

Assignment 2 - Christopher Luey

I. Implemented IKinBodyIterates. Used IKinBody code as a template and added the following:

1. Print statements during each iteration
2. Normalization of joint angles between $(-2\pi, 2\pi)$
3. Arrays to track the joint angles, end effector position, angular and linear error
4. CSV output of joint angles depending on short or long iteration
5. Matplotlib graphing using the added arrays to display data

II. Initial guesses:

thetalist_long = np.array([-1.4, 3.2, 1.5, 5.2, 3.0, 3.3])

thetalist_short = np.array([1.6, 3.2, 1.9, 5.2, 3.4, 3.3])

Short:

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# Determine if short or long csv
if i <= 5: out = "short_iterates.csv"
else: out = "long_iterates.csv"

# Print to csv
f=open(out, "w", newline='')
csvWriter = csv.writer(f)
csvWriter.writerow(thetalist)

return (thetalist, not_err, _pos, _eomg, _ev)

Initial guesses
thetalist_long = np.array([-1.4, 3.2, 1.5, 5.2, 3.0, 3.3])
thetalist_short = np.array([1.6, 3.2, 1.9, 5.2, 3.4, 3.3])

w1=0.109
w2=0.082
l1=0.425
l2=0.392
h1=0.089
h2=0.095

M = np.array([[[-1,0,0,l1+l2],
               [0,0,1,w1+w2],
               [0,1,0,h1-h2],
               [0,0,0,1]]],
              dtype=float)

Blist = np.array([[0,1,0,w1+w2,0,l1+l2],
                  [0,0,1,h2,-l1-l2,0],
                  [0,0,1,h2,-l2,0],
                  [0,0,1,h2,0,0],
                  [0,-1,0,-w2,0,0],
                  [0,0,1,0,0,0]]].T

T = np.array([[0.7071,0,0.7071,-0.3],[0.7071,0,-0.7071,-0.5],[0,1,0,0.5],[0,0,0,1]])

long = IKinBodyIterates(Blist,M,T, thetalist_long, 0.001,0.0001)
short = IKinBodyIterates(Blist,M,T, thetalist_short, 0.001,0.0001)

x1, y1, z1 = zip(*[point[1] for point in long[2]])
x2, y2, z2 = zip(*[point[1] for point in short[2]])

fig = plt.figure(1)
ax = fig.add_subplot(111, projection='3d')
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joint vector: [1.08288242 3.49750995 0.79473961 1.99033575 3.43907691 0.00000029]
SE(3) end-effector config:
[[ 0.70710678 -0. 0.70710678 -0.29999999]
 [ 0.70710678 -0. -0.70710678 -0.49999999]
 [ 0. 1. -0. 0.49999999]
 [ 0. 0. 0. 1. ]]
error twist V_b: [-0. -0. -0. -0.00000004 0.00000004 0.00]
angular error ||omega_b||: 6.23220046351132e-12
linear error ||v_b||: 5.600687746103515e-08

Iteration 1
joint vector: [1.00485022 2.9928327 1.00237036 5.77327248 2.81413586 3.48367577]
SE(3) end-effector config:
[[ 0.7657181 -0.03864339 0.64201439 -0.36884394]
 [ 0.64028251 0.14038164 -0.75520282 -0.52213645]
 [-0.06094344 0.98934306 0.13223546 0.43853194]
 [ 0. 0. 0. 1. ]]
error twist V_b: [0.1300303 0.08476558 0.0667587 0.06369887 0.0614334 0.03430604]
angular error ||omega_b||: 0.16896838262569935
linear error ||v_b||: 0.0949131858938201

Iteration 2
joint vector: [1.07303832 2.97249445 1.38703126 5.11397559 2.8754529 3.18636821]
SE(3) end-effector config:
[[ 0.69154288 -0.00770751 0.72229429 -0.29904199]
 [ 0.72233195 0.01047256 -0.69146719 -0.48772511]
 [-0.00223478 0.99991546 0.01280961 0.48126064]
 [ 0. 0. 0. 1. ]]
error twist V_b: [0.01283379 -0.0217868 0.0020952 -0.00946363 0.01867813 0.00]
angular error ||omega_b||: 0.025372441674533237
linear error ||v_b||: 0.02242207466853203

Iteration 3
joint vector: [1.08302849 3.01912908 1.340845 5.05928889 2.84429206 3.13600677]
SE(3) end-effector config:
[[ 0.70687584 0.00136387 0.70733633 -0.29963409]
 [ 0.70733758 -0.00092072 -0.70687531 -0.49949127]
 [-0.00031283 0.99999865 -0.00161556 0.49985748]
 [ 0. 0. 0. 1. ]]
error twist V_b: [-0.0016155 -0.00032624 0.00031309 -0.0006185 0.0001425 0.00]
angular error ||omega_b||: 0.0016775888964358158
linear error ||v_b||: 0.0006426538798939165

Iteration 4
joint vector: [1.08288246 3.0200917 1.3369343 5.06775541 2.84411288 3.14159598]
SE(3) end-effector config:
[[ 0.70710359 -0.00000074 0.70710998 -0.29999935]
 [ 0.70710998 0.00000069 -0.70710359 -0.49999906]
 [ 0.00000004 1. 0.00000101 0.49999707]
 [ 0. 0. 0. 1. ]]
error twist V_b: [0.00000101 -0.00000452 -0.00000004 -0.00000112 0.00000293 0.00]
angular error ||omega_b||: 4.628331569515939e-06
linear error ||v_b||: 2.142187523848623e-06
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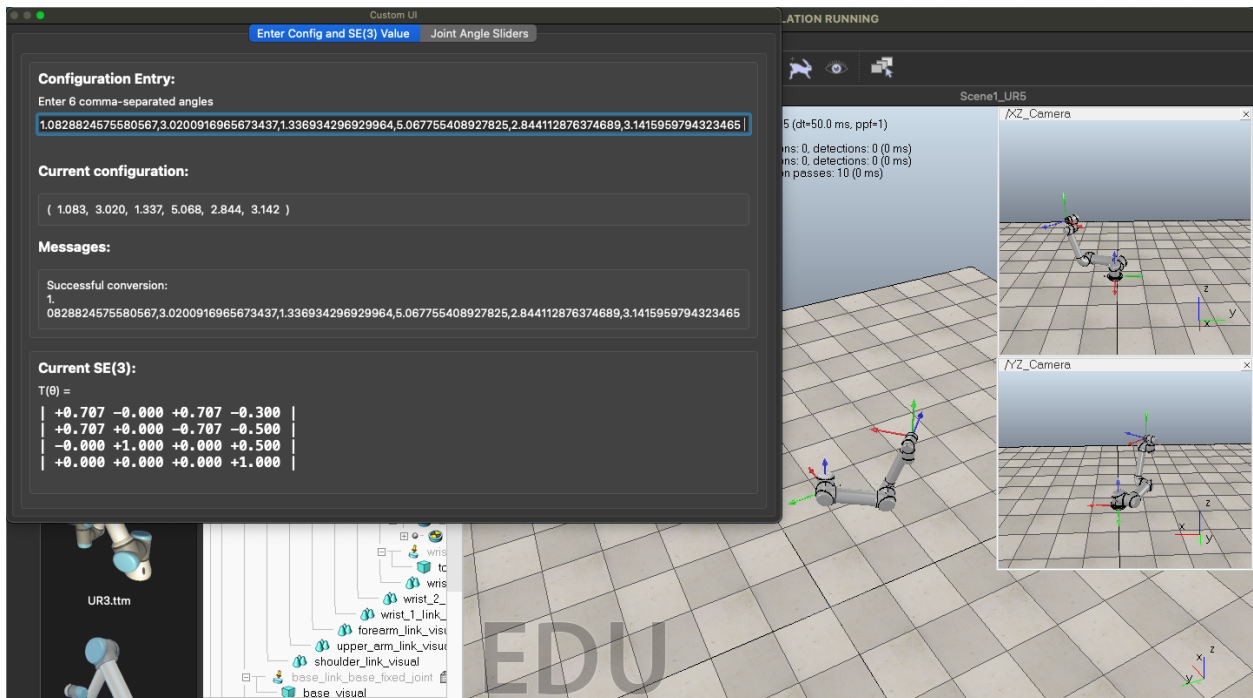
Long:

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58 # Print to csv
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60 csvWriter = csv.writer(f)
61 csvWriter.writerow(_thetalist)
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63 return (thetalist, not_err, _eong, _ev)
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65 # Initial guesses
66 thetalist_long = np.array([-1.4, 3.2, 1.5, 5.2, 3.0, 3.3])
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69 w1=0.109
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71 l1=0.425
72 l2=0.392
73 h1=0.089
74 h2=0.095
75
76 M = np.array([[0, 1, 0, 0, 1, 1+12],
77               [0, 0, 1, 0, 0, 0],
78               [0, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0],
79               [0, 0, 0, 1, 0, 0],
80               [0, 0, 0, 0, 1, 0],
81               [0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 1]])
82
83 Blist = np.array([[0, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0],
84                  [0, 0, 1, 0, 0, 0],
85                  [0, 0, 0, 1, 0, 0],
86                  [0, 0, 0, 0, 1, 0],
87                  [0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 1],
88                  [0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0]])
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90 T = np.array([[0.7071, 0.7071, -0.3], [0.7071, 0.7071, -0.5], [0, 1, 0, 0, 0, 1]])
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92 long = IKinBodyIterates(Blist, M, T, thetalist_long, 0.001, 0.0001)
93 short = IKinBodyIterates(Blist, M, T, thetalist_short, 0.001, 0.0001)
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95 x1, y1, z1 = zip(*[point[i] for point in long[2]])
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101 Python Console | Terminal | 5: Debug | 5: TODO | Code comment
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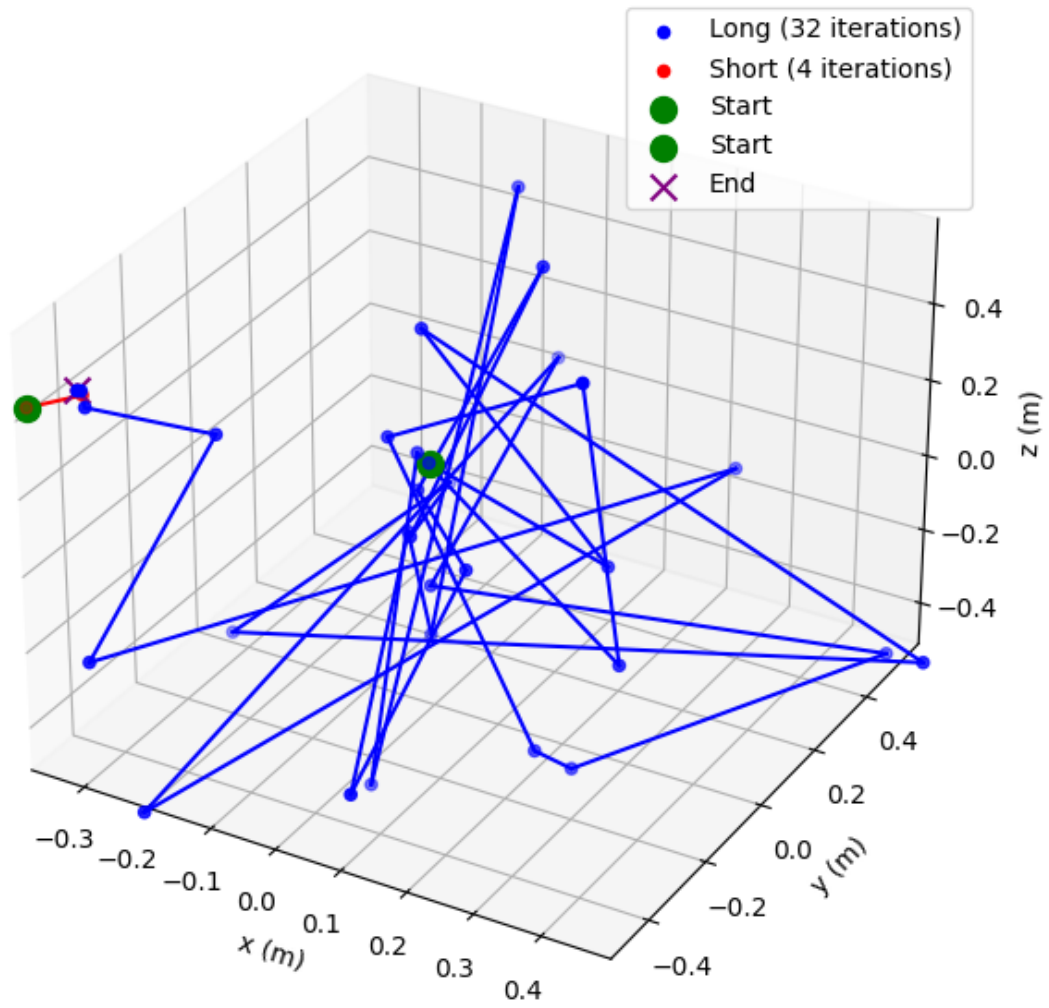
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III. Short Solution: [1.0828824575580567, 3.0200916965673437, 1.336934296929964, 5.067755408927825, 2.844112876374689, 3.1415959794323465]

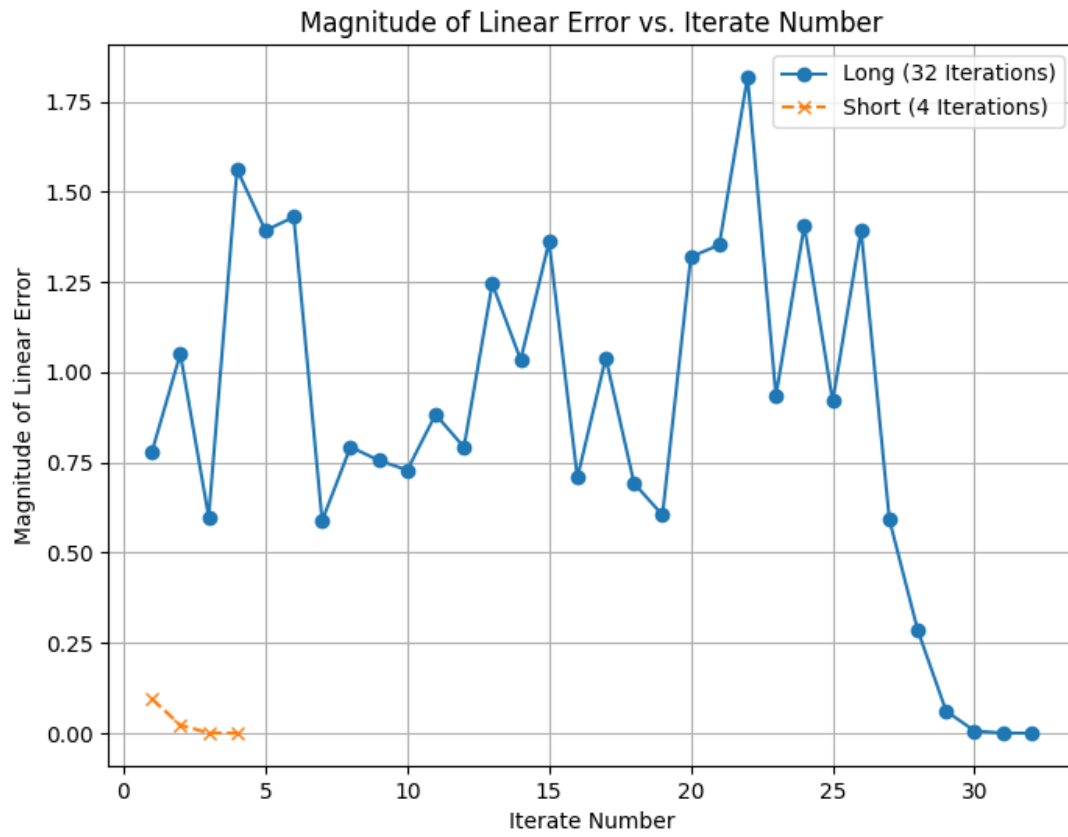


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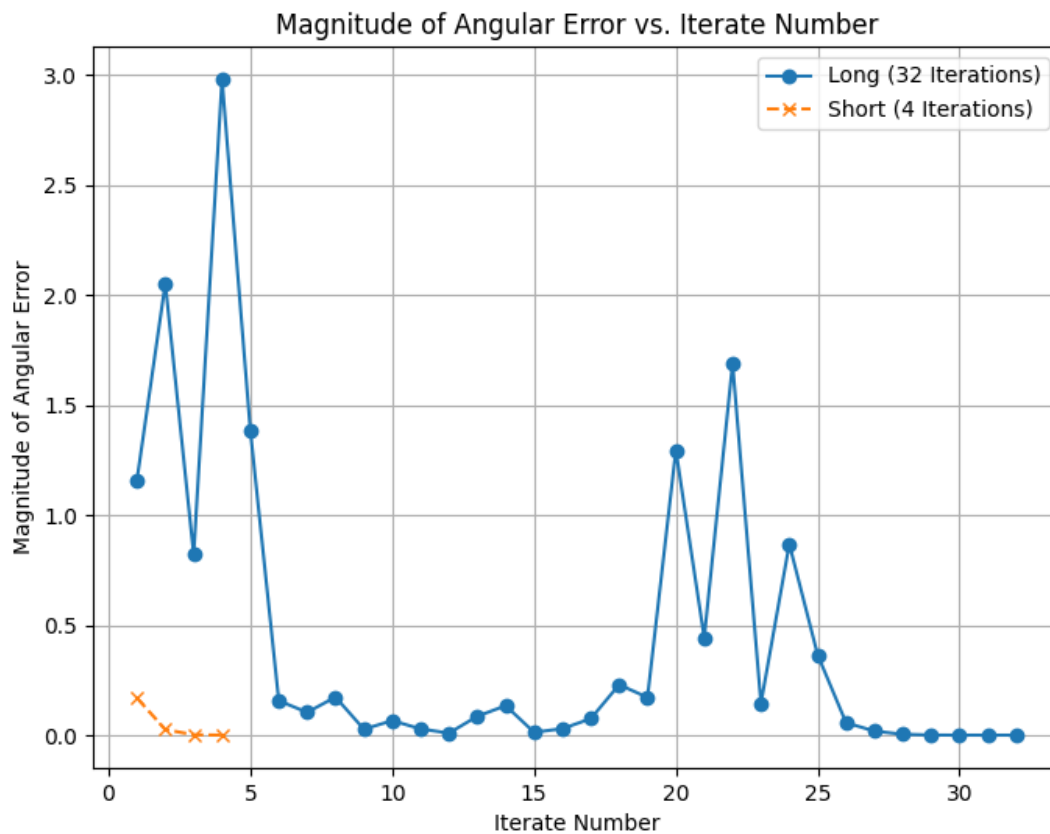
X, Y, Z position of end-effector vs. Iteration



V.



VI.



VII. Convergence is difficult for the long_iterates initial guess because it overshoots the target leading to more iterations. This is shown in the end effector x,y,z figure.

Furthermore, both the linear and angular errors have to approach 0. From the angular error figure, the angular error decreases early at around 10 iterations, but the linear error is not optimized, so it keeps iterating until that also decreases below the threshold. For the short iteration guess, both the angular and linear errors decrease at the same time leading to fewer iterations.