



Vision-based Controller with various visual features



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Introduction

Vision-based controller

Accomplish the control task using **visual information**

- Rich information in diversity
- Working under dynamical environments

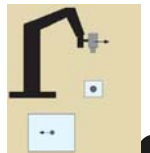


Rely on techniques from

- Control theory
- Computer vision
- Image processing

Visual servo control

- Image-based visual servo control (IBVS)
- Position-based visual servo control (PBVS)



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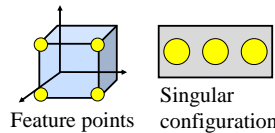
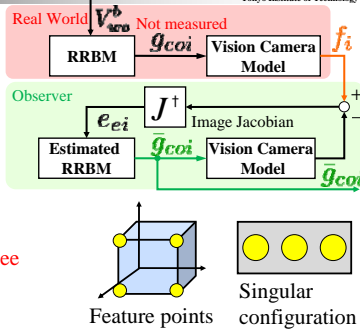
Visual Motion Observer

Nonlinear observer to estimate the relative rigid body motion

Measured vision data

Target's feature points

Getting more than four three points is required



Objective

Survey about vision-based controller with various features

- Point
- Line
- Luminance



Visual servo control (Classical)

Visual Servo Control Part I: Basic Approaches

BY FRANCOIS CHAUMETTE AND SETH HUTCHINSON

The ability to track a target in the image plane is a key element in many applications. For example, in the control of a robot, the image coordinates of a target point in the scene can be used to control the motion of a robot. In this tutorial, we will discuss the basic approaches to visual servo control. We will first discuss the image-based approach, and then the position-based approach.



Seth Hutchinson

F. Chaumette and S. Hutchinson, "Visual Servo Control, Part I: Basic Approaches", *IEEE Robotics and Automation Magazine*, Vol. 13, No. 4, Dec., 2006, pp. 82-90.



Controller for constrained feature set

Control objective

Minimize the error

$$e(t) = s(m(t), a) - s^*$$

s : Visual features

s^* : Desired values of s

$m(t)$: Image measurements

a : Parameters that represent potential additional knowledge about the system

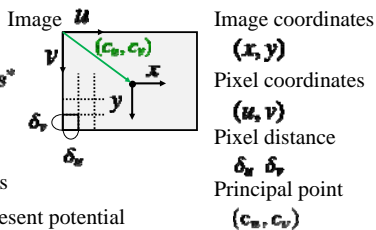
Image-based visual servo control (IBVS)

s : Set of features

Robust to error in calibration and image noise

Position-based visual servo control (PBVS)

s : Set of 3-D parameters **Required exact pose estimation**



Design of the controller

Camera velocity

$$V_c = (v_c, \omega_c)$$

v_c : Linear velocity

ω_c : Angular velocity

Relation between error and camera velocity

$$\dot{e} = L_e V_c$$

$L_e \in \mathbb{R}^{2k \times 6}$: Feature Jacobian k : Number of visual features

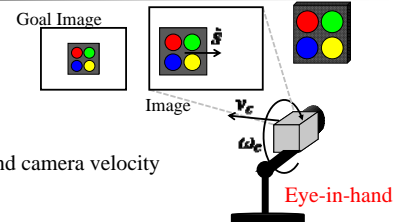
Control law

$L_e^+ \in \mathbb{R}^{6 \times 2k}$: Pseudoinverse matrix

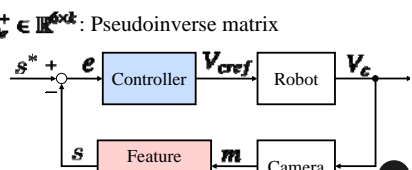
$$V_c = -\lambda L_e^+ e$$

The error accomplishes exponential decrease

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



Eye-in-hand





Derivation of the Jacobian

Image-based visual servo control (IBVS)

$\mathbf{X} = (X, Y, Z)$: 3-D point in camera frame

$\mathbf{x} = (x, y)$: 2-D point in the image

Perspective projection

$$\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{X}/Z = \delta_x(\mathbf{u} - \mathbf{c}_u)/f$$

$$\mathbf{y} = \mathbf{Y}/Z = \delta_y(\mathbf{v} - \mathbf{c}_v)/f$$

f : Focal length

Derivative

$$\dot{x} = \dot{X}/Z - X\dot{Z}/Z^2 = (\dot{X} - x\dot{Z})/Z$$

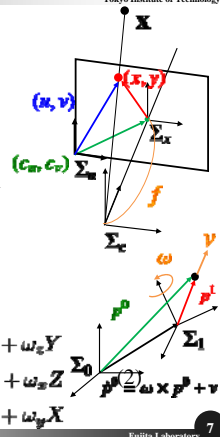
$$\dot{y} = \dot{Y}/Z - Y\dot{Z}/Z^2 = (\dot{Y} - y\dot{Z})/Z$$

(1)

$$\dot{\mathbf{X}} = -v_e - \omega_e \times \mathbf{X}$$

$$\mathbf{v}_e = [v_x \ v_y \ v_z]^T \Rightarrow \begin{cases} \dot{X} = -v_x - \omega_x Z + \omega_y Y \\ \dot{Y} = -v_y - \omega_x X + \omega_z Z \\ \dot{Z} = -v_z - \omega_x Y + \omega_y X \end{cases}$$

$$\omega_e = [\omega_x \ \omega_y \ \omega_z]^T$$



Example of the Jacobian

$$\dot{x} = \dot{X}/Z - X\dot{Z}/Z^2 = (\dot{X} - x\dot{Z})/Z$$

$$\dot{y} = \dot{Y}/Z - Y\dot{Z}/Z^2 = (\dot{Y} - y\dot{Z})/Z$$

(1)

$$\begin{cases} \dot{X} = -v_x - \omega_x Z + \omega_y Y \\ \dot{Y} = -v_y - \omega_x X + \omega_z Z \\ \dot{Z} = -v_z - \omega_x Y + \omega_y X \end{cases}$$

(2)

Substitute (2) to (1)

$$\dot{x} = -v_x/Z + xv_x/Z + xy\omega_x - (1+x^2)\omega_y + y\omega_z$$

$$\dot{y} = -v_y/Z + yv_y/Z + (1+y^2)\omega_x - xy\omega_y - x\omega_z$$

(3)

From (3), $\dot{\mathbf{k}} = \mathbf{L}_e \mathbf{V}_e$ $\mathbf{V}_e = [v_x \ \omega_x]^T$

$$\mathbf{L}_e = \begin{bmatrix} -\frac{1}{Z} & 0 & \frac{x}{Z} & xy & -(1+x^2) & y \\ 0 & -\frac{1}{Z} & \frac{y}{Z} & 1+y^2 & -xy & -x \end{bmatrix}$$

Z : unknown

Estimation of matrices must be realized in control law

$$\mathbf{V}_e = -\lambda \mathbf{L}_e^+ \mathbf{e}$$



SURF (Speeded-Up Robust Features)

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- One of feature extraction methods
- Simple and fast computation
- Robust to rotation, scale, and illumination change

Procedure

1. Detection of interest points

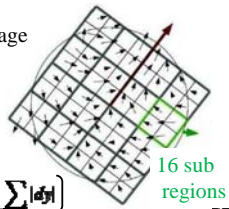
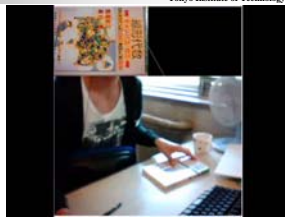
Hessian matrix Find corner of the image

2. Derivate the orientation and features

Calculate gradient $dx \ dy$
Approximation with filter

Feature $16 \times 4 = 64$ dimensions

Each sub region $\left[\sum dx \ \sum dx \ \sum dy \ \sum dy \right]$



Visual servo control (Advanced)

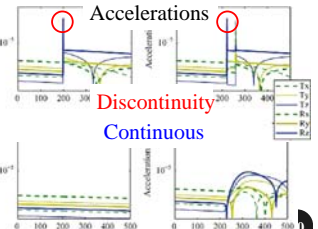
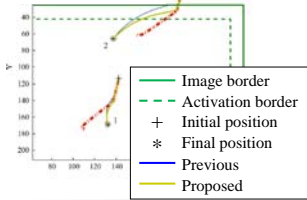
Continuity of Varying-Feature-Set Control Laws
Nicolas Mansard, Anthony Remazeilles, and François Chaumette, Member IEEE

N. Mansard, A. Remazeilles, F. Chaumette, "Continuity of Varying-Feature-Set Control Laws", *IEEE Transactions on Automatic Control*, Vol. 54, No. 11, Nov., 2009, pp. 2493-2505.



F. Chaumette

Point trajectories



Common idea

Introduce a buffer area at the activation border

Error function

$$\mathbf{e}' = \mathbf{H} \mathbf{e} \quad \mathbf{H} = \text{diag}(h_1, \dots, h_k)$$

$$h_i = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } \bar{x} - \epsilon \leq x \leq \bar{x}^+ - \epsilon \\ 0 & \text{if } x \geq \bar{x}^+ \text{ or } x \leq \bar{x}^- \\ f(x - (\bar{x}^+ - \epsilon)) & \text{if } \bar{x}^+ - \epsilon \leq x \leq \bar{x}^+ \\ f(\bar{x}^- - \epsilon - x) & \text{if } \bar{x}^- \leq x \leq \bar{x}^- + \epsilon \end{cases}$$

Previous idea $\mathbf{V}_e = -\lambda(\mathbf{H}\mathbf{L}_e)^+ \mathbf{H} \mathbf{e}$

Not continuous: $\text{rank}(\mathbf{H}\mathbf{L}_e)$ changes

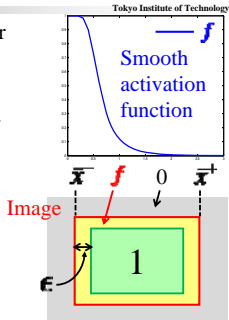
Active feature is less than 3

Proposed control law

$$\mathbf{V}_e = -\lambda \mathbf{L}_e^{\oplus} \mathbf{e} \quad \mathbf{L}_e^{\oplus}: \text{Continuous inverse of } \mathbf{L}_e \text{ subject to } \mathbf{H}$$

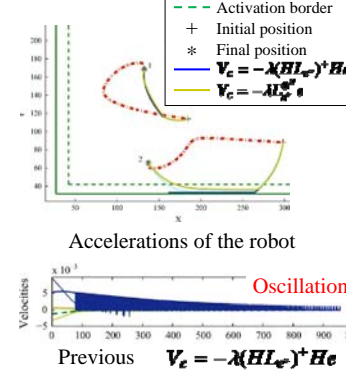
- Continuous everywhere

- Act like \mathbf{L}_e^+ when $\forall i = 1 \dots k, h_i \in \{0, 1\}$



Experiment

Point trajectories



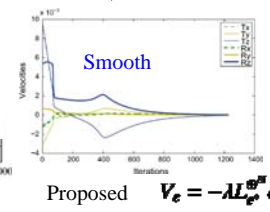
Consider both point1 and 2

Point2 leave the camera FOV

Consider only point1

Point2 enter the camera FOV

→ Dilemma





Contour pose estimation

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Non-Rigid 2D-3D Pose Estimation and 2D Image Segmentation

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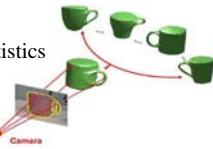
Allen R. Tannenbaum

R. Sandhu, S. Dambreville, A. Yezzi, and A. Tannenbaum. Non-Rigid 2D-3D Pose Estimation and 2D Image Segmentation. In *IEEE Conference on Computer Vision and Pattern Recognition (CVPR)*, 2009.

Pose estimation using contour

Extract the contour curvature using image statistics

- Deal with arbitrary or complex shape
Useful in non-rigid object
- Not need the knowledge of specified 3D model



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Pose estimation method

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Minimize Energy function

$$E = \int_{\mathcal{R}} r_o(I(x), \mathcal{E}) d\Omega + \int_{\mathcal{R}^c} r_b(I(x), \mathcal{E}) d\Omega$$

Functions of pose g

$\mathcal{R} = \pi(S)$: Region which the surface is projected
 \mathcal{R}^c : Complementary region \mathcal{E} : Silhouette

$S \subset \mathbb{R}^3$: Surface defining the shape of the object

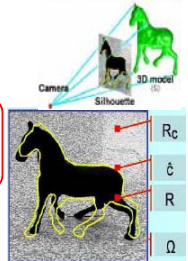
S_0 : Identical reference surface (known)

$S = g(S_0)$ π : Perspective projection $\Omega \in \mathbb{R}^2$: Image domain

r_o, r_b : Function measuring the similarity of the image pixels $I(x)$ with a statistical model over the regions $\mathcal{R}, \mathcal{R}^c$

$$(Ex.) \quad r_o = (I(x) - \mu_o)^2 \quad r_b = (I(x) - \mu_b)^2$$

μ_o, μ_b : Average of image pixels inside(outside) the model object



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Experiments

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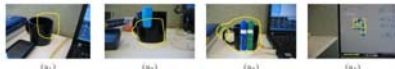
Update procedure

Pose parameter set $\xi = \{\xi_1, \dots, \xi_n\}^T$

$$\xi(t + \delta t) = \xi(t) - \delta \nabla_{\xi} E \quad \frac{\delta E}{\delta \xi} = \int_{\mathcal{E}} (r_o(I(x)) - r_b(I(x))) \left(\frac{\partial \mathcal{E}}{\partial \xi}, \mathbf{A} \right) d\Omega$$

Experiments

Initialized contour



Active contour (edge-based)



Image statistics (proposed)



From the experiment

- Robust to occlusion and clutter
- Able to segment different shapes of teacup

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Biology pose stabilization

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Submitted, 2009 Conference on Decision and Control (CDC)
<http://www.cdc.conf.mhfi.edu/~murray/papers/09cdc-robotic.pdf>

A bio-plausible design for visual attitude stabilization
Andrea Censi, Shuo Han, Sawyer B. Fuller, Richard M. Murray

Abstract—We consider the problem of attitude stabilization using exclusively visual sensory input, and we look for a solution which can admit the construction of a “bio-plausible” controller. We obtain a PD controller which, by a bilinear...



Andrea Censi, Shuo Han, Sawyer B. Fuller, and Richard M. Murray. “A Bio-Plausible Design for Visual Attitude Stabilization”, *IEEE Conference on Decision and Control (CDC)*, 2009.

Richard M. Murray

A bio-plausible control

- Realized on neural substrate \rightarrow Learning
- Use pixel luminance

Work with uncalibrated camera

Don't use landmark

A new trend in robotics

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Control problem

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System dynamics

$$\begin{cases} \dot{r} = r(\dot{\omega}) \\ \dot{\omega} = (\mathbf{I}\omega) \times \omega + \tau \end{cases} \quad \begin{array}{l} \mathbf{r} \in SO(3): \text{ Attitude} \\ \omega: \text{ Angular velocity} \\ \mathbf{I}: \text{ Angular inertia matrix} \end{array}$$

Input torque τ

Visual input (light intensity) at each time

$$y(s, t) \triangleq m(r(t)s) \quad \text{Unit sphere: } s \in \mathbb{S}^2 \quad \text{map } \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$$

Control problem

Choose the torque τ , such that $y \rightarrow g$
Goal image: $g(s) = m(r^*s)$ Goal attitude: $r^* = I$

Proposed controller

PD controller

Attitude stabilization (Gradient decent method)

$$J(r) = \frac{1}{2} \|g - y\|_E^2$$

$\omega = (g(Sy))$ stabilize first-order system

$$(\dot{r}) \triangleq \int_{\mathbb{S}^2} f(s) ds$$

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Estimation of angular velocity

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Optic flow equation

$$y(s, t) = (Sy)^T \omega \quad Sy := s \times \nabla_y y \quad \dot{s} = \omega \times s$$

Least-squares estimation

$$\hat{y} = (Sy)^T \omega + \epsilon \quad \epsilon: \text{ Noise}$$

$$\hat{\omega}_{LS} \triangleq \langle (Sy)(Sy)^T \rangle^{-1} \langle (Sy)y \rangle$$

Bilinear estimation (less computation)

$$\hat{\omega}_{BL} \triangleq c \langle (Sy)y \rangle \quad c = (E_{\mathbf{m}} \| \nabla_y \|^2)^{-1}: \text{ Average of image contrast}$$

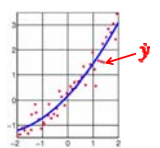
Learned Bilinear estimation

$$\hat{\omega}_{LM} \triangleq \langle (M(Sy)y) \rangle \quad M: \text{ Linear operator}$$

Update rule

$$\dot{M}^k = \alpha \langle (y(M^k y)) \rangle - \omega^k y y^T \quad \alpha > 0 \quad k = 1, 2, 3$$

M minimizes expected estimation error $E \{ \langle (y(M^k y)) \rangle - \omega^k y^2 \}$



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PD controller

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PD controller of rigid body dynamics

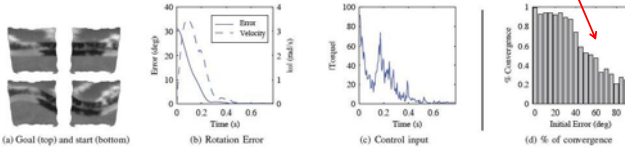
$$\tau = k_p (g(E\{M\}y)) - k_d (\dot{g}(E\{M\}y)) \quad k_p > 0 \quad k_d > 0$$

Using M in place of S

Simulation (Initial error 30deg)

Visual input : Use fruit fly model

Locally stable



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Conclusion

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Vision based controller

Accomplish the task using visual information

Task

- Control Robot Motion
- Pose estimation

Visual information

1. Feature set (point)
2. Contour (line)
3. Luminance



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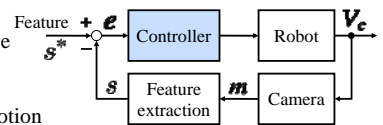
Image-based visual servo control (IBVS)

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Image-based visual servo control (IBVS)

s : Set of features available in the image data

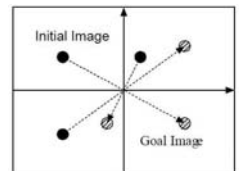
- Robust to error in calibration and image noise
- Local stability
- Unpredictable camera motion



Example of unstable $\hat{L}_e^+ = L_e^+$

Origin symmetry

- All of the feature goes to origin
- Camera moves away from the object



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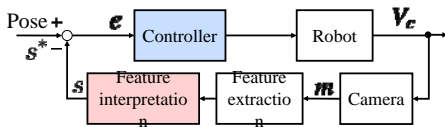


Position-based visual servo control (PBVS)

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Position-based visual servo control (PBVS)

s : Set of 3-D parameters estimated from image measurements



- Camera moves theoretically
- Required exact pose estimation
- Not consider about image space
→ Feature goes out of camera image

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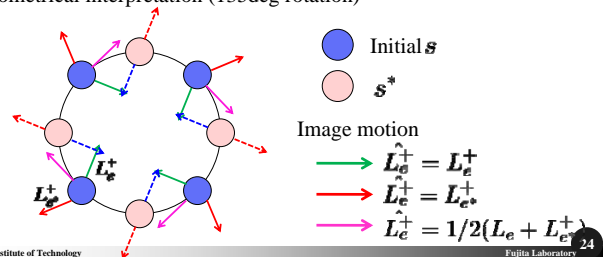
[Appendix] Approximate the Jacobian

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Approximation method

1. $\hat{L}_e^+ = L_e^+$ Calculate L_e
2. $\hat{L}_e^+ = L_{e^*}^+$ L_{e^*} : Value of L_e for the desired position
3. $\hat{L}_e^+ = 1/2(L_e + L_{e^*}^+)$

Geometrical interpretation (135deg rotation)



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Experiment of SURF

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Implement SURF

OpenCV (<http://opencv.jp/>)

- Open source computer vision library for C/C++
Free download

- Easy to capture the image from USB camera
Function: cvCreateCameraCapture();

- Easy to use SURF
Function: cvExtractSURF();

Future Works

- Use multiple camera
- How to use CCD camera?



USB camera



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[Appendix2]Example of activation function

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Example $V_c = -\lambda(HL_c)^+ H e$

1. Robust Visual Servoing

A. Comport, E. Marchand, F. Chaumette, "Statistically robust 2-D visual servoing", *IEEE Trans. Robot.*, Vol. 22, No. 2, Apr., 2006, pp. 415-420.

$$h_i = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{Full confidence} \\ 0 & \text{The feature is doubtlessly outlier} \end{cases}$$

2. Continuous Visual Servoing Despite Changes of Visibility

N. Garcia-Aracil, E. Malis, R. Aracil-Santonja, and C. Perez-Vidal, "Continuous visual servoing despite the changes of visibility in image features", *IEEE Trans. Robot.*, Vol. 21, No. 6, Apr., 2005, pp. 415-421.

$$H = \sqrt{W} \quad W = \text{diag}(w_1, \dots, w_k)$$

$$w_i = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{Feature is at the center of the image frame} \\ 0 & \text{Out of the camera field of view (FOV)} \end{cases}$$

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[Appendix2]Example of activation function

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3. Region reaching control

Bring to a region instead of a point

C. Cheah, D. Wang, and Y. Sun, "Region-reaching control of robots", *IEEE Trans. Robot.*, Vol. 23, No. 6, Dec., 2007, pp. 1260-1264.

The goal region

$$e_i(\mathbf{X}) \leq 0 \quad \forall i = 1 \dots k \quad \mathbf{X}: \text{Position}$$

Error function

$$e' = H \begin{bmatrix} 1/2e_1^2 & \dots & 1/2e_k^2 \end{bmatrix}^T$$

$$h_i = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{Otherwise} \\ 0 & \text{Corresponding regions have been reached} \end{cases}$$

Control law

$$V_c = -\lambda(HL_c)^T H e$$

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[Appendix2]Example of activation function

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4. Qualitative Servoing

Enlarge the convergence area

A. Remazeilles, N. Mansard, F. Chaumette, "Qualitative visual servoing: application to the visibility constraint", in Proc. *IEEE/RSJ Int. Conf. Robot. Syst. (IROS'06), Beijing, China, on Automatic Control*, Oct., 2006, pp. 4297-4303.

Error function

$$e' = H(e - \bar{e}) \quad \bar{e}: \text{Limit of the convergence area}$$

$$h_i = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{System leaves the convergence area} \\ 0 & \text{System enters the convergence area} \end{cases}$$

$$V_c = -\lambda(HL_c)^T H(e - \bar{e})$$

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[Appendix2]Continuous Inverse

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Introduce new operator

Continuous inverse A^\ddagger of a matrix A subject to an activation H

$$A \in \mathbb{R}^{k \times n} \quad H = \text{diag}(h_1, \dots, h_k) \quad h_i \in [0, 1]$$

- If $\forall i = 1 \dots k \quad h_i \in \{0, 1\}$, then

$$A^\ddagger H = (HA)^+ = (HA)^+ H$$

- A^\ddagger is continuous with regard to H

Implementation of continuous inverse $J^{\oplus H}$

$$J^{\oplus H} = \sum_{\mathcal{P} \in \mathcal{B}(k)} \left(\prod_{i \in \mathcal{P}} h_i \right) X_{\mathcal{P}} \quad X_{\mathcal{P}}: \text{Coupling matrix of } J$$

$$\mathcal{B}(k) = \mathcal{B}(1 \dots k) = \{\mathcal{P} | \mathcal{P} \subset 1 \dots k\} : \text{All the subsets composed of the } k \text{ first integer}$$

Proposed control law

$$V_c = -\lambda L_c^{\oplus H} e$$

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[Appendix2] Coupling Matrix

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Coupling Matrix

$$\begin{cases} \text{If } \mathcal{P} = \emptyset & X^{\emptyset} = \mathbf{0}_{n \times k} \\ \text{otherwise } \forall \mathcal{P} \in \mathcal{B}(k) & X_{\mathcal{P}} = J_{\mathcal{P}}^+ - \sum_{Q \in \mathcal{P}} X_Q \end{cases}$$

$$\mathcal{B}(k) = \mathcal{B}(1 \dots k) = \{\mathcal{P} | \mathcal{P} \subset 1 \dots k\}$$

: All the subsets composed of the k first integer

$$J_{\mathcal{P}} = HJ \quad \text{where } h_i = \begin{cases} 1 & i \in \mathcal{P} \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

From the definition

$$J^{\oplus H} = X_{\mathcal{P}} + \sum_{Q \in \mathcal{P}} X_Q$$

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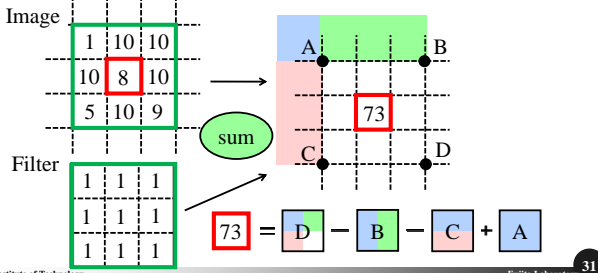
[Appendix]Integral Image and filtering

Integral Image $I_{\Sigma}(\mathbf{x})$

$$I_{\Sigma}(\mathbf{x}) = \sum_{i=0}^{ix} \sum_{j=0}^{jy} I(i, j)$$

Pixels: I
Location: $\mathbf{x} = (x, y)^T$

Filtering



[Appendix]Key points detection

Hessian matrix in \mathbf{x} at scale σ

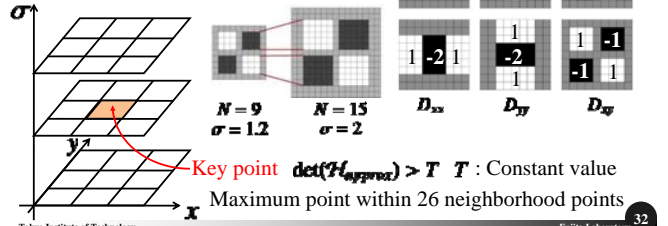
$$\mathcal{H}(\mathbf{x}, \sigma) = \begin{bmatrix} L_{xx}(\mathbf{x}, \sigma) & L_{xy}(\mathbf{x}, \sigma) \\ L_{xy}(\mathbf{x}, \sigma) & L_{yy}(\mathbf{x}, \sigma) \end{bmatrix}$$

$L_{xx}(\mathbf{x}, \sigma)$: Convolution of $\frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2} G(\sigma)$
 $G(\sigma)$: Gaussian

Approximation with filter

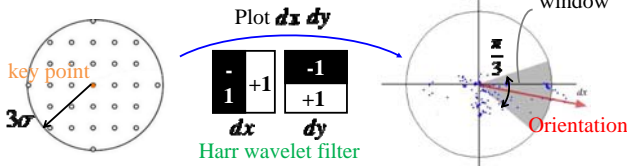
$$\det(\mathcal{H}_{approx}) = D_{xx}D_{yy} - (0.9D_{xy})^2$$

Apply Hessian detector for various scale



[Appendix]Orientation and Features

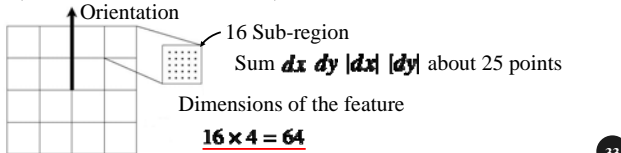
Calculate dx, dy within a circular neighborhood



Features

$$\left(\sum dx \quad \sum |dx| \quad \sum dy \quad \sum |dy| \right)$$

Maximum the sum of the points within the window



[Appendix3] Calculation

Gradient of the energy function

$$\frac{\partial E}{\partial \xi_i} = \int_{\mathcal{S}} (r_o(I(\mathbf{x})) - r_b(I(\mathbf{x}))) \left(\frac{\partial E}{\partial \xi_i}, \mathbf{n} \right) d\mathbf{S}$$

$\mathbf{N} = [N_1 \quad N_2 \quad N_3]^T$: Unit normal to \mathcal{S} at each point

$$\left(\frac{\partial E}{\partial \xi_i}, \mathbf{n} \right) d\mathbf{S} = \left(\frac{\partial \ln(C)}{\partial \xi_i}, f \frac{\partial \ln(C)}{\partial \xi_i} \right) d\mathbf{S}$$

$J: \frac{\pi}{2}$ Rotation matrix

$$= \frac{1}{Z^3} \left(\frac{\partial \mathbf{X}}{\partial \xi_i}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 & Z & -Y \\ -Z & 0 & X \\ Y & -X & 0 \end{bmatrix} \frac{\partial \mathbf{X}}{\partial \mathbf{x}} \right) d\mathbf{S} \left(\frac{\partial \mathbf{X}}{\partial \xi_i}, \mathbf{N} \right) = \left(\frac{\partial \mathbf{X} \mathbf{X}_o + \mathbf{P}}{\partial \xi_i}, \mathbf{N} \right) = \left(\mathbf{R} \frac{\partial \mathbf{X}_o}{\partial \xi_i}, \mathbf{R} \mathbf{N}_o \right) = \left(\frac{\partial \mathbf{X}_o}{\partial \xi_i}, \mathbf{N}_o \right)$$

\mathbf{K} : Gaussian curvature

$$\frac{\partial E}{\partial \xi_i} = \int_{\mathcal{S}} (r_o(I(\mathbf{x})) - r_b(I(\mathbf{x}))) \frac{|\mathbf{X}|}{Z^3} \sqrt{\frac{\kappa_X \kappa_i}{\mathbf{K}}} \left(\frac{\partial \mathbf{X}}{\partial \xi_i}, \mathbf{N} \right) d\mathbf{S} \quad \sqrt{\frac{\kappa_X \kappa_i}{\mathbf{K}}} \approx 1$$

$\kappa_X \kappa_i$: Normal curvature in the direction \mathbf{X}, \mathbf{i}

[Appendix3]Pose estimation method

Translation parameter $\mathbf{T} = [p_x \quad p_y \quad p_z]^T = [\xi_1 \quad \xi_2 \quad \xi_3]^T$

$$\left(\frac{\partial \mathbf{X}}{\partial \xi_i}, \mathbf{N} \right) = \left(\frac{\partial \mathbf{R} \mathbf{X}_o + \mathbf{P}}{\partial \xi_i}, \mathbf{N} \right)$$

$\mathbf{X} = (X, Y, Z)$: Spatial coordinates related to camera frame

$$= \left(\frac{\partial \mathbf{T}}{\partial \xi_i}, \mathbf{N} \right) = N_i$$

\mathbf{X}_o : Points on \mathcal{S}_o

Rotation parameter $\mathbf{R} = \exp \left(\begin{bmatrix} \xi_4 \\ \xi_5 \\ \xi_6 \end{bmatrix} \right)$

$$\left(\frac{\partial \mathbf{X}}{\partial \xi_i}, \mathbf{N} \right) = \left(\frac{\partial \mathbf{R} \mathbf{X}_o}{\partial \xi_i}, \mathbf{N} \right)$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{R} & 0 & -\delta_{3,i} & \delta_{2,i} \\ \delta_{3,i} & 0 & -\delta_{1,i} & 0 \\ -\delta_{2,i} & \delta_{1,i} & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \mathbf{X}_o, \mathbf{N}$$

Update procedure

$$\xi(t + \delta t) = \xi(t) - \delta \nabla_{\xi} E$$

[Appendix4] System dynamics

System dynamics

$$\begin{cases} \dot{\mathbf{r}} = \mathbf{r}(\dot{\omega}) \\ \mathbf{I} \dot{\omega} = (\mathbf{I} \omega) \times \omega - \mathbf{c}_\omega \omega + \boldsymbol{\tau} \\ \dot{\mathbf{p}} = \mathbf{r} \boldsymbol{\nu} \quad \text{Damping term} \\ m \dot{\boldsymbol{\nu}} = m \boldsymbol{\nu} \times \omega - \mathbf{c}_v \boldsymbol{\nu} + \mathbf{f} \end{cases} \quad (4)$$

Body velocity

$$\mathbf{V}_{ob}^b = \begin{bmatrix} v_{ob}^x \\ v_{ob}^y \\ v_{ob}^z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{R}_{ob}^c \dot{\mathbf{p}}_{ob} \\ (\mathbf{R}_{ob}^c \dot{\mathbf{R}}_{ob})^V \end{bmatrix}$$

Spatial velocity

$$\dot{\mathbf{V}}_{ob}^b = \mathbf{a}_{ob}^{-1} \dot{\mathbf{p}}_{ob}$$

$$\mathbf{V}_{ob}^c = \begin{bmatrix} v_{ob}^x \\ v_{ob}^y \\ v_{ob}^z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -\dot{\mathbf{R}}_{ob} \mathbf{R}_{ob}^T \mathbf{p}_{ob} + \dot{\mathbf{p}}_{ob} \\ (\dot{\mathbf{R}}_{ob} \mathbf{R}_{ob}^T)^V \end{bmatrix}$$

Body force

$$\mathbf{f} = m \dot{\boldsymbol{\nu}} = \mathbf{r} \dot{\boldsymbol{\nu}}^T \quad \mathbf{V}_{ob}^c = \begin{bmatrix} v_{ob}^x \\ v_{ob}^y \\ v_{ob}^z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -\dot{\mathbf{R}}_{ob} \mathbf{R}_{ob}^T \mathbf{p}_{ob} + \dot{\mathbf{p}}_{ob} \\ (\dot{\mathbf{R}}_{ob} \mathbf{R}_{ob}^T)^V \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \frac{d}{dt} (m \mathbf{r} \boldsymbol{\nu}^T) \quad \boldsymbol{\tau} = \frac{d}{dt} (\mathbf{I} \boldsymbol{\omega}^T) \quad \dot{\mathbf{V}}_{ob}^c = \dot{\mathbf{p}}_{ob} \mathbf{a}_{ob}^{-1}$$

$$= r m \dot{\boldsymbol{\nu}}^T + \boldsymbol{\nu} m \dot{\mathbf{r}} = \frac{d}{dt} (r \mathbf{I} \boldsymbol{\omega}^T)$$

Body torque

$$\mathbf{r}^T \mathbf{f} = m \dot{\boldsymbol{\nu}}^T + \mathbf{r}^T \boldsymbol{\nu} m \dot{\mathbf{r}} = \mathbf{I} \dot{\boldsymbol{\omega}}^T + \boldsymbol{\omega}^T \mathbf{I} \boldsymbol{\omega}^T + \mathbf{r} \dot{\boldsymbol{\nu}}^T \boldsymbol{\omega}^T$$

$$\mathbf{f}^T = m \dot{\boldsymbol{\nu}}^T + \boldsymbol{\omega}^T m \dot{\mathbf{r}} = \mathbf{I} \dot{\boldsymbol{\omega}}^T + \boldsymbol{\omega}^T \times \mathbf{I} \boldsymbol{\omega}^T - \mathbf{I} \boldsymbol{\omega}^T \times \boldsymbol{\omega}^T$$

Body torque $\mathbf{I} \dot{\boldsymbol{\omega}}^T + \boldsymbol{\omega}^T \times \mathbf{I} \boldsymbol{\omega}^T = \boldsymbol{\tau}^T$



[Appendix4]Optic flow

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Direction $s^i \in \mathbb{S}^2$ \mathbb{S}^2 :sphere

$$\dot{s} = \mu(s)(I - ss^T)v + \omega \times s$$

$\mu(s)$: inverse of the distance to the object in direction s

$$\nabla_{s,y} \cdot (I - ss^T) = \nabla_{s,y}$$

Chain rule $\dot{y} = \frac{\partial y}{\partial s} \dot{s}$

$$f(s, t) = \mu(s)\nabla y(s, t)^T v + (Sy)^T \omega \quad Sy := s \times \nabla_{s,y} \quad \nabla = \nabla_s$$

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[Appendix4]Gradient control law(P controller)

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Control the system

$$\begin{cases} \dot{r} = r(\dot{\omega}) \\ \dot{p} = rv \end{cases} \quad (5)$$

Hessian of $J(q, p)$

$$C(r, \mu) = \begin{bmatrix} (SySy^T) & (\mu Sy \nabla y^T) \\ (\mu \nabla y Sy^T) & (\mu^2 \nabla y \nabla y^T) \end{bmatrix}$$

Gradient control law

$$\begin{cases} \omega = \langle (Sy)(g - y) \rangle \\ v = \langle (\mu \nabla y)(g - y) \rangle \end{cases}$$

μ : unknown

Approximate gradient

(Considered near q_g)

$$\begin{cases} \omega = \langle (Sy)(g - y) \rangle \\ v = \langle \alpha (\nabla y)(g - y) \rangle \end{cases} \quad (6)$$

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Cost function

$$J(q) = \frac{1}{2} \int_{s \in \mathbb{S}^2} (y(s) - g(s))^2 dS$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \langle (y - g)^2 \rangle$$

$$f := \int_{s \in \mathbb{S}^2} f(s) dS$$

Locally stabilize the system asymptotically if $C(y, \mu)$ is positive definite

Except: $y(x) = const.$

Locally stabilize the system asymptotically if there exist $\alpha > 0$ such that $C(y, \mu, \alpha)$ is positive definite

$$C(r, \mu, \alpha) = \begin{bmatrix} (SySy^T) & (\langle \frac{\alpha}{2} + \frac{\alpha}{2} \rangle Sy \nabla y^T) \\ (\langle \frac{\alpha}{2} + \frac{\alpha}{2} \rangle \nabla y Sy^T) & \alpha (\mu \nabla y \nabla y^T) \end{bmatrix}$$



[Appendix4]PD controller (derivative term)

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Control the second order system (4)

PD controller \rightarrow Choose τ and f such that stabilize $v, \omega = 0$

Least-square estimates (relation between y)

$$\hat{\omega}_{LS} = \langle (Sy)(Sy^T)^{-1} \rangle \langle (Sy)y \rangle \quad (v = 0)$$

$$\hat{v}_{LS} = \langle (\mu \nabla y)(\mu \nabla y^T)^{-1} \rangle \langle (\mu \nabla y)y \rangle \quad (\omega = 0)$$

Bilinear form (for simplicity)

$$\hat{\omega}_{BL} := \langle (Sy)y \rangle$$

More bio-plausible

$$\hat{v}_{BL} := \langle (\nabla y)y \rangle$$

Feedback tolerate uncertainties

$$\hat{\omega}^T \hat{\omega}_{BL} \geq 0 \quad (\text{within } 90\text{deg}) \quad \hat{v}^T \hat{v}_{BL} \geq 0 \quad \rightarrow \text{Suffice to estimate}$$

Control law

$$\begin{cases} \tau = -k_d \hat{\omega}_{BL} = -k_d \langle (Sy)y \rangle \\ f = -\alpha k_d \hat{v}_{BL} = -\alpha k_d \langle (\nabla y)y \rangle \end{cases} \quad (7) \quad \text{Assume } C(y, \mu, \alpha) > 0$$

(7) globally stabilizes ω, v to 0

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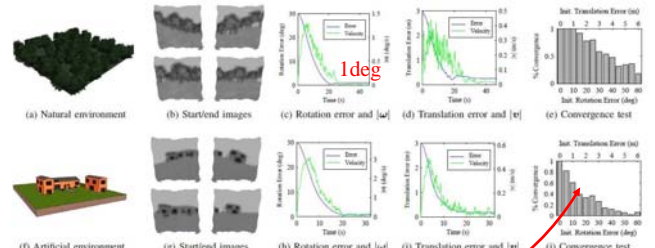


Simulation

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Simulation (Initial error 30deg and 3m)

Visual input : Use fruit fly model



Other facades of the house can be observed

Experiment (another paper)

Helicopter with wireless camera

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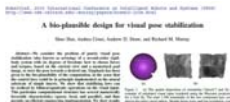


[Appendix4] Experiment

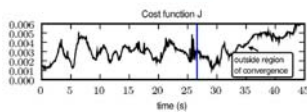
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Experiments Using helicopter with a wireless camera

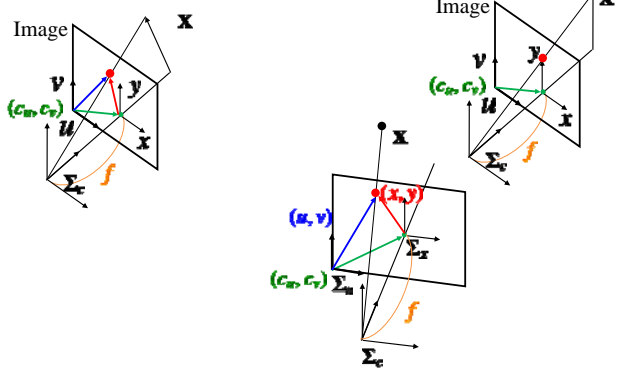
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