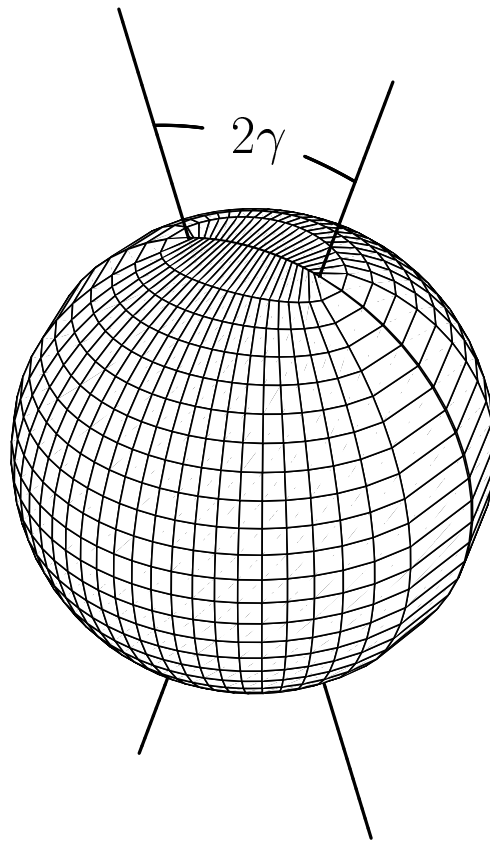


# Working on the Three-Body Coulomb Problem in Japan

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Ten years ago Professor Matsuzawa following a recommendation of Professor Beigman from the P. N. Lebedev Physical Institute, Moscow, kindly invited me to visit Japan to work on the three-body Coulomb problem. The significance of this event in my life is difficult to overestimate. In my mind, three years spent in Chofu are associated with the following image, which still serves as an emblem of the Matsuzawa-Watanabe labora-



tory, see <http://power1.pc.uec.ac.jp/>. On the other hand, this image restores in my memory sights, tastes, and smells of Japan, that I love so much. I'd like to thank Professor Matsuzawa for introducing me into the beauty of both, Japan and the three-body Coulomb problem. A list of our joint publications follows.

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