ASUMOB PROJECT

-This document will show the estimated power calculations ,weight , Expected speed and acceleration of the line follower Robot.

1) Robot Weight:

The estimation of robot weight is between 0.6 kg to 0.8 kg , based on the estimated weight of the chassis and the components :

Note: Fixation weight is included.

-Chassis:

the base of the robot will be a sheet of wood which nearly weighs 0.1 kg .

-Batteries:

6 cells of lithium ion batteries weigh approximately = 0.2 Kg

-Sensors and Pcb:

Approx. 0.2Kg

-motors

2 motors each 0.1 kg

And two tires with 0.08 Kg

2) Torque and power Calculations:

Note: the weight used in all calculations is 0.8 Kg

-Motor power:

we are using two motors each has 250 max RPM and 3 KG.Cm Torque .

Pout "The output power of each motor" = TxW=7.6 Watt

T:torque in N.M

W:angular speed in Rad/sec

-we are targeting a max speed reach in the first second of operation The max speed = RPM x D X Pi /60 = 0.9 m/s

D: diameter of the tire

-so the Torque required to achieve 1 m/s acceleration is for each tire calculated by :

 $T = R \times M(For *g + acc) = 0.13 \text{ N.M} = 1.3 \text{Kg.cm}$

For : rolling resistance force , approx. = 0.4 N

M:mass of robot

R:radius of tire

-Since the input power of one motor = IV , also Pin=Pout

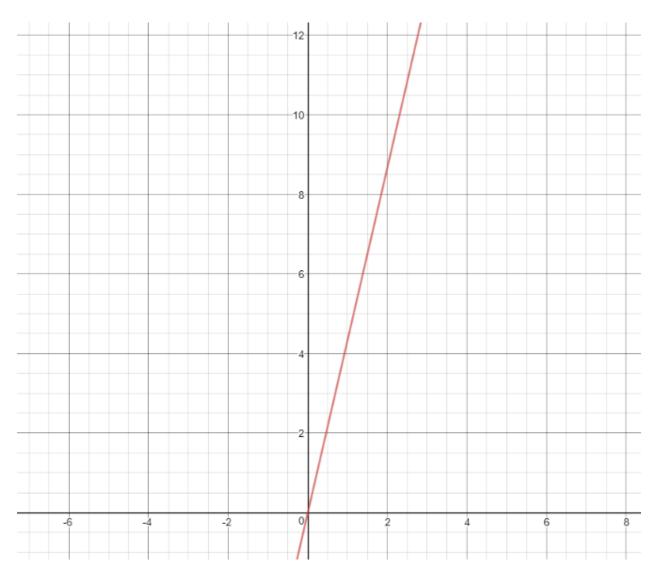
Then IV=TW

Using this relation and considering the angular speed is max and the operating voltage is 6 V the current drawn by the motor can be calculated, this is being done as the motor is old and we don't have a datasheet for it so this is just an estimation

I=TW/V = 0.13x26/6=0.5 Ampere

NOTE: this equation and calculation hasn't been validated and this is a absolutely an approximation and we are neglecting many factors

As noticed from the equation the relation is linear between the current and the Torque needed ,shown by this graph



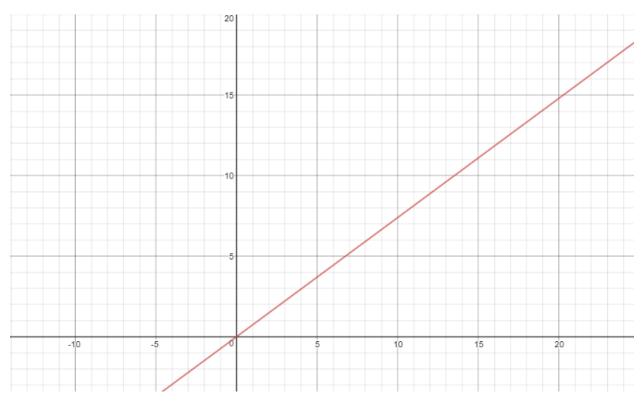
-Y-axis is I , X-axis is torque

Since Torque = R(For*g+acc) Mass

There is also aan approx. linear relation between Torque and mass , so by substituting in current torque equation ,

I=(WR(For*g+acc) /V)* MASS

The relation is showed by this graph



Y-axis: current

X-axis: mass

By using this graph and relation we can see if adding more batteries will give as advantage or will increase the energy used so we can compromise .

NOTE :this graph and relations has been done manually and not revised or validated this is an approximation which could be wrong .

References:

Graphing calculator:

https://www.desmos.com/calculator

Unit conversions:

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Equations:

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