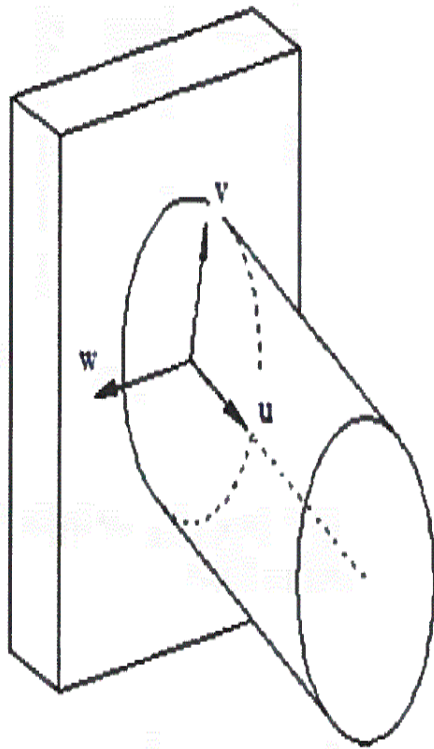
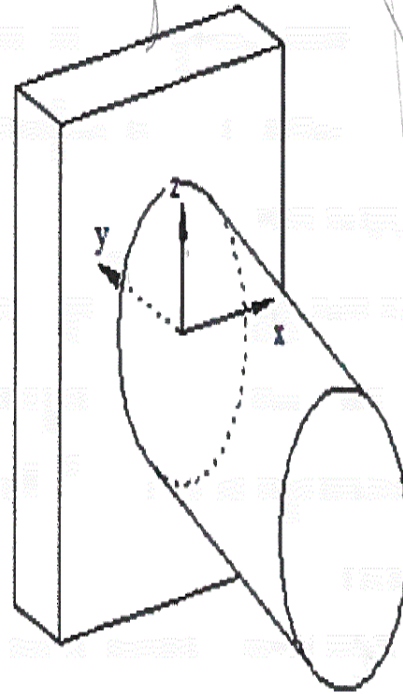


I will be transforming quantities from brace local axis to plate axis as shown in the figure



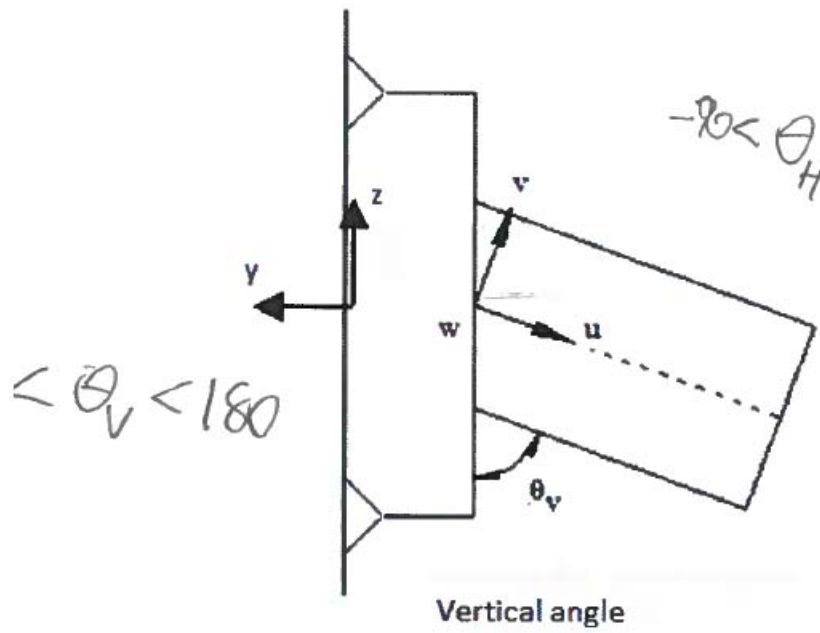
Brace local axes



Doubler plate axes

I have generated the rotation matrices as follows

In order to get $X(\theta_v)$ from the below figure, my rotation matrices is just below the figure.

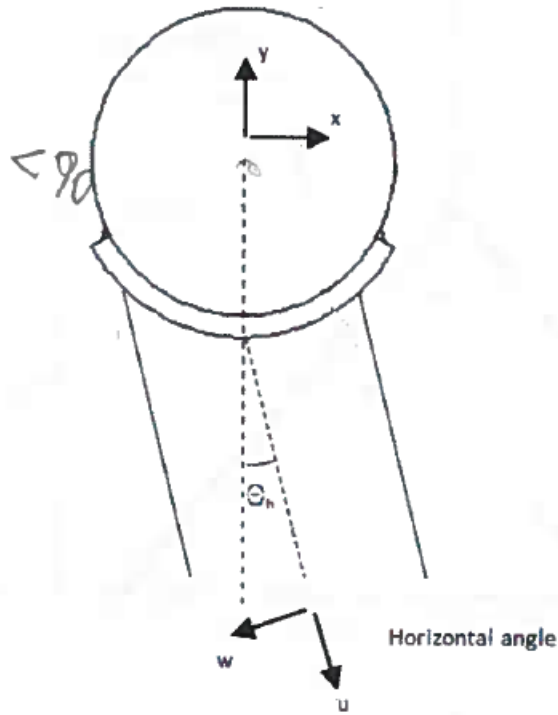


Symbolically

$$X(\theta_v) := \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & -1 \\ -\sin(\theta_v) & -\cos(\theta_v) & 0 \\ -\cos(\theta_v) & \sin(\theta_v) & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$x(\theta_v) := \begin{pmatrix} F_{x1} \\ F_{y1} \\ F_{z1} \end{pmatrix}$$

In order to get the rotation matrix $Y(\theta_h)$, for the figure below, my rotation matrix is just below the figure

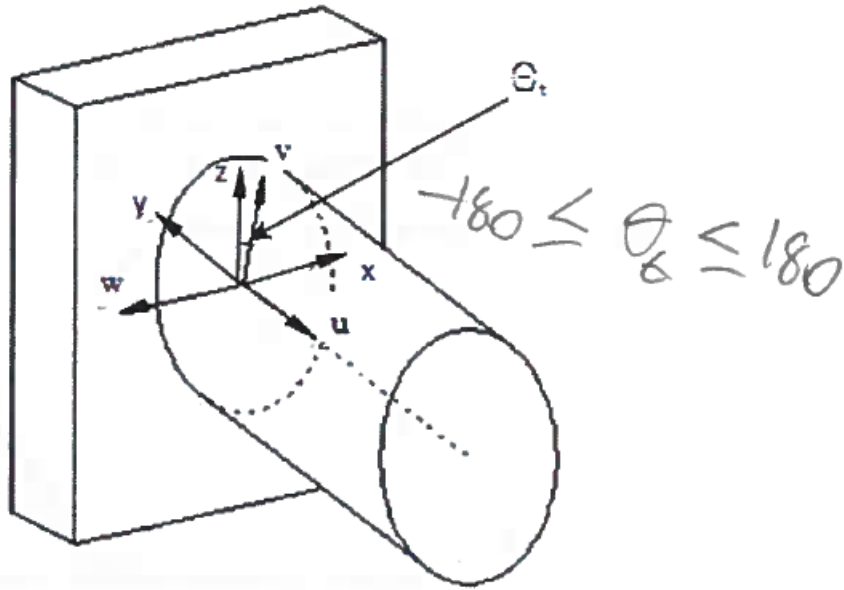


Symbolically

$$Z(\theta_h) := \begin{pmatrix} \sin(\theta_h) & 0 & -\cos(\theta_h) \\ -\cos(\theta_h) & 0 & -\sin(\theta_h) \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$z(\theta_h) := \begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{Fx2} \\ \mathbf{Fy2} \\ \mathbf{Fz2} \end{pmatrix}$$

In order to get the rotation matrix $Z(\theta)$ from the figure below, I have the matrix just below the figure



Transverse angle

Symbolically

$$Y(\theta_t) := \begin{pmatrix} 0 & \sin(\theta_t) & -\cos(\theta_t) \\ -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \cos(\theta_t) & -\sin(\theta_t) \end{pmatrix}$$

$$y(\theta_t) := \begin{pmatrix} Fx3 \\ Fy3 \\ Fz3 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$X(0) \cdot Z(0) \cdot Y(0) = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

I had thought $X(0) \cdot Y(0) \cdot Z(0)$ should have been:

$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & -1 \\ -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$