

# Ch. 3

- Manipulator Kinematics
  - DOF (degree of freedom)



Point (3 dof)



single body (6dof)



Constrained single body (1 dof)



ball joint (3 dof)

- Mobility criteria (# of dof)

$$M = 6(n - 1) - \sum_{j=1}^m (6 - f_j)$$

(3차원 공간)

Where:

n: number of rigid bodies (including ground)

m: number of joints

f<sub>j</sub> : number of dof at jth joint

$$M = 3(n - 1) - \sum_{j=1}^m (3 - f_j)$$

## - Joint type

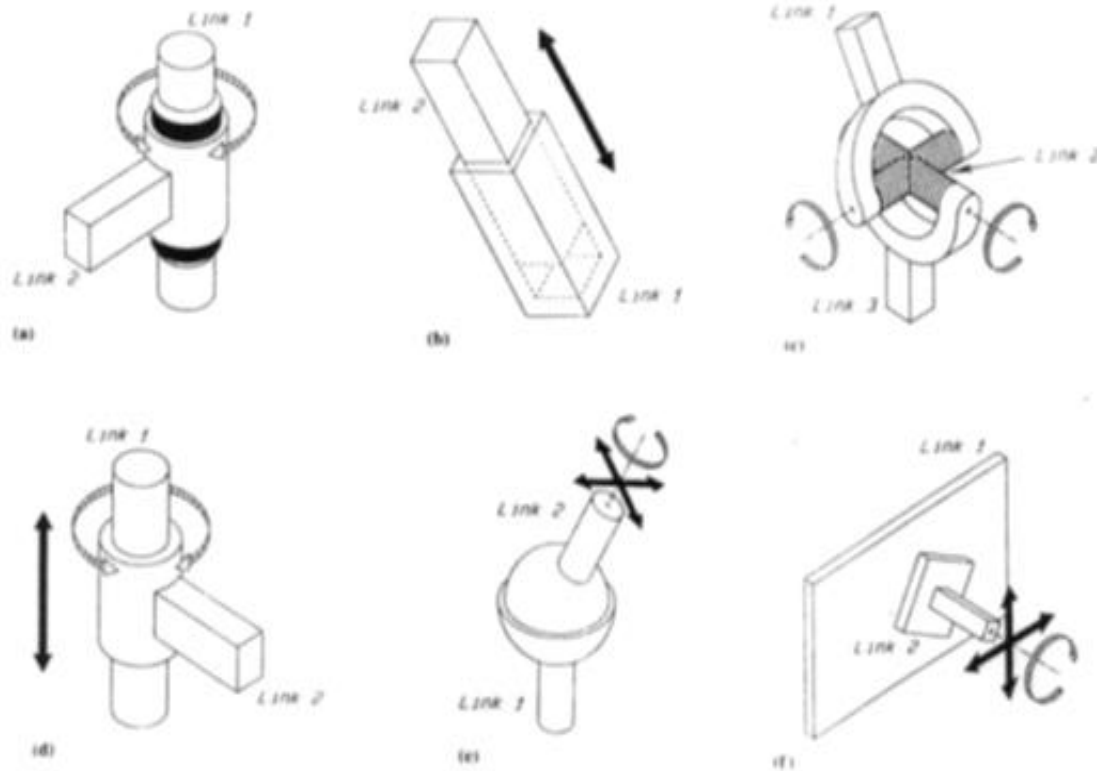
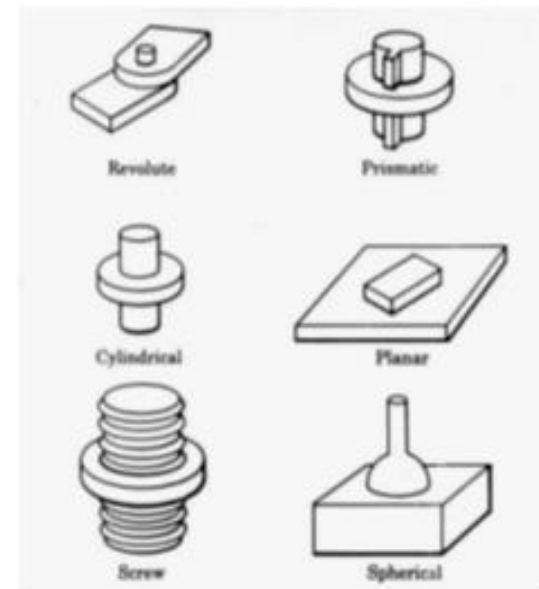


FIGURE. 12. Undriven structural joints



### 3.1 The six possible lower pair joints

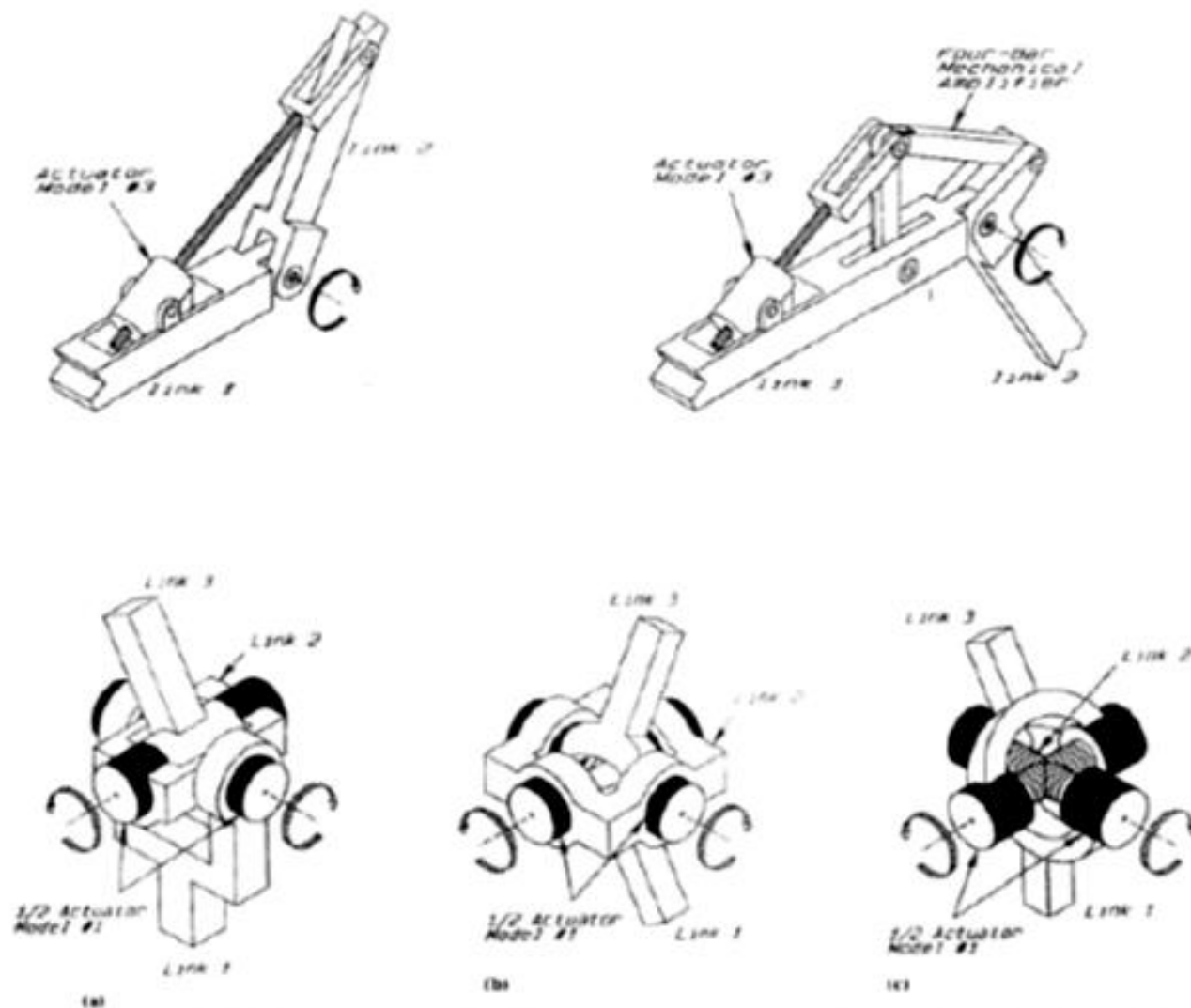
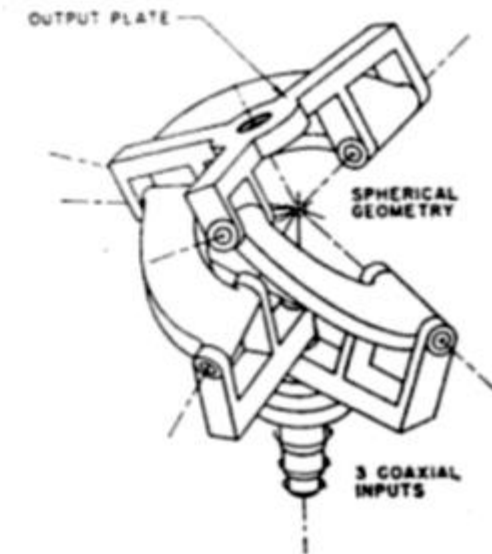
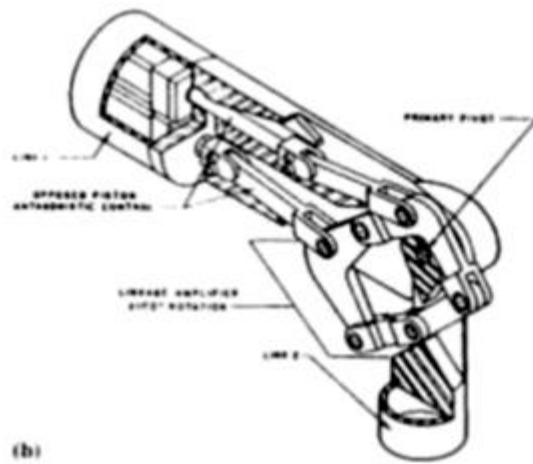


FIG. 16. Two-DOF knuckles with perpendicular axes (a-c, left to right):  
glimbal-based knuckle; exterior frame knuckle (based on universal joint);  
 interior cross knuckle (based on universal joint)



- Example for mobility of system

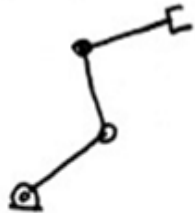
$$M = 3(n - 1) - \sum_{j=1}^m (3 - f_j)$$

N=4 including ground

$$M=3$$

$$f_{1,2,3} = 1$$

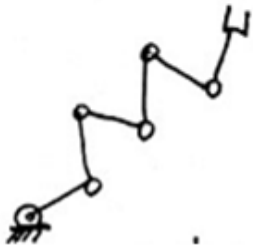
$$M=3(4-1) - 3 \times 2 = 3 \text{ dof}$$



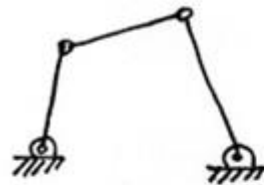
On the plane

$$M = 6(n - 1) - \sum_{j=1}^m (6 - f_j)$$

$$= 6(7 - 1) - 6 \times 5 = 6 \text{ dof}$$



In space



$$n = 4$$

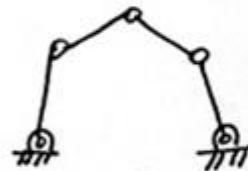
$$m = 4$$

$$f_{1-4} = 1$$

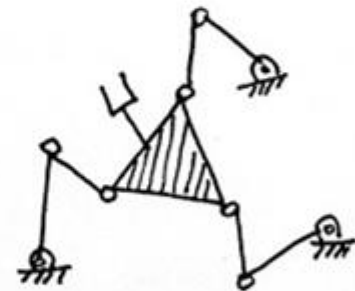
$$M = 3(4 - 1) - 4 \times 2 = 1 \text{ dof}$$

On the plane

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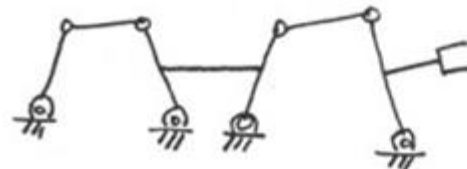


$$M = ?$$



$$M = ?$$

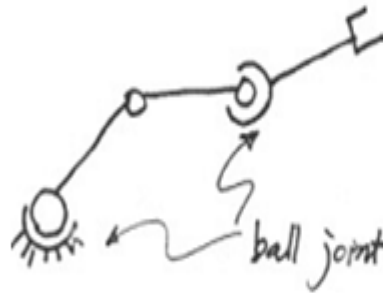
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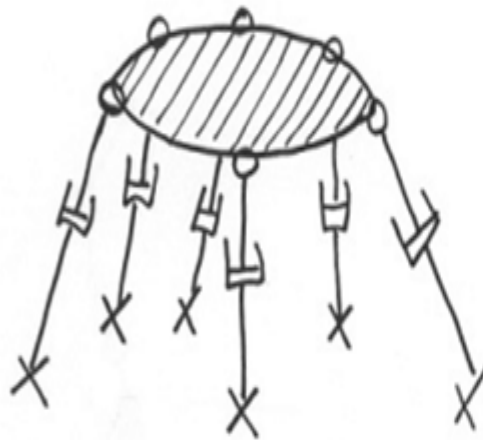
$$n = ?$$

$$m = ?$$

$$M = ?$$



$M=?$



○ : 1dof ball joint

X : 2dof knuckle joint

⊥ : 1dof prismatic joint

$M=?$

## Link Description

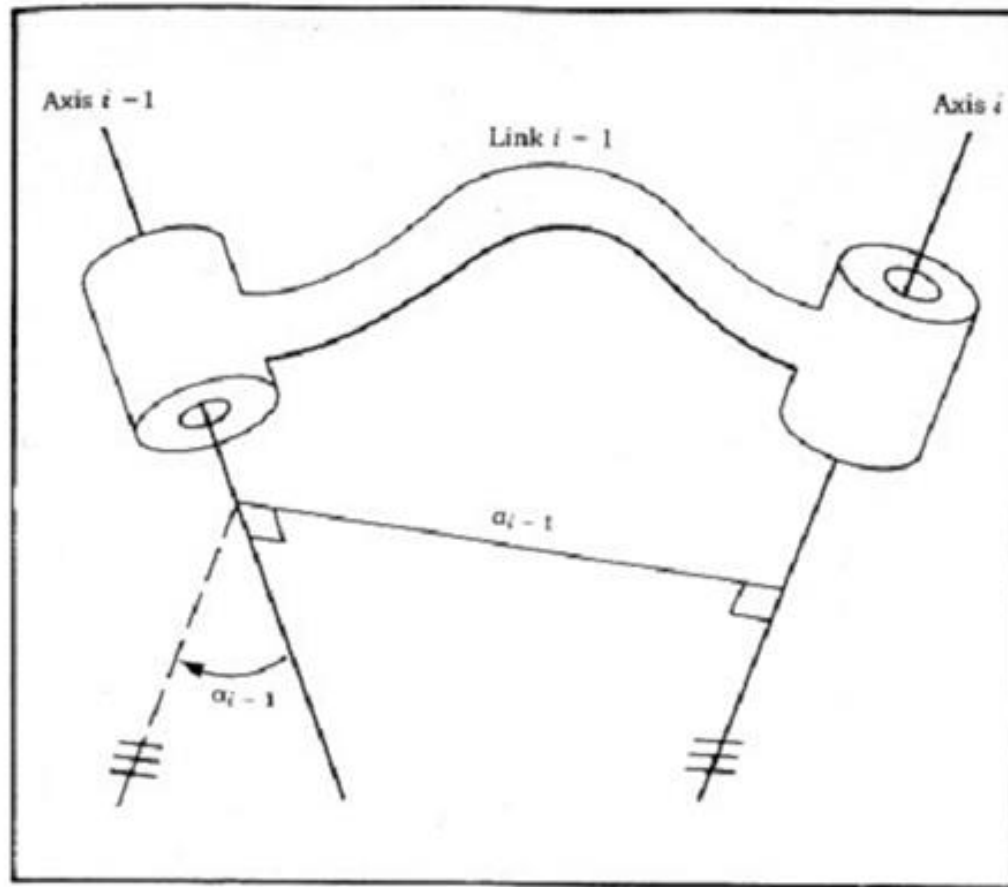


FIGURE 3.2 The kinematic function of a link is to maintain a fixed relationship between the two joint axes it supports. This relationship can be described with two parameters, the link length,  $a$ , and the link twist,  $\alpha$ .

Link length ( $a$ )  
: mutually perpendicular  
line always exists and is  
unique  
Link twist ( $\alpha$ )  
: relative location of two  
axes

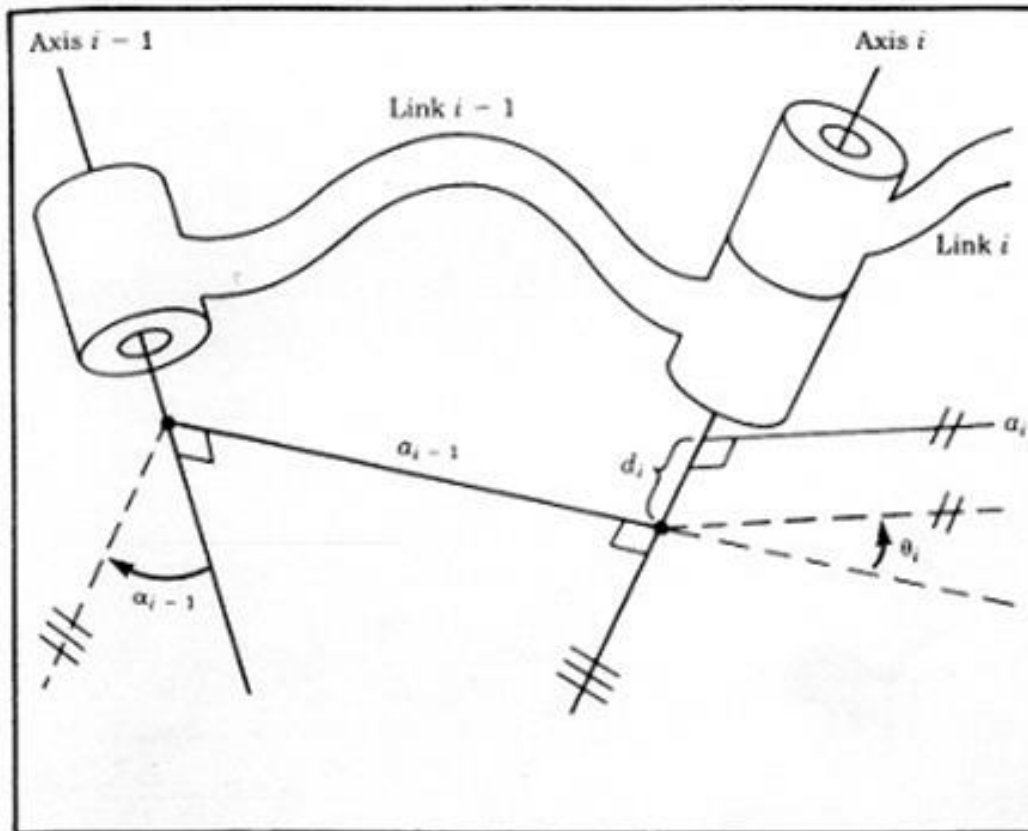


FIGURE 3.4 The link offset,  $d$ , and the joint angle,  $\theta$ , are two parameters which may be used to describe the nature of the connection between neighboring links.

Link offset ( $d$ )  
 Joint variable ( $\theta$ )  
 $\Rightarrow$  4 parameter  
 convention

: Denavit-Hartenburg  
parameter



- Affixing frames to links

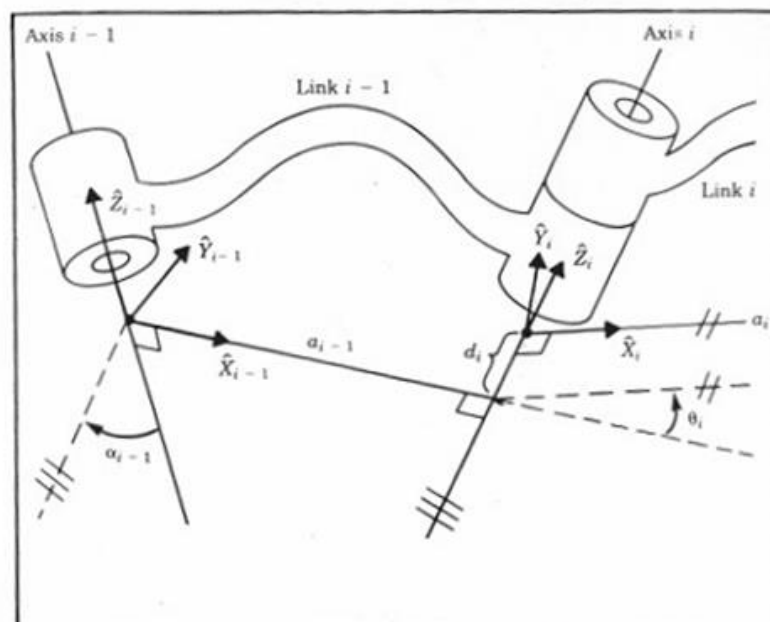


Fig 3.5 Link frames are attached so that frame  $\{i\}$  is attached rigidly to link  $i$ .

- Definition of the link parameters : Craig's way

$a_i$  = the distance from  $\hat{Z}_i$  to  $\hat{Z}_{i+1}$  measured along  $\hat{X}_i$  ;

$\alpha_i$  = the angle between  $\hat{Z}_i$  and  $\hat{Z}_{i+1}$  measured about  $\hat{X}_i$

$d_i$  = the distance from  $\hat{X}_{i-1}$  to  $\hat{X}_i$  measured along  $\hat{Z}_i$  ;and

$\theta_i$  = the angle between  $\hat{X}_{i-1}$  and  $\hat{X}_i$  measured about  $\hat{Z}_i$  .

- Link frames attachment procedure
1. Identify the joint axes and imagine (or draw) infinite lines along them. For steps 2 through 5 below, consider two of these neighboring lines (at axes  $i$  and  $i + 1$  ).
  2. Identify the common perpendicular between them, or point of intersection. At the point of intersection, or at the point where the common perpendicular meets the  $i$ th axis, assign the link frame origin.
  3. Assign the  $\hat{Z}_i$  axis pointing along the  $i$ th joint axis.
  4. Assign the axis  $\hat{X}_i$  pointing along the common perpendicular, or of the axes intersect, assign  $\hat{X}_i$  to be normal to the plane containing the two axes.
  5. Assign the  $\hat{Y}_i$  axis to complete a right-hand coordinate system.
  6. Assign  $\{0\}$  to match  $\{1\}$  when the first joint variable is zero. For  $\{N\}$  choose an origin location and  $\hat{X}_N$  direction freely, but generally so as to cause as many linkage parameters as possible to become zero.

Example 1)

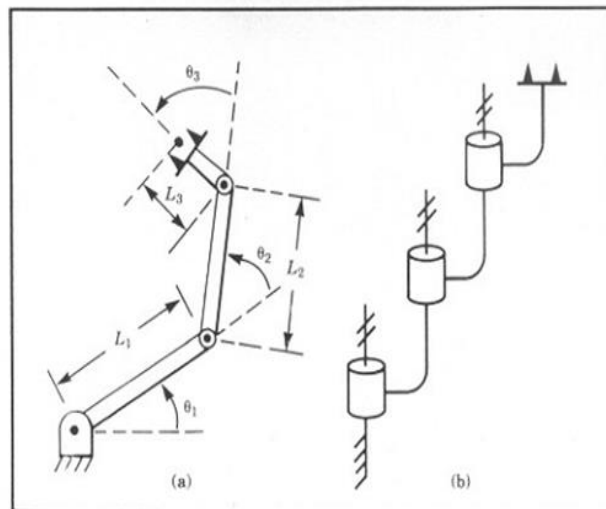


Fig. 3.6 A three-link planar arm. On the right we show the same manipulator by means of a simple schematic notation. Hash marks on the axes indicate that they are mutually parallel.

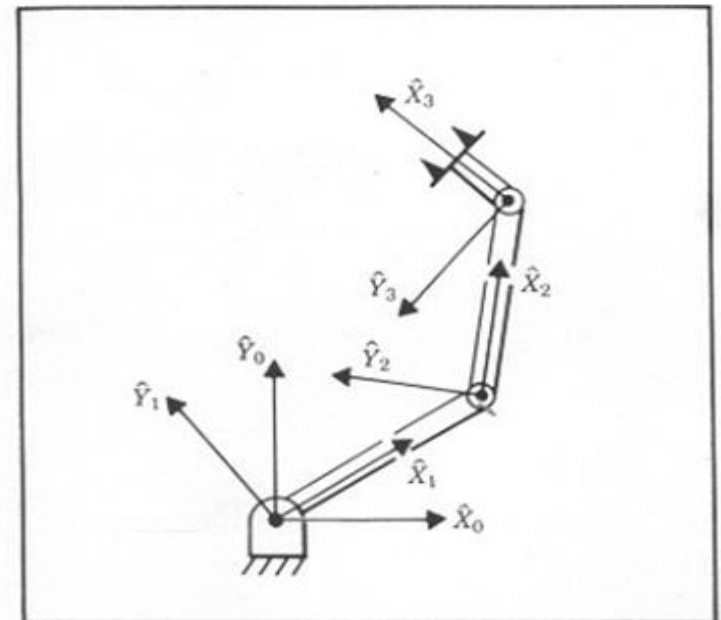


Fig 3.7 link frame assignments.

$i$	$\alpha_{i-1}$	$a_{i-1}$	$d_i$	$\theta_i$
1	0	0	0	$\theta_1$
2	0	$L_1$	0	$\theta_2$
3	0	$L_2$	0	$\theta_3$

Fig 3.8 Link parameters of the three-link planar manipulators.

Ex 2)

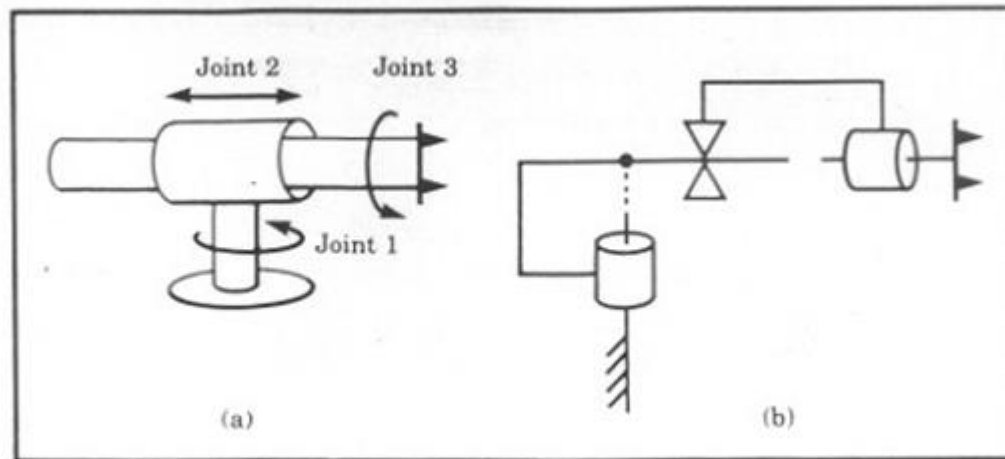


Fig 3.9 manipulator having three degrees of freedom and one prismatic joint.

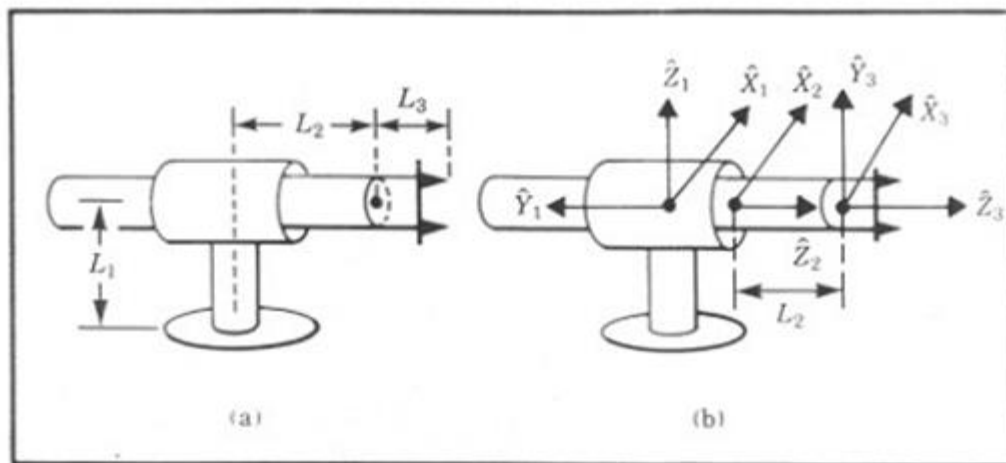


Fig 3.10 Link frame assignments.

$i$	$\alpha_{i-1}$	$a_{i-1}$	$d_i$	$\theta_i$
1	0	0	0	$\theta_1$
2	$90^\circ$	0	$d_2$	0
3	0	0	$L_2$	$\theta_3$

Fig 3.11 Link parameters for the RPR manipulator of Example 3.4.

### Ex 3) Demonstration of non-uniqueness of frame assignments

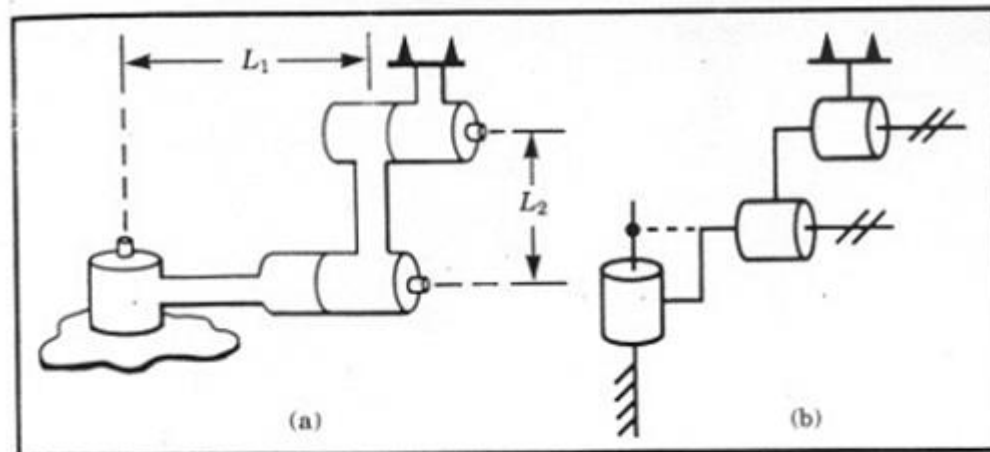


Fig 3.12 Three-link, non-planar manipulator.

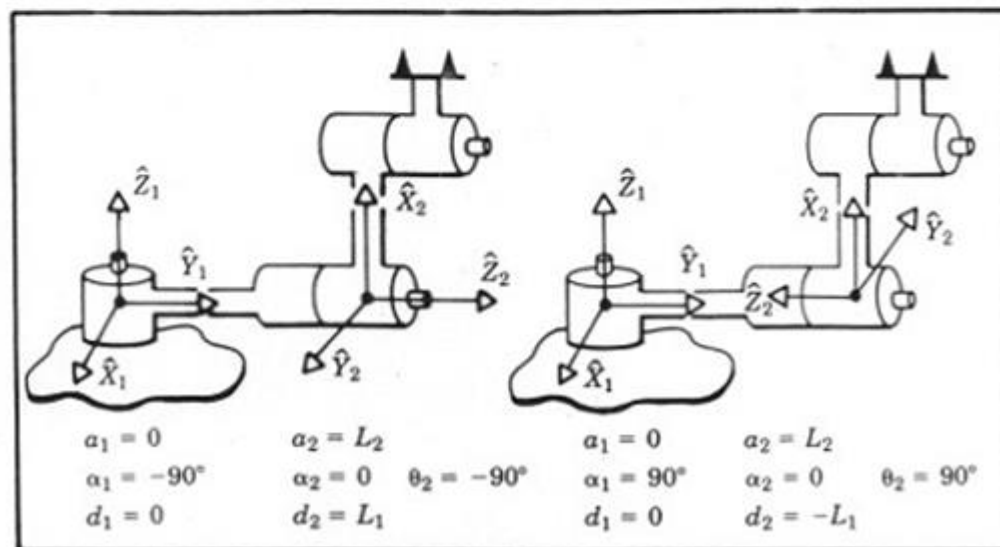


Fig 3.13 Two possible frame assignments.

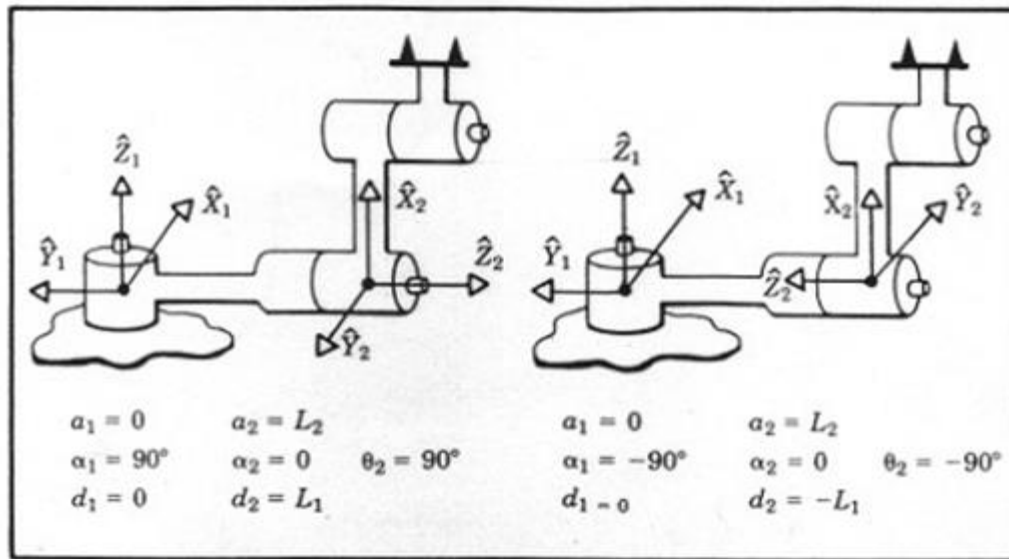


Fig 3.14 Two more possible frame assignments.



- Derivation of link transformation

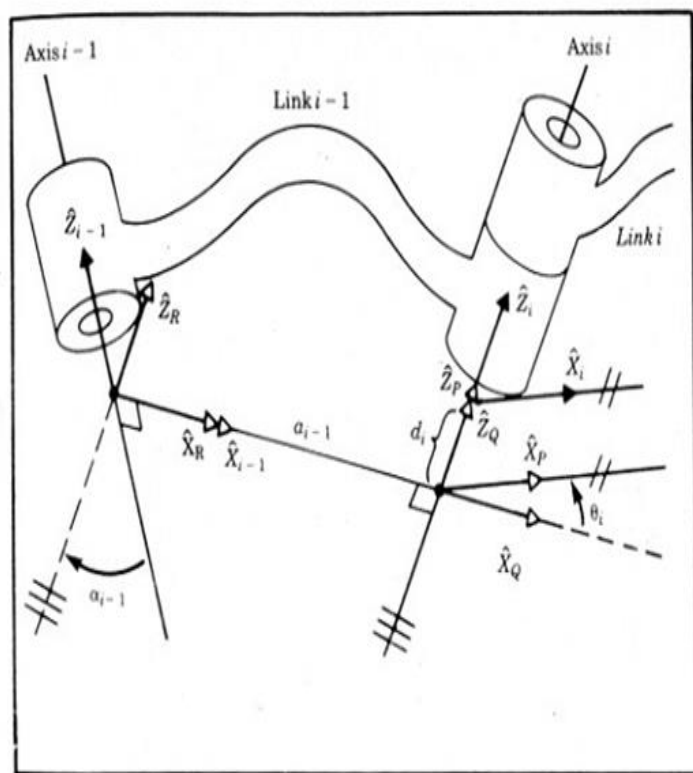


Fig 3.15 Location of intermediate frame {P}, {Q}, and {R}.

Or

$${}^{i-1}P = {}_R^{i-1}T {}_Q^R T {}_P^Q T {}_i^P T {}^iP, \quad (3.1)$$

where

$${}^{i-1}P = {}_i^{i-1}T {}^iP, \quad (3.2)$$

$${}_i^{i-1}T = {}_R^{i-1}T {}_Q^R T {}_P^Q T {}_i^P T. \quad (3.3)$$

Considering each of these transformations, we see that (3.3) may be written:

$${}_i^{i-1}T = R_X(\alpha_{i-1})D_X(a_{i-1})R_Z(\theta_i)D_Z(d_i), \quad (3.4)$$

or

$${}_i^{i-1}T = \text{Screw}_X(a_{i-1}, \alpha_{i-1}) \text{Screw}_Z(d_i, \theta_i), \quad (3.5)$$

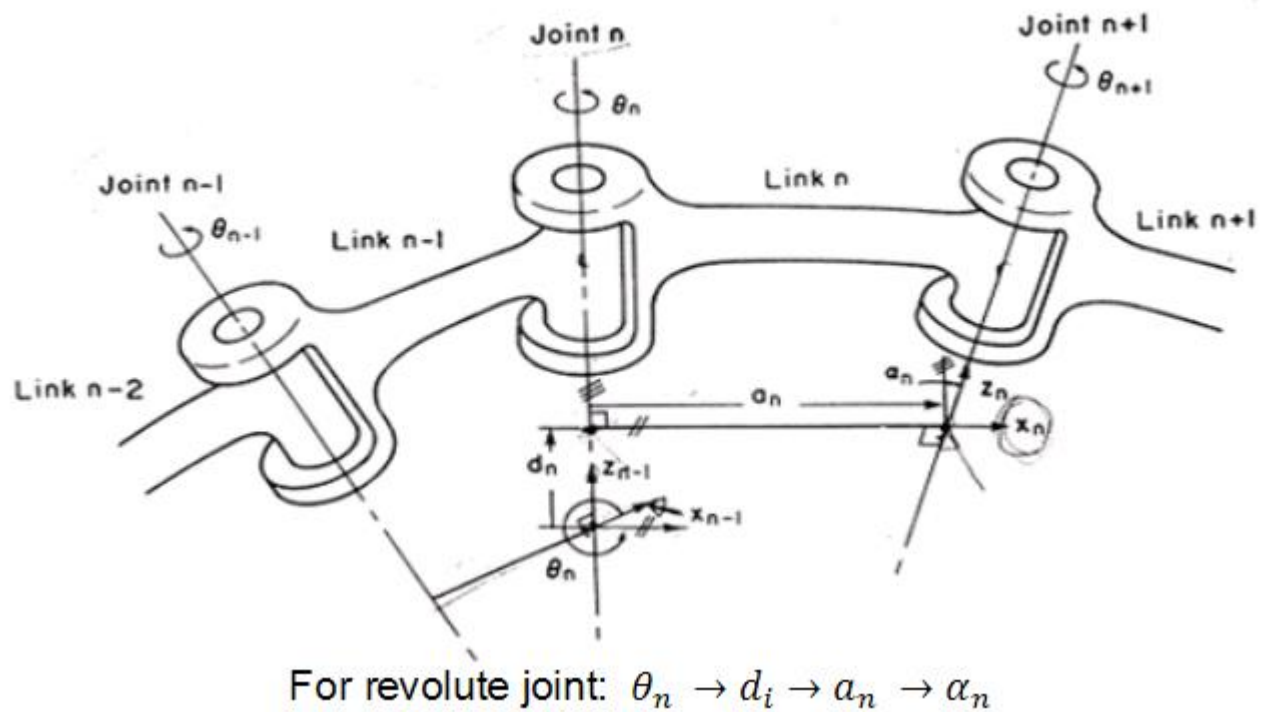
Where the notation  $\text{Screw}_Q(r, \phi)$  stands for a translation along an axis  $\hat{Q}$  by a distance  $r$ , and a rotation about the same axis by an angle  $\phi$ .

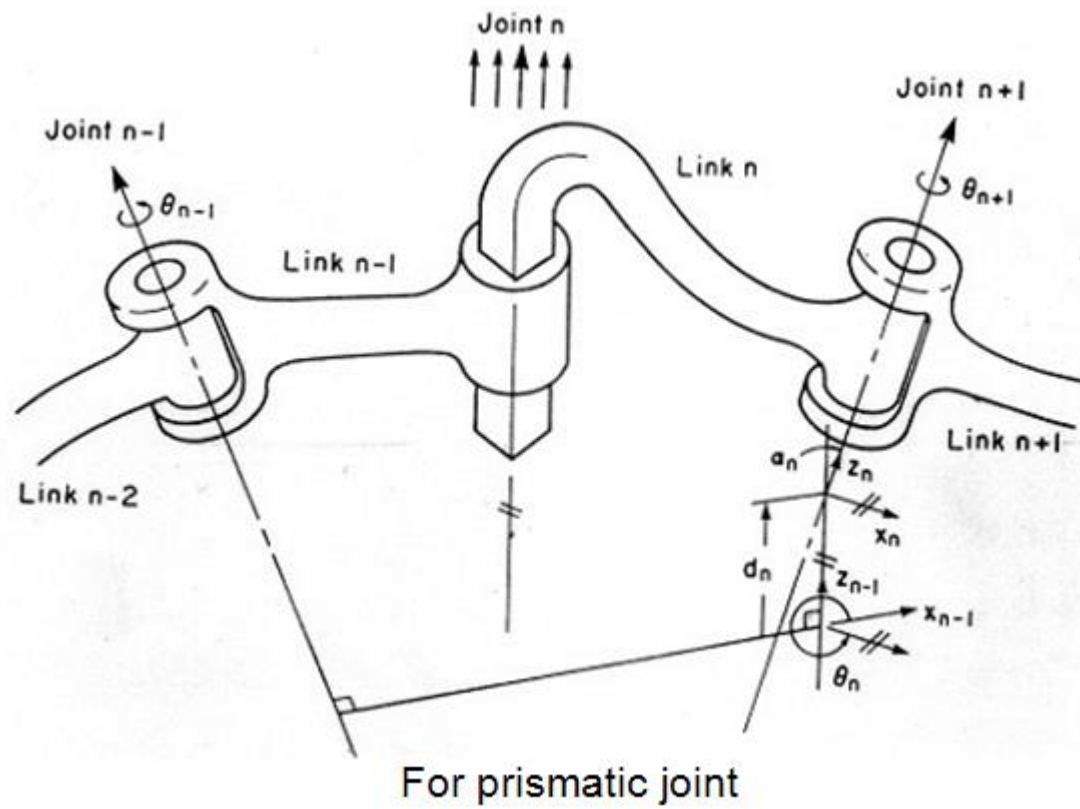
Multiplying out (3.4) we obtain the general form of  ${}_i^{i-1}T$ :

$${}_i^{i-1}T = \begin{bmatrix} c\theta_i & -s\theta_i & 0 & a_{i-1} \\ s\theta_i c\alpha_{i-1} & c\theta_i c\alpha_{i-1} & -s\alpha_{i-1} & -s\alpha_{i-1}d_i \\ s\theta_i s\alpha_{i-1} & c\theta_i s\alpha_{i-1} & c\alpha_{i-1} & c\alpha_{i-1}d_i \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}. \quad (3.6)$$



- Paul's way for link frame attachment





## Definition of the link parameters: Paul's way

Rotate about  $z_{n-1}$  an angle  $\theta_n$ ;

Translate along  $z_{n-1}$ , a distance  $d_n$ ;

Translate along rotated  $x_{n-1} = x_n$  a length  $a_n$ ;

Rotate about  $x_n$ , the twist angle  $\alpha_n$ .

## Link transformation

$$A_n^{n-1} = Rot(z, \theta) Trans(0, 0, d) Tran(a, 0, 0) Rot(x, \alpha)$$

$$A_n^{n-1} = \begin{bmatrix} \cos\theta & -\sin\theta & 0 & 0 \\ \sin\theta & \cos\theta & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & a \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & d \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \cos\alpha & -\sin\alpha & 0 \\ 0 & \sin\alpha & \cos\alpha & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A_n^{n-1} = \begin{bmatrix} \cos\theta & -\sin\theta\cos\alpha & \sin\theta\sin\alpha & a\cos\alpha \\ \sin\theta & \cos\theta\cos\alpha & -\cos\theta\sin\alpha & a\sin\alpha \\ 0 & \sin\alpha & \cos\alpha & d \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

## Example 1

Denavit-hartenburg parameter

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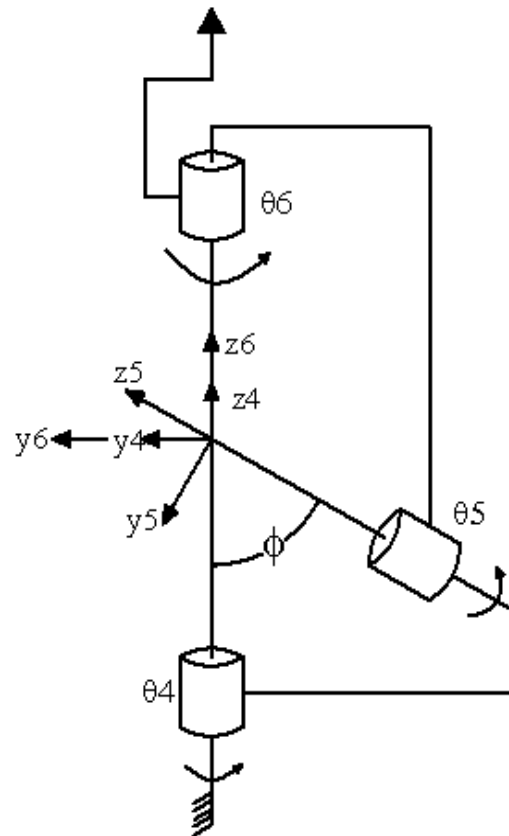


Fig. 3R non-orthogonal axis robot

$\alpha$	$a$	$d$	$\theta$
.	.	.	$\theta_4$
$-\phi$	0	0	$\theta_5$
$\phi$	0	0	$\theta_6$

3.12) No, need ? parameters  
3.15)

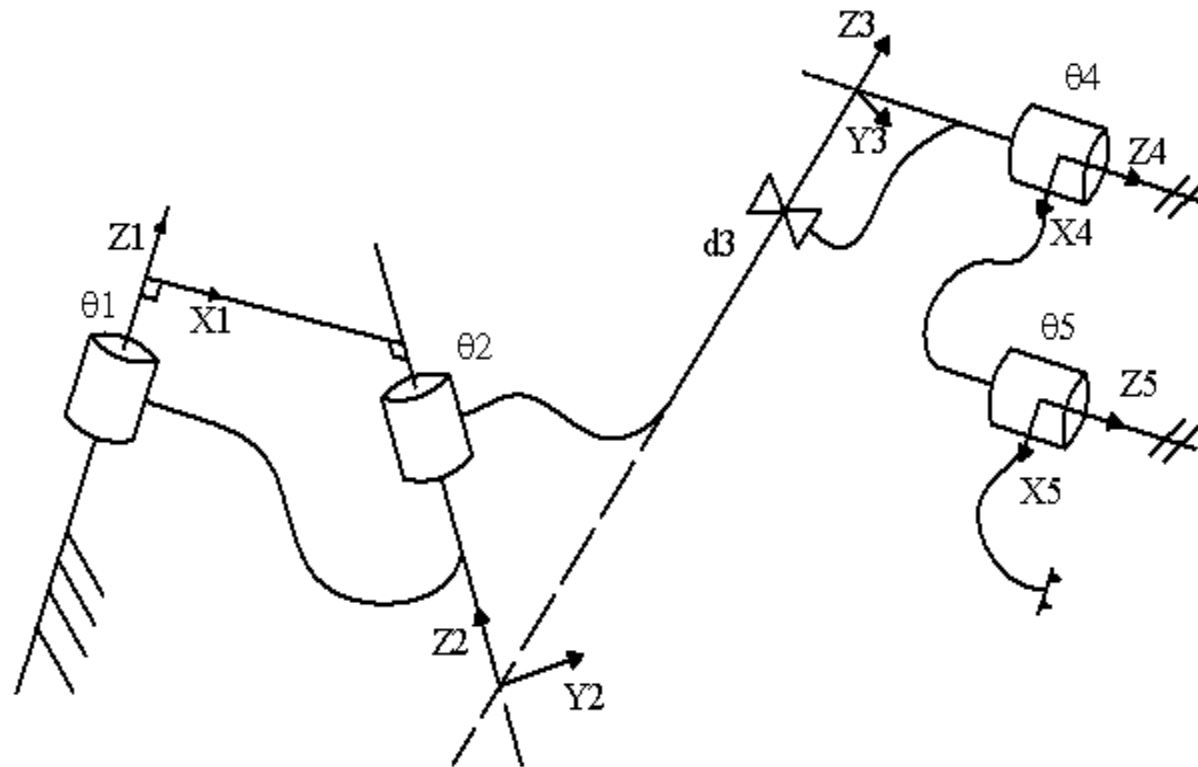


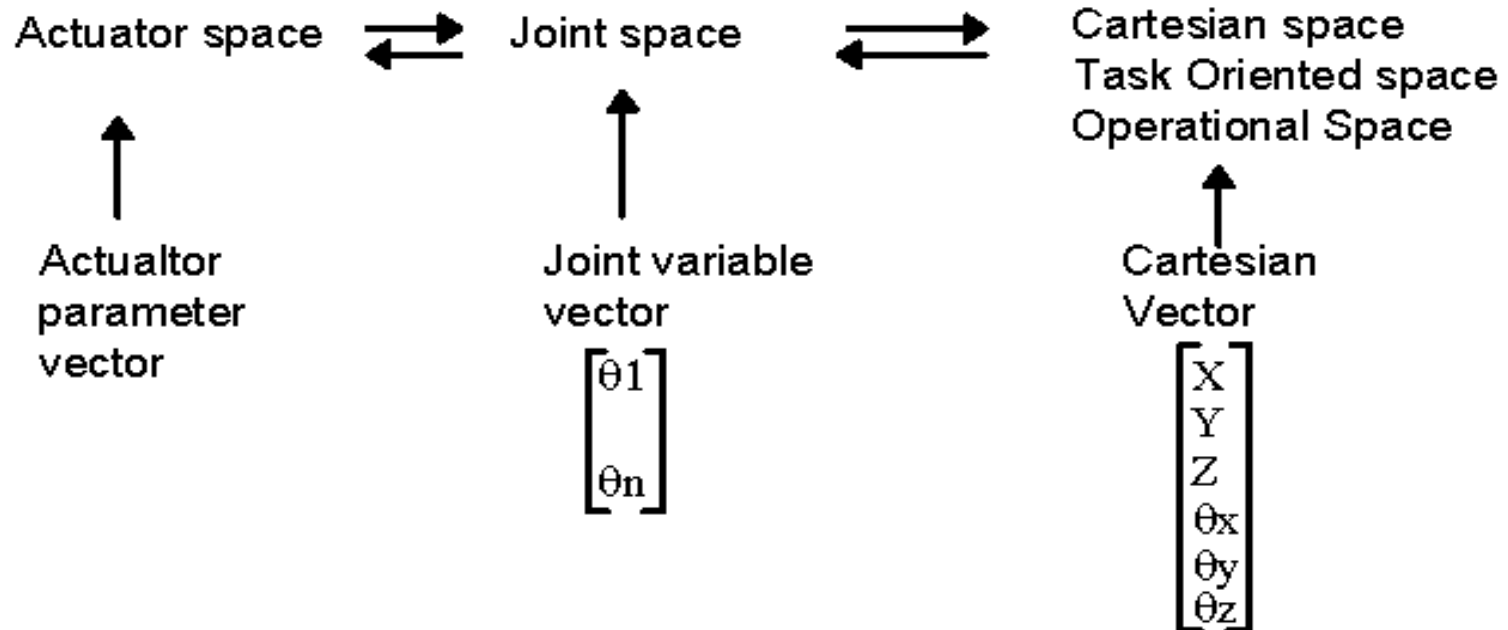
Fig 3.34 Schematic of a 2RP2R manipulator

- **Concatenating link transformation:**

{0} frame  $\rightarrow$  {n} frame

$${}^0_nT = {}^0_1T {}^1_2T {}^2_3T \dots {}^{n-1}_nT$$

- **Space:**



$N > \underline{6}$  : redundant manipulator

- Kinematics for Puma 560 manipulator

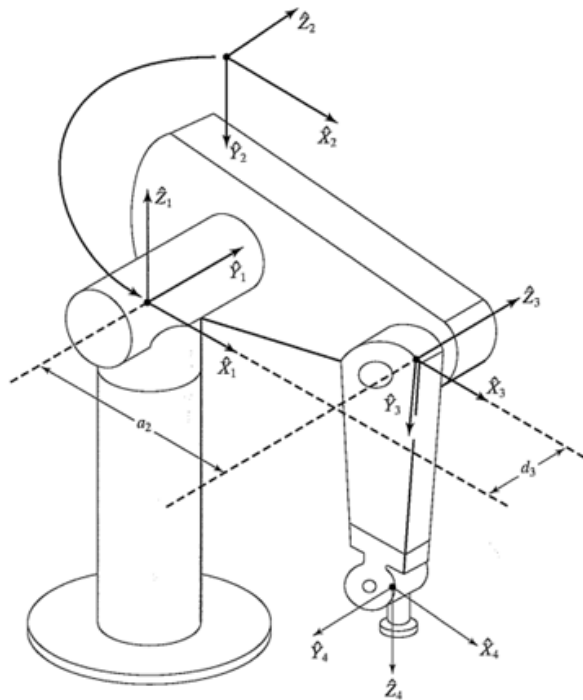


FIGURE 3.18. Some kinematic parameters and frame assignments for the Puma 560 manipulator

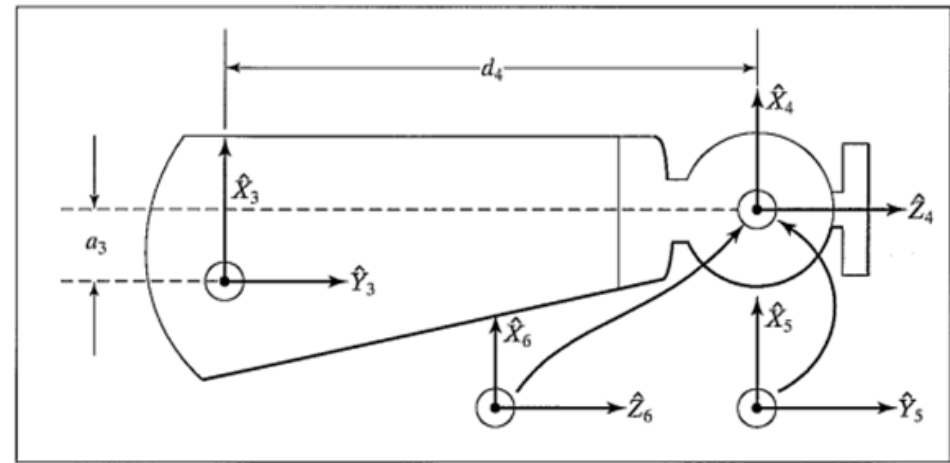
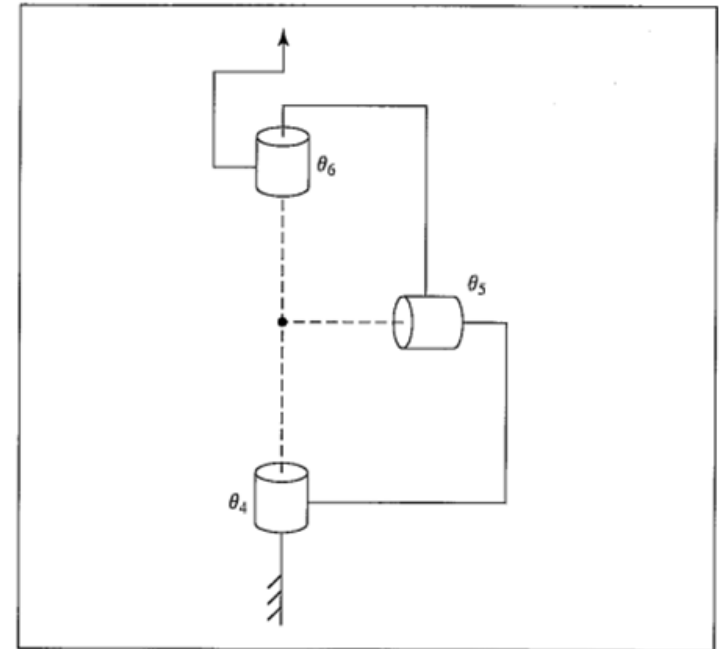


FIGURE 3.19. Kinematic parameters and frame assignments for the forearm of the PUMA 560 manipulator

FIGURE 3.20 Schematic of a 3R wrist in which all three axes intersect at a point and are mutually orthogonal. This design is used in the PUMA 560 manipulator and many other industrial robots.



i	$\alpha_{i-1}$	$a_{i-1}$	$d_i$	$\theta_i$
1	0	0	0	$\theta_1$
2	$-90^\circ$	0	0	$\theta_2$
3	0	$a_2$	$d_3$	$\theta_3$
4	$-90^\circ$	$a_3$	$d_4$	$\theta_4$
5	$90^\circ$	0	0	$\theta_5$
6	$-90^\circ$	0	0	$\theta_6$

$${}^0_1T = \begin{bmatrix} c\theta_1 & -s\theta_1 & 0 & 0 \\ s\theta_1 & c\theta_1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$${}^1_2T = \begin{bmatrix} c\theta_2 & -s\theta_2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -s\theta_2 & -c\theta_2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$${}^2_3T = \begin{bmatrix} c\theta_3 & -s\theta_3 & 0 & a_2 \\ s\theta_3 & c\theta_3 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & d_3 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$${}^3_4T = \begin{bmatrix} c\theta_4 & -s\theta_4 & 0 & a_3 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & d_4 \\ -s\theta_4 & -c\theta_4 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$${}^4_5T = \begin{bmatrix} c\theta_5 & -s\theta_5 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ s\theta_5 & c\theta_5 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$${}^5_6T = \begin{bmatrix} c\theta_6 & -s\theta_6 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -s\theta_6 & -c\theta_6 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$



$${}^4_6T = {}^4_5T {}^5_6T = \begin{bmatrix} c_5 c_6 & -c_5 s_6 & -s_5 & 0 \\ s_6 & c_6 & 0 & 0 \\ s_5 c_6 & -s_5 s_6 & c_5 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Where  $c_5$  is the shorthand for  $\cos(\theta_5)$ ,  $s_5$  for  $\sin(\theta_5)$  and so on. Then we have

$${}^3_6T = {}^3_4T {}^4_6T = \begin{bmatrix} c_4 c_5 c_6 - s_4 s_6 & -c_4 c_5 s_6 - s_4 c_6 & -c_4 s_5 & a_3 \\ s_5 c_6 & -s_5 s_6 & c_5 & d_4 \\ -s_4 c_5 c_6 - c_4 s_6 & s_4 s_5 c_6 - c_4 c_6 & s_4 s_5 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$${}^1_3T = {}^1_2T {}^2_3T = \begin{bmatrix} c_{23} & -s_{23} & 0 & a_2 c_2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & d_3 \\ -s_{23} & -c_{23} & 0 & -a_2 s_2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Where we have used the sum of angles formulas(from appendix A)

$$c_{23} = c_2 c_3 - s_2 s_3$$

$$s_{23} = c_2 s_3 + s_2 c_3$$

Then we have

$${}^1_6T = {}^1_3T {}^3_6T = \begin{bmatrix} {}^1_3r_{11} & {}^1_3r_{12} & {}^1_3r_{13} & {}^1_3p_x \\ {}^1_3r_{21} & {}^1_3r_{22} & {}^1_3r_{23} & {}^1_3p_y \\ {}^1_3r_{31} & {}^1_3r_{32} & {}^1_3r_{33} & {}^1_3p_z \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$${}^1_3r_{11} = c_{23}[c_4c_5c_6 - s_4s_6] - s_{23}s_5s_6,$$

$${}^1_3r_{21} = -s_4c_5c_6 - c_4s_6,$$

$${}^1_3r_{31} = -s_{23}[c_4c_5c_6 - s_4s_6] - s_{23}s_5c_6,$$

$${}^1_3r_{12} = -c_{23}[c_4c_5s_6 + s_4c_6] + s_{23}s_5s_6,$$

$${}^1_3r_{22} = -s_4c_5s_6 - c_4c_6,$$

$${}^1_3r_{32} = -s_{23}[c_4c_5s_6 + s_4c_6] + c_{23}s_5s_6,$$

$${}^1_3r_{13} = -c_{23}c_4s_5 - s_{23}c_5,$$

$${}^1_3r_{23} = s_4s_5,$$

$${}^1_3r_{33} = s_{23}c_4s_5 - c_{23}c_5,$$

$${}^1_3p_x = \alpha_2c_2 + \alpha_3c_{23} - d_4s_{23},$$

$${}^1_3p_y = d_3,$$

$${}^1_3p_z = -\alpha_3s_{23} - \alpha_2s_2 - d_4c_{23},$$

Finally, we obtain the production of all six link transforms

$${}^0T_6 = {}^0T_1 {}^1T_6 = \begin{bmatrix} r_{11} & r_{12} & r_{13} & p_x \\ r_{21} & r_{22} & r_{23} & p_y \\ r_{31} & r_{32} & r_{33} & p_z \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix},$$

Where

$$r_{11} = c_1[c_{23}(c_4c_5c_6 - s_4s_6) - s_{23}s_5c_6] + s_1(s_4c_5c_6 + c_4s_6),$$

$$r_{21} = s_1[c_{23}(c_4c_5c_6 - s_4s_6) - s_{23}s_5c_6] - c_1(s_4c_5c_6 + c_4s_6),$$

$$r_{31} = -s_{23}(c_4c_5c_6 - s_4s_6) - c_{23}s_5c_6,$$

$$r_{12} = c_1[c_{23}(-c_4c_5s_6 - s_4c_6) + s_{23}s_5s_6] + s_1(c_4c_6 - s_4c_5s_6),$$

$$r_{22} = s_1[c_{23}(-c_4c_5s_6 - s_4c_6) + s_{23}s_5s_6] - c_1(c_4c_6 - s_4c_5s_6),$$

$$r_{32} = -s_{23}(-c_4c_5s_6 - s_4c_6) + c_{23}s_5s_6,$$

$$r_{13} = -c_1(c_{23}c_4s_5 + s_{23}c_5) - s_1s_4s_5,$$

$$r_{23} = -s_1(c_{23}c_4s_5 + s_{23}c_5) + c_1s_4s_5,$$

$$r_{33} = s_{23}c_4s_5 - c_{23}c_5,$$

$$p_x = c_1[\alpha_2c_2 + \alpha_3c_{23} - d_4s_{23}] - d_3s_1,$$

$$p_y = s_1[\alpha_2c_2 + \alpha_3c_{23} - d_4s_{23}] + d_3c_1,$$

$$p_z = -\alpha_3s_{23} - \alpha_2s_2 - d_4c_{23},$$

## ❖ Frames with standard names

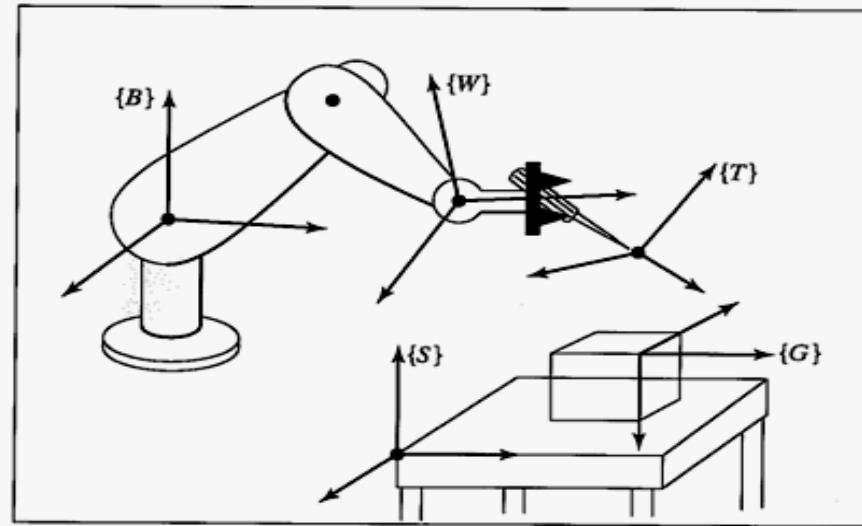


FIGURE 3.27: The standard frames.

Base Frame {B}	:	{0} link frame
Wrist Frame {W}	:	{N} link frame ${}^B_W T = {}^0_N T$
Tool Frame {T}	:	the end of any tool
Station Frame {S}	:	${}^B_S T$ always known
Goal Frame {G}	:	tool frame should coincide with goal frame

$${}^B_W T {}^W_T T {}^T_G T = {}^B_S T {}^S_G T$$

$${}^T_G T = {}^W_T T^{-1} {}^B_W T^{-1} {}^B_S T {}^S_G T$$