Power_Consumption_Tests

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1 Power Consumption Tests

1.1 Object

• Figure out power consumption.

2 Code:

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In [1]: import GCode
        import GRBL
        cnc = GRBL.GRBL(port="/dev/cnc_3018")
        print("Laser Mode: {}".format(cnc.laser_mode))
        from enum import IntEnum
        class Tool(IntEnum):
            SPINDLE = 0
            LASER = 1
        from enum import IntEnum
        class LaserPower(IntEnum):
            CONSTANT = 0
            DYNAMIC = 1
        LaserPower.CONSTANT
        def init(power = LaserPower(0), feed = 200, laser = 25):
            program = GCode.GCode()
            program.G21() # Metric Units
            program.G91() # Absolute positioning.
            program.G1(F=feed) #
            if power==LaserPower.CONSTANT:
                program.M3(S=laser) # Laser settings
            else:
                program.M4(S=laser) # Laser settings
            return program
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def end():
    program = GCode.GCode()
    program.M5() # Laser settings.
    return program

def square(size=20):
    program = GCode.GCode()
    program.G1(X=size)
    program.G1(Y=size)
    program.G1(Y=-size)
    program.G1(Y=-size)
    return program
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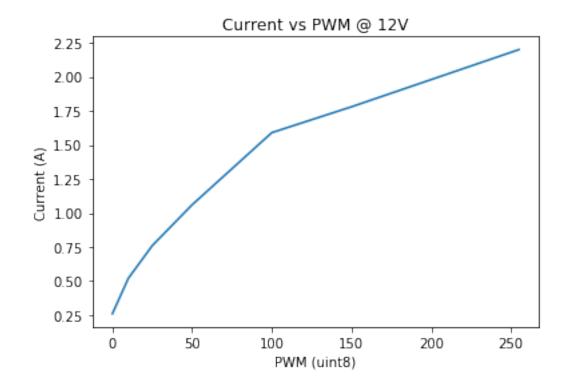
Laser Mode: None

2.1 Test Setup

Power Supply: - CicuitSpecialists CSI3010SW Position the paper & other things.

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In [24]: import numpy as np
         import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
In [28]: int(255) == np.uint8(255)
Out[28]: True
In [33]: def laser_on(pwm):
             if int(pwm) != np.uint8(pwm):
                 raise(Exception("UINT8! {}".format(pwm)))
             # Set minimal power setting to focus and position laser
             cnc.cmd("M3 S{:03d}".format(np.uint8(pwm)))
             cnc.cmd("G1 XO F10") # Laser On
         def laser_off():
             cnc.cmd("M5") # Laser off
In [32]: laser_on(1)
In [35]: laser_off()
In [64]: voltage = 12
         current = list()
         results = list()
         for laser_pwm in [0, 10, 25, 50, 100, 150, 200, 255]:
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result = dict()
             result["laser_pwm"] = laser_pwm
             result["voltage"] = voltage
             laser_on(laser_pwm)
             result["current"] = input("{}V. PWM: {}. Current Output (A):".format(voltage, laser_
             results.append(result)
         laser_off()
         results
12V. PWM: O. Current Output (A):.26
12V. PWM: 10. Current Output (A):.52
12V. PWM: 25. Current Output (A):.76
12V. PWM: 50. Current Output (A):1.06
12V. PWM: 100. Current Output (A):1.59
12V. PWM: 150. Current Output (A):1.78
12V. PWM: 200. Current Output (A):1.98
12V. PWM: 255. Current Output (A):2.20
Out[64]: [{'current': '.26', 'laser_pwm': 0, 'voltage': 12},
          {'current': '.52', 'laser_pwm': 10, 'voltage': 12},
          {'current': '.76', 'laser_pwm': 25, 'voltage': 12},
          {'current': '1.06', 'laser_pwm': 50, 'voltage': 12},
          {'current': '1.59', 'laser_pwm': 100, 'voltage': 12},
          {'current': '1.78', 'laser_pwm': 150, 'voltage': 12},
          {'current': '1.98', 'laser_pwm': 200, 'voltage': 12},
          {'current': '2.20', 'laser_pwm': 255, 'voltage': 12}]
In [65]: import json
         with open("power_consumption_12V.json", "w") as fid:
             print(json.dumps(results), file=fid)
In [66]: %matplotlib inline
In [67]: PWM = [result["laser_pwm"] for result in results]
         CURRENT = [result["current"] for result in results]
         plot = plt.plot(PWM, CURRENT)
         plt.xlabel("PWM (uint8)")
         plt.ylabel("Current (A)")
         plt.title("Current vs PWM @ {}V".format(voltage))
Out[67]: <matplotlib.text.Text at 0x7f5f172e2fd0>
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In [1]: from utils import picture
 picture()

