

Project 2-3: Motor Control

Questions?

Project 1

- Finish demos
- Catme surveys are due on Friday
 - Everyone should have received email already

Project 2-3: Motor Driver Control

- Lift fan: bidirectional control
 - Full H-bridge
 - PWM signal specifies thrust
 - 2 digital outputs specify thrust direction
- Lateral fans
 - $\frac{1}{2}$ H-bridge each
 - PWM signal for each specifies thrust

Component 1: Circuit

- H-bridge to Arduino board
 - PWM (3) and direction control signals (2)
 - Arduino power and ground
- H-bridge to power:
 - Power harness + switch + batteries
- H-bridge to fans

Be careful with direct battery power!

Component 2: Interface Functions

```
int16_t clip(int16_t value, int16_t min_value, int16_t  
            max_value)
```

```
void set_lift_motor_direction(LiftMotorDirection  
                             direction)
```

```
void set_lift_motor_magnitude(int16_t magnitude)
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void set_side_motor_magnitudes(int16_t magnitude_left,  
                               int16_t magnitude_right)
```

Component 3: Test Function

Depending on switch state:

- Ramp the middle fan up, then down, then reverse up and then down
- Ramp left up, then down, then right up and then down

Coding

- Make sure that each function that you implement does exactly what the specification says & no more

New Hardware for Today

- Frisbees
- 3 Fans (a couple will need to have a hole cut in the middle and the fan mounted – only use the gray or orange fans for this)
- 2 Batteries + trickle charger
 - Rapid chargers will be installed in Felgar 300
- Power harness
- Tools: wire cutters, wire strippers, needle nose pliers

Next Time

Project 2: Analog-to-digital systems