

Modeling and Control of a Hybrid Continuum Active Catheter

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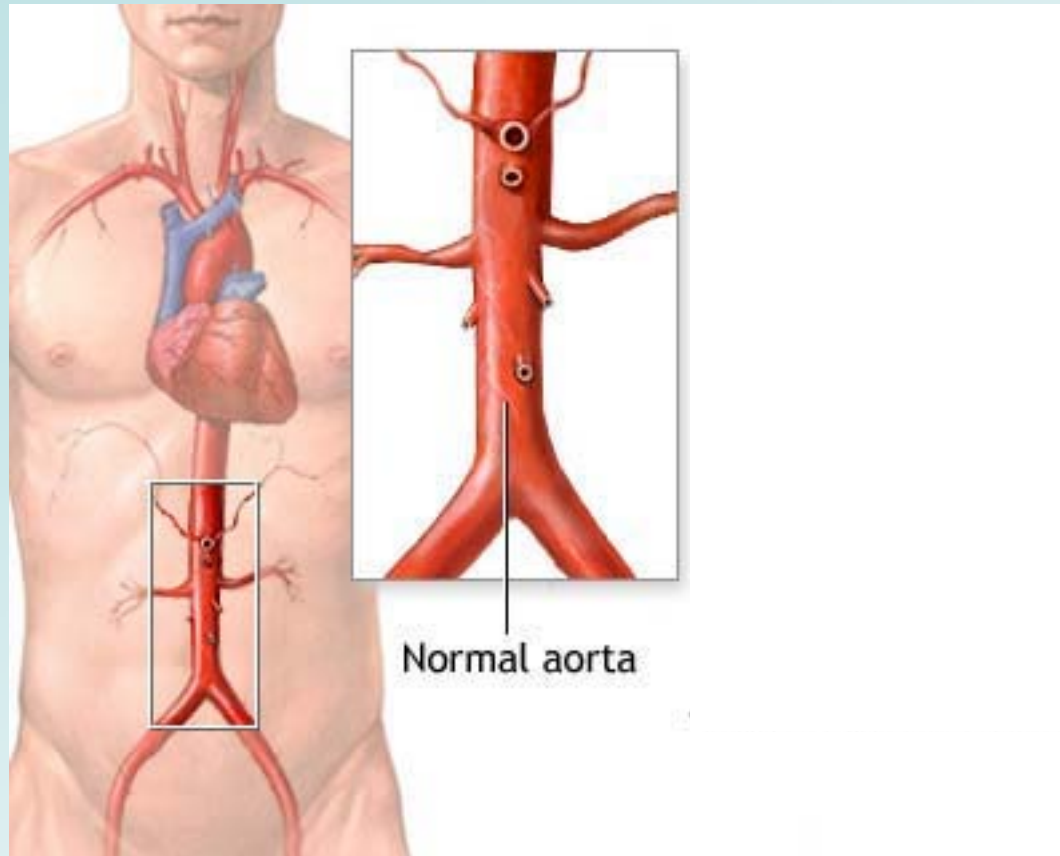
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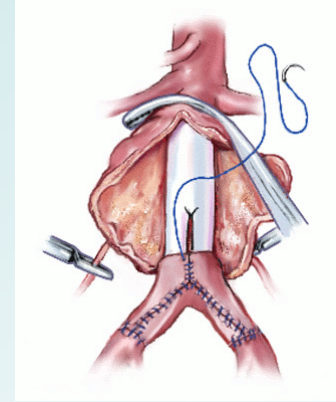
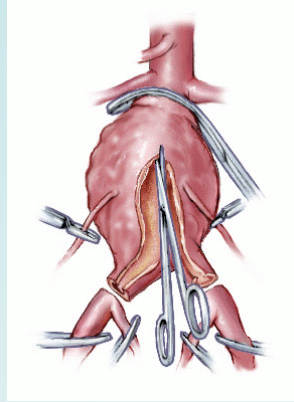
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AORTA AND ANEURYSM



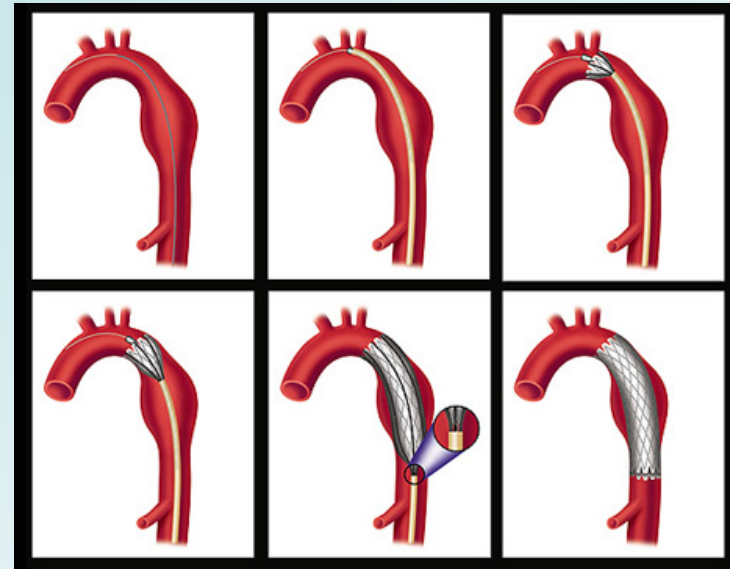
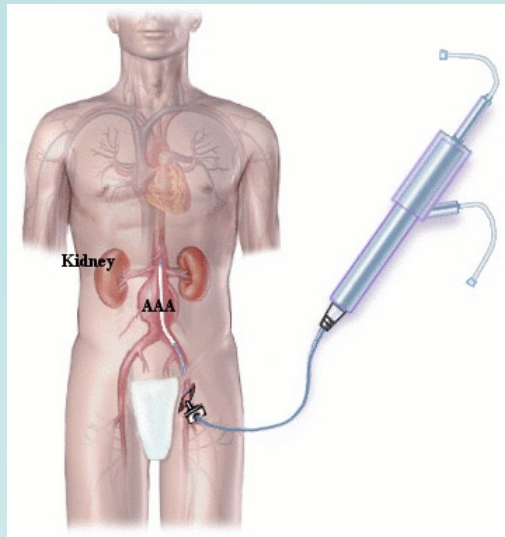
- aorta : the biggest artery of the human body
- aneurysm means a marked dilatation of the aorta
 - high mortality rate : 80% to 90%
 - the 13th leading cause of death in the United States

OPEN SURGERY



- drawbacks
 - severe procedure
 - long period of hospitalization and convalescence
 - cost

ENDOVASCULAR STENTING



- advantages
 - less trauma
 - shorter hospitalization
 - less expensive
 - cosmetic benefits

DRAWBACKS OF THE MIS PROCEDURE



- **pre-operative stage**
 - selection of the patients
 - dimensioning of the stentgraft
- **per- and post-operative stage**
 - poor tactile and visual feedback
 - loss of dexterity
 - stentgraft delivery
 - possibility of endoleak

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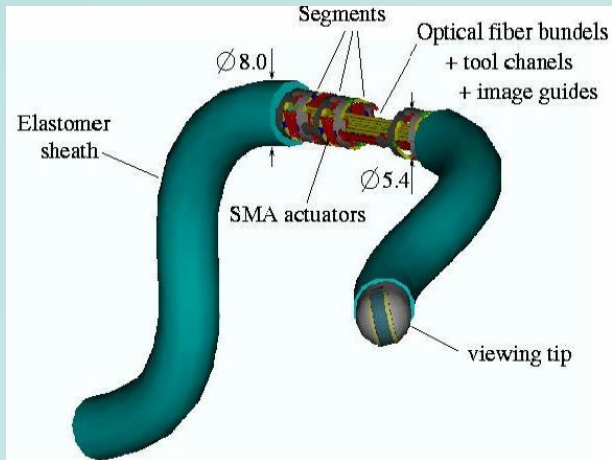
French Ministry of Research project called **MATEO** (2000-2002) : Arteries Modeling and Computer Aided Endovascular Treatment

- design of a new minimally invasive robotic surgery system

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ACTIVE MIS INSTRUMENT EXAMPLES



LRP (Paris 6) – SMA modular actuator



DLR – cable driven joints



Catholic University of Leuven – cable driven joints

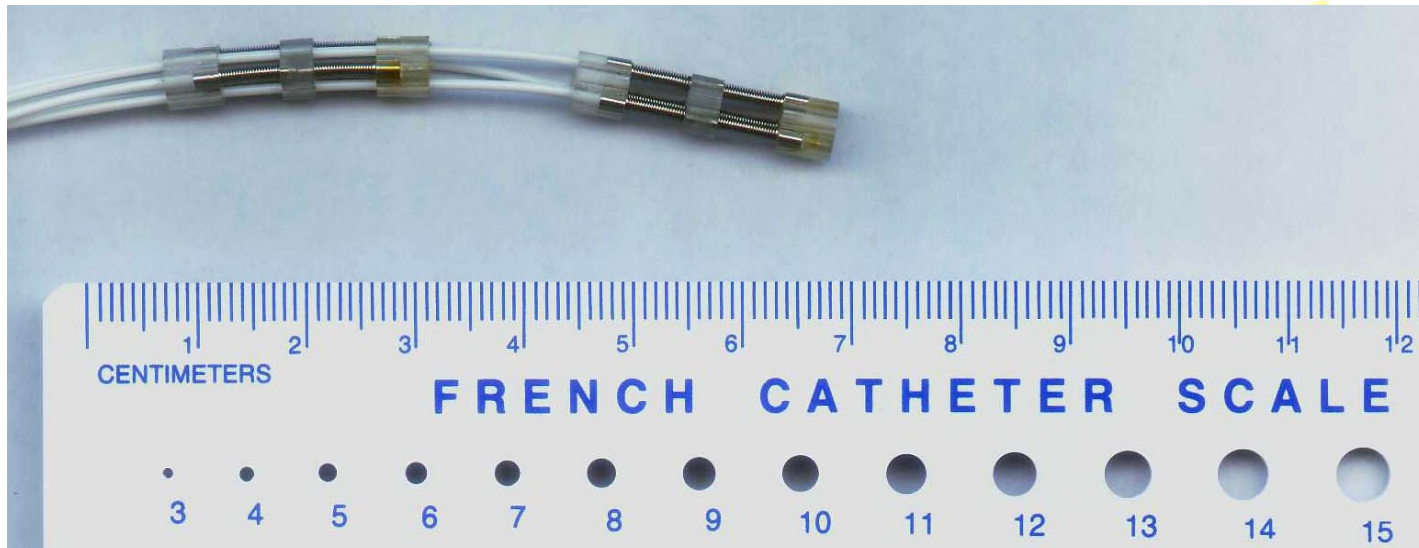
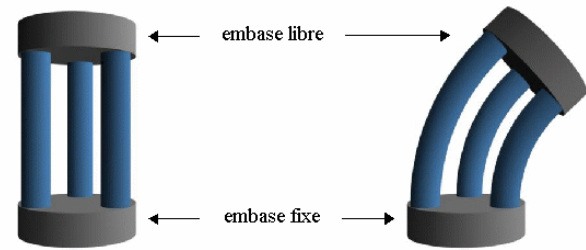


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MALICA: Multi Active Link Catheter

requirements :

- dimensions
- sterilizable
- dedicated to aneurysm treatment



active catheter

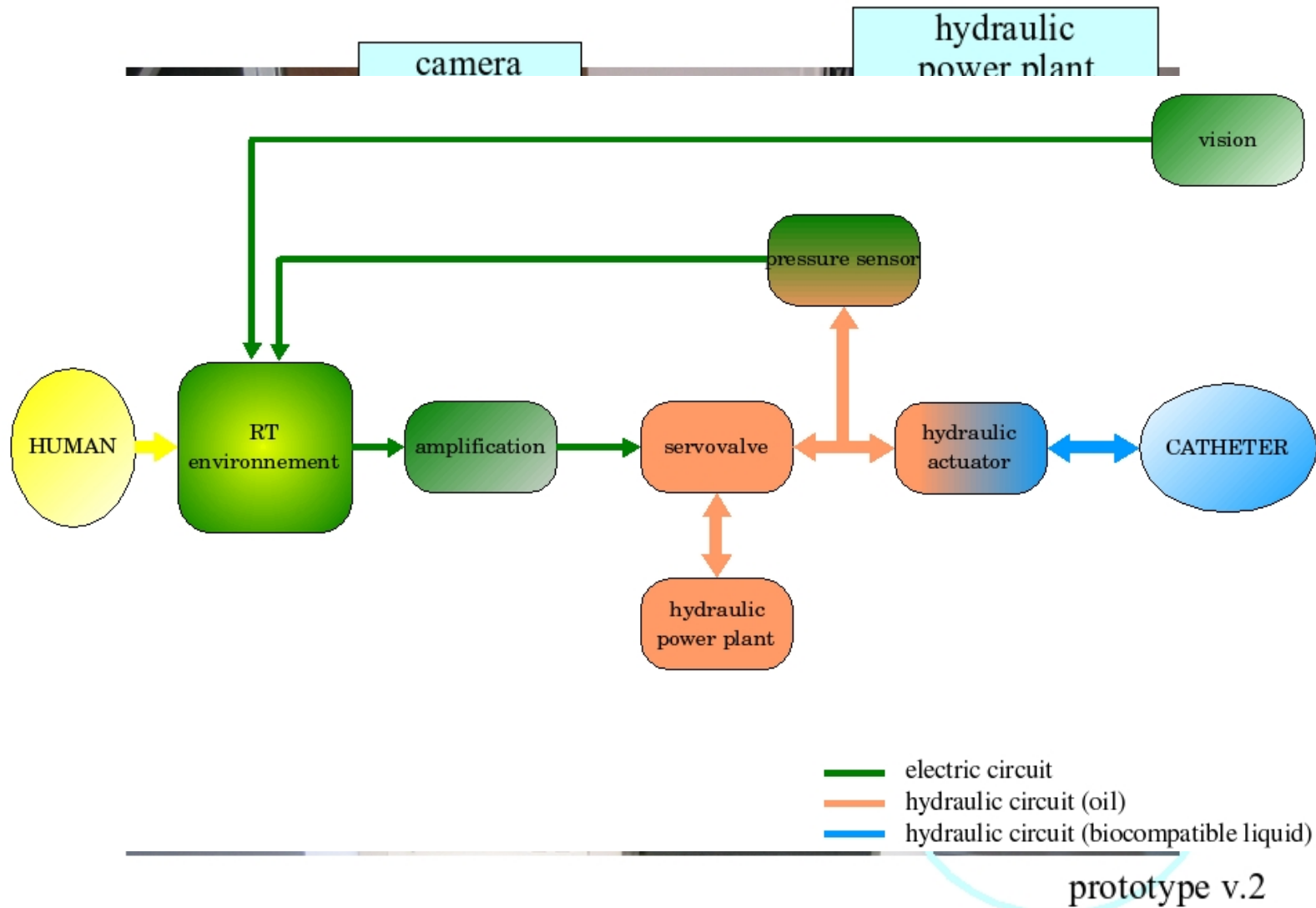
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prototype v.2:

- 4,9 mm outer diameter
- 20 mm length
- a working channel of 2 mm diameter

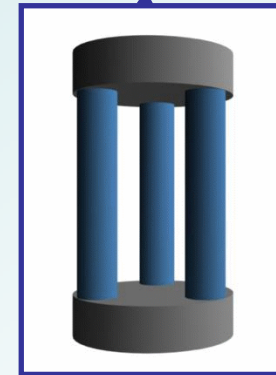
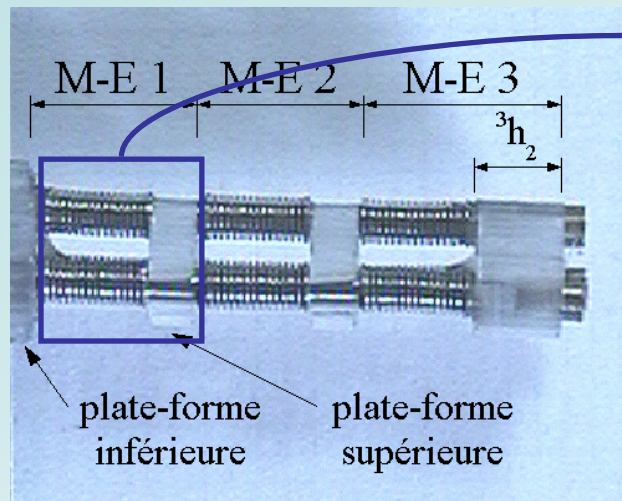
EXPERIMENTAL SITE



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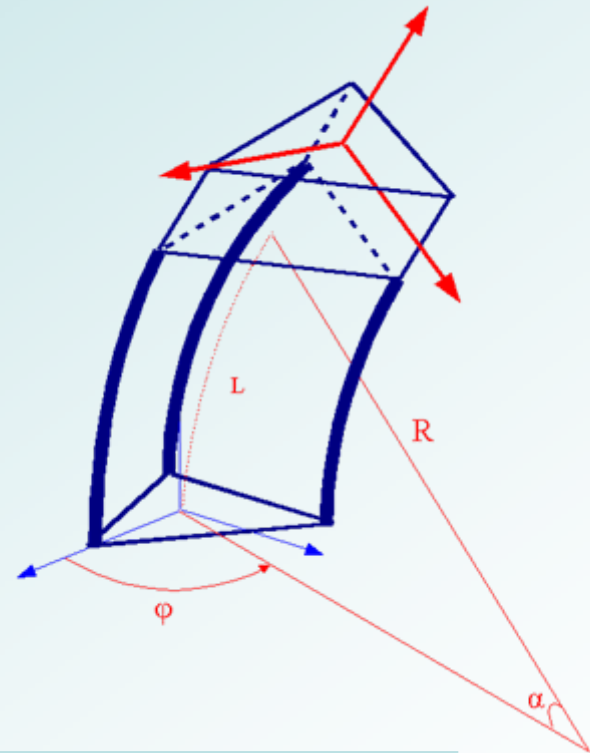
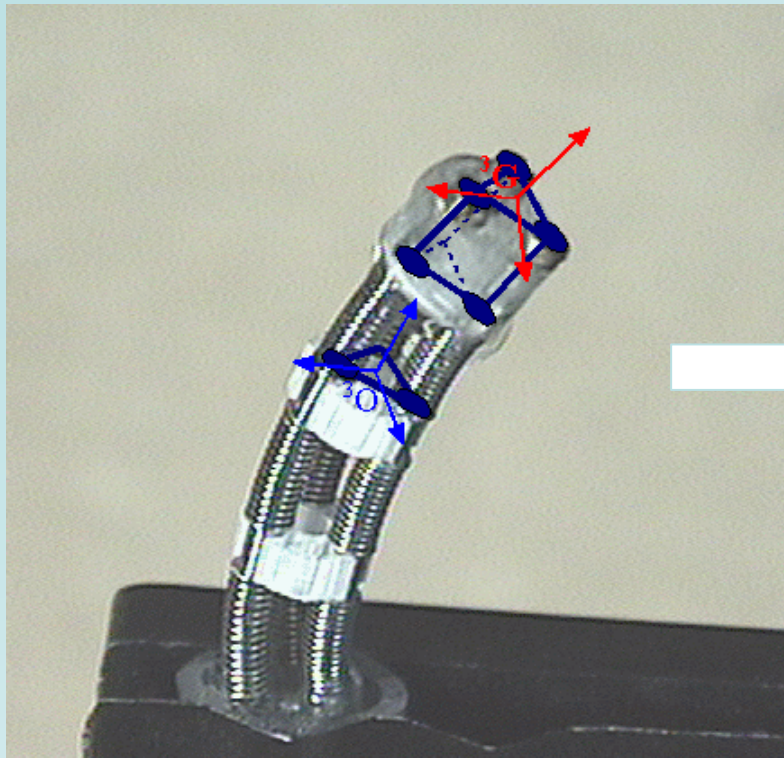
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NOMENCLATURE



one micro-robot can be seen as a stack of 3 elementary modules (E-M) with the same behaviour

NOMENCLATURE



3 parameters characterize the E-M bending:

- R : radius of curvature of center line of the E-M
- α : bending angle in the bending plane
- φ : angle of the bending plane

BENDING EXPRESSION OF E-M 1

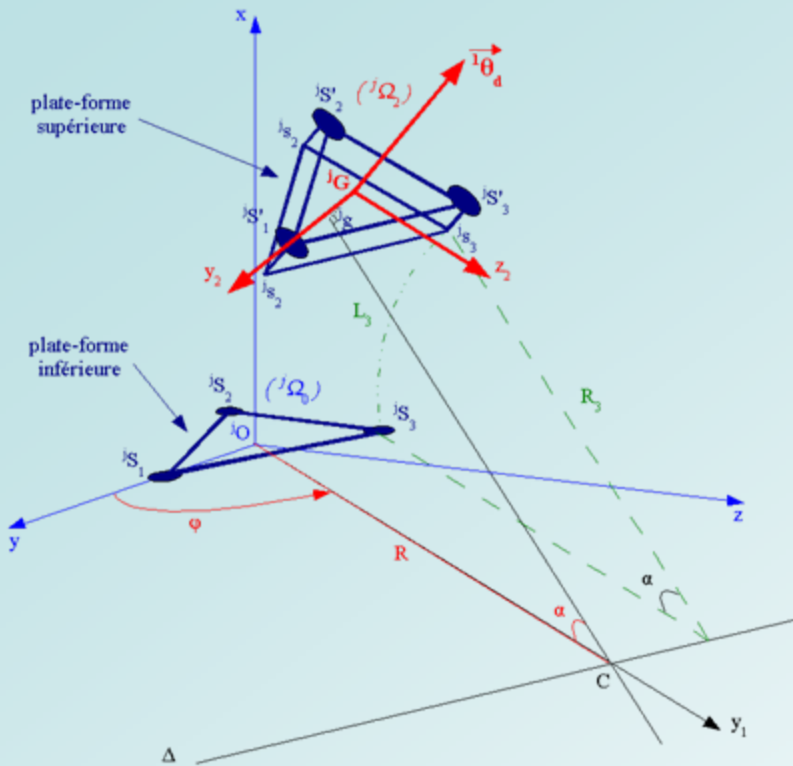


figure 1 : schematic draw of E-M 1

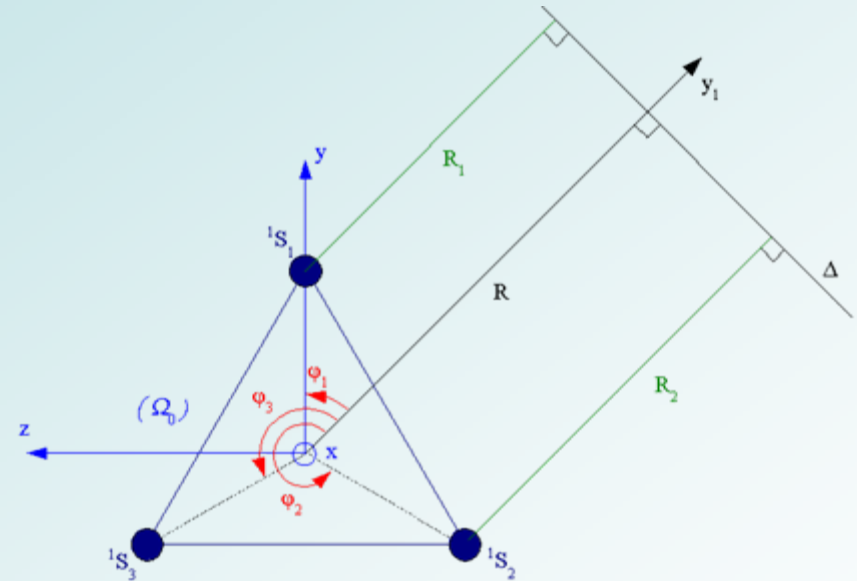


figure 2 : top view of the base coordinate frame

$$\varphi = \text{atan2}(\sqrt{3}(L_2 - L_3), L_3 + L_2 - 2L_1)$$

$$R = \frac{h_1 \sum_{i=1}^3 L_i}{3\sqrt{\xi_l}}$$

$$\alpha = \frac{\sqrt{\xi_l}}{h_1}$$

avec $\xi_l = L_1^2 + L_2^2 + L_3^2 - L_2L_1 - L_3L_1 - L_2L_3$

DIRECT GEOMETRIC MODEL

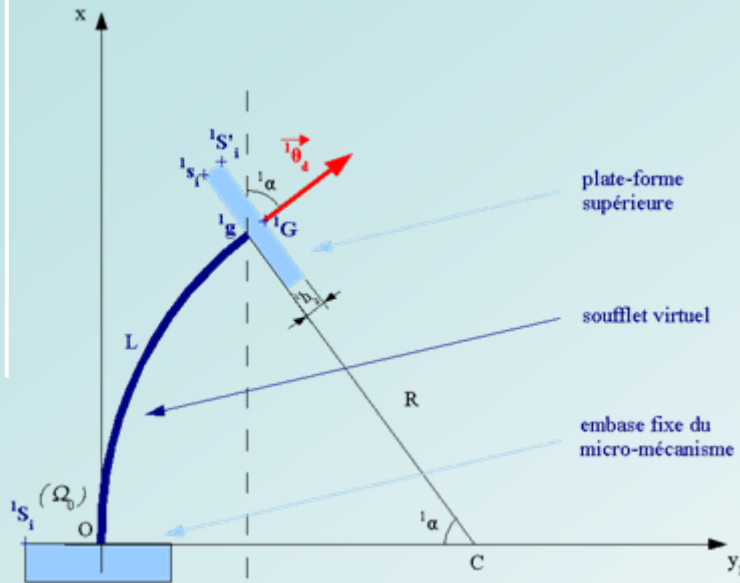


figure : E-M projection in the bending plane

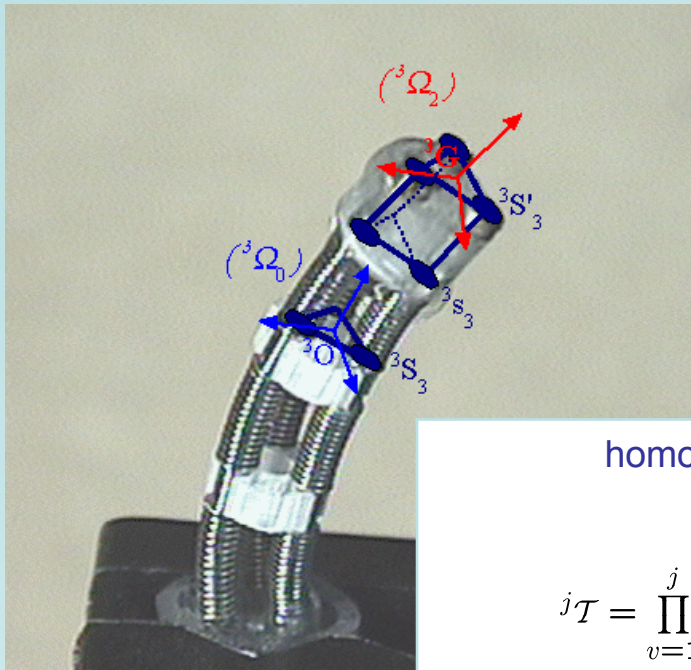
M-E in bending

$${}^jG = \begin{pmatrix} R \sin \alpha + {}^j h_2 \cos \alpha \\ (R(1 - \cos \alpha) + {}^j h_2 \sin \alpha) \cos \varphi \\ (R(1 - \cos \alpha) + {}^j h_2 \sin \alpha) \sin \varphi \end{pmatrix}$$

M-E in stretching ($L_1 = L_2 = L_3$)

$${}^jG = \begin{pmatrix} L_0 + {}^j h_2 + \Delta L \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

DIRECT GEOMETRIC MODEL



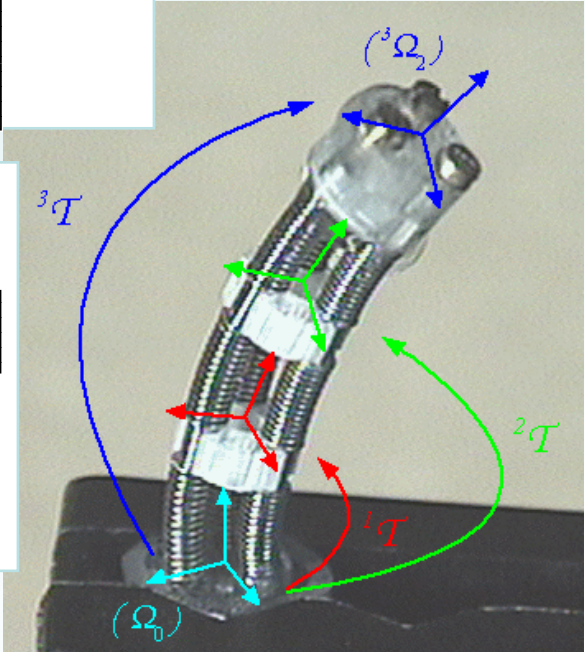
homogeneous matrix of j E-M

$${}^j\mathcal{T} = \prod_{v=1}^j \begin{bmatrix} \mathcal{R}_{ot} & \mathcal{P} \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & v h_2 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$${}^j\mathcal{P} = {}^j\vec{O}jg$$

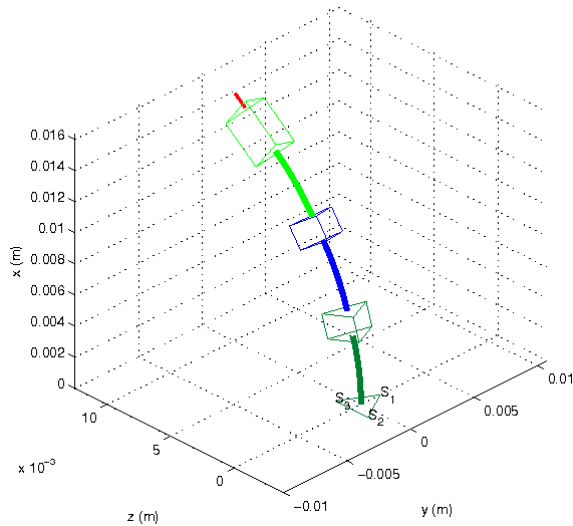
$$\mathcal{R}_{ot} = \left[j\vec{\theta}, \frac{{}^1g\vec{1}s_1}{\|{}^1g\vec{1}s_1\|}, j\vec{\theta} \wedge \frac{{}^1g\vec{1}s_1}{\|{}^1g\vec{1}s_1\|} \right]$$

$$j\vec{\theta} = \frac{jg\vec{j}G}{\|jg\vec{j}G\|}$$

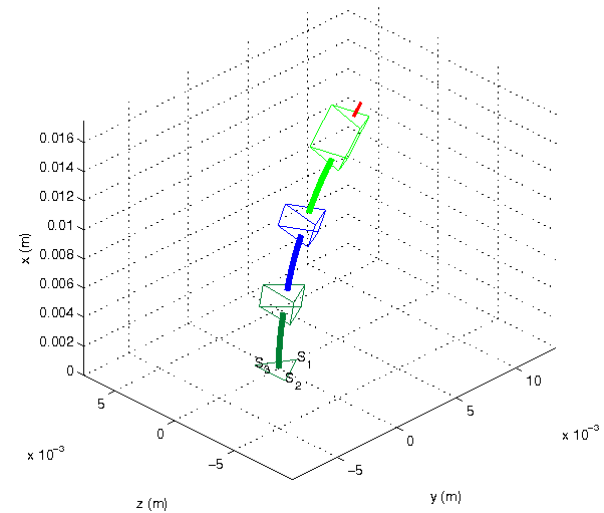


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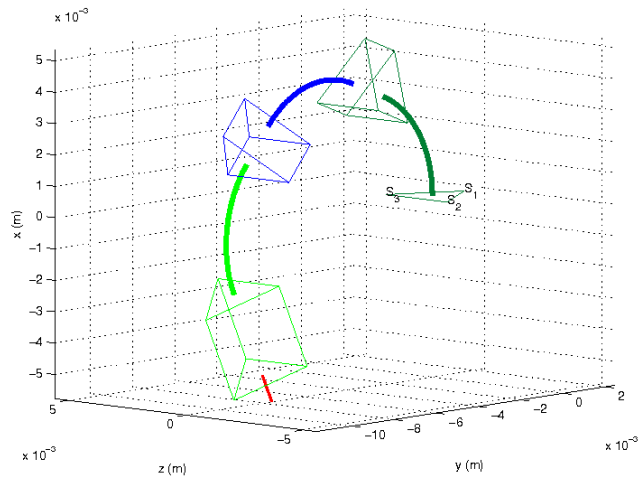
${}^1L_1 = 4.2 \text{ mm}$, ${}^1L_2 = 4.6 \text{ mm}$, ${}^1L_3 = 3.8 \text{ mm}$
 ${}^3\alpha = 52.9276 \text{ degrés}$, $\text{phi} = 90 \text{ degrés}$, ${}^1L = 4.2 \text{ mm}$



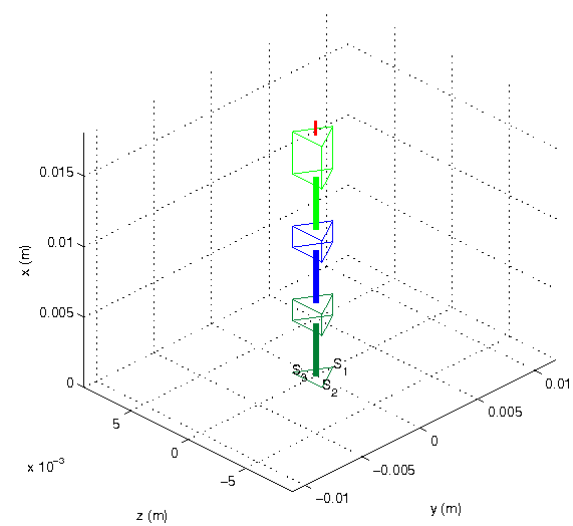
${}^1L_1 = 3.6 \text{ mm}$, ${}^1L_2 = 3.8 \text{ mm}$, ${}^1L_3 = 4 \text{ mm}$
 ${}^3\alpha = 26.4638 \text{ degrés}$, $\text{phi} = -30 \text{ degrés}$, ${}^1L = 3.8 \text{ mm}$



${}^1L_1 = 6.2 \text{ mm}$, ${}^1L_2 = 3.5 \text{ mm}$, ${}^1L_3 = 3.5 \text{ mm}$
 ${}^3\alpha = 206.2648 \text{ degrés}$, $\text{phi} = 180 \text{ degrés}$, ${}^1L = 4.4 \text{ mm}$



${}^1L_1 = 3.7 \text{ mm}$, ${}^1L_2 = 3.7 \text{ mm}$, ${}^1L_3 = 3.7 \text{ mm}$
 ${}^3\alpha = 0^\circ$, ${}^1L = 3.7 \text{ mm}$



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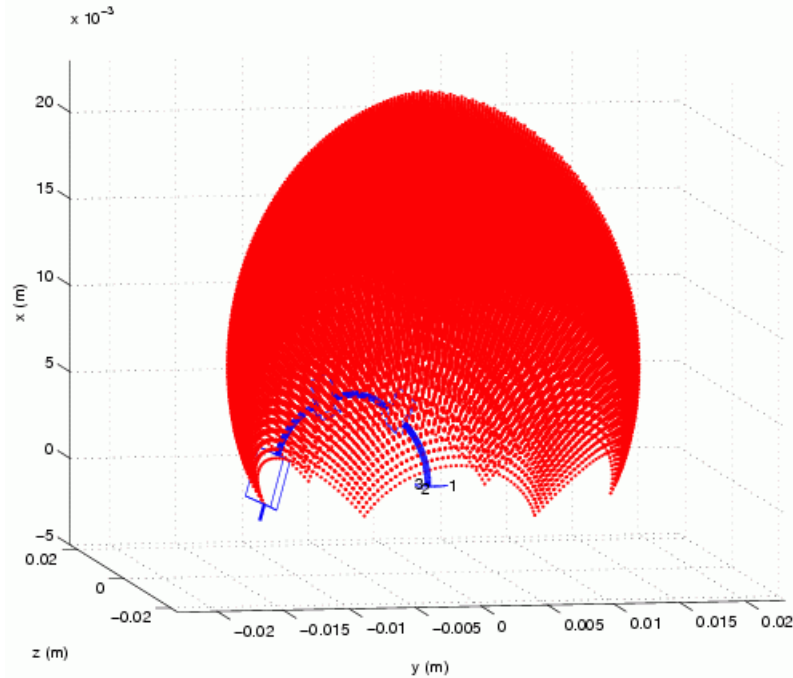


figure 1 : position workspace

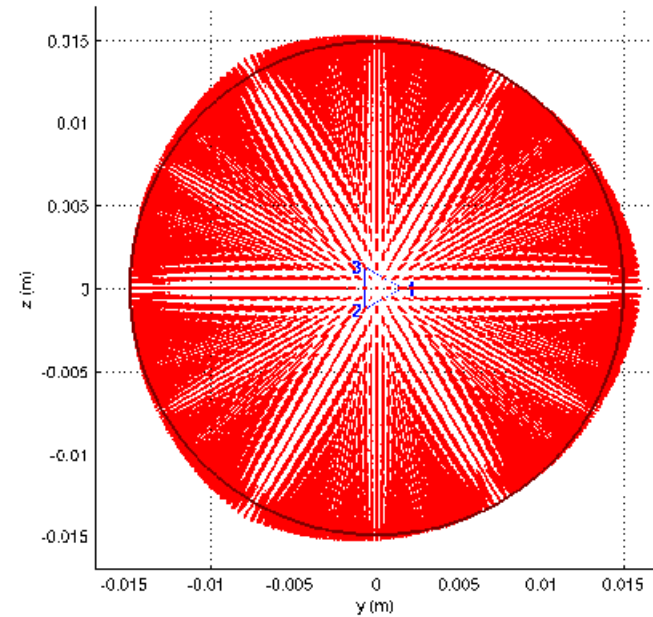
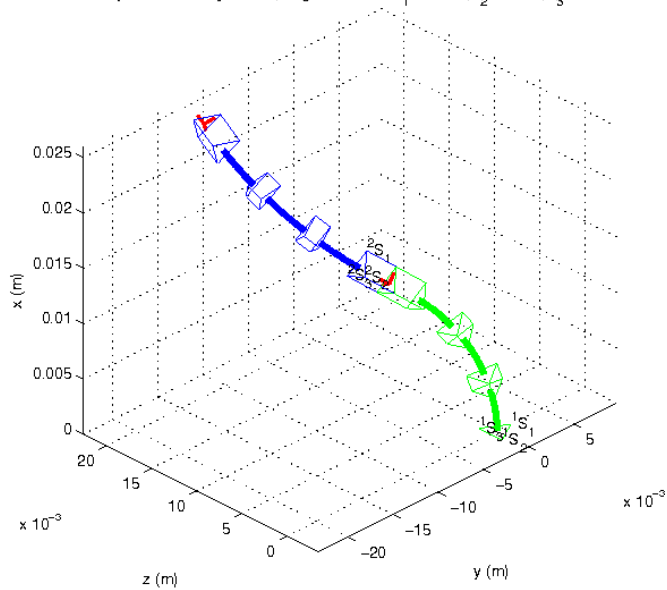


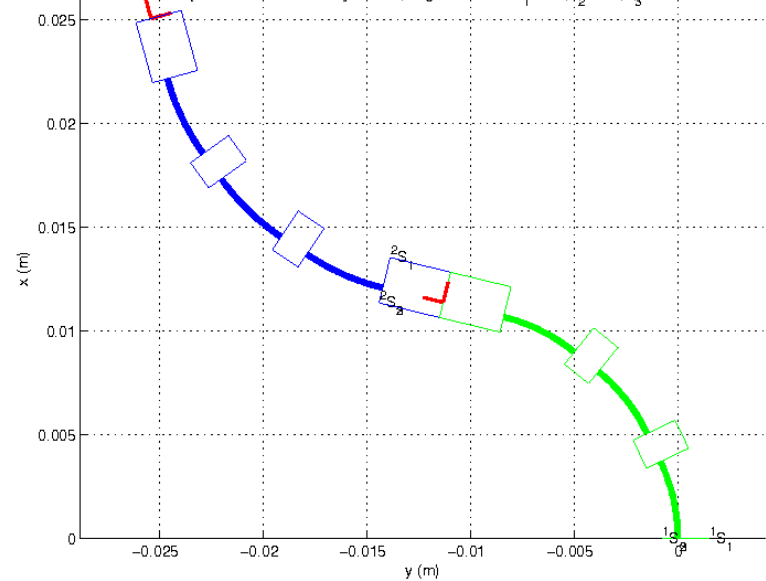
figure 2 : projection on the xy plane

DIRECT GEOMETRIC MODEL

micro-robot inférieur : ${}^1L_1 = 4.3 \text{ mm}$, ${}^1L_2 = 3.9 \text{ mm}$, ${}^1L_3 = 3.5 \text{ mm}$; micro-robot supérieur : ${}^1L_1 = 3.6 \text{ mm}$, ${}^1L_2 = 4.5 \text{ mm}$, ${}^1L_3 = 3.7 \text{ mm}$
 ${}^0G = [25.1 \ -13 \ 19.4]$ en mm; angles d'euler : $b_1 = 41.1^\circ$, $b_2 = -47^\circ$, $b_3 = -139^\circ$



micro-robot inférieur : ${}^1L_1 = 4.5 \text{ mm}$, ${}^1L_2 = 3.5 \text{ mm}$, ${}^1L_3 = 3.5 \text{ mm}$; micro-robot supérieur : ${}^1L_1 = 3.5 \text{ mm}$, ${}^1L_2 = 4.3 \text{ mm}$, ${}^1L_3 = 4.3 \text{ mm}$
 ${}^0G = [25.1 \ -25.4 \ 4.34e-015]$ en mm; angles d'euler : $b_1 = 0^\circ$, $b_2 = 0^\circ$, $b_3 = 27.2^\circ$



DIRECT KINEMATIC

$$d\mathcal{X} = Jdq \quad \text{where} \quad J = \frac{\partial \mathcal{X}}{\partial q} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\partial \alpha}{\partial L_1} & \frac{\partial \alpha}{\partial L_2} & \frac{\partial \alpha}{\partial L_3} \\ \frac{\partial \varphi}{\partial L_1} & \frac{\partial \varphi}{\partial L_2} & \frac{\partial \varphi}{\partial L_3} \\ \frac{\partial R}{\partial L_1} & \frac{\partial R}{\partial L_2} & \frac{\partial R}{\partial L_3} \end{pmatrix}$$

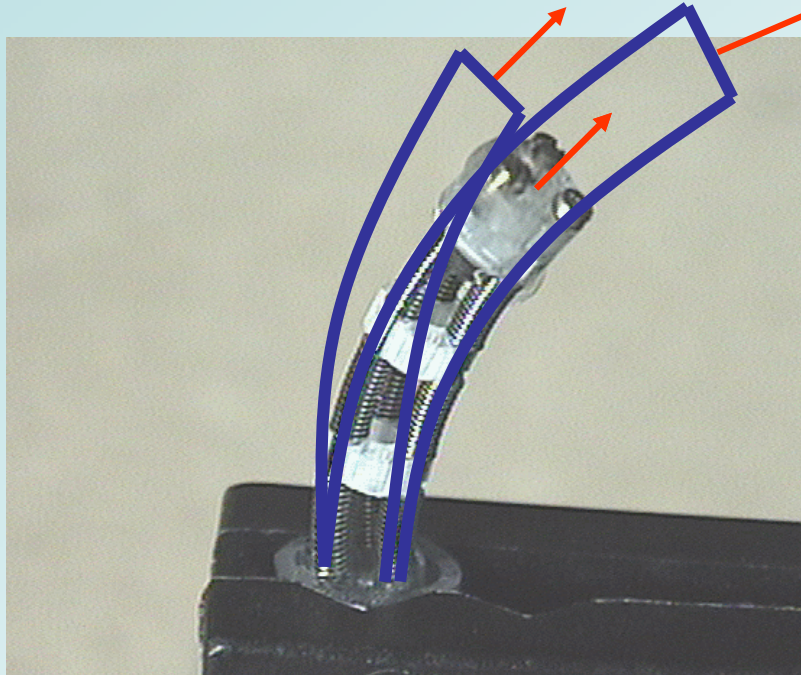
$$\begin{pmatrix} d\alpha \\ d\varphi \\ dR \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{2L_1 - L_2 - L_3}{2h_1\sqrt{\xi_l}} & \frac{2L_2 - L_1 - L_3}{2h_1\sqrt{\xi_l}} & \frac{2L_3 - L_1 - L_2}{2h_1\sqrt{\xi_l}} \\ \frac{\sqrt{3}(L_2 - L_3)}{2\xi_l} & \frac{\sqrt{3}(L_3 - L_1)}{2\xi_l} & \frac{\sqrt{3}(L_1 - L_2)}{2\xi_l} \\ \frac{h_1(L_2^2 + L_3^2 - L_2L_1 - L_3L_1)}{2\xi_l^{\frac{3}{2}}} & \frac{h_1(L_1^2 + L_3^2 - L_2L_1 - L_2L_3)}{2\xi_l^{\frac{3}{2}}} & \frac{h_1(L_1^2 + L_2^2 - L_3L_1 - L_2L_3)}{2\xi_l^{\frac{3}{2}}} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} dL_1 \\ dL_2 \\ dL_3 \end{pmatrix}$$

INVERSE KINEMATIC

$$\det J = -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2\xi_l} \neq 0 \rightarrow dq = J^{-1}d\mathcal{X}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} dL_1 \\ dL_2 \\ dL_3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{h_1 L_1}{\sqrt{\xi_l}} & \frac{L_2 - L_3}{\sqrt{3}} & \frac{\sqrt{\xi_l}}{h_1} \\ \frac{h_1 L_2}{\sqrt{\xi_l}} & \frac{L_3 - L_1}{\sqrt{3}} & \frac{\sqrt{\xi_l}}{h_1} \\ \frac{h_1 L_3}{\sqrt{\xi_l}} & \frac{L_1 - L_2}{\sqrt{3}} & \frac{\sqrt{\xi_l}}{h_1} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} d\alpha \\ d\varphi \\ dR \end{pmatrix}$$

INVERSE GEOMETRIC MODEL



- with a constant radius of curvature, variation of the mean length of the bellows change the bending angle of the distal platform
- if we want to keep the same bending angle of the distal platform, we can change either the radius of curvature or the mean length of the bellows

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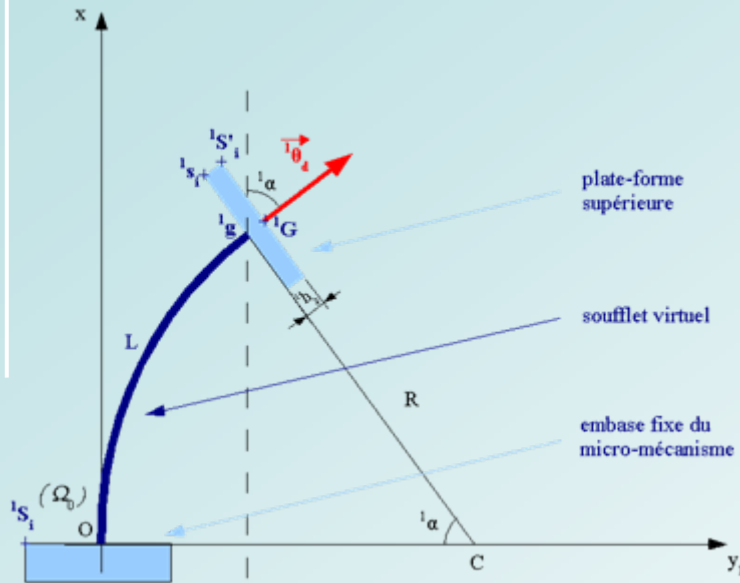


figure : E-M projection in the bending plane

$${}^n\vec{\theta}_d, {}^1\vec{\theta}_d = \begin{cases} {}^1\alpha = \frac{\alpha}{n} \\ {}^1\varphi = \varphi \end{cases}$$

$${}^1\vec{\theta}_d = \begin{cases} a = \cos {}^1\alpha \\ b = \cos \varphi \sin {}^1\alpha \\ c = \sin \varphi \sin {}^1\alpha \end{cases} \Leftrightarrow \begin{cases} {}^1\alpha = \text{acos}(a) \\ \varphi = \text{atan2}(c, b) \end{cases}$$

$$L_i = L - \alpha \frac{2h_1}{3} \cos \varphi_i \quad L_i \in [L_0, L_0 + \Delta L_{max}]$$

$$\left. \begin{aligned} L - \alpha \frac{2h_1}{3} \cos \varphi_i &\geq L_0 \\ L_{max} &\geq L \geq L_0 \end{aligned} \right\} \hat{L} = \arg \min_L \psi(L)$$

INVERSE GEOMETRIC MODEL

minimization of the objective function ψ subject to inequalities

$$\hat{L} = \arg \min_L \psi(L) \left\{ L \geq L_0, -L \geq -L_{max}, L - \alpha \frac{2h_1}{3} \cos \varphi_i \geq L_0 \right\}$$

$$\psi_1 = \frac{1}{2}(R - R_d)^2$$

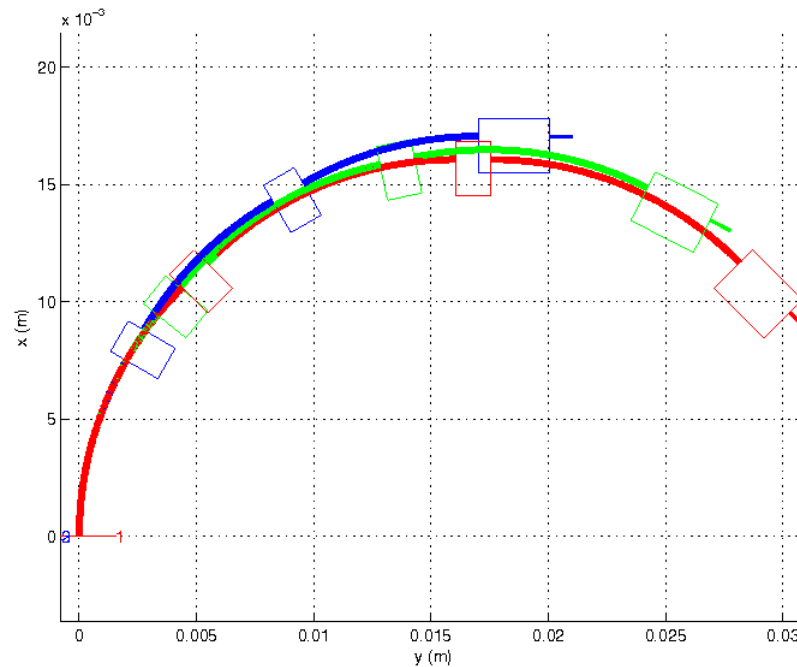


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$$\psi_2 = \frac{1}{2}(L - L_d)^2$$

$$\psi_3 = \frac{1}{2}L^2$$

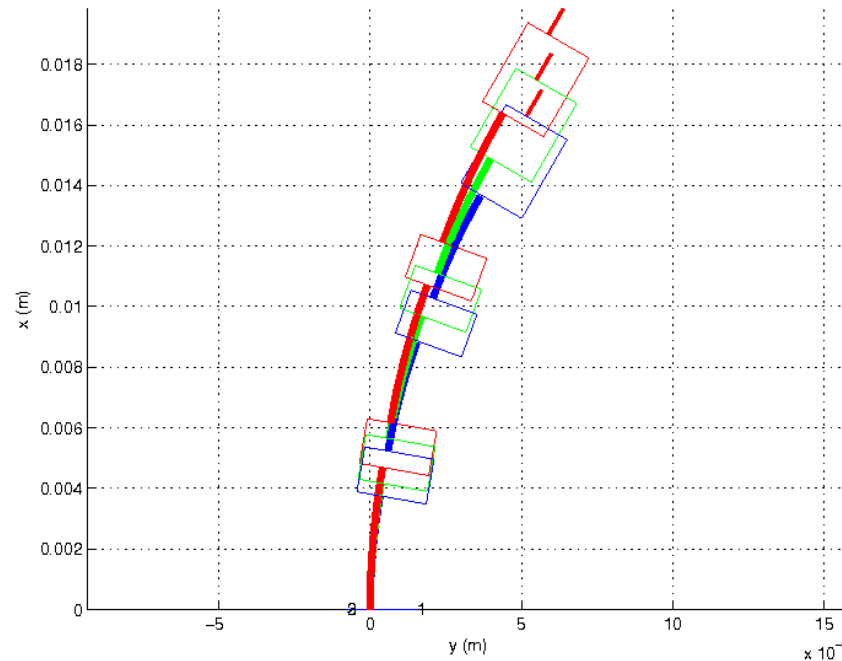
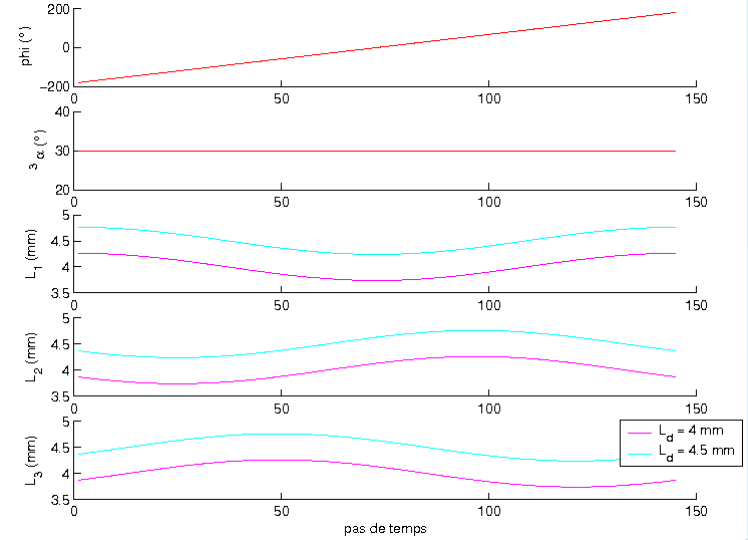
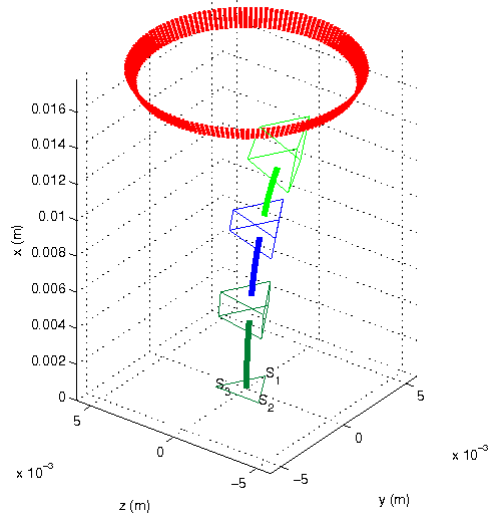


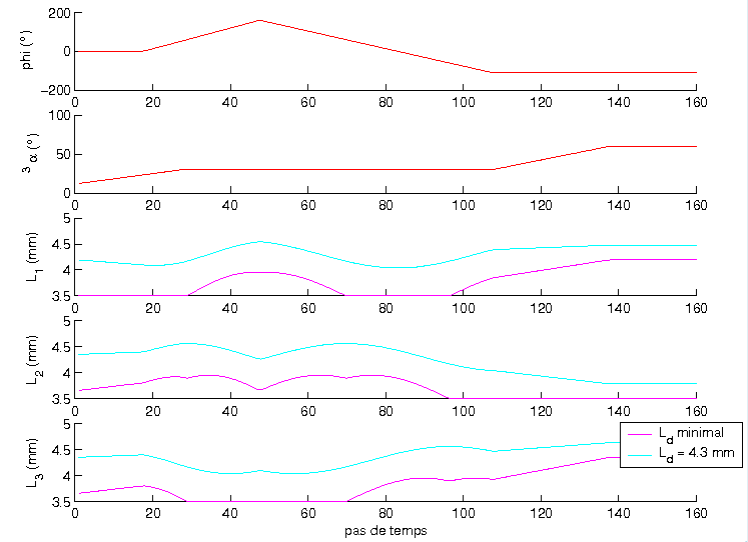
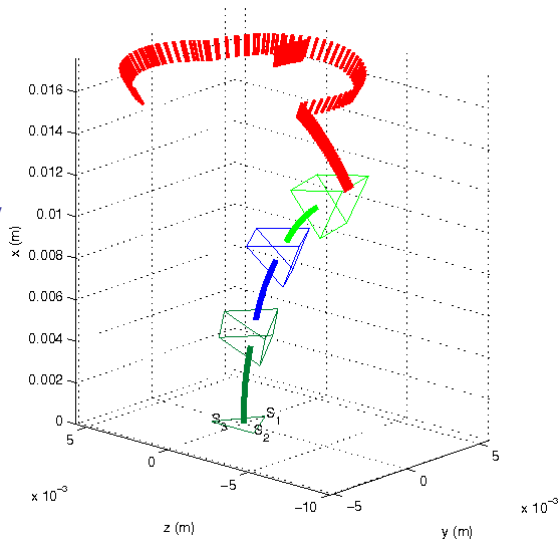
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circular trajectory



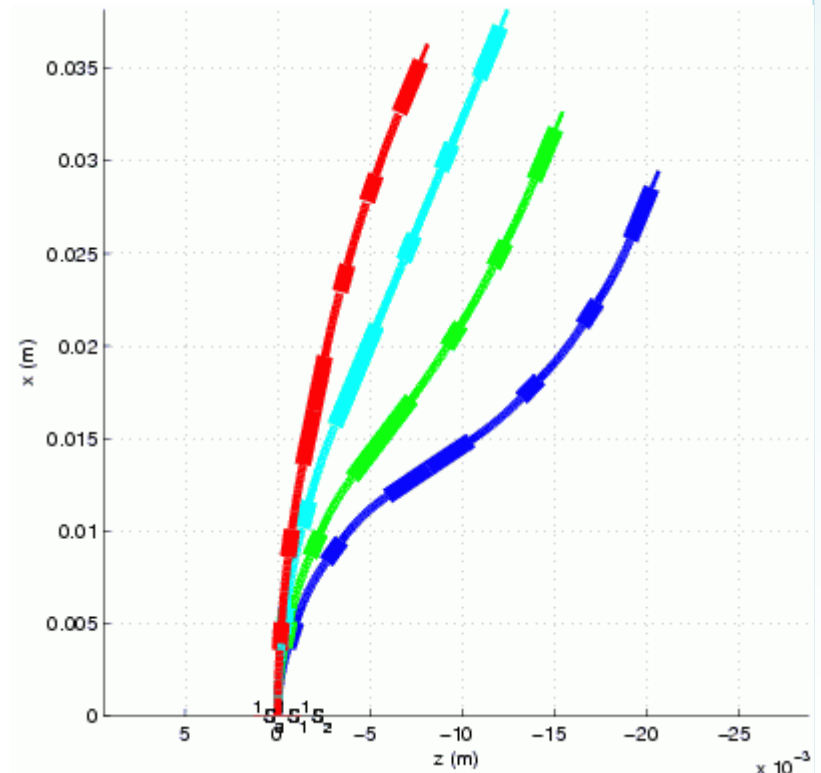
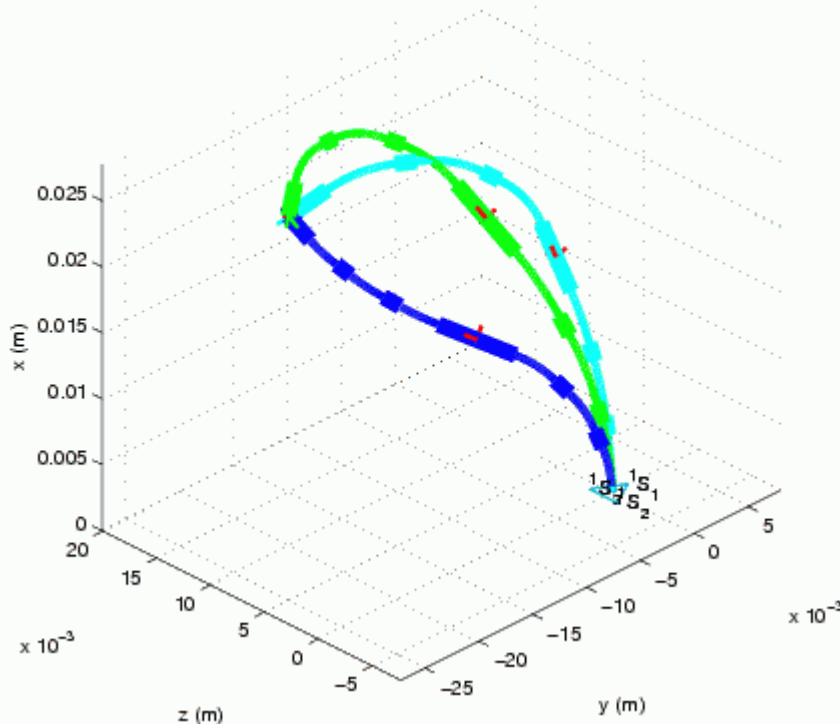
free trajectory



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minimization of a the objective function ψ subject to inequalities and equalities

$$\hat{L} = \arg \min_L \psi(L) \left\{ L \geq L_0, -L \geq -L_{max}, {}^6G - Q_d = 0 \right\}$$



$$\hat{L} = \arg \min_L \psi(L) \left\{ L \geq L_0, -L \geq -L_{max}, \vec{\theta}_r - \vec{\theta}_d = 0 \right\}$$

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ORIENTATION CONTROL

$$J^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{h_1 L_1}{\sqrt{\xi_l}} & \frac{L_2 - L_3}{\sqrt{3}} & \frac{\sqrt{\xi_l}}{h_1} \\ \frac{h_1 L_2}{\sqrt{\xi_l}} & \frac{L_3 - L_1}{\sqrt{3}} & \frac{\sqrt{\xi_l}}{h_1} \\ \frac{h_1 L_3}{\sqrt{\xi_l}} & \frac{L_1 - L_2}{\sqrt{3}} & \frac{\sqrt{\xi_l}}{h_1} \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{AP_i = k\Delta L_i} J_P^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{k^2 h_1 P_1}{A^2 \sqrt{\xi_P}} & \frac{P_2 - P_3}{\sqrt{3}} & \frac{\sqrt{\xi_P}}{h_1} \\ \frac{k^2 h_1 P_2}{A^2 \sqrt{\xi_P}} & \frac{P_3 - P_1}{\sqrt{3}} & \frac{\sqrt{\xi_P}}{h_1} \\ \frac{k^2 h_1 P_3}{A^2 \sqrt{\xi_P}} & \frac{P_1 - P_2}{\sqrt{3}} & \frac{\sqrt{\xi_P}}{h_1} \end{pmatrix}$$

criterion : $\psi_1 = \min_L \|R - R_d\|^2$ $\psi_2 = \min_P \|P - P_d\|^2$

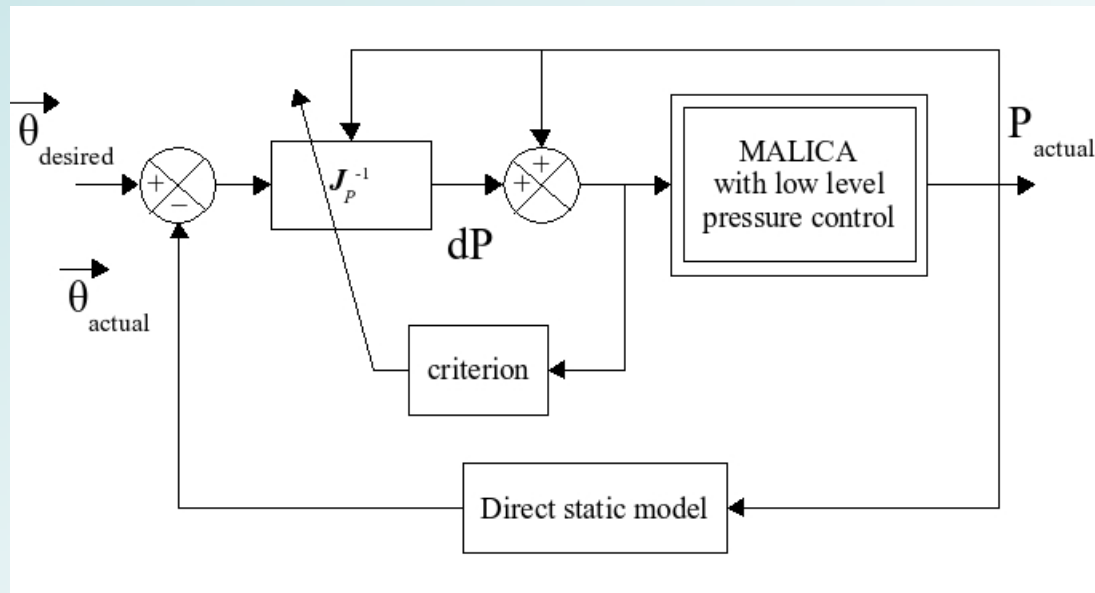


figure : orientation control scheme

ORIENTATION CONTROL

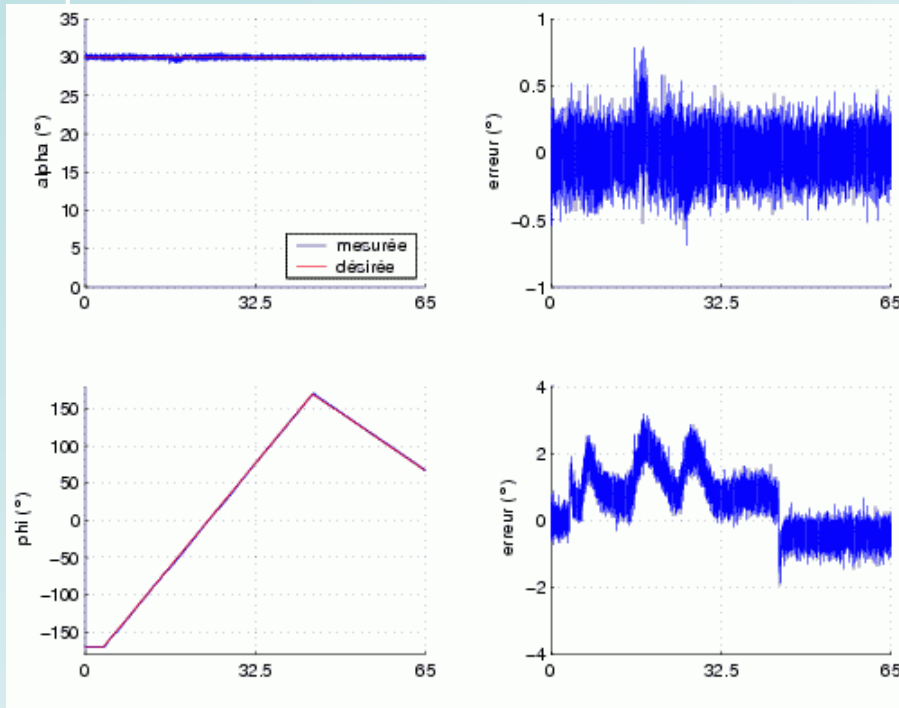


figure 1 : orientation set point

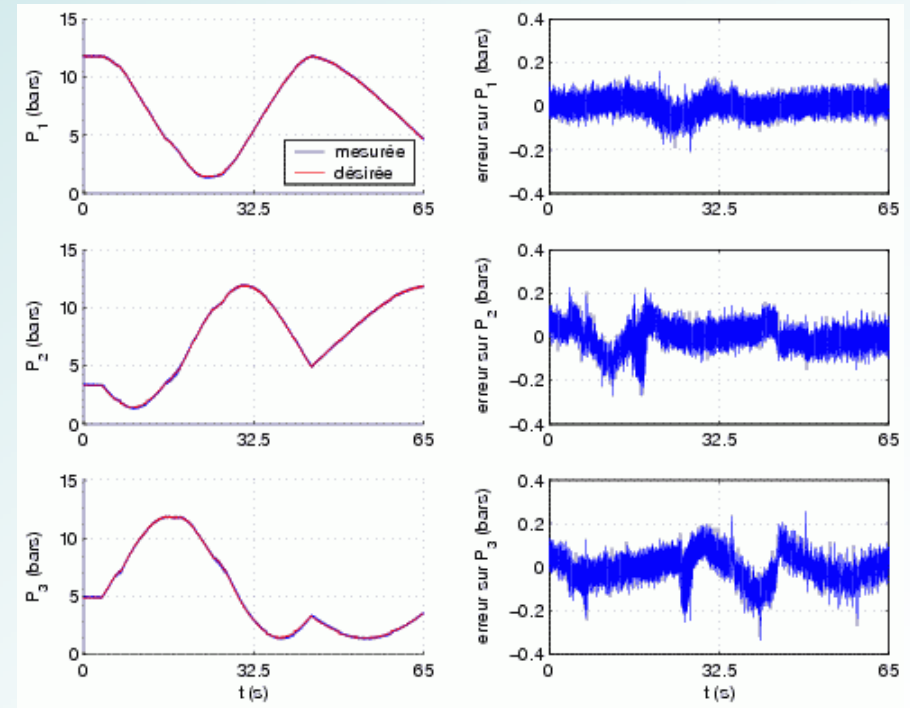
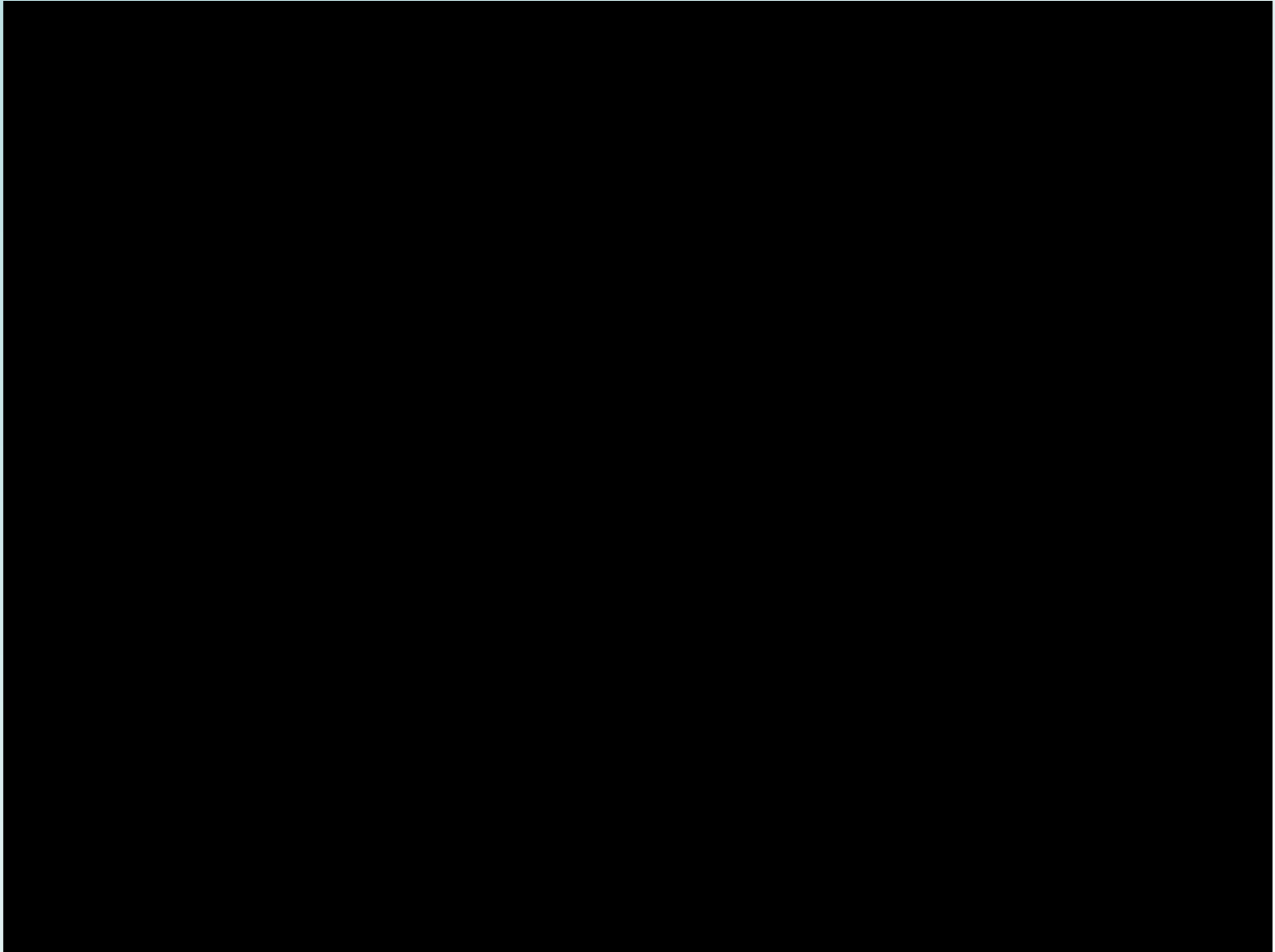


figure 2: bellows pressure

DEMONSTRATION



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- design of a new generation of active catheters for aortic aneurysm treatment
- new modeling of a hybrid continuum style micro-robot
- orientation control with experimental results