



2.12/2.120 Introduction to Robotics *Lab 7 Intro*

March 23&24, 2023

Today's Tasks



- **Term project (first hour):**
 - Strategy planning and detailed design.
- **Lab 7 – Mobile robot path tracking using odometry:**
 - Odometry and differential motion
 - Estimate robot's change in pose using the encoders in the motors of the wheels.
 - Move the robot using delta pose.
 - Path planning and implementation.

Motor Drive Components



goBILDA 5203 Planetary Gear 12V DC Motor

<https://www.gobilda.com/5203-series-yellow-jacket-planetary-gear-motor-19-2-1-ratio-24mm-length-8mm-rex-shaft-312-rpm-3-3-5v-encoder/>

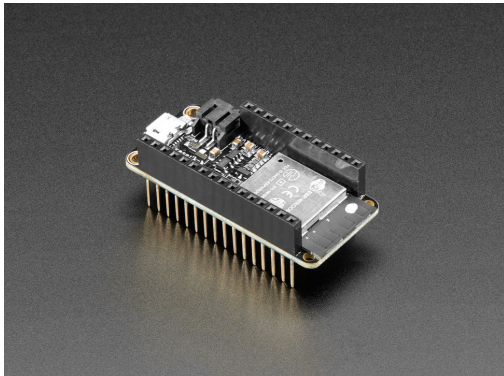


Patents Pending

- 12VDC
- Reduction Ratio: 19.2:1
- Rated Torque: 24.3 kgf-cm
- Rated Speed: 312 RPM

Adafruit HUZZAH32 – ESP32 Feather Board

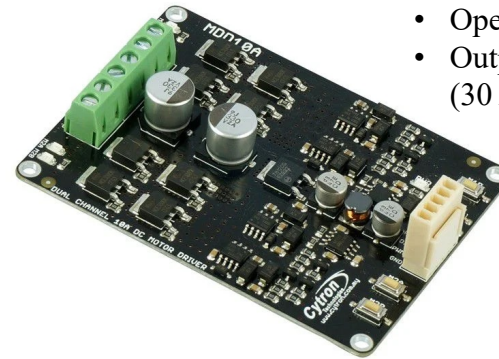
<https://www.adafruit.com/product/3619>



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Cytron 10Amp 5V-30V DC Motor Driver (2 Channels)

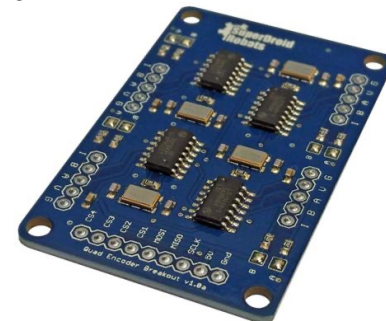
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- Operating voltage range: 5 – 30 V
- Output current: 10 A continuous (30 A peak) per motor

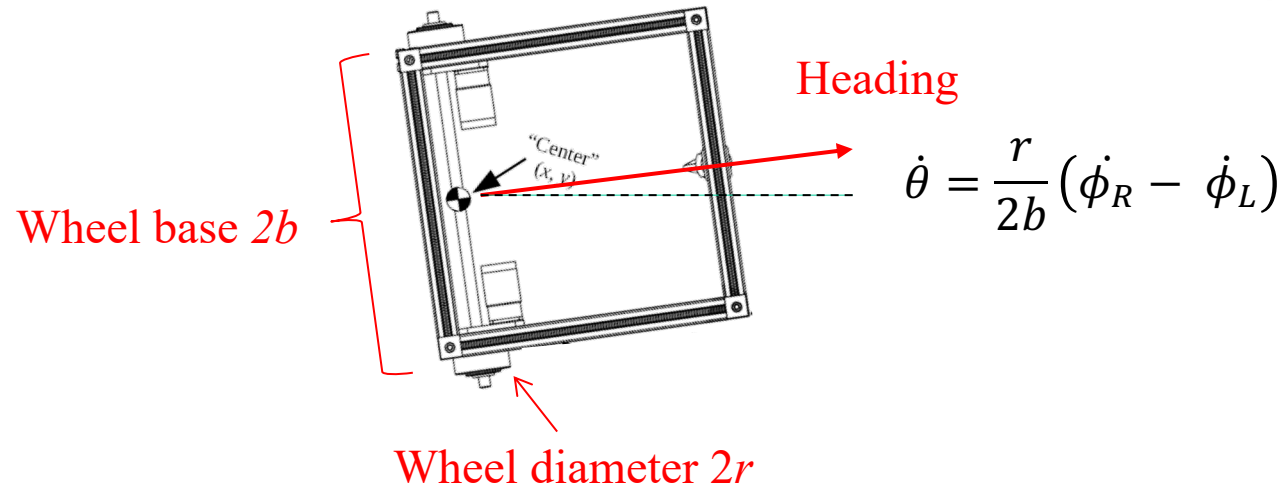
SuperDroid Quadruple LS7366R Quadrature Encoder Buffer

<https://www.superdroidrobots.com/store/robot-parts/electrical-parts/encoders-accessories/buffer-pull-up-boards/product=2418>



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Differential Motion and Mapping



$$\begin{aligned} \theta(t) &= \theta(t - \Delta T) + \begin{bmatrix} \frac{r}{2b} & -\frac{r}{2b} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \Delta\phi_R(t) \\ \Delta\phi_L(t) \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \theta(t - \Delta T) + \frac{r}{2b} (\Delta\phi_R(t) - \Delta\phi_L(t)) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} x(t) \\ y(t) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x(t - \Delta T) \\ y(t - \Delta T) \end{bmatrix} + \underbrace{\frac{r}{2} \begin{bmatrix} \cos\theta(t) & \sin\theta(t) \\ \sin\theta(t) & \cos\theta(t) \end{bmatrix}}_{\mathbf{J}} \begin{bmatrix} \Delta\phi_R(t) \\ \Delta\phi_L(t) \end{bmatrix}$$

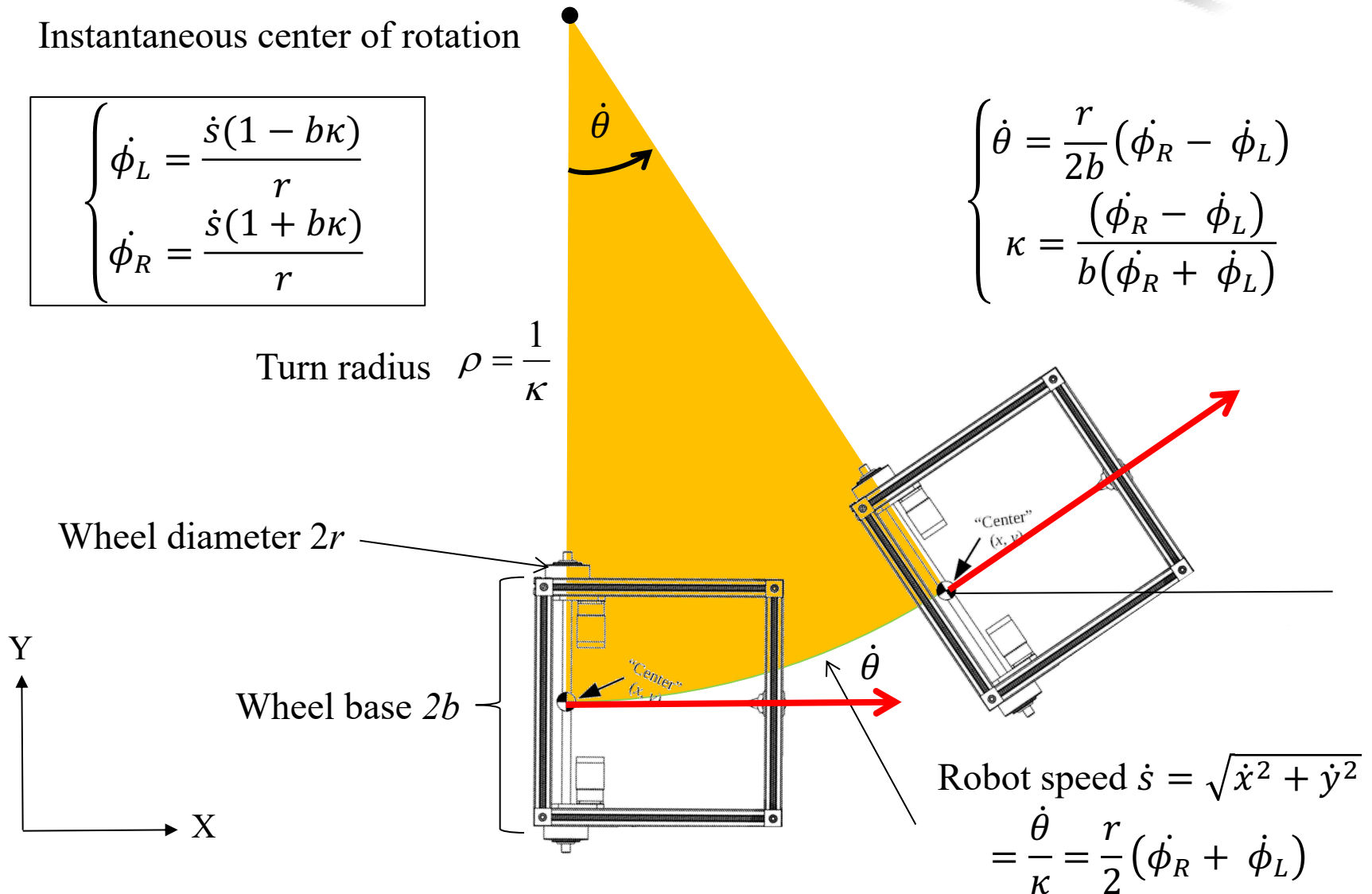
Vehicle Kinematics

Instantaneous center of rotation

$$\begin{cases} \dot{\phi}_L = \frac{\dot{s}(1 - b\kappa)}{r} \\ \dot{\phi}_R = \frac{\dot{s}(1 + b\kappa)}{r} \end{cases}$$

Turn radius $\rho = \frac{1}{\kappa}$

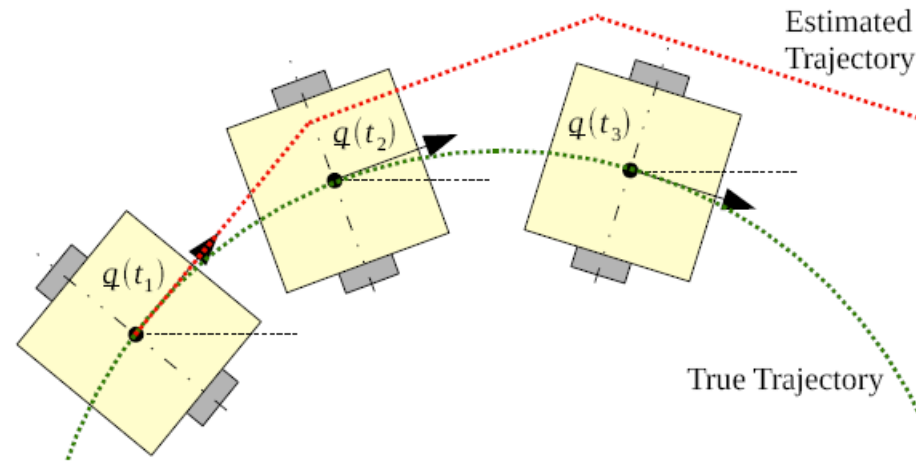
$$\begin{cases} \dot{\theta} = \frac{r}{2b}(\dot{\phi}_R - \dot{\phi}_L) \\ \kappa = \frac{(\dot{\phi}_R - \dot{\phi}_L)}{b(\dot{\phi}_R + \dot{\phi}_L)} \end{cases}$$



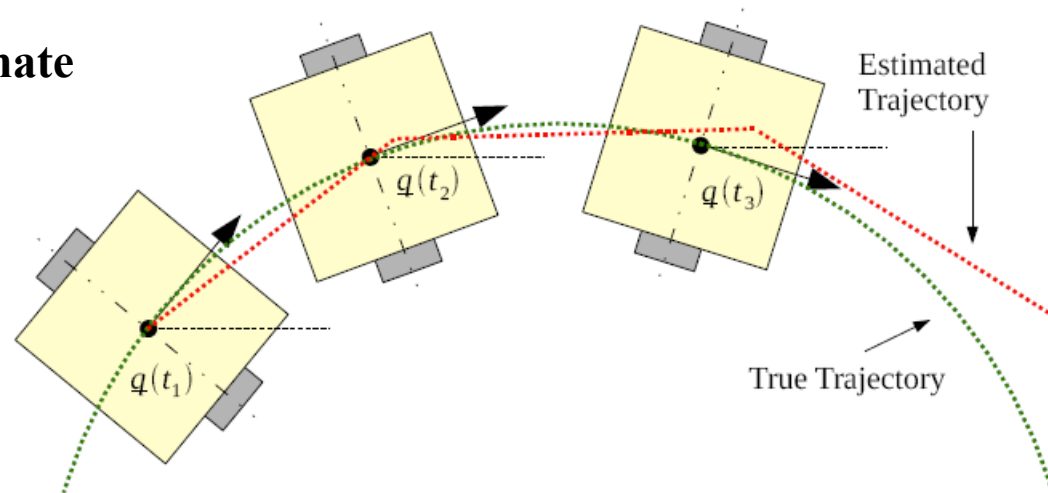
Dead Reckoning Estimate

Numerically integrate wheel velocities to estimate the vehicle's pose at any point in time.

Euler or Tangent Estimate

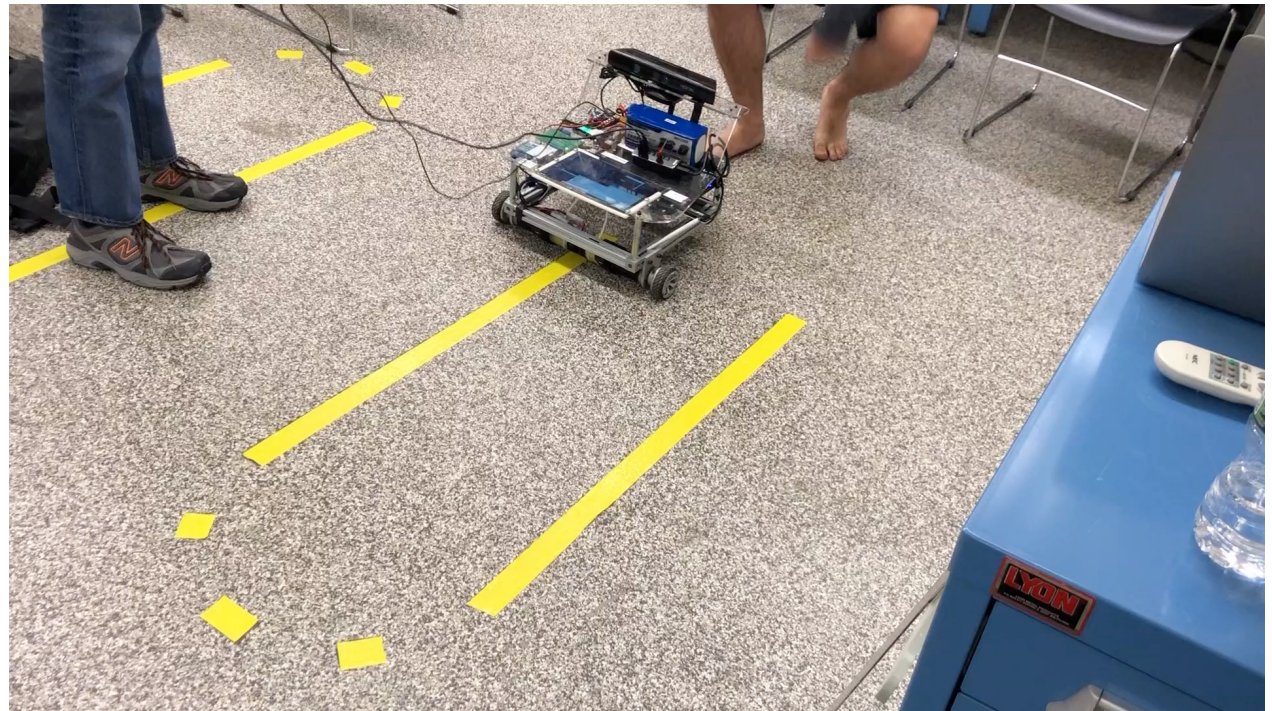
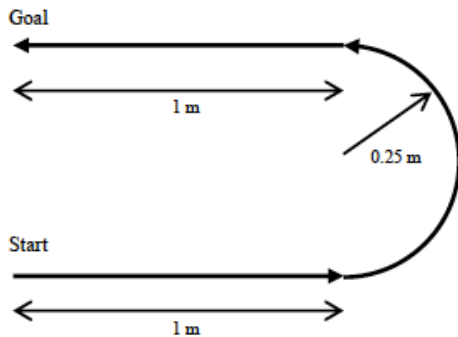


Trapezoid or Secant Estimate



Vehicle Navigation

- Implement feed-forward trajectory control of a wheeled vehicle using vehicle kinematics.
- Write code to command the vehicle to follow a U-shaped trajectory.



Code Files and Deliverable



- **Code files in GitHub:**
https://github.com/mit212/mobile_robot_2023.
- **Ask a lab staff for check-off when you are done.**
- **Term project:**
 - Design review (April 6&7): 15-minute presentation with slides
 - Overall strategy
 - Design sketches, CAD
 - Additional sensors, actuators, components,...
 - Software implementation plan