

# Gesture Interface

## A Naive Framework

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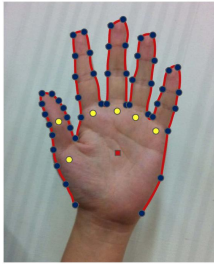
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# Introduction

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**Figure 1:** Example of Hand Gesture.

## Color Based Method

The above picture is an example of color based gesture recognition. Color based algorithms are normally heavily relying on background color.

### Spatial Motions

Swipe, tracking, clapping...

### Finger Motions

Grabbing, rub, pointing and etc.

### Muscles and Other Biosignals

All Involves hardwares.

### Note

Naive camera based gestures are used.

# Marker Based Methods

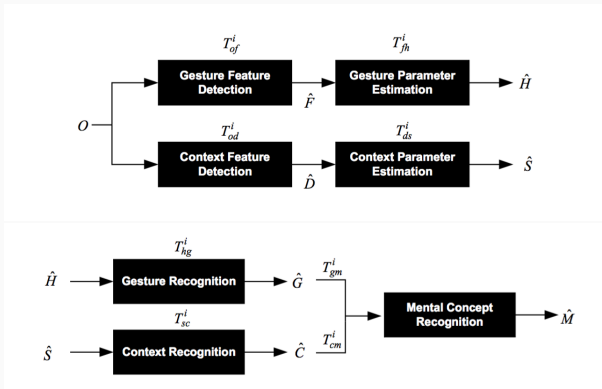


Figure 2: Overview of Gesture Model

# Marker Based Methods

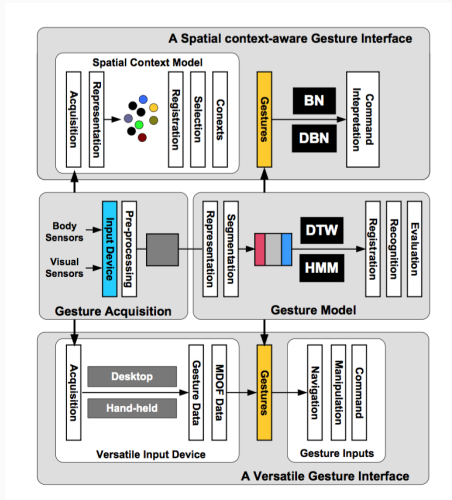


Figure 2: Gesture Model

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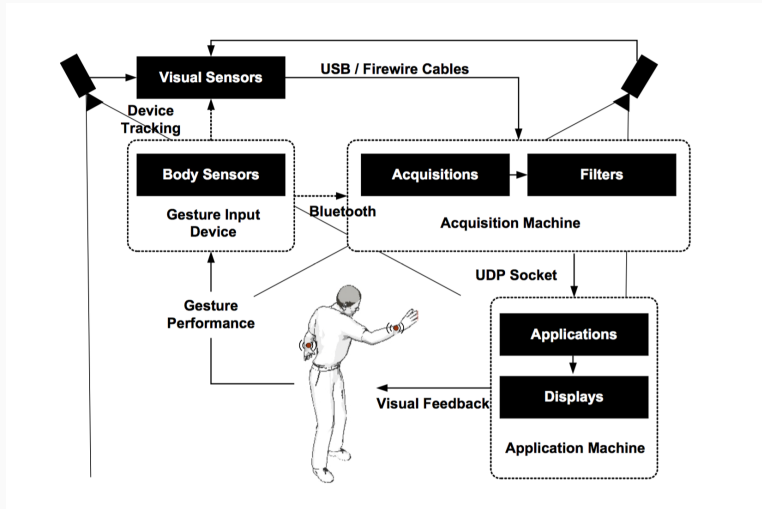


Figure 2: An Example System

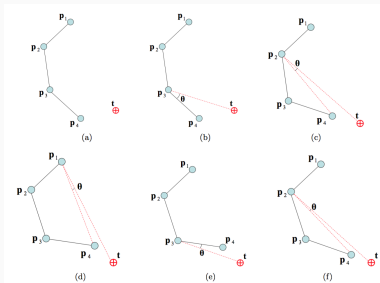
# Inverse Kinematics

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- Cyclic Coordinate Descent
- Jacobian Transpose
- FABRIK
- Neural Network

# Cyclic Coordinate Descent



## Basic Idea

- Greedy
- Iterative
- Does not care whether the target is within range

## Why

WangXin made the CCD work.

# Jacobian Transpose

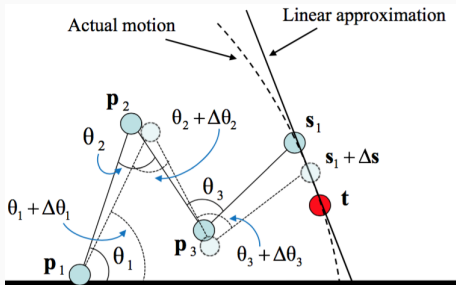


Figure 3: Jacobian Transpose

## Definitions

$J$  Partial Derivation of the entire chain system.

$\theta$  Vector of  $\theta$  values.

$s$  Vector of end effectors.

$p_j$  Position of the joints.

## Jacobian Matrix

$$J(\theta_{ij}) = \left( \frac{\partial s_i}{\partial \theta_j} \right)_{ij}$$

Where  $i = 1, \dots, k$  and  $j = 1, \dots, n$ .

In this case  $k = 1$  and  $n = 3$ .

# Jacobian Transpose

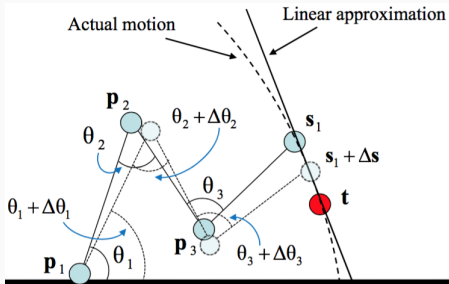


Figure 3: Jacobian Transpose

## Jacobian Transpose

Jacobian Transpose is to move the angles with a step of

$$\Delta\theta = \alpha J^T \vec{e}$$

Where  $\vec{e}$  is the vector of direction of the step and  $\alpha$  is the selected step size.

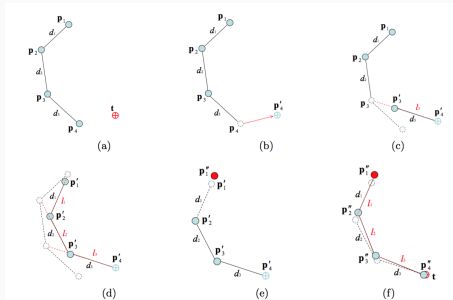


Figure 4: FABRIK

## FABRIK

Stands for Forward And Backward Reaching Inverse Kinematics.

## Definitions

$t$  Vector of targets.

$d_i$  Distance between each joint  $d_i = |p_{i+1} - p_i|$

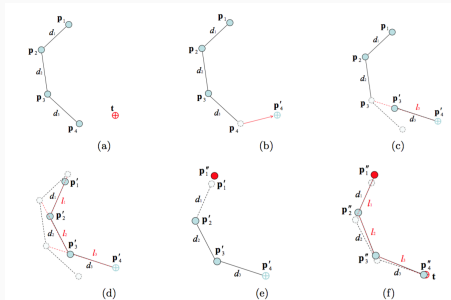


Figure 4: FABRIK

Data:  $d, t, p$

Result: The new joint positions  $p$   
initialization;

if Target is not within range then

point directly to the target and return;

else

$b = p_1$  and  $dif_A = |p_n - t|$ ;

while  $dif_A > tolerance$  do

$p_n = t$ ;

for  $i = n - 1, \dots, 1$  do

$r_i = |p_{i+1} - p_i|$ ;

$\lambda_i = \frac{d_i}{r_i}$ ;

$p_i = (i - \lambda_i)p_{i+1} - \lambda_i p_i$ ;

end

$p_1 = b$ ;

for  $i = 1, \dots, n - 1$  do

$r_i = |p_{i+1} - p_i|$ ;

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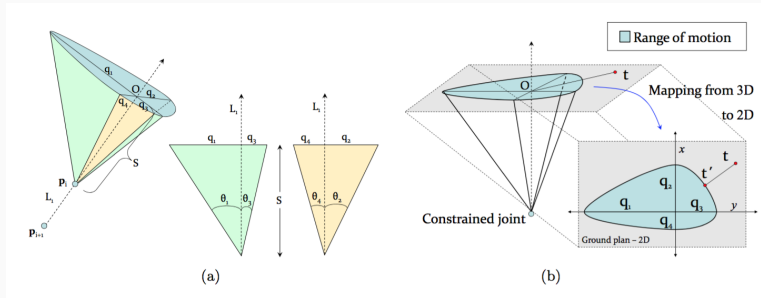
$p_i = (i - \lambda_i)p_{i+1} - \lambda_i p_i$ ;

end

end

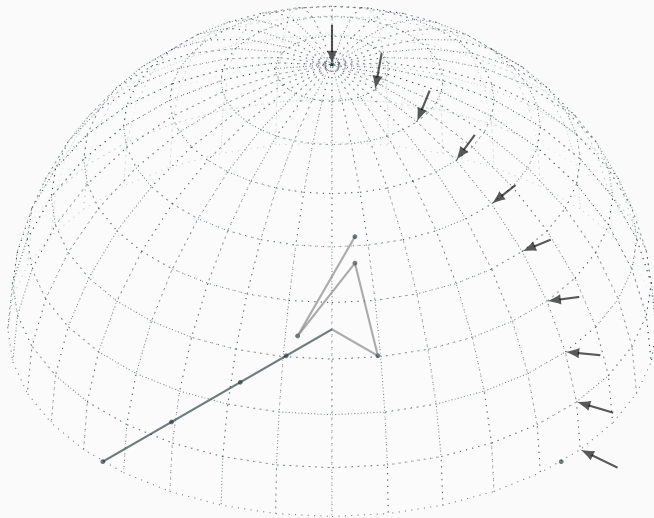
end

## FABRIK Constraints



### Figure 5: Example of Constraints in a Joint System

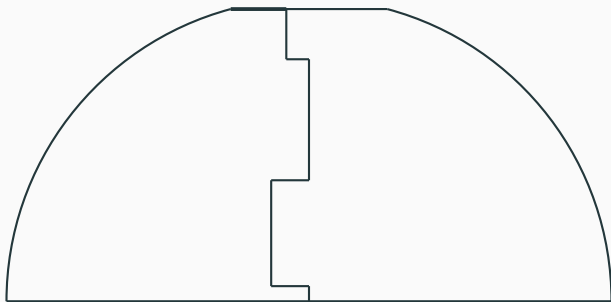
# Reachable Space



**Figure 6:** Reachable Space of a Fully Free Robot Arm



## Reachable Space for UR10

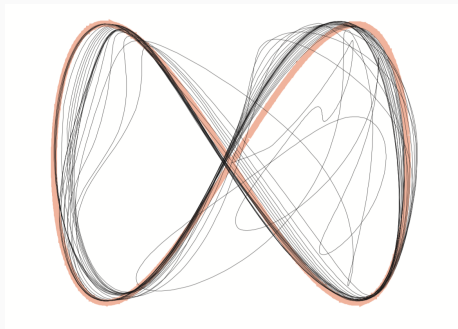


**Figure 7:** Reachable Space for UR10

# Learning Methods

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# Actions(Scenarios)



## Natural Gesture of a Robot

Unpredictability

Robustness

Gesture when reaching the end effector

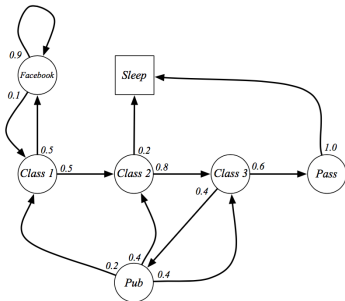
## Learning Method

Monte Carlo(policy search)

Dynamic Programming(value function)

Neural Network

# Model



$$\mathcal{P} = \begin{matrix} & \begin{matrix} C1 & C2 & C3 & Pass & Pub & FB & Sleep \end{matrix} \\ \begin{matrix} C1 \\ C2 \\ C3 \\ Pass \\ Pub \\ FB \\ Sleep \end{matrix} & \begin{bmatrix} & & & & & & \\ & 0.5 & & & & 0.5 & \\ & & 0.8 & & & & 0.2 \\ & & & 0.6 & 0.4 & & \\ 0.2 & 0.4 & 0.4 & & & & 1.0 \\ 0.1 & & & & & 0.9 & \\ & & & & & & 1 \end{bmatrix} \end{matrix}$$

## Definitions

$\pi$  Policy: mapping from states to actions

$S$  A set of States

$A$  A set of Actions

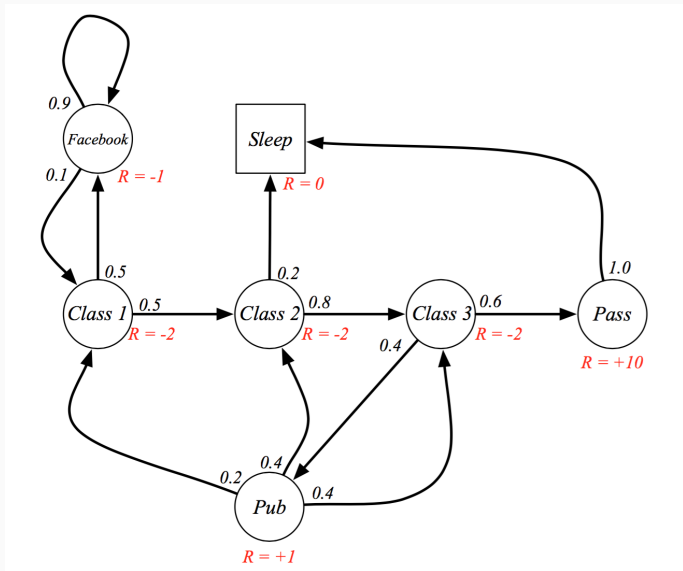
$R$  Reward Function

$P$  State transition function

$v(s)$  State Value Function of a MRP

$\gamma$  Discount Function,  $\gamma \in [0, 1]$

# Model



## Goal

Discover an optimal policy that maximizes:

$$J = E\{\sum_{h=0}^H R_h\}$$

Where  $H$  is the steps the algorithm takes

## Expanding

Expanding the above with reward settings:

$$\begin{aligned} \max_{\pi} J(\pi) &= \sum_{s,a} \mu^{\pi}(s) \pi(s,a) R(s,a) \\ \text{s.t. } \mu^{\pi} &= \sum_{s,a} \mu^{\pi}(s) \pi(s,a) T(s,a,s'), \forall s' \in S, \\ 1 &= \sum_{s,a} \mu^{\pi}(s) \pi(s,a) \\ \pi(s,a) &\leq 0, \forall s \in S, a \in A \end{aligned}$$

Where  $\mu$  is the distribution of states.

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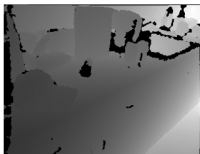
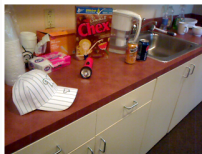
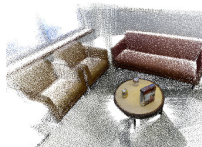
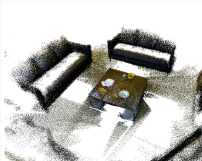
- Video Stream
- Depth Camera Stream
- 3D Reconstruction(Event Camera)

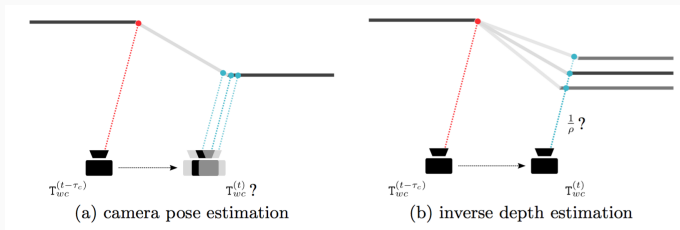


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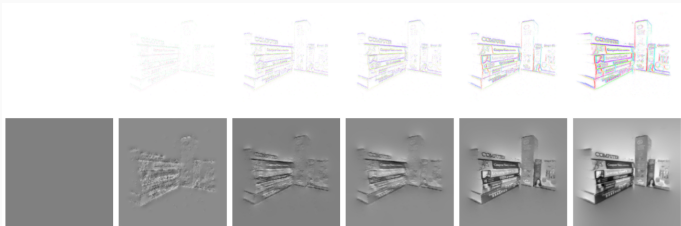


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