Advanced Robotics

Lecture 12

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Inverse kinematic task

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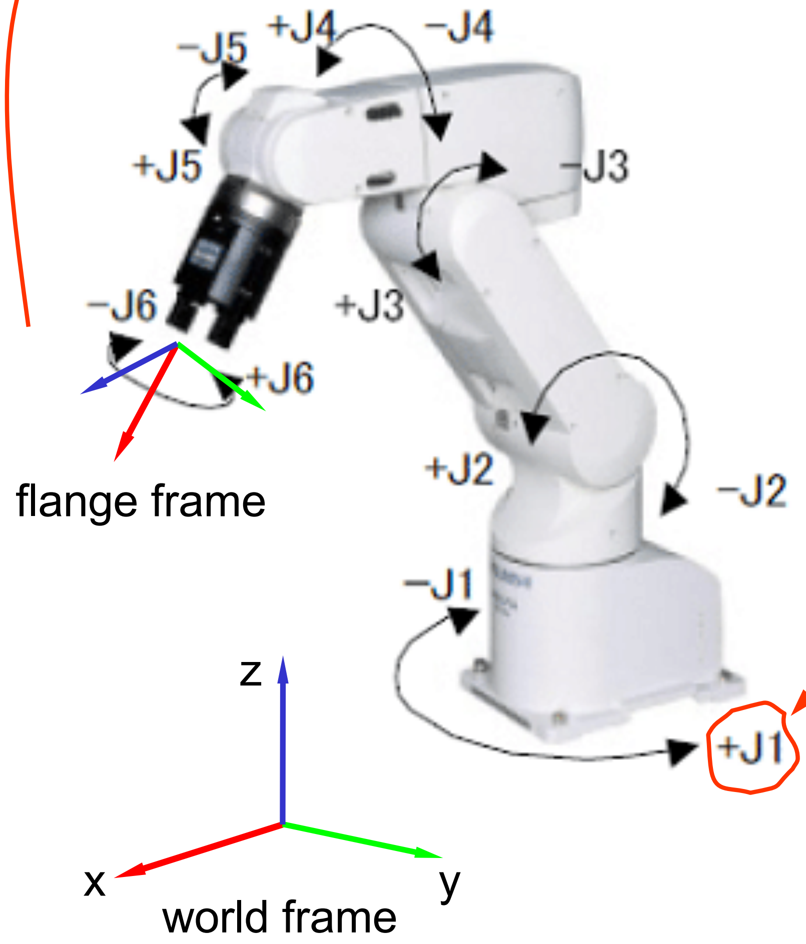
Position of the flange reference frame in the world reference frame

joint angles



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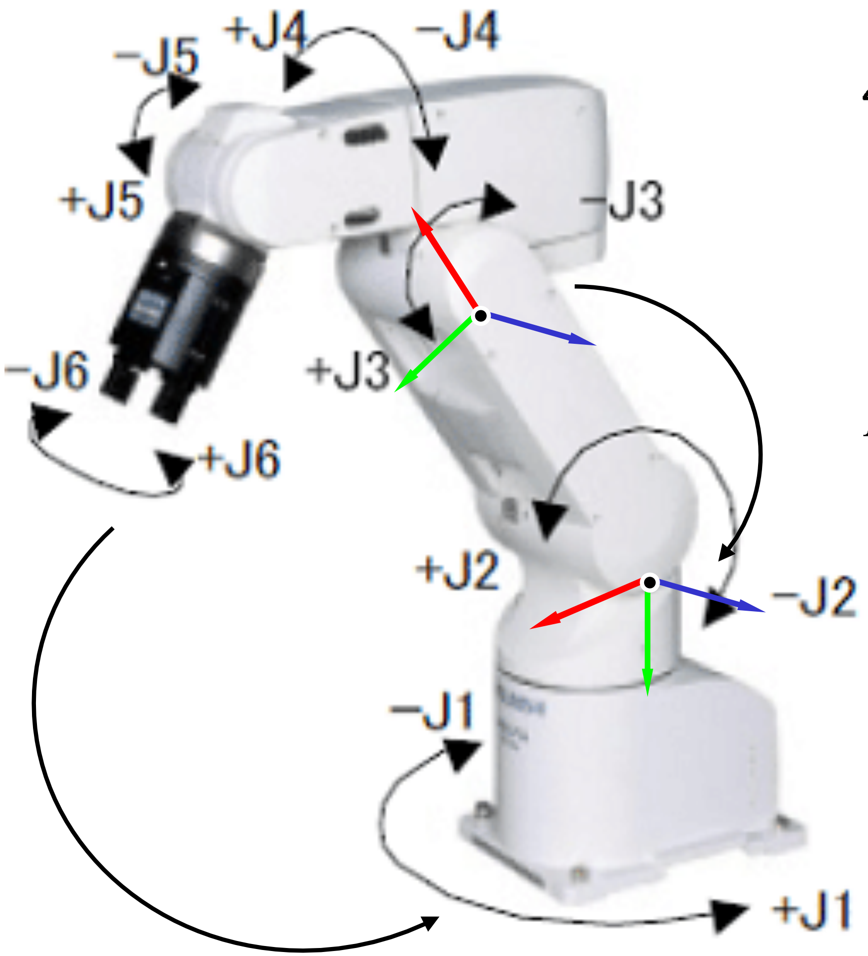
Two consecutive bodies are related by a transform



4 parameters

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

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

$$M = M_1^0 M_2^1 M_3^2 M_4^3 M_5^4 M_6^5$$

Serial manipulator with 6 motions

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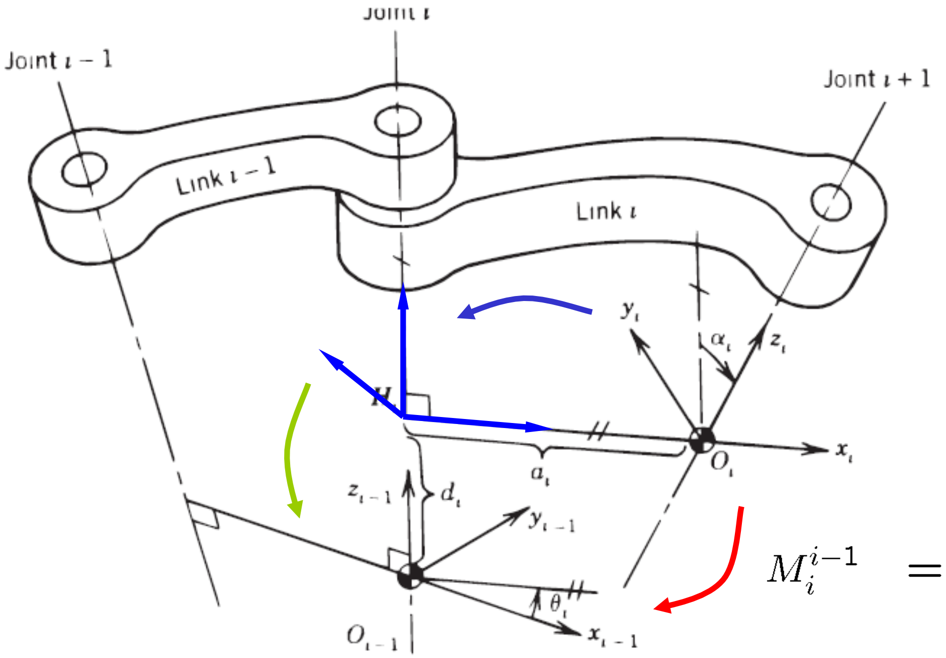
Denavit-Hartenberg motion decomposition will be useful



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$$M_i^{i-1} = M_{int}^{i-1}\, M_i^{int}$$

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Inverse kinematics – formulation 1

Given the position of the flange, i.e. the matrix M

and parameters of the mechanism, e.g. $\alpha_i,\ a_i,\ d_i$

compute the control variables $\theta_1,\ \theta_2,\ \theta_3,\ \theta_4,\ \theta_5,\ \theta_6$

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Matrix motion equation $M = \underbrace{M_1^0 M_2^1 M_3^2 M_4^3 M_5^4 M_6^5}$

known

function of

$\alpha_i,\ a_i,\ d_i$

and

$\theta_1,\ \theta_2,\ \theta_3,\ \theta_4,\ \theta_5,\ \theta_6$

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Change of variables – from trigonometry to algebra

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$$\cos\theta_i \longrightarrow c_i$$

$$\sin\theta_i \longrightarrow s_i$$

$$\cos\alpha_i \longrightarrow p_i$$

$$\sin\alpha_i \longrightarrow q_i$$

$$M_{int}^{i-1} = \begin{bmatrix} c_i & -s_i & 0 & 0 \\ s_i & c_i & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & d_i \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \qquad M_i^{int} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & a_i \\ 0 & p_i & -q_i & 0 \\ 0 & q_i & p_i & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

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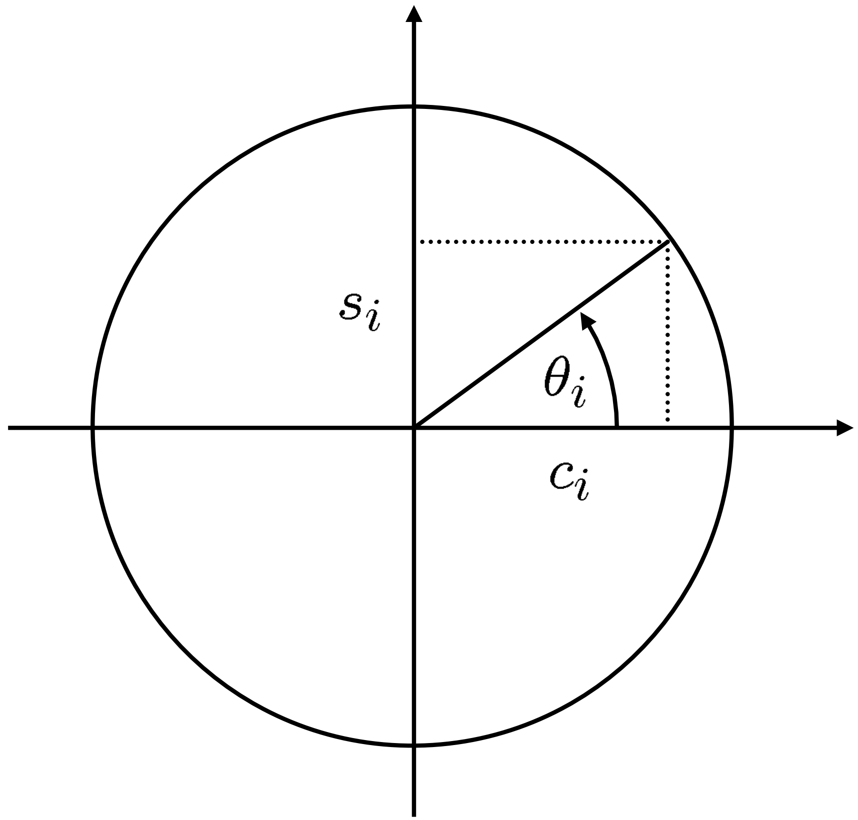
Algebraic identity

1 unknown θ_i ⟶ 2 unknowns $c_i,\ s_i$ + 1 algebraic identity



$$c_i^2 + s_i^2 = 1$$

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$$c_i^2 + s_i^2 = 1 \qquad p_i^2 + q_i^2 = 1$$

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Inverse kinematics – formulation 2

Given the position of the arm, i.e. the matrix M

and parameters of the mechanisn, e.g. $\alpha_i,\ a_i,\ d_i$

compute the control variables

$$s_1,\ c_1\ ;\ s_2,\ c_2\ ;\ s_3,\ c_3\ ;\ s_4,\ c_4\ ;\ s_5,\ c_5\ ;\ s_6,\ c_6$$

subject to the constraint

$$M = M_1^0(c_1,s_1)\, M_2^1(c_2,s_2)\, M_3^2(c_3,s_3)\, M_4^3(c_4,s_4)\, M_5^4(c_5,s_5)\, M_6^5(c_6,s_6)$$

and

$$\begin{array}{ll} c_1^2+s_1^2=1 & c_4^2+s_4^2=1 \\ c_2^2+s_2^2=1 & c_5^2+s_5^2=1 \\ c_3^2+s_3^2=1 & c_6^2+s_6^2=1 \end{array}$$

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Counting unknowns and equations

12 unknowns

$s_1,\ c_1\ ;\ s_2,\ c_2\ ;\ s_3,\ c_3\ ;\ s_4,\ c_4\ ;\ s_5,\ c_5\ ;\ s_6,\ c_6$

12 equations (3 x 4 matrix) but only 6 independent (M constains rotation)

$$M = M_1^0(c_1, s_1)\, M_2^1(c_2, s_2)\, M_3^2(c_3, s_3)\, M_4^3(c_4, s_4)\, M_5^4(c_5, s_5)\, M_6^5(c_6, s_6)$$

6 equations

$$c_1^2 + s_1^2 = 1 \qquad c_4^2 + s_4^2 = 1$$
$$c_2^2 + s_2^2 = 1 \qquad c_5^2 + s_5^2 = 1$$
$$c_3^2 + s_3^2 = 1 \qquad c_6^2 + s_6^2 = 1$$

There is 12 unknowns and 12 equations $\longrightarrow$ can be solved

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Decomposition to elementary motions

$$M = M_1^0 M_2^1 M_3^2 M_4^3 M_5^4 M_6^5$$

$$M = M_{int}^0 \, M_1^{int} \, M_{int}^1 \, M_2^{int} \, M_{int}^2 \, M_3^{int} \, M_{int}^3 \, M_4^{int} \, M_{int}^4 \, M_5^{int} \, M_{int}^5 \, M_6^{int}$$

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and rename matrices to make it shorter

$$M_i^{i-1} \longrightarrow M_i$$

$$M = M_1^0 M_2^1 M_3^2 M_4^3 M_5^4 M_6^5 \longrightarrow M = M_1 M_2 M_3 M_4 M_5 M_6$$

$$M_{int}^{i-1} \, M_i^{int} \longrightarrow M_{i1} \, M_{i2}$$

$$M = M_{int}^0 \, M_1^{int} \, M_{int}^1 \, M_2^{int} \, M_{int}^2 \, M_3^{int} \, M_{int}^3 \, M_4^{int} \, M_{int}^4 \, M_5^{int} \, M_{int}^5 \, M_6^{int}$$

$$\downarrow$$

$$M = M_{11} \, M_{12} \, M_{21} \, M_{22} \, M_{31} \, M_{32} \, M_{41} \, M_{42} \, M_{51} \, M_{52} \, M_{61} \, M_{62}$$

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Inversion of D-H motion matrix preserves “linearity”

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

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Inversion of D-H motion matrix preserves “linearity”

$$\mathrm{inv}(M_i^{i-1}) = \mathrm{inv}\left(\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & a_i \\ 0 & \cos\alpha_i & -\sin\alpha_i & 0 \\ 0 & \sin\alpha_i & \cos\alpha_i & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}\right) \mathrm{inv}\left(\begin{bmatrix} \cos\theta_i & -\sin\theta_i & 0 & 0 \\ \sin\theta_i & \cos\theta_i & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & d_i \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}\right)$$

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

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

$$= \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} c_i & s_i & 0 & -a_i \\ -s_i\,p_i & c_i\,p_i & q_i & -d_i\,q_i \\ s_i\,q_i & -c_i\,q_i & p_i & -d_i\,p_i \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}}_{\text{linear in } c_i,\ s_i}$$

Separate unknowns as much as possible

products of 6 unknowns

$$M = M_1(c_1, s_1)\, M_2(c_2, s_2)\, M_3(c_3, s_3)\, M_4(c_4, s_4)\, M_5(c_5, s_5)\, M_6(c_6, s_6)$$

$$M_2^{-1}(c_2, s_2)\, M_1^{-1}(c_1, s_1)\, M\, M_6^{-1}(c_6, s_6) = M_3(c_3, s_3)\, M_4(c_4, s_4)\, M_5(c_5, s_5)$$

product of 3 unknowns   product of 3 unknowns

algebraic equations of degree 3

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