

# Convex Optimization Problem

If we assume  $F_{net} = \beta * d$  we can choose a general proportion of net forces  $d$ ,  $\mathbb{R}^{3 \times 1}$ , and maximize its magnitude,  $\beta$ .

$$\begin{aligned} & \underset{x}{\text{maximize}} && \beta \\ & \text{subject to} && F_{net} = A * x \\ & && 0 \leq x \leq x_{max} \end{aligned}$$

Our adhesion limitations, and any structural limitation we would put on the compressive forces are contained in  $x_{max}$ . To clarify:

$$x = \begin{bmatrix} ||\vec{T}_1|| \\ ||\vec{T}_2|| \\ ||\vec{C}_1|| \\ ||\vec{C}_2|| \end{bmatrix} x_{max} = \begin{bmatrix} adhesive1_{max} \\ adhesive2_{max} \\ contact1_{max} \\ contact2_{max} \end{bmatrix} F_{net} = \begin{bmatrix} \Sigma F_x \\ \Sigma F_y \\ \Sigma M_z \end{bmatrix}$$