# 3.8 Servo control

### 1. Learning Objectives

In this course, we will learn how to drive PWM servo.

#### 2. About Hardware

We need use servo interface and PWM servo on Pico robot.



The basic control principle of PWM steering gear is to use PWM signal to generate a signal with a period of 20ms and a duty cycle of 0.5~2.5ms to control the angle of the servo.

#### 3. About Code

Code path: Code -> 1.Basic course -> 8.Servo control.py

```
from pico_car import pico_car
Servo = pico_car()

#180 servo S1 angle 0
#the parameters are (steering gear number, steering gear angle)
Servo.servo180 (1.0)
#270 servo
Servo.servo270(2,90)
#360 servo
Servo.servo360 (3,360)
```

### from pico\_car import pico\_car

Use pico\_car of pico\_car, which encapsulates the servo driver library.

### Servo = pico\_car()

Initialize the servo.

#### Servo.servo180 (1.0)

Set the 180-degree PWM servo S1 angle to 0 degrees.

#### Servo.servo270(2,90)

Set the angle of the 270-degree PWM servo S2 to 90 degrees.

## Servo.servo360 (3,360)

Set the angle of the 360-degree PWM servo S3 to 360 degrees.

### 4. Experimental Phenomenon

After the code is downloaded, we can see that the 180° servo, 270° servo, and 360° servo plugged into S1-S3 are at 0°, 90°, and 360° respectively.