

# Master's Thesis: Why $\epsilon$ - $\delta$ is the most important concept you'll ever learn

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# Problem Description

This thesis explains why  $\epsilon$ - $\delta$  is the most important concept you'll ever learn. The following tasks are to be completed:

1. Do a literature survey on  $\epsilon$ - $\delta$
2. Write a theoretical comparison of various definitions of limits UVMS.
3. Do a simulation study comparing the different definitions of limits

# Abstract

# Sammendrag



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# Preface

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# Chapter 1

## Introduction

This chapter intruduces the core motivation behind the thesis and outlines the context and importance of the work. The driving factors and key challenges that led to the thesis are presented. A brief overview of the litterature that is relevant to the thesis is given, and the assumptions made are stated. The chapter concludes with a summary of the contributions of this thesis, as well as an outline of the subsequent chapters.

### 1.1 Motivation

### 1.2 Literature Review

### 1.3 Assumptions

1. *Assumption 1*
2. *Assumption 2*
3. *Assumption 3*

### 1.4 Contributions

The main contributions as presented in this thesis are as follows:

- *Contribution 1*
- *Contribution 2*
- *Contribution 3*

## 1.5 Thesis Outline

## Chapter 2

# Background and Preliminaries

The following chapter covers some of the mathematical background and preliminaries that will be used throughout this thesis. The chapter is divided into N sections. Section 2.1 covers the notation used as well as some basic definitions...

## 2.1 Notation

The mathematical notation is primarily based on the notation used in [1], [2], and [3]. We denote the skew-symmetric operator of a vector  $\mathbf{v} \in \mathbb{R}^3$  as

$$[\cdot]_{\times} : \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \text{so}(3) \subset \mathbb{R}^{3 \times 3} \quad (2.1a)$$

$$[\cdot]_{\times} : \mathbf{v} \mapsto \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -v_3 & v_2 \\ v_3 & 0 & -v_1 \\ -v_2 & v_1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad (2.1b)$$

where for any two vectors  $\mathbf{u}, \mathbf{v} \in \mathbb{R}^3$

$$\mathbf{u} \times \mathbf{v} = [\mathbf{u}]_{\times} \mathbf{v} \quad (2.2)$$

We denote the operator that maps a twist vector to an element of the Lie algebra  $\mathfrak{se}(3)$  as

$$[\cdot]_{\wedge} : \mathbb{R}^6 \rightarrow \mathfrak{se}(3) \quad (2.3a)$$

$$[\cdot]_{\wedge} : \begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{v} \\ \mathbf{w} \end{pmatrix} \mapsto \begin{bmatrix} [\mathbf{w}]_{\times} & \mathbf{v} \\ \mathbf{0} & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad (2.3b)$$

Adopting notation from [2], the pose of a 6-DOF rigid body is denoted by the position  $\mathbf{p} \in \mathbb{R}^3$  and the attitude, parameterized in euler angles as  $\boldsymbol{\Theta} \in \mathbb{R}^3$ . Note that the position is described in North-East-Down (NED) coordinates. The pose of the body is then

$$\boldsymbol{\eta}^T = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{p}^T & \boldsymbol{\Theta}^T \end{bmatrix}^T \quad (2.4)$$

The generalized body-fixed velocities are given by

$$\boldsymbol{\nu}^T = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{v}^T & \boldsymbol{\omega}^T \end{bmatrix}^T \quad (2.5)$$

where  $\mathbf{v} \in \mathbb{R}^3$  is the linear velocity and  $\boldsymbol{\omega} \in \mathbb{R}^3$  is the angular velocity.

## 2.2 The $\epsilon$ - $\delta$ Definition of Limits

## 2.3 $\text{SO}(3)$ and $\text{SE}(3)$

## 2.4 Pseudo-Inverse and Null Space Projections

## 2.5 Lagrange's Equation of Motion

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## Chapter 6

# Conclusion and Future Work



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