

Foundations of Robotics Project 3 Report

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Question 1:

The given data of the robot is as follows:

$$\begin{aligned}
 d_0 &= 1 \text{ m}, a_1 = a_2 = 0.5 \text{ m}, l_1 = l_2 = 0.25 \text{ m} \\
 \theta_{1_{\min}} &= -\pi/2 \text{ rad}, \theta_{1_{\max}} = \pi/2 \text{ rad}, \theta_{2_{\min}} = -\pi/2 \text{ rad}, \theta_{2_{\max}} = \pi/4 \text{ rad} \\
 m_{l1} &= m_{l2} = 25 \text{ kg}, m_{l3} = 10 \text{ kg}, I_{l1} = I_{l2} = 5 \text{ kgm}^2, I_{l4} = 1 \text{ kgm}^2 \\
 k_{r1} &= k_{r2} = 1, k_{r3} = 50 \text{ rad/m}, k_{r4} = 20, \\
 I_{m1} &= I_{m2} = 0.0001 \text{ kgm}^2, I_{m3} = 0.01 \text{ kgm}^2, I_{m4} = 0.005 \text{ kgm}^2 \\
 F_{m1} &= F_{m2} = 0.0001 \text{ N} \cdot \text{m} \cdot \text{s/rad}, F_{m3} = 0.01 \text{ N} \cdot \text{m} \cdot \text{s/rad}, F_{m4} = 0.005 \text{ N} \cdot \text{m} \cdot \text{s/rad} \\
 d_{3_{\min}} &= 0.25 \text{ m}, d_{3_{\max}} = 1 \text{ m}, \theta_{4_{\min}} = -2\pi \text{ rad}, \theta_{4_{\max}} = 2\pi \text{ rad}
 \end{aligned}$$

As done for projects 1 and 2, the frames are depicted into the figure and the DH parameters are

	d_i	α_i	θ_i	a_i
Link 1	0	0	θ_1	a_1
Link 2	0	0	θ_2	a_2
Link 3	d_3	0	0	0
Link 4	0	0	θ_4	0

We need to create a trajectory in the robot's operational space that takes 4 seconds to complete and has a trapezoidal velocity profile for each segment. The trajectory must pass through the following waypoints:

- $p_0 = [0, -0.80, 0]$ at time $t_0 = 0.0$
- $p_1 = [0, -0.80, 0.5]$ at time $t_1 = 0.6$
- $p_2 = [0.5, -0.6, 0.5]$ at time $t_2 = 2.0$
- $p_3 = [0.8, 0.0, 0.5]$ at time $t_3 = 3.4$
- $p_4 = [0.8, 0.0, 0]$ at time $t_4 = 4.0$.

Here the anticipation time for each segment is 0.2 seconds and the sampling time is 0.001.

The acceleration of this trajectory is defined by the formula:

$$\text{Acceleration} = 4 * (\text{Final Position} - \text{Initial Position}) / (\text{Final Time} - \text{Initial Time})^2 - 4 * \text{Initial Time} * \text{Final Time}$$

Here the length travelled can be calculated with the following constraints:

$$q(t) = \begin{cases} q_i + \frac{1}{2} * \ddot{q}_c * t^2 & 0 < t < t_c \\ q_i + \ddot{q}_c * t_c \left(t - \frac{t_c}{2} \right) & t_c < t < t_f - t_c \\ q_f - \frac{1}{2} * \ddot{q}_c * (t_f - t_c)^2 & t_f - t_c < t < t_f \end{cases}$$

Here “ q_i ” is the initial position, T_c is the time segment in the graph where the graph flattens in the trapezoidal profile, “ q_f ” is the final position and the double differentiation of “ q_c ” is the acceleration during traversal.

The time segment where the graph flattens in the trapezoidal profile, which is denoted as “ t_c ” from the above-given image and GFT in the code is given by the following formula:

$$t_c = \frac{(t_f + t_i)}{2} - \frac{1}{2} * \sqrt{\frac{t_f^2 * q_c - 4 * (q_f - q_i)}{\ddot{q}_c}}$$

The variables in the image here follow the same naming rubrics as before.

The path of the operational space is computed by the following formula:

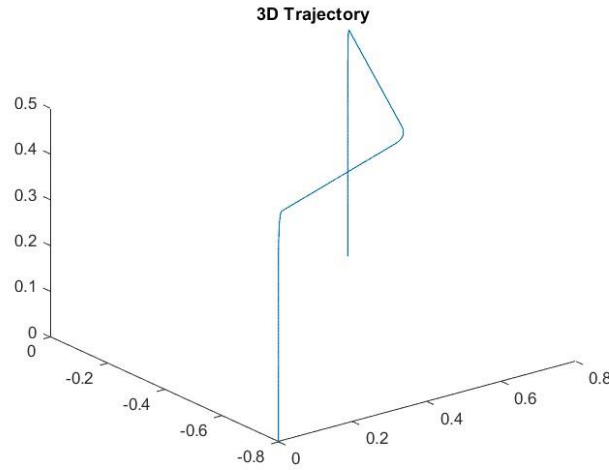
$$s_j(t) = \begin{cases} 0 & 0 \leq t \leq t_{j-1} - \Delta t_j \\ s'_j(t + \Delta t_j) & t_{j-1} - \Delta t_j < t < t_j - \Delta t \\ \|p_j - p_{j-1}\| & t_j - \Delta t \leq t \leq t_f - \Delta t_N \end{cases}$$

The naming rubrics for each variable here are the same as before, the variable p is calculated by the following formula for J= 1-N :

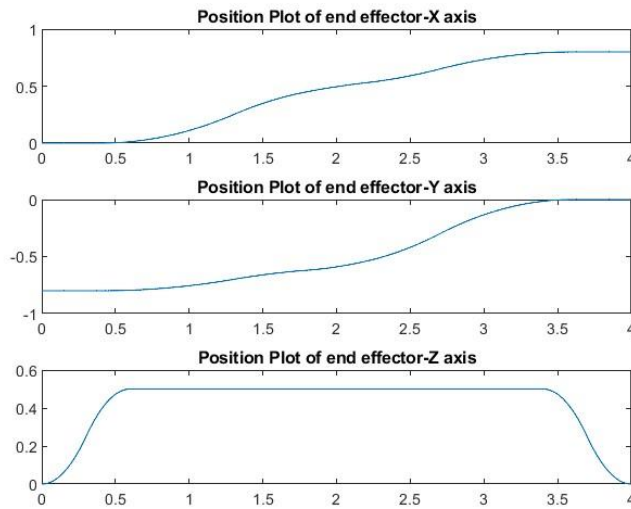
$$p_e = p_0 + \sum_{j=1}^N \frac{s_j}{\|p_j - p_{j-1}\|} * (p_j - p_{j-1})$$

Plugging all these values into Matlab, the output graphs are as follows:

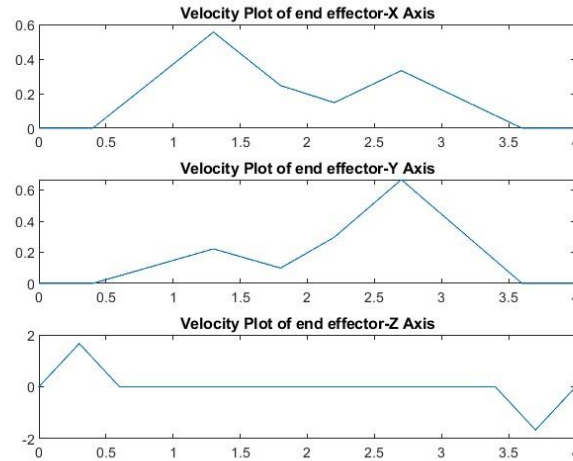
1:3D Trajectory Graph:



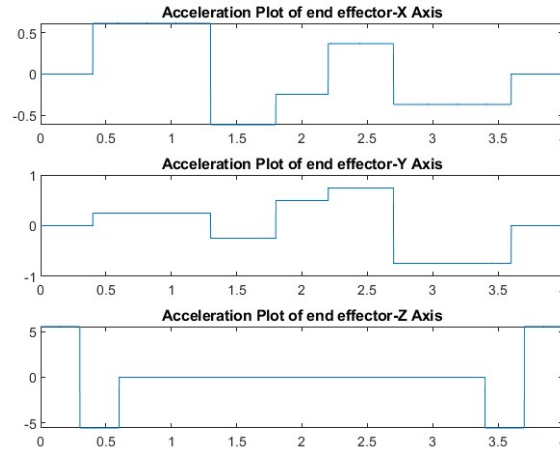
2: Position at end Effector:



3: Velocity at end Effector:



4: Acceleration at end Effector:



Question 2

B cap is calculated using the formula:

$$\begin{aligned}
 b_{11} &= l_1^2 * m_{l1} + (0.25 + l_2^2 + l_2 * c_2) * \\
 &m_{l2} + (0.5 + 0.5c_2) * (m_{l3} + m_{l4}) + l_{l1} + \\
 &l_{l2} + l_{l4} + I_{m1} * k_{r1}^2 + I_{m2} + I_{m3} + I_{m4}; \\
 b_{12} &= b_{21} = (0.5 * l_2 * c_2 + l_2^2) * m_{l2} + \\
 &(0.25 + 0.25 * c_2) * (m_{l3} + m_{l4}) + l_{l2} + l_{l4} + \\
 &I_{m2} * k_{r2} + I_{m3} + I_{m4}; \\
 b_{13} &= b_{31} = -k_{r3} * I_{m3}; \\
 b_{14} &= b_{41} = l_{l4} + k_{r4} * I_{m4}; \\
 b_{22} &= l_2^2 * m_{l2} + 0.25 * (m_{l3} + m_{l4}) + l_{l2} + \\
 &l_{l4} + I_{m2} * k_{r2}^2 + I_{m3} + I_{m4}; \\
 b_{23} &= b_{32} = -k_{r3} * I_{m3}; \\
 b_{24} &= b_{42} = l_{l4} + k_{r4} * I_{m4}; \\
 b_{33} &= m_{l3} + I_{m3} * k_{r3}^2; \\
 b_{34} &= b_{43} = 0; \\
 b_{44} &= l_{l4} + k_{r4}^2 * I_{m4};
 \end{aligned}$$

The B cap matrix is calculated using:

$$B \text{ cap}(q) = \begin{bmatrix} b_{11} & b_{11} & b_{13} & b_{14} \\ b_{21} & b_{22} & b_{23} & b_{24} \\ b_{31} & b_{32} & b_{33} & b_{34} \\ b_{41} & b_{42} & b_{43} & b_{44} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$y = \ddot{q}d + KD * q + KP * \dot{q} + \omega$$

The n-cap matrix is calculated using the formula:

$$\ddot{n}(q, \dot{q}) \sim \ddot{n}(q, \dot{q}) = C(q, \dot{q}) * \ddot{q} + Fv * \dot{q} + g(q)$$

$$c_{11} = \frac{1}{2} * \frac{\partial b_{11}}{\partial q_2} * \dot{\theta}_2;$$

$$c_{11} = \frac{-l_2 * m_{l2} * s_2 - 0.5 * (m_{l3} + m_{l4}) * s_2}{2} * \dot{\theta}_2;$$

$$c_{12} = \frac{\partial b_{12}}{\partial q_2} * \dot{\theta}_2 + \frac{1}{2} * \frac{\partial b_{11}}{\partial q_2} * \dot{\theta}_1;$$

$$c_{12} = \frac{-l_2 * m_{l2} * s_2 - 0.5 * (m_{l3} + m_{l4}) * s_2}{2} * (\dot{\theta}_1 + \dot{\theta}_2);$$

$$c_{21} = -\frac{1}{2} * \frac{\partial b_{11}}{\partial q_2} * \dot{\theta}_1;$$

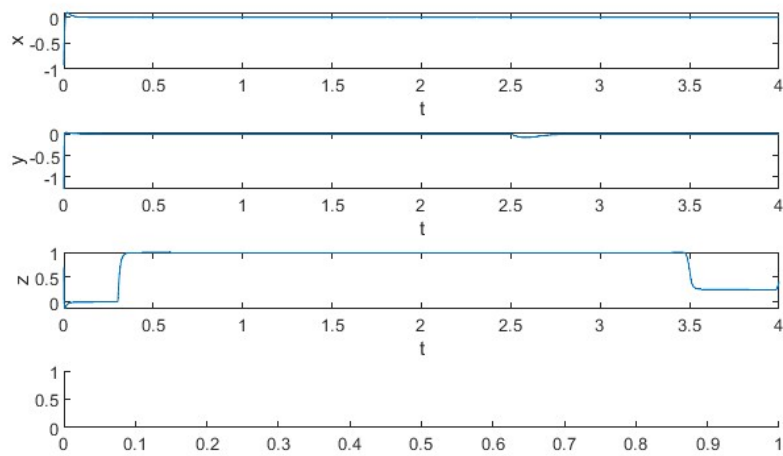
$$c_{21} = \frac{l_2 * m_{l2} * s_2 + 0.5 * (m_{l3} + m_{l4}) * s_2}{2} * \dot{\theta}_1;$$

$$C(q, \dot{q}) = \begin{bmatrix} c_{11} & c_{12} & 0 & 0 \\ c_{21} & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

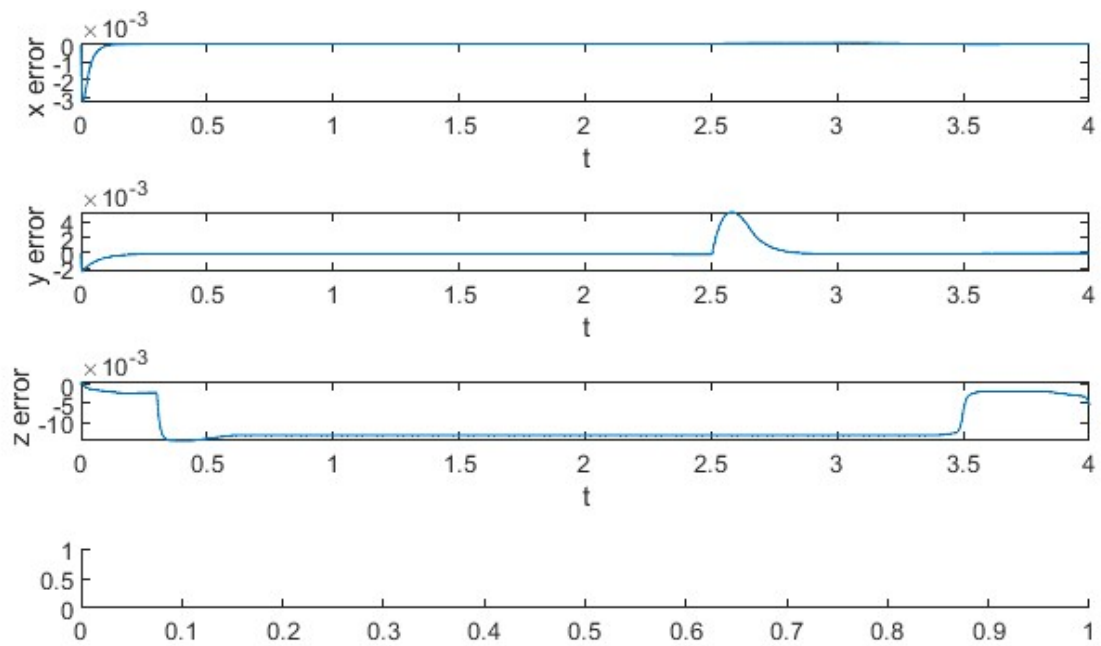
$$G = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ -(m_{l3} + m_{l4}) * g \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

The result of the project is as follows :

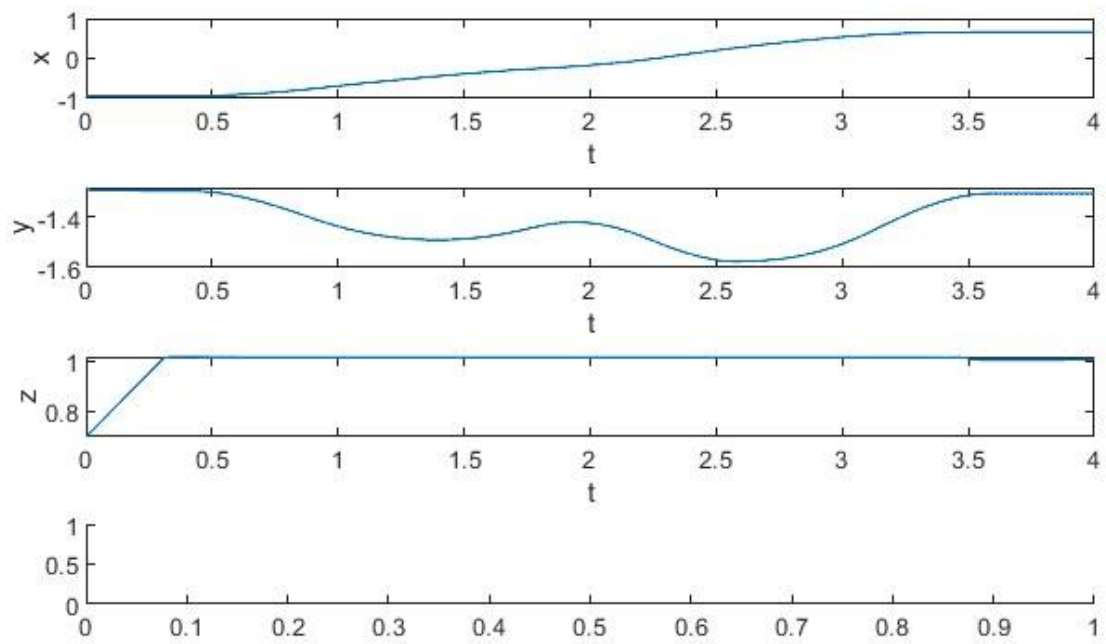
1 : E_{dot} vs time



2 Error vs time



3 q vs time



References:

PPT

Matlab handbook.