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Lawntonomous Maximus

### Abstract

Lawntonomous Maximus is an autonomous lawn mower. He is capable of mowing a typical well maintained Floridian lawn. The robot is much smaller than a standard gas powered push mower, so it has limited mowing capabilities. Lawntonomous uses ultrasonic sensors for collision avoidance and a wireless dog fence to help define the cutting area.

#### **Executive Summary**

Lawntonomous Maximus is a downsized autonomous lawnmower. Initially I wanted to use my grandmother's old lawn mower for this but due to overwhelming mass of such a task I decided to do something on a smaller scale.

I built the mechanical system for the robot from scratch. I took a part a weed wacker I purchased from Dr. Schwartz and bolted it to the mobile platform. I purchased sheet steel from Rodger's Welding and had them shear it. I welded together the components in the Machine shop on campus. All of the wooden components were made on the T-Tech. I designed them in Solidworks and had them cut by the TAs. I made the drive hubs I used in the Machine shop as well. My sister painted the robot yellow and green for me, so by media day it was looking great. I was successful in the design of my mechanical system but I want to achieve more with the electrical and software systems.

I wanted to attempt some fuzzy logic and achieve wall following but the ultrasonic sensors I used were too unreliable. The main program was incredibly simple because of this. I was pleased with how well collision avoidance was working, but would have liked to have done softer turns.

The biggest let down was the wireless dog fence I really wanted to demonstrate this sensor functioning. I was still pleased with my demo but would have been happier to see the special sensor working. Overall I was pleased with the project and look forward to continuing it this summer.

#### Introduction

When I was a boy, too young to get a real job, I would mow lawns. My grandmother would pay my brother and me to do a lot of yard work. She has about an acre of land, so mowing her lawn was a lucrative chore at the time. My brother and I would each use a push mower and it would take hours to finish the job. I believe this is why I came up with the concept of an autonomous lawnmower.

I conceived the idea of an autonomous lawnmower in the fall term of 2009 and then heard about this class. I felt as though it was the perfect way to materialize my ideas. I was a little disappointed when I found out an autonomous lawnmower was already on the market, but I still felt compelled to build one myself.

I built a downsized mower because of my budget and the amount of time I can invest. Initially I intend on programming the robot to be capable of obstacle avoidance and position

determination. I want to program it such that it can mow the small lawn at my apartment complex.



The integrated system is relatively simple. The ultrasonic sensors just determine when an obstacle is in the path of the robot. The speed of the robot is a function of the analog voltage returned from the ultrasonic sensor. The bump switches and wireless fence signal basically cause the same reaction from the robot. They both just cause the robot to reverse then make a turn between 90 and 270 degrees based on the value from the front center sonar. I want to integrate my GPS sensor into the system this summer.

#### Mobile platform

The mobile platform is made of 16 gauge sheet steel (See figure 1). The two side pieces are welded into place. The drive motors are mounted on these components. When I originally

designed the platform I didn't account for the space the procured by the welds. This caused a slight misalignment of the drive motors, so the robot would not go straight.



Figure 1

The electronics are mounted on balsa wood which is bolted to the platform. The PVR Board is mounted in the front behind a bumper equipped with three Ultrasonic Sensors and two bump switches. Originally I had an identical bumper mounted on the rear but the sensors were only used when Lawntonomous was reversing. This proved to be impractical, so I reduced this to a much simpler configuration. I just used one ultrasonic sensor mounted in the center.

#### Actuation

Two Merkle Korff motors are used to drive to robot. They are mounted onto the sheet steel welded on the sides I machined two identical aluminum drive hubs and milled holes in the drive wheels. The hubs transfer the torque via a set screw which rests on the face cut out of the shaft of the motor.

The motors are rated to output 18 lb in of torque at 16 rpm at peak voltage. From empirical data Lawntonomous moves about 1 ft/s at max speed. The drive wheels were purchased from a surplus distributor online they are 8" lawnmower wheels. The motor driver provided from the lab. Sean Fruct wrote the source and header files I used for the motor driver.

I took apart a weed wacker and mounted it on the platform for the mowing system. The circuitry for this system was fairly complex. When the robot is turned on the mowing system will also turn on. There was a kill switch located atop the robot for emergency situations.

### Sensors

The robot implements sonar for obstacle avoidance. This is the most practical option, because the robot operates outside. Three sensors will be mounted on the front of the mower (one centered and one to the left and right). One is mounted in the rear. Initially I wanted to attempt some fuzzy logic but my

sensors were not reliable enough. In the end I used a single threshold value for all the sensors and averaged it over 5 values. The collision avoidance is very reliable. I used the MaxBotix ultrasonic sensors (Product code: RB-Max-01) (See figure 3).

Two bump switches are mounted on the front bumper. They have only been used for turns made too close to walls. Initially I wanted to use G.P.S. for the special sensor. I purchased a less expensive sensor that is only accurate within a few meters. I struggled with the software for a few weeks and then decided to use a different sensor. In hind sight I should have bribed a CSE major to help me.

I attempted to implement a wireless pet fence as my special sensor (See figure 4). Originally I wanted to use it to confine the perimeter in which Lawntonomous cut. This proved to be a more challenging task than I anticipated. The wireless transmitter was designed to keep pets out of one's garden. The transmitter would shock ones pet if it entered the area. The shock would stop after about 30 seconds which proved to be a problem. I was unable to turn off the sensor and turn it back on to regain the signal.

I then tried to use the transmitter to repel the robot. This was a much simpler task. I was able to get a clean signal from the shock collar without the need of a capacitor. When the robot was in range the signal would go high and I could read it through an I/O port. The system was incredibly simple and I was able to get it properly functioning the night before media day. I went to test it in the Rotunda but it was locked by that hour. The next day I was unable to get the sensor to function when the robot was moving. I could get a great signal when the robot was not moving. I am uncertain as to why this occurred. I should have spent the extra money and bought a fence meant to confine a pet as oppose to repel it.

#### **Behaviors**

The robot is programmed to do random mowing. The numbers input to the motor functions are a function of the values returned from the ultrasonic sensors. This system is incredibly simple and







proved to work great for my yard. There is about a 5 to 10 degree slope my yard this proved to be no challenge for the high torque motors. Although the thick tree roots that have grown up and out from the ground proved to be invisible to the ultsonic sensors. The front drive wheels make over but the weed wacker gets caught onto them.

The bump switches just cause Lawntonomous to reverse and the turn in a random direction based on the value from the front center ultrasonic sensor. I am still working with the wireless fence if I cannot get it fully functional I am going to use it to keep my cats from getting outside.

## **Experimental Layout and Results**

The Ultrasonic sensors I used were proved to be functional for basic collision avoidance but when I attempted more complex behaviors they were not very reliable. I attempted to employ a function for softer turns, but was unable to successfully execute it when it was integrated into the main program.

The wireless dog fence involved a lot of experimenting. I took apart the shocker collar to get the circuit board out of it. I hooked it up the oscilloscope and found the node that gave the best signal when the receiver was in range of the transmitter. When I collected the signal through an I/O port the signal would go high when in range which made this sensor seemingly too easy. I was able to use this signal to tell Lawntonomous which areas of the yard are off limits.

Unfortunately I was only successful with it once the night before media day in the IMDL lab. I went to test it in the Rotunda that night but it was locked. The next day I was unable to replicate the experiment. I could get Lawntonomous to receive the signal when he wasn't moving, but once he began translating he could not pick it up.

#### Conclusion

The goal of this project was to build a robot capable of maintaining a yard by mowing it a few times a week during the summer and a couple times a month during the winter. I was successful in this sense. I have a lot of work to do on Lawntonomous over the summer to make a more effective mower.

I am content with what was accomplished this semester. The mechanical design was the most successful portion of the project. The robot was aesthetically pleasing. The cutting system I designed was much more attractive and equally effective relative to the original weed wacker. There are few things I could improve with this aspect. The sensor suite is pretty lame right now. I intend on making the wireless fence fully functional and adding getting some assistance with the GPS sensor. I also have built a circuit for an "Edge of the World" sensor. It will recognize a sudden change in elevation to prevent Lawntonomous from going off a cliff. I am pleased with my progress thus far, and look forward to my future work.

#### **Picture Sources**

Figures 1: Photo by author

Figure 2:

Maxbotix LV-MaxSonar-EZ1 High Performance Sonar Module Product code : RB-Max-01

http://www.robotshop.us/maxbotix-ez1-ultrasonic-ranger-2.html

Figure 3:

http://www.amazon.com/gp/product/images/B002GQDUBW/sr=8-11/qid=1271818796/ref=dp\_image\_0?ie=UTF8&n=1055398&s=home-garden&qid=1271818796&sr=8-11

# Appendix

Header files used #ifndef \_\_PVR\_h\_\_ #define \_\_\_PVR\_h\_\_\_ #include <avr/io.h> #include <avr/interrupt.h> #include "PVR.h" #define LCD PORTK\_OUT #define LCDDDR PORTK DIR volatile int delaycnt; void xmegalnit(void); void delayInit(void); void delay\_ms(int cnt); void delay\_us(int cnt); void lcdDataWork(unsigned char c); void lcdData(unsigned char c); void lcdCharWork(unsigned char c); void lcdChar (unsigned char c); void lcdString(unsigned char ca[]); void lcdInt(int value); void lcdGoto(int row, int col); void lcdInit(void); void ServoClnit(void); void ServoDlnit(void); void ServoCO(int value): void ServoC1(int value); void ServoC2(int value); void ServoC3(int value); void ServoC4(int value); void ServoC5(int value); void ServoD0(int value); void ServoD1(int value); void ServoD2(int value); void ServoD3(int value); void ServoD4(int value); void ServoD5(int value); void ADCAInit(void);

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int ADCA0(void);
int ADCA1(void);
int ADCA2(void);
int ADCA3(void);
int ADCA4(void);
int ADCA5(void);
int ADCA6(void);
int ADCA7(void);
#endif
  #ifndef __MotorFunctions_h__
  #define __MotorFunctions_h__
#include <avr/io.h>
#include <avr/interrupt.h>
#include "PVR.h"
void drivemotorsinit(void);
void drivemotorA( int mode, int speed);
void drivemotorB( int mode, int speed);
void drive(int direction, int rightspeed, int leftspeed);
   #endif
Source Files used
#include <avr/io.h>
#include <avr/interrupt.h>
#include "PVR.h"
/*******
* Xmega *
********/
void xmegalnit(void)
ł
     CCP = 0xD8;
     CLK_PSCTRL = 0x00;
     PORTQ_DIR = 0x01;
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```
//setup oscillator
     OSC\_CTRL = 0x02;
                                                          //enable 32MHz
internal clock
     while ((OSC\_STATUS \& 0x02) == 0);
                                                    //wait for oscillator to
be ready
     CCP = 0xD8;
                                                               //write
signature to CCP
     CLK\_CTRL = 0x01;
                                                          //select internal
32MHz RC oscillator
}
/*******
* Delay *
********/
void delayInit(void)
{
                                                          //set clock/1
     TCF1_CTRLA = 0x01;
     TCF1\_CTRLB = 0x31;
                                                          //enable COMA
and COMB, set to FRQ
     TCF1_INTCTRLB = 0x00;
                                                          //turn off
interrupts for COMA and COMB
     SREG I= CPU_I_bm;
                                                          //enable all
interrupts
     PMIC\_CTRL = 0x01;
                                                          //enable all low
priority interrupts
void delay_ms(int cnt)
     delaycnt = 0;
                                                          //set count value
     TCF1_CCA = 32000;
                                                          //set COMA to be
1ms delay
     TCF1_CNT = 0;
                                                          //reset counter
     TCF1_INTCTRLB = 0x01;
                                                          //enable low
priority interrupt for delay
     while (cnt != delaycnt);
                                              //delay
     TCF1_INTCTRLB = 0x00;
                                                          //disable
interrupts
}
```

```
void delay_us(int cnt)
ł
     delaycnt = 0;
     TCF1_CCA = 32;
1us delay
     TCF1_CNT = 0;
     TCF1_INTCTRLB = 0x01;
priority interrupt for delay
     while (cnt != delaycnt);
     TCF1_INTCTRLB = 0x00;
interrupts
}
SIGNAL(TCF1_CCB_vect)
{
     delaycnt++;
}
SIGNAL(TCF1_CCA_vect)
{
     delaycnt++;
}
/******
* LCD *
******/
#define LCD
                            PORTK_OUT
#define LCDDDR
                      PORTK_DIR
void lcdDataWork(unsigned char c)
{
     c \&= 0xF0;
clear the rest
     c = 0x08;
     LCD = c;
     delay_ms(2);
     c = 0x08;
     LCD = c;
```

```
//set counter
//set COMA to be
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//reset counter //enable low

//delay

//disable

//keep data bits,

//set E high //write to LCD //delay //set E low //write to LCD

```
delay_ms(2);
                                                            //delay
      c |= 0x08;
                                                            //set E high
      LCD = c;
                                                            //write to LCD
      delay_ms(2);
                                                            //delay
}
void lcdData(unsigned char c)
ł
                                               //give cHi the high 4 bits of c
      unsigned char cHi = c \& 0xF0;
                                                      //give cLo the low 4
      unsigned char cLo = c \& 0xOF;
bits of c
                                                            //shift cLo left 4
      cLo = cLo * 0x10;
bits
      lcdDataWork(cHi);
      lcdDataWork(cLo);
}
void lcdCharWork(unsigned char c)
ł
      c \&= 0xF0;
                                                            //keep data bits,
clear the rest
                                                            //set E and RS
      c = 0x0A;
high
      LCD = c;
                                                            //write to LCD
      delay_ms(2);
                                                            //delay
      c = 0x08;
                                                            //set E low
                                                            //write to LCD
      LCD = c;
      delay_ms(2);
                                                            //delay
      c l= 0x08;
                                                            //set E high
      LCD = c;
                                                            //write to LCD
      delay_ms(2);
                                                            //delay
}
void lcdChar(unsigned char c)
      unsigned char cHi = c \& 0xF0;
                                               //give cHi the high 4 bits of c
      unsigned char cLo = c \& 0x0F;
                                                     //give cLo the low 4
bits of c
      cLo = cLo * 0x10;
                                                            //shift cLo left 4
bits
```

```
lcdCharWork(cHi);
      lcdCharWork(cLo);
}
void lcdString(unsigned char ca[])
{
      int i = 0;
      while (ca[i] != ' 0')
      {
            lcdChar(ca[i++]);
      }
}
void lcdInt(int value)
{
      int temp_val;
      int x = 10000;
      int leftZeros=5;
      if (value<0)
      {
         lcdChar('-');
             value * = -1;
      }
  while (value / x == 0)
   {
            x/=10;
            leftZeros--;
  }
  while ((value > 0) || (leftZeros>0))
   {
     temp_val = value / x;
     value -= temp_val * x;
     lcdChar(temp_val+ 0x30);
     x /= 10;
     leftZeros--;
```

```
}
  while (leftZeros>0)
      {
            IcdChar(0+0x30);
      leftZeros--;
  }
  return;
}
void lcdGoto(int row, int col)
ł
      unsigned char pos;
      if ((col >= 0 && col <= 19) && (row >= 0 && row <= 3))
      {
            pos = col;
            if (row == 1)
                  pos += 0x40;
            else if (row == 2)
                  pos += 0x14;
            else if (row == 3)
                  pos += 0x54;
            IcdData(0x80 + pos);
      }
}
void lcdInit(void)
{
      delayInit();
                                          //set up the delay functions
                                                //set LCD port to outputs.
      LCDDDR = 0xFF;
                                                //wait to ensure LCD
      delay_ms(20);
powered up
      lcdDataWork(0x30);
                                                //put in 4 bit mode, part 1
      delay_ms(10);
                                                //wait for lcd to finish
      lcdDataWork(0x30);
                                                //put in 4 bit mode, part 2
      delay_ms(2);
                                                //wait for lcd to finish
                                                //put in 4 bit mode, part 3
      lcdData(0x32);
      lcdData(0x2C);
                                                //enable 2 line mode
      lcdData(0x0C);
                                                //turn everything on
```

```
//clear LCD
     lcdData(0x01);
}
/*******
* Servo *
*******/
void ServoClnit(void)
ł
     TCCO\_CTRLA = 0x05;
                                            //set TCC0_CLK to CLK/64
     TCCO\_CTRLB = 0xF3;
                                            //Enable OC A, B, C, and D.
Set to Single Slope PWM
                                                 //OCnX = 1 from
Bottom to CCx and 0 from CCx to Top
     TCCO_PER = 10000;
                                            //20ms / (1/(32MHz/64)) =
10000. PER = Top
     TCC1\_CTRLA = 0x05;
                                            //set TCC1_CLK to CLK/64
     TCC1\_CTRLB = 0x33;
                                            //Enable OC A and B. Set to
Single Slope PWM
                                                 //OCnX = 1 from
Bottom to CCx and 0 from CCx to Top
     TCC1_PER = 10000;
                                            //20ms / (1/(32MHz/64)) =
10000. PER = Top
     PORTC_DIR = 0x3F;
                                            //set PORTC5:0 to output
     TCC0\_CCA = 0;
                                            //PWMC0 off
     TCCO\_CCB = 0;
                                            //PWMC1 off
     TCC0\_CCC = 0;
                                            //PWMC2 off
     TCC0\_CCD = 0;
                                            //PWMC3 off
     TCC1\_CCA = 0;
                                            //PWMC4 off
     TCC1\_CCB = 0;
                                            //PWMC5 off
}
void ServoDInit(void)
ł
     TCDO\_CTRLA = 0x05;
                                            //set TCC0_CLK to CLK/64
                                            //Enable OC A, B, C, and D.
     TCDO\_CTRLB = 0xF3;
Set to Single Slope PWM
                                                 //OCnX = 1 from
Bottom to CCx and 0 from CCx to Top
     TCDO_PER = 10000;
                                            //20ms / (1/(32MHz/64)) =
```

```
10000. PER = Top
     TCD1\_CTRLA = 0x05;
     TCD1\_CTRLB = 0x33;
Single Slope PWM
Bottom to CCx and 0 from CCx to Top
     TCD1_PER = 10000;
10000. PER = Top
      PORTD_DIR = 0x3F;
     TCDO\_CCA = 0;
     TCDO\_CCB = 0;
     TCDO\_CCC = 0;
     TCDO\_CCD = 0;
     TCD1\_CCA = 0;
     TCD1\_CCB = 0;
}
void ServoCO(int value)
ł
     if (value > 100)
           value = 100;
      else if (value < -100)
           value = -100;
     value *= 5;
     value /= 2;
     TCCO\_CCA = (750 + value);
}
void ServoC1(int value)
{
     if (value > 100)
           value = 100;
     else if (value < -100)
           value = -100;
     value *= 5;
     value /= 2;
     TCC0\_CCB = (750 + value);
}
```

```
//PWMC4 off
//PWMC5 off
//cap at +/- 100
// -100 => 1ms
// 0 => 1.5ms
// 100 => 2ms
//multiply value by 2.5
// new range +/- 250
//Generate PWM.
```

//set TCC1\_CLK to CLK/64
//Enable OC A and B. Set to

//OCnX = 1 from

//20ms / (1/(32MHz/64)) =

//set PORTC5:0 to output

//PWMC0 off
//PWMC1 off

//PWMC2 off

//PWMC3 off

```
//cap at +/- 100
    // -100 => 1ms
// 0 => 1.5ms
    // 100 => 2ms
    //multiply value by 2.5
    // new range +/- 250
//Generate PWM.
```

```
void ServoC2(int value)
```

{

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if (value > 100)
            value = 100;
      else if (value < -100)
            value = -100;
      value *= 5;
      value /= 2;
      TCCO\_CCC = (750 + value);
}
void ServoC3(int value)
{
      if (value > 100)
            value = 100;
      else if (value < -100)
            value = -100;
      value *= 5;
      value /= 2;
      TCCO\_CCD = (750 + value);
}
void ServoC4(int value)
ł
      if (value > 100)
            value = 100;
      else if (value < -100)
            value = -100;
      value *= 5;
      value /= 2;
      TCC1\_CCA = (750 + value);
}
void ServoC5(int value)
ł
      if (value > 100)
            value = 100;
      else if (value < -100)
            value = -100;
      value *= 5;
      value /= 2;
```

//cap at +/- 100 // -100 => 1ms // 0 => 1.5ms // 100 => 2ms //multiply value by 2.5 // new range +/- 250 //Generate PWM.

//cap at +/- 100 // -100 => 1ms // 0 => 1.5ms // 100 => 2ms //multiply value by 2.5 // new range +/- 250 //Generate PWM.

```
//cap at +/- 100
     // -100 => 1ms
// 0 => 1.5ms
     // 100 => 2ms
     //multiply value by 2.5
     // new range +/- 250
//Generate PWM.
```

```
//cap at +/- 100
     // -100 => 1ms
// 0 => 1.5ms
     // 100 => 2ms
     //multiply value by 2.5
     // new range +/- 250
```

```
TCC1\_CCB = (750 + value);
                                      //Generate PWM.
}
void ServoDO(int value)
ł
     if (value > 100)
                                        //cap at +/- 100
                                              // -100 => 1ms
           value = 100;
     else if (value < -100)
                                        // 0 => 1.5ms
           value = -100;
                                              // 100 => 2ms
     value *= 5;
                                              //multiply value by 2.5
                                              // new range +/- 250
     value /= 2;
                                        //Generate PWM.
     TCDO\_CCA = (750 + value);
}
void ServoD1(int value)
ł
                                        //cap at +/- 100
     if (value > 100)
                                              // -100 => 1ms
           value = 100;
     else if (value < -100)
                                        // 0 => 1.5ms
           value = -100;
                                              // 100 => 2ms
                                              //multiply value by 2.5
     value *= 5;
     value /= 2;
                                              // new range +/- 250
     TCDO\_CCB = (750 + value);
                                        //Generate PWM.
}
void ServoD2(int value)
ł
                                        //cap at +/- 100
     if (value > 100)
                                             // -100 => 1ms
           value = 100;
     else if (value < -100)
                                        // 0 => 1.5ms
           value = -100;
                                              // 100 => 2ms
     value *= 5;
                                              //multiply value by 2.5
     value /= 2;
                                              // new range +/- 250
                                        //Generate PWM.
     TCDO\_CCC = (750 + value);
}
void ServoD3(int value)
ł
     if (value > 100)
                                        //cap at +/- 100
                                              // -100 => 1ms
           value = 100;
```

```
// 0 => 1.5ms
     else if (value < -100)
           value = -100;
                                             // 100 => 2ms
                                             //multiply value by 2.5
     value *= 5;
     value /= 2;
                                             // new range +/- 250
                                       //Generate PWM.
     TCD0\_CCD = (750 + value);
}
void ServoD4(int value)
{
     if (value > 100)
                                       //cap at +/- 100
           value = 100;
                                             // -100 => 1ms
                                       // 0 => 1.5ms
     else if (value < -100)
           value = -100;
                                             // 100 => 2ms
                                             //multiply value by 2.5
     value *= 5;
                                             // new range +/- 250
     value /= 2;
                                       //Generate PWM.
     TCD1\_CCA = (750 + value);
}
void ServoD5(int value)
ł
     if (value > 100)
                                       //cap at +/- 100
           value = 100;
                                             // -100 => 1ms
     else if (value < -100)
                                       // 0 => 1.5ms
           value = -100;
                                             // 100 => 2ms
                                             //multiply value by 2.5
     value *= 5;
     value /= 2;
                                             // new range +/- 250
     TCD1\_CCB = (750 + value);
                                       //Generate PWM.
}
/******
* ADCA *
*******/
void ADCAInit(void)
{
     ADCA\_CTRLB = 0x00;
                                             //12bit, right adjusted
                                             //set to Vref = Vcc/1.6 =
     ADCA_REFCTRL = 0x20;
2.0V (approx)
     ADCA\_CH0\_CTRL = 0x01;
                                             //set to single-ended
     ADCA_CHO_INTCTRL = 0x00; //set flag at conversion complete.
```

```
Disable interrupt
     ADCA_CH0_MUXCTRL = 0x08; //set to Channel 1
                                          //Enable ADCA
     ADCA_CTRLA \models 0x01;
}
int ADCA0(void)
     ADCA_CH0_MUXCTRL = 0x00; //Set to Pin 0
                              //Start Conversion on ADCA
     ADCA_CTRLA = 0x04;
Channel 0
     while ((ADCA_CH0_INTFLAGS & 0x01) != 0x01);//wait for conversion
to complete
     delay_ms(10);
     int value = ADCA_CHO_RES; //grab result
                                          //return result
     return value;
}
int ADCA1(void)
{
     ADCA_CH0_MUXCTRL = 0x08; //Set to Pin 1
     ADCA_CTRLA \models 0x04;
                                         //Start Conversion on ADCA
Channel 0
     while ((ADCA_CH0_INTFLAGS & 0x01) != 0x01);//wait for conversion
to complete
     delay_ms(10);
     int value = ADCA_CHO_RES; //grab result
                                          //return result
     return value;
ł
int ADCA2(void)
{
     ADCA_CHO_MUXCTRL = 0x10; //Set to Pin 2
ADCA_CTRLA = 0x04: //Start Convo
     ADCA_CTRLA \models 0x04;
                                         //Start Conversion on ADCA
Channel 0
     while ((ADCA_CH0_INTFLAGS & 0x01) != 0x01);//wait for conversion
to complete
     delay_ms(10);
     int value = ADCA_CHO_RES; //grab result
                                          //return result
     return value;
}
int ADCA3(void)
     ADCA_CHO_MUXCTRL = 0x18; //Set to Pin 3
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//Start Conversion on ADCA
     ADCA\_CTRLA = 0x04;
Channel 0
     while ((ADCA_CH0_INTFLAGS & 0x01) != 0x01);//wait for conversion
to complete
     delay_ms(10);
     int value = ADCA_CHO_RES; //grab result
                                          //return result
     return value:
}
int ADCA4(void)
     ADCA_CH0_MUXCTRL = 0x20; //Set to Pin 4
     ADCA_CTRLA = 0x04;
                                         //Start Conversion on ADCA
Channel 0
     while ((ADCA_CH0_INTFLAGS & 0x01) != 0x01);//wait for conversion
to complete
     delay_ms(10);
     int value = ADCA_CHO_RES; //grab result
                                          //return result
     return value;
}
int ADCA5(void)
{
     ADCA_CHO_MUXCTRL = 0x28; //Set to Pin 5
     ADCA_CTRLA \models 0x04;
                                        //Start Conversion on ADCA
Channel 0
     while ((ADCA_CH0_INTFLAGS & 0x01) != 0x01);//wait for conversion
to complete
     delay_ms(10);
     int value = ADCA_CHO_RES; //grab result
                                          //return result
     return value:
}
int ADCA6(void)
ł
     ADCA_CH0_MUXCTRL = 0x30;
                                        //Set to Pin 6
     ADCA_CTRLA = 0x04;
                                         //Start Conversion on ADCA
Channel 0
     while ((ADCA_CH0_INTFLAGS & 0x01) != 0x01);//wait for conversion
to complete
     delay_ms(10);
     int value = ADCA_CHO_RES; //grab result
                                          //return result
     return value:
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```
}
int ADCA7(void)
{
    ADCA_CH0_MUXCTRL = 0x38; //Set to Pin 7
    ADCA_CTRLA l= 0x04; //Start Conversion on ADCA
Channel 0
    while ((ADCA_CH0_INTFLAGS & 0x01) != 0x01);//wait for conversion
to complete
    delay_ms(10);
    int value = ADCA_CH0_RES; //grab result
    return value; //return result
}
```

#include <avr/io.h>
#include <avr/interrupt.h>
#include "PVR.h"

The Following three functions are used to control the Motor Driver 1A Dual TB6612FNG sku: ROB-09457 from SparkFun Electronics.

drivemotorsinit(void) - This function initializes the IO Pins on Port J and readies them for use with the motor driver.

drivemotorA(int mode, int speed) - This function takes an integer from 1-5 as the mode, and a number from 0-100 for the speed as a percentage of max speed.

drivemotorB(int mode, int speed) - This function takes an integer from 1-5 as the mode, and a number from 0-100 for the speed as a percentage of max speed.

Wiring Directions:

Left Side of Chip

Plug Vm into the pin labeled PWM D5(Vcc) Plug Vcc into one of the Power Bus's Vcc pins

Plug Gnd into a Power Bus's Gnd Go through and plug all the grounds on the chip into pins on the power bus or wire them all together and plug in one. Plug A01 into a plug on motor A Plug A02 into the other plug on motor A Plug B01 into a plug on motor B Plug B02 into the other plug on motor B **Right Side of Chip** Plug PWMA into Port FO(Signal) Plug AIN2 into Port J pin 0 Plug AIN1 into Port J pin 1 Plug STBY into Port J pin 2 Plug BIN1 into Port J pin 3 Plug Bin2 into Port J pin 4 Plug PWMB into Port F1(Signal) void drivemotorsinit(void){ PORTJ\_DIR |= ((1<<0) | (1<<1) | (1<<2) | (1<<3) | (1<<4)); // Set pins 0-4 as output (1) $PORTJ_OUT = ((1 << 0) | (1 << 1) | (1 << 2) | (1 << 3) | (1 << 4)); // Set all$ pins to Output Low (0), this puts both motors in standby TCF0\_CTRLA = 0x05; //set TCC0\_CLK to CLK/64  $TCFO\_CTRLB = 0xF3;$ //Enable OC A, B, C, and D. Set to Single Slope PW //OCnX = 1 from Bottom to CCx and 0 from CCx to Top  $TCF0_{PER} = 10000;$ //20ms / (1/(32MHz/64)) = 10000. PER = Top $PORTF_DIR = 0x3F;$ //set PORTF:0 to output  $TCF0\_CCA = 0;$ //PWMF0 off  $TCFO\_CCB = 0;$ //PWMF1 off }

void drive(int direction, int rightspeed, int leftspeed){

```
if (leftspeed > 100)
                   leftspeed = 100;
                   }
            if (leftspeed < 0)
                   leftspeed = 0;
                   }
            if (rightspeed > 100)
                   rightspeed = 100;
                   }
            if (rightspeed < 0){
                   rightspeed = 0;
                   }
            TCF0_CCA = (1000*rightspeed); // Set the Duty Cycle
            TCF0_CCB = (1000*leftspeed); // Set the Duty Cycle
            if (direction == 1){ // Forward
                   PORTJ_OUT = ((1 << 0) | (0 << 1) | (1 << 2) | (1 << 3) | (0 << 4) |
(1<<2));
                   }
            if (direction == 2){ // Reverse
                   PORTJ_OUT = ((0<<0) | (1<<1) | (1<<2) | (0<<3) | (1<<4) |
(1<<2));
                   }
            if (direction == 3) \{ // Right \}
                   PORTJ_OUT = ((1 << 0) | (0 << 1) | (1 << 2) | (0 << 3) | (1 << 4) |
(1<<2));
                   }
            if (direction == 4){ // Left
                   PORTJ_OUT = ((0 << 0) | (1 << 1) | (1 << 2) | (1 << 3) | (0 << 4) |
(1<<2));;
                   }
```

}

void drivemotorA( int mode, int speed) {

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if (speed > 100){
                  speed = 100;
                  }
            if (speed < 0){
                  speed = 0;
                  }
            TCF0_CCA = (1000*speed); // Set the Duty Cycle
            if (mode == 1){ // Standby
                  PORTJ_OUT = (0 << 2);
                  }
            if (mode == 2){ // Stop
                  PORTJ_OUT = ((0 << 0) | (0 << 1) | (1 << 2));
            if (mode == 3){ // Short Brake
                  PORTJ_OUT = ((1 << 0) | (1 << 1) | (1 << 2));
                  }
            if (mode == 4){ // Clockwise
                  PORTJ_OUT = ((1 << 0) | (0 << 1) | (1 << 2));
                  }
            if (mode == 5){ // Counter Clockwise
                  PORTJ_OUT = ((0 << 0) | (1 << 1) | (1 << 2));
                  }
void drivemotorB( int mode, int speed) {
            if (speed > 100){
            speed = 100;
            }
            if (speed < 0){
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}

speed = 0;}

TCF0\_CCB = (1000\*speed); // set the Duty cycle

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if (mode == 1){ // Standby
    PORTJ_OUT = (0<<2);
    }
if (mode == 2){ // Stop
    PORTJ_OUT = ((0<<3) | (0<<4) | (1<<2));
    }
if (mode == 3){ // Short Stop
    PORTJ_OUT = ((1<<3) | (1<<4) | (1<<2));
    }
if (mode == 4){ // Clockwise
    PORTJ_OUT = ((1<<3) | (0<<4) | (1<<2));
    }
if (mode == 5){ // Counter Clockwise
    PORTJ_OUT = ((0<<3) | (1<<4) | (1<<2));
    }
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```

Main Program

}

#include <avr/io.h>
#include "PVR.h"
#include "MotorFunctions.h"

```
#define FC (ADCA1() + ADCA1() + ADCA1() + ADCA1() + ADCA1()) / 5
#define FR (ADCA2() + ADCA2() + ADCA2() + ADCA2() + ADCA2()) / 5
#define FL (ADCA3() + ADCA3() + ADCA3() + ADCA3() + ADCA3()) / 5
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```
#define BC (ADCA4() + ADCA4() + ADCA4() + ADCA4() + ADCA4()) / 5
int i;
int j;
int k;
int thresh;
thresh = 500;
void main(void)
ł
     xmegalnit();
                                                          //setup XMega
     delayInit();
                                                    //setup delay functions
                                                          //setup PORTA
     ADCAInit();
analong readings
     lcdlnit();
                                                          //setup LCD on
PORT K
     ServoDlnit();
                                                          //setup PORTD
Servos
                                                          //setup PORTC
     ServoClnit();
Servos
     drivemotorsinit();
                                                    //setup motors
     PORTQ_DIR = 0x01;
                                                          //set Q0 (LED) as
output
     PORTB_DIR = 0x00;
                                       //set BO as input
     PORTH_DIR = 0x01;
                                       //set HO as output
     while(1)
      {
           PORTH_OUT = 0x01;
           i = PORTB_IN;
     i = i \& 0x01;
           j = PORTB_IN;
           j = j \& 0x02;
```

```
k = PORTB_IN;
k = k \& 0x04;
lcdInit();
if(i == 1)
{
            drive(1,0,0);
            delay_ms(300);
            lcdString("Entered Off");
            lcdGoto(1,0);
      lcdString("Limits Area");
            drive(2,80,80);
            delay_ms(2000);
            drive(3,80,80);
            delay_ms(3*FC^2);
}
else
{
      if (FC < thresh)
      {
            lcdInit();
            drive (1,0,0);
            delay_ms(300);
            if (FR < thresh && FL < thresh)
            {
                  lcdString("Obstacle->Front");
            lcdGoto(1,0);
            lcdString("Side");
                  drive(2,FC/5,FC/5);
                  delay_ms(5*FC^2);
                  drive(3,FC/5,FC/5);
                  delay_ms(FC^2);
            }
            else if (FR < thresh)
            {
                  drive(4,FR/5,FR/5);
                  lcdString("Obstacle->Front");
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```
lcdGoto(1,0);
      lcdString("Right side");
            delay_ms(FR^2);
      }
      else if (FL < thresh)
            drive(3,FL/5,FL/5);
            lcdString("Obstacle -> Front");
      lcdGoto(1,0);
lcdString("Left side");
            delay_ms(FL^2);
      }
      else
      ł
      drive(2,90,90);
      delay_ms(FC^2);
      drive(3,90,90);
      delay_ms(1500);
      }
}
else if (FR < thresh)
{
      drive(1,80,50);
      delay_ms(FR^2);
}
else if (FL < thresh)
ł
      drive(1,50,80);
      delay_ms(FL^2);
}
else if (FR < thresh & FL < thresh)
{
      drive(2,80,80);
      delay_ms(FR^2);
      drive(FR/7,80,80);
      delay_ms(FL^2);
}
else if (j == 0 | k == 0)
ł
      drive(1,0,0);
```

```
delay_ms(300);
                        if (j == 0)
                        {
                              lcdString("Left Side");
                        lcdGoto(1,0);
                        lcdString("Collision");
                              drive(2,80,80);
                              delay_ms(2000);
                              drive(3,80,80);
                              delay_ms(2000);
                        }
                        else
                        {
                              lcdString("Right side");
                        lcdGoto(1,0);
                        lcdString("Collision");
                              drive(2,80,80);
                              delay_ms(2000);
                              drive(3,80,80);
                              delay_ms(2000);
                        }
            }
            else
            {
                  drive(1, 100, 100);
                  lcdString("Lawntonomous");
                  lcdGoto(1,0);
                  lcdString("Maximus");
                  delay_ms(500);
            }
     }
}
```

}