

Just like $R = \hat{w} \theta$, T can be exponentially represented by $S\theta$, where S is screw axis

$$\log: SE(3) \rightarrow se(3)$$

$$\exp: se(3) \rightarrow SE(3)$$

Same procedure doing exp and log for R , we have

$$e^{[S]\theta} = I + [S]\theta + [S]^2 \frac{\theta^2}{2!} + [S]^3 \frac{\theta^3}{3!} + \dots$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} e^{[\omega]\theta} & G(\theta)v \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad G(\theta) = I\theta + [\omega]\frac{\theta^2}{2} + [\omega]^2 \frac{\theta^3}{3!} + \dots$$

$$G(\theta) = I\theta + \left(\frac{\theta^2}{2!} - \frac{\theta^4}{4!} + \dots\right)[\omega] + \left(\frac{\theta^3}{3!} - \frac{\theta^5}{5!} + \dots\right)[\omega]^2$$

$$= I\theta + (1 - \cos\theta)[\omega] + (\theta - \sin\theta)[\omega]^2$$

If there's rotational part ($\|\omega\|=1$), finally we have:

$$e^{[S]\theta} = \begin{bmatrix} e^{[\omega]\theta} & (I\theta + (1 - \cos\theta)[\omega] + (\theta - \sin\theta)[\omega]^2)v \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

If there's only translational part, we have:

$$e^{[S]\theta} = \begin{bmatrix} I & v\theta \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Algorithm: Given (R, p) written as $T \in SE(3)$, find a $\theta \in [0, \pi]$ and a screw axis $S = (\omega, v) \in \mathbb{R}^6$ (where at least one of $\|\omega\|$ and $\|v\|$ is unity) such that $e^{[S]\theta} = T$. The vector $S\theta \in \mathbb{R}^6$ comprises the exponential coordinates for T and the matrix $[S]\theta \in se(3)$ is the matrix logarithm of T .

(a) If $R = I$ then set $\omega = 0$, $v = p/\|p\|$, and $\theta = \|p\|$.

(b) Otherwise, use the matrix logarithm on $SO(3)$ to determine ω (written as $\hat{\omega}$ in the $SO(3)$ algorithm) and θ for R . Then v is calculated as

$$v = G^{-1}(\theta)p \quad (3.91)$$

where

$$G^{-1}(\theta) = \frac{1}{\theta}I - \frac{1}{2}[\omega] + \left(\frac{1}{\theta} - \frac{1}{2}\cot\frac{\theta}{2}\right)[\omega]^2. \quad (3.92)$$

Wrenches

For a point r represented in frame $\{a\}$, we have:
its $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{position, } r_a \\ \text{force, } f_a \end{array} \right.$, its moment (torque), $m_a = r_a \times f_a$

wrench of this point can be written as:

$$F_a = \begin{bmatrix} m_a \\ f_a \end{bmatrix}$$

If there're more than 1 wrenches acting at same point,
wrench of this point is just the sum of them.
(make sure they're represented in same frame)

Because the power generated by f_r and v_r is its property, which doesn't depend on the choice of frame.

$$v_a^T F_a = v_b^T F_b$$

$$v_a^T F_a = ([CAd_{T_{ba}}] v_a)^T F_b$$

$$v_a^T F_a = v_a^T [Ad_{T_{ba}}]^T F_b$$

$$F_a = (Ad_{T_{ba}})^T F_b \Leftrightarrow F_b = (CAd_{T_{ab}})^T F_a$$