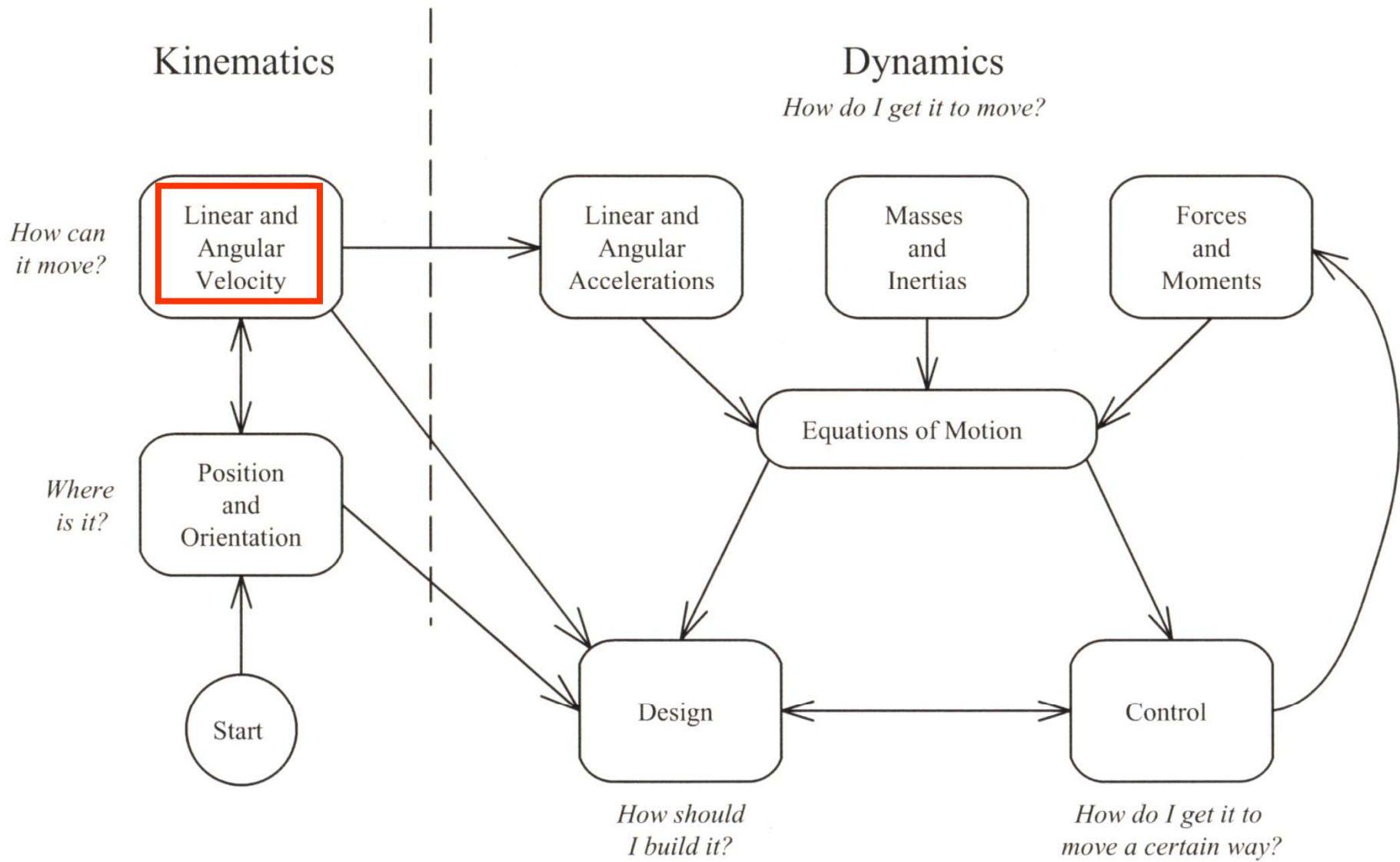


# JACOBIANS: velocities and static forces

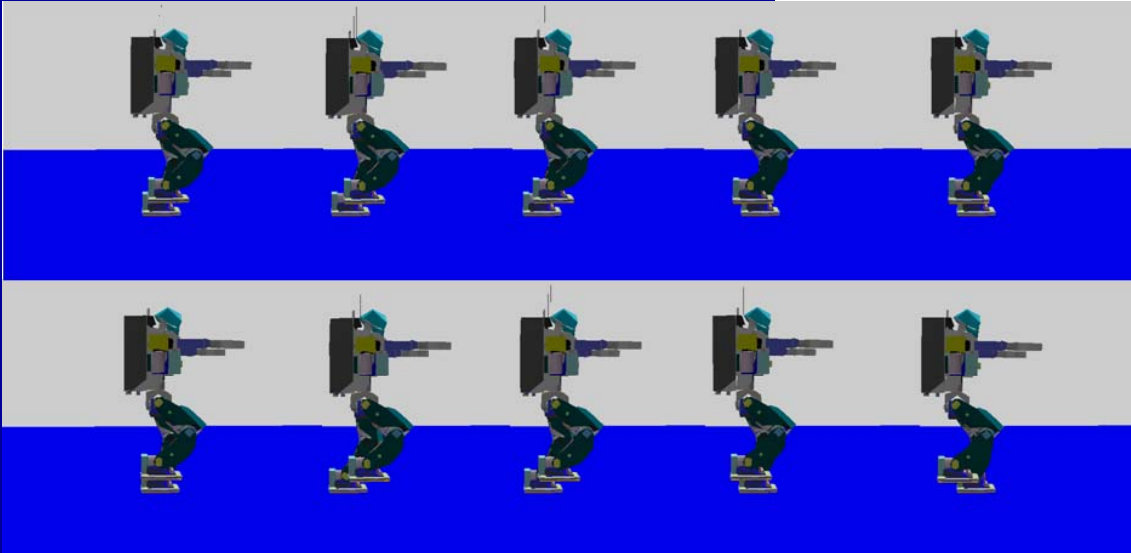
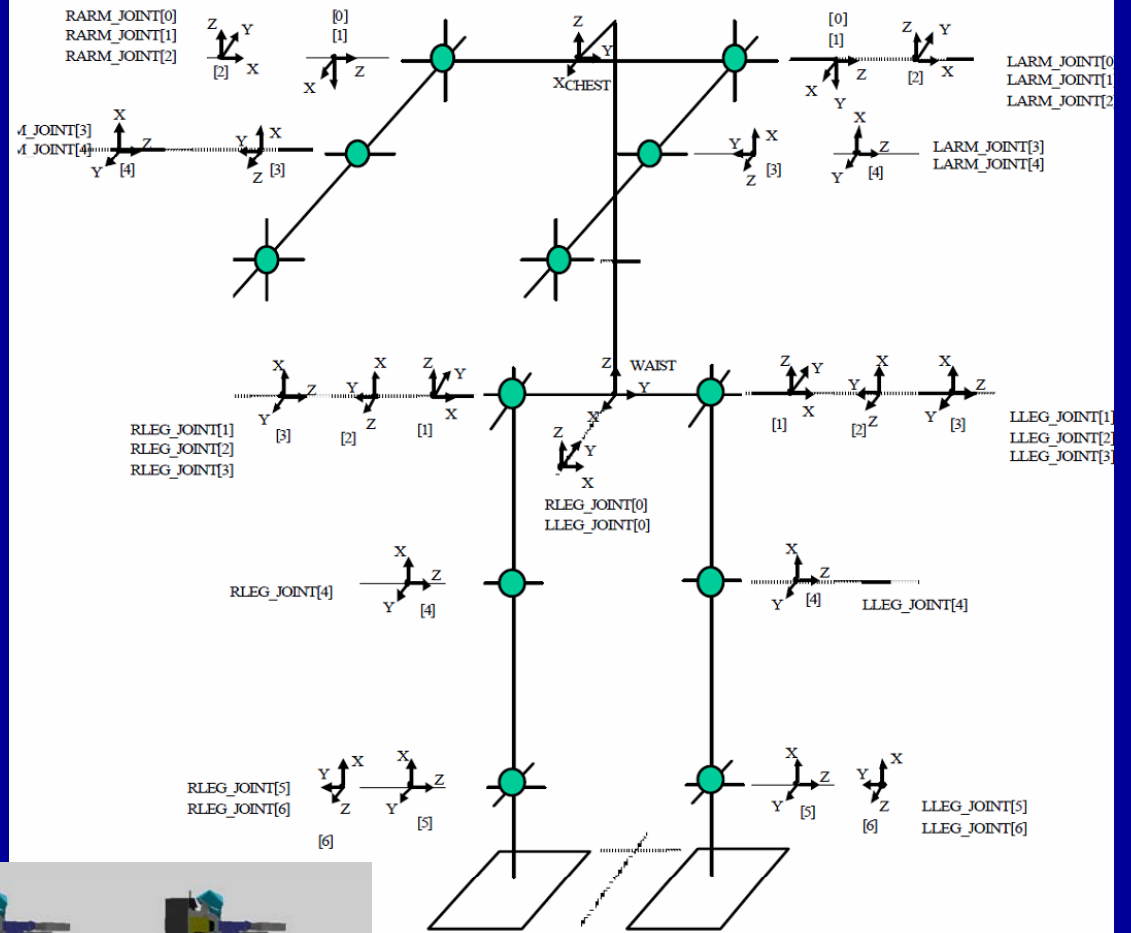
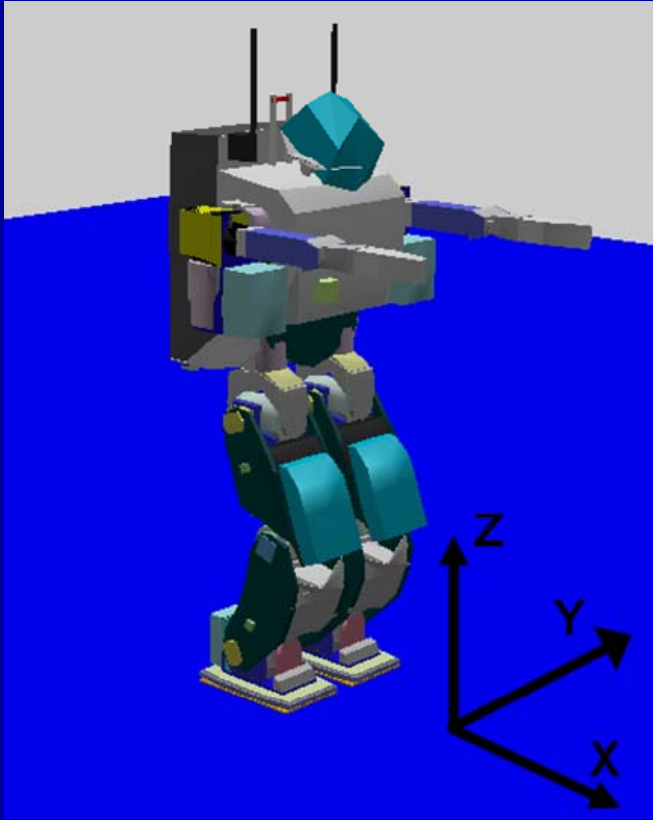
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# Introduction

- Static positioning problems in Chapters 3 and 4
- *Linear* and *angular velocity* of a rigid body
- *Static forces* acting on a rigid body

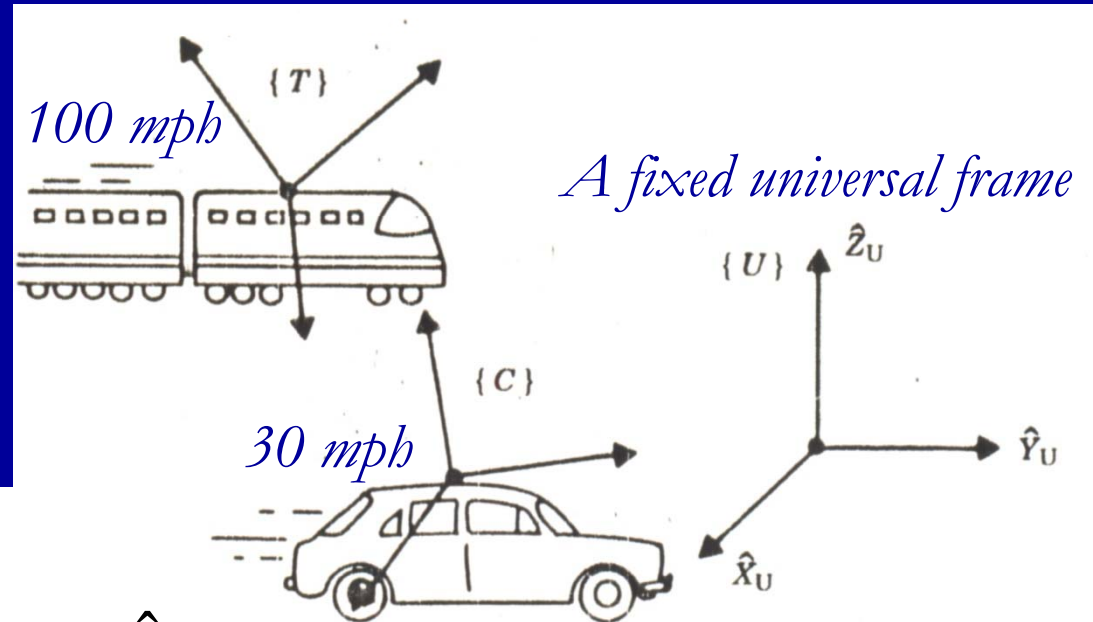


# Differentiation of position vectors

$${}^B V_Q = \frac{d}{dt} {}^B Q = \lim_{\Delta t \rightarrow 0} \frac{{}^B Q(t + \Delta t) - {}^B Q(t)}{\Delta t}.$$

$${}^A \left( {}^B V_Q \right) = {}^A R^B {}^B V_Q.$$

# Example 5.1



$${}^U \frac{d}{dt} {}^U P_{CORG} = {}^U V_{CORG} = v_C = 30 \hat{X}.$$

$${}^C ({}^U V_{TORG}) = {}^C v_T = {}^C R v_T = {}^C R (100 \hat{X}) = {}^U R^{-1} 100 \hat{X}.$$

$${}^C ({}^T V_{CORG}) = {}^C R^T V_{CORG} = {}^C R^T {}^U R {}^U V_{CORG} = -{}^U R^{-1} {}^U R 70 \hat{X}.$$

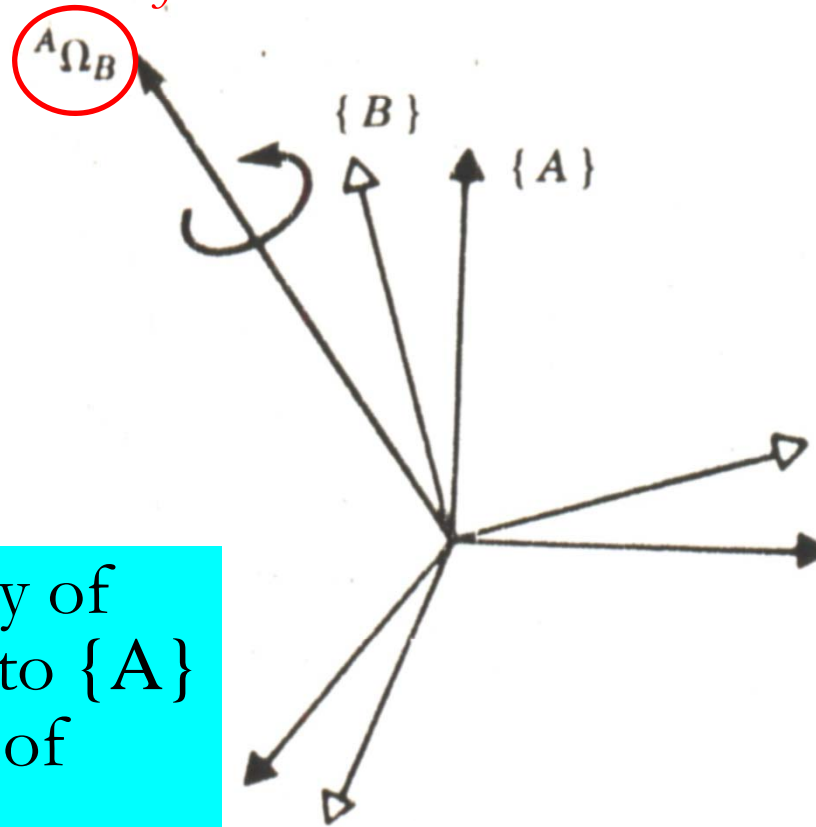
# Angular velocity vector

The rotation of  
frame {B}  
relative to {A}

$${}^C({}^A\Omega_B)$$

The angular velocity of  
frame {B} relative to {A}  
expressed in terms of  
frame {C}

*The instantaneous  
axis of rotation*

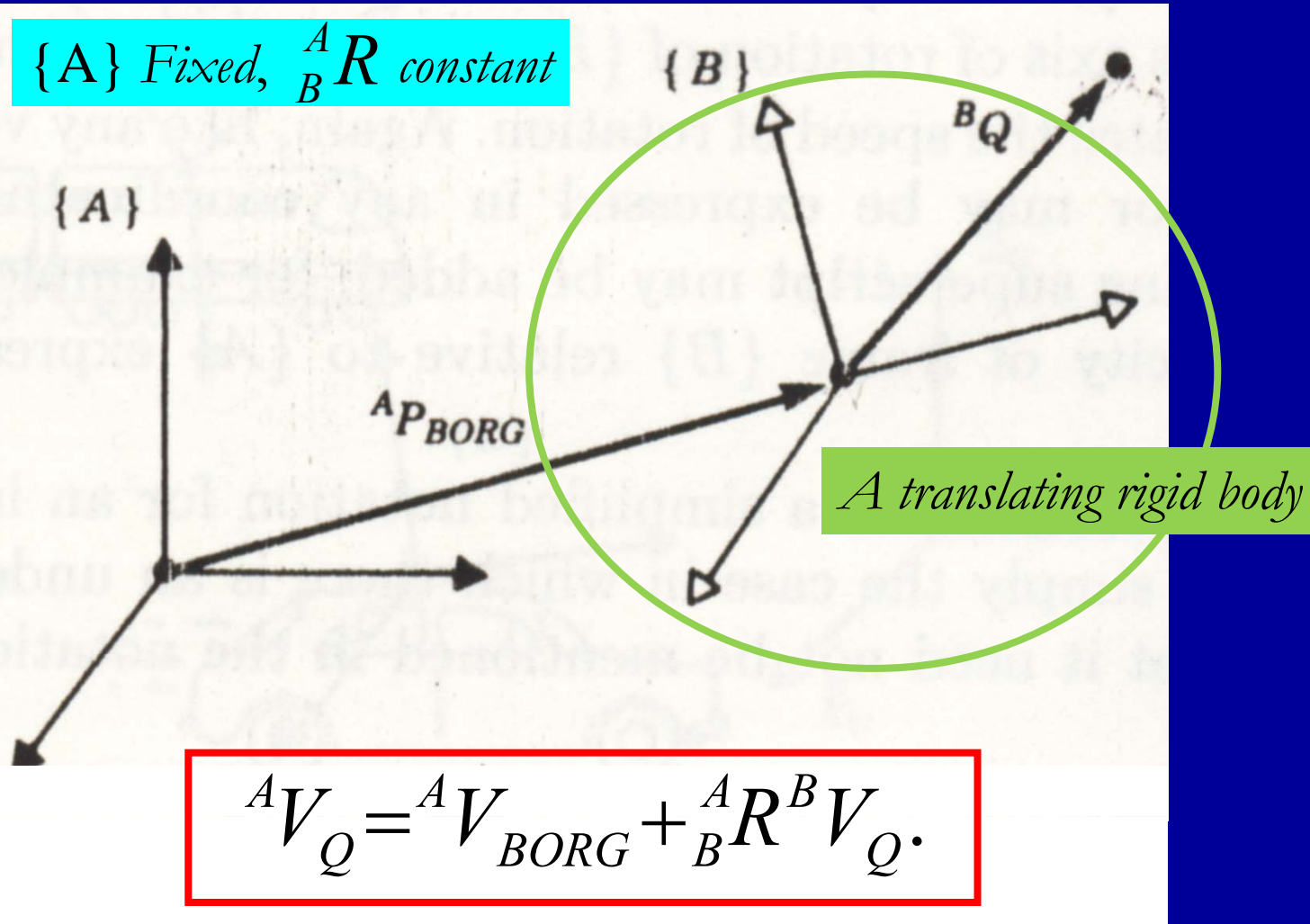


- Whereas **linear velocity** describes an attribute of a point, **angular velocity** describes an attribute of a body.
- Since we always attach a frame to the bodies we consider, we can also think of **angular velocity** as describing **rotational motion of a frame**.



# Linear velocity of a rigid body

$\{A\}$  Fixed,  ${}^A_B R$  constant

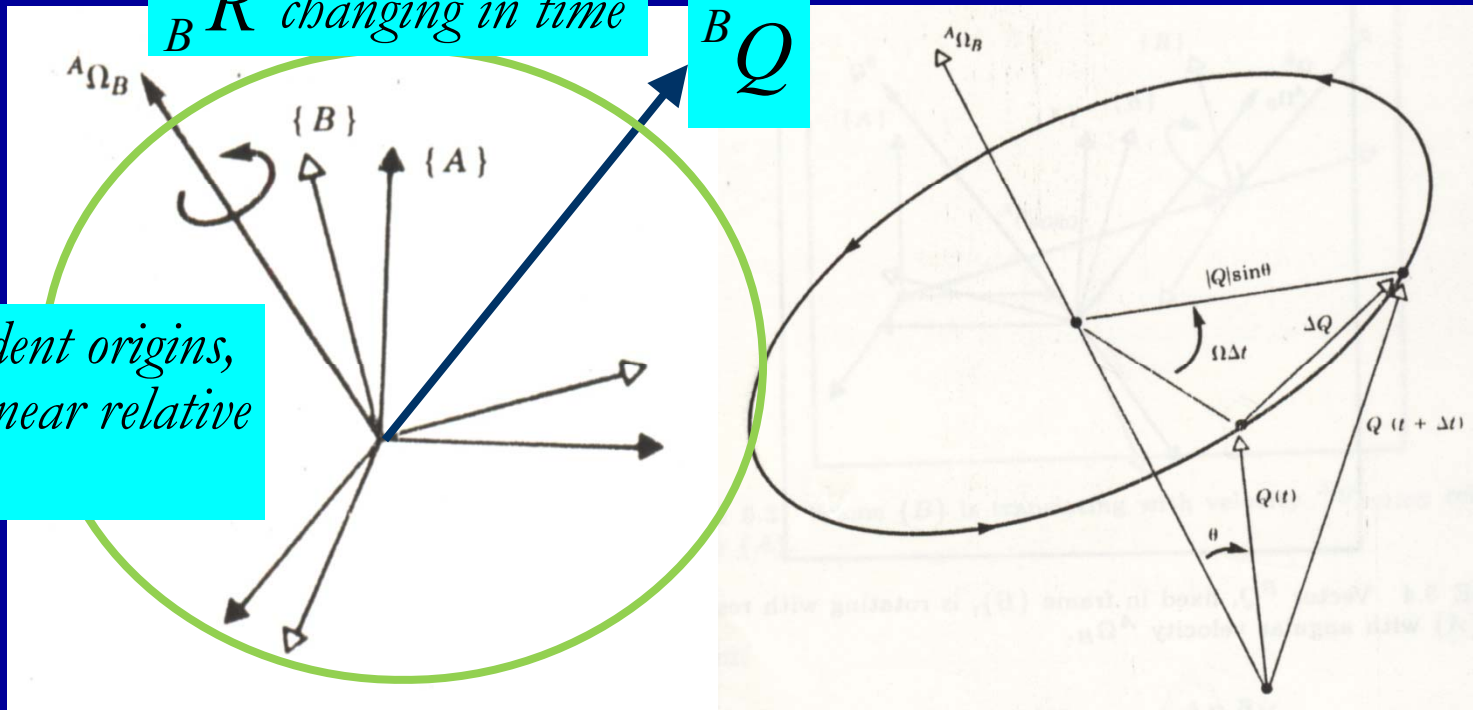


# Rotational velocity of a rigid body

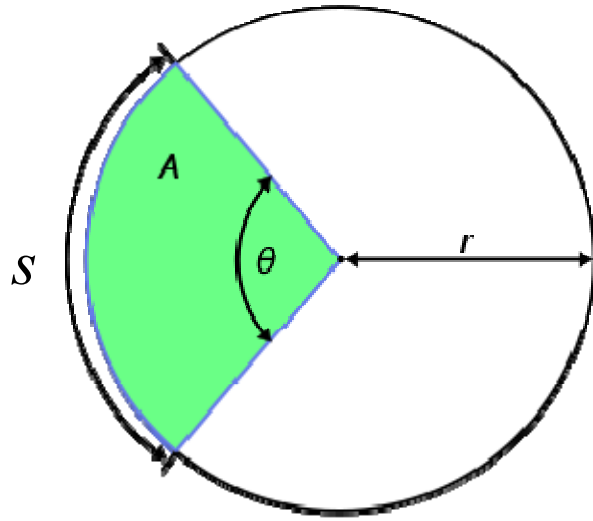
${}^A_B R$  changing in time

${}^B Q$

Coincident origins,  
Zero linear relative  
velocity



$${}^A V_Q = {}^A_B R {}^B V_Q + {}^A \Omega_B \times {}^A_B R {}^B Q.$$



$$\frac{\theta}{2\pi} = \frac{s}{\text{circumference}} = \frac{s}{2\pi r} \quad \Rightarrow \quad s = \theta r$$

$$\omega = \frac{d\theta}{dt} = \frac{d(s/r)}{dt} = \frac{1}{r} \frac{ds}{dt} = \frac{v}{r}$$

# Simultaneous linear and rotational velocity

$${}^A V_Q = {}^A V_{BORG} + {}^A R^B V_Q + {}^A \Omega_B \times {}^A R^B Q.$$

*Origins are not coincident.*

## A Property of the derivative of an orthonormal matrix

$$RR^T = I_n$$

$$\dot{R}R^T + R\dot{R}^T = 0_n$$

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

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

$$S + S^T = 0_n$$

*S a skew-symmetric matrix*

$$S = \dot{R}R^{-1}$$

# Velocity of a point due to rotating reference frame

$${}^A P = {}_B^A R {}^B P \quad {}^B P \text{ a fixed vector}$$

$${}^A \dot{P} = {}_B^A \dot{R} {}^B P$$

$${}^A V_P = {}_B^A \dot{R} {}^B P$$

$$= {}_B^A \dot{R} {}_A^B R {}^A P$$

$$= {}_B^A \dot{R} {}_B^A R^{-1} {}^A P$$

$$= {}_B^A \mathbf{S} {}^A P$$

*Angular-velocity matrix*

# Skew-symmetric matrices and the vector cross-product

$$S = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -\Omega_z & \Omega_y \\ \Omega_z & 0 & -\Omega_x \\ -\Omega_y & \Omega_x & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \Omega = \begin{bmatrix} \Omega_x \\ \Omega_y \\ \Omega_z \end{bmatrix}$$

*Angular-velocity vector*

*Any arbitrary vector*

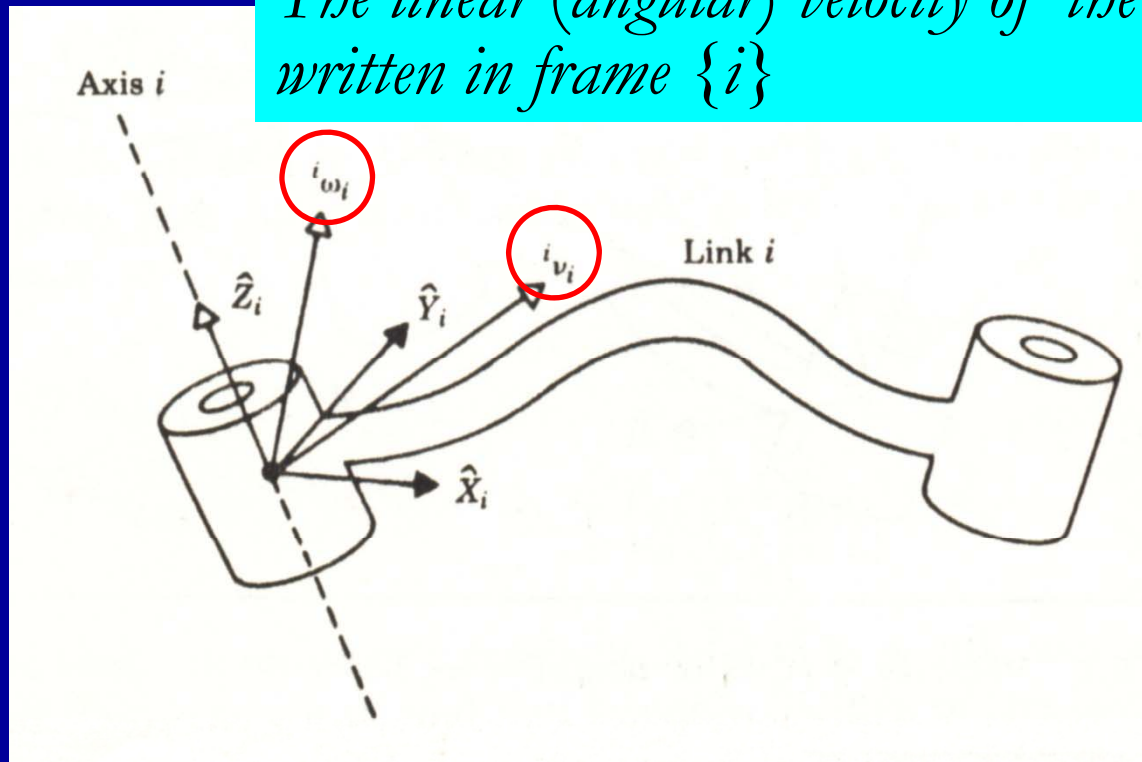
$$SP = \Omega \times P$$

*The vector cross product*

$${}^A V_P = {}^A \Omega_B \times {}^A P$$

# Motion of the links of a robot

*The linear (angular) velocity of the origin of link frame  $\{i\}$  written in frame  $\{i\}$*



*At any instant, each link of a robot in motion has some linear and angular velocity.*

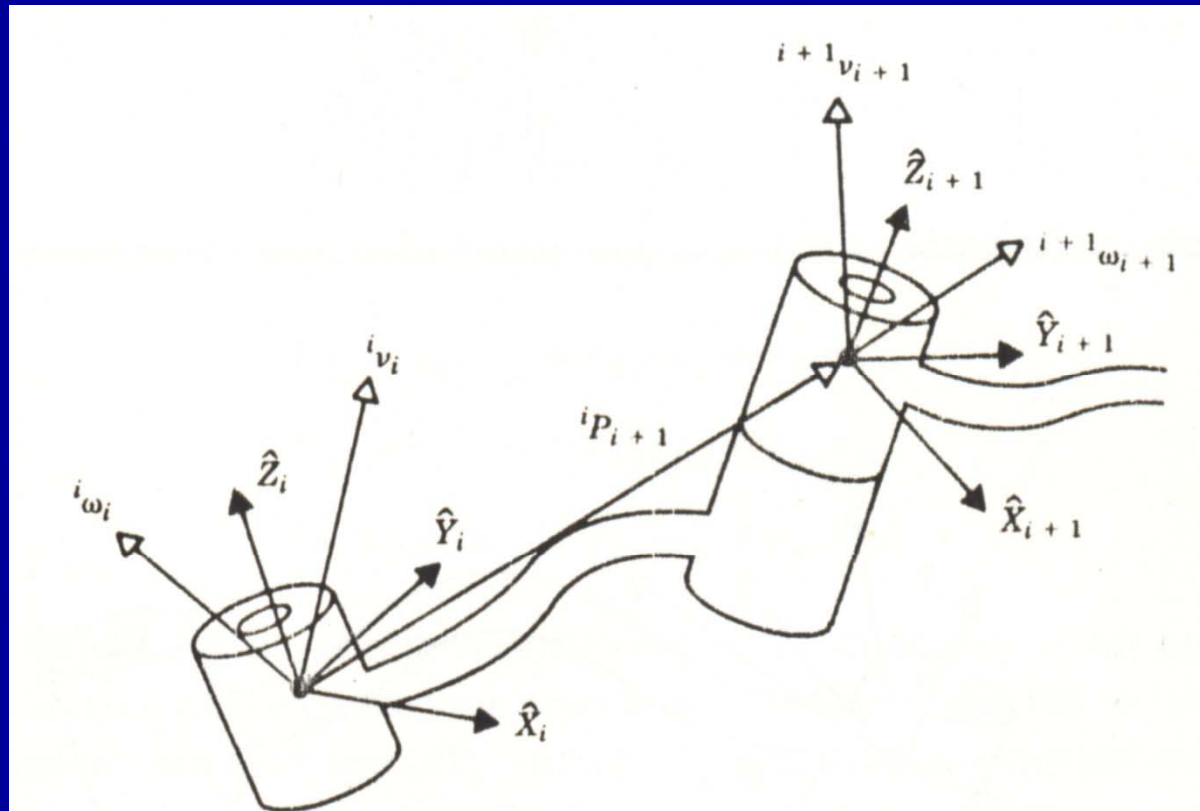


# Velocity **propagation** from link to link

- We can compute the velocities of each link in order, starting from the base.
- The velocity of link  $i+1$  will be that of link  $i$ , plus whatever new velocity component were added by joint  $i+1$ .

- Remember that linear velocity is associated with a point (*the origin of the link frame*), and angular velocity is associated with a body (*the link*).
- The angular velocity of link  $i+1$  is the same as that of link  $i$  plus a new component caused by rotational velocity at joint  $i+1$ .

# Velocity vectors of neighboring links



$${}^i \omega_{i+1} = {}^i \omega_i + {}_{i+1}^i R \dot{\theta}_{i+1} {}^{i+1} \hat{Z}_{i+1}.$$

$${}^{i+1}_i R^i \omega_{i+1} = {}^{i+1}_i R^i \omega_i + {}^{i+1}_i R_{i+1}^i R \dot{\theta}_{i+1} {}^{i+1} \hat{Z}_{i+1}.$$

$${}^{i+1} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ \dot{\theta}_{i+1} \end{bmatrix}$$

$${}^{i+1} \omega_{i+1} = {}^{i+1}_i R^i \omega_i + \dot{\theta}_{i+1} {}^{i+1} \hat{Z}_{i+1}.$$

- The linear velocity of the origin of frame  $\{i+1\}$  is the same as that of the origin of frame  $\{i\}$  plus a new component caused by rotational velocity of link  $i$ .

$${}^i v_{i+1} = {}^i v_i + {}^i \omega_i \times {}^i P_{i+1}.$$

$${}^{i+1} R_i {}^i v_{i+1} = {}^{i+1} R_i ({}^i v_i + {}^i \omega_i \times {}^i P_{i+1}).$$

$${}^{i+1} v_{i+1} = {}^{i+1} R_i ({}^i v_i + {}^i \omega_i \times {}^i P_{i+1}).$$

For the case that joint  $i+1$  is prismatic;

$${}^{i+1}\omega_{i+1} = {}^{i+1}R^i \omega_i,$$

$${}^{i+1}v_{i+1} = {}^{i+1}R({}^i v_i + {}^i \omega_i \times {}^i P_{i+1}) + \dot{d}_{i+1} {}^{i+1}\hat{Z}_{i+1}.$$

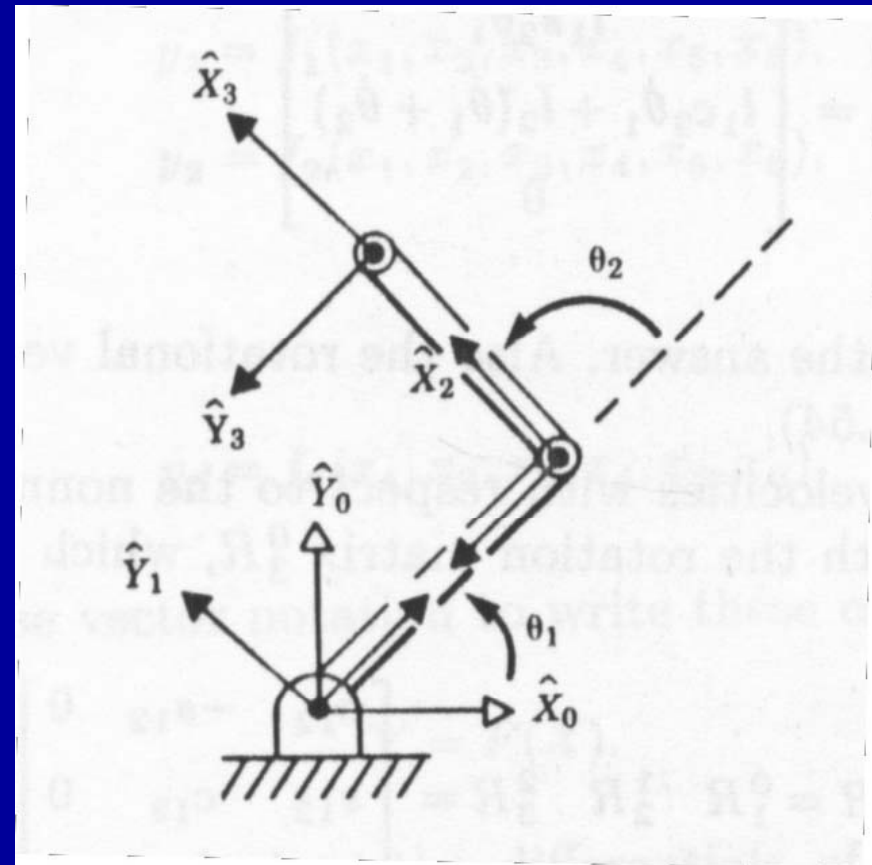
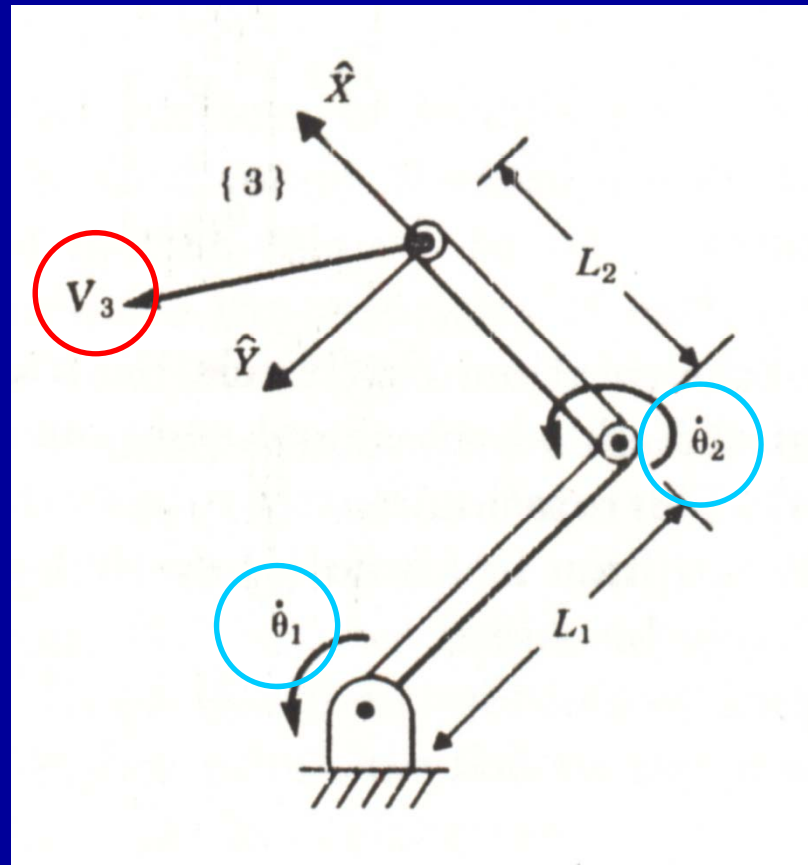
- Applying those previous equations successively *from link to link*, we can compute the rotational and linear velocities of the last link.

$${}^N \boldsymbol{\omega}_N, {}^N \boldsymbol{v}_N$$

$${}^0 \boldsymbol{\omega}_N = {}^0 R^N {}^N \boldsymbol{\omega}_N, {}^0 \boldsymbol{v}_N = {}^0 R^N {}^N \boldsymbol{v}_N$$



# Example 5.3



*A 2-link manipulator with rotational joints*

$$x = L_1 \cos \theta_1 + L_2 \cos(\theta_1 + \theta_2)$$

$$y = L_1 \sin \theta_1 + L_2 \sin(\theta_1 + \theta_2)$$

$$\dot{x} = -L_1 \sin \theta_1 \cdot \dot{\theta}_1 - L_2 \sin(\theta_1 + \theta_2)(\dot{\theta}_1 + \dot{\theta}_2)$$

$$\dot{y} = L_1 \cos \theta_1 \cdot \dot{\theta}_1 + L_2 \cos(\theta_1 + \theta_2)(\dot{\theta}_1 + \dot{\theta}_2)$$

$$\dot{x} = \begin{bmatrix} -L_1 \sin \theta_1 - L_2 \sin(\theta_1 + \theta_2) & -L_2 \sin(\theta_1 + \theta_2) \\ L_1 \cos \theta_1 + L_2 \cos(\theta_1 + \theta_2) & L_2 \cos(\theta_1 + \theta_2) \end{bmatrix} \dot{\theta}$$
$$= J\dot{\theta}$$

$${}^1\omega_1 = {}^1R^0\omega_0 + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ \dot{\theta}_1 \end{bmatrix}, \quad {}^1v_1 = {}^1R({}^0v_0 + {}^0\omega_0 \times {}^0P_1)$$

$${}^2\omega_2 = {}^2R^1\omega_1 + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ \dot{\theta}_2 \end{bmatrix}, \quad {}^2v_2 = {}^2R({}^1v_1 + {}^1\omega_1 \times {}^1P_2)$$

$${}^3\omega_3 = {}^3R^2\omega_2 + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ \dot{\theta}_3 \end{bmatrix}, \quad {}^3v_3 = {}^3R({}^2v_2 + {}^2\omega_2 \times {}^2P_3)$$

$${}^0_1T = \begin{bmatrix} c_1 & -s_1 & 0 & 0 \\ s_1 & c_1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix},$$

$${}^1_2T = \begin{bmatrix} c_2 & -s_2 & 0 & l_1 \\ s_2 & c_2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix},$$

$${}^2_3T = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & l_2 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}.$$

$${}^1\omega_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ \dot{\theta}_1 \end{bmatrix}, \quad {}^1v_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix},$$

$${}^2\omega_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ \dot{\theta}_1 + \dot{\theta}_2 \end{bmatrix}, \quad {}^2v_2 = \begin{bmatrix} c_2 & s_2 & 0 \\ -s_2 & c_2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ l_1\dot{\theta}_1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} l_1s_2\dot{\theta}_1 \\ l_1c_2\dot{\theta}_1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix},$$


$${}^3\omega_3 = {}^2\omega_2, \quad {}^3v_3 = \begin{bmatrix} l_1s_2\dot{\theta}_1 \\ l_1c_2\dot{\theta}_1 + l_2(\dot{\theta}_1 + \dot{\theta}_2) \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} l_1s_2 & 0 \\ l_1c_2 + l_2 & l_2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \dot{\theta}_1 \\ \dot{\theta}_2 \end{bmatrix}.$$

${}^3J(\Theta)$

$${}^0_3R = {}^0_1R \quad {}^1_2R \quad {}^2_3R = \begin{bmatrix} c_{12} & -s_{12} & 0 \\ s_{12} & c_{12} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}.$$

$${}^0v_3 = {}^0_3R {}^3v_3 = \begin{bmatrix} -l_1s_1\dot{\theta}_1 - l_2s_{12}(\dot{\theta}_1 + \dot{\theta}_2) \\ l_1c_1\dot{\theta}_1 + l_2c_{12}(\dot{\theta}_1 + \dot{\theta}_2) \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} -l_1s_1 - l_2s_{12} & -l_2s_{12} \\ l_1c_1 + l_2c_{12} & l_2c_{12} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \dot{\theta}_1 \\ \dot{\theta}_2 \end{bmatrix}.$$



$${}^0J(\Theta)$$

# Jacobians

$$y_1 = f_1(x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4, x_5, x_6),$$

$$y_2 = f_2(x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4, x_5, x_6),$$

⋮

$$y_6 = f_6(x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4, x_5, x_6),$$

$$Y = F(X).$$

*Nonlinear*

$$\delta y_1 = \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial x_1} \delta x_1 + \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial x_2} \delta x_2 + \cdots + \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial x_6} \delta x_6,$$

$$\delta y_2 = \frac{\partial f_2}{\partial x_1} \delta x_1 + \frac{\partial f_2}{\partial x_2} \delta x_2 + \cdots + \frac{\partial f_2}{\partial x_6} \delta x_6,$$

⋮

$$\delta y_6 = \frac{\partial f_6}{\partial x_1} \delta x_1 + \frac{\partial f_6}{\partial x_2} \delta x_2 + \cdots + \frac{\partial f_6}{\partial x_6} \delta x_6,$$

*Chain rule*

$$\delta Y = \frac{\partial F}{\partial X} \delta X.$$

*J(X)*

$$J = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial x_1} & \cdots & \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial x_6} \\ \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ \frac{\partial f_6}{\partial x_1} & \cdots & \frac{\partial f_6}{\partial x_6} \end{bmatrix}$$

*All first-order partial derivatives  
of a vector-valued function*

$f : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m$ , If  $n=m$ ,  $J$  is a square matrix.

*$J$  need not be a square matrix!*

$$\begin{cases} y_1 = x_1 \\ y_2 = 5x_3 \\ y_3 = 4x_2^2 - 2x_3 \\ y_4 = x_3 \sin x_1 \end{cases} \quad f : \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^4$$

$$J = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial y_1}{\partial x_1} & \frac{\partial y_1}{\partial x_2} & \frac{\partial y_1}{\partial x_3} \\ \frac{\partial y_2}{\partial x_1} & \vdots & \vdots \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ \frac{\partial y_4}{\partial x_1} & \dots & \frac{\partial y_4}{\partial x_3} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 5 \\ 0 & 8x_2 & -2 \\ x_3 \cos x_1 & 0 & \sin x_1 \end{bmatrix}$$



## Linear transformations

$$\dot{Y} = J(X)\dot{X}.$$

*Maps velocities in  $X$  to those in  $Y$*

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*In the field of robotics, we generally speak of Jacobians that relate joint velocities to Cartesian velocities of the tip of the arm.*

$${}^0\mathbf{V} = \begin{bmatrix} {}^0\mathbf{v} \\ {}^0\boldsymbol{\omega} \end{bmatrix} = {}^0J(\Theta)\dot{\Theta}.$$

$${}^0\dot{\mathbf{V}} = {}^0\dot{J}(\Theta)\dot{\Theta} + {}^0J(\Theta)\ddot{\Theta}.$$

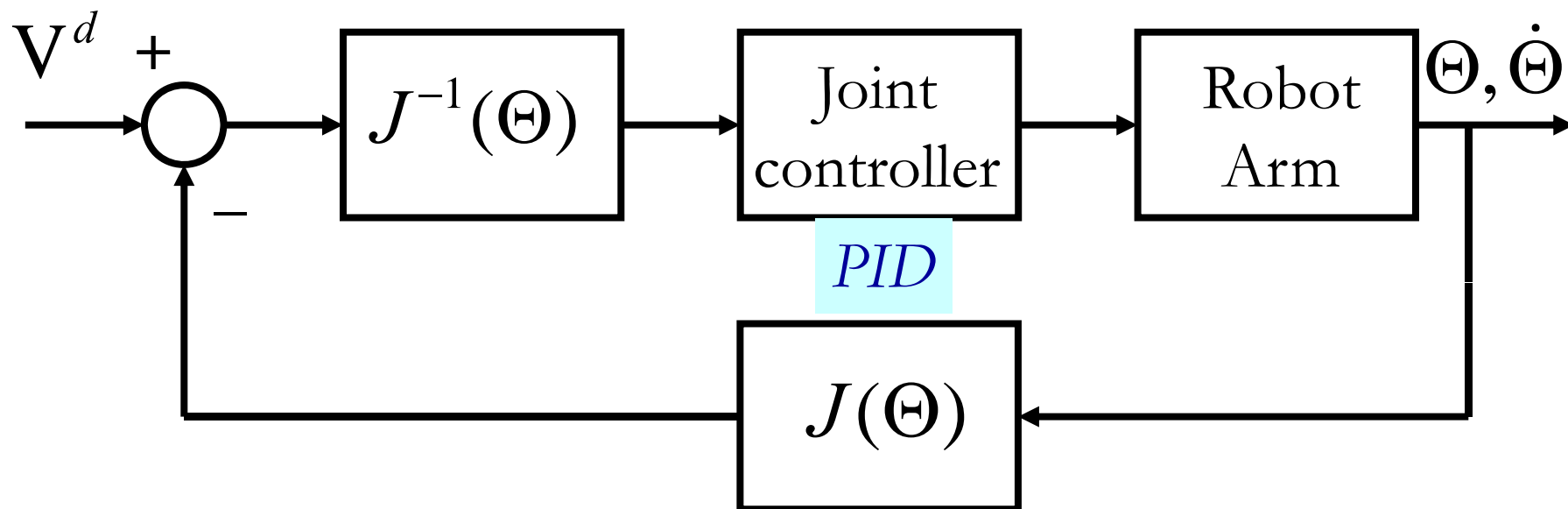
# Resolved Motion Rate Control (RMRC)

- Proposed by D. E. Whitney (1969)
- The motions of the various joint motors are combined and run simultaneously at different time-varying rates in order to achieve steady end-effector motion along any Cartesian coordinate axis.

$$\dot{\Theta} = J^{-1} \mathbf{V}$$


*The desired rate along the world coordinates*

# The RMRC block diagram



*Joint rates approach infinity as the singularity is approached.*

# Resolved Motion Acceleration Control (RMAC)

- Proposed by J. Y. S. Luh (1980)
- Extends the concept of RMRC to include acceleration control.
- Presents an alternative position control which deals directly with the position and orientation of the end-effector of a manipulator.
- Assumes that the desired accelerations of a preplanned end-effector motion are specified by the user.

$$\ddot{\Theta} = J^{-1}(\dot{V} - \dot{J}\dot{\Theta})$$

# Singular Value Decomposition

$$A \in R^{m \times n}, \quad \text{rank}(A) = k$$

$$A = U \Sigma V^T, \quad U \in R^{m \times m}, V \in R^{n \times n}, \Sigma \equiv \text{diag} \left( \underbrace{\sigma_1, \dots, \sigma_p}_{p=\min(m,n)} \right) \in R^{m \times n}$$

$$\sigma_1 \geq \sigma_2 \geq \dots \geq \sigma_k > 0, \quad \sigma_{k+1} = \dots = \sigma_p = 0$$

$$A^+ = V \Sigma^+ U^T, \quad \Sigma^+ \equiv \text{diag} \left( \underbrace{\frac{1}{\sigma_1}, \frac{1}{\sigma_2}, \dots, \frac{1}{\sigma_k}}_{p=\min(n,m)}, 0, \dots, 0 \right) \in R^{n \times m}$$

# MATLAB Syntax

$X =$

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1 2
3 4
5 6
7 8
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$[U, S, V] = \text{svd}(X)$

$U =$

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0.1525  0.8226  -0.3945  -0.3800
0.3499  0.4214   0.2428   0.8007
0.5474  0.0201   0.6979  -0.4614
0.7448 -0.3812  -0.5462   0.0407
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$S =$

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14.2691  0
0        0.6268
0        0
0        0
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$V =$

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0.6414  -0.7672
0.7672  0.6414
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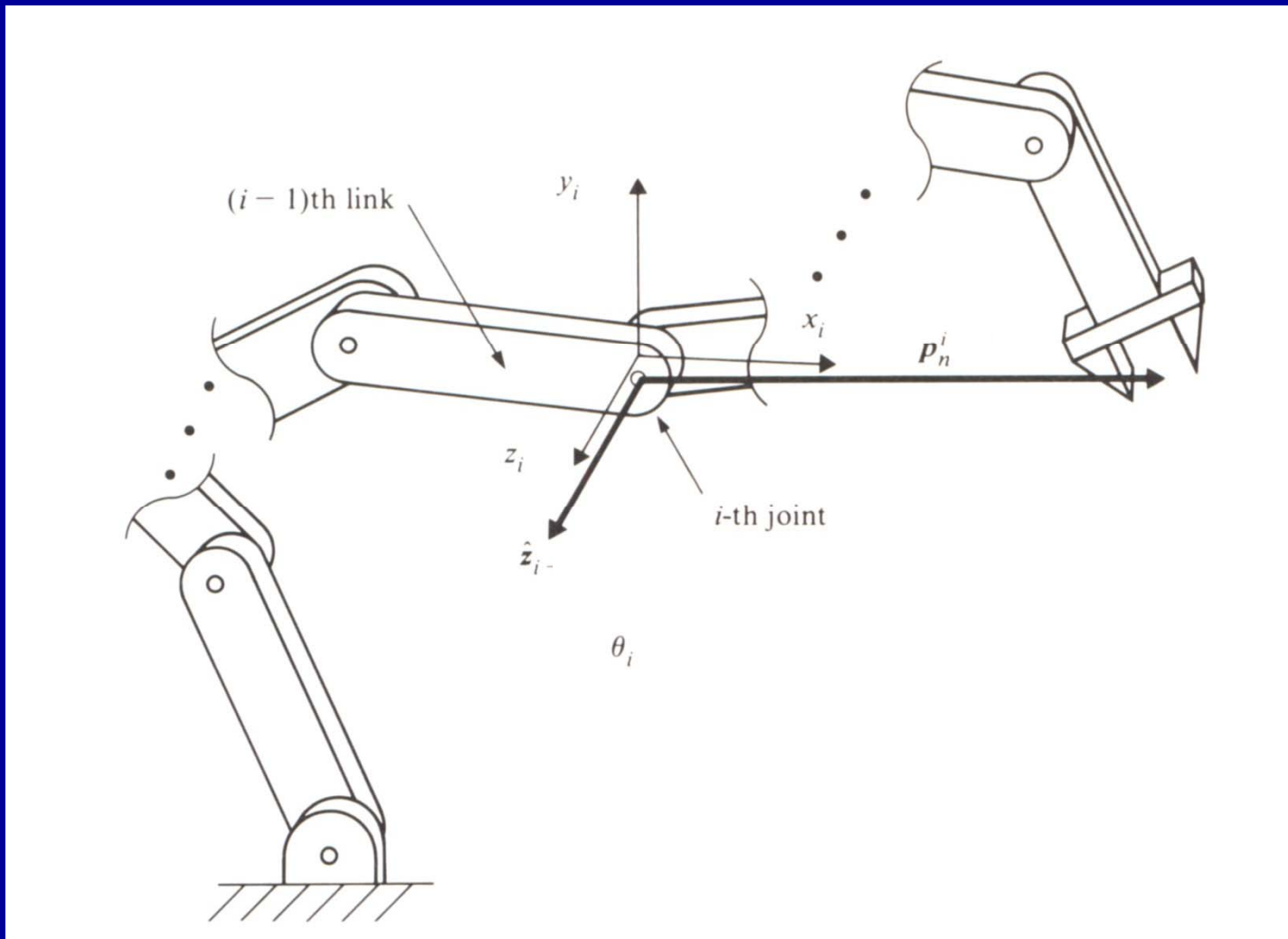
# Changing a Jacobian's frame of reference

$$\begin{bmatrix} {}^A \mathbf{v} \\ {}^A \boldsymbol{\omega} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} {}^A_B R & \mathbf{0} \\ \mathbf{0} & {}^A_B R \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} {}^B \mathbf{v} \\ {}^B \boldsymbol{\omega} \end{bmatrix},$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} {}^A \mathbf{v} \\ {}^A \boldsymbol{\omega} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} {}^A_B R & \mathbf{0} \\ \mathbf{0} & {}^A_B R \end{bmatrix} {}^B J(\Theta) \dot{\Theta},$$

$${}^A J(\Theta) = \begin{bmatrix} {}^A_B R & \mathbf{0} \\ \mathbf{0} & {}^A_B R \end{bmatrix} {}^B J(\Theta).$$

# Computation of the Jacobian Matrix





$$J = [J_1 \quad J_2 \quad \cdots \quad J_n], \quad J_i \in R^6$$

$$J_i = \begin{cases} \begin{pmatrix} \hat{z}_i \times^i p_n \\ \hat{z}_i \\ \hat{z}_i \\ \mathbf{0} \end{pmatrix}, & \begin{array}{l} \text{(Revolute joint)} \\ \hat{z}_i \in R^3 \\ \text{(Prismatic joint)} \end{array} \end{cases}$$

## Linear Velocity

$${}^0\mathbf{v}_n = \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{\partial {}^0\mathbf{v}_n}{\partial \theta_i} \dot{\theta}_i$$

We see that  $i$ -th column of  $\mathbf{J}_v$ , which we denote as  $\mathbf{J}_{vi}$  is given by

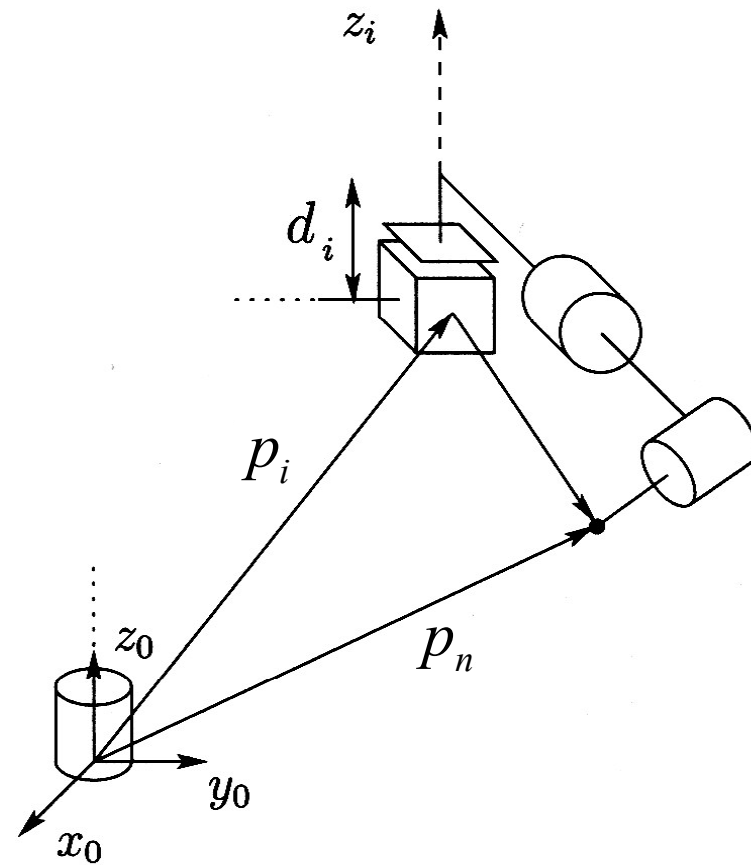
$$\mathbf{J}_{vi} = \frac{\partial {}^0\mathbf{v}_n}{\partial \theta_i}$$

*The linear velocity of the end-effector that would result if  $\dot{\theta}_i$  were equal to one and the other  $\dot{\theta}_j$  were zero*

# Case 1: Prismatic Joints

$${}^0\mathbf{v}_n = \dot{d}_i {}^0R \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \dot{d}_i {}^0\hat{\mathbf{z}}_i$$

$$\mathbf{J}_{vi} = \hat{\mathbf{z}}_i$$



## Case 2: Revolute Joints

The linear velocity of the end-effector is simply the form of

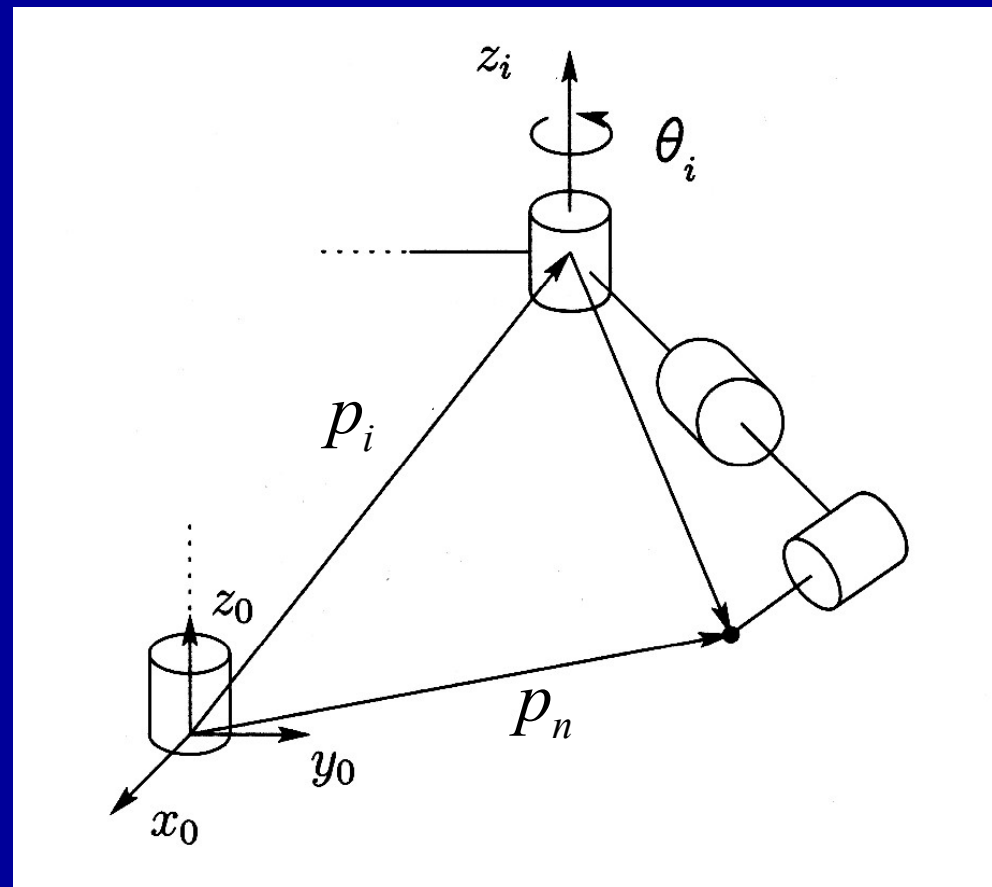
$\omega \times r$ , where

$$\omega = \dot{\theta}_i \hat{z}_i$$

and

$$r = p_n - p_i$$

$$J_{vi} = \hat{z}_i \times (p_n - p_i)$$



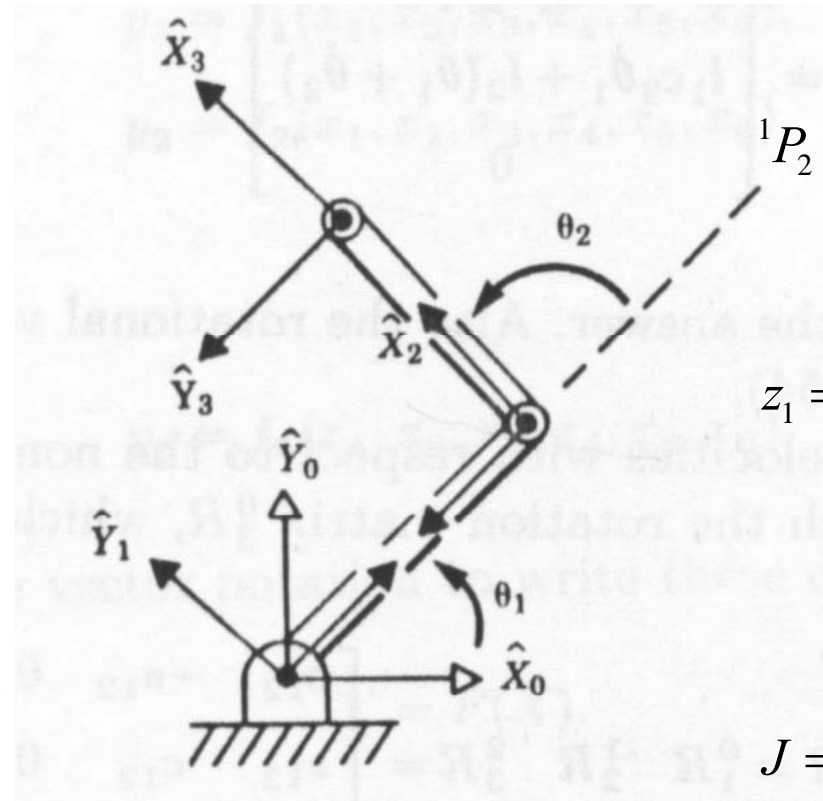
## Angular Velocity

$${}^0\omega_n = \rho_1 \dot{\theta}_1 k + \rho_2 \dot{\theta}_{22} {}^0Rk + \cdots + \rho_n \dot{\theta}_{nn} {}^0Rk = \sum_i^n \rho_i \dot{\theta}_i {}^0\hat{z}_i$$

$\rho_i$  is equal to 1 if joint  $i$  is revolute and 0 if joint  $i$  is prismatic.

$$J_\omega = [\rho_1 z_1, \rho_1 z_2, \cdots, \rho_n z_n]$$

# We revisit Example 5.3



$$J(\theta) = \begin{bmatrix} z_1 \times {}^1P_3 & z_2 \times {}^2P_3 \\ z_1 & z_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

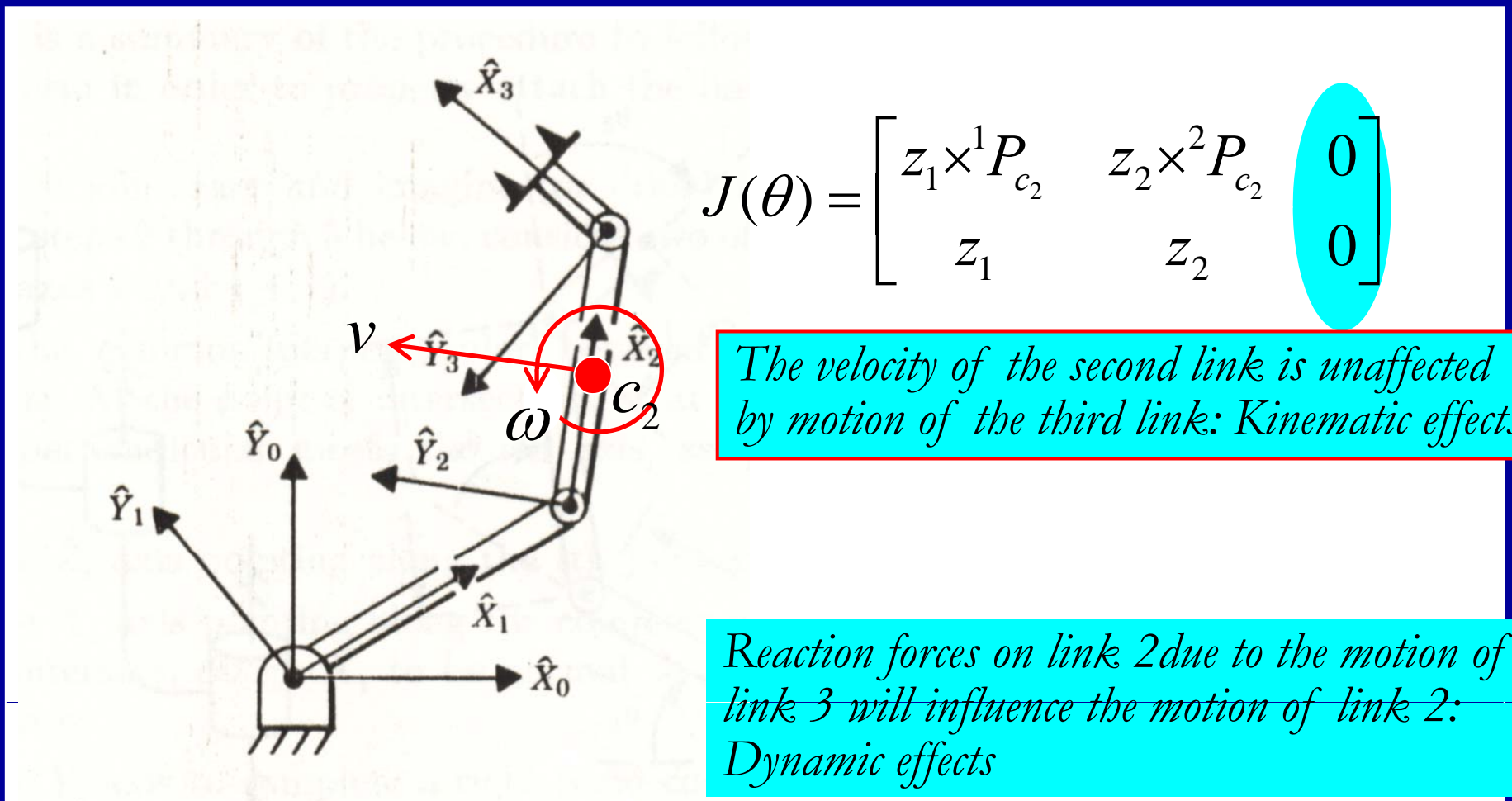
$${}^1P_2 = \begin{bmatrix} l_1 c_1 \\ l_1 s_1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \quad {}^1P_3 = \begin{bmatrix} l_1 c_1 + l_2 c_{12} \\ l_1 s_1 + l_2 s_{12} \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \quad {}^2P_3 = {}^1P_3 - {}^1P_2 = \begin{bmatrix} l_2 c_{12} \\ l_2 s_{12} \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$z_1 = z_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$J = \begin{bmatrix} -l_1 s_1 - l_2 s_{12} & -l_2 s_{12} \\ l_1 c_1 + l_2 c_{12} & l_2 c_{12} \\ 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

# Jacobian for an Arbitrary Point on a Link

Wish to compute the linear velocity  $\mathbf{v}$  and the angular velocity  $\boldsymbol{\omega}$  of the center of link 2



$$J(\theta) = \begin{bmatrix} z_1 \times^1 P_{c_2} & z_2 \times^2 P_{c_2} & \mathbf{0} \\ z_1 & z_2 & \mathbf{0} \end{bmatrix}$$

The velocity of the second link is unaffected by motion of the third link: Kinematic effects

Reaction forces on link 2 due to the motion of link 3 will influence the motion of link 2: Dynamic effects

## Lab. #2 (2 pt.) – Due Jan. 20

Using the Robotics Toolbox for MATLAB,  
make the PUMA 560 arm move in a straight line  
from  $x=0.02m$ ,  $y=-0.15m$ ,  $z=0.86m$   
to  $x=0.02m$ ,  $y=-0.15m$ ,  $z=-0.86m$ .

Display a stick figure animation of the robot moving  
along the path and submit a printed copy of your  
MATLAB code.



# Singularities

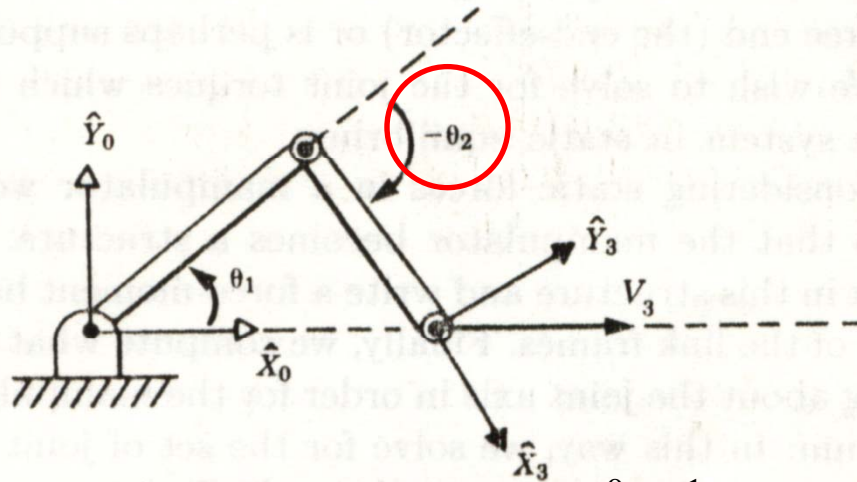
- Workspace boundary singularities: fully stretched out or folded back on itself
- Workspace interior singularities: two or more joint axes are lined up

## Example 5.4

$$DET[J(\Theta)] = |J(\Theta)| = \begin{vmatrix} l_1 s_2 & 0 \\ l_1 c_2 + l_2 & l_2 \end{vmatrix} = l_1 l_2 s_2 = 0.$$

$\theta_2 = 0^\circ, 180^\circ \rightarrow$  *Workspace boundary singularities*

# Example 5.5

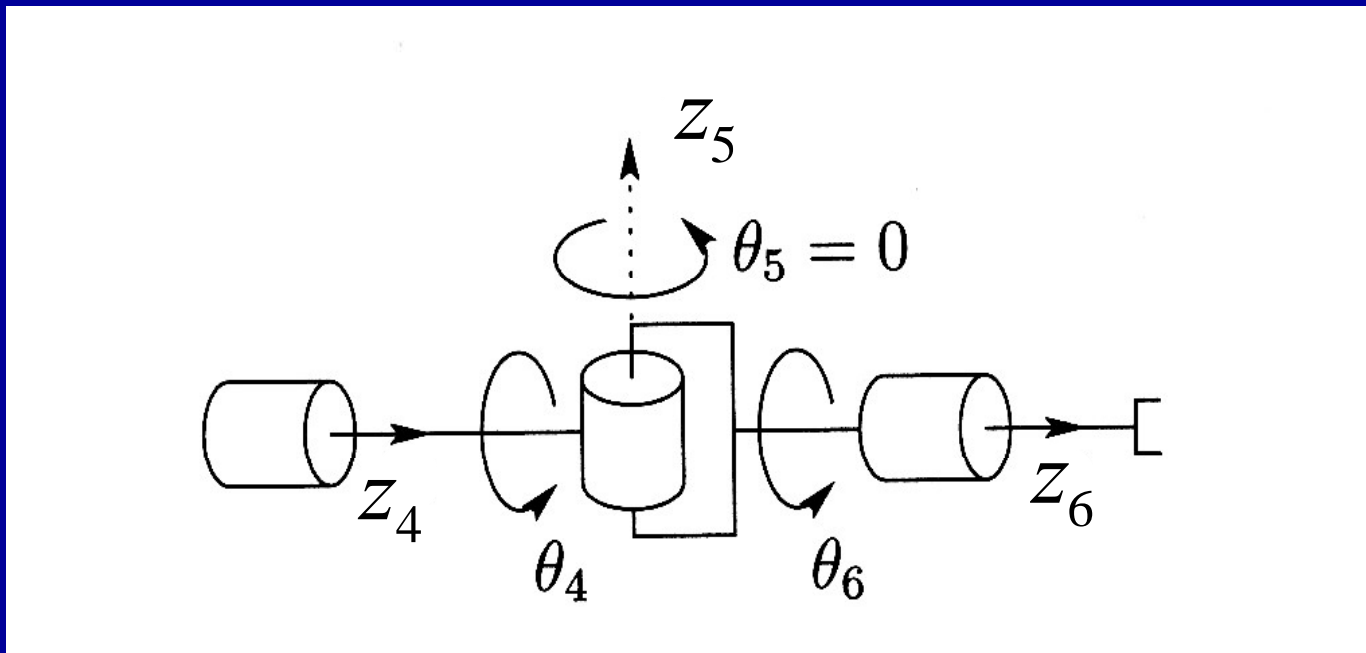


$${}^0 J^{-1}(\Theta) = \frac{1}{l_1 l_2 s_2} \begin{bmatrix} l_2 c_{12} & l_2 s_{12} \\ -l_1 c_1 - l_2 c_{12} & -l_1 s_1 - l_2 s_{12} \end{bmatrix}.$$

$$\dot{\theta}_1 = \frac{c_{12}}{l_1 s_2},$$

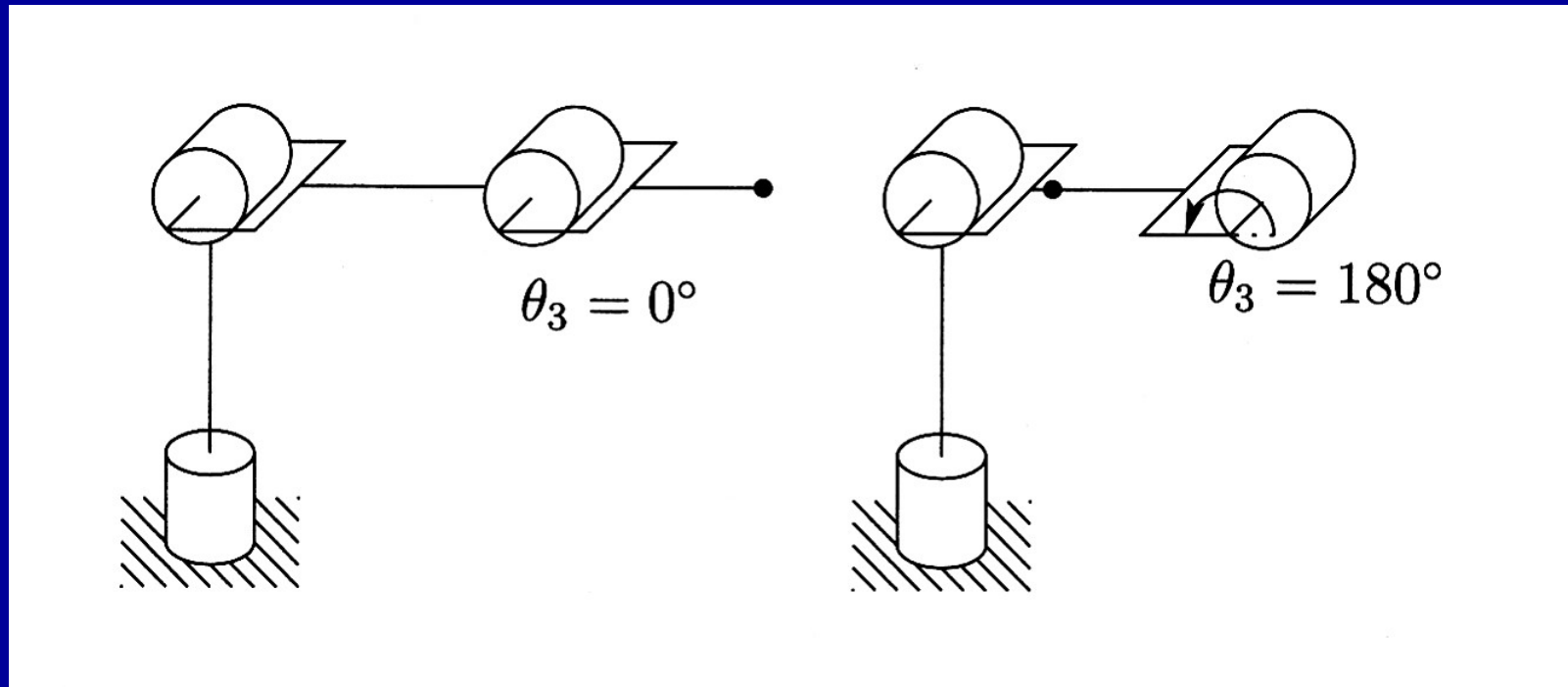
$$\dot{\theta}_2 = -\frac{c_1}{l_2 s_2} - \frac{c_{12}}{l_1 s_2}.$$

# Spherical Wrist Singularity



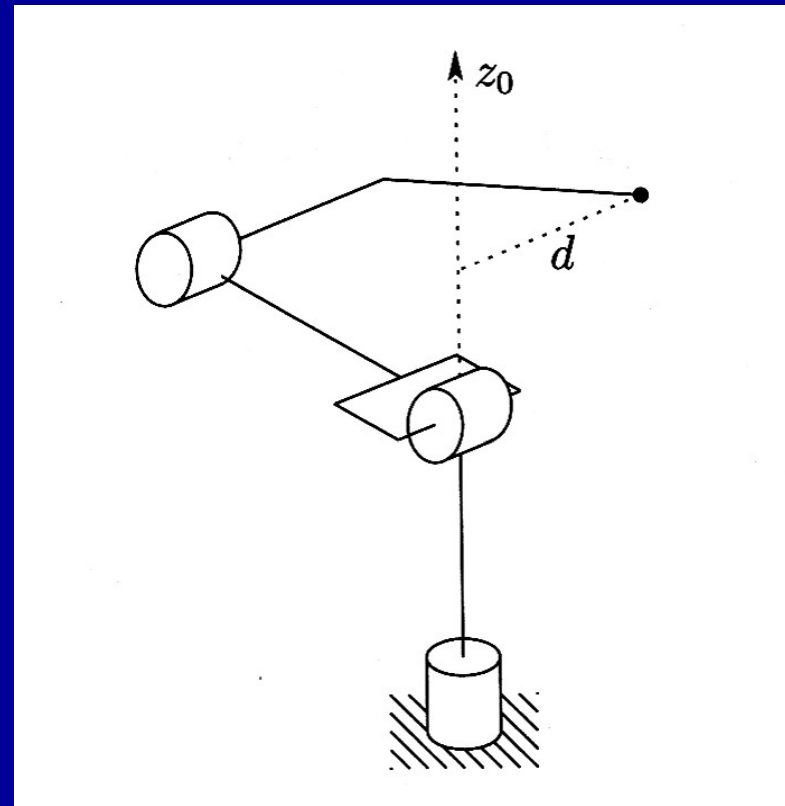
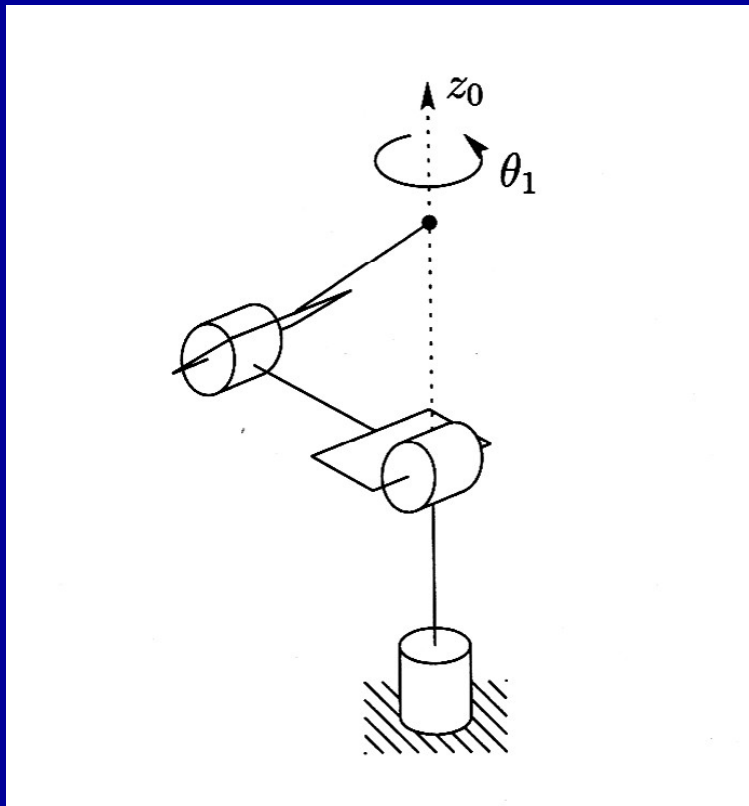
The joint axes  $z_4$  and  $z_6$  are collinear.

# Elbow Singularities of the Elbow Manipulator



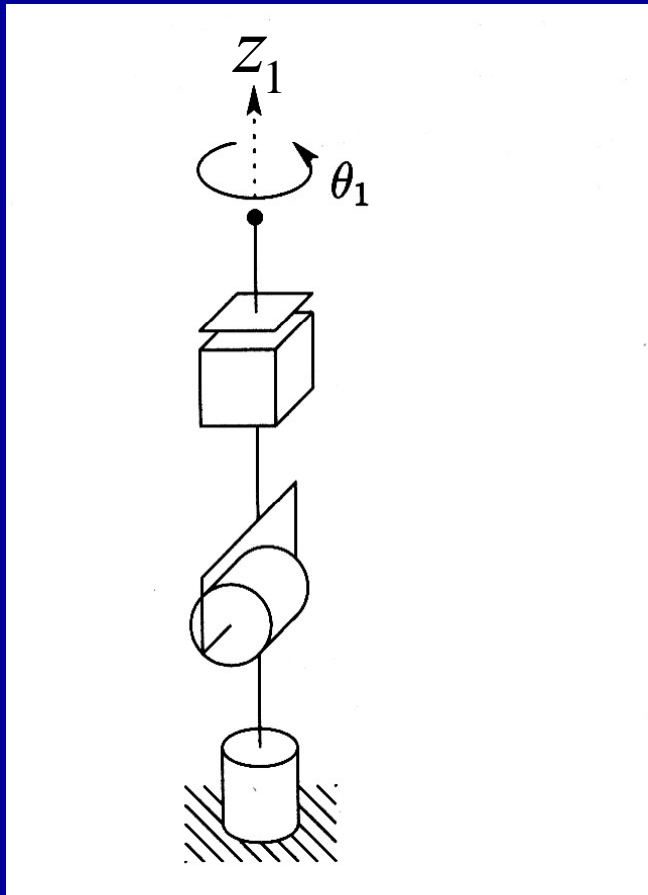
*Fully extended or fully retracted*

# Elbow Manipulator with an Offset at the Elbow



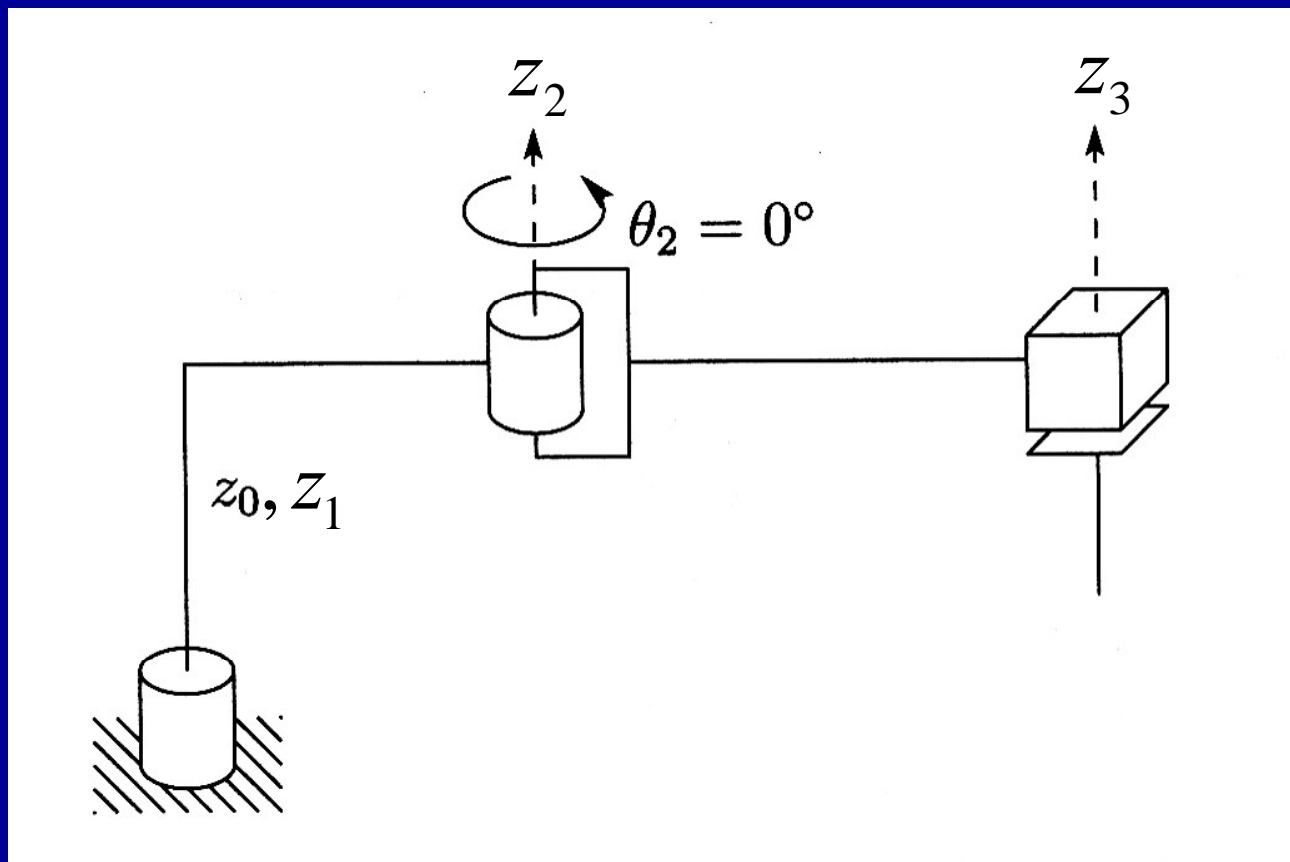
*The wrist center intersects the axis of the base rotation.*

# Spherical Manipulator with no Offset



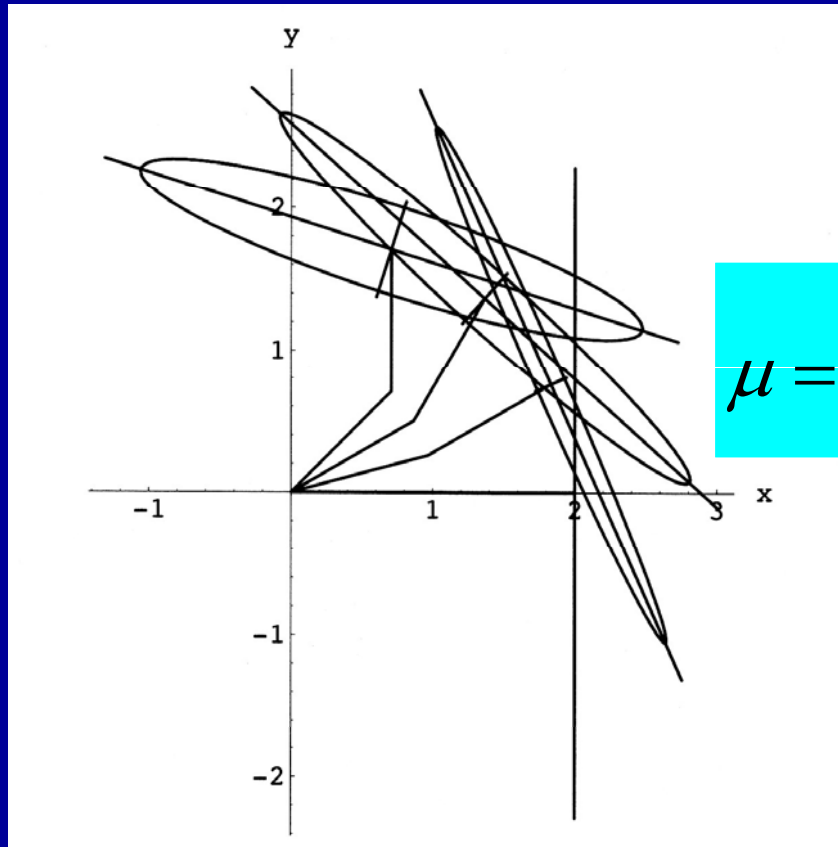
The wrist center intersects  $z_1$ .  
Any rotation about the base leaves  
this point fixed.

# SCARA Manipulator Singularity





# Manipulability



$$\mu = \sqrt{\det JJ^T} = |\lambda_1 \lambda_2 \cdots \lambda_m| = |\det J|$$

*The eigenvalues of  $J$*

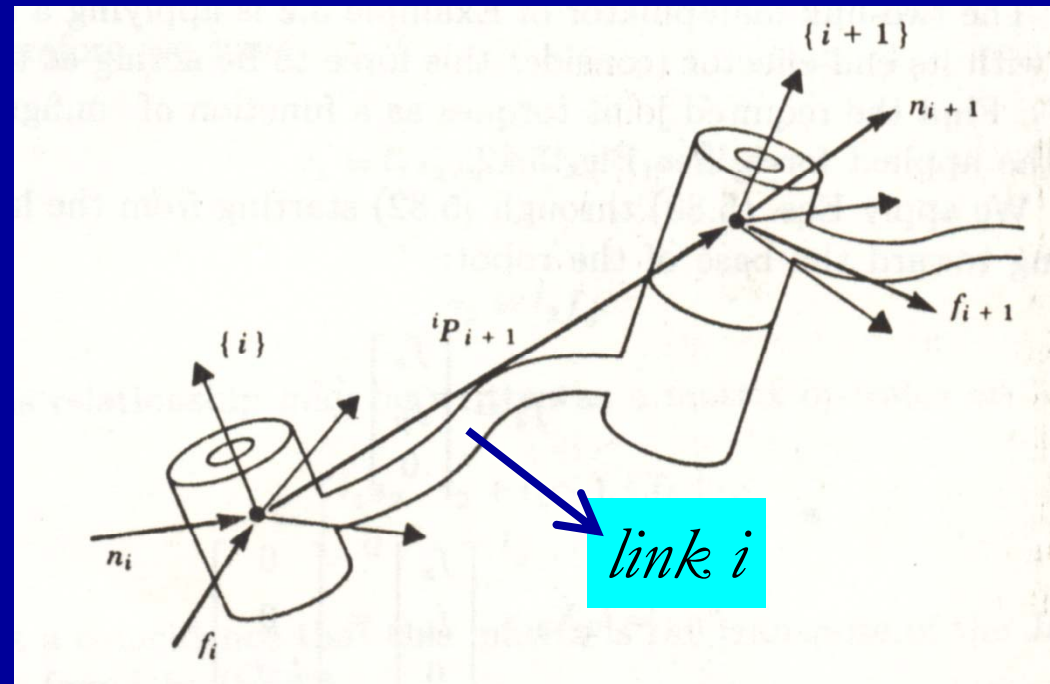
*Manipulability ellipsoids* for several configurations of a two-link arm

# Static forces in manipulators

- How forces and moments **propagate** from one link to the next?
- The robot is pushing on something in the environment with the end-effector or supporting a load at the hand.



# Static forces in manipulators



$f_i =$  force exerted on link  $i$  by link  $i-1$

$n_i =$  torque exerted on link  $i$  by link  $i-1$

Solve for the joint torques that must be acting to keep the system in *static equilibrium*.

$${}^i f_i = {}^i f_{i+1},$$

$${}^i n_i = {}^i n_{i+1} + {}^i P_{i+1} \times {}^i f_{i+1}.$$

No net forces, no net torques (moments)

$$\sum f = 0, \sum n = 0$$

$${}^i f_i = {}_{i+1}^i R {}^i f_{i+1},$$

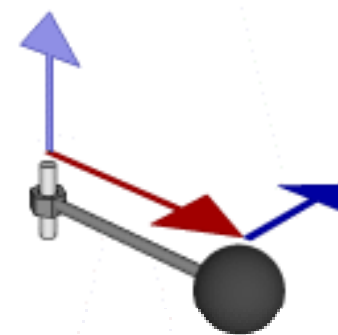
$${}^i n_i = {}_{i+1}^i R {}^i n_{i+1} + {}^i P_{i+1} \times {}^i f_i.$$

Static force propagation from link to link:

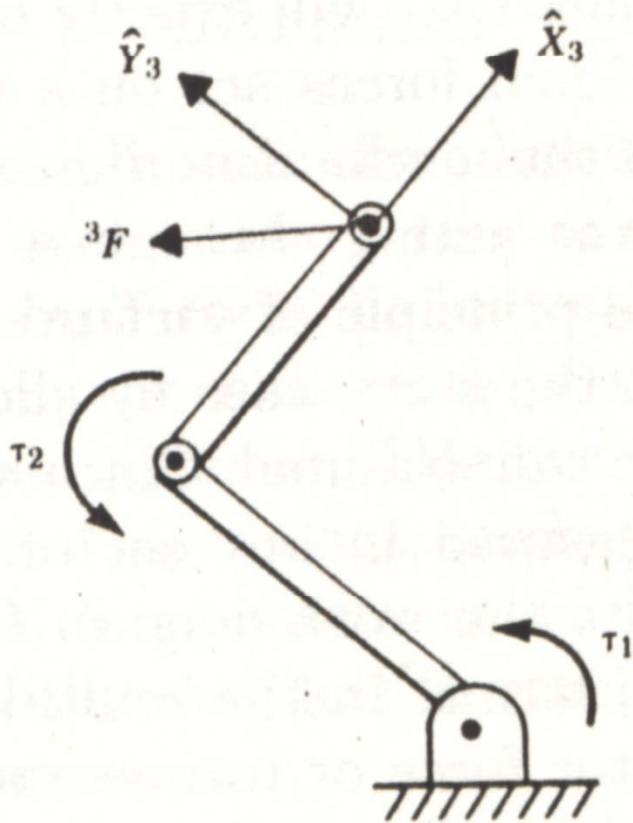
$$\tau_i = {}^i n_i^T {}^i \hat{Z}_i. \quad \text{Revolute joint}$$

$$\tau_i = {}^i f_i^T {}^i \hat{Z}_i. \quad \text{Prismatic joint}$$

$$n = r \times F$$



# Example 5.7



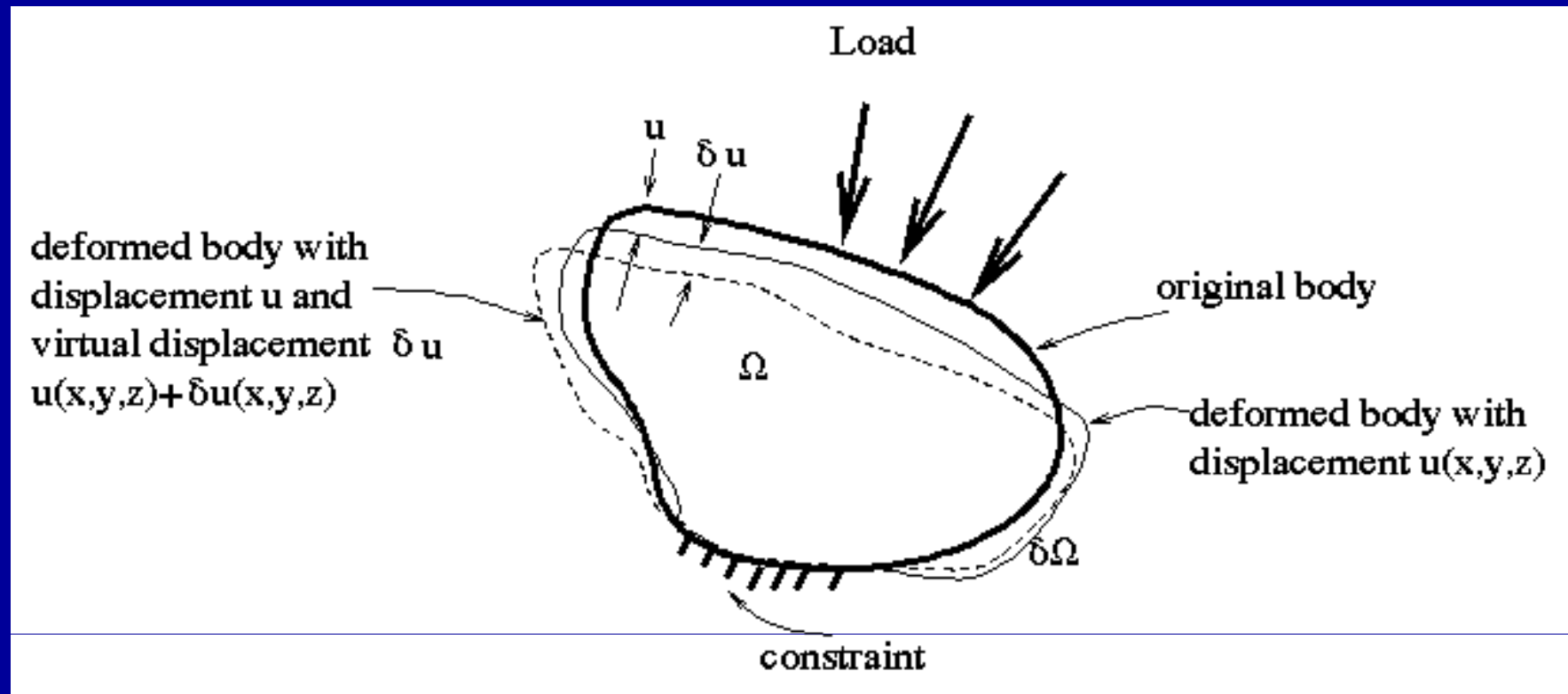
$$\tau = \begin{bmatrix} l_1 s_2 & l_2 + l_1 c_2 \\ 0 & l_2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} f_x \\ f_y \end{bmatrix}$$

$J^T$

# Work-Energy Principle

- The change in the kinetic energy of an object is equal to the net work done on the object.

# Principle of virtual work



*External virtual work equals the internal virtual strain energy.*

# Jacobians in the force domain

$$F \cdot \delta X = \tau \cdot \delta \Theta,$$

$$F^T \boxed{\delta X} = \tau^T \delta \Theta,$$

$$F^T \boxed{J \delta \Theta} = \tau^T \delta \Theta \rightarrow F^T J = \tau^T.$$

$$\boxed{\tau = J^T F.}$$

$$\tau = {}^0 J^T {}^0 F.$$



# Cartesian transformation of velocities and static forces

$$\mathbf{V} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{v} \\ \boldsymbol{\omega} \end{bmatrix}$$

*General velocity of a body*

$$\mathbf{F} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{F} \\ \mathbf{N} \end{bmatrix}$$

*General force of a body*

*6 x 6 transformations map these quantities from one frame to another.*

*A velocity transformation*

$${}^B \mathbf{v}_B = {}^B \mathbf{T}_v^A {}^A \mathbf{v}_A$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} {}^B \mathbf{v}_B \\ {}^B \boldsymbol{\omega}_B \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} {}^B R^A & -{}^B R^A P_{BORG} \times \\ \mathbf{0} & {}^B R^A \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} {}^A \mathbf{v}_A \\ {}^A \boldsymbol{\omega}_A \end{bmatrix}$$

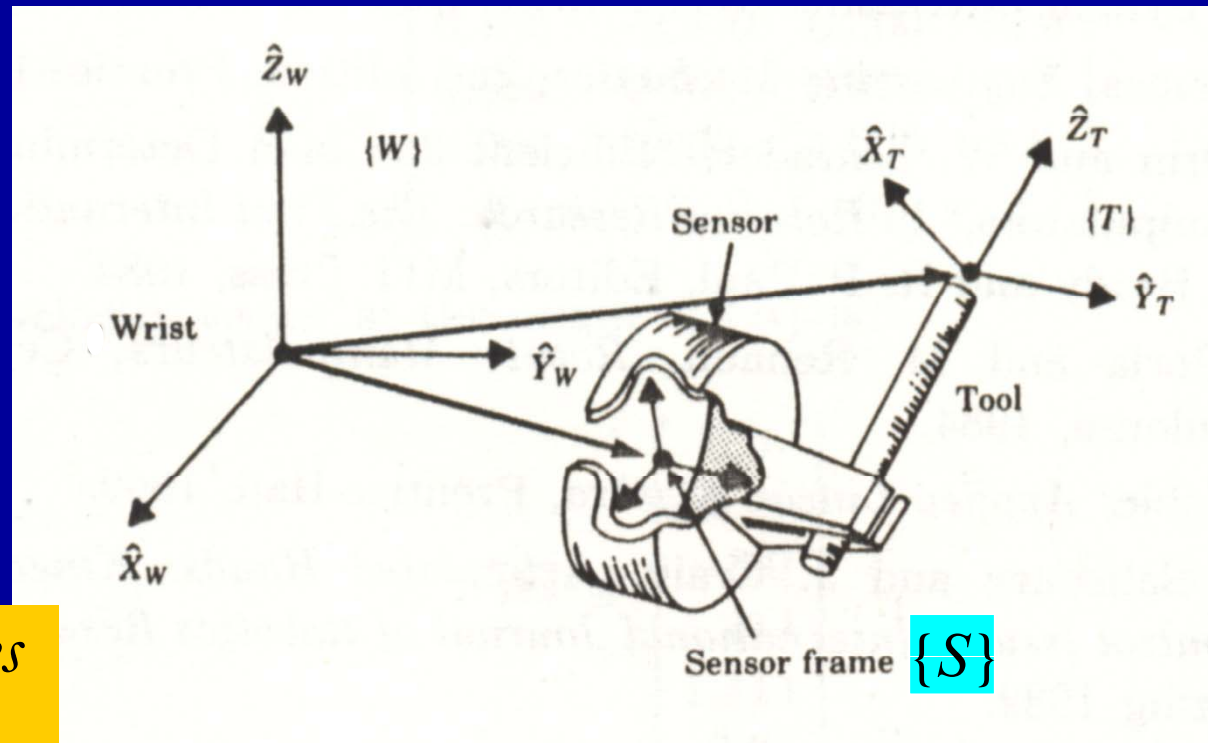
$$\begin{bmatrix} {}^A \mathbf{v}_A \\ {}^A \boldsymbol{\omega}_A \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} {}^A R^B & {}^A P_{BORG} \times {}^A R^B \\ \mathbf{0} & {}^A R^B \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} {}^B \mathbf{v}_B \\ {}^B \boldsymbol{\omega}_B \end{bmatrix}$$

$${}^A \mathbf{T}_f^B = {}^A \mathbf{T}_v^B$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} {}^A \mathbf{F}_A \\ {}^A \mathbf{N}_A \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} {}^A R^B & \mathbf{0} \\ {}^A P_{BORG} \times {}^A R^B & {}^A R^B \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} {}^B \mathbf{F}_B \\ {}^B \mathbf{N}_B \end{bmatrix}$$

*A force-moment transformation*

$${}^A \mathbf{F}_A = {}^A \mathbf{T}_f^B {}^B \mathbf{F}_B$$



The forces and torques applied at the tip of the tool

$${}^T \mathbf{F}_T = {}^T T_f {}^S \mathbf{F}_S$$

The output of the sensor

$${}^T T_f = \begin{bmatrix} {}^T_S R & 0 \\ {}^T P_{SORG} \times {}^T_S R & {}^T_S R \end{bmatrix}$$

# Homework #12 – Due Jan. 20

- 5.18, 5.19