

ASTR450 Homework # 2 – Central Force Motion
Due Thursday, February 12

Reading: Danby's Chapter 3. Go over HW #1 with the solution set.

1. Danby: Page 53, Problem 1. What is the most general motion that satisfies these constraints?
2. Danby: Page 53, Problem 2.
3. Danby: Page 53, Problem 7. Use $\mathbf{x} = Ae^{m\mathbf{t}}$ (with A and m constants to be determined) and construct the most general solution in each case.
4. Danby: Page 53, Problem 8. Assume $\omega = \sqrt{k/m}$ with k constant.
5. Danby: Page 53, Problem 19.