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Kinematic Performance Optimization of Double Wishbone Suspension Based on ADAMS

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Abstract. Use ADAMS software to optimize the suspension kinematic parameters to make a certain double wishbone suspension have superior kinematic performance. Firstly, establish a suspension simulation model in ADAMS/Car and make wheel jump simulations for the model. Upon completion of the simulation, ADAMS/PostProcessor delivers the change range of the 4 main kinematic parameters of double wishbone suspension: Toe Angle, Camber Angle, Kingpin Caster Angle, and Kingpin Inclination Angle. Secondly, choose the variable points coordinates. ADAMS/Car and ADAMS/Insight jointly optimized the coordinates. Thirdly, the two wheel jump simulations of the coordinate-optimized suspension are carried out again, and after the simulations, the optimization data of the 4 kinematic parameters are obtained. Finally, analyze the optimization data and evaluate the kinematic performance of the optimized double wishbone suspension. After the optimization, four suspension kinematic parameters change range are basically within the ideal range. This optimization has achieved the excellent results, and at the same time, it provides ideas and reference significance for the optimization of other types of suspensions.

Keywords. ADAMS, the double wishbone suspension, kinematic parameters, parameters optimization

1. Introduction

The suspension is the critical component of the vehicles. The important purpose of setting the suspension is to isolate the passengers from the vibration and to enhance the vehicle's driving grip [1]. Double wishbone suspension, which is suitable for passenger cars and racing cars, has high strength and impact resistance [2]. The main kinematic characteristic performance of suspension is the regular change of kinematic parameters such as wheel positioning in the process of wheel runout. This is a key reference standard for the performance of vehicle driving stability and ride comfort [3]. Therefore, the optimization of double wishbone suspension kinematic parameters has great significance.

Many scholars have done a lot of research on suspension optimization. Based on the principle of virtual work, Lv Jintian optimized the kinematic performance of suspension by analyzing the mechanical balance relationship [4]. Based on multi-body dynamics, Ding Jinquan et al proposed an active righting control algorithm to accelerate the speed

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of wheel righting [5]. In reference [6], a new multi-objective archive-based Quantum Particle Optimizer improves suspension optimization. In reference [7], an improved chaos particle swarm optimization is proposed to optimize the suspension parameters.

Based on the physical model, ADAMS software can combine, analyze, and display the changes of the simulation physical model in a certain process and provides a variety of "virtual prototype" solutions [8], which can reduce the time and capital investment for product research. Therefore, in this paper, wheel jump tests based on ADAMS software are carried out on a double wishbone suspension model to improve the kinematic performance of the suspension.

2. Double Wishbone Suspension Wheel Jump Simulation

2.1 Double wishbone suspension model

2.1.1. Double wishbone suspension 3D model

Establish the double wishbone suspension 3D model in SOLIDWORKS. The 3D model is shown in Figure 1.

2.1.2. Establish the structure diagram of the model

Simplify the 3D model appropriately. Figure 2 shows the structural sketch of the double wishbone suspension. Point A is the front point of the upper control arm, point B is the rear point of the upper control arm, point C is the outer point of the upper control arm, point D is the front point of the lower control arm, point E is the rear point of the lower control arm, point G is the wheel center point, point H is the outer point of steering tie rod, point I is the inner point of tie rod, point J is the top mount point, and point K is the strut lower point.





Figure 1. Double wishbone suspension 3D model

Figure 2. Suspension structure sketch diagram

2.1.3 Establish simulation model

Use SOLIDWORKS to measure the key hard point coordinates of the double wishbone suspension. The coordinates are shown in Table 1.

Hard point	x. coordinate /mm	y. coordinate/mm	z. coordinate /mm
Lca_ front	-93.5	-354.2	222.5
Lca_outer	0	-563	162
Lca_rear	93.5	-354.2	222.5
Strut_lower	1.3	-486.5	213.5
Tierod_inner	200	-400	257
Tierod outer	175	-556.133	257.43
Top_mount	2.6	-381.7	475
Uca_ front	-93.5	-314.7	442.5
Uca_outer	0	-558.71	440
Uca_ rear	93.5	-314.7	442.5
Wheel_center	0	-757	300

Table 1. Suspension hard point coordinates

According to the hard point coordinates, create the simulation model in ADAMS/Car, as shown in Figure 3.



Figure 3. Double wishbone suspension simulation model

2.2 Simulation analysis of double wishbone suspension wheel jump test

2.2.1 Simulation test

We used ADAMS/Car to make parallel wheel jump and opposite wheel jump simulations for the suspension model. In the simulations, the upper runout and lower runout are set to ± 50 mm, and the simulation step is set to 100 steps.

2.2.2 Analysis of suspension kinematic parameters

Double wishbone suspension's kinematic performance mainly depends on four parameters, namely Toe Angle, Camber Angle, Kingpin Caster Angle and Kingpin Inclination Angle [9]. Toe Angle is the angle between the vehicle longitudinal axis and the direction which the vehicle's wheels are pointing when viewed from above. It can reduce the wear of the type and its ideal range is $-0.5^{\circ} \sim 0.5^{\circ}$. Camber Angle is the angle between the wheel plane and the vehicle plane when viewed from the front. It can reduce the wheel steering offset to improve the safety of vehicle movement and its ideal range is $-2^{\circ} \sim 2^{\circ}$. Kingpin Caster Angle is the angle between the kingpin axis and the road plane vertical of the vehicle's longitudinal plane. It can keep the stability of the vehicle and its ideal range is $0^{\circ} \sim 6^{\circ}$. Kingpin Inclination Angle is the angle between the kingpin axis and the road plane vertical of the vehicle's lateral plane. It can make wheels positive and its ideal range is $5^{\circ} \sim 10^{\circ} [10~14]$.

2.2.3 Determine the targeted parameters

Use ADAMS/PostProcessor to obtain the simulation results of double wishbone suspension. The kinematic parameters data is shown in Table 2. According to Table. 2, in two simulations, the Toe Angle, Camber Angle, and Kingpin Inclination Angle are out of their ideal range. Therefore, set them as the targeted parameters of this optimization.

Deremeter /º	parallel wh	neel jump	opposite wheel jump		
Parameter /	range	variation	range	variation	
Toe Angle	-3.20~1.60	4.80	-3.30~1.70	5.10	
Camber Angle	$-2.50 \sim 2.10$	4.60	$-2.50 \sim 2.10$	4.60	
Kingpin Caster Angle	$0.10{\sim}0.40$	0.30	$0.10{\sim}0.40$	0.30	
Kingpin Inclination Angle	-1.30~3.42	4.72	$-1.27 \sim 3.40$	4.67	

Table 2. Parameter range before optimization

3. Optimization of Double Wishbone Suspension

3.1. Select optimization point coordinates

The hard point coordinates are also important influencing factors of suspension kinematic parameters [15]. Therefore, the optimization of suspension in this paper starts from the hard point coordinates optimization.

Nine points that significantly influence suspension kinematic parameters are selected as variable points: Tierod_inner. z, Tierod_outer. z, Uca_front. z, Lca_rear. z, Uca_outer. z, Uca_rear. z, Lca_front. z, Uca_rear. x and Uca_front. x.

3.2. Model fitting

ADAMS/Insight can evaluate whether the simulation model is reliable using the four values of R2, R2adj, P, and R/V. The values of R2 and R2adj are between 0 and 1, and the larger the better; the smaller the value of P, the more valuable terms it has, the value of R/V should be greater than 4, and the larger the better [16].

The simulation model is fitted in ADAMS/Insight, and its reliable values are shown in Table 3.

Parameter	Test	R2	R2adj	Р	R/V
Toe Angle	parallel wheel jump	0.999	0.999	0	853
	opposite wheel jump	0.999	0.999	0	776
Camber Angle	parallel wheel jump	0.999	0.999	0	987
	opposite wheel jump	0.999	0.999	0	1090
	parallel wheel jump	0.999	0.999	0	869
Kingpin Caster Angle	opposite wheel jump	0.999	0.999	0	813
Kingnin Indination Angle	parallel wheel jump	0.999	0.999	0	1000
Kingpin inclination Angle	opposite wheel jump	0.999	0.999	0	1000

Table 3. Reliable values of the simulation model

From Table 3, the values of R2 and R2adj are both 0.999, the value of P is 0, and the value of R/V is much larger than 4. Therefore, the simulation model is reliable.

3.3. Optimize fixed point coordinates

Use ADAMS/Insight to analyze the sensitivity of 9 fixed point coordinates. Figures. 4 to 11 show the influenceable degree of 9 fixed point coordinates on the Toe Angle, Camber Angle, Kingpin Caster Angle, and Kingpin Inclination Angle.

Main Effects for Response: toe_angle					
Factor	From	To	Effect	Effect %	
CC07 front susp sub.ground.hpl tierod innerz	2.5400e+02	2.6000e+02	-5.9988e-01	-68.16	
CC07 front susp sub.ground.hpl tierod outerz	2.5243e+02	2.5643e+02	3.6187e-01	41.12	
CC07 front susp sub.ground.hpl uca front.z	4.3850e+02	4.4650e+02	1.5833e-01	17.99	
CC07 front susp sub.ground.hpl uca outerz	4.3600e+02	4.4400e+02	-1.1856e-01	-13,47	
CC07 front susp sub.ground.hpl uca rearz	4.3850e+02	4.4650e+02	-1.0932e-02	-1.24	
CC07 front susp sub.ground.hpl lca front.z	2.1450e+02	2.2050e+02	1,2125e-03	0.14	
CC07 front susp sub.ground.hpl uca rearx	9.1500e+01	9.5500e+01	1.1919e-03	0.14	
CC07 front susp sub.ground.hpl uca front.x	-9.5500e+01	-9.1500e+01	9.3422e-04	0.11	
CC07 front susp sub.ground.hpl lca rearz	2.2050e+02	2.2050e+02	0	0	

Figure 4. The Toe Angle of the parallel wheel jump

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	CC07 front susp sub.ground.hpl uca front.x	-9.4500e+01	-9.2500e+01	2.1801e-04	0.01	

Figure 5. The Toe Angle of the opposite wheel jump

Main Effects for Response: camber angle					
Factor	From	To	Effect	Effect %	
CC07 front susp sub.ground.hpl uca outerz	4.3500e+02	4.4500e+02	2.4947e-01	11.83	
CC07 front susp sub.ground.hpl uca rearz	4.3850e+02	4.4650e+02	-1.3102e-01	-6.21	
CC07 front susp sub.ground.hpl uca front.z	4.3850e+02	4.4650e+02	-1.1408e-01	-5.41	
CC07 front susp sub.ground.hpl lca rearz	2.2050e+02	2.2450e+02	6.4912e-02	3.08	
CC07 front susp sub.ground.hpl Ica front.z	2,2050e+02	2,2450e+02	6.2493e-02	2.96	
CC07 front susp sub.ground.hpl tierod innerz	2.5400e+02	2.6000e+02	4.6869e-03	0.22	
CC07 front susp sub.ground.hpl tierod outerz	2.5543e+02	2.5943e+02	-2.7877e-03	-0.13	
CC07 front susp sub.ground.hpl uca rearx	9,2500e+01	9.4500e+01	1.4527e-04	0.01	
CC07 front susp sub.ground.hpl uca front.x	-9.4500e+01	-9.2500e+01	1.0156e-04	0	

Figure 6. The Camber Angle of the parallel wheel jump

Main Effects for Response: camber angle					
Factor	From	To	Effect	Effect %	
CC07 front susp sub.ground.hpl uca outerz	4.3600e+02	4.4400e+02	1.9823e-01	9.28	
CC07 front susp sub.ground.hpl uca rearz	4.3850e+02	4.4650e+02	-1.3072e-01	-6.12	
CC07 front susp sub.ground.hpl uca front.z	4.3850e+02	4.4650e+02	-1.1352e-01	-531	
CC07 front susp sub.ground.hpl lca rearz	2,2050e+02	2.2450e+02	6.4836e-02	3.04	
CC07 front susp sub.ground.hpl lca front.z	2,2050e+02	2.2450e+02	6.2299e-02	2,92	
CC07 front susp sub.ground.hpl tierod outerz	2.5443e+02	2.6043e+02	-4.1726e-03	-0.2	
CC07 front susp sub.ground.hpl tierod innerz	2.5500e+02	2.5900e+02	3.1246e-03	0.15	
CC07 front susp sub.ground.hpl uca rearx	9.2500e+01	9.4500e+01	1.4700e-04	0.01	
CCO7 front susp sub.ground.hpl uca front.x	-9.4500e+01	-9.2500e+01	1.0291e-04	0	

Figure 7. The Camber Angle of the opposite wheel jump

Main Effects for Response: caster angle					
Factor	From	To	Effect	Effect %	
CCO7 front susp sub.ground.hpl uca reacz	4.3850e+02	4.4650e+02	1.5799e-01	30.38	
CCO7 front susp sub.ground.hpl uca front.z	4.3850e+02	4.4650e+02	-1.5120e-01	-29.08	
CCO7 front susp sub.ground.hpl lca front.z	2.2050e+02	2.2450e+02	6.8702e-02	13.21	
CCO7 front susp sub.ground.hpl lca rearz	2.2050e+02	2.2450e+02	-5.8315e-02	-11.21	
CCO7 front susp sub.ground.hpl uca outerz	4.3600e+02	4.4400e+02	-2.2682e-02	-4.36	
CC07 front susp sub.ground.hpl uca rearx	9.2500e+01	9.4500e+01	-4.8860e-03	-0.94	
CC07 front susp sub.ground.hpl tierod outerz	2.5443e+02	2.6043e+02	2.5871e-03	0.5	
CC07 front susp sub.ground.hpl tierod innerz	2.5500e+02	2.5900e+02	-1.5211e-03	-0.29	
CC07 front susp sub.ground.hpl uca front.x	-9.4500e+01	-9.2500e+01	-1.2149e-03	-0.23	

Figure 8. The Caster Angle of the parallel wheel jump

Vain Effects for Response: caster angle					
Factor	From	To	Effect	Effect %	
CCO7 front susp sub.ground.hpl uca reacz	4.3850e+02	4.4650e+02	1.5792e-01	30.37	
CCO7 front susp sub.ground.hpl uca front.z	4.3850e+02	4.4650e+02	-1.5114=01	-29.06	
CCO7 front susp sub.ground.hpl ka front.z	2.2050e+02	2.2450e+02	6.8736e-02	13.22	
CCO7 front susp sub.ground.hpl ka reacz	2.2050e+02	2.2450e+02	-5.8359e-02	-11.22	
CCO7 front susp sub.ground.hpl uca outerz	4.3600e+02	4.4400e+02	-2.2661e-02	436	
CCO7 front susp sub.ground.hpl uca rearx	9.2500e+01	9.4500e+01	-4.8862e-03	-0.94	
CCO7 front susp sub.ground.hpl tierod outerz	2.5443e+02	2.6043e+02	2.5542e-03	0.49	
CCO7 front susp sub.ground.hpl tierod innerz	2.5500e+02	2.5900e+02	-1.5017e-03	-0.29	
CCO7 front susp sub.ground.hpl uca front.x	-9.4500e+01	-9.2500e+01	-1,2169e-03	-0.23	

Figure 9. The Caster Angle of the opposite wheel jump

Main Effects for Response: Inclination angle	
Factor From To Effect Effect %	
CC07 front susp subground hol usa outerz 43560e+02 44440e+02 2.1952e-01 10.41	
CC07 front susp subground hpl uca rearz 4.3808e+02 4.4653e+02 -1.4407e-01 -6.87	
CCO7 front susp subground hpl usa front.z 4.3808e+02 4.4693e+02 -1.2616e-01 -5.98	
CCOT front susp subground hpl ka reacz 22028+02 22473e+02 7.2190e-02 3.42	
CCOT front susp sub.ground.hpl ka front.z 22028e+02 22473e+02 6.9508e+02 3.3	
CCOT front susp subground half tiered innerz 25443e+02 2595Te+02 4.0236e-03 0.19	
CCO7 front susp subground hpl fierod outerz 25406e+02 2,6000e+02 -3,5975e-03 -0,17	
CCOT front susp subground hpl uca reacx 9,2565e+01 9,4435e+01 1,3887e-04 0,01	
CC07 front susp subground.hpl uca frontx -9.4435e+01 -9.2565e+01 9.3061e-05 0	

Figure 10. The Inclination Angle of the parallel wheel jump

Aain Effects for Response: inclination angle					
Factor	From	To	Effect	Effect %	
CCO7 front susp sub.ground.hpl uca outerz	4.3560e+02	4.4440e+02	2.1812e-01	10.2	
CCO7 front susp sub.ground.hpl uca reacz	4.3808e+02	4.4693e+02	-1.4465e-01	-67	
CCO7 front susp sub.ground.hpl uca front.z	4.3808e+02	4.4693e+02	-1.2562e-01	-58	
CCO7 front susp sub.ground.hpl lca reacz	2.2028e+02	22473e+02	7.2152e-02	33	
CCO7 front susp sub.ground.hpl lca front.z	2.2028e+02	22473e+02	6.9327e-02	3.2	
CCO7 front susp sub.ground.hpl tierod innerz	2.5443e+02	2.5957e+02	4.0276e-03	0.1	
CCO7 front susp sub.ground.hpl tierod outer.z	2.5486e+02	2,6000e+02	-3.5940e-03	-0.1	
CCO7 front susp sub.ground.hpl uca reacx	9.2565e+01	9.4435e+01	1.4085e-04	0	
CCO7 front susp sub.ground.hpl uca front.x	-9.4435e+01	-9.2565e+01	9.4544e-05		

Figure 11. The Inclination Angle of the opposite wheel jump

From Figures. 4 to 11, we can see that for Toe Angle, the Tierod_inner. z, Tierod_ outer. z and Uca_front. z are 3 most influenceable points. Tierod_inner. z has 50.81% average degree impact, Tierod_outer. z has 35.2% average degree impact and Uca_front. z has 14.37% average degree impact; For Camber Angle, the Uca_outer. z, Uca_rear. z and Uca_front. z are 3 most influenceable points. Uca_outer. z has 10.54% average degree impact, Uca_rear. z has 6.165% average degree impact and Uca_front. z has 5.36% average degree impact; For Caster Angle, the Uca_rear. z, Uca_front. z and Lca_ front. z are 3 most influenceable points. Uca_rear. z, Uca_front. z and Lca_ front. z are 3 most influenceable points. Uca_rear. z has 30.375% average degree impact, Uca_front. z has 29.07% average degree impact and Lca_front. z has 13.215% average degree impact; For Inclination Angle, the Uca_outer. z, Uca_rear. z and Uca_front. z are 3 most influenceable points. Uca_outer. z, Uca_rear. z and Uca_front. z are 3 most influenceable points. Uca_outer. z, Uca_rear. z and Uca_front. z are 3 most influenceable points. Uca_outer. z, Uca_rear. z and Uca_front. z are 3 most influenceable points. Uca_outer. z has 10.315% average degree impact, Uca_ rear. z has 6.82% average degree impact and Uca_front. z has 5.93% average degree impact.

Jointly use ADAMS/Car and ADAMS/Insight to make multi-parameter optimization to optimize the 9 fixed point coordinates. The optimization results are shown in Table 4.

Coordinate	Before optimization/mm	After optimization/mm
Tierod_inner. z	257	251.43
Tierod_outer. z	257.43	245.43

Table 4. Variables coordinates before and after optimization

Uca_front. z	442.5	443.5
Lca_rear. z	222.5	203.5
Uca_outer. z	440	444
Uca_rear. z	442.5	443.5
Lca_front. z	222.5	203.5
Uca_rear.x	93.5	92.5
Uca_front.x	-93.5	-92.5

4. Optimization Results

Modifying the hard point coordinates in ADAMS/Car and performing the wheel jump test on the simulation model again. After the test, organize the data of before optimization and after optimization into Table 5.

Parameter/°			Parallel wheel jump	Opposite wheel jump
Toe Angle	range	Before	-3.20 ~ 1.60	-3.30 ~ 1.70
		After	$-0.47 \sim 0.45$	$-0.47 \sim 0.52$
	variation	Before	4.80	5.10
		After	0.92	0.99
Camber Angle	range	Before	-2.50 ~ 2.10	$-2.50 \sim 2.10$
		After	$-1.08 \sim 0.7$	$-1.08 \sim 0.7$
	variation	Before	4.60	4.60
		After	1.78	1.78
Kingpin Caster Angle	range	Before	$0.10 \sim 0.40$	$0.10 \sim 0.40$
		After	0.13 ~ 0.29	0.14 ~ 0.30
	variation	Before	0.30	0.30
		After	0.16	0.16
Kingpin Inclination Angle	range	Before	-1.30 ~ 3.42	-1.27 ~ 3.40
		After	$4.60 \sim 6.50$	$4.60 \sim 6.50$
	variation	Before	4.72	4.67
		After	1.90	1.90

Table 5. Kinematic parameters comparison before and after optimization

From Table 5, after optimization, we can observe: Toe Angle in the two tests is basically within ideal range. In parallel jump test, Toe Angel becomes $-0.47^{\circ} \sim 0.45^{\circ}$, and variation amount is reduced by 80.8%. In opposite jump test, Toe Angle becomes - $0.47^{\circ} \sim 0.52^{\circ}$, and variation amount is reduced by 80.6%. Compared with before optimization, the change of Toe Angle is significantly reduced; Camber Angle in both tests is within ideal range. In both tests, Camber Angle becomes $-1.08^{\circ} \sim 0.7^{\circ}$, within ideal range. At the same time, variation amount is reduced by 61.3%. After optimization, Camber Angle becomes more ideal; Kingpin Caster Angle in two tests is within ideal range. Kingpin Caster Angle is reduced from 0.30° to 0.16°, through optimization, making the change of Kingpin Caster Angle more stable; Kingpin Inclination Angle in the two tests is basically within ideal range. In parallel wheel jump test, Kingpin Inclination Angle becomes 4.60°~6.50°, and variation is decreased by 59.7%. In opposite wheel jump test, variation range becomes $4.60^{\circ} \sim 6.50^{\circ}$, and variation amount is decreased by 59.3%. After optimization, although Kingpin Inclination Angle is basically within ideal range, it is in the edge position of ideal range. This is because ADAMS/Insight needs to consider benefits of each parameter when optimizing double wishbone suspension.

5. Conclusions

After optimization: In parallel jump simulation, Toe Angle becomes -0.47 $^{\circ} \sim 0.45 ^{\circ}$, Camber Angle becomes -1.08 $^{\circ} \sim 0.7 ^{\circ}$, Kingpin Caster Angle becomes -0.13 $^{\circ} \sim 0.29 ^{\circ}$, and Kingpin Inclination Angle becomes 4.60 $^{\circ} \sim 6.50 ^{\circ}$. In opposite jump simulation, Toe Angle becomes -0.47 $^{\circ} \sim 0.52 ^{\circ}$, Camber Angle becomes -1.08 $^{\circ} \sim 0.7 ^{\circ}$, Kingpin Caster Angle becomes -0.14 $^{\circ} \sim 0.30 ^{\circ}$, and Kingpin Inclination Angle becomes 4.60 $^{\circ} \sim 6.50 ^{\circ}$. The kinematic performance of the double wishbone suspension has been significantly improved, effectively improving the stability of the vehicle.

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