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## Development of a 6-axis robot's finger force/moment sensor for making a robot's gripper

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### Abstract

This paper describes the development of a 6-axis robot's finger force/moment sensor, which measures forces  $F_x, F_y, F_z$ , and moments  $M_x, M_y, M_z$  simultaneously, for making a robot's gripper. In order to safely grasp an unknown object using the robot's gripper, it should measure the force in the gripping direction and the force in the gravity direction, and perform the force control using the measured forces. Thus, the robot's gripper should be composed of 6-axis robot's finger force/moment sensor that can measure forces  $F_x, F_y, F_z$ , and moments  $M_x, M_y, M_z$  simultaneously. In this paper, the 6-axis robot's finger force/moment sensor for measuring forces  $F_x, F_y, F_z$ , and moments  $M_x, M_y, M_z$  simultaneously was newly modeled using several parallel-plate beams, designed, and fabricated. The characteristic test of made sensor was performed. Also, Robot's gripper with the 6-axis robot's finger force/moment sensor for the characteristic test of force control was manufactured, and the characteristic test for grasping an unknown object was performed using it.

Obrien, D. J., et al.<sup>(5)</sup> 가

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(gripper)

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M., et al.<sup>(1)</sup>

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Castro, D., et al.<sup>(2)</sup>

(Jaw gripper)

Nkgatho, S. T., et al.<sup>(3)</sup>

(intelligent gripper)  
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$M_x(x$

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(interference error)가

<sup>(6-8)</sup>

(nonlinarity),

(repeatability)

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 (6-8)  
 Fx, Fy, Fz 6 Mx, My, Mz 가 /  
 (PPB:parallel- plate beam) 7  
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Fig. 1 Fx, Fy, Fz 6 Mx, My, Mz 가 / 가  
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 (parallel-plate beam : PPB)  
 A, B C, D

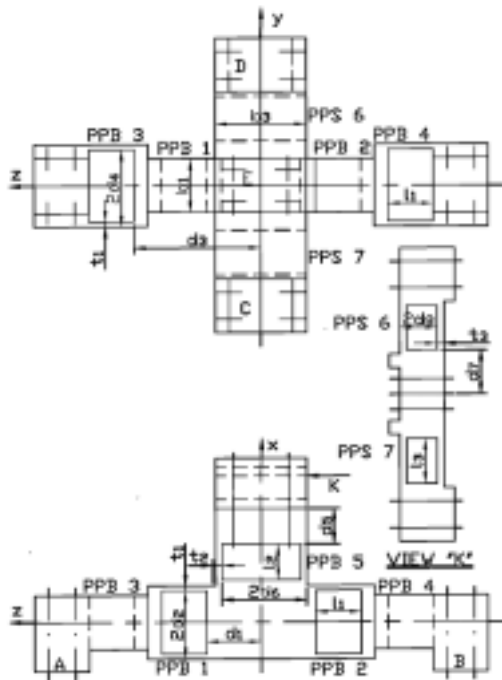


Fig. 1 6-axis robot's finger force/moment sensor

7 PPB PPB 1 PPB 2 Fx  
 My, PPB 3 PPB 4 Fy Mx,  
 PPB 5 Fz, PPB 6 PPB 7  
 Mz . PPB 1, PPB 2, PPB  
 3 PPB 4 b<sub>1</sub>, t<sub>1</sub>, l<sub>1</sub> 2  
 , PPB 5 b<sub>2</sub>, t<sub>2</sub>,  
 l<sub>2</sub> 2  
 PPB 6 PPB 7 b<sub>3</sub>, t<sub>3</sub>, l<sub>3</sub>  
 2 가  
 3 3  
 C D A B,  
 6 가 /

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2.2.1 Fx Fy 가 가  
 Fig. 2 PPB 1 PPB 2 Fx 가 가

PPB 1 PPB 2 Fx  
 가 가 ,  
 PPB 1 1(bean 1)  
 2(bean 2)  
 PPB 2 3(bean 3)  
 4(bean 4)  
 1  
 2, 3, 4  
 PPB 1 PPB 2, PPB 3 PPB 4 가  
 Fx 가 가 Fy 가  
 가  
 1 z=0 Fx  
 x F<sub>Fxx</sub> O  
 Σ M<sub>o</sub> = 0 Fx  
 y M<sub>Fxy</sub> z  
 Mz (1)

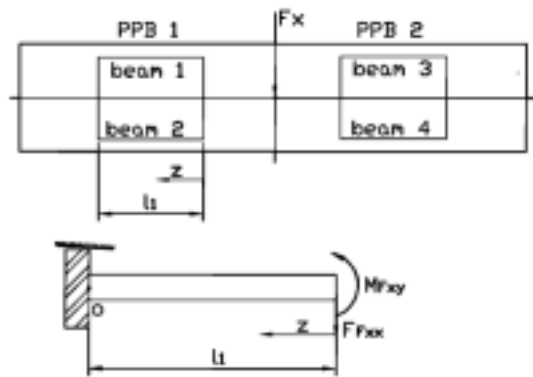


Fig. 2 Free body diagram of plate beams for a 6-axis robot's finger force/moment sensor under the forces Fx(or Fy)

$$M_z = \frac{F_x}{4}(x - \frac{l_1}{2}) \quad (1)$$

$$\epsilon_{F_x-U} = \frac{F_x}{4EZ_{1p}}(z - \frac{l_1}{2}) \quad (2-a)$$

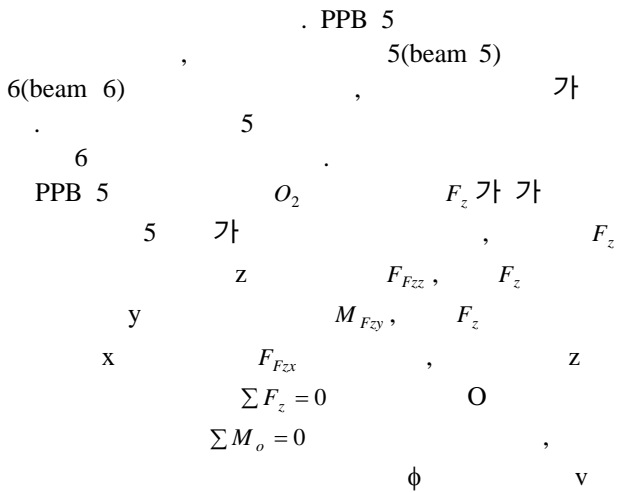
$$\epsilon_{F_x-L} = \frac{F_x}{4EZ_{1p}}(\frac{l_1}{2} - z) \quad (2-b)$$

$$\epsilon_{F_x-U} = \frac{F_x}{4EZ_{1p}}(z - \frac{l_1}{2}) \quad (2-a)$$

$$\epsilon_{F_x-L} = \frac{F_x}{4EZ_{1p}}(\frac{l_1}{2} - z) \quad (2-b)$$

2.2.2 Fz 가 가

Fig. 3 PPB 5 O<sub>2</sub> Fz 가 가



(3), (4)

$$\phi = \frac{(2d_4 + l_2)F_z}{\frac{48EI_2}{l_2^2}(\frac{3}{2}d_4 + \frac{2}{3}l_2) + \frac{4A_2Ed_5^2}{l_2}} \quad (3)$$

$$v = \frac{F_z - \frac{24EI_2}{l_2^2}(d_4 + \frac{l_2}{2})\phi}{\frac{24EI_2}{l_2^2}} \quad (4)$$

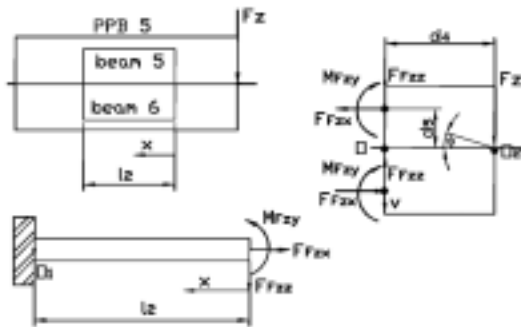


Fig. 3 Free body diagram of plate beams for a 6-axis robot's finger sensor under the force Fz

$$M_x \quad (5)$$

$$M_x = F_{Fzz}x - M_{Fzy} = \frac{12EI_2x}{l_2^3} \left[ v + (d_4 + \frac{l_2}{2})\phi \right] - \frac{12EI_2}{l_2^2} \left[ \frac{v}{2} + (\frac{d_4}{2} + \frac{l_2}{3})\phi \right] \quad (5)$$

$$\epsilon = M_x / EZ_{2p}$$

$$\epsilon = F / A_2E$$

$$(6-a),$$

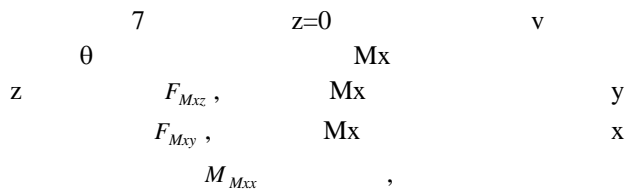
(6-b)

$$\epsilon_{F_z-U} = \frac{6t_2x}{l_2^3}(v + (d_4 + \frac{l_2}{2})\phi) - \frac{6t_2}{l_2^2}(\frac{v}{2} + (\frac{d_4}{2} + \frac{l_2}{3})\phi) + \frac{d_5\phi}{l_2} \quad (6-a)$$

$$\epsilon_{F_z-L} = -\frac{6t_2x}{l_2^3}(v + (d_4 + \frac{l_2}{2})\phi) + \frac{6t_2}{l_2^2}(\frac{v}{2} + (\frac{d_4}{2} + \frac{l_2}{3})\phi) - \frac{d_5\phi}{l_2} \quad (6-b)$$

2.2.3 Mx=My=Mz 가 가

Fig. 4 PPB 3 PPB 4 Mx 가 가



$$\sum M_p = 0$$

$$\theta \quad (7)$$

$$\theta = \frac{M_x/4}{\frac{12EI_1}{l_1^2}(d_1 + \frac{l_1}{3} + \frac{d_1^2}{l_1}) + \frac{A_1Ed_2^2}{l_1}} \quad (7)$$

$$\epsilon = M / EZ_{1p}$$

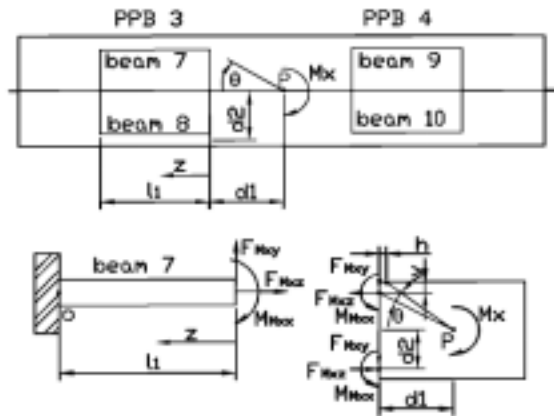
$$\epsilon = F / A_1E$$

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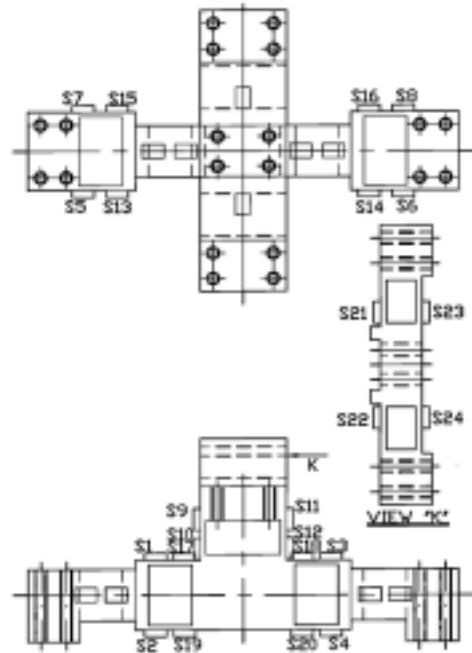
(8-b)

$$\epsilon_{M_x-U} = \left[ \frac{6h}{l_1^3} \left( \frac{d_1l_1}{2} + \frac{l_1^2}{3} - (d_1 + \frac{l_1}{2})x \right) + \frac{d_2}{l_1} \right] \theta \quad (8-a)$$

$$\epsilon_{M_x-L} = -\left[ \frac{6h}{l_1^3} \left( \frac{d_1l_1}{2} + \frac{l_1^2}{3} - (d_1 + \frac{l_1}{2})x \right) + \frac{d_2}{l_1} \right] \theta \quad (8-b)$$



**Fig. 4** Free body diagram of plate beams for a 6-axis robot's finger force/moment sensor under the moments  $M_x$ (or  $M_y, M_z$ )



**Fig. 5** Locations of strain gages

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$F_x, F_y, F_z$  가  
 $M_x, M_y, M_z$  가 5 Nm,  
 $1000 \mu m/m$ ,  
 $4 \times 5 \text{ mm}^2$  (9)

1.5 mm

$$\varepsilon = \varepsilon_{T1} - \varepsilon_{C1} + \varepsilon_{T2} - \varepsilon_{C2} \quad (9)$$

(2-a), (2-b), (4-a), (4-b),  
 $b_1$   
 $b_2$  12 mm,  $b_3$  20 mm,  $l_1, l_2, l_3$   
 10 mm,  $t_1$  1.1 mm,  $t_2$  1.3 mm,  
 $t_3$  2.4 mm  
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$\varepsilon$   
 $\varepsilon_{T1}$   $\varepsilon$   $T_1$ ,  $\varepsilon_{T2}$   
 $T_2$ ,  $\varepsilon_{C1}$   
 $C_1$ ,  $\varepsilon_{C2}$   
 $C_2$   
 $F_x$   $F_y$   
 $1032 \mu m/m$ ,  $F_z$   
 $1056 \mu m/m$ ,  $M_x$   $M_y$   $1040 \mu m/m$ ,  $M_z$   
 $1032 \mu m/m$ ,  
 $0$

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Fig. 5 6 가 /

$1000 \mu m/m$  가  
 mm, 0.1 mm

$F_x$   
 $S1 \sim S4, F_y$   $S5 \sim S8, F_z$   
 $S9 \sim S12, M_x$   $S13 \sim S16, M_y$   
 $S17 \sim S20, M_z$   $S21 \sim S24$

가 0

$1000 \mu m/m$  가

6 가 / Fig. 5

가 0 (2-a), (2-b),  
 (4-a), (4-b), (8-a), (8-b)

(M-  
 (N2A-13-  
 bond 200)  
 T001N-350)

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6 가 /  
 N, Mx, My, Mz 3  
 Fx, Fy, Fz 5 Nm  
 50 가

가  $mV/V$   
 ( $\mu m/m$ ) ( $mV/V$ )

$$\frac{E_o}{E_i} = \frac{1}{4} K \epsilon \quad (10)$$

,  $E_i$  (V),  $E_o$  (V), K  
 2.03,  $\epsilon$  ( $\mu m/m$ )

$$(\mu m/m) \quad (10)$$

( $mV/V$ )

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Table 1

6.0 %  
 Table 2  
 가  
 -0.77 %, Fy  
 2.45 %, Fz  
 Mx  
 Mz=5 Nm 가  
 Fy=50 N 가  
 6 가 /  
 2.79 %  
 가

Fig. 6

Fig. 7

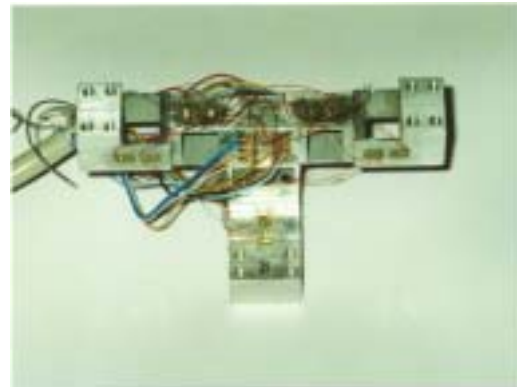
**Table 1** Rated strain in theory and characteristic test

Sensor	Analysis	Rated strain (mV/V)	Error(%)
Fx sensor	Theory	0.5237	6.0
	Test	0.4925	
Fy sensor	Theory	0.5237	4.5
	Test	0.5001	
Fz sensor	Theory	0.5396	4.0
	Test	0.5611	
Mx sensor	Theory	0.5278	3.3
	Test	0.5102	
My sensor	Theory	0.5278	3.4
	Test	0.5097	
Mz sensor	Theory	0.5237	4.6
	Test	0.4998	

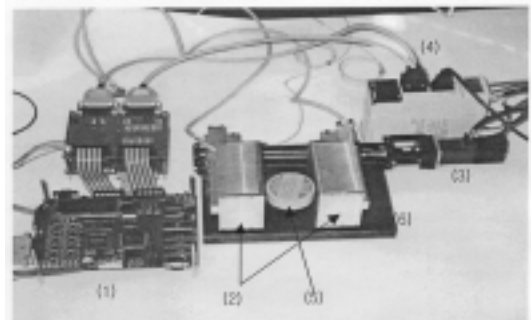
**Table 2** Interference errors in characteristic test

Sensor F/M	Rated strain ( $\mu m/m$ ) and Interference error (%)					
	Fx	Fy	Fz	Mx	My	Mz
Fx=50 N	-	-0.44	0.63	-0.05	-1.12	0.61
Fy=50 N	-0.77	-	-1.51	-2.12	-0.64	2.50
Fz=50 N	0.10	0.90	-	-0.46	1.84	0.74
Mx=5 Nm	-0.04	1.51	1.11	-	1.03	0.74
My=5 Nm	-0.70	-0.22	-0.48	1.76	-	1.73
Mz=5 Nm	-0.14	-2.45	2.20	-2.67	-2.79	-

(gripper controller), (gripper : 6-axis robot's finger force/moment sensor), (motor),



**Fig. 6** Fabricated 6-axis robot's finger sensor



**Fig. 7** Robot's gripper with 6-axis robot's finger force/moment sensor

(motor driver), (unknown object), (body) PI (PI force control) Kp 20 80 10 가 Ki 0.005, 0.2, 0.3, 0.5 가 0.05 s 가 Kp 가 50 가 0.4 s Kp 가 50 (4-b), (8-a), (8-b) 6 가 / (2-a), (2-b), (4-a), 6 가 /

Fig. 8 6 가 / PI 0.4 가 / 6 가 0.05 0.014 V, Ki 가 0.2 0.005 V, Ki 가 0.3 0.003 V, Ki 가 0.5 -0.016 V , Ki 가 0.05 ±0.010 V, Ki 가 0.2 ±0.006 V, Ki 가 0.3 ±0.005 V, Ki 가 0.5 ±0.005 V 가 Kp 가 50 Ki 가 0.2 가 6 가 /

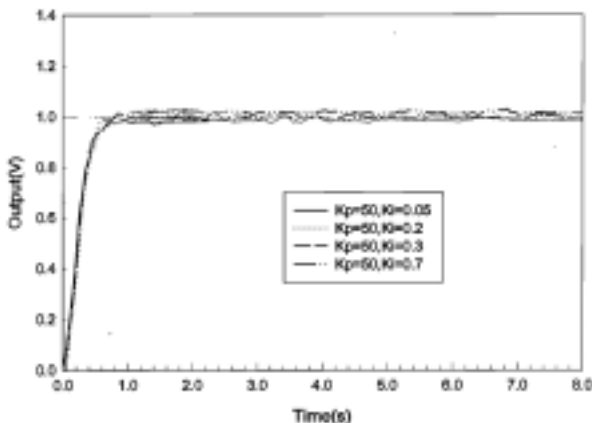


Fig. 8 Response of gripper with 6-axis robot's finger force/moment sensor

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Fx, Fy, Fz Mx, My, Mz

6 가 / 6 가 / 가 6.0 % , 6 가 2.79 % , 6 가 / 가 (2-a), (2-b), (4-a), 6 가 / (4-b), (8-a), (8-b) 6 가 /

6 가 / 가 6 s , Ki 가 0.05 0.014 V, Ki 가 0.2 0.005 V, Ki 가 0.3 0.003 V, Ki 가 0.5 -0.016 V , Ki 가 0.05 ±0.010 V, Ki 가 0.2 ±0.006 V, Ki 가 0.3 ±0.005 V, Ki 가 0.5 ±0.005 V 가 Kp 가 50 Ki 가 0.2 가 6 가 /

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