

MPC WITH INVARIANT FINAL SET

- there exists a minimum value \bar{N} s.t. $F x(\bar{N}+i|h) + G u(\bar{N}+i|h) \leq b$, $i=0,1,\dots$
under $u(k) = K^* x(k) \leftarrow$ mode 2 control law
- $\bar{N} = ?$

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POSITIVELY INVARIANT SET

A set $X \subseteq \mathbb{R}^{n_x}$ is POSITIVELY INVARIANT
under the closed loop dynamics

$x(k+1) = (A+BK)x(k)$ and under the
constraints $(F+BK)x(k) \leq b$

iff
$$\begin{cases} x(k) \in X, & k=0,1,\dots \\ (F+BK)x(k) \leq b, & k=0,1,\dots \end{cases}$$

for all $x(0) \in X$

$$\begin{cases} x(k+1) = Ax(k) + Bu(k) \\ u(k) = Kx(k) \end{cases}$$

\Downarrow

$$x(k+1) = (A+BK)x(k)$$

$$Fx + Gu \leq b$$

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$$(F+BK)x \leq b$$

MPC problem

$$\min_{\underline{u}(k)} J(\underline{x}(k), \underline{u}(k)) = \sum_{i=0}^{N-1} \left(\|\underline{x}(i|k)\|_Q^2 + \|\underline{u}(i|k)\|_R^2 \right) + \|\underline{x}(N|k)\|_w^2$$

$$\text{s.t.} \quad F \underline{x}(i|k) + G \underline{u}(i|k) \leq b, \quad i = 0, 1, \dots, N-1$$

$$\underline{x}(N|k) \in X_f$$

with X_f POSITIVELY INVARIANT w.r.t. the closed-loop dynamics (mode 1) and the constraints

The MPC problem reads a

$$\min_{\underline{u}(k)} J(\underline{x}(k), \underline{u}(k))$$

$$\text{s.t.} \quad F \underline{x}(i|k) + G \underline{u}(i|k) \leq b, \quad i = 0, \dots, N-1 \quad \text{mode 1}$$

mode 2

$$\underline{x}(k) = (A+BK)^k \underline{x}(0)$$

$$(F+GK) \underline{x}(k) \leq b$$

$$\left. \begin{aligned} (A+BK)^i \underline{x}(N|k) &\in X_f, \quad i = 0, 1, \dots \\ (F+GK)(A+BK)^i \underline{x}(N|k) &\leq b, \quad i = 0, 1, \dots \end{aligned} \right\} \text{mode 2}$$

- Problems in solving the MPC:
 - i) determination of x_f
 - ii) N must be large enough for the system to converge to x_f
- N : there is an INITIAL SET X_0 CLOSE ENOUGH TO x_f for the problem to be feasible (e.g., $x_0 = x_f$)
- If the system is linear x_f is defined by a finite number of inequalities

time N	$(F + GK) x(N k) \leq b$
$N+1$	$(F + GK) (A + BK) x(N k) \leq b$
$N+2$	$(F + GK) (A + BK)^2 x(N k) \leq b$

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Stabilizing control in mode 2
 $\Rightarrow \sigma\{A + BK\}$ is within the unit circle (stabilizing control)

$$\Rightarrow x^c(N+k) \geq x^c(N+k+1)$$

$\hat{\mathcal{X}}$ set defined by the constraints at time $N+k$

Example

$$\begin{cases} x(k+1) = Ax(k) + Bu(k), & x(k) \in \mathbb{R}^2, u \in \mathbb{R} \\ y(k+1) = Cx(k) & y(k) \in \mathbb{R} \end{cases}$$

$$Fx(k) + Gu(k) \leq b$$

mode 2. $K = [2 \ 0.5]$ for same R, Q

$$F = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \quad G = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}, \quad b = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0.5 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

STATE
CONST.

CONTROL
ACTION
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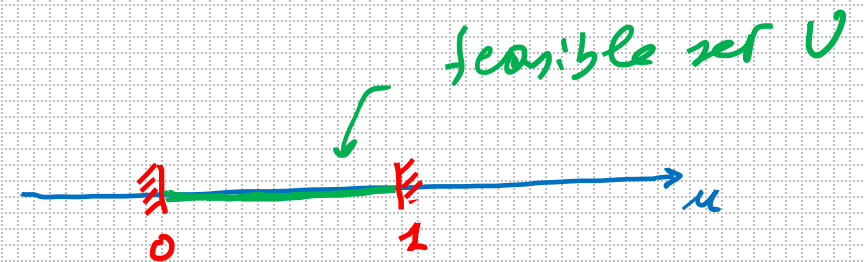
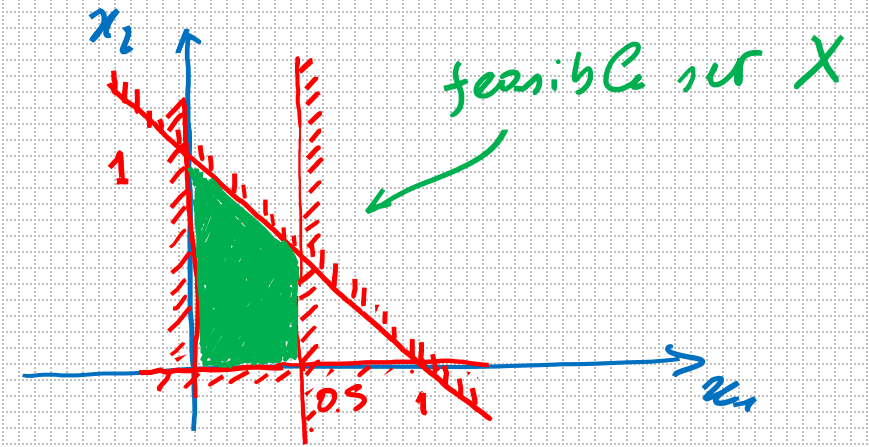
$m_c = 6 \leftarrow$ number of constraints

MODE 1 CONSTRAINTS

$$F \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix} + Gu \leq b \Rightarrow \begin{cases} x_1 + x_2 \leq 1 \\ x_1 \leq 0.5 \\ x_1 \geq 0 \\ x_2 \geq 0 \\ u \leq 1 \\ u \geq 0 \end{cases}$$

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Mode 2

$$\begin{cases} x(N+1|h) = (A+BK)^i x(N|h) \\ u(N+1|h) = K x(N+1|h) \end{cases}$$

← closed-loop dynamics

$$Fx + Gu \leq b$$

ALL
STATE-DEPENDENT
CONSTRAINTS

$$Fx + GKx \leq b \Rightarrow (F + GK)x \leq b$$

$i=0$

$$\left(\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} [2 \ 0.5] \right) x(N|h) \leq \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0.5 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

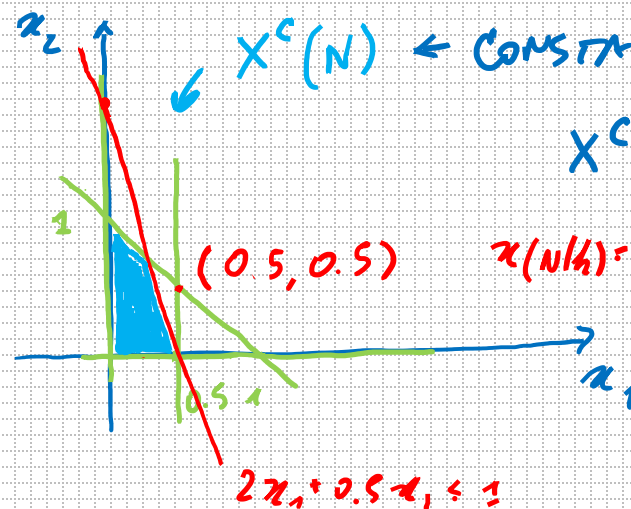
← constraints at time N
with $x(N|h) = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix}$

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{ll} x_1 + x_2 & \leq 1 \\ x_1 & \leq 0.5 \\ x_1 & \geq 0 \\ x_2 & \geq 0 \\ 2x_1 + 0.5x_2 & \leq 1 \\ 2x_1 + 0.5x_2 & \geq 0 \end{array} \right\}$$

SALE
STATE
CONSTRAINTS

NEW
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CONSTRAINTS

$X^c(N) \leftarrow$ CONSTRAINED SET AT TIME N
 $X^c(N) \subseteq X$



$x(N|h) = (0.5, 0.5) \in X$
 $(0.5, 0.5) \in X^c(N)$

$$u(N|h) = [2 \ 0.5] \begin{bmatrix} 0.5 \\ 0.5 \end{bmatrix} = 1.5 \notin U$$

LAST CONST. ALWAYS MET

- After a finite number of time-steps ν

$$X \supseteq X^c(N) \supseteq X^c(N+1) \supseteq \dots \supseteq X^c(N+\nu) = X^c(N+\nu+1) = X^c(N+\nu+2) : \dots$$

$\Rightarrow X^c(N+\nu)$ is the sought positively invariant set

$$X_f = X^c(N+\nu)$$