

Matlab for Motor Control

– Modeling DC Motor & Control

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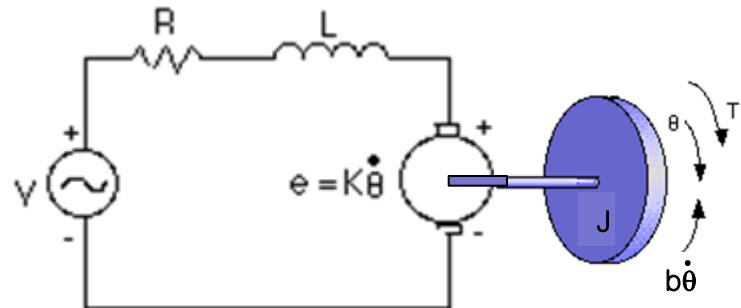
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Physical Setup

- DC motor system
 - moment of inertia of the rotor (J) ($\text{kg} \cdot \text{m}^2/\text{s}^2$)
 - damping ratio of the mechanical system (b) (Nms)
 - Back EMF & electromotive force constant (K_e & K_t) (Nm/Amp)
 - electric resistance (R) (ohm)
 - electric inductance (L) (H)
 - input : Voltage ($V = k * d$, where k : constant and d : PWM duty)
 - output : position of shaft (θ)
 - The rotor and shaft are assumed to be rigid



System Equations

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- Exact model equations

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

$$L \frac{di}{dt} + Ri + K_e \dot{\theta} = V = kd$$

- Transfer function

$$s(Js + b)\Theta(s) - K_t I(s) = 0 \quad \frac{\Theta}{D} = \frac{kK_t}{s[(Js + b)(Ls + R) + K_e K_t]}$$
$$K_e s \Theta(s) + (Ls + R) I(s) = kd$$

- State space

$$\frac{d}{dt} \begin{bmatrix} \theta \\ \dot{\theta} \\ i \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -b/J & K_t/J \\ 0 & -K_e/L & -R/L \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \theta \\ \dot{\theta} \\ i \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ a/L \end{bmatrix} d, \quad y = [1 \ 0 \ 0] \begin{bmatrix} \theta \\ \dot{\theta} \\ i \end{bmatrix}$$



System Equations – with approximation

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- Assumption: The motor system is **linear**. (It is not true.)
- Because $L \ll R$ for most motors, the simplified system model has only two system parameters. (This is reasonable.)
- Using approximate transfer function

$$\frac{\Theta}{D} \underset{\approx}{=} \frac{kK_t}{s[R(Js+b) + K_e K_t]} = \frac{K}{s(\tau s + 1)}$$

- *If the moment of inertia J is negligible, the transfer function would be:* $\frac{\Theta}{D} \underset{\approx}{=} \frac{K}{s}$
- *State Space representation*

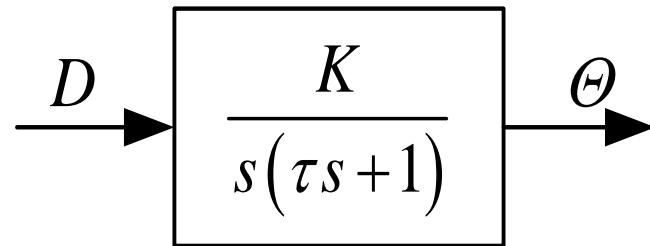
$$\frac{d}{dt} \begin{bmatrix} \theta \\ \dot{\theta} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & -1/\tau \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \theta \\ \dot{\theta} \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ K/\tau \end{bmatrix} d \quad y = [1 \quad 0] \begin{bmatrix} \theta \\ \dot{\theta} \end{bmatrix}$$



P #1: Parameter identification by open-loop control

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- Assumption: The motor system is **linear**. (It is not true.)



- Calculate & plot angular velocity along time with the encoder reading of an open-loop response for a sufficient PWM duty step input, $d = 200$. (Be sure to get a smooth plot.)
- Obtain the time constant τ of your motor system. Check the variation of τ for different values of d .
- From the steady state angular speed, calculate the parameter K . Also check the variation of K for different values of d .

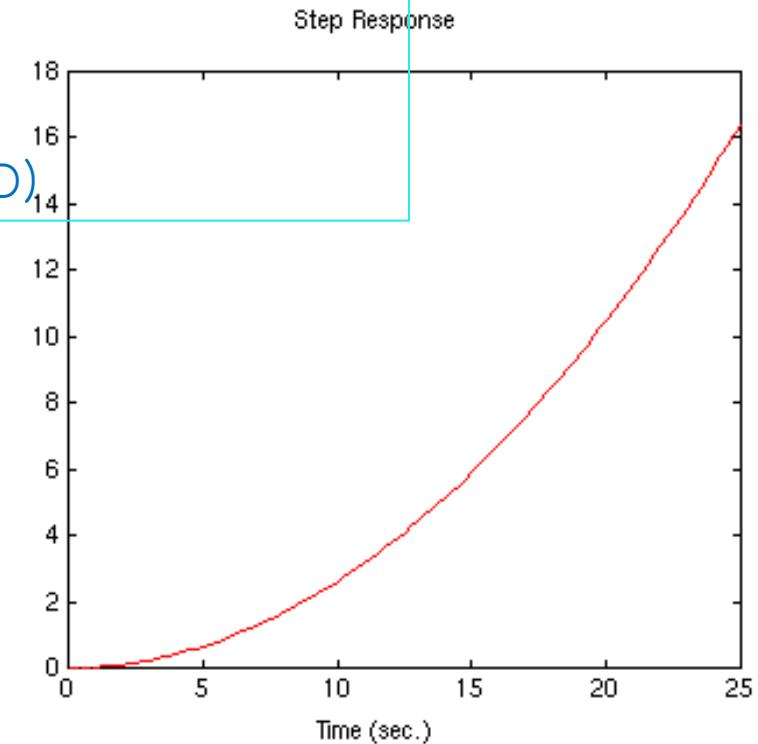
Open loop response

- Matlab program

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tau = (your obtained value);  
K = (your obtained value);  
  
A=[0 1; 0 -1/tau];  
B=[0; K/tau];  
C=[1 0];  
D=[0];  
  
motor=ss(A,B,C,D)
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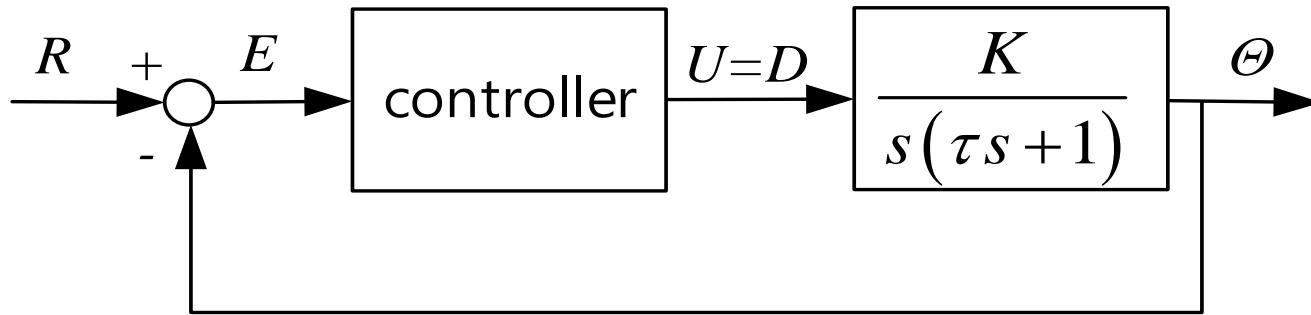
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tau = (your obtained value);  
K = (your obtained value);
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%simplifies input  
num = [K];  
den = [1 0];  
motor = tf(num, den)  
step(200*motor)
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Closed-loop Representation

- The block diagram for this example with a controller and unity feedback of the motor's position is shown below:



- The transfer function for a PID controller is:

$$K_P + \frac{K_I}{s} + K_D s = \frac{K_D s^2 + K_p s + K_I}{s}$$



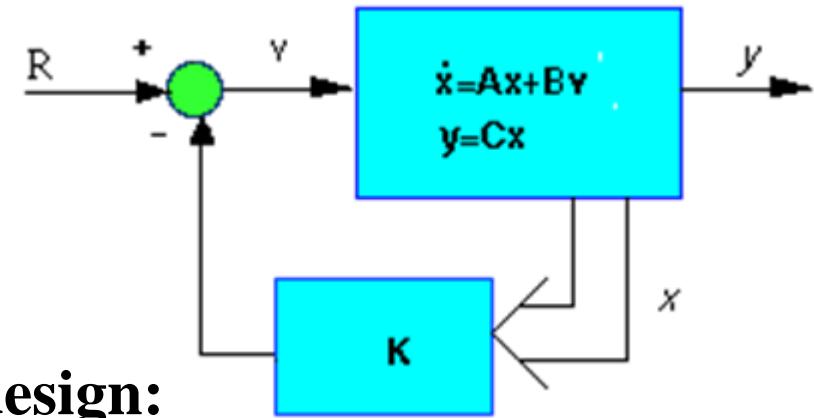
- General tips for designing a PID controller:
 1. Obtain an open-loop response and determine what needs to be improved.
 2. Add a proportional control to improve the rise time.
 3. Add a derivative control to improve the overshoot.
 4. Add an integral control to eliminate the steady-state error.
 5. Adjust each of K_P , K_I , and K_D until you obtain a desired overall response.
- You do not need to implement all three controllers (proportional, derivative, and integral) into a single system.
 - Keep the controller as simple as possible.



- For the given spec. of the step response
 - overshoot < 15%,
 - $t_s \leq 0.5$ s,
 - no steady-state error
1. Obtain K_p , K_i and K_d and draw the response to show the spec. of a reference step input ($R = 200$). Explain your controller design with the result.
 - There may exist a case that you cannot satisfy the given spec. In such case, obtain gains those give best performance close to the spec.
 2. Check the step response (M_p , t_s , ess) of the system for different values of R . (150 and 250)

Controller Design for a State Space representation

- If the design criteria for a problem are given:
 - Settling time less than 3 seconds
 - Overshoot less than 5%



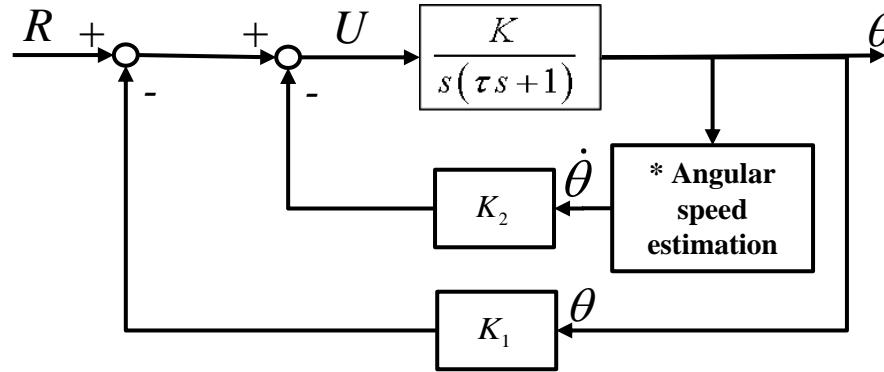
- Full-state feedback controller design:
 - $|(\lambda I - (A - BK))| = 0$: char. eq.
 - overshoot $\leq 5\% \rightarrow \zeta = 0.7$
(root locus : 45 degree line)
 - settling time $T_s \leq 3$ s \rightarrow
 $\sigma = 4.6/T_s = 4.6/3 = 1.53 \rightarrow$ poles at $-2 \pm 2i$.



State Space: Full-State Feedback Controller

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* Angular speed estimation:

- You should use the calculation method of 1 of P#1.
- Be sure to get smooth & proper speed $\dot{\theta}$.



P #3: Full-State Feedback Controller design

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- For the given spec. of the step response
 - overshoot < 5%,
 - $T_s \leq 0.5$ s,
 - no steady-state error
1. Obtain K_1 and K_2 and draw the response to show the spec. of a reference step input ($R = 200$).
 - There may exist a case that you cannot satisfy the given spec. In such case, obtain gains those give best performance close to the spec.
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Q & A

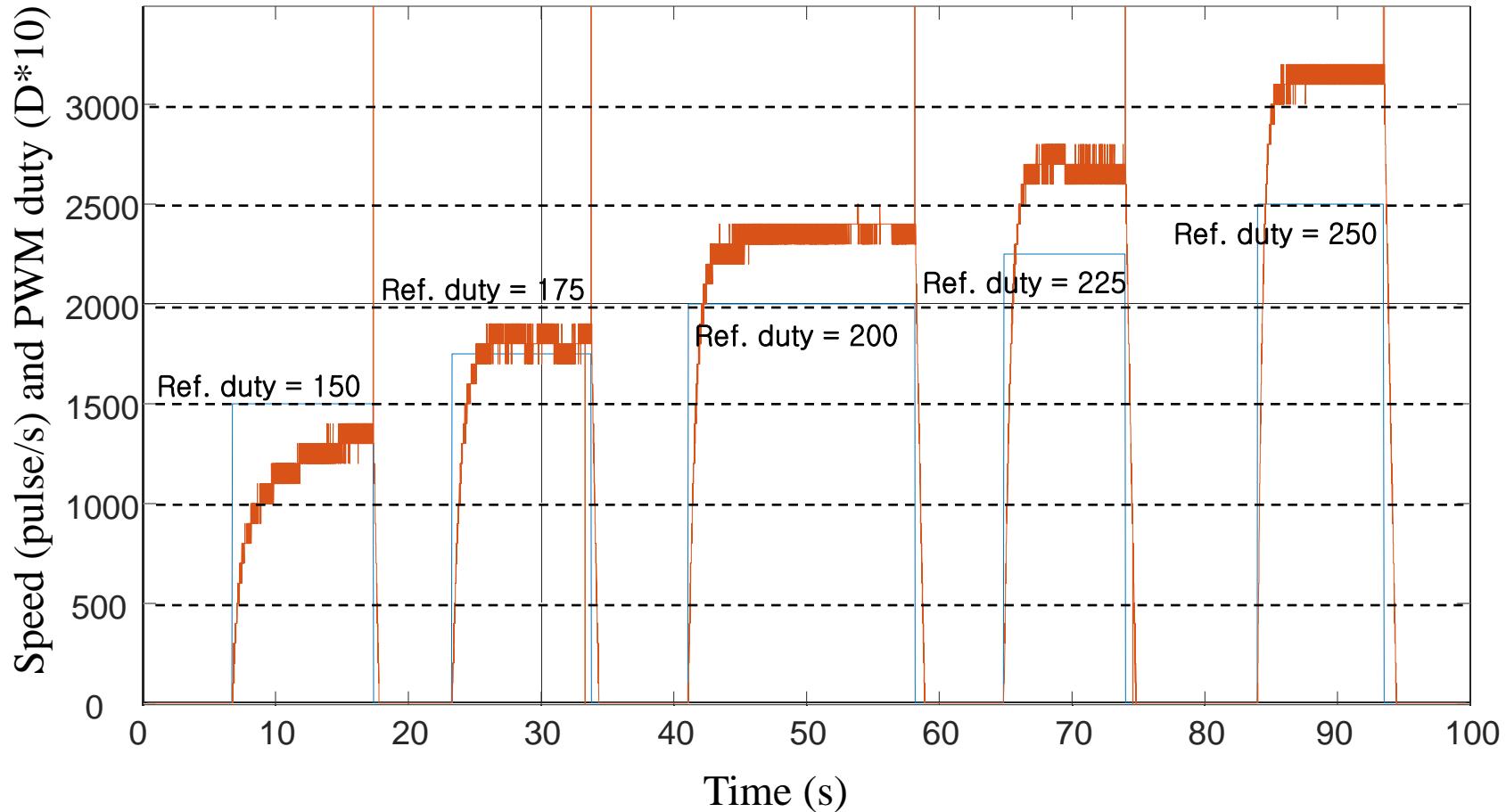


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Open loop speed response for each D

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Open loop speed response for D=250

- Approximately the DC gain is $K = 3100/250 = 12.4$, time constant is $t = 0.4$ (s)

