

$\mathbb{V}^3(\mathbb{R})$:

- Two Vectors \vec{V}, \vec{W}
- CONSIDER A SMALL **ACTIVE** ROTATION OF \vec{V} AROUND \vec{W} , BY A CCW ANGLE $\Delta\theta$ ($0 \leq \Delta\theta \ll 1$)
- VECTOR AFTER ROTATION $\equiv \vec{V}'$
- $\vec{V}' = \vec{V} + \Delta\vec{V}$; $\Delta\vec{V} = (\vec{n}_W \times \vec{V}) \Delta\theta$; $\vec{n}_W \equiv \frac{\vec{W}}{|\vec{W}|}$

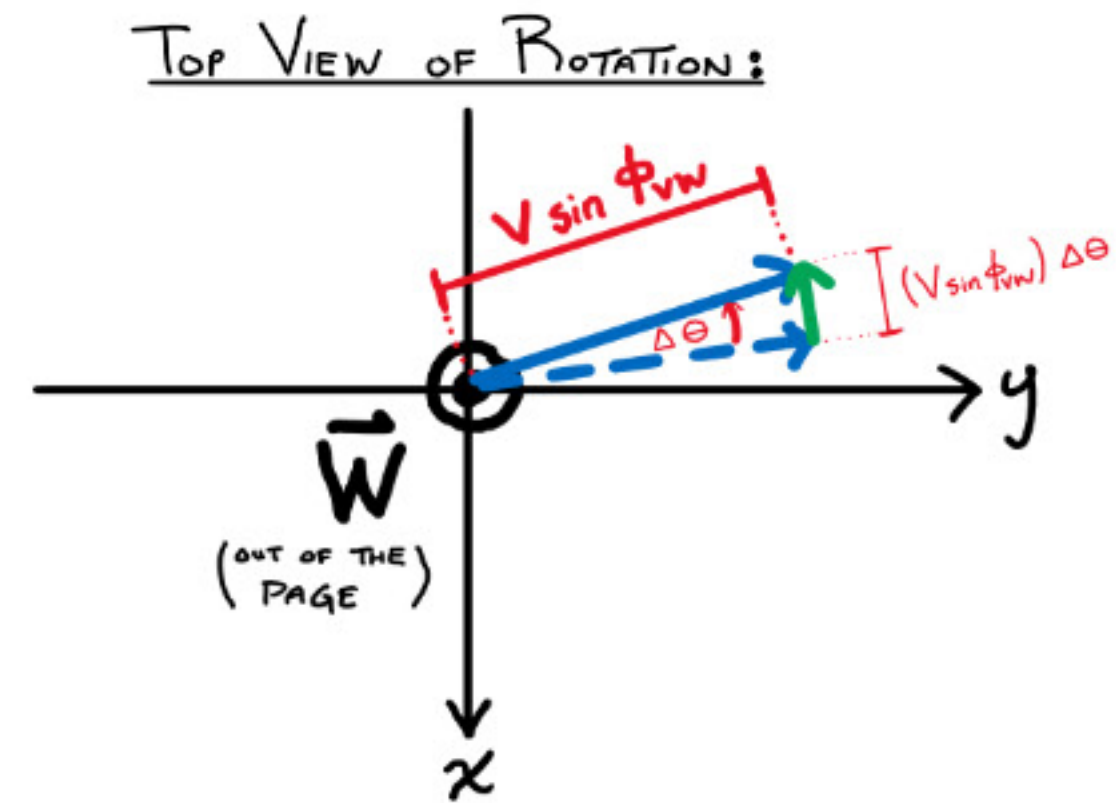
① $\Delta\vec{V}$ is \perp TO BOTH \vec{W}, \vec{V} ; PRESERVES NORM

$$\vec{V}' \cdot \vec{V}' = (\vec{V} + (\vec{n}_W \times \vec{V}) \Delta\theta) \cdot (\vec{V} + (\vec{n}_W \times \vec{V}) \Delta\theta)$$

$$= V^2 + \mathcal{O}(\Delta\theta)^2$$

\uparrow HIGHER ORDER IN $\Delta\theta$

② $|\Delta\vec{V}| = \underbrace{(V \sin \phi_{vw})}_{\text{PROJECTION OF } \vec{V} \text{ IN PLANE } \perp \text{ TO } \vec{W}} \cdot \Delta\theta$;



REWRITE USING LEVI-CIVITA:

- ASSUME ORTHONORMAL BASIS $\{\vec{n}_a\}$; $\vec{n}_a \cdot \vec{n}_b = \delta_{ab}$

$$\vec{V} = \sum_{a=1}^3 V_a \vec{n}_a; \quad \vec{W} = \sum_{b=1}^3 W_b \vec{n}_b$$

- LET US DEFINE $\vec{\Delta\theta} \equiv \Delta\theta \vec{n}_W$; $\vec{V}' = \vec{V} + \vec{\Delta\theta} \times \vec{V}$

- USING ϵ_{abc} : $\vec{V}' = \vec{V} + \epsilon_{bcd} \vec{n}_b (\vec{\Delta\theta})_c (\vec{V})_d$
- EINSTEIN SUM ON b, c, d
- \uparrow BASIS VECTOR \uparrow COMPONENT LABEL \uparrow COMPONENT LABEL
 WHICH BASIS VECTOR: NOT A COMPONENT LABEL

- SUPPOSE $\vec{V} \equiv \vec{n}_a$, A PARTICULAR BASIS VECTOR

$$\therefore \vec{n}_a' = \vec{n}_a + \vec{\Delta\theta} \times \vec{n}_a = \vec{n}_a + \epsilon_{bcd} \vec{n}_b (\vec{\Delta\theta})_c (\vec{n}_a)_d$$

BUT: $(\vec{n}_a)_d = \delta_{a,d}$

$$\therefore \vec{n}_a' = \vec{n}_a + \epsilon_{bca} \vec{n}_b (\vec{\Delta\theta})_c$$

KET NOTATION:

$$|\vec{n}_a'\rangle = |\vec{n}_a\rangle + \epsilon_{bca} (\vec{\Delta\theta})_c |\vec{n}_b\rangle$$

EINSTEIN SUM b, c

$$= |\vec{n}_a\rangle + (\vec{\Delta\theta} \times \vec{n}_a)_b |\vec{n}_b\rangle$$

EINSTEIN SUM b

$$= |\vec{n}_a\rangle + |\vec{\Delta\theta} \times \vec{n}_a\rangle$$

- GENERATOR VERSION (LEC. ~~10~~, p. 3,4)

$$|\vec{n}'_a\rangle = e^{\vec{\Delta\theta} \cdot \hat{\vec{G}}} |\vec{n}_a\rangle \simeq (\hat{\mathbb{I}} + \vec{\Delta\theta} \cdot \hat{\vec{G}}) |\vec{n}_a\rangle$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \vec{\Delta\theta} \cdot \hat{\vec{G}} |\vec{n}_a\rangle &= |\vec{\Delta\theta} \times \vec{n}_a\rangle = (\vec{\Delta\theta} \times \vec{n}_a)_b |\vec{n}_b\rangle \\ &= \epsilon_{bcd} (\vec{\Delta\theta})_c (\vec{n}_a)_d |\vec{n}_b\rangle \\ &= \epsilon_{bca} (\vec{\Delta\theta})_c |\vec{n}_b\rangle \end{aligned}$$