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PID Closed Loop Control on a PIC16F MCU

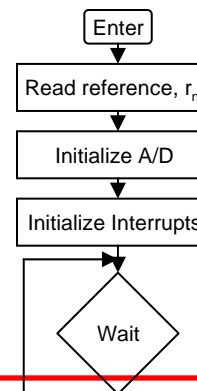
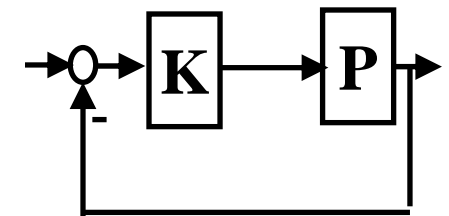
Class Objective

When you finish this class you will:

- Define the standard Feedback Loop and the “Big Picture” of controls
- Describe the steps needed to produce and analyze a simple system transfer function model
- Explain a PID controller’s ability to stabilize or enhance a system’s performance
- Label the components of the Signal Chain Block Diagram for a controlled feedback system
- Describe each block of code needed for a PID controller in a PIC16F MCU

Agenda

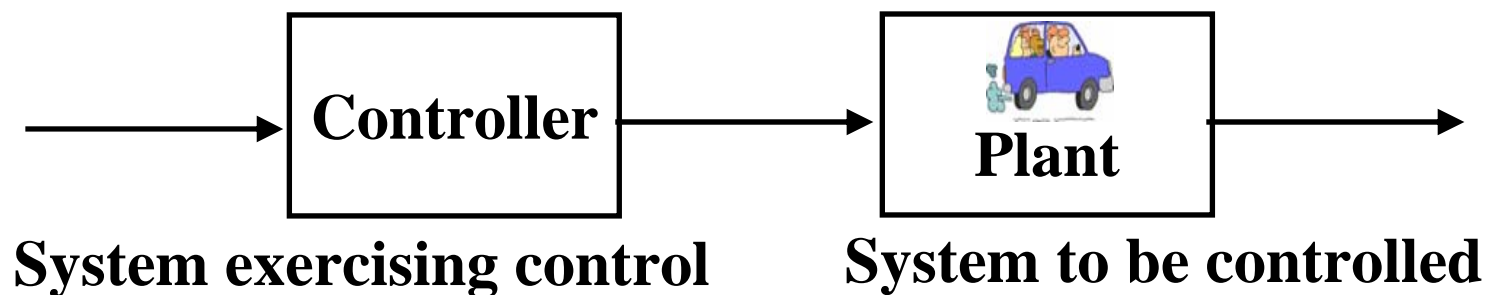
- **Introduction to Control Systems**
- **Modeling**
 - Examples
- **Feedback Control Systems**
 - Examples
- **PID Implementation**
 - LAB



Introduction

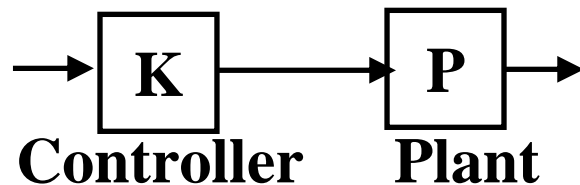
What is a Control System?

- A **control system** is an arrangement of physical components connected or related in such a manner as to command, direct, or regulate itself or another system



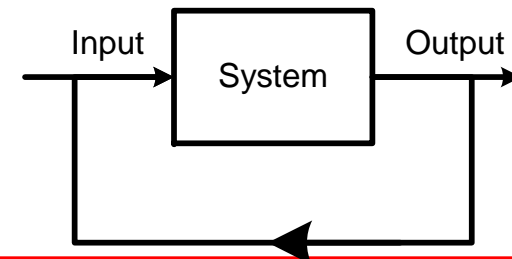
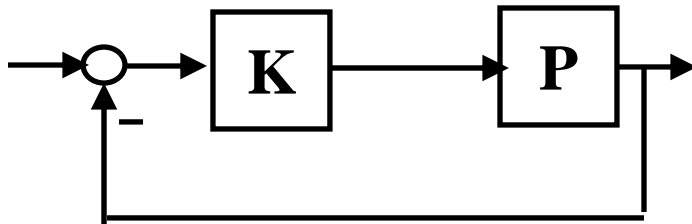
Open vs. Closed Loop

- Open Loop Control
 - Control action independent of output
 - Plant behavior needs to be well-understood
 - Accuracy depends on calibration
 - Suffers from noise and uncertainty



Open vs. Closed Loop

- Closed Loop Control
 - Requires Feedback from system output
 - Control action depends on the error $e=r-y$
 - We use feedback to predictably enhance/shape performance or alter undesirable properties in the presence of uncertainty and disturbances
 - Increase accuracy, Decrease sensitivity
 - Instability can be an issue



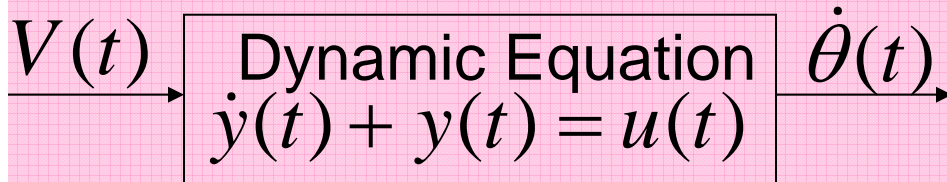
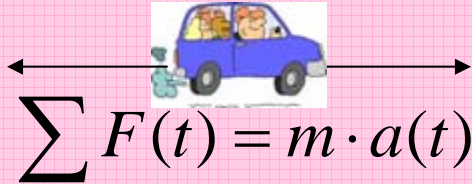
Why do we need models?

- Mathematical models are needed for quantitative relationships
- Mathematical models are essential for
 - Designing high performance control systems
 - Conceptualization
 - Simulation/Analysis
 - Prototyping
 - Validation
 - Deployment

Modeling

Modeling

Time Domain Schematic



Analysis

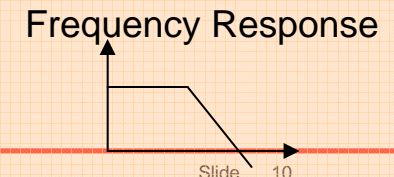
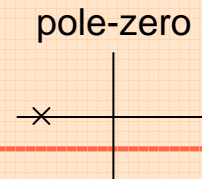


Frequency Domain

Laplace Transform
 $s \cdot Y(s) + Y(s) = U(s)$
 Transfer Function

$$P(s) = \frac{1}{s + 1}$$

Analysis

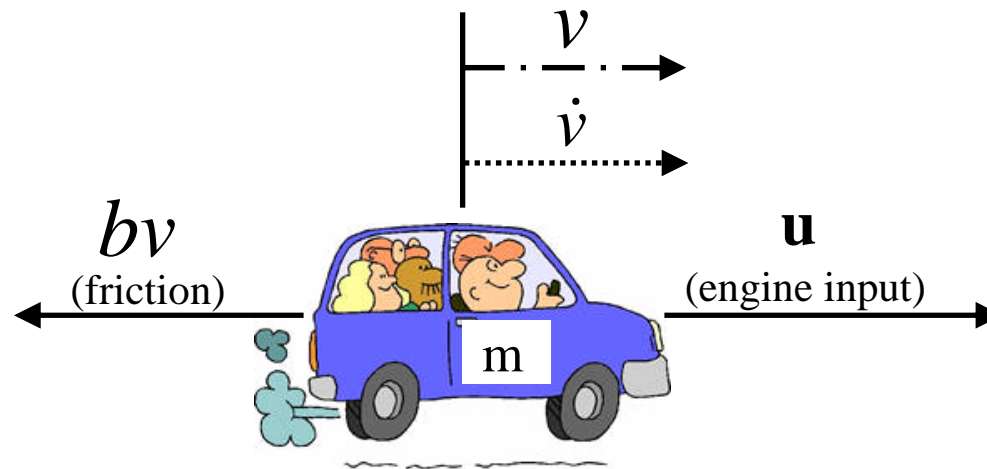


Schematic & Dynamic Equation

- **Schematic**
 - Identify system to be controlled
 - Form Free body diagram
 - Label inputs and outputs
- **Dynamic equation**
 - Write the equation of the free body diagram from fundamental principles

Schematic & Dynamic Equation

Example Free body diagram:



Dynamic Equation:

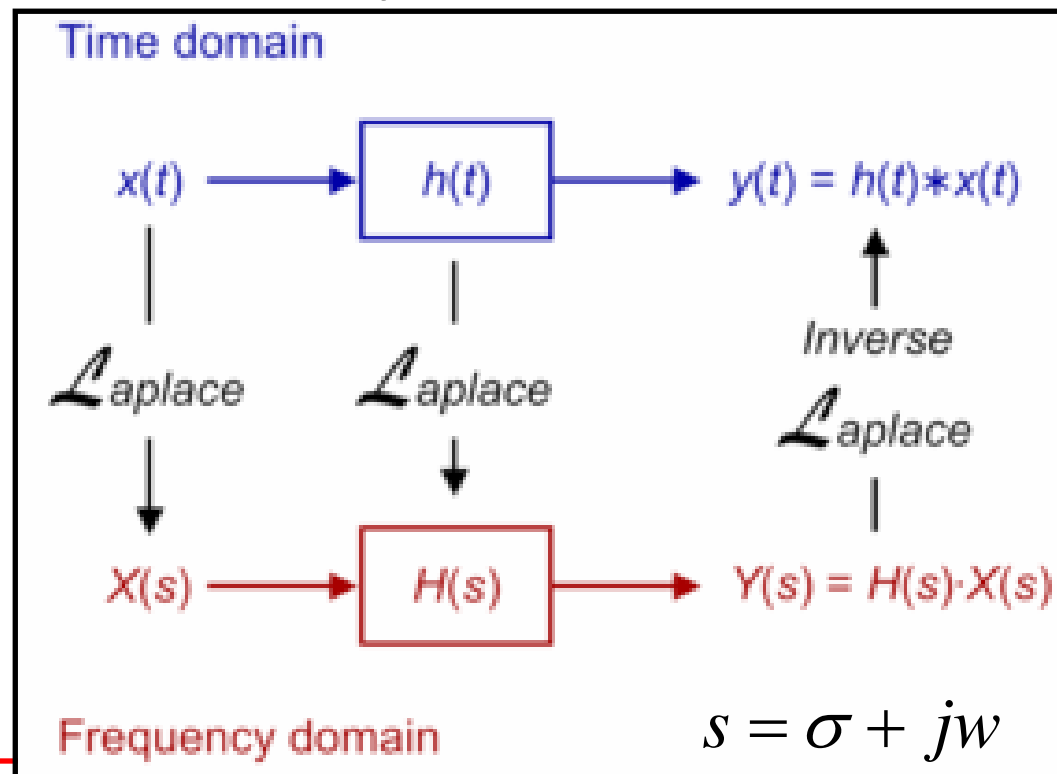
Newton's Law : $F = ma$

$$m\dot{v}(t) = u(t) - bv(t)$$

$$y(t) = v(t)$$

Laplace Transforms

- **Used to analyze linear systems**
 - Reduces mathematical complexity
 - New Frequency Domain point of view



Laplace Transforms

$$F(s) = \mathcal{L}\{f(t)\} = \int_{0^-}^{\infty} e^{-st} f(t) dt$$

- **Common Transform pairs:**

$$1 \longleftrightarrow \frac{1}{s}$$

$$e^{at} \longleftrightarrow \frac{1}{s - a}$$

$$\cos \omega t \longleftrightarrow \frac{s}{s^2 + \omega^2} = \frac{1/2}{s - j\omega} + \frac{1/2}{s + j\omega}$$

$$\sin \omega t \longleftrightarrow \frac{\omega}{s^2 + \omega^2} = \frac{1/2j}{s - j\omega} - \frac{1/2j}{s + j\omega}$$

Laplace Transforms

- **Common Transform properties**

Linearity $af(t) + bg(t) \Leftrightarrow aF(s) + bG(s)$

Differentiation $f'(t) \Leftrightarrow sF(s) - f(0^-)$

Integration $\int_0^t f(t)dt \Leftrightarrow \frac{1}{s} F(s)$

Laplace Transforms

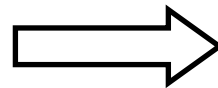
- **Car example**

- Remember: $f'(t) \Leftrightarrow sF(s) - f(0^-)$



$$m\dot{v}(t) = u(t) - bv(t)$$

$$y(t) = v(t)$$



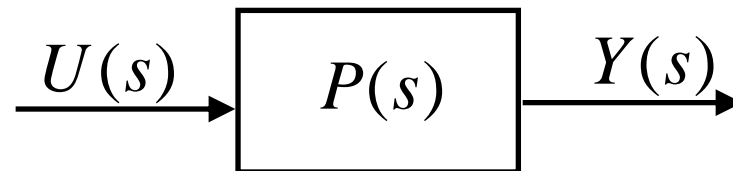
$$msV(s) = U(s) - bV(s)$$

$$Y(s) = V(s)$$

The Transfer Function

- The Transfer Function is the linear mapping of the input, $U(s)$, to the output $Y(s)$

$$P(s) = \frac{Y(s)}{U(s)}$$



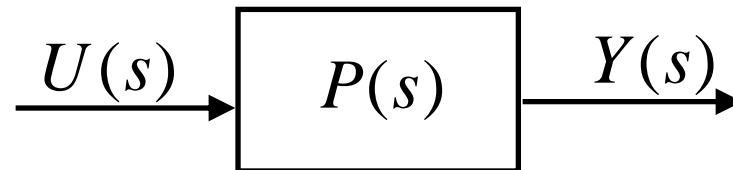
The Transfer Function

- **Ratio of Output over Input for car example**

$$msV(s) = U(s) - bV(s)$$

$$Y(s) = V(s)$$

$$\frac{Y(s)}{U(s)} = \frac{V(s)}{msV(s) + bV(s)} = \frac{1/m}{s + b/m} = P(s)$$



Pole/Zero Stability

$$P(s) = \frac{N(s)}{D(s)}$$

- **Zeros are the roots of N(s)**
 - Represented on the s-plane as a circle
 - Transfer function's magnitude at this point is zero

$$|P(z_0)| = 0$$

Pole/Zero Stability

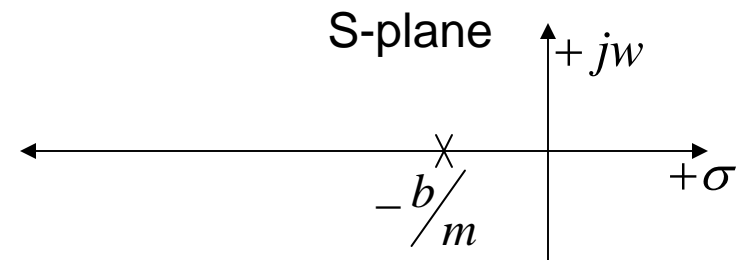
$$P(s) = \frac{N(s)}{D(s)}$$

- **Poles are the roots of D(s)**

- Represented as an x on the s-plane
- Transfer function's magnitude at this point is infinity

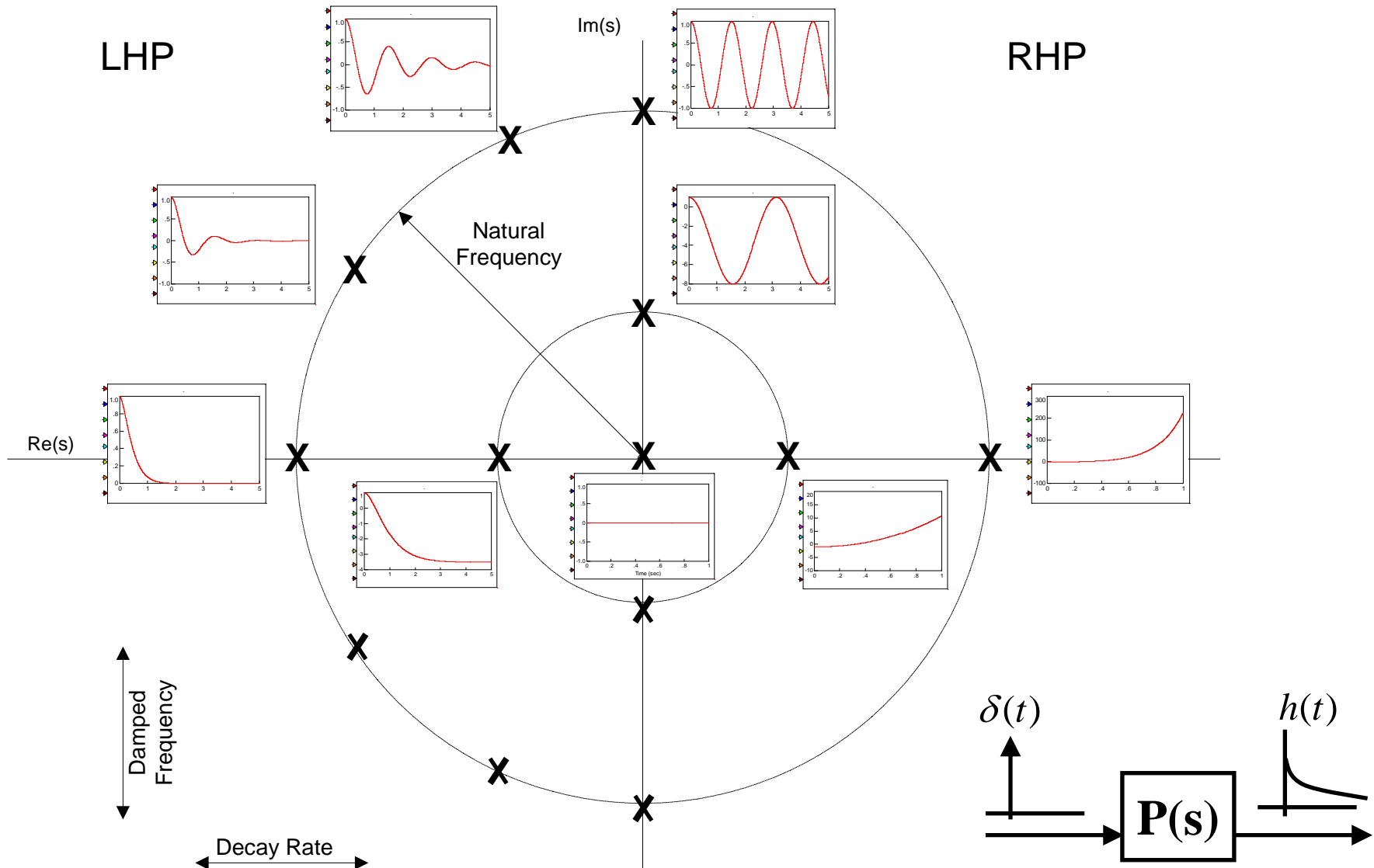
$$|P(p_0)| = \infty$$

$$P(s) = \frac{1/m}{s + b/m}$$



Pole/Zero Stability

Impulse Responses:

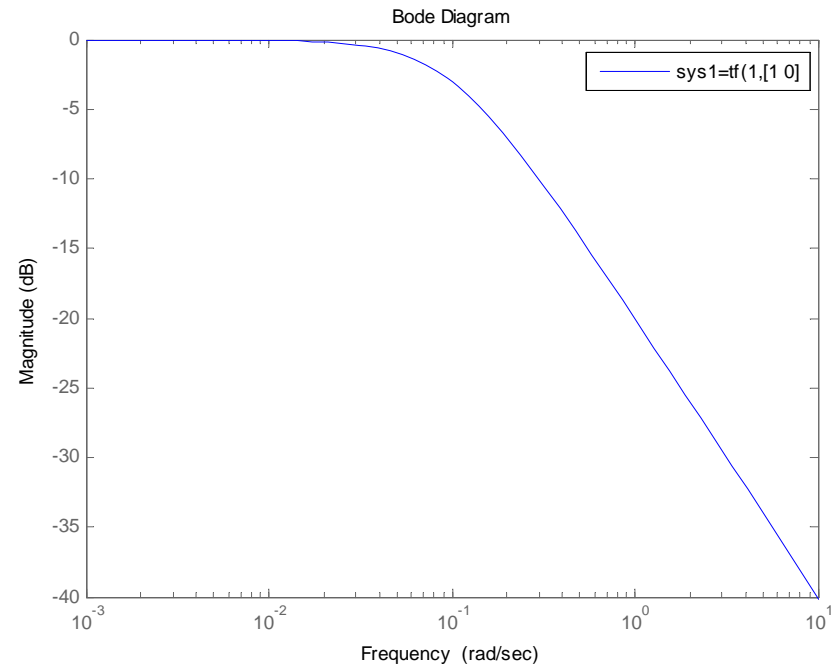


Frequency Response

- **Set $s=j\omega$, $P(j\omega)$**
 - Calculate Magnitude Response $|P(j\omega)|$
 - And Phase Response $\text{Angle}(P(j\omega))$

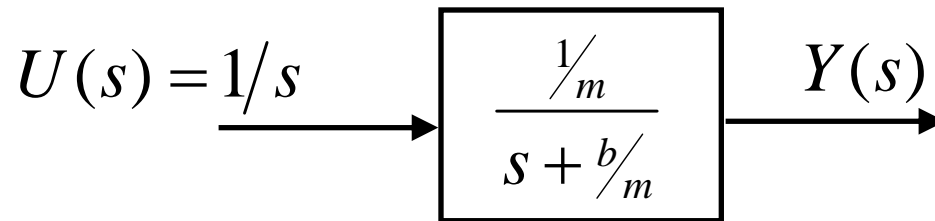
$$P(j\omega) = \frac{1/m}{j\omega + b/m}$$

$$|P(j\omega)| = \frac{1/m}{\sqrt{\omega^2 + (b/m)^2}}$$



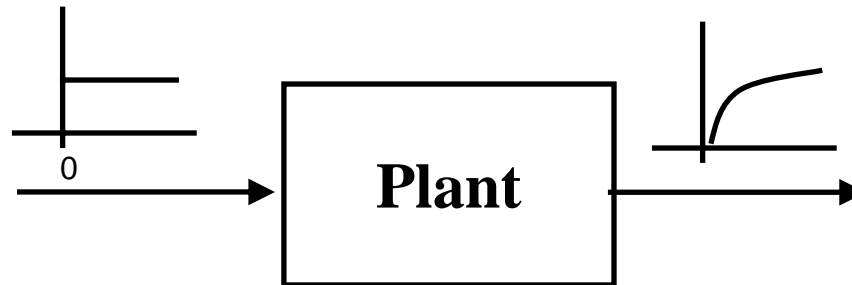
Step Response

- The response of the system to a unit step input



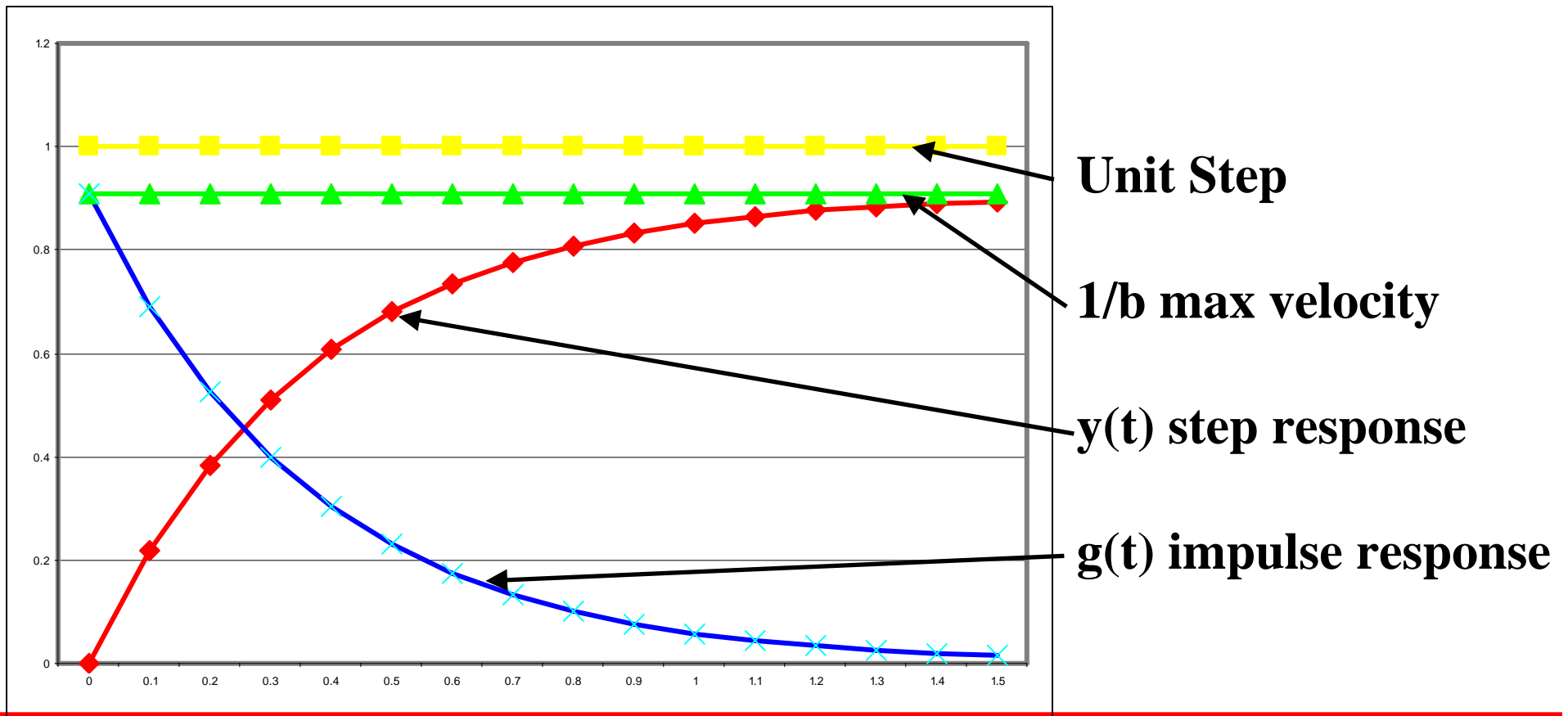
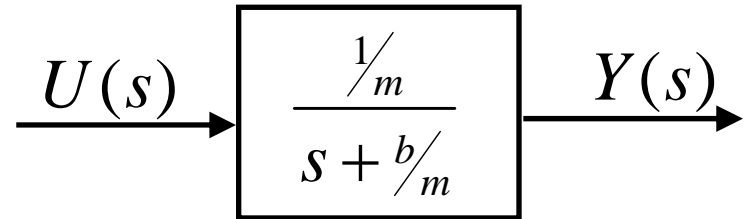
$$u(t) = 1 \quad \text{at } t = 0$$

$$y(t) = L^{-1}\{Y(s)\} = L^{-1}\left\{\frac{1/m}{s(s + b/m)}\right\}$$



Step Response

● **Step response**



Interpreting the Car Model

- **Reality Check, does it make sense?**
- **Is it stable? Why**
- **Note:**
 - As friction (b) increases
 - The steady state speed or “terminal velocity” ($1/b$) decreases

Model Limitations

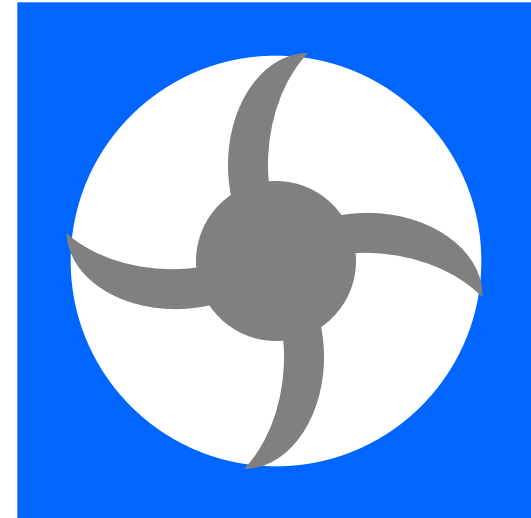
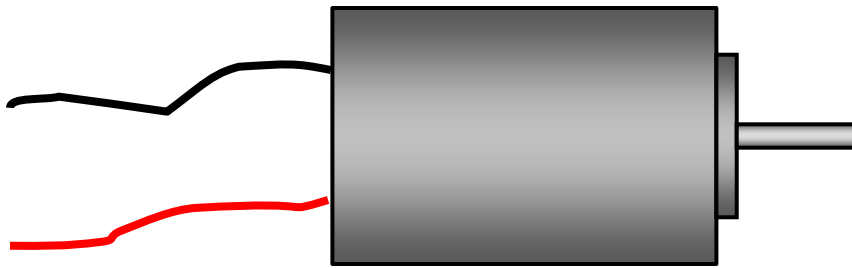
- **“All models have limitations, stupidity does not.”**
– **A. Rodriguez**

Car Simulation Lab

- **Let's test this model**

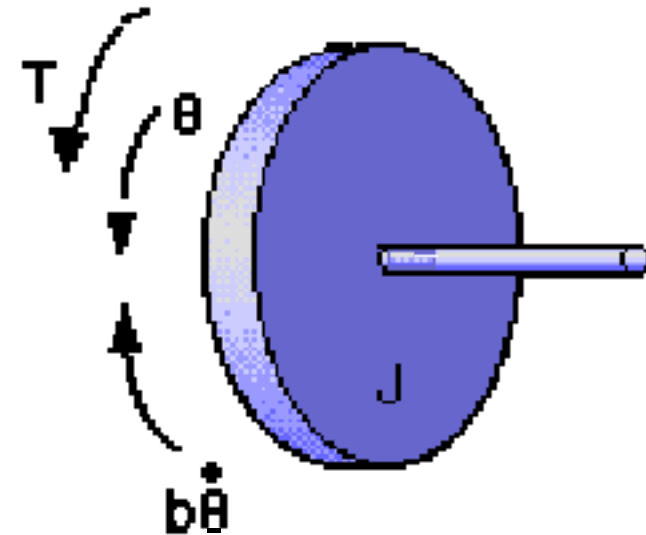
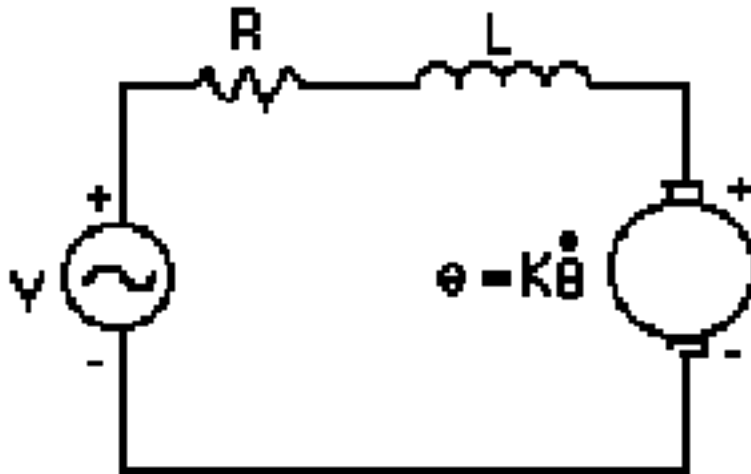
Motor Example

- DC Motor



- Motor speed is proportional to voltage
$$V \propto K_1 \dot{\theta}$$
- Motor torque is proportional to current
$$T \propto K_2 i$$

Motor's Schematic and Dynamic Equations



● **Sum of voltages:**

$$L \frac{di}{dt} + Ri = V - K_1 \dot{\theta}$$

● **Sum of torques:**

$$J \ddot{\theta} + b \dot{\theta} = K_2 i$$

● **Input:** V

Output: $w = \dot{\theta}$

Motor's Transfer Function

● **Remember:** $f'(t) \Leftrightarrow sF(s) - f(0^-)$

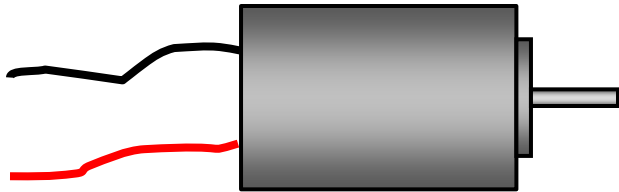
$$\begin{array}{l}
 L \frac{di}{dt} + Ri = V - K_1 \dot{\theta} \\
 J \ddot{\theta} + b \dot{\theta} = K_2 i
 \end{array}
 \longrightarrow
 \begin{array}{l}
 (Ls + R)I(s) = V - K_1 W(s) \\
 (Js + b)W(s) = K_2 I(s)
 \end{array}$$

Input : Volatage V

Output : Angular velocity $w = \dot{\theta}$

● **Output over Input:** $\frac{W}{V} = \frac{K_2}{(Js + b)(Ls + R) + K_1^2}$

Motor's Transfer Function

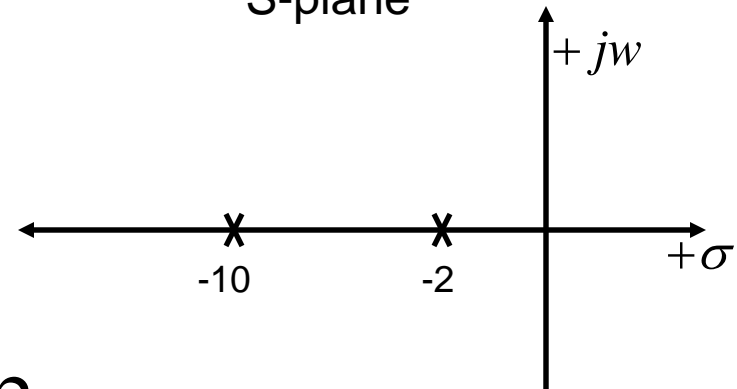


$$P(s) = \frac{K_2}{(Js + b)(Ls + R) + K_1^2}$$

$$K_1 = K_2 = J = 0.01$$

$$L = 0.5, R = 1, b = 0.1$$

S-plane



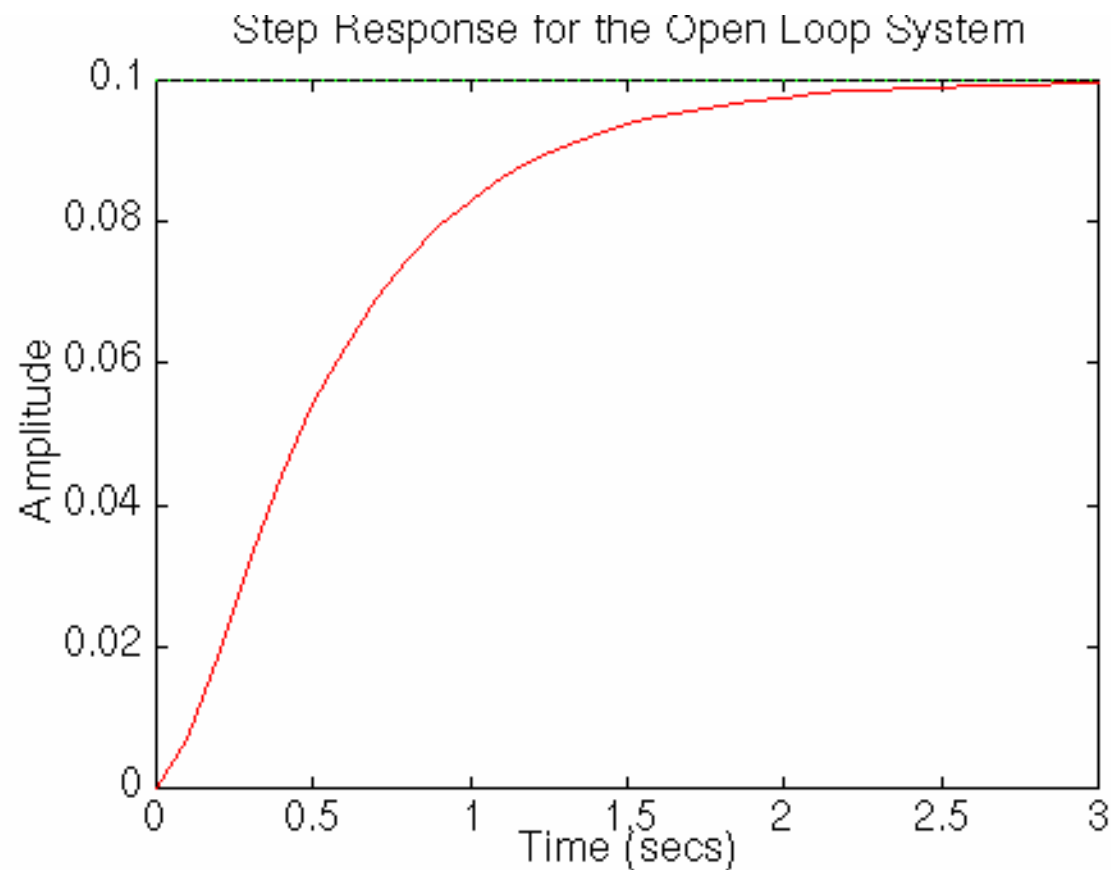
$$P(s) = \frac{2}{s^2 + 12s + 20.02} \approx \frac{2}{(s + 10)(s + 2)}$$

● Is it stable?

Analysis

● Step Response

$$P(s) = \frac{2}{(s + 10)(s + 2)}$$



Motor Simulation Lab

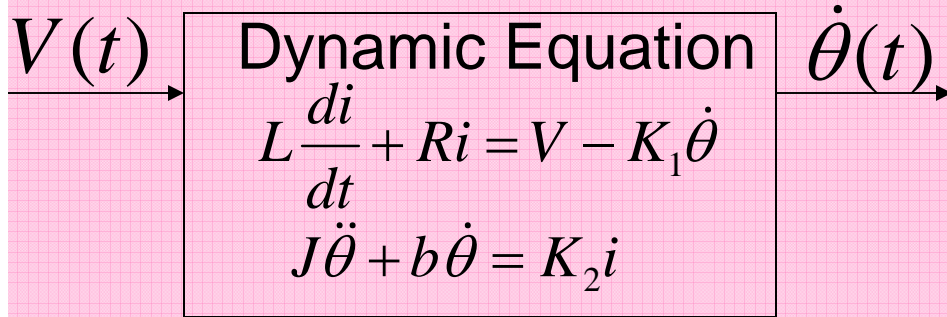
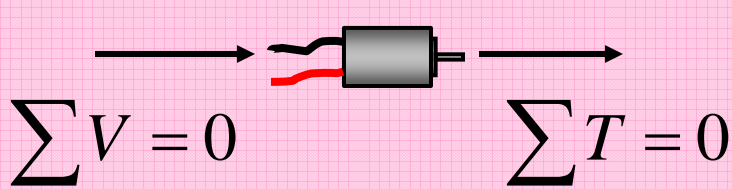
- **Let's test this model**

Modeling

Time - Domain

S - Domain

Schematic



Laplace Transform

$$(Ls + R)I(s) = V - K_1 W(s)$$

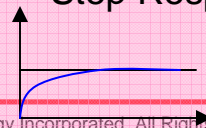
$$(Js + b)W(s) = K_2 I(s)$$

Transfer Function

$$\frac{W(s)}{V(s)} = P(s) = \frac{2}{(s + 10)(s + 2)}$$

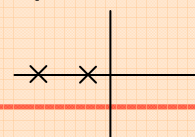
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Step Response

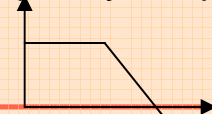


Analysis

pole-zero



Frequency Response

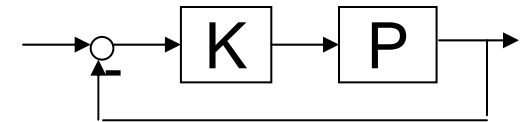


Feedback Control

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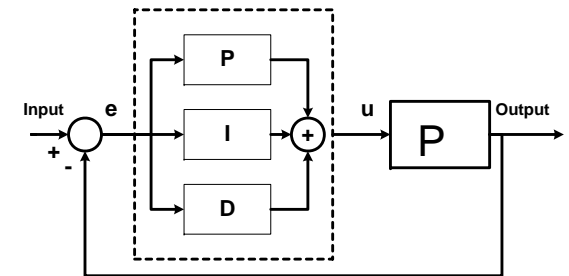
- **Feedback**

- The Standard Feedback Loop
- Closed Loop



- **PID**

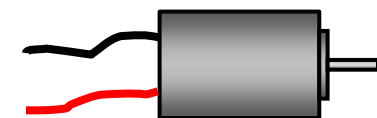
- How does each term work?
- Tuning a PID controller



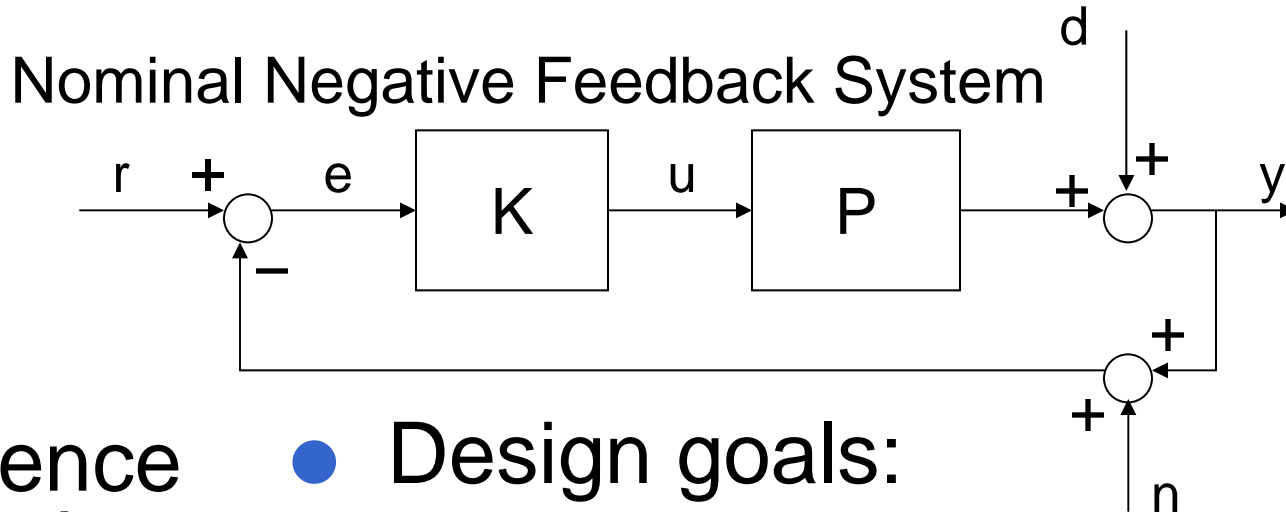
- **Car example**



- **Motor example**

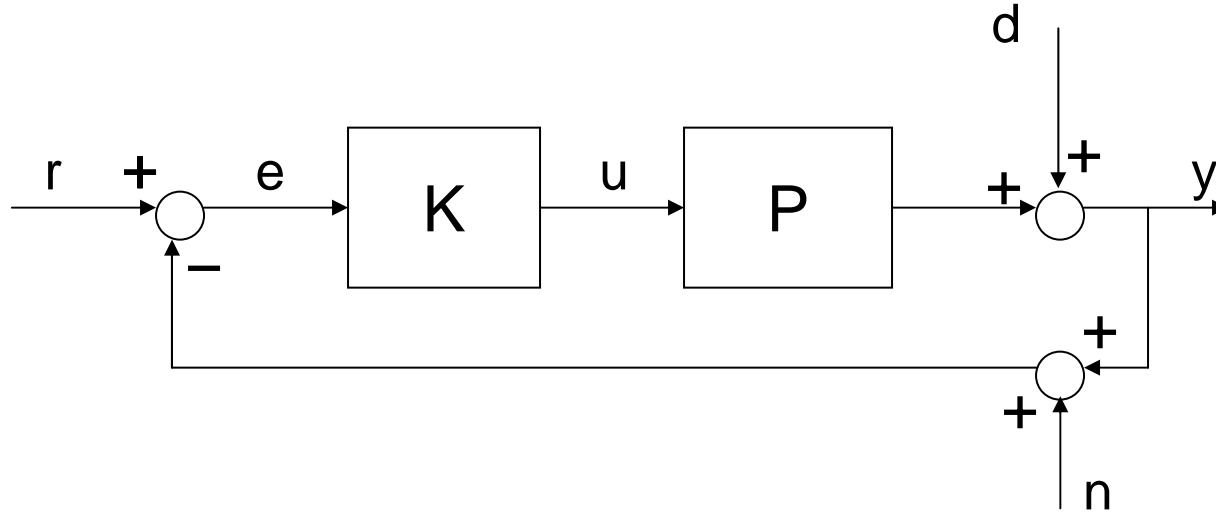


The Standard Feedback Loop and the “Big Picture”



- r – reference command
 - e – error
 - u – control
 - d – disturbance
 - y – output
 - n – sensor noise
- Design goals:
 - Stable
 - Small error
 - Good command following
 - Good disturbance/noise attenuation

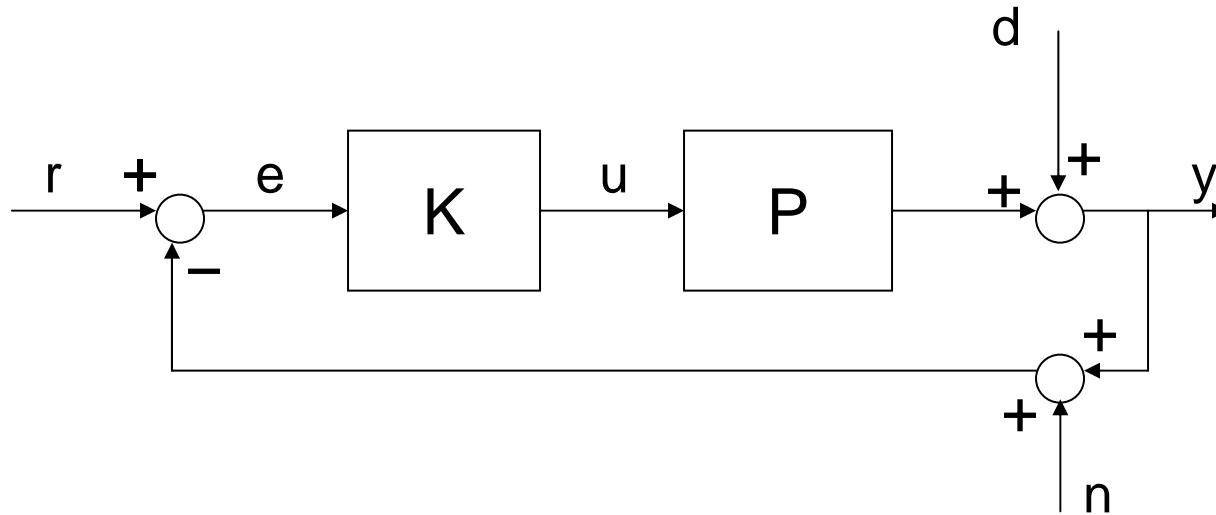
Closed Loop Transfer Function



$$y = PK(r - y) = PKr - PKy$$

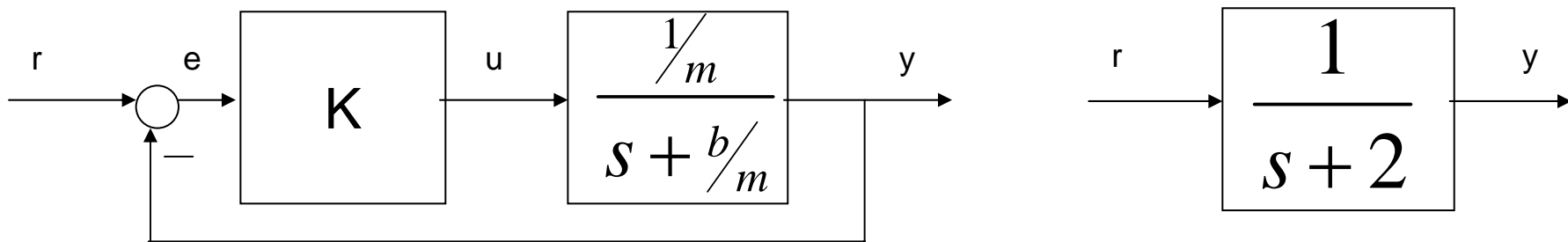
$$y = \frac{PKr}{1 + PK} \quad \frac{y}{r} = T_{ry} = \frac{PK}{1 + PK}$$

Closed Loop Transfer Function



$$y = \underbrace{\left[\frac{PK}{1+PK} \right]}_{T_{ry}} r + \underbrace{\left[\frac{1}{1+PK} \right]}_{T_{dy}} d + \underbrace{\left[\frac{-PK}{1+PK} \right]}_{T_{ny}} n$$

Closed Loop Transfer Function



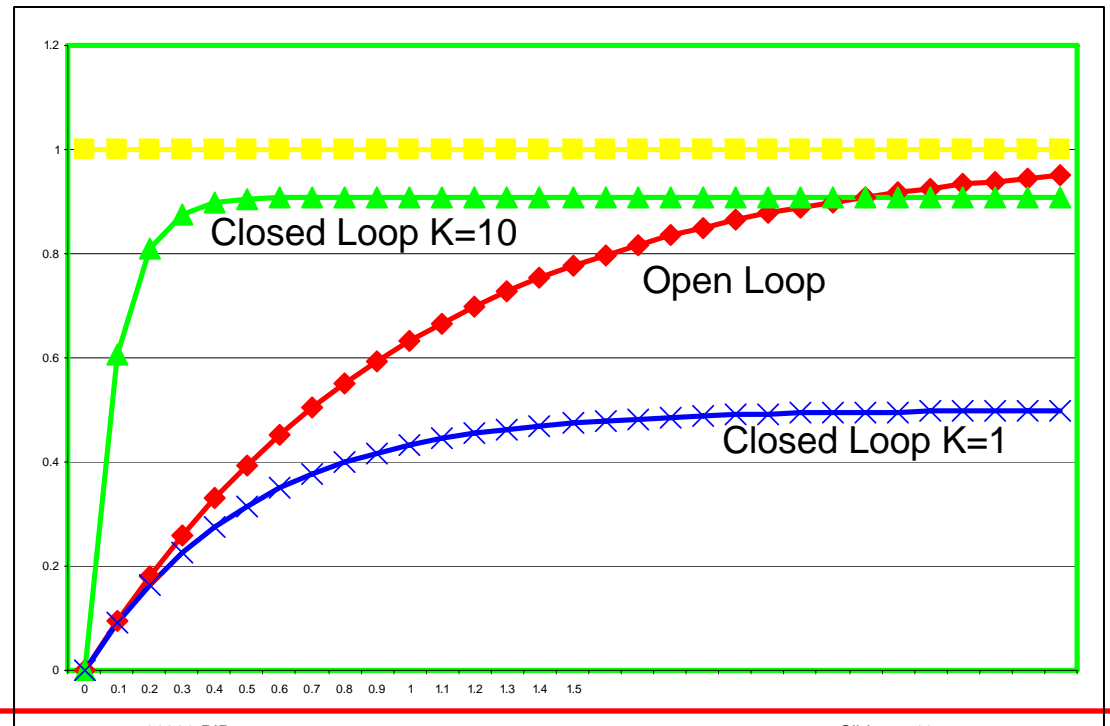
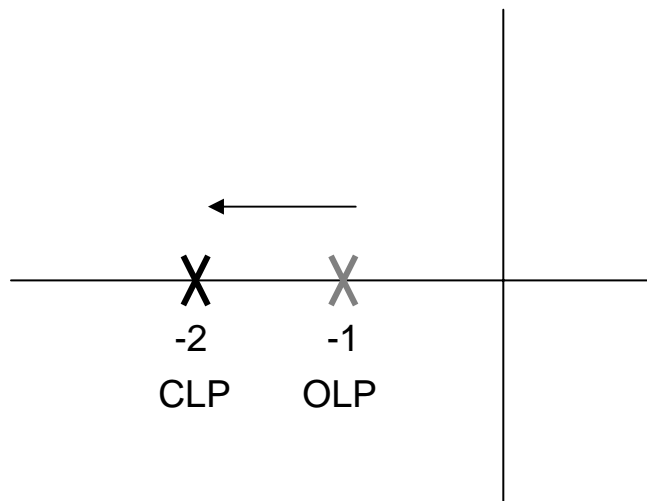
$$m = 1 \quad b = 1$$

$$P = \frac{1}{s + 1} \quad K = 1$$

$$T_{ry} = \frac{PK}{1 + PK} = \frac{1}{s + 2}$$

Closed Loop Transfer Function

- Same analysis tools used for the closed loop transfer function
 - Pole-zero stability
 - Step response



PID

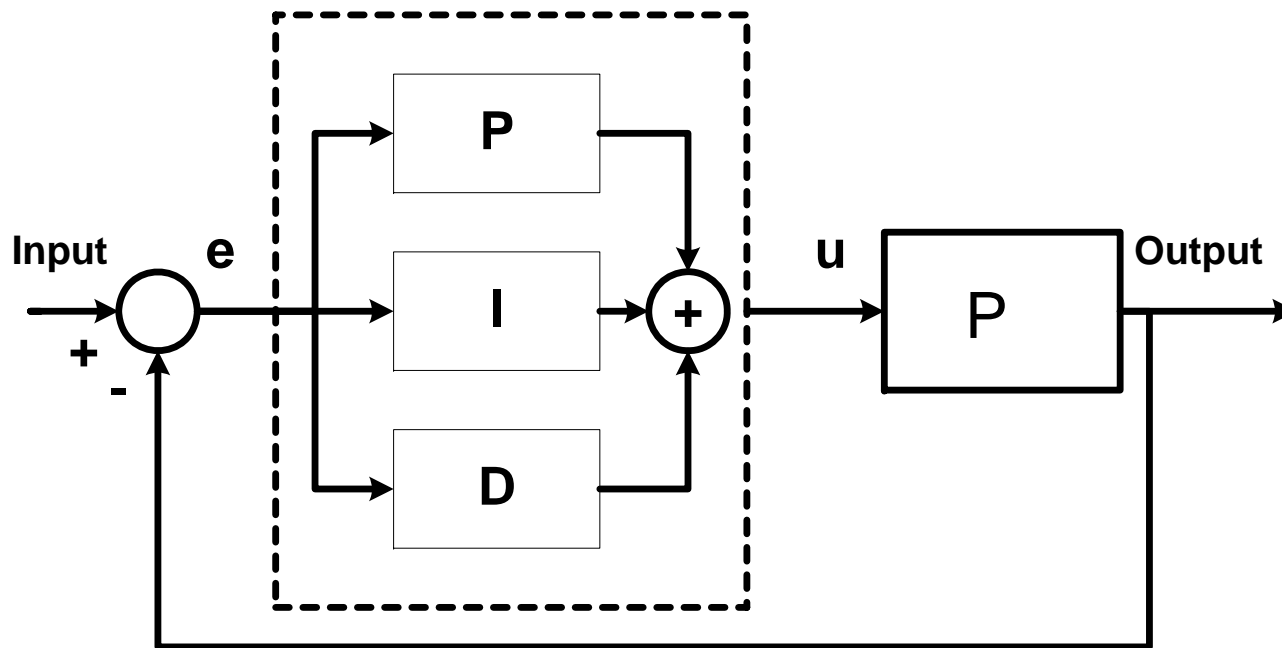
- The PID (Proportional Integral Derivative) is sometimes called a three term controller
 - Good robustness properties across a wide frequency range
 - Simple

$$\frac{U(s)}{E(s)} = k_p + \frac{k_i}{s} + k_d s$$

PID

- Three adjustable gains

$$u(t) = k_p e(t) + k_i \int_0^t e(t) dt + k_d \frac{de(t)}{dt}$$



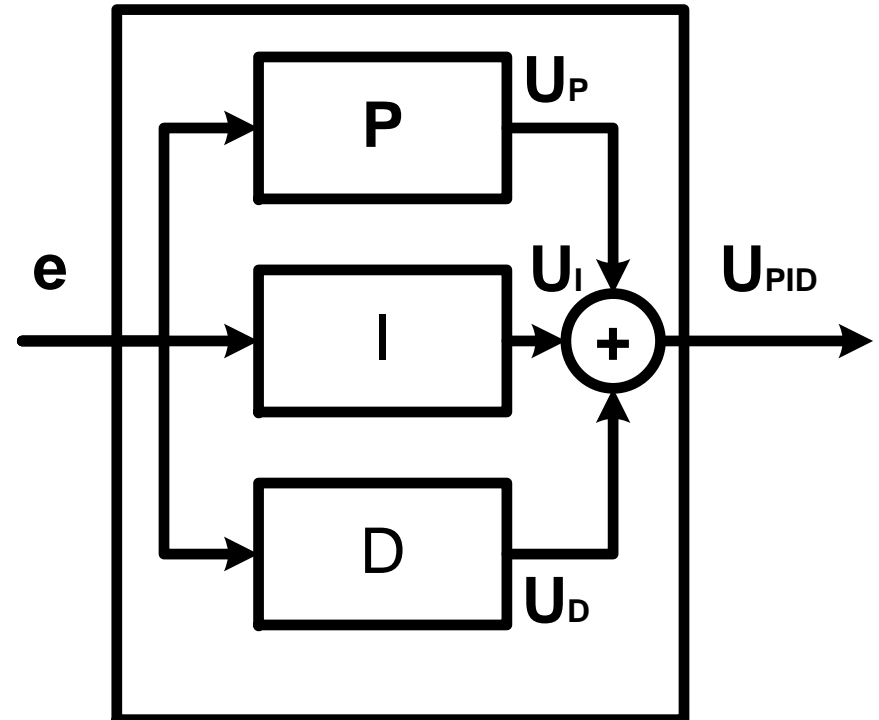
PID Control

Proportional -> Present

Integral -> Past

Derivative -> Future

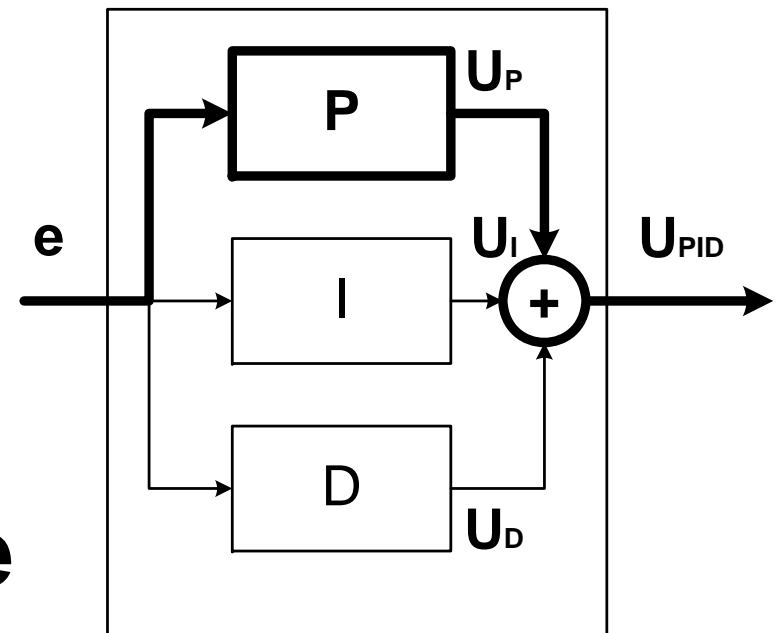
Today...	P
Yesterday...	I
Tomorrow...	D



PID Control

Proportional

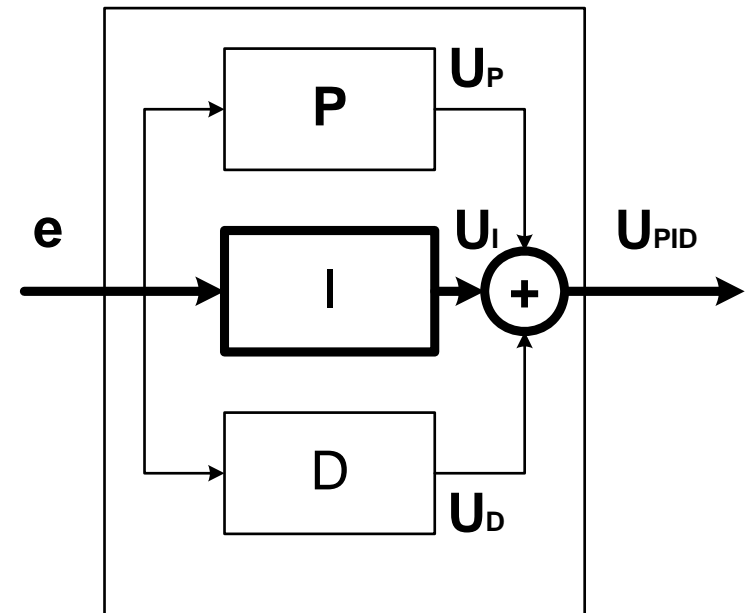
- Simple Gain
- $U_p = K_p * e$
- The larger the error, the larger the control effort
- **Decreases Rise Time**
- **Increases Overshoot**



PID Control

Integral

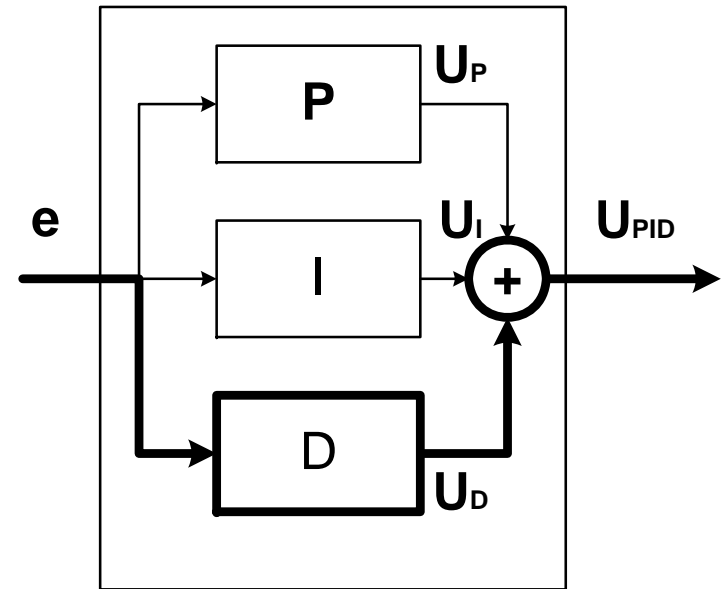
- “Averager”
- $U_i = K_i * \sum e$
- Low Pass Filter ($1/s$)
- Decreases Rise Time
- Increases Overshoot
- Adds sensitivity to low frequency input
- **Eliminates Steady State error to Step Inputs**



PID Control

Derivative

- Slope/Anticipator
- $U_D = K_D * de/dt$
- High Pass Filter (s)
- Increases Bandwidth
- **Decreases overshoot & settling time**
- Adds sensitivity to high frequency input components (and noise!)



PID Control

Parameter effects summary

Parameter	Rise Time	Overshoot	Settling Time	S.S. Error
P	Decrease	Increase	Small Change	Decrease
I	Decrease	Increase	Increase	Eliminate
D	Small Change	Decrease	Decrease	Small Change

In short:

P to decrease rise time

I to eliminate Steady State error

D to decrease overshoot

Tuning a PID controller

Practical, Closed loop tuning

1. Set **I** and **D** to zero
2. Increase **P** until output oscillates
3. Increase **I** until oscillation stops
4. Increase **D** until the loop is acceptably quick to reach its reference

Tuning a PID controller

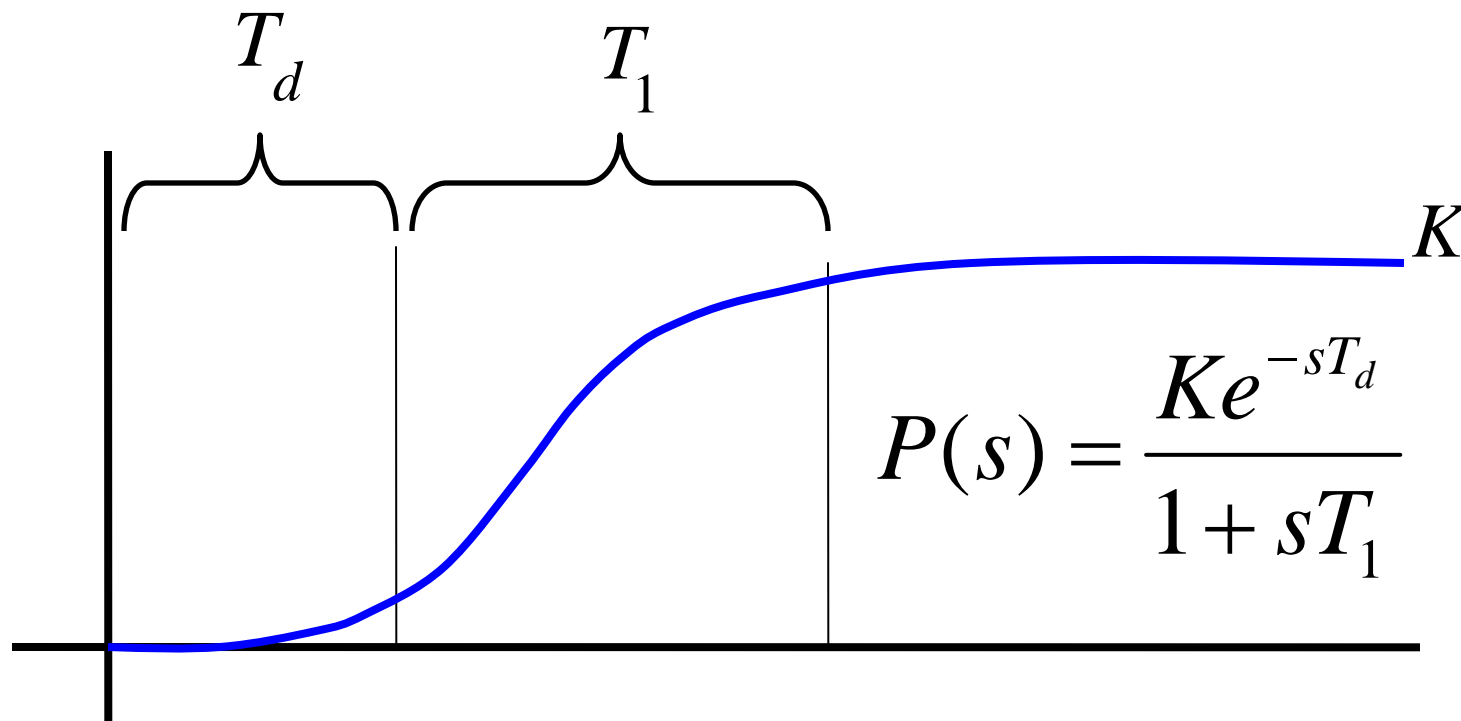
- Ziegler-Nichols closed loop tuning
 - Disable K_d and K_i
 - Perform step tests while increasing K_p until a stable oscillation is achieved (This value of K_p is called the ultimate gain K_u)
 - Measure the period of the resulting oscillation and call it P_u

K	k_p	k_i	k_d
PI	$0.45K_u$	$1.2K_p/P_u$	
PID	$0.6K_u$	$2K_p/P_u$	$K_p * P_u / 8$

Tuning a PID controller

- **Ziegler-Nichols open loop tuning**

- Approximate your open loop step response with a delayed single order system:



Tuning a PID controller

- **Ziegler-Nichols open loop tuning**
 - Set your PID gains using this table and the measured values of T_1 , T_d , and K

K	k_p	k_i	k_d
P	T_1/KT_d		
PI	$0.9T_1/KT_d$	$3.3T_d$	
PID	$1.2T_1/KT_d$	$2T_d$	$0.5T_d$

Car Example



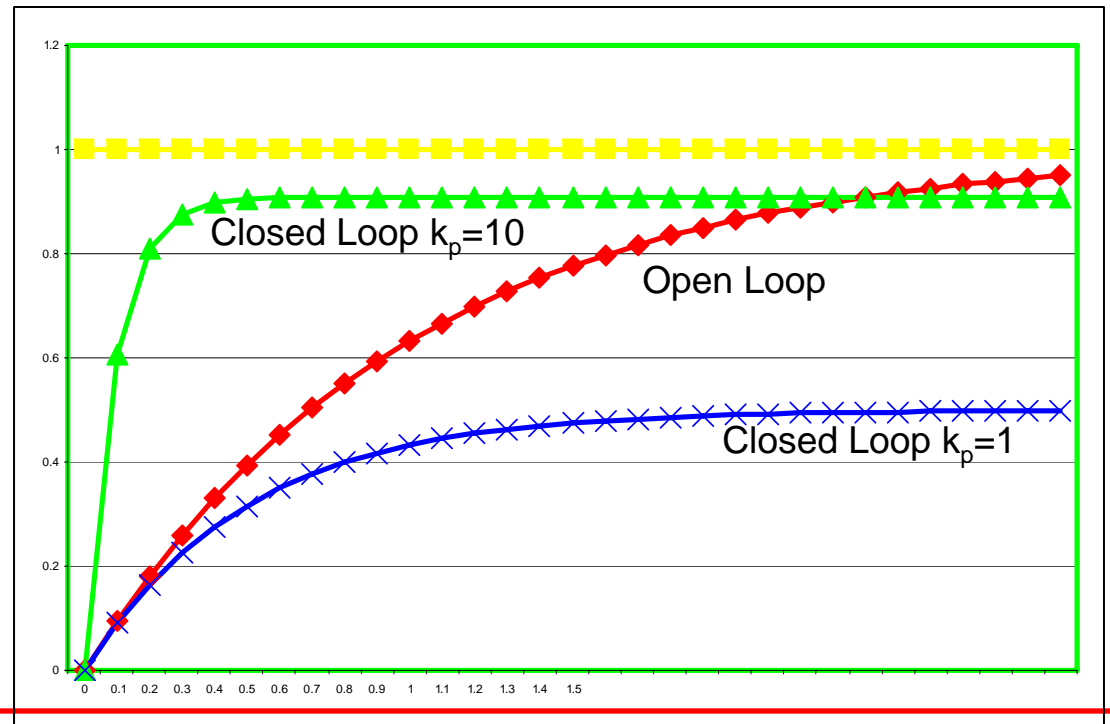
$$P(s) = \frac{1/m}{s + b/m}$$

- **$K=k_p$, Our First Controller**

$$m = 1 \quad b = 1$$

$$P = \frac{1}{s + 1} \quad k_p = 1$$

$$T_{ry} = \frac{PK}{1 + PK} = \frac{1}{s + 2}$$



Car Example



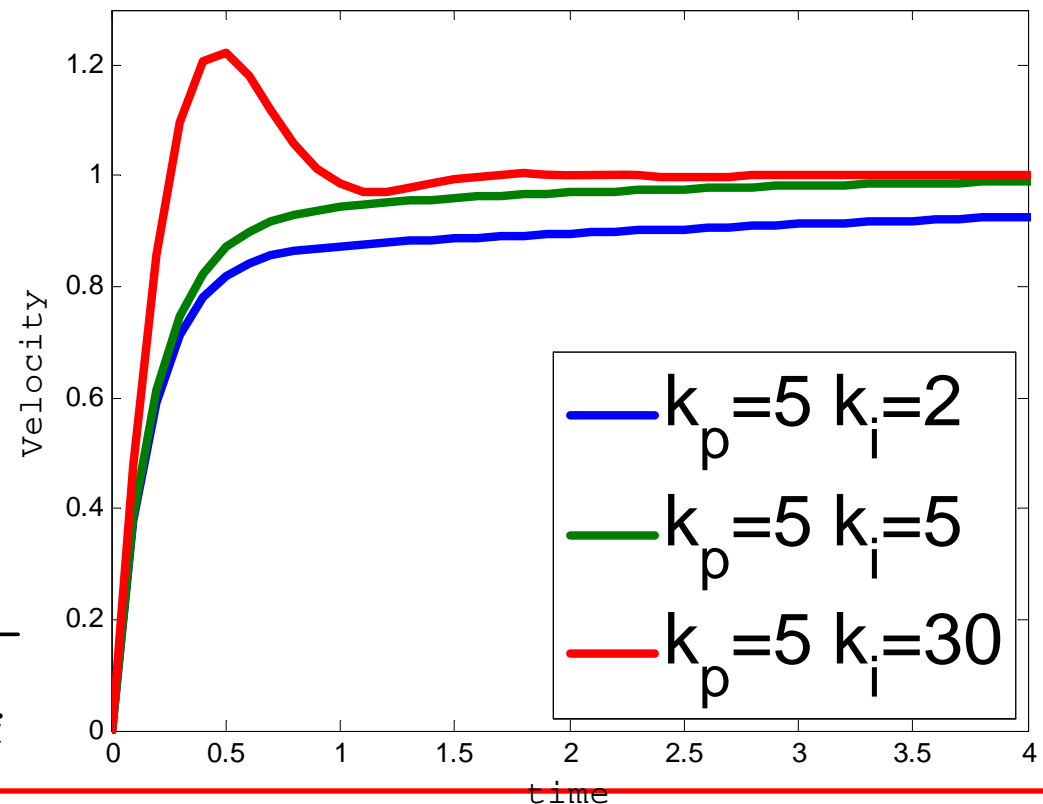
$$P(s) = \frac{1/m}{s + b/m}$$

- PI control
- e_{ss} is gone

$$K = k_p + \frac{k_i}{s}$$

$$T_{ry} = \frac{k_p s + k_i}{s^2 + s(1 + k_p) + k_i}$$

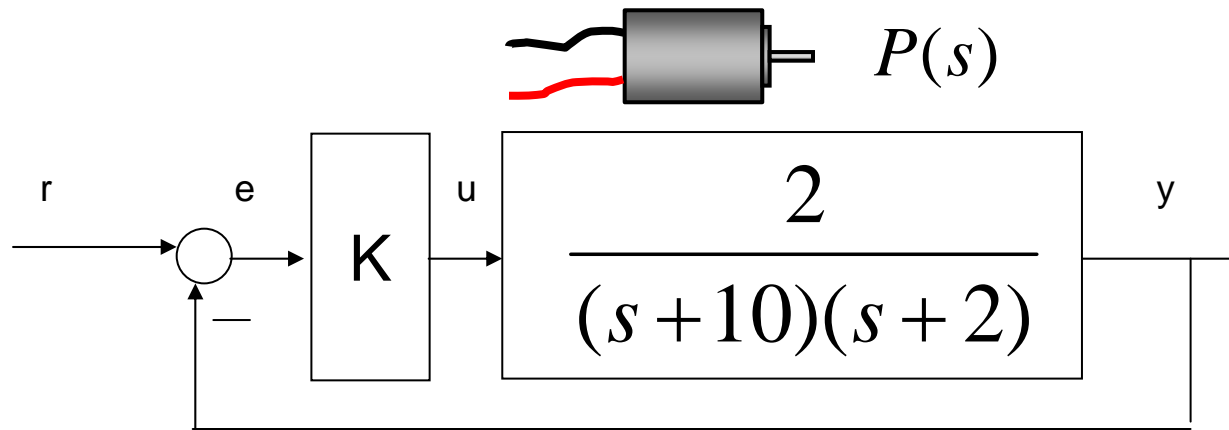
Step Response of the Plant with PI control



Car Simulation

- **Car Simulation Lab**

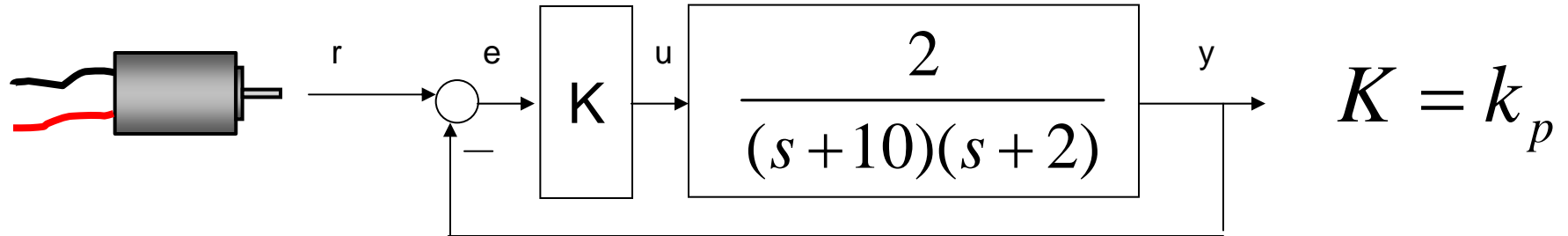
Motor Example



- **$K=k_p$, Our First Controller**

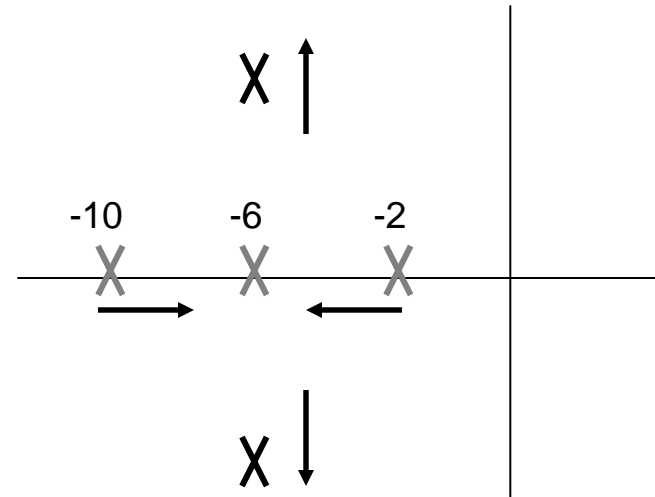
$$T_{ry} = \frac{PK}{1 + PK}$$

Motor Example



$$k_p = 8$$

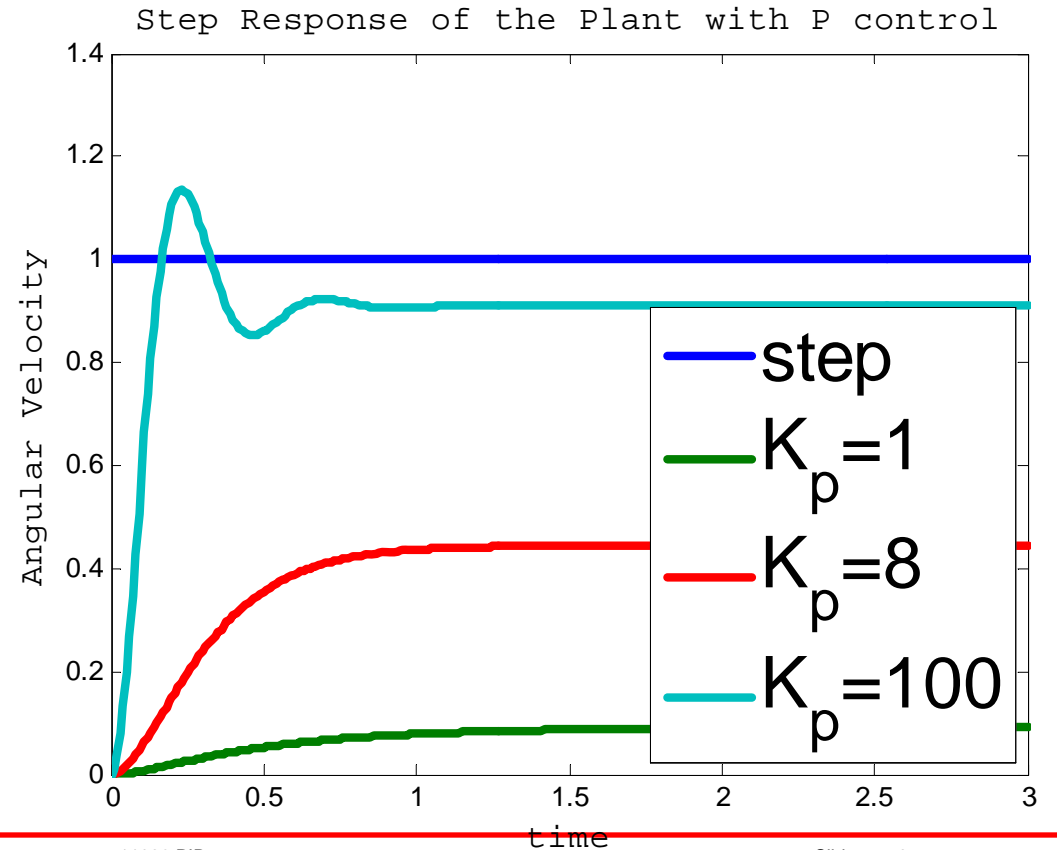
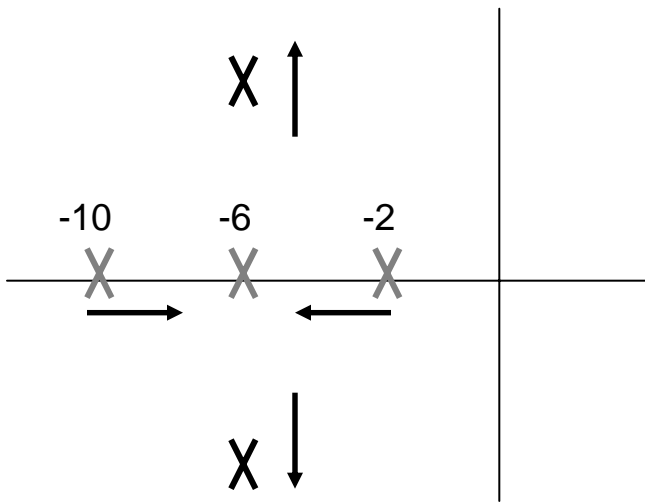
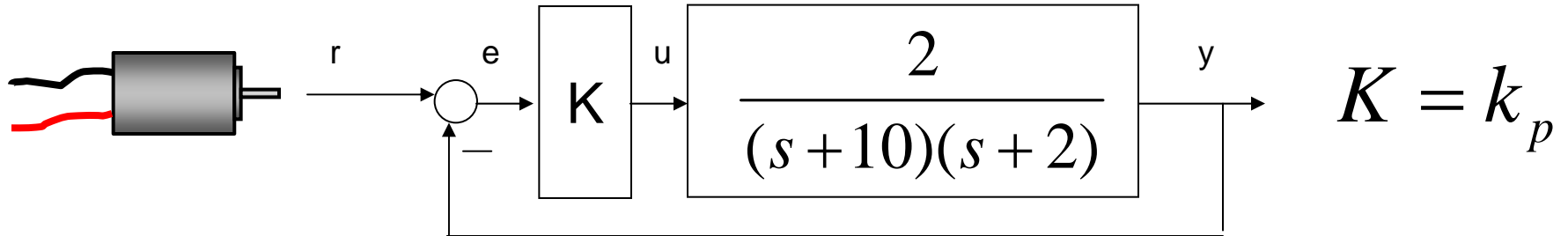
$$T_{ry} = \frac{16}{(s+6)(s+6)}$$



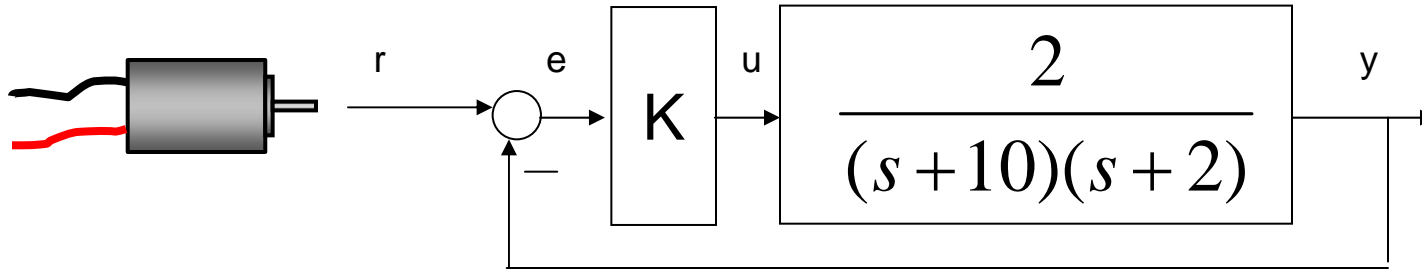
$$k_p = 100$$

$$T_{ry} = \frac{200}{(s+6+13.5j)(s+6-13.5j)}$$

Motor Example



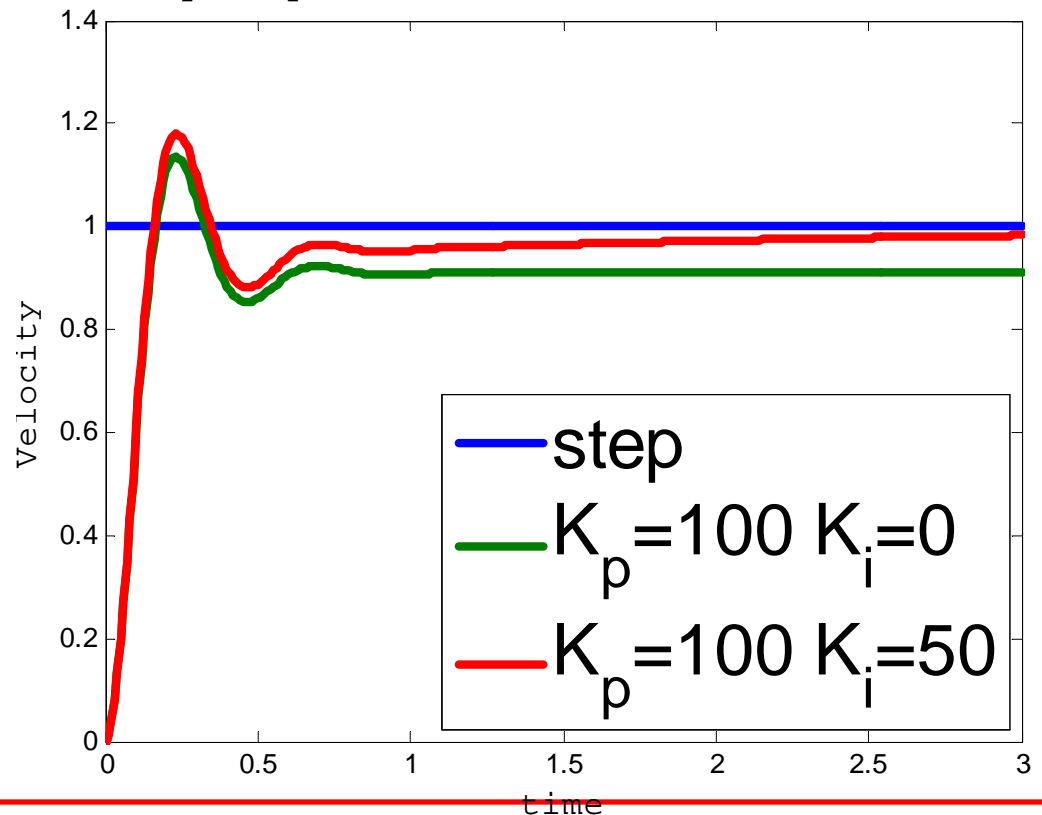
Motor Example



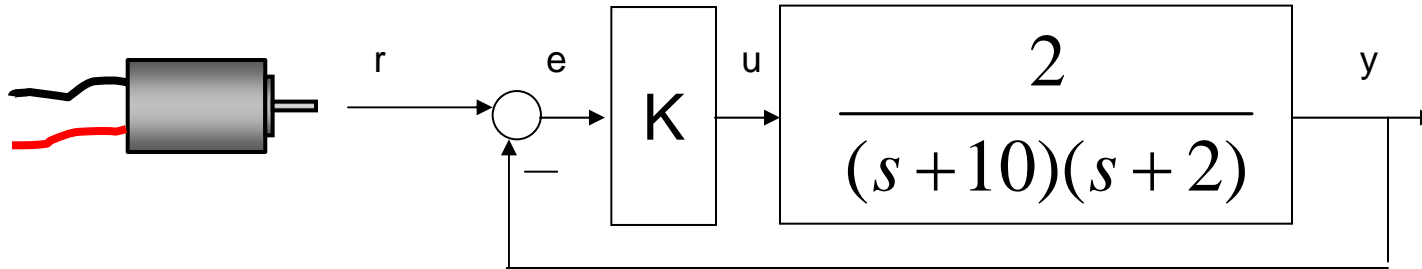
● PI control

$$K = k_p + \frac{k_i}{s}$$

Step Response of the Plant with PI control



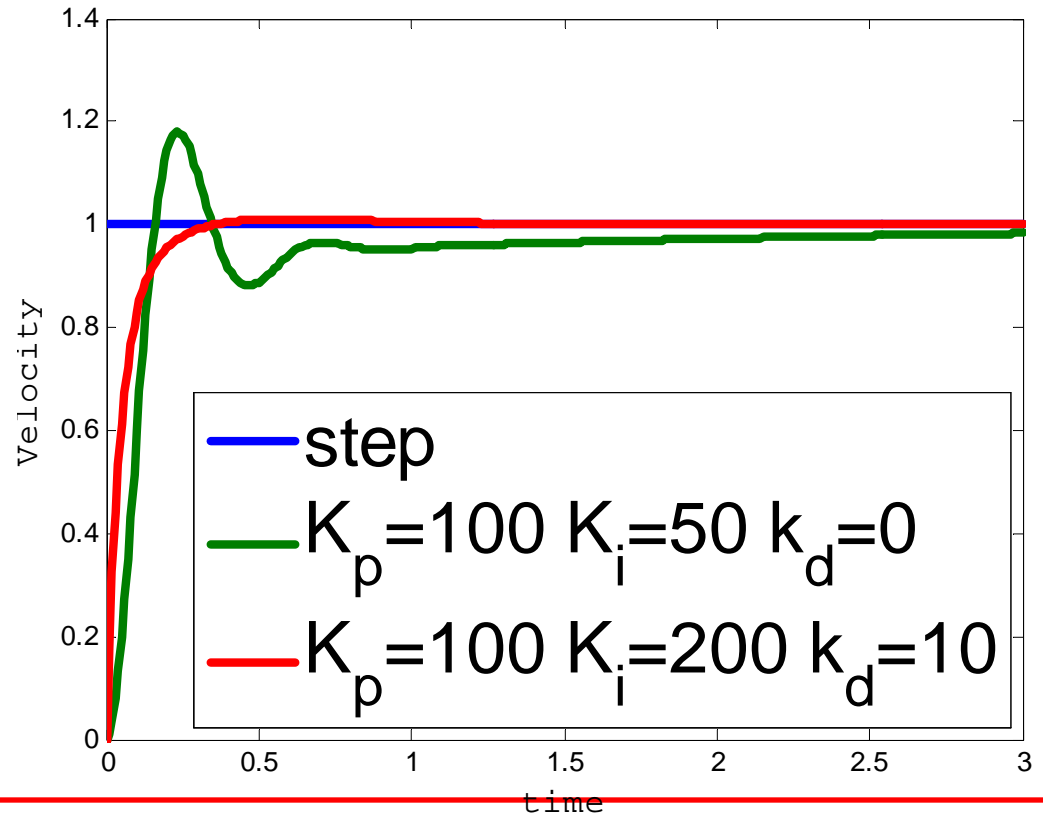
Motor Example



● PID control

$$K = k_p + \frac{k_i}{s} + k_d s$$

Step Response of the Plant with PID control



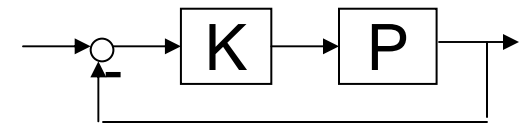
Motor Simulation

- **Motor Simulation Lab**

Feedback Control

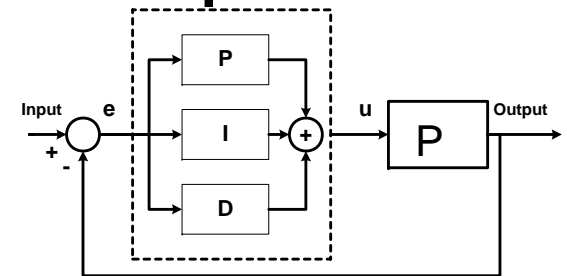
- **Feedback**

- The Standard Feedback Loop
- Closed Loop



- **PID**

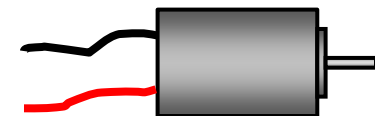
- How does each term work?
- Tuning a PID controller



- **Car example**



- **Motor example**

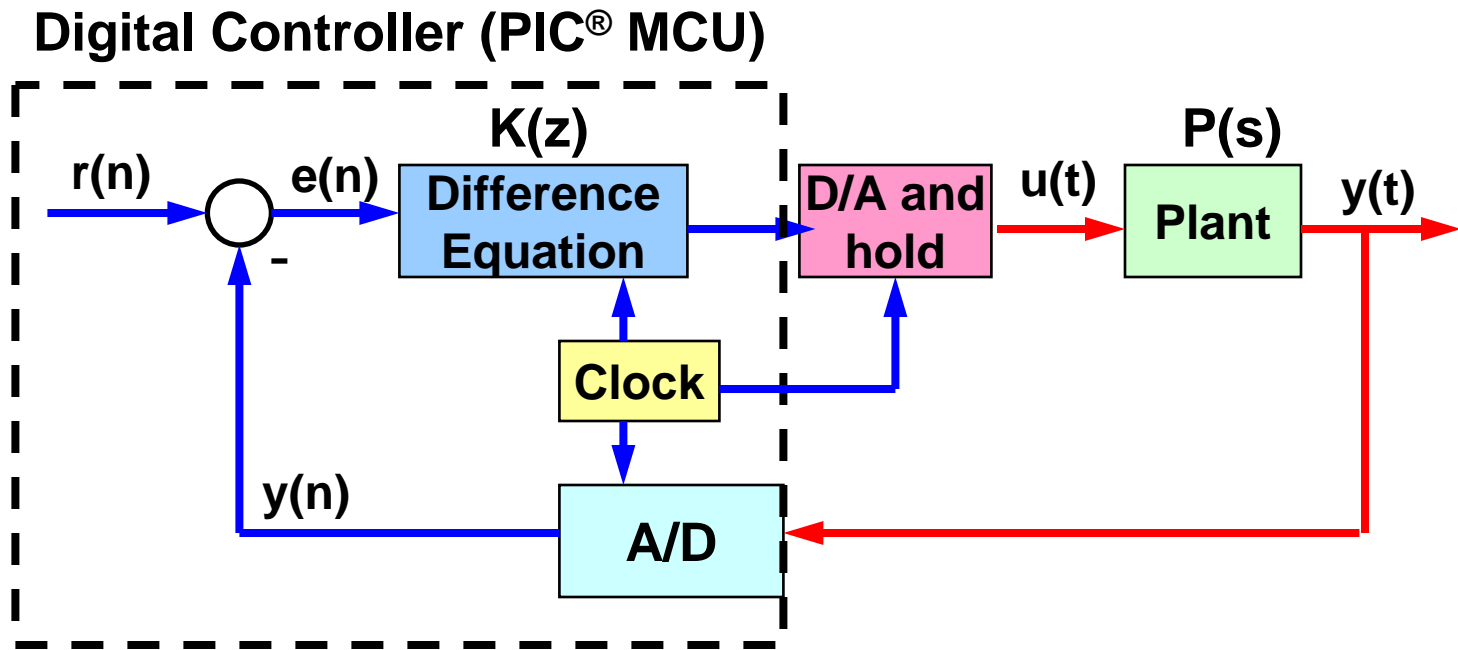
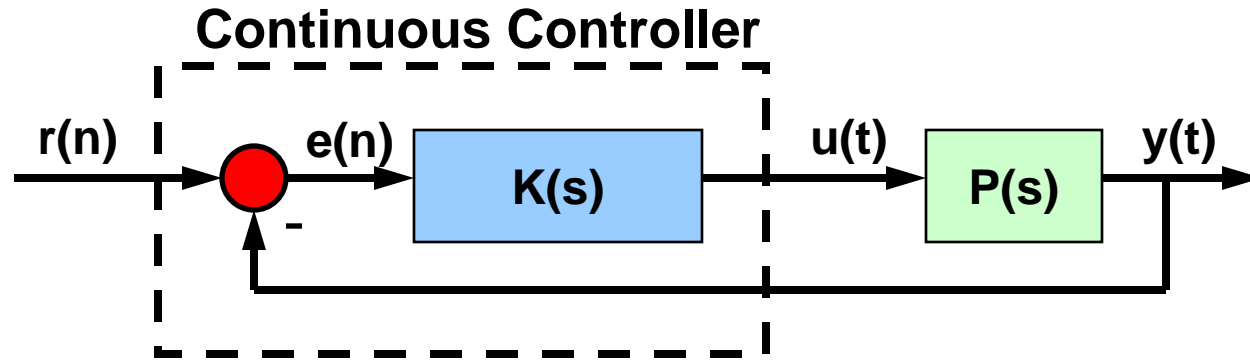


PID Implementation

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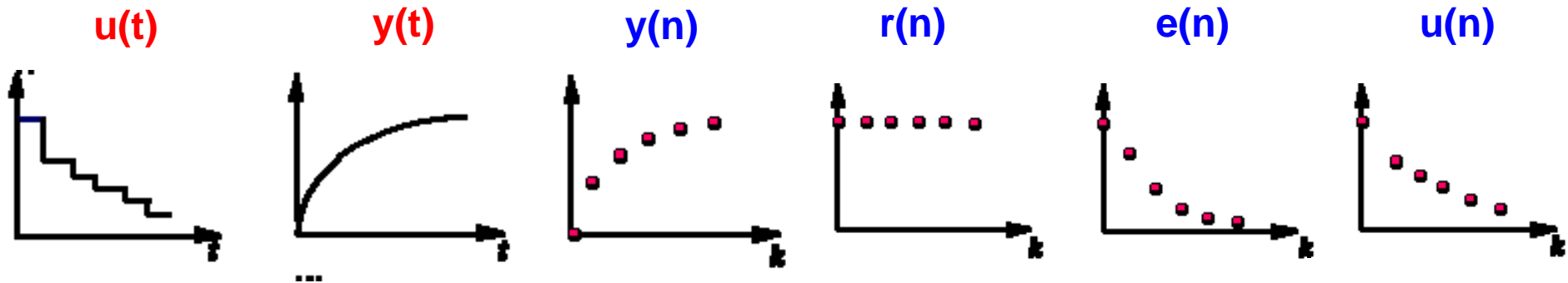
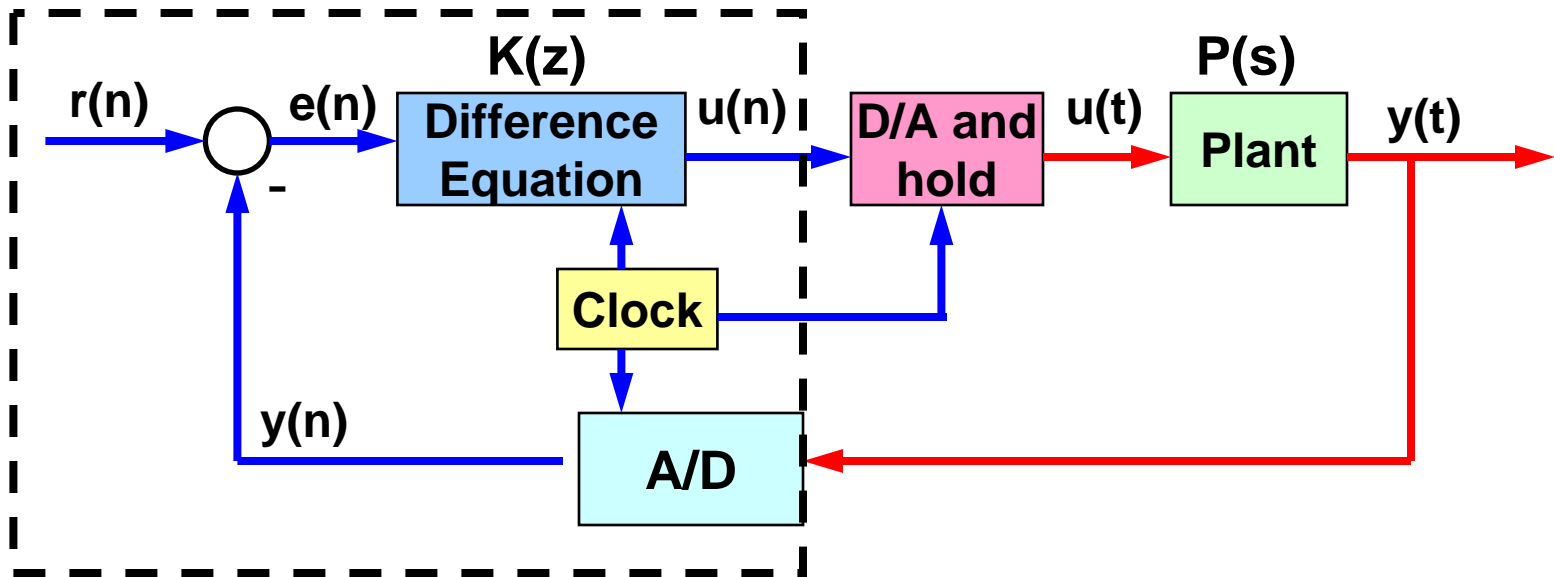
- **The Discrete Feedback loop**
- **The Discrete PID controller**
 - Positional version
 - Velocity
- **PID Controller Realization**
 - Coding flow chart
 - Choosing a sampling and loop update frequency
- **PID LAB**

The Discrete Feedback loop



The Discrete Feedback loop

Digital Controller (PIC[®] MCU)



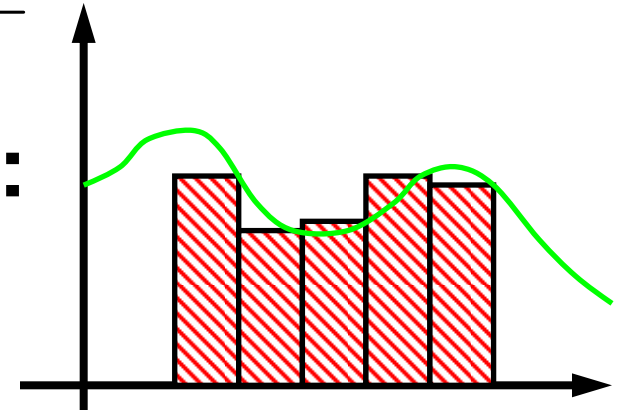
The Discrete PID controller

$$\frac{U(s)}{E(s)} = K_p + \frac{K_i}{s} + K_d s$$

$$u(t) = k_p e(t) + k_i \int_0^t e(t) dt + k_d \frac{de(t)}{dt}$$

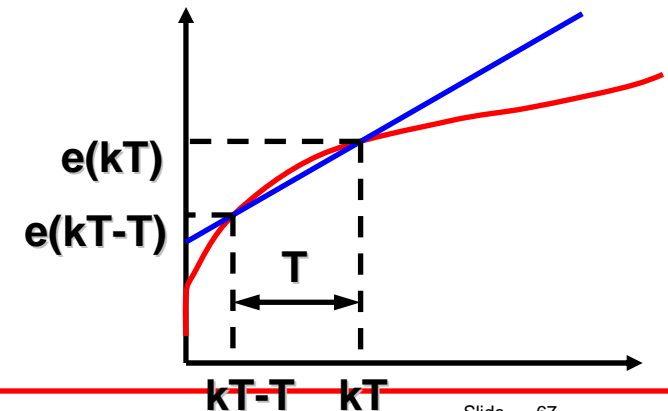
- **Trapezoidal approximation:**

$$\int_0^t e(t) dt \approx \sum_{k=1}^n T e(kT)$$



- **Backward difference approximation:**

$$\frac{de(t)}{dt} \approx \frac{e(kT) - e(kT - T)}{T}$$



The Discrete PID controller

$$\frac{U(s)}{E(s)} = K_p + \frac{K_i}{s} + K_d s$$

- **Positional PID controller**

$$u(kT) = K_p e(kT) + K_d \frac{e(kT) - e(kT - T)}{T} + K_i T \sum_{k=1}^n e(kT) + u_0$$

The Discrete PID controller

$$\frac{U(s)}{E(s)} = K_p + \frac{K_i}{s} + K_d s$$

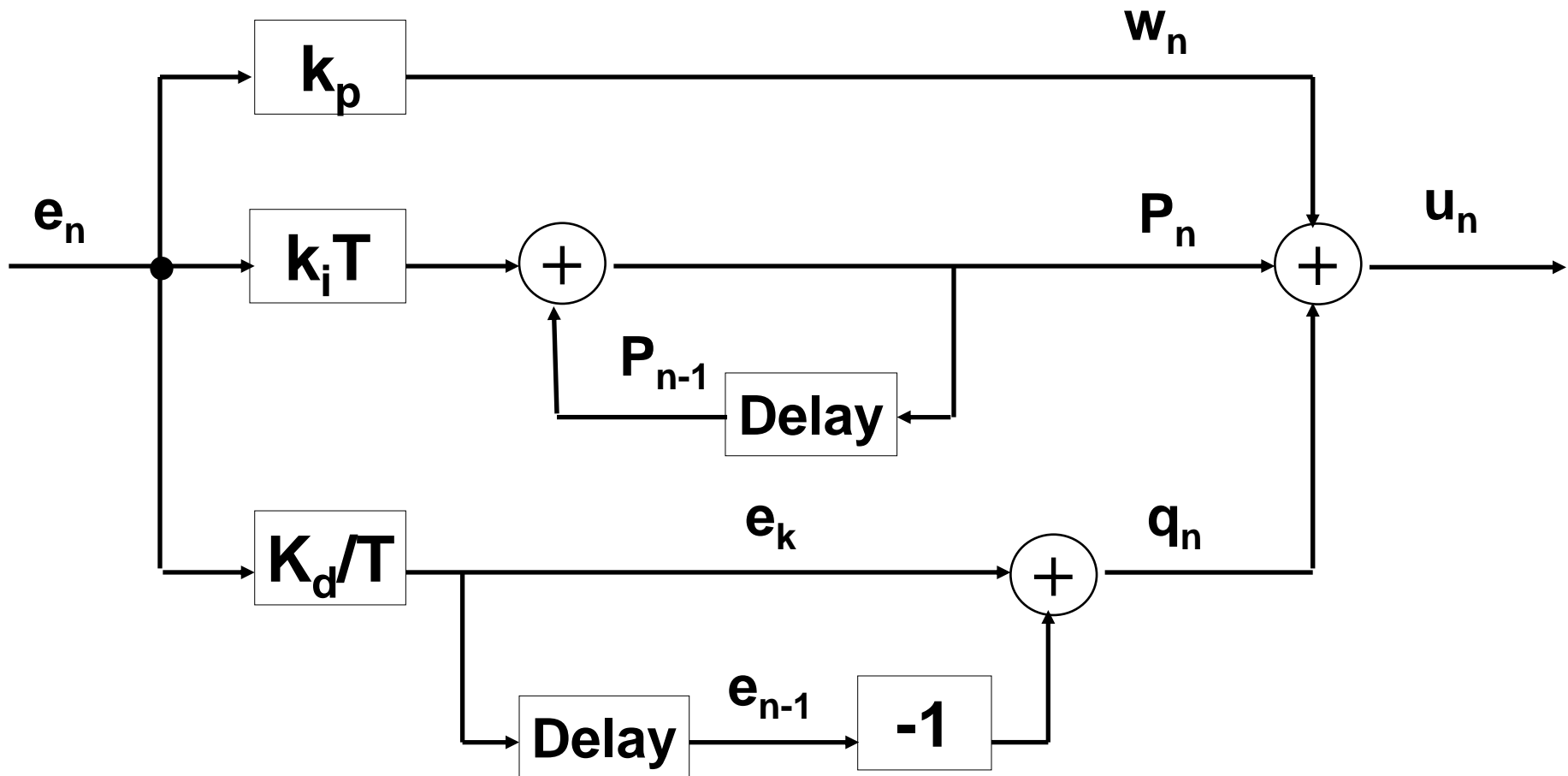
- **Velocity PID controller**

- Shift by one sample and subtract
- Previous control value is modified
- Smoother control action with small error

$$u(kT) = u(kT - T) + K_p [e(kT) - e(kT - T)] + K_i T e(kT) + \frac{K_d}{T} [e(kT) - 2e(kT - T) - e(kT - 2T)]$$

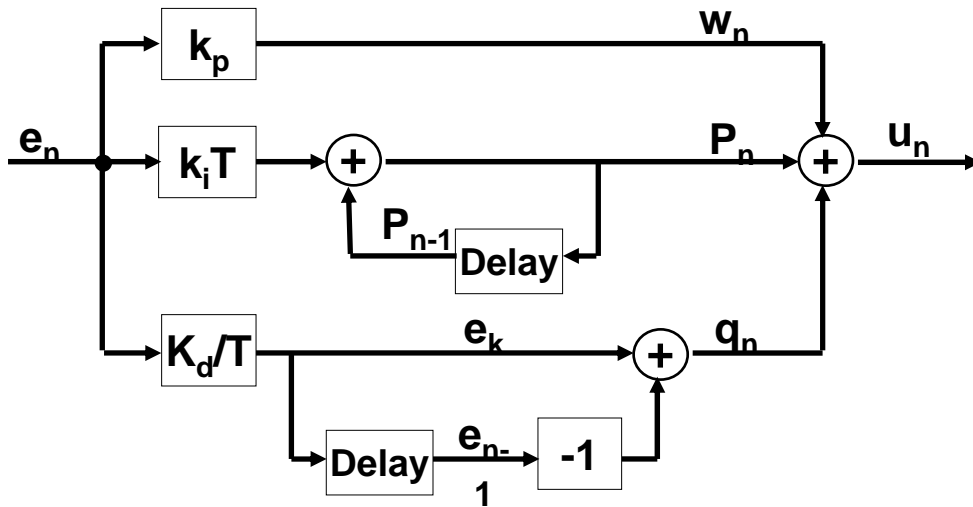
PID Controller Realization

- PID controller as a parallel structure:



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- PID controller as a parallel structure:



PID Update :

$$w_n = k_p e_n$$

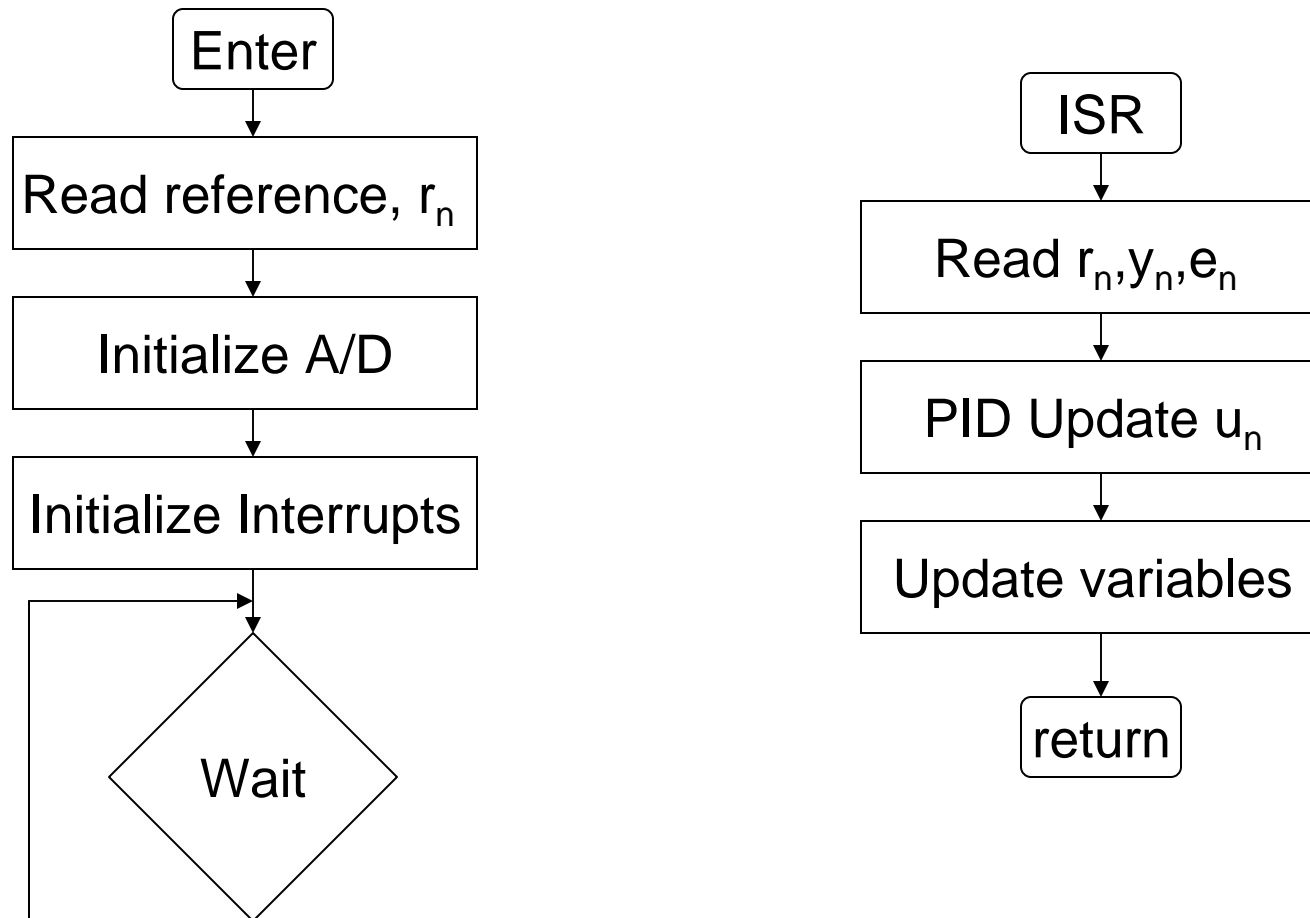
$$p_n = k_i T e_n + p_{n-1}$$

$$q_n = \frac{k_d}{T} (e_n - e_{n-1})$$

$$u_n = w_n + p_n + q_n$$

Code Blocks

- **Typical code flow chart:**



Choosing a Sampling Rate

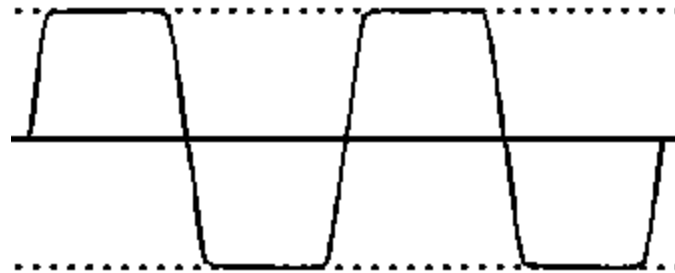
- If plant dominant time constant is T_p :
 - $T < T_p/10$
- If Ziegler-Nichols open-loop model was used:

$$P(s) = \frac{Ke^{-sT_d}}{1 + sT_1}$$

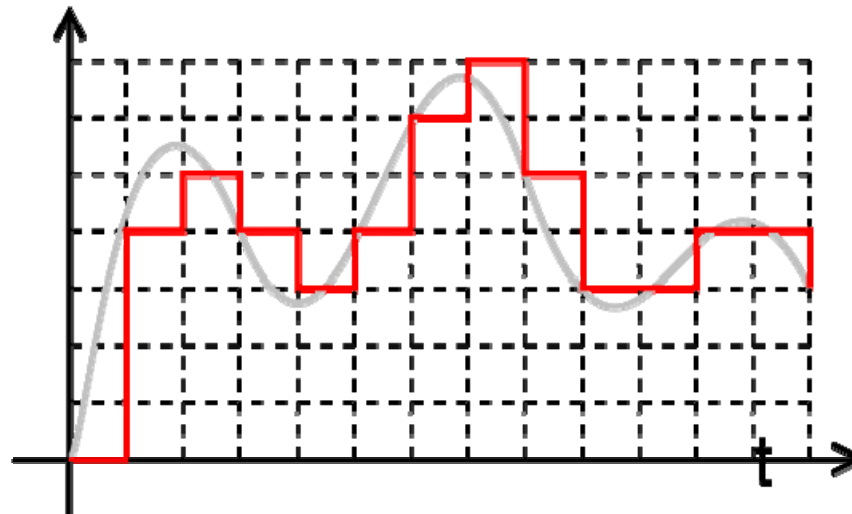
- $T < T_1/4$

Things to Watch Out For

- **Saturation and Integral Wind Up**



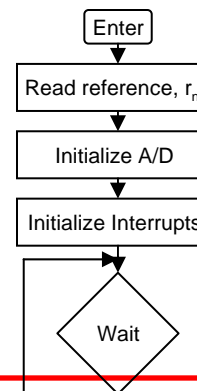
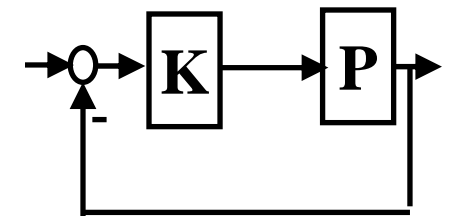
- **Noise and Quantization**



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