


EECS192 Lecture 7

Motor Modelling and Steering Introduction

Mar. 2, 2021

Topics

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- Checkpoint 5: feedback
 - Checkpoint 6: closed-loop control
 - Time spent survey
 - HW 1 Notes
 - PWM for motor drive/MOSFET intro
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 - Embedded Issues: deadlock

Checkpoint 5 feedback

1. printf delay destabilizing control, and disrupting velocity estimate
 1. Use snprintf() then log_add() (either UDP or UART)
2. Tasks: WDT
3. Resource sharing Timer, Core0 and Core1

Monitoring FreeRTOS Tasks- IDLE0/1

```
void print_tasks();
```

```
# of tasks 12
```

Task name	number of cycles		
IDLE0	283440623	49%	(CPU 0)
usertask	142791054	24%	
IDLE1	145004887	25%	(CPU 1)
heartbeat	6661	<1%	
timer_evt_task	194739	<1%	
Tmr Svc	55	<1%	
control_task	60360	<1%	
esp_timer	209	<1%	
ipc0	10215	<1%	
main	95764	<1%	
log_task	13490	<1%	
ipc1	15121	<1%	(inter process comm?)

➔ Starving the ``idle'' process (will cause a crash -wdt).

➔ Make sure every process has vTaskDelay() for a lower priority process to run

CP6- Closed Loop Track with Velocity Control 3/12

Set up a figure 8* track. Use 1 meter string with chalk attached to make circles, and connect with tangent lines, and 60 degree crossing. Use white masking tape for figure 8 if on light background, or black tape if on light background.

C6.1 Show car driving the figure 8*, at speed of 1 m/sec or better. (May be lower for small circle.)

(You may use a wireless command to tell the car to start or stop running, but no other commands may be sent to the car.)

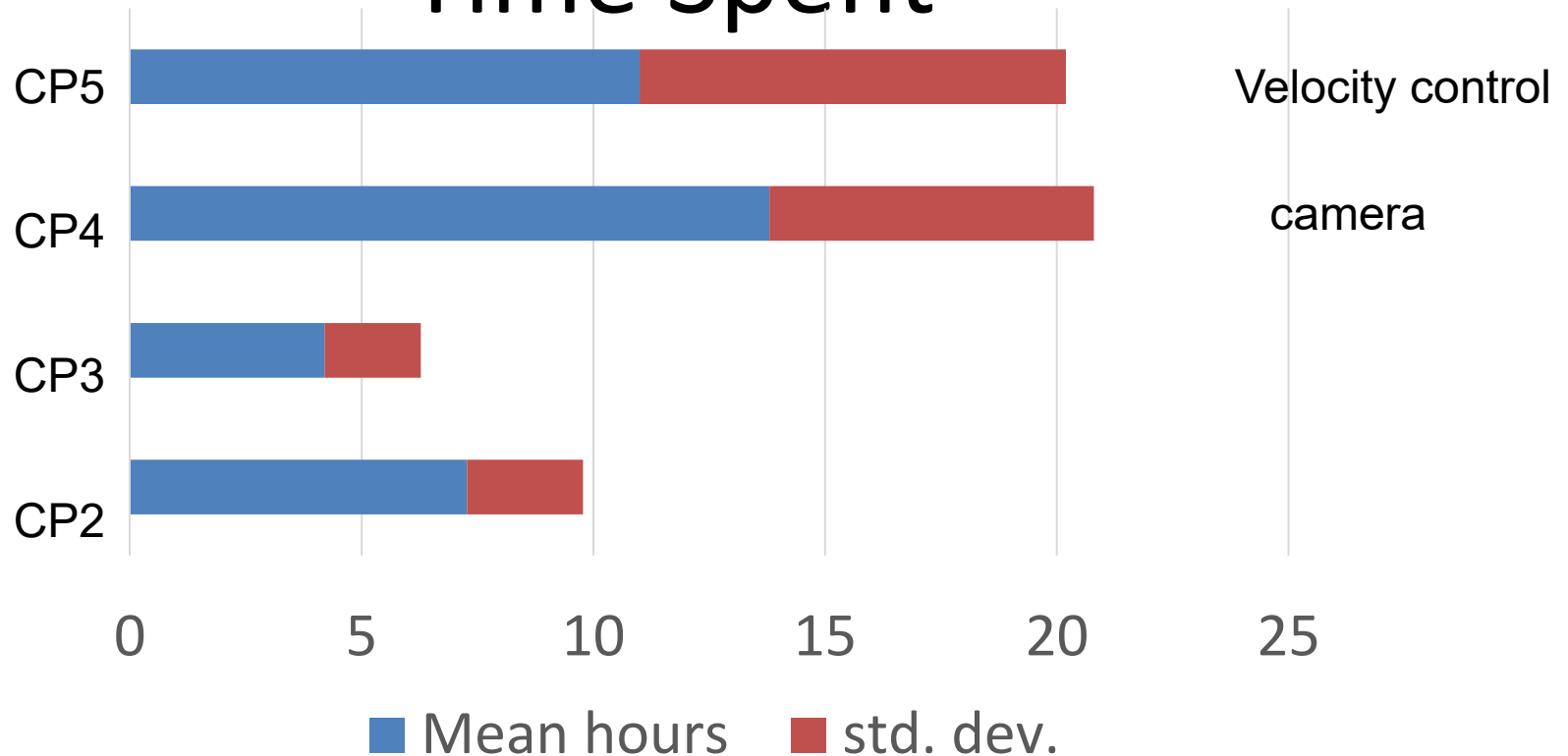
C6.2 Submit plots on one graph: steering angle command (degrees or radians), track error (cm), ESC command (% full speed), sensed velocity, all versus time axis in seconds.

C6.3 All members must fill out the checkpoint survey before the checkoff close. Completion is individually graded.

**** If you do not have space for a full size figure 8, use smaller than 1 m radius to fit. If you do not have room for a figure 8, use a circle of up to 1 m radius.***

(example Amazon tape): https://www.amazon.com/Removable-Painters-Painting-Labeling-Stationery/dp/B082R27TP6/ref=sr_1_7?dchild=1&keywords=1+inch+white+masking+tape&qid=1613947385&s=industrial&sr=1-7

Time Spent



If you are stuck on one thing for more than 4 hours, it is time to ask for help such as Piazza, office hours, or email for extra help.

People have very different backgrounds, so time varies widely (4-40 hours CP5)

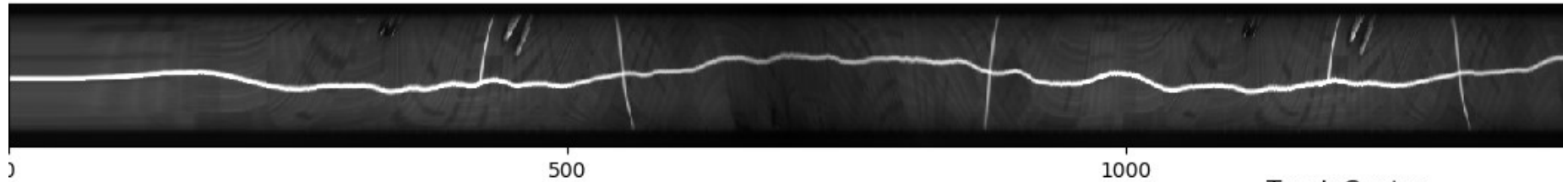
If you are spending more than 10 hours, asking for advice in office hours should be productive rather than figuring everything out by yourself.

HW 1 notes

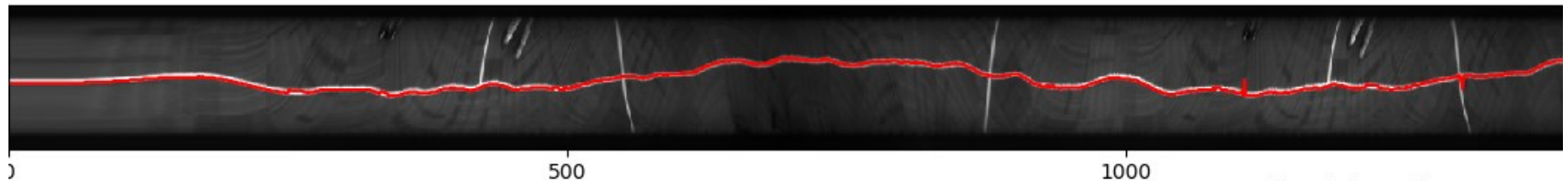
Crossing Algorithm on test data

HW1 Spring 2021

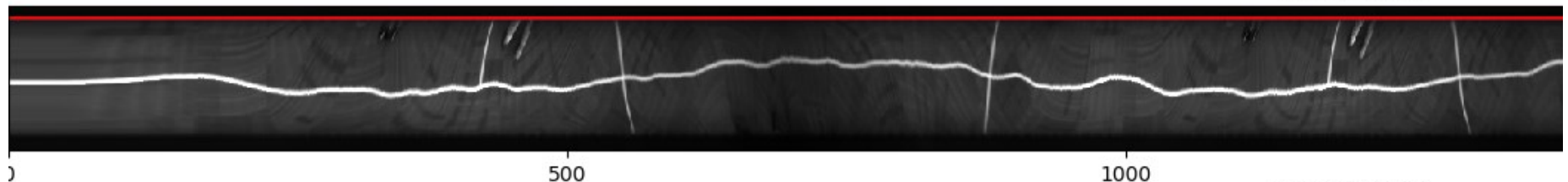
Track Section



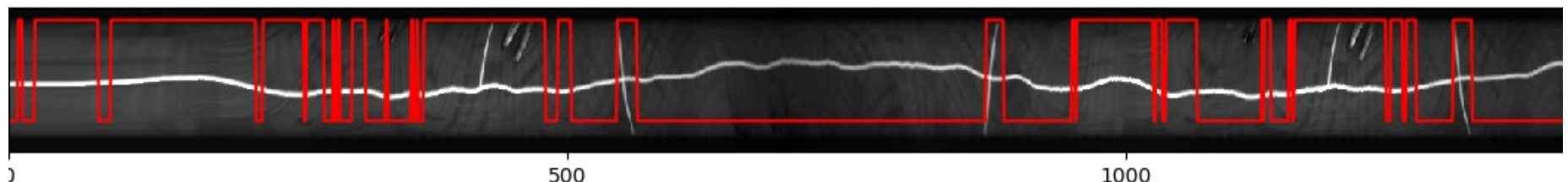
Track Center



Track Found



Cross Found




Time

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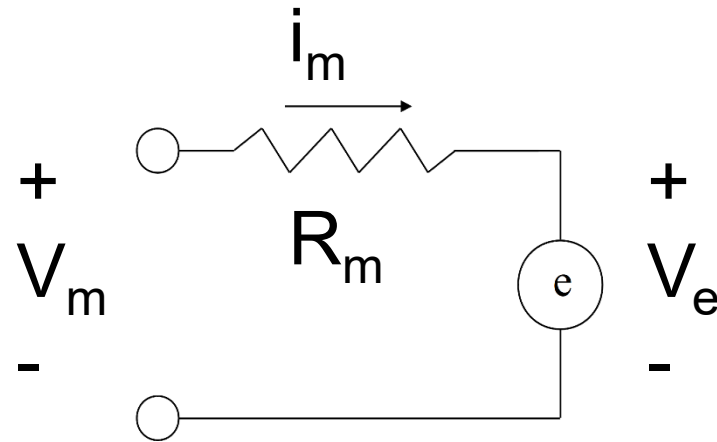
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Motor Electrical Model

Motor Electrical Model
 Back EMF
 Motor electromechanical behavior



Also- see motor worksheet.....

<https://inst.eecs.berkeley.edu/~ee192/sp21/docs/motor-worksheet.pdf>

$$i_m = \frac{V_{BAT} - k_e \dot{\theta}_m}{R_m}$$

Torque equation: $\tau = k_\tau i_m$

Back EMF equation: $V_e = k_e \dot{\theta}_m$

Conclusion:

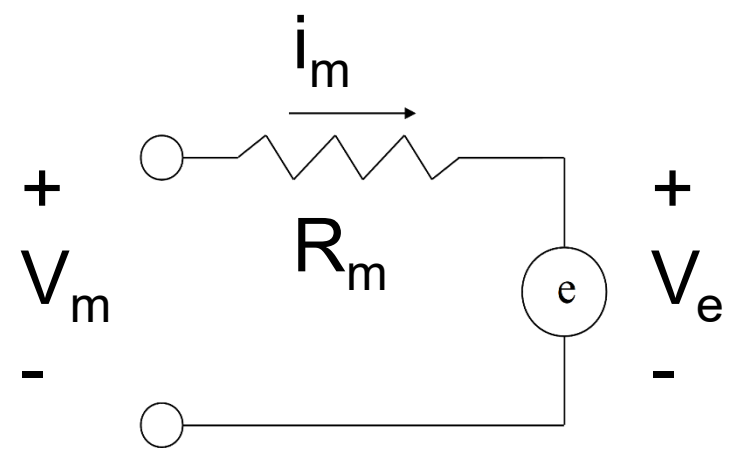
$\langle i_m \rangle = ?$

Motor Resistance?

Peak current?

Motor Electrical Model

Motor Electrical Model
 Back EMF
 Motor electromechanical behavior

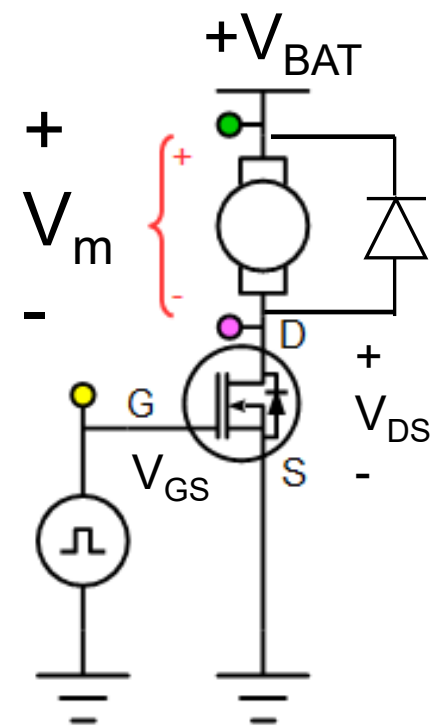


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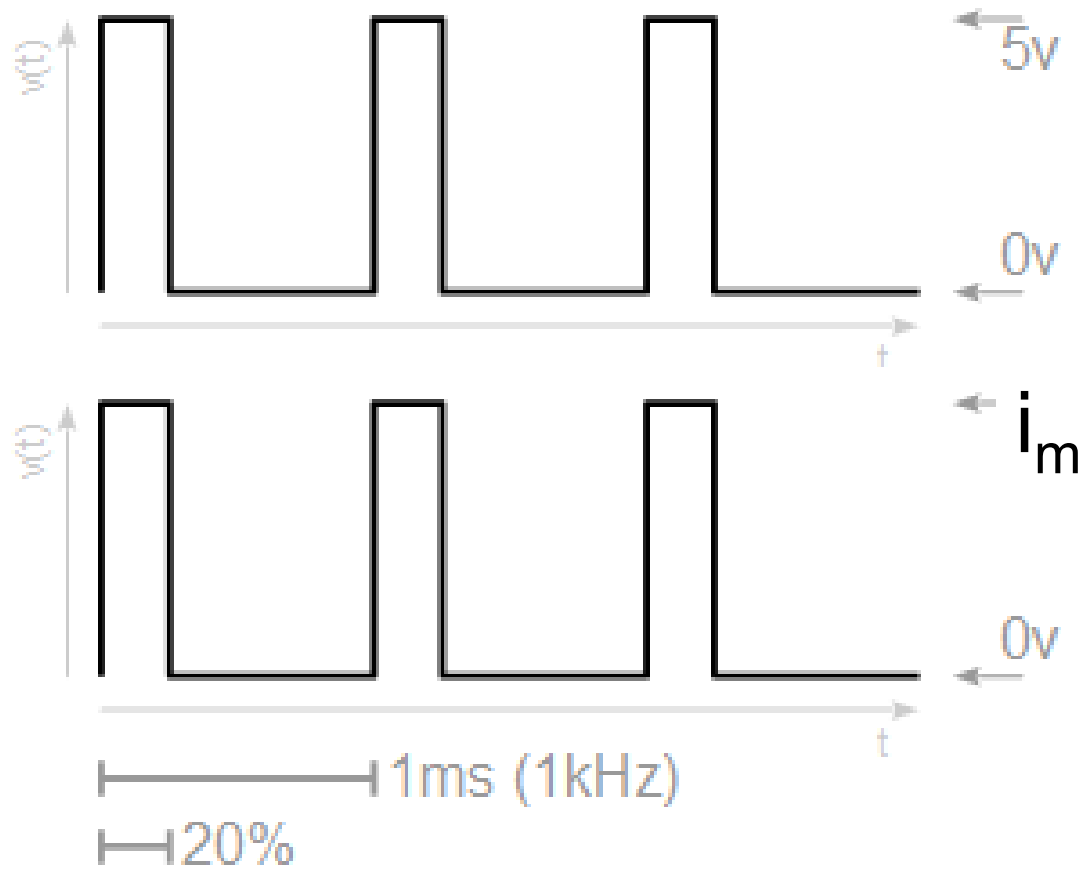
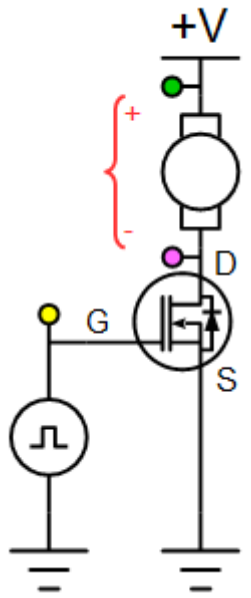
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Motor Resistance?
 Peak current?



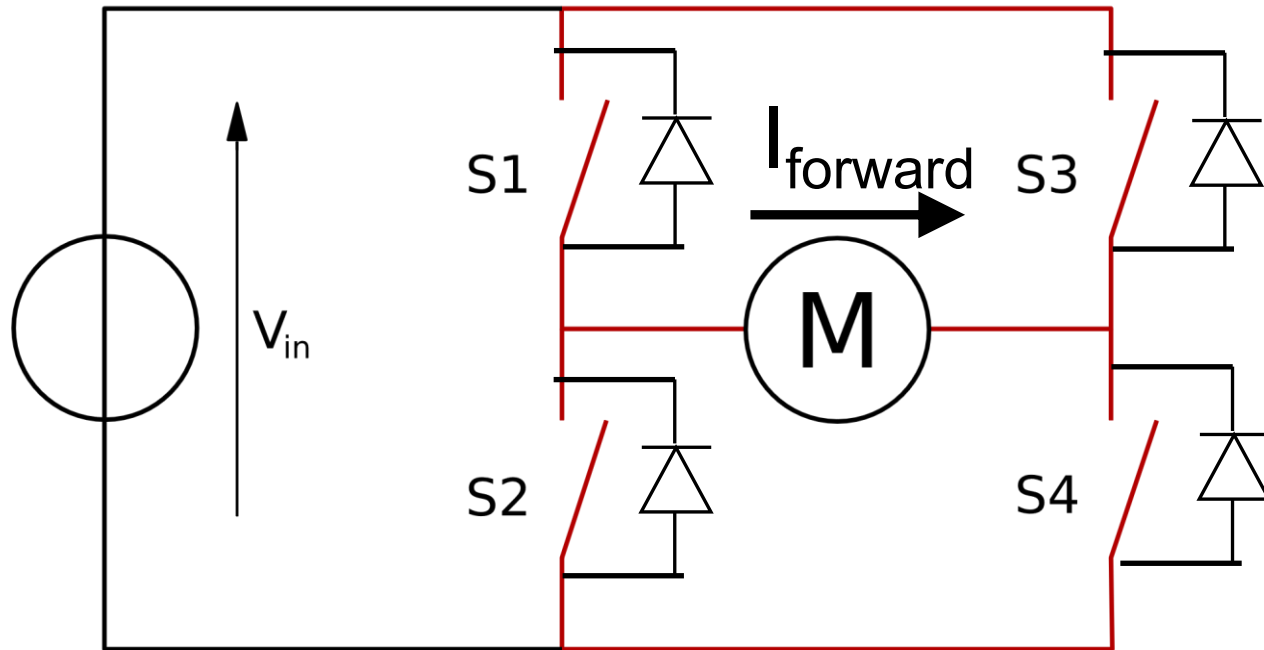
PWM for Main Motor control



$$\langle i_m \rangle = (T/T_o) i_{max}$$

Is i_{max} constant?

H Bridge Concept



S1	S2	S3	S3	Function?
Off	Off	Off	Off	
On	Off	Off	On	
Off	On	On	Off	
On	On	Off	Off	
On	Off	On	off	
Off	On	Off	on	

Practice Q2 (3/9)

<https://inst.eecs.berkeley.edu/~ee192/sp21/files/motor-worksheet-soln.pdf>

Consider a DC permanent magnet motor (as used in your car). The car is initially at rest. The motor is connected as shown below. Neglect battery and switch resistance. Neglect motor inductance. Assume diode is ideal.

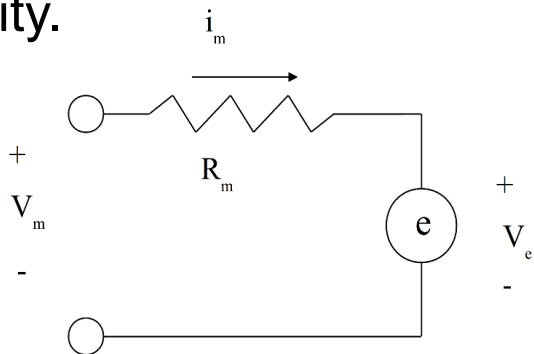
Assume motor resistance = 0.2 ohm, and that the car accelerates to 4 m/s in 2 seconds.

Assume back EMF constant is 1V/(m/s).

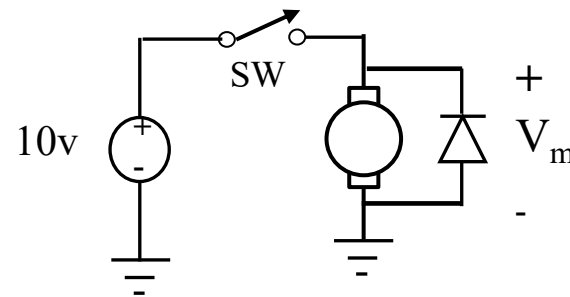
Assume time constant for deceleration is 1 second.

Switch turns on at 0 sec, off at 2 sec.

Complete the sketches below for motor current i_m , motor voltage V_m , and car velocity.



Motor model




Motor connection

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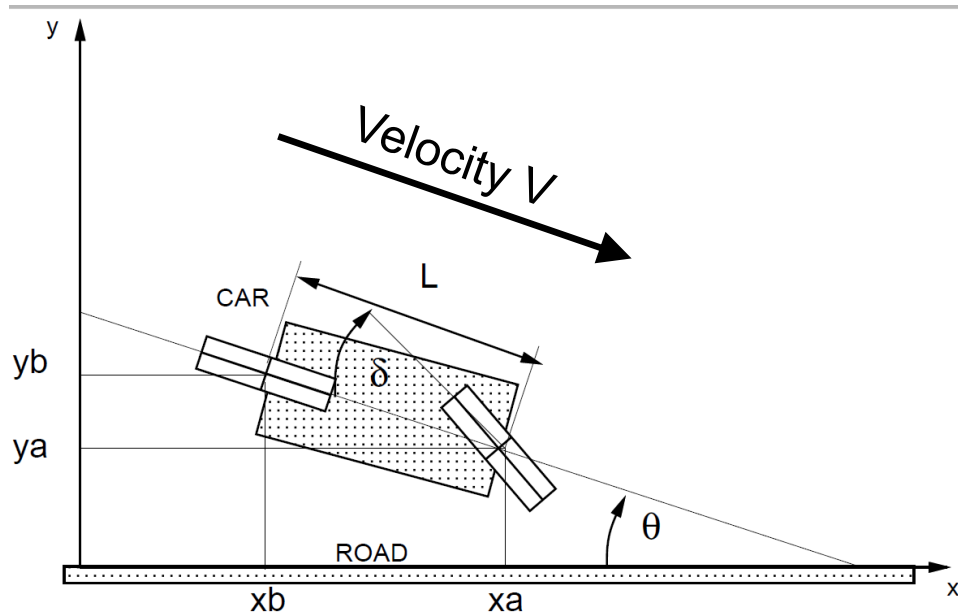
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Bicycle Steering Model

More detailed models see: <https://inst.eecs.berkeley.edu/~ee192/sp15/refSteer.html>



$$\dot{x}_b = V \cos(\theta(t)) \quad (1)$$

$$\dot{y}_b = -V \sin(\theta(t)) \quad (2)$$

$$\dot{\theta} = \frac{V}{L} \tan(\delta(t)) \quad (3)$$

$$y_a = y_b - L \sin(\theta(t)) \quad (4)$$

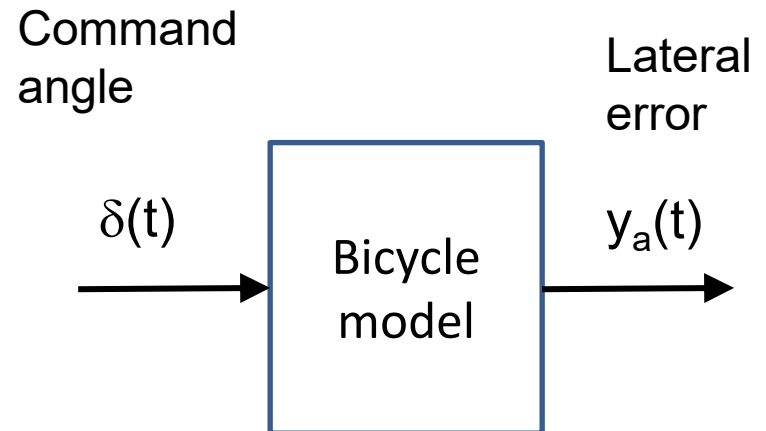
Bicycle Steering Model-linearized

$$\begin{aligned} \dot{x}_b &= V \cos(\theta(t)) \\ \dot{y}_b &= -V \sin(\theta(t)) \\ \dot{\theta} &= \frac{V}{L} \tan(\delta(t)) \\ y_a &= y_b - L \sin(\theta(t)) \end{aligned} \quad \left. \vphantom{\begin{aligned} \dot{x}_b &= V \cos(\theta(t)) \\ \dot{y}_b &= -V \sin(\theta(t)) \\ \dot{\theta} &= \frac{V}{L} \tan(\delta(t)) \\ y_a &= y_b - L \sin(\theta(t)) \end{aligned}} \right\} \text{Original non-linear equations}$$

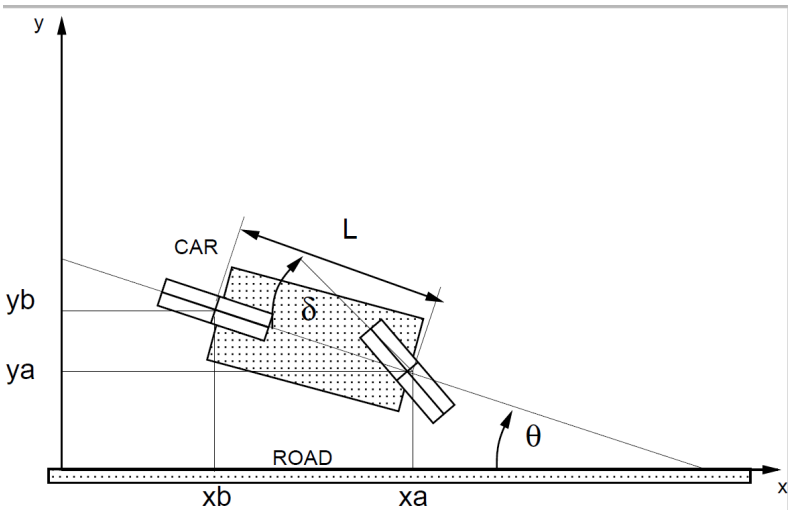
Assume small angle, constant V:

$$\begin{aligned} \dot{y}_b &\approx -V\theta \\ \dot{\theta} &\approx \frac{V}{L}\delta(t) \\ \dot{y}_a &\approx \dot{y}_b - L\dot{\theta} = -V\theta - L\dot{\theta} \end{aligned}$$

$$\ddot{y}_a = \frac{-V^2}{L}\delta(t) - V\dot{\delta}(t).$$

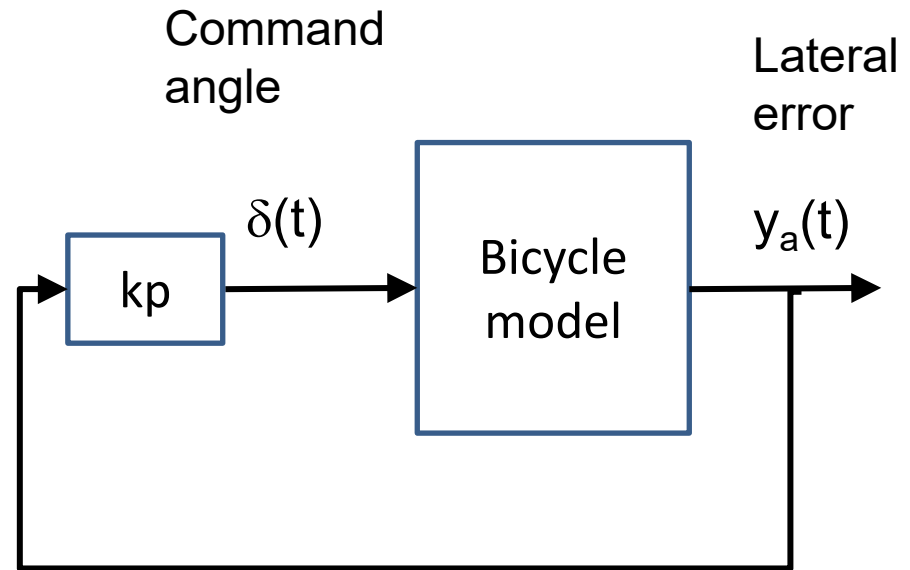


Bicycle Steering Model



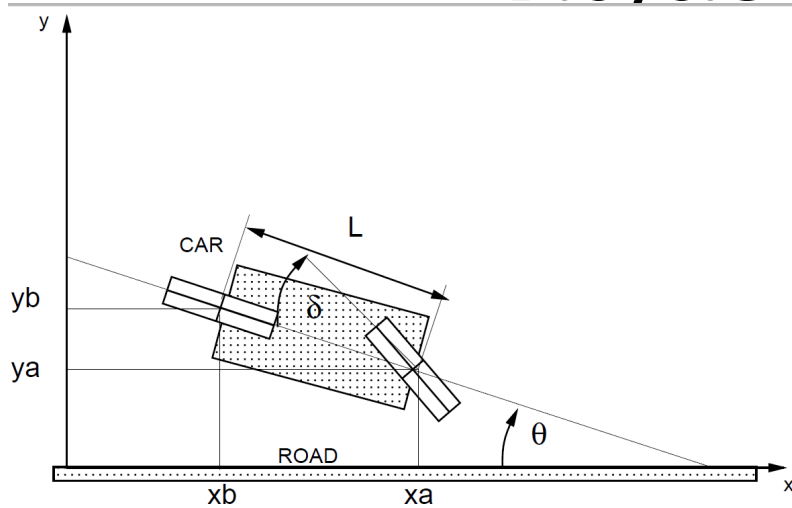
Proportional control:

$$\delta(t) = k_p y_a(t)$$



Check angle in your car, check sign of k_p...

Bicycle Steering Model



Proportional control:

$$\delta(t) = k_p y_a(t)$$

$$\ddot{y}_a = \frac{-V^2}{L} \delta(t) - V \dot{\delta}(t).$$

$$\ddot{y}_a + V k_p \dot{y}_a(t) + \frac{V^2}{L} k_p y_a(t) = 0.$$

Laplace transform:

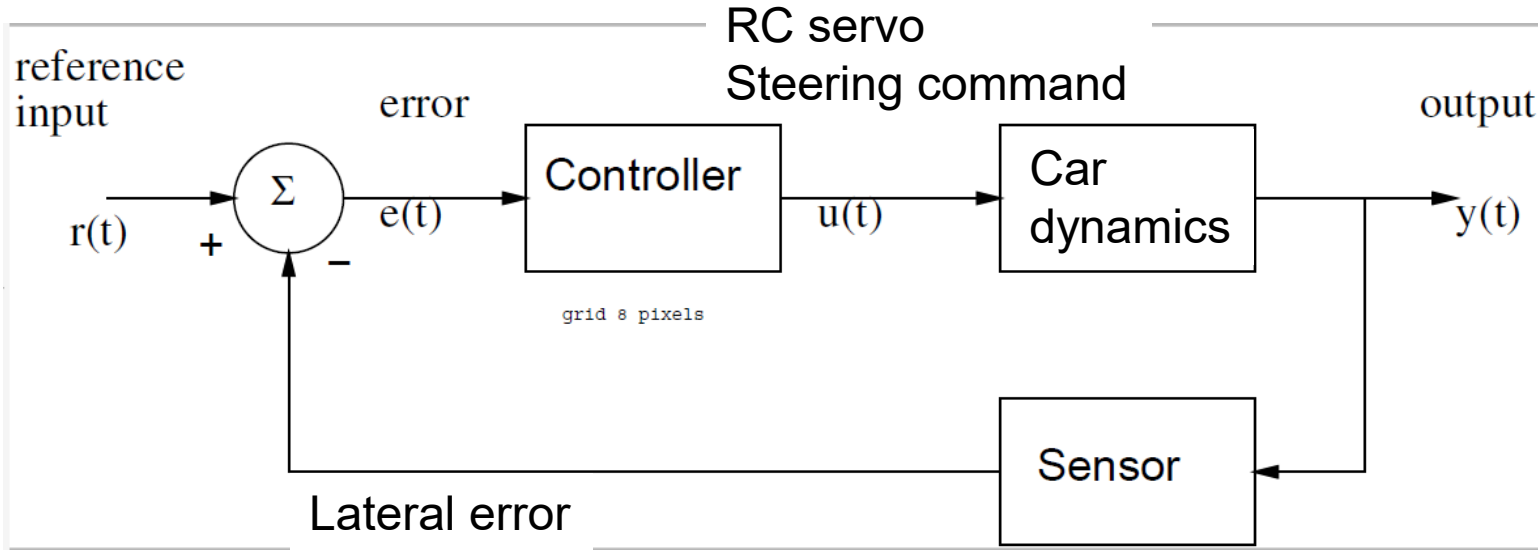
$$s^2 Y(s) + V k_p s Y(s) + (V^2/L) k_p Y(s) =$$

$$+s y(0^-) + y'(0^-) + V k_p y(0^-) \quad (\text{initial conditions})$$

Eigenvalues:

$$\lambda_{1,2} = \frac{V}{2} \left(-k_p \pm \sqrt{k_p^2 - \frac{4k_p}{L}} \right)$$

Steering Control overview



Offset from track

$r(t) = 0$ (mostly)

Where might offset be useful?

Proportional control:

$$u = k_p * e = k_p * (r - y);$$

Proportional + derivative control:

$$u = k_p * e + k_d * \dot{y};$$

$$\dot{y} = (y - y_{old}) / T;$$

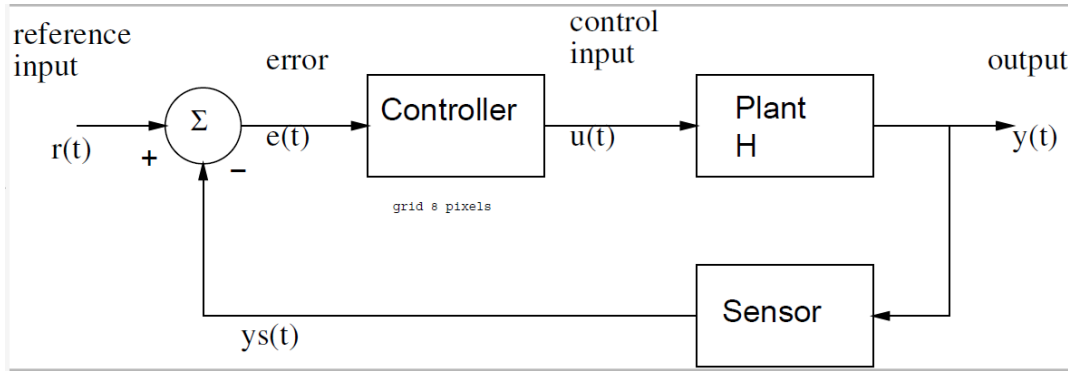
Check sign for k_p

Proportional + integral control

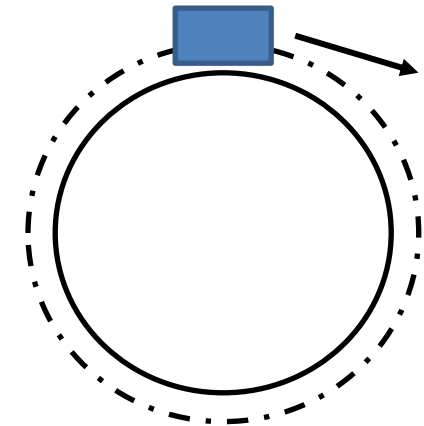
$$u = k_p * e + k_i * e_{sum};$$

$$e_{sum} = e_{sum} + e;$$

Bicycle Steering Control- proportional control



Note steady state error:
car follows larger radius



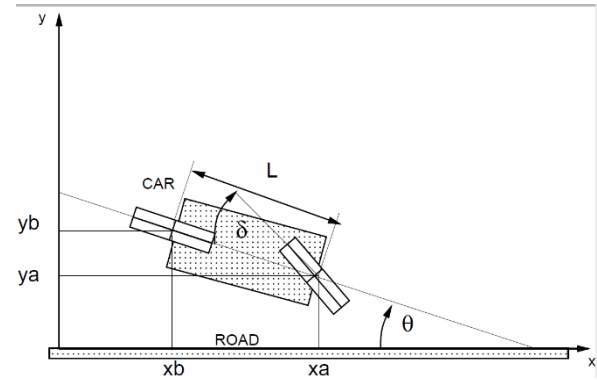
Proportional control:

$r = 0$ (to be on straight track)

$$\delta = u = k_p * e$$

Note: steady state error

Bicycle Steering Model



Proportional control: $\delta(t) = k_p y_a(t)$

$$\ddot{y}_a + V k_p \dot{y}_a(t) + \frac{V^2}{L} k_p y_a(t) = 0.$$

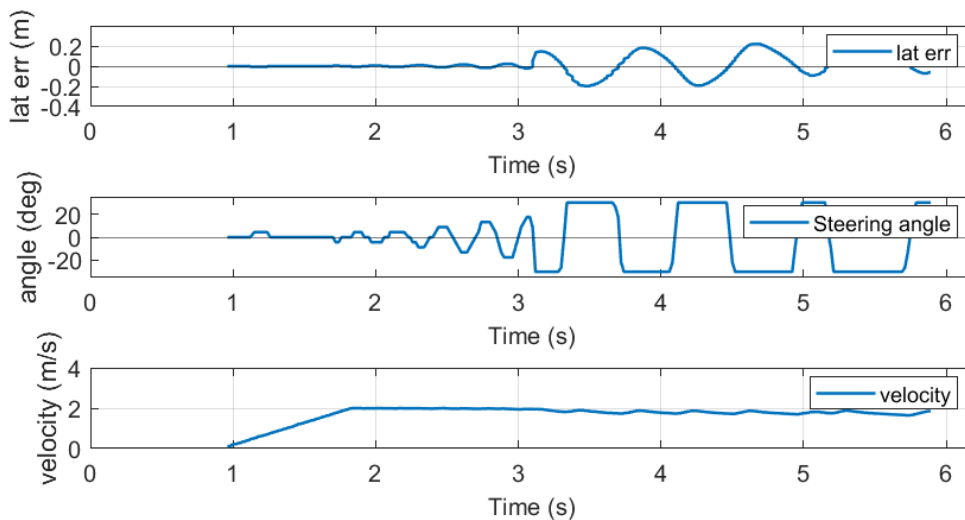
Eigenvalues:
$$\lambda_{1,2} = \frac{V}{2} \left(-k_p \pm \sqrt{k_p^2 - \frac{4k_p}{L}} \right)$$

Critical damping: $\lambda_1 = \lambda_2 \rightarrow$

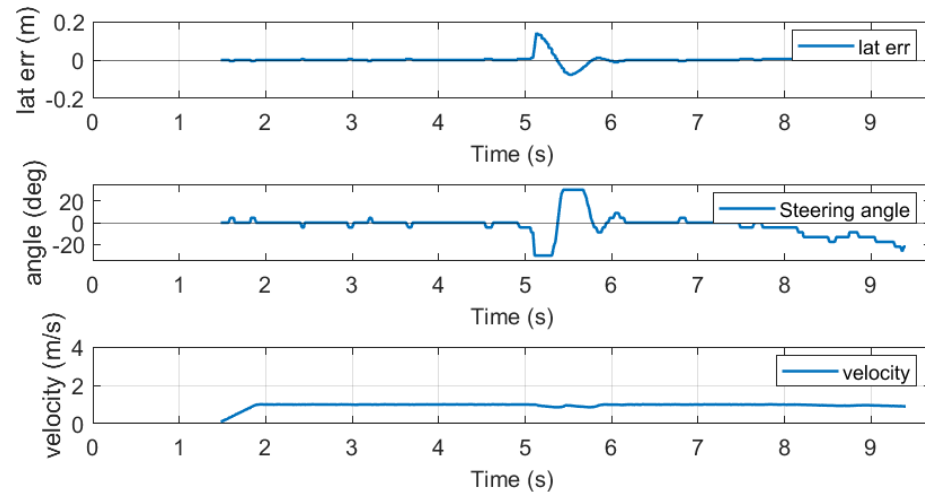
$$k_p^2 = 4 k_p / L \quad \text{or} \quad k_p = 4 / L = 4 / 0.3 \text{ m} = 13 \text{ rad/m} = 760 \text{ deg/m}$$

At 2 m/s, doesn't work well- servo saturates, also simulation dynamics...

2 m/s $k_p = 800 \text{ deg/m}$ $K_d = 0$

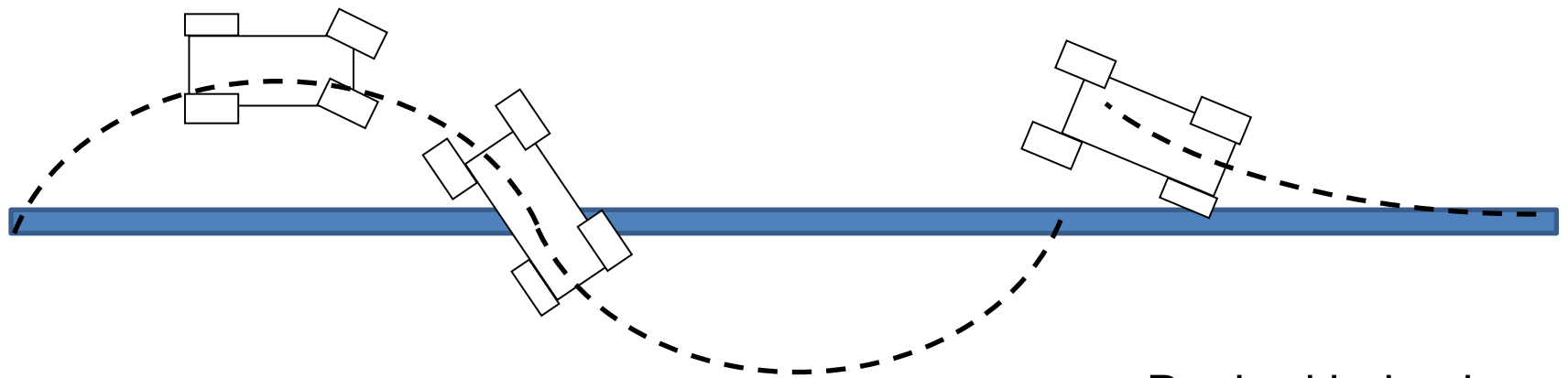


1 m/s $k_p = 800 \text{ deg/m}$ $K_d = 0$



PD control motivation

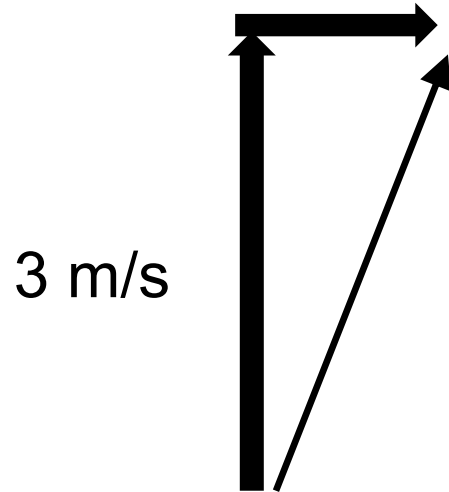
Proportional control $\delta = u = k_p * e$
 $e = ?$



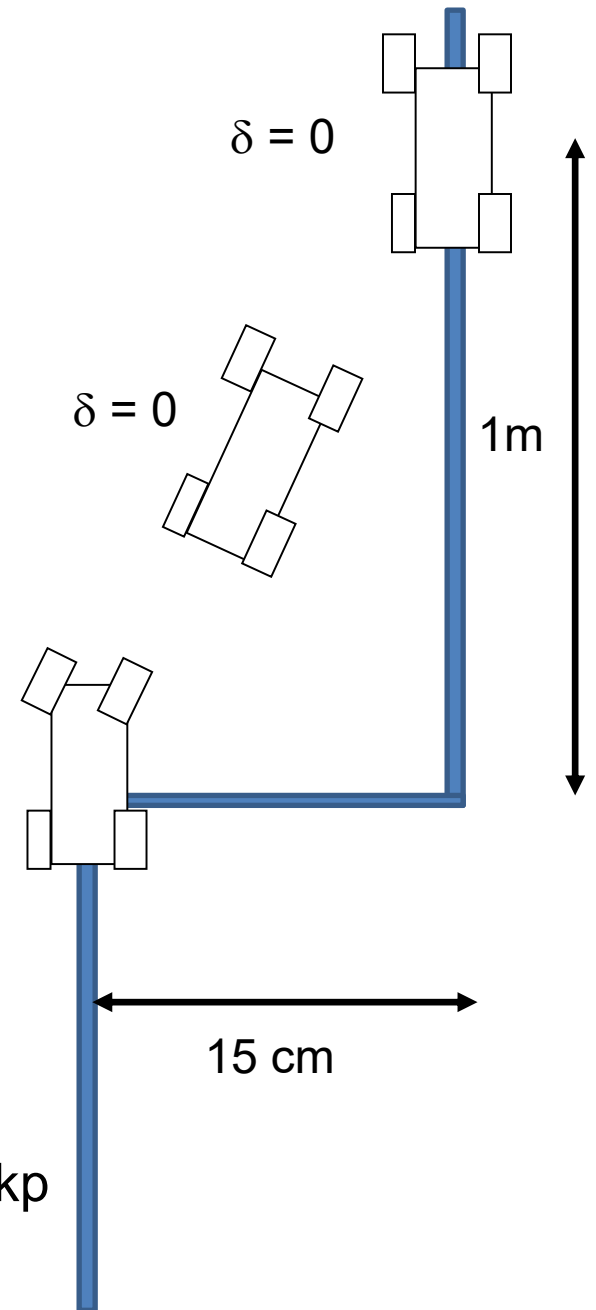
Typical proportional
control behavior

Desired behavior

PD parameters



3 m/s



Step: 15 cm. Speed 3 m/s

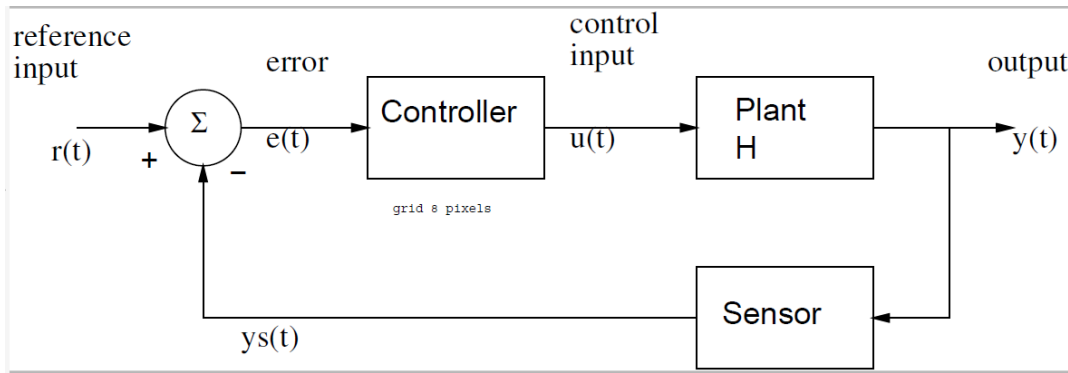
Choose step response 1m ~ 300 ms

Then lateral velocity = 15 cm/300 ms = 0.5 m/sec

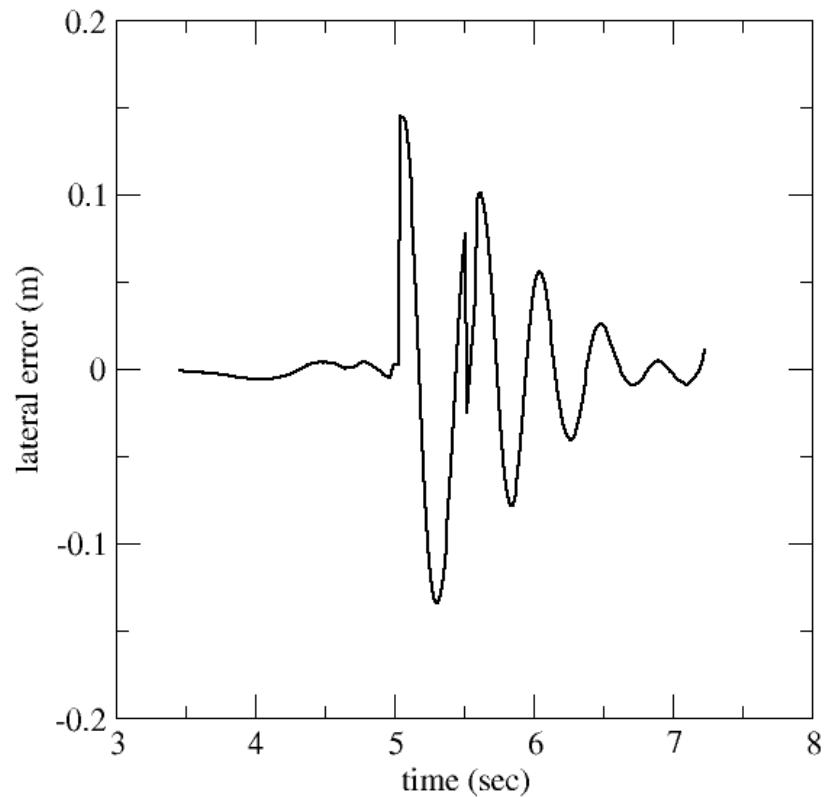
At mid point:

$\delta = 0 = k_p 7.5 \text{ cm} + k_d 0.5 \text{ m/sec} \rightarrow k_d \sim [0.15 \text{ sec}] k_p$

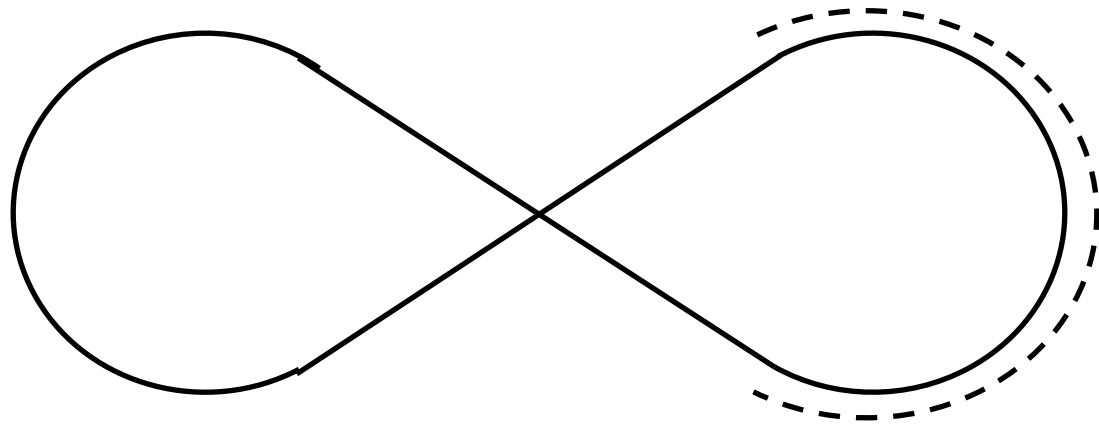
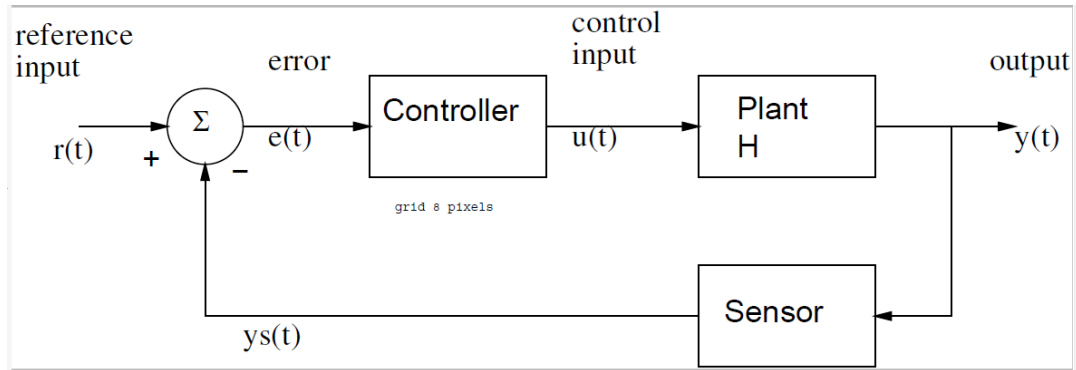
Steering Control- PD



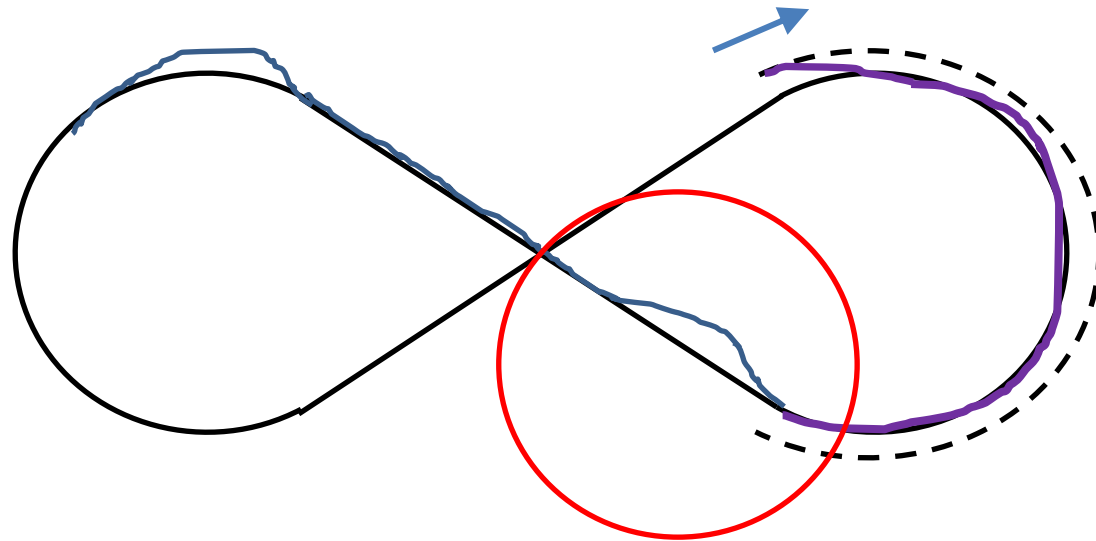
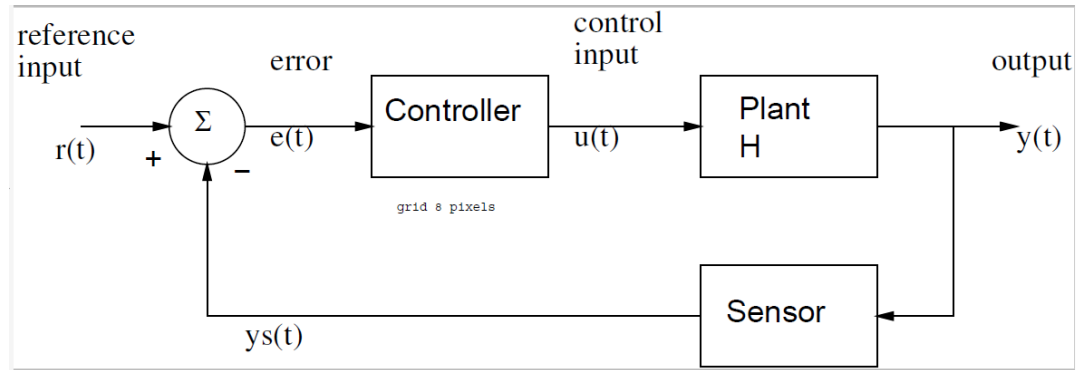
Example under-damped steering:



Proportional + Integral



Proportional + Integral

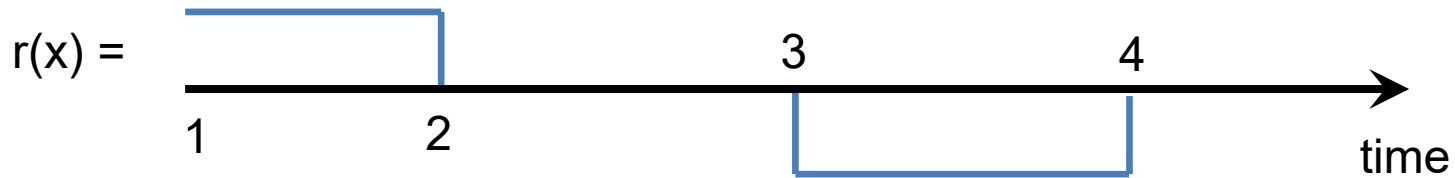
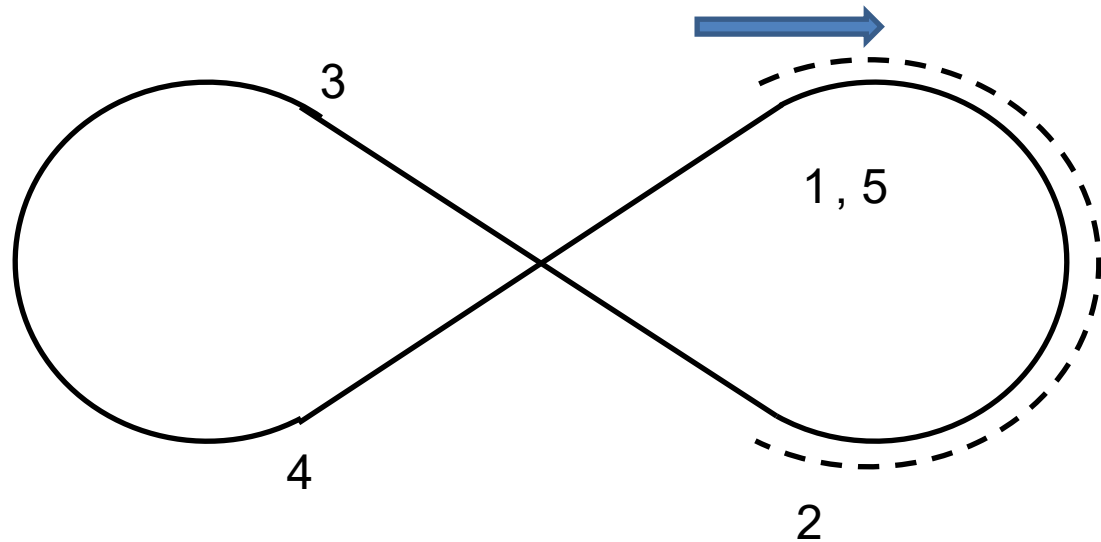
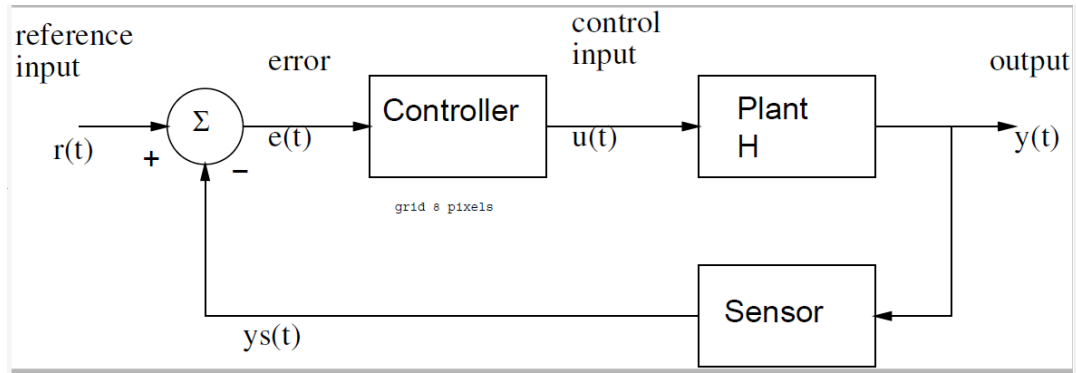


P+I control: $\Delta = k_p e + k_i (\text{integral } e)$

P control: $\Delta = k_p e$

Anti-windup needed here

Feedforward



Proportional + derivative control.

$K_p = 4000 \text{ deg/m}$, 70 rad/m

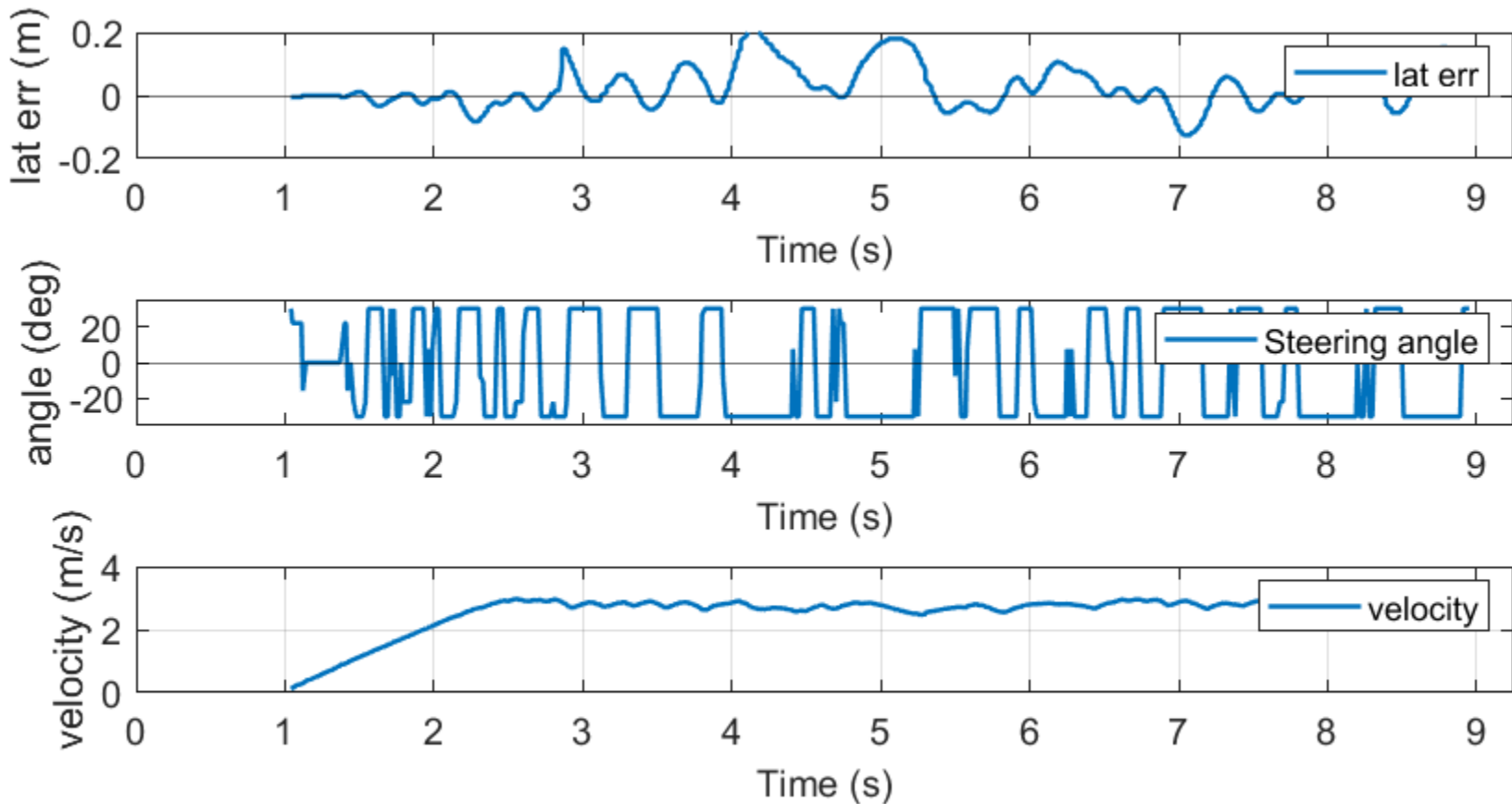
$K_d = 1000 \text{ deg/(m/sec)}$

$V=3 \text{ m/s}$, slew rate 600 deg/0.16 sec

NOTE: = bang-bang!

What is problem with bang bang?

Break servo, nonlinear (unstable)



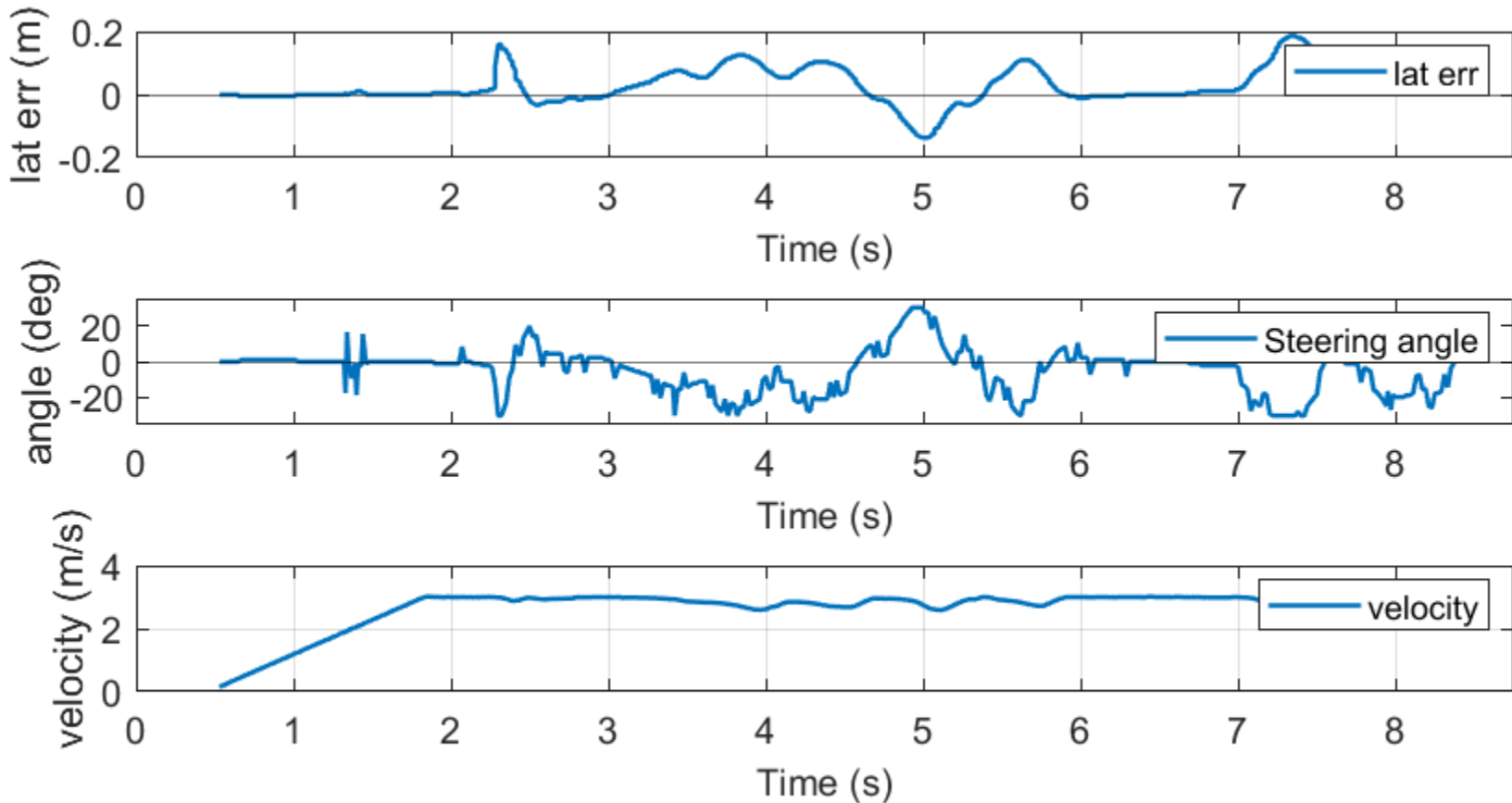
Proportional + derivative control.

$K_p = 200 \text{ deg/m}$,

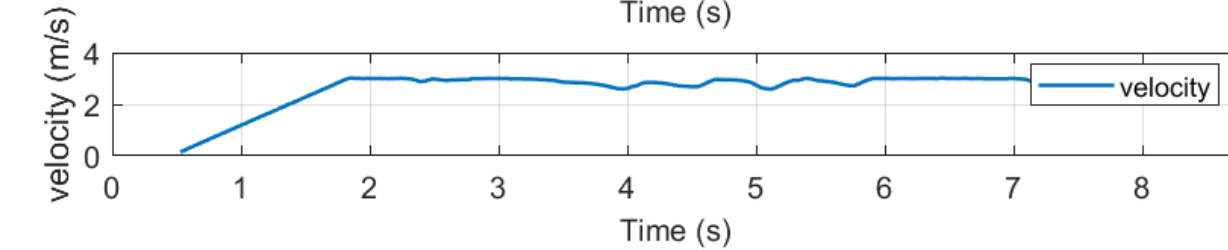
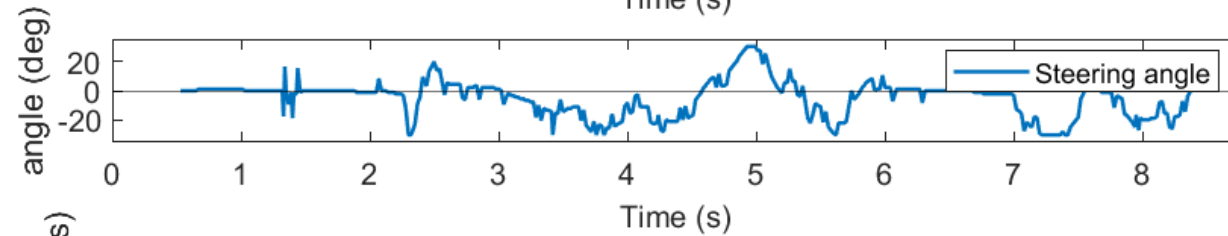
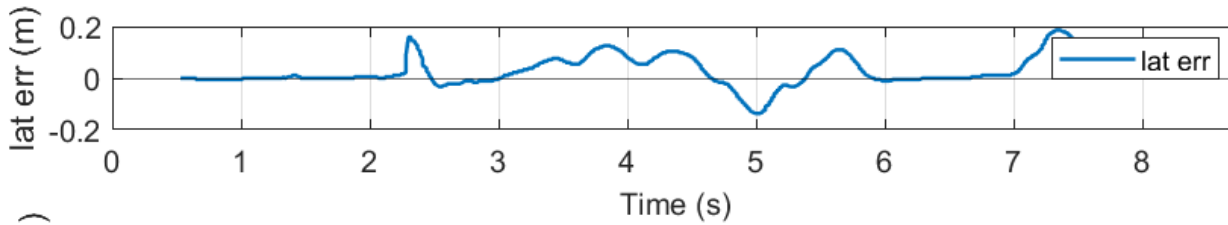
$K_d = 30 \text{ deg/(m/sec)} = (0.15 \text{ sec}) K_p$

$V=3 \text{ m/s}$, slew rate $600 \text{ deg}/0.16 \text{ sec}$

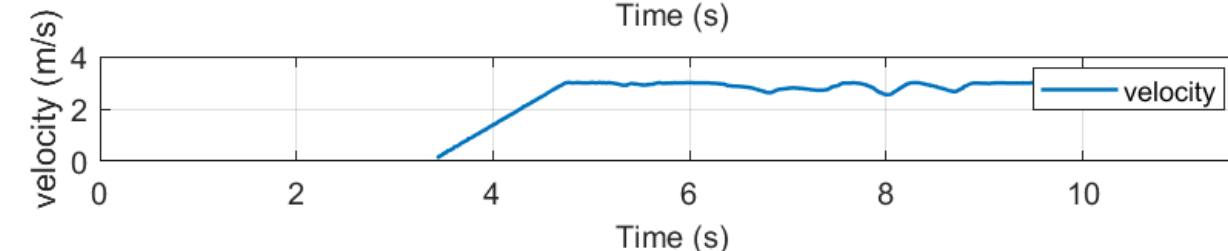
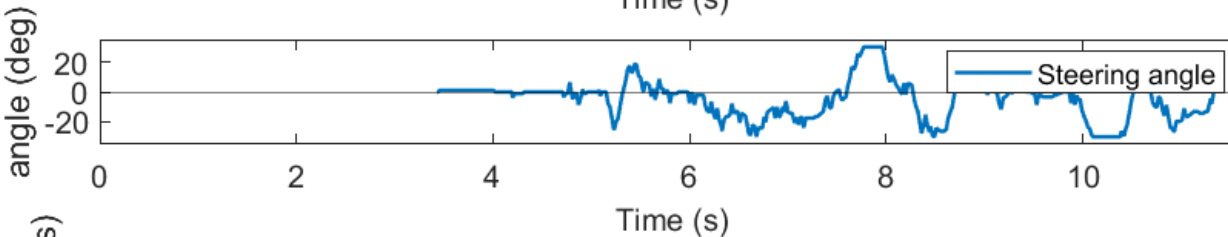
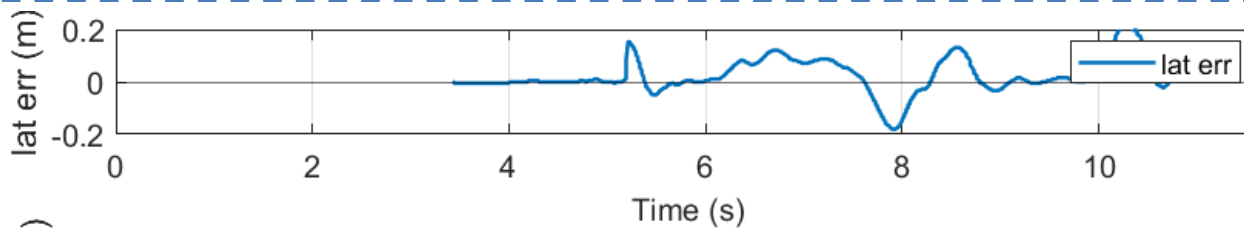
NOTE: = not bang-bang



$K_p = 200 \text{ deg/m}$, $K_d = 30 \text{ deg/(m/sec)}$. $V=3 \text{ m/s}$



Slew 600 deg/160 ms



Slew 60 deg/160 ms

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C.O.P. Watchdog timer

- Despite extensive software and hardware testing, faults will still occur in real devices. Even momentary noise spikes on a power supply can lock up a processor occasionally. Such events will occur on the power grid several times a year. Watchdog timers provide a last line of defense to prevent system failure with minimal hardware cost.
- <https://developer.mbed.org/cookbook/WatchDog-Timer>

ESP32 Watchdog

The Interrupt Watchdog is responsible for detecting instances where FreeRTOS task switching is blocked for a prolonged period of time. The TWDT is responsible for detecting instances of tasks running without yielding for a prolonged period.

Neither critical sections or interrupt handlers should ever block waiting for another event to occur.

This is a symptom of CPU starvation and is usually caused by a higher priority task looping without yielding to a lower-priority task thus starving the lower priority task from CPU time. This can be an indicator of poorly written code that spinloops on a peripheral, or a task that is stuck in an infinite loop.

The TWDT is built around the Hardware Watchdog Timer in Timer Group 0.

- `TIMGn_Tx_INT_WDT_INT`: Generated when a watchdog timer interrupt stage times out.

Resource sharing, e.g. printf, timer

Log_add uses queue, so only access to UART is from

```
xQueueReceive(log_queue, log,  
              portMAX_DELAY);  
printString(log);
```

Note: if using multiple printf() in different tasks, can contend for UART

Standard practice: Have access to each peripheral only through a single handler function, with queues for communication.

Non-blocking print

<https://github.com/ucb-ee192/SkeletonHuzzah32>

```
snprintf(log, sizeof(log),  
        "Idle. sum of cos = %d \n", (long) ZSum);  
log_add(log); ← if snprintf is too slow, can use itoa(), etc
```

```
#define WIFILOG // choose UDP instead of UART
```

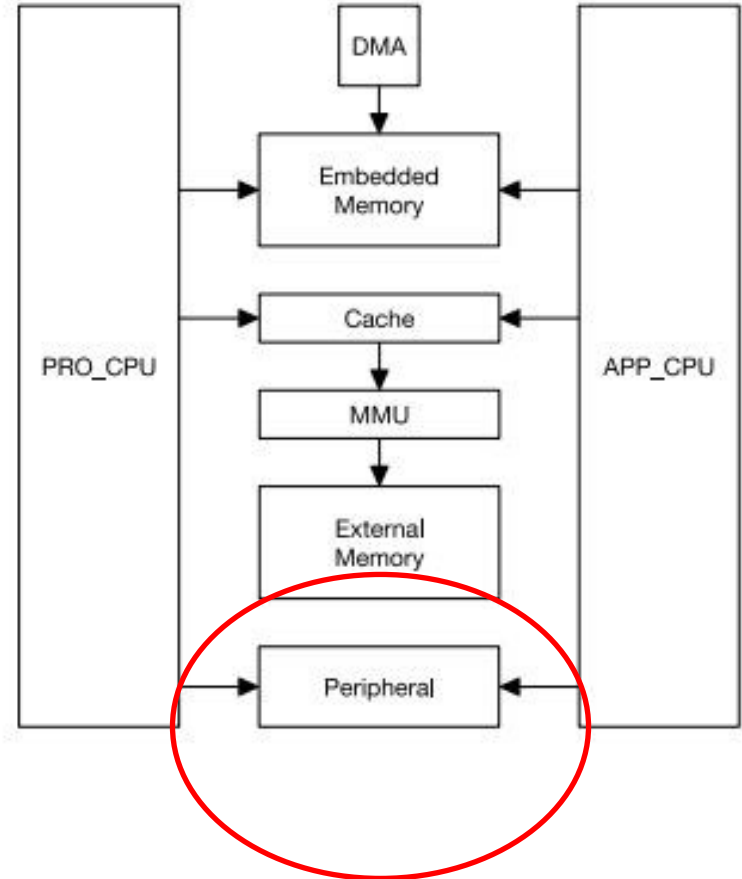
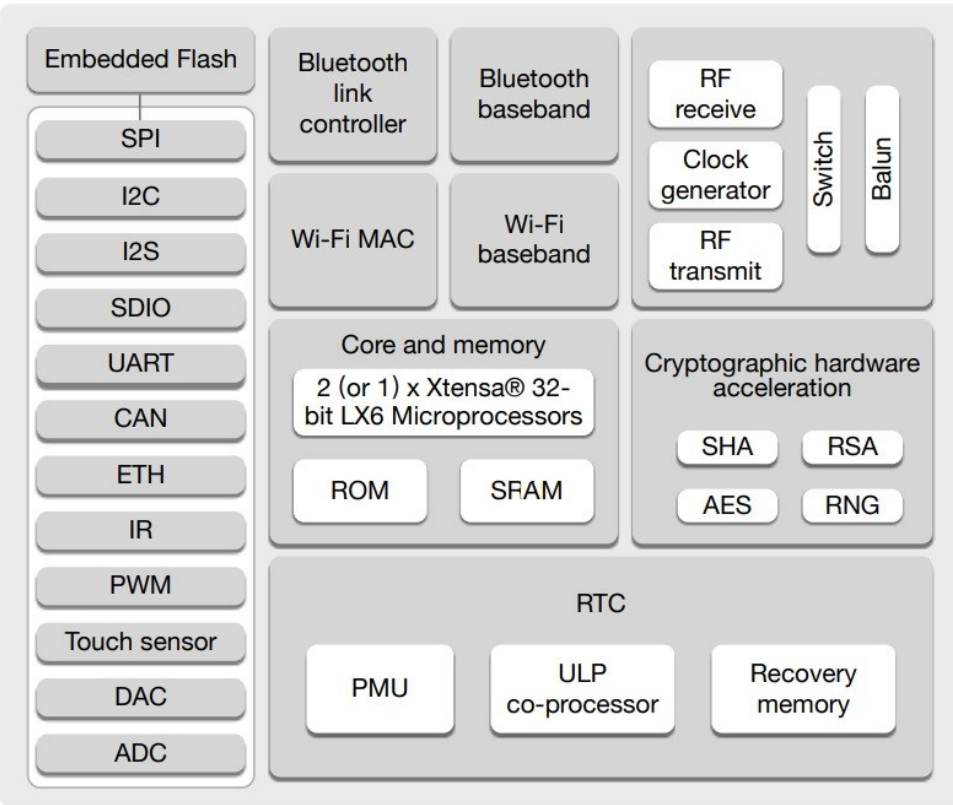
```
void log_add(char *log)
```

```
{ xQueueSend(log_queue, log, 0);  
  // send data to back of queue,  
  // non-blocking, wait=0 ==> return  
  immediately if the queue is already full.  
}
```

```
static void uart_log_task(void *pvParameters)
```

```
{ ...  
xQueueReceive(log_queue, log, portMAX_DELAY);
```

Peripheral Sharing



Timer Registers- Sharing

Timer 1 configuration and control registers

TIMGn_T1CONFIG_REG

Timer 1 configuration register

TIMGn_T1LO_REG

Timer 1 current value, low 32 bits

TIMGn_T1HI_REG

Timer 1 current value, high 32 bits

TIMGn_T1UPDATE_REG

Write to copy current timer value to TIMGn_T1_(LO/HI)_REG

TIMGn_T1ALARMLO_REG

Timer 1 alarm value,

TIMGn_T1ALARMHI_REG

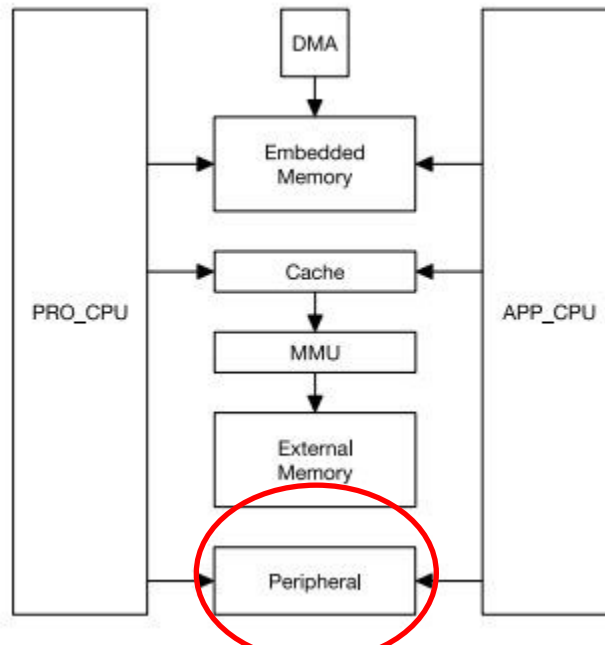
Timer 1 alarm value, high 32 bits

TIMGn_T1LOADLO_REG

Timer 1 reload value, low 32 bits

TIMGn_T1LOAD_REG

Write to reload timer from TIMGn_T1_(LOADLOLOADHI)_REG



Timing execution time

```
timer_get_counter_value(TIMER_GROUP_0, TIMER_0,  
                        &task_counter_value0);
```

```
[ routine to time goes here]
```

```
timer_get_counter_value(TIMER_GROUP_0, TIMER_0,  
                        &task_counter_value1);
```

```
runtime = ((double) (task_counter_value1-task_counter_value0) / TIMER_SCALE);
```

```
// do floating point after timing
```

```
snprintf(log, sizeof(log), "tick=%8.3f milliseconds (s)\n",  
         1000*(runtime));
```

Timer mutex (mutual exclusion)

esp_err_t timer_spinlock_take(timer_group_t group_num)

Take timer spinlock to enter critical protect.

Return

- ESP_OK Success
- ESP_ERR_INVALID_ARG Parameter error

Parameters

- group_num: Timer group number, 0 for TIMERG0 or 1 for TIMERG1

esp_err_t timer_spinlock_give(timer_group_t group_num)

Give timer spinlock to exit critical protect.

Return

- ESP_OK Success
- ESP_ERR_INVALID_ARG Parameter error

Parameters

- group_num: Timer group number, 0 for TIMERG0 or 1 for TIMERG1

Timer interface- sharing

<https://github.com/espressif/esp-idf/blob/release/v4.2/components/driver/timer.c>

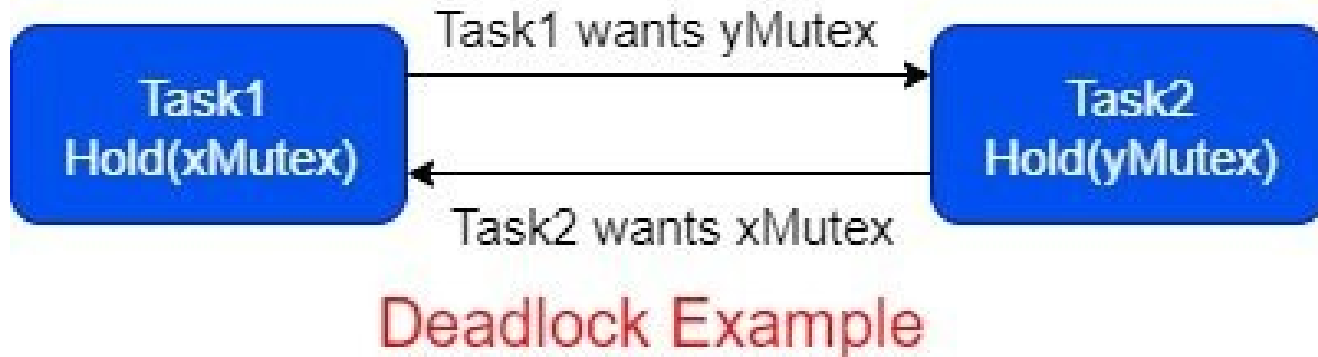
Vanilla FreeRTOS implements critical sections with `taskENTER_CRITICAL()` which calls `portDISABLE_INTERRUPTS()`

Note: disabling interrupts is not sufficient – as other core can still interrupt

```
#define TIMER_ENTER_CRITICAL(mux) portENTER_CRITICAL_SAFE(mux);
#define TIMER_EXIT_CRITICAL(mux) portEXIT_CRITICAL_SAFE(mux);
static portMUX_TYPE timer_spinlock[TIMER_GROUP_MAX] =
    {portMUX_INITIALIZER_UNLOCKED, portMUX_INITIALIZER_UNLOCKED};
```

```
esp_err_t timer_get_counter_value(timer_group_t group_num,
    timer_idx_t timer_num, uint64_t *timer_val)
{ ...
TIMER_ENTER_CRITICAL(&timer_spinlock[group_num]);
timer_hal_get_counter_value(
    &(p_timer_obj[group_num][timer_num]->hal),
    timer_val);
TIMER_EXIT_CRITICAL(&timer_spinlock[group_num]);
return ESP_OK;
}
```

Deadlock



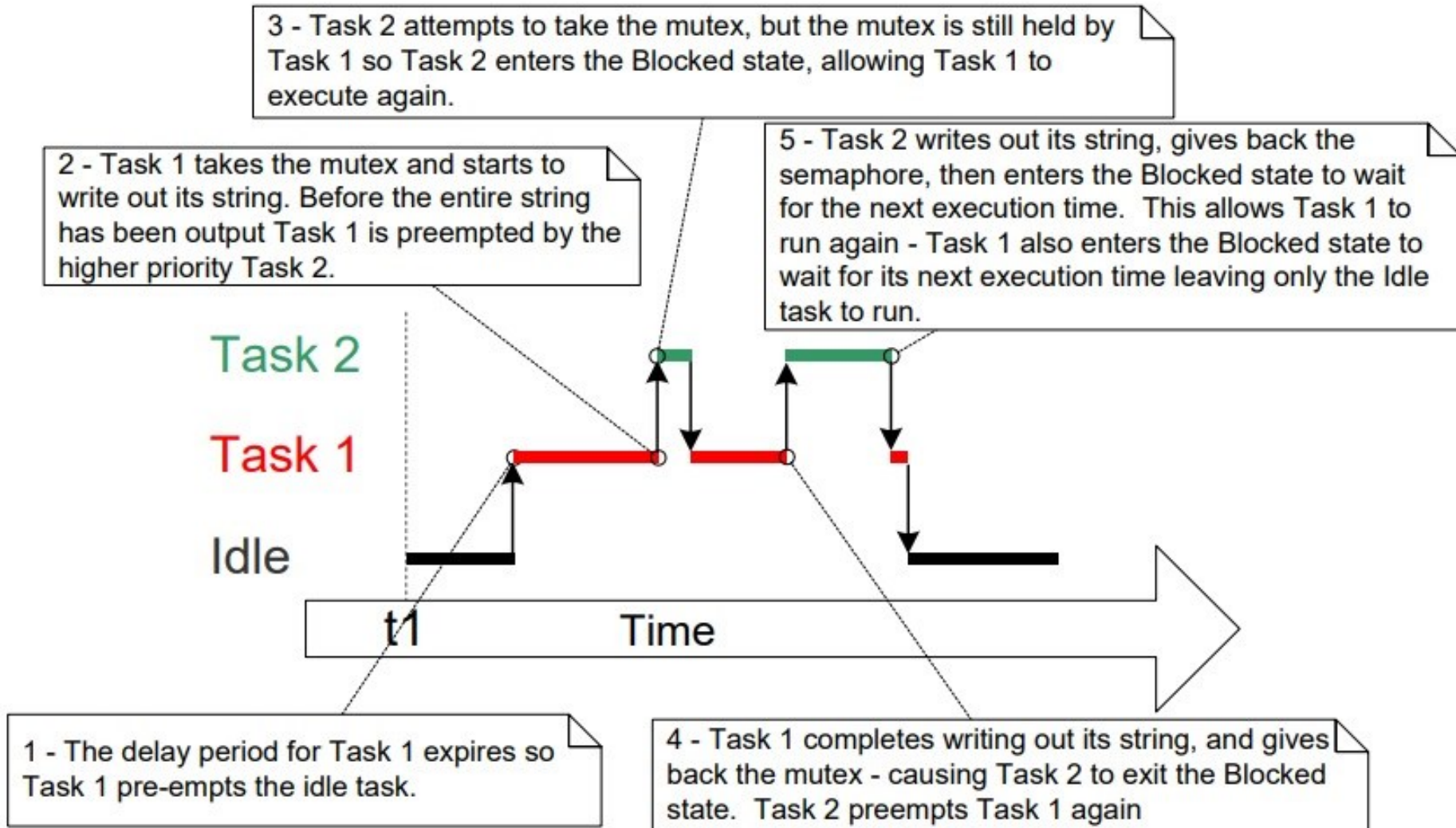
Possible Task1 and Task2 both block
(May be safer to use interrupt if only a single processor...)

Example: `xSemaphoreCreateBinary()`

See <https://docs.espressif.com/projects/esp-idf/en/latest/esp32/api-reference/system/freertos.html?highlight=priority%20inheritance>

Deadlock- print example

(from Mastering_the_FreeRTOS_Real_Time_Kernel-A_Hands-On_Tutorial_Guide.)



Deadlock

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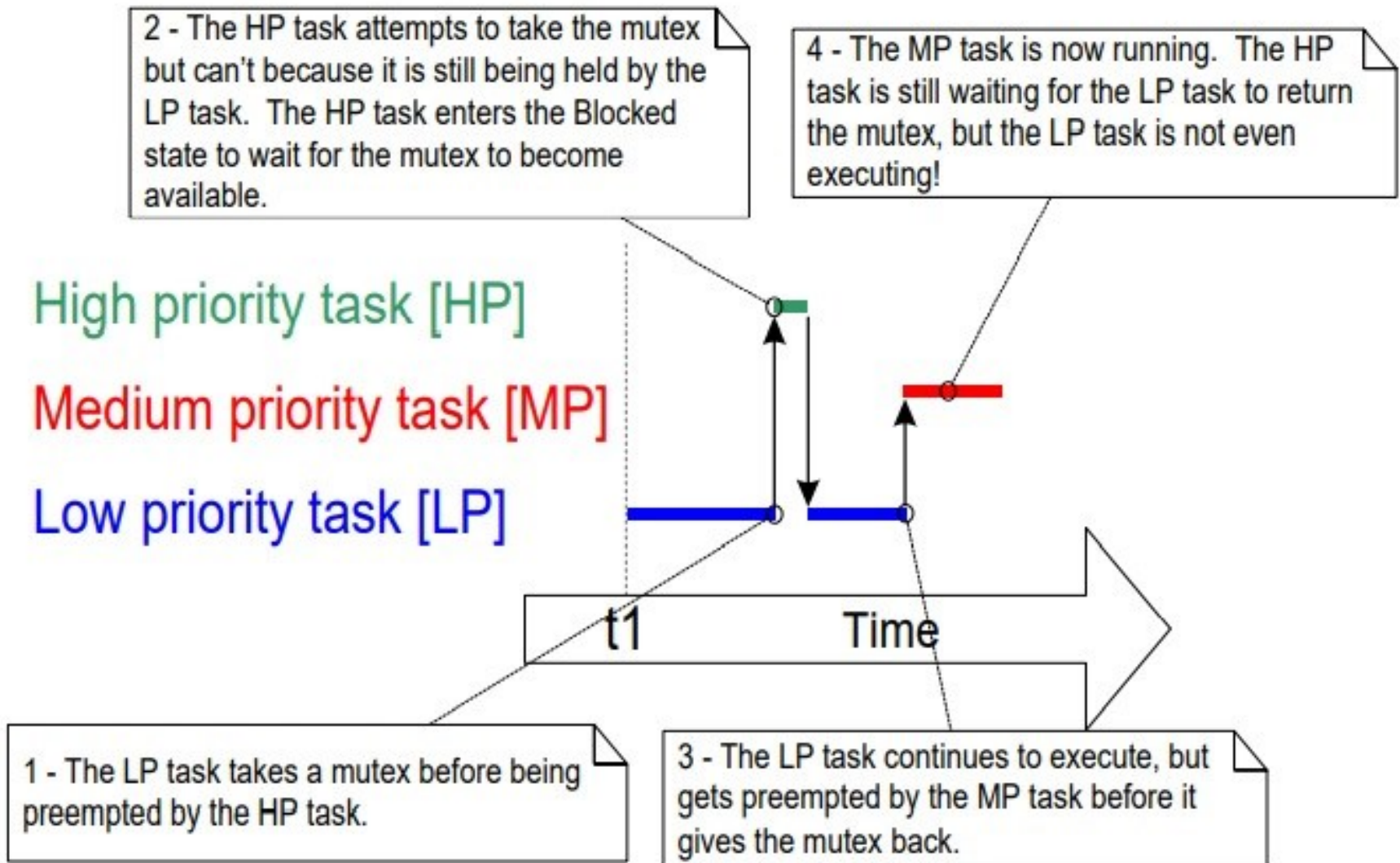


Figure 66. A worst case priority inversion scenario

Deadlock

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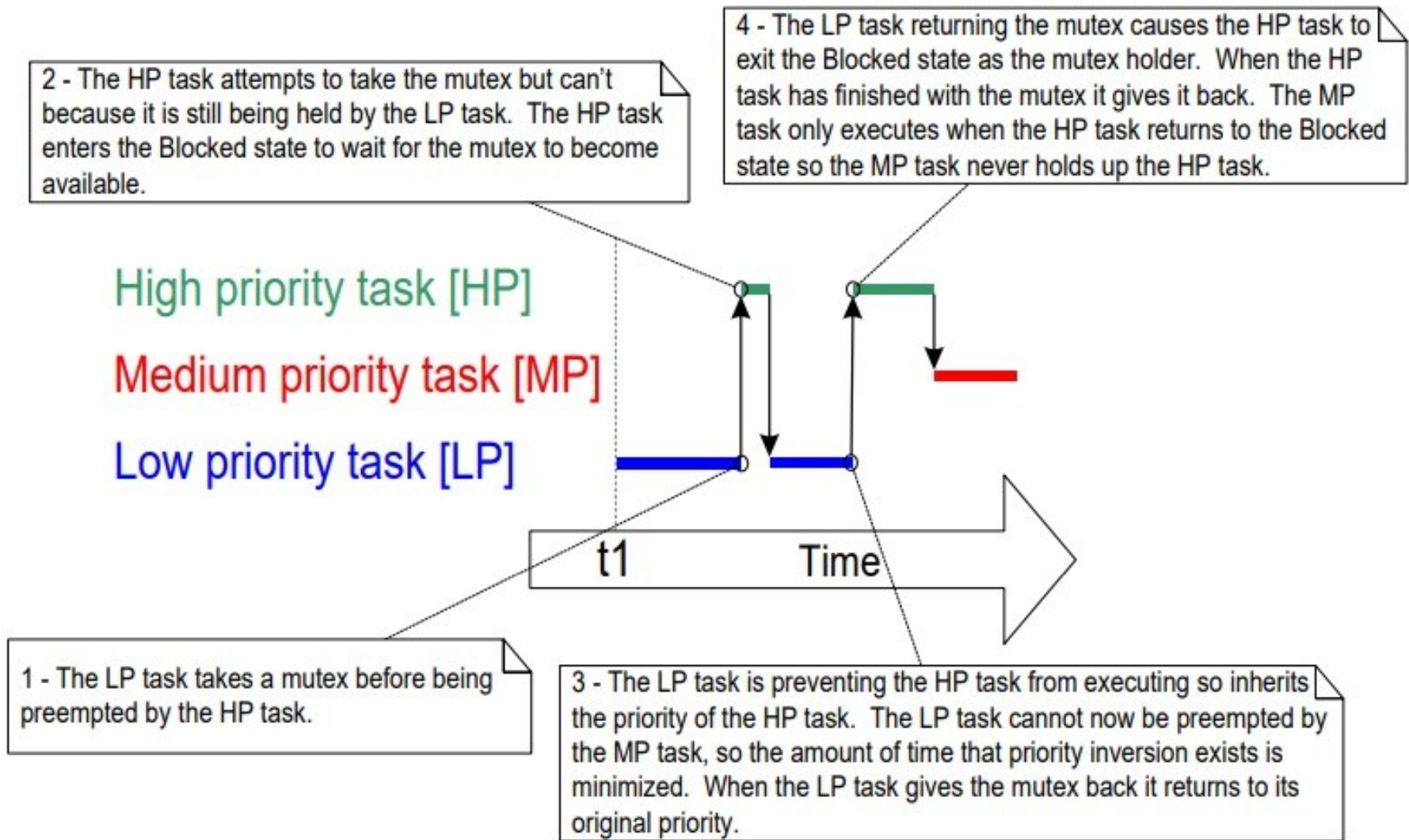


Figure 67. Priority inheritance minimizing the effect of priority inversion

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Motor Modelling and Steering Introduction

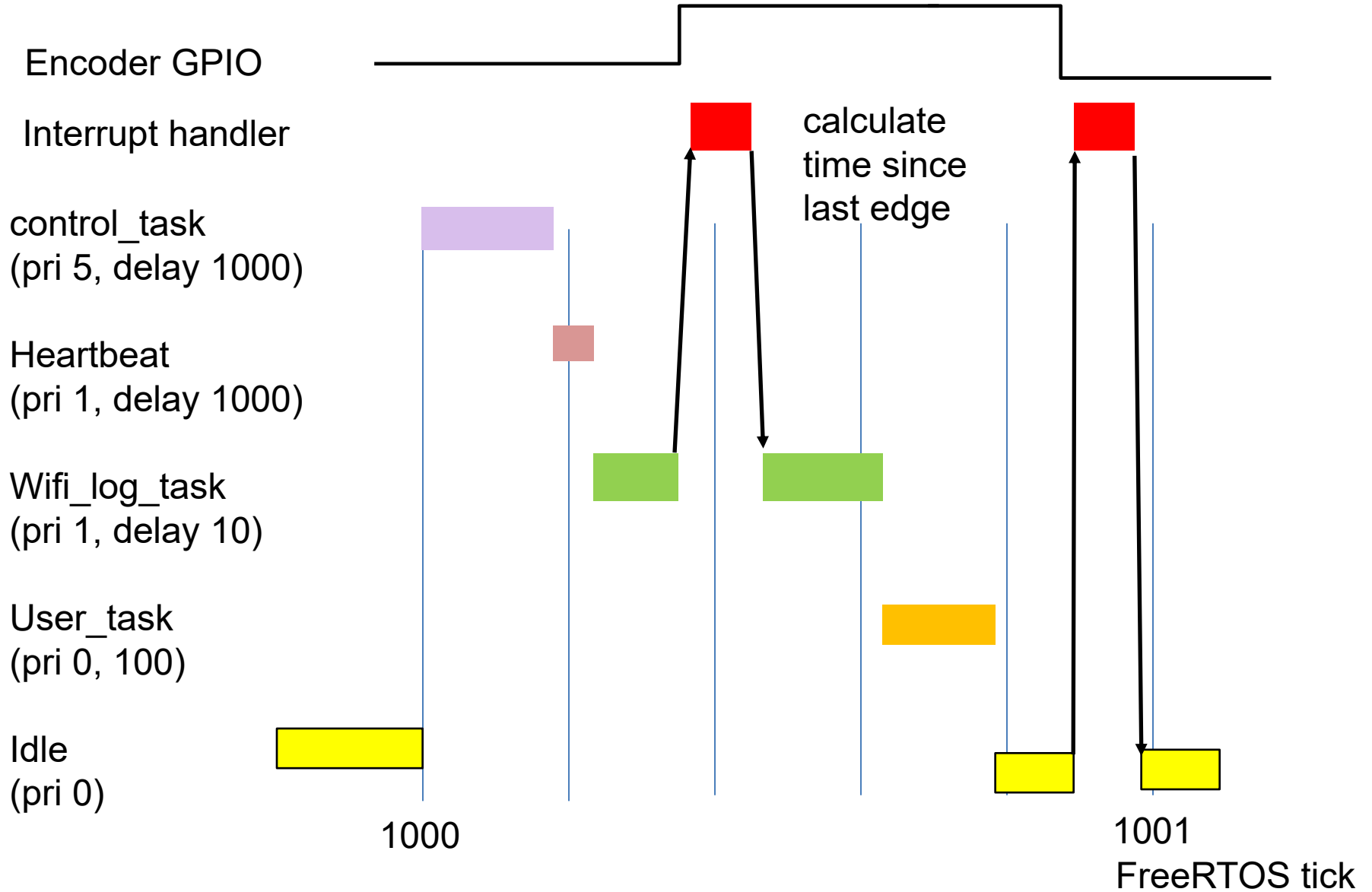
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Topics

- Checkpoint 5: feedback
- Checkpoint 6: closed-loop control
- Time spent survey
- HW 1 Notes
- PWM for motor drive/MOSFET intro
- Steering control II
- Embedded Issues: deadlock

Extra Slides

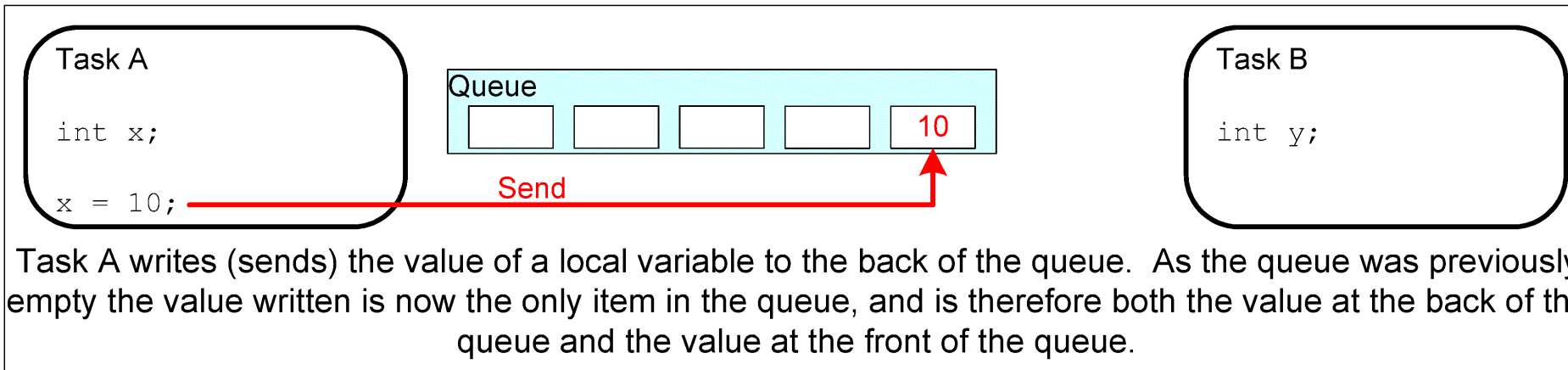
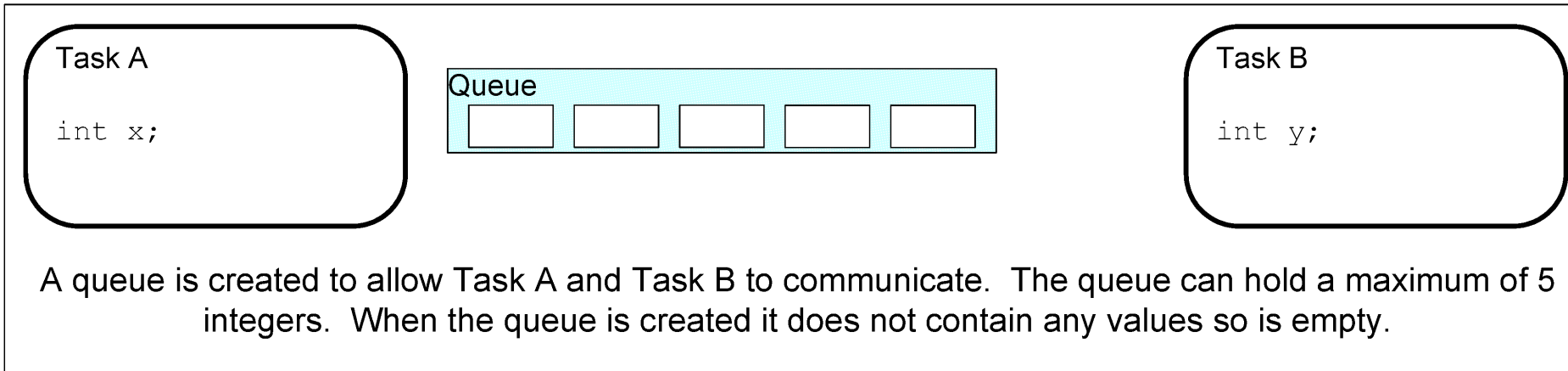
Skeleton Tasks with interrupt



`vTaskDelay(delay / portTICK_PERIOD_MS);`

Queue in FreeRTOS

161204 Pre-release for FreeRTOS V8.x.x. See <http://www.FreeRTOS.org/FreeRTOS-V9.html> for information about FreeRTOS V9.x.x. Use <http://www.FreeRTOS.org/contact> to provide feedback, corrections, and check for updates.



Queue in FreeRTOS

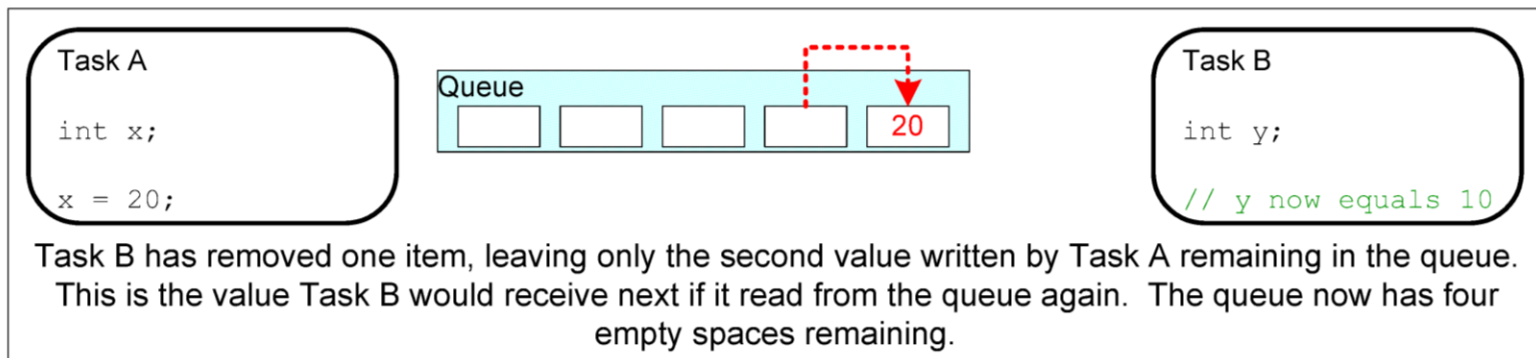
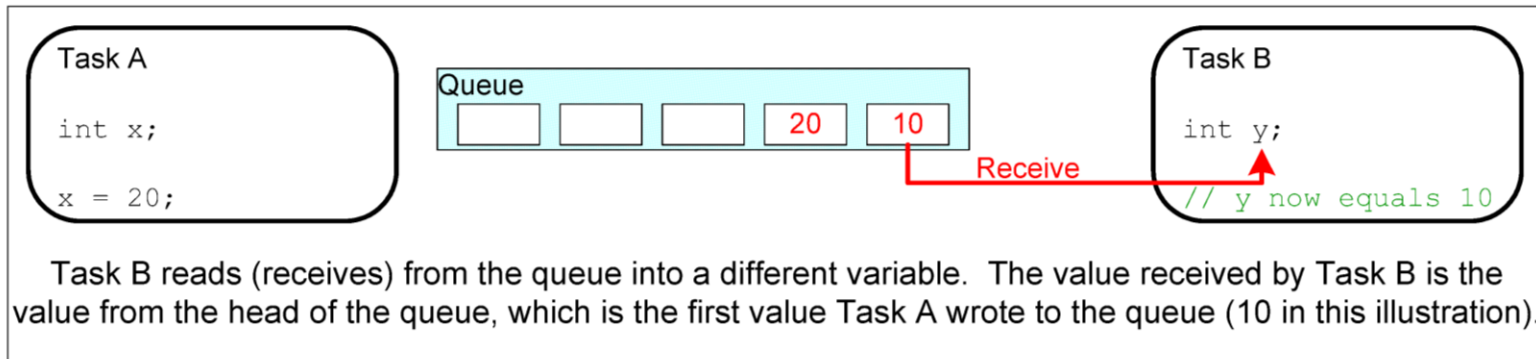
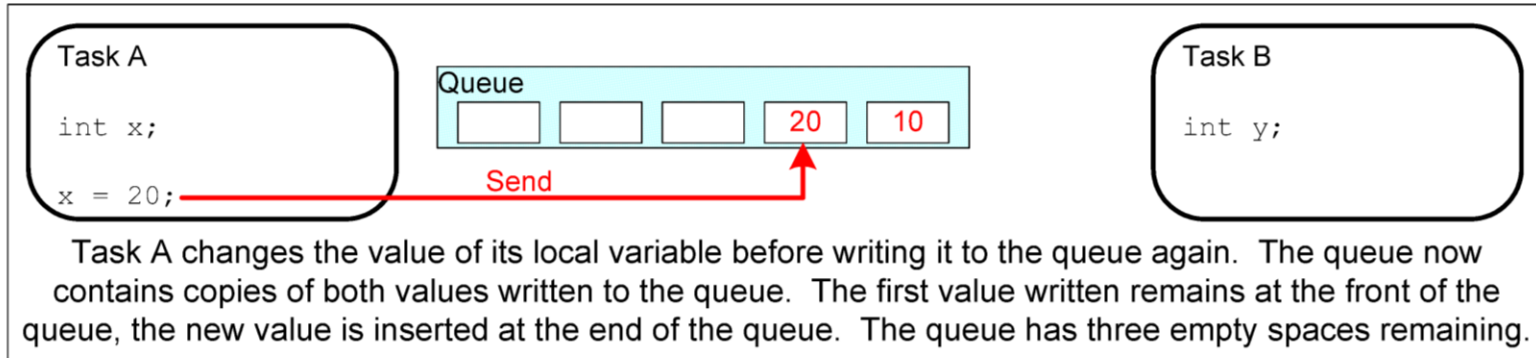
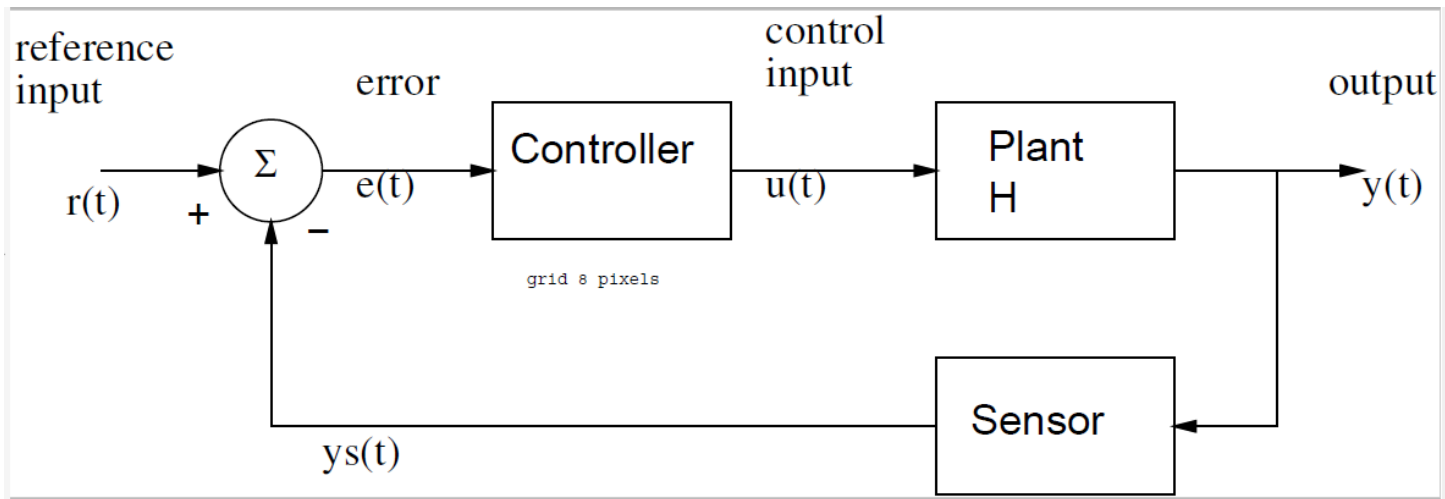


Figure 31. An example sequence of writes to, and reads from a queue

Control Synopsis



State equations: $\dot{x}(t) = ax(t) + bu(t)$

Output equations: $y(t) = cx(t) + du(t)$

Control Law (P): $u(t) = k_p e(t) = k_p (r(t) - y(t)).$

Control Synopsis

Control Law (P): $u(t) = k_p e(t) = k_p (r(t) - y(t))$.

New state equations:

$$\dot{x} = ax + bk_p e(t) = ax + bk_p (r - x) = (a - bk_p)x + bk_p r.$$

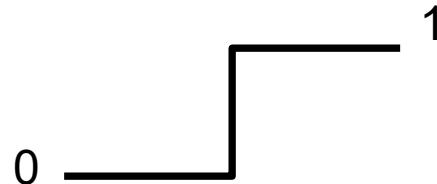
Zero Input Response (non-zero init condx, $r(t)=0$):

$$x(t) = x(0)e^{(a-bk_p)t} \quad \text{for } t \geq 0.$$

$$a' = a - bk_p \quad b' = bk_p$$

Total Response (non-zero init condx) by convolution:

$$x(t_o) = e^{a't_o} x(0) + \int_0^{t_o} e^{a'(t_o-\tau)} b' r(\tau) d\tau . \quad (10)$$



Step Response (zero init condx) by convolution:

$$x(t_o) = b' \int_0^{t_o} e^{a't_o} e^{-a'\tau} d\tau = \frac{-b'e^{a't_o}}{a'} e^{-a'\tau} \Big|_0^{t_o} = \frac{b'}{a'} (1 - e^{-a't_o}) . \quad (11)$$

Control Synopsis

Control Law (P): $u(t) = k_p e(t) = k_p (r(t) - y(t))$.

New state equations:

$$\dot{x} = ax + bk_p e(t) = ax + bk_p (r - x) = (a - bk_p)x + bk_p r.$$

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Total Response (non-zero init condx) by convolution:

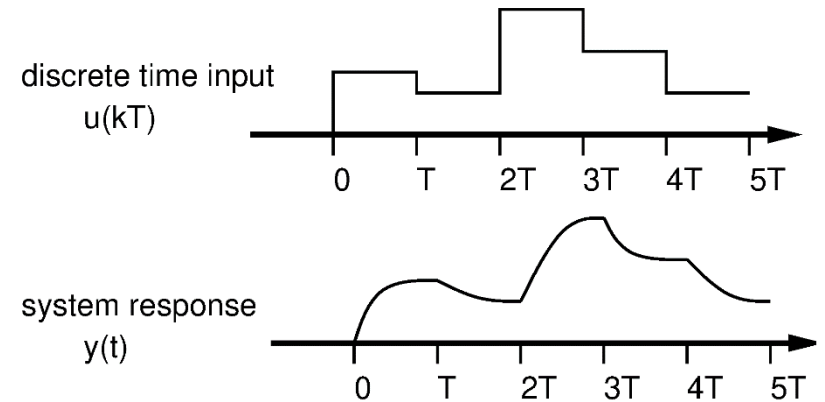
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Control Synopsis- Discrete Time

Superposition of Step Responses



$$x((k+1)T) = e^{a(k+1)T}x(0) + e^{a(k+1)T} \int_0^{(k+1)T} e^{-a\tau} bu(\tau) d\tau . \quad (15)$$

$$x(kT) = e^{akT}x(0) + e^{akT} \int_0^{kT} e^{-a\tau} bu(\tau) d\tau . \quad (14)$$

$$x((k+1)T) = e^{aT}x(kT) + e^{a(k+1)T} \int_{kT}^{(k+1)T} e^{-a\tau} bu(\tau) d\tau = e^{aT}x(kT) + \int_0^T e^{a\lambda} bu(kT) d\lambda , \quad (16)$$

Control Synopsis- Discrete Time

$$G(T) \equiv e^{aT} \quad \text{and} \quad H(T) \equiv b \int_0^T e^{a\lambda} d\lambda . \quad (17)$$

State equations:

$$x((k + 1)T) = G(T)x(kT) + H(T)u(kT) \quad (18)$$

Output equations:

$$y(kT) = Cx(kT) + Du(kT) . \quad (19)$$

Total Response (non-zero init condx) by convolution:

$$x(k) = G^k x(0) + \sum_{j=0}^{k-1} G^{k-j-1} H u(j) . \quad (23)$$

Control Synopsis- Discrete Time

Control Law (P):

$$U(kT) = k_p [r(kT) - x(kT)]$$

New state equations:

$$x((k+1)T) = G(T)x(kT) + H(T)k_p(r(kT) - x(kT)) = [G - Hk_p]x(kT) + Hk_pr(kT) . \quad (24)$$

$$x((k+1)T) = [e^{aT} + \frac{k_p}{a}(1 - e^{aT})]x(kT) + Hk_pr(kT) = G'x(kT) + Hk_pr(kT) . \quad (25)$$

For stability:

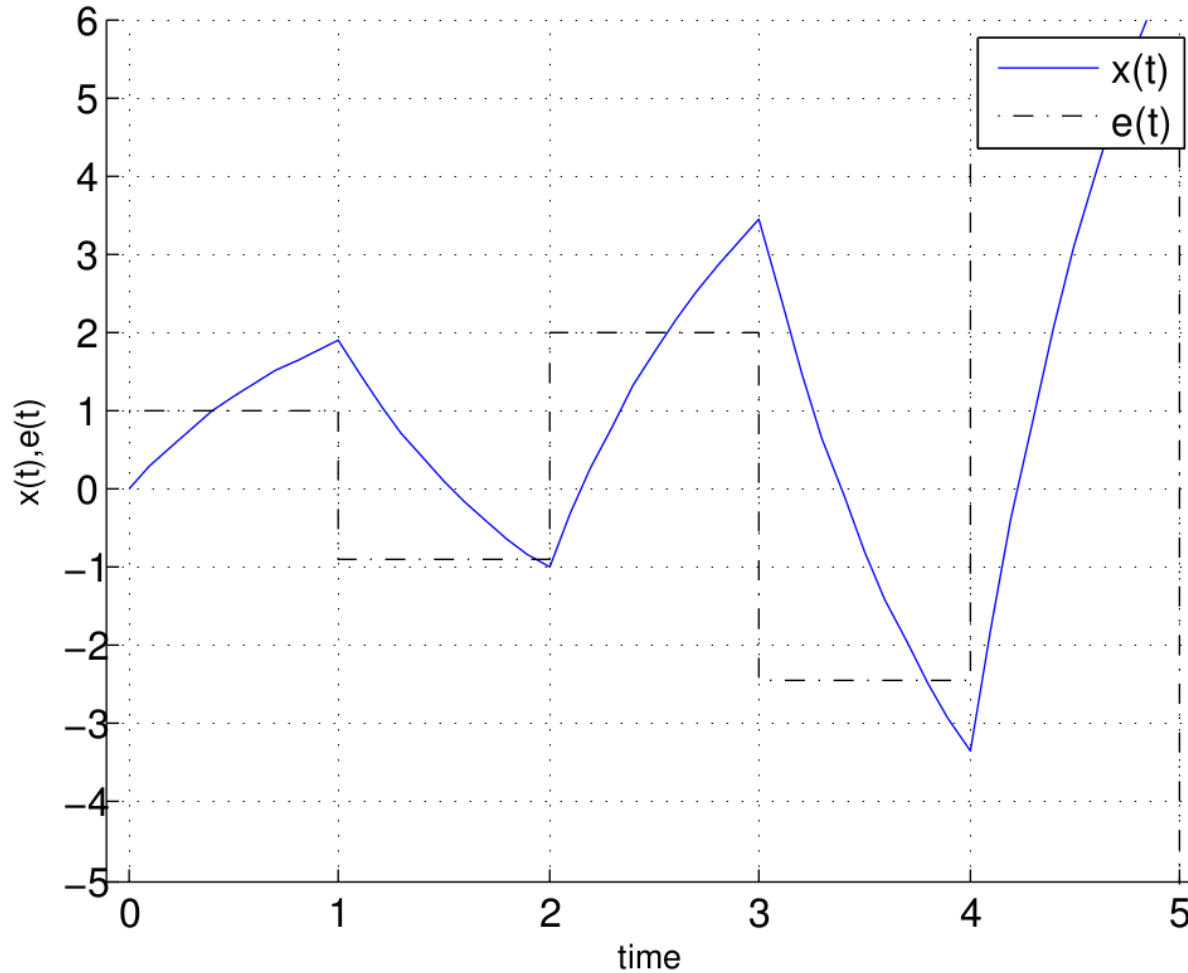
$$|e^{aT} - \frac{k_p}{a}(e^{aT} - 1)| < 1. \quad (26)$$

Notes: stability depends on gain **and** T!

Discrete Time Control

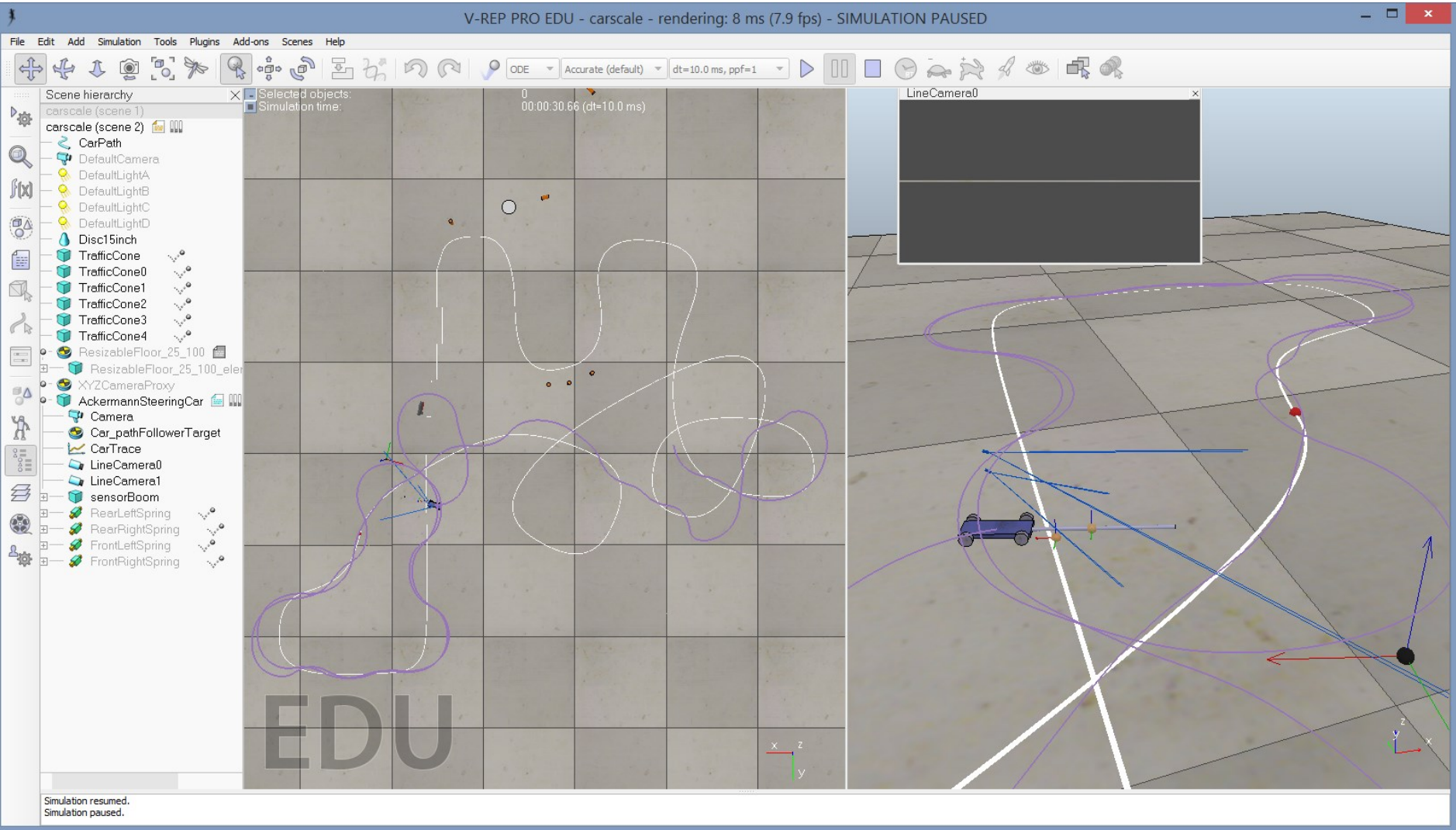
$$u[k] = k_p \cdot (r[k] - x[k])$$

Time Series Plot:unnamed



On board

V-rep simulation



demo

V-rep simulation

