

## **THE NANOBOT**

Our project is called the nanobot. It is a robotic arm which can be controlled remotely from a device. Our device is a compact rotatable device made of 3d printed body which can lift about 100-200 grams of weight. Our main aim was to maneuver the device seamlessly and pick and drop the weights with precision.

## **COMPONENTS**

### **ESP-32**

Used for the communication between the Gripper and the device.

### **Servo Motors**

The servo enables movement in the device

### **Battery**

Two 3.7-volt lithium-ion batteries have been used to power the device.

### **5V Voltage Regulator**

Protects the gadget against high voltage.

### **Body Structure**

3D-printed precision acrylic parts have been used for the body structure.

### **Male to Female Jumper Wires**

Used to make connections between the servo and the module

### **Switch**

A simple red switch for turning our device on and off

## **THE CODE**

The Nanobots code enables control of the gripper using ESP32. It receives commands from the device enabling movements across three servo motors: base, elbow, claw. The "smoothMove" function ensures precise motion for each servo motor which enhances our accuracy. A "reset" function brings the arm back to its default position.

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#include <ESP32Servo.h>
#include <BluetoothSerial.h>

BluetoothSerial SerialBT;

Servo base;
Servo el;
Servo claw;

// Track current positions
int baseAngle = 90;
int elAngle = 90;
int clawAngle = 90;

void setup() {
    Serial.begin(115200);
    SerialBT.begin("Robotic_Arm");
    Serial.println(" Bluetooth Ready. Waiting for commands...");

    base.attach(15);
    el.attach(17);
    claw.attach(19);

    // Set all to starting positions
    base.write(baseAngle);
    el.write(elAngle);
    claw.write(clawAngle);}
// Smooth movement function
void smoothMove(Servo &servo, int &currentAngle, int targetAngle, int delayMs = 5) {
    if (currentAngle == targetAngle) return;
    int step = (currentAngle < targetAngle) ? 1 : -1;

    for (int pos = currentAngle; pos != targetAngle; pos += step) {
        servo.write(pos);
        delay(delayMs);
    }
    servo.write(targetAngle); // Ensure final position
    currentAngle = targetAngle;
}

void loop() {
    if (SerialBT.available()) {
        char command = SerialBT.read();

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Serial.print("Received: ");
Serial.println(command);

// --- Base rotation ---
if (command == '1') {
    smoothMove(base, baseAngle, 30);
    Serial.println("Base: Left");
} else if (command == '2') {
    smoothMove(base, baseAngle, 150);
    Serial.println("Base: Right");
} else if (command == '0') {
    smoothMove(base, baseAngle, 90);
    Serial.println("Base: Stop");
}
// --- Elbow control ---
else if (command == '3') {
    smoothMove(el, elAngle, 30);
    Serial.println("Elbow: Down");
} else if (command == '4') {
    smoothMove(el, elAngle, 130);
    Serial.println("Elbow: Up");

} else if (command == '7') {
    smoothMove(el, elAngle, 90);
    Serial.println("Elbow: Center");
}
// --- Claw control ---
else if (command == '5') {
    smoothMove(claw, clawAngle, 180);
    Serial.println("Claw: Close");
} else if (command == '6') {
    smoothMove(claw, clawAngle, 90);
    Serial.println("Claw: Open");
} else if (command == '8') {
    smoothMove(claw, clawAngle, 135);
    Serial.println("Claw: Center");
}
// --- Reset all servos ---
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else if (command == 'r' || command == 'R') {
    resetAll();
}

else {
    Serial.println(" Invalid command");
}
}

// Reset all servos smoothly
void resetAll() {
    Serial.println(" Resetting all servos... ");
    smoothMove(base, baseAngle, 90);
    smoothMove(el, elAngle, 90);
    smoothMove(claw, clawAngle, 180);
    Serial.println(" All Servos Reset to Center (90°)");
    SerialBT.println(" Arm Reset to Default Positions");}
```