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SEMESTRAL ASSIGNMENT

Ball&Beam

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1.ASSIGMENT

Mathematical model of the ball&beam

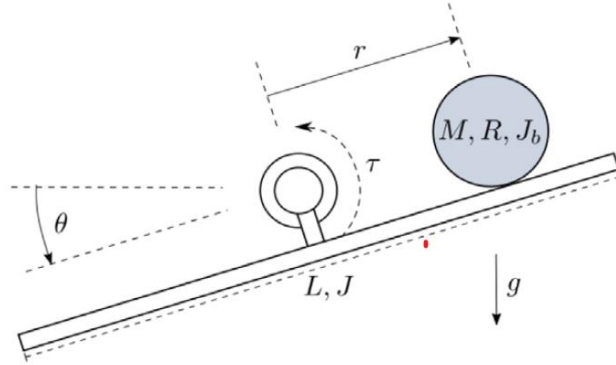


Figure1. Ball and Beam system, variables and parameters

$$0 = \left(\frac{J_b}{R^2} + M \right) \ddot{r} + Mg \sin \theta - Mr \dot{\theta}^2 \quad (1)$$

$$\tau = (Mr^2 + J + J_b) \ddot{\theta} + 2Mr \dot{r} \dot{\theta} + Mgr \cos \theta \quad (2)$$

r = Sphere Position

θ : Rail Angle

τ : Applied Torque

g : Gravity acceleration

J : Moment of inertia of the rail

J_b : Moment of inertia of the ball

m : Mass of the Sphere

R : Sphere radius

2.State Space Representation

$$X_1 = r, X_2 = \dot{r}, X_3 = \theta, X_4 = \dot{\theta} \quad (3)$$

$$u = \tau, y = r \quad (4)$$

$$\dot{X}_1 = X_2 \quad (5)$$

$$\dot{X}_2 = b(X_1 X_4^2 - g \sin(X_3)) \quad (6)$$

$$X_3 = X_1 \quad (7)$$

$$\dot{X}_4 = \frac{(-2mX_1 X_2 X_4 - mgX_1 \cos(X_3) + u)}{mX_1^2 + J + J_b} \quad (8)$$

$$b = \frac{m}{\frac{J_b}{r^2} + m} \quad (9)$$

3. Linearization and Equilibrium Points

$$f(x, u) = \begin{bmatrix} f_1 \\ f_2 \\ f_3 \\ f_4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} X_2 \\ b(X_1 X_4^2 - g \sin(X_3)) \\ X_3 \\ \frac{(-2mX_1 X_2 X_4 - mgX_1 \cos(X_3) + u)}{mX_1^2 + J + J_b} \end{bmatrix} \quad (10)$$

Once the state equations f_i were obtained, the equilibrium point X_q was determined for taking each state derivative as zero $\dot{x}=0$, and an input $u_q=0$. Replacing all the values the state space matrix results in four equilibrium equations:

$$X_{2q} = 0 \quad (11)$$

$$b(X_{1q} X_{4q}^2 - g \sin(X_{3q})) = 0 \quad (12)$$

$$X_{4q} = 0 \quad (13)$$

$$\frac{(-2mX_{1q} X_{2q} X_{4q} - mgX_{1q} \cos(X_{3q}) + u_q)}{mX_{1q}^2 + J + J_b} = 0 \quad (14)$$

Replacing equations (11) and (13), in equations (12) and (14) result in :

$$\dot{X} = \begin{bmatrix} X_{1q} \\ X_{2q} \\ X_{3q} \\ X_{4q} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad (15)$$

4.Linear State-Space Model

Then ,the state space matrices of the bar -sphere are obtained.For the state space of (16) ,A matrix is defined as follows:

$$\dot{x} = Ax + Bu$$

$$y = Cx + Du \quad (16)$$

$$A = \left(\frac{\partial f_i}{\partial x_j} \right) |_{x=x_q, u=u_q} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial x_1} & \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial x_2} & \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial x_3} & \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial x_4} \\ \frac{\partial f_2}{\partial x_1} & \frac{\partial f_2}{\partial x_2} & \frac{\partial f_2}{\partial x_3} & \frac{\partial f_2}{\partial x_4} \\ \frac{\partial f_3}{\partial x_1} & \frac{\partial f_3}{\partial x_2} & \frac{\partial f_3}{\partial x_3} & \frac{\partial f_3}{\partial x_4} \\ \frac{\partial f_4}{\partial x_1} & \frac{\partial f_4}{\partial x_2} & \frac{\partial f_4}{\partial x_3} & \frac{\partial f_4}{\partial x_4} \end{bmatrix} =$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ X_{4q}^2 & 0 & g \cos(X_3) & 2X_{1q}X_{4q} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ \frac{(-2mX_{1q}X_{2q}X_{4q} - mgX_{1q} \cos(X_{3q}) + u_q)(2mX_{1q}X_{2q}X_{4q})}{mX_1^2 + J + J_b} & \frac{(mgX_{1q} \sin(X_{3q}))}{J + J_b} & \frac{- (2mX_{1q}X_{2q}X_{4q})}{J + J_b} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -bg & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ \frac{mg}{J + J_b} & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Matrices B and C are as follow:

$$B = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ \frac{1}{J+J_b} \end{bmatrix} \quad C = [1 \ 0 \ 0 \ 0]$$

The values for the system constants are:

- Mass of the Sphere: 0,1 [kg]
- Radius of the Sphere: 0,1 [m]
- Moment of Inertia of the Sphere: 0,004 [kg m²]
- Moment of Inertia of the Bar: 0,02083 [kg m²]
- Acceleration of Gravity: 9,8 [m/s²]

5. Non-Linear and Linear Dynamics of Ball&Beam and applying State-Feedback Controller in Matlab/Simulink

The state feedback can place the poles by altering the eigenvalues of the closed loops system matrix;

$$u = -Kx$$

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m = 0.1;
R = 0.1;
g = 9.8;
J = 0.02083;
Jb = 0.004;

b = m * R * R / (Jb + (m * R * R));

A = [0 1 0 0
     0 0 -b*g 0
     0 0 0 1
     m*g/(J + Jb) 0 0 0]
B = [0;0;0;1/(J+Jb)]
C = [1 0 0 0];
D = [0];

p1 = -2+2i;
p2 = -2-2i;
p3 = -20;
p4 = -80;

K = place(A,B,[p1,p2,p3,p4])
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Figure2. The script for the definition of the parameters in MATLAB

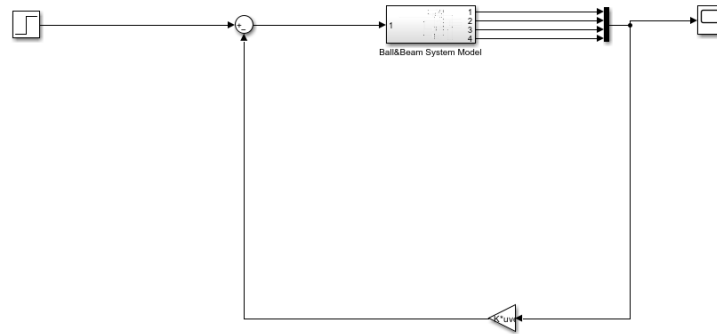


Figure3. The Simulink representation of Non-Linear System of Ball-Beam

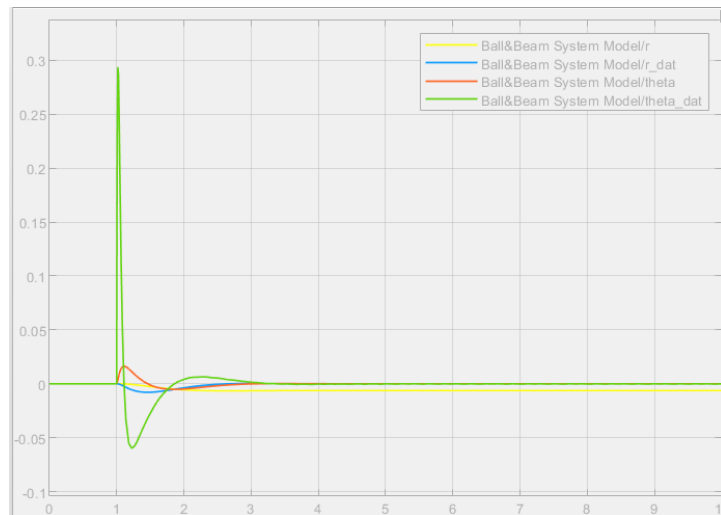


Figure 4:The graph from scope shows that non-linear equation's states with controller in Simulink

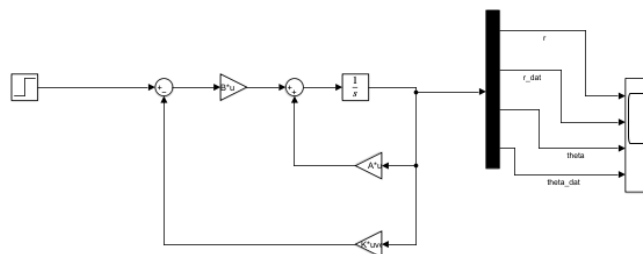


Figure5. The Simulink representation of Linear System of Ball-Beam

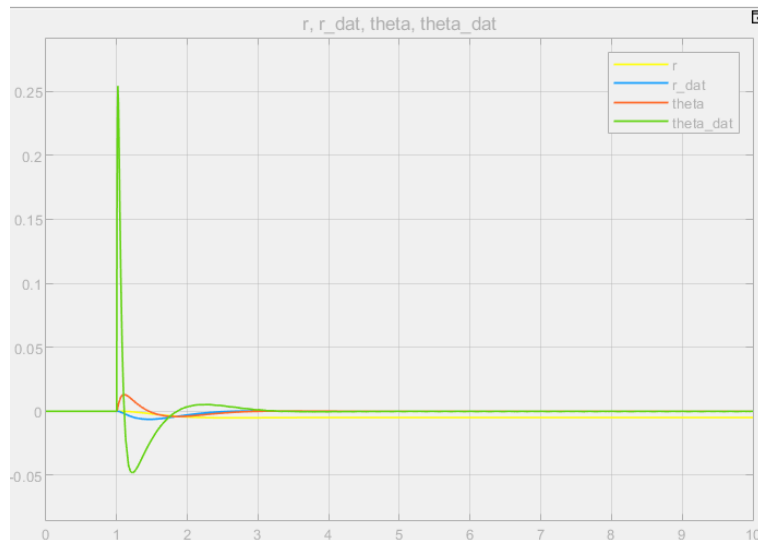


Figure 6: The graph from scope shows that linear equation's states with controller in Simulink

6. Conclusion

Firstly, the nonlinear model for the ball-beam dynamic system, it is required to represent the nonlinear equations into the standard state space form. After that, since the goal of this particular system is to keep the ball-beam, the linearization might be considered about this equilibrium point. Lastly, state-feedback control is an optimal control technique to make the optimal control decisions have been implemented to control the nonlinear and linear ball-beam systems with continuous disturbance input. The state-feedback controller was one of the fastest because it was able to stabilize the system in around three seconds.

