

The Bishop Darboux Rotation axis of the Spacelike Curves with a Spacelike Principal Normal in Minkowski 3-Space

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Abstract

The Bishop darbox rotation for Spacelike curves with a spacelike Principal Normal in Minkowski 3-space E_1^3 is decomposed into two simultaneous rotations. The axes of these simultaneous rotations are joined by a simple mechanism. One of these axes is a parallel of the tangent vector of the timelike curve, the direction of the other is the direction of the Bishop darbox vector of the Spacelike curves with a spacelike principal normal.

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1 Preliminaries

Let $IR^3 = \{(x_1, x_2, x_3) : x_1, x_2, x_3 \in IR\}$ be a 3-dimensional vector space, and let $x = (x_1, x_2, x_3)$ and $y = (y_1, y_2, y_3)$ be two vectors in IR^3 . The Lorentz scalar product of x and y is defined by

$$\langle x, y \rangle_L = x_1y_1 + x_2y_2 - x_3y_3,$$

$IE_1^3 = (R^3, \langle x, y \rangle_L)$ is called 3-dimensional Lorentzian space, Minkowski 3-Space or 3-dimensional Semi-Euclidean space. The vector x in IE_1^3 is called a spacelike vector, null vector or a timelike vector if $\langle x, x \rangle_L > 0$ or $x = 0$, $\langle x, x \rangle_L = 0$ or $\langle x, x \rangle_L < 0$, respectively. For $x \in IE_1^3$, the norm of the vector x defined by $\|x\|_L = \sqrt{|\langle x, x \rangle_L|}$, and x is called a unit vector if $\|x\|_L = 1$. For any $x, y \in IE_1^3$, Lorentzian vectorial product of x and y is defined by

$$x \wedge_L y = (x_2y_3 - x_3y_2, x_1y_3 - x_3y_1, x_1y_2 - x_2y_1).$$

Denote by $\{T, N, B\}$ the moving Frenet frame along the curve α . Then T , N and B are the tangent, the principal normal and vector binormal of the curve α respectively. If α is a spacelike

curve with a spacelike principal normal, then this set of orthogonal unit vectors, known as the Frenet-Serret frame, have properties

$$T' = \kappa N, N' = -\kappa T + \tau B, B' = \tau N$$

$$\langle T, T \rangle_L, \langle N, N \rangle_L = 1, \langle B, B \rangle_L = -1$$

[1].

2 Introduction

The Bishop frame or parallel transport frame is an alternative approach to defining a moving frame that is well defined even when the spacelike curve with a spacelike principal normal has vanishing second derivative. we can parallel transport an orthonormal frame along a spacelike curve with a spacelike principal normal curve simply by parallel transporting each component of the frame. The parallel transport frame is based on the observation that, while $T(s)$ for a given spacelike curve with a spacelike principal normal curve model is unique, we may choose any convenient arbitrary basis $(N_1(s), N_2(s))$ for the remainder of the frame, so long as it is in the normal plane perpendicular to $T(s)$ at each point. If the derivatives of $(N_1(s), N_2(s))$ depend only on $T(s)$ and not each other we can make $N_1(s)$ and $N_2(s)$ vary smoothly throughout the path regardless of the curvature. Therefore, we have the alternative frame equations

$$\begin{bmatrix} T' \\ N_1' \\ N_2' \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & k_1 & -k_2 \\ -k_1 & 0 & 0 \\ -k_2 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} T \\ N_1 \\ N_2 \end{bmatrix}. \quad (1.1)$$

where

$$\kappa(t) = \sqrt{|k_1^2 - k_2^2|},$$

$$\theta(t) = \arg \tanh \left(\frac{k_2}{k_1} \right),$$

$$\tau(t) = \pm \frac{d\theta(s)}{ds},$$

[5], so that k_1 and k_2 effectively correspond to a Cartesian coordinate system for the polar coordinates κ, θ with $\theta = \pm \int \tau(s) ds$. The orientation of the parallel transport frame includes the

arbitrary choice of integration constant θ_0 , which disappears from τ (and hence from the Frenet frame) due to the differentiation.

Now, we will define Bishop darbox vector. The Vectors $T(s), N_1(s), N_2(s)$ change while a point on the spacelike curve with a spacelike principal normal drawing the spacelike curve with a spacelike principal normal. Hence these vectors constitute of spherical images of the spacelike curve with a spacelike principal normal. Assume that Bishop frame $\{T(s), N_1(s), N_2(s)\}$ of the spacelike curve with a spacelike principal normal makes an instantaneous helix motion about an axis at each s time. This axis is called Bishop darbox axis corresponding s parameter at point $\alpha(s)$. The vector giving oriented and direction of this axis is called Bishop darbox vector at point $\alpha(s)$ of the spacelike curve with a spacelike principal normal.

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These equations form a rotation motion with Bishop darbox vector,

$$\varpi = k_2 N_1 + k_1 N_2$$

[5].Also momentum rotation vector is expressed as follows:

$$\begin{aligned} T' &= \varpi \wedge_L T \\ N_1' &= \varpi \wedge_L N_1 \\ N_2' &= \varpi \wedge_L N_2. \end{aligned}$$

Bishop darbox rotation of Bishop frame can be separated into two rotation motions. The vector N_1 rotates with a k_1 angular speed round the vector N_2 , that is

$$N_1' = (k_1 N_2) \wedge_L N_1 = k_1 (N_2 \wedge_L N_1) = -k_1 T$$

and the vector N_2 rotates with a k_2 angular speed round the vector N_1 , that is

$$N_2' = (k_2 N_1) \wedge_L N_2 = k_2 (N_1 \wedge_L N_2) = k_2 T.$$

The separation of the rotation motion of the momentum. Bishop darbox axis into two rotation motions can be indicated as such: The vector $E = \frac{\varpi}{\|\varpi\|_L}$ rotates with

$$W = \frac{k_1' k_2 - k_1 k_2'}{|k_1^2 - k_2^2|}$$

a speed round the tangent vector T , also

$$E' = \left(\frac{\varpi}{\|\varpi\|_L} \right)' = (W.T) \wedge_L \frac{\varpi}{\|\varpi\|_L}$$

and the tangent vector T rotates with a $\|\varpi\|$ angular speed round $\frac{\varpi}{\|\varpi\|}$. Bishop darbox axis, also

$$T' = \varpi \wedge_L T.$$

From now on we shall do a further study of momentum Bishop darbox axis. We obtain the unit vector E

$$E = \frac{\varpi}{\|\varpi\|_L} = \frac{k_2 N_1 + k_1 N_2}{\sqrt{|k_1^2 - k_2^2|}}.$$

from Bishop darbox vector,

$$\varpi' = k_2' N_1 + k_1' N_2.$$

Differentiation of E ,

$$E' = \left(\frac{\varpi}{\|\varpi\|_L} \right)' = \frac{\varpi' \|\varpi\|_L - \varpi \|\varpi\|_L'}{\|\varpi\|_L^2} = \frac{(k_1' k_2 - k_1 k_2')}{|k_1^2 - k_2^2|} \frac{(k_1 N_1 + k_2 N_2)}{\sqrt{|k_1^2 - k_2^2|}}$$

is found. From this,

$$E' = W (E \wedge_L T) + 0.T + 0.E$$

written. According to the Bishop frame,

$$T' = \|\varpi\|_L (E \wedge_L T) + 0.T + 0.E$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} (E \wedge_L T)' &= E' \wedge_L T + E \wedge_L T' \\ &= W [(E \wedge_L T) \wedge_L T] + \|\varpi\| [E \wedge_L (E \wedge_L T)] \\ &= W [-\langle T, E \rangle T + \langle T, T \rangle E] + \|\varpi\| [-\langle E, T \rangle E + \langle E, E \rangle T] \\ &= W .E + \|\varpi\| \langle E, E \rangle T \\ &= 0.(E \wedge_L T) + \varepsilon_1 \|\varpi\| T + W .E \quad ; \quad \varepsilon_1 = \pm 1 \end{aligned}$$

are obtained. These three equations are in the form of the Bishop frames that is

$$\begin{bmatrix} (E \wedge T)' \\ T' \\ E' \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & \|\varpi\|_L & W \\ \varepsilon_1 \|\varpi\|_L & 0 & 0 \\ W & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} (E \wedge T) \\ T \\ E \end{bmatrix}$$

where the first coefficient $\|\varpi\|_L = \sqrt{|k_1^2 - k_2^2|}$ is > 0 and second coefficient

$$W = \frac{(k_1' k_2 - k_1 k_2')}{|k_1^2 - k_2^2|} = \frac{\left(\frac{k_1}{k_2}\right)'}{\left|1 - \left(\frac{k_1}{k_2}\right)^2\right|}; k_2 \neq 0, |k_1| \neq |k_2|$$

related only to natural harmonic curvature $\frac{k_1}{k_2}$. Thus, the vectors $\{(E \wedge_L T), T, E\}$ define a rotation motion together the rotation vector,

$$\varpi_1 = \varepsilon_1 \{-W.T + \|\varpi\|_L E\} = \varepsilon_1 (-W.T + \varpi) \text{ or } \pm (-W.T + \varpi)$$

Also momentum rotation vector is expressed as follows:

$$\begin{aligned} T' &= \varpi_1 \wedge_L T \\ (E \wedge_L T)' &= \varpi_1 \wedge (E \wedge_L T) \\ E' &= \varpi_1 \wedge_L E. \end{aligned}$$

Corollary 3.1 *This rotation motion of Bishop darboux axis can be separated into two rotation motions again. Here ϖ_1 rotation vector is the addition of the rotation vectors of the rotation motions. When continued in the similar way, the rotation motion of Bishop darboux axis is done in a consecutive manner. In this way the series of Bishop darboux vectors are obtained. That is*

$$\varpi_0 = \varpi, \varpi_1 \dots$$

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