Lagrange Equations with Multipliers for the Rigid Body

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ABSTRACT

The objective of the present paper is to establish some equations concerning the dynamics of the rigid bodies with kinematical constrains. Starting from the Lagrange equations with multipliers for the incremental motion, the differential equations with multipliers for the rigid body with kinematical constrains are established by imposing the limits. It is operated with the projections of the vectors velocity of translation and the angular velocities on the axis of the reference system considered linked with the rigid body (quasi velocities). The equations of the kinematical constrains are used in a nonholonomic form. The constraining forces are resulting by projecting the forces on the axes linked with the rigid body.

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