

Tesigo Demonstration

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Introduction

FOYO's Staffs

Name	Position	Main Responsibility
Worawee (Fai) Janpongsri	CEO	Software - Android, Hardware
Jose Arboleda	CTO	Software - Kinect Sensor
Yizhang (Michael) Xu	VPM	Hardware, Mechanical
Zheng (Matt) Chang	CFO	Mechanical, Purchasing
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Background & Motivation

Motivation:

- We are trying to build a product that involves people's daily life.
- Our staffs are optimistic about the robots' market in the future.

Background:

- Initially designed for disabled person.
- Later on we found it is a good idea to apply more wildly.
- There is no such robot in Vancouver's public area.

Business Case

Market

Target People:

- Everyone
- Elder
- People carrying stuffs and no hand to push the cart
- Retailers
 - ✓ Grocery Stores
 - ✓ Shopping Malls
 - ✓ Airports
 - ✓ Libraries

Apply Area:

- Grocery Stores
- Shopping Malls
- Airports
- Libraries

Actual Cost	\$800
Expect Cost for Mass Production	\$300
Selling Price	\$450
Profit	\$150
Expected Time for Reproducing the Prototype	12 Hours

Competition

- There is no such kind of robot cart in today's market
- Existing Solutions:



- Manual Control Only
- No Electrical Motor Assistance
- Heavy (Compare with *Tesigo*)
- Price: \$120-\$160 (Cheap)

Fig. 1: Current Shopping Cart in Market [1]

Mechanical

Mechanical - Motor

- Use Belt
- Powerful
- High Torque
- Efficient
- Varies Operation Voltage



Fig. 2: AmpFlow M27-150-P Brush Electric Motor [2]

Mechanical - Batteries

- Rechargeable
- 12V 2.7Ah for Kinect
- 12V 5Ah for Motors



Fig. 3:12V 5Ah Rechargeable Battery [3]



Fig. 4:12V 2.7Ah Rechargeable Battery [4]

Mechanical

- Cart frame

Advantage:

- Light
- Strong
- Easy to Re-design



Fig. 5: Original Cart Frame from Peg-Perego [5]

Mechanical - Transmission System

- Reduce Speed
- Increase Torque
- Easy to Assemble



Fig. 6: Top View for Transmission System

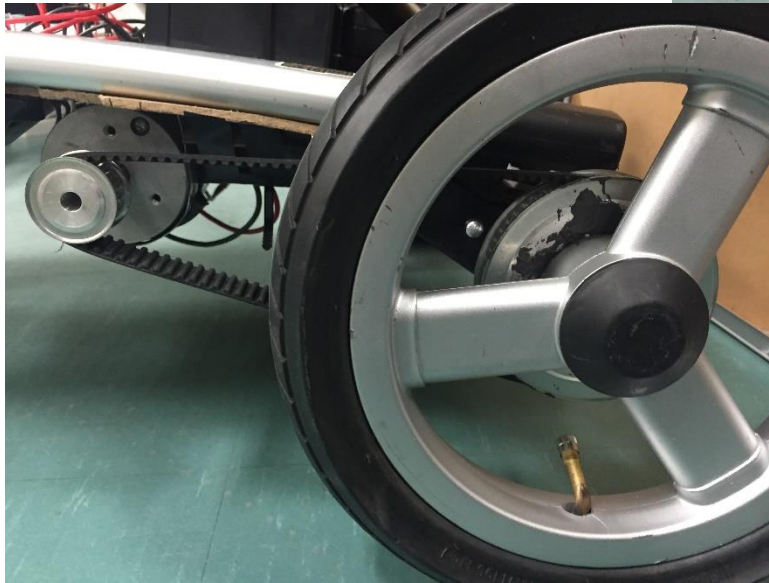


Fig. 7: Side View for Transmission System

Mechanical - Mounting & Wiring



Fig. 8: Motor Set Up

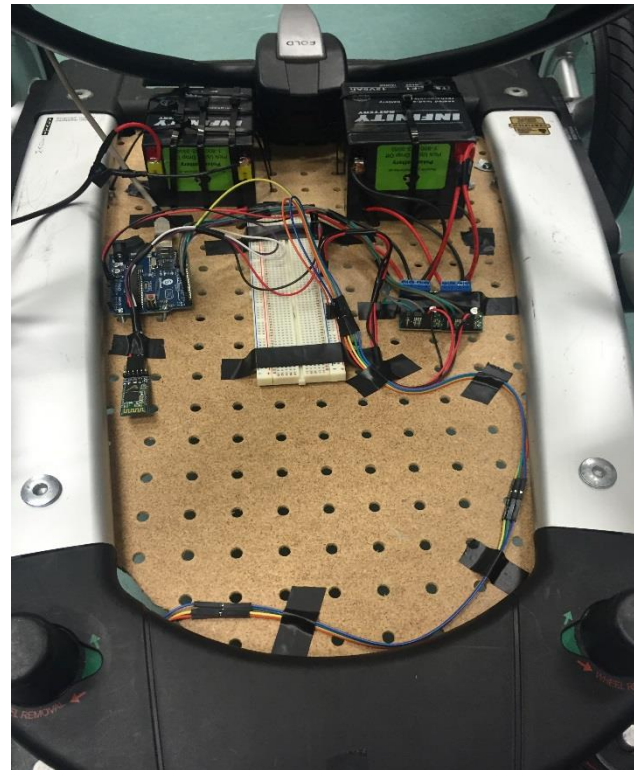


Fig. 9: Wiring Set Up



Fig. 10: Kinect Sensor Set Up

Hardware

Hardware

- Arduino UNO

- Easy to control the peripherals
 - Bluetooth
 - Motor Drivers
 - Sensor
- Communicate with Computer via Serial Port

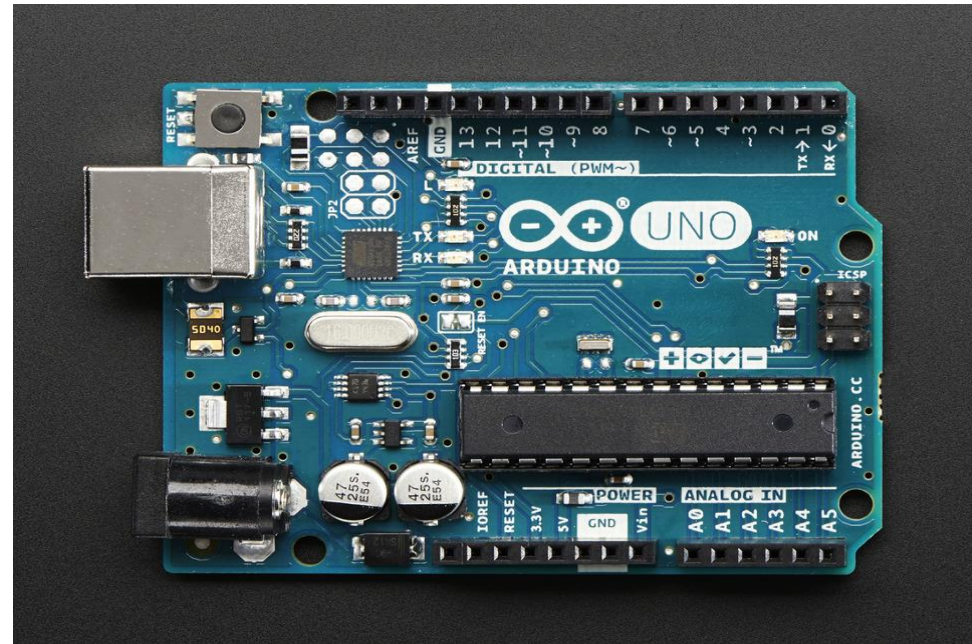


Fig. 11: Arduino UNO [6]

Hardware

- Bluetooth

- Behave as Master and Slave
 - RX (Receiving End)
 - TX (Transmitting End)
- Use Serial communication with Arduino UNO

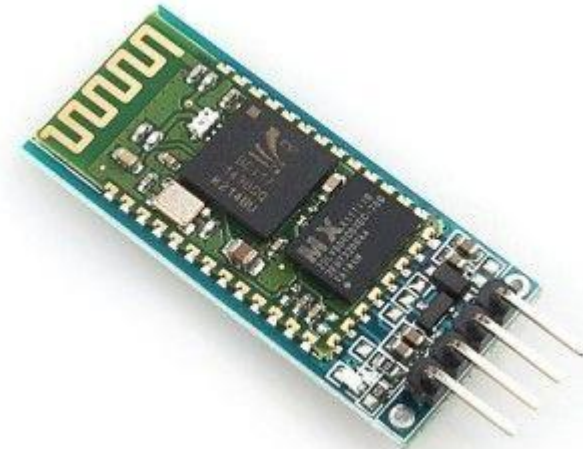


Fig. 12: HC-05 Bluetooth [7]

Hardware

- Motor Driver & Distance Sensor

➤ VHN5019

- Support 12V motors
- Support Arduino UNO



Fig. 13: Motor Driver [8]

➤ HC-SR04 Ultrasonic Sensor

- Sense the object like PIR sensor
- Sense and relay the distance to the object

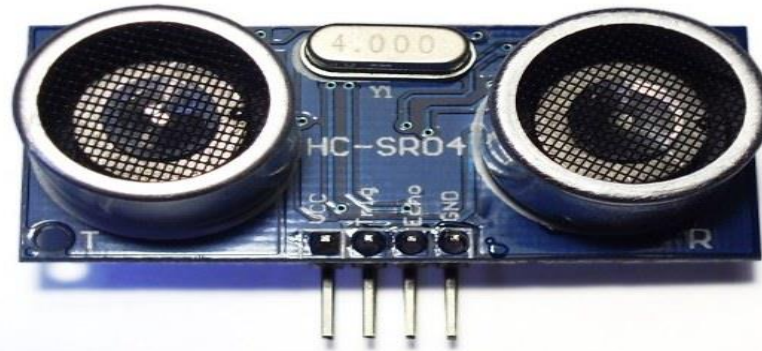
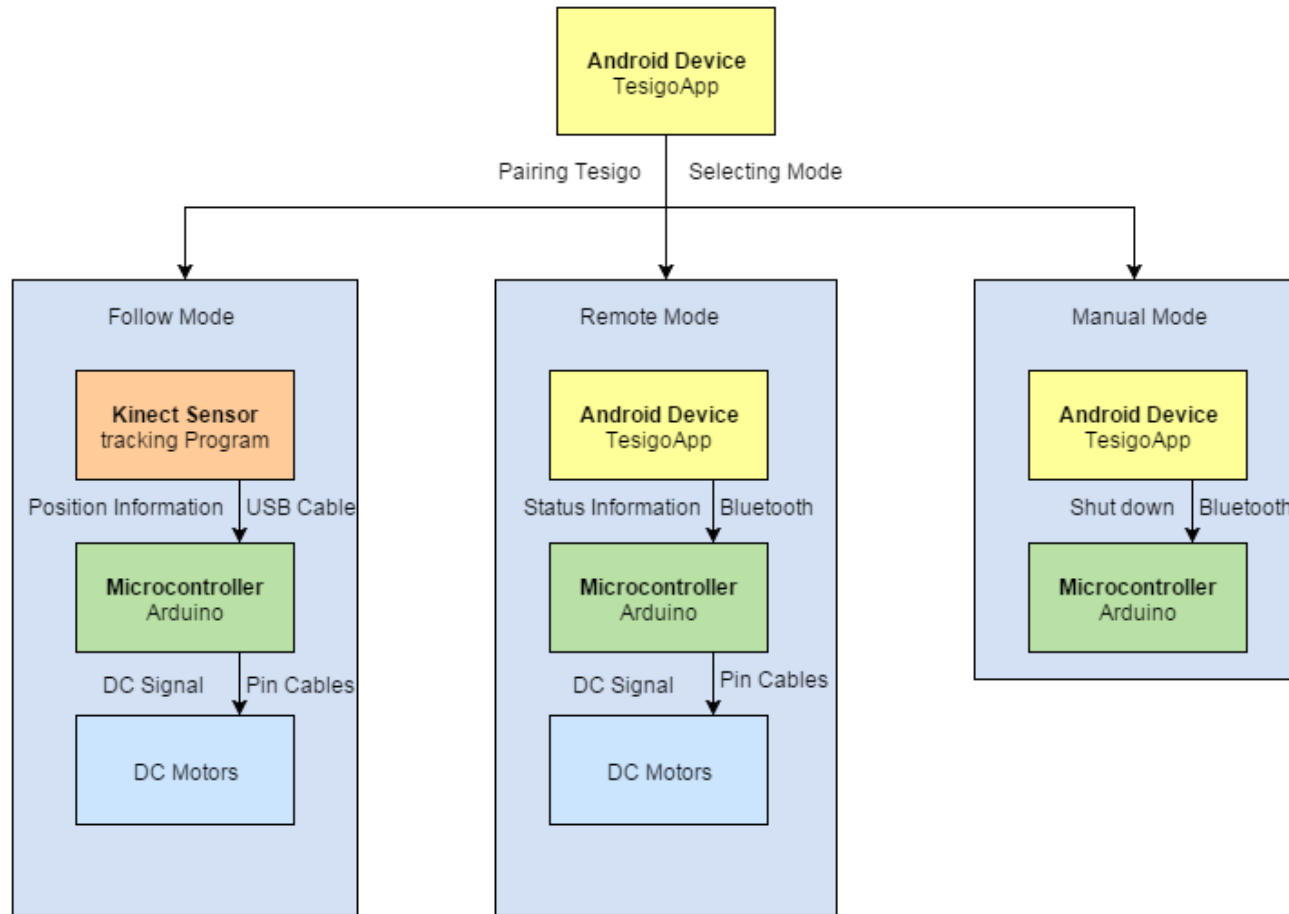


Fig. 14: Ultrasonic Sensor [9]

Software

Software

- Android Application



Software

- Tesigo App

The main screen:

- **When *Tesigo* is not connected**

Connection Status:

- “Selected *Tesigo* Disconnected” in red

Direction Control Panel:

- Buttons disabled

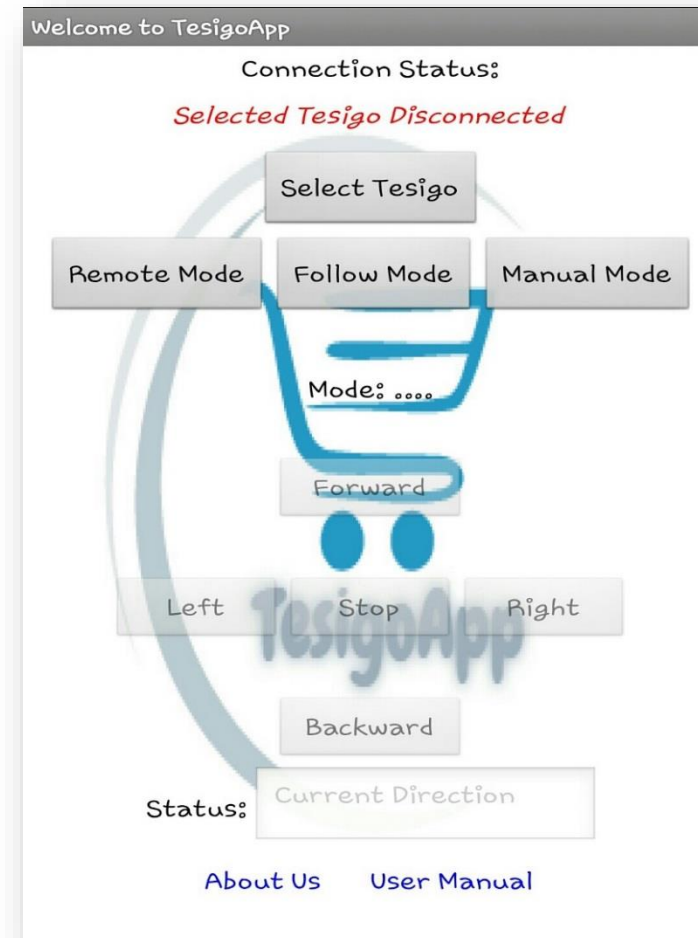


Fig. 15: Main Screen (*Tesigo* Disconnected)

Software

- Tesigo App

The main screen:

- **When Tesigo is connected**
- **Remote Mode**

Connection Status:

- “Selected Tesigo is Connected” in green

Mode:

- Remote Mode

Direction Control Panel:

- Button is enabled

Status:

- “Forward”, “Left”, “Right”, “Backward” or “Stop”

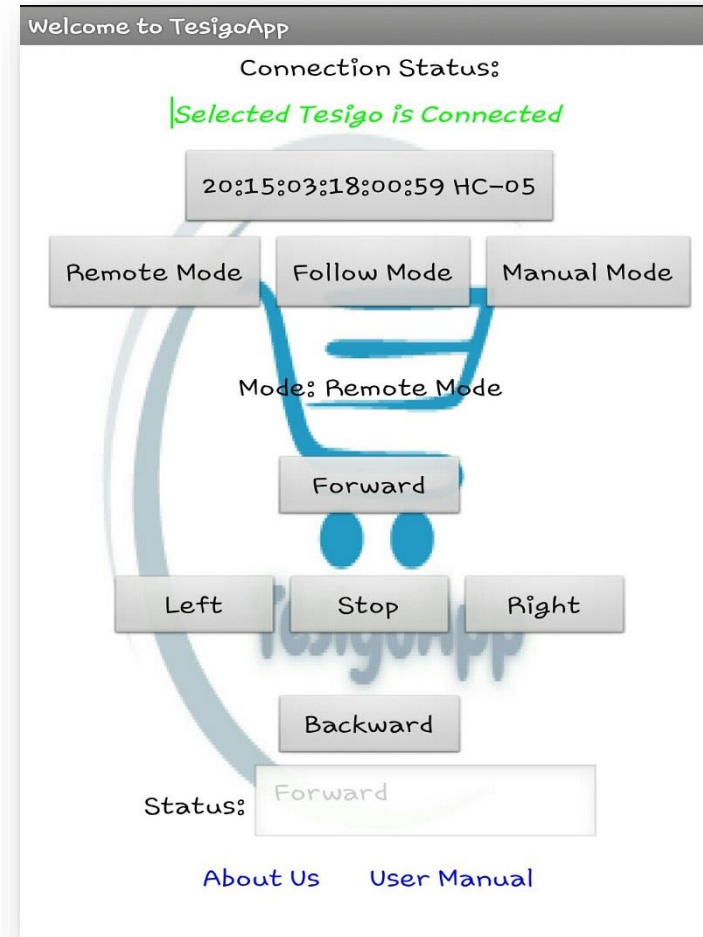


Fig. 16: Remote Mode Screen

Software

- Tesigo App

The main screen:

- **When Tesigo is not connected**
- **Follow Mode**

Connection Status:

- “Selected *Tesigo* Disconnected” in red

Mode:

- Follow Mode

Direction Control Panel:

- Buttons are disabled

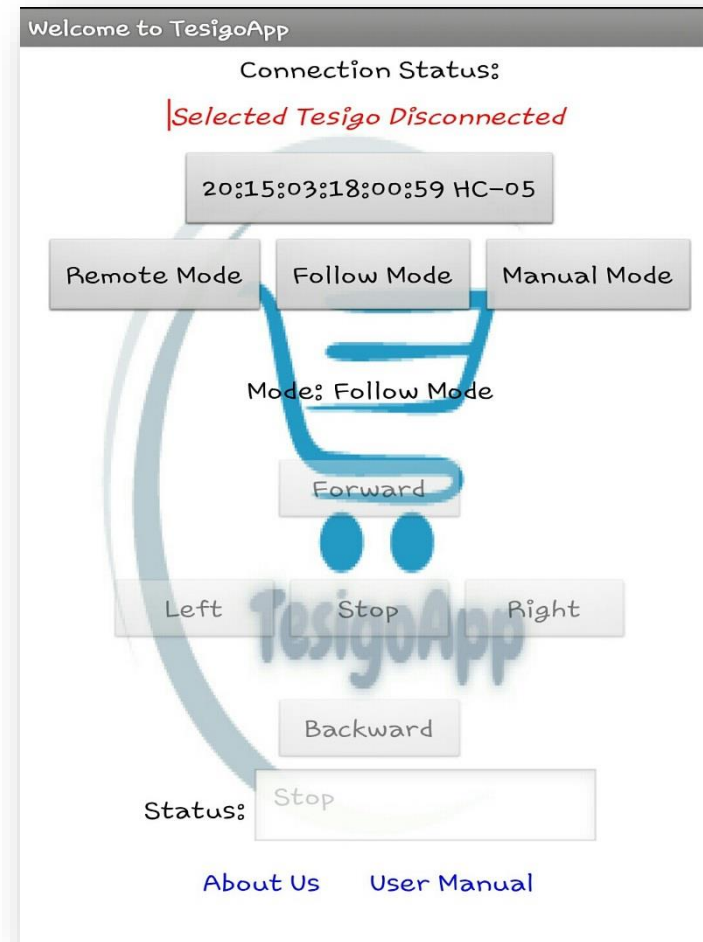


Fig. 17: Follow Mode Screen

Software

- Tesigo App

The main screen:

- **When Tesigo is not connected**
- **Manual Mode**

Connection Status:

- “Selected Tesigo is Connected” in green

Mode:

- Manual Mode

Direction Control Panel:

- Buttons are disabled

Status:

- Stop

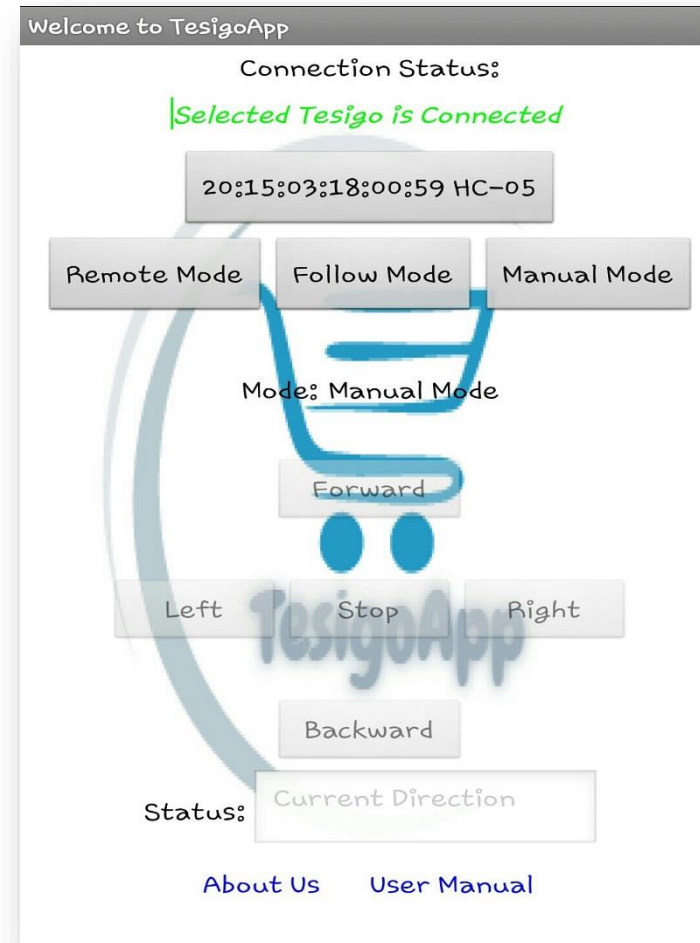


Fig. 18: Manual Mode Screen 24

Software

- *Tesigo* App

“About Us” screen:

- Information about *Tesigo*
- Information about the team

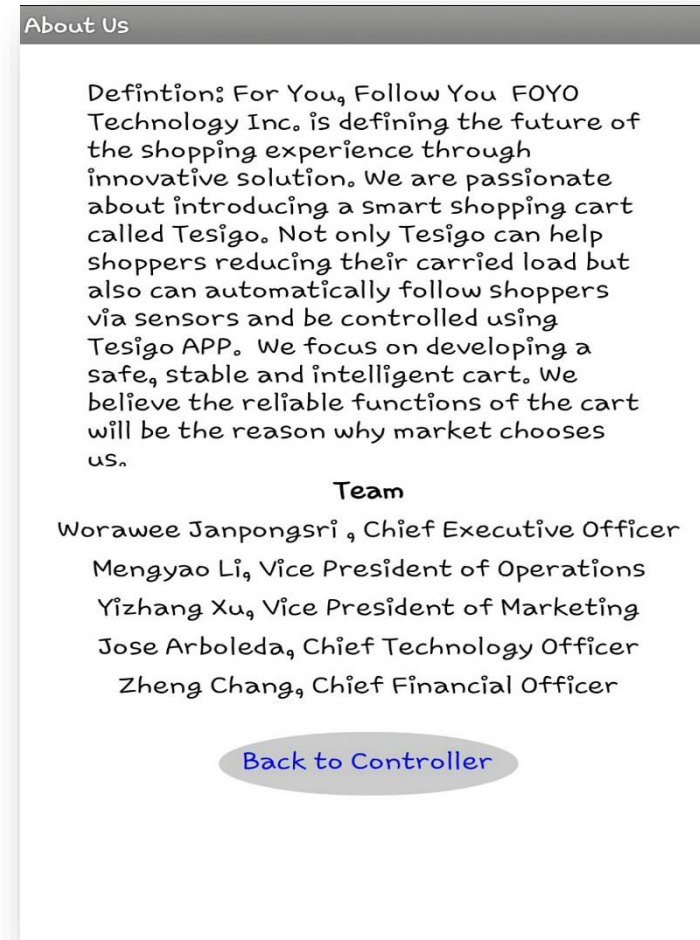


Fig. 19: About Us Screen

Software

- *Tesigo* App

“User Manual” screen:

- Information about *Tesigo*
- Information about the team

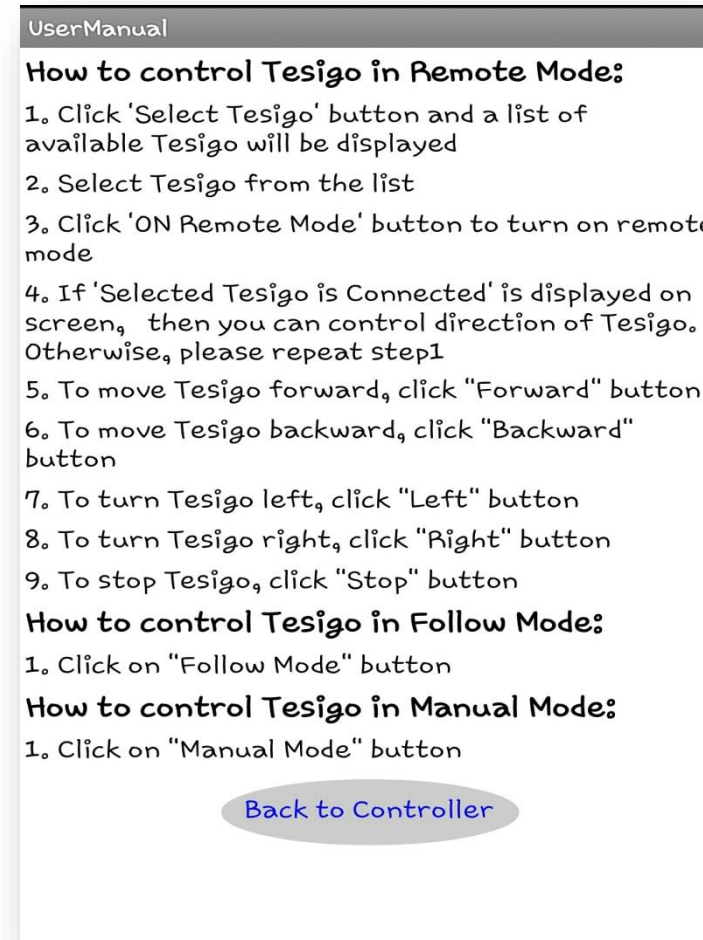


Fig. 20: User Manual Screen

Software

- Kinect Sensor

- Motion Sensing Device
- Depth Sensor
- Tracking System
- Practical use for Developers

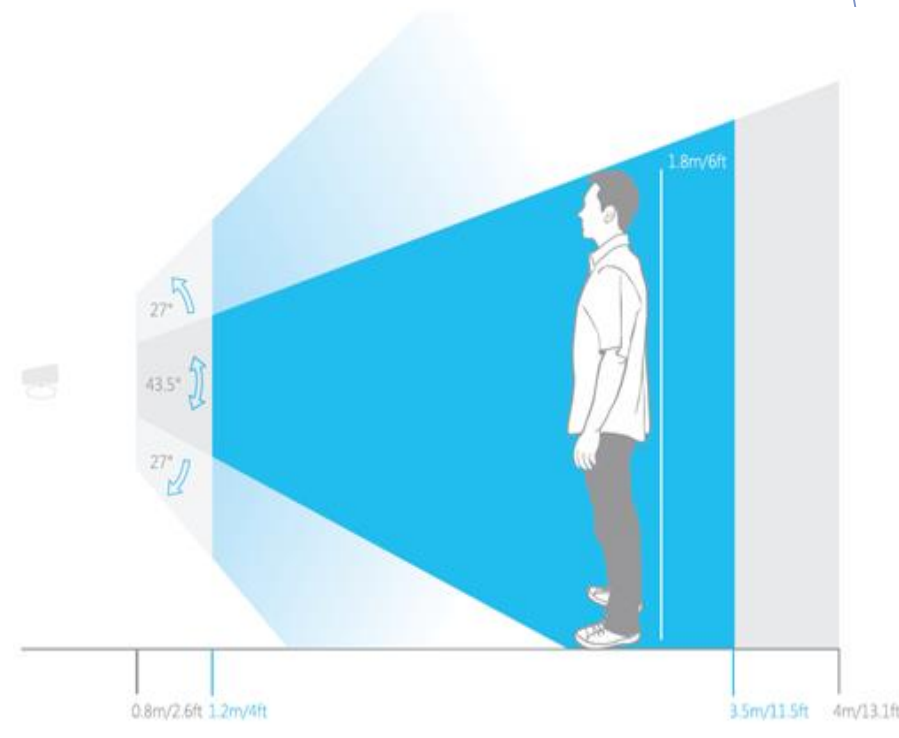
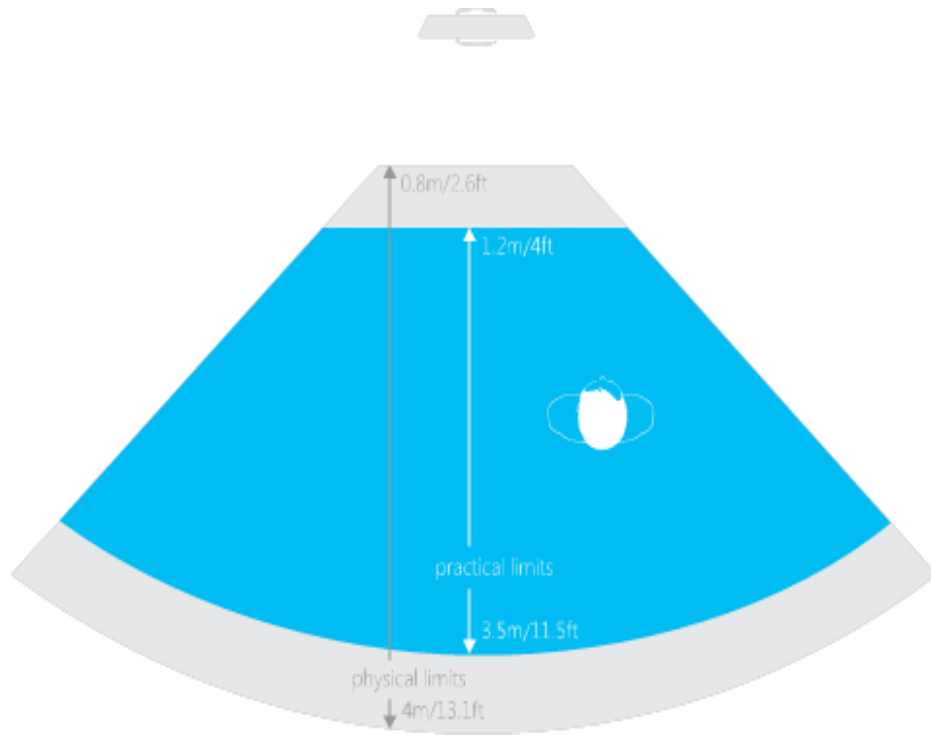


Fig. 21: Kinect Version 2 [10]

Software

- Kinect Sensor

Field of View:



Software

- Kinect Sensor

Tracking Function:

- The Kinect tracks the user's skeleton, providing information (distance and motion) about each joint located in the skeleton
- Each skeleton captured by the Kinect has a tracking ID which allows him to differentiate between people

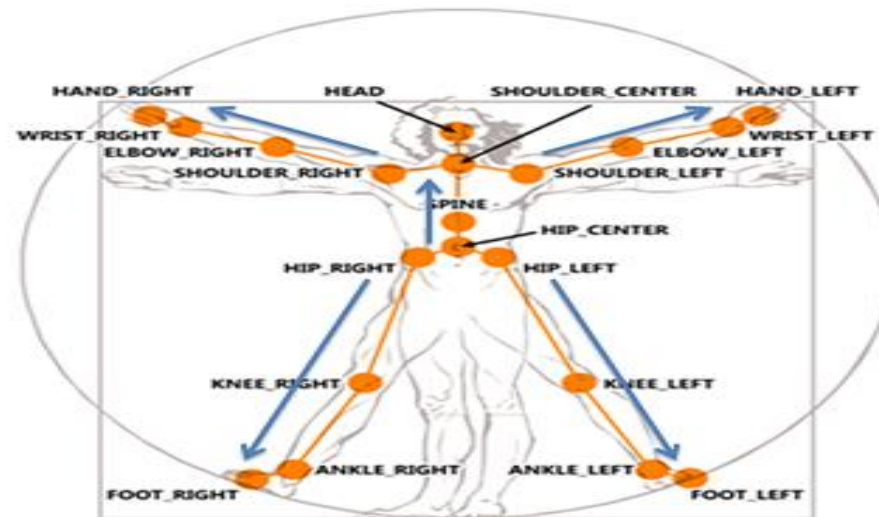


Fig. 23: Kinect Skeleton Joints [12]

Software

- Kinect Sensor

Tracking Strategy:

- “First Person Gets Control” is the strategy being used
- The first person seen by the Kinect will be the target user



Fig. 24: First person get control [13]

Software

- Kinect Sensor

Kinect's Perspective:

- It tells the position of the user according to her/his hip joint
- It perceives a maximum of six people in tracking mode
- It loses the targeted user if it's view of the target is completely obstructed

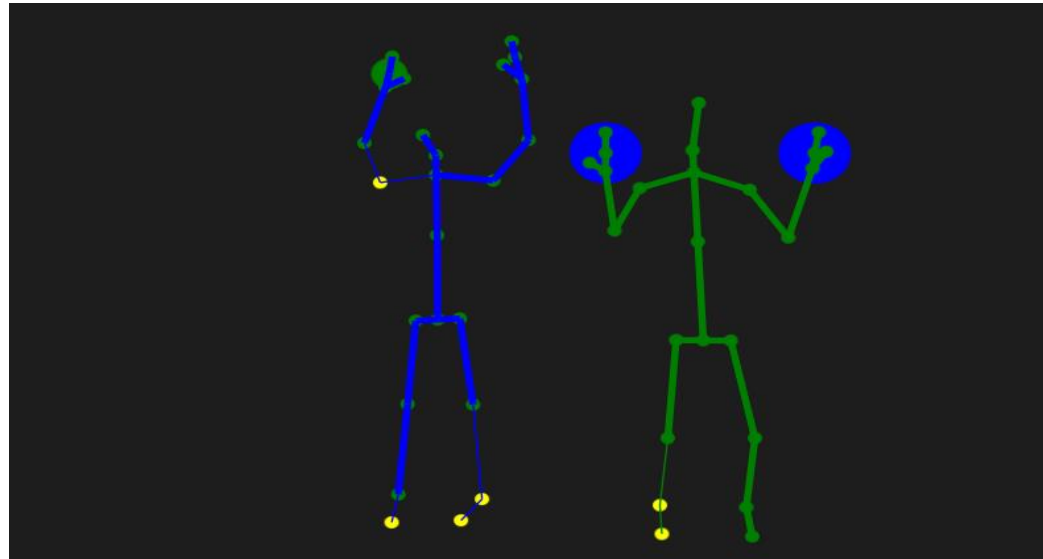
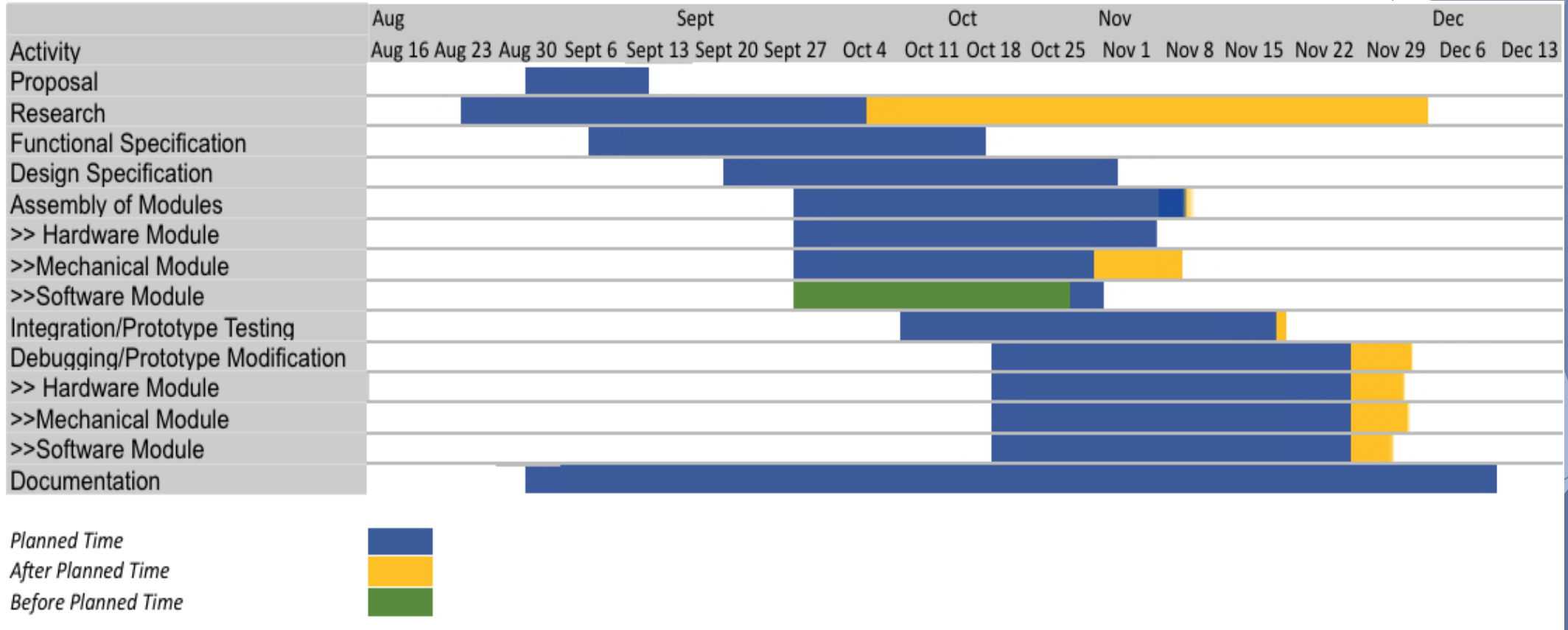


Fig. 25: Body Skeletons

Finance

Item	Estimated Amount	Estimated Cost (\$)	Actual Amount	Actual Cost (\$)	Notes
Raspberry Pi	1	60	1	69.44	Not used Raspberry Pi
Arduino Board *	N/A	N/A	2	126.84	Arduino instead of Raspberry Pi Burned one Arduino board in testing
Kinect Sensor	1	159.99	1	0	Group member contributed
Kinect Adapter	N/A	N/A	1	60	Didn't expect to use adapter in estimated
Ultrasonic Sensor	5	80	2	30	
Glass Fuse	4	20	0	0	Not used Glass Fuse
Fuse Holder Cap	1	5	0	0	Not used Fuse Holder Cap
Bluetooth	N/A	N/A	1	34.82	Didn't include this in proposal document
Cart Frame	1	60	1	40	Got a used one from craigslist
Rechargeable Battery	2	120	2	103.54	
AmpFlow M27-150 24V DC Motor	2	100	2	132.73	Didn't expect an import tax plus high shipping cost of \$36.59
Motor Driver *	N/A	N/A	2	60	Not included in proposal document
Pulley, Belt *	N/A	N/A	2	70.57	Change Design
Other Components:	N/A	20	N/A	63.69	Bought in Canada instead of China
Total		624.99		791.63	Excess budget by \$166.64

Schedule



Conclusion

Learning Experiences

- **Hardware & Mechanical**

- Arduino Usage
- Hardware Welding
- Mechanical Design and Assemble

- **Software**

- Android App Development
- Image Processing Application

- **Others**

- Design and manufacture process
- Team Work



Fig. 26: Knowledge related to our project

Future Plans

- **Improve the system:**
 - i. Add a strong feedback system
 - ii. Rebuild the wheel system
 - iii. Add wireless recharge kit
- **Reduce the cost:**
 - i. Design and build Microcomputer
 - ii. Use cheaper camera
 - iii. Manufacture our own cart frame

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Question?

