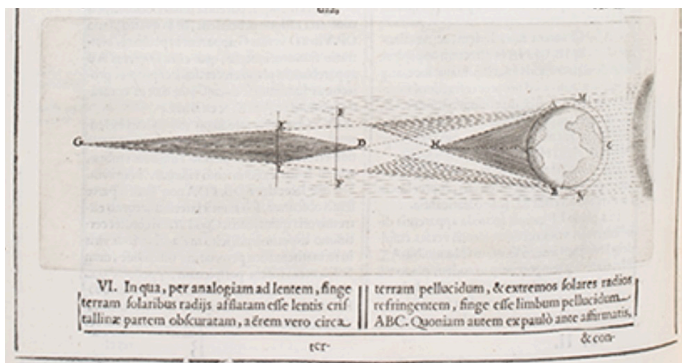


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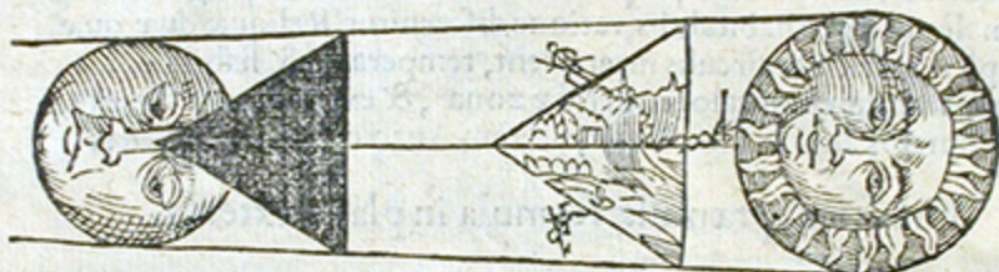
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PRIMA PARS COSMO-  
Hoc Schema demonstrat terram esse globosam .



Si terra esset tetragona, umbra quoq; tetragonæ  
figuræ in eclipsatione lunari appareret.



Si terra esset trigona, umbra quoq; triangu-  
larem haberet formulam.



Si terra hexagonæ esset figuræ, eius quoq; umbra in  
defectu lunari hexagona appareret, quæ  
tamen rotunda cernitur .





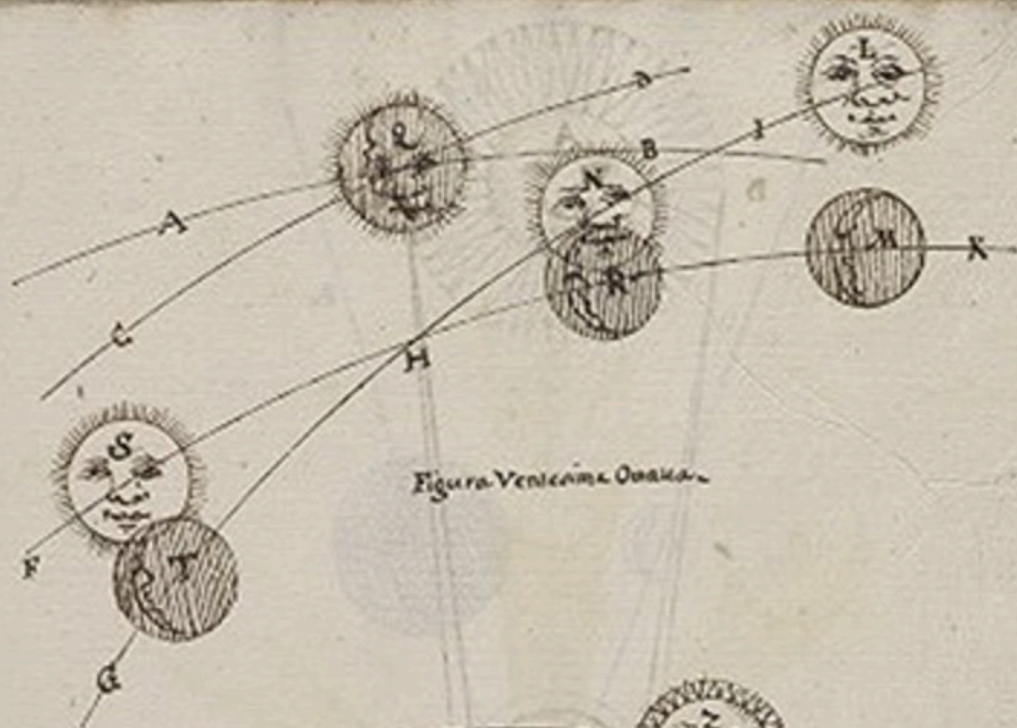


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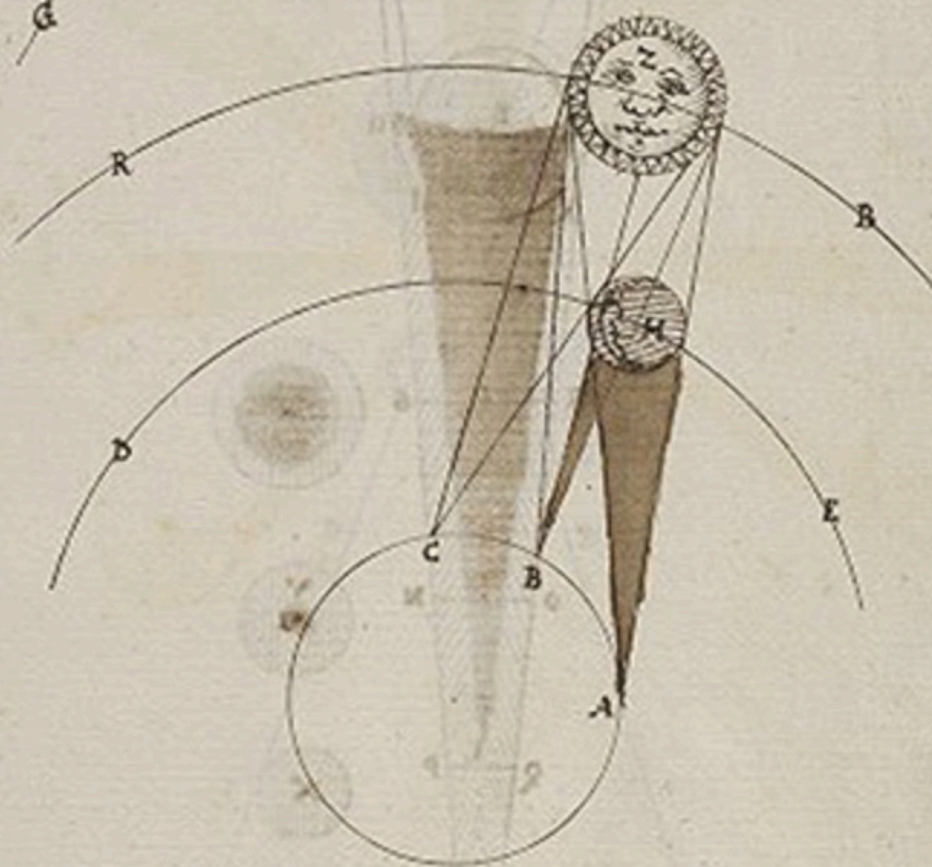
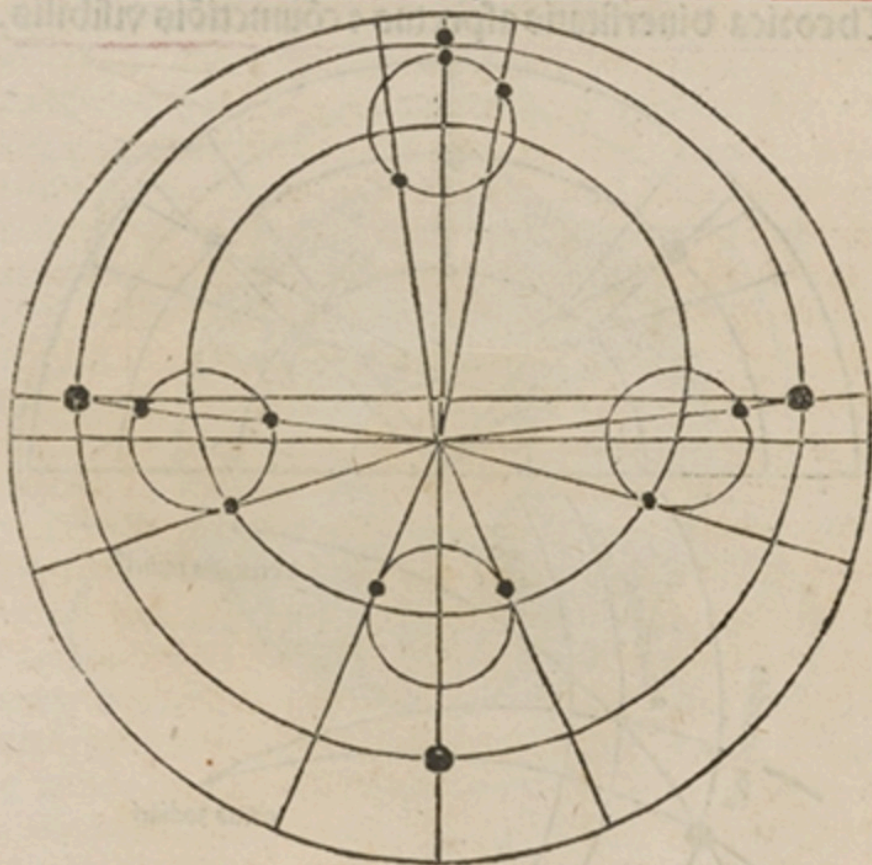


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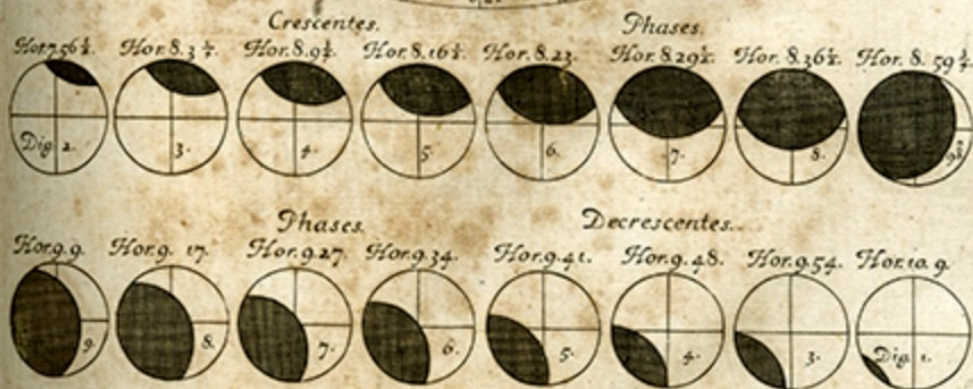
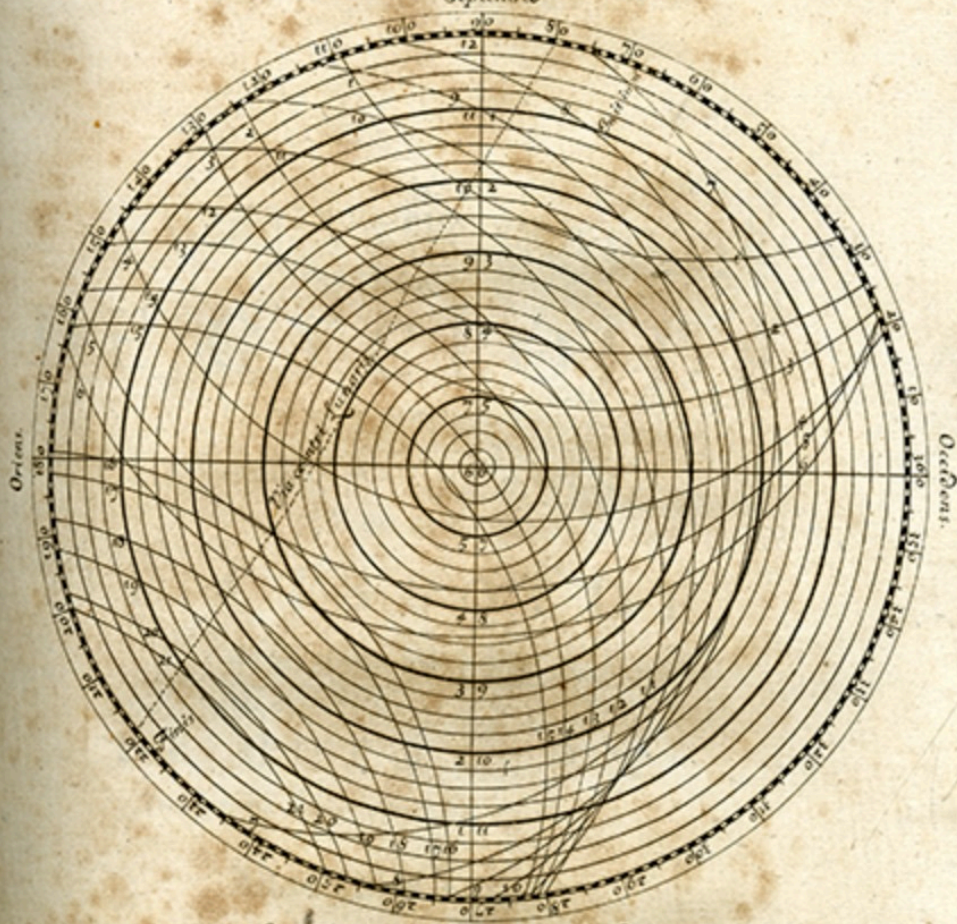


eorum secundum longitudinem zodiaci coniunguntur. Vera autem quoniam linee verorum  
 motuum sic conveniunt. Sed visibilis quando linee ab oculo nostro per  
 centra corporum suorum educte coniunguntur in unum. Similiter de opposi-  
 tione media et vera dicendum. Et attenduntur haec in eisdem signo gradu  
 et minuto. Ex isto patet sepe coniunctionem veram esse quam media praecessit  
 aut futura est. sepe etiam veram esse quam tamen visibilis non est. aliquam etiam visibi-  
 lem veram praecedere: quandoque vero sequi. ¶ Locus verus astra est punctus fir-  
 mamenti lineam a centro mundi per centrum astra praeterea terminans. Locus autem  
 visus siue apparetur per lineam ab oculo per centrum astra praeterea detrahens.  
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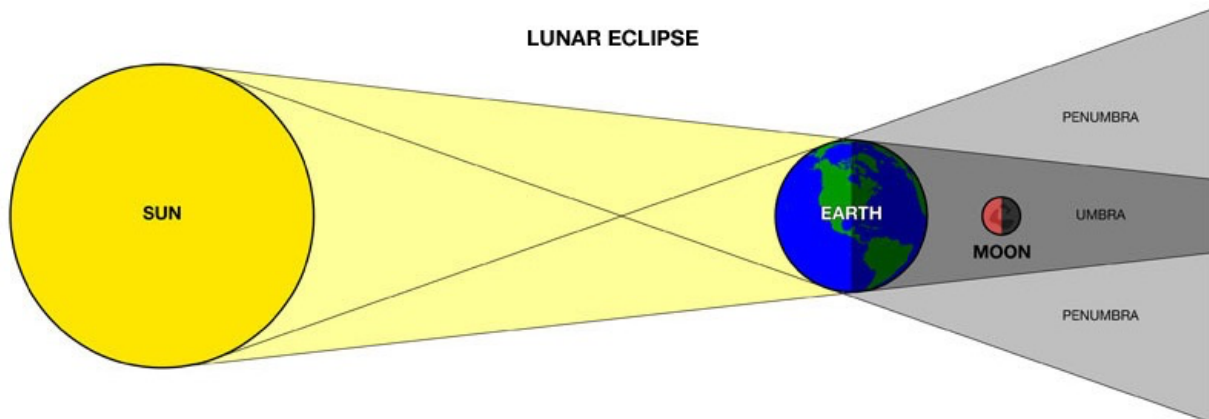
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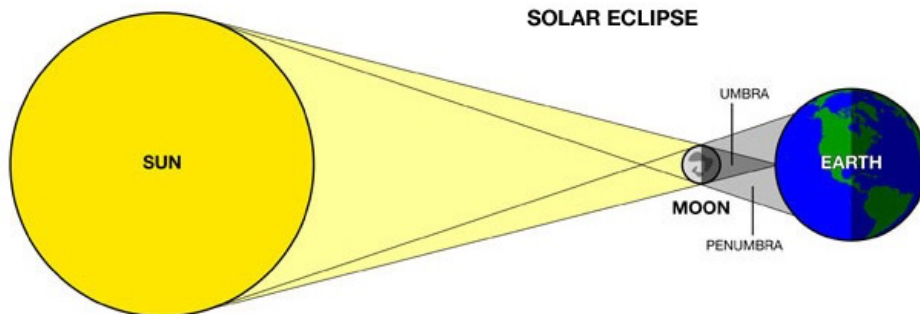
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**LUNAR ECLIPSE**



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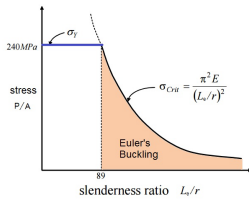






## Leonhard Euler: 1707 - 1783

1. Switzerland, Russia, Berlin
- ▼ 2. math / physics / astronomy / geography / engineer
  - a. created graph theory & topology
  - b. analytic number theory, complex analysis, calculus
  - ▼ c. solidified the use of mathematical notation
    - i. function notation:  $f(x)$
    - ii. greek letter: pi
    - iii. imaginary number:  $i$
    - iv. summation: Sigma
    - v. defined the constant  $e$
    - vi. introduced the use of exp function & logs in proofs
    - vii. Euler's formula:  $\exp(iz) = \cos(z) + i\sin(z)$
    - ▶ viii. Pioneered analytic methods in number theory
    - ix. hyperbolic trig functions
    - x. continued fractions
  - ▼ d. mechanics / fluid dynamics / optics / astronomy / music theory
    - i. Integrated Leibniz's differential calculus with Newton's Fluxions
    - ii. nature of & orbits of comets
    - iii. foundations of longitude tables
    - iv. Optics: foundations wave theory of light, (like Huygens)
    - ▶ v. Structural engineering: Euler's critical load
    - vi. Logic: Euler diagrams (before refinement to Venn diagrams)
- ▼ 3. Truly one of the greatest mathematicians in history.
  - a. Laplace: "Read Euler, read Euler he is the master of us all."
  - b. Gauss: "The study of Euler's works will remain the best school for the different fields of mathematics, and nothing else can replace it."
  - ▼ c. Most prolific
    - i. 850+ publications
    - ii. 92 volumes
  - d. Graph Theory / Topology: Seven Bridges of Konigsberg
  - ▶ e. Basel Problem:
  - f. Topology: Euler Characteristic



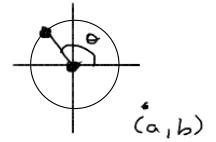
Euler

$$e^{i\pi} + 1 = 0$$

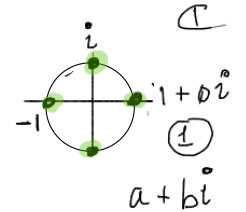
$$e \approx 2.71828\dots, \quad i = \sqrt{-1}$$

$$0, \quad 1, \quad \pi$$

$$(4,5) \quad \mathbb{R}^2$$



$$e^{i\theta} = \cos \theta + i \sin \theta$$



$$2, 2^2, 2^3, 2^4, \dots$$

$$1, i^2, i^3, i^4, i^5$$

$$(\sqrt{-1})(\sqrt{-1})$$

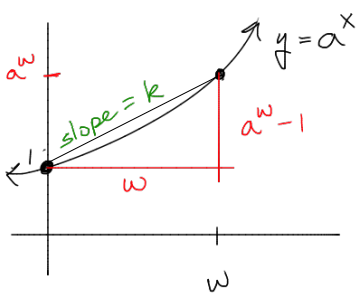
$$(-1)^{1/2} (-1)^{1/2} = -1$$

$$i^3 = i^2 \cdot i = -i$$

$$i^4 = i^3 \cdot i = (-i)(i) = -i^2 = -(-1) = 1$$



Euler's derivation of the constant  $e$



$$w | k = \text{slope} = \frac{\text{rise}}{\text{run}} = \frac{a^w - 1}{w} \quad \text{so solve for } a^w$$

$$kw = a^w - 1 \implies \boxed{a^w = 1 + kw}$$

Idea + what follows:

If I choose any #, 12, I can write it as

$$12 = 1000 \times \frac{12}{1000} = \text{Huge} \times \text{Small}$$

$\forall x \in \mathbb{R}$  write  $x = jw$  where  $\boxed{\frac{x}{j} = w}$

$w = \text{very small}, j = \text{very large}$

$$\begin{aligned} a^x &= a^{jw} = a^{wj} = (a^w)^j = (1 + kw)^j = \left(1 + \frac{kx}{j}\right)^j \\ &= 1 + j \left(\frac{kx}{j}\right) + \frac{j(j-1)}{2!} \left(\frac{kx}{j}\right)^2 + \frac{j(j-1)(j-2)}{3!} \left(\frac{kx}{j}\right)^3 + \dots \end{aligned}$$

Now stand on Newton's shoulders  $\frac{1}{2}$  expand

Recall from Calc:

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x(x-1)}{x^2} = 1$$

Idea: b/c  $j$  is huge  $\frac{j(j-1)}{j} \approx 1$

$$a^x = 1 + kx + \frac{k^2 x^2}{2!} + \frac{k^3 x^3}{3!} + \frac{k^4 x^4}{4!} + \dots$$

$e$  is the base such that this slope  $k=1$

$$e^x = 1 + x + \frac{x^2}{2!} + \frac{x^3}{3!} + \frac{x^4}{4!} + \frac{x^5}{5!} + \dots$$

Euler gave approx to  $e$  by sub  $x=1$

$$e = e^1 = 1 + 1 + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{6} + \frac{1}{24} + \frac{1}{125} + \dots$$

In about 1730, Euler gave

$$e \approx 2.71828182845904523536028$$

23 decimal places!

$$e^x = 1 + x + \frac{x^2}{2!} + \frac{x^3}{3!} + \frac{x^4}{4!} + \frac{x^5}{5!} + \dots$$

Using similar methods: Euler derived

$$\sin(x) = x - \frac{x^3}{3!} + \frac{x^5}{5!} - \frac{x^7}{7!} + \frac{x^9}{9!} - \dots$$

$$\cos(x) = 1 - \frac{x^2}{2!} + \frac{x^4}{4!} - \frac{x^6}{6!} + \frac{x^8}{8!} - \dots$$

} These formulas are used  
in your calculator to  
compute (approximations)  
of  $\sin(3)$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin(x)}{x} = 1$$