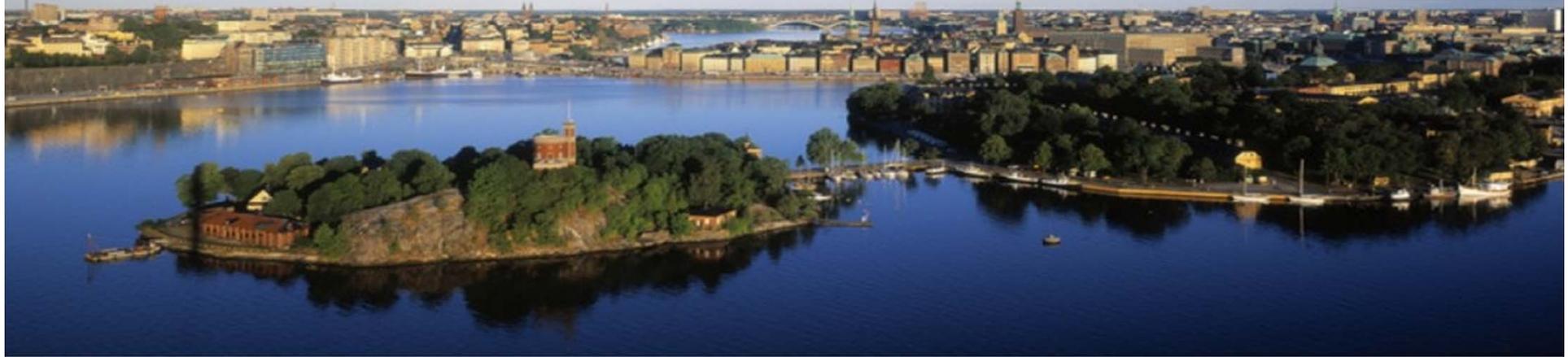


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Advanced control of parallel robots and its extension to
other research fields



The concept of “Hidden Robot”



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Part I Vision Based Control

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Motivations:

Use exteroceptive sensors which allow to measure directly in task space

Explore the potentialities of vision sensor (but not only)

Try to answer some questions:

- What is the real state for a complex system ?
- What is the real state for a parallel robot?
- Is it possible to control by vision only in kinematics/dynamics?
- Is it accurate enough?
- Does it work in a big workspace?

Can we define a generic and integrated formalism for modelling/Identification and control (MICMAC) for complex machines (Parallel robots)? In kinematics ? ... Dynamics ?

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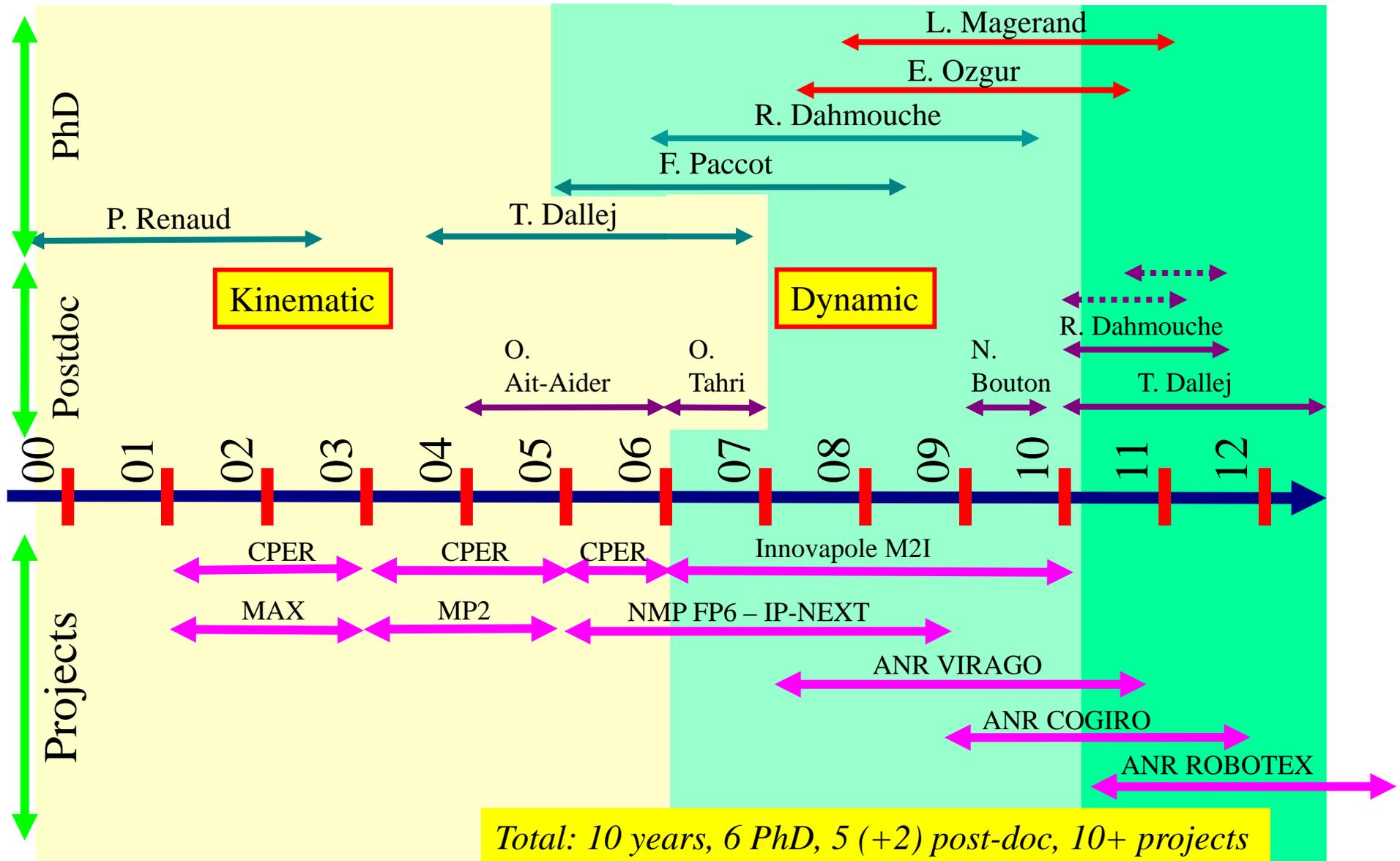
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Introduction



Vision Based Control



Application to Parallel Robot



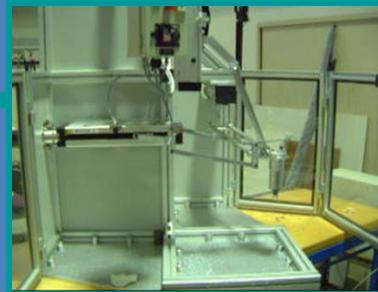
Illustrations



I4R-LIRMM



I4L-LIRMM



Orthoglide-IRCCYN



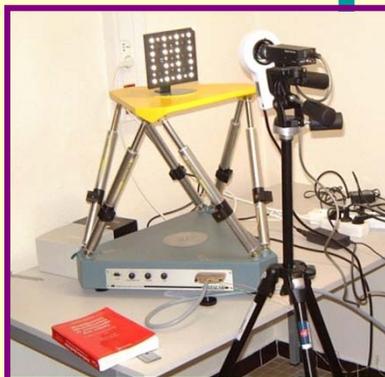
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H4-LIRMM



Quattro



Gough-Stewart



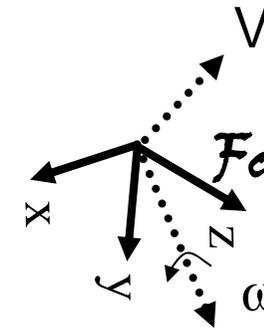
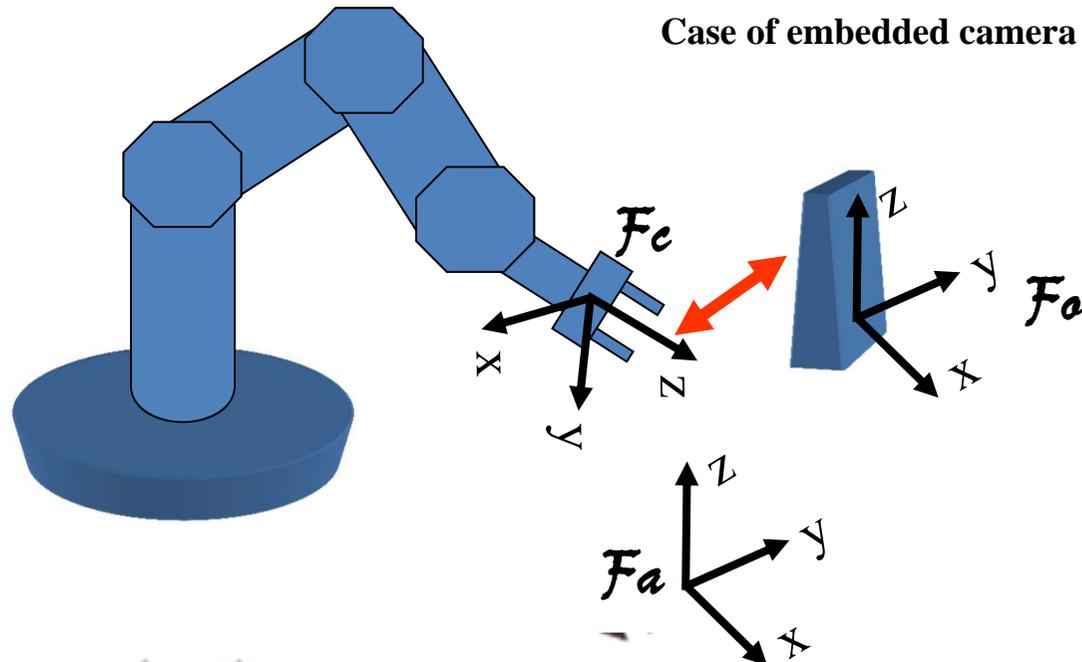
Reelaxe8 – LIRMM
Fatronik



3T3R



3RRR



x : 3D pose

$$s = s(x, t)$$

$$\dot{s} = \frac{\partial s}{\partial x} \frac{dx}{dt} + \frac{\partial s}{\partial t}$$

Interaction matrix

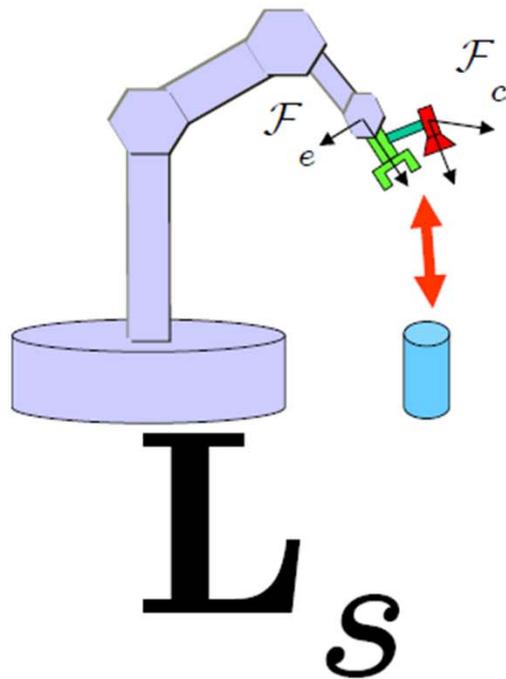
$$\dot{s} = L_s v + \frac{\partial s}{\partial t}$$

If (fixed object) $\frac{\partial s}{\partial t} = 0$



$$\dot{s} = L_s v$$

Embedded camera (Eye in hand)



★ \mathcal{F}_c Camera frame

★ \mathcal{F}_e End effector frame

$\dot{\mathbf{s}} = \mathbf{L}_s \mathbf{v}$ ← Camera intrinsic parameters
In \mathcal{F}_c

$\mathbf{v} = -\lambda \mathbf{L}_s^+ (\mathbf{s} - \mathbf{s}^*)$ $\dot{\mathbf{x}} = \mathbf{L}_x \mathbf{v}_e$

$\mathbf{v}_e = {}^e \mathbf{V} \mathbf{v}$ ← Camera extrinsic parameters

$\dot{\mathbf{q}} = \mathbf{J}(\mathbf{q})^{-1} \mathbf{L}_x \mathbf{v}_e = \mathbf{J}(\mathbf{q})^{-1} \mathbf{L}_x {}^e \mathbf{V} \mathbf{v}$

← Robot jacobian expressed in \mathcal{F}_e

Classical Visual servoing concentrates on modelling the interaction between

- Embedded sensor and environment (case of Eye In Hand)
- Gripper and object (case of Eye to Hand)

S can be a feature of different nature : 3D/2D/Hybrid

which

- characterizes the interaction with the environment (relative situation between the end effector and the environment)
- don't characterize any the internal state of the robot

Generally, we define a task error,

and we impose an exponential decrease of the error which gives a proportional control law

$$\dot{\mathbf{s}} = \mathbf{L}_s \mathbf{v}$$

$$\mathbf{e} = C(\mathbf{s}(t) - \mathbf{s}^*)$$

$$\dot{\mathbf{e}} = -\lambda \mathbf{e}$$

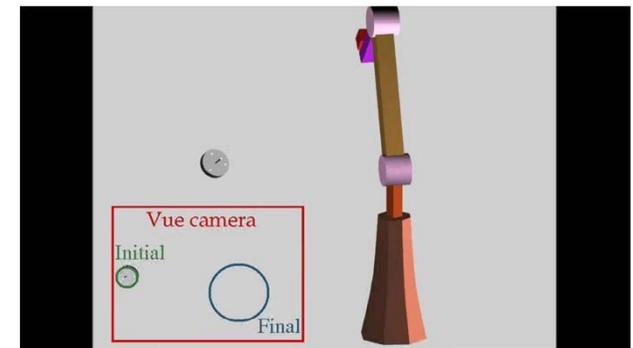
$$\mathbf{v} = -\lambda \mathbf{e}$$

$$\mathbf{v} = -\lambda \mathbf{L}_s^+ (\mathbf{s}(t) - \mathbf{s}^*)$$

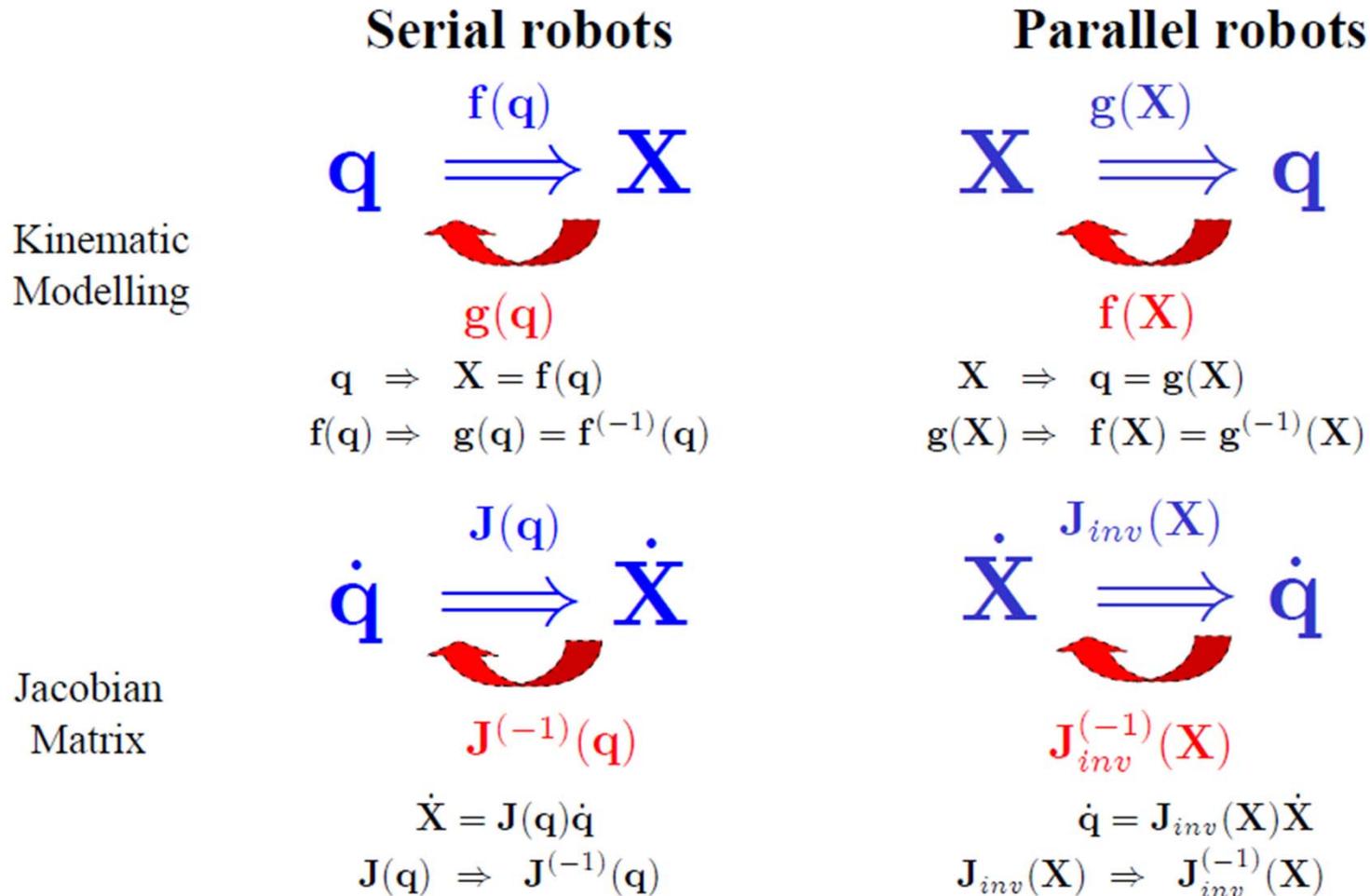
e must be a diffeomorphism with the state of the system

L^+ must be not singular with no degenerated cases

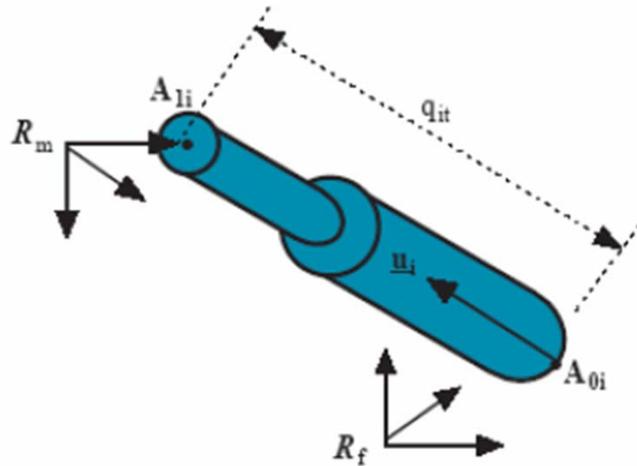
$(\mathbf{s}-\mathbf{s}^*)$ must be not in the kernel of L^+ (case of local minima)



Serial robots and parallel robots



Kinematic Vision Based control using leg observation



$$\dot{q} = {}^m D_m^{inv} \cdot {}^m \tau_m \quad {}^m D_m^{inv} = \begin{pmatrix} {}^m \underline{u}_1^T & {}^m A_{01} \times {}^m \underline{u}_1^T \\ {}^m \underline{u}_2^T & {}^m A_{02} \times {}^m \underline{u}_2^T \\ \vdots & \vdots \\ {}^m \underline{u}_6^T & {}^m A_{06} \times {}^m \underline{u}_6^T \end{pmatrix}$$

$${}^m \dot{\underline{u}}_i = M_i^T {}^m \tau_m$$

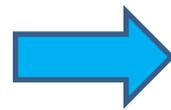
$$M_i^T = -\frac{1}{q_i} (I_3 - {}^m \underline{u}_i {}^m \underline{u}_i^T) [I_3 \quad -[{}^m A_{0i}]_{\times}]$$

M_i^T is obviously of rank 2

$$\begin{aligned} e_i &= {}^m \underline{u}_i \times {}^m \underline{u}_{di} \\ &= -{}^m \underline{u}_{di} \times {}^m \underline{u}_i \\ &= [{}^m \underline{u}_{di}]_{\times} {}^m \underline{u}_i \end{aligned}$$

$$E = (\mathbf{e}_1^T, \dots, \mathbf{e}_6^T)^T$$

$$\dot{E} = -\lambda E$$



$$\begin{aligned} \dot{e}_i &= -[{}^m \underline{u}_{di}]_{\times} \cdot {}^m \dot{\underline{u}}_i \\ &= -[{}^m \underline{u}_{di}]_{\times} M_i^T {}^m \tau_m \end{aligned}$$

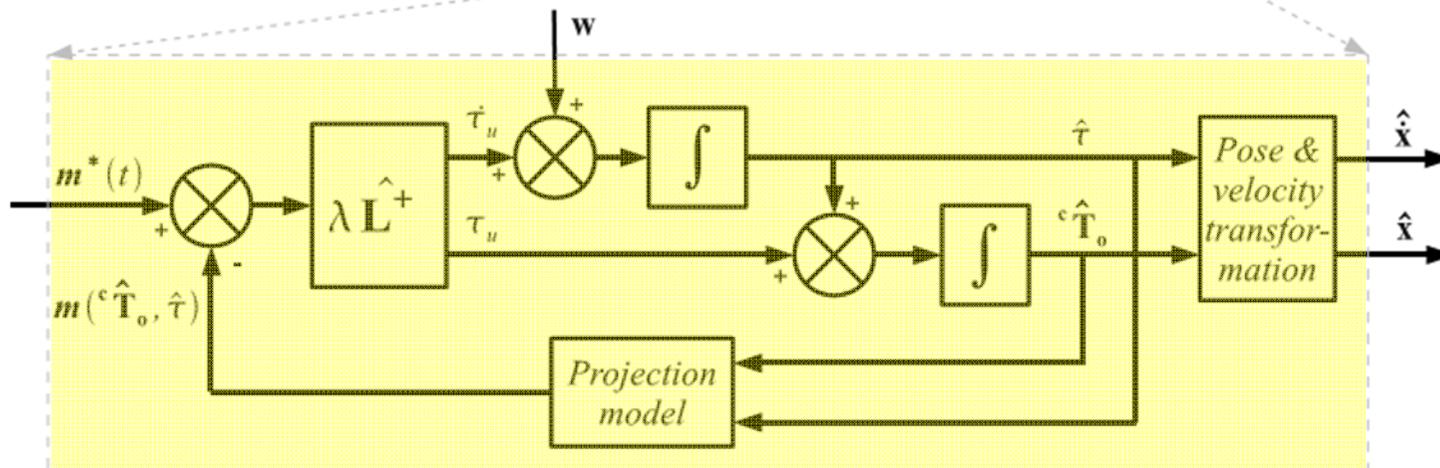
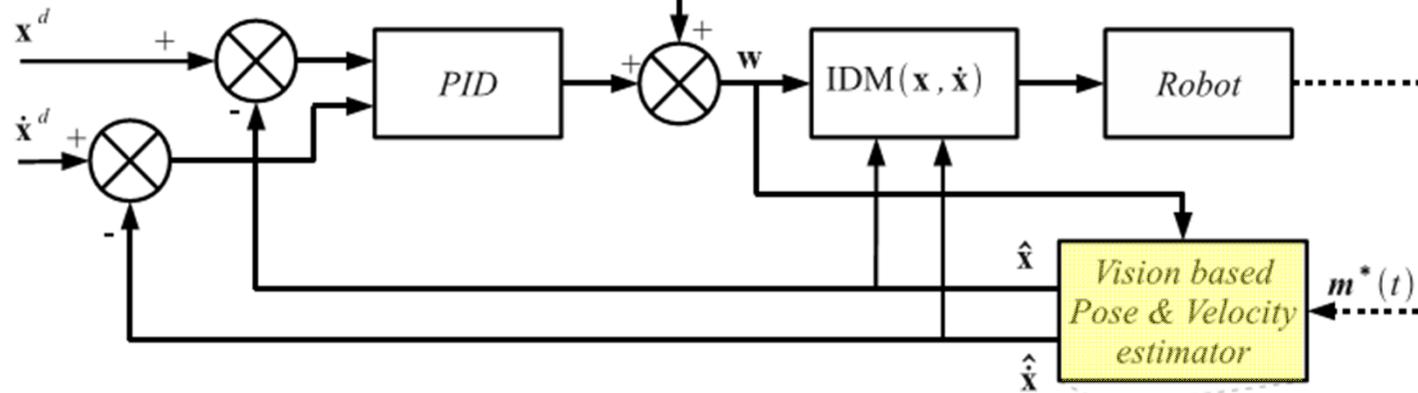
$$N_i^T = -[{}^m \underline{u}_{di}]_{\times} M_i^T \text{ and } N^T = (N_1, \dots, N_6)^T$$

$$\dot{q} = -\lambda {}^m D_m^{inv} N^T{}^+ E$$

Dynamic Cartesian Based control

[Dahmouche10,12]

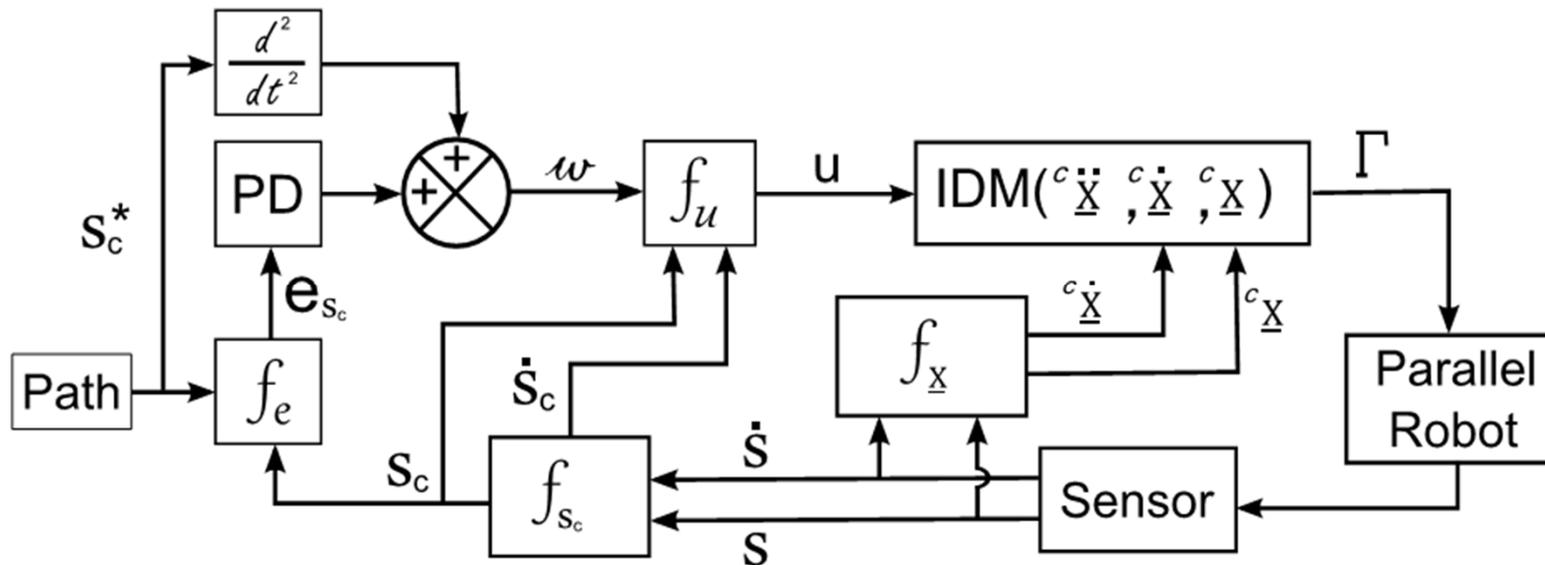
Virtual visual servoing for Pose/ \hat{x}^d Velocity estimation



Dynamic Sensor Based Control

[Özgür10]

Generic Control Space



- CTC* in the legs direction space (LS-CTC)

 $\mathbf{u}, \dot{\mathbf{u}}$

$$\mathbf{e} = f_e(\mathbf{s}^*, \mathbf{s}) = \mathbf{s}^* - \mathbf{s}$$

- CTC* in cartesian space (CS-CTC)

 $\mathbf{X}, \dot{\mathbf{X}}$

$$\mathbf{u} = f_u(\mathbf{L}_s, \dot{\mathbf{L}}_s, \dot{\mathbf{s}}, \boldsymbol{\omega}) = \dot{\mathbf{L}}_s \dot{\mathbf{s}} + \mathbf{L}_s \boldsymbol{\omega}$$

- CTC* in image space (Edges) (ES-CTC)

 $\mathbf{n}, \dot{\mathbf{n}}$

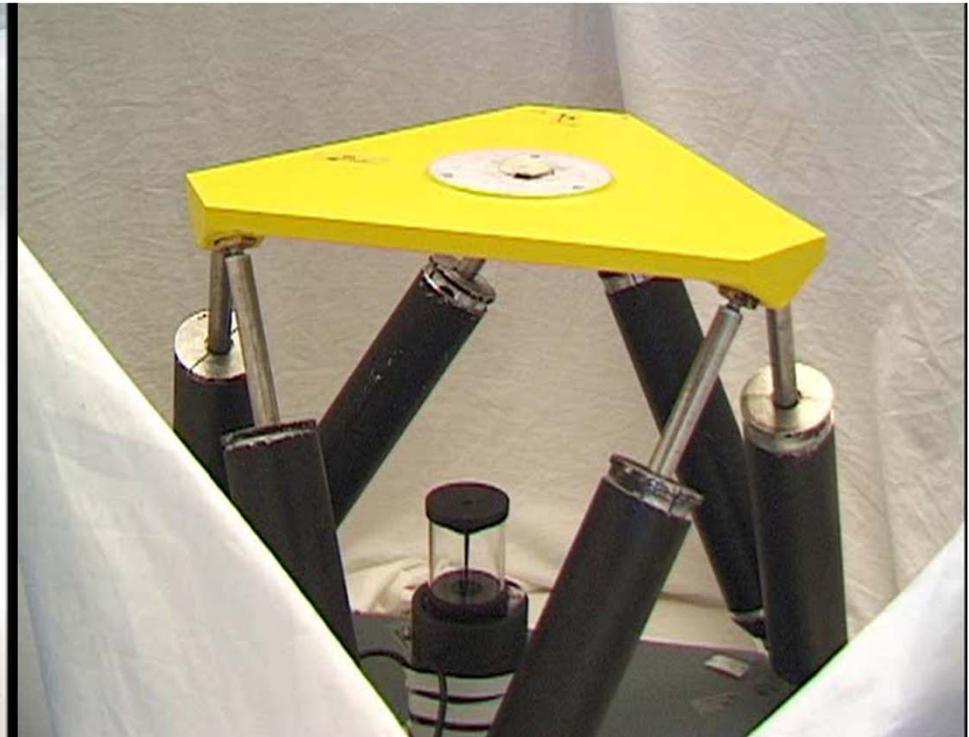
[Özgür11]

Kinematic Vision Based Control of Gough Stewart Platform

[Andreff05]



[Tahri07]



Control of parallel robot using legs observation

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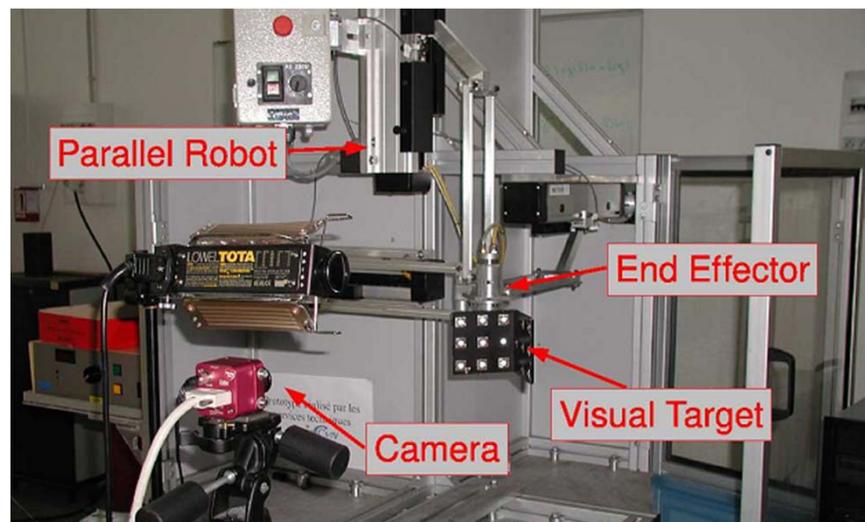
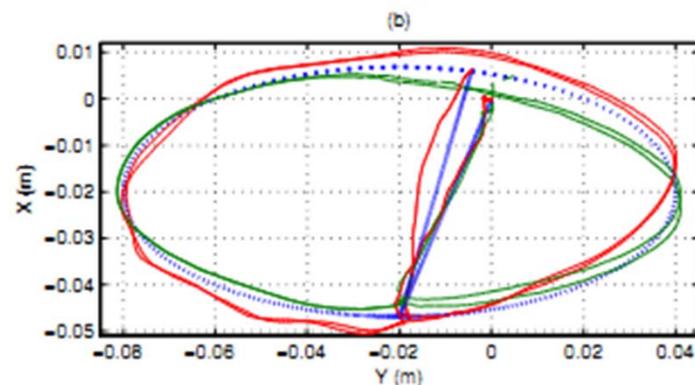
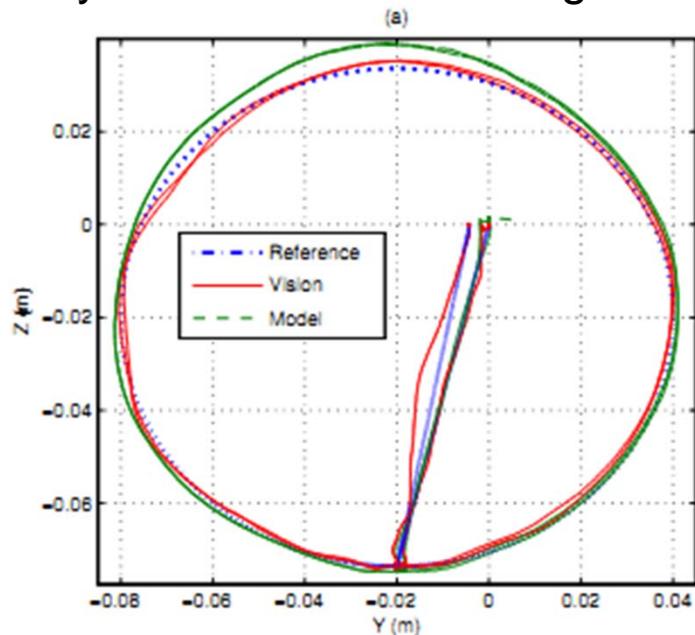


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Dynamic Cartesian Based control

[Dahmouche10]

Dynamic control of orthoglide at 400Hz (Acquisition 4khz, CMOS Camera)



First time that we show that Dynamic Vision Based Control is better than Dynamic Model Based Control

Dynamic Cartesian Based control

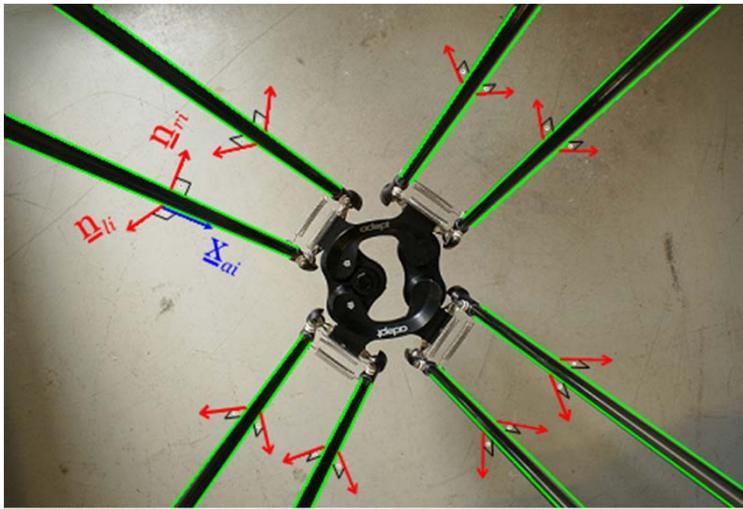
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Dynamic control of orthoglide at 400Hz (Acquisition 4khz, CMOS Camera)

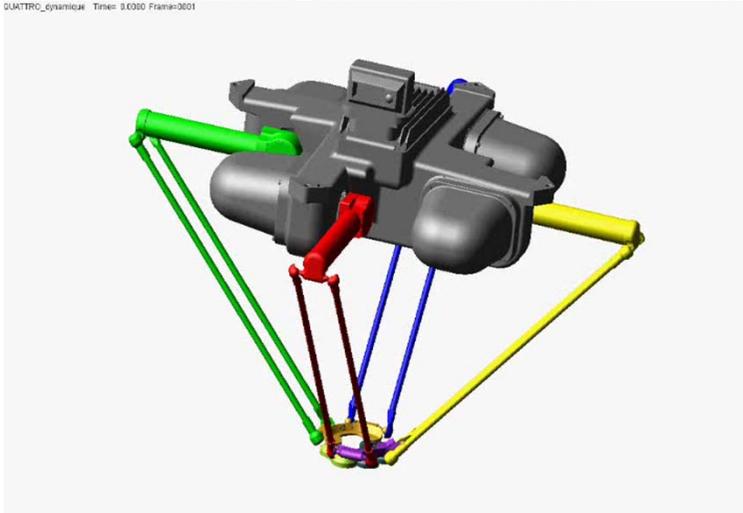


Dynamic Vision Based Control of Quattro robot

[Özgür10]

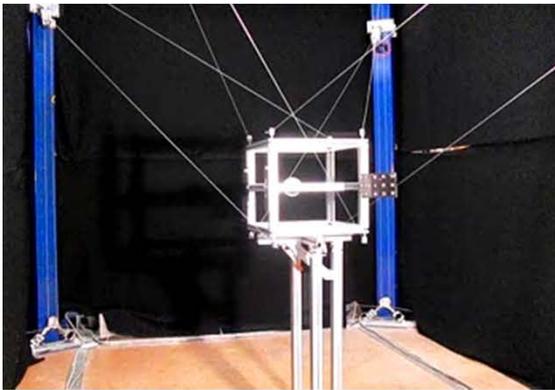


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Vision Based Control of Parallel cable driven robot

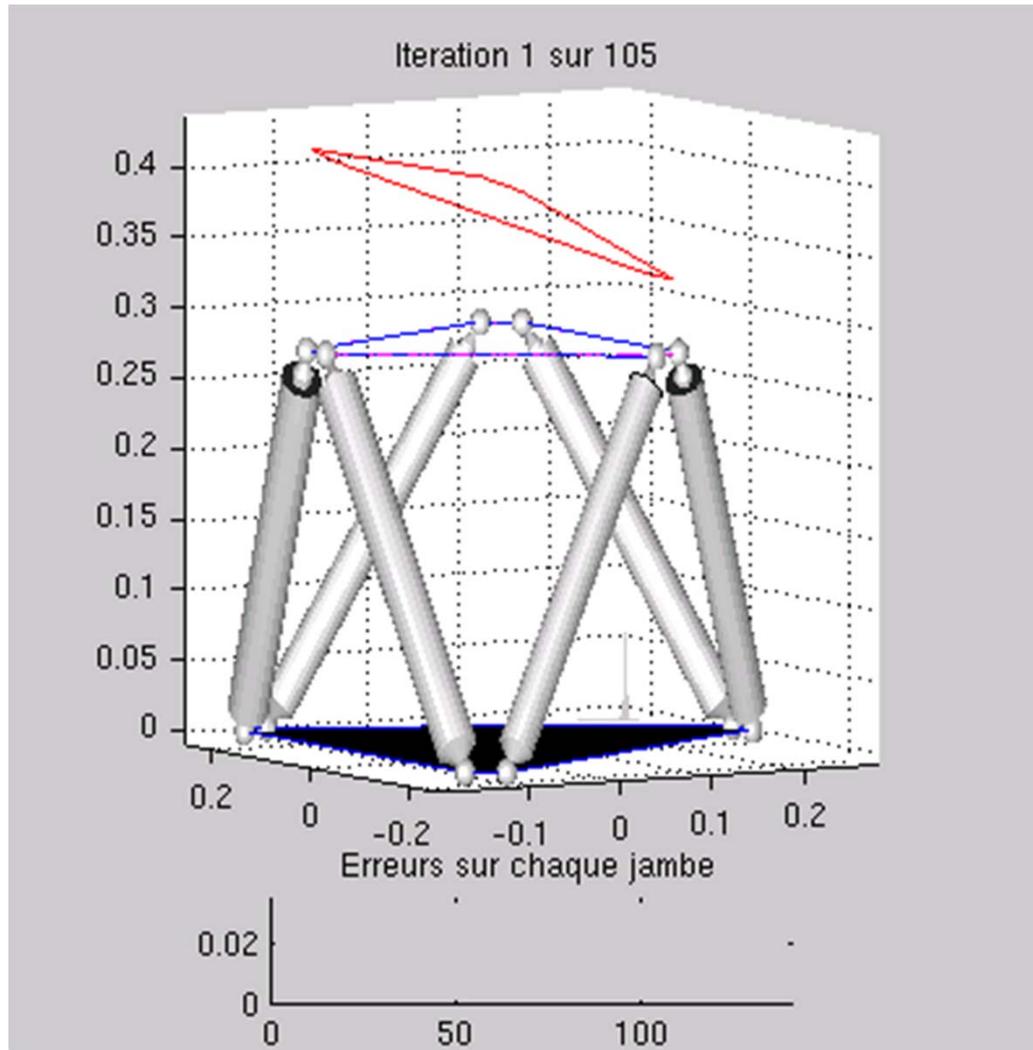
[Dallej11, Dallej12]



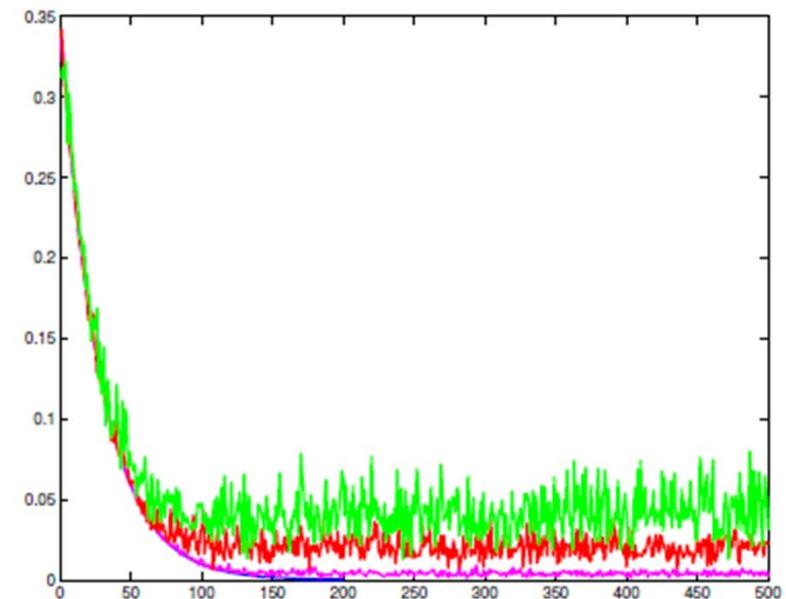
Real Axe8
COGIRO project 2011

Large-Dimension Cable-Driven Parallel Robots
COGIRO project 2012

Some problems and questions in Kinematic Vision Based Control

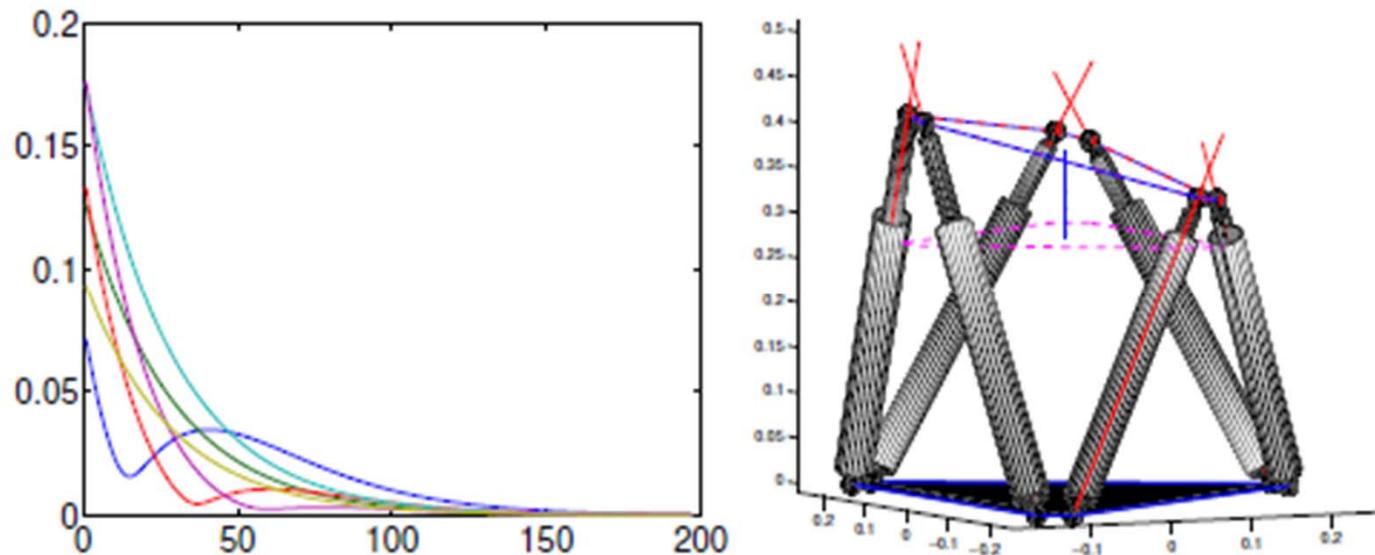


[Andref05]



Robustness to noise : sum of squares of the errors $E^T E$ vs time with a noise amplitude of 0.01 deg (dashed), 0.05 deg (dashed) and 0.1 deg (dash-dotted).

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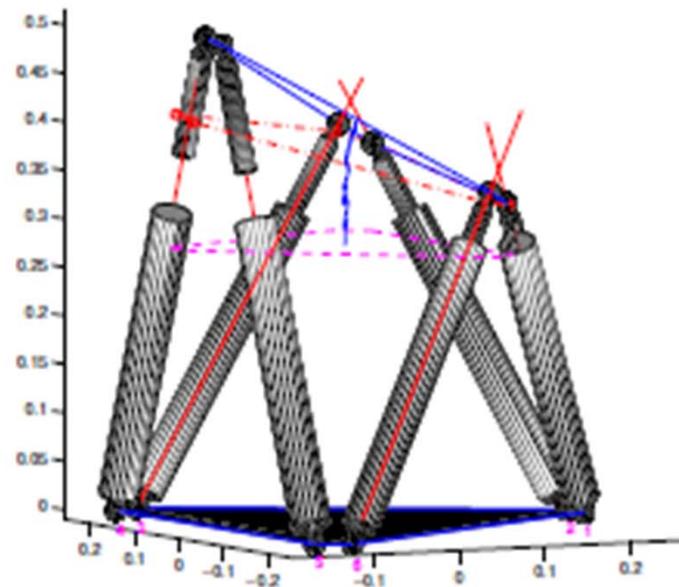
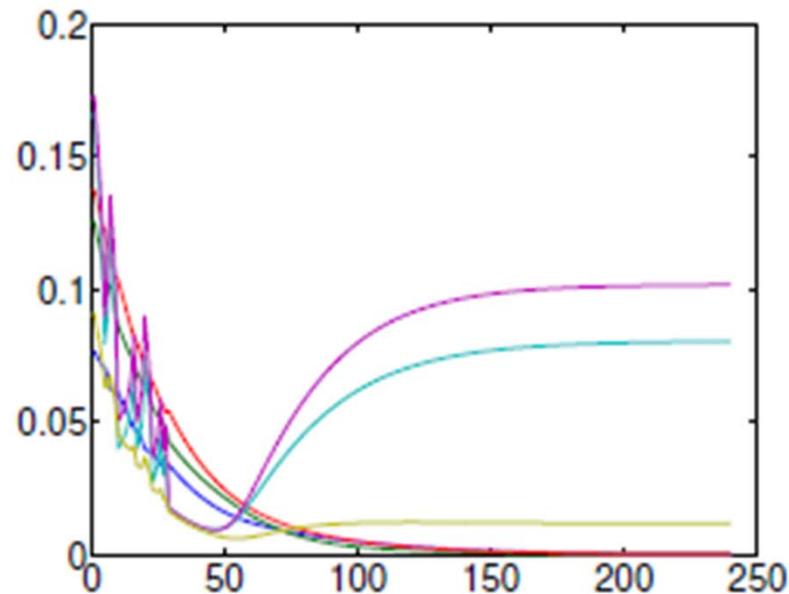
[Andref05]

Lucky convergence in the case where legs 2, 4 and 6 only are used for control

3 legs represents 3×2 d.o.f controlled

Does the 3 selected legs directions represent the state of the Robot?

Some problems and questions in Kinematic Vision Based Control



[Andref05]

Non-convergence in the case where legs 1, 2 and 3 only are used for control. The direction of the legs are superimposed (red) on the cylinders. A leg has converged to its desired orientation if its direction crosses the endeffector in the desired pose at the joint location. Notice that this happens only for the 3 controlled legs.

3 legs represents 3×2 d.o.f controlled. The 3 other legs converge to another equilibrium

How to choose the right set of 3 legs?

Why we are converging to another cartesian pose?

Some problems and questions in Kinematic Vision Based Control

What is the state of a parallel robot?

How to choose the right set of legs? (for control? For end effector pose estimation?)

Why we are converging to another cartesian pose?

Part II The concept of Hidden Robot

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