

04/09/23

RECAP :  $\rightarrow \hat{\omega} \theta \rightarrow R = e^{[\hat{\omega}] \theta}$   
 $\rightarrow \dot{p}(t) = e^{[\hat{\omega}] t} p(0)$

$\rightarrow$  Rodrigues' formula :  $e^{[\hat{\omega}] \theta} = I + \sin \theta [\hat{\omega}] + (1 - \cos \theta) [\hat{\omega}]^2$ .

$\rightarrow$

- (i) if  $R = I$  ;  $\theta = 0, \pm 2\pi, \pm 4\pi - \dots$  and  $\hat{\omega}$  is undefined.
- (ii) if  $\text{Trace}(R) = -1$  ;  $\theta = \pm \pi, \pm 3\pi \dots$  and set  $\hat{\omega}$  to :

$$R(\hat{\omega}, \pi) = I + 2[\hat{\omega}]^2$$

(iii)  $\theta = \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{1}{d} (\text{tr } R - 1) \right) \in [0, \pi)$   
 $\hat{\omega} = \frac{1}{2 \sin \theta} (R - R^T)$

- 
- we can represent some arbitrary rotation as a unit axis rotation.

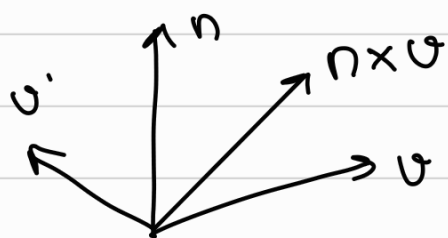
## AXIS - ANGLE THEOREM

- $z' = e^{i\theta} z$

- any arbitrary vector  $v \in \mathbb{R}^3$  can be rotated about normal vector  $v \cdot n = 0$

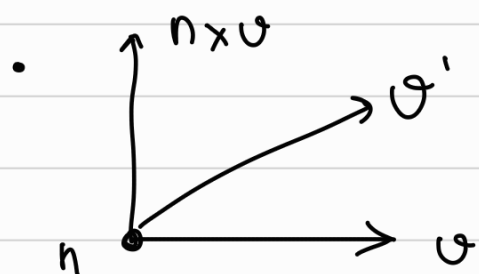


now, our aim is to find  $v'$  using  $n, v, \theta$



$$v \cdot n = 0$$

$$(n \times v) \perp v$$



← Taking the  $(n \times v)$  &  $v$  plane

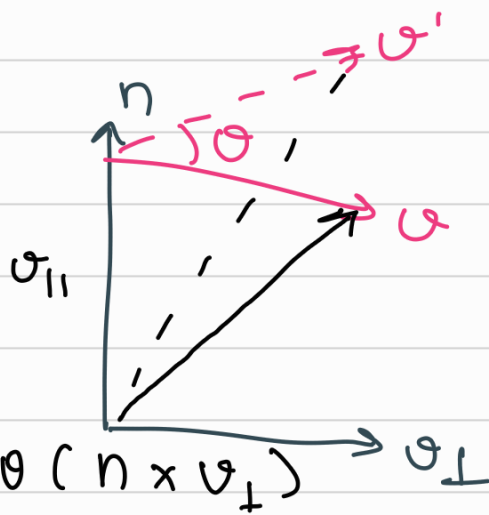
$$v = v_{\perp} + v_{\parallel}$$

$$v_{\parallel}' = v_{\parallel}$$

$$\therefore v' = v_{\parallel} + v_{\perp}'$$

$$v' = v_{\parallel} + \cos \theta v_{\perp} + \sin \theta (n \times v_{\perp})$$

$$= (1 - \cos \theta) v_{\parallel} + \cos \theta v_{\perp} + \sin \theta (n \times v)$$



$$v' = (1 - \cos \theta) (v \cdot n) n + \cos \theta v + \sin \theta (n \times v)$$

Rodrigues' rotation formula

After simplifying with identities,

$$R(n, \theta) = (I + \sin \theta \hat{n} + (1 - \cos \theta) \hat{n}^2)$$

↳ Angle-axis theorem.

• we would need four variables  $\rightarrow$  3 for  $n + 1$  for  $\theta$

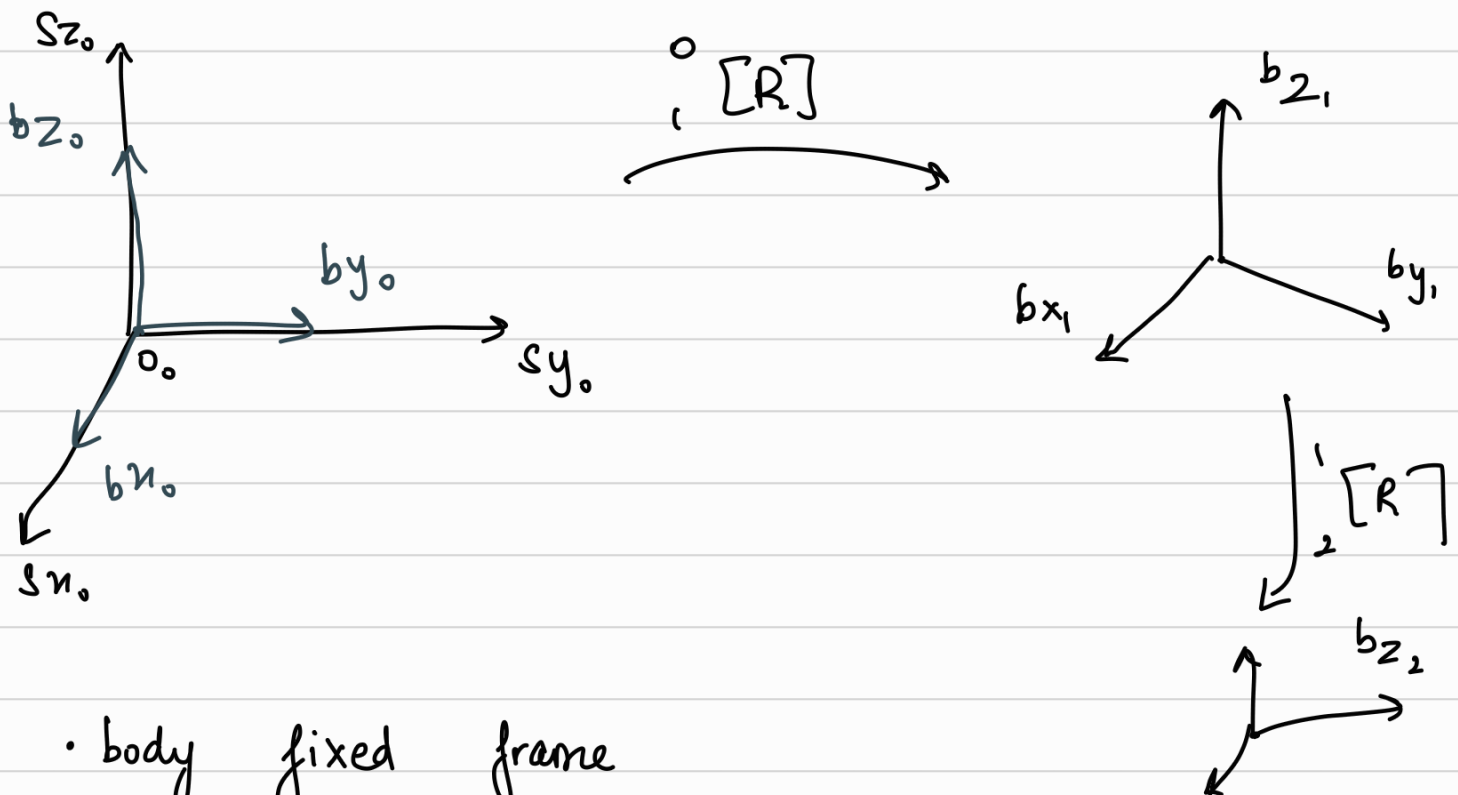
• Rotation vector notation :  $K = n\theta$

$$R(K) = R\left(\frac{K}{|K|}, |K|\right)$$

$\downarrow$   
 $\hat{n}$

$\downarrow$   
 $\theta$

## COMPOSITION OF ROTATION



• body fixed frame

$${}^0[R] \rightarrow {}^1[R] \rightarrow {}^2[R]$$

• in frame 1, there is some rotation occurring

$$p' = A' q'$$

how would we observe the rotation from another frame?

→ convert the vectors to frame 0.

$${}^0 p = {}^0 [R] {}^1 p$$

$${}^0 q = {}^0 [R] {}^1 q$$

now,  ${}^1 p = {}^1 A {}^1 q$   
 ${}^0 p = {}^0 R {}^1 A {}^0 R^T {}^0 q$        $R = {}^0 [R]$

now,  ${}^0 ({}^1 A) = {}^0 R {}^1 A {}^0 R^T$       40 more mins :((

(SVD decomposition) → similarity transformation  
 →  ${}^1 A$  as viewed from frame 0.

In general,

$${}^0 \begin{pmatrix} {}^1 [R] \\ {}^2 [R] \end{pmatrix} = {}^0 [R] {}^1 [R] ({}^0 [R])^T$$

$${}^a \begin{pmatrix} {}^b [R] \\ {}^c [R] \end{pmatrix} = {}^a [R] {}^b [R] ({}^a [R])^T$$

→  ${}^0 [R] = {}^s R_1 = {}^b R_2$   
 (body fixed & space fixed superimposed)

$${}^s R_2 {}^s R_1 = {}^0 R_2 {}^1 R {}^0 R^T {}^0 R \rightarrow S$$

$$= {}^0 R_2 {}^1 R$$

Q)  $R(n, \theta)$

• rotating by  $\theta$  about current  $n$  axis  
 $R(\hat{n}, \theta)$

•  $z$  axis by  $\phi$  (fixed  $z$  axis)  
 $R(\hat{n}, \theta) \cdot R(z, \phi)$

•  $z$  axis by  $\alpha$   
 $R(z, \alpha) \left[ R(\hat{n}, \theta) \cdot R(z, \phi) \right]$

→ post-multiply for body fixed  
pre-multiply for space fixed

## EIGEN VECTORS

• vectors that are invariant under some transformation.

For  $SO(2)$  : eigen values  $\lambda_1, \lambda_2 \Rightarrow e^{\pm i\theta}$   
(complex conjugate pairs)

For  $SO(3)$  :  $\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \lambda_3$

•  $R \vec{n} = \lambda \vec{n}$

$\lambda_1 = 1$  (unit axis of rotation)

$\lambda_2, \lambda_3 \rightarrow$  complex conjugate

• For identity matrix as  $R$ ,  
eigen value = 1  
eigen vectors  $\rightarrow$  can be anything

• if  $\theta = \pi$ ,  $\lambda_1 = 1$ ;  $\lambda_2 = -1$ ,  $\lambda_3 = -1$

• in general,  $\lambda_1 = 1$ ;  $\lambda_2 = \lambda_3 = e^{\pm i\theta}$

- to find the axis of rotation  $\Rightarrow$  we find the eigen vector corresponding to  $\lambda = 1$ .