## Highlights of the course



## Gyroscope



Thought Experiment!

## Disk rotated by twist in outer space



Directions of Torque, Angular momentum and
Angular velocity?

## Disk spinning in outer space



## Disk (spin + twist) in outer space?



## How will be the motion of Disk? Spin and Rotate?

## Disk (spin + twist) in outer space?



For the disk to spin and rotate, there must be an external torque ( $\mathrm{dL} / \mathrm{dt}$ ) always, which will change the spin angular momentum.

Spin and rotation will not happen simultaneously!

## Counter Intuitive!

## Disk (spin + twist) in outer space?



Disk orients in the direction of torque, whereas the force was applied in the $y$ direction!

## Counter Intuitive!

## View along X-axis side



Disk (spin + twist) when continuous torque applied externally?


How will be the motion of Disk? Spin and Rotate?

## Gyroscope



## Gyroscope Precision



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$$
\tau=l W
$$



## TOP VIEW



## Vector nature of angular velocity and angular momentum



## Gyroscope Precision

$$
\vec{\tau}=l \hat{e}_{x} \times W\left(-\hat{e}_{y}\right)
$$



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$$
\begin{aligned}
& l W=\Omega L_{s} \\
& l W=\Omega I_{0} \omega_{s} \\
& \Omega=\frac{l W}{I_{0} \omega_{s}}
\end{aligned}
$$

## Gyroscope Precision



Consider a gyroscope in uniform precession with its axle at angle $\phi$ with vertical

The horizontal component of angular momentum is $L_{s} \sin \phi$

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\begin{gathered}
\left|\frac{d L_{s} \mid}{d t}\right|=\Omega L_{s} \sin \phi \\
l W \sin \phi=\Omega L_{s} \sin \phi \\
\Omega=\frac{l W}{I_{0} \omega_{s}}
\end{gathered}
$$

The precessional velocity is
independent of $\phi$

