

Human-robot collaborative carrying using visual and force sensing

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Abstract

Physical interaction of human and robot (pHRI) in shared environments and joint tasks poses many challenges. Collaborative carrying tasks, which rely on complementary advantages of human and robot, cannot be accomplished individually by a single human or robot. In this talk, we will introduce a hybrid framework using visual and force sensing for human-robot co-carrying tasks. Further, an adaptive neural network impedance-based control strategy will be presented. Motion synchronization can be achieved, and this approach yields a stable and efficient interaction behavior between human and robot, decreases human control effort and avoids interference to human during the interaction. Finally, co-carrying tasks in simulations and experiments will be illustrated to verify our proposed method.

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