu\nu}(x)$ to $T^{\mu\nu}(x')$
 p. 222, Eq. [81]: Change $T^{\mu\nu}(x)$ to $T^{\mu\nu}(x')$...; Eq. [88]: Change x^k to x'^k
 p. 224, Eq. [94], first column of right side: $2GS_x/\kappa r^3$; line 7 in third paragraph: precession of the plane of ...
 p. 239, Problem 30: first equation: ... $D_1 D_2/D_{12}$; last equation ... $= -2\pi\delta(x' - \xi)\delta(y' - \zeta)$
 p. 243, Eq. [8]: $\phi^{\mu\nu} = \dots$
 p. 255, Eq. [60]: ... $= \frac{\pi^2}{4} (2\phi^{k,l,0} \phi^{k,l,s} - \dots)$
 p. 256, line 1: $\phi^{kk} \propto \ddot{Q}^{kk} = 0$
 p. 285, line after Eq. [144]: ... $\bar{\sigma}_{ab\sigma}(\omega)$
 p. 297, Problem 7, line 2: ... erg/cm²s
 p. 324, Eqs. [47] and [48]: ... $= \frac{1}{g_{00}} [-g_{0k} dx^k \dots]$
 p. 325, Delete the entire footnote
 p. 326, line 1: $g_{\mu\nu} = \frac{\partial}{\partial(dx^\mu)} \frac{\partial}{\partial(dx^\nu)} ds^2$; next to last line: $A^\mu B^\nu g_{\mu\nu}$
 p. 337, Exercise 23: $R_{00} = \dots - \frac{N'}{r}$
 p. 341, line 2 after Exercise 25: $DA^\mu/D\tau \dots [A^\mu(\tau + d\tau) \dots]$
 p. 346, Eq. [134]: $dx^\mu \left[\frac{\partial}{\partial x^\nu} \right] = \dots$
 p. 343, Eq. [122]: $\frac{d^2 s^k}{dt^2} = \dots$
 p. 358, last three lines of first paragraph: ... maximally symmetric spacetime is the de Sitter spacetime,
 an isotropic and homogeneous model of the universe we will discuss in Chapter 9.
 p. 366, line 2: ... $(d\theta^2 + \sin^2\theta d\phi^2)$
 p. 373, line 7: ... From a physical point of view, ...
 p. 376, Eq. [14]: ... $= \eta^{\mu\nu} - \dots$
 p. 381, line 3 of paragraph 2: ... $g'_{\mu\nu} = \eta_{\mu\nu}$ and ...; Eq. [24]: ... $-\partial^\lambda \partial'_\mu g'_{\nu\lambda} + \partial'_\mu \partial'_\nu g'_{\lambda\sigma}$
 p. 392, line 10 of paragraph 3: ... $d\theta^2 + \sin^2\theta d\phi^2$...
 line 12 of paragraph 3: $dl^2 = B(r)(r^2 d\theta^2 + r^2 \sin^2\theta d\phi^2) + C(r) dr^2$
 p. 396, Eq. [79]: $ds^2 = \left[\frac{1 - C/4r'}{1 + C/4r'} \right]^2 dt^2 - \dots$
- p. 110, line 3 after Eq. [175]:
 $\epsilon_{0123} = \epsilon_{2301} = \epsilon_{0231} = \epsilon_{3102} = \dots = 1,$
 $\epsilon_{1023} = \epsilon_{3201} = \epsilon_{2031} = \epsilon_{1302} = \dots = -1$
 p. 114, line 2: ... $m_1 u_1^\mu$ and $m_2 u_2^\mu$
 p. 118, footnote: ... Eq. [1.19] ...
 p. 131, line 10 in 3rd paragraph: $f^{\alpha 0} = \dots$
 p. 133, Eq. [4]: ... $\partial^\nu \partial_\mu A^\mu, \dots$
 p. 134, line 3 from bottom: ... Eq. [2.119] ...
 p. 154, Exercise 16: ... Problem 2.14 ...
 p. 165, Eq. [129]: ... $\frac{d}{dt} \left(\frac{1}{L} g_{\mu\nu} \frac{dx^\nu}{dt} \right) \dots$
 p. 186, Table 4.1: ... redshift of K lines 1.01 ± 0.06
 p. 225, Eqs. [98]-[100]: With the replacement of L by s , this calculation is correct for the precession of the spin of a small rotating body (a gyroscope) in a circular orbit, but it is **not** correct for precession of the orbital angular momentum. The correct formula for precession of orbital angular momentum is $\Omega = 2GS/r^3$ (eastward).
- p. 291, Eq. [158]: $e^{(\xi + 4\pi\kappa/\lambda)}$
 p. 318, 2nd equation in Exercise 9: ... $+ 2 \cot \theta$...
 p. 338, line after Eq. [110]: ... in the last four terms. ...
 p. 349, Eq. [153]: $g_{\alpha\mu} g^{\mu\nu} = \delta_\alpha^\nu$
 p. 367, Problem 25, line 2 of equation: $+ g^{\mu\nu} \sqrt{-g}(\dots)$
 p. 400, equation after [98]: $dt' = e^{h(t)/2} dt$
 p. 434, Problem 18: Replace "local geodesic coordinates" by "local measured distances"
 p. 527, last line: ... Exercise 1.4)
 p. 531, line 2 before Eq. [29]: ... $1/v = H_0^{-1}$
 p. 581, Problem 4: change b to r
p. 339, Eq. [113]: change $-t$ to $+t$

- p. 400, line 5 from bottom: ... Exercise 1.4
- p. 414, Eq. [144]: $\dots \left[-I^a + \frac{1}{2} \delta_1^a I^a \right]$
- p. 417, Eq. [150]: $\left[\dots + S_x g_{33} \frac{dz}{dr} \right] \simeq S_y v$
- p. 433, Prob. 14: $\dots (dr^2 + r^2 d\theta^2 + r^2 \sin^2\theta d\phi^2)$
- p. 442, Eq. [12]: $\dots \frac{1}{1 - r_s/r_0} = \dots$
- p. 445, Eq. [17]: $\dots = \pm \left[1 - \frac{r_s}{r} \right]$
- p. 456, Fig. 8.6(a): Change lower label $u = 0.8$ to $u = -0.8$
- p. 462, Eq. [43]: $f(r) = a \int_{\infty}^r \frac{dr}{r^2 - 2GM/r + a^2} + \tan^{-1} \frac{a}{r}$
- p. 469, Fig. 8.13: horizontal axis is z/r_s
- p. 471, Eq. [66]: $\dots + \frac{S^2}{(2GM/r)^2}$
- p. 476, second paragraph: Change Eq. [30] to [32], and change Eqs. [43] and [47] to [51] and [55].
- p. 476, Fig. 8.19: On left side, change label IH(1,2) to III(2,1)
- p. 498, first three lines: \dots gives $E(r_s) = \sqrt{8/9}m$. Hence the amount of energy that is converted to heat is $-E(r_s) + E(r_1) = (1 - \sqrt{8/9})m = 0.057m$, or \dots
- p. 502, Exercise 18: \dots Kepler's law $(T/2\pi)^2 = \dots$
- p. 527, line after Eq. [15]: \dots position r has \dots
- p. 544, Eq. [50]: $ds^2 = (dx^0)^2 + g_{kn} dx^k dx^n$
- p. 559, Eq. [117]: $\dots = \frac{4GM}{\pi a^3}$
- p. 560, third column of matrix: $-a^2 \chi^2$; Eq. [121]: $\dots = \frac{4GM}{\pi a^3} + A$
- p. 565, Exercise 11: \dots solution of [104] \dots ; Exercise 12: \dots equation of motion [104] \dots
- p. 567, Eq. [139]: Change $\lambda(0)$ to $\lambda(i)$
- p. 570, Eq. [150]: $\dots \frac{d\lambda}{dt} = \chi = H\lambda$
- p. 572, Exercise 14: Multiply Eq. [104] \dots
- p. 582, Problem 8: first equation: $\dots \Omega_0/(\Omega_0 - 1)^{3/2} \dots$; second equation: $\dots \Omega_0/(1 - \Omega_0)^{3/2} \dots$
- p. 584, line 1: $\dots + \chi^2 \sin^2\theta d\phi^2$; Problem 17, line 1: \dots Problem 15.
last line: \dots at an age of 0.55×10^{11} years. \dots
- p. 585, line 4: $\dots \simeq 0.8 \times 10^{11}$ years, \dots
- p. 588, Eq. [5]: $\dots = 4.2 \times 10^4 \Omega_0 h^2$; Eq. [6]: $\dots = 4.2 \times 10^4 \Omega_0 h^2 T_0 = 1.1 \times 10^5 K \times \Omega_0 h^2$
- p. 591, line 2 after Eq. [15]: "Planck mass" should be in italics
- p. 602, Eq. [50], denominator: Change -1 to +1.
- p. 612, Eq. [73]: $= Ae^{-ikx} - i\omega t$
- p. 612, lines 1,2,3 after Eq. [74]: \dots if k is large, \dots . But if k is small, ω will \dots value of k below \dots
- p. 630, Problem 8: \dots where $\sigma_T = (8\pi/3)(e^2/m_e c^2)^2 = \dots$
- p. 638, Eq. [20]: $(\dots - \mathcal{L}) d^3x$
- p. 639, Eq. [22]: $\dots = \psi_{,\mu} \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \psi_{,\mu}} - \delta_{\mu\nu} \psi \mathcal{L}$
- p. 640, line 11 in last paragraph: \dots and $\partial_{\nu} \bar{t}_{\mu}{}^{\nu} = 0$. Thus, \dots
- p. 647, Eq. [55]: $(\dots + \Gamma_{\beta\lambda}^{\sigma} \Gamma_{\sigma\alpha}^{\lambda} - \dots)$
- p. 650, Answer 1.6: $6.3 \times 10^{-4} \text{ s/yr}$; Answer 1.16: $7.7 \times 10^{-8} \text{ N}$; Answer 2.14: Change a_0 to a
Answer 2.22(b): $E' = \dots$
- p. 653, Answer 7.8, second line: $1.4 \times 10^{38} \text{ cm}^3$; 1.4×10^{-6} ; Answer 7.20: $t = 6\pi GM\sqrt{3} \dots$
- p. 633, Eq. [3]: $\dots - \frac{d}{dt} \frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{q}_i} \dots$
- p. 643, Eqs. [37], [39], [42], and equation after [37]: change sign in front of each A
- p. 643, line before Eq. [38]: $H^{\mu\nu}{}_{,\mu} = \dots$
- p. 644, Eq. [43]: change last two minus signs to plus
- p. 645, Eq. [45], line 2: $+g^{\mu\nu} \sqrt{-g}(\dots)$
- p. 647, Eq. [56], last term: $\dots (\sqrt{-g} g^{ab} \dots)$
- p. 648, line 5, paragraph 2: $\dots + \Gamma_{\mu\lambda}^{\sigma} \Gamma_{\sigma\alpha}^{\lambda} - \dots$
- p. 648, Eqs. [58], [59]: change $\partial/\partial x_1$ to $\partial/\partial x^1$
- p. 648, Eq. [60]: change plus sign to minus
- p. 652, Answer 5.20: $\dots 5 \times 10^{-39}$; Answer 5.22: $a' = 8a/\pi^2$; $d' = 8a/9\pi^2$