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# Manipulator Dynamics 4



# Langrangian Formulation of Manipulator Dynamics 1/

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1. Define a set of **generalized coordinates** for  $i=1,2,3\dots N$ .

These coordinates can be chosen arbitrarily as long as they provide a set of independent variables that map the system in a 1-to-1 manner. The usual variable set for serial manipulators is:

$$q_i = \begin{cases} \theta_i & \text{if revolute joint} \\ d_i & \text{if prismatic joint} \end{cases}$$

2. Define a set of **generalized velocities**  $\dot{q}_i$  for  $i=1,2,3\dots N$

3. Define a set of **generalized forces (and moments)**  $Q_i$  for  $i=1,2,3\dots N$

The generalized forces must satisfy

$$Q_i \delta q_i = \delta W$$

where  $\delta q_i$  is a small change in the generalized coordinate and  $\delta W$  is the work done corresponding to that small change.



## Langrangian Formulation of Manipulator Dynamics 2/

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4. Write the equations describing the **kinetic and potential energies** as functions of the generalized coordinates as well as the resulting Lagrangian.

Let  $K$  denote the expression describing the kinetic energy. where  $K = f(q_i, \dot{q}_i, t)$

$$k_i = \frac{1}{2} v_{ci}^T m_i v_{ci} + \frac{1}{2} \omega_i^{ci} I_i^i \omega_i$$

Let  $P$  denote the expression describing the potential energy. where  $P = f(q_i, t)$

$$P = \sum mgh_i + \frac{1}{2} kx^2$$

Let  $L$  denote the Lagrangian given by:

$$L = K - P$$



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5. The equations of motion are given by

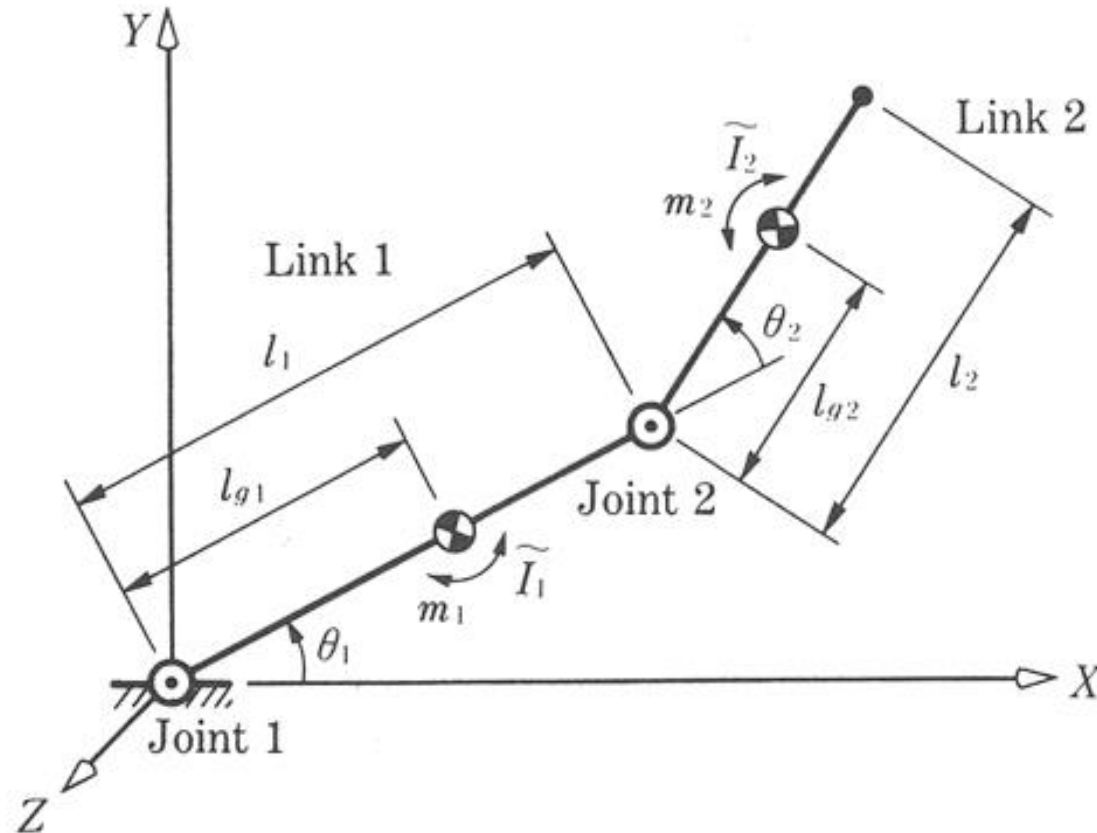
$$Q_i = \frac{d}{dt} \left( \frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{q}_i} \right) - \frac{\partial L}{\partial q_i}$$

or, more practically, by

$$Q_i = \frac{d}{dt} \left( \frac{\partial K}{\partial \dot{q}_i} \right) - \frac{\partial K}{\partial q_i} + \frac{\partial P}{\partial q_i}$$



## Langrangian Formulation - 2R Robot Example





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**Step 1:** Let  $q_1 = \theta_1$  and  $q_2 = \theta_2$

**Step 2:** Let  $\dot{q}_1 = \dot{\theta}_1$  and  $\dot{q}_2 = \dot{\theta}_2$

**Step 3:** Let external forces/torques  $Q_i = \tau_i$

**Step 4:**

- Kinetic Energy:  $k_i = \frac{1}{2} m_i v_{ci}^T v_{ci} + \frac{1}{2} \omega_i^{ci} I_i^i \omega_i$

- For  $i=1$

$$k_1 = \frac{1}{2} m_1 L_{g1}^2 \dot{\theta}_1^2 + \frac{1}{2} I_1 \dot{\theta}_1^2$$



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- To find the velocity of the center of mass of link 2, first consider its position given by

$${}^0P_{g2} = \begin{bmatrix} L_1 c1 + L_{g2} c12 \\ L_1 s1 + L_{g2} s12 \end{bmatrix}$$

- The derivative squared gives

$$v_{ci}^T v_{ci} = L_1^2 \dot{\theta}_1^2 + L_{g2}^2 (\dot{\theta}_1 + \dot{\theta}_2)^2 + 2L_1 L_{g2} c2 (\dot{\theta}_1^2 + \dot{\theta}_1 \dot{\theta}_2)$$

- For  $i=2$

$$k_2 = \frac{1}{2} m_2 \left[ L_1^2 \dot{\theta}_1^2 + L_{g2}^2 (\dot{\theta}_1 + \dot{\theta}_2)^2 + 2L_1 L_{g2} c2 (\dot{\theta}_1^2 + \dot{\theta}_1 \dot{\theta}_2) \right] + \frac{1}{2} I_2 (\dot{\theta}_1 + \dot{\theta}_2)^2$$



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- Potential Energy:  $p = \sum mgh_i$
- For  $i=1$   $p_1 = m_1 g L_{g1} s1$
- For  $i=2$   $p_2 = m_2 g (L_1 s1 + L_{g2} s12)$
- Lagrangian:  $L = k_1 + k_2 - p_1 - p_2$





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- **Step 5: Solving**

$$Q_i = \frac{d}{dt} \left( \frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{q}_i} \right) - \frac{\partial L}{\partial q_i}$$

$$Q_i = \frac{d}{dt} \left( \frac{\partial K}{\partial \dot{q}_i} \right) - \frac{\partial K}{\partial q_i} + \frac{\partial P}{\partial q_i}$$

$$\tau_1 = \frac{d}{dt} \left( \frac{\partial K}{\partial \dot{\theta}_1} \right) - \frac{\partial K}{\partial \theta_1} + \frac{\partial P}{\partial \theta_1}$$

$$\tau_2 = \frac{d}{dt} \left( \frac{\partial K}{\partial \dot{\theta}_2} \right) - \frac{\partial K}{\partial \theta_2} + \frac{\partial P}{\partial \theta_2}$$



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$$\begin{aligned}\tau_1 = & [m_1 L_{g1} + I_1 + m_2 (L_1^2 + L_{g2}^2 + 2L_1 L_{g2} c_2) + I_2] \ddot{\theta}_1 \\ & + [m_2 (L_{g2}^2 + L_1 L_{g2} c_2 + I_2)] \ddot{\theta}_2 \\ & - m_2 L_1 L_{g2} s_2 (2\dot{\theta}_1 \dot{\theta}_2 + \dot{\theta}_2^2) \\ & + m_1 g L_{g1} c_1 + m_2 g (L_1 c_1 + L_{g2} c_{12})\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\tau_2 = & [m_2 (L_{g2}^2 + L_1 L_{g2} c_2) + I_2] \ddot{\theta}_1 \\ & + [m_2 L_{g2} + I_2] \ddot{\theta}_2 \\ & + m_2 L_1 L_{g2} s_2 \dot{\theta}_1^2 \\ & + m_2 g L_{g2} c_{12}\end{aligned}$$



## Gravity Effects - Lagrangian Formulation

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$$\tau_i = \frac{d}{dt} \left( \frac{\partial K(\theta, \dot{\theta})}{\partial \dot{\theta}_i} \right) - \frac{\partial K(\theta, \dot{\theta})}{\partial \theta_i} + \frac{\partial P(\theta)}{\partial \theta_i}$$

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



## Manipulators - Control Problem

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



## Manipulators – Non Linear Control Problem

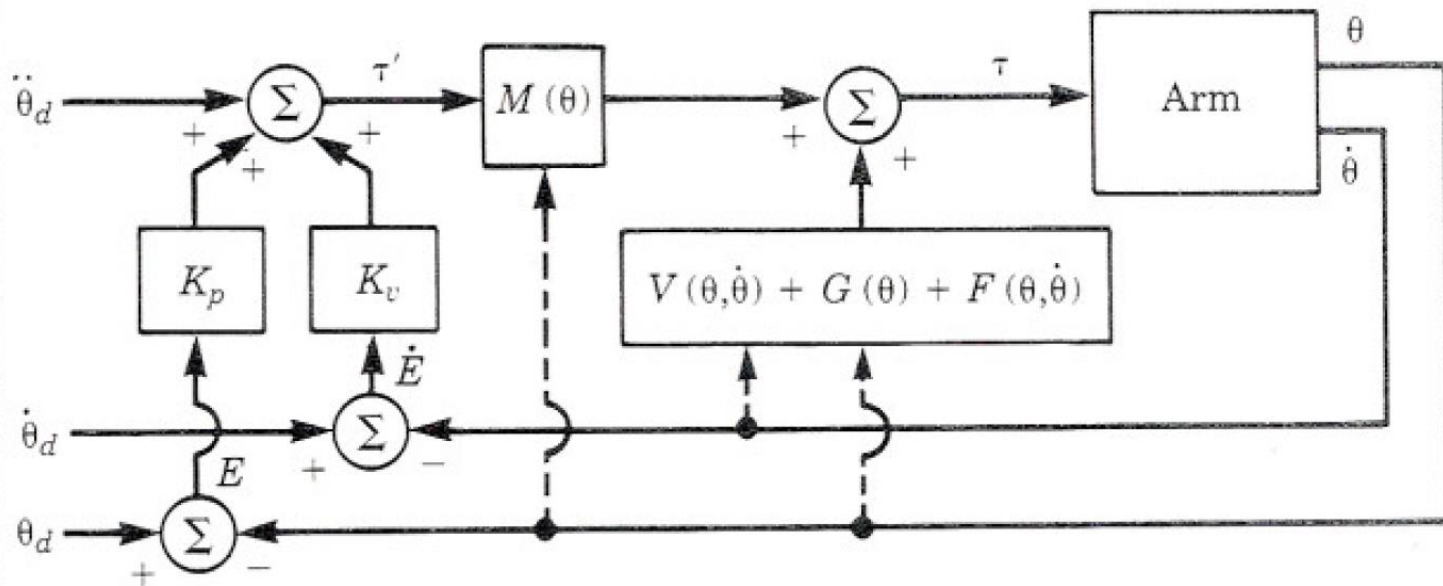
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## Manipulators – Non Linear Control Problem

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





## Equation of Motion – Non Rigid Body Effects

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

- Viscous Friction  $\tau_{friction} = v\dot{\theta}$
- Coulomb Friction  $\tau_{friction} = c \operatorname{sgn}(\dot{\theta})$
- Model of Friction  $\tau_{friction} = v\dot{\theta} + c \operatorname{sgn}(\dot{\theta}) = f(\theta, \dot{\theta})$



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## Dynamic Equations - State Space Equation

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- It is often convenient to express the dynamic equations of a manipulator in a single equation

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

where

$M(\theta)$  - Mass matrix (includes inertia terms) -  *$n \times n$  Matrix*

$V(\theta, \dot{\theta})$  - Centrifugal (square of joint velocity) and Coriolis (product of two different joint velocities) terms -  *$n \times 1$  Vector*

$G(\theta)$  - gravitational terms -  *$n \times 1$  Vector.*



## Dynamic Equations - Configuration Space Equation

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- By rewriting the velocity dependent term  $V(\theta, \dot{\theta})$  in a different form, we can write the dynamic equations as

$$\tau = M(\theta)\ddot{\theta} + B(\theta)[\dot{\theta} \dot{\theta}] + C(\theta)[\dot{\theta}^2] + G(\theta)$$

where

$B(\theta)$  - Centrifugal coefficients (square of joint velocity)

$C(\theta)$  - Coriolis coefficients (product of two different joint velocities)

- This form can be useful for applications using force control. Each of the matrices is a function of manipulator configuration only (that is, joint position) and can be updated at a rate depending on the magnitude of joint changes.





## Dynamic Equations - Cartesian State Space Equation

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- It can sometimes be desirable to have a relationship between the end effector's Cartesian accelerations and the joint torques. Beginning from the Configuration Space equation

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

- we can substitute the joint moments using our definition of the Jacobian matrix:

$$\tau = J^T(\theta)F \quad F = J^{-T}(\theta)\tau$$

$$\dot{x} = J(\theta)\dot{\theta}$$

- By differentiation, we find

$$\ddot{x} = \dot{J}(\theta)\dot{\theta} + J(\theta)\ddot{\theta}$$



## Dynamic Equations - Cartesian State Space Equation

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- Solving for joint acceleration gives

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

- Substitution yields

$$F = J^{-T}\tau = J^{-T}M(\theta)J^{-1}\ddot{x} - J^{-T}M(\theta)J^{-1}\dot{J}\dot{\theta} + J^{-T}V(\theta, \dot{\theta}) + J^{-T}G(\theta)$$

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

Where

$$M_x(\theta) = J^{-T}M(\theta)J^{-1}$$

$$V_x(\theta, \dot{\theta}) = J^{-T}M(\theta)J^{-1}\dot{J}\dot{\theta} + J^{-T}V(\theta, \dot{\theta})$$

$$G_x(\theta) = J^{-T}G(\theta)$$

- This equation relates the forces and moments at the end effector to the Cartesian accelerations of the end effector and the manipulator joint positions and velocities.