

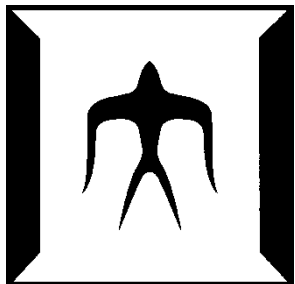
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# Advanced Mechanical Elements (Lecture 3)

*Dynamic analysis of planar/spatial link mechanisms*  
*- Driving force and joint force analysis*  
*using the systematic kinematic analysis -*

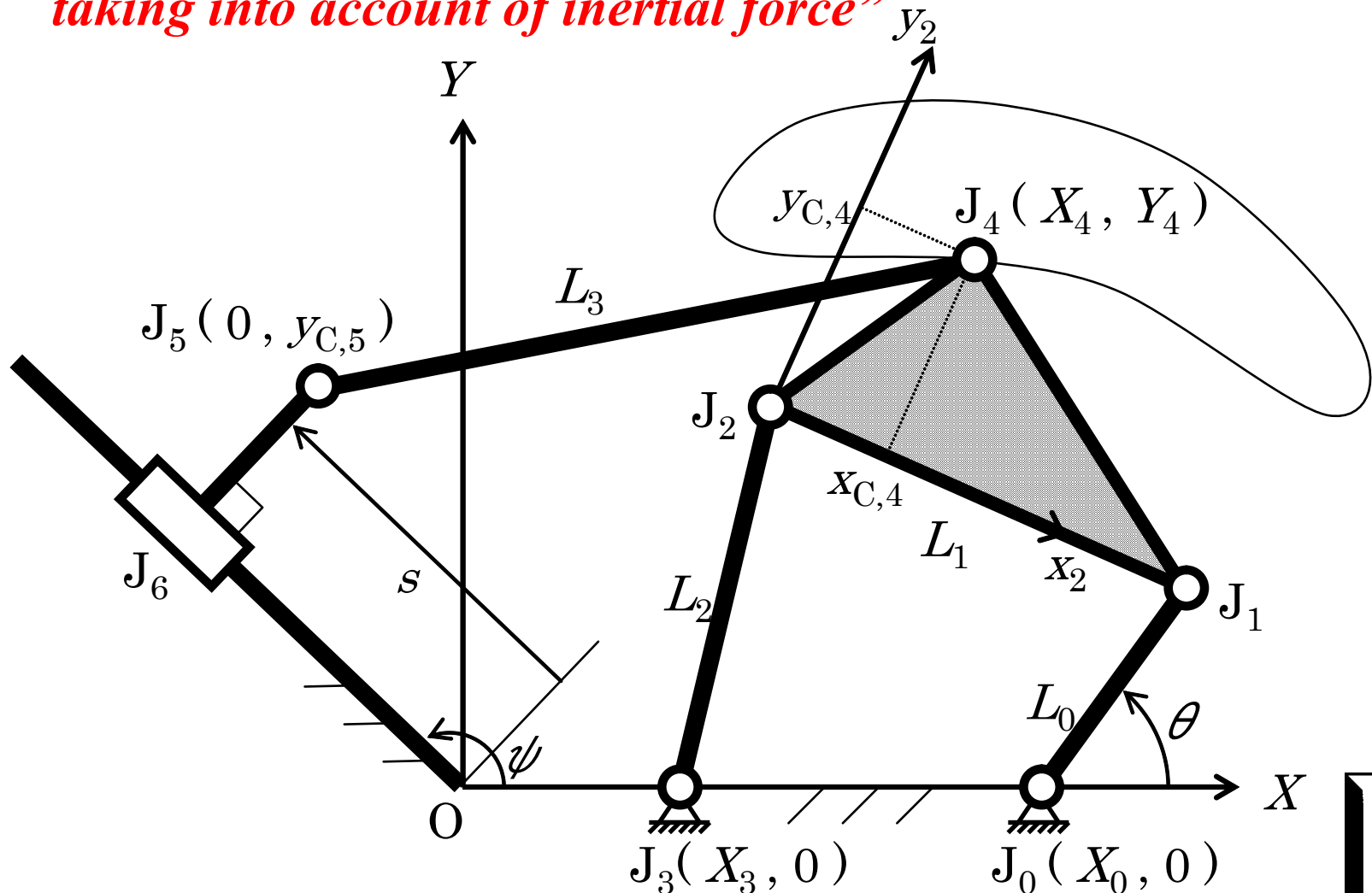
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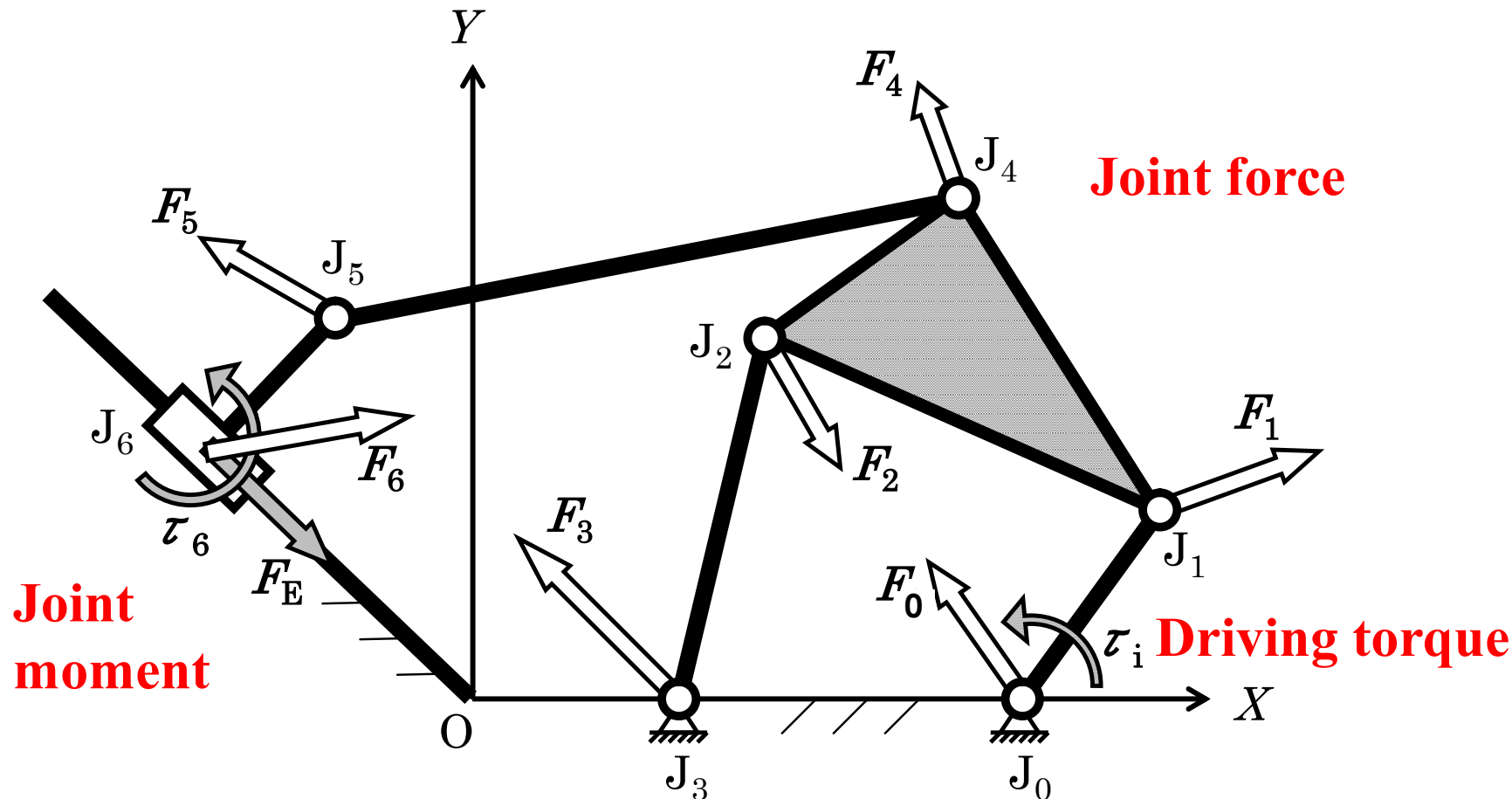


# 1. Dynamics Analysis of Planar Link Mechanisms

*“Dynamics Analysis : Motion and Applying Force Analysis taking into account of inertial force”*



## a. Forces and moments applying on a mechanism



forces and moments applying on pairs  
in a crank-input slider-output planar 6-bar link mechanism



A driving torque is transferred via joint force and moments  
and drives all of moving links.



## a. Forces and moments applying on a mechanism

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*We can achieve the following two kinds of analyses:*

*(1) Forward dynamics analysis:*

*By specifying driving force/torque, motion of mechanism should then be calculated.*

*(2) Inverse dynamics analysis:*

*By specifying the desired motion of mechanism, the driving force/torque and joint forces and moments should then be calculated.*

*Question:*

*Which is easy to calculate?*

*— Forward dynamics or Inverse dynamics? —*

*and drives all of moving links.*

## a. Forces and moments applying on a mechanism

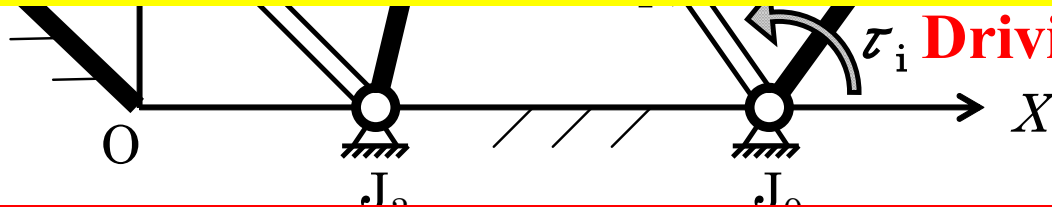
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**Answer:**

*Inverse dynamics calculation is very easy and will be achieved only by solving a system of linear equations.*

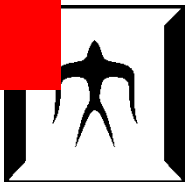
*Forward dynamics calculation is very complicated and requires to derive a system of differential equations and to solve it numerically.*

some  
moment

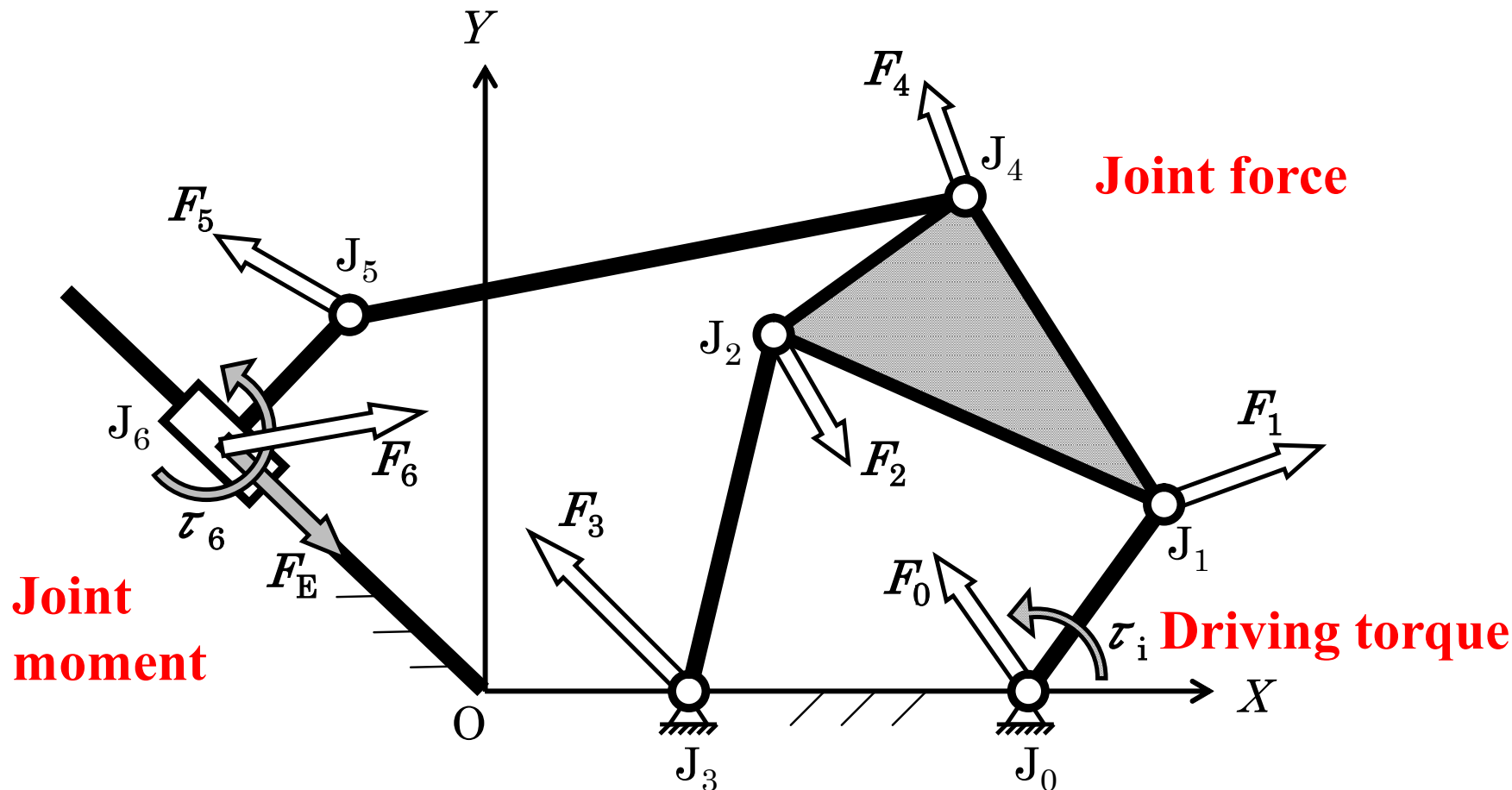


***So, firstly let's try inverse dynamics calculation !***

and drives all of moving links.



## a. Forces and moments applying on Mechanism



Forces and moments applied on pairs  
in a crank-input slider-output planar 6-bar link mechanism

*Let's derive an equation of motion for each moving link  
by taking account of joint forces and moments.*

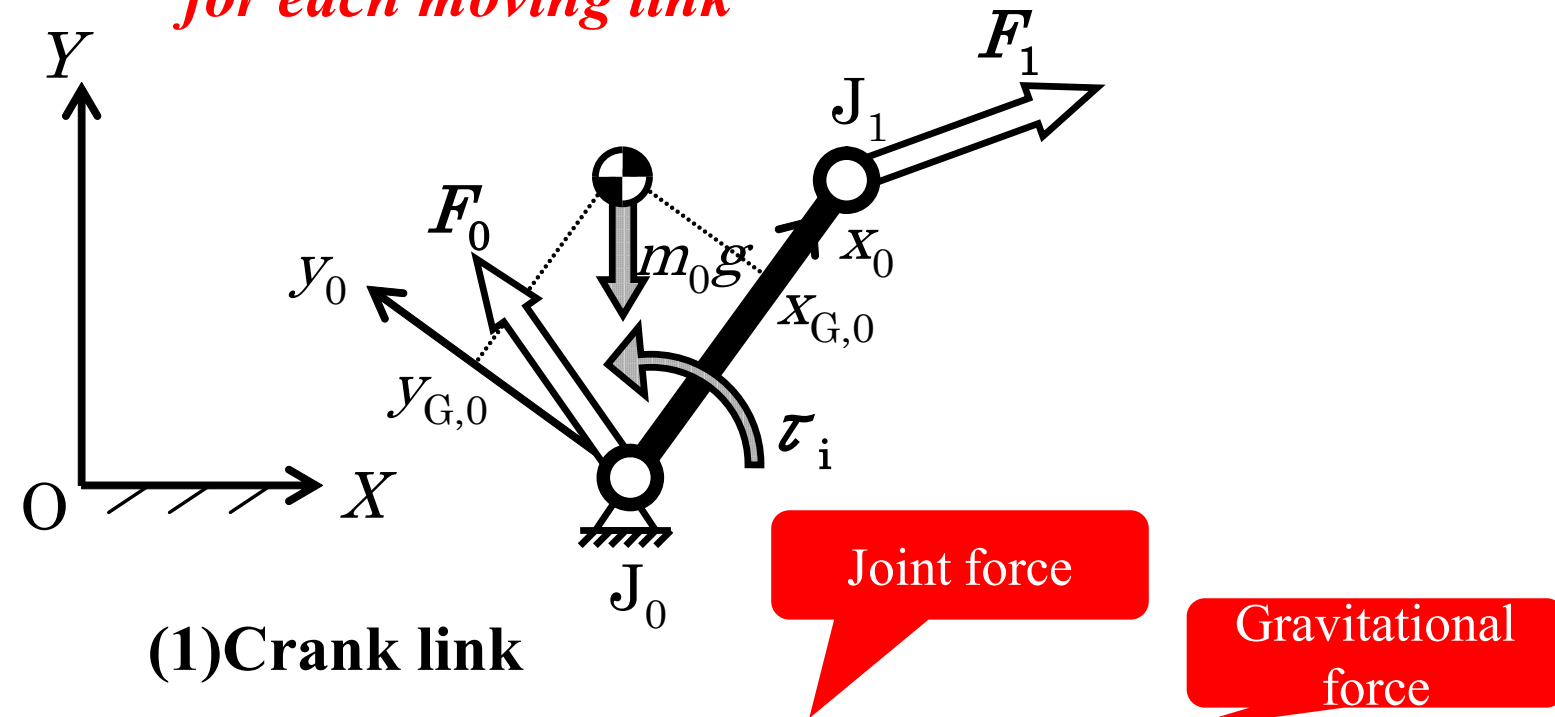


## b. Equations of motion of planar link mechanism

*“Equation of translational motion of COG*

*Equation of angular motion about COG*

*for each moving link”*



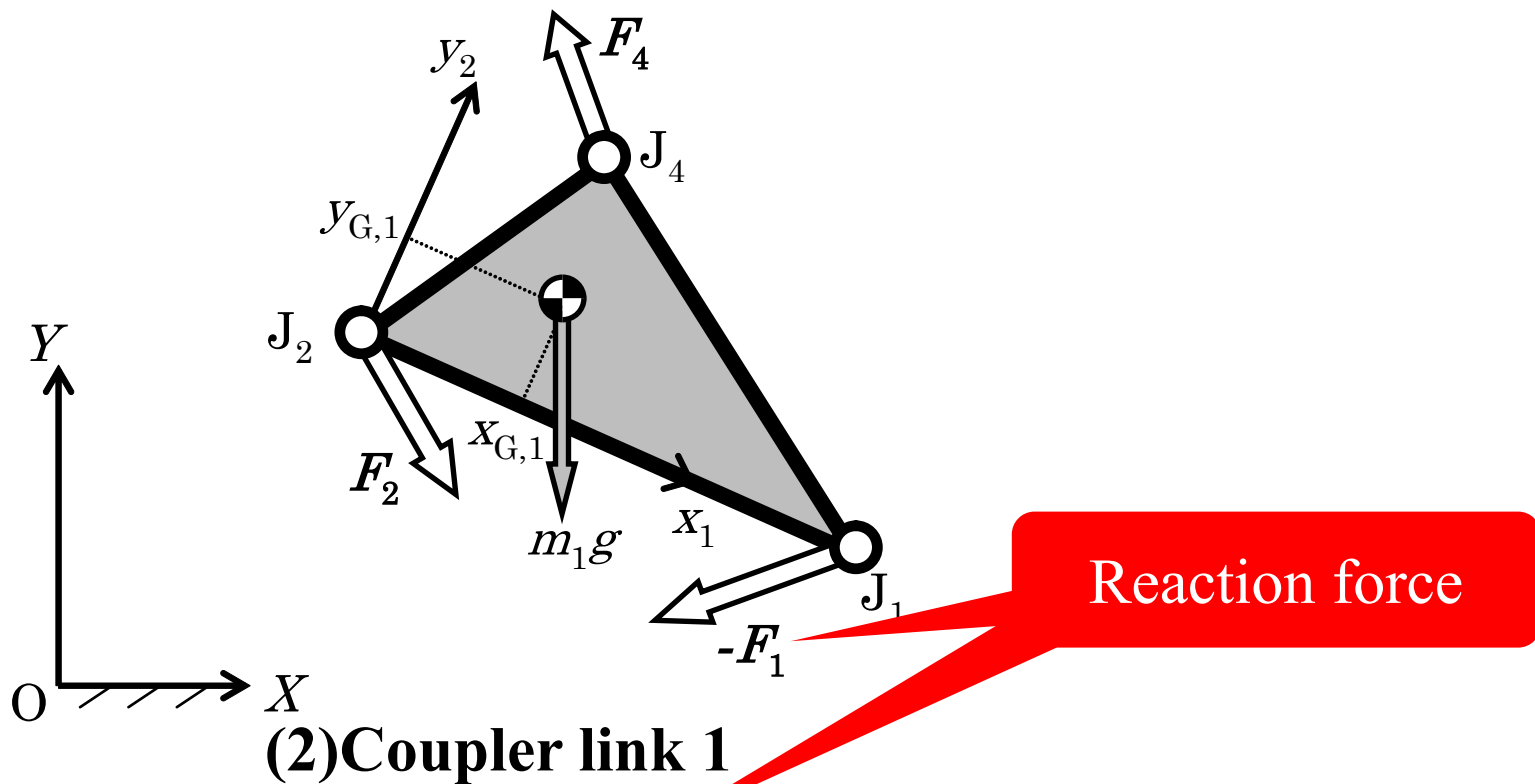
Translational:  $m_0 \ddot{\mathbf{G}}_0 = \mathbf{F}_0 + \mathbf{F}_1 + m_0 \mathbf{g}$

Angular:  $I_0 \ddot{\phi}_{G,0} = \tau_i + (\mathbf{J}_0 - \mathbf{G}_0) \times \mathbf{F}_0 + (\mathbf{J}_1 - \mathbf{G}_0) \times \mathbf{F}_1$

Driving torque

Moment due to  
joint force



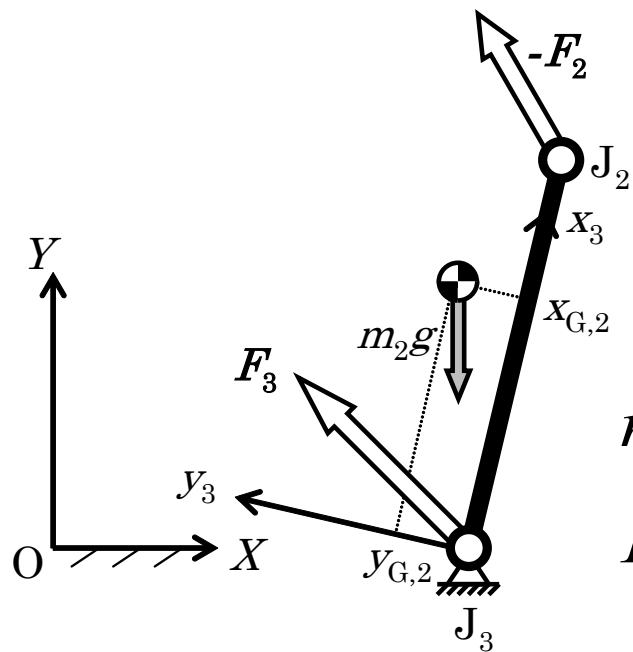


Translational:  $m_1 \ddot{\mathbf{G}}_1 = -\mathbf{F}_1 + \mathbf{F}_2 + \mathbf{F}_4 + m_1 \mathbf{g}$

Angular: 
$$I_1 \ddot{\phi}_{G,1} = -(\mathbf{J}_1 - \mathbf{G}_1) \times \mathbf{F}_1 + (\mathbf{J}_2 - \mathbf{G}_1) \times \mathbf{F}_2 + (\mathbf{J}_4 - \mathbf{G}_1) \times \mathbf{F}_4$$

where 
$$\mathbf{J}_i = \begin{Bmatrix} X_i \\ Y_i \end{Bmatrix} \quad \mathbf{G}_j = \begin{Bmatrix} X_{G,j} \\ Y_{G,j} \end{Bmatrix} \quad \mathbf{F}_k = \begin{Bmatrix} F_{k,X} \\ F_{k,Y} \end{Bmatrix}$$

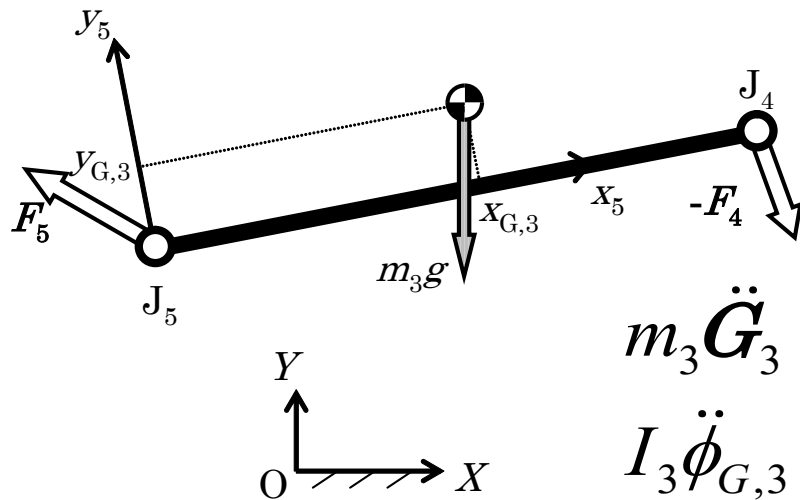




$$m_2 \ddot{\mathbf{G}}_2 = -\mathbf{F}_2 + \mathbf{F}_3 + m_2 \mathbf{g}$$

$$I_2 \ddot{\phi}_{G,2} = -(\mathbf{J}_2 - \mathbf{G}_2) \times \mathbf{F}_2 + (\mathbf{J}_3 - \mathbf{G}_2) \times \mathbf{F}_3$$

**(3) Coupler link 2**

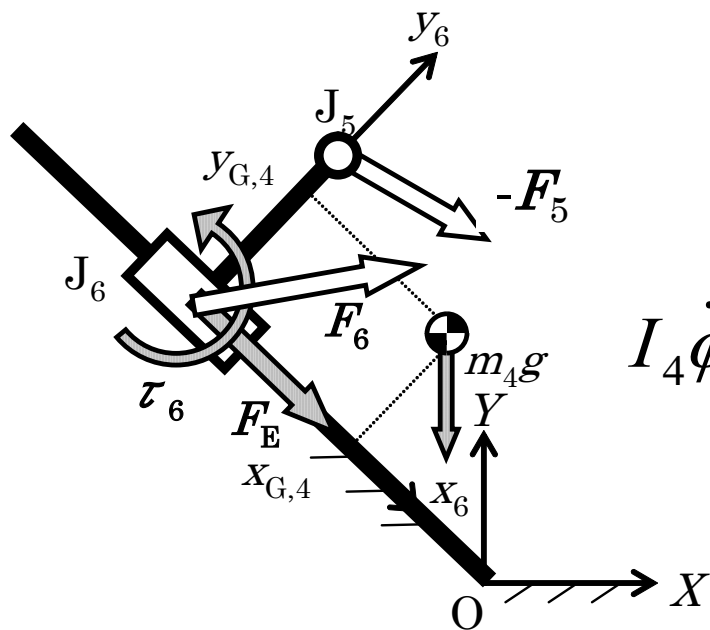


$$m_3 \ddot{\mathbf{G}}_3 = -\mathbf{F}_4 + \mathbf{F}_5 + m_3 \mathbf{g}$$

$$I_3 \ddot{\phi}_{G,3} = -(\mathbf{J}_4 - \mathbf{G}_3) \times \mathbf{F}_4 + (\mathbf{J}_5 - \mathbf{G}_3) \times \mathbf{F}_5$$

**(4) Coupler link 3**





$$m_4 \ddot{\mathbf{G}}_4 = -\mathbf{F}_5 + F_{6,y} \begin{Bmatrix} \sin \psi \\ -\cos \psi \end{Bmatrix} - F_E \begin{Bmatrix} \cos \psi \\ \sin \psi \end{Bmatrix} + m_4 \mathbf{g}$$

$$I_4 \ddot{\phi}_{G,4} = -(\mathbf{J}_5 - \mathbf{G}_4) \times \mathbf{F}_5$$

$$+ (\mathbf{J}_6 - \mathbf{G}_4) \times \begin{Bmatrix} F_{6,y} \sin \psi - F_E \cos \psi \\ -F_{6,y} \cos \psi - F_E \sin \psi \end{Bmatrix} + \tau_6$$

**(5) Output link**

Joint force from  
guide rail

External force applied  
on output slider

*You can derive equations  
3 times more than moving links.*



# c. Inverse dynamics analysis with systematic kinematics analysis method

|               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |                                                 |             |   |   |           |
|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|-------------------------------------------------|-------------|---|---|-----------|
| 1             | 0             | 1             | 0             | 0             | 0             | 0             | 0             | 0             | 0             | 0             | 0             | 0                                               | 0           | 0 | 0 | $F_{0,X}$ |
| 0             | 1             | 0             | 1             | 0             | 0             | 0             | 0             | 0             | 0             | 0             | 0             | 0                                               | 0           | 0 | 0 | $F_{0,Y}$ |
| $Y_{G,0}-Y_0$ | $X_0-X_{G,0}$ | $Y_{G,0}-Y_1$ | $X_1-X_{G,0}$ | 0             | 0             | 0             | 0             | 0             | 0             | 0             | 0             | 0                                               | 0           | 0 | 1 | $F_{1,X}$ |
| 0             | 0             | -1            | 0             | 1             | 0             | 0             | 0             | 1             | 0             | 0             | 0             | 0                                               | 0           | 0 | 0 | $F_{1,Y}$ |
| 0             | 0             | 0             | -1            | 0             | 1             | 0             | 0             | 0             | 1             | 0             | 0             | 0                                               | 0           | 0 | 0 | $F_{2,X}$ |
| 0             | 0             | $Y_1-Y_{G,1}$ | $X_{G,1}-X_1$ | $Y_{G,1}-Y_2$ | $X_2-Y_{G,1}$ | 0             | 0             | $Y_{G,1}-Y_4$ | $X_4-X_{G,1}$ | 0             | 0             | 0                                               | 0           | 0 | 0 | $F_{2,Y}$ |
| 0             | 0             | 0             | 0             | -1            | 0             | 1             | 0             | 0             | 0             | 0             | 0             | 0                                               | 0           | 0 | 0 | $F_{3,X}$ |
| 0             | 0             | 0             | 0             | 0             | -1            | 0             | 1             | 0             | 0             | 0             | 0             | 0                                               | 0           | 0 | 0 | $F_{3,Y}$ |
| 0             | 0             | 0             | 0             | $Y_2-Y_{G,2}$ | $X_{G,2}-X_2$ | $Y_{G,2}-Y_3$ | $X_3-X_{G,2}$ | 0             | 0             | 0             | 0             | 0                                               | 0           | 0 | 0 | $F_{4,X}$ |
| 0             | 0             | 0             | 0             | 0             | 0             | 0             | 0             | -1            | 0             | 1             | 0             | 0                                               | 0           | 0 | 0 | $F_{4,Y}$ |
| 0             | 0             | 0             | 0             | 0             | 0             | 0             | 0             | 0             | -1            | 0             | 1             | 0                                               | 0           | 0 | 0 | $F_{5,X}$ |
| 0             | 0             | 0             | 0             | 0             | 0             | 0             | 0             | $Y_4-Y_{G,3}$ | $X_{G,3}-X_4$ | $Y_{G,3}-Y_5$ | $X_5-X_{G,3}$ | 0                                               | 0           | 0 | 0 | $F_{5,Y}$ |
| 0             | 0             | 0             | 0             | 0             | 0             | 0             | 0             | 0             | 0             | -1            | 0             | 0                                               | $\sin\psi$  | 0 | 0 | $F_{6,y}$ |
| 0             | 0             | 0             | 0             | 0             | 0             | 0             | 0             | 0             | 0             | 0             | -1            | 0                                               | $-\cos\psi$ | 0 | 0 | $\tau_6$  |
| 0             | 0             | 0             | 0             | 0             | 0             | 0             | 0             | 0             | 0             | $Y_5-Y_{G,4}$ | $X_{G,4}-X_5$ | $(X_{G,4}-X_6)\cos\psi + (Y_{G,4}-Y_6)\sin\psi$ | 1           | 0 | 0 | $\tau_i$  |

$$= \left\{ \begin{array}{l} m_0 \ddot{X}_{G,0} \\ m_0 (\ddot{Y}_{G,0} + g) \\ I_0 \ddot{\phi}_{G,0} \\ m_1 \ddot{X}_{G,1} \\ m_1 (\ddot{Y}_{G,1} + g) \\ I_1 \ddot{\phi}_{G,1} \\ m_2 \ddot{X}_{G,2} \\ m_2 (\ddot{Y}_{G,2} + g) \\ I_2 \ddot{\phi}_{G,2} \\ m_3 \ddot{X}_{G,3} \\ m_3 (\ddot{Y}_{G,3} + g) \\ I_3 \ddot{\phi}_{G,3} \\ m_4 \ddot{X}_{G,4} + F_E \cos\psi \\ m_4 (\ddot{Y}_{G,4} + g) + F_E \sin\psi \\ L \ddot{\phi}_{G,4} + F_E [(X_6 - X_{G,4}) \sin\psi + (Y_{G,4} - Y_6) \cos\psi] \end{array} \right\}$$

*They can be calculated with the systematic kinematics analysis.*

*Position of COG, posture of link can also be calculated with programs: coupler\_point, link\_angle*



### c. Inverse dynamics analysis with systematic kinematics analysis method

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ Y_{G,0}-Y_0 & X_0-X_{G,0} & Y_{G,0}-Y_1 & X_1-X_{G,0} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & Y_1-Y_{G,1} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} F_{0,X} \\ F_{0,Y} \\ F_{1,X} \\ F_{1,Y} \\ F_{2,X} \\ F_{2,Y} \\ F_{3,X} \\ F_{3,Y} \\ F_{4,X} \\ F_{4,Y} \\ F_{5,X} \\ F_{5,Y} \\ F_{6,Y} \\ \tau_6 \\ \tau_i \end{bmatrix}$$

*Unknown variable vector of Joint force and moment and driving torque can easily be solved with Gauss-Jordan method*

$$F = [A]^{-1} b$$

$$= \left\{ \begin{array}{l} m_0 \ddot{X}_{G,0} \\ m_0 (\ddot{Y}_{G,0} + g) \\ I_0 \ddot{\phi}_{G,0} \\ m_1 \ddot{X}_{G,1} \\ m_1 (\ddot{Y}_{G,1} + g) \\ I_1 \ddot{\phi}_{G,1} \\ m_2 \ddot{X}_{G,2} \\ m_2 (\ddot{Y}_{G,2} + g) \\ I_2 \ddot{\phi}_{G,2} \\ m_3 \ddot{X}_{G,3} \\ m_3 (\ddot{Y}_{G,3} + g) \\ I_3 \ddot{\phi}_{G,3} \\ m_4 \ddot{X}_{G,4} + F_E \cos \psi \\ m_4 (\ddot{Y}_{G,4} + g) + F_E \sin \psi \\ I_4 \ddot{\phi}_{G,4} + F_E [(X_6 - X_{G,4}) \sin \psi + (Y_{G,4} - Y_6) \cos \psi] \end{array} \right.$$

***A system of linear equations on joint force and moment and driving torque:***

$$[A]F=b$$

# d. Example of analysis

Example of program:

Pidp6barpo.cpp-----Main program

```
//----- Main loop -----
```

```
for( ith=0; ith<=360; ith++ ){  
    th = (double)ith;  
    theta.the = th*DR;
```

**Kinematics  
calculation**

```
    ichk = MP6BARPO( L, gsi, eta, PG, psi, theta, J, &s );
```

```
    if( ichk != SUCCESS ) {  
        printf( "¥n ++ Error in MP6BARPO! ier= %d ¥n", ichk );  
        exit ( 0 );  
    }
```

**Motion of  
COG and  
link posture**

```
    GRVP6BARPO( gsig, etag, J, CG, phig );
```

```
    ichk = IDP6BARPO( M, I, J, psi, CG, phig, fe, fJx, fJy, &tauJ6, &tauI );  
    if( ichk != SUCCESS ) {  
        printf( "¥n ++ Error in IDP6BARPO ! ier = %d ¥n", ichk );  
        exit ( 0 );  
    }
```

**Inverse  
dynamics  
calculation**

```
    fprintf(fpDAT, "%7.1f %13.5f %13.5f %13.5f %13.5f %13.5f %13.5f",  
        " %13.5f %13.5f %13.5f %13.5f %13.5f %13.5f",  
        " %13.5f %13.5f %13.5f %13.5f %13.5f %13.5f¥n",  
        th, s.v, J[4].P.x, J[4].P.y,  
        fJx[0], fJy[0], fJx[1], fJy[1], fJx[2], fJy[2],  
        fJx[3], fJy[3], fJx[4], fJy[4], fJx[5], fJy[5],
```

```
}
```



## mp6barpo.cpp----kinematics calculation

```
int MP6BARPO( double L[], double gsi[], double eta[], POINT PG,
              ANGLE psi, ANGLE theta, POINT J[], VARIABLE *s )
{
    ANGLE dumma;
    POINT dummp;
    int ichk;
    int minv[2];

    dumma.the = dumma.dthe = dumma.ddthe = 0.0;
    dummp.P.x = dummp.DP.x = dummp.DDP.x = 0.0;
    dummp.P.y = dummp.DP.y = dummp.DDP.y = 0.0;
    //----- Displacement , velocity and acceleration of pairs
    minv[0] = 1;
    minv[1] = 1;

    crank_input( J[0], L[0], theta, dumma, &J[1] );

    ichk = RRR_links( J[3], J[1], L[2], L[1], minv[0], &J[2] );
    if( ichk !=SUCCESS ) return ( 991 );

    coupler_point( J[2], J[1], gsi[0], eta[0], &J[4], &dumma );

    ichk = PRR_links( J[4], L[3], PG, psi, gsi[1], eta[1], minv[1], s, &J[6], &J[5] );
    if( ichk !=SUCCESS ) return ( 992 );

    return ( SUCCESS );
}
```

**Systematic  
kinematics  
subprograms**



## grvp6barpo.cpp----position of COG and link posture

```
void GRVP6BARPO( double gsig[], double etag[], POINT J[], POINT CG[], ANGLE phig[] )  
{
```

```
//-- Displacement, velocity, acceleration of COG and link posture, angular velocity, angular acceleration--
```

```
    coupler_point( J[0], J[1], gsig[0], etag[0], &CG[0] , &phig[0] );  
    coupler_point( J[2], J[1], gsig[1], etag[1], &CG[1] , &phig[1] );  
    coupler_point( J[3], J[2], gsig[2], etag[2], &CG[2] , &phig[2] );  
    coupler_point( J[5], J[4], gsig[3], etag[3], &CG[3] , &phig[3] );  
    coupler_point( J[6], J[5], gsig[4], etag[4], &CG[4] , &phig[4] );
```

```
}
```

**Kinematics  
calculation  
can be used**



## id6barpo.cpp----Inverse dynamics calculation

```
int IDP6BARPO( double M[], double I[],
  POINT J[], ANGLE psi, POINT CG[], ANGLE phig[], double fe,
  double fxx[], double fyy[], double *tau6, double *taui )
{
  double wa[NV][NV], wb[NV], wk[NV];
  int ipw[NV];
  int ichk, i, j;
  double cp, sp, double Grav;
  Grav = -9.805;

  for(j=0;j<NV;j++) {
    for(i=0;i<NV;i++) {
      wa[i][j] = 0.0;
    }
  }

  //----- Coefficient matrix -----
  wa[ 0][ 0] = 1.0;
  wa[ 0][ 2] = 1.0;
  wa[ 1][ 1] = 1.0;
  wa[ 1][ 3] = 1.0;
  wa[ 2][ 0] = CG[0].P.y - J[0].P.y;
  wa[ 2][ 1] = J[0].P.x - CG[0].P.x;
  wa[ 2][ 2] = CG[0].P.y - J[1].P.y;
  wa[ 2][ 3] = J[1].P.x - CG[0].P.x;
  wa[ 2][14] = 1.0;
```

**Setting coefficient matrix**



## id6barpo.cpp----Inverse dynamics calculation

```

:
:
//----- Constatnt vector-----
wb[ 0] = M[0]*CG[0].DDP.x;
wb[ 1] = M[0]*( CG[0].DDP.y - Grav );
wb[ 2] = I[0]*phig[0].ddthe;
:
:
//----- Gauss-Jordan method -----
ichk = GAUSS( wa, wb, ipw, wk );
if( ichk != 1 ) return ( ichk );

//----- Joint forces and driving torque -----
fjx[0] = wb[ 0];
fjy[0] = wb[ 1];
fjx[1] = wb[ 2];
:
:
*tauj6 = wb[13];
*taui = wb[14];
return ( SUCCESS );
}
```

**Setting constant vector**

**Solving a system of linear  
equations with Gauss-Jordan  
method**



# Example of analysis:

Kinematic and mass-inertia parameters of the 6-bar mechanism

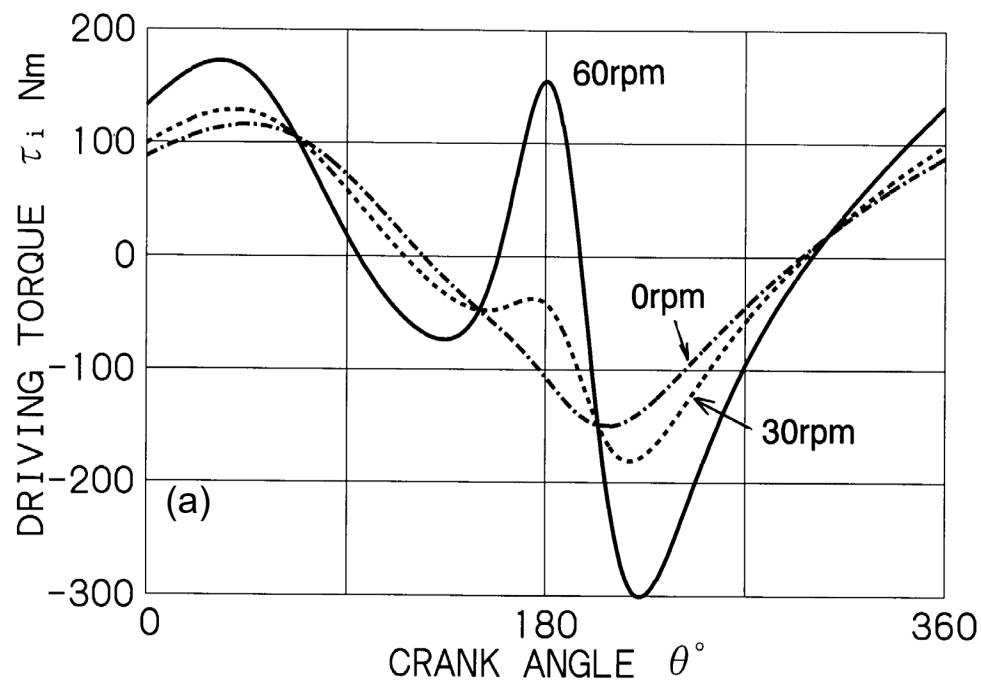
| $j$ | $J_1$ | $J_2$ | $m_j$ kg | $\xi_{G,j}$ m | $\eta_{G,j}$ m | $I_j$ kgm <sup>2</sup> |
|-----|-------|-------|----------|---------------|----------------|------------------------|
| 0   | 0     | 1     | 4.72     | 0.15          | 0.00           | 0.0354                 |
| 1   | 2     | 1     | 15.72    | 0.40          | 0.00           | 0.8000                 |
| 2   | 3     | 2     | 7.86     | 0.25          | 0.05           | 0.1638                 |
| 3   | 5     | 4     | 12.58    | 0.40          | 0.00           | 0.6709                 |
| 4   | 6     | 5     | 5.00     | 0.00          | 0.00           | 0.0200                 |



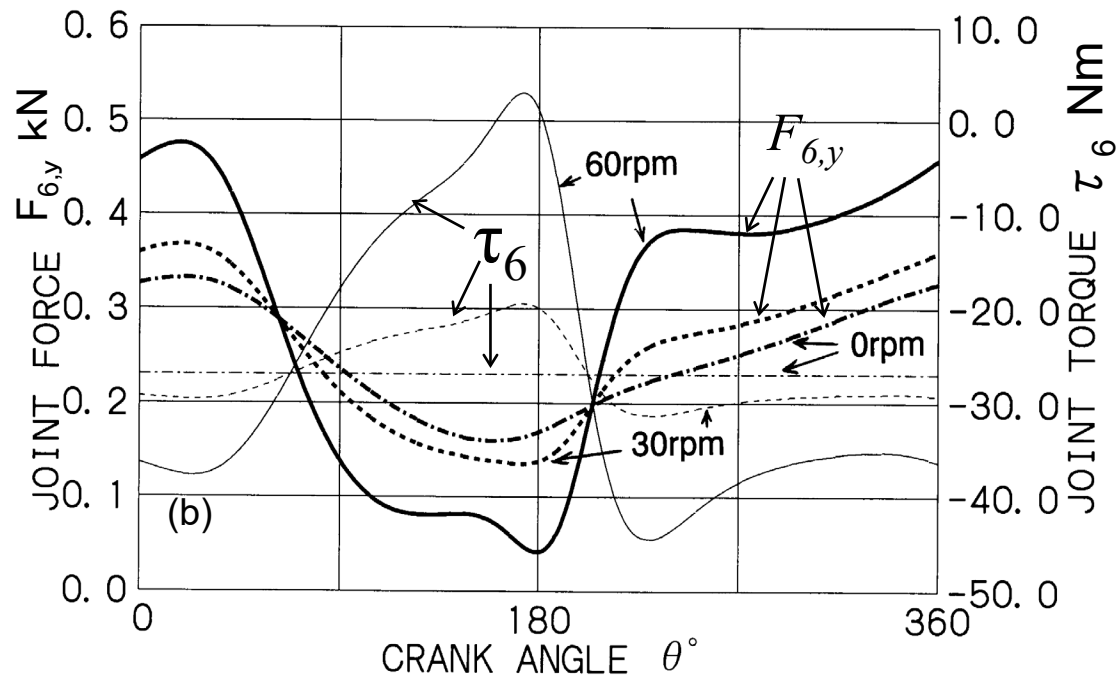
Pair number to specify a moving coordinate system  
to represent position of COG



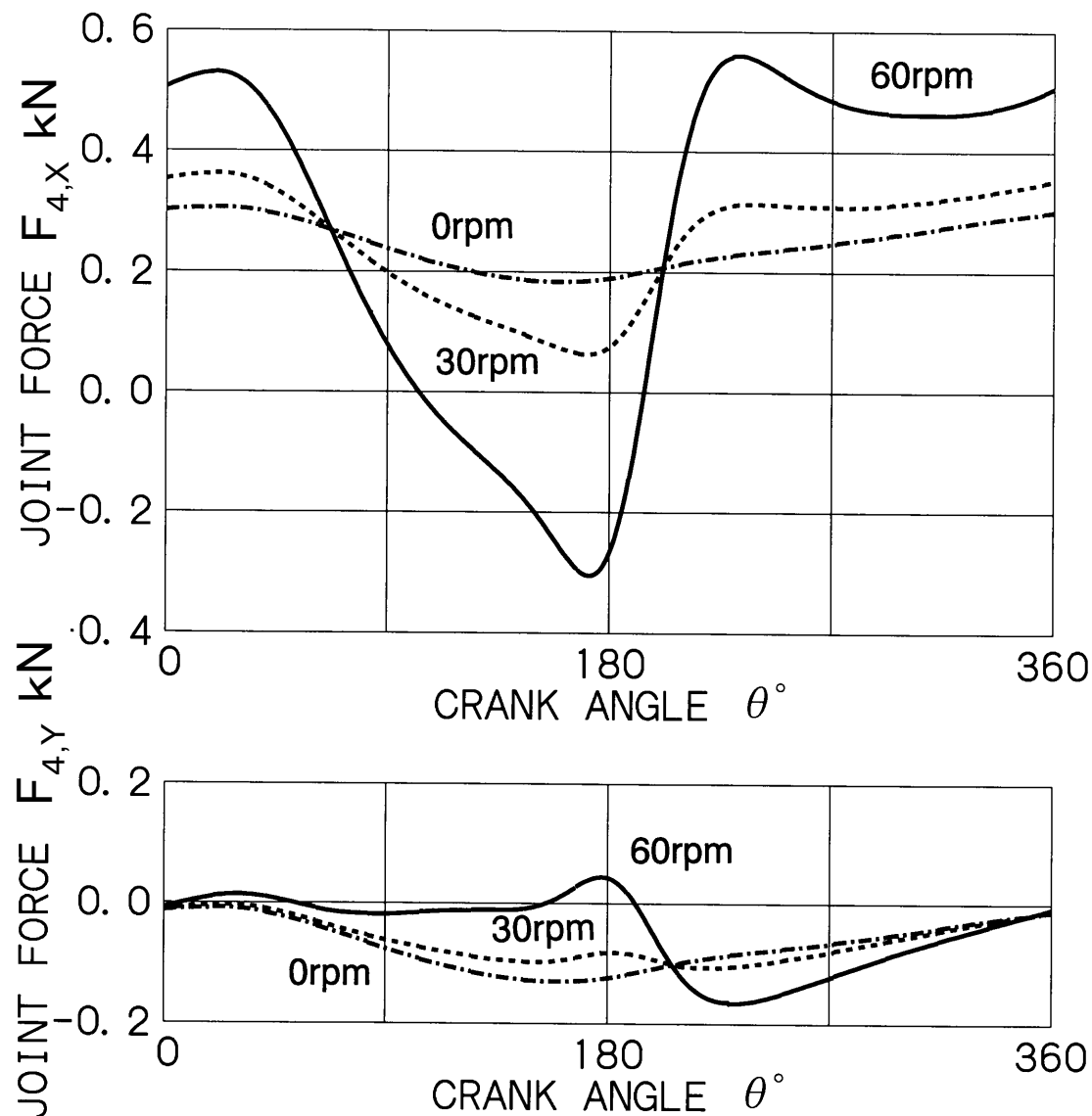
(i) Driving torque



(ii) Force and moment applying on output slider



(iii) Joint force  
applying on  
pair  $J_4$

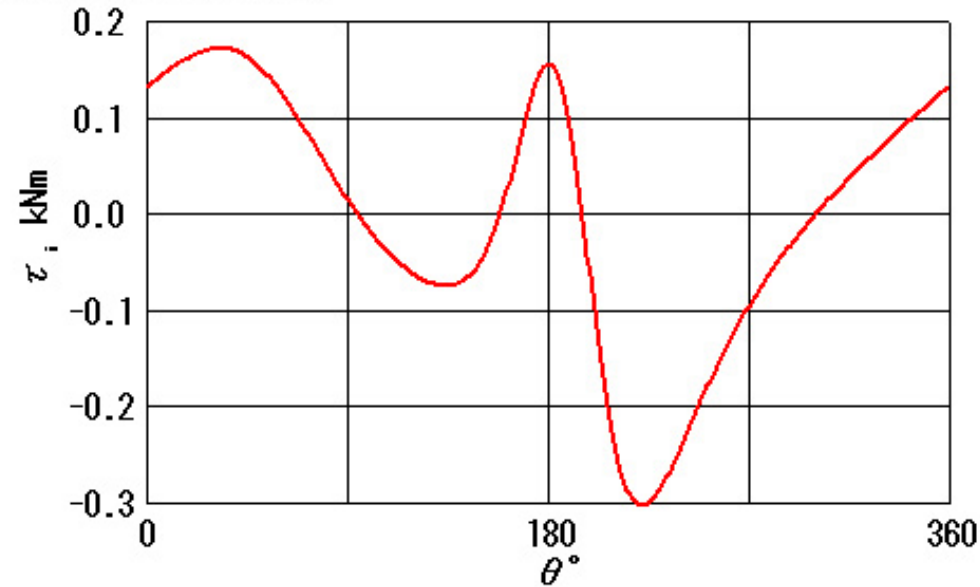


Results of analysis of inverse kinematics

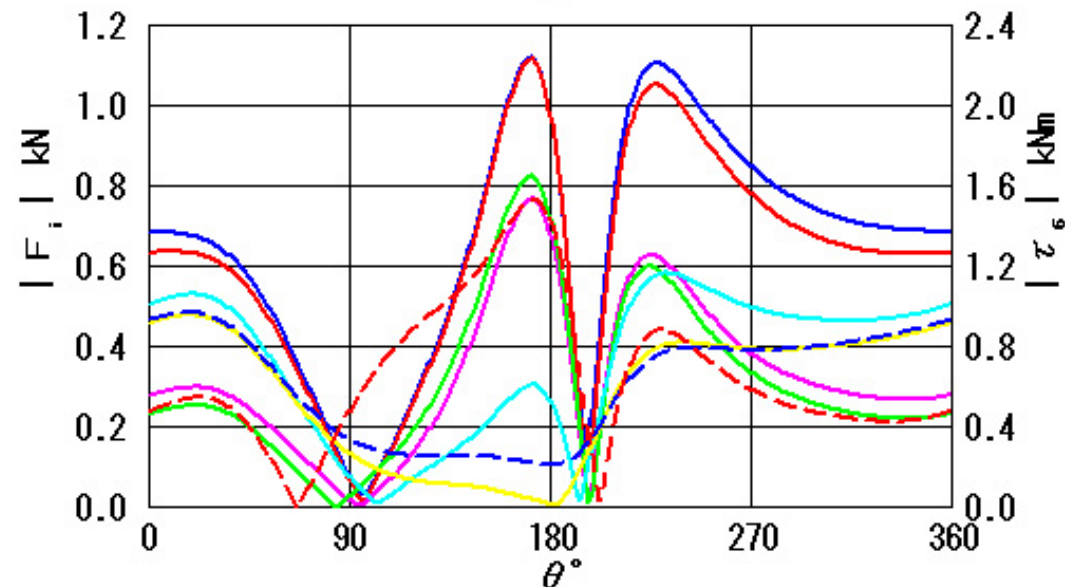
***Joint forces and moments can easily calculated!***



## 駆動トルクと対偶作用力

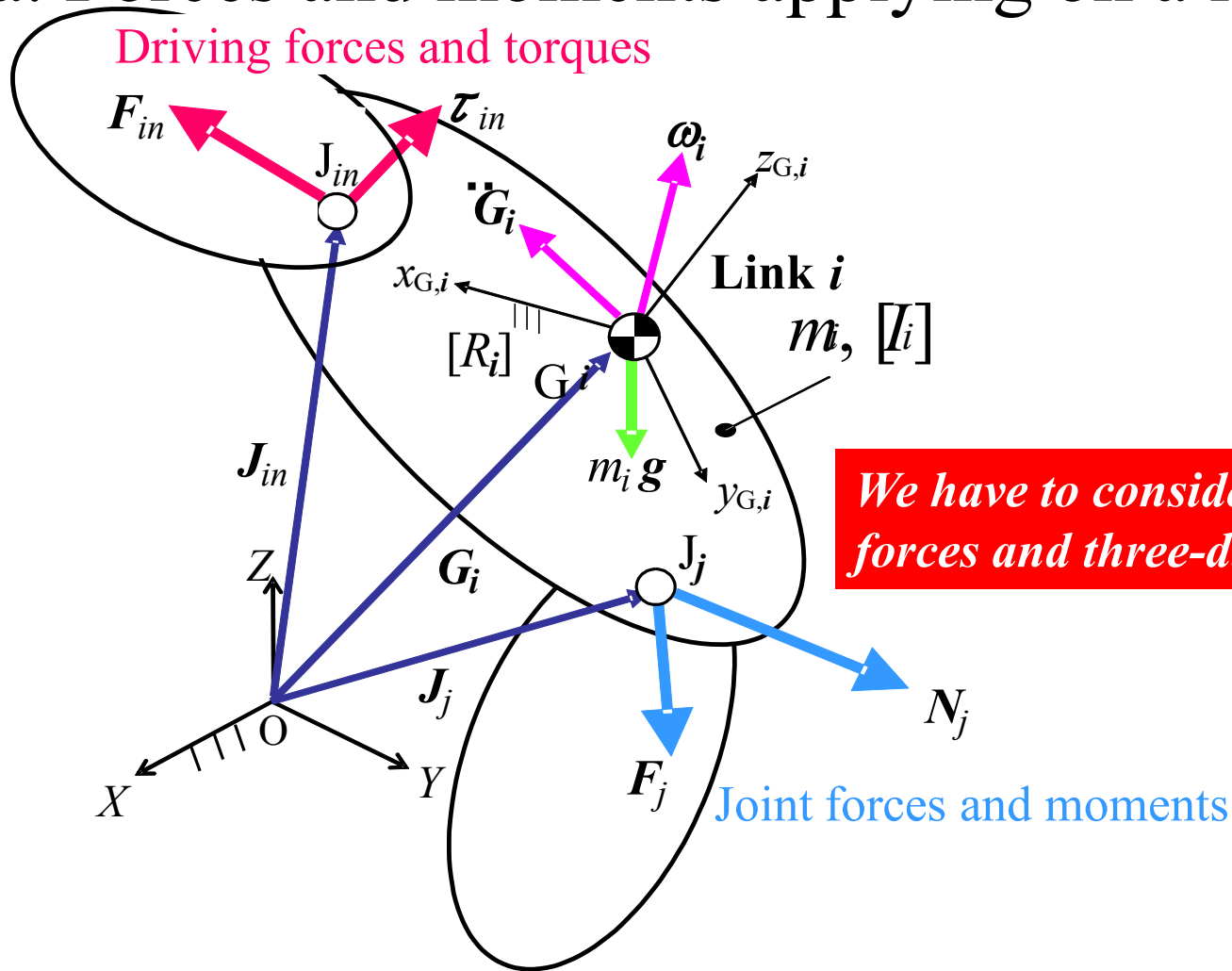


Summarized  
driving torque and  
Joint forces and  
moments



## 2. Dynamics Analysis of Spatial Link Mechanisms

### a. Forces and moments applying on a mechanism



Forces and moments applying on spatial link mechanisms



## b. Equations of motion of spatial link mechanism

### “Equation of motion of spatially moving link”

$$m_j \ddot{\mathbf{G}}_j = \sum_k \mathbf{F}_k + \sum \mathbf{F}_{in} + m_j \mathbf{g}$$

Three-dimensional translational motion of COG

$$\underline{[T_j]^T ([I_j] \dot{\boldsymbol{\omega}}_j + \boldsymbol{\omega}_j \times [I_j] \boldsymbol{\omega}_j)} = \sum_k \boldsymbol{\tau}_k + \sum_k (\mathbf{J}_k - \mathbf{G}_j) \times \mathbf{F}_k + \sum \boldsymbol{\tau}_{in} + \sum (\mathbf{J}_{in} - \mathbf{G}_j) \times \mathbf{F}_{in}$$

Coordinate transformation from moving coordinate system

Three-dimensional angular motion about COG

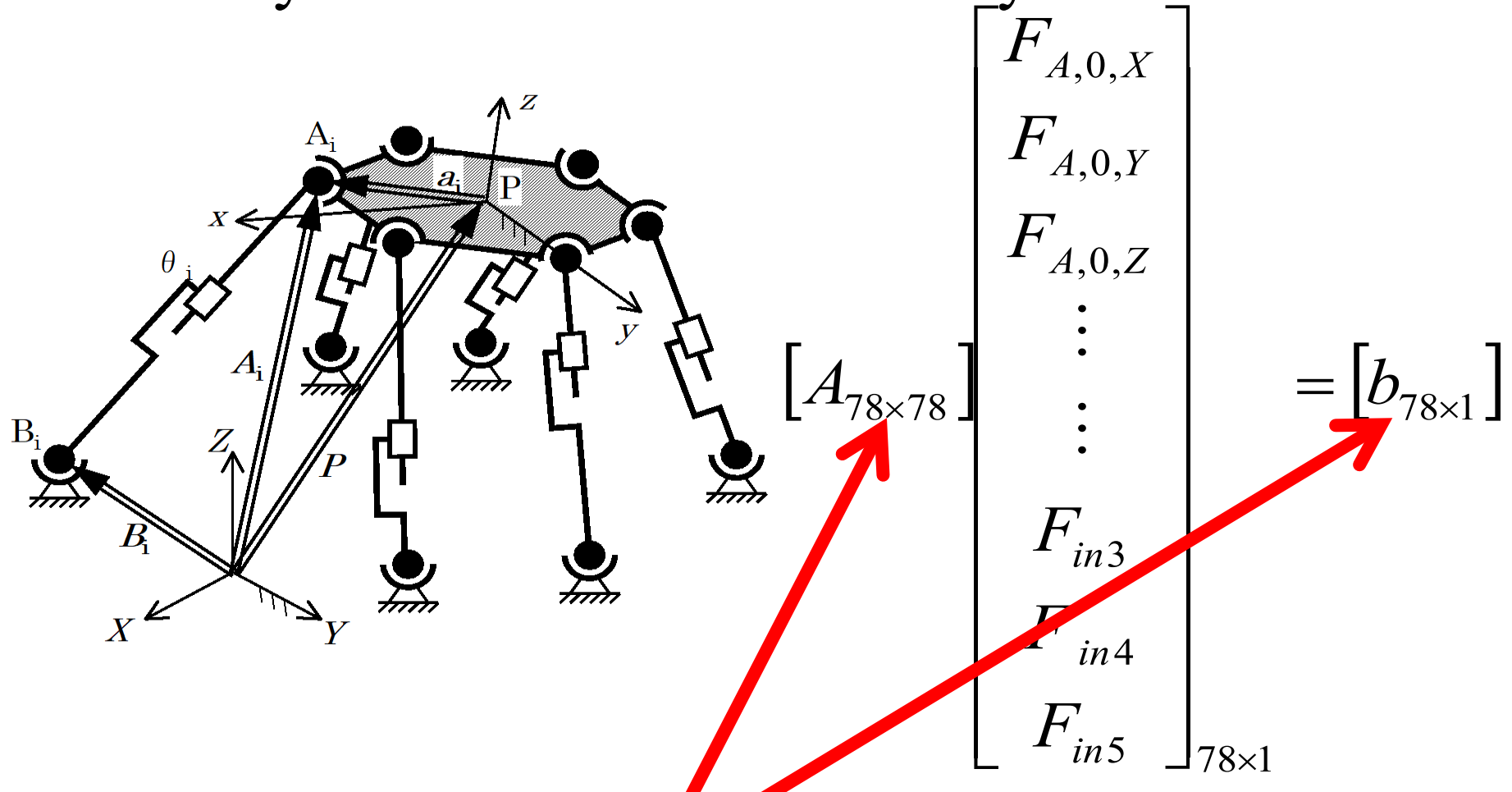
where angular velocity and acceleration are described on moving coordinate system as

$$\boldsymbol{\omega}_j = \begin{Bmatrix} \dot{\alpha}_j \cos \beta_j \cos \gamma_j + \dot{\beta}_j \sin \gamma_j \\ -\dot{\alpha}_j \cos \beta_j \sin \gamma_j + \dot{\beta}_j \cos \gamma_j \\ \dot{\alpha}_j \sin \beta_j + \dot{\gamma}_j \end{Bmatrix}$$

Note that they are given as the function of derivatives of roll-, pitch- and yaw-angles of moving link

$$\dot{\boldsymbol{\omega}}_j = \begin{Bmatrix} \ddot{\alpha}_j \cos \beta_j \cos \gamma_j + \ddot{\beta}_j \sin \gamma_j - \dot{\alpha}_j \dot{\beta}_j \sin \beta_j \cos \gamma_j + \dot{\beta}_j \dot{\gamma}_j \cos \gamma_j - \dot{\gamma}_j \dot{\alpha}_j \cos \beta_j \sin \gamma_j \\ -\ddot{\alpha}_j \cos \beta_j \sin \gamma_j + \ddot{\beta}_j \cos \gamma_j + \dot{\alpha}_j \dot{\beta}_j \sin \beta_j \sin \gamma_j - \dot{\beta}_j \dot{\gamma}_j \sin \gamma_j - \dot{\gamma}_j \dot{\alpha}_j \cos \beta_j \cos \gamma_j \\ \ddot{\alpha}_j \sin \beta_j + \ddot{\gamma}_j + \dot{\alpha}_j \dot{\beta}_j \cos \beta_j \end{Bmatrix}$$

# c. Inverse dynamics analysis with systematic kinematics analysis method



**They can be calculated with the systematic kinematics analysis method**

*A system of 78 linear equations for Stewart platform  
manipulator with 6 DOF*



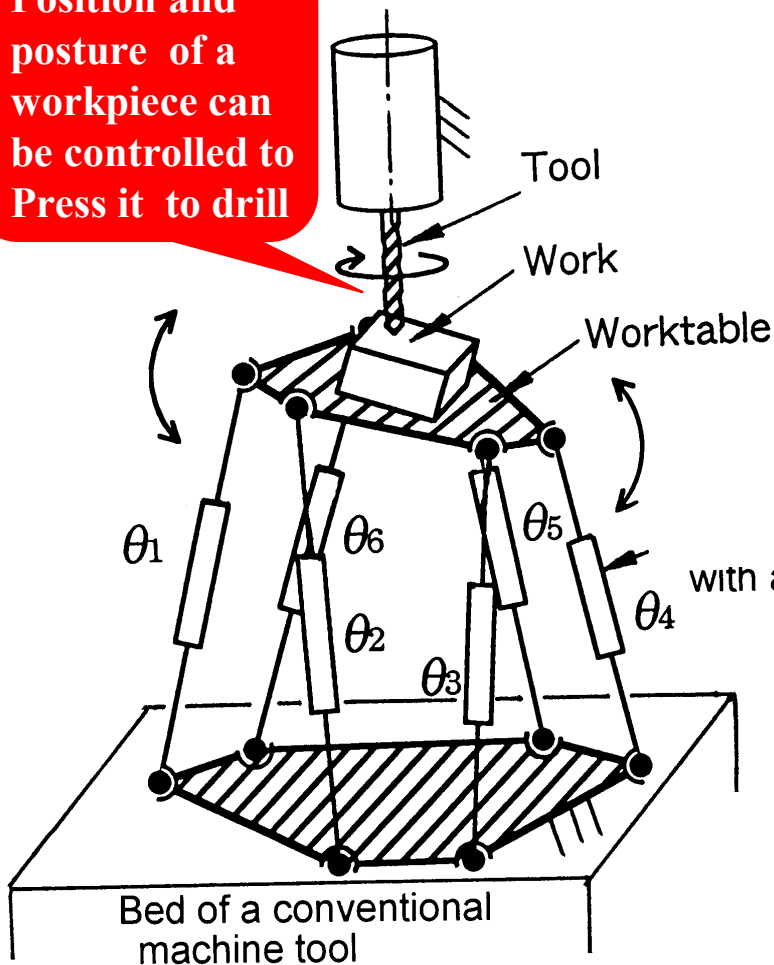
*Joint forces applying on spherical pairs and driving forces of linear actuator can be calculated as*

$$\begin{bmatrix} F_{A,0,X} \\ F_{A,0,Y} \\ F_{A,0,Z} \\ \vdots \\ \vdots \\ F_{in3} \\ F_{in4} \\ F_{in5} \end{bmatrix}_{78 \times 1} = [A_{78 \times 78}]^{-1} [b_{78 \times 1}]$$

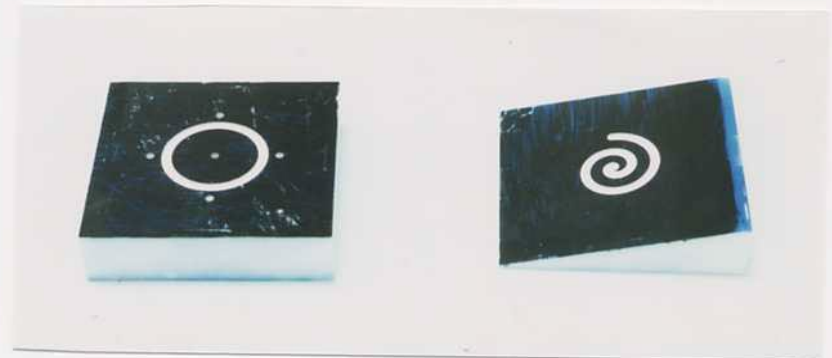


# Calculation result and experimental validation

Position and posture of a workpiece can be controlled to Press it to drill



Photograph while drilling

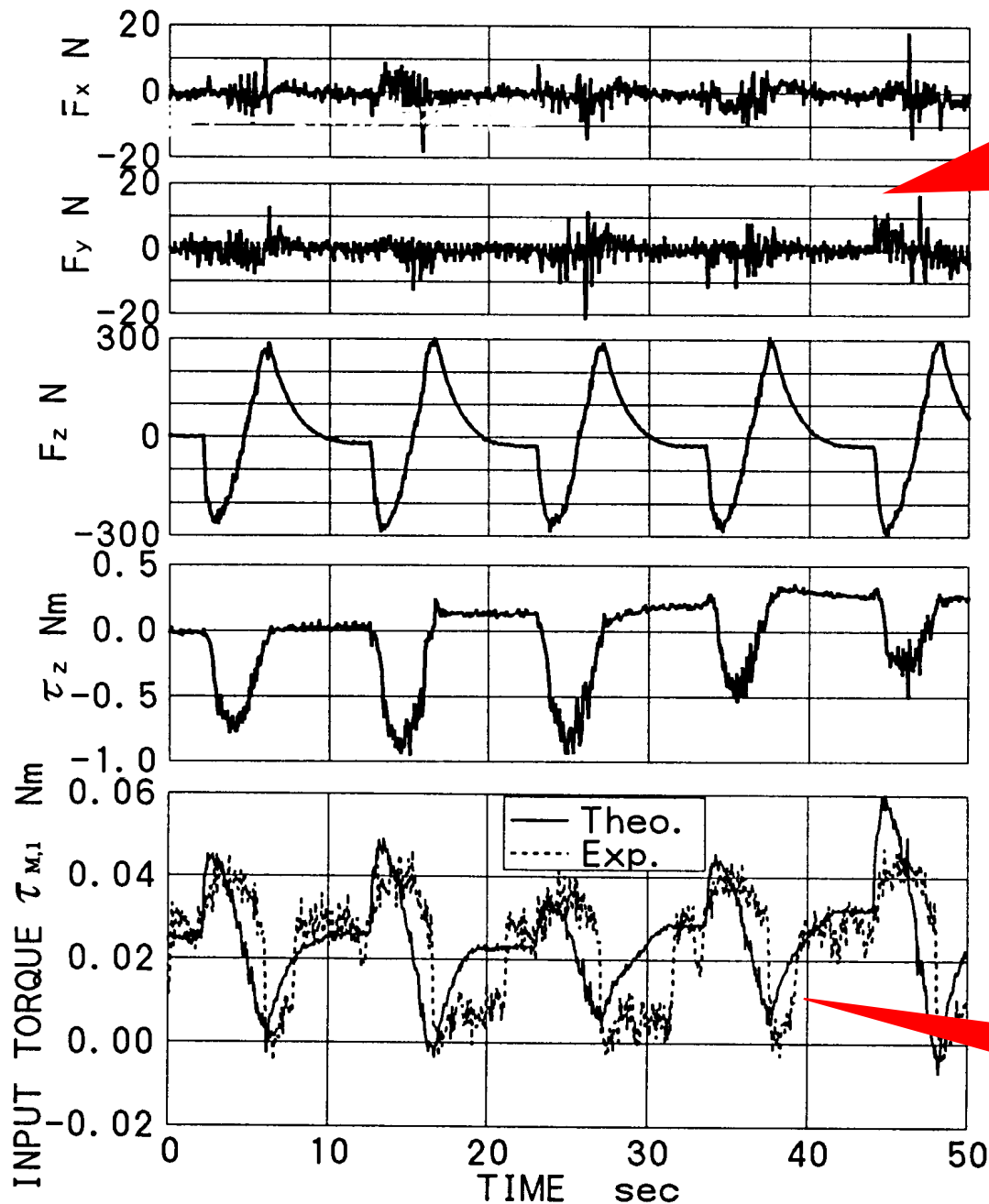


Examples of workpiece

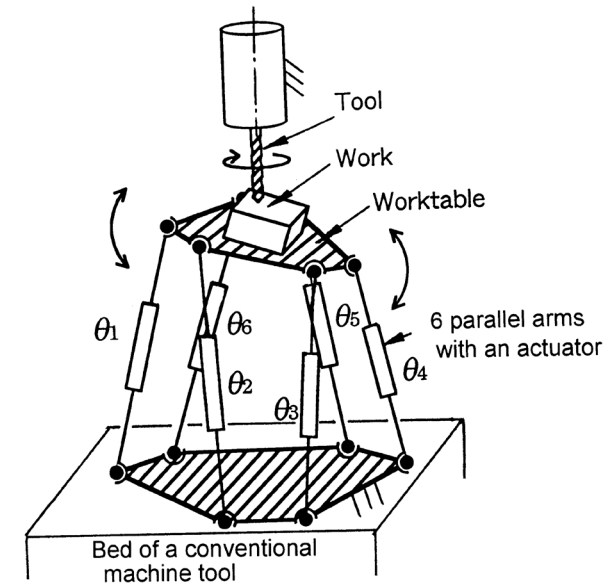
Active worktable of spatial parallel manipulator for NC machine tool

Photograph of machining and workpiece





**External force and moments to be input in inverse dynamics analysis**



**Analyzed value agreed well with experimental value**

Machining forces and actuator torques



*Inverse dynamics  
analysis can easily be  
achieved by using the  
systematic kinematics  
analysis method!*



## 4. Forward Dynamics Analysis of Planar/Spatial Link Mechanisms

Next let's consider **forward dynamics analysis** to calculate motion of link mechanisms after specifying driving forces/torques.

Let's consider equation of motion as

$$[A]\mathbf{F}=\mathbf{b}$$



# An example for planar 6-bar link mechanism:

*Motion of mechanism to be calculated in forward dynamics*

$$\begin{bmatrix}
 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
 Y_{G,0}-Y_0 & X_0-X_{G,0} & Y_{G,0}-Y_1 & X_0-X_{G,1} & -1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
 0 & 0 & Y_1-Y_{G,1} & X_{G,1}-X_1 & Y_{G,1}-Y_2 & X_2-Y_{G,1} & 0 & 0 & Y_{G,1}-Y_4 & X_4-X_{G,1} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & Y_2-Y_{G,2} & X_{G,2}-X_2 & Y_{G,2}-Y_3 & X_3-X_{G,2} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & Y_4-Y_{G,3} & X_{G,3}-X_4 & Y_{G,3}-Y_5 & X_5-X_{G,3} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & Y_5-Y_{G,4} & X_{G,4}-X_5 & (X_{G,4}-X_6)\cos\psi + (Y_{G,4}-Y_6)\sin\psi & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0
 \end{bmatrix}
 \begin{bmatrix}
 F_{0,X} \\
 F_{0,Y} \\
 F_{1,X} \\
 F_{1,Y} \\
 F_{2,X} \\
 F_{2,Y} \\
 F_{3,X} \\
 F_{3,Y} \\
 F_{4,X} \\
 F_{4,Y} \\
 F_{5,X} \\
 F_{5,Y} \\
 F_{6,Y} \\
 \tau_6 \\
 \tau_i
 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix}
 m_0 \ddot{X}_{G,0} \\
 m_0 (\ddot{Y}_{G,0} + g) \\
 I_0 \ddot{\phi}_{G,0} \\
 m_1 \ddot{X}_{G,1} \\
 m_1 (\ddot{Y}_{G,1} + g) \\
 I_1 \ddot{\phi}_{G,1} \\
 m_2 \ddot{X}_{G,2} \\
 m_2 (\ddot{Y}_{G,2} + g) \\
 I_2 \ddot{\phi}_{G,2} \\
 m_3 \ddot{X}_{G,3} \\
 m_3 (\ddot{Y}_{G,3} + g) \\
 I_3 \ddot{\phi}_{G,3} \\
 m_4 \ddot{X}_{G,4} + F_E \cos\psi \\
 m_4 (\ddot{Y}_{G,4} + g) + F_E \sin\psi \\
 I_4 \ddot{\phi}_{G,4} + F_E [(X_6 - X_{G,4})\sin\psi + (Y_{G,4} - Y_6)\cos\psi]
 \end{bmatrix}$$

*Input parameters for forward dynamics analysis*



An example for planar 6-bar link mechanism:

*Joint forces and moments should be eliminated!*

$$[A] = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ Y_{G,0}-Y_0 & X_0-X_{G,0} & Y_{G,0}-Y_1 & X_1-X_{G,0} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & Y_1-Y_{G,1} & X_{G,1}-X_1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & Y_2-Y_{G,2} & X_{G,2}-X_2 & Y_{G,2}-Y_3 & X_3-X_{G,2} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & Y_4-Y_{G,3} & X_{G,3}-X_4 & Y_{G,3}-Y_5 & X_5-X_{G,3} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 & \sin\psi & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 & -\cos\psi & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & Y_5-Y_{G,4} & X_{G,4}-X_5 & (X_{G,4}-X_6)\cos\psi+(Y_{G,4}-Y_6)\sin\psi & 1 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$\begin{bmatrix} F_{0,X} \\ F_{0,Y} \\ F_{1,X} \\ F_{1,Y} \\ F_{2,X} \\ F_{2,Y} \\ F_{3,X} \\ F_{3,Y} \\ F_{4,X} \\ F_{4,Y} \\ F_{5,X} \\ F_{5,Y} \\ F_{6,Y} \\ \tau_6 \\ \tau_i \end{bmatrix}$

$$\begin{aligned}
& m_0 \ddot{Y}_{G,0} \\
& m_0 (\ddot{Y}_{G,0} + g) \\
& I_0 \ddot{\phi}_{G,0} \\
& m_1 \ddot{Y}_{G,1} \\
& m_1 (\ddot{Y}_{G,1} + g) \\
& I_1 \ddot{\phi}_{G,1} \\
& m_2 (\ddot{Y}_{G,2} + g) \\
& I_2 \ddot{\phi}_{G,2} \\
& m_3 \ddot{Y}_{G,3} \\
& m_3 (\ddot{Y}_{G,3} + g) \\
& I_3 \ddot{\phi}_{G,3} \\
& m_4 \ddot{X}_{G,4} + F_E \cos \psi \\
& m_4 (\ddot{Y}_{G,4} + g) + F_E \sin \psi \\
& I_4 \ddot{\phi}_{G,4} + F_E [(X_6 - X_{G,4}) \sin \psi + (Y_{G,4} - Y_6) \cos \psi]
\end{aligned}$$

*Motion of mechanism should be rewritten as function of input crank angle*



# An example for planar 6-bar link mechanism:

$$\begin{bmatrix}
 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
 Y_{G,0}-Y_0 & X_0-X_{G,0} & Y_{G,0}-Y_1 & X_1-X_{G,0} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
 0 & 0 & Y_1-Y_{G,1} & X_{G,1}-X_1 & Y_{G,1}-Y_2 & X_2-Y_{G,1} & 0 & 0 & Y_{G,1}-Y_4 & X_4-X_{G,1} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & Y_2-Y_{G,2} & X_{G,2}-X_2 & Y_{G,2}-Y_3 & X_3-X_{G,2} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
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 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & Y_4-Y_{G,3} & X_{G,3}-X_4 & Y_{G,3}-Y_5 & X_5-X_{G,3} & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 & \sin\psi & 0 \\
 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \cos\psi & 0 \\
 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1
 \end{bmatrix}
 \begin{bmatrix}
 F_{0,X} \\
 F_{0,Y} \\
 F_{1,X} \\
 F_{1,Y} \\
 F_{2,X} \\
 F_{2,Y} \\
 F_{3,X} \\
 F_{3,Y} \\
 F_{4,X} \\
 F_{4,Y} \\
 F_{5,X} \\
 F_{5,Y} \\
 F_{6,Y} \\
 \tau_6 \\
 \tau_i
 \end{bmatrix}$$

*Differential equation on crank angle:*

$$f(\theta, \dot{\theta}, \ddot{\theta}) = 0 \quad \text{can be derived.}$$

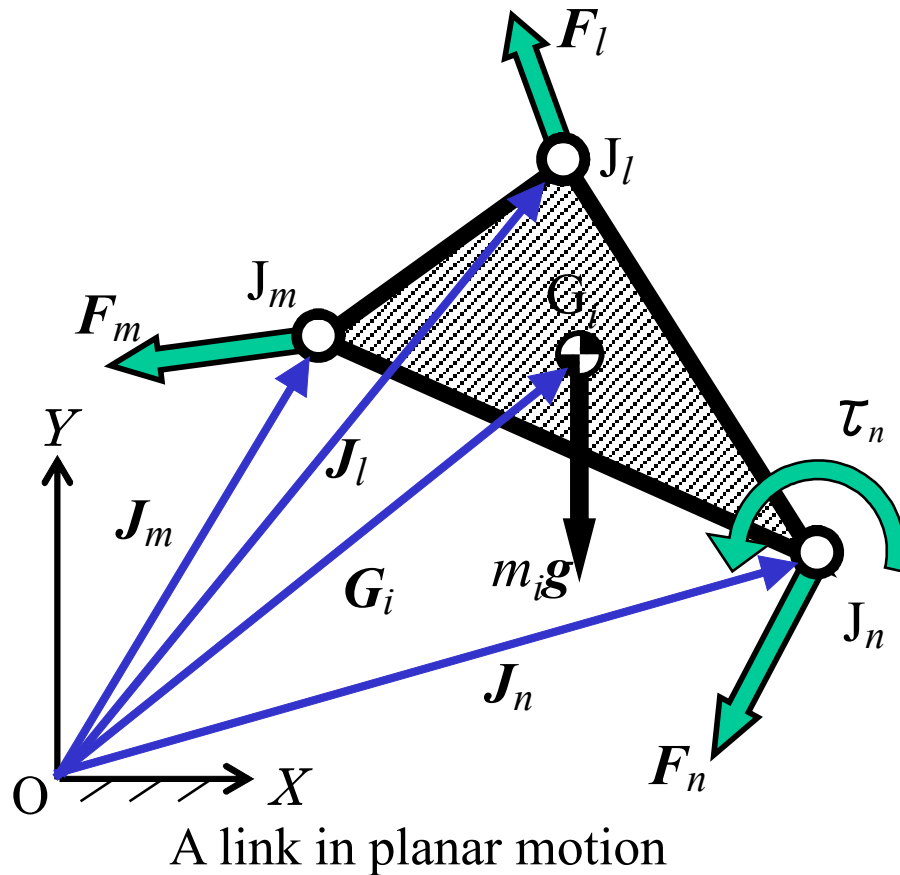
$$\begin{aligned}
 & \left\{ \begin{aligned} & m_2(\ddot{\phi}_{G,2} + g) \\ & I_2\ddot{\phi}_{G,2} \\ & m_3(\ddot{Y}_{G,3} + g) \\ & I_3\ddot{\phi}_{G,3} \\ & m_4(\ddot{X}_{G,4} + F_E \cos\psi) \\ & m_4(\ddot{Y}_{G,4} + g) + F_E \sin\psi \\ & I_4\ddot{\phi}_{G,4} + F_E[(X_6 - X_{G,4})\sin\psi + (Y_{G,4} - Y_6)\cos\psi] \end{aligned} \right\}
 \end{aligned}$$

*However this procedure is very complicated!*



# For general planar closed-loop link mechanisms

## Equations of Motion



Equations of motion for each link:

$$m_i \ddot{\mathbf{G}}_i = \mathbf{F}_m + \mathbf{F}_n + \mathbf{F}_l + m_i \mathbf{g}$$

$$I_i \ddot{\phi}_i = (\mathbf{J}_m - \mathbf{G}_i) \times \mathbf{F}_m + (\mathbf{J}_n - \mathbf{G}_i) \times \mathbf{F}_n + (\mathbf{J}_l - \mathbf{G}_i) \times \mathbf{F}_l + \tau_n$$

$\mathbf{G}_i$  : Position vector of COG

$\phi_i$  : Posture angle

$\mathbf{J}_l, \mathbf{J}_m, \mathbf{J}_n$  : Position vector of joint

$\mathbf{F}_l, \mathbf{F}_m, \mathbf{F}_n$  : Joint forces

$\tau_n$  : Driving torque

For all moving links

Joint forces  $\mathbf{F}$  and Driving Torques  $\tau$

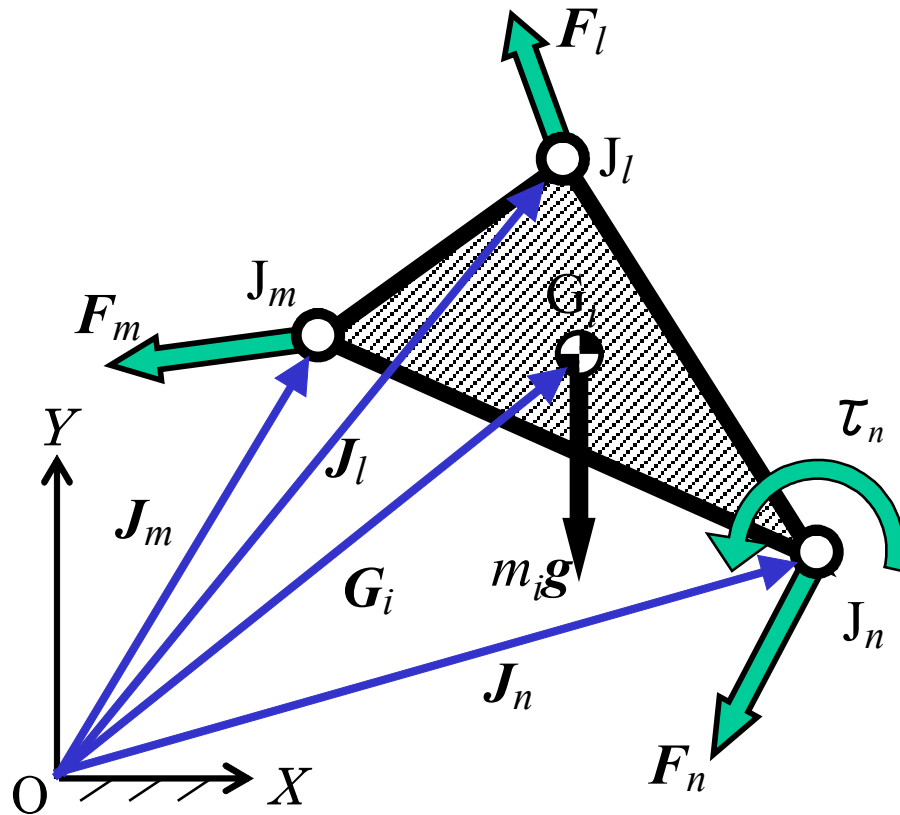
$$[P(\mathbf{G}, \mathbf{J})] \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{F} \\ \tau \end{bmatrix} = \mathbf{q}(\ddot{\mathbf{G}}, \ddot{\phi}, \mathbf{J})$$

Parameters determined by displacements and accelerations

One can carry out inverse dynamics by solving a system of linear equations with respect to joint forces and driving torques.

# For general planar closed-loop link mechanisms

## Equations of Motion



By modifying the system of Eqs. as

$$\ddot{\theta} = f(\theta, \dot{\theta}, t)$$

then it can be solved with numerical calculation such as Runge—Kutta method.

**Forward dynamics:**

$$[P(G, J)] \begin{bmatrix} F \\ \tau \end{bmatrix} = q(\ddot{G}, \ddot{\phi}, J)$$

**Substituting motions of mechanism**

$$G = f_G(\theta), \quad \ddot{G} = g_G(\ddot{\theta}, \dot{\theta}, \theta)$$

$$\ddot{\phi} = g_\phi(\ddot{\theta}, \dot{\theta}, \theta)$$

$$J = f_J(\theta)$$

**θ : Crank inputs**

**Eliminating joint forces F**

by adding and subtracting Eqs.

$$f_0(\theta, \dot{\theta}, \ddot{\theta}, \tau) = 0$$

*“A system of Nonlinear differential equations with respect to crank inputs”*

# Numerical solution to calculate both of motion and joint forces from the equation of motion

Consequently we have to use numerical method!

$$[P(G, J)] \begin{bmatrix} F \\ \tau \end{bmatrix} = q(\ddot{G}, \ddot{\phi}, J)$$

The acceleration of COG and angular acceleration of each link should be represented as linear combination of angular acceleration of crank.

$$\ddot{G} = [r(\theta)]\ddot{\theta} + s(\theta, \dot{\theta})$$

$$\ddot{\phi} = [u(\theta)]\ddot{\theta} + v(\theta, \dot{\theta})$$

Coefficients of accelerations should be systematically derived.

$$[T(\theta)] \begin{bmatrix} \ddot{\theta} \\ F \end{bmatrix} = w(\theta, \dot{\theta}, \tau)$$

“A system of linear equations with respect to angular acceleration of crank and joint forces.”

Calculate  $\ddot{\theta}, F$  by a numerical method such as Gauss's method

$$\ddot{\theta}_k = f(\theta_k, \dot{\theta}_k, t_k)$$

Solve  $\theta$  by a numerical method such as Runge-Kutta method

$$\theta_{k+1}$$

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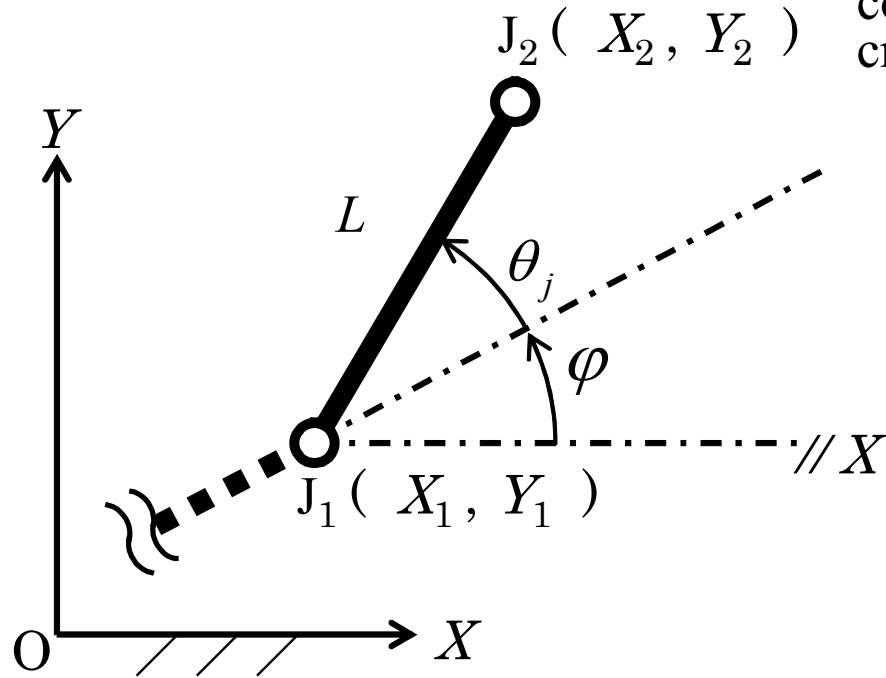
$$\ddot{\theta}_k = f$$

$$\theta_{k+1}$$

- It is not necessary to derive equations by eliminating joint forces.
- Both of crank motion and joint forces can be calculated.
- ▲ The acceleration can be obtained from the values in the last step.  
(There is no problem since time step is sufficiently short.)

# Equations to Derive Accelerations

## Crank input



A crank

Acceleration of joint  $J_1$  and angular acceleration of the previous link are given as the linear combination of angular accelerations of other cranks as

$$\ddot{X}_1 = \sum_k A_{1,k} \ddot{\theta}_k + B_1$$

$$\ddot{Y}_1 = \sum_k C_{1,k} \ddot{\theta}_k + D_1$$

$$\ddot{\phi} = \sum_k E_k \ddot{\theta}_k + F$$



A new crank input:  $\theta_j$

$$X_2 = L \cos(\theta_j + \phi) + X_1$$

$$Y_2 = L \sin(\theta_j + \phi) + Y_1$$



By differentiating

$$\ddot{X}_2 = -L[(\ddot{\theta}_j + \ddot{\phi}) \sin(\theta_j + \phi) + (\dot{\theta}_j + \dot{\phi})^2 \cos(\theta_j + \phi) + \ddot{X}_1]$$

$$\ddot{Y}_2 = L[(\ddot{\theta}_j + \ddot{\phi}) \cos(\theta_j + \phi) - (\dot{\theta}_j + \dot{\phi})^2 \sin(\theta_j + \phi) + \ddot{Y}_1]$$

# Equations to Derive Accelerations

## Crank input

Acceleration of joint  $J_1$  and angular acceleration of the previous link are given as the linear

They can be written as linear combination of the angular acceleration of crank as

$$\ddot{X}_2 = \sum_k A_{2,k} \ddot{\theta}_k + B_2, \quad \ddot{Y}_2 = \sum_k C_{2,k} \ddot{\theta}_k + D_2$$

where

$$A_{2,k} = \begin{cases} -LE_k \sin(\theta_j + \varphi) + A_{1,k} & (k \neq j) \\ -L(E_k + 1) \sin(\theta_j + \varphi) + A_{1,k} & (k = j) \end{cases}$$

$$B_2 = -L[F \sin(\theta_j + \varphi) + (\dot{\theta}_j + \dot{\varphi})^2 \cos(\theta_j + \varphi)] + B_1$$

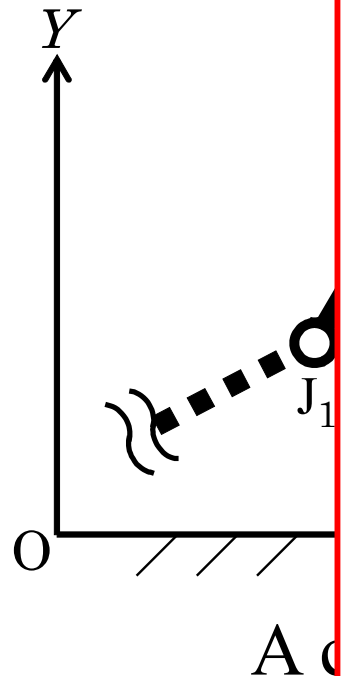
$$C_{2,k} = \begin{cases} LE_k \cos(\theta_j + \varphi) + C_{1,k} & (k \neq j) \\ L(E_k + 1) \cos(\theta_j + \varphi) + C_{1,k} & (k = j) \end{cases}$$

$$D_2 = L[F \cos(\theta_j + \varphi) - (\dot{\theta}_j + \dot{\varphi})^2 \sin(\theta_j + \varphi)] + D_1$$

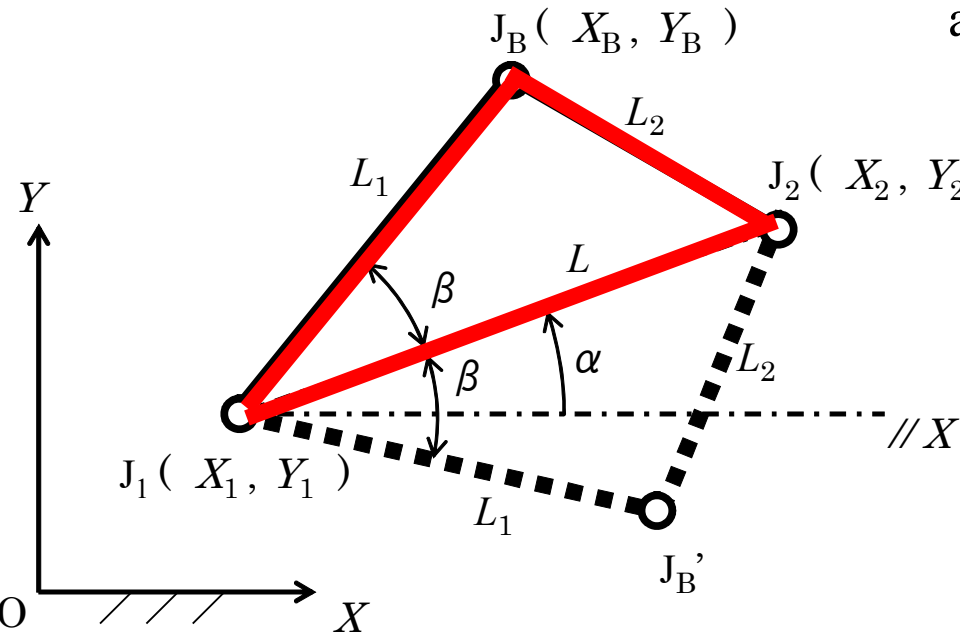
**Dynamics calculation program: FD\_CRANK\_INPUT**

$$\ddot{X}_2 = -L[(\ddot{\theta}_j + \ddot{\varphi}) \sin(\theta_j + \varphi) + (\dot{\theta}_j + \dot{\varphi})^2 \cos(\theta_j + \varphi)] + \ddot{X}_1$$

$$\ddot{Y}_2 = L[(\ddot{\theta}_j + \ddot{\varphi}) \cos(\theta_j + \varphi) - (\dot{\theta}_j + \dot{\varphi})^2 \sin(\theta_j + \varphi)] + \ddot{Y}_1$$



## Two adjacent links with three revolute joints



R-R-R two adjacent links

Accelerations of joints,  $J_1, J_2$ , at both ends are given as the linear combination of angular accelerations of cranks as

$$\ddot{X}_1 = \sum_k A_{1,k} \ddot{\theta}_k + B_1, \quad \ddot{Y}_1 = \sum_k C_{1,k} \ddot{\theta}_k + D_1$$

$$\ddot{X}_2 = \sum_k A_{2,k} \ddot{\theta}_k + B_2, \quad \ddot{Y}_2 = \sum_k C_{2,k} \ddot{\theta}_k + D_2$$

↓ Displacement analysis of the chain

$$X_B = L_1 \cos(\alpha \pm \beta) + X_1$$

$$Y_B = L_1 \sin(\alpha \pm \beta) + Y_1$$

$$\alpha = \tan^{-1} \frac{\Delta Y}{\Delta X}, \quad \beta = \cos^{-1} \frac{L_1^2 + L^2 - L_2^2}{2L_1 L},$$

$$L = \sqrt{\Delta X^2 + \Delta Y^2}, \quad \text{Cosine theorem}$$

$$\Delta X = X_2 - X_1, \Delta Y = Y_2 - Y_1$$

↓ By differentiating

$$\ddot{X}_B = -L_1 [(\ddot{\alpha} \pm \ddot{\beta}) \sin(\alpha \pm \beta) + (\dot{\alpha} \pm \dot{\beta}) \cos(\alpha \pm \beta)] + \ddot{X}_1$$

$$\ddot{Y}_B = L_1 [(\ddot{\alpha} \pm \ddot{\beta}) \cos(\alpha \pm \beta) - (\dot{\alpha} \pm \dot{\beta}) \sin(\alpha \pm \beta)] + \ddot{Y}_1$$

$$\ddot{\alpha} = \dots, \quad \ddot{\beta} = \dots, \quad \ddot{L} = \dots$$

## Two adjacent links with three revolute joints

They can be written as linear combination of angular acceleration of crank as

$$\ddot{X}_B = \sum_k A_{B,k} \ddot{\theta}_k + B_B, \quad \ddot{Y}_B = \sum_k C_{B,k} \ddot{\theta}_k + D_B$$

where

$$A_{B,k} = -L_1(P_k \pm R_k) \sin(\alpha \pm \beta) + A_{1,k}$$

$$B_B = -L_1(Q \pm S) \sin(\alpha \pm \beta) - L_1(\dot{\alpha} \pm \dot{\beta})^2 \cos(\alpha \pm \beta) + B_1$$

$$C_{B,k} = L_1(P_k \pm R_k) \cos(\alpha \pm \beta) + C_{1,k}$$

$$D_B = L_1(Q \pm S) \cos(\alpha \pm \beta) - L_1(\dot{\alpha} \pm \dot{\beta})^2 \sin(\alpha \pm \beta) + D_1$$

$$H_k = [\Delta X(A_{2,k} - A_{1,k}) + \Delta Y(C_{2,k} - C_{1,k})] / L$$

$$K = \{L[\Delta X(B_2 - B_1) + \Delta Y(D_2 - D_1)] + L(\Delta \dot{X}^2 + \Delta \dot{Y}^2) - \dot{L}(\Delta \dot{X} \Delta X + \Delta \dot{Y} \Delta Y)\} / L^2$$

$$P_k = \cos^2 \alpha [\Delta X(C_{2,k} - C_{1,k}) + \Delta Y(A_{2,k} - A_{1,k})] / \Delta X^2$$

$$Q = \cos^2 \alpha [\Delta X(D_2 - D_1) + \Delta Y(B_2 - B_1)] / \Delta X^2 - 2 \cos \alpha (\Delta \dot{Y} \Delta X - \Delta Y \Delta \dot{X}) (\Delta X \dot{\alpha} \sin \alpha + \Delta \dot{X} \cos \alpha)$$

$$R_k = (L_1^2 - L_2^2 - L^2) H_k / (2 L_1 L^2 \sin \beta)$$

$$S = (L_1^2 - L_2^2 - L^2) K / (2 L_1 L^2 \sin \beta) + \dot{L} [(L^2 - L_1^2 + L_2^2) L \dot{\beta} \cos \beta + 2(L_2^2 - L_1^2) \dot{L} \sin \theta] / (2 L_1 L^3 \sin^2 \beta)$$

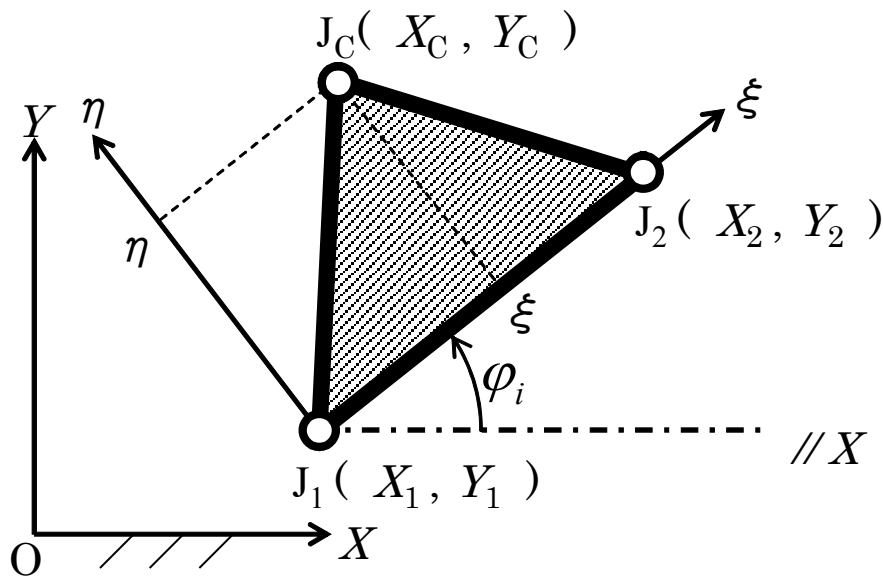
**Dynamics calculation program:**  
**FD\_RRR\_LINKS**

$$\ddot{X}_B = -L_1[(\ddot{\alpha} \pm \ddot{\beta}) \sin(\alpha \pm \beta) + (\dot{\alpha} \pm \dot{\beta}) \cos(\alpha \pm \beta)] + \ddot{X}_1$$

$$\ddot{Y}_B = L_1[(\ddot{\alpha} \pm \ddot{\beta}) \cos(\alpha \pm \beta) - (\dot{\alpha} \pm \dot{\beta}) \sin(\alpha \pm \beta)] + \ddot{Y}_1$$

$$\ddot{\alpha} = \dots\dots, \quad \ddot{\beta} = \dots\dots, \quad \ddot{L} = \dots\dots$$

## Point on a coupler and posture of coupler



A coupler

The accelerations of two joints,  $J_1$ ,  $J_2$ , are given as the linear combination of angular accelerations of cranks as

$$\ddot{X}_1 = \sum_k A_{1,k} \ddot{\theta}_k + B_1, \quad \ddot{Y}_1 = \sum_k C_{1,k} \ddot{\theta}_k + D_1$$

$$\ddot{X}_2 = \sum_k A_{2,k} \ddot{\theta}_k + B_2, \quad \ddot{Y}_2 = \sum_k C_{2,k} \ddot{\theta}_k + D_2$$

Displacement analysis  
(Coordinate transform)

$$X_C = \xi \cos \varphi_i - \eta \sin \varphi_i + X_1$$

$$Y_C = \xi \sin \varphi_i + \eta \cos \varphi_i + Y_1$$

$$\varphi_i = \tan^{-1} \frac{\Delta Y}{\Delta X}$$

$$\Delta X = X_2 - X_1, \quad \Delta Y = Y_2 - Y_1$$

By differentiating

$$\ddot{X}_C = -\xi(\ddot{\varphi}_i \sin \varphi_i + \dot{\varphi}_i^2 \cos \varphi_i) - \eta(\ddot{\varphi}_i \cos \varphi_i - \dot{\varphi}_i^2 \sin \varphi_i) + \ddot{X}_1$$

$$\ddot{Y}_C = \xi(\ddot{\varphi}_i \cos \varphi_i - \dot{\varphi}_i^2 \sin \varphi_i) - \eta(\ddot{\varphi}_i \sin \varphi_i + \dot{\varphi}_i^2 \cos \varphi_i) + \ddot{Y}_1$$

$$\ddot{\varphi}_i = \dots\dots$$

## Point on a coupler and posture of coupler

The accelerations of two joints,  $J_1, J_2$ , are of angular

They can be written as the linear combination of angular acceleration of cranks as

$$\ddot{X}_C = \sum_k A_{C,k} \ddot{\theta}_k + B_C, \quad \ddot{Y}_C = \sum_k C_{C,k} \ddot{\theta}_k + D_C, \quad \ddot{\varphi}_i = \sum_k E_{i,k} \ddot{\theta}_k + F_i$$

$$A_{C,k} = -(\xi \sin \varphi_i + \eta \cos \varphi_i) E_{i,k} + A_{1,k}$$

$$B_C = -(\xi \sin \varphi_i + \eta \cos \varphi_i) F - \xi \dot{\varphi}_i^2 \cos \varphi_i + \eta \dot{\varphi}_i^2 \sin \varphi_i + B_1$$

$$C_{C,k} = (\xi \cos \varphi_i - \eta \sin \varphi_i) E_{i,k} + C_{1,k}$$

$$D_B = (\xi \cos \varphi_i - \eta \sin \varphi_i) F - \xi \dot{\varphi}_i^2 \sin \varphi_i - \eta \dot{\varphi}_i^2 \cos \varphi_i + D_1$$

$$E_{i,k} = [\Delta X (C_{2,k} - C_{1,k}) - \Delta Y (A_{2,k} - A_{1,k})] / L^2$$

$$F_i = [\Delta X (D_2 - D_1) - \Delta Y (B_2 - B_1)] / L_1^2$$

$$\ddot{\theta}_k + D_1$$

$$\ddot{\theta}_k + D_2$$

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form)

**Dynamics calculation module: FD\_COUPLER\_POINT**

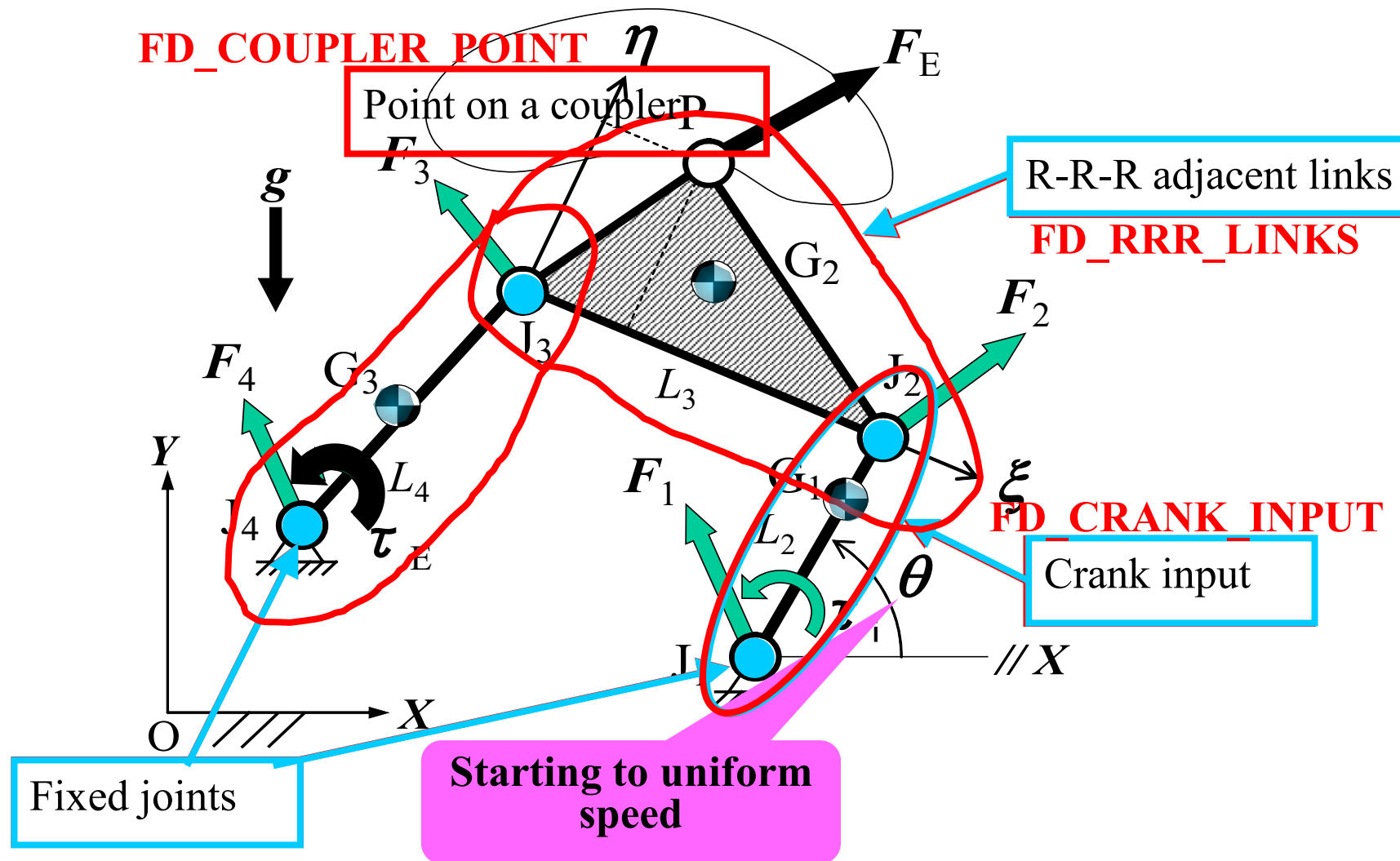
$$\ddot{X}_C = -\xi(\ddot{\varphi}_i \sin \varphi_i + \dot{\varphi}_i^2 \cos \varphi_i) - \eta(\ddot{\varphi}_i \cos \varphi_i - \dot{\varphi}_i^2 \sin \varphi_i) + \ddot{X}_1$$

$$\ddot{Y}_C = \xi(\ddot{\varphi}_i \cos \varphi_i - \dot{\varphi}_i^2 \sin \varphi_i) - \eta(\ddot{\varphi}_i \sin \varphi_i + \dot{\varphi}_i^2 \cos \varphi_i) + \ddot{Y}_1$$

$$\ddot{\varphi}_i = \dots\dots$$

# Examples of Forward Dynamics of Planar Closed-loop Mechanisms

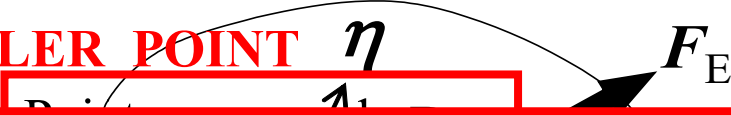
## Example 1 : Starting process of a 4-bar mechanism



# Examples of Forward Dynamics of Planar Closed-loop Mechanisms

## Example 1 : Starting process of a 4-bar mechanism

FD\_COUPLER POINT  $\eta$



$$\begin{bmatrix}
 -m_1 A_{G,1} & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
 -m_1 C_{G,1} & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
 -I_1 E_{G,1} & Y_{G,1} - Y_1 & X_1 - X_{G,1} & Y_{G,1} - Y_2 & X_2 - X_{G,1} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
 -m_2 A_{G,2} & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
 -m_2 C_{G,2} & 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\
 -I_2 E_{G,2} & 0 & 0 & Y_2 - Y_{G,2} & X_{G,2} - X_2 & Y_{G,2} - Y_3 & X_3 - X_{G,2} & 0 & 0 \\
 -m_3 A_{G,3} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\
 -m_3 C_{G,3} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 1 \\
 -I_3 E_{G,3} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & Y_3 - Y_{G,3} & X_{G,3} - X_3 & Y_{G,3} - Y_4 & X_4 - X_{G,3}
 \end{bmatrix}
 \begin{bmatrix}
 \ddot{\theta} \\
 F_{1,X} \\
 F_{1,Y} \\
 F_{2,X} \\
 F_{2,Y} \\
 F_{3,X} \\
 F_{3,Y} \\
 F_{4,X} \\
 F_{4,Y}
 \end{bmatrix}
 =
 \begin{bmatrix}
 m_1 B_{G,1} \\
 m_1 (D_{G,1} + g) \\
 I_1 F_{G,1} - \tau \\
 m_2 B_{G,2} - F_{E,X} \\
 m_2 (D_{G,2} + g) - F_{E,Y} \\
 I_2 F_{G,2} - (J_5 - G_2) \times F_E \\
 m_3 B_{G,3} \\
 m_3 (D_{G,3} + g) \\
 I_3 F_{G,3} - \tau_E
 \end{bmatrix}$$

The obtained equations of motion

Fixed joints



Starting to uniform speed

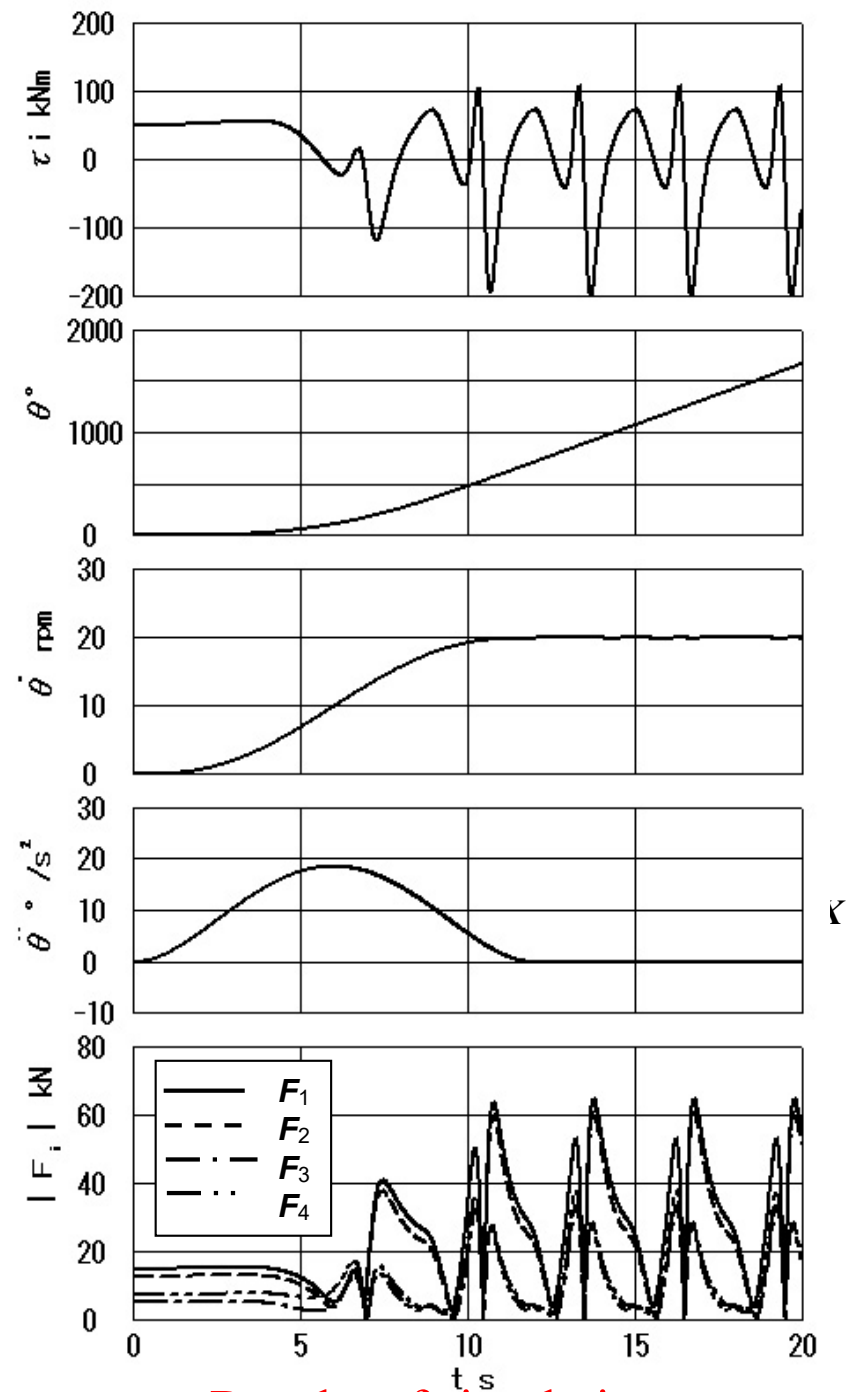


## Kinemactical dimensions

|                 |            |
|-----------------|------------|
| $L_2$ m         | 4.0        |
| $L_3$ m         | 8.0        |
| $L_4$ m         | 8.0        |
| $(X_1, Y_1)$ m  | (10.0,0.0) |
| $(X_4, Y_4)$ m  | (0.0,0.0)  |
| $(\xi, \eta)$ m | (5.0,5.0)  |

## Mass and moment of inertia of each link

|                              |             |            |
|------------------------------|-------------|------------|
| $m_1$ kg                     | 247.0       |            |
| $m_2$ kg                     | 1235.0      |            |
| $m_3$ kg                     | 494.0       |            |
| $(\xi_{G,1}, \eta_{G,1})$ mm | (2.0,0.0)   | $J_1, J_2$ |
| $(\xi_{G,2}, \eta_{G,2})$ mm | (4.0,3.0)   | $J_3, J_2$ |
| $(\xi_{G,3}, \eta_{G,3})$ mm | (4.0,0.0)   | $J_4, J_3$ |
| $I_1$ kgm <sup>2</sup>       | 329.0       |            |
| $I_2$ kgm <sup>2</sup>       | 7905.0      |            |
| $I_3$ kgm <sup>2</sup>       | 2635.0      |            |
| $(F_{E,X}, F_{E,Y})$ N       | (100.0,0.0) |            |
| $\tau_E$ Nm                  | -5.0        |            |



Results of simulation

Driving torque is given by carrying out the inverse dynamics calculation.

Angular velocity of crank was given as a cycloid function.

|                 |           |
|-----------------|-----------|
| $(X_4, Y_4)$ m  | (0.0,0.0) |
| $(\xi, \eta)$ m | (5.0,5.0) |

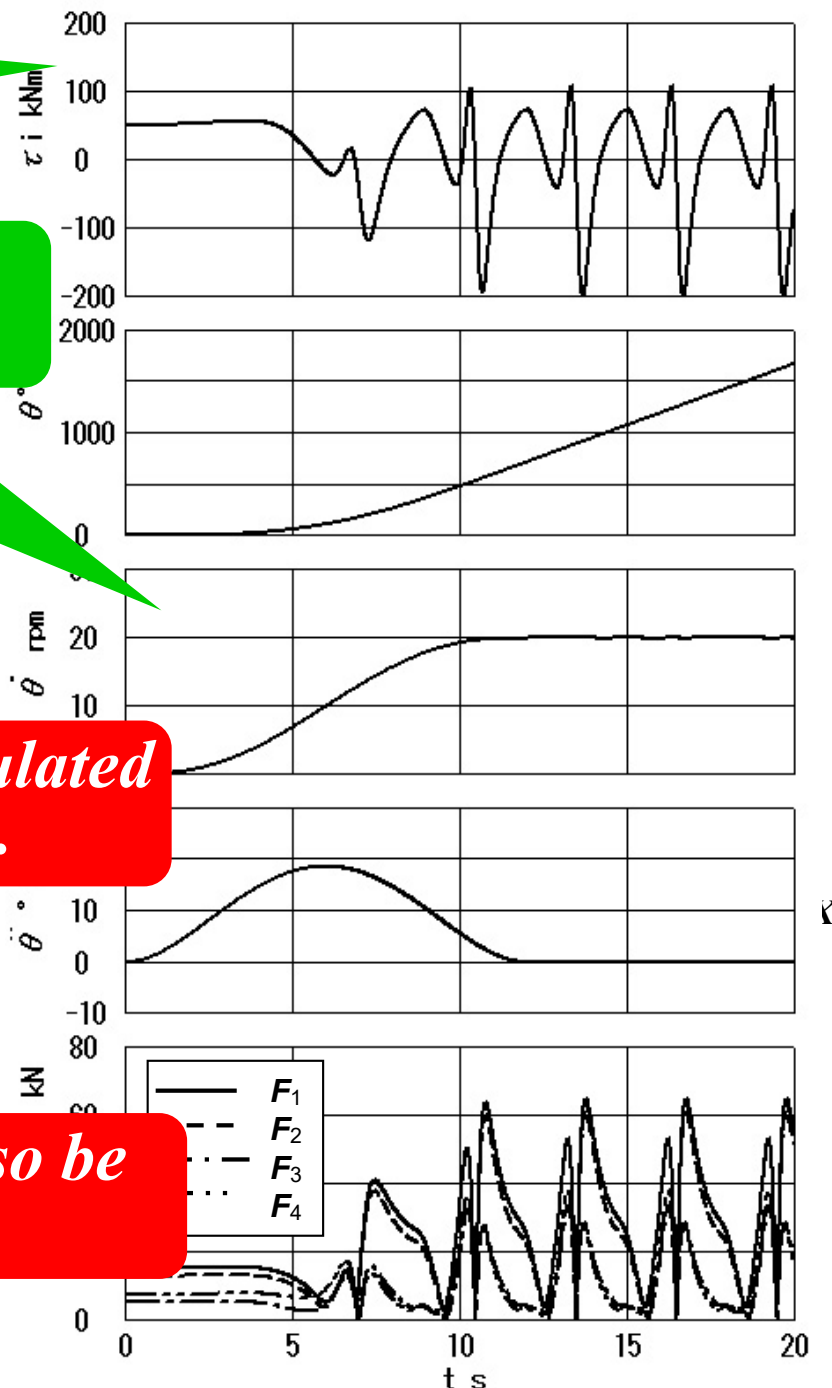
Mass and moment of inertia of each link

|          |        |
|----------|--------|
| $m_1$ kg | 247.0  |
| $m_2$ kg | 1235.0 |

*The starting process can be simulated with an adequate accuracy.*

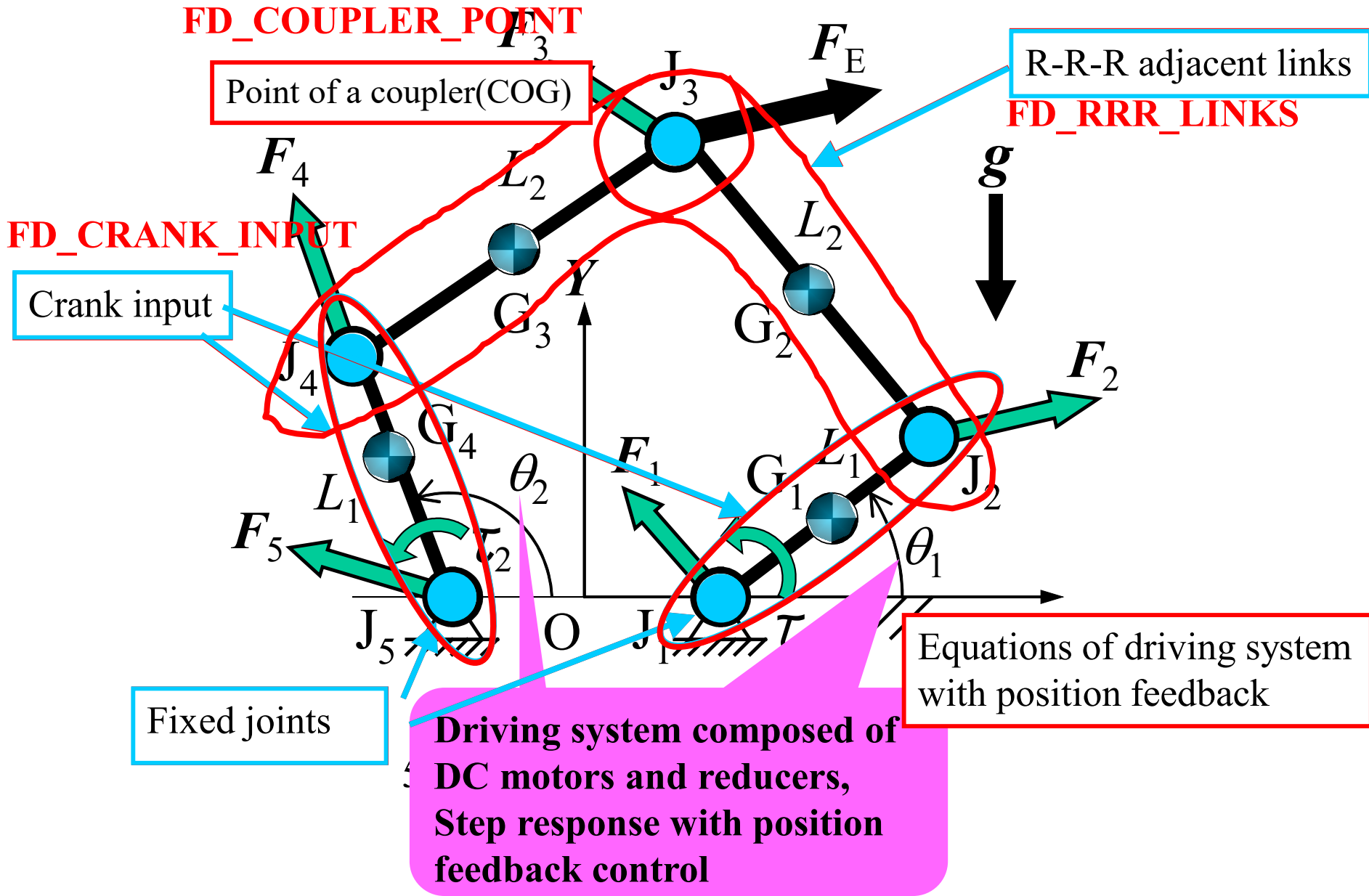
|                              |           |            |
|------------------------------|-----------|------------|
| $(\xi_{G,2}, \eta_{G,2})$ mm | (4.0,5.0) | $J_3, J_2$ |
| $(\xi_{G,3}, \eta_{G,3})$ mm | (4.0,0.0) | $J_4, J_3$ |
| $I_1$ kgm <sup>2</sup>       | 329.0     |            |
| $I_2$ kgm <sup>2</sup>       | 7905.0    |            |
| $I_3$ kgm <sup>2</sup>       |           |            |
| $(F_{E,X}, F_{E,Y})$ N       |           |            |
| $\tau_E$ Nm                  |           |            |

*The joint forces can also be calculated.*



Results of simulation

## Example 2: Positioning process of 5-bar mechanism with 2DOF



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$$\begin{bmatrix}
 -m_1 A_{G,1,1} & -m_1 A_{G,1,2} & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
 -m_1 C_{G,1,1} & -m_1 C_{G,1,2} & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
 -I_1 E_{G,1,1} & -I_1 E_{G,1,2} & Y_1 - Y_{G,1} & X_{G,1} - X_1 & Y_2 - Y_{G,1} & X_{G,1} - X_2 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
 -m_2 A_{G,2,1} & -m_2 A_{G,2,2} & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
 -m_2 C_{G,2,1} & -m_2 C_{G,2,2} & 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
 -I_2 E_{G,2,1} & -I_2 E_{G,2,2} & 0 & 0 & Y_{G,2} - X_2 & X_2 - X_{G,2} & Y_3 - Y_{G,2} & X_{G,2} - X_3 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
 -m_3 A_{G,3,1} & -m_3 A_{G,3,2} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
 -m_3 C_{G,3,1} & -m_3 C_{G,3,2} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\
 -I_3 E_{G,3,1} & -I_3 E_{G,3,2} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & Y_{G,3} - X_3 & X_3 - X_{G,3} & Y_4 - Y_{G,3} & X_{G,3} - X_4 & 0 & 0 \\
 -m_4 A_{G,4,1} & -m_4 A_{G,4,2} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\
 -m_4 C_{G,4,1} & -m_4 C_{G,4,2} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 1 \\
 -I_4 E_{G,4,1} & -I_4 E_{G,4,2} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & Y_{G,4} - X_4 & X_4 - X_{G,4} & Y_5 - Y_{G,4} & X_{G,4} - X_5
 \end{bmatrix}
 \begin{bmatrix}
 \ddot{\theta}_1 \\
 \ddot{\theta}_2 \\
 F_{1,X} \\
 F_{1,Y} \\
 F_{2,X} \\
 F_{2,Y} \\
 F_{3,X} \\
 F_{3,Y} \\
 F_{4,X} \\
 F_{4,Y} \\
 F_{5,X} \\
 F_{5,Y}
 \end{bmatrix}
 =
 \begin{bmatrix}
 m_1 B_{G,1} \\
 m_1 (D_{G,1} + g) \\
 I_1 F_1 - \tau_1 \\
 m_2 B_{G,2} - F_{E,X} \\
 m_2 (D_{G,2} + g) - F_{E,Y} \\
 I_2 F_2 - (J_3 - G_2) \times F_E \\
 m_3 B_{G,3} \\
 m_3 (D_{G,3} + g) \\
 I_3 F_3 \\
 m_4 B_{G,4} \\
 m_4 (D_{G,4} + g) \\
 I_4 F_4 - \tau_2
 \end{bmatrix}$$

The given driving torque

(Equations of motion of DC motors and feedback control system):

$$\tau_i = \frac{n \eta K_T [K_P (\theta_{d,i} - \theta_i) - K_E n \dot{\theta}_i]}{R_a}$$

The obtained equations of motion

Fixed joints

Driving system composed of  
5 DC motors and reducers,  
Step response with position  
feedback control

## Kinematical dimensions

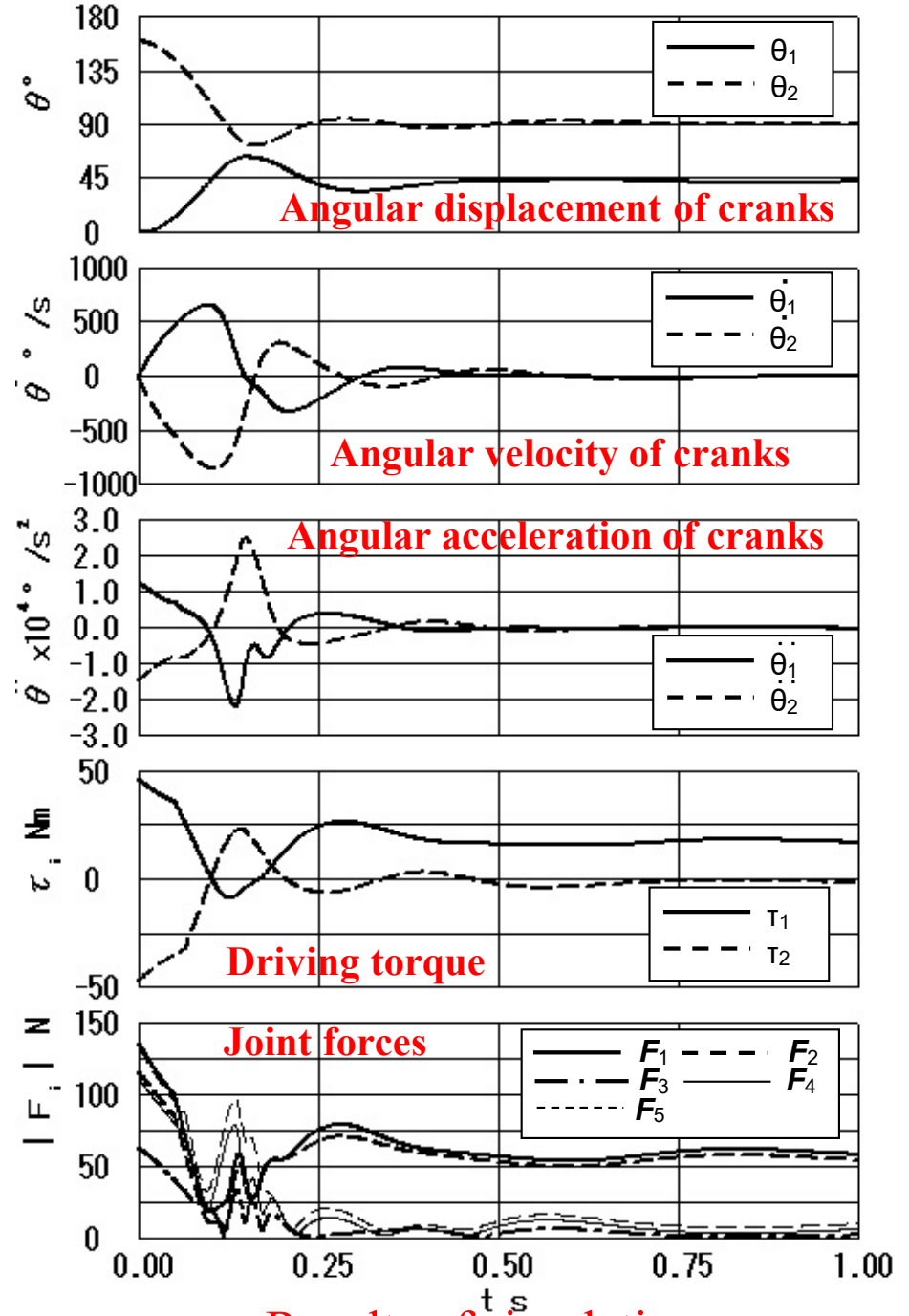
|                |              |
|----------------|--------------|
| $L_1$ m        | 0.4          |
| $L_2$ m        | 0.6          |
| $(X_1, Y_1)$ m | (0.05, 0.0)  |
| $(X_5, Y_5)$ m | (-0.05, 0.0) |

## Mass, COG and moment of inertia of each link

|                        |                       |                              |             |            |
|------------------------|-----------------------|------------------------------|-------------|------------|
| $m_1$ kg               | 0.2                   | $(\xi_{G,1}, \eta_{G,1})$ mm | (0.2,0.0)   | $J_1, J_2$ |
| $m_2$ kg               | 0.3                   | $(\xi_{G,2}, \eta_{G,2})$ mm | (0.3,0.0)   | $J_3, J_2$ |
| $m_3$ kg               | 0.3                   | $(\xi_{G,3}, \eta_{G,3})$ mm | (0.3,0.0)   | $J_4, J_3$ |
| $m_4$ kg               | 0.2                   | $(\xi_{G,4}, \eta_{G,4})$ mm | (0.2,0.0)   | $J_5, J_4$ |
| $I_1$ kgm <sup>2</sup> | $5.33 \times 10^{-3}$ | $(F_{E,X}, F_{E,Y})$ N       | (0.0,-50.0) |            |
| $I_2$ kgm <sup>2</sup> | $18.0 \times 10^{-3}$ |                              |             |            |
| $I_3$ kgm <sup>2</sup> | $18.0 \times 10^{-3}$ |                              |             |            |
| $I_4$ kgm <sup>2</sup> | $5.33 \times 10^{-3}$ |                              |             |            |

## Driving system

|                |       |
|----------------|-------|
| $n$            | 10.0  |
| $\eta$         | 0.8   |
| $K_p$          | 100.0 |
| $K_T$ Nm/A     | 0.22  |
| $K_E$ Vs/rad   | 0.22  |
| $R_a$ $\Omega$ | 3.0   |



Results of simulation

## Kinematical dimensions

|         |     |
|---------|-----|
| $L_1$ m | 0.4 |
|---------|-----|

*Positioning process can be simulated with an adequate accuracy.*

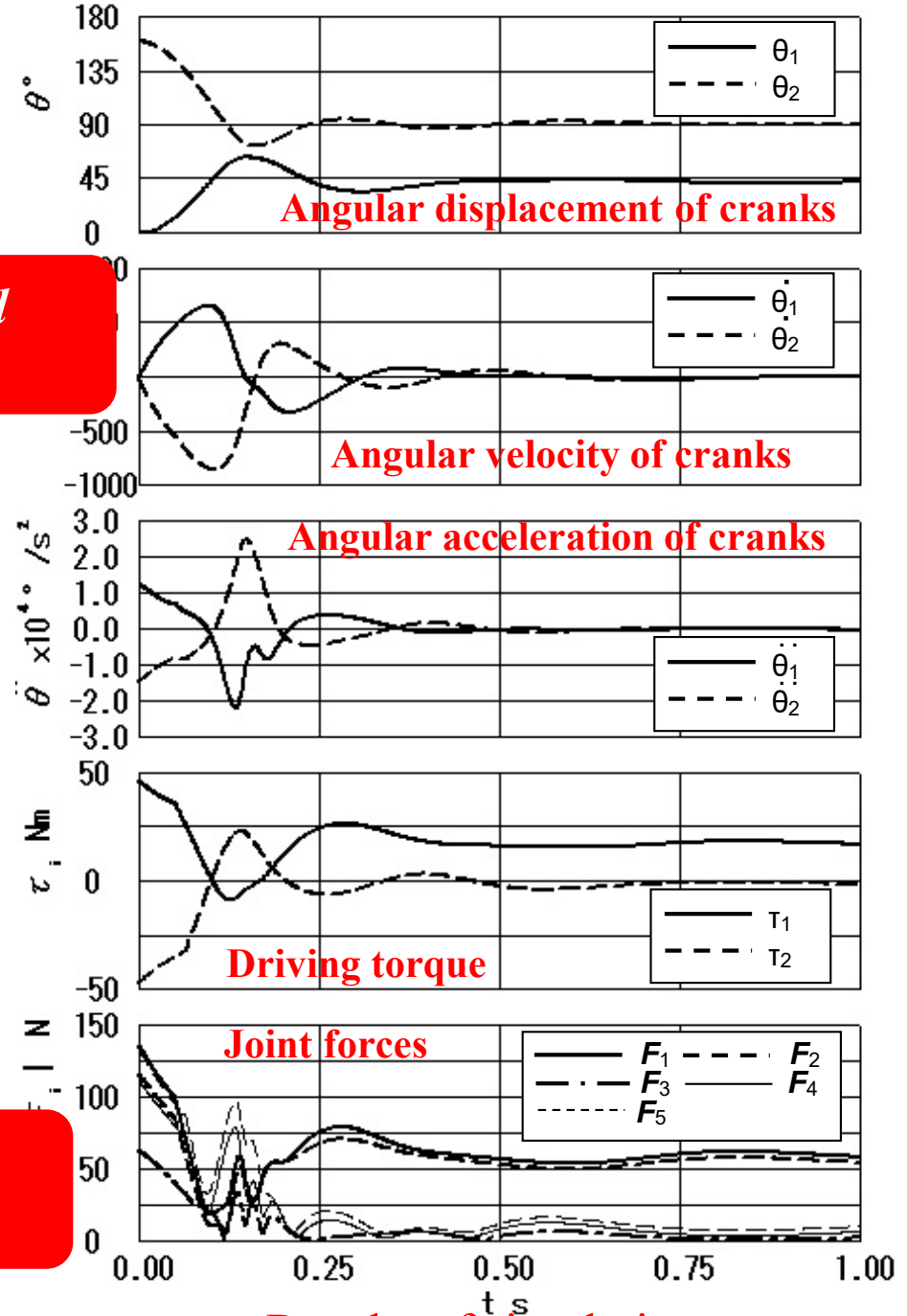
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| $m_3$ kg               | 0.3                   | $(\xi_{G,3}, \eta_{G,3})$ mm | (0.3,0.0)   | $J_4, J_3$ |
| $m_4$ kg               | 0.2                   | $(\xi_{G,4}, \eta_{G,4})$ mm | (0.2,0.0)   | $J_5, J_4$ |
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| $I_4$ kgm <sup>2</sup> | $5.33 \times 10^{-3}$ |                              |             |            |

## Driving system

|        |       |
|--------|-------|
| $n$    | 10.0  |
| $\eta$ | 0.8   |
| $K_p$  | 100.0 |

*Joint forces can also be calculated.*



Results of simulation

# Equations to Derive Accelerations for Spatial Mechanisms

## Crank input

Translational and angular accelerations of a revolute joint R and previous link are given as the linear combination of accelerations of other driving link inputs as

$$\ddot{\mathbf{R}} = [\mathbf{C}_R] \ddot{\boldsymbol{\theta}} + \mathbf{d}_R$$

$$\dot{\boldsymbol{\omega}}_R = [\mathbf{C}_{\omega R}] \ddot{\boldsymbol{\theta}} + \mathbf{d}_{\omega R}, \quad [\ddot{\mathbf{R}}_R] = [\mathbf{C}_{RR}] \ddot{\boldsymbol{\theta}} + [\mathbf{d}_{RR}]$$



A new crank input:  $\theta_k$

$$\ddot{\mathbf{B}} = [\mathbf{C}_B] \ddot{\boldsymbol{\theta}} + \mathbf{d}_B$$

$$\dot{\boldsymbol{\omega}}_B = [\mathbf{C}_{\omega B}] \ddot{\boldsymbol{\theta}} + \mathbf{d}_{\omega B}, \quad [\ddot{\mathbf{R}}_B] = [\mathbf{C}_{RB}] \ddot{\boldsymbol{\theta}} + [\mathbf{d}_{RB}]$$

where

$$[\mathbf{C}_B] = ([\mathbf{C}_{RR}][\boldsymbol{\theta}] + [\mathbf{R}_R][\mathbf{C}_\theta])\mathbf{b} + [\mathbf{C}_R],$$

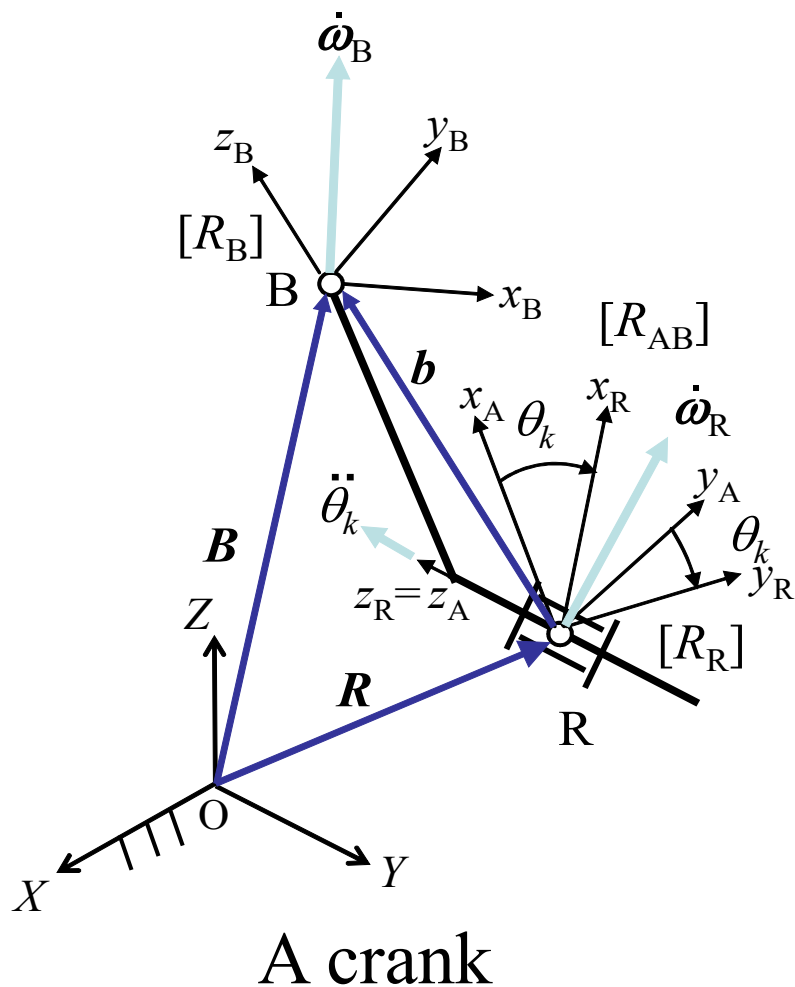
$$\mathbf{d}_B = ([\mathbf{d}_{RR}][\boldsymbol{\theta}] + 2[\dot{\mathbf{R}}_R][\dot{\boldsymbol{\theta}}] + [\mathbf{R}_R][\mathbf{d}_\theta])\mathbf{b},$$

$$[\mathbf{C}_{\omega B}] = [\mathbf{R}_{AB}][\mathbf{C}_{\omega R}], \quad \mathbf{d}_{\omega B} = [\mathbf{R}_{AB}](\mathbf{d}_{\omega R} + [0 \ 0 \ 1]^T),$$

$$[\mathbf{C}_{RB}] = ([\mathbf{C}_{RR}][\boldsymbol{\theta}] + [\mathbf{R}_R][\mathbf{C}_\theta])[\mathbf{R}_{AB}],$$

$$[\mathbf{d}_{RB}] = [\mathbf{d}_{RR}][\boldsymbol{\theta}] + 2[\dot{\mathbf{R}}_R][\dot{\boldsymbol{\theta}}] + [\mathbf{R}_R][\mathbf{d}_\theta],$$

$$[\mathbf{C}_\theta] = \begin{bmatrix} -\sin \theta_k & -\cos \theta_k & 0 \\ \cos \theta_k & -\sin \theta_k & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, [\mathbf{d}_\theta] = \begin{bmatrix} -\dot{\theta}_k^2 \cos \theta_k & \dot{\theta}_k^2 \sin \theta_k & 0 \\ -\dot{\theta}_k^2 \sin \theta_k & -\dot{\theta}_k^2 \cos \theta_k & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$



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A new crank input:  $\theta_k$

$$\ddot{\mathbf{B}} = [\mathbf{C}_B] \ddot{\boldsymbol{\theta}} + \mathbf{d}_B$$

$$\dot{\boldsymbol{\omega}}_B = [\mathbf{C}_{\omega B}] \ddot{\boldsymbol{\theta}} + \mathbf{d}_{\omega B}, \quad [\ddot{\mathbf{R}}_B] = [\mathbf{C}_{RB}] \ddot{\boldsymbol{\theta}} + [\mathbf{d}_{RB}]$$

where

$$[\mathbf{C}_B] = ([\mathbf{C}_{RR}][\boldsymbol{\theta}] + [\mathbf{R}_R][\mathbf{C}_\theta])\mathbf{b} + [\mathbf{C}_R],$$

$$\mathbf{d}_B = ([\mathbf{d}_{RR}][\boldsymbol{\theta}] + 2[\dot{\mathbf{R}}_R][\dot{\boldsymbol{\theta}}] + [\mathbf{R}_R][\mathbf{d}_\theta])\mathbf{b}$$

Acceleration coefficients on point B can be recursively obtained.

**Dynamics calculation module: FD\_S\_CRANK\_INPUT**

A crank

$$[\mathbf{C}_\theta] = \begin{bmatrix} -\sin \theta_k & -\cos \theta_k & 0 \\ \cos \theta_k & -\sin \theta_k & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, [\mathbf{d}_\theta] = \begin{bmatrix} -\dot{\theta}_k \cos \theta_k & \dot{\theta}_k \sin \theta_k & 0 \\ -\dot{\theta}_k^2 \sin \theta_k & -\dot{\theta}_k^2 \cos \theta_k & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

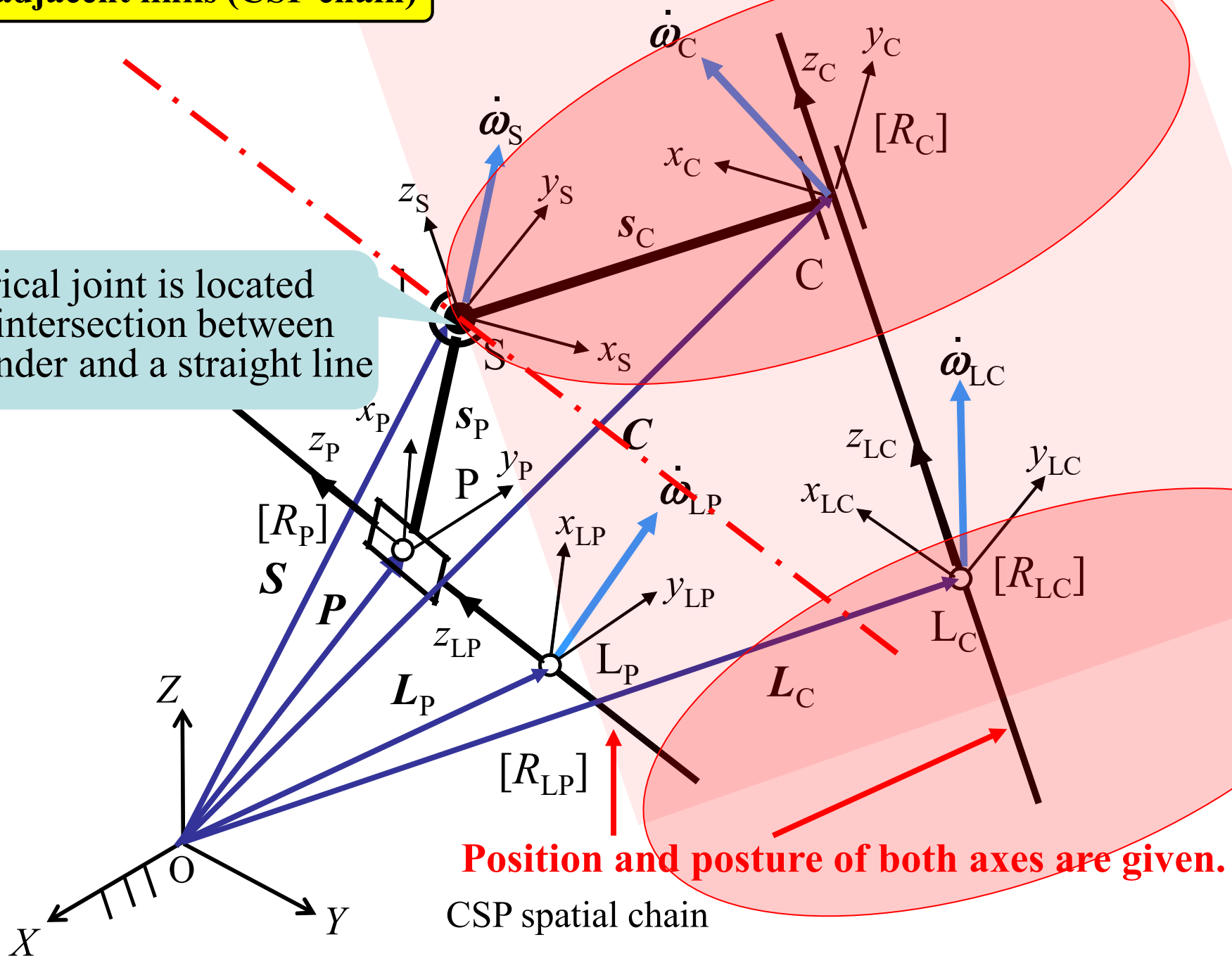


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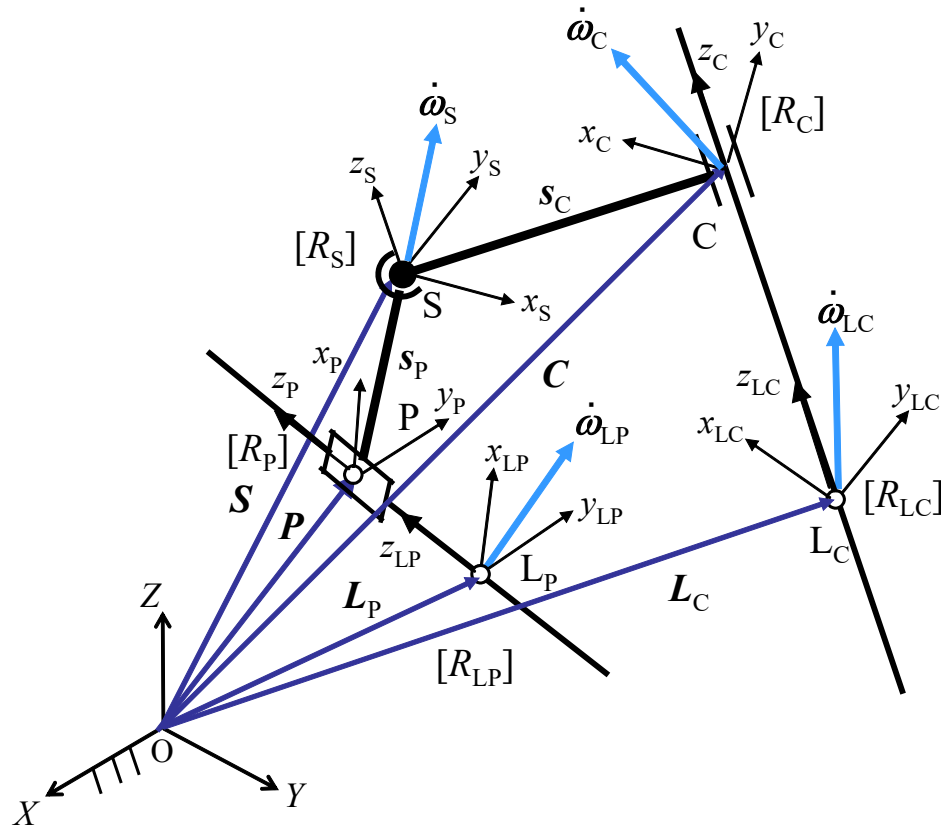
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## Two adjacent links (CSP chain)

Spherical joint is located at an intersection between a cylinder and a straight line



Translational and angular accelerations of axes of cylindrical and prismatic joints are given as the linear combination of accelerations of driving link inputs as



CSP two adjacent links

$$\ddot{L}_C = [C_{LC}] \ddot{\theta} + d_{LC}, \quad \dot{\omega}_{LC} = [C_{\omega LC}] \ddot{\theta} + d_{\omega LC},$$

$$[\ddot{R}_{RLC}] = [C_{RLC}] \ddot{\theta} + [d_{RLC}]$$

$$\ddot{L}_P = [C_{LP}] \ddot{\theta} + d_{LP}, \quad \dot{\omega}_{LP} = [C_{\omega LP}] \ddot{\theta} + d_{\omega LP},$$

$$[\ddot{R}_{RLP}] = [C_{RLP}] \ddot{\theta} + [d_{RLP}]$$



$$\ddot{C} = [C_C] \ddot{\theta} + d_C,$$

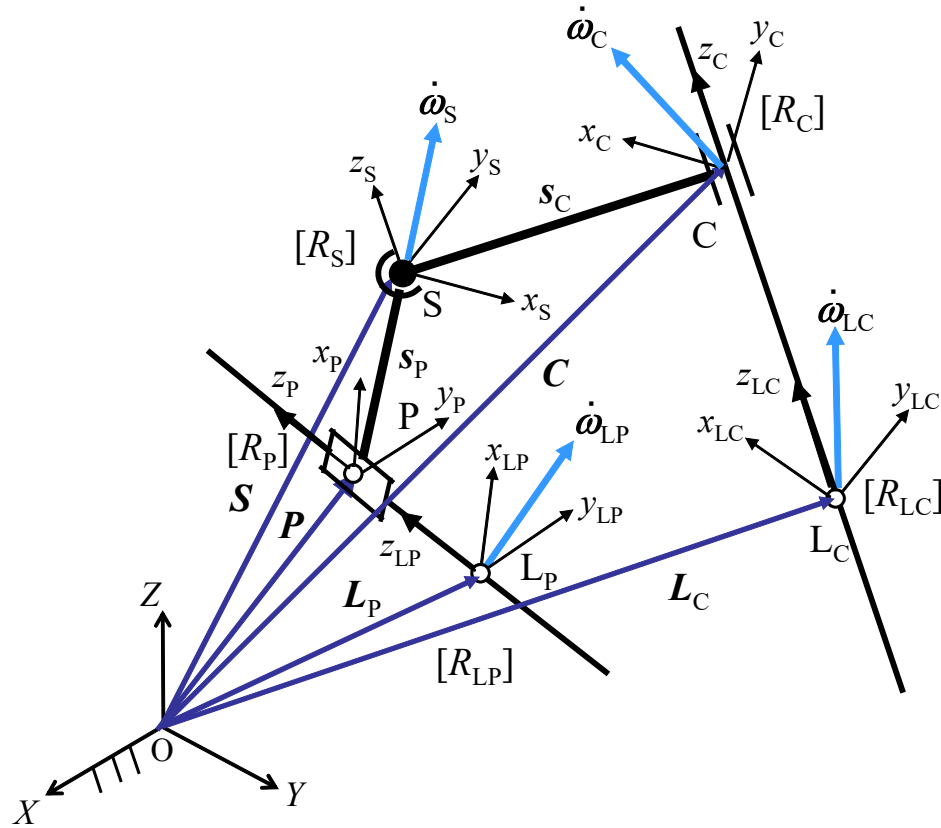
$$\dot{\omega}_C = [C_{\omega C}] \ddot{\theta} + d_{\omega C}, \quad [\ddot{R}_C] = [C_{RC}] \ddot{\theta} + [d_{RC}]$$

$$\ddot{S} = [C_S] \ddot{\theta} + d_S,$$

$$\dot{\omega}_S = [C_{\omega S}] \ddot{\theta} + d_{\omega S}, \quad [\ddot{R}_S] = [C_{RS}] \ddot{\theta} + [d_{RS}]$$

$$\ddot{P} = [C_P] \ddot{\theta} + d_P$$

Translational and angular accelerations of axes of cylindrical and prismatic joints are given as the linear combination of accelerations of driving link inputs as



$$\ddot{L}_C = [C_{LC}] \ddot{\theta} + d_{LC}, \quad \dot{\omega}_{LC} = [C_{\omega LC}] \ddot{\theta} + d_{\omega LC},$$

$$[\ddot{R}_{RLC}] = [C_{RLC}] \ddot{\theta} + [d_{RLC}]$$

$$\ddot{L}_P = [C_{LP}] \ddot{\theta} + d_{LP}, \quad \dot{\omega}_{LP} = [C_{\omega LP}] \ddot{\theta} + d_{\omega LP},$$

$$[\ddot{R}_{RLP}] = [C_{RLP}] \ddot{\theta} + [d_{RLP}]$$



$$\ddot{C} = [C_C] \ddot{\theta} + d_C,$$

$$\dot{\omega}_C = [C_{\omega C}] \ddot{\theta} + d_{\omega C}, \quad [\ddot{R}_C] = [C_{RC}] \ddot{\theta} + [d_{RC}]$$

$$\ddot{S} = [C_S] \ddot{\theta} + d_S,$$

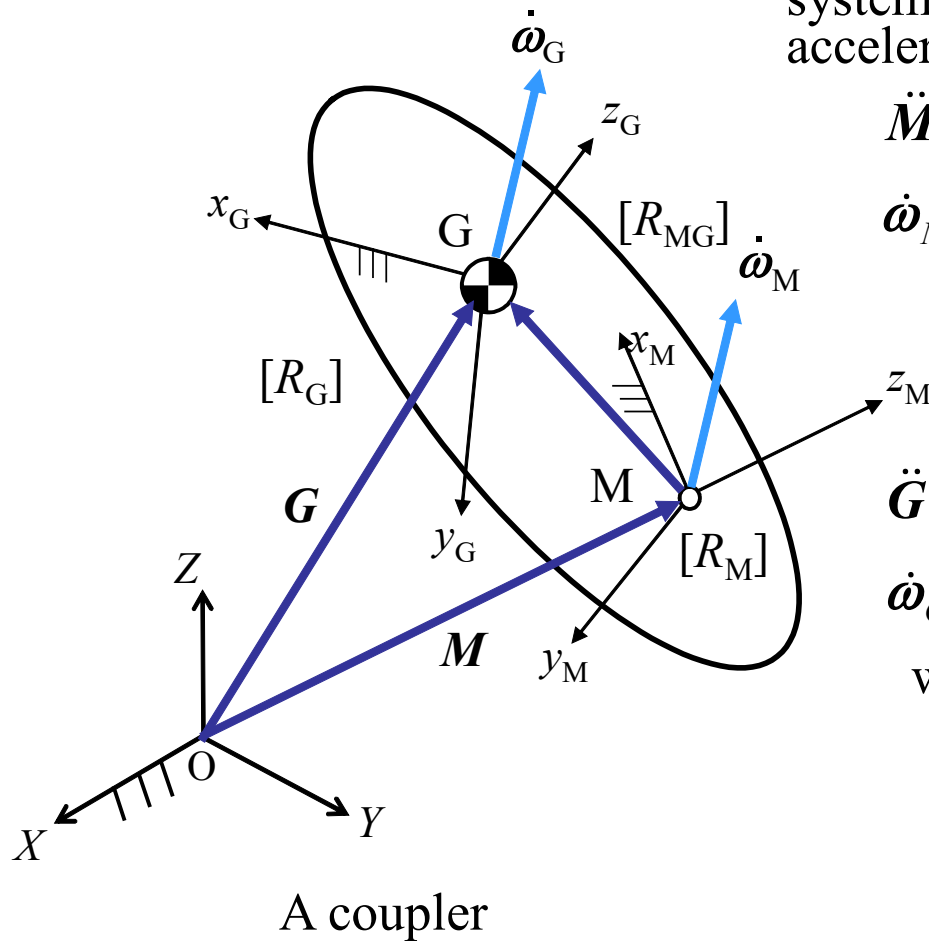
$$\dot{\omega}_S = [C_{\omega S}] \ddot{\theta} + d_{\omega S}, \quad [\ddot{R}_S] = [C_{RS}] \ddot{\theta} + [d_{RS}]$$

Acceleration coefficients on joints C, S, P can be recursively obtained.

**Dynamics calculation module: FD\_CSP\_LINKS**



## Motion of a coupler link



Translational and angular accelerations of moving system are given as the linear combination of accelerations of other driving link inputs as

$$\ddot{\mathbf{M}} = [\mathbf{C}_M] \ddot{\boldsymbol{\theta}} + \mathbf{d}_M,$$

$$\dot{\boldsymbol{\omega}}_M = [\mathbf{C}_{\omega M}] \ddot{\boldsymbol{\theta}} + \mathbf{d}_{\omega M}, \quad [\ddot{\mathbf{R}}_M] = [\mathbf{C}_{RM}] \ddot{\boldsymbol{\theta}} + [\mathbf{d}_{RM}]$$

Coordinate transformation

$$\ddot{\mathbf{G}} = [\mathbf{C}_G] \ddot{\boldsymbol{\theta}} + \mathbf{d}_G,$$

$$\dot{\boldsymbol{\omega}}_G = [\mathbf{C}_{\omega G}] \ddot{\boldsymbol{\theta}} + \mathbf{d}_{\omega G}, \quad [\ddot{\mathbf{R}}_G] = [\mathbf{C}_{RG}] \ddot{\boldsymbol{\theta}} + [\mathbf{d}_{RG}]$$

where

$$[\mathbf{C}_G] = [\mathbf{C}_M] + [\mathbf{C}_{RM}] \mathbf{m}, \quad \mathbf{d}_G = \mathbf{d}_M + [\mathbf{d}_{RM}] \mathbf{m},$$

$$[\mathbf{C}_{\omega G}] = [\mathbf{R}_{MG}]^T [\mathbf{C}_{\omega M}], \quad \mathbf{d}_{\omega G} = [\mathbf{R}_{MG}]^T \mathbf{d}_{\omega M},$$

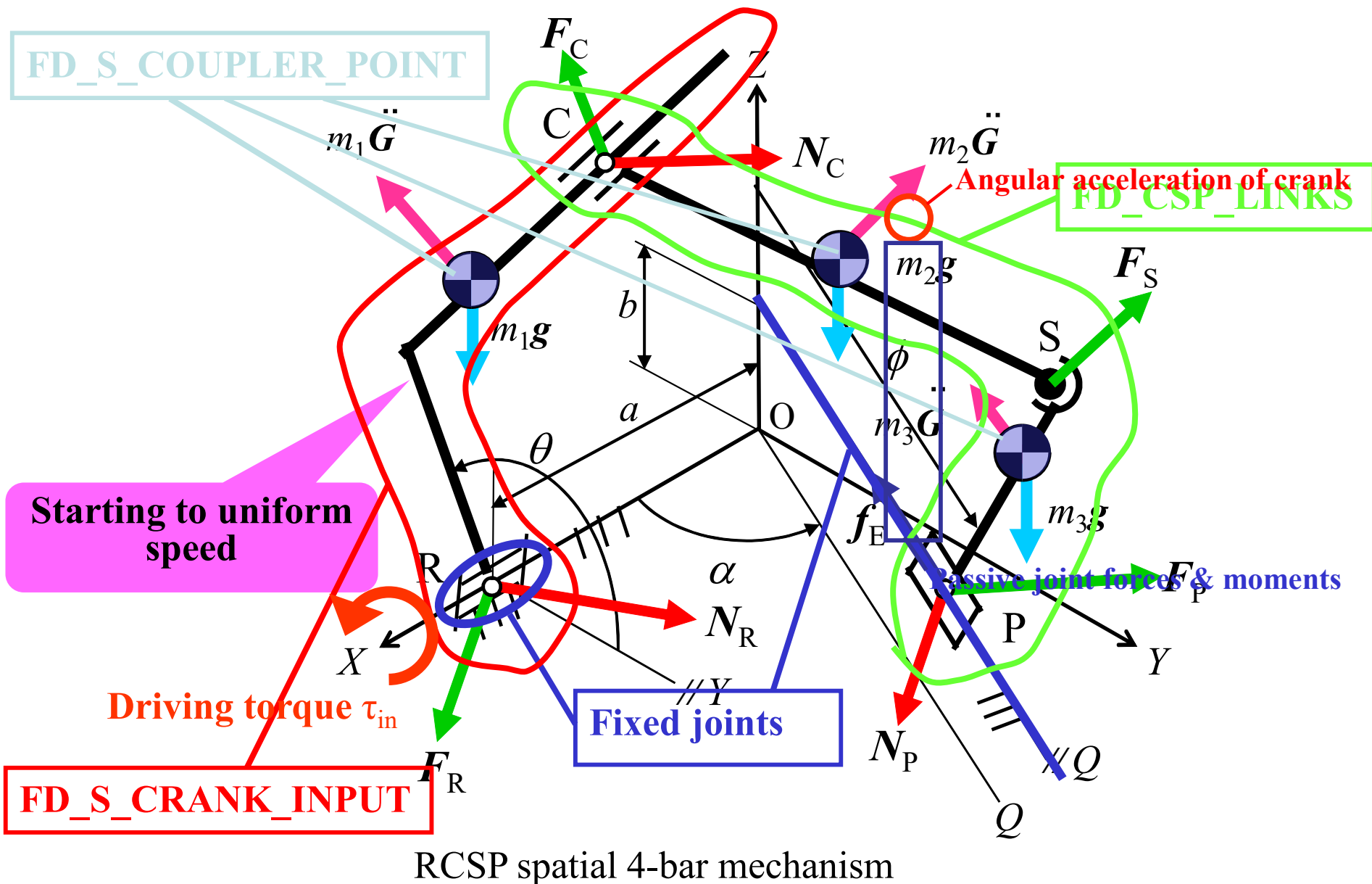
$$[\mathbf{C}_{RG}] = [\mathbf{C}_{RM}] [\mathbf{R}_{MG}], \quad [\mathbf{d}_{RG}] = [\mathbf{d}_{RM}] [\mathbf{R}_{MG}]$$

Acceleration coefficients on point G can be recursively obtained.

**Dynamics calculation module: FD\_S\_COUPLER\_POINT**

# Example of Forward Dynamics Analysis

Ex. Starting process of an RCSP spatial 4-bar mechanism



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FD\_S\_COUPLER\_POINT

$m_1 \ddot{\mathbf{G}}$

$\mathbf{F}_C$

C

$\mathbf{N}$

$m_2 \ddot{\mathbf{G}}$

Angular acceleration of crank

$$\begin{bmatrix}
 -m_1 r_{G,1,X} & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots & \dots & 0 \\
 -m_1 r_{G,1,Y} & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots & \dots & 0 \\
 -m_1 r_{G,1,Z} & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & \dots & \dots & 0 \\
 -I_{1,xx} \ddot{u}_{\dot{0},1,x} + I_{1,xy} \ddot{u}_{\dot{0},1,y} + I_{1,zx} \ddot{u}_{\dot{0},1,z} & 0 & Z_{G,1} - Z_R & Y_R - Y_{G,1} & 1 & 0 & \dots & \dots & 0 \\
 I_{1,xy} \ddot{u}_{\dot{0},1,x} - I_{1,yy} \ddot{u}_{\dot{0},1,y} + I_{1,yz} \ddot{u}_{\dot{0},1,z} & Z_R - Z_{G,1} & 0 & X_{G,1} - X_R & 0 & 1 & \dots & \dots & 0 \\
 I_{1,zx} \ddot{u}_{\dot{0},1,x} + I_{1,yz} \ddot{u}_{\dot{0},1,y} - I_{1,zz} \ddot{u}_{\dot{0},1,z} & Y_{G,1} - Y_R & X_R - X_{G,1} & 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots & \dots & 0 \\
 \vdots & \ddots & \ddots & \ddots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \ddots & \vdots \\
 I_{3,zx} \ddot{r}_{\dot{0},3,x} + I_{3,yz} \ddot{r}_{\dot{0},3,y} - I_{3,zz} \ddot{r}_{\dot{0},3,z} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots & \dots & 1
 \end{bmatrix}
 \begin{bmatrix}
 \ddot{\theta} \\
 F_{R,X} \\
 F_{R,Y} \\
 F_{R,Z} \\
 N_{R,Y} \\
 N_{R,z} \\
 0 \\
 \vdots \\
 0 \\
 \vdots \\
 N_{P,Z}
 \end{bmatrix}
 =
 \begin{bmatrix}
 m_1 s_{G,1,X} \\
 m_1 s_{G,1,Y} \\
 m_1 (s_{G,1,Z} + g) \\
 -I_{1,xx} \ddot{v}_{\dot{0},1,x} + I_{1,xy} \ddot{v}_{\dot{0},1,y} + I_{1,zx} \ddot{v}_{\dot{0},1,z} + \dots + \tau_{in} \\
 I_{1,xy} \ddot{v}_{\dot{0},1,x} - I_{1,yy} \ddot{v}_{\dot{0},1,y} + I_{1,yz} \ddot{v}_{\dot{0},1,z} + \dots \\
 I_{1,zx} \ddot{v}_{\dot{0},1,x} + I_{1,yz} \ddot{v}_{\dot{0},1,y} - I_{1,zz} \ddot{v}_{\dot{0},1,z} + \dots \\
 \vdots \\
 \vdots \\
 I_{1,zx} \ddot{v}_{\dot{0},1,x} + I_{1,yz} \ddot{v}_{\dot{0},1,y} - I_{1,zz} \ddot{v}_{\dot{0},1,z} + \dots
 \end{bmatrix}$$

Coefficients of accelerations

Passive joint forces & moments

The obtained equations of motion

Driving torque  $\tau_{in}$

Fixed joints

FD\_S\_CRANK\_INPUT

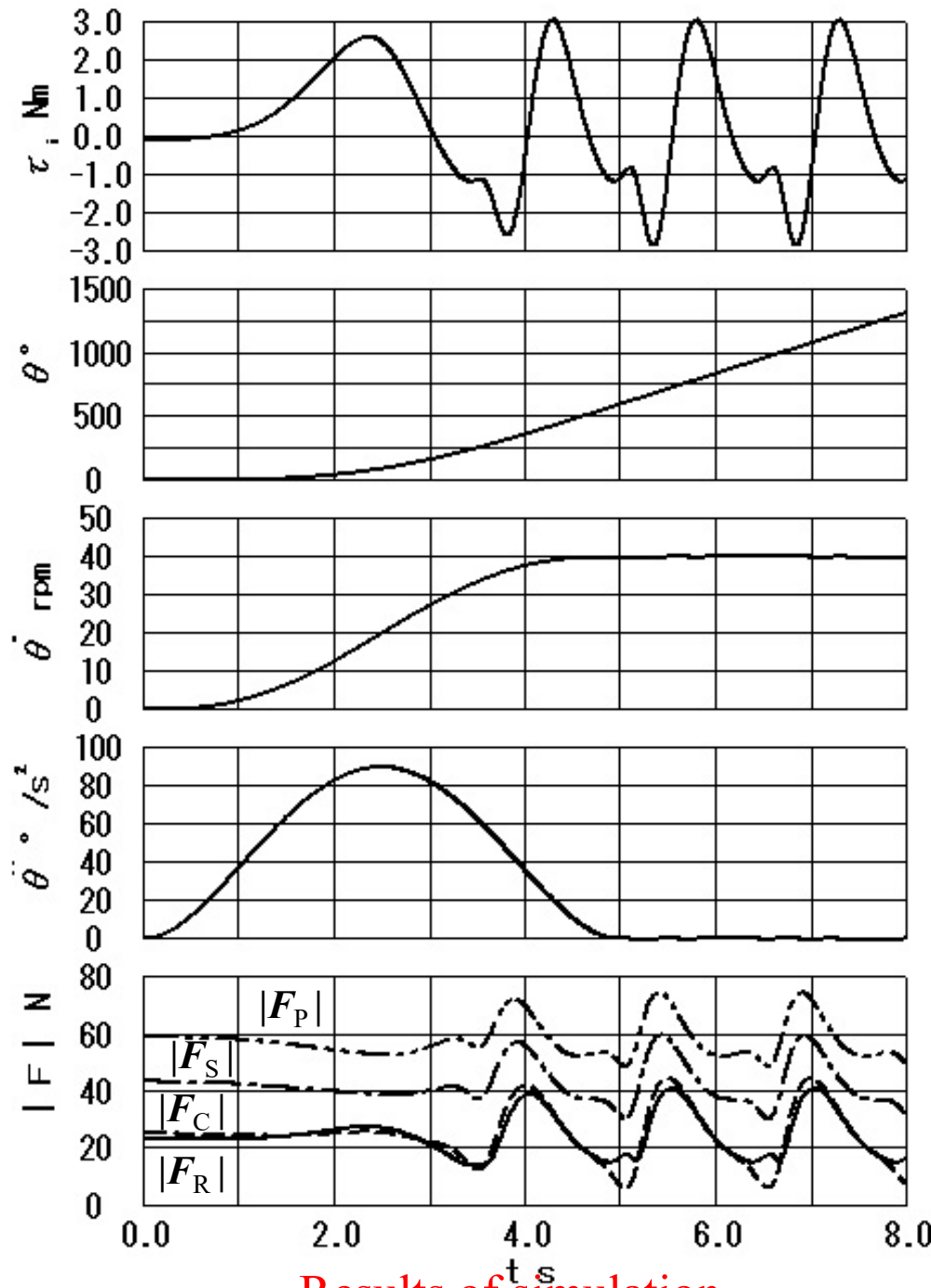
RCSP spatial 4-bar mechanism

Table 1 Mechanical dimensions of an R-C-S-P spatial 4-bar link mechanism

|                |      |           |                            |
|----------------|------|-----------|----------------------------|
| $a$ [m]        | 0.10 | $R$ [m]   | $(0.01 \ 0 \ 0)^T$         |
| $b$ [m]        | 0.11 | $L_P$ [m] | $(-0.2 \ 0.3464 \ 0.11)^T$ |
| $\alpha^\circ$ | 120  | $I_C$ [m] | $(0.1 \ 0.0 \ 0.0)^T$      |
|                |      | $s_C$ [m] | $(0.6 \ 0.0 \ 0.0)^T$      |
|                |      | $s_C$ [m] | $(0.0 \ 0.3 \ 0.0)^T$      |

Table 2 Mass and inertia parameters of an R-C-S-P spatial 4-bar link mechanism

| Link    | Mass [kg] | C.O.G [m]                                                   | Coordinate system | Inertia tensor [kgm <sup>2</sup> ]                                                                                 |
|---------|-----------|-------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| crank   | 1.524     | $\begin{bmatrix} 0.0646 \\ 0.0000 \\ -0.0820 \end{bmatrix}$ | $[R_A]$           | $\begin{bmatrix} 0.0293 & 0.0000 & -0.0047 \\ 0.0000 & 0.0319 & 0.0000 \\ -0.0047 & 0.0000 & 0.0029 \end{bmatrix}$ |
| coupler | 2.698     | $\begin{bmatrix} 0.3467 \\ 0.0000 \\ 0.0000 \end{bmatrix}$  | $[R_C]$           | $\begin{bmatrix} 0.0008 & 0.0000 & 0.0000 \\ 0.0000 & 0.1496 & 0.0000 \\ 0.0000 & 0.0000 & 0.1492 \end{bmatrix}$   |
| output  | 2.147     | $\begin{bmatrix} 0.0000 \\ 0.1189 \\ 0.0000 \end{bmatrix}$  | $[R_P]$           | $\begin{bmatrix} 0.0340 & 0.0000 & 0.0000 \\ 0.0000 & 0.0015 & 0.0000 \\ 0.0000 & 0.0000 & 0.0334 \end{bmatrix}$   |



Results of simulation

Driving torque is given by carrying out the inverse dynamics calculation.

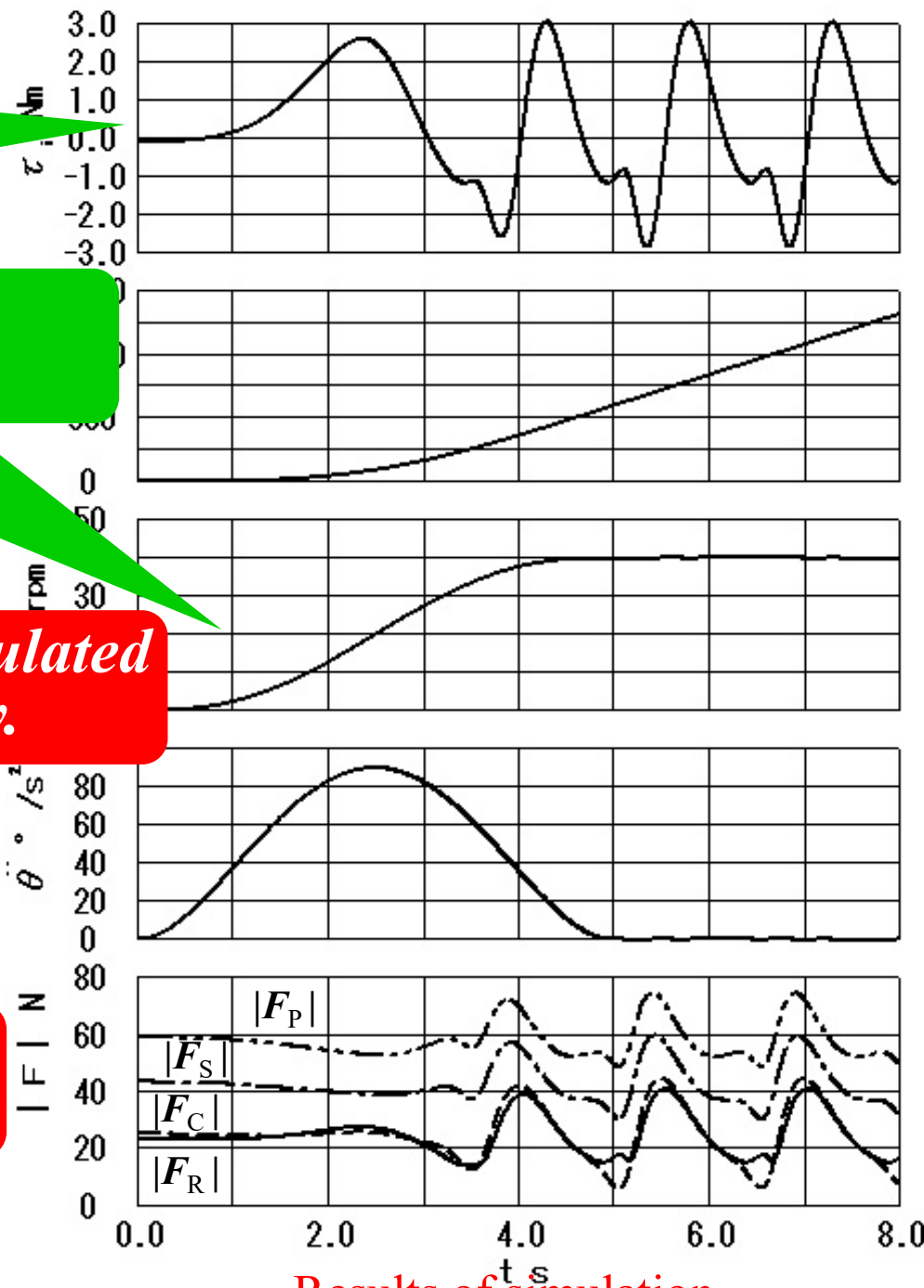
Angular velocity of crank was given as a cycloid function.

|                |     |                    |                       |
|----------------|-----|--------------------|-----------------------|
| $\alpha^\circ$ | 120 | $\mathbf{l}_C$ [m] | $(0.1 \ 0.0 \ 0.0)^T$ |
|                |     | $\mathbf{s}_C$ [m] | $(0.6 \ 0.0 \ 0.0)^T$ |
|                |     | $\mathbf{s}_C$ [m] | $(0.0 \ 0.3 \ 0.0)^T$ |

*The starting process can be simulated with an adequate accuracy.*

|         |       |                                                             |         |                                                                                                                    |
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| slider  | 1.016 | $\begin{bmatrix} 0.0000 \\ 0.0000 \\ 0.0000 \end{bmatrix}$  | $[R_B]$ | $\begin{bmatrix} 0.0000 & 0.0000 & 0.0334 \\ 0.0000 & 0.0000 & 0.0000 \\ 0.0000 & 0.0000 & 0.0000 \end{bmatrix}$   |

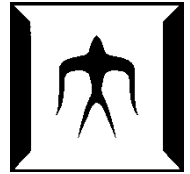
*The joint forces can also be calculated.*



Results of simulation

*Forward dynamics analysis  
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## **4. Concluding remarks**

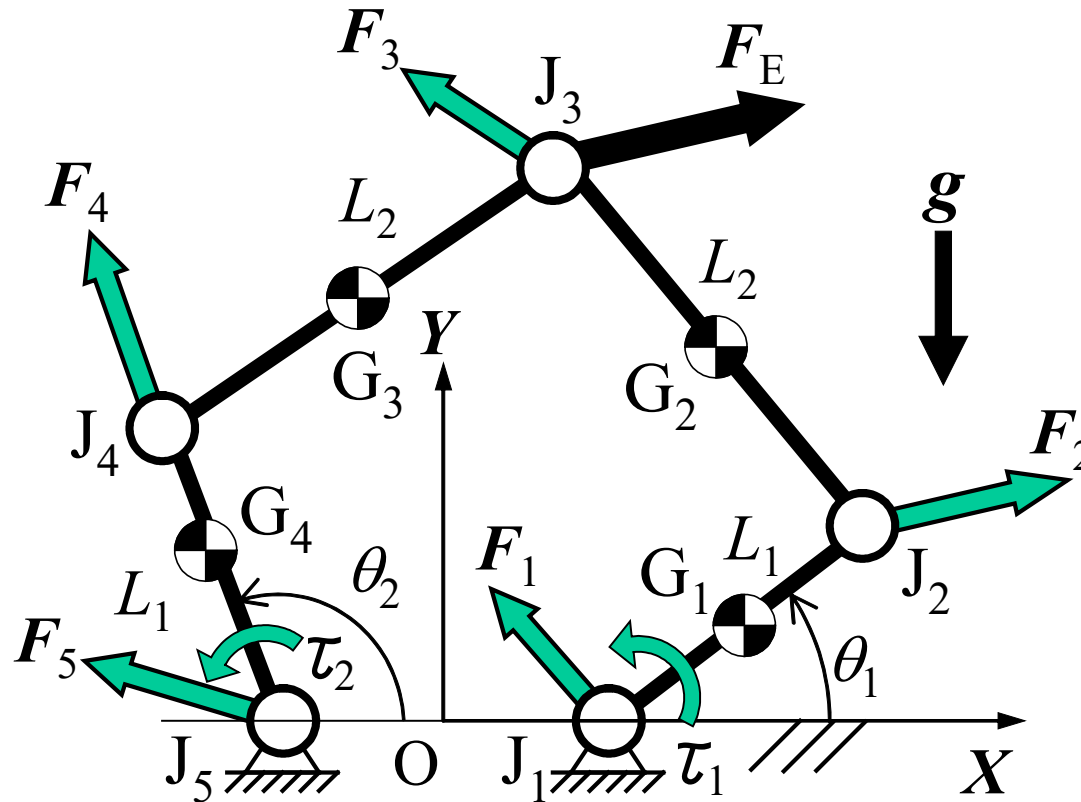


**Dynamics analyses of planar/spatial link mechanisms can be achieved.**

- (1) The systematic kinematics analysis method is very useful to calculate translational and angular acceleration of moving link.**
- (2) Inverse dynamics analysis of planar/spatial link mechanism can easily be achieved only by solving a system of linear equations.**
- (3) Forward dynamics analysis can approximately be achieved with the improved systematic kinematics analysis method.**

## Homework 3

Derive system of linear equations for inverse dynamics of a planar parallel mechanism with 2 DOF.



The result will be summarized in A4 size PDF with less than 5 pages and sent to Prof. Iwatsuki via T2SCHOLA by May 8, 2023.