

1. There is only one mechanical degrees of freedom
environmental degrees of freedom: x, y, yaw

Because we can force the different side of wheels to make it change direction.

2. x, y, yaw

3. (a) $(\cos 45^\circ, -\sin 45^\circ, 0)^T$ and $(\sin 45^\circ, \cos 45^\circ, 0)^T$

$$\cos \theta = \frac{\left(\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}, -\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}, 0\right) \cdot \left(\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}, \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}, 0\right)}{\sqrt{\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2}} \cdot \sqrt{\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2}}} = 0$$

$$\text{So } \theta = 90^\circ$$

$$(b) (0, 0, 1)$$

$$4. (a) {}^A_B R = \begin{bmatrix} X_B X_A & Y_B X_A & Z_B X_A \\ X_B Y_A & Y_B Y_A & Z_B Y_A \\ X_B Z_A & Y_B Z_A & Z_B Z_A \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(b) X^B = \begin{bmatrix} Y_B X_A \\ Y_B Y_A \\ Y_B Z_A \end{bmatrix} + {}^A p$$

$$(c) {}^B_A R \text{ is the inverse of } {}^A_B R \quad \begin{bmatrix} X_B X_A & Y_B X_A & X_B Z_A \\ Y_B X_A & Y_B Y_A & Y_B Z_A \\ Z_B X_A & Z_B Y_A & Z_B Z_A \end{bmatrix}$$

$$5. \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ \phi \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \cos \phi & -\sin \phi & 0 \\ \sin \phi & \cos \phi & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} w r \\ 0 \\ \frac{w r}{l} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$6. {}^A Q = \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} {}^A_B R & {}^A p \\ \hline 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right] \begin{bmatrix} {}^B_Q \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} \cos(135^\circ) & -\sin(135^\circ) & 0 & 6 \\ \cos 45^\circ & \cos 135^\circ & 0 & 10 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 8 \\ -4 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 6 - 2\sqrt{2} \\ 10 + 6\sqrt{2} \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

cited: some ideas come from my friend Xinyang Yuan