# MEE Picard-Chebyshev for Propagating Perturbed Two-Body Orbits

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# **Compile & Run**

- 1. Compile the matrix builder from within /src
  - >> make matrix\_builder
- 2. Perform the one time build of the constant Picard-Chebyshev matrices from within /src >> ./matrix\_builder
- 3. Compile the propagator from within /src
  - >> make
- 4. Propagate the test case orbit from within /src

# >> ./test\_mee

# **Functions**

#### \src

#### c\_functions.c

Performs some simple vector-matrix operations.

#### chebyshev.c

Generates Chebyshev polynomials of the first kind.

## clenshaw\_curtis\_I.c

Generates constant matrices for first order Clenshaw-Curtis Quadrature.

#### ecef2eci.c

Converts states from the body frame to the inertial frame.

#### eci2ecef.c

Converts states from the inertial frame to the body frame.

#### EGM2008.c

Computes the spherical harmonic gravity for a specified degree and order.

# lsq\_chebyshev\_fit.c

Builds least squares operator and Chebyshev matrix.

#### makefile

File to compile all the code.

## matrix\_builder.c

One time build & store constant matrices required for the Adaptive Picard-Chebyshev numerical integration method.

## matrix\_loader.c

Loads constant matrices required for the Adaptive Picard-Chebyshev numerical integration method.

#### rv2elm.c

Converts Cartesian to Keplerian orbit elements.

#### test.c

Sets up a test case and runs *adaptive\_picard\_chebyshev*.

## \inc

This folder contains all the header files corresponding to the .c sourse files in the \src folder. In addition, const.h is also located in this folder. Const.h specifies a number of astrodynamics constants.

#### \matrices

This folder stores the Picard-Chebyshev matrix binary files after the matrix\_builder command is run.