

# The Wild Tupper 2

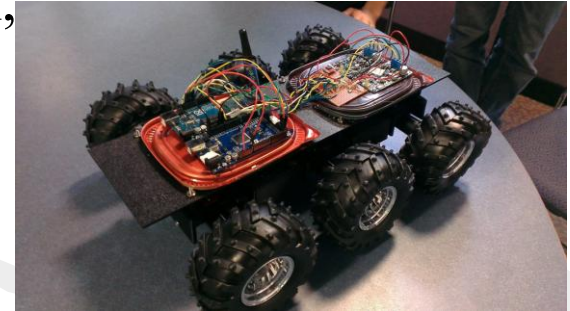


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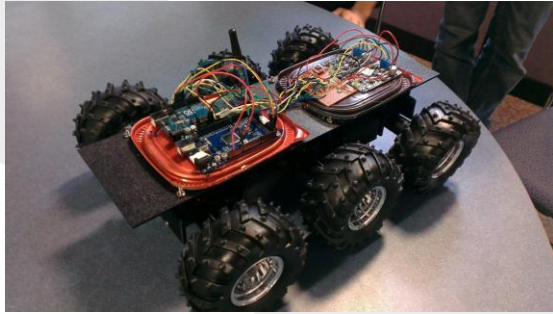
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# Introduction

- Based on a preexisting, six-wheel, all-terrain robot
- After analyzing the faults in last year's design, the team made revisions and proposed a more durable and adaptable robot.
- The primary differences in the designs were the motors and the types of sensors



# Improvements



- Improving the suspension design to provide stiffer suspension
- Redesigning the motor housings to fit the new lower torque motors
- Altering and reprinting the design of the chassis
- Using an entirely new electrical and sensor system

# Suspension

- 3D Printing
  - ABS Plastic
  - 35 hours for 21 parts
- Custom Suspension
  - 3 sets of independent twist suspension
  - torsion springs
  - chains



# Sensors

- Wild Tupper 1
  - Sonar
- Infrared
  - Primary Sensor for Obstacle Detection
- Touch
  - Later not implicated

# Electronics & Programming

- Sensors Implementation
- Autonomous Navigation
- Integration

# Testing

- Volleyball courts
- Beacon simulator

## Mechanical Test Run: CSU Volleyball Courts





# Challenges

- Sensor Mounts
  - Touch Sensor Failure
- Circuit Failure
  - Two compasses, 2 touch sensors, one IR sensor, and a transceiver

## Space Grant Challenge:

- Power Supply
  - 9.6 V Batteries
- IR Detection
  - Sand Craters

# Competition



# Conclusion

“Best Demonstration of Beacon Navigation”