

CHAPTER 13

1. A 7 kg mass is separated by a distance of 11 m from a 42 kg mass.
 - a. What is the gravitational force on the 7 kg mass due to the 42 kg mass?
 - b. What is the gravitational force on the 42 kg mass due to the 7 kg mass?

2. The earth has a mass of 5.98×10^{24} kg, and a radius of 6.37×10^6 m.
 - a. At what altitude above the surface of the earth would an artificial satellite be in order to orbit the earth with a period of 9 hours?
 - b. What tangential velocity would the satellite have?

3. The sun has a mass of 1.99×10^{30} kg, and Venus has a mass of 4.87×10^{24} kg. Venus travels in a circular orbit with a radius of 1.08×10^{11} m.
 - a. What is the gravitational force of the sun on Venus?
 - b. What is the gravitational force of Venus on the sun?
 - c. With what velocity does Venus need to circle the sun in order to balance this gravitational force?
 - d. How long will it take Venus to orbit the sun?