


DESCRIBE THE RIGID BODY

N PARTICLES $\rightarrow 3N$ DOF

$\frac{N(N-1)}{2}$ CONSTRAINTS

CM $\vec{R}$: 3

ORIENTATION: 3

FIX $(|\vec{r}_{12}|, |\vec{r}_{13}|, \dots)$

PLACE 1st PARTICLE: $\vec{r}_1$ (3)

" 2ND " : 2

" 3RD " : 1

$\frac{1}{6}$

SPACE COORD

BODY "

$\hat{i}, \hat{j}, \hat{k}$
 $\hat{i}', \hat{j}', \hat{k}'$

$\Rightarrow 9$ COSINES

$$\cos \theta_{11} = \hat{i}' \cdot \hat{i}$$

$$\cos \theta_{12} = \hat{i}' \cdot \hat{j}$$

$$\cos \theta_{13} = \hat{i}' \cdot \hat{k}$$

$$\cos \theta_{21} = \hat{j}' \cdot \hat{i}$$

$$\hat{i}' = \cos \theta_{11} \hat{i} + \cos \theta_{21} \hat{j} + \cos \theta_{31} \hat{k}$$

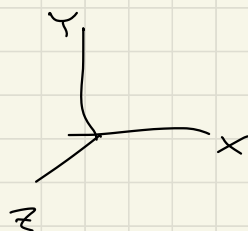
$$\hat{j}' = \cos \theta_{12} \hat{i} + \cos \theta_{22} \hat{j} + \cos \theta_{32} \hat{k}$$

$$\hat{k}' = \cos \theta_{13} \hat{i} + \cos \theta_{23} \hat{j} + \cos \theta_{33} \hat{k}$$

$$\vec{r} = x \hat{i} + y \hat{j} + z \hat{k} = x' \hat{i}' + y' \hat{j}' + z' \hat{k}'$$

$$x' = \vec{r} \cdot \hat{i}' = \cos \theta_{11} x + \cos \theta_{12} y + \cos \theta_{13} z$$

y'
 z'



IF $\hat{i}' \hat{j}' \hat{k}'$ FIXED WITH RESPECT TO THE BODY,
THEN WILL CHANGE AS IT ROTATES

ONLY 3 θ_{ij} INDEPENDENT

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \hat{i}' \cdot \hat{i}' &= \hat{j}' \cdot \hat{j}' = \hat{k}' \cdot \hat{k}' = 1 \\ \hat{i}' \cdot \hat{j}' &= \hat{j}' \cdot \hat{k}' = \hat{k}' \cdot \hat{i}' = 0 \end{aligned} \right\} 6 \text{ CONSTRAINTS}$$

SWITCH NOTATION $xyz \rightarrow x_1 x_2 x_3$

$$x_1' = a_{11}x_1 + a_{12}x_2 + a_{13}x_3$$

$$\cos \theta_{ij} \Rightarrow a_{ij}$$

$$x_2' = a_{21}x_1 + a_{22}x_2 + a_{23}x_3$$

$$x_3' = a_{31}x_1 + a_{32}x_2 + a_{33}x_3$$

$$\vec{x}' = \vec{A} \vec{x}$$

$$x_i' = a_{ij}x_j \text{ (implied sum)}$$

KNOW $\vec{x}' \cdot \vec{x}' = \vec{x} \cdot \vec{x}$

$$\vec{x}'^T \vec{x}' = \vec{x}^T \underbrace{\vec{A}^T \vec{A}}_{= \vec{I}} \vec{x}$$

$$\vec{x}'^T = \vec{x}^T \vec{A}^T$$

$$a_{ij}a_{ik} = \delta_{jk}$$

$$\vec{A} = \begin{pmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{pmatrix}$$

SPECIFIC ROTATION AROUND Z

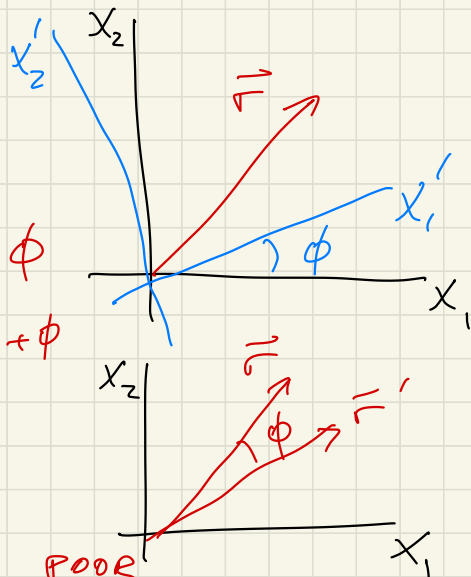
$$a_{ij}a_{ik} = \delta_{jk} \quad j, k = 1, 2$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & 0 \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

12 AND 21 ARE THE SAME

3 CONSTRAINTS $\Rightarrow$ 1 DOF

$$\begin{aligned}x_1' &= x_1 \cos \phi + x_2 \sin \phi \\x_2' &= -x_1 \sin \phi + x_2 \cos \phi \\x_3' &= x_3\end{aligned}$$



- 1) ROTATION OF $\vec{r}$ BY $-\phi$
"ACTIVE"
- 2) ROTATION OF AXES BY $+\phi$
"PASSIVE"

MATRIX PROPERTIES

TEXTBOOK NOTATION IS POOR
DOES NOT DISTINGUISH $\vec{x}$ AND $\vec{x}^T$

$$\vec{x}^T \equiv \vec{x}$$

$$\vec{x} \text{ AND } \vec{A}$$

$$\text{SHOWN } \vec{A} \vec{A}^{-1} = \vec{A} \vec{A}^T = \vec{1}$$

ONLY FOR ROTATIONS (AND SOME OTHERS)

$$|\vec{A} \vec{B}| = |\vec{A}| |\vec{B}|$$

$$1 = |\vec{1}| = |\vec{A}| |\vec{A}^T| = |\vec{A}|^2 \quad \text{so } |\vec{A}| = \pm 1$$

$$\text{if } |\vec{A}| = -1$$

~~NON PHYSICAL~~
NOT A ROTATION

$$\vec{S} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} = -\vec{1} \quad |\vec{S}| = -1$$

ROTATE BY π

REFLECT

$$\begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

- a) REFLECTION TURNS A RIGHT HANDED COORD SYSTEM INTO A LH SYSTEM
 b) CANNOT BE DONE INFINITESIMALLY

DESCRIBE SYSTEM ~~EULER~~ w/ 3 DOF

a) ~~THE~~ EULER ANGLES

- 1) ROTATE AROUND Z BY ϕ ($\vec{D}$)
- 2) " " NEW X BY θ ($\vec{C}$)
- 3) " " NEWER Z BY ψ ($\vec{B}$)

$$D = \begin{pmatrix} \cos\phi & \sin\phi & 0 \\ -\sin\phi & \cos\phi & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad C = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \cos\theta & \sin\theta \\ 0 & -\sin\theta & \cos\theta \end{pmatrix}$$

$$B = \begin{pmatrix} \cos\psi & \sin\psi & 0 \\ -\sin\psi & \cos\psi & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \overleftrightarrow{A} = \overleftrightarrow{B} \overleftrightarrow{C} \overleftrightarrow{D}$$

b) ROLL PITCH YAW

c) $\hat{n}, \phi$ THE GENERAL DISPLACEMENT OF A RIGID BODY WITH ONE FIXED POINT IS A ROTATION AROUND SOME AXIS

$$\forall \overleftrightarrow{R} \exists \hat{n} \ni \overleftrightarrow{R} \hat{n} = \hat{n}$$

$$\vec{r}' = \overleftrightarrow{R} \vec{r} = \lambda \vec{r} \quad \overleftrightarrow{\lambda} = \lambda \overleftrightarrow{1}$$

$$(\overleftrightarrow{R} - \overleftrightarrow{\lambda}) \vec{r} = 0 \Rightarrow |\overleftrightarrow{R} - \overleftrightarrow{\lambda}| = 0$$

EIGENVALUES λ_i 3 ROOTS (IN 3D)
 EIGENVECTORS $\vec{a}_i$

$$\vec{A} = (\vec{a}_1, \vec{a}_2, \vec{a}_3)$$

ASSEMBLING 3 COLUMN
EIGENVECTORS TO A
MATRIX

$$\vec{R} \vec{r} = \lambda \vec{r}$$

$$\vec{R} \vec{A} = \vec{A} \vec{\lambda}$$

$$\vec{\lambda} = \begin{pmatrix} \lambda_1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \lambda_2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \lambda_3 \end{pmatrix} \text{ (CHANGED)}$$

$$\vec{A}^{-1} \vec{R} \vec{A} = \vec{\lambda} \Rightarrow |\vec{A}^{-1} \vec{R} \vec{A}| = |\vec{\lambda}| = \lambda_1 \lambda_2 \lambda_3$$

$$1 = |\vec{A}^{-1}| |\vec{R}| |\vec{A}| = "$$

IS THERE A SOLUTION?

$$\text{CONSIDER } (\vec{A} - \vec{I})(\vec{A}^T) = (\vec{I} - \vec{A})$$

$$|\vec{A} - \vec{I}| |\vec{A}^T| = |\vec{I} - \vec{A}|$$

$$\text{BUT } |-\vec{B}| = (-1)^n |\vec{B}|$$

$$\text{IF } n = 3 \quad |\vec{A} - \vec{I}| = |\vec{I} - \vec{A}| \quad \text{IFF}$$

$$|\vec{A} - \vec{I}| = 0$$

$$|\vec{A} - \lambda \vec{I}| = 0 \quad \text{IF } \lambda = 1$$

THUS $\lambda = 1$ MUST BE AN EIGENVALUE
(ONLY IN 3D)

$$\text{CHOOSE } \lambda_3 = 1 \quad \lambda_1, \lambda_2 = 1$$

$$\lambda_1 = e^{i\phi} \quad \lambda_2 = e^{-i\phi}$$

a) $\lambda_1 = \lambda_2 = \lambda_3 = 1$ THEN $\vec{R} = \vec{I}$ TRIVIAL

b) $\lambda_3 = 1, \lambda_1 = \lambda_2 = -1$ ($\phi = \pi$)

c) $\lambda_3 = 1, \lambda_1 = \lambda_2^* = e^{i\phi}$

FIND $\hat{n}$ BY CHOOSING $\lambda = 1$ AND SOLVING

$$(\vec{A} - \lambda \vec{I}) \hat{n} = 0$$

THEN USE A SIMILARITY TRANSFORM $(\vec{B}^{-1} \vec{A} \vec{B})$
SO NEW $\vec{z}' \parallel \hat{n}$

$$(\vec{A}') = \begin{pmatrix} \cos \phi & \sin \phi & 0 \\ -\sin \phi & \cos \phi & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{Tr } \vec{A}' = 1 + 2 \cos \phi$$

$$\text{Tr } \vec{A}' = \text{Tr } \vec{A} \quad \cos \phi = \frac{1}{2} (\text{Tr } \vec{A} - 1)$$

$$\text{Tr } A = \sum \lambda_i = 1 + e^{i\phi} + e^{-i\phi}$$

1) AMBIGUITY $\hat{n}$ or $-\hat{n}$
 ϕ or $-\phi$

CHASLES' THM: THE MOST GENERAL
DISPLACEMENT OF A RIGID
BODY IS A TRANSLATION
PLUS A ROTATION