P & PI Control

Open serial to Pico data port

```
clear s % closes ports already open
s = serialport('COM4',9600) % Check COM#
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s =
  Serialport with properties:

               Port: "COM4"
           BaudRate: 9600
    NumBytesAvailable: 0

  Show all properties, functions
```

Send desired heigth and request for number of samples to Pico

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desired_height = 10;
s.writeline(num2str(desired_height)) % send desired height to Pico

samples = 700;
s.writeline(num2str(samples)) % send number of samples to Pico

height = zeros(1, samples); % create emply row vector for distance collection
voltage = zeros(1, samples); % create emply row vector for voltage collection

% loop for every sample
for i = 1:samples
    height(i) = s.readline(); % receive distance from serial
    voltage(i) = s.readline(); % receive voltage from serial
end
```

```
save pvb_data2_04_10_2024.mat height voltage
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```
load pvb_data2_04_10_2024.mat

plot(height, "b") % plot height

hold on
ss = mean(height(400:end));
error = 10 - ss;
pos = max(height(400:end)) + 0.2;
yline(10, "r",'LineWidth', 2) % plot desired height
yline(ss, 'g', 'LineWidth', 2)
text(690,pos,"Error: " + error + " cm",'Color','red', ...
    'HorizontalAlignment','right','VerticalAlignment','bottom')
hold off

%xlim([300 700])
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%xlim([0 500])
axis([0 700 -5 25]) % set axis limits
title("Height (cm) vs. Sample Number Trial 3")
xlabel("Sample Number")
ylabel("Height (cm)")
legend("Sensor Reading", "Desired Height", "Steady State")
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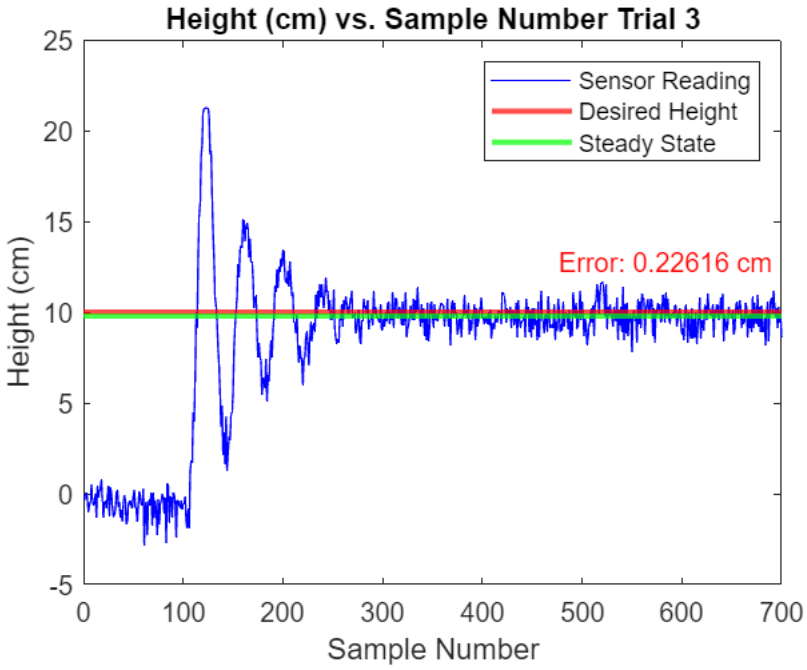


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plot(voltage, "b") % plot voltage

%xlim([300 500])
%xlim([0 500])
title("Voltage (V) vs. Sample Number Trial 1")
xlabel("Sample Number")
ylabel("Voltage (V)")
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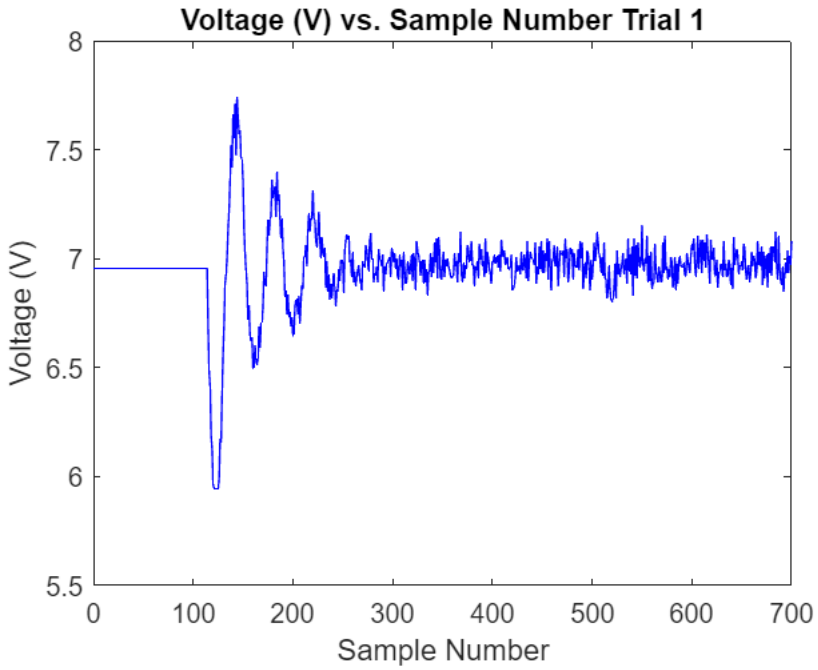

Calculate linear fit parameters to find baseline voltages

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duty_cycle = [50 55 60 65 70]; % expiremented duty cycles
height = [3.99151 6.907516 9.897944 18.32904 20.30173];

voltage = (duty_cycle ./ 100) .* 12; % convert duty_cycle to fan voltage

plot(height, voltage, 'bo') % plot data points

pfit = polyfit(height,voltage,1); % fit line to data
pval = polyval(pfit, height); % evaluate fitted line

hold on
plot(height, pval, 'r') % plot fitted line
hold off

title("Voltage (V) vs. Height (cm)")
xlabel("Height (cm)")
ylabel("Voltage (V)")
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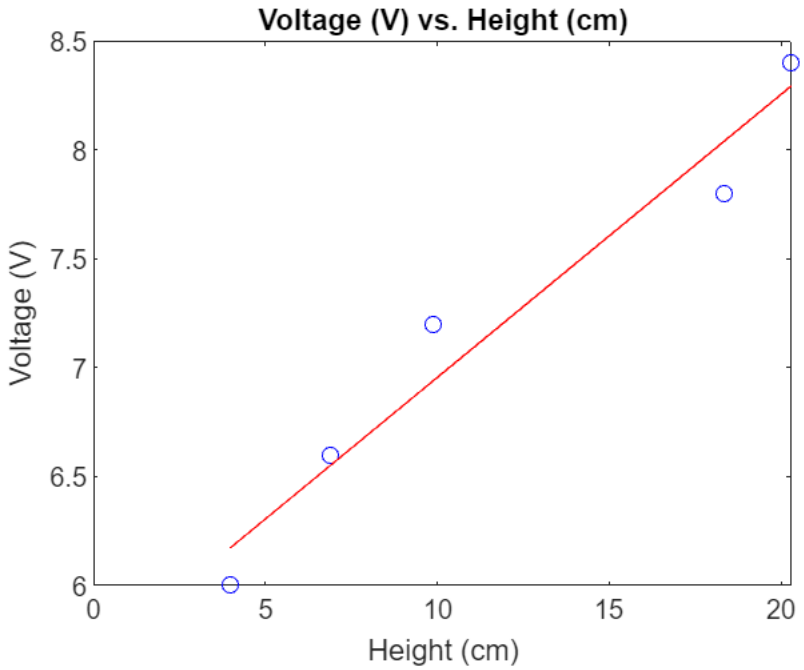


```
% extract parameters
a = pfit(1)
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a =
   0.129918628540445
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b = pfit(2)
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b =
   5.655845904388375
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