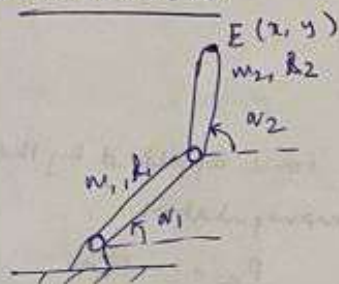


# INTRODUCTION TO ROBOTICS

## MINIPROJECT:



2L manipulator.

Now,

$$x = l_1 \cos \theta_1 + l_2 \cos \theta_2$$

$$y = l_1 \sin \theta_1 + l_2 \sin \theta_2$$

or

$$\begin{cases} x = l_1 \cos \theta_1 + l_2 \cos \theta_2 \\ y = l_1 \sin \theta_1 + l_2 \sin \theta_2 \end{cases} \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

Differentiating (1), we get:

$$\dot{x} = -l_1 \sin \theta_1 \dot{\theta}_1 - l_2 \sin \theta_2 \dot{\theta}_2$$

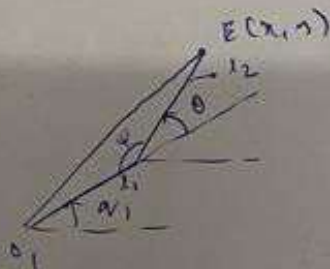
$$\dot{y} = l_1 \cos \theta_1 \dot{\theta}_1 + l_2 \cos \theta_2 \dot{\theta}_2$$

→ End effector velocity

--- (2)

$$\begin{bmatrix} \dot{x} \\ \dot{y} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -l_1 \sin \theta_1 & -l_2 \sin \theta_2 \\ l_1 \cos \theta_1 & l_2 \cos \theta_2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \dot{\theta}_1 \\ \dot{\theta}_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

Now, we will need the inverse of the above relationship, i.e. given  $x, y$ , we need to be able to find  $\theta_1, \theta_2$ .



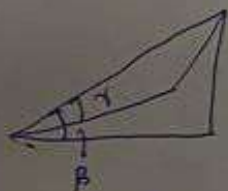
cosine rule:

$$x^2 + y^2 = l_1^2 + l_2^2 + 2l_1 l_2 \cos \theta$$

$$\text{or } \theta = \cos^{-1} \left[ \frac{x^2 + y^2 - l_1^2 - l_2^2}{2l_1 l_2} \right]$$

$$\theta_2 = \theta_1 + \theta$$

--- (3)



$$\theta_1 = \beta - \gamma = \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{y}{x} \right) - \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{l_1 \sin \theta}{l_1 + l_2 \cos \theta} \right)$$

→ This is the first level answer to Task 1.

## Tasks: & Assumptions

① We assume we have actuators at each joint connected to each link.

② We assume we can provide  $\tau_1$  &  $\tau_2$  @ each joint to control  $\theta_1$  &  $\theta_2$  as we require.

T1: Make the robot follow an arbitrary trajectory of the end-effector [given  $(x, y)$  as a fcn of  $t$ ].

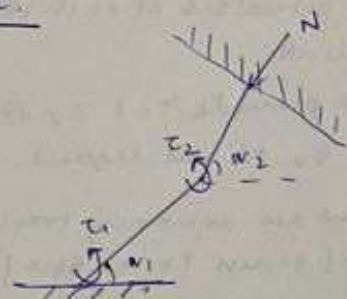
T2: Given a location & orientation on a wall, make the robot touch the wall & apply a pre-specified constant force at the wall.

T3: Fixed point spring feedback control.

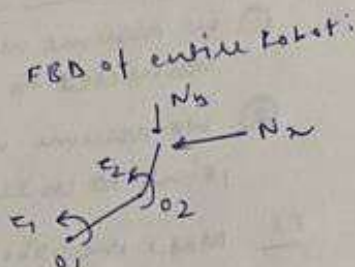
### NOTE:

We will later start using the notation  $x, y$  and  $q_1, d$  and  $q_2, d$  here for desired values.  
(They are not necessarily actual values).

### Task 2:



State of static Equilibrium.  $[\sum F = 0, \sum M = 0]$



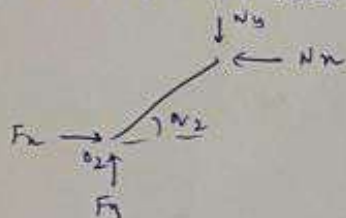
(Neglect gravity)

Force applied by manipulator.

$$F_x = -N_x$$

$$F_y = -N_y$$

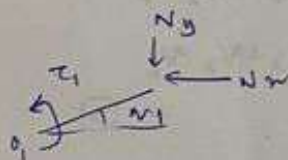
Now, FBD for each link:



$$\sum M_{O_2} = 0 \quad (3)$$

$$\therefore -N_y l_2 \cos \theta_2 + N_x l_2 \sin \theta_2 + \tau_2 = 0$$

$$\text{or } \tau_2 = N_y l_2 \cos \theta_2 - N_x l_2 \sin \theta_2$$



$$\sum M_{O_1} = 0$$

$$\therefore N_y l_1 \cos \theta_1 - N_x l_1 \sin \theta_1 = \tau_1$$

(4)

$$\therefore \begin{bmatrix} \tau_1 \\ \tau_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -l_1 \sin \theta_1 & l_1 \cos \theta_1 \\ -l_2 \sin \theta_2 & l_2 \cos \theta_2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} N_x \\ N_y \end{bmatrix}$$

Now, equation (3) along with (4) solves  $\tau_2$ .

Task 3 & next level answer to Task-1:

Lagrange's Equations: [Lagrangian equation]

$$L = K - V$$



$$\left[ \frac{d}{dt} \left( \frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{q}_i} \right) - \frac{\partial L}{\partial q_i} = Q_i \right]$$

$Q_i$  - generalized forces  
derived using principle  
of virtual work.

kinetic energy

$$KE = \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{1}{3} m_1 l_1^2 \right) \dot{\theta}_1^2 + \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{1}{12} m_2 l_2^2 \right) \dot{\theta}_2^2 + \frac{1}{2} m_2 v_{C_2}^2$$

where

$$v_{C_2}^2 = (l_1 \dot{\theta}_1)^2 + \left( \frac{l_2}{2} \dot{\theta}_2 \right)^2 + 2 l_1 \dot{\theta}_1 \frac{l_2}{2} \dot{\theta}_2 \cos(\theta_2 - \theta_1)$$

potential energy

$$V = m_1 g \frac{l_1}{2} \sin \theta_1 + m_2 g \left( l_1 \sin \theta_1 + \frac{l_2}{2} \sin \theta_2 \right)$$

Now using L-E for  $\theta_1$  &  $\theta_2$  we get:

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{3} m_1 l_1^2 \ddot{\theta}_1 + m_2 l_1^2 \ddot{\theta}_1 + m_2 \frac{l_1 l_2}{2} \ddot{\theta}_2 \cos(\theta_2 - \theta_1) - m_2 \frac{l_1 l_2}{2} \dot{\theta}_2 (\dot{\theta}_2 - \dot{\theta}_1) \sin(\theta_2 - \theta_1) \\ + m_1 g \frac{l_1}{2} \cos \theta_1 + m_2 g l_1 \cos \theta_1 = \tau_1 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{3} m_2 l_2^2 \ddot{\theta}_2 + m_2 \frac{l_2^2}{4} \ddot{\theta}_2 + m_2 \frac{l_1 l_2}{2} \ddot{\theta}_1 \cos(\theta_2 - \theta_1) - m_2 \frac{l_1 l_2}{2} \dot{\theta}_1 (\dot{\theta}_2 - \dot{\theta}_1) \sin(\theta_2 - \theta_1) \\ + m_2 g \frac{l_2}{2} \sin \theta_2 = \tau_2 \end{aligned}$$

also

$$+ m_2 g \frac{l_2}{2} \sin \theta_2 = \tau_2$$

Next, we note that eqn (4) is valid for any forces  $F_x, F_y$  at end effector.  
(Not just wall forces).

We want:

$$\begin{aligned} F_x = kx &= \begin{cases} F_x = k_x (x - x_0) \\ F_y = k_y (y - y_0) \end{cases} \\ F_y = ky & \end{aligned}$$

From (1):

$$F_x = K (l_1 \cos \theta_1 + l_2 \cos \theta_2)$$

$$F_y = K (l_1 \sin \theta_1 + l_2 \sin \theta_2)$$

From (4):

$$\begin{aligned} K(l_1 s \dot{q}_1 + l_2 s \dot{q}_2) l_2 c \dot{q}_2 - K(l_1 c \dot{q}_1 + l_2 c \dot{q}_2) l_2 s \dot{q}_2 &= \tau_{2s} \\ K(l_1 s \dot{q}_1 + l_2 s \dot{q}_2) l_1 c \dot{q}_1 - K(l_1 c \dot{q}_1 + l_2 c \dot{q}_2) l_1 s \dot{q}_1 &= \tau_{1s} \end{aligned}$$

Set motor torques to be  $\tau_1 + \tau_{2s}$  &  $\tau_2 + \tau_{1s}$  respectively.

→ Another way to solve T1:

is to solve for  $q_1, d$  &  $q_2, d$  from (3).

i.e.  $q_1, d, \dot{q}_1, d, \ddot{q}_1, d, \ddot{q}_2, d, \ddot{q}_2, d \Rightarrow \tau_1, \tau_2$  from

This method works when dynamic effects are significant.  
But still needs feedback control.

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