

Benchmarks

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1 Benchmark: Attitude Control

We consider the attitude control of a rigid body with six states and three inputs[2]. The system dynamics is

$$\begin{cases} \dot{\omega}_1 = 0.25(u_0 + \omega_2\omega_3), & \dot{\omega}_2 = 0.5(u_1 - 3\omega_1\omega_3), & \dot{\omega}_3 = u_2 + 2\omega_1\omega_2, \\ \dot{\psi}_1 = 0.5(\omega_2(\psi_1^2 + \psi_2^2 + \psi_3^2 - \psi_3) + \omega_3(\psi_1^2 + \psi_2^2 + \psi_2 + \psi_3^2) + \omega_1(\psi_1^2 + \psi_2^2 + \psi_3^2 + 1)), \\ \dot{\psi}_2 = 0.5(\omega_1(\psi_1^2 + \psi_2^2 + \psi_3^2 + \psi_3) + \omega_3(\psi_1^2 - \psi_1 + \psi_2^2 + \psi_3^2) + \omega_2(\psi_1^2 + \psi_2^2 + \psi_3^2 + 1)), \\ \dot{\psi}_3 = 0.5(\omega_1(\psi_1^2 + \psi_2^2 - \psi_2 + \psi_3^2) + \omega_2(\psi_1^2 + \psi_1 + \psi_2^2 + \psi_3^2) + \omega_3(\psi_1^2 + \psi_2^2 + \psi_3^2 + 1)). \end{cases}$$

wherein the state $\vec{x}=(\omega, \psi)$ consists of the angular velocity vector in a body-fixed frame $\omega \in \mathbb{R}^3$, and the Rodrigues parameter vector $\psi \in \mathbb{R}^3$.

The control torque $u \in \mathbb{R}^3$ is updated every 0.1 second by a neural network with 3 hidden layers, each of which has 64 neurons. The activations of the hidden layers are sigmoid and identity, respectively. We train the neural-network controller using supervised learning methods to learn from a known nonlinear controller [2]. The initial state set is:

$$\begin{aligned} \omega_1 &\in [-0.45, -0.44], \omega_2 \in [-0.55, -0.54], \omega_3 \in [0.65, 0.66], \\ \psi_1 &\in [-0.75, -0.74], \psi_2 \in [0.85, 0.86], \psi_3 \in [-0.65, -0.64]. \end{aligned}$$

We would like to verify whether the system will reach the following unsafe set X_u in 3 seconds (30 time steps):

$$\begin{aligned} \omega_1 &\in [-0.2, 0], \omega_2 \in [-0.5, -0.4], \omega_3 \in [0, 0.2], \\ \psi_1 &\in [-0.7, -0.6], \psi_2 \in [0.7, 0.8], \psi_3 \in [-0.4, -0.2]. \end{aligned}$$

2 Benchmark: QUAD

We study a neural-network controlled quadrotor (QUAD) with 12 states [1]. For the states, we have the inertial (north) position x_1 , the inertial (east) position x_2 , the altitude x_3 , the longitudinal velocity x_4 , the lateral velocity x_5 , the vertical velocity x_6 , the roll angle x_7 , the pitch angle x_8 , the yaw angle x_9 , the roll rate x_{10} , the pitch rate x_{11} , and the yaw rate x_{12} . The control torque $u \in \mathbb{R}^3$

is updated every 0.1 second by a neural network with 3 hidden layers, each of which has 64 neurons. The activations of the hidden layers and the output layer are sigmoid and identity, respectively.

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \dot{x}_1 = \cos(x_8) \cos(x_9) x_4 + (\sin(x_7) \sin(x_8) \cos(x_9) - \cos(x_7) \sin(x_9)) x_5 \\ \quad + (\cos(x_7) \sin(x_8) \cos(x_9) + \sin(x_7) \sin(x_9)) x_6 \\ \dot{x}_2 = \cos(x_8) \sin(x_9) x_4 + (\sin(x_7) \sin(x_8) \sin(x_9) + \cos(x_7) \cos(x_9)) x_5 \\ \quad + (\cos(x_7) \sin(x_8) \sin(x_9) - \sin(x_7) \cos(x_9)) x_6 \\ \dot{x}_3 = \sin(x_8) x_4 - \sin(x_7) \cos(x_8) x_5 - \cos(x_7) \cos(x_8) x_6 \\ \dot{x}_4 = x_{12} x_5 - x_{11} x_6 - g \sin(x_8) \\ \dot{x}_5 = x_{10} x_6 - x_{12} x_4 + g \cos(x_8) \sin(x_7) \\ \dot{x}_6 = x_{11} x_4 - x_{10} x_5 + g \cos(x_8) \cos(x_7) - g - u_1/m \\ \dot{x}_7 = x_{10} + \sin(x_7) \tan(x_8) x_{11} + \cos(x_7) \tan(x_8) x_{12} \\ \dot{x}_8 = \cos(x_7) x_{11} - \sin(x_7) x_{12} \\ \dot{x}_9 = \frac{\sin(x_7)}{\cos(x_8)} x_{11} - \frac{\cos(x_7)}{\cos(x_8)} x_{12} \\ \dot{x}_{10} = \frac{J_y - J_z}{J_x} x_{11} x_{12} + \frac{1}{J_x} u_2 \\ \dot{x}_{11} = \frac{J_z - J_x}{J_y} x_{10} x_{12} + \frac{1}{J_y} u_3 \\ \dot{x}_{12} = \frac{J_x - J_y}{J_z} x_{10} x_{11} + \frac{1}{J_z} \tau_\psi \end{array} \right.$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} g &= 9.81, \quad m = 1.4, \quad J_x = 0.054, \\ J_y &= 0.054, \quad J_z = 0.104, \quad \tau_\psi = 0. \end{aligned}$$

The initial set is:

$$\begin{aligned} x_1 &\in [-0.4, 0.4], x_2 \in [-0.4, 0.4], x_3 \in [-0.4, 0.4], x_4 \in [-0.4, 0.4], \\ x_5 &\in [-0.4, 0.4], x_6 \in [-0.4, 0.4], x_7 = 0, x_8 = 0, x_9 = 0, x_{10} = 0, x_{11} = 0, x_{12} = 0 \end{aligned}$$

The control goal is to stabilize the attitude x_3 to a goal region $[0.94, 1.06]$ in 5 seconds (50 time steps).

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