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开普勒定律记忆方法: 1 椭; 2 面; Cr^3

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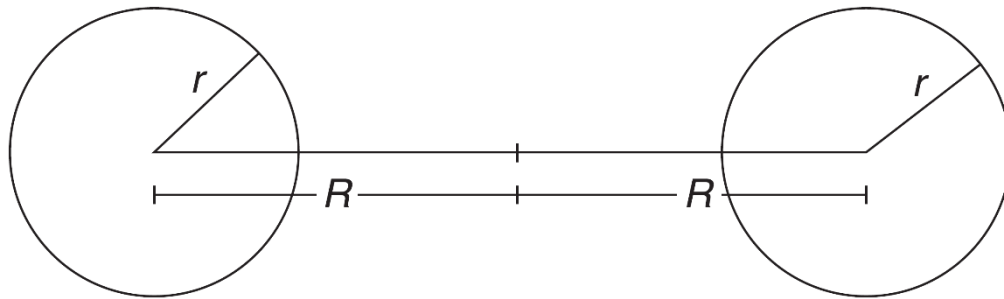
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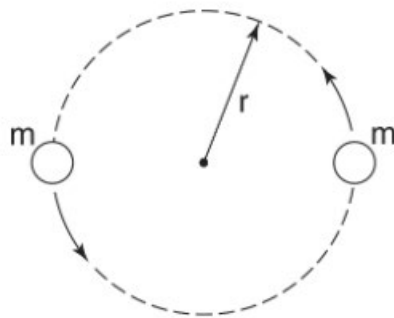


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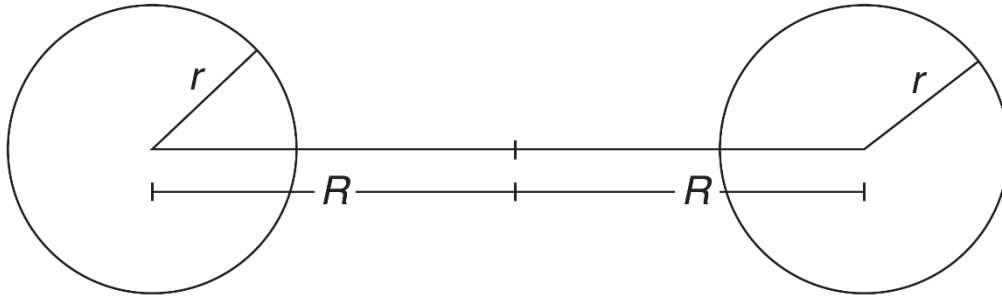
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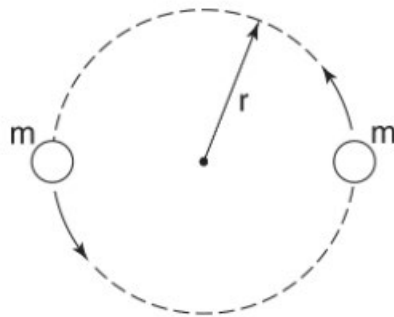
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$$E_p = -\frac{GMm}{r} \text{ 此时 } r \text{ 应该取两个 star 之间的距离 } 2r, \text{ 且 } M=m$$

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$$m \frac{v^2}{r} = \frac{GMm}{(2r)^2} \Rightarrow v^2 = \frac{GM}{4r}$$

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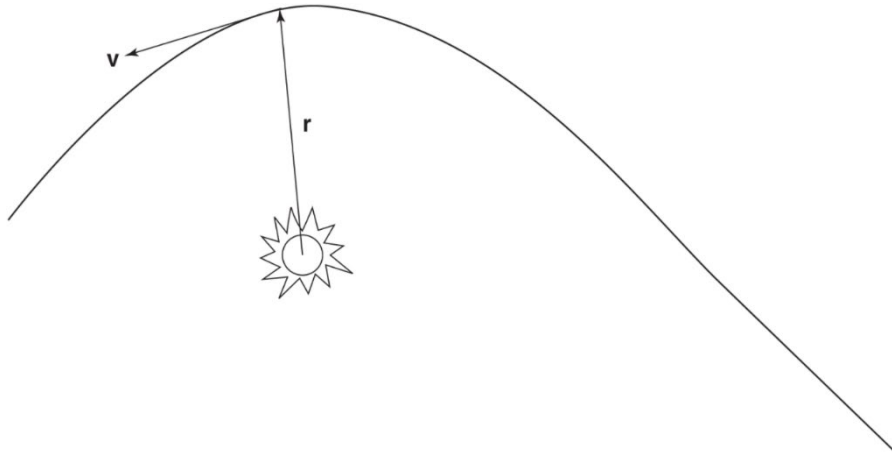
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$$E = E_k + E_p = \frac{Gm^2}{4r} - \frac{Gm^2}{2r} = -\frac{Gm^2}{4r}$$

(E)

题型 2 逃逸速度相关



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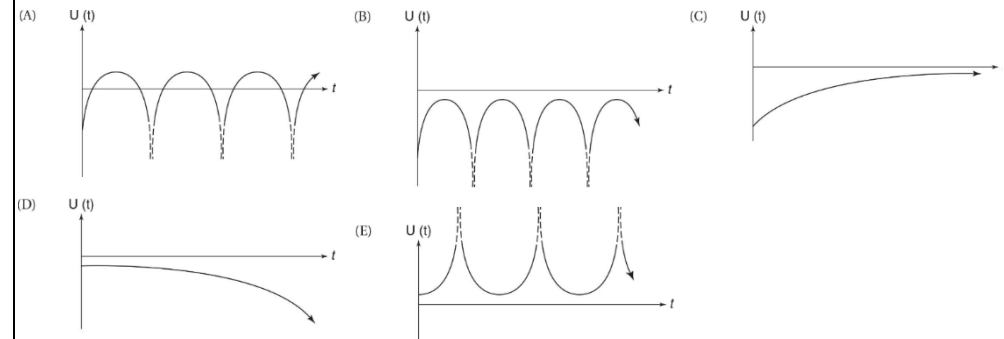
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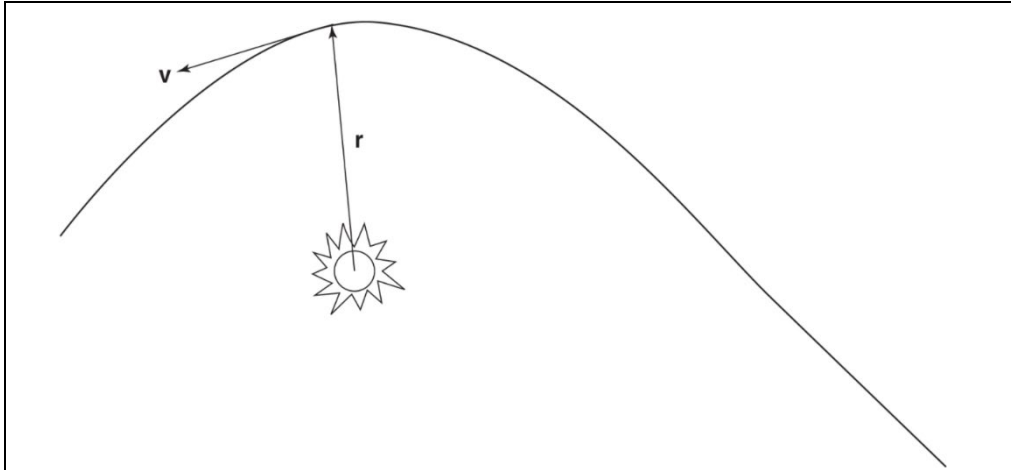
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 (E) The velocity depends on the mass of the escaping particle.

Consider a two-mass system where one mass is fixed and the second mass is initially moving directly away from the fixed mass. If this constitutes a bound system, such that the second mass does not have sufficient velocity to escape to an infinite distance from the fixed mass, which of the graphs in Figure 10.9 represents the gravitational potential energy of the system as a function of time? (Treat the two masses as points that essentially have no volume and so can "pass through" each other.)



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∴ free to continue an infinite distance away from the sun:

→ Total energy greater than 0

$$\rightarrow E_k - |E_p| > 0 \Rightarrow \frac{1}{2}m_{ast}v^2 - \left(\frac{2Gm_{ast}m_{sun}}{R}\right) > 0 \Rightarrow v > \sqrt{\frac{2Gm_{sun}}{r}} \quad (E)$$

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$$E_k = \frac{1}{2}mv^2 \quad (1)$$

$$m \frac{v^2}{r} = \frac{GMm}{r^2} \Rightarrow v^2 = \frac{GM}{r} \quad \text{plug into (1)}$$

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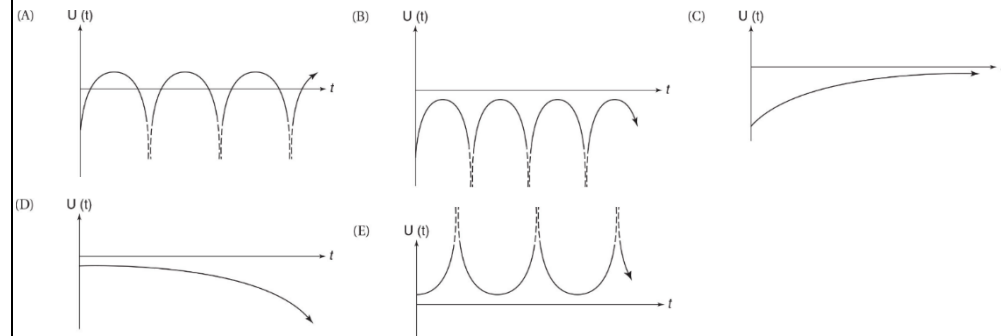
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Escape velocity $\rightarrow E_k + E_p = 0$

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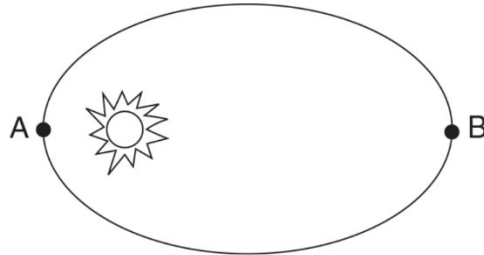
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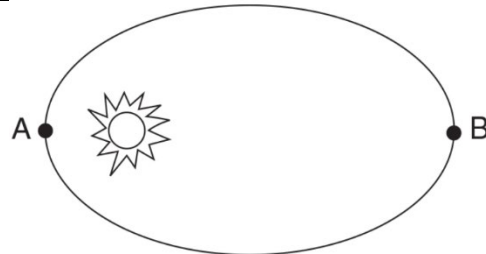
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Because the gravitational force is always parallel to the position vector from the sun to the planet (as shown in the derivation of Kepler's second law), the torque is zero and the angular momentum of the planet is constant. **I is correct.**
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- Kepler's 2nd Laws $|v_A|r_A = |v_B|r_B \Rightarrow$ **$v_A > v_B$**

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work done changes E_k and $E_p \rightarrow$ (C) is wrong

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