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Introduction

My background:

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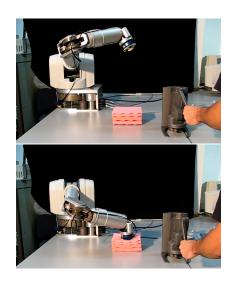




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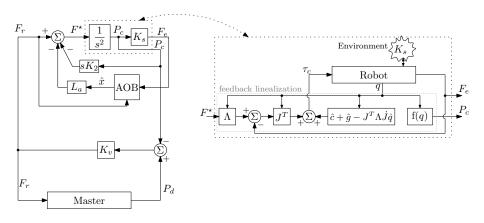
Telemanipulation Control for Minimally Invasive Surgery



Control architecture features:

- feedback linearization
 decoupled linear plant
- discrete state space control
- direct force control
- Active OBservers (Kalman filter enhancement)
- 3 DoF (6 DoF already implemented but not tuned)
- constant stiffness environment model
- haptic feedback (3 DoF forces)

Telemanipulation - Control Architecture



Tele-echography Preliminary Experiments



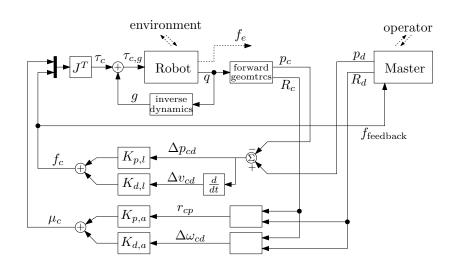




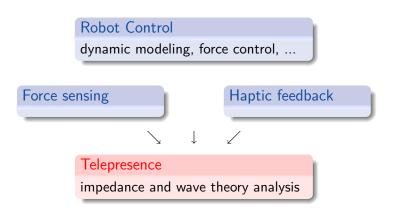
Control architecture features:

- gravity compensation
- discrete state space control
- indirect force control
- 6 DoF
- linear/angular position and velocity coupling between stations
- haptic feedback (3 DoF forces)

Tele-echography - Control Architecture



PhD directions



That's all.

Questions? Suggestions?

Thank you!