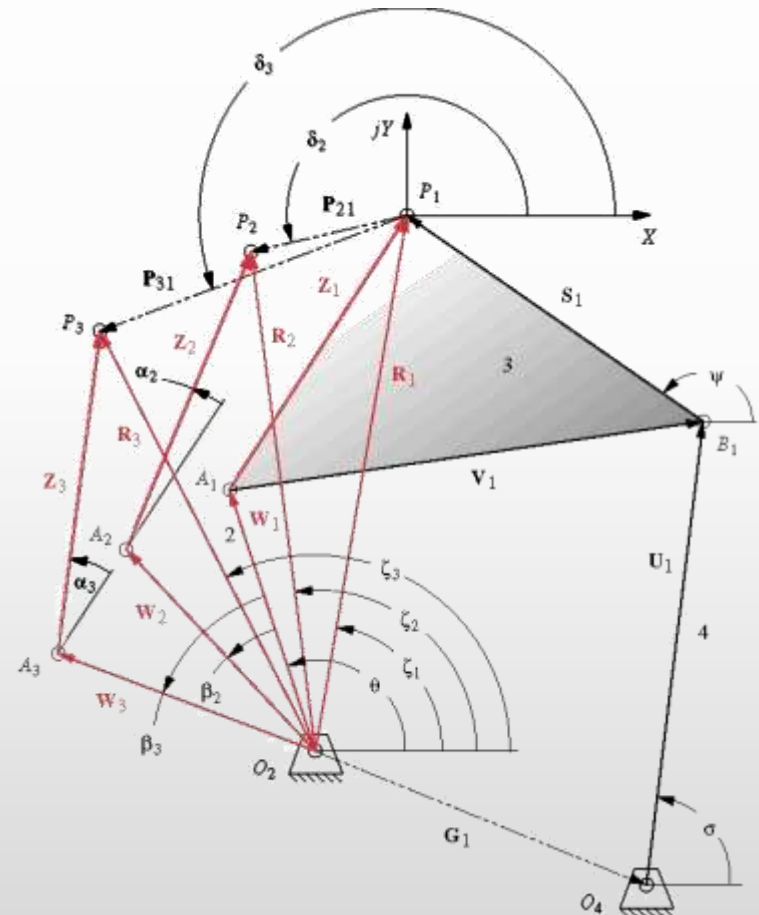


Kinematics & Dynamics of Linkages

Lecture 13: 3 Positions Analytical Synthesis

3-Position Motion Generation with Fixed Pivots

Design a four bar linkage that will move a line on its coupler link such that a point P on that line will be first at P_1 , P_2 and later P_3 and will also rotate the line through an angle α_2 and then α_3 assuming fixed pivots O_2 and O_4



1st Dyade: WZ

Define the following variables:

w = length link2

θ = initial angle of link2

β_2 = 1st change in angle of link2

β_3 = 2nd change in angle of link2

z = distance from A and P

Φ = initial angle of link z

α_2 = 1st change in angle of link z

α_3 = 2nd change in angle of link z

p_{21} = distance from point P_1 to P_2

p_{31} = distance from point P_1 to P_3

δ_2 = orientation angle of line from P_1 to P_2

δ_3 = orientation angle of line from P_1 to P_3

R_1 = position vector O_2P_1

R_2 = position vector O_2P_2

R_3 = position vector O_2P_3

ξ_1 = orientation angle of R_1

ξ_2 = orientation angle of R_2

ξ_3 = orientation angle of R_3

R_1 = magnitude of R_1

R_2 = magnitude of R_2

R_3 = magnitude of R_3

1st Dyade: WZ – Solution

Write the Vector loop of each precision position

$$W_1 + Z_1 = R_1$$

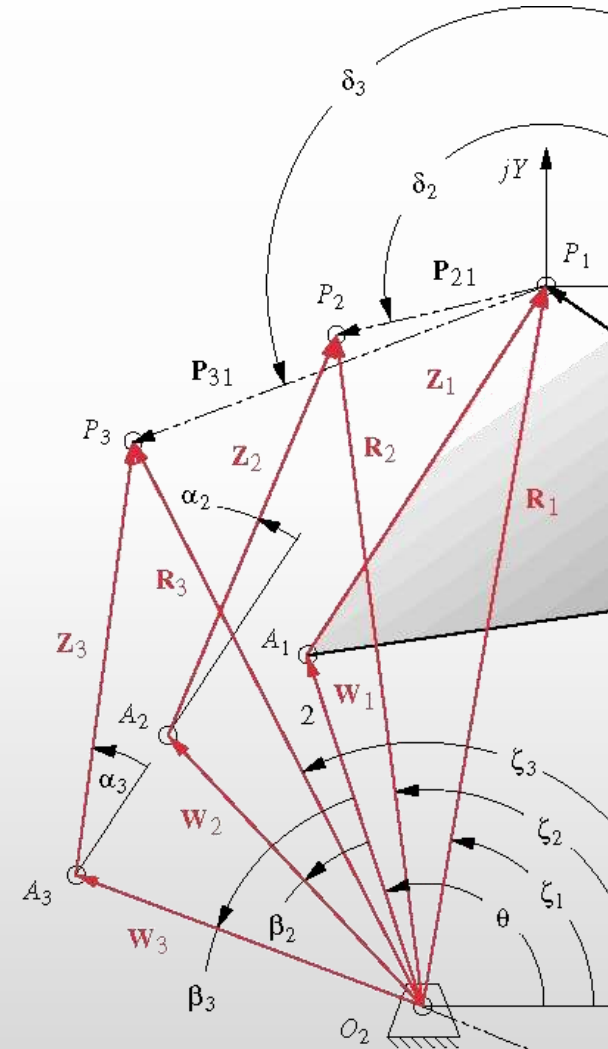
$$W_2 + Z_2 = R_2$$

$$W_3 + Z_3 = R_3$$

Substitute

$$W_1 = we^{j\theta}, W_2 = we^{j(\theta+\beta_2)} = W_1 e^{j\beta_2}$$

$$Z_1 = ze^{j\phi}, Z_2 = ze^{j(\phi+\alpha_2)} = Z_1 e^{j\alpha_2}$$



1st Dyade: WZ – Solution

Resultant system of equations

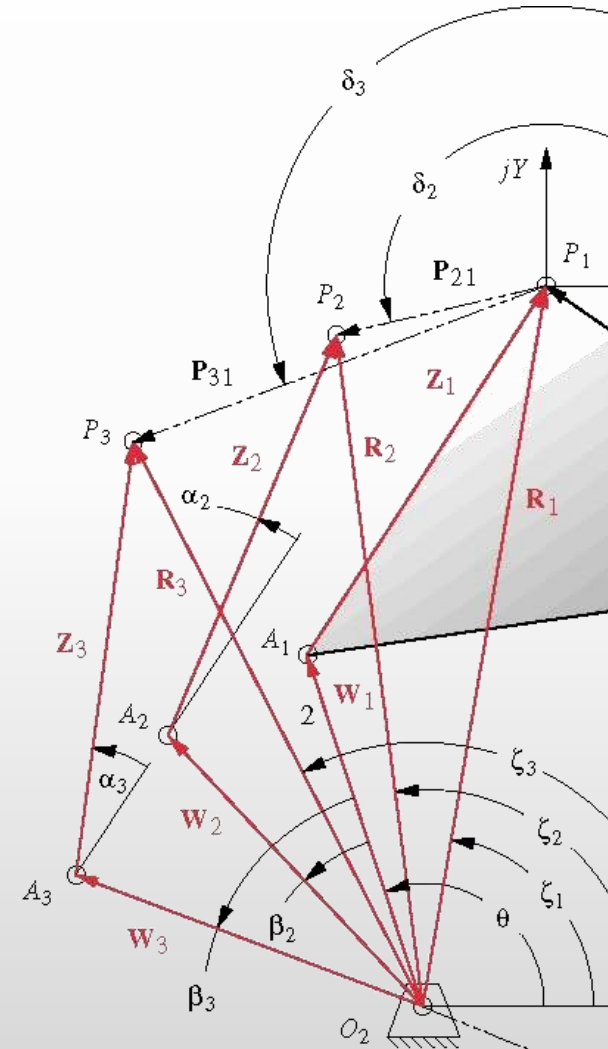
$$W_1 + Z_1 = R_1$$

$$W_1 e^{j\beta_2} + Z_1 e^{j\alpha_2} = R_2$$

$$W_1 e^{j\beta_3} + Z_1 e^{j\alpha_3} = R_3$$

Solution: determinant of the below matrix is zero

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & R_1 \\ e^{j\beta_2} & e^{j\alpha_2} & R_2 \\ e^{j\beta_3} & e^{j\alpha_3} & R_3 \end{bmatrix}$$



1st Dyade: WZ - Solution

The determinant can be simplified to

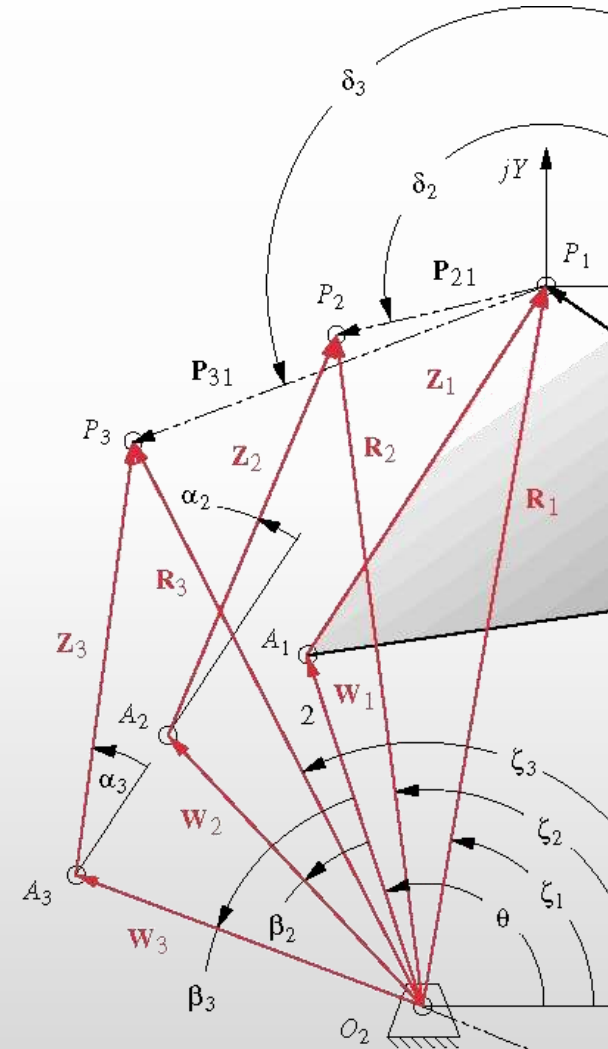
$$A + Be^{j\beta_2} + Ce^{j\beta_3} = 0$$

Where

$$A = R_3 e^{j\alpha_2} - R_2 e^{j\alpha_3}$$

$$B = R_1 e^{j\alpha_3} - R_3$$

$$C = R_2 - R_1 e^{j\alpha_2}$$



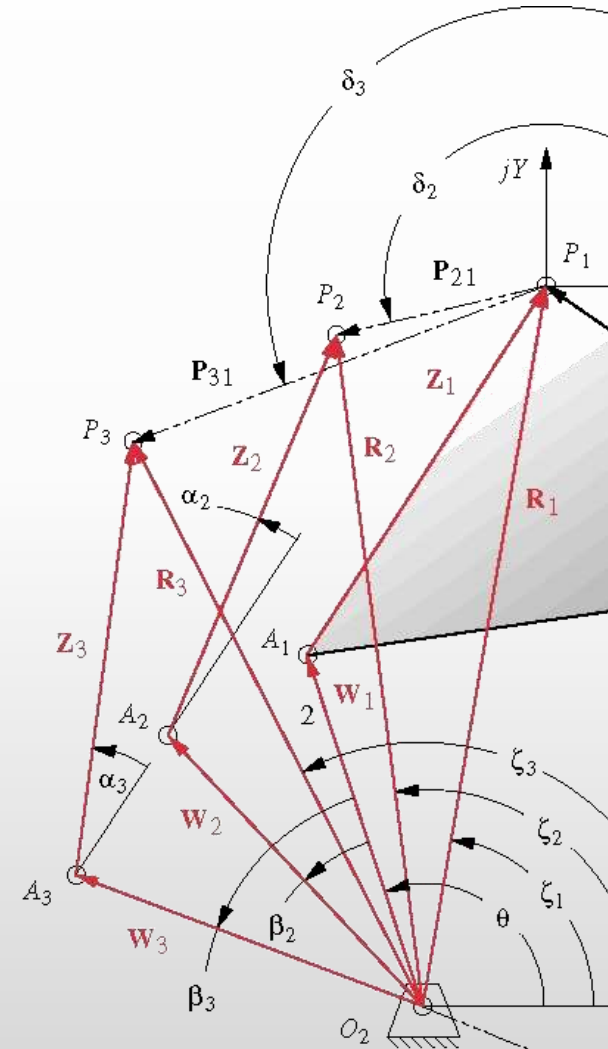
1st Dyade: WZ – Solution

Solving the real and imaginary part of the equation we get

$$\beta_3 = 2 \arctan \left(\frac{K_2 \pm \sqrt{K_1^2 + K_2^2 - K_3^2}}{K_1 + K_3} \right)$$

$$\beta_2 = \arctan \left[\frac{-(A_3 \sin \beta_3 + A_2 \cos \beta_3 + A_4)}{-(A_5 \sin \beta_3 + A_3 \cos \beta_3 + A_6)} \right]$$

Ignore the solution where $\beta_2 = \alpha_2$ and $\beta_3 = \alpha_3$



1st Dyade: WZ – Solution Constants

$$K_1 = A_2 A_4 + A_3 A_6$$

$$K_2 = A_3 A_4 + A_5 A_6$$

$$K_3 = \frac{(A_1^2 - A_2^2 - A_3^2 - A_4^2 - A_6^2)}{2}$$

$$A_1 = -C_3^2 - C_4^2$$

$$A_3 = -C_4 C_6 - C_3 C_5$$

$$A_5 = C_4 C_5 - C_3 C_6$$

$$A_2 = C_3 C_6 - C_4 C_5$$

$$A_4 = C_2 C_3 + C_1 C_4$$

$$A_6 = C_1 C_3 - C_2 C_4$$

$$C_1 = R_3 \cos(\alpha_2 + \zeta_3) - R_2 \cos(\alpha_3 + \zeta_2)$$

$$C_2 = R_3 \sin(\alpha_2 + \zeta_3) - R_2 \sin(\alpha_3 + \zeta_2)$$

$$C_3 = R_1 \cos(\alpha_3 + \zeta_1) - R_3 \cos \zeta_3$$

$$C_4 = -R_1 \sin(\alpha_3 + \zeta_1) + R_3 \sin \zeta_3$$

$$C_5 = R_1 \cos(\alpha_2 + \zeta_1) - R_2 \cos \zeta_2$$

$$C_6 = -R_1 \sin(\alpha_2 + \zeta_1) + R_2 \sin \zeta_2$$

1st Dyade: WZ

Use the following vector loop equation to solve for W and Z

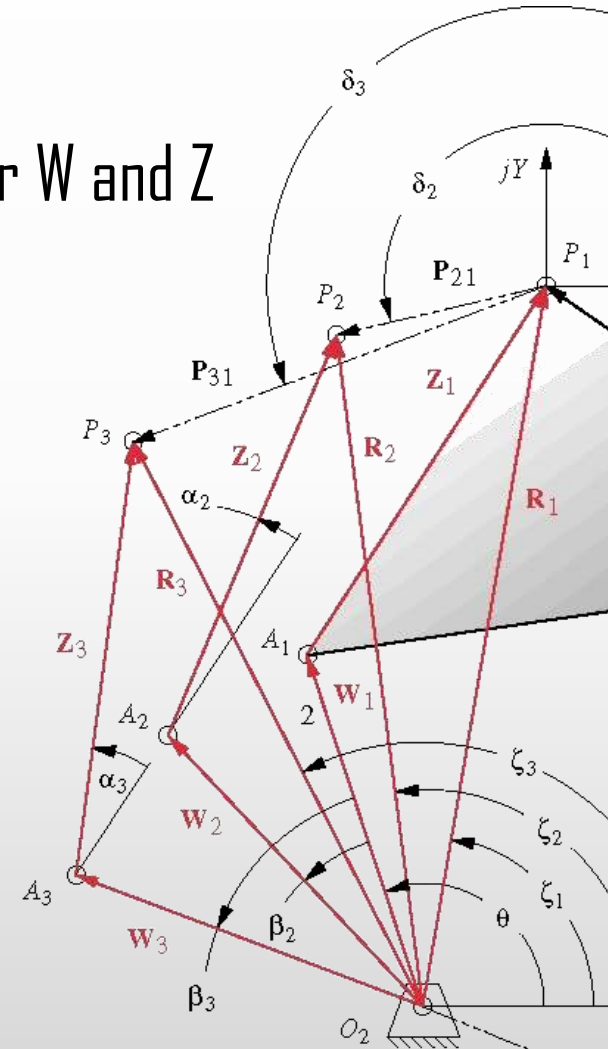
$$W_2 + Z_2 - P_{21} - Z_1 - W_1 = 0$$

$$W_3 + Z_3 - P_{31} - Z_1 - W_1 = 0$$

Unknowns

$$W_{1x} = w \cos \theta \quad Z_{1x} = z \cos \phi$$

$$W_{1y} = w \sin \theta \quad Z_{1y} = z \sin \phi$$



1st Dyade: WZ

Take the real and imaginary components of both equations

$$AW_{1x} - BW_{1y} + CZ_{1x} - DZ_{1y} = E$$

$$FW_{1x} - GW_{1y} + HZ_{1x} - KZ_{1y} = L$$

$$BW_{1x} + AW_{1y} + DZ_{1x} + CZ_{1y} = M$$

$$GW_{1x} + FW_{1y} + KZ_{1x} + HZ_{1y} = N$$

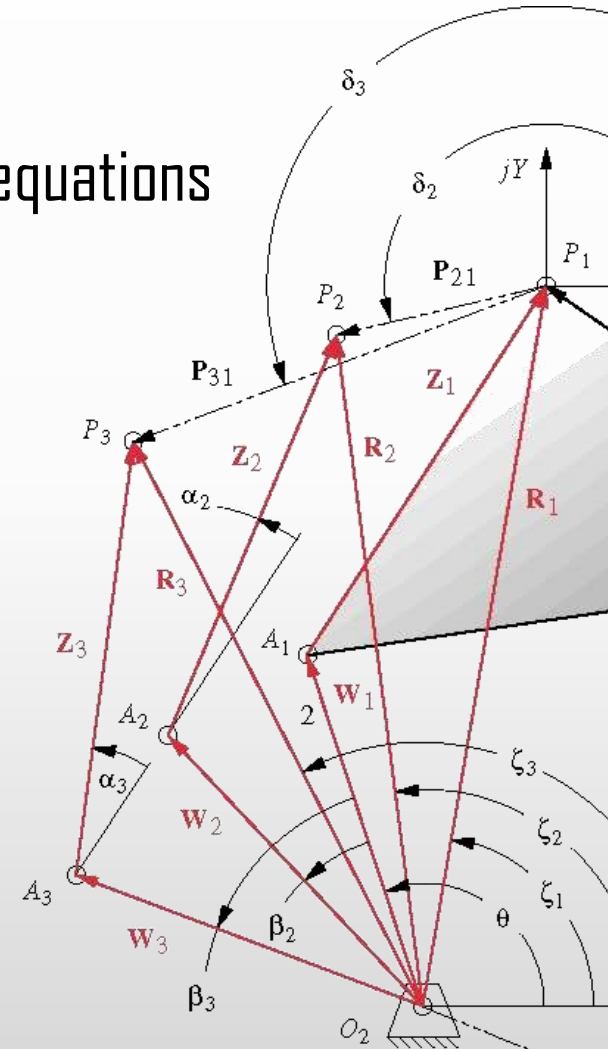
Where

$$A = \cos \beta_2 - 1 \quad B = \sin \beta_2 \quad C = \cos \alpha_2 - 1$$

$$D = \sin \alpha_2 \quad E = p_{21} \cos \delta_2 \quad F = \cos \beta_3 - 1$$

$$G = \sin \beta_3 \quad H = \cos \alpha_3 - 1 \quad K = \sin \alpha_3$$

$$L = p_{31} \cos \delta_3 \quad M = p_{21} \sin \delta_2 \quad N = p_{31} \sin \delta_3$$



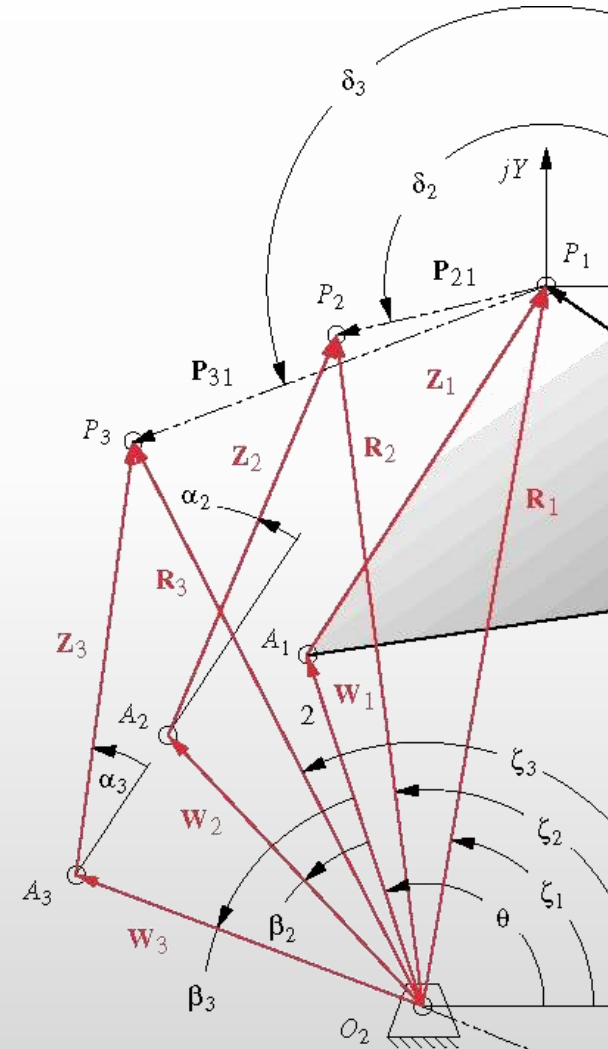
1st Dyade: WZ

Solve the system of equations using matrices

$$\begin{bmatrix} A & -B & C & -D \\ F & -G & H & -K \\ B & A & D & C \\ G & F & K & H \end{bmatrix} \times \begin{bmatrix} W_{1x} \\ W_{1y} \\ Z_{1x} \\ Z_{1y} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} E \\ L \\ M \\ N \end{bmatrix}$$

The matrix solution will give the solution to vectors W and Z.

Redo the same procedure for vector U and S



Solution Summary

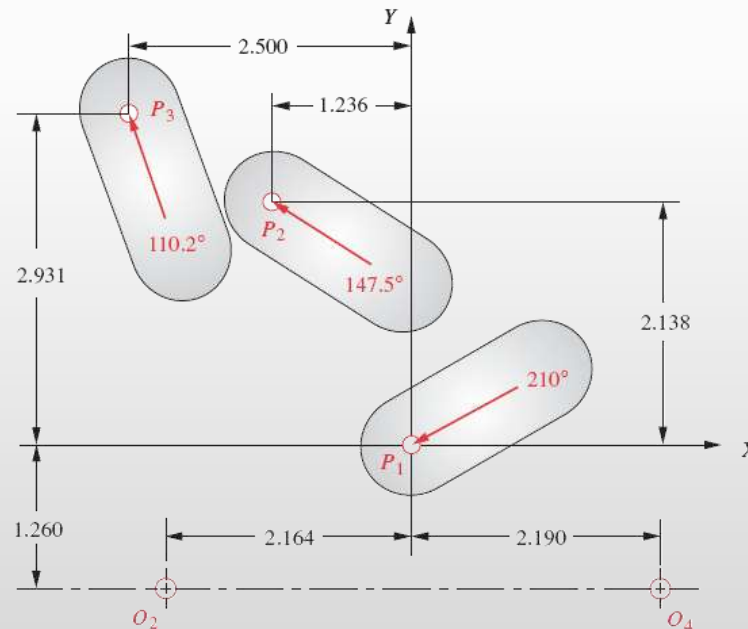
$$\beta_3 = 2 \arctan \left(\frac{K_2 \pm \sqrt{K_1^2 + K_2^2 - K_3^2}}{K_1 + K_3} \right)$$

$$\beta_2 = \arctan \left[\frac{-(A_3 \sin \beta_3 + A_2 \cos \beta_3 + A_4)}{-(A_5 \sin \beta_3 + A_3 \cos \beta_3 + A_6)} \right]$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} A & -B & C & -D \\ F & -G & H & -K \\ B & A & D & C \\ G & F & K & H \end{bmatrix} \times \begin{bmatrix} W_{1x} \\ W_{1y} \\ Z_{1x} \\ Z_{1y} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} E \\ L \\ M \\ N \end{bmatrix}$$

Example: Problem: 5-11 p.255

Design a linkage to carry the body in the figure below through the three positions P_1 , P_2 and P_3 at the angles shown in the figure. Use analytical synthesis and design it for the fixed pivots shown.



Example Solution – Step 1

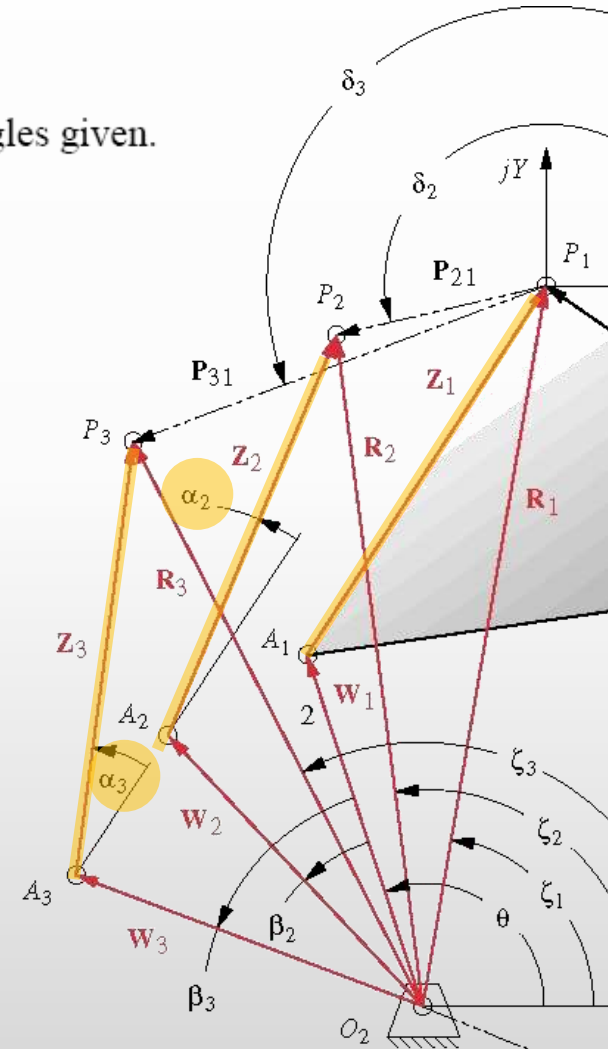
Determine the angle changes between precision points from the body angles given.

$$\alpha_2 := \theta_{P2} - \theta_{P1}$$

$$\alpha_2 = -62.500 \text{ deg}$$

$$\alpha_3 := \theta_{P3} - \theta_{P1}$$

$$\alpha_3 = -99.800 \text{ deg}$$



Example Solution – Step 2

determine the magnitudes of \mathbf{R}_1 , \mathbf{R}_2 , and \mathbf{R}_3 and their x and y components.

$$R_{1x} := -O_{2x} \quad R_{1x} = 2.164 \quad R_{1y} := -O_{2y} \quad R_{1y} = 1.260$$

$$R_{2x} := R_{1x} + P_{21x} \quad R_{2x} = 0.928$$

$$R_{2y} := R_{1y} + P_{21y} \quad R_{2y} = 3.398$$

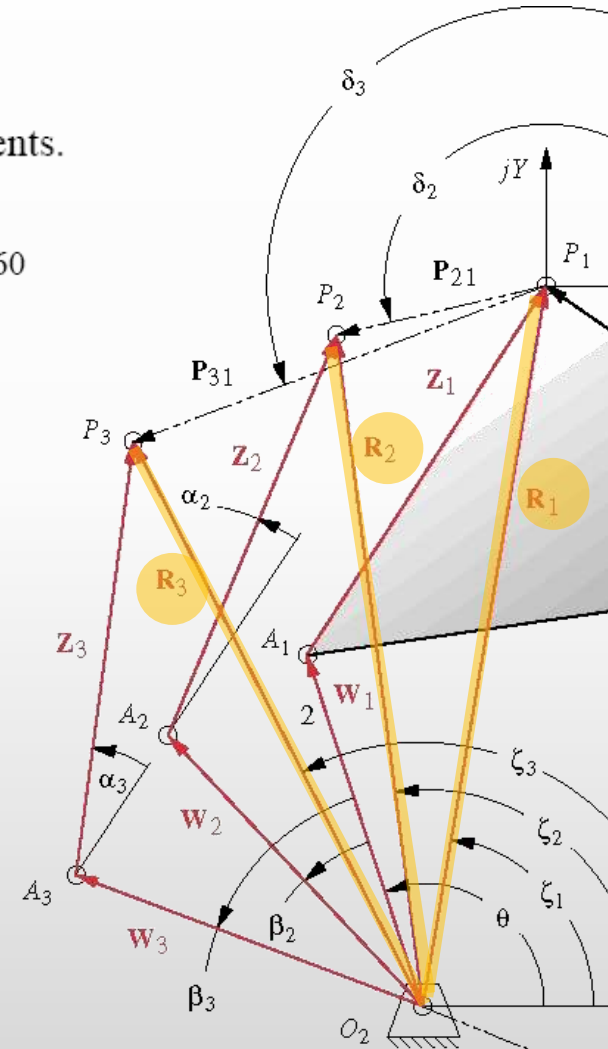
$$R_{3x} := R_{1x} + P_{31x} \quad R_{3x} = -0.336$$

$$R_{3y} := R_{1y} + P_{31y} \quad R_{3y} = 4.191$$

$$R_1 := \sqrt{R_{1x}^2 + R_{1y}^2} \quad R_1 = 2.504$$

$$R_2 := \sqrt{R_{2x}^2 + R_{2y}^2} \quad R_2 = 3.522$$

$$R_3 := \sqrt{R_{3x}^2 + R_{3y}^2} \quad R_3 = 4.204$$



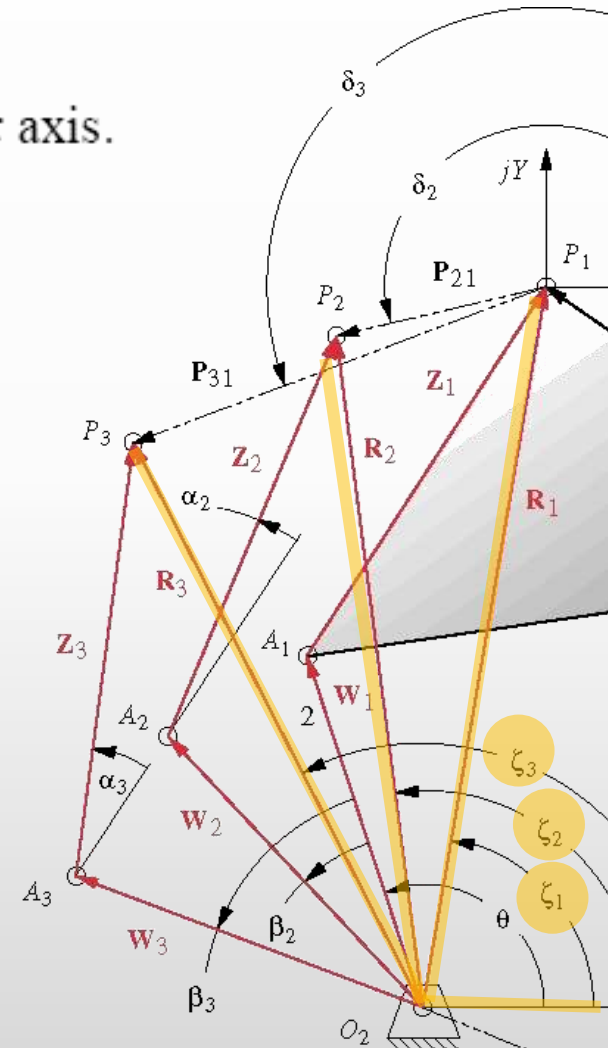
Example Solution – Step 3

determine the angles that \mathbf{R}_1 , \mathbf{R}_2 , and \mathbf{R}_3 make with the x axis.

$$\zeta_1 := \text{atan2}(R_{1x}, R_{1y}) \quad \zeta_1 = 30.210 \text{ deg}$$

$$\zeta_2 := \text{atan2}(R_{2x}, R_{2y}) \quad \zeta_2 = 74.725 \text{ deg}$$

$$\zeta_3 := \text{atan2}(R_{3x}, R_{3y}) \quad \zeta_3 = 94.584 \text{ deg}$$



Example Solution – Step 4a

Solve for β_2 and β_3

$$C_1 := R_3 \cdot \cos(\alpha_2 + \zeta_3) - R_2 \cdot \cos(\alpha_3 + \zeta_2)$$

$$C_1 = 0.372$$

$$C_2 := R_3 \cdot \sin(\alpha_2 + \zeta_3) - R_2 \cdot \sin(\alpha_3 + \zeta_2)$$

$$C_2 = 3.726$$

$$C_3 := R_1 \cdot \cos(\alpha_3 + \zeta_1) - R_3 \cdot \cos(\zeta_3)$$

$$C_3 = 1.209$$

$$C_4 := -R_1 \cdot \sin(\alpha_3 + \zeta_1) + R_3 \cdot \sin(\zeta_3)$$

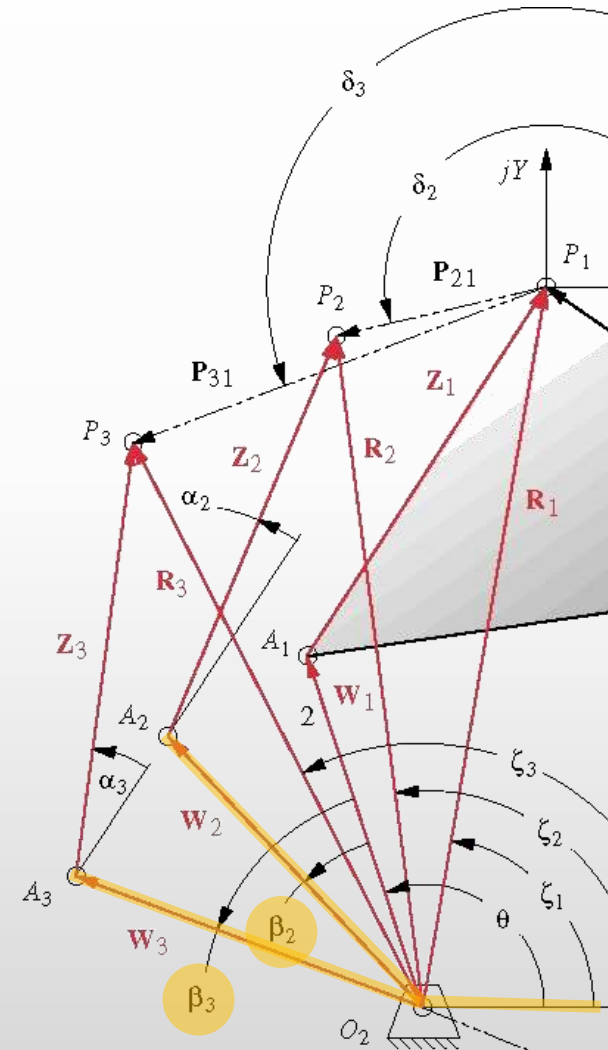
$$C_4 = 6.538$$

$$C_5 := R_1 \cdot \cos(\alpha_2 + \zeta_1) - R_2 \cdot \cos(\zeta_2)$$

$$C_5 = 1.189$$

$$C_6 := -R_1 \cdot \sin(\alpha_2 + \zeta_1) + R_2 \cdot \sin(\zeta_2)$$

$$C_6 = 4.736$$



Example Solution – Step 4b

Solve for β_2 and β_3

$$A_1 := -C_3^2 - C_4^2$$

$$A_2 := C_3 C_6 - C_4 C_5$$

$$A_3 := -C_4 C_6 - C_3 C_5$$

$$A_4 := C_2 C_3 + C_1 C_4$$

$$A_5 := C_4 C_5 - C_3 C_6$$

$$A_6 := C_1 C_3 - C_2 C_4$$

$$K_1 := A_2 A_4 + A_3 A_6$$

$$K_2 := A_3 A_4 + A_5 A_6$$

$$K_3 := \frac{A_1^2 - A_2^2 - A_3^2 - A_4^2 - A_6^2}{2}$$

$$A_1 = -44.206$$

$$A_2 = -2.046$$

$$A_3 = -32.399$$

$$A_4 = 6.937$$

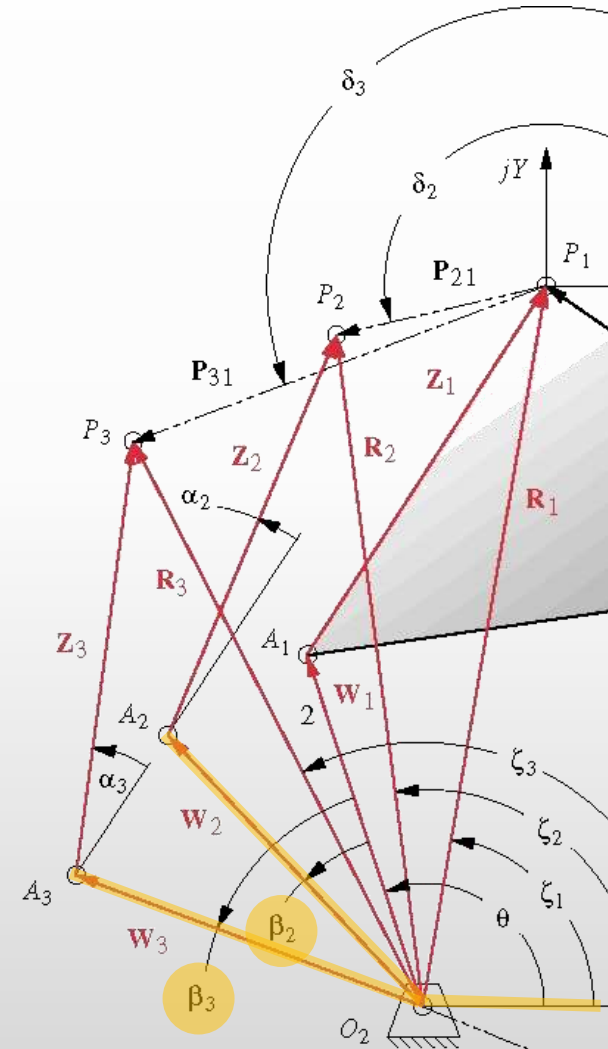
$$A_5 = 2.046$$

$$A_6 = -23.911$$

$$K_1 = 760.497$$

$$K_2 = -273.669$$

$$K_3 = 140.232$$



Example Solution – Step 4c

Solve for β_2 and β_3

$$\beta_{31} := 2 \cdot \text{atan} \left(\frac{K_2 + \sqrt{K_1^2 + K_2^2 - K_3^2}}{K_1 + K_3} \right)$$

$$\beta_{32} := 2 \cdot \text{atan} \left(\frac{K_2 - \sqrt{K_1^2 + K_2^2 - K_3^2}}{K_1 + K_3} \right)$$

The second value is the same as α_3 , so use the first value

$$\beta_{21} := \text{acos} \left(\frac{A_5 \cdot \sin(\beta_3) + A_3 \cdot \cos(\beta_3) + A_6}{A_1} \right)$$

$$\beta_{22} := \text{asin} \left(\frac{A_3 \cdot \sin(\beta_3) + A_2 \cdot \cos(\beta_3) + A_4}{A_1} \right)$$

Since both values are the same,

$$\beta_{31} = 60.217 \text{ deg}$$

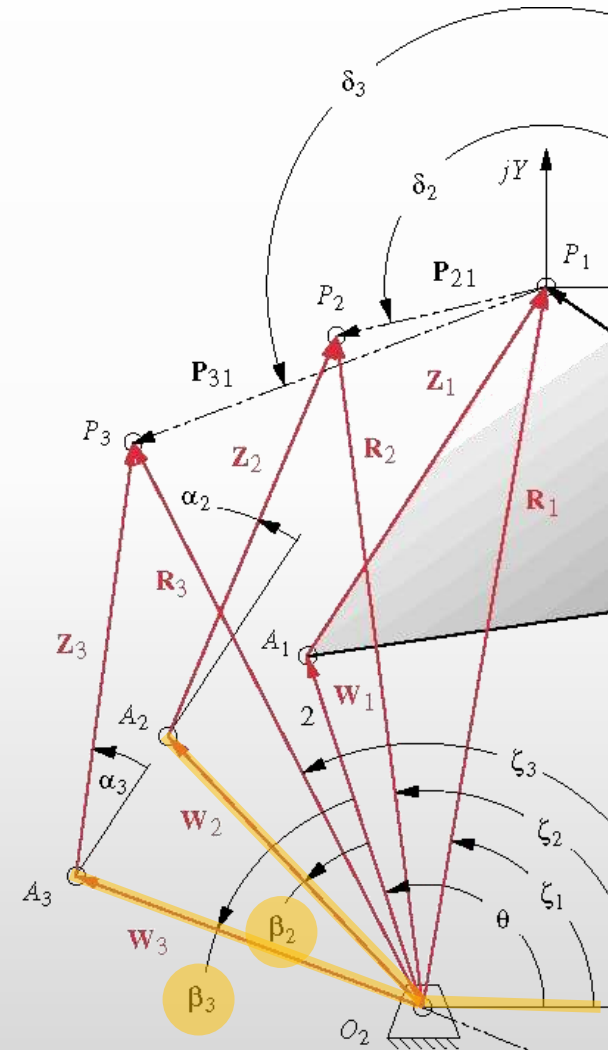
$$\beta_{32} = -99.800 \text{ deg}$$

$$\beta_3 := \beta_{31}$$

$$\beta_{21} = 30.143 \text{ deg}$$

$$\beta_{22} = 30.143 \text{ deg}$$

$$\beta_2 := \beta_{21}$$



Example Solution – Step 6

determine the angles that \mathbf{R}_1 , \mathbf{R}_2 , and \mathbf{R}_3 make with the x axis.

$$\zeta_1 := \text{atan2}(R_{1x}, R_{1y})$$

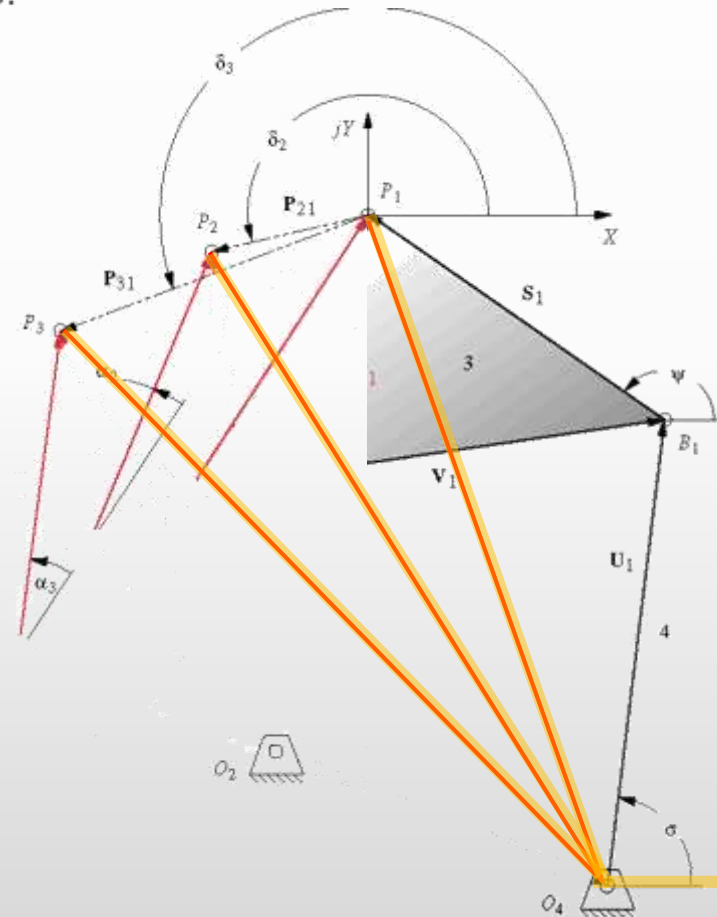
$$\zeta_2 := \text{atan2}(R_{2x}, R_{2y})$$

$$\zeta_3 := \text{atan2}(R_{3x}, R_{3y})$$

$$\zeta_1 = 150.086 \text{ deg}$$

$$\zeta_2 = 135.235 \text{ deg}$$

$$\zeta_3 = 138.216 \text{ deg}$$



Example Solution – Step 7a

Solve for γ_2 and γ_3

$$C_1 := R_3 \cdot \cos(\alpha_2 + \zeta_3) - R_2 \cdot \cos(\alpha_3 + \zeta_2) \quad C_1 = -2.380$$

$$C_2 := R_3 \cdot \sin(\alpha_2 + \zeta_3) - R_2 \cdot \sin(\alpha_3 + \zeta_2) \quad C_2 = 3.298$$

$$C_3 := R_1 \cdot \cos(\alpha_3 + \zeta_1) - R_3 \cdot \cos(\zeta_3) \quad C_3 = 6.304$$

$$C_4 := -R_1 \cdot \sin(\alpha_3 + \zeta_1) + R_3 \cdot \sin(\zeta_3) \quad C_4 = 2.247$$

$$C_5 := R_1 \cdot \cos(\alpha_2 + \zeta_1) - R_2 \cdot \cos(\zeta_2) \quad C_5 = 3.532$$

$$C_6 := -R_1 \cdot \sin(\alpha_2 + \zeta_1) + R_2 \cdot \sin(\zeta_2) \quad C_6 = 0.874$$

Example Solution – Step 7b

$$A_1 := -C_3^2 - C_4^2$$

$$A_1 = -44.796$$

$$A_2 := C_3 \cdot C_6 - C_4 \cdot C_5$$

$$A_2 = -2.431$$

$$A_3 := -C_4 \cdot C_6 - C_3 \cdot C_5$$

$$A_3 = -24.233$$

$$A_4 := C_2 \cdot C_3 + C_1 \cdot C_4$$

$$A_4 = 15.441$$

$$A_5 := C_4 \cdot C_5 - C_3 \cdot C_6$$

$$A_5 = 2.431$$

$$A_6 := C_1 \cdot C_3 - C_2 \cdot C_4$$

$$A_6 = -22.414$$

$$K_1 := A_2 \cdot A_4 + A_3 \cdot A_6$$

$$K_1 = 505.612$$

$$K_2 := A_3 \cdot A_4 + A_5 \cdot A_6$$

$$K_2 = -428.679$$

$$K_3 := \frac{A_1^2 - A_2^2 - A_3^2 - A_4^2 - A_6^2}{2}$$

$$K_3 = 336.363$$

Example Solution – Step 7c

$$\gamma_{31} := 2 \cdot \operatorname{atan} \left(\frac{K_2 + \sqrt{K_1^2 + K_2^2 - K_3^2}}{K_1 + K_3} \right)$$

$$\gamma_{31} = 19.215 \text{ deg}$$

$$\gamma_{32} := 2 \cdot \operatorname{atan} \left(\frac{K_2 - \sqrt{K_1^2 + K_2^2 - K_3^2}}{K_1 + K_3} \right)$$

$$\gamma_{32} = -99.800 \text{ deg}$$

The second value is the same as α_3 , so use the first value

$$\gamma_3 := \gamma_{31}$$

$$\gamma_{21} := \operatorname{acos} \left(\frac{A_5 \cdot \sin(\gamma_3) + A_3 \cos(\gamma_3) + A_6}{A_1} \right)$$

$$\gamma_{21} = 6.628 \text{ deg}$$

$$\gamma_{22} := \operatorname{asin} \left(\frac{A_3 \sin(\gamma_3) + A_2 \cos(\gamma_3) + A_4}{A_1} \right)$$

$$\gamma_{22} = -6.628 \text{ deg}$$

Since γ_2 is not in the first quadrant ,

$$\gamma_2 := \gamma_{22}$$

Example Solution – Step 8

Solve for the linkage vectors as described on slide 11.

Start by finding the magnitudes of vectors P_{21} and P_{31} and its angles:

$$p_{21} := \sqrt{P_{21x}^2 + P_{21y}^2}$$

$$p_{21} = 2.470$$

$$\delta_2 := \text{atan2}(P_{21x}, P_{21y})$$

$$\delta_2 = 120.033 \text{ deg}$$

$$p_{31} := \sqrt{P_{31x}^2 + P_{31y}^2}$$

$$p_{31} = 3.852$$

$$\delta_3 := \text{atan2}(P_{31x}, P_{31y})$$

$$\delta_3 = 130.463 \text{ deg}$$

Example Solution – Step 9

Evaluate terms in the WZ coefficient matrix

$$A := \cos(\beta_2) - 1$$

$$B := \sin(\beta_2)$$

$$C := \cos(\alpha_2) - 1$$

$$D := \sin(\alpha_2)$$

$$E := p_{21} \cdot \cos(\delta_2)$$

$$F := \cos(\beta_3) - 1$$

$$G := \sin(\beta_3)$$

$$H := \cos(\alpha_3) - 1$$

$$K := \sin(\alpha_3)$$

$$L := p_{31} \cdot \cos(\delta_3)$$

$$M := p_{21} \cdot \sin(\delta_2)$$

$$N := p_{31} \cdot \sin(\delta_3)$$

$$AA := \begin{pmatrix} A & -B & C & -D \\ F & -G & H & -K \\ B & A & D & C \\ G & F & K & H \end{pmatrix}$$

$$CC := \begin{pmatrix} E \\ L \\ M \\ N \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} W1x \\ W1y \\ Z1x \\ Z1y \end{pmatrix} := AA^{-1} \cdot CC$$

Example Solution – Step 10

The components of the W and Z vectors are

$$Wlx = 2.915$$

$$Wly = 1.702$$

$$Zlx = -0.751$$

$$Zly = -0.442$$

And the length of link 2 is

$$w := \sqrt{Wlx^2 + Wly^2}$$

$$w = 3.376$$

Example Solution – Step 11

Evaluate terms in the US coefficient matrix

$$A' := \cos(\gamma_2) - 1$$

$$B' := \sin(\gamma_2)$$

$$C := \cos(\alpha_2) - 1$$

$$D := \sin(\alpha_2)$$

$$E := p_{21} \cdot \cos(\delta_2)$$

$$F' := \cos(\gamma_3) - 1$$

$$G' := \sin(\gamma_3)$$

$$H := \cos(\alpha_3) - 1$$

$$K := \sin(\alpha_3)$$

$$L := p_{31} \cdot \cos(\delta_3)$$

$$M := p_{21} \cdot \sin(\delta_2)$$

$$N := p_{31} \cdot \sin(\delta_3)$$

$$AA := \begin{pmatrix} A' & -B' & C & -D \\ F' & -G' & H & -K \\ B' & A' & D & C \\ G' & F' & K & H \end{pmatrix}$$

$$CC := \begin{pmatrix} E \\ L \\ M \\ N \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} U1x \\ U1y \\ S1x \\ S1y \end{pmatrix} := AA^{-1} \cdot CC$$

Example Solution – Step 12

The components of the U and S vectors are

$$U_{1x} = -1.371$$

$$U_{1y} = 3.634$$

$$S_{1x} = -0.819$$

$$S_{1y} = -2.374$$

And the length of link 4 is

$$u := \sqrt{U_{1x}^2 + U_{1y}^2}$$

$$u = 3.884$$

Example Solution – Step 13

Solving for links 3 and 1

$$Vlx := Zlx - Slx$$

$$Vlx = 0.068$$

$$Vly := Zly - Sly$$

$$Vly = 1.932$$

The length of link 3 is: $v := \sqrt{Vlx^2 + Vly^2}$ $v = 1.933$

$$Glx := Wlx + Vlx - Ulx \quad Glx = 4.354$$

$$Gly := Wly + Vly - Uly \quad Gly = -4.441 \times 10^{-15}$$

The length of link 1 is: $g := \sqrt{Glx^2 + Gly^2}$ $g = 4.354$

Example Solution – Step 14

Check the location of the fixed pivot points with respect to the global frame using the calculated vectors $W1$, $Z1$, $U1$, and $S1$

$$O2x := -Z1x - W1x$$

$$O2x = -2.164$$

$$O2y := -Z1y - W1y$$

$$O2y = -1.260$$

$$O4x := -S1x - U1x$$

$$O4x = 2.190$$

$$O4y := -S1y - U1y$$

$$O4y = -1.260$$

Example Solution – Step 15

Determine the location of the coupler point with respect to point A and line AB .

$$\text{Distance from } A \text{ to } P \quad z := \sqrt{Zlx^2 + Zly^2} \quad z = 0.871 \quad r_p := z$$

$$\text{Angle } BAP (\delta_p) \quad s := \sqrt{Slx^2 + Sly^2} \quad s = 2.511$$

$$\psi := \text{atan2}(Slx, Sly) \quad \psi = 250.963 \text{ deg}$$

$$\phi := \text{atan2}(Zlx, Zly) \quad \phi = 210.445 \text{ deg}$$

$$\theta_3 := \text{atan2}(z \cdot \cos(\phi) - s \cdot \cos(\psi), z \cdot \sin(\phi) - s \cdot \sin(\psi))$$

$$\theta_3 = 87.994 \text{ deg}$$

$$\delta_p := \phi - \theta_3 \quad \delta_p = 122.451 \text{ deg}$$

Example Solution – Summary

DESIGN SUMMARY

Link 1: $g = 4.354$

Link 2: $w = 3.376$

Link 3: $v = 1.933$

Link 4: $u = 3.884$

Coupler point: $r_p = 0.871$ $\delta_p = 122.451 \text{ deg}$

VERIFICATION: The calculated values of g (length of the ground link) and of the coordinates of O_2 and O_4 give the same values as those on the problem statement, verifying that the calculated values for the other links and the coupler point are correct.