

$D[k] = [x_1[k], \dots, x_D[k]] \in \mathbb{R}^{2 \times D^{(1)}}$ demonstrated states encoded as DMP (one DoF)

$U[k] = [u_1[k], \dots, u_D[k]] \in \mathbb{R}^{1 \times D}$ corresponding control inputs (one DoF)

$\bar{A} \in \mathbb{R}^{2 \times 2}$ discrete state transition matrix of a DMP (one DoF)

$\bar{B} \in \mathbb{R}^{2 \times 1}$ discrete input matrix (one DoF)

$x[k] \in \mathbb{R}^{2 \times 1}$ state vector $x[k] = \begin{bmatrix} \dot{q}[k] \\ q[k] \end{bmatrix}$ (one DoF)

$\xi[k] = [x_1[k], \dots, x_L[k]]^T \in \mathbb{R}^{2 \cdot L \times 1}$ concatenated state vector of

$\lambda[k] \in \mathbb{R}^{(D+1)}$ control vector from solving QP (one DoF) $\lambda[k] = [\lambda_1[k], \dots, \lambda_D[k], \lambda^*[k]]$

Combined state model of L DMP

auxiliary control input for obstacle avoidance

$$\xi[k+1] = \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} \bar{A} & & 0 \\ & \ddots & \\ 0 & & \bar{A} \end{bmatrix}}_{\phi \in \mathbb{R}^{2L \times 2L}} \xi[k] + \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} \bar{B} & 0 \\ & \ddots & \\ 0 & & \bar{B} \end{bmatrix}}_{B \in \mathbb{R}^{2L \times L}} \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} [u_1[k], 1] & 0 \\ & \ddots & \\ 0 & [u_L[k], 1] \end{bmatrix}}_{\mathcal{X}[k] \in \mathbb{R}^{L \times (D+1)L}} \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} \lambda_1[k] \\ \vdots \\ \lambda_L[k] \end{bmatrix}}_{\mu[k] \in \mathbb{R}^{(D+1)L \times 1}}$$

Projection error at time t_k

$$\Delta \xi[k] = \xi[k] - \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} [D_1[k], 0] & 0 \\ 0 & [D_L[k], 0] \end{bmatrix}}_{\Omega[k] \in \mathbb{R}^{2L \times (D+1)L}} \mu[k]$$

$$\Delta \xi[k+1] = \xi[k+1] - \Omega[k+1] \mu[k+1] = \phi \xi[k] + B \mathcal{X}[k] \mu[k] - \Omega[k+1] \mu[k+1]$$

$$\Delta \xi[k+2] = \xi[k+2] - \Omega[k+2] \mu[k+2] = \phi^2 \xi[k] + \phi B \mathcal{X}[k] \mu[k] + B \mathcal{X}[k+1] \mu[k+1] - \Omega[k+2] \mu[k+2]$$

$$\Delta \xi[k+3] = \xi[k+3] - \Omega[k+3] \mu[k+3] = \phi^3 \xi[k] + \phi^2 B \mathcal{X}[k] \mu[k] + \phi B \mathcal{X}[k+1] \mu[k+1] + B \mathcal{X}[k+2] \mu[k+2] - \Omega[k+3] \mu[k+3]$$

$\varphi \in \mathbb{R}^{2L(P+1) \times 1}$ MPC - scheme Preview window size P

$$\underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} \Delta \xi[k] \\ \Delta \xi[k+1] \\ \Delta \xi[k+2] \\ \Delta \xi[k+3] \\ \vdots \end{bmatrix}}_{\Delta Z \in \mathbb{R}^{2L(P+1) \times 1}} = \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} \phi^0 \\ \phi^1 \\ \phi^2 \\ \phi^3 \\ \vdots \end{bmatrix}}_{\varphi} \xi[k] + \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} -\Omega[k] & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ B \mathcal{X}[k] & -\Omega[k+1] & 0 & 0 \\ \phi B \mathcal{X}[k] & B \mathcal{X}[k+1] & -\Omega[k+2] & 0 \\ \phi^2 B \mathcal{X}[k] & \phi B \mathcal{X}[k+1] & B \mathcal{X}[k+2] & -\Omega[k+3] \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \end{bmatrix}}_{E \in \mathbb{R}^{2L(P+1) \times (D+1)L(P+1)}} \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} \mu[k] \\ \mu[k+1] \\ \mu[k+2] \\ \mu[k+3] \\ \vdots \end{bmatrix}}_{\mu \in \mathbb{R}^{(D+1)L(P+1) \times 1}}$$

$$v = [l_{11}, \dots, l_{D1}, 0, \dots, l_{1L}, \dots, l_{DL}, 0, 0, \dots, 0] \in \mathbb{R}^{(D+1)L \times 1}$$

\hookrightarrow distance vector from the current state to the demo states

$p_0 \in \mathbb{R}$ weight factor for the auxiliary control inputs

$H \in \mathbb{R}^{2L(P+1) \times 2L(P+1)}$ state weight matrix

$\epsilon \in \mathbb{R}$ small weight for the distances

$$\min_{\lambda} \frac{1}{2} \underbrace{\lambda^T E^T H^T H E \lambda}_{\frac{1}{2} \|E \lambda\|_H^2} + \epsilon v^T \mu[k] + p_0 \underbrace{\sum_{i=1}^{P+1} \sum_{l=1}^L \bar{\lambda}_{i,l}}_{\text{minimize auxiliary controls}}$$

$$\text{s.t. } \lambda_{dl}[k+i] \geq 0 \quad d=1, \dots, D, \quad i=0, \dots, P, \quad l=1, \dots, L$$

$$\sum_{d=1}^D \lambda_{dl}[k+i] = 1 \quad i=0, \dots, P, \quad l=1, \dots, L$$

BASIC FORMULATION

ADDITIONAL STATE CONSTRAINTS FOR OBSTACLE AVOIDANCE

$$\xi[k+1] = \phi \xi[k] + B x[k] \mu[k] \quad \text{discrete SS model}$$

$$\Rightarrow \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} \xi[k+1] \\ \xi[k+2] \\ \vdots \\ \xi[k+P] \end{bmatrix}}_{Z \in \mathbb{R}^{2LP}} = \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} \phi \\ \phi^2 \\ \vdots \\ \phi^P \end{bmatrix}}_{S \in \mathbb{R}^{2LP}} \xi[k] + \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} B x[k] & 0 & 0 \\ \phi B x[k] & B x[k] & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \end{bmatrix}}_{Y \in \mathbb{R}^{2LP \times (D+1)L(P+1)}} \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} \mu[k] \\ \mu[k+1] \\ \vdots \\ \mu[k+P] \end{bmatrix}}_{\lambda \in \mathbb{R}^{(D+1)L(P+1)}}$$

$$H = [H_1, \dots, H_L] \in \mathbb{R}^L$$

L -dimensional normal vector (in position space although it could also be in velocity space)

$$S^p = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & \dots \\ \vdots & & & & \end{bmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^{L \times 2L}$$

Selection matrices to pick positions/velocities from the state vector ξ

$$S^v = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & \dots \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & \dots \\ \vdots & & & & \end{bmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^{L \times 2L}$$

$$H[k+1]S^q \xi[k+1] + b[k+1] \leq 0$$

P constraints over the previous window

\vdots

if constraint not active at $k+i$

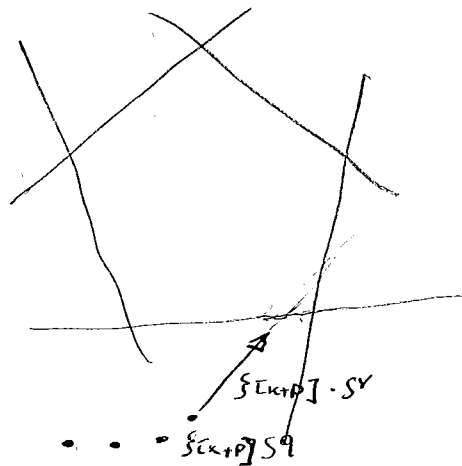
$$H[k+P]S^q \xi[k+P] + b[k+P] \leq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow H[k+i] = 0, b[k+i] = 0$$

$$\underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} H[k+1]S^q & & & \\ & \ddots & & \\ & & 0 & \\ & & & \ddots \\ & & & & H[k+P]S^q \end{bmatrix}}_{C \in \mathbb{R}^{P \times 2LP}}$$

$$C \cdot \delta + \begin{bmatrix} b[k+1] \\ \vdots \\ b[k+P] \end{bmatrix} + C Y \Delta \leq 0$$

How to find active constraints



if velocity ray at $k+P$ intersects the obstacle, the closest hyperplane is an active constraint