ShopiPal Autonomous Carrying Cart

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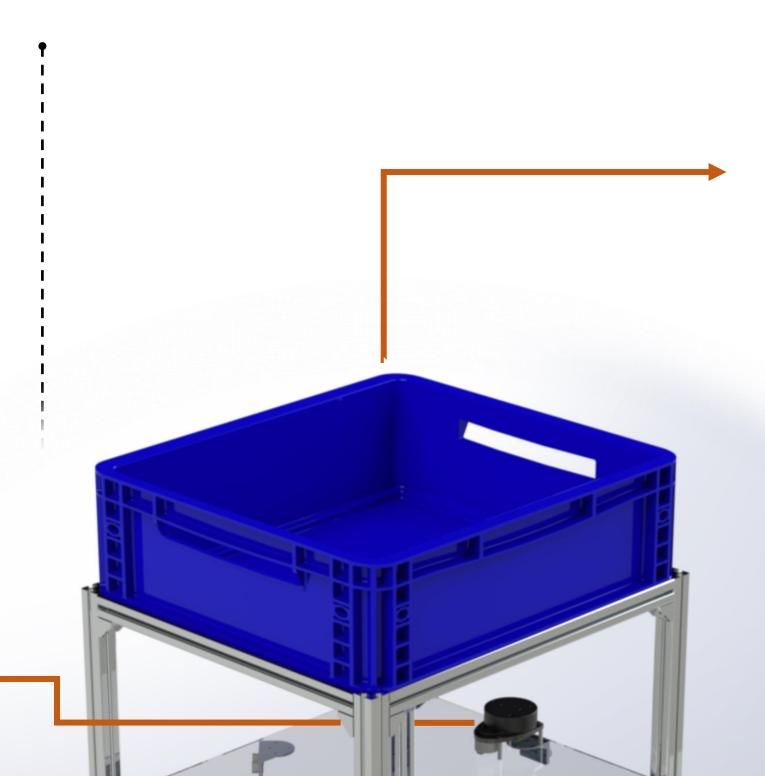
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Project Goals

Development an autonomous mobile carrying cart robot in order to improve the manual picking process in supermarkets and warehouses. The robot can scan the indoor environments in real time to build a completely independent map that is used to localize and self-navigate through an ever-changing facility in efficiently and safely way. By that, this In-Store solution will eliminate the need for infrastructures changes and could be easily integrated and run in minimal time

Robot Navigation

Robot Navigation, Localization and Environment mapping



Requirements

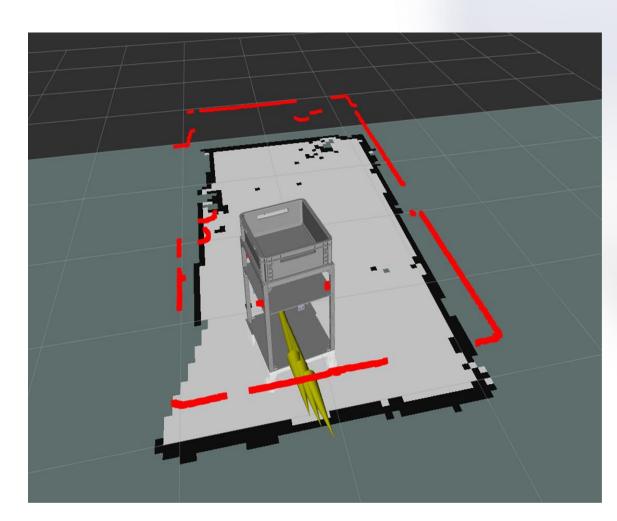
Mechanics requirements

- Max load 20kg
- Max velocity 1 m/s
- Max acceleration 1 m/s^2
- Work time 3h

Algorithm requirements

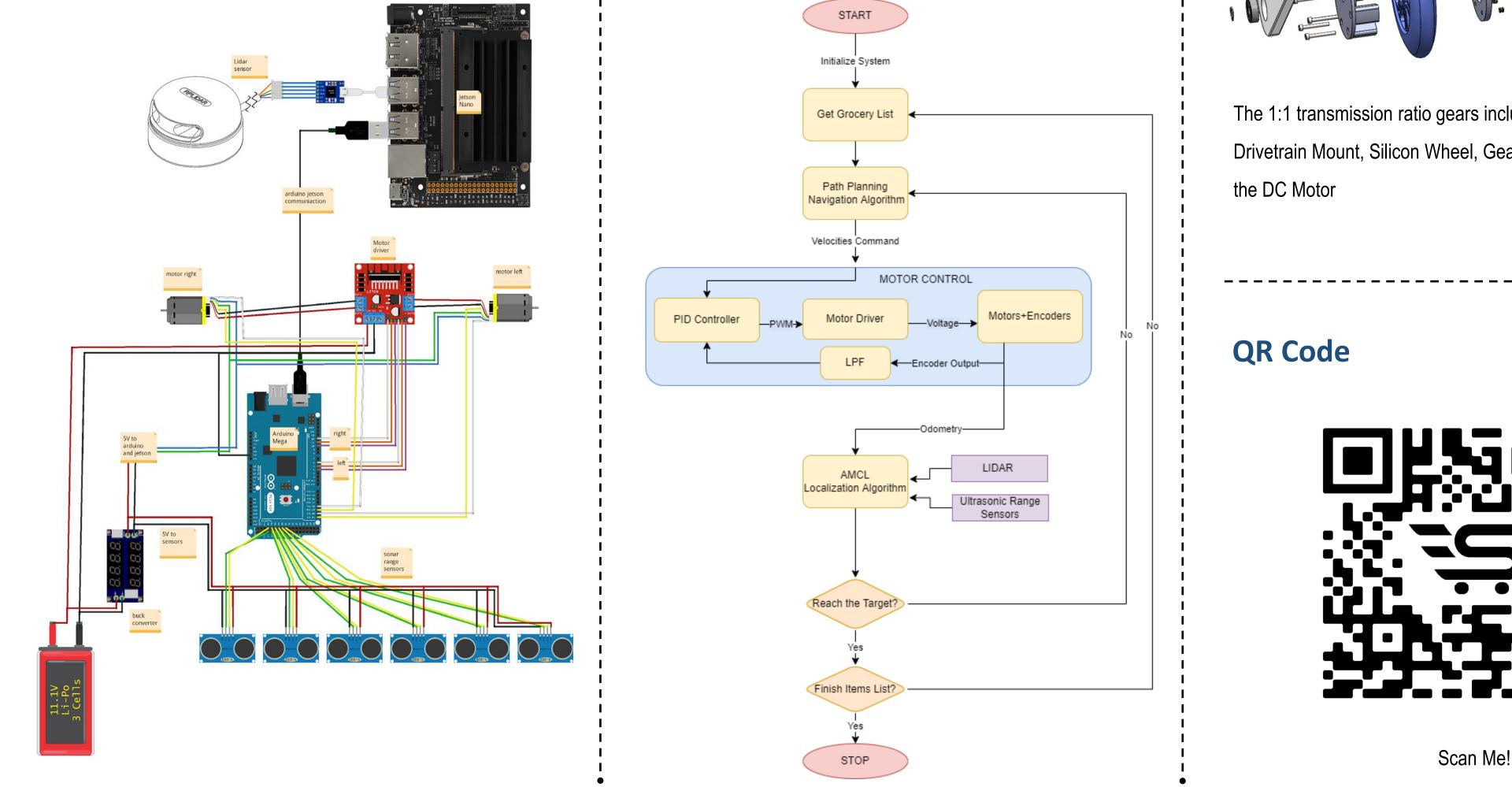
- Velocity control
- Localization ability
- Autonomous navigation
- Obstacle avoidance

using SLAM (Simultaneous Localization and Mapping) algorithms



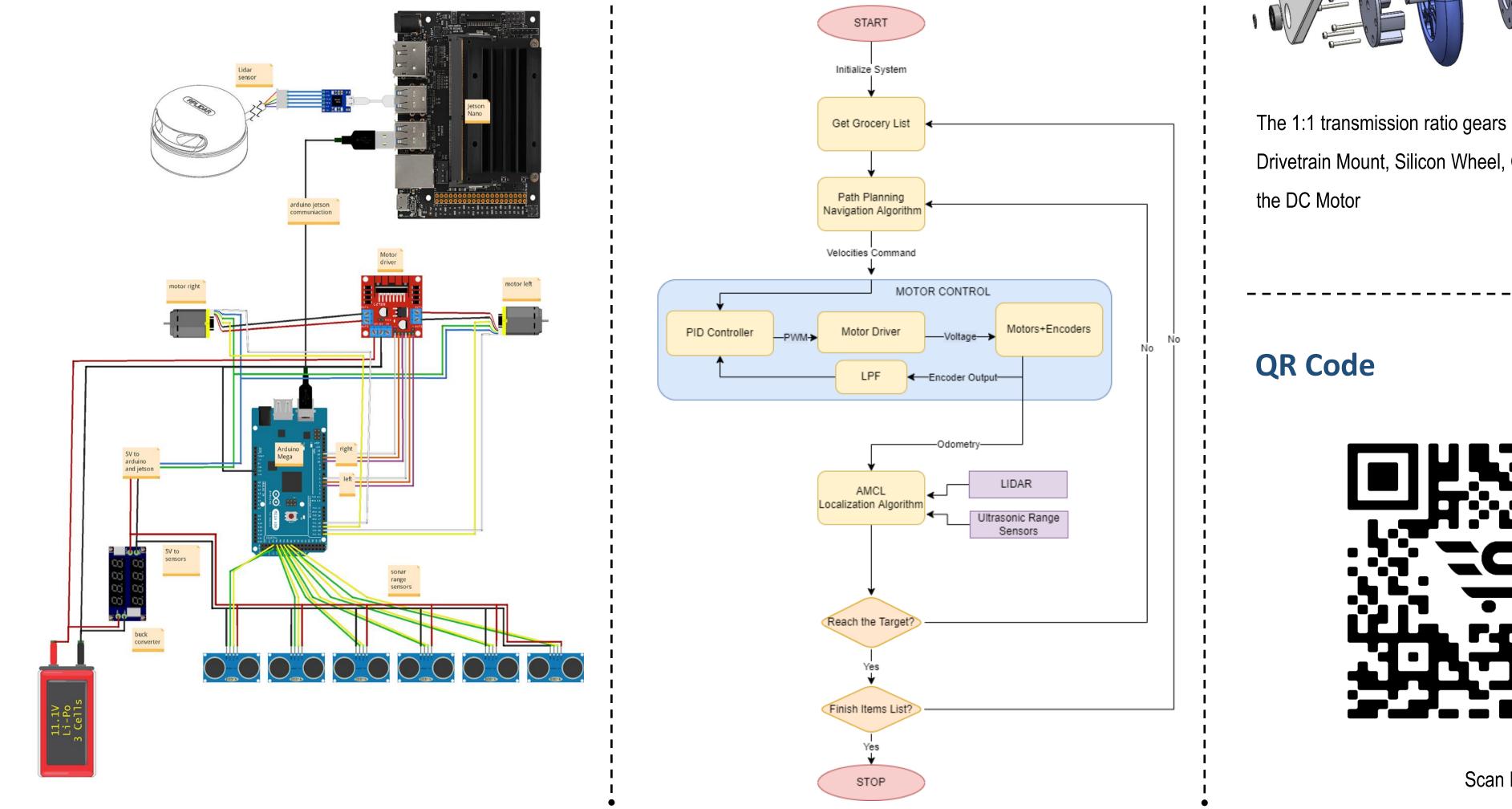
System Architecture

Using Arduino Mega in order to control system's hardware and low-level tasks, combined with Nvidia Jetson Nano for highlevel tasks such as running the Robot Operating System (ROS) and navigation algorithms.



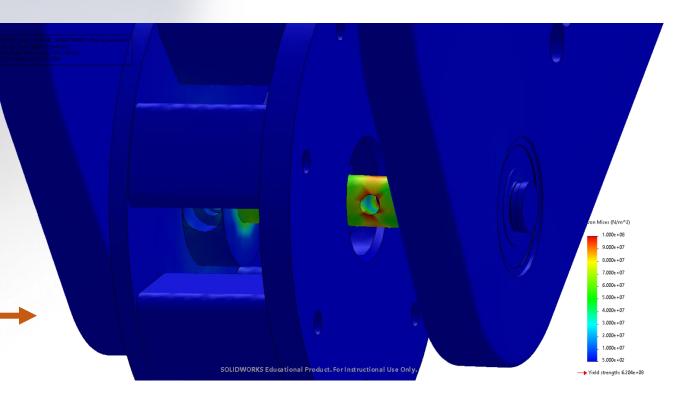
Block Diagram

System logic flow.



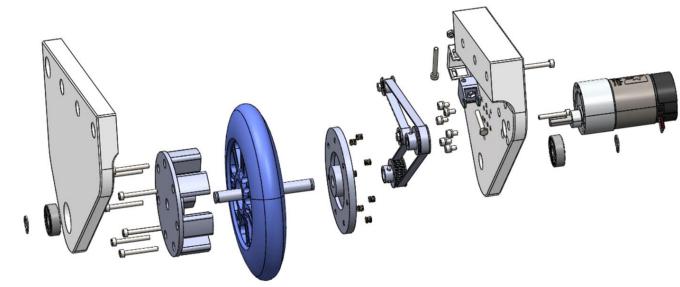
System Drivetrain

Stress Analysis



A successful stress analysis of the system drivetrain under maximal load.

Exploded View



The 1:1 transmission ratio gears include:(from left to right) Drivetrain Mount, Silicon Wheel, Gear system, timing belt and

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