

2 - DOF planar RR with joint angles $\theta = [\theta_1, \theta_2]^\top$

L_1, L_2 = link lengths; l_1, l_2 ($l_i = L_i/2$) = Link center-of-mass distances

m_1, m_2 = link masses, rotational inertias about COM I_1, I_2

(Gravity = $g = 9.81$ (-y direction)

$$\text{Lagrange-Euler: } \frac{d}{dt} \left(\frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{q}} \right) - \frac{\partial L}{\partial q} = \tau ; (\underline{q} = \theta) ; L(\theta, \dot{\theta}) = T(\theta, \dot{\theta}) - V(\theta)$$

Manipulator Dynamics : $\tau = M(\underline{q})\ddot{q} + h(\underline{q}, \dot{\underline{q}})$ where $M(\underline{q})$ = mass matrix, $h(\underline{q})$ = Coriolis + centripetal + gravity

Kinematics :

$$\text{Link 1 COM - } \underline{r}_{c1} = \begin{bmatrix} l_1 \cos \theta_1 \\ l_1 \sin \theta_1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{Link 2 COM - } \underline{r}_{c2} = \begin{bmatrix} l_1 \cos \theta_1 + l_2 \cos(\theta_1 + \theta_2) \\ l_1 \sin \theta_1 + l_2 \sin(\theta_1 + \theta_2) \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{Link 1 COM Velocity - } \dot{\underline{r}}_{c1} = \begin{bmatrix} -l_1 \dot{\theta}_1 \sin \theta_1 \\ l_1 \dot{\theta}_1 \cos \theta_1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{Link 2 COM Velocity - } \dot{\underline{r}}_{c2} = \begin{bmatrix} -l_1 \dot{\theta}_1 \sin \theta_1 - l_2 (\dot{\theta}_1 + \dot{\theta}_2) \sin(\theta_1 + \theta_2) \\ l_1 \dot{\theta}_1 \cos \theta_1 + l_2 (\dot{\theta}_1 + \dot{\theta}_2) \cos(\theta_1 + \theta_2) \end{bmatrix}$$

Angular velocities : $\omega_1 = \dot{\theta}_1$, $\omega_2 = \dot{\theta}_1 + \dot{\theta}_2$

Energies :

Kinetic (translational + rotational) :

$$T = \frac{1}{2} m_1 \dot{\underline{r}}_{c1}^T \dot{\underline{r}}_{c1} + \frac{1}{2} I_1 \dot{\theta}_1^2 + \frac{1}{2} m_2 \dot{\underline{r}}_{c2}^T \dot{\underline{r}}_{c2} + \frac{1}{2} I_2 (\dot{\theta}_1 + \dot{\theta}_2)^2$$

Potential (Gravity downwards) : $V = m_1 g l_1 \sin \theta_1 + m_2 g (l_1 \sin \theta_1 + l_2 \sin(\theta_1 + \theta_2))$

Euler-Lagrange :

$$M(\theta)\ddot{\theta} + C(\theta, \dot{\theta})\dot{\theta} + G(\theta) = \tau$$

Final Equations of Motion :

$$M(\theta) = \begin{bmatrix} M_{11} & M_{12} \\ M_{21} & M_{22} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$M_{11} = I_1 + I_2 + m_1 l_1^2 + m_2 (l_1^2 + l_2^2 + 2l_1 l_2 \cos \theta_2)$$

$$M_{12} = I_2 + m_2 (l_2^2 + l_1 l_2 \cos \theta_2)$$

$$M_{22} = I_2 + m_2 l_2^2$$

Coriolis/Centripetal Matrix $C(\theta, \dot{\theta})$

$$h = -m_2 l_1 l_2 \sin \theta_2$$

$$C(\theta, \dot{\theta}) = \begin{bmatrix} h\dot{\theta}_2 & h(\dot{\theta}_1 + \dot{\theta}_2) \\ -h\dot{\theta}_1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Gravity Vector $G(\theta)$:

$$G(\theta) = \begin{bmatrix} (m_1 l_1 + m_2 l_1) g \cos \theta_1 + m_2 l_2 g \cos (\theta_1 + \theta_2) \\ m_2 l_2 g \cos (\theta_1 + \theta_2) \end{bmatrix}$$