

Quaternion 0x04

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Preview

Preview: Rotating a Point

Goal

$$\vec{p} = (x, y, z)$$

$$\vec{p}' = (x', y', z')$$

Method1) Rotation Matrix

$R^{4 \times 4}$: matrix for rotation

$$\begin{bmatrix} \vec{p}' \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = R^{4 \times 4} \begin{bmatrix} \vec{p} \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$v' = e^{\frac{\pi}{2}n} v e^{-\frac{\pi}{2}n}$$

Method2) Quaternion

q : quaternion for rotation

$$p = (0, x, y, z)$$

$$p' = (0, x', y', z')$$

$$p' = qpq^{-1}$$

Quaternion

What is the Quaternion

*Quaternion

- Number System extends the complex numbers.
- It were First described by the Irish Mathematician Hamilton in 1843
- 4-dim vector

*Pros

- Geometric Stability: It prevents gimbal lock
- Computational Efficiency
- Interpolation(SLERP)

*Form

$$q = (a, b, c, d)$$

$$q = a + bi + cj + dk$$

$$i^2 = j^2 = k^2 = ijk = -1$$



William Rowan Hamilton

Operation of Quaternion

*Quaternion

$$q_1 = (a, b, c, d) \rightarrow a + bi + cj + dk$$
$$q_2 = (e, f, g, h) \rightarrow e + fi + gj + hk$$

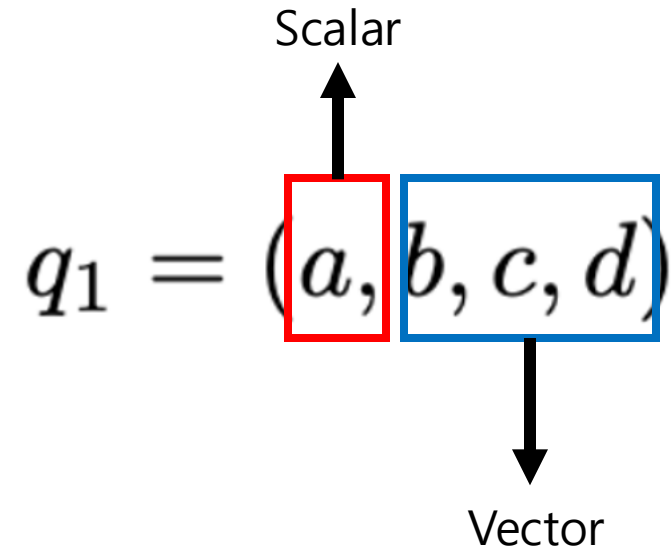
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*Addition

$$q_1 + q_2 = (a + e, b + f, c + g, d + h)$$

*Multiplication

$$q_1 q_2 = ?$$



Multiplication of Quaternion

$$q_1 q_2 = ?$$

$$ae + a fi + agj + ahk + \\ bei + b fi^2 + bgij + bhik + \\ cej + cfji + cgj^2 + chjk + \\ dek + dfki + dgkj + dhk^2$$



$$ae - bf - cg - dh, \\ be + af - dg + ch, \\ ce + df + ag - bh, \\ de - cf + bg + ah$$

Imaginary

$\downarrow \times \rightarrow$	1	i	j	k
1	1	i	j	k
i	i	-1	k	-j
j	j	-k	-1	i
k	k	j	-i	-1

$$i^2 = j^2 = k^2 = ijk = -1$$

$$q_1 = (a, b, c, d) \rightarrow a + bi + cj + dk \\ q_2 = (e, f, g, h) \rightarrow e + fi + gj + hk$$

Multiplication of Quaternion

$$q_1 q_2 = (a, b, c, d) \cdot (e, f, g, h) =$$

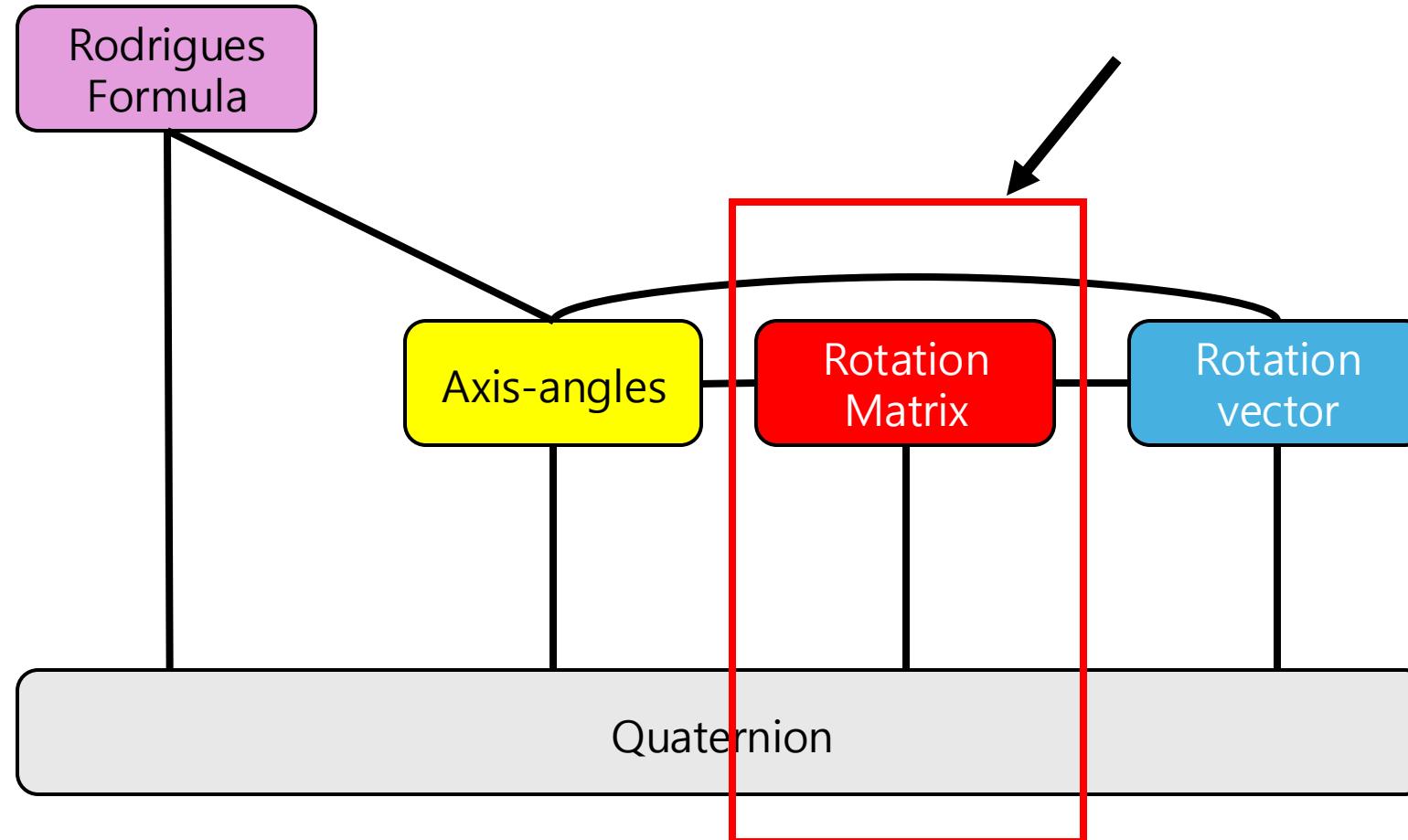
$$\begin{aligned} &ae - bf - cg - dh, \\ &be + af - dg + ch, \\ &ce + df + ag - bh, \\ &de - cf + bg + ah \end{aligned}$$



$$\begin{bmatrix} a & -b & -c & -d \\ b & a & -d & c \\ c & d & a & -b \\ d & -c & b & a \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} e \\ f \\ g \\ h \end{bmatrix}$$

Axis-angles

The Relation: Rotation Vector, Rotation Matrix, Quaternion, Rodrigues Formula



Quaternion to Matrix

$$q_1 = (a, b, c, d) \rightarrow a + bi + cj + dk$$

$$q_1 = \begin{bmatrix} a & -b & -c & -d \\ b & a & -d & c \\ c & d & a & -b \\ d & -c & b & a \end{bmatrix}$$

*e.g

$$(1, 2, 3, 4) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & -3 & -4 \\ 2 & 1 & -4 & 3 \\ 3 & 4 & 1 & -2 \\ 4 & -3 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Quaternion to Matrix

$$q_1 = (a, b, c, d) \rightarrow a + bi + cj + dk$$

$$i^2 = j^2 = k^2 = ijk = -1$$

$$1 = (1, 0, 0, 0)$$

$$i = (0, 1, 0, 0)$$

$$j = (0, 0, 1, 0)$$

$$k = (0, 0, 0, 1)$$

$$1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$-1 = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$i = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$j = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$k = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Quaternion Representation using Dot product and Cross product

$$q_1 q_2 = (a, b, c, d) \cdot (e, f, g, h) = (a, \vec{x}) \cdot (e, \vec{y})$$

$$ae - bf - cg - dh, \quad \longrightarrow \quad \text{Scalar}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &be + af - dg + ch, \\ &ce + df + ag - bh, \\ &de - cf + bg + ah \end{aligned} \quad \longrightarrow \quad \text{Vector}$$

*Scalar

$$ae - (bf + cg + dh) \Rightarrow e\vec{x}$$

$$q_1 = (a, b, c, d)$$

Diagram illustrating the decomposition of a quaternion $q_1 = (a, b, c, d)$ into its scalar and vector components. The scalar component a is highlighted with a red box and labeled "Scalar" with an upward arrow. The vector component (b, c, d) is highlighted with a blue box and labeled "Vector" with a downward arrow.

Quaternion Representation using Dot product and Cross product

$$q_1 q_2 = (a, b, c, d) \cdot (e, f, g, h) = (a, \vec{x}) \cdot (e, \vec{y})$$

*Vector

$$\begin{aligned} & \overset{1}{be} + \overset{2}{af} - \overset{3}{dg} + ch, \\ & ce + df + ag - bh, \\ & de - cf + bg + ah \end{aligned}$$

$$1) be + ce + de \Rightarrow e\vec{x}$$

$$2) af + ag + ah \Rightarrow a\vec{y}$$

$$3) \begin{bmatrix} ch - dg \\ df - bh \\ bg - cf \end{bmatrix} = \vec{x} \times \vec{y}$$

*Scalar + Vector

$$q_1 q_2 = (a, b, c, d) \cdot (e, f, g, h) = (ae - (bf + cg + dh), \boxed{ae - \vec{x} \cdot \vec{y}, e\vec{x} + a\vec{y} + \vec{x} \times \vec{y}})$$

$$q_1 q_2 \neq q_2 q_1$$



Special Case) Dot product, Cross product and Quaternion

$$(w_1, \vec{v}_1) \cdot (w_2, \vec{v}_2) = (w_1 w_2 - \vec{v}_1 \cdot \vec{v}_2, w_1 \vec{v}_2 + w_2 \vec{v}_1 + \vec{v}_1 \times \vec{v}_2)$$

Scalar Part = 0

$$(0, \vec{v}_1) \cdot (0, \vec{v}_2) = (-\vec{v}_1 \cdot \vec{v}_2, \vec{v}_1 \times \vec{v}_2)$$

$$\text{Let, } v_1 = (0, \vec{v}_1) \text{ and } v_2 = (0, \vec{v}_2)$$

$$v_1 v_2 = (-\vec{v}_1 \cdot \vec{v}_2, \vec{v}_1 \times \vec{v}_2)$$

$$v_2 v_1 = (-\vec{v}_1 \cdot \vec{v}_2, -\vec{v}_1 \times \vec{v}_2)$$

***Dot product**

$$v_1 v_2 + v_2 v_1 = ?$$

$$\vec{v}_1 \cdot \vec{v}_2 = -\frac{1}{2}(v_1 v_2 + v_2 v_1)$$

***Cross product**

$$v_1 v_2 - v_2 v_1 = ?$$

$$\vec{v}_1 \times \vec{v}_2 = \frac{1}{2}(v_1 v_2 - v_2 v_1)$$

$$q_1 = (a, b, c, d)$$

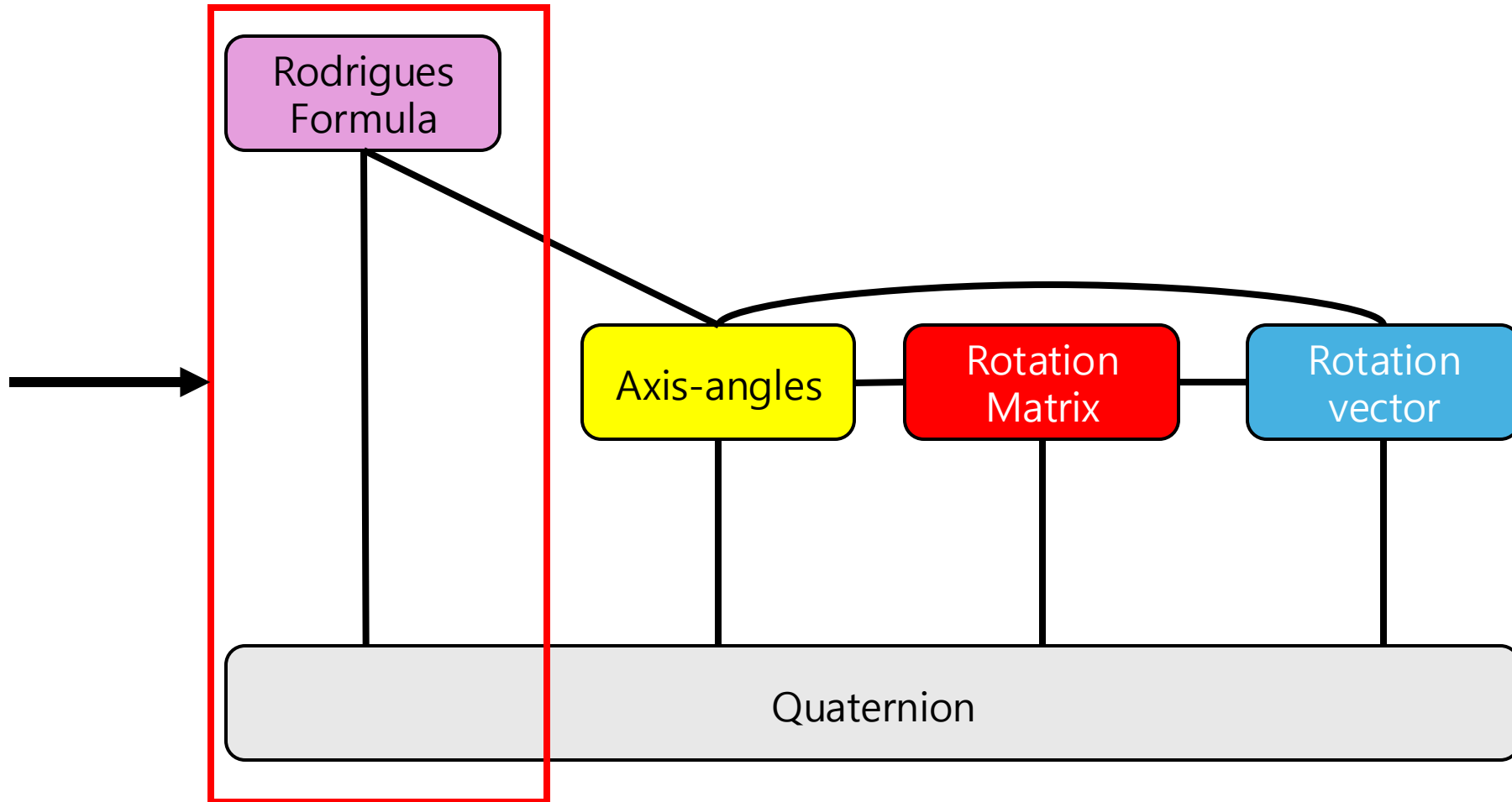
↑ Scalar

↓ Vector

Quaternion & Rodrigues

Axis-angles

The Relation: Rotation Vector, Rotation Matrix, Quaternion, Rodrigues Formula



Rodrigues Formula

The Rodrigues rotation formula is formula that rotates a vector in **three-dimensional space** using an **arbitrary axis** and **angle of rotation**.

- It allows vectors to be rotated without directly computing rotation matrices.
- high computational efficiency
- computer graphics, robotics, SLAM(Simultaneous Localization And Mapping)

$$\mathbf{v}_{\text{rot}} = \mathbf{v} \cos \theta + (\mathbf{k} \times \mathbf{v}) \sin \theta + \mathbf{k} (\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{v})(1 - \cos \theta)$$

\mathbf{v} : A Vector

\mathbf{k} : Rotation-Axis

θ : *angle*

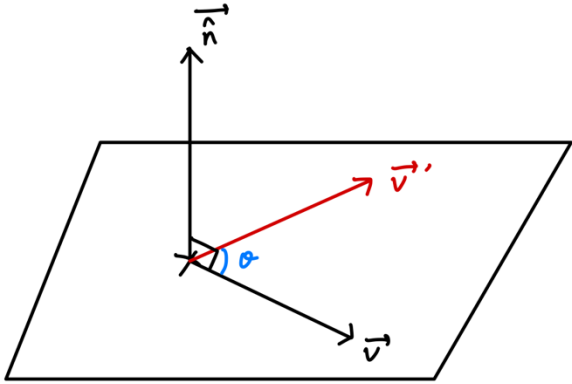


\mathbf{v}_{rot}

Rodrigues Formula

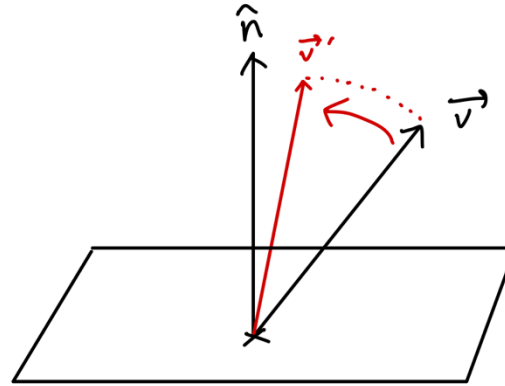
3D rotation

*Special Case



$$\vec{v}' = \cos \theta \cdot \vec{v} + \sin \theta \cdot (\hat{n} \times \vec{v})$$

*General Case



$$\vec{v}' = (1 - \cos \theta)(\vec{v} \cdot \hat{n})\hat{n} + \cos \theta \cdot \vec{v} + \sin \theta \cdot (\hat{n} \times \vec{v})$$

Quaternion and Rodrigues: Special Case

*Form

$$v = (0, \vec{v}) \quad nv = (-\hat{n} \cdot \vec{v}, \hat{n} \times \vec{v}) = (0, \hat{n} \times \vec{v})$$

$$v' = (0, \vec{v}') \quad nv = \hat{n} \times \vec{v}$$

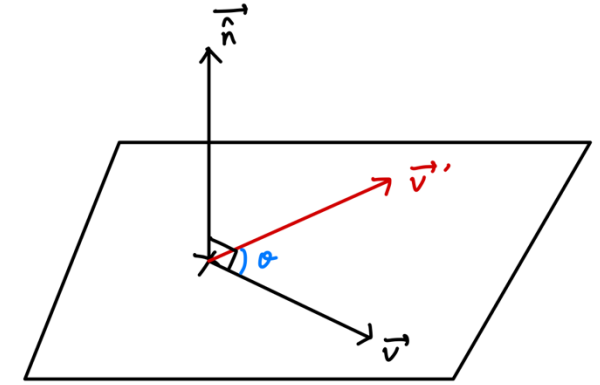
$$n = (0, \hat{n})$$

*Vector to Quaternion

$$v' = \cos \theta \cdot v + \sin \theta \cdot (nv)$$

$$v' = (\cos \theta + \sin \theta \cdot n)v$$

$$v' = e^{\theta n} v$$



$$\vec{v}' = \cos \theta \cdot \vec{v} + \sin \theta \cdot (\hat{n} \times \vec{v})$$

$$\cos \theta \cdot \vec{v} + \sin \theta \cdot (\hat{n} \times \vec{v}) \longrightarrow e^{\theta n} v$$


Vector \rightarrow Quaternion

Quaternion and Rodrigues: Special Case

*Special Case

$$\cos \theta \cdot \vec{v} + \sin \theta \cdot (\hat{n} \times \vec{v}) \longrightarrow e^{\theta n} v$$

*e.g

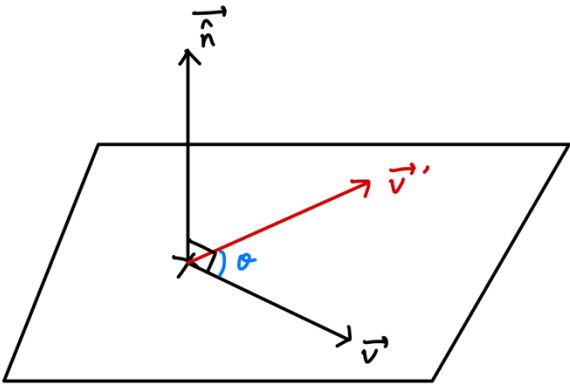
*input		*input
$\vec{v} = (0, 0, 1)$		$v = k$
$\hat{n} = (0, 1, 0)$		$n = j$
$\theta = \frac{\pi}{2}$		

*output	*output
$\vec{v}' = (?, ?, ?)$	$v' = ?$

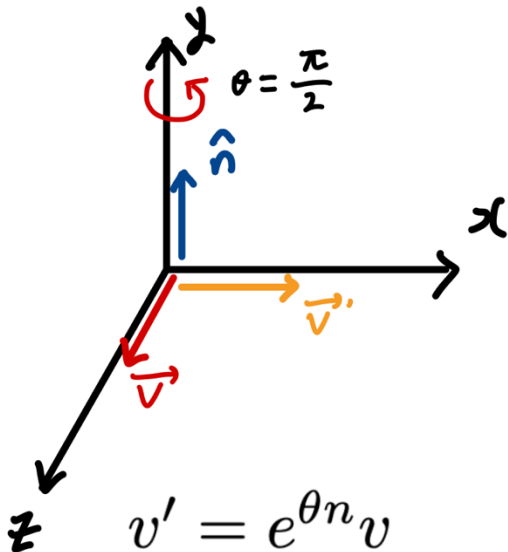
*Equation

$$v' = e^{\theta n} v \longrightarrow v' = jk \longrightarrow v' = i$$

$$v' = e^{\frac{\pi}{2} j} k \longrightarrow v' = i \longrightarrow v' = (1, 0, 0)$$



$$\vec{v}' = \cos \theta \cdot \vec{v} + \sin \theta \cdot (\hat{n} \times \vec{v})$$



Quaternion and Rodrigues: General Case

*Form

$$v = (0, \vec{v})$$

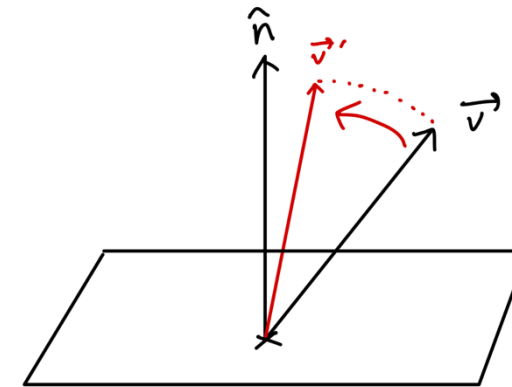
$$v' = (0, \vec{v}')$$

$$n = (0, \hat{n})$$

$$v_{\parallel} = (0, \vec{v}_{\parallel})$$

$$v_{\perp} = (0, \vec{v}_{\perp})$$

$$v'_{\perp} = (0, \vec{v}'_{\perp})$$



*Vector to Quaternion

$$v' = \cos \theta \cdot v + \sin \theta \cdot (n v)$$

$$v' = (\cos \theta + \sin \theta \cdot n) v$$

$$v' = e^{\theta n} v$$

$$\vec{v}' = (1 - \cos \theta)(\vec{v} \cdot \hat{n})\hat{n} + \cos \theta \cdot \vec{v} + \sin \theta \cdot (\hat{n} \times \vec{v})$$

$$v' = e^{\frac{\pi}{2} n} v e^{-\frac{\pi}{2} n}$$

$$\cos \theta \cdot \vec{v} + \sin \theta \cdot (\hat{n} \times \vec{v}) \longrightarrow e^{\frac{\pi}{2} n} v e^{-\frac{\pi}{2} n}$$

Q&A