

# Homework 3 in EL2450 Hybrid and Embedded Control Systems

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## Task 1

By using the formulas given the following equations were derived.

$$u_r = \frac{2^{u_\omega + u_\psi}}{2} = u_w + \frac{u_{Psi}}{2} \quad (1)$$

$$u_l = u_\omega - \frac{u_\Psi}{2} \quad (2)$$

## Task 2

Rewriting equation 3 on the following form:

$$R = \frac{\dot{x}}{u_\omega \cos \theta} \quad (3)$$

yields the possibility to calculate a good estimate of the model parameter  $R$ . Approximating the speed  $\dot{x}$  and then calculating the best  $R$  for different values of  $\theta$ . The same holds for the approximation of  $L$ . Equation 4 is rewritten accordingly.

$$L = \frac{Ru_\Psi}{\dot{\theta}} \quad (4)$$

The rotational speed  $\dot{\theta}$  is approximated from the obtained data and  $L$  is then calculated in the same way as  $R$ . The calculated values of  $R$  and  $L$  are presented in Table 1 below.

R	L
0.0010085	0.0050935

## Task 3

$\dot{\theta} = R/Lu_\psi$  won't be asymptotically stable due to that the output signal will oscillate with constant amplitude after a set time. It will not have Zeno behaviour due there is no finite time limit when the output signal is stable.

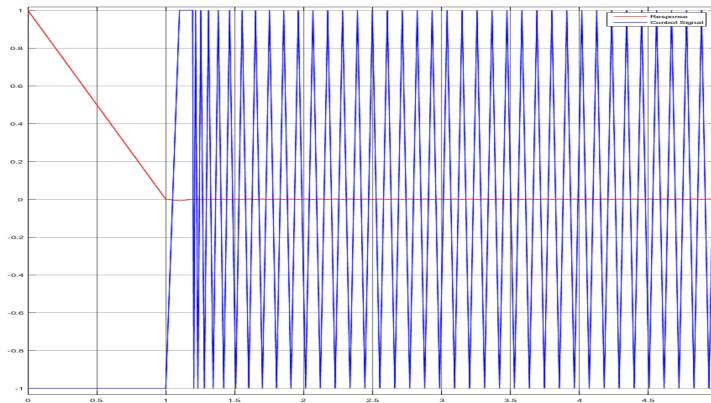


Figure 1: Performance of the controller

## Task 4

The system is asymptotically stable due to that the output signal will constantly converge to the desired value. Though by doing this will quicker and quicker reactions from the controller which will not be possible in real life. The system does not exhibit Zeno behaviour since the control signal will always have a value and it does not stabilize within a finite time.

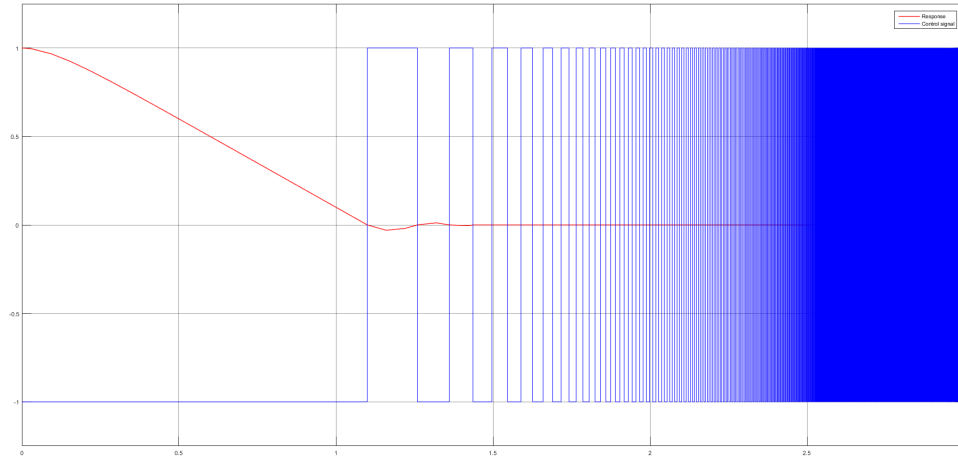


Figure 2: Performance of the controller

## Task 5

The system is stable but not asymptotically stable and therefore does also not exhibit Zeno behaviour. We see that the system is not asymptotically stable due to that the output signal does not converge to the desired value but will oscillate with a constant amplitude after infinite time.

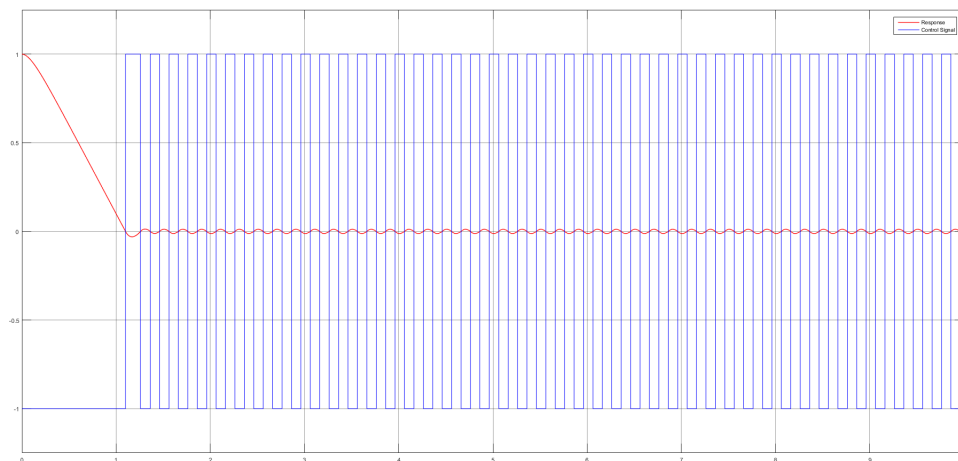


Figure 3: Performance of the controller

## Task 6

The discretized system can be seen in Equations (5),(6) and(7)

$$\frac{z-1}{T_s}x[k] = Ru_\omega[k]\cos(\theta[k]) \quad (5)$$

$$\frac{z-1}{T_s}y[k] = Ru_\omega[k]\sin(\theta[k]) \quad (6)$$

$$\frac{z-1}{T_s}\theta[k] = \frac{R}{L}u_\Psi[k] \quad (7)$$

## Task 7

With euler forward method we have that

$$\theta[h] \approx \theta[k] + \dot{\theta}[k]\tau_s$$

We have  $\dot{\theta}$  from equation (3) and control signal  $u_\Psi$  in the assignment. This give the following equation for the system.

$$\theta[k+h] \approx \frac{RK_\Psi\tau_s(\theta^R - \theta[k])}{L} + \theta[k]$$

$$\theta[k+h] \approx (1 - \frac{RK_\Psi\tau_s}{L})\theta[k] + \frac{RK_\Psi\tau_s}{L}\theta^R$$

This is stable i the absolute value of the eigenvalues are less than 1 for the  $\Phi$  matrix. The eigenvalue is

$$\lambda = |1 - \frac{RK_\Psi\tau_s}{L}| < 1$$

This gives the the upper/lower boundary of  $0 < K_\Psi < \frac{2L}{R\tau_s}$ .

## Task 8

It is not possible to reach the goal angle due to we only have a proportional controller and therefore always have a small static error.

$$K = 0.7 \cdot L/R$$

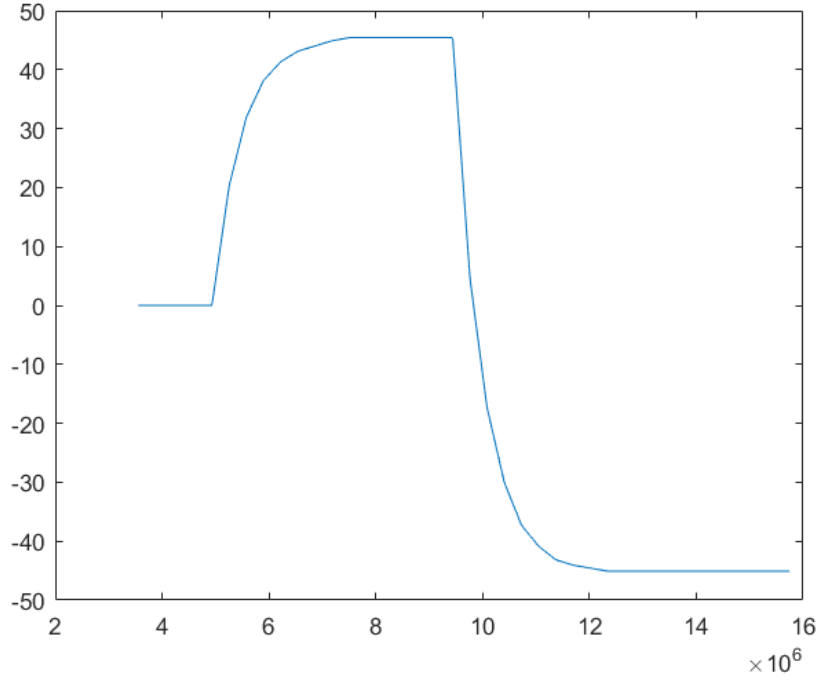


Figure 4: Performance of the controller

## Task 9

With euler forward method we have that for the x variable

$$x[h] \approx x[k] + \dot{x}[k]\tau_s$$

We have  $\dot{x}$  from equation (3) and control signal  $u_\omega$ .

$$u_\omega[k] = K_\omega \cos(\theta[k])(x_0 - x[k]) + K_\omega \sin(\theta[k])(y_0 - y[k])$$

$$\dot{x}[k] = Ru_\omega[k] \cos(\theta[k])$$

$$x[k+h] \approx (1 - K_\omega \tau_s R \cos^2(\theta[k]))x[k] + K_1 + \Gamma y[k]$$

Where  $K_1$  a constant of how  $x[k+h]$  depends on  $x_0, y_0$  and  $\Gamma$  is how it depends on the position in y direction  $y[k]$ . Assuming that  $y[k]$  could be considered as an input signal we have stability if the absolute value of the eigenvalues in the stability equation is less than 1.

$$|\lambda| = |1 - K_\omega \tau_s R \cos^2(\theta[k])| < 1$$

This gives the the upper/lower boundary of  $0 < K_\omega < \frac{2}{R\tau_s}$  since the minimum upper boundary is found when  $\cos^2(\theta[k]) = 1$ .

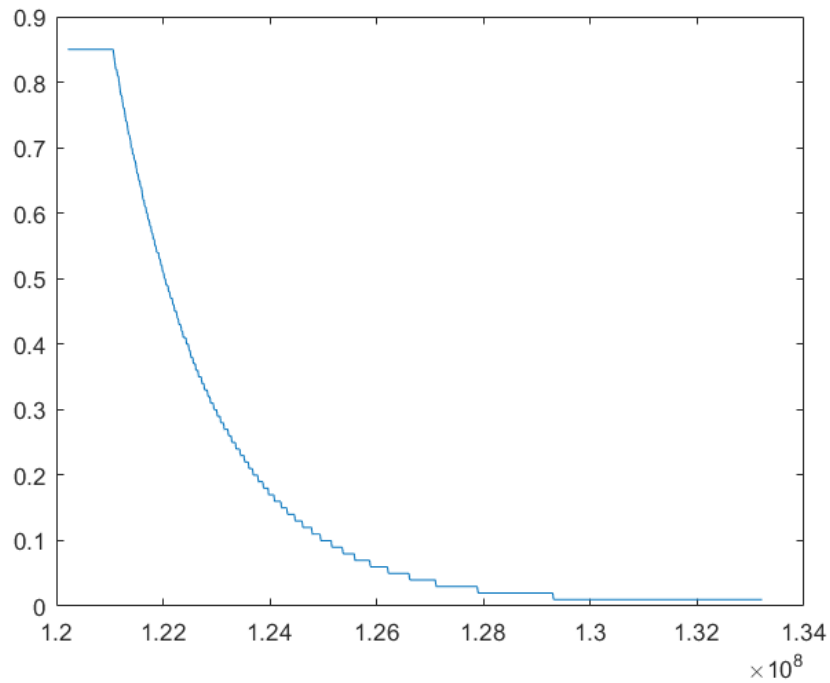
If the controller is analysed in the y direction the following eigenvalues are obtained.

$$|\lambda| = |1 - K_\omega \tau_s R \sin^2(\theta[k])| < 1$$

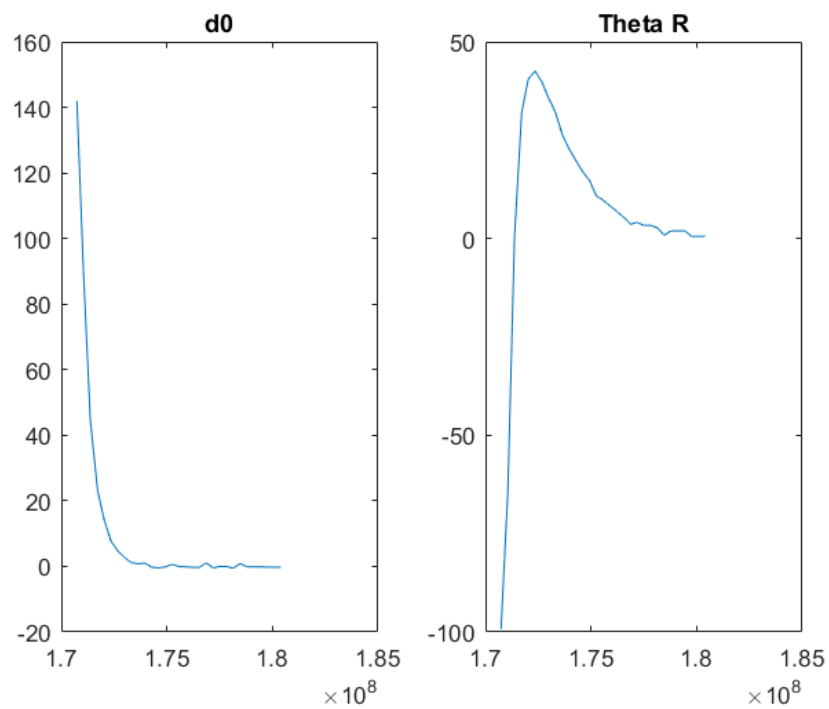
And since the maximum of  $\sin^2(\theta[k]) = \cos^2(\theta[k]) = 1$  gives the same upper and lower bounds.

## Task 10

$K = 5$  In the general case no due to the direction of the robot is not lined up with the point it wants to go to.



## Task 11



## Task 12

This section is very similar to task 9 whilst we have a slightly different controller thus this will not change the poles of the controller. Again the position approximated with euler forward.

$$x[h] \approx x[k] + \dot{x}[k]\tau_s$$

We have  $\dot{x}$  from equation (3) and control signal  $u_\omega$ .

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$$|\lambda| = |1 - K_\omega \tau_s R \cos^2(\theta[k])| < 1$$

This gives the the upper/lower boundary of  $0 < K_\omega < \frac{2}{R\tau_s}$  since the minimum upper boundary is found when  $\cos^2(\theta[k]) = 1$ . This is just like the controller in task 9 but we control to a different position.

If the controller is analysed in the y direction the following eigenvalues are obtained.

$$|\lambda| = |1 - K_\omega \tau_s R \sin^2(\theta[k])| < 1$$

And since the maximum of  $\sin^2(\theta[k]) = \cos^2(\theta[k]) = 1$  gives the same upper and lower bounds.

## Task 13

With the control value:  $K = 30$  the performance can be seen in figure 5.

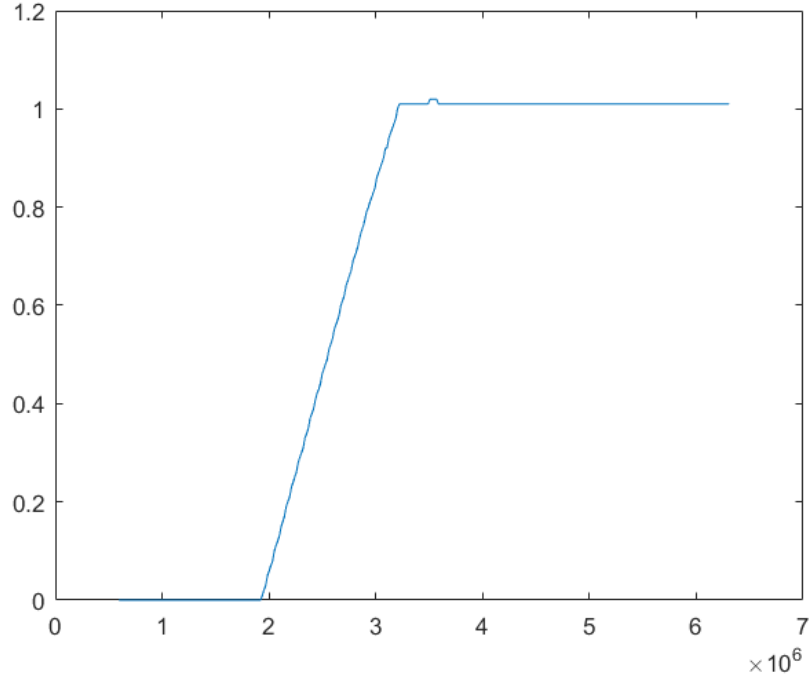


Figure 5: Controller performance

It is not possible to arrive at  $x_g$   $y_g$  exactly, mainly because the performance depends on the aim by the rotational controllers, both before and during travel.

## Task 14

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$$\theta[k+h] \approx (1 - \frac{pRK_\Psi\tau_s}{L})\theta[k] + \frac{RK_\Psi\tau_s}{L}\theta_g$$

This is stable i the absolute value of the eigenvalues are less than 1 for the  $\Phi$  matrix. The eigenvalue is

$$\lambda = |1 - \frac{pRK_\Psi\tau_s}{L}| < 1$$

This gives the the upper/lower boundary of  $K_\Psi$  due to.

$$\frac{pRK_\Psi\tau_s}{L} > 0$$

and

$$\frac{pRK_\Psi\tau_s}{L} < 2$$

and therefore  $0 < K_\Psi < \frac{2pR\tau_s}{L}$ .



## Task 15

Solution to the task

## Task 16

Solution to the task

## Task 17

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## Task 18

$$Q = \{Rotate, Line, Wait\}$$

$$X = \mathbb{R}^3$$

$$Init = (Rotation, (x0, y0, \theta0))$$

$$f(Rotation, (x, y, \theta)) = (Ru_\omega * \cos(\theta), Ru_\omega * \sin(\theta), \frac{R}{L}u_\Psi)$$

$$f(Line, (x, y, \theta)) = (Ru_\omega * \cos(\theta), Ru_\omega * \sin(\theta), \frac{R}{L}u_\Psi)$$

$$f(Wait, (x, y, \theta)) = (0, 0, 0)$$

$$D(Rotation) = \{(x, y, \theta) \in \mathbb{R}, -180 < \theta \leq 180\}$$

$$D(Line) = \{(x, y, \theta) \in \mathbb{R}, -180 < \theta \leq 180\}$$

$$D(Wait) = \{(x, y, \theta) \in \mathbb{R}, -180 < \theta \leq 180\}$$

$$E = \{(Rotation, line), (Line, Wait), (Line, Rotation), (Wait, Rotation)\}$$

$$G(Rotation, Line) = \{(x, y, \theta) \in \mathbb{R} : |\theta^R - \theta| < a, |x0 - x| < b, |y0 - y| < c\}$$

$$G(Line, Rotation) = \{(x, y, \theta) \in \mathbb{R} : |xg - x| < d, |yg - y| < e\}$$

$$\begin{aligned} R((Rotation, Line), ((x, y, \theta) \in \mathbb{R})) &= R((Line, Wait), ((x, y, \theta) \in \mathbb{R})) = \\ &= R((Line, Rotation), ((x, y, \theta) \in \mathbb{R})) = R((Wait, Rotation), ((x, y, \theta) \in \mathbb{R})) = \\ &= \{(x, y, \theta) \in \mathbb{R}\} \end{aligned}$$

## Task 19

Solution to the task

## Task 20

Done

## Task 21

It was pretty hard to reach the exact point manually. This was probably due to the short delay in communication and that you needed to hold down the button for a short time for the robot to react.

## Task 22

The path of the robot compared to the simulation with the same controllers can be seen in Figure 6.

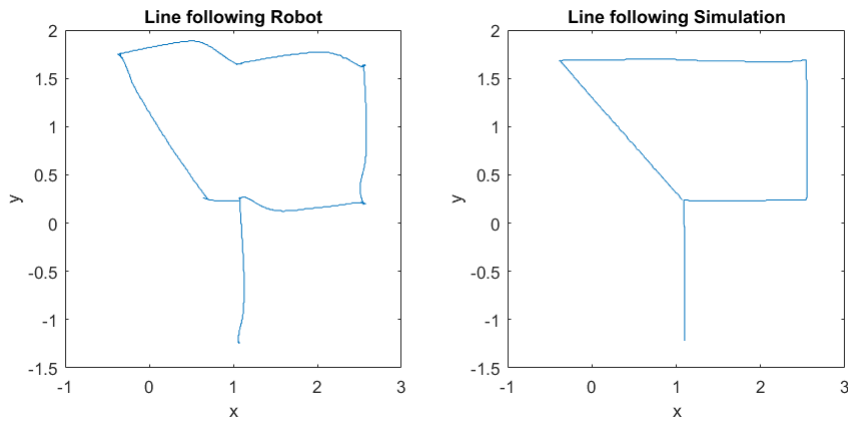


Figure 6: Comparison of line following between the real robot and the simulation

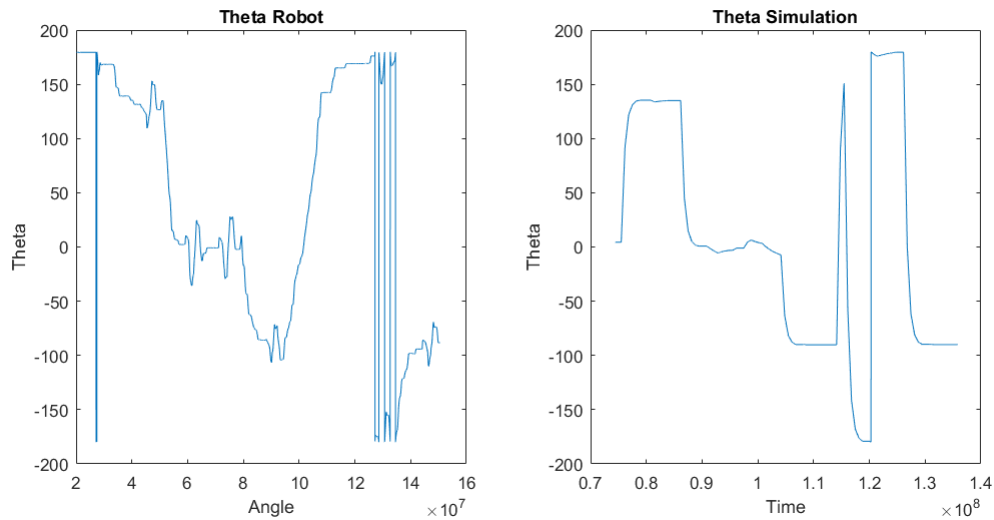


Figure 7: Comparison of  $\theta$  between the real robot and the simulation

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