

Kinematics: Fundamentals

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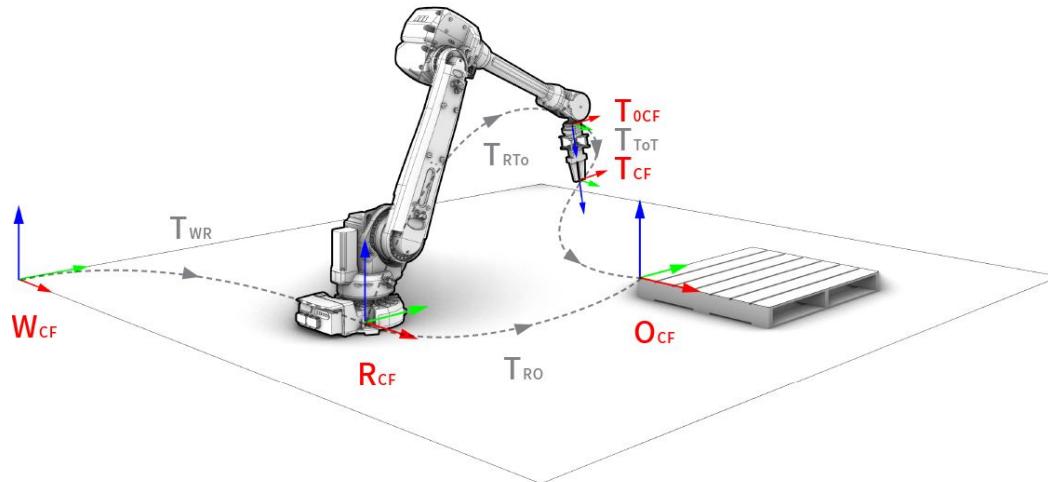
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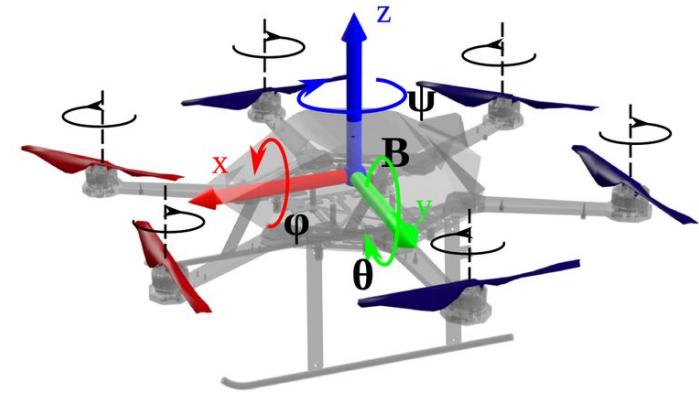
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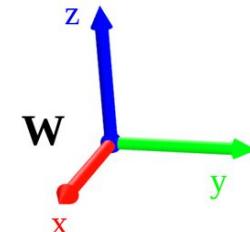
Coordinate Frame Of Reference



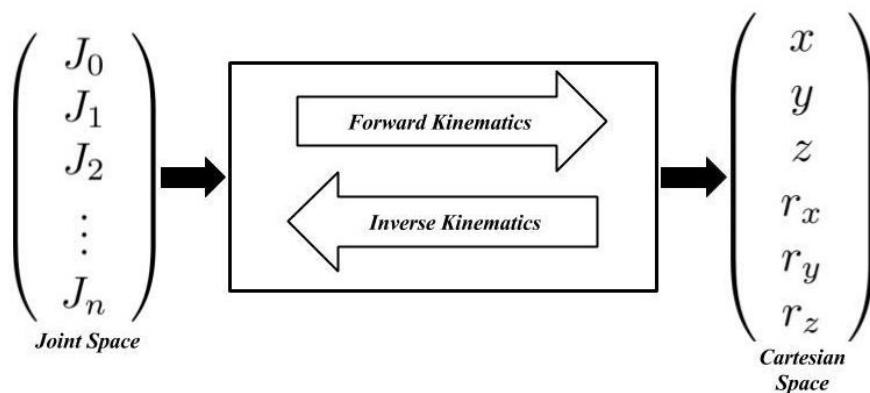
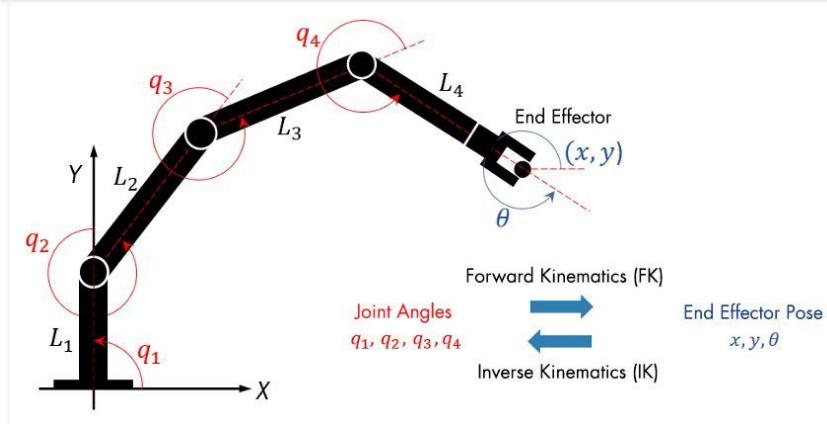
Read: [Coordinate frames](#)



Read: [Frame rotations and representations](#)



Forward Kinematics vs Inverse Kinematics



Spatial Representations

⇒ Axis: X, Y, Z

⇒ Unit Vectors are represented with *hats*

- I.E.: \hat{Y} is the unit vector along Y axis

⇒ $\{A\}$ represents a frame of reference named A

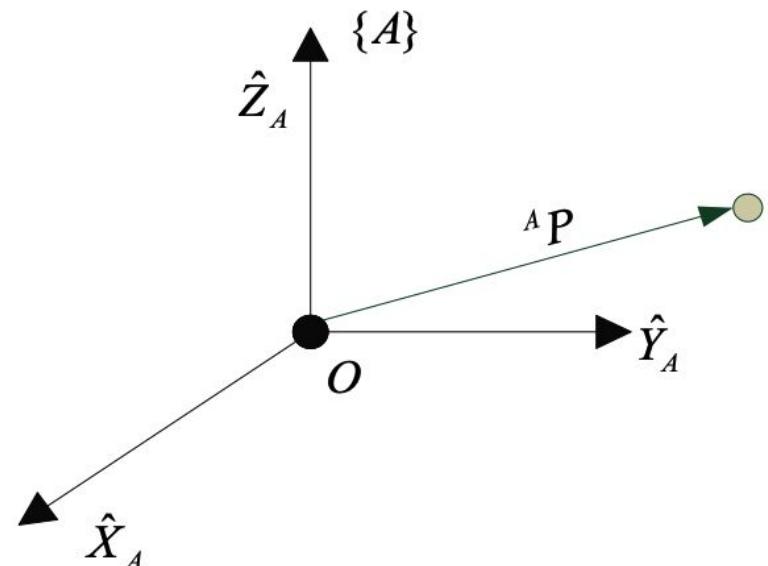
⇒ ${}^A P$ means a point P represented in frame $\{A\}$

⇒ Global frame of world frame

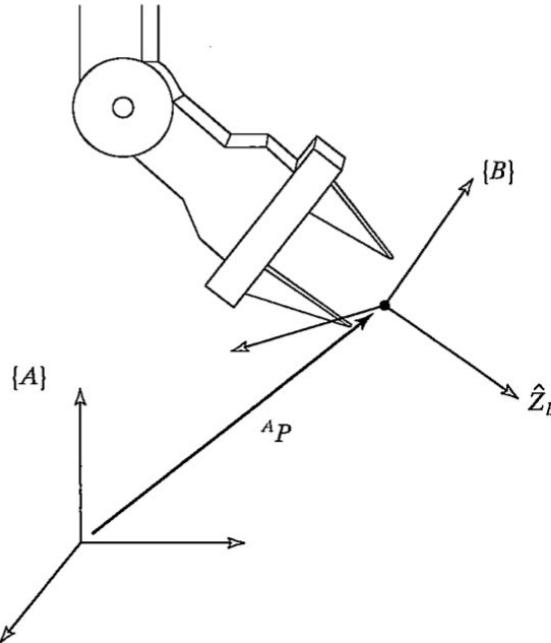
- $\{G\}$ or $\{W\}$

How to represent a point ${}^B P$ in a different frame, say $\{A\}$?

$${}^A P = \begin{bmatrix} p_x \\ p_y \\ p_z \end{bmatrix}$$

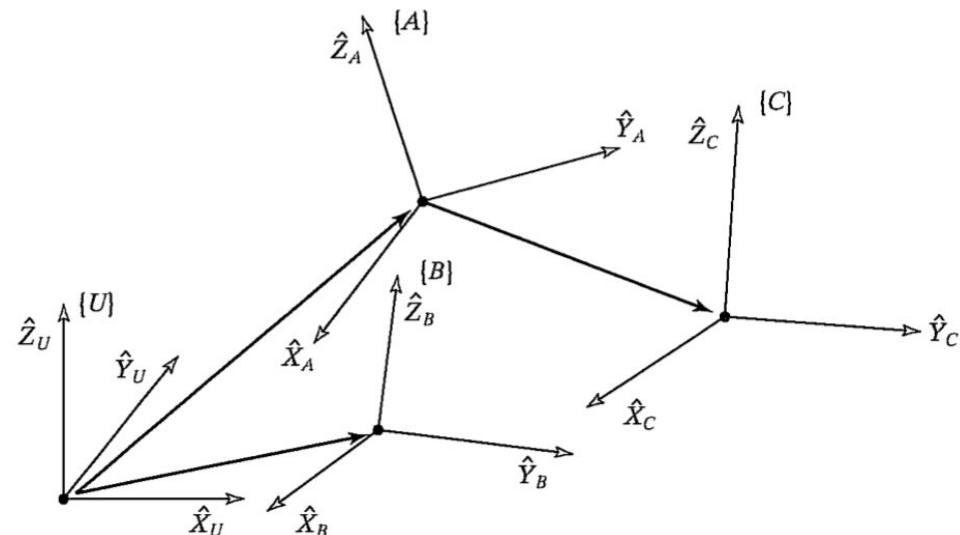


Translation and Orientation



How to represent a point $^B P$ in a different frame, say $\{A\}$?

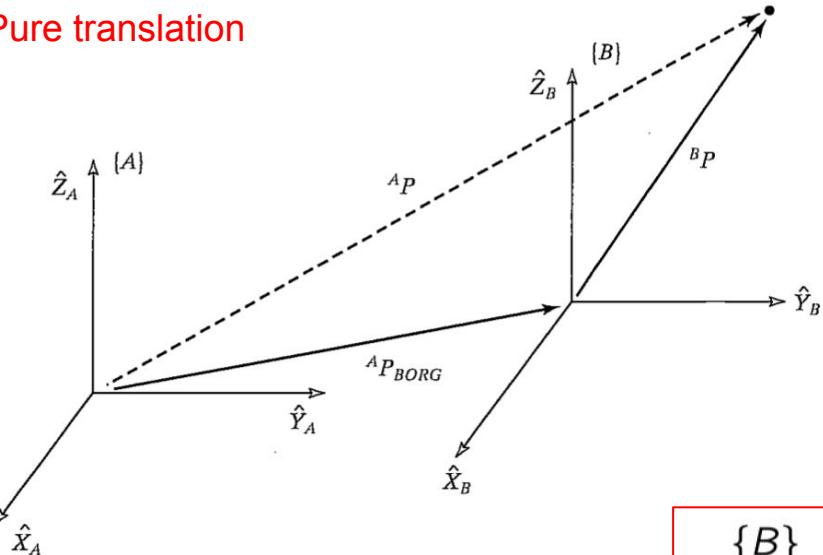
- ⇒ Translation: linear displacement
- ⇒ Rotation: angular displacement



If we find pairwise solution, then we can solve complex ones too!

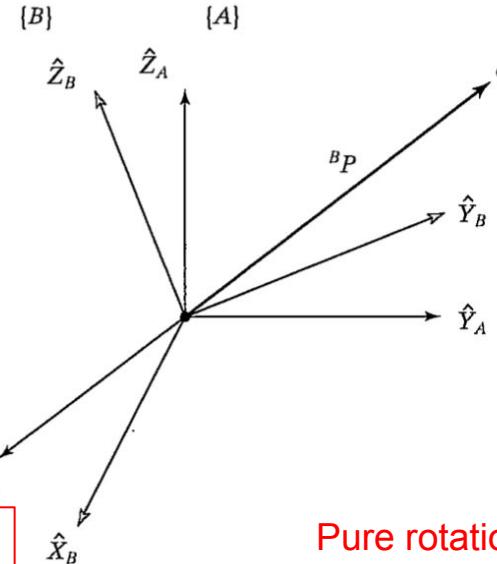
From ${}^B P$ To ${}^A P$

Pure translation



$${}^A P = {}^B P + {}^A P_{BORG}$$

Trivial case: example?



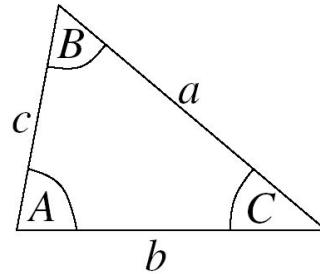
$$\{B\} = \{{}^A_B R, {}^A P_{BORG}\}$$

$${}^A P = {}^A_B R {}^B P + {}^A P_{BORG}$$

$${}^A P = {}^A_B R {}^B P$$

How?

Preliminaries: Sine And Cosine rules



Sine Rule

$$\frac{a}{\sin(A)} = \frac{b}{\sin(B)} = \frac{c}{\sin(C)}$$
 or $\frac{\sin(A)}{a} = \frac{\sin(B)}{b} = \frac{\sin(C)}{c}$

(for finding sides)

(for finding angles)

Cosine Rule

$$a^2 = b^2 + c^2 - 2bc \cos(A)$$
 or $\cos(A) = \frac{b^2 + c^2 - a^2}{2bc}$

(for finding sides)

(for finding angles)

$$\sin(A-B) = \sin A \cos B - \cos A \sin B$$

$$\sin(A+B) = \sin A \cos B + \cos A \sin B$$

$$\cos(A+B) = \cos A \cos B - \sin A \sin B$$

$$\cos(A-B) = \cos A \cos B + \sin A \sin B$$

Short casual notation!

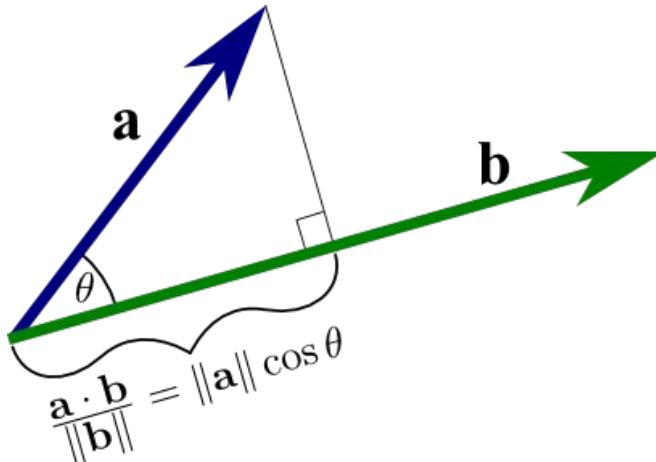
$$\mathbf{C}(A+B) = \mathbf{CA} \mathbf{CB} - \mathbf{SA} \mathbf{SB}$$

$$\mathbf{C}(A-B) = \mathbf{CA} \mathbf{CB} + \mathbf{SA} \mathbf{SB}$$

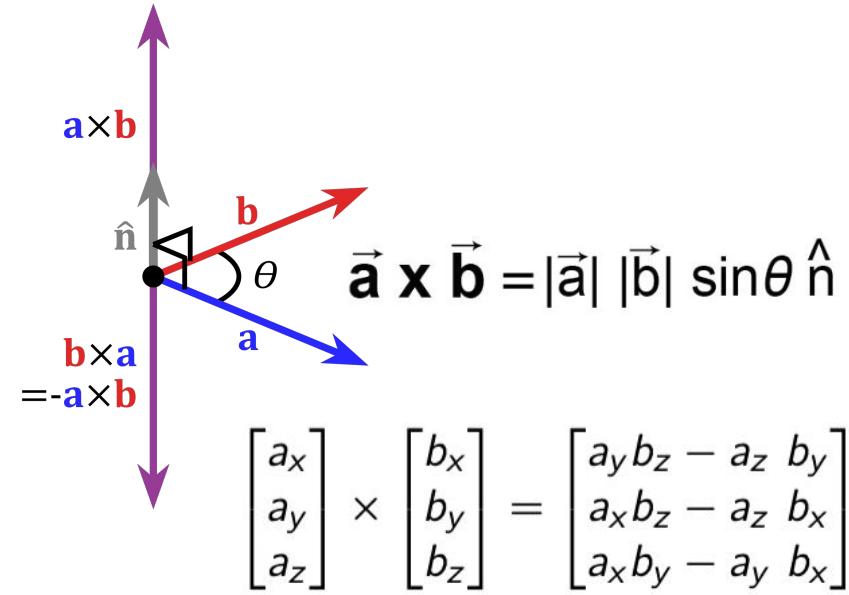
$$2 \mathbf{CA} \mathbf{CB} = \mathbf{C}(A+B) + \mathbf{C}(A-B)$$

$$2 \mathbf{SA} \mathbf{SB} = \mathbf{C}(A-B) - \mathbf{C}(A+B)$$

Preliminaries: Dot And Cross Product

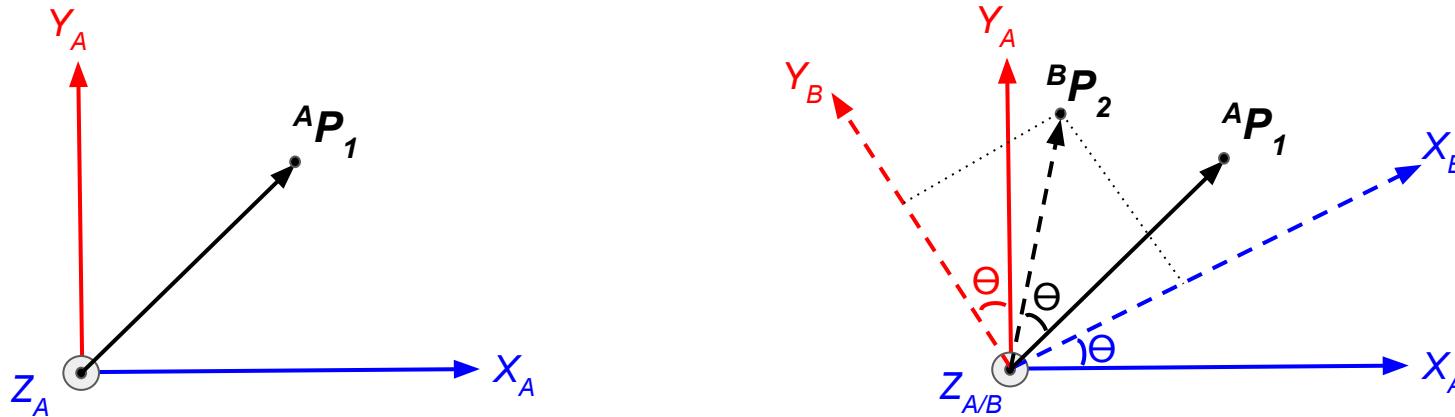


$$\vec{\mathbf{a}} \cdot \vec{\mathbf{b}} = \|\vec{\mathbf{a}}\| \|\vec{\mathbf{b}}\| \cos \theta$$



$$\mathbf{a} \times \mathbf{b} = [\mathbf{a}]_x \cdot \mathbf{b} = \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} 0 & -a_z & a_y \\ a_z & 0 & -a_x \\ -a_y & a_x & 0 \end{bmatrix}}_{[\mathbf{a}]_x} \begin{bmatrix} b_x \\ b_y \\ b_z \end{bmatrix}$$

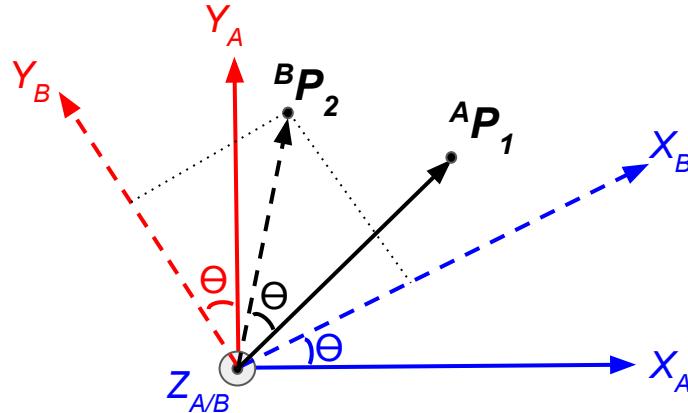
Rotation Around Z Axis



$${}^B P_2 = {}^A P_1$$

$${}^A P_2 = {}_B^A R {}^B P_2 = {}_B^A R {}^A P_1$$

Rotation Around Z Axis



$${}^B P_2 = {}^A P_1$$

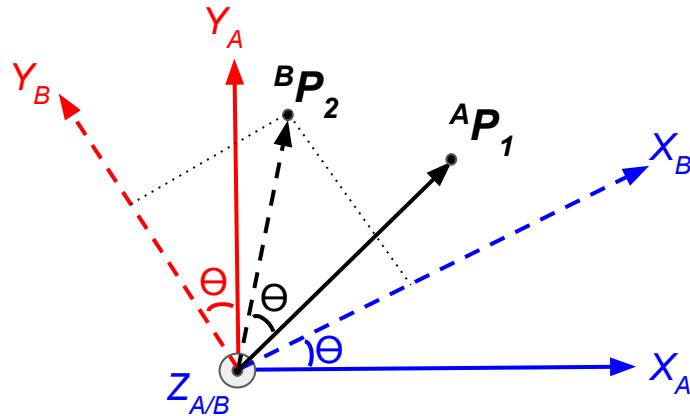
$${}^A P_2 = {}^A_B R {}^B P_2 = {}^A_B R {}^A P_1$$

$${}^A_B R = [{}^A \hat{X}_B \ {}^A \hat{Y}_B \ {}^A \hat{Z}_B] = \begin{bmatrix} \hat{X}_B \cdot \hat{X}_A & \hat{Y}_B \cdot \hat{X}_A & \hat{Z}_B \cdot \hat{X}_A \\ \hat{X}_B \cdot \hat{Y}_A & \hat{Y}_B \cdot \hat{Y}_A & \hat{Z}_B \cdot \hat{Y}_A \\ \hat{X}_B \cdot \hat{Z}_A & \hat{Y}_B \cdot \hat{Z}_A & \hat{Z}_B \cdot \hat{Z}_A \end{bmatrix}$$

Proof:

$${}^A P_2 = \begin{bmatrix} {}^B P_2 \cdot {}^B \hat{X}_A \\ {}^B P_2 \cdot {}^B \hat{Y}_A \\ {}^B P_2 \cdot {}^B \hat{Z}_A \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} {}^B \hat{X}'_A \cdot {}^B P_2 \\ {}^B \hat{Y}'_A \cdot {}^B P_2 \\ {}^B \hat{Z}'_A \cdot {}^B P_2 \end{bmatrix} = [{}^A \hat{X}_B \ {}^A \hat{Y}_B \ {}^A \hat{Z}_B] {}^B P_2 = [{}^A \hat{X}_B \ {}^A \hat{Y}_B \ {}^A \hat{Z}_B] {}^A P_1$$

Rotation Around Z Axis



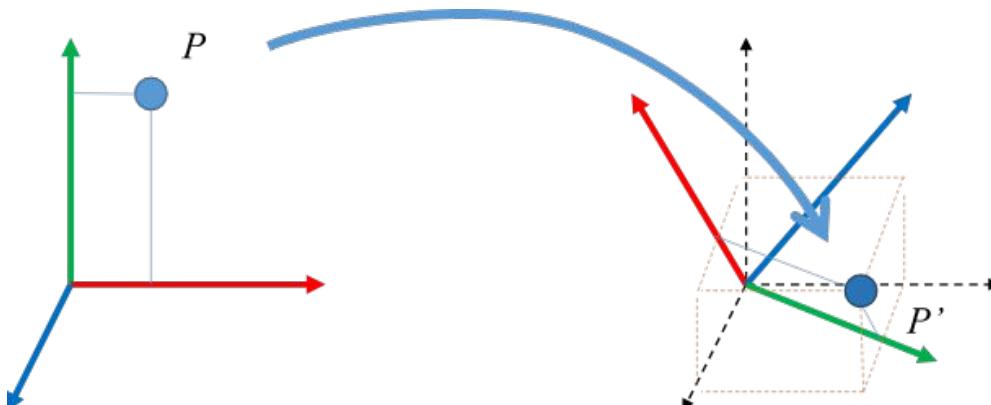
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$${}^A_B R = R_z(\theta) = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \theta & -\sin \theta & 0 \\ \sin \theta & \cos \theta & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$R_y(\theta) = ?$ and $R_z(\theta) = ?$

Elementary Rotations: X / Y / Z

$$R_x(\theta) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \cos \theta & -\sin \theta \\ 0 & \sin \theta & \cos \theta \end{bmatrix} \quad R_y(\theta) = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \theta & 0 & \sin \theta \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -\sin \theta & 0 & \cos \theta \end{bmatrix} \quad R_z(\theta) = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \theta & -\sin \theta & 0 \\ \sin \theta & \cos \theta & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$



$$\mathbf{p} = (x, y, z)$$

$$\mathbf{p}' = R\mathbf{p} = \begin{bmatrix} r_{11} & r_{12} & r_{13} \\ r_{21} & r_{22} & r_{23} \\ r_{31} & r_{32} & r_{33} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix}$$

Properties Of A Rotation Matrix

$${}^A_B R = [{}^A \hat{X}_B \ {}^A \hat{Y}_B \ {}^A \hat{Z}_B] = \begin{bmatrix} \hat{X}_B \cdot \hat{X}_A & \hat{Y}_B \cdot \hat{X}_A & \hat{Z}_B \cdot \hat{X}_A \\ \hat{X}_B \cdot \hat{Y}_A & \hat{Y}_B \cdot \hat{Y}_A & \hat{Z}_B \cdot \hat{Y}_A \\ \hat{X}_B \cdot \hat{Z}_A & \hat{Y}_B \cdot \hat{Z}_A & \hat{Z}_B \cdot \hat{Z}_A \end{bmatrix}$$

$${}^A_B R = [{}^A \hat{X}_B \ {}^A \hat{Y}_B \ {}^A \hat{Z}_B] = \begin{bmatrix} {}^B \hat{X}_A^T \\ {}^B \hat{Y}_A^T \\ {}^B \hat{Z}_A^T \end{bmatrix}$$

$\Rightarrow \text{Det}(R) = 1$

$\Rightarrow R^T = R^{-1}$ and $R^T R = I_{3 \times 3}$

See https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Rotation_matrix

$${}^A_B R^T \cdot {}^A_B R = [{}^A \hat{X}_B \ {}^A \hat{Y}_B \ {}^A \hat{Z}_B] \cdot \begin{bmatrix} {}^B \hat{X}_A^T \\ {}^B \hat{Y}_A^T \\ {}^B \hat{Z}_A^T \end{bmatrix} = I_3$$

\Rightarrow Learn about:

- SO(3), Lie algebra, Lie group
- Eigenvalues of rotation matrix
- Clockwise / anti-clockwise rotation

In-class Practice

$${}^A_B R = [{}^A \hat{X}_B \ {}^A \hat{Y}_B \ {}^A \hat{Z}_B] = \begin{bmatrix} \hat{X}_B \cdot \hat{X}_A & \hat{Y}_B \cdot \hat{X}_A & \hat{Z}_B \cdot \hat{X}_A \\ \hat{X}_B \cdot \hat{Y}_A & \hat{Y}_B \cdot \hat{Y}_A & \hat{Z}_B \cdot \hat{Y}_A \\ \hat{X}_B \cdot \hat{Z}_A & \hat{Y}_B \cdot \hat{Z}_A & \hat{Z}_B \cdot \hat{Z}_A \end{bmatrix}$$

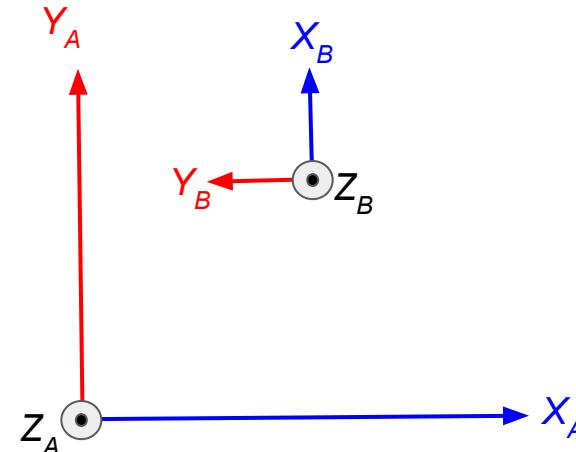
$\hat{Z}_A \parallel \hat{Z}_B$, so ${}^A \hat{Z}_B = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$

$${}^A \hat{X}_B = A \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \right\} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

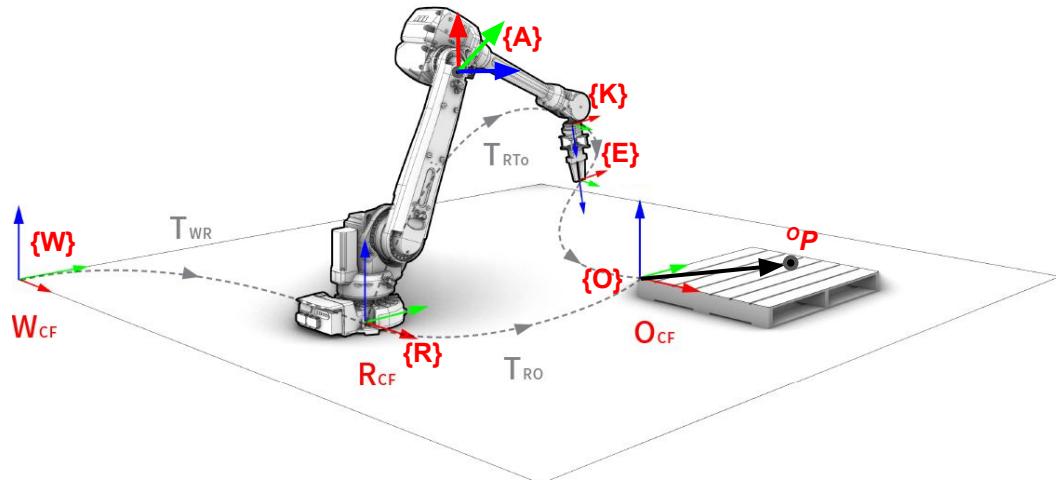
$${}^A \hat{Y}_B = A \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \right\} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$${}^A_B R = [{}^A \hat{X}_B \ {}^A \hat{Y}_B \ {}^A \hat{Z}_B] = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

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Practice: Find P In Every Frame!



$${}^EP = {}^EP_{Org} + {}^ER {}^OP$$

$${}^KP = {}^KP_{Eorg} + {}^KR {}^EP$$

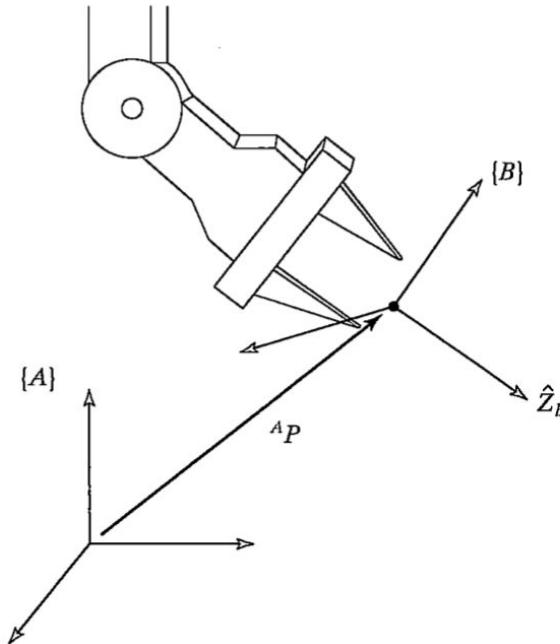
$${}^AP = {}^AP_{Korg} + {}^AR {}^KP$$

$${}^RP = ?$$

$${}^WP = ?$$

How to do all these calculations more efficiently?

${}^B P$ To ${}^A P$: Homogeneous Representation



$${}^A P = {}^B R {}^B P + {}^A P_{Borg}$$

$${}^A P = {}^B T {}^B P$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} {}^A P \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} {}^A R & {}^A P_{Borg} \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}}_{{}^B T} \begin{bmatrix} {}^B P \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Special cases

- Pure Translation: $R = I_{3 \times 3}$
- Pure Rotation: ${}^A P_{BORG} = 0_{3 \times 1}$

In-class Practice

$${}^A_B R = [{}^A \hat{X}_B \ {}^A \hat{Y}_B \ {}^A \hat{Z}_B] = \begin{bmatrix} \hat{X}_B \cdot \hat{X}_A & \hat{Y}_B \cdot \hat{X}_A & \hat{Z}_B \cdot \hat{X}_A \\ \hat{X}_B \cdot \hat{Y}_A & \hat{Y}_B \cdot \hat{Y}_A & \hat{Z}_B \cdot \hat{Y}_A \\ \hat{X}_B \cdot \hat{Z}_A & \hat{Y}_B \cdot \hat{Z}_A & \hat{Z}_B \cdot \hat{Z}_A \end{bmatrix}$$

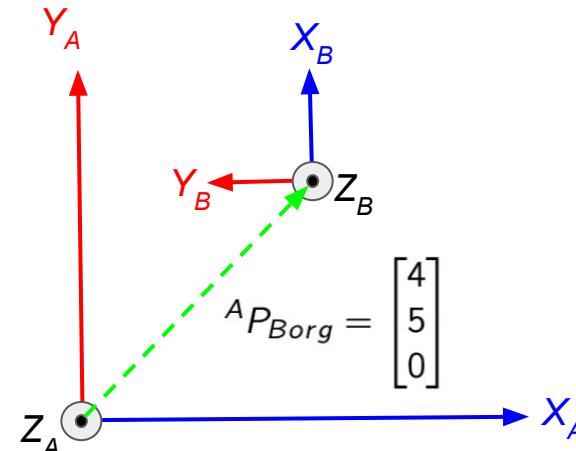
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$${}^A \hat{Y}_B = A \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \right\} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$${}^A_B R = [{}^A \hat{X}_B \ {}^A \hat{Y}_B \ {}^A \hat{Z}_B] = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$${}^A_B T = \begin{bmatrix} {}^A_B R & {}^A P_{Borg} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 & 0 & 4 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 5 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$



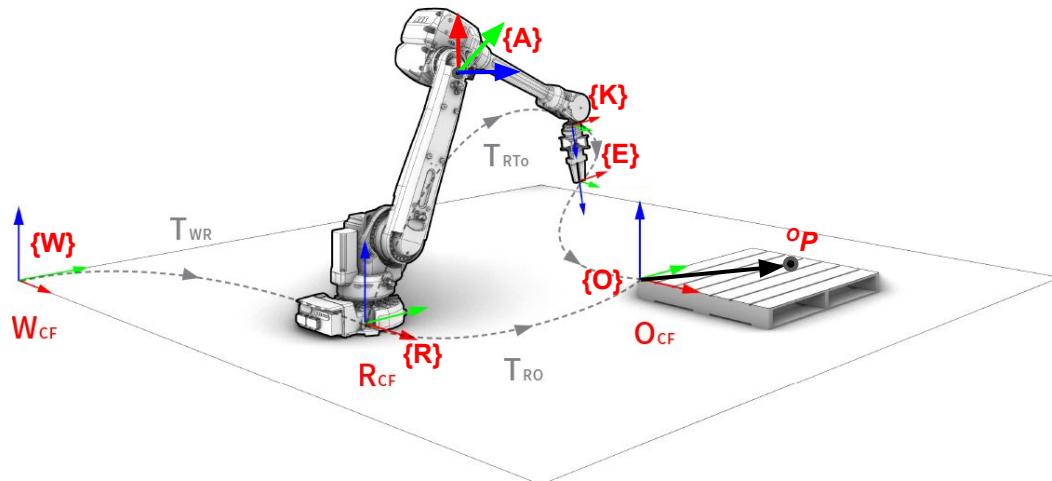
In-class Practice

$${}^A_B \mathbf{T} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 & 0 & -5 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 10 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

- Find ${}^A_B R$ and ${}^A_B P_{Borg}$
- Find ${}^B_A R$ and ${}^B_A P_{Aorg}$
- Find ${}^A P$ if ${}^B P = [5 \quad -2 \quad 8]^T$
- Find ${}^B_A \mathbf{T}$

Can you visualize this?

Practice: Find P In Every Frame!



$$^K P = {}_E^K T {}_O^E T {}^O P = {}_O^K T {}^O P$$

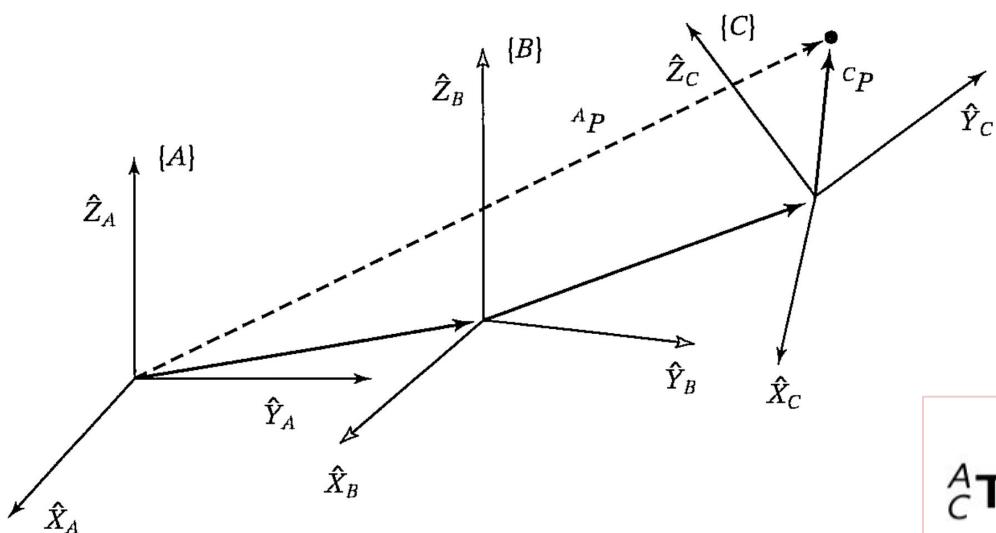
$$^A P = {}_K^A T {}_E^K T {}_O^E T {}^O P = {}_O^A T {}^O P$$

Find ${}^W P$

$$\begin{bmatrix} {}^E P \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = {}_O^E R {}^O P + {}^E P_{Org} = \begin{bmatrix} {}^E R & {}^E P_{Org} \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} {}^O P \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$${}^E P = {}_O^E T {}^O P$$

Compound Transforms



$${}^A_P = {}^A_B \mathbf{T} \cdot {}^B_C \mathbf{T} \cdot {}^C_P$$

$${}^A_C \mathbf{T} = {}^A_B \mathbf{T} \cdot {}^B_C \mathbf{T}$$

Proof:

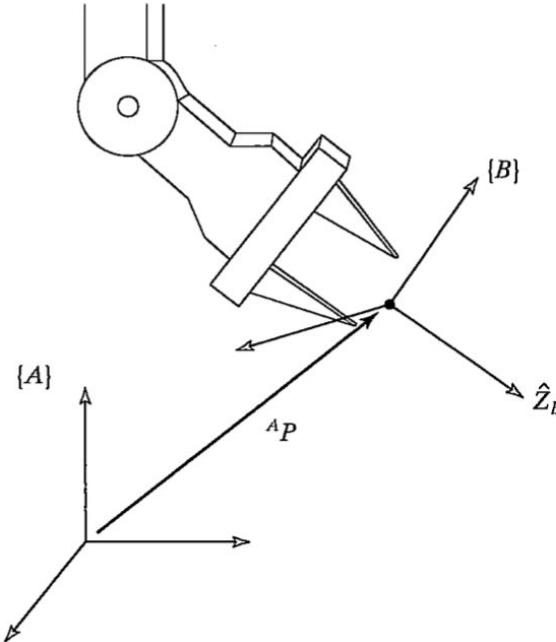
$${}^A_B \mathbf{T} = \begin{bmatrix} {}^A R & {}^A P_{Borg} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$${}^B_C \mathbf{T} = \begin{bmatrix} {}^B R & {}^B P_{Corg} \\ 0 & {}^C R & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$${}^A_C \mathbf{T} = \begin{bmatrix} {}^A R \cdot {}^B R & {}^A R \cdot {}^B P_{Corg} + {}^A P_{Borg} \\ {}^B R \cdot {}^C R & {}^B R \cdot {}^B P_{Corg} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$${}^A_C \mathbf{T} \equiv \{{}^A_C R, {}^A_C P\} = \{{}^A_B R \cdot {}^B_C R, {}^A_B R \cdot {}^B P_{Corg} + {}^A P_{Borg}\}$$

Inverse Transforms



$${}^A P = {}^A R {}^B P + {}^A P_{Borg}$$

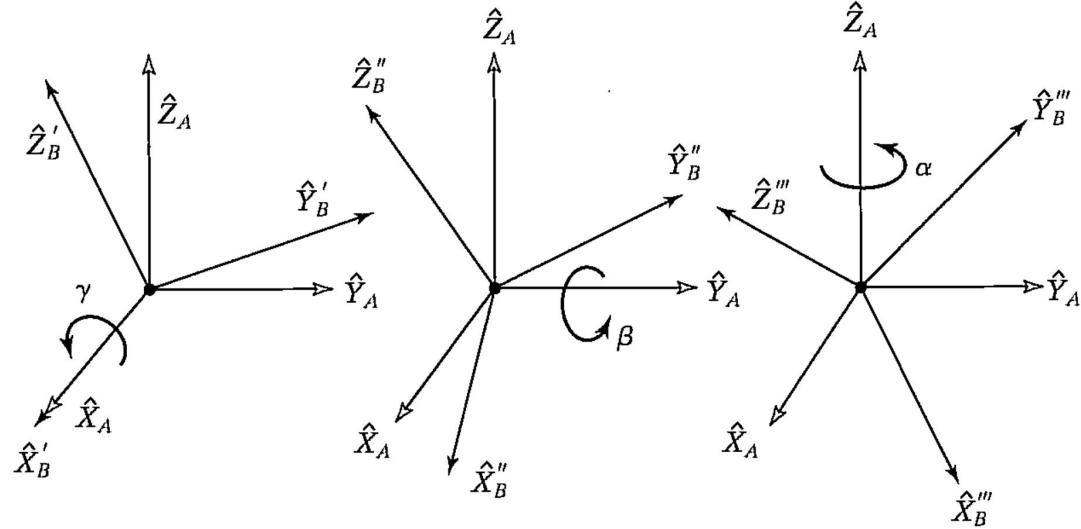
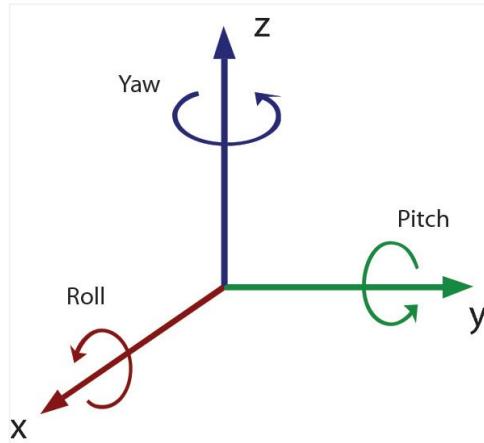
$$\begin{aligned} {}^A P &= {}^A B \mathbf{T} {}^B P \\ \begin{bmatrix} {}^A P \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} &= \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} {}^A R & {}^A P_{Borg} \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}}_{\boxed{{}^A B \mathbf{T}}} \begin{bmatrix} {}^B P \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

$${}^A B \mathbf{T} \equiv \{{}^A R, {}^B P_{Aorg}\} = {}^A B \mathbf{T}^{-1}$$

Derivation:

$${}^A B \mathbf{T} = \begin{bmatrix} {}^A R^T & -{}^A R^T \cdot {}^A P_{Borg} \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

X-Y-Z Fixed Angle Rotation



$$R_{X_A}(\gamma) \rightarrow R_{Y_A}(\beta) \rightarrow R_{Z_A}(\alpha)$$

Rotate $\{B\}$ around X_A (γ) then around Y_A (β), then around Z_A (α)

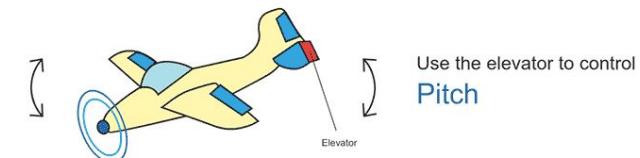
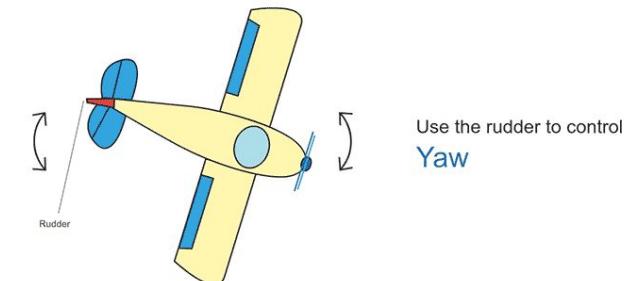
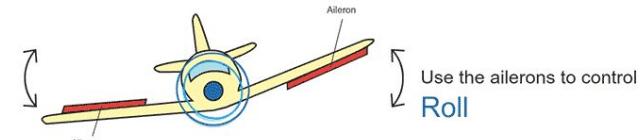
R(X-Y-Z) Fixed Angle

$${}^A_B R_{XYZ}(\gamma, \beta, \alpha) = R_Z(\alpha) \cdot R_Y(\beta) \cdot R_X(\gamma)$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \begin{bmatrix} c\alpha & -s\alpha & 0 \\ s\alpha & c\alpha & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} c\beta & 0 & s\beta \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -s\beta & 0 & c\beta \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & c\gamma & -s\gamma \\ 0 & s\gamma & c\gamma \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} c\alpha c\beta & c\alpha s\beta s\gamma - s\alpha c\gamma & c\alpha s\beta c\gamma + s\alpha s\gamma \\ s\alpha c\beta & s\alpha s\beta s\gamma + c\alpha c\gamma & s\alpha s\beta c\gamma - c\alpha s\gamma \\ -s\beta & c\beta s\gamma & c\beta c\gamma \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

Rotate $\{B\}$ around $X_A(\gamma)$ then around $Y_A(\beta)$, then around $Z_A(\alpha)$

Solve for α, β, γ



$R(X-Y-Z)$ Fixed Angle Solution

$${}^A_B R_{XYZ}(\gamma, \beta, \alpha) = R_Z(\alpha) \cdot R_Y(\beta) \cdot R_X(\gamma)$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} c\alpha c\beta & c\alpha s\beta s\gamma - s\alpha c\gamma & c\alpha s\beta c\gamma + s\alpha s\gamma \\ s\alpha c\beta & s\alpha s\beta s\gamma + c\alpha c\gamma & s\alpha s\beta c\gamma - c\alpha s\gamma \\ -s\beta & c\beta s\gamma & c\beta c\gamma \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} r_{11} & r_{12} & r_{13} \\ r_{21} & r_{22} & r_{23} \\ r_{31} & r_{32} & r_{33} \end{bmatrix}$$

Solve for α, β, γ :

9 equations, 3 unknowns

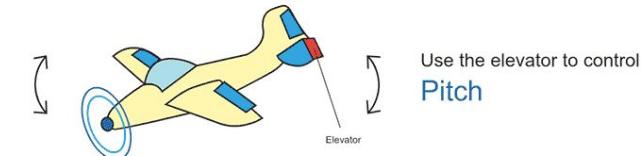
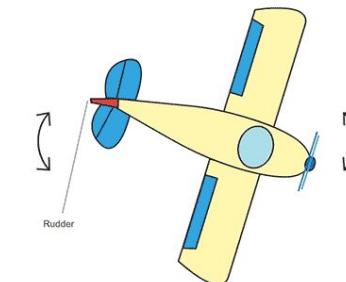
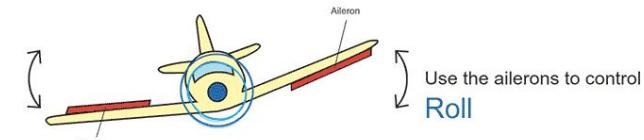
General Solutions:

$$\begin{aligned} c\beta &\neq 0 \\ -\pi/2 &\leq \beta \leq \pi/2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\beta = \text{Atan2}(-r_{31}, \sqrt{r_{11}^2 + r_{21}^2})$$

$$\alpha = \text{Atan2}(\psi r_{21}, \psi r_{11}), \quad \psi = \text{sign}(c\beta)$$

$$\gamma = \text{Atan2}(\psi r_{32}, \psi r_{33}), \quad \psi = \text{sign}(c\beta)$$



$R(X-Y-Z)$ Fixed Angle Solution

$${}^A_B R_{XYZ}(\gamma, \beta, \alpha) = R_Z(\alpha) \cdot R_Y(\beta) \cdot R_X(\gamma)$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} c\alpha c\beta & c\alpha s\beta s\gamma - s\alpha c\gamma & c\alpha s\beta c\gamma + s\alpha s\gamma \\ s\alpha c\beta & s\alpha s\beta s\gamma + c\alpha c\gamma & s\alpha s\beta c\gamma - c\alpha s\gamma \\ -s\beta & c\beta s\gamma & c\beta c\gamma \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} r_{11} & r_{12} & r_{13} \\ r_{21} & r_{22} & r_{23} \\ r_{31} & r_{32} & r_{33} \end{bmatrix}$$

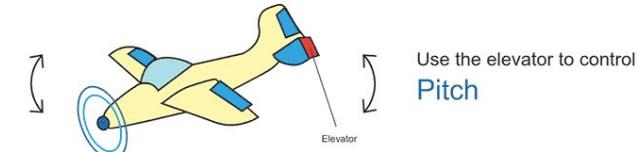
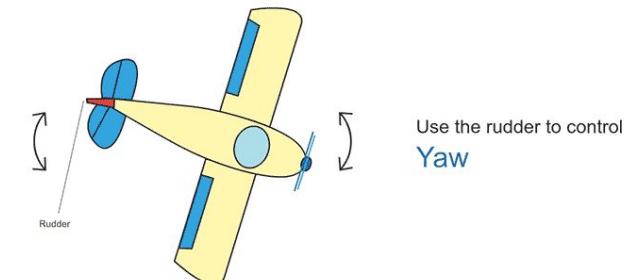
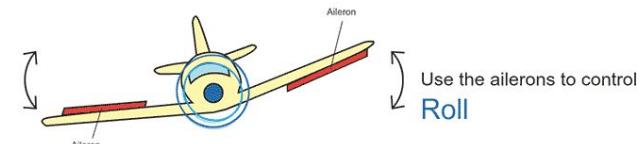
Solve for α, β, γ :
 9 equations, 3 unknowns

Degenerate Solutions:

$$\begin{aligned} c\beta &= 0 \\ \beta &= \pm \pi/2 \end{aligned}$$

- **Case-I:** $\beta = \frac{\pi}{2}; c\beta = 0; s\beta = 1$
 - * $\gamma - \alpha = \text{Atan2}(r_{12}, r_{22})$
 - * Set $\alpha = 0, \gamma = \text{Atan2}(r_{12}, r_{22})$

- **Case-II:** $\beta = -\frac{\pi}{2}; c\beta = 0; s\beta = -1$
 - * $\gamma + \alpha = \text{Atan2}(-r_{12}, r_{22})$
 - * Set $\alpha = 0, \gamma = \text{Atan2}(-r_{12}, r_{22})$



Euler Angles: Rotation Along Moving Axes



Rotate around $Z'_B(\psi)$, then

Rotate around $Y'_B(\Theta)$, then

Rotate around $X'_B(\varphi)$.

$${}^A R_{Z'Y'X'}(\Phi, \Theta, \Psi) = R_{Z'}(\Phi) \cdot R_{Y'}(\Theta) \cdot R_{X'}(\Psi)$$

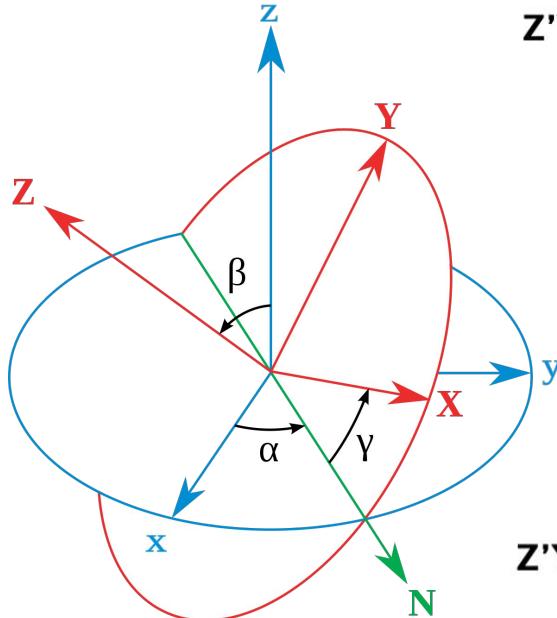
Pay attention to the order!

Why the order is reversed?

Intrinsic rotations are composed in reverse order to extrinsic rotations

[See explanation here.](#)

Euler Rotations



Z'Y'X' Euler: ${}^A_B R_{Z'Y'X'}(\alpha, \beta, \gamma) = R_{Z'}(\alpha) \cdot R_{Y'}(\beta) \cdot R_{X'}(\gamma)$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} c\alpha & -s\alpha & 0 \\ s\alpha & c\alpha & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} c\beta & 0 & s\beta \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -s\beta & 0 & c\beta \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & c\gamma & -s\gamma \\ 0 & s\gamma & c\gamma \end{bmatrix}$$
$$= \begin{bmatrix} c\alpha c\beta & c\alpha s\beta s\gamma - s\alpha c\gamma & c\alpha s\beta c\gamma + s\alpha s\gamma \\ s\alpha c\beta & s\alpha s\beta s\gamma + c\alpha c\gamma & s\alpha s\beta c\gamma - c\alpha s\gamma \\ -s\beta & c\beta s\gamma & c\beta c\gamma \end{bmatrix}$$

Z'Y'Z' Euler: ${}^A_B R_{Z'Y'Z'}(\alpha, \beta, \gamma) = R_{Z'}(\alpha) \cdot R_{Y'}(\beta) \cdot R_{Z'}(\gamma)$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} c\alpha & -s\alpha & 0 \\ s\alpha & c\alpha & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} c\beta & 0 & s\beta \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -s\beta & 0 & c\beta \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} c\gamma & -s\gamma & 0 \\ s\gamma & c\gamma & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Mixed (Euler-Fixed) Rotations

Rotate around Z'_B (α), then

Rotate around Y'_B (β), then

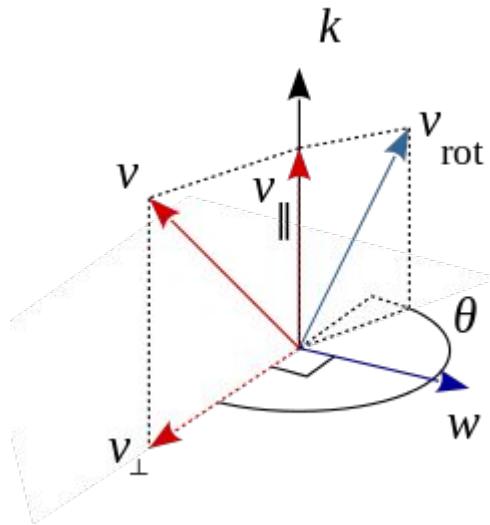
Rotate around X_A (γ).

$$\mathbf{Z'Y'X \ Mixed:} \quad {}_B^A R_{Z'Y'X}(\alpha, \beta, \gamma) = R_X(\gamma) \cdot R_{Z'}(\alpha) \cdot R_{Y'}(\beta)$$

Solve for α, β, γ given $R = [r_{ij}]$

- General case
- Degenerate case

Rodrigues' Rotation Formula



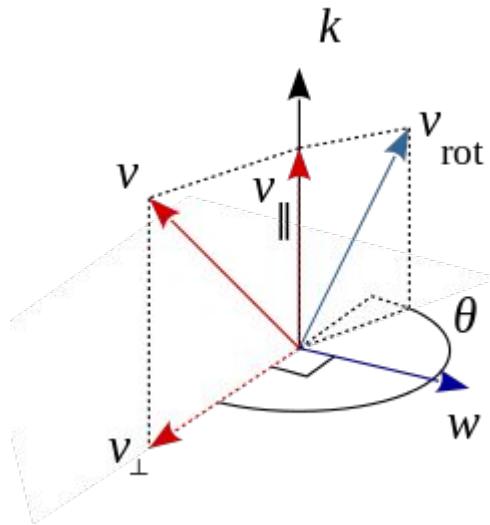
$$v_{rot} = v \cos \theta + (1 - \cos \theta)(k \cdot v)k + (k \times v) \sin \theta$$

Rodrigues rotation

- An efficient algorithm for computing rotation
- Rotates a vector in space, given
 - An axis of rotation (k) and
 - Angle of rotation (Θ)

See more at: [wikipedia](#)

Rotation Around Arbitrary Axis



Equivalent (angle, axis) rotation

- Expression of $R(k, \Theta)$ in matrix form
 - k : axis of rotation (unit vector)
 - Θ : angle of rotation

See more at: [wikipedia](#)

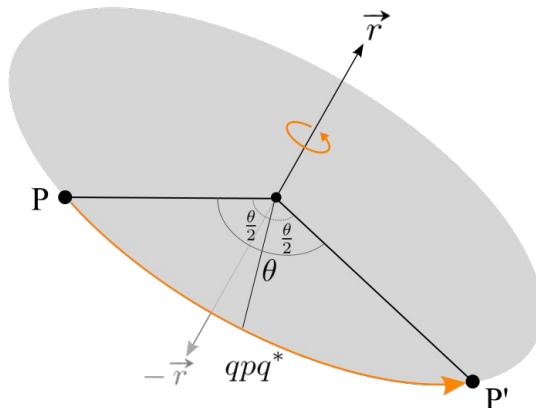
$$R(k, \theta) = \begin{bmatrix} k_x^2(1 - c\theta) + c\theta & k_x k_y(1 - c\theta) - k_z s\theta & k_x k_z(1 - c\theta) + k_y s\theta \\ k_x k_y(1 - c\theta) + k_z s\theta & k_y^2(1 - c\theta) + c\theta & k_y k_z(1 - c\theta) - k_x s\theta \\ k_x k_z(1 - c\theta) - k_y s\theta & k_y k_z(1 - c\theta) + k_x s\theta & k_z^2(1 - c\theta) + c\theta \end{bmatrix}$$

Rotation In Quaternions

Unit quaternion: $\mathbf{q} = \begin{bmatrix} \bar{q} \\ q_4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} q_1 \\ q_2 \\ q_3 \\ q_4 \end{bmatrix}; \quad |\mathbf{q}| = 1$

$$\mathbf{q} = q_1\mathbf{i} + q_2\mathbf{j} + q_3\mathbf{k} + q_4$$

$$i^2 = j^2 = k^2 = ijk = -1$$



Rotation around a unit quaternion

$$\mathbf{q} = \begin{bmatrix} \bar{r} s(\theta/2) \\ c(\theta/2) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} r_x s(\theta/2) \\ r_y s(\theta/2) \\ r_z s(\theta/2) \\ c(\theta/2) \end{bmatrix}; \quad |\mathbf{q}| = |r| = 1$$

See more at:

- [OpenGL Blog](#) [Stanford Graphics Notes](#)

$$R_q(r, \theta) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 - 2q_2^2 - 2q_3^2 & 2(q_1q_2 - q_3q_4) & 2(q_1q_3 + q_2q_4) \\ 2(q_1q_2 + q_3q_4) & 1 - 2q_1^2 - 2q_3^2 & 2(q_2q_3 - q_1q_4) \\ 2(q_1q_3 - q_2q_4) & 2(q_2q_3 + q_1q_4) & 1 - 2q_1^2 - 2q_2^2 \end{bmatrix}$$

R and q

$$\mathbf{q} = \begin{bmatrix} r_x s(\theta/2) \\ r_y s(\theta/2) \\ r_z s(\theta/2) \\ c(\theta/2) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} r_x s(\theta/2) \\ r_y s(\theta/2) \\ r_z s(\theta/2) \\ c(\theta/2) \end{bmatrix}; \quad |q| = |r| = 1$$

$$R_q(r, \theta) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 - 2q_2^2 - 2q_3^2 & 2(q_1q_2 - q_3q_4) & 2(q_1q_3 + q_2q_4) \\ 2(q_1q_2 + q_3q_4) & 1 - 2q_1^2 - 2q_3^2 & 2(q_2q_3 - q_1q_4) \\ 2(q_1q_3 - q_2q_4) & 2(q_2q_3 + q_1q_4) & 1 - 2q_1^2 - 2q_2^2 \end{bmatrix}$$

<https://youtu.be/jTqdKoQv738>

$$\mathbf{R}\{[1, 0, 0, 0]^\top\} = \mathbf{I}$$

$$\mathbf{R}\{-\mathbf{q}\} = \mathbf{R}\{\mathbf{q}\}$$

$$\mathbf{R}\{\mathbf{q}^*\} = \mathbf{R}\{\mathbf{q}\}^\top$$

$$\mathbf{R}\{\mathbf{q}_1 \otimes \mathbf{q}_2\} = \mathbf{R}\{\mathbf{q}_1\}\mathbf{R}\{\mathbf{q}_2\}$$

