

A Design Study Approach to Classical Control

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Homework D.b

Modify the Simulink, Matlab, or Python model created in Homework [D.2](#) by creating a function that implements the equations of motion. The input to the function should be a variable force. The output should go to the animation developed in Homework [D.2](#).

Solution

The s-function is listed below.

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1 function [sys,x0,str,ts,simStateCompliance] = mass_dynamics(t,x,u,flag,P)
2 switch flag
3
4     %%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%
5     % Initialization %
6     %%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%
7     case 0
8         [sys,x0,str,ts,simStateCompliance]=mdlInitializeSizes(P);
9
10    %%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%
11    % Derivatives %
12    %%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%
13    case 1
14        sys=mdlDerivatives(t,x,u,P);
15
16    %%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%
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17 % Update %
18 %%%%%%%%%%
19 case 2
20     sys=mdlUpdate(t,x,u);
21
22 %%%%%%%%%%
23 % Outputs %
24 %%%%%%%%%%
25 case 3
26     sys=mdlOutputs(t,x,u);
27
28 %%%%%%%%%%
29 % GetTimeOfNextVarHit %
30 %%%%%%%%%%
31 case 4
32     sys=mdlGetTimeOfNextVarHit(t,x,u);
33
34 %%%%%%%%%%
35 % Terminate %
36 %%%%%%%%%%
37 case 9
38     sys=mdlTerminate(t,x,u);
39
40 %%%%%%%%%%
41 % Unexpected flags %
42 %%%%%%%%%%
43 otherwise
44     DASTudio.error('Simulink:blocks:unhandledFlag', num2str(flag));
45
46 end
47
48 % end sfuntmpl
49
50 %
51 %=====
52 % mdlInitializeSizes
53 % Return the sizes, initial conditions, and sample times for the
54 % S-function.
55 %=====
56 %
57 function [sys,x0,str,ts,simStateCompliance]=mdlInitializeSizes(P)
58
59 sizes = simsizes;
60
61 sizes.NumContStates = 2;

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62 sizes.NumDiscStates = 0;
63 sizes.NumOutputs     = 1+2;
64 sizes.NumInputs      = 1;
65 sizes.DirFeedthrough = 0;
66 sizes.NumSampleTimes = 1; % at least one sample time is needed
67
68 sys = simsizes(sizes);
69
70 %
71 % initialize the initial conditions
72 %
73 x0 = [P.z0; P.zdot0];
74
75 %
76 % str is always an empty matrix
77 %
78 str = [];
79
80 %
81 % initialize the array of sample times
82 %
83 ts = [0 0];
84
85 simStateCompliance = 'UnknownSimState';
86
87 % end mdlInitializeSizes
88
89 %
90 %=====
91 % mdlDerivatives
92 % Return the derivatives for the continuous states.
93 %=====
94 %
95 function sys=mdlDerivatives(t,x,u,P)
96     z     = x(1);
97     zdot  = x(2);
98     F     = u(1);
99
100 persistent m
101 persistent k
102 persistent b
103 if t==0
104     alpha = 0.0; % uncertainty parameter
105     m = P.m * (1+2*alpha*rand-alpha); % kg
106     k = P.k * (1+2*alpha*rand-alpha); % m

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107     b = P.b * (1+2*alpha*rand-alpha); % N m
108 end
109
110     zddot = (F-b*zdot-k*z)/m;
111
112     sys = [zdot; zddot];
113
114 % end mdlDerivatives
115
116 %
117 %=====
118 % mdlUpdate
119 % Handle discrete state updates, sample time hits, and major time
120 % step requirements.
121 %=====
122 %
123 function sys=mdlUpdate(t,x,u)
124
125 sys = [];
126
127 % end mdlUpdate
128
129 %
130 %=====
131 % mdlOutputs
132 % Return the block outputs.
133 %=====
134 %
135 function sys=mdlOutputs(t,x,u)
136     z = x(1);
137
138     sys = [z; x];
139
140 % end mdlOutputs
141
142 %
143 %=====
144 % mdlGetTimeOfNextVarHit
145
146 %=====
147 %
148 function sys=mdlGetTimeOfNextVarHit(t,x,u)
149
150 sampleTime = 1;
151 sys = t + sampleTime;

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152
153 % end mdlGetTimeOfNextVarHit
154
155 %
156 %=====
157 % mdlTerminate
158 % Perform any end of simulation tasks.
159 %=====
160 %
161 function sys=mdlTerminate(t,x,u)
162
163 sys = [];
164
165 % end mdlTerminate

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For a complete solution to this problem, see the wiki associated with this book.