

From the above two figures it is observed that the direction of $\vec{\omega}$ is through the centre of circular path but remains normal to plane of the circle.

Consider a body completes one revolution in time 'T', with angular velocity ω for which it has to go through 2π .

But Angular velocity = $\frac{\text{Angular displacement}}{\text{Time}}$

$$\omega = \frac{2\pi}{T} \quad \text{--- (3)}$$

$$\therefore \omega = 2\pi \times \frac{1}{T}$$

$$\therefore \omega = 2\pi n \quad \text{--- (4)}$$

Angular Acceleration :

It is the rate of change of angular velocity with respect to time.

It is denoted by ' α '

Angular Acceleration = $\frac{\text{Change in angular velocity}}{\text{Time}}$

Consider a body starts its circular motion from point 'A' with angular velocity ' ω ' along circular path of radius 'R'. Let 'O' be the centre of the circle so that in short time 'dt' the body covers small angular displacement ' $d\theta$ ' and comes to new position 'B' where its angular velocity becomes $\omega + d\omega$.

But, Angular Acceleration = $\frac{\text{Change in angular velocity}}{\text{Time}}$

$$\therefore \alpha = \frac{d\omega}{dt}$$

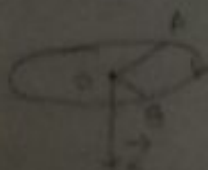
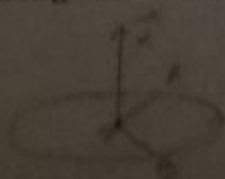
$$\frac{d\omega}{dt} = \frac{d(\frac{d\theta}{dt})}{dt} = \frac{d^2\theta}{dt^2}$$

$$\alpha = \frac{d\omega}{dt} = \frac{d^2\theta}{dt^2} \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$\alpha = \frac{d\omega}{dt} = \frac{d^2\theta}{dt^2} \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

The unit of angular acceleration (α) is radian/Sec^2 while its dimension are $[M^0 L^0 T^{-2}]$.

From equation (2) it is observed that the direction of $\vec{\alpha}$ is in the direction of $\vec{\omega}$ and $d\vec{\theta}$. It means direction of $\vec{\alpha}$ can also be decided by Screw Rule or Right Hand Rule.



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1) Linear accⁿ
 $\therefore \Delta \vec{v} \neq 0 \Rightarrow \frac{d\vec{v}}{dt}$
 2) Angular accⁿ
 $\therefore \vec{\alpha} = \frac{d\vec{\omega}}{dt}$

In any position of the bob, there are two forces acting upon it. These forces are (i) the weight mg acting vertically downwards and (ii) the tension T in the string. The tension can be resolved into a vertical component $T \cos \theta$ and a horizontal component $T \sin \theta$ (Fig. The component $T \cos \theta$ balances the weight of the bob).

$$T \cos \theta = mg \rightarrow (1)$$

The component $T \sin \theta$ acts as the centripetal force necessary for the uniform circular motion of the bob.

$$T \sin \theta = C.P.F$$

$$T \sin \theta = \frac{mv^2}{r} \rightarrow (2)$$

where v is the magnitude of the velocity of the bob.

Dividing Eq. (2) by Eq. (1) we get

$$\frac{T \sin \theta}{T \cos \theta} = \frac{mv^2/r}{mg}$$

$$\tan \theta = \frac{v^2}{rg} \rightarrow (3)$$

$$v^2 = rg \tan \theta$$

$$v = \sqrt{rg \tan \theta} \rightarrow (4)$$

This expression gives the magnitude of the velocity of the bob.

From Fig. In $\triangle OCA$,

$$\tan \theta = \frac{AC}{OC} = \frac{r}{h} \rightarrow (5)$$

where h is the axial or vertical height of the conic pendulum. From Eq. (4) and Eq. (5) we get

$$\frac{v^2}{rg} = \frac{r}{h}$$

$$\frac{v^2}{r^2} = \frac{g}{h}$$

$$\frac{v}{r} = \frac{\sqrt{g}}{\sqrt{h}} \rightarrow (6) \quad \frac{v}{r} = \frac{\sqrt{h}}{g}$$

The period of revolution (t) of the bob is given by

$$velocity = \frac{displacement}{time} \quad v = \frac{2\pi r}{t} \quad t = \frac{2\pi r}{v}$$

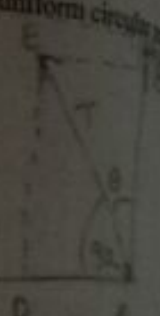
$$t = 2\pi \sqrt{\frac{h}{g}} \rightarrow (7)$$

The period of the bob is also called the period of the conical pendulum. From Fig. In $\triangle OCA$, $\cos \theta = \frac{h}{l}$ $\cos \theta = \frac{h}{l}$

$$h = l \cos \theta \rightarrow (8)$$

Substituting the value of h in Eq. (7) the period of the conical pendulum can be written as

$$t = 2\pi \sqrt{\frac{l \cos \theta}{g}} \rightarrow (9)$$



In $\triangle AGE$,
 $\cos \theta = \frac{AG}{AE}$
 $AG = T \cos \theta$

In $\triangle ADE$,
 $\cos(90^\circ - \theta) = \frac{AD}{AE}$
 $\sin \theta = \frac{AD}{AE}$
 $AD = AE \sin \theta$
 $AD = T \sin \theta$