

# ADVANCED ROBOTICS



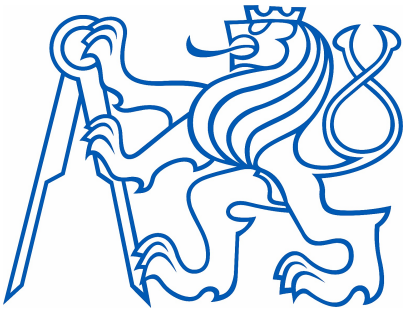
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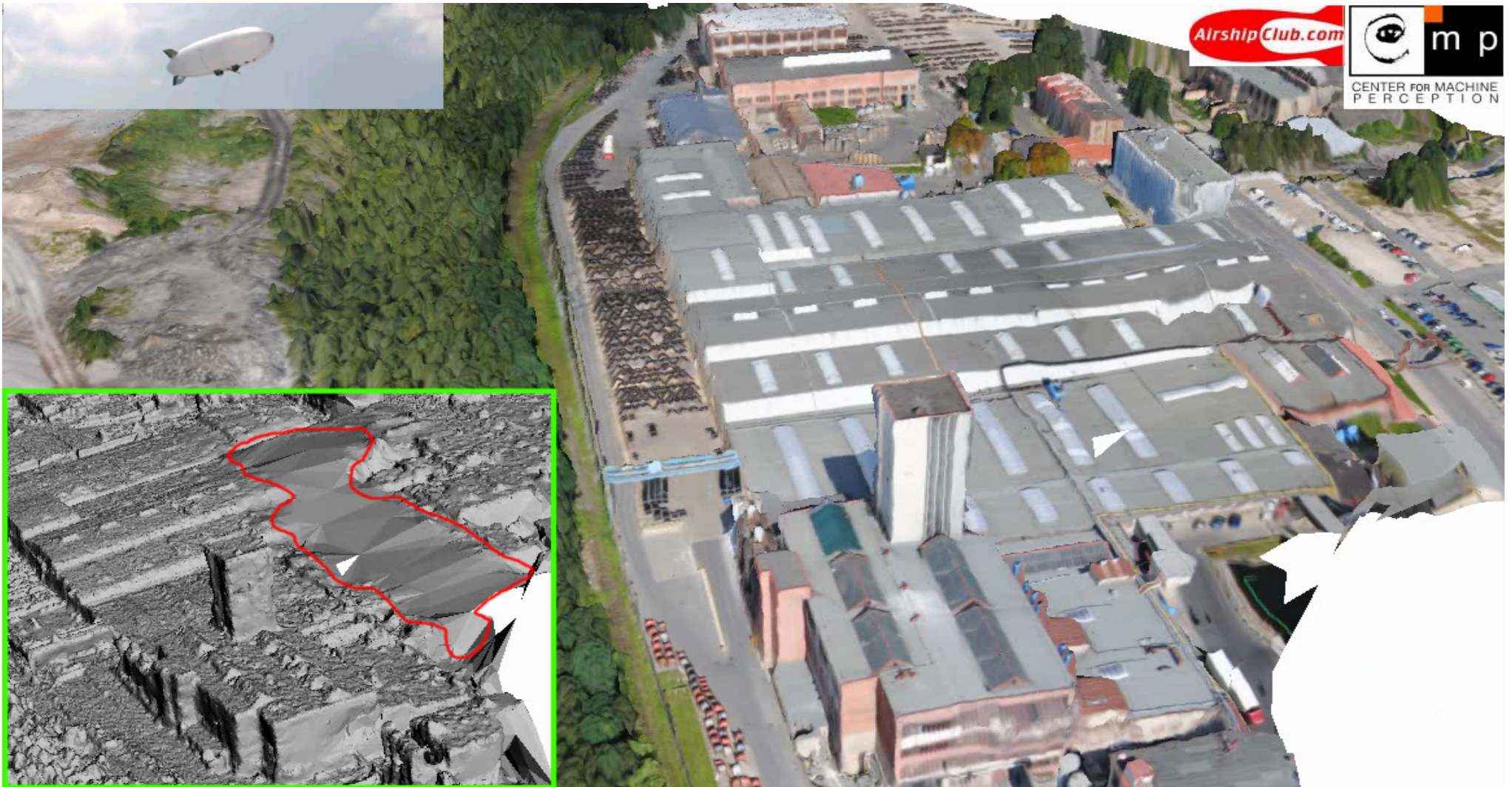


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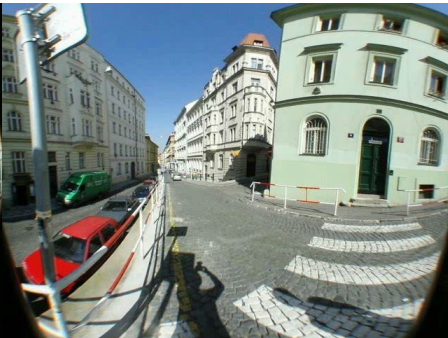
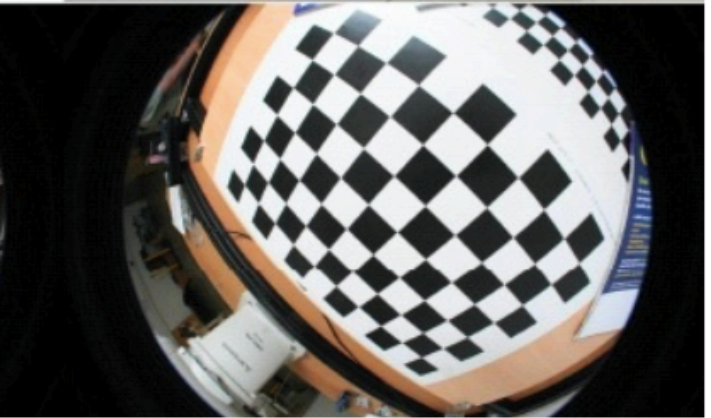
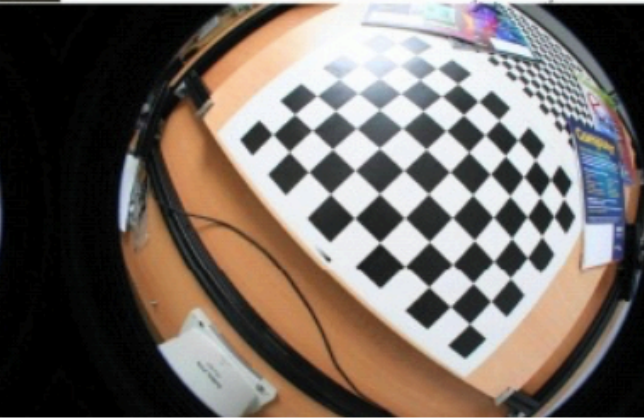
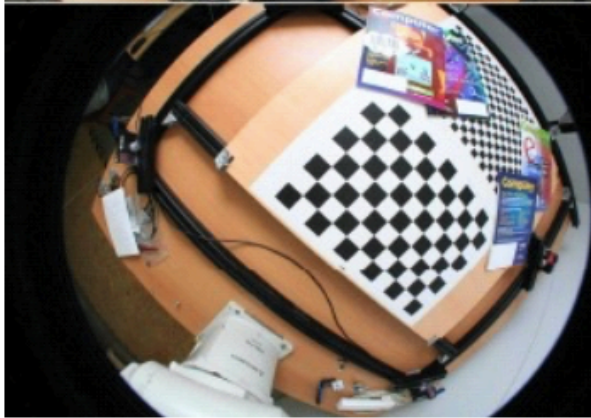
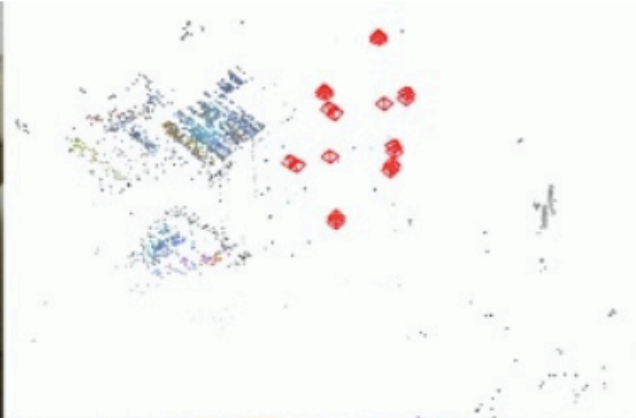


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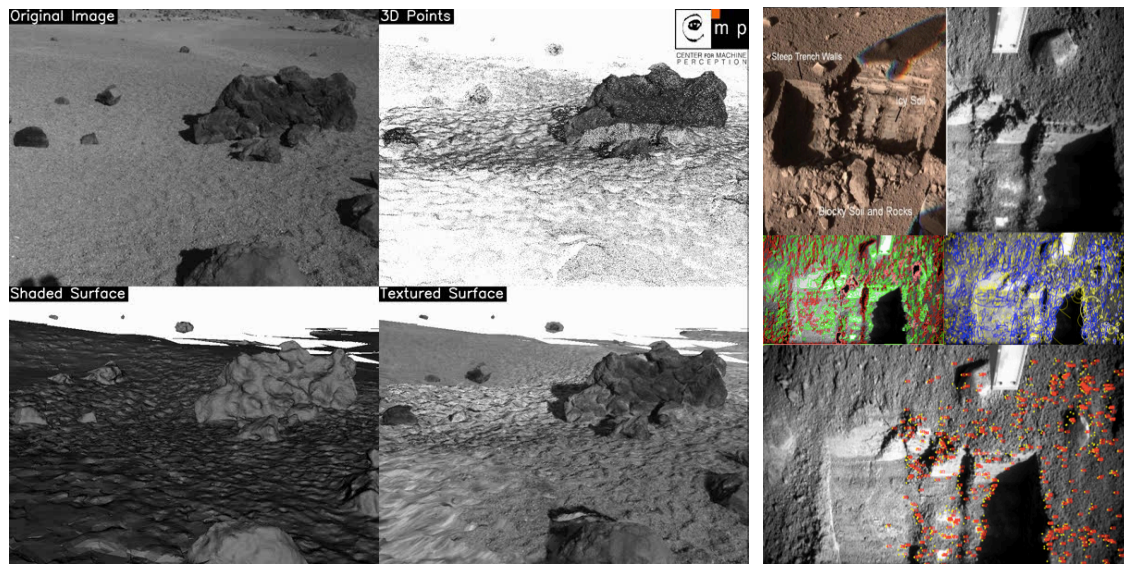
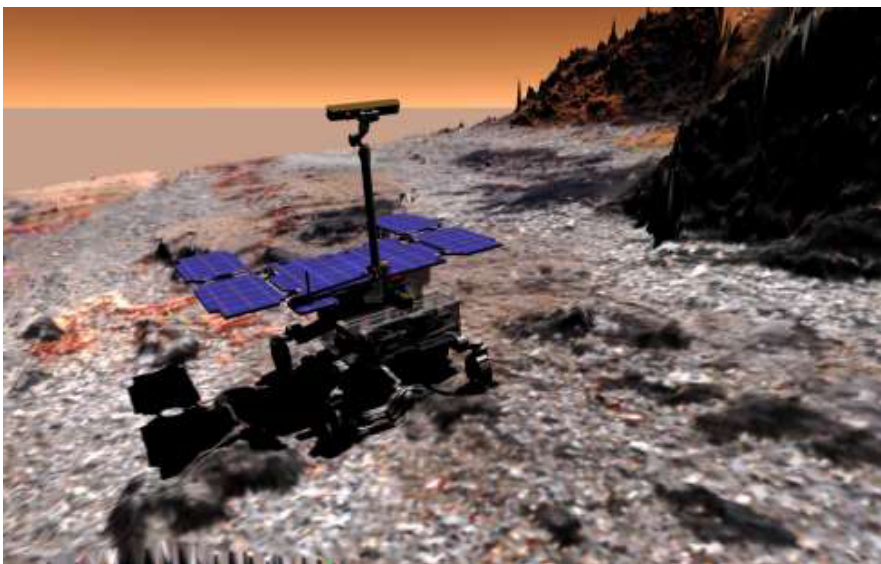
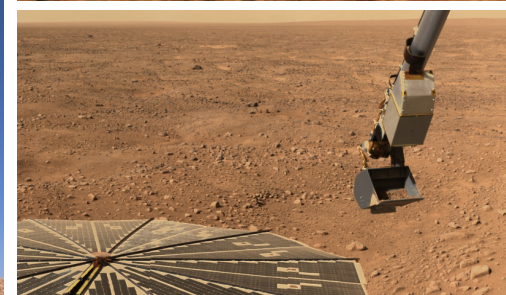
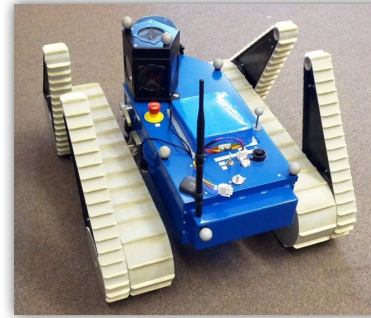
# 3D Computer Vision



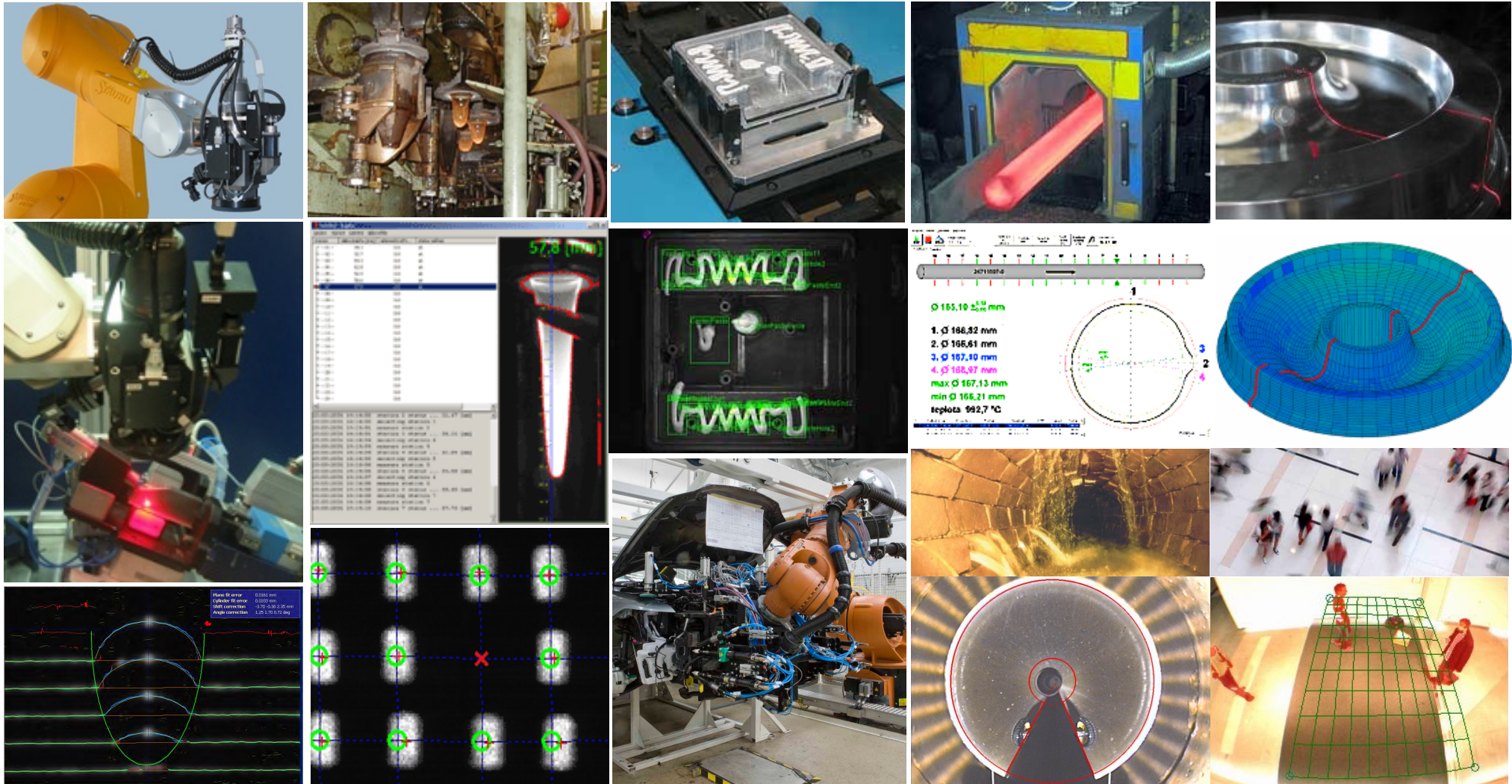
# Camera & Robot Calibration



# Mobile Robotics



# Computer Vision for Industry



# Advanced Robotics

## Lecture 1

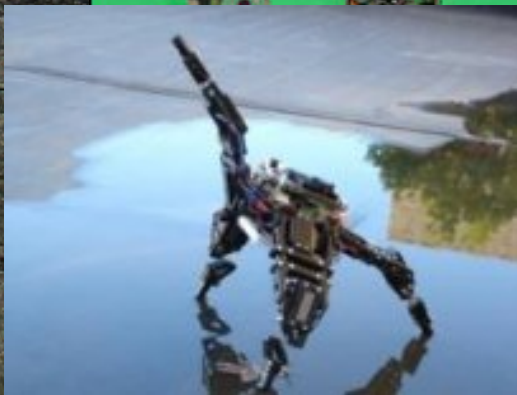
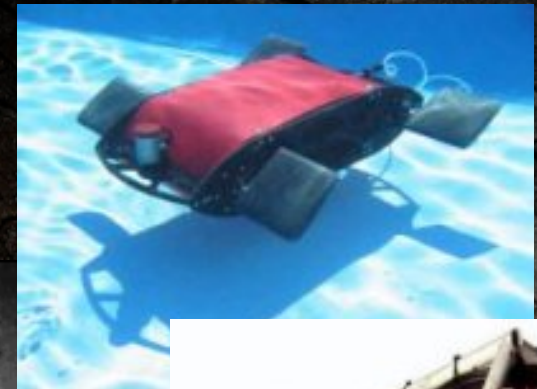
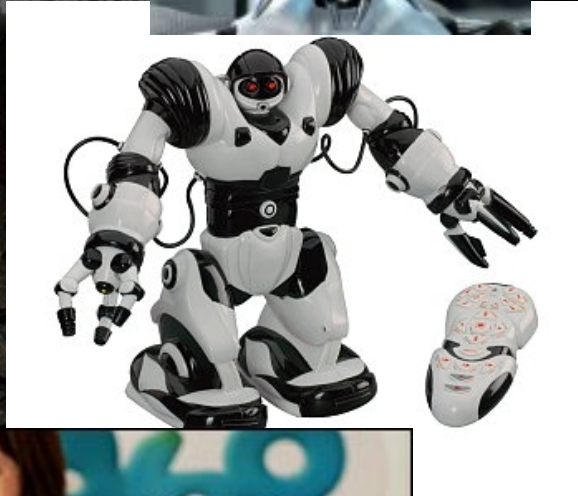
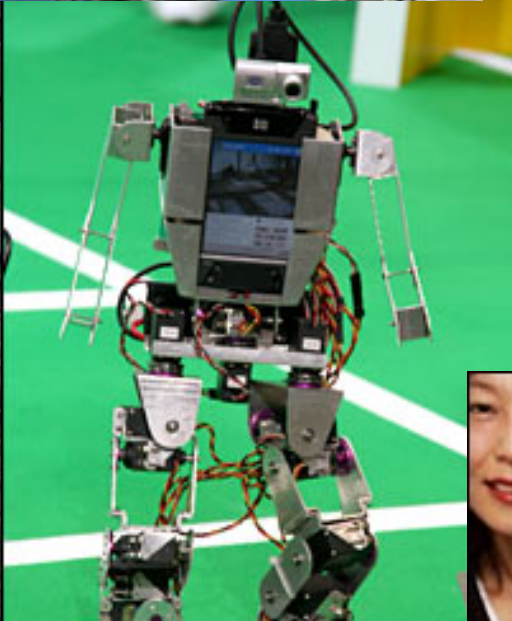
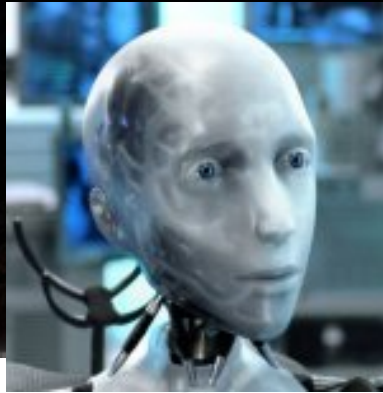
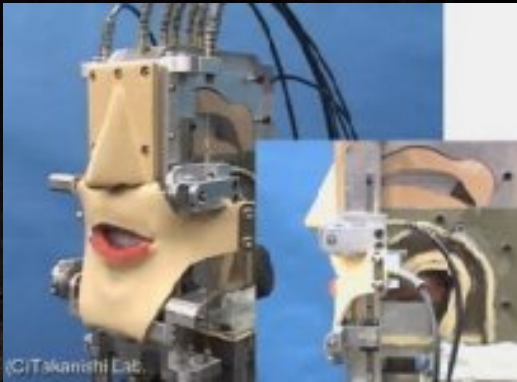
We will build on Robotics by V. Smutny and study more advanced robot kinematics problems, e.g.,

1. solving inverse kinematics of a general 6 DOF manipulator
2. identifying kinematic parameters of a manipulator
3. finding singular poses of a manipulator

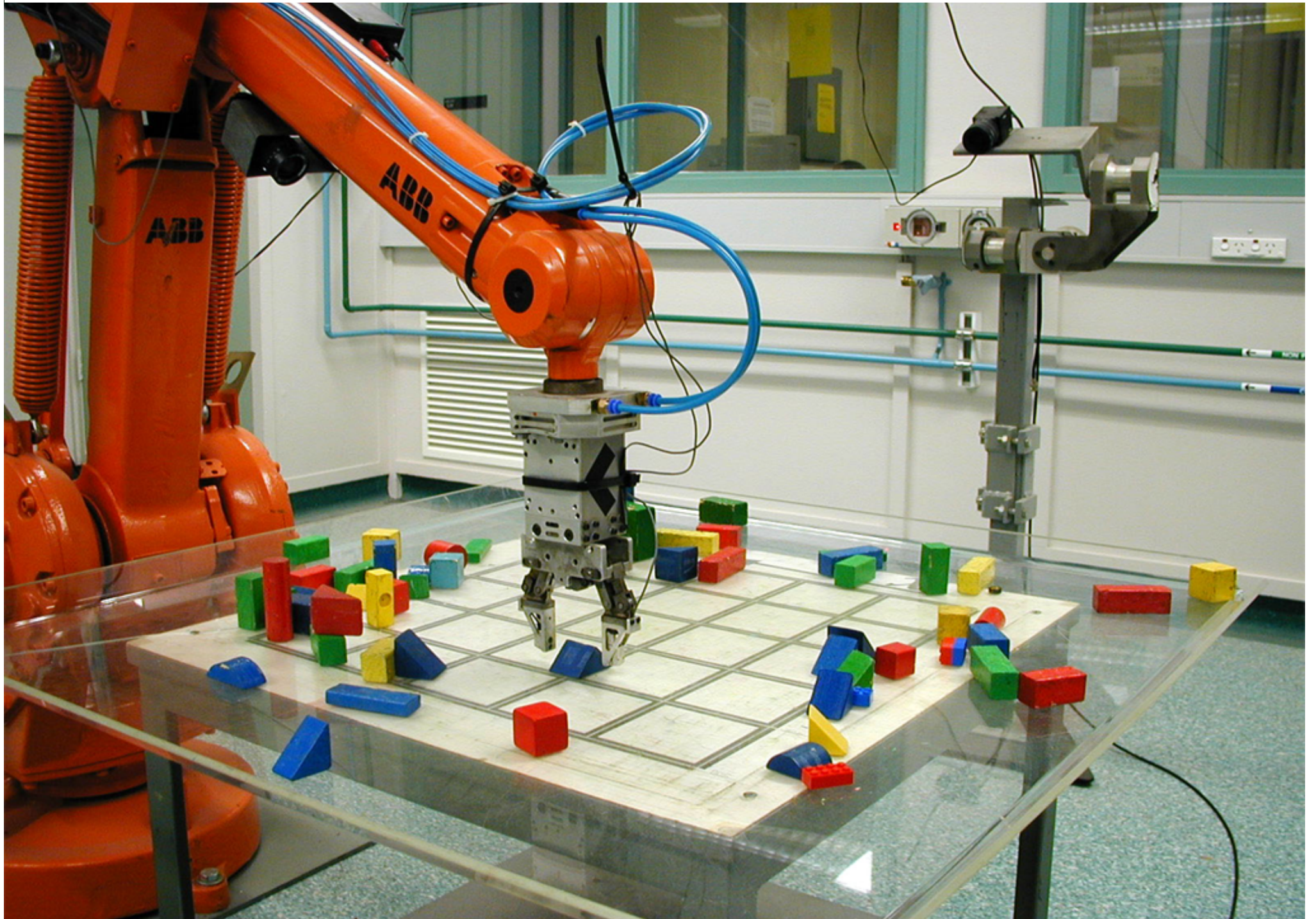
with more advanced mathematical tools, such as

1. space rotation and motion and
2. solving algebraic equations





# ROBOT = A GENERAL MANIPULATOR



## Robotics

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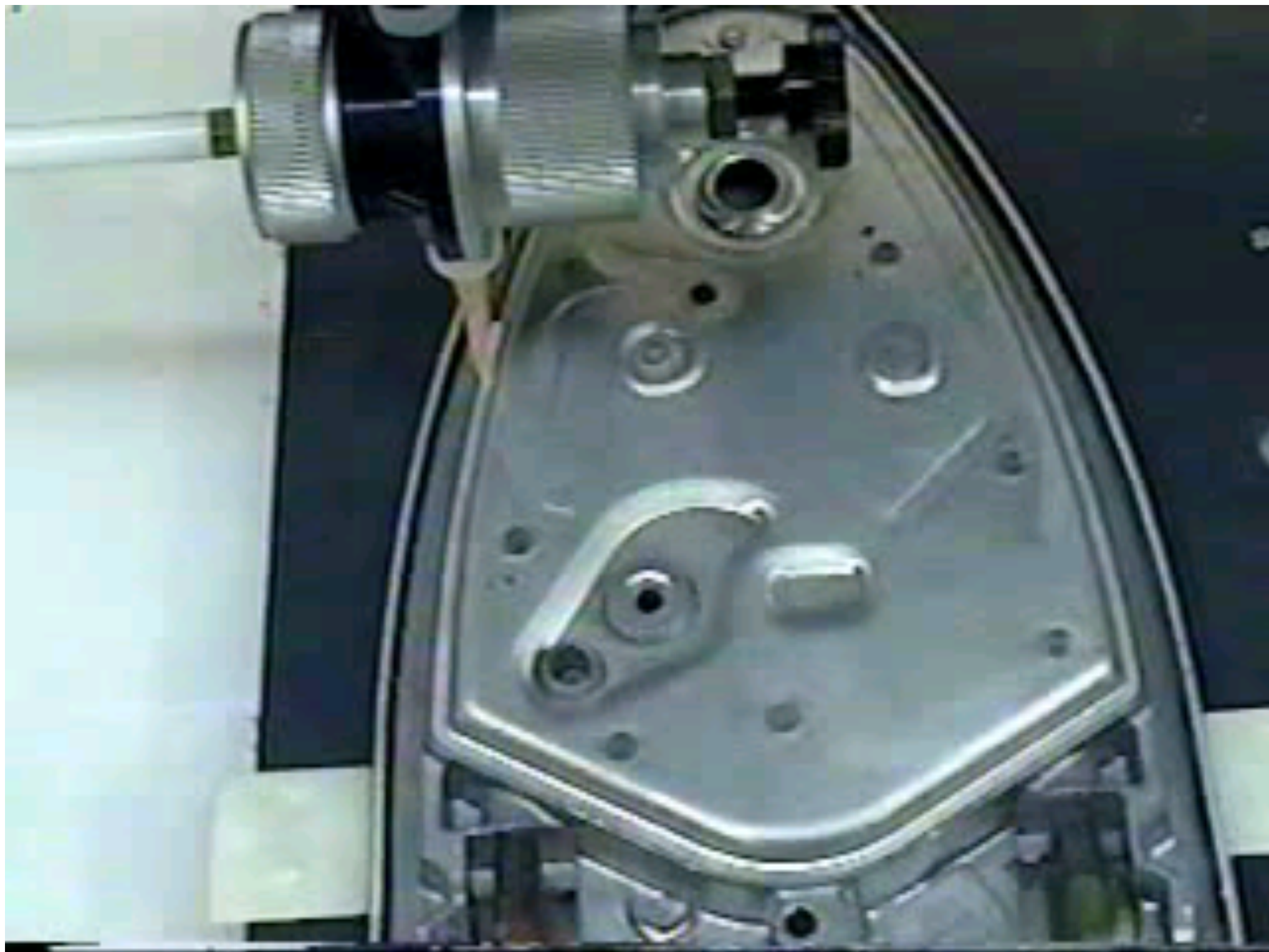
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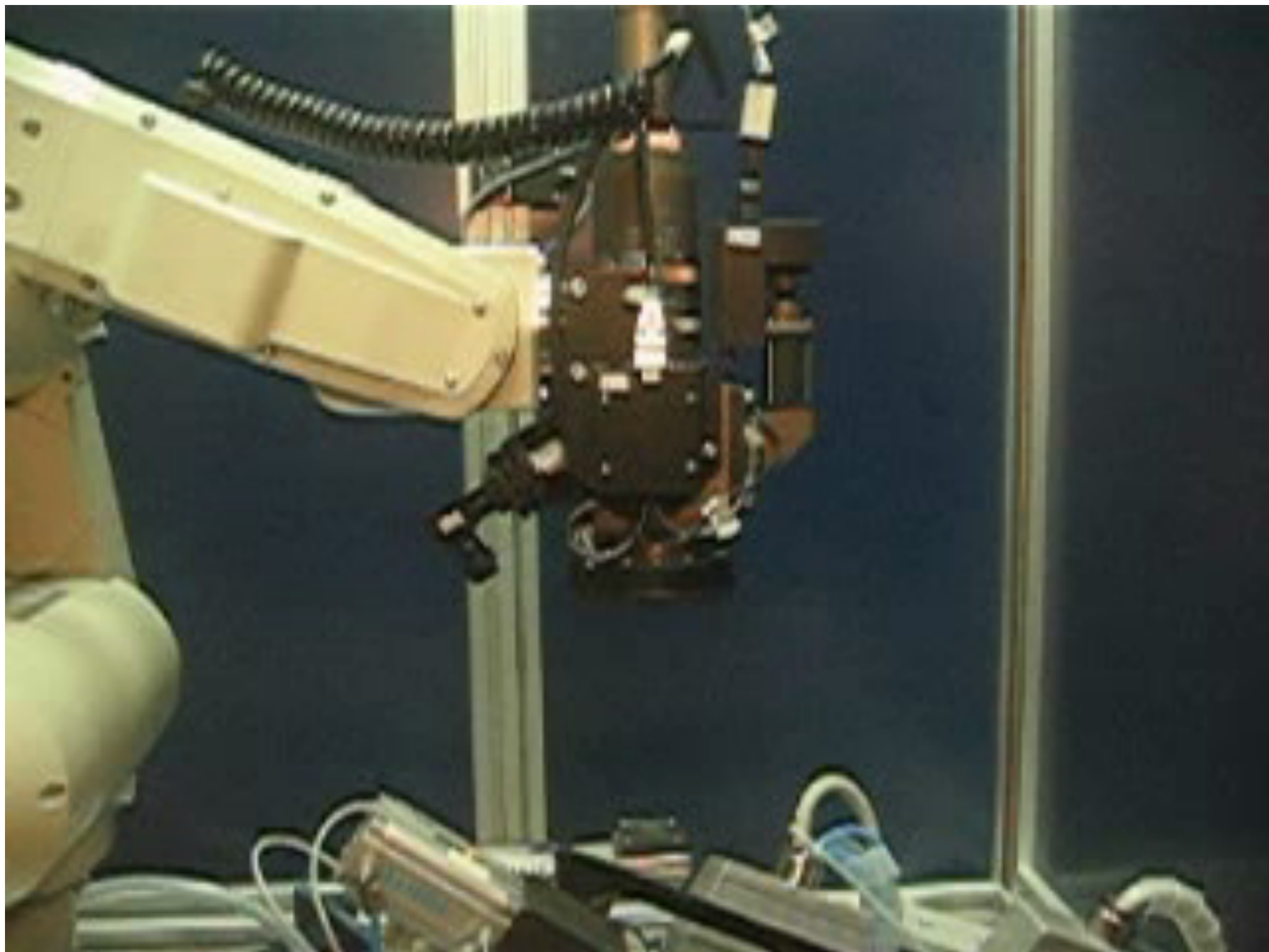
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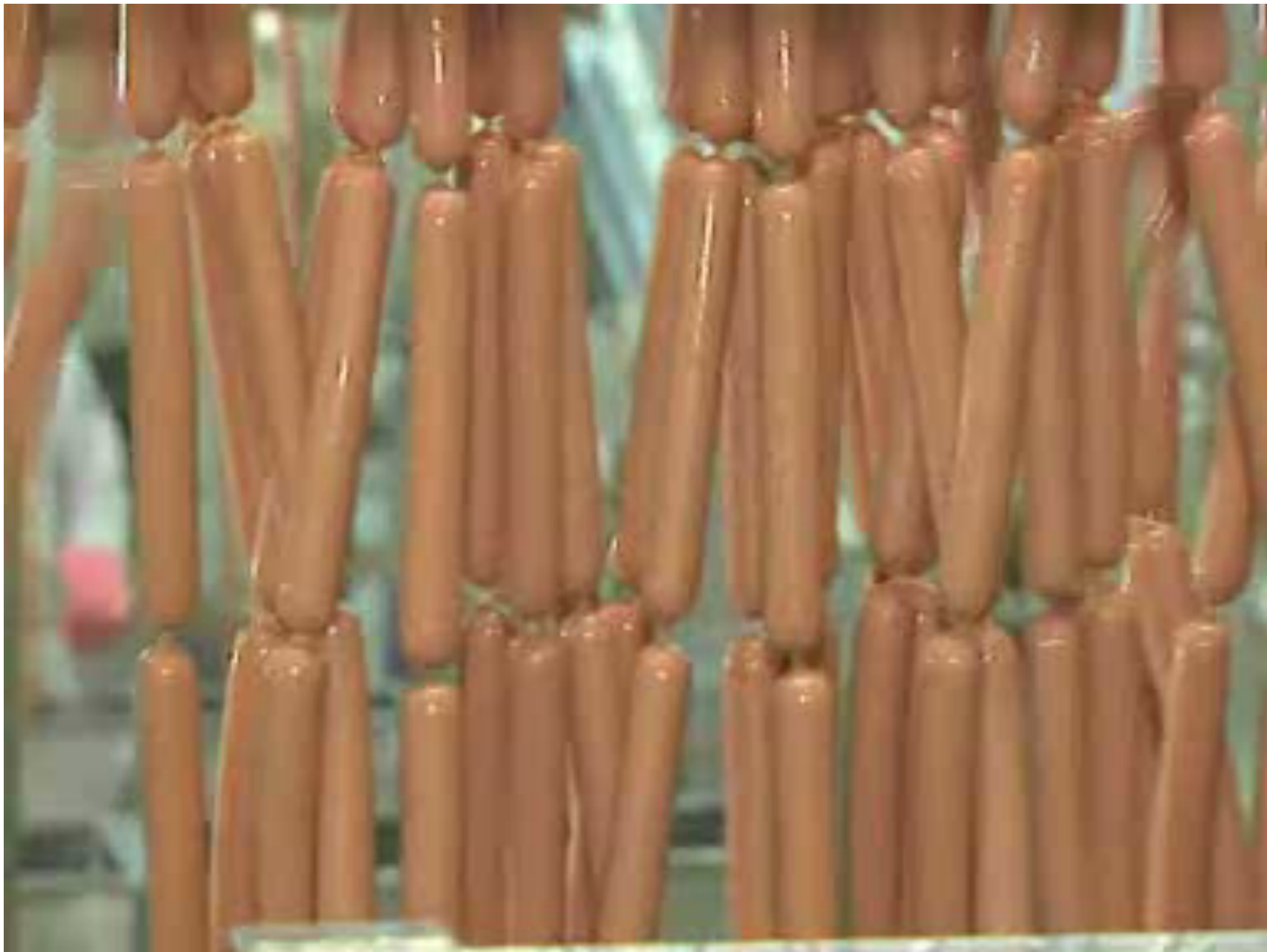
## Application areas



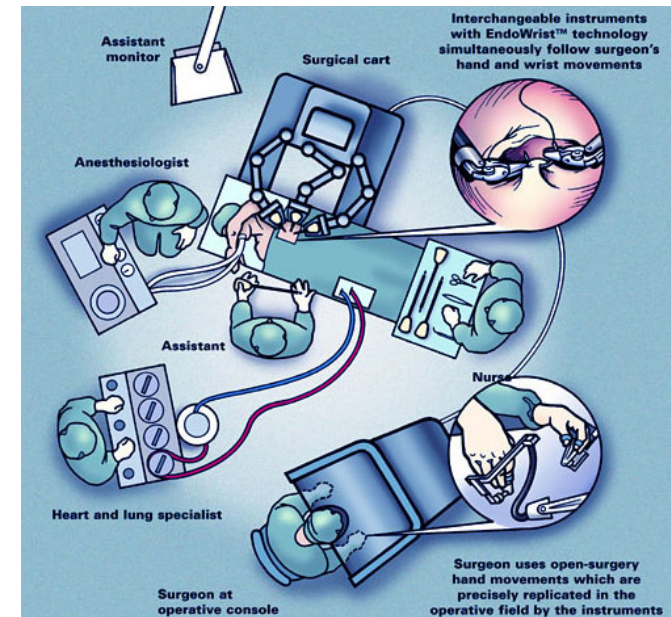
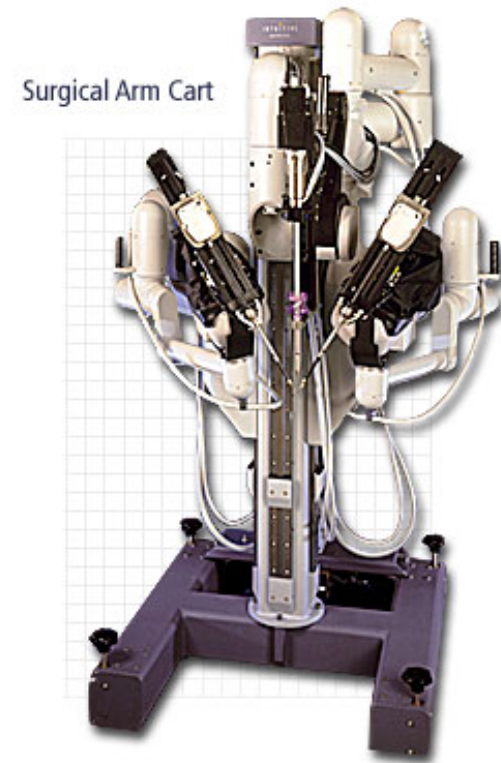
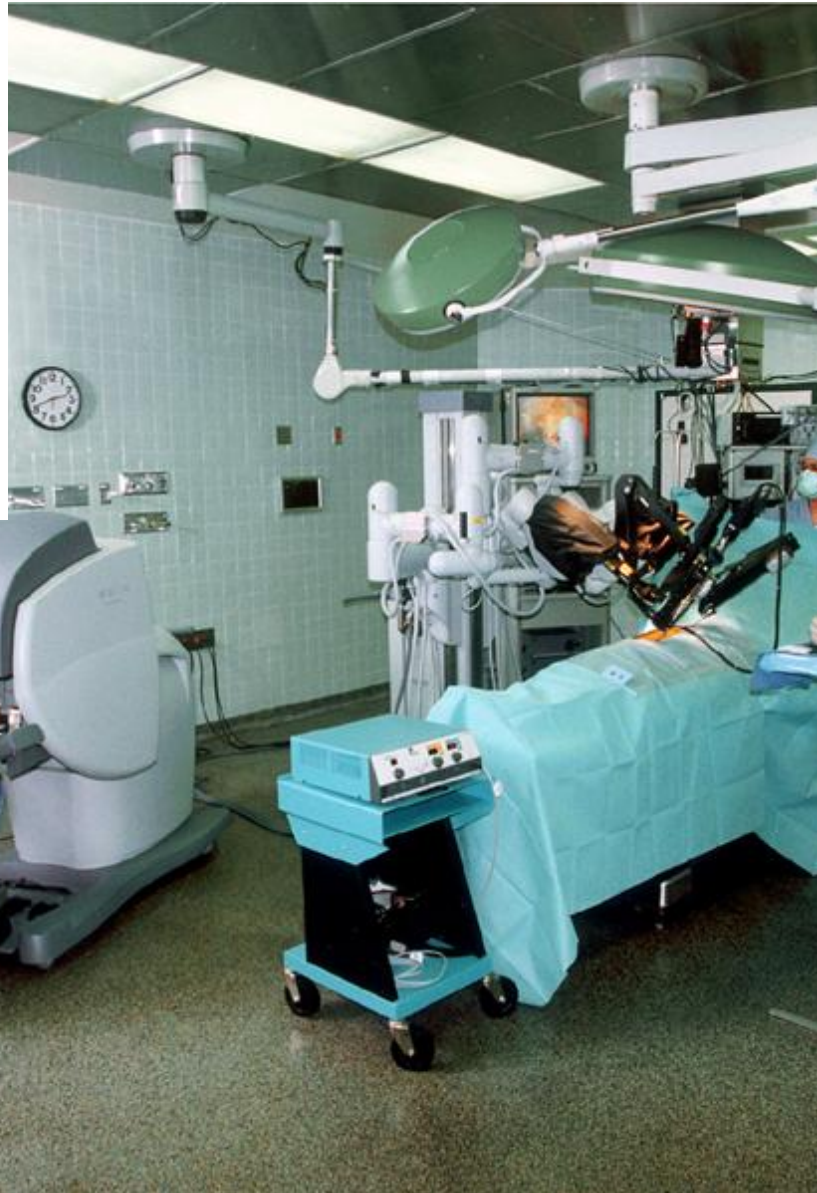
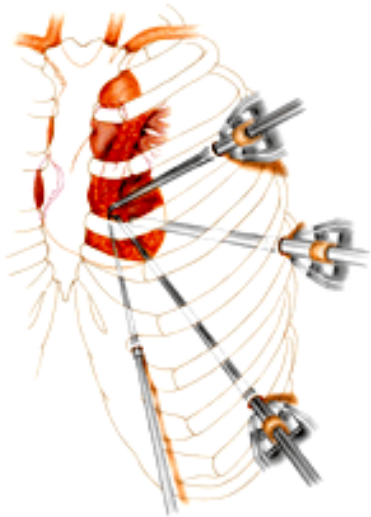








# Precision for robotic surgery



<http://www.cts.usc.edu/rsi-article-robotputsuscatforefront.html>





Robotický systém

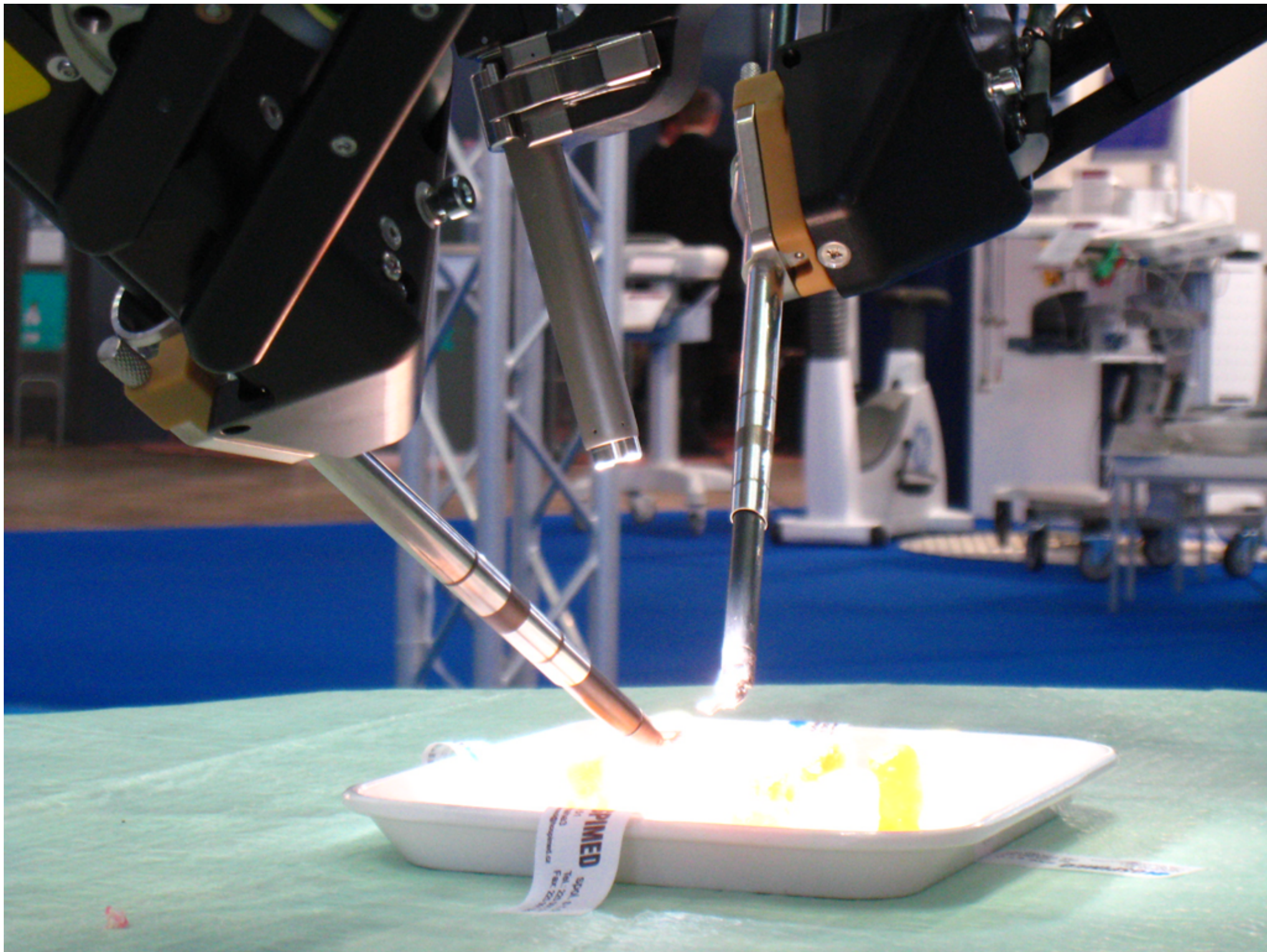
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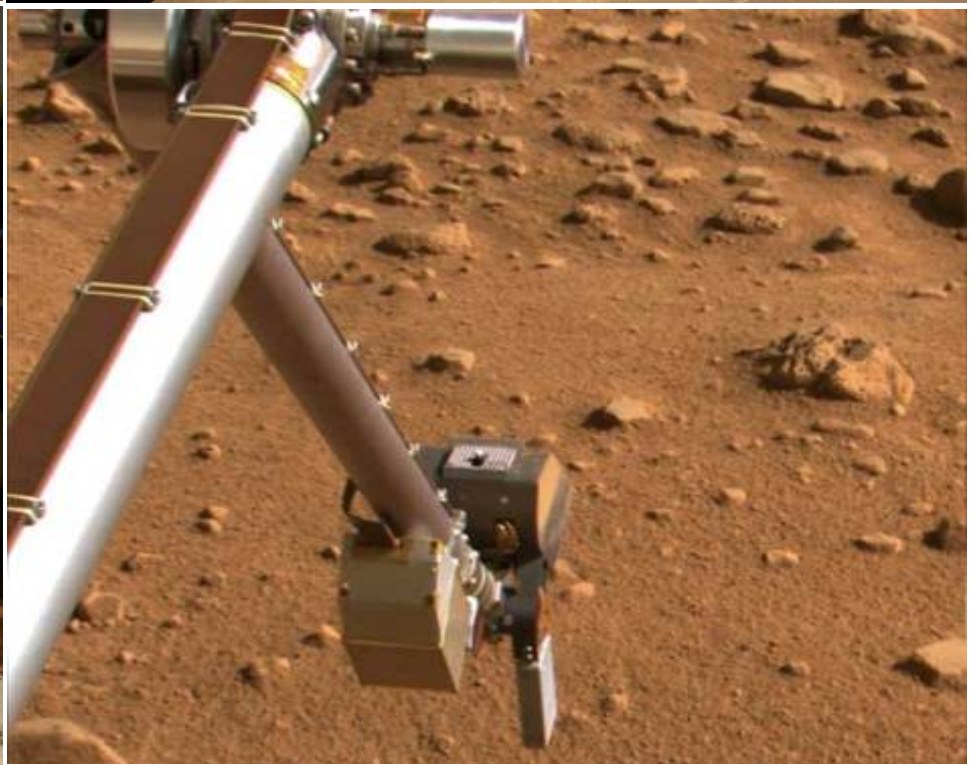
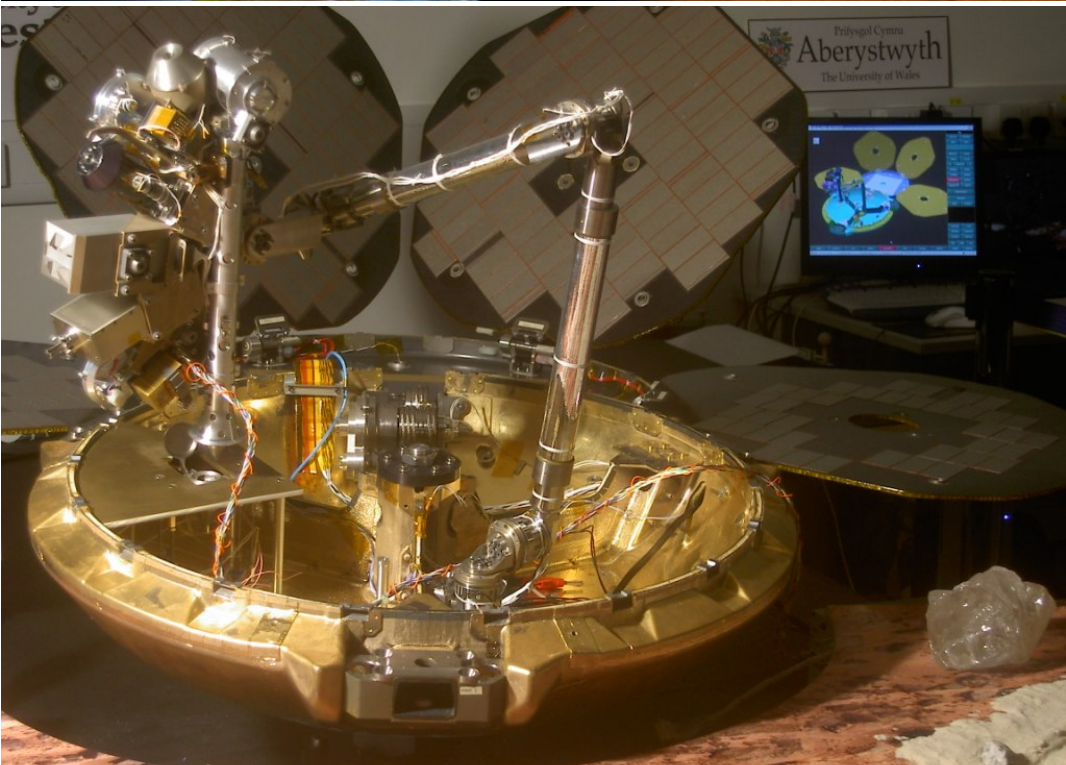
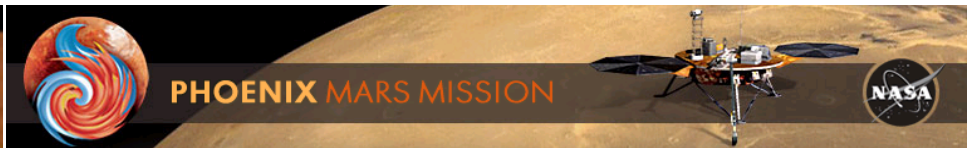
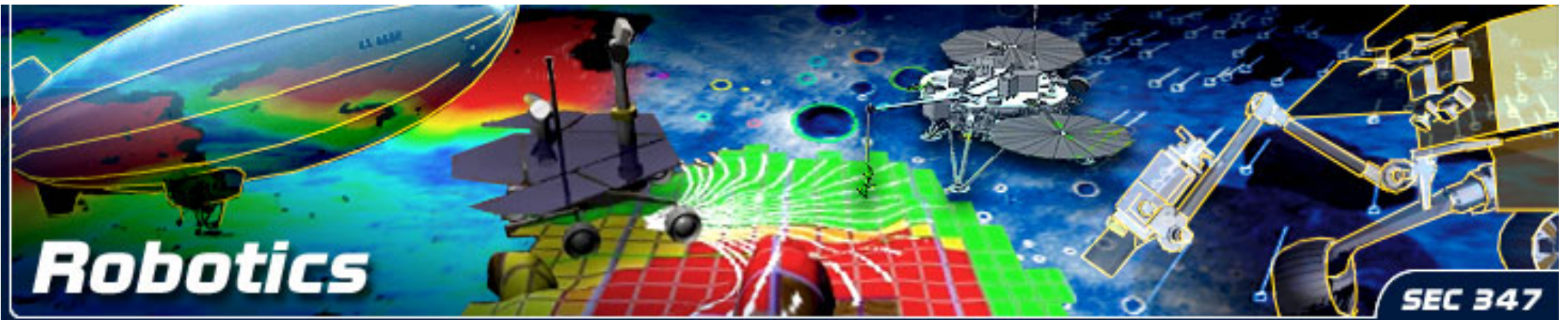
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## Precision for industry

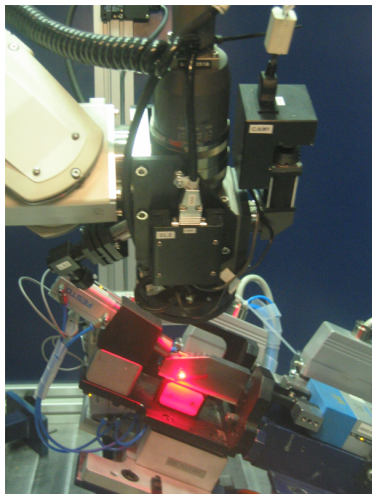


Low (e.g. manipulation)

$\pm 5$  mm in the whole working space

$\pm 0.5$  mm locally

... often available



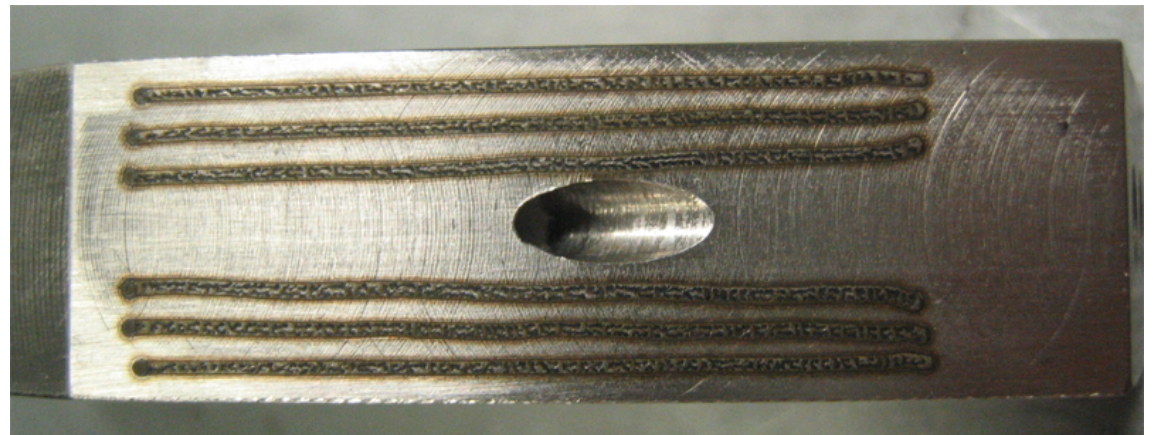
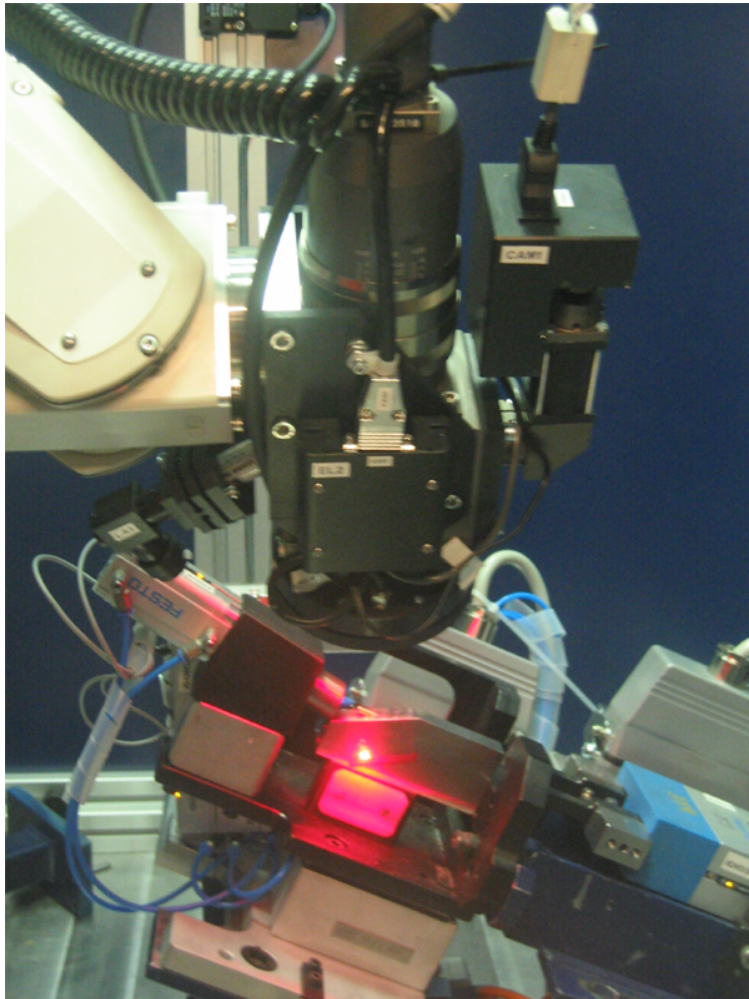
High (e.g. laser welding)

$\pm 0.5$  mm in the whole working space

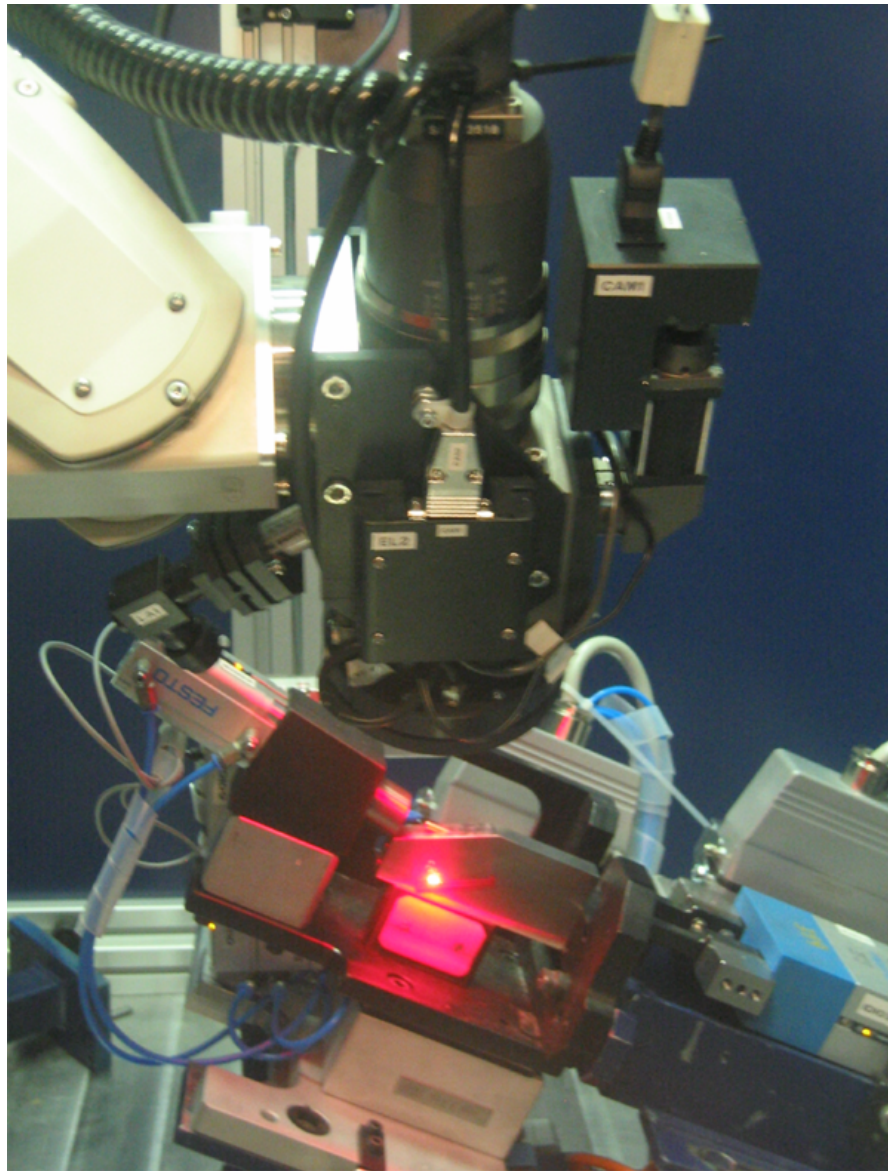
$\pm 0.05$  mm locally

... often not available

Error  $\pm 0.5$  mm



## Modeling kinematics – calibration – absolute accuracy $\pm 0.05$ mm



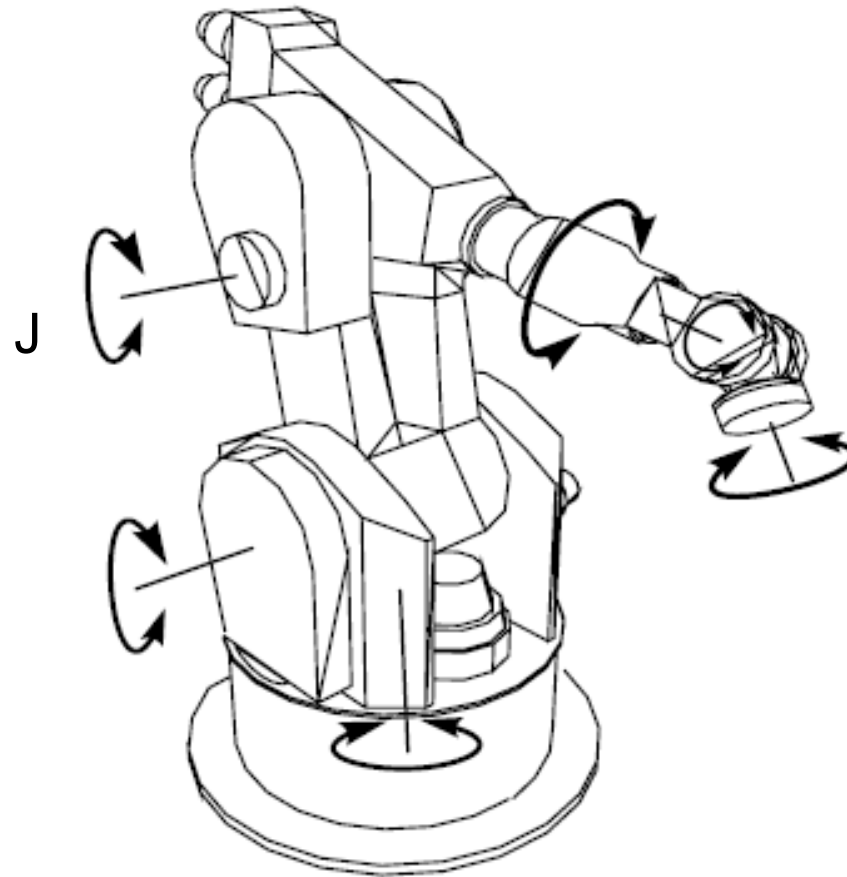
MITSUBISHI robot  
TRUMPF welding laser  
NEOVISION vision guiding

Robot-Vision calibration (courtesy Neovision s.r.o.)

## Two kinds of manipulators

1. Serial manipulators
2. Parallel manipulators

# Serial manipulators



KUKA manipulator



# Serial manipulators



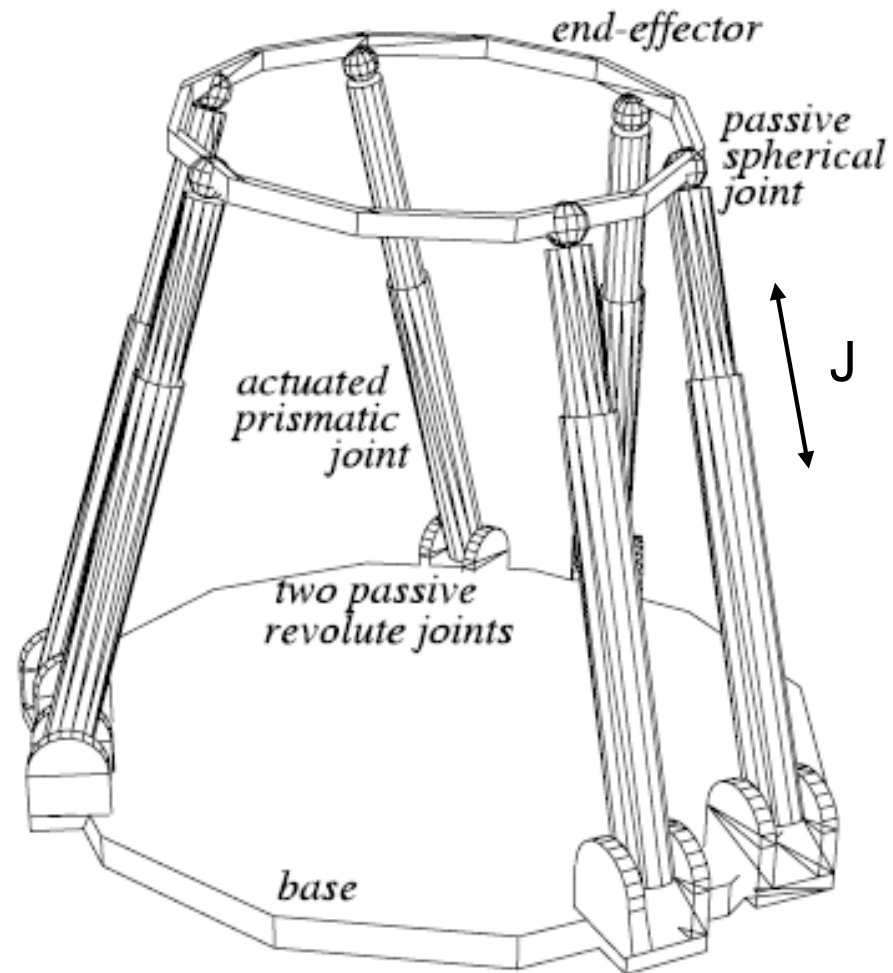
Stäubli (courtesy Neovision s.r.o.)



Mitsubishi (courtesy Neovision s.r.o.)

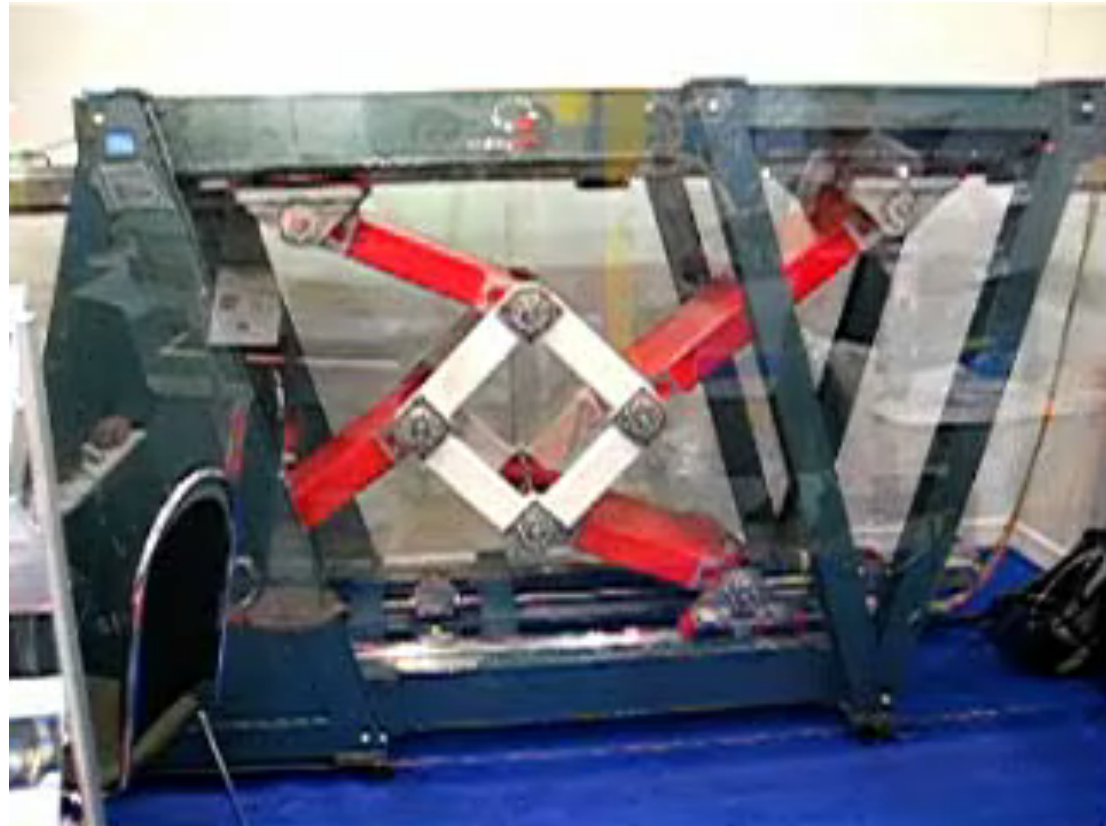
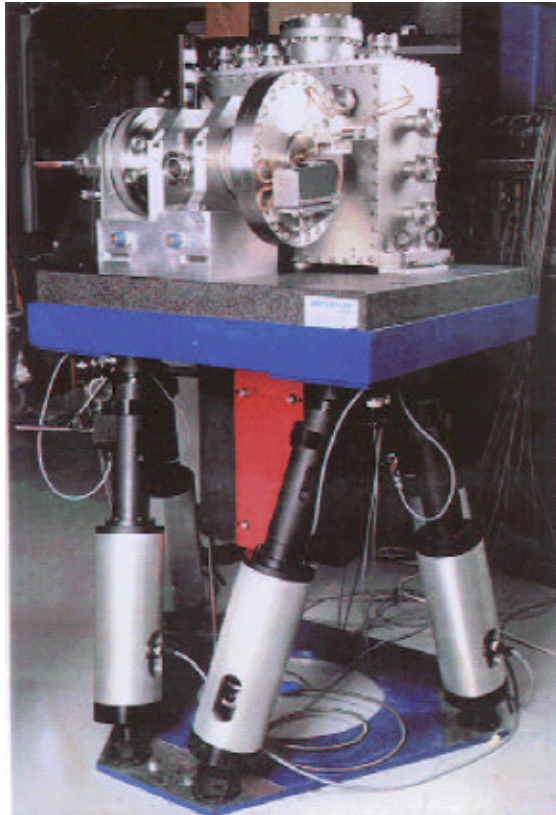
1. Direct kinematic task – easy
2. Inverse kinematic task – difficult

# Parallel manipulators



Stewart-Gough Platform

## Parallel manipulators



Sliding Star (courtesy of Prof. Valášek, CTU Prague)

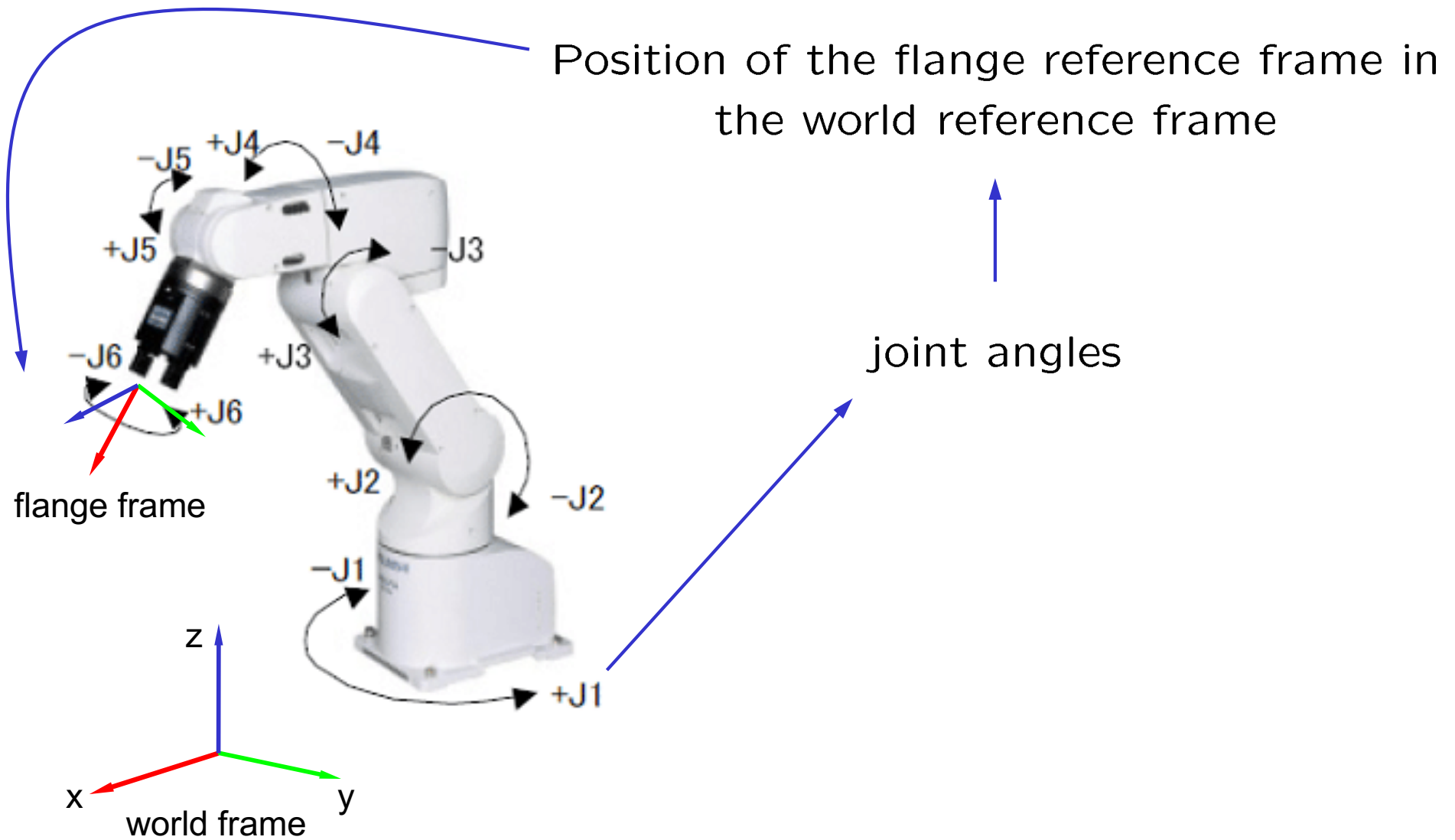
1. Direct kinematic task – difficult
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# Kinematics in robotics

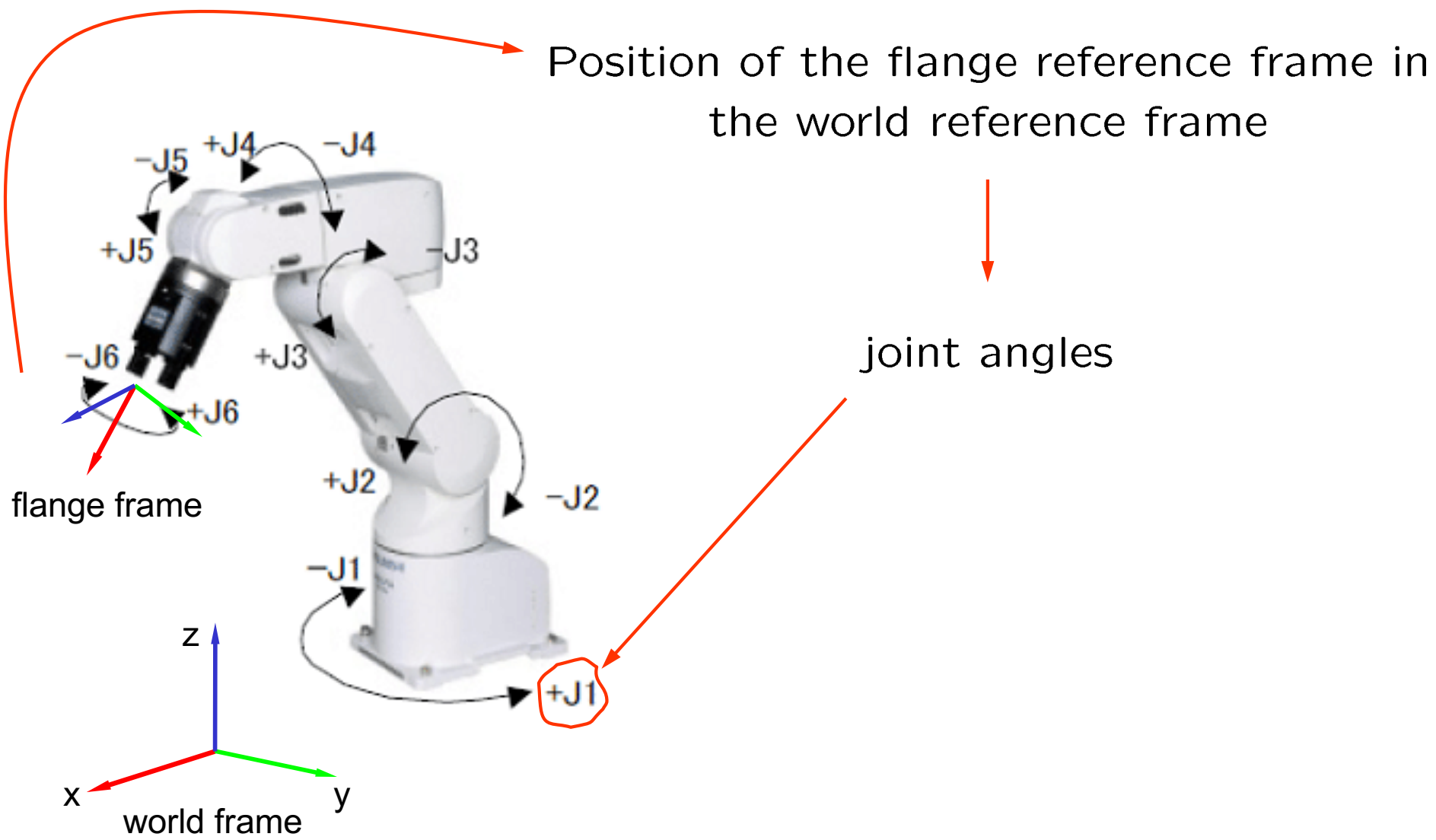
## Three main problems

1. Direct kinematic task (přímá kinematičká úloha)
2. **Inverse kinematic task** (inverzní kinematičká úloha)
3. **Kinematic calibration** (kalibrace kinematiky)

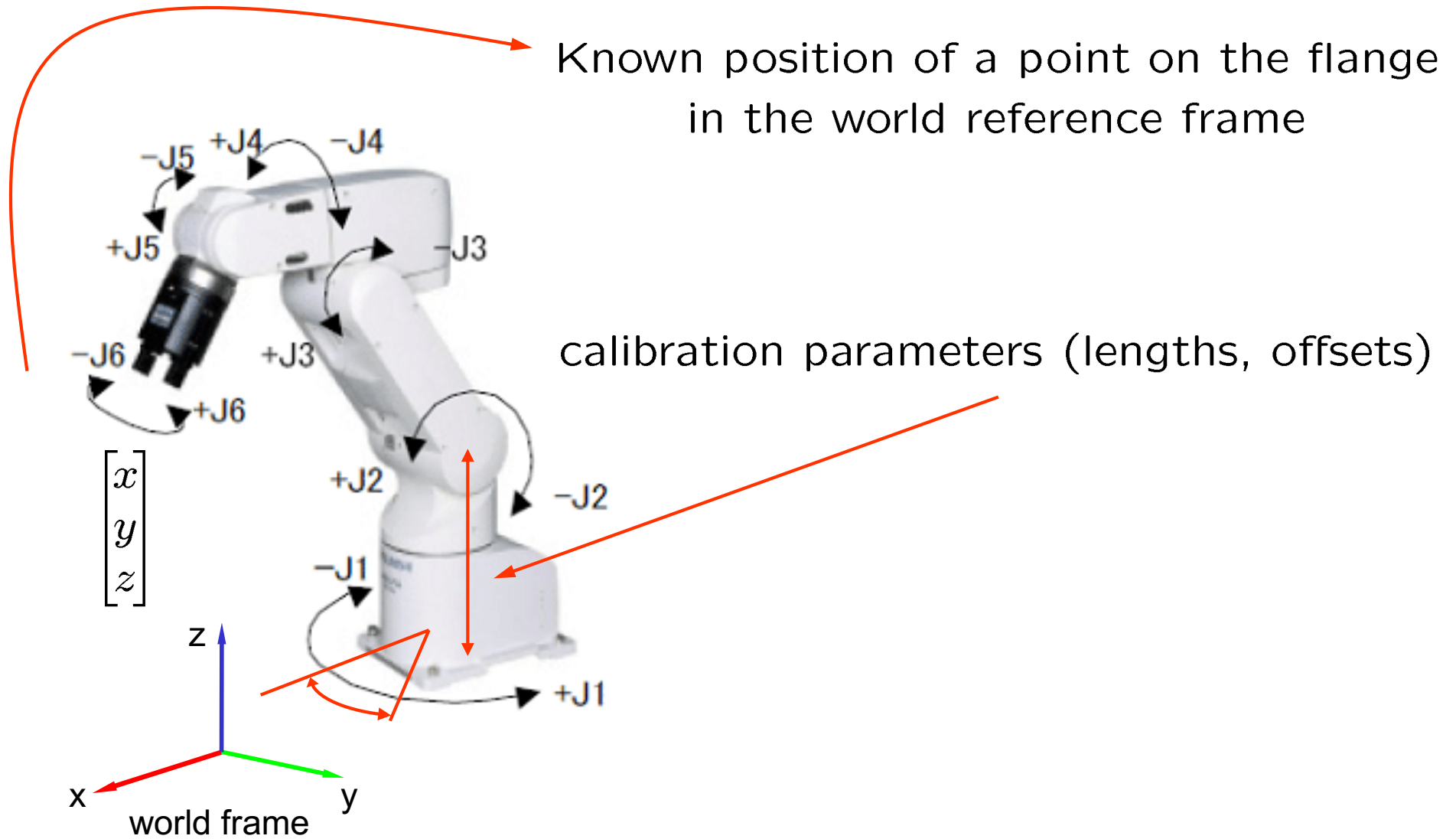
# Direct kinematic task



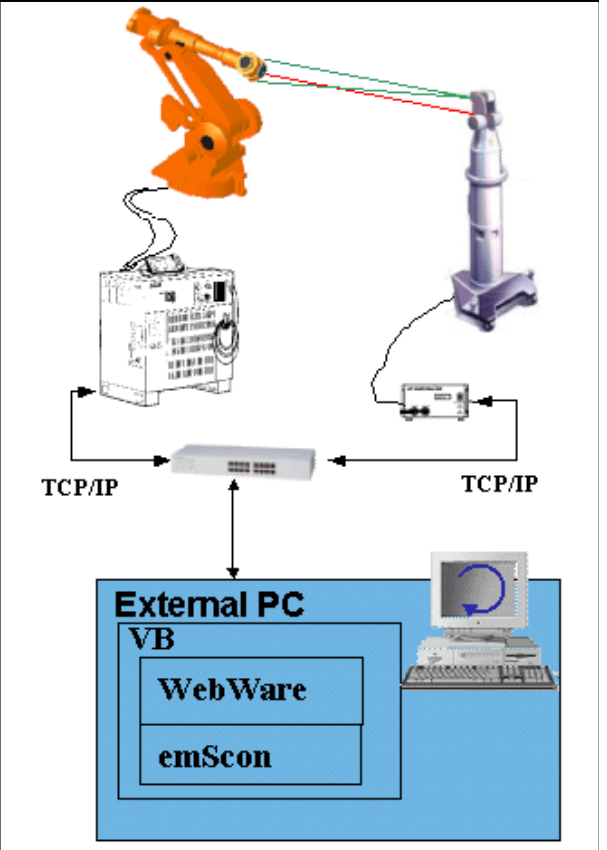
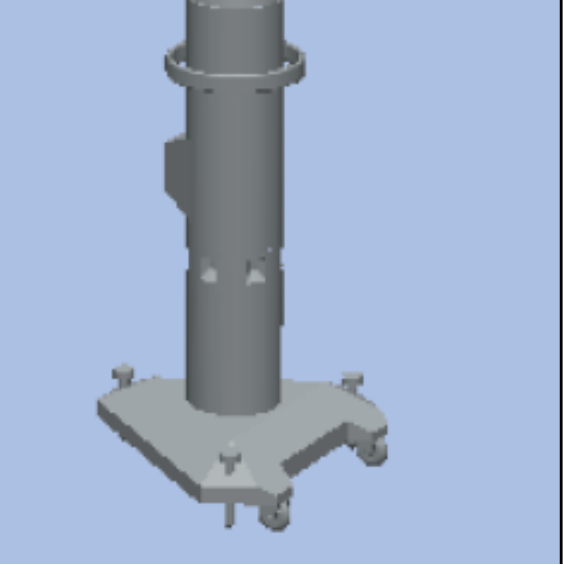
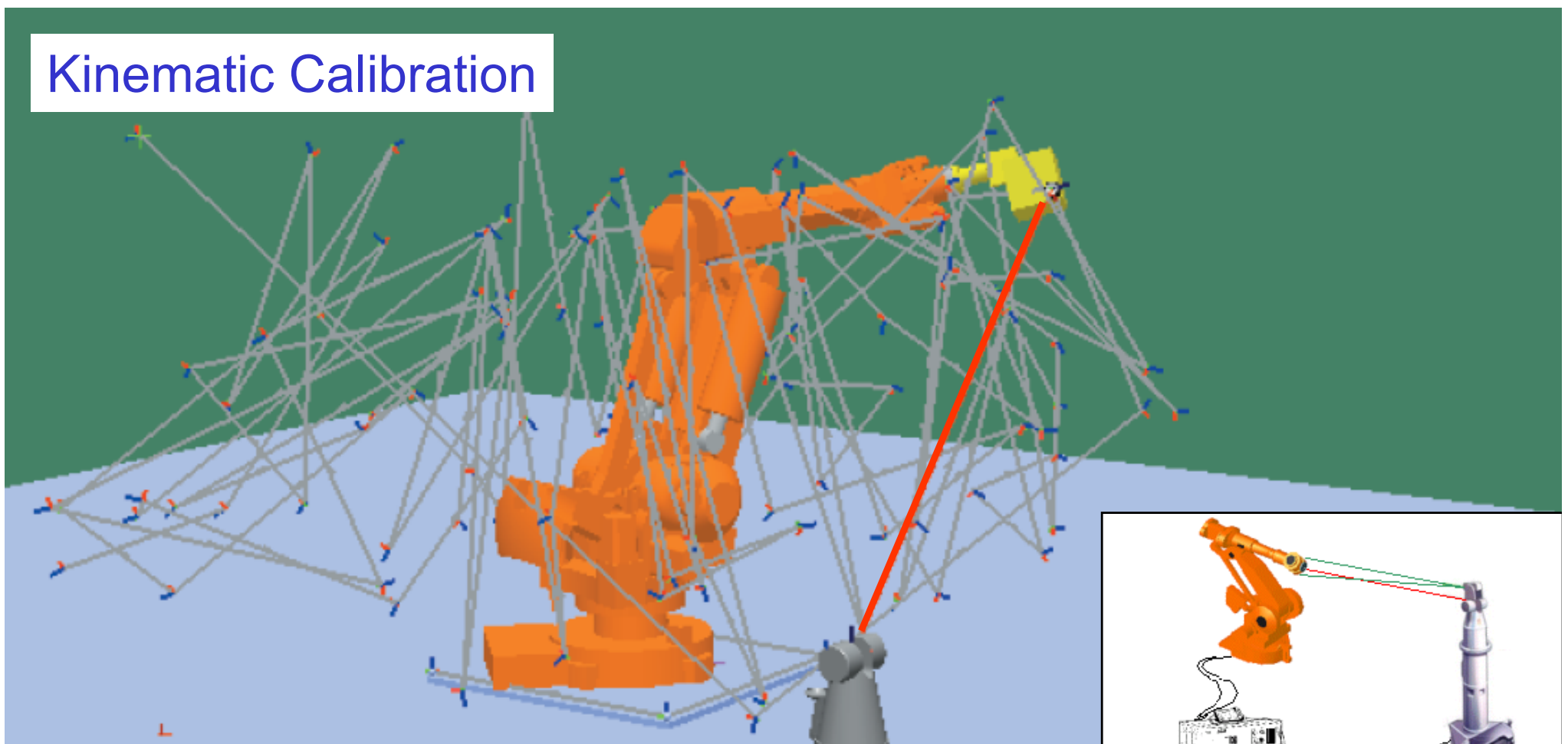
# Inverse kinematic task



# Kinematic calibration



# Kinematic Calibration

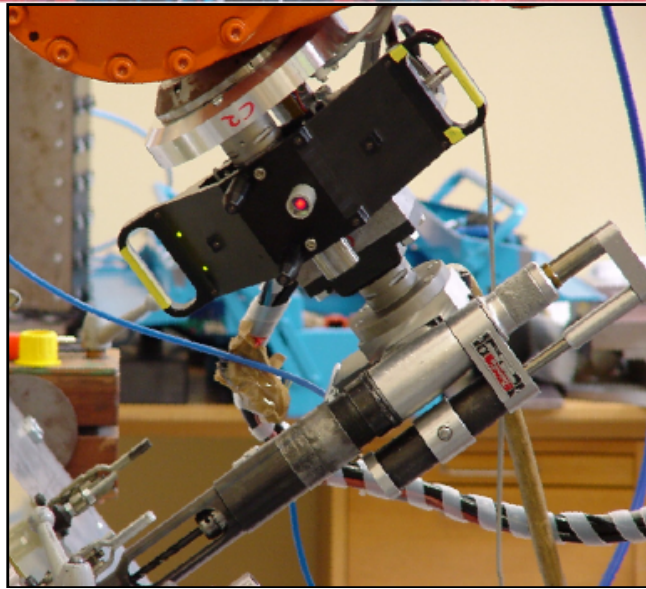
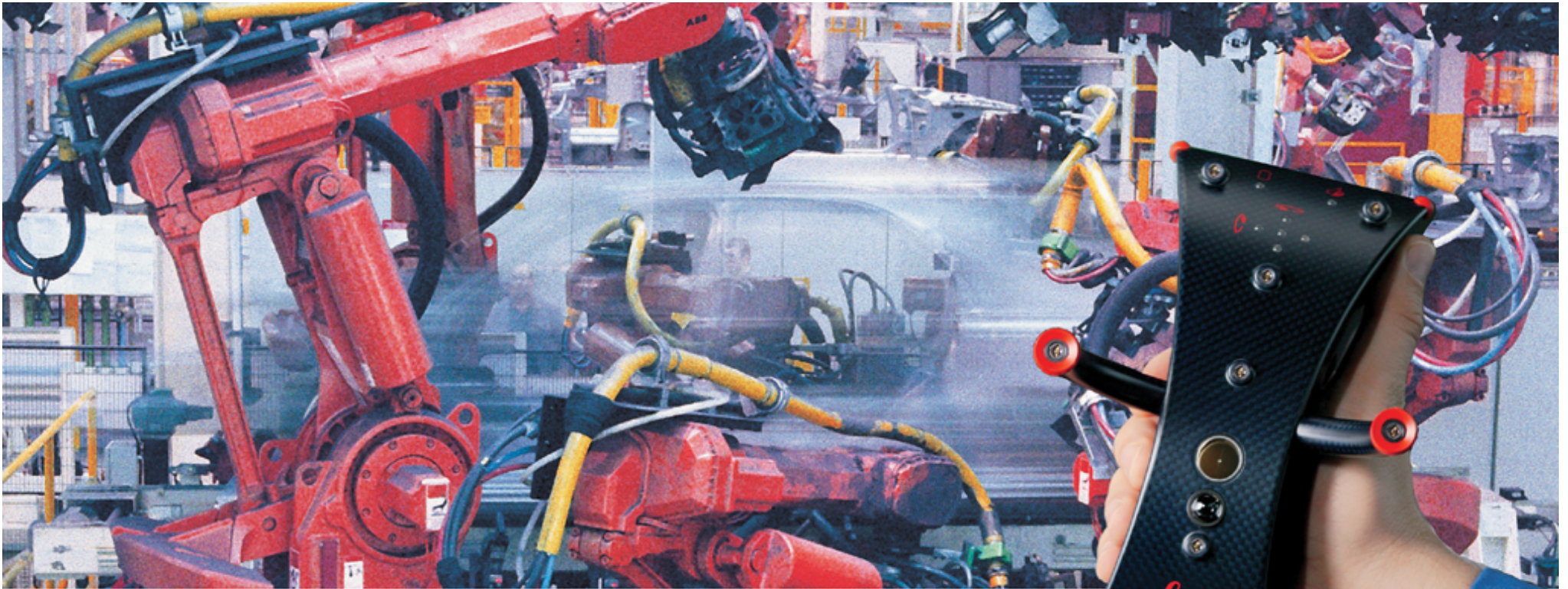


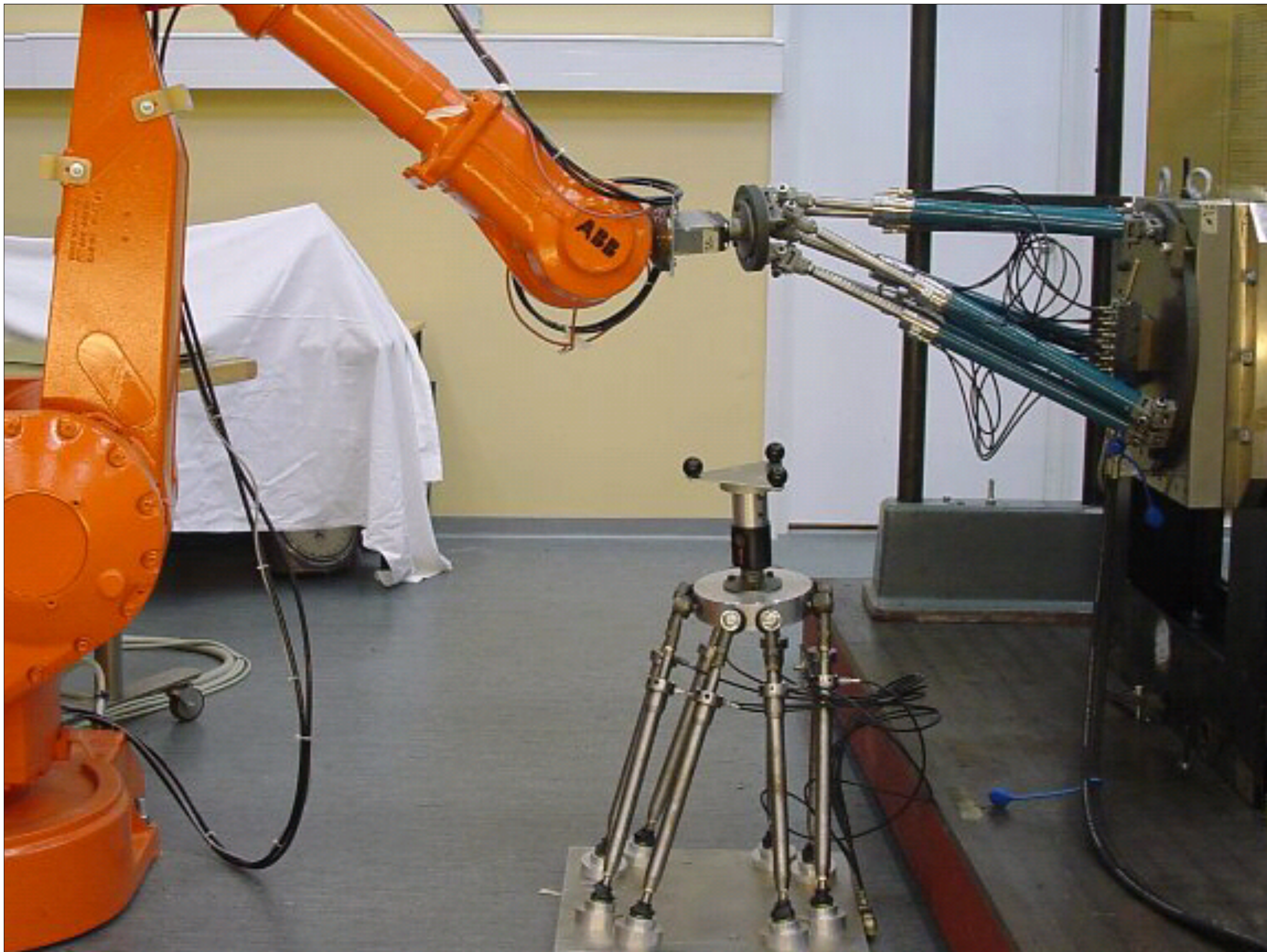


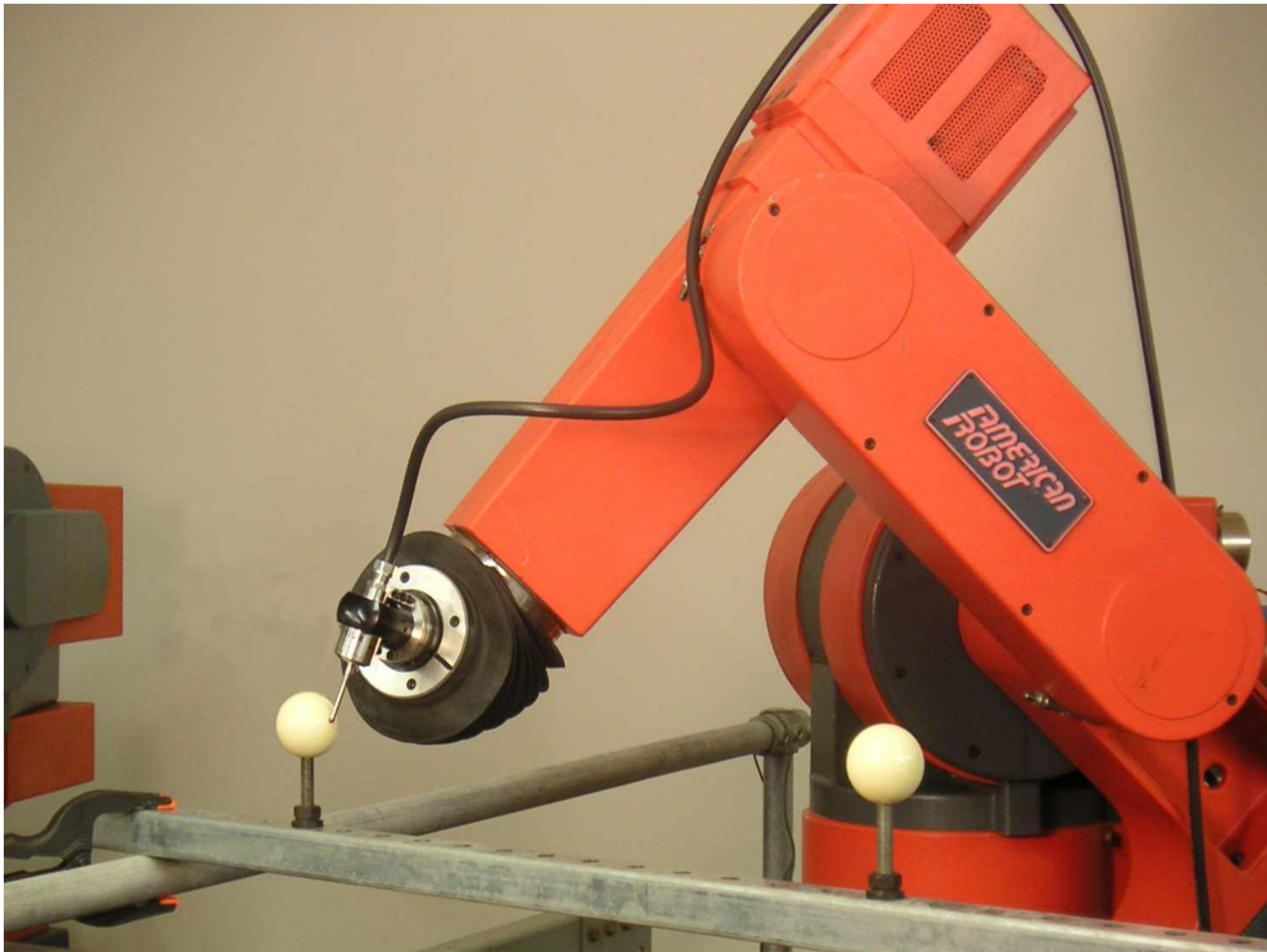
# Robot Calibration



# Kinematic Calibration

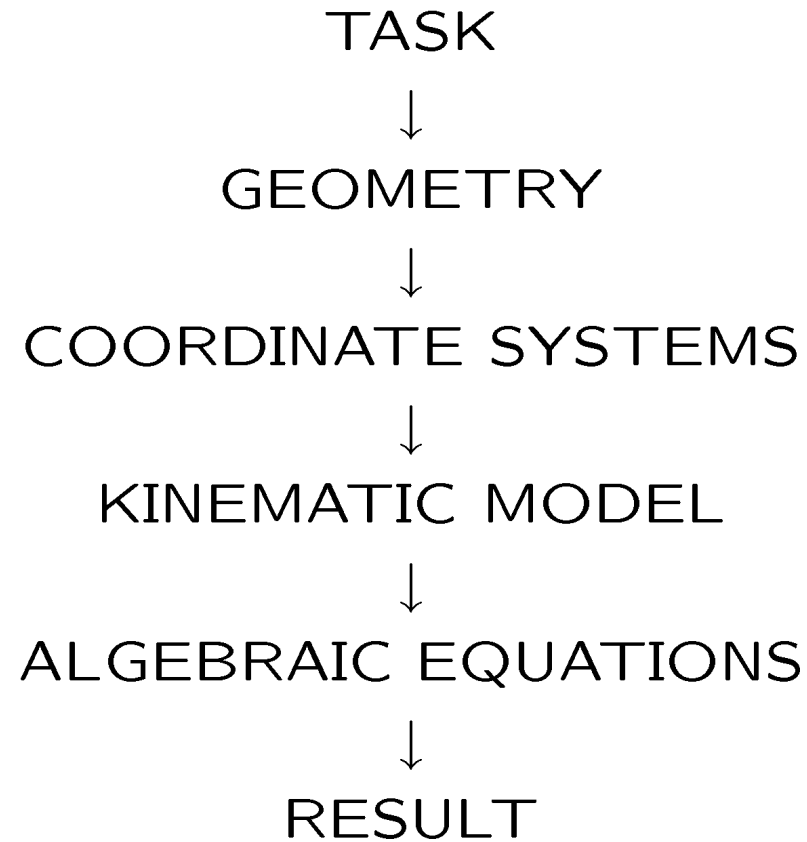








# Solving kinematic tasks



## Solving kinematic tasks

1968 Donald L. Pieper (Ph.D. thesis)

The inverse kinematics of any serial manipulator with six revolute joints, and with three consecutive joints intersecting, can be solved in closed-form, i.e., analytically.

1989 M. Raghavan, B. Roth. *Kinematic Analysis of the 6R Manipulator of General Geometry*. Int. Symp. Robotics. Research. Pp. 314-320, Tokyo 1989/1990.

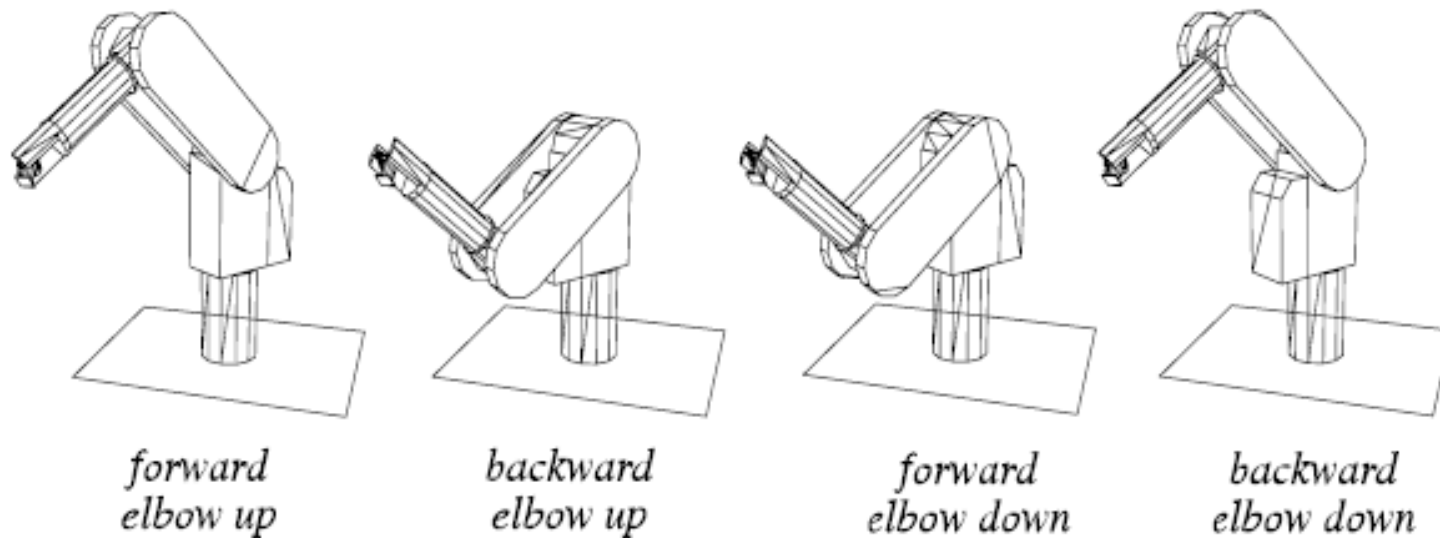
A general technique for computing inverse kinematics for any serial manipulator with six revolute joints.

... leads to solving an algebraic equation of degree 16.

# Solving kinematic tasks

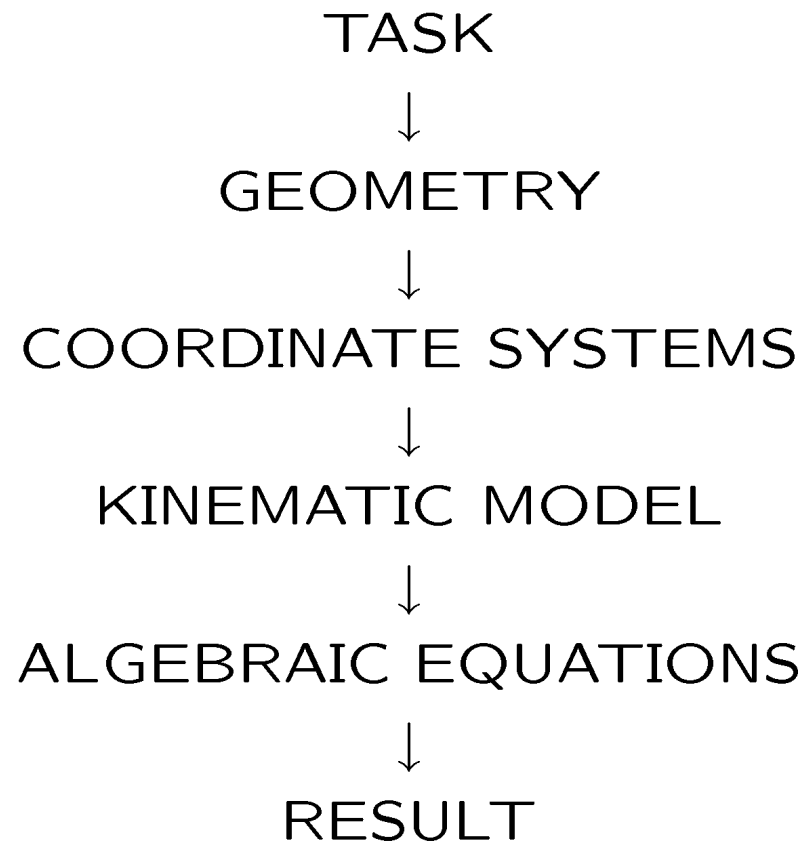
Algebraic equation of degree 16 ... up to 16 solutions

4 typical solutions





# Solving kinematic tasks



# Stäubli TX-90 – Geometry

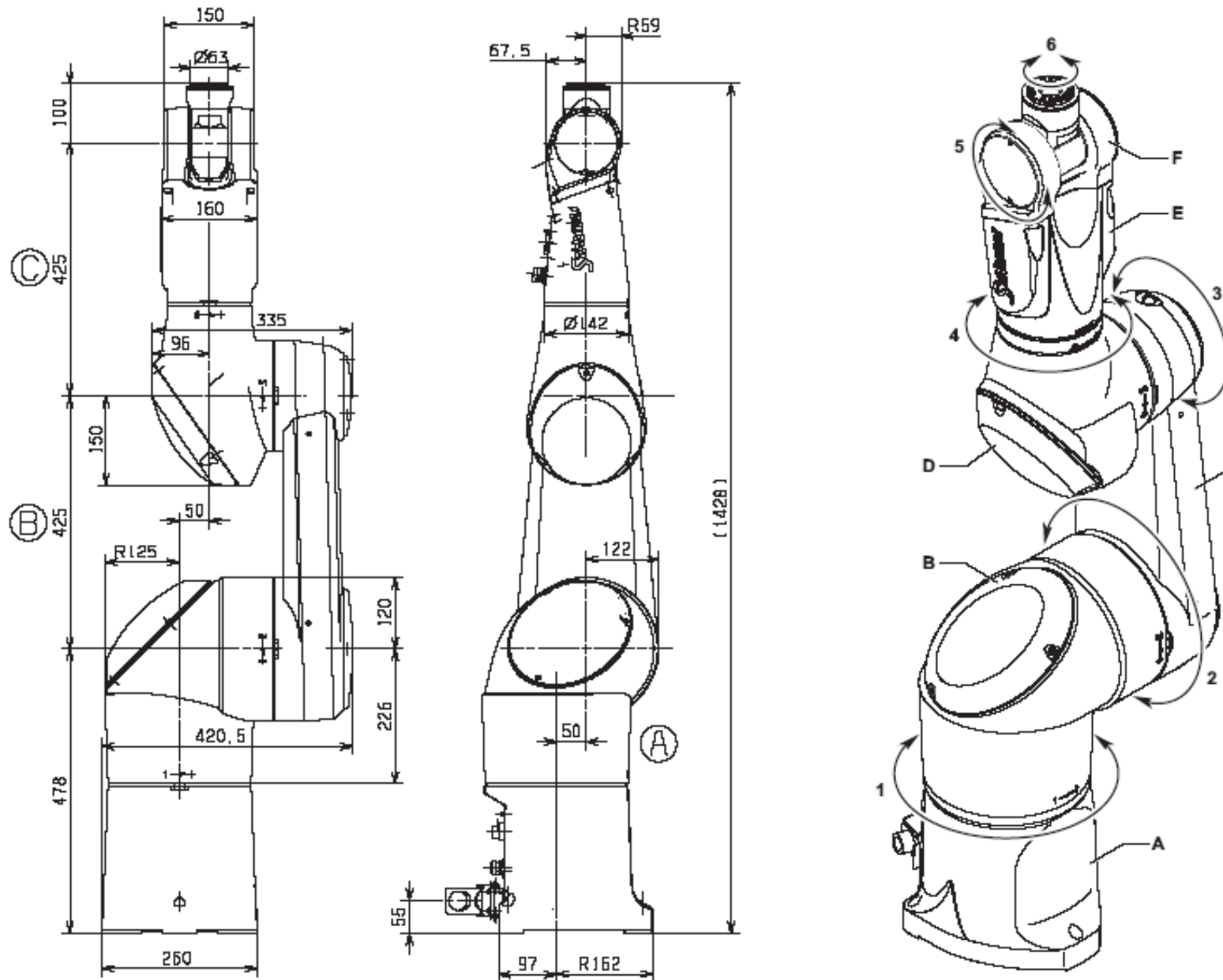
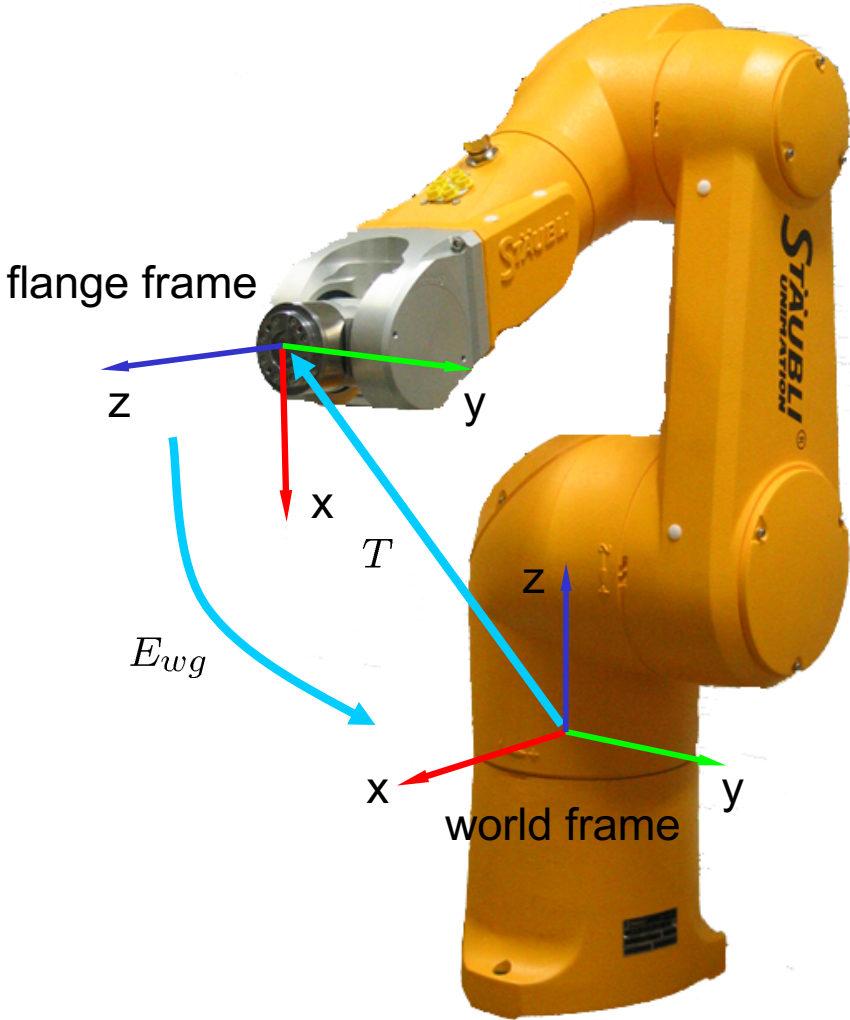


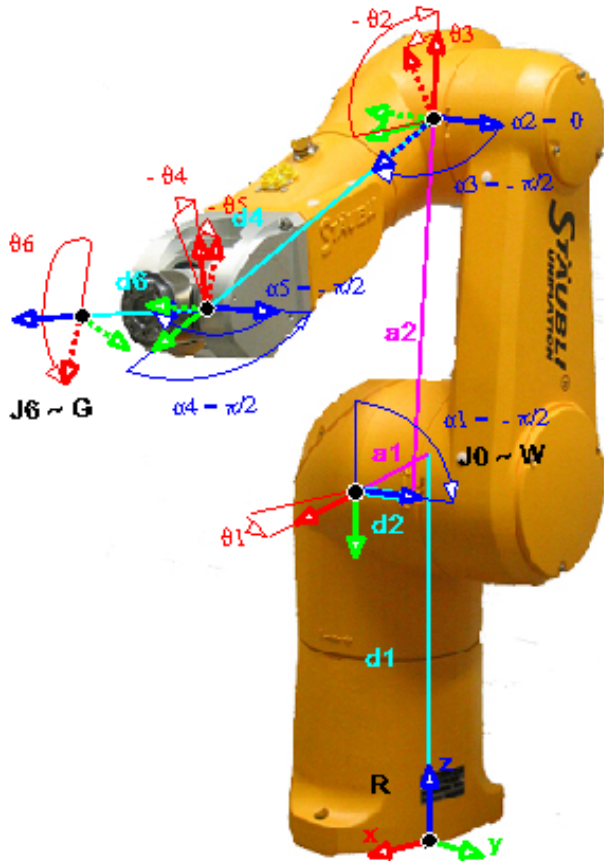
Figure 1.3 - Standard arm

# Kinematic model



$$\alpha_i \mid a_i \mid \theta_i \mid d_i$$

$$A_i^{i-1} = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \theta_i & -\sin \theta_i \cos \alpha_i & \sin \theta_i \sin \alpha_i & a_i \cos \theta_i \\ \sin \theta_i & \cos \theta_i \cos \alpha_i & -\cos \theta_i \sin \alpha_i & a_i \sin \theta_i \\ 0 & \sin \alpha_i & \cos \alpha_i & d_i \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$



$$\text{offset} = [0, -\frac{\pi}{2}, -\frac{\pi}{2}, 0, 0, -\pi]$$

$$\frac{\alpha_1 \mid a_1 \mid \theta_1 \mid d_1}{-\frac{\pi}{2} \mid a_1 \mid \theta_1 \mid 0}$$

$$\frac{\alpha_2 \mid a_2 \mid \theta_2 \mid d_2}{0 \mid a_2 \mid \theta_2 \mid d_2}$$

$$\frac{\alpha_3 \mid a_3 \mid \theta_3 \mid d_3}{-\frac{\pi}{2} \mid 0 \mid \theta_3 \mid 0}$$

$$\frac{\alpha_4 \mid a_4 \mid \theta_4 \mid d_4}{\frac{\pi}{2} \mid 0 \mid \theta_4 \mid d_4}$$

$$\frac{\alpha_5 \mid a_5 \mid \theta_5 \mid d_5}{-\frac{\pi}{2} \mid 0 \mid \theta_5 \mid 0}$$

$$\frac{\alpha_6 \mid a_6 \mid \theta_6 \mid d_6}{0 \mid 0 \mid \theta_6 \mid d_6}$$

$$G = A_1^0 A_2^1 A_3^2 A_4^3 A_5^4 A_6^5$$

$$A_1^0 = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \theta_1 & 0 & -\sin \theta_1 & a_1 \cos \theta_1 \\ \sin \theta_1 & 0 & \cos \theta_1 & a_1 \sin \theta_1 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A_2^1 = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \theta_2 & -\sin \theta_2 & 0 & a_2 \cos \theta_2 \\ \sin \theta_2 & \cos \theta_2 & 0 & a_2 \sin \theta_2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & d_2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A_3^2 = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \theta_3 & 0 & -\sin \theta_3 & 0 \\ \sin \theta_3 & 0 & \cos \theta_3 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

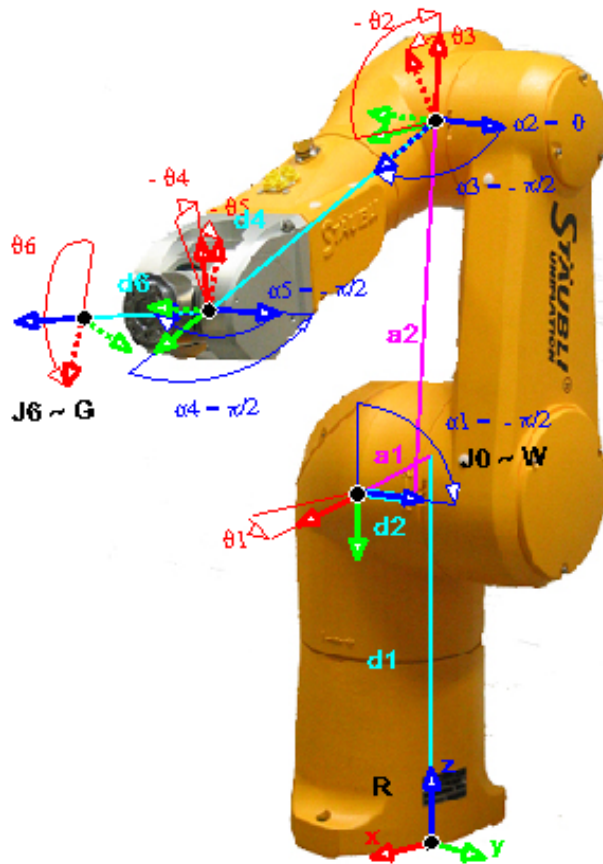
$$A_4^3 = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \theta_4 & 0 & \sin \theta_4 & 0 \\ \sin \theta_4 & 0 & -\cos \theta_4 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & d_4 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A_5^4 = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \theta_5 & 0 & -\sin \theta_5 & 0 \\ \sin \theta_5 & 0 & \cos \theta_5 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A_6^5 = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \theta_6 & -\sin \theta_6 & 0 & 0 \\ \sin \theta_6 & \cos \theta_6 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & d_6 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

# The Standard Kinematic model in Denavit-Hartenberg Convention

## Stäubli TX 90



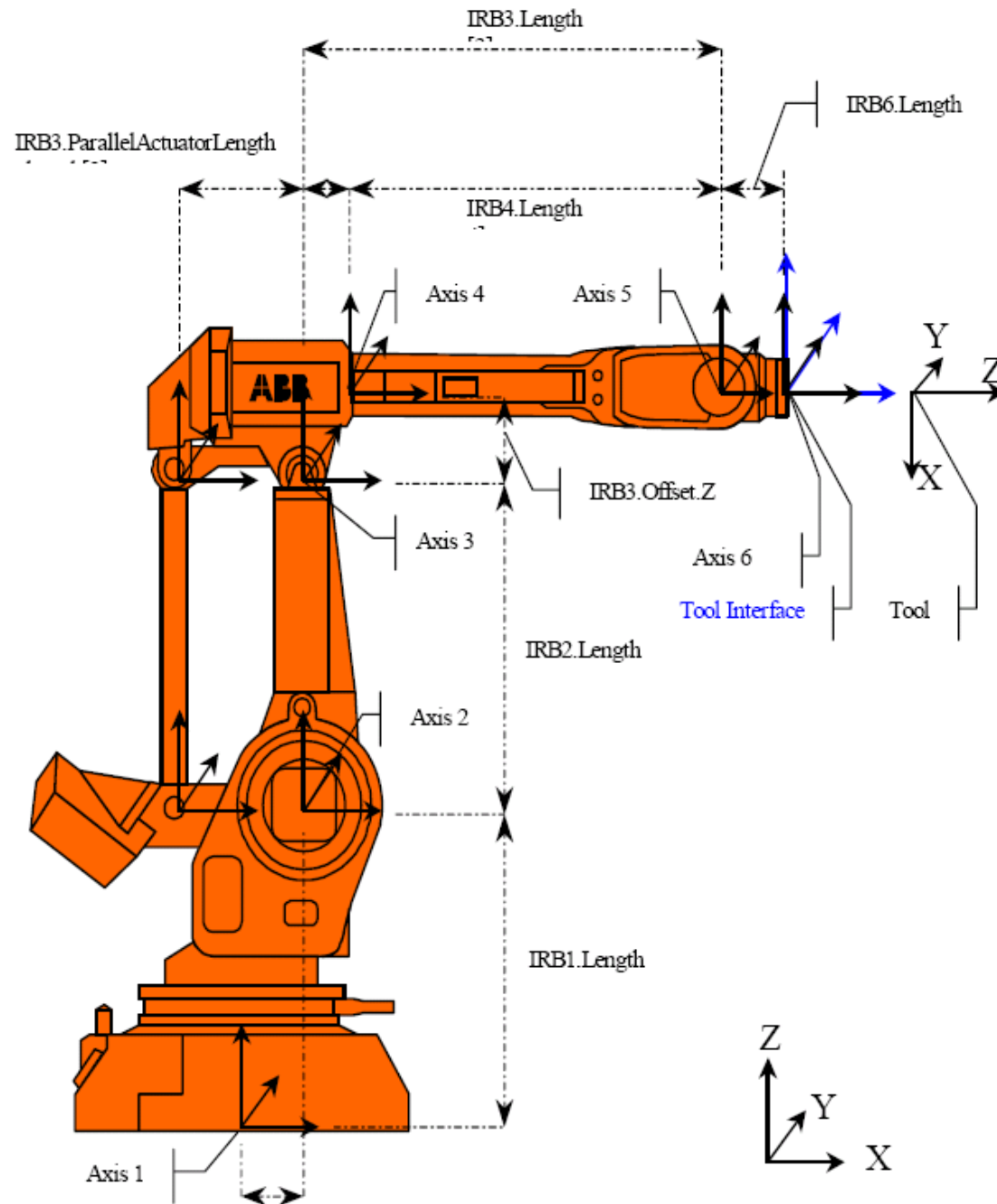
### TX-90 (6 axis, RRRRRR) [Staubli]

$\alpha$	$a$	$\theta$	$d$
-1.5708	50.0	0.0	350.0
0.0	425.0	0.0	50.0
-1.5708	0.0	0.0	0.0
1.5708	0.0	0.0	425.0
-1.5708	0.0	0.0	0.0
0.0	0.0	0.0	100.0

6 non-trivial parameteres

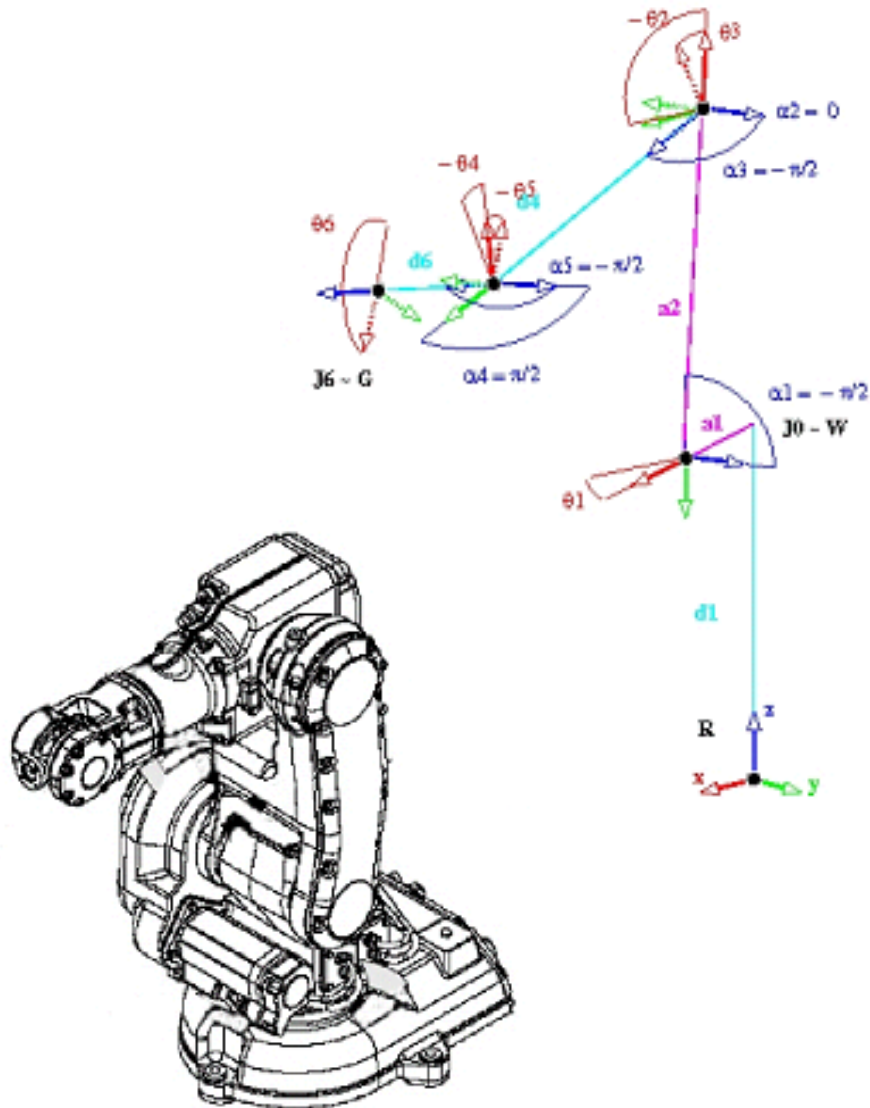
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## ABB IRB 140



# The Standard Kinematic model in Denavit-Hartenberg Convention

## ABB IBR 140



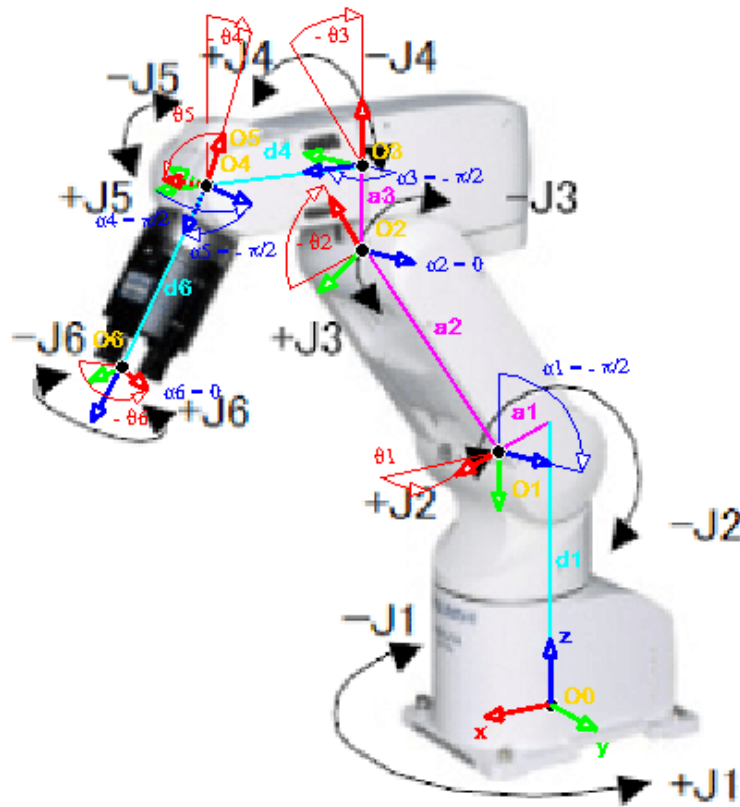
IBR-140 (6 axis) [ABB]

$\alpha$	$a$	$\theta$	$d$
-1.5708	70.0	0.0	352.0
0.0	360.0	0.0	0.0
-1.5708	0.0	0.0	0.0
1.5708	0.0	0.0	380.0
-1.5708	0.0	0.0	0.0
0.0	0.0	0.0	65.0

5 non-trivial parameteres

# The Standard Kinematic model in Denavit-Hartenberg Convention

## Stäubli TX 90



### RV-6S (6 axis, RRRRRR) [Mitsubishi]

$\alpha$	$a$	$\theta$	$d$
-1.5708	<b>85.0</b>	0.0	<b>350.0</b>
0.0	<b>280.0</b>	0.0	0.0
-1.5708	<b>100.0</b>	0.0	0.0
1.5708	0.0	0.0	<b>315.0</b>
-1.5708	0.0	0.0	0.0
0.0	0.0	0.0	<b>85.0</b>

6 non-trivial parameteres



# Special versus General Mechanisms

Special

×

General

simple & tractable

complicated & hard

$\alpha$	a	$\theta$	d	$\alpha$	a	$\theta$	d
-1.5708	70.0	-	352.0	-1.42	70.1	- (+0.2)	352.0
0.0	360.0	-	0.0	0.10	360.0	- (+0.1)	0.2
-1.5708	0.0	-	0.0	-1.57	0.2	- (- 0.3)	0.3
1.5708	0.0	-	380.0	1.58	0.1	- (+0.1)	380.2
-1.5708	0.0	-	0.0	-1.59	0.4	- (- 0.1)	0.1
0.0	0.0	-	65.0	0.07	0.2	- (- 0.2)	65.1

6 non-trivial parameters

×

18 (+6) non-trivial parameters

High precision → Small misalignments important → General mechanisms

# Literature

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## Numerical linear algebra

E. Krajník. *Maticový počet*. Vydavatelství ČVUT, Praha, 2000.

## The solution

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## The numerical solution

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## The pedagogical solution will be developed using

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# Software

Matlab: [www.matworks.com](http://www.matworks.com)

Maple: [www.maplesoft.com](http://www.maplesoft.com)

One algebraic equation in one variable

# SOLVING 1 ALGEBRAIC EQUATION

1 equation, 1 variable → companion matrix → eigenvalues

$$f(x) = x^3 + 4x^2 + x - 6 = -6 + 1x + 4x^2 + 1x^3$$

$$M_x = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 6 \\ 1 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & -4 \end{bmatrix}$$

... a simple rule

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>> e=eig(M_x)
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$$e = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$x_1 = 1, x_2 = -2, x_3 = -3$$

It works when eig works, i.e. order 100 in Matlab is often OK.

# SOLVING 1 ALGEBRAIC EQUATION

Linear mapping  $M \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$

Eigenvalues  $M\mathbf{x} = \lambda\mathbf{x}$

$\Leftrightarrow$

$$M\mathbf{x} - \lambda\mathbf{x} = 0$$

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$$M\mathbf{x} - \lambda I\mathbf{x} = 0$$

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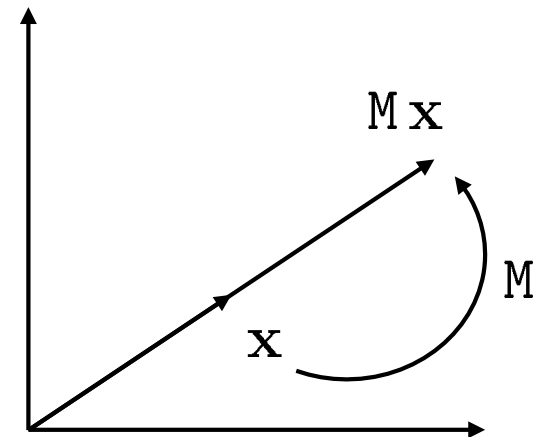
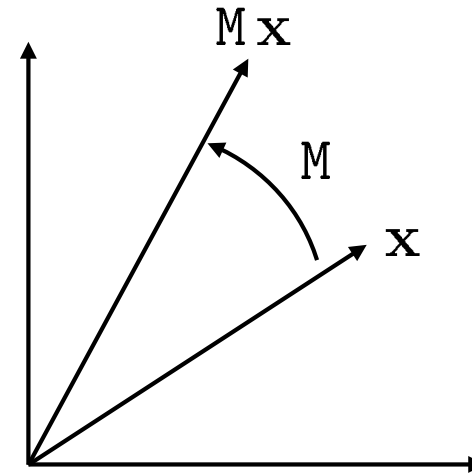
$$(M - \lambda I)\mathbf{x} = 0$$

$$\mathbf{x} \neq 0 \Rightarrow \Leftrightarrow$$

$$\text{rank}(M - \lambda I) < n$$

$\Leftrightarrow$

$$\det(M - \lambda I) = 0$$



# SOLVING 1 ALGEBRAIC EQUATION

algebraic equation

$$f(x) = x^4 + a_3 x^3 + a_2 x^2 + a_1 x + a_0 = \det(-M + x I)$$

$$-M + x I = \begin{bmatrix} \boxed{x} & & & a_0 \\ -1 & \boxed{x} & & a_1 \\ & -1 & \boxed{x} & a_2 \\ & & -1 & x + a_3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$f(x) = x^4 + a_3 x^3 + a_2 x^2 + a_1 \boxed{x} + a_0$$

Numerical solution to  $f(x)$  is obtained by

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>> x = eig(M);
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