A Comparative Performance Analysis of PID Control and Sliding Mode Control of Two Link Robot Manipulator

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Abstract

The paper deals with study of SMC for a robot manipulator. The property of the robot manipulator has low sensitivity to distortions and more efficient than other controllers. The tracking control difficulty for two-link robot manipulator which obeys the Lyapunov stability theorem, the back stepping control (BC) and (SMC) is denoted. The comparison of PID controller and SMC controller has been done by the application of Two-link robot manipulator by using MATLAB technique by constructing simulink models. The stability has been elaborated by comparing the performance of the PID and SMC and investigating the most efficient controller.

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1. Introduction

Today, the main focus in electrical engineering research is on control theory from the 1970s and 1980s, as can be seen from the paper. The robust regulator is the most stable and resistant to deformation between the device and the model. One of the most robust methodologies evolving in this era, called variable structure control, is the VSC approach [9-10]. National observers and tracking system, flexible schemes, model reference system to help design robust controllers. The concept has been efficiently applicable to difficulties such as electric motors, chemical processes, observers, mechanical systems, and signal reconstruction [2, 4, and 11].

The SMC system becomes an operational mode in control systems with the help of sensitivity and reduction property we can change parameters of plants. Almost every design methodologies for VSS are on the basis of SMC. Because of its reduced properties, low sensitivity to distortion and changes in plant parameters, SMC is most effective controller to control the complex type of high-class dynamic plants that operate in unstable situations, which are generally used for many modern technology processes. The main disadvantage of SMC is the conversational approach. This type of approach involves a variation of the control signal, which is associated with a certain frequency, the uninterrupted tendency of the control approach to amplitude, which is able to control or distort the system.

High frequency fluctuations of the control signal, which are directly related to stability of the SMC. However, in real-time applications, the frequency
fluctuations of control signals and amplitude are obvious, so that the follower falls. The two main conclusions were discussed. Then there is the fast dynamics in the fast-paced management circuit, which can be overlooked in the system model, which is excited by the SMC review. Second, the attractiveness of manufacturers is listed numerically in the microcontroller in case of stable test loss, which can be done on different connections. Use a variety of options or programs to minimize the impact of the conversation.

Work with complex mechanical systems that have non-linear dynamics. Then the nonlinear control of the control is necessary so that the high selection operation has the maximum power.

Modeling of 2-DOF Robot Arm and Control [2]. PID Control applied to a robotic manipulator arm with two DOF and design of dynamic model.[3] A two link robotic manipulator which is a classic example studied in introductory robotic courses. The equations of the two arm are describe by nonlinear differential equation. Because closed loop form are not present, the equation of motion are numerically studied using a numerical method.[4] A conventional SMC and chattering free improved SMC design approach for nonlinear systems. Chattering in conventional SMC can be easily removed by using continuous function in place of discontinuous sign function. As it is not model based controller, the difficulty related to mathematical modeling process is less. [23] Robot manipulator is a link of many links that couple with help of joints. Robotic system and mathematical model to explain or define the behavior of system; such as dynamic linear or non linear to construct the designs of system. Goal of SMC is provide system a angular motion with use of link. [22]

This paper is used in the following way. Section II develops a dynamic model of a robot manipulator. Section III proposed control schemes. Section IV discussed the simulation part. Sections V of the conclusion and future sides have been developed, followed by acknowledgement.

2. Mathematical Modeling of Two Link Robot Manipulator

There is a huge amount of difficulty in managing mechanical systems, which is the basis for controlling the current area or the location of the mass using force, otherwise the moment, because of the input variability. The approach can be explained by the following example, which is a robotic arm or can be called a robotic manipulator with n relations, which is related to the forces with n joints. The large variety of control questions for square measurement of mechanical systems ensures the position of the dominant position or the location of the force or mass involved, as the effort is variable. The standard exemplar may be an automation arm before robot manipulator with n links associated by n joints amid input forces/torques that square measure output of actuator, typically electrical actuator, with their personal advanced dynamic.

The actuator dynamics can be left out on top of things designed for electromechanical scheme, suppose they are positive compared to the inertial dynamics of masses. In addition, the different dynamics of structural flexibility are regularly lacking when developing a basic model for a mechanical device. In fact, the difficulty of conversation. The dynamic model can be pictured as a space for a sequential mass of the subtlety of a system of robotic robots [1, 5].

\[ M(q)\ddot{q} + N(q, \dot{q})\dot{q} + F_v(q) + G(q) = 0 \]

\( q \in R^{n \times 1} \) Specifies the joint mechanization variables (translational or rational) of the n robot links; \( M(q) \) is the symmetric positive definite inertia mass matrix; \( N(q, \dot{q}) \) includes Coriolis and centripetal forces; vector, \( F_v(q) \) elaborates viscous friction ; \( G(q) \) vector includes gravity terms; \( \tau \in R^{n \times n} \) is control torque vector.

Define a 2n-dimensional state vector \( x \) as:

\[ x = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} q \\ \dot{q} \end{bmatrix} \]

Then nonlinear plant in question (1) is described as follow:

\[ \dot{x} = A(x) + B(x)u \]
Defining the dynamic behavior of the device on the floor is described as the best sliding movement. The benefits of getting one of these motions are twofold. First, there may be a reduction in order, and second, the sliding movement is insensitive to the parameter options included in the input waves.

Gao and Hung [3] have proposed a method of improvement based on a new system called reaching law technique for the design of non-linear VSC systems. The technique simultaneously looks at the security of the situation and the security of the situation, the senseless regulation of the general order to make the transition to a free order, the ability of the segment to achieve a dynamic dynamic impact on the car, and approaches the degree of control. The system used in this technique is very simple and smooth to perform, even for non-linear structures. The implementing law is a differential equation that defines the dynamics of the switching function \( s(x) \). The asymmetrically strong \( s(x) \) differential equation is itself a feasible situation. In addition, the dynamic satisfaction of the VSC system can be controlled by selecting parameters during the differential equation. It is a realistic trendy trend in the implementation of the legislation.

\[
\dot{s} = -Q \text{sgn}(s) - Kh(s) \quad [8]
\]

Where

\[
Q = \text{diag}[q_1, ..., q_n], \quad q_i > 0
\]

\[
\text{sgn}(s) = [\text{sgn}(s_1), ..., \text{sgn}(s_n)]^T,
\]

\[
K = \text{diag}[k_1, ..., k_n], \quad k_i > 0
\]

\[
h(s) = [h_1(s_1), ..., h_n s_n]^T,
\]

\[
s_i h_i(s_i) > 0, \quad h_i(0) = 0
\]

3 practical special cases of (6) are given below.

1) Constant rate reaching:

\[
\dot{s} = -Q \text{sgn}(s) \quad [9]
\]
This law requires variable \( s(x) \) switches to be switched to variable manifolds \( S \) with the following velocity \( i \, \text{qs} \). The merit of this mature law is its simplicity, but as can be proved later, if the \( qi \) is too small, it will take a long time to reach. However, \( qi \) is extremely important for extreme screaming.

2) Constant plus proportional rate reaching:

\[
\dot{s} = -Q \text{sgn}(s) - ks[10]
\]

Truly, via the usage of which includes the proportional rate time period \( Ks \), the nation is pressured to method the switching manifolds faster at the same time as \( s \) is huge, it is able to established that the accomplishing time for \( x \) to move from an initial country \( x0 \) to the switching manifold Si is finite, and is given with the aid of:

\[
T_i = \frac{1}{k_i} \ln \frac{k_i|s_i|+qi}{qi} \quad [11]
\]

3) Power rate reaching:

\[
\dot{s}_i = -k_i|s_i|^\alpha \text{sgn}(s_i), 0 < \alpha < 1, i = 1, ..., n.[12]
\]

This reaching law will increase accomplish speed when state is far away from switching manifold, but reduces price while the state is close to manifold. The end result is a fast reaching and low chattering reaching mode. Integrating (10) from \( s_i = s_{i0} \) to \( s_i = 0 \) yield:

\[
T_i = \frac{|s_{i0}|^{1-\alpha}}{(1-\alpha)k_i}, \quad i = 1, ..., n,[13]
\]

Showing that the reaching time \( T_i \) is finite.

3.2 PID Control

In industrial application \( PID \) controllers are highly used control system about 95% of closed loop system operations of trade automation area used \( PID \) controllers. There are three controllers are used joint to perform operation. Feedback controller – it provides manipulated output at the desired input levels.

As a feedback controller, it supplies the manipulate output at desired tiers. Earlier than microprocessors were invented, \( PID \) control was carried out by way of the analog electronic components. However today all \( PID \) controllers are processed by microprocessors. Programmable common sense controllers also have the in-built \( PID \) controller commands. Because of the power and reliability of the \( PID \) controllers, these are historically used in technique manipulate programs.

**Working of PID Controller**

With use of low value easy \( ON-OFF \) controller handiest manipulate states are possible, like absolutely \( ON \) or absolutely \( OFF \). It is used for limited manage application wherein these control states are sufficient for control objective. but oscillating nature of this manage limits its usage and therefore it's far being changed by using \( PID \) controllers.\( PID \) controller keeps the output such that there is zero mistakes among system variable and set point/ desired output by using closed loop operations. \( PID \) uses 3 simple control behaviors which can be explained below.
P- Controller

P controller other name is proportional controller given output that is proportional to error of current $e(t)$. It compared set point with (actual) real value.

![Diagram of P-Controller](image)

**Fig. 2 Basic design of P-controller**

Output of controller get zero, when the value of error should be zero.

I-Controller

Appropriate to restraint of $p$-controller wherein there usually exists an offset among the method variable and set factor, I-controller is wanted, which gives important movement to do away with the steady country mistakes. It integrates the error over a time frame till blunders value reaches to zero. It holds the fee to final control tool at which error becomes zero. Integral manipulate decreases its output whilst bad mistakes takes place. It limits the rate of response and affects stability of the gadget. Velocity of the reaction is expanded by using reducing fundamental gain $K_i$.

![Diagram of PI Controller](image)

**Fig. 4 Design of PI Controller**
In above figure, because the benefit of the I-controller decreases, steady nation blunders also goes on reducing. For most of the cases, PI controller is used in particular wherein excessive speed reaction is not required. While the usage of the PI controller, I-controller output is restricted to somewhat variety to triumph over the essential wind up situations wherein necessary output is going on increasing even at 0 blunders state, due to nonlinearities within the plant.

D-Controller

I-controller doesn’t have the capability to predict the future behavior of error. So it reacts normally once the set point is changed. D-controller overcomes this problem by anticipating future behavior of the error. Its output depends on rate of change of error with respect to time, multiplied by derivative constant. It gives the kick start for the output thereby increasing system response.

![Fig. 6 Basic Representation of PID Controller](image)

Within the above determine response of D controller is greater, compared to PI controller and also settling time of output is decreased. It improves the stableness of gadget by means of compensating segment lag as a result of I-controller. Growing the by-product advantage will increase pace of reaction. So sooner or later we decided that by combining these three controllers we would get a favorable response for the system. Special manufacturers design special PID algorithms. The PID controller consists of three terms, namely proportional, required and derivative control. The combined operation of these 3 controllers offers a procedure control strategy. The PID controller manipulates the variables of the procedure, such as stress, speed, temperature, sliding, and many others. A number of programs use PID controllers in cascading networks where two or more PIDs are used to control.

3.3SMC-PID Control

The target of tracking control is plain there a control law for obtain the appropriate input torque $\tau$ as the position vector $q$ should follow the useful trajectory $q_d$.

$$e = q_d - q$$ (14)
In SMC, the sliding surface as defined is equation (19) here the integral part of equation added to derivative term.

\[ s = \dot{e} + \lambda_1 e + \lambda_2 \int_0^t e dt \]  

(15)

Where \( \lambda_1 \) is diagonal positive definite matrix. So, \( s = 0 \) defined as the stable sliding surface and \( e \to 0 \) as \( t \to \infty \). We write the equation of robot dynamic equation in form of sliding surface (as filtered error) as given-

\[ M \ddot{s} = -Cs + f + \tau_d - \tau \]  

(16)

Where

\[ f = M(\ddot{q}_d + \lambda_1 \dot{e} + \lambda_2 e) + C(\dot{q} + \lambda_1 e + \lambda_2 \int_0^t e dt) + G \]  

(17)

Now, the control input can be considered as follows

\[ \tau = \hat{f} + K_v s + K \text{sgn}(s) \]  

(18)

Is estimation of \( f \) and \( K_v s = K_v \dot{e} + K_v \lambda e + K_v \lambda \int_0^t e dt \) in the outer PID tracking and \( K_v, K \) are matrices of definite the diagonal and explained the stability of system conditions. There are sign(s) is defined as the sign function.

2- DOF ROBOT MANIPULATOR

The simulation example of 2 DOF Robot Manipulator is as follows:
Fig. 9 Simulink model of 2 DOF robot
4. RESULTS AND PRESENT COMPARATIVE PERFORMANCE ANALYSIS

The both PID and SMC controller are employs on 2 DOF robots Manipulator. The recital of SMC controller is finer toward PID. SMC controller outputs are more accurate as compare to PID.

![Fig. 10 Comparative results of SMC and PID at joint1](image1)

![Fig. 11 Comparative results of SMC and PID at joint1](image2)

![Fig. 12 Error curve](image3)

![Fig. 13 Error curve](image4)
The figure 12 and 13 shows error curve of both controllers. The error is in SMC is very less since compare to PID controller.

![Fig. 14 Result of PID at joint](image1)

![Fig. 15 Result of PID at joint](image2)

The results shows that figure 14 and 15 the angle at joint 1 and joint 2 follow the path of reference angle theta1 and theta2.

![Fig.16 Result of SMC at joint 1](image3)

![Fig.17 Result of SMC at joint 2](image4)

From figure 16 and 17 it is clear to facilitate output of SMC controller track reference signal in very accurately and in well manner.
Conclusion & Future Aspects:

A two links robotic manipulator was studied and its dynamics was modeled using Lagrange mechanics. A robust control based on the conventional SMC is introduced to control the motion of the robot at specific position for pick and place activities along with PID control scheme. The obtained results have shown that the SMC outperform the PID controller in term of fast and robust response though with higher control signal. The high joint speeds in case of SMC, which are a consequence of high control signal in this case, are required for rapid movement of the links. In this work SMC is analyzed to be of better performance than PID. It is expected that adaptive SMC control may lead to a better response which is left for future work.

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