

Robotics and Computer vision (RoVi)

Robotics - introduction information

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M.Sc – Mechatronics,

Ph.D – Robotics (robot control in contact with the environment)

Research filed:

- Robot control, learning, human robot interaction, industrial robotics,
- Part design and optimization,
- Robot grasping



Course information

→ Robotics and Computer vision:

- Lectures (theoretical approach) check lectures plan,
- examples,
- exercises,
- 1 hand-in.

→ Tools:

- python robotic toolbox, Mujoco, LaTeX, MATLAB.
- Programming languages:
 - Python, MATLAB scripting.

→ Literature:

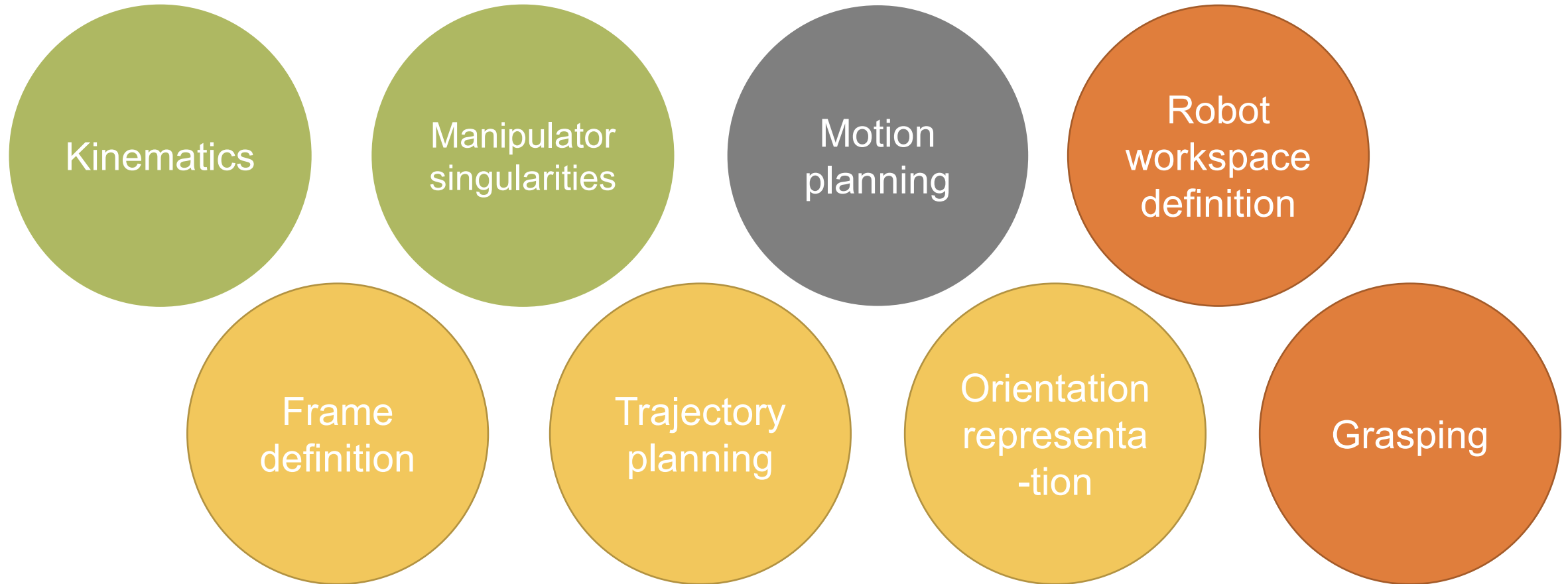
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Prerequisites

- Kinematics,
- frame structures,
- spaces
- definitions of poses in 3D space,
- state vectors,
- rotation matrix,
- rotation around coordinate axis,
- RPY angles,
- homogeneous coordinates transforms,
- forward kinematics, D-H method, transformation frames,
- compute the state of the manipulator.

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Topics in robotics we will cover in the course



Course topics – robotics (subject to change)

Lectures	Topic
Robotics 1	Introduction to robotics, Recap of Kinematics, Recap of frames and orientation definitions, rotation representation in quaternion space
Robotics 2	Equivalent angle-axis, Singularities and joint limits, Definition of the robots workspace
Robotics 3	Inverse kinematics problem, analytical and numerical solution, Derivation of the Jacobian
Robotics 4	Introduction to Linear Interpolation Methods, Point to point movement, Parabolic blends
Robotics 5	Cubic polynomial interpolation for trajectory planning
Robotics 6	Introduction to robot motion planning, Path planning with probabilistic roadmaps
Robotics 7	Kinodynamic motion planning, Path optimization, Task constrained motion planning
Robotics 8	Learning by Demonstration and Digital twins
Robotics 9	Grasping
Robotics 10	Robot grasping and collaborative robots

Questions?