

Introduction to Robotics

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Composition of Rotations

► Rotation with Respect to the Current Frame:

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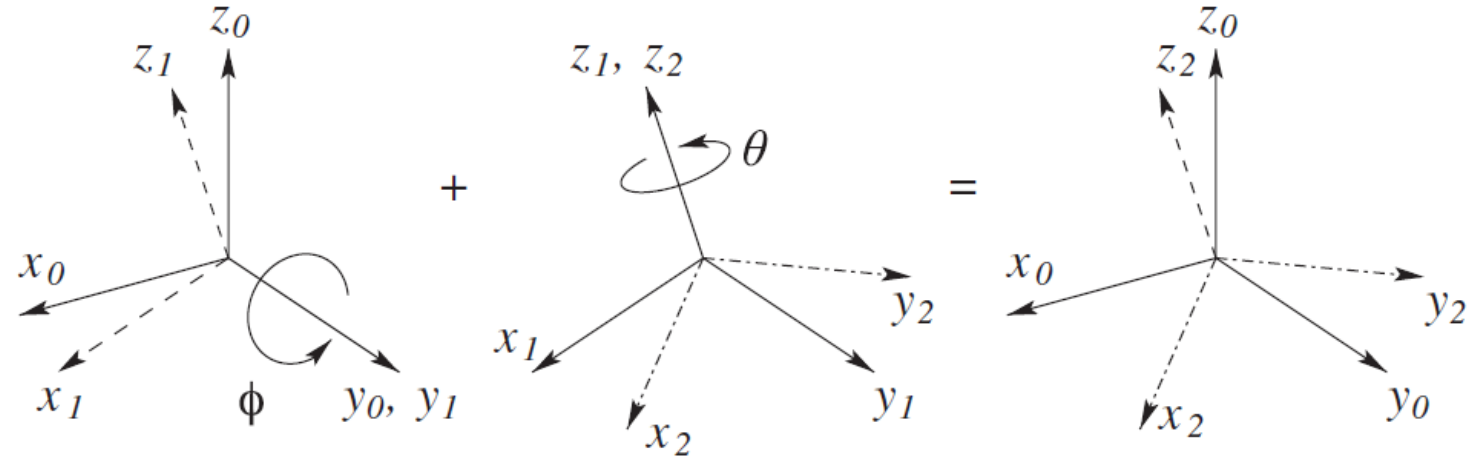


Figure 2.8: Composition of rotations about current axes.

► Rotation with Respect to the Fixed Frame:

We make a rotation with respect to Frame 0 to get Frame 1, then another rotation w.r.t the Fixed frame (**Frame 0**) to get Frame 2.

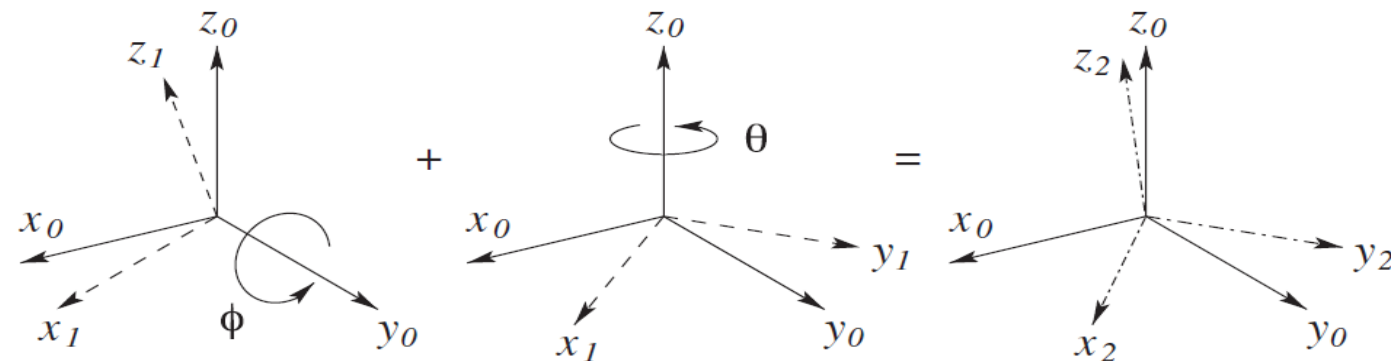


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Composition of Rotations

- Rotation with Respect to the Current Frame:

$$p^0 = R_1^0 p^1$$

$$p^1 = R_2^1 p^2$$

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$$R_2^0 = R_1^0 R_2^1$$

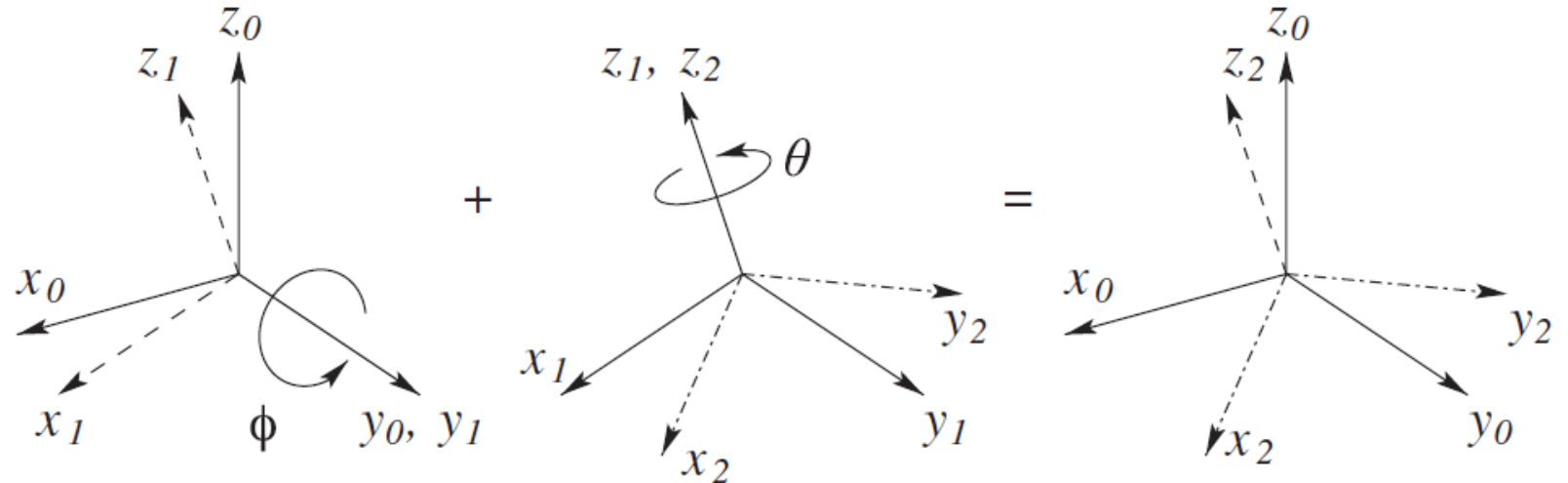


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If we make a rotation with respect to Frame 0 and get Frame 1 (R_1^0), then another rotation w.r.t the current frame (Frame 1) to get Frame 2 (R_2^1), the rotation matrix of Frame 2 w.r.t Frame 0 = $R_1^0 R_2^1 \rightarrow$ Rule: The last rotation multiplied to the right of the previous multiplication (post-multiplication) if the rotation is referred to the **current frame**.

Composition of Rotations

► Rotation with Respect to the Fixed Frame:

It is often desired to perform a sequence of rotations, each about a given fixed coordinate frame, rather than about successive current frames.

For example, we may wish to perform a rotation about x_0 followed by a rotation about y_0 (not y_1 !). We will refer to $x_0y_0z_0$ as the fixed frame. In this case, the composition law in the previous slides is invalid.

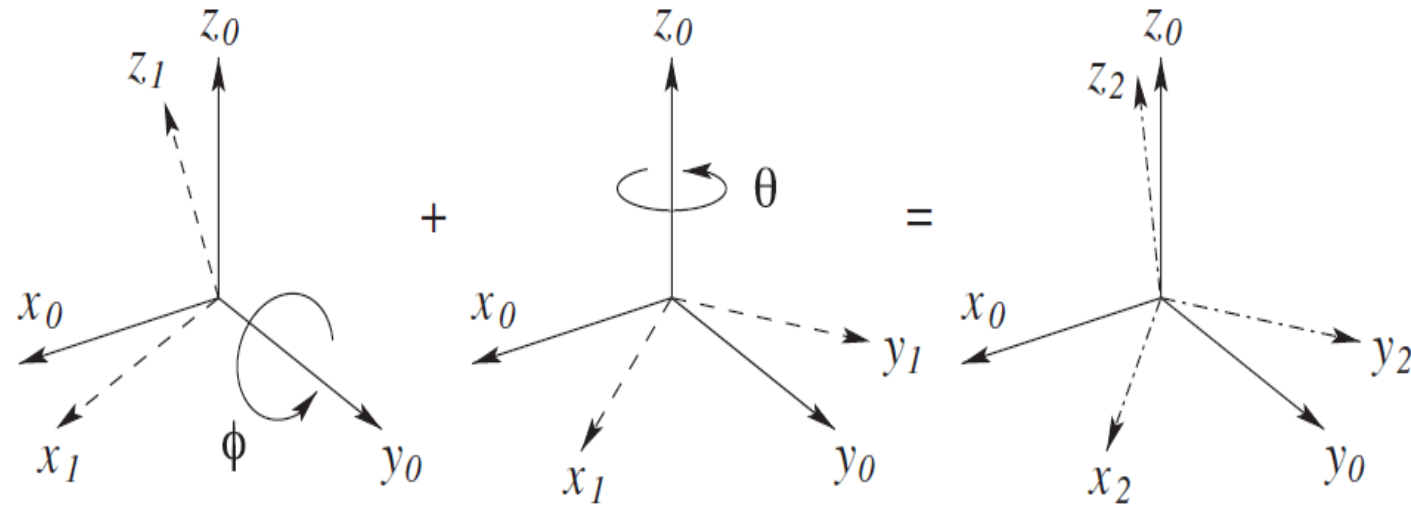


Figure 2.9: Composition of rotations about fixed axes.

$$R_2^0 = R R_1^0$$

If we make a rotation with respect to Frame 0 and get Frame 1 (R_1^0), then another rotation w.r.t the Fixed Frame (Frame 0) to get Frame 2 (R), the rotation matrix of Frame 2 w.r.t Frame 0 = $R R_1^0$ → Rule: The last rotation multiplied to the left of the previous multiplication (pre-multiplication) if the rotation is referred to the **Fixed frame**.

Example 2.8. Suppose R is defined by the following sequence of basic rotations in the order specified:

1. A rotation of θ about the current x -axis
2. A rotation of ϕ about the current z -axis
3. A rotation of α about the fixed z -axis
4. A rotation of β about the current y -axis
5. A rotation of δ about the fixed x -axis

In order to determine the cumulative effect of these rotations we simply begin with the first rotation $R_{x,\theta}$ and pre- or postmultiply as the case may be to obtain

$$R = R_{x,\delta}R_{z,\alpha}R_{x,\theta}R_{z,\phi}R_{y,\beta} \quad (2.24)$$

Parameterizations of Rotations

Any rotation matrix R can be represented by three methods:

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

First, rotate about the z-axis by the angle φ . Next, rotate about the **current** y-axis by the angle θ . Finally, rotate about the **current** z-axis by the angle ψ .

Euler Angles
(φ, θ, ψ)

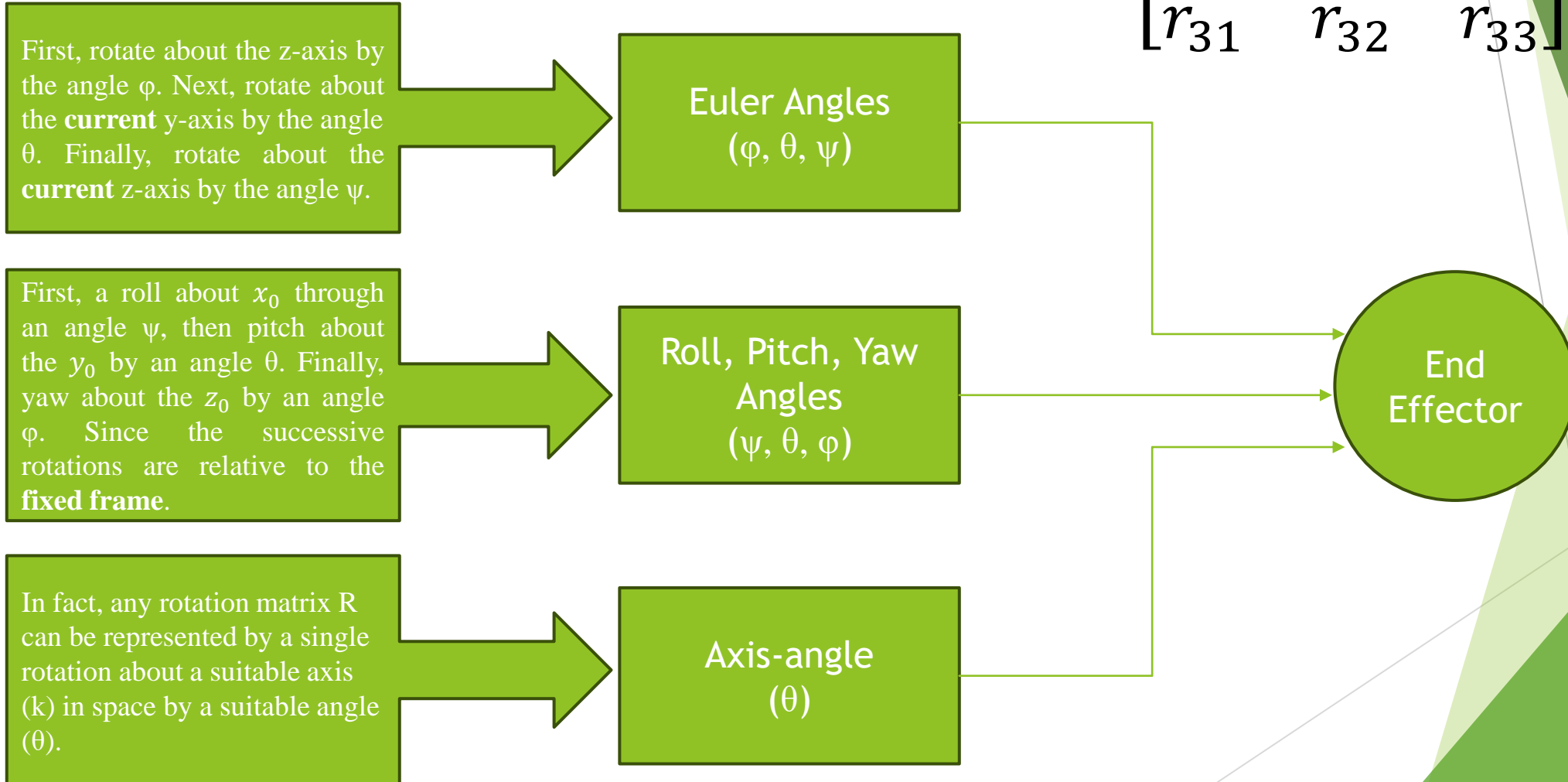
First, a roll about x_0 through an angle ψ , then pitch about the y_0 by an angle θ . Finally, yaw about the z_0 by an angle φ . Since the successive rotations are relative to the **fixed frame**.

Roll, Pitch, Yaw Angles
(ψ, θ, φ)

In fact, any rotation matrix R can be represented by a single rotation about a suitable axis (k) in space by a suitable angle (θ).

Axis-angle
(θ)

End Effector



Euler Angles

First, rotate about the z-axis by the angle ϕ . Next, rotate about the **current** y-axis by the angle θ . Finally, rotate about the **current** z-axis by the angle ψ .

$$R = \begin{bmatrix} r_{11} & r_{12} & r_{13} \\ r_{21} & r_{22} & r_{23} \\ r_{31} & r_{32} & r_{33} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} c_\phi c_\theta c_\psi - s_\phi s_\psi & -c_\phi c_\theta s_\psi - s_\phi c_\psi & c_\phi s_\theta \\ s_\phi c_\theta c_\psi + c_\phi s_\psi & -s_\phi c_\theta s_\psi + c_\phi c_\psi & s_\phi s_\theta \\ -s_\theta c_\psi & s_\theta s_\psi & c_\theta \end{bmatrix}$$

Determine a set of Euler angles $\phi, \theta, \text{ and } \psi$ so that

First Case:

Not both of r_{13}, r_{23} are zero ($s_\theta \neq 0, r_{33} \neq \pm 1$)

$$\cos \theta = r_{33}$$

If $\sin \theta > 0$

$$\tan \phi = \frac{r_{23}}{r_{13}} \text{ ? Quad}$$

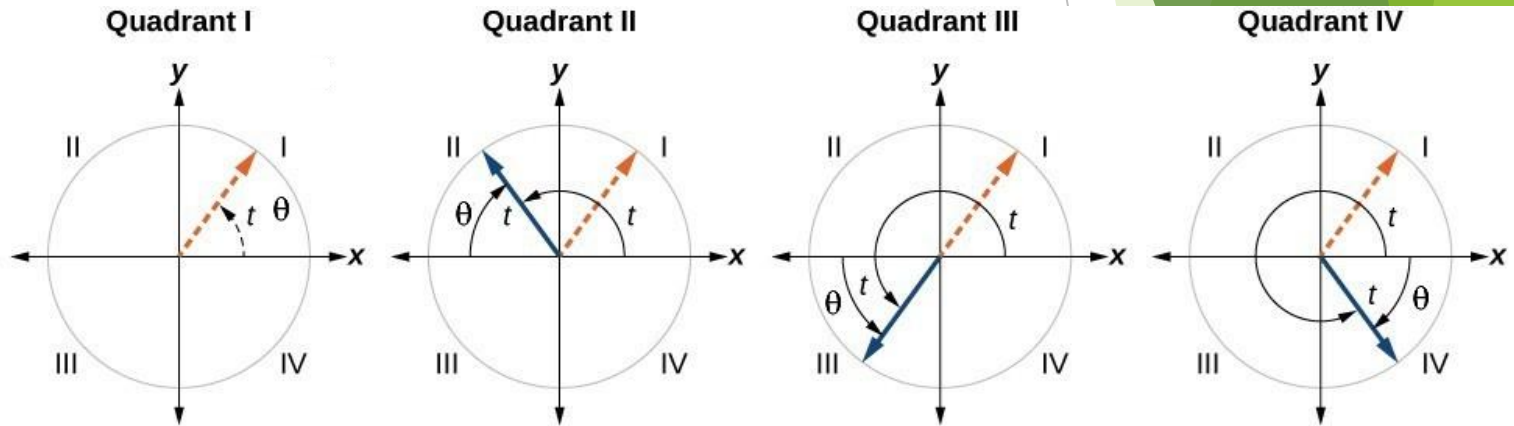
$$\tan \psi = \frac{r_{32}}{-r_{31}} \text{ ? Quad}$$

or

If $\sin \theta < 0$

$$\tan \phi = \frac{-r_{23}}{-r_{13}} \text{ ? Quad}$$

$$\tan \psi = \frac{-r_{32}}{r_{31}} \text{ ? Quad}$$



$$\cos \theta = r_{33}$$

Second Case:

Both of r_{13} , r_{23} are zero. This implies that:

$$R = \begin{bmatrix} r_{11} & r_{12} & 0 \\ r_{21} & r_{22} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \pm 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

If $r_{33}=1$, then $\theta=0$ and R becomes:

$$\begin{bmatrix} c_\phi c_\psi - s_\phi s_\psi & -c_\phi s_\psi - s_\phi c_\psi & 0 \\ s_\phi c_\psi + c_\phi s_\psi & -s_\phi s_\psi + c_\phi c_\psi & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} c_{\phi+\psi} & -s_{\phi+\psi} & 0 \\ s_{\phi+\psi} & c_{\phi+\psi} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \phi + \psi &= \text{atan2}(r_{11}, r_{21}) \\ &= \text{atan2}(r_{11}, -r_{12}) \end{aligned}$$

There are infinitely many solutions. In this case, we may take $\phi=0$.

If $r_{33}=1$, then $\theta=\pi$ and R becomes:

$$\begin{bmatrix} -c_{\phi-\psi} & -s_{\phi-\psi} & 0 \\ s_{\phi-\psi} & c_{\phi-\psi} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} r_{11} & r_{12} & 0 \\ r_{21} & r_{22} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\phi - \psi = \text{atan2}(-r_{11}, -r_{12})$$

There are infinitely many solutions. In this case, we may take $\phi=0$.

Example

$$R = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -0.8660 & 0.5 \\ 0.5 & -0.433 & -0.75 \\ 0.8660 & 0.25 & 0.433 \end{bmatrix}$$

Solution:

$$\cos \theta = 0.433$$

$$\theta = 64.43$$

or

$$\cos \theta = 0.433$$

$$\theta = 295$$

$$\text{If } \sin \theta > 0$$

$$\tan \phi = \frac{-0.75}{0.5} \text{ 4}^{th} \text{ Quad, } \phi = -56.3$$

$$\tan \psi = \frac{0.25}{-0.866} \text{ 2}^{nd} \text{ Quad, } \psi = 163.9$$

$$\text{If } \sin \theta < 0$$

$$\tan \phi = \frac{0.75}{-0.5} \text{ 2}^{nd} \text{ Quad, } \phi = 123.7$$

$$\tan \psi = \frac{-0.25}{0.866} \text{ 4}^{th} \text{ Quad, } \psi = 343.9$$

Matlab code

```
R=[0 -0.866 0.5, 0.5 -0.433 -0.75, 0.866 0.25 0.433 ]
```

```
euler_angles=tr2eul(R)
```

Roll, Pitch, Yaw Angles

First, a roll about x_0 through an angle ψ , then pitch about the y_0 by an angle θ . Finally, yaw about the z_0 by an angle ϕ . Since the successive rotations are relative to the **fixed frame**.

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

$$\begin{aligned} R &= R_{z,\phi} R_{y,\theta} R_{x,\psi} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} c_\phi & -s_\phi & 0 \\ s_\phi & c_\phi & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} c_\theta & 0 & s_\theta \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -s_\theta & 0 & c_\theta \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & c_\psi & -s_\psi \\ 0 & s_\psi & c_\psi \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} c_\phi c_\theta & -s_\phi c_\psi + c_\phi s_\theta s_\psi & s_\phi s_\psi + c_\phi s_\theta c_\psi \\ s_\phi c_\theta & c_\phi c_\psi + s_\phi s_\theta s_\psi & -c_\phi s_\psi + s_\phi s_\theta c_\psi \\ -s_\theta & c_\theta s_\psi & c_\theta c_\psi \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \theta_1 &= \sin^{-1}(-R_{31}) & \phi_1 &= \text{atan2}\left(\frac{R_{21}}{\cos \theta_1}, \frac{R_{11}}{\cos \theta_1}\right) \\ \theta_2 &= \pi - \theta_1 = \pi - \sin^{-1}(-R_{31}) & \phi_2 &= \text{atan2}\left(\frac{R_{21}}{\cos \theta_2}, \frac{R_{11}}{\cos \theta_2}\right) \\ \psi_1 &= \text{atan2}\left(\frac{R_{32}}{\cos \theta_1}, \frac{R_{33}}{\cos \theta_1}\right) & & (\psi_1, \theta_1, \phi_1) \\ \psi_2 &= \text{atan2}\left(\frac{R_{32}}{\cos \theta_2}, \frac{R_{33}}{\cos \theta_2}\right) & & (\psi_2, \theta_2, \phi_2) \end{aligned}$$

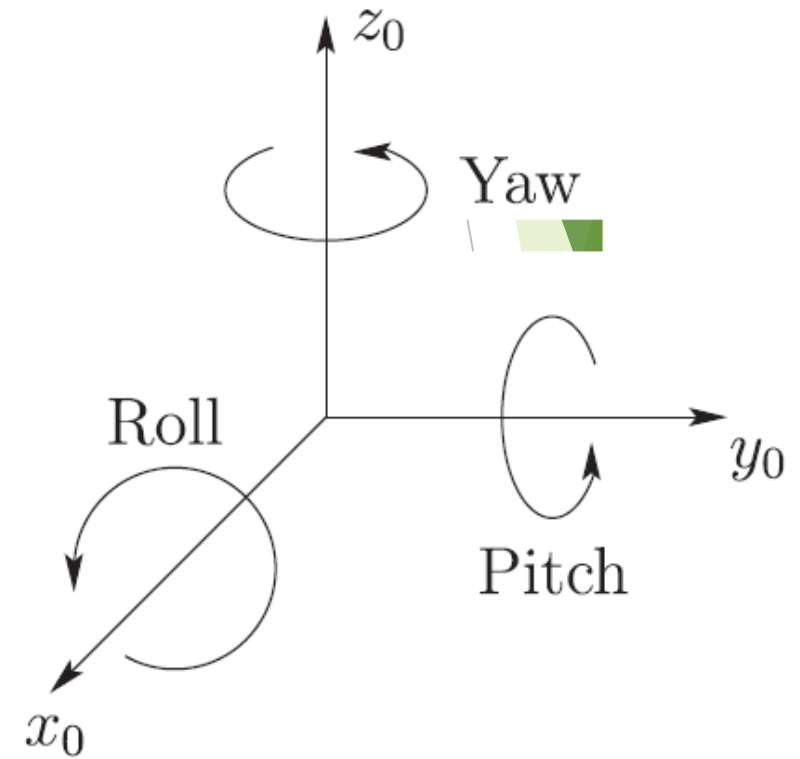


Figure 2.11: Roll, pitch, and yaw angles.

Example

$$R = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -0.8660 & 0.5 \\ 0.5 & -0.433 & -0.75 \\ 0.8660 & 0.25 & 0.433 \end{bmatrix}$$

Solution:

$$\sin \theta = -r_{31} \quad , \quad \tan \psi = \frac{r_{32}}{r_{33}} \text{ or } \frac{-r_{32}}{-r_{33}} \quad 3^{\text{rd}} \text{ Quad} \quad , \quad \tan \emptyset = \frac{r_{21}}{r_{11}} \text{ or } \frac{-r_{21}}{-r_{11}} \quad 3^{\text{rd}} \text{ Quad}$$

$$\sin \theta = -60 \text{ or } 240 \quad \tan \psi = 30 \text{ or } 210 \quad \tan \emptyset = 90 \text{ or } -90$$

Matlab code

```
R=[0 -0.866 0.5, 0.5 -0.433 -0.75, 0.866 0.25 0.433 ]  
rpyangles=tr2rpy(R) % tranformation to roll-pitch-yaw
```

Example

$$R = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & -1 \\ 0.8660 & 0.5 & 0 \\ 0 & -0.8660 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Solution:

$$\sin \theta = -r_{31} \quad \tan \psi = \frac{r_{32}}{r_{33}} \quad \tan \phi = \frac{r_{21}}{r_{11}}$$

$$\sin \theta = 0 \quad \tan \psi = \frac{-0.866}{0} = -\infty \quad \tan \phi = \frac{0.866}{0} = +\infty$$

$\Psi = -90$ or 90

$\theta = 0$ or 180

$\phi = 90$ or -90

Matlab code

```
R=[0 0 -1; 0.8660 0.5 0 ; 0 -0.8660 0]
```

```
rpyangles=tr2rpy(R) % tranformation to roll-pitch-yaw
```

Axis-angle representation

In fact, any rotation matrix R can be represented by a single rotation about a suitable axis (k) in space by a suitable angle (θ).

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

$$\theta = \cos^{-1} \left(\frac{r_{11} + r_{22} + r_{33} - 1}{2} \right)$$

$$k = \frac{1}{2 \sin \theta} \begin{bmatrix} r_{32} - r_{23} \\ r_{13} - r_{31} \\ r_{21} - r_{12} \end{bmatrix}$$

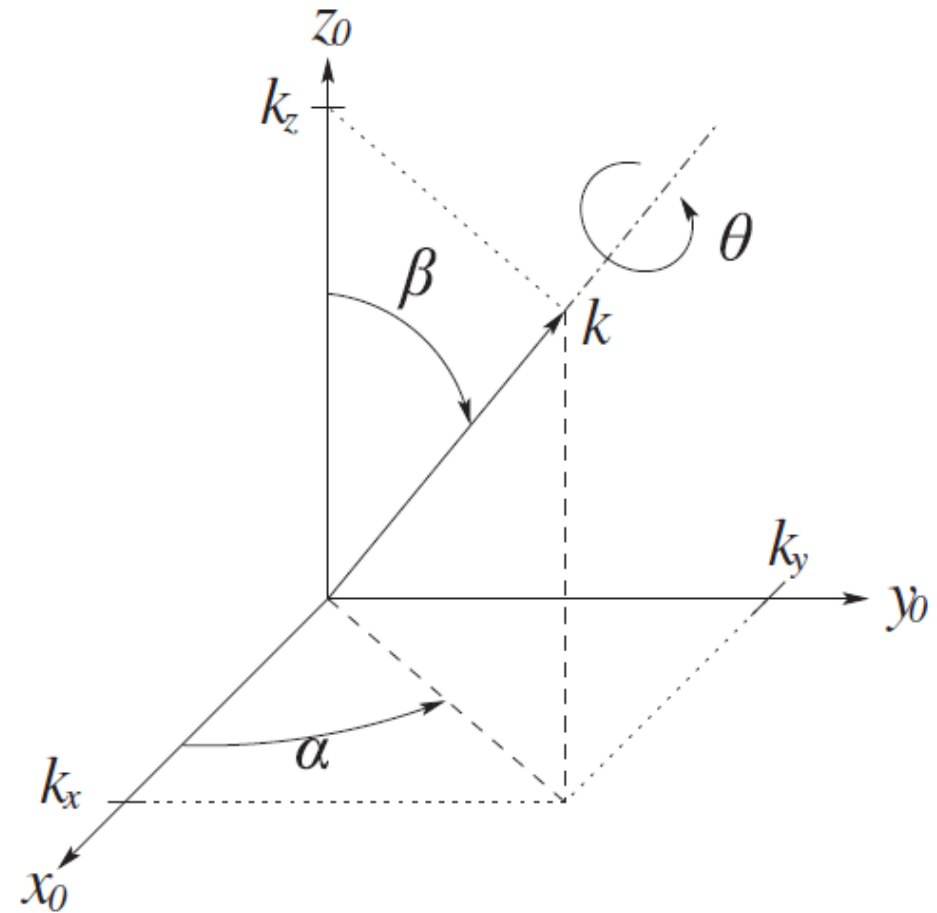


Figure 2.12: Rotation about an arbitrary axis.

Example 2.9. Suppose R is generated by a rotation of 90° about z_0 followed by a rotation of 30° about y_0 followed by a rotation of 60° about x_0 . Then

$$\begin{aligned} R &= R_{x,60}R_{y,30}R_{z,90} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{1}{2} & -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{4} & -\frac{3}{4} \\ \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} & \frac{1}{4} & \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4} \end{bmatrix} \\ \theta &= \cos^{-1} \left(-\frac{1}{2} \right) = 120^\circ \end{aligned}$$

The equivalent axis is given from Equation (2.46) as

$$k = \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}, \frac{1}{2\sqrt{3}} - \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2\sqrt{3}} + \frac{1}{2} \right)$$

Matlab code

```
R=rotx(60*pi/180)*roty(30*pi/180)*rotz(90*pi/180)
[theta v]=tr2angvec(R)
```

Rigid Motions

$$p^0 = R_1^0 p^1 \xrightarrow{\text{Pure Rotation}} p^0 = R_1^0 p^1 + d_1^0 \xrightarrow{\text{Frame 1 to Frame 0}} p^1 = R_2^1 p^2 + d_2^1 \xrightarrow{\text{Frame 2 to Frame 0}}$$

$$p^0 = R_1^0 R_2^1 p^2 + R_1^0 d_2^1 + d_1^0 \quad (\text{Origin Frame 1 wrt Frame 0})$$

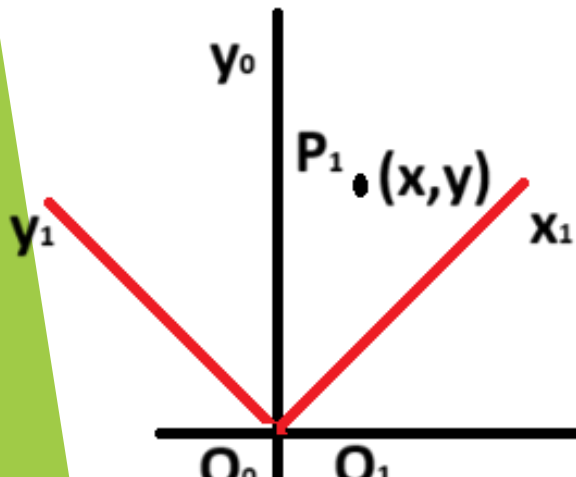
$$p^0 = R_2^0 p^2 + d_2^0 \quad (\text{Origin Frame 2 wrt Frame 0})$$

Where

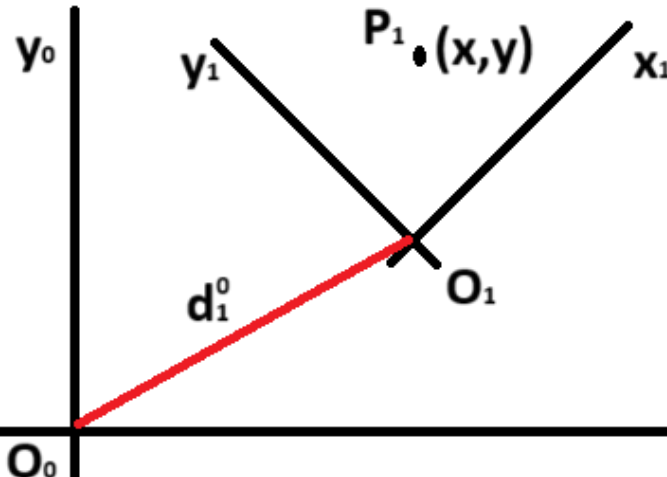
$$R_2^0 = R_1^0 R_2^1$$

$$d_2^0 = d_1^0 + R_1^0 d_2^1$$

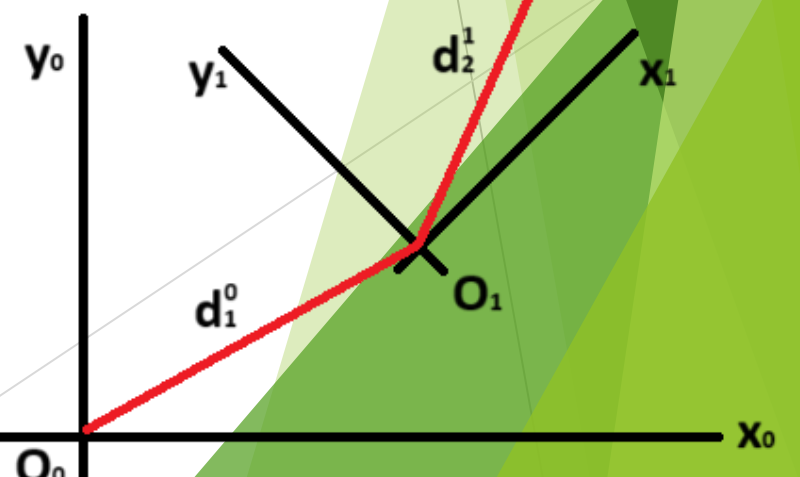
Pure Rotation



Frame 1 to Frame 0



Frame 2 to Frame 0



Homogeneous Transformations

$$H = \begin{bmatrix} R & d \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} R_1^0 & d_1^0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} R_2^1 & d_2^1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} R_1^0 R_2^1 & R_1^0 d_2^1 + d_1^0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$H_1^0 \quad H_2^1 \quad H_2^0$$

$$P^0 = \begin{bmatrix} p^0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \quad P^1 = \begin{bmatrix} p^1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$P^0 = H_1^0 P^1$$

$$\text{Trans}_{x,a} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & a \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \text{Rot}_{x,\alpha} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & c_\alpha & -s_\alpha & 0 \\ 0 & s_\alpha & c_\alpha & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{Trans}_{y,b} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & b \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \text{Rot}_{y,\beta} = \begin{bmatrix} c_\beta & 0 & s_\beta & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ -s_\beta & 0 & c_\beta & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{Trans}_{z,c} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & c \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \text{Rot}_{z,\gamma} = \begin{bmatrix} c_\gamma & -s_\gamma & 0 & 0 \\ s_\gamma & c_\gamma & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$H_1^0 = \begin{bmatrix} n_x & s_x & a_x & d_x \\ n_y & s_y & a_y & d_y \\ n_z & s_z & a_z & d_z \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} n & s & a & d \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

In the above equation $n = (n_x, n_y, n_z)$ is a vector representing the direction of x_1 in the $o_0x_0y_0z_0$ frame, $s = (s_x, s_y, s_z)$ represents the direction of y_1 , and $a = (a_x, a_y, a_z)$ represents the direction of z_1 . The vector $d = (d_x, d_y, d_z)$ represents the vector from the origin o_0 to the origin o_1 expressed in the frame $o_0x_0y_0z_0$.

Given a homogeneous transformation H_1^0 relating two frames, if a second rigid motion, represented by $H \in SE(3)$ is performed relative to the current frame, then

$$H_2^0 = H_1^0 H$$

whereas if the second rigid motion is performed relative to the fixed frame, then

$$H_2^0 = H H_1^0$$

Example 2.10. The homogeneous transformation matrix H that represents a rotation by angle α about the current x -axis followed by a translation of b units along the current x -axis, followed by a translation of d units along the current z -axis, followed by a rotation by angle θ about the current z -axis, is given by

$$\begin{aligned} H &= Rot_{x,\alpha} Trans_{x,b} Trans_{z,d} Rot_{z,\theta} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} c_\theta & -s_\theta & 0 & b \\ c_\alpha s_\theta & c_\alpha c_\theta & -s_\alpha & -ds_\alpha \\ s_\alpha s_\theta & s_\alpha c_\theta & c_\alpha & dc_\alpha \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

```
H=trotx(alpha)*transl(b,0,0)*transl(0,0,d)*trotz(theta)
trplot(T)
tranimate(H)
```

The Toolbox has many functions to create homogeneous transformations. ample we can demonstrate composition of transforms by

```
>> T = transl(1, 0, 0) * trotx(pi/2) * transl(0, 1, 0)
T =
```

1.0000	0	0	1.0000
0	0.0000	-1.0000	0.0000
0	1.0000	0.0000	1.0000
0	0	0	1.0000

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>> trplot(T)
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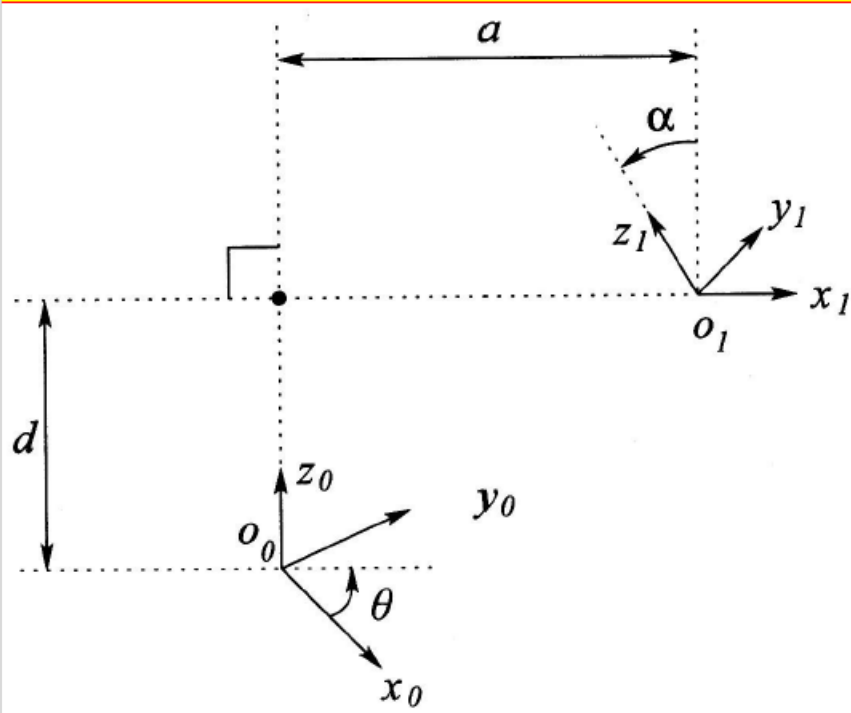
The rotation matrix component of T is

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>> t2r(T)
ans =
    1.0000         0         0
         0    0.0000   -1.0000
         0    1.0000    0.0000
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and the translation component is a vector

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>> transl(T) '
ans =
    1.0000    0.0000    1.0000
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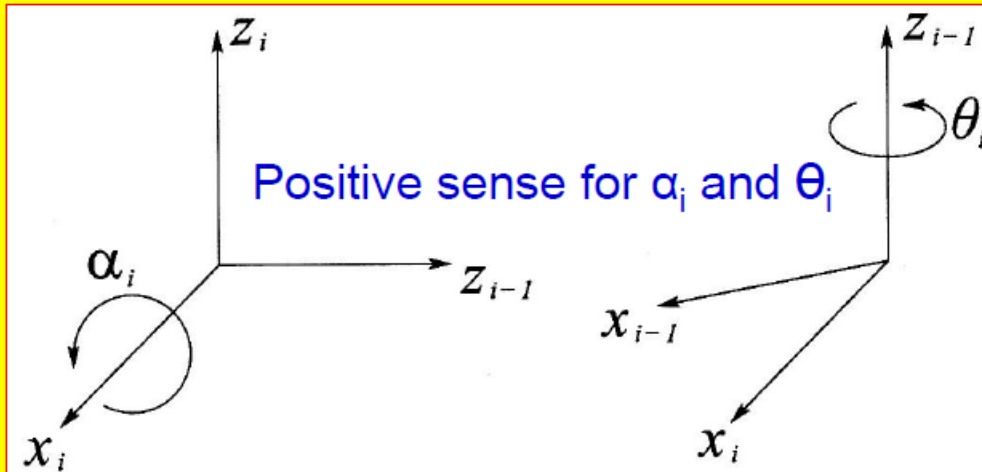
The Denavit – Hartenberg Convention



DH Coordinate Frame Assumptions

(DH1) The axis x_1 is perpendicular to the axis z_0 .

(DH2) The axis x_1 intersects the axis z_0 .



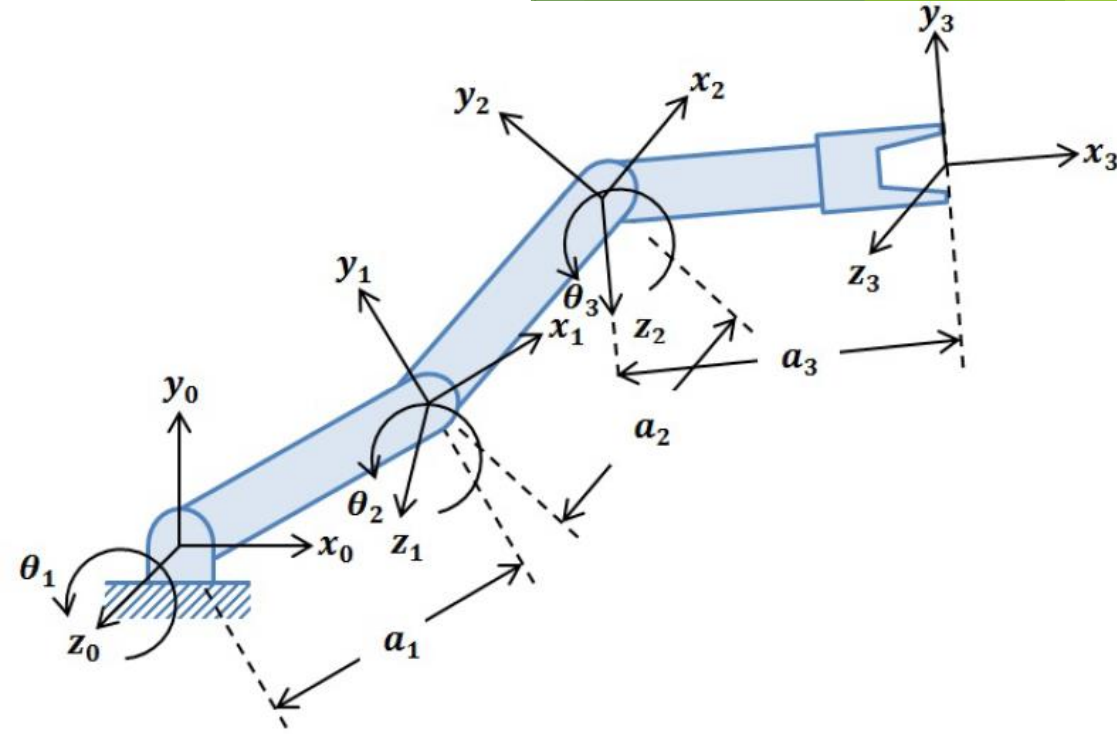
It can be proved that using the above two assumptions, there exist unique 4 numbers a , d , θ , α sufficient for the homogeneous transformation. The parameter a is the distance between the axes z_0 and z_1 , and is measured along the axis x_1 . The angle α is the angle between the axes z_0 and z_1 , measured in a plane normal to x_1 . The positive sense for α is determined from z_0 to z_1 by the right-handed rule. The parameter d is the perpendicular distance from the origin o_0 to the intersection of the x_1 axis with z_0 measured along the z_0 axis. Finally, θ is the angle between x_0 and x_1 measured in a plane normal to z_0 .

$$\begin{aligned}
A_i &= Rot_{z,\theta_i} Trans_{z,d_i} Trans_{x,a_i} Rot_{x,\alpha_i} \\
&= \begin{bmatrix} c_{\theta_i} & -s_{\theta_i} & 0 & 0 \\ s_{\theta_i} & c_{\theta_i} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & d_i \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \\
&\quad \times \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & a_i \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & c_{\alpha_i} & -s_{\alpha_i} & 0 \\ 0 & s_{\alpha_i} & c_{\alpha_i} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \\
&= \begin{bmatrix} c_{\theta_i} & -s_{\theta_i}c_{\alpha_i} & s_{\theta_i}s_{\alpha_i} & a_i c_{\theta_i} \\ s_{\theta_i} & c_{\theta_i}c_{\alpha_i} & -c_{\theta_i}s_{\alpha_i} & a_i s_{\theta_i} \\ 0 & s_{\alpha_i} & c_{\alpha_i} & d_i \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}
\end{aligned}$$

link	a_i	α_i	d_i	θ_i
1	a_1	0	0	θ_1^*
2	a_2	0	0	θ_2^*
3	a_3	0	0	θ_3^*

Using Equation (3-10) from SHV, we can generate the A matrices.

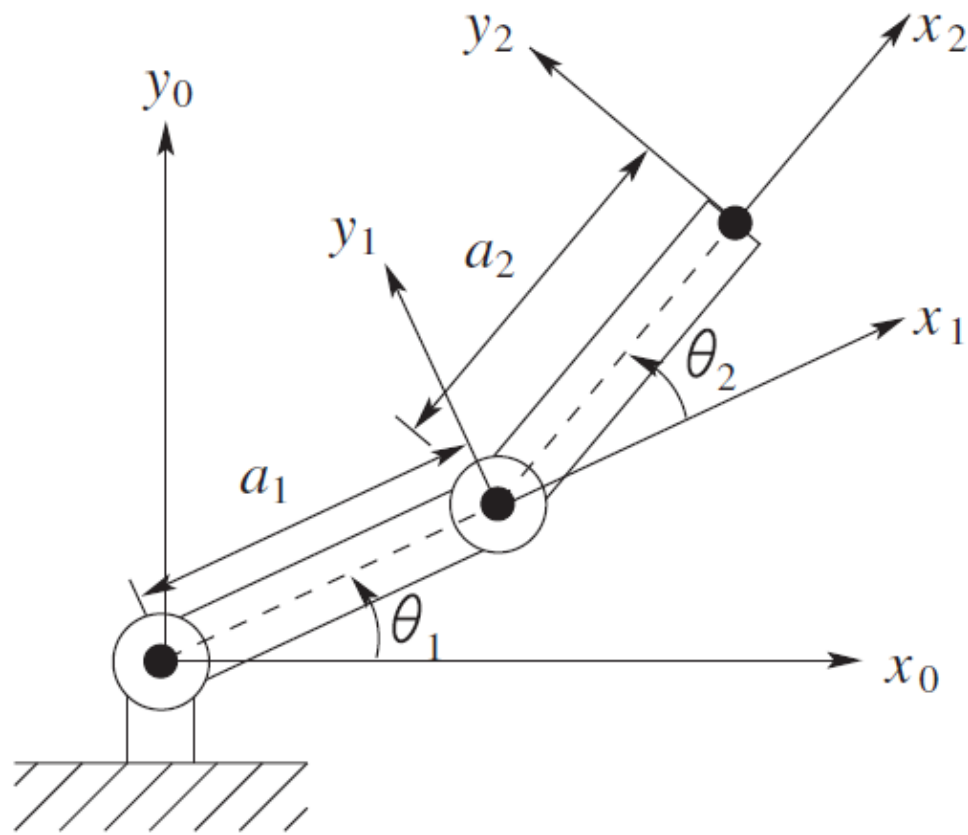
$$A_1 = \begin{bmatrix} c_1 & -s_1 & 0 & a_1 c_1 \\ s_1 & c_1 & 0 & a_1 s_1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}; A_2 = \begin{bmatrix} c_2 & -s_2 & 0 & a_2 c_2 \\ s_2 & c_2 & 0 & a_2 s_2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}; A_3 = \begin{bmatrix} c_3 & -s_3 & 0 & a_3 c_3 \\ s_3 & c_3 & 0 & a_3 s_3 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$



Multiplying together, we get T_0^3 , the homogenous transformation that gives the position and orientation of the frame attached to the end effector in the base coordinate frame.

$$T_3^0 = A_1 A_2 A_3 = \begin{bmatrix} c_{123} & -s_{123} & 0 & a_1 c_1 + a_2 c_{12} + a_3 c_{123} \\ s_{123} & c_{123} & 0 & a_1 s_1 + a_2 s_{12} + a_3 s_{123} \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

parameter a is the distance between the axes z_0 and z_1 , and is measured along the axis x_1 . The angle α is the angle between the axes z_0 and z_1 , measured in a plane normal to x_1 . The positive sense for α is determined from z_0 to z_1 by the right-handed rule. The parameter d is the perpendicular distance from the origin o_0 to the intersection of the x_1 axis with z_0 measured along the z_0 axis. Finally, θ is the angle between x_0 and x_1 measured in a plane normal to z_0 .



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Figure 3.6: Two-link planar manipulator. The z -axes all point out of the page, and are not shown in the figure.

Table 3.1: DH parameters for 2-link planar manipulator. θ_1 and θ_2 are the joint variables.

Link	a_i	α_i	d_i	θ_i
1	a_1	0	0	θ_1
2	a_2	0	0	θ_2

parameter a is the distance between the axes z_0 and z_1 , and is measured along the axis x_1 . The angle α is the angle between the axes z_0 and z_1 , measured in a plane normal to x_1 . The positive sense for α is determined from z_0 to z_1 by the right-handed rule. The parameter d is the perpendicular distance from the origin o_0 to the intersection of the x_1 axis with z_0 measured along the z_0 axis. Finally, θ is the angle between x_0 and x_1 measured in a plane normal to z_0 .

Table 3.2: DH parameters for 3-link cylindrical manipulator. θ_1 , d_2 , and d_3 are the joint variables.

Link	a_i	α_i	d_i	θ_i
1	0	0	d_1	θ_1
2	0	-90	d_2	0
3	0	0	d_3	0

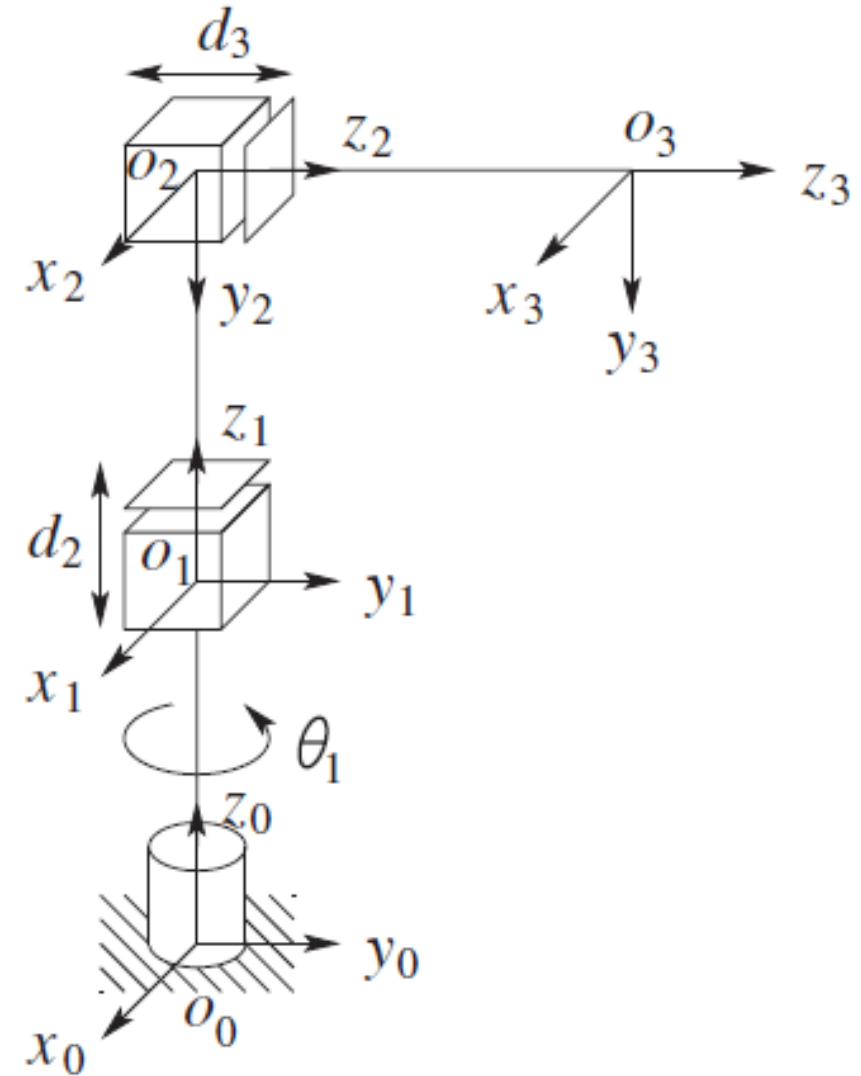


Figure 3.7: Three-link cylindrical manipulator.

Table 3.2: DH parameters for 3-link cylindrical manipulator. θ_1 , d_2 , and d_3 are the joint variables.

Link	a_i	α_i	d_i	θ_i
1	0	0	d_1	θ_1
2	0	-90	d_2	0
3	0	0	d_3	0

Table 3.3: DH parameters for the spherical wrist.

Link	a_i	α_i	d_i	θ_i
4	0	90	0	θ_4
5	0	-90	0	θ_5
6	0	0	d_6	θ_6

parameter a is the distance between the axes z_0 and z_1 , and is measured along the axis x_1 . The angle α is the angle between the axes z_0 and z_1 , measured in a plane normal to x_1 . The positive sense for α is determined from z_0 to z_1 by the right-handed rule. The parameter d is the perpendicular distance from the origin o_0 to the intersection of the x_1 axis with z_0 measured along the z_0 axis. Finally, θ is the angle between x_0 and x_1 measured in a plane normal to z_0 .

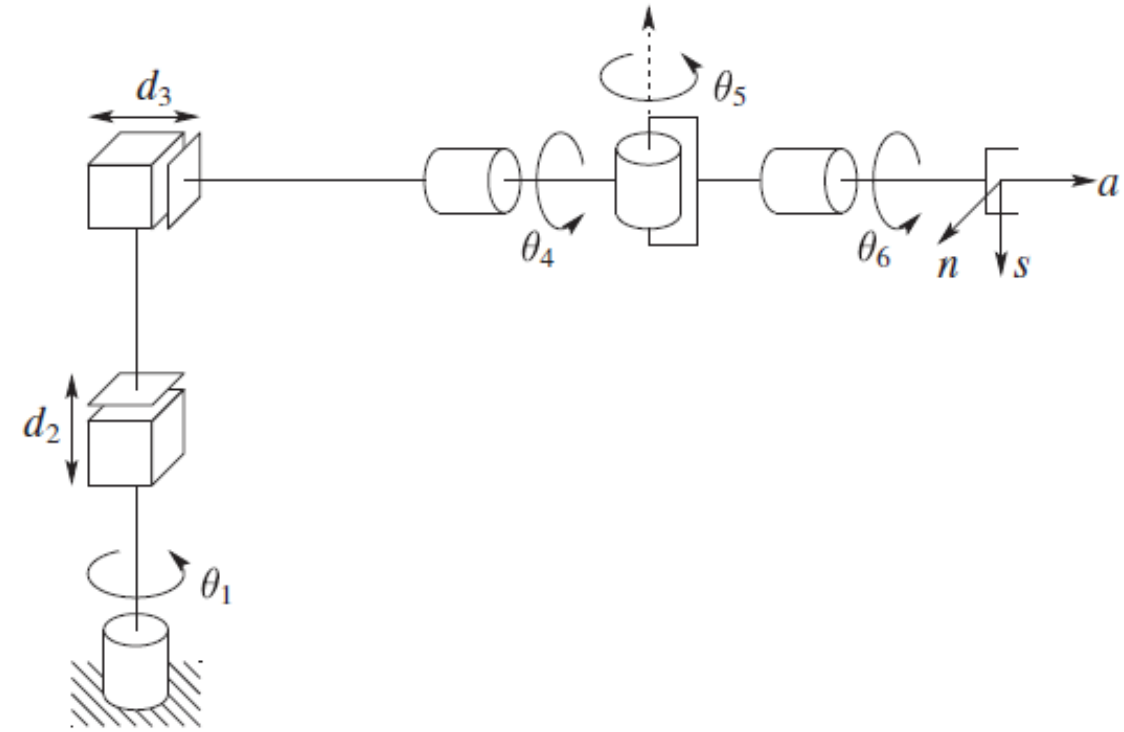
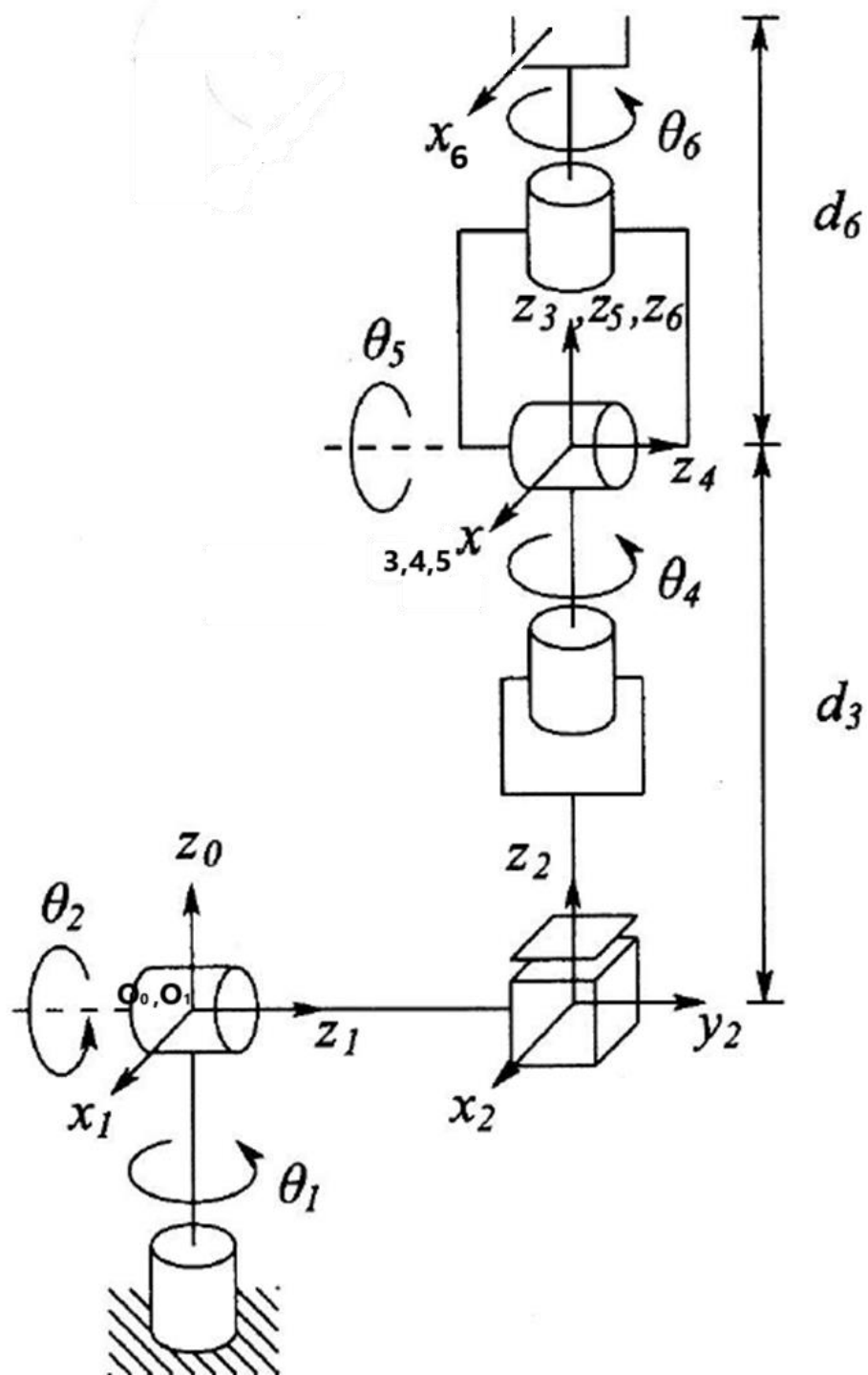


Figure 3.9: Cylindrical robot with spherical wrist.



parameter a is the distance between the axes z_0 and z_1 , and is measured along the axis x_1 . The angle α is the angle between the axes z_0 and z_1 , measured in a plane normal to x_1 . The positive sense for α is determined from z_0 to z_1 by the right-handed rule. The parameter d is the perpendicular distance from the origin O_0 to the intersection of the x_1 axis with z_0 measured along the z_0 axis. Finally, θ is the angle between x_0 and x_1 measured in a plane normal to z_0 .

Link	d_i	a_i	α_i	θ_i
1	0	0	-90	θ_1^*
2	d_2	0	+90	θ_2^*
3	d_3^*	0	0	0
4	0	0	-90	θ_4^*
5	0	0	+90	θ_5^*
6	d_6	0	0	θ_6^*

* joint variable

$$A_1 = \begin{bmatrix} c_1 & 0 & -s_1 & 0 \\ s_1 & 0 & c_1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

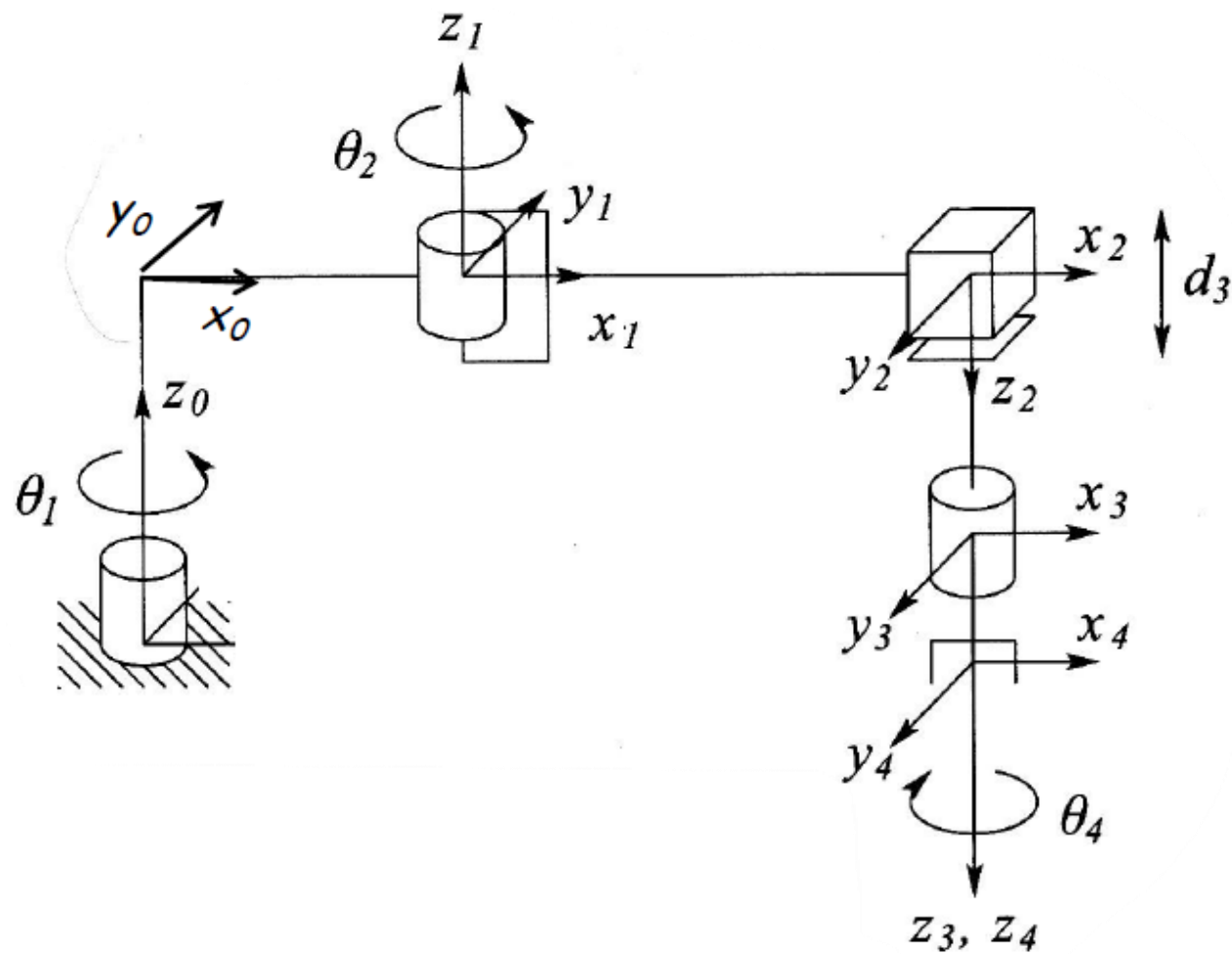
$$A_2 = \begin{bmatrix} c_2 & 0 & s_2 & 0 \\ s_2 & 0 & -c_2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & d_2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & d_3 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A_4 = \begin{bmatrix} c_4 & 0 & -s_4 & 0 \\ s_4 & 0 & c_4 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A_5 = \begin{bmatrix} c_5 & 0 & s_5 & 0 \\ s_5 & 0 & -c_5 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A_6 = \begin{bmatrix} c_6 & -s_6 & 0 & 0 \\ s_6 & c_6 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & d_6 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$



Link	a_i	α_i	d_i	θ_i
1	a_1	0	0	θ_1^*
2	a_2	180	0	θ_2^*
3	0	0	d_3^*	0
4	0	0	d_4	θ_4^*

* joint variable

parameter a is the distance between the axes z_0 and z_1 , and is measured along the axis x_1 . The angle α is the angle between the axes z_0 and z_1 , measured in a plane normal to x_1 . The positive sense for α is determined from z_0 to z_1 by the right-handed rule. The parameter d is the perpendicular distance from the origin o_0 to the intersection of the x_1 axis with z_0 measured along the z_0 axis. Finally, θ is the angle between x_0 and x_1 measured in a plane normal to z_0 .

Consider the diagram of the figure below. A robot is set up 1 meter from a table. The table top is 1 meter high and 1 meter square. A frame $o_1x_1y_1z_1$ is fixed to the edge of the table as shown. A cube measuring 20 cm on a side is placed in the center of the table with frame $o_2x_2y_2z_2$ established at the center of the cube as shown. A camera is situated directly above the center of the block 2m above the table top with frame $o_3x_3y_3z_3$ attached as shown. Find the homogeneous transformations relating each of these frames to the base frame $o_0x_0y_0z_0$. Find the homogeneous transformation relating the frame $o_2x_2y_2z_2$ to the camera frame $o_3x_3y_3z_3$.

$$\gg T_1^0 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\gg T_2^0 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & -0.5 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 1.5 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1.1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\gg T_3^0 =$$

$$T_2^3 = T_2^{0^{-1}} * T_3^0$$

$$T_2^3 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & 1.9 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

