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circular motion

a force moving in a circular experiences a centripetal force that acts towards the direction of axis of rotation

 $F = mv^2/r$

velocity is a tangent to the force at a point

- constant speed but always changing directions
- therefore there is a variable acceleration

angular velocity

w = angular velocity/frequency/speed

in rads⁻¹

v = (2pi/T)r = (2pi f)r

therfore

v = wr

loops

for vertical loops:

you have a circle

A- left furthest side

B- highest point

C- right furthest side

D- bottom

when travelling-

at A/C > support force = $m\sqrt{2}/r$

 $B > mv^2/r - mg$

 $D > mv^2/r + mg$

banked planes/banded tracks:

 $mv^2/r = mgtan0$

to try and visualise-

- -plane coming towards you
- -angled towards the left the the right wing face towards the sky
- -there is mg downwards
- -centripetal to the left (axis of rotation)
- there is a force u angled up the the diagonal left at 0 degrees to the normal



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