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MATLAB/Simulink based modeling for industrial Electric Vehicle design

Thesis Project : *Development of autonomous vehicle simulator Application to tunneling*

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Research Project SIMVA-2

- Funded by the French « Plan de Relance », « France relaunch » plan measures to preserve R&D jobs.
- Bipartite link between the DRIVE laboratory and the METALLIANCE company
- Develop a simulator for an autonomous vehicle with an application to the confined industrial environment in which the company's construction machinery operates

Objectives

- *Provide solutions for partial or total driving delegation of a construction vehicle in a controlled indoor environment.*
- Predict the physical behavior (electrical, thermal engine, etc.) of the various parts of the vehicle (engine, battery, perception/vision systems, etc.).
- Train driver of this new mode of material transport





INTRODUCTION AND OBJECTIVES



Connected Autonomous Vehicle





LITERATURE OF ELECTRIC VEHICLE MODELS



Electric vehicle	Models	Benefits	Disadvantages
Lectric venicie models	[1] : Optimization of control strategy for a low fuel consumption vehicle engine	 Model-based optimization of an electric vehicle was developed in Simulink (the vehicle, the electric motor, and the motor controller) Simulation was compared to real measurements 	• Prototype electric car that has been designed for the Shell Eco-marathon
	[2] : Modeling and optimization of the consumption of a three-wheeled vehicle	 Model optimization of the powertrain three wheeled vehicle has been developed in AMESIM Dynamic behavior was analyzed by the comparison of simulation results to results obtained on the track. 	• Vehicles with three wheels use a carbon-fiber monocoque pushed by a hydrogen fuel cell with a DC electric motor
	[4] : Multiphysics modeling and optimization of the driving strategy of a light duty fuel cell vehicle	 Numerical modelling of the vehicle powertrain was developed in MATLAB /Simulink The model was validated using real measurements. 	• The model includes the vehicle motion and the fuel consumption.
	[3] : Model-Based Optimization of Velocity Strategy for Lightweight Electric Racing Cars	 Multiphysics dynamical model of a fuel cell vehicle has been developed (the losses and consumptions of the power several vehicle behavior : mechanical requirement, thermal behavior of fuel cell) The simulation results are compared and validated with experimental measurements 	• Power train : urban-concept vehicle used for energetic races

METALLIANCE designs industrial machines which are type of complex system (two or three vehicle module), no previous modeling of this type of industrial electric vehicles is done before.





















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INDUSTRIAL ENVIRONMENT AND MODEL



DESCRIPTION

Construction Site : Application to tunneling _ 2235



Multi Service Vehicles (MSV)



https://www.metalliance-tsi.com/product/vehicules-multi-services/













INDUSTRIAL ENVIRONMENT AND MODEL



Value

18 km/h

DESCRIPTION



- Rolling friction force : $F_r = C_r * m * g$ •
- Acceleration force : $F_{acc} = m * a$
- Resistant wheel torque : $T_r = \sum Forces * R_r$ Motor Torque : $T_{motor} = T_r * R_{ratio}$

• Mechanical power :
$$P = S_{motor} * T_{motor}$$

- Aerodynamic force : $F_{aero} = 0.5 * S_{vehicle} * C_x * \rho * [V^2]$
- Downhill-slope force : $F_{slope} = m * g * sin(\alpha)$
- Motor Speed : $S_{motor} = V * \frac{60}{2*\pi*R_r}$ •



Symbol

 V_{max}

Mechanical Power

Reference vehicle data















INDUSTRIAL ENVIRONMENT AND MODEL

DESCRIPTION



Matlab/Simulink Model





Simulation , results and validation on a real road profile (tunnel Rennes France)













Acceleration Vehicle Motor Speed Real World 0.15 2500 Real Data (Rennes Tunnel) 0.1 Real Data (Rennes Tunnel) 2000 0.05 1500 (m/s^2) (md -0.05 1000 -O. 500 -0.15 0 -0.2 50 100 200 250 150 100 200 250 50 150 Time (min) Time (min) Simulation 0.15 2500 Simulation Model Simulation Model Results 0.1 2000 0.05 1500 N(rpm) (m/s^2) -0.05 1000 -0. -0.15 500 -0.2 -0.25 0 50 100 150 200 250 0 50 100 150 200 250 Time (min) Time (min)













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- Implementation of an electrical model of a METALLIANCE Multi-Service Vehicle (VMS) based on physical description
- Methods and steps for modeling systems
- Study of the operational design domain : vehicle system environmental ,characteristic and operation.
- Validation of the model with real recording data. The simulation shows that the model is highly close to the real world

Future work :

- Development of the hydraulic and thermal vehicle model
- Combining these models to have a complete Metalliance's Vehicle model
- Use this full model to develop a METALLIANCE autonomous vehicle simulator





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« France relaunch » Plan AND « Measures to preserve R&D jobs »





Simulator for an autonomous vehicle with an application to the confined industrial environment



















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