

Résumé robotique 1

1. Kinematic types and workspace

Industrial robot: ≥ 3 axes manipulator

Manipulator: arrangement of segments and joints
 ↳ Consist of arm + wrist

Wrist: in general last 3 joints
 → spherical wrist

2 Spatial description

"pose": displacement + orientation

"denominate scalar": 20 cm w/ unit

Standard: Base {B} Goal {G}
 frames Wrist {W} Tool {T}
 Station {S} Tool Center Point TCP

Goal: Take T to G

Unit vectors of frame {A}: $\hat{x}_A \hat{y}_A \hat{z}_A$

► Orientation representation

► Rotation matrix

any point in {B} is seen from {A} as

$$A P = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \varphi & -\sin \varphi \\ \sin \varphi & \cos \varphi \end{bmatrix} B P$$

$$A P = \begin{bmatrix} A \\ B \end{bmatrix} R \begin{bmatrix} B \\ P \end{bmatrix}$$

from B to A / vue depuis A

$$A B R = \begin{bmatrix} A \hat{x}_B & A \hat{y}_B & A \hat{z}_B \\ A \hat{x}_A & A \hat{y}_A & A \hat{z}_A \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \hat{x}_{1B} \cdot \hat{x}_{1A} & \hat{x}_{1B} \cdot \hat{y}_{1A} & \hat{x}_{1B} \cdot \hat{z}_{1A} \\ \hat{y}_{1B} \cdot \hat{x}_{1A} & \hat{y}_{1B} \cdot \hat{y}_{1A} & \hat{y}_{1B} \cdot \hat{z}_{1A} \\ \hat{z}_{1B} \cdot \hat{x}_{1A} & \hat{z}_{1B} \cdot \hat{y}_{1A} & \hat{z}_{1B} \cdot \hat{z}_{1A} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$R^T = R^{-1}$$

$$A R = B R^{-1} = B R^T$$

$$A R = A B R C R$$

$$R_x(\gamma) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \cos \gamma & -\sin \gamma \\ 0 & \sin \gamma & \cos \gamma \end{bmatrix}$$

$$R_y(\beta) = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \beta & 0 & \sin \beta \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -\sin \beta & 0 & \cos \beta \end{bmatrix}$$

$$R_z(\alpha) = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \alpha & -\sin \alpha & 0 \\ \sin \alpha & \cos \alpha & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

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

► Euler - Angle convention

Fixed angle: rotation done about original frame
 (12 sets) also known as extrinsic rotations

$${}^A B R_{xyz}(\gamma, \beta, \alpha) = R_z(\alpha) R_y(\beta) R_x(\gamma)$$

$$\text{"roll-pitch-yaw"} = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \alpha \cos \beta & \cos \alpha \sin \beta & -\sin \alpha \\ \sin \alpha \cos \beta & \sin \alpha \sin \beta & \cos \alpha \\ -\sin \beta & \cos \beta & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= {}^A B R_{z'y'x'} = {}^A B R_{z''y''x''}$$

$$\text{ZYX Euler} = \text{XYZ Fixed angle}$$

Euler: rotation done about current moving frame
 (12 sets) "intrinsic rotations"

Other typical: ZYZ Euler angle (spherical wrist)
 = ZY

⚠ Euler-angle has 1 singularity at $\beta = \frac{\pi}{2}$ giving $\arctan2(0, \dots) \rightarrow$ garbage in C
 ⇒ occur always on the second axis rotation

A solution at $\beta = \frac{\pi}{2}$: $\gamma = \text{sgn}(\beta) \cdot \arctan(r_{12}, r_{22}), \alpha = 0$

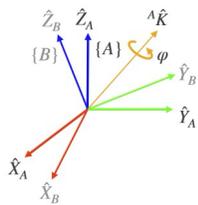
Pitch
 $\beta = \arcsin(-r_{31})$

Roll
 $\gamma = \arctan2\left(\frac{r_{32}}{c_\beta}, \frac{r_{33}}{c_\beta}\right)$

Yaw
 $\alpha = \arctan2\left(\frac{r_{21}}{c_\beta}, \frac{r_{11}}{c_\beta}\right)$

► Equivalent Angle-Axis

Define a rotation about one special axis with an angle φ



$$A K = \begin{bmatrix} k_x \\ k_y \\ k_z \end{bmatrix} \quad R_K(\varphi) = \begin{bmatrix} k_x k_x \varphi + c_\varphi & k_x k_y \varphi - k_z s_\varphi & k_x k_z \varphi + k_y s_\varphi \\ k_x k_y \varphi + k_z s_\varphi & k_y k_y \varphi + c_\varphi & k_y k_z \varphi - k_x s_\varphi \\ k_x k_z \varphi - k_y s_\varphi & k_y k_z \varphi + k_x s_\varphi & k_z k_z \varphi + c_\varphi \end{bmatrix}$$

► Given a rotation matrix

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

► The Angle-Axis representation is

$$\Delta \sin \varphi = 0$$

$$\varphi = \arccos\left(\frac{r_{11} + r_{22} + r_{33} - 1}{2}\right)$$

$$A K = \frac{1}{2s_\varphi} \begin{bmatrix} r_{32} - r_{23} \\ r_{13} - r_{31} \\ r_{21} - r_{12} \end{bmatrix}$$

Always 2 solutions: $(A K, \varphi)$ $(-A K, -\varphi)$

Scaled angle axis representation: $\varphi = |A K|$

$$\varphi \text{ in rad} \quad A K = \varphi \cdot \hat{A K} = \begin{bmatrix} a_x \\ a_y \\ a_z \end{bmatrix}$$

▶ Quaternions "sphere of imaginary units"

$$Q = q_w + q_x i + q_y j + q_z k$$

$$i^2 = j^2 = k^2 = ijk = -1$$

$$r = \begin{bmatrix} r_x \\ r_y \\ r_z \end{bmatrix} \quad e^{r\psi} = \cos\psi + r \sin\psi$$

" q_x, q_y, q_z can be interpreted as a "unit vector, while q_w is its rotation by ψ "

From equivalent axis:

$$\hat{Q} = \begin{bmatrix} q_w \\ q_x \\ q_y \\ q_z \end{bmatrix} \quad q_w = \cos\left(\frac{\psi}{2}\right) \quad q_x = k_x \sin\left(\frac{\psi}{2}\right)$$

$$q_y = k_y \sin\left(\frac{\psi}{2}\right) \quad q_z = k_z \sin\left(\frac{\psi}{2}\right)$$

$$q_x^2 + q_y^2 + q_z^2 + q_w^2 = 1$$

Equivalent rotation:

$$R_q = \begin{bmatrix} 1 - 2q_y^2 - 2q_z^2 & 2(q_x q_y - q_z q_w) & 2(q_x q_z + q_y q_w) \\ 2(q_x q_y + q_z q_w) & 1 - 2q_x^2 - 2q_z^2 & 2(q_y q_z - q_x q_w) \\ 2(q_x q_z - q_y q_w) & 2(q_y q_z + q_x q_w) & 1 - 2q_x^2 - 2q_y^2 \end{bmatrix}$$

Mapping a point P from {B} to {A}

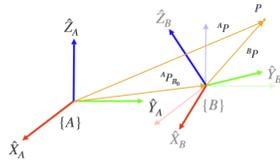
$$A P = \begin{bmatrix} A & B \end{bmatrix} Q \begin{bmatrix} B & P \end{bmatrix} A Q^{-1}$$

$$Q^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} q_w \\ -q_x \\ -q_y \\ -q_z \end{bmatrix}$$

▶ Frame translation

General transformation:

$$A P = A P_{B_0} + A B R B P$$



Translation + rotation (Homogeneity):

$$\begin{bmatrix} A P \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} A B R & A P_{B_0} \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} B P \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A P = A B T B P$$

Compound: $A C T = A B T B C T$

$$\begin{bmatrix} B T \\ A T \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} A T^{-1} \\ B T^{-1} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} A B R^T & -A B R^T A P_{B_0} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Goal relative to tool: $T_G T = B T^{-1} B T S T$

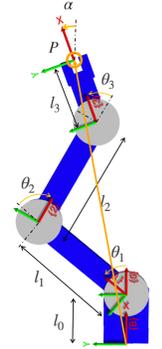
3. Kinematics science of motion (no forces)

▶ Forward find tool pose from joints position

$$\Theta = \begin{bmatrix} \theta_1 \\ \theta_2 \\ \vdots \\ \theta_n \end{bmatrix} \quad B X = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{bmatrix} \quad X = L(\Theta)$$

Joints positions Tool pose relative to {B}

1. Draw reference frames at each joints
2. Add frame {0} (first joint nominal)
3. Write $B T = B T^0 T^1 T^2 T^3 T^{\text{pose}}$



4. Simplify matrix with R and D operators $R_2(\theta_4) \quad R_3(\theta_5) \quad D_2(l_0) \rightarrow$ translation

5. Write out individual T matrices

Denavit - Hartenberg parameters

▶ Inverse find joints value from tool pose

$$\Theta = \begin{bmatrix} \theta_1 \\ \theta_2 \\ \vdots \\ \theta_n \end{bmatrix} \quad B X = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{bmatrix} \quad \Theta = L^{-1}(X)$$

3 ways:

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & l_3 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}^{-1}$$

- ① Given $B T$, find $W T$

$$W T = B T^{-1} B T W T^{-1}$$

"remove offsets"

\Rightarrow we have $x_w = \dots \quad y_w = \dots \quad d = \dots$

$$\text{Compute } W T = T_1^{-1} T_2 T_3 W T$$

3 equations with 3 unknowns \rightarrow solve algebraically

- ② Geometric solution using cos theorem
- ③ Iterative solution knowing forward kin and jacobian matrix

- ⚠ Almost always multiple solutions
 - Choose one with - minimum travel
 - less energy
 - fastest motion
- ⚠ joint limits, outside workspace

Spherical wrist inverse kinematics

$$\theta_5 = \pm \arccos(r_{33}) \quad \theta_4 = \arctan\left(\frac{r_{23}}{s_5}, \frac{r_{13}}{s_5}\right) \quad \theta_6 = \arctan\left(\frac{r_{32}}{s_5}, \frac{r_{31}}{s_5}\right)$$

2 solutions

Jacobian matrix

Linear approximation of how a function changes in each direction.
 → has a reference frame

$${}^B X = L(\Theta) \quad \delta^B X = {}^B J(\Theta) \delta \Theta \quad {}^B J(\Theta) = \frac{\delta L(\Theta)}{\delta \Theta}$$

$${}^B \begin{bmatrix} \delta x \\ \delta y \\ \delta \varphi \end{bmatrix} = {}^B J(\Theta) \begin{bmatrix} \delta \theta_1 \\ \delta \theta_2 \\ \delta \theta_3 \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{aligned} \delta x &= \frac{\partial x}{\partial \theta_1} \delta \theta_1 + \frac{\partial x}{\partial \theta_2} \delta \theta_2 + \frac{\partial x}{\partial \theta_3} \delta \theta_3 \\ \delta y &= \frac{\partial y}{\partial \theta_1} \delta \theta_1 + \frac{\partial y}{\partial \theta_2} \delta \theta_2 + \frac{\partial y}{\partial \theta_3} \delta \theta_3 \\ \delta \varphi &= \frac{\partial \varphi}{\partial \theta_1} \delta \theta_1 + \frac{\partial \varphi}{\partial \theta_2} \delta \theta_2 + \frac{\partial \varphi}{\partial \theta_3} \delta \theta_3 \end{aligned}$$

Inverse Instantaneous

$${}^B \dot{X} = \begin{bmatrix} \dot{x} \\ \dot{y} \\ \dot{\varphi} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \dot{x} \\ \dot{y} \\ \dot{\varphi} \end{bmatrix} = {}^B J(\Theta) \dot{\Theta}$$

$${}^A J(\Theta) = \begin{bmatrix} A_{BR} & 0 \\ 0 & A_{BR} \end{bmatrix} {}^B J(\Theta)$$

$$\dot{\Theta} = {}^B J^{-1}(\Theta) {}^B \dot{X}$$

Singularities happens when det of Jacobian matrix = 0

often when 2 axis align

Redundant Robots

Joint DOF > cartesian DOF

⇒ Jacobian is not square → no inverse

Pseudo inverse: $J^* = J^T (J J^T)^{-1}$

$$\dot{\Theta} = {}^B J^* (\Theta) {}^B \dot{X}$$

⇒ uses minimum-norm constraint (min $\|\dot{\Theta}\|^2$)

Weighted PI: $J^* = W^{-1} J^T (J W^{-1} J^T)^{-1}$
 ⇒ minimize cost function (i.e for heavy arms)

Jacobian Null space

Infinite number of solutions

⇒ $\dot{\Theta} = {}^B J^* (\Theta) {}^B \dot{X} + N \dot{\Theta}_0$ Null vector if $\dim(\text{Ker}) = 1$

$${}^B J(\Theta) N = 0 \quad N = I - J^* J$$

Static forces end effector force?

$$F = \begin{bmatrix} f_x \\ f_y \\ f_z \\ n_x \\ n_y \\ n_z \end{bmatrix} \quad \tau = \begin{bmatrix} \tau_1 \\ \tau_2 \\ \tau_3 \\ \tau_4 \\ \tau_5 \\ \tau_6 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\tau = {}^B J^T(\Theta) {}^B F$$

↳ Cartesian space to Joint space without Inv Kin ;)

4. Trajectory generation

Defined path → Robot joint trajectories (time history of position, speed, accel.)

Motions often defined in $\{T\}$ relative to $\{S\}$
 → decoupling if robot or tool changes.

Goal: ${}^S T_0 \rightarrow {}^S T_f$ poses

We specify: poses (points), time, speed, (Tolerance)

Via points (intermediate poses)

Smooth motions ≡ continuous derivatives

► Motion State & equations

Defined in an array: $SX = \begin{bmatrix} x \\ \dot{x} \\ \ddot{x} \end{bmatrix}$

Particle at x_0 with \dot{x}_0

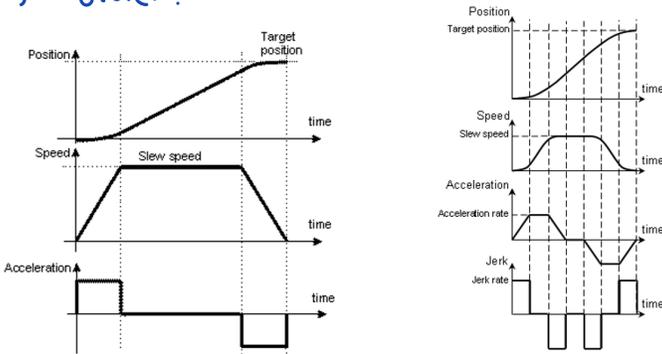
velocity: $\dot{x} = \int \ddot{x} dt = \dot{x}_0 + \ddot{x} t$

distance: $x = \int \dot{x} dt = x_0 + \dot{x}_0 t + \frac{\ddot{x} t^2}{2}$

discrete time: $\theta_{k+1} = \theta_k + \dot{\theta}_k \Delta t + \ddot{\theta}_k \frac{\Delta t^2}{2}$

► Motion profiles

In general trapezoidal profiles of 2nd or 3rd order.



2nd order: limit \dot{x}_{max} and \ddot{x}_{max} , jerk infinite

3rd order: limit also \ddot{x}_{max} → profile has 7 segments

► Motion planner

Interpolate smoothly between 2 poses with motion states

Tasks: increment position and speed states

2nd order: $x = x_0 + \dot{x}_0 t + \frac{\ddot{x} t^2}{2}$

3rd order: $x = x_0 + \dot{x}_0 t + \frac{\ddot{x} t^2}{2} + \frac{\dddot{x} t^3}{6}$ (accel not const)

Update speed based on position desired

► 1. Calculate distance to arrival $\Delta x = x_d - x$

- $\dot{x} = 0$ and $\Delta x > 0 \rightarrow$ accelerate
- $\dot{x} \neq 0 < \dot{x}_{max} \rightarrow$ accelerate
- $\dot{x}_{max} \rightarrow$ coast
- $\Delta x < \Delta x_{stop} \rightarrow$ decelerate

2. Calculate distance to stop

time to stop: $t_s = \left| \frac{\dot{x}}{\ddot{x}_{max}} \right|$

distance traveled: $x_s = \dot{x} t_s + \frac{\ddot{x}_{max} t_s^2}{2} \rightarrow x_s = \frac{\dot{x}^2}{2 \cdot \ddot{x}_{max}}$
 sign(\ddot{x}_{max}) $\hat{=}$ - sign(\dot{x}) better

3. Set desired speed $x_d = \begin{cases} 0, & |\Delta x| \leq x_s \\ \frac{\Delta x}{T}, & |\Delta x| > x_s \end{cases}$

Update acceleration and actual speed, calc. x

1. Update acceleration to reach x_d

i. Saturate speed (check max) $x_d = \dot{x}_d \cdot \sqrt{\frac{\dot{x}}{\ddot{x}_{max}}}$

ii. Desired speed change $\Delta \dot{x} = \dot{x}_d - \dot{x}$

iii. Desired accel $\ddot{x}_d = \frac{\Delta \dot{x}}{T}$

iv. Saturate and set accel time step

2. Update speed $\dot{x} += \ddot{x} T$

3. Saturate speed

4. Update position $x += \dot{x} T + \frac{\ddot{x} T^2}{2}$

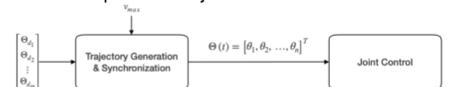
► Blending

Add radius to the path on a via point
 → keep constant speed
 → each robot manufacturer has its functions

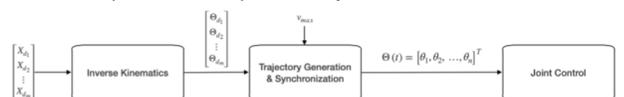
► Joint-Space Trajectories

Desired pose $[\begin{smallmatrix} S \\ T \end{smallmatrix} T_0 \dots \begin{smallmatrix} S \\ T \end{smallmatrix} T_n]$ → inverse Kin
 → array of joints values → use 1D trajectory gen.

► Motion to desired joint values with interpolation of joint values



► Motion to Cartesian pose with interpolation of joint values



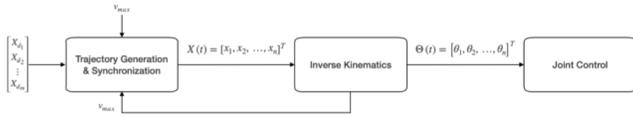
The motion planner increment each joint separately!

► +Fast execution, - traj. not straight
 No singularities!

▶ Cartesian - Space

Desired pose $[\begin{smallmatrix} s \\ T \end{smallmatrix} T_0 \dots \begin{smallmatrix} s \\ T \end{smallmatrix} T_n] \rightarrow$ 1D trajectory gen.
 \rightarrow inverse kin at each execution instant
 \rightarrow calculated joint values in live \rightarrow sent to controller

▶ Motion to Cartesian pose with interpolation of Cartesian coordinates



∇ Interpolating orientations require special care
 \rightarrow Result must be orthonormal for rot matrices
 \rightarrow Interpolating fixed angle and euler is same
 \rightarrow Quaternion and angle axis can be interpolated
 \rightarrow step function

Cartesian-space trajectories allow not only straight lines but also curves and splines

▶ Issues with cartesian-space

1. Intermediate point not reachable
2. High joints speeds near singularities
3. Start and end have diff. arm config.
 \rightarrow also in joint-space
4. Slower execution

5. Parallel robots

▶ Definition and use

≥ 2 kinetic chain linking fixed base to end effector
 \rightarrow Actuators attached to base (generally)
 \rightarrow Often passive joints
 \rightarrow Links transmit forces along main axis

▶ Advantage / disadvantage

Series : + large workspace
 + simple forward kin and singularity avoidance
 - complex inv kin
 - Payload-to-robot ratio $< 0,15 \rightarrow$ heavy links

Parallel : + simple inv. kin
 + High speed (low inertia), high precision
 - reduced workspace
 - Difficult singularities and forward kin

▶ DoF

$$n = 6(b-j-1) + \sum_{i=1}^j f_i$$

▶ With

- ▶ n the number of degrees of freedom of the mechanism
- ▶ b the number of bodies (links) including the base
- ▶ j the number of joints
- ▶ f_i the number of degrees of freedom of joint i

▶ Inverse Kin $\Theta = L^{-1}(X)$

\rightarrow simple geometric solutions

▶ Forward Kin

\rightarrow derived from inverse kin
 \rightarrow many solutions exists
 (many cart. pose with same joint config)
 \rightarrow most of time use numerical methods
 \rightarrow sometimes close form exists like for Delta robot



▶ Instant Kin

▶ Therefore it is easier to derive the inverse Jacobian matrix from the inverse kinematics

$$\delta\Theta = {}^B J^{-1}(\Theta) \delta^B X$$

$$\delta\Theta = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial\theta_1}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial\theta_1}{\partial y} & \dots \\ \frac{\partial\theta_2}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial\theta_2}{\partial y} & \dots \\ \frac{\partial\theta_3}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial\theta_3}{\partial y} & \dots \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots \end{bmatrix} \delta X$$

▶ The Jacobian matrix can be found by inversion: $J(\Theta) = (J^{-1}(\Theta))^{-1}$

▶ Singularities

▶ Serial

Joint motion do not generate end-effector motion
 $|J(\Theta)| = 0$

▶ Parallel

End-effector motion possible without joint move.
 \rightarrow lost control, high forces

full jacobian matrix det is 0
 \hookrightarrow (also includes passives joints) $|J^*(\Theta)| = 0$

6. End effector (Grippers, tools)

▶ End effect. interface

⇒ Three characteristics

- Strength
- Compliance
- Overload protection

▶ Selection

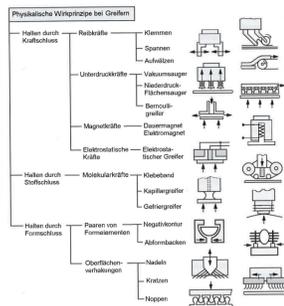
▶ Factors that should be consider in assessing gripping requirements

- ▶ The part surface to be grasped must be reachable
- ▶ The size variation of the part must be accounted for
- ▶ The gripper design must accommodate the change in size that occurs between part loading and unloading
- ▶ Consideration must be given to the potential problem of scratching and distorting the part during gripping, if the part is fragile or delicate surface
- ▶ If there is a choice between 2 different dimensions on a part, the larger dimension should be selected for gripping
- ▶ Gripper fingers can be designed to conform to the part shape by using resilient pads or self-aligning fingers

physical principle	impactive mechanical			pneumatic		magnetic	
	parallel gripper	radial gripper	angle gripper	3 point gripper	suction gripper	permanent magnet	electro-magnet
gripper type prehended object							
mass							
0.2 to 1 kg							
1 to 10 kg							
10 to 50 kg							
heavier than 50 kg							
dimensions							
20 to 50 mm							
50 to 300 mm							
300 mm to 1 m							
more than 1 m							
inner grip surfaces							
surface							
polished							
rough							
porous							
sensitive							
round parts							
disk							
short cylinder							
shaft, rod							
prismatic parts							
block part							
flat/short							
flat/long							
synthetics							
textiles							
foil							
glass							
stoneware							
sheet metal							

drive system	evaluation criteria			
	mechanical	pneumatic	hydraulic	electric motor
high gripping force	●	○	●	○
controllability	○	○	○	○
energy transmission	●	○	○	○
insensitivity to dirt	○	○	○	○
maintenance	○	○	○	○
emergency stop behaviour	○	○	○	○
constructional size	○	○	○	○
environmental influences	○	○	○	○
costs	○	○	○	○

Gripping method	Non-penetrating	Penetrating
Impactive	Clamping jaws, chucks, collets	Pincers, pinch mechanisms
Ingressive	Brush elements, hooks, hook and loop (Velcro)	Needles, pins, hackles
Contigutive	Chemical adhesion (glues), surface tension forces	Thermal adhesion
Astrictive	Electrostatic adhesion	Magnetic grippers, vacuum suction



- ▶ Impactive: impact of jaws against object surfaces (mechanical)
- ▶ Ingressive: surface deformation or even penetration (intrusive)
- ▶ Contigutive: direct contact (e.g. chemical, thermal adhesion)
- ▶ Astrictive: binding forces (e.g. vacuum, magnetic, electrostatic)

7. Vision

What is a digital image?

Pixel coordinate: $(u, v) = (\text{column}, \text{row})$
 → origin at top left corner

An image is a matrix of number

Matrix coordinates: $(r, c) = (\text{row}, \text{column})$



Image compression

Lossless: identify patterns and store params

Lossy: exploits human vision limitations
 → only one way.

I. Image processing

Input images → output more useful image

One-to-one operations

Monadic

apply a function for each pixel separately * parallel processing possible

Functions → change data type $[0, 255] \rightarrow [0.0, 1.0]$

brightness $f(x) = x + 0.5$, Δ saturation

contrast $f(x) = 2x$, Δ saturation

negative $f(x) = 1 - x$

posterization (quantization) $f(x) = \frac{\text{floor}(x \cdot N)}{N}$

histogram normalization (non linear mapping)

gamma correction $f(x) = x^\gamma$ *highlight image details*

in matlab image.^gamma

thresholding → boolean operation

Diadic

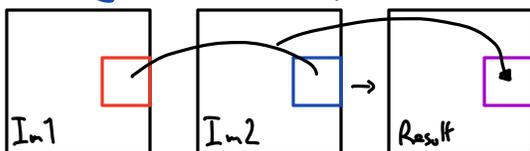


image subtraction

green screen operations (masking)

Spatial operations

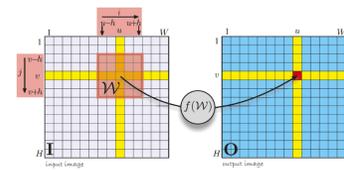
Use a Kernel (window) to define the output pixel

Size: $2h+1$, odd

Isotropy: in all directions the same

Handling edge pixels: either copy paste or delete

Applying the kernel:



Correlation

$$O[u, v] = \sum_{(i, j) \in W} I[u+i, v+j] K[i, j], \forall (u, v) \in I$$

Convolution

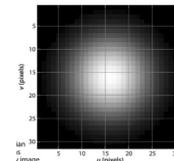
$$O[u, v] = \sum_{(i, j) \in W} I[u-i, v-j] K[i, j], \forall (u, v) \in I$$

$$O = K \otimes I$$

Scale factor: $S = \sum K_{i,j}$

We typically want a scale of 1. $K = \frac{1}{9} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$

Gaussian kernels $k: G(u, v) = \frac{1}{2\pi\sigma^2} e^{-\frac{u^2+v^2}{2\sigma^2}}$



Act as smoothing, blurring
 σ control width

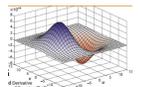
Derivative (Finding edges)

Perform Gaussian before derivative (sensitive to noise)

→ Use kernel that perform derivative

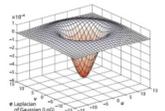
→ Sobel kernel $K = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \frac{I(u+1) - I(u-1)}{2}$

DOG Derivative after gaussian



Laplacian isotropic second derivative

LOG Laplacian after gaussian



Template matching

→ detect if kernel is same as image and give a score

Filtering

Remove speckle noise or salt and pepper noise

→ Replace pixel by a mean or median of its kernel

Mathematical morphologies

Non-linear spatial operator

Each pixel is a function of a subset pixels of kernel
 Output image contains shapes that are compatible with the structuring element S

S can have various shapes (rectangle, or matching shape)

- ▶ **Erosion** only shapes that contain S survives
large objects become smaller
- ▶ **Dilation** any pixel under S is true, output is true
make object larger
- ▶ **Opening** Erosion followed by dilation
Clean up shapes
- ▶ **Closing** Dilation → Erosion
Fill holes and connect objects

▶ Advanced mathematical morph.

- Detect diagonal line
- Circle structuring elements → round corners
- Hit or miss pixel window must fit 0 and 1's
- Skeletonization iterative morph operations

Don't care	Don't care	S
Don't care	S	Don't care
S	Don't care	Don't care

0	0	0
Don't care	1	Don't care
1	1	1

II Feature extraction - regions

Group of connected pixels, and same color (binary)

- ▶ **Image moments** (binary image)
Computationally cheap class of images features

$$m_{pq} = \sum_{(u,v) \in I} u^p v^q I[u,v]$$

pixel value, [0; 1]
coordinate

▶ Zeroth / first moments

Area ↓ $m_{00} = \sum_{(u,v)} I[u,v]$ weighted average ↓ $m_{10} = \sum_{(u,v)} u I[u,v]$ $m_{01} = \sum_{(u,v)} v I[u,v]$

▶ Center of mass $v_c = \frac{m_{10}}{m_{00}}$ $v_c = \frac{m_{01}}{m_{00}}$

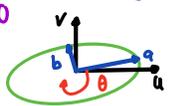
- ▶ **Blobs** region of connected components (same color)
In general a blob is assigned a label, i.e each pixel of that blob has same label.

▶ Object features $A_{N \times N}$ $v_{N \times 1}$ $\begin{cases} v' = Av \\ v' = \lambda v \end{cases}$

Eigenvector: vectors whose length are scaled by λ from matrix A but direction is unchanged
 $\det(A - \lambda I) = 0$ $(A - \lambda I)v = 0$

▶ Equivalent ellipse method

Find orientation and shape of blob
Idea: fit an ellipse with same centroid and moment of inertia about centroid



$$J = \begin{pmatrix} m_{20} & m_{11} \\ m_{11} & m_{02} \end{pmatrix} \quad m_{pq} = \sum_{(u,v) \in I} (u - v_c)^p (v - v_c)^q I[u,v]$$

Elliptic axis \downarrow eigenvalues of J Orientation \downarrow eigenvector of λ_1

$$a, b = 2 \cdot \sqrt{\frac{\lambda_{1,2}}{m_{00}}}, \lambda_1 > \lambda_2$$

$$\theta = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{v_x}{v_y} \right)$$

▶ Perimeter and circularity

Compute perimeter P → circularity $\rho = \frac{4\pi \mu_{00}}{P^2}$

▶ Hu moments

$\gamma = \frac{1}{2}(p+q)+1$
7 moments invariant from scale, rotation, translation
→ based on normal moments but normalized with

II Feature extraction - lines

Lines lay along obvious boundaries in the scene

1. Convert to grayscale
2. Detect image edges
3. Hough sobel kernel / canny

▶ Canny edge detector

1. Gaussian
2. Gradient filter
3. Find ridges by keeping the pixel with max gradient in that direction
4. Apply two thresholds to detect strong and weak edges
5. Suppress weak edges not connected to strong edges

▶ Hough line transform

Using polar line representation $u \cdot \sin(\theta) + v \cdot \cos(\theta) = p$
Number of potential lines are spanned through the image
Each line get a point when touching a pixel
→ Lines with best scores are special in the image

II Feature extraction - points

Detect points of interest such as corners etc
Application: camera calibration, tracking ..

▶ Moravec's interest operator

Idea: corners are areas with significant variation in intensity in all directions
→ kernel in several directions to calculate intensity changes

▶ Harris corner detector

Compute gradient filter and based on weighted gaussian matrix of the pixel gradient tensor
Use the det and trace of the matrix to define eigenvalues and detect corners based on λ_1, λ_2 when λ_1 and $\lambda_2 \gg$ threshold

▶ Feature matching

Extract a window centered on a corner point
Use similarity measure to detect the same window in another image
→ Real time tracking

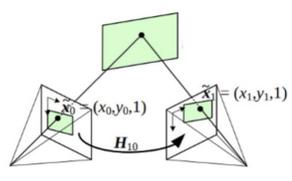
▶ SIFT-Features Scale Invariant Feature Transform

1. Scale-space extrema detection
Use multiple image size (octave) with different gaussian blur and apply gaussian filter (DoG) in "3d"
 2. Keypoint localization
Use same principle as Harris to detect corners
 3. Orientation assignment
Compute image gradients near keypoint and find orient.
 4. Keypoint descriptor
Orientation, gradient magnitudes, main gradient...
- ▶ Applications Object detection, panorama stitching

III Further algorithms

- ▶ Image scaling
Select each n^{th} pixel in each column, row
- ▶ Aliasing problem
When downsampling image, high freq will appear in the low frequencies \rightarrow artefacts like jagged edges
Solution: gaussian blur before subsampling or moiré
- ▶ Image warping
Change pixel coordinates $u' = f_u(u, v)$ $v' = f_v(u, v)$
 \rightarrow sometimes interpolation necessary $u = 273.33 \times$
- ▶ Perspective transform

Use a homography matrix, relates the transformation between two planes seen from different views



IV Visual servoing

Control pose of robot's end effector relative to goal using visual features extracted from image
 \rightarrow need 2 cameras for 3DOF tasks
 \rightarrow compensate errors in model and sensors
 \rightarrow need 3 points to define motion

▶ Optical flow Detect pixel velocity

However, 2 unknown cases:
 Perceptibility: Zero change for some points \rightarrow motion not perceptible
 Ambiguity: Distinct camera movements cause same pixel behaviour \rightarrow add additional sensors

8. Robot dynamics

▶ Dynamics

$\vec{A}_p = m^A \vec{v}_c$ $\vec{F} = m^A \vec{v}_c$
 \rightarrow rate of change in momentum proportional to force
 $\vec{L} = \vec{I}^A \vec{\omega}$ $\vec{N} = \vec{I} \cdot \dot{\vec{\omega}} + \vec{\omega} \times \vec{I} \vec{\omega}$
 \rightarrow rate of change in ang. momentum prop to torque N
 Goal: get joint torque in motion

▶ Methods to derive dynamics

▶ Iterative Newton-Euler method

- ① Outward iteration: calculate all bodies velocities and accelerations beginning from B
Initial cond. ${}^0\vec{\omega}_0 = 0$ ${}^0\dot{\vec{\omega}}_0 = 0$ ${}^0\vec{v}_0 = G$
- ② Inward iteration: calculate all forces and torque required to move bodies with these velocities and accel. $\begin{bmatrix} {}^{n+1}j_{n+1} \\ {}^{n+1}n_{n+1} \end{bmatrix} = \mathcal{F}$
 \rightarrow Popular for serial robots

▶ Lagrangian dynamic formulation

Calculate kinetic and potential energies of the entire robot \rightarrow partial derivatives of these energies lead to joint torque.
 \rightarrow only consider dominant bodies
 \rightarrow must be used for parallel robots

▶ State-space equations

Result of the iterations can be described by:

$$\mathcal{Z} = M(\theta)\ddot{\theta} + V(\theta, \dot{\theta}) + G(\theta) + \mathcal{J}^T(\theta)\mathcal{F}$$

Vector of joint torques $n \times 1$ | Vector of centrifugal and Coriolis terms $n \times 1$ | Vector of forces/torques $n \times 1$
 mass matrix $n \times n$ | gravity terms $n \times 1$

Model not including bending and friction

▶ Cartesian space

$$\mathcal{F} = M_x(\theta)\ddot{X} + V_x(\theta, \dot{\theta}) + G_x(\theta)$$

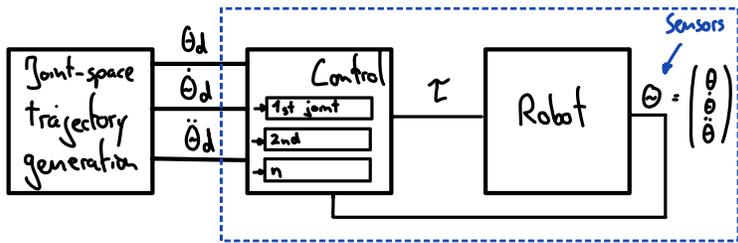
$$\ddot{X} = \dot{J}\dot{\theta} + J\ddot{\theta}$$

V_x and G_x , calculated from V, G as cartesian

▶ Parallel robot dynamics

$$\mathcal{Z} = M(\theta)\ddot{\theta} + \mathcal{J}^T(\theta) [M_x(X)\ddot{X} + V_x(X, \dot{X}) + G_x(X)]$$

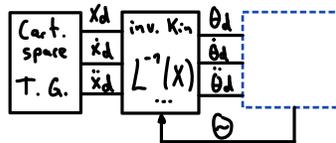
9. Control



High performance always need feedback control
 MIMO system \rightarrow need to be simplified to multiple SISO

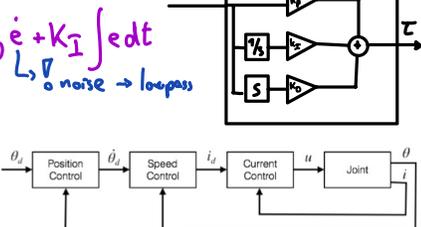
Linear Control

Cartesian space control requires inv. Kin and



$$\dot{\theta}_d = J^{-1} \dot{x}_d \quad \ddot{\theta}_d = J^{-1} \ddot{x}_d - \dot{J}^{-1} \dot{x}_d$$

PID $\tau = k_p e + k_d \dot{e} + k_I \int e dt$



Cascading \rightarrow better tuning

Model-Based \rightarrow with linear SISO model

Non-Linear Control "Computed torque"

\rightarrow Better compensate inertia, damping

Model-based

Design a controller for \ddot{x} or $\ddot{\theta}$ the acceleration only

$$\tau = M(\theta)\ddot{\theta} + V(\theta, \dot{\theta}) + G(\theta) + J^T(\theta)F$$

$$\tau = \alpha \ddot{\theta} + \beta \dot{\theta} + \gamma \theta + \delta$$

"decoupling" \rightarrow feed forward
 \Rightarrow often neglected

$$\ddot{\theta} = \ddot{\theta}_d + K_v(\dot{\theta}_d - \dot{\theta}) + K_p(\theta_d - \theta) + K_I \int E dt$$

Feed-forward + Gain scheduling

\rightarrow β is a feed-forward
 \rightarrow live adaptation can improve perf. \rightarrow adaptive control

\rightarrow Schedule different gains based on operating point

Cartesian Control

Do full control in cartesian space \rightarrow less intuitive

Uses J^{-1} or J^T and F_c or cartesian dyn. model

Force control \rightarrow need torque sensor

\rightarrow sometimes compliance in gripper is sufficient

Hybrid position-force control: when touching an object \rightarrow the force control is activated

Impedance control: stiffer in some directions

10. Application analysis

Use robots for dangerous, dirty, dreary tasks DDD

1. Kinematics required; DOF, workspace, accuracy
2. End-effector; payload
3. Fixtures and external sensors, vision
4. Path-planning and control; sketch trajectories, singularities, force control
5. Costs