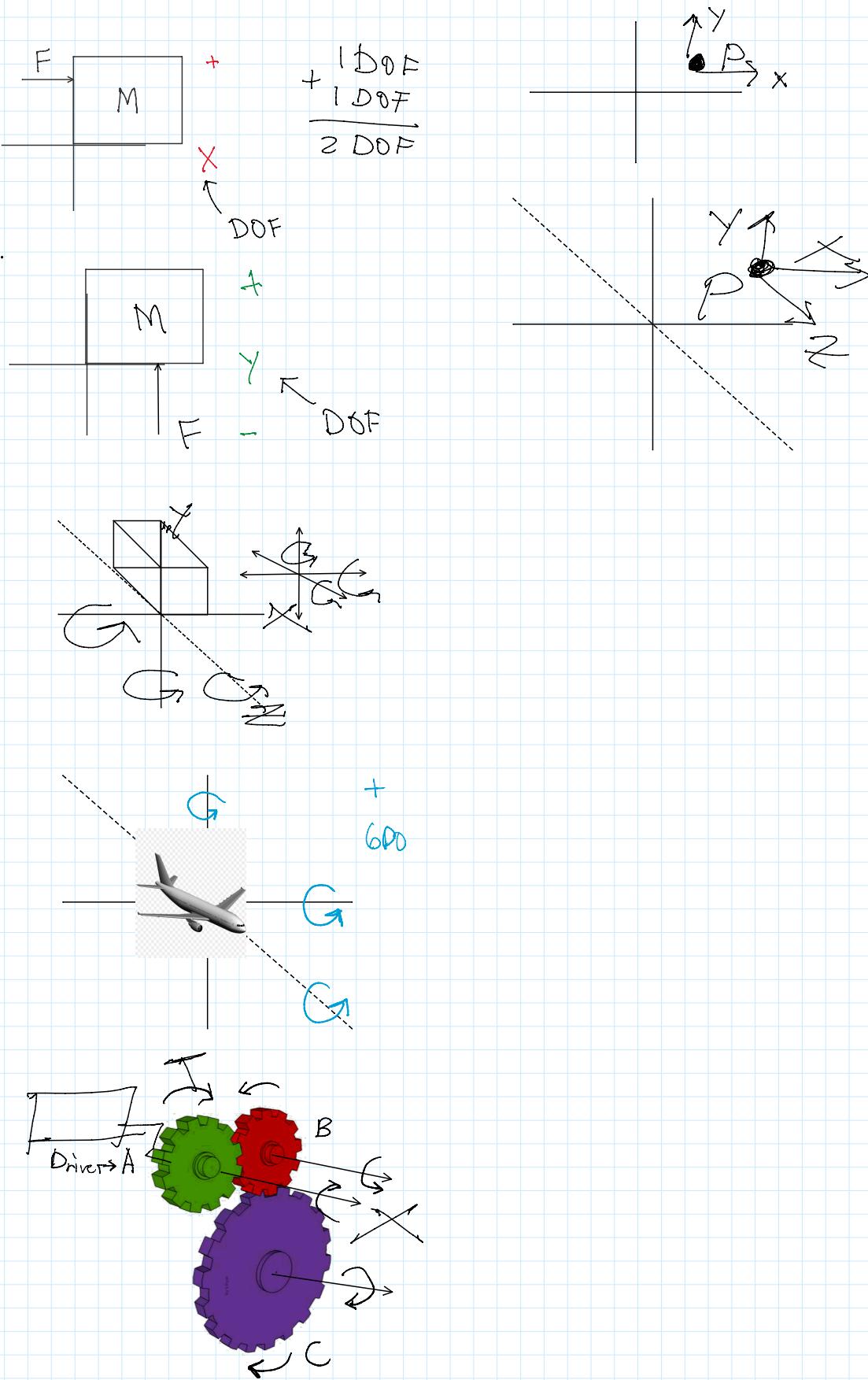
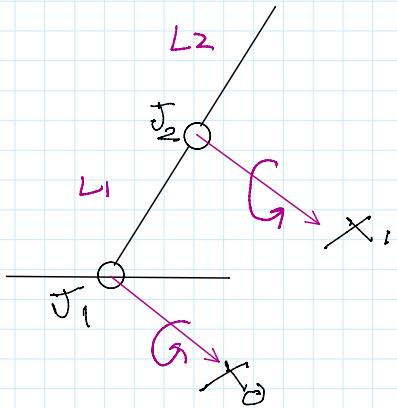


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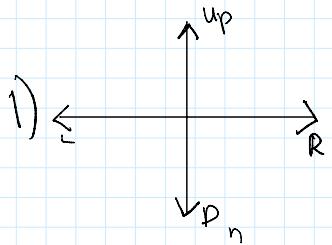
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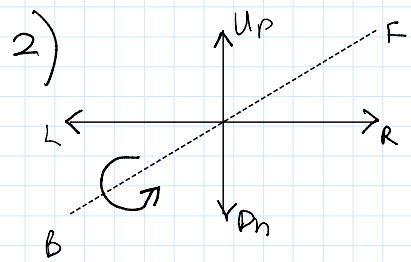


Importance of Under-actuated, Ideal and Redundant



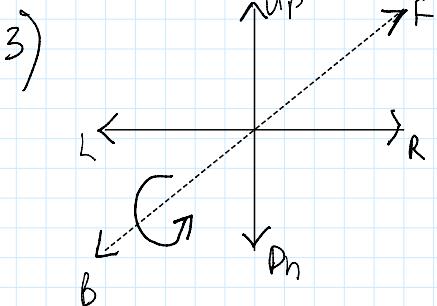
2 DOF

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3 DOF

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4 DOF

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Mobility/dof of Spatial Manipulator

Let us consider a manipulator with n rigid moving links and m joints

C_i : Connectivity of i -th joint; $i = 1, 2, 3, \dots, m$

No. of constraints put by i -th joint = $(6 - C_i)$

Total no. of constraints = $\sum_{i=1}^m (6 - C_i)$

Mobility of the manipulator
$$M = 6n - \sum_{i=1}^m (6 - C_i)$$

It is known as Grubler's criterion.

Mobility/dof of Planar Manipulator

Let us consider a manipulator with n rigid moving links and m joints

C_i : Connectivity of i -th joint; $i = 1, 2, 3, \dots, m$

No. of constraints put by i -th joint = $(3 - C_i)$

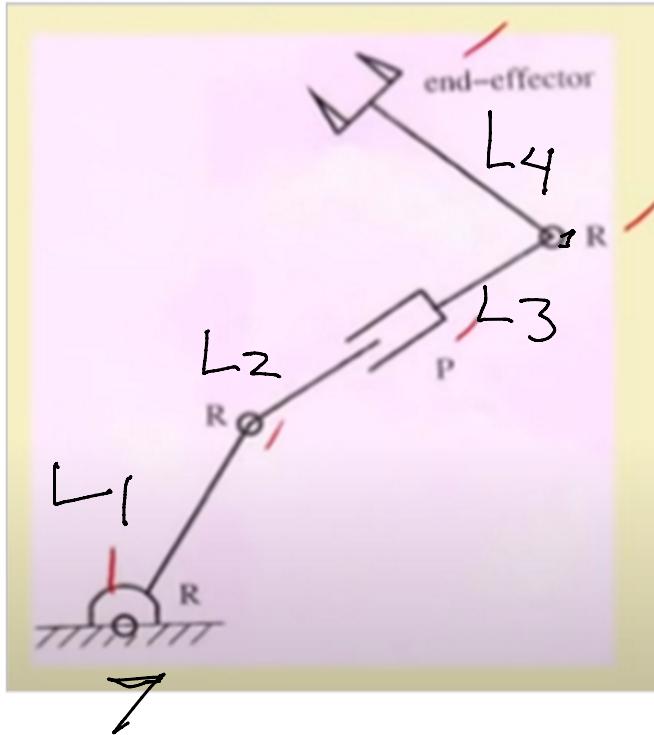
Total no. of constraints = $\sum_{i=1}^m (3 - C_i)$

Mobility of the manipulator
$$M = 3n - \sum_{i=1}^m (3 - C_i)$$

It is known as Grubler's criterion.

RRPR

Example 1: ~~RRR~~ Planar Manipulator



$$m = 4$$

$$n = 4$$

$$R_1 = (3 - 1)$$

$$R_2 = (3 - 1)$$

$$P_3 = (3 - 1)$$

$$R_4 = (3 - 1)$$

$$M = 3(4) - [2 + 2 + 2 + 2]$$

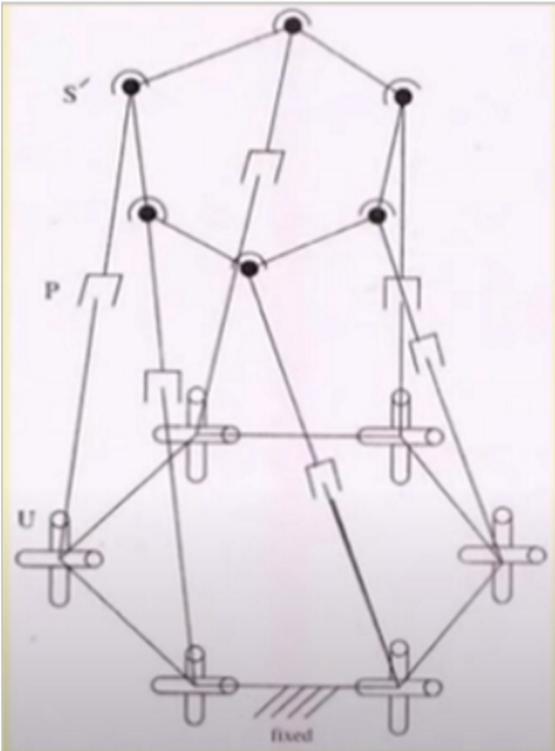
$$M = 12 - 8$$

$$M = 4$$

- This is a Redundant Planar Manipulator with Mobility of 4.

Example 2: Parallel Spatial Manipulator

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$$M = 18 \quad \text{EE}$$

$$D = 12 + 1 = 13$$

$$U_n = (6 - 2)$$

$$P_n = (6 - 1)$$

$$S_n = (6 - 3)$$

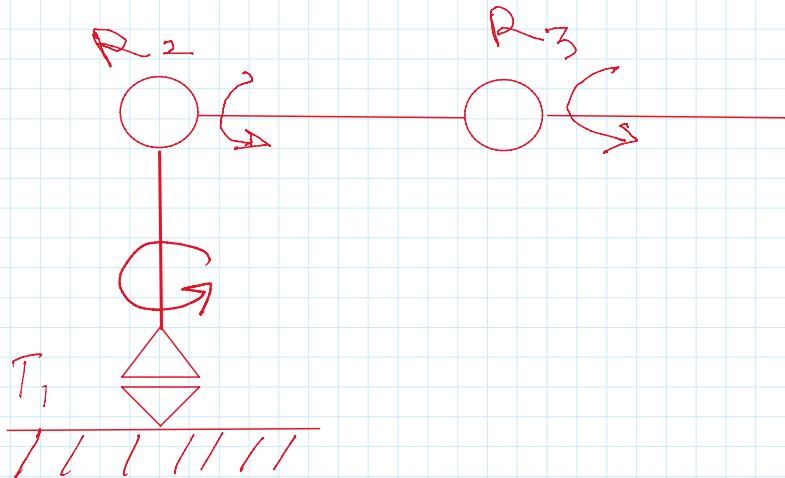
$$M = 6(13) - [6(2) + 6(5) + 6(3)]$$

$$M = 78 - [24 + 30 + 18]$$

$$M = 78 - 72$$

$$M = 6$$

This is an Ideal Spatial Manipulator with 6 DOF.



$$M = 3$$

$$N = 5$$

$$T_1 \text{ or } R_1 = (6 - 1)$$

$$R_2 = (6 - 1)$$

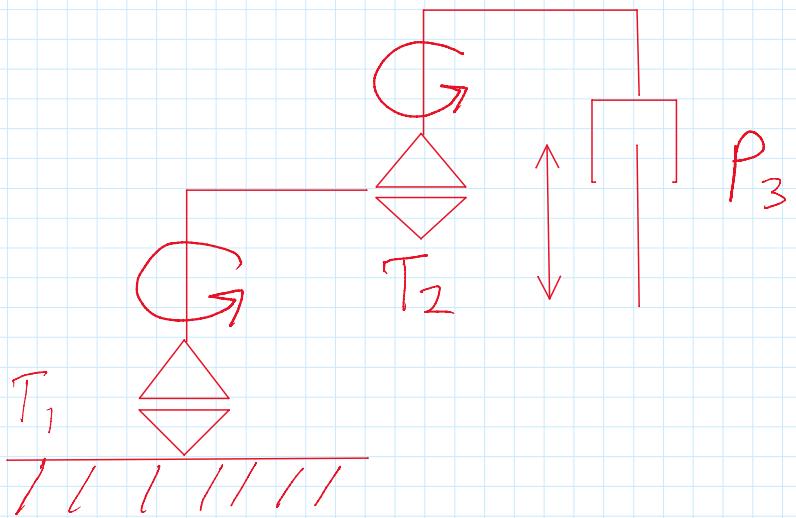
$$R_3 = (6 - 1)$$

$$M = 6(3) - [5 + 5 + 5]$$

$$N = 18 - 15$$

$$M = 3$$

- This is an Under Actuated Spatial Manipulator with 3 DOF.



$$m = 3$$

$$n = 3$$

- This is an Under Actuated Spatial Manipulator with 3 DOF.