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MIDTERM EXAMINATION 1 / 2021 (SET2: ID end with 2,4)

SUBJECT : MCE4101-Introduction to Robotics

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DATE : 29 June 2021

TIME : 18.00-20.00 (2 Hr)

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Make sure you have all the questions.

- Total examination paper: **3** questions, **4** pages (not including cover page).

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1. (30 Minute). Consider the VME robot shown in Figure 1.1 below.

a) (20 Marks) Evaluate the homogenous transformation matrices **values** for T^0_{drill} by using ***CURRENT FRAME*** method of defining reference frames, where reference frames starting from the base [x_0, y_0, z_0] to the end point [x_{end}, y_{end}, z_{end}] are given. Where $L_4^* = 10$ and $L_1 = 50, L_2 = 25, L_3 = 10, L_5 = 5$.

Show your working steps from base to end points.

b) (5 Marks) Compute the driller location (P_{drill}) with reference to base where $L_4^* = 10$ and $L_1 = 50, L_2 = 25, L_3 = 10, L_5 = 5$.

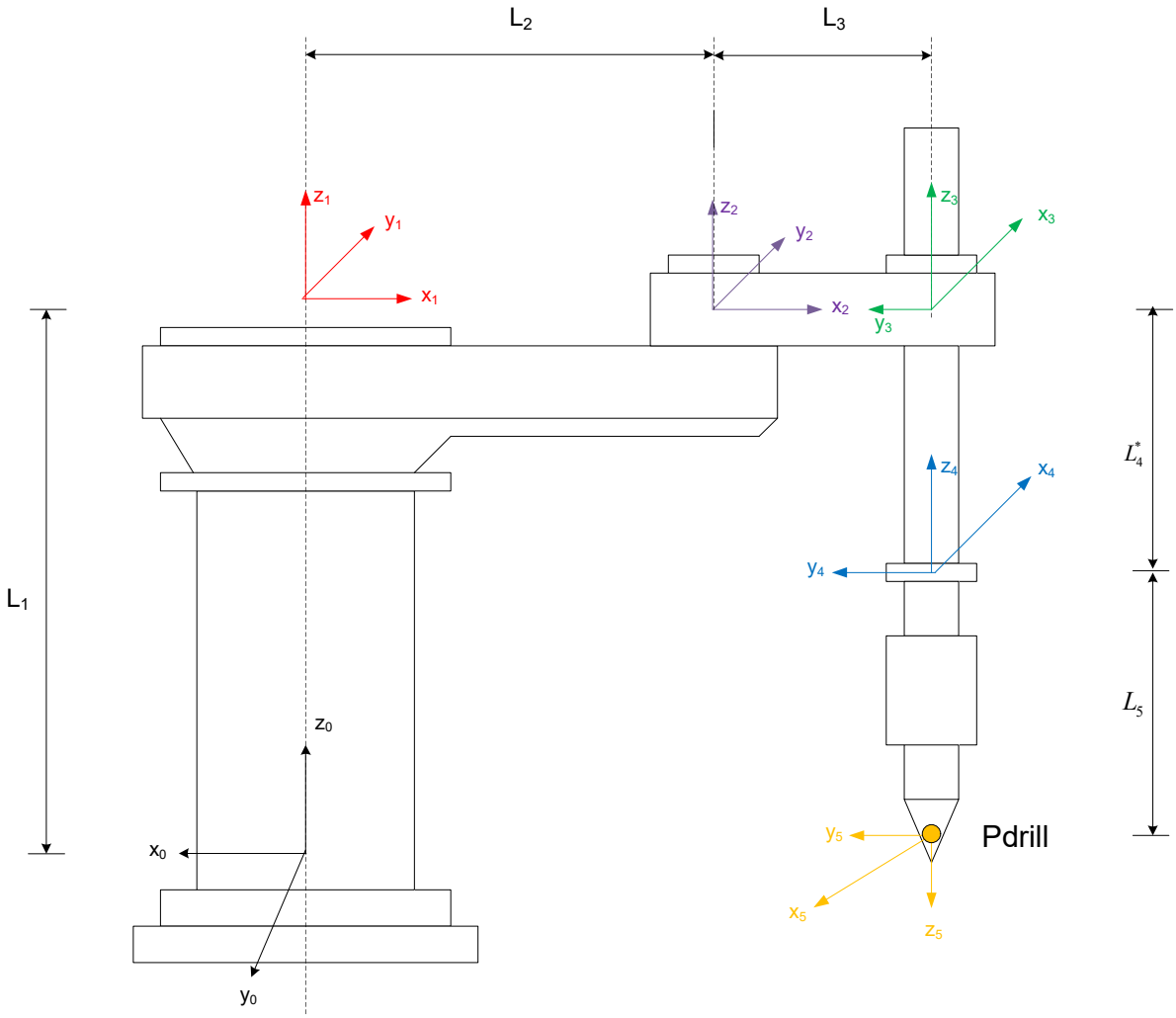

Figure 1.1: The VME robot.

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2. (30 Minute). Consider the VME robot shown in Figure 2.1 below.

a) (20 Marks) Evaluate the homogenous transformation matrices **values** for T^0_{drill} by using ***FIXED FRAME*** method of defining reference frames, where reference frames starting from the base [x_0, y_0, z_0] to the end point [x_{end}, y_{end}, z_{end}] are given. Where $L_4^* = 10$ and $L_1 = 50, L_2 = 25, L_3 = 10, L_5 = 5$.

Show your working steps from base to end points.

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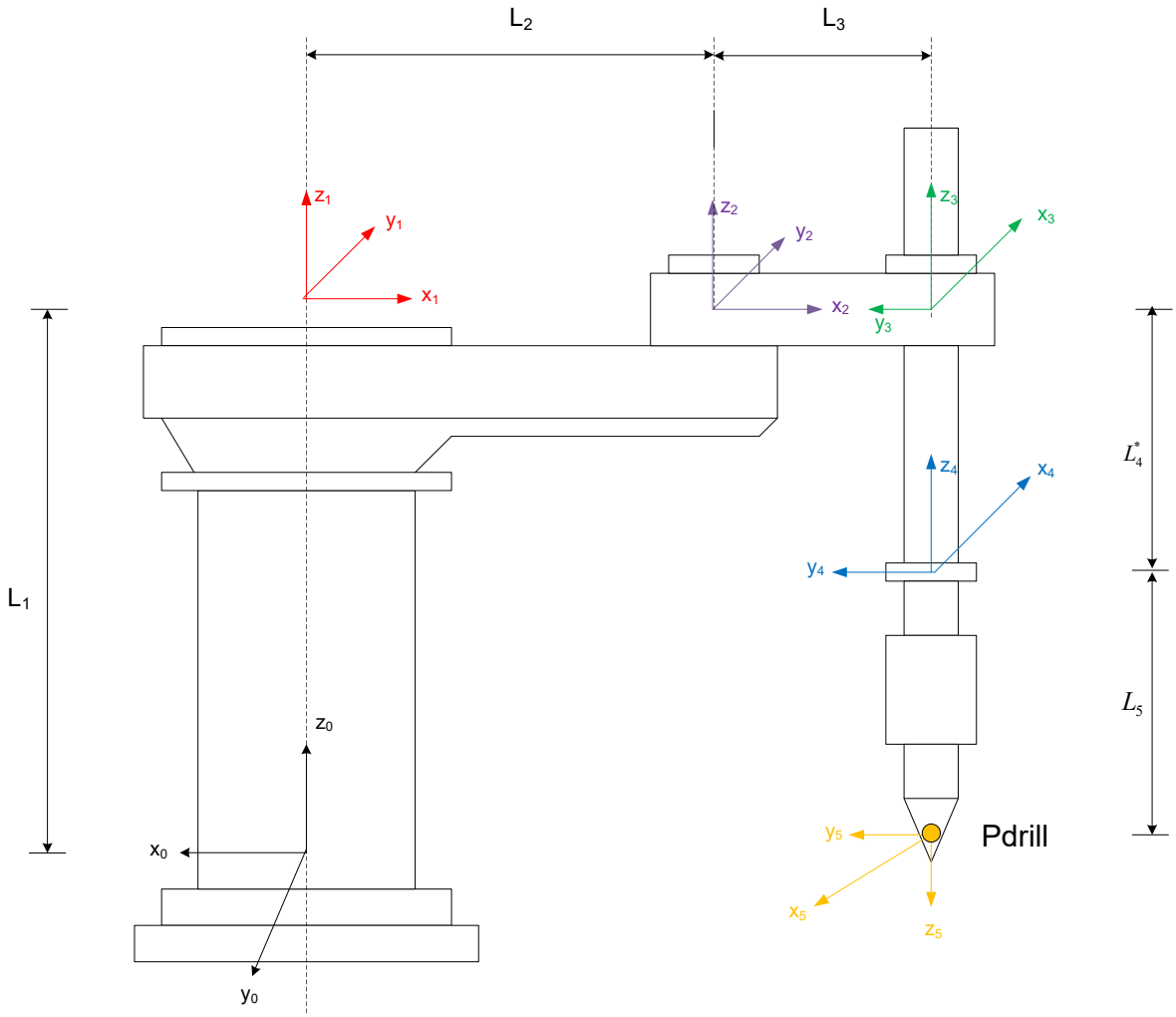

Figure 2.1: The VME robot.

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3. (60 Minute). Consider the VME robot shown in Figure 3.1 below. VME robot is initially pointing towards x0 axis.

a) (30 Marks) Evaluate the homogenous transformation **matrices equations** (in term of variables $\theta_1^*, \theta_2^*, L_4^*, \theta_6^*$ and L_1, L_2, L_3, L_5) for $T_1^0, T_2^1, T_3^2, T_4^3$, and T_4^0 by ***Denavit-Hartenberg*** (DH) method of defining reference frames, where reference frames starting from the base [x_0, y_0, z_0] to the driller are given. $\theta_1^*, \theta_2^*, L_4^*, \theta_6^*$ and L_1, L_2, L_3, L_5 are variables as shown in the Figure 3.1.

b) (5 Marks) Determine the matrix T_4^0 **values** when

$\theta_1^* = 90°, \theta_2^* = 0°, L_4^* = 10, \theta_6^* = 0°$ and $L_1 = 50, L_2 = 25, L_3 = 10, L_5 = 5$.

c) (5 Marks) Compute the driller location (P_{drill}) with reference to base when

$\theta_1^* = 90°, \theta_2^* = 0°, L_4^* = 10, \theta_6^* = 0°$ and $L_1 = 50, L_2 = 25, L_3 = 10, L_5 = 5$.

d) (5 Marks) Determine the matrix T_4^0 **values** when

$\theta_1^* = 90°, \theta_2^* = 90°, L_4^* = 10, \theta_6^* = 0°$ and $L_1 = 50, L_2 = 25, L_3 = 10, L_5 = 5$.

e) (5 Marks) Compute the driller location (P_{drill}) with reference to base when

$\theta_1^* = 90°, \theta_2^* = 90°, L_4^* = 10, \theta_6^* = 0°$ and $L_1 = 50, L_2 = 25, L_3 = 10, L_5 = 5$.

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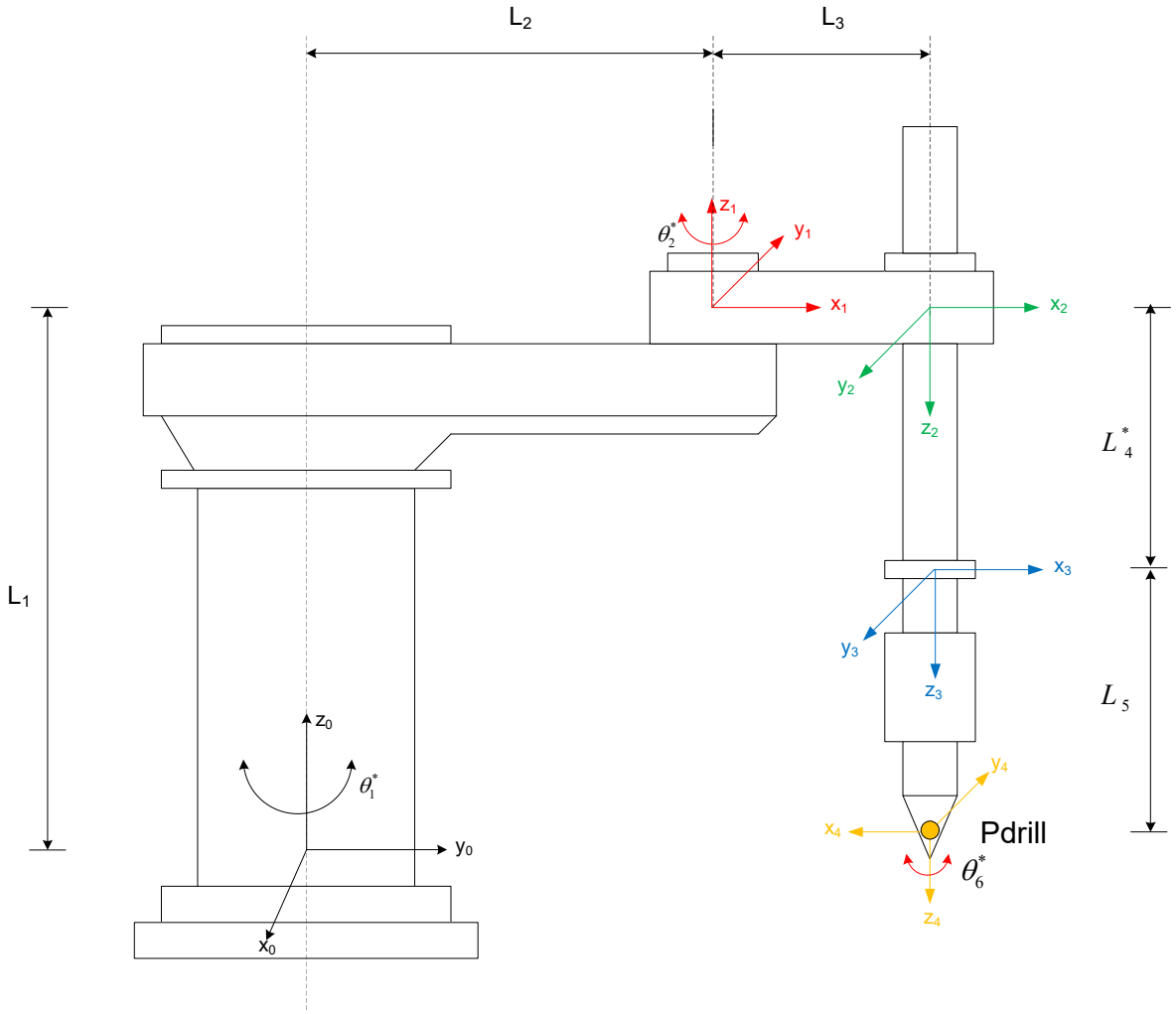

Figure 3.1: The VME robot.

Total 50 Marks

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