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Assignment 1

In this assignment, you are required to finish two tasks:

- 1. Rotation functions: You will implement the functions in rotation.py using numpy.
- 2. Forward kinematics: Given the galbot urdf at galbot/galbot_left_arm_simple.urdf, you need to compute the translation and rotation of all robot links.

Envirionment

You can install the environment as follows:

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conda create -n hw1 python=3.10
conda activate hw1
pip install -r requirements.txt
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Rotation Functions (66%)

You are required to implement those functions in rotation.py using numpy:

- 1. quat_normalize
- 2. quat_conjugate
- 3. quat_multiply
- 4. quat_rotate
- 5. quat_relative_angle
- 6. interpolate_quat
- 7. quat_to_mat
- 8. mat_to_quat
- 9. quat_to_axis_angle
- 10. axis_angle_to_quat
- 11. uniform_random_quat

We use wxyz order in quaternions, and you can assume all quaternion inputs are already normalized except quat normalize.

If there are multiple correct answers, you can output any except if the comment of that function restricts the output.

You will get 6% score for each function.

Forward Kinematics (34%)

You are required to finish the function RobotModel.fk in robot_model.py.

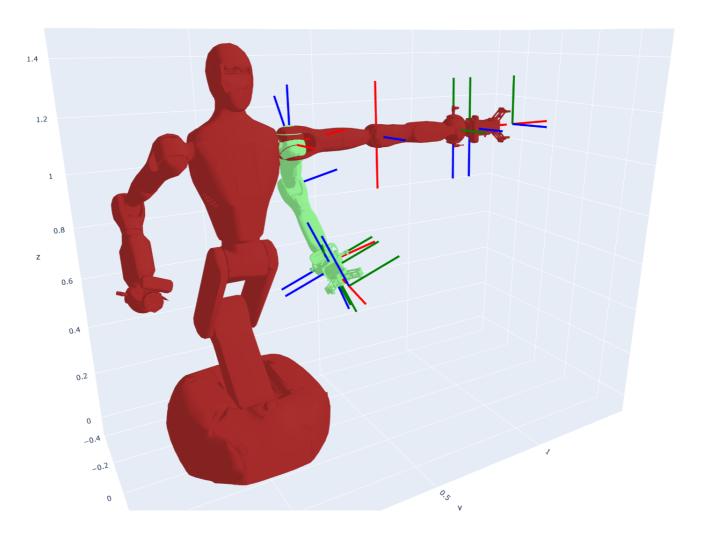
We have already written a simple URDF parser for you, which can transform the URDF file into a set of Links and Joints. You can see their definition in urdf_types.py.

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We also provide a simple visualization code in vis.py based on plotly, which supports interactive visualization. You can visualize the galbot robot with RobotModel.vis with link poses as input. It will plot the robot mesh and the pose of each link. For each pose the red, green, and blue vectors represents the X, Y, and Z axes respectively.

You can compare the ground truth fk result with your result by running python robot_model.py, it should look like this:

You will get 34% score for this function.



Testing & Uploading

You can run pytest to test it with example data. Your code is correct if it shows 12 passed.

You can upload your code by running pack.py to generate a .zip file which only contains rotation.py and robot_model.py and upload it in course.pku.edu.cn. All modification in other files is ignored.

For example, if your id is 2000010000 and your name is Zhang San, then you can use python pack.py --id 2000010000 --name ZhangSan to upload.