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Group 3S

Weekly Progress Report

Date: 9/26/16

Team Members:

- Thomas Bock
- Ammar Ahmed
- Tan Hua
- Jan Michael Golez

Group Meeting Minutes:

- Devise a Work Breakdown Structure to determine which individual is in charge of each part
- Construct a timeline to ensure a date is determined for the construction of each part
- Both hardware and software parts are determined and purchase for further additional enhancements on the CNC laser Machine

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Summary of Team Tasks Assigned:

1. Housing/Ventilation System
 - a. Examine Parts Needed for Ventilation System(e.g. cost of materials)
2. Stand Alone Management System(*S.A.M.S.*)
 - a. Research on RasPi3 capabilities with system interfacing with OpenCV through Python
 - b. Observe and Understand Octopi Software, helpful for design of CNC Laser Machine
3. Solitary Software System
 - a. Research the necessary software package that can be read in RasPi3
 - b. Understand how to connect a bridge between the software with the automated camera aspect.
4. Automated/Enhance Camera System
 - a. Begin Researching on OpenCV-Python
 - b. Research on different microcontrollers that is compatible with OpenCV-Python

Summary of Team Accomplishments:

1. Housing/Ventilation System
 - a) Parts have been examined, a group consent is required to further proceed with the materials
2. Stand Alone Management System
 - a) Compatibility of RasPi 3 with Python-Open CV confirmed through research
 - b) Software Program OctoPi provided detailing Program of CNC Laser Machine
3. Solitary Software Program
 - a) Python found most compatible between software, management system, and camera system
 - b) Begin Transcribing the language into Python
4. Automation/Enhance Camera System
 - a) Research on OpenCV-Python and installation of the software and libraries needed
 - b) Raspberry Pi3 was found to be the most compatible for making a connection between camera system and management system

Tasks Assigned for Next reporting period:

1. Housing/Ventilation System
 - a) Proceed discussion with parts and began redesigning enclosure/ventilation system
 - b)
2. Stand Alone Management System
 - a) Collaborate with Ammar to begin communication between camera system and RasPi3
 - b) Continue doing research on OctoPi
3. Solitary Software Program
 - a) Continue to transcribe language into Python
 - b) Help with bridging management system, Camera, and Software
4. Automation/Enhance Camera System
 - a) Purchase RasPi3

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b) Install OpenCV-Python in RasPi3

Issues:

1. No Issues

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Individual Summary (cont.)

Name: Thomas Bock

Tasks Assigned for this reporting period:

1. Examine Parts Needed for Ventilation System(e.g. cost of materials)

Accomplishments this reporting period:

1. Parts Examined for enhancement of Prototype CNC Machine

Issues:

1. None

Tasks Assigned for Next reporting period:

1. First Draft Design of Ventilation/Enclosure

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Individual Summary (cont.)

Name: Jan Michael Golez

Tasks Assigned for this reporting period:

1. Begin researching RasPi capabilities with system interfacing
2. Observe OctoPi software to have a better understanding of CNC Laser Machine

Accomplishments this reporting period:

1. Began research on Operating Systems Interacting with both the software and camera
2. OctoPi gave a better layout of CNC Laser Machine through the use of RasPi3

Issues:

1. None

Tasks Assigned for Next reporting period:

1. Begin collaboration with Ammar to ensure that the Camera System communicates properly with Open CV-Python
2. Get more familiar with OctoPi to better enhance the communication between software and management system

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Individual Summary (cont.)

Name: Tan Hua

Tasks Assigned for this reporting period:

1. Research the necessary software package that can be read in RasPi3
2. Understand how to connect a bridge between the software and the automated camera aspect.

Accomplishments this reporting period:

1. Python found most compatible between software, management system, and camera system
2. Begin Transcribing the language into Python

Issues:

1. None

Tasks Assigned for Next reporting period:

1. Continue to transcript language into Python
2. Help with bridging Management System, Camera, and Software

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Individual Summary (cont.)

Name: Ammar Ahmed

Tasks Assigned for this reporting period:

1. Begin Researching on OpenCV that use Python
2. Research on different microcontrollers compatibility with OpenCV in Python

Accomplishments this reporting period:

1. Research on OpenCV-Python and installation of the software and libraries needed
2. RaspberryPi3 was found to be the most compatible with OpenCV-Python

Issues:

1. None

Tasks Assigned for Next reporting period:

1. Purchase a RasPi3
2. Install OpenCV-Python in RasPi3