

Write MATLAB code to implement model-predictive control to optimize the trajectory of a aircraft.

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To implement Model Predictive Control (MPC) for an aircraft trajectory optimization in MATLAB, you will need to define the system model, constraints, cost function, and control horizon. Here's a simple example of an MPC implementation for an aircraft trajectory optimization:

1. Define the system model (e.g., a discrete-time linear state-space model):

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A = [1.0 0.1; 0 0.95]; % State matrix

B = [0; 0.1]; % Input matrix

C = [1 0]; % Output matrix

D = 0; % Feed-through matrix

Ts = 0.1; % Sampling time in seconds

sys = ss(A, B, C, D, Ts); % Discrete-time linear state-space model
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% Set MPC parameters

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2. Define the MPC controller:

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control_horizon = 10;
prediction_horizon = 30;
weights = struct('MV', 0.1, 'MVRate', 0.01, 'OV', 1);

% Create the MPC controller
mpc_controller = mpc(sys, Ts, control_horizon, prediction_horizon, weights)
3. Set constraints on the input and states:
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% Input constraints (e.g., control input limits)

 $mpc\_controller.MV(1).Min = -0.5;$ 

mpc\_controller.MV(1).Max = 0.5;

mpc\_controller.States(1).Min = -Inf;

mpc\_controller.States(1).Max = Inf;

mpc\_controller.States(2).Min = -Inf;

mpc\_controller.States(2).Max = Inf;

% State constraints (e.g., altitude and velocity limits)

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4. Define the simulation parameters and initial conditions:

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Simulation parameters
t_sim = 20;  % Simulation time in seconds
n_steps = floor(t_sim / Ts);  % Number of simulation steps

% Initial conditions
x0 = [0; 0];  % Initial state vector (altitude and veloc u = zeros(1, n_steps);  % Control input vector
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y\_ref = ones(1, n\_steps) \* 100; % Reference altitude (desired altitude)

y = zeros(1, n\_steps); % Output vector (altitude)

x = x0; for k = 1:n\_steps

5. Run the simulation and apply the MPC controller:

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% Get the optimal control input
u(k) = mpcmove(mpc_controller, x, y(k), y_ref(k));

% Update the system state
x = A * x + B * u(k);

% Update the output
y(k+1) = C * x + D * u(k);
end

6. Plot the results:
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figure; subplot(2, 1, 1);

time = 0:Ts:(n\_steps \* Ts);

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plot(time, [x0(1), y(1:end-1)], 'LineWidth', 2);
  hold on;
  plot(time, y_ref, '--', 'LineWidth', 2);
  xlabel('Time (s)');
  ylabel('Altitude (m)');
  legend('Aircraft Altitude', 'Reference Altitude');
  title('Aircraft Trajectory Optimization using MPC');
  grid on;
  subplot(2, 1, 2);
  stairs(time(1:end-1), u, 'LineWidth', 2);
  xlabel('Time (s)');
  ylabel('Control Input');
  title('Control Input vs. Time');
  grid on;
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Keep in mind that more complex aircraft models might need to consider additional factors, such as aerodynamic forces, aircraft dynamics, and environmental

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 $A = [1.0 \ 0.1; \ 0 \ 0.95];$ 

performance of the aircraft.

Here is the complete MATLAB code for the simple MPC implementation described above:

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You can also utilize the built-in functions in MATLAB and Simulink for implementing

MPC. For example, you can use the "mpc" function to create an MPC controller, and

"mpcmove" to compute the optimal control input. Furthermore, you can integrate

a simple example, and you may need to customize the code based on your specific

conditions. In these cases, you might need to use a nonlinear model and

your MPC controller into a Simulink model to simulate and analyze the

aircraft model, constraints, and performance objectives.

implement a nonlinear MPC algorithm.

B = [0; 0.1]; C = [1 0]; D = 0; Ts = 0.1; sys = ss(A, B, C, D, Ts);

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prediction_horizon = 30;
weights = struct('MV', 0.1, 'MVRate', 0.01, 'OV', 1);
mpc_controller = mpc(sys, Ts, control_horizon, prediction_horizon, weights)
% Set constraints
mpc_controller.MV(1).Min = -0.5;
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mpc_controller.States(1).Min = -Inf;
mpc_controller.States(1).Max = Inf;
mpc_controller.States(2).Min = -Inf;
mpc_controller.States(2).Max = Inf;
% Simulation parameters
t_sim = 20;
n_steps = floor(t_sim / Ts);
% Initial conditions
x0 = [0; 0];
u = zeros(1, n_steps);
y = zeros(1, n_steps);
y_ref = ones(1, n_steps) * 100;
% Run the simulation
x = x0;
for k = 1:n_steps
    u(k) = mpcmove(mpc_controller, x, y(k), y_ref(k));
    x = A * x + B * u(k);
   y(k+1) = C * x + D * u(k);
end
% Plot the results
time = 0:Ts:(n_steps * Ts);
figure;
subplot(2, 1, 1);
plot(time, [x0(1), y(1:end-1)], 'LineWidth', 2);
hold on;
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ylabel('Control Input');
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of an aircraft. You can adapt and expand this code based on the specific requirements of your project.

This code provides a simple demonstration of using MPC to optimize the trajectory

title('Control Input vs. Time');

grid on;