TTK4135

Lab Report

Real-world application of optimal control methods

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Abstract

This is a report for the mandatory lab exercise in the course TTK4135 Optimization and Control held at NTNU the spring 2015. The purpose of this exercise is to get practical experience in formulating dynamic optimization problems, discretise them and solve them using a computer, as well as using these results to implement optimal controllers with and without feedback. The optimization problems that got solved were quadratic minimization problems, and the feedback was introduced using LQ controllers.

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1 Introduction

The intention of this lab assignment is to apply various optimisation-based control techniques to a physical model of a helicopter. The system with its hardware is described in detail in [?]. A mathematical model of the helicopter with pitch and elevation controllers is already made for us. Our objective is to find an optimal sequence of inputs that will steer the helicopter on the desired path. This will be done by formulating optimization problems, and solving them. We will solve them as discrete problems using MATLAB, which mean that we first have to discretise our system. We apply this input sequence to the system using Simulink/QuaRC. We then run the helicopter using the optimal input directly, and compare the behaviour to when we introduce feedback.

In this report we will be presenting our results in the same order that they were obtained, meaning we will have one section for each exercise in [?], where the relevant mathematics, code, plots, results, and so on will be added. The discussion will be done alongside this.

2 Repetition/introduction to Simulink/QuaRC (10.1)

The first problem was intended as repetition for those that have completed the helicopter lab in the course TTK4115 Linear System Theory, and an introduction to Simulink/QuaRC for everyone else. All members of our group have completed TTK4115, so we didn't use much time on this problem. We ran the Simulink/QuaRC-program, and observed that the pre-made controllers were behaving fine. We changed the setpoints in real-time, and immediately got satisfying responses from the helicopter.

'Smack my pitch up.'

The Prodigy (1997)

3 Optimal control of pitch/travel without feedback (10.2)

3.1 State space form (10.2.1)

We want to write the model (1) in continuous time state space form with states and input as shown in (2) below.

$$\dot{\mathbf{x}} = \boldsymbol{A}_c\mathbf{x} + \boldsymbol{B}_c u \tag{1}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{x} &= \begin{bmatrix} \lambda & r & p & \dot{p} \end{bmatrix}^{\mathrm{T}} \\ u &= p_c \end{aligned} \tag{2}$$

The equations of motion for the states are shown in (3) and the constants used are defined in (4). (These are derived in detail in [**?**], and will not be further explained here. The same applies for (20) in section 5.1.) A complete table of symbols and constants lies in the appendix.

$$\begin{aligned} \dot{\lambda} &= r \\ \dot{r} &= -K_a p \\ \dot{p} &= \dot{p} \\ \ddot{p} &= K_1 K_{pp}(p_c - p) - K_1 K_{pd}\dot{p} \end{aligned} \tag{3}$$

$$
\begin{aligned}
K_1 &= \frac{K_f l_n}{J_p} \\
K_2 &= \frac{K_p l_a}{J_t}
\end{aligned}
\tag{4}
$$

The above gives the result in (5).

$$
\dot{\mathbf{x}} = \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -K_2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & -K_1 K_{pp} & -K_1 K_{pd} \end{bmatrix}}_{\boldsymbol{A}_c} \mathbf{x} + \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ K_1 K_{pp} \end{bmatrix}}_{\boldsymbol{B}_c} u \tag{5}
$$

3.2 Model discussion (10.2.1)

The system states are travel, travel rate, pitch, and pitch rate. The output of our controller is the pitch setpoint to be used by the already implemented controller, which in turn calculates voltage inputs for the hardware. We are therefore not modelling the helicopter alone, but a larger system consistinf of the helicopter along with the given controller. This corresponds with figure 7 in the exercise text [?].

3.3 Discretisation (10.2.2)

We discretise the system by the Forward Euler Method. The general definition of the method and how it relates to our system is described by equations (6) and (7), respectively.

$$
y_{k+1} = y_k + h f(x_k, y_k) \tag{6}
$$

$$
f = (\boldsymbol{A}_c \mathbf{x}_k + \boldsymbol{B}_c u_k) \tag{7}
$$

Using (6) and (7), we can determine the matrices of the discrete system, as shown in (8), (9), and (10).

$$
\begin{aligned}
\mathbf{x}_{k+1} &= \mathbf{x}_k + (\boldsymbol{A}_c \mathbf{x}_k + \boldsymbol{B}_c u_k)\, h \\
&= \mathbf{x}_k + h\boldsymbol{A}_c \mathbf{x}_k + h\boldsymbol{B}_c u_k \\
&= (\mathbf{I} + h\boldsymbol{A}_c)\, \mathbf{x}_k + h\boldsymbol{B}_c u_k \\
&= \boldsymbol{A}\mathbf{x}_k + \boldsymbol{B} u_k
\end{aligned}
\tag{8}
$$

$$\boldsymbol{A} = \mathbf{I} + h\boldsymbol{A}_c = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & h & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -K_2 h & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & h \\ 0 & 0 & -K_1 K_{pp} h & 1 - K_1 K_{pd} h \end{bmatrix} \tag{9}$$

$$\boldsymbol{B} = h\boldsymbol{B}_c = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ K_1 K_{pp} h \end{bmatrix} \tag{10}$$

3.4 Discussion of the cost function (10.2.3)

The assignment text [?] specifies a cost function (11) that we want to minimise subject to the constraints given in (12).

$$\phi = \sum_{i=1}^{N} (\lambda_i - \lambda_f)^2 + q p_{ci}^2, \quad q \geq 0 \tag{11}$$

$$|p_k| \leq \frac{30\pi}{180}, \quad k \in \{1, ..., N\} \tag{12}$$

This cost function focuses on the error between λ_i and λ_f. It is a least-square (i.e. quadratic) function and can therefore be solved by quadratic programming methods. The second term of the cost function involves the pitch setpoint, which is weighed by a constant q.

3.5 Procedure for solving the optimization problem (10.2.3)

The intention is to calculate an optimal helicopter trajectory between $x_0 = \begin{bmatrix} \lambda_0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}^{\mathrm{T}}$ and $x_f = \begin{bmatrix} \lambda_f & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}^{\mathrm{T}}$, while assuming a constant elevation angle. In this case we use $\lambda_0 = \pi$ and $\lambda_f = 0$.

We first declare the constants given in Table 8.2, the $\boldsymbol{A}$ and $\boldsymbol{B}$ matrices given in (5), and x_0 given above. Then we implement the constraints in (12) using the following code:

```
% Bounds

ul      = -30*pi/180;         % Lower bound on control -- u1
uu      = 30*pi/180;          % Upper bound on control -- u1

xl      = -Inf*ones(mx,1);    % Lower bound on states (no bound)
xu      = Inf*ones(mx,1);     % Upper bound on states (no bound)
```

```
xl(3)    = ul;                  % Lower bound on state x3
xu(3)    = uu;                  % Upper bound on state x3

% Generate constraints on measurements and inputs

[vlb,vub]        = genBegr2(N,M,xl,xu,ul,uu);
vlb(N*mx+M*mu)   = 0;           % We want the last input to be zero
vub(N*mx+M*mu)   = 0;           % We want the last input to be zero
```

where genBegr2 was given on it's learning.

After that we find weight matrices for the QP problem and the matrices for the equality constrains:

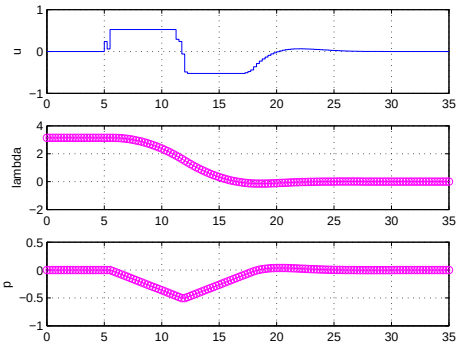
```
% Generate the matrix Q and the vector c (objecitve function
    ↪ weights in the QP problem)

Q1 = zeros(mx,mx);
Q1(1,1) = 1;                    % Weight on state x1
Q1(2,2) = 0;                    % Weight on state x2
Q1(3,3) = 0;                    % Weight on state x3
Q1(4,4) = 0;                    % Weight on state x4
P1 = q;                         % Weight on input
Q = 2*genq2(Q1,P1,N,M,mu);      % Generate Q
c = zeros(N*mx+M*mu,1);         % Generate c

% Generate system matrixes for linear model

Aeq = gena2(A1,B1,N,mx,mu);     % Generate A
beq = zeros(1, size(Aeq,1));    % Generate b
beq(1:mx) = A1*x0;              % Initial value
```

using genq2 and gena2 given on it's learning.

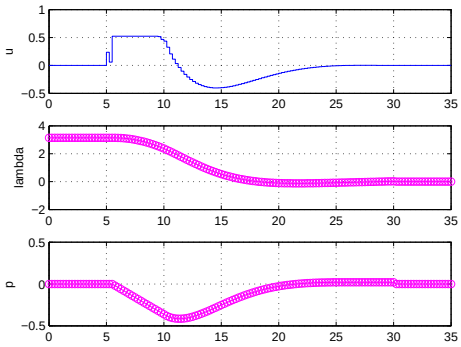
At last we solve the quadratic problem using the MATLAB command quadprog:

```
    [z,lambda] = quadprog(Q, c, [], [], Aeq, beq, vlb, vub, z0);
```

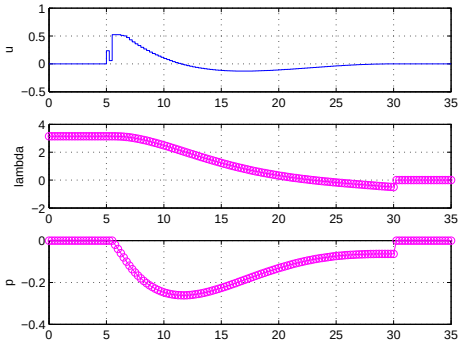
where $\boldsymbol{Z} = \begin{bmatrix}\mathbf{x}_1 & \mathbf{x}_2 & \dots & \mathbf{x}_N & u_1 & u_2 & \dots & u_N\end{bmatrix}^{\mathrm{T}}$. The full code is listed in the appendix. We extract the desired states and get the following plots, using three different values of q:



(a) Optimal path with $q = 0.1$



(b) Optimal path with $q = 1$



(c) Optimal path with $q = 10$

Figure 1: Optimal paths with different q

From the figures we see that a large q will downpress the pitch, resulting in slower travel. This makes sense. (11) tells us that q is the weight of the pitch rate. We want to minimise the entire expression, meaning if we increase the weight of p_c, p_c will decrease, to minimize the function.

3.6 Discussion of unwanted effects (10.2.3)

When $\lambda = \lambda_f$, the first part of the cost function will be 0. In this case, the QP algorithm will only attempt to minimise pitch. It achieves this by setting the pitch equal to zero, which may result in overshoot and oscillations.

3.7 Deviation and desired behaviour of helicopter (10.2.4)

Now we want to use the optimal input found in section 3.5 as an input to our helicopter system. We do this using Simulink with QuaRC as seen in figure

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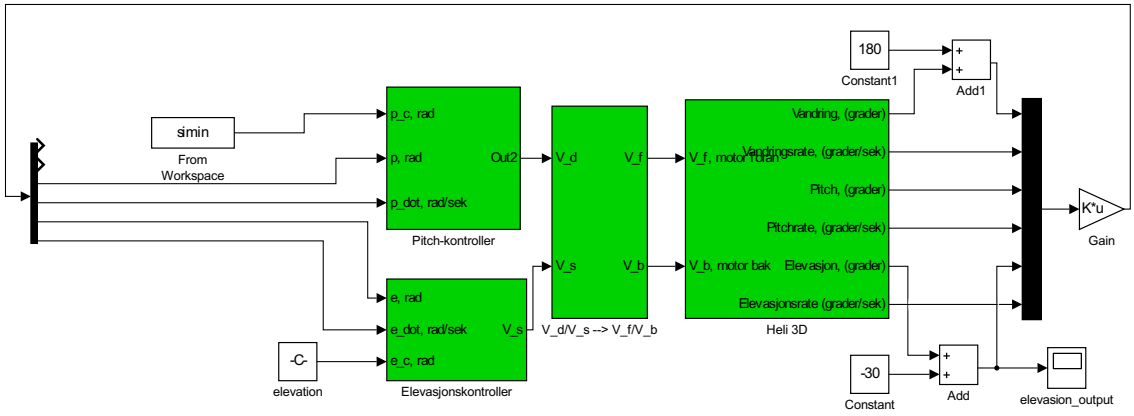

Figure 2: Simulink model of the system

The helicopter does not stop at the desired end point, as the QP algorithm overcompensates for the time needed to brake, and the helicopter glides back in the opposite direction. This can be seen in the plots.

Note, however, that we discovered a fault related to the travel sensor causing it to not reset accumulated travel at start-up. As a consequence of this is we got a value of λ that is off by roughly 6000 degrees, but the general response of the system is still valid and is easily seen in the figures.

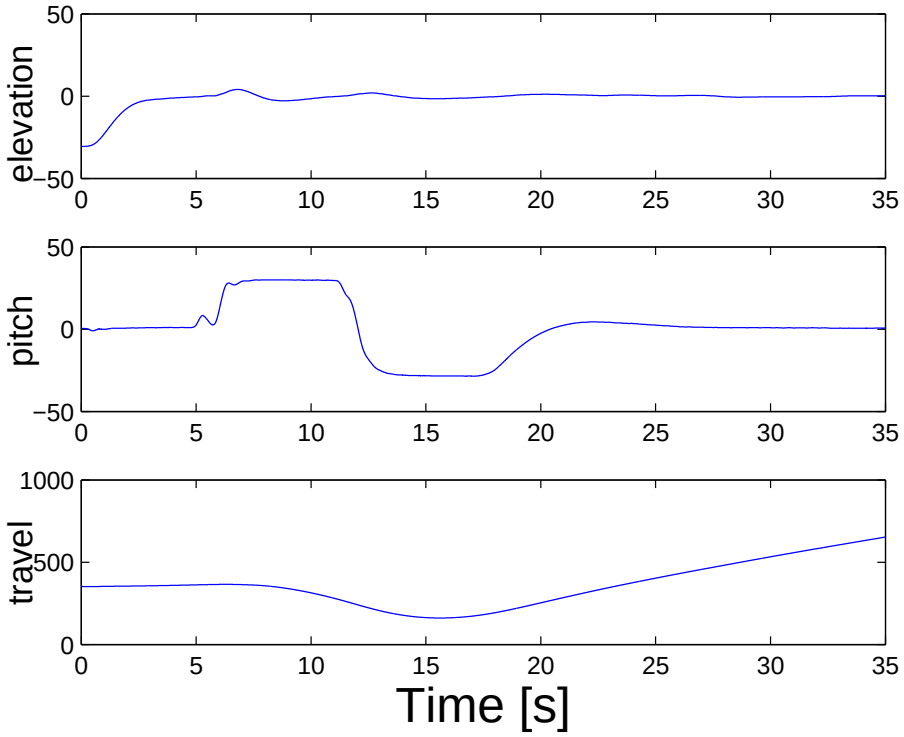

Figure 3: Running the helicopter with optimal input

If we compare Figure 3 and Figure 1b, we see that the travel values have a similar profile for the first 15 seconds or so, after which it starts to overcompensate (as described earlier). There is some deviation of pitch, with the actual pitch first swaying one way, and then back the other. We can also see that the elevation is not constant, as opposed to our earlier assumption.

'I've got 99 problems, but a pitch ain't one.'

Ice-T (1993)

4 Optimal control of pitch/travel with LQ control (10.3)

4.1 LQ controller (10.3.1)

We introduce feedback to our system using the following manipulated variable:

$$\mathbf{u}_k = \mathbf{u}_k^* - \boldsymbol{K}^{\mathrm{T}}(\mathbf{x}_k - \mathbf{x}_k^*) \tag{13}$$

where u_k^* and x_k^* are the optimal input sequence and optimal trajectory calculated in the previous task. $\boldsymbol{K}$ is the gain matrix, and can be calculated in numerous ways. We are going to determine it with an LQ (linear quadratic) controller that minimises the function

$$J = \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} \Delta\mathbf{x}_{i+1}^{\mathrm{T}} \boldsymbol{Q} \Delta\mathbf{x}_{i+1} + \Delta\mathbf{u}_i^{\mathrm{T}} \boldsymbol{R} \Delta\mathbf{u}_i, \quad \boldsymbol{Q} \geq 0,\ \boldsymbol{R} > 0 \tag{14}$$

for the linear model

$$\Delta\mathbf{x}_{i+1} = \boldsymbol{A}\Delta\mathbf{x}_i + \boldsymbol{B}\Delta\mathbf{u}_i \tag{15}$$

where $\Delta\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{x} - \mathbf{x}^*$ and $\Delta\mathbf{u} = \mathbf{u} - \mathbf{u}^*$ are the deviations from the optimal trajectory. (14) can be solved in MATLAB using the function `dlqr`.

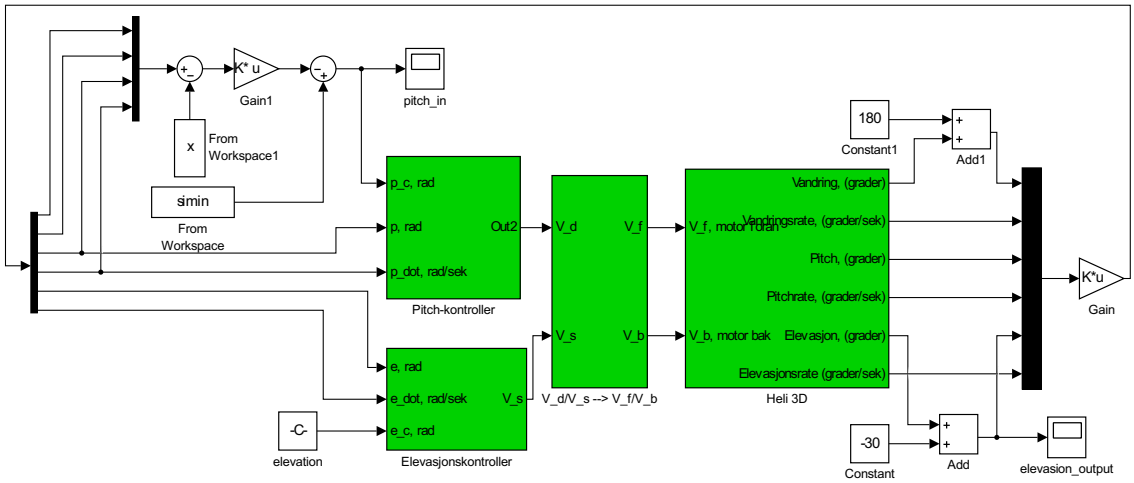

Figure 4: Simulink model of the system

The behaviour of the helicopter is tuned by altering $\boldsymbol{Q}$ and R, and by trial and error we obtained values that yielded descent behaviour of the helicopter:

$$\boldsymbol{Q} = \begin{bmatrix} 25 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0.5 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 100 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0.5 \end{bmatrix} \tag{16}$$

$$R = 1 \tag{17}$$

4.2 Behaviour with feedback (10.3.2)

The first thing we notice is that the helicopter now does come to a halt at the setpoint. In the plots of the measured states, you can see that the travel value is stationary from 19 seconds onwards. You can also see that travel overshoots very slightly, but stabilises nicely at λ_f.

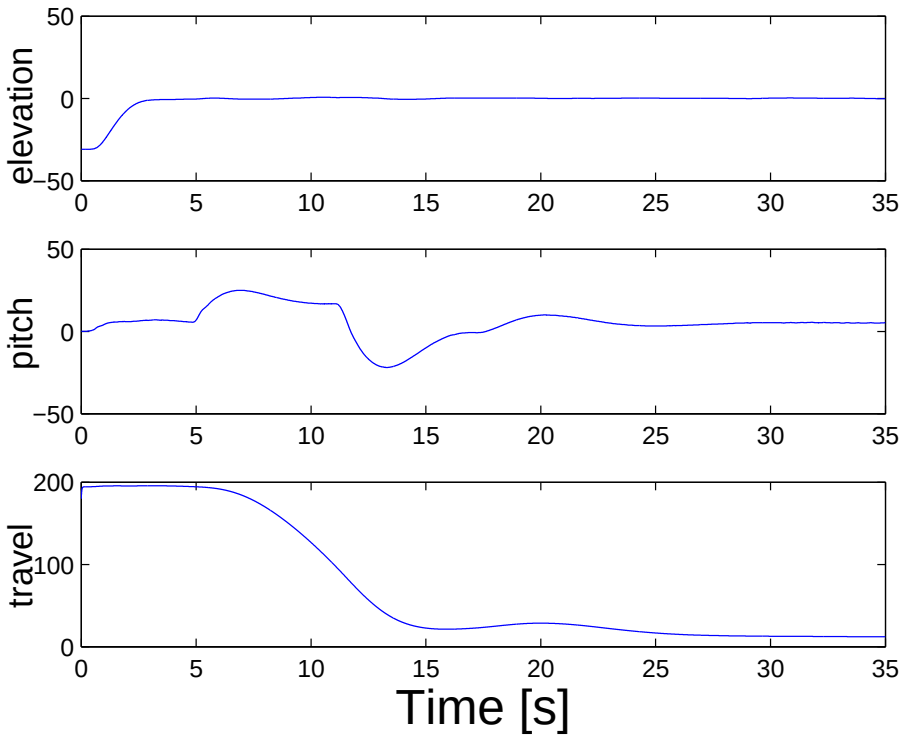

Figure 5: Running the helicopter with feedback

As shown the shape of both the travel and pitch match the calculated

values found in 1b well. The feedback distorts the pitch from the calculated optimal as it works in parallel with the optimal input for the helikopter.

4.3 MPC discussion (10.3.3)

4.3.1 Realization of MPC

MPC can be realized with the following algorithm for linear MPC with state feedback

for t = 0,1,2,... **do**
Get the current state x_t
Solve the convex QP problem on the prediction horizon from t to $t+N$ with x_t as the initial condition
Apply the first control move u_t from the solution above
end for

4.3.2 Advantages and disadvantages of using MPC)

There are both advantages and disadvantages with using an MPC controller compared to LQR. MPC requires a lot of computation, and may therefore require more expensive hardware or longer computation time. However, this can yield a very accurate controller. LQR is less computationally intensive, but also less accurate.

4.3.3 Figure 8 with MPC

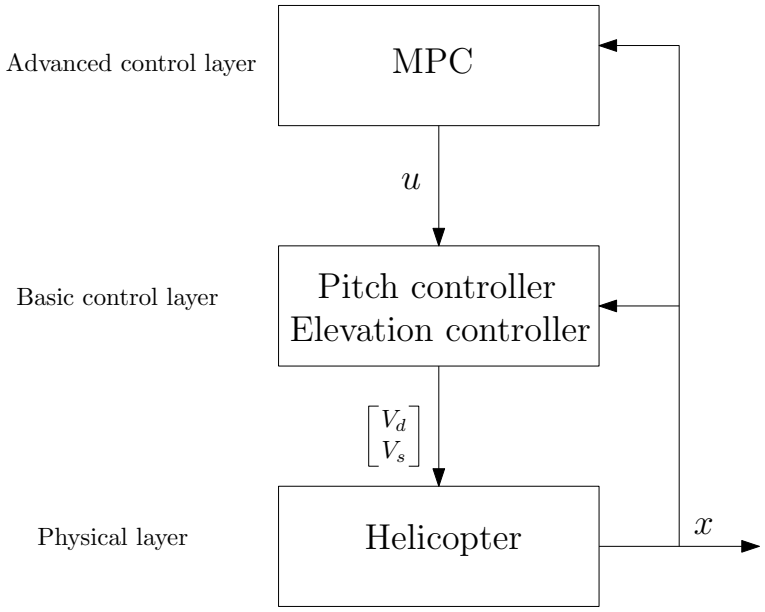

Figure 6: Figure 8 with MPC

The MPC, the pitch controller, and the elevation controller receives the measured position x from the helicopter and calculates the input u, which the pitch and elevation controllers then use to find the voltages V_d and V_s to control the motors

> *'A helicopter does not want to fly, it just vibrates so much that the ground rejects it.'*
>
> Kurt Vonnegut

5 Optimal control of pitch/travel and elevation with and without feedback (10.4)

5.1 Discretisation with elevation states (10.4.1)

We will re-formulate the continuous system (18) with additional states for elevation e and elevation rate $\dot{e}$. The system with new state and input vectors (19) and state equations (20) is expressed by the matrices shown in (21).

$$\dot{\mathbf{x}} = \boldsymbol{A}\mathbf{x} + \boldsymbol{B}\mathbf{u} \tag{18}$$

$$\mathbf{x} = \begin{bmatrix}\lambda & r & p & \dot{p} & e & \dot{e}\end{bmatrix}^{\mathrm{T}}, \qquad \mathbf{u} = \begin{bmatrix}p_c & e_c\end{bmatrix}^{\mathrm{T}} \tag{19}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\dot{\lambda} &= r \\
\dot{r} &= -K_2 p \\
\dot{p} &= \dot{p} \\
\ddot{p} &= K_1 K_{pp}(p_c - p) - K_1 K_{pd}\dot{p} \\
\dot{e} &= \dot{e} \\
\ddot{e} &= K_3 K_{ep}(e_c - e) - K_3 K_{ed}\dot{e}
\end{aligned} \tag{20}$$

$$\dot{\mathbf{x}} = \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix}
0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
0 & 0 & -K_2 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\
0 & 0 & -K_1 K_{pp} & -K_1 K_{pd} & 0 & 0 \\
0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\
0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -K_3 K_{ep} & -K_3 K_{ed}
\end{bmatrix}}_{\boldsymbol{A}_c} \mathbf{x} + \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix}
0 & 0 \\
0 & 0 \\
0 & 0 \\
K_1 K_{pp} & 0 \\
0 & 0 \\
0 & K_3 K_{ep}
\end{bmatrix}}_{\boldsymbol{B}_c} \mathbf{u} \tag{21}$$

5.2 Discretisation again (10.4.2)

As in Section 3.3, we again need to discretize the system. The procedure is the same; refer to the earlier Section for clarification. The result can be seen in (23) and (24).

$$\begin{aligned}
\mathbf{x}_{k+1} &= \mathbf{x}_k + (\boldsymbol{A}_c\mathbf{x}_k + \boldsymbol{B}_c\mathbf{u}_k)\,h \\
&= \underbrace{(\mathbf{I} + h\boldsymbol{A}_c)}_{\boldsymbol{A}}\mathbf{x}_k + \underbrace{h\boldsymbol{B}_c}_{\boldsymbol{B}}\mathbf{u}_k
\end{aligned} \tag{22}$$

$$\boldsymbol{A} = \begin{bmatrix}
1 & h & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
0 & 1 & -hK_2 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
0 & 0 & 1 & h & 0 & 0 \\
0 & 0 & -hK_1K_{pp} & 1 - hK_1K_{pd} & 0 & 0 \\
0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & h \\
0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -hK_3K_{ep} & 1 - hK_3K_{ed}
\end{bmatrix} \tag{23}$$

$$\boldsymbol{B} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \\ hK_1K_{pp} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \\ 0 & hK_3K_{ep} \end{bmatrix} \tag{24}$$

5.3 Solution of the optimization problem (10.4.3)

The cost function is now extended to include the elevation state, which gives us (25), with constrains given by (26).

$$\phi = \sum_{i=1}^{N} (\lambda_i - \lambda_f)^2 + q_1 p_{ci}^2 + q2e_{ci}^2 \tag{25}$$

$$\alpha \exp(-\beta(\lambda_k - \lambda_t)^2) - e_k \leq 0, \quad k \in \{1, ..., N\} \tag{26}$$

In (26), we used the values $\alpha = 0.2$, $\beta = 20$ and $\lambda_t = \frac{2\pi}{3}$. We use `fmincon` to get the result of the cost function with the constraints. The parameters used are `vlb` and `vub`, which are vectors containing the linear constraints; `mycon`, which returns the nonlinear constraints; and `Aeq` and `beq` which are the matrices for the problem to be solved. We also send in the cost function itself and the initial values `z0`.

```
1 costf = @(z) 0.5*z'*Q*z;
2 z = fmincon(costf, z0, [], [], Aeq, beq, vlb, vub, @mycon);
```

5.4 Comparison of performance with and without feedback(10.4.4)

Without feedback the pitch goes to 0 when $\lambda = \lambda_f$, but does not compensate to avoid overshoot. With feedback, the helicopter will change its pitch to the opposite direction, making the helicopter stop and stay still at $\lambda = \lambda_f$.

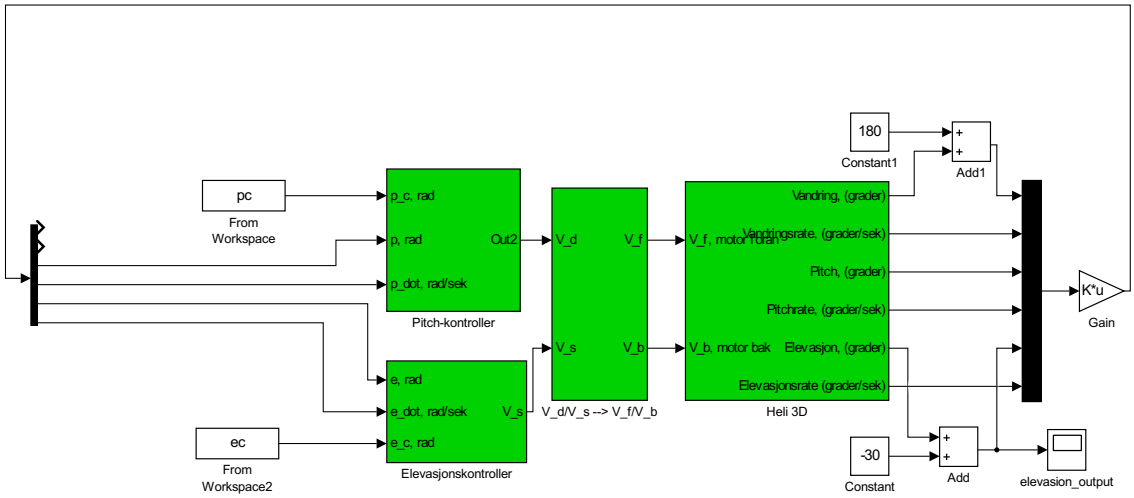

Figure 7: Simulink model of the system without feedback

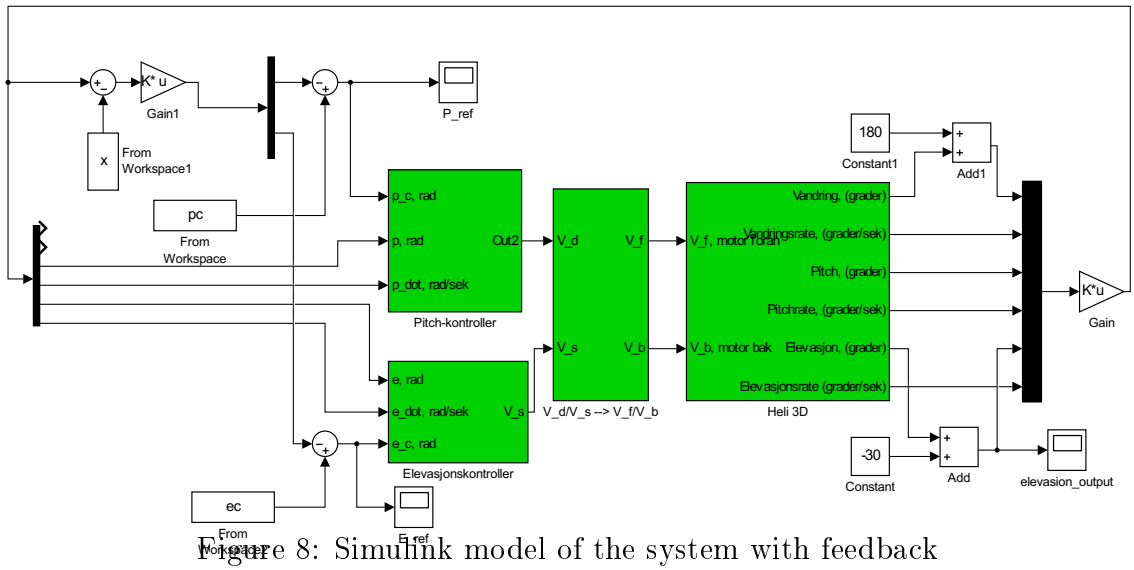

Figure 8: Simulink model of the system with feedback

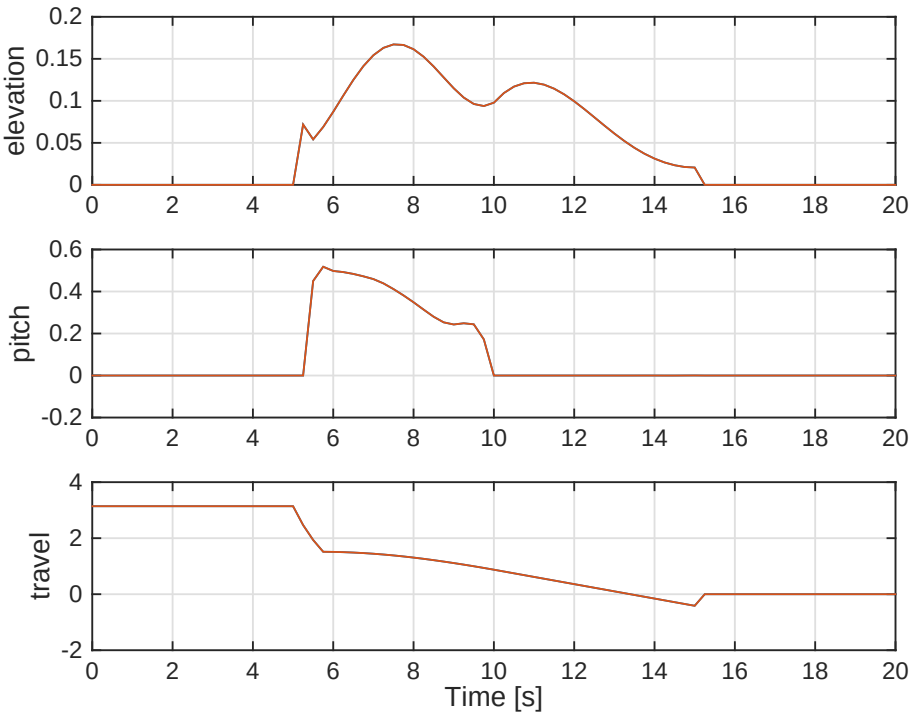

Figure 9: Optimal path

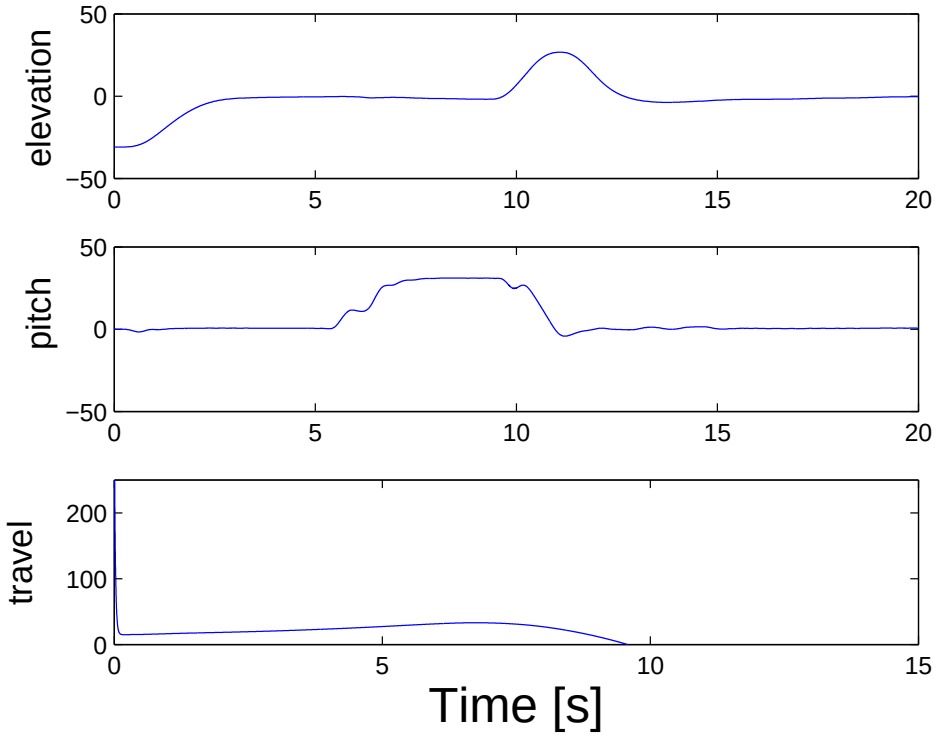

Figure 10: Running the helicopter without feedback

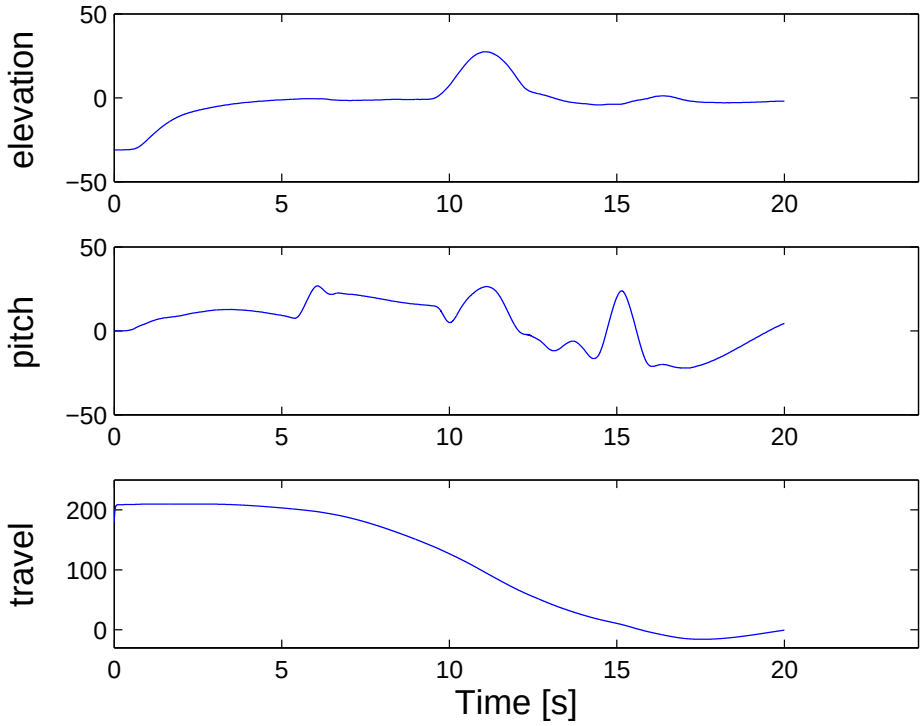

Figure 11: Running the helicopter with feedback

As we can see in the sensor data from the model without feedback, the helicopter does not stop at $\lambda = \lambda_f$, but keeps moving. In the model with feedback, however, it does stop at $\lambda = \lambda_f$, but the change in pitch to keep it still in the reference point also makes the helicopter elevate a bit, as can be seen in the plot at roughly 16 seconds. It also overshoots slightly, but converges at the setpoint.

In the calculated outputs you can see that it also expects some change in the pitch when trying to stop at the reference point, but it is much more subtle than the real behaviour, especially with feedback. This would correspond better if the LQR was tuned better (how the LQR was tuned can be seen in the code in the appendix). In the measured values of the model without feedback, this is more similar to the calculated pitch, but the travel is a bit off, as the helicopter keeps gliding after it reaches the reference point. This is improved in the model with feedback, although it does not stop as quickly and smoothly as the calculated output would suggest.

5.5 Discussion of decoupled states (10.4.5)

In our model the elevation and the elevation rate are completely decoupled from the other states, which isn't really realistic. In real life the pitch and pitch rate of the helicopter would have an effect on both the elevation rate and the elevation itself. This will result in an offset from the calculated optimal trajectory. By modelling the system with the elevation and travel coupled with the pitch, you will remove the offset at the cost of a more complex model.

6 Discussion

The purpose of this lab was to formulate a dynamic optimization problem, and solve this using MATLAB and Simulink, as well as seeing the results of control both with and without feedback.

First, this was done by using model-based optimization to provide the pitch and elevation controllers with an input u, before the model was improved by adding an LQR-control layer between the optimization layer and the basic control layer.

7 Conclusion

We feel that it has been interesting to work on this lab, and that we have learnt a lot by doing it. Through a practical approach to implementing optimization algorithms, we have gained insight into how it might be to work as a control system engineer and some of the problems they encounter. We have also seen that using optimization algorithms when making a control system makes the system more precise, and is worth both the time and energy it takes to implement them.

All in all we think this has been a successful exercise, and it has been both rewarding and educational.

8 Appendix

8.1 Variables

Symbol	Variable
p	Pitch
p_c	Pitch setpoint
λ	Travel
r	Travel rate
r_c	Travel rate setpoint
e	Elevation
e_c	Elevation setpoint
V_f	Voltage, front motor
V_b	Voltage, rear motor
V_d	Voltage difference, $V_f - V_b$
V_s	Voltage sum, $V_f + V_b$
K_{pp}, K_{pd}, K_{ep}, K_{ei}, K_{ed}	Controller gains
T_g	Moment required to keep the helicopter flying

8.2 Constants

Symbol	Parameter	Value	Unit
l_a	Distance from elevation axis to helicopter body	0.64	m
l_h	Distance from pitch axis to motor	0.177	m
K_f	Distance from elevation axis to helicopter body	0.1983	$\mathrm{N\,m^{-1}}$
J_e	Moment of inertia (elevation axis)	1.0625	$\mathrm{kg\,m^2}$
J_t	Moment of inertia (travel axis)	1.0625	$\mathrm{kg\,m^2}$
J_p	Moment of inertia (pitch axis)	0.0406	$\mathrm{kg\,m^2}$
m_h	Mass of helicopter	1.297	kg
m_w	Counterweight	1.802	kg
m_g	Effective mass of the helicopter	0.026	kg
K_p	Force to lift the helicopter from the ground	0.2551	N

8.3 Code for (10.2) and (10.3)

This code is modified from the code handed out on itslearning.

```
init04;
delta_t   = 0.25;             % sampling time
sek_forst = 5;

q = 0.1;
% System model. x=[lambda r p p_dot]'

A1 = [1 delta_t 0 0;
      0 1 -K_2*delta_t 0;
      0 0 1 delta_t;
      0 0 -K_1*K_pp*delta_t 1-K_1*K_pd*delta_t];

B1 = [0; 0; 0; K_1*K_pp*delta_t];

% Number of states and inputs

mx = size(A1,2);              % Number of states
mu = size(B1,2);              % Number of inputs

% Initial values

x1_0 = pi;                    % Lambda
x2_0 = 0;                     % r
x3_0 = 0;                     % p
x4_0 = 0;                     % p_dot
x0   = [x1_0 x2_0 x3_0 x4_0]';% Initial values

% Time horizon and initialization

N  = 100;                     % Time horizon for states
M  = N;                       % Time horizon for inputs
z  = zeros(N*mx+M*mu,1);      % Initialize z for whole horizon
z0 = z;                       % Initial value for optimization

% Bounds

ul      = -30*pi/180;         % Lower bound on control -- u1
uu      = 30*pi/180;          % Upper bound on control -- u1

xl      = -Inf*ones(mx,1);    % Lower bound on states (no bound)
xu      = Inf*ones(mx,1);     % Upper bound on states (no bound)
xl(3)   = ul;                 % Lower bound on state x3
xu(3)   = uu;                 % Upper bound on state x3

% Generate constraints on measurements and inputs

[vlb,vub]       = genBegr2(N,M,xl,xu,ul,uu);
vlb(N*mx+M*mu)  = 0;           % Last input is zero
```

```
vub(N*mx+M*mu)  = 0;            % Last input is zero

% Generate the matrix Q and the vector c (objecitve function
    ↪ weights in the QP problem)

Q1 = zeros(mx,mx);
Q1(1,1) = 1;                    % Weight on state x1
Q1(2,2) = 0;                    % Weight on state x2
Q1(3,3) = q;                    % Weight on state x3
Q1(4,4) = 0;                    % Weight on state x4
P1 = q;                         % Weight on input
Q = 2*genq2(Q1,P1,N,M,mu);      % Generate Q
c = zeros(N*mx+M*mu,1);         % Generate c

% Generate system matrixes for linear model

Aeq = gena2(A1,B1,N,mx,mu);     % Generate A
beq = zeros(1, size(Aeq,1));    % Generate b
beq(1:mx) = A1*x0;              % Initial value

% Solve Qp problem with linear model
tic
[z,lambda] = quadprog(Q, c, [], [], Aeq, beq, vlb, vub, z0);
t1=toc;


% Extract control inputs and states

u  = [z(N*mx+1:N*mx+M*mu);z(N*mx+M*mu)]; % Control input from
    ↪ solution

x1 = [x0(1);z(1:mx:N*mx)];      % State x1 from solution
x2 = [x0(2);z(2:mx:N*mx)];      % State x2 from solution
x3 = [x0(3);z(3:mx:N*mx)];      % State x3 from solution
x4 = [x0(4);z(4:mx:N*mx)];      % State x4 from solution

Antall = 5/delta_t;
Nuller = zeros(Antall,1);
Enere  = ones(Antall,1);

u   = [Nuller; u; Nuller];
x1  = [pi*Enere; x1; Nuller];
x2  = [Nuller; x2; Nuller];
x3  = [Nuller; x3; Nuller];
x4  = [Nuller; x4; Nuller];

%save trajektor1ny
t = 0:delta_t:delta_t*(length(u)-1); % real time

```

```
simin = [t' u];

% figure


figure(2)
subplot(511)
stairs(t,u),grid
ylabel('u')
subplot(512)
plot(t,x1,'m',t,x1,'mo'),grid
ylabel('lambda')
subplot(513)
plot(t,x2,'m',t,x2','mo'),grid
ylabel('r')
subplot(514)
plot(t,x3,'m',t,x3,'mo'),grid
ylabel('p')
subplot(515)
plot(t,x4,'m',t,x4','mo'),grid
xlabel('tid (s)'),ylabel('pdot')

x = [t' x1 x2 x3 x4];
%%

Q_k = [25 0 0 0;
       0 0.5 0 0;
       0 0 100 0;
       0 0 0 0.5];
R = 1;

[K S E] = dlqr(A1, B1, Q_k, R, 0);
```

8.4 Code for (10.4)

This code is modified from the code handed out on itslearning.

```
init04;
delta_t   = 0.25;             % sampling time
sek_forst = 5;

q = 0.1;
% System model. x=[lambda r p p_dot]'

A = [1 delta_t 0 0 0 0;
      0 1 -K_2*delta_t 0 0 0;
      0 0 1 delta_t 0 0;
```

```
      0 0 -K_1*K_pp*delta_t 1-K_1*K_pd*delta_t 0 0;
      0 0 0 0 1 delta_t;
      0 0 0 0 -delta_t*K_3*K_ep 1-delta_t*K_3*K_ed];

B = [0 0; 0 0; 0 0; K_1*K_pp*delta_t 0; 0 0; 0 delta_t*K_3*K_ep ];

% Number of states and inputs

mx = size(A,2);                 % Number of states
mu = size(B,2);                 % Number of inputs

% Initial values

x1_0 = pi;                      % Lambda
x2_0 = 0;                       % r
x3_0 = 0;                       % p
x4_0 = 0;                       % p_dot
x5_0 = 0;                       % e
x6_0 = 0;                       % e_dot
x0   = [x1_0 x2_0 x3_0 x4_0 x5_0 x6_0]'; % Initial

u1_0 = 0;
u2_0 = 0;

q_1 = 1;
q_2 = 1;
alfa = 0.2;
beta = 20;
lambda_t = 2*pi/3;

% Time horizon and initialization

N  = 40;                        % Time horizon for states
M  = N;                         % Time horizon for inputs
z  = zeros(N*mx+M*mu,1);        % Initialize z for whole horizon
z0 = z;                         % Initial value for optimization


% Bounds

ul      = -30*pi/180;           % Lower bound on control -- u1
uu      = 30*pi/180;            % Upper bound on control -- u1

xl      = -Inf*ones(mx,1);      % Lower bound on states (no bound)
xu      = Inf*ones(mx,1);       % Upper bound on states (no bound)
xl(3)   = ul;                   % Lower bound on state x3
xu(3)   = uu;                   % Upper bound on state x3

```

```
% Generate constraints on measurements and inputs

[vlb,vub]       = genBegr2(N,M,xl,xu,ul,uu);
vlb(N*mx+M*mu)  = 0;          % Last input is zero
vub(N*mx+M*mu)  = 0;          % Last input is zero

% Generate system matrixes for linear model
Aeq = gena2(A,B,N,mx,mu);     % Generate A
beq = zeros(1, size(Aeq,1));  % Generate b
beq(1:mx) = A*x0;          % Initial value

% Generate the matrix Q and the vector c (objecitve function
    ↪ weights in the QP problem)

Q1 = zeros(mx,mx);
Q1(1,1) = 1;                  % Weight on state x1
Q1(2,2) = 0;                  % Weight on state x2
Q1(3,3) = q;                  % Weight on state x3
Q1(4,4) = 0;                  % Weight on state x4
Q1(5,5) = 0;
Q1(6,6) = 0;
P1 = zeros(mu, mu);
P1(1,1) = q_1;                % Weight on input
P1(2,2) = q_2;
Q = 2*genq2(Q1,P1,N,M,mu);    % Generate Q
c = zeros(N*mx+M*mu,1);       % Generate c

% Solve Qp problem with linear model

costf = @(z) 0.5*z'*Q*z;
%tic
%[z,lambda] = quadprog(Q, c, [], [], Aeq, beq, vlb, vub, z0);
%t1=toc;
nonlcon = @(z) alfa*exp(-beta*(z(1+mx)-lambda_t)^2)-z(5+mx);
z = fmincon(costf, z0, [], [], Aeq, beq, vlb, vub, @mycon);
% Calculate objective value

phi1 = 0.0;
PhiOut = zeros(N*mx+M*mu,1);
for i=1:N*mx+M*mu
  phi1=phi1+Q(i,i)*z(i)*z(i);
  PhiOut(i) = phi1;
end

% Extract control inputs and states

u1 = [u1_0; z(N*mx+1:mu:N*mx+M*mu)]; % Control input from
    ↪ solution
u2 = [u2_0; z(N*mx+2:mu:N*mx+M*mu)];
```

```
106
107 x1 = [x0(1);z(1:mx:N*mx)];      % State x1 from solution
108 x2 = [x0(2);z(2:mx:N*mx)];      % State x2 from solution
109 x3 = [x0(3);z(3:mx:N*mx)];      % State x3 from solution
110 x4 = [x0(4);z(4:mx:N*mx)];      % State x4 from solution
111 x5 = [x0(5);z(5:mx:N*mx)];
112 x6 = [x0(6);z(6:mx:N*mx)];
113
114 Antall = 5/delta_t;
115 Nuller = zeros(Antall,1);
116 Enere  = ones(Antall,1);
117
118 u1   = [Nuller; u1; Nuller];
119 u2   = [Nuller; u2; Nuller];
120
121 x1  = [x1_0*Enere; x1; Nuller];
122 x2  = [Nuller; x2; Nuller];
123 x3  = [Nuller; x3; Nuller];
124 x4  = [Nuller; x4; Nuller];
125 x5 = [Nuller; x5; Nuller];
126 x6 = [Nuller; x6; Nuller];
127
128 %save trajektor1ny
129 t = 0:delta_t:delta_t*(length(u1)-1); % real time
130
131 pc = [t' u1];
132 ec = [t' u2];
133 % figure
134
135
136 figure(2)
137 subplot(8,1,1)
138 stairs(t,u1),grid
139 ylabel('u1')
140 subplot(8,1,2)
141 stairs(t, u2),grid
142 ylabel('u2')
143 subplot(8,1,3)
144 plot(t,x1,'m',t,x1,'mo'),grid
145 ylabel('lambda')
146 subplot(8,1,4)
147 plot(t,x2,'m',t,x2','mo'),grid
148 ylabel('r')
149 subplot(8,1,5)
150 plot(t,x3,'m',t,x3,'mo'),grid
151 ylabel('p')
152 subplot(8,1,6)
153 plot(t,x4,'m',t,x4','mo'),grid
154 ylabel('pdot')
```

```
subplot(8,1,7)
plot(t,x5,'m',t,x5','mo'),grid
ylabel('e')
subplot(8,1,8)
plot(t,x6,'m',t,x6','mo'),grid
ylabel('edot')
xlabel('tid (s)')

x = [t' x1 x2 x3 x4 x5 x6];

%%
Q_k = [2 0 0 0 0 0;
       0 1 0 0 0 0;
       0 0 1 0 0 0;
       0 0 0 1.2 0 0;
       0 0 0 0 1 0;
       0 0 0 0 0 1.5];

R = [1 0;
     0 1];

[K S E] = dlqr(A, B, Q_k, R, 0);
```

Code for the non-linear constrains

```
function [a, b] = mycon(x)

% system parameters
alpha = 0.2;
beta = 20;
lambda_t = 2*pi/3;
N = 40;

myc = @(lambda, e) alpha * exp(-beta .* (lambda - lambda_t).^2)
    ↪ - e;
c = @(x) myc(x(1 : 6 : 6*N), x(5 : 6 : 6*N));

a = c(x);
b = [];

end
```