Orbital elements to ECI

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function [r_x, r_y, r_z] = oe2eci(a,e,inc,RAAN,omega,t)
% This function computes the radius vector (ECI) for a given set of orbital
% elements
% - a = Semi-major axis [m]
% - e = orbit of interest eccentricity.
% - inc = inclination [deg]
% - RAAN = Right Ascension of Ascending Node [deg]
% - omega = Argument of Perigee [deg]
% - t = time since initial mean anomaly [s].
% The function output 'r_x, r_y, r_z' corresponds to the x, y, z components
% of the position vector.
% Find the true anomaly
MO = 0;
E = Kepler_Solver(t, e, M0, a);
nu = 2*atan(sqrt((1+e)/(1-e))*tan(E/2));
% Calculate r in the perifocal coordinate frame
r = (a*(1-e^2))/(1+e*cos(nu));
r_{vec} = [r*cos(nu);r*sin(nu);0];
% Make orbital elements into radians for MATLAB
omega rad = deg2rad(omega);
i_rad = deg2rad(inc);
RAAN_rad = deg2rad(RAAN);
% Create a array of rotation angles to rotate the r vector obtained in the
% perifocal from into the ECI frame
angle_vec = [-omega_rad -i_rad -RAAN_rad];
total_rot = r_vec;
% Loop through the 3-1-3 rotations
i=1;
for j = [3 \ 1 \ 3]
    if j == 1
        inter_rot = Rx(angle_vec(i));
    elseif j == 3
        inter_rot = Rz(angle_vec(i));
    total_rot = inter_rot*total_rot;
    i = i+1;
end
% Create outputs
r_x = total_{rot(1)};
r_y = total_rot(2);
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