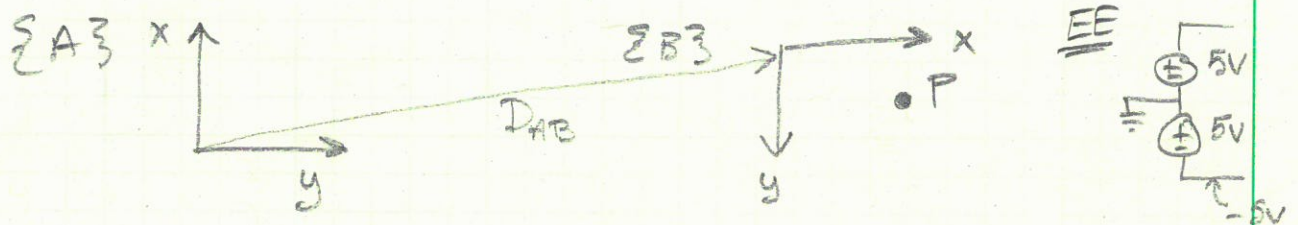


- Talk about robotics and why serial manipulators are important
- Serial - Kinematic chain or a series (one after the other) of links.
- parallel - usually used in manufacturing or amusement park rides.

Coordinate Frames

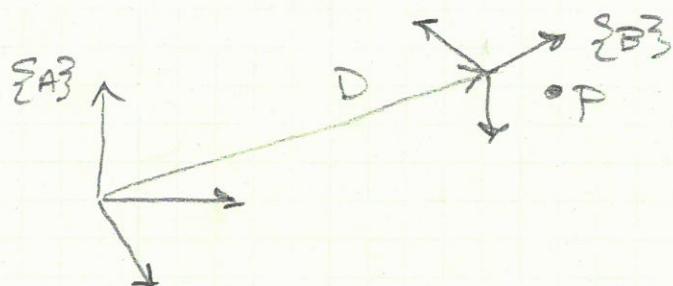
- we are going to talk about coordinate frames.
- let's start simple and do 2D frames.



- we generally want to know a couple things
 - where are we located relative to a frame
 - point $P^B = [x, y]$
 - the orientation between our current frame and another frame
 - use a rotation matrix R_B^A to convert between frames

$$\begin{matrix} \uparrow \\ 2 \times 2 \end{matrix} \begin{bmatrix} \cos\theta & -\sin\theta \\ \sin\theta & \cos\theta \end{bmatrix} = R$$
- Questions:
 - is there a difference between x -axis^A and x -axis^B? if so, what?
 - Converting between frames is like converting Euros to US dollars
- where are we located relative to another frame
 - $P^A = D_{AB} + R_B^A P^B$
 - \uparrow distance between frames

- Now this idea of position and orientation with respect to a frame is called a pose
- Of course we can also expand this to 3D



$$P^A = D + R_B^A P^B$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix}$$

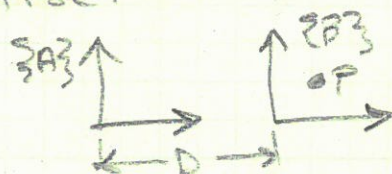
3x3, more complex
We will talk about
Euler angles
later

- Properties of R

- Composed only of sin and cos terms
- magnitude of rows and columns is 1
- the inverse of R is equal R^T
- nice, no math!

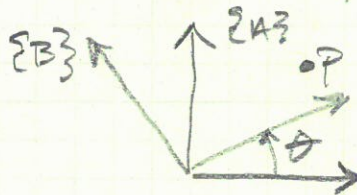
Conceptual Review:

- $\{A2\}$ and $\{B2\}$, no rotation between them but offset:



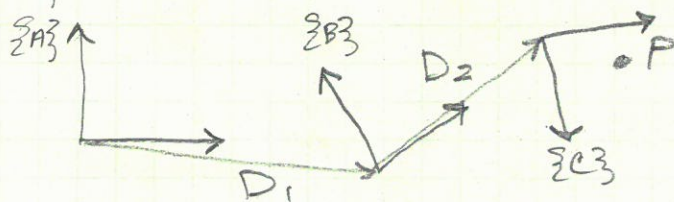
$$P^A = D + R_B^A P^B$$

- No offset, but a rotation



$$P^A = R P^B$$

- You can also add frames:



← this could be a serial robot with 3 links

$$P^A = D_1 + R_B^A P^B$$

$$= D_1 + R_B^A [D_2 + R_C^B P^C]$$

- Serial manipulator - this is what our robot arm is. Think Serial like Serial data: one wire
- Need to understand (remember) simple vector/matrix ops
 - add
 - multiply
 - divide or inverse
 - transpose

- Process :

- Start with a simplified version



* art skills are not important

- Euler angles not really used here
- Example of what is called a rotation matrix
- Rotation Matrix

$$R_{\text{From}}^{\text{To}} = [3 \times 3]$$

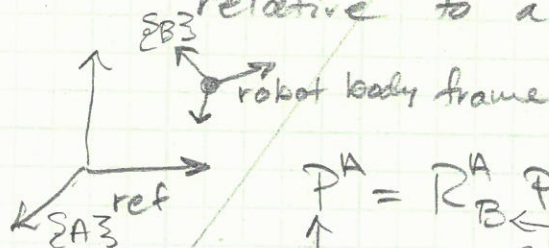
$$R_A^B = (R_B^A)^{-1} = (R_B^A)^T$$

look Ma! no inversion

- Position + Orientation

* properties of orthonormal

pose : common robotics term for the combined position/orientation of something (robot) relative to a reference frame.



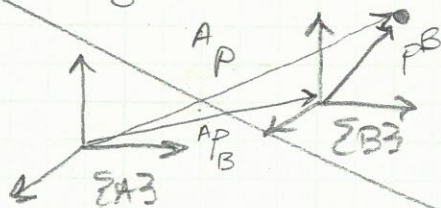
$\{X\}$ = reference frame name, here it is X

$$P^A = R_B^A P^B \leftarrow \begin{array}{l} \text{in ref } \{B\} \\ \text{transition from } \{B\} \text{ to } \{A\} \\ \text{values in } \{A\} \end{array}$$

P^A = vector measured in ref $\{A\}$

P^W = vector measured in ref $\{W\}$

Adding 2 Frames together



$P_B^A \equiv \{B\}$ location in $\{A\}$, this is called a translation

Now what we want is P^A , where is the dot in $\{A\}$.

$$P^A = A_P + R_B^A P_B$$

translation

rotation, to align $\{B\}$ with $\{A\}$

* you can not add A_P and P_B together, they are defined in different frames

- To be more compact, we will use a homogeneous matrix

$$T_B^A = \begin{bmatrix} R_B^A & P_B^A \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \leftarrow 4 \times 4$$

$R_B^A \equiv 3 \times 3$ matrix

$P_B^A \equiv 3 \times 1$ vector

\uparrow bottom row is always $[0 \ 0 \ 0 \ 1]$

This will mean something when we get to vision

$$P^A = T_B^A P^B$$

- you can also these together:

$$T_C^A = T_B^A * T_C^B$$

think

$$\Rightarrow T_B^A * T_C^B = T_C^A$$

\leftarrow they cancel

$\{B\} \Rightarrow \{A\}$

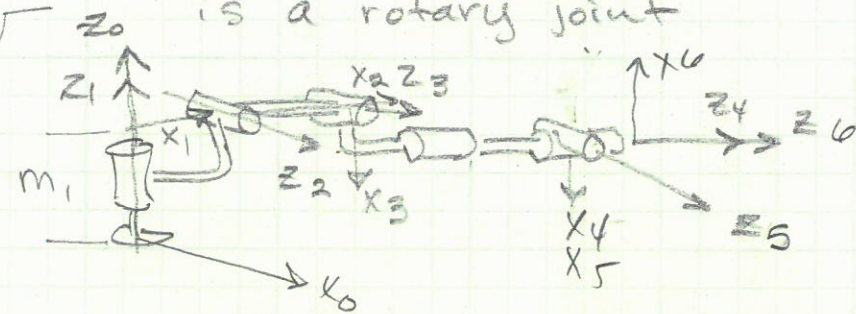
$\{C\} \Rightarrow \{B\}$

- DH

- I suggest you read and follow the examples

- DH Process (my summary)

- ① Put Z-axis through axis of rotation
- ② Put X-axis along the common perpendicular between the Z-axes
- ③ Starting @ 0, assign each frame a number.
 - $\{0\}$ is the base reference frame which generally doesn't move
 - $\{1\}$ is often co-aligned w/ $\{0\}$ if it is a rotary joint



$X_4 \equiv Z_4 \perp Z_5$, X_4 @ intersection

$X_5 \equiv Z_5 \perp Z_6$, X_5 @ intersection

$X_6 \equiv$ anywhere $\perp Z_6$, put @ end effector location

$X_6 \equiv Z_6$ is the last coordinate frame,
pick a \perp to Z_6 that is useful

	a_{i-1}	twist α_{i-1}	d_i	θ_i
1	0	0	m_1	θ_1
2	m_2	90	0	θ_2
3	m_3	0	0	θ_3
4	m_4	-90	0	θ_4
5	0	90	0	θ_5
6	0	-90	m_6	θ_6

* I replaced d's w/ m's because it is confusing otherwise

move to end