

Relationship of Eccentric Anomaly to the Elliptic Area Integral

- Eccentric anomaly, E , is related to area swept by geometry
- Assuming a starting point is at perigee, the sweep area at some true anomaly, v is given by the integral

$$A_{[v=0]} = \int_0^v \frac{1}{2} r^2 d\theta = \frac{1}{2} \int_0^v \left[a \frac{1-e^2}{[1+e \cos(\theta)]} \right]^2 d\theta =$$

$$\frac{1}{2} \frac{a^2 \sqrt{1-e^2}}{1+e \cos(v)} \left\{ -2 \tanh^{-1} \left[\frac{-(1-e) \tan\left(\frac{v}{2}\right)}{j \sqrt{1-e^2}} \right] [1+e \cos(v)] + e j \sqrt{1-e^2} \sin(v) \right\}$$

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- The integral can be simplified considerably by substituting in the expression for *Eccentric anomaly*

$$\tan \left[\frac{v}{2} \right] = \sqrt{\frac{1+e}{1-e}} \tan \left[\frac{E}{2} \right]$$

- When this substitution is performed

$$\frac{-(1-e) \tan \left(\frac{v}{2} \right)}{j \sqrt{1-e^2}} = \frac{-(1-e) \sqrt{\frac{1+e}{1-e}} \tan \left[\frac{E}{2} \right]}{j \sqrt{1-e^2}} = \frac{j \sqrt{1-e} \sqrt{1+e} \tan \left[\frac{E}{2} \right]}{\sqrt{1-e^2}} = j \tan \left[\frac{E}{2} \right]$$

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- When this result is substituted into the area integral the area integral reduces to

$$A_{[v-0]} =$$

$$\frac{1}{2} \frac{a^2 j \sqrt{1-e^2}}{1+e \cos(v)} \left\{ -2 \tanh^{-1} \left[j \tan \left[\frac{E}{2} \right] \right] [1+e \cos(v)] + e j \sqrt{1-e^2} \sin(v) \right\}$$

- Buuuut...

$$\frac{a^2 j \sqrt{1-e^2}}{1+e \cos(v)} = j \frac{a}{\sqrt{1-e^2}} \frac{a [1-e^2]}{1+e \cos(v)} = j \frac{a}{\sqrt{1-e^2}} r$$

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•When this equation is substituted result is

$$A_{[v=0]} =$$

$$-\frac{1}{2} a \left\{ \frac{2j}{\sqrt{1-e^2}} r \tanh^{-1} \left[j \tan \left[\frac{E}{2} \right] \right] [1 + e \cos (v)] + r e \sin (v) \right\} =$$

$$-\frac{1}{2} a \left\{ \frac{2j}{\sqrt{1-e^2}} a (1 - e^2) \tanh^{-1} \left[j \tan \left[\frac{E}{2} \right] \right] + r e \sin (v) \right\} =$$

$$-\frac{1}{2} a \left\{ 2j a \sqrt{1-e^2} \tanh^{-1} \left[j \tan \left[\frac{E}{2} \right] \right] + r e \sin (v) \right\}$$

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$$A_{[v-0]} = -\frac{1}{2}a \left\{ 2j a \sqrt{1-e^2} \tanh^{-1} \left[j \tan \left[\frac{E}{2} \right] \right] + r e \sin(v) \right\}$$

•But from Trigonometric Identity

$$j \tan \left[\frac{E}{2} \right] = j \frac{\sin \left[\frac{E}{2} \right]}{\cos \left[\frac{E}{2} \right]} = j \frac{\frac{e^{j \left[\frac{E}{2} \right]} - e^{-j \left[\frac{E}{2} \right]}}{2j}}{\frac{e^{j \left[\frac{E}{2} \right]} + e^{-j \left[\frac{E}{2} \right]}}{2}} = \frac{e^{j \left[\frac{E}{2} \right]} - e^{-j \left[\frac{E}{2} \right]}}{e^{j \left[\frac{E}{2} \right]} + e^{-j \left[\frac{E}{2} \right]}} = \frac{\sinh \left[j \frac{E}{2} \right]}{\cosh \left[j \frac{E}{2} \right]} = \tanh \left[j \frac{E}{2} \right]$$

$$\tanh^{-1} \left[j \tan \left[\frac{E}{2} \right] \right] = j \left[\frac{E}{2} \right]$$

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$$\tanh^{-1}\left[j \tan \left[\frac{E}{2} \right] \right] = j \left[\frac{E}{2} \right]$$

$$A_{[v-0]} = -\frac{1}{2} a \left\{ 2j a \sqrt{1-e^2} \tanh^{-1}\left[j \tan \left[\frac{E}{2} \right] \right] + r e \sin(v) \right\}$$

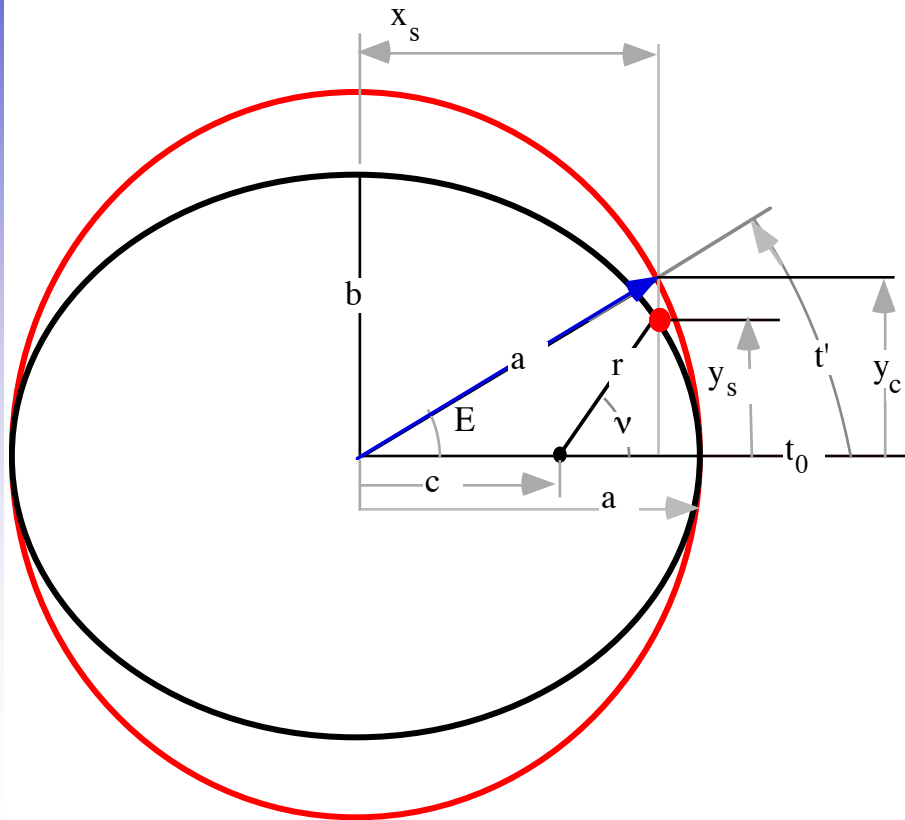
- And the Area Integral reduces to

$$A_{[v-0]} = -\frac{1}{2} a \left\{ 2j a \sqrt{1-e^2} j \left[\frac{E}{2} \right] + r e \sin(v) \right\} =$$

$$\frac{1}{2} a \left\{ a \sqrt{1-e^2} E - r e \sin(v) \right\}$$

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Anomaly: True and Eccentric

- From Cartesian forms for Circle and Ellipse

$$\text{Ellipse: } \left[\frac{x_s^2}{a^2} + \frac{y_s^2}{b^2} = 1 \right] \Rightarrow$$

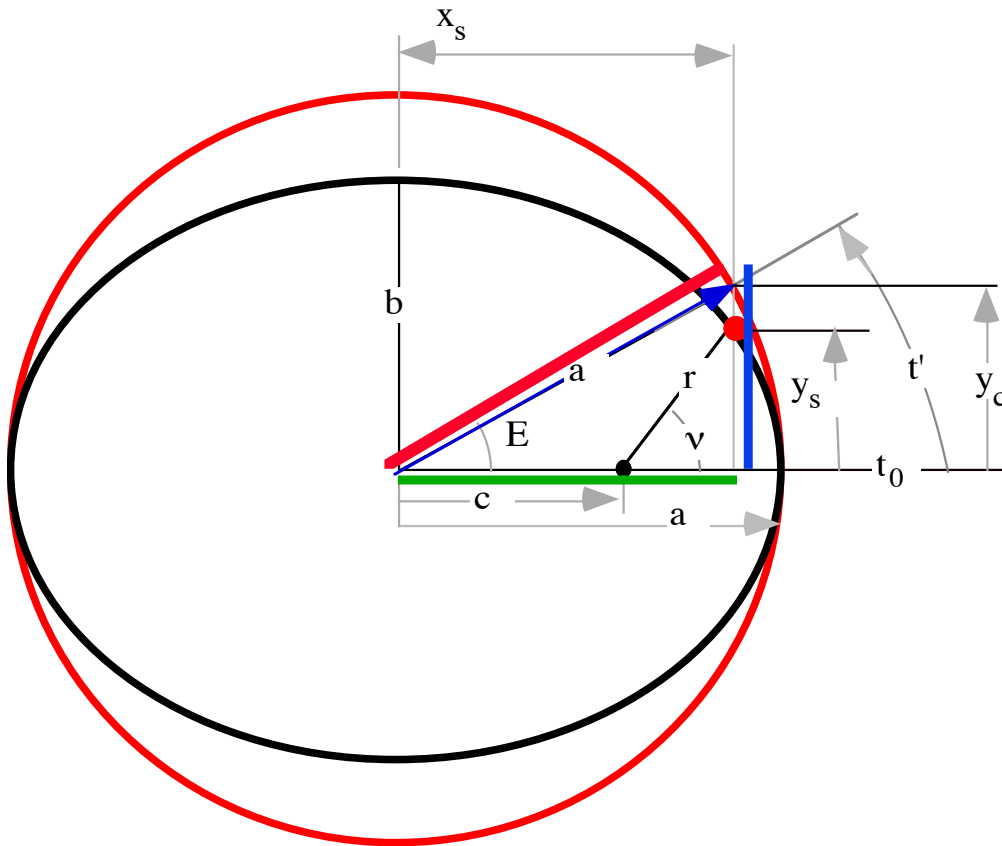
$$\left[\frac{x_s^2}{a^2} + \frac{y_c^2}{a^2} = 1 \right] : \text{Circle}$$



$$\frac{y_s^2}{b^2} = \frac{y_c^2}{a^2} \Rightarrow \boxed{\frac{y_s}{y_c} = \frac{b}{a}}$$

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- Evaluating the geometric projections

$$\frac{y_s}{y_c} = \frac{b}{a} = \frac{r \sin(\nu)}{a \sin(E)}$$

- Rearranging gives

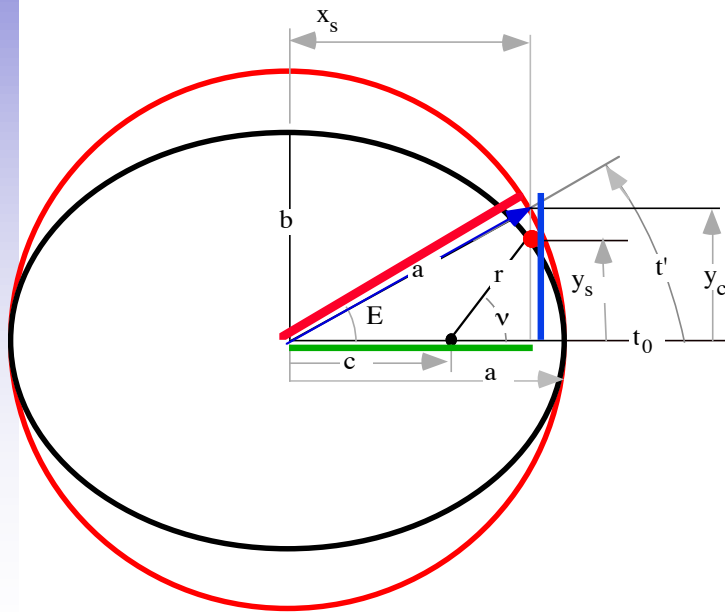
$$r \sin(\nu) = b \sin(E)$$

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- Substituting into the area integral



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$$r \sin(\nu) = b \sin(E)$$

$$A_{[\nu=0]} = \frac{1}{2} a \left\{ a \sqrt{1-e^2} E - r e \sin(\nu) \right\} =$$

$$\frac{1}{2} a \left\{ a \sqrt{1-e^2} E - e b \sin(E) \right\}$$

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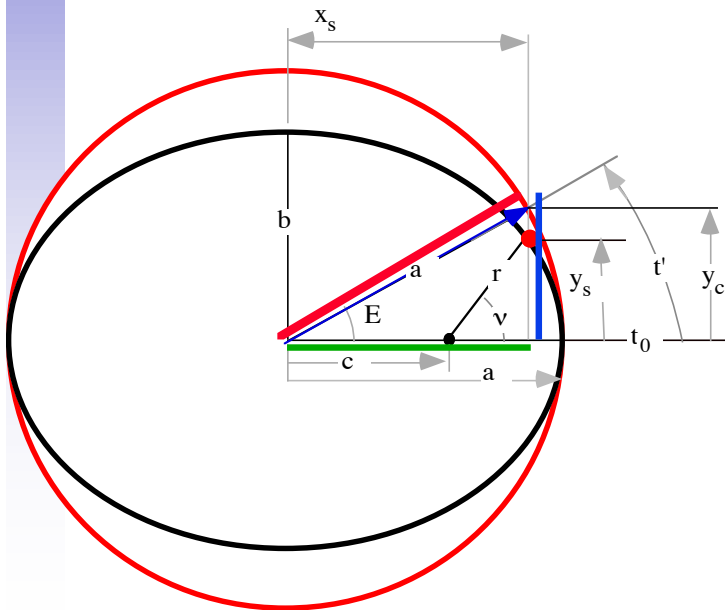
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•Simplifying the expression gives

$$A_{[v-0]} = \frac{1}{2} a \left\{ a \sqrt{1-e^2} E - e b \sin(E) \right\} =$$

$$\frac{1}{2} a^2 \left\{ \sqrt{1-e^2} E - e \frac{b}{a} \sin(E) \right\} = \frac{1}{2} a^2 \sqrt{1-e^2} \left\{ E - e \sin(E) \right\}$$

$$\frac{b}{a} = \sqrt{1-e^2}$$



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- But from Kepler's second law ... total area of Ellipse is:

$$A_{\text{ellipse total}} = \int_0^{2\pi} \left[\frac{1}{2} r(v)^2 dv \right] = \boxed{a^2 \pi \sqrt{1-e^2}}$$

$$A_{[v=0]} = \frac{1}{2} a^2 \sqrt{1-e^2} \{ E - e \sin(E) \} =$$

$$\frac{1}{2\pi} a^2 \pi \sqrt{1-e^2} \{ E - e \sin(E) \} = \frac{A_{\text{ellipse total}}}{2\pi} \{ E - e \sin(E) \}$$

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- Solving for the Area ratio gives:

$$\frac{A_{[v-0]}}{A_{\text{ellipse total}}} = \frac{1}{2\pi} \{ E - e \sin(E) \}$$

- Applying Kepler's second law

$$\frac{A_{v-0}}{A_{\text{ellipse total}}} = \frac{t - t_0}{T}$$

- Defining the *Mean Anomaly* as

$$M_{t-0} = 2\pi \left[\frac{t - t_0}{T} \right]$$

$$2\pi \frac{A_{[v-0]}}{A_{\text{ellipse total}}} = 2\pi \left[\frac{t - t_0}{T} \right] = M_{t-0} = \{ E - e \sin(E) \}$$

FINALLY ... (WHEW!) KEPLER'S EQUATION

$$2 \pi \left[\frac{t - t_0}{T} \right] = M_{t-t_0} = \{ E - e \sin (E) \}$$

- Where t_0 is the time of perapsis passage and

$$\tan \left[\frac{\nu}{2} \right] = \sqrt{\frac{1+e}{1-e}} \tan \left[\frac{E}{2} \right]$$