

The angular momentum of an object: $L = I\omega$, where I is the moment of inertia of the object and ω is the angular velocity (rad/sec).

- 1) Calculate the angular momentum of the Sun. $I = 0.059 \cdot M_{\odot}R_{\odot}^2$ and the Sun rotates once in 25.05 days.
- 2) Calculate the angular momentum of Jupiter going around the Sun. $I = M_{Jup}r^2$, where r = Jupiter's distance from the Sun. Make sure R_{\odot} and r have the same units.
- 3) Calculate how long it would take the Sun to rotate, if all of Jupiter's angular momentum were added to the Sun.

HD 63454 is a K4V star ($M = 0.79 M_{\odot}$) that is known to have an extra-solar planet in a circular orbit with a period of 2.81782 days. The planet produces a maximum reflex velocity of $A = 64.3$ m/s in the star.

- 4) Calculate the semi-major axis of the planet's orbit [in AU].
- 5) Calculate the minimum mass of the planet ($\sin i = 1.0$)
- 6) Calculate the total mass of material a 1 cm radius spherical particle at 1 AU from a $1 M_{\odot}$ star runs into in one year going through a proto-planetary nebula with a density of 10^{-7} kg/m³.
- 7) Calculate the final size, after a year, of that initial 1 cm radius particle if the individual particles in the proto-planetary nebula have a density of 1000 kg/m³.

Please show all your work (including units) in as complete, concise, neat, and organized a manner as possible.

Due: Thur June 4th in class (–2% for every hour late)