

PROJECT REPORT

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Problem-1:

- In the first question, we must implement the second order algorithm for the kinematic inversion with Jacobian inverse along the given trajectory using Matlab and Simulink.
- The desired output for the manipulator is already given in the kinematic trajectory file along with the question.
- The current or the actual output of the manipulator is found using the formula which is shown below.

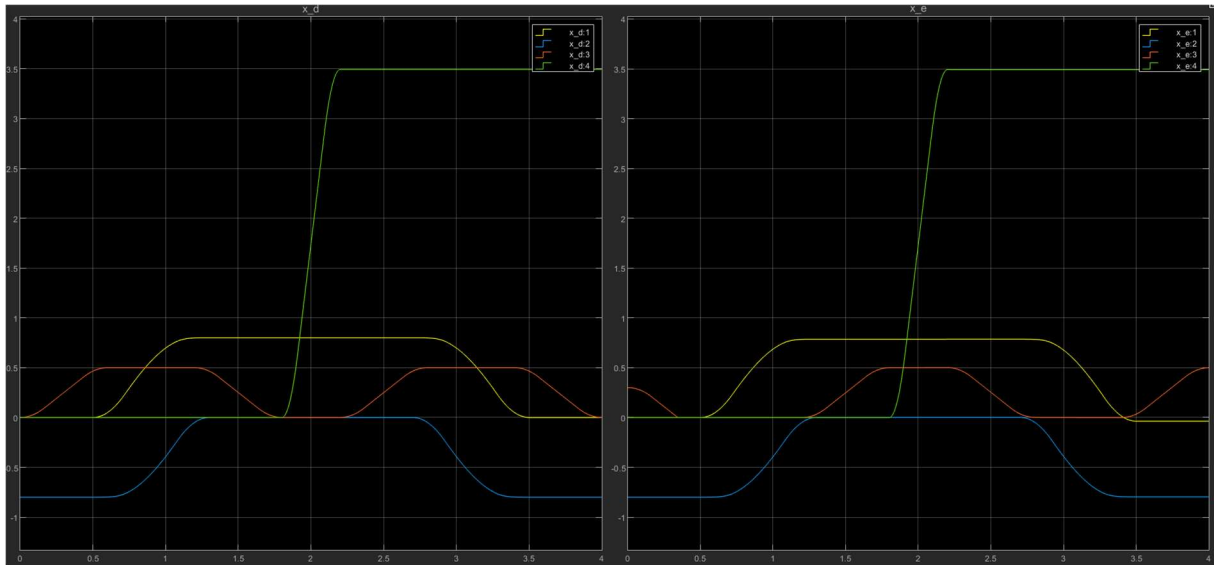
$$\ddot{\mathbf{q}} = \mathbf{J}_A^{-1}(\mathbf{q}) \left(\ddot{\mathbf{x}}_d + \mathbf{K}_D \dot{\mathbf{e}} + \mathbf{K}_P \mathbf{e} - \dot{\mathbf{J}}_A(\mathbf{q}, \dot{\mathbf{q}}) \dot{\mathbf{q}} \right)$$

- The above formula is a second order algorithm using Jacobian inverse.

Where,

- $\mathbf{q_dot_dot}$ - is the acceleration of joint.
 - $\mathbf{q_dot}$ – is the velocity of the joint.
 - \mathbf{q} - is the joint variable.
 - \mathbf{Kd} - is the gain value for the error in the velocities of the joints.
 - $\mathbf{e_dot}$ – is the error in the joint velocities of the desired output to the actual output.
 - \mathbf{Kp} - is the gain value for the error in the positions of the joints.
 - \mathbf{e} – is the error in the joint positions of the desired output to the actual output.
 - $\mathbf{Xd_dot_dot}$ – is the desired acceleration from the kinematic trajectory file.
- The $\mathbf{q_dot_dot}$ is found using the above equation and the $\mathbf{q_dot}$ and \mathbf{q} values are found by integrating the $\mathbf{q_dot_dot}$ value using Matlab and Simulink and then they are compared with the values from the kinematic trajectory file and finally they are plotted.

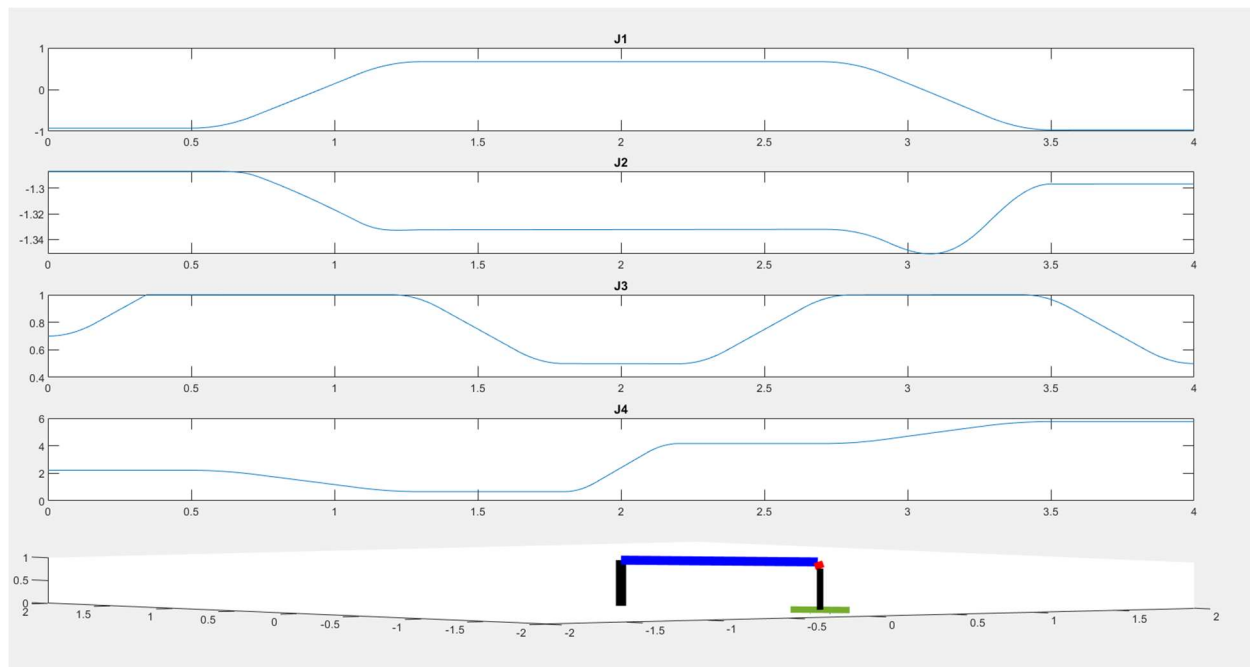
Desired Trajectory Vs Actual Trajectory:



Desired Trajectory

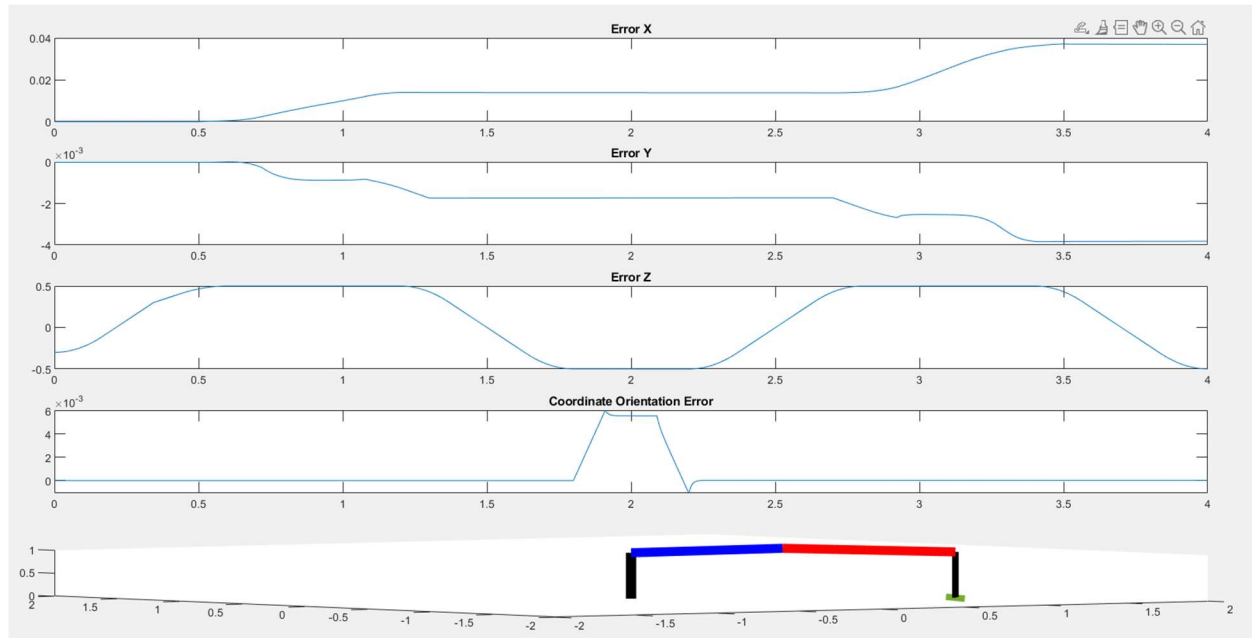
Actual Trajectory

Joint Values Plots:



The above graph depicts the orientation and the position of the end effector of the manipulator.

Error Values Plot:



The above graph depicts the error value, that is the difference between the actual output and the desired output.

Conclusion:

- The accuracy of the actual output that is expected from the manipulator is increased as we are using second order algorithms for calculating the values of q .

Problem-2:

- In the second question, we must relax one component in the operational space, and they have also mentioned to relax the z component in the operational space.
- We must implement the second order algorithm for kinematic inversion with Jacobian pseudo-inverse along the given trajectory using Matlab and Simulink.
- We should also maximize the end effector distance from the obstacle (the center of the obstacle is given) along the end effector path.
- The current or the actual output of the manipulator is found using the formula which is shown below in this case.

$$\ddot{\mathbf{q}} = \mathbf{J}_A^\dagger \left(\ddot{\mathbf{x}}_d + \mathbf{K}_D \dot{\mathbf{e}} + \mathbf{K}_P \mathbf{e} - \dot{\mathbf{J}}_A(\mathbf{q}, \dot{\mathbf{q}}) \dot{\mathbf{q}} \right) + \left(\mathbf{I}_n - \mathbf{J}_A^\dagger \mathbf{J}_A \right) \ddot{\mathbf{q}}_0$$

Where,

- \mathbf{I}_n – is an identity matrix
- The Jacobian pseudo inverse is found using the formula

$$\mathbf{J}^\dagger = \mathbf{J}^T (\mathbf{J} \mathbf{J}^T)^{-1}$$

The Jacobian pseudo inverse can also be found using the Matlab function `pinv` in Matlab.

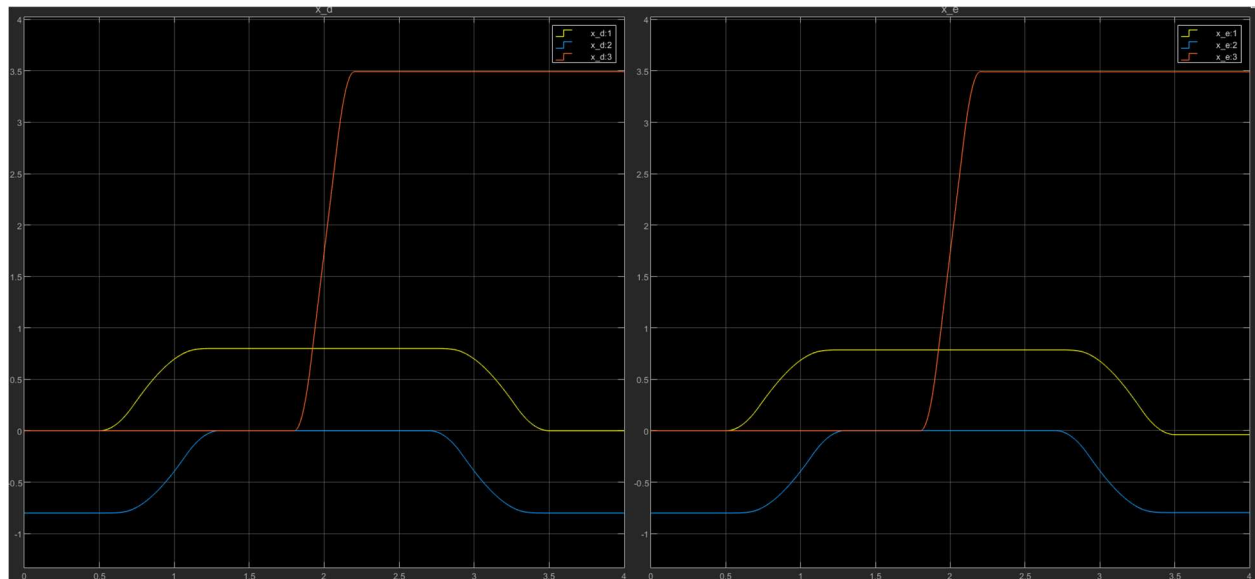
- The $\ddot{\mathbf{q}}_0$ is found using the following formulae,

$$w(\mathbf{q}) = \min_{\mathbf{p}, \mathbf{o}} \|\mathbf{p}(\mathbf{q}) - \mathbf{o}\|$$

$$\dot{\mathbf{q}}_a = k_a \left(\frac{\partial w(\mathbf{q})}{\partial \mathbf{q}} \right)^T$$

- k_a – is a gain factor.
- The \mathbf{q} value is found from the $\ddot{\mathbf{q}}_0$ and then the \mathbf{q} value is compared with the values from the kinematic trajectory file and finally they are plotted.

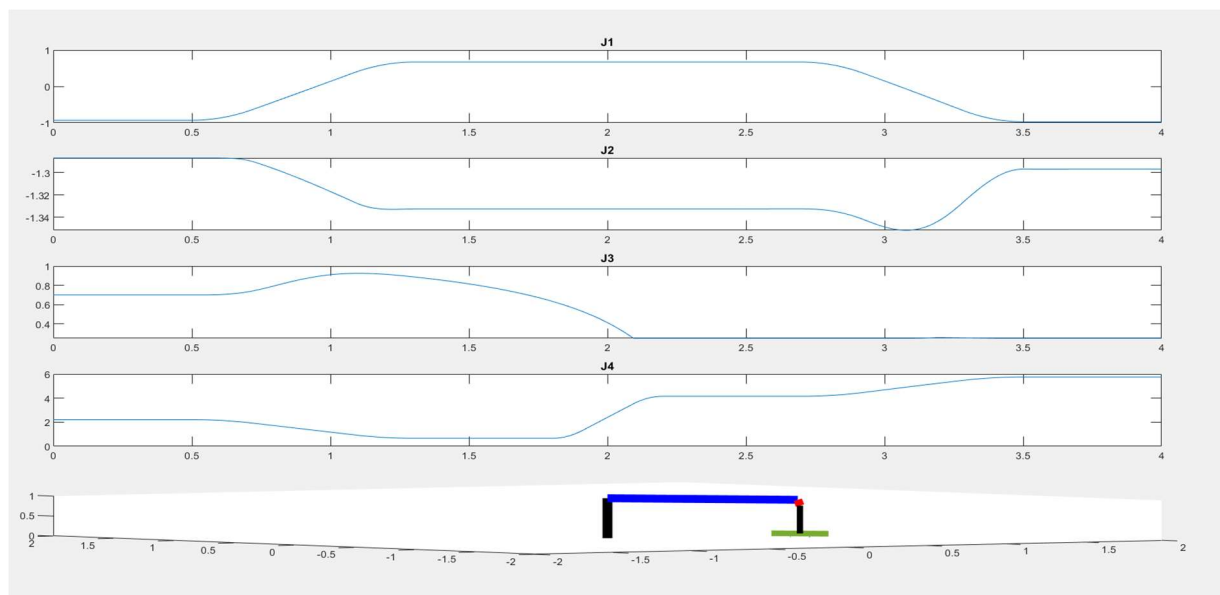
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Desired Trajectory

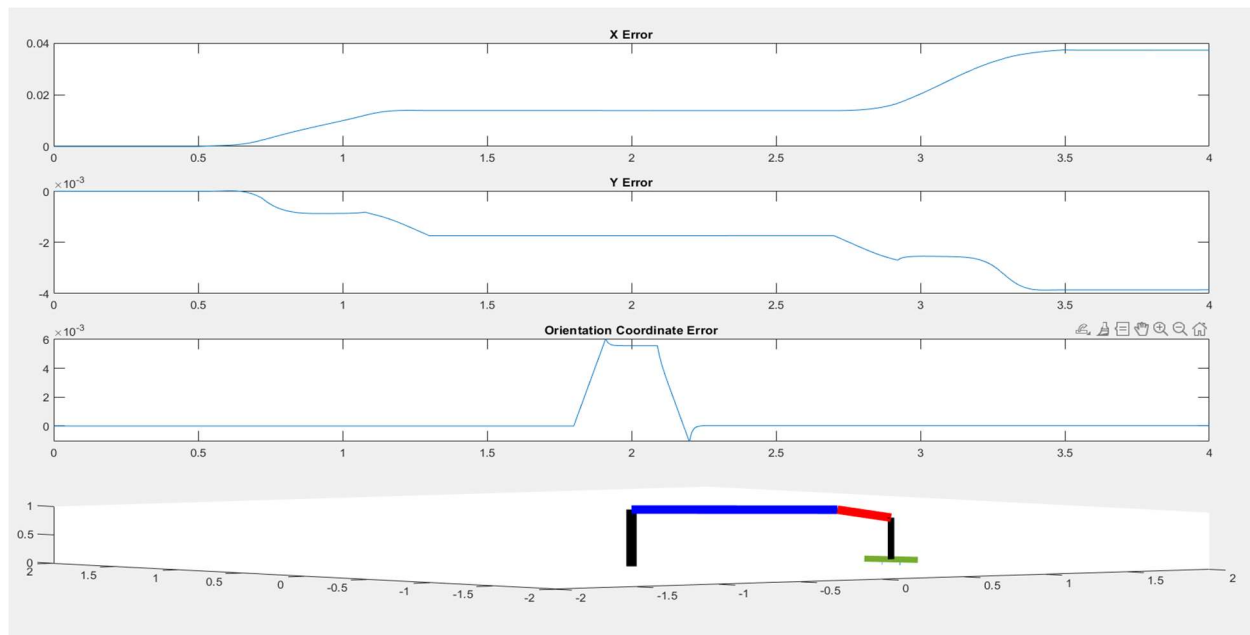
Actual Trajectory

Joint Values Plots:



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Error Values Plot:



The above graph depicts the error value, that is the difference between the actual output and the desired output.

Conclusion:

- The obstacle is avoided by the end effector of the manipulator by relaxing the z component of the manipulator in the operational space.

Reference:

- Chapter 3- B. Siciliano, L. Sciavicco, L. Villani, G. Oriolo, "Robotics: Modelling, Planning and Control", Springer