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Problem 1 abcd

```
clear all;
clc

C21 = [[0 0 1];[1 0 0];[0 1 0]]; % Given
myString1 = string(joshIsOnes(C21*C21' == eye(3) & C21'*C21 == eye(3) &
    det(C21) == 1)); % 1a

[a_v,phi] = joshRotM2PrincAxe(C21) % a_v and phi

phi_sym = sym(phi); % cast symbolic for readability
a_v_sym = sym(a_v);

C21_star = joshPrincAxe2RotM(a_v,-phi);
C21_star = round(C21_star,15) % round off any errors near e-mach

myString2 = string(isequal(C21',C21_star)); % C21' == C21_star

C21_pound = joshPrincAxe2RotM(-a_v,-phi);
C21_pound = round(C21_pound,15)

myString3 = string(isequal(C21,C21_pound)); % C21 == C21_pound

disp("My workings for Problem 1 have the following results:")
disp("C21 is a rotation matrix: "+myString1)

disp("axis vector a is: ")
disp("    " + string(a_v_sym))
disp("rotation angle phi is: "+string(phi_sym))

disp("C21 transposed is = to C21*: "+myString2)
disp("C21 is = to C21#: " + myString3)

a_v =

    -0.5774
    -0.5774
    -0.5774

phi =
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2.0944

C21_star =

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

C21_pound =

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

My workings for Problem 1 have the following results:

C21 is a rotation matrix: true

axis vector a is:

" $-3^{(1/2)}/3$ "
" $-3^{(1/2)}/3$ "
" $-3^{(1/2)}/3$ "

rotation angle phi is: $(2*\pi)/3$

C21 transposed is = to C21*: true

C21 is = to C21#: true

Problem 2

```
clear all;
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```
Cx = @(theta)...  
    [[1 0 0];...  
    [0 cos(theta) sin(theta)];...  
    [0 -sin(theta) cos(theta)]];
```

```
Cy = @(theta)...  
    [[cos(theta) 0 -sin(theta)];...  
    [ 0 1 0];...  
    [sin(theta) 0 cos(theta)]];
```

```
Cz = @(theta)...  
    [[cos(theta) sin(theta) 0];...  
    [-sin(theta) cos(theta) 0];...  
    [0 0 1]];
```

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syms t [3 1] % x y and z thetas  
assume(t,'real');
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Cy1 = Cy(t(1)) % generate the individual rotation matrices  
Cz1 = Cz(t(2))  
Cx1 = Cx(t(3))
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C21 = Cx1*Cz1*Cy1;

C21s1 = subs(C21,t(1),pi/2)
C21s2 = subs(C21,t(2),pi/2)
C21s3 = subs(C21,t(3),pi/2)

disp("My workings for Problem 2 have the following results:")
disp("C21 for a 2-3-1 rotation is given by: ")
disp("    "+string(C21))
disp("by analysis of the matrices resulting from substituting pi/2 for theta-
x, theta-y, theta-z respectively, only theta-z = pi/2 is indeterminant")

Cy1 =

[cos(t1), 0, -sin(t1)]
[      0, 1,      0]
[sin(t1), 0,  cos(t1)]

Cz1 =

[ cos(t2), sin(t2), 0]
[-sin(t2), cos(t2), 0]
[      0,      0, 1]

Cx1 =

[1,      0,      0]
[0,  cos(t3), sin(t3)]
[0, -sin(t3), cos(t3)]

C21s1 =

[      0,      sin(t2),      -cos(t2)]
[sin(t3),  cos(t2)*cos(t3),  cos(t3)*sin(t2)]
[cos(t3), -cos(t2)*sin(t3), -sin(t2)*sin(t3)]

C21s2 =

[      0, 1,      0]
[sin(t1)*sin(t3) - cos(t1)*cos(t3), 0, cos(t1)*sin(t3) + cos(t3)*sin(t1)]
[cos(t1)*sin(t3) + cos(t3)*sin(t1), 0, cos(t1)*cos(t3) - sin(t1)*sin(t3)]

C21s3 =

[cos(t1)*cos(t2),  sin(t2), -cos(t2)*sin(t1)]
[      sin(t1),      0,      cos(t1)]
[cos(t1)*sin(t2), -cos(t2), -sin(t1)*sin(t2)]

```

My workings for Problem 2 have the following results:

C21 for a 2-3-1 rotation is given by:

```
" cos(t1)*cos(t2)" " sin(t2)" " -cos(t2)*sin(t1)"
" sin(t1)*sin(t3)..." " cos(t2)*cos(t3)" " cos(t1)*sin(t3)..."
" cos(t3)*sin(t1)..." " -cos(t2)*sin(t3)" " cos(t1)*cos(t3)..."
```

by analysis of the matrices resulting from substituting $\pi/2$ for theta-x,
theta-y, theta-z respectively, only theta-z = $\pi/2$ is indeterminate

Problem 3 part 1 b

```
clear all;

syms a [3 1]
assume(a,'real') % is vector of real numbers
assumeAlso(sqrt(sum(a.^2))==1) % is unit vector
% assumptions(a)
ax = joshCross(a)
LHS = ax*ax*ax
RHS = -ax
myString = string(joshIsOnes(isAlways(RHS == LHS))); % returns a matrix of
logical and checks each individual LHS value is always the corresponding
value on RHS

disp("My workings for Problem 3 part 1 b have the following results:")
disp("axaxax is = to -ax: "+myString)

ax =

[ 0, -a3, a2]
[ a3, 0, -a1]
[-a2, a1, 0]

LHS =

[ 0, a3*a1^2 + a3*(a2^2 + a3^2), -a2*a1^2 -
a2*(a2^2 + a3^2)]
[-a3*a2^2 - a3*(a1^2 + a3^2), 0, a1*a2^2 +
a1*(a1^2 + a3^2)]
[ a2*a3^2 + a2*(a1^2 + a2^2), -a1*a3^2 - a1*(a1^2 + a2^2),
0]

RHS =

[ 0, a3, -a2]
[-a3, 0, a1]
[ a2, -a1, 0]
```

My workings for Problem 3 part 1 b have the following results:

```
axaxax is = to -ax: true
```

Problem 3 part 2

```
clear all;
```

```
Cx = @(theta)...  
    [[1 0 0];...  
    [0 cosd(theta) sind(theta)];...  
    [0 -sind(theta) cosd(theta)]];
```

```
syms A B
```

```
LHS = Cx(A+B)  
RHS = Cx(A)*Cx(B)  
myString = string(joshIsOnes(isAlways(RHS == LHS)));  
disp("My workings for Problem 3 part 2 have the following results:")  
disp("Cx(A+B) is = to Cx(A)+Cx(B): "+myString)
```

LHS =

```
[1, 0, 0]  
[0, cos((pi*(A + B))/180), sin((pi*(A + B))/180)]  
[0, -sin((pi*(A + B))/180), cos((pi*(A + B))/180)]
```

RHS =

```
[1, 0, 0]  
[0, cos((pi*A)/180)*cos((pi*B)/180) - sin((pi*A)/180)*sin((pi*B)/180),  
  cos((pi*A)/180)*sin((pi*B)/180) + cos((pi*B)/180)*sin((pi*A)/180)]  
[0, -cos((pi*A)/180)*sin((pi*B)/180) - cos((pi*B)/180)*sin((pi*A)/180),  
  cos((pi*A)/180)*cos((pi*B)/180) - sin((pi*A)/180)*sin((pi*B)/180)]
```

My workings for Problem 3 part 2 have the following results:

Cx(A+B) is = to Cx(A)+Cx(B): true

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```
function [a_v,phi] = joshRotM2PrincAxe(C)
arguments
    C (:,:) {mustBeReal, mustBeNumeric}
end

[m,n] = size(C);

if m ~= n % matrix must be square
    throw(MException("joshRotM2PrincAxe:invalidInput","Dimensions of C21 must
        match."))
end
clear m

if ~(round(C*C',14) == eye(n) & round(C'*C,14) == eye(n) & round(det(C),14) ==
    1) % checks that M is a rotation matrix, round so that an error near e-mach
    will not cause a failure
    throw(MException("joshPrincAxe:invalidInput","Matrix is not a rotation
        matrix."))
end
    phi = acos((trace(C)-1)/2); % calculates phi in terms of C
    if abs(phi - pi)<1e-14 % checks if there is a non unique solution
        warning("answer may not be unique")
    end
    a_v(1) = (C(2,3)-C(3,2))/(2*sin(phi)); % formula for components of a in
    terms of phi and C
    a_v(2) = (C(3,1)-C(1,3))/(2*sin(phi));
    a_v(3) = (C(1,2)-C(2,1))/(2*sin(phi));
    a_v = a_v';
end
```

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```
function [isOnes] = joshIsOnes(M)
[m,n] = size(M);
isOnes = true;
for i = 1:m
    for j = 1:n
        if M(i,j) ~= 1
            isOnes = false;
        end
    end
end
end
end
```

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```
function mx = joshCross(m)
arguments
    m (3,1)
end
if isa(m,"double")
    mx = zeros(3);
elseif isa(m,"sym")
    syms mx [3 3]
else
    throw(MException("joshCross:invalidInput","m must be type sym or double"))
end
    for i = 1:3
        mx(i,i) = 0;
    end
    mx(1,2) = -m(3);
    mx(1,3) =  m(2);
    mx(2,3) = -m(1);

    mx(2,1) =  m(3);
    mx(3,1) = -m(2);
    mx(3,2) =  m(1);
end
```

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```
function [C] = joshPrincAxe2RotM(a,phi)
arguments
    a (1,3) {mustBeReal, mustBeNumeric}
    phi (1,1) {mustBeReal, mustBeNumeric}
end
if abs(norm(a) - 1) > 1e-14 % checks if a is a unit vector, rounds so that an
    error near e-mach will not cause a failure
    throw(MException("joshPrincAxe2RotM:invalidInput","a is not a unit
        vector"))
end
[n,m] = size(a);
if (n == 3 & m == 1) | (n == 1 & m == 3) % a must be a 1x3 or 3x1
    if m == 3
        a = a'; % if a is a horizontal vector it will be transposed to
            vertical
    end
else % a must have 3 components
    throw(MException("joshPrincAxe2RotM:invalidInput","a is not a 1x3 or
        3x1"))
end

ax = joshCross(a); % a-"cross", returns a symbolic type
ax = double(ax); % ax cast to double from symbolic

x=ax(1); % short hands for readability
y=ax(2);
z=ax(3);
c=cos(phi);
s=sin(phi);
Cs = 1-c; % shortHand usually called C

C = c*eye(3)+Cs*(a*a')-s*ax; % calculates C in terms of ax and phi

end
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HW 2

Problem 3 1a)

Show $\vec{a} \times [\vec{a} \times (\vec{a} \times \vec{b})] \stackrel{|\vec{a}|=1}{=} -\vec{a} \times \vec{b}$

$$\begin{aligned} \vec{a} \cdot \vec{a} &= |\vec{a}|^2 \\ \text{distributive} &\left\{ \begin{aligned} &= \vec{a} \times [(\vec{b} \cdot \vec{a})\vec{a} - (\vec{a} \cdot \vec{a})\vec{b}] \\ &= \vec{a} \times [(\vec{b} \cdot \vec{a})\vec{a} - \vec{b}] \\ &= \vec{a} \times [(\vec{b} \cdot \vec{a})\vec{a}] + (\vec{a} \times \vec{b}) = -\vec{a} \times \vec{b} \end{aligned} \right. \end{aligned}$$

Let $s = \vec{b} \cdot \vec{a} \in \mathbb{R}$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{a} \times (s\vec{a}) + (\vec{a} \times \vec{b}) = -\vec{a} \times \vec{b}$$

let $\theta =$ the angle between \vec{a} & $s\vec{a}$

$$\Rightarrow \theta = 0, \Rightarrow |\vec{a} \times (s\vec{a})| = |\vec{a}| |s\vec{a}| \sin \theta = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{0} + (\vec{a} \times \vec{b}) = (\vec{a} \times \vec{b}) \Rightarrow \vec{a} \times \vec{b} = -\vec{a} \times \vec{b}$$

$$c = -1, \text{ use } \vec{a} \times c\vec{b} = c\vec{a} \times \vec{b} = c(\vec{a} \times \vec{b})$$

$$\boxed{-\vec{a} \times \vec{b} = -\vec{a} \times \vec{b}}$$