Optimal control – Assignment 3

The state vector are inputted as the following:

```
x0=[
                  -1.52
                           0];
A=[
         0
                               0
                  1
                           0
         0
                  -0.4
                               -0.01
                           0
         0
                           0
                  0
                               1
         9.8
                  -1.43
                           0
                               -0.02
                                        ];
B=[
         0
         6
         0
         9.8];
C=[
         1
             0
                  0
                      0
         0
             0
                  1
                      0
                          ];
D=[ 0
    0
         ];
```

After that, with the initial Q and R, the height and pitch of the helicopter was computed as follows.

```
Q=diag([1000 1 50 1]);
R=0.001;
[Ko, Mo, E]=lqr(A, B, Q, R);

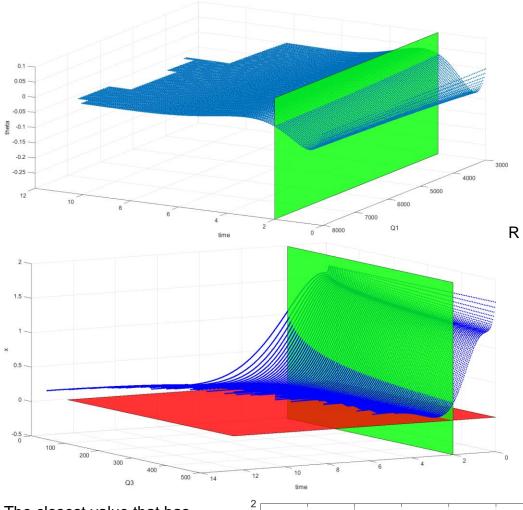
sysCL=ss(A-B*Ko, [B zeros(4,1)], [ zeros(1,4) ;C2],zeros(2,2));
[y,t,e]=initial(sysCL, x0');
n=size(t,4);

Xdt = [0 0 0.15 0];
Xdt = repelem(Xdt,n,1);
X=Xd-e;
u=Ko*e';

X1=X(1:end,1);
X3=X(1:end,3);
```

the resulted plot suggested that the helicopter went above height limit just after 2 seconds limit and briefly after 5 second. The pitch also still outside the limit after 2.5 seconds. Therefore, the system still need optimization.

Various solution has been tried to get the optimal value of Q and R. including brute forcing the value using for loop for x1 and x3 in Q resulting in this 3D graph.

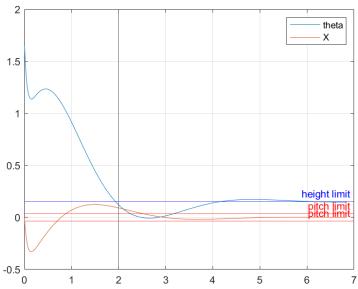


The closest value that has been attempted is

 $Q = [820 \ 1 \ 85 \ 1]$ R = 0.001

Which resulting in this graph.

The helicopter manage to reach the height target before 2 second but it went above it again after 4 second.



At the end I did not manage to reach the specification. I suspect that I made mistake in the computation of the state space. Otherwise, its simply my lack of understanding and experience.