

80846 - Report - 4th

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Intruoduction

This report is the 4th report of the course 80846. In this report, I will show the results of the three controllers:

Computed torque controller, Desired task space trajectory controller, and Adaptive controller.

The first controller is the Computed torque controller, which is a simple controller that can track a desired torque trajectory.

Based on this controller, with an inverse kinematics block, we can design a desired task space trajectory controller.

Or replacing M matrix with \hat{M} , which is updating with an adptive law, we can design a adptive controller.

1 Computed torque controller

Problem Statement

According to the class, we are required to complete a controller that can track a torque function $q_d(t)$.

I use the *sin* function with 0.5π shift on y .

1.1 Simulink Model

See the Figure 1.

1.2 Formulas and Source Codes

This part includes the formulas and source codes for the controller with the Jacobian matrix and forward kinematics blocks. This part includes the formulas and source codes for the inverse dynamics

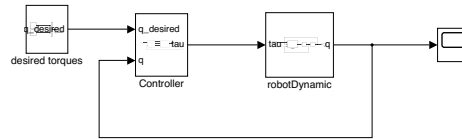


Figure 1: Simulink Model of the system for the Computed torque controller

Inverse Dynamics

According to the formula below, we need to calculate the τ_d

$$\tau = \tau_d + k_p(q_d - q) + k_v(\dot{q}_d - \dot{q}) \quad (1)$$

To calculate τ_d , I use inverse dynamics.

$$\tau_d = M\ddot{q}_d + V\dot{q}_d + G \quad (2)$$

Where M , V , G have been mentioned in the past lectures.

The source code is shown below:

```
I1 = 0.05;
m1 = 1.5;
lg1 = 0.2;
lr1 = lg1 / 2;

I2 = 0.01;
m2 = 0.5;
lg2 = 0.2;
lr2 = lg2 / 2;
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g = 9.8;

M = [m1 * lr1^2 + I1 + m2 * lg1^2, m2 * lg1 * lr2 * cos(q_desired(2));
      m2 * lg1 * lr2 * cos(q_desired(2)), m2 * lr2^2 + I2];

V = [-m2 * lg1 * lr2 * qd_desired(2)^2 * sin(q_desired(2));
      m2 * lg1 * lr2 * qd_desired(1)^2 * sin(q_desired(2))];

G = [m1 * g * lr1 * cos(q_desired(1)) + m2 * g * lg1 * cos(q_desired(1));
      m2 * g * lr2 * cos(q_desired(1) + q_desired(2))];

tau_d = M * qdd_desired + V + G;

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Controller

For the controller, there is just a little change.

The source code is shown below:

```

function tau = controller(error, derror, tau_d)

kp = [10, 0;
      0, 10];

kd = [1, 0;
      0, 1];

tau = kp * error + kd * derror + tau_d;

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1.3 Simulation Results

After some tuning of the gains, I got the following Figure 2.

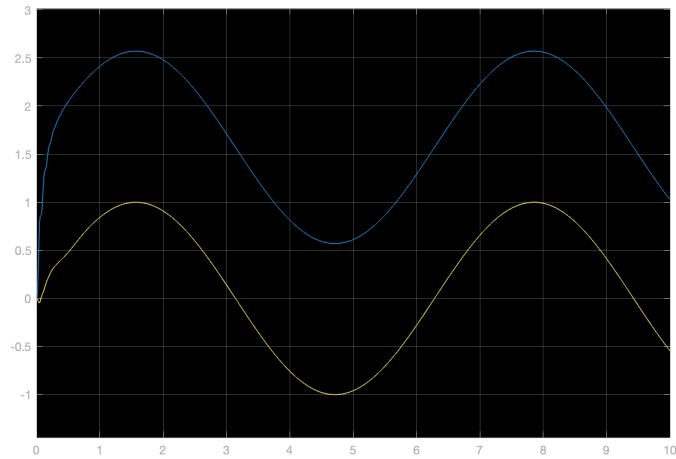


Figure 2: Result Plot, error disappeared after 1 second

2 Desired task space trajectory controller

Problem Statement

According to the class, we are required to complete a controller that can track a trajectory in task space.

I use $x = 0.2\sin(t)$, $y = 0.2\cos(t)$ as the desired trajectory.

To do this, I need to calculate inverse kinematics for the robot, instead of using the Jacobian matrix, I directly calculate the inverse kinematics for this simple case.

The model of the system is the same as the Computed torque controller, so I will not show it again.
But I will show subsystem of the inverse kinematics block.

2.1 Simulink Model

See the Figure 3 below.

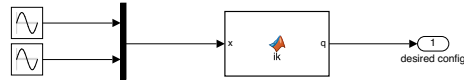


Figure 3: Simulink Model of the subsystem for the how to calculate the desired joint angles

2.2 Formulas and Source Codes

This part includes the formulas and source codes for the inverse kinematics block.

Inverse Kinematics

According to the formula below, we need to calculate the θ_2

$$\cos(\theta_2) = \frac{x^2 + y^2 - L_1^2 - L_2^2}{2L_1L_2} \quad (3)$$

$$\theta_2 = \arccos\left(\frac{x^2 + y^2 - L_1^2 - L_2^2}{2L_1L_2}\right) \quad (4)$$

To calculate the θ_1 , we can use the following formula:

$$k1 = L_1 + L_2 \cos(\theta_2) \quad (5)$$

$$k2 = L_2 \sin(\theta_2) \quad (6)$$

$$\theta_1 = \arctan 2(y, x) - \arctan 2(k2, k1) \quad (7)$$

The source code is shown below:

```
function q = ik(x)
L1 = 0.2;
L2 = 0.2;

d = sqrt(x(1)^2 + x(2)^2);

if d > (L1 + L2) || d < abs(L1 - L2)
    error('The point is not reachable. ');
end

cosTheta2 = (x(1)^2 + x(2)^2 - L1^2 - L2^2) / (2 * L1 * L2);
theta2 = acos(cosTheta2);

theta2_alt = -acos(cosTheta2);

% Compute the intermediate values for theta1 calculation
k1 = L1 + L2 * cos(theta2);
k2 = L2 * sin(theta2);

% Compute theta1
theta1 = atan2(x(2), x(1)) - atan2(k2, k1);

k1_alt = L1 + L2 * cos(theta2_alt);
k2_alt = L2 * sin(theta2_alt);

q = [0; 0];
% Return the primary solution by default
q(1) = theta1;
q(2) = theta2;
end
```

Controller

For the controller, there is no changes.

2.3 Simulation Results

After some tuning of the gains, I got the Figure 4.

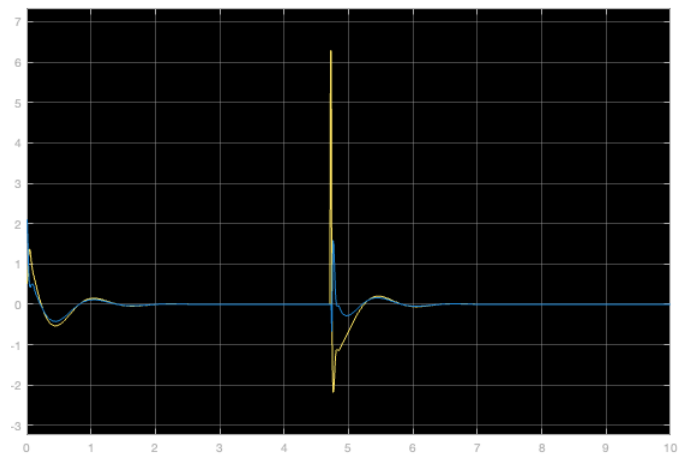


Figure 4: Result Plot, there is a shake in the middle

3 Adaptive controller

Problem Statement

We need to design a adaptive law block and use it to calculate the τ_d

3.1 Simulink Model

I only show the inverse Dynamics part of the model. See the Figure 5 below.

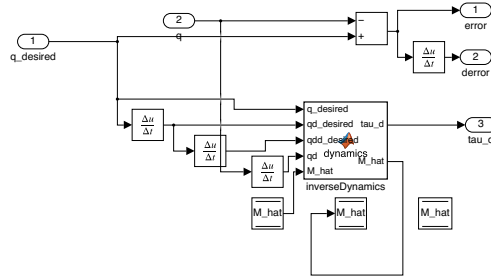


Figure 5: Simulink Model of the system for the Computed torque we needs

3.2 Formulas and Source Codes

This part includes the formulas and source codes for the adaptive law

Inverse Dynamics

$$\tau = \hat{M}(q)\ddot{q}_d + \hat{C}(q, \dot{q})\dot{q}_d + \hat{G}(q) \quad (8)$$

For simple the question, I only apply the adaptive law to \hat{M} , other parameters are still calculated by old formula.

The source code is shown below:


```

function [tau_d, M_hat] = dynamics(q_desired, qd_desired, qdd_desired, qd, M_hat)

I1 = 0.05;
m1 = 1.5;
lg1 = 0.2;
lr1 = lg1 / 2;

I2 = 0.01;
m2 = 0.5;
lg2 = 0.2;
lr2 = lg2 / 2;

gamma = 0.1;

g = 9.8;

M_hat = M_hat + gamma * (qdd_desired .* (qd_desired - qd));

V = [-m2 * lg1 * lr2 * qd_desired(2)^2 * sin(q_desired(2));
      m2 * lg1 * lr2 * qd_desired(1)^2 * sin(q_desired(2))];

G = [m1 * g * lr1 * cos(q_desired(1)) + m2 * g * lg1 * cos(q_desired(1));
      m2 * g * lr2 * cos(q_desired(1) + q_desired(2))];

tau_d = M_hat * qdd_desired + V + G;

end

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Controller

For the controller, there is no changes.

3.3 Simulation Results

After some tuning of the gains, I got the following Figure 6.

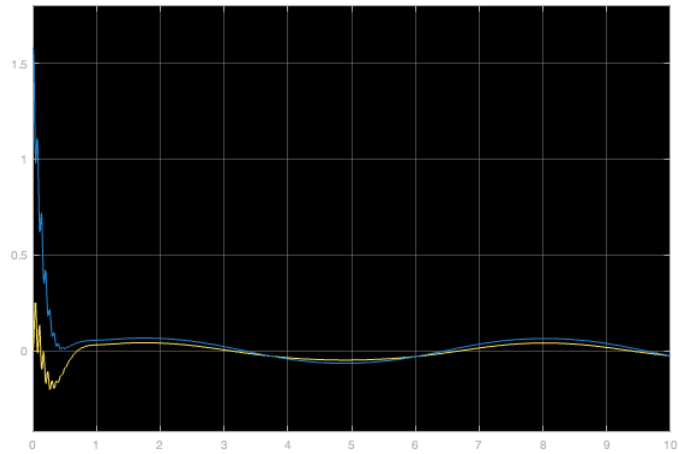


Figure 6: Result Plot, error still exists

4 Explanation

I will try to explain all problems I met and the result I got.

4.1 Computed torques controller

This part is the same with the part in the last report.

- Pros:
1. Easy to calculate and understand the process of controlling.
 2. Allow you fine-tuning the parameters to get better results.

- Cons: 1. Require robot model parameters, including all lengths and mass.
2. If the parameters are not right, easy to make the system not stable.

4.2 Desired task space controller

The main work of this part is a inverse kinematics block, I choose to directly calculate the angles.

There is a shake during controlling, I guess that's because the calculated angle has a big change, there always two results for calculation.

4.3 adaptive controller

I use the data store memory to store the \hat{M} , I need to keep it can be updated all the time.

I wonder if there is any other ways to achieve adaptive law.

The result is not very beautiful, I guess maybe relative to I only estimate the M .