

## Precision Metrology 19-Volumetric error calculation

:To build up the volumetric error, based on the geometric error components, and to propagate the geometric errors into the full 3D volume of 3 axis machine

Translational Errors;

positional, horizontal and vertical straightness errors

$\delta x(x), \delta y(x), \delta z(x);$

$\delta y(y), \delta x(y), \delta z(y);$

$\delta z(z), \delta x(z), \delta y(z);$

Rotational Errors; Roll, Pitch, Yaw

$E_x(x), E_y(x), E_z(x);$

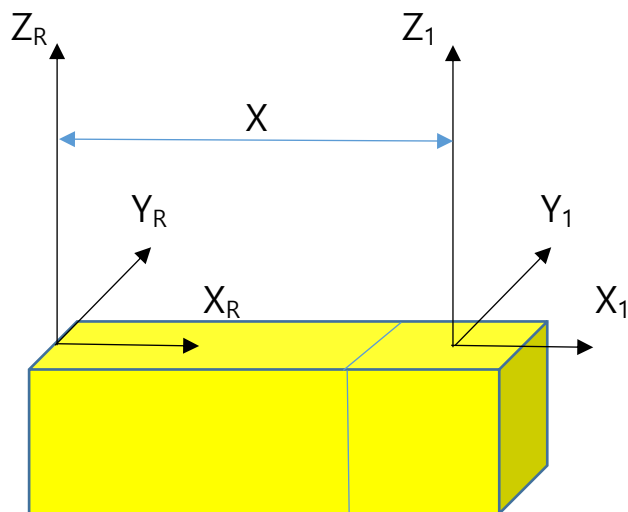
$E_y(y), E_x(y), E_z(y);$

$E_z(z), E_x(z), E_y(z);$

Squareness Errors;

$\alpha$  ; XY plane

$\beta_1$  ; YZ plane,  $\beta_2$  ; XZ plane

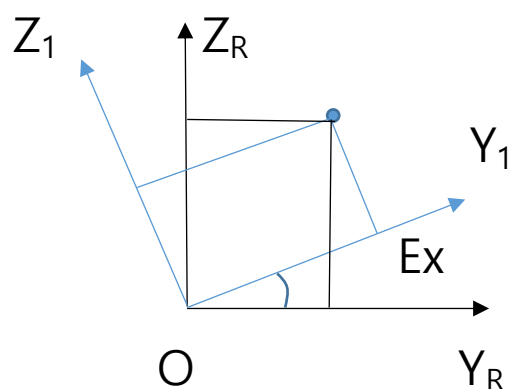


$[O_R X_R Y_R Z_R]$ : Reference Coordinate System

$[O_1 X_1 Y_1 Z_1]$ : Moving Coordinate System fixed on X-Slide

Two coordinates are initially aligned as the same.

Roll Motion of Slide,  $E_x$



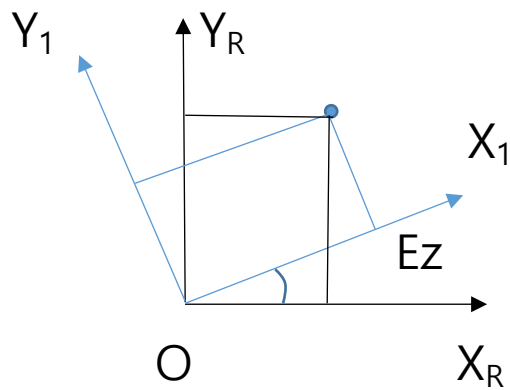
$$Y_R = Y_1 \cos E_x - Z_1 \sin E_x \approx Y_1 - Z_1 E_x ; \text{ if } E_x \ll 1$$

$$Z_R = Y_1 \sin E_x + Z_1 \cos E_x \approx Y_1 E_x + Z_1 ; \text{ if } E_x \ll 1$$

In 3D Transformation matrix form,  $\mathbf{X}_R = \mathbf{T}_R \mathbf{X}_1$ ; that is

$$\begin{bmatrix} X_R \\ Y_R \\ Z_R \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -Ez \\ 0 & Ez & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} X_1 \\ Y_1 \\ Z_1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Yaw motion of Slide, Ez



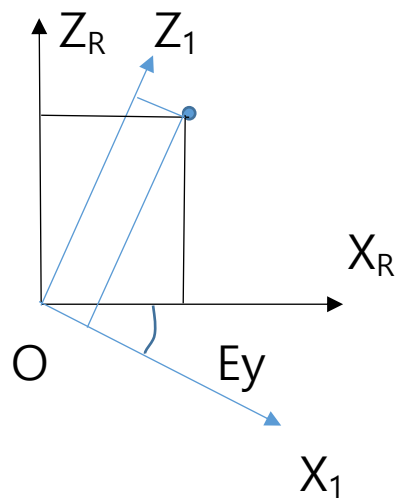
$$X_R = X_1 \cos Ez - Y_1 \sin Ez \cong X_1 - Y_1 Ez ; \text{ if } Ez \ll 1$$

$$Y_R = X_1 \sin Ez + Y_1 \cos Ez \cong X_1 Ez + Y_1 ; \text{ if } Ez \ll 1$$

In 3D Transformation matrix form,  $\mathbf{X}_R = \mathbf{T}_Y \mathbf{X}_1$ ; that is

$$\begin{bmatrix} X_R \\ Y_R \\ Z_R \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -Ez & 0 \\ Ez & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} X_1 \\ Y_1 \\ Z_1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Pitch motion of Slide,  $Ey$



$$X_R = X_1 \cos Ey + Z_1 \sin Ey \approx X_1 + Z_1 Ey ; \text{ if } Ey \ll 1$$

$$Z_R = -X_1 \sin Ey + Z_1 \cos Ey \approx -X_1 Ey + Z_1 ; \text{ if } Ey \ll 1$$

In 3D Transformation matrix form,  $\mathbf{X}_R = \mathbf{T}_p \mathbf{X}_1$ ; that is

$$\begin{bmatrix} X_R \\ Y_R \\ Z_R \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & Ey \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -Ey & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} X_1 \\ Y_1 \\ Z_1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Combining all angular motions by multiplying the 3 matrices to give the transformation matrix for rotational motion of X-slide,  $\mathbf{T}_x$ ; where the order of multiplication is arbitrary due to the asymmetric matrices.

$$\mathbf{T}_x = \mathbf{T}_R \mathbf{T}_Y \mathbf{T}_P$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -Ex \\ 0 & Ex & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -Ez & 0 \\ Ez & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & Ey \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -Ey & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -Ez(x) & Ey(x) \\ Ez(x) & 1 & -Ex(x) \\ -Ey(x) & Ex(x) & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

And, it is an asymmetric matrix, too.

Now for translating motion of X slide is introduced;

Translation in X direction= $X+\delta x(x)$

; nominal position +positional error

Translation in Y direction= $\delta y(x)-\alpha X$

;Y straightness error of X axis + squareness error

Translation in Z direction= $\delta z(x)$

;Z straightness error of X axis

Thus, the translating motion of X-slide is expressed as the column vector,  $\mathbf{L}_x$ , that is,

$$\mathbf{L}_x = \begin{bmatrix} X + \delta x(x) \\ \delta y(x) - \alpha X \\ \delta z(x) \end{bmatrix}$$

Thus a point  $P(X_1, Y_1, Z_1)$  on the X slide can be expressed in the reference coordinate system  $[X_R, Y_R, Z_R]$ ;

In the 3D transformation matrix,

$\mathbf{X}_R = \mathbf{T}_x \mathbf{X}_1 + \mathbf{L}_x$  ; eq(1) and that is,

$$\begin{bmatrix} X_R \\ Y_R \\ Z_R \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -Ez & Ey \\ Ez & 1 & -Ex \\ -Ey & Ex & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} X_1 \\ Y_1 \\ Z_1 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} X + \delta x(x) \\ \delta y(x) - \alpha X \\ \delta z(x) \end{bmatrix}$$

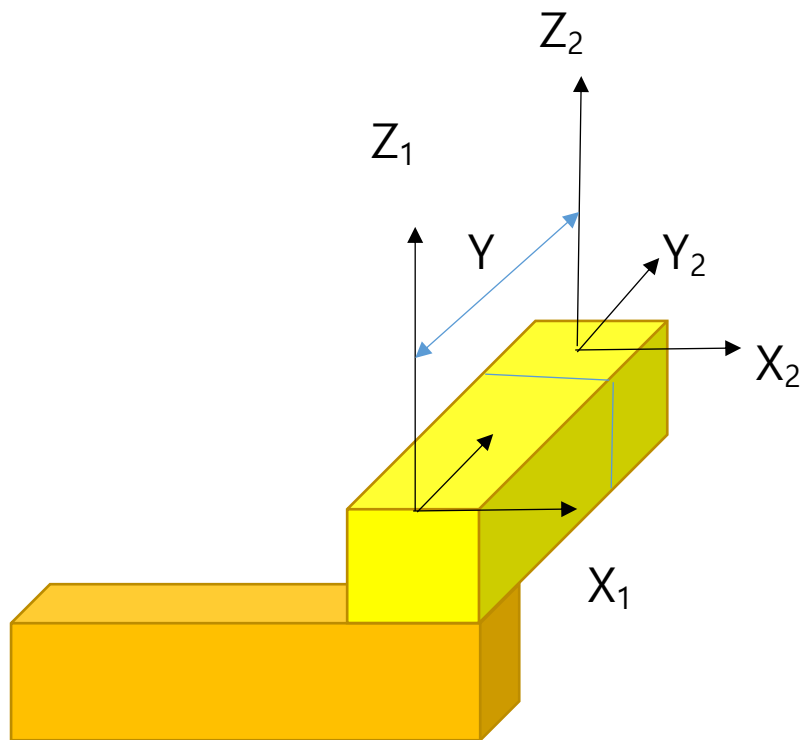
That is,

$$X_R = X + \delta x(x) + X_1 - Y_1 Ez(x) + Z_1 Ey(x)$$

$$Y_R = \delta y(x) - \alpha X + X_1 Ez(x) + Y_1 - Z_1 Ex(x)$$

$$Z_R = \delta z(x) - X_1 Ey(x) + Y_1 Ex(x) + Z_1$$

Now, introduce the Y-slide motion on the top of the X-slide;



$[O_1X_1Y_1Z_1]$ : Moving Coordinates fixed on X slide

$[O_2X_2Y_2Z_2]$ : Moving Coordinates fixed on Y slide

Two coordinates are initially aligned as the same.

Angular motion of the Y slide is similarly expressed as the transformation matrix,  $\mathbf{T}_y$ , that is

$$\mathbf{T}_y = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -Ez(y) & Ey(y) \\ Ez(y) & 1 & -Ex(y) \\ -Ey(y) & Ex(y) & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$



For translating motion of Y slide,

Translation in X direction= $\delta x(y)$

; X straightness error of Y axis

Translation in Y direction= $Y + \delta y(y)$

; nominal position +positional error

Translation in Z direction= $\delta z(y)$

; Z straightness error of Y axis

Thus the translating motion of Y slide can be expressed as the column vector,  $\mathbf{L}_y$ ; that is

$$\mathbf{L}_y = \begin{bmatrix} \delta x(y) \\ Y + \delta y(y) \\ \delta z(y) \end{bmatrix}$$

Thus a point  $P(X_2, Y_2, Z_2)$  on the X slide can be expressed in the  $[X_1, Y_1, Z_1]$  coordinate system;

$$\mathbf{X}_1 = \mathbf{T}_y \mathbf{X}_2 + \mathbf{L}_y ; \text{ eq(2)}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} X_1 \\ Y_1 \\ Z_1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -Ez & Ey \\ Ez & 1 & -Ex \\ -Ey & Ex & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} X_2 \\ Y_2 \\ Z_2 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} \delta x(y) \\ Y + \delta y(y) \\ \delta z(y) \end{bmatrix}$$

That is,

$$X_1 = \delta x(y) + X_2 - Y_2 Ez(y) + Z_2 Ey(y)$$

$$Y_1 = Y + \delta y(x) + X_2 Ez(y) + Y_2 - Z_2 Ex(z)$$

$$Z_1 = \delta z(y) - X_2 Ey(y) + Y_2 Ex(y) + Z_2$$

Applying eq(2) to eq(1), the point  $P(X_2, Y_2, Z_2)$  can be expressed in the reference  $[X_R Y_R Z_R]$  coordinate system.

Thus,  $\mathbf{X}_R = \mathbf{T}_x \{ \mathbf{T}_y \mathbf{X}_2 + \mathbf{L}_y \} + \mathbf{L}_x$ , that is, ignoring terms over 2<sup>nd</sup> order;

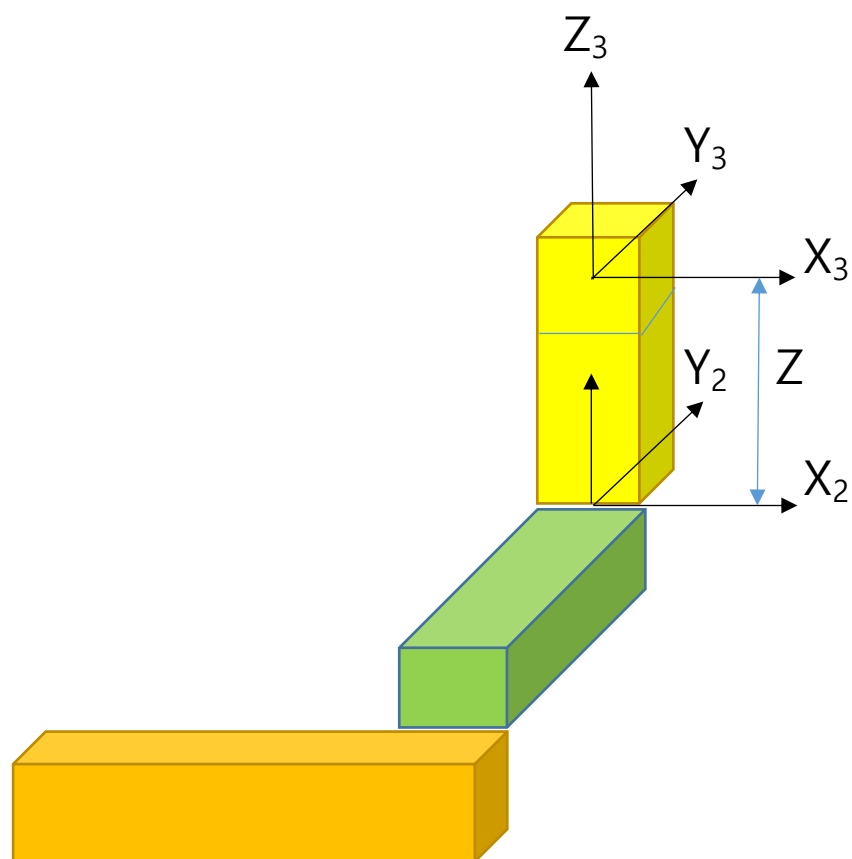
$$\begin{bmatrix} X_R \\ Y_R \\ Z_R \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -Ez & Ey \\ Ez & 1 & -Ex \\ -Ey & Ex & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \delta x(y) + X_2 - Y_2 Ez(y) + Z_2 Ey(y) \\ Y + \delta y(y) + X_2 Ez(y) + Y_2 - Z_2 Ex(y) \\ \delta z(y) - X_2 Ey(y) + Y_2 Ex(y) + Z_2 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} X + \delta x(x) \\ \delta y(x) - \alpha X \\ \delta z(x) \end{bmatrix}$$

$$X_R = X + \delta x(x) + \delta x(y) + X_2 - Y_2 E_z(y) + Z_2 E_y(y) - (Y + Y_2) E_z(x) + Z_2 E_y(x)$$

$$Y_R = Y + \delta y(y) + \delta y(x) - \alpha X + X_2 E_z(y) + Y_2 - Z_2 E_x(y) + X_2 E_z(x) - Z_2 E_x(x)$$

$$Z_R = \delta z(x) + \delta z(y) - X_2 E_y(y) + Y_2 E_x(y) + Z_2 - X_2 E_y(x) + (Y + Y_2) E_x(x)$$

Now Z slide motion is introduced of the top of the Y slide



$[O_2 X_2 Y_2 Z_2]$ : Moving Coordinates fixed on the Y slide

$[O_3 X_3 Y_3 Z_3]$ : Moving coordinate fixed on the Z slide

Two coordinates are initially aligned as the same.

The angular motion of Z slide can be expressed as the rotational matrix,  $\mathbf{T}_z$ ;

$$\mathbf{T}_z = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -E_z(z) & E_y(z) \\ E_z(z) & 1 & -E_x(z) \\ -E_y(z) & E_x(z) & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

For translating motion of Z slide,

Translation in X direction =  $\delta x(z) - \beta_1 Z$

; X straightness error of X axis + XZ squareness error

Translation in Y direction =  $\delta y(z) - \beta_2 Z$

; Y straightness error + YZ squareness error

Translation in Z direction =  $Z + \delta z(z)$

; nominal position + positional error

Thus the translating motion of Z slide can be expressed as the column vector,  $\mathbf{L}_z$ ; that is

$$\mathbf{Lz} = \begin{bmatrix} \delta x(z) - \beta_1 Z \\ \delta y(z) - \beta_2 Z \\ Z + \delta z(y) \end{bmatrix}$$

Thus a point  $P(X_3, Y_3, Z_3)$  on the X slide can be expressed in the  $[X_2, Y_2, Z_2]$  coordinate system;

$$\mathbf{X}_2 = \mathbf{TzX}_3 + \mathbf{Lz} ; \text{ eq(3)}$$

Kinematic Chain: Sequence of slide motion from reference coordinates to the workpiece coordinates; in this case Reference  $\rightarrow$  X slide  $\rightarrow$  Y slide  $\rightarrow$  Z slide.

Applying eq(3), eq(2) to eq(1);

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{X}_R &= \mathbf{T}_X \mathbf{X}_1 + \mathbf{L}_X = \mathbf{T}_X \{ \mathbf{T}_Y \mathbf{X}_2 + \mathbf{L}_Y \} + \mathbf{L}_X \\ &= \mathbf{T}_X [ \mathbf{T}_Y \{ \mathbf{T}_Z \mathbf{X}_3 + \mathbf{L}_Z \} + \mathbf{L}_Y ] + \mathbf{L}_X ; \text{ eq(4)} \end{aligned}$$

This is the total relationship between the coordinates according to the kinematic chain.

When  $\mathbf{X}_p(X_p, Y_p, Z_p)$  is the coordinates of probe in the

$\mathbf{X}_3$  coordinate system; eq(4) becomes

$$\mathbf{X}_R = \mathbf{T}_X [\mathbf{T}_Y \{ \mathbf{T}_z \mathbf{X}_p + \mathbf{L}_z \} + \mathbf{L}_y] + \mathbf{L}_x; \text{ eq(5)}$$

$$\mathbf{T}_z \mathbf{X}_p + \mathbf{L}_z =$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -E_z(z) & E_y(z) \\ E_z(z) & 1 & -E_x(z) \\ -E_y(z) & E_x(z) & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} X_p \\ Y_p \\ Z_p \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} \delta x(z) - \beta_1 Z \\ \delta y(z) - \beta_2 Z \\ Z + \delta z(z) \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} \delta x(z) - \beta_1 Z + X_p - Y_p E_z(z) + Z_p E_y(z) \\ \delta y(z) - \beta_2 Z + X_p E_z(z) + Y_p - Z_p E_x(z) \\ Z + \delta z(z) - X_p E_y(z) + Y_p E_x(z) + Z_p \end{bmatrix}$$

After ignoring terms over 2'nd order,

$$\mathbf{T}_y \{ \mathbf{T}_z \mathbf{X}_p + \mathbf{L}_z \} + \mathbf{L}_y =$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -E_z(y) & E_y(y) \\ E_z(y) & 1 & -E_x(y) \\ -E_y(y) & E_x(y) & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \delta x(z) - \beta_1 Z + X_p - Y_p E_z(z) + Z_p E_y(z) \\ \delta y(z) - \beta_2 Z + X_p E_z(z) + Y_p - Z_p E_x(z) \\ Z + \delta z(z) - X_p E_y(z) + Y_p E_x(z) + Z_p \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} \delta x(y) \\ Y + \delta y(y) \\ \delta z(y) \end{bmatrix} =$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \delta x(y) + \delta x(z) - \beta_1 Z + X_p - Y_p E_z(z) + Z_p E_y(z) - Y_p E_z(y) + (Z + Z_p) E_y(y) \\ Y + \delta y(y) + \delta y(z) - \beta_2 Z + X_p E_z(z) + Y_p - Z_p E_x(z) + X_p E_z(y) - (Z + Z_p) E_x(y) \\ Z + \delta z(y) + \delta z(z) - X_p E_y(z) + Y_p E_x(z) + Z_p - X_p E_y(y) + Y_p E_x(y) \end{bmatrix} = A$$

$$\mathbf{T}_x[\mathbf{T}_y\{\mathbf{T}_z\mathbf{X}_p + \mathbf{L}_z\} + \mathbf{L}_y] + \mathbf{L}_x =$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -E_z(x) & E_y(x) \\ E_z(x) & 1 & -E_x(x) \\ -E_y(x) & E_x(x) & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \\ \\ A \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} X + \delta x(x) \\ \delta y(x) - \alpha X \\ \delta z(x) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} X_a \\ Y_a \\ Z_a \end{bmatrix}$$

where  $X_a$ ,  $Y_a$ ,  $Z_a$  are the actual position of the probe in the reference or workpiece coordinate system. Thus

$$X_a = X + \delta x(x) + \delta x(y) + \delta x(z) - \beta_1 Z + X_p - Y_p E_z(z) + Z_p E_y(z) - Y_p E_z(y) + (Z + Z_p) E_y(y)$$

$$- E_z(x)(Y + Y_p) + E_y(x)(Z + Z_p)$$

$$= X + X_p + \delta x(x) + \delta x(y) + \delta x(z) - \beta_1 Z + Z E_y(y) - Y E_z(x) + Z E_y(x)$$

$$- Y_p (E_z(x) + E_z(y) + E_z(z)) + Z_p (E_y(x) + E_y(y) + E_y(z))$$

$$Y_a = Y + \delta y(y) + \delta y(z) + \delta y(x) - \alpha X - \beta_2 Z + X_p E_z(z) + Y_p - Z_p E_x(z) + X_p E_z(y) -$$

$$(Z + Z_p) E_x(y) + E_z(x) X_p - E_x(x)(Z + Z_p)$$

$$= Y + Y_p + \delta y(y) + \delta y(x) + \delta y(z) - \alpha X - \beta_2 Z + Z E_x(y) - Z E_x(x)$$

$$+X_p(E_z(x)+E_z(y)+E_z(z))-Z_p(E_x(x)+E_x(y)+E_x(z))$$

$$Z_a=Z+\delta z(y)+\delta z(x)+\delta z(z)-X_p E_y(z)+Y_p E_x(z)+Z_p-X_p E_y(y)+Y_p E_x(y)$$

$$-E_y(x)X_p+E_x(x)(Y+Y_p)$$

$$=Z+Z_p+\delta z(z)+\delta z(x)+\delta z(y)+Y E_x(x)$$

$$-X_p(E_y(x)+E_y(y)+E_y(z))+Y_p(E_x(x)+E_x(y)+E_x(z))$$

The volumetric error  $\Delta X, \Delta Y, \Delta Z$  are the actual position minus the nominal position;

$$\Delta X=X_a-(X+X_p)=\delta x(x)+\delta x(y)+\delta x(z)-\beta_1 Z+Z E_y(y)-Y E_z(x)+Z E_y(x)$$

$$-Y_p(E_z(x)+E_z(y)+E_z(z))+Z_p(E_y(x)+E_y(y)+E_y(z))$$

$$\Delta Y=Y_a-(Y+Y_p)=\delta y(y)+\delta y(x)+\delta y(z)-\alpha X-\beta_2 Z-Z E_x(y)-Z E_x(x)$$

$$+X_p(E_z(x)+E_z(y)+E_z(z))-Z_p(E_x(x)+E_x(y)+E_x(z))$$

$$\Delta Z=Z_a-(Z+Z_p)=\delta z(z)+\delta z(x)+\delta z(y)+Y E_x(x)$$

$$-X_p(E_y(x)+E_y(y)+E_y(z))+Y_p(E_x(x)+E_x(y)+E_x(z))$$

This is the 3D volumetric error equations or volumetric error map, considering all the geometric error components for the 3 axis machines for the current configuration of machine. Note that the 3D volumetric error equations are changed if the kinematic chains are changed.