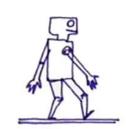
# Geometry

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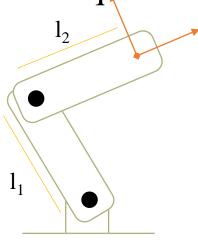
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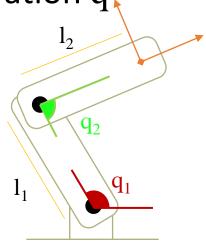




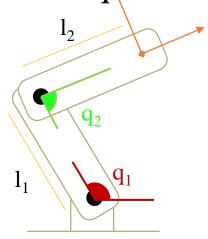
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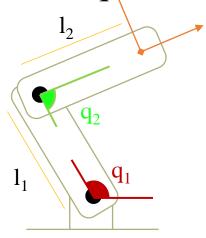


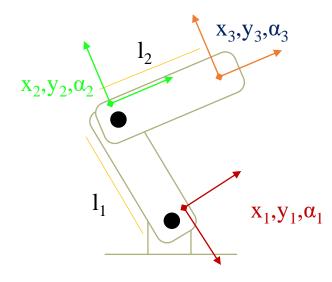




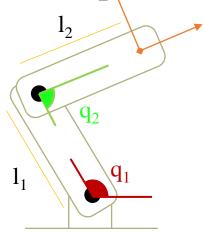
$$l_1 \cos(q_1) + l_2 \cos(q_1 + q_2) l_1 \sin(q_1) + l_2 \sin(q_1 + q_2)$$

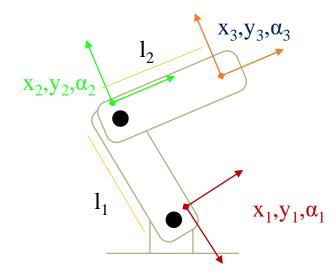
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... such that

$$(x_1-x_2)^2+(y_1-y_2)^2 = cst$$
  
 $(x_2-x_3)^2+(y_2-y_3)^2 = cst$   
... etc ...

#### Rotation

Rotation matrices

$$R = \begin{pmatrix} r00 & r01 & r02 \\ r10 & r11 & r12 \\ r20 & r21 & r22 \end{pmatrix}$$

Derivation of a matrix

$$\dot{R} = \cdots$$

- Representation of rotations
  - Matrices n=9, usable, non vector
  - Quaternion n=4, partly usable, vector, simple constraint
  - Angle vector n=3, non usable, vector, minimal unconstrained
  - Euler angle / roll-pitch-yaw don't use it

## Angular velocity / Angle vector

Formal definition

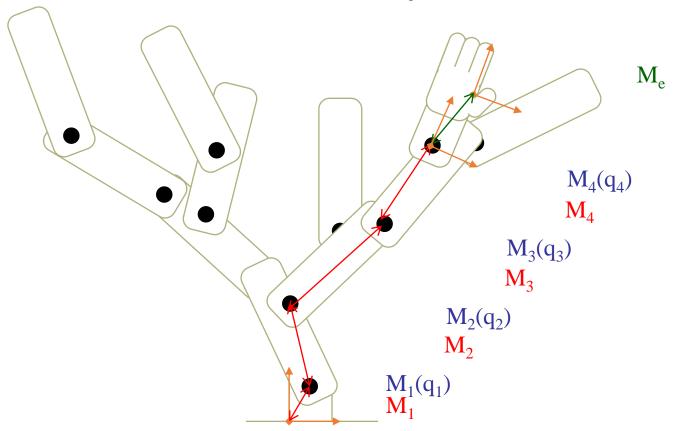
$$\dot{R} = \omega \times R$$

- From rotation to velocity
  - $R \rightarrow \omega$
- From velocity to rotation?
  - $\omega \rightarrow R$  ... integrate

- Meaning of  $\omega$  ?
- Angle axis representation

#### Direct geometry

• The geometric model is a tree of joints and bodies



$$\mathbf{M}(\mathbf{q}) = \mathbf{M}_1 \oplus \mathbf{M}_1(\mathbf{q}_1) \oplus \mathbf{M}_2 \oplus \ldots \oplus \mathbf{M}_4 \oplus \mathbf{M}_4(\mathbf{q}_4) \oplus \mathbf{M}_e$$

### About representation of motion

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$$M = \begin{bmatrix} R & p \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \qquad \qquad \dot{R} = \omega \times R$$
 Canonical definition of angular velocity ... represents SE(3)

The geometric model is a tree of joints and bodies

What is  $M \in SE(3)$ 

What is  $\dot{M}$  (and  $\dot{R}$ )

Links with the differential geometry

#### Joint models

- Maps
  - From configuration space
  - To SE3 space

$$h(q) = {}^{k}M_{k+1}(q) \in SE(3)$$

• For example, Revolute-Z is:

$$h(q) = \begin{bmatrix} \cos q & \sin q & 0 & 0 \\ -\sin q & \cos q & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

#### Kinematic model parametrization

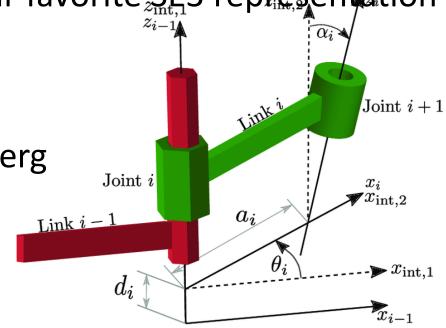
Parent-to-child joint transformation

• Modern solution: with your favorite SE3 representation

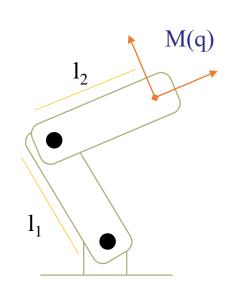
Good-old days:

with Denavit-Hartenberg

minimal parameters



#### Direct geometry



From

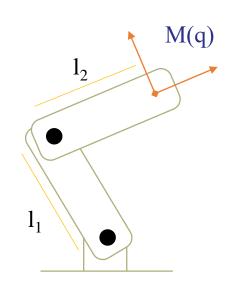
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To

Effector cartesian placement M

 $M: q \to M(q)$ 

#### Inverse geometry



Being given a M\* ...

what is q such that  $M(q) = M^*$ 

 $M^{-1}: M^* \to q = M^{-1}(M^*)$ 

# Numerical inversion of the geometry

- Computing analytically h<sup>-1</sup> is difficult and tedious
- We can compute it numerically!

Problem definition

$$search f(x) - f^* = 0$$

$$min || f(x) - f^* ||^2$$