

Representing pose in 3D

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In Figure 1, 2, 3, 4, we can see examples of different poses in 3 dimensions.

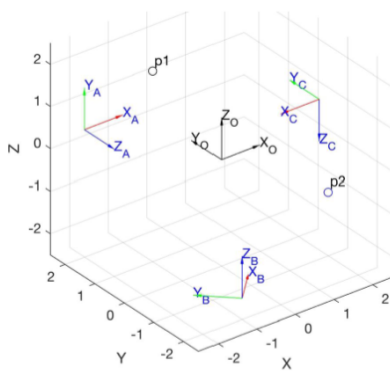


Figure 1: 3D view

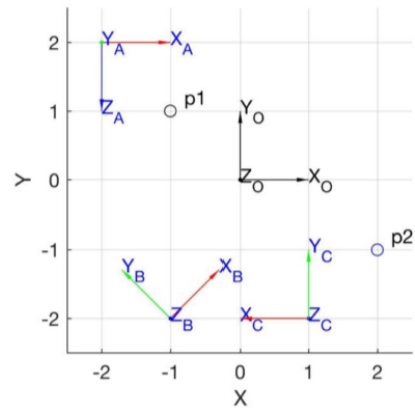


Figure 2: Top view

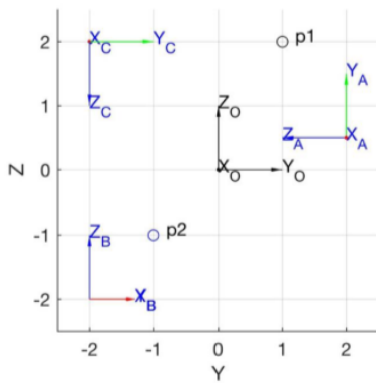


Figure 3: Projection on X axis

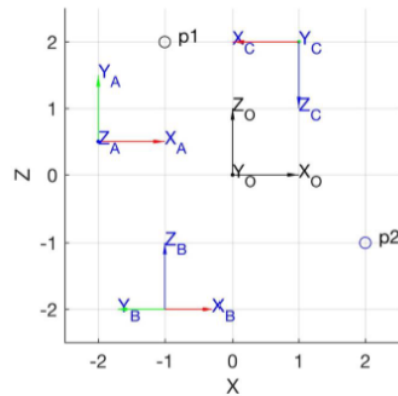


Figure 4: Projection on Y axis

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1 Exercise 1

1.1 a) Determine positions of two points

Using figures 1, 2, 3, 4, determine the positions of the points 1 and 2, denoted by circles in the following reference frames:

$$\begin{aligned} & {}^O p_1, {}^A p_1, {}^B p_1, {}^C p_1 \\ & {}^O p_2, {}^A p_2, {}^B p_2, {}^C p_2 \end{aligned}$$

We know that a point in reference to a known frame is denoted as

$${}^A p = \begin{bmatrix} {}^A p_x \\ {}^A p_y \\ {}^A p_z \end{bmatrix} \quad (1)$$

A representing the reference frame

With this information combined with figures we denote the points in the following way

$$\begin{aligned} {}^O p_1 &= \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} & {}^O p_2 &= \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} \\ {}^A p_1 &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ \frac{3}{2} \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} & {}^A p_2 &= \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ -\frac{3}{2} \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} \\ {}^B p_1 &= \begin{bmatrix} \frac{3\sqrt{2}}{2} \\ \frac{3\sqrt{2}}{2} \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} & {}^B p_2 &= \begin{bmatrix} 2\sqrt{2} \\ -\sqrt{2} \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \\ {}^C p_1 &= \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} & {}^C p_2 &= \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

1.2 b) Determine the homogeneous transformation matrices ${}^O T_A, {}^O T_B, {}^O T_C$

The homogeneous transformation matrix is as follows

$${}^A T_B = \begin{pmatrix} {}^A \mathbf{R}_B & {}^A \mathbf{t}_B \\ \mathbf{0}_{1 \times 3} & 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad (2)$$

$${}^A \mathbf{R}_B = [\mathbf{a} \quad \mathbf{b} \quad \mathbf{c}] \in \mathbb{R}^{3 \times 3} \quad {}^A \mathbf{t}_B = \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} \quad \mathbf{0}_{1 \times 3} = [0 \quad 0 \quad 0] \quad (3)$$

The total rotation matrix is determined by looking at one rotation at a time, from A to B, where each rotation has its own matrix denoted R_x, R_y, R_z . and are commonly known as the Elementary Rotational Matrices.

$$R_x = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \cos\theta & -\sin\theta \\ 0 & \sin\theta & \cos\theta \end{bmatrix} \quad R_y = \begin{bmatrix} \cos\theta & 0 & \sin\theta \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -\sin\theta & 0 & \cos\theta \end{bmatrix} \quad R_z = \begin{bmatrix} \cos\theta & -\sin\theta & 0 \\ \sin\theta & \cos\theta & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad (4)$$

To find the total rotation \mathbf{R} each of these rotational matrices are matrix multiplied together. The order of the multiplication is critical since rotations in 3D are non commutative, meaning $R_1 \cdot R_2 \neq R_2 \cdot R_1$.

$$\mathbf{R} = R_x \cdot R_y \cdot R_z \quad (5)$$

$${}^O T_A \text{ has a positive } \theta = \frac{\pi}{2} \text{ rotation around the X axis with translation } {}^O \mathbf{t}_A = \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 2 \\ \frac{1}{2} \end{bmatrix}$$

$${}^O T_A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & -2 \\ 0 & \cos(\frac{\pi}{2}) & -\sin(\frac{\pi}{2}) & 2 \\ 0 & \sin(\frac{\pi}{2}) & \cos(\frac{\pi}{2}) & \frac{1}{2} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & \frac{1}{2} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$${}^O T_B \text{ has a positive } \theta = \frac{\pi}{4} \text{ rotation around the Z axis with translation } {}^O \mathbf{t}_B = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ -2 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$${}^O T_B = \begin{bmatrix} \cos(\frac{\pi}{4}) & -\sin(\frac{\pi}{4}) & 0 & -1 \\ \sin(\frac{\pi}{4}) & \cos(\frac{\pi}{4}) & 0 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} & -\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} & 0 & -1 \\ \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} & \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} & 0 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$${}^O T_C \text{ has a positive } \theta = \pi \text{ rotation around the Y axis with translation } {}^O \mathbf{t}_C = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$${}^O T_C = \begin{bmatrix} \cos(\pi) & 0 & \sin(\pi) & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -2 \\ -\sin(\pi) & 0 & \cos(\pi) & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

1.3 c) Determine the homogeneous transformation matrices ${}^B T_C, {}^C T_A, {}^A T_B$

${}^B T_C$ has its first rotation of $\theta_{Y_B} = \pi$ and its second rotation of $\theta_{Z_B} = \frac{\pi}{4}$ with a translation

${}^B t_C = \begin{bmatrix} \sqrt{2} \\ -\sqrt{2} \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$. Computing $R = R_y(\pi) \cdot R_z(\frac{\pi}{4})$ gives the following homogeneous transform matrix:

$${}^B T_C = \begin{bmatrix} -\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} & \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} & 0 & \sqrt{2} \\ \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} & -\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} & 0 & -\sqrt{2} \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & 4 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

${}^C T_A$ has its first rotation of $\theta_{Y_C} = \pi$ and its second rotation of $\theta_{X_C} = \frac{\pi}{2}$ with a translation

${}^C t_A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 4 \\ \frac{3}{2} \end{bmatrix}$. Computing $R = R_y(\pi) \cdot R_x(\frac{\pi}{2})$ gives the following homogeneous transform matrix:

$${}^C T_A = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 & 0 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & 4 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 & \frac{3}{2} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

${}^A T_B$ has its first rotation of $\theta_{X_A} = -\frac{\pi}{2}$ and its second rotation of $\theta_{Z_A} = \frac{\pi}{4}$ with a translation

${}^A t_B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -\frac{5}{2} \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$. Computing $R = R_x(-\frac{\pi}{2}) \cdot R_z(\frac{\pi}{4})$ gives the following homogeneous transform matrix:

$${}^A T_B = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} & -\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -\frac{5}{2} \\ -\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} & -\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} & 0 & 4 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

1.4 d) Using the obtained transformation matrices ${}^O T_A, {}^O T_B, {}^O T_C$ and ${}^O p_1, {}^O p_2$ from the diagram determine position vectors:

$${}^A p_1, {}^B p_1, {}^C p_1$$

$${}^A p_2, {}^B p_2, {}^C p_2$$

To find the position vectors we use the following relation

$${}^A \tilde{p}_1 = {}^A T_O \cdot {}^O \tilde{p}_1 = ({}^O T_A)^{-1} \cdot {}^O \tilde{p}_1 \quad (6)$$

Where \tilde{p} denotes the homogeneous representation of vector p

$$p = \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} \longrightarrow \tilde{p} = \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad (7)$$

To compute this we use python. The results from each computation should be equal to the results found in Exercise 1a.

```
[6]: import numpy as np
import robotteknikk as rob
```

```
[21]: # Exercise 1.d

# Define homogeneous transformation matrices

oTa = np.array([[1, 0, 0, -2],
                [0, 0, -1, 2],
                [0, 1, 0, 1/2],
                [0, 0, 0, 1]])

oTb = np.array([[np.sqrt(2)/2, -np.sqrt(2)/2, 0, -1],
                [np.sqrt(2)/2, np.sqrt(2)/2, 0, -2],
                [0, 0, 1, -2],
                [0, 0, 0, 1]])

oTc = np.array([[-1, 0, 0, 1],
                [0, 1, 0, -2],
                [0, 0, -1, 2],
                [0, 0, 0, 1]])

# Define vectors
Op1 = np.array([-1, 1, 2])
Op2 = np.array([2, -1, -1])
```

```
[26]: # Determine Ap1

Ap1_h = np.linalg.inv(oTa).dot(rob.e2h(Op1))
Ap1 = rob.h2e(Ap1_h)
Ap1
```

```
[26]: array([1. , 1.5, 1. ])
```

```
[27]: # Determine Bp1

Bp1_h = np.linalg.inv(oTb).dot(rob.e2h(Op1))
Bp1 = rob.h2e(Bp1_h)
Bp1
```

```
[27]: array([2.12132034, 2.12132034, 4.      ])
```

```
[28]: # Determine Cp1

Cp1_h = np.linalg.inv(oTc).dot(rob.e2h(Op1))
Cp1 = rob.h2e(Cp1_h)
Cp1
```

```
[28]: array([2., 3., 0.])
```

```
[29]: # Determine Ap2

Ap2_h = np.linalg.inv(oTa).dot(rob.e2h(Op2))
Ap2 = rob.h2e(Ap2_h)
Ap2
```

```
[29]: array([ 4. , -1.5,  3. ])
```

```
[30]: # Determine Bp2

Bp2_h = np.linalg.inv(oTb).dot(rob.e2h(Op2))
Bp2 = rob.h2e(Bp2_h)
Bp2
```

```
[30]: array([ 2.82842712, -1.41421356,  1.      ])
```

```
[31]: # Determine Cp2

Cp2_h = np.linalg.inv(oTc).dot(rob.e2h(Op2))
Cp2 = rob.h2e(Cp2_h)
Cp2
```

```
[31]: array([-1.,  1.,  3.])
```

Results from the python script is equal to those found in Exercise 1a.

2 Exercise 2

Determine if the following are valid rotation matrices

$$R_a = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad R_b = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} & -\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} & 0 \\ \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} & \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad R_c = \begin{bmatrix} -0.5 & 0 & 0.866 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0.866 & 0 & -0.5 \end{bmatrix}$$

The following properties of a rotational matrix are used to determine if the matrix is valid or not.

$$\det(R) = +1 \quad R^T R = I \quad (8)$$

```
[45]: import numpy as np
import robotteknikk as rob
```

```
[33]: def isRotMat(R):
    Rdim = R.shape
    RtR = R.T.dot(R)
    tol = 1e-5
    detR = np.linalg.det(R)

    #checks if RtR and detR is close to the identity matrix and 1.
    if np.allclose(RtR,np.eye(Rdim[0]), rtol=tol, atol=tol) and np.
    isclose(detR,1,rtol=tol, atol=tol):

        print("det(R) = ",detR,"\n")
        print("R^TR = \n",RtR.round(3))
        print("\nR =\n",R,"\n\nIs a valid rotation matrix\n")
    else:

        print("det(R) = ",detR,"\n")
        print("R^TR = \n",RtR.round(3))
        print("\nR =\n", R,"\n\nIs NOT avalid rotation matrix\n")
```

```
[34]: Ra = np.array([[1, 1, 0],
                     [0, 0, 0],
                     [0, 0, 1]])

isRotMat(Ra)
```

```
det(R) = 0.0
```

```
R^TR =
[[1 1 0]
 [1 1 0]
 [0 0 1]]
```

```
R =
[[1 1 0]
 [0 0 0]
 [0 0 1]]
```

```
Is NOT avalid rotation matrix
```



```
[44]: Rb = np.array([[np.sqrt(2)/2, -np.sqrt(2)/2, 0],
                    [np.sqrt(2)/2, np.sqrt(2)/2, 0],
                    [0,0,1]])
isRotMat(Rb)
```

```
det(R) = 1.0
```

```
R^TR =
[[ 1. -0.  0.]
 [-0.  1.  0.]
 [ 0.  0.  1.]]
```

```
R =
[[ 0.70710678 -0.70710678  0.      ]
 [ 0.70710678  0.70710678  0.      ]
 [ 0.          0.          1.      ]]
```

Is a valid rotation matrix

```
[56]: Rc = np.array([[-0.5, 0, 0.866],
                      [0, 1, 0],
                      [0.866,0,-0.5]])
isRotMat(Rc)
```

```
det(R) = -0.499956
```

```
R^TR =
[[ 1.    0.   -0.866]
 [ 0.    1.    0.    ]
 [-0.866 0.    1.    ]]
```

```
R =
[[-0.5    0.    0.866]
 [ 0.    1.    0.    ]
 [ 0.866  0.   -0.5   ]]
```

Is NOT a valid rotation matrix

3 Exercise 3

Consider the following rotation matrix

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

3.1 a) Show that $R(0) = I_3$ where I_3 is the identity matrix of dimensions 3

We know that

$$\sin 0 = 0 \quad \text{and} \quad \cos 0 = 1$$

Plugging this ($\theta = 0$) into the rotation matrix $R(\theta)$

$$R(0) = \begin{bmatrix} \cos 0 & -\sin 0 & 0 \\ \sin 0 & \cos 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = I_3$$

3.2 b) Show that $\det(R(\theta)) = +1$ for any angle θ

To show that $\det(R(\theta)) = +1$ for any angle the following trigonometric property in combination with the formula for finding the determinant of a 3x3-matrix is used.

$$\sin^2\theta + \cos^2\theta = 1$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} \det(A) &= \begin{vmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{vmatrix} = a_{11} \begin{vmatrix} a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{32} & a_{33} \end{vmatrix} - a_{12} \begin{vmatrix} a_{21} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{33} \end{vmatrix} + a_{13} \begin{vmatrix} a_{21} & a_{22} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} \end{vmatrix} \\ &= a_{11}(a_{22}a_{33} - a_{23}a_{32}) - a_{12}(a_{21}a_{33} - a_{23}a_{31}) + a_{13}(a_{21}a_{32} - a_{22}a_{31}) \end{aligned}$$

The determinant for the given rotational matrix is therefore as follows

$$\begin{aligned} \det(R) &= \begin{vmatrix} \cos\theta & -\sin\theta & 0 \\ \sin\theta & \cos\theta & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = \cos\theta \begin{vmatrix} \cos\theta & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{vmatrix} - (-\sin\theta) \begin{vmatrix} \sin\theta & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{vmatrix} + 0 \begin{vmatrix} \sin\theta & \cos\theta \\ 0 & 0 \end{vmatrix} \\ &= \cos\theta(\cos\theta - 0) + \sin\theta(\sin\theta - 0) + 0 \\ &= \cos^2\theta + \sin^2\theta \\ &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

As shown above the determinate of a rotational 3x3-matrix is always 1.

3.3 c) Show that $R(\theta)^T R(\theta) = I_3$

First we compute $R(\theta)^T$

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

Then we multiply $R(\theta)^T R(\theta)$

$$\begin{aligned} R(\theta)^T \cdot R(\theta) &= \begin{bmatrix} \cos\theta & \sin\theta & 0 \\ -\sin\theta & \cos\theta & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} \cos\theta & -\sin\theta & 0 \\ \sin\theta & \cos\theta & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} (\cos^2\theta + \sin^2\theta) & (-\sin\theta\cos\theta + \sin\theta\cos\theta) & 0 \\ (-\sin\theta\cos\theta + \sin\theta\cos\theta) & (\sin^2\theta + \cos^2\theta) & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= I_3 \end{aligned}$$

3.4 d) Show that the columns of $R(\theta)$ are orthonormal

Two columns being orthonormal means they are orthogonal to each other and their length corresponds to the length of a unit-vector (unit norm).

We describe the rotational matrix R as follows:

$$R(\theta) = \begin{bmatrix} \cos\theta & -\sin\theta & 0 \\ \sin\theta & \cos\theta & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a_1 & b_1 & c_1 \\ a_2 & b_2 & c_2 \\ a_3 & b_3 & c_3 \end{bmatrix} = [\mathbf{a} \quad \mathbf{b} \quad \mathbf{c}] \in \mathbb{R}^{3 \times 3}$$

To compute the length of each column the following formula is used. In this case the unit-vector should equal 1.

$$\|\mathbf{a}\|^2 = \sqrt{(a_1)^2 + (a_2)^2 + (a_3)^2} = 1$$

$$\|\mathbf{b}\|^2 = \sqrt{(b_1)^2 + (b_2)^2 + (b_3)^2} = 1$$

$$\|\mathbf{c}\|^2 = \sqrt{(c_1)^2 + (c_2)^2 + (c_3)^2} = 1$$

Two columns is said to be orthogonal if the dot product equals 0.

$$\mathbf{a}^T \mathbf{b} = 0, \quad \mathbf{b}^T \mathbf{c} = 0, \quad \mathbf{c}^T \mathbf{a} = 0.$$

We apply this to the given rotational matrix and compute the length of each column and its dot products.

$$\|\mathbf{a}\|^2 = \sqrt{\cos^2\theta + \sin^2\theta + 0} = \sqrt{1} = 1$$

$$\|\mathbf{b}\|^2 = \sqrt{(-\sin\theta)^2 + \cos^2\theta + 0} = \sqrt{1} = 1$$

$$\|\mathbf{c}\|^2 = \sqrt{0 + 0 + 1^2} = \sqrt{1} = 1$$

$$\mathbf{a}^T \mathbf{b} = [\cos\theta \quad \sin\theta \quad 0] \cdot \begin{bmatrix} -\sin\theta \\ \cos\theta \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = [-\sin\theta\cos\theta + \sin\theta\cos\theta + 0] = 0$$

$$\mathbf{b}^T \mathbf{c} = [-\sin\theta \quad \cos\theta \quad 0] \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = [0 + 0 + 0] = 0$$

$$\mathbf{c}^T \mathbf{a} = [0 \quad 0 \quad 1] \cdot \begin{bmatrix} \cos\theta \\ \sin\theta \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = [0 + 0 + 0] = 0$$

The results show that the columns of rotational matrix R are orthonormal.

3.5 e) Show that the rows of $R(\theta)$ are orthonormal

This proof is identical to Exercise 3.d, where the only difference is working with rows instead of columns.

4 Exercise 4

Consider the transforms

$$T_1 = \begin{bmatrix} R_1 & t_1 \\ 0_{1 \times 3} & 1 \end{bmatrix} T_2 = \begin{bmatrix} R_2 & t_2 \\ 0_{1 \times 3} & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Where

$$t_1 = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ y_1 \\ z_1 \end{bmatrix} \quad t_2 = \begin{bmatrix} x_2 \\ y_2 \\ z_2 \end{bmatrix} \quad 0_{1 \times 3} = [0 \quad 0 \quad 0]$$

Show that

$$T_1 T_2 = \begin{bmatrix} R_1 R_2 & t_1 + R_1 t_2 \\ 0_{1 \times 3} & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

This can be shown by performing matrix multiplication. To be able multiply the different "inner" matrices the dimensions of each multiplication need to be valid.

$$T_1 T_2 = \begin{bmatrix} R_1 & t_1 \\ 0_{1 \times 3} & 1 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} R_2 & t_2 \\ 0_{1 \times 3} & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} R_1 R_2 + (t_1 \cdot 0_{1 \times 3}) & t_1 + R_1 t_2 \\ (0_{1 \times 3} \cdot R_2) + 0_{1 \times 3} & (0_{1 \times 3} \cdot t_2) + 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Where

$$\begin{aligned} (t_1 0_{1 \times 3}) &= \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ y_1 \\ z_1 \end{bmatrix} [0 \quad 0 \quad 0] = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \\ (0_{1 \times 3} \cdot R_2) &= [0 \quad 0 \quad 0] \begin{bmatrix} a_1 & b_1 & c_1 \\ a_2 & b_2 & c_2 \\ a_3 & b_3 & c_3 \end{bmatrix} = [0 \quad 0 \quad 0] \\ (0_{1 \times 3} \cdot t_2) &= [0 \quad 0 \quad 0] \begin{bmatrix} x_2 \\ y_2 \\ z_2 \end{bmatrix} = 0 \end{aligned}$$

With matrix addition we can now simplify $T_1 T_2$

$$T_1 T_2 = \begin{bmatrix} R_1 R_2 + (t_1 \cdot 0_{1 \times 3}) & t_1 + R_1 t_2 \\ (0_{1 \times 3} \cdot R_2) + 0_{1 \times 3} & (0_{1 \times 3} \cdot t_2) + 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} R_1 R_2 & t_1 + R_1 t_2 \\ 0_{1 \times 3} & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

5 Exercise 5

Show that $T^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} R^T & -R^T t \\ 0_{1 \times 3} & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ is the inverse transform of $T = \begin{bmatrix} R & t \\ 0_{1 \times 3} & 1 \end{bmatrix}$.

The inverse of a matrix A exists if the following is true

$$AA^{-1} = A^{-1}A = I_n \quad (9)$$

By using this property we can show that T^{-1} is the inverse of T.

$$\begin{aligned} TT^{-1} &= \begin{bmatrix} R & t \\ 0_{1 \times 3} & 1 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} R^T & -R^T t \\ 0_{1 \times 3} & 1 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} RR^T + (t \cdot 0_{1 \times 3}) & (R \cdot (-R^T t) + t) \\ (0_{1 \times 3} \cdot R^T) + 0_{1 \times 3} & (0_{1 \times 3} \cdot (-R^T t) + 1) \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} RR^T + (t \cdot 0_{1 \times 3}) & (-RR^T t) + t \\ (0_{1 \times 3} \cdot R^T) + 0_{1 \times 3} & (0_{1 \times 3} \cdot -R^T t + 1) \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

Where

$$\begin{aligned} RR^T &= \begin{bmatrix} \cos\theta & -\sin\theta & 0 \\ \sin\theta & \cos\theta & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} \cos\theta & \sin\theta & 0 \\ -\sin\theta & \cos\theta & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} \cos^2\theta + \sin^2\theta + 0 & \cos\theta\sin\theta - \cos\theta\sin\theta + 0 & 0 + 0 + 0 \\ \cos\theta\sin\theta - \cos\theta\sin\theta & \cos^2\theta + \sin^2\theta & 0 + 0 + 0 \\ 0 + 0 + 0 & 0 + 0 + 0 & 0 + 0 + 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = I_3 \\ RR^T t &= I_2 t = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = t \\ (t_1 \cdot 0_{1 \times 3}) &= \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ y_1 \\ z_1 \end{bmatrix} [0 \ 0 \ 0] = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \\ (0_{1 \times 3} \cdot R^T) &= [0 \ 0 \ 0] \begin{bmatrix} \cos\theta & \sin\theta & 0 \\ -\sin\theta & \cos\theta & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = [0 \ 0 \ 0] \\ (0_{1 \times 3} \cdot -R^T t) &= [0 \ 0 \ 0] \cdot - \begin{bmatrix} \cos\theta & \sin\theta & 0 \\ -\sin\theta & \cos\theta & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = [0 \ 0 \ 0] \cdot \begin{bmatrix} -x\cos\theta - y\sin\theta + 0 \\ x\sin\theta - y\cos\theta + 0 \\ 0 + 0 + z \end{bmatrix} = 0 \end{aligned}$$

With matrix addition we can now simplify TT^{-1}

$$TT^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} RR^T + (t \cdot 0_{1 \times 3}) & (-RR^T t) + t \\ (0_{1 \times 3} \cdot R^T) + 0_{1 \times 3} & (0_{1 \times 3} \cdot -R^T t + 1) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} I_3 & (-t + t) \\ 0_{1 \times 3} & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} I_3 & 0_{3 \times 1} \\ 0_{1 \times 3} & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = I_4$$

This confirms that $T^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} R^T & -R^T t \\ 0_{1 \times 3} & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ is the inverse transform of $T = \begin{bmatrix} R & t \\ 0_{1 \times 3} & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

6 Exercise 6

Given the roll, pitch, yaw angles ($\theta_r, \theta_p, \theta_y$) the corresponding rotation matrix is given by

$$R = R_x(\theta_r)R_y(\theta_p)R_z(\theta_y)$$

Where

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

Write a function in python that returns this rotation R matrix with roll, pitch, yaw angles as arguments in the function

```
[4]: import numpy as np
import robotteknikk as rob

def rpy2r(roll, pitch, yaw):
    """This fuction takes roll, pitch and yaw angles
    and converts them to a rotational matrix."""

    # Rotational matrix for roll angle (around X)
    Rx = np.array([[1, 0, 0],
                   [0, np.cos(roll), -np.sin(roll)],
                   [0, np.sin(roll), np.cos(roll)]])

    # Rotational matrix for pitch angle (around Y)
    Ry = np.array([[np.cos(pitch), 0, np.sin(pitch)],
                   [0, 1, 0],
                   [-np.sin(pitch), 0, np.cos(pitch)]])

    # Rotational matrix for yaw angle (around Z)
    Rz = np.array([[np.cos(yaw), -np.sin(yaw), 0],
                   [np.sin(yaw), np.cos(yaw), 0],
                   [0, 0, 1]])

    # Rotates around x-axis, then new y-axis and then z-axis
    R = Rx.dot(Ry).dot(Rz)

    return R
```

7 Exercise 7

Convert the following roll, pitch and yaw angels $(\theta_r, \theta_p, \theta_y) = (\frac{\pi}{4}, \frac{\pi}{6}, -\frac{\pi}{2})$

7.1 a) Determine equivalent rotation matrix and plot it

```
[44]: import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import robotteknikk as rob

def tpr(R):
    """This function returns a homogeneous pure rotation matrix"""

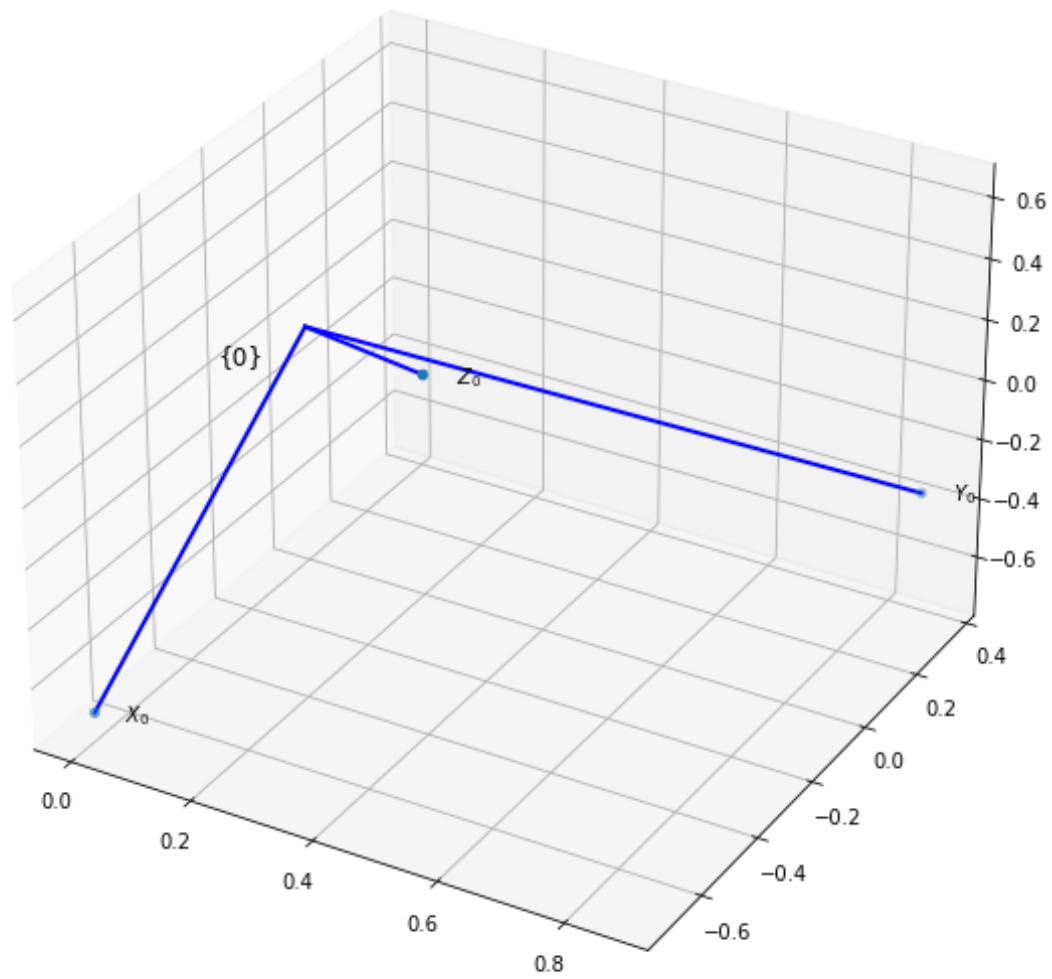
    n = R.shape[0] # finds shape of first column, either 2 or 3.
    if n == 2:
        # Creates a identity matrix of 3 dimensions
        T = np.eye(3)
        # Append the identity matrix rows and columns with R input
        T[0:2,0:2] = R
    elif n == 3:
        # Creates a identity matrix of 4 dimensions
        T = np.eye(4)
        # Append the identity matrix rows and columns with R input
        T[0:3,0:3] = R
    else:
        print("Invalid rotation matrix. Please check that dimensions are correct")
    return T

[56]: # Define the roll, pitch and yaw angles
roll = np.pi/4
pitch = np.pi/6
yaw = -np.pi/2

# Create a rotation matrix based on rpy
R = rpy2r(roll, pitch, yaw)

# To plot the rotational matrix it must be converted to the homogeneous pure rotation
→matrix
T = tpr(R)

# Define the plot and use robotteknikk's plotting function
fig = plt.figure(1, figsize=(10,10))
ax = plt.axes(projection='3d')
rob.trplot3(ax,T,name="O",color="b")
```

7.2 b) Determine the equivalent unit quaternion

By using the following relationship between a rotational matrix and the unit quaternion

$$R = \begin{bmatrix} r_{11} & r_{12} & r_{13} \\ r_{21} & r_{22} & r_{23} \\ r_{31} & r_{32} & r_{33} \end{bmatrix} \longrightarrow \begin{bmatrix} q_1 \\ q_2 \\ q_3 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{4q_0} \begin{bmatrix} r_{32} - r_{23} \\ r_{13} - r_{31} \\ r_{21} - r_{12} \end{bmatrix} \quad (10)$$

Where

$$q_0 = \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{1 + r_{11} + r_{22} + r_{33}} \quad (11)$$

A function can easily be made in python. The function takes a arbitrary rotational matrix as input and returns the equivalent unit quaternion.

```
[28]: R = ([[ 0.    , 0.866, 0.5 ],
           [-0.707, 0.354, -0.612],
           [-0.707, -0.354, 0.612]])
```

```
[31]: def r2quat(R, print=None):
    """
    This function converts the rotation matrix to
    its equivalent unit quaternion expression

    A Quaternion is a hyper complex number:
        a + ib + jc + ke

    Represented as:
        q = s + v(i,j,k)

    Where s is the real part and v is the imaginary part
    """
    s = 1/2*np.sqrt(1+R[0,0]+R[1,1]+R[2,2])
    q = np.array([[R[2,1]-R[1,2]],
                  [R[0,2]-R[2,0]],
                  [R[1,0]-R[0,1]]])
    v = 1/(4*s) * q

    if print is not None:
        print(f"{s} <{q.T}>")
    return s, v

s, v = r2quat(R, print)
```

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0.7010706098532444 <[[ 0.258  1.207 -1.573]]>
```

7.3 c) Determine the equivalent vector-angle representation

To determine the angle vector representation of a rotation matrix, the eigenvalues and eigenvectors of that matrix is used.

The eigenvector containing only real values is the vector representation v . The angle representation θ is the angle of the eigenvalues, $\lambda = \cos \theta \pm i \sin \theta$.

This can be computed using python.

```
[28]: R = ([[ 0.    ,  0.866,  0.5  ],
           [-0.707,  0.354, -0.612],
           [-0.707, -0.354,  0.612]])
```

```
[225]: # Exercise 7.c

def r2angvec(R):
    """
    This function converts a rotation matrix to the equivalent
    vector-angle representation
    """
    # Finds the eigen values and vectors of R
    eigvalues, eigvectors = np.linalg.eig(R)

    # Extract imaginary parts from eigenvectors
    v0 = np.imag(eigvectors[:,0])
    v1 = np.imag(eigvectors[:,1])
    v2 = np.imag(eigvectors[:,2])

    # Creates an array of zeroes in the same dimension
    zeros = np.zeros(eigvectors.shape[0])

    # Identifies the vector with no imaginart parts.
    if (v0 == zeros).all():
        vector = np.real(eigvectors[:,0])
    elif (v1 == zeros).all():
        vector = np.real(eigvectors[:,1])
    elif (v2 == zeros).all():
        vector = np.real(eigvectors[:,2])
    else:
        print("No eigenvector with only real parts")

    # Identifies index of theta
    i = 0
    while np.angle(eigvalues[i]) <= 0:
        i = i+1

    angle = np.angle(eigvalues[i])

    return angle, vector

theta, v = r2angvec(R)
theta, v
```

```
[225]: (1.587834237962121, array([-0.12942831, -0.603641 ,  0.78668027]))
```

8 Exercise 8

Given a rotation of $\theta = \frac{\pi}{5}$ along axis $(-\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}, \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}, 0)$.

8.1 a) Determine the equivalent rotation matrix and plot it

```
[240]: # Exercise 8.a

def skew(v):
    """
    Returns a skew symmetric matrix from a vector
    w with dimensions 3x1
    """
    vx = v[0]
    vy = v[1]
    vz = v[2]
    skew = np.array([[0, -vz, vy],
                    [vz, 0, -vx],
                    [-vy, vx, 0]])

    return skew

def angvec2r(theta, v):
    """
    This function computes a rotational matrix from
    the angle vector.

    Theta is in radians and vector is of dimensions 3x1

    Using the Rodrigues formula:
        R = I_{3X3} + sin(theta) S(vector) + (1 - cos(theta))(vv.T - I_{3X3})
    Where S is the skew matrix
    """
    n = v.shape[0] # Defines the shape of vector array
    I = np.eye(n) # Creates an identity matrix of n-size

    s = np.sqrt(v[0]**2+v[1]**2+v[2]**2) # Computes the length of v
    # Can also use s = np.sqrt(v.dot(v))
    v = v/s # Renormalize v, it now has unit length
    S = skew(v) # Returns the skew matrix made from vector array

    # Computes the rotational matrix by using Rodrigues formula
    R = I + np.sin(theta) * S + (1 - np.cos(theta))*(np.outer(v,v) - I)
    return R

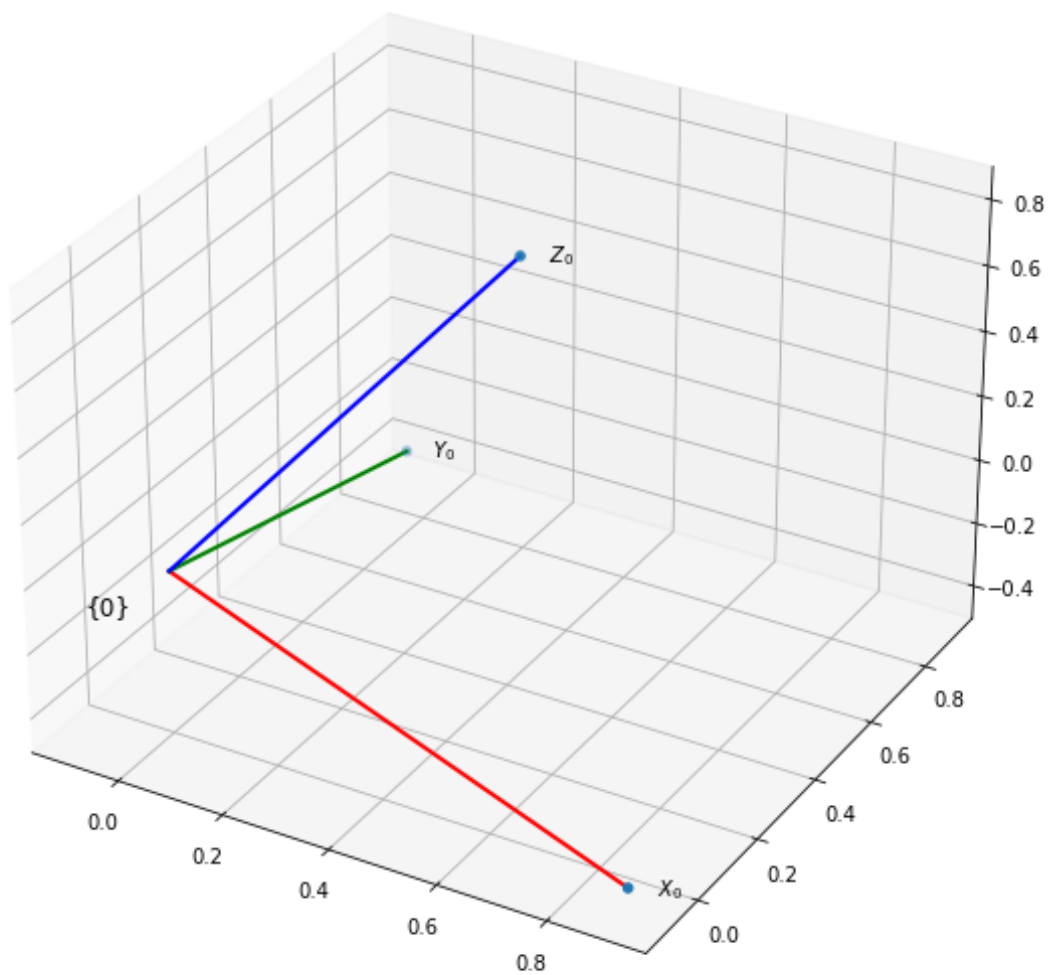
def plotR(R):
    # To plot the rotational matrix it must be converted to the homogeneous pure
    ↪ rotation matrix
    T = tpr(R)

    # Define the plot and use robotteknikk's plotting function
    fig = plt.figure(1, figsize=(10,10))
    ax = plt.axes(projection='3d')
    rob.trplot3(ax,T,name="0")
```

```
theta = np.pi/5
v = np.array([-np.sqrt(2)/2, np.sqrt(2)/2, 0])

R = angvec2r(theta, v)
plotR(R)
R.round(3)
```

```
[240]: array([[ 0.905, -0.095,  0.416],
              [-0.095,  0.905,  0.416],
              [-0.416, -0.416,  0.809]])
```



8.2 b) Determine equivalent unit quaternion

```
[243]: R.round(3)
```

```
[243]: array([[ 0.905, -0.095,  0.416],
              [-0.095,  0.905,  0.416],
              [-0.416, -0.416,  0.809]])
```

```
[241]: # Exercise 8.b
```

```
def r2quat(R, print=None):
    """
    This function converts the rotation matrix to
    its equivalent unit quaternion expression

    A Quaternion is a hyper complex number:
         $a + ib + jc + ke$ 

    Represented as:
         $q = s + v(i,j,k)$ 

    Where  $s$  is the real part and  $v$  is the imaginary part
    """
    s = 1/2*np.sqrt(1+R[0,0]+R[1,1]+R[2,2])
    q = np.array([[R[2,1]-R[1,2]],
                  [R[0,2]-R[2,0]],
                  [R[1,0]-R[0,1]]])
    v = 1/(4*s) * q

    if print is not None:
        print(f"{s} <{q.T}>")
    return s, v

s, v = r2quat(R, print)
```

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0.9510565162951535 <[[-0.83125388  0.83125388  0.          ]]>
```