

Since I have already taken the midterm, I will only be completing the exercises related to the second part of the course (from differential kinematics onwards).

Exercise 4

Consider a trajectory planning problem for the 3R robot in Fig. 1. The robot should move from the start configuration $\mathbf{q}_s = (-\pi/4, \pi/4, \pi/4)$ [rad] to the goal configuration $\mathbf{q}_g = (0, 0, \pi/4)$ [rad] in a time $T = 2$ s, with continuity up to the acceleration over the whole interval $t \in [0, T]$. The initial joint velocity is chosen so that the end-effector velocity starts with $\dot{\mathbf{p}}(0) = (1, -1, 0)$ [m/s], while the final velocity should be zero. Provide the values of the coefficients of the *doubly normalized* joint trajectories satisfying all the given conditions. Sketch the plots of joint position, velocity and acceleration.

For $\dot{\mathbf{p}}(0)$ and $\dot{\mathbf{p}}(T)$ i need to find $\dot{\mathbf{q}}(0)$ and $\dot{\mathbf{q}}(T)$ by using the Jacobian matrix. From the DK i consider:

$$\mathbf{J} : \begin{pmatrix} -LS_1 - NS_{12}C_3 & -NS_{12}C_3 & -NC_{12}S_3 \\ NC_1 + NC_{12}C_3 & NC_{12}C_3 & -NS_{12}S_3 \\ 0 & 0 & NC_3 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{with } N = M = L = \frac{1}{2}$$

I consider $\mathbf{J}(\mathbf{q}_s) = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\tau_2}{4} & 0 & -\frac{\tau_2}{4} \\ \frac{\tau_2}{2} & \frac{\tau_2}{4} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{\tau_2}{4} \end{pmatrix}$ to realize $\dot{\mathbf{p}} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$ i consider:

$$\Rightarrow \dot{\mathbf{q}}(0) = \mathbf{J}^{-1}(\mathbf{q}_s) \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = (2.82, -8.48, 0)^T. \quad \text{to } \dot{\mathbf{p}} = \mathbf{0} \Rightarrow \dot{\mathbf{q}} = \mathbf{0} \quad (\text{at } t = T).$$

So: $\mathbf{q}(0) = \mathbf{q}_s \quad \mathbf{q}(T) = \mathbf{q}_g \quad \dot{\mathbf{q}}(0) = (2.82, -8.48, 0)^T \quad \dot{\mathbf{q}}(T) = \mathbf{0}$
i need a 3-degree polynomial.

$$q_i(t) = 2t^3 + bt^2 + ct + d, \quad t = \frac{b}{T} \quad t \in [0, T] \Rightarrow t \in [0, 1]$$

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} q_1(0) = d = -\frac{\pi}{4} \\ \dot{q}_1(0) = c = 2.82 \\ q_1(1) = 2 + b + c + d = 0 \\ \dot{q}_1(1) = 3a + 2b + c = 0 \end{array} \right. \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} a = 1.243 \\ b = -3.283 \\ c = 2.82 \\ d = -\frac{\pi}{4} \end{array} \right.$$

$$J(q_0) = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & -\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \\ \frac{2+\sqrt{2}}{4} & \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \end{pmatrix}$$