

Assignment-2  
(ITR)

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Q1- Prove  $RS(a)R^T = S(Ra)$ ,  $R$  is Rotation matrix  
let  $b$  is any vector,

$$\begin{aligned}\text{So, } RS(a)R^T b &= R(a \times R^T b) \quad \{ \text{as } S(m)p = m \times p \} \\ &= (Ra) \times (RR^T b) \quad \{ \text{as } R(a \times b) = Ra \times Rb \} \\ &= (Ra) \times b \\ &= S(Ra)b\end{aligned}$$

$$\text{So, } RS(a)R^T b = S(Ra)b$$

As, this equality holds for all  $b \in \mathbb{R}^3$ .

$$\therefore \boxed{RS(a)R^T = S(Ra)}$$

Q6: Types of Gearboxes:

a) Planetary Gearbox:

Pro:  
→ High torque output, compact size, high efficiency, & good precision.

Con:  
→ Complex design, which can lead to higher manufacturing costs.

Use:  
→ Robotic arms & CNC machines where ~~position~~ precision & torque transmission are crucial.



## 2) Spur Gearbox:

↳ <sup>Pro:</sup> Simple design, efficient, cost effective, suitable for moderate torque applications.

↳ <sup>Con:</sup> Can be noisy & less compact compared to other types of gearboxes.

↳ <sup>Use:</sup> Robotic vehicles, conveyor systems & manufacturing equipment.

## 3) Cycloidal Gearbox:

↳ <sup>Pro:</sup> High Torque transmission, compact size, and excellent shock load resistance. They offer exceptional accuracy.

↳ <sup>Con:</sup> Can be less efficient due to multiple gear contacts, making them more suitable for high-torque low speed applications.

↳ <sup>Use:</sup> Industrial Robots for material handling & welding.

## 4) Harmonic drive Gearbox:

↳ High Precision, zero backlash & compact design.

↳ Limited torque capacity & they are expensive.

↳ Robotic arms for tasks like surgery & precise assembly.



→ In drone applications, the use of a gearbox depends on the specific design and requirements of drone.

Pros of using Gearbox in Drones:

Increased torque, Efficiency & Noise Reduction

Cons of Using a Gearbox in Drones:

Added weight & complexity, Reduced Responsiveness

Q7 Manipulator Jacobian for the RRP SCARA configuration.

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

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

$$z = d_3$$

$$\frac{\partial x}{\partial \theta_1} = -l_1 \sin \theta_1 - l_2 \sin (\theta_1 + \theta_2)$$

$$\frac{\partial x}{\partial \theta_2} = -l_2 \sin (\theta_1 + \theta_2)$$

$$\frac{\partial x}{\partial d_3} = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial y}{\partial \theta_1} = l_1 \cos \theta_1 + l_2 \cos (\theta_1 + \theta_2)$$

$$\frac{\partial y}{\partial \theta_2} = l_2 \cos (\theta_1 + \theta_2)$$

$$\frac{\partial y}{\partial d_3} = 0, \quad \frac{\partial z}{\partial \theta_1} = 0, \quad \frac{\partial z}{\partial \theta_2} = 0, \quad \frac{\partial z}{\partial d_3} = 1$$



Now, assemble the Jacobian matrix:

$$\begin{bmatrix} -l_1 \sin \theta_1 & -l_2 \sin(\theta_1 + \theta_2) & -l_3 \sin(\theta_1 + \theta_2) & 0 \\ l_1 \cos \theta_1 & + l_2 \cos(\theta_1 + \theta_2) & + l_3 \cos(\theta_1 + \theta_2) & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Q9. Manipulator Jacobian for RRR configuration

$$x = l_1 \cos \theta_1 + l_2 \cos(\theta_1 + \theta_2) + l_3 \cos(\theta_1 + \theta_2 + \theta_3)$$

$$y = l_1 \sin \theta_1 + l_2 \sin(\theta_1 + \theta_2) + l_3 \sin(\theta_1 + \theta_2 + \theta_3)$$

$$\frac{\partial x}{\partial \theta_1} = -l_1 \sin \theta_1 - l_2 \sin(\theta_1 + \theta_2) - l_3 \sin(\theta_1 + \theta_2 + \theta_3)$$

$$\frac{\partial x}{\partial \theta_2} = -l_2 \sin(\theta_1 + \theta_2) - l_3 \sin(\theta_1 + \theta_2 + \theta_3)$$

$$\frac{\partial x}{\partial \theta_3} = -l_3 \sin(\theta_1 + \theta_2 + \theta_3)$$

$$\frac{\partial y}{\partial \theta_1} = l_1 \cos \theta_1 + l_2 \cos(\theta_1 + \theta_2) + l_3 \cos(\theta_1 + \theta_2 + \theta_3)$$

$$\frac{\partial y}{\partial \theta_2} = l_2 \cos(\theta_1 + \theta_2) + l_3 \cos(\theta_1 + \theta_2 + \theta_3)$$

$$\frac{\partial y}{\partial \theta_3} = l_3 \cos(\theta_1 + \theta_2 + \theta_3)$$

Jacobian matrix J:

$$\begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial x}{\partial \theta_1} & \frac{\partial x}{\partial \theta_2} & \frac{\partial x}{\partial \theta_3} \\ \frac{\partial y}{\partial \theta_1} & \frac{\partial y}{\partial \theta_2} & \frac{\partial y}{\partial \theta_3} \end{bmatrix}$$