



MILITARY INTELLIGENCE ROVER

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Abstract

Military Intelligence Rover system is mainly used for finding enemies. It has the capacity to identify toxic gases and bombs also. It is a robotic system which uses the principal of Microcontroller. Arduino board is the main part of the system. The board accepts analog and digital inputs from sensors which actuates a motor

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Introduction

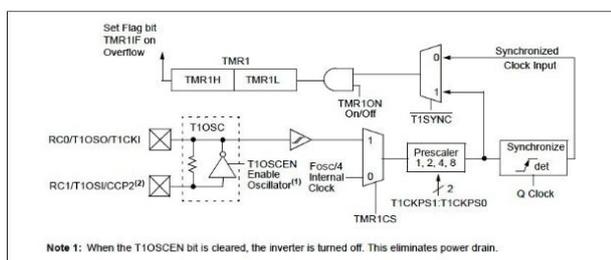
The rover system is made up of the following sub systems. Wireless Zigbee unit, Motor driver, Gas sensor, PIR sensor, Ultrasonic sensor and radar. A wireless transceiver called Zigbee controls the robot. Basically zigbee has two ports. One port is connected to microcontroller and other to PC. A message from software controls rover. The movement of rover is made possible by using a motor, which is of 12v dc. Object is detected by ultrasonic radar. The measurement from sensors is so accurate and it is not affected by surface, material, light, dust etc.

Methodology

A triggering to ultrasonic module is given. The Echo can be listened. Timer is started when Echo received HIGH. Timer can get stopped when we receive Echo LOW. Monitor real timer value. Then convert to distance and then display. Function of Timer Module is given below.

T1CON: TIMER1 CONTROL REGISTER (ADDRESS 10h)

U-0	U-0	R/W-0	R/W-0	R/W-0	R/W-0	R/W-0	R/W-0
—	—	T1CKPS1	T1CKPS0	T1OSCEN	T1SYNC	TMR1CS	TMR1ON
bit 7							bit 0



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$$\text{Time} = (\text{TMR1H}:\text{TMR1L}) * (1/\text{Internal Clock}) * \text{Prescaler}$$

$$\text{Internal Clock} = F_{osc}/4 = 8\text{MHz}/4 = 2\text{MHz}$$

Distance Calculation

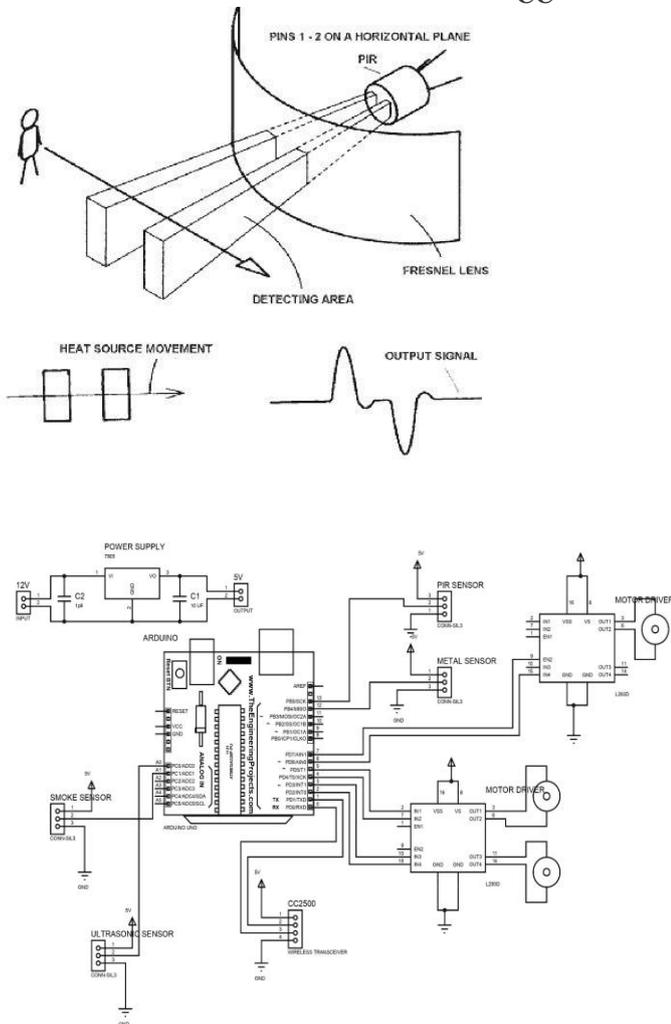
- **Distance = Speed * Time**
- Let d be the distance between Ultrasonic Sensor and object.
- Total distance traveled by the ultrasonic burst : $2*d$ (forward and backward)
- Speed of Sound in Air : **340 m/s**
- Thus, $d = (34000 * \text{Time})/2$, where Time = $(\text{TMR1H}:\text{TMR1L})/(1000000)$
- $d = (\text{TMR1H}:\text{TMR1L})/58.82 \text{ cm}$
- $\text{TMR1H}:\text{TMR1L} = \text{TMR1L} | (\text{TMR1H} \ll 8)$

Gas Sensors

Smoke, Gas and Flame detectors can be used since it is important to check presence of various gases. Ionisation smoke detector, was an ancient method of smoke detection. Ionisation chamber contains a radioactive material. This material provides equal flow of electrons between electrodes. When a smoke particle enters, normal flow of electrons is interrupted and produces alarm. Photo electric smoke detectors have a transmitter and a receiver. A black wall absorbs projected light. No light comes at receiver. When smoke particle enters, light is scattered. PIR sensor allows motion. An

Arduino Board can be programmed by using ARDUINO IDE. Ultrasonic radar is used to calculate distance between robots and objects. Zigbees a communication system used for low and medium power communication. The following diagram shows PIR sensors and general circuit diagram.

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Result

Military Intelligence Rover circuit can be used for surgical attack and to detect toxic gases. Different types of sensors, Arduino Board etc can be used for the purpose. Zigbee unit can be used for a higher level communication. More different types of sensors and Zigbee units can be provided to increase efficiency.

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