

Last time:

Trajectory Generation

$$g(t) = a_0 + a_1 t + a_2 t^2 \dots$$

Given (you control)

$$g(t_0) = g_0$$

$$\dot{g}(t_0) = \dot{g}_0$$

$$g(t_f) = g_f$$

$$\dot{g}(t_f) = \dot{g}_f$$

⋮

constraints



We solve the trajectory problem
with polynomials: parameters

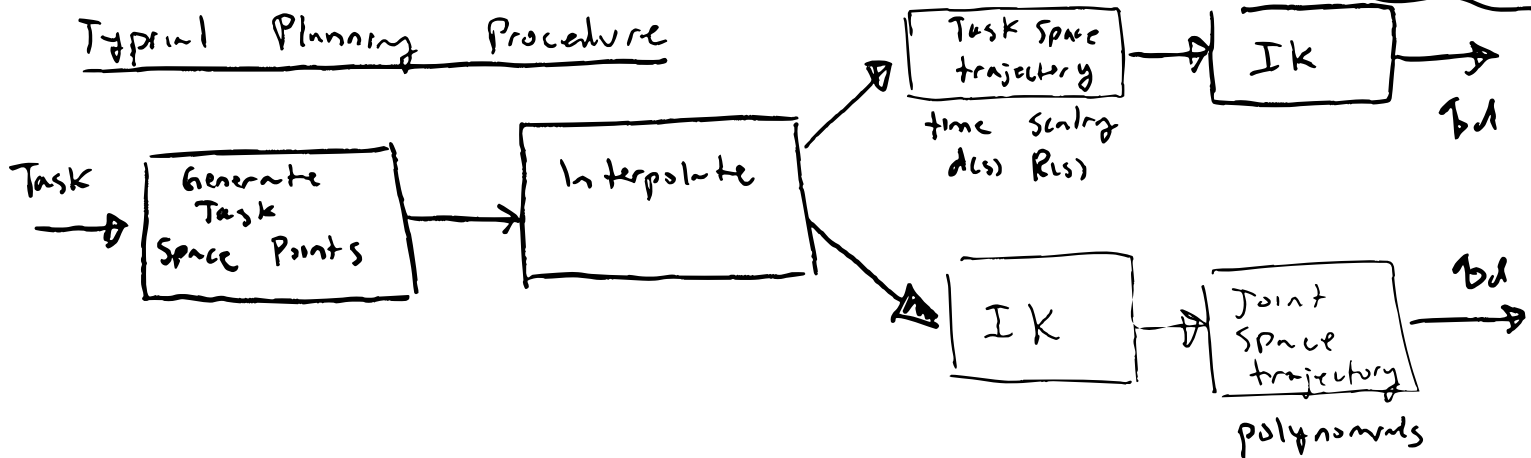
$$\begin{bmatrix} g_0 \\ \dot{g}_0 \\ \vdots \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & t & t^2 & \dots \\ 0 & 1 & 2t & \dots \\ \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a_0 \\ \vdots \\ a_n \end{bmatrix}$$

Today :

- outline basic trajectory Planning
- Control Architecture

Lynch's Park (Ch. 11)
Spring handbook
on
Robotics (Ch. 8)

Typical Planning Procedure



Feedforward Control

Q: If you have a perfect model of the robot, how can you use this info to help in control?

Let's use "tilde" to denote our model:

$$\tau = \underbrace{\tilde{M}(q) \ddot{q} + \tilde{C}(q, \dot{q}) \dot{q} + \tilde{f}(q)}_{\text{our model!}}$$

$\tilde{M} \neq M$ (unless model is perfect!)

Why not use model to generate τ ?

$$\tau_d = \tilde{M}(q_d) \ddot{q}_d + \tilde{C}(q_d, \dot{q}_d) \dot{q}_d + \tilde{f}(q_d)$$

inverse Dynamics!

$$\tau_d = \tilde{M}(q_d) \ddot{q}_d + \tilde{C}(q_d, \dot{q}_d) \dot{q}_d + \tilde{g}(q_d)$$

\uparrow τ_d : the torque required to drive $\begin{cases} q \rightarrow q_d \\ \dot{q} \rightarrow \dot{q}_d \\ \ddot{q} \rightarrow \ddot{q}_d \end{cases}$



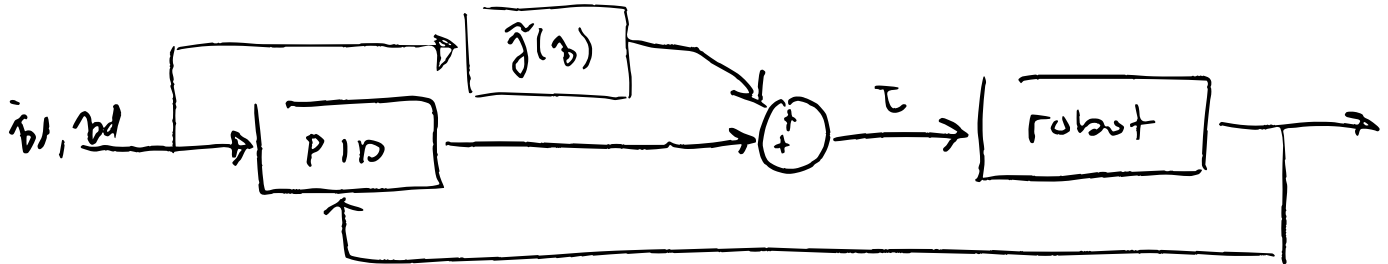
Comments

- ① a perfect model would result in perfect tracking of q_d
- ② impossible to have a perfect model
- ③ Inverse Dynamics can be computationally expensive.

We don't have to "feed forward" all the dynamics. For example, gravity compensation is very common as a feed forward signal:

$$\tau_g = \tilde{g}(\theta)$$

$$\tau_{pid} = k_p e + k_d \dot{e} + k_I \int e dt$$



The computed Torque Controller (Feedback linearization)

idea: use model to *cancel* the dynamics of the robot to make it easier to control.

Model:
$$\tau = \tilde{M}(q) \ddot{q} + \tilde{C}(q, \dot{q}) \dot{q} + \tilde{f}(q)$$

PID Error Dynamics :
$$\ddot{e} + k_d \dot{e} + k_p e + k_f \int e dt = 0$$

we want $e \rightarrow 0$, as $t \rightarrow \infty$

$$\ddot{e} = \ddot{q}_d - \ddot{q}$$

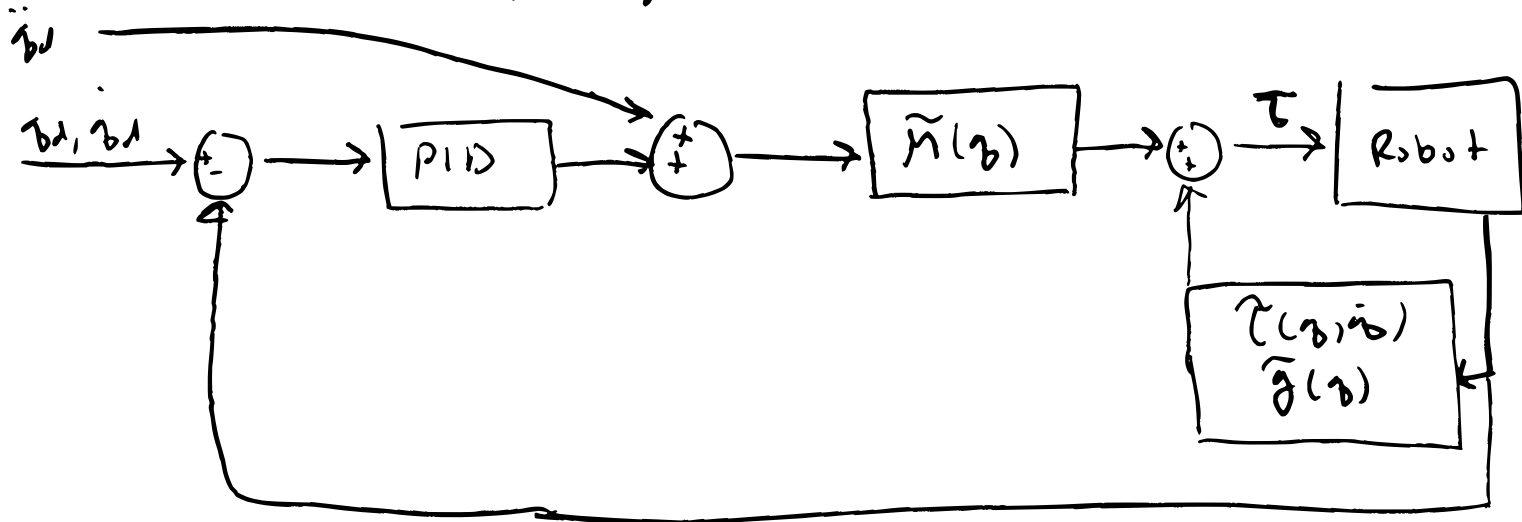
$$\ddot{q}_d - \ddot{q} + k_d \dot{e} + k_p e + k_f \int e dt = 0$$

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$$\ddot{q} = \ddot{q}_d + k_d \dot{e} + k_p e + k_f \int e dt$$

↑ use this signal to generate torque with our model!!

$$\ddot{q} = \ddot{q}_d + k_d \dot{e} + k_p e + k_f \int e dt$$

$$\tau = \tilde{M}(q) \left[\ddot{q}_d + k_p e + k_f \int e dt + k_d \dot{e} \right] + \tilde{C}(q, \dot{q}) \dot{q} + \tilde{g}(q)$$



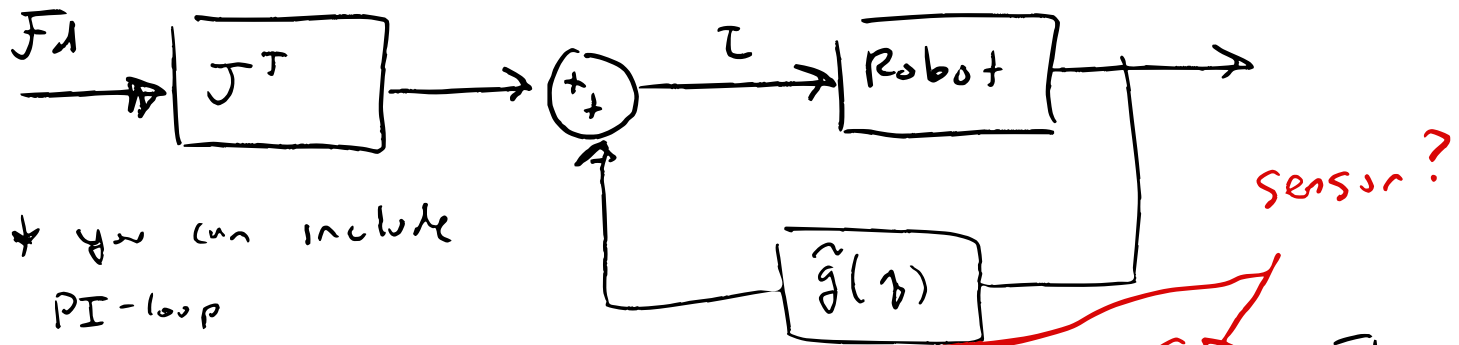
One of the most used controllers in application

Force Control

$$M(q) \ddot{q} + (C(q, \dot{q})) \dot{q} + g(q) = \tau$$

F_d : desired end-effector twist $F_d = \begin{Bmatrix} \dot{x}_d \\ \dot{y}_d \\ \dot{z}_d \\ \tau_{d1} \\ \tau_{d2} \end{Bmatrix}$

$$\tau = \tilde{g}(q) + \underbrace{J^T(q) F_d}_{\tau \text{ need to get } F_d}$$



* you can include PI-loop

$$\tau = \tilde{g}(q) + J^T(q) \left[K_p (F_d - F_{ext}) + K_s \int (F_d - F_{ext}) dt \right]$$

Task Space Control (PD-controller)

$$M(q)\ddot{q} + C(q, \dot{q})\dot{q} + g(q) = \tau$$

lets start by define error signal:

$$e = x_d - x$$

↑ ↑
desired actual
end-effector end-effector
position position.

$$e = x_d - f(q)$$

forward kinematics

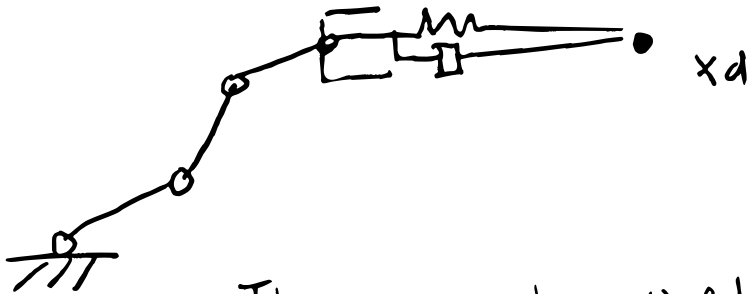
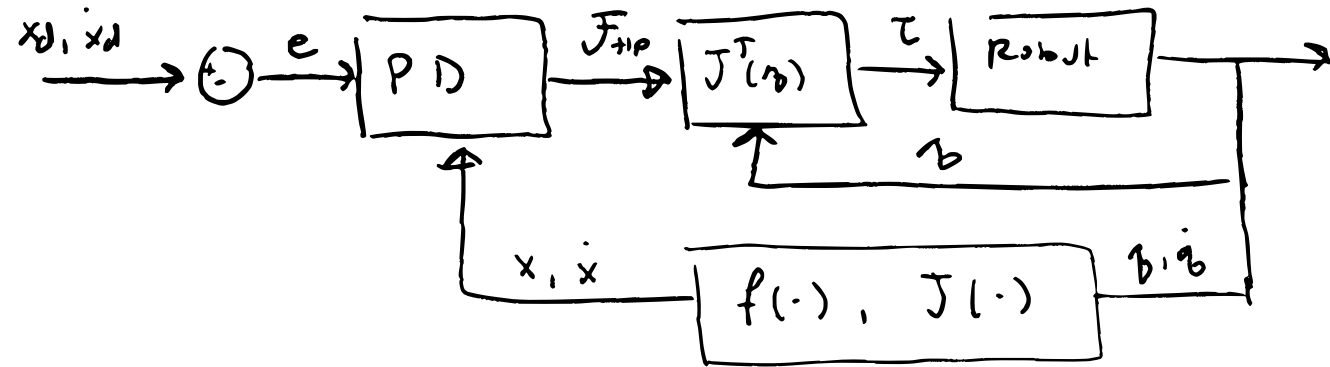
$$\dot{e} = \dot{x}_d - J(q)\dot{q}$$

idea: let's generate a tip force proportional to the error

$$F_{tip} = K_p (x_d - f(q)) + K_d (\dot{x}_d - J(q)\dot{q})$$

PD-controller based on end-effector error.

$$\tau = J^T(q) [k_p (x_d - f(q)) + k_d (\dot{x}_d - J(q) \dot{q})]$$



This can be used as an Impedance Controller.

Task Space Dynamics

$$M(q) \ddot{q} + C(q, \dot{q}) \dot{q} + g(q) = \tau$$

$$\dot{x} = J(q) \dot{q}$$

$$\ddot{x} = J \ddot{q} + \dot{J} \dot{q} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} \ddot{q} = J^{-1} \ddot{x} - J^{-1} \dot{J} \dot{q} \\ \dot{q} = J^{-1} \dot{x} \end{cases}$$

$$M(J^{-1} \ddot{x} - J^{-1} \dot{J} \dot{x}) + C J^{-1} \dot{x} + g = \tau$$

$\times J^{-T}$

$$(J^T M J^{-1}) \ddot{x} - (J^T M J^{-1} \dot{J} J^{-1}) \dot{x} + (J^{-T} C J^{-1}) \dot{x} + J^{-T} g = J^{-T} \tau$$

$$\Lambda(q) \ddot{x} + \Gamma(q, \dot{q}) \dot{x} + \eta(q) = F$$

You can use any methods previously discussed for task space control.
