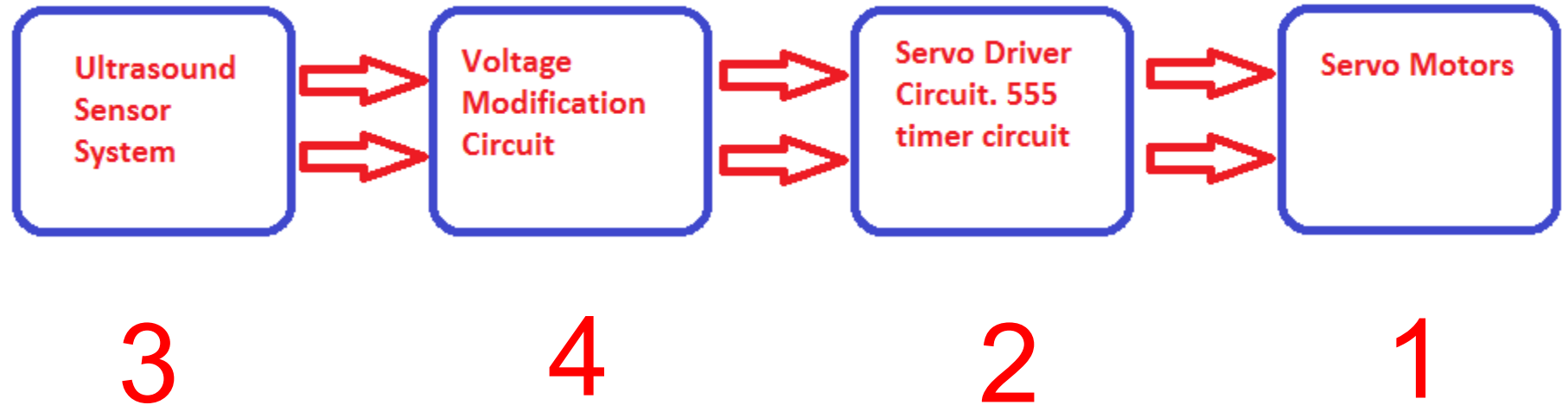


Motion Controlled Laser

Overview

- Control the x,y location of a laser pointer using an object some distance away.
 - Track location of the object using ultrasound sensors.
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Block Diagram



Servo Motors

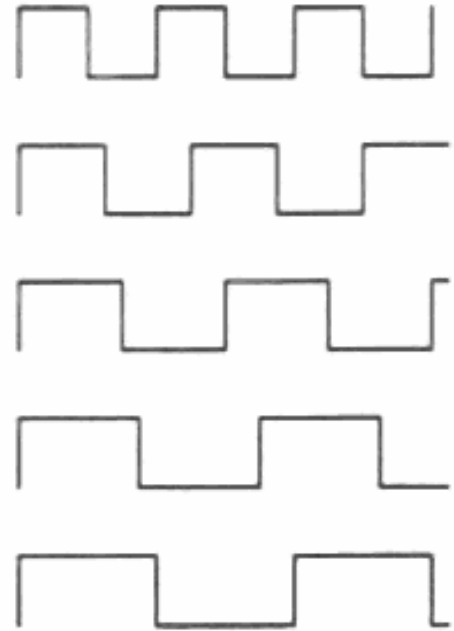
- Three leads: power, ground signal
- Servo angle is controlled by the pulse-width of the signal.
- Width:
 - 0.5ms completely clockwise
 - 2ms completely counterclockwise



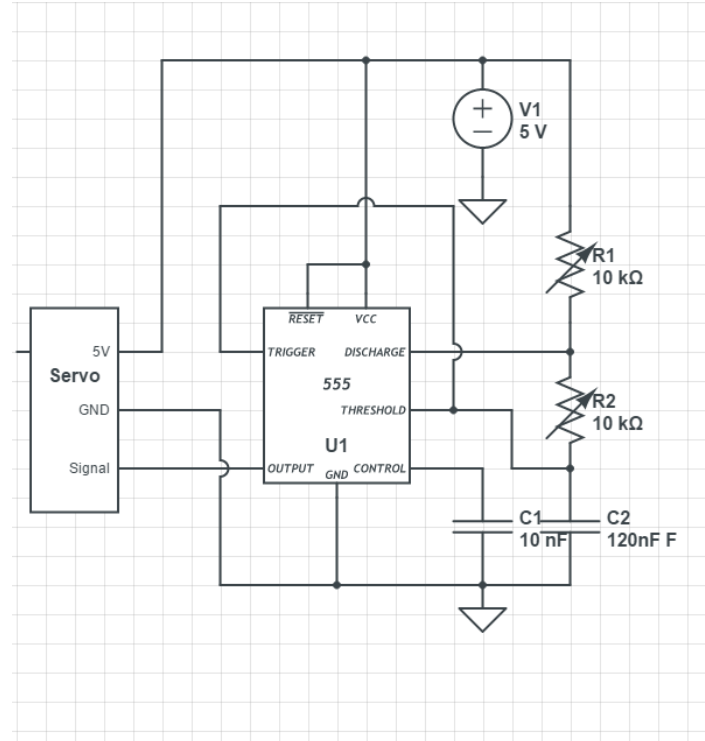
Servo Driver Circuit

-Use a 555 timer with variable threshold to create different square wave widths.

-Find a voltage range that will create [0.5ms,2ms] pulse widths.



Servo Driver Circuit- 555 Astable



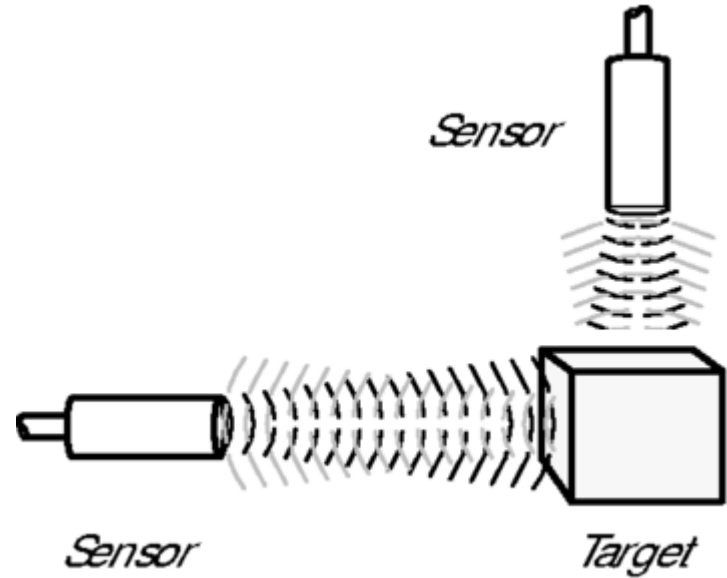
Ultrasound Sensors

- Device with two leads.
- Can transmit and/or receive a signal.
- Resonant frequency of 24 kHz.



Ultrasound Sensors

- Two ultrasounds will be used.
One for each axis.
- Each ultrasound will periodically transmit and then receive the data.
- Magnitude of output voltage is proportional to distance.



Voltage Modification Circuit

- Modify the voltage output of the ultrasound to match the necessary range of the Servo Driver circuit.
 - May involve shifting, multiplying or other functions.
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Potential Problems

- Ultrasound testing diagonals.
 - Creating the Voltage Modification Circuit.
 - Timing for the two ultrasound sensors so they do not interfere with each other.
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Timeline

- Servo Driver Circuit- 4/14
 - Ultrasound Sensors- 4/21
 - Voltage Modification Circuit- 4/26
 - Completed Project- 5/3
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