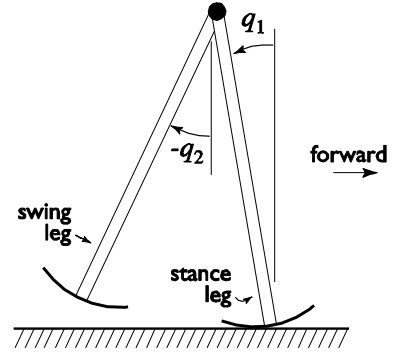


Equations of Motion for 2-D Anthropomorphic Walking Model

The two-dimensional passive dynamic walking model, shown at right, has equations of motion

$$\mathbf{M}(q)\ddot{u} + V(q, \dot{q}) + G(q) = 0$$

where the generalized coordinates q_1 and q_2 are the stance and swing leg angles, respectively, measured counter-clockwise from the ground normal. The generalized speeds u_1 and u_2 are the time-derivatives of q_1 and q_2 , respectively. This model descends a gentle slope with no external power or control. The entries to the equations are given below.



$$M_{11} = I_l + MC^2 + ML^2 + M_p L^2 - 2MCR - 2MLR - 2M_p LR + 4MR^2 + 2M_p R^2 + 2R(MC + (M + M_p)L - (2M + M_p)R)c_1$$

$$M_{12} = M(C - L)((L - R)c_{12} + Rc_2), \quad M_{22} = I_l + M(C - L)^2$$

$$G_1 = g((2M + M_p)R \sin \gamma + (MC + (M + M_p)L - (2M + M_p)R) \sin(\gamma - q_1)), \quad G_2 = M(C - L)(g \sin(\gamma - q_2))$$

$$V_1 = -R(MC + (M + M_p)L - (2M + M_p)R)s_1 u_1^2 - (M(C - L)(R - L)s_{12} + Rs_2)u_2^2, \quad V_2 = -M(C - L)(L - R)s_{12}u_1^2$$

The parameter values are L (leg length), I_l (moment of inertia of leg), C (distance from bottom of leg to leg center of mass), M (mass of leg), R (radius of curvature of foot), M_p (pelvis mass), I_p (pelvis moment of inertia), g (gravitational constant), γ (slope). Trigonometric terms are $c_1 \triangleq \cos q_1$, $c_{12} \triangleq \cos(q_1 - q_2)$, etc.

The foot hits the ground when the height above the ground is zero, i.e. $(L - R)c_1 - (L - R)c_2 = 0$ (note that it is sufficient just to check if the two angles are equal). The state after impact can be determined using conservation of angular momentum, with H_1 being the momentum of the entire system about the foot contact point, and H_2 being the momentum of the trailing leg about the hip. With - and + superscripts denoting the instant just before and after impact, respectively,

$$H_1^- = \left[\begin{aligned} &I_l + MC^2 - MLC - MRC + MLR + 2MR^2 + M_p R^2 + \\ &R(2MC + M_p L - (2M + M_p)R)c_1 + (L - R)(2MC + M_p L - (2M + M_p)R)c_{12} + \\ &(MRC + MLR + M_p LR - 2MR^2 - M_p R^2)c_2 \end{aligned} \right] u_1^- + [I_l + M(C - L)(C - R + Rc_2)]u_2^-$$

$$H_2^- = (I_l + (C - L)M(C - R) + (C - L)MRc_1)u_1^-$$

$$H_1^+ = \left[\begin{aligned} &I_l + MC^2 + ML^2 + M_p L^2 - 2MCR - 2MLR - 2M_p LR + 4MR^2 + \\ &2M_p R^2 + 2R(MC + (M + M_p)L - (2M + M_p)R)c_1 + \\ &M(C - L)(L - R)c_{12} + MR(C - L)c_2 \end{aligned} \right] u_1^+ + [I_l + M(C - L)(C - L + (L - R)c_{12} + Rc_2)]u_2^+$$

$$H_2^+ = [(C - L)M(L - R)c_{12} + (C - L)MRc_2]u_1^+ + (I_l + M(C - L)^2)u_2^+$$

These equations may be expressed as $M^+ u^+ = H^-$ and solved for u^+ . Note that each of the angular momenta are dependent on the state of the system before or after impact, as appropriate.