



Homework/Programming Assignment #2

Homework/midterm Due: 03/26/2020- 5:00PM

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Question	Points	Total
HA 1	25	
HA 2	25	
HA 3	25	
HA 4	25	
PA	100	
PA. k (Bonus)	15	
PA. m (Bonus)	30	
Presentation* (Bonus)	20	

Instruction:

1. Remember that this is a graded assignment. It is the equivalent of a **midterm take-home exam**.
2. * **You should present the results of the PA in the class** and receive extra bonus depending on the quality of your presentation!
3. **For PA questions, you need to write a report showing how you derived your equations, describes your approach, test functions, and discusses the results.** You should show your test results for each function.
3. You are to work **alone** or **in teams of two** and are **not to discuss the problems with anyone** other than the TAs or the instructor.
4. It is open book, notes, and web. But you should cite any references you consult.
5. Unless I say otherwise in class, it is due before the start of class on the due date mentioned in the P/H Assignment.
6. **Sign and append** this score sheet as the first sheet of your assignment.
7. Remember to submit your assignment in Canvas.

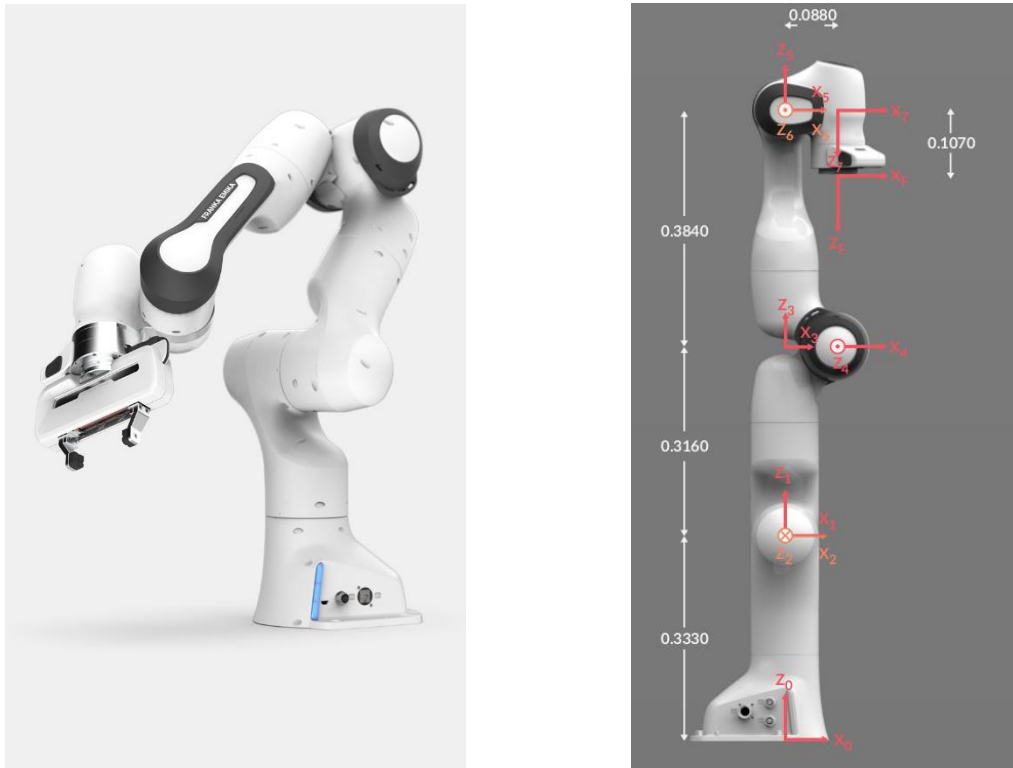


➤ **Homework Assignment (HA)**

1. **Exercise 4.8** (pg.161) in *Modern Robotics: Mechanics, Planning, and Control* (Lynch et al.) [1].
2. **Exercise 4.11** (pg.162) in *Modern Robotics: Mechanics, Planning, and Control* (Lynch et al.) [1].
3. **Exercise 5.12** (pg.208) in *Modern Robotics: Mechanics, Planning, and Control* (Lynch et al.) [1].
4. **Exercise 5.13** (pg.209) in *Modern Robotics: Mechanics, Planning, and Control* (Lynch et al.) [1].

➤ **Programming Assignment (PA)**

Fig. 1 shows the **Franka Emika Panda** 7-DOF robotic manipulator, its pre-defined home/zero position with the assigned frames at each joint, and the corresponding D-H parameters [4].



Joint	a (m)	d (m)	α (rad)	θ (rad)
Joint 1	0	0.333	0	θ_1
Joint 2	0	0	$-\frac{\pi}{2}$	θ_2
Joint 3	0	0.316	$\frac{\pi}{2}$	θ_3
Joint 4	0.0825	0	$\frac{\pi}{2}$	θ_4
Joint 5	-0.0825	0.384	$-\frac{\pi}{2}$	θ_5
Joint 6	0	0	$\frac{\pi}{2}$	θ_6
Joint 7	0.088	0	$\frac{\pi}{2}$	θ_7
Flange	0	0.107	0	0

Fig.1 Panda's kinematic chain (DH-parameters) and assigned coordinate frames at zero position.



Name	Joint 1	Joint 2	Joint 3	Joint 4	Joint 5	Joint 6	Joint 7	Unit
q_{max}	2.8973	1.7628	2.8973	-0.0698	2.8973	3.7525	2.8973	rad
q_{min}	-2.8973	-1.7628	-2.8973	-3.0718	-2.8973	-0.0175	-2.8973	rad
\dot{q}_{max}	2.1750	2.1750	2.1750	2.1750	2.6100	2.6100	2.6100	$\frac{\text{rad}}{\text{s}}$
\ddot{q}_{max}	15	7.5	10	12.5	15	20	20	$\frac{\text{rad}}{\text{s}^2}$

Fig.2 Panda's joint space limits.

Also, Fig. 2 summarizes the Joint space limits of all 7 DoF of Panda. More information about the Panda can be found in its [data-sheet](#).

Considering Fig. 1 and Fig. 2 and the Panda's datasheet:

- Find the forward kinematics (FK) of the robot using the **space form of the exponential products**.
- Write the function "**FK_space.m**" that calculates the *space form FK* of the robot and represents the defined frames and screw axis graphically. **Note:** your program should be modular and generic such that it can be used for any type of serial open-chain manipulator!
- Repeat (a) and (b) for the **body form FK** and write a function "**FK_body.m**".
- Find the **space and body form** Jacobian of the robot.
- Write functions "**J_space.m**" and "**J_body.m**" that calculate the **space and body-form Jacobians** of Panda, respectively.
- Write a function "**singularity.m**" that calculates the **singularity configurations** of the robot based on the derived Jacobians **for both and space frames**.
- Write functions that based on the Jacobian of the robot at each configuration:
 - shows/plots the manipulability ellipsoid and its axes (i.e., "**ellipsoid_plot.m**").
 - Calculates the isotropy "**J_isotropy.m**", condition number "**J_condition.m**", and volume of the ellipsoid "**J_ellipsoid_volume.m**".
- Using the derived forward kinematics and Jacobians, write a function "**J_inverse_kinematics.m**", that uses the iterative numerical inverse kinematics algorithm to control the robot from arbitrary **configuration a** to desired **configuration b**. Test your algorithm in various configurations.
- Use **Jacobian Transpose algorithm** ("**J_transpose_kinematics.m**"), and repeat **part h**.
- Using the redundancy resolution approach that we discussed in the class, extend your function in **part h** to define a secondary objective function of the joint variables that **maximizing this manipulability measure and** exploits redundancy to move away from singularities ("**redundancy_resolution.m**").



- k) **(Bonus)** extend your written function (“DLS_inverse_kinematics.m”) in **part h** such that utilizing the **Damped Least Square Approach** can control the robot at configurations **near the singularity situations**. **Hint:** you may use your written functions in g) and h) to detect singularity situations and switch to this mode for controlling the robot.
- l) **For each function**, you should write test functions and discuss the results you obtained in your report. **Do not hand in** only functions, you will receive half of the points if you do not hand in appropriate reports and modular functions!
- m) **(Bonus)** Graphical simulation of the robot in ROS, Matlab, or similar software has extra bonus.

➤ References:

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