
Problem 5

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%script_simgravgradsc12.m
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%
% This Matlab script simulates the torque-free motion of
% a non-axi-symmetric spinning satellite.
%
% This script makes a plot of the
% angular momentum time history in body-fixed
% coordinates and in inertial
% coordinates. It also makes plots
% of the time histories of the 3 body-axis spin-
% rate vector elements.
%
% Clear the Matlab workspace.
%
clear;clc;close all;
%
% Set up the simulation parameters. Load the body-axes moment-of-
% inertia matrix and the initial body-axes angular velocity
% from simgravgradsc12_data.mat.
%
load simgravgradsc12_data
%
% Set up the orbital angular rate.
%
norbit = 0; % eliminate gravity-gradient torque and
            % rotation of the reference frame relative to which
            % x(1:4,1) defines the attitude quaternion so that
            % it becomes an inertial reference frame rather
            % than a non-inertial orbit-following local-level
            % reference frame.
q0 = [0;0;0;1];
x0 = [q0;omegabody0];
%
% Define the aircraft dynamics function handle
% in a form that is suitable for input to ode45.m.
%
ffunctode45 = @(tdum,xlum) ...
    ffunctgravgradsc02(tdum,xlum,IMoIbody,norbit);
%
% Define the time span of the simulation, computing outputs
% every 0.5. This time span should be large enough
% to see several spins periods and several nutation periods.
%
tspan = ((0:900)')*0.5;
%
% Set up numerical integration options for ode45.m
% in a way that uses a tighter relative tolerance than
% is normally used.
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%
optionsode45 = odeset('RelTol',1.e-10);
%
% Call ode45.m in order to perform numerical integration.
%
tic
[thist,xhist] = ode45(ffunctode45,tspan,x0,optionsode45);
timetosim = toc;
%
% Compute the angular momentum vector time history in
% inertial coordinates.
%
tic
N = size(thist,1);
hvecbodyhist = zeros(N,3);
hvecinertialhist = zeros(N,3);
for k = 1:N
    xk = xhist(k,:)';
    hvecbodyk = IMoIbody*xk(5:7,1);
    hvecbodyhist(k,:) = hvecbodyk';
    qk = xk(1:4,1);
    qknorm = qk*(1/sqrt(sum(qk.^2)));
    Rk = rotmatquaternion(qknorm);
    hvecinertialk = (Rk')*hvecbodyk;
    hvecinertialhist(k,:) = hvecinertialk';
end
timetohvecinertial = toc
clear k xk hvecbodyk qk qknorm Rk hvecinertialk
%
% Transform to principal axes and assume that the
% principal axis whose moment of inertia is the most
% different from the other two is the spin-axis
% inertia. This is a nearly axially-symmetric
% spacecraft whose principal axes do not
% exactly align with the body axes in which
% the simulation has been conducted.
%
% This eigenvalue decomposition computes the 3-by-3
% matrix Roldnew and IMoIbodynew such that
% Roldnew*IMoIbodynew*inv(Roldnew) = IMoIbody
% with IMoIbodynew being a diagonal matrix. The symmetry
% of IMoIbody should ensure that inv(Roldnew) = Roldnew'
% so that Roldnew*IMoIbodynew*(Roldnew') = IMoIbody.
% Symmetry should also ensure that IMoIbody is truly
% diagonalizable (Some matrices can only be put into a
% form known as Jordan form that is not completely
% diagonal if there are repeated eigenvalues.)
%
[Roldnew,IMoIbodynew] = eig(IMoIbody);
%
% Check that Roldnew is orthonormal.
%
errdum = norm(Roldnew*(Roldnew') - eye(3));
if errdum > 1.e-12

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        disp('Warning in script_simgravgradsc12.m: IMoIbody')
        disp(' does not appear to have orthonormal eigenvectors.')
        disp(' maybe it is not exactly diagonal.')
        disp(' ')
    end
    clear errdum
%
% Extract the eigenvalues and arrange them in ascending order.
%
    Iprsvec = diag(IMoIbodynew);
    [Iprsvec,idumsortvec] = sort(Iprsvec);
    Roldnew = Roldnew(:,idumsortvec);
    if det(Roldnew) < 0
        Roldnew(:,3) = - Roldnew(:,3);
    end
%
% Check that the physical constraint on the maximum
% eigenvalue is respected.
%
    if Iprsvec(3,1) > (Iprsvec(1,1) + Iprsvec(2,1))
        disp('Warning in script_simgravgradsc12.m: IMoIbody's')
        disp(' largest eigenvalue is more than the sum of it's')
        disp(' other two eigenvalues.')
        disp(' ')
    end
    if Iprsvec(1,1) <= 0
        disp('Warning in script_simgravgradsc12.m: IMoIbody')
        disp(' has one or more non-positive eigenvalues.')
        disp(' ')
    end
%
% Transform the body-axes spin rate vector time history
% into the principal axis coordinate system.
% Note that omegabodynewk = (Roldnew')*omegabodyk,
% as should be the case, where omegabodyk = xhist(k,5:7)'
% and omegabodynewk = omegabodynewhist(k,:)'
%
    omegabodynewhist = xhist(:,5:7)*Roldnew;
%
% Determine whether the spacecraft is spinning
% primarily about its minor axis or about its
% major axis. Make the third axis be the
% spin axis in either case.
%
    if mean(abs(omegabodynewhist(:,1))) > ...
        mean(abs(omegabodynewhist(:,3)))
        idumsortvec = [2;3;1];
        Iprsvec = Iprsvec(idumsortvec,1);
        Roldnew = Roldnew(:,idumsortvec);
        omegabodynewhist = omegabodynewhist(:,idumsortvec);
        clear idumsortvec
    end
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% Make change the sign definitions on the first

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% and third axes, if necessary, in order
% to ensure that the spin is about the positive
% third axis.
%
if mean(omegabodynewhist(:,3)) < 0
    Roldnew(:,1) = - Roldnew(:,1);
    Roldnew(:,3) = - Roldnew(:,3);
    omegabodynewhist(:,1) = - omegabodynewhist(:,1);
    omegabodynewhist(:,3) = - omegabodynewhist(:,3);
end
%
% Check that the new diagonal moment-of-inertia matrix
% and the rotation matrix agree with the original
% moment-of-inertia matrix.
%
IMoIbodynew = diag(Iprsvec);
IMoIbody_re = Roldnew*IMoIbodynew*(Roldnew');
errdum = norm(IMoIbody_re - IMoIbody)/norm(IMoIbody);
if errdum > 1.e-12
    disp('Warning in script_simgravgradsc12.m: There is')
    disp(' an inaccuracy in the principal axes model')
    disp(' ')
end
clear errdum
%
% Compute an approximate nutation frequency based
% on an approximate model that assumes axial symmetry
% even though this assumption is not quite right.
% The calculation of the mean omegaspin should
% average over an integer number of nutation periods.
% The length of the simulation has been chosen to
% make this likely.
%
omegaspinavg = mean(omegabodynewhist(:,3));
Itr1 = Iprsvec(1,1);
Itr2 = Iprsvec(2,1);
Ispin = Iprsvec(3,1);
omeganut = omegaspinavg*sqrt( (Ispin - Itr1)*(Ispin - Itr2)/Itr2/
Itr1);
%
% Compute the theoretical body-axis spin vector component
% time histories that are valid for this axially-symmetric
% spacecraft. This analysis assumes that
%
omegabodynewapprox1(t) = A*cos(omeganut*t) + B*sin(omeganut*t)
%
omegabodynewapprox2(t) = C*cos(omeganut*t) + D*sin(omeganut*t)
%
% The constant DoverA = D/A and the constant BoverC = B/C
% prove helpful in writing these approximation theoretical
% solutions in terms of the initial values omegabodynewhist(1,1)
% and omegabodynewhist(1,2).
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    DoverA = -sign(Itr2-Ispin)*sqrt(Itr1*(Ispin - Itr1)/Itr2/(Ispin -
Itr2));
    BoverC = - (1/DoverA);
    omegabodynewapprox1hist = omegabodynewhist(1,1)*cos(omeganut*thist)
+ omegabodynewhist(1,2)*BoverC*sin(omeganut*thist);
    omegabodynewapprox2hist = omegabodynewhist(1,2)*cos(omeganut*thist)
+ omegabodynewhist(1,1)*DoverA*sin(omeganut*thist);
    omegabodynewapprox3hist = omegaspinavg*ones(N,1);
    clear omegatRmaghist omegatRmagmean omegatrmagratio0 ...
           omeganewbody10approx omeganewbody20approx
%
% Plot the body-axes angular momentum time history.
%
figure(1)
hold off
plot(thist,hvecbodyhist,'LineWidth',2)
set(get(gcf,'CurrentAxes'),'FontSize',16)
grid
xlabel('Time (sec)')
ylabel('Angular Momentum (N-m-sec)')
title(['Original Body-Axes Angular Momentum','...
' script\_simgravgradsc12.m'])
legend('h1 body','h2 body','h3 body')
%
% Plot the inertial angular momentum time history.
%
figure(2)
hold off
plot(thist,hvecinertialhist,'LineWidth',2)
set(get(gcf,'CurrentAxes'),'FontSize',16)
grid
xlabel('Time (sec)')
ylabel('Angular Momentum (N-m-sec)')
title(['Inertial Angular Momentum','...
' script\_simgravgradsc12.m'])
legend('h1 ECIF','h2 ECIF','h3 ECIF')
%
% Plot the body-axis spin vector component time histories,
% both from the numerical integration and the theoretical
% values.
%
figure(3)
hold off
plot(thist,omegabodynewhist,'-','LineWidth',2)
set(get(gcf,'CurrentAxes'),'FontSize',16)
hold on
plot(thist,[omegabodynewapprox1hist,omegabodynewapprox2hist,...
           omegabodynewapprox3hist],'.','MarkerSize',10)
hold off
grid
xlabel('Time (sec)')
ylabel('Angular Velocity (radians/sec)')
title(['Principal Axes Angular Velocity','...
' script\_simgravgradsc12.m'])

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    legend('omegabodynew1 sim','omegabodynew2 sim','omegabodynew3
sim',...
          'omegabody1 approx. theory','omegabody2 approx. theory',...
          'omegabody3 approx. theory')
%
% Plot the difference between the nonlinear simulation
% of the velocity vector components and the theoretical
% models in order to focus in on the errors.
%
figure(4)
hold off
omegaapproxerrhist = ...
    [omegabodynewapprox1hist,omegabodynewapprox2hist,...
    omegabodynewapprox3hist] - omegabodynewhist;
plot(thist,omegaapproxerrhist,'-','LineWidth',2)
set(get(gcf,'CurrentAxes'),'FontSize',16)
grid
xlabel('Time (sec)')
ylabel('Angular Velocity Approx. Errors (radians/sec)')
title(['Principal-Axes Ang. Vel. Errors','...
' script\_simgravgradsc12.m'])
legend('omegabody1 approx.-true','omegabody2 approx.-true',...
'omegabody3 approx.-true')
%
% Save the results.
%
textcommands = ['These data have been generated by the',...
' commands in script_simgravgradsc12.m'];
save simgravgradsc12
format long
xfinal = xhist(end,:)

timetohvecinertial =

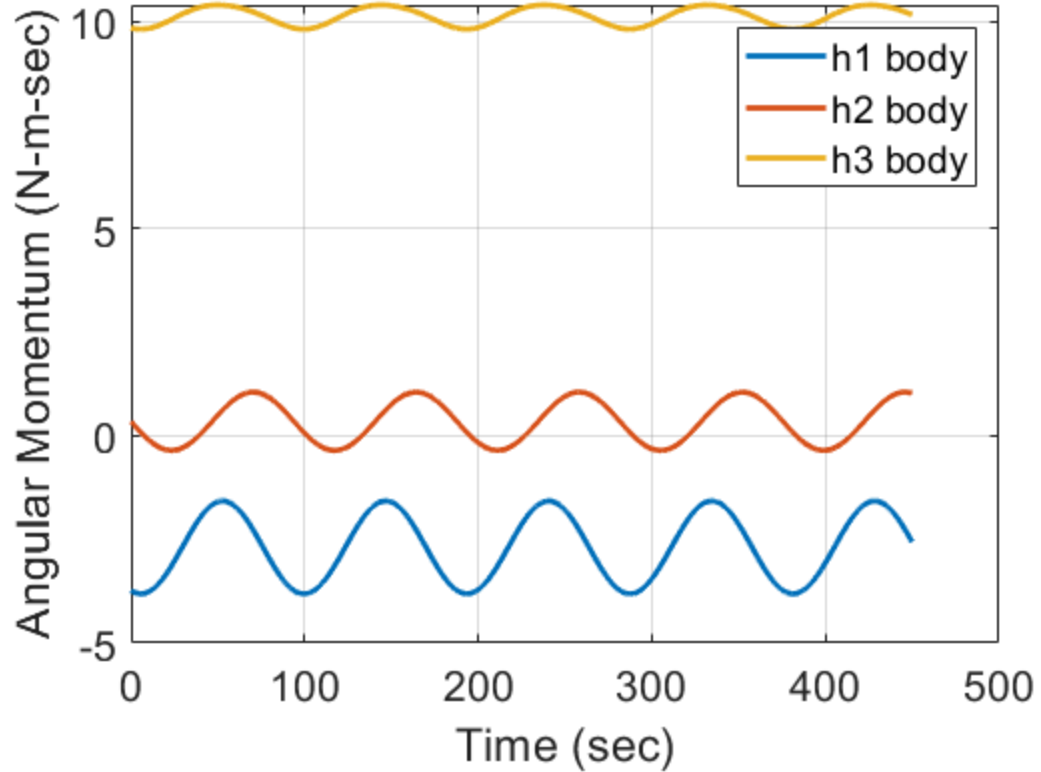
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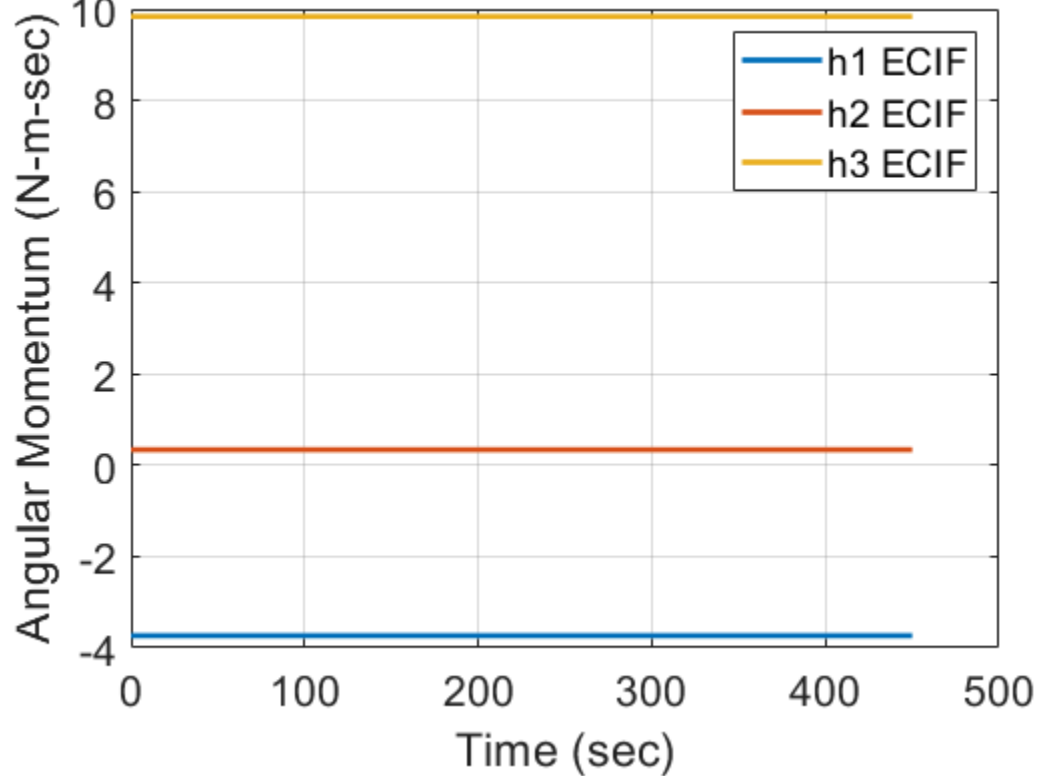
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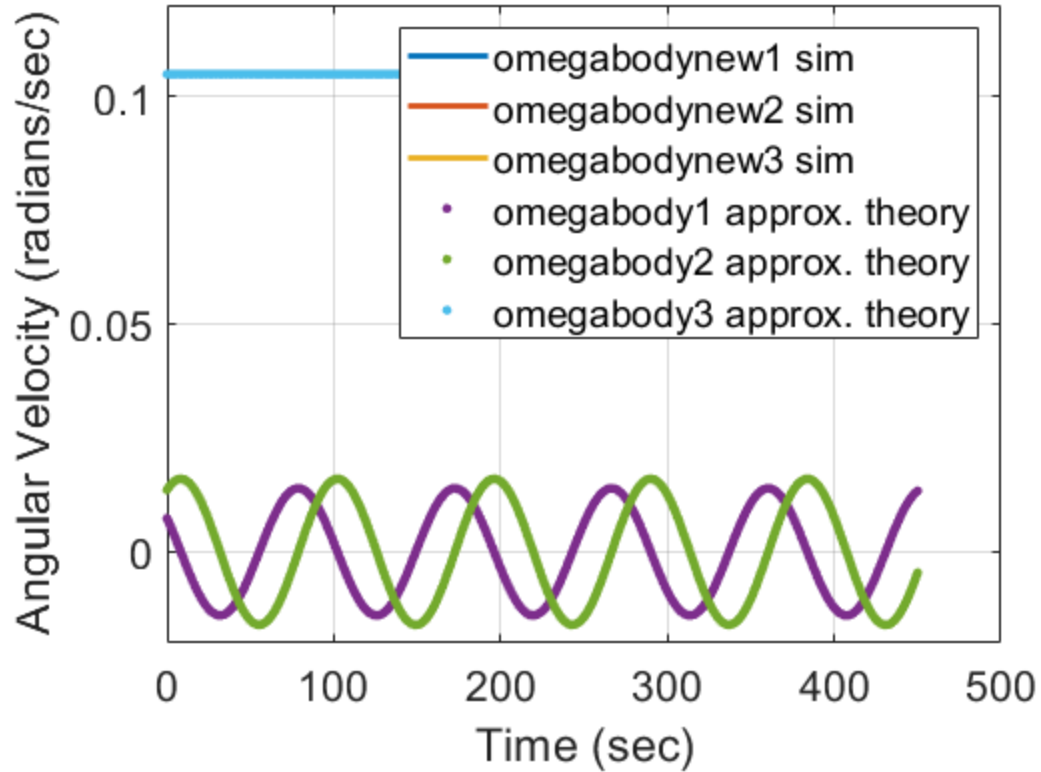
Body-Axes Angular Momentum, script_simgravgr



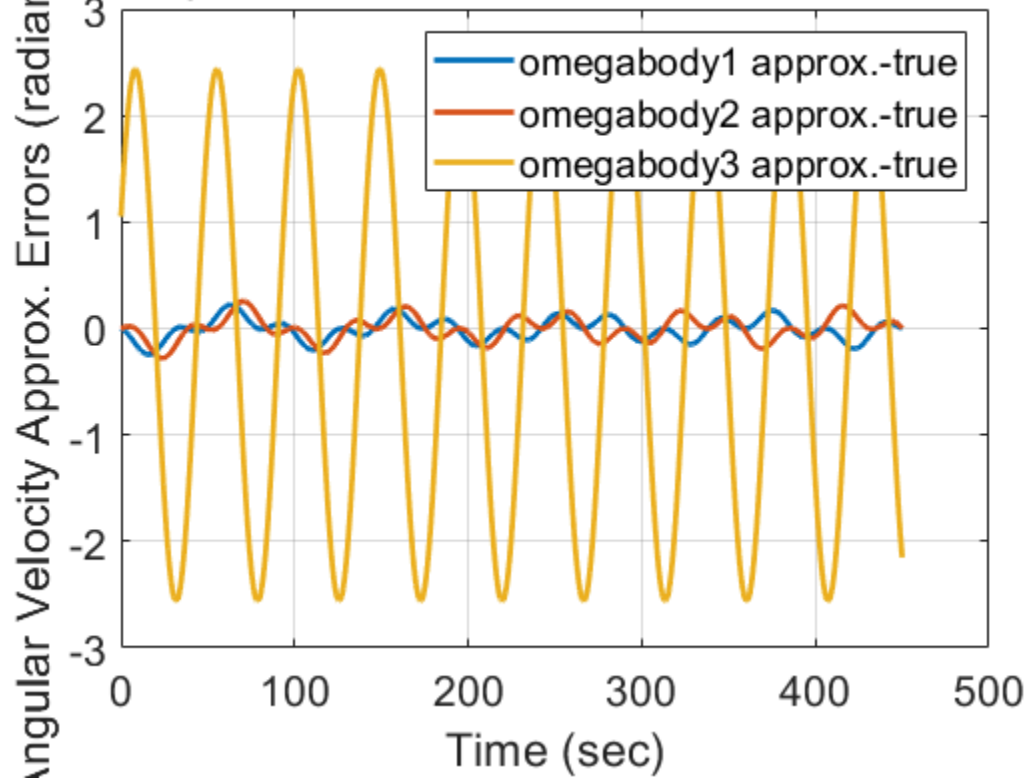
Inertial Angular Momentum, script_simgravgradsc1:



Principal Axes Angular Velocity, script_simgravgrads



Principal Axes Ang. Vel. Errors, script_simgravgrads



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