## Day 06

Forward Kinematics

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given the joint variables and dimensions of the links what is the position and orientation of the end effector?


## Links and Joints



- $n$ joints, $n+1$ links

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q_{i}=\left\{\begin{array}{lc}
\theta_{i} & \text { revolute } \\
d_{i} & \text { prismatic }
\end{array}\right.
$$

- link 0 is fixed (the base)
- joint $i$ connects link $i-1$ to link $i$
- link $i$ moves when joint $i$ is actuated


## Frames



