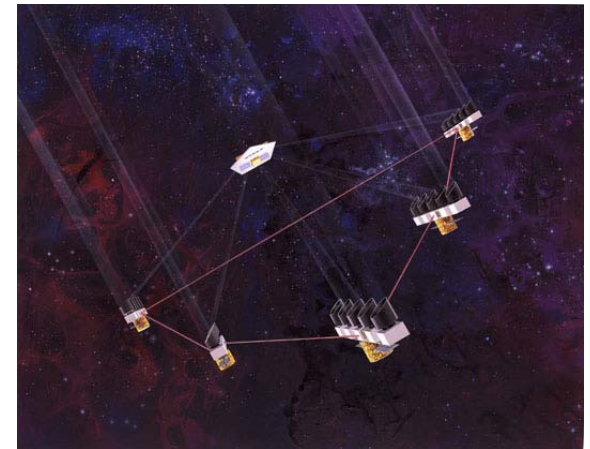
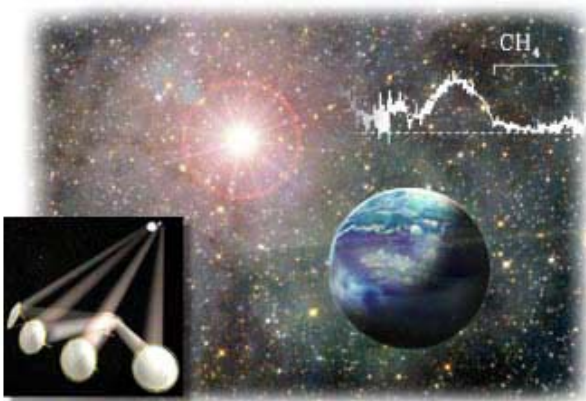
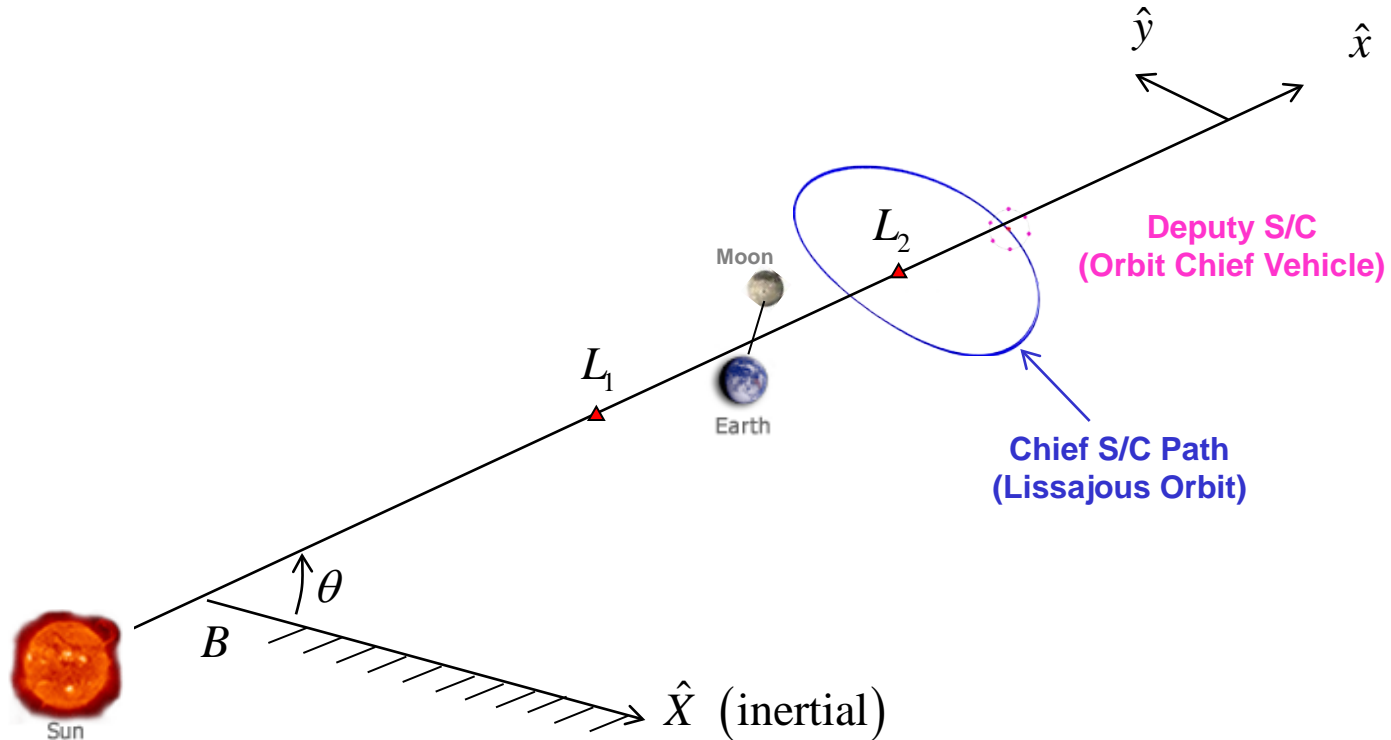


FORMATIONS NEAR THE LIBRATION POINTS: DESIGN STRATEGIES USING NATURAL AND NON-NATURAL ARCS

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Formations Near the Libration Points



EPHEM = Sun + Earth + Moon Motion From Ephemeris w/ SRP

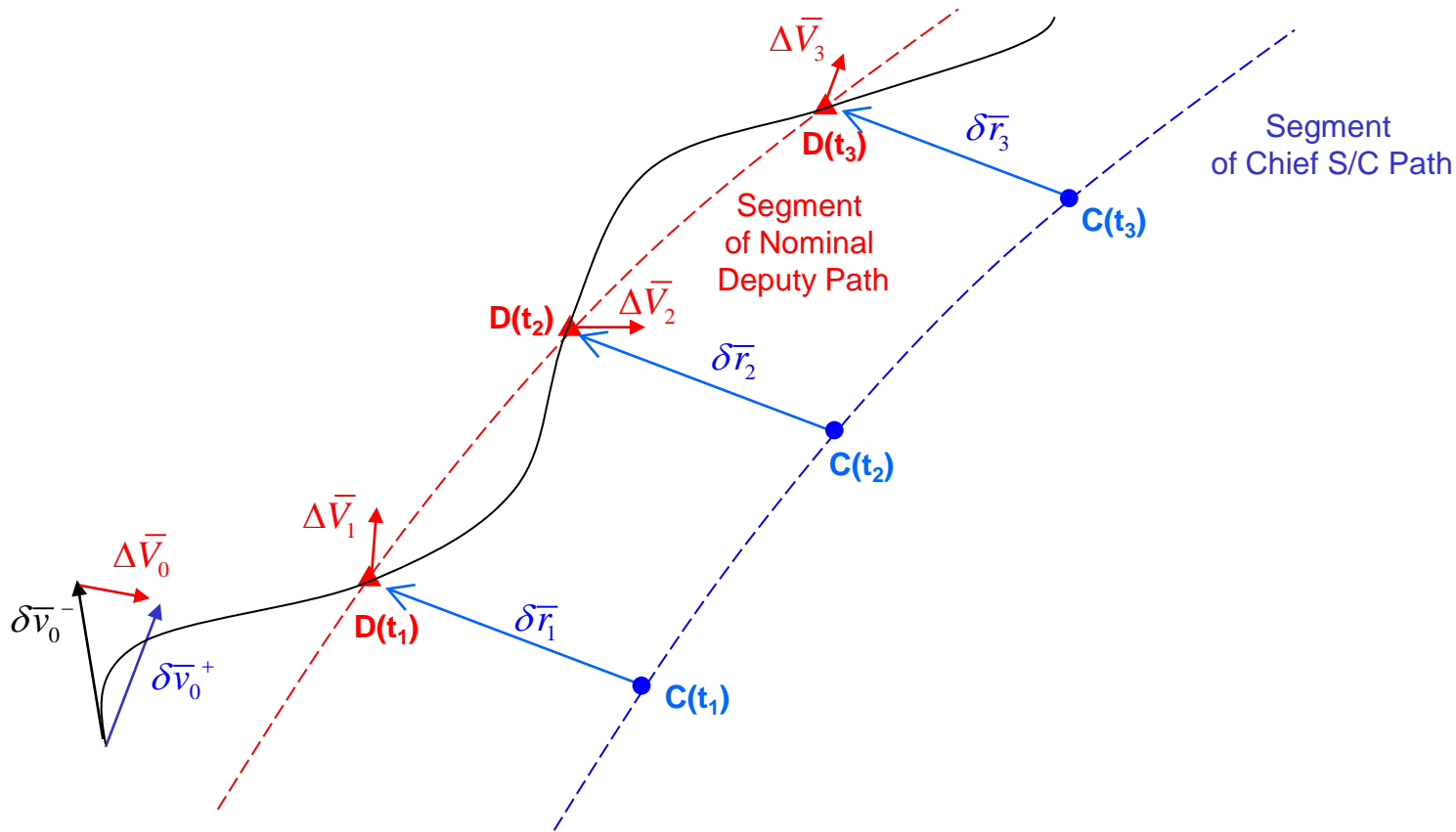
CR3BP = Sun + Earth/Moon barycenter Motion Assumed Circular w/o SRP

Control Methodologies Considered in both the CR3BP and EPHEM Models

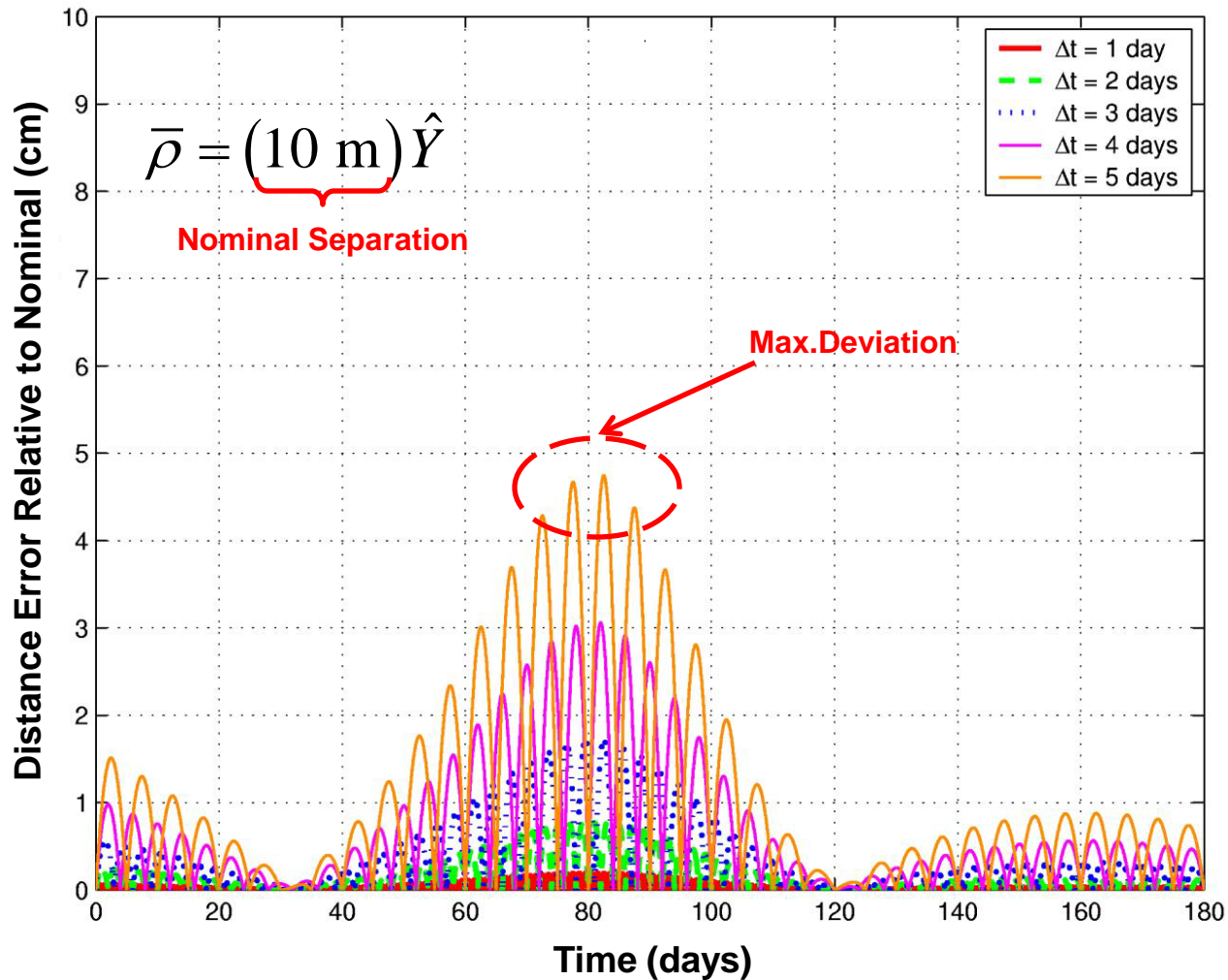
- Continuous Control
 - Linear Control
 - State Feedback with Control Input Lower Bounds
 - Optimal Control → Linear Quadratic Regulator (LQR)
 - Nonlinear Control
 - Input Feedback Linearization (State Tracking)
 - Output Feedback Linearization (Constraint Tracking)
 - Spherical + Aspherical Formations (i.e. Parabolic, Hyperbolic, etc.)
- Discrete Control
 - Nonlinear Optimal Control
 - Impulsive
 - Constant Thrust Arcs
 - Impulsive Targeter Schemes
 - State and Range+Range Rate
 - Natural Formations → Impulsive Deployment
 - Hybrid Formations → Blending Natural and Non-Natural Motions

IMPULSIVE FORMATION KEEPING: TARGETER METHODS

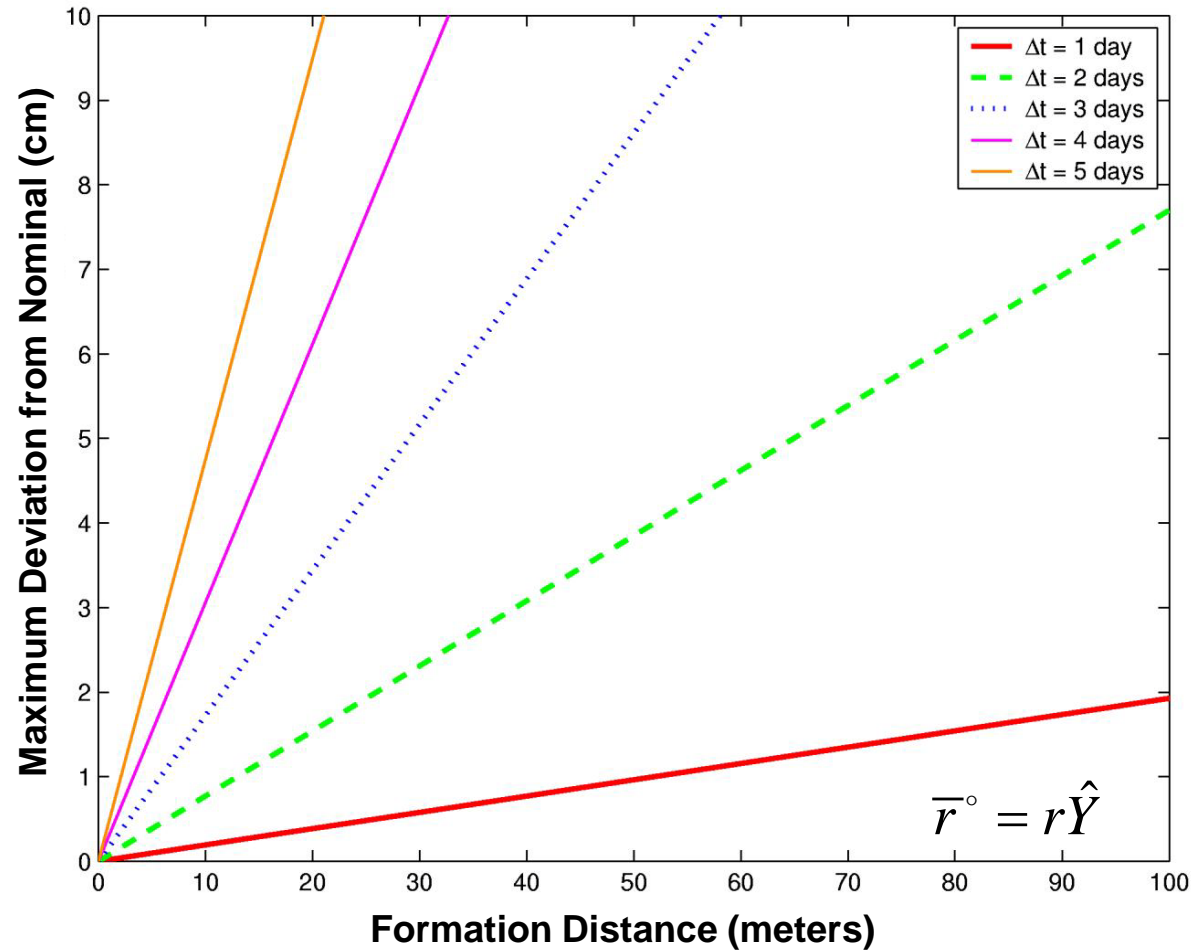
State Targeter: Impulsive Control Law Formulation



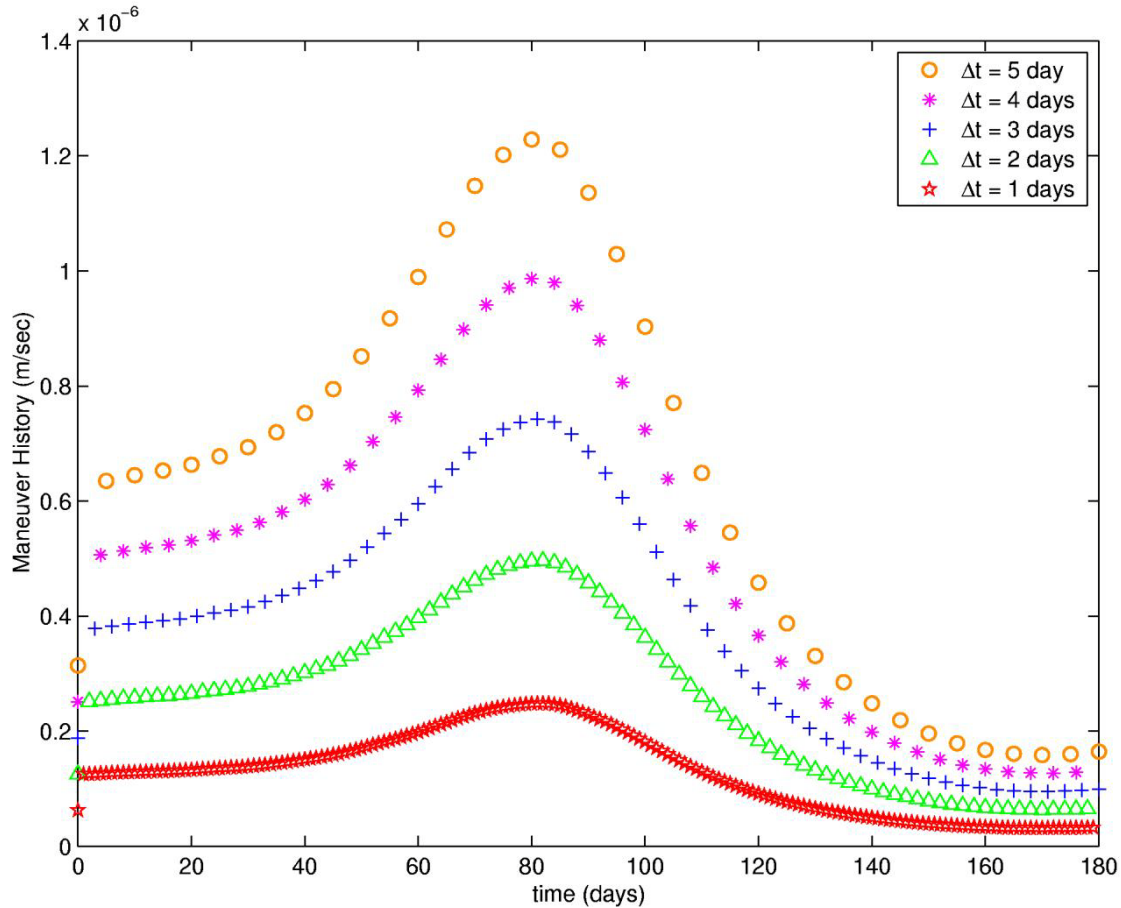
State Targeter: Radial Distance Error



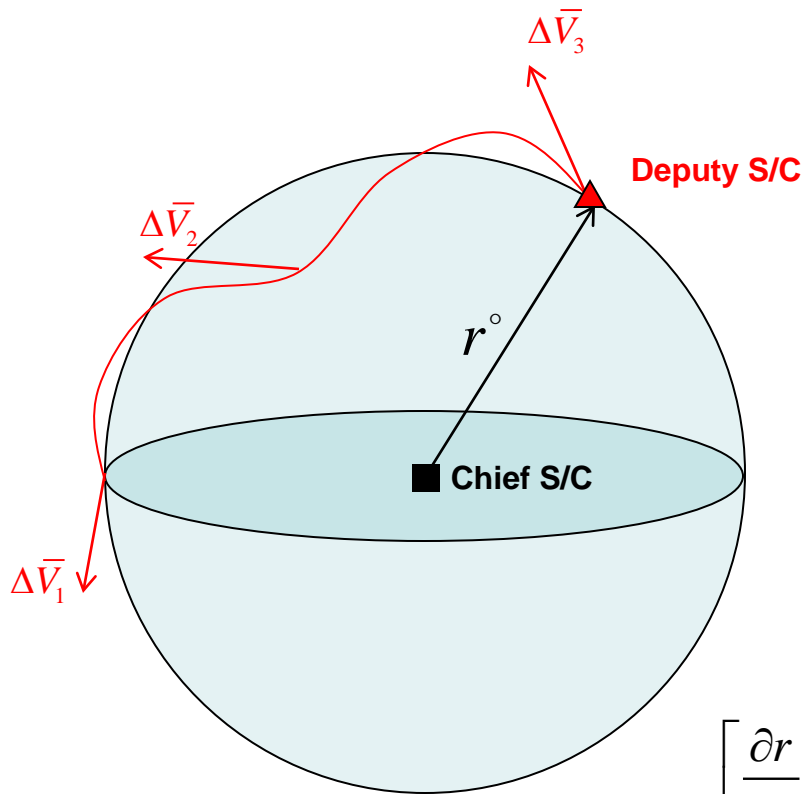
State Targeter: Achievable Accuracy



State Targeter: Maneuver Schedule



Range + Range Rate Targeter



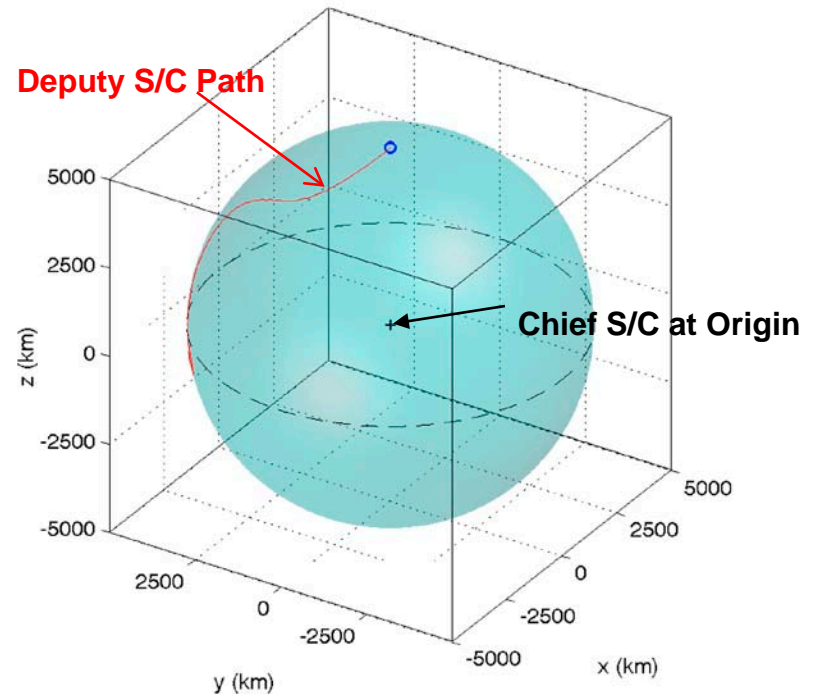
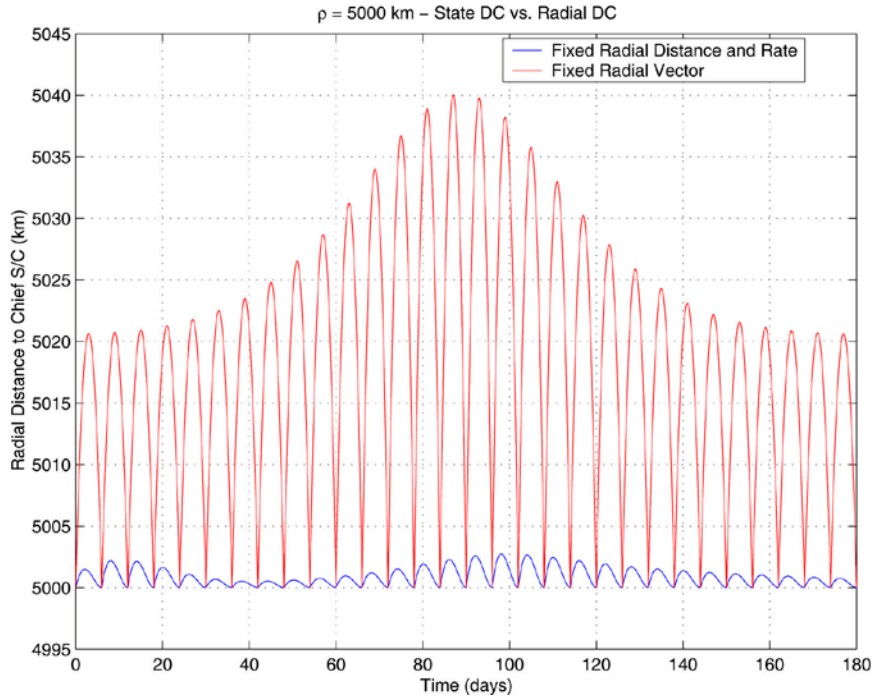
Range + Range Rate Constraint:

$$\bar{g}_f = \begin{bmatrix} r_f \\ \dot{r}_f \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} (\bar{r}_f^T \bar{r}_f)^{1/2} \\ \frac{\bar{r}_f^T \dot{\bar{r}}_f}{r_f} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$d\bar{g}_f = \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial r}{\partial \bar{r}} & \frac{\partial r}{\partial \dot{\bar{r}}} \\ \frac{\partial \dot{r}}{\partial \bar{r}} & \frac{\partial \dot{r}}{\partial \dot{\bar{r}}} \end{bmatrix}}_{\text{State Relationship Matrix}}$$

$$\overbrace{\Phi(t, t_0)}^{\text{STM}} \delta \bar{x}_0 = \Lambda(t) \Phi(t, t_0) \begin{bmatrix} \delta \bar{r}_0 \\ \delta \bar{v}_0^- + \Delta \bar{V}_0 \end{bmatrix}$$

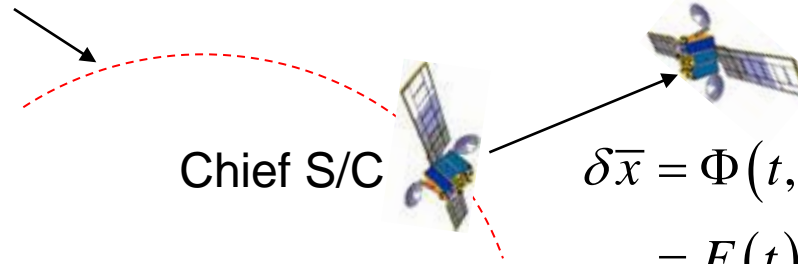
Comparison of Range and State Targeters



DESIGN OF NON-NATURAL FORMATIONS USING NATURAL SOLUTION ARCS

CR3BP Analysis of Phase Space Eigenstructure Near Halo Orbit

Reference Halo Orbit



Deputy S/C

Chief S/C

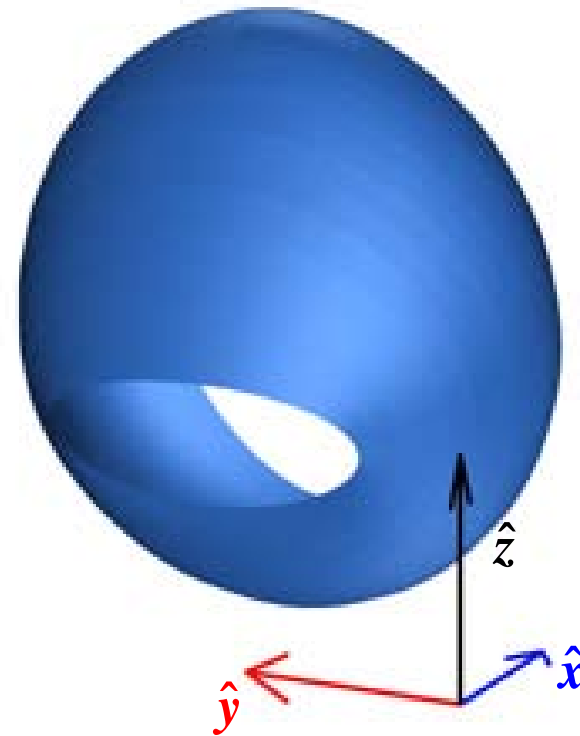
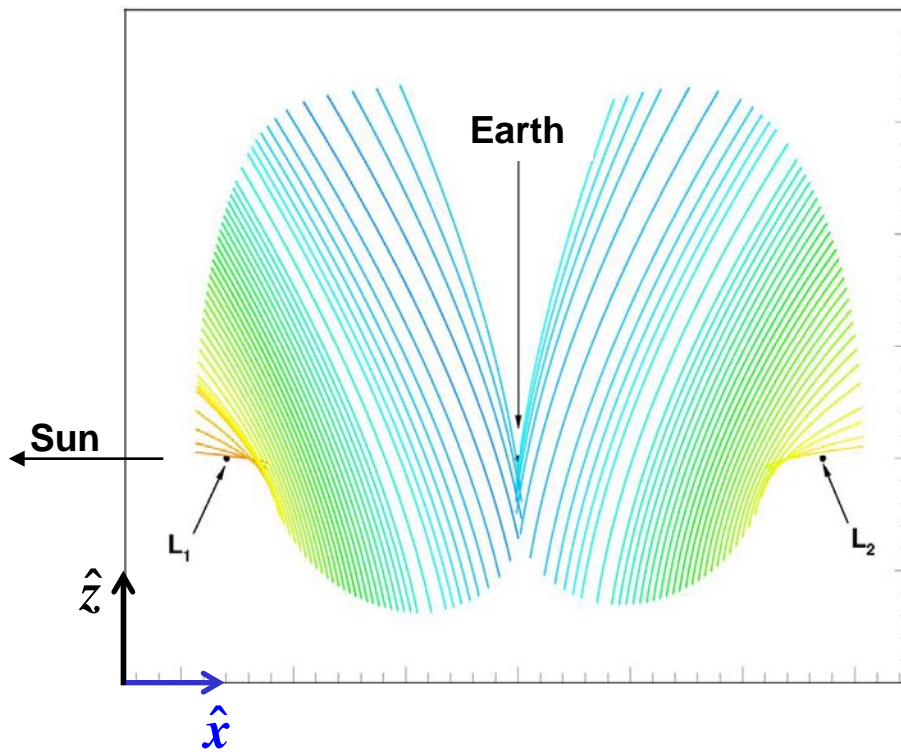
$$\begin{aligned}\delta\bar{x} &= \Phi(t, 0)\delta\bar{x}(0) \\ &= E(t)e^{Jt}E^{-1}(0)\delta\bar{x}(0)\end{aligned}$$

Solution to Variational Eqn. in terms of Floquet Modes:

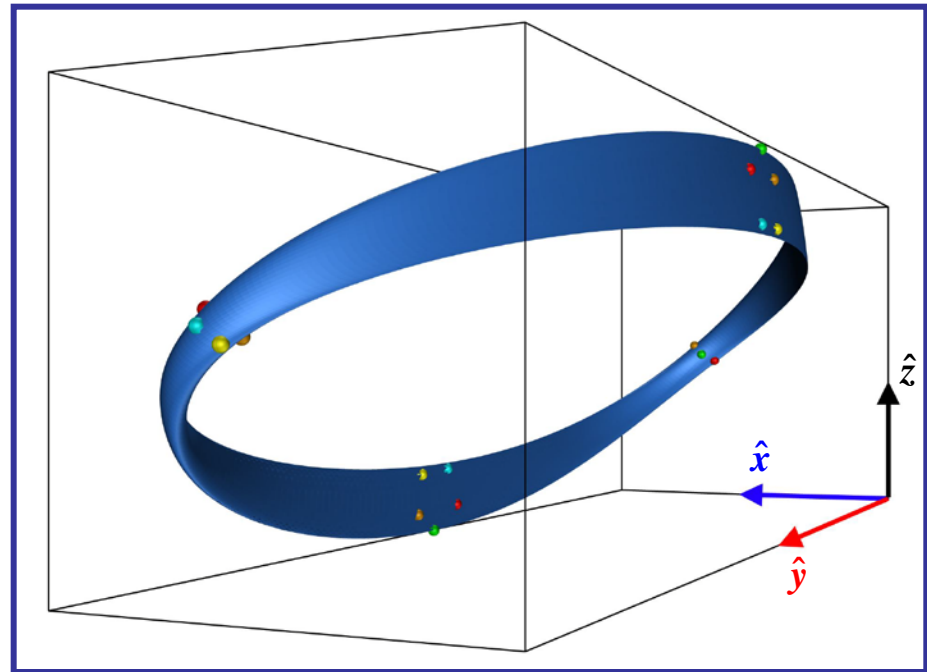
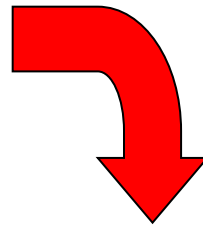
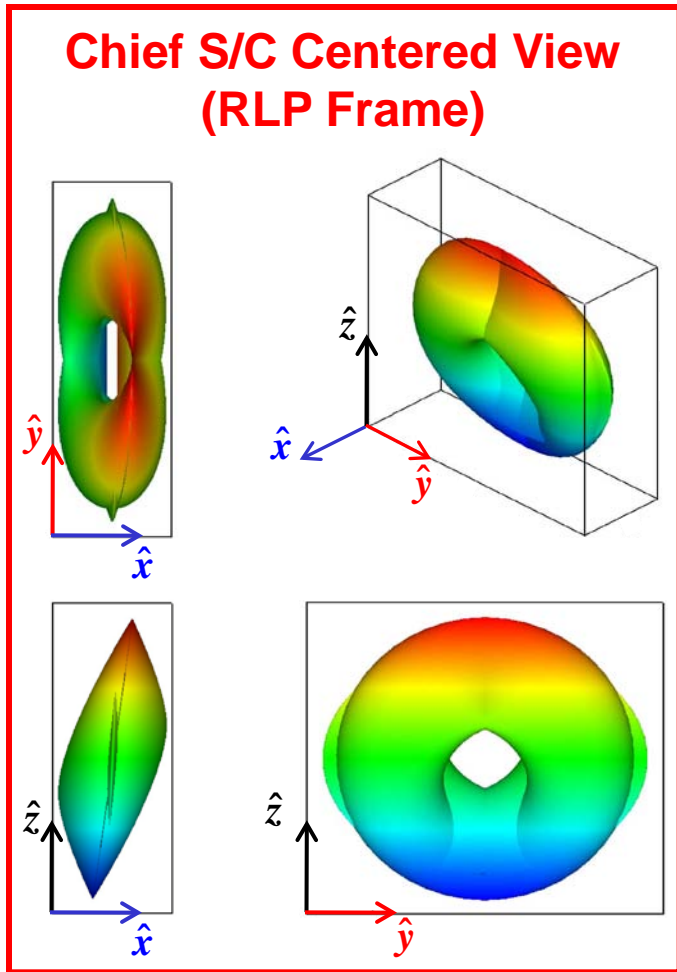
$$\delta\bar{x}(t) = \sum_{j=1}^6 \delta\bar{x}_j(t) = \sum_{j=1}^6 c_j(t) \underbrace{\bar{e}_j(t)}_{\text{Floquet Modes}} = E(t)\bar{c}(t)$$

- Mode 1 → 1-D Unstable Subspace
- Mode 2 → 1-D Stable Subspace
- Modes (3,4) and (5,6) → 4-D Center Subspace

Natural Solutions: Periodic Halo Orbits Near Libration Points



Natural Formations: Quasi-Periodic Relative Orbits \rightarrow 2-D Torus



Floquet Controller

(Remove Unstable + 2 Center Modes)

Find $\Delta \bar{V}$ that removes undesired response modes:

$$\sum_{j=1}^6 \delta \bar{x}_j + \begin{bmatrix} 0_3 \\ I_3 \end{bmatrix} \Delta \bar{V} = \sum_{\substack{j=2,3,4 \\ \text{or} \\ j=2,5,6}} (1 + \alpha_j) \delta \bar{x}_j$$

Remove Modes 1, 3, and 4:

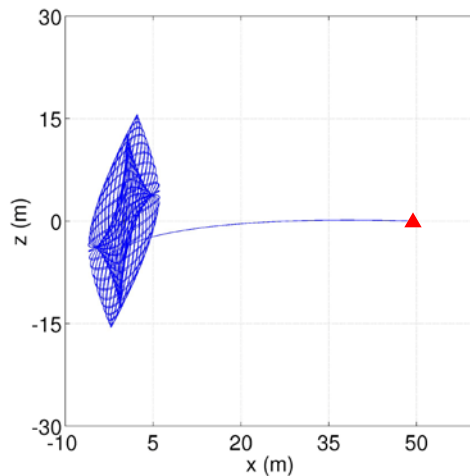
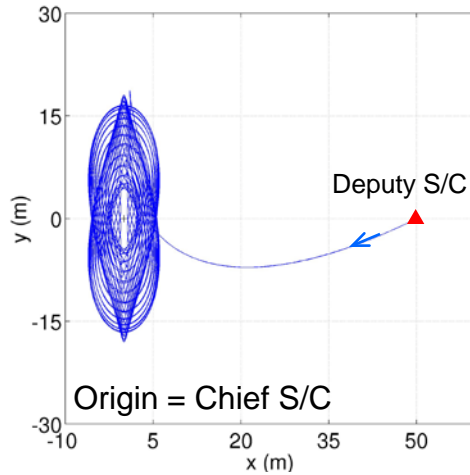
$$\begin{bmatrix} \bar{\alpha} \\ \Delta \bar{V} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \delta \bar{x}_{2\bar{r}} & \delta \bar{x}_{5\bar{r}} & \delta \bar{x}_{6\bar{r}} & 0_3 \\ \delta \bar{x}_{2\bar{v}} & \delta \bar{x}_{5\bar{v}} & \delta \bar{x}_{6\bar{v}} & -I_3 \end{bmatrix}^{-1} (\delta \bar{x}_1 + \delta \bar{x}_3 + \delta \bar{x}_4)$$

Remove Modes 1, 5, and 6:

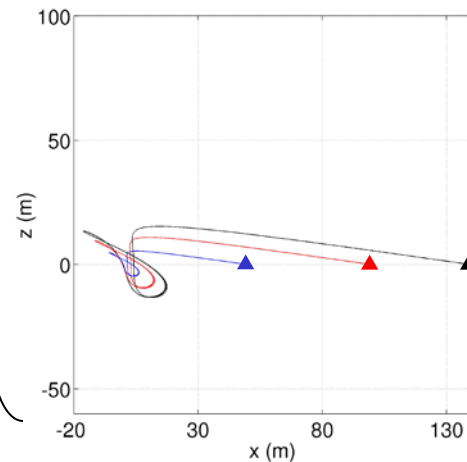
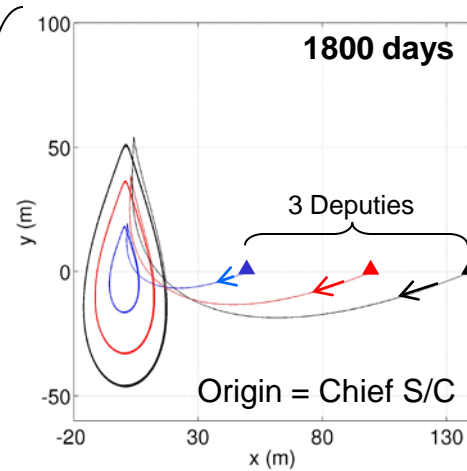
$$\begin{bmatrix} \bar{\alpha} \\ \Delta \bar{V} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \delta \bar{x}_{2\bar{r}} & \delta \bar{x}_{3\bar{r}} & \delta \bar{x}_{4\bar{r}} & 0_3 \\ \delta \bar{x}_{2\bar{v}} & \delta \bar{x}_{3\bar{v}} & \delta \bar{x}_{4\bar{v}} & -I_3 \end{bmatrix}^{-1} (\delta \bar{x}_1 + \delta \bar{x}_5 + \delta \bar{x}_6)$$

Sample Deployment into Relative Orbits: 1- ΔV at Injection

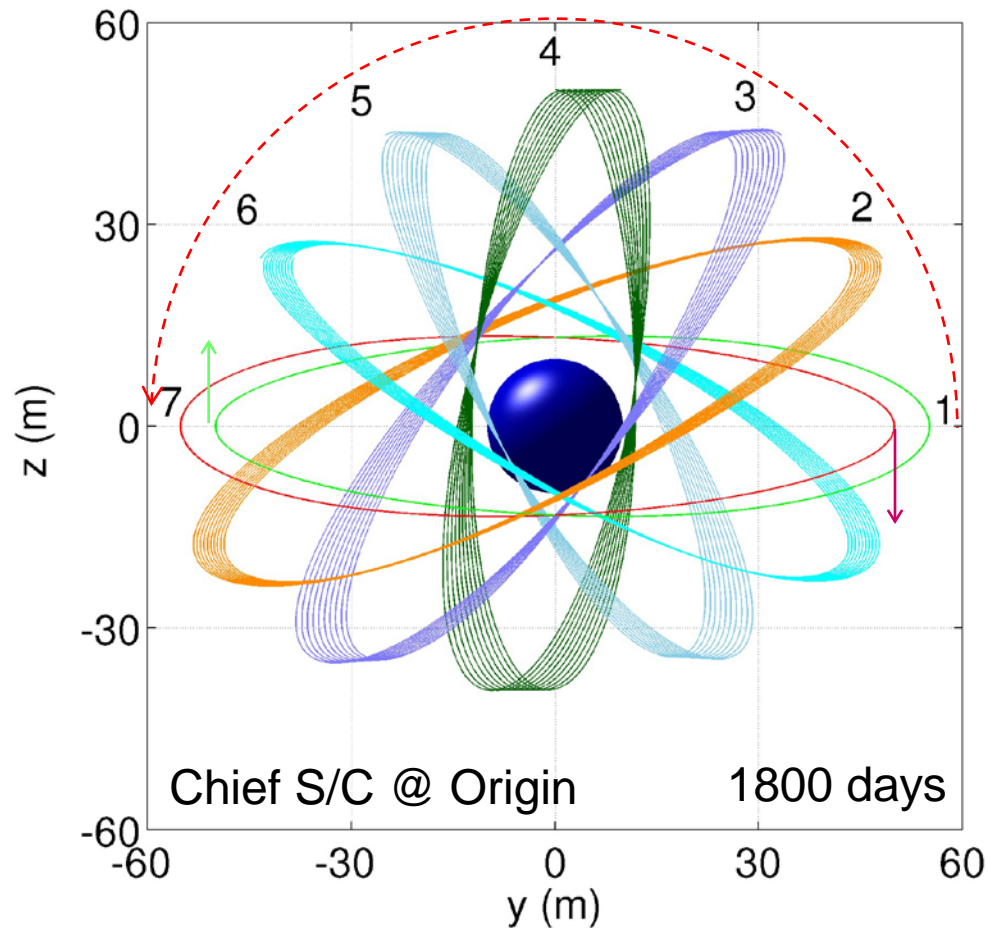
Quasi-Periodic



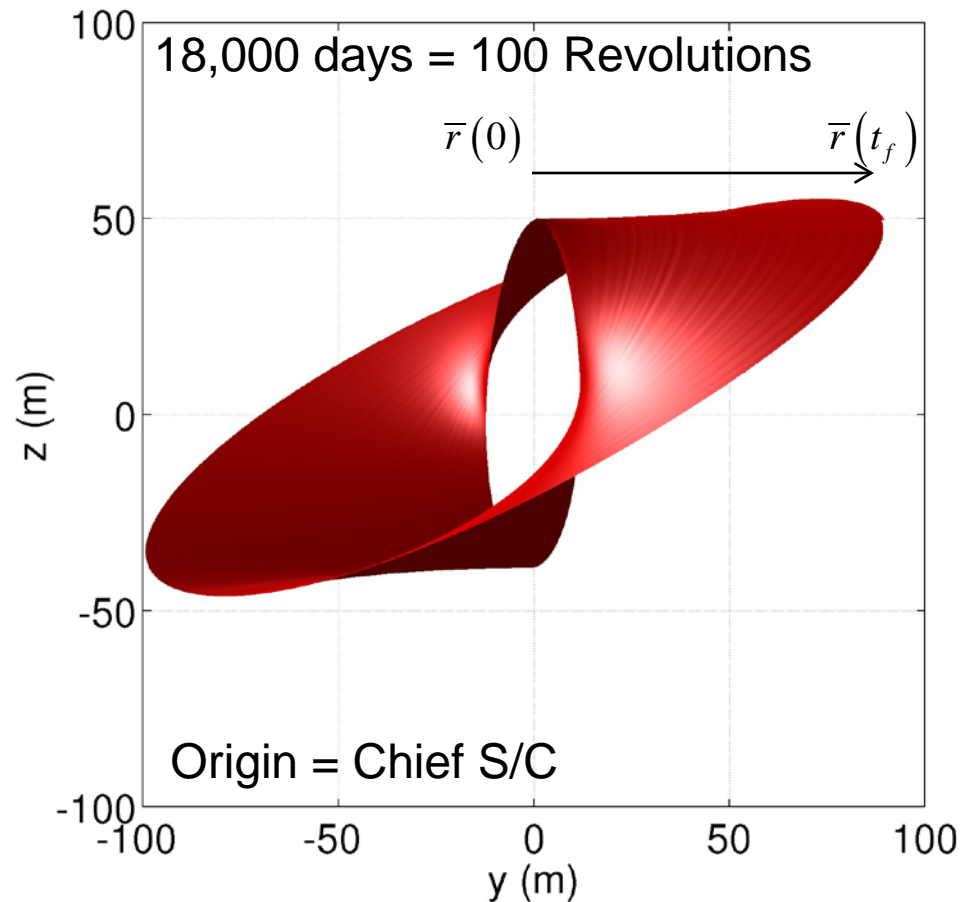
“Periodic”



Natural Formations: Nearly Periodic and Drifting Relative Orbits

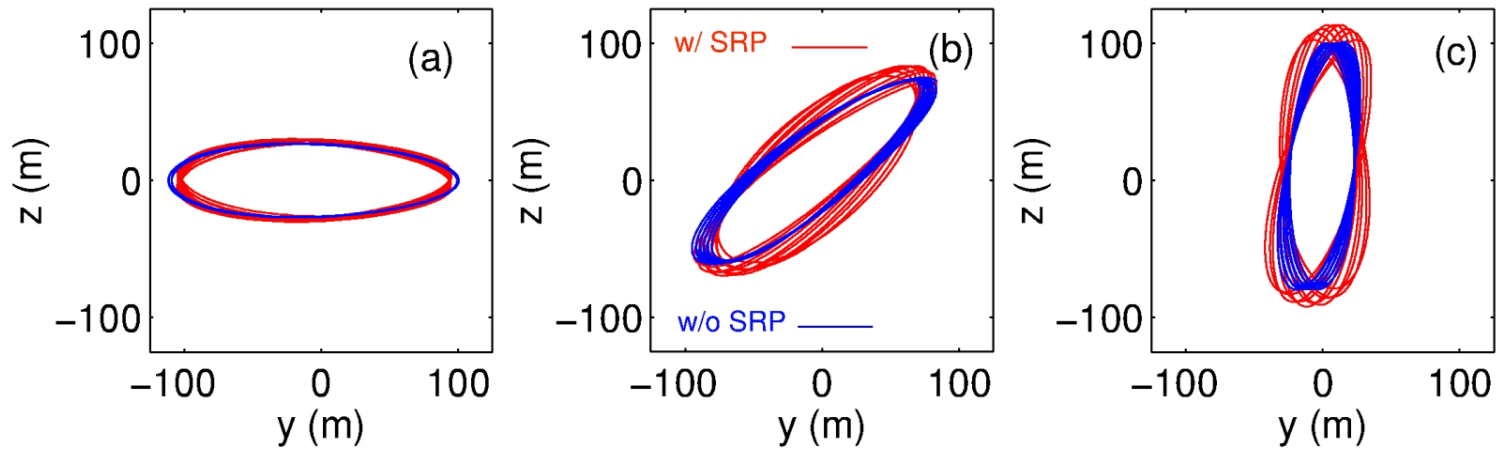


Expansion of Drifting Vertical Orbit



Transitioning Natural Motions into Non-Natural Arcs: Targeter Approach

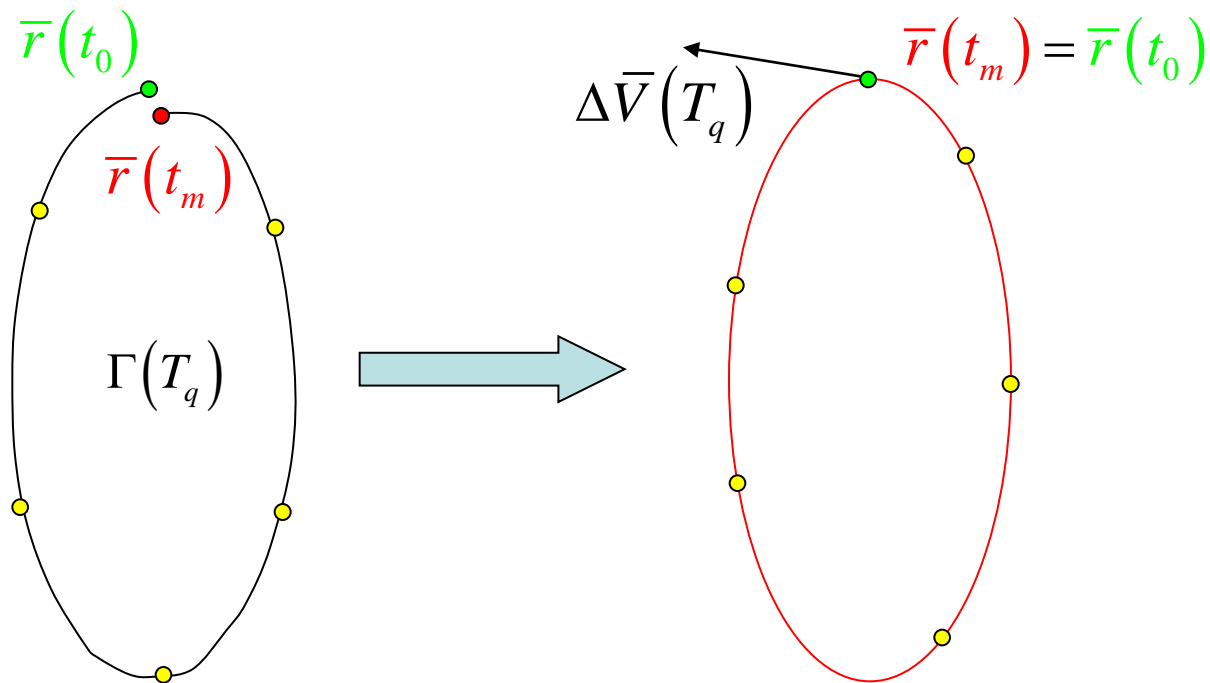
STEP 1: Identify a suitable initial guess



Target \rightarrow Orbital Drift Control

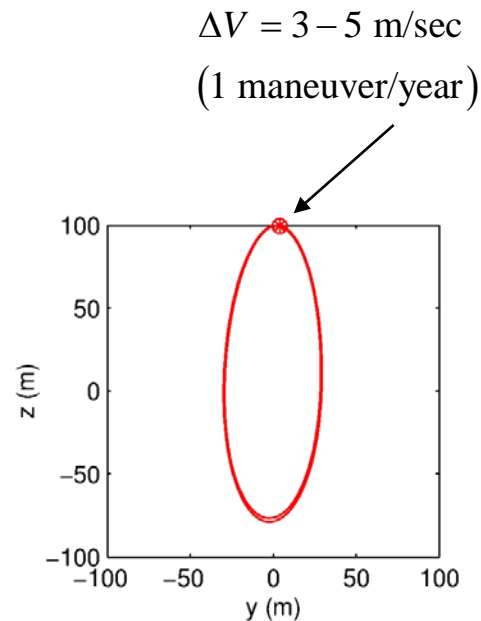
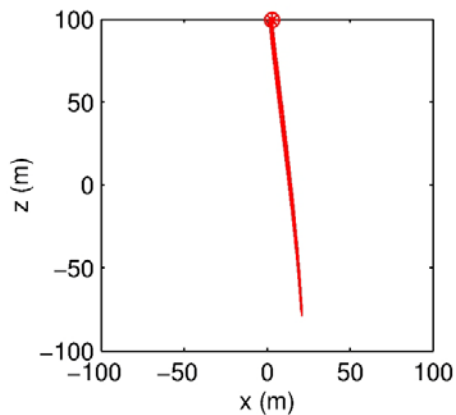
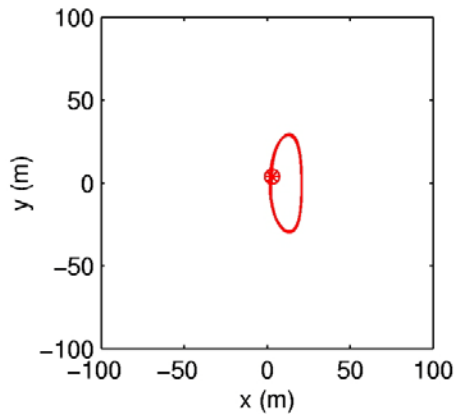
Application of Two Level Corrector

STEP 2: Apply 2-level corrector (Howell and Wilson:1996) w/ end-state constraint



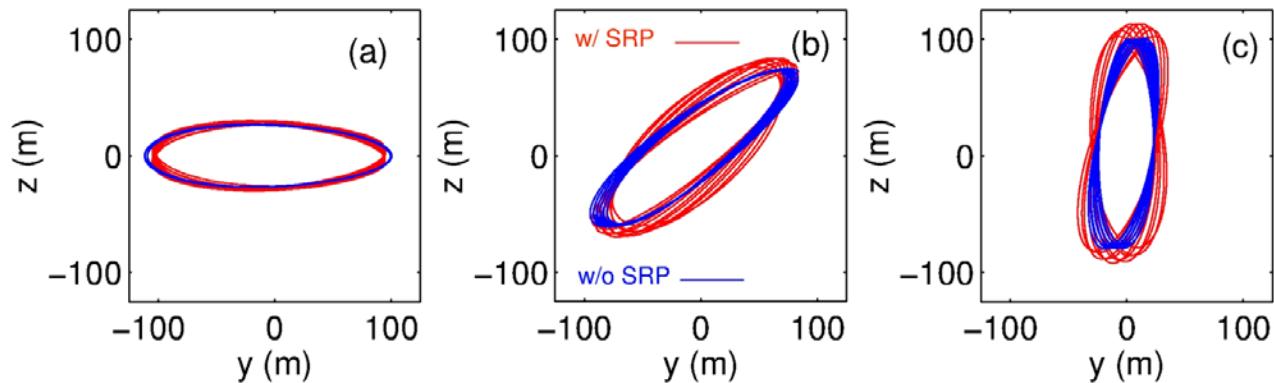
STEP 3: Shift converged patch states forward by 1 period
STEP 4: Reconverge Solution

Drift Controlled Vertical Orbit (6 Revs)

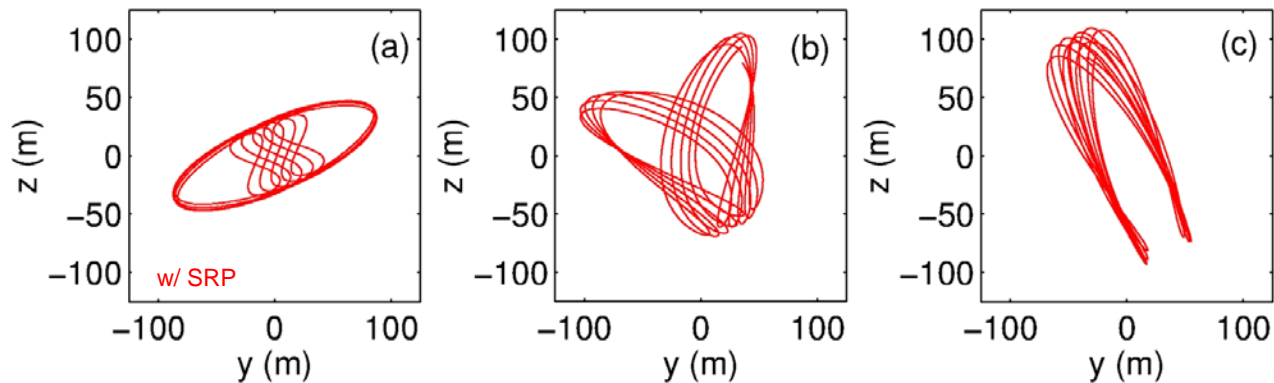


Geometry of Natural Solutions in the Ephemeris Model

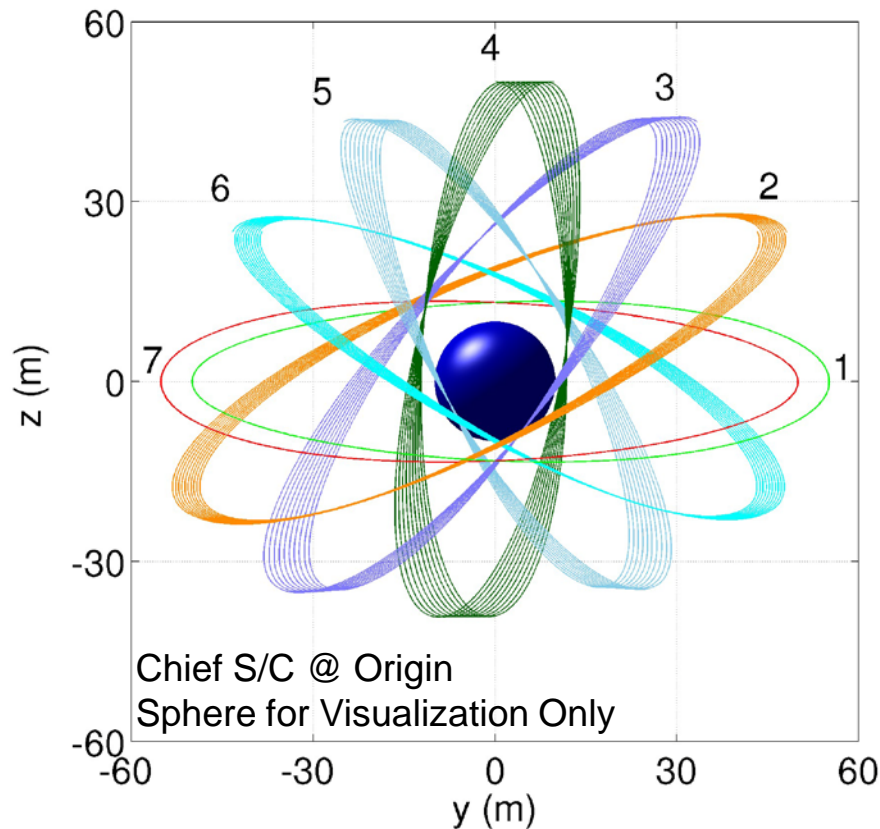
Rotating Frame Perspective:



Inertial Frame Perspective:

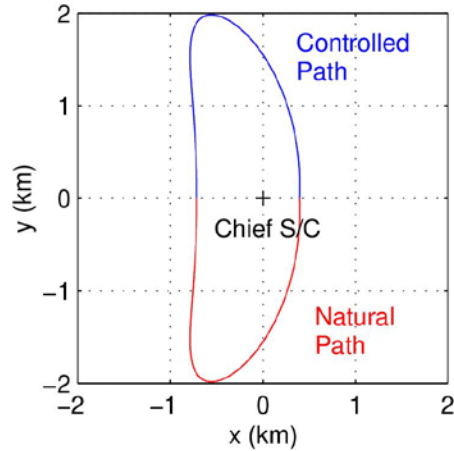


Transitioning Natural Motions into Non-Natural Arcs: IFL Example

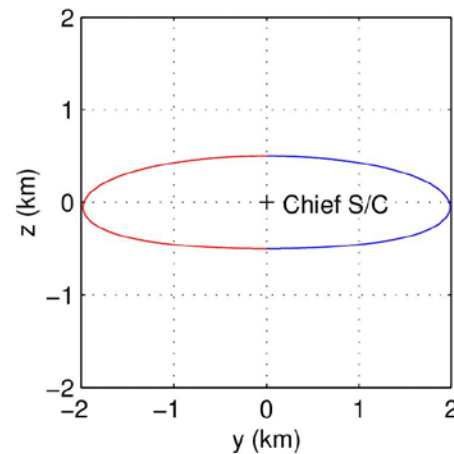
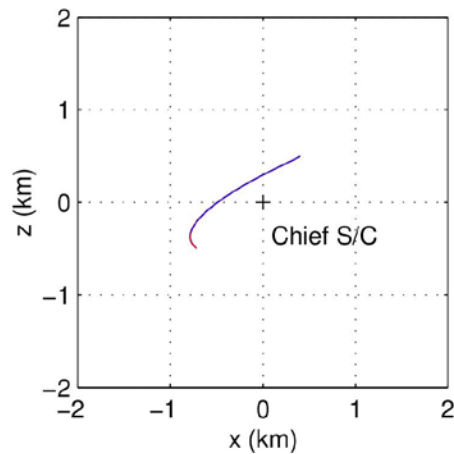


- (1) Consider 1st Rev Along Orbit #4 as initial guess to simple targeter.
- (2) Choose initial state on xz-plane
- (3) Target next plane crossing to be \perp
- (4) Use resulting arc as half of the reference motion.
- (5) Numerically mirror solution about xz-plane and store as nominal.
- (6) Use IFL control to enforce a closed orbit using stored nominal.

Hybrid Control: Natural Motions + Continuous Control



$\frac{1}{2}$ Period \rightarrow Natural Arc
 $\frac{1}{2}$ Period \rightarrow IFL Control

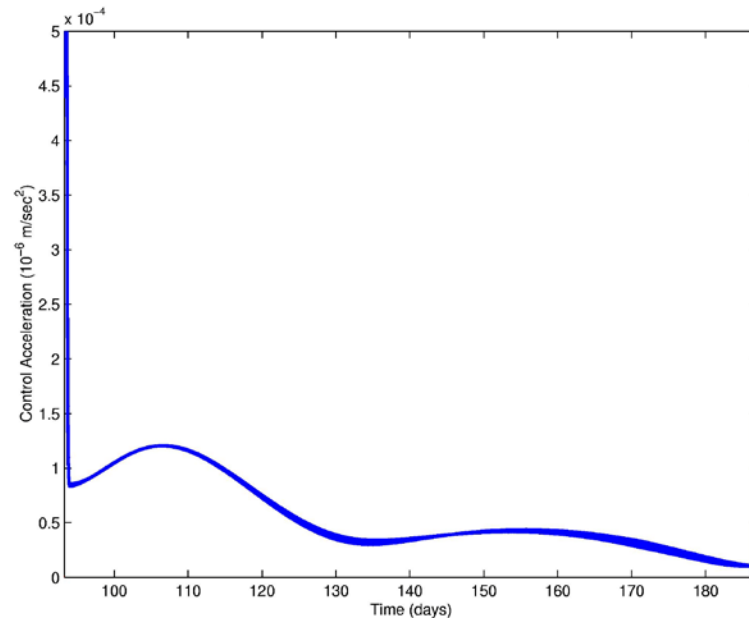
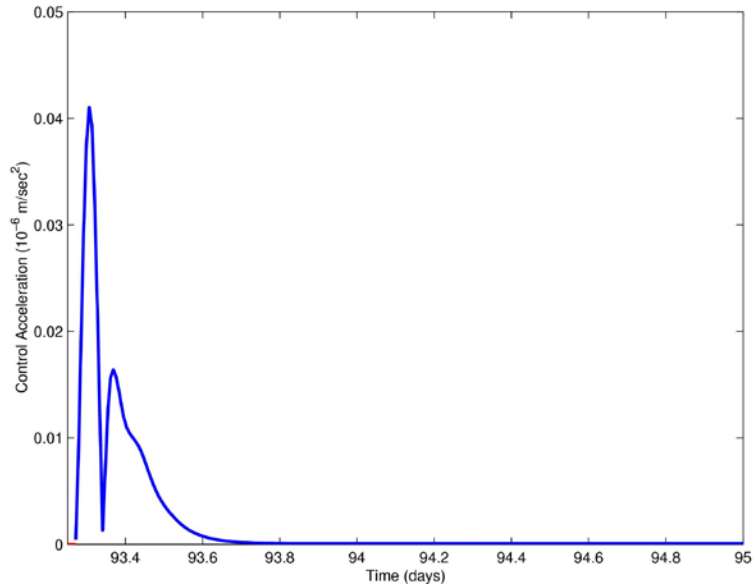


Concluding Remarks

- Precise Formation Keeping → Continuous Control
 - Is it possible?
 - Depends on hardware capabilities and nominal motion specified
 - Not if thruster On/Off sequences are required & tolerances too high
- Precise Navigation → Natural Formations
 - Targeter Methods
 - Natural motions can be forced to follow non-natural paths
 - Success depends on non-natural motion specified
 - Hybrid Methods (Natural Arcs + Continuous Thrust Arcs)
 - May prove beneficial for non-natural inertial formation design.

BACKUP SLIDES

Hybrid Control: Accelerations



Radial Targeter: Control Law Formulation

Range + Range Rate Constraint:

$$\bar{\mathbf{g}}_f = \begin{bmatrix} r_f \\ \dot{r}_f \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} (\bar{\mathbf{r}}_f^T \bar{\mathbf{r}}_f)^{1/2} \\ \frac{\bar{\mathbf{r}}_f^T \dot{\bar{\mathbf{r}}}_f}{r_f} \end{bmatrix}$$

Desired Range + Range Rate:

$$\bar{\mathbf{g}}_f^* = \begin{bmatrix} r_f^* \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

First Order Approximation:

$$\bar{\mathbf{g}}_f^* = \bar{\mathbf{g}}_f + \frac{\partial \bar{\mathbf{g}}}{\partial \bar{\mathbf{x}}_0} \delta \bar{\mathbf{x}}_0$$

$$d\bar{\mathbf{g}}_f = (\bar{\mathbf{g}}_f^* - \bar{\mathbf{g}}_f) = \frac{\partial \bar{\mathbf{g}}}{\partial \bar{\mathbf{x}}} \frac{\partial \bar{\mathbf{x}}}{\partial \bar{\mathbf{x}}_0} \delta \bar{\mathbf{x}}_0 = \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial r}{\partial \bar{r}} & \frac{\partial r}{\partial \dot{\bar{r}}} \\ \frac{\partial \dot{r}}{\partial \bar{r}} & \frac{\partial \dot{r}}{\partial \dot{\bar{r}}} \end{bmatrix}}_{\text{State Relationship Matrix}} \overbrace{\Phi(t, t_0)}^{\text{STM}} \delta \bar{\mathbf{x}}_0 = \Lambda(t) \Phi(t, t_0) \delta \bar{\mathbf{x}}_0$$

State Relationship Matrix

Dynamical Model

Generalized Dynamical Model for Each S/C:

$$I \ddot{\bar{r}}^{P_2 P_s}(t) = \underbrace{-\frac{\mu_{P_2}}{r^{P_2 P_s}} + \sum_{j=1, j \neq 2, s}^N \mu_{P_j} \left(\frac{\bar{r}^{P_s P_j}}{(r^{P_s P_j})^3} - \frac{\bar{r}^{P_2 P_j}}{(r^{P_2 P_j})^3} \right)}_{\text{Gravity Terms}} + \underbrace{\bar{f}_{srp}^{(P_s)}}_{\text{Solar Radiation Pressure}} + \bar{u}(t)$$

Control Input
↓

↑
Solar Radiation Pressure

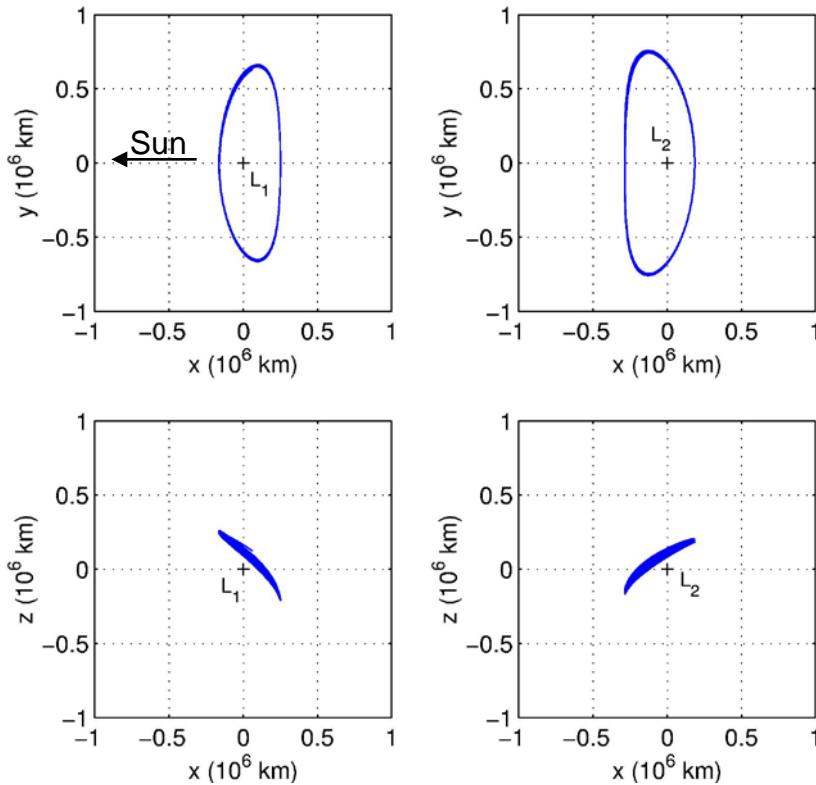
Assumptions:

Chief S/C → Evolves Along Natural Solution $\therefore \bar{u}_c(t) = \bar{0}$ (Nominal)

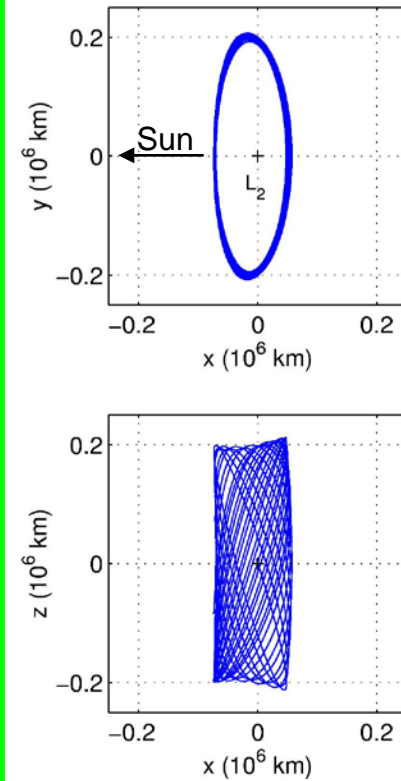
Deputy S/C → Evolves Along Non-Natural Solution $\therefore \bar{u}_d(t) \neq \bar{0}$

Chief S/C Motion: Natural Solutions Near L_1 and L_2

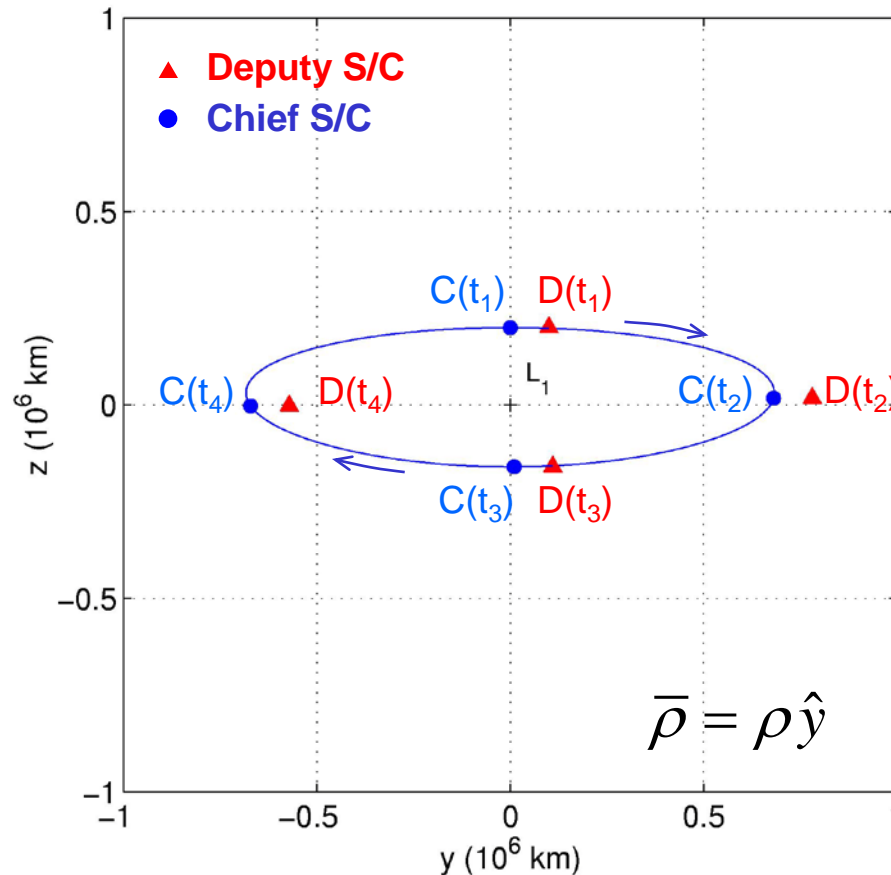
“Halo” Orbits Near L_i



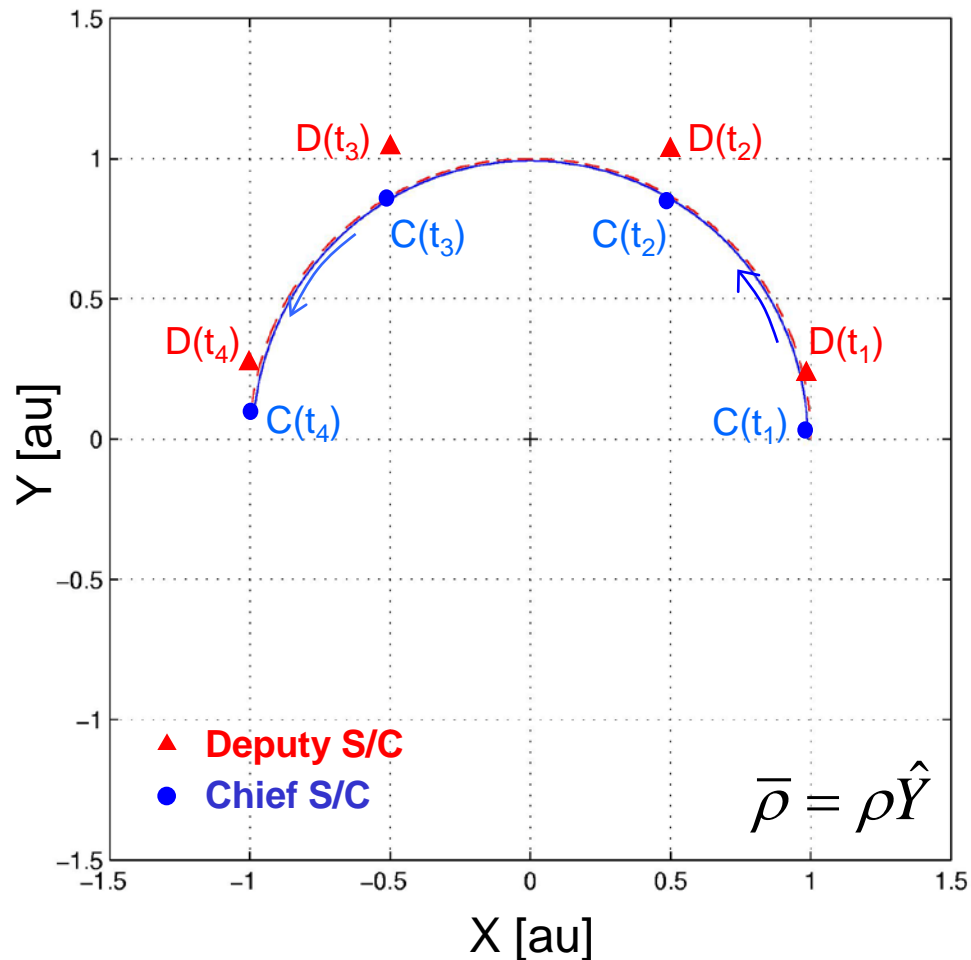
Lissajous Trajectories Near L_i



Controlled Deputy S/C Motion (Example 1): Formation Fixed in the Rotating Frame



Controlled Deputy S/C Motion (Example 2): Formation Fixed in the Inertial Frame



MAXIM: APPLICATIONS OF IFL AND OFL

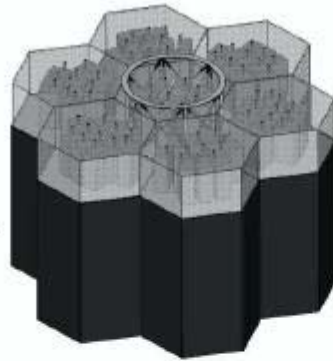
MAXIM Mission Sequence



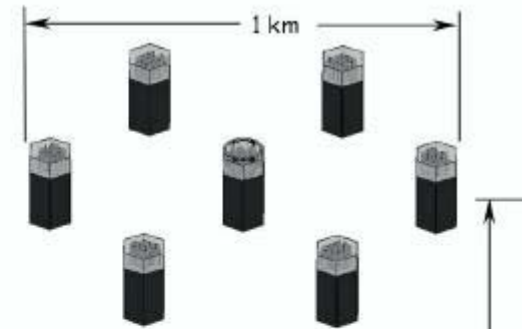
Launch



Transfer Stage



Science Phase #1
Low Resolution:
100 microarcsecond

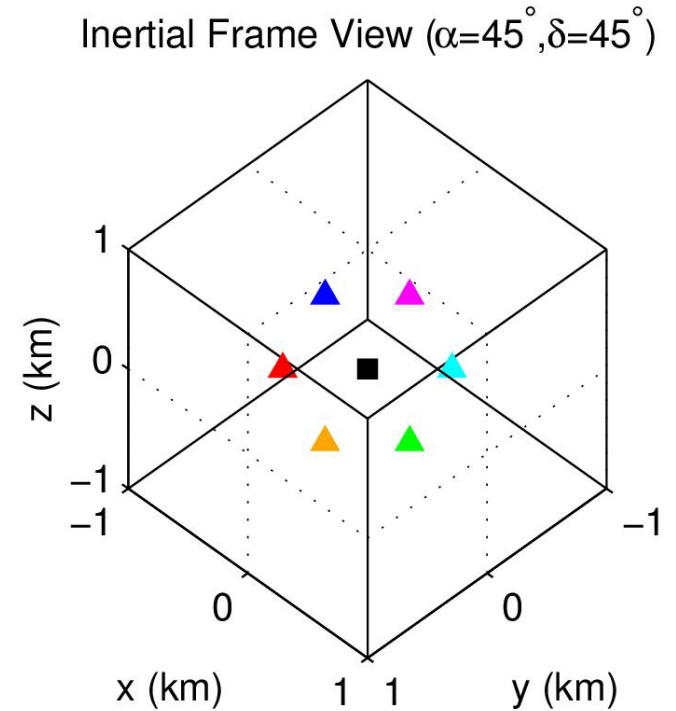
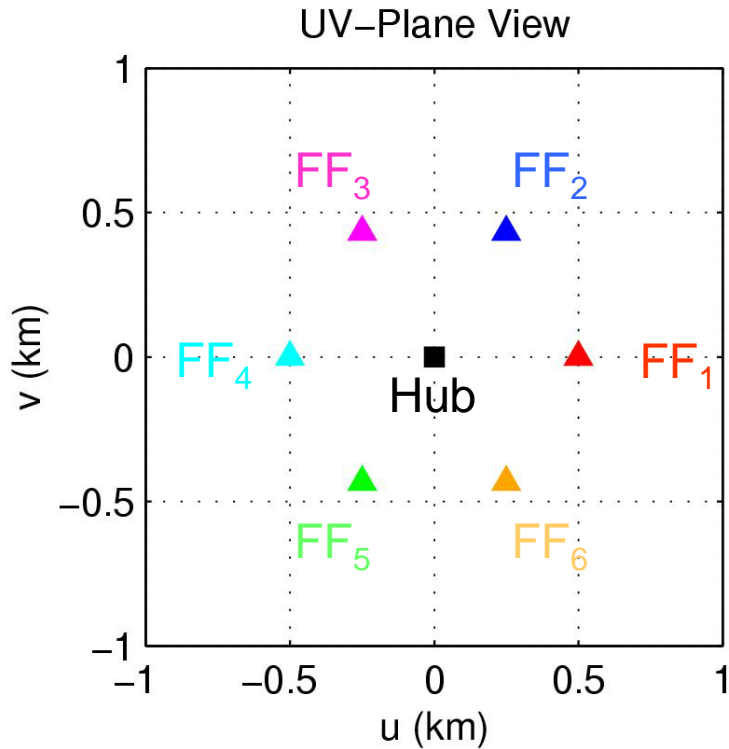


Science Phase #2
High Resolution:
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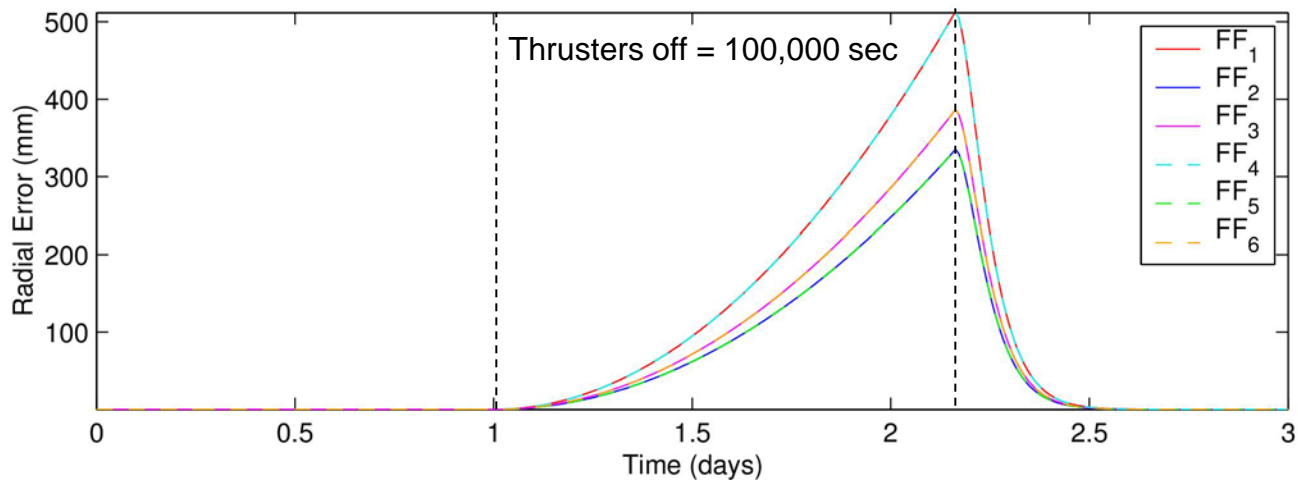
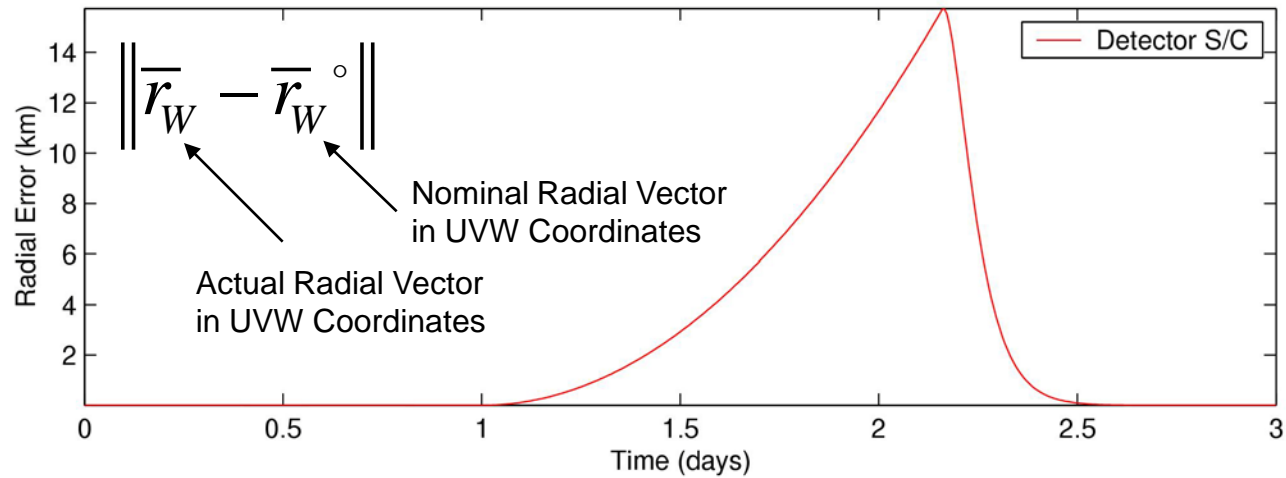


MAXIM:
THRUSTER ON-OFF SEQUENCE

Free Flyer Configuration

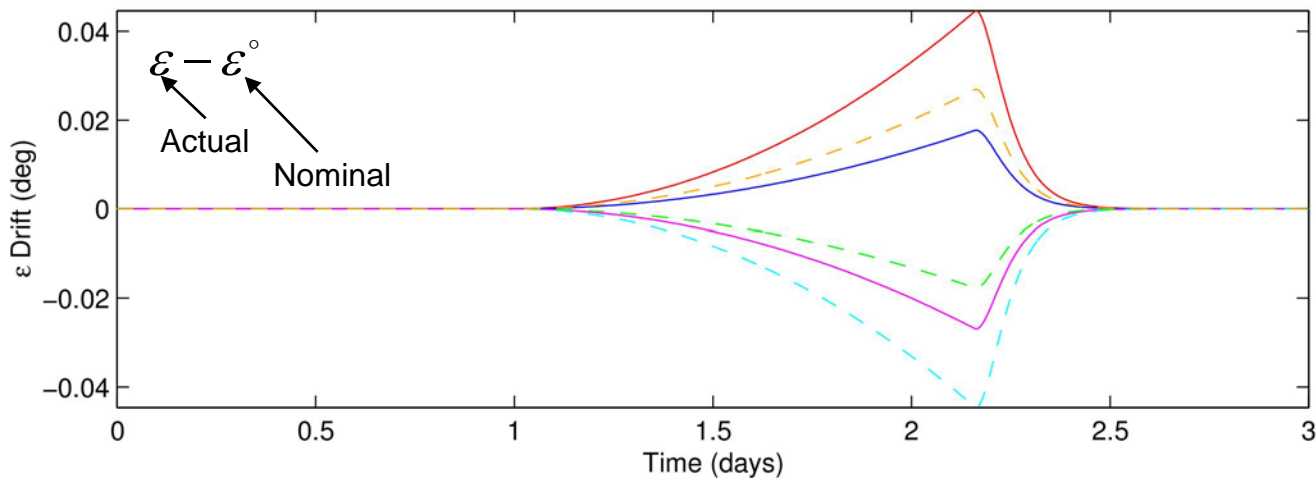
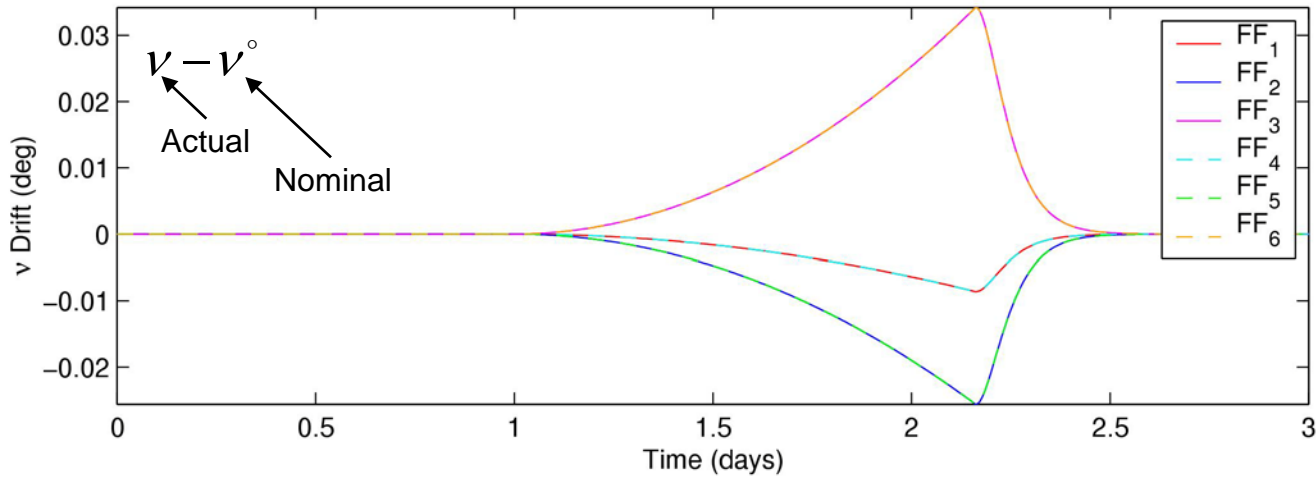


Radial Error wrt. Hub S/C



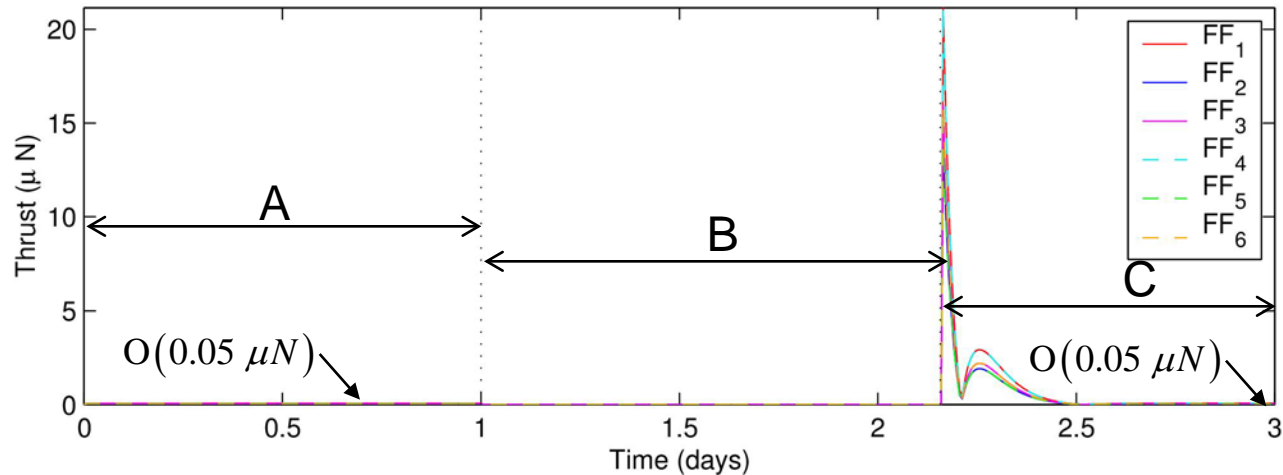
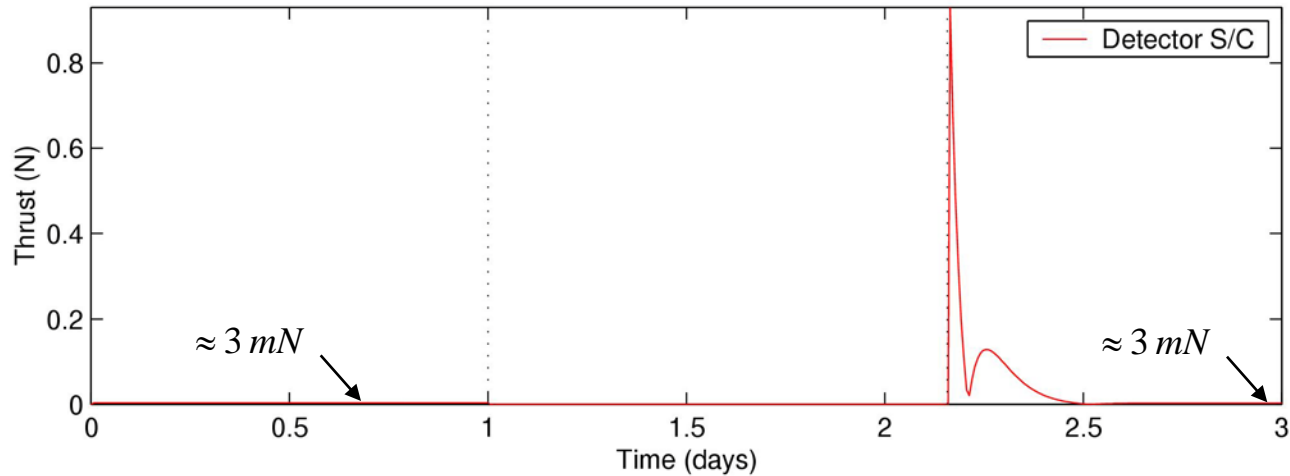
Free Flyers

UV-Plane Angular Drift (DEG)



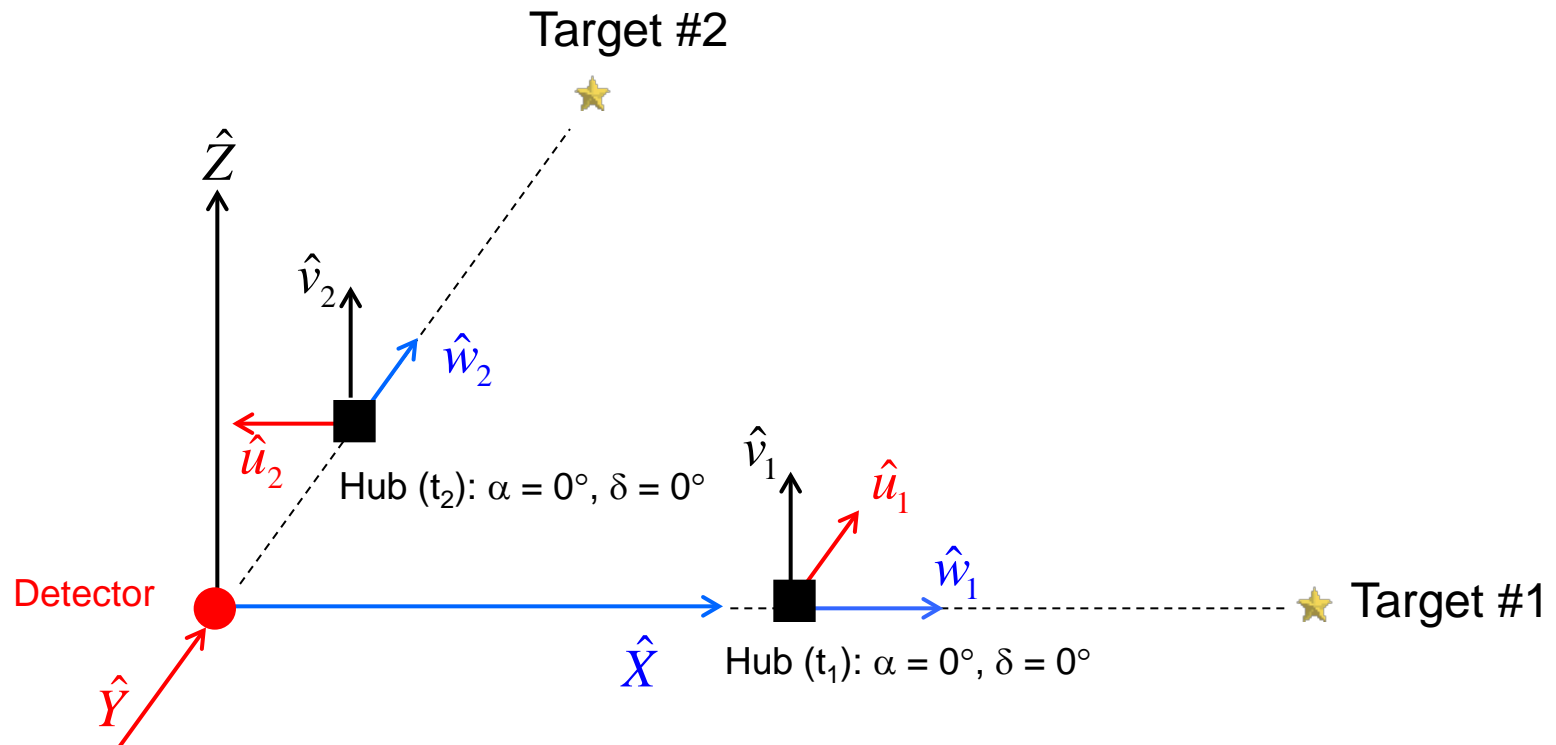
Thrust Profile

Thrusters Off Between $t_1 = 1$ day & $t_2 = t_1 + 100,000$ sec.

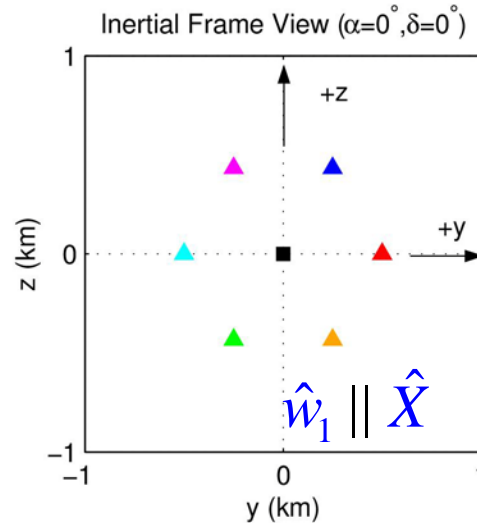
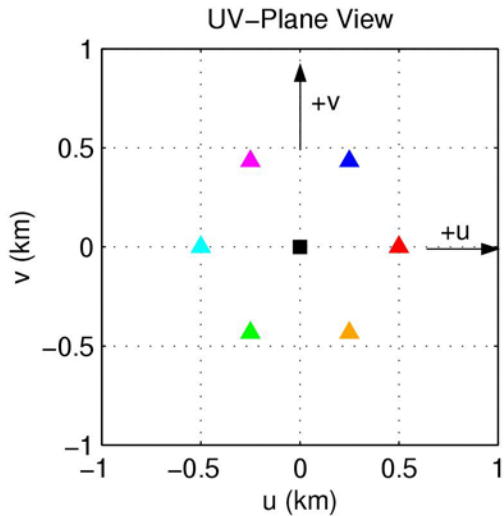


MAXIM: FORMATION RECONFIGURATION

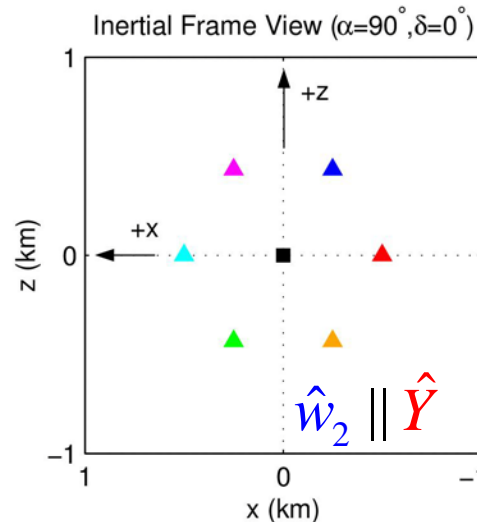
Target Reconfiguration



Graphical Representation of Reconfiguration for Free Flyers



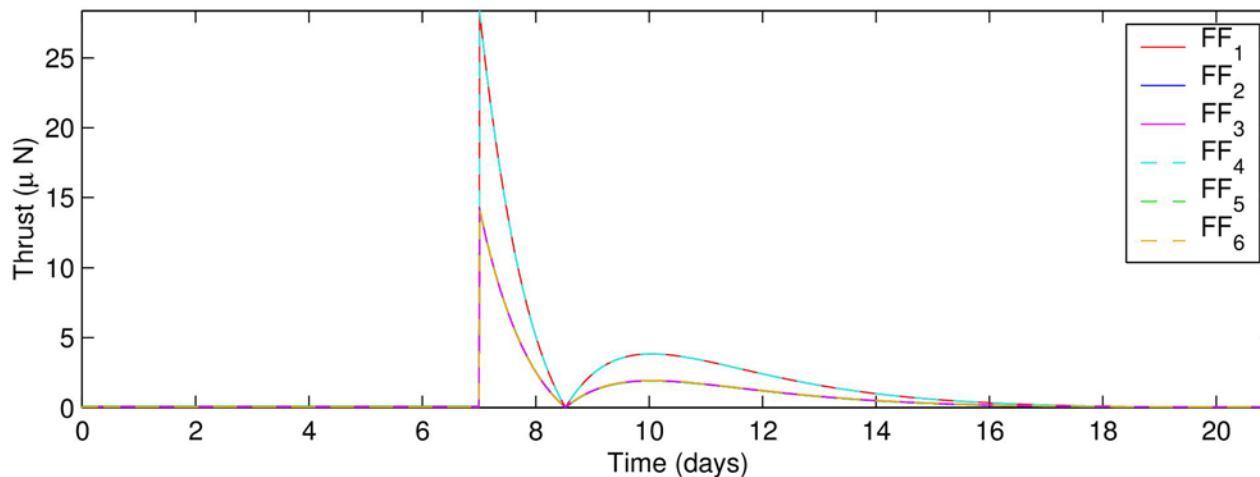
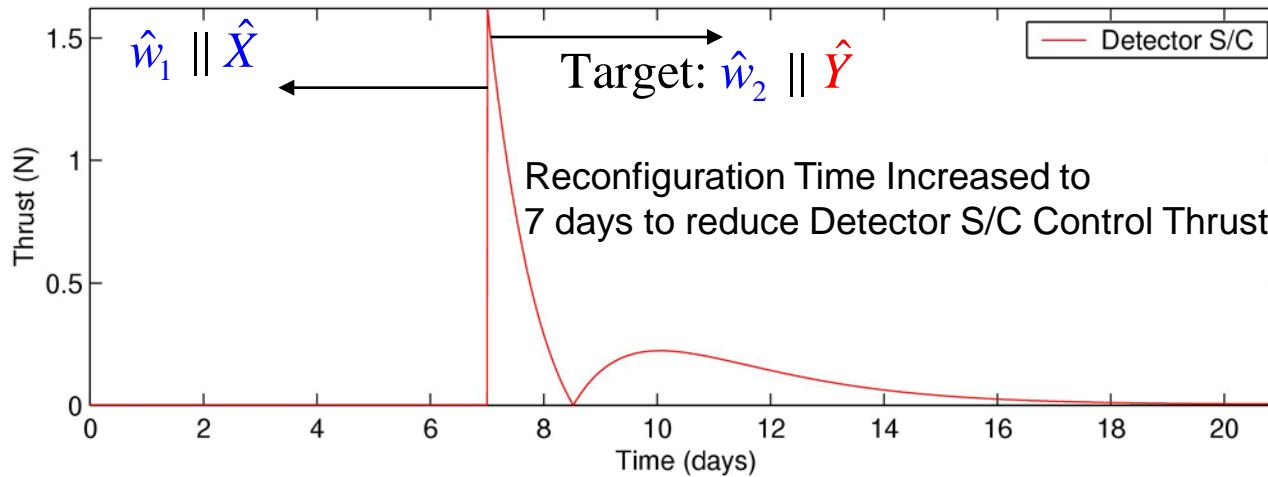
INITIAL ORIENTATION OF UV-PLANE



FINAL ORIENTATION OF UV-PLANE

Thrust to Reconfigure

From $\alpha = 0^\circ$ to $\alpha = 90^\circ$ with $\delta = 0^\circ$



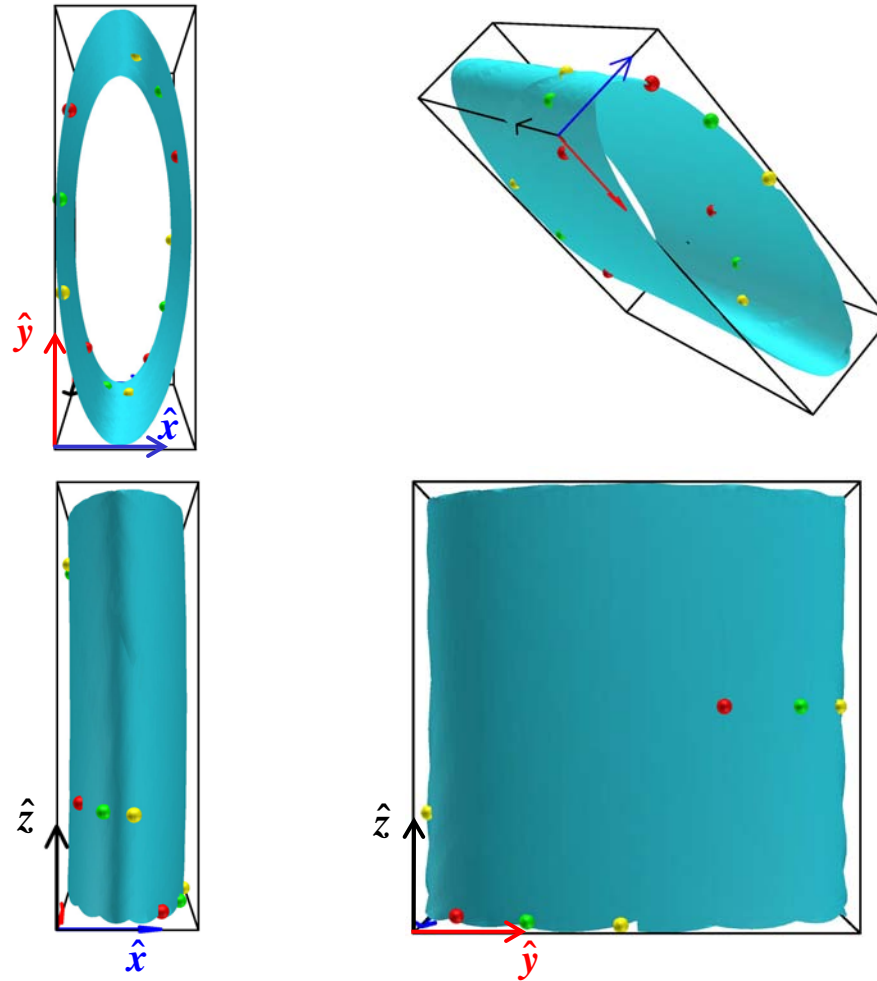
Mission Specifications

- Hold periscope positions to within 15- μm
 - Detector pointing accuracy – arcminutes
 - \angle Periscope-Detector-Target alignment – μas
 - Phase 1 \rightarrow 1 Target /week
 - Phase 2 \rightarrow 1 Target/ 3 weeks
- } Frequent Reconfigurations
- Hub \rightarrow inter. comm. port between detector & freeflyers
 - Reconfiguration (Formation Slewing) Times:
 - 1 Day for Phase 1
 - 1 Week for Phase 2

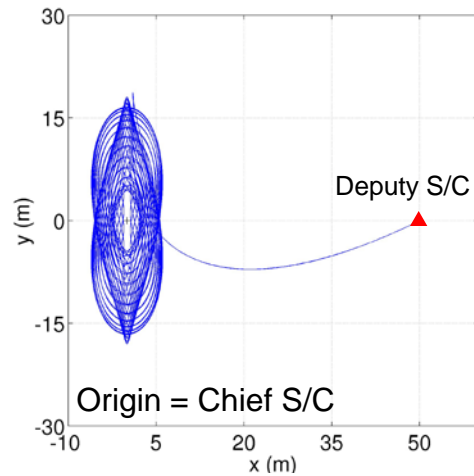
- **Propulsion**
 - Formation Slewing \rightarrow 0.02 N (Hydrazine)
 - Formation keeping \rightarrow 0.03 mN (PPTs)

NATURAL FORMATIONS

Natural Formations: String of Pearls

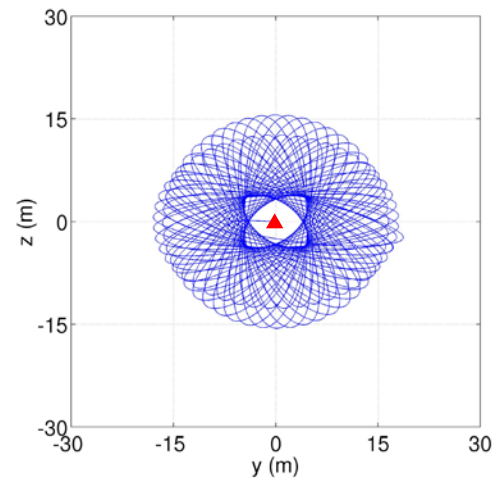
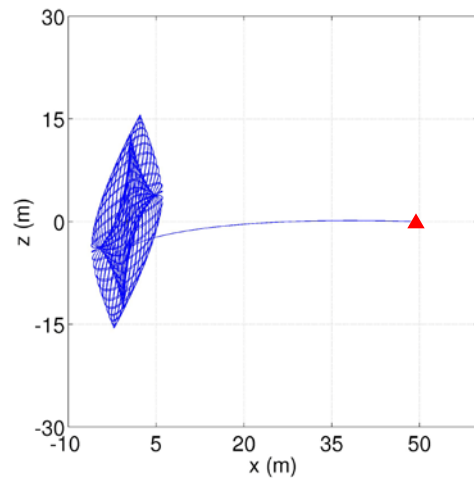


Deployment into Torus (Remove Modes 1, 5, and 6)

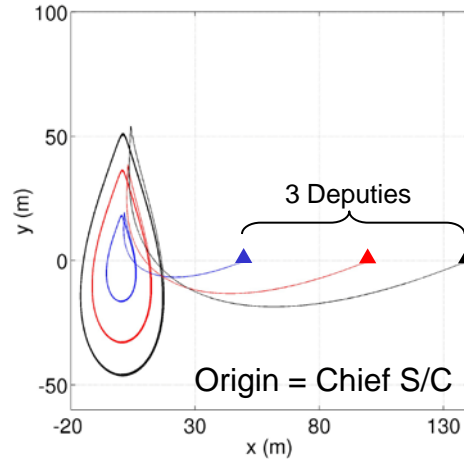


$$\bar{r}(0) = [5 \quad 00 \quad 0] \text{ m}$$

$$\dot{\bar{r}}(0) = [1 \quad -1 \quad 1] \text{ m/sec}$$

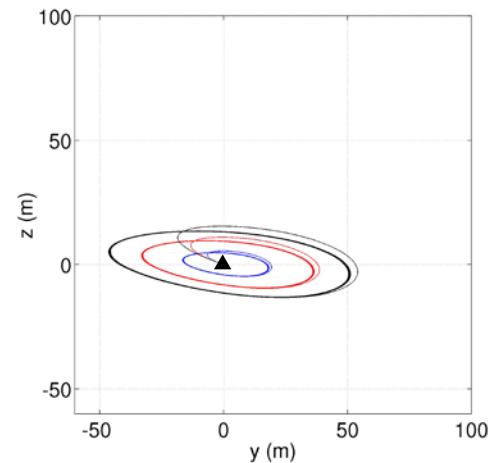
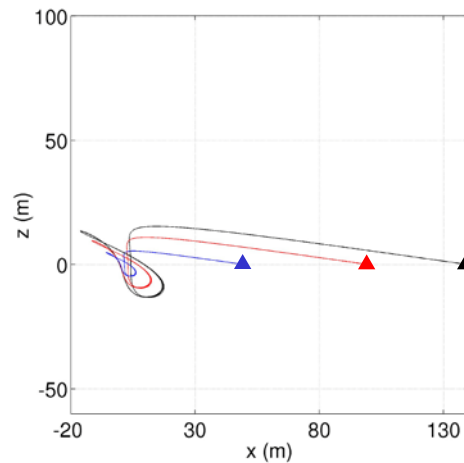


Deployment into Natural Orbits (Remove Modes 1, 3, and 4)



$$\bar{r}(0) = [r_0 \quad 0 \quad 0] \text{ m}$$

$$\dot{\bar{r}}(0) = [1 \quad -1 \quad 1] \text{ m/sec}$$

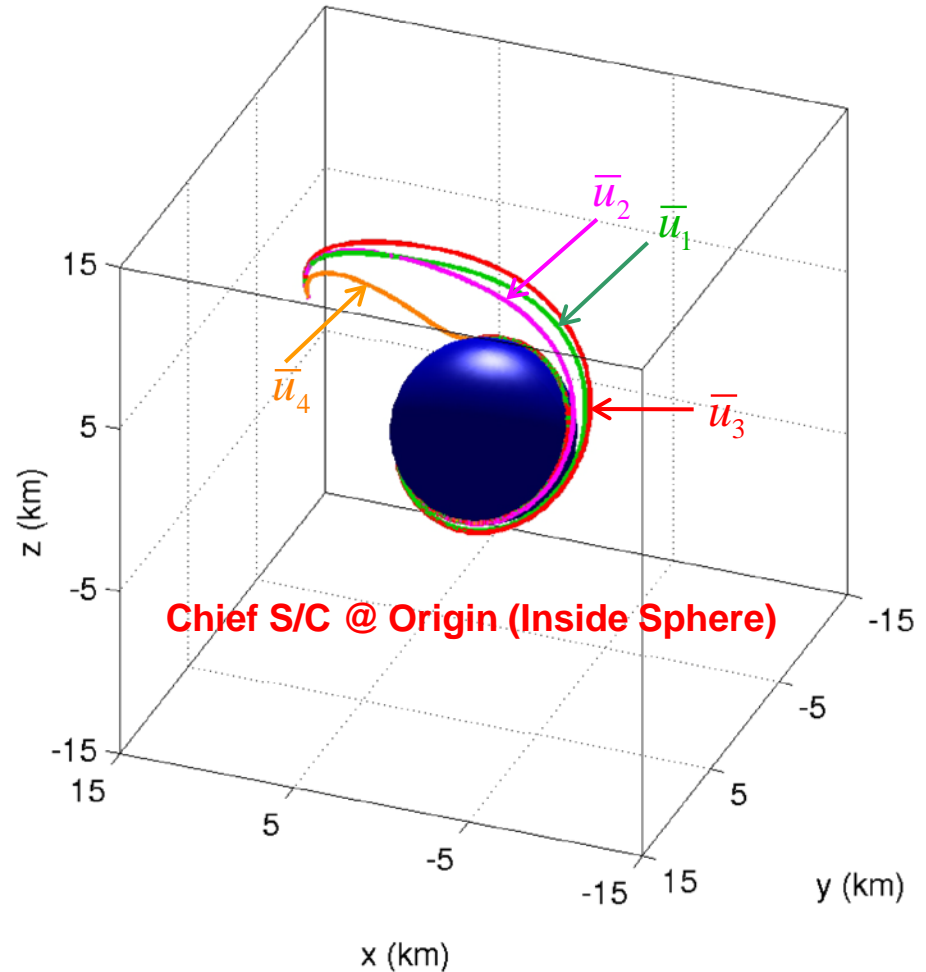


SPHERICAL FORMATIONS

OFL Controlled Response of Deputy S/C

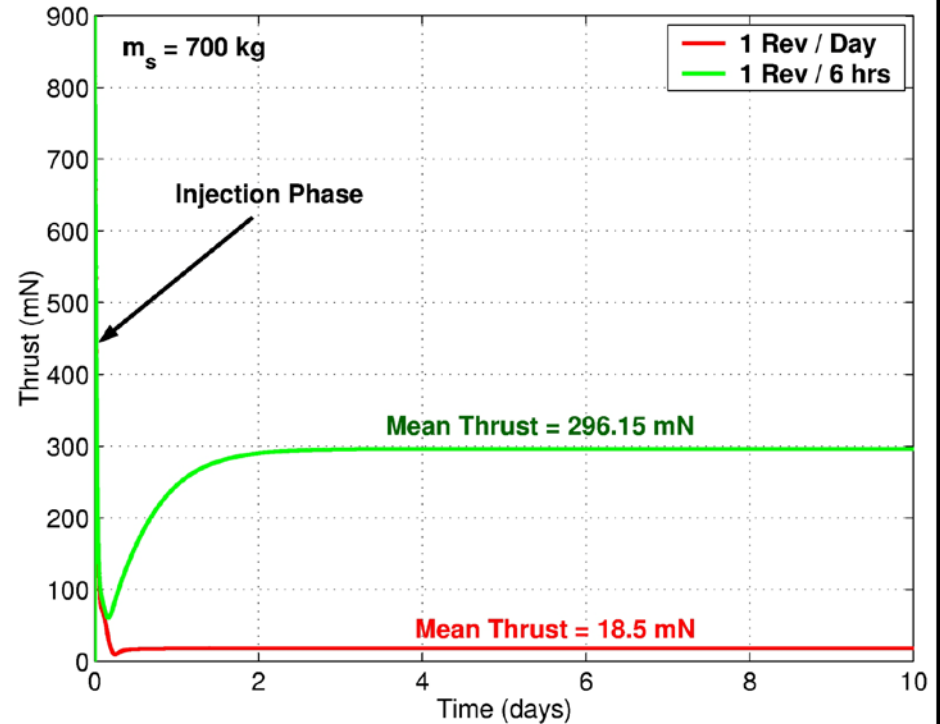
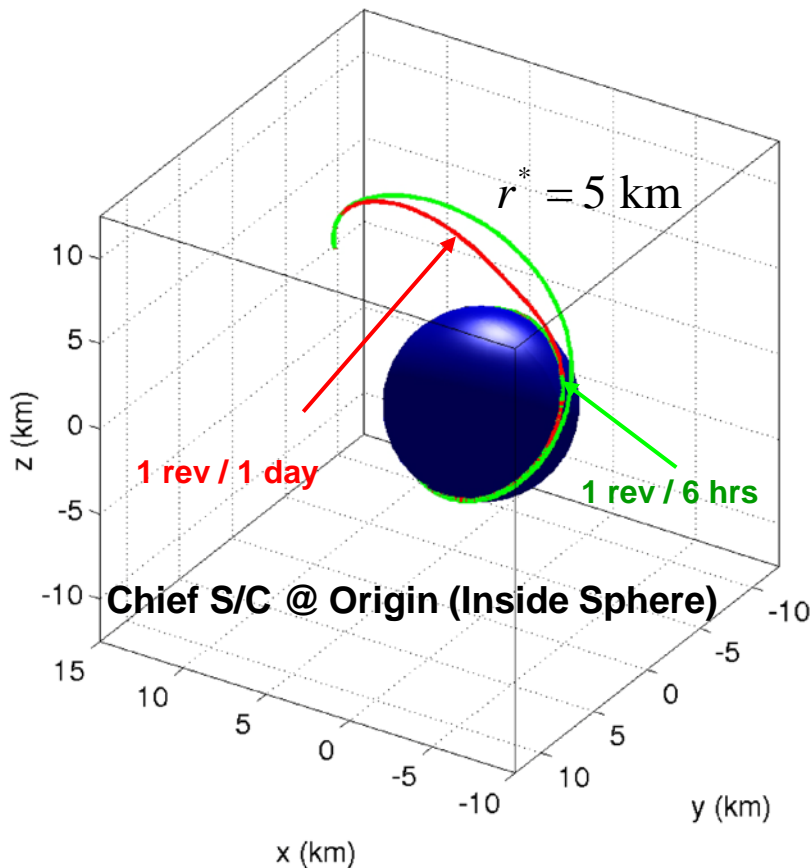
Radial Distance Tracking

Control Law	
1	$\bar{u}(t) = \frac{H(\bar{r}, \dot{\bar{r}})}{r} \hat{r}$ <p>Geometric Approach: Radial inputs only</p>
2	$\bar{u}(t) = \left\{ \frac{g(\bar{r}, \dot{\bar{r}})}{r} - \frac{\dot{\bar{r}}^T \dot{\bar{r}}}{r^2} \right\} \bar{r} + \left(\frac{\dot{r}}{r} \right) \dot{\bar{r}} - \Delta \bar{f}(\bar{r})$
3	$\bar{u}(t) = \left\{ \frac{1}{2} \frac{g(\bar{r}, \dot{\bar{r}})}{r^2} - \frac{\dot{\bar{r}}^T \dot{\bar{r}}}{r^2} \right\} \bar{r} - \Delta \bar{f}(\bar{r})$
4	$\bar{u}(t) = \left\{ -rg(\bar{r}, \dot{\bar{r}}) - \frac{\dot{\bar{r}}^T \dot{\bar{r}}}{r^2} \right\} \bar{r} + 3 \left(\frac{\dot{r}}{r} \right) \dot{\bar{r}} - \Delta \bar{f}(\bar{r})$

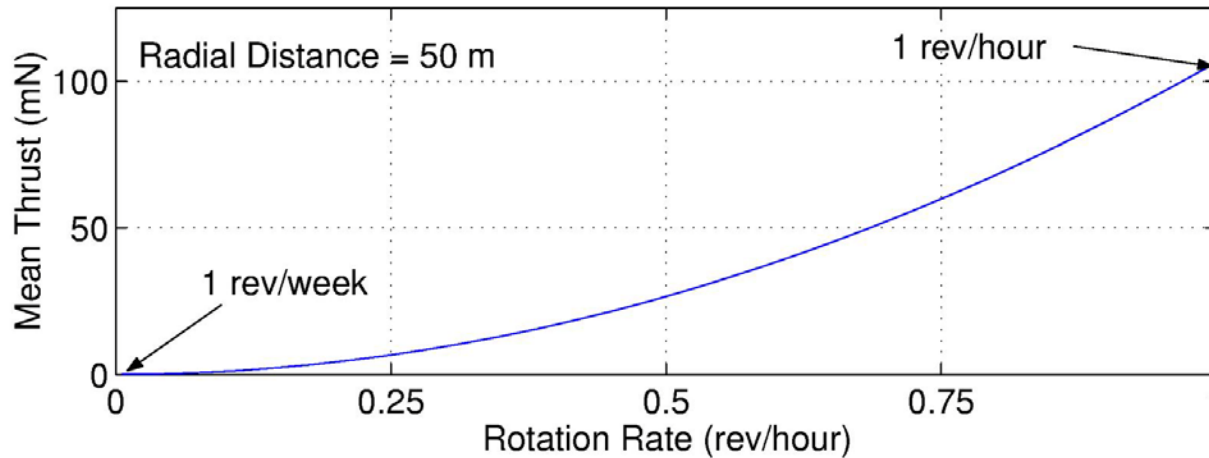


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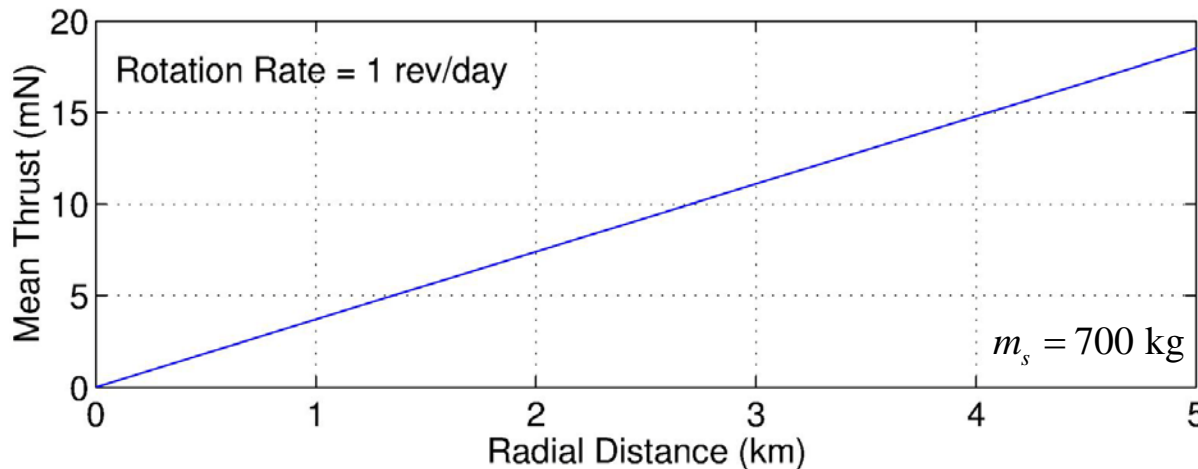
Radial Distance + Rotation Rate Tracking



Impact Commanded Rotation Rate on Cost

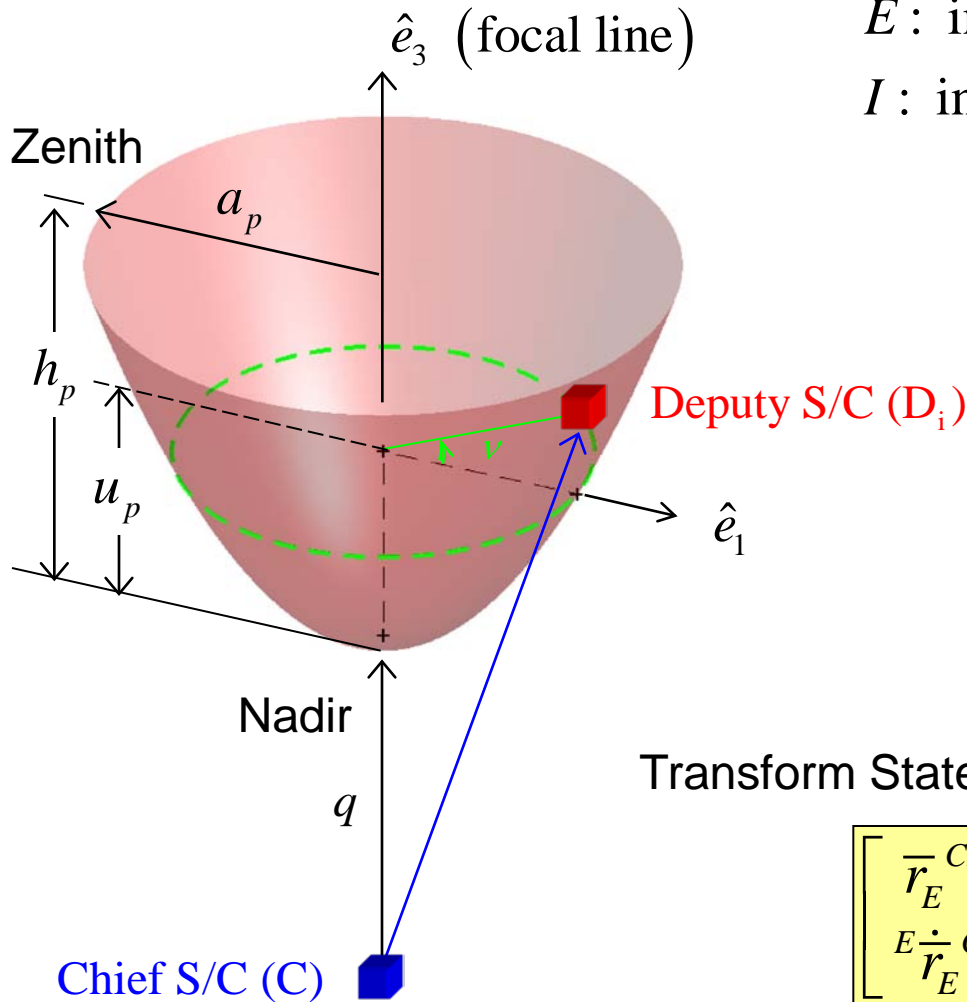


1 rev / 24 hrs → 0.19 mN
 1 rev / 12 hrs → 0.76 mN
 1 rev / 6 hrs → 6.40 mN
 1 rev / 1 hrs → 106.50 mN



ASPHERICAL FORMATIONS

Parameterization of Parabolic Formation



E : inertially fixed focal frame

I : inertially fixed ephemeris frame

$$\bar{r}_E^{CD_i} = \tilde{x}\hat{e}_1 + \tilde{y}\hat{e}_2 + \tilde{z}\hat{e}_3$$

$$\tilde{x} = a_p \sqrt{u_p / h_p} \cos \nu$$

$$\tilde{y} = a_p \sqrt{u_p / h_p} \sin \nu$$

$$\tilde{z} = u_p + q$$

Transform State from Focal to Ephemeris Frame

$$\begin{bmatrix} \bar{r}_E^{CD_i} \\ E \dot{\bar{r}}_E^{CD_i} \end{bmatrix} = \left\{ {}^I C^E \right\}^T \begin{bmatrix} \bar{r}_I^{CD_i} \\ I \dot{\bar{r}}_I^{CD_i} \end{bmatrix}$$

Controller Development

Desired Response for u , q , and \dot{v} :

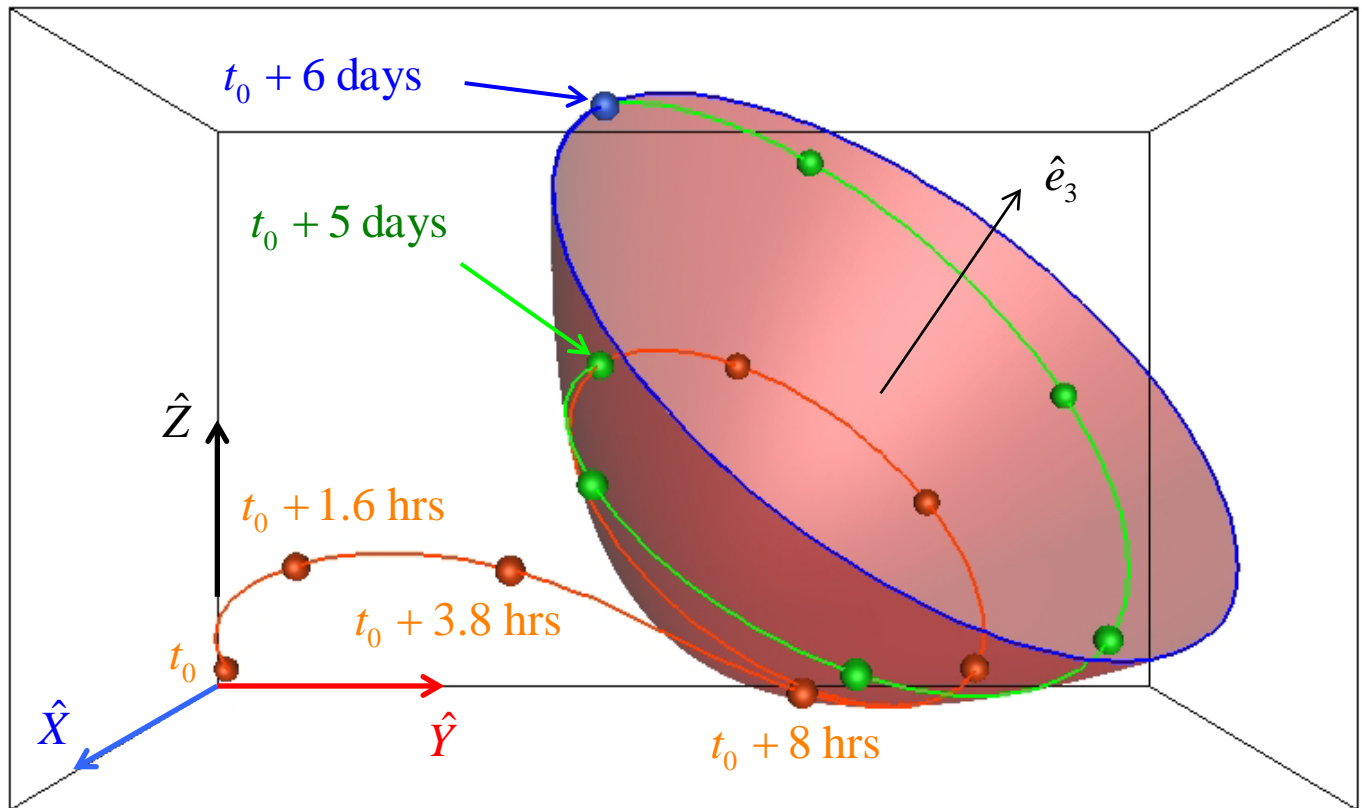
$$\left. \begin{aligned} g_u(u_p, \dot{u}_p) &= \ddot{u}_p^* - 2\omega_n(\dot{u}_p - \dot{u}_p^*) - \omega_n^2(u_p - u_p^*) \\ g_q(u_p, \dot{u}_p) &= \ddot{q}^* - 2\omega_n(\dot{q} - \dot{q}^*) - \omega_n^2(q - q^*) \end{aligned} \right\} \delta u, \delta q \rightarrow \text{critically damped}$$

$$g_v(\dot{v}) = \dot{v}^* - k\omega_n(\dot{v} - \dot{v}^*) \quad \left. \right\} \delta \theta \rightarrow \text{exponential decay}$$

Solve for Control Law:

$$\begin{bmatrix} \frac{2h}{a^2} \tilde{x} & \frac{2h}{a^2} \tilde{y} & 0 \\ -\frac{2h}{a^2} \tilde{x} & -\frac{2h}{a^2} \tilde{y} & 1 \\ \frac{\tilde{x}}{(\tilde{x}^2 + \tilde{y}^2)} & -\frac{\tilde{y}}{(\tilde{x}^2 + \tilde{y}^2)} & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \tilde{u}_x \\ \tilde{u}_y \\ \tilde{u}_z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} g_u(u, \dot{u}) - \frac{2h}{a^2}(\dot{\tilde{x}}^2 + \dot{\tilde{y}}^2 + \tilde{x}\Delta\tilde{f}_x + \tilde{y}\Delta\tilde{f}_y) \\ g_q(q, \dot{q}) + \frac{2h}{a^2}(\dot{\tilde{x}}^2 + \dot{\tilde{y}}^2 + \tilde{x}\Delta\tilde{f}_x + \tilde{y}\Delta\tilde{f}_y) - \Delta\tilde{f}_z \\ g_v(\dot{v}) + 2\frac{(\tilde{x}\dot{\tilde{x}} + \tilde{y}\dot{\tilde{y}})(\tilde{x}\dot{\tilde{y}} - \tilde{y}\dot{\tilde{x}})}{(\tilde{x}^2 + \tilde{y}^2)^2} + \frac{(\tilde{y}\Delta\tilde{f}_x - \tilde{x}\Delta\tilde{f}_y)}{(\tilde{x}^2 + \tilde{y}^2)} \end{bmatrix}$$

OFL Controlled Parabolic Formation



$q = 10 \text{ km}$

$\dot{\nu} = 1 \text{ rev/day}$

$h_p = 500 \text{ m}$

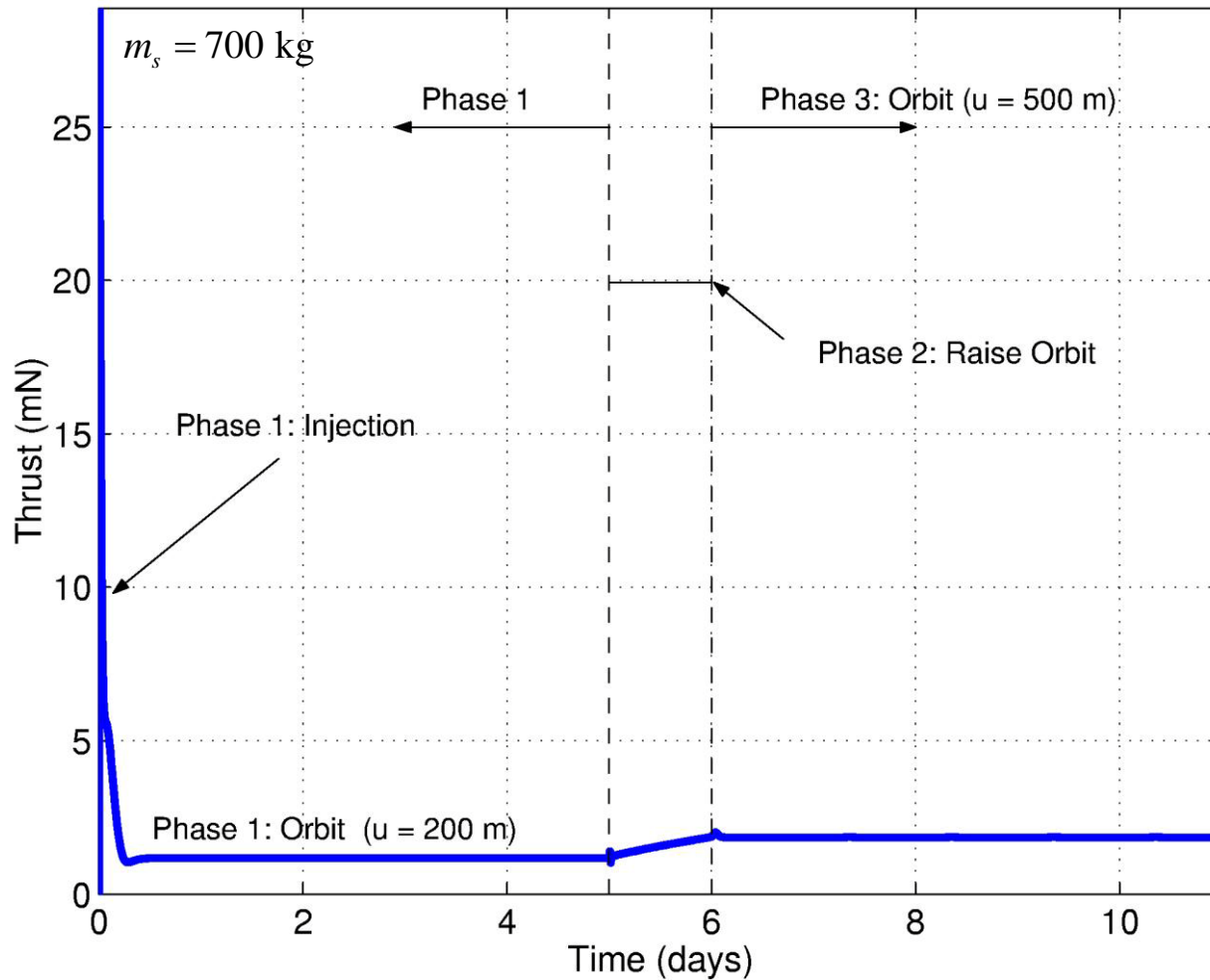
$a_p = 500 \text{ m}$

Phase I: $u_p = 200 \text{ m}$

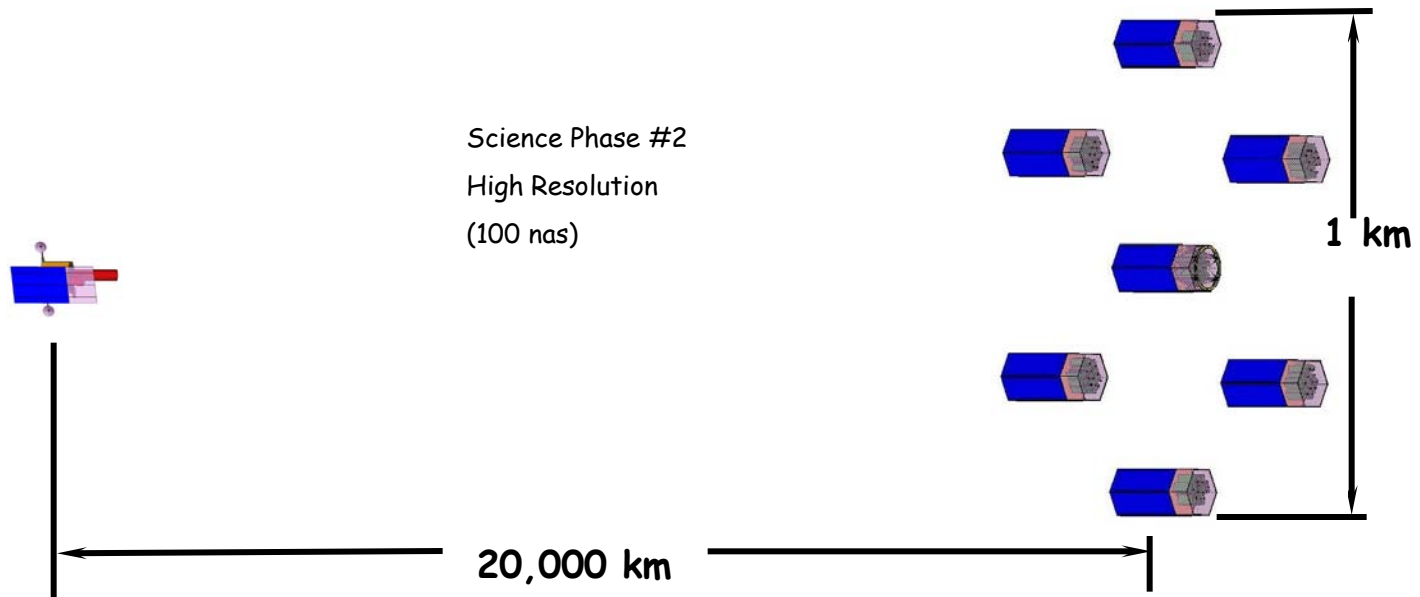
Phase II: $\dot{u}_p = 300 \text{ m/1 day}$

Phase III: $u_p = 500 \text{ m}$

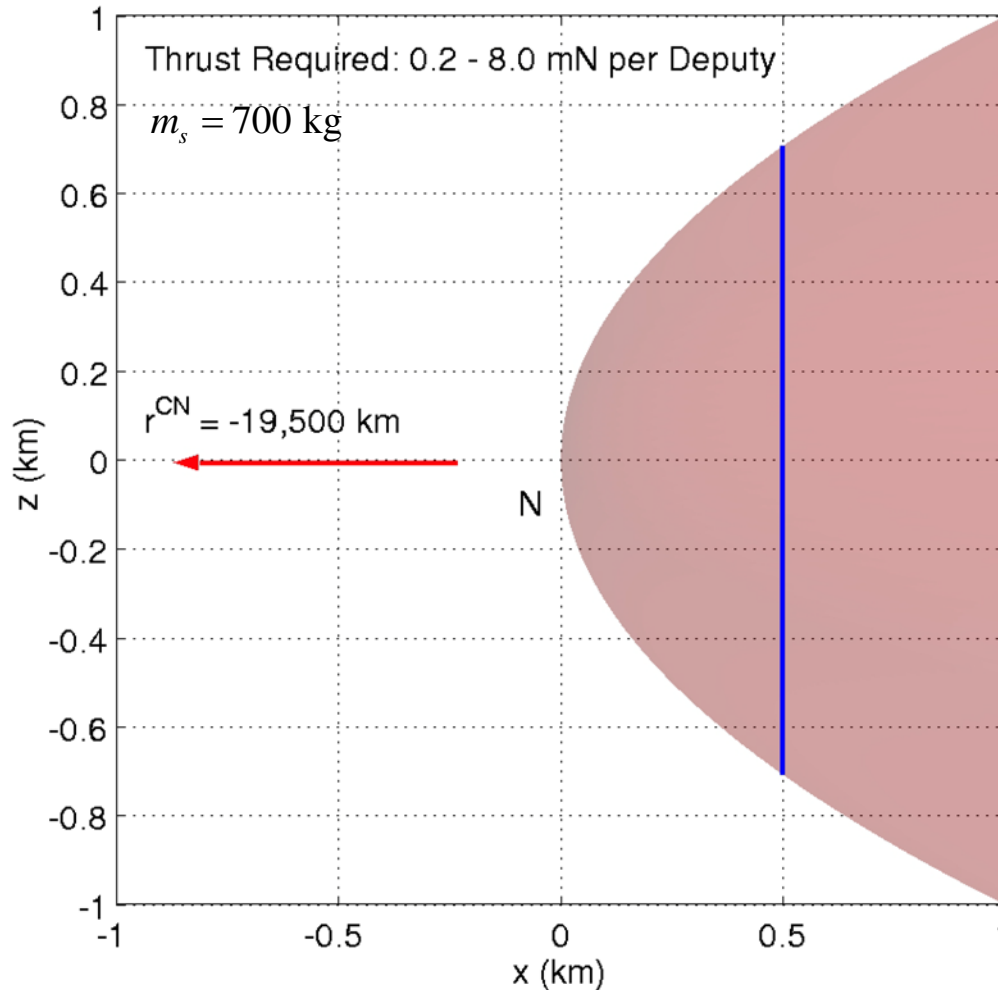
OFL Thrust Profile



New Maxim Pathfinder



Maxim Configuration Example



$$q = 19,500 \text{ km}$$

$$\dot{\nu} = 1 \text{ rev/day}$$

$$u_p = 500 \text{ m}$$

$$h_p = 1 \text{ km}$$

$$a_p = 1 \text{ km}$$

NONLINEAR OPTIMAL CONTROL

Formulation

$$\min J = \phi(\bar{x}_N) + \sum_{i=0}^{N-1} L(t_i, \bar{x}_i, \bar{u}_i) = \phi(\bar{x}_N) + \sum_{i=0}^{N-1} \int_{t_i}^{t_{i+1}} \tilde{L}(t, \bar{x}, \bar{u}) dt$$

Subject to:

$$\bar{x}_{i+1} = \bar{F}(t_i, \bar{x}_i, \bar{u}_i); \quad \text{Subject to } \bar{x}(0) = \bar{x}_0$$

Equivalent Representation as Augmented Nonlinear System:

$$\min \tilde{J} = \phi(\bar{x}_N) + x_{n+1}(t_N) = \tilde{\phi}(\tilde{x}_N)$$

$$\tilde{x}_{i+1} = \begin{bmatrix} \bar{x}_{i+1} \\ x_{n+1}(t_{i+1}) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \bar{F}(t_i, \bar{x}_i, \bar{u}_i) \\ x_{n+1}(t_i) + L(t_i, \bar{x}_i, \bar{u}_i) \end{bmatrix} = \tilde{F}(t_i, \tilde{x}_i, \bar{u}_i);$$

$$\text{Subject to } \tilde{x}_0 = \begin{bmatrix} \bar{x}_0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Euler-Lagrange Optimality Conditions (Based on Calculus of Variations)

$$H_i = \tilde{\lambda}_{i+1}^T \tilde{F}(t_i, \bar{x}_i, \bar{u}_i)$$

$$\text{Condition \#1: } \tilde{\lambda}_i^T = \frac{\partial H_i}{\partial \tilde{x}_i} = \tilde{\lambda}_{i+1}^T \frac{\partial \tilde{F}_i}{\partial \tilde{x}_i} \rightarrow \tilde{\lambda}_N^T = \left[\frac{\partial \phi(\bar{x}_N)}{\partial \bar{x}_N} \quad 1 \right]$$

$$\text{Condition \#2: } \bar{0} = \frac{\partial H_i}{\partial \bar{u}_i} = \tilde{\lambda}_{i+1}^T \frac{\partial \tilde{F}_i}{\partial \bar{u}_i}; \quad i = 0, \dots, N-1$$

Identify $\frac{\partial \tilde{F}_i}{\partial \tilde{x}_i}$ and $\frac{\partial \tilde{F}_i}{\partial \bar{u}_i}$ from augmented linear system.

Identification of Gradients From the Linearized Model

Augmented Nonlinear System:

$$\begin{bmatrix} \dot{\bar{x}} \\ \dot{x}_{n+1} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \bar{f}(t, \bar{x}, \bar{u}) \\ \tilde{L}(t, \bar{x}, \bar{u}) \end{bmatrix}; \quad \begin{bmatrix} \bar{x}(0) \\ x_{n+1}(0) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \bar{x}_0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Augmented Linear System:

$$\delta \dot{\tilde{x}}(t) = \tilde{A}(t) \delta \tilde{x}(t) + \tilde{B}(t) \delta \bar{u}(t)$$

$$\tilde{A}(t) = \begin{bmatrix} A(t) & \bar{0} \\ \frac{\partial \tilde{L}}{\partial \bar{x}} & \bar{0} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\tilde{B}(t) = \begin{bmatrix} 0_3 \\ I_3 \\ \bar{0}^T \end{bmatrix}$$

Solution to Linearized Equations

$$\delta \tilde{x}(t) = \tilde{\Phi}(t, t_0) \delta \tilde{x}_0 + \int_{t_0}^t \Phi(t, \tau) B(\tau) \delta \bar{u}(\tau) d\tau$$

$$\tilde{\Phi}(t, t_0) = \tilde{A}(t) \tilde{\Phi}(t, t_0); \quad \tilde{\Phi}(t_0, t_0) = I_7$$

Relation to Gradients in E-L Optimality Conditions:

$$\delta \tilde{x}_{i+1} = \underbrace{\tilde{\Phi}(t_{i+1}, t_i)}_{\frac{\partial \tilde{F}}{\partial \tilde{x}_i}} \delta \tilde{x}_i + \int_{t_i}^{t_{i+1}} \Phi(t_{i+1}, \tau) B(\tau) \delta \bar{u}(\tau) d\tau$$

Control Gradient for Impulsive Control

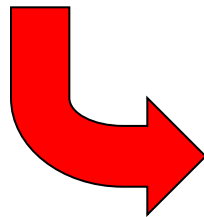
$$\begin{aligned}
 \delta \tilde{x}_{i+1}^- &= \tilde{\Phi}(t_{i+1}, t_i) \delta \tilde{x}_i^+ \\
 &= \tilde{\Phi}(t_{i+1}, t_i) (\delta \tilde{x}_i^- + \tilde{B} \Delta \bar{V}_i) \\
 &= \tilde{\Phi}(t_{i+1}, t_i) \delta \tilde{x}_i^- + \underbrace{\tilde{\Phi}(t_{i+1}, t_i) \tilde{B} \Delta \bar{V}_i}_{\frac{\partial \tilde{F}}{\partial \bar{u}_i}}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{\partial \tilde{F}}{\partial \bar{u}_i} = \Phi(t_{i+1}, t_i) \tilde{B}$$

Control Gradient for Constant Thrust Arcs

$$\delta \tilde{x}_{i+1} = \tilde{\Phi}(t_{i+1}, t_i) \delta \tilde{x}_i + \underbrace{\left[\int_{t_i}^{t_{i+1}} \Phi(t_{i+1}, \tau) B(\tau) d\tau \right]}_{\frac{\partial \tilde{F}}{\partial \bar{u}_i}} \delta \bar{u}_i$$

$$\frac{\partial \tilde{F}}{\partial \bar{u}_i} = \Phi(t_{i+1}, t_i) \left[\int_{t_i}^{t_{i+1}} \Phi(\tau, t_i)^{-1} B(\tau) d\tau \right]$$



Equations to Integrate Numerically

$$\begin{bmatrix} \dot{\bar{x}} \\ \dot{x}_{n+1} \\ \dot{\tilde{\Phi}}(t, t_i) \\ \dot{\tilde{\Phi}}^*(t, t_i) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \bar{f}(t, \bar{x}, \bar{u}) \\ L(t, \bar{x}, \bar{u}) \\ \tilde{A}(t) \tilde{\Phi}(t, t_i) \\ \tilde{\Phi}(t, t_i)^{-1} \tilde{B} \end{bmatrix}$$

Numerical Solution Process: Global Approach

- (1) **Input \tilde{x}_0, t_N , and initial guess for \bar{u}_i ; ($i = 0, 1, \dots, N - 1$)**
- (2) 1-Scalar Equation to Optimize in $3(N - 1)$ Control Variables

Use optimizer to identify optimal \bar{u}_i given $\frac{\partial H_i}{\partial \bar{u}_i}$.

During each iteration of the optimizer, the following steps are followed:

(a) Sequence \bar{x}_i forward and store; $i = 1, \dots, N - 1$

(b) Evaluate cost functional, $J = \tilde{\phi}(\tilde{x}_N)$

(c) Evaluate $\tilde{\lambda}_N^T = \frac{\partial \tilde{\phi}(\tilde{x}_N)}{\partial \tilde{x}_N} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial \phi_N}{\partial \bar{x}_N} & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

(d) Sequence $\tilde{\lambda}_i$ backward and compute $\frac{\partial H_i}{\partial \bar{u}_i}$; $i = N - 1, \dots, 1$

(e) J and $\frac{\partial H_i}{\partial \bar{u}_i}$ used in next update of control input.

Formulation

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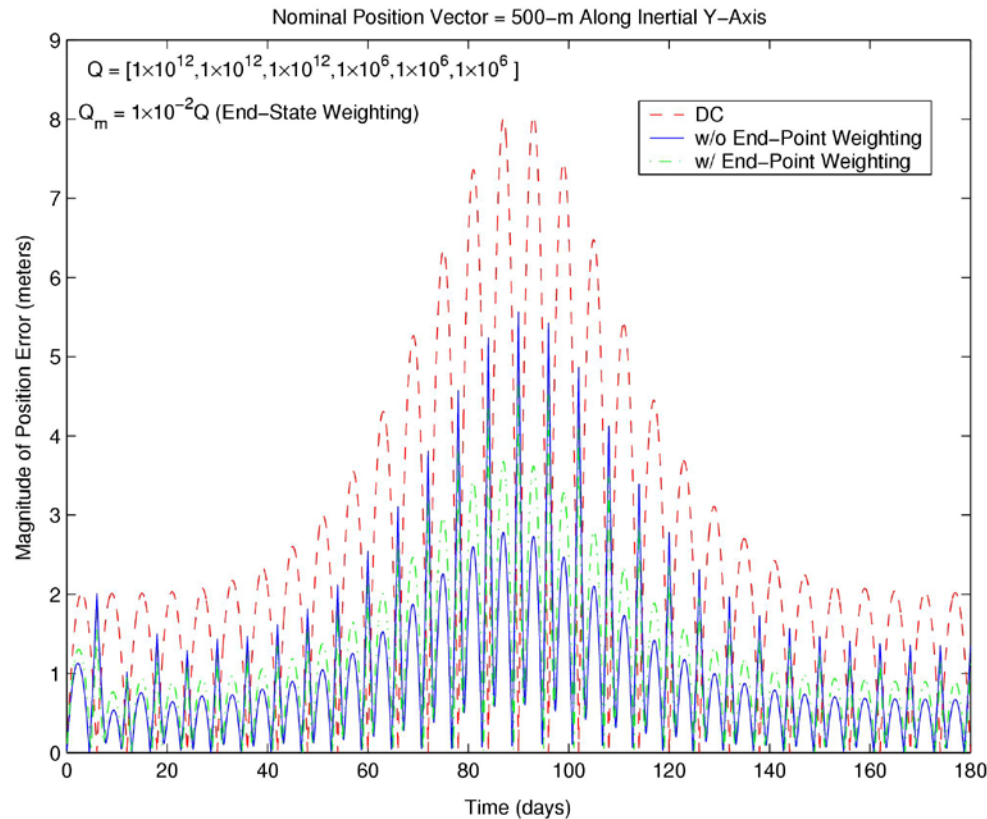
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$$\text{Subject to } \tilde{x}_0 = \begin{bmatrix} \bar{x}_0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

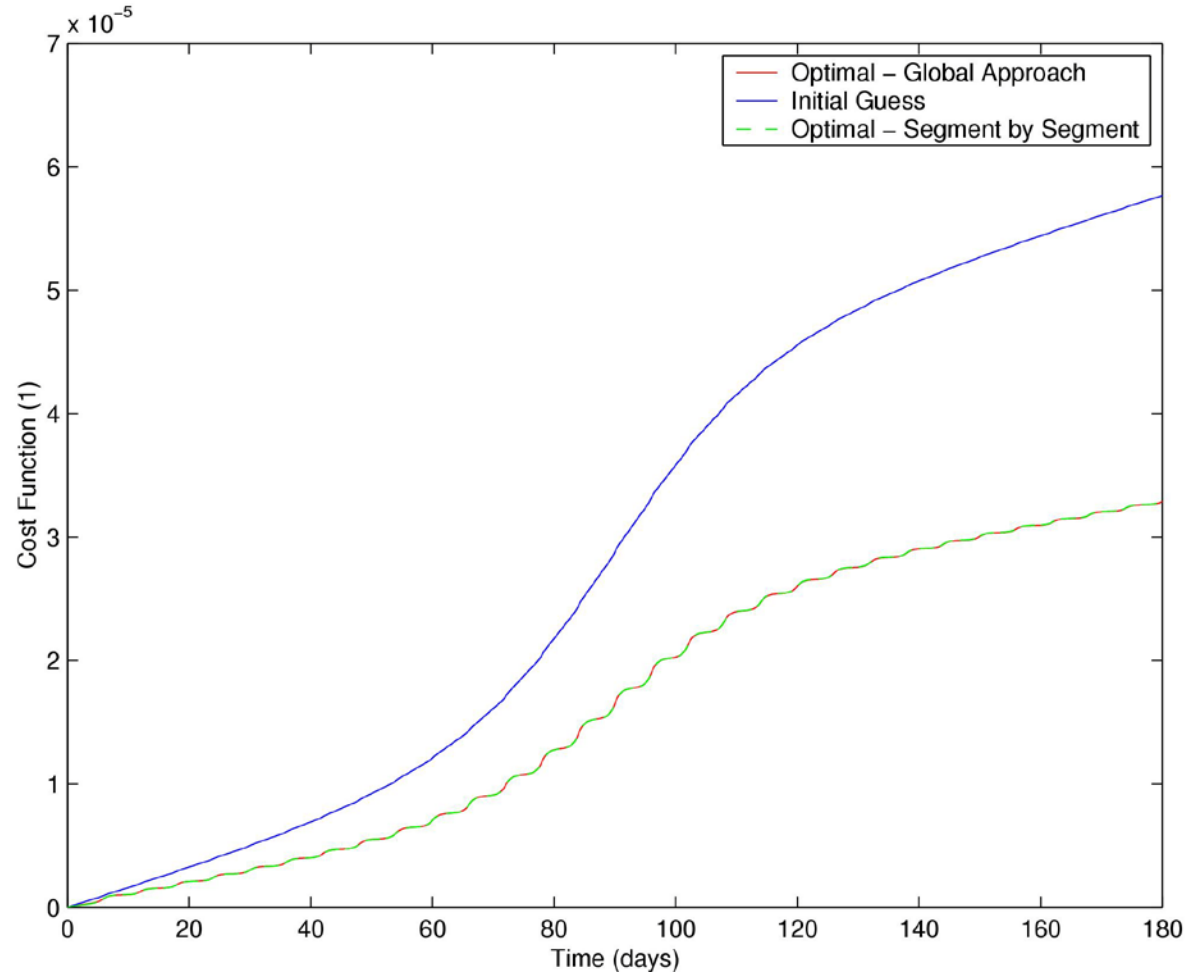
Impulsive Optimal Control

Minimize State Error with End-State Weighting

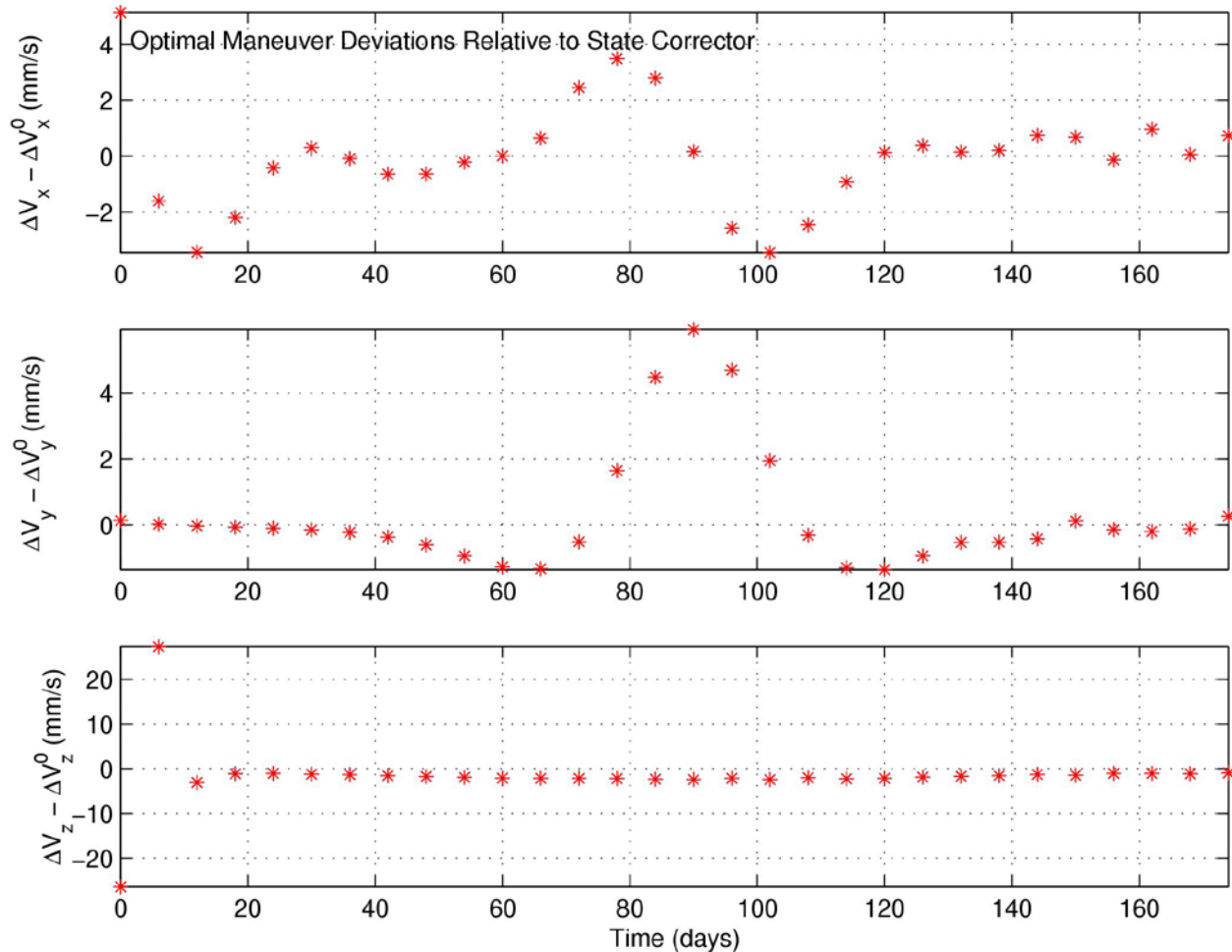
$$\min J = \frac{1}{2} (\bar{x}_N - \bar{x}_N^\circ)^T W (\bar{x}_N - \bar{x}_N^\circ) + \sum_{i=0}^{N-1} \int_{t_i}^{t_{i+1}} \frac{1}{2} (\bar{x} - \bar{x}^\circ)^T Q (\bar{x} - \bar{x}^\circ) d$$



State Corrector vs. Nonlinear Optimal Control: Cost Function

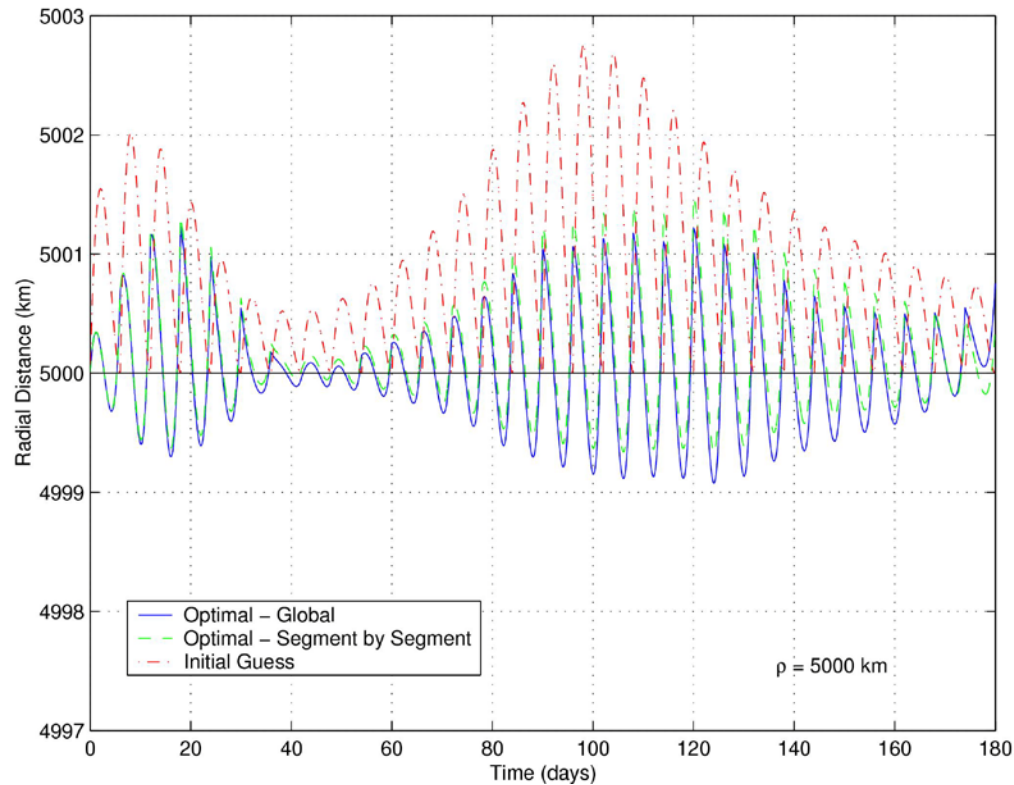


State Corrector vs. Nonlinear Optimal Control: Impulsive Maneuver Differences

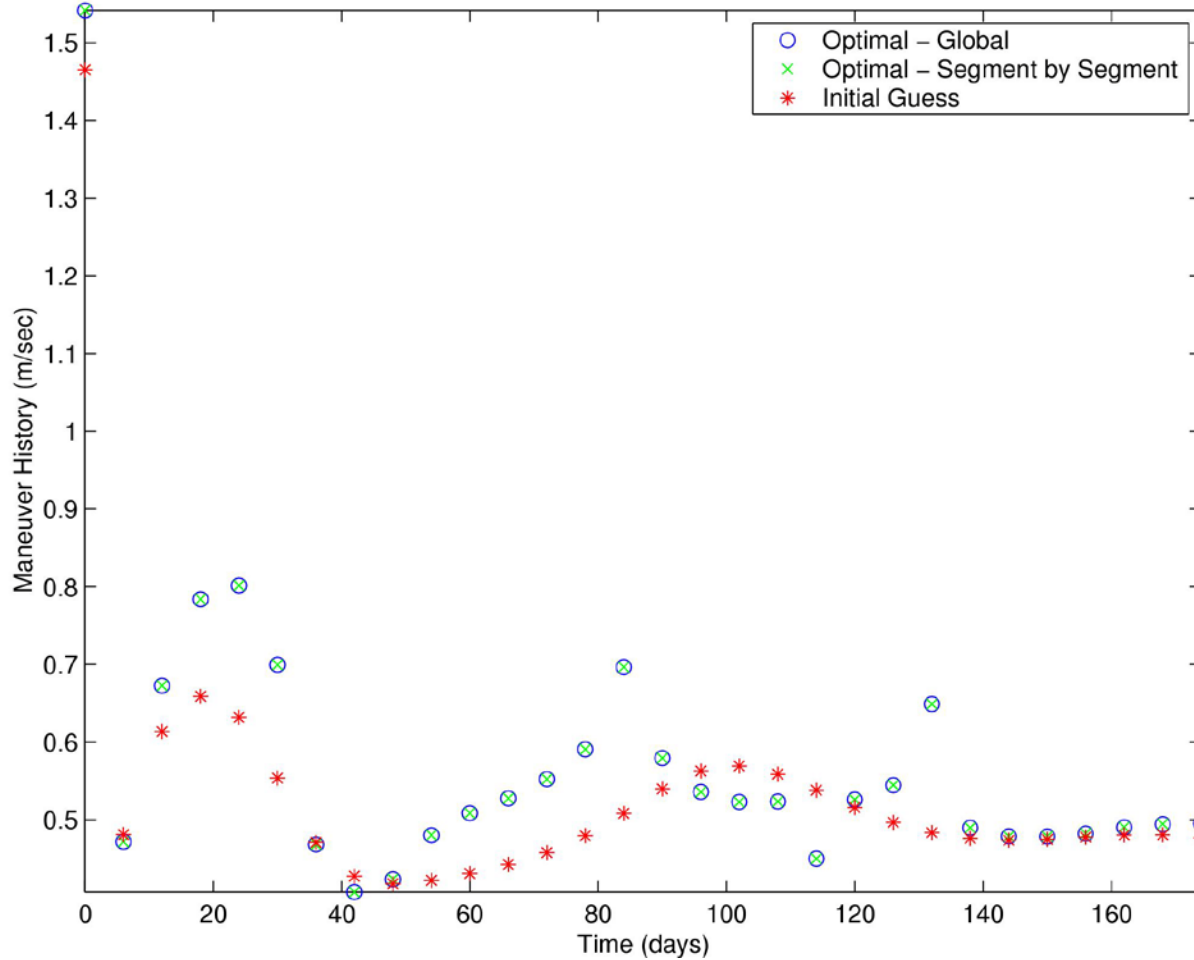


Impulsive Radial Optimal Control

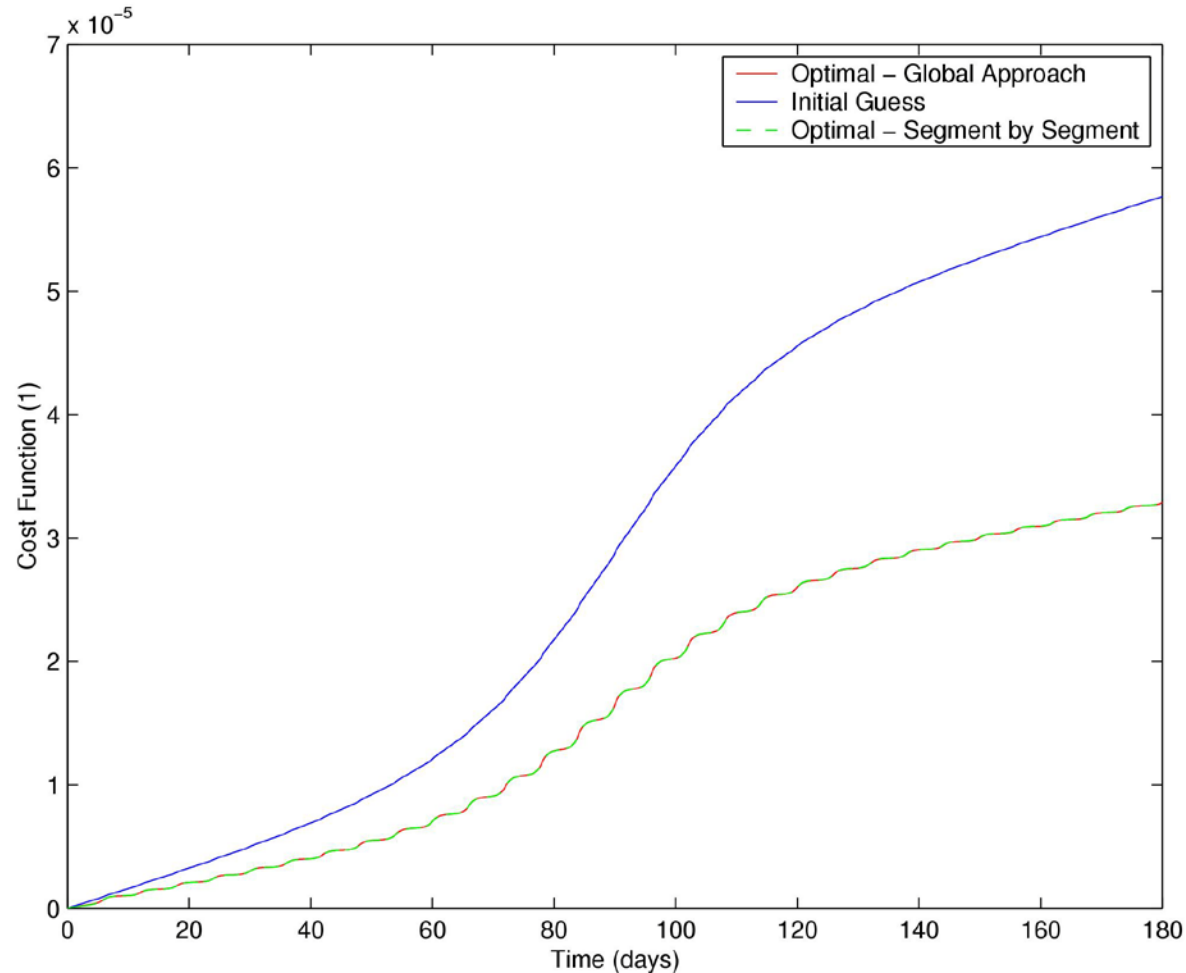
$$\min J = \sum_{i=0}^{N-1} \int_{t_i}^{t_{i+1}} \frac{1}{2} q (r - r^\circ)^2 dt$$



Radial Optimal Control: Maneuver History

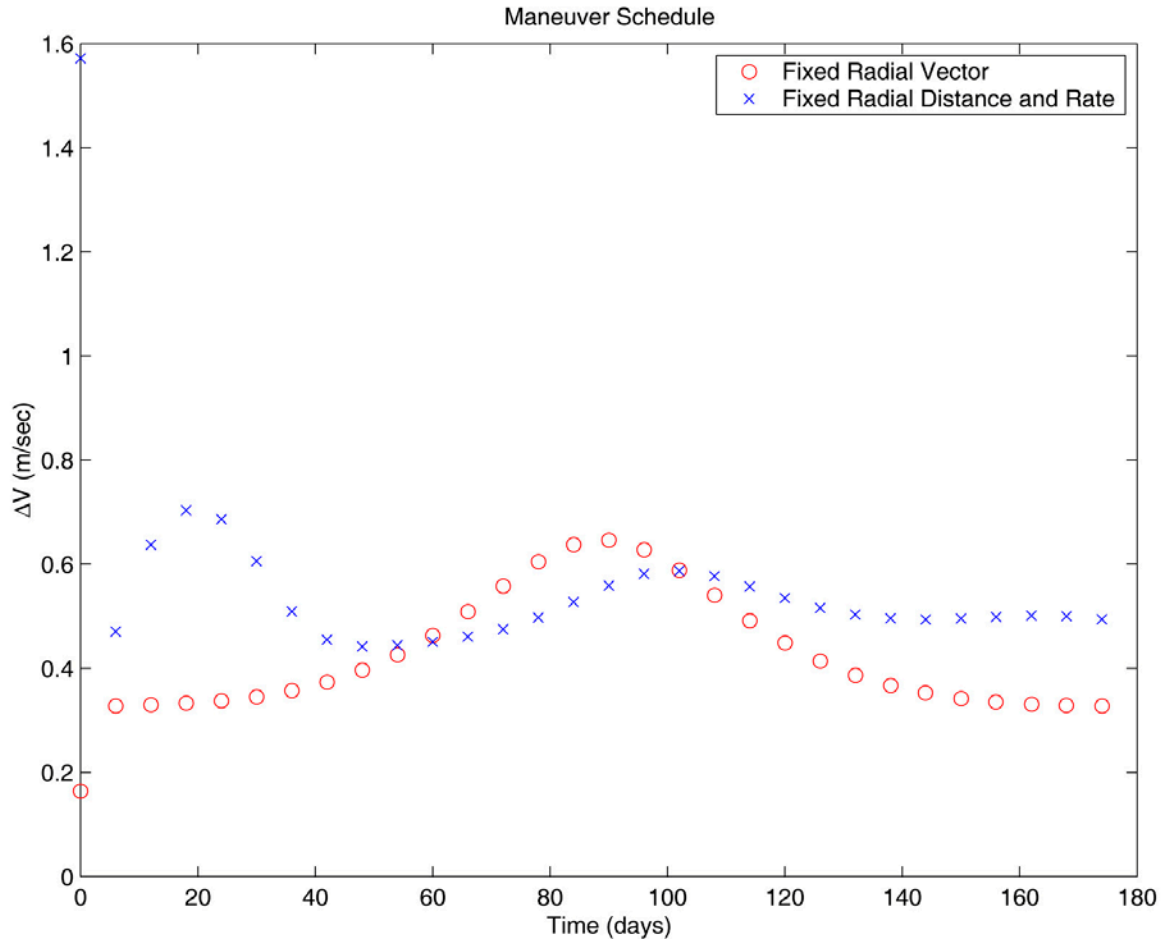


State Corrector vs. Nonlinear Optimal Control: Cost Function



RANGE + RANGE RATE TARGETER

Comparison of Range and State Targeters



Range Targeter: Spatial Behavior of Corrected Solution

