

SIEMENS

Group 14 – Progress Presentation

Solar Powered Wireless Infrared Monitoring System

Kenny Becerra
Michelle Hopkins
Jonathan Jennings

Joseph Besler
Alexander Hull
Nixon Lormand



Advisors: Dr. Hollis, Dr. Arora

Presentation at a Glance

Project Background

- Goal Statement
- Targets
- Objectives
- System Design

Progress Overview

- Interim Design Review
- Procurement
- Site Visit

Project Redefinition

- Restated Goals
- Restated Scope
- Project Schedule

Project Background

Need Statement • Goal Statement • Objectives • System Design

Project Background

Needs Statement

There is a need for an improved method of monitoring critical equipment under operation in power plants.

Goal Statement

Design a proposed complete system that can monitor a wide range of equipment for problematic operation.

Objectives

1. Decrease equipment interference on operating systems.
2. Decrease manual work needed for preventative maintenance.
3. Design a stand-alone system that does not consume any auxiliary power.
4. Create cost savings through the elimination of need for numerous existing systems.

Objective 1

Infrared
Camera

Objective 2

Wireless
System

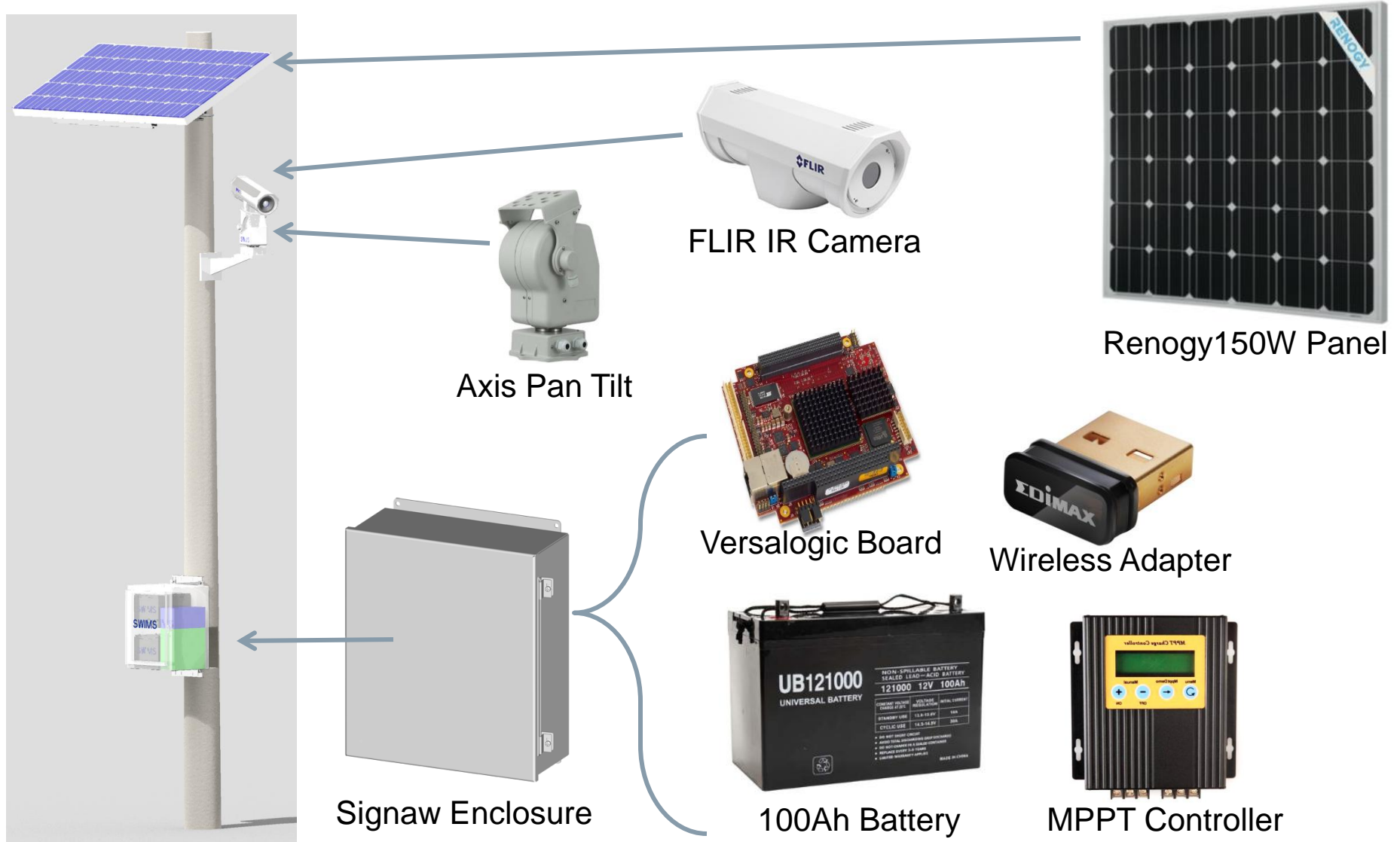
Objective 3

Solar &
Battery
System

Objective 4

Pan Tilt
Module

System Design



Progress Overview

Interim Design Review • Procurement • Site Visit

Interim Design Feedback

Recommendations

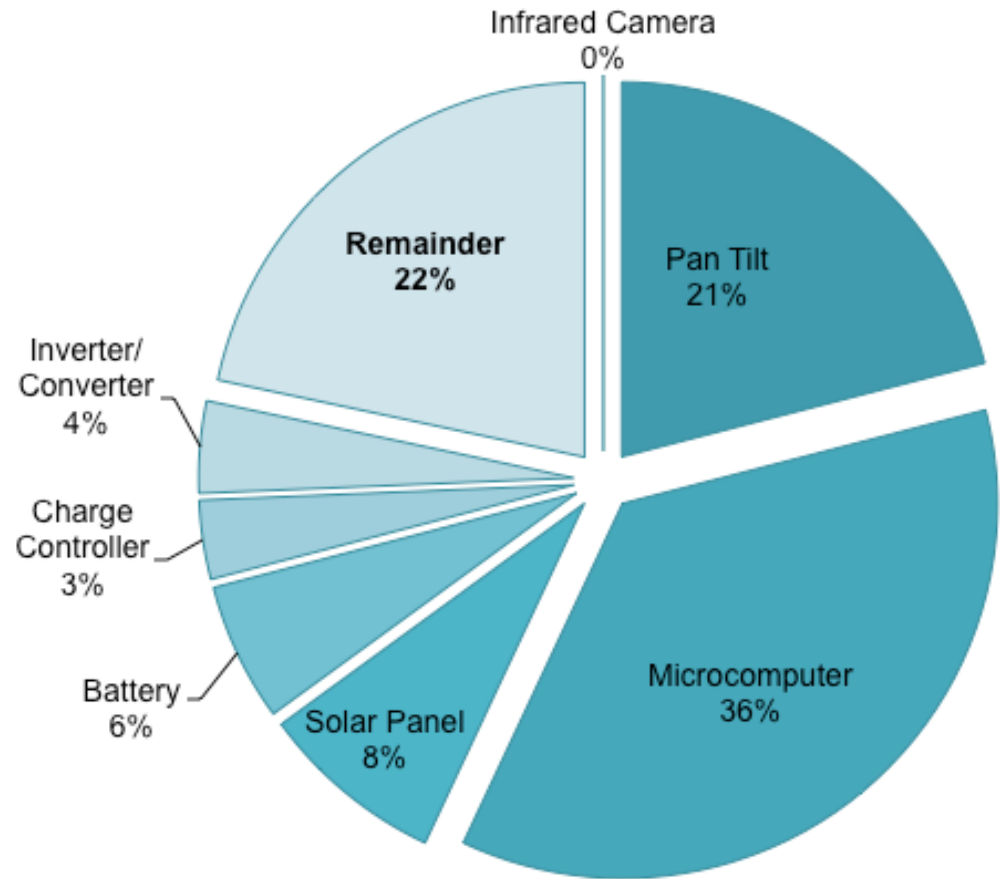
- Non-Hart is acceptable
 - 1 way communication
 - Remote laptop
- Mounting
 - Steel pole with bolted base
 - Fiberglass enclosure with cooling
- General
 - Do not over-design
 - System location

Incorporated Changes

- Wi-Fi Communication
- Mounting
 - Smaller Steel pole
 - Fiberglass Enclosure with vents
 - Universal mounting
- Modularized Design

Procurement

Component	Cost
Infrared Camera	\$0
Pan Tilt	\$629.43
Microcomputer	\$1,080.00
Solar Panel	\$239.99
Battery	\$179.00
Charge Controller	\$102.00
Inverter/Converter	\$118.76
Total	\$2349.18
Budget	\$3,000.00
Remainder	\$650.82



R.J. Midulla Site Visit



R.J. Midulla Site Visit



Project Redefinition

Restated Goal • Restated Scope • Project Schedule

Restated Goals & Scope

Primary Goal

Wirelessly transmit infrared images of selected targets while system cycles through set positions.

Secondary Goal

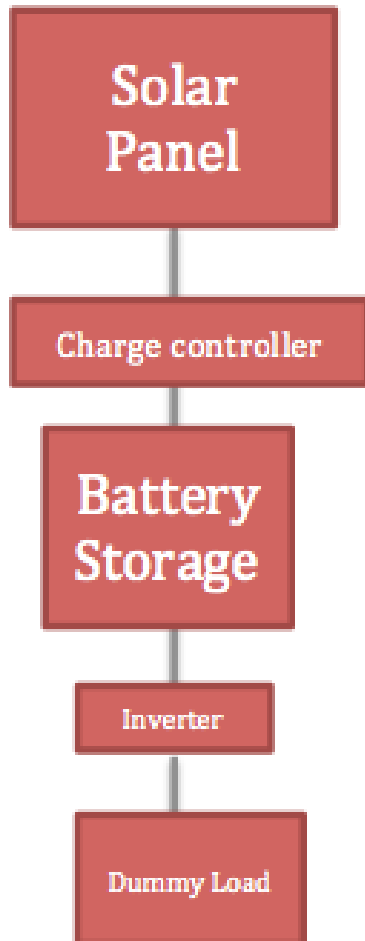
Develop a Graphical User Interface and alarm program to filter information received from targets and notify user when problematic situations occur.

Re-Scoped Prototype

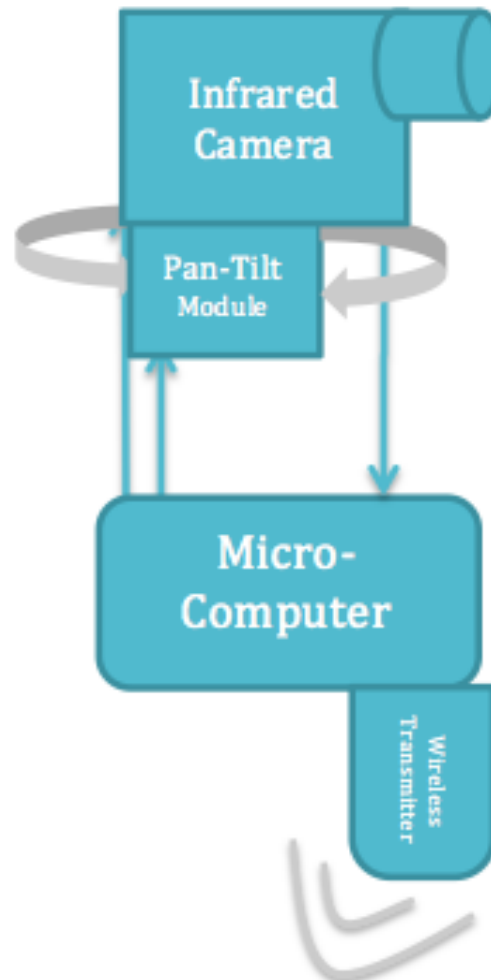
Monitoring System, Power System, Mounting System.

Restated Scope

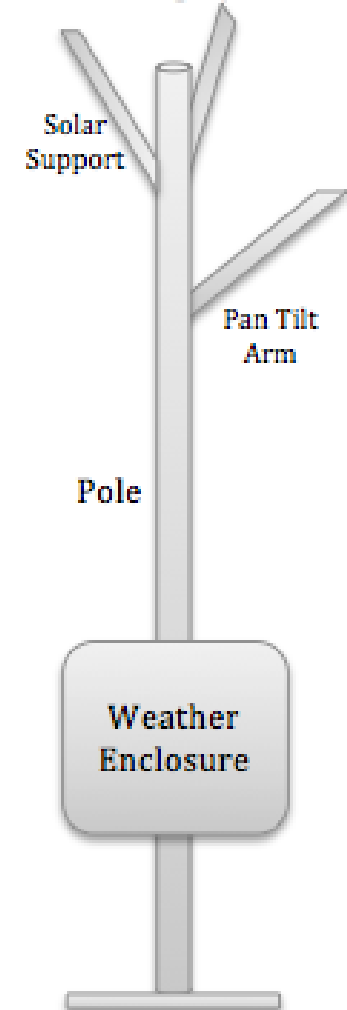
Power System



Monitoring System



Mounting System



Updated Project Plans

Procurement	31 days	Fri 12/5/14	Mon 1/5/15
Prototype Design Freeze	0 days	Fri 12/5/14	Fri 12/5/14
Major Purchase Orders Complete	0 days	Fri 12/12/14	Fri 12/12/14
Component Lead Time	21 days	Mon 12/15/14	Sun 1/4/15
Major Components Received	0 days	Mon 1/5/15	Mon 1/5/15
Second Phase Project Definition	30 days	Tue 1/6/15	Thu 2/5/15
Site Visit	0 days	Tue 1/6/15	Tue 1/6/15
Team Reformation	0 days	Thu 1/8/15	Thu 1/8/15
Restated Scope Report Due	0 days	Fri 1/16/15	Fri 1/16/15
Progress Presentation	0 days	Thu 1/22/15	Thu 1/22/15
Staff Meeting 5	0 days	Thu 1/29/15	Thu 1/29/15
Website Update Due	0 days	Thu 2/5/15	Thu 2/5/15
Prototype Development	66 days	Mon 1/19/15	Thu 3/26/15
Power System Development	26 days	Mon 1/19/15	Fri 2/13/15
Component Load Testing	7 days	Mon 1/19/15	Sun 1/25/15
Power Circuit Assembly	5 days	Mon 1/26/15	Fri 1/30/15
Power System Testing	5 days	Sat 1/31/15	Wed 2/4/15
Analysis & Refinement	10 days	Wed 2/4/15	Fri 2/13/15
Midterm Presentation I	0 days	Thu 2/19/15	Thu 2/19/15
Team Evaluation Due	0 days	Fri 2/20/15	Fri 2/20/15
Staff Meeting 6	0 days	Thu 2/26/15	Thu 2/26/15
Monitoring System Development	47 days	Mon 1/19/15	Fri 3/6/15
Camera Programming	20 days	Mon 1/19/15	Sat 2/7/15
Pan Tilt Programming	20 days	Fri 1/23/15	Wed 2/11/15
Wireless Communication Programming	20 days	Sat 1/31/15	Thu 2/19/15
Monitoring Circuit Assembly & Testing	7 days	Fri 2/20/15	Thu 2/26/15
Refinement	7 days	Sat 2/28/15	Fri 3/6/15
Mounting System Development	49 days	Mon 1/19/15	Sun 3/8/15
Component Reselection	7 days	Mon 1/19/15	Sun 1/25/15
Procurement & Lead Time	28 days	Mon 1/26/15	Sun 2/22/15
Pre-Assembly	7 days	Mon 2/23/15	Sun 3/1/15
Testing & Refinement	7 days	Mon 3/2/15	Sun 3/8/15
Midterm Presentation II	0 days	Thu 3/19/15	Thu 3/19/15
Team Evaluation 2 Due	0 days	Fri 3/20/15	Fri 3/20/15
Staff Meeting 7	0 days	Thu 3/26/15	Thu 3/26/15
Final Assembly	14 days	Mon 3/23/15	Sun 4/5/15

