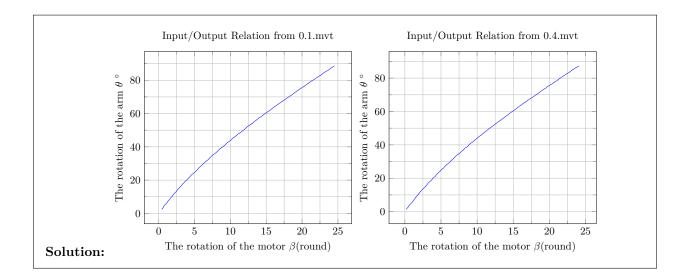
## The Answer to the Experiment Maxpid Controlled Function Chain

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## Solution:

- (a) The figure 1: Control board, arm, protection casting.
- (b) The figure 2: Tachometric generator, motor, screw, nut, angular potentiometer.



**Solution:** The approximative pitch of the screw is 0.400 cm(4 mm) and the screw has a right-hand thread. The relation is:

$$\Delta x = -p\Delta\beta$$

The hypotheses are as follow:

- Suppose the motor rotates clockwise
- and the positive part of x axis is along  $\vec{x_1}$ .

The known facts are as follow:

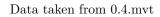
- By definition, a right-hand screw is the one that will be loosen when the nut revolves clockwise along it.
- In our case, the one that moves respecting to the protection casting is the screw, not the nut.

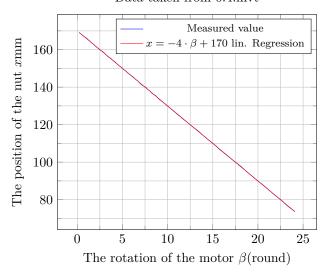
Thus, when the motor rotates clockwise, the nut moves along the negative part of the x. The sign of the relation is negative.

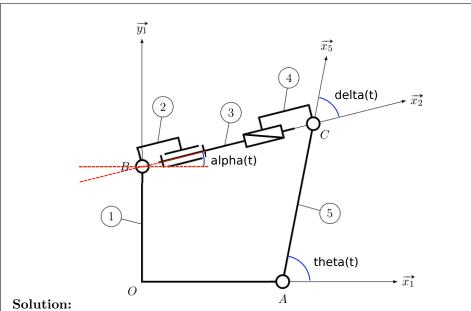
**Solution:** For the pitch we have:

$$p = \left| \frac{\Delta x}{\Delta \beta} \right|$$

From the linear regression we have  $p=4\mathrm{mm},$  which matches the measurement.







The angular parameters  $\theta(t)$ ,  $\alpha(t)$  and  $\delta(t)$  are indicated in the image above.

Solution:

$$a = 70$$
mm  
 $b = 80$ mm  
 $c = 80$ mm

**Solution:** The input parameter is  $\beta(t)$  and the output parameter is  $\theta(t)$ .

**Solution:** The loop closure vector relation is:

$$\overrightarrow{OB} + \overrightarrow{BC} + \overrightarrow{CA} + \overrightarrow{AO} = \vec{0}$$
$$a\vec{x_1} + c\vec{x_5} - x(t)\vec{x_2} - b\vec{y_1} = \vec{0}$$

As  $\vec{b_1}$  is represented by  $\vec{x_1}$  and  $\vec{y_1}$ , we have two scalar equations:

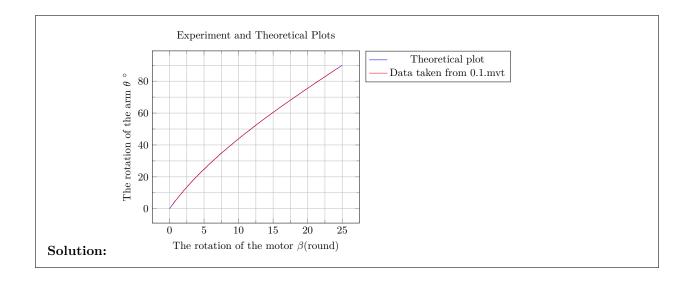
$$a\vec{x_1} \cdot \vec{x_1} + c\vec{x_5} \cdot \vec{x_1} - x(t)\vec{x_2} \cdot \vec{x_1} = 0$$
$$c\vec{x_5} \cdot \vec{y_1} - x(t)\vec{x_2} \cdot \vec{y_1} - b\vec{y_1} \cdot \vec{y_1} = 0$$

The final simplified equations are:

$$a + c\cos(\theta(t)) - x(t)\cos(\alpha(t)) = 0$$
$$-b + c\sin(\theta(t)) - x(t)\sin(\alpha(t)) = 0$$

**Solution:** Eliminating  $\alpha$  from the scalar equations using  $\sin^2 \alpha + \cos^2 \alpha = 1$  yields:

$$\begin{split} x^2 &= 2c(a\cos\theta - b\sin\theta) + a^2 + b^2 + c^2 \\ x^2 &= 2c\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}\sin\left(\theta - \arctan\frac{a}{b}\right) + a^2 + b^2 + c^2 \\ \theta &= -\arcsin\left(\frac{x^2 - a^2 - b^2 - c^2}{2c\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}}\right) + \arctan\frac{a}{b} \\ &= -\arcsin\left(\frac{(-4\beta + 170)^2 - a^2 - b^2 - c^2}{2c\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}}\right) + \arctan\frac{a}{b} \\ &= -\arcsin\left(\frac{16\beta^2 - 1360\beta + 11200}{17008}\right) + 41.19 \end{split}$$



 $<sup>^1{\</sup>rm Since}\ t$  is not relevant to the relation between  $\theta$  and  $\beta,$  we omit t in this solution.