



Generic solution to control the WIFIBOT with an external PC :

You need to create 2 threads, one for sending commands and the other for receiving.  
For that you need to create a TCP/IP socket connecting to the WIFIBOT IP with port 15000.

So to communicate with the WIFIBOT you need just to receive “buf2” and to send “buf” :

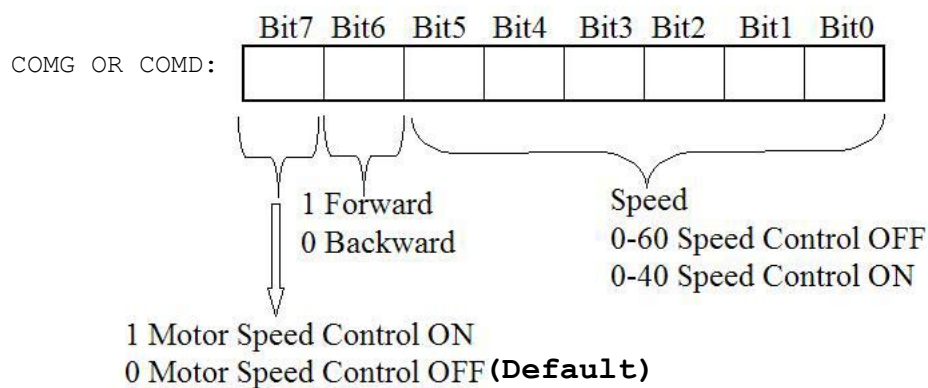
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unsigned char buf[2], buf2[7];
```

There is the details of the communication :

Sending commands :

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buf[0]=(unsigned char) (comg); //left motor board command
buf[1]=(unsigned char) (comd); //right motor board command
```

“comg” and “comd” is generated depending of the way we want the robot to move :



Receiving sensors values :

buf2[0]	battery value (0-255)
buf2[1]	front left wheels ticks (0-40 ticks/41ms)
buf2[2]	rear left wheels ticks (0-40 ticks/41ms)
buf2[3]	front right wheels ticks (0-40 ticks/41ms)
buf2[4]	rear right wheels ticks (0-40 ticks/41ms)
buf2[5]	Left infrared sensor (0-150 cm)
buf2[6]	Right infrared sensor (0-150 cm)

Example using C++ and MFC sockets :

Class : "MyClass" :

void InitSocket(void);

void Close(void);

Thread\_Send();

Thread\_Receive();

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UINT Thread\_Send (LPVOID p)

UINT Thread\_Receive (LPVOID p)

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CAsyncSocket so;//MFC socket

bool running, running2 ; //to end the Thread

Cstring ip;robot ip

int port;//robot port

unsigned char buf[2], buf2[7]; //send receive buffer

unsigned char comg, comd; //motor board command

void MyClass::InitSocket(void)

```
{
    so.Create();
    int status = so.Connect(ip,porttemp);
    running=true;
    running2=true;
    AfxBeginThread(Thread_Receive,this);
    AfxBeginThread(Thread_Send,this);
}
```

void MyClass::Close(void)

```
{
    running2=false;
    running=false;
    so.Close();
}
```

```

void MyClass::Thread_Send(void)
{
    while(running)
    {
        buf[0]=(unsigned char)(comg);//left motor board command
        buf[1]=(unsigned char)(comd);//right motor board command
        so.Send(&buf, 2, 0);
        Sleep(60); //16 Hz
    }
}

UINT MyClass::Thread_Send (LPVOID p)
{
    MyClass *me = (MyClass *)p;
    me-> Thread_Send ();
    return 0;
}

void MyClass::Thread_Receive(void)
{
    while(running2)
    {
        int rcvnbr=so.Receive(&buf2,7,0);
        if (rcvnbr==7)
        {
            //Do what you want with the buffer
        }
    }
}

UINT MyClass::Thread_Receive (LPVOID p)
{
    MyClass *me = (MyClass *)p;
    me-> Thread_Receive ();
    return 0;
}

```