Re: Newton's theory of "Universal Gravitation"

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On 21 nov, 10:24, kingoleo <tahir.le...@xxxxxxxxx> wrote:

> Newton's theory of "Universal Gravitation"
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> The Moon orbits around the Earth. Since its size does not appear to
> change, its distance stays about the same, and hence its orbit must be
> close to a circle.

It can be approximated to a circle for simple calculation needs, but
it is definitely not a circle. No stable orbit can be.

Proof orbits of eccentricity zero are not stable?
Oh wait... you have an opinion...

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