



SWAYAT (20 DoF HUMANOID ROBOT)

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Problem / Question

Various types of robots have been built to perform various task. But there is a need of a versatile robot that would be able to interact the best with humans.

Hypothesis

- A single robot that can perform various task.
- Robot resembling humans able to interact with them and can be a personal companion.
- A research platform for studying human development.
- A robot completely autonomous and robust.

Project Overview

- Swayat is intended for research on areas such as motion planning, stereo vision and adaptive control systems.
- A humanoid design can be for functional purposes, such as interacting with human tools and environments, for experimental purposes, such as the study of bipedal locomotion amongst other purposes.

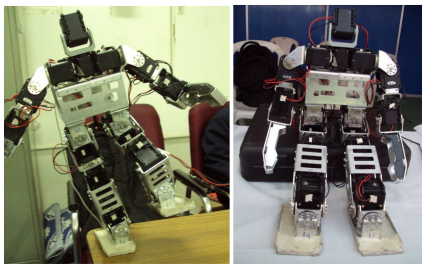
Technical Overview

- Swayat is a 20 degree of freedom kid size humanoid robot.
- 3D-CAD model of complete framework of robot is Designed in **SOLIDWORKS** software.
- All the required parts made of aluminum and fabricated using **CNC milling Machine**.
- Used combination of **Dynamixel AX-12A** , **MX-28** and **MX-64** motors in the robot
- Dynamixel servo are the actuators equipped with an onboard 32 bit, 72 MHz cortex M3, a contact-less magnetic encoder with 4x the resolution.
- **Robot Operating System(ROS)** used for the control of the robot.
- Developed a testing platform for kinematic analysis , generation of trajectories and visualization in **MATLAB** using **Simulink** and **Sim-mechanics toolbox**.
- Designed a sub-controller board The control of the robot using **EAGLE** circuit designing software. Sub-controller board packed a **ARM® Cortex™-M4F**-based microcontroller from Texas Instruments, 9-axis IMU.

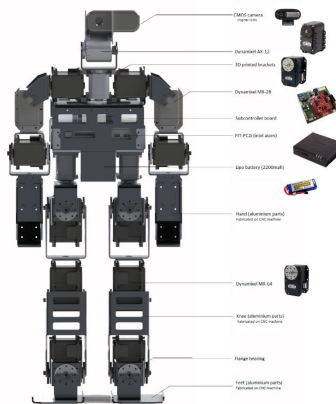
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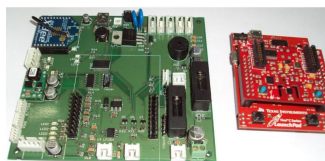
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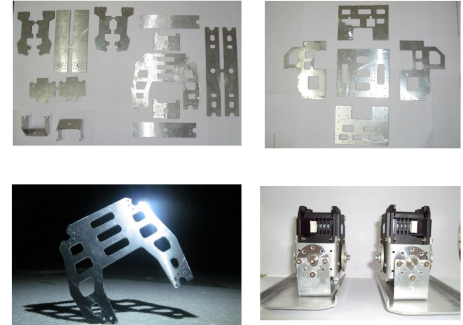
CAD-Model



Processor & Circuit Board



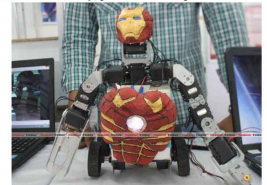
Fabrication and Assembly



Achievements



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Nagpur News: A 2-day industrial symposium and lecture series was organized by Centre of Excellence of COMMBEDDED Systems and Industry Institute, Interaction Cell of VNIT Nagpur at VNIT auditorium recently. Around 500 students and faculty members of various institutes attended the lecture series. The industrial symposium was attended by more than 1000 prominent personalities, said CoordinatorDr. Ashwini Kulkarni to Nagpur Today.



- Second Humanoid Robot made completely in India.
- Humanoid Robot appreciated by Dr. A. P. J. Abdul Kalam during inauguration of AXIS 2014.
- Featured in Association of Mechanisms and Machines, October '14.
- Featured in various newspapers: The Hitavada, Lokmat and Nagpur Today.