Problem 1



The manipulator shown above is a six-DOF manipulator with five revolute joints and one prismatic joint. The link lengths are H1=H2=H6=1m. The Denavit-Hartenberg coordinate axes are given and assume the manipulator position is given by:

 $\theta_1 = 10^0, \ \theta_2 = 20^0, \ d_3 = 1 \ m, \ \theta_4 = 0, \ \theta_5 = 0, \ \theta_6 = 0$

1) Write out the Denavit-Hartenberg parameters for each link and compute numerically each DH matrix as well as the global homogeneous 4x4 transformation matrix (from Frame 0 to Frame 6) for the given configuration.

2) Find the angular velocity ${}^{0}w_{6}$ and the linear velocity ${}^{0}V_{p}$ of point **P** if the joints have the following velocities:

 $\dot{\theta}_1 = 0.1 \text{ rad/sec}$ $\dot{\theta}_2 = 0.2 \text{ rad/sec}$ $\dot{d}_3 = 0.1 \text{ m/sec}$ $\dot{\theta}_4 = \dot{\theta}_5 = \dot{\theta}_6 = 0.0$

3) Model this robot manipulator with Working Model 3D.

Use the given configuration in 1) as a starting configuration (t=0) and apply the joint velocities given in 2) to the manipulator for a simulation time of 1 second.

Using Working Model-3D graphics, print out some graphical results showing:

- The model in the starting configuration and its bodies/connections list

- The plotted curves of velocities $({}^{0}\boldsymbol{w}_{6}, {}^{0}\boldsymbol{V}_{P})$ versus time

- The final configuration of the manipulator and the trajectory of P from t=0 to t=1 (in the 0 frame)

The number (and the organization) of pictures you will choose to include in the homework is left to your discretion, but try to be concise and precise.