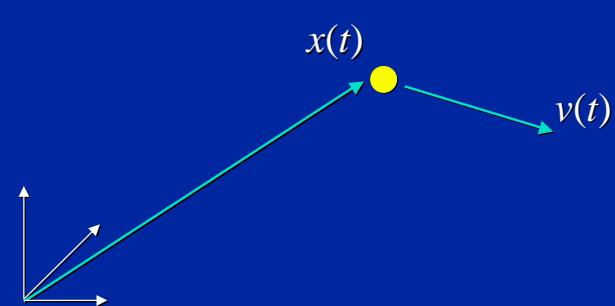


Rigid Body Simulation



Particle State

$$\mathbf{Y} = \begin{pmatrix} x(t) \\ v(t) \end{pmatrix}$$

▪ □ □ $x(t)$ □ □ ▪ □ □ $v(t)$ □ □

$$\mathbf{Y} = \boxed{\quad} \boxed{\quad} \boxed{\quad} \boxed{\quad} \boxed{\quad} \boxed{\quad}$$

Particle Motion

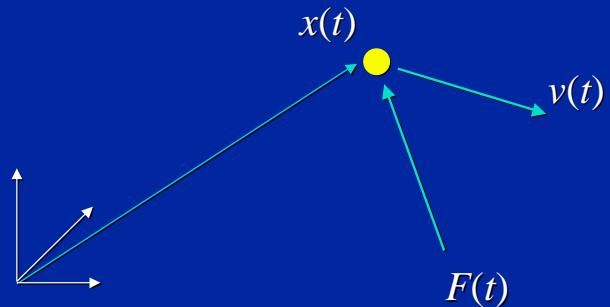
State Derivative

$$\frac{d}{dt} \mathbf{Y} = \frac{d}{dt} \begin{pmatrix} x(t) \\ v(t) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} v(t) \\ F(t)/m \end{pmatrix}$$

▪ □ □ $v(t)$ □ □ ▪ □ □ $F(t)/m$ □ □

$$\frac{d}{dt} \mathbf{Y} = \boxed{\quad} \boxed{\quad} \boxed{\quad} \boxed{\quad} \boxed{\quad} \boxed{\quad}$$

Particle Dynamics

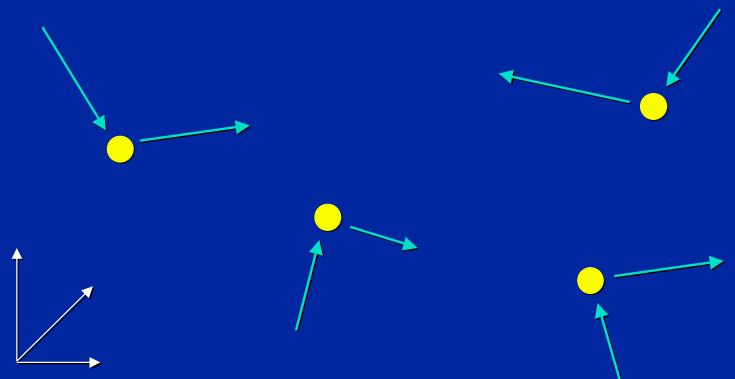


State Derivative

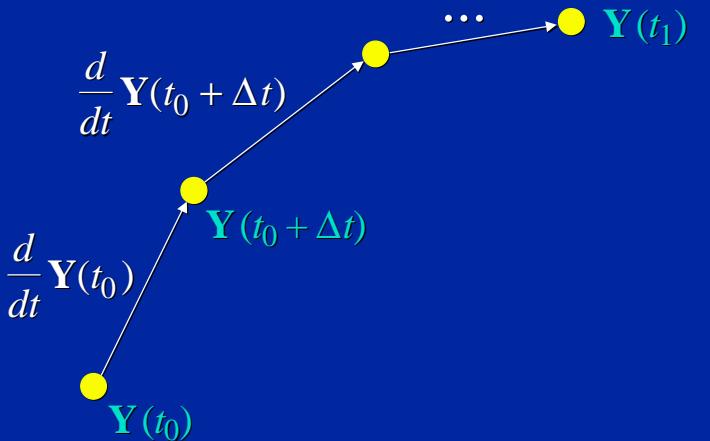
$$\frac{d}{dt} \mathbf{Y} = \frac{d}{dt} \begin{pmatrix} x_1(t) \\ v_1(t) \\ \vdots \\ x_n(t) \\ v_n(t) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} v_1(t) \\ F_1(t)/m_1 \\ \vdots \\ v_n(t) \\ F_n(t)/m_n \end{pmatrix}$$

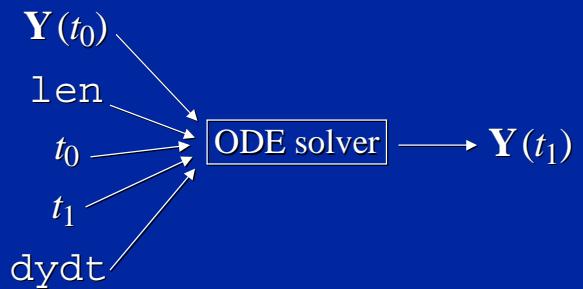
$$\frac{d}{dt} \mathbf{Y} = \begin{array}{|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|} \hline & & \dots & 6n \text{ elements} & \dots & & & \\ \hline \end{array}$$

Multiple Particles



ODE solution



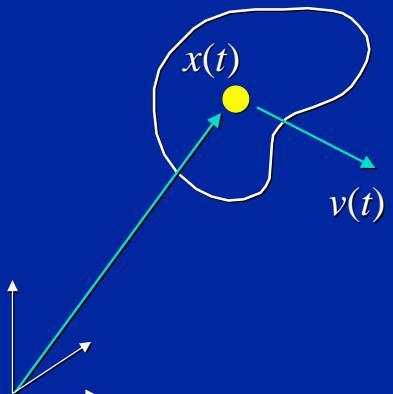


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void dydt(double t, double y[],
         double ydot[])
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$$\mathbf{Y}(t) = \begin{pmatrix} x_1(t) \\ v_1(t) \\ \vdots \\ x_n(t) \\ v_n(t) \end{pmatrix} \quad \frac{d}{dt} \mathbf{Y}(t) = \begin{pmatrix} v_1(t) \\ F_1(t)/m_1 \\ \vdots \\ v_n(t) \\ F_n(t)/m_n \end{pmatrix}$$

Diagram showing the state vector $\mathbf{Y}(t)$ and its derivative. The state vector $\mathbf{Y}(t)$ contains position $x_i(t)$ and velocity $v_i(t)$ for $i=1, 2, \dots, n$. The derivative $\frac{d}{dt} \mathbf{Y}(t)$ contains the velocities $v_i(t)$ and the forces $F_i(t)/m_i$ for $i=1, 2, \dots, n$.

Rigid Body State

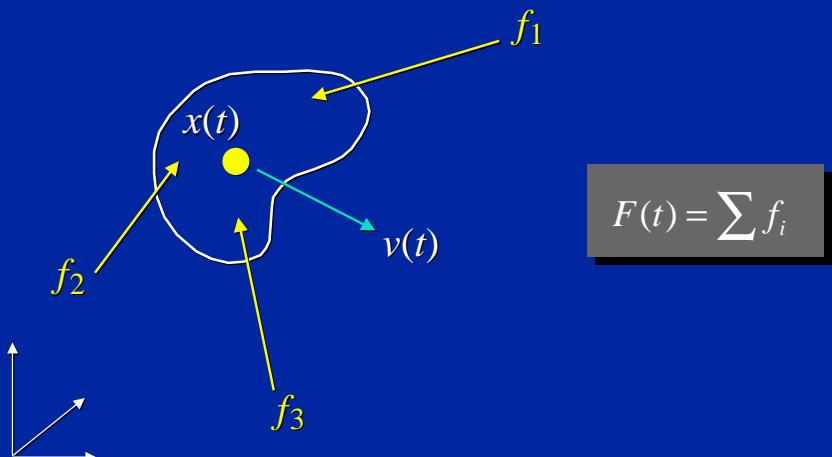


$$\mathbf{Y} = \begin{pmatrix} x(t) \\ ? \\ v(t) \\ ? \end{pmatrix}$$

Rigid Body Equation of Motion

$$\frac{d}{dt} \mathbf{Y} = \frac{d}{dt} \begin{pmatrix} x(t) \\ ? \\ Mv(t) \\ ? \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} v(t) \\ ? \\ F(t) \\ ? \end{pmatrix}$$

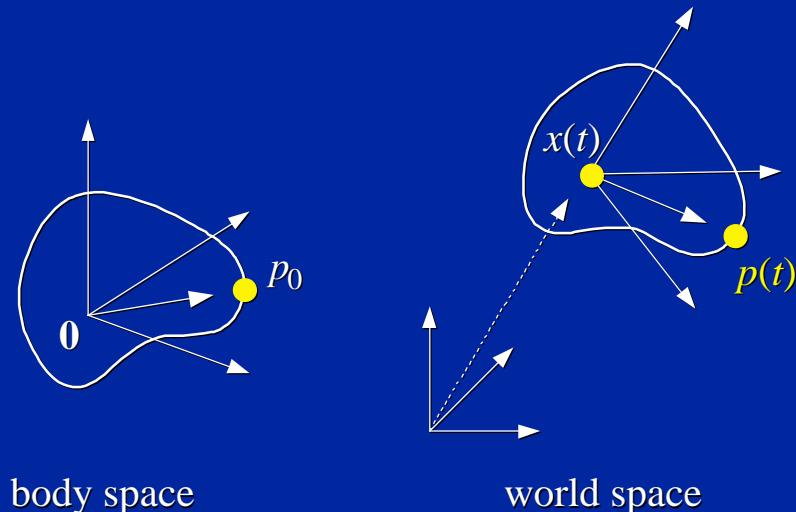
Net Force



Orientation

We represent orientation as a rotation matrix $R(t)$. Points are transformed from body-space to world-space as:

$$p(t) = R(t)p_0 + x(t)$$

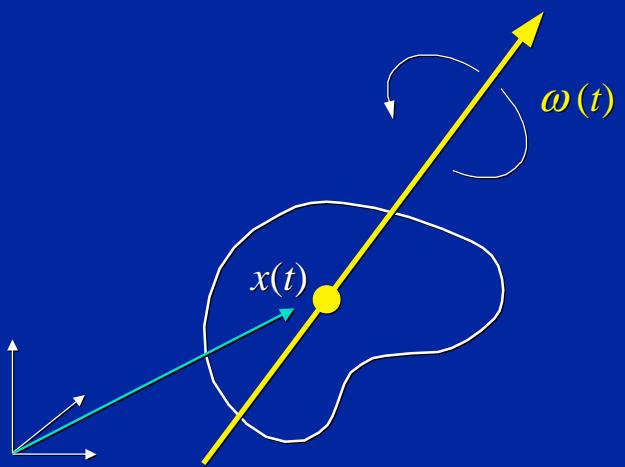


Angular Velocity

We represent angular velocity as a vector $\omega(t)$, which encodes both the axis of the spin and the speed of the spin.

How are $R(t)$ and $\omega(t)$ related?

Angular Velocity Definition



Angular Velocity

$\dot{R}(t)$ and $\omega(t)$ are related by

$$\frac{d}{dt} R(t) = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -\omega_z(t) & \omega_y(t) \\ \omega_z(t) & 0 & -\omega_x(t) \\ -\omega_y(t) & \omega_x(t) & 0 \end{pmatrix} R(t)$$

($\omega(t)^*$ is a shorthand for the above matrix)

Rigid Body Equation of Motion

$$\frac{d}{dt} \mathbf{Y} = \frac{d}{dt} \begin{pmatrix} x(t) \\ R(t) \\ Mv(t) \\ \boxed{<\omega(t)>} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} v(t) \\ \omega(t)^* R(t) \\ F(t) \\ \boxed{?} \end{pmatrix}$$

Need to relate $\dot{\omega}(t)$ and mass distribution to $F(t)$.

Inertia Tensor

$$I(t) = \begin{pmatrix} I_{xx} & I_{xy} & I_{xz} \\ I_{yx} & I_{yy} & I_{yz} \\ I_{zx} & I_{zy} & I_{zz} \end{pmatrix}$$

diagonal terms

$$I_{xx} = M \int_V (y^2 + z^2) dV \quad I_{xy} = -M \int_V xy dV$$

off-diagonal terms

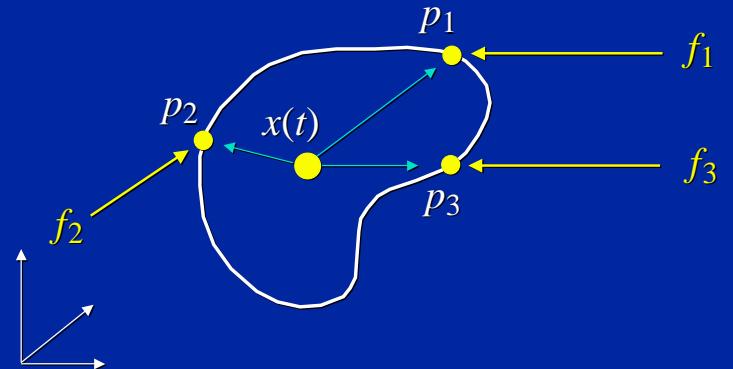
Rigid Body Equation of Motion

$$\frac{d}{dt} \mathbf{Y} = \frac{d}{dt} \begin{pmatrix} x(t) \\ R(t) \\ \boxed{Mv(t)} \\ \boxed{I(t)\omega(t)} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} v(t) \\ \omega(t)^* R(t) \\ F(t) \\ \tau(t) \end{pmatrix}$$

$P(t)$ – linear momentum

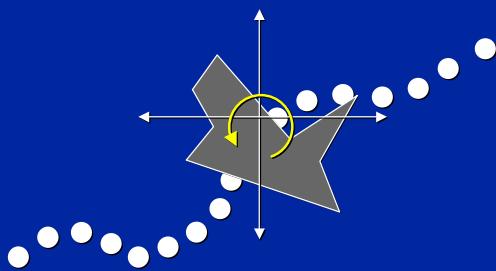
$L(t)$ – angular momentum

Net Torque



$$\tau(t) = \sum (p_i - x(t)) \times f_i$$

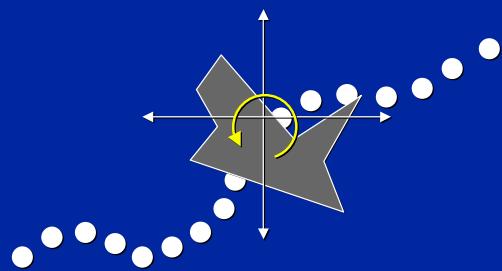
Inertia Tensors Vary in World Space...



$$I_{xx} = M \int_V (y^2 + z^2) dV$$

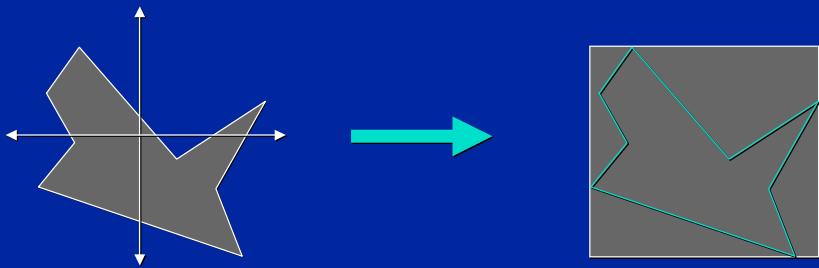
$$I_{xy} = -M \int_V xy dV$$

... but are Constant in Body Space



$$I(t) = R(t) I_{\text{body}} R(t)^T$$

Approximating I_{body} —Bounding Boxes

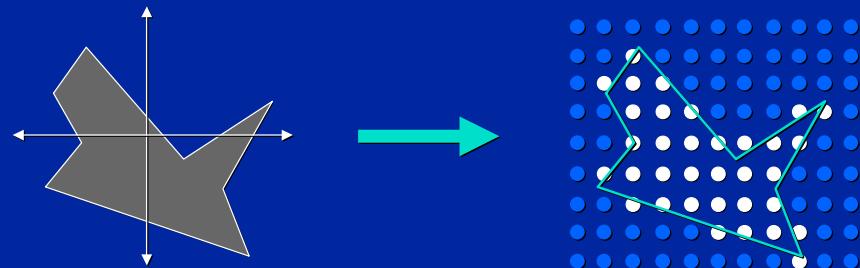


Pros: Simple.

Cons: Bounding box may not be a good fit.

Inaccurate.

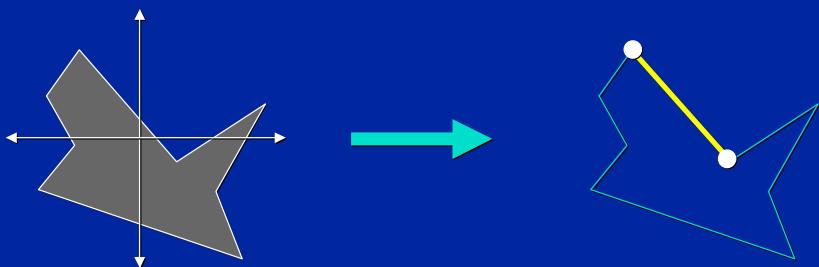
Approximating I_{body} —Point Sampling



Pros: Simple, fairly accurate, no B-rep needed.

Cons: Expensive, requires volume test.

Computing I_{body} —Green's Theorem (Twice!)



Pros: Simple, exact, no volumes needed.

Cons: Requires B-rep.

Code: <http://www.acm.org/jgt/papers/Mirtich96>

Rigid Body Equation of Motion

$$\frac{d}{dt} \mathbf{Y} = \frac{d}{dt} \begin{pmatrix} x(t) \\ R(t) \\ \boxed{Mv(t)} \\ \boxed{I(t)\omega(t)} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} v(t) \\ \omega(t)^* R(t) \\ F(t) \\ \tau(t) \end{pmatrix}$$

$P(t)$ – linear momentum

$L(t)$ – angular momentum