



CS65K Robotics

Modelling, Planning and Control

Chapter 3: Differential Kinematics and Statics

Section 3.5-3.9

LECTURE 8: INVERSE DIFFERENTIAL KINEMATICS AND INVERSE JACOBIAN

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Objectives

- The inverse kinematics problem is reformulated as the convergence of a suitable closed-loop scheme
- A Jacobian (pseudo-)inverse algorithm is introduced
- An alternative Jacobian transpose algorithm is derived

Objectives

- Different expressions for the orientation error are considered for the inverse kinematics algorithms
- The **angle** and **axis** representation leads to a compact formula for the orientation error
- The unit quaternion representation allows using the geometric Jacobian

Objectives

- The above first-order inverse kinematics algorithms are extended to the second order
- **Joint acceleration** solutions are computed
- Results of simulations and experiments for the various algorithms are compared

Jacobian Matrix

SECTION 1

Jacobian Matrix

$$\begin{bmatrix} \dot{x} \\ \dot{y} \\ \dot{z} \\ \dot{\omega}_x \\ \dot{\omega}_y \\ \dot{\omega}_z \end{bmatrix} = J \begin{bmatrix} \dot{q}_1 \\ \dot{q}_2 \\ \vdots \\ \dot{q}_n \end{bmatrix}$$

$$I = A A^{-1}$$

$$I = A^{-1} A$$

$$I = J J^{-1}$$

Jacobian Matrix

$$J^{-1}J \begin{bmatrix} \dot{q}_1 \\ \dot{q}_2 \\ \vdots \\ \dot{q}_n \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \dot{q}_1 \\ \dot{q}_2 \\ \vdots \\ \dot{q}_n \end{bmatrix} = J^{-1} \begin{bmatrix} \dot{x} \\ \dot{y} \\ \dot{z} \\ \dot{\omega}_x \\ \dot{\omega}_y \\ \dot{\omega}_z \end{bmatrix}$$

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How to find the Joint Variables

$$\begin{bmatrix} \dot{q}_1 \\ \dot{q}_2 \\ \vdots \\ \dot{q}_n \end{bmatrix} = J^{-1} \begin{bmatrix} \dot{x} \\ \dot{y} \\ \dot{z} \\ \dot{\omega}_x \\ \dot{\omega}_y \\ \dot{\omega}_z \end{bmatrix}$$

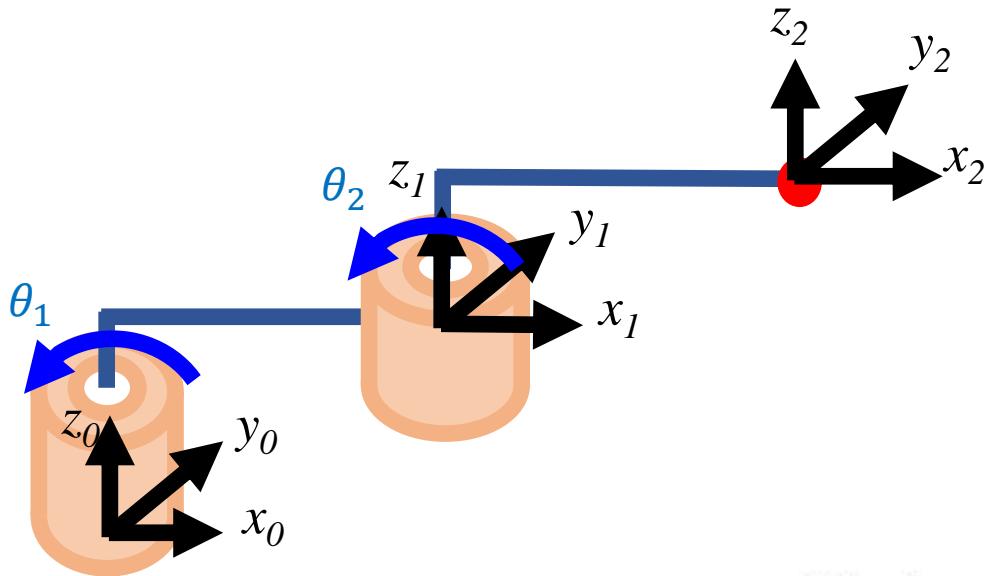
$$\Delta(q_i(t) - q_i(0)) = \dot{q}_i t$$

$$q_i(t) = q_i(0) + \dot{q}_i t$$

Simplified SCARA Manipulator

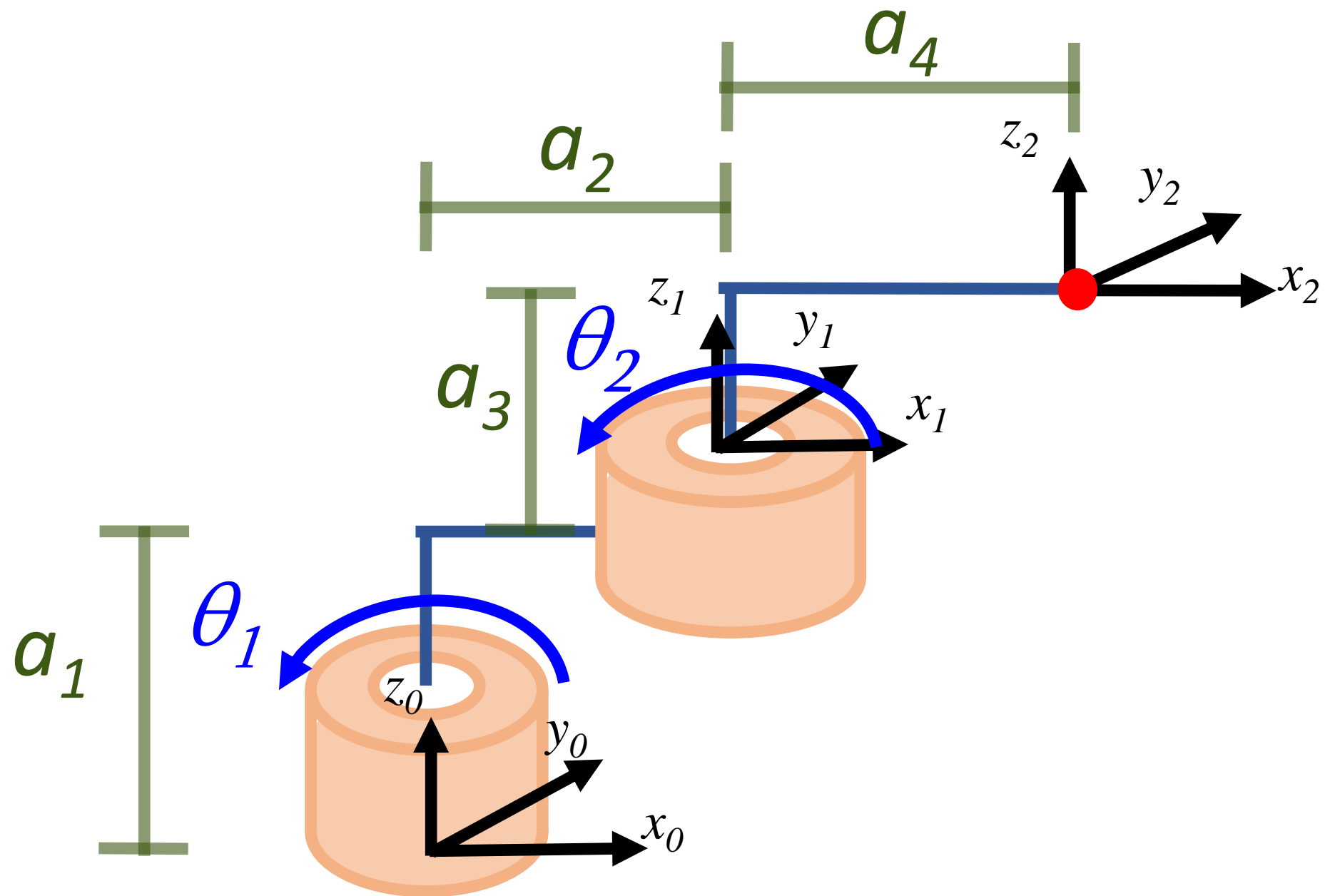
SECTION 2

Simplified Rotational Matrix and Jacobian Matrix




$$\begin{bmatrix} \dot{x} \\ \dot{y} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} J_{11} & J_{12} \\ J_{21} & J_{22} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \dot{\theta}_1 \\ \dot{\theta}_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{If } A = \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix} \text{ then } A^{-1} = \frac{1}{ad-bc} \begin{bmatrix} d & -b \\ -c & a \end{bmatrix}$$



$$R = R_1^0 = \begin{bmatrix} \cos(\theta_1) & -\sin(\theta_1) & 0 \\ \sin(\theta_1) & \cos(\theta_1) & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$d_1^0 = \begin{bmatrix} a_2 \cos(\theta_1) \\ a_2 \sin(\theta_1) \\ a_1 \end{bmatrix}$$



The diagram illustrates the assembly of the homogeneous transformation matrix H_1^0 . A blue arrow points from the rotation matrix R to the top-left 3x3 submatrix of H_1^0 . A green arrow points from the offset vector d_1^0 to the top two rows of the third column of H_1^0 .

$$H_1^0 = \begin{bmatrix} \cos(\theta_1) & -\sin(\theta_1) & 0 \\ \sin(\theta_1) & \cos(\theta_1) & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a_2 \cos(\theta_1) \\ a_2 \sin(\theta_1) \\ a_1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$R = R_2^1 = \begin{bmatrix} \cos(\theta_2) & -\sin(\theta_2) & 0 \\ \sin(\theta_2) & \cos(\theta_2) & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$d_2^1 = \begin{bmatrix} a_4 \cos(\theta_2) \\ a_4 \sin(\theta_2) \\ a_3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$H_2^1 = \begin{bmatrix} \cos(\theta_2) & -\sin(\theta_2) & 0 \\ \sin(\theta_2) & \cos(\theta_2) & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a_4 \cos(\theta_2) \\ a_4 \sin(\theta_2) \\ a_3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$H_2^0 = H_1^0 H_2^1$$

$$H_2^0 = \begin{bmatrix} \cos(\theta_1) & -\sin(\theta_1) & 0 & a_2 \cos(\theta_1) \\ \sin(\theta_1) & \cos(\theta_1) & 0 & a_2 \sin(\theta_1) \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & a_1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \cos(\theta_2) & -\sin(\theta_2) & 0 & a_4 \cos(\theta_2) \\ \sin(\theta_2) & \cos(\theta_2) & 0 & a_4 \sin(\theta_2) \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & a_3 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} c\theta_1 & -s\theta_1 & 0 & a_2 c\theta_1 \\ s\theta_1 & c\theta_1 & 0 & a_2 s\theta_1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & a_1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} c\theta_2 & -s\theta_2 & 0 & a_4 c\theta_2 \\ s\theta_2 & c\theta_2 & 0 & a_4 s\theta_2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & a_3 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} c\theta_1 c\theta_2 - s\theta_1 s\theta_2 & -c\theta_1 s\theta_2 - s\theta_1 c\theta_2 & 0 & a_4 c\theta_1 c\theta_2 - a_4 s\theta_1 s\theta_2 + a_2 c\theta_1 \\ s\theta_1 c\theta_2 + c\theta_1 s\theta_2 & -s\theta_1 s\theta_2 + c\theta_1 c\theta_2 & 0 & a_4 s\theta_1 c\theta_2 + a_4 c\theta_1 s\theta_2 + a_2 s\theta_1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & a_1 + a_3 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

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$$Z_0 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \Omega_0 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$Z_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \Omega_1 = \begin{bmatrix} a_2 c\theta_1 \\ a_2 s\theta_1 \\ a_1 \end{bmatrix} = d_1 = \begin{bmatrix} d_{11} \\ d_{12} \\ d_{13} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$Z_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \Omega_2 = \begin{bmatrix} a_4 c\theta_1 c\theta_2 - a_4 s\theta_1 s\theta_2 + a_2 c\theta_1 \\ a_4 s\theta_1 c\theta_2 + a_4 c\theta_1 s\theta_2 + a_2 s\theta_1 \\ a_1 + a_3 \end{bmatrix} = d_2 = \begin{bmatrix} d_{21} \\ d_{22} \\ d_{23} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \dot{x} \\ \dot{y} \\ \dot{z} \\ \omega_x \\ \omega_y \\ \omega_z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} ? & ? \\ ? & ? \\ ? & ? \\ 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \dot{\theta}_1 \\ \dot{\theta}_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

	Prismatic	Revolute
Linear	$R_{i-1}^0 \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$	$R_{i-1}^0 \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \times (d_n - d_{i-1})$
Rotational	$\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$	$R_{i-1}^0 \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$

$$Z_0 \times (d_2 - d_0) = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \times \begin{bmatrix} d_{21} \\ d_{22} \\ d_{23} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} i & j & k \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ d_{21} & d_{22} & d_{23} \end{vmatrix} = -d_{22}i + d_{21}j + 0k = \begin{bmatrix} -d_{22} \\ d_{21} \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$Z_1 \times (d_2 - d_1) = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \times \begin{bmatrix} d_{21} - d_{11} \\ d_{22} - d_{12} \\ d_{23} - d_{13} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} i & j & k \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ d_{21} - d_{11} & d_{22} - d_{12} & d_{23} - d_{13} \end{vmatrix} = (d_{12} - d_{22})i + (d_{22} - d_{12})j + 0k$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \dot{x} \\ \dot{y} \\ \dot{z} \\ \omega_x \\ \omega_y \\ \omega_z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} J_{11} & J_{12} \\ J_{21} & J_{22} \\ 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \dot{\theta}_1 \\ \dot{\theta}_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \dot{x} \\ \dot{y} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} J_{11} & J_{12} \\ J_{21} & J_{22} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \dot{\theta}_1 \\ \dot{\theta}_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\omega_z = \dot{\theta}_1 + \dot{\theta}_2$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} J_{11} & J_{12} \\ J_{21} & J_{22} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -a_4 s\theta_1 c\theta_2 - a_4 c\theta_1 s\theta_2 - a_2 s\theta_1 & -a_4 s\theta_1 c\theta_2 - a_4 c\theta_1 s\theta_2 \\ a_4 c\theta_1 c\theta_2 - a_4 s\theta_1 s\theta_2 + a_2 c\theta_1 & a_4 c\theta_1 c\theta_2 - a_4 s\theta_1 s\theta_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \dot{x} \\ \dot{y} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} J_{11} & J_{12} \\ J_{21} & J_{22} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \dot{\theta}_1 \\ \dot{\theta}_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \dot{\theta}_1 \\ \dot{\theta}_2 \end{bmatrix} = J^{-1} \begin{bmatrix} \dot{x} \\ \dot{y} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$J^{-1} = \frac{\begin{bmatrix} J_{22} & -J_{12} \\ -J_{21} & J_{11} \end{bmatrix}}{\begin{vmatrix} J_{11} & J_{12} \\ J_{21} & J_{22} \end{vmatrix}}}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \dot{\theta}_1 &= J^{-1}_{11} \dot{x} + J^{-1}_{12} \dot{y} \\ \dot{\theta}_2 &= J^{-1}_{21} \dot{x} + J^{-1}_{22} \dot{y} \end{aligned}$$

Closed-loop Solutions

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Algorithmic Solutions

$$\mathbf{q}(t_{k+1}) = \mathbf{q}(t_k) + \mathbf{J}^{-1}(\mathbf{q}(t_k))\mathbf{v}_e(t_k)\Delta t$$

- Solution drift

Operational space error

$$\mathbf{e} = \mathbf{x}_d - \mathbf{x}_e$$

- Differentiating ...

$$\dot{\mathbf{e}} = \dot{\mathbf{x}}_d - \dot{\mathbf{x}}_e$$

$$= \dot{\mathbf{x}}_d - \mathbf{J}_A(\mathbf{q})\dot{\mathbf{q}}$$

- Find

$$\dot{\mathbf{q}} = \dot{\mathbf{q}}(\mathbf{e}) : \mathbf{e} \rightarrow \mathbf{0}$$

Jacobian (Pseudo-)Inverse

Error dynamics linearization

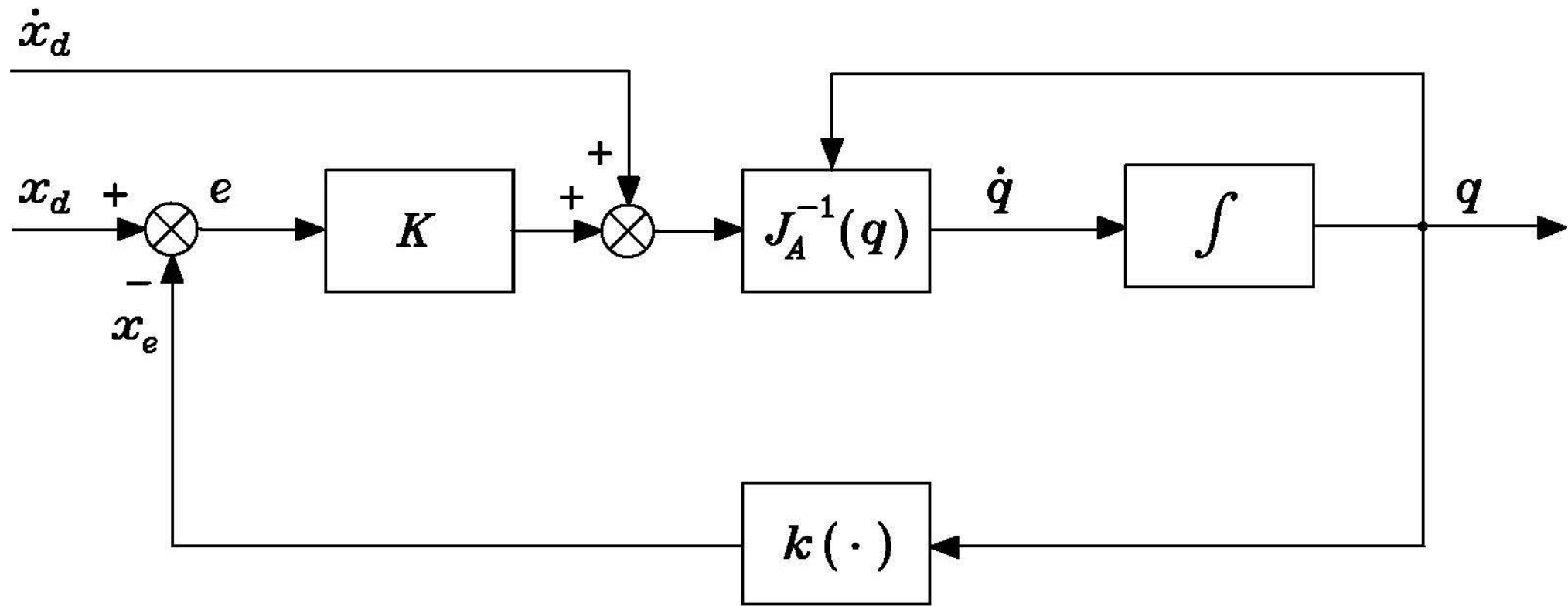
$$\dot{\mathbf{q}} = \mathbf{J}_A^{-1}(\mathbf{q})(\dot{\mathbf{x}}_d + \mathbf{K} \mathbf{e})$$

\Downarrow

$$\dot{\mathbf{e}} + \mathbf{K} \mathbf{e} = \mathbf{0} \quad \mathbf{K} > \mathbf{0} \text{ (asymptotic stability)}$$

- For a *redundant* manipulator

$$\dot{\mathbf{q}} = \mathbf{J}_A^\dagger(\dot{\mathbf{x}}_d + \mathbf{K} \mathbf{e}) + (\mathbf{I}_n - \mathbf{J}_A^\dagger \mathbf{J}_A) \dot{\mathbf{q}}_0$$



Block scheme of the inverse kinematics algorithm with Jacobian inverse

Jacobian Transpose

$\dot{\mathbf{q}} = \dot{\mathbf{q}}(\mathbf{e})$ without linearizing error dynamics

- Lyapunov method

$$V(\mathbf{e}) = \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{e}^T \mathbf{K} \mathbf{e} \quad V(\mathbf{e}) > 0 \quad \forall \mathbf{e} \neq \mathbf{0}$$

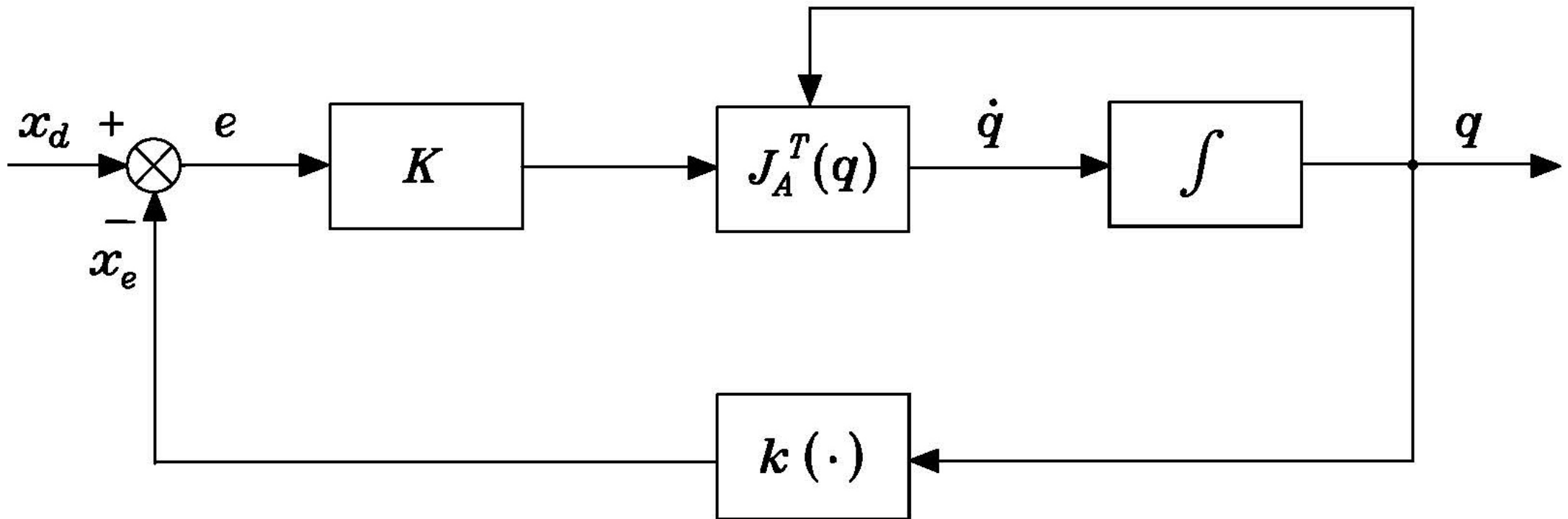
- Differentiating ...

$$\dot{V} = \mathbf{e}^T \mathbf{K} \dot{\mathbf{x}}_d - \mathbf{e}^T \mathbf{K} \dot{\mathbf{x}}_e = \mathbf{e}^T \mathbf{K} \dot{\mathbf{x}}_d - \mathbf{e}^T \mathbf{K} \mathbf{J}_A(\mathbf{q}) \dot{\mathbf{q}}$$

$$\dot{\mathbf{q}} = \mathbf{J}_A^T(\mathbf{q}) \mathbf{K} \mathbf{e} \implies \dot{V} = \mathbf{e}^T \mathbf{K} \dot{\mathbf{x}}_d - \mathbf{e}^T \mathbf{K} \mathbf{J}_A(\mathbf{q}) \mathbf{J}_A^T(\mathbf{q}) \mathbf{K} \mathbf{e}$$

Jacobian Transpose

- If $\dot{\mathbf{x}}_d = \mathbf{0} \implies \dot{V} < 0$ with $V > 0$ (*asymptotic stability*)
 - If $\mathcal{N}(\mathbf{J}_A^T) \neq \emptyset \implies \dot{V} = 0$ if $\mathbf{K}\mathbf{e} \in \mathcal{N}(\mathbf{J}_A^T)$ then $\dot{\mathbf{q}} = \mathbf{0}$ with $\mathbf{e} \neq \mathbf{0}$ (stuck?)
- If $\dot{\mathbf{x}}_d \neq \mathbf{0} \implies$ bounded \mathbf{e} (increasing norm of \mathbf{K}) ... $\mathbf{e}(\infty) \rightarrow \mathbf{0}$



Block scheme of the inverse kinematics algorithm with Jacobian transpose

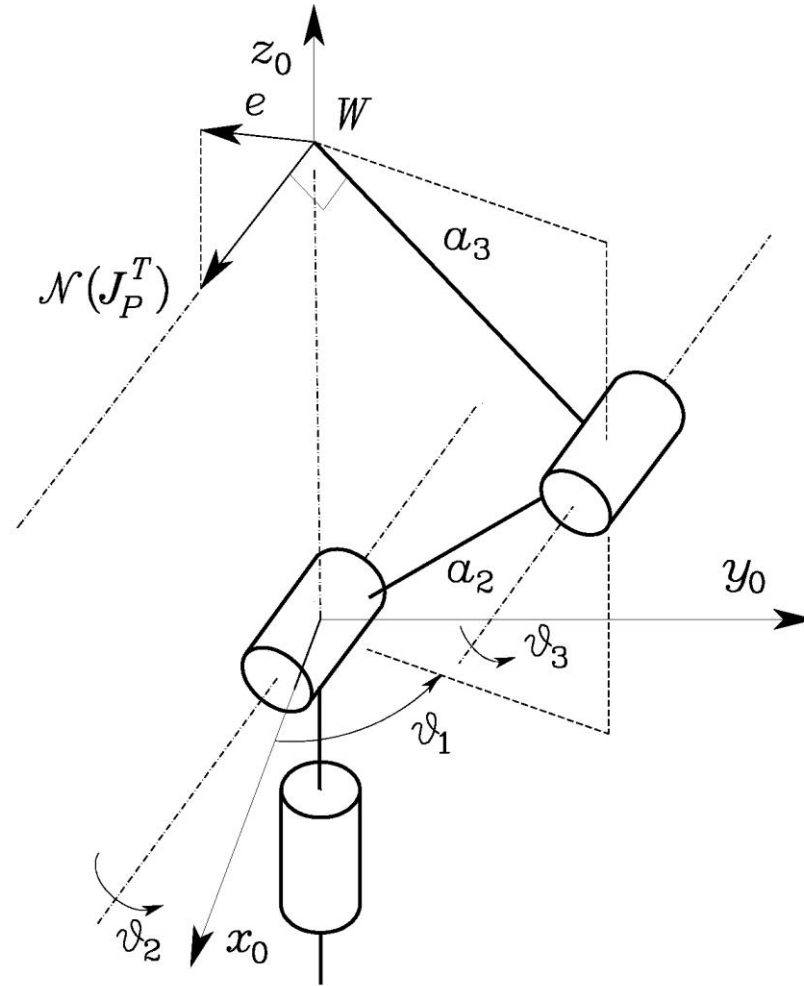
Anthropomorphic Arm

Null space (shoulder singularity)

$$\mathbf{J}_P^T = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -c_1(a_2 s_2 + a_3 s_{23}) & -s_1(a_2 s_2 + a_3 s_{23}) & 0 \\ -a_3 c_1 s_{23} & -a_3 s_1 s_{23} & a_3 c_{23} \end{bmatrix}$$

- If desired path is along the line normal to the plane of the structure at the intersection with the wrist point

$$\frac{\nu_y}{\nu_x} = -\frac{1}{\tan \vartheta_1} \quad \nu_z = 0$$



Characterization of the anthropomorphic arm at a shoulder singularity for the admissible solutions of the Jacobian transpose algorithm

Orientation Error

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Euler Angles

Position Error

$$\mathbf{e}_P = \mathbf{p}_d - \mathbf{p}_e(\mathbf{q})$$

$$\dot{\mathbf{e}}_P = \dot{\mathbf{p}}_d - \dot{\mathbf{p}}_e$$

Euler Angles

$$\mathbf{e}_O = \dot{\phi}_d - \dot{\phi}_e(\mathbf{q})$$

$$\dot{\mathbf{e}}_O = \dot{\phi}_d - \dot{\phi}_e$$

$$\dot{\mathbf{q}} = \mathbf{J}_A^{-1}(\mathbf{q}) \begin{bmatrix} \dot{\mathbf{p}}_d + \mathbf{K}_P \mathbf{e}_P \\ \dot{\phi}_d + \mathbf{K}_O \mathbf{e}_O \end{bmatrix}$$

- Easy to specify $\phi_d(t)$
- Requires computation of ϕ_e with inverse formulae from $\mathbf{R}_e = [\mathbf{n}_e \quad \mathbf{s}_e \quad \mathbf{a}_e]$

Manipulator with spherical wrist

- Compute $\mathbf{q}_P \Rightarrow \mathbf{R}_W$
- Compute $\mathbf{R}_W^T \mathbf{R}_d \Rightarrow \mathbf{q}_O$ (ZYZ Euler angles)

Angle and Axis

$$\mathbf{R}(\vartheta, \mathbf{r}) = \mathbf{R}_d \mathbf{R}_e^T(\mathbf{q})$$

Orientation Error

$$\mathbf{e}_O = \mathbf{r} \sin \vartheta \quad -\pi/2 < \vartheta < \pi/2$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}(\mathbf{n}_e(\mathbf{q}) \times \mathbf{n}_d + \mathbf{s}_e(\mathbf{q}) \times \mathbf{s}_d + \mathbf{a}_e(\mathbf{q}) \times \mathbf{a}_d) \quad \mathbf{n}_e^T \mathbf{n}_d \geq 0, \mathbf{s}_e^T \mathbf{s}_d \geq 0, \mathbf{a}_e^T \mathbf{a}_d \geq 0$$

• Differentiating ...

$$\dot{\mathbf{e}}_O = \mathbf{L}^T \boldsymbol{\omega}_d - \mathbf{L} \boldsymbol{\omega}_e \quad \mathbf{L} = -\frac{1}{2}(\mathbf{S}(\mathbf{n}_d)\mathbf{S}(\mathbf{n}_e) + \mathbf{S}(\mathbf{s}_d)\mathbf{S}(\mathbf{s}_e) + \mathbf{S}(\mathbf{a}_d)\mathbf{S}(\mathbf{a}_e))$$

$$\dot{\mathbf{e}} = \begin{bmatrix} \dot{\mathbf{e}}_P \\ \dot{\mathbf{e}}_O \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \dot{\mathbf{p}}_d - \mathbf{J}_P(\mathbf{q})\dot{\mathbf{q}} \\ \mathbf{L}^T \boldsymbol{\omega}_d - \mathbf{L} \mathbf{J}_O(\mathbf{q})\dot{\mathbf{q}} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \dot{\mathbf{p}}_d \\ \mathbf{L}^T \boldsymbol{\omega}_d \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{I} & \mathbf{O} \\ \mathbf{O} & \mathbf{L} \end{bmatrix} \mathbf{J} \dot{\mathbf{q}}$$

$$\dot{\mathbf{q}} = \mathbf{J}^{-1}(\mathbf{q}) \begin{bmatrix} \dot{\mathbf{p}}_d + \mathbf{K}_P \mathbf{e}_P \\ \mathbf{L}^{-1} (\mathbf{L}^T \boldsymbol{\omega}_d + \mathbf{K}_O \mathbf{e}_O) \end{bmatrix}$$

Unit Quaternion

$$\Delta \mathcal{Q} = \mathcal{Q}_d * \mathcal{Q}_e^{-1}$$

Orientation Error

$$\mathbf{e}_O = \Delta \boldsymbol{\epsilon} = \eta_e(\mathbf{q})\boldsymbol{\epsilon}_d - \eta_d\boldsymbol{\epsilon}_e(\mathbf{q}) - \mathbf{S}(\boldsymbol{\epsilon}_d)\boldsymbol{\epsilon}_e(\mathbf{q})$$

$$\dot{\mathbf{q}} = \mathbf{J}^{-1}(\mathbf{q}) \begin{bmatrix} \dot{\mathbf{p}}_d + \mathbf{K}_P \mathbf{e}_P \\ \boldsymbol{\omega}_d + \mathbf{K}_O \mathbf{e}_O \end{bmatrix} \implies \boldsymbol{\omega}_d - \boldsymbol{\omega}_e + \mathbf{K}_O \mathbf{e}_O = \mathbf{0} \text{ (nonlinear error dynamics)}$$

- Quaternion propagation

$$\dot{\eta}_e = -\frac{1}{2}\boldsymbol{\epsilon}_e^T \boldsymbol{\omega}_e \quad \dot{\boldsymbol{\epsilon}}_e = \frac{1}{2}(\eta_e \mathbf{I}_3 - \mathbf{S}(\boldsymbol{\epsilon}_e)) \boldsymbol{\omega}_e$$

Stability analysis

$$V = (\eta_d - \eta_e)^2 + (\boldsymbol{\epsilon}_d - \boldsymbol{\epsilon}_e)^T (\boldsymbol{\epsilon}_d - \boldsymbol{\epsilon}_e) \quad \dot{V} = -\mathbf{e}_O^T \mathbf{K}_O \mathbf{e}_O$$

Second-order Inverse Kinematics Algorithm

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Second-order Inverse Kinematics Algorithm

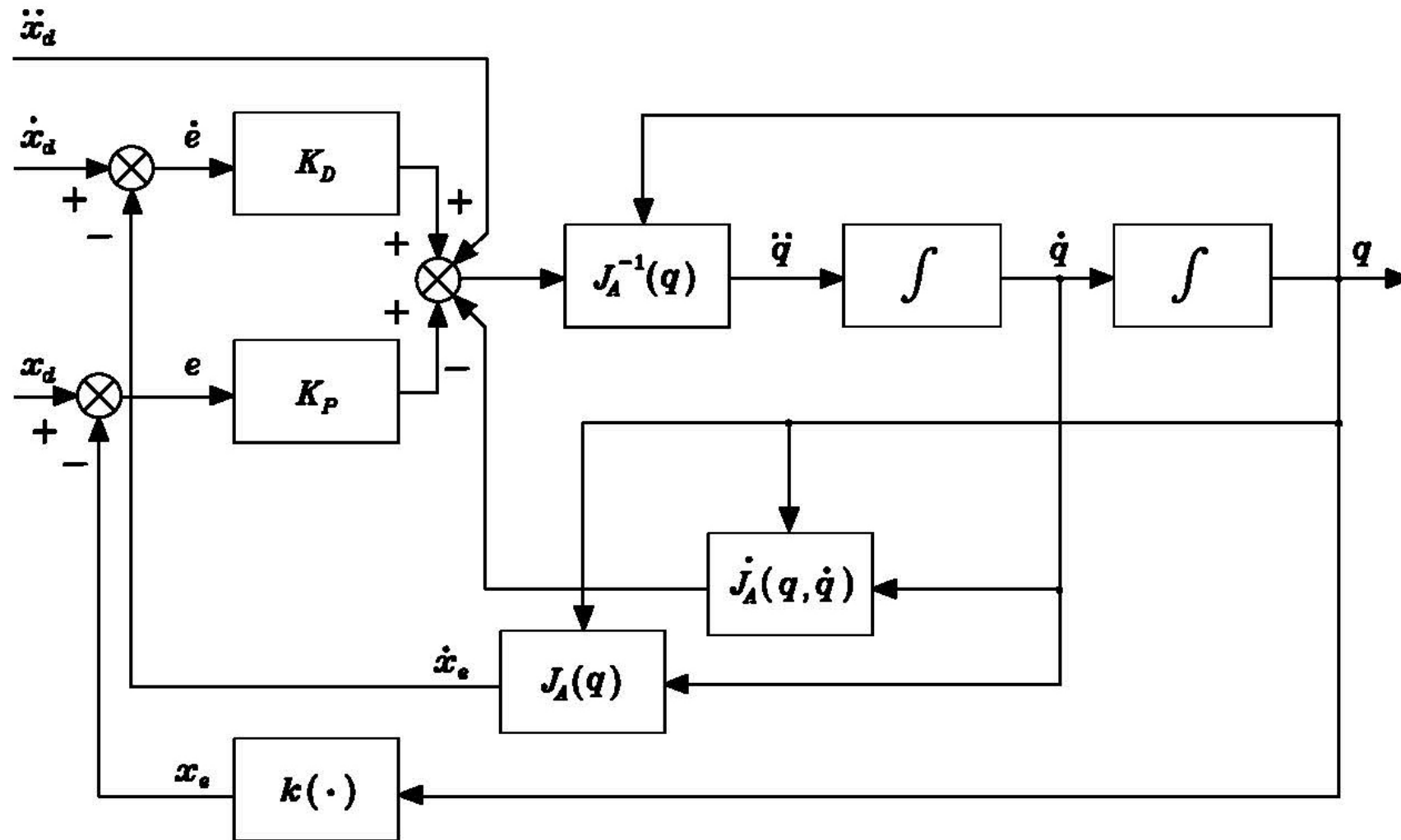
- Differentiating ...

$$\dot{\mathbf{x}}_e = \mathbf{J}_A(\mathbf{q})\dot{\mathbf{q}}$$

Error dynamics

$$\ddot{\mathbf{x}}_e = \mathbf{J}_A(\mathbf{q})\ddot{\mathbf{q}} + \dot{\mathbf{J}}_A(\mathbf{q}, \dot{\mathbf{q}})\dot{\mathbf{q}}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\ddot{\mathbf{e}} &= \ddot{\mathbf{x}}_d - \mathbf{J}_A(\mathbf{q})\ddot{\mathbf{q}} - \dot{\mathbf{J}}_A(\mathbf{q}, \dot{\mathbf{q}})\dot{\mathbf{q}} \\ \ddot{\mathbf{q}} &= \mathbf{J}_A^{-1}(\mathbf{q}) \left(\ddot{\mathbf{x}}_d + \mathbf{K}_D\dot{\mathbf{e}} + \mathbf{K}_P\mathbf{e} - \dot{\mathbf{J}}_A(\mathbf{q}, \dot{\mathbf{q}})\dot{\mathbf{q}} \right) \implies \ddot{\mathbf{e}} + \mathbf{K}_D\dot{\mathbf{e}} + \mathbf{K}_P\mathbf{e} = \mathbf{0} \\ &\mathbf{K}_P, \mathbf{K}_D > \mathbf{0} \text{ (asymptotic stability)}\end{aligned}$$



Block scheme of the second-order inverse kinematics algorithm with Jacobian inverse

Comparison Among Inverse Kinematics Algorithms

Three-link Planar Arm

$$\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{k}(\mathbf{q})$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} p_x \\ p_y \\ \phi \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a_1 c_1 + a_2 c_{12} + a_3 c_{123} \\ a_1 s_1 + a_2 s_{12} + a_3 s_{123} \\ \vartheta_1 + \vartheta_2 + \vartheta_3 \end{bmatrix}$$

- $a_1 = a_2 = a_3 = 0.5 \text{ m}$

$$\mathbf{J}_A = \begin{bmatrix} -a_1 s_1 - a_2 s_{12} - a_3 s_{123} & -a_2 s_{12} - a_3 s_{123} & -a_3 s_{123} \\ a_1 c_1 + a_2 c_{12} + a_3 c_{123} & a_2 c_{12} + a_3 c_{123} & a_3 c_{123} \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Comparison Among Inverse Kinematics Algorithms

Desired trajectory

$$\mathbf{q}_i = [\pi \quad -\pi/2 \quad -\pi/2]^T \text{ rad} \implies \mathbf{p}_{di} = [0 \quad 0.5]^T \text{ m}, \phi_{di} = 0 \text{ rad}$$

$$\mathbf{p}_d(t) = \begin{bmatrix} 0.25(1 - \cos \pi t) \\ 0.25(2 + \sin \pi t) \end{bmatrix} \quad \phi_d(t) = \sin \frac{\pi}{24} t \quad 0 \leq t \leq 4$$

MATLAB simulation with Euler numerical integration

$$\mathbf{q}(t_{k+1}) = \mathbf{q}(t_k) + \dot{\mathbf{q}}(t_k)\Delta t \quad \Delta t = 1 \text{ ms}$$

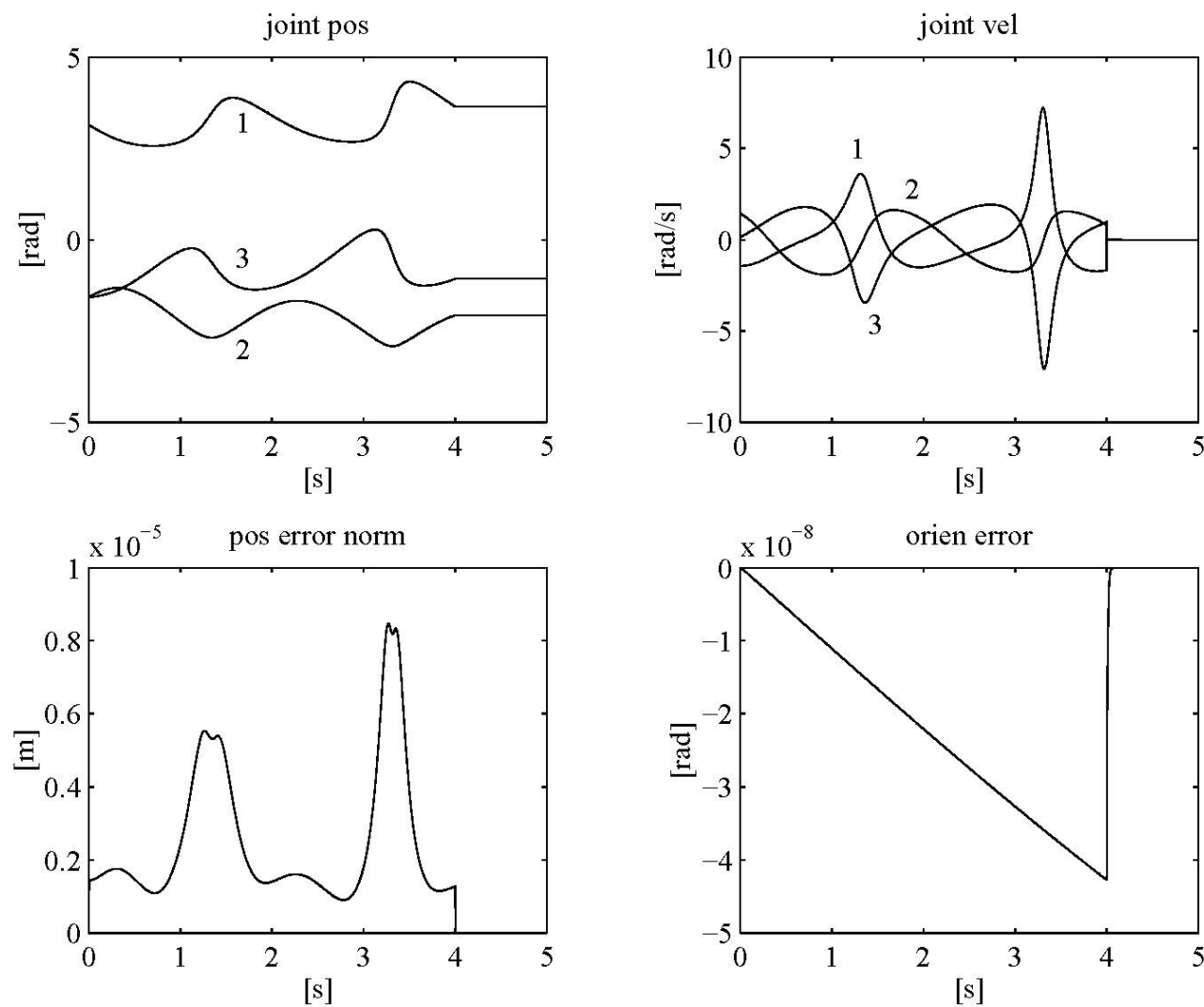
Open-loop Vs. Closed-loop Inverse Kinematics

Open-loop Inverse Jacobian Algorithm

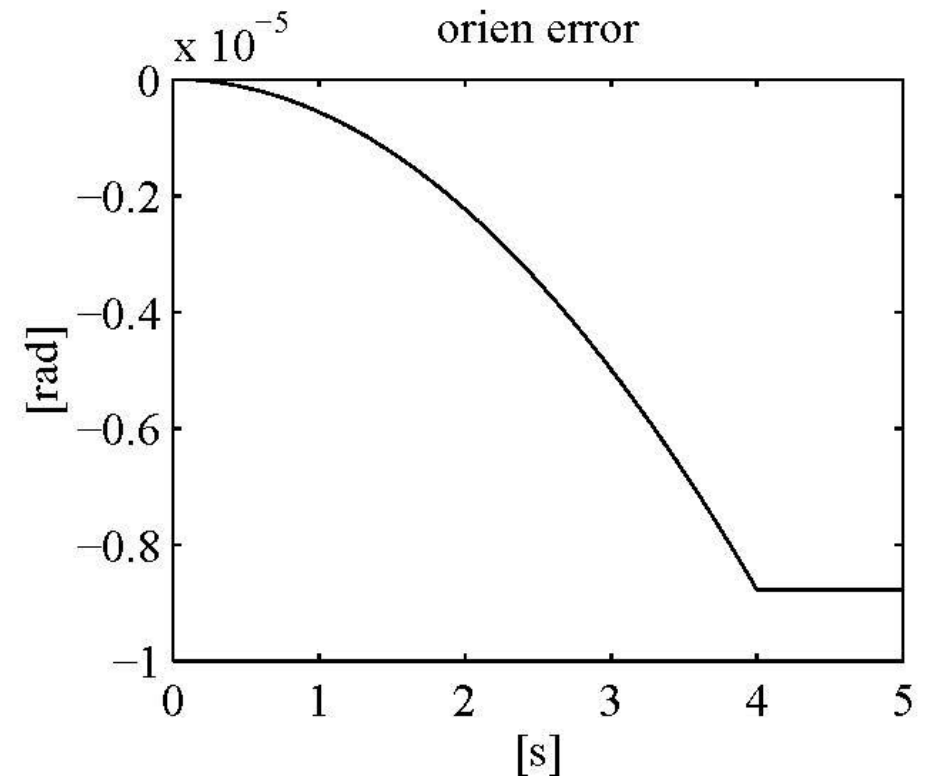
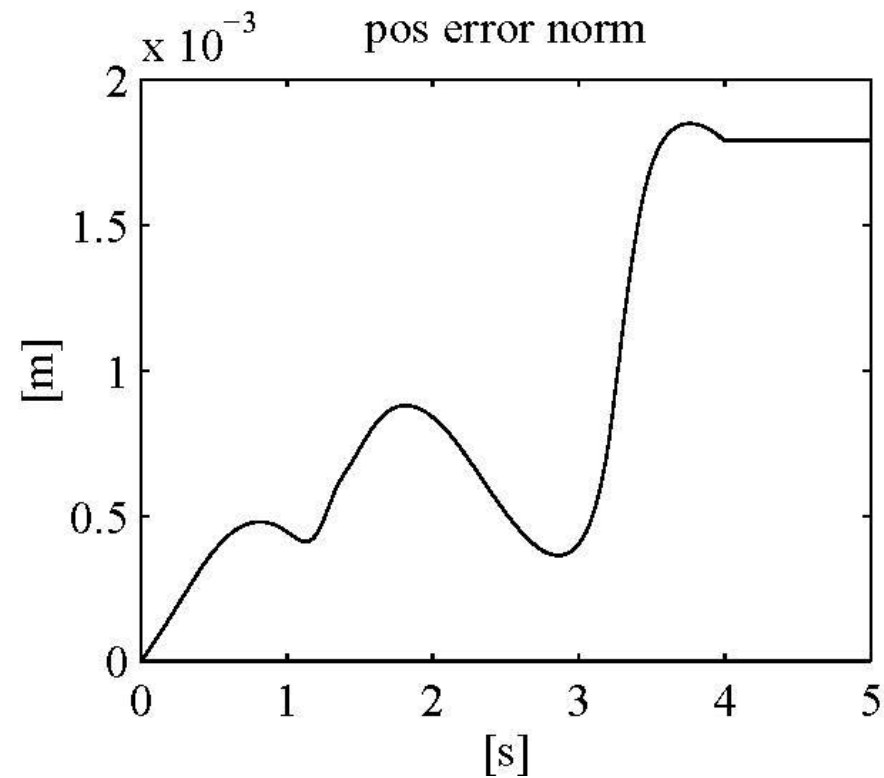
$$\dot{\mathbf{q}} = \mathbf{J}_A^{-1}(\mathbf{q}) \dot{\mathbf{x}}_d$$

Closed-loop Inverse Jacobian Algorithm

$$\dot{\mathbf{q}} = \mathbf{J}_A^{-1}(\mathbf{q}) (\dot{\mathbf{x}}_d + \mathbf{K} \mathbf{e}) \quad \mathbf{K} = \text{diag}\{500, 500, 100\}$$



Time history of the joint positions and velocities, and of the norm of end-effector position error and orientation error with the closed-loop inverse Jacobian algorithm



Time history of the norm of end-effector position error and orientation error with the open-loop inverse Jacobian algorithm

Jacobian Pseudo-inverse Vs. Jacobian Transpose

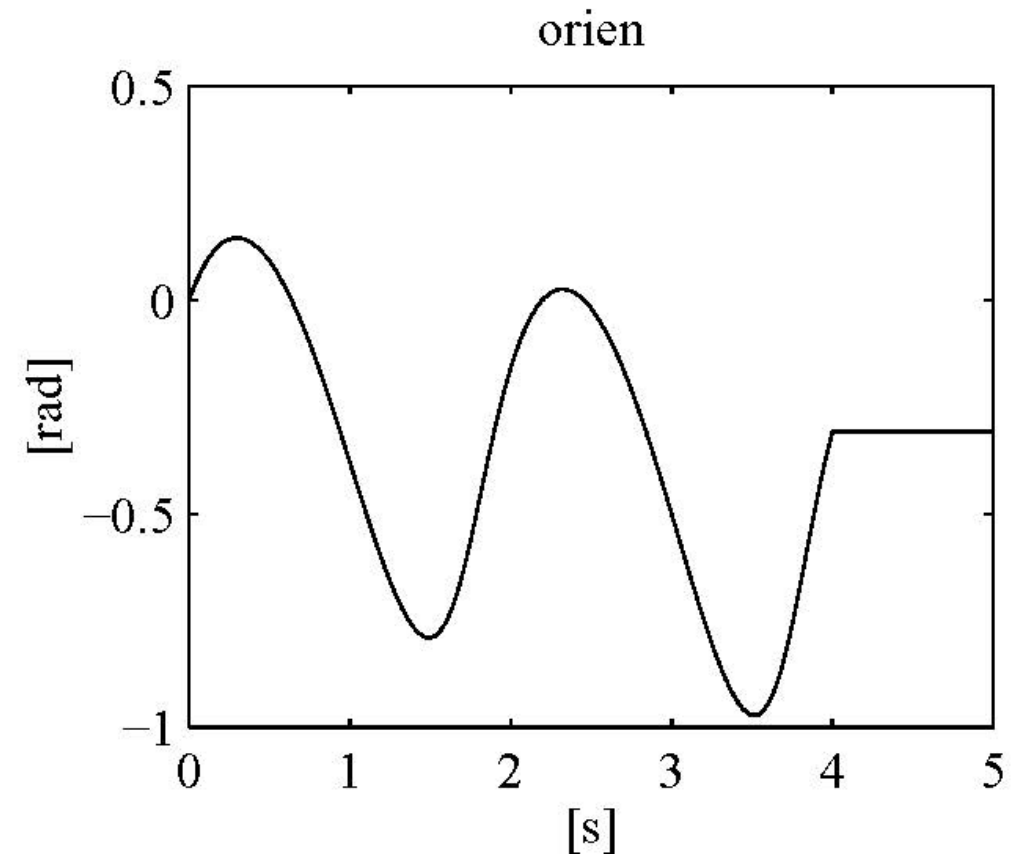
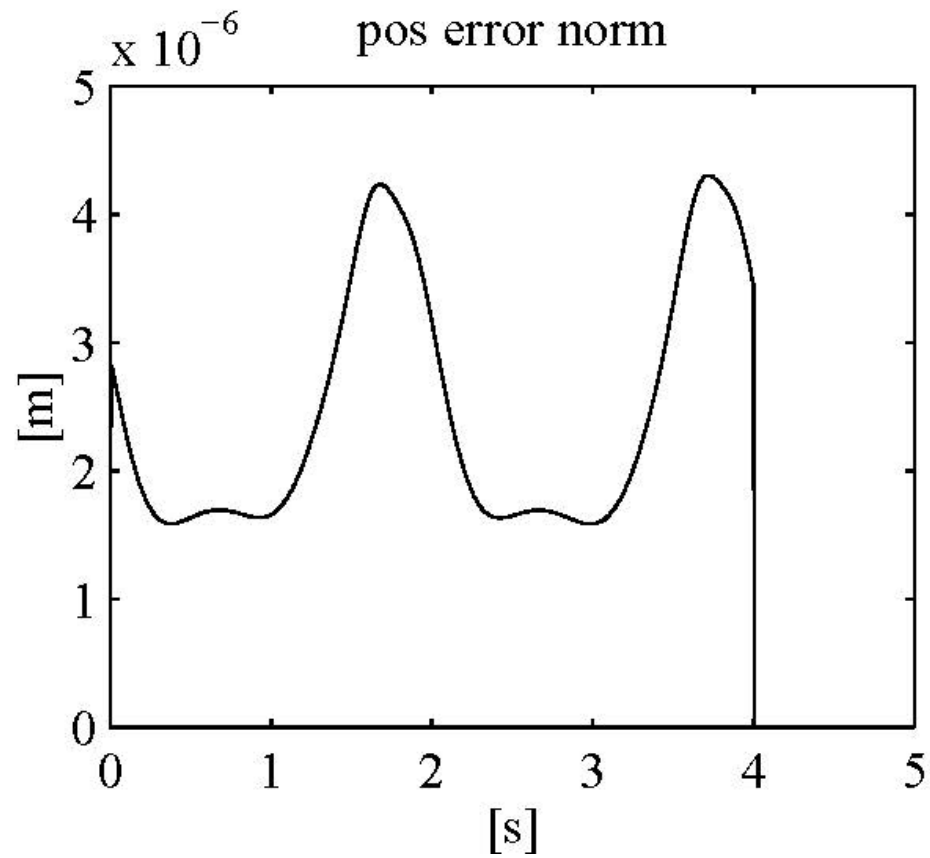
$$\phi \quad (r = 2, n = 3)$$

Free orientation

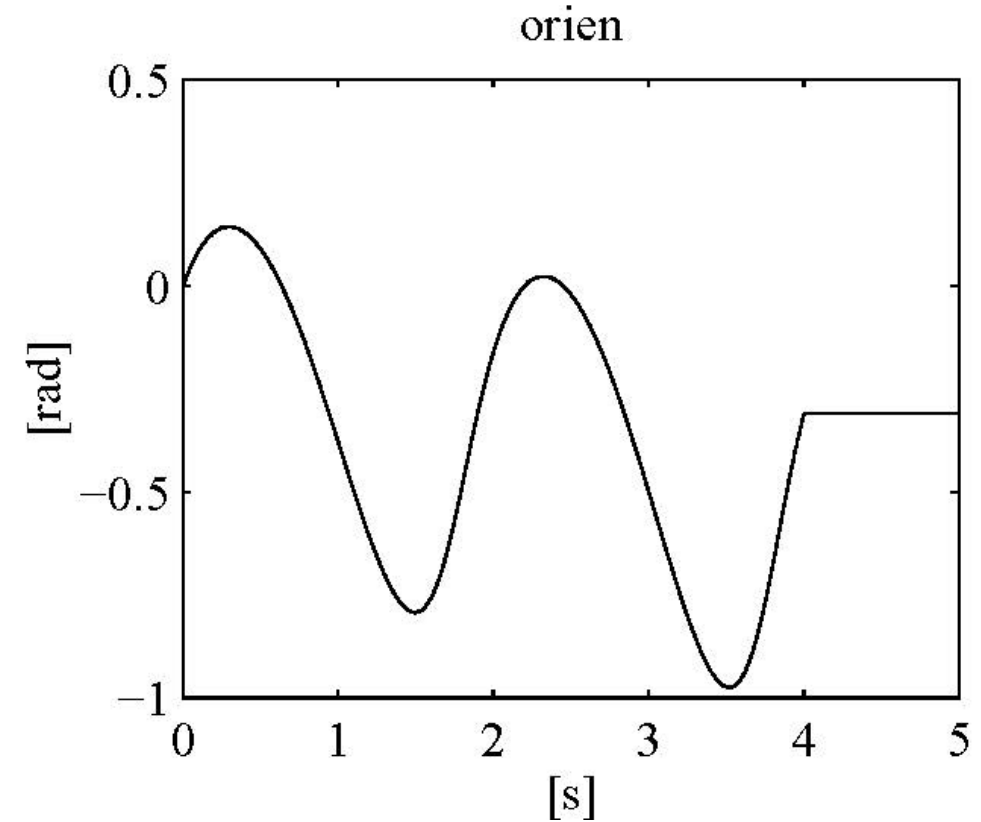
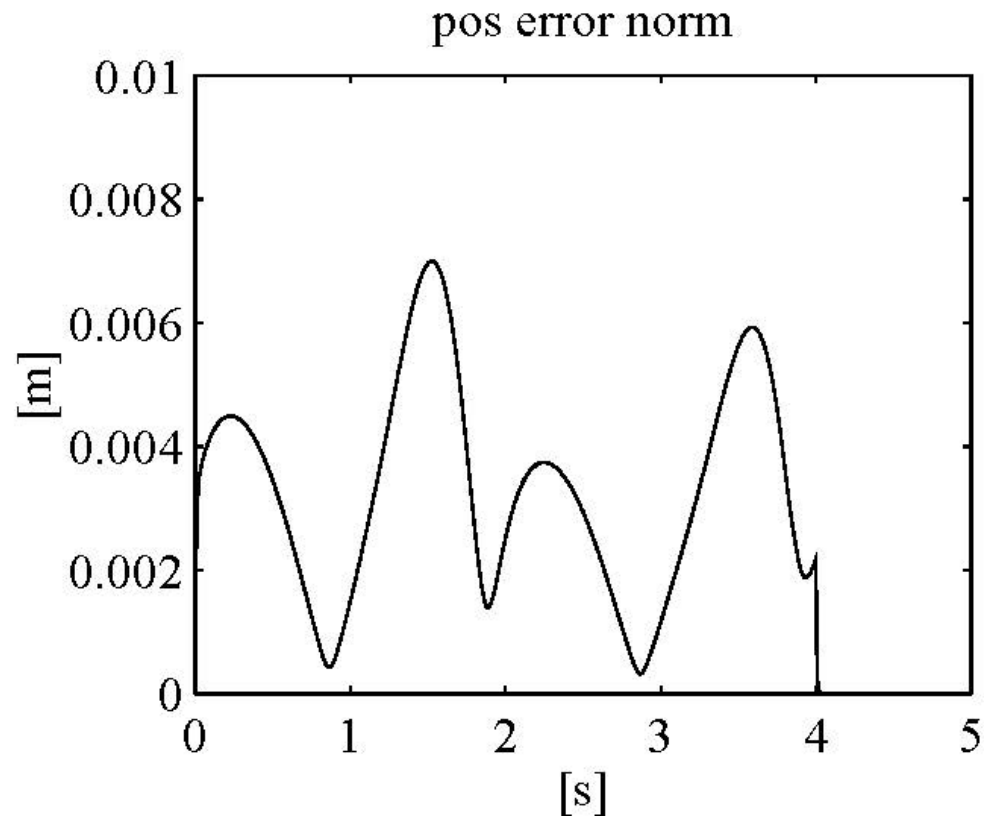
Jacobian Pseudo-inverse Algorithm

Jacobian Transpose Algorithm

$$\dot{\mathbf{q}} = \mathbf{J}_P^T \mathbf{K}_P \mathbf{e}_P \quad \mathbf{K}_P = \text{diag}\{500, 500\}$$



Time history of the norm of end-effector position error and orientation with the Jacobian pseudo-inverse algorithm



Time history of the norm of end-effector position error and orientation with the Jacobian transpose algorithm

Use of Redundancy

$$\dot{\mathbf{q}} = \mathbf{J}_P^\dagger(\mathbf{q}) (\dot{\mathbf{p}}_d + \mathbf{K}_P \mathbf{e}_P) + (\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{J}_P^\dagger \mathbf{J}_P) \dot{\mathbf{q}}_0 \quad \mathbf{K}_P = \text{diag}\{500, 500\}$$

Manipulability Measure:

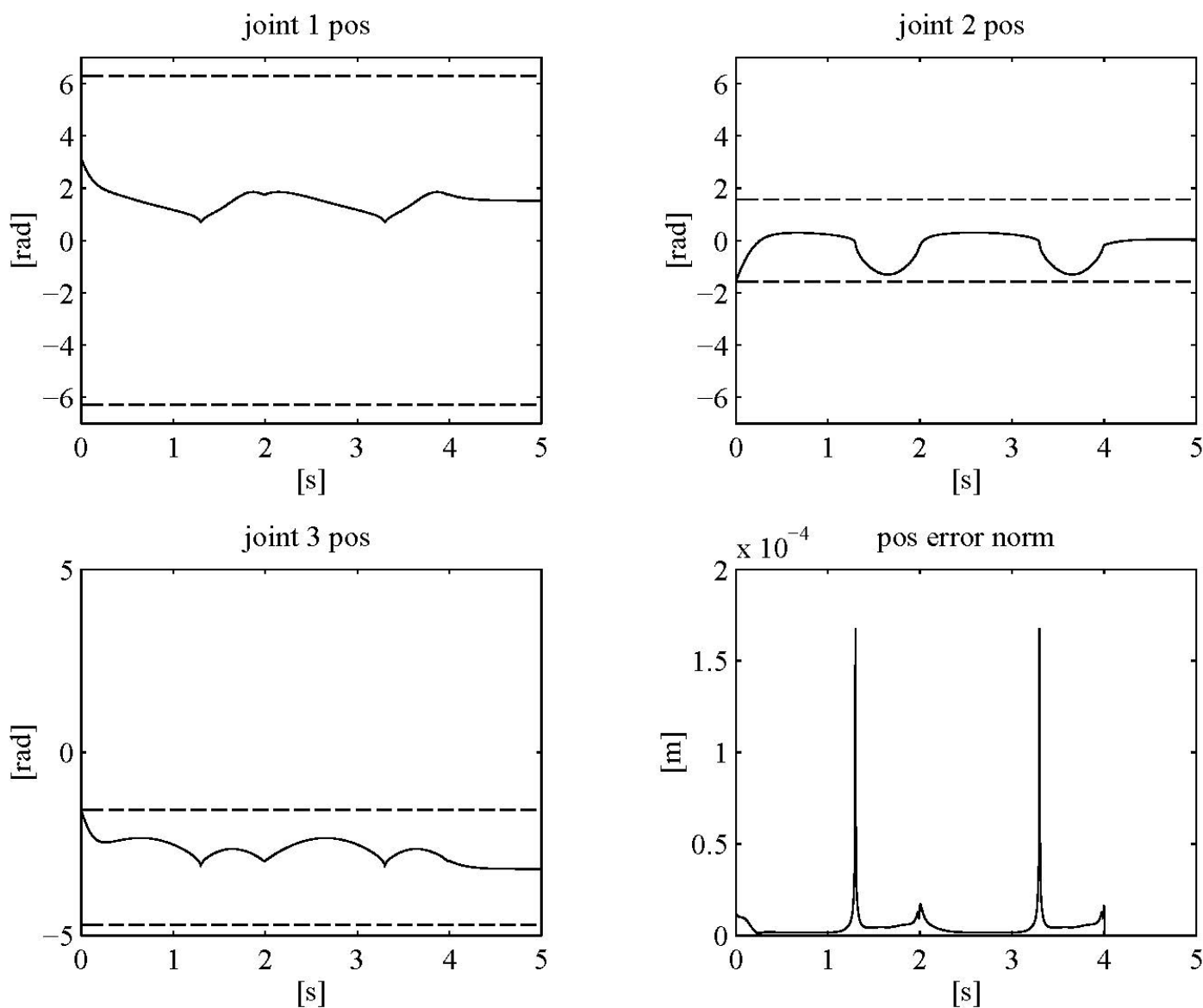
$$w(\vartheta_2, \vartheta_3) = \frac{1}{2}(s_2^2 + s_3^2)$$

$$\dot{\mathbf{q}}_0 = k_0 \left(\frac{\partial w(\mathbf{q})}{\partial \mathbf{q}} \right)^T \quad k_0 = 50$$

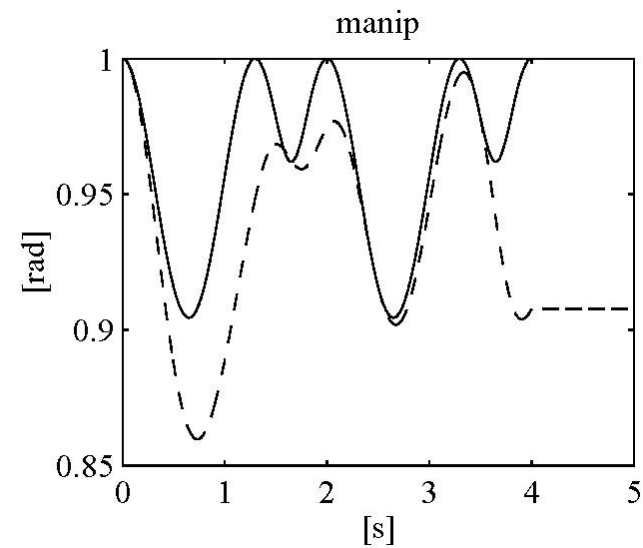
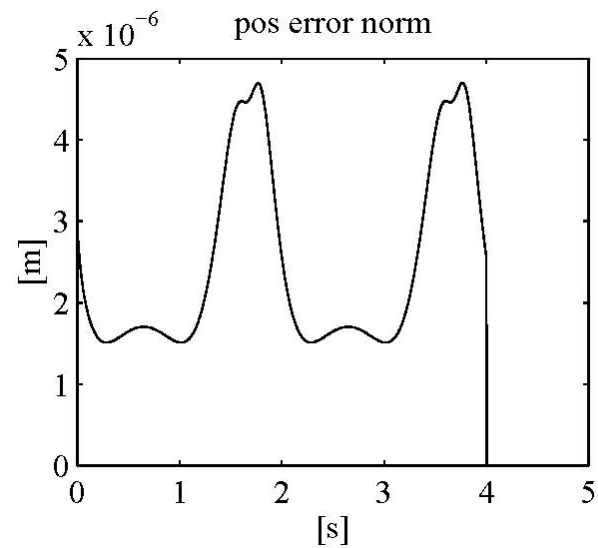
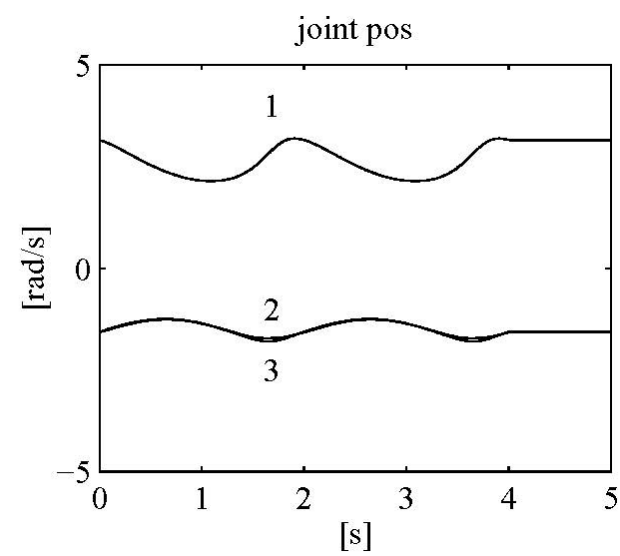
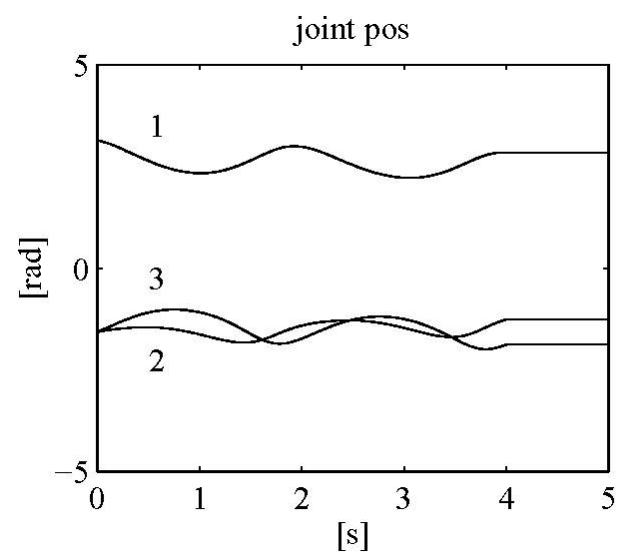
Distance from Mechanical Joint Limits:

$$w(\mathbf{q}) = -\frac{1}{6} \sum_{i=1}^3 \left(\frac{q_i - \bar{q}_i}{q_{iM} - q_{im}} \right)^2 \quad \begin{array}{l} q_{1m} = -2\pi, \quad q_{1M} = 2\pi \\ q_{2m} = -\pi/2, \quad q_{2M} = \pi/2 \\ q_{3m} = -3\pi/2, \quad q_{3M} = -\pi/2 \end{array}$$

$$\dot{\mathbf{q}}_0 = k_0 \left(\frac{\partial w(\mathbf{q})}{\partial \mathbf{q}} \right)^T \quad k_0 = 250$$



Time history of the joint positions and the norm of end-effector position error with the Jacobian pseudo-inverse algorithm and joint limit constraint (joint limits are denoted by dashed lines)



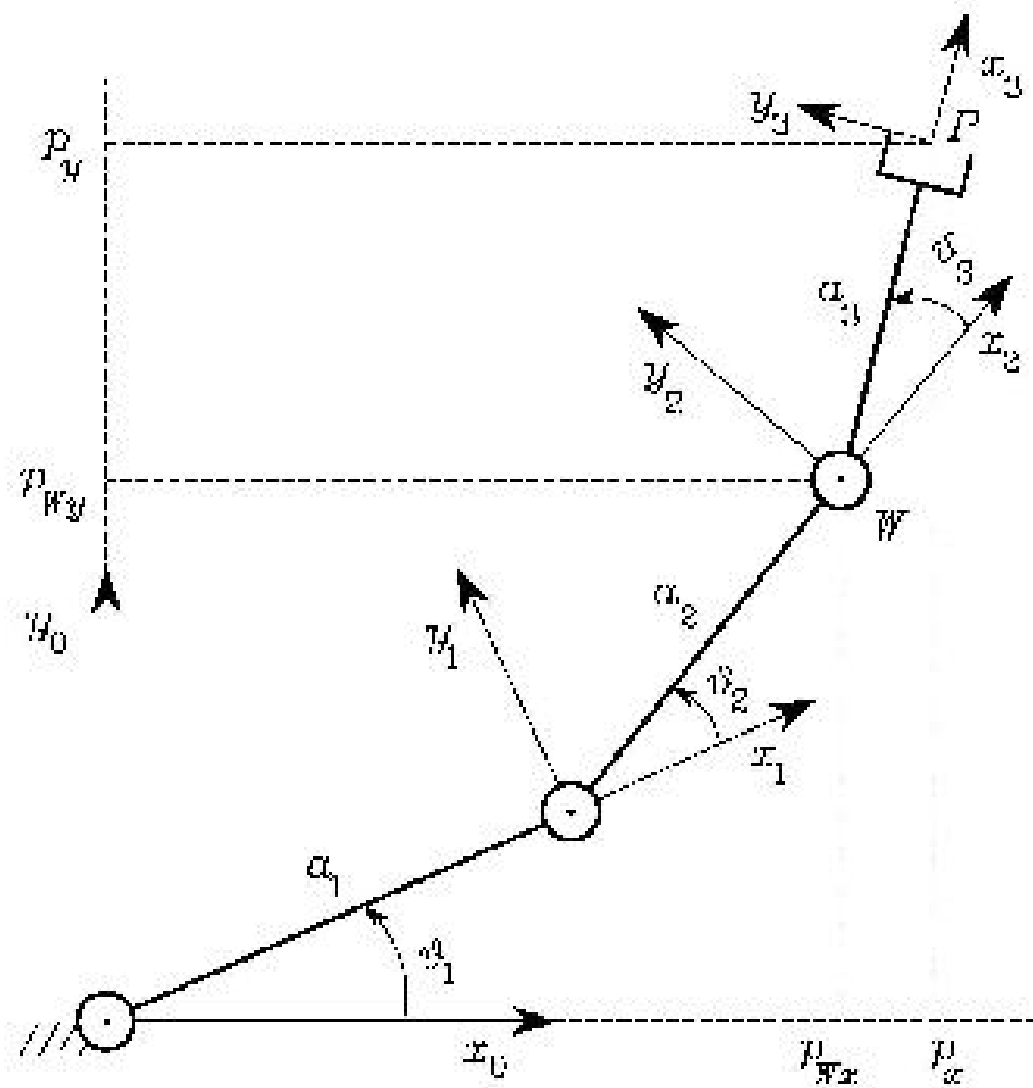
Time history of the joint positions, the norm of end-effector position error, and the manipulability measure with the Jacobian pseudo-inverse algorithm and manipulability constraint; upper left: with the unconstrained solution, upper right: with the constrained solution

Further Insights

Case 1:

Consider the 3-link planar arm in the figure, whose link lengths are respectively 0.5 m, 0.3 m, 0.3 m. Perform a computer implementation of the inverse kinematics algorithm using the Jacobian pseudo-inverse along the operational space path given by a straight line connecting the points of coordinates (0.8,0.2) m and (0.8,-0.2) m. Add a constraint aimed at avoiding link collision with a circular object located at (0.3,0) m. The initial arm configuration is chosen so that it can be modeled in 2D .

The final time is 2 s. Use sinusoidal motion timing laws. Adopt the Euler numerical integration scheme with an integration time of 1 ms.



SCARA Manipulator

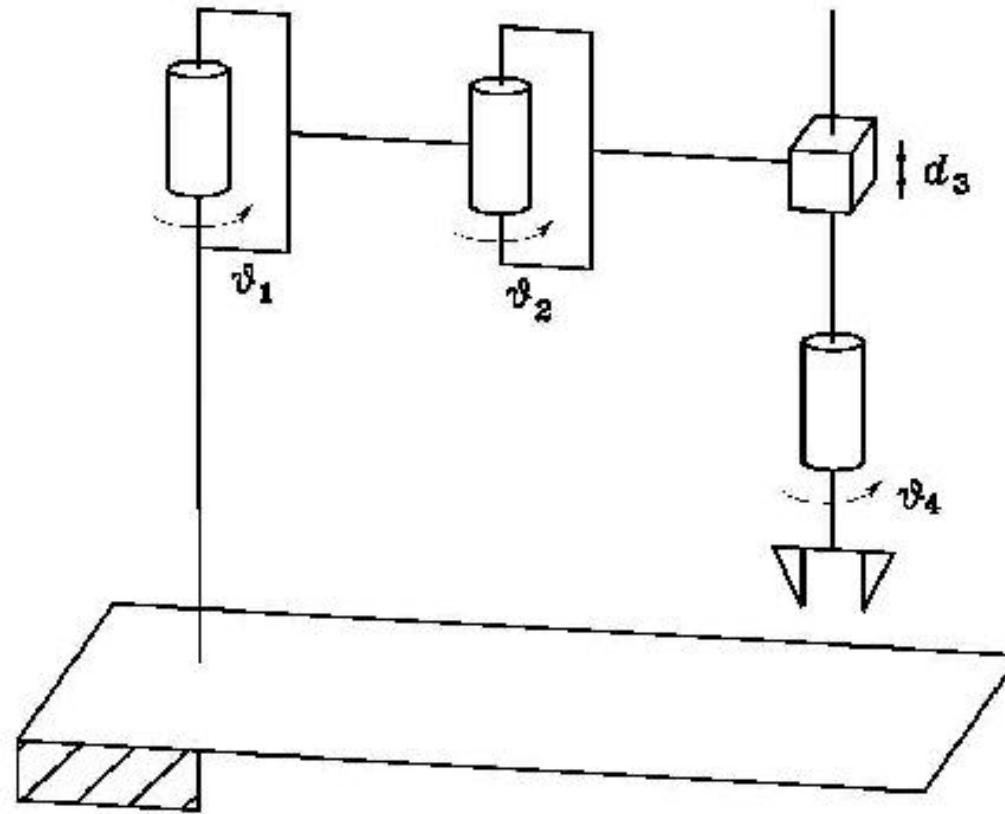
Further Insights II

Case 2:

Consider the SCARA manipulator in the figure, whose links both have a length of 0.5 m and are located at a height of 1 m from the supporting plane.

Perform a computer implementation of the inverse kinematics algorithms with both Jacobian inverse and Jacobian transpose along the operational space path whose position is given by a straight line connecting the points of coordinates (0.7,0,0) m and (0,0.8,0.5) m, and whose orientation is given by a rotation from 0 rad to 2π rad. The initial arm configuration is chosen so that the arm can be shown on a 2-D plane. The final time is 2 s. Use sinusoidal motion timing laws.

Adopt the Euler numerical integration scheme with an integration time of 1 ms.

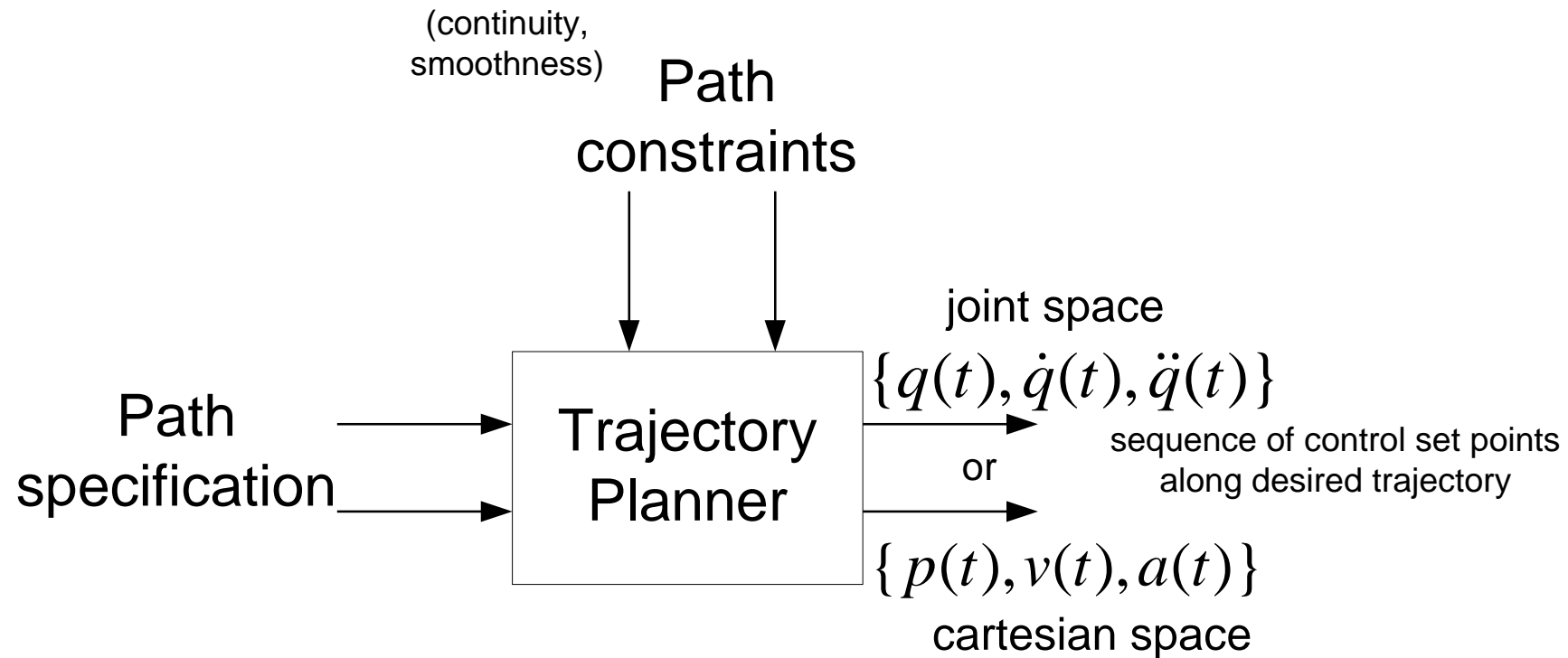


SCARA manipulator

Python Program

SECTION 6

Trajectory Planning



Trajectory Planning

- **Problem statement**

- Turn a specified Cartesian-space trajectory of P_e into appropriate joint position reference values

- **Input**

- Cartesian space path
- Path constraints including velocity and acceleration limits and singularity analysis.

- **Output**

- a series of joint position/velocity reference values to send to the controller