

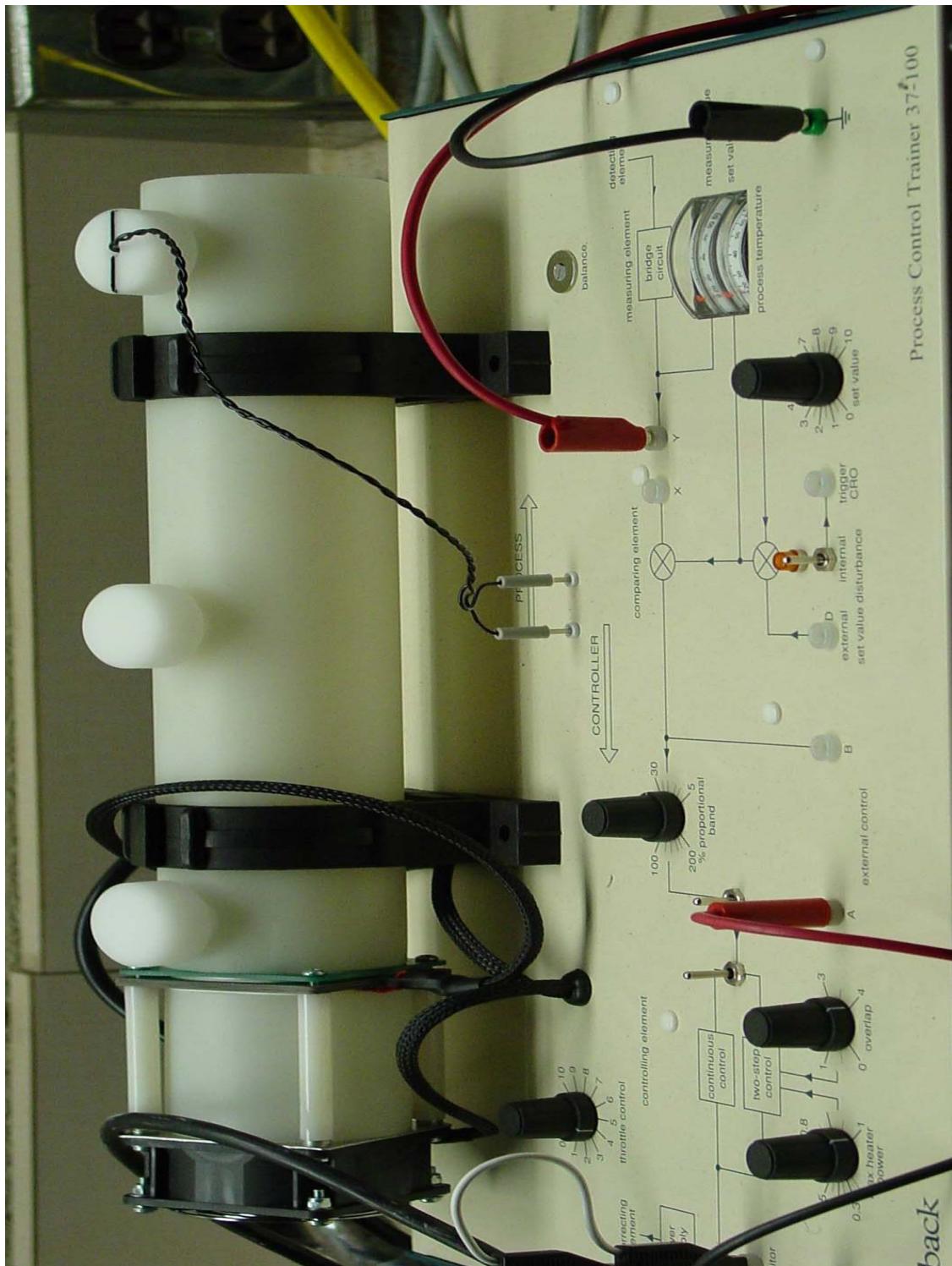
## EXPERIMENTAL METHODS

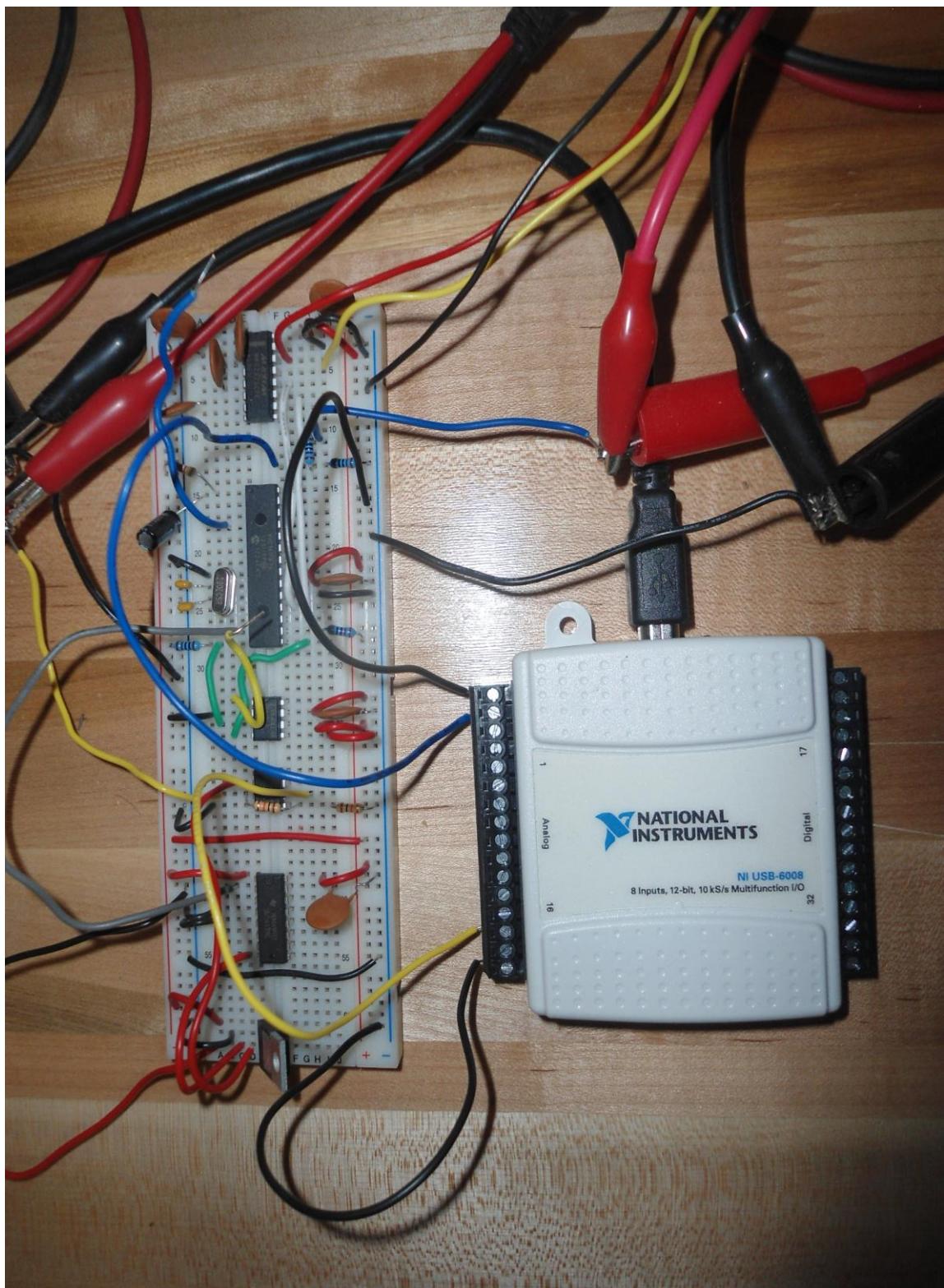
### NI DAQ LAB

PURPOSE: The purpose of this lab is to give you some experience with control of the pipe flow setup using the National Instruments NI USB 6009 DAQ.

PROCEDURE: The DAQ has been wired into the pipe flow setup. Plug the DAQ into the computer and follow the prompts. Activate the LABVIEW Virtual Instrument DAQ. Examine the performance of the setup controlled by DAQ. Repeat the experiment using the MATLAB m code ONE and the SIMULINK block diagram TWO.

OBSERVATIONS: Compare the NI DAQ setup with that of the Z World Engineering RUGGED GIANT setup.



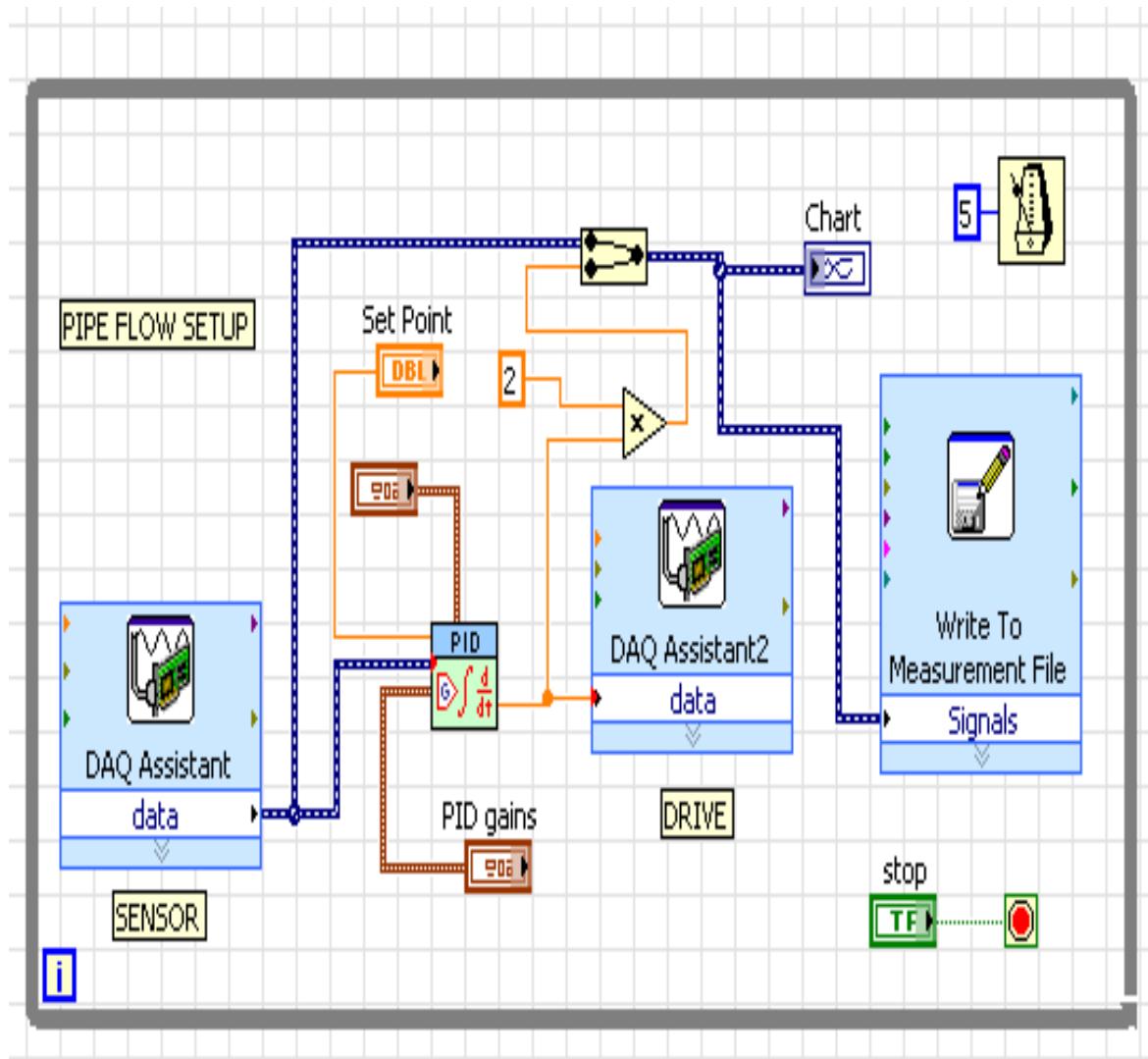


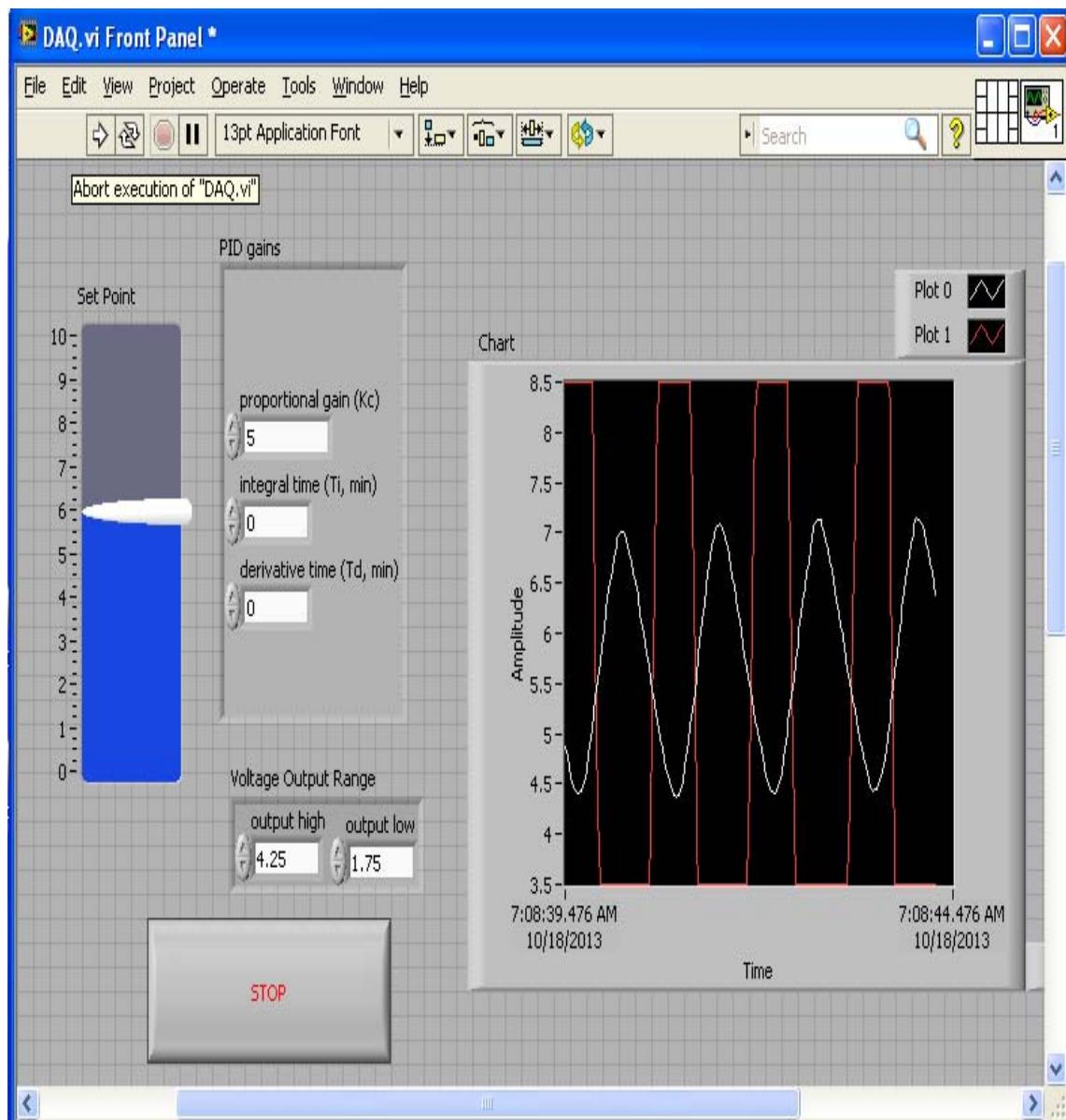
# NI USB-6009

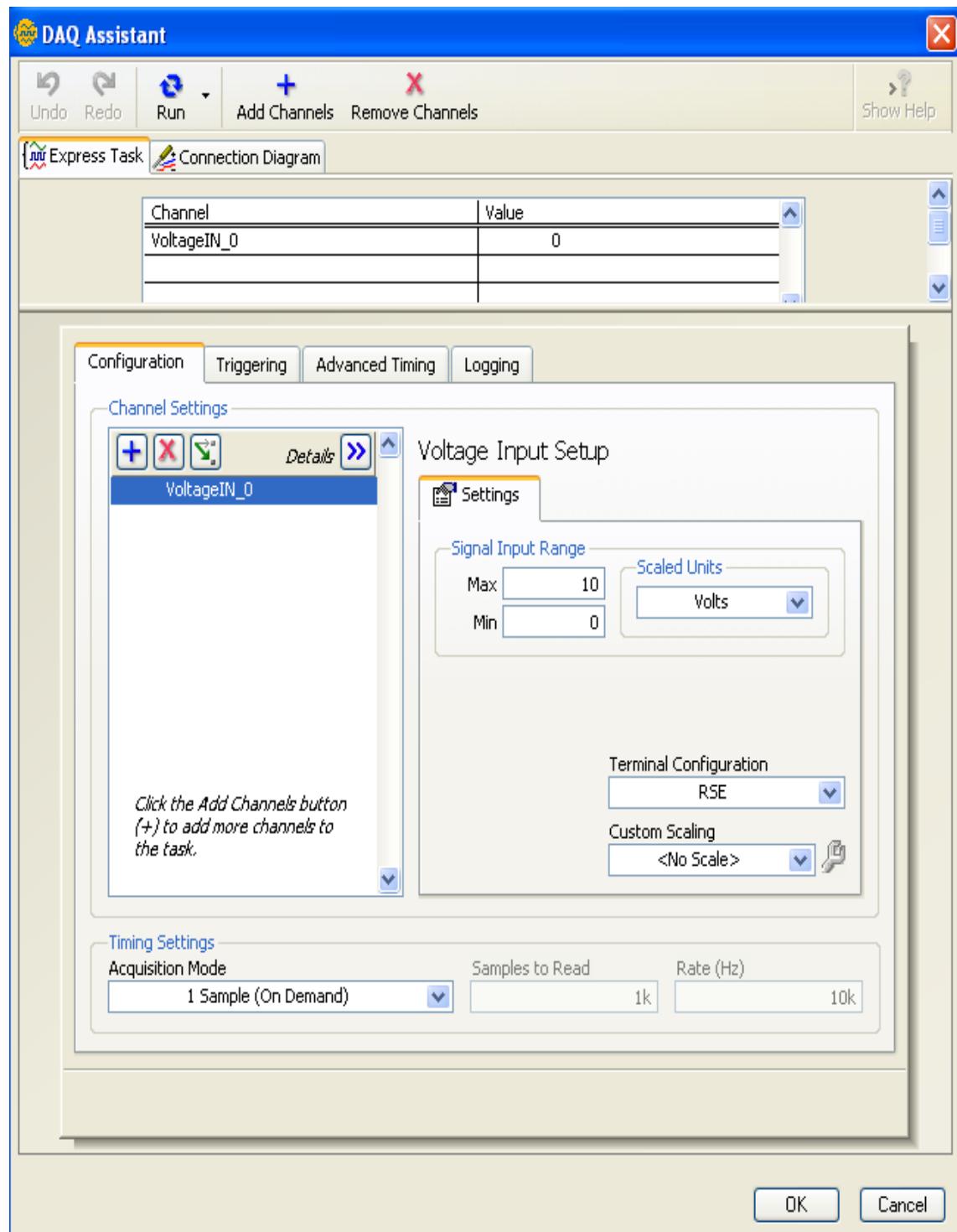
**Low-Cost, Bus-Powered Multifunction DAQ for USB**  
**12- or 14-Bit, Up to 48 kS/s, 8 Analog Inputs**

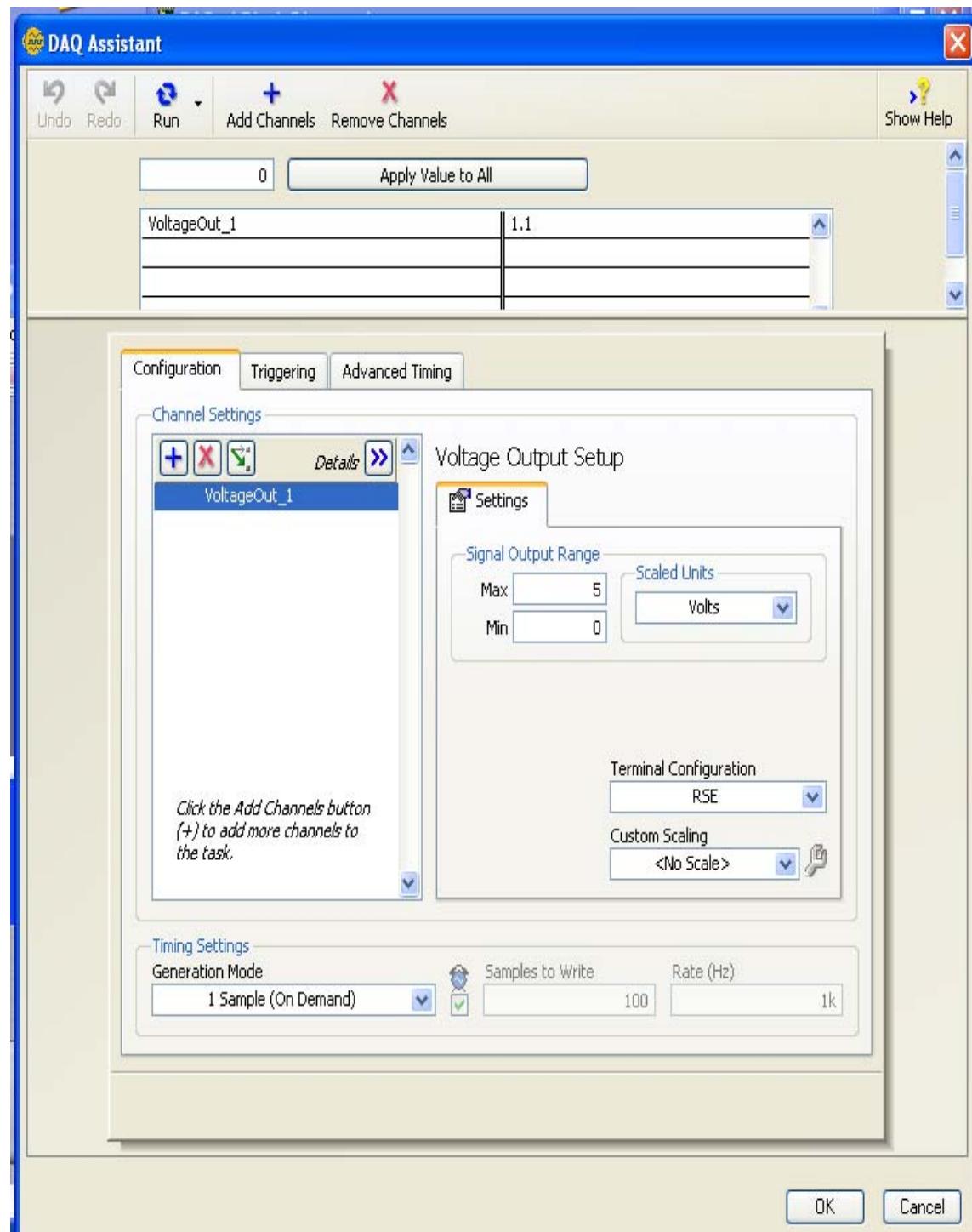


- 8 analog inputs at 12 or 14 bits, up to 48 kS/s
- 2 analog outputs at 12 bits, software-timed
- 12 TTL/CMOS digital I/O lines
- One 32-bit, 5 MHz counter
- Digital triggering
- Bus-powered
- 1-year warranty

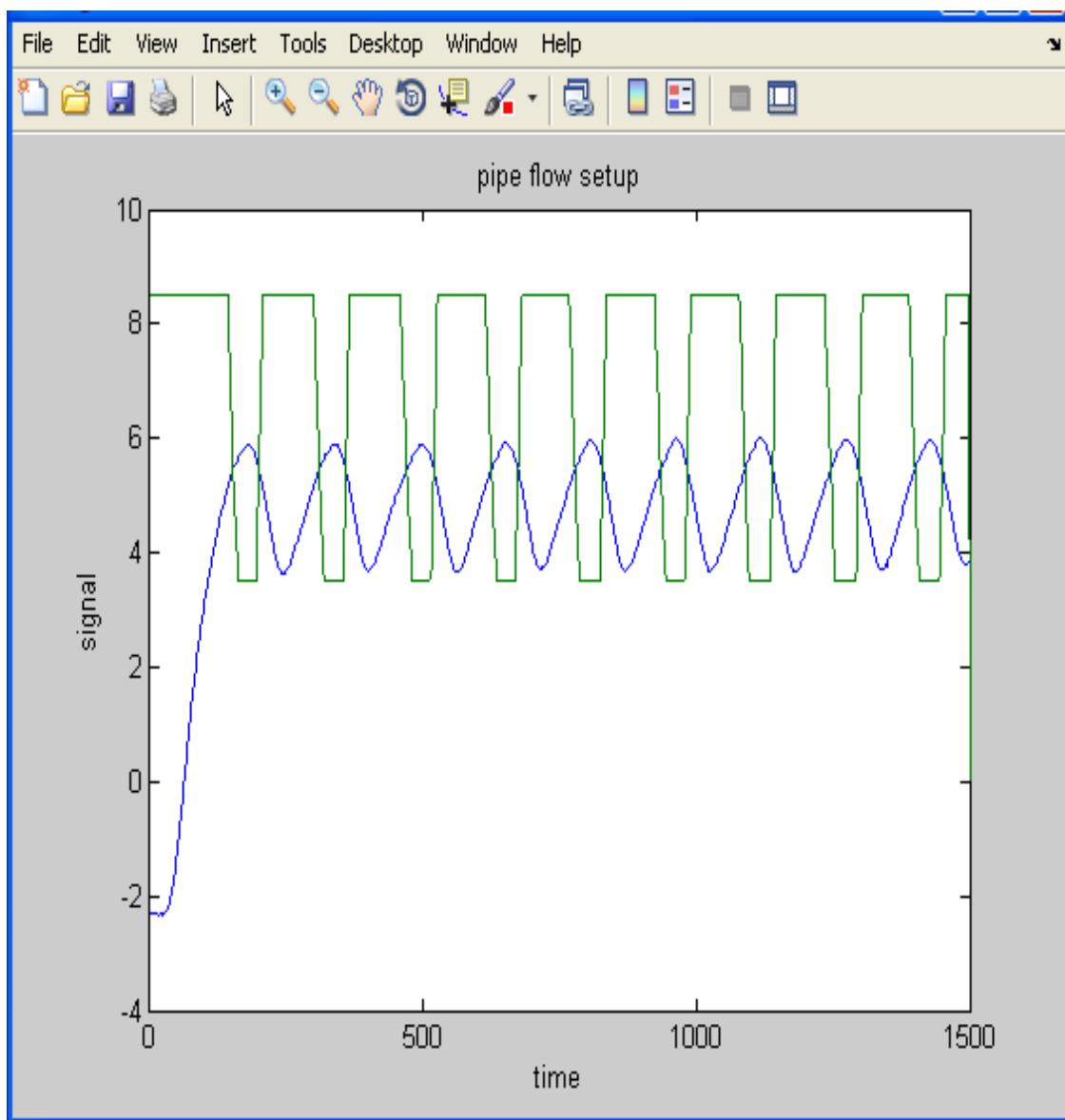


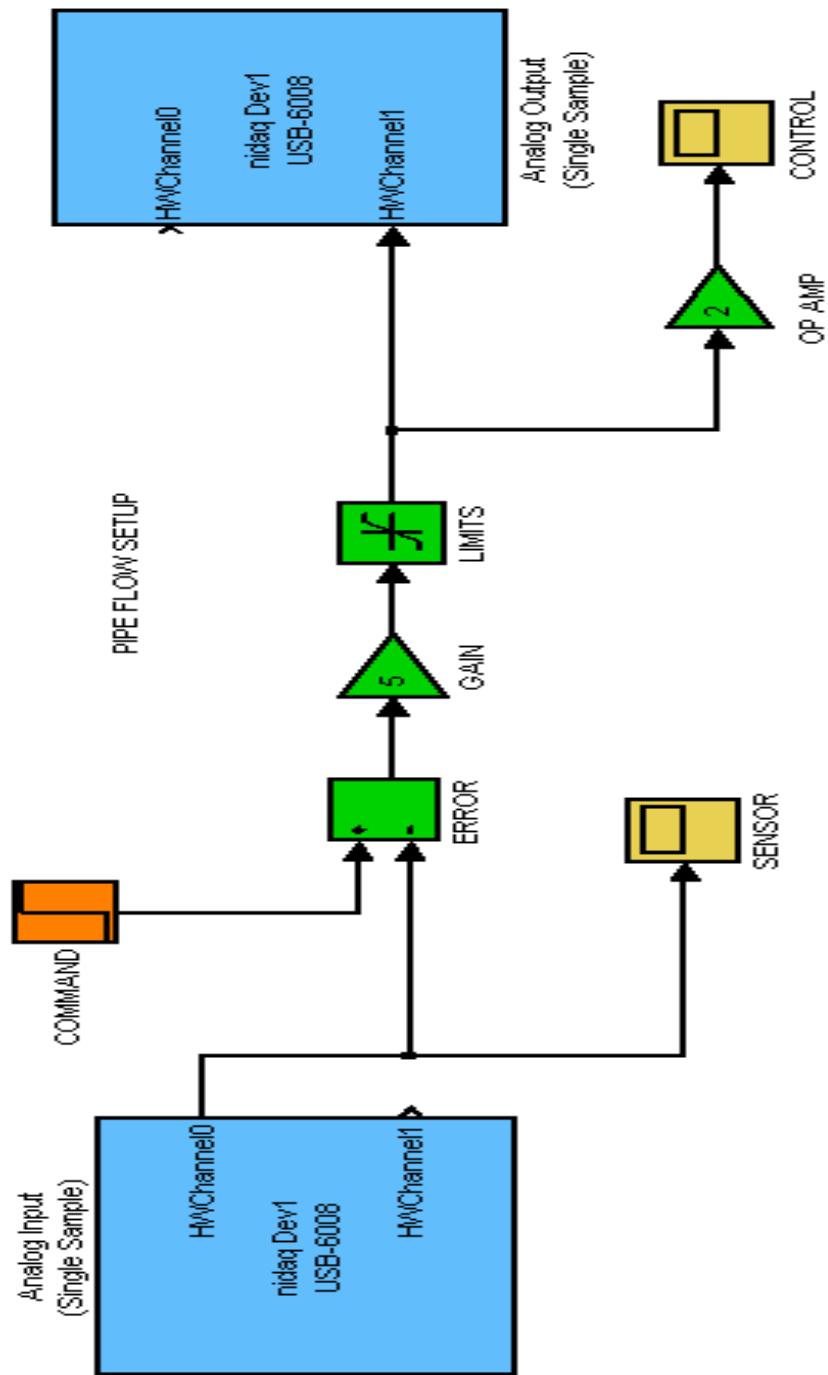


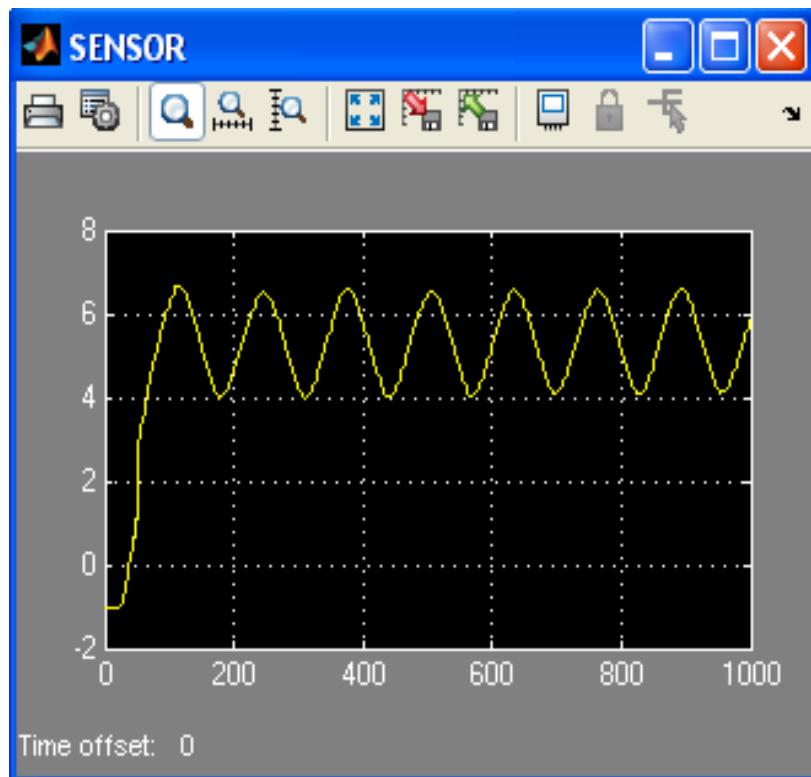
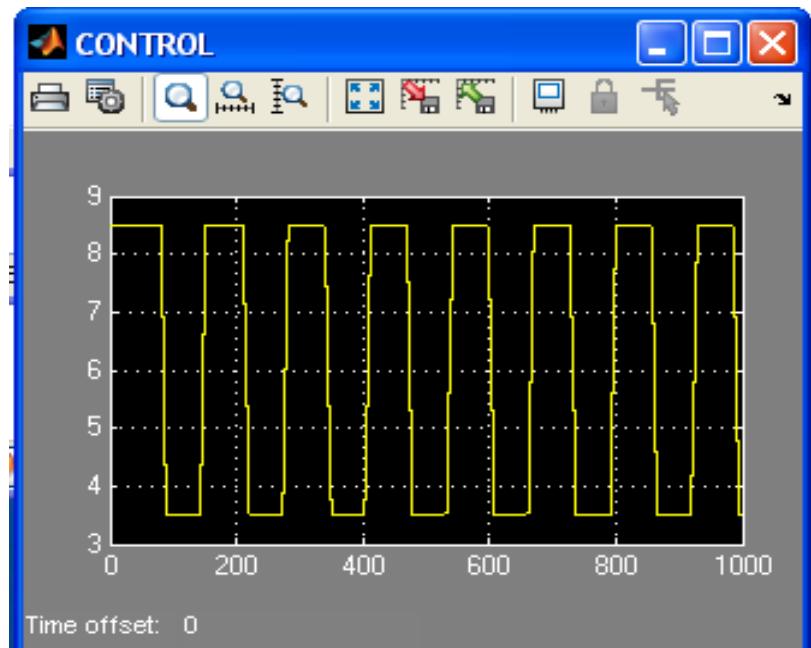




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%  
% PIPE FLOW SETUP  
%  
  
NIT=1000;  
target=6.0;  
gain=5.0;  
device='dev1';  
  
AIO=analoginput('nidaq',device);  
addchannel(AIO,0);  
AO1=analogoutput('nidaq',device);  
addchannel(AO1,1);  
  
for IT=1:NIT  
    TIME(IT)=IT;  
    sensor=getsample(AIO);  
    IN(IT)=sensor;  
    error=target-sensor;  
    control=gain*error;  
    signal=control;  
    if(control>5.0)  
        signal=5.0; end;  
    if(control<0.0)  
        signal=0.0; end;  
    if(IT==NIT)  
        signal=0.0; end;  
    OUT(IT)=2*signal;  
    putsample(AO1,signal);  
end  
  
plot(TIME,IN,TIME,OUT)
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%
% MOTOR SPEED CONTROL
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NIT=1000;
target=1.25;
gain=10.0;
device='dev1';

AII=analoginput('nidaq',device);
addchannel(AII,1);
AO0=analogoutput('nidaq',device);
addchannel(AO0,0);
AO1=analogoutput('nidaq',device);
addchannel(AO1,1);

for IT=1:NIT

    TIME(IT)=IT;

    sensor=getsample(AII);

    IN(IT)=sensor;

    error=target-sensor;
    control=gain*error;
    signal=abs(control);
    if (signal>5.0)
        signal=5.0; end;

    if (IT==NIT)
        signal=0.0; end;

    OUT(IT)=control;

    if (error>0.0)
        putsample(AO0,signal);
        putsample(AO1,0.0);
    end

    if (error<0.0)
        putsample(AO0,0.0);
        putsample(AO1,signal);
    end

end

plot(TIME,IN,TIME,OUT)

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