

ADVANCED CONTROL SYSTEMS

Manipulator Dynamics

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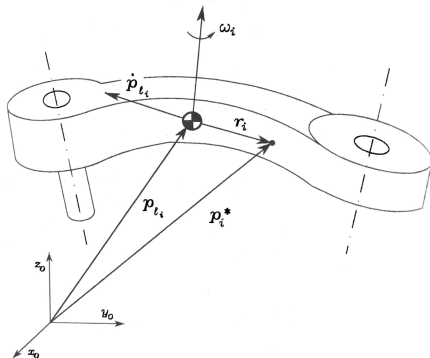
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Kinematic description of Link i



► $\Sigma_0 = \{x_0, y_0, z_0\}$ base reference frame

► m_i mass of link i

$$m_i = \int_{V_{\ell_i}} \rho dV = \int_{V_{\ell_i}} \rho(x, y, z) dx dy dz$$

► p_i^* position ($\in \mathbb{R}^3$) of the generic point w.r.t. Σ_0

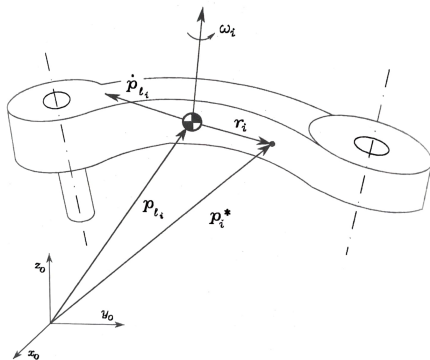
► p_{ℓ_i} position ($\in \mathbb{R}^3$) of the center of mass w.r.t. Σ_0

$$p_{\ell_i} = \frac{1}{m_{\ell_i}} \int_{V_{\ell_i}} p_i^* \rho dV$$

$$p_i^* = p_{\ell_i} + r_i$$

$$r_i = p_i^* - p_{\ell_i}$$

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- ▶ \dot{p}_{l_i} linear velocity ($\in \mathbb{R}^3$) of the center of mass w.r.t. Σ_0
- ▶ ω_i angular velocity ($\in \mathbb{R}^3$) of the center of mass w.r.t. Σ_0
- ▶ \dot{p}_i^* linear velocity ($\in \mathbb{R}^3$) of the generic point w.r.t. Σ_0

$$\begin{aligned}\dot{p}_i^* &= \dot{p}_{l_i} + \omega_i \times r_i \\ &= \dot{p}_{l_i} + S(\omega_i)r_i\end{aligned}$$

Assumption 1: rigid links

Assumption 2: rigid transmission

The total kinetic energy is given by the sum of the contributions relative to the motion of each link (\mathcal{T}_{ℓ_i}) and the contributions relative to the motion of each joint motor actuator (\mathcal{T}_{m_i})

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 &= \underbrace{\frac{1}{2} \int_{V_{\ell_i}} \dot{\mathbf{p}}_{\ell_i}^T \dot{\mathbf{p}}_{\ell_i} \rho dV}_{\text{Translational}} + \underbrace{\int_{V_{\ell_i}} (\dot{\mathbf{p}}_{\ell_i})^T \mathbf{S}(\omega_i) \mathbf{r}_i \rho dV}_{\text{Mutual}} + \underbrace{\frac{1}{2} \int_{V_{\ell_i}} \mathbf{r}_i^T \mathbf{S}(\omega_i)^T \mathbf{S}(\omega_i) \mathbf{r}_i \rho dV}_{\text{Rotational}}
 \end{aligned}$$

where the *translational energy* is the kinetic energy of a point mass at CoM

$$\underbrace{\frac{1}{2} \int_{V_{\ell_i}} \dot{\mathbf{p}}_{\ell_i}^T \dot{\mathbf{p}}_{\ell_i} \rho dV}_{\text{Translational}} \stackrel{(*)}{=} \dot{\mathbf{p}}_{\ell_i}^T \dot{\mathbf{p}}_{\ell_i} \frac{1}{2} \int_{V_{\ell_i}} \rho dV = \frac{1}{2} m_{\ell_i} \dot{\mathbf{p}}_{\ell_i}^T \dot{\mathbf{p}}_{\ell_i}$$

(\star): $\dot{\mathbf{p}}_{\ell_i}$ does not depend on dV
Dynamics 2

The *mutual energy* is equal to zero

$$\begin{aligned}
 \underbrace{\int_{V_{\ell_i}} (\dot{p}_{\ell_i})^T S(\omega_i) r_i \rho dV}_{Mutual} &= \int_{V_{\ell_i}} (\dot{p}_{\ell_i})^T S(\omega_i) (p_i^* - p_{\ell_i}) \rho dV \\
 &\stackrel{(\square)}{=} (\dot{p}_{\ell_i})^T S(\omega_i) \left(\int_{V_{\ell_i}} p_i^* \rho dV - p_{\ell_i} m_{\ell_i} \right) \\
 &= (\dot{p}_{\ell_i})^T S(\omega_i) (p_{\ell_i} m_{\ell_i} - p_{\ell_i} m_{\ell_i}) \\
 &= 0
 \end{aligned}$$

(\square): \dot{p}_{ℓ_i} and ω_i do not depend on dV

The *rotational energy*

$$\underbrace{\frac{1}{2} \int_{V_{\ell_i}} r_i^T S(\omega_i)^T S(\omega_i) r_i \rho dV}_{\text{Rotational}} \stackrel{(\Delta)}{=} \frac{1}{2} \int_{V_{\ell_i}} \omega_i^T S(r_i)^T S(r_i) \omega_i \rho dV$$

$$\stackrel{(\nabla)}{=} \frac{1}{2} \omega_i^T \left(\int_{V_{\ell_i}} S(r_i)^T S(r_i) \rho dV \right) \omega_i$$

$$\stackrel{(\Diamond)}{=} \frac{1}{2} \omega_i^T I_{\ell_i} \omega_i$$

$$(\Delta): S(\omega_i) r_i = -S(r_i) \omega_i, \quad S(r_i) = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -r_{iz} & r_{iy} \\ r_{iz} & 0 & -r_{ix} \\ -r_{iy} & r_{ix} & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

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$$(\Diamond): I_{\ell_i} \triangleq \int_{V_{\ell_i}} S(r_i)^T S(r_i) \rho dV = \begin{bmatrix} I_{\ell_i \, xx} & -I_{\ell_i \, xy} & -I_{\ell_i \, xz} \\ * & I_{\ell_i \, yy} & -I_{\ell_i \, yz} \\ * & * & I_{\ell_i \, zz} \end{bmatrix}$$

- ▶ I_{ℓ_i} is the *inertia tensor* relative to the centre of mass of Link i expressed in the base frame Σ_0
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$$\frac{1}{2} \omega_i^T I_{\ell_i} \omega_i = \frac{1}{2} (\omega_i^i)^T I_{\ell_i}^i \omega_i^i$$

(i.e. the product is invariant with respect to the chosen reference frame) and exploiting $\omega_i^i = R_i^T \omega_i$, we have

$$I_{\ell_i} = R_i I_{\ell_i}^i R_i^T,$$

$$(I_{\ell_i}^i = R_i^T I_{\ell_i} R_i)$$

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The kinetic energy is

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where \dot{p}_{ℓ_i} and ω_i are function of q (besides R_i , of course)

We actually proved the König's theorem

Theorem

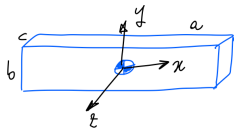
The kinetic energy of a system of particles is the sum of the kinetic energy associated to the movement of the center of mass (\star) and the kinetic energy associated to the movement of the particles relative to the center of mass (\diamond).

$$\mathcal{T}_{\ell_i} = \underbrace{\frac{1}{2} m_{\ell_i} \dot{\mathbf{p}}_{\ell_i}^T \dot{\mathbf{p}}_{\ell_i}}_{(\star)} + \underbrace{\frac{1}{2} \omega_i^T \mathbf{R}_i \mathbf{I}_{\ell_i}^i \mathbf{R}_i^T \omega_i}_{(\diamond)}$$

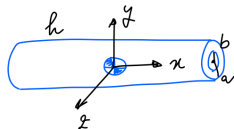
Examples of body inertia matrices

Assumptions: homogeneous body of mass m with symmetry

Body inertia matrices (w.r.t CoM): $I_C = \begin{bmatrix} I_{C,xx} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & I_{C,yy} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & I_{C,zz} \end{bmatrix}$



$$I_C = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{12}m(b^2 + c^2) & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{1}{12}m(a^2 + c^2) & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{1}{12}m(a^2 + b^2) \end{bmatrix}$$



$$I_C = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2}m(a^2 + b^2) & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{1}{2}m(3(a^2 + b^2)^2 + h^2) & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{1}{2}m(3(a^2 + b^2)^2 + h^2) \end{bmatrix}$$

Parallel axis theorem (Steiner theorem)

Theorem

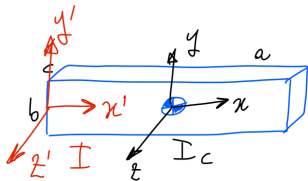
Let I_C be the inertia matrix with respect to a reference frame Σ_C with origin on the center of mass. The inertia I with respect to another reference frame Σ obtained translating Σ_C by the vector $r \in \mathbb{R}^3$ is given by

$$I = I_C + mS^T(r)S(r) = I_C + m(r^T r I_{3 \times 3} - rr^T)$$

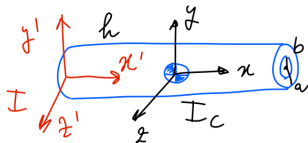
Homework. Prove

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Given $\mathcal{T}_{\ell_i} = \frac{1}{2} m_{\ell_i} \dot{\mathbf{p}}_{\ell_i}^T \dot{\mathbf{p}}_{\ell_i} + \frac{1}{2} \omega_i^T \mathbf{R}_i \mathbf{I}_{\ell_i}^i \mathbf{R}_i^T \omega_i$, how can we compute

$$\dot{\mathbf{p}}_{\ell_i}(\mathbf{q}) = ?$$

$$\omega_i(\mathbf{q}) = ?$$

We know that the Cartesian velocity of the EE is related to the joint velocity via the Jacobian; however, this relationship holds also for intermediate links $i = 1, \dots, n$ (*Partial Jacobians*)

$$\dot{\mathbf{p}}_{\ell_i} = \mathbf{J}_P^{\ell_i}(\mathbf{q}) \dot{\mathbf{q}},$$

$$\omega_i = \mathbf{J}_O^{\ell_i}(\mathbf{q}) \dot{\mathbf{q}}$$

$$\dot{\mathbf{p}}_{\ell_i} = \begin{bmatrix} j_{P1}^{\ell_i} & j_{P2}^{\ell_i} & \cdots & j_{Pi}^{\ell_i} & 0 & \cdots & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \dot{q}_1 \\ \dot{q}_2 \\ \vdots \\ \dot{q}_i \\ \dot{q}_{i+1} \\ \vdots \\ \dot{q}_n \end{bmatrix}, \quad \omega_i = \begin{bmatrix} j_{O1}^{\ell_i} & j_{O2}^{\ell_i} & \cdots & j_{Oi}^{\ell_i} & 0 & \cdots & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \dot{q}_1 \\ \dot{q}_2 \\ \vdots \\ \dot{q}_i \\ \dot{q}_{i+1} \\ \vdots \\ \dot{q}_n \end{bmatrix}$$

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The columns of the Jacobians are

$$j_{Pj}^{\ell_i} = \begin{cases} z_{j-1}, & \text{prismatic joint} \\ z_{j-1} \times (p_{\ell_i} - p_{j-1}), & \text{revolute joint} \end{cases}$$

$$j_{Oj}^{\ell_i} = \begin{cases} 0, & \text{prismatic joint} \\ z_{j-1}, & \text{revolute joint} \end{cases}$$

where

- ▶ p_{j-1} is the position vector of the origin of Frame Σ_{j-1} w.r.t. Σ_0
- ▶ z_{j-1} is the unit vector of axis z of Frame Σ_{j-1} w.r.t. Σ_0

Finally

$$\mathcal{T}_{\ell_i} = \frac{1}{2} m_{\ell_i} \dot{q}^T (J_P^{\ell_i})^T J_P^{\ell_i} \dot{q} + \frac{1}{2} \dot{q}^T (J_O^{\ell_i})^T R_i I_{\ell_i}^i R_i^T J_O^{\ell_i} \dot{q}$$

where only the blue terms depend on q

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The **total Kinetic Energy** is a configuration-dependent quadratic function in \dot{q}

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{T}(q, \dot{q}) &= \sum_{i=1}^n \mathcal{T}_{\ell_i} = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^n \left(m_{\ell_i} \dot{q}^T (J_P^{\ell_i})^T J_P^{\ell_i} \dot{q} + \dot{q}^T (J_O^{\ell_i})^T R_i I_{\ell_i}^i R_i^T J_O^{\ell_i} \dot{q} \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \dot{q}^T \left[\sum_{i=1}^n \left(m_{\ell_i} (J_P^{\ell_i})^T J_P^{\ell_i} + (J_O^{\ell_i})^T R_i I_{\ell_i}^i R_i^T J_O^{\ell_i} \right) \right] \dot{q} = \frac{1}{2} \dot{q}^T B(q) \dot{q} \end{aligned}$$

$$\mathcal{T}(q, \dot{q}) = \frac{1}{2} \dot{q}^T B(q) \dot{q}$$

where $B(q) \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ is the *inertia matrix* which is

- ▶ symmetric $B(q) = B(q)^T, \forall q \in \mathbb{R}^n$
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These properties are the same for selecting a candidate Lyapunov function... it is not a coincidence and it will be exploited later!

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Without elastic components, the potential energy is only due to the gravitational forces

$$\mathcal{U}_{\ell_i} = - \int_{V_{\ell_i}} \mathbf{g}_0^T \mathbf{p}_i^* \rho dV = -m_{\ell_i} \mathbf{g}_0^T \mathbf{p}_{\ell_i}, \quad \mathcal{U} = - \sum_{i=1}^n m_{\ell_i} \mathbf{g}_0^T \mathbf{p}_{\ell_i}$$

where \mathbf{g}_0 is the gravity acceleration vector in the base frame Σ_0 ($\mathbf{g}_0 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ -g \end{bmatrix}$)

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The position of the center of mass of the link i w.r.t. the base reference frame Σ_0 , p_{ℓ_i} , can be expressed w.r.t. the reference frame Σ_i attached to the link, $p_{\ell_i}^i$, by

$$\begin{pmatrix} p_{\ell_i} \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = T_1^0(q_1) T_2^1(q_2) \cdots T_i^{i-1}(q_i) \begin{pmatrix} p_{\ell_i}^i \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

where $T_j^{j-1}(q_j)$ are the homogeneous transformation matrices.

- ▶ *The coordinate of the CoM with respect to Σ_i , $p_{\ell_i}^i$, is constant*
- ▶ *$\mathcal{U}_i = \mathcal{U}_i(q_1, q_2, \dots, q_i)$ for open kinematic chain manipulators*
 - p_{ℓ_1} is a function of q_1 ,
 - p_{ℓ_2} is a function of q_1, q_2, \dots

“link” causality



To do

- ▶ Compute the kinetic energy
- ▶ Compute the potential energy

Equations of Motion

The Lagrangian is given by

$$\mathcal{L}(q, \dot{q}) = \mathcal{T}(q, \dot{q}) - \mathcal{U}(q) = \frac{1}{2} \dot{q}^T B(q) \dot{q} + \sum_{i=1}^n m_{\ell_i} g_0^T p_{\ell_i}$$

We have to solve

$$\frac{d}{dt} \left(\frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \dot{q}} \right)^T - \left(\frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial q} \right)^T = \tau$$

where τ_i is the generalized force performing work on the q_i generalized coordinate. τ_i is non-conservative.

Let's compute all the derivatives one by one

$$\begin{aligned} \left(\frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \dot{q}} \right)^T &= B(q) \dot{q}, & \frac{d}{dt} \left(\frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \dot{q}} \right)^T &= B(q) \ddot{q} + \dot{B}(q) \dot{q} \\ \left(\frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial q} \right)^T &= \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial q} \dot{q}^T B(q) \dot{q} \right)^T - \left(\frac{\partial \mathcal{U}}{\partial q} \right)^T \end{aligned}$$

$$B(q)\ddot{q} + \dot{B}(q)\dot{q} - \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial q} \dot{q}^T B(q) \dot{q} \right)^T + \left(\frac{\partial \mathcal{U}}{\partial q} \right)^T = \tau$$

For the i - th DOF, we have

$$\sum_{j=1}^n b_{ij}(q) \ddot{q}_j + \sum_{j=1}^n \frac{db_{ij}(q)}{dt} \dot{q}_j - \frac{1}{2} \sum_{j=1}^n \sum_{k=1}^n \frac{\partial b_{jk}(q)}{\partial q_i} \dot{q}_k \dot{q}_j - \sum_{j=1}^n m_{\ell_j} g_0^T \frac{\partial p_{\ell_j}}{\partial q_i} = \tau_i$$

and finally

$$\sum_{j=1}^n b_{ij}(q) \ddot{q}_j + \underbrace{\sum_{j=1}^n \sum_{k=1}^n \frac{\partial b_{ij}(q)}{\partial q_k} \dot{q}_k \dot{q}_j - \frac{1}{2} \sum_{j=1}^n \sum_{k=1}^n \frac{\partial b_{jk}(q)}{\partial q_i} \dot{q}_k \dot{q}_j}_{\triangleq \sum_{j=1}^n \sum_{k=1}^n h_{ijk}(q) \dot{q}_k \dot{q}_j} - \underbrace{\sum_{j=1}^n m_{\ell_j} g_0^T j_{P_i}^{\ell_j}(q)}_{\triangleq g_i(q)} = \tau_i$$

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- ▶ linear terms in acceleration \ddot{q}
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- ▶ nonlinear terms in position q

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However, there is a clever choice: *Christoffel symbols of the first type*

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Property: $c_{ijk} = c_{ikj}$

The n equations of motion

$$\sum_{j=1}^n b_{ij}(q)\ddot{q}_j + \sum_{j=1}^n c_{ij}(q, \dot{q})\dot{q}_j + g_i(q) = \tau_i, \quad i = 1, \dots, n$$

can be written more compactly as

$$B(q)\ddot{q} + C(q, \dot{q})\dot{q} + g(q) = \tau$$

If we have to take into account friction (*viscous friction* $F_v\dot{q}$, *Coulomb friction* $F_s\text{sign}(\dot{q})$)

$$B(q)\ddot{q} + C(q, \dot{q})\dot{q} + F_v\dot{q} + F_s\text{sign}(\dot{q}) + g(q) = \tau$$

If the end-effector interacts with the environment via the *external wrench* h_e we end up with

$$B(q)\ddot{q} + C(q, \dot{q})\dot{q} + F_v\dot{q} + F_s\text{sign}(\dot{q}) + g(q) = \tau - J^T(q)h_e$$

Set of n nonlinear second-order differential equations.



To do

- ▶ equations of motion (dynamic model)