

Dynamics Identification and Amplitude Control of a Wireless Side-Mounted Ultrasonic Tool Holder System under Minimum Impedance Resonance Frequency Tracking

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Abstract—Ultrasonic tool holders have been widely used in machining hard and brittle materials, but how to control the tool tip oscillation amplitude at the resonance frequency to guarantee the machining accuracy is very important. In this study, a system identification and control of a wireless ultrasonic tool holder was developed. The parameters and size of the piezoelectric ceramics was optimized to ensure that the vibration mode of the tool holder could match the desired resonance frequency. Feedback current of the actuator is used to track the resonance frequency under minimum impedance. A theoretical methodology was applied to obtain the transfer function, and an optimal time domain system identification with bilinear transformation was used to more precisely describe the real tool holder system at the resonance frequency. In order to control the oscillation amplitude of tool tip, an optimal controller with Harris hawks optimizer was used to implement control scheme. From the experimental results, it seen that the amplitude of tool tip can be controlled to desired value within 1 second to fit the requirement in industry.

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