

CSci 5551

Introduction to Intelligent Robotics Systems

Rotations “round ‘n round we go”



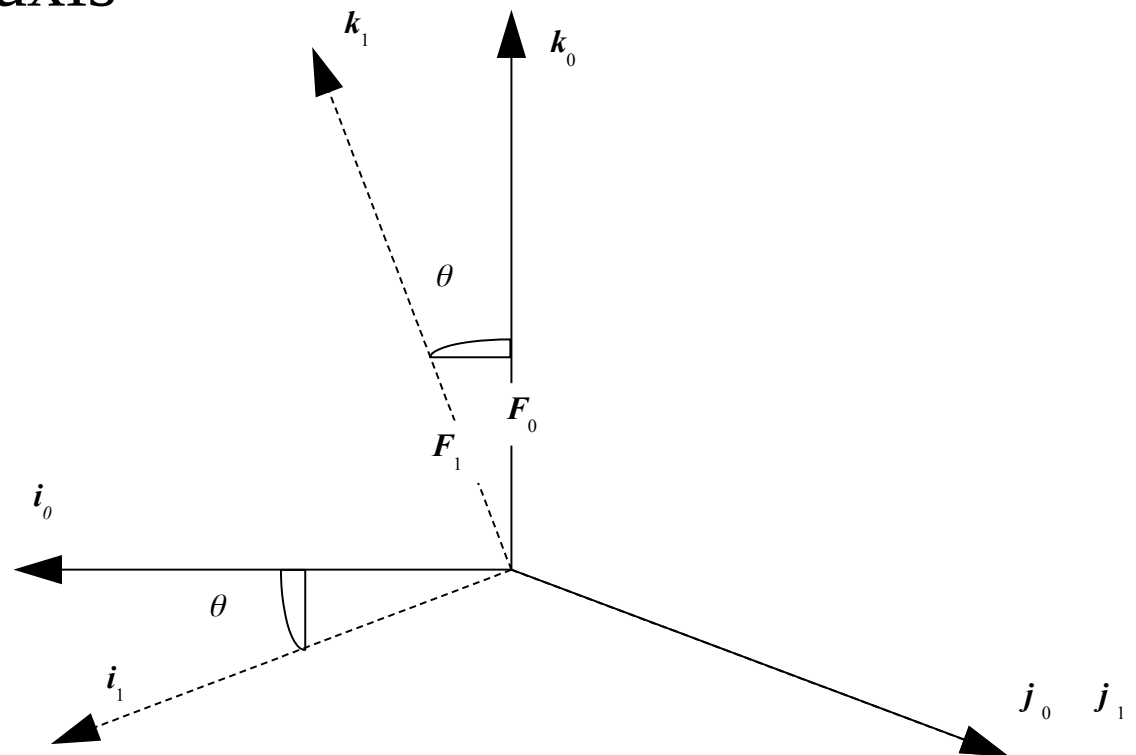
Notation Differences

$$R_{01} \equiv_1^0 R$$
$$R_{AB} \equiv_B^A R$$



Exercise

Find the rotation matrix which relates frame F_1 to frame F_0 , given that F_1 is established by a rotation of θ about the y_0 axis (the axis along j_0).



Step 1 – compute the elements of R

$$i_o \cdot i_1 = \cos \theta$$

$$i_o \cdot j_1 = 0$$

$$i_o \cdot k_1 = \cos(\pi/2 - \theta) = -\sin \pi/2 \sin(-\theta) = \sin(\theta)$$

$$j_o \cdot i_1 = 0$$

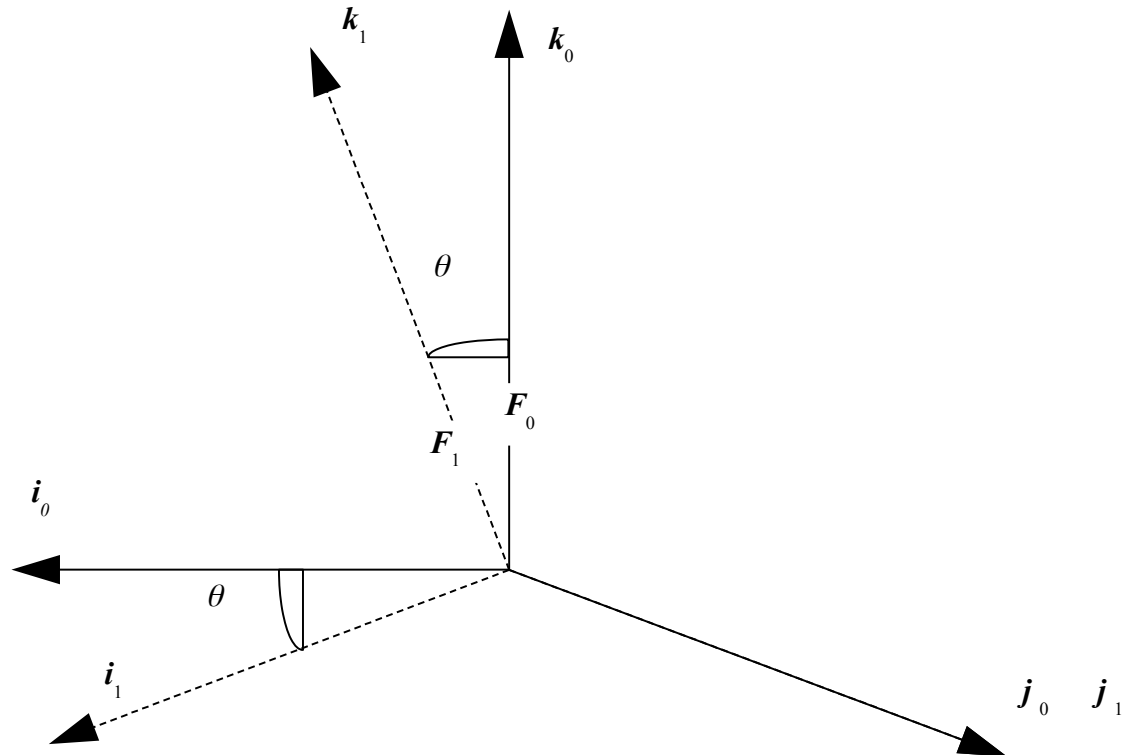
$$j_o \cdot j_1 = 1$$

$$j_o \cdot k_1 = 0$$

$$k_o \cdot i_1 = \cos(\pi/2 + \theta) = -\sin(\theta)$$

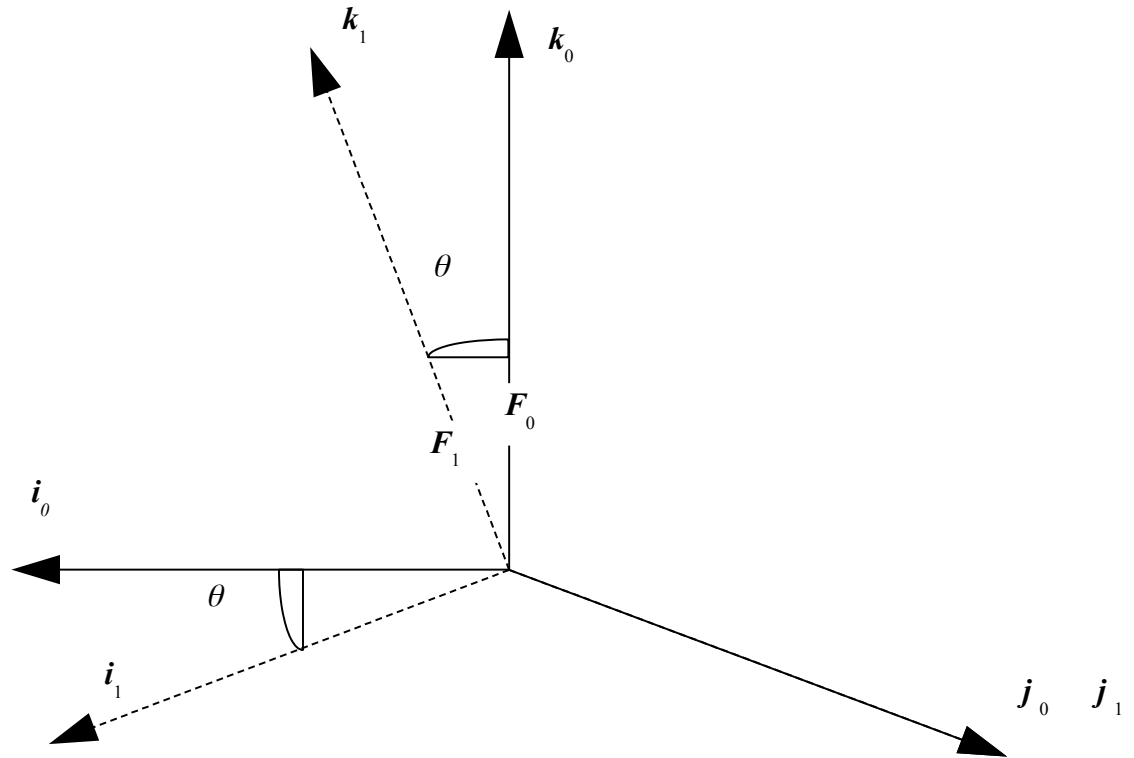
$$k_o \cdot j_1 = 0$$

$$k_o \cdot k_1 = \cos \theta$$



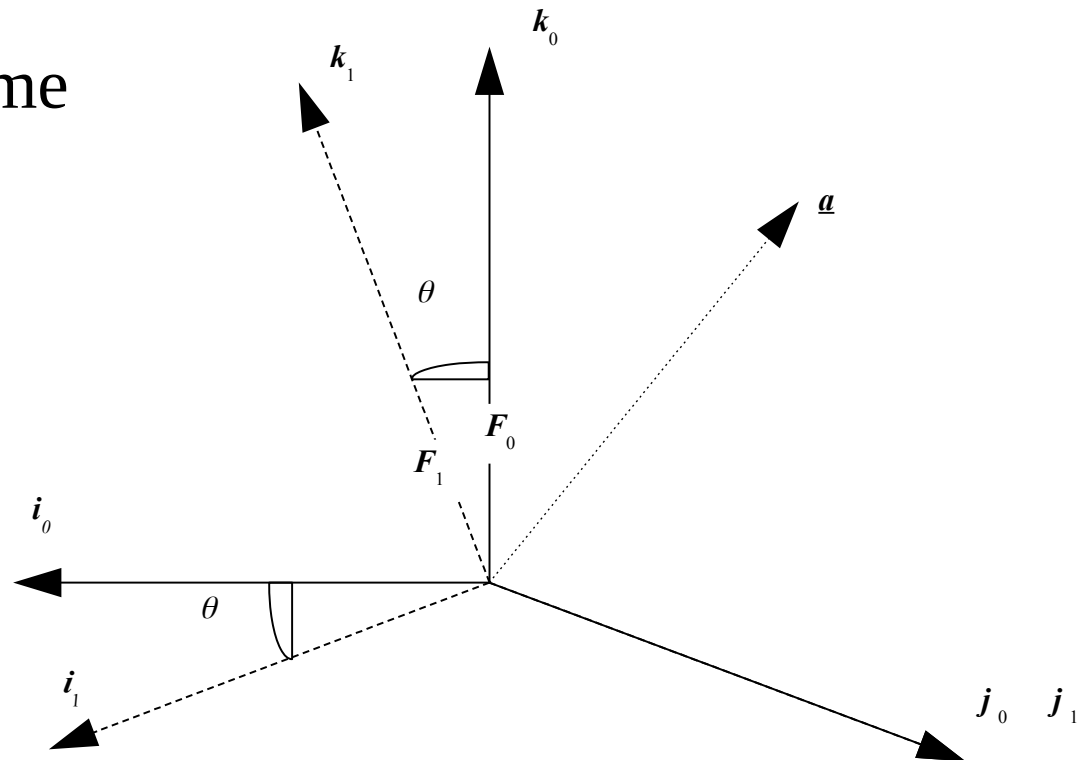
Step 2 – represent R

$$R_{01} = \begin{bmatrix} i_0 \cdot i_1 & i_0 \cdot j_1 & i_0 \cdot k_1 \\ j_0 \cdot i_1 & j_0 \cdot j_1 & j_0 \cdot k_1 \\ k_0 \cdot i_1 & k_0 \cdot j_1 & k_0 \cdot k_1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \theta & 0 & \sin \theta \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -\sin \theta & 0 & \cos \theta \end{bmatrix}$$



Exercise #2

Given the two frames F_0 and F_1 described in the previous exercise, and given a physical vector \underline{a} described as vector \mathbf{a}^1 in frame F_1 , find the corresponding vector \mathbf{a}^0 in frame F_0 .



Formulate first

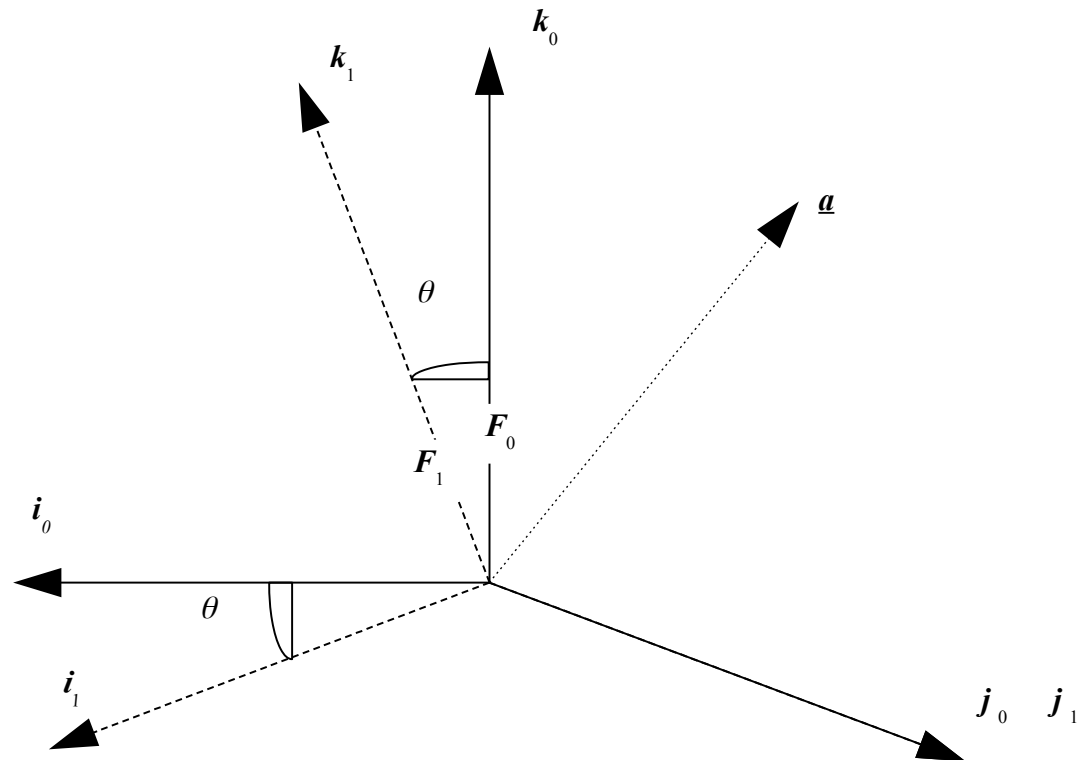
From our previous discussion:

$$\underline{a} = F_1^T a^1$$

$$a^0 = F_0 \cdot \underline{a}$$

$$a^0 = F_0 \cdot F_1^T a^1$$

$$a^0 = R_{01} a^1$$



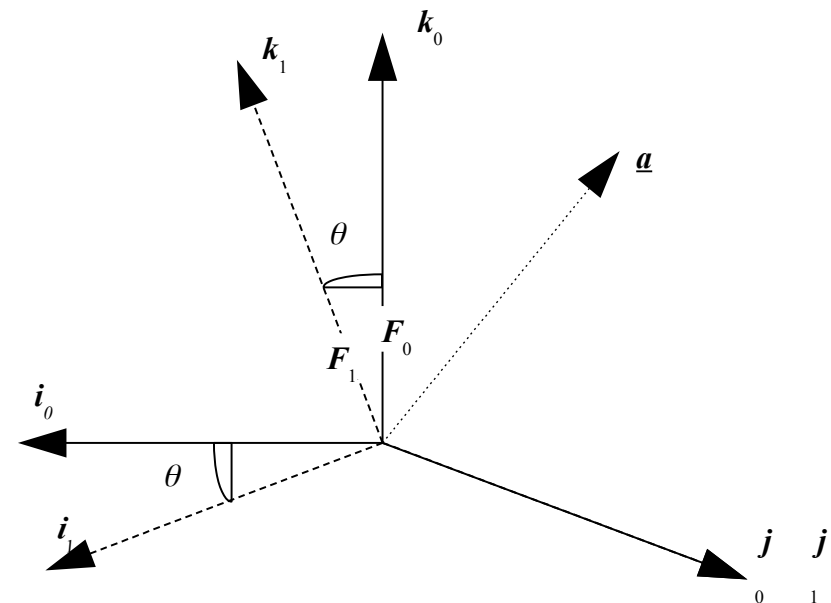
Now...

We already know R_{01}

$$R_{01} = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \theta & 0 & \sin \theta \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -\sin \theta & 0 & \cos \theta \end{bmatrix}$$

Substituting for R_{01}

$$a^0 = \begin{bmatrix} a_{1x} \cos \theta + a_{1z} \sin \theta \\ a_{1y} \\ -a_{1x} \sin \theta + a_{1z} \cos \theta \end{bmatrix}$$



Basic Rotation Matrices

$$R_x(\theta) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \cos(\theta) & -\sin(\theta) \\ 0 & \sin(\theta) & \cos(\theta) \end{bmatrix}$$

$$R_y(\theta) = \begin{bmatrix} \cos(\theta) & 0 & \sin(\theta) \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -\sin(\theta) & 0 & \cos(\theta) \end{bmatrix}$$

$$R_z(\theta) = \begin{bmatrix} \cos(\theta) & -\sin(\theta) & 0 \\ \sin(\theta) & \cos(\theta) & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$



Composition of Rotations

Establish how rotations can be composed to represent a series of rotations.

We know:

$$\mathbf{p}^0 = \mathbf{R}_{01}\mathbf{p}^1$$

And by that logic:

$$\mathbf{p}^1 = \mathbf{R}_{12}\mathbf{p}^2$$

Combining:

$$\mathbf{p}^0 = \mathbf{R}_{01}\mathbf{R}_{12}\mathbf{p}^2$$



Composition of Rotations

Thus we can state that, given two consecutive **current frame** rotations R_{01} and R_{12} (namely, a rotation between F_0 and F_1 , followed by a rotation between F_1 and F_2), the rotation between F_0 and F_2 can be represented by:

$$R_{02} = R_{01} R_{12}$$

In general, **current frame** rotations are denoted by

$$R_{ik} = R_{i,i+1} R_{i+1,i+2} \cdots R_{k-1,k}$$

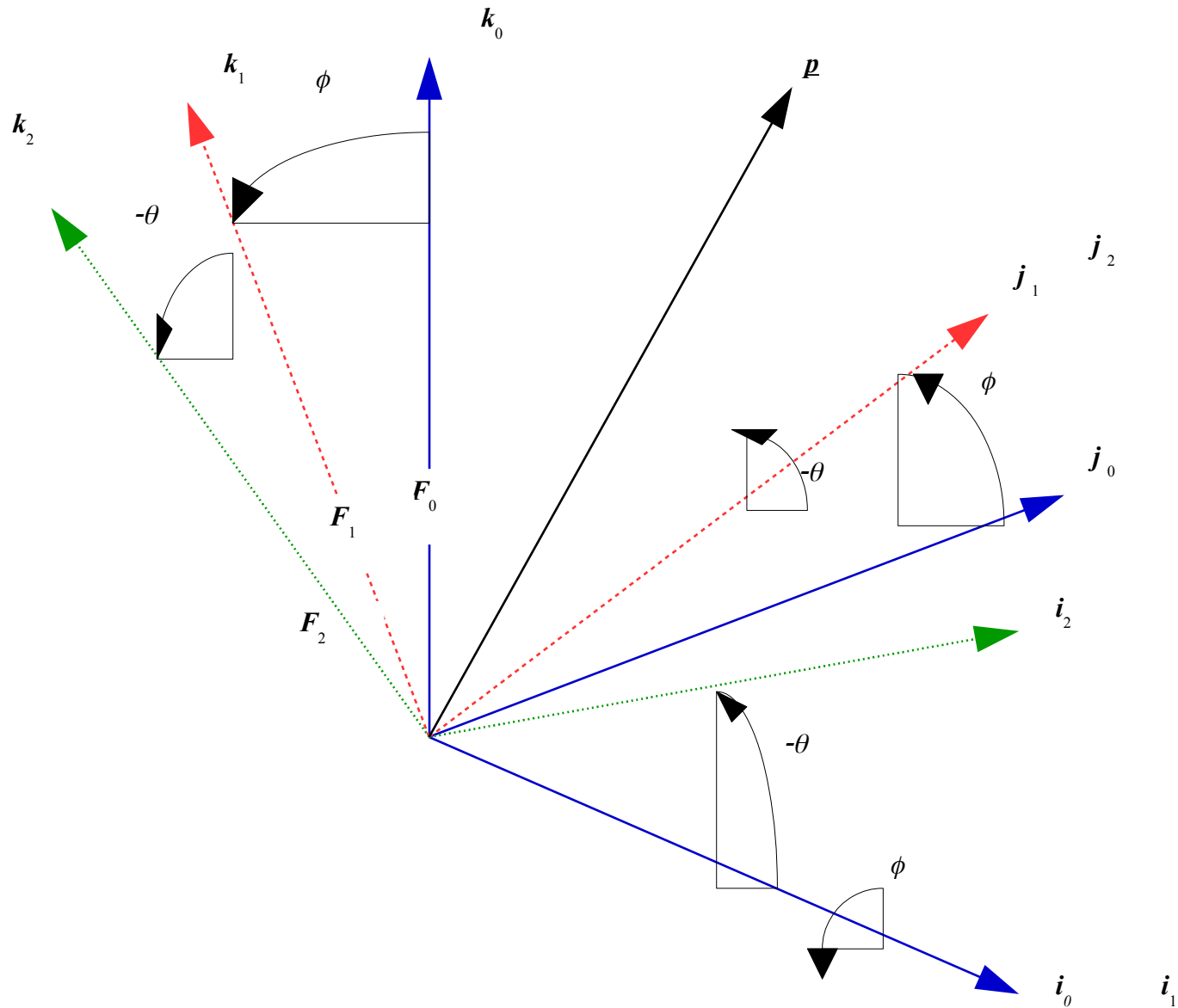


An example of rotation composition

- Find the rotation matrix R which represents a rotation of φ about x_0 (\mathbf{i}_0) followed by a rotation of $-\theta$ about the new y_1 (\mathbf{j}_1)

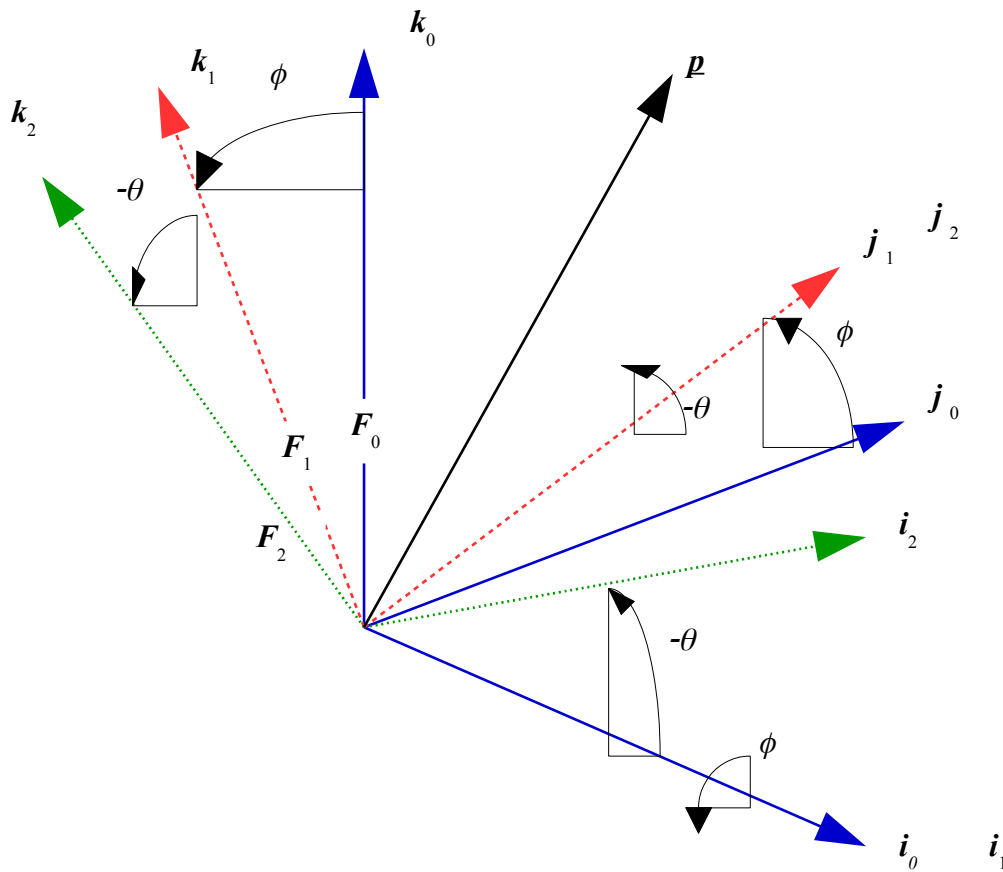


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Two successive “current frame” rotations

$$R_{02} = R_x(\phi) R_y(-\theta)$$

Where:

$$R_{02} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \cos \phi & -\sin \phi \\ 0 & \sin \phi & \cos \phi \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \cos \theta & 0 & -\sin \theta \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ \sin \theta & 0 & \cos \theta \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} c \theta & 0 & -s \theta \\ -s \phi s \theta & c \phi & -s \phi c \theta \\ c \phi s \theta & s \phi & c \phi c \theta \end{bmatrix}$$



Important to Remember

Please note: the sequence of the matrix multiplication is crucial.

$$R_x(\phi)R_y(\theta) \neq R_y(\theta)R_x(\phi)$$

Unless

$$R_x \equiv R_y(\theta) \equiv I$$



Fixed Frame Rotations

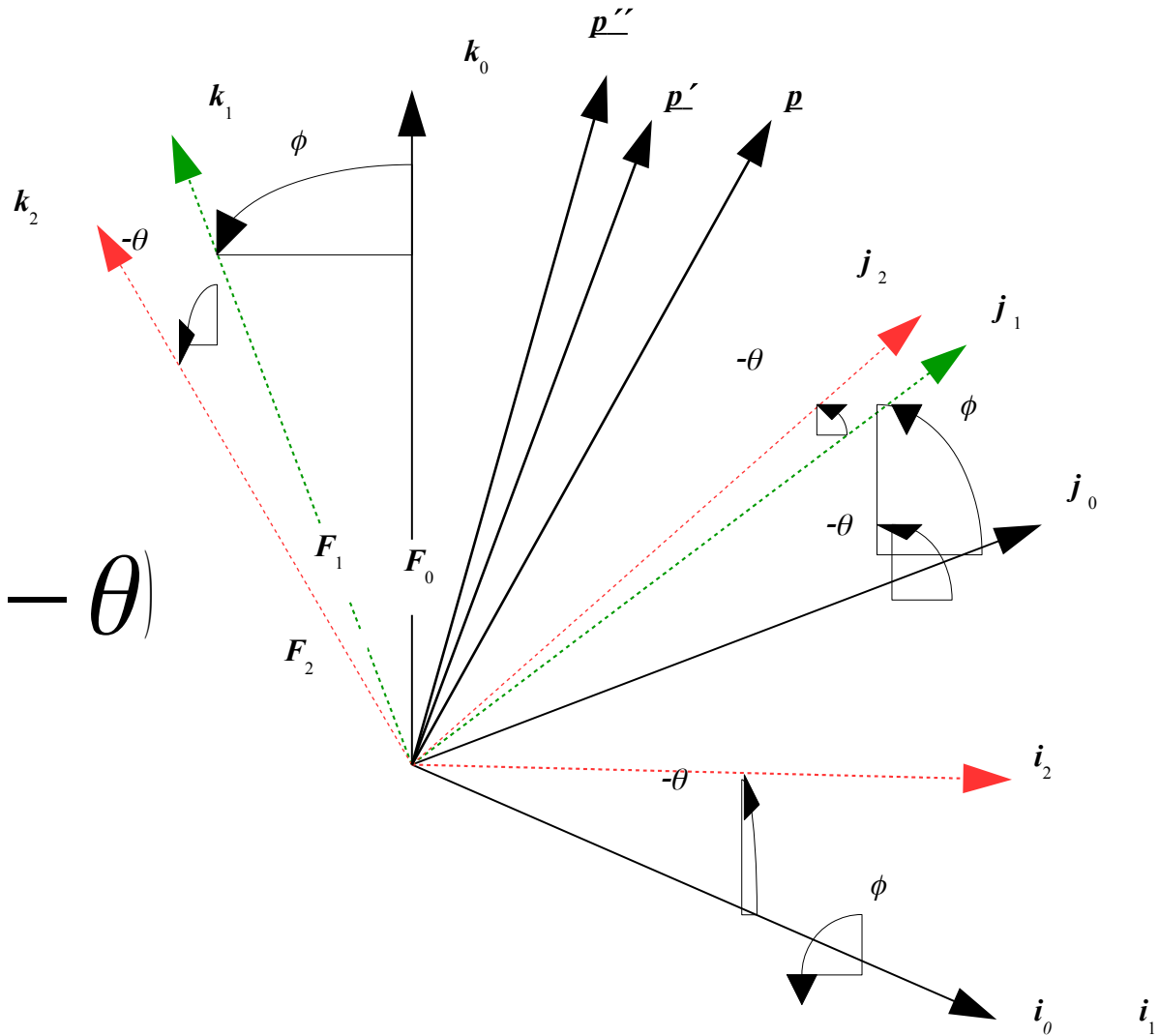
In this case we are considering rotating a vector (and its attached frame) about multiple axes of the **same fixed frame**.



Fixed Frame Rotation - Example Problem

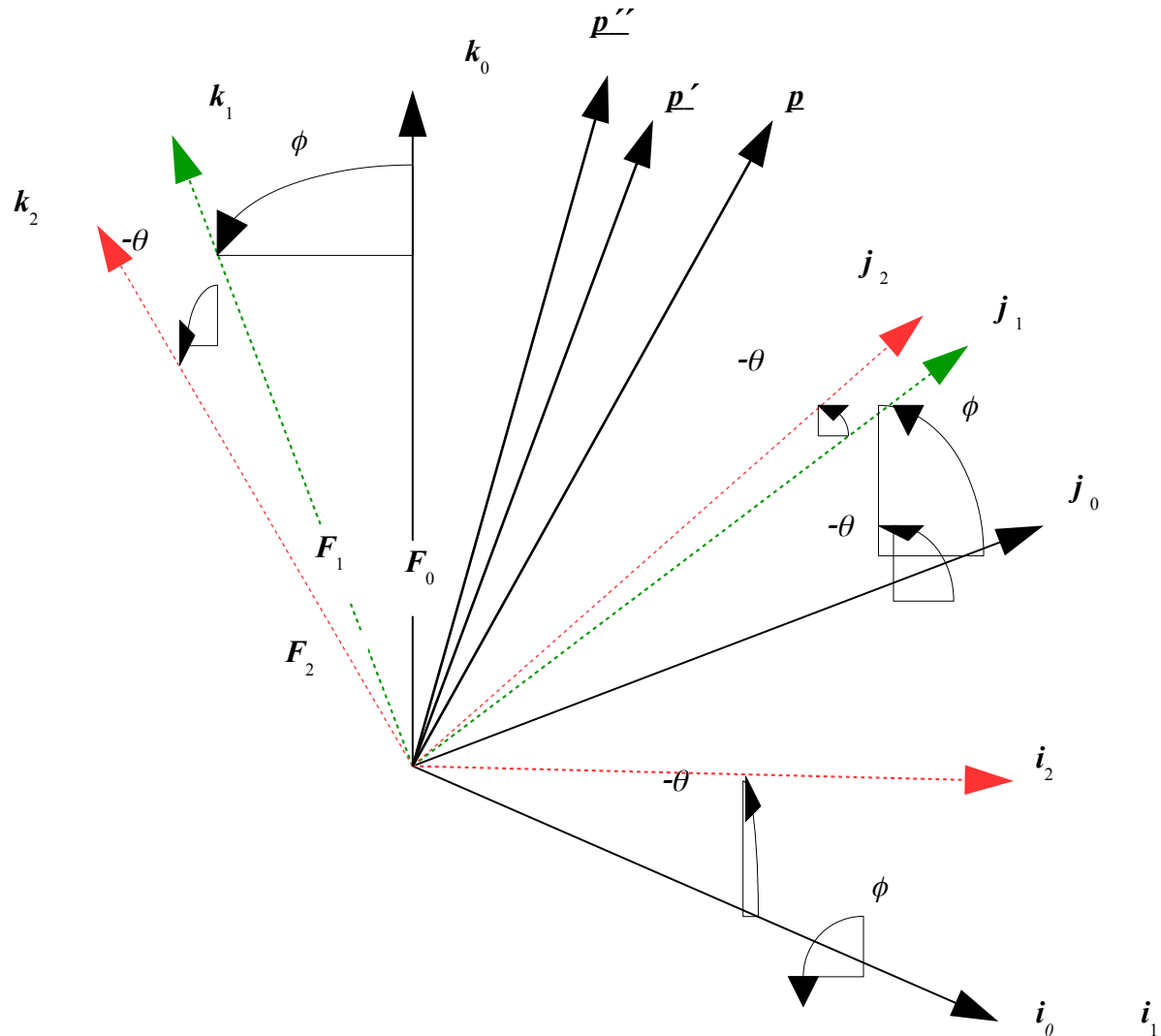
Rotate the vector \mathbf{p} about x_0 by ϕ (to a location \mathbf{p}') followed by a rotation about y_0 by $-\theta$ to \mathbf{p}'' .

$$R_{02} = R_x(\phi) R_y(-\theta)$$



Fixed Frame Rotation - Example Problem

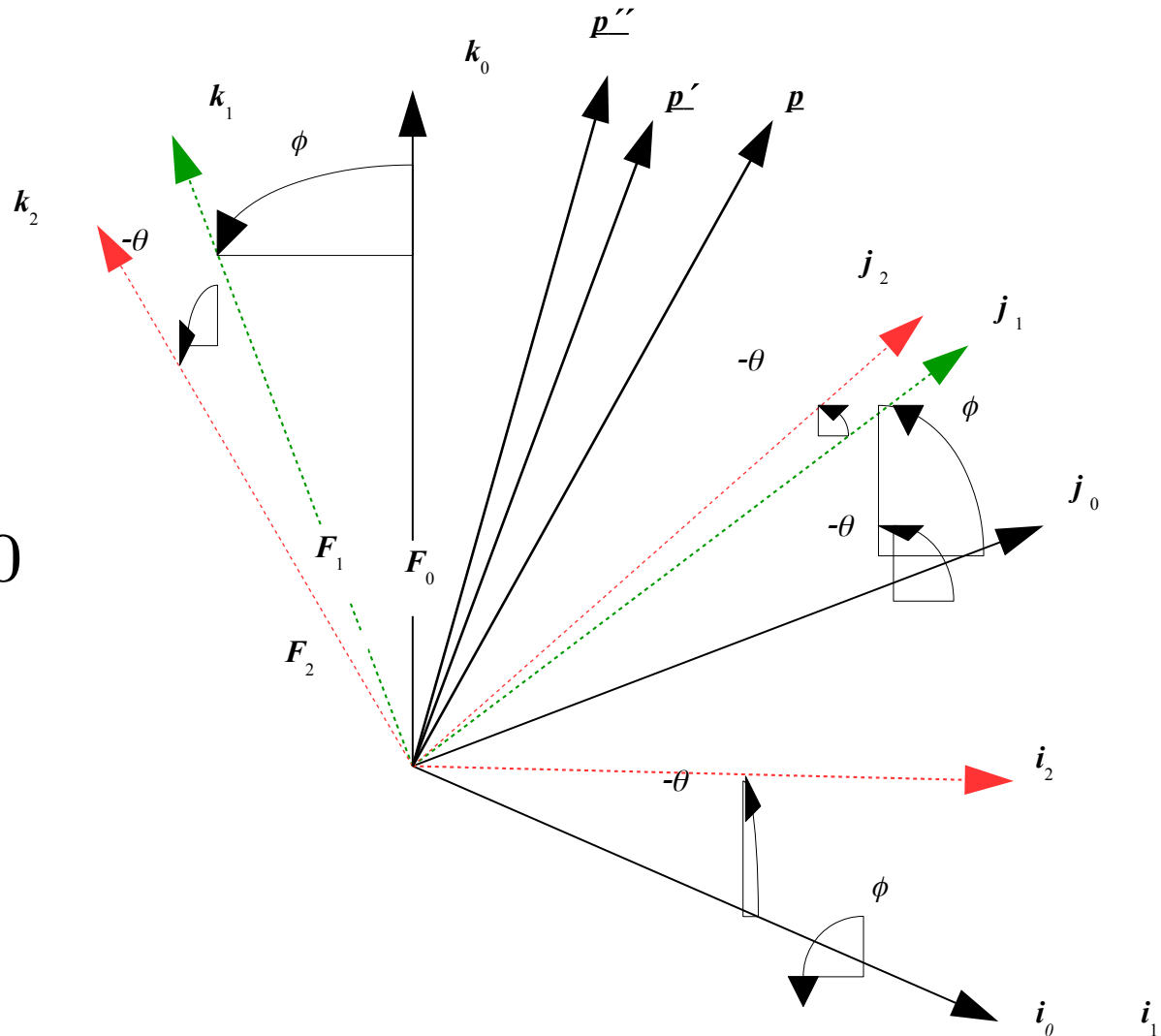
both rotations are done with respect to the F_0 frame.



Fixed Frame Rotation - Example Problem

Consider the first rotation which moves \underline{p} to \underline{p}' . As in the previous example:

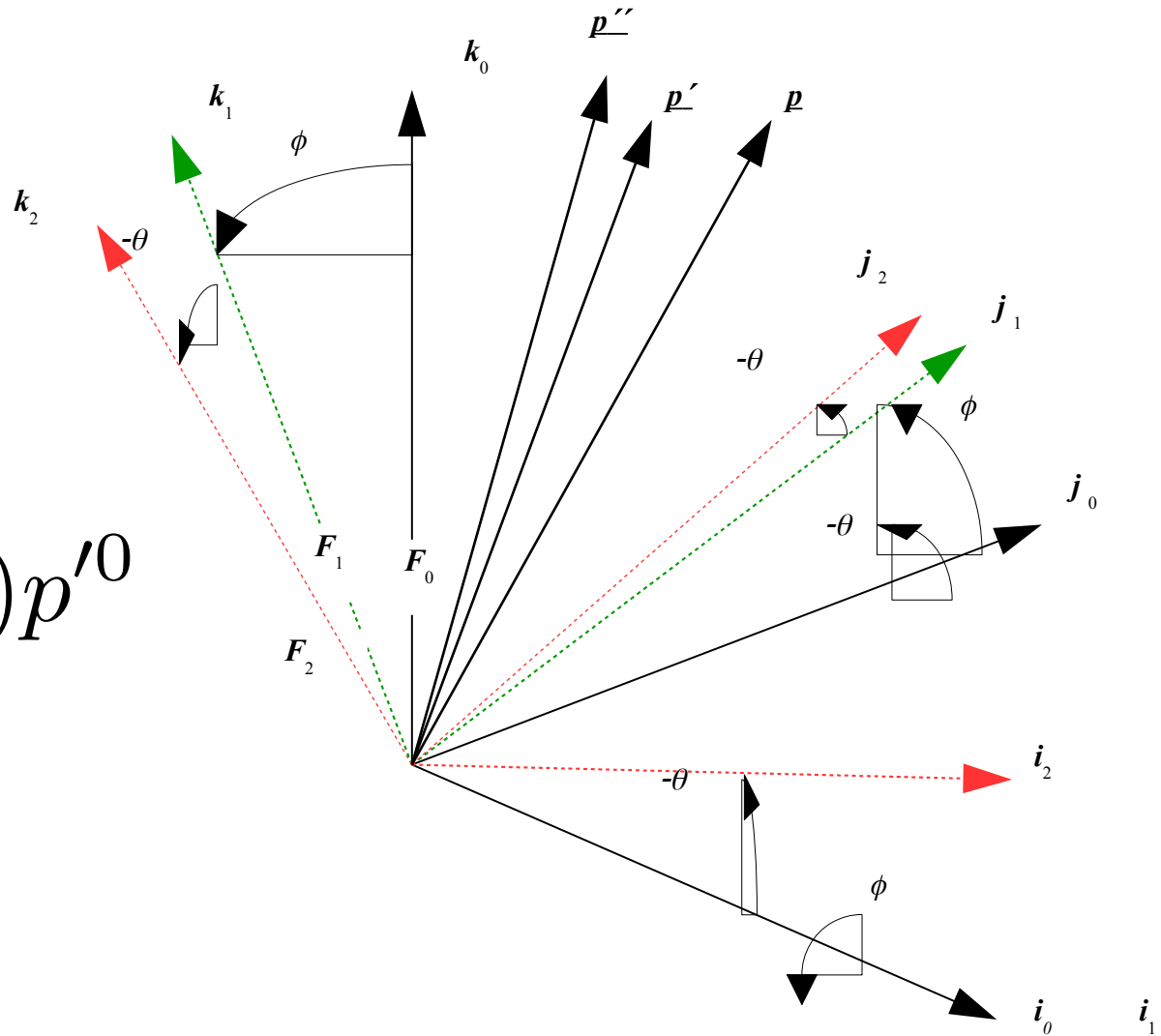
$$p'^0 = R_x(\phi)p^0$$



Fixed Frame Rotation - Example Problem

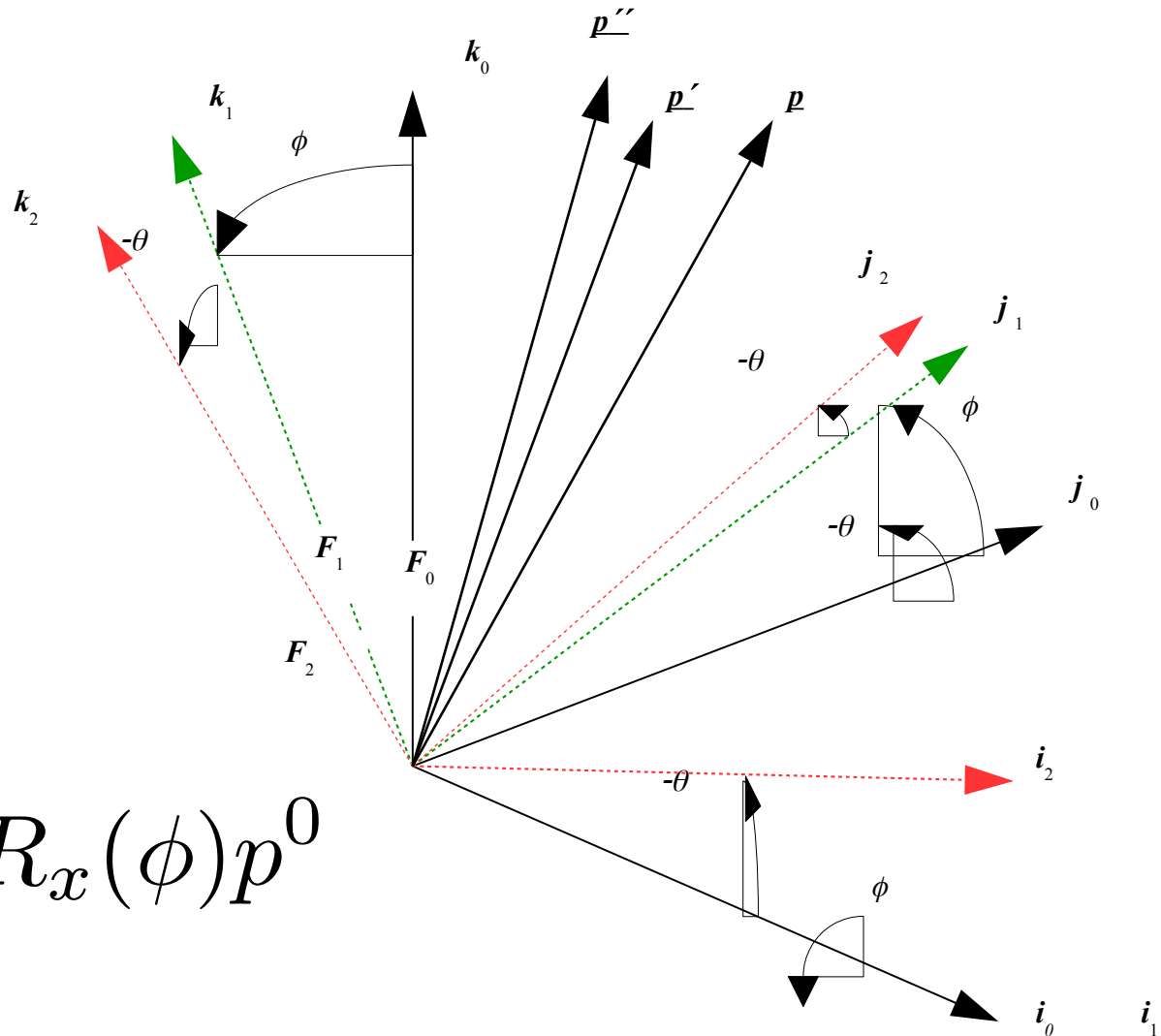
Now consider the second rotation, which moves \underline{p}' to \underline{p}'' .

$$\underline{p}''^0 = R_y(-\theta)\underline{p}'^0$$



Fixed Frame Rotation - Example Problem

Substituting the value of \underline{p}' :



$$\underline{p}''^0 = R_y(-\theta)R_x(\phi)\underline{p}^0$$



Fixed Frame Rotation -Generalized Form

$$R_{ik} = R_{k-1,k} \cdots R_{i+1,i+2} R_{i,i+1}$$

Fixed-frame (2) is in the reverse order of the current-frame (1) case:

$$R_{ik} = R_{i,i+1} R_{i+1,i+2} \cdots R_{k-1,k} \quad (1)$$

$$R_{ik} = R_{k-1,k} \cdots R_{i+1,i+2} R_{i,i+1} \quad (2)$$

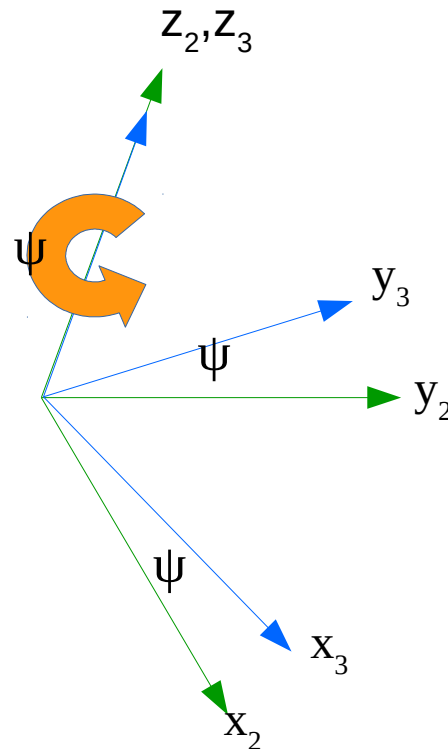
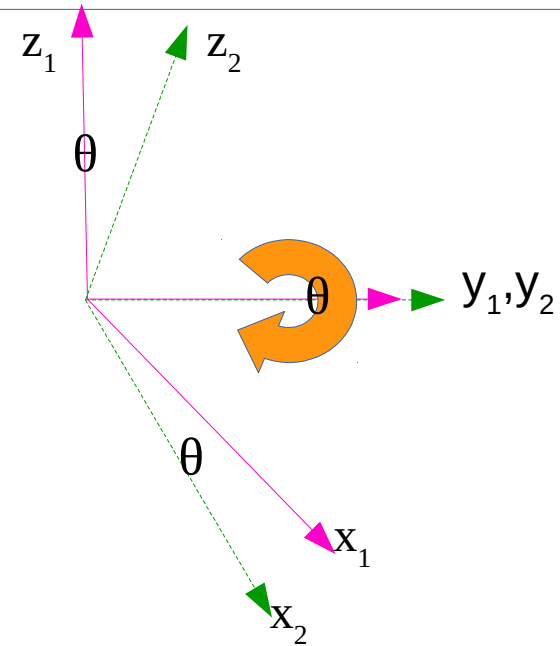
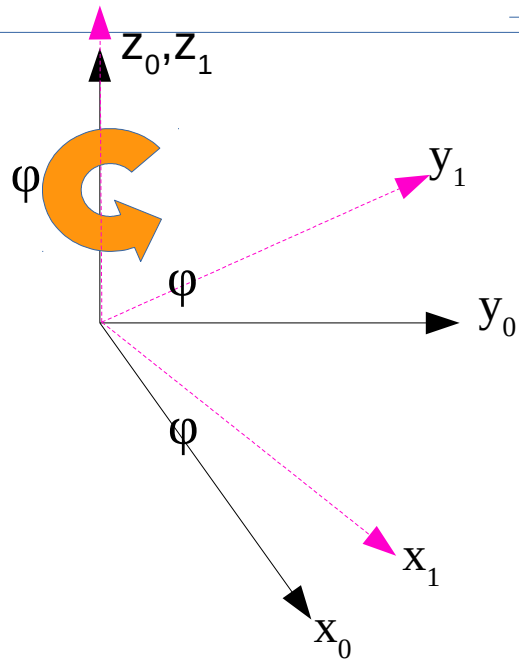


Euler Angles

- Rotations in the Current Frame (Z-Y-Z)
 - Rotate φ about the current (original) z_0 axis to form a new frame F_1
 - Rotate θ about the current y_1 axis to form a new frame F_2
 - Rotate ψ about the current z_2 axis to form a new frame F_3



(Z-Y-Z) Euler Angles



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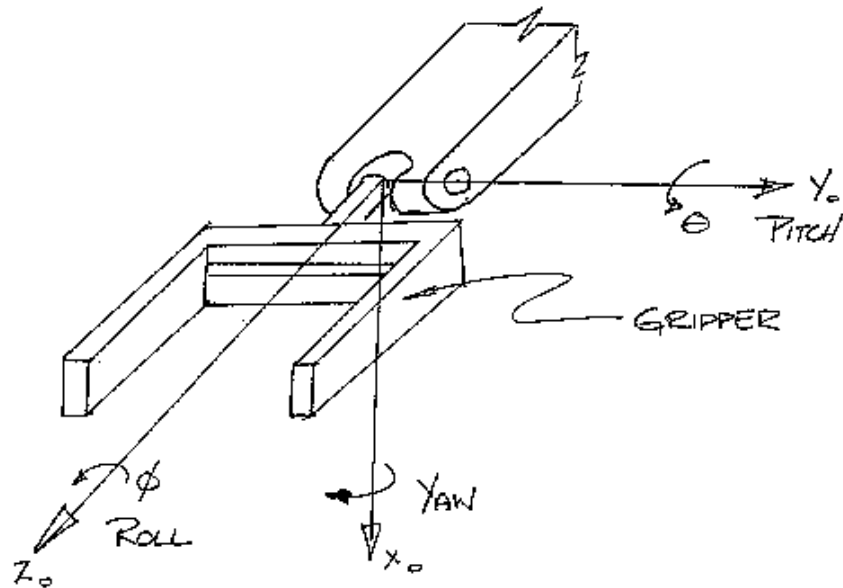
$$R_{0,3} = R_z(\phi) R_y(\theta) R_z(\psi),$$

$$R_{0,3} = \begin{bmatrix} \cos\phi & -\sin\phi & 0 \\ \sin\phi & \cos\phi & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \cos\theta & 0 & \sin\theta \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -\sin\theta & 0 & \cos\theta \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \cos\psi & -\sin\psi & 0 \\ \sin\psi & \cos\psi & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$R_{0,3} = \begin{bmatrix} c\phi c\theta c\psi - s\phi s\psi & -c\phi c\theta s\psi - s\phi c\psi & c\phi s\theta \\ s\phi c\theta c\psi + c\phi s\psi & -s\phi c\theta s\psi + c\phi c\psi & s\phi s\theta \\ -s\theta c\psi & s\theta s\psi & c\theta \end{bmatrix}$$



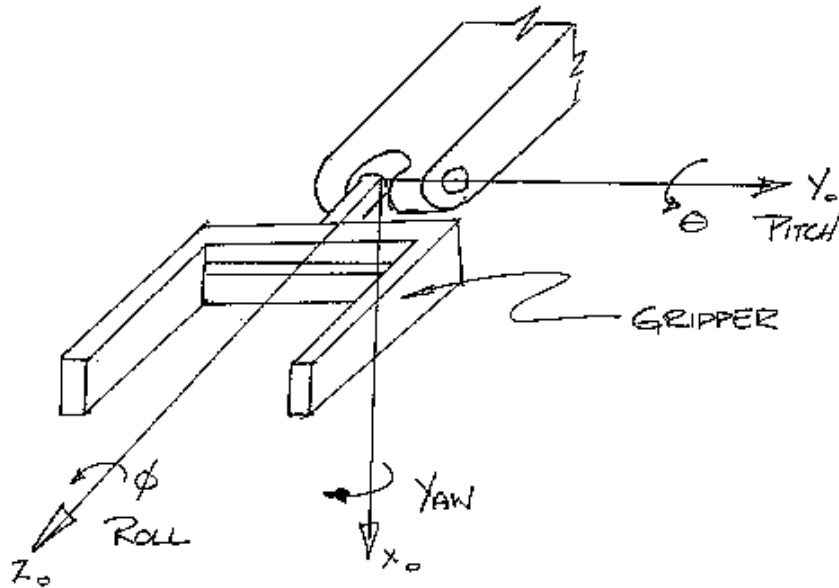
Roll-Pitch-Yaw Representations



- Frame does not move
 - But the gripper does
- Order of fixed-frame rotations:
 - Yaw about x_0
 - Pitch about y_0
 - Roll about z_0



Roll-Pitch-Yaw Representations



$$R = R_z(\phi)R_y(\theta)R_x(\psi)$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} c\phi c\theta & c\phi s\theta s\psi - s\phi c\psi & c\phi s\theta c\psi + s\phi s\psi \\ s\phi c\theta & s\phi s\theta s\psi + c\phi c\psi & s\phi s\theta c\psi - c\phi s\psi \\ -s\theta & c\theta s\psi & c\theta c\psi \end{bmatrix}$$



Summary

- Representation of rotations
 - Current frame
 - Fixed frame
 - Euler Angles (Z-Y-Z)
 - Pitch-Roll-Yaw



The Subaru that sucks (dirt)

