

# The Furuta Pendulum

## Technical Report

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**Abstract** The Furuta Pendulum is an example of a complex non-linear system and therefore of big interest in control system theory. It consists of one controllable arm rotating in the horizontal plane and one pendulum uncontrollably moving in the vertical plane, which is attached to the end of this arm.

The non-linearities result from an interplay between gravitational, Coriolis and centripetal forces.

XX We present an overview over it's technical details and proposed algorithms to solve the control problem. XX

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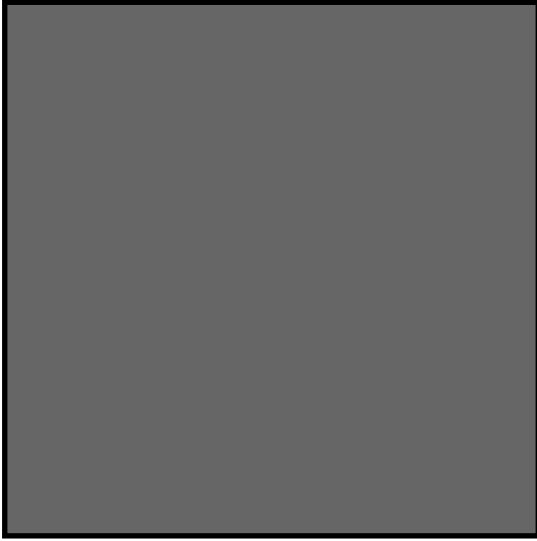
## 1 Definitions

The system consists of an arm with lenght  $L_1$  mounted to a DC motor, which is able to apply a torque of  $\tau_1$  to it. It has a mass of  $m_1$  which is located at  $l_1$  alongside the arm. Another arm with length  $L_2$  and mass  $m_2$  located at  $l_2$  along itself is attached to the remaining side of the first arm. Both arms have inertia tensors  $J_1$  and  $J_2$  respectively and each rotational joint is damped viscously with damping coefficients  $b_1$  and  $b_2$ , where the first coefficient is given by the bearings of the motor and the second one by the coupling between both arms.

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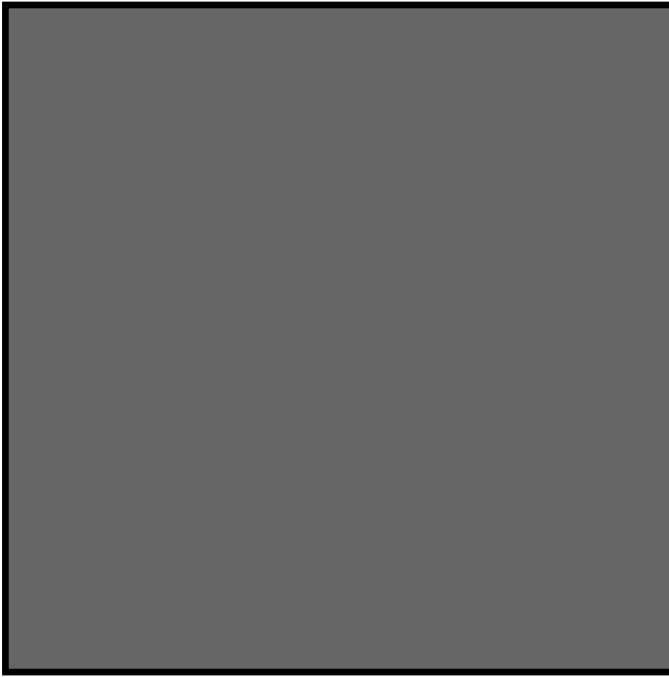
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