# Team "Help, It's Sentient" AVC plan

## Important links:

- Github: https://github.com/Matthew-Lynch/Help-Its-Sentient
- Log

https://docs.google.com/document/d/1wQUEXT61IFHyHNVnYOo3ScYP7AEjjXk4FwhuSnWwVvs/edit?usp=sh aring

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#### Conflicts:

- Wednesday phys 112 assignment cram
- Matt work fri to 5:30, sat 10-5, sun 10-3, but this is flexible
- Sanjana work Fri 3:30-9, sat 11-5
- Conagh needs 1 weeks notice to book time off work

#### Roles:

- Matt & Alex: project lead and hardware support (organising team meetings, reporting regularly on progress, CAD designing components)
- Scott & Sanjana: software development (writing core code and extending functionality)
- Sanjana & Alex: software testing and documentation (debugging software and committing to git, writing test cases and documenting performance against milestones)
- Matt & Conagh: hardware (building the chassis, testing components, connecting sensors, debugging hardware)
- Alex: SSH/Uploading code to Pi (Communications between GitHub and Pi remotely).

### **Team Agreement**

By signing below, all team members are acknowledging that they have read and committed to their part in the AVC. They acknowledge that they will attempt to complete the tasks agreed on by the group each week and document this on the team github account. They acknowledge that failure to meet these goals can result in the team recommending any member receives a lesser grade for their AVC report. In the event that a team member is unable to complete their task due to circumstances beyond their control (i.e. sickness, bereavement etc) that they will inform the team at the earliest possible time. Finally, the team acknowledges that a member going a week without contact with other team members (except when discussed with the team in advance) will constitute the member in question being considered AWOL. In this instance the team agrees to inform the ENGR101 course co-ordinator immediately. The penalty this for this can range from a reduction in the final grade to immediate failure of the AVC (and thus the ENGR101 course). Should the team unanimously agree that a member (or members) have failed to contribute to the AVC sufficiently for other reasons, on the day of robot testing the team will be given the opportunity to anonymously vote for a team member to receive 0% for the robot part of the AVC. Should the team choose this option they MUST be able to show that the member in question had been assigned tasks that they failed to complete and that the team had afforded them an opportunity to make up for past mistakes.

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Week#	dates	AVC due dates	Conflicts	Goals	Tasks
Week1	1-7/5	Plan due 5 <sup>th</sup>	ENGR101	Plan completed 5 <sup>th</sup>	All: research ways to solve mazes/using
weeki	1-7/5	Plati due 5	test 3 <sup>rd</sup>	Pian completed 5	
			lest 3		colour detection/other
					Report back, decide on what other
144 - 12	0.44/5		NA - U - Chil	Decide to the second	sensors we need
Week2	8-14/5		Matts Shit	Decide on way to maze	ML: basic chassis assembled (sensor
			Life (busy	solving technique,	placement)
			from 6pm-	algorithm/hardware 9 <sup>th</sup>	SM: code for straight line and left turn
			10pm every	Basic chassis – 12 <sup>th</sup>	AM: create main code for PI
			day)	Have basic code blocks	SR: code for taking data from sensors
					CFM: basic chassis assembled (sensor
					placement)
Week3	15-		Comp102	Chassis made and	ML: Edit chassis/help with code
	21/5		test 15 <sup>th</sup>	ready to test some	SM: sensor values to movement decisions
				aspects	AM: upload current code to PI
					SR: sensor values to movement decisions
					CFM: Edit chassis/help with code
Week4	22-	Progress	ENGR121	Test first 2 quadrants	ML: debugging
	28/5	report 22 <sup>nd</sup>	test 26 <sup>th</sup>	23 <sup>rd</sup>	SM: debugging
					AM: panic
					SR: debugging
					CFM: debugging
Week5	29/5-			Test last 2 quadrants	ML: debugging
	4/6			30 <sup>th</sup>	SM: debugging
					AM: debugging
					SR: panic
					CFM: debugging
Week6	5-10/6	Show Arthur	ENGR101	Don't fail, or have the	ML: panic
		our robot	test 7 <sup>th</sup>	robot explode	SM: panic
		completes the			AM: panic
		entire maze??			SR: panic
					CFM: panic
Week	11-	Final report	Study for	Don't fail	Study and write a report, difficult stuff
7/8	19/6	19th	exams		