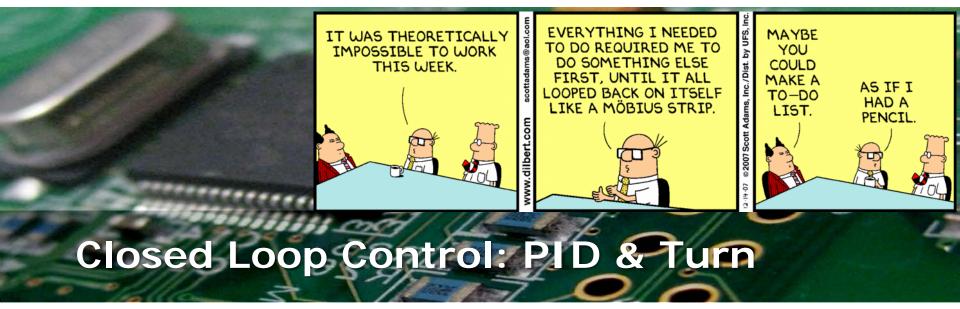


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"Control works best with a loop-back ... "

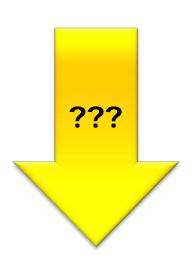
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## **Learning Goals**

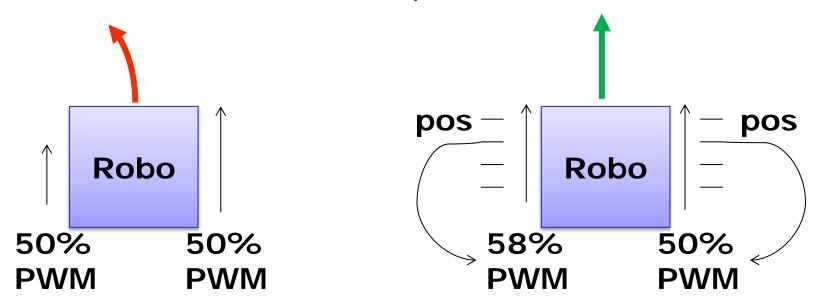
- Crash-Course
  - Closed Loop Control
  - PID
- 'control' vs. 'closed loop control'
- Terminology
  - Control
  - Closed loop control
  - Plant ('Regelstrecke')
  - Step Response ('Sprungantwort')
  - PID Controller





#### **Problem and Solution**

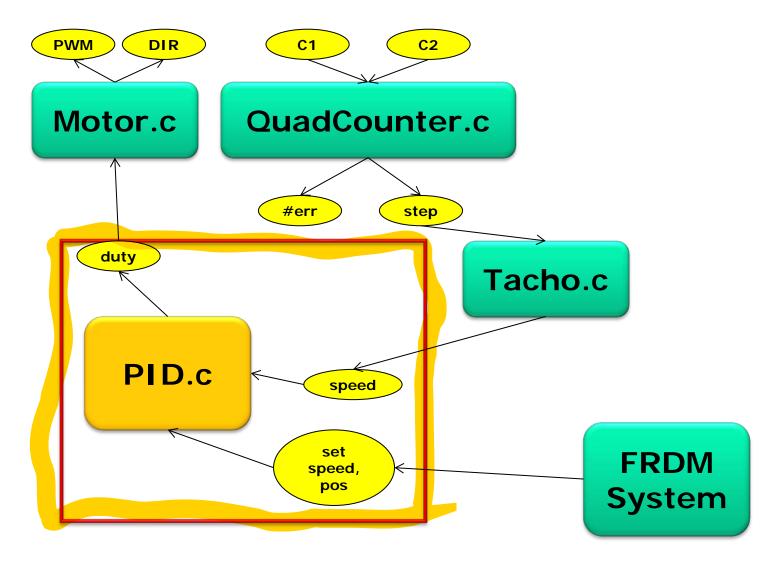
- Problem
  - Same PWM → different speed
  - Mechanical: Friction, Gear Play, ...
- Solution
  - Use Position Encoders to provide feedback



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## **High Level Overview**



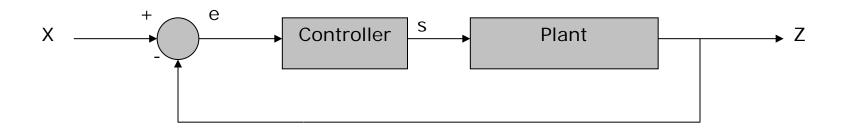
#### Control



- Transmission of Information
- Processing of Information
- Sensors as Information Producer
- Actuators as Information Consumer
- Properties
  - Open Loop
  - No Feedback



### **Closed Loop Control (vs. Control)**



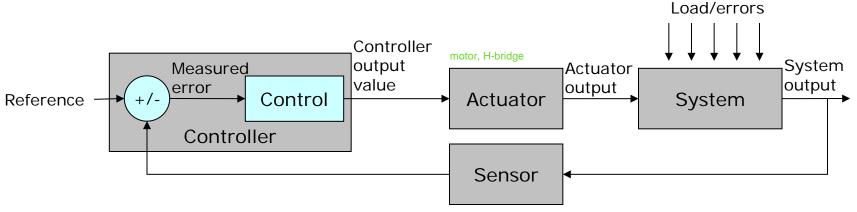
- Closed Loop
- Formal model for
  - Measure
  - Compare
  - Control
- Input is desired value 'X'
- Measure actual value 'Z'
- Calculate error 'e' as Z-X
- Processes control algorithm in controller
- Send new set value 's' to plant

#### English:

,Control' für Steuern und Regeln verwendet. ,Closed loop control' entspricht unserem Regelungsbegriff

## **System Architecture**

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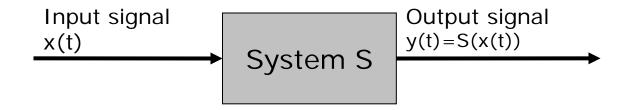
quadratur-encoder gives you the position, de tacho gives you the amount of steps

- Generation of controller output values for actuator
- Measure sensor values
- Generate new controller output values
- Defined behavior of the system
- Consideration of errors



## **Definition: Input and Output Signals**

- Input value x<sub>1</sub>(t):
  - System generates output value with function S:  $y_1(t) = S(x_1(t))$
- Result: formal description of the system
  - Controller as linear differential equation system
  - Description of the closed loop control system

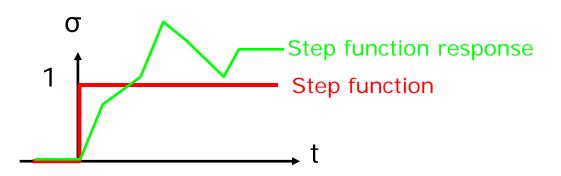


Need input/start values of x(t) for the equation solution.

## **Definition Input Values**

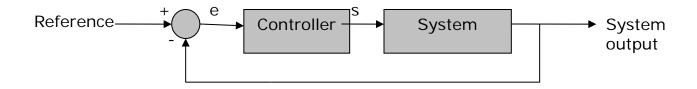
- Need input values to determine the behaviour
  - Calculation of x(t)
  - Allows to **solve** the equation
- Typical function: step function
  - Heaviside step function (0->1)
  - Simple ©

$$\sigma(t) = \begin{cases} 0 \text{ for } t \le 0\\ 1 \text{ for } t > 0 \end{cases}$$

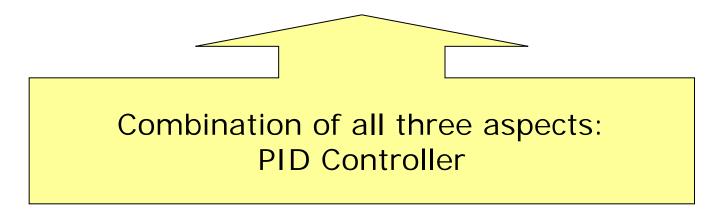


Output value  $S(\sigma(t))$  is the **Step Function Response** 

## **PID Controller Base Types**

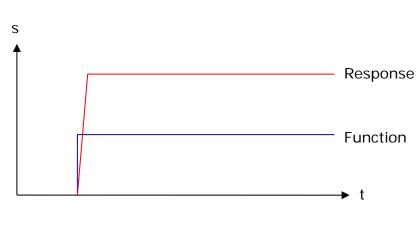


- Different controller types to affect behavior
- 3 base types
  - P: Proportional term
  - I: Integral term
  - D: Derivative term

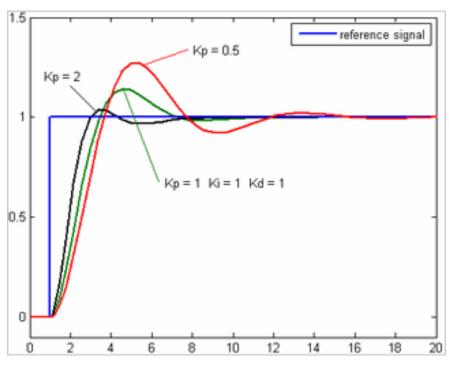


## Proportional/Gain Term

- Simple amplification of the current error value



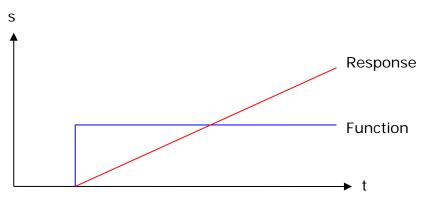
$$s(t) = K_p \bullet e(t)$$



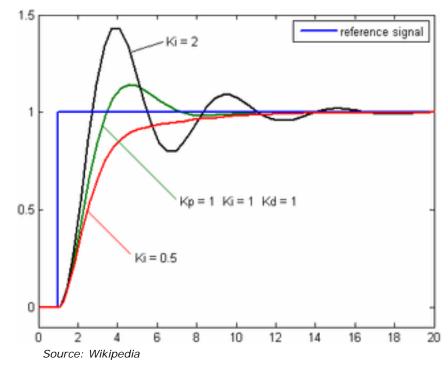
Source: Wikipedia

## **Integral Term**

- Proportional to the magnitude of error and the duration of the error
- Errors are accumulated over time (integration of the error) => Anti-Windup!!!

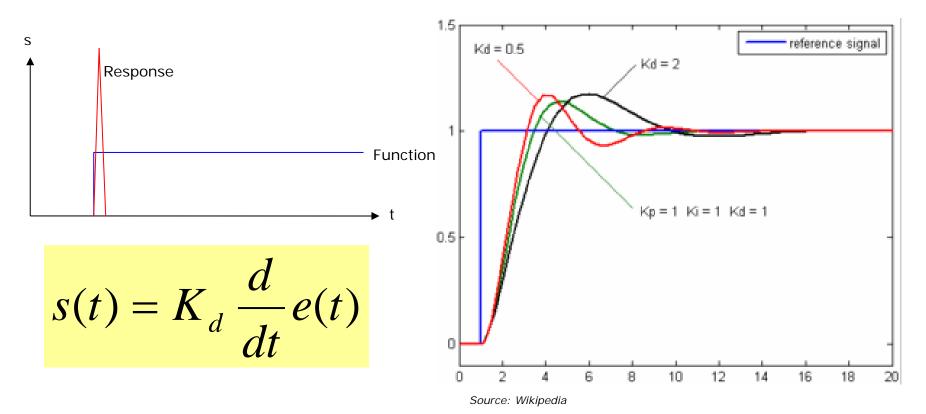


$$s(t) = K_i \int_0^t e(t') \bullet dt'$$



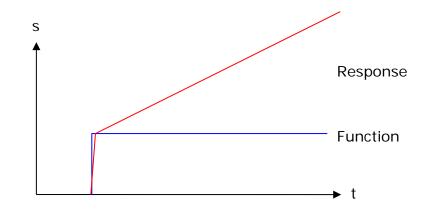
#### **Derivative Term**

- Slope of error (first derivative with respect to time)
- Used to reduce the magnitude of the overshot



#### PI Controller

- Combination P und I terms
- P: Speed
- I: Accuracy



$$s(t) = K_p \bullet e(t) + K_i \int_0^t e(t') \bullet dt'$$

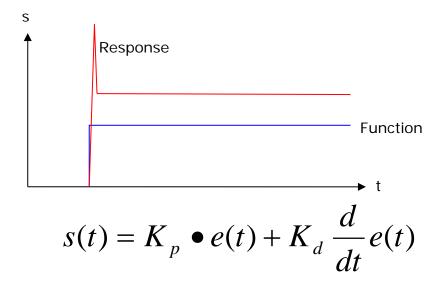
Software Controller:
esum += e;
s = Kp\*e + Ki\*Ta\*esum;

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#### **PD Controller**

- Combination P and D term
- -P + D: makes it fast



Software Controller:

s = Kp\*e + Kd\*(e-eprev) Ta;

eprev = e;

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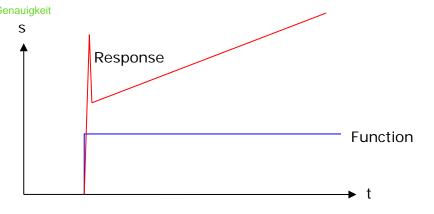
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#### **PID Controller**

- Combination P, I and D term

-P + D: speed

- I: accuracy Genauigkeit



$$s(t) = K_p \bullet e(t) + K_d \frac{d}{dt} e(t) + K_i \int_0^t e(t') \bullet dt'$$
Software Controller:

```
esum = esum + e;
s = Kp*e + Ki*Ta*esum + Kd*(e-eprev)/Ta;
eprev = e;
```

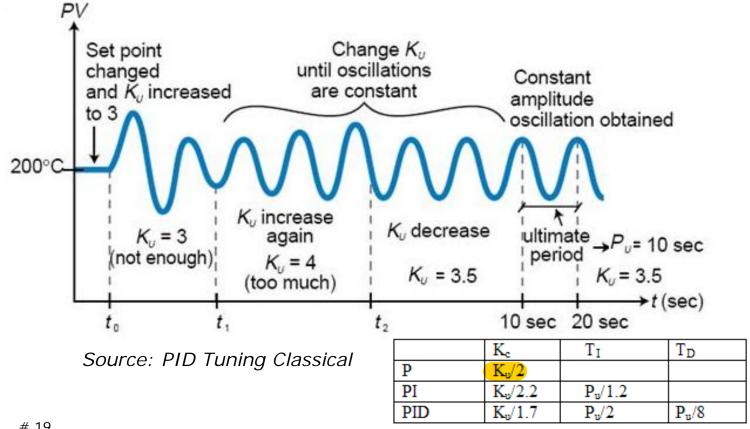
#### Microcontroller PID Controller

```
previous_error = 0
integral = 0
start:
  error = setpoint - actual_position
  integral = integral + (error*dt) dtisthe sampling time
  derivative = (error - previous_error)/dt
  output = (Kp*error) + (Ki*integral) + (Kd*derivative)
  previous_error = error
  wait(dt)
goto start
  it make no sense to run this one faster then your system can react!
```

- I term used with appropriate sampling time
  - Small enough → can be optimized out
  - Depends on sensor
  - Need "Anti-Wind-Up"
- Minimizing dead time
  - Appropriate Timing
  - Example: PWM period

## **Empirical PID Tuning: Ziegler-Nichols**

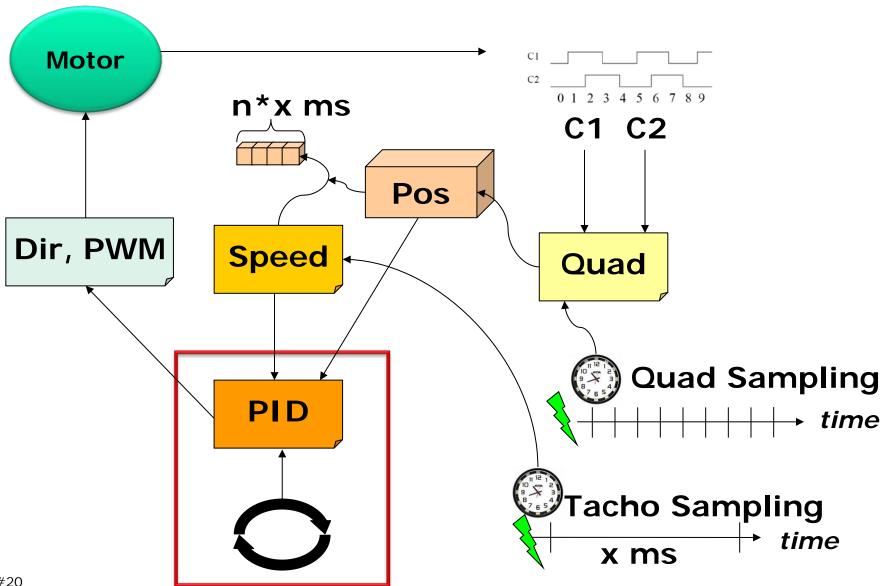
- Only P: increase Kp until constant amplitude
- Decrease Kp and increase Ki and Kd
- Increase Anti-Windup to reach the goal set point



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## **System Architecture & Timing**



## **PID** Configuration

- Max speed command
- Limiting speed to max value
- Forward (fw) line following configuration

```
pid
                           ; Group of PID commands
 help|status
                           ; Shows PID help or status
  speed (L|R) (p|d|i|w) < v; Sets P, D, I or
                             anti-windup position value
  speed (L|R) speed <value; Maximum speed % value
 pos (L|R) (p|d|i|w) <val; Sets P, D, I or anti-windup
                             position value
                           ; Maximum speed % value
  pos speed <value>
  fw (p|i|d|w) <value>
                           ; Sets P, I, D or anti-Windup
                             line value line following
  fw speed <value>
                           ; Maximum speed % value
```

#### **PID Interface**

```
void PID_Speed(int32_t currSpeed, int32_t setSpeed, bool isLeft);
void PID_Pos(int32_t currPos, int32_t setPos, bool isLeft);
void PID_Line(uint16_t currLine, uint16_t setLine); ignore at the moment

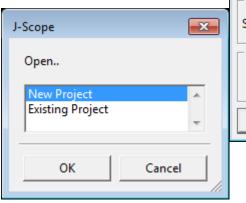
/*! \brief Driver re-init and reset */
void PID Start(void); resets the values, restarting the pid
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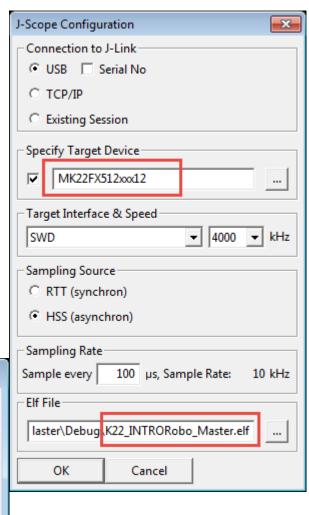
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## Segger J-Scope

- Segger J-Link
- Windows only ⊗
- https://www.segger.com/j-link-jscope.html
- Needs J-Link software installed!
- <install>\segger\ Jscope.exe
- New or existing project
- Target: MK22FX512xxx12
- Sampling Source: HSS
- Specify Elf File



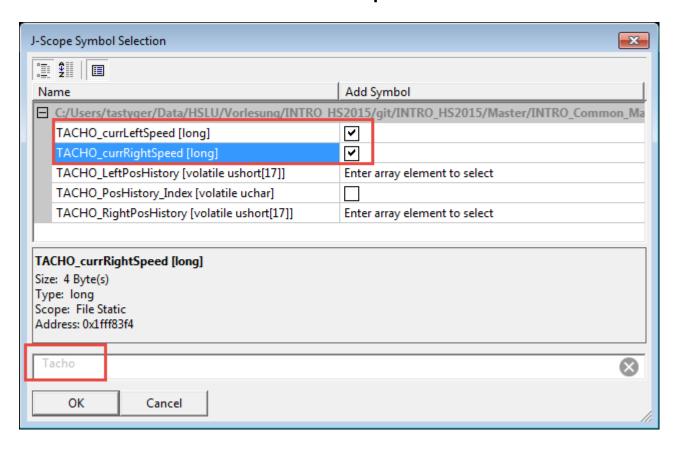


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## **Segger J-Scope Variable Selection**

- Filter for variable name
- Enable variable to show in scope

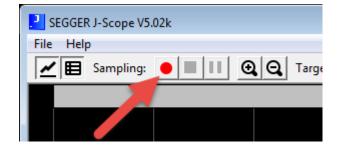


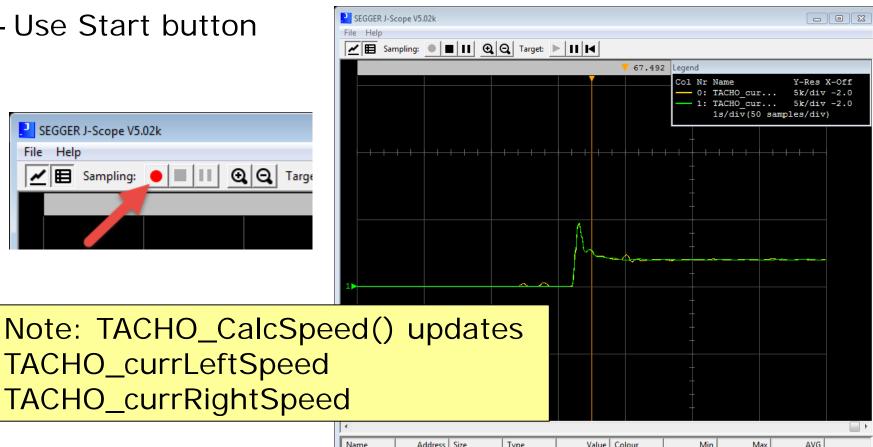
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## **Start Recording**

- Use Start button



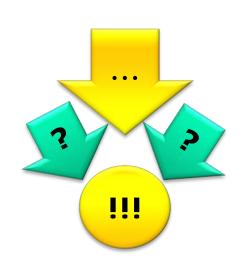


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## **Summary**

- -P, I and D step response
- -Impact of P, I and D terms
- Combinations
- -PID controller
- Implementation in Software/Microcontroller
- -Parameters and optimization
  - $K_d$ ,  $K_i$ ,  $K_p$
  - Anti-Wind-Up

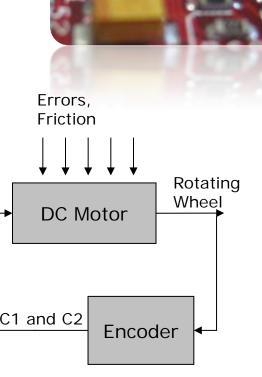


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## **Lab: Closed Loop Control**

- PID Closed Loop Controller (PID.c/.h)
  - Speed (moving at speed)
  - Turning (move to position)
  - K<sub>p</sub>, K<sub>i</sub> and K<sub>d</sub> effects
- PID Factor turning
- Use Shell & J-Scope
- → Next: Drive and Turn!



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