

Wheelchair Climbing Construction for Industrial Logistical Applications

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Motivation and Introduction:

- Human and Machines Interaction↑
- Stair Climbing not well solved in Society & Industry
- Logistics↑

Method and Goal:

- Investigate Systemic Novelities of Stair Climbing Wheelchair Patent 'Malteserrollstuhl' (Malteser-wheelchair)

Wheelchair Climbing Construction

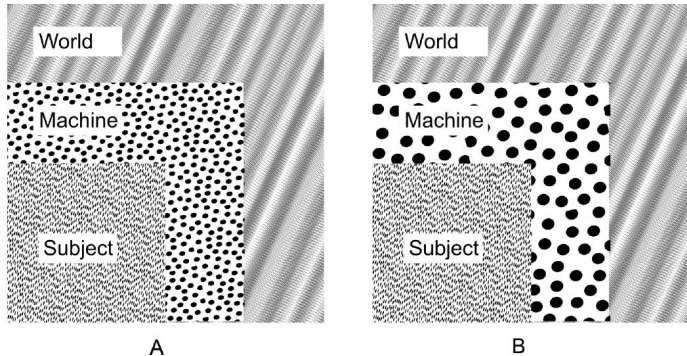


Figure 1: The all-around point of view (AAVP) with views A and B. The world is transparent for a subject using a machine, means, application.

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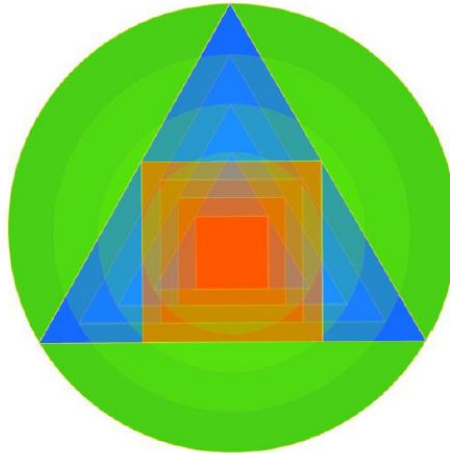


Figure 2: Transparent orgiton model → order structures are visible.

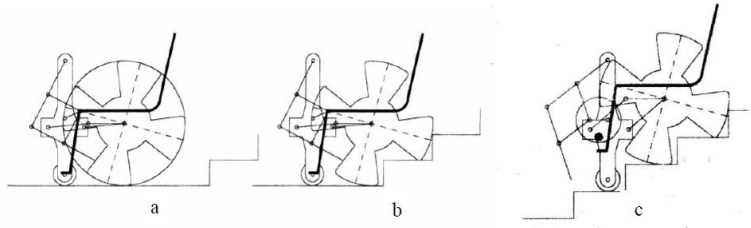


Figure 3: Malteserrollstuhl in its first version according to [10]. In (a) the unfolded Malteserrad (Maltese-wheel) for the use in the plane is shown. In (b, c) the Malteserrollstuhl is climbing on the stair.

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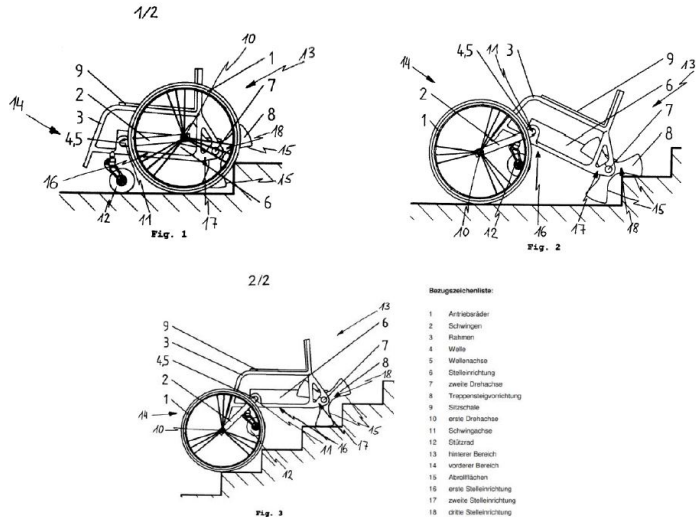


Figure 4: Malserrollstuhl in its second version according to [HF20]

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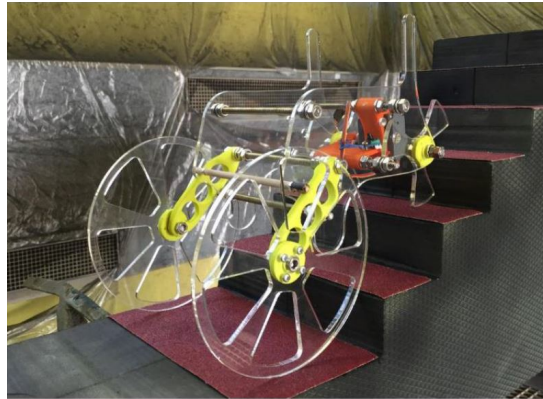


Figure 5: Malteserrollstuhl built as a model in the scaling 1:4 [Fro16]

Properties: * Purely mechanical possible * Self-empowering
* Dynamic stable stair gear (low mass centre)

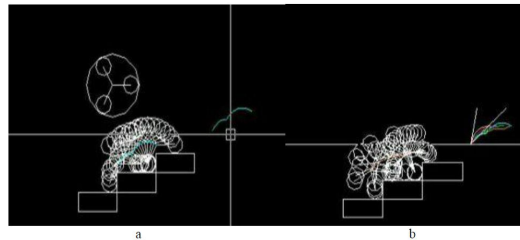


Figure 6: Trajectories of transposition of Malteser-wheel centers of mass: a – for the wheel-chair with three “Malteser-wheels” block (three teeth), b – for the wheel-chair with five “Malteser-wheels” block (five teeth) [AT19]

Logistic Transport Orgiton (TO) Model I

Transport Orgiton (**TO**) $\leftrightarrow$ general elementary transport system

- 1.) $TO \rightarrow$ machine M moving in World (W)
- 2.) M is a border relative to a subject S in AAVP*
- 3.) S is connected to M in a fixed way
- 4.) Redundant & multiple-type inter-, intra-, and trans-border-**connections** ($\leftrightarrow$) **osmotic** (person or subject & machine) and **conficient** (cooperative and efficient) TO-properties $\uparrow$

* AAVP $\leftrightarrow$ All Around View Point

Industrial Applications I

Stair Climbing as part of Transport Tasks:

- Heavy Cargo through vertical borders
- Military applications (Exoskeletons)
- Construction Industry (Exoskeletons)
- Logistics Industry (Multiple devices, Multiple Borders near to human e.g. delivery), AGV (Automatic Guided Vehicles)
- Human Robot Interaction (Ageing Society)
- Driverless Cars
- Combinatorial Applications: Air/Water/Earth (e.g. Drone Interaction Devices)
- Rescue and Remote Operations

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Limits:

- TO: **M**achine is **B**order between **W**orld and **S**ubject

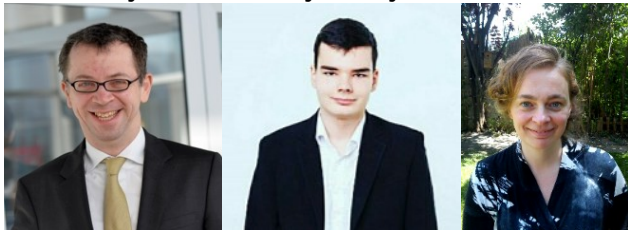
Conclusion:

- TO: Stability by Redundancy
- Border++ Connections ($\leftrightarrow$) $\uparrow$
- Industrial & Societal Applications $\uparrow$

Outlook:

- Further Development of Wheelchair Climbing Mechanisms:
Robots, electro-mechanically controlled movement $\rightarrow$
 - power $\uparrow$
 - velocity $\uparrow$
 - safety $\uparrow$
 - autonomy $\uparrow$
 - interaction $\uparrow$
 - degree of freedom $\uparrow$

Thank you cordially for your attention!



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