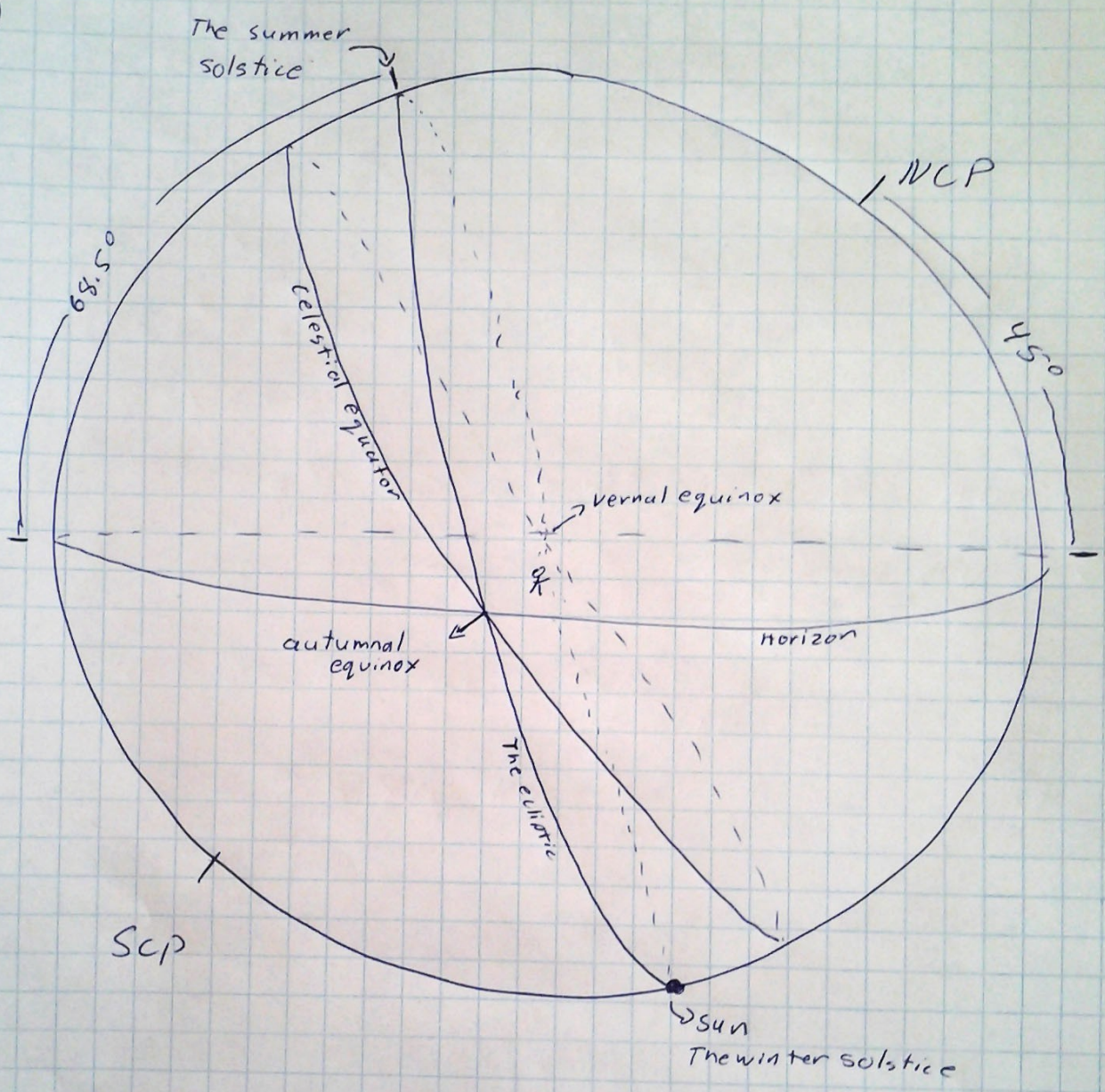
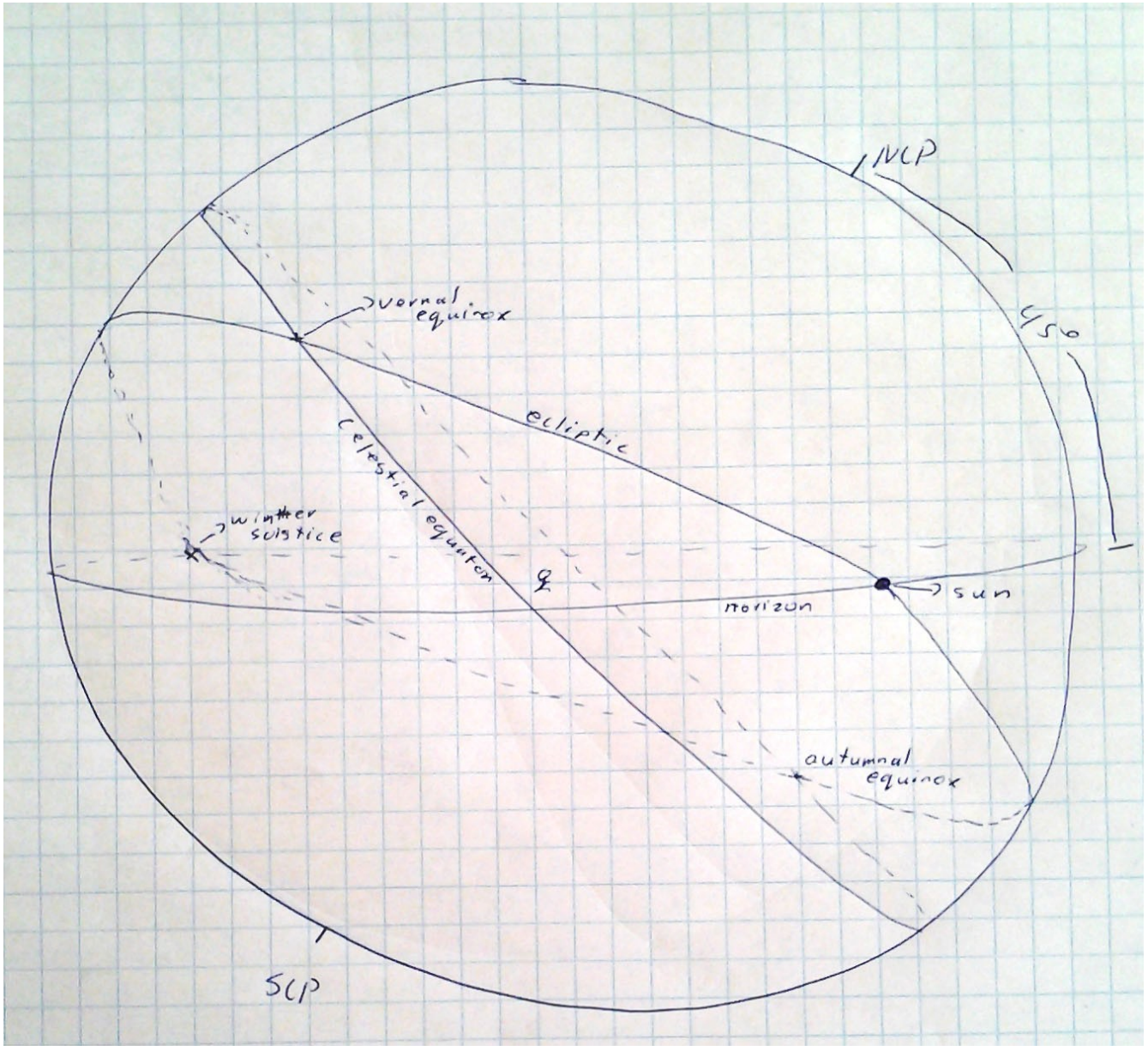
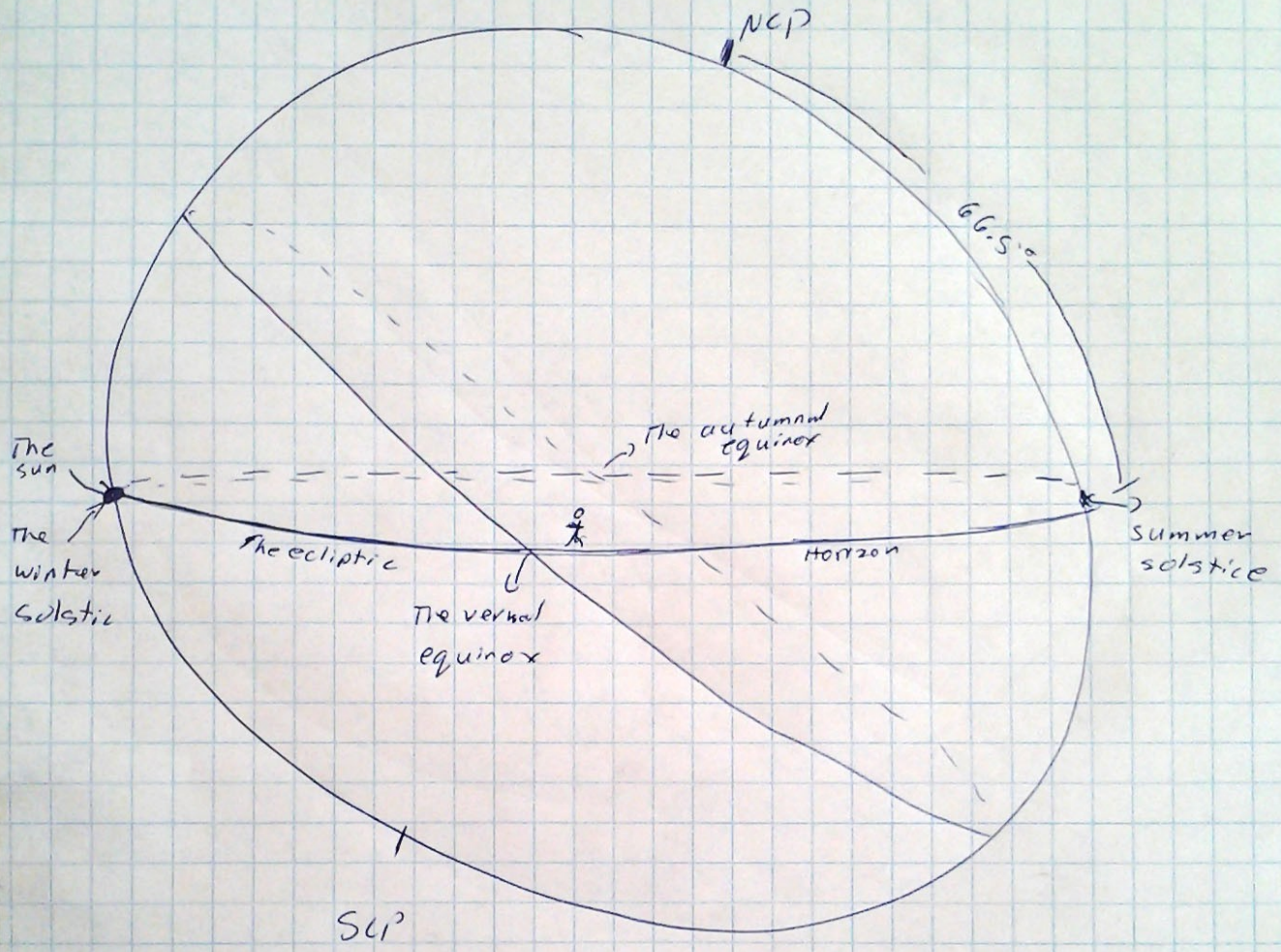


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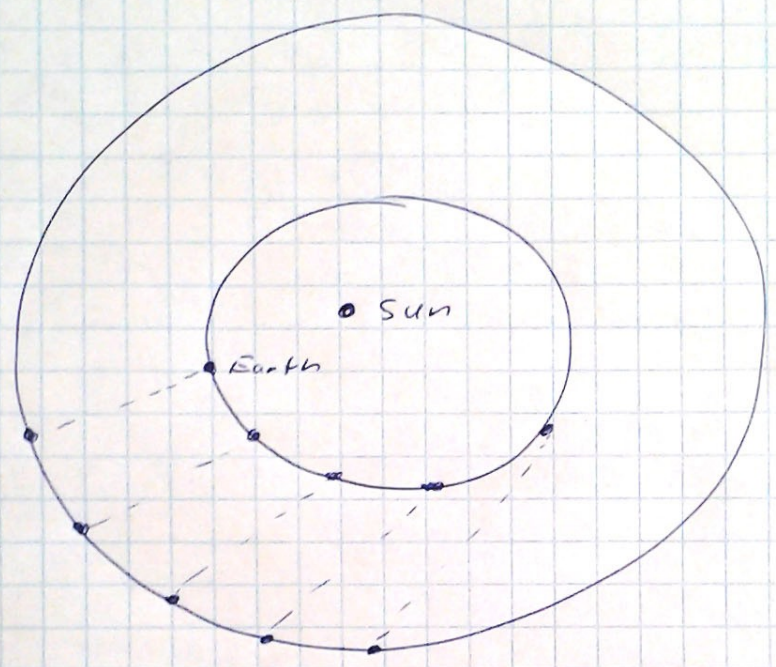




c)



3) Retrograde motion from the heliocentric perspective



5) Information

$$r_{\text{sun}} = 3 \times 10^8 \text{ km}$$

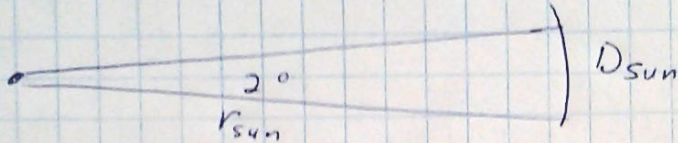
$$r_{\text{moon}} = 2 \times 10^5 \text{ km}$$

$$D_{\text{Risa}} = 4 D_{\text{moon}}$$

$$\text{angular size of sun} = 2^\circ$$

$$\text{angular size of moon} = 2^\circ$$

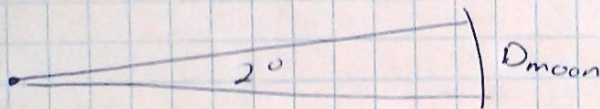
a)



$$\frac{2\pi r_{\text{sun}}}{360^\circ} = \frac{D_{\text{sun}}}{2^\circ}$$

$$D_s = 2\pi \left(\frac{2^\circ}{360^\circ} \right) r_{\text{sun}} = 1 \times 10^7 \text{ km}$$

b)



$$\frac{2\pi r_{\text{moon}}}{360^\circ} = \frac{D_{\text{moon}}}{2^\circ}$$

$$D_{\text{moon}} = 2\pi \left(\frac{2^\circ}{360^\circ} \right) r_{\text{moon}}$$

$$= 7 \times 10^3 \text{ km}$$

$$c) \quad D_{\text{Risa}} = 4 D_{\text{moon}} = 2.8 \times 10^4 \text{ km}$$

6) Use Kepler's Third Law

$$P^2 \propto a^3$$

Use a constant of proportionality based on the
Rixan system $\rightarrow k=1$

$$P^2 = a^3$$

$$(125)^2 = a^3$$

$$= (5^3)^2 = a^3$$

$$= 5^6 = a^3 \Rightarrow a = 5^2 = 25 \text{ Rixan AU}$$

We know from question 5 that the Rixan AU = $3 \times 10^8 \text{ km}$
So,

$$a = 25 \text{ Rixan AU} \times \frac{3 \times 10^8 \text{ km}}{\text{Rixan AU}}$$

$$= 7.5 \times 10^9 \text{ km}$$