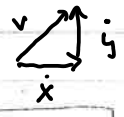


# Mobile Robot Kinematics

Inverse Kinematics

Given  $\begin{pmatrix} \dot{x} \\ \dot{y} \end{pmatrix}$   
 $\bar{x}(t)$   
 $\ddot{x} + \ddot{y}$

find  $\omega(t), v(t)$   
 $\frac{d\theta}{dt}$  = how fast direction changes  
 velocity



$$V = \sqrt{\dot{x}^2 + \dot{y}^2}$$

$$\theta = \tan^{-1} \frac{\dot{y}}{\dot{x}} = \text{current direction}$$

$$\omega = \frac{d\theta}{dt} = \frac{1}{1 + (\frac{\dot{y}}{\dot{x}})^2} [\ddot{y}\dot{x} - \dot{y}\ddot{x}]$$

$$\omega = \frac{(\ddot{y}\dot{x} - \dot{y}\ddot{x})}{(\dot{x}^2 + \dot{y}^2)} = \frac{(\ddot{y}\dot{x} - \dot{y}\ddot{x})}{V^2}$$

note  $\theta = \int \omega dt + \theta_0$

Forward Kinematics

Given  $\theta(d), x_0, y_0, \theta_0$  and  $d(t)$   
 Find  $x(d), y(d)$  or  $v(t)$

Note  $d(t) = \int v(t) dt + d_0$

$$\frac{dx}{dd} = \cos \theta(d) \Rightarrow dx = dd \cdot \cos \theta(d)$$

$$\frac{dy}{dd} = \sin \theta(d) \Rightarrow dy = dd \cdot \sin \theta(d)$$

$$x(d) = d \cos \theta - \int d \sin \theta \frac{d\theta}{dd} dd + x_0$$

$$x(d) = d \cos \theta + \int d \sin \theta \frac{d\theta}{dd} dd + x_0$$

$$y(d) = d \sin \theta - \int d \cos \theta \frac{d\theta}{dd} dd + y_0$$

$$y(d) = d \sin \theta + \int d \cos \theta \frac{d\theta}{dd} dd + y_0$$

Note: if  $\frac{d\theta}{dd} = \text{constant} = W \Rightarrow \theta = \theta_0 + Wd$

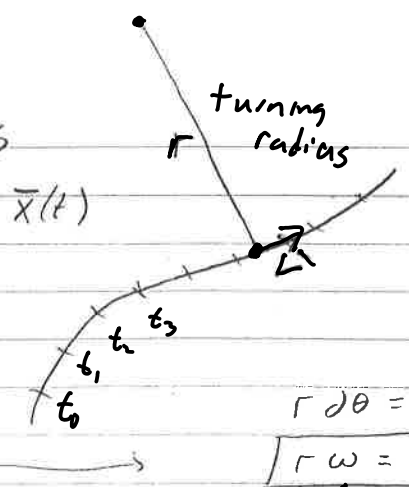
$$x_1 = d_1 \cos \theta_1 + W \left[ -d_1 \cos(\theta_0 + Wd_1) \frac{1}{W} \Big|_{d_0}^{d_1} - \int_{d_0}^{d_1} -\cos(\theta_0 + Wd) \frac{1}{W} \right] + x_0$$

$$= d_1 \cos \theta_1 - (d_1 \cos \theta_1 - d_0 \cos \theta_0) + \frac{1}{W} \sin(\theta_0 + Wd_1) \Big|_{d_0}^{d_1} + x_0$$

$$x_1 = (\sin \theta_1 - \sin \theta_0) \frac{1}{W} + x_0$$

Similarly

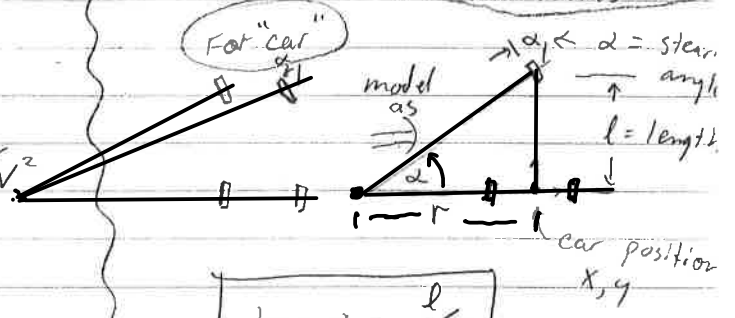
$$y_1 = \dots = (\cos \theta_0 - \cos \theta_1) \frac{1}{W} + y_0$$



$$r d\theta = d \text{dist}$$

$$r \omega = V$$

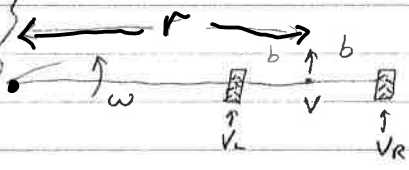
↑ instantaneous turn radius



$$\tan \alpha = \frac{l}{r}$$

$\alpha$  = steering angle  
 $l$  = length  
 $r$  = turn radius

For "Magog"



$$\left. \begin{aligned} v_L &= (r-b)\omega \\ v_R &= (r+b)\omega \end{aligned} \right\} \begin{aligned} r\omega &= \frac{v_L + v_R}{2} \\ b\omega &= \frac{v_R - v_L}{2} \end{aligned}$$

$$\left. \begin{aligned} d &= \frac{D_R + D_L}{2} + d_0 \\ \theta &= \frac{D_R - D_L}{2b} + \theta_0 \end{aligned} \right\} \begin{aligned} r &= b \cdot \frac{v_R + v_L}{v_R - v_L} \\ \omega &= \frac{v_R - v_L}{2b} \end{aligned}$$

$$\left. \begin{aligned} D_R &= \int v_R dt = \text{dist } R \\ D_L &= \int v_L dt = \text{dist } L \end{aligned} \right\} V = \frac{v_R + v_L}{2}$$