

Lufan Yang

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Education

Zhejiang University	MSc in Navigation, Guidance and Control	Sep.2020 - present
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Advisor: Prof. Zheng Chen• Topic: Optimal Control, Path Optimization, Machine Learning, Assignment Problem		
Dalian University of Technology	BSc in Aeronautical and Astronautical	Sep.2016 - Jun.2020
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• GPA: 87.73/100 (ranking: 5/50)		

Publication

Yang, L., Chen, Z. "Dynamic Weapon-Target Assignment for Active Protection of Aircraft", Proceedings of 2021 5th Chinese Conference on Swarm Intelligence and Cooperative Control, 2022, pp 1214–1224.

Yang, L., Chen, Z.2023. "Online Nonlinear Optimal Guidance for UAV Cooperative Active Defense", CN Patent Application ZL-2023-1-05382, filed November 2023. Patent Pending.

Research Experience

Research on Cooperative Missile-Aircraft Active Defense Strategies	2021.06-2023.05
Department of Aeronautics & Astronautics, Zhejiang University	Advisor: Prof. Zheng Chen

In short: ML improved nonlinear optimal guidance & assignment for UAV

- Improving Hungarian Algorithms with Random Forest: using random forest to fit the mapping from flight states to the designed indicator so that the computation time for the corresponding dynamic weapon-target assignment problem is saved(from 40s to 0.5s)
- Proposed a neural network-based online guidance method for UAV: Based on the Pontryagin maximum principle, a parametric system is constructed to build a dataset of optimal trajectories by traversing the covariate states. Based on the obtained dataset, a neural network is trained to fit the flight state and optimal guidance command mapping.
- Proposed a neural network-based online guidance algorithm for UAV active defense: using neural network to fit the nonlinear cooperative guidance command and the flight states.

Survey of the Online Adaptive Technology for the Ascent Phase of Space Aircraft	2019.10-2020.06
Department of Aeronautics & Astronautics, Dalian University of Technology	Advisor: Prof. Kai Liu

In short: Iterative Guidance, Sequential Convex Optimization

- Developing a Newton iteration-based method to calculate a feasible guidance law and engine shutdown time as an initial guess for convex optimization.
- Developing a sequential convex optimization based guidance algorithm to generate guidance command for ascent rockets.

Industrial Experience

CyberServal	NLP Algorithm intern	2022.04-2022.06
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Keyword: text similarity, anomaly detection

- Implemented different preprocessing and text similarity calculation methods (simHash, word2vec, etc).
 - Implemented different clustering algorithms(DBSCAN, CFTree, etc) based on the calculated similarity.
- Results showed that CFTree is most suitable for these massive URLs.

Didi Chuxing	Data Analysis Intern	2021.09-2021.11
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- Using SQL for Data Retrieval to Support Business Operations & Tabular Analysis of Business Requirements

Selected Honors and Awards

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| • China National Scholarship (2/364) | 2017.10 |
| • Outstanding Graduates of Dalian (10%) | 2020.06 |

Skills

- Programming: Python(Advanced), Matlab(Advanced), C++(Intermediate), R(Intermediate)
- Tools: Pytorch, Numpy, Pandas, Git
- Proficient English - TOEFL: 106(S:23, W:23, R:30, L:30)