Project : Building a Controller

Project Rubric : WRITE UP

1) Provide a Writeup / README that includes all the rubric points and how you addressed each one. You can submit your writeup as markdown or pdf.

This would the documewnt where I explain the rubric points

Project Rubric : Implemented Controller

1)Implemented body rate control in C++.

- The controller is proportional to the error in body rate command.
- The controller takes into account the moments of inertia of the drone when calculating the commanded moments.

```
107  ///////////////////////////// BEGIN STUDENT CODE ////////////////////////////
108  V3F error = pqrCmd -pqr;
109  momentCmd = kpPQR * error * V3F(Ixx,Iyy,Izz);
110  ///////////////////////////// END STUDENT CODE //////////////////////////////
```

2)Implement roll pitch control in C++.

- The controller uses acceleration and thrust commands.
- The controller uses the rotation matrix to account the non-linear transformation from local accelerations to body rates.

```
137  ///////////////////////////// BEGIN STUDENT CODE ////////////////////////////
138  float c_d,target_R13,target_R23;
139  if (collThrustCmd > 0.0)
140  {
141      c_d = collThrustCmd/mass;
142      target_R13 = -CONSTRAIN(accelCmd.x/c_d, -maxTiltAngle, maxTiltAngle);
143      target_R23 = -CONSTRAIN(accelCmd.y/c_d, -maxTiltAngle, maxTiltAngle);
144
145
146      pqrCmd.x = kpBank *((R(1, 0) * (target_R13 - R(0, 2))) - (R(0, 0) * (target_R23 - R(1, 2)))) / R(2, 2);
147      pqrCmd.y = kpBank *((R(1, 1) * (target_R13 - R(0, 2))) - (R(0, 1) * (target_R23 - R(1, 2)))) / R(2, 2);
148  }
149  else
150  {
151      pqrCmd.x = 0.0;
152      pqrCmd.y = 0.0;
153  }
154
155   pqrCmd.z = 0;
156
157  ///////////////////////////// END STUDENT CODE //////////////////////////////
```

3)Implement altitude controller in C++.

- The controller uses both the down position and the down velocity to command thrust.
- The controller also contains **integratedAltitudeError** Variable which stores the integrated values over time.

```
185  ///////////////////////////// BEGIN STUDENT CODE ////////////////////////////
186  float posZ_error = posZCmd - posZ;
187  integratedAltitudeError += posZ_error * dt;
188
189  velZCmd = velZCmd + kpPosZ*posZ_error + KiPosZ*integratedAltitudeError;
190  velZCmd = CONSTRAIN(velZCmd, -maxDescentRate, maxAscentRate);
191
192  accelZCmd = accelZCmd + kpVelZ*(velZCmd - velZ);
193  thrust = mass * (9.81f - (accelZCmd / R(2,2)));
194
195  ///////////////////////////// END STUDENT CODE ////////////////////////////
```

4)Implement lateral position control in C++.

```
229  ///////////////////////////// BEGIN STUDENT CODE ////////////////////////////
230
231  velCmd.constrain(-maxSpeedXY,maxSpeedXY);
232  V3F pos_Error = posCmd - pos;
233  V3F vel_Error = velCmd - vel;
234  accelCmd = accelCmdFF + kpPosXY*pos_Error + kpVelXY * vel_Error;
235  accelCmd.z = 0;
236  accelCmd.constrain(-maxAccelXY, maxAccelXY);
237
238  ///////////////////////////// END STUDENT CODE ////////////////////////////
```

5)Implement yaw control in C++.

```
257  ///////////////////////////// BEGIN STUDENT CODE ////////////////////////////
258  float yaw_Error = fmodf(yawCmd - yaw, F_PI*2.f);
259  if (yaw_Error > F_PI)
260      yaw_Error += - 2.0f*F_PI;
261  else if (yaw_Error < -M_PI)
262      yaw_Error += 2.0f*F_PI;
263
264  yawRateCmd = kpYaw * yaw_Error;
265
266
267
268  ///////////////////////////// END STUDENT CODE ////////////////////////////
```

6)Implement calculating the motor commands given commanded thrust and moments in C++.

```
71   ///////////////////////////// BEGIN STUDENT CODE ////////////////////////////
72
73     float a = momentCmd.x*sqrtf(2.f)/L;
74     a = a/(4.f);
75     float b = momentCmd.y*sqrtf(2.f)/L;
76     b = b/(4.f);
77     float c = momentCmd.z/kappa;
78     c = c/(4.f);
79     float d = collThrustCmd;
80     d = d/(4.f);
81
82     cmd.desiredThrustsN[0] = a+b+c+d;
83     cmd.desiredThrustsN[1] =-a+b-c+d;
84     cmd.desiredThrustsN[3] =-a-b+c+d;
85     cmd.desiredThrustsN[2] = a-b-c+d;
86   ///////////////////////////// END STUDENT CODE ////////////////////////////
```

Project Rubric : Flight Evaluation

Test Results of my controller