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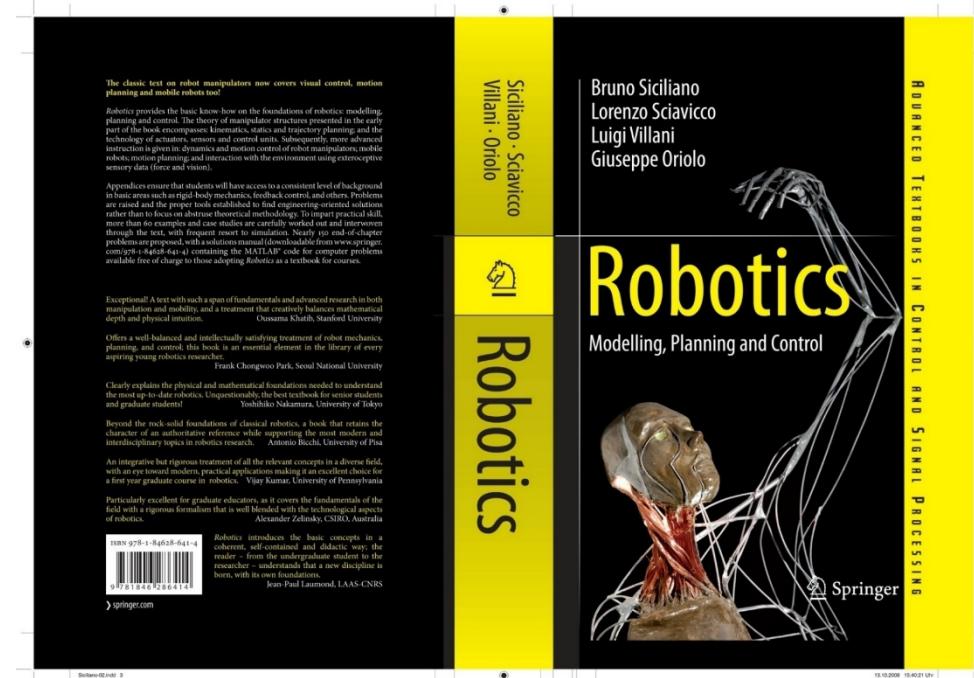


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- Motion control
- Indirect force control
- Direct force control
- Interaction control using vision and force
- Experiments

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- Chapter 8 – Motion Control
- Chapter 9 – Force Control
- Chapter 10 – Visual Control



MOOC Robotics Foundations – Robot Control  
Coming up soon ... <https://youtu.be/JwfRk-U3aPw>

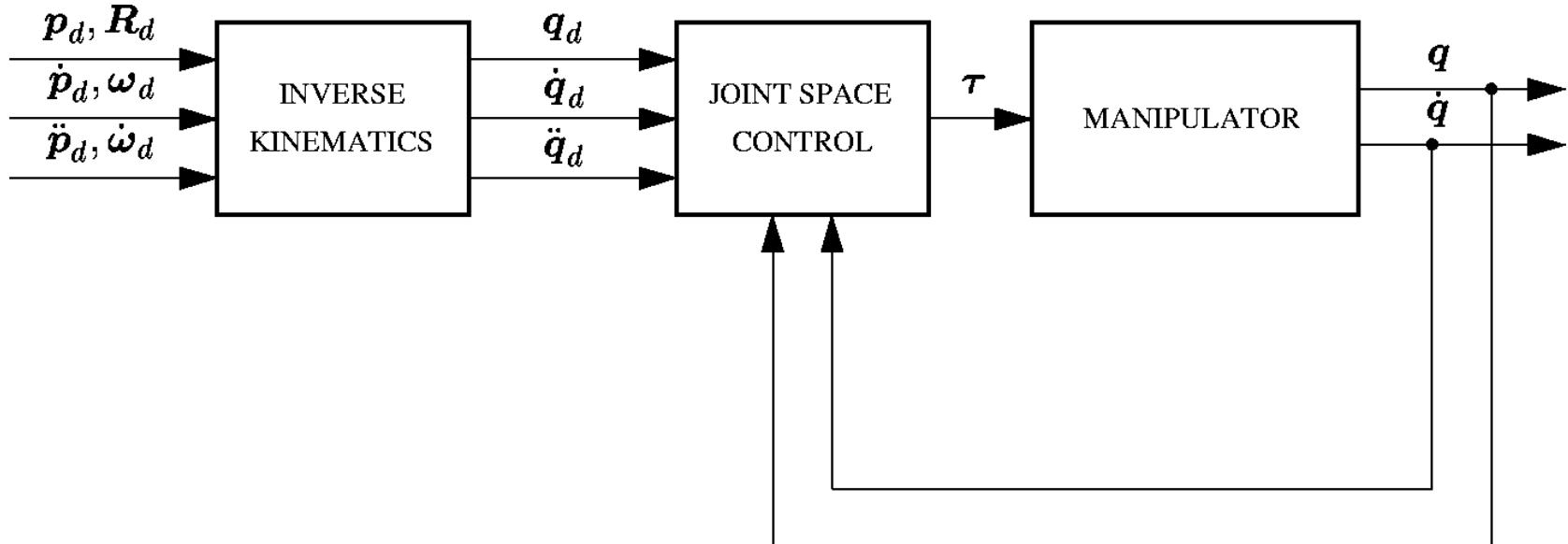
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- Chapter 8 — Motion Control
- Chapter 9 — Force Control
- Chapter 34 — Visual Servoing



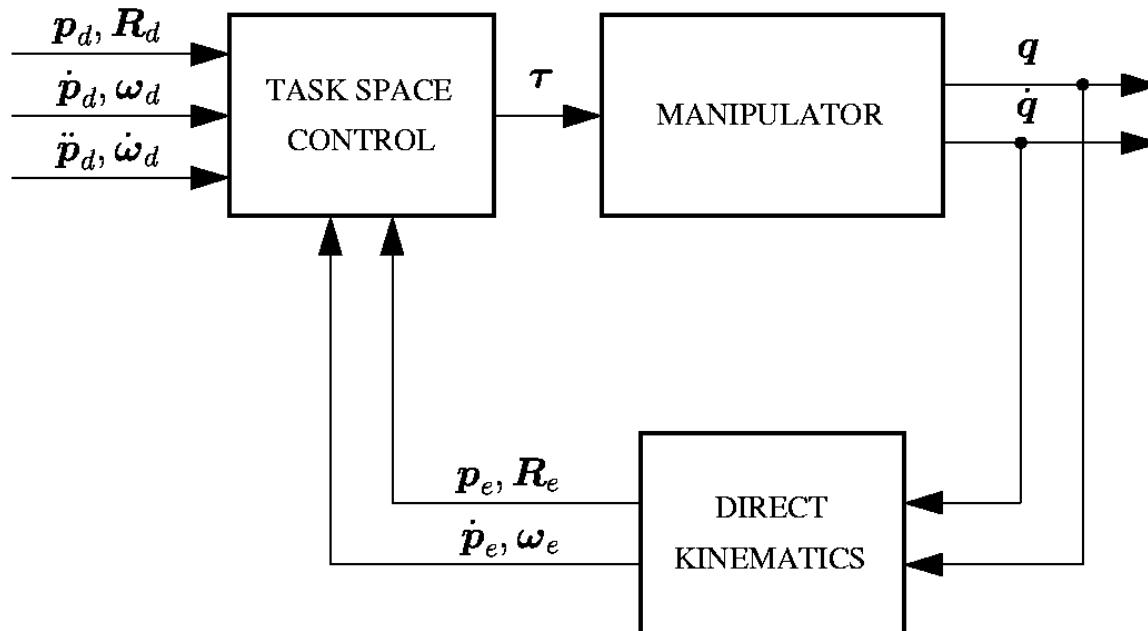
## Joint space control

- Task references transformed into joint references
- Redundancy resolution at kinematic level



## Task space control

- Control directly in task (operational) space
- Redundancy resolution at dynamic level



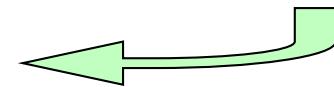
- Tracking control
  - Dynamic model-based compensation
  - Euler angles
  - Angle/axis
  - Quaternion
  - Computational issues
  - Redundancy resolution
- Regulation
  - Static model-based compensation
  - Orientation errors

- Inverse dynamics

$$\boldsymbol{\tau} = \mathbf{B}(\mathbf{q})\boldsymbol{\alpha} + \mathbf{C}(\mathbf{q}, \dot{\mathbf{q}})\dot{\mathbf{q}} + \mathbf{F}\dot{\mathbf{q}} + \mathbf{g}(\mathbf{q})$$

$$\boldsymbol{\alpha} = \mathbf{J}^{-1}(\mathbf{q}) \left( \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{a}_p \\ \mathbf{a}_o \end{bmatrix} - \dot{\mathbf{J}}(\mathbf{q}, \dot{\mathbf{q}})\dot{\mathbf{q}} \right)$$

$$\dot{\mathbf{v}}_e = \mathbf{J}(\mathbf{q})\ddot{\mathbf{q}} + \dot{\mathbf{J}}(\mathbf{q}, \dot{\mathbf{q}})\dot{\mathbf{q}}$$



- Position control  $\Delta \mathbf{p}_{de} = \mathbf{p}_d - \mathbf{p}_e$

$$\mathbf{a}_p = \ddot{\mathbf{p}}_d + \mathbf{K}_{Dp}\Delta \dot{\mathbf{p}}_{de} + \mathbf{K}_{Pp}\Delta \mathbf{p}_{de} \implies \Delta \ddot{\mathbf{p}}_{de} + \mathbf{K}_{Dp}\Delta \dot{\mathbf{p}}_{de} + \mathbf{K}_{Pp}\Delta \mathbf{p}_{de} = \mathbf{0}$$

- Orientation control

$\mathbf{a}_o$

Euler angles  
Angle/axis  
Quaternion

- Orientation error:  $\Delta\varphi_{de} = \varphi_d - \varphi_e$

- Resolved angular acceleration

$$\mathbf{a}_o = \mathbf{T}(\varphi_e)(\ddot{\varphi}_d + \mathbf{K}_{Do}\Delta\dot{\varphi}_{de} + \mathbf{K}_{Po}\Delta\varphi_{de}) + \dot{\mathbf{T}}(\varphi_e, \dot{\varphi}_e)\dot{\varphi}_e$$

representation singularities (!)       $\omega_e = \mathbf{T}(\varphi_e)\dot{\varphi}_e$

- Error dynamics

$$\Delta\ddot{\varphi}_{de} + \mathbf{K}_{Do}\Delta\dot{\varphi}_{de} + \mathbf{K}_{Po}\Delta\varphi_{de} = \mathbf{0} \quad \dot{\varphi}_d = \mathbf{T}^{-1}(\varphi_d)\omega_d$$

$$\ddot{\varphi}_d = \mathbf{T}^{-1}(\varphi_d) \left( \dot{\omega}_d - \dot{\mathbf{T}}(\varphi_d, \dot{\varphi}_d)\dot{\varphi}_d \right)$$

- Orientation error:  ${}^e\mathbf{R}_d = \mathbf{R}_e^T \mathbf{R}_d \implies \varphi_{de}$

- Resolved angular acceleration

$$\mathbf{a}_o = \dot{\boldsymbol{\omega}}_d + \mathbf{T}_e(\varphi_{de})(\mathbf{K}_{Do}\dot{\varphi}_{de} + \mathbf{K}_{Po}\varphi_{de}) - \dot{\mathbf{T}}_e(\varphi_{de}, \dot{\varphi}_{de})\dot{\varphi}_{de}$$

$$\dot{\boldsymbol{\omega}}_e = \dot{\boldsymbol{\omega}}_d - \mathbf{T}_e(\varphi_{de})\ddot{\varphi}_{de} - \dot{\mathbf{T}}_e(\varphi_{de}, \dot{\varphi}_{de})\dot{\varphi}_{de}$$

$$\mathbf{T}_e(\varphi_{de}) = \mathbf{R}_e \mathbf{T}(\varphi_{de})$$

choose  $\varphi_{de}$  so that  $\mathbf{T}(\mathbf{0})$  is nonsingular (!)

- Error dynamics

$$\ddot{\varphi}_{de} + \mathbf{K}_{Do}\dot{\varphi}_{de} + \mathbf{K}_{Po}\varphi_{de} = \mathbf{0}$$

- Orientation error:  ${}^e\mathbf{R}_d = \mathbf{R}_e^T \mathbf{R}_d \implies {}^e\mathbf{o}_{de} = f(\vartheta_{de}) {}^e\mathbf{r}_{de}$

<i>Representation</i>	$f(\vartheta)$	angle	axis
Classical angle/axis	$\sin(\vartheta)$		
Quaternion	$\sin(\vartheta/2)$		
Rodrigues parameters	$\tan(\vartheta/2)$		
Simple rotation	$\vartheta$		

- Angle/axis error:  ${}^e\boldsymbol{o}'_{de} = \sin(\vartheta_{de}) {}^e\boldsymbol{r}_{de}$

- Resolved angular acceleration

$$\boldsymbol{a}_o = \boldsymbol{L}^{-1} \left( \boldsymbol{L}^T \dot{\boldsymbol{\omega}}_d + \dot{\boldsymbol{L}}^T \boldsymbol{\omega}_d - \dot{\boldsymbol{L}} \boldsymbol{\omega}_e + \boldsymbol{K}_{Do} \dot{\boldsymbol{o}}'_{de} + \boldsymbol{K}_{Po} {}^e\boldsymbol{o}'_{de} \right)$$

$${}^e\boldsymbol{o}'_{de} = \boldsymbol{R}_e {}^e\boldsymbol{o}'_{de} = \frac{1}{2} (\boldsymbol{S}(\boldsymbol{n}_e) \boldsymbol{n}_d + \boldsymbol{S}(\boldsymbol{s}_e) \boldsymbol{s}_d + \boldsymbol{S}(\boldsymbol{a}_e) \boldsymbol{a}_d)$$

$$\boldsymbol{L} = -\frac{1}{2} (\boldsymbol{S}(\boldsymbol{n}_d) \boldsymbol{S}(\boldsymbol{n}_e) + \boldsymbol{S}(\boldsymbol{s}_d) \boldsymbol{S}(\boldsymbol{s}_e) + \boldsymbol{S}(\boldsymbol{a}_d) \boldsymbol{S}(\boldsymbol{a}_e))$$

$$\boldsymbol{n}_e^T \boldsymbol{n}_d > 0, \boldsymbol{s}_e^T \boldsymbol{s}_d > 0, \boldsymbol{a}_e^T \boldsymbol{a}_d > 0$$

- Error dynamics

$$\ddot{\boldsymbol{o}}'_{de} + \boldsymbol{K}_{Do} \dot{\boldsymbol{o}}'_{de} + \boldsymbol{K}_{Po} \boldsymbol{o}'_{de} = \mathbf{0}$$

- Simpler choice:  $\mathbf{R}_e \simeq \mathbf{R}_d \implies \mathbf{L} \simeq \mathbf{I}$

$$\mathbf{a}_o = \dot{\boldsymbol{\omega}}_d + \mathbf{K}_{Do} \Delta \boldsymbol{\omega}_{de} + \mathbf{K}_{Po} \mathbf{o}'_{de}$$

- Error dynamics

$$\Delta \dot{\boldsymbol{\omega}}_{de} + \mathbf{K}_{Do} \Delta \boldsymbol{\omega}_{de} + \mathbf{K}_{Po} \mathbf{o}'_{de} = \mathbf{0}$$

- Stability via Lyapunov argument  $\mathcal{Q} = \{\eta, \epsilon\}$

$${}^e \mathbf{o}'_{de} = 2\eta_{de} {}^e \boldsymbol{\epsilon}_{de} \quad \mathbf{K}_{Po} = k_{Po} \mathbf{I} \quad \mathbf{K}_{Do} = k_{Do} \mathbf{I}$$

$$\mathcal{V} = 2k_{Po} {}^e \boldsymbol{\epsilon}_{de}^T {}^e \boldsymbol{\epsilon}_{de} + \frac{1}{2} \Delta \boldsymbol{\omega}_{de}^T \Delta \boldsymbol{\omega}_{de}$$

- Orientation error:  $\boldsymbol{o}_{de}'' = \sin \frac{\vartheta_{de}}{2} {}^e\boldsymbol{r}_{de} = {}^e\boldsymbol{\epsilon}_{de}$

- Resolved angular acceleration

$$\boldsymbol{a}_o = \dot{\boldsymbol{\omega}}_d + \mathbf{K}_{Do} \Delta \boldsymbol{\omega}_{de} + \mathbf{K}_{Po} \mathbf{R}_e {}^e\boldsymbol{\epsilon}_{de}$$

- Error dynamics

$$\Delta \dot{\boldsymbol{\omega}}_{de} + \mathbf{K}_{Do} \Delta \boldsymbol{\omega}_{de} + \mathbf{K}_{Po} \mathbf{R}_e {}^e\boldsymbol{\epsilon}_{de} = \mathbf{0}$$

- Stability via Lyapunov argument

$$\mathcal{V} = k_{Po} \left( (\eta_{de} - 1)^2 + {}^e\boldsymbol{\epsilon}_{de}^T {}^e\boldsymbol{\epsilon}_{de} \right) + \frac{1}{2} \Delta \boldsymbol{\omega}_{de}^T \Delta \boldsymbol{\omega}_{de}$$

- Number of floating-point operations and function calls

	<i>Resolved acceleration</i>		<i>Trajectory generation</i>	
<i>Orientation error</i>	<i>Flops</i>	<i>Funcs</i>	<i>Flops</i>	<i>Funcs</i>
Classical Euler angles	68	8	52	8
Alternative Euler angles	136	8	0	0
Angle/axis	55	0	0	0
Quaternion	60	1	21	1

- Null-space motion

$$\boldsymbol{\tau} = \mathbf{B}(\mathbf{q})\boldsymbol{\alpha} + \mathbf{C}(\mathbf{q}, \dot{\mathbf{q}})\dot{\mathbf{q}} + \mathbf{F}\dot{\mathbf{q}} + \mathbf{g}(\mathbf{q})$$

$$\boldsymbol{\alpha} = \mathbf{J}^\dagger(\mathbf{q}) \left( \mathbf{a} - \mathbf{J}(\mathbf{q})\dot{\mathbf{q}} \right) + \boldsymbol{\alpha}_n$$

$$\mathbf{J}^\dagger = \mathbf{B}^{-1} \mathbf{J}^T \left( \mathbf{J} \mathbf{B}^{-1} \mathbf{J}^T \right)^{-1}$$

dynamically consistent  
pseudo-inverse

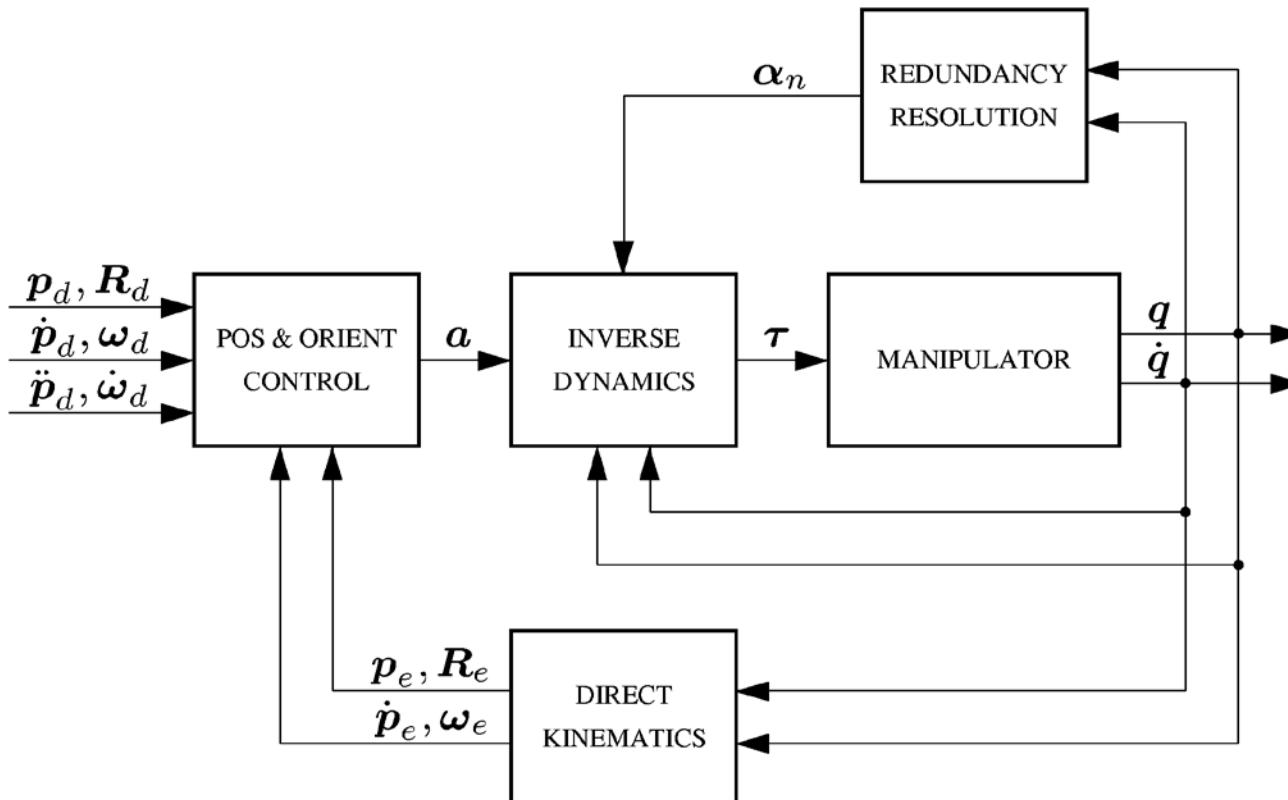
$$\boldsymbol{\alpha}_n = (\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{J}^\dagger \mathbf{J}) \left( \dot{\boldsymbol{\beta}} - \mathbf{J}^\dagger \mathbf{J}(\boldsymbol{\beta} - \dot{\mathbf{q}}) + \mathbf{B}^{-1}(\mathbf{K}_n \mathbf{e}_n + \mathbf{C} \mathbf{e}_n) \right)$$

$$\mathbf{e}_n = (\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{J}^\dagger(\mathbf{q}) \mathbf{J}(\mathbf{q})) (\boldsymbol{\beta} - \dot{\mathbf{q}}) \quad \boldsymbol{\beta} = k_\beta \mathbf{B}^{-1} \left( \frac{\partial w(\mathbf{q})}{\partial \mathbf{q}} \right)$$

- Stability via Lyapunov argument

$$\mathcal{V} = \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{e}_n^T \mathbf{B}(\mathbf{q}) \mathbf{e}_n$$

- Inverse dynamics control with redundancy resolution



- PD control with gravity compensation

$$\boldsymbol{\tau} = \boldsymbol{J}^T(\boldsymbol{q}) \begin{bmatrix} \boldsymbol{\gamma}_p \\ \boldsymbol{\gamma}_o \end{bmatrix} - \boldsymbol{K}_D \dot{\boldsymbol{q}} + \boldsymbol{g}(\boldsymbol{q})$$

- Position control

$$\boldsymbol{\gamma}_p = \boldsymbol{K}_{Pp} \Delta \boldsymbol{p}_{de}$$

- Orientation control

$$\boldsymbol{\gamma}_o \rightarrow \longrightarrow$$

Euler angles  
Angle/axis  
Quaternion

- Euler angles

$$\boldsymbol{\gamma}_o = \mathbf{T}^{-T}(\boldsymbol{\varphi}_e) \mathbf{K}_{Po} \Delta \boldsymbol{\varphi}_{de}$$

- Alternative Euler angles

$$\boldsymbol{\gamma}_o = \mathbf{T}_e^{-T}(\boldsymbol{\varphi}_{de}) \mathbf{K}_{Po} \boldsymbol{\varphi}_{de}$$

- Angle/axis

$$\boldsymbol{\gamma}_o = \mathbf{K}_{Po} \mathbf{o}'_{de}$$

- Quaternion

$$\boldsymbol{\gamma}_o = \mathbf{K}_{Po} \mathbf{R}_e^e \boldsymbol{\epsilon}_{de}$$

- For all ... stability via Lyapunov arguments  $\mathcal{V} = \frac{1}{2} \dot{\mathbf{q}}^T \mathbf{B}(\mathbf{q}) \dot{\mathbf{q}} + \mathcal{U}_p + \mathcal{U}_o$

- Motion control vs. force control
  - Object manipulation or surface operation requires control of interaction between robot manipulator and environment
  - Use of purely motion control strategy is candidate to fail (task planning accuracy)
  - Control of contact force (compliant behaviour)
  - Use of force/torque sensor (interfaced with robot control unit)
- Indirect vs. direct force control
  - Indirect force control: force control via motion control (w/out explicit closure of force feedback loop)
  - Direct force control: force controlled to desired value (w/ closure of force feedback loop)

- Compliance control
  - Active compliance
  - Experiments
- Impedance control
  - Active impedance
  - Inner motion control
  - Three-DOF impedance control
  - Experiments
  - Six-DOF impedance control
  - Experiments

- Active vs. passive compliance

$$\gamma = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{I} & \mathbf{O} \\ \mathbf{O} & T(\varphi_e) \end{bmatrix}^{-1} \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{K}_{Pp} & \mathbf{O} \\ \mathbf{O} & \mathbf{K}_{Po} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \Delta \mathbf{p}_{de} \\ \Delta \varphi_{de} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Delta \mathbf{p}_{de} = \mathbf{K}_{Pp}^{-1} \mathbf{f}$$

$$\mathbf{f} = \mathbf{K}_f (\mathbf{p}_e - \mathbf{p}_0)$$

$$\Delta \varphi_{de} = \mathbf{K}_{Po}^{-1} \mathbf{T}^T(\varphi_e) \boldsymbol{\mu}$$

- At steady state (position/force)

$$\mathbf{p}_{e,\infty} = \left( \mathbf{I} + \mathbf{K}_{Pp}^{-1} \mathbf{K}_f \right)^{-1} \left( \mathbf{p}_d + \mathbf{K}_{Pp}^{-1} \mathbf{K}_f \mathbf{p}_o \right)$$

$$\mathbf{f}_\infty = \left( \mathbf{I} + \mathbf{K}_f \mathbf{K}_{Pp}^{-1} \right)^{-1} \mathbf{K}_f (\mathbf{p}_d - \mathbf{p}_o)$$

- Set-up
  - COMAU Smart 3-S robot
  - Open control architecture
- PD control with gravity compensation
  - Large proportional gains
  - Small proportional gains



- Programmable mass-damping-stiffness at the end-effector

$$\boldsymbol{\tau} = \mathbf{B}(\mathbf{q})\boldsymbol{\alpha} + \mathbf{C}(\mathbf{q}, \dot{\mathbf{q}})\dot{\mathbf{q}} + \mathbf{F}\dot{\mathbf{q}} + \mathbf{g}(\mathbf{q}) + \mathbf{J}^T(\mathbf{q})\mathbf{h}$$

$$\boldsymbol{\alpha} = \mathbf{J}^{-1}(\mathbf{q}) \left( \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{a}_p \\ \mathbf{a}_o \end{bmatrix} - \mathbf{J}(\mathbf{q}, \dot{\mathbf{q}})\dot{\mathbf{q}} \right) \quad \text{force/torque sensor}$$

$$\mathbf{a}_p = \ddot{\mathbf{p}}_d + \mathbf{K}_{Mp}^{-1}(\mathbf{K}_{Dp}\Delta\dot{\mathbf{p}}_{de} + \mathbf{K}_{Pp}\Delta\mathbf{p}_{de} - \mathbf{f})$$

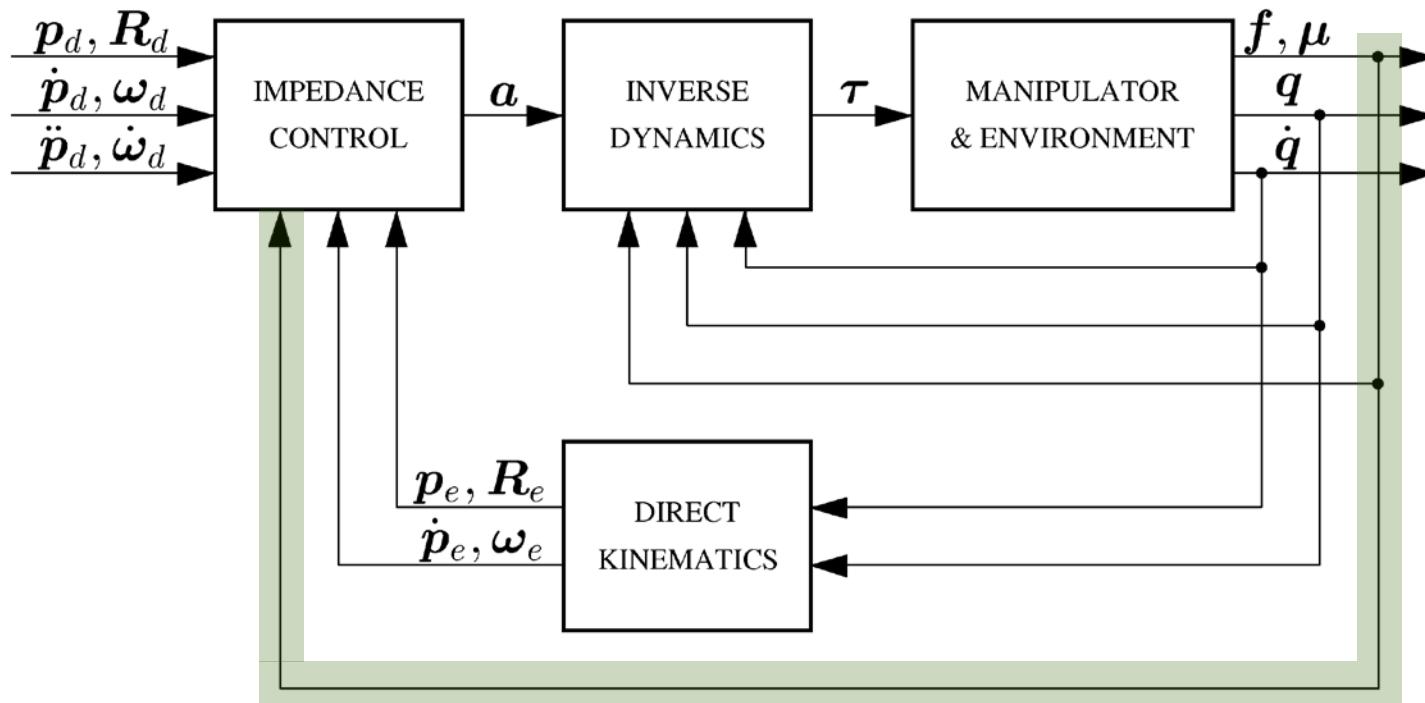
$$\mathbf{a}_o = \mathbf{T}(\boldsymbol{\varphi}_e)(\ddot{\boldsymbol{\varphi}}_d + \mathbf{K}_{Mo}^{-1}(\mathbf{K}_{Do}\Delta\dot{\boldsymbol{\varphi}}_{de} + \mathbf{K}_{Po}\Delta\boldsymbol{\varphi}_{de} - \mathbf{T}^T(\boldsymbol{\varphi}_e)\boldsymbol{\mu})) + \dot{\mathbf{T}}(\boldsymbol{\varphi}_e, \dot{\boldsymbol{\varphi}}_e)\dot{\boldsymbol{\varphi}}_e$$



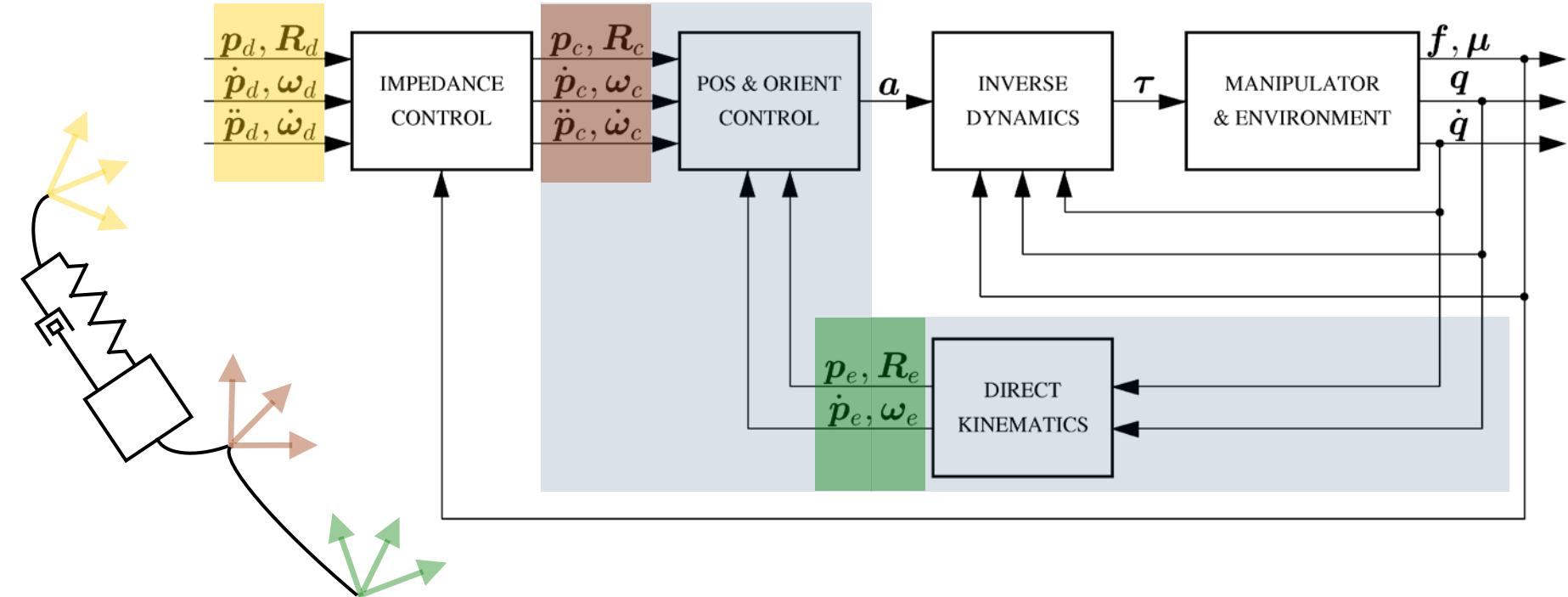
$$\mathbf{K}_{Mp}\Delta\ddot{\mathbf{p}}_{de} + \mathbf{K}_{Dp}\Delta\dot{\mathbf{p}}_{de} + \mathbf{K}_{Pp}\Delta\mathbf{p}_{de} = \mathbf{f}$$

$$\mathbf{K}_{Mo}\Delta\ddot{\boldsymbol{\varphi}}_{de} + \mathbf{K}_{Do}\Delta\dot{\boldsymbol{\varphi}}_{de} + \mathbf{K}_{Po}\Delta\boldsymbol{\varphi}_{de} = \mathbf{T}^T(\boldsymbol{\varphi}_e)\boldsymbol{\mu}$$

- Impedance control
  - Force/torque measurements



- Compliant frame between desired and end-effector frame
  - Enhanced disturbance rejection



- Translational impedance

$$\boldsymbol{M}_p \Delta \ddot{\boldsymbol{p}}_{dc} + \boldsymbol{D}_p \Delta \dot{\boldsymbol{p}}_{dc} + \boldsymbol{K}_p \Delta \boldsymbol{p}_{dc} = \boldsymbol{f}$$

$$\Delta \boldsymbol{p}_{dc} = \boldsymbol{p}_d - \boldsymbol{p}_c$$

- Linear acceleration (inner motion loop)

$$\boldsymbol{a}_p = \ddot{\boldsymbol{p}}_c + \boldsymbol{K}_{Dp} \Delta \dot{\boldsymbol{p}}_{ce} + \boldsymbol{K}_{Pp} \Delta \boldsymbol{p}_{ce}$$

$$\Delta \boldsymbol{p}_{ce} = \boldsymbol{p}_c - \boldsymbol{p}_e$$

- ATI force/torque sensor
- 3-DOF impedance control
  - Effects of mass, damping and stiffness
  - Contact with unknown surface



- Rotational impedance

- Euler angles

$$\boldsymbol{M}_o \Delta \ddot{\boldsymbol{\varphi}}_{dc} + \boldsymbol{D}_o \Delta \dot{\boldsymbol{\varphi}}_{dc} + \boldsymbol{K}_o \Delta \boldsymbol{\varphi}_{dc} = \boldsymbol{T}^T(\boldsymbol{\varphi}_c) \boldsymbol{\mu}$$

$$\Delta \boldsymbol{\varphi}_{dc} = \boldsymbol{\varphi}_d - \boldsymbol{\varphi}_c$$

- Infinitesimal orientation displacement

$$\boldsymbol{\mu}_E = \boldsymbol{T}^{-T}(\boldsymbol{\varphi}_c) \boldsymbol{K}_o \boldsymbol{T}^{-1}(\boldsymbol{\varphi}_c) \Delta \boldsymbol{\omega}_{dc} dt \quad \text{task geometric inconsistency}$$

- Angular acceleration (inner motion loop)

$$\boldsymbol{a}_o = \boldsymbol{T}(\boldsymbol{\varphi}_e) (\ddot{\boldsymbol{\varphi}}_c + \boldsymbol{K}_{Do} \Delta \dot{\boldsymbol{\varphi}}_{ce} + \boldsymbol{K}_{Po} \Delta \boldsymbol{\varphi}_{ce}) + \dot{\boldsymbol{T}}(\boldsymbol{\varphi}_e, \dot{\boldsymbol{\varphi}}_e) \dot{\boldsymbol{\varphi}}_e$$

$$\Delta \boldsymbol{\varphi}_{ce} = \boldsymbol{\varphi}_c - \boldsymbol{\varphi}_e$$

- Rotational impedance

- Alternative Euler angles

$$\boldsymbol{M}_o \ddot{\boldsymbol{\varphi}}_{dc} + \boldsymbol{D}_o \dot{\boldsymbol{\varphi}}_{dc} + \boldsymbol{K}_o \boldsymbol{\varphi}_{dc} = \boldsymbol{T}^T (\boldsymbol{\varphi}_{dc})^c \boldsymbol{\mu}$$

$${}^c \boldsymbol{R}_d = \boldsymbol{R}_c^T \boldsymbol{R}_d \implies \boldsymbol{\varphi}_{dc}$$

- Infinitesimal orientation displacement

$$\begin{aligned} {}^c \boldsymbol{\mu}_E &\simeq \boldsymbol{T}^{-T}(\mathbf{0}) \boldsymbol{K}_o \boldsymbol{T}^{-1}(\mathbf{0}) \Delta {}^c \boldsymbol{\omega}_{dc} dt \\ &= \boldsymbol{K}_o \Delta {}^c \boldsymbol{\omega}_{dc} dt \end{aligned}$$

task geometric consistency  
(XYZ Euler angles + diagonal stiffness)

- Angular acceleration (inner motion loop)

$$\begin{aligned} \boldsymbol{a}_o &= \dot{\boldsymbol{\omega}}_d - \dot{\boldsymbol{T}}_e(\boldsymbol{\varphi}_{de}, \dot{\boldsymbol{\varphi}}_{de}) \dot{\boldsymbol{\varphi}}_{de} \\ &\quad - \boldsymbol{T}_e(\boldsymbol{\varphi}_{de}) (\ddot{\boldsymbol{\varphi}}_{dc} + \boldsymbol{K}_{Do}(\dot{\boldsymbol{\varphi}}_{dc} - \dot{\boldsymbol{\varphi}}_{de}) + \boldsymbol{K}_{Po}(\boldsymbol{\varphi}_{dc} - \boldsymbol{\varphi}_{de})) \end{aligned}$$

- Rotational impedance

- Angle/axis

$$\mathbf{M}_o \Delta^c \dot{\boldsymbol{\omega}}_{dc} + \mathbf{D}_o \Delta^c \boldsymbol{\omega}_{dc} + \mathbf{K}'_o {}^c \boldsymbol{o}_{dc} = {}^c \boldsymbol{\mu}$$

$${}^c \boldsymbol{o}_{dc} = f(\vartheta_{dc}) {}^c \boldsymbol{r}_{dc}$$

$$\mathbf{K}'_o = 2\psi \boldsymbol{\Omega}^T({}^c \boldsymbol{r}_{dc}, \vartheta_{dc}) \mathbf{K}_o$$

$${}^c \dot{\boldsymbol{o}}_{dc} = \boldsymbol{\Omega}({}^c \boldsymbol{r}_{dc}, \vartheta_{dc}) \Delta^c \boldsymbol{\omega}_{dc}$$

- Infinitesimal orientation displacement

$${}^c \boldsymbol{\mu}_E \simeq 2\psi (f'(0))^2 \mathbf{K}_o \Delta^c \boldsymbol{\omega}_{dc} dt \quad \psi = 1/2(f'(0))^2$$

$$= \mathbf{K}_o \Delta^c \boldsymbol{\omega}_{dc} dt$$

task geometric consistency

- Angular acceleration (inner motion loop)

$$\boldsymbol{a}_o = \dot{\boldsymbol{\omega}}_c + \mathbf{K}_{Do} \Delta \boldsymbol{\omega}_{ce} + \mathbf{K}_{Po} \boldsymbol{o}'_{ce}$$

$$\boldsymbol{o}'_{ce} = \frac{1}{2} (\mathbf{S}(\boldsymbol{n}_e) \boldsymbol{n}_c + \mathbf{S}(\boldsymbol{s}_e) \boldsymbol{s}_c + \mathbf{S}(\boldsymbol{a}_e) \boldsymbol{a}_c)$$

- Rotational impedance

- Quaternion

$$\mathbf{M}_o \Delta^c \dot{\boldsymbol{\omega}}_{dc} + \mathbf{D}_o \Delta^c \boldsymbol{\omega}_{dc} + \mathbf{K}'_o {}^c \boldsymbol{\epsilon}_{dc} = {}^c \boldsymbol{\mu}$$

$${}^c \mathbf{R}_d = \mathbf{R}_c^T \mathbf{R}_d \implies {}^c \boldsymbol{\epsilon}_{dc}$$

$$\mathbf{K}'_o = 2 \mathbf{E}^T (\eta_{dc}, {}^c \boldsymbol{\epsilon}_{dc}) \mathbf{K}_o$$

- Infinitesimal orientation displacement

$${}^c \boldsymbol{\mu}_E \simeq 2\psi (f'(0))^2 \mathbf{K}_o \Delta^c \boldsymbol{\omega}_{dc} dt$$

$$= \mathbf{K}_o \Delta^c \boldsymbol{\omega}_{dc} dt$$

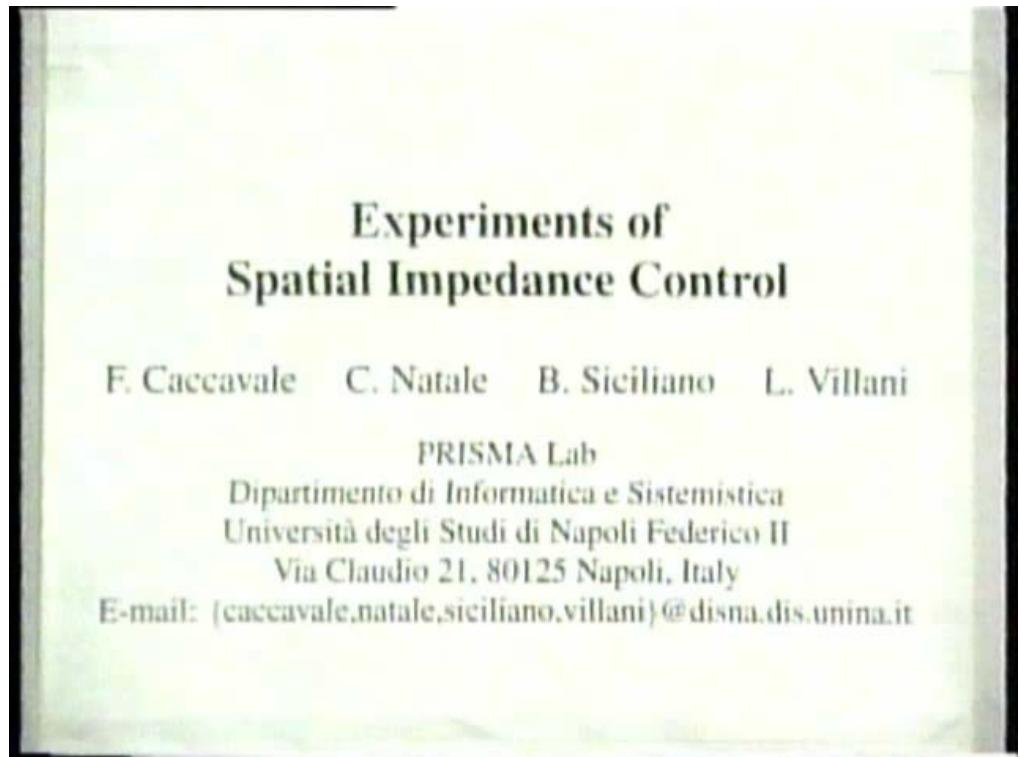
$$\mathbf{E}(\eta, \boldsymbol{\epsilon}) = \eta \mathbf{I} - \mathbf{S}(\boldsymbol{\epsilon})$$

task geometric consistency

- Angular acceleration (inner motion loop)

$$\mathbf{a}_o = \dot{\boldsymbol{\omega}}_c + \mathbf{K}_{Do} \Delta \boldsymbol{\omega}_{ce} + \mathbf{K}_{Po} \mathbf{R}_e {}^e \boldsymbol{\epsilon}_{ce}$$

- 6-DOF impedance control
  - Accommodation of both force and moment
  - Operational space approach (Euler angles)
  - Geometrically consistent approach



- Regulation of force and moment to desired values

$$\boldsymbol{\gamma}_p = \mathbf{K}_{Pp} \Delta \mathbf{p}_{ce} + \mathbf{f}_d$$

$$\boldsymbol{\gamma}_o = \mathbf{T}^{-T}(\boldsymbol{\varphi}_e) \mathbf{K}_{Po} \Delta \boldsymbol{\varphi}_{ce} + \boldsymbol{\mu}_d$$

- PI control

$$\mathbf{p}_c = \mathbf{K}_{Pp}^{-1} \left( \mathbf{K}_{Fp} \Delta \mathbf{f} + \mathbf{K}_{Ip} \int_0^t \Delta \mathbf{f} d\varsigma \right) \quad \Delta \mathbf{f} = \mathbf{f}_d - \mathbf{f}$$

$$\boldsymbol{\varphi}_c = \mathbf{K}_{Po}^{-1} \left( \mathbf{K}_{Fo} \Delta \boldsymbol{\mu} + \mathbf{K}_{Io} \int_0^t \Delta \boldsymbol{\mu} d\varsigma \right) \quad \Delta \boldsymbol{\mu} = \boldsymbol{\mu}_d - \boldsymbol{\mu}$$

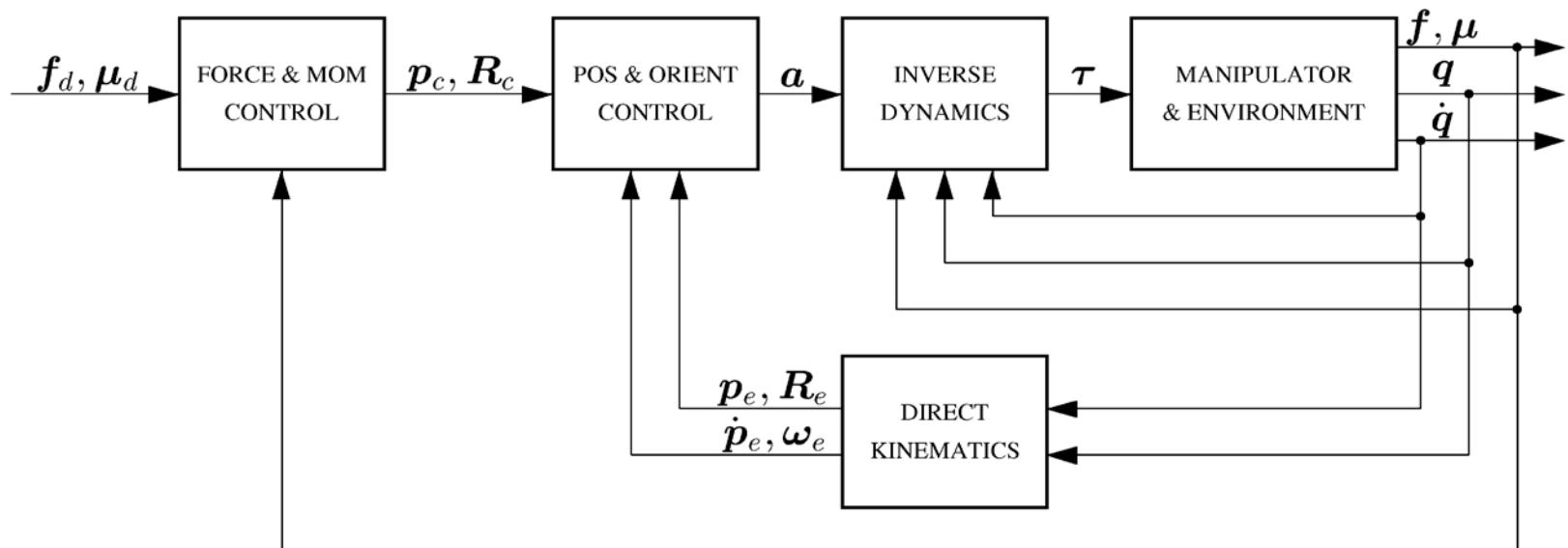
- At steady state

$$\mathbf{f}_\infty = \mathbf{f}_d \quad \boldsymbol{\mu}_\infty = \boldsymbol{\mu}_d$$

- Force and moment control with inner motion control loop
  - Linear and angular accelerations

$$\mathbf{a}_p = -\mathbf{K}_{Dp}\dot{\mathbf{p}}_e + \mathbf{K}_{Pp}\Delta\mathbf{p}_{ce}$$

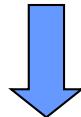
$$\mathbf{a}_o = \mathbf{T}(\varphi_e)(-\mathbf{K}_{Do}\dot{\varphi}_e + \mathbf{K}_{Po}\Delta\varphi_{ce}) + \dot{\mathbf{T}}(\varphi_e, \dot{\varphi}_e)\dot{\varphi}_e$$



- Force control
  - Regulation to zero force
  - Inner position vs. velocity control loop



- Force and motion control
  - Regulation of force but loss of motion control
  - Recover motion control along unconstrained directions while ensuring force control along constrained directions



Parallel control strategy

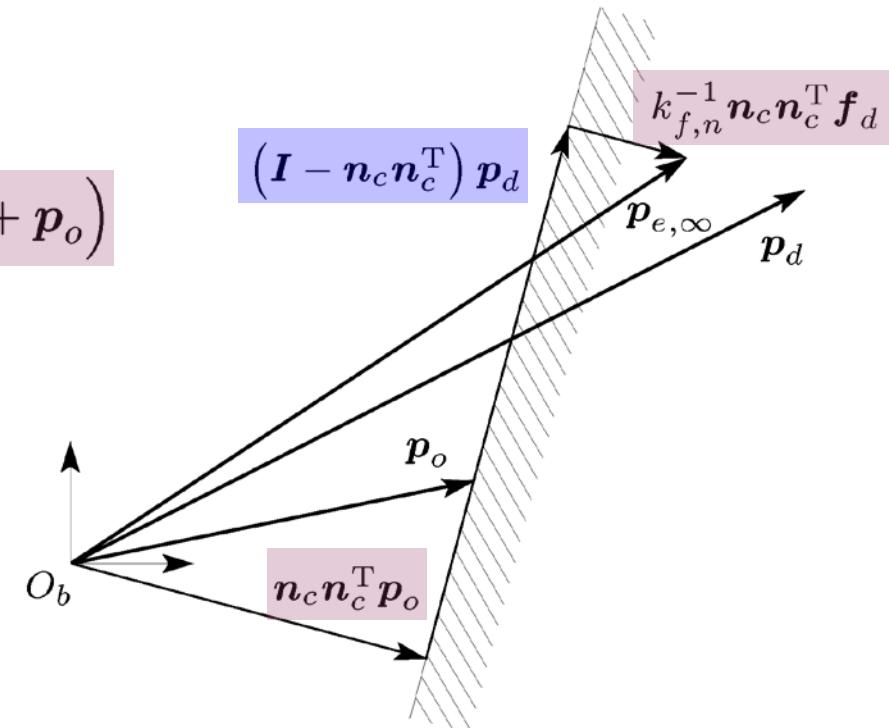
- PD motion control with gravity compensation + force control

$$\boldsymbol{\tau} = \boldsymbol{J}_p^T(\boldsymbol{q}) \boldsymbol{K}_{Pp} (\boldsymbol{p}_r - \boldsymbol{p}_e) + \boldsymbol{f}_d - \boldsymbol{K}_D \dot{\boldsymbol{q}} + \boldsymbol{g}(\boldsymbol{q}) \quad \boldsymbol{p}_r = \boldsymbol{p}_c + \boldsymbol{p}_d$$

- At steady state

$$\boldsymbol{p}_{e,\infty} = (\boldsymbol{I} - \boldsymbol{n}_c \boldsymbol{n}_c^T) \boldsymbol{p}_d + \boldsymbol{n}_c \boldsymbol{n}_c^T (k_{f,n}^{-1} \boldsymbol{f}_d + \boldsymbol{p}_o)$$

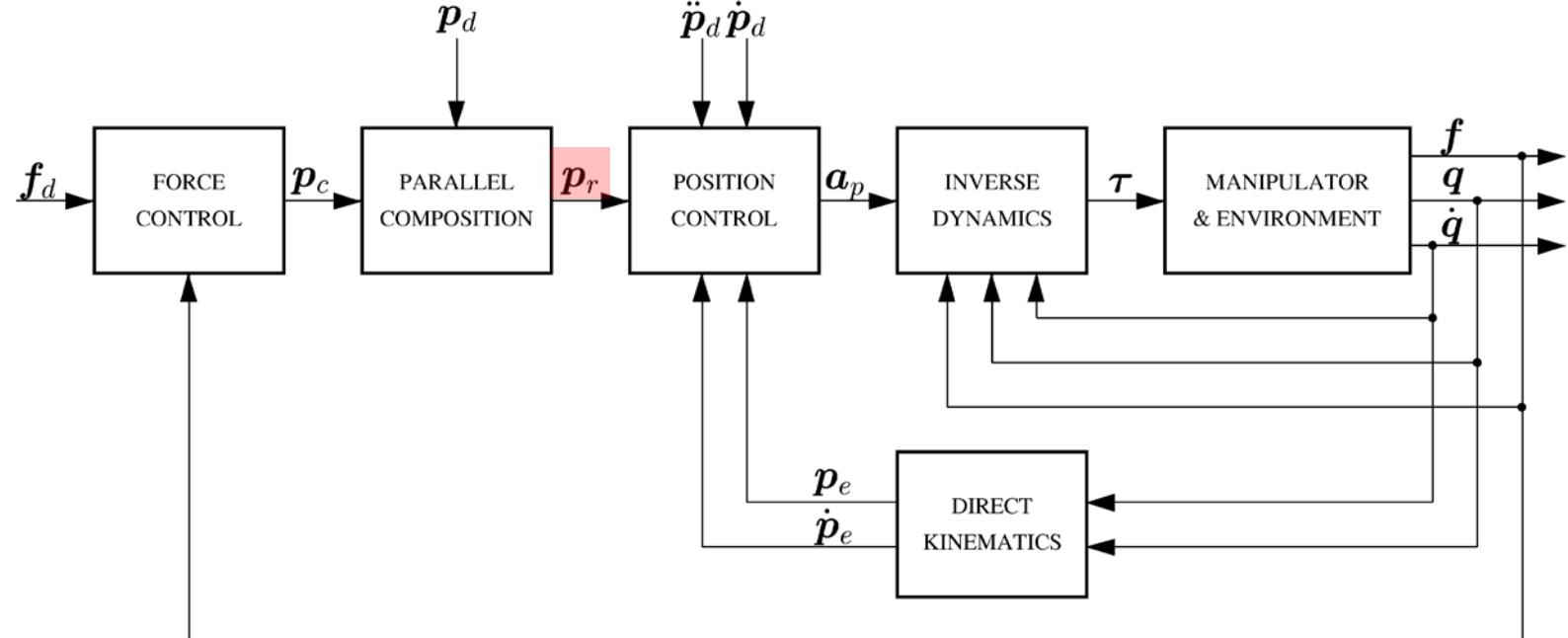
$$\boldsymbol{f}_\infty = k_{f,n} \boldsymbol{n}_c \boldsymbol{n}_c^T (\boldsymbol{p}_{e,\infty} - \boldsymbol{p}_o) = \boldsymbol{f}_d$$



- Parallel force/position control

- Linear acceleration

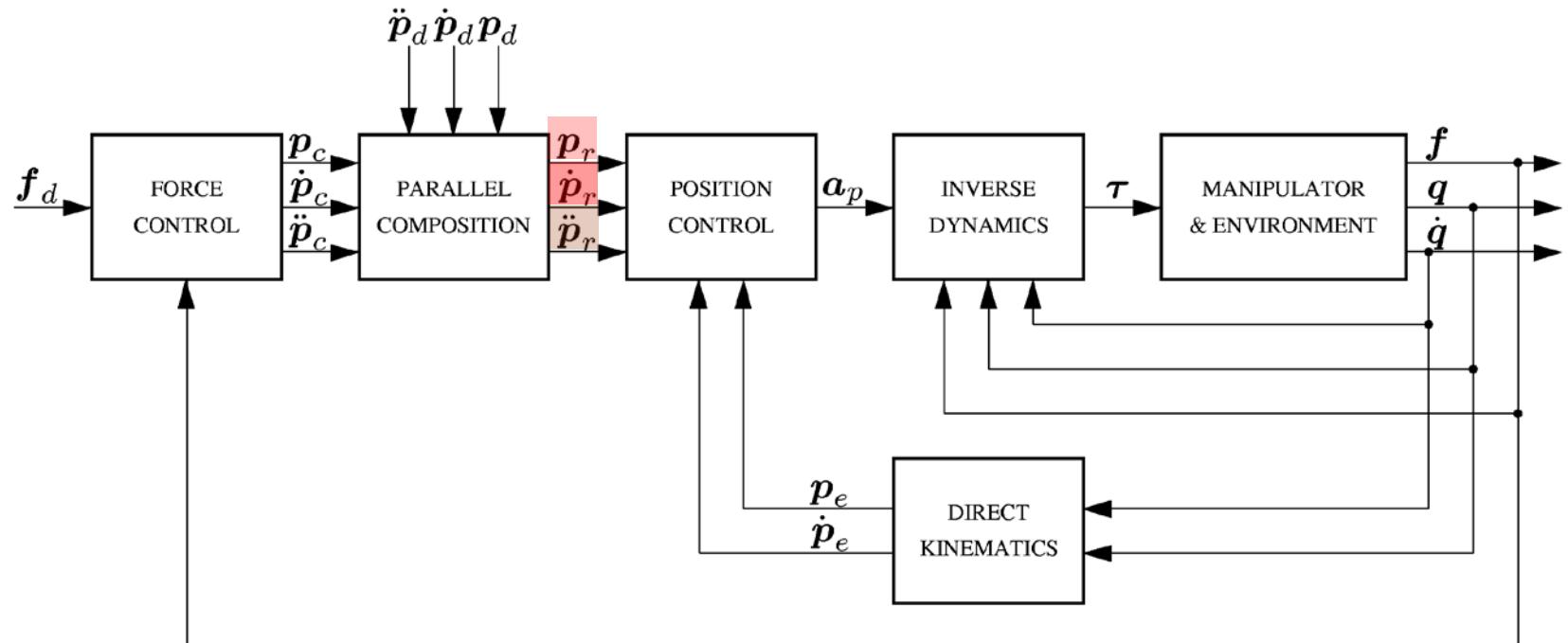
$$\mathbf{a}_p = \ddot{\mathbf{p}}_d + \mathbf{K}_{Dp}(\dot{\mathbf{p}}_d - \dot{\mathbf{p}}_e) + \mathbf{K}_{Pp}(\mathbf{p}_r - \mathbf{p}_e)$$



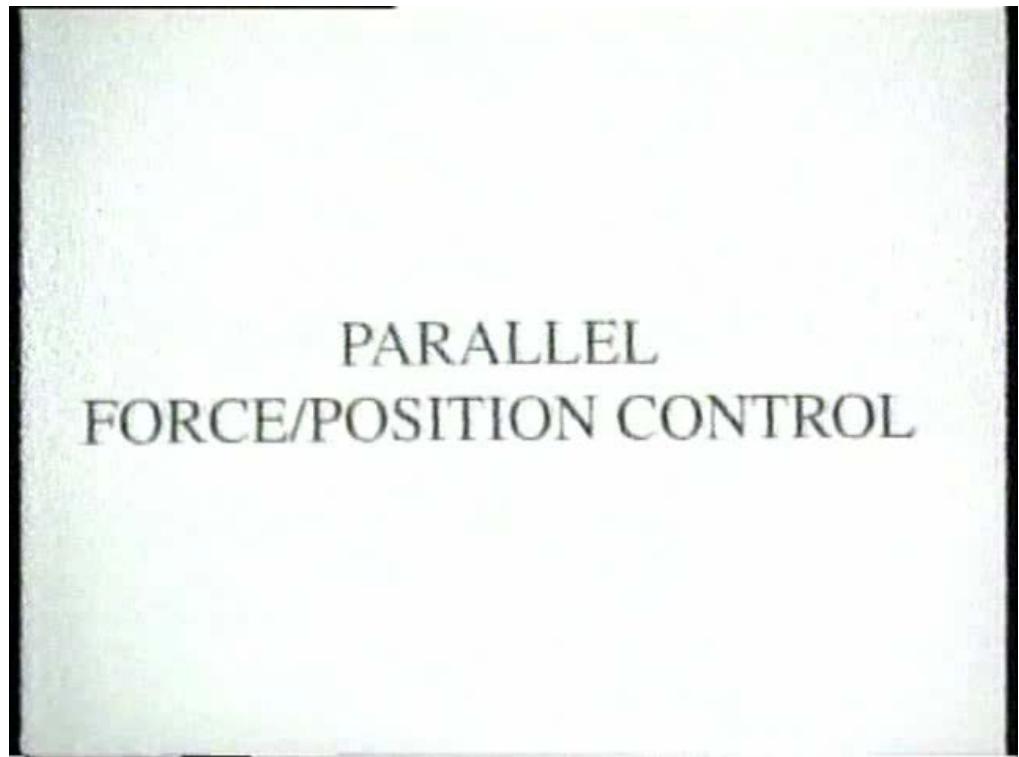
- Force/position control with full parallel composition
  - Linear acceleration

$$\mathbf{a}_p = \ddot{\mathbf{p}}_r + \mathbf{K}_{Dp}(\dot{\mathbf{p}}_r - \dot{\mathbf{p}}_e) + \mathbf{K}_{Pp}(\mathbf{p}_r - \mathbf{p}_e)$$

$$\begin{aligned}\dot{\mathbf{p}}_r &= \dot{\mathbf{p}}_c + \dot{\mathbf{p}}_d \\ \ddot{\mathbf{p}}_r &= \ddot{\mathbf{p}}_c + \ddot{\mathbf{p}}_d\end{aligned}$$



- Parallel force/position control
  - Regulation to zero force with position tracking
  - PD+ position control with PI force control

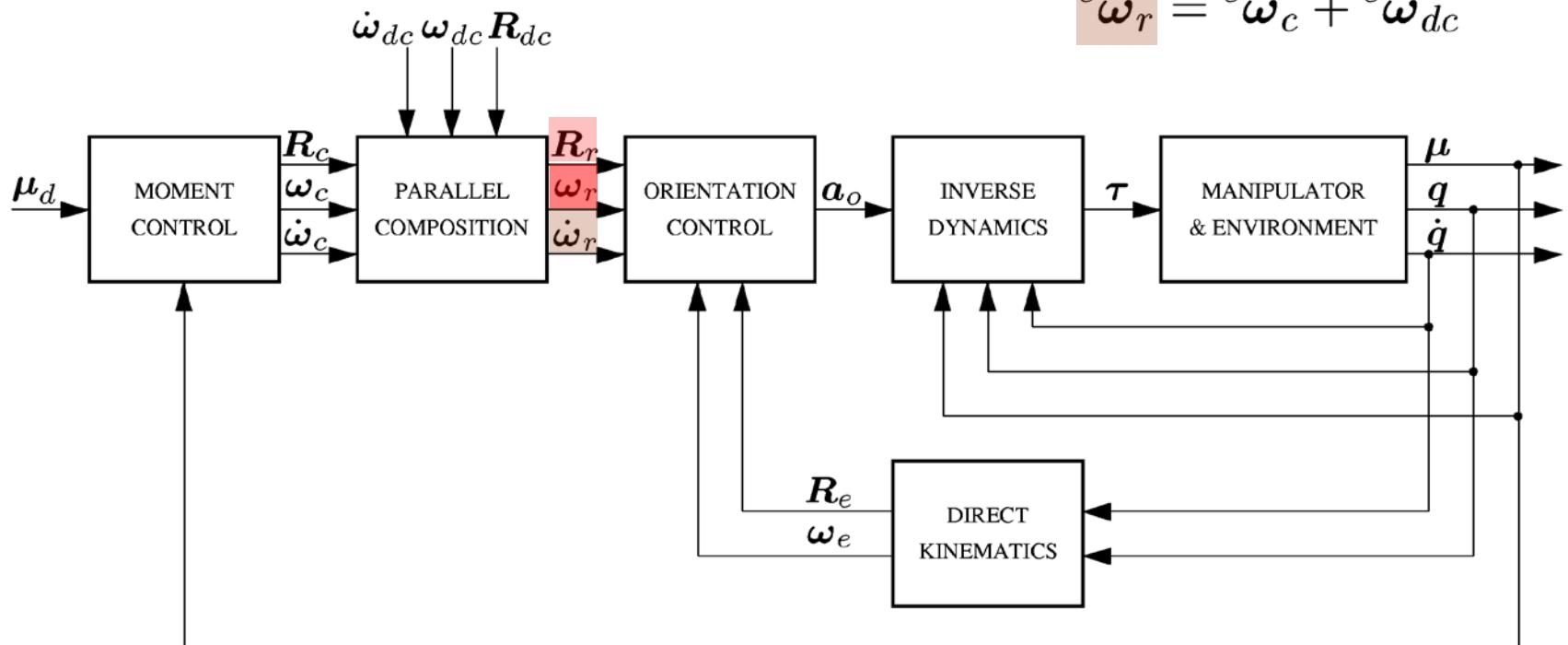


- Moment/orientation control with full parallel composition

- Linear acceleration

$$\mathbf{a}_o = \dot{\omega}_r + \mathbf{K}_{Do}(\omega_r - \omega_e) + \mathbf{K}_{Po} \mathbf{R}_e^e \boldsymbol{\epsilon}_{re}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{Q}_r &= \mathcal{Q}_c * \mathcal{Q}_{dc} \\ {}^c\omega_r &= {}^c\omega_c + {}^c\omega_{dc} \\ {}^c\dot{\omega}_r &= {}^c\dot{\omega}_c + {}^c\dot{\omega}_{dc}\end{aligned}$$



- Tracking of time-varying force
  - Full parallel composition

$$\mathbf{K}_{Ap}\ddot{\mathbf{p}}_c + \mathbf{K}_{Vp}\dot{\mathbf{p}}_c = \boldsymbol{\phi}$$

$$\boldsymbol{\phi} = k_{f,n}^{-1} \mathbf{f}_c$$

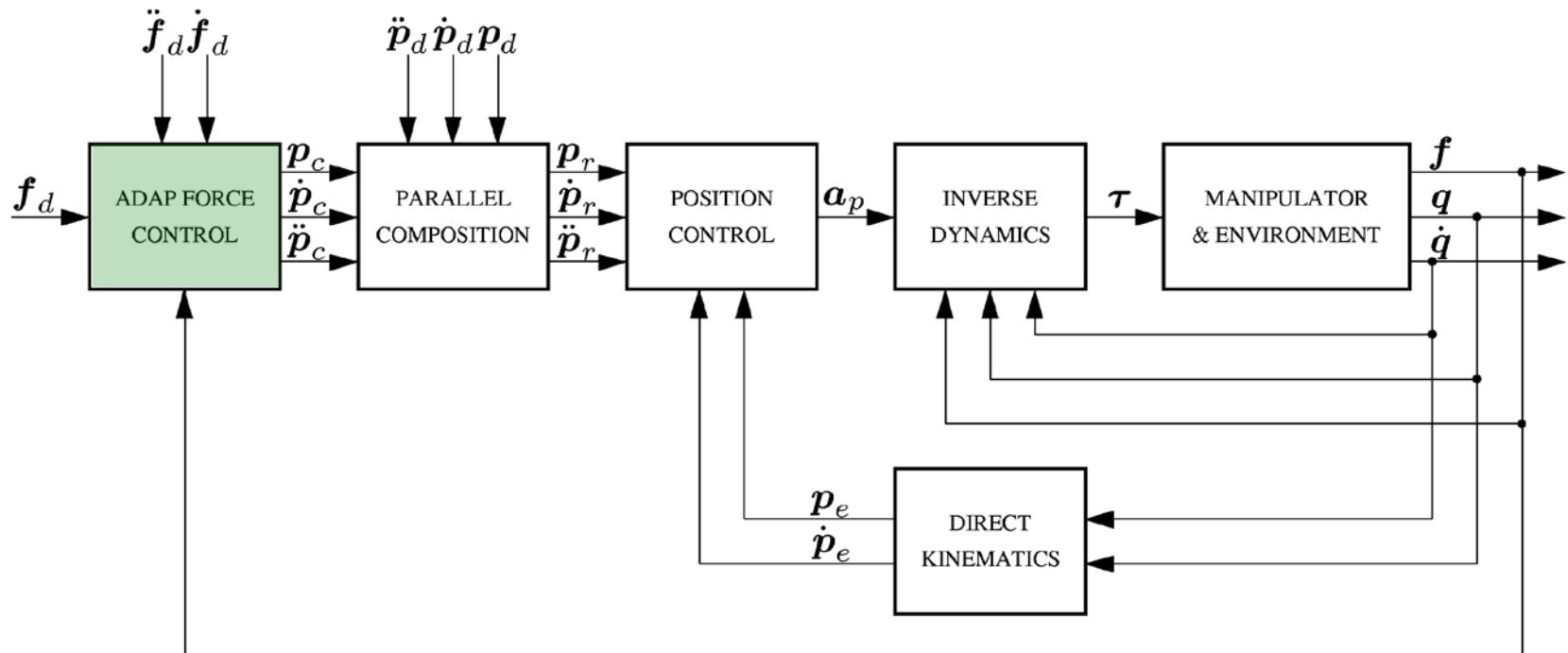
$$\mathbf{f}_c = \mathbf{K}_{Ap}\ddot{\mathbf{f}}_d + \mathbf{K}_{Vp}\dot{\mathbf{f}}_d + \Delta\mathbf{f}$$

- Tracking if  $k_{f,n}$  exactly known

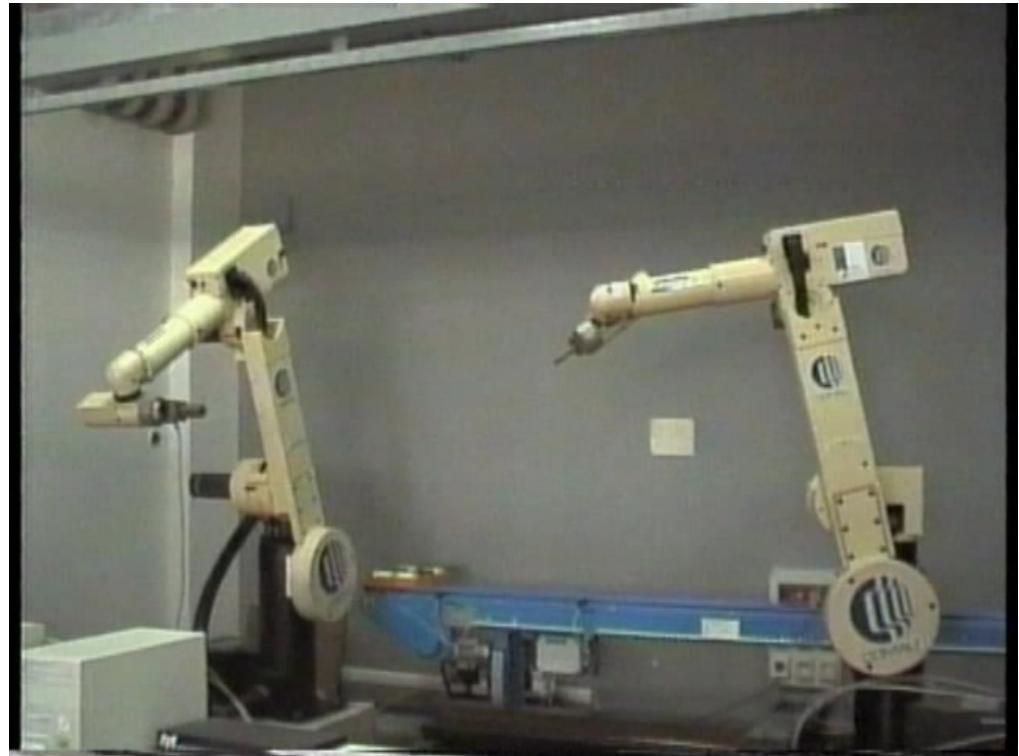
- Contact stiffness adaptation ( $\varepsilon = k_{f,n}^{-1}$ )

$$\boldsymbol{\phi} = \hat{\varepsilon} \mathbf{f}_c + \dot{\hat{\varepsilon}} \boldsymbol{\psi}$$

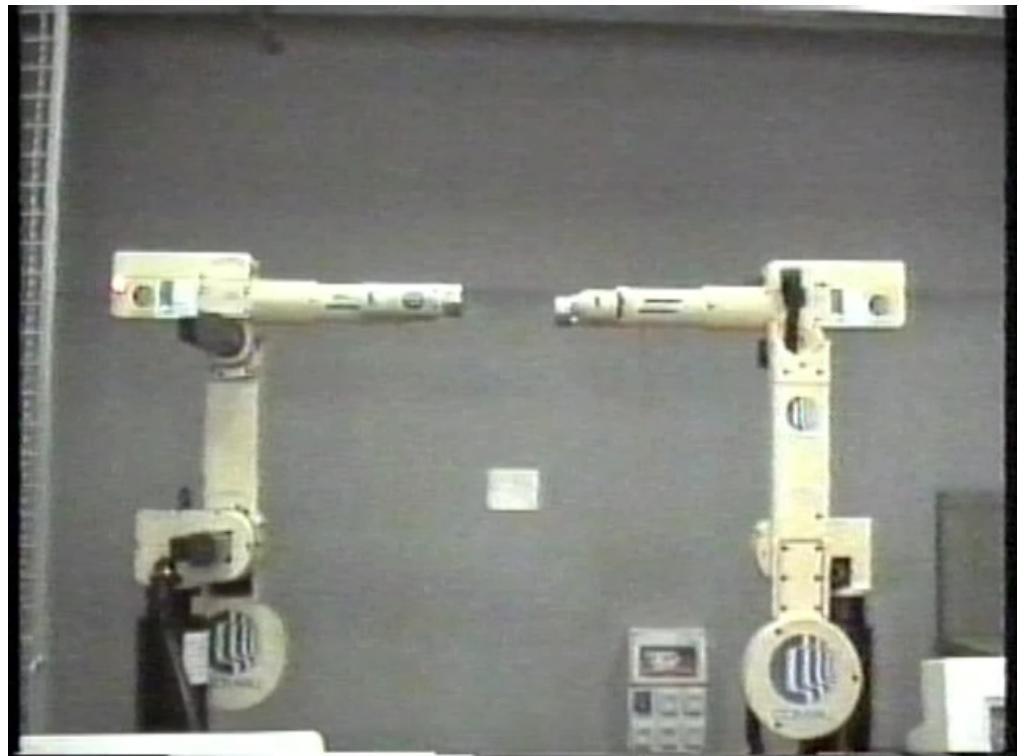
$$\dot{\boldsymbol{\psi}} + \lambda \boldsymbol{\psi} = \mathbf{f}_c \quad \dot{\hat{\varepsilon}} = \gamma \boldsymbol{\psi}^T \Delta \mathbf{f}$$



- Extension to dual-robot system (loose cooperation)
  - Typical peg-in-hole assembly task
  - Robot holding the hole controlled as 6-DOF impedance
  - Robot holding the peg programmed in PDL-2
  - Accommodation of misalignment and overshoot



- Tight cooperation
  - Two arms tightly grasping a rigid object
  - Control of the object position
  - Control of the internal forces



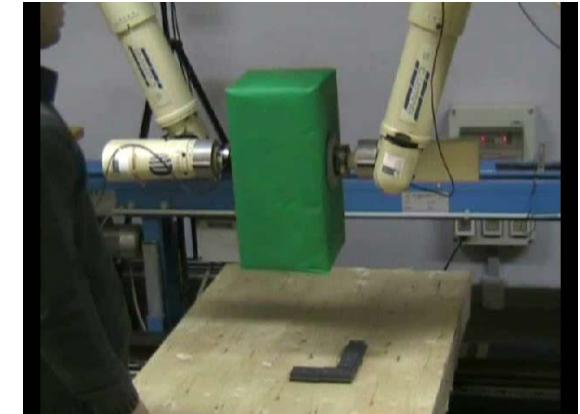
- Dual-arm impedance control



absolute & relative impedance



absolute impedance

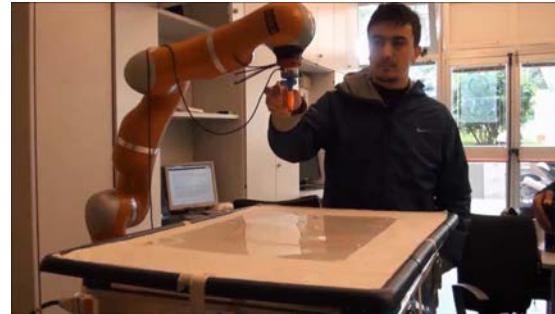


human-object interaction

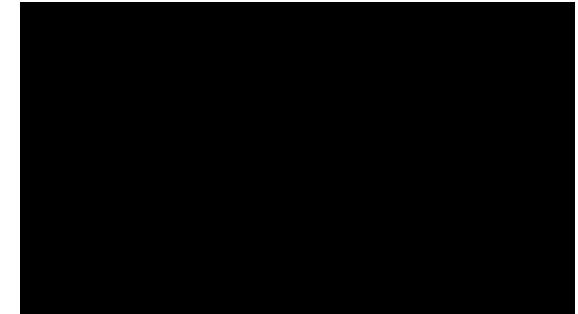
- Human–robot interaction



null-space impedance control

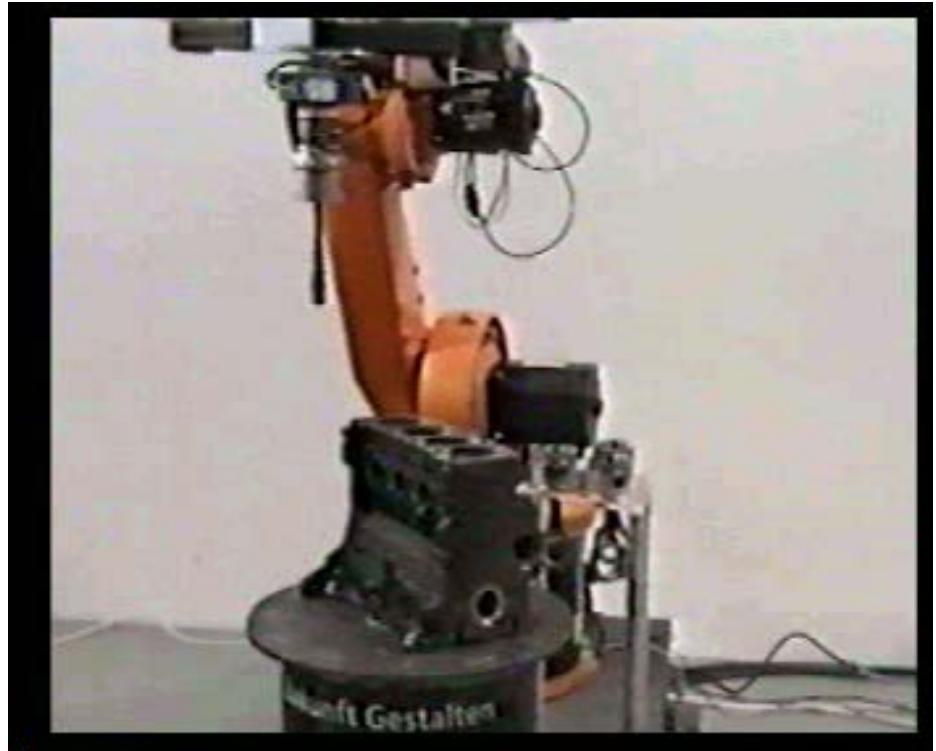


variable impedance control



safe efficient pHRI

- Set-up @ DLR, Germany
  - KUKA robot with force sensor and camera embedded in the gripper
- Integration of vision and force
  - Visual feedback in gross motion
  - Force feedback in fine motion



## ■ Problem

- Control interaction of a robot manipulator with a rigid object of known geometry but unknown position and orientation

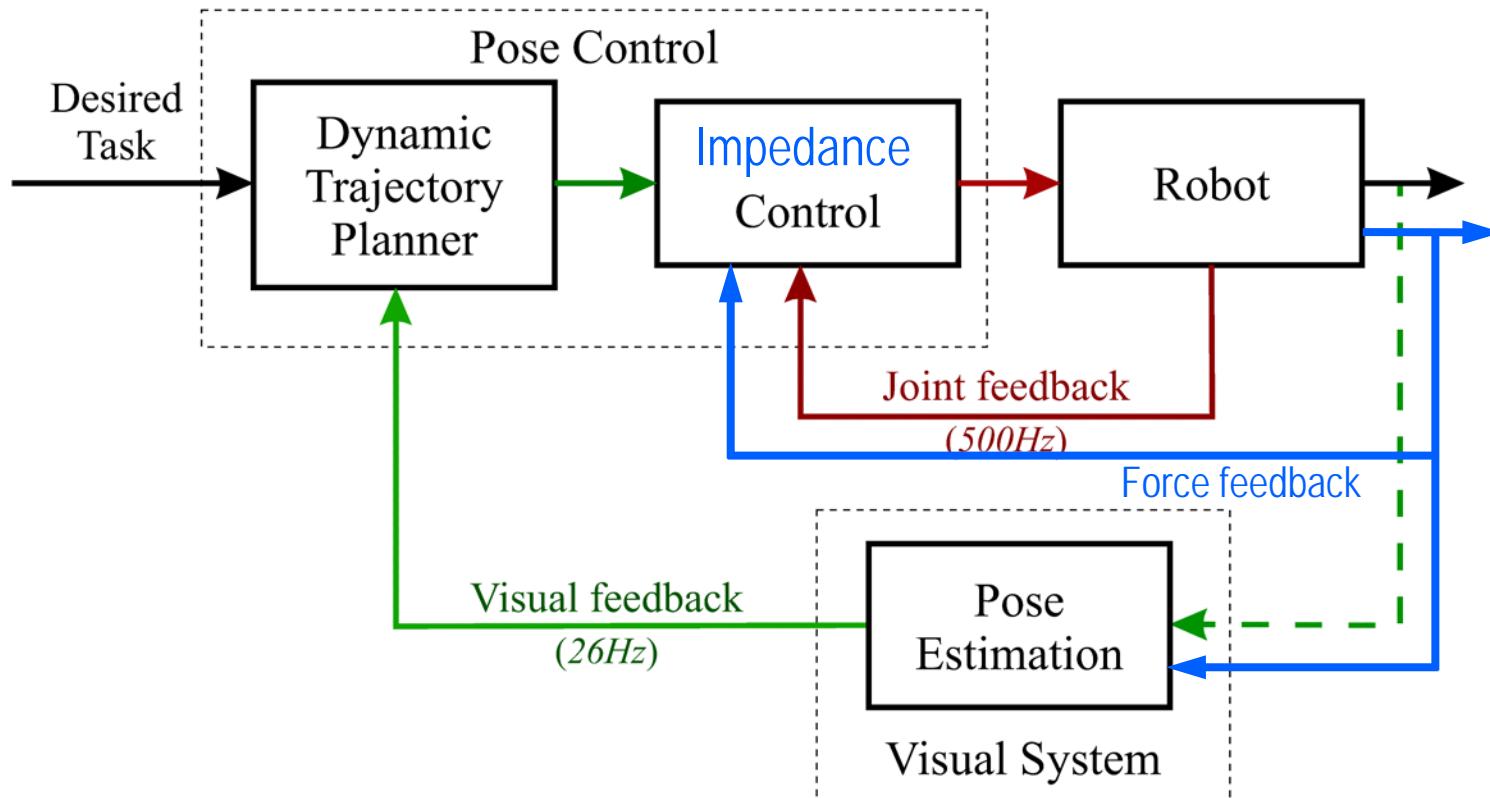
$$\varphi({}^o\boldsymbol{p}) = 0$$

$$\{\boldsymbol{o}_o, \boldsymbol{R}_o\} \rightarrow \boldsymbol{x}_o$$

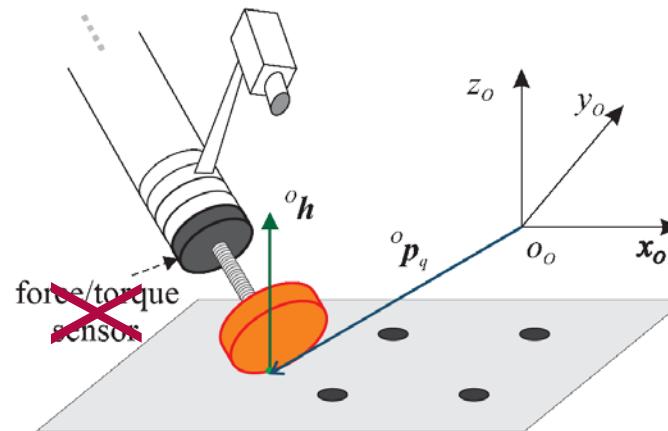
## ■ Solution

- When robot is far from object
  - Position-based visual servoing is adopted
  - The relative pose of the robot with respect to the object is estimated recursively using only vision
- When robot is in contact with object
  - Any kind of interaction control strategy can be adopted (impedance control, parallel force/position control)
  - The relative pose of the robot with respect to the object is estimated recursively using vision, force and joint position measurements

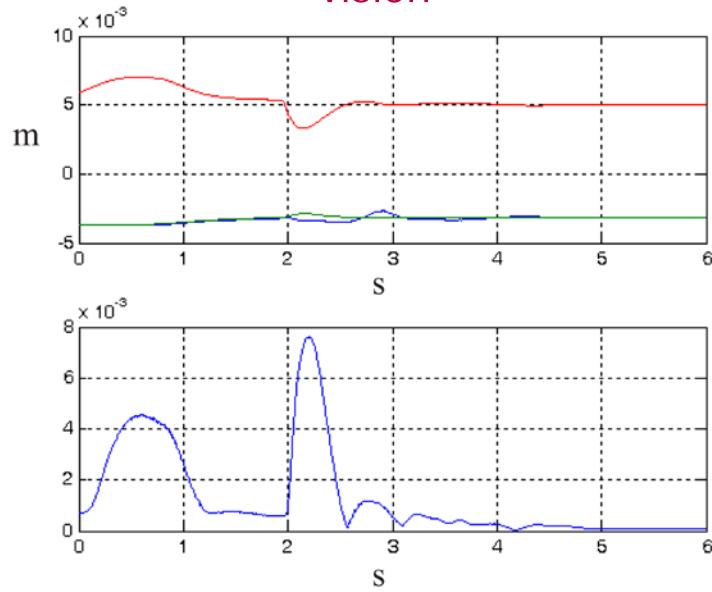
- Position-based visual impedance



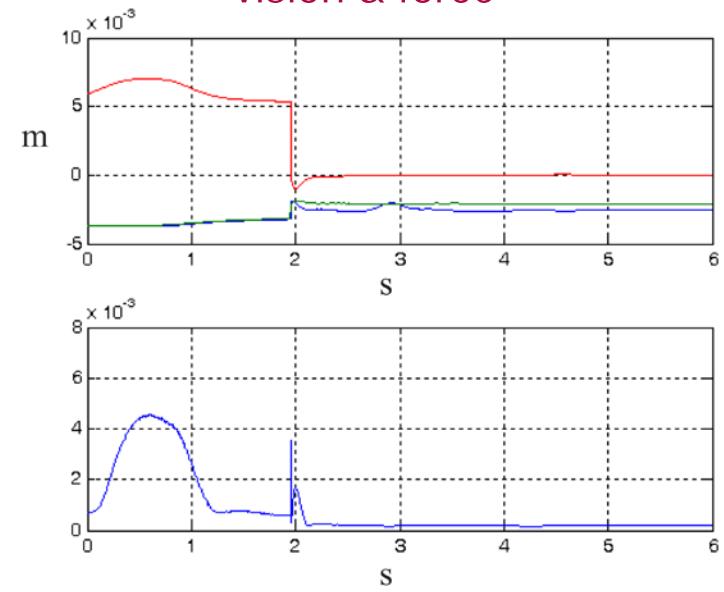
- Pose estimation errors



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vision & force



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A black and white photograph. On the left, a person's hand is shown from the side, palm facing up and fingers slightly spread. An arrow points from the text "keep the gradient" towards the middle finger. On the right, an elderly man with glasses and a suit is seated in a chair. He is positioned behind a large, articulated robotic arm with multiple joints and metallic components. The background is dark.

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