

ECE 455 CAPSTONE DESIGN IN ELECTRICAL AND COMPUTER  
ENGINEERING  
PROJECT REPORT

---

**DEVELOPMENT OF A LOW-FREQUENCY  
ELECTROMAGNETIC EMITTING  
AUTONOMOUS BOAT FOR OFFSHORE  
PLANE WRECKAGE RECOVERY**

---

April 2, 2025

Gavin McGowan  
Miles Gansho  
Grace Gao  
Esh K

Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering  
College of Engineering  
University of Wisconsin-Madison

## 1 Introduction

Introduce the project, your client, and what you accomplished. Include some photographs of your final project.

## 2 Bill of Materials

Include a table with a list of all the materials. Include a description, quantity, cost/unit, total, and URL link for each item.

## 3 Circuit Schematics

In this section, provide detailed circuit schematics. Here is an example of how you insert a figure:

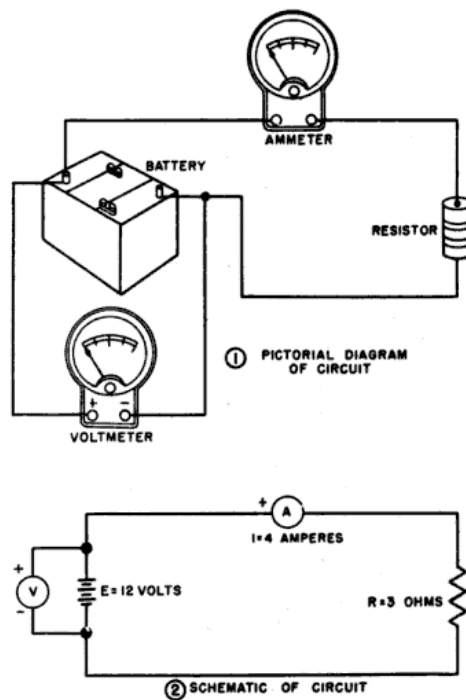


Figure 1: Diagram of a basic circuit.

Figure 1: Caption

You can easily reference Fig. 1 (like that).

## 4 Simulation and Circuit Board Design

Include URL links to any circuit simulation or PCB design files. You can store them on a folder in OneDrive. **Please add me as an owner so I can access the files after your account closes.**

## 5 Hardware

In this section, please include detailed annotated photographs of your hardware. If you used a perforated board, make sure it is clear how you physically wired everything so that someone else could reproduce it. You can also include any OneDrive links to CAD files.

## 6 Coding

In this section, please provide links to your code or directly pasted in the report. You can create subsections in LaTeX like this:

### 6.1 Ultrasonic Sensor Code

### 6.2 Motor Code

Please write a paragraph summarizing the operation of the code. You should cite any references or resources that you used to make the code. You can conveniently cite sources like this: [1] and [2]. LaTeX is really nice for writing out equations too:

$$V = \oint \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{l} \tag{1}$$

You can use this tool to help: <https://webdemo.myscript.com/>. Also this: <https://mathpix.com/image-to-latex>. You can also easily refer to equations like this: 1.

## 7 Operating Instructions

In this section, please provide detailed, step by step instructions on how to operate your project (what buttons you have to push, different display readings, etc).

## 8 Troubleshooting

If your device is not fully working, describe exactly what is not working and the steps you have taken to fix it. If you are still unsure of the problem, carefully describe your next steps you would take if you had time.

## 9 Testing and Experiments

Here you can talk about your experimental results and include plots of any relevant data. The plots should be of professional quality. Use Python, MATLAB, or OriginLab. Excel in the engineering world is not professional.

## 10 Future Work

In this section, please discuss future work that needs to be completed.

## References

- [1] M. Manteghi, “A navigation and positioning system for unmanned underwater vehicles based on a mechanical antenna,” 2017, pp. 1997–1998.
- [2] A. Sheinker, B. Ginzburg, N. Salomonski, L. Frumkis, and B. Z. Kaplan, “Localization in 3-d using beacons of low frequency magnetic field,” *IEEE Transactions on Instrumentation and Measurement*, vol. 62, pp. 3194–3201, 2013.