

Robot Dynamics I

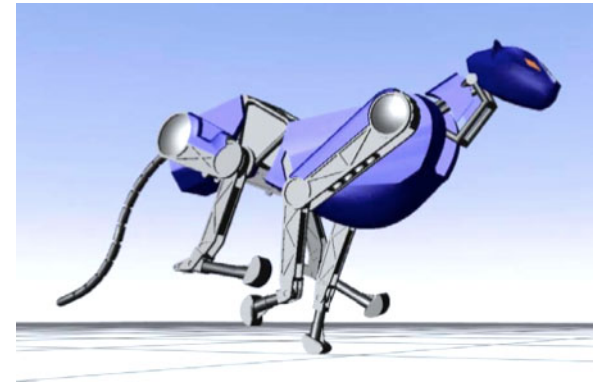
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What you would learn

- **Newton-Euler formulation** to obtain manipulator's equations of motion.
- Physical interpretation of the manipulator's equations of motion



Introduction



- **Dynamics** (Wikipedia): a branch of physics (specifically classical mechanics) concerned with **the study of forces and torques and their effect on motion**, as opposed to kinematics, which studies the motion of objects without reference to its causes.
- Manipulator dynamics:
 - The way in which **motion** of the manipulator arises from **torques** applied by the actuators or from external forces applied to the manipulator



Introduction

- Usage of robot dynamics:
 - **Controller design**: Model-based controller typically perform better than non model-based ones
 - **Simulation study**: Help to check the perform of a robot and test the control strategies before working on the physical robots



Introduction

- Typically, robot manipulator is modeled as a **rigid multi-body** system
- Two main problems associated with robot dynamics:

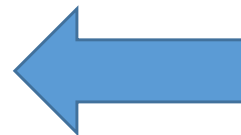
(For control of manipulator)

Inverse dynamics

joints' motions
 $(q_1(t), \dots, q_n(t))$
 $\dot{q}_1(t), \dots, \dot{q}_n(t)$
 $\ddot{q}_1(t), \dots, \ddot{q}_n(t)$



joints' torques
 $(\tau_1(t), \dots, \tau_n(t))$

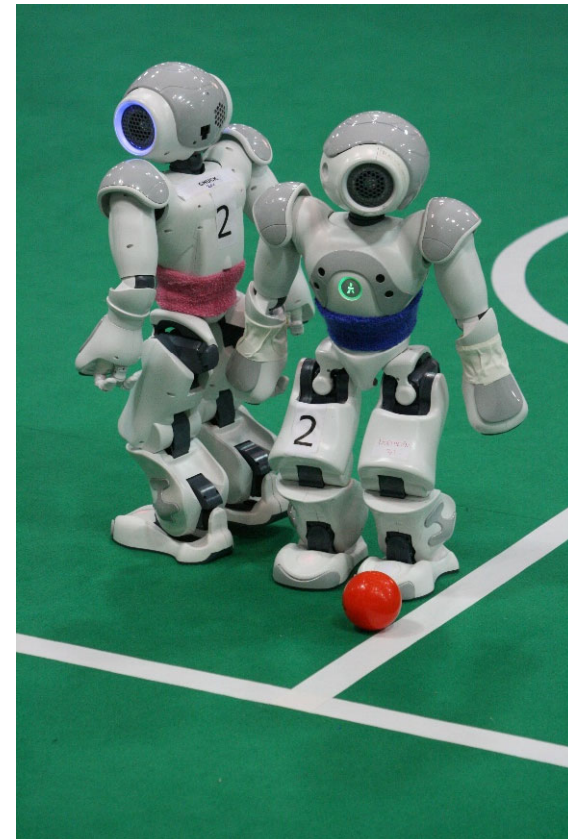


Forward (direct) dynamics

(Mainly used for simulation)

Robot Dynamics

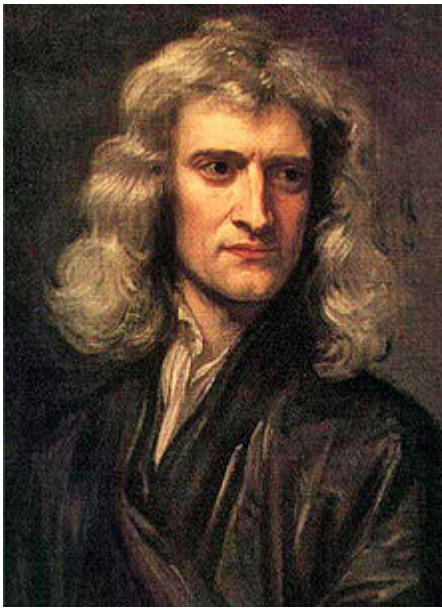
- Dynamics of multi-body systems
 - Formulations:
 - **Newton-Euler**
 - Based on Newton's Second Law of Motion and Euler's equation of motion
 - **Lagrangian**
 - Based on work and energy



Newton-Euler Formulation of Equations of Motion

- Dynamic equations of a **rigid body** represented by two sets of equations:
 - 1) **Translational motion of mass centroid** (or centre of mass, C)

Newton's equation of motion



Sir Isaac Newton (1642 – 1727)

$$\sum_j \mathbf{F}_j = m \cdot \mathbf{a}$$

\mathbf{F}_j : force j acting on body

m : mass of body

\mathbf{a} : acceleration of **body's mass centroid**



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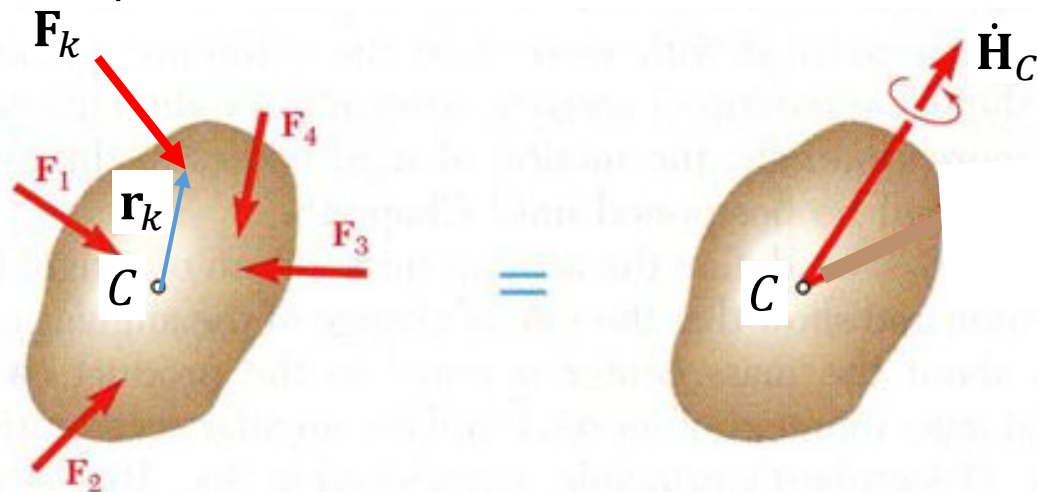


Leonhard Euler (1707 – 1783)

$$\sum_k \mathbf{T}_k = \frac{d\mathbf{H}_C}{dt}$$

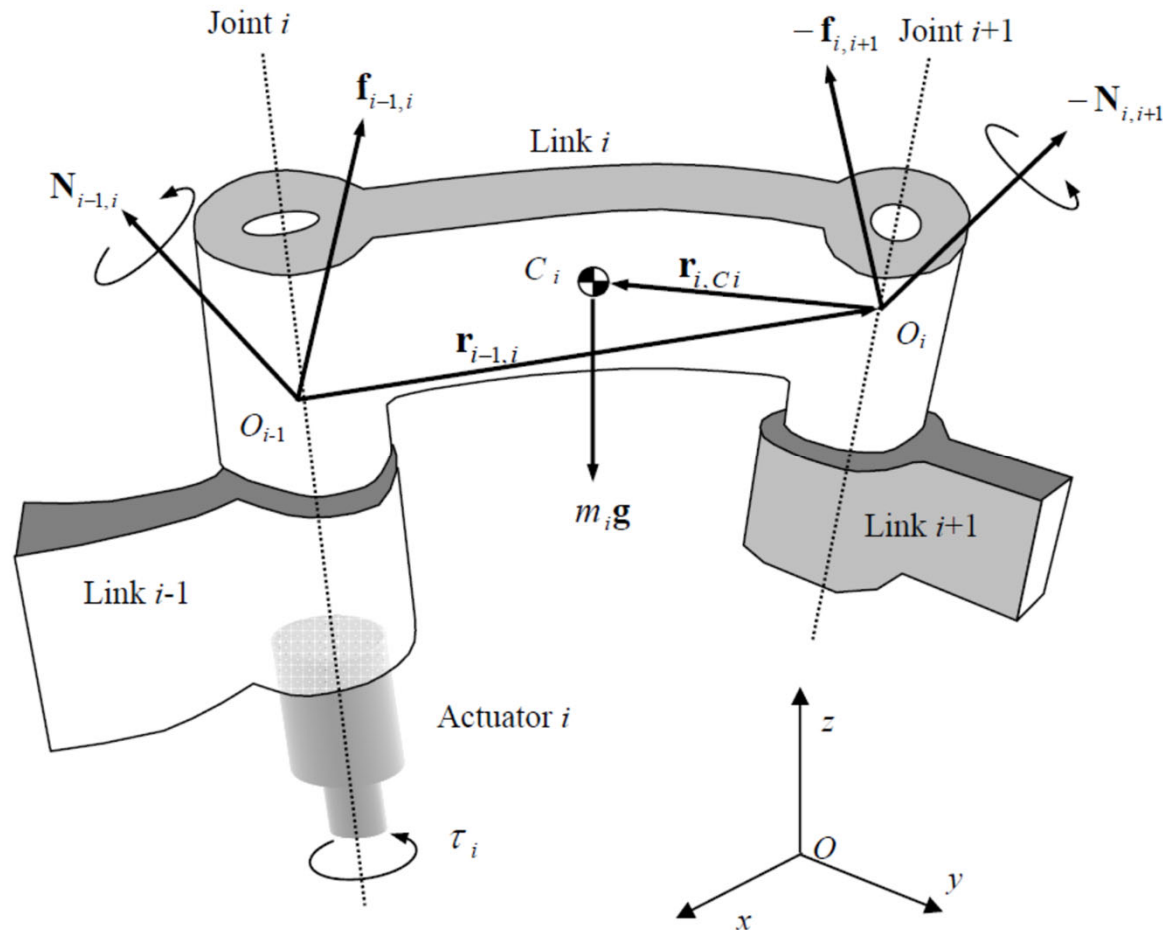
\mathbf{T}_k : moment k acting on body
 \mathbf{H}_C : angular momentum of body about its mass centroid C

If \mathbf{T}_k is due to force \mathbf{F}_k acting on the body, $\mathbf{T}_k = \mathbf{r}_k \times \mathbf{F}_k$, where \mathbf{r}_k is a position vector of the contact point with respect to centroid C .



Newton-Euler Formulation of Equations of Motion

- Considering **free body diagram** of an individual link (i):



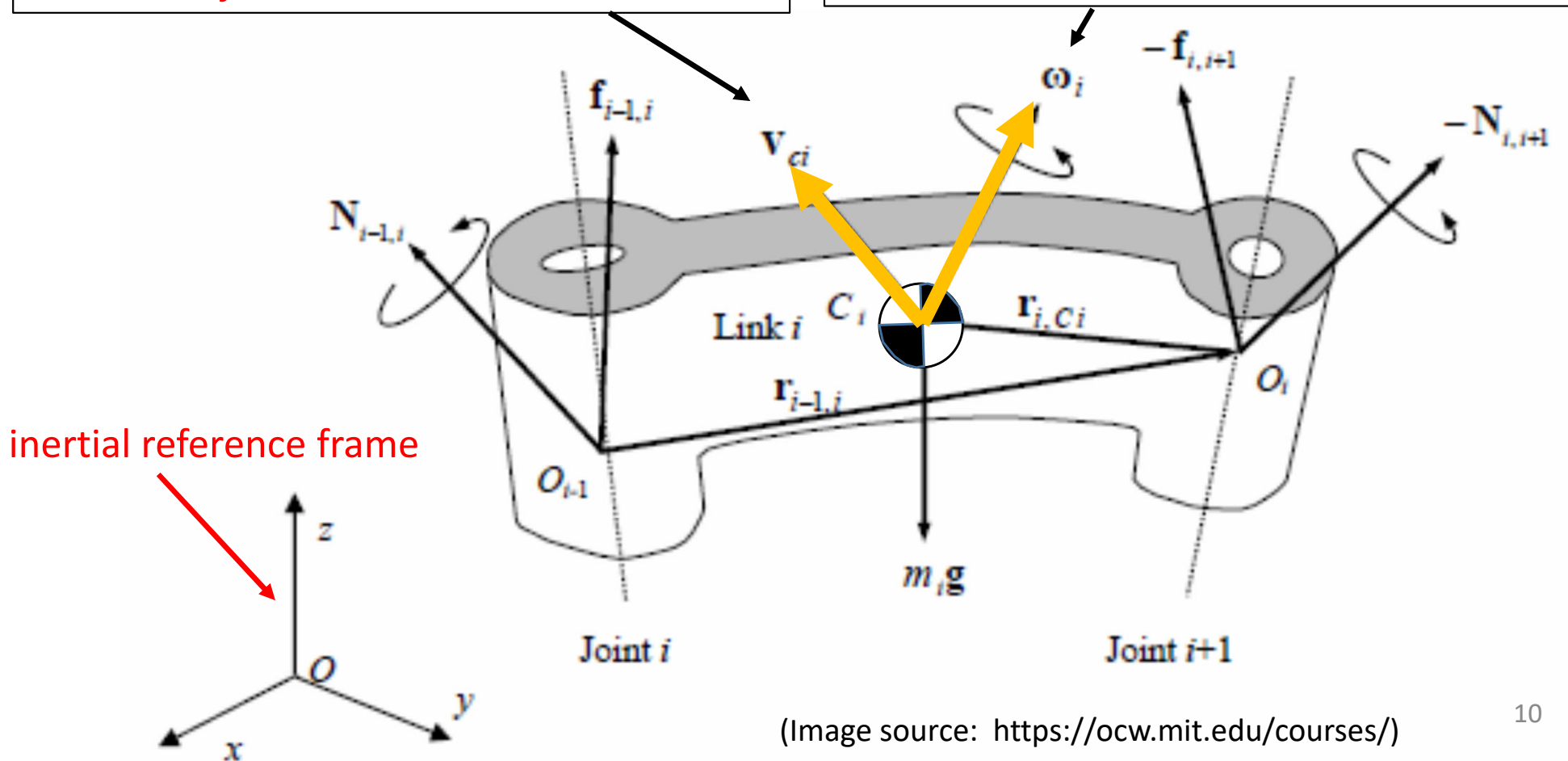
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Newton-Euler Formulation of Equations of Motion

- Considering free body diagram of an individual link (i):

\mathbf{v}_{ci} : linear velocity of centroid C_i of link i with reference to inertial reference frame O -xyz

ω_i : angular velocity of link i with reference to inertial reference frame O -xyz

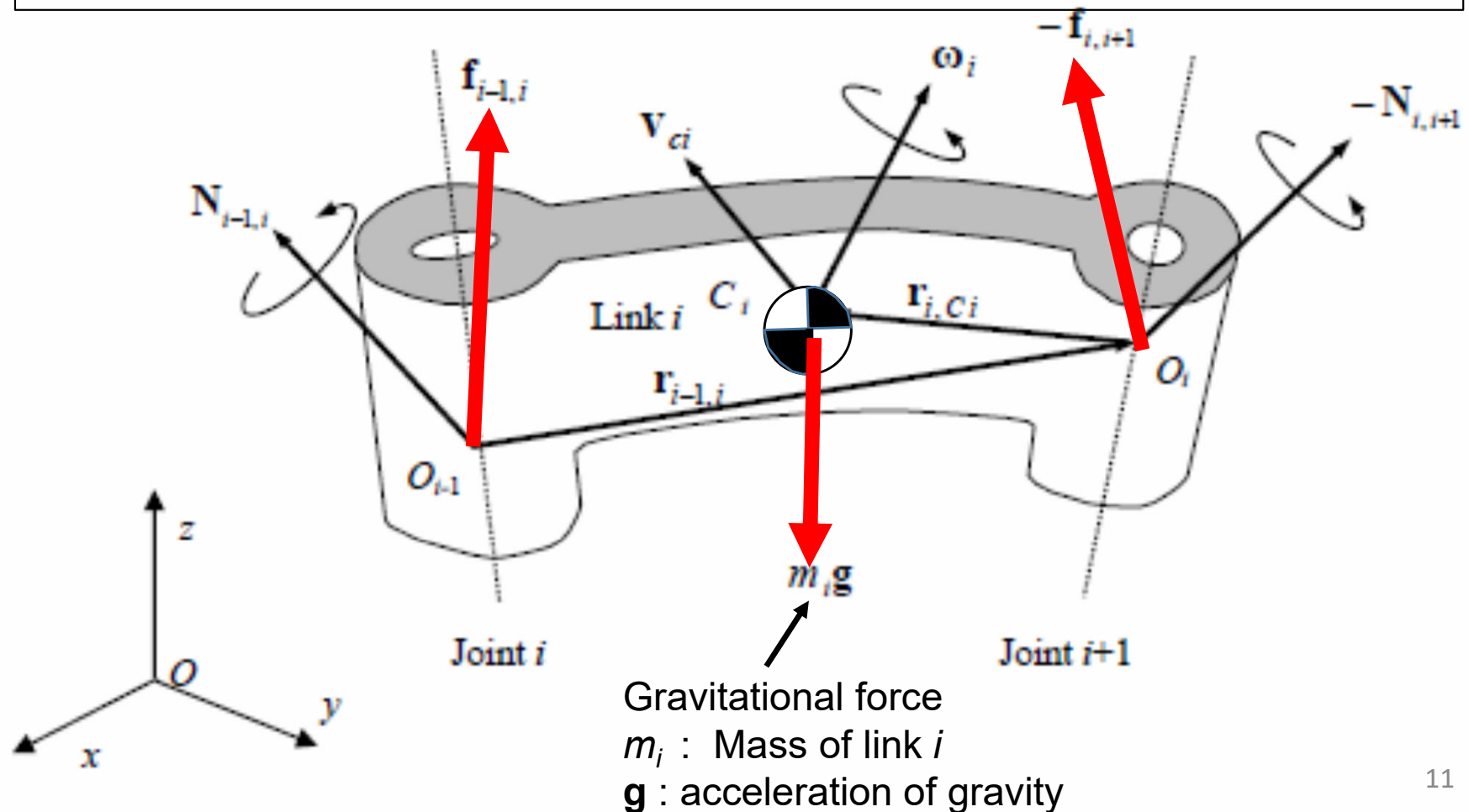


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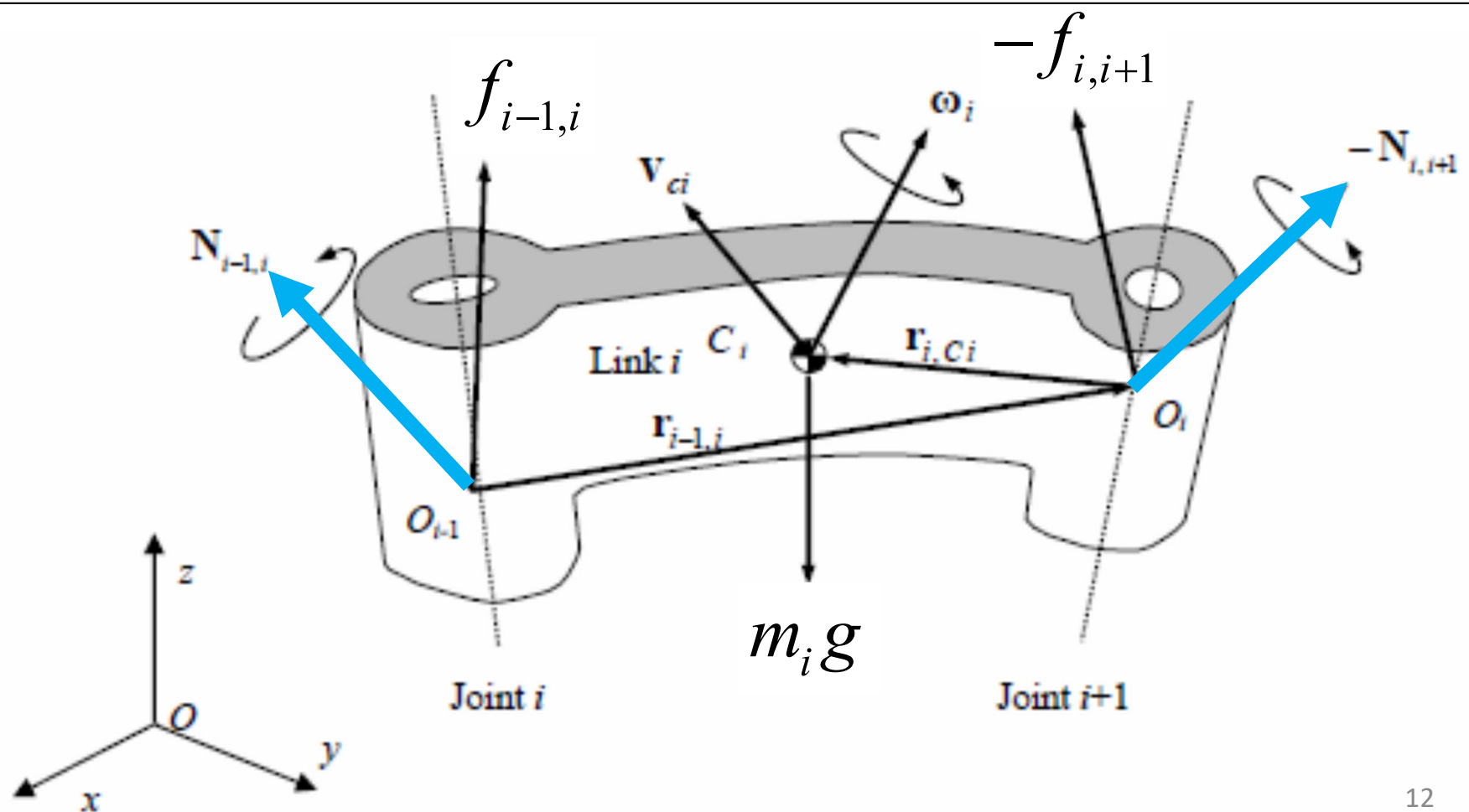
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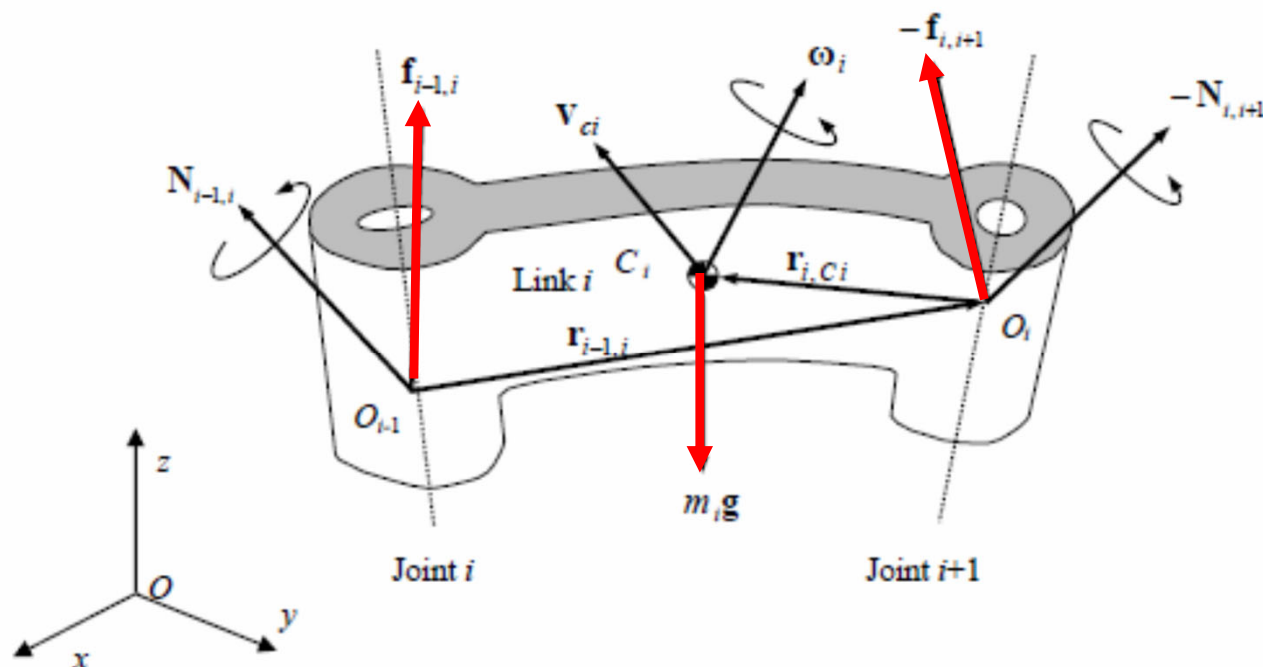
Newton-Euler Formulation of Equations of Motion

- 1) **Translational motion of centroid** (or centre of mass)

Newton's equation of motion based on D'Alembert's principle (summation of actual forces acting on the link and inertial force* = 0),

$$\sum_j \mathbf{F}_j - m \cdot \mathbf{a} = 0$$

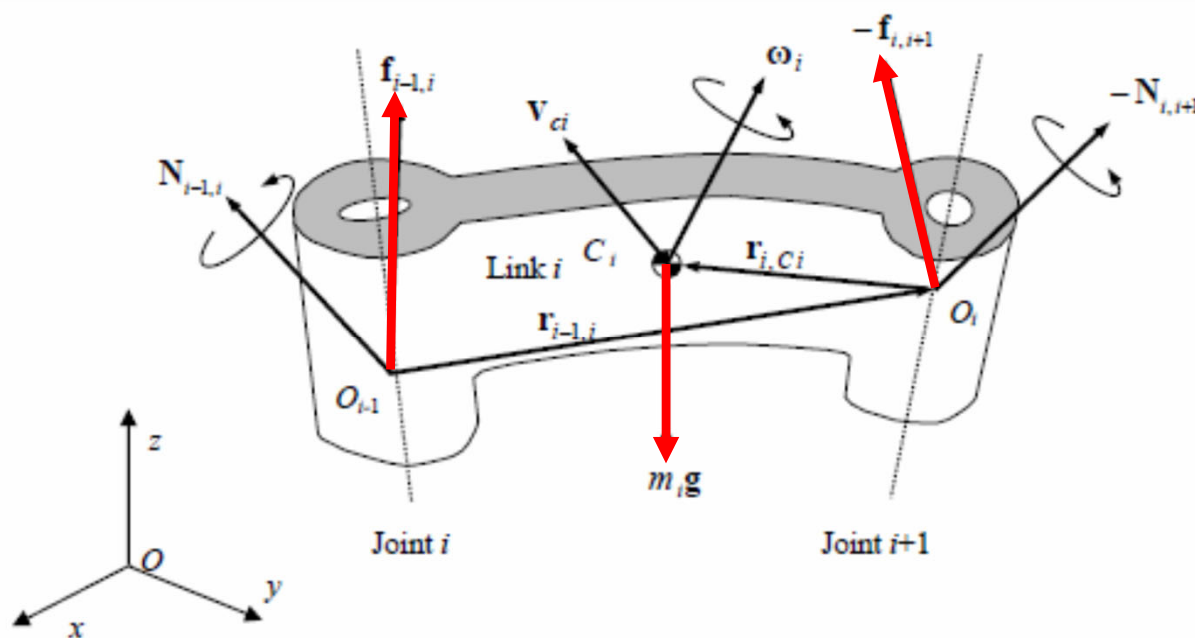
inertial force*



Newton-Euler Formulation of Equations of Motion

- Hence, equation of motion for translational motion of centroid is as follows:

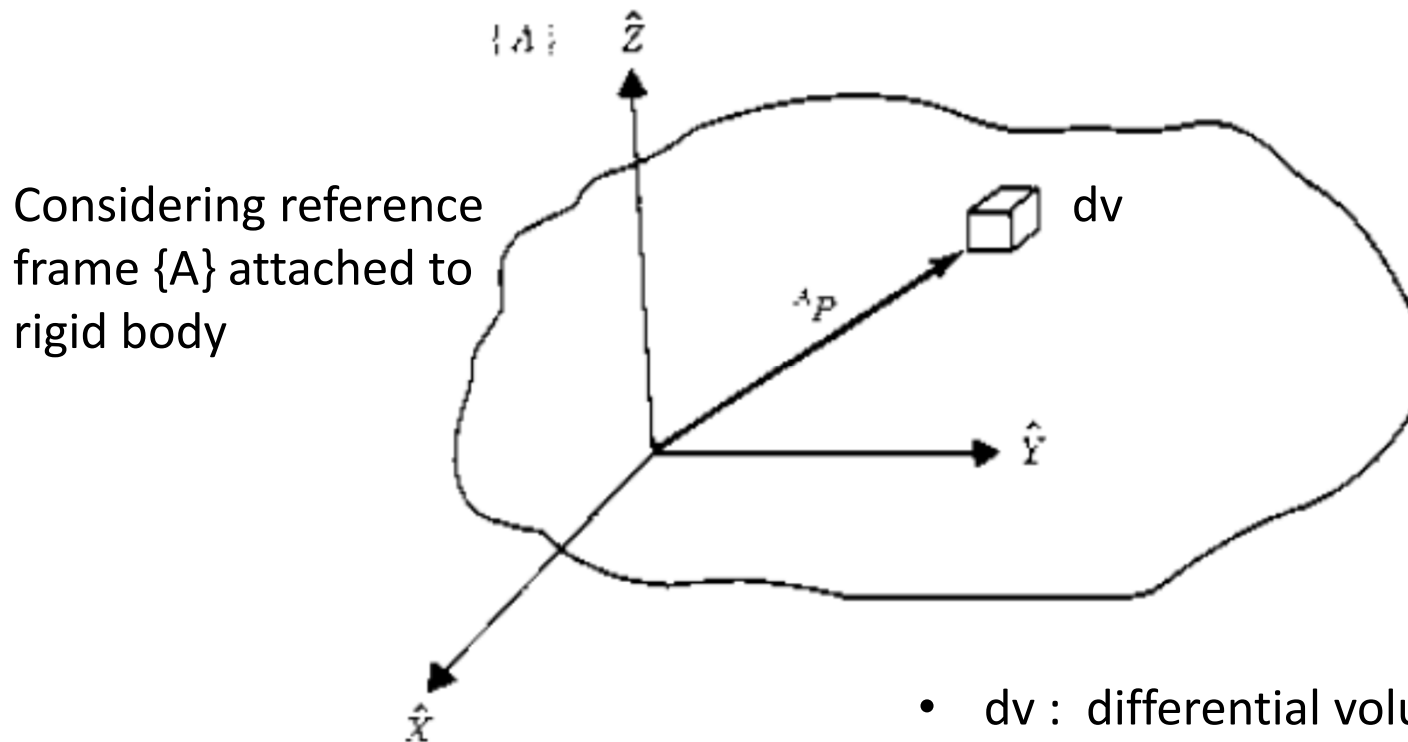
$$\underbrace{\sum_j F_j}_{\mathbf{f}_{i-1,i} - \mathbf{f}_{i,i+1} + m_i \mathbf{g}} \underbrace{- m_i \mathbf{a}}_{-m_i \dot{\mathbf{v}}_{ci}} = \mathbf{0}, \quad i = 1, \dots, n \quad (1)$$



*Inertial force is given by $-m_i \dot{\mathbf{v}}_{ci}$ where $\dot{\mathbf{v}}_{ci}$ is time derivative of \mathbf{v}_{ci} .

Newton-Euler Formulation of Equations of Motion

- **Inertia tensor (inertia matrix)**: set of quantities that give information about **distribution of mass** of a rigid body relative to a reference frame



- dv : differential volume element with density ρ
- ${}^A P = [x \ y \ z]^T$: position vector which locates differential volume element relative to frame $\{A\}$

Newton-Euler Formulation of Equations of Motion

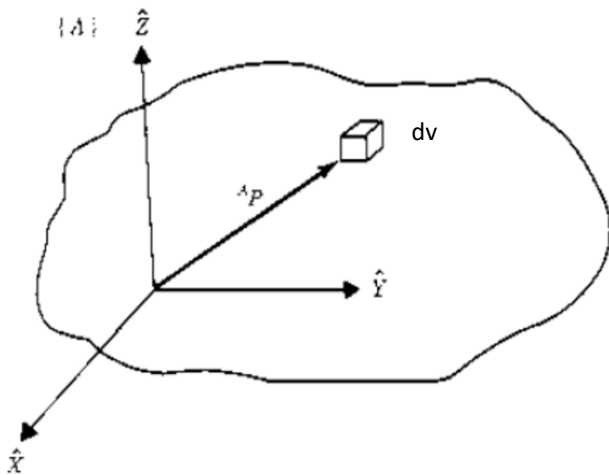
- Inertia tensor (inertia matrix):

$${}^A\mathbf{I} = \begin{bmatrix} I_{xx} & -I_{xy} & -I_{xz} \\ -I_{xy} & I_{yy} & -I_{yz} \\ -I_{xz} & -I_{yz} & I_{zz} \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{matrix} 3 \times 3 \text{ symmetric} \\ \text{matrix} \end{matrix}$$

(Leading superscript A: frame of reference of inertia tensor)

where

(2)



$$I_{xx} = \int_V (y^2 + z^2) \rho dv$$

$$I_{xy} = \int_V xy \rho dv$$

$$I_{yy} = \int_V (x^2 + z^2) \rho dv$$

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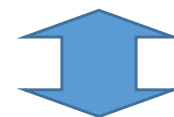
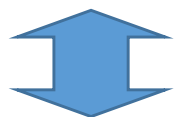
Each volume integral is taken over entire rigid body

Newton-Euler Formulation of Equations of Motion

- Inertia tensor (inertia matrix):

Mass moments of inertia

Mass products of inertia



$$I_{xx} = \int_V (y^2 + z^2) \rho dv$$

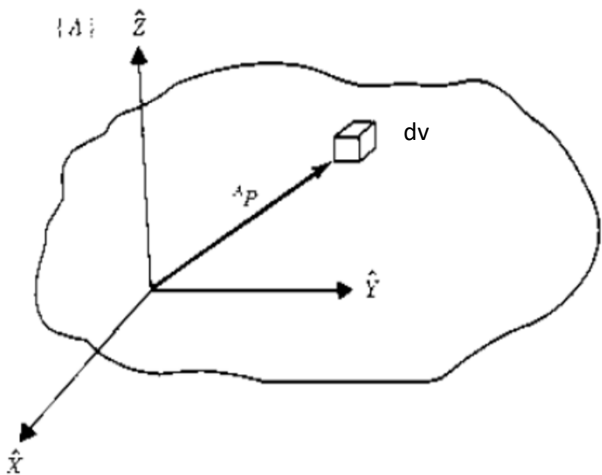
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Newton-Euler Formulation of Equations of Motion

- Remarks:

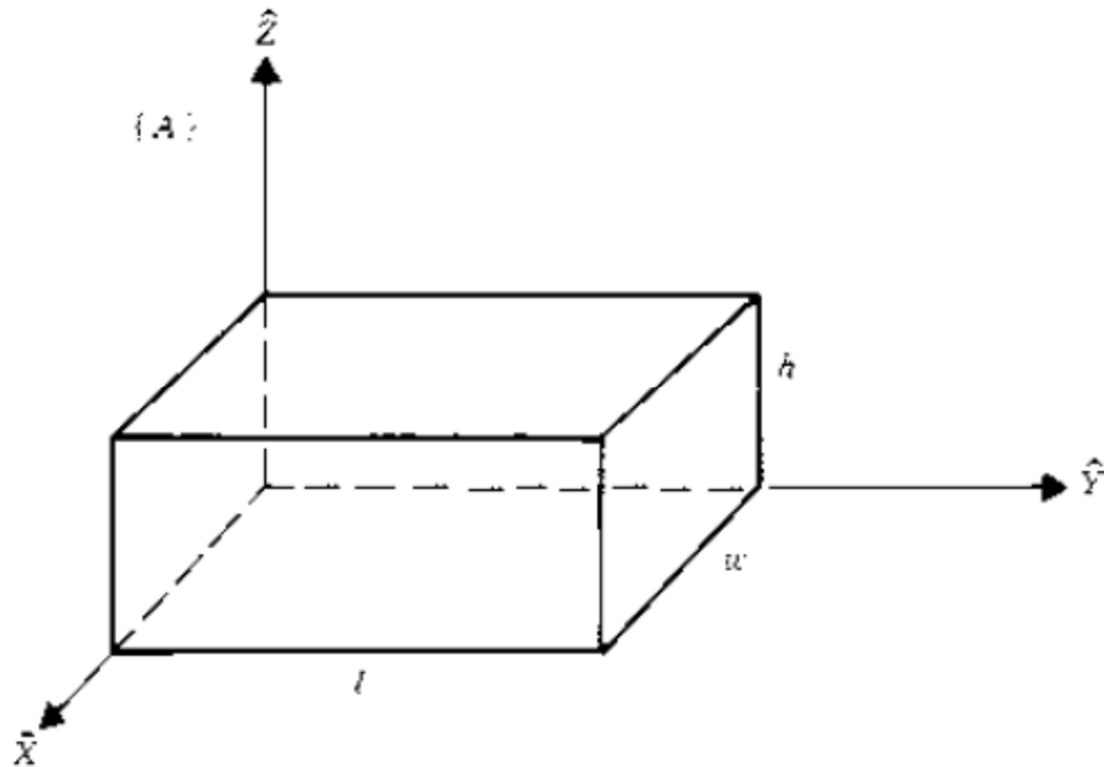
- If axes of reference frame are aligned to **principal axes**:

- Mass products of inertia = 0
- Mass moments of inertia = **Principal** moments of inertia

$$\mathbf{I} = \begin{bmatrix} I_{xx} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & I_{yy} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & I_{zz} \end{bmatrix}$$

Newton-Euler Formulation of Equations of Motion

- Example 1 (Inertia tensor): Find **inertia tensor** for rectangular body of uniform density ρ with respect to coordinate system shown:

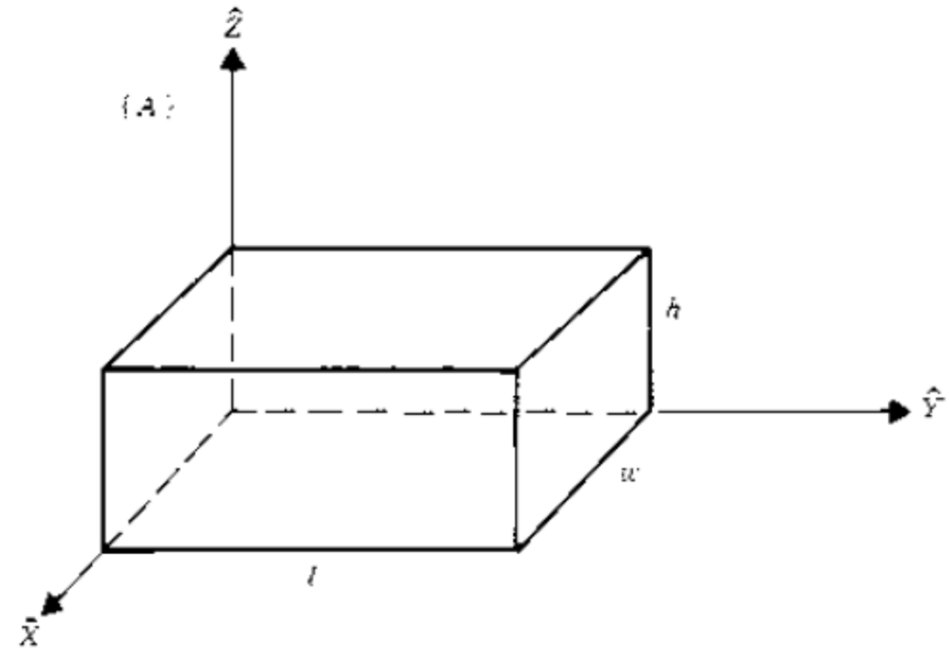


Newton-Euler Formulation of Equations of Motion

- Example 1 (cont.):

Mass moments of inertia:

$$\begin{aligned} I_{xx} &= \int_0^h \int_0^l \int_0^w (y^2 + z^2) \rho dx dy dz \\ &= \int_0^h \int_0^l (y^2 + z^2) w \rho dy dz \\ &= \int_0^h \left(\frac{l^3}{3} + z^2 l \right) w \rho dz \\ &= \left(\frac{hl^3 w}{3} + \frac{h^3 lw}{3} \right) \rho \\ &= \frac{m}{3} (l^2 + h^2) \end{aligned}$$



Similarly:

$$I_{yy} = \frac{m}{3} (w^2 + h^2)$$

$$I_{zz} = \frac{m}{3} (l^2 + w^2)$$

Newton-Euler Formulation of Equations of Motion

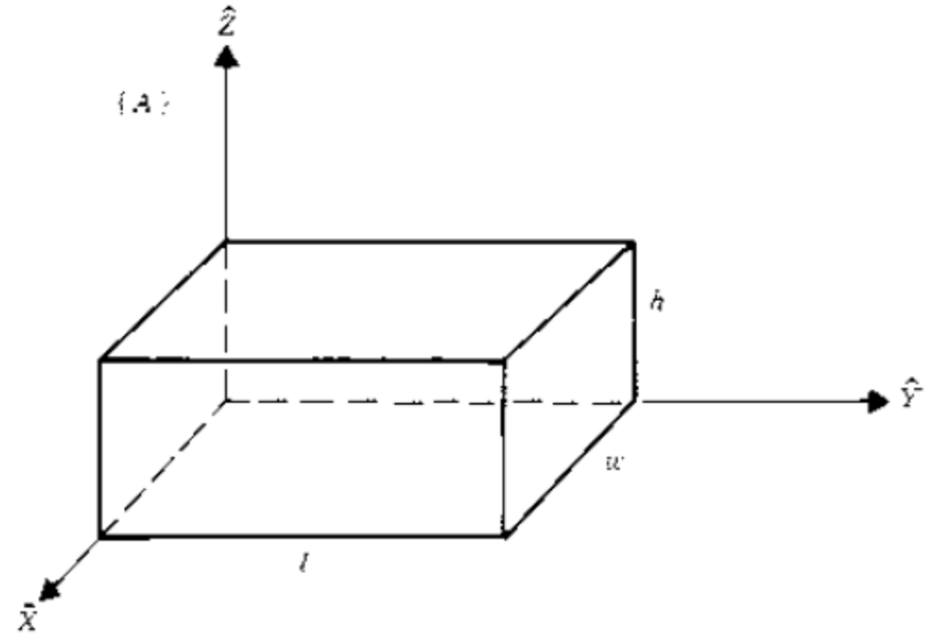
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Mass products of inertia:

$$\begin{aligned}
 I_{xy} &= \int_0^h \int_0^l \int_0^w xy \rho dx dy dz \\
 &= \int_0^h \int_0^l \frac{w^2}{2} y \rho dy dz \\
 &= \int_0^h \frac{w^2 l^2}{4} \rho dz \\
 &= \frac{m}{4} wl
 \end{aligned}$$

Similarly:

$$\begin{aligned}
 I_{xz} &= \frac{m}{4} hw \\
 I_{yz} &= \frac{m}{4} hl
 \end{aligned}$$



Hence, **inertia tensor**:

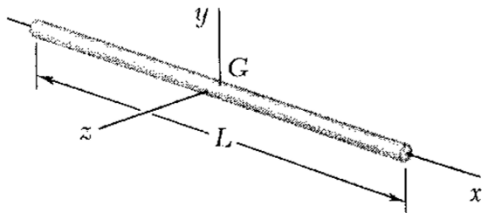
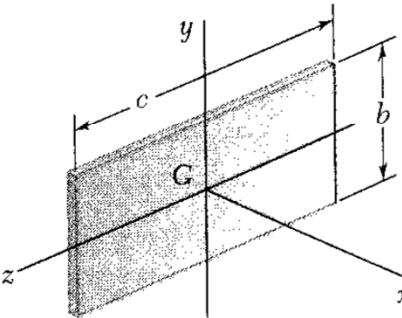
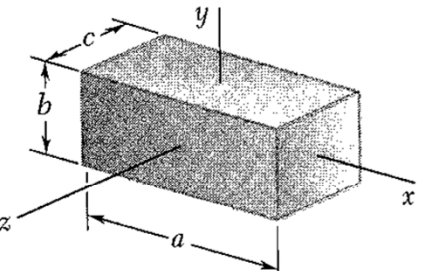
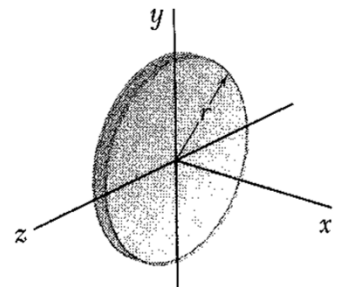
$${}^A\mathbf{I} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{m}{3}(l^2 + h^2) & -\frac{m}{4}wl & -\frac{m}{4}hw \\ -\frac{m}{4}wl & \frac{m}{3}(w^2 + h^2) & -\frac{m}{4}hl \\ -\frac{m}{4}hw & -\frac{m}{4}hl & \frac{m}{3}(l^2 + w^2) \end{bmatrix}$$

Newton-Euler Formulation of Equations of Motion

- Remarks:
 - Mass moments of inertia always **positive**.
 - **Eigenvalues** of inertia tensor are **principal moments of inertia**. Associated **eigenvectors** are **principal axes**.

Newton-Euler Formulation of Equations of Motion

- Mass moments of inertia of common geometric shapes

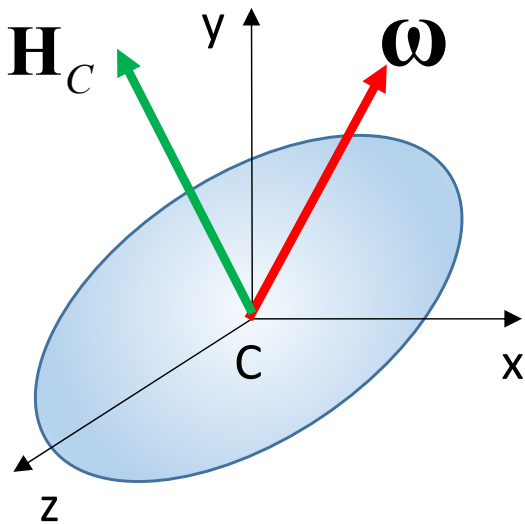
Slender rod		$I_y = I_z = \frac{1}{12}mL^2$
Thin rectangular plate		$I_x = \frac{1}{12}m(b^2 + c^2)$ $I_y = \frac{1}{12}mc^2$ $I_z = \frac{1}{12}mb^2$
Rectangular prism		$I_x = \frac{1}{12}m(b^2 + c^2)$ $I_y = \frac{1}{12}m(c^2 + a^2)$ $I_z = \frac{1}{12}m(a^2 + b^2)$
Thin disk		$I_x = \frac{1}{2}mr^2$ $I_y = I_z = \frac{1}{4}mr^2$

I_x is same as I_{xx} of previous slides. Similarly for I_y and I_z .

Newton-Euler Formulation of Equations of Motion

- Angular momentum of a body about mass centroid C:

$$\mathbf{H}_C = {}^C \mathbf{I} \cdot \boldsymbol{\omega} \in R^3 \text{ (i.e. (3x1) vector)}$$



$$\boldsymbol{\omega} = \begin{bmatrix} \omega_x \\ \omega_y \\ \omega_z \end{bmatrix}$$

Angular velocity vector (3x1)

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Centroidal inertia
tensor of link i (3x3)

Leading superscript C of \mathbf{I} will be omitted in subsequent slides

Newton-Euler Formulation of Equations of Motion

- Time derivative of angular momentum of body:

$$\frac{d\mathbf{H}_C}{dt} = \mathbf{I}\dot{\boldsymbol{\omega}} + \boldsymbol{\omega} \times (\mathbf{I}\boldsymbol{\omega})$$

Cross product


$\boldsymbol{\omega}$: angular velocity of body (3x1 vector)

$\dot{\boldsymbol{\omega}}$: angular acceleration of body (3x1 vector)

\mathbf{I} : centroidal inertia tensor of body (3x3 matrix)
(with reference to frame attached to body)

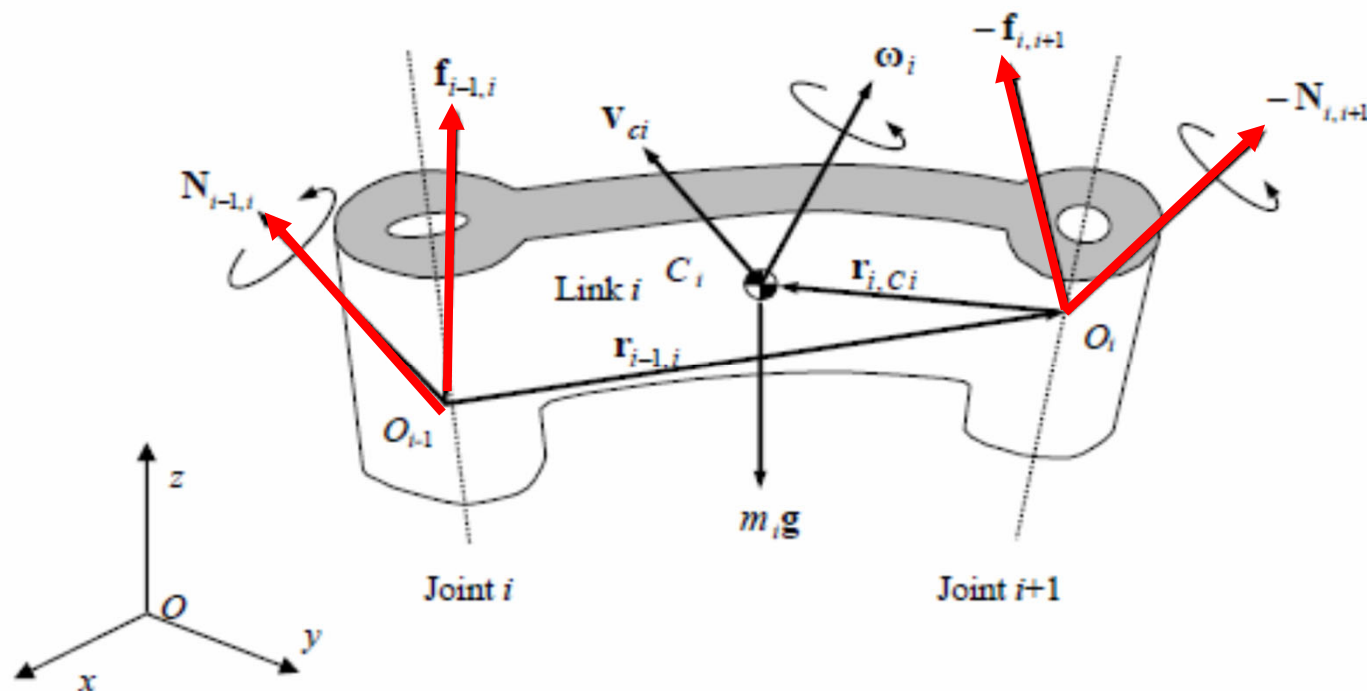
Newton-Euler Formulation of Equations of Motion

- 2) Rotational motion about the centroid

Euler's equation of motion

$$\sum_k \mathbf{T}_k - \frac{d\mathbf{H}_C}{dt} = 0$$

inertial torque



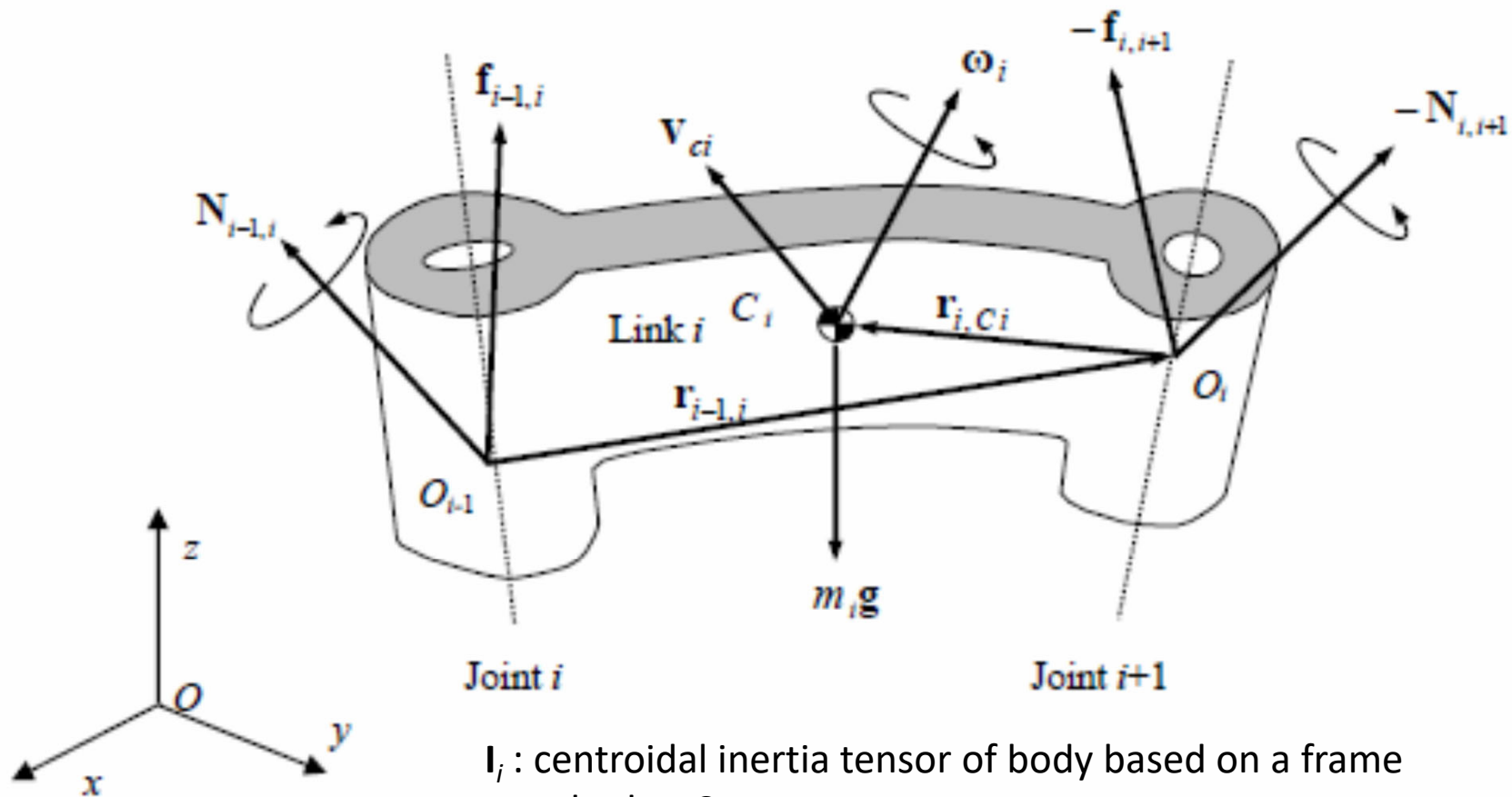
Newton-Euler Formulation of Equations of Motion

- Euler's equation (Balance of moments about C_i):

$$\underbrace{\sum_k T_k}_{\text{Net Torque}} - \underbrace{\frac{d\mathbf{H}_C}{dt}}_{\text{Rate of change of angular momentum}} = \mathbf{0}, \quad (3)$$

$$\mathbf{N}_{i-1,i} - \mathbf{N}_{i,i+1} - (\mathbf{r}_{i-1,i} + \mathbf{r}_{i,C_i}) \times \mathbf{f}_{i-1,i} + (-\mathbf{r}_{i,C_i}) \times (-\mathbf{f}_{i,i+1}) - \mathbf{I}_i \dot{\boldsymbol{\omega}}_i - \boldsymbol{\omega}_i \times (\mathbf{I}_i \boldsymbol{\omega}_i) = \mathbf{0},$$

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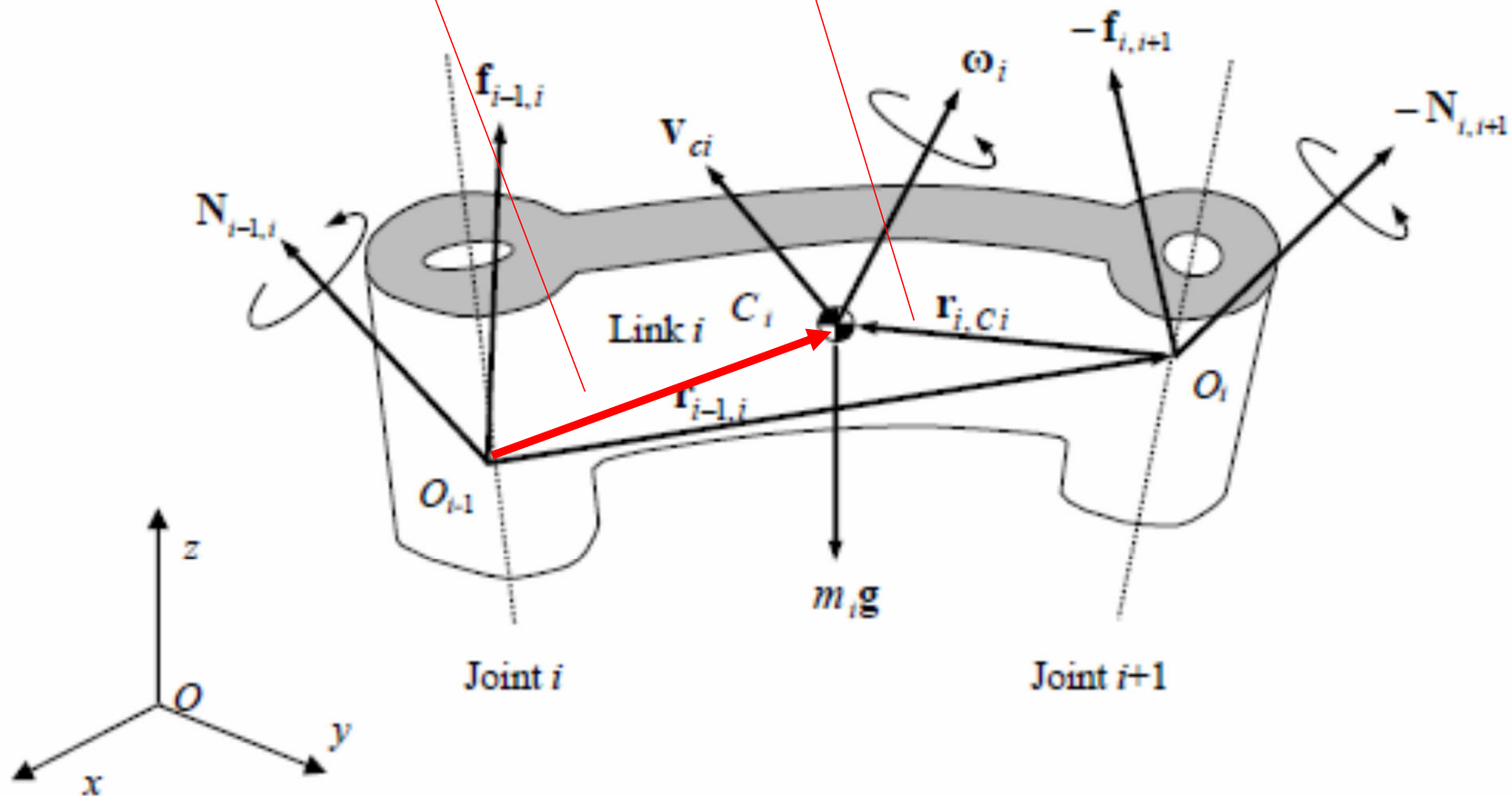


Newton-Euler Formulation of Equations of Motion

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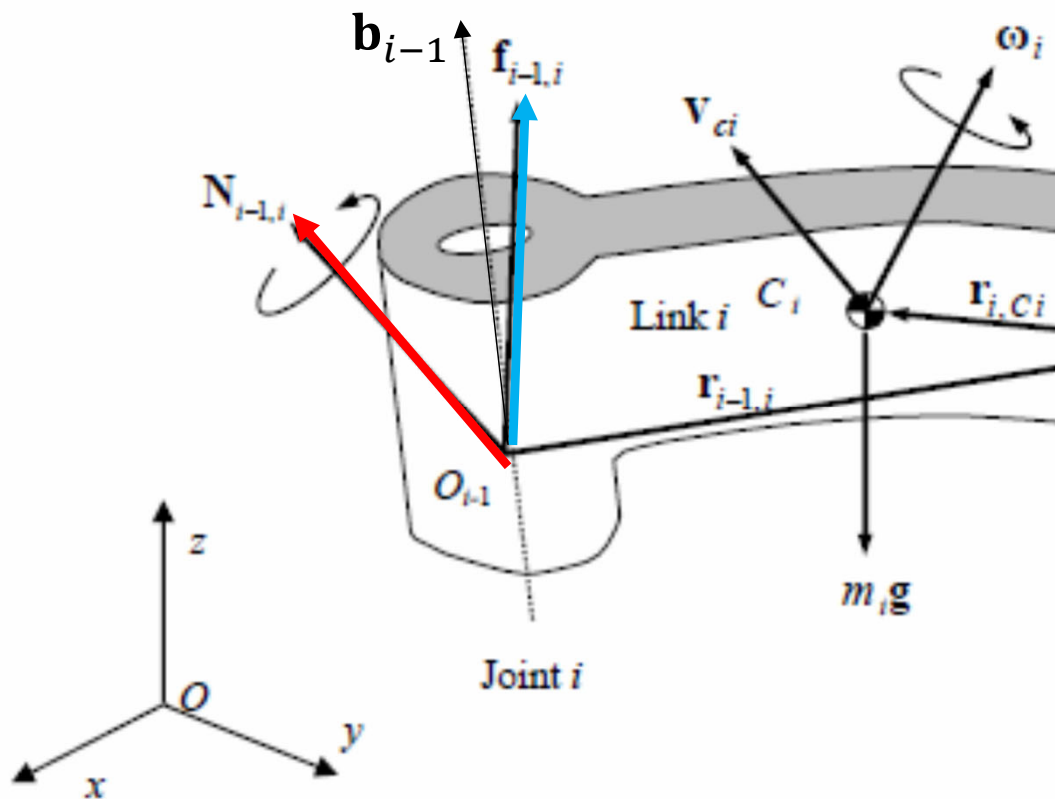
- Eqs (1) and (3) govern dynamic behavior of individual link. **Complete set** of equations for whole manipulator arm is obtained by evaluating both equations **for all links, $i = 1, \dots, n$.**

$$\mathbf{f}_{i-1,i} - \mathbf{f}_{i,i+1} + m_i \mathbf{g} - m_i \dot{\mathbf{v}}_{ci} = \mathbf{0} \quad (1)$$

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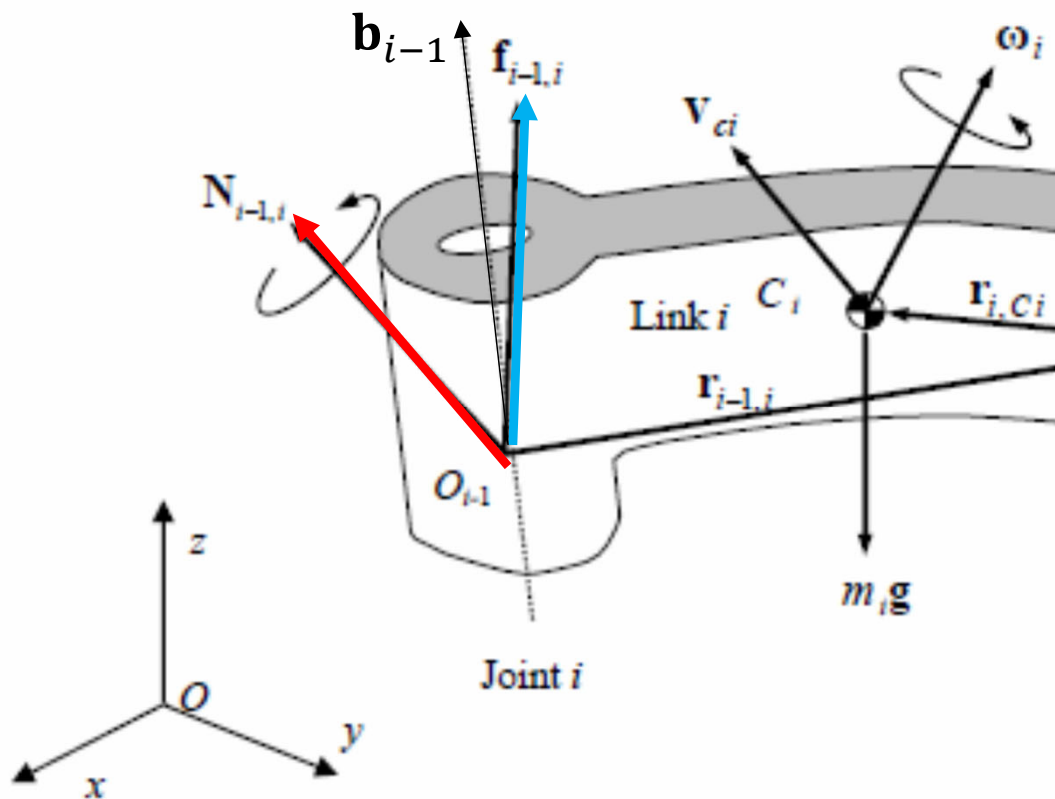
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- Coupling forces $\mathbf{f}_{i-1,i}$ and moments $\mathbf{N}_{i-1,i}$ include workless constraint forces (internal) and joint forces/torques τ_i



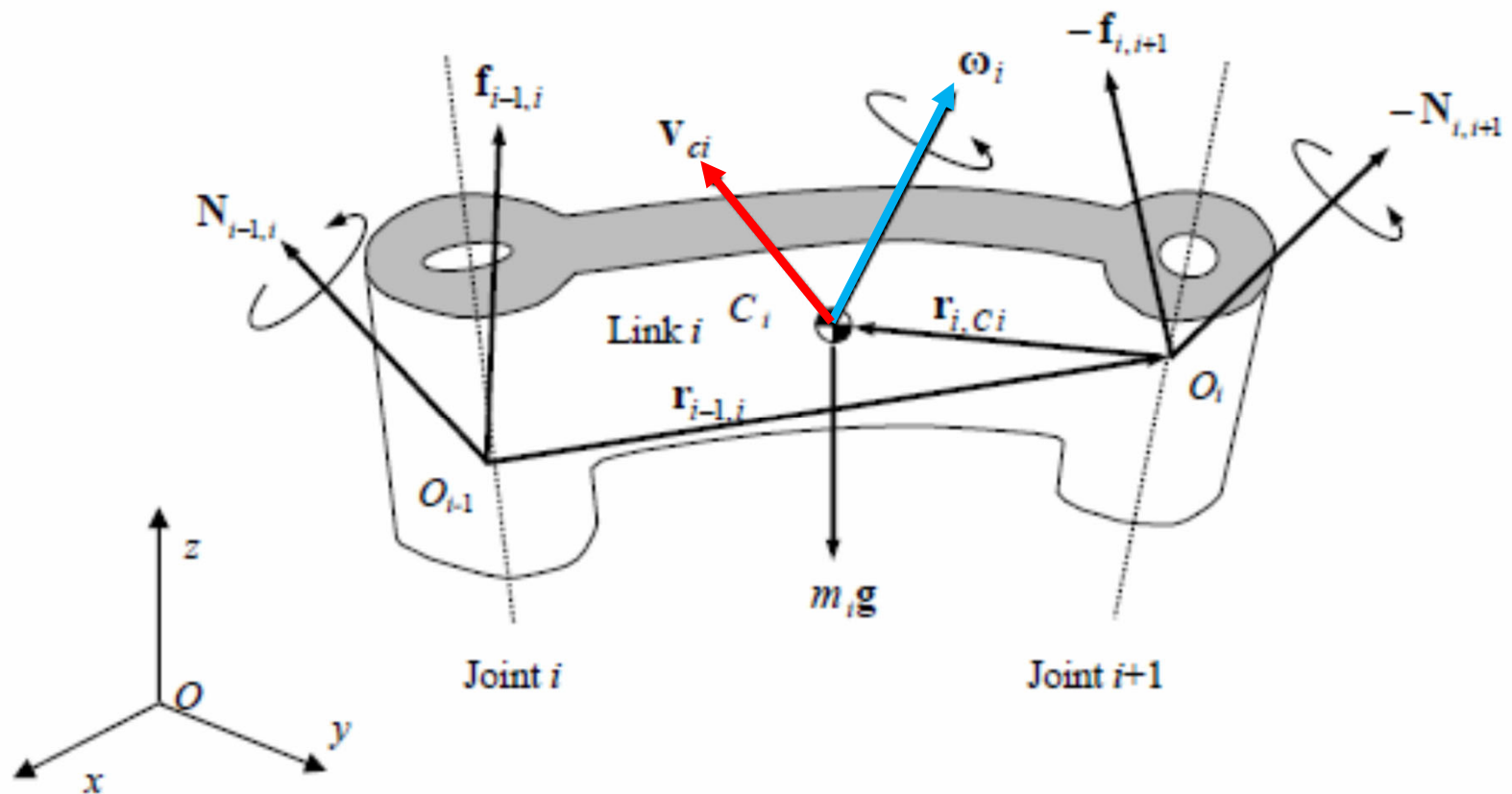
Newton-Euler Formulation of Equations of Motion

- For prismatic joint, $\tau_i = \mathbf{b}_{i-1}^T \mathbf{f}_{i-1,i}$
- For revolute joint, $\tau_i = \mathbf{b}_{i-1}^T \mathbf{N}_{i-1,i}$



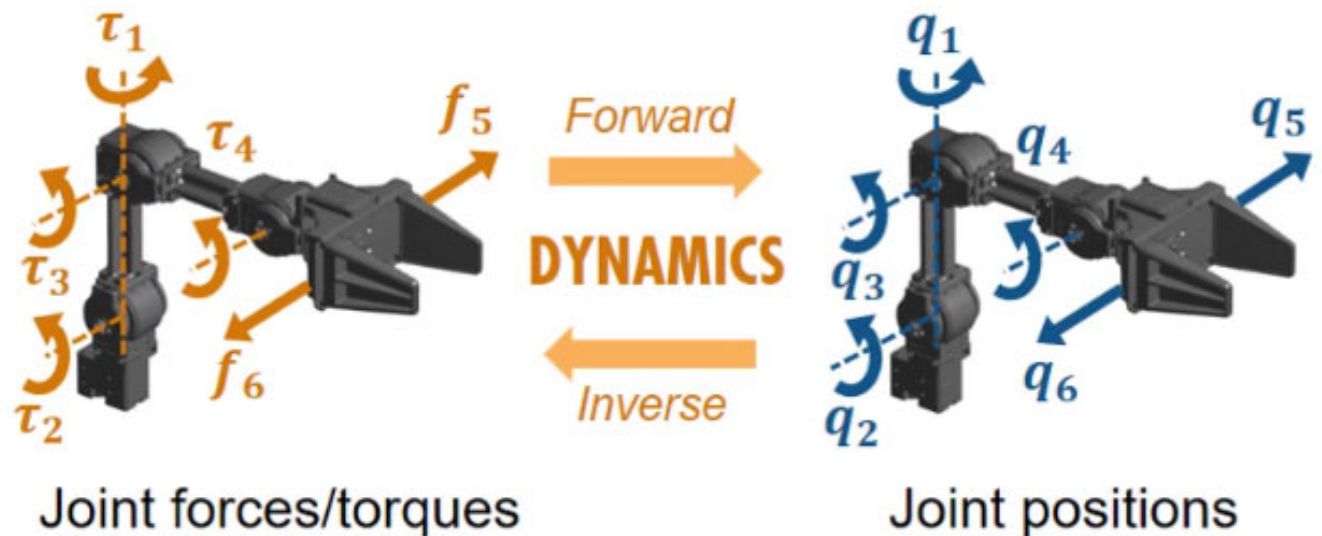
Newton-Euler Formulation of Equations of Motion

- Individual **centroid position, velocity, acceleration variables** not suitable **output variables** (**not independent** and subject to **geometric constraints** of the arm)



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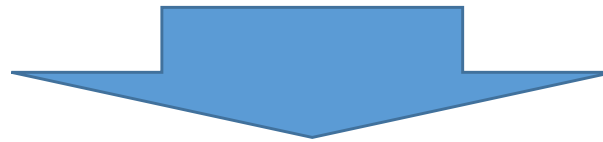
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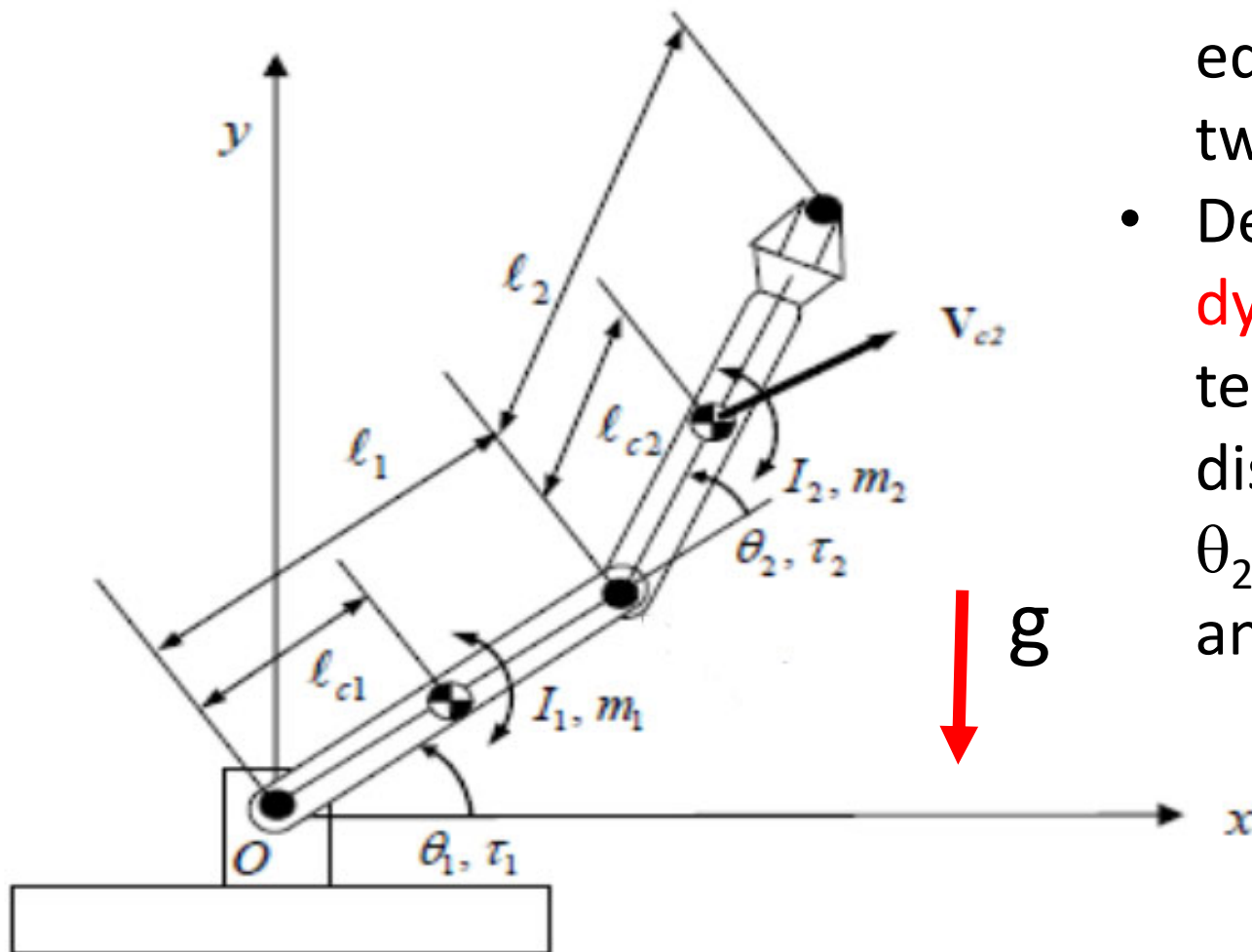
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Closed-form dynamic equations: explicit input-output form in terms of joint displacement vector \mathbf{q} and joint torque vector $\boldsymbol{\tau}$

Example 2

- Two degree-of-freedom (dof) **planar** manipulator

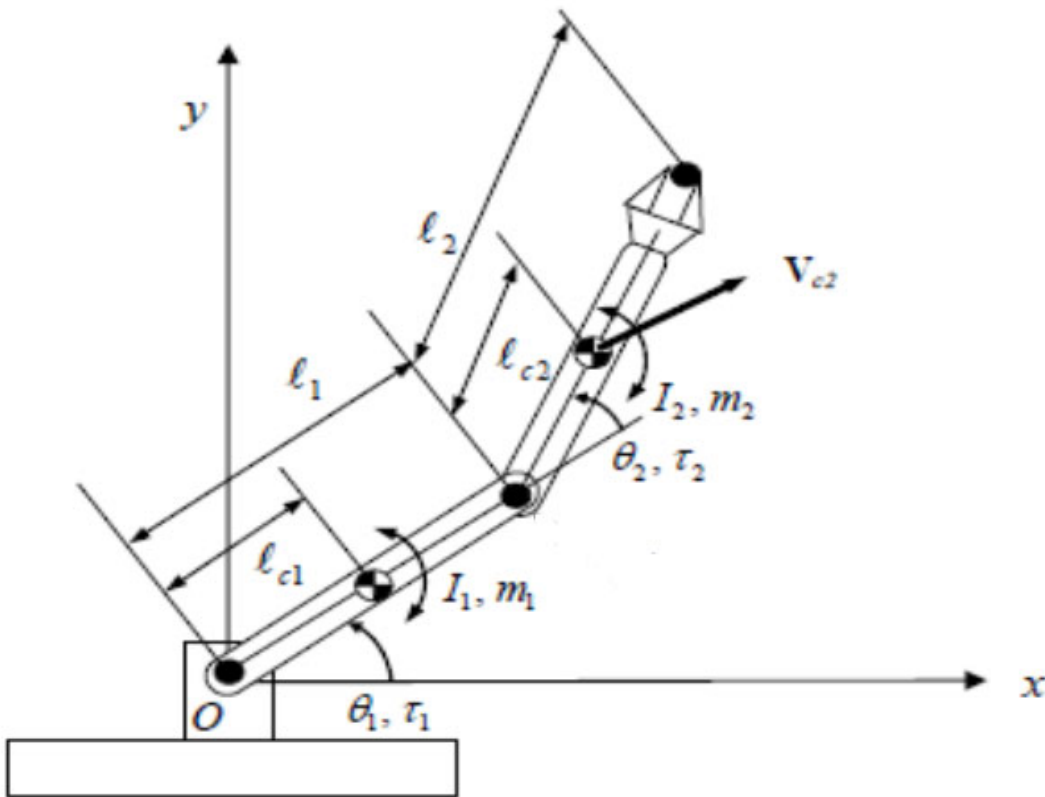


- Obtain Newton-Euler equations of motion for two individual links
- Derive **closed-form dynamic equations** in terms of joint displacements θ_1 and θ_2 , and joint torques τ_1 and τ_2

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Example 2

- First obtain Newton-Euler equations of motion for the two individual links:
- Assume centroid of link i is located on centre line passing through adjacent joints at a distance l_{ci} from joint i
- For 2D problem, centroidal inertia tensor is reduced to a **scalar** moment of inertia about centroid (denoted by I_i)
- \mathbf{v}_{ci} : Velocity of centroid of each link (vector in xy plane)
- ω_i : Angular velocity (scalar)



Example 2

From earlier slide:

$$\mathbf{f}_{i-1,i} - \mathbf{f}_{i,i+1} + m_i \mathbf{g} - m_i \dot{\mathbf{v}}_{ci} = \mathbf{0}$$

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From Eqs (1) and (3):

- Link 1 ($i = 1$):

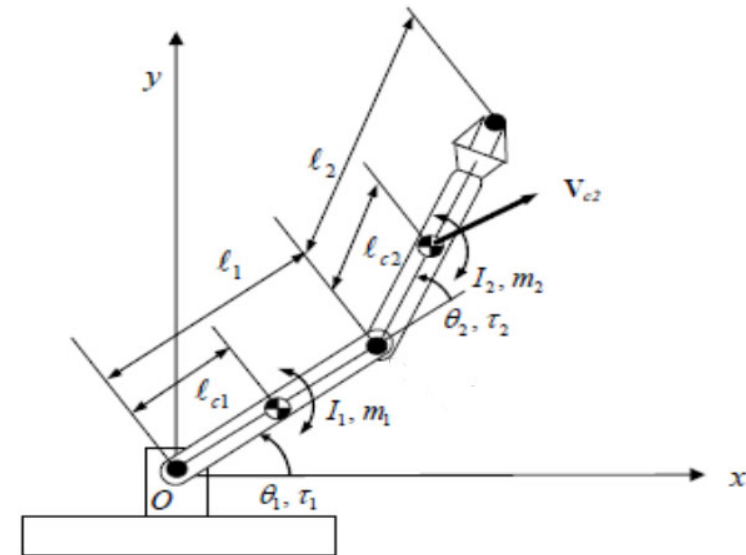
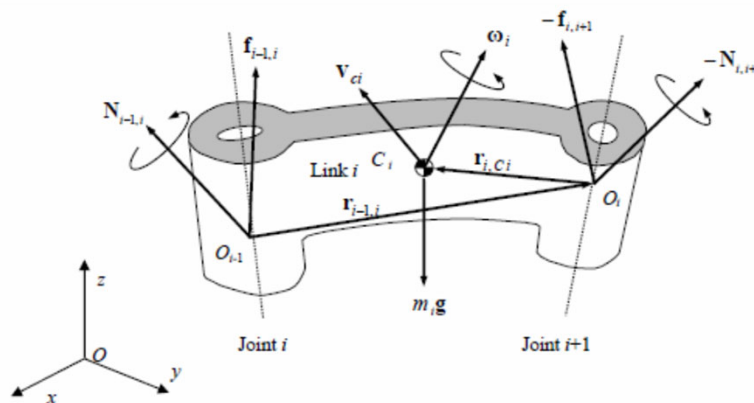
$$\mathbf{f}_{0,1} - \mathbf{f}_{1,2} + m_1 \mathbf{g} - m_1 \dot{\mathbf{v}}_{c1} = \mathbf{0} \quad (4a)$$

$$N_{0,1} - N_{1,2} + \mathbf{r}_{1,c1} \times \mathbf{f}_{1,2} - \mathbf{r}_{0,c1} \times \mathbf{f}_{0,1} - I_1 \dot{\boldsymbol{\omega}}_1 = \mathbf{0} \quad (4b)$$

- Link 2 ($i = 2$):

$$\mathbf{f}_{1,2} + m_2 \mathbf{g} - m_2 \dot{\mathbf{v}}_{c2} = \mathbf{0} \quad (5a)$$

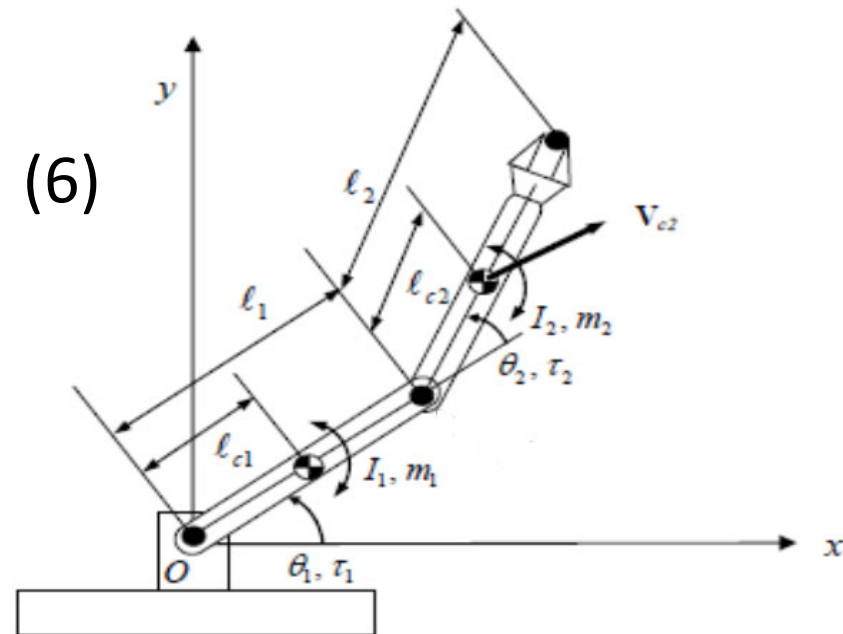
$$N_{1,2} - \mathbf{r}_{1,c2} \times \mathbf{f}_{1,2} - I_2 \dot{\boldsymbol{\omega}}_2 = \mathbf{0} \quad (5b)$$



Example 2

- To obtain closed-form dynamic equations → **To explicitly involve joint torques in dynamic equations**
- For this **planar** manipulator, two joint torques simply equal to respective coupling moments:

$$N_{i-1,i} = \tau_i, \quad i = 1, 2 \quad (6)$$




Example 2


From earlier slides:

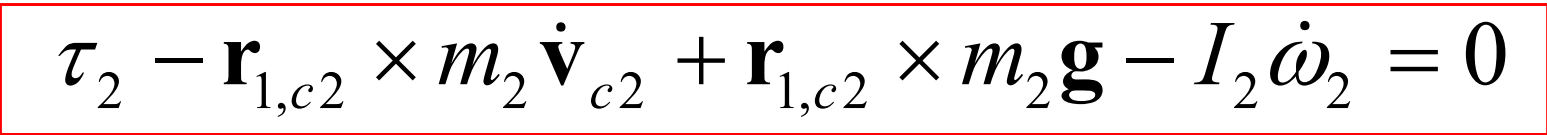
$$\mathbf{f}_{1,2} = m_2 \dot{\mathbf{v}}_{c2} - m_2 \mathbf{g} \quad (5a)$$

$$N_{i-1,i} = \tau_i, \quad i = 1, 2 \quad (6)$$

- Starting from Eq. (5b), substituting Eq (6) and eliminating $\mathbf{f}_{1,2}$ using Eq. (5a):


$$N_{1,2} - \mathbf{r}_{1,c2} \times \mathbf{f}_{1,2} - I_2 \dot{\omega}_2 = 0 \quad (5b)$$


$$\tau_2 - \mathbf{r}_{1,c2} \times (m_2 \dot{\mathbf{v}}_{c2} - m_2 \mathbf{g}) - I_2 \dot{\omega}_2 = 0 \quad (\text{Sub. 6 and 5a})$$


$$\tau_2 - \mathbf{r}_{1,c2} \times m_2 \dot{\mathbf{v}}_{c2} + \mathbf{r}_{1,c2} \times m_2 \mathbf{g} - I_2 \dot{\omega}_2 = 0 \quad (7)$$

$N_{1,2}$ and $\mathbf{f}_{1,2}$ eliminated!

Example 2

$$\text{From earlier slide: } \mathbf{f}_{0,1} - \mathbf{f}_{1,2} + m_1 \mathbf{g} - m_1 \dot{\mathbf{v}}_{c1} = \mathbf{0} \quad (4a)$$

$$\mathbf{f}_{1,2} = m_2 \dot{\mathbf{v}}_{c2} - m_2 \mathbf{g} \quad (5a)$$

$$N_{i-1,i} = \tau_i, \quad i = 1, 2 \quad (6)$$

- Similarly for Eq. (4b), substituting Eq (6), eliminating $\mathbf{f}_{0,1}$ using Eq. (4a) and eliminating $\mathbf{f}_{1,2}$ using Eq. (5a):

$$N_{0,1} - N_{1,2} + \mathbf{r}_{1,c1} \times \mathbf{f}_{1,2} - \mathbf{r}_{0,c1} \times \mathbf{f}_{0,1} - I_1 \dot{\omega}_1 = 0 \quad (4b)$$

$$\tau_1 - \tau_2 + \mathbf{r}_{1,c1} \times \mathbf{f}_{1,2} - \mathbf{r}_{0,c1} \times (\mathbf{f}_{1,2} - m_1 \mathbf{g} + m_1 \dot{\mathbf{v}}_{c1}) - I_1 \dot{\omega}_1 = 0 \quad (\text{Sub. 4a and 6})$$

$$\tau_1 - \tau_2 - \mathbf{r}_{0,1} \times \mathbf{f}_{1,2} + \mathbf{r}_{0,c1} \times m_1 \mathbf{g} - \mathbf{r}_{0,c1} \times m_1 \dot{\mathbf{v}}_{c1} - I_1 \dot{\omega}_1 = 0$$

$$\tau_1 - \tau_2 - \mathbf{r}_{0,1} \times (m_2 \dot{\mathbf{v}}_{c2} - m_2 \mathbf{g}) + \mathbf{r}_{0,c1} \times m_1 \mathbf{g} - \mathbf{r}_{0,c1} \times m_1 \dot{\mathbf{v}}_{c1} - I_1 \dot{\omega}_1 = 0 \quad (\text{Sub. 5a})$$

$$\tau_1 - \tau_2 - \mathbf{r}_{0,c1} \times m_1 \dot{\mathbf{v}}_{c1} - \mathbf{r}_{0,1} \times m_2 \dot{\mathbf{v}}_{c2} + \mathbf{r}_{0,c1} \times m_1 \mathbf{g} + \mathbf{r}_{0,1} \times m_2 \mathbf{g} - I_1 \dot{\omega}_1 = 0 \quad (8)$$

$N_{0,1}, N_{1,2}, \mathbf{f}_{0,1}$ and $\mathbf{f}_{1,2}$ eliminated!

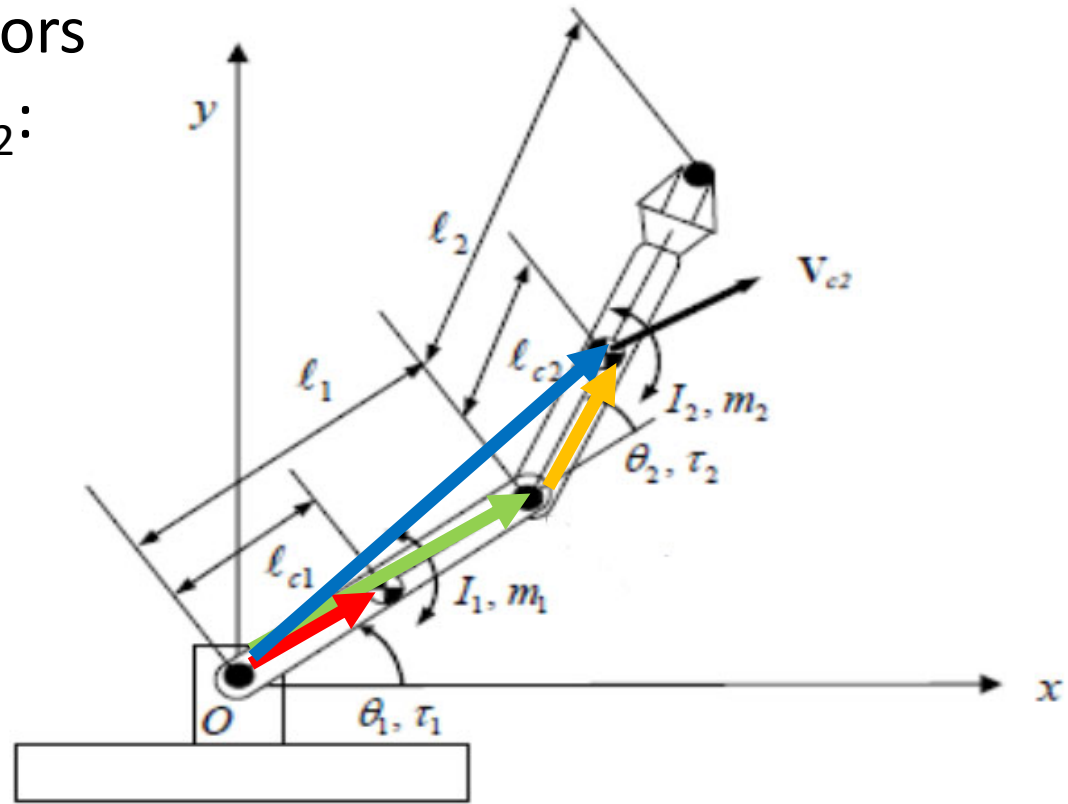
Example 2

Next, express key position vectors using joint displacements θ_1, θ_2 :

$$\mathbf{r}_{0,c1} = \begin{pmatrix} l_{c1} c_1 \\ l_{c1} s_1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{red arrow} \quad (9a)$$

$$\mathbf{r}_{0,1} = \begin{pmatrix} l_1 c_1 \\ l_1 s_1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{green arrow} \quad (9b)$$

$$\mathbf{r}_{1,c2} = \begin{pmatrix} l_{c2} c_{12} \\ l_{c2} s_{12} \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{yellow arrow} \quad (9c)$$



$$\mathbf{r}_{0,c2} = \mathbf{r}_{0,1} + \mathbf{r}_{1,c2} = \begin{pmatrix} l_1 c_1 \\ l_1 s_1 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} l_{c2} c_{12} \\ l_{c2} s_{12} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} l_1 c_1 + l_{c2} c_{12} \\ l_1 s_1 + l_{c2} s_{12} \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{blue arrow} \quad (9d)$$

Notation: $c_1 = \cos(\theta_1)$; $s_2 = \sin(\theta_2)$; $c_{12} = \cos(\theta_1 + \theta_2)$; $s_{12} = \sin(\theta_1 + \theta_2)$

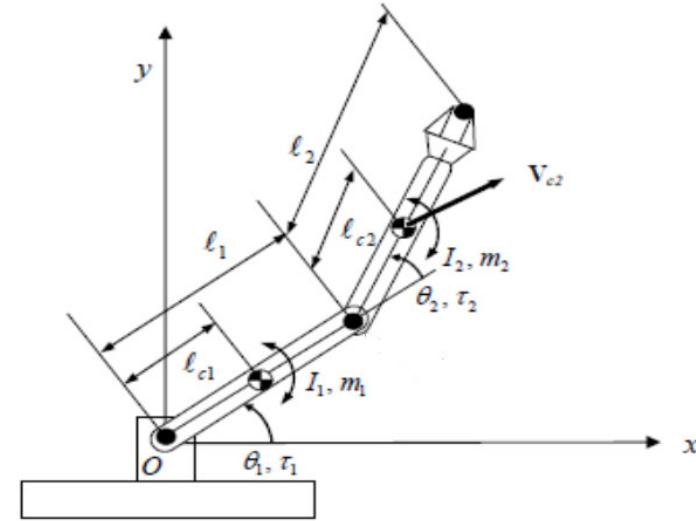
Example 2

- \mathbf{v}_{ci} , $\dot{\mathbf{v}}_{ci}$, ω_i and $\dot{\omega}_i$ expressed in terms of joint variables:

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \omega_1 &= \dot{\theta}_1, & \omega_2 &= \dot{\theta}_1 + \dot{\theta}_2 \\ \dot{\omega}_1 &= \ddot{\theta}_1, & \dot{\omega}_2 &= \ddot{\theta}_1 + \ddot{\theta}_2 \end{aligned} \right\} (10a)$$

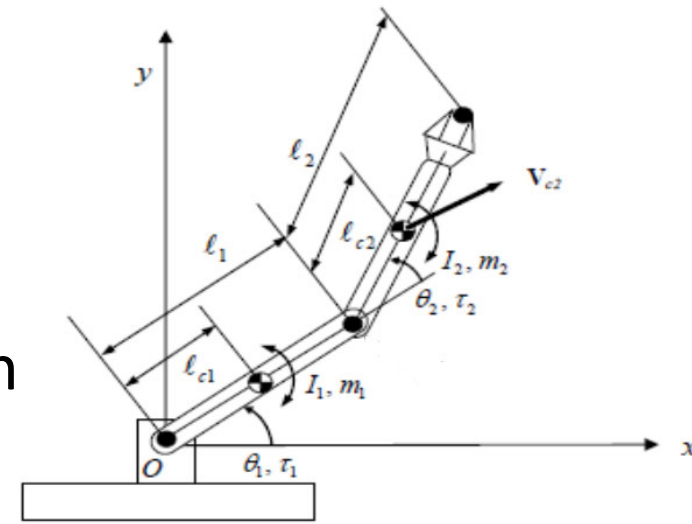
$$\left. \begin{aligned} \mathbf{v}_{c1} &= \dot{\mathbf{r}}_{0,c1} = \begin{pmatrix} -l_{c1} \dot{\theta}_1 s_1 \\ l_{c1} \dot{\theta}_1 c_1 \end{pmatrix} \\ \dot{\mathbf{v}}_{c1} &= \begin{pmatrix} -l_{c1} \ddot{\theta}_1 s_1 - l_{c1} \dot{\theta}_1^2 c_1 \\ l_{c1} \ddot{\theta}_1 c_1 - l_{c1} \dot{\theta}_1^2 s_1 \end{pmatrix} \end{aligned} \right\} (10b)$$

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \mathbf{v}_{c2} &= \dot{\mathbf{r}}_{0,c2} = \begin{pmatrix} -\{l_1 s_1 + l_{c2} s_{12}\} \dot{\theta}_1 - l_{c2} \dot{\theta}_2 s_{12} \\ \{l_1 c_1 + l_{c2} c_{12}\} \dot{\theta}_1 + l_{c2} \dot{\theta}_2 c_{12} \end{pmatrix} \\ \dot{\mathbf{v}}_{c2} &= \begin{pmatrix} -\{l_1 \ddot{\theta}_1 s_1 + l_{c2} \ddot{\theta}_1 s_{12}\} - \{l_1 \dot{\theta}_1^2 c_1 + l_{c2} (\dot{\theta}_1^2 + \dot{\theta}_2 \dot{\theta}_1) c_{12}\} - l_{c2} \ddot{\theta}_2 s_{12} - l_{c2} (\dot{\theta}_1 \dot{\theta}_2 + \dot{\theta}_2^2) c_{12} \\ \{l_1 \ddot{\theta}_1 c_1 + l_{c2} \ddot{\theta}_1 c_{12}\} + \{-l_1 \dot{\theta}_1^2 s_1 - l_{c2} (\dot{\theta}_1^2 + \dot{\theta}_2 \dot{\theta}_1) s_{12}\} + l_{c2} \ddot{\theta}_2 c_{12} - l_{c2} (\dot{\theta}_1 \dot{\theta}_2 + \dot{\theta}_2^2) s_{12} \end{pmatrix} \\ &= \begin{pmatrix} -l_1 \ddot{\theta}_1 s_1 - l_{c2} (\ddot{\theta}_1 + \ddot{\theta}_2) s_{12} - l_1 \dot{\theta}_1^2 c_1 - l_{c2} (\dot{\theta}_1^2 + \dot{\theta}_2^2) c_{12} - 2l_{c2} \dot{\theta}_1 \dot{\theta}_2 c_{12} \\ l_1 \ddot{\theta}_1 c_1 + l_{c2} (\ddot{\theta}_1 + \ddot{\theta}_2) c_{12} - l_1 \dot{\theta}_1^2 s_1 - l_{c2} (\dot{\theta}_1^2 + \dot{\theta}_2^2) s_{12} - 2l_{c2} \dot{\theta}_1 \dot{\theta}_2 s_{12} \end{pmatrix} \end{aligned} \right\} (10c)$$



Example 2

- Substituting Eqs. (9) and (10) into Eqs. (7) and (8), closed-form dynamic equations in terms of θ_1 and θ_2 is obtained:



$$\tau_1 = H_{11}\ddot{\theta}_1 + H_{12}\ddot{\theta}_2 - h\dot{\theta}_2^2 - 2h\dot{\theta}_1\dot{\theta}_2 + G_1 \quad (11a)$$

$$\tau_2 = H_{21}\ddot{\theta}_1 + H_{22}\ddot{\theta}_2 + h\dot{\theta}_1^2 + G_2 \quad (11b)$$

where

$$H_{11} = m_1 l_{c1}^2 + I_1 + m_2 (l_1^2 + l_{c2}^2 + 2l_1 l_{c2} \cos \theta_2) + I_2 \quad (12a)$$

$$H_{22} = m_2 l_{c2}^2 + I_2 \quad (12b)$$

$$H_{12} = H_{21} = m_2 (l_{c2}^2 + l_1 l_{c2} \cos \theta_2) + I_2 \quad (12c)$$

$$h = m_2 l_1 l_{c2} \sin \theta_2 \quad (12d)$$

$$G_1 = m_1 l_{c1} g \cos \theta_1 + m_2 g \{ l_{c2} \cos(\theta_1 + \theta_2) + l_1 \cos \theta_1 \} \quad (12e)$$

$$G_2 = m_2 g l_{c2} \cos(\theta_1 + \theta_2) \quad (12f)$$

Scalar g represents the acceleration of gravity along the negative y -axis

- More generally, closed-form dynamic equations of n-degree-of-freedom manipulator (assume frictionless joints and no interaction force/moments):

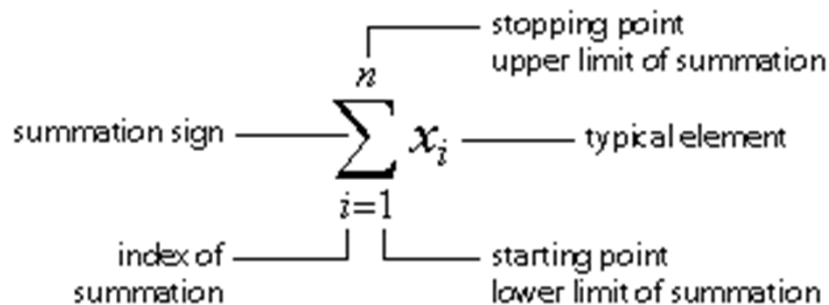
$$\tau_i = \sum_{j=1}^n H_{ij} \ddot{q}_j + \sum_{j=1}^n \sum_{k=1}^n h_{ijk} \dot{q}_j \dot{q}_k + G_i, \quad i = 1, \dots, n \quad (13)$$

H_{ij}, h_{ijk} and G_i

Functions of joint displacements

q_1, q_2, \dots, q_n

Summation notation:



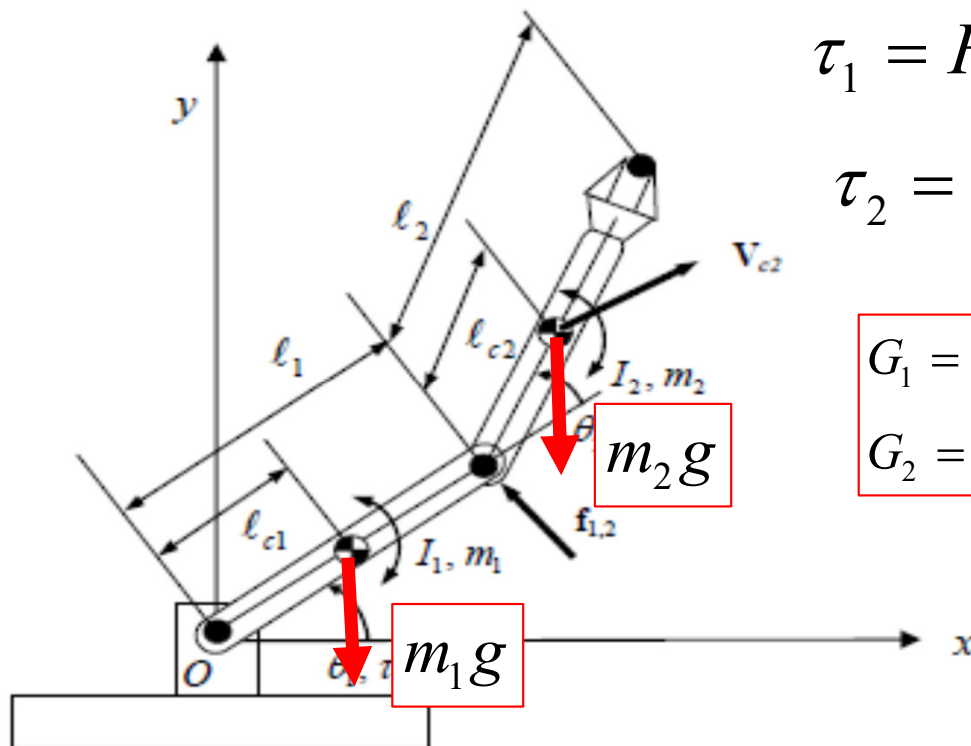
Double summation notation:

The double summation operator is used to sum up twice for the same variable:

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^m x_{ij} &= \sum_{i=1}^n (x_{i1} + x_{i2} + \dots + x_{im}) \\ &= (x_{11} + x_{21} + \dots + x_{n1}) + (x_{12} + x_{22} + \dots + x_{n2}) + \dots + (x_{1m} + x_{2m} + \dots + x_{nm}) \end{aligned}$$

Physical Interpretation of the Dynamic Equations

- G_i : effect of gravity.
 - G_1 is resulting moment about **joint axis 1** due to gravitational forces acting on **masses m_1 and m_2** .
 - G_2 is resulting moment about **joint axis 2** due to gravitational force acting on **mass m_2** .
 - Both dependent upon arm configuration

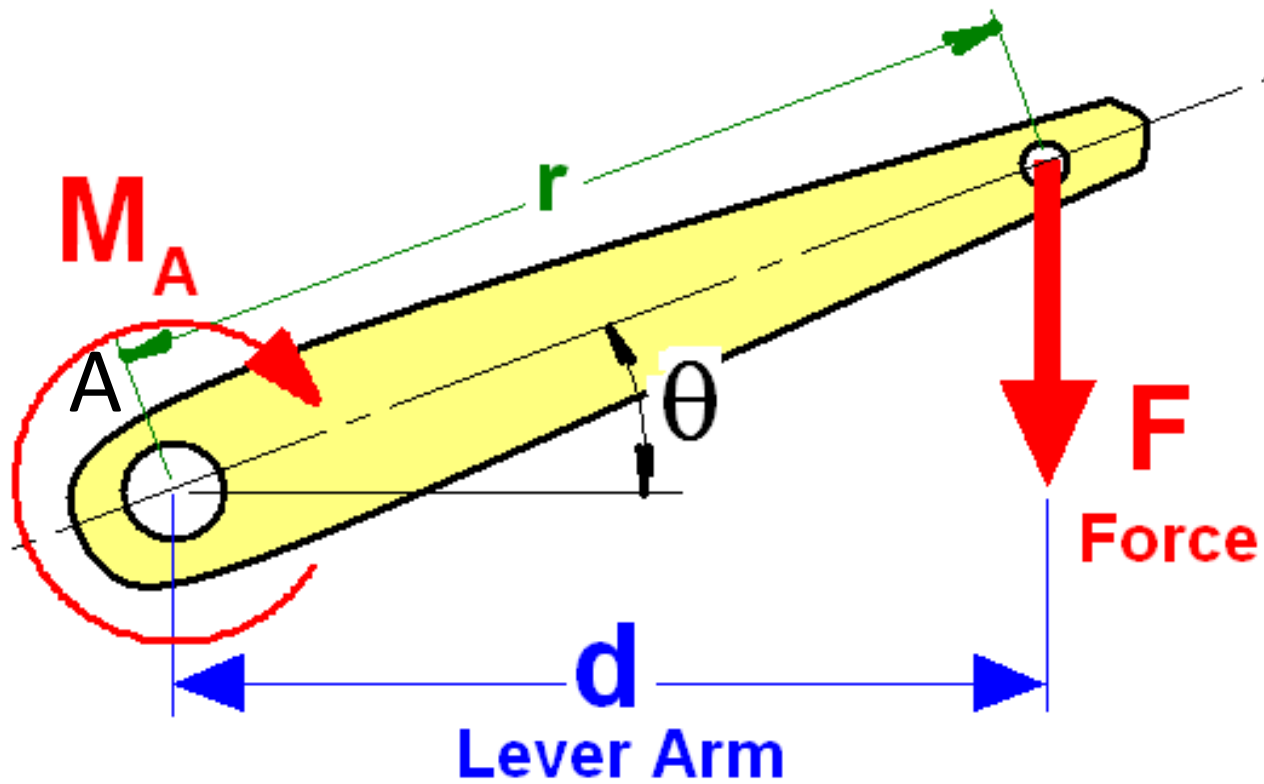


$$\tau_1 = H_{11}\ddot{\theta}_1 + H_{12}\ddot{\theta}_2 - h\dot{\theta}_2^2 - 2h\dot{\theta}_1\dot{\theta}_2 + G_1$$

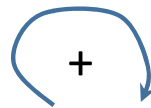
$$\tau_2 = H_{12}\ddot{\theta}_1 + H_{22}\ddot{\theta}_2 + h\dot{\theta}_1^2 + G_2$$

$$G_1 = m_1 l_{c1} g \cos \theta_1 + m_2 g \{ l_{c2} \cos(\theta_1 + \theta_2) + l_1 \cos \theta_1 \}$$

$$G_2 = m_2 g l_{c2} \cos(\theta_1 + \theta_2)$$



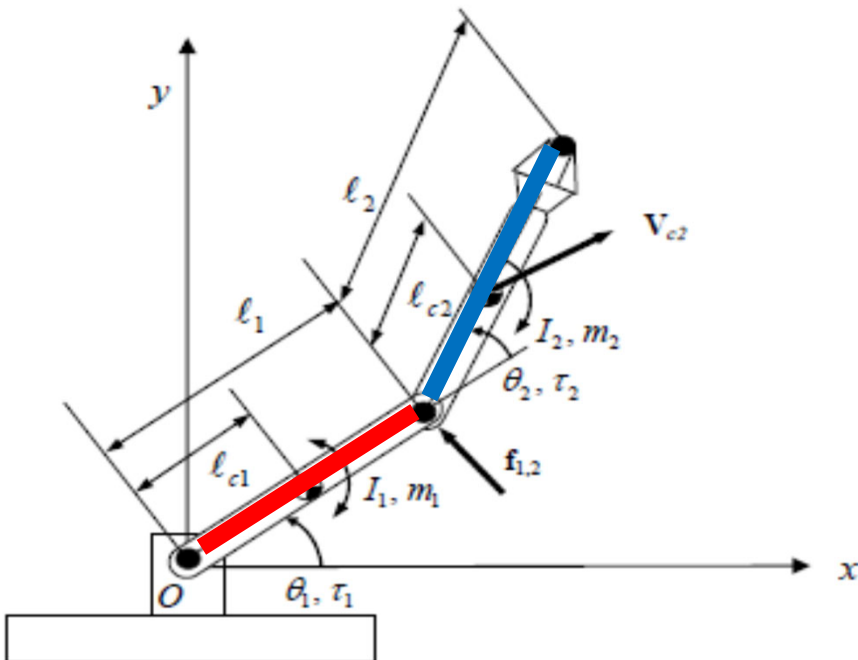
Moment of F about A , $M_A = F d = Fr \cos \theta$



Physical Interpretation of the Dynamic Equations

- $H_{11}\ddot{\theta}_1$
 - Consider $\dot{\theta}_1 = \dot{\theta}_2 = \ddot{\theta}_2 = 0$,

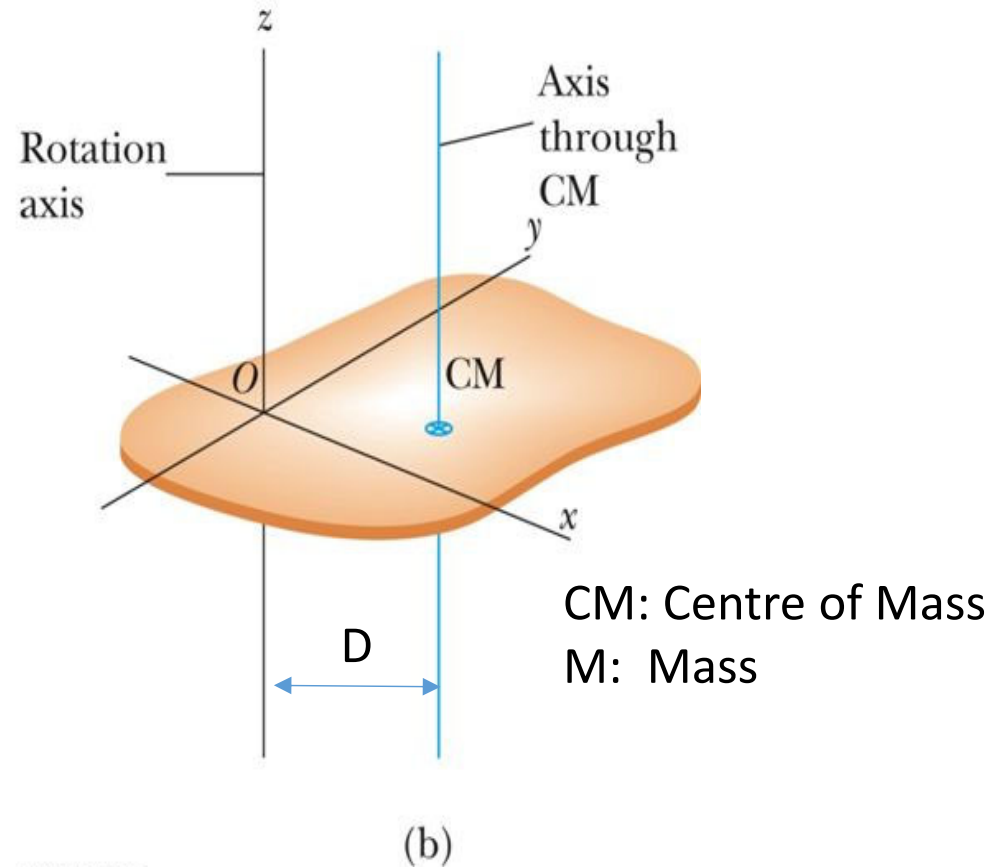
H_{11} accounts for total moment of inertia of both links seen by first joint when joint 2 is immobilized.



$$H_{11} = \boxed{m_1 l_{c1}^2 + I_1} + \boxed{m_2 (l_1^2 + l_{c2}^2 + 2l_1 l_{c2} \cos \theta_2)} + I_2$$

Parallel-Axis Theorem

- The theorem states $I = I_{\text{CM}} + MD^2$
 - I is about any axis parallel to the axis through the centre of mass of the object
 - I_{CM} is about the axis through the centre of mass
 - D is the distance from the centre of mass axis to the arbitrary axis



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Physical Interpretation of the Dynamic Equations

- $H_{11}\ddot{\theta}_1$ (cont.)

- First two terms of H_{11} : $m_1 l_{c1}^2 + I_1$

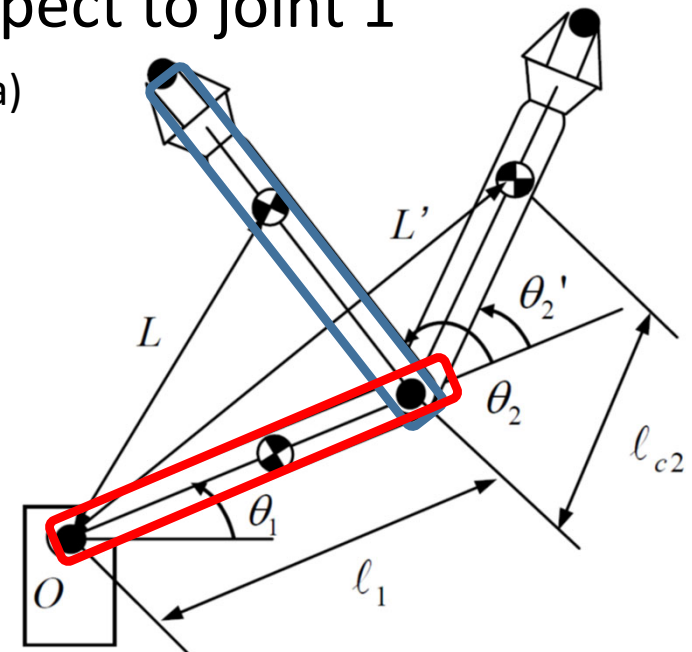
Moment of inertia of link 1 with respect to joint 1
(Applying parallel-axis theorem of moment of inertia)

- Other terms : $m_2 (l_1^2 + l_{c2}^2 + 2l_1 l_{c2} \cos \theta_2) + I_2$

Moment of inertia of link 2 with respect to joint 1
(Applying parallel-axis theorem of moment of inertia)

$$m_2 L^2 + I_2$$

$$= m_2 (l_1^2 + l_{c2}^2 + 2l_1 l_{c2} \cos \theta_2) + I_2$$



Physical Interpretation of the Dynamic Equations

- $H_{12}\ddot{\theta}_2$: Effect of joint 2 acceleration on the first joint (dynamic coupling)

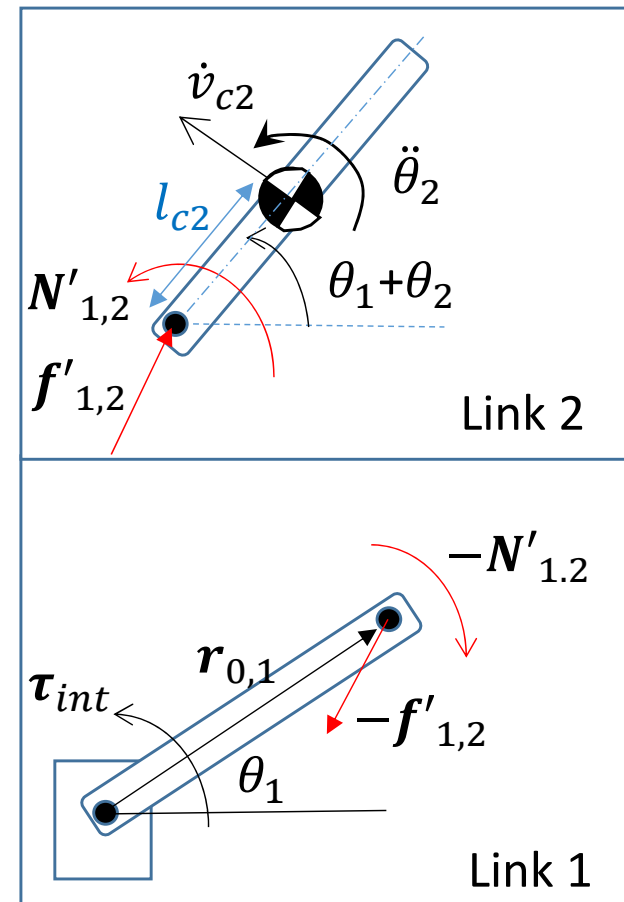
Consider $\dot{\theta}_1 = \dot{\theta}_2 = \ddot{\theta}_1 = 0$:

- When joint 2 is accelerated from rest while joint 1 is fixed, internal reaction force and moment: $\mathbf{f}'_{1,2}$, $N'_{1,2}$ at joint 2 will be present.

$$\mathbf{f}'_{1,2} = m_2 \dot{\mathbf{v}}_{c2}$$

$$\text{where } \dot{\mathbf{v}}_{c2} = l_{c2} \begin{pmatrix} -s_{12} \\ c_{12} \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \ddot{\theta}_2$$

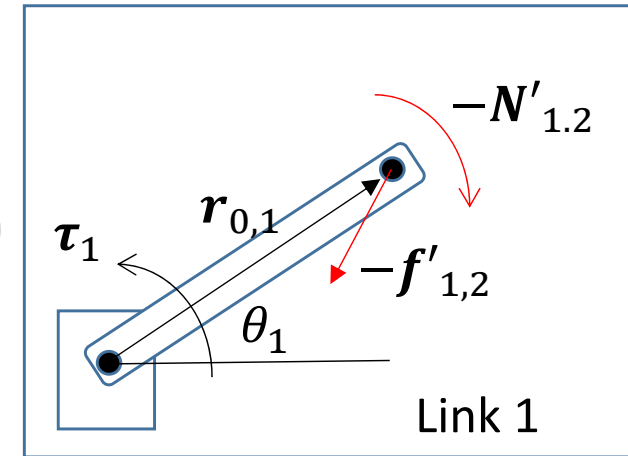
$$N'_{1,2} = (I_2 + m_2 l_{c2}^2) \ddot{\theta}_2$$



Physical Interpretation of the Dynamic Equations

- $H_{12}\ddot{\theta}_2$: Effect of joint 2 acceleration on the first joint (dynamic coupling)
- Coupling force $\mathbf{f}'_{1,2}$ and moment $N'_{1,2}$ cause an equivalent torque τ_{int} about first joint axis:

$$\begin{aligned}
 \tau_{\text{int}} &= -N'_{1,2} + \mathbf{r}_{0,1} \times (-\mathbf{f}'_{1,2}) \\
 &= -(I_2 + m_2 l_{c2}^2) \ddot{\theta}_2 - l_1 \begin{pmatrix} c_1 \\ s_1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \times \left(m_2 l_{c2} \begin{pmatrix} -s_{12} \\ c_{12} \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \ddot{\theta}_2 \right) \\
 &= -\{I_2 + m_2(l_{c2}^2 + l_1 l_{c2} \cos \theta_2)\} \ddot{\theta}_2 \quad (15) \\
 &= -H_{12} \ddot{\theta}_2
 \end{aligned}$$



$$\mathbf{r}_{0,1} = \begin{pmatrix} c_1 \\ s_1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} l_1$$

Trigonometric Identities

Pythagorean Identities:

$$\sin^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta = 1$$

$$\tan^2 \theta + 1 = \sec^2 \theta$$

$$\cot^2 \theta + 1 = \csc^2 \theta$$

Sum or Difference of Two Angles:

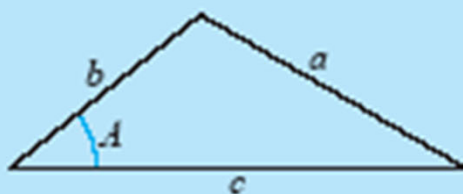
$$\sin(\theta \pm \phi) = \sin \theta \cos \phi \pm \cos \theta \sin \phi$$

$$\cos(\theta \pm \phi) = \cos \theta \cos \phi \mp \sin \theta \sin \phi$$

$$\tan(\theta \pm \phi) = \frac{\tan \theta \pm \tan \phi}{1 \mp \tan \theta \tan \phi}$$

Law of Cosines:

$$a^2 = b^2 + c^2 - 2bc \cos A$$



Reduction Formulas:

$$\sin(-\theta) = -\sin \theta$$

$$\cos(-\theta) = \cos \theta$$

$$\tan(-\theta) = -\tan \theta$$

Half-Angle Formulas:

$$\sin^2 \theta = \frac{1}{2}(1 - \cos 2\theta)$$

$$\cos^2 \theta = \frac{1}{2}(1 + \cos 2\theta)$$

Reciprocal Identities:

$$\csc \theta = \frac{1}{\sin \theta}$$

$$\sec \theta = \frac{1}{\cos \theta}$$

$$\cot \theta = \frac{1}{\tan \theta}$$

$$\sin \theta = -\sin(\theta - \pi)$$

$$\cos \theta = -\cos(\theta - \pi)$$

$$\tan \theta = \tan(\theta - \pi)$$

Double-Angle Formulas:

$$\sin 2\theta = 2 \sin \theta \cos \theta$$

$$\begin{aligned}\cos 2\theta &= 2 \cos^2 \theta - 1 \\ &= 1 - 2 \sin^2 \theta \\ &= \cos^2 \theta - \sin^2 \theta\end{aligned}$$

Quotient Identities:

$$\tan \theta = \frac{\sin \theta}{\cos \theta}$$

$$\cot \theta = \frac{\cos \theta}{\sin \theta}$$

Cross product

The cross product of two **vectors** in 3-space is

$$\vec{u} \times \vec{v} = \begin{pmatrix} u_y v_z - u_z v_y \\ u_z v_x - u_x v_z \\ u_x v_y - u_y v_x \end{pmatrix} \quad \vec{u} = \begin{bmatrix} u_x \\ u_y \\ u_z \end{bmatrix} \quad \vec{v} = \begin{bmatrix} v_x \\ v_y \\ v_z \end{bmatrix}$$

An easy way to remember this is to write it in the form

$$\vec{u} \times \vec{v} = \begin{vmatrix} \vec{e}_x & \vec{e}_y & \vec{e}_z \\ u_x & u_y & u_z \\ v_x & v_y & v_z \end{vmatrix}$$

where $\vec{e}_x = (1, 0, 0)^T$, $\vec{e}_y = (0, 1, 0)^T$, and $\vec{e}_z = (0, 0, 1)^T$.

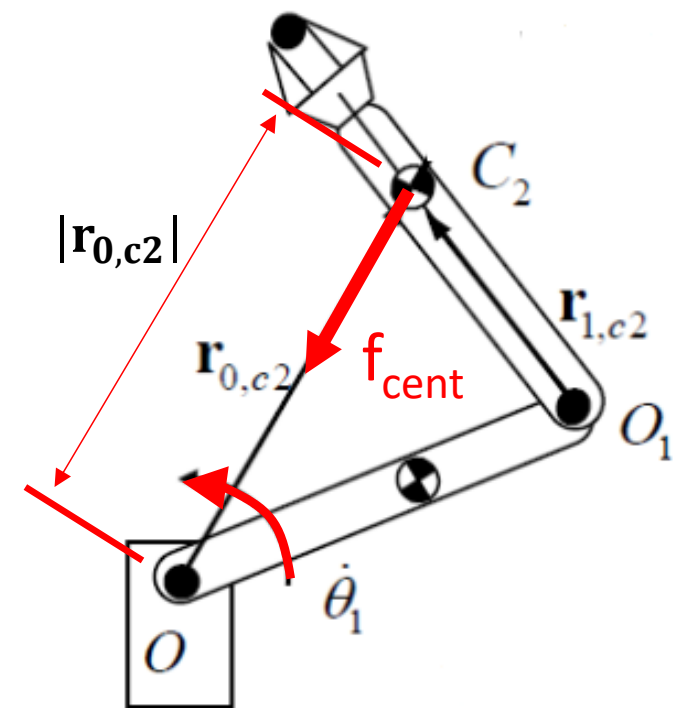
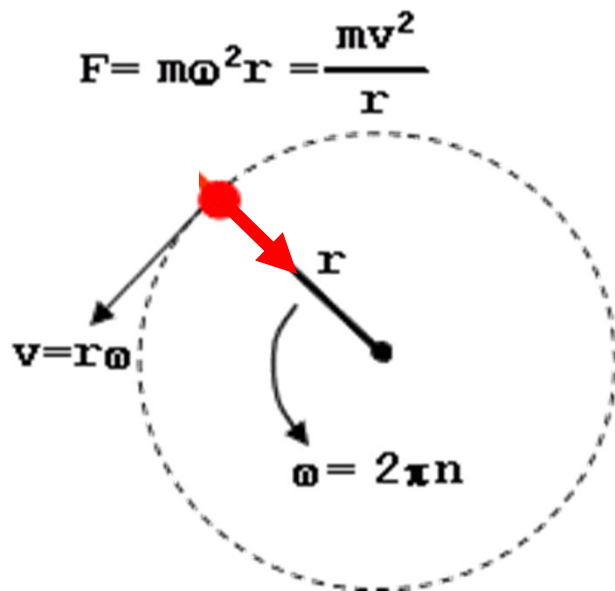
Physical Interpretation of the Dynamic Equations

- $h\dot{\theta}_1^2$ (effect on joint 2 torque, τ_2)

- Set $\dot{\theta}_2 = \ddot{\theta}_1 = \ddot{\theta}_2 = 0$

Magnitude of centripetal force acting upon mass centroid of link 2 due to $\dot{\theta}_1$:

$$|\mathbf{f}_{cent}| = m_2 \dot{\theta}_1^2 |\mathbf{r}_{0,c2}| \quad (16)$$



Physical Interpretation of the Dynamic Equations

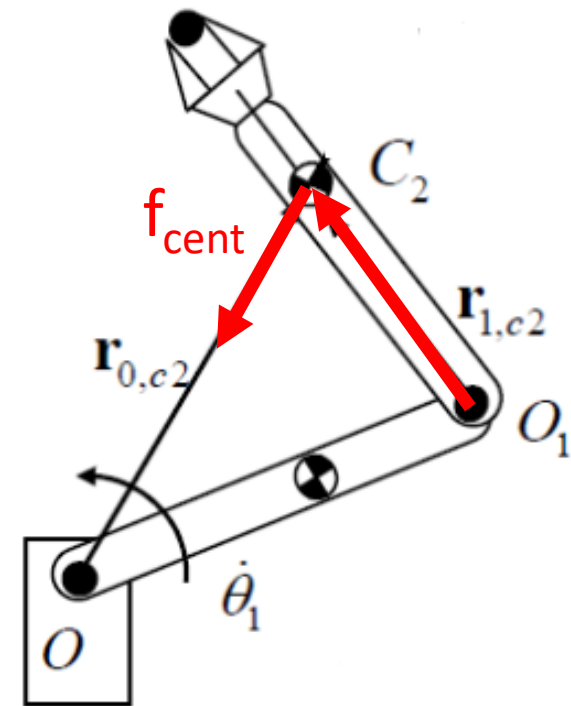
- $h\dot{\theta}_1^2$ (cont)

- \mathbf{f}_{cent} is effected by equivalent torque τ_{cent} at joint 2:

$$\tau_{cent} = \mathbf{r}_{1,c2} \times \mathbf{f}_{cent} = m_2 l_1 l_{c2} \dot{\theta}_1^2 \sin \theta_2 \quad (17a)$$

$$\mathbf{r}_{1,c2} = \begin{pmatrix} l_{c2} c_{12} \\ l_{c2} s_{12} \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad \mathbf{r}_{0,c2} = \begin{pmatrix} l_1 c_1 + l_{c2} c_{12} \\ l_1 s_1 + l_{c2} s_{12} \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{f}_{cent} &= |\mathbf{f}_{cent}| \frac{-\mathbf{r}_{0,c2}}{|\mathbf{r}_{0,c2}|} = -m_2 \dot{\theta}_1^2 |\mathbf{r}_{0,c2}| \frac{1}{|\mathbf{r}_{0,c2}|} \begin{pmatrix} l_1 c_1 + l_{c2} c_{12} \\ l_1 s_1 + l_{c2} s_{12} \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \\ &= -m_2 \dot{\theta}_1^2 \begin{pmatrix} l_1 c_1 + l_{c2} c_{12} \\ l_1 s_1 + l_{c2} s_{12} \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \end{aligned}$$



Physical Interpretation of the Dynamic Equations

- $-h\dot{\theta}_2^2$ (effect on joint 1 torque, τ_1)
 - Set $\dot{\theta}_1 = \ddot{\theta}_1 = \ddot{\theta}_2 = 0$
 - Magnitude of centripetal force acting upon link 2 due to $\dot{\theta}_2$:

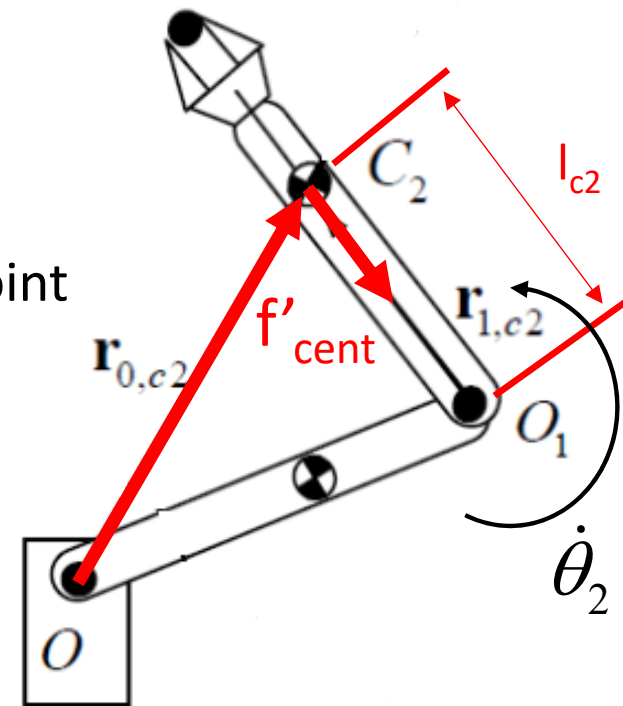
$$|\mathbf{f}'_{cent}| = m_2 l_{c2} \dot{\theta}_2^2$$

- \mathbf{f}'_{cent} is effected by an equivalent torque τ'_{cent} at joint 1:

$$\tau'_{cent} = \mathbf{r}_{0,c2} \times \mathbf{f}'_{cent} = -m_2 l_1 l_{c2} \dot{\theta}_2^2 \sin \theta_2 \quad (17b)$$

$$\mathbf{r}_{0,c2} = \begin{pmatrix} l_1 c_1 + l_{c2} c_{12} \\ l_1 s_1 + l_{c2} s_{12} \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad \mathbf{r}_{1,c2} = l_{c2} \begin{pmatrix} c_{12} \\ s_{12} \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{f}'_{cent} = |\mathbf{f}'_{cent}| \frac{-\mathbf{r}_{1,c2}}{|\mathbf{r}_{1,c2}|} = -m_2 l_{c2} \dot{\theta}_2^2 \begin{pmatrix} c_{12} \\ s_{12} \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$



Physical Interpretation of the Dynamic Equations

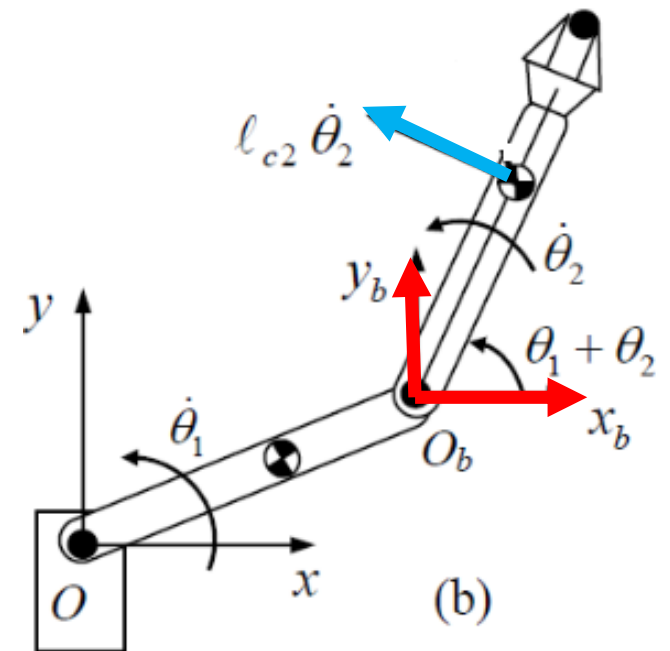
- $-2h\dot{\theta}_1\dot{\theta}_2$ (effect on joint 1 torque, τ_1)

- Let $O_b-x_by_b$ be coordinate frame **attached to tip of link 1** (parallel to base coordinate frame at the instant)

- Mass centroid of link 2 moves at **velocity** of

$$\mathbf{v}_b = l_{c2}\dot{\theta}_2 \begin{bmatrix} -s_{12} \\ c_{12} \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \text{ relative to } O_b-x_by_b$$

When mass particle m moves at **velocity of \mathbf{v}_b** relative to **moving coordinate frame rotating at angular velocity ω** , mass particle has so-called **Coriolis force** given by $2m(\boldsymbol{\omega} \times \mathbf{v}_b)$.



Physical Interpretation of the Dynamic Equations

- $-2h\dot{\theta}_1\dot{\theta}_2$ (cont):

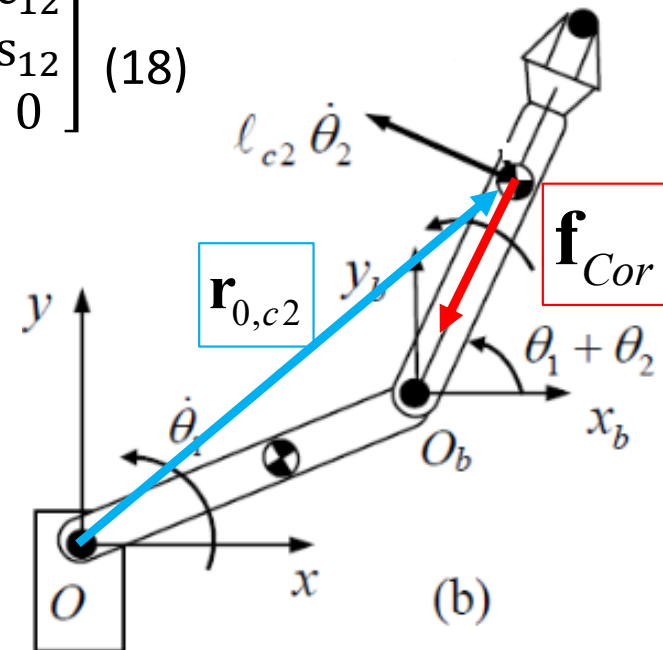
- Let \mathbf{f}_{Cor} be force acting on link 2 due to Coriolis effect:

$$\mathbf{f}_{Cor} = 2m_2 \left(\underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ \dot{\theta}_1 \end{bmatrix}}_{\boldsymbol{\omega}_1} \times \left(l_{c2} \dot{\theta}_2 \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} -s_{12} \\ c_{12} \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}}_{\mathbf{v}_b} \right) \right) = -2m_2 l_{c2} \dot{\theta}_1 \dot{\theta}_2 \begin{bmatrix} c_{12} \\ s_{12} \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad (18)$$

- Equivalent torque at joint 1 due to Coriolis force is:

$$\tau_{Cor} = \mathbf{r}_{0,c2} \times \mathbf{f}_{Cor} = -2m_2 l_{c2} \dot{\theta}_1 \dot{\theta}_2 \sin(\theta_2) \quad (19)$$

$$\mathbf{r}_{0,c2} = \begin{pmatrix} l_1 c_1 + l_{c2} c_{12} \\ l_1 s_1 + l_{c2} s_{12} \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$



Remark: Since Coriolis force given by Eq. (18) acts through joint 2, it does not create a moment about second joint.

Physical Interpretation of the Dynamic Equations

Summary:

- Dynamic equations of a robot arm are characterized by:
 - Configuration-dependent **inertia**
 - **Gravity** torques, and
 - Interaction torques caused by
 - **Accelerations** of the other joints and
 - Existence of **Centripetal (Centrifugal)** and **Coriolis** effects
- For example: 2DOF planar manipulator

$$\tau_1 = \underbrace{H_{11}}_{\text{red}} \ddot{\theta}_1 + \underbrace{H_{12}}_{\text{blue}} \ddot{\theta}_2 - \underbrace{h\dot{\theta}_2^2}_{\text{yellow}} - \underbrace{2h\dot{\theta}_1\dot{\theta}_2}_{\text{purple}} + \underbrace{G_1}_{\text{green}}$$
$$\tau_2 = \underbrace{H_{12}}_{\text{blue}} \ddot{\theta}_1 + \underbrace{H_{22}}_{\text{red}} \ddot{\theta}_2 + \underbrace{h\dot{\theta}_1^2}_{\text{yellow}} + \underbrace{G_2}_{\text{green}}$$

Physical Interpretation of the Dynamic Equations

- Dynamic equations can also be expressed in **matrix-vector form**:

$$\mathbf{H}(\mathbf{q})\ddot{\mathbf{q}} + \mathbf{C}(\mathbf{q}, \dot{\mathbf{q}}) + \mathbf{G}(\mathbf{q}) = \boldsymbol{\tau}$$

For 2-DOF planar manipulator example:

$$\mathbf{H}(\mathbf{q}) = \begin{bmatrix} H_{11} & H_{12} \\ H_{12} & H_{22} \end{bmatrix} \quad - \text{Manipulator inertia matrix}$$

$$\mathbf{C}(\mathbf{q}, \dot{\mathbf{q}}) = \begin{bmatrix} -h\dot{\theta}_2^2 - 2h\dot{\theta}_1\dot{\theta}_2 \\ h\dot{\theta}_1^2 \end{bmatrix} \quad - \text{Coriolis/centripetal(centrifugal)}$$

$$\mathbf{G}(\mathbf{q}) = \begin{bmatrix} G_1 \\ G_2 \end{bmatrix} \quad - \text{Gravity}$$

$$\boldsymbol{\tau} = \begin{bmatrix} \tau_1 \\ \tau_2 \end{bmatrix} \quad \mathbf{q} = \begin{bmatrix} \theta_1 \\ \theta_2 \end{bmatrix} \quad \dot{\mathbf{q}} = \begin{bmatrix} \dot{\theta}_1 \\ \dot{\theta}_2 \end{bmatrix} \quad \ddot{\mathbf{q}} = \begin{bmatrix} \ddot{\theta}_1 \\ \ddot{\theta}_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

What have you learned

- **Newton-Euler formulation** of manipulator dynamics
- Physical interpretation of manipulator dynamic equations

