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Mid-Term Review – Spring 2019

MAVRIC – Mars Analog Vehicle for Robotic Inspection and Construction

AGENDA

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- Design Constraints
- Current Design
- Proposed Changes
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PROJECT OVERVIEW

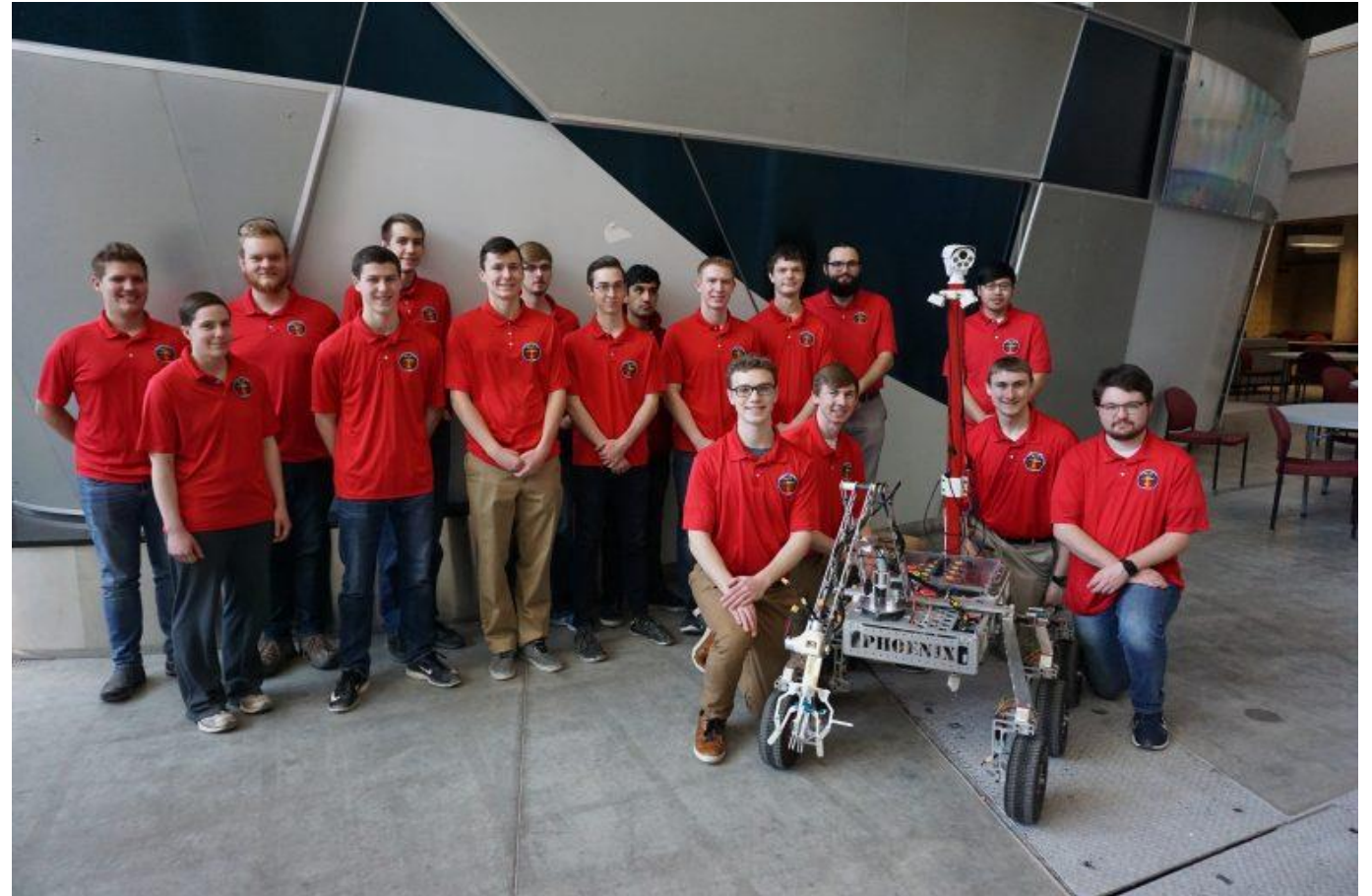
Project Executive Summary



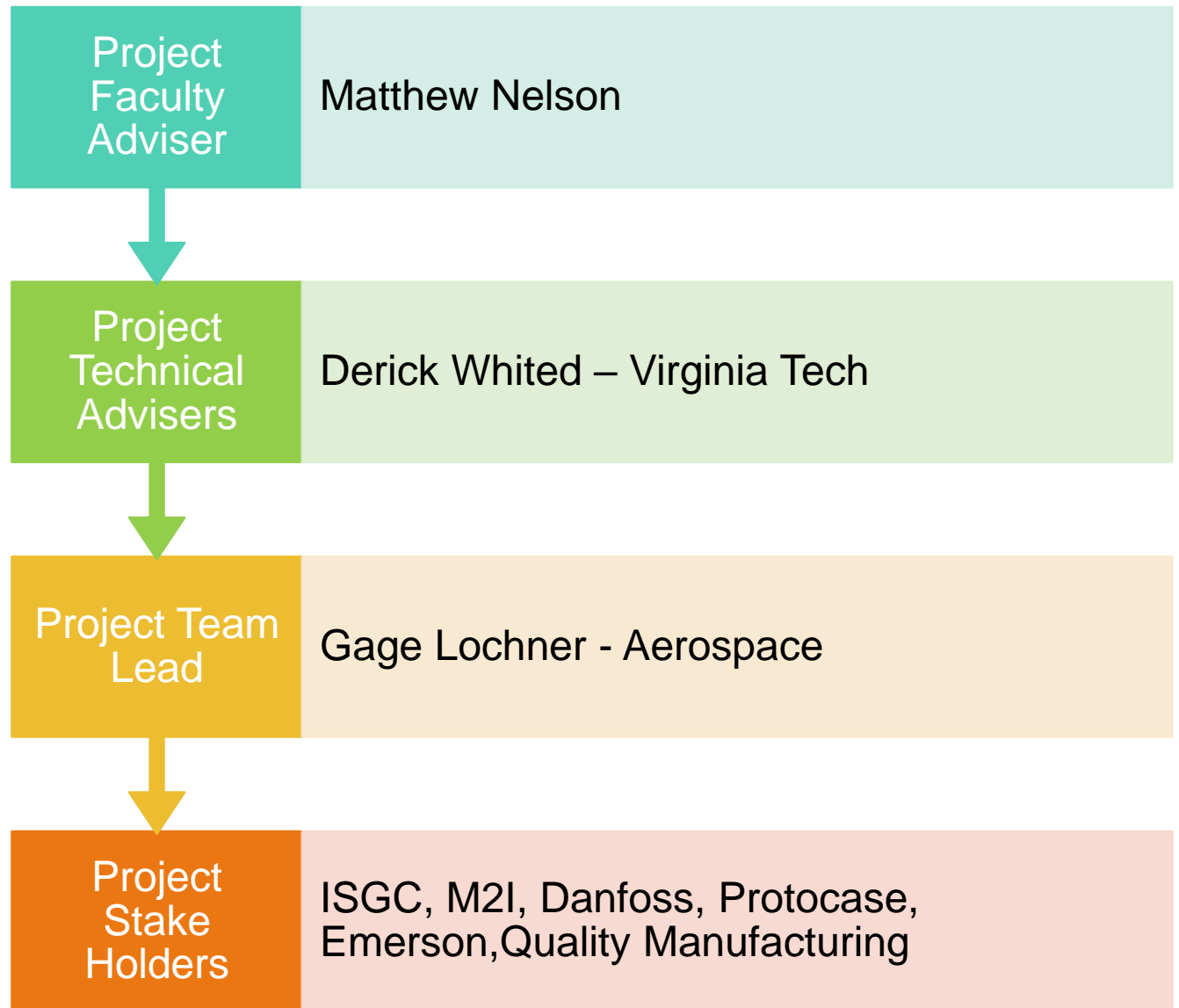
Project Photo

From left to right : Reid Miller,
Brooke Bradshaw, James Talbert,
Austin Schmitz, Brady Anderson,
Ryan Crall, Colton Marshall,
Noah Brady, Shivam Vashi,
Aaron McCrary, Nick Kilzer,
Christian Tanberg, Jensen Mayes,
Matthew Matejka, Billy Noy,
Riley Roche, Gage Lochner

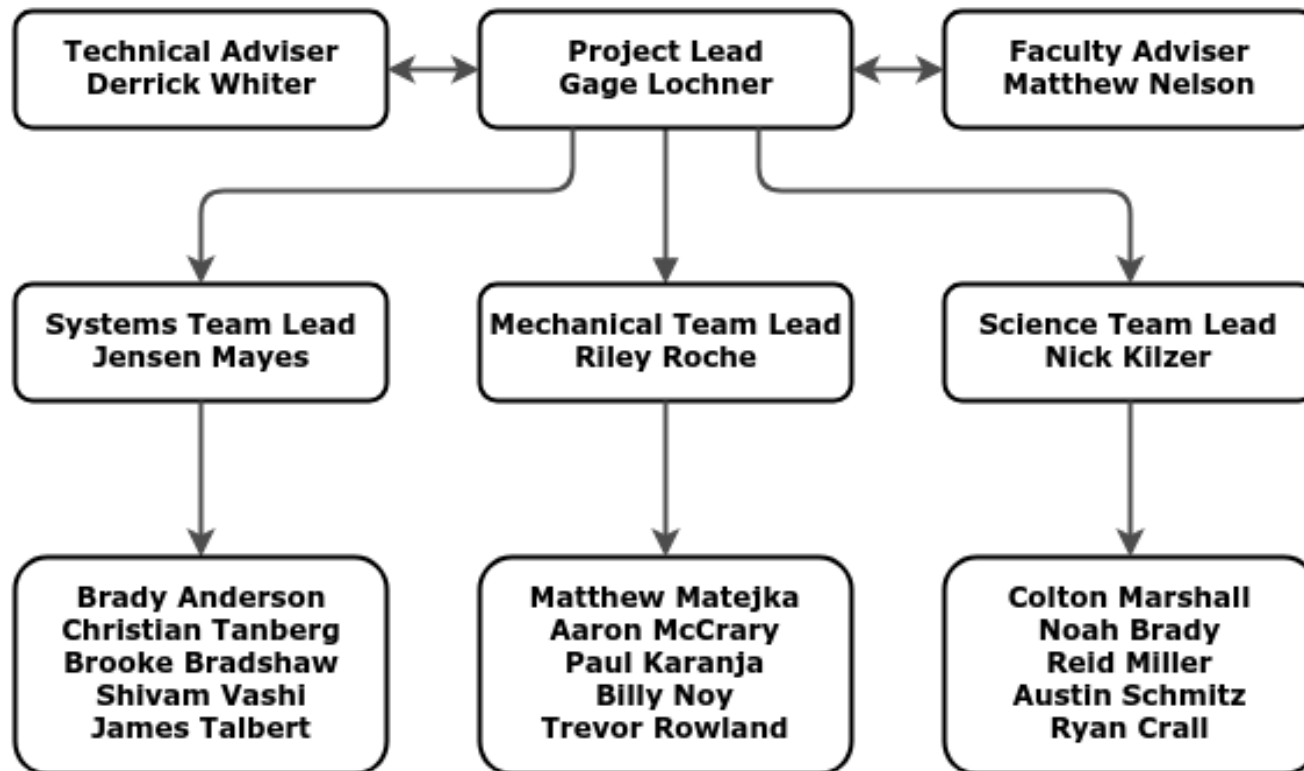
Not pictured: Trevor Rowland,
Paul Karanja



PROJECT OVERVIEW



Project Organization Chart



Project Plan

Project Objectives

- To build an analog next generation Mars rover

Semester Goals

- Get accepted into URC competition
- Complete Phoenix

Semester Deliverables

- Competition ready rover

ACTIVITY REPORT

Milestones, Tasks, and Health Report



MILESTONES – MECHANICAL TEAM

- Milestone 1 – Robotic Arm Improvements
 - Feedback
 - Base Rotation
 - Shoulder
 - End Effector
 - Cameras as a side task
- Milestone 2 – Suspension Upgrades and Weight Reduction
 - Add brass to suspension joints
 - Remove excess material from the rover
 - Replace aluminum components with lighter materials

MILESTONES – SCIENCE TEAM

- Milestone 1 – Manufacturing and Testing
 - Complete manufacturing of Laser Orientation
 - Make prototype and final copy of optical housing
 - Perform known testing of system with easy-to-identify substances
- Milestone 2 – Competition Readiness
 - Complete biomarker identification script with Python
 - Identify biomarkers with script
 - Identify biomarkers with script (blind tests)
 - Develop and practice Science Report methodology

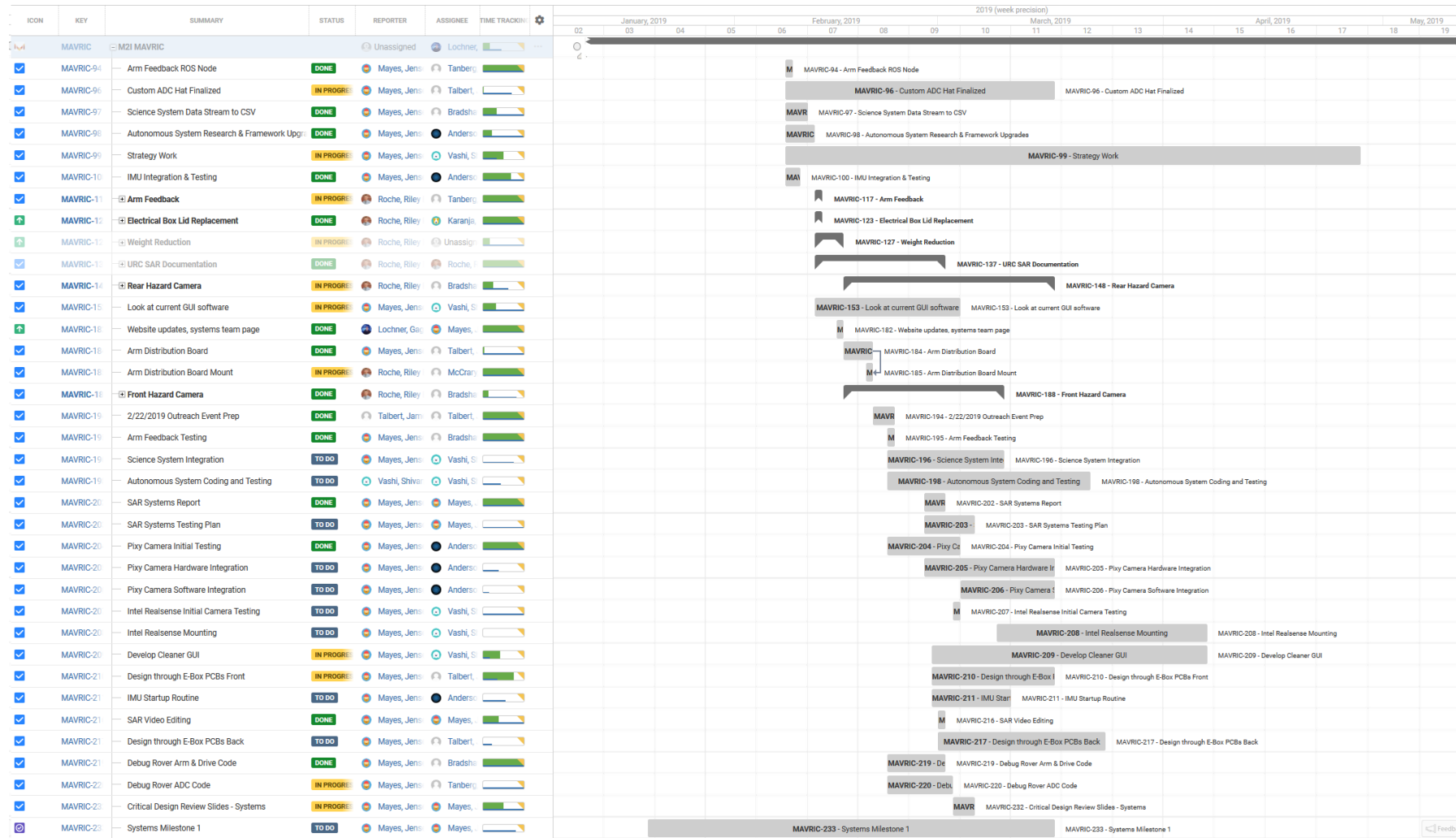
MILESTONES – SYSTEM TEAM

- Milestone 1
 - Arm Feedback Integrated
 - ROS Node
 - Custom ADC Hat
 - 360 View Cameras
 - Front & Rear
 - Left & Right
 - Mast PTZ
- Milestone 2
 - Fully Functional Autonomous Systems
 - Competition Readiness
 - User Friendly Base Station

TASK BREAKDOWN - SCIENCE

ICON	KEY	SUMMARY	STATUS	REPORTER	ASSIGNEE	TIME TRACKING	2019 (week precision)																		
							January, 2019	February, 2019	March, 2019	April, 2019	May, 2019														
							02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	
	MAVRIC	M2I MAVRIC	Unassigned	Lochner, G	Lochner, G		[Gantt bar spanning from Jan 02 to May 19]																		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	MAVRIC-83	Spectrometer Housing	IN REVIEW	Kilzer, Nichol	Schmitz, J		[Gantt bar for MAVRIC-83 - Spectrometer Housing from Feb 07 to Feb 14]																		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	MAVRIC-86	Clearances Check/Semester Design Evaluation	DONE	Kilzer, Nichol	Kilzer, Nichol		[Gantt bar for MAVRIC-86 - Clearances Check/Semester Design Evaluation from Jan 02 to Jan 05]																		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	MAVRIC-91	Test fit all printed parts	DONE	Kilzer, Nichol	Kilzer, Nichol		[Gantt bar for MAVRIC-91 - Test fit all printed parts from Feb 14 to Feb 14]																		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	MAVRIC-93	System Acceptance Review - Science Page	DONE	Kilzer, Nichol	Kilzer, Nichol		[Gantt bar for MAVRIC-93 - System Acceptance Review - Science Page from Feb 14 to Feb 14]																		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	MAVRIC-137	URC SAR Documentation	DONE	Roche, Riley	Roche, Riley		[Gantt bar for MAVRIC-137 - URC SAR Documentation from Feb 14 to Feb 14]																		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	MAVRIC-154	Spectrometer Calibration	IN PROGRESS	Kilzer, Nichol	Kilzer, Nichol		[Gantt bar for MAVRIC-154 - Spectrometer Calibration from Feb 14 to Feb 14]																		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	MAVRIC-155	Provide Polynomials for Spectrometer Calibration	IN PROGRESS	Kilzer, Nichol	Brady, N		[Gantt bar for MAVRIC-155 - Provide Polynomials for Spectrometer Calibration from Feb 14 to Feb 14]																		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	MAVRIC-181	Website updates, science team page	DONE	Lochner, G	Kilzer, Nichol		[Gantt bar for MAVRIC-181 - Website updates, science team page from Feb 14 to Feb 14]																		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	MAVRIC-191	Fix Laser Rotation Mount	DONE	Kilzer, Nichol	Crall, Ryan		[Gantt bar for MAVRIC-191 - Fix Laser Rotation Mount from Feb 14 to Feb 14]																		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	MAVRIC-192	Obtain Raman Spectra of Syrofoam	TO DO	Kilzer, Nichol	Kilzer, Nichol		[Gantt bar for MAVRIC-192 - Obtain Raman Spectra of Syrofoam from Feb 14 to Feb 14]																		
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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	MAVRIC-212	Create Python biomarker matching script	TO DO	Kilzer, Nichol	Schmitz, J		[Gantt bar for MAVRIC-212 - Create Python biomarker matching script from Feb 14 to Feb 14]																		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	MAVRIC-216	SAR Video Editing	DONE	Mayes, J	Mayes, J		[Gantt bar for MAVRIC-216 - SAR Video Editing from Feb 14 to Feb 14]																		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	MAVRIC-227	Update Jira - Science	IN PROGRESS	Kilzer, Nichol	Kilzer, Nichol		[Gantt bar for MAVRIC-227 - Update Jira - Science from Jan 02 to May 19]																		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	MAVRIC-231	Critical Design Review Slides - Science	IN PROGRESS	Kilzer, Nichol	Kilzer, Nichol		[Gantt bar for MAVRIC-231 - Critical Design Review Slides - Science from Feb 14 to Feb 14]																		
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TASK BREAKDOWN - SYSTEMS

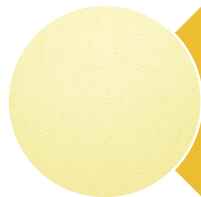


PROJECT HEALTH REPORT

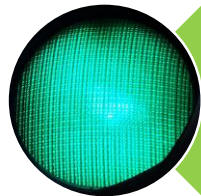
- Green, Yellow, Red. This is an honest assessment on how the project is doing currently



Science system – possible notch filter issues



Autonomous, arm feedback and shoulder



All other arm systems, suspension reworks, base station operation, overall system stability

DESIGN REVIEW

Overview



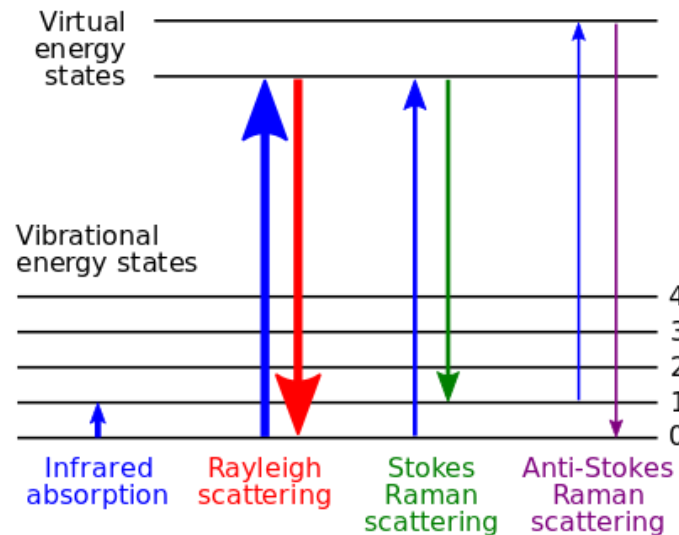
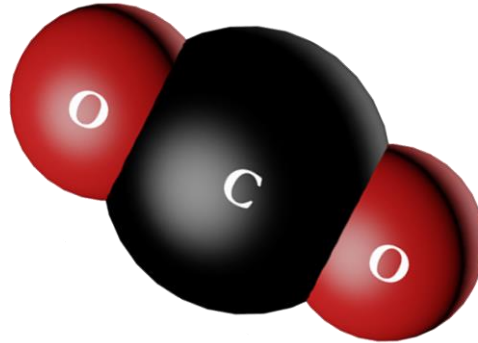
DESIGN OVERVIEW - MECHANICAL

- New Chassis
 - Single, lightweight part
 - Hole pattern allows for modular design
 - Top plate allows for mounting subsystems
- Rocker-Bogie Suspension
 - Keeps chassis stable in rough terrain
 - Rocker has limited motion
 - Wheels are individually driven
- New Robotic Arm
 - 5 degrees of freedom
 - Shoulder and elbow cannot be back-driven
 - Compact wrist with 4-finger end effector



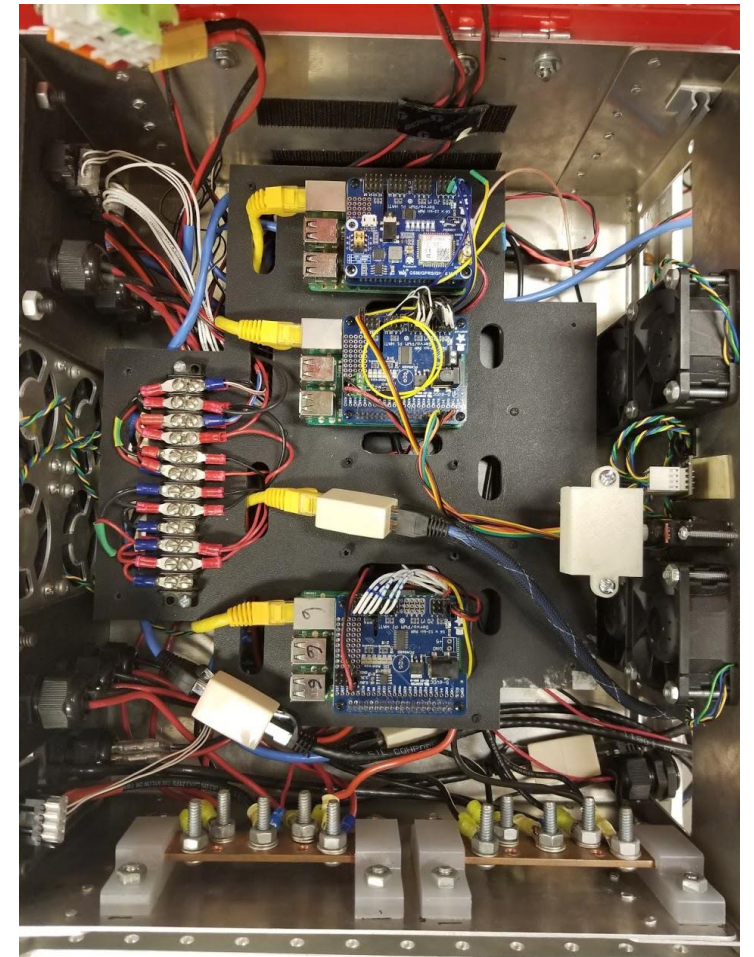
DESIGN OVERVIEW - SCIENCE

- Research
 - Spectroscopy
 - LIBS and Raman
 - Epi-fluorescence Microscopy
 - Agarose gel electrophoresis
 - Water-induced CO₂ emission analysis
- Raman spectroscopy
 - Parts research
 - Biomarker research
 - Initial design work



DESIGN OVERVIEW - SYSTEMS

- Control Systems
 - Stable control systems
 - Utilizes ROS for communication within the rover
 - Commands are send over the network into ROS
- Autonomous system
 - GPS and IMU for waypoint to waypoint navigation
- Power supply
 - Separate supplies for the control and drive systems
 - Polarized connectors on all connections
- Communications
 - Rocket M5 for remote control and video feeds.



DESIGN REVIEW

Constraints



DESIGN CONSTRAINTS

- Budget
 - Working on limited income has some unique challenges
- Man hours
 - One of the smaller teams to consistently make URC
 - Programming has been very time consuming
- Manufacturing resources
- Competition requirements
 - Budget – \$18.5k maximum
 - Rover mass - <50kg
 - Rover dimensions – 0.8m square
 - Travel requirements – Competition site is a 16 hour drive, requires multiple day stay

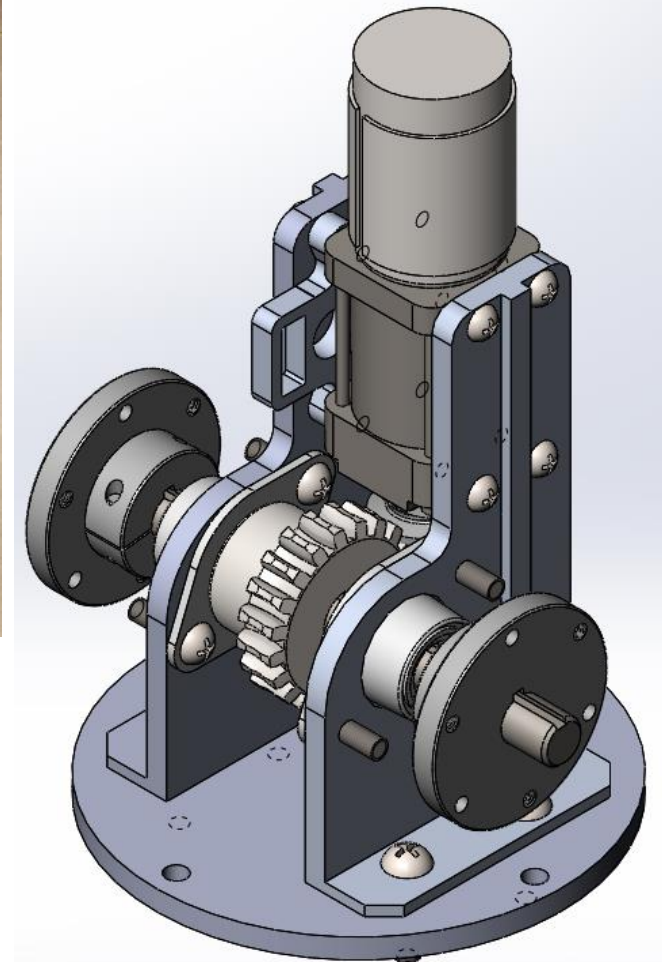
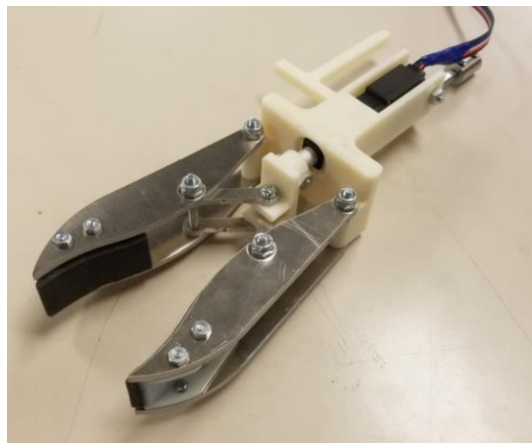
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Current Design



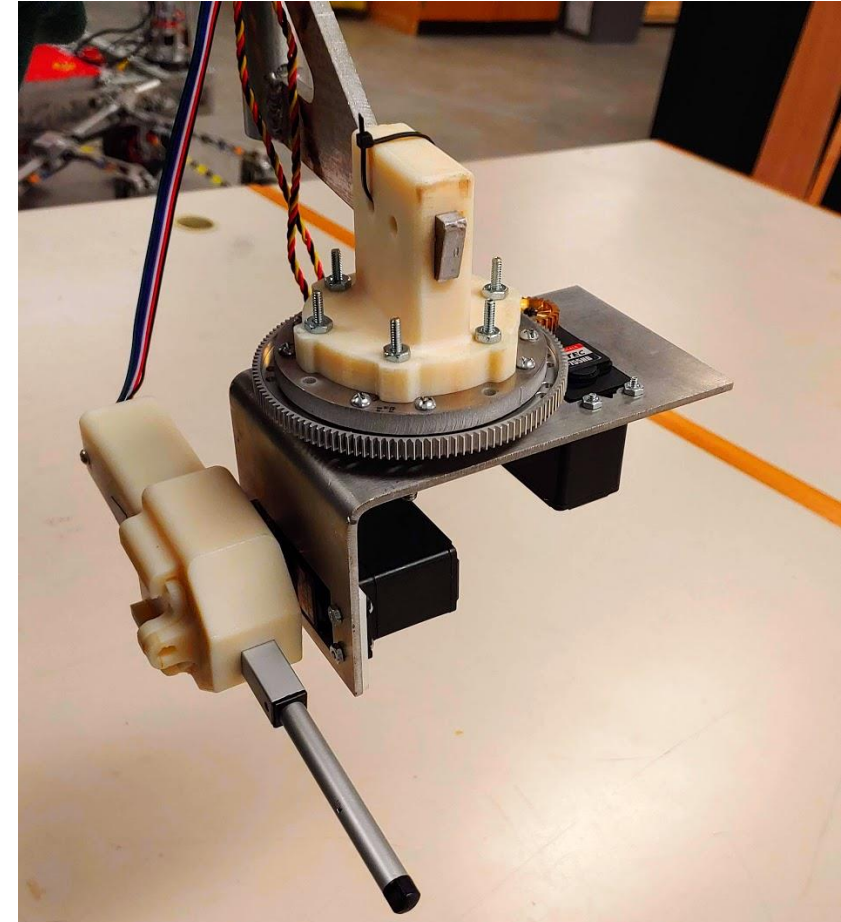
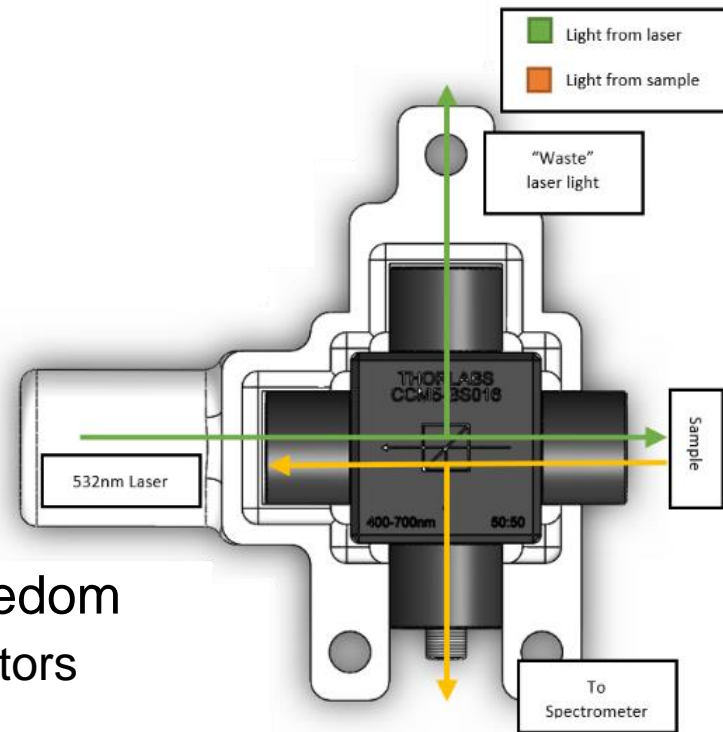
CURRENT DESIGN - MECHANICAL

- Robotic Arm Improvements
 - Feedback
 - Base Rotation
 - Shoulder
 - End Effector
- New Camera Mounts
- New Electrical Box Lid



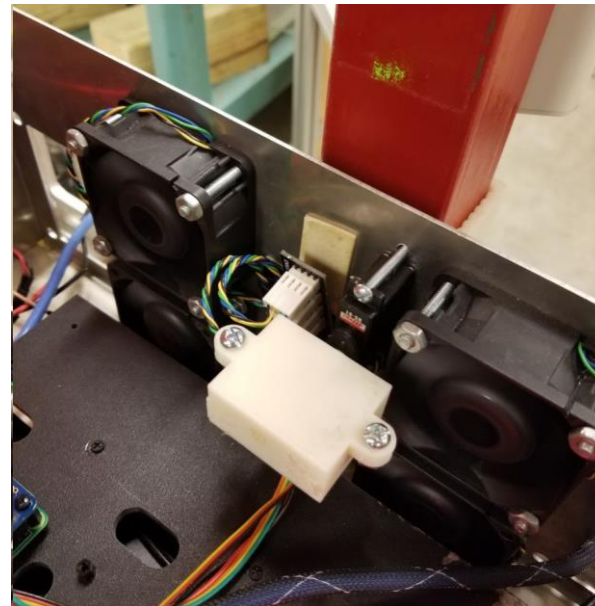
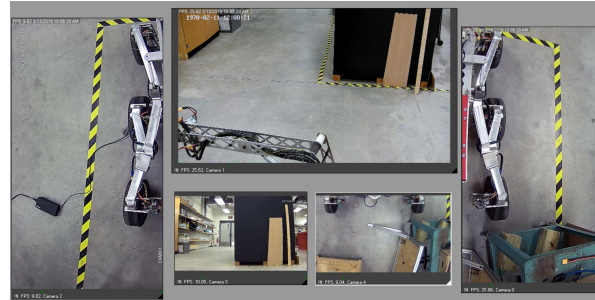
CURRENT DESIGN - SCIENCE

- Optical Housing
 - 532 nm laser
 - Line filters
 - "Waste" hole
 - Notch filter
- Laser Rotation
 - 4 degrees of freedom
 - 2 linear actuators
 - 2 servos



CURRENT DESIGN - SYSTEMS

- 360 Degree View
 - 6 Cameras total
 - PTZ Mast Camera
- Arm Feedback
 - ROS Node
 - ADC Hat
- Power Distribution
 - Custom Arm PCB
- IMU Integration



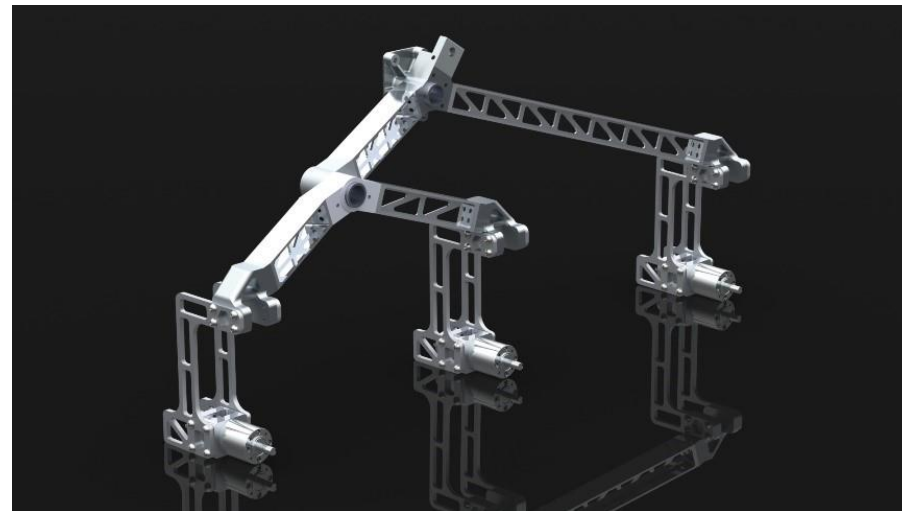
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Proposed Changes



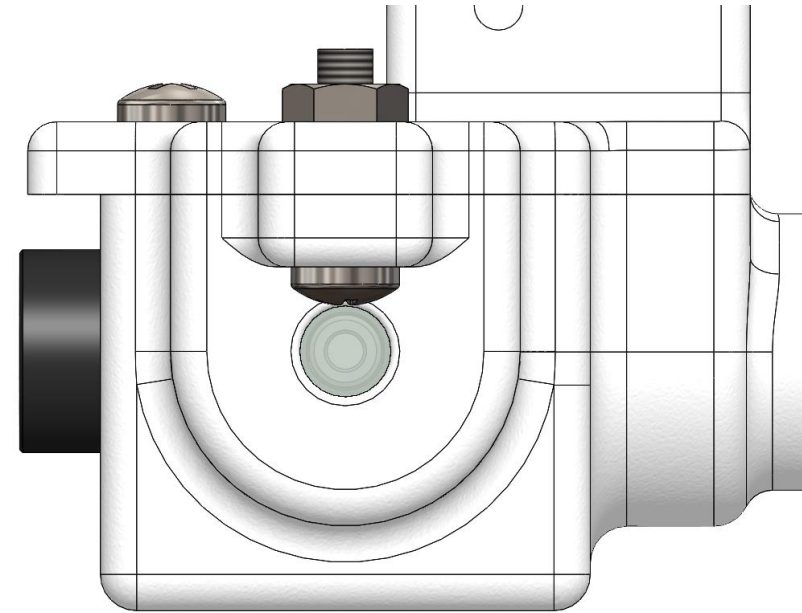
PROPOSED CHANGES - MECHANICAL

- Weight Reduction
 - Removing excess material
 - Replacing aluminum components with composite and plastic ones
- Suspension
 - Adding brass to joints to reduce friction
 - Weight reduction
- Wheels
 - Replacement with lighter wheels



PROPOSED CHANGES - SCIENCE

- Laser Orientation
 - Modified for inverted use
- Optics housing
 - Addition of "waste hole"
 - Danfoss print
- Python algorithm instead of MATLAB
 - Prevent MATLAB licensing issues in Utah



PROPOSED CHANGES - SYSTEMS

- Upgraded Autonomous Systems
 - PixyCam
 - Intel Realsense
- Cleaner GUI
 - Test with team to optimize for competition
- E-Box Connections
 - Custom PCBs for through box connections
- Testing
 - Further drive testing
 - Competition Condition simulations



DESIGN REVIEW

Design Risks



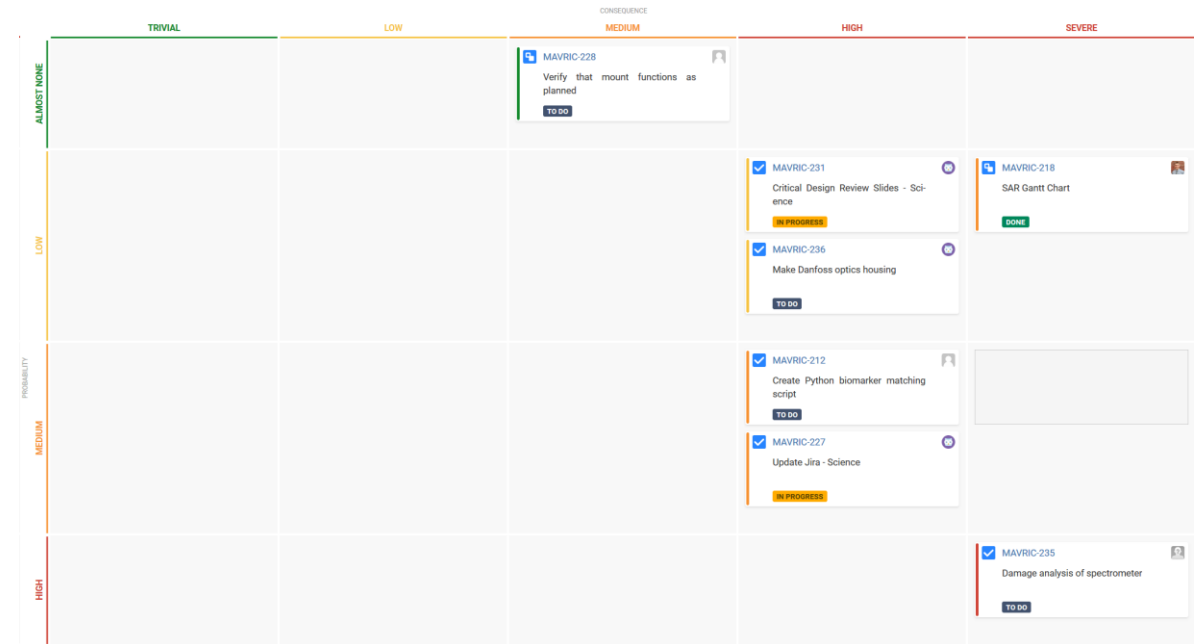
DESIGN RISKS - MECHANICAL

- Mechanical Team has some higher-risk items, mostly due to time constraints
- Most other items have already been completed or are low risk

TO DO	IN PROGRESS	DONE	REVIEW	
MAVINC-120: Mount the New Lid	MAVINC-121: Get Wrong Files in Mail	MAVINC-126: Update Assembly Draw Mts for Mounts with 3D Printed...	MAVINC-142: Manage End Effector Parts	
MAVINC-145: Boyd Lab Training	MAVINC-118: Arm Base Rotation Feedback	MAVINC-107: Arm Shoulder Assembly and Test	MAVINC-197: Assembly String Positioning	MAVINC-230: Critical Design Review Slides - Mechanical
MAVINC-122: Electrical Size List Replacement	MAVINC-105: Arm Distribution Board Mount	MAVINC-106: Arm Shoulder Manufacture	MAVINC-188: Rear Hazard Camera Cover	MAVINC-218: SAR Gantt Chart
MAVINC-117: Arm Manipulation - Practice Board	MAVINC-110: Arm Shoulder Feedback	MAVINC-123: D/E Hubs In Drop Plate	MAVINC-187: Update Jira	MAVINC-190: SAR Mechanical Testing Plan
MAVINC-109: Arm Test Stand	MAVINC-119: Assemble and Test Arm Manipulation Practice Board	MAVINC-108: Front Hazard Camera	MAVINC-189: Front Hazard Camera Case	
MAVINC-111: Assemble and Test Arm Test Stand	MAVINC-112: Assemble Frame	MAVINC-140: Rear Hazard Camera		
MAVINC-104: Cut Arm Manipulation Practice Board				
MAVINC-204: New Composite wheel design	MAVINC-113: Arm Feedback	MAVINC-102: End Effector	MAVINC-229: Robotic Arm Improvements	
	MAVINC-100: Arm Shoulder Design	MAVINC-103: Redesign Arm Camera Mount	MAVINC-136: SAR Mechanical Report	
	MAVINC-104: Arm Shoulder Redesign	MAVINC-202: Update Jira - Mechanical	MAVINC-139: SAR Mechanical Video Script	
	MAVINC-120: Arm Whip Flash Feedback		MAVINC-216: SAR Video Editing	
	MAVINC-121: Arm Whip Roll Feedback		MAVINC-137: SAR SAR Documentation	
	MAVINC-110: MR-Sucker Design Logs			
	MAVINC-107: Weight Reduction			
	MAVINC-146: Composite Top Plate			
	MAVINC-124: Drive Wheel Replacement			

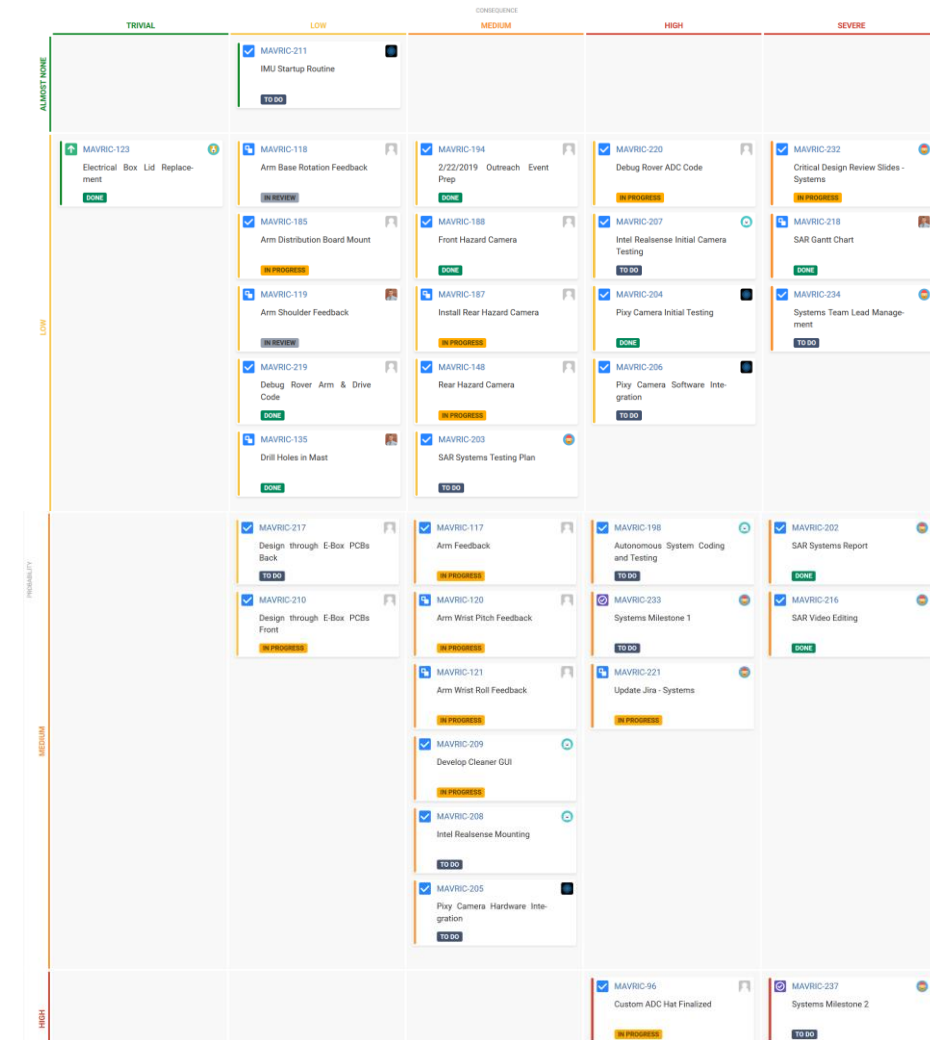
DESIGN RISKS - SCIENCE

- Notch filter problems
 - ID what is wrong
- Main concern is testing
 - Can we get accurate readings from biomarkers
- Python is secondary challenge
 - Must learn enough to graph and sort spectrometer data



DESIGN RISKS - SYSTEMS

- Mostly in the medium consequence / medium probability area
- Few high probability items
 - Intel Realsense testing
 - Custom ADC Hat finalization
- Some severe consequence items
 - Milestone 2 (Autonomous Systems)





PROJECT WIDE RISKS

- Weather
 - Can limit outdoor testing
 - Limits ability to heat test rover
- Battery damage
 - One of our main drive batteries is damaged, but functional
- Mass limit
 - Can reduce effective score at competition
 - 5% per kilo over 50

BUDGET

Status and requests



Item (Expenses)	Amount
Travel	\$3500
3D prints	\$220
Science system	\$1250
Arm components (Initial)	\$1000
Arm components (Upgrades)	\$450
Motor ESCs	\$300
Computer vision	\$400
Sector antenna	\$170
Main mast camera	\$180
Other expenses	~\$1500
Remaining funds	~\$825

BUDGET STATUS

Item (Income)	Amount
ISGC	\$5000
M2I	\$3000
Danfoss (Donated parts)	\$150
Emerson (For arm only)	\$1000
Protocase (Donated parts)	\$2000

CONCLUSION



EXTRA SLIDES



EXTRA SLIDES - BUDGET

MAVRIC PROJECT BUDGET			Acct. Number TBD				
Approved	Priority	Item	Notes	Req. Budget	Approved Budget	Spent	Difference
		<input type="checkbox"/> Total Project Budget		\$8,000.00	\$7,850.00	\$3,179.24	\$4,670.76
		<input type="checkbox"/> - Equipment		\$4,025.00	\$4,025.00	\$0.00	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		New Electronics box	Full budget breakdown for this item available on Box	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00		\$1,000.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		New science sensors	Exact sensors TBD	\$250.00	\$250.00		\$250.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		Upgraded power distribution / spare motor controllers	Full budget breakdown for this item available on Box	\$450.00	\$450.00		\$450.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		Additional cameras		\$200.00	\$200.00		\$200.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		Base station / additional RF antennas		\$500.00	\$500.00		\$500.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		Arm refinements	Exact items TBD	\$400.00	\$400.00		\$400.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		Locker organization	Mostly plastic tote bins	\$50.00	\$50.00		\$50.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		Spare parts manufacturing		\$250.00	\$250.00		\$250.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		Science collection system		\$750.00	\$750.00		\$750.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		Specialized cables / connectors / other electronics		\$175.00	\$175.00		\$175.00
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		<input type="checkbox"/> - Travel		\$3,575.00	\$3,425.00	\$0.00	\$3,425.00
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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		Lodging	7 nights, 3 rooms per night	\$2,100.00	\$2,100.00		\$2,100.00
<input type="checkbox"/>		Food	mostly paid for by team members	\$150.00			\$0.00
		<input type="checkbox"/> - Raw Supplies		\$400.00	\$400.00	\$0.00	\$100.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		Assorted metal	mostly sheet metal for waterjet	\$100.00	\$100.00		\$100.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		Assorted 3D prints		\$200.00	\$200.00		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		Assorted other raw material		\$100.00	\$100.00		

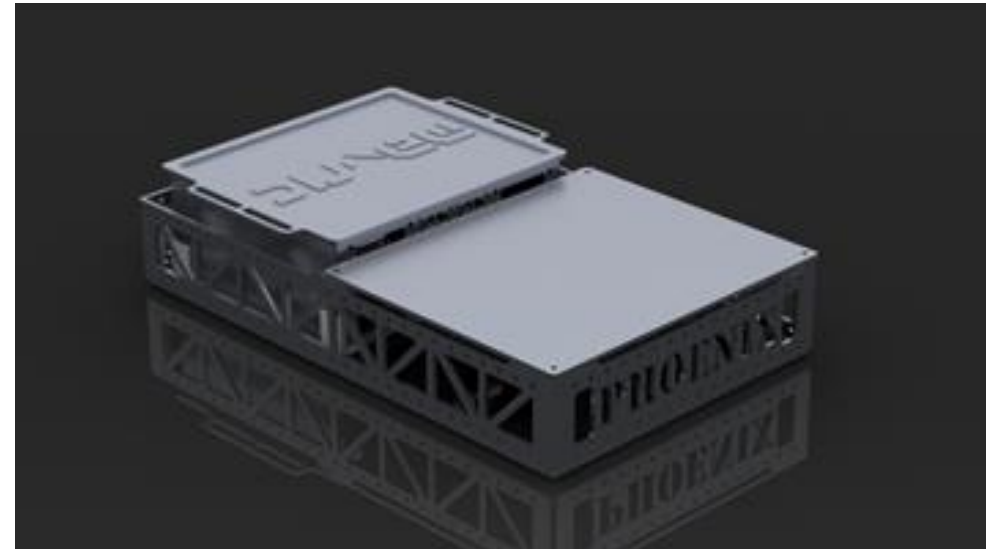
EXTRA SLIDES – WEIGHT REDUCTION

- Replace excessively long/bulky hardware
- Suspension
 - Flip stops - Mill
 - Beams - Mill
 - Wheel nuts - Grind
 - Drop plate blocks – Mill
 - Motor mounts - Replace
 - Wheels - Replace
- Chassis
 - Top plate - Replace
 - Battery mount - Mill



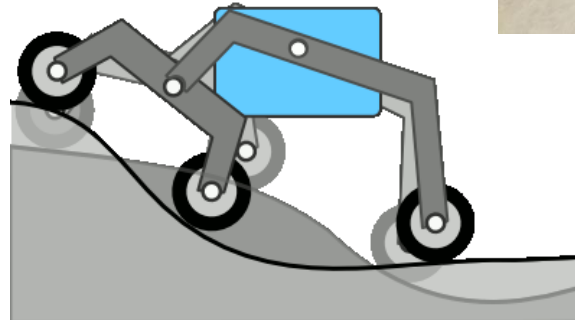
EXTRA SLIDES - CHASSIS

- Generously donated by Quality Manufacturing
- ¼" aluminum plate, formed and welded
- Lighter, stronger, and easier to work with than past chassis
- Allows modular design due to mounting hole pattern
 - Easy to perform upgrades and maintenance
 - Can easily test new designs
- Top plate for mounting various subsystems
 - Robotic arm
 - Light spectrometer
 - Suspension differential bar
 - Batteries
 - Arm power distribution box
 - Autonomous cameras and lights



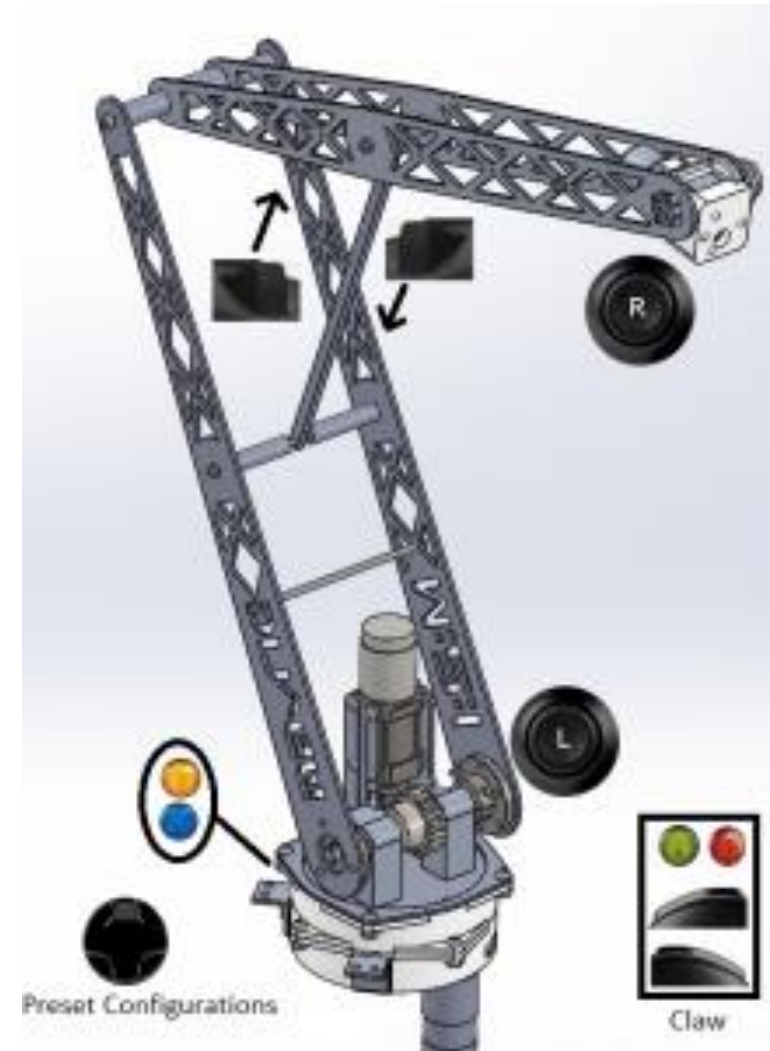
EXTRA SLIDES - SUSPENSION

- Rocker bogie suspension
- Keeps chassis stable in rough terrain
- Rocker has motion limited by flip-stops
 - Prevents flipping in extreme terrain
- Wheels individually driven by in-hub motors
- Skid-steering
 - Lightweight
 - Works on desert soil
- Tested successfully in fall 2018



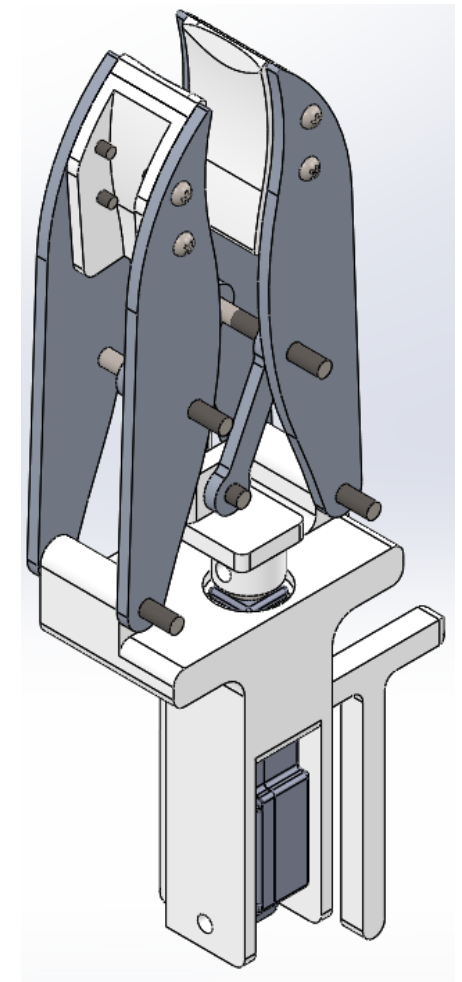
EXTRA SLIDES – ROBOTIC ARM

- Base rotation – motor and internal ring gear
- Shoulder – motor with worm drive
- Elbow – linear actuator
- Wrist – two direct-drive motors
- Arm control box attached beneath top plate
- Subsystem is easily removeable



EXTRA SLIDES – END EFFECTOR

- Old End Effector
 - Driven by a single mini linear actuator
 - Four fingers
 - Narrow grips on all sides
- Revised End Effector
 - Driven by a single mini linear actuator
 - Two fingers
 - Wide, flexible grip surfaces
 - Rotates on-center for ease of use
 - Limit switches control position



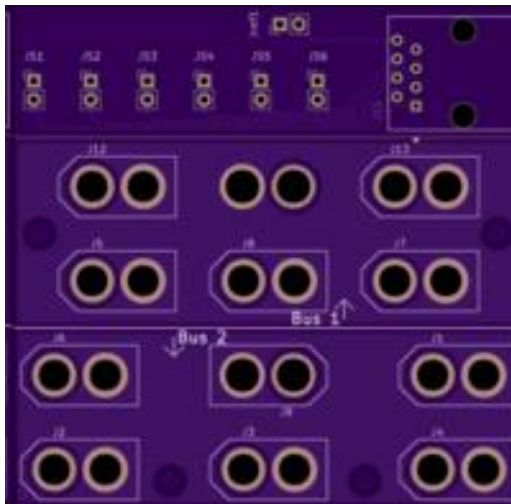
EXTRA SLIDES – AUTONOMOUS

- Use GPS to navigate near the target (tested, working)
 - Use Intel RealSense to detect obstacles
 - Use IMU for compass heading
- Once GPS point is reached, begin moving in search pattern
 - Use Pixy2 camera to recognize tennis ball
 - Drive to tennis ball and flash indicator light

EXTRA SLIDES – PCB DESIGN

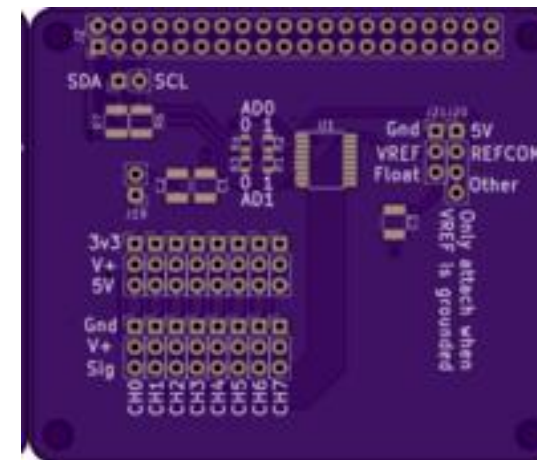
Arm Power/Signal Distribution

- XT-60 solder points
- Locking signal connectors
- 2 power busses

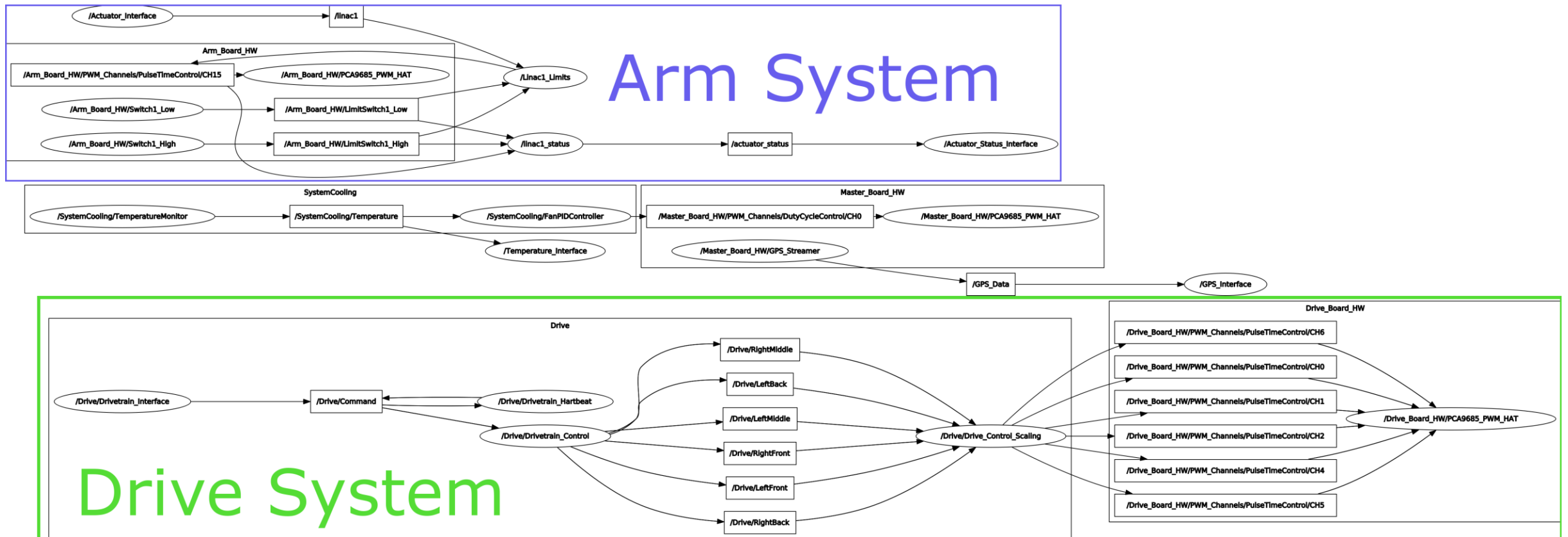


ADC HAT (Raspberry Pi Add-on board)

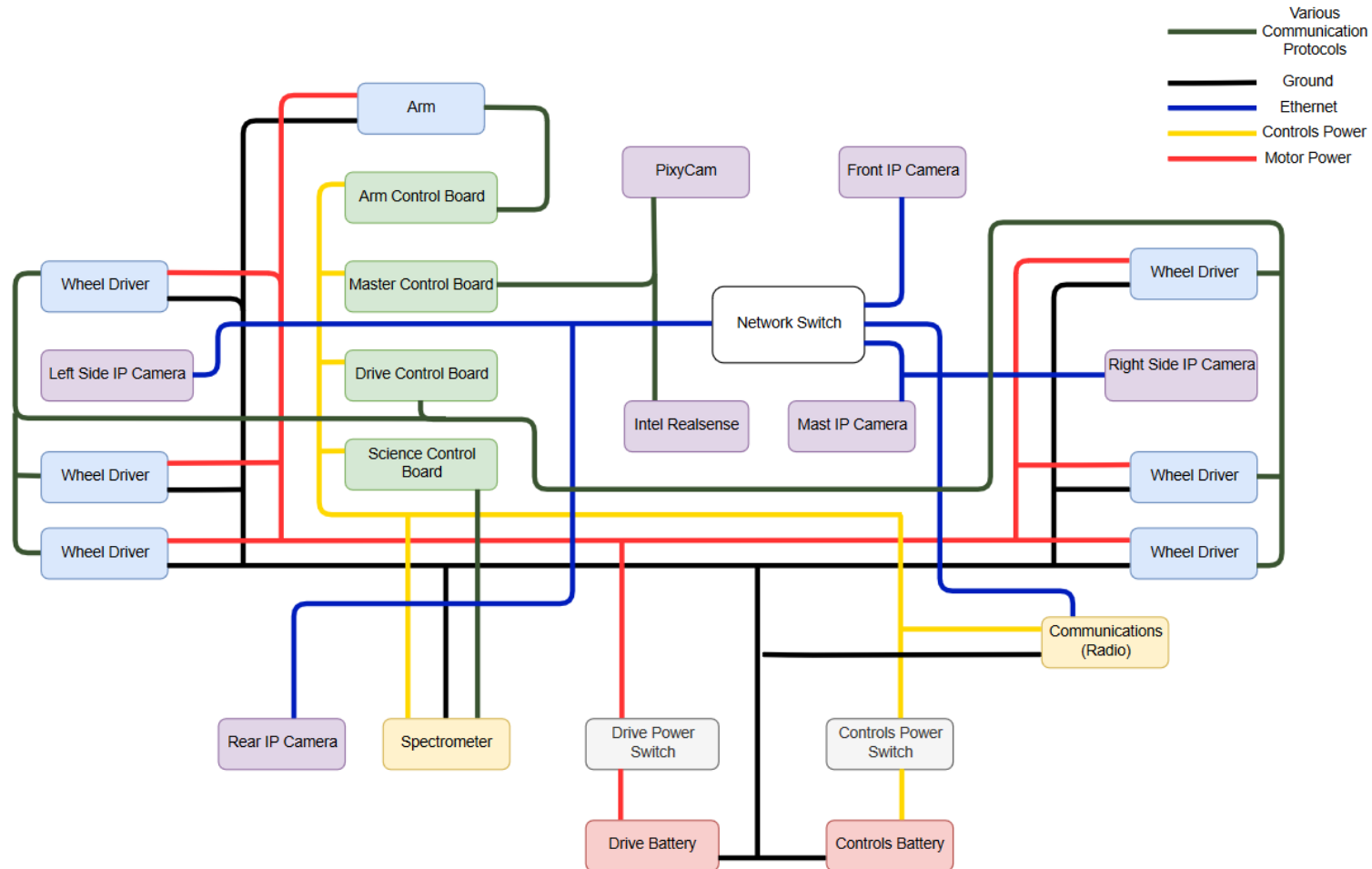
- Reads 8 analog sensors
- ~13 thousand samples/sec
- Selectable voltage reference
- Selectable voltage supply



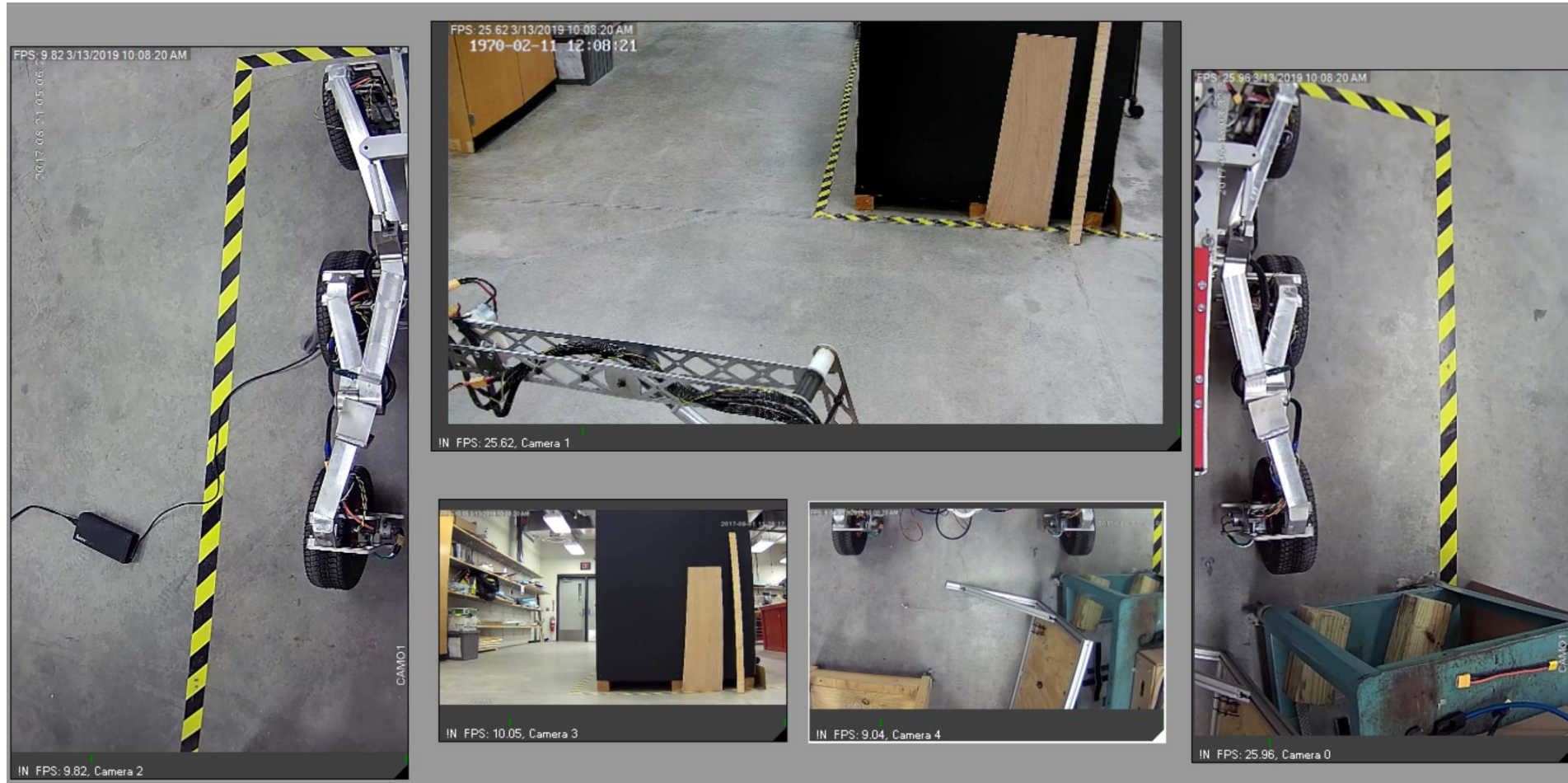
EXTRA SLIDES - ROS MAP



EXTRA SLIDES – BLOCK DIAGRAM



EXTRA SLIDES – CAMERA VIEW



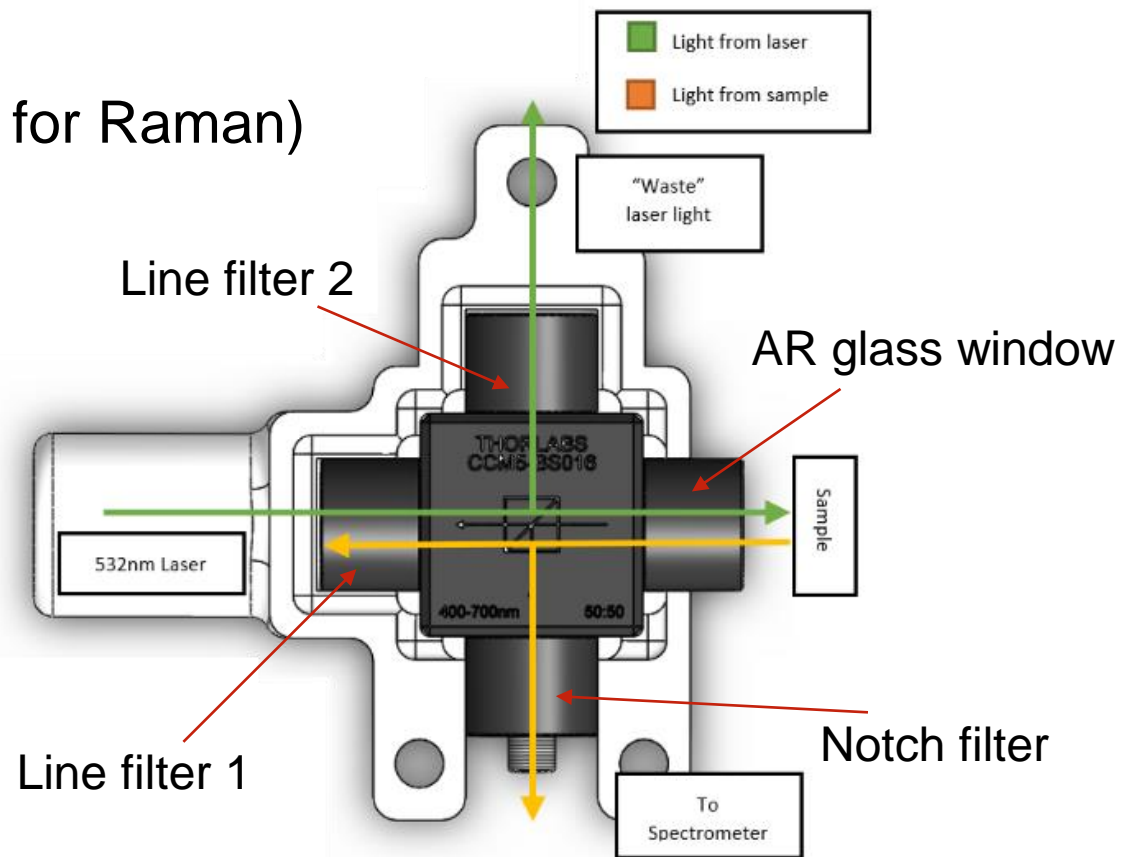
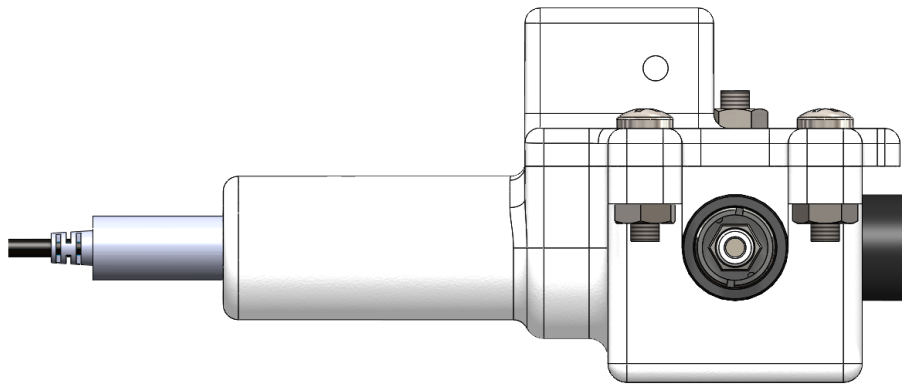
EXTRA SLIDES – PYTHON BIOMARKER IDENTIFICATION SCRIPT



- Still in early stages of development
- Steps to completion
 - Learn enough Python to complete this task
 - Create the `convertPeaks()` function
 - Converts the spectrometer wavelength data to Raman wavenumber data
 - Develop the `findPeaks()` function
 - Sorts through the spectra data and finds peaks that we can consider for biomarker assignment
 - Develop the `determineMatch()` function
 - Looks at peaks from wavenumber data, determines the likelihood of the presence of biomarkers on our list

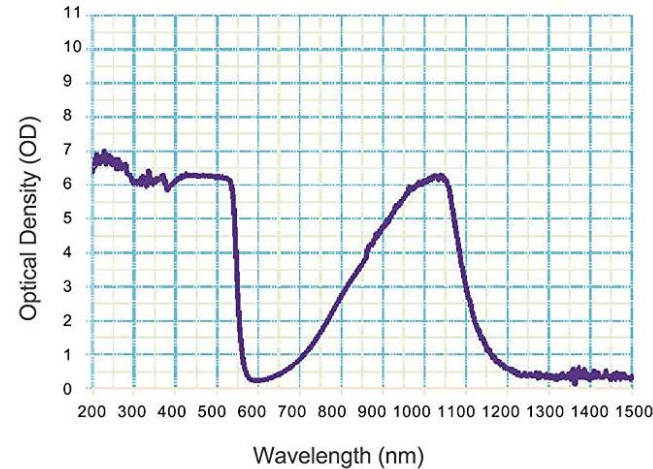
EXTRA SLIDES – OPTICAL HOUSING AND LASER PATH

- Line filter has a range of ± 2 nm
- Notch filter is OD6 (recommended for Raman)
- Laser has 532 nm wavelength



EXTRA SLIDES – LASER SAFETY

- Laser is class 3R
 - Low-hazard laser
- Taking precautions and wearing safety glasses due to repeated exposure to beam
- Lowered eye exposure to beam while still being able to see dot



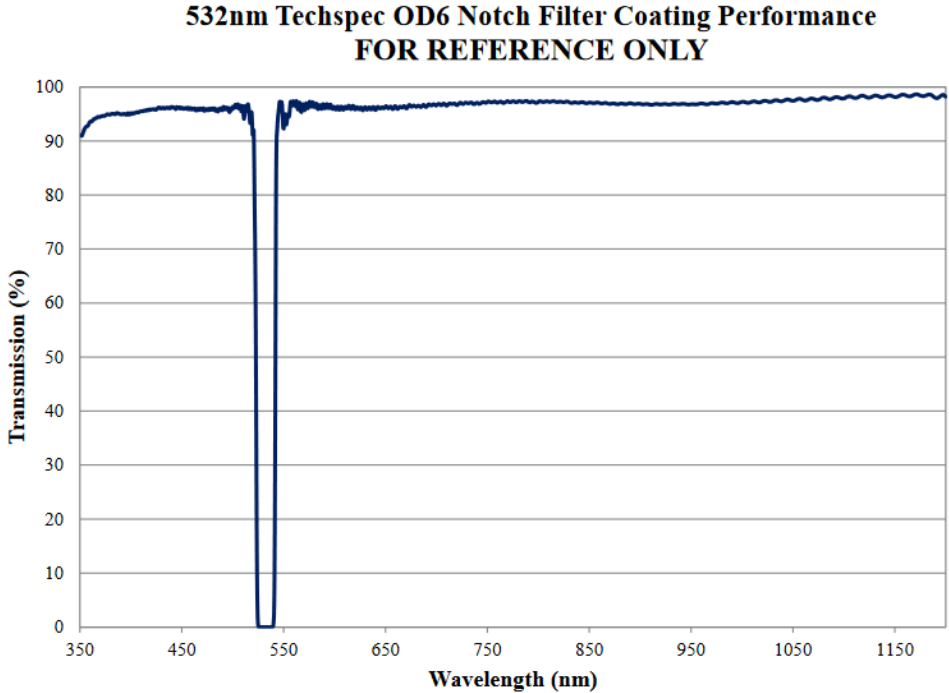
Unintentional or accidental exposure to direct or reflected beam has a low risk. Avoid intentional exposure to direct or reflected beam.

EXTRA SLIDES – NOTCH FILTER GRAPH

Coating:	Hard Coated
Diameter (mm):	12.50 +0.0/-0.1
Optical Density OD:	≥6.0
Thickness Tolerance (mm):	±0.1
Transmission Wavelength (nm):	350 - 1200
Construction:	Mounted in Black Anodized Ring
Durability:	MIL-C-48497A
Transmitted Wavefront, RMS:	<1λ

Regulatory Compliance

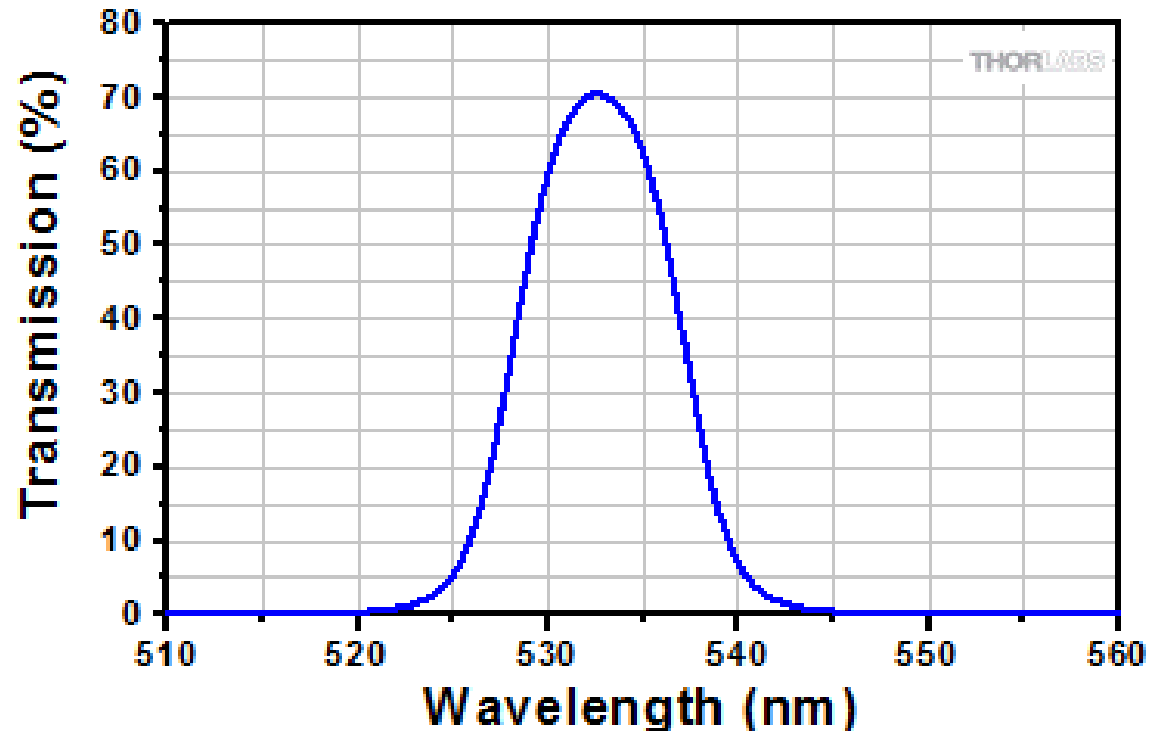
Reach 191:	Compliant
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Center Wavelength CWL (nm):	532
Full Width-Half Max FWHM (nm):	17.00
Surface Quality:	60-40
Transmission (%):	350 - 400nm: T _{avg} >80 400 - 1200nm: T _{avg} >90
Type:	Notch Filter
Clear Aperture (%):	85
Reflection at CWL (%):	>99.5
Mount Thickness (mm):	3.5
RoHS:	Compliant

EXTRA SLIDES – LINE FILTER GRAPH

FL05532-10 Transmission



CWL ^a	FWHM ^b	T (Min) ^c	Blocking ^d	Transmission/ OD Data ^e	Laser Line	Size
532 ± 2 nm	10 ± 2 nm	70%	200 - 1100 nm		Nd:YAG	Ø1/2"

EXTRA SLIDES – LASER SPECS



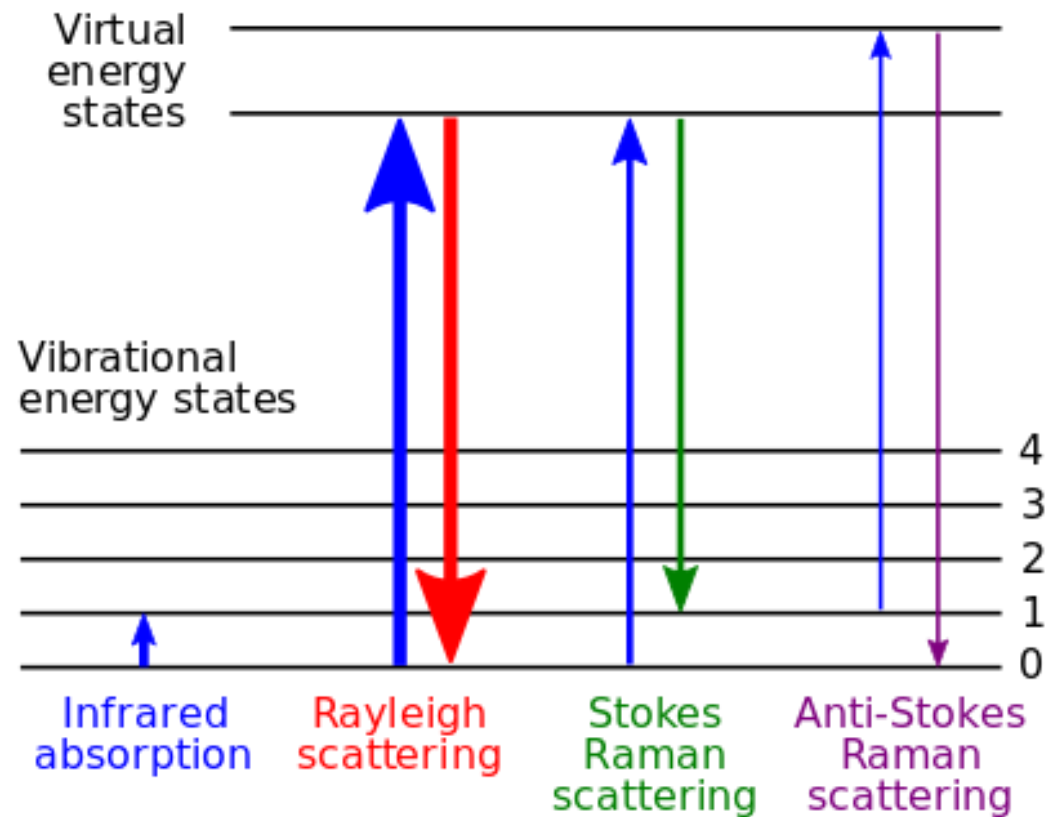
General Specifications	
Characteristic	
Housing Material	Aluminum
Housing Dimensions	Ø11.0 mm x 72.8 mm
Beam Size ^a	Round, Ø3.5 mm
Operating Temperature	10 to 40 °C
Storage Temperature	-30 to 70 °C
Operating Voltage (Nominal)	5 VDC
Laser Safety Class	3R

Optical Electrical Characteristics				
Characteristic	MIN	TYP	MAX	UNIT
Wavelength	531	532	533	nm
Optical Output Power (CW)	4.0	4.5	5.0	mW
Polarization State Extinction Ratio	-	4	-	dB
Power Stability (8 Hours)	-	-	2	%
Axis Deviation ^a	-	-	5	mrad
Beam Divergence	-	-	0.5	mrad
Operating Current (CW)	-	250	-	mA

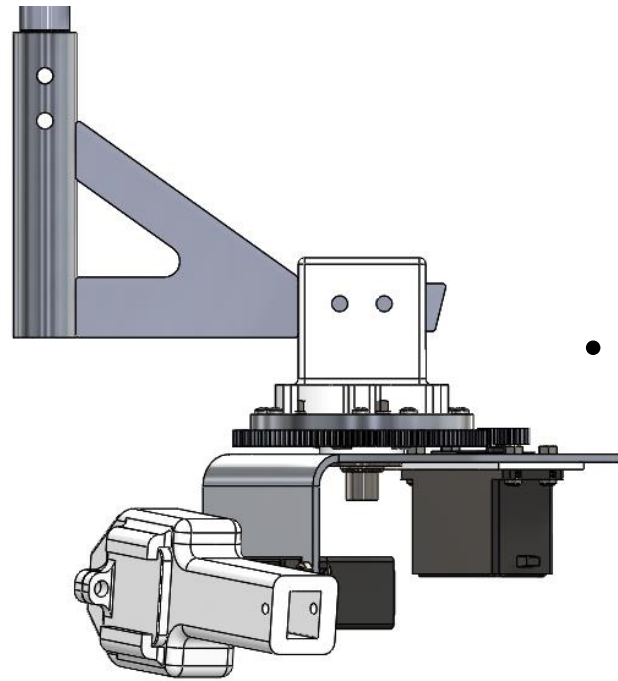
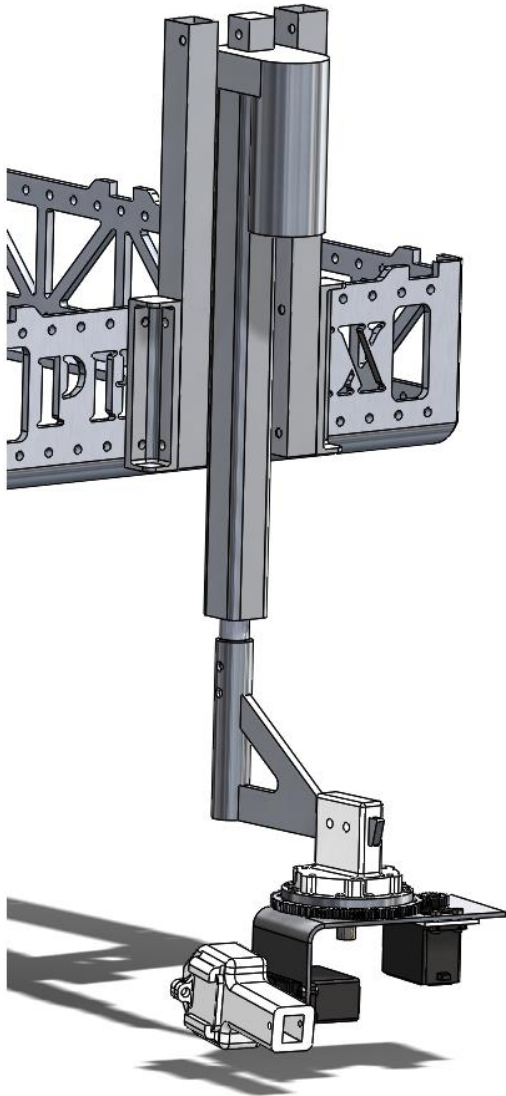
EXTRA SLIDES – RAMAN SPECTROSCOPY

- Several different types of light return when a laser is incident to a surface
 - Rayleigh is easiest to see
 - Stokes and anti-Stokes are used for Raman spectroscopy

$$\bar{\nu} = \frac{1}{\lambda_{incident}} - \frac{1}{\lambda_{scattered}}$$



EXTRA SLIDES – LASER ORIENTATION



- 4 degrees of freedom
 - Vertical actuation
 - Forward actuation
 - Pitch
 - Yaw
- Allows for fine control of laser
 - Does not rely on rover for specific location of test sample