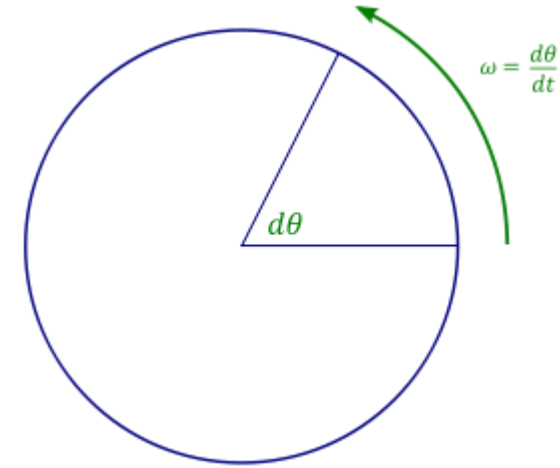


2nd Newton's Law for Rotation

| Linear motion | Rotation |
|---|---|
| Coordinate: x | Angle (in radians): $\theta = l/R$ |
| Velocity: $v = \Delta x / \Delta t$ | Angular velocity: $\omega = \Delta \theta / \Delta t$ |
| Mass: m | Moment of Inertia: $I = \sum_i m_i r_i^2$ |
| Acceleration: $a = \Delta v / \Delta t$ | Angular acceleration: $\Delta \omega / \Delta t$ |
| Force, F | Torque, $T = F \times l$ |



2nd Newton's Law:

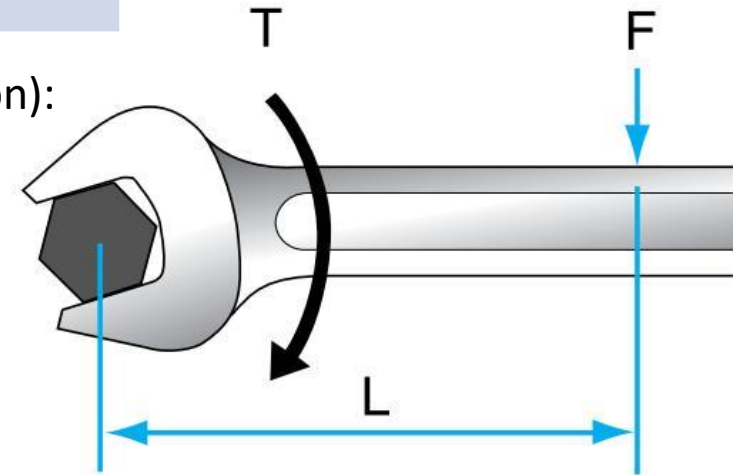
$$F = ma = \frac{\Delta(mv)}{\Delta t}$$

$p = mv$ is Linear Momentum

$L = I\omega$ is called Angular Momentum

2nd Newton's Law (for rotation):

$$T = \frac{\Delta(I\omega)}{\Delta t}$$



Torque $T = F$ (Force) \times L (Length)

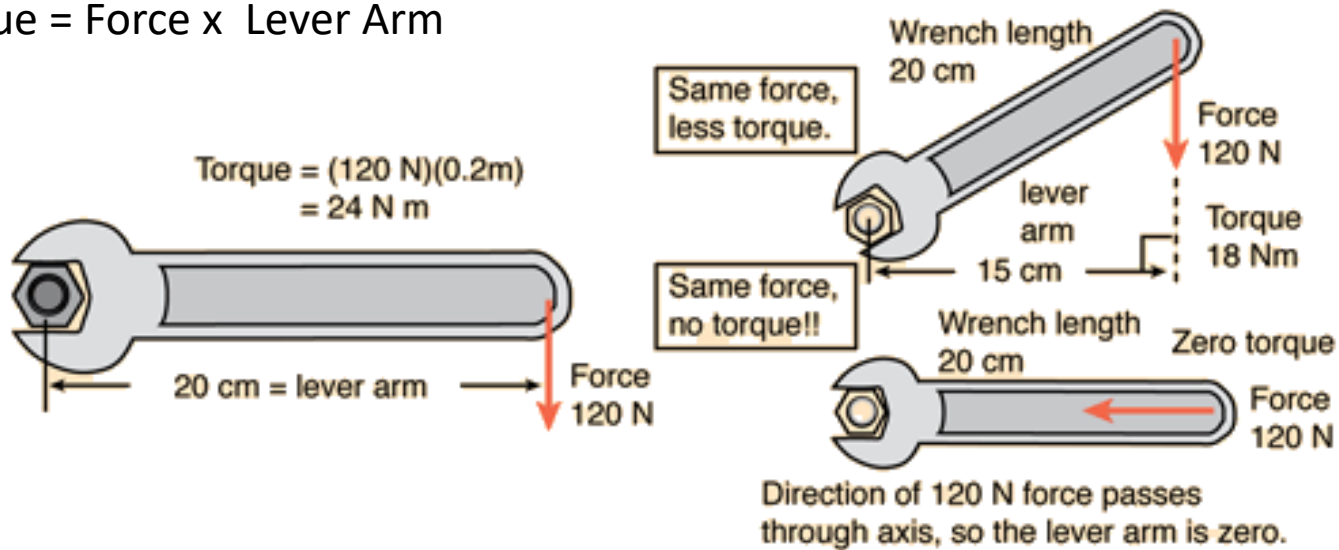
Statics

Condition of mechanical equilibrium:

- Sum of all **forces** acting on an object is zero.
- Sum of all **torques** acting on an object is zero.

What is torque?

Torque = Force x Lever Arm



Three examples of torque exerted on a wrench of length 20 cm.

Homework

Problem 1 Estimate how much torque you apply to a typical bathroom faucet handle when you shut off the water.

Problem 2 In the picture below, the donkey weighs 150 kg. Use the picture to estimate the minimum mass of the load on the cart. Show all the forces, and do appropriate calculation.

