

Progress Report

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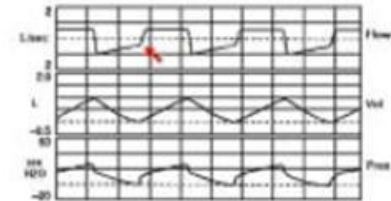
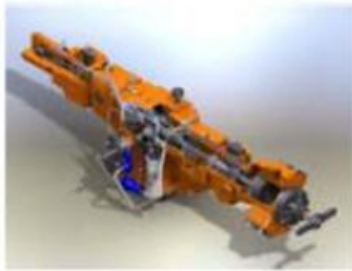
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Scope of the Project



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- Customer Needs

- Transfer data wirelessly to an Android phone.
- Assembly time less than 5 minutes.
- No modifications to pipes; non-intrusive method.
- Software must collect, store and display data.
- Working Demo.

Status Update: Sensors

- Currently reverse engineering Fuji sensors
 - 2 MHz
- Remove test data from unit
- Create data sheet
 - Sensor spacing
 - Calibration
- Test signal burst method



Status Update: Flow Analysis

- Flow Rate: Specifications to meet

$$v_{measured} = V_{measured} * A_{pipe}$$

- PV Curve: If specs not met, used to help diagnose problem in compressor
 - Obtain Pressure from Velocity Measurement. General Principle:

$$q = \frac{1}{2} \rho V^2$$

- Volume known from compressor dimensions
- Efficiency:

$$\eta = \frac{v_{measured}}{\frac{\pi}{4} * bore^2 * stroke * rotational\ speed}$$

Status Update: Microcontroller

- Configuring OS for real-time threads and easier network access through SSH
- Setting up for wireless connection to phone
- Coding small program to send sample data to phone

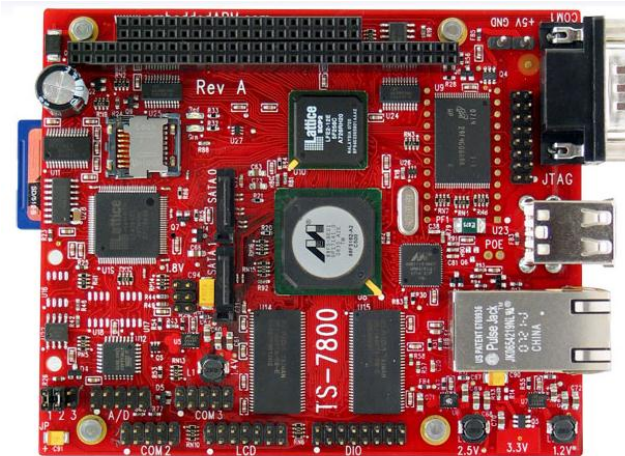


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Status Update: Application

- Application GUI framework up and running
- Initial database coded
- Setting up for wireless connection to microcontroller
- Once receiving sample data start testing and modifying database if needed
- After database is fully functional can start coding calculations and modifying plotting function to correctly display PV graphs



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Status Update: Mounting System and Housing

- Mounting System is completed
- Attaching the housing unit to the track, is being analyze
 - Torsion spring
 - Screws (Vise)

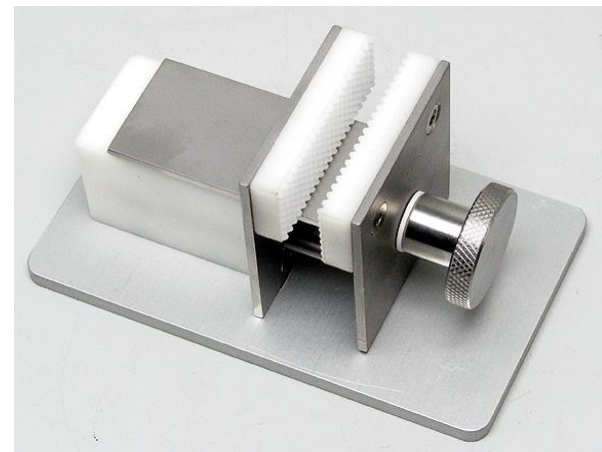
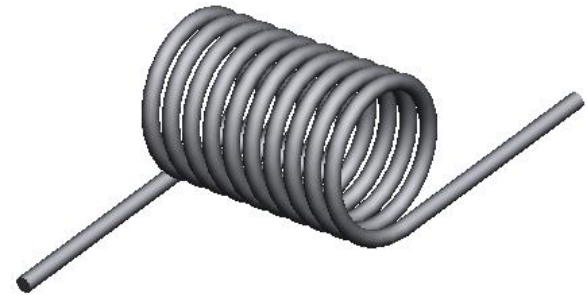
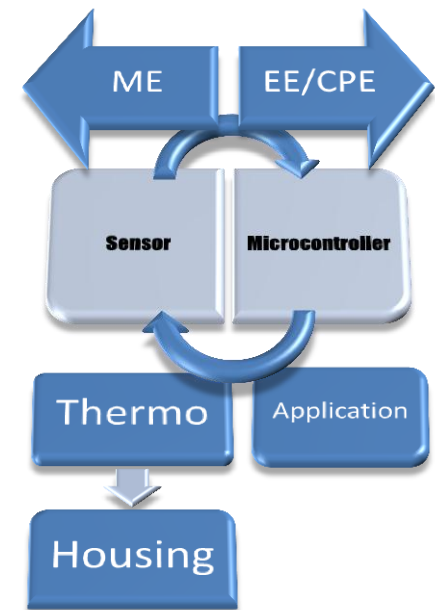


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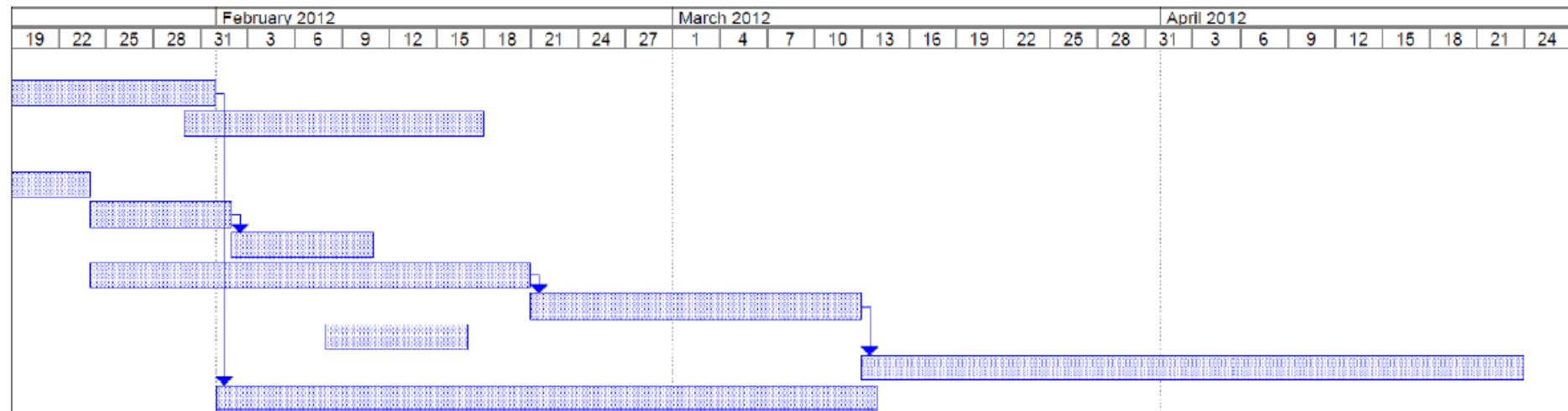
Summary - Plan of Attack

- Work on project segments then combine to make a whole product
 - Sensors
 - Housing
 - Thermodynamics
 - Microcontroller
 - Application
- Modular Design
 - Develop and interface components
- Test and calibrate system
- Modify system for portability and demonstration purposes



Spring Schedule

ID	Task Name	Duration	December 2011					January 2012										
			2	5	8	11	14	17	20	23	26	29	1	4	7	10	13	16
1	Configure Linux OS on SBC	6 days																
2	Configure Electrical components for Signal Processing	14 days																
3	Verify Sending and Receiving Signal, Calibrate Accordingly	15 days																
4	Setup Android Database	7 days																
5	Simulate Receiving Data	7 days																
6	Configure conversion from velocity to PV	7 days																
7	Configure Graph for data we get	7 days																
8	Code Kernel Modules for Time Stamping	20 days																
9	Code User-Space program for Top-Level Functions	15 days																
10	Configure Wireless Access Point	7 days																
11	Test and Calibrate Entire System	30 days																
12	Construct Housing Solution For Electrical Components	30 days																



Questions



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