

### Optimization of the Turning Mechanism on a Maritime Target System - Team 21



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### Motivation

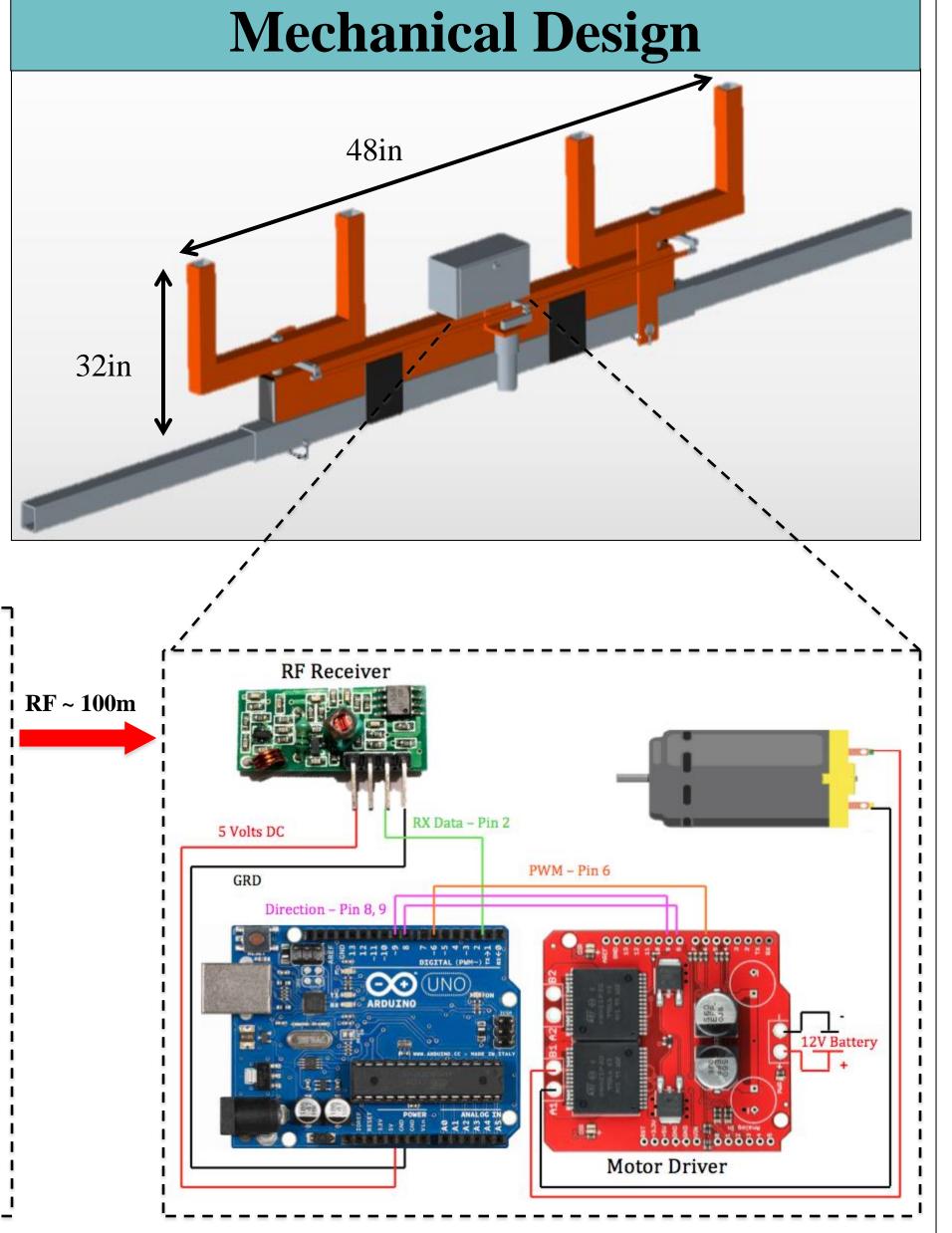
- To contribute to technological advancements in the field of defense
- Provide state-of-the-art Heuristic training systems to law enforcement agencies, all branches of the military and private marksmanship training
- Implement mobile application controlled target systems that enhances simplicity and motion of targets

### **Background**

- Target practice is a key form of military & police firearm training
- Optimal Heuristic Training: Learning to shoot while instinctually accounting for extreme environment (wind, water, unstable ground, etc.)
- Current maritime target systems on the market fall short of true heuristic training

## INSPECT RANDOM CUSTOM BT Module RF Transmitter RF Transmitt

### **Fully Integrated System**



### **Objectives**

- Develop a smart device app to control motion of the targets
- Maintain manufacturing affordability for marketability
- Maintain quality of materials, practicality of frame design and ease of assembly.
- Optimize motion of targets (torque, speed, user friendly routines)
- Improve mechanical stability

### **Constraints**

- Controller range: at least 100 meters.
- The mechanical design needs to be waterproof to protect the electronics
- All components need to be corrosion resistant
- Servomotor power: 12V battery
- The final design must operate within the existing frame (4ft x 4ft)
- Mechanical: only use spare parts

# Budget Results Overall Cost Product Cost Total Budget Belden 8219 50 Ohm Coax Cable 3 ft. Pelican 1120 Case 15% Antenna Apparatous 9% Arduino Uno R3 USB Microcontroller 27% Super Power DC 12V Rechargeable 3000mAh Li-lon Battery Pack + AC Adapter US 13% HM10 Bluetooth Module for Arduino 10% Solderless breadboard, 830 tiepoints, 65 jumper wires

### Summary

- Software
  - iOS app: fully functional and user friendly
  - Android app: semi-functional
- Electronics Range
  - Radio Frequency: 32 meters
  - Bluetooth: 65 meters
- Mechanical:
  - Improved prototype stability

### **Future Work**

- Orange paint for all of the new pieces.
- Test all components in an uncontrolled maritime environment
- Optimize smartphone interface for highest possible user-friendliness. Update app to maintain compatibility with new smartphone software
- Make available on App stores

