# Motor Abstraction Reference

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**CHAPTER** 

ONE

#### ABSTRACT MOTOR CLASS

class AbstractMotor(motor\_id, \*\*kwargs)

Bases: abc.ABC

#### **Abstract Motor Class**

#### Required attributes:

• motor\_id Motor ID (hexadecimal or otherwise). This is used both for low level communication and to refer to individual motors in communication with the user.

#### Recommended attributes:

• motor Motor object containing methods for low-level motor control. It may be provided by the user or by a library. For further reference consider the T-Motor AK80-6 and AK80-9 interfaces provided by mini-cheetah-tmotor-python-can (pip).

```
__getattribute__(name)
```

#### Override attribute retrieval.

Conduct motor configuration validation at attribute retrieval time, and apply boilerplate to communicate the motor's state after all commands and provide the user with logs.

#### 1. Motor configuration validation

- Ensure motor instance has all required attributes
- Ensure motor instance has a declared rest\_state before calling any function other than \_\_init\_\_ or rest\_state

#### 2. Function boilerplate

- Push motor state via provided communication protocol after all motor commands
- Log motor disabling

```
__getattr__ (name)
Retrieve unknown attributes from motor controller.
_command (fn_command, *args, **kwargs)
_disable (fn_disable, *args, **kwargs)
```

```
rest_state (x_r)
    Set rest state
abstract __init__ (motor_id, **kwargs)
    Abstract Motor Class
```

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```
abstract enable()
   Enable motor
abstract zero()
   Zero at current motor position
abstract rest()
   Rest position command
abstract command(u)
   Motor command
abstract disable()
   Disable motor
 _abstractmethods__ = frozenset({'__init__', 'command', 'disable',
'enable', 'rest', 'zero'})
 _dict__ = mappingproxy({'__module__':
'motor_abstraction.abstract_motor', '__getattribute__': <function
AbstractMotor.__getattribute__>, '__getattr__': <function
AbstractMotor.__getattr__>, '_command': <function
AbstractMotor._command>, '_disable': <function
AbstractMotor._disable>, 'rest_state': <function
AbstractMotor.rest_state>, '__init__': <function
AbstractMotor.__init__>, 'enable': <function AbstractMotor.enable>,
'zero': <function AbstractMotor.zero>, 'rest': <function</pre>
AbstractMotor.rest>, 'command': <function AbstractMotor.command>,
'disable': <function AbstractMotor.disable>, '__dict__': <attribute
  _dict__' of 'AbstractMotor' objects>, '__weakref__': <attribute
 _weakref__' of 'AbstractMotor' objects>, '__doc__': None,
'__abstractmethods__': frozenset({'__init__', 'enable', 'rest',
'command', 'zero', 'disable'}), '_abc_impl': <_abc_data object>,
'__annotations__': {}})
```

```
__module__ = 'motor_abstraction.abstract_motor'
     __slots__ = ()
    __weakref__
        list of weak references to the object (if defined)
    _abc_impl = <_abc_data object>
class Protocol(*args, **kwargs)
    Bases: abc.ABC
    Initialize communication protocol for individual device
    ___init___(*args, **kwargs)
        Initialize communication protocol for individual device
    abstract generate_bindings(*args, **kwargs)
        Generate bindings
    abstract push(*args, **kwargs)
    abstract pull(*args, **kwargs)
      _abstractmethods__ = frozenset({'generate_bindings', 'pull',
    'push'})
     _dict__ = mappingproxy({'__module__':
    'motor_abstraction.communicator', '__init__': <function</pre>
    Protocol.__init__>, 'generate_bindings': <function</pre>
    Protocol.generate_bindings>, 'push': <function Protocol.push>,
    'pull': <function Protocol.pull>, '__dict__': <attribute '__dict__'
    of 'Protocol' objects>, '__weakref__': <attribute '__weakref__' of
    'Protocol' objects>, '__doc__': None, '__abstractmethods__':
    frozenset({'pull', 'push', 'generate_bindings'}), '_abc_impl':
    <_abc_data object>, '__annotations__': {}})
    __module__ = 'motor_abstraction.communicator'
    __slots__ = ()
    __weakref__
        list of weak references to the object (if defined)
    _abc_impl = <_abc_data object>
class lcm (topic, freq, generate bindings=False)
    Bases: motor_abstraction.communicator.Protocol
```

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Initialize LCM protocol for individual device

```
___init__ (topic, freq, generate_bindings=False)
    Initialize LCM protocol for individual device
generate_bindings(*args, **kwargs)
    Generate bindings
push (content)
pull (content)
__abstractmethods__ = frozenset({})
__annotations__ = {}
__dict__ = mappingproxy({'__module__':
'motor_abstraction.communicator', '__init__': <function</pre>
lcm.__init__>, 'generate_bindings': <function lcm.generate_bindings>,
'push': <function lcm.push>, 'pull': <function lcm.pull>, '__doc__':
None, '__abstractmethods__': frozenset(), '_abc_impl': <_abc_data
object>, '__annotations__': {}})
__module__ = 'motor_abstraction.communicator'
__slots__ = ()
__weakref__
    list of weak references to the object (if defined)
_abc_impl = <_abc_data object>
```

**CHAPTER** 

TWO

#### MOTOR CONFIGURATION LOAD

```
load (robot)
mjbots (robot)
    mjbots motor configuration
       1. Create transport with all
exception _AddendumException (msg, add=", lst=[], ind='')
    Bases: Exception
    Exception with addendum for user guidance.
    __init__ (msg, add=", lst=[], ind=' ')
     cause
         exception cause
     __context__
         exception context
     __delattr__(name,/)
         Implement delattr(self, name).
     __dict__ = mappingproxy({'__module__':
     'motor_abstraction.utils.exceptions', '__doc__': '\n Exception with
    addendum for user guidance.\n ', '__init__': <function
    _AddendumException.__init__>, '__weakref__': <attribute '__weakref__'
    of '_AddendumException' objects>, '__annotations__': {}})
     __getattribute__(name,/)
         Return getattr(self, name).
     __module__ = 'motor_abstraction.utils.exceptions'
     __new__ (**kwargs)
     __reduce___()
         Helper for pickle.
```

```
__repr__()
         Return repr(self).
     __setattr__(name, value, /)
         Implement setattr(self, name, value).
     __setstate__()
     __str__()
         Return str(self).
     __suppress_context__
     traceback
     __weakref__
         list of weak references to the object (if defined)
     args
     with_traceback()
         Exception.with_traceback(tb) - set self.__traceback__ to tb and return self.
exception ConfigurationError (msg, add=", lst=[], ind='')
     Bases: motor_abstraction.utils.exceptions._AddendumException
     Raised when configuration errors are detected.
     __annotations__ = {}
     __cause__
         exception cause
     __context__
         exception context
     __delattr__(name,/)
         Implement delattr(self, name).
      __dict__ = mappingproxy({'__module__':
     \verb|'motor_abstraction.utils.exceptions', '\__doc\__': \ \verb|'\n Raised when| \\
     configuration errors are detected.\n ', '__annotations__': {}})
     __getattribute__ (name, /)
         Return getattr(self, name).
     __init__ (msg, add=", lst=[], ind=' ')
     __module__ = 'motor_abstraction.utils.exceptions'
     __new__ (**kwargs)
```

```
__reduce__()
        Helper for pickle.
    __repr__()
        Return repr(self).
    __setattr__ (name, value, /)
        Implement setattr(self, name, value).
     __setstate__()
    __str__()
        Return str(self).
    __suppress_context__
    __traceback__
    __weakref__
        list of weak references to the object (if defined)
    args
    with_traceback()
        Exception.with_traceback(tb) - set self.__traceback__ to tb and return self.
exception SafetyException (msg, add=", lst=[], ind=' ')
    Bases: motor_abstraction.utils.exceptions._AddendumException
    Raised when operational safety is compromised.
     \_annotations\_ = {}
    __cause__
        exception cause
    __context__
        exception context
    __delattr__(name,/)
        Implement delattr(self, name).
      _dict__ = mappingproxy({'__module__':
    operational safety is compromised.\n', '__annotations__': {}})
    __getattribute__ (name, /)
        Return getattr(self, name).
    __init__ (msg, add=", lst=[], ind=' ')
    __module__ = 'motor_abstraction.utils.exceptions'
```

```
__new__ ( **kwargs)
     __reduce__()
          Helper for pickle.
     __repr__()
          Return repr(self).
     __setattr__ (name, value, /)
          Implement setattr(self, name, value).
     __setstate__()
     __str__()
          Return str(self).
     __suppress_context__
     __traceback__
     __weakref__
          list of weak references to the object (if defined)
     args
     with_traceback()
          Exception.with_traceback(tb) - set self.__traceback__ to tb and return self.
{\tt fallback\_disable}\,(goal)
shout_error(error)
{\tt shout\_disabled}(motor)
```

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