

## *Representation in 2D Space*

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# Representing position and orientation of robots in a global environment

# POINT in 2D space

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- How a robot can identify its position in the environment
- How a robot can identify its whole existence in the environment
- After knowing this info, we need to feed this info to the robot, or program it to the robot

# POINT in 2D space

## Cartesian Coordinate System

How to identify the position of a point  
In space?

Consider a cartesian coordinate system like this

We can drop a perpendicular from point P to  
X-axis as well as Y-axis

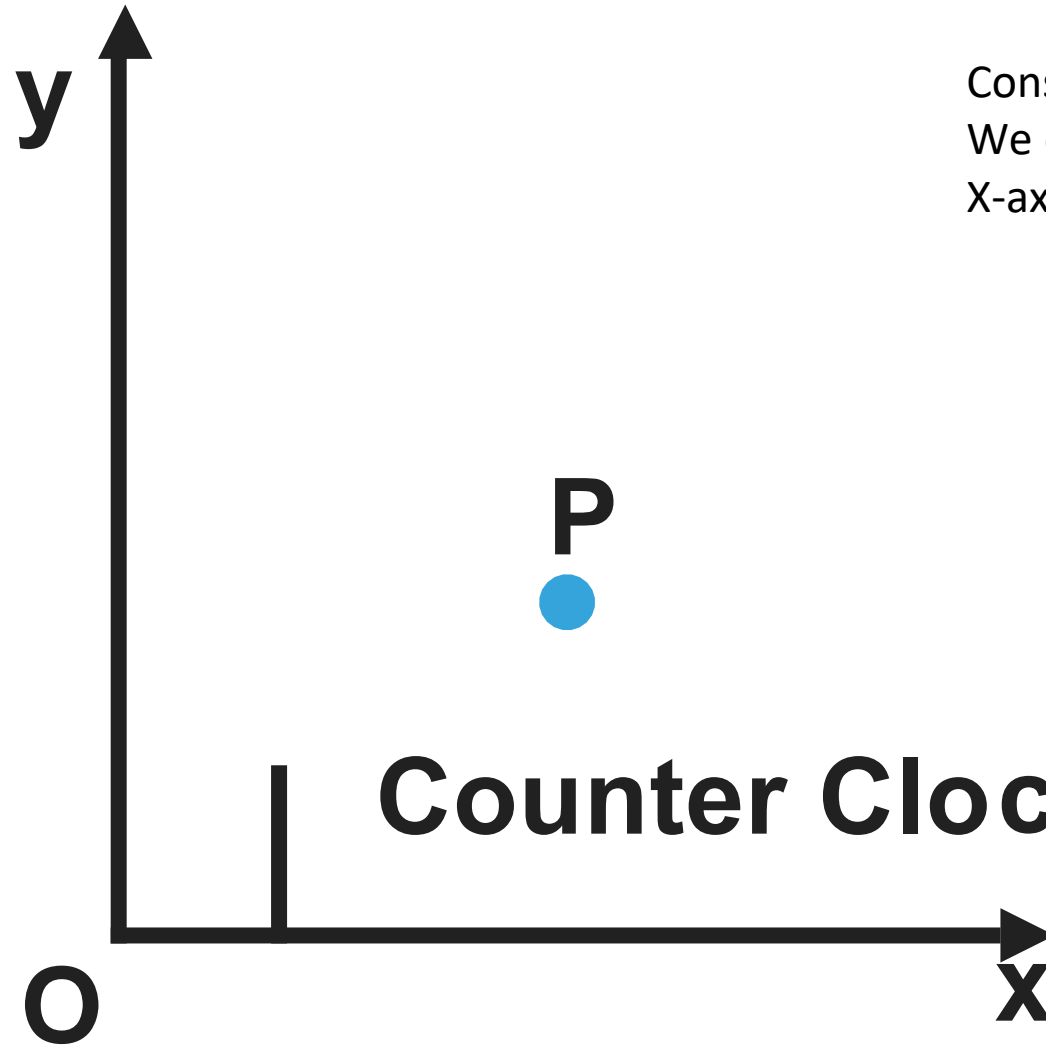
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Magnitude across X-axis and Y-axis

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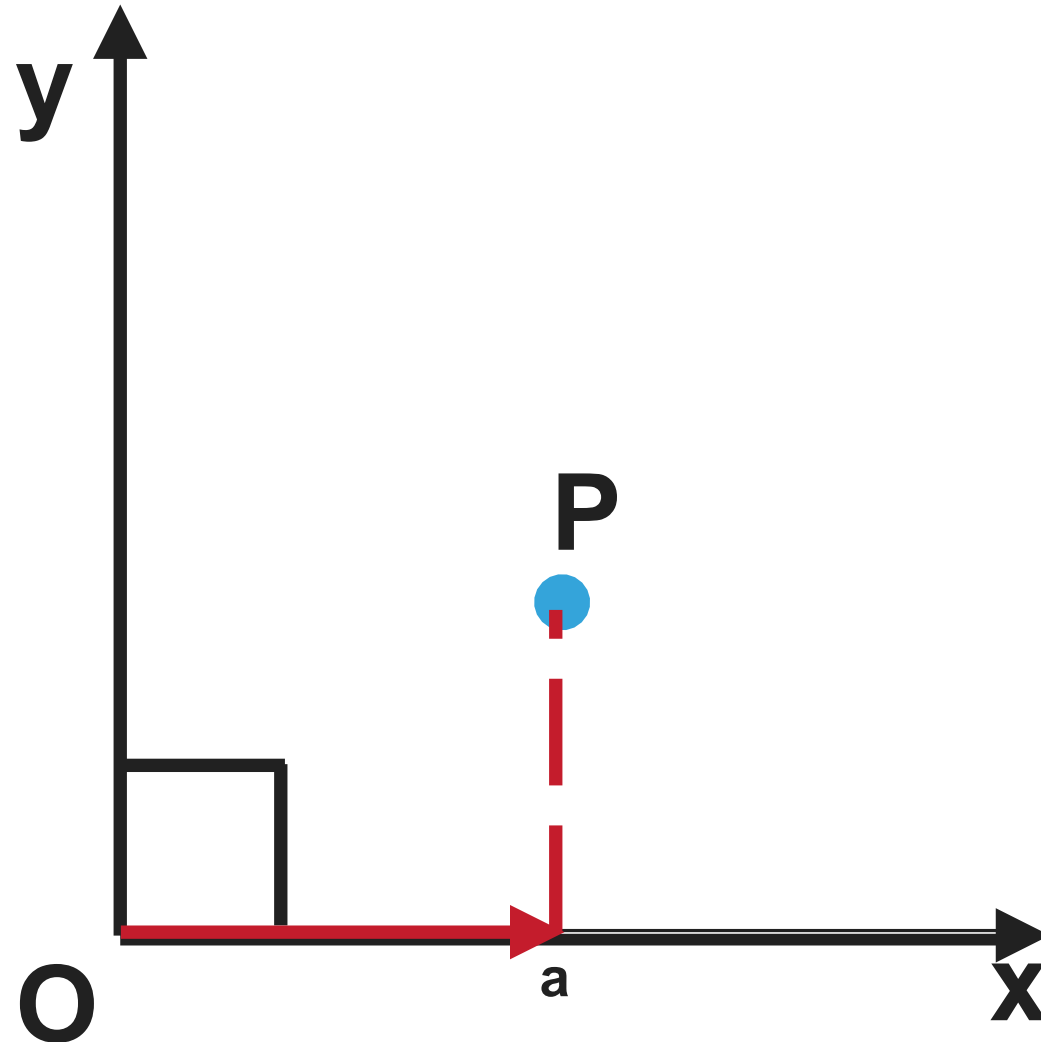
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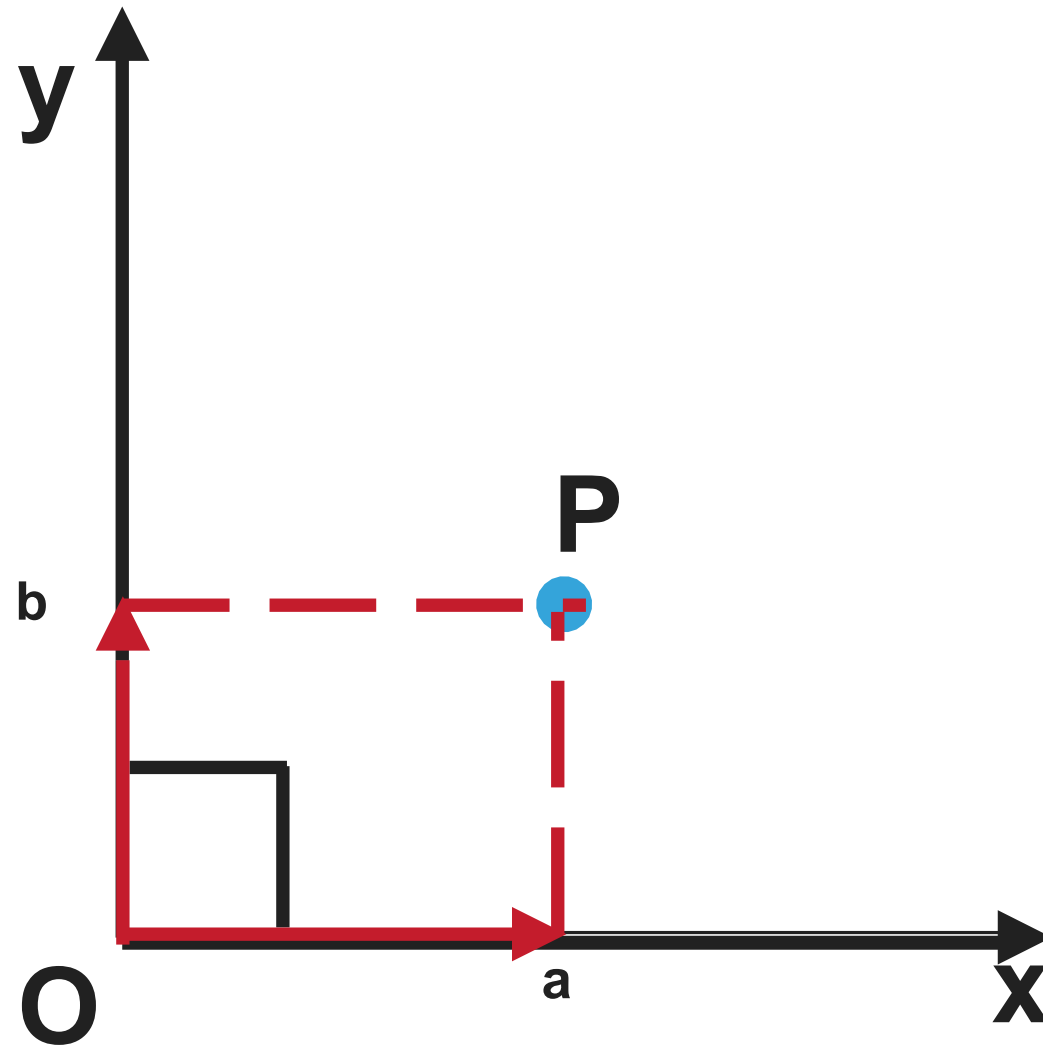
**Counter Clockwise**

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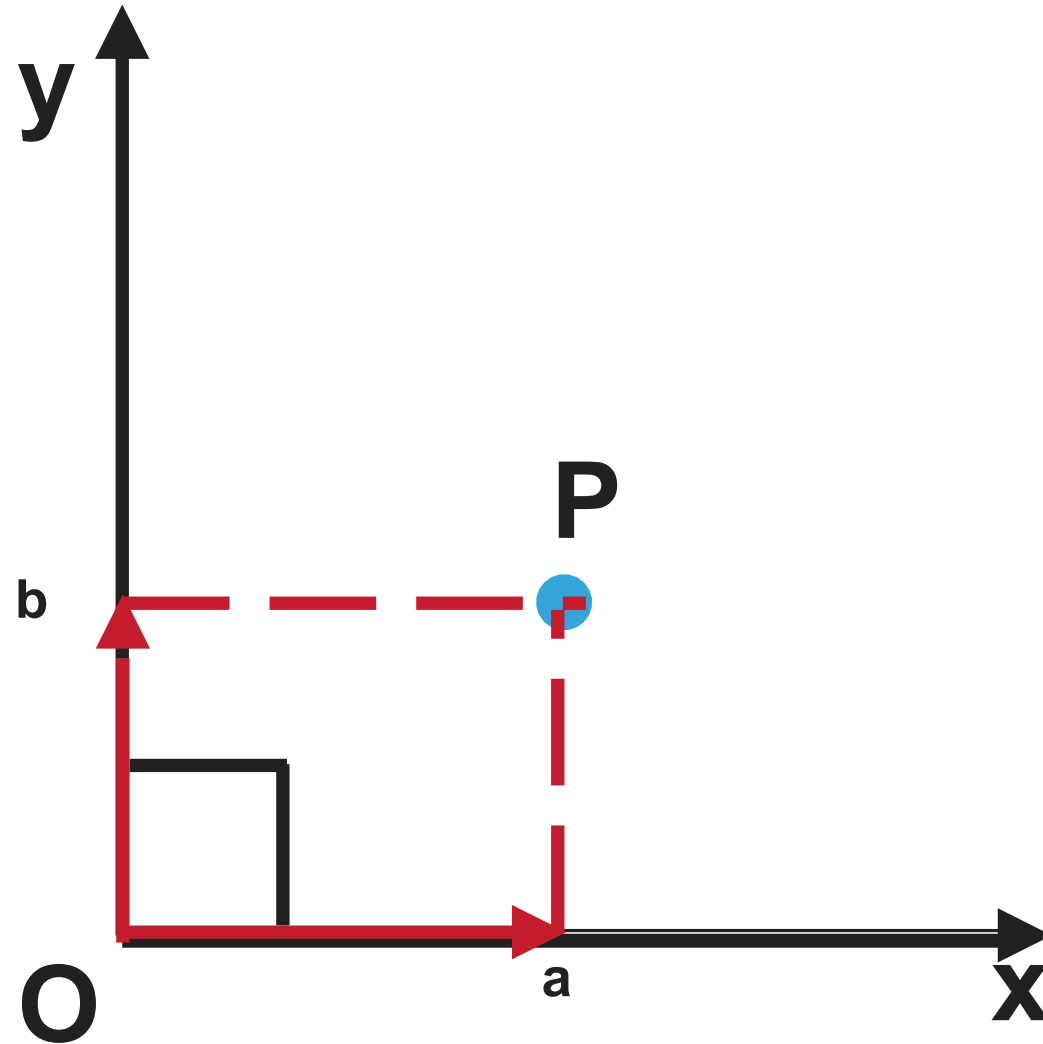


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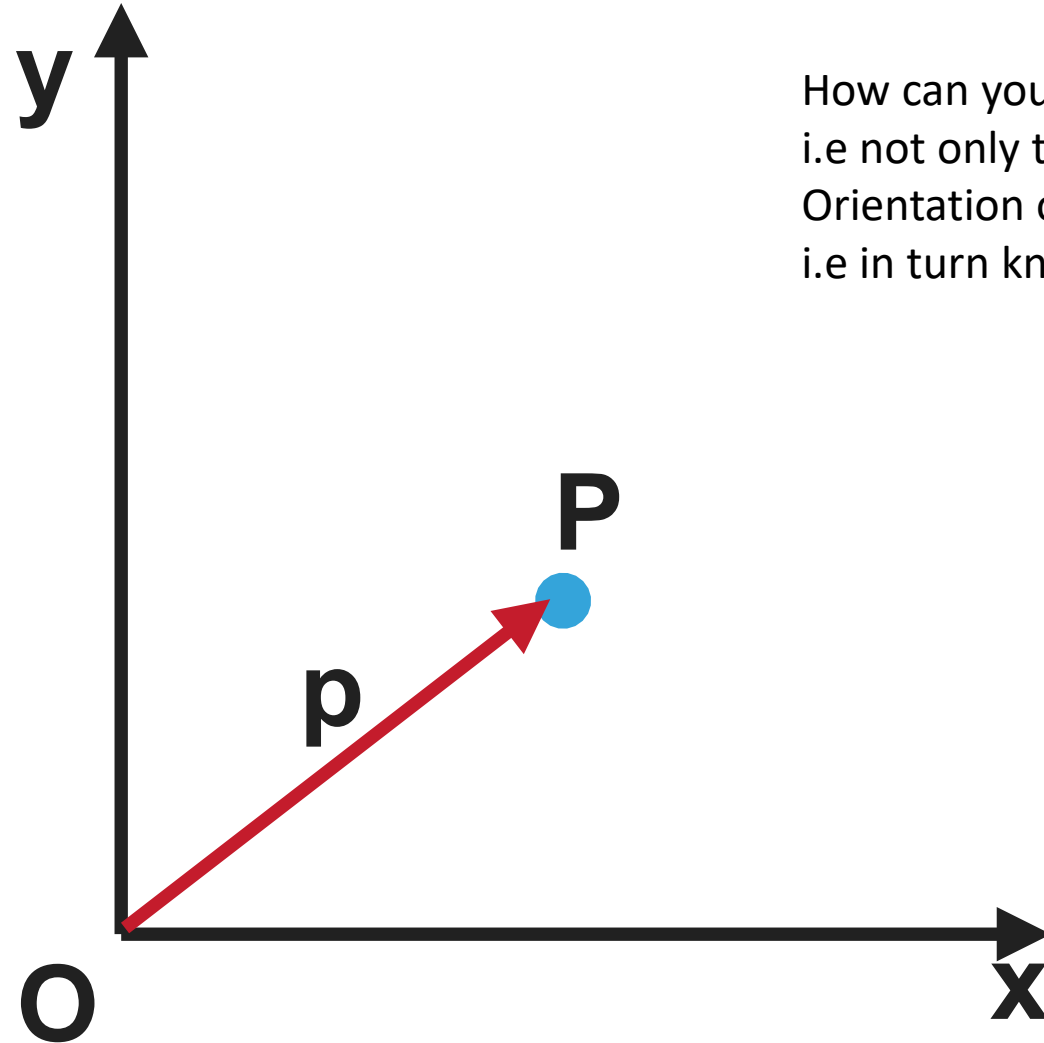
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$$p=(a,b)$$

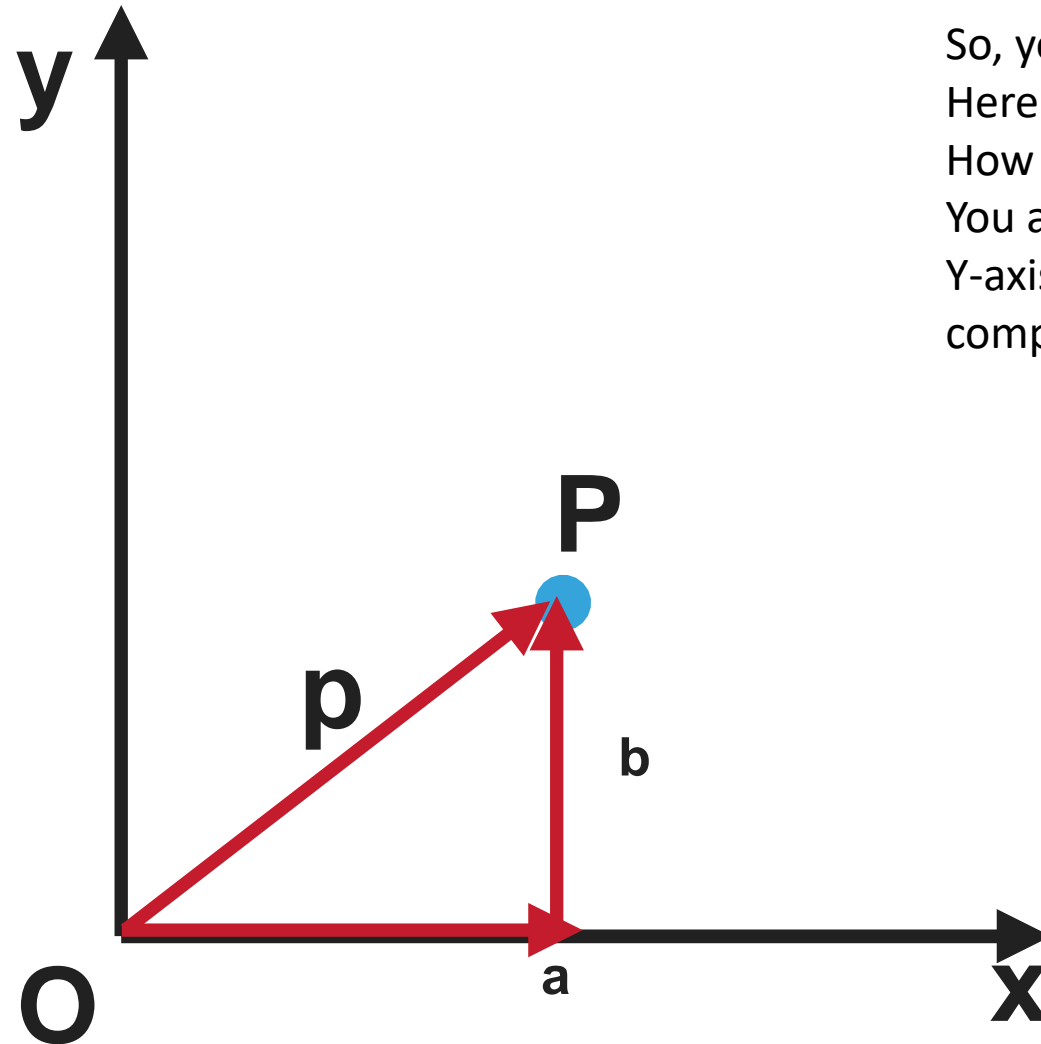


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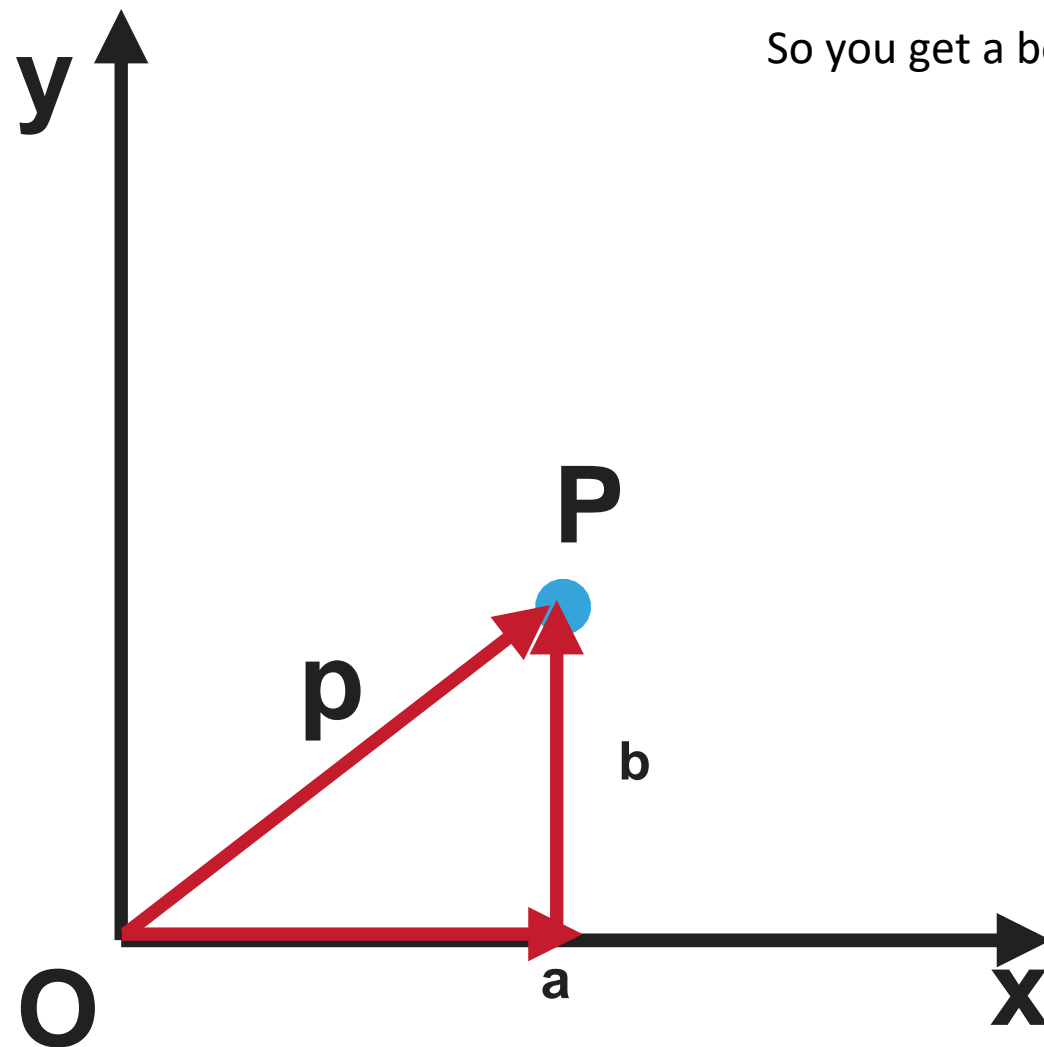
How can you represent in terms of vector?  
i.e not only the position, but you also need to know the  
Orientation or what direction it is actually  
i.e in turn knowing the vector representation of the point.

# POINT in 2D space



So, you drop a vector from the origin to the point  
Here small 'p'.  
How do you find 'p'  
You already dropped a perpendicular to X-axis and  
Y-axis and taking that magnitude as the parallel  
component across the X-axis.

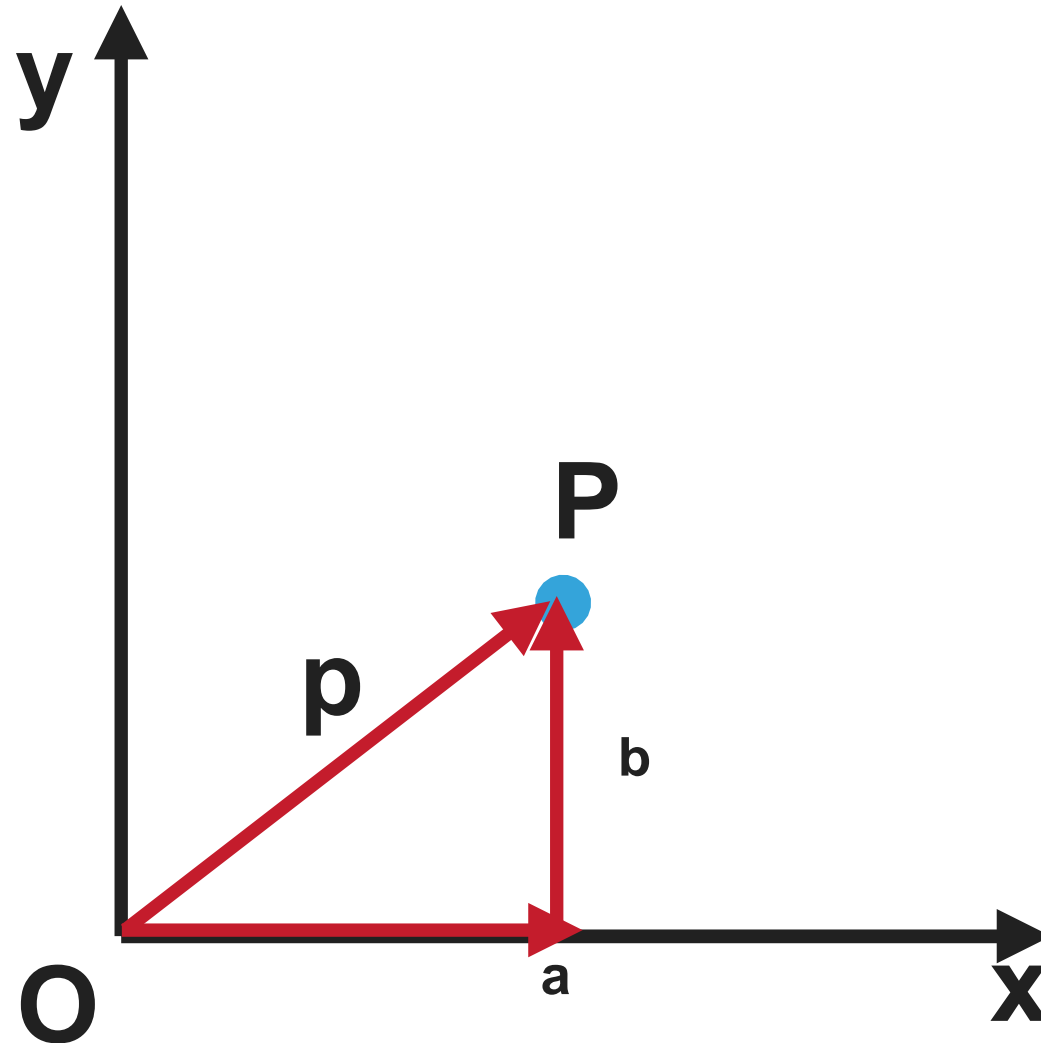
# POINT in 2D space



So you get a bound vector

$$P = \begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \end{bmatrix}$$

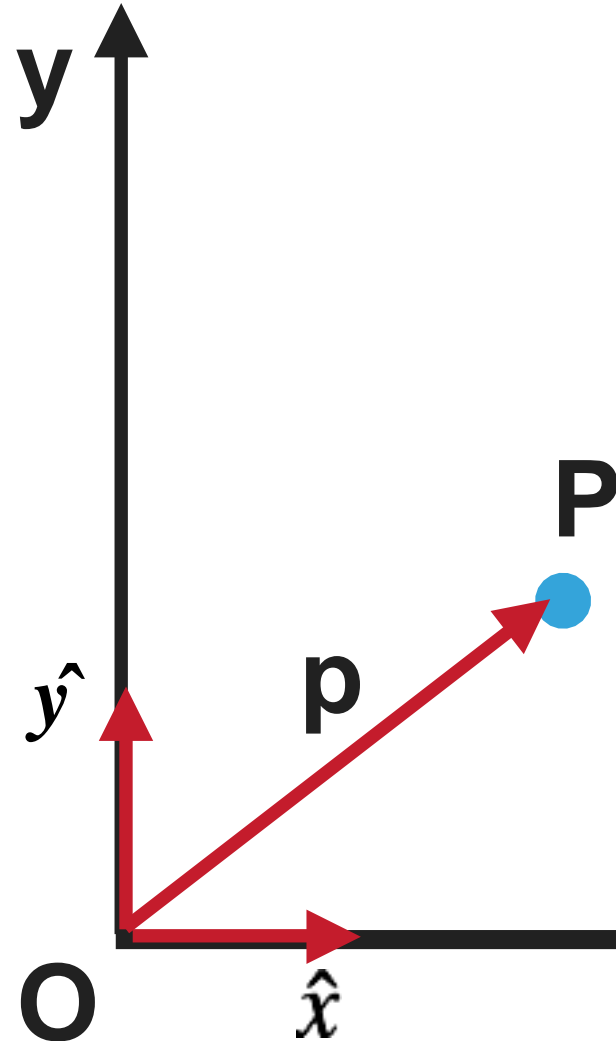
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$$P = \begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \end{bmatrix}$$

Bound Vector

# POINT in 2D space



What will be the expression of vector 'p'

$$p = \begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \end{bmatrix}$$

$$p = a \hat{x} + b \hat{y}$$


So this vector 'p' represents the displacement  
Of the point with respect to some reference  
Co-ordinate frame.

Here the reference co-ordinate frame is 'O'  
We call this 'p' as bound vector

Because it cannot be really moved. Once the vector  
is defined, you cannot really move the point.

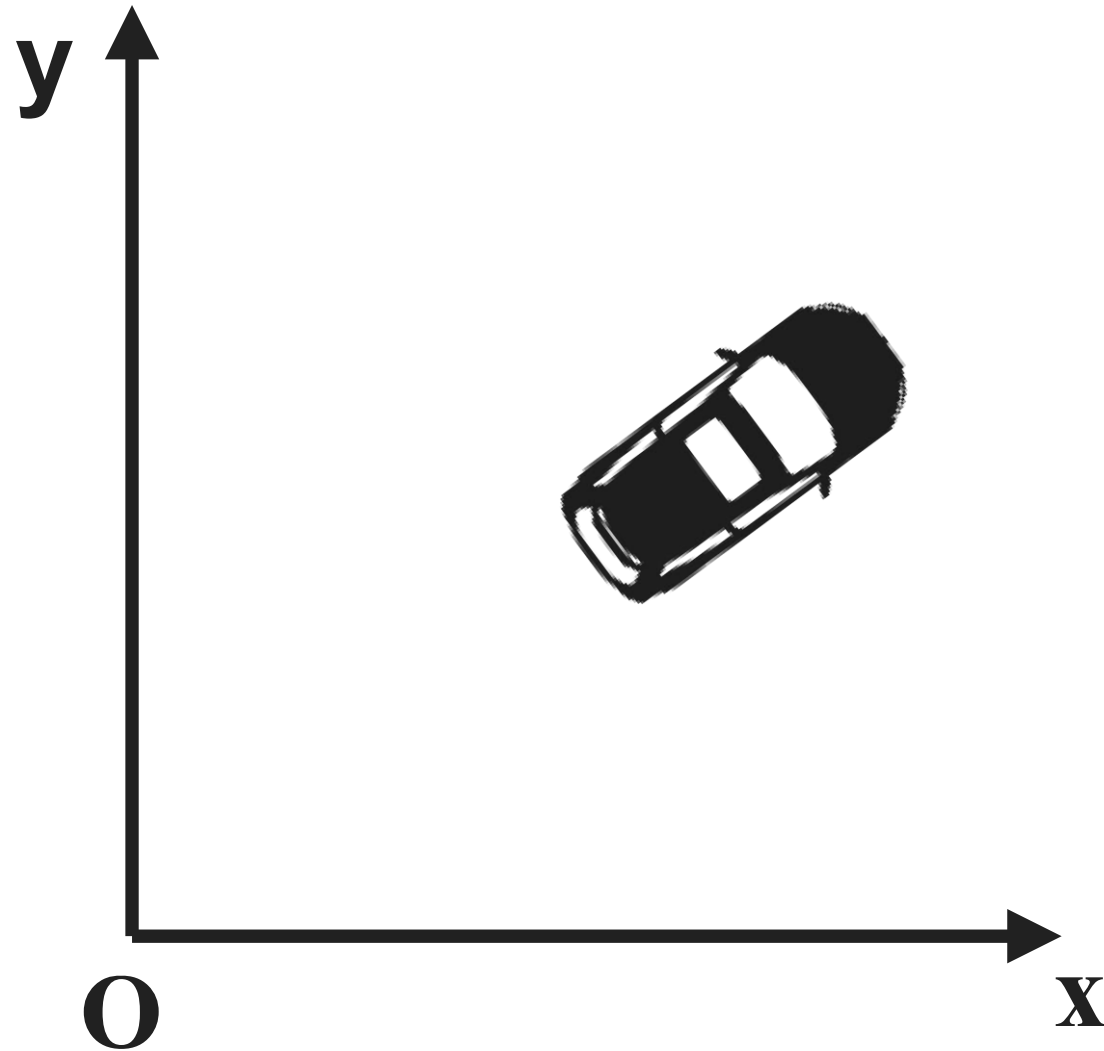
If we move the point, the vector representation also  
changed.

Hence, **bound vector**.

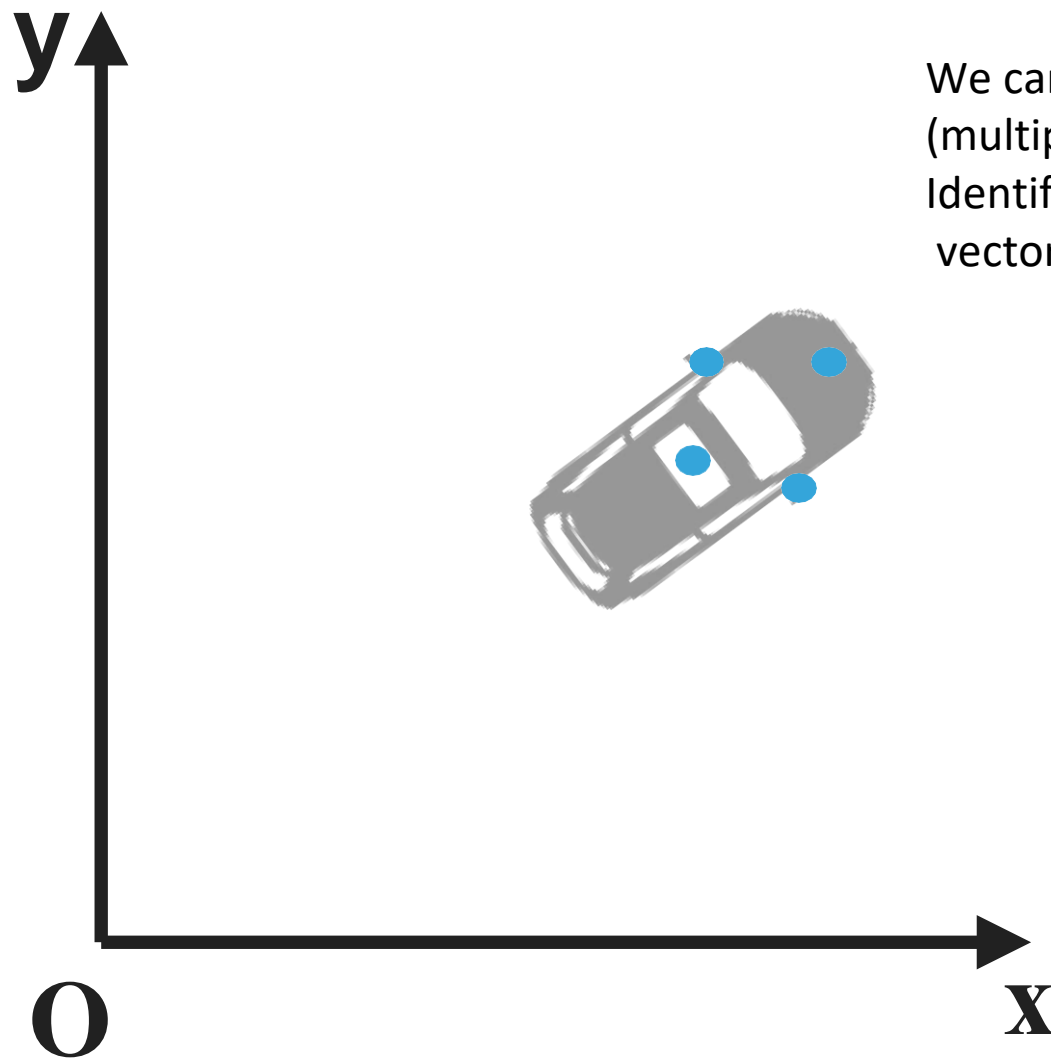


But something is missing here.  
We cannot call a robot as a point .

# OBJECT in 2D space



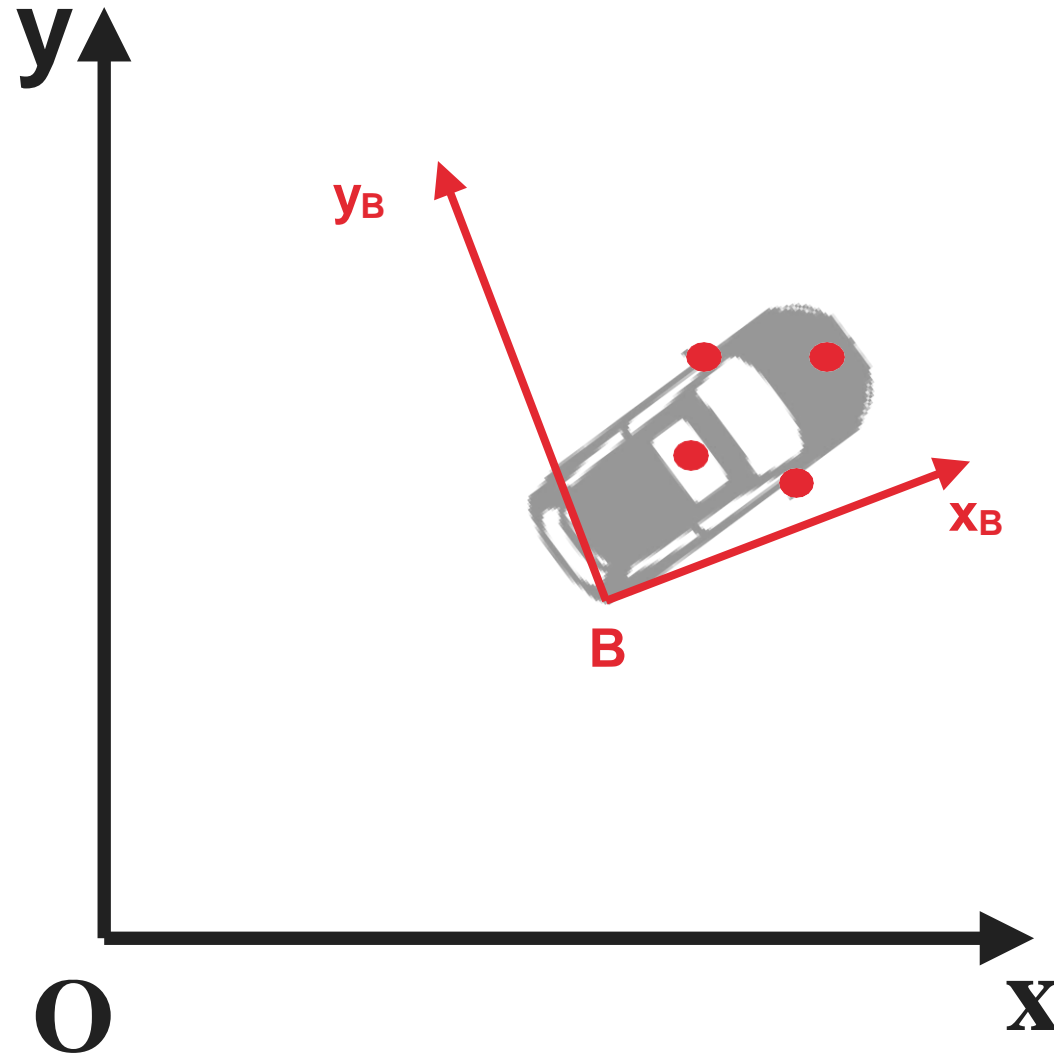
# OBJECT in 2D space



We can represent an object as points.  
(multiple points), then  
Identify the position of those points using  
vector analysis.



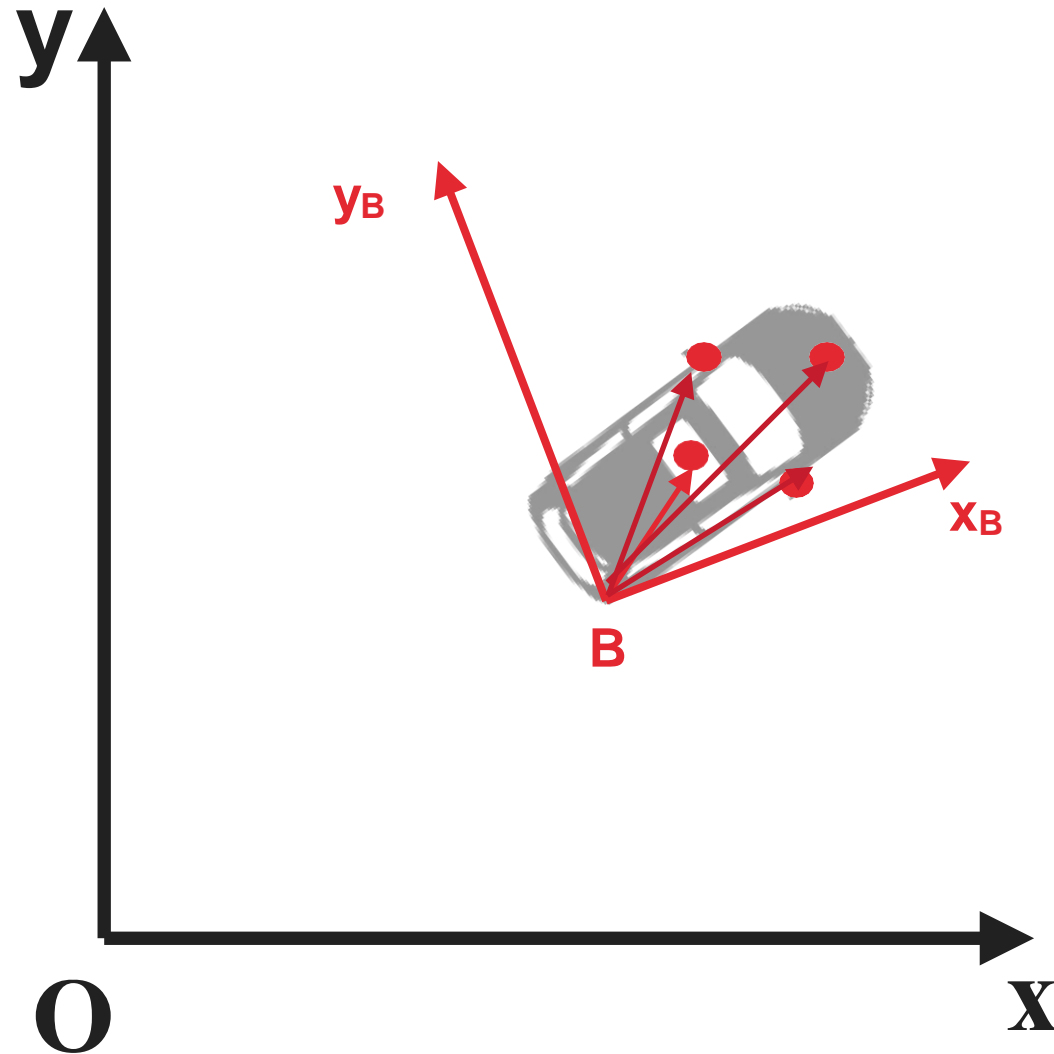
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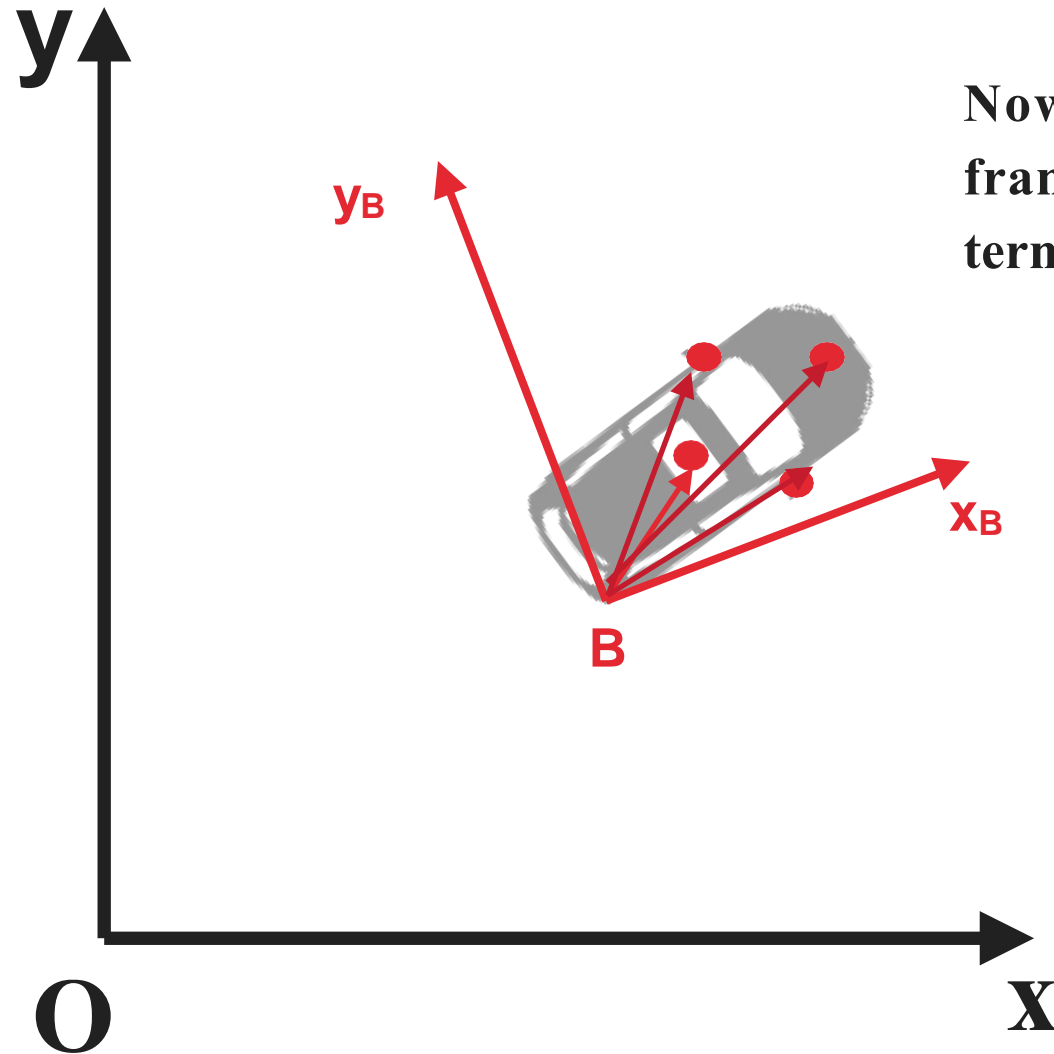
Here also, there is one problem.

The object itself has its own co-ordinate system, called Object coordinate system.

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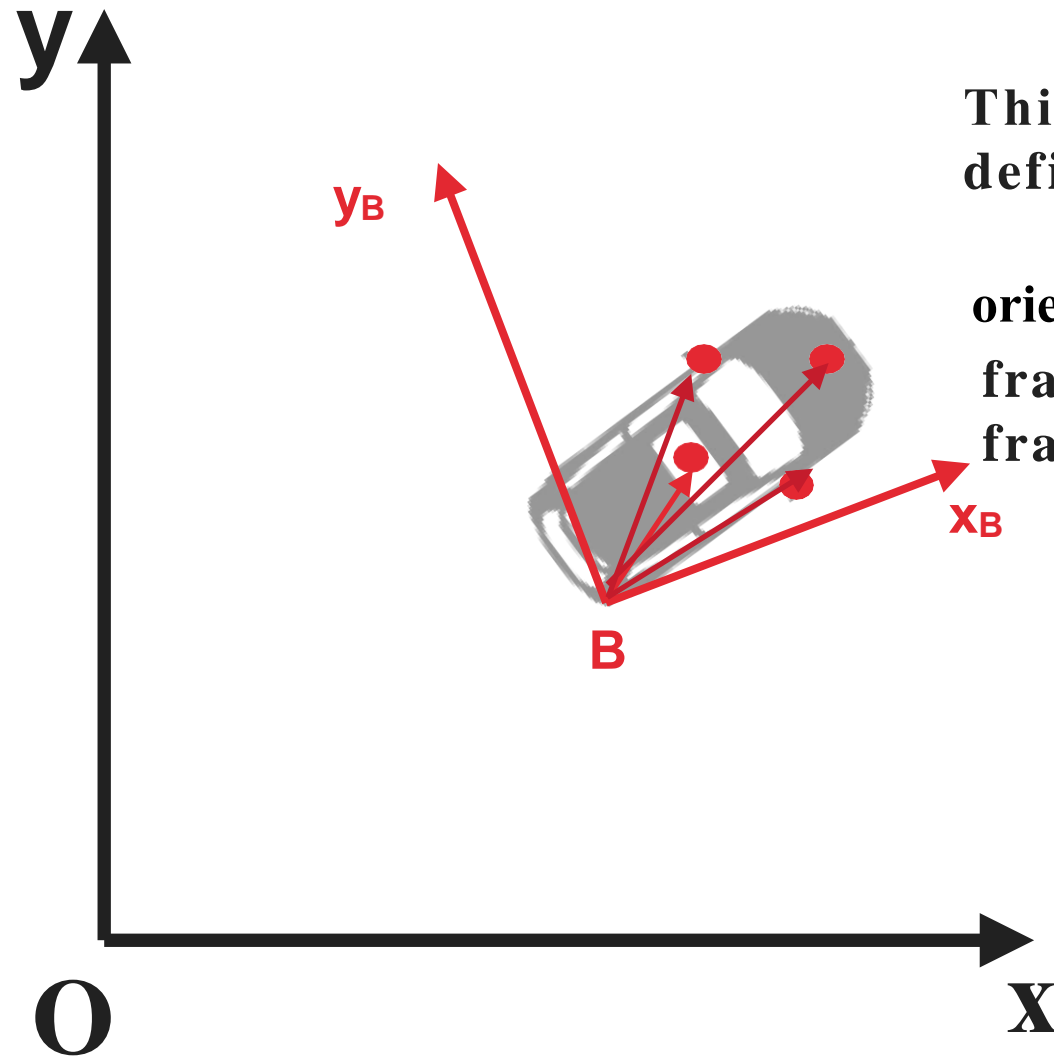


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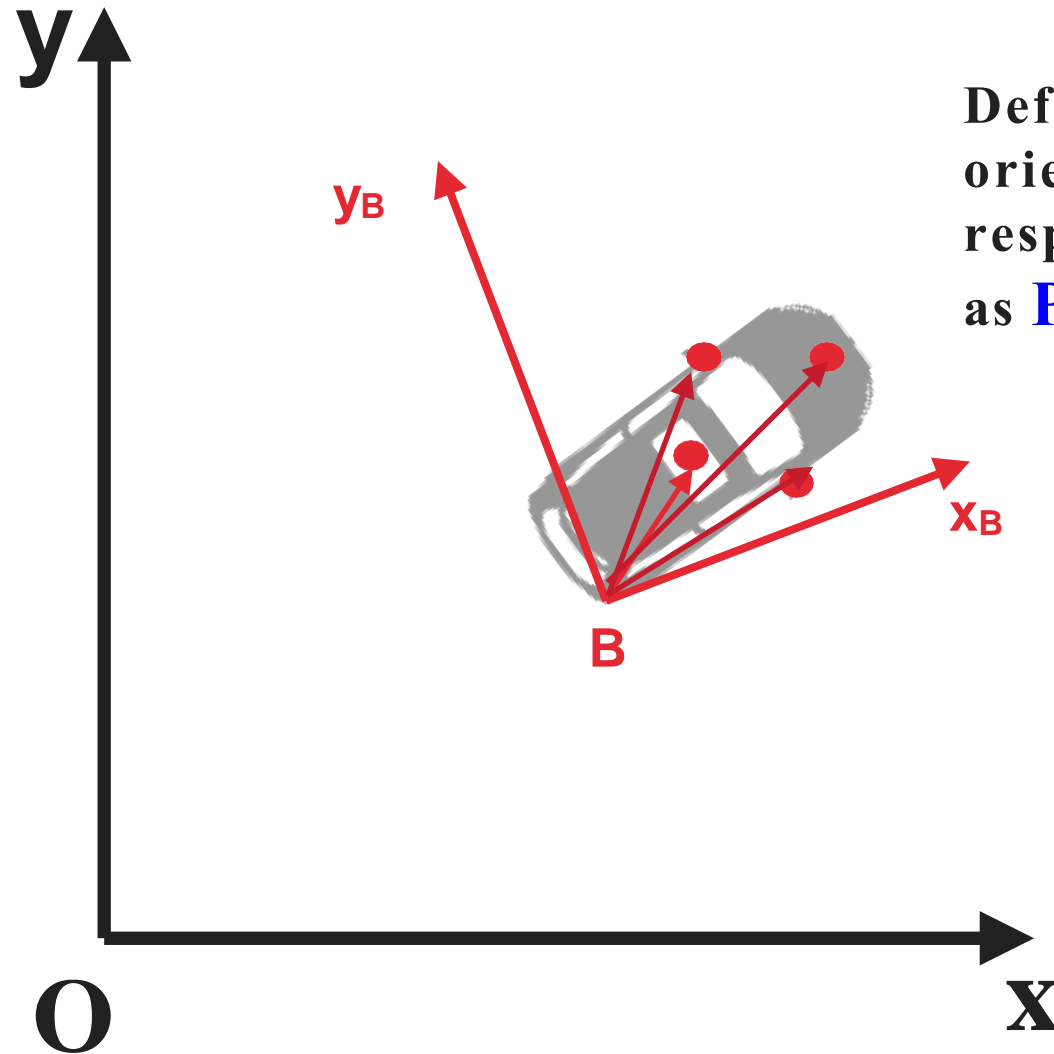
Now, the object coordinate frame can be described in terms of world coordinate frame.

# OBJECT in 2D space



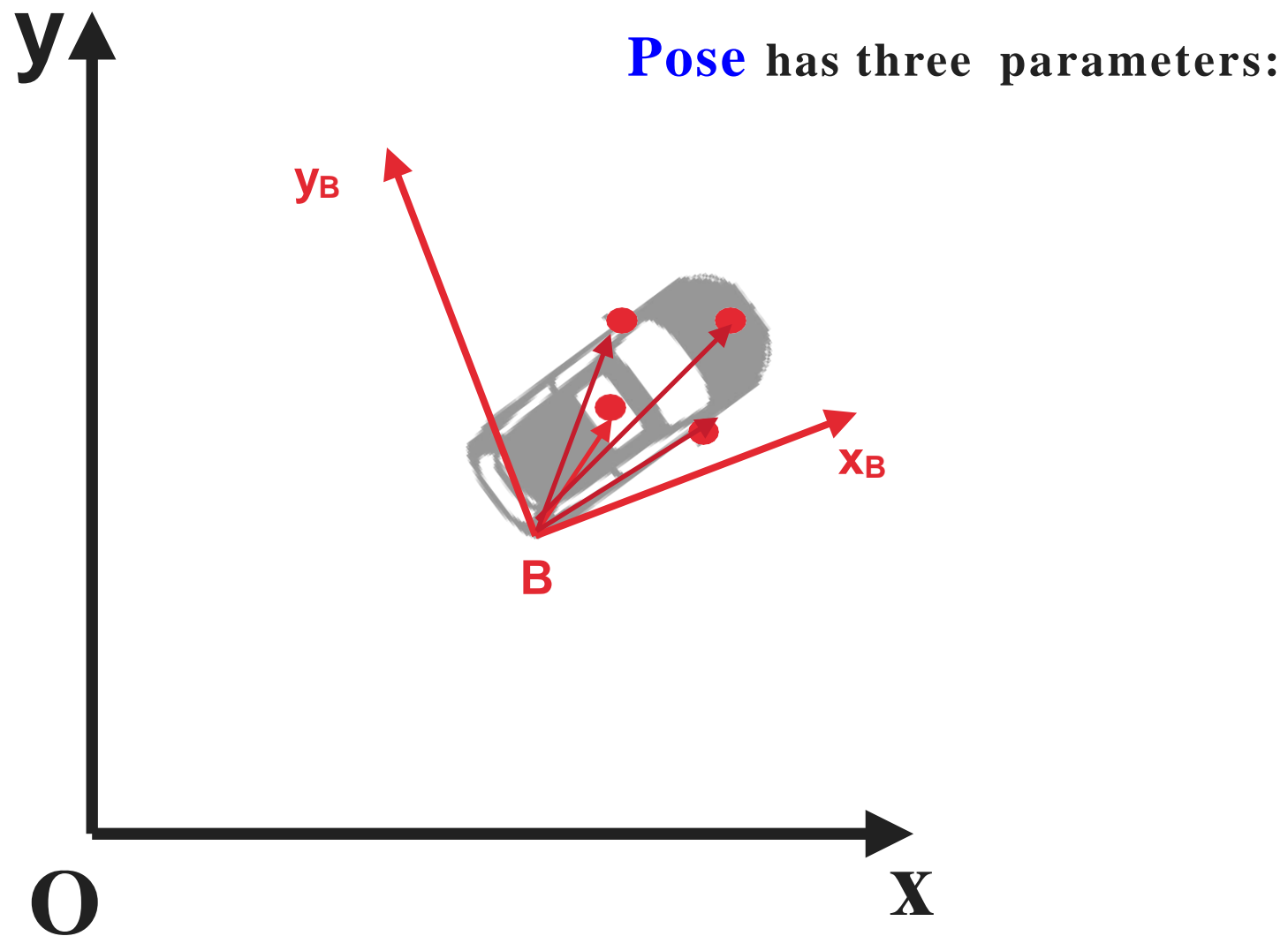
This can be achieved by defining the position and orientation of the object frame in terms of world frame.

# POSE in 2D space

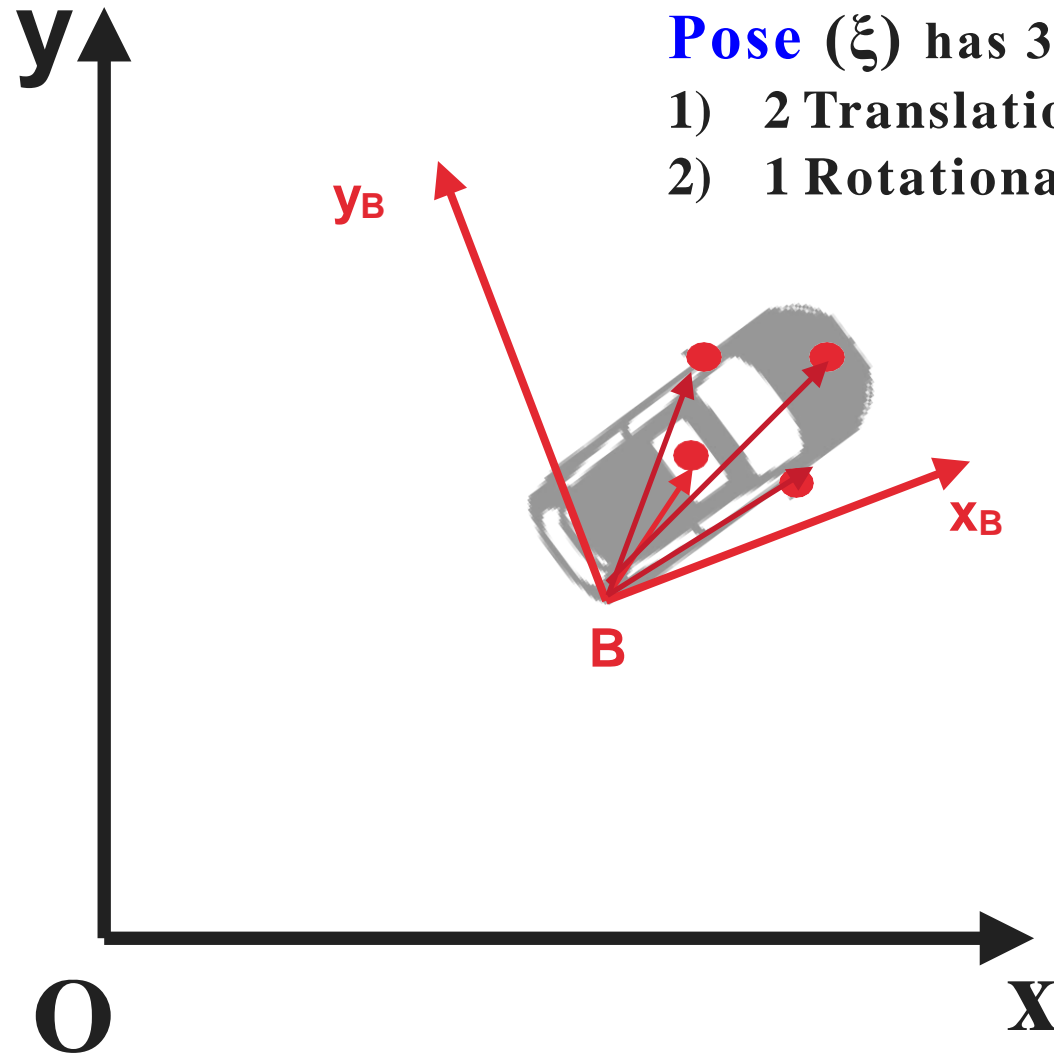


Defining position and orientation of an object with respect to a frame is called as **Pose**.

# POSE in 2D space



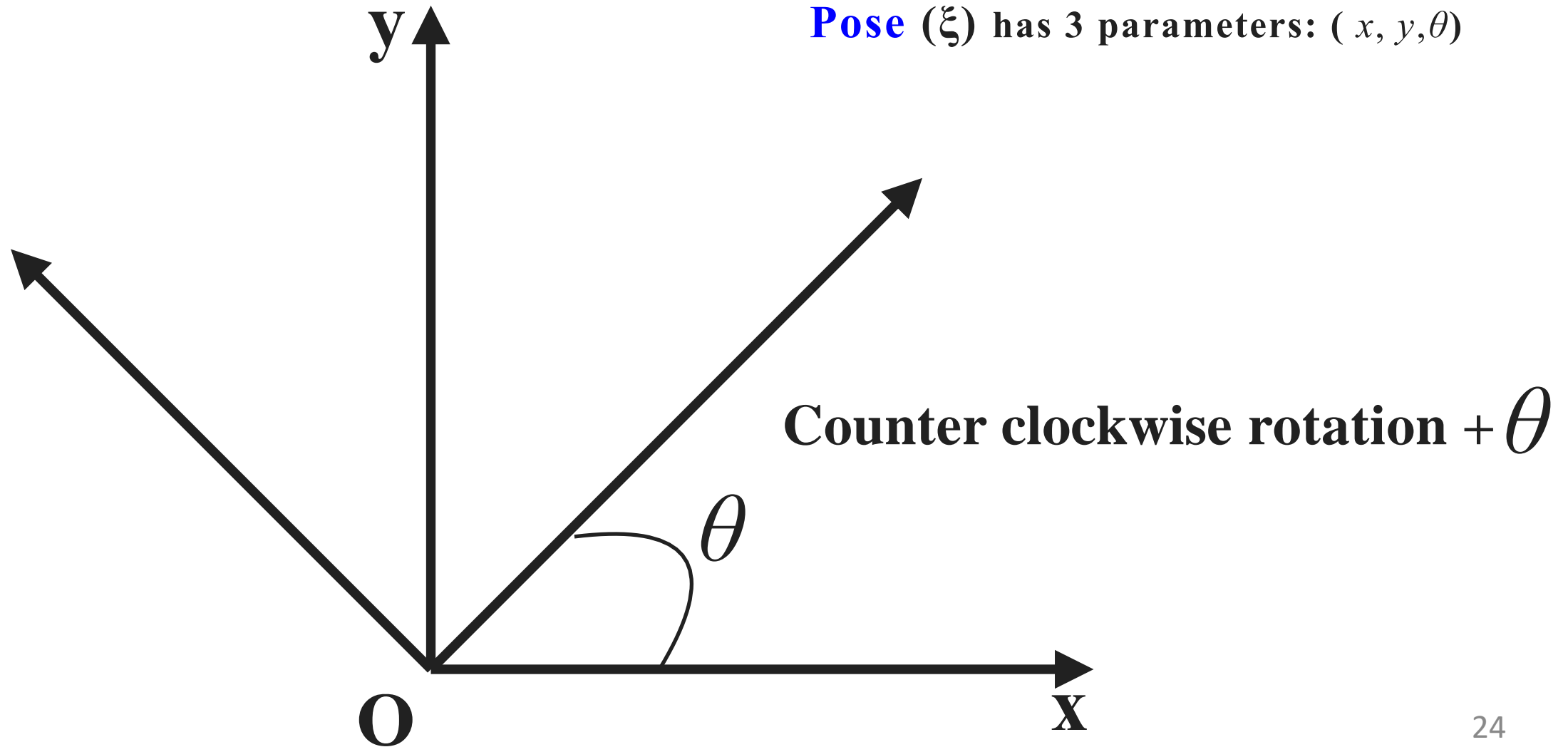
# POSE in 2D space



**Pose** ( $\xi$ ) has 3 parameters:

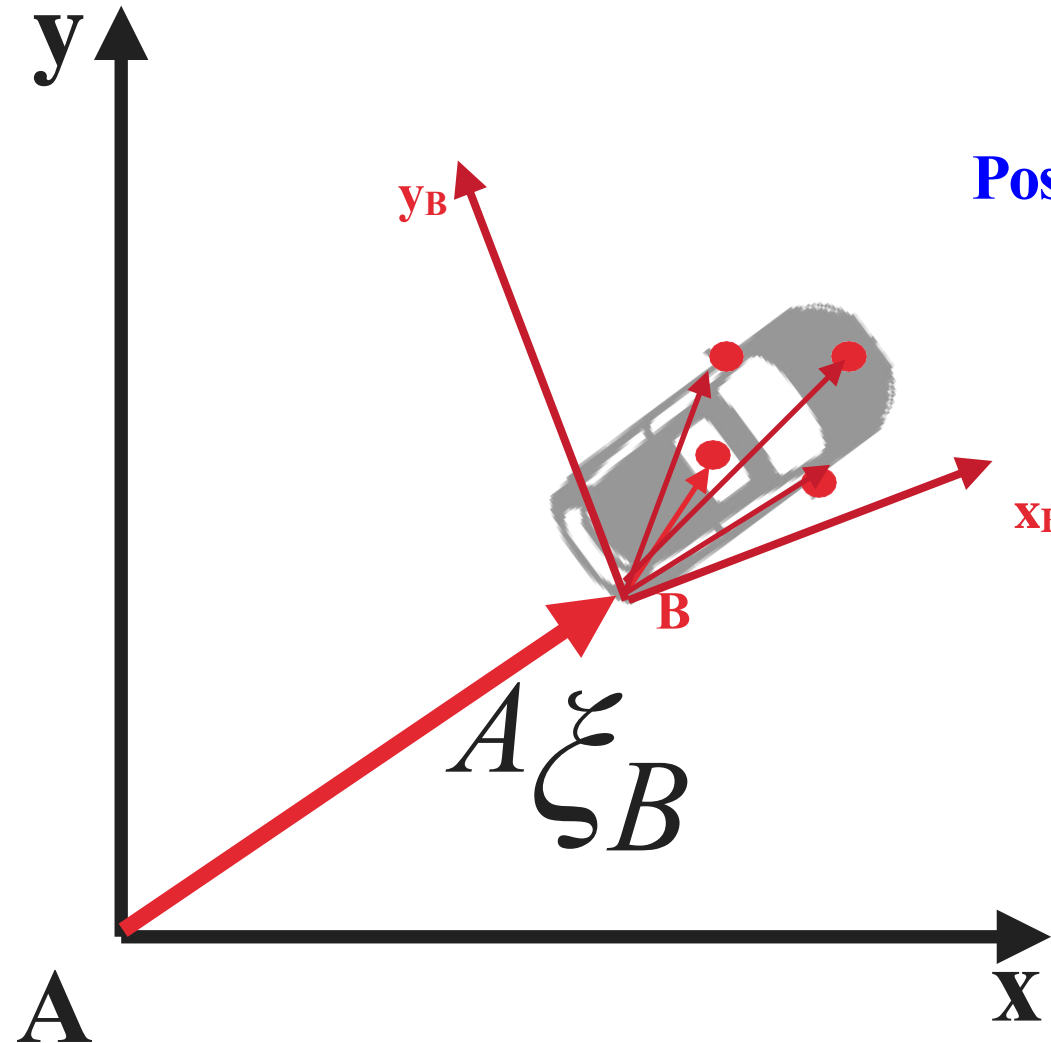
- 1) 2 Translational Components  $\rightarrow x, y$
- 2) 1 Rotational Component  $\rightarrow \theta$

# POSE in 2D space





# Relative POSE in 2D space



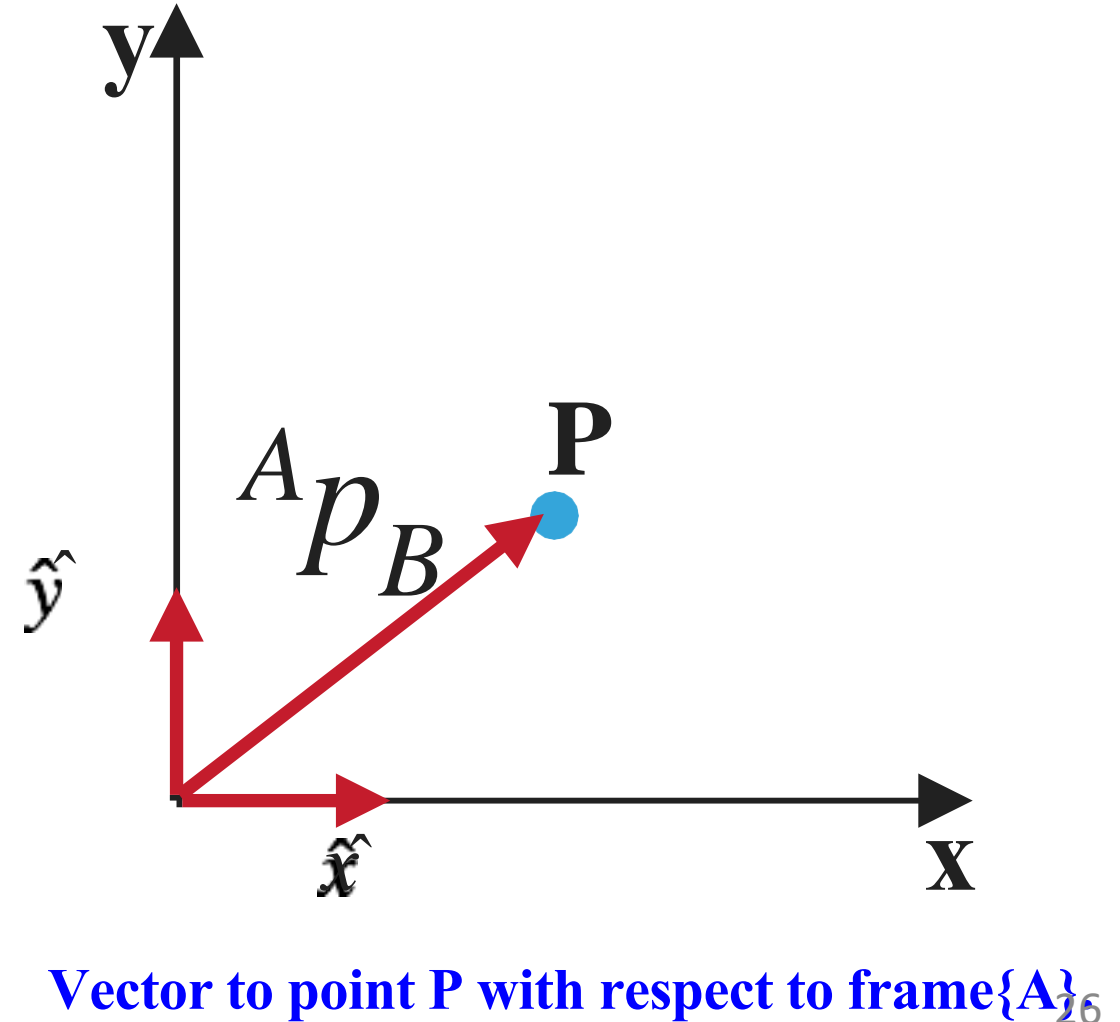
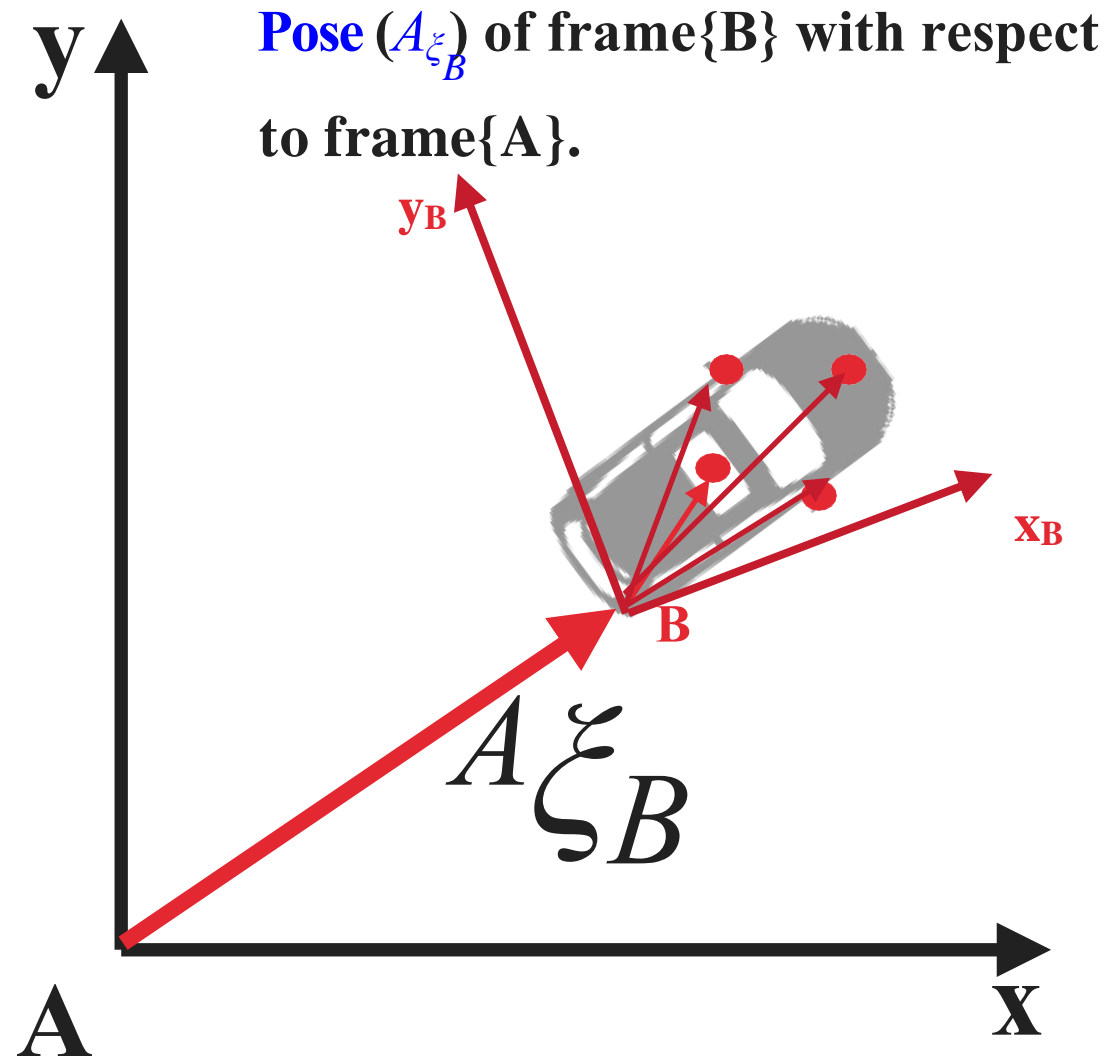
**Pose ( $A\xi_B$ ) of frame{B} with respect to frame{A}.**

What is the pose of frame 'B' wrt frame 'A'

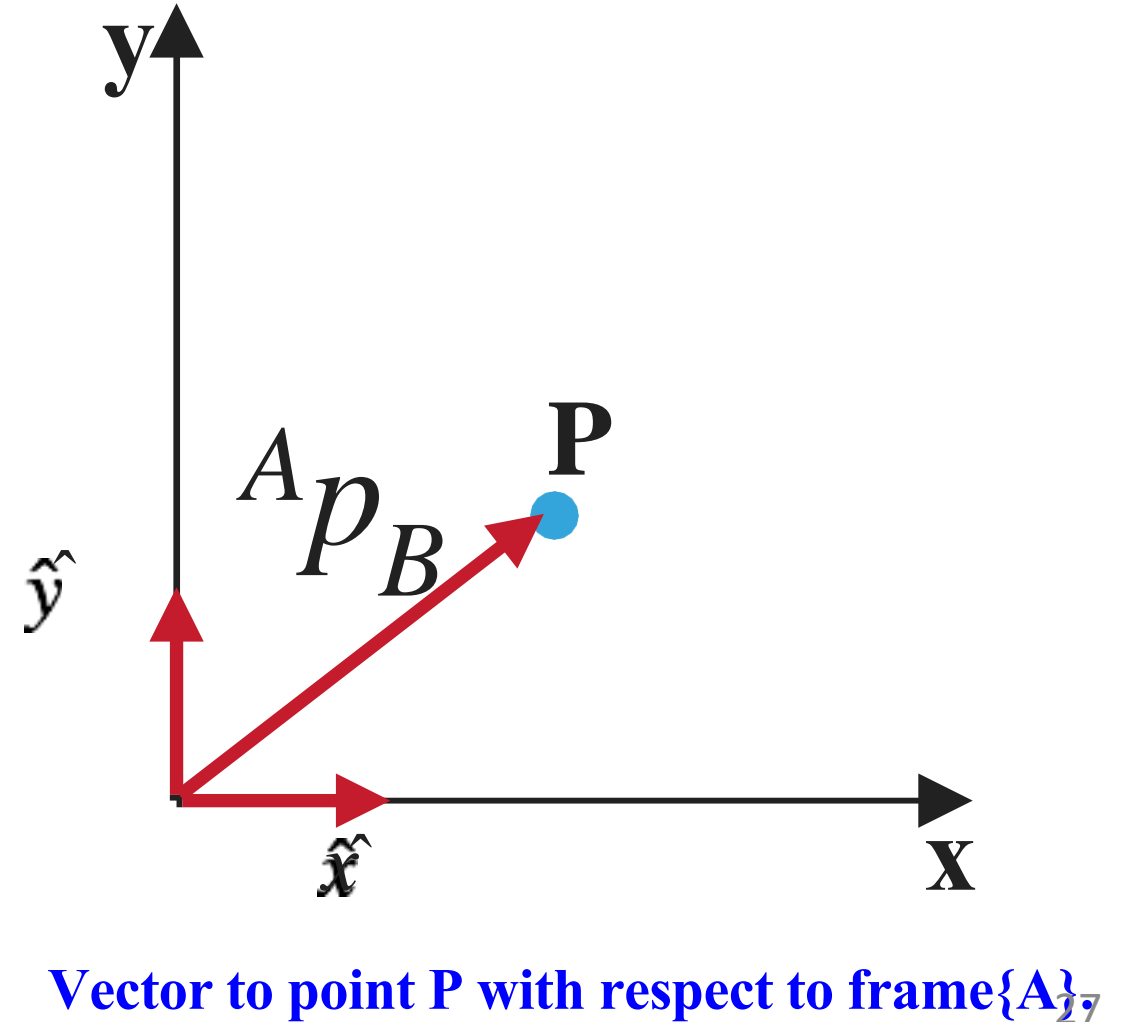
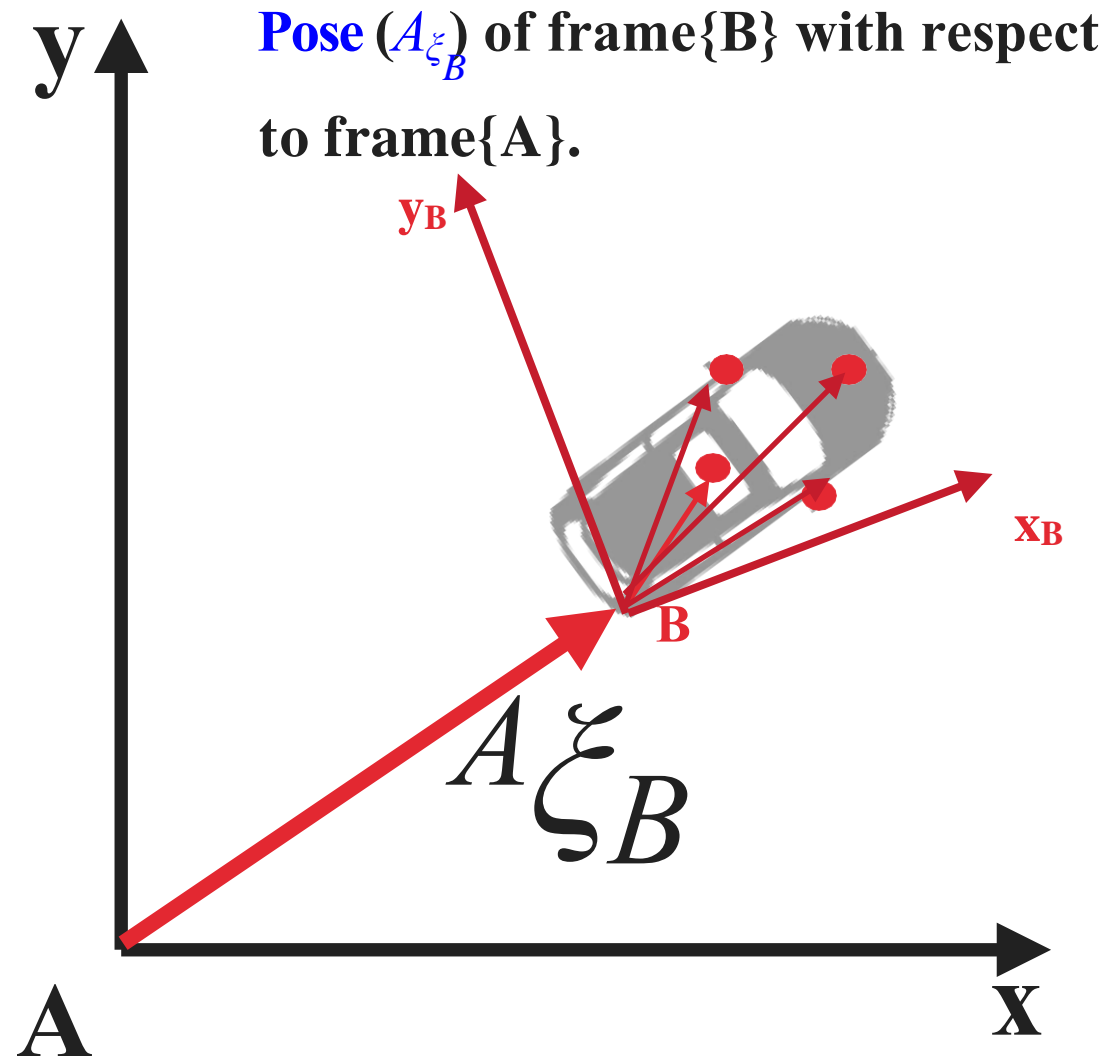
Find translational component and rotational component individually

# Relative POSE in 2D space

$\{A\}$   $\{B\}$   
 $\xi$   $\xi_i$

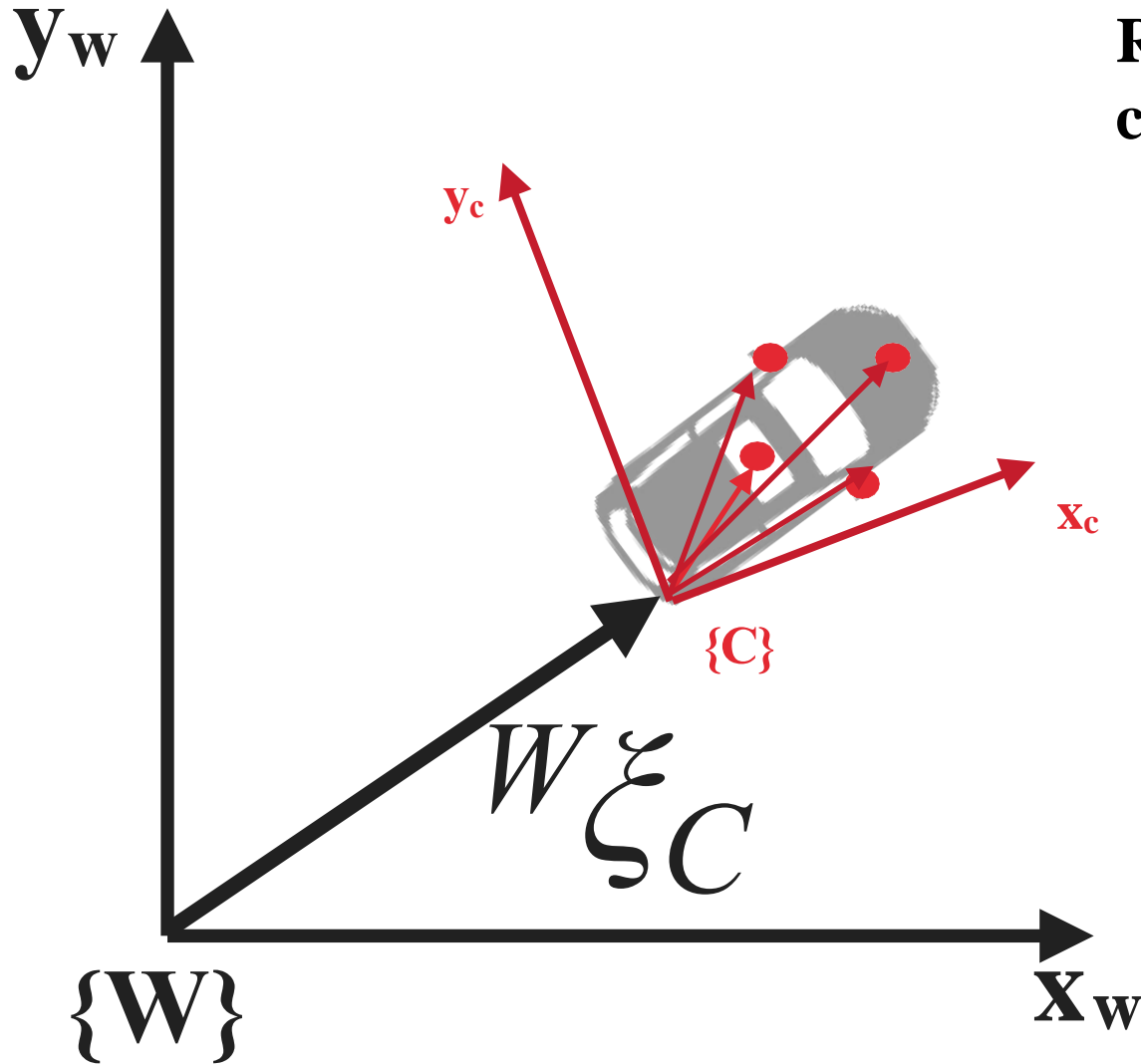


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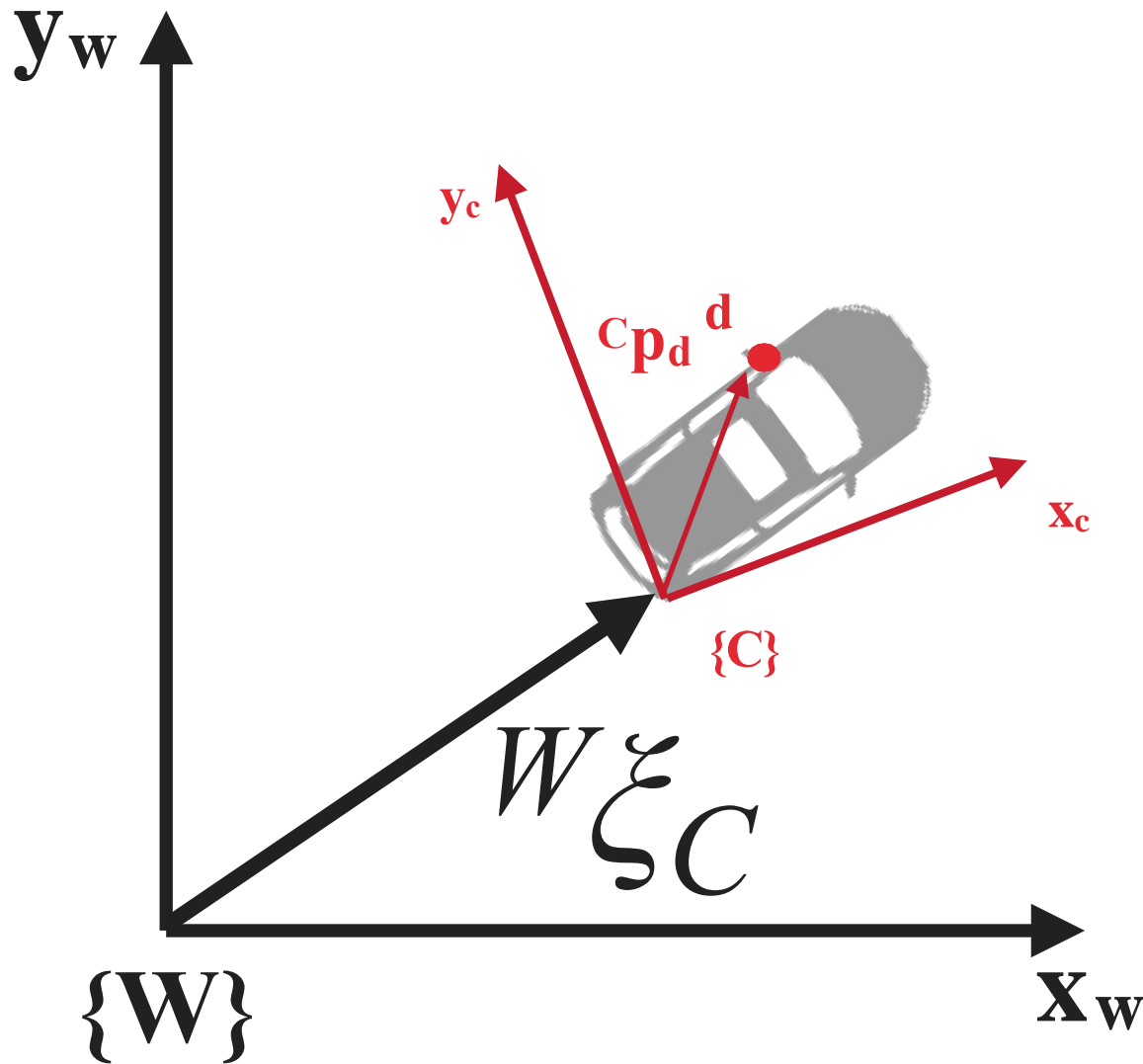


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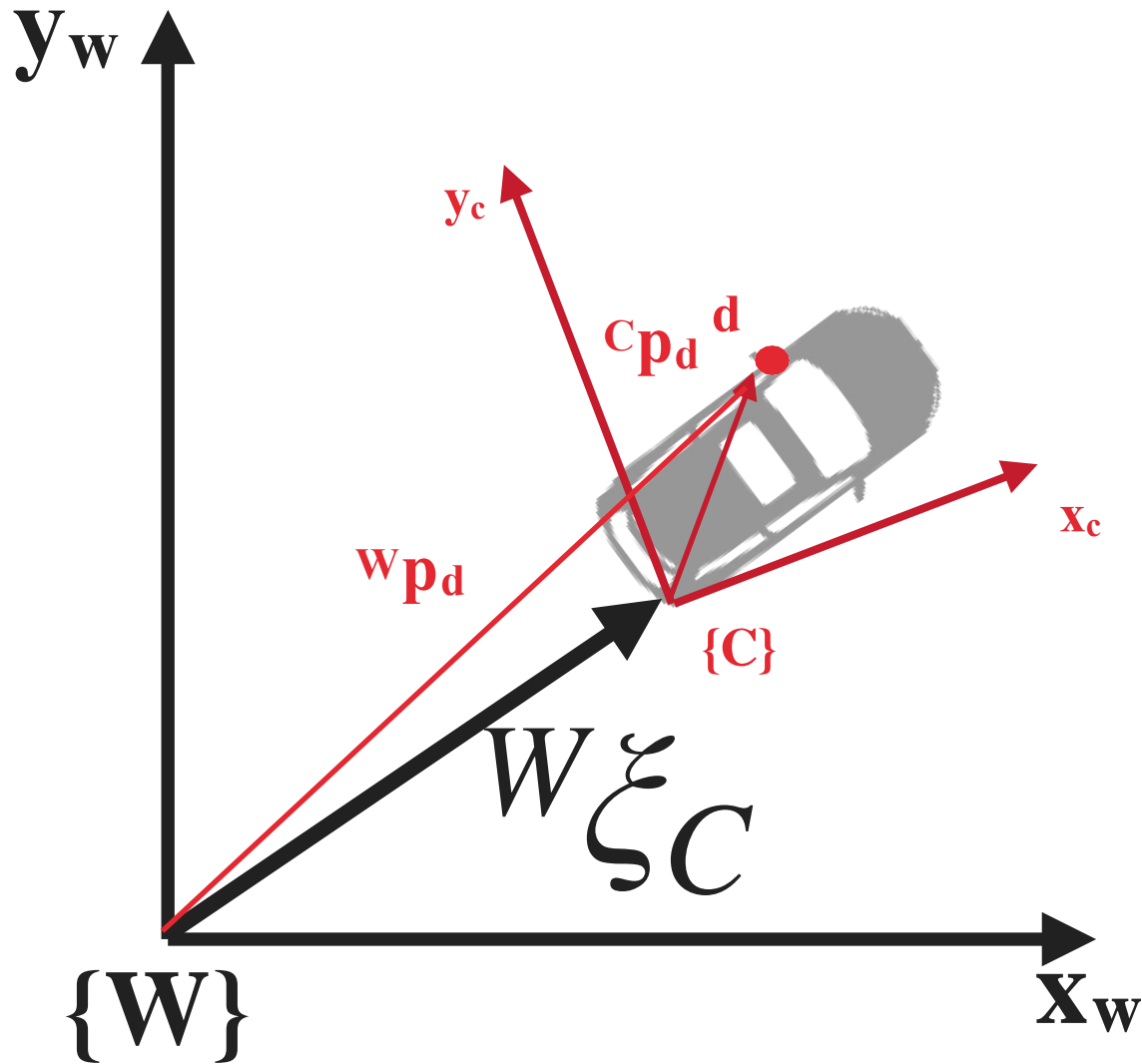
Renaming **frame{A}** as **frame{W}**, world coordinate **frame{B}** to **frame{C}**.



# Relative POSE in 2D space

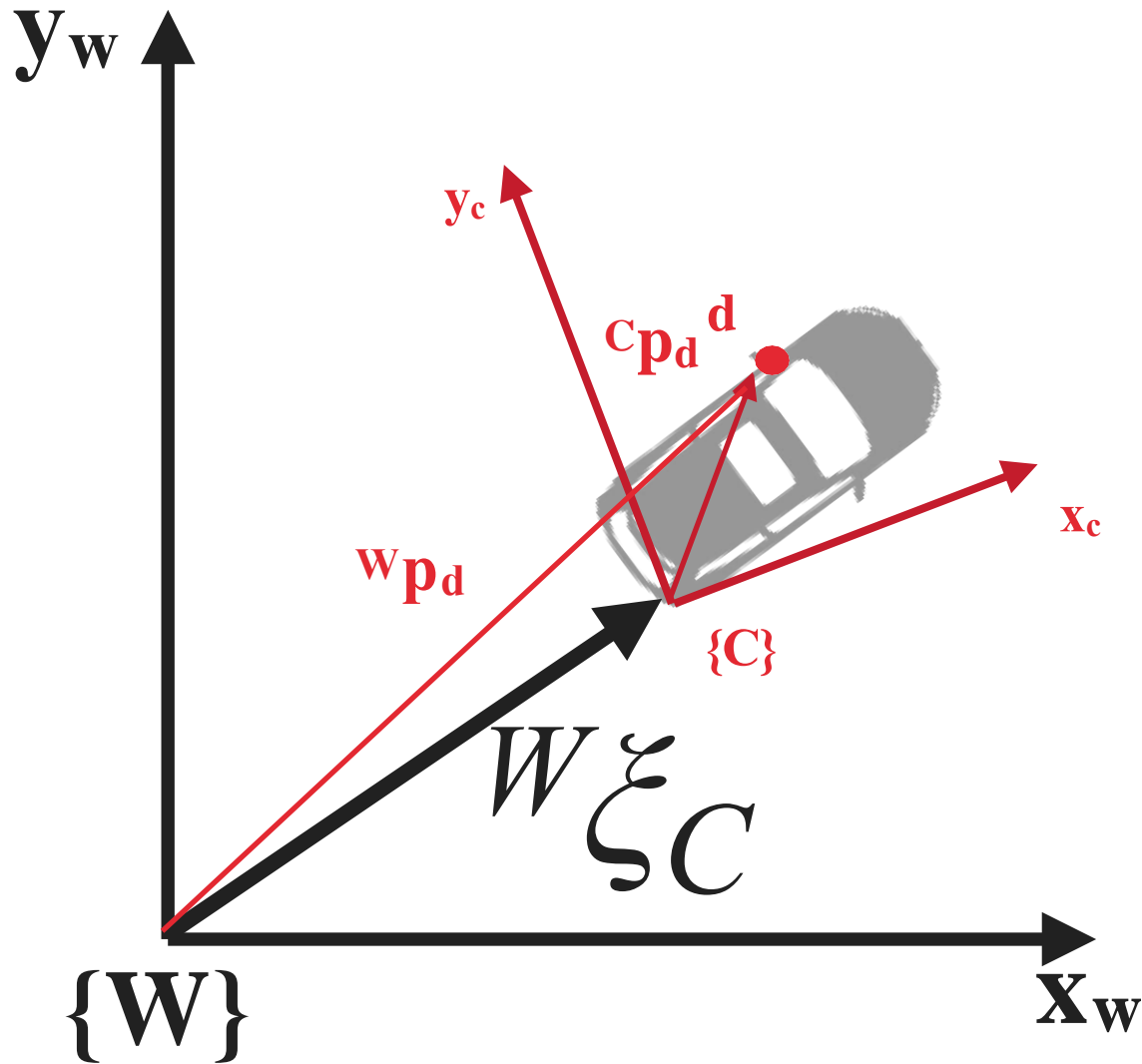


# Relative POSE in 2D space



Can we add a vector and a pose ??

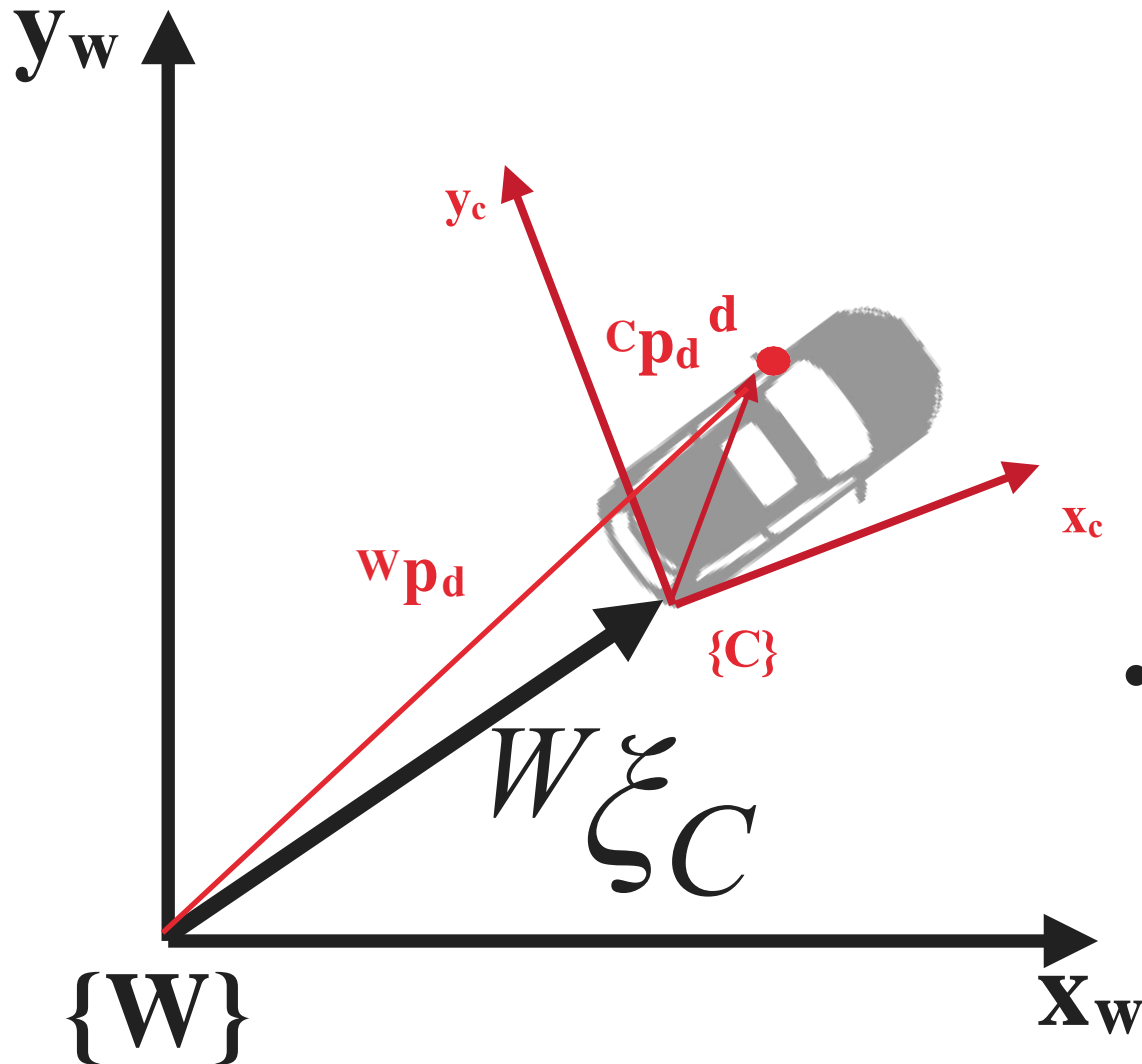
# Relative POSE in 2D space



Can we add a vector and a pose ??

$${}^W p_d = {}^W \xi_C \bullet {}^C p_d$$

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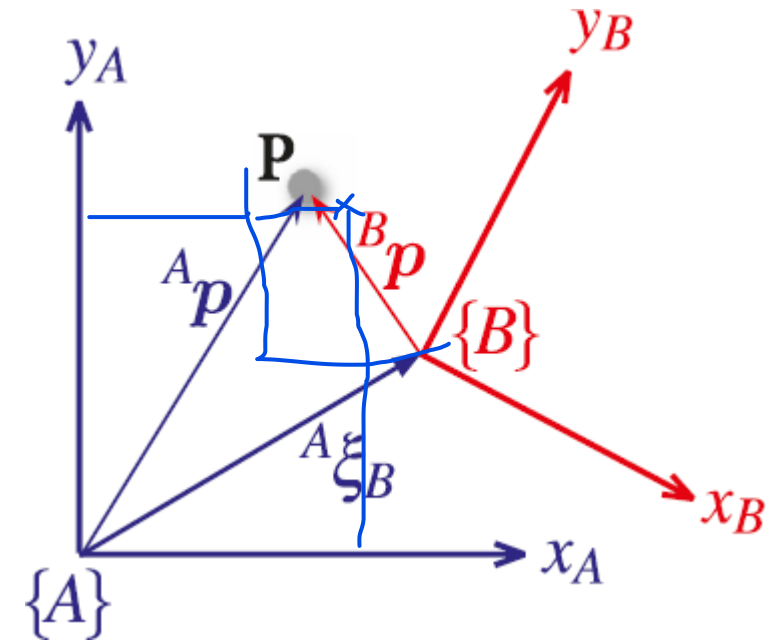
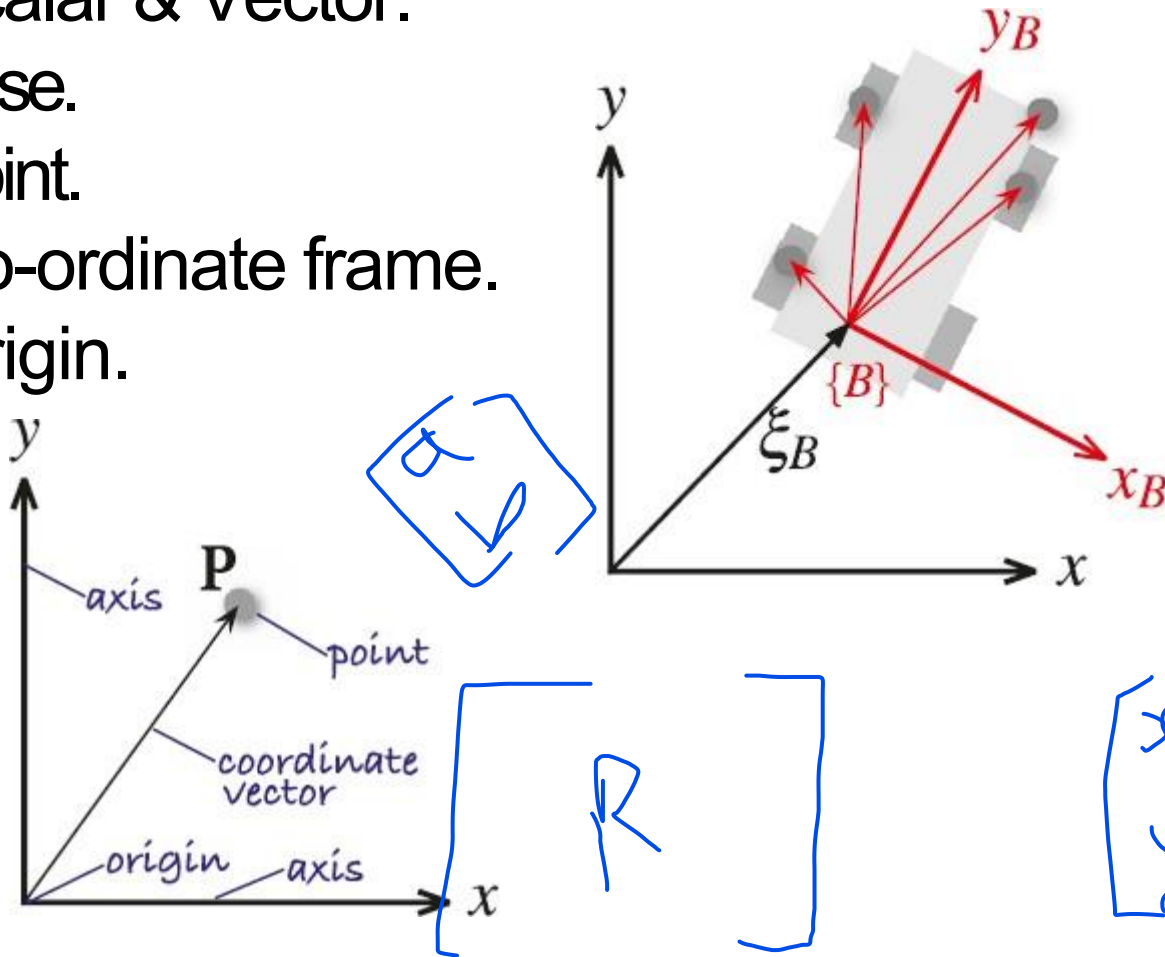
- $\rightarrow$  transforms vector from one frame to another.



# Quick Summary

- ☐ Object.
- ☐ Scalar & Vector.
- ☐ Pose.
- ☐ Point.
- ☐ Co-ordinate frame.
- ☐ Origin.

## Point vs. Object



$${}^A\mathbf{p} = {}^A\xi_B \cdot {}^B\mathbf{p}$$

# Working in Two Dimensions (2D)

A point is represented by its  $x$ - and  $y$ -coordinates  $(x, y)$  or as a bound vector.

- We can use a column vector (a  $2 \times 1$  matrix) to represent a 2D point  $\begin{vmatrix} x \\ y \end{vmatrix}$

- A general form of *linear* transformation can be written as:

$$x' = ax + by + c$$

$$y' = dx + ey + f$$

$$\text{OR} \quad \begin{vmatrix} x' \\ y' \\ 1 \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} a & b & c \\ d & e & f \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{vmatrix} * \begin{vmatrix} x \\ y \\ 1 \end{vmatrix}$$

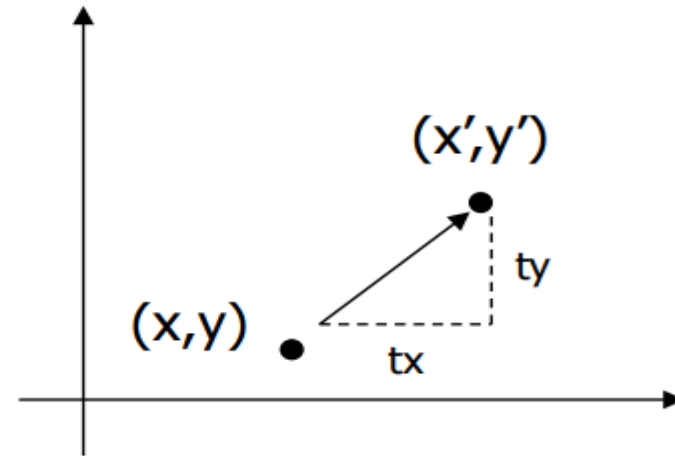
# Translation

- Re-position a point along a straight line
- Given a point  $(x,y)$ , and the translation distance  $(tx,ty)$

The new point:  $(x', y')$

$$x' = x + tx$$

$$y' = y + ty$$



OR  $P' = P + T$  where  $P' = \begin{bmatrix} x' \\ y' \end{bmatrix}$   $p = \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix}$   $T = \begin{bmatrix} tx \\ ty \end{bmatrix}$

# 3 X 3 2D Translation Matrix

$$\begin{bmatrix} x' \\ y' \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} tx \\ ty \end{bmatrix}$$

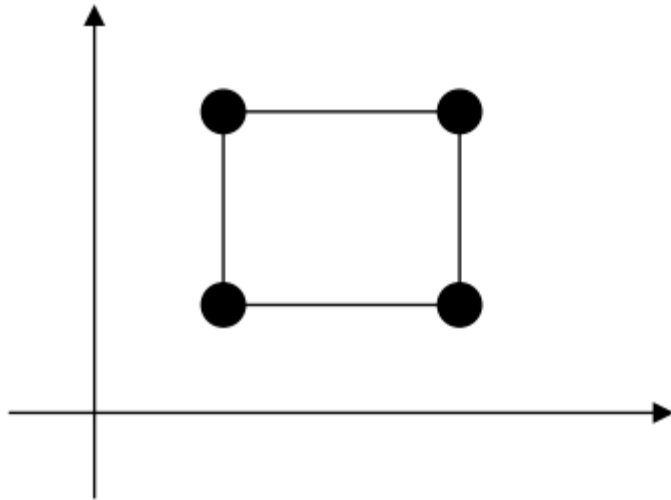


Use 3 x 1 vector

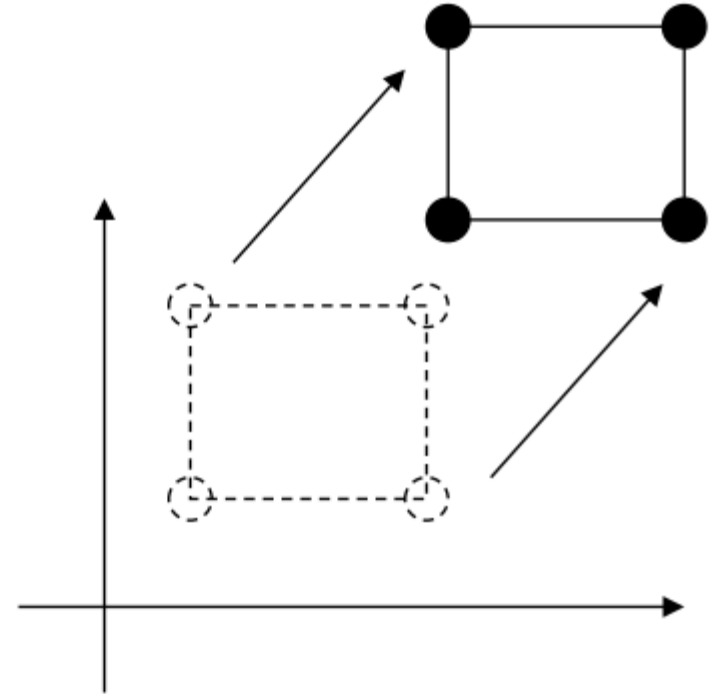
$$\begin{bmatrix} x' \\ y' \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & tx \\ 0 & 1 & ty \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} * \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

- Note that now it becomes a matrix-vector multiplication

- How to translate an object with multiple vertices?

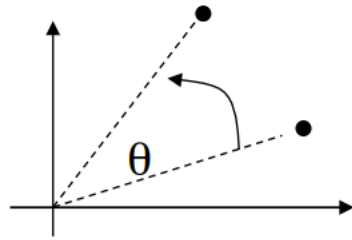


Translate individual  
vertices

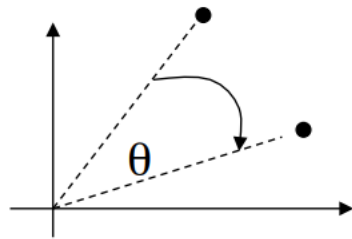


# 2D Rotation

- Default rotation center: Origin (0,0)



$\theta > 0$  : Rotate counter clockwise  
*positive*



$\theta < 0$  : Rotate clockwise  
*negative*

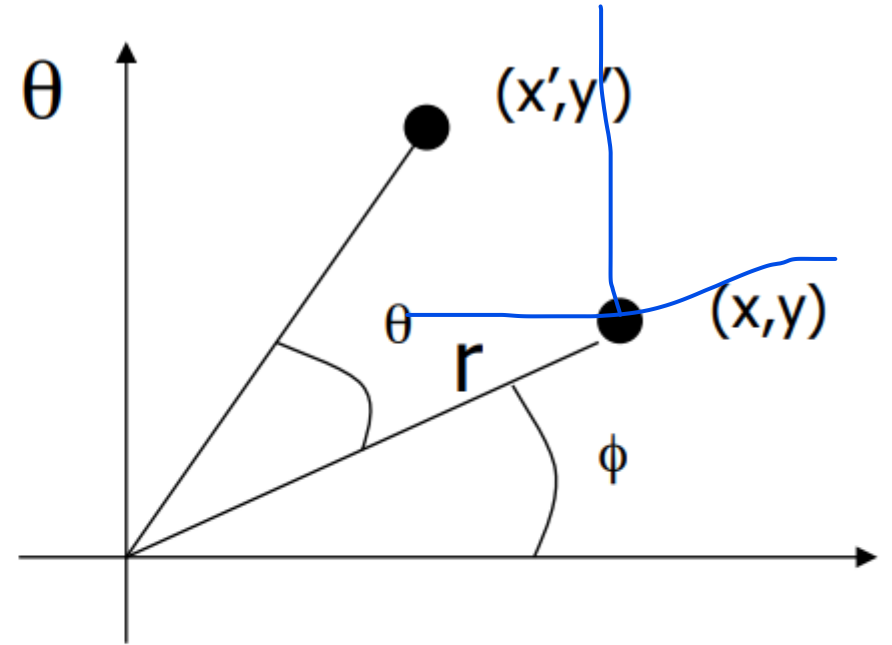
$(x,y)$   $\rightarrow$  Rotate *about the origin* by  $\theta$

$\longrightarrow (x', y')$

How to compute  $(x', y')$  ?

$$x = r \cos(\phi) \quad y = r \sin(\phi)$$

$$x' = r \cos(\phi + \theta) \quad y = r \sin(\phi + \theta)$$



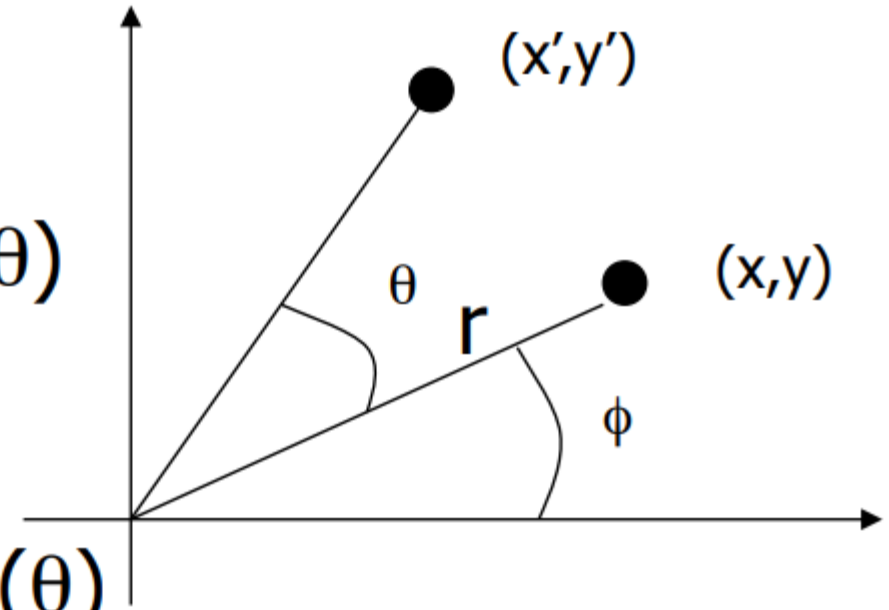
*polar form*

$$x = r \cos(\phi) \quad y = r \sin(\phi)$$

$$x' = r \cos(\phi + \theta) \quad y = r \sin(\phi + \theta)$$

$$\begin{aligned} x' &= r \cos(\phi + \theta) \\ &= r \cos(\phi) \cos(\theta) - r \sin(\phi) \sin(\theta) \\ &= x \cos(\theta) - y \sin(\theta) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} y' &= r \sin(\phi + \theta) \\ &= r \sin(\phi) \cos(\theta) + r \cos(\phi) \sin(\theta) \\ &= y \cos(\theta) + x \sin(\theta) \end{aligned}$$





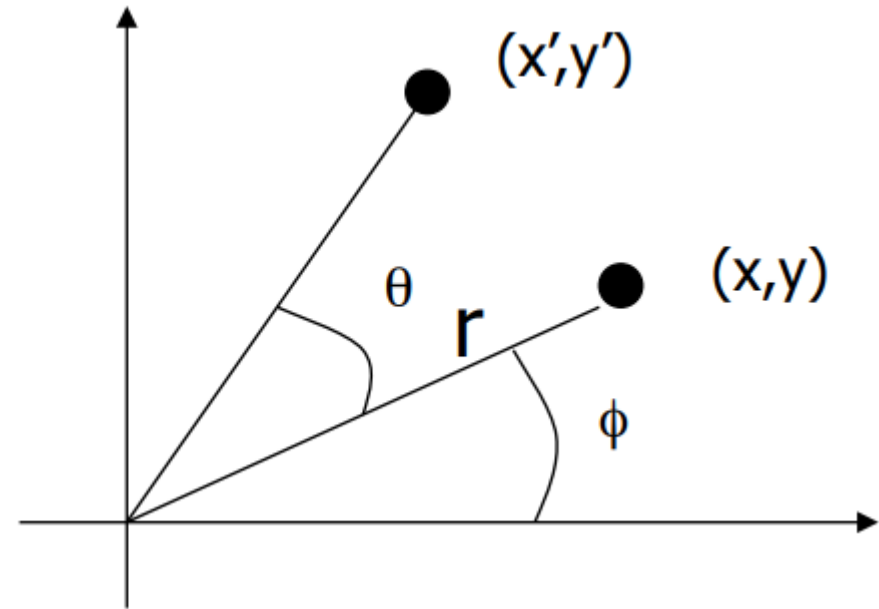
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Matrix form?

$$\begin{vmatrix} x' \\ y' \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} \cos(\theta) & -\sin(\theta) \\ \sin(\theta) & \cos(\theta) \end{vmatrix} \begin{vmatrix} x \\ y \end{vmatrix}$$

3 x 3?

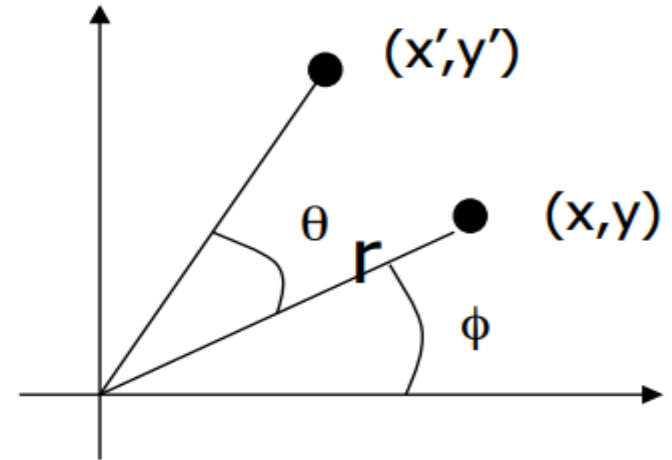


# 3 X 3 2D Rotation matrix

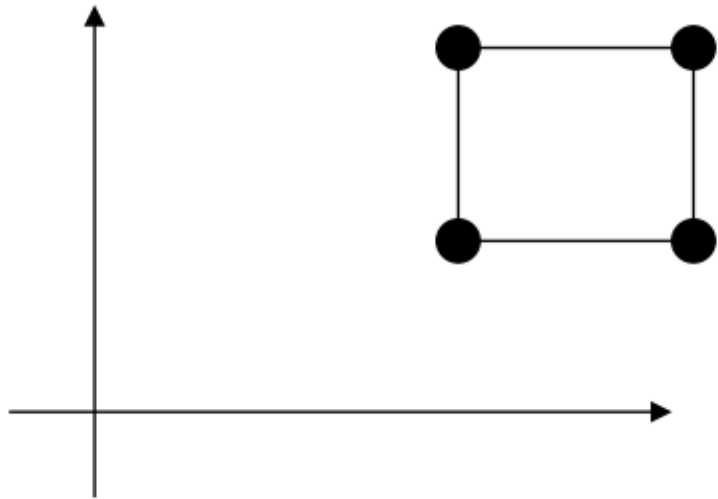
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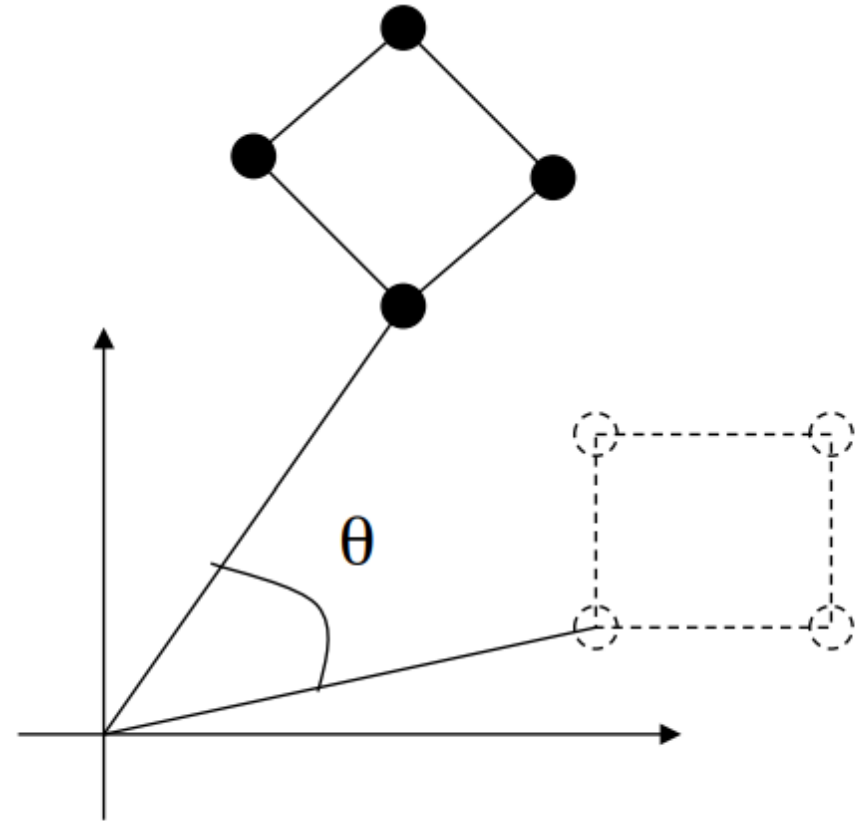
$$\begin{vmatrix} x' \\ y' \\ 1 \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} \cos(\theta) & -\sin(\theta) & 0 \\ \sin(\theta) & \cos(\theta) & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{vmatrix} \begin{vmatrix} x \\ y \\ 1 \end{vmatrix}$$



- How to rotate an object with multiple vertices?



Rotate individual  
Vertices



# 2D- Rotation Example

- A triangle (object) is given with coordinates  $\overset{x}{\underset{P_1}{2}}, \overset{y}{\underset{P_1}{4}}, \overset{x}{\underset{P_2}{8}}, \overset{y}{\underset{P_2}{4}}$  and  $\overset{x}{\underset{P_3}{5}}, \overset{y}{\underset{P_3}{10}}$  rotate the triangle at 90 degrees.

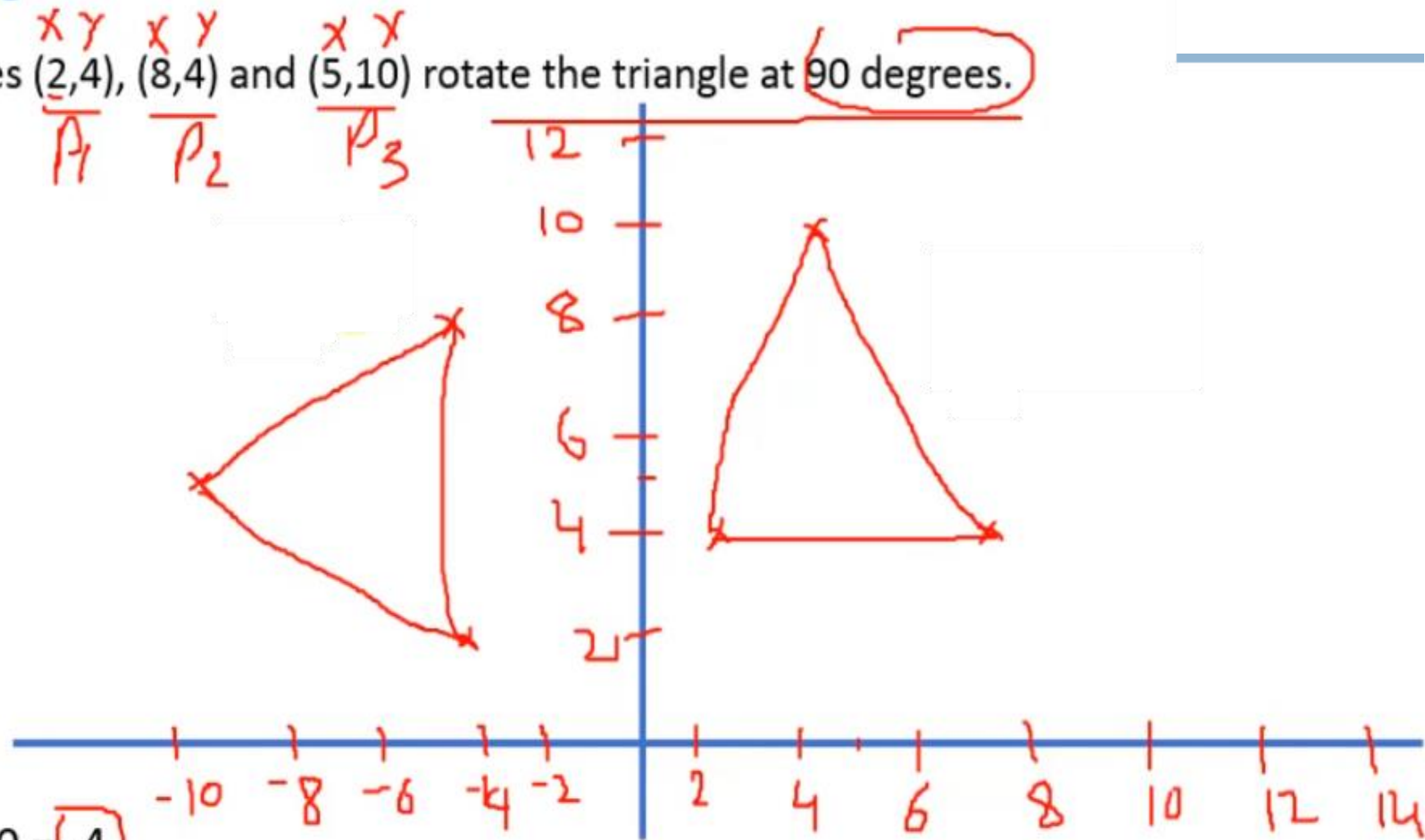
➤ For  $P_1'$

$$\begin{aligned} X' &= X \cos \theta - Y \sin \theta \\ &= 2 \cos 90 - 4 \sin 90 \\ &= 0 - 4(1) \\ &= -4 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} Y' &= Y \cos \theta + X \sin \theta \\ &= 4 \cos 90 + 2 \sin 90 \\ &= 0 + 2(1) \\ &= 2 \end{aligned}$$

➤ For  $P_2'$

$$\begin{aligned} X' &= X \cos \theta - Y \sin \theta = 8 \cos 90 - 4 \sin 90 = -4 \\ Y' &= Y \cos \theta + X \sin \theta = 4 \cos 90 + 8 \sin 90 = 8 \end{aligned}$$



# Matlab




transl2 - > translation function

trot2-> rotation function

$\text{POSE} = \text{transl2} * \text{trot2}$

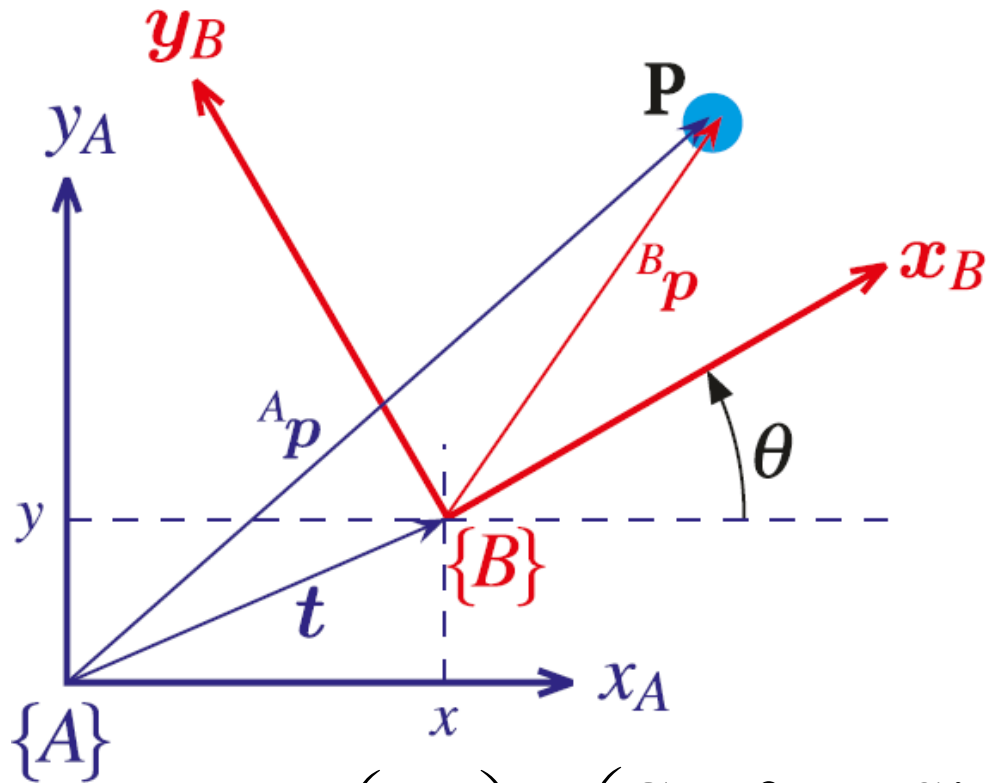
<https://petercorke.github.io/2d/trot2.html>



Q) Rotate a triangle placed at  $A(0,0)$ ,  $B(1,1)$  and  $C(5,2)$  by an angle  $45^\circ$  with respect to point  $P(-1,-1)$ . Plot the points.

Q) Rotate a triangle placed at  $A(0,0)$ ,  $B(1,1)$  and  $C(5,2)$  by an angle  $45^\circ$  with respect to origin. Plot the points.

# Homogenous Matrix



← Consider this figure

$$A_p = {}^A t_B + {}^A R_B \cdot B_p$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} A_x \\ A_y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \cos \theta & -\sin \theta \\ \sin \theta & \cos \theta \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} B_x \\ B_y \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} {}^A x_B \\ {}^A y_B \end{pmatrix}$$

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$$A_p = \begin{pmatrix} {}^A R_B & {}^A t_B \\ 0,0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot B_p$$

# Homogeneous Matrix

Column matrix

$$A_p = A_{t_B} + A_{R_B} \cdot B_p \quad \text{--- ①}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} A_x \\ A_y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} A_{x_B} \\ A_{y_B} \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} \cos \theta & -\sin \theta \\ \sin \theta & \cos \theta \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} B_x \\ B_y \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{--- ②}$$

$$\tilde{A}_p = \begin{bmatrix} A_{R_B} & A_{t_B} \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \tilde{B}_p \quad \text{--- ③}$$

$\downarrow$  Homogeneous vector  $\quad \quad \quad \uparrow$  Homogeneous transform  $\quad \quad \quad \downarrow$  Homogeneous vector



$$\tilde{A}_p = A_{T_B} \cdot \tilde{B}_p \quad \text{--- (4)}$$

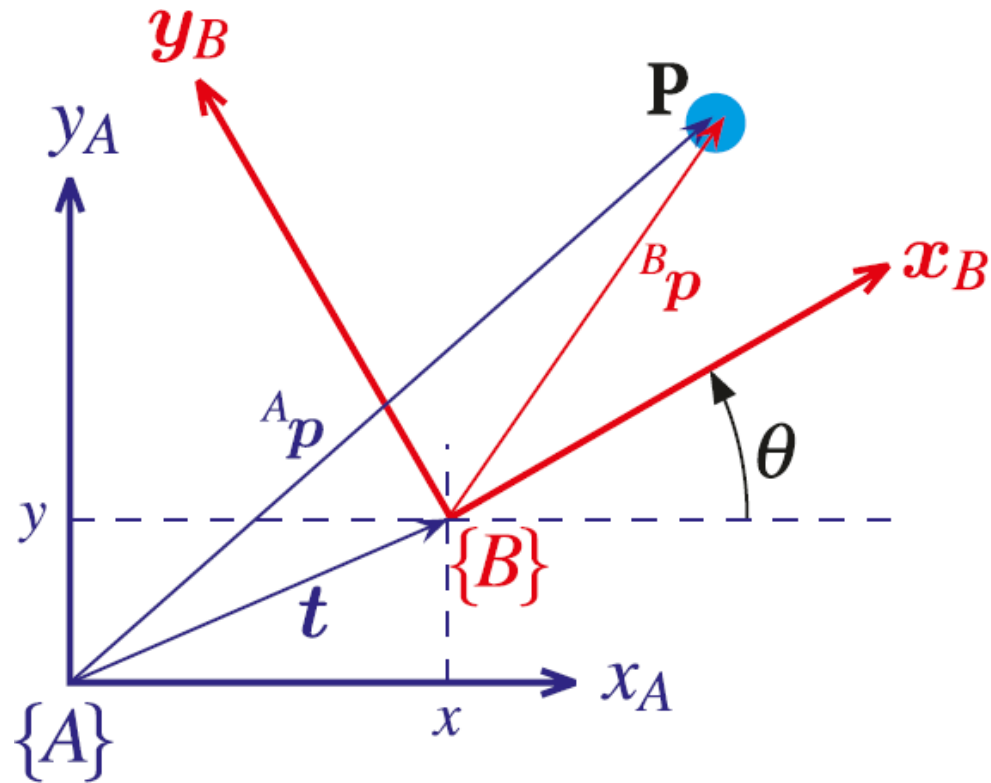
describes relative POSE as 3x3 matrix

$$A_{T_B} = \begin{bmatrix} A R_B & A t_B \\ 0, 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A_{T_B} = A \mathcal{E}_B = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \theta & -\sin \theta & t_x \\ \sin \theta & \cos \theta & t_y \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

mathematical representation of POSE

# Homogenous Matrix



← Consider this figure

Homogenous Transform

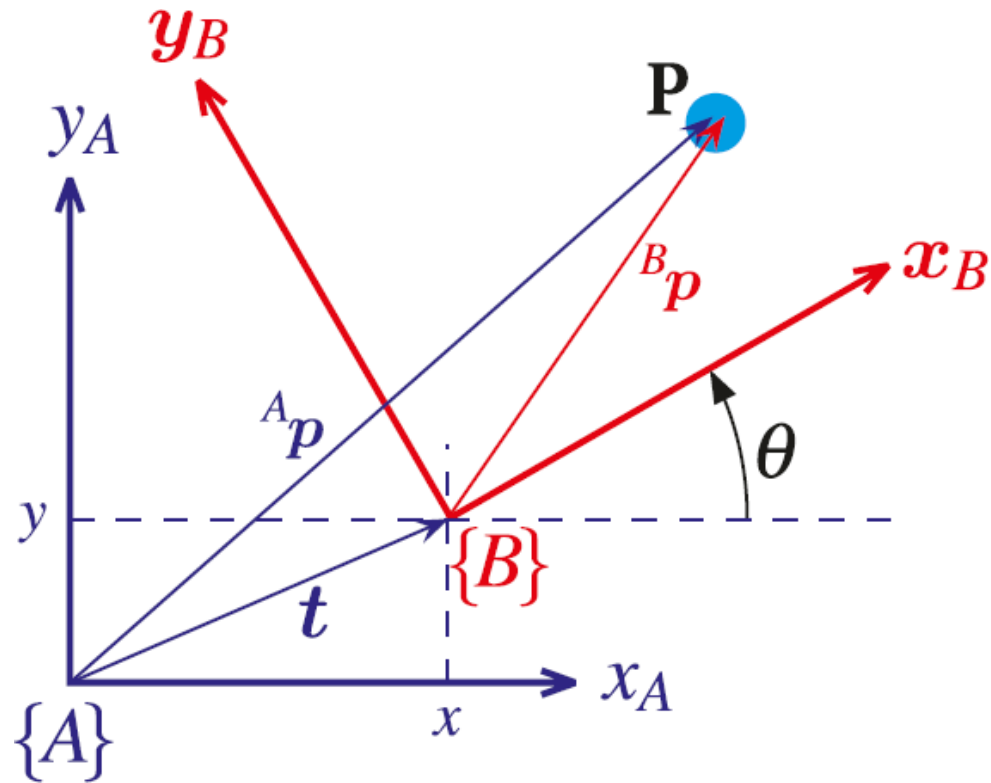
$$A_p = \begin{pmatrix} {}^A R_B & {}^A t_B \\ 0,0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot B_p$$

Homogenous Vectors

$$A_p = {}^A T_B \cdot B_p$$

Describes a relative POSE as  $3 \times 3$  matrix. ←  ${}^A T_B = \begin{pmatrix} {}^A R_B & {}^A t_B \\ 0,0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$

# Homogenous Matrix



← Consider this figure

Homogenous Transform

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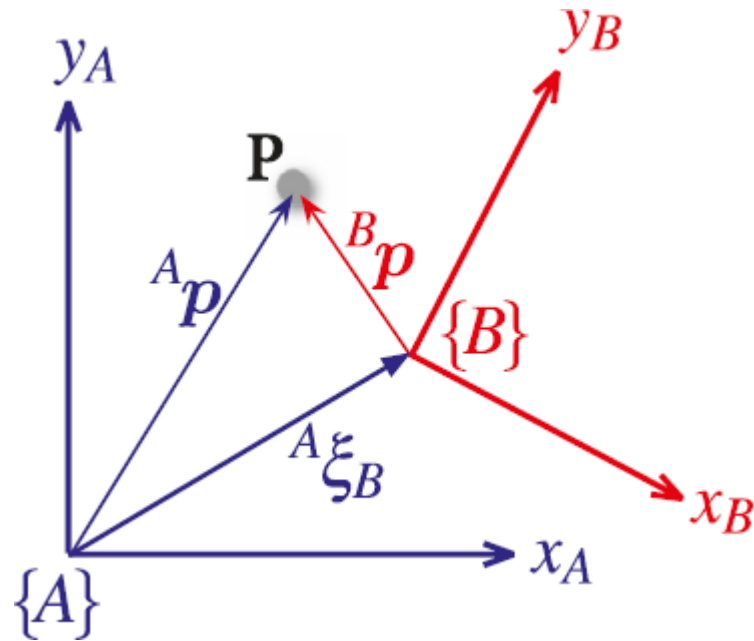
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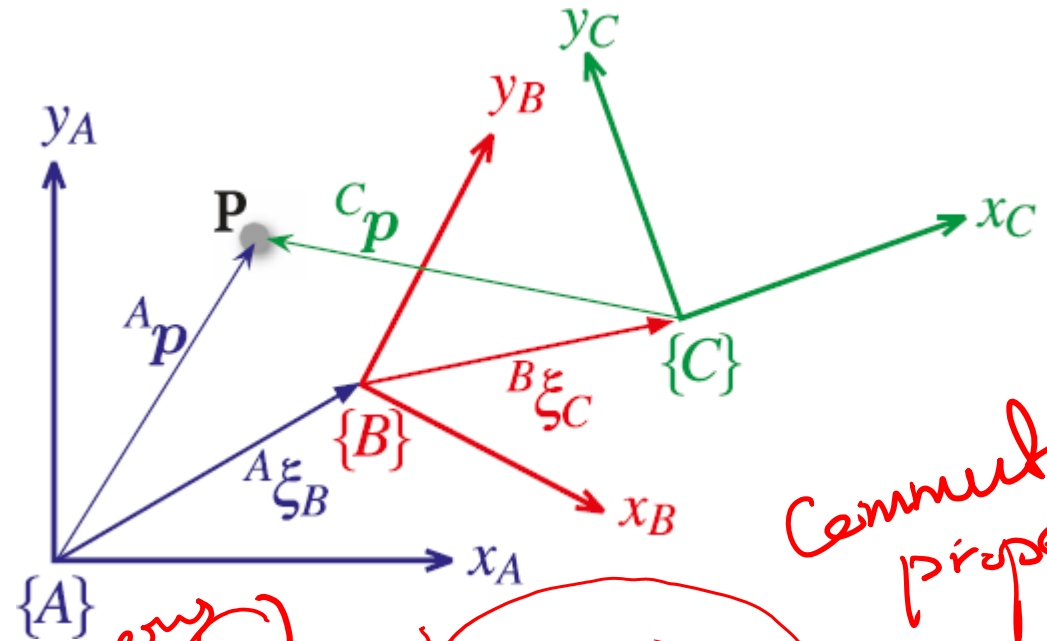
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$${}^A \xi_B = {}^A T_B = \begin{pmatrix} \cos \theta & -\sin \theta & t_x \\ \sin \theta & \cos \theta & t_y \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

# Multiple Frames



$$A_p = {}^A T_B \cdot B_p$$



Homogeneous transform

$${}^A T_C = {}^A T_B \cdot {}^B T_C$$

Cumulative property

$$A=B$$

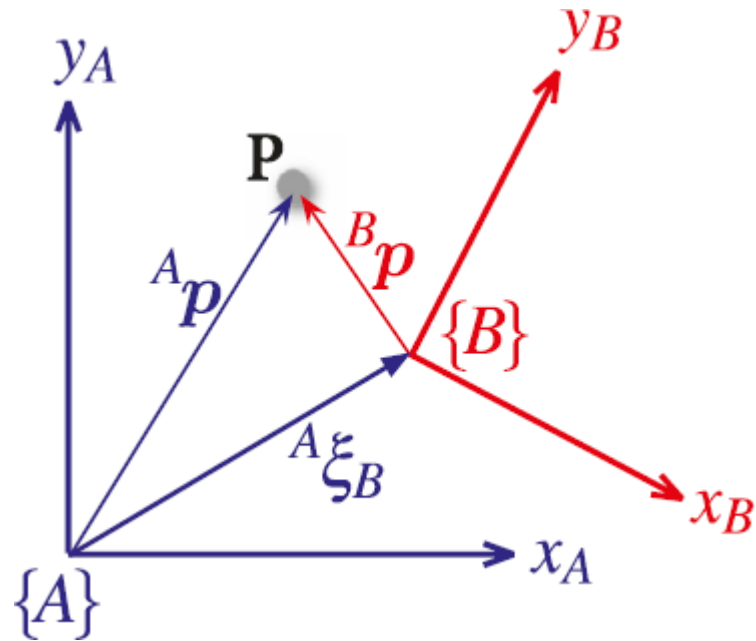
$$B=C$$

then

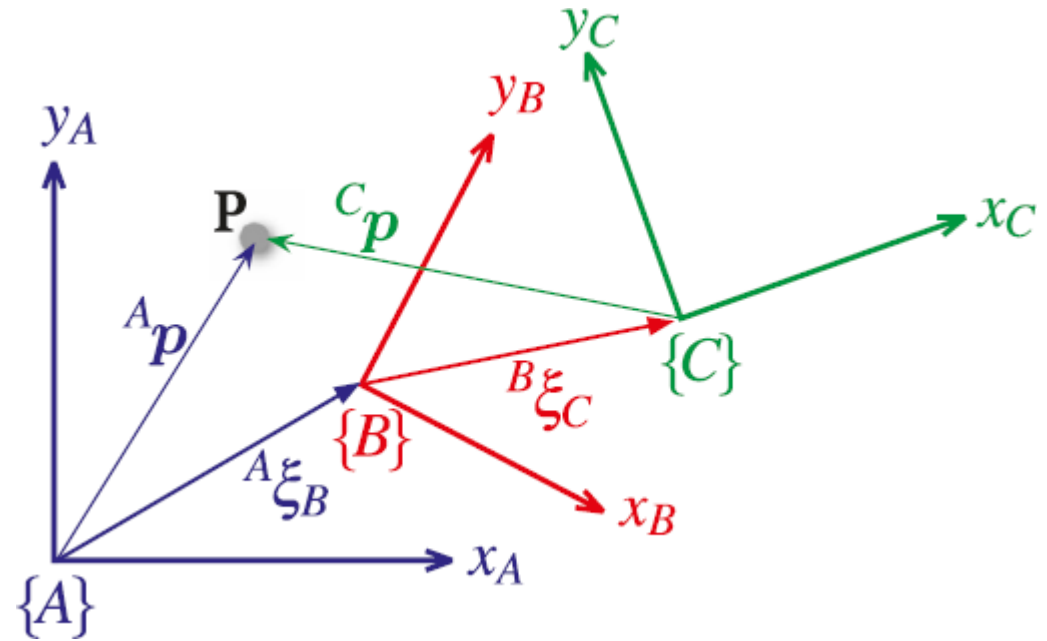
$$A=C$$

$$A_p = {}^A T_B \cdot {}^B T_C \cdot C_p$$

# Multiple Frames



$${}^A\mathbf{p} = {}^A\xi_B \cdot {}^B\mathbf{p}$$



$${}^A\xi_C = {}^A\xi_B \oplus {}^B\xi_C$$

$${}^A\mathbf{p} = \left( {}^A\xi_B \oplus {}^B\xi_C \right) \cdot {}^C\mathbf{p}$$

# Certain things to remember

- 1) A **point** is described by a bound coordinate vector.
- 2) Points and Vectors are two different things: **(a)** we can add vectors, but not points; **(b)** difference of two points  $\rightarrow$  vector.
- 3) A rigid object can be represented by set of points.
- 4) Position + Orientation of object's coordinate frame  $\rightarrow$  **Pose**.
- 5) Relative pose  $\rightarrow \xi$ .
- 6) The  $\bullet$  operator.
- 7) The  $\oplus$  operator.



<https://petercorke.github.io/2d/trot2.html>