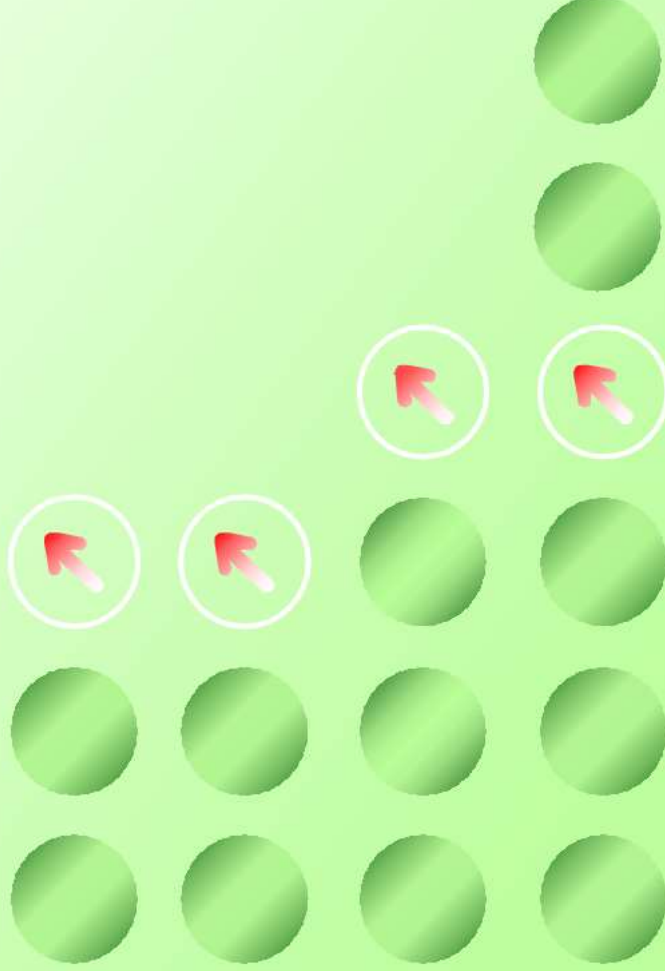




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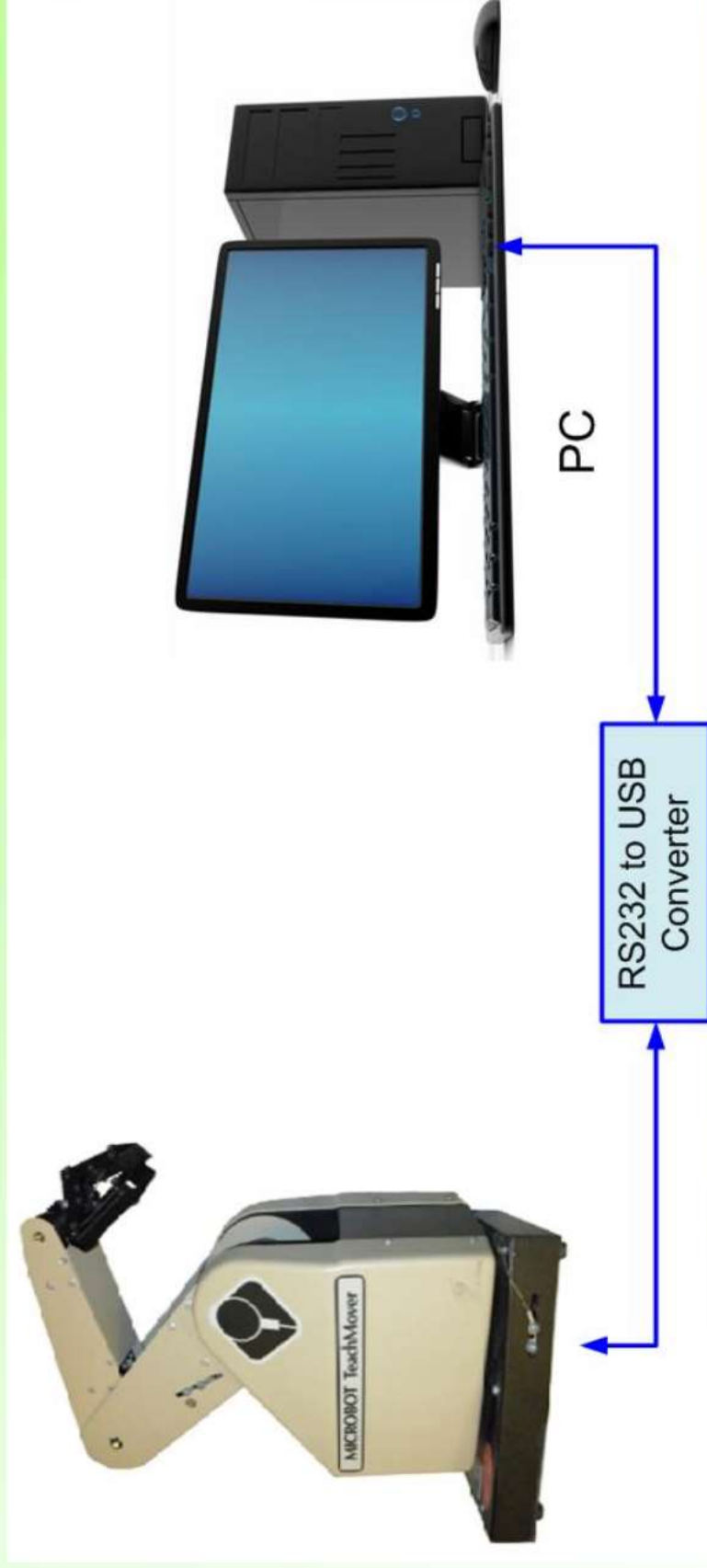
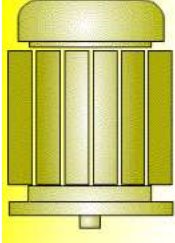


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System architecture



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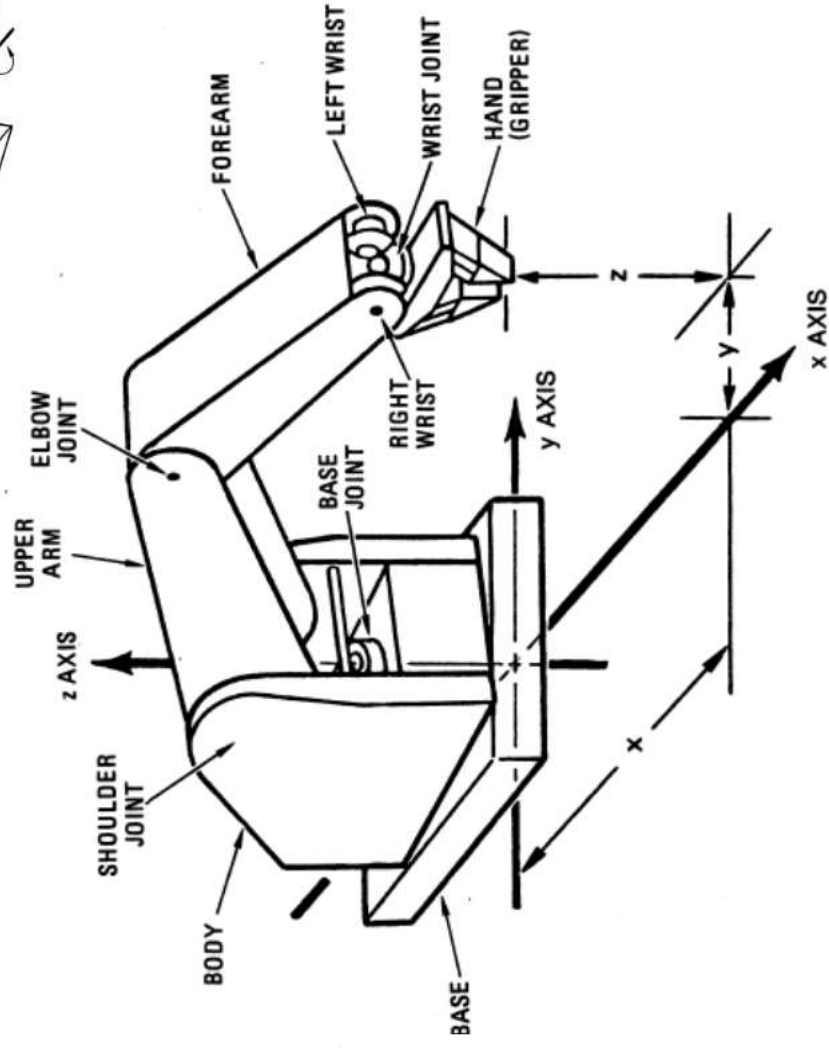
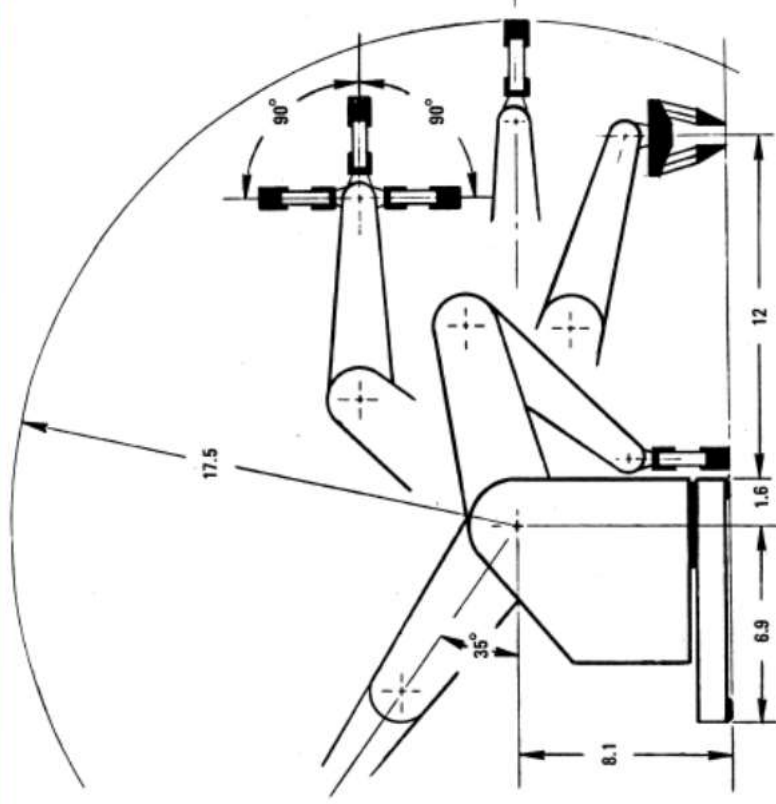
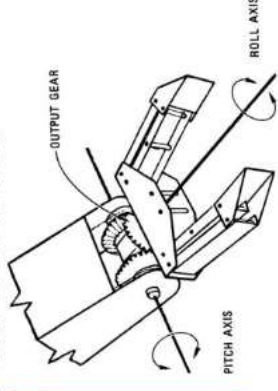
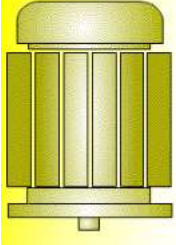


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Microbot Mechanical Construction



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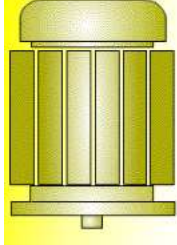


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General Specification of Microbot



- Configuration : 5 revolution axes and integral hand
- Drive : Electric stepper motor
- Controller : 6502A Microprocesor with 4K bytes of EPROM and 1 K bytes of RAM located in base of unit.
- Interface : Dual RS-232C asynchronous serial communications interfaces (baudrate is switch-selectable between 110, 150, 300, 600, 1200, 2400, 4800, and 9600 bps)
- Teach control : 14 key 13 function keyboard; 5 output and 7 input bits under computer control

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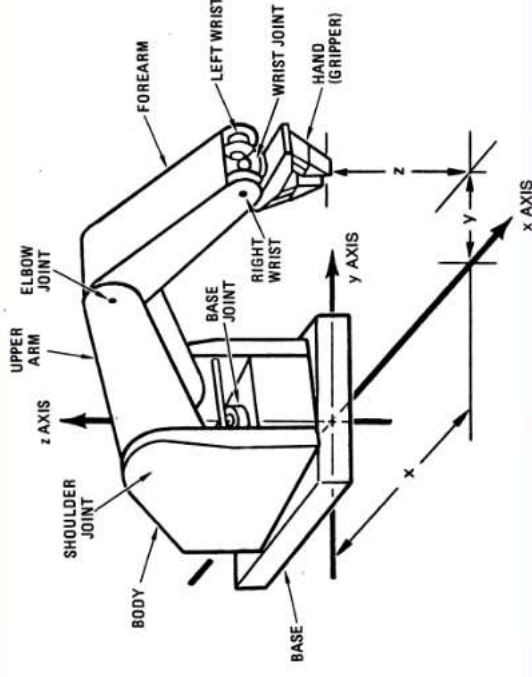


Microbot Specification



MOTOR STEPS AND JOINT ROTATIONS

MOTOR	JOINT	STEPS PER DEGREE	STEPS PER RADIAN
1	Base	19.64	1125
2	Shoulder	19.64	1125
3	Elbow	11.55	672
4	Right wrist	4.27	241
5	Left wrist	4.27	241



Motion	Max range of motion	Speed(full load)	Speed (No load)
Base	$\pm 90^\circ$	0.37 rad/sec	0.42 rad/sec
Shoulder	$+144^\circ, -35^\circ$	0.15 rad/sec	0.36 rad/sec
Elbow	$+0^\circ, -149^\circ$	0.23 rad/sec	0.82 rad/sec
Wrist Roll	$\pm 360^\circ$	1.31 rad/sec	2.02 rad/sec
Wrist Pitch	$\pm 90^\circ$	1.31 rad/sec	2.02 rad/sec
Hand	0-3 in	8 lb/sec* (35n/sec)	(20mm/sec)

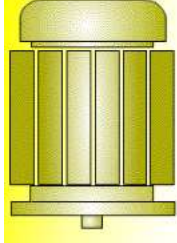
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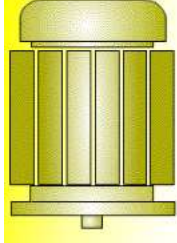


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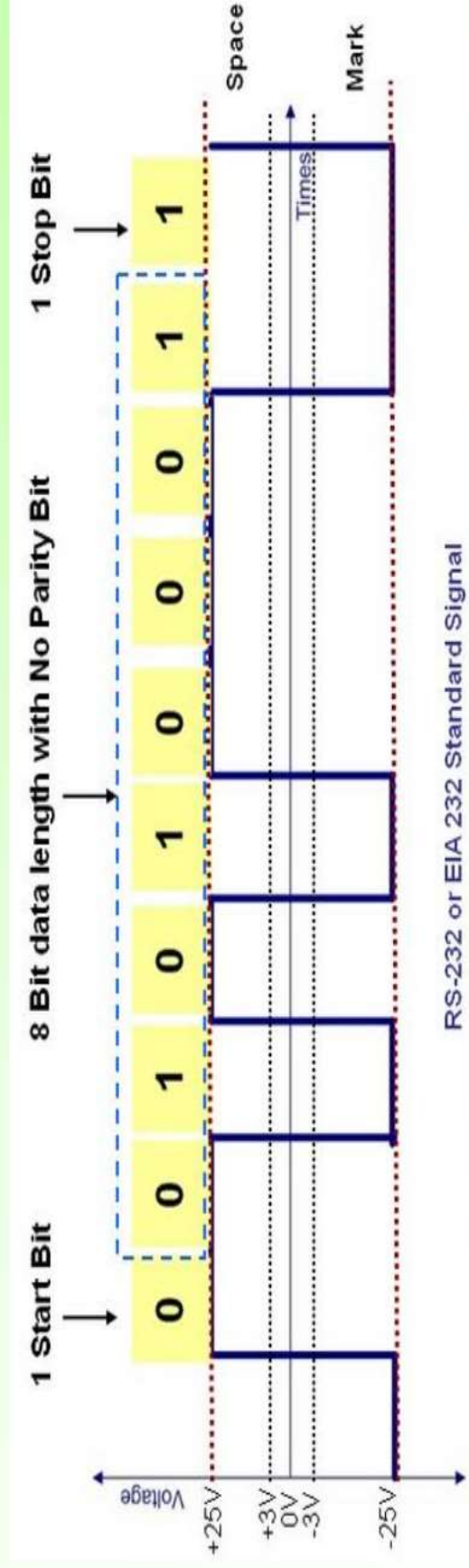
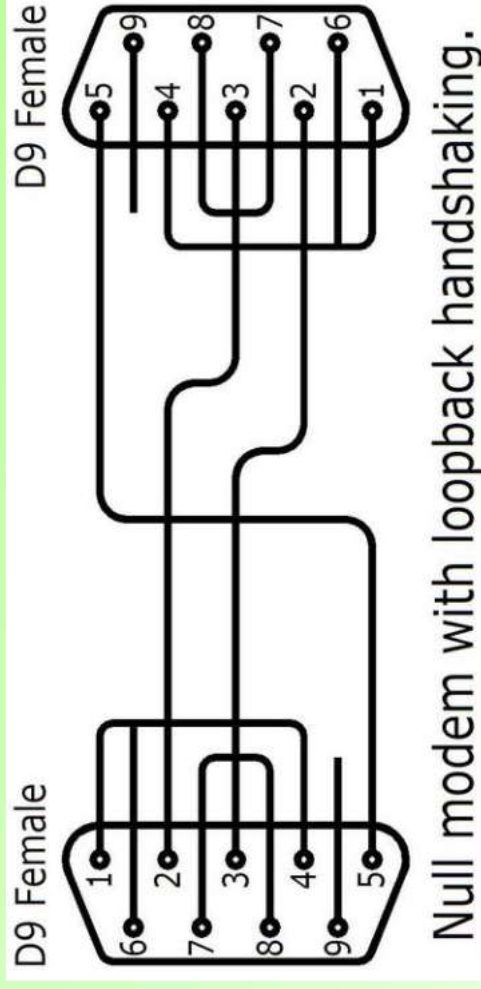
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Serial Communication



- Electrical Connections
- Baud rate = 9600 bps
- Parity = None
- Data bits = 8 bit
- Stop bit = 1





ASCII CODE



■ EXAMPLE

@ = 40 (Hexadecimal)
= 64 (Decimal)

SPACE = 20 H
= 32 D

CR = 0D HEXA
= 13 D

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	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
0	NULL	DLE	space	0	@	P	,	p
1	SOH	DC1 XON	!	1	A	Q	a	q
2	STX	DC2	"	2	B	R	b	r
3	ETX	DC3 XOFF	#	3	C	S	c	s
4	EOT	DC4	\$	4	D	T	d	t
5	ENQ	NAK	%	5	E	U	e	u
6	ACK	SYN	&	6	F	V	f	v
7	BEL	ETB	'	7	G	W	g	w
8	BS	CAN	(8	H	X	h	x
9	HT	EM)	9	I	Y	i	y
A	LF	SUB	*	:	J	Z	j	z
B	VT	ESC	+	;	K	[k	{
C	FF	FS	.	<	L	\	l	
D	CR	GS	-	=	M]	m	}
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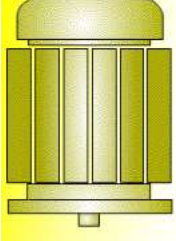


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Software Design



- Algorithm
 - Initialization port
 - Open serial port
 - Read command
 - Setup command format
 - Send command
 - Read feedback

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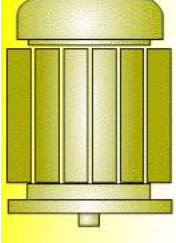


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Command Format



- **@STEP**
- The @STEP command causes all six of stepper motors to move simultaneously. The syntax of this command is:
- @STEP <SP>, <J1>, <J2>, <J3>, <J4>, <J5>, <J6>, <OUT>, <CR>
- Where:
 - <SP> gives the speed of motion (the value : 0 – 245)
 - <J1> to <J6> are the number of half- steps that each of the six motors is to be moved
 - <OUT> specifies the bit pattern to go to the user outputs
 - <CR> signifies carriage return

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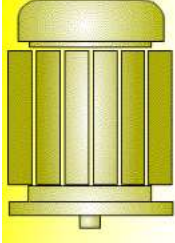


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Command Format



- **@READ**

This command is used to read the actual values of the internal position register. The syntax is:

@READ<CR>

The arm responds with [0<CR>] or [1<CR>] followed by a string of numbers:

<K1>, <K2>, <K3>, <K4>, <K5>, <K6>, <I><CR>

Where:

- <K1> to <K6> are the actual value of each register for stepper motor 1 to 6, <I> is the output value

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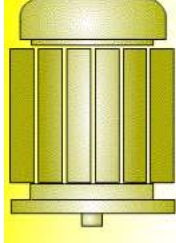


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Graphic User Interface Design




Microbot TCM

File Menu Setting Help

	Step Value	Degree Value	Step over		
Base	0	0	B-	B+	Clear
Shoulder	0	0	S-	S+	Read
Elbow	0	0	E-	E+	Reset
Right Wrist	0	0	P-	P+	Close Gripper
Left Wrist	0	0	R-	R+	
Gripper	0	0	G/o	G/c	
Speed	0				

Serial Init

Close



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Command

Response

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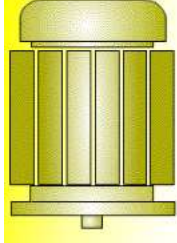
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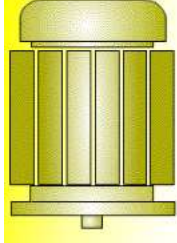
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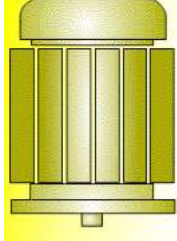


- Video
- Hardware and Software

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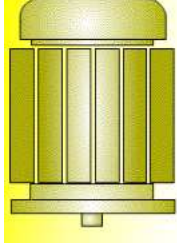


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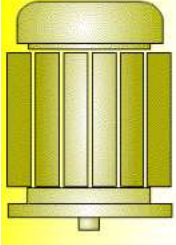
- Interfacing Microbot teachmover with a PC using serial communication interface has been succeed.

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