

1/29: $SO(3)$, rotations

Announcements:

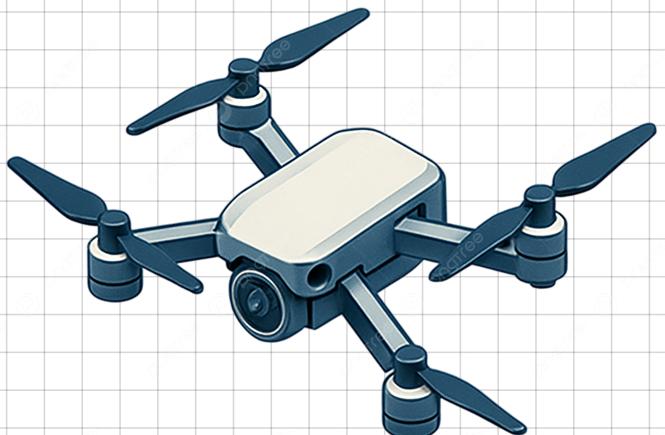
- intro survey out, due today
- HW1 out today, due 2/12

Last time:

- linear systems
- autodiff

Today:

- defining 3D rotations
- tangent space, exp / log map
- "addition"/"subtraction" on $SO(3)$



$$\dot{x} = f(x, u) \Rightarrow x_{k+1} = \bar{f}(x_k, \bar{u}_k)$$

$\ddot{x} = Ax + Bu$

$$\approx \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \delta x + \frac{\partial f}{\partial u} \delta u$$

stability :-

$$x = [p, \underline{R}, v, \omega]^T \text{ state}$$

$$u = [f_1, f_2, f_3, f_4]^T \text{ input}$$

$$R_{k+1} = R_k \oplus \Delta t \ \delta R_k$$

1. why are rotations
special

2. define
 \oplus \ominus

Def 1 ($SO(3)$) "special orthogonal"

A matrix $R \in \mathbb{R}^{3 \times 3}$ is in $SO(3)$

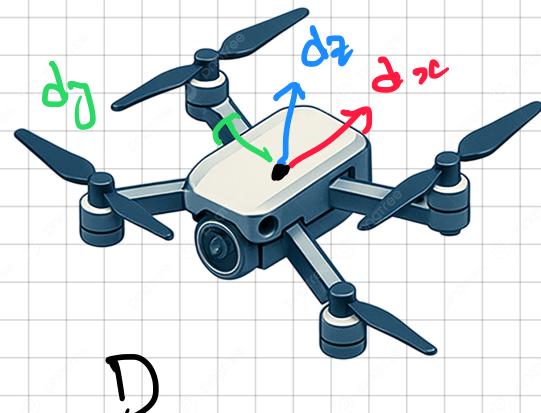
if:

* i) $R^T R = I$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \cos \theta & -\sin \theta \\ \sin \theta & \cos \theta \end{bmatrix}$$

ii) $\det(R) = +1$

e.g. $R^D \xrightarrow{\text{from}}$ $R^D \in SO(3) = [\hat{d}_x^w \ \hat{d}_y^w \ \hat{d}_z^w]$ *



i) orthonormal $\|d_i\| = 1$

$$d_i^T d_j = 0 \quad i \neq j$$

A diagram of a world coordinate system w . It has three green arrows labeled w_x , w_y , and w_z representing the world coordinate system axes. w_x points to the right, w_y points upwards, and w_z points diagonally up and to the left.

$$({}^w R^D)^T ({}^w R^D) = I$$

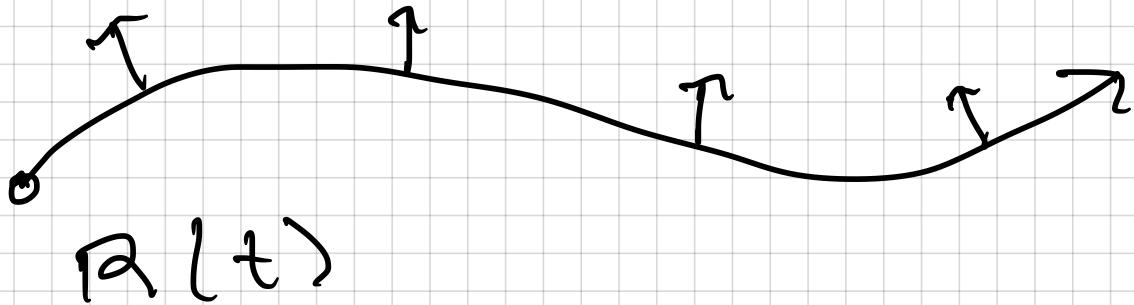
Two interpretations of ${}^w R^D$

i) ${}^w R^D = \begin{bmatrix} d_x^w & d_y^w & d_z^w \end{bmatrix}$

"representing orientation"

ii) operator $D \Rightarrow w$

$$v^w = {}^w R^D \cdot v^D$$



Consider $R \in SO(3)$

$$R = \begin{bmatrix} r_{11} & r_{12} & r_{13} \\ r_{21} & r_{22} & r_{23} \\ r_{31} & r_{32} & r_{33} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$R^T R = I$$

$$\det(R) = +1$$

$$DOF = 9 - \# \text{constraints} = 9 - 6 = 3$$

$$R = [r_x \ r_y \ r_z]$$

$$r_x^T r_y = 0$$

$$r_x^T r_x = 1$$

$$r_y^T r_z = 0$$

$$r_y^T r_y = 1$$

$$r_z^T r_x = 0$$

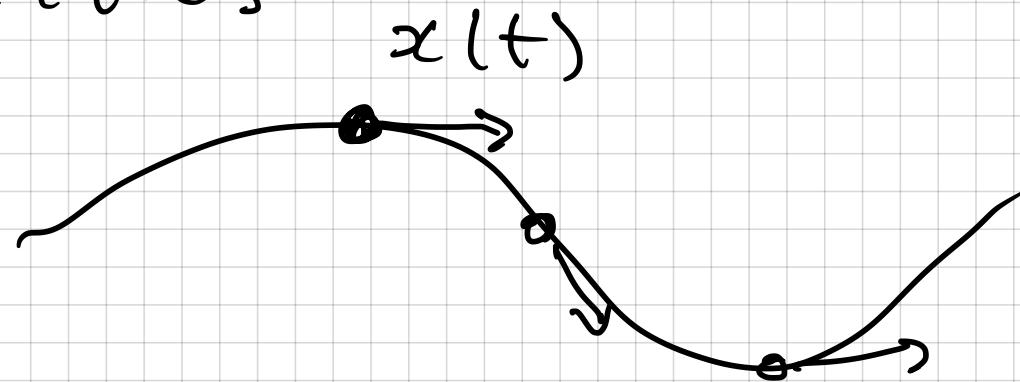
$$r_z^T r_z = 1$$

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6 constraints

Rotation kinematics

$$R(t)$$



$$R(t)^T R(t) = I$$

$$A = \dot{R}^T R$$

$$\frac{d}{dt} (R^T R = I)$$

$$A^T = -A$$

"skew-symmetric"

$$\dot{R}(t)^T R(t) + R(t)^T \dot{R}(t) = 0$$

$$\dot{R}^T R = -(\omega^T \dot{R}) = \underline{(\dot{R}^T R)^T}$$

$$\underline{R^T \vec{R}} = -(\vec{R}^T \vec{R})^T \quad \text{"skew-symmetric"}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & -v_3 & v_2 \\ v_3 & 0 & -v_1 \\ -v_2 & v_1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \underset{\sim}{=} \begin{bmatrix} v_1 \\ v_2 \\ v_3 \end{bmatrix} = \underline{\Theta \hat{u}}$$

$$\left\{ A \in \mathbb{R}^{3 \times 3} \mid A^T = -A \right\} \cong \mathbb{R}^3$$

$$\begin{aligned} R \cdot \underline{R^T \vec{R}} &= \overset{R}{v}^\wedge \\ \underline{| \vec{R}} &= \underline{R} \underline{v}^\wedge \\ &\underline{\vec{R}} \end{aligned} \qquad R^T R = RR^T = I$$

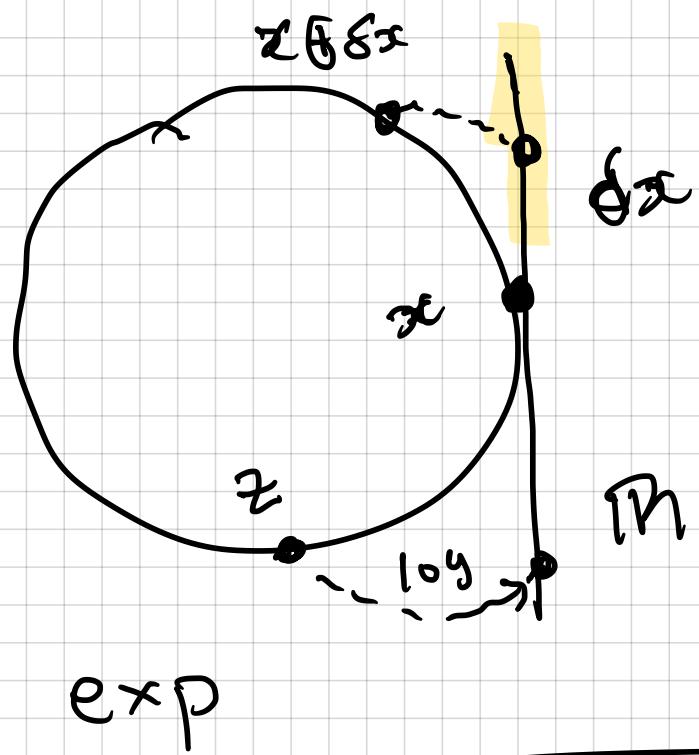
Upshot: $SU(3)$ "behaves locally"
like \mathbb{M}^3

Goal: Find ways to apply perturbation

$$R_{k+1} = R_k + \Delta t \cancel{\frac{\partial}{\partial R}} \quad \text{for } w \in \mathbb{R}^3$$

$$\tau_q$$

$$= R_k \oplus \Delta t S_w \quad \text{"exp" | "log"}$$



$$x \in \mathbb{R}^2 \quad \left\{ x \mid x^T x = 1 \right\}$$

$$\delta x = 0$$

$$x + \delta x \notin C$$

"bad picture"

\exp

"line" $so(3) = \{ \omega \mid \omega \in \mathbb{R}^3 \}$ ^ "promotion"

$$\exp : \underline{so}(3) \rightarrow so(3)$$

matrix exponential
 \exp

$$\log : so(3) \rightarrow \underline{so}(3)$$

Prop 1 (Rodrigues)

$$\exp(\underline{\omega}^1) = \underline{I} + \underline{u}^1 \sin \theta + (\underline{u}^1)^2 (1 - \cos \theta)$$

$$\theta = \|\underline{\omega}\| \quad \underline{u} = \frac{\underline{\omega}}{\|\underline{\omega}\|}$$

Def 1 (Box plus)

$$\text{For } \underline{\omega} \in \mathbb{R}^3, \quad R \oplus \underline{\omega} = R \cdot \exp(\underline{\omega}^1)$$

Def 1 (Box minus)

$$\text{For } R_1, R_2 \in SO(3) \quad R_1 \ominus R_2 = \log(R_1^T R_2)^V$$