

FTC Control Systems + Java 101





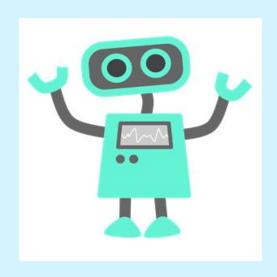
Outline

- Control Systems
 - REV
 - Modern Robotics
 - Phones and Phone Setup
- Programming Options and Setup
- Navigating Android Studios
- Java!
 - OpModes
 - Basics
 - Actuators
 - Teleop

What Am I Programming in FTC?

- Autonomous
 - Like FLL, robot must complete tasks on its own
 - Robot must make decisions on its own

- Teleop (Teleoperations)
 - Gamepad Controls
 - How do you want to control your robot with the gamepad?





Example Match



FTC Control System

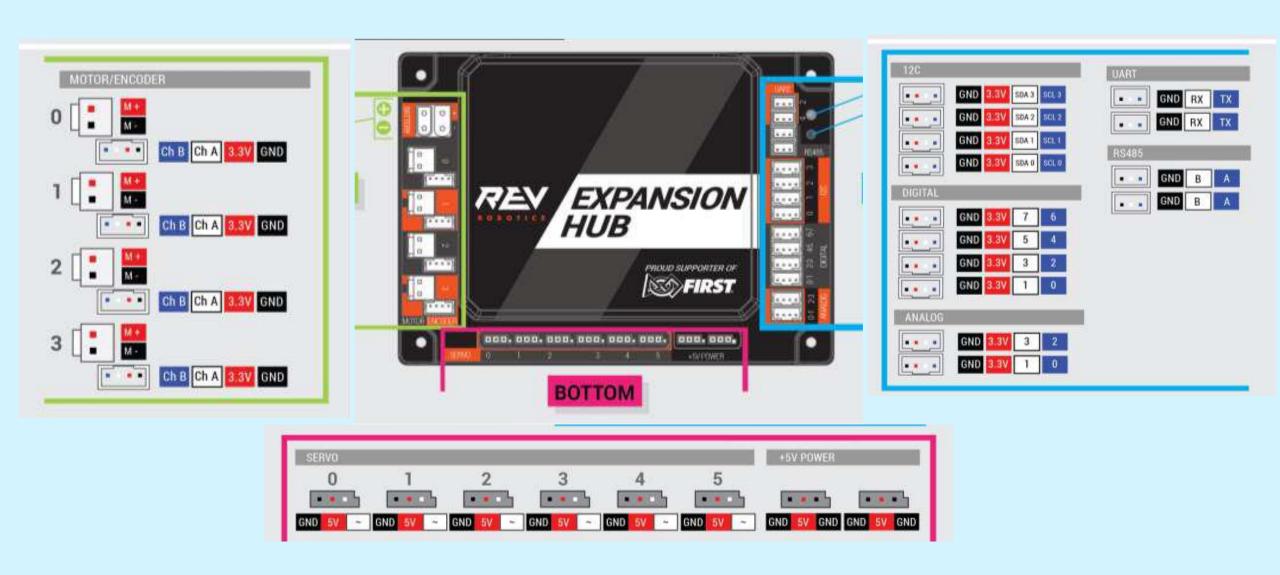
REV Robotics

- Expansion hub = hardware controller that can communicate with computers, Android tablets/phones
 - This is where you plug all your hardware in!
 - All ports (motor, sensor, servo) consolidated onto one hub
 - Up to 2 hubs per robot
- Servo Power Module
 - Specifically for servos
 - Up to 1 module

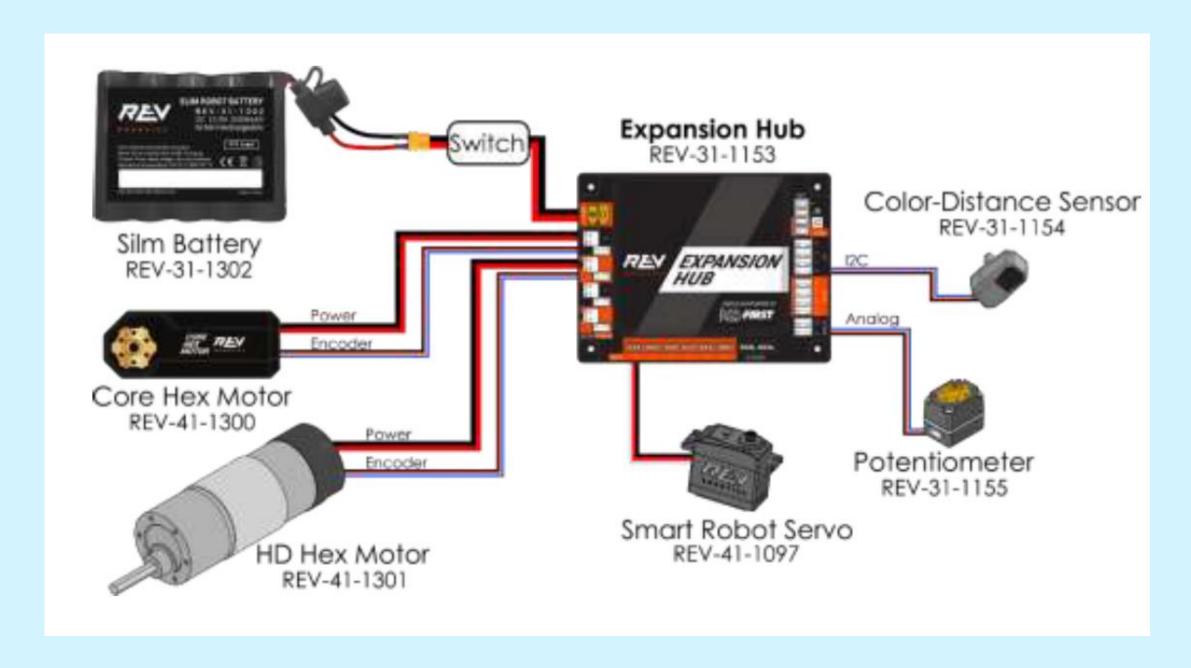






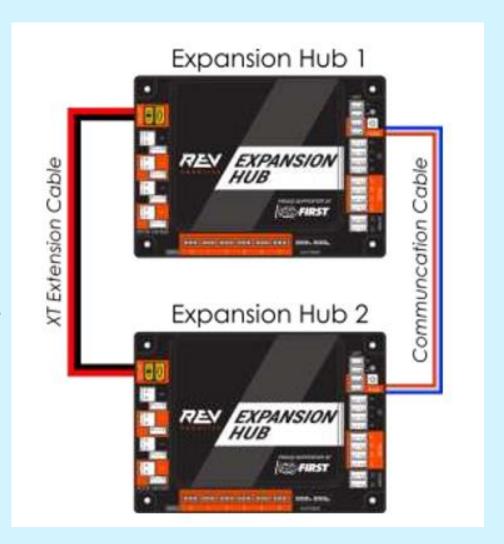


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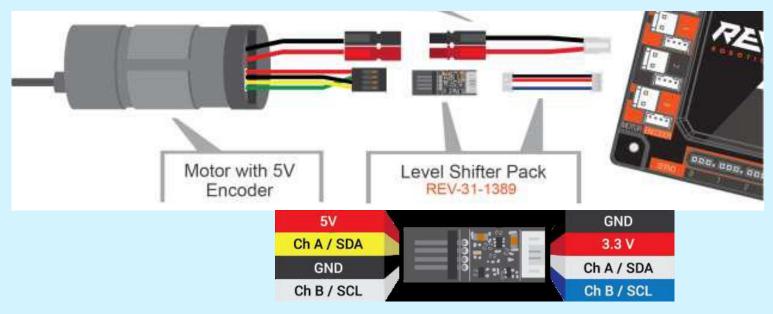
Using Multiple REV Hubs

- Daisy Chain
 - If using multiple REV hubs, must be connected with XTE cable and Communication cable RS485
- Change wifi addresses of one of the hubs
 - Advanced Settings in the app
 - Connect to computer and change through REV software



Level Shifter Required!

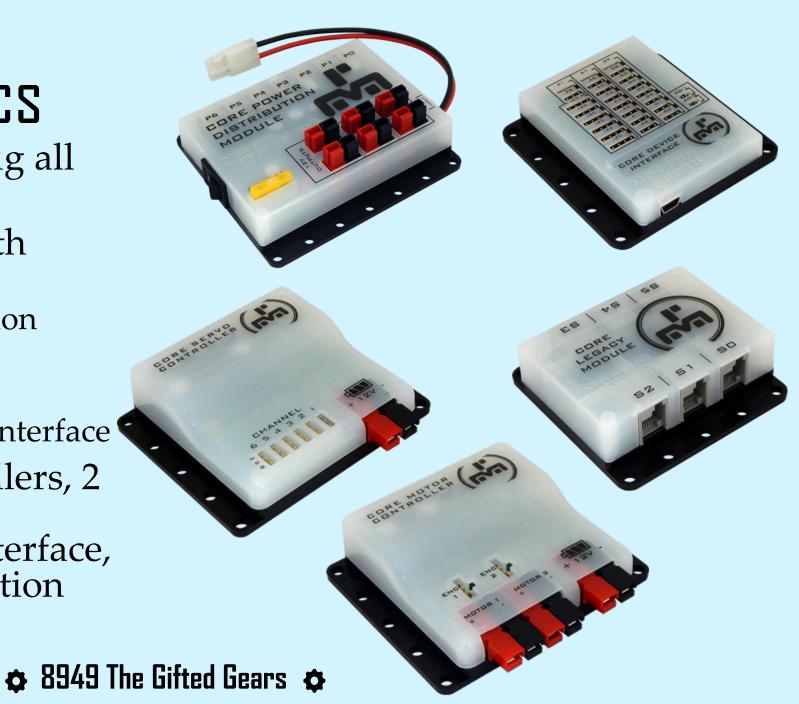
- REV Hub is incompatible with some motor encoders and sensors, need a level shifter to connect the two
 - REV hub is a 3.3V device, many encoders/sensors are 5V
 - For complete list of sensors/encoders that require level shifters, look it up on the REV website

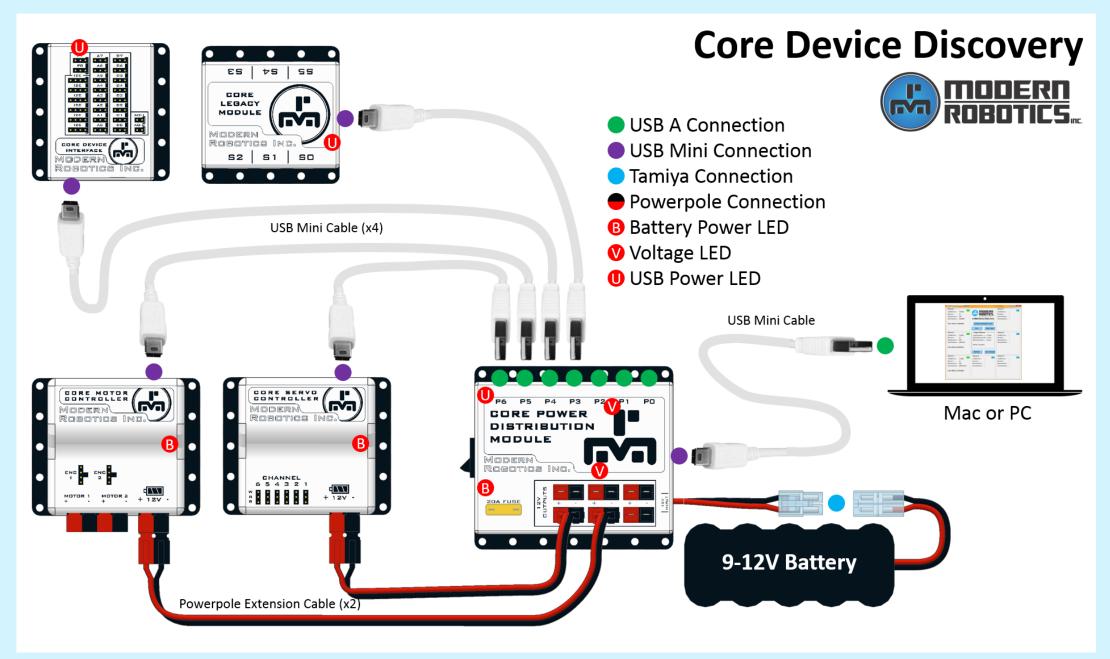


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Modern Robotics

- This is where you plug all your hardware in!
- Separate modules with different ports
 - Core power distribution
 - Motor
 - Servo
 - Legacy/Core Device Interface
- Up to 4 motor controllers, 2 servo controllers, 1 legacy/core device interface, 1 core power distribution





Comparison: REV and Modern Robotics

- REV
 - All ports (motor, sensor, servo) consolidated onto one hub
 - Up to 2 hubs and 1 servo
 - Built in IMU sensor
 - Level shifter required for encoders and some sensors



- Modern Robotics
 - Separate modules (power distribution, motor, servo, sensor)
 - Up to 4 motor, 2 servo, 1 sensor, 1 core power distribution
 - External IMU/gyro needed
 - No level shifter required



Phones

Overview

- Connects user input, hardware, and software
- 2 Android phones needed
 - Download respective apps (FTC Robot Controller, FTC Driver Station) from the Play Store
- Robot Controller
 - Connects to robot
 - Download program here
- Driver Station
 - Connects to gamepad(s)
 - Select, start, and stop programs
 - Monitor battery levels







How It All Works Together



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Legal Phones

- ZTE Speed
- Motorola Moto G 2nd Generation
- Motorola Moto G 3rd Generation
- Motorola Moto G4 Play
- Motorola Moto G5
- Motorola Moto E4
- Google Nexus 5
- Samsung Galaxy S5



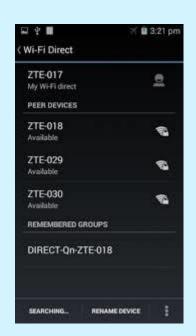


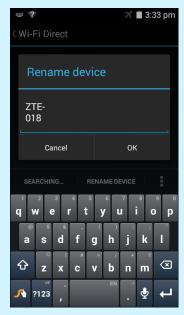




Phone Setup: Rename Phones

- MUST name with team number and –RC or DS (will not pass inspection otherwise!)
 - 12345-RC, 12345-DS
- Spare Android devices should be named with team number—A—RC/DS
 - 12345-A-RC, 12345-A-DS
- Settings > Wifi > Wifi Direct > Rename Device
 OR
- Go to app > 3 dots at the top right corner > Settings > RC/DS Name > Enter new name





Phone Setup: Connect RC + DS

• Settings > Wifi > Wifi Direct > Select name of the RC/DS you're pairing with > Accept invitation on the other phone

OR

• Go to app > 3 dots at the top right corner > Settings > Pair with RC/DS > Select name of the RC/DS you're pairing with > Accept invitation on the other phone



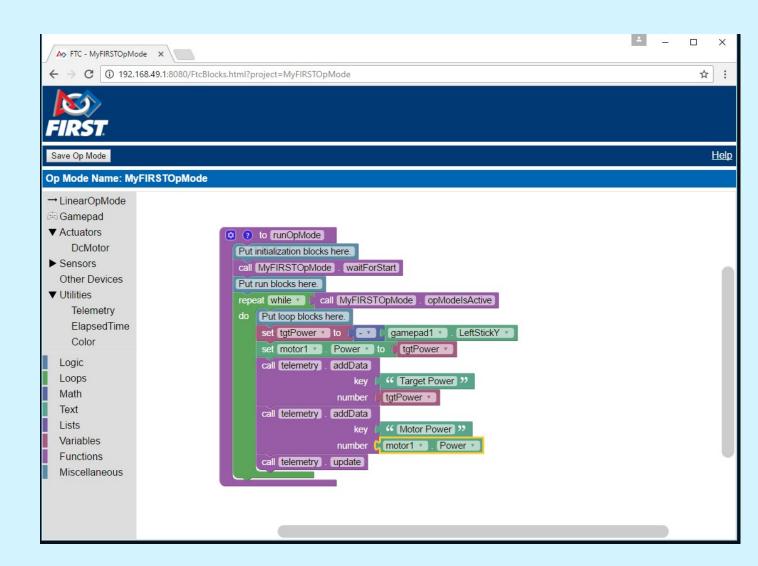
FTC Programming Setup

Available Programming Platforms

- Blocks
- OnBot Java
- Java

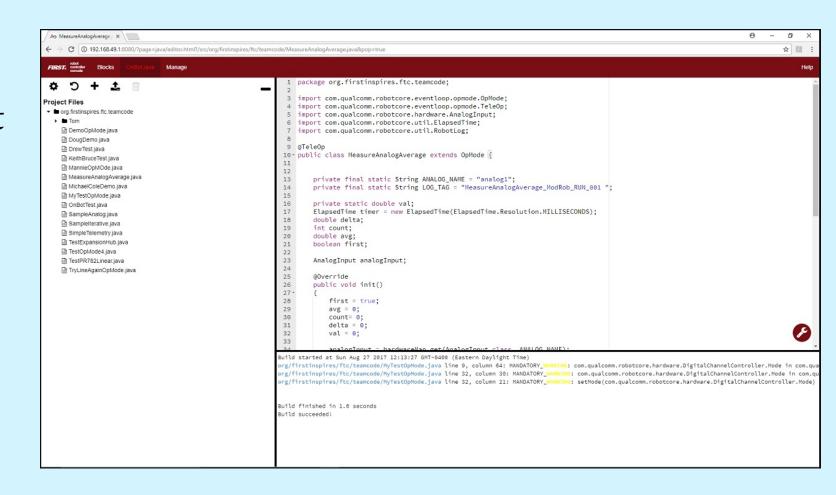
Blocks

- Web-based hosted by the RC
 - RC acts as server that you connect to and program on
- Visual, drag and drop
- No setup necessary



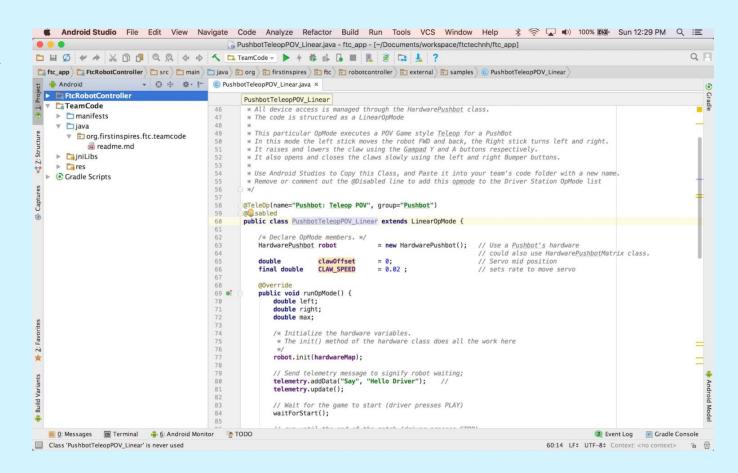
OnBot Java

- Object-oriented text based language
- Hosted on RC
- No setup necessary

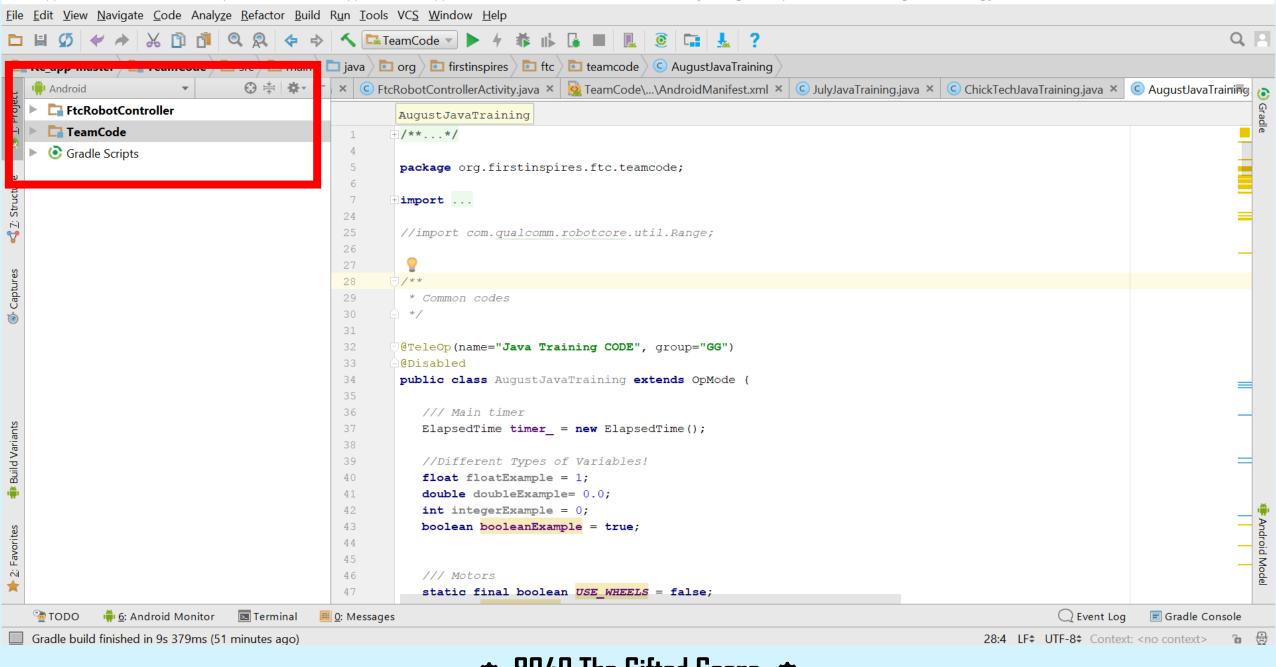


Java

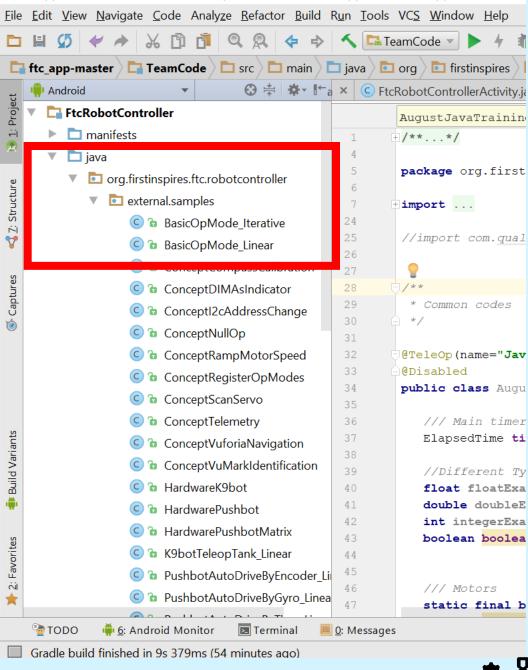
- Object-oriented text based language
- Setup required
 - Download your IDE (integrated development environment) Android Studios
 - Download FTC SDK (software development kit) from GitHub



Navigating Android Studios

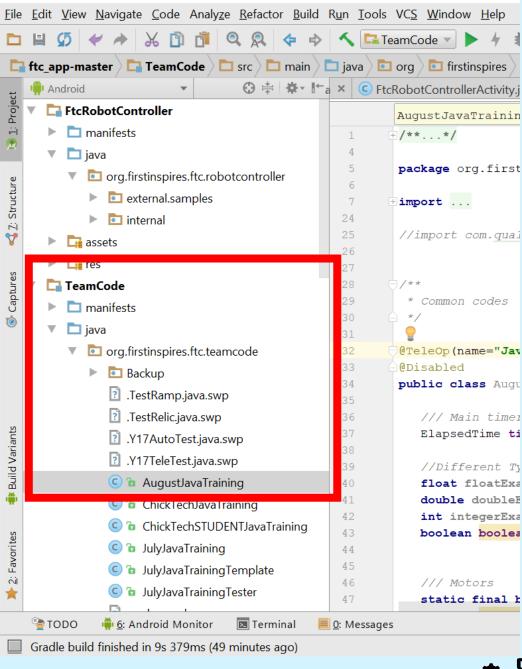


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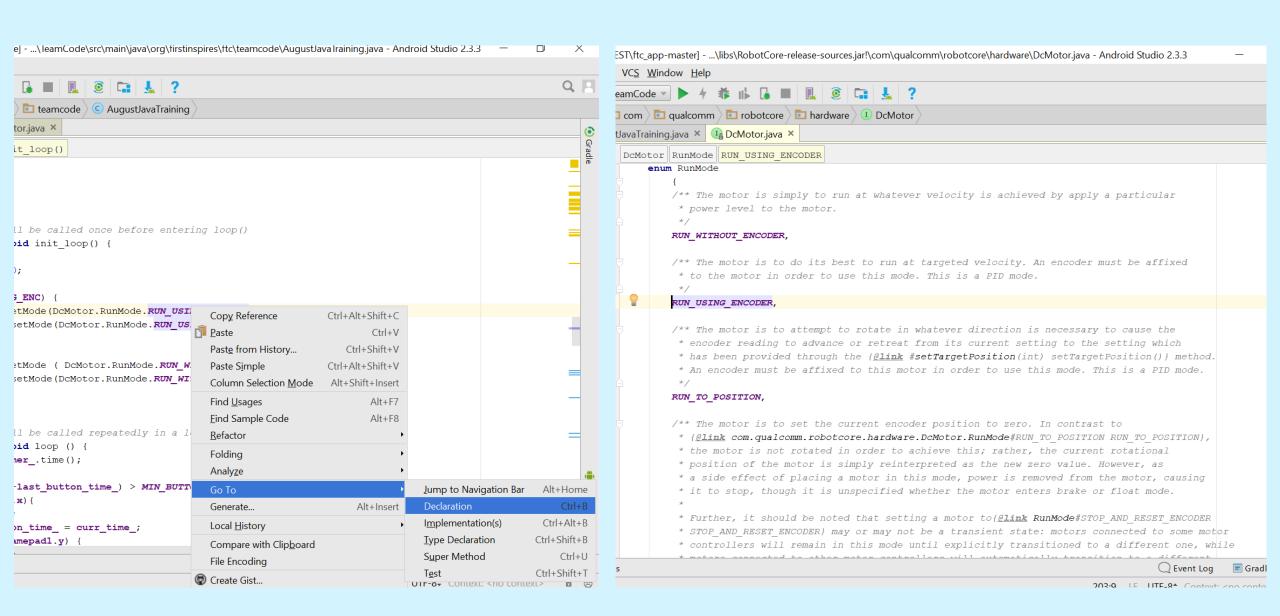
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- FtcRobotController > java
 - Tons of sample code!

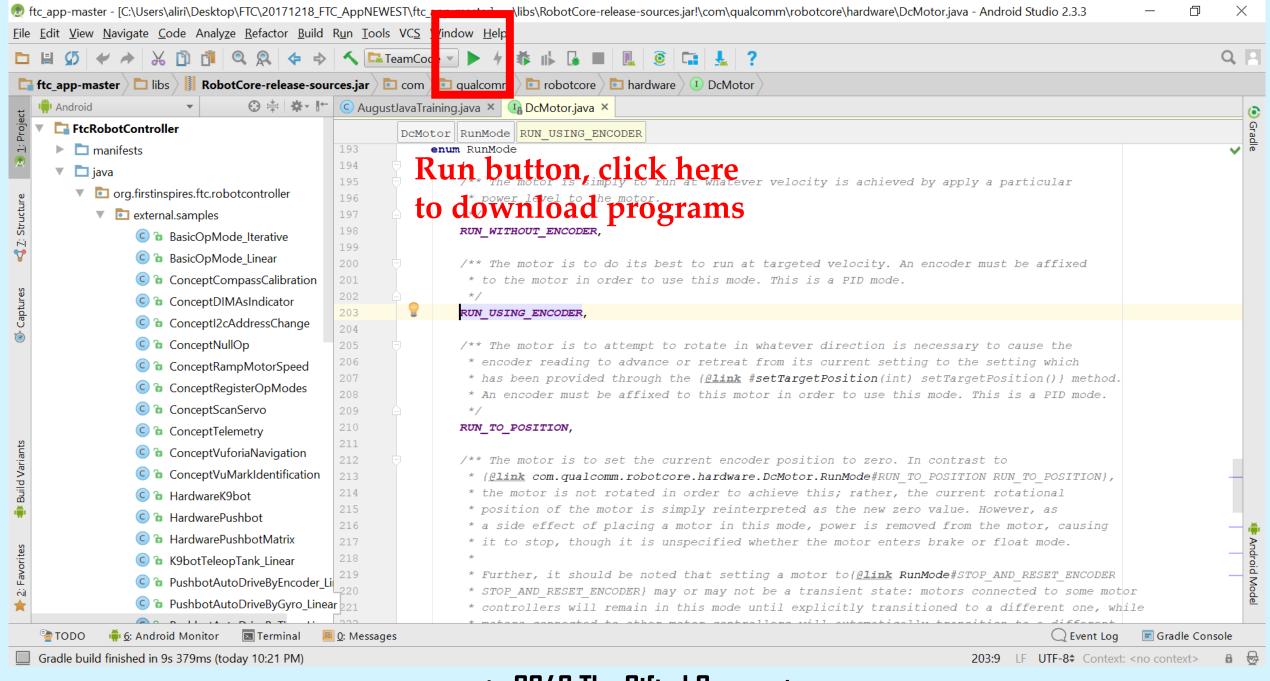


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- TeamCode > java
 - Your code goes here!



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OpModes



OpMode Run Structure

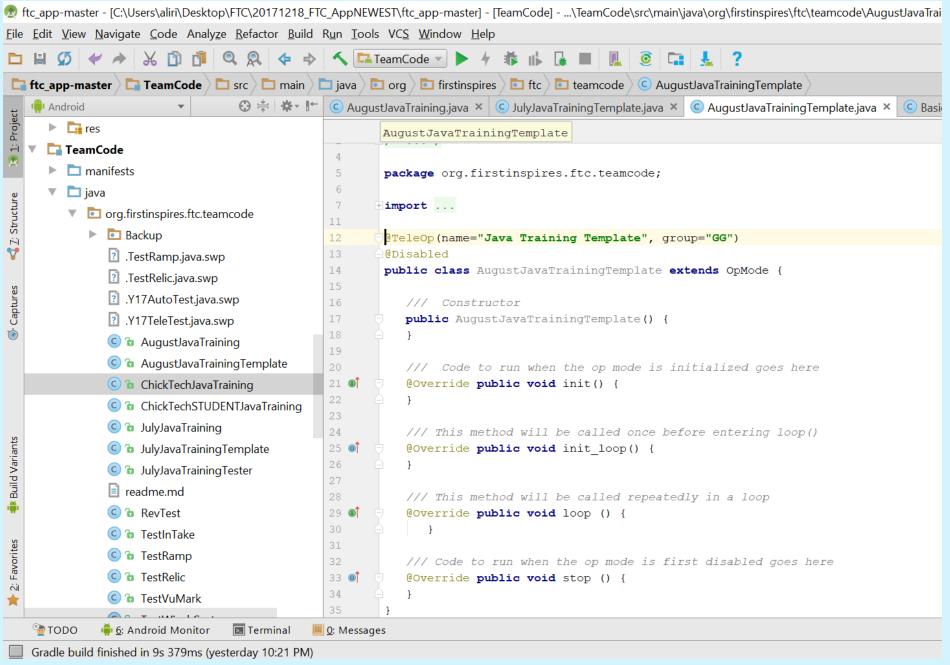
- Every program you create is an "OpMode"
 - Base class for user defined operation modes
 - Template for all your programs
 - Prewritten functions
- 2 different OpModes: LinearOpMode, OpMode
 - Differ in run cycle (how the program is run) and some of the tools you can use

LinearOpMode v. OpMode

- Code falls within 1 main function (runOpMode)
 - Once init is pressed, your code runs once from start to finish
- 5 main functions (init, init loop, start, loop, stop)
- Code in each function runs at different times
 - Once init is pressed, only code from init and init loop runs
 - Once play is pressed, code in start and loop runs
 - Code in stop function runs when stop is pressed

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                   public class BlankOpMode Linear extends LinearOpMode {
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                        public void runOpMode() {
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                            waitForStart();
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                            // run until the end of the match (driver presses STOP)
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                            while (opModeIsActive()) {
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OpMode Overview/Structure

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Java Basics

Syntax, General Guidelines

- Semicolons;
 - End of every argument
- Squiggly Brackets {}
 - Surround body of a class/function
 - Keep track of your brackets!
- Parentheses ()
 - Conditions, function parameters
- Ways of commenting
 - // asldfkj
 - /* asdlkfj */

Variables

```
//Different Types of Variables!
 float floatExample = 1.0f;
                                      To declare a variable:
 double doubleExample= 0.0;
                                      [type of variable] [name of variable] =
 int integerExample = 0;
                                      [value];
 boolean booleanExample = true;
 char charExample = 'a';
 String stringExample = "Hello!";
/// Motors
static final boolean USE WHEELS = false;
                                             "static final" = constant,
                                             cannot be updated later in the
```

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code

Control Flow Statements: If

```
if (gamepad1.y) {
       motorLeft_.setPower(power_motors);
       motorRight_.setPower(power_motors);
if ([insert condition]) {
[execute this code if condition is true,
if false, skip over this if statement and
execute the code after it]
```

Control Flow Statements: If, Else If

```
if (gamepad1.y) {
       motorLeft_.setPower(power_motors);
       motorRight .setPower(power motors);
    else if (gamepad1.a) {
       motorLeft .setPower(-power motors);
       motorRight_.setPower(-power_motors);
if ([insert condition]) {
        [do this]
else if ([insert different condition]) {
        [if 1st condition is false but 2nd
condition is true, do this]
```

Control Flow Statements: If, Else If, Else

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```
if (gamepad1.y) {
  motorLeft .setPower(power motors);
  motorRight .setPower(power motors);
else if (gamepad1.a) {
  motorLeft_.setPower(-power_motors);
  motorRight .setPower(-power motors);
else if (gamepad1.b || gamepad1.x) {
  motorLeft .setPower(-power motors);
  motorRight .setPower(power motors);
else if (gamepad1.left_bumper && gamepad1.right bumper) {
  motorLeft .setPower(power motors);
  motorRight .setPower(-power motors);
else {
  motorLeft .setPower(0.0);
                                     //MUY IMPORTANTE! SI
  motorRight .setPower(0.0);
                                    //SIN EMBARGO, TAMBI
```

```
if ([insert condition]) {
        [do this]
else if ([insert different condition]) {
        [if 1<sup>st</sup> condition is false but 2<sup>nd</sup>
condition is true, do this]
else {
        [none of the conditions above
are true, do this – no condition]
```

Math Functions + Conditionals

- Math Operations
 - + * / %
 - Shorthand: += -= *= /=
 - x += 1 equivalent to x = x + 1
 - When changing variable value/setting it equal to something, updated value is on LEFT
- Conditionals

```
• < <= >= >
```

```
• && || == !=
```

```
if (USE_RELIC) {
   double t = runtime.time(),
   if (t > last_button_time_ + 0.2) {
      if (gamepadl_dpad_up) {
         servo_relic_arm_pos_ += 0.02;
         last_button_time_ = t;
    } else if (gamepadl.dpad_down) {
        servo_relic_arm_pos_ -= 0.02;
    }
}
```

Functions

```
/// Code to run when the op mode is first disabled goes here
@Override public void stop () {
    motorLeft_.setZeroPowerBehavior (DcMotor.ZeroPowerBehavior.BRAKE);
    motorRight_.setZeroPowerBehavior (DcMotor.ZeroPowerBehavior.BRAKE);
}
To declare a function:
date type of return value] [name of function] ([insert function parameters, if any]) {
```

To declare a function:
[date type of return value] [name of function] ([insert function parameters, if any]) {
[what your function does]

```
return [value you're returning];
}
*** if there's no return value, put void in front of function name
```

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Motors

Overview

- 1. Pre-Init
 - 1. Declare motor and any variables associated with it
- 2. Init
 - 1. hardwareMap
 - 2. Reverse
- 3. Play
 - 1. setPower
 - 2. Range = -1 to 1

1. Declare Motor

```
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           /// Motors
           static final boolean USE WHEELS = false;
           DcMotor motorRight ;
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                                    To declare a motor:
           DcMotor motorLeft;
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                                    DcMotor [name of motor];
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           double power rf = 0.0;
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           double power lf = 0.0;
           double power motors = 0.1;
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           final static int ONE REV = 1120;
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           int sideLength = 0;
                                    To declare a variable:
58
                                    [type of variable] [name of variable] = [value];
           /// Servos
```

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2. Initialize Motor

```
/// Code to run when the op mode is initialized goes here
@Override public void init() {
    /// Use the hardwareMap to get the dc motors and servos by name.
    if( USE_WHEELS ) {
        motorLeft_ = hardwareMap.dcMotor.get("motor1"); //NAME IN QUOTES MUST MATCH CONFIG FILE
        motorRight_ = hardwareMap.dcMotor.get("motor2");

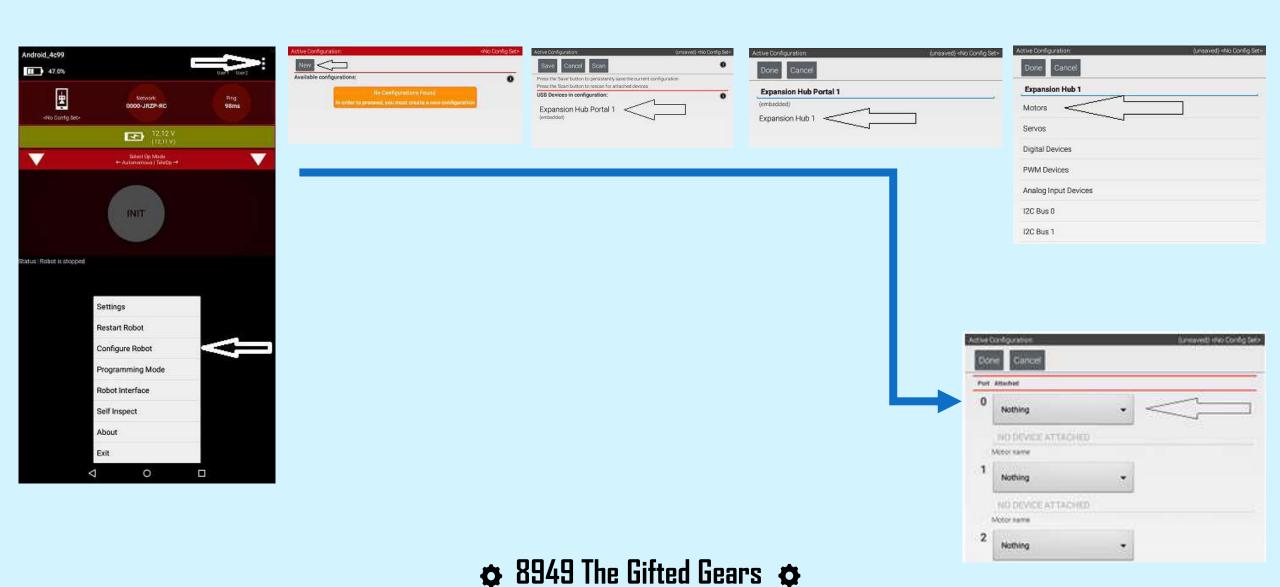
        // Reverse motor, required for RevHub
        motorLeft_.setDirection(DcMotor.Direction.REVERSE);
```

hardwareMap connects the object in the program to the physical object

Name in " " MUST match what's entered in the configuration file, else robot will tell there's an error



Configuration



3. setPower

```
//1. MOTOR SET POWER
  motorLeft_.setPower(0.5);
  motorRight_.setPower(0.5);
```

[name of motor].setPower(double value); Motor powers range from -1 to 1

Servos

180 and Continuous Rotation (CR)

Overview

- 1. Pre-Init
 - 1. Declare servo and any variables associated with it
- 2. Init
 - 1. hardwareMap
 - 2. Set initial position
- 3. Play
 - 1. setPosition
 - 2. Range = 0 to 1 on both 180 and CR
 - 1. CR: 0 = full power CW, 0.5 = stopped, 1.0 = full power CCW

1. Declare Servo

```
Servo servo_relic_arm_; //port___ on hub ____...side (2)
Servo servo_relic_claw_; //port__ on hub

double servo_relic_arm_pos_; // re

double servo_relic_claw_pos_; // re

static final double SERVO_RELIC_ARM_INIT = 0.5; //

static final double SERVO_RELIC_ARM_GRAB = 0.58; //
```

To declare a servo: Servo [name of servo];

2. Initialize Servo

```
servo_relic_arm_ = hardwareMap.servo.get("servo_relic_arm");
servo_relic_claw_ = hardwareMap.servo.get("servo_relic_claw");
servo_relic_arm_pos_ = SERVO_RELIC_ARM_INIT;
servo_relic_claw_pos_ = SERVO_RELIC_CLAW_INIT;
```

hardwareMap connects the object in the program to the physical object

Name in " " MUST match what's entered in the configuration file

Generally good practice to set your servo to an initial position; if you don't set, it will go to 0 position by default

3. setPosition

```
[name of servo].setPosition(double value);
Position ranges from 0 to 1
IF it's a continuous rotation servo:
0 = rotating CW at full speed, 0.5 = stopped, and 1 = rotating CCW at full speed
```

servo_relic_claw_.setPosition(servo_relic_claw_pos_);

Application: Teleop

gamepad1.left_bumper gamepad1.left_trigger

gamepad1.right_bumper gamepad1.right_trigger

Buttons = Booleans Joysticks and **Triggers = Returns** number value



gamepad1.a/b/x/y

gamepad1.left_stick_x/y

gamepad1.right_stick_x/y

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Exercises

- Make it so that robot moves
 - Forward when a is pressed
 - Backwards when left bumper and right bumper are pressed
 - Rotates left when b or y is pressed
 - Rotates right when left_trigger > 0.5

Tank Drive

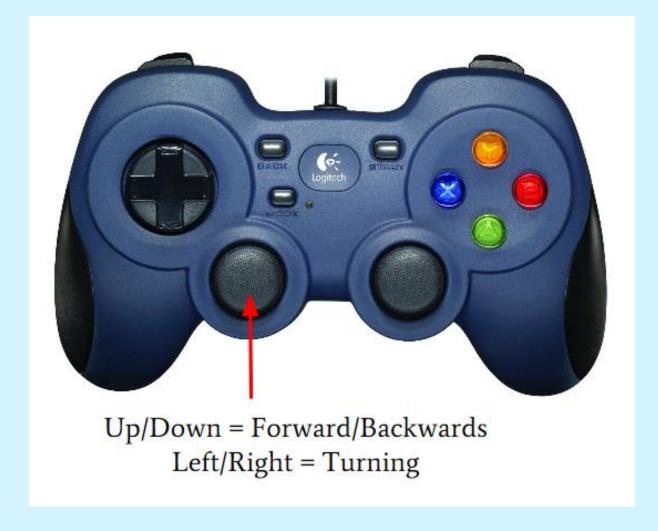


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Tank Drive Solution

```
//6.TANK DRIVE + RANGE CLIP
  power_lf = gamepad1.left_stick_y;
  power_rf = gamepad1.right_stick_y;
  power rf = Range. clip (power rf, -1, 1);
  power lf = Range.clip(power lf, -1, 1);
  motorLeft .setPower(power lf);
  motorRight .setPower(power rf);
```

Arcade Drive



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Arcade Drive Solution

```
//7. ARCADE DRIVE
  double lsx = gamepad1.right_stick_x;
  double lsy = gamepad1.right stick y;
  power lf = lsy + lsx; //idea here is that when
  power rf = lsy - lsx;
  motorLeft .setPower(power lf);
  motorRight_.setPower(power_rf);
```

//idea here is that when turning (ie joystick is full R, lsx = 1 and lsy = 0. that means one motor will be 1, the other -1. opposite signs! exactly what we need!

Telemetry

- Display messages on DS
- Couple different ways
 - If string/text: telemetry.addLine("[text you want displayed]");

```
if (booleanExample) {
   telemetry.addLine("booleanExample is true.");
}
```

- If you want data: telemetry.addData("[string]", String.format([number value]));
- Strings separated by comma

```
if( show_heading && imu_!=null ) {
   telemetry.addData("IMU", "heading: " + String.format("%.2f", getHeading()));
}
```

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Review!

• Kahoot:

FTC Resources

- Game Manual 1
- Youtube
- FIRST and ORTOP Sites
- Other teams!

General Programming Resources

- Scratch
 - https://scratch.mit.edu/
- Code.org
 - Tutorials: https://code.org/learn
 - Make Your own phone apps at: https://code.org/educate/applab
- App Labs:
 - Scratch but with tutorials https://code.org/educate/applab
- Made with Code
 - https://www.madewithcode.com/