

Navigation and Thrust Systems for AUVSI RoboBoat

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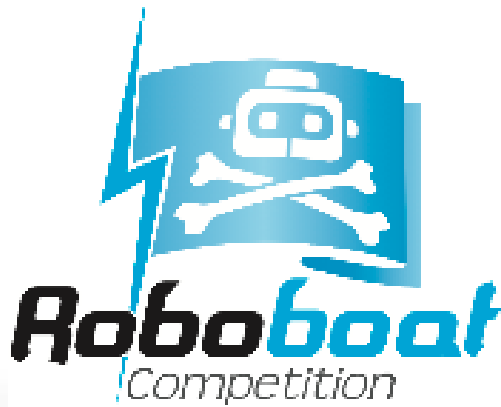
History

- AUVSI – Association for Unmanned Vehicle System International
 - International RoboBoat Competition
 - Bradley University has attended twice

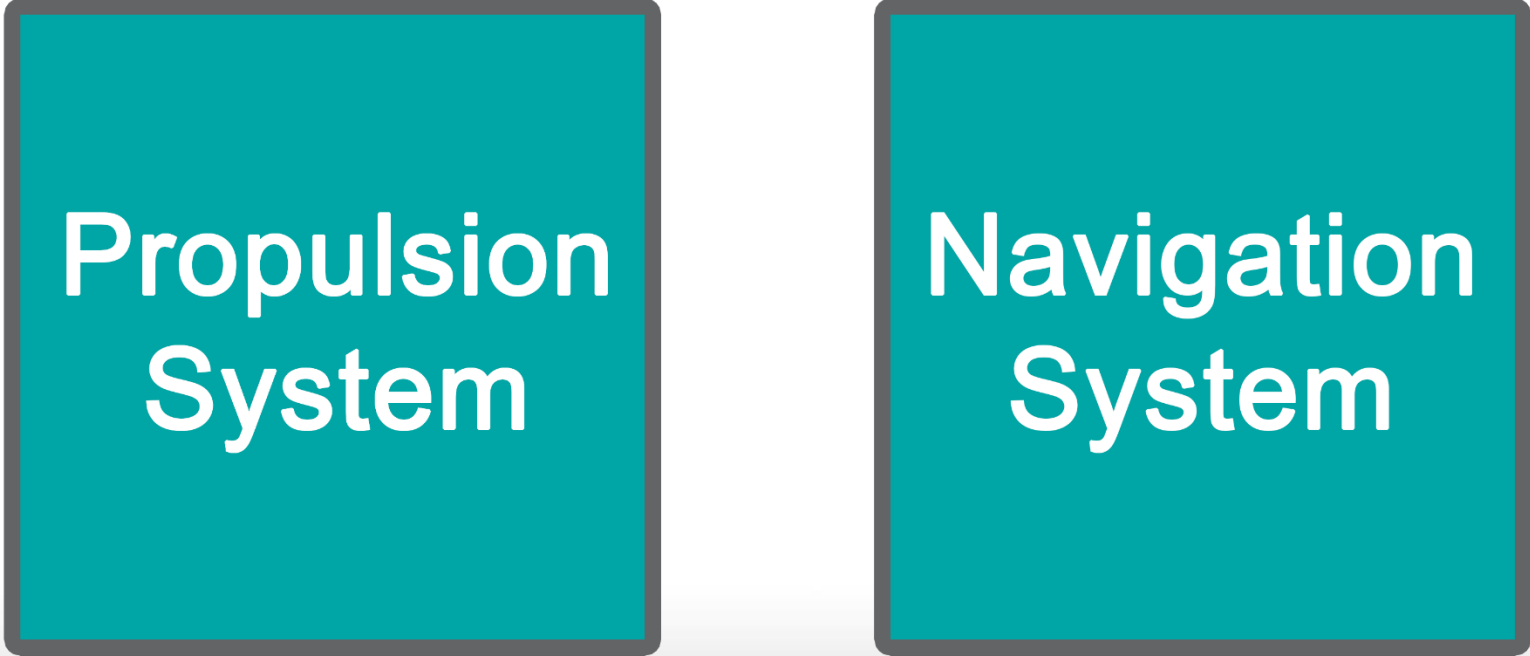


Objective

- Design and Build a System that Serves as the Framework for RoboBoat



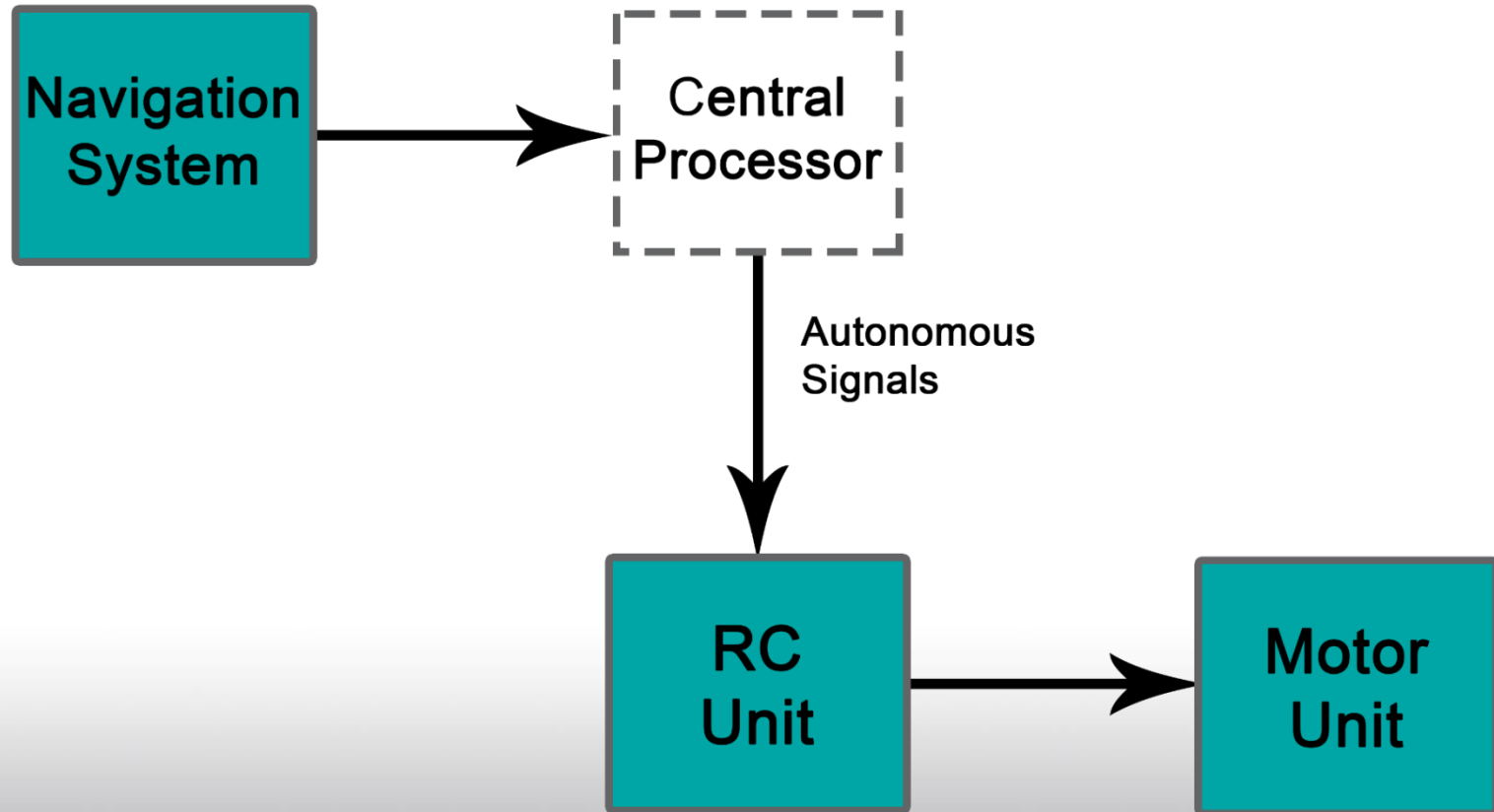
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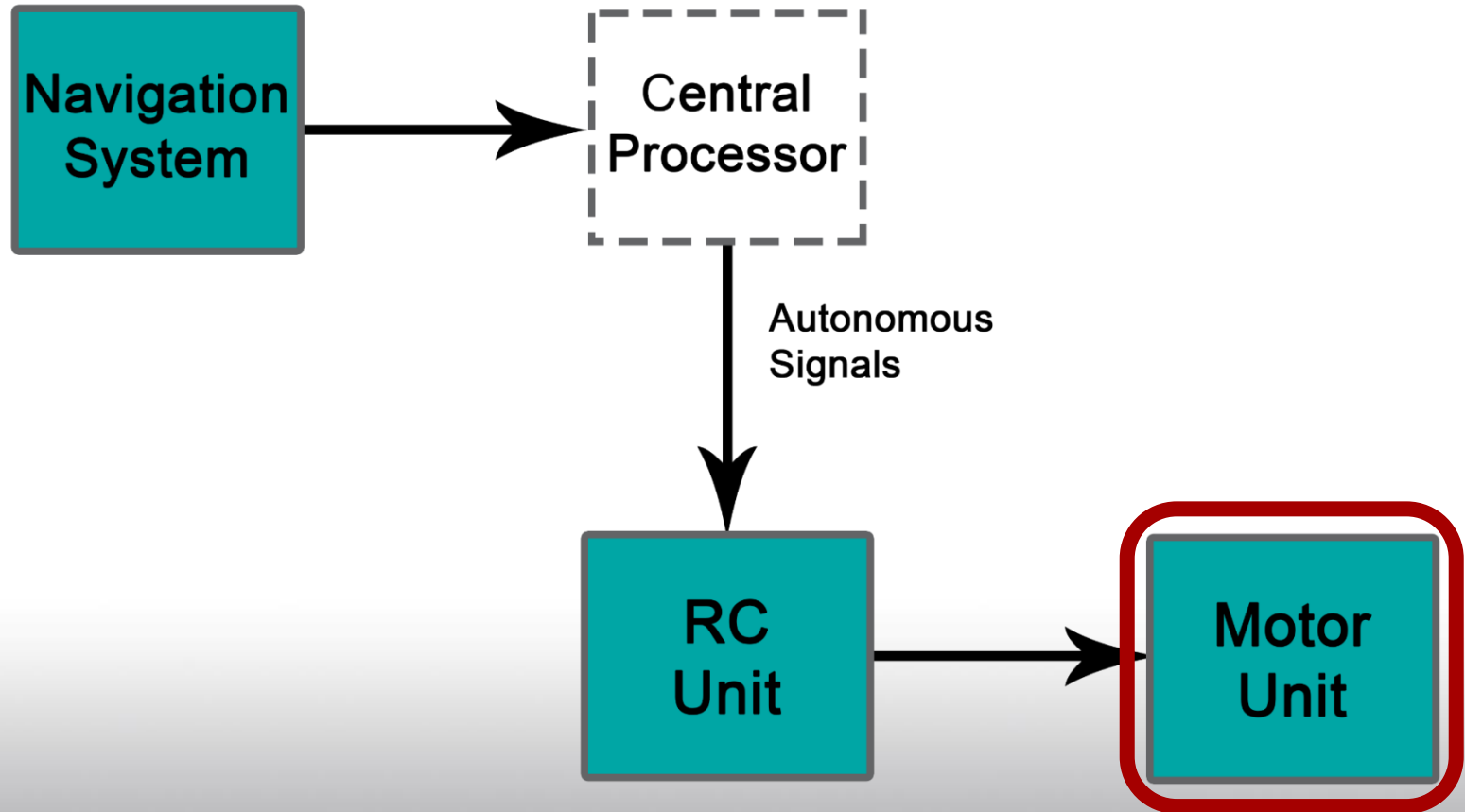
Propulsion
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Navigation
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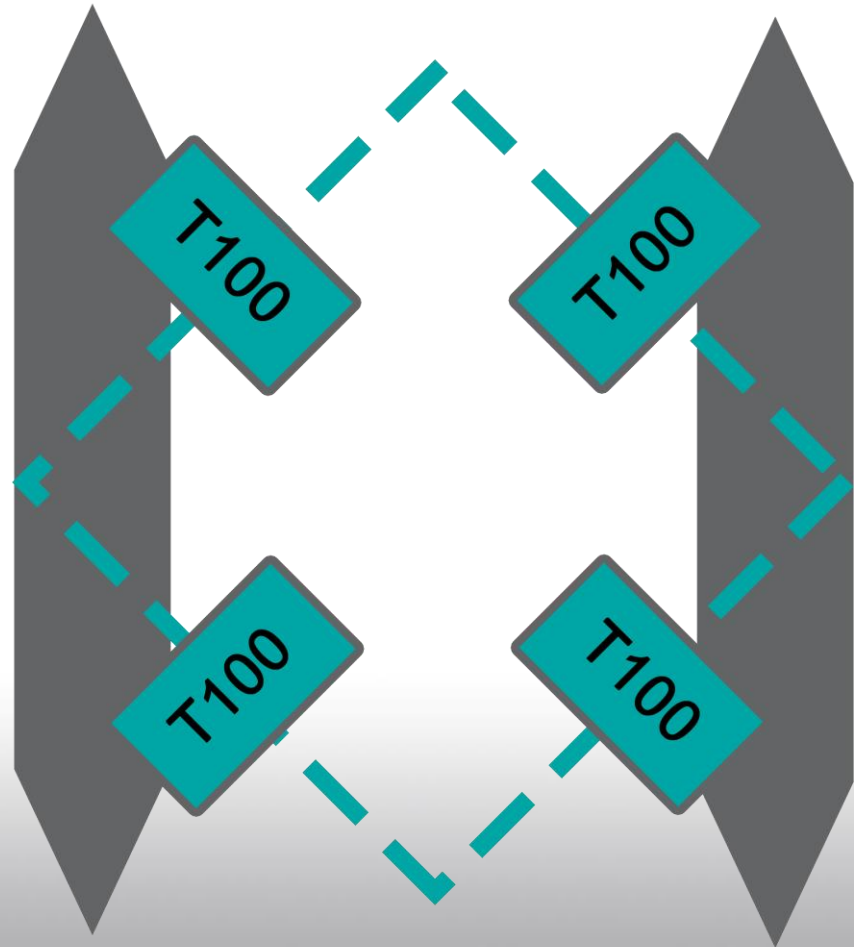


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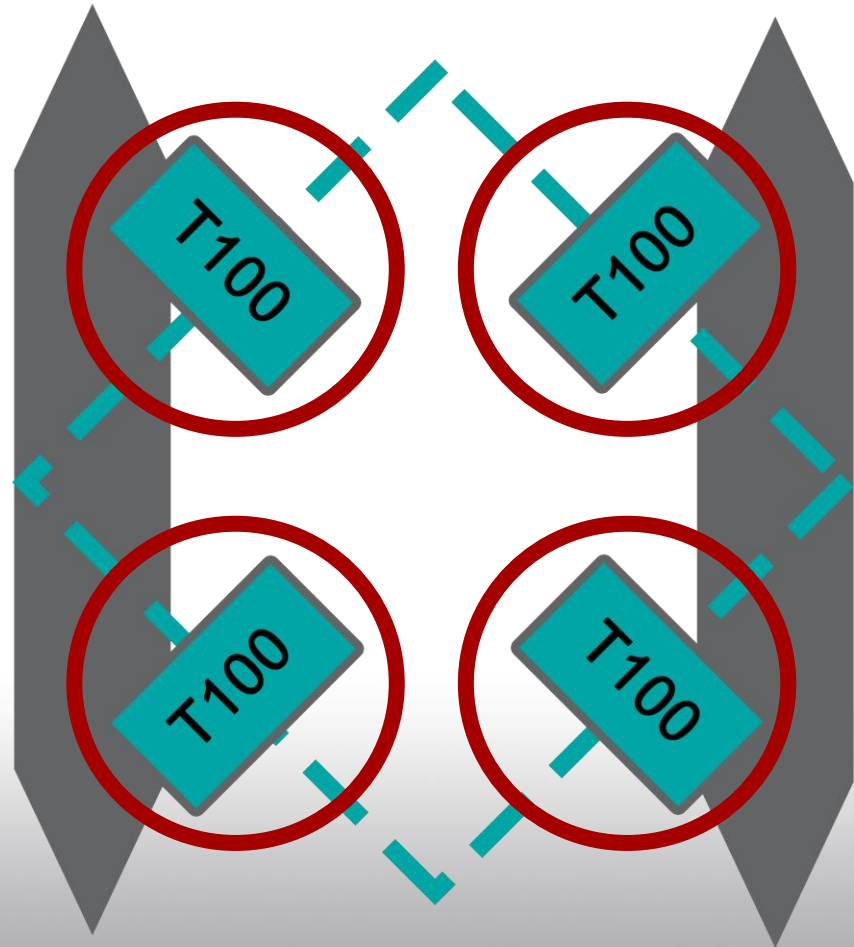
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- Catamaran
 - Pontoon design
- Motor locations
- T100 Thrusters



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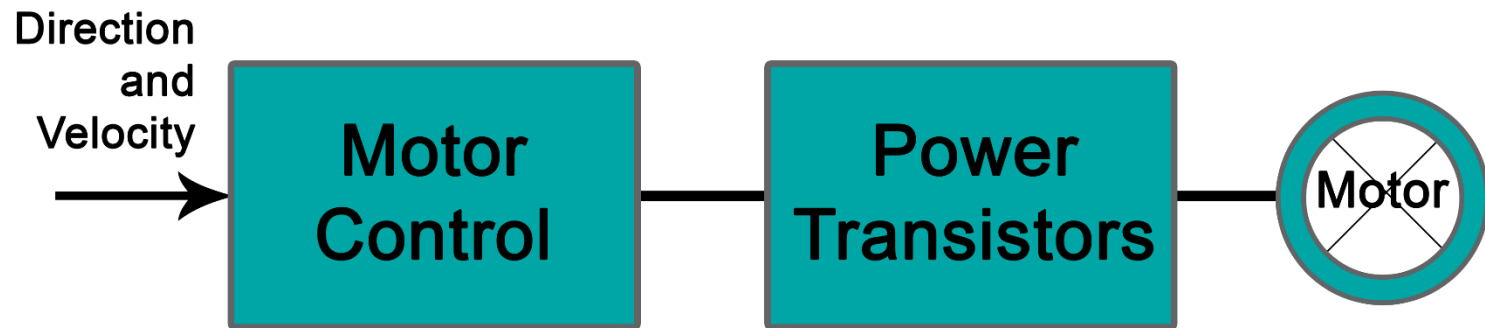
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T100 Thrusters



Motor Control Unit



Division of Labor

Task	Person Assigned to Task
Navigation System	Evan
Remote Control	Evan
Motor Control	Daniel
Power Transistors	Michael

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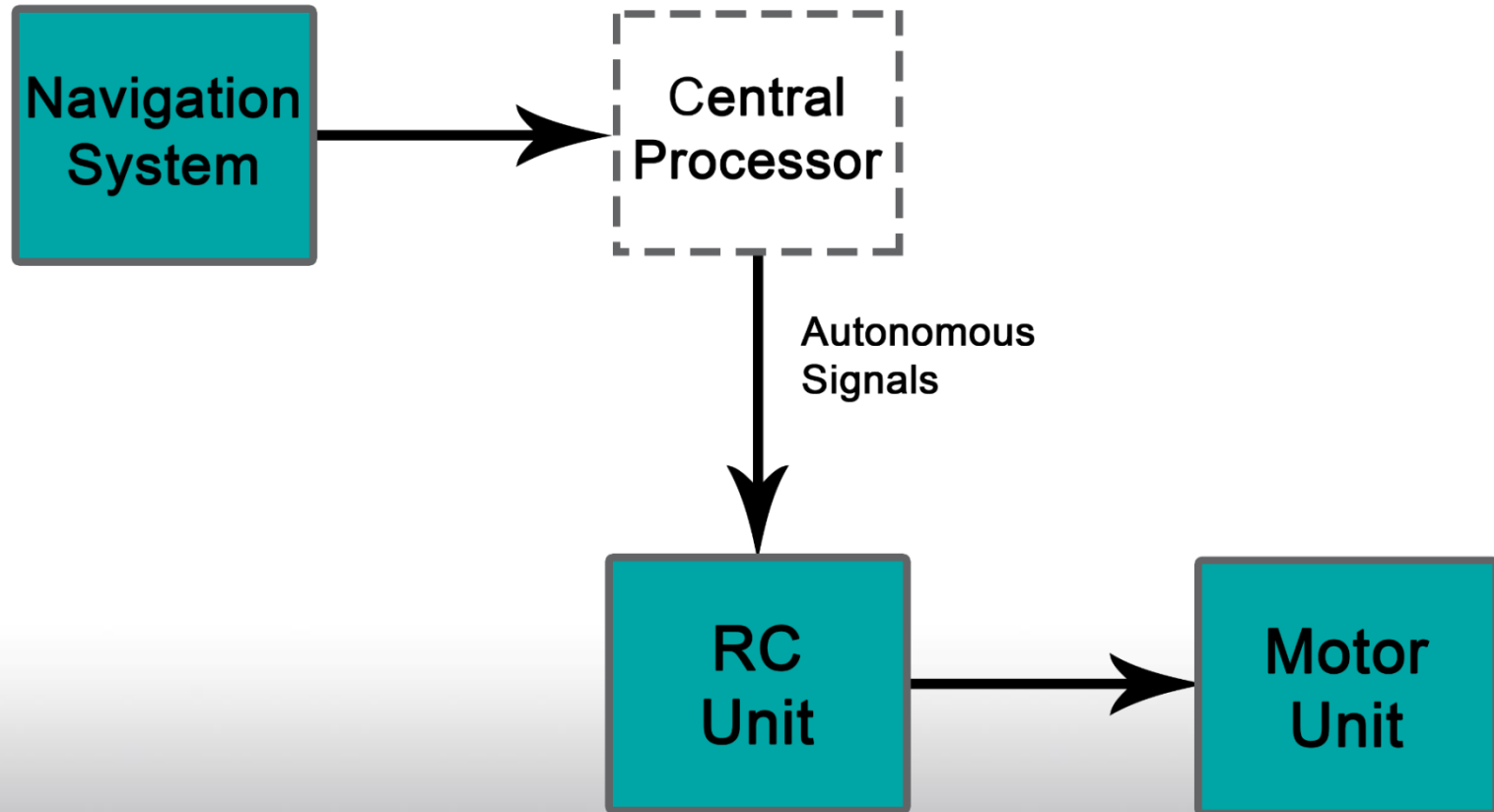
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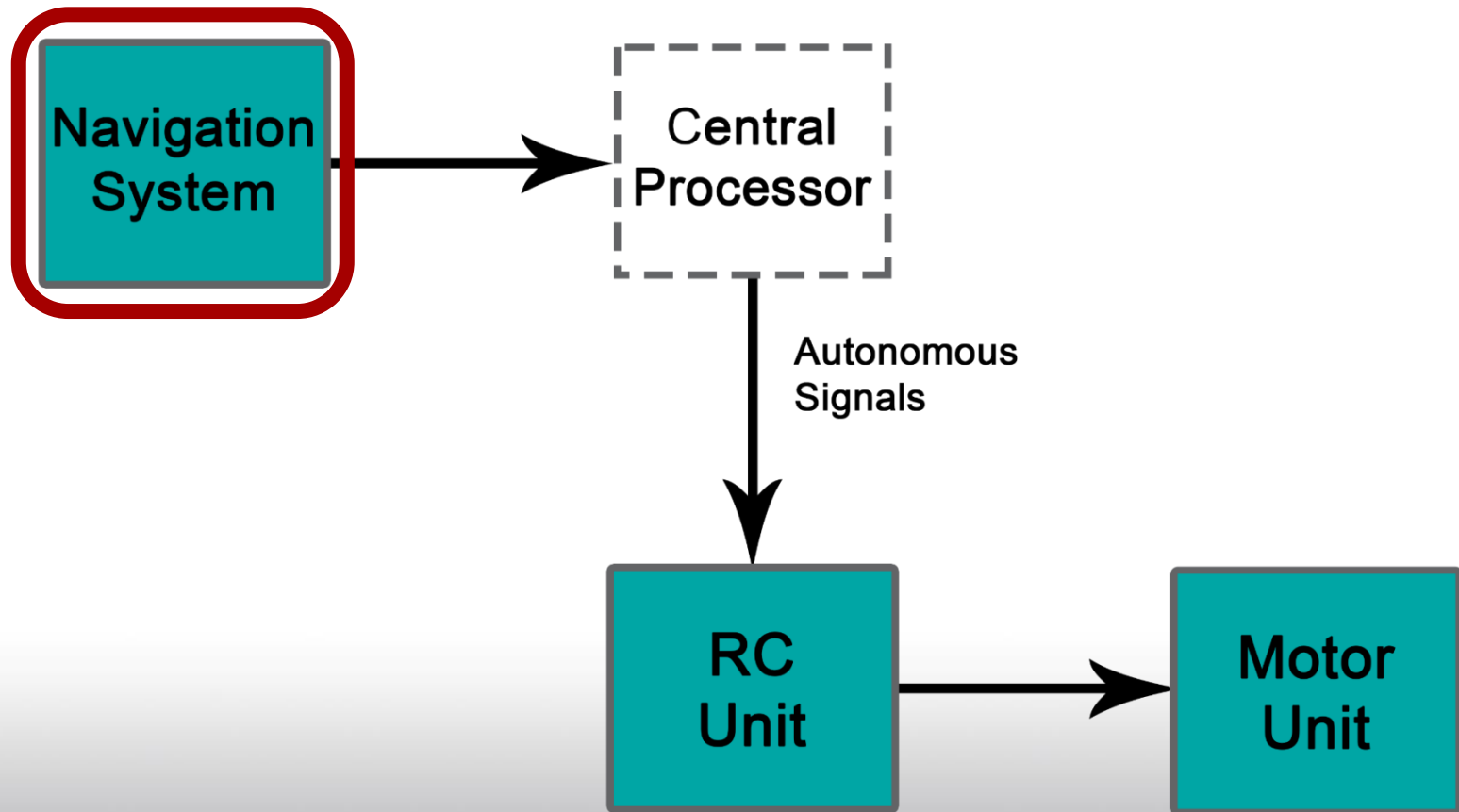
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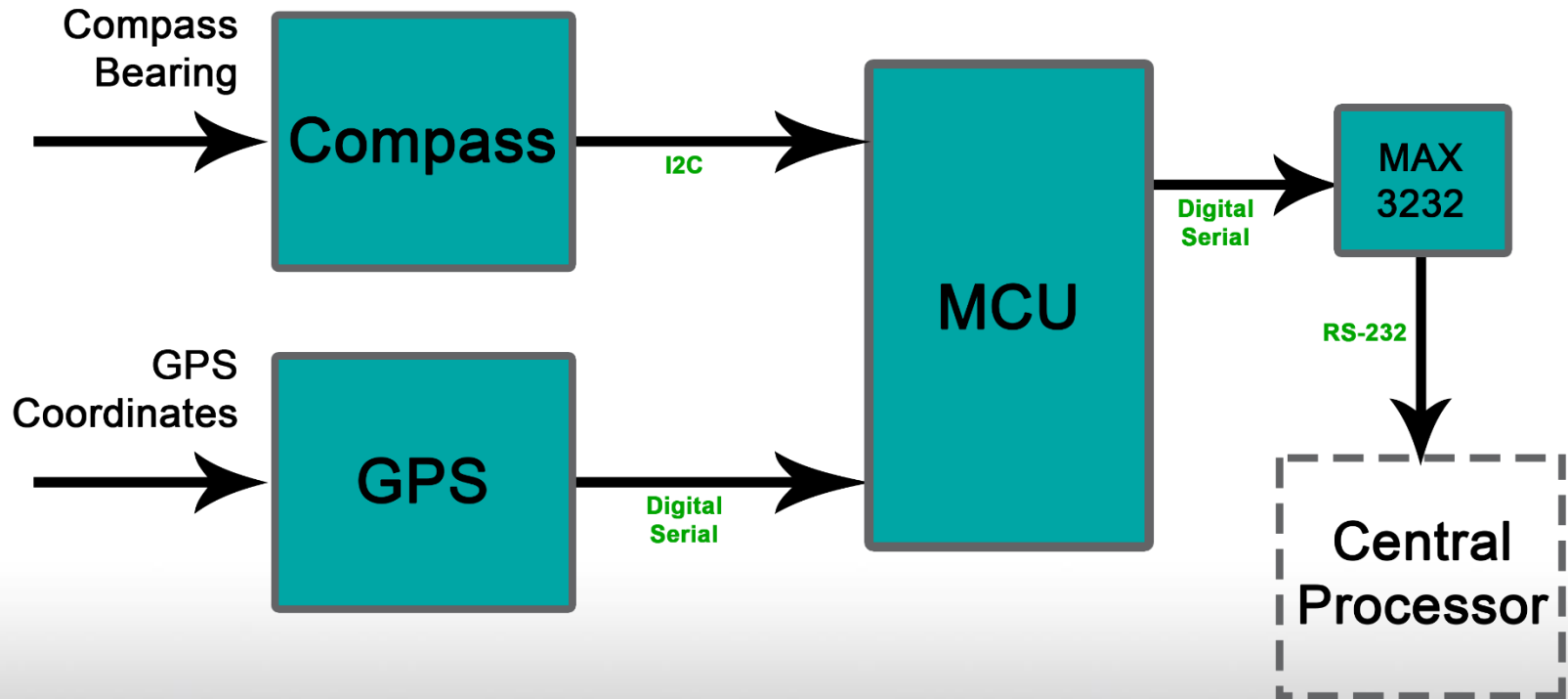
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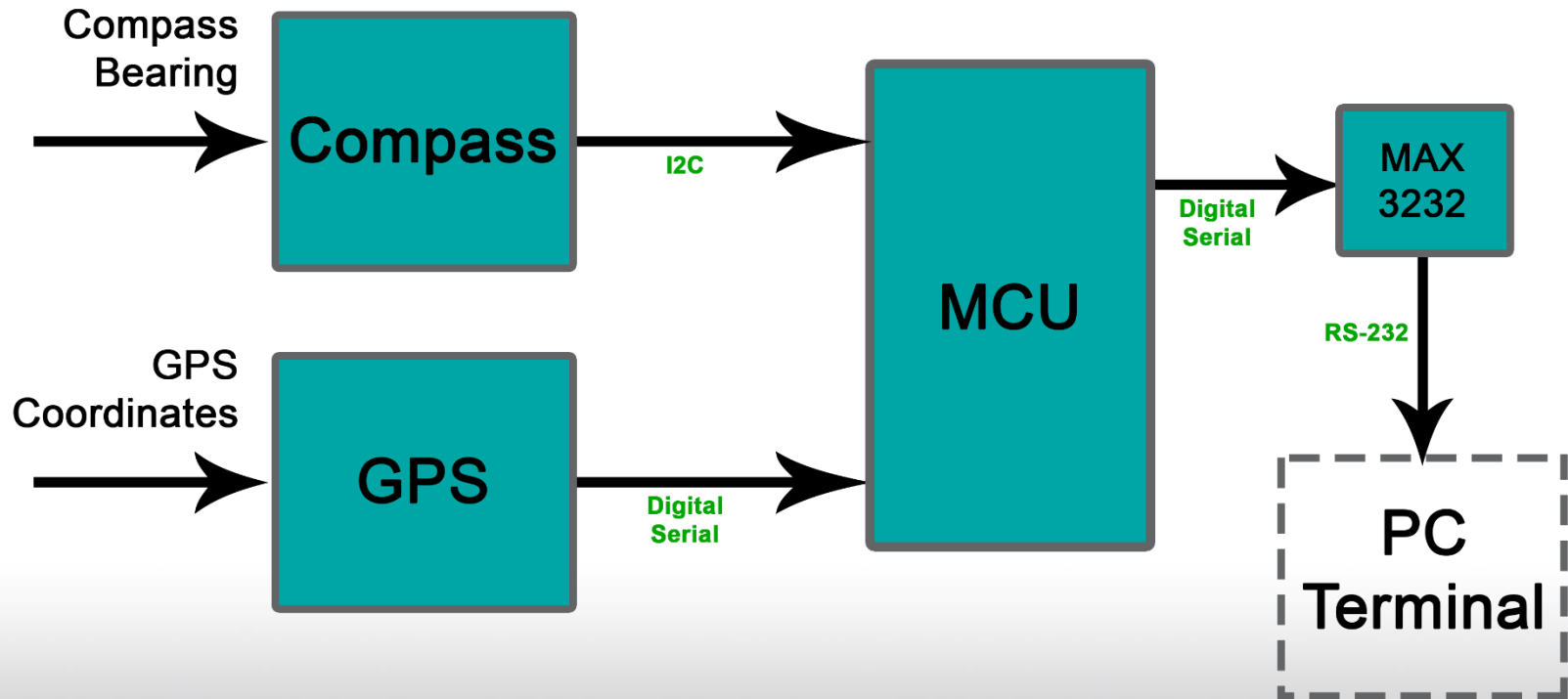
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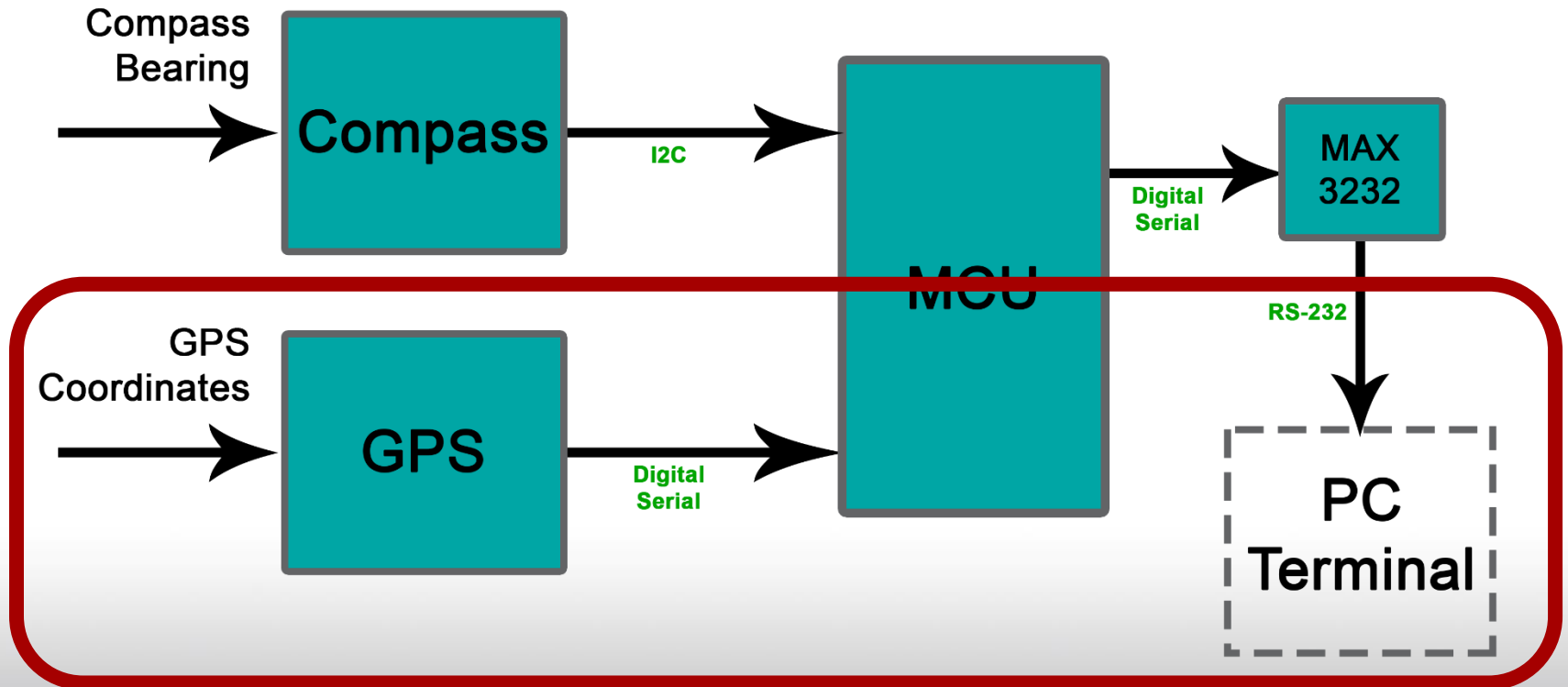
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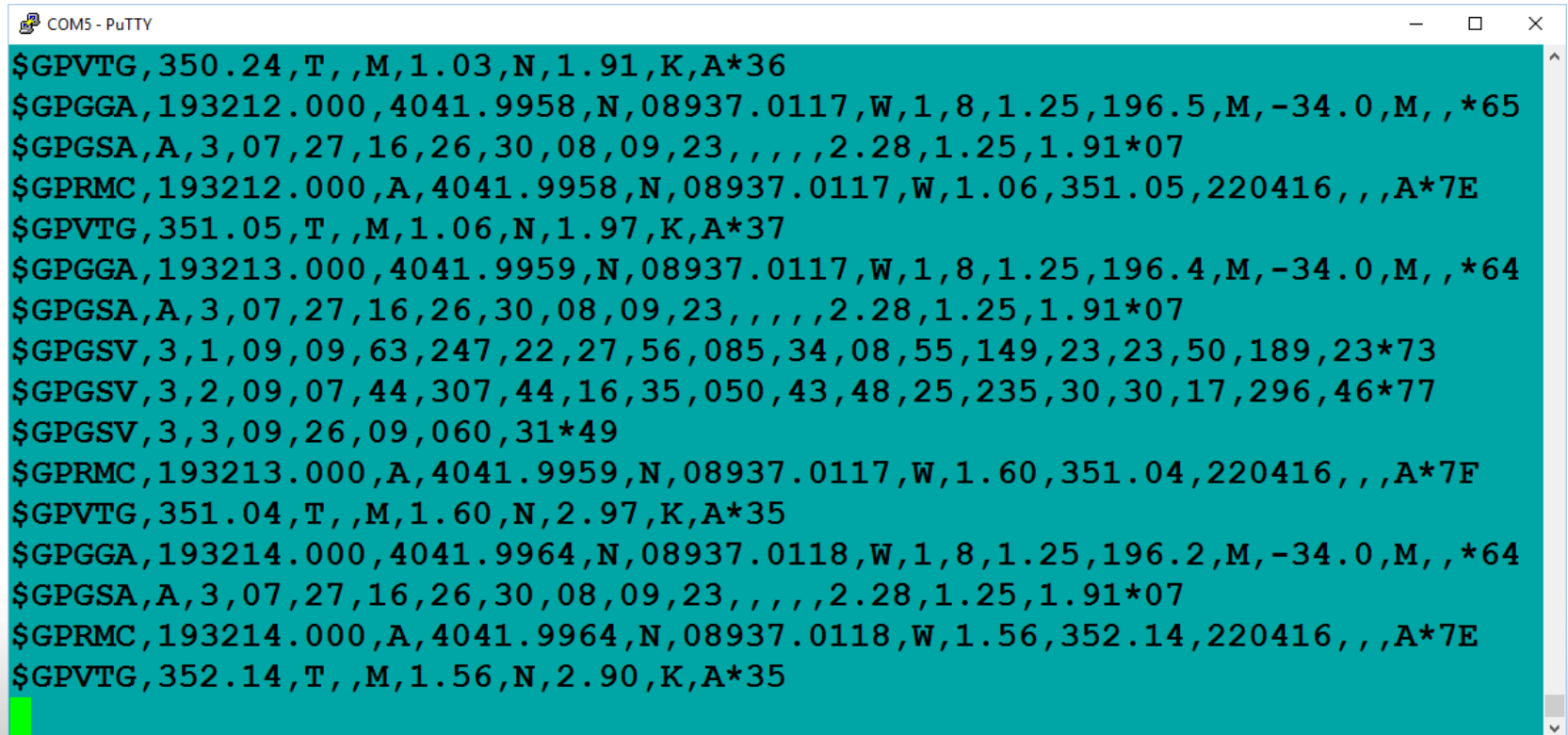
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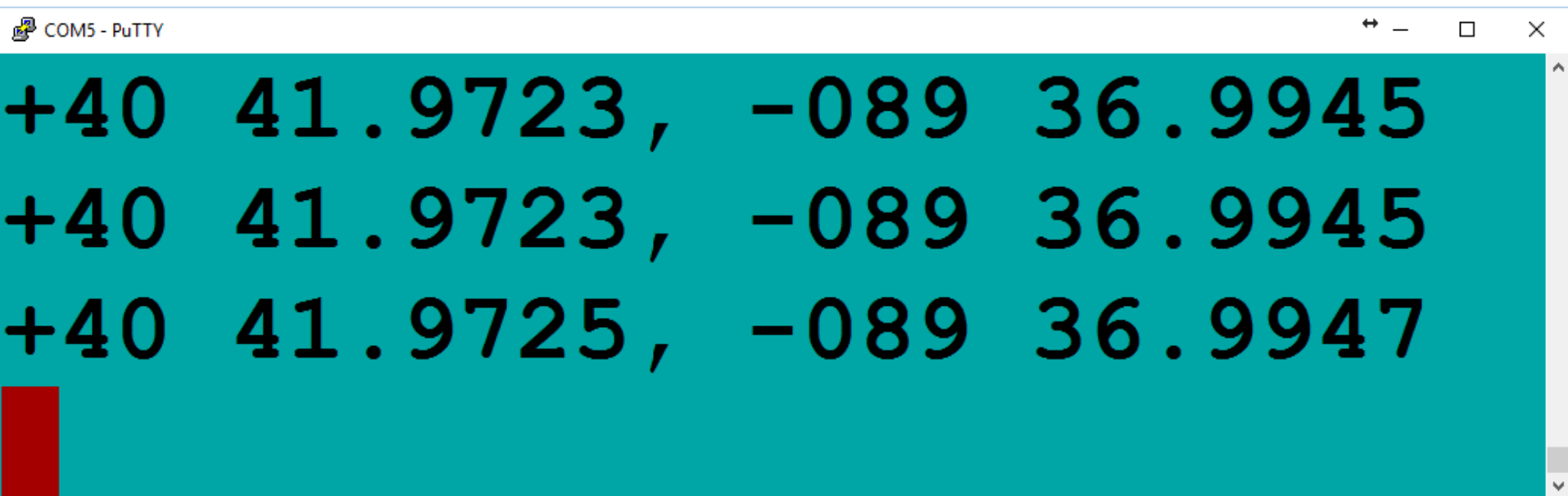
Raw GPS Data



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Serial Stream Directly From GPS Sensor

GPS Output

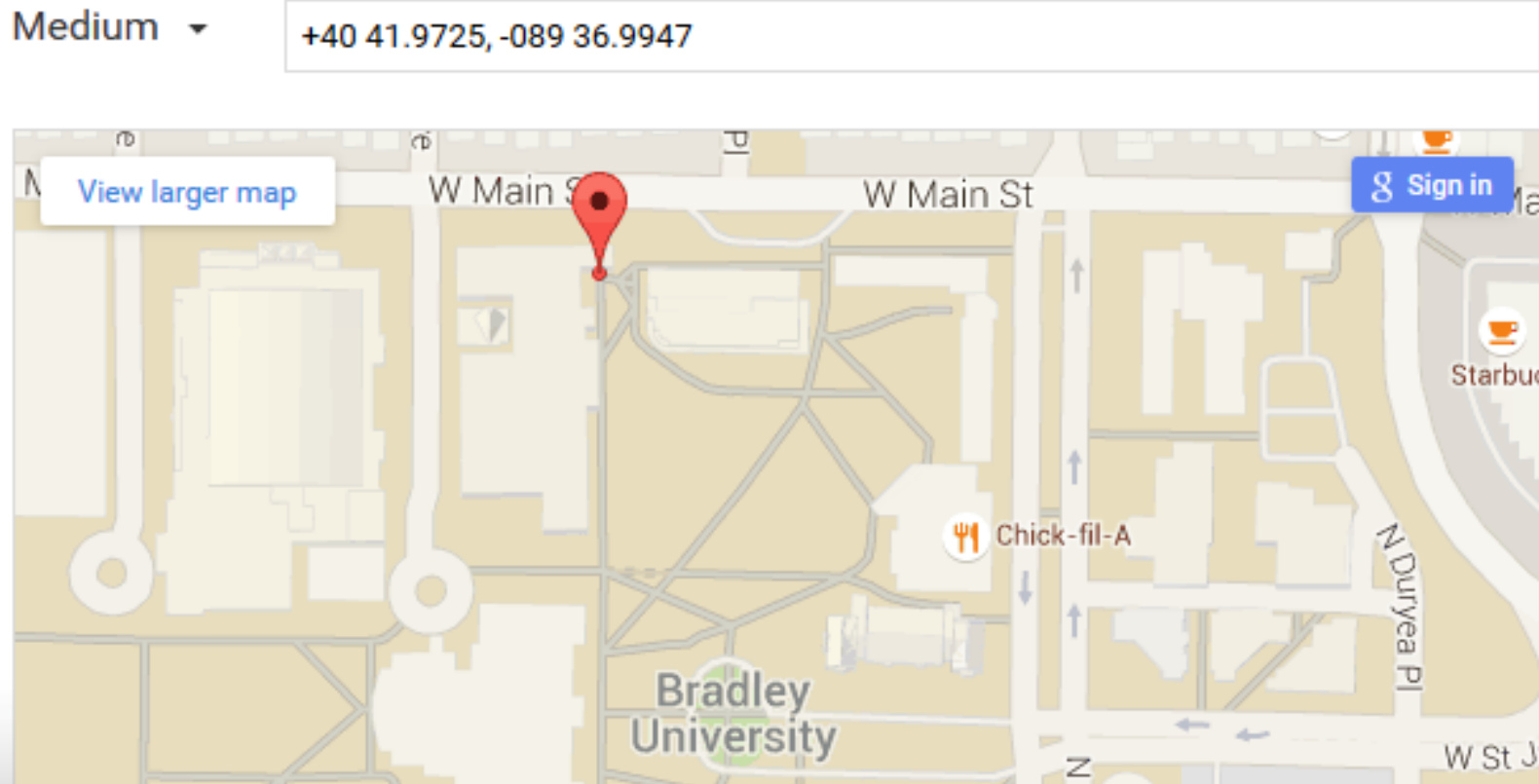


A screenshot of a PuTTY terminal window titled "COM5 - PuTTY". The window has a teal background and displays three lines of GPS data in black text. The data is formatted as: `+40 41.9723, -089 36.9945`, `+40 41.9723, -089 36.9945`, and `+40 41.9725, -089 36.9947`. A red cursor is visible at the end of the third line. The window includes standard PuTTY window controls (minimize, maximize, close) in the top right corner.

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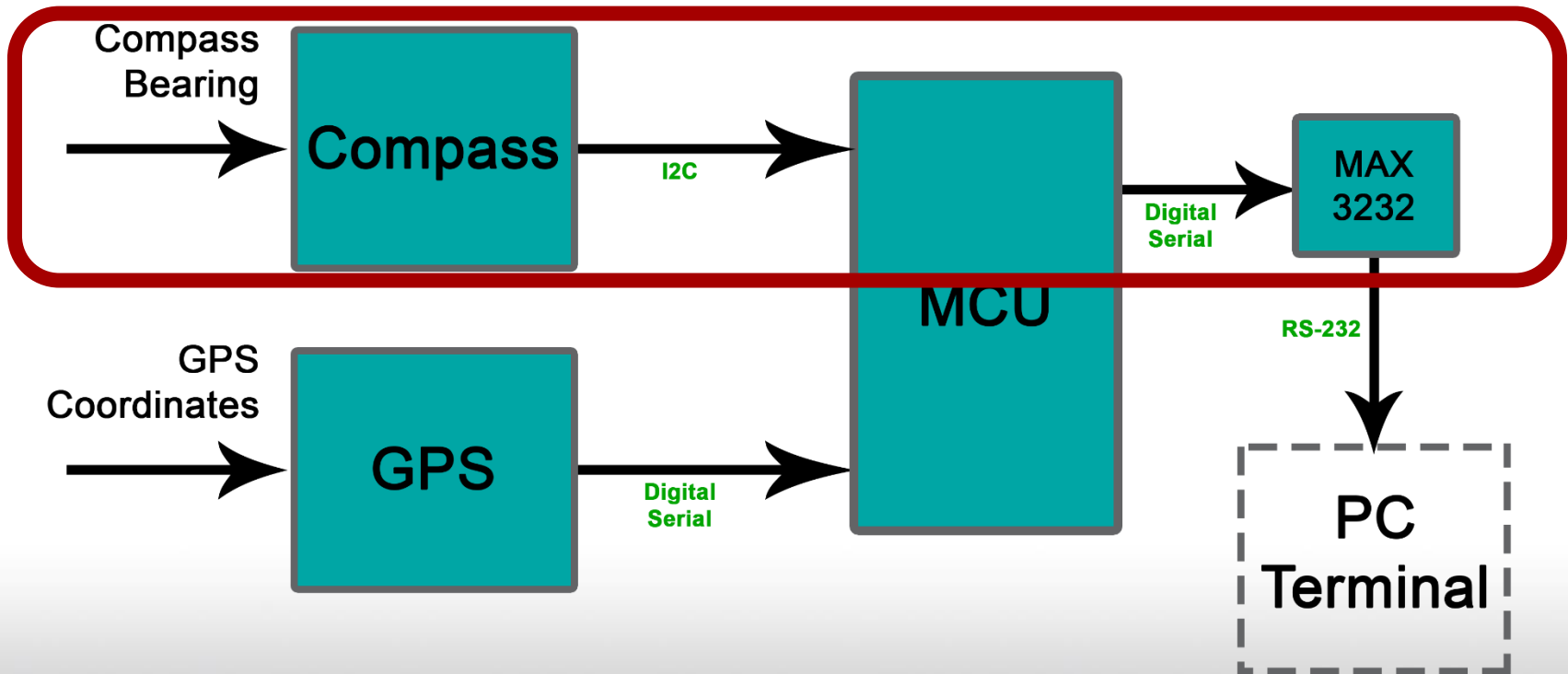
Serial Stream Directly From MCU

Verification of GPS Data

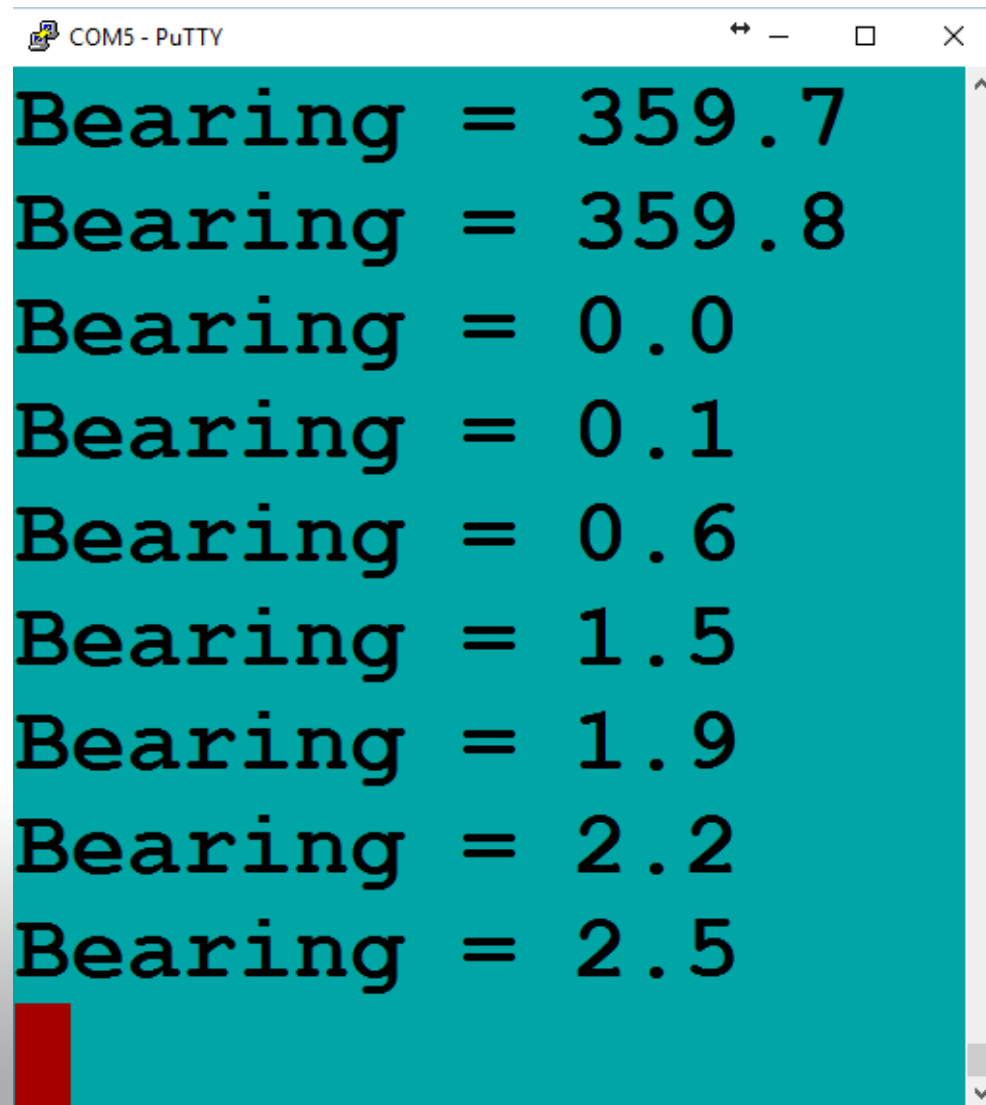


Screenshot of Google Maps

Block Diagram: Navigation

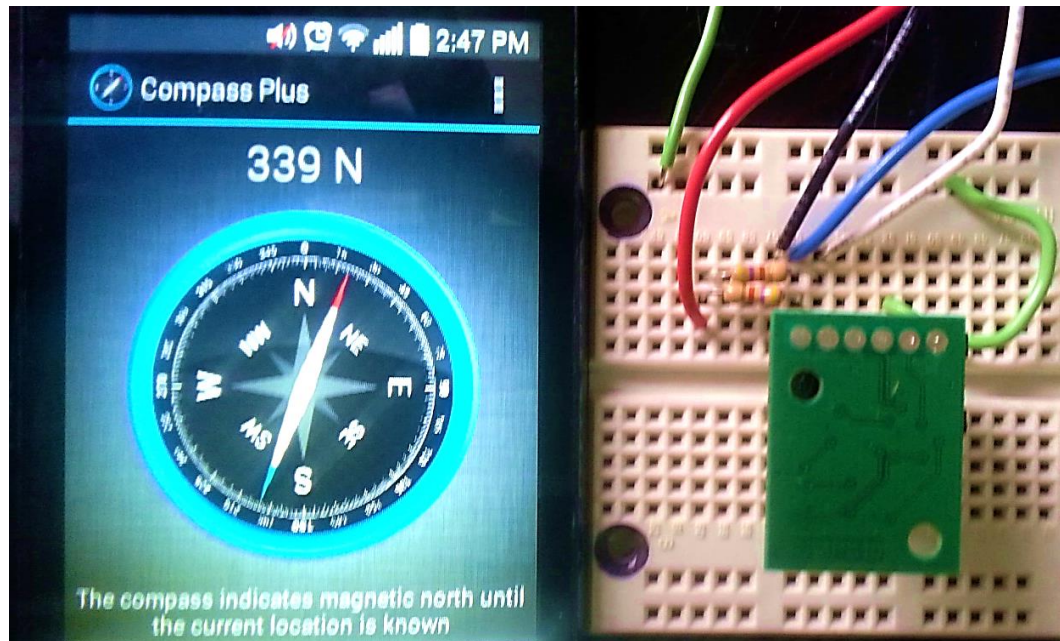


Compass Output



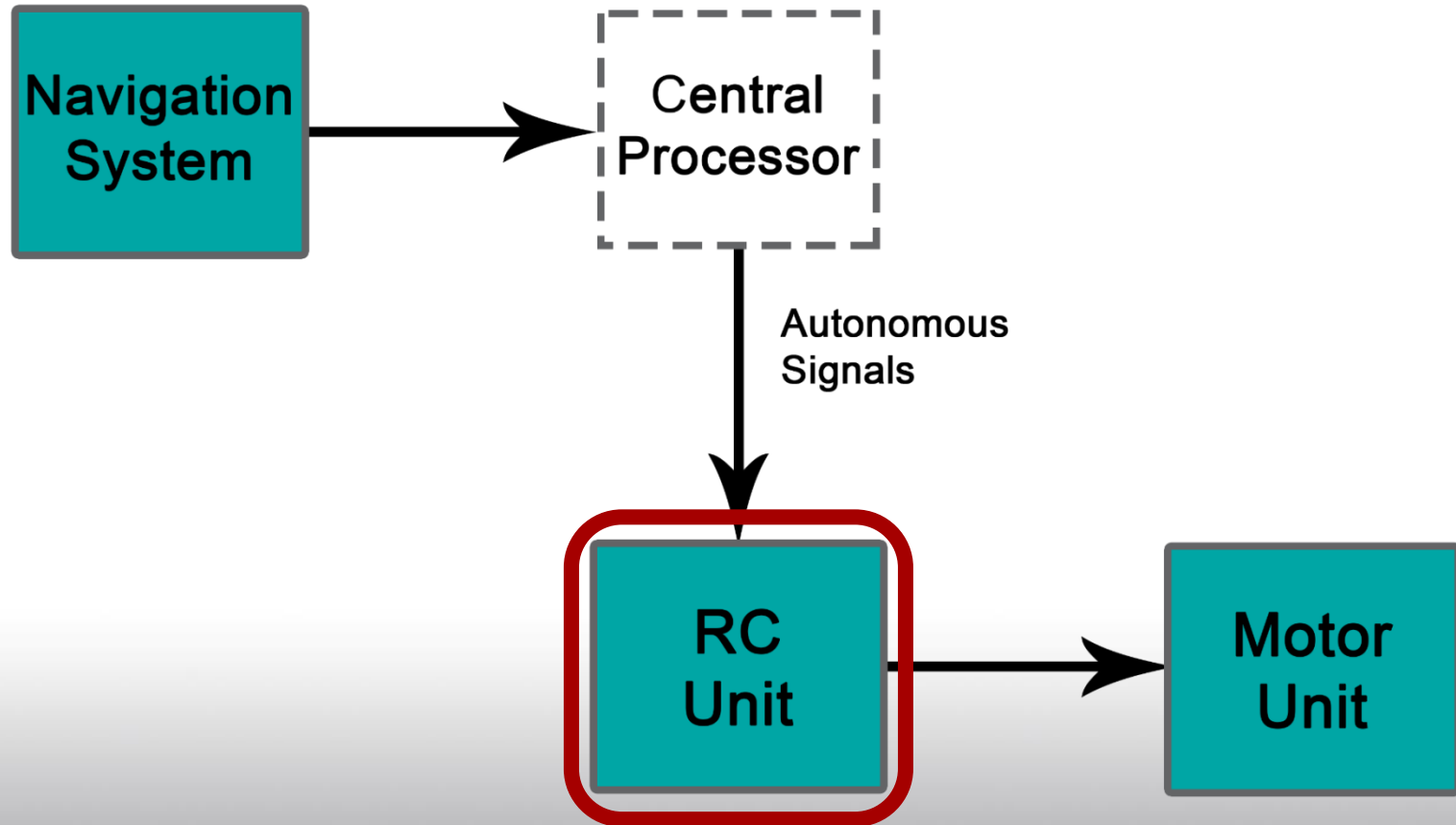
```
COM5 - PuTTY
Bearing = 359.7
Bearing = 359.8
Bearing = 0.0
Bearing = 0.1
Bearing = 0.6
Bearing = 1.5
Bearing = 1.9
Bearing = 2.2
Bearing = 2.5
█
```

Verification of Compass Data



```
COM5 - PuTTY
Bearing = 343.3
Bearing = 343.4
Bearing = 343.4
```

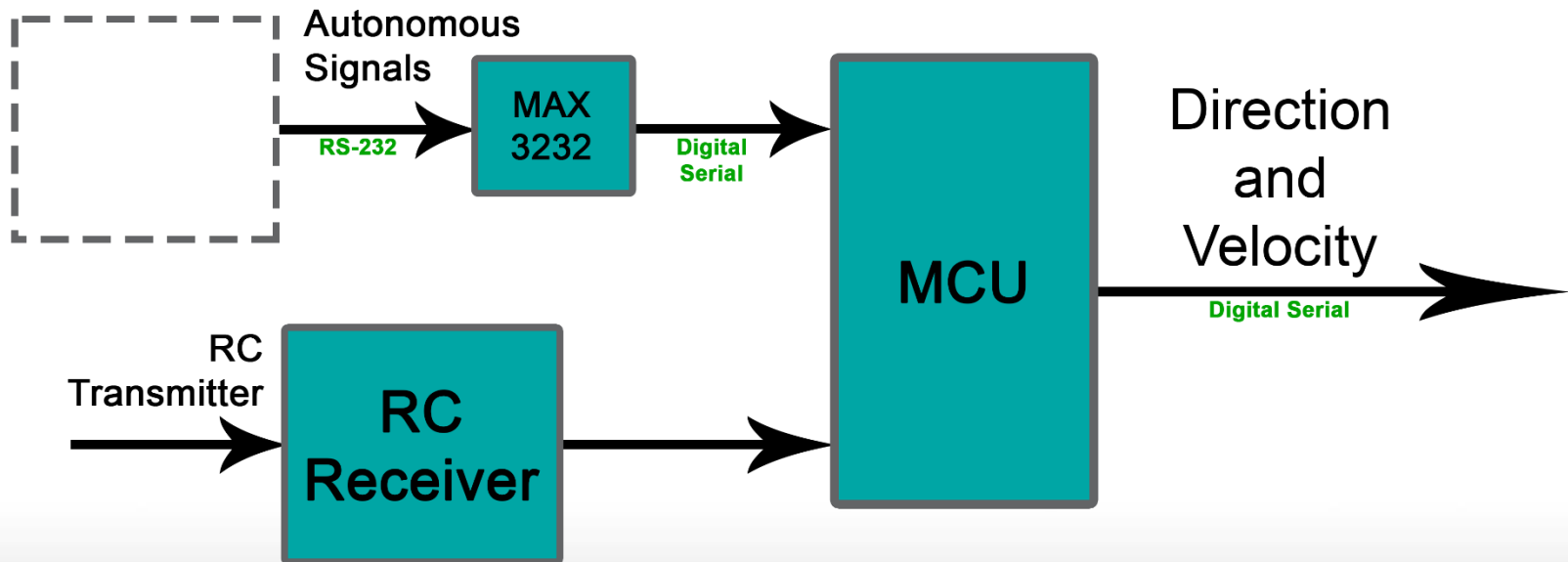
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Block Diagram: RC Unit



RC Unit

- Futaba T6EX and the R617FS
 - 2 Joy Sticks
 - 2 Switches
 - 2.4 GHz



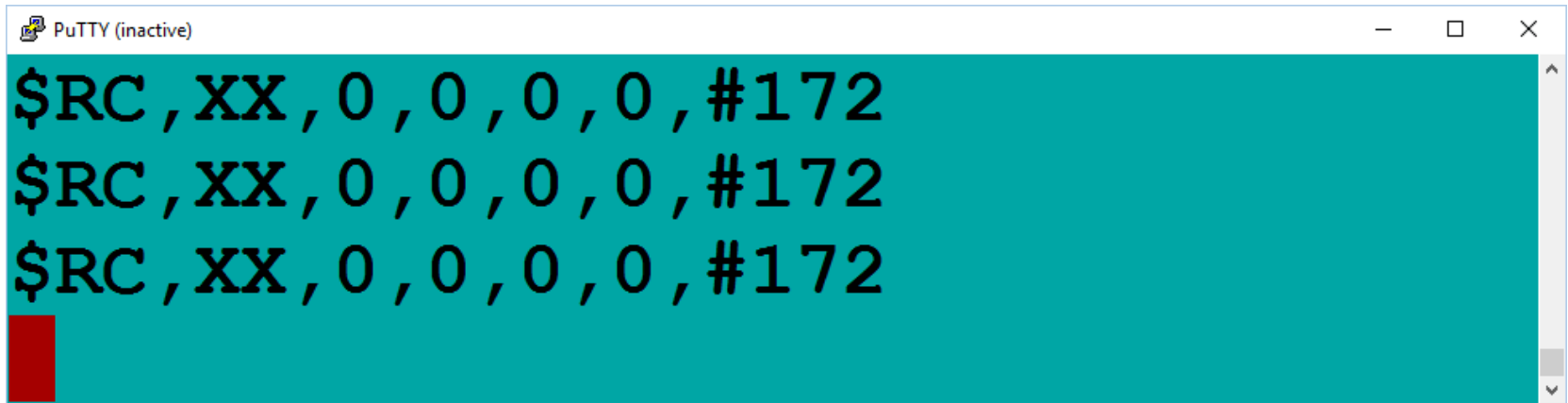
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Mode Signal



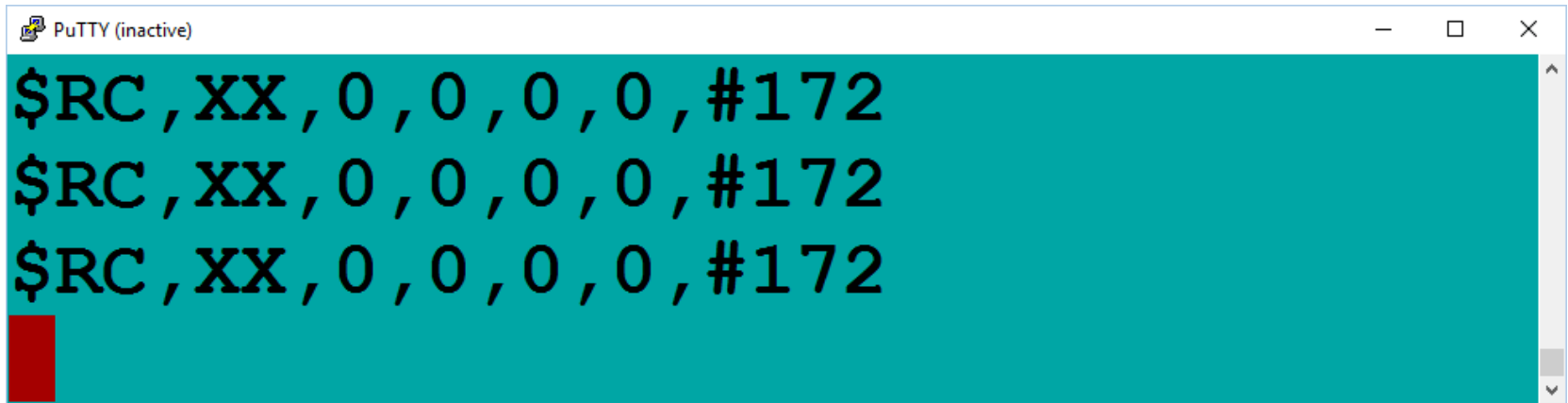
Mode Signal



A screenshot of a PuTTY terminal window. The window title bar reads "PuTTY (inactive)". The terminal background is teal, and the text is black. It displays three identical lines of assembly code: `$RC,XX,0,0,0,0,#172`. A red cursor block is visible at the start of the fourth line.

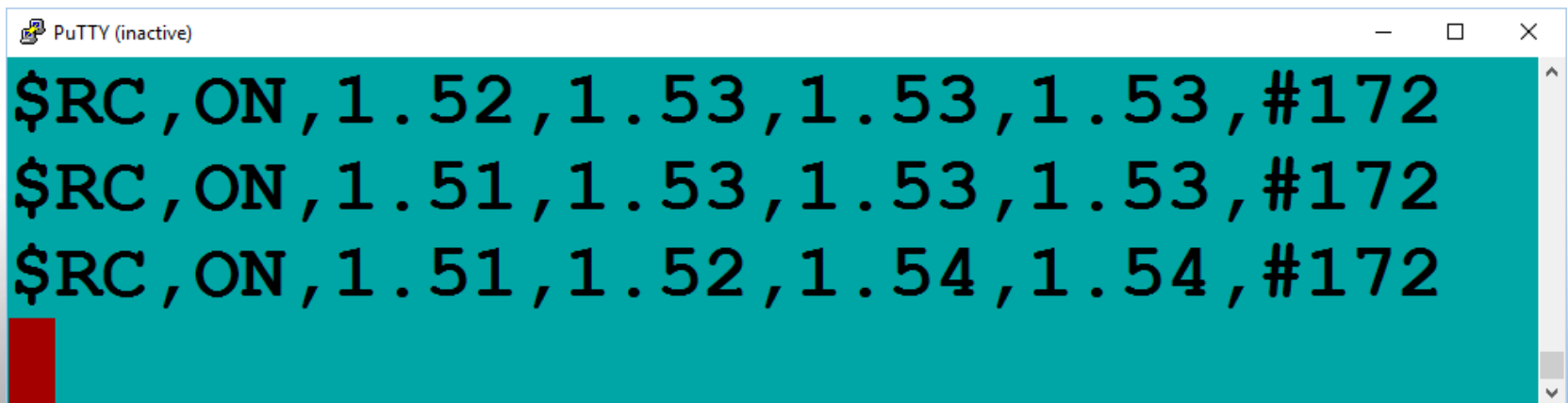
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A screenshot of a PuTTY terminal window titled "PuTTY (inactive)". The window has a teal background and a red cursor at the bottom left. It displays three lines of code with numerical values:

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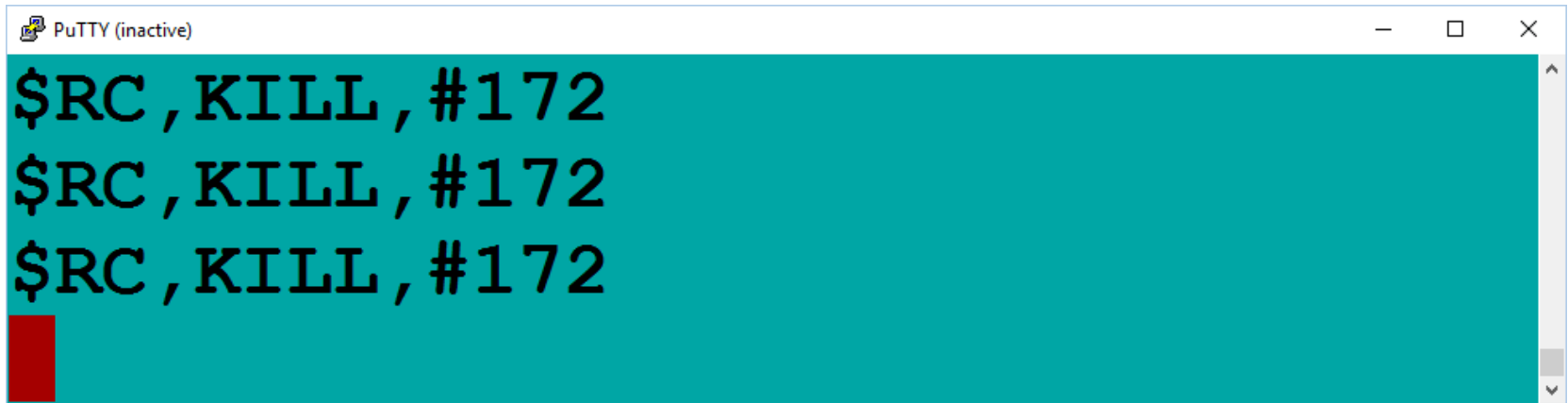
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$RC, ON, 1.51, 1.53, 1.53, 1.53, #172
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Motor Shutdown Signal

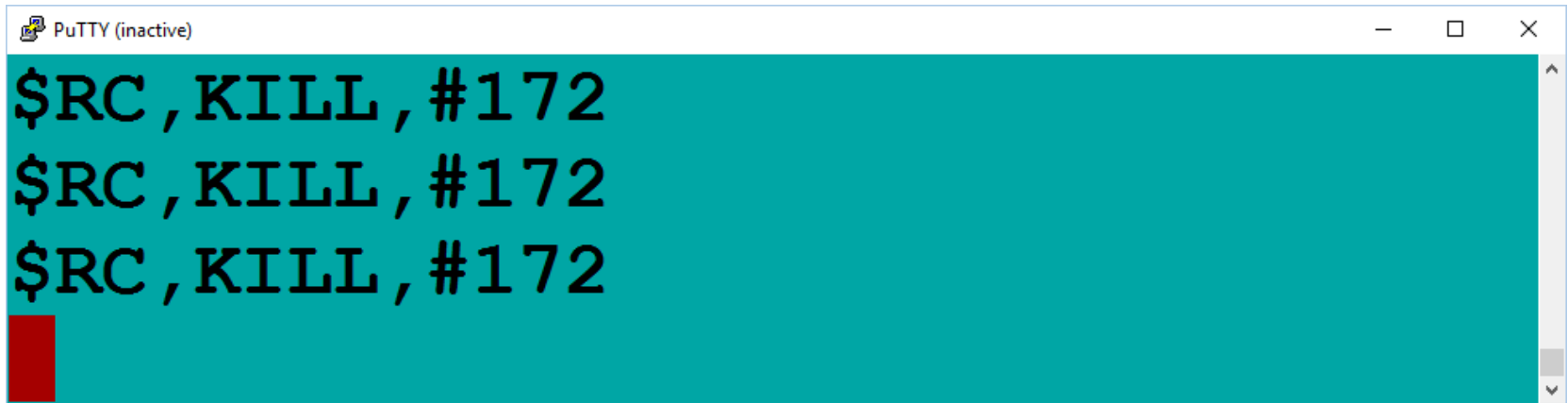


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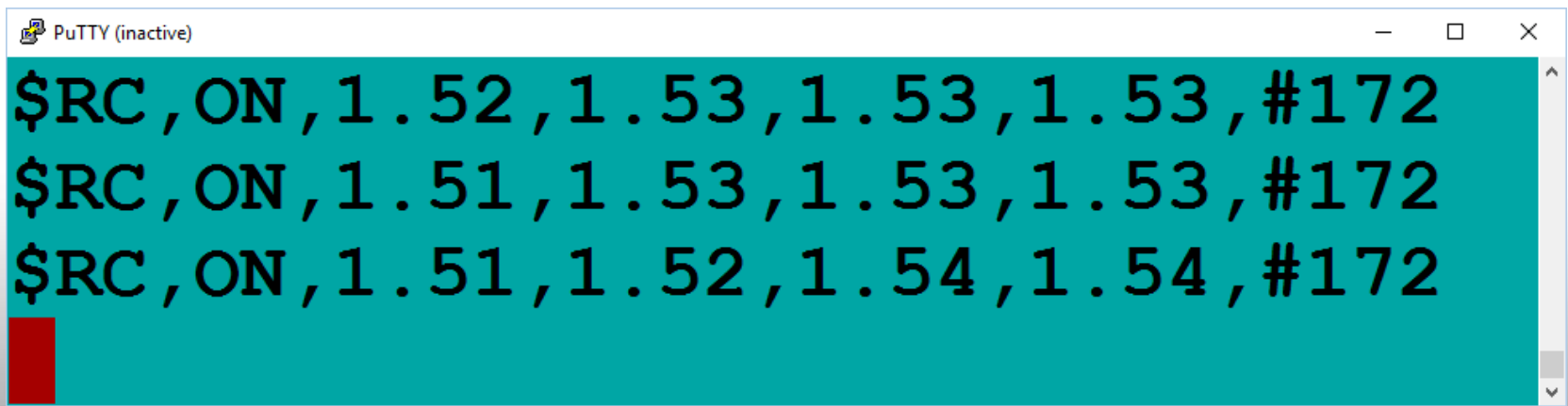
```
PuTTY (inactive)  
$RC , KILL , #172  
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█
```

Motor Shutdown Signal



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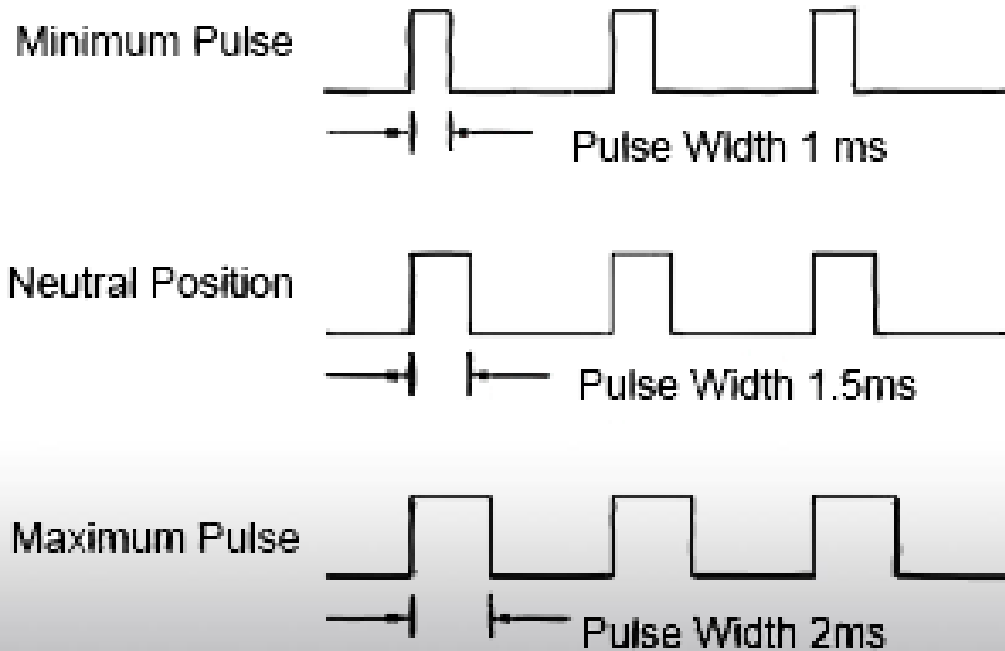
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Motor Movement Commands

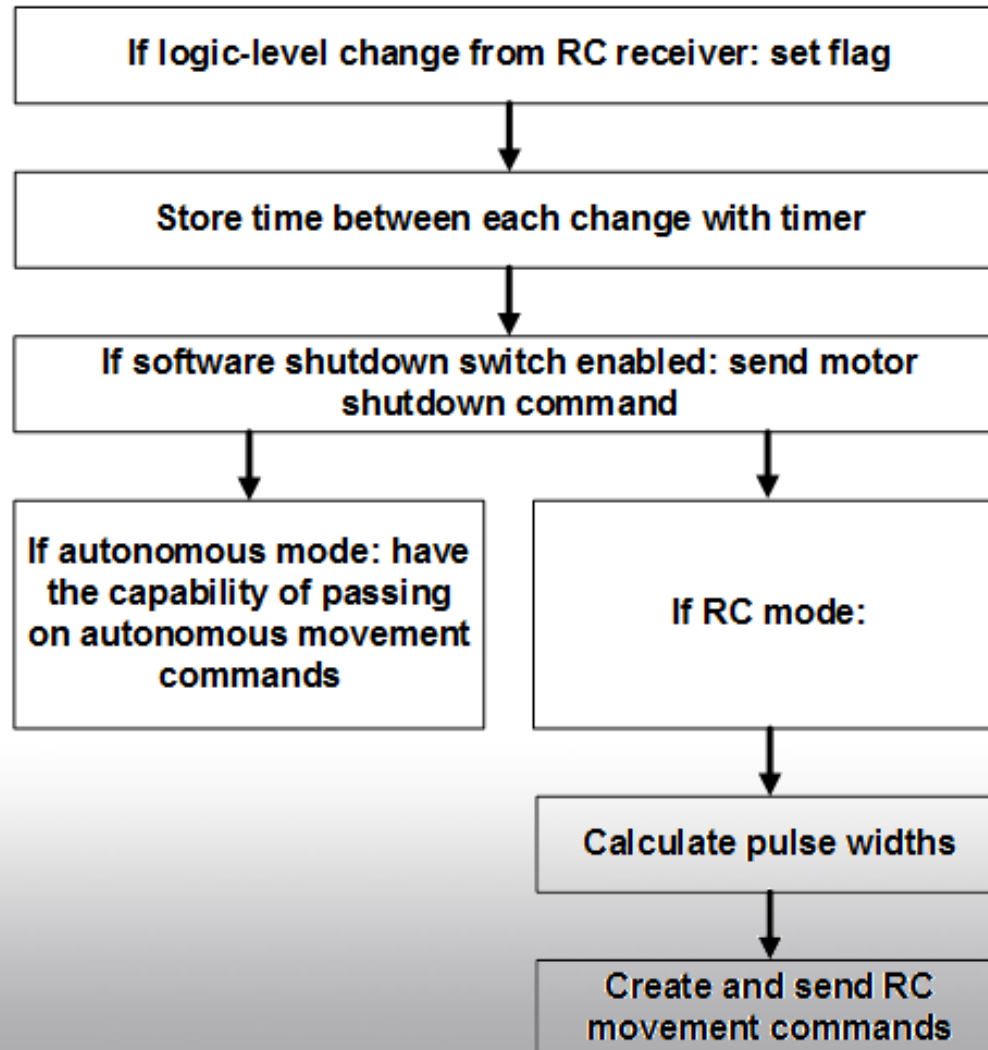


How the Remote Works

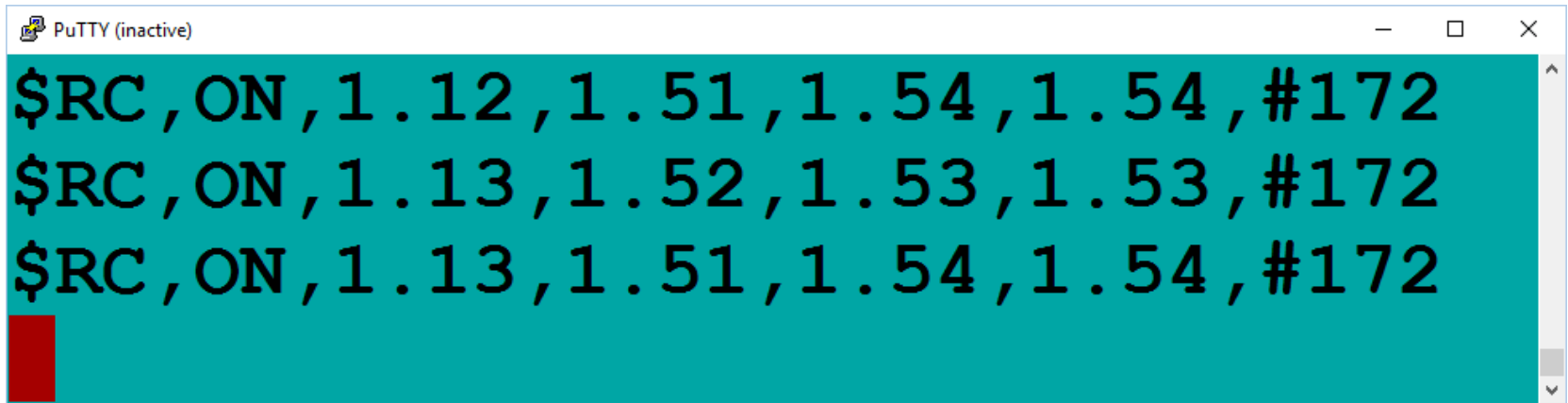
- Each Potentiometer Maps to a Channel, 1 - 4
- Two Switches Map to Channels 5 - 6



Software Flowchart

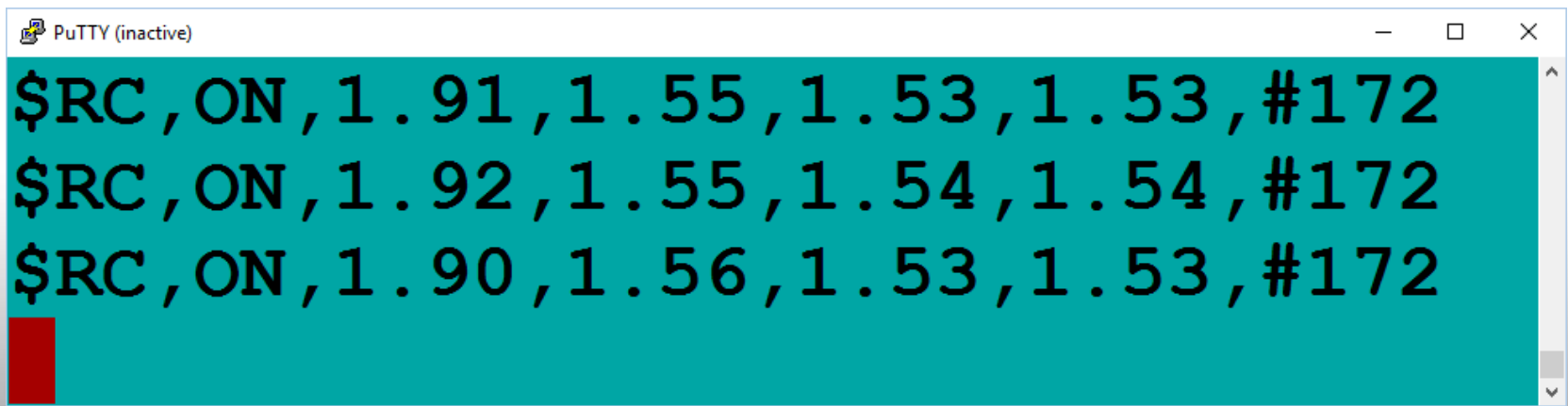


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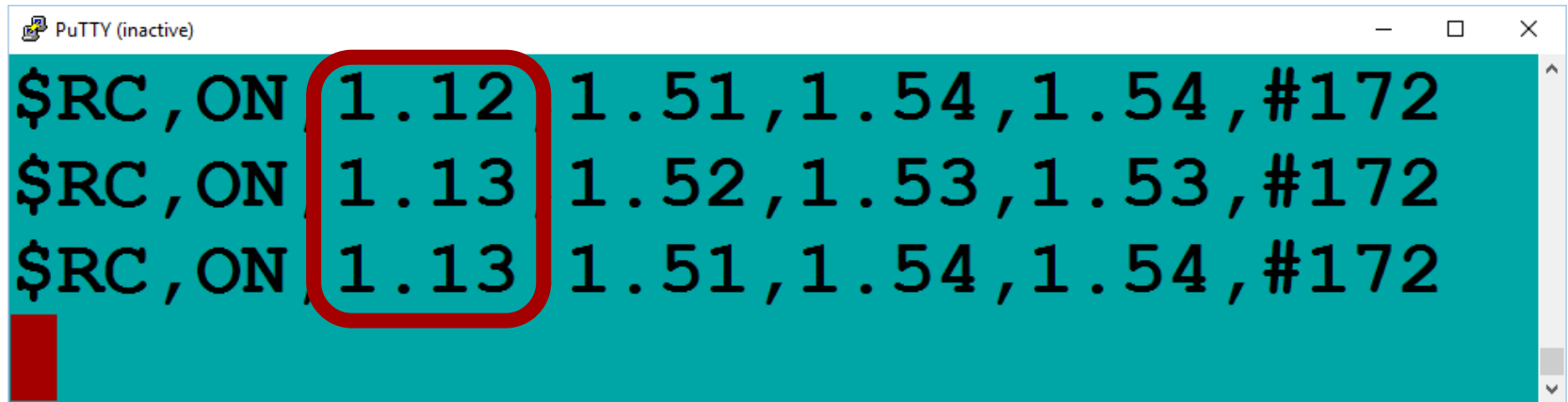
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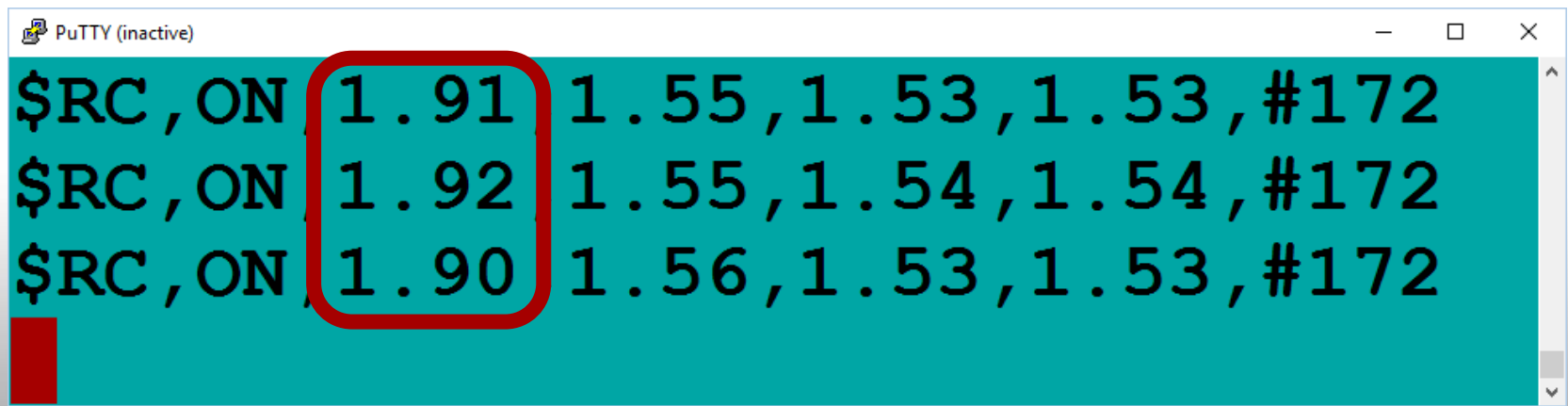
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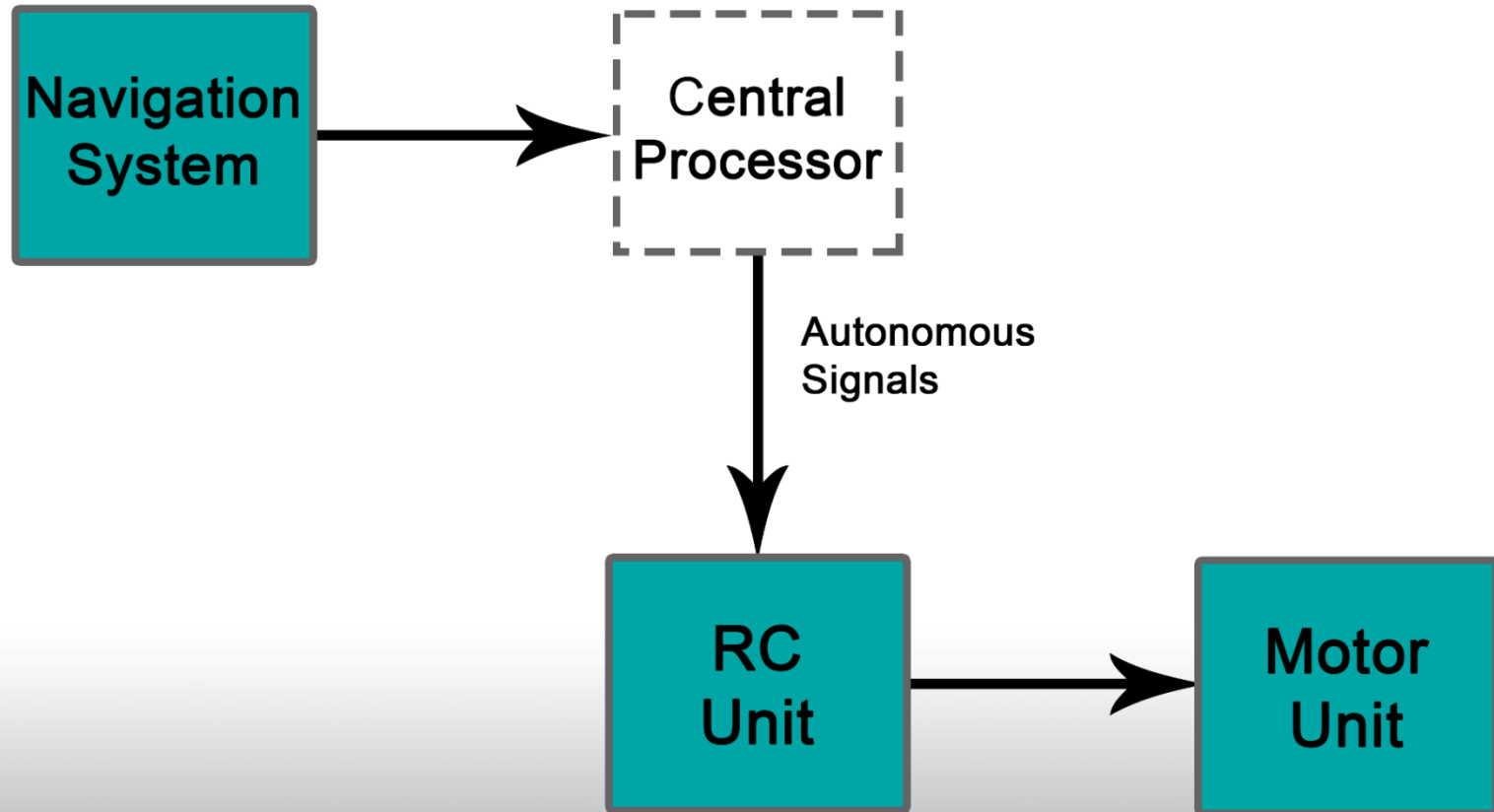
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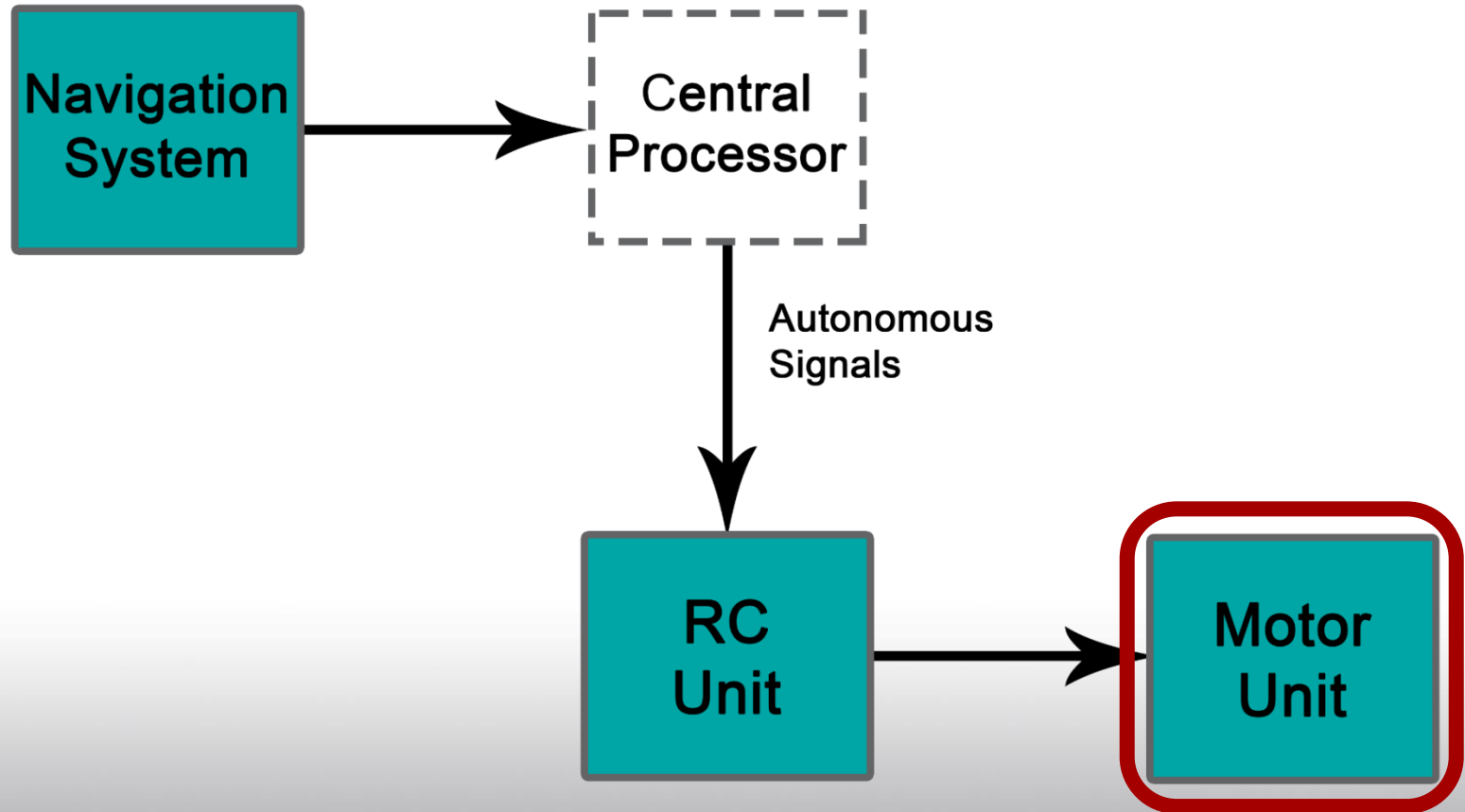
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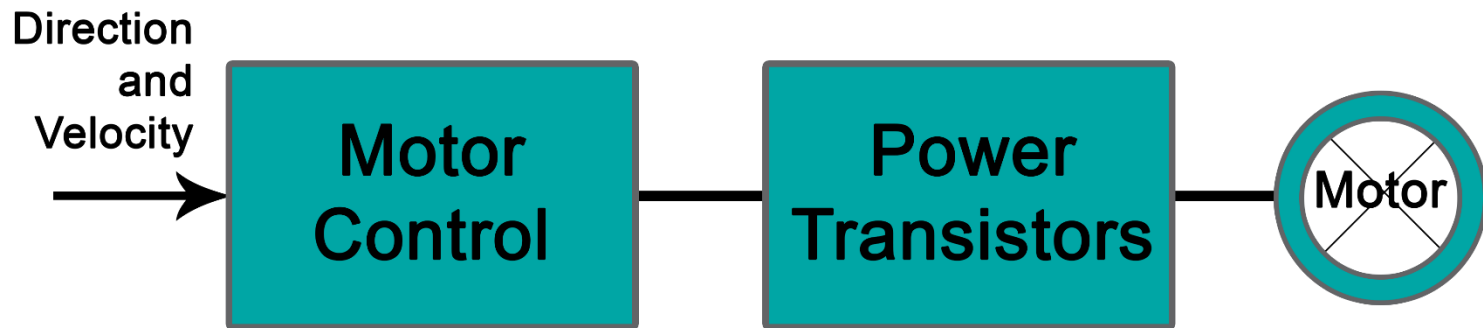
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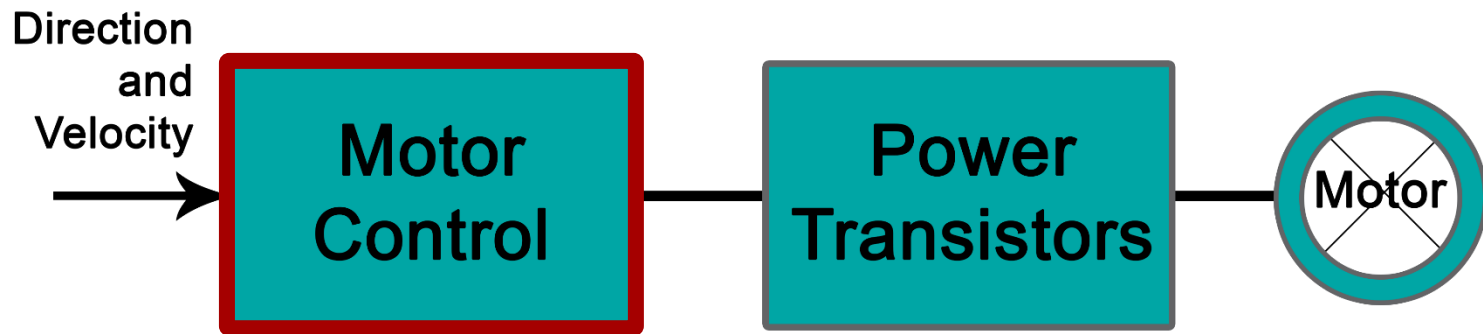
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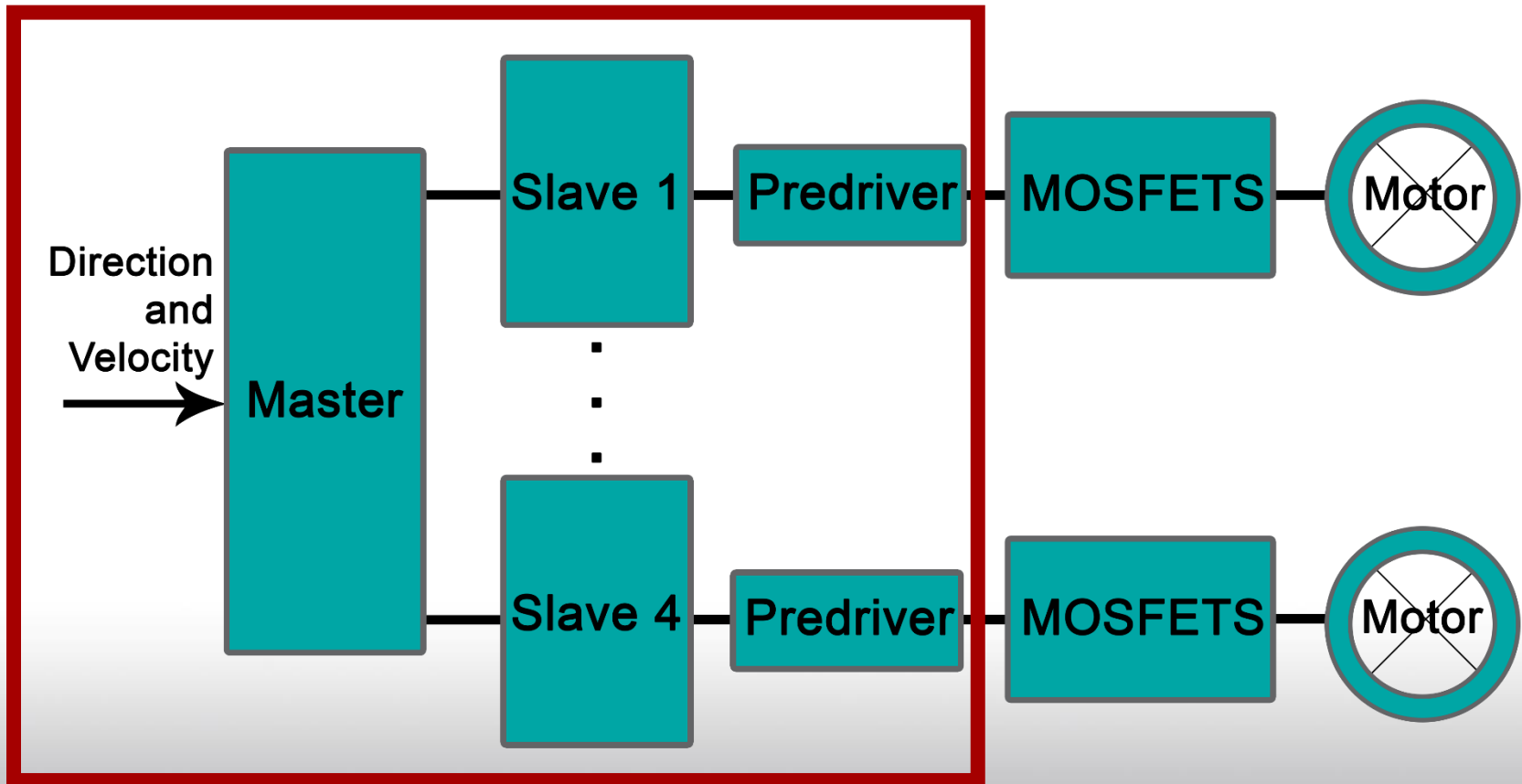
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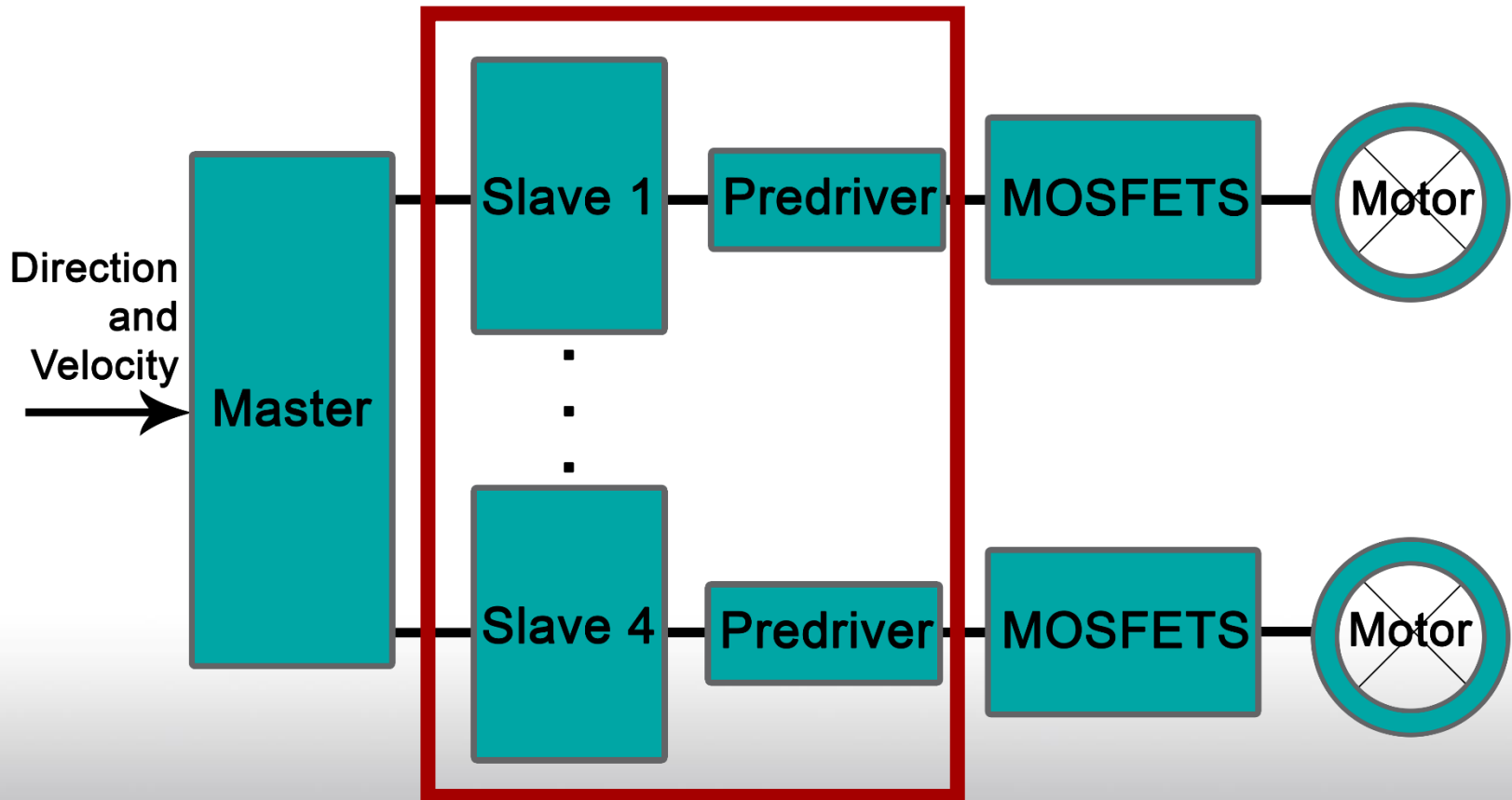
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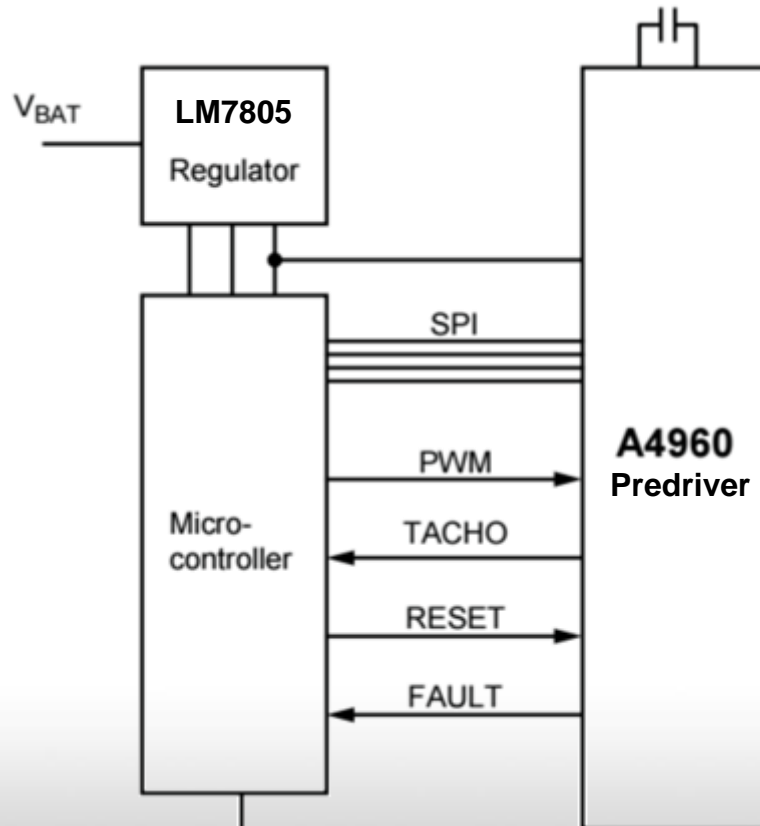
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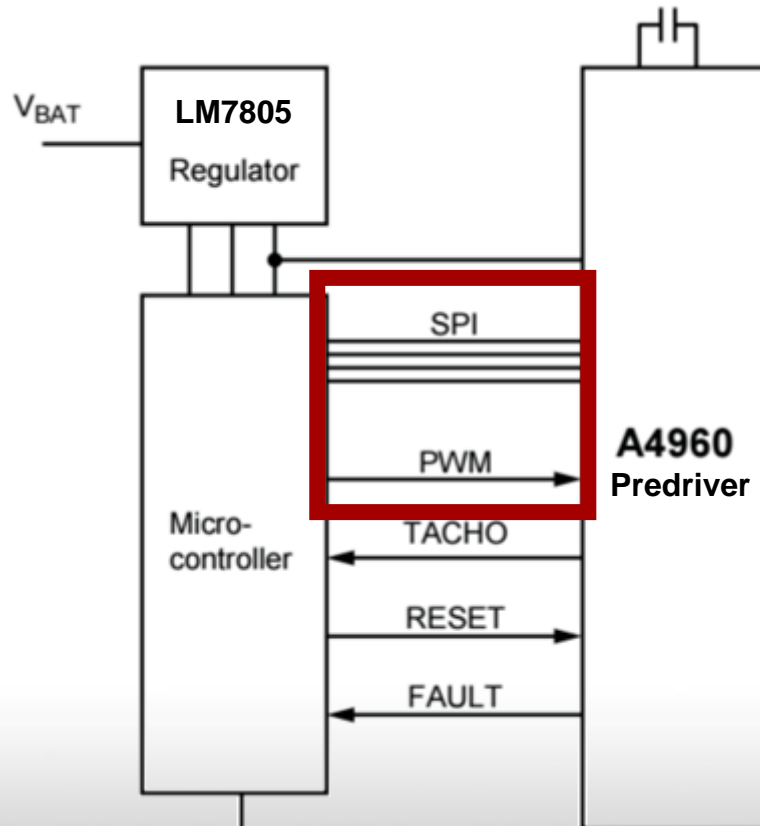
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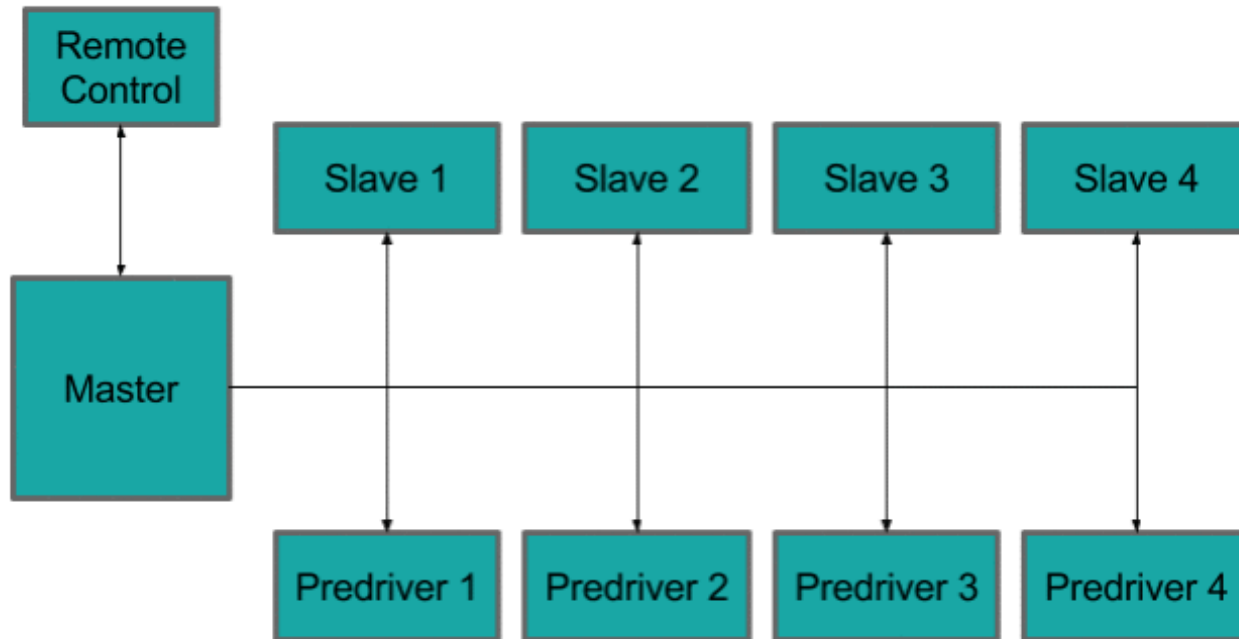
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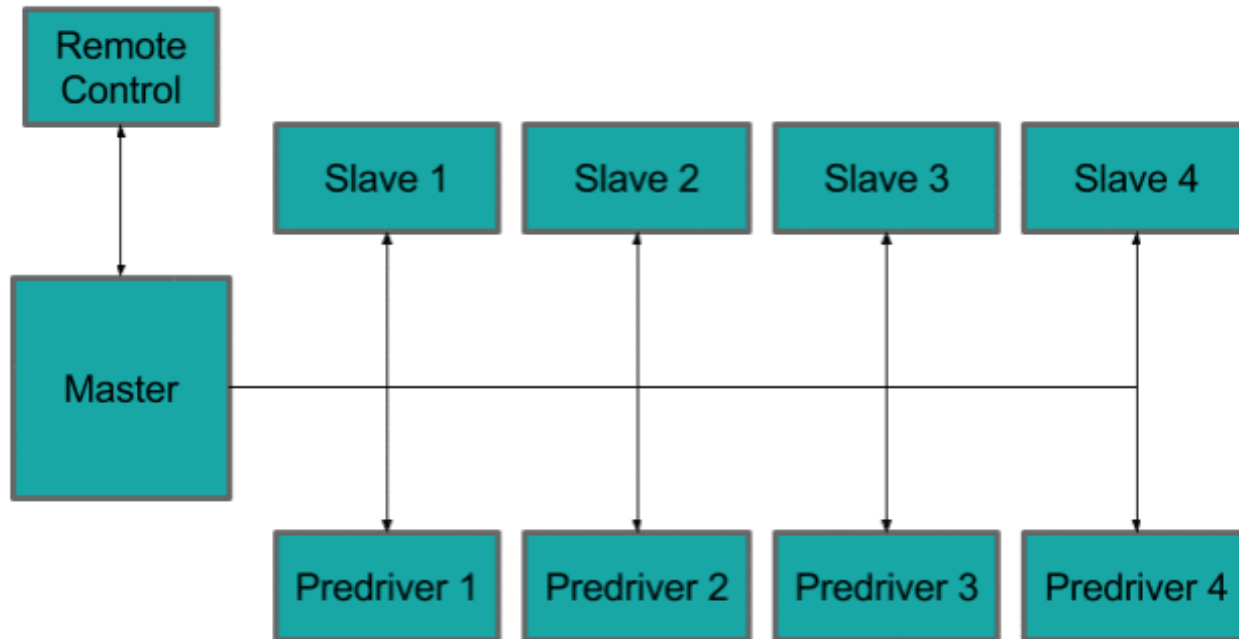


Receiving Message



Sending Message

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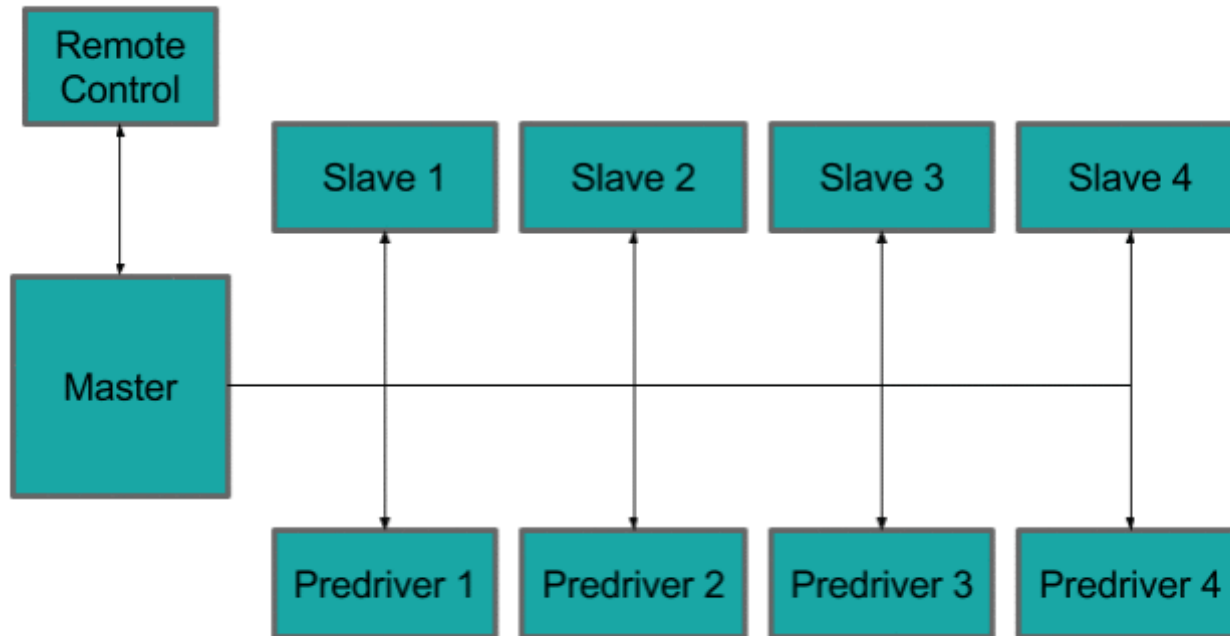
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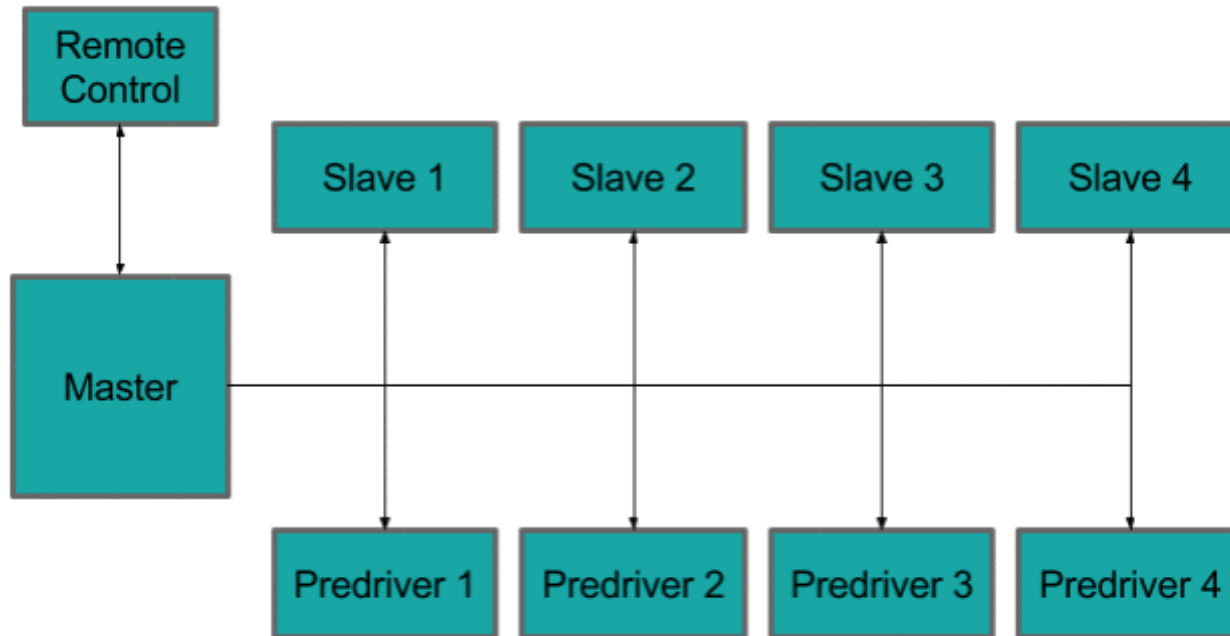


PWM Update



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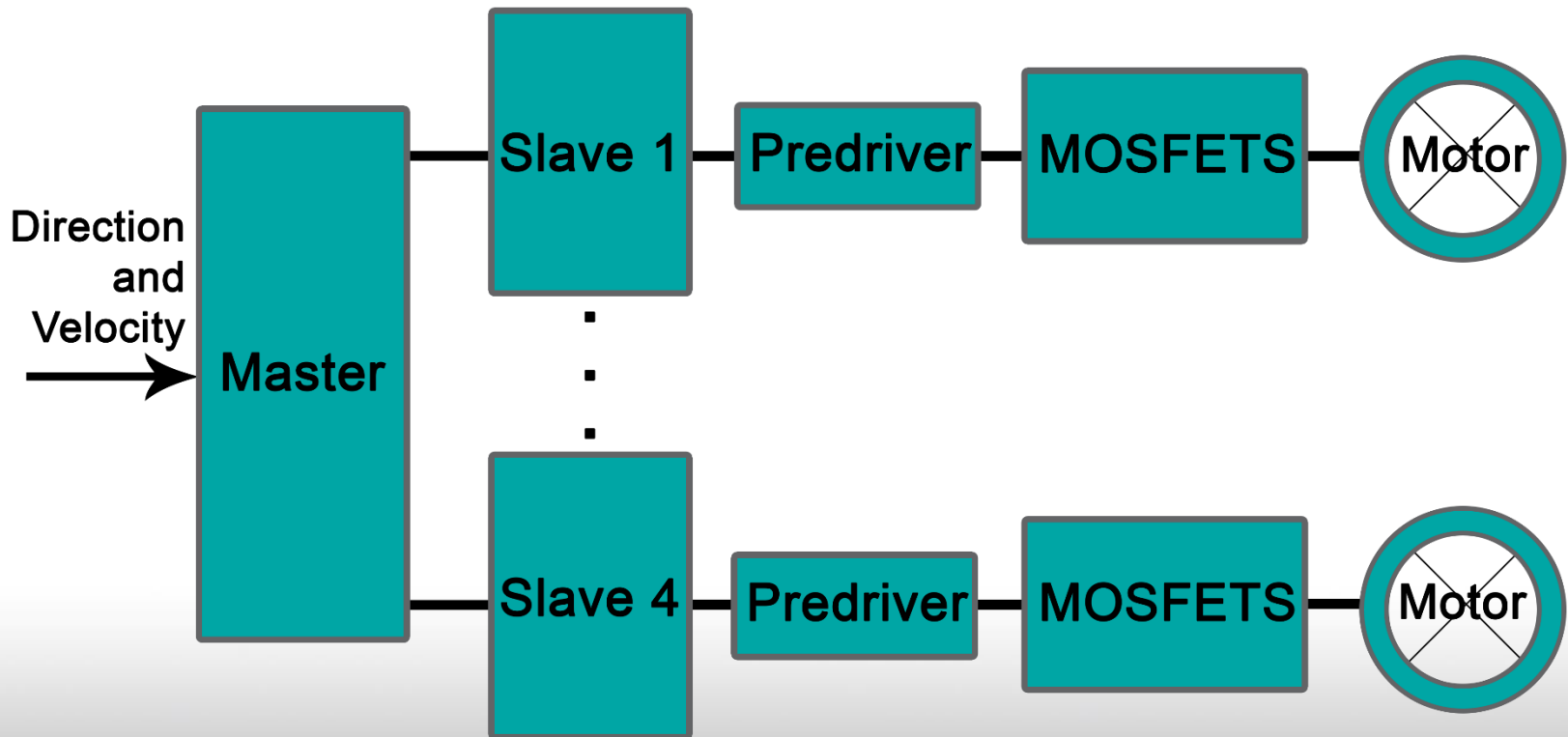


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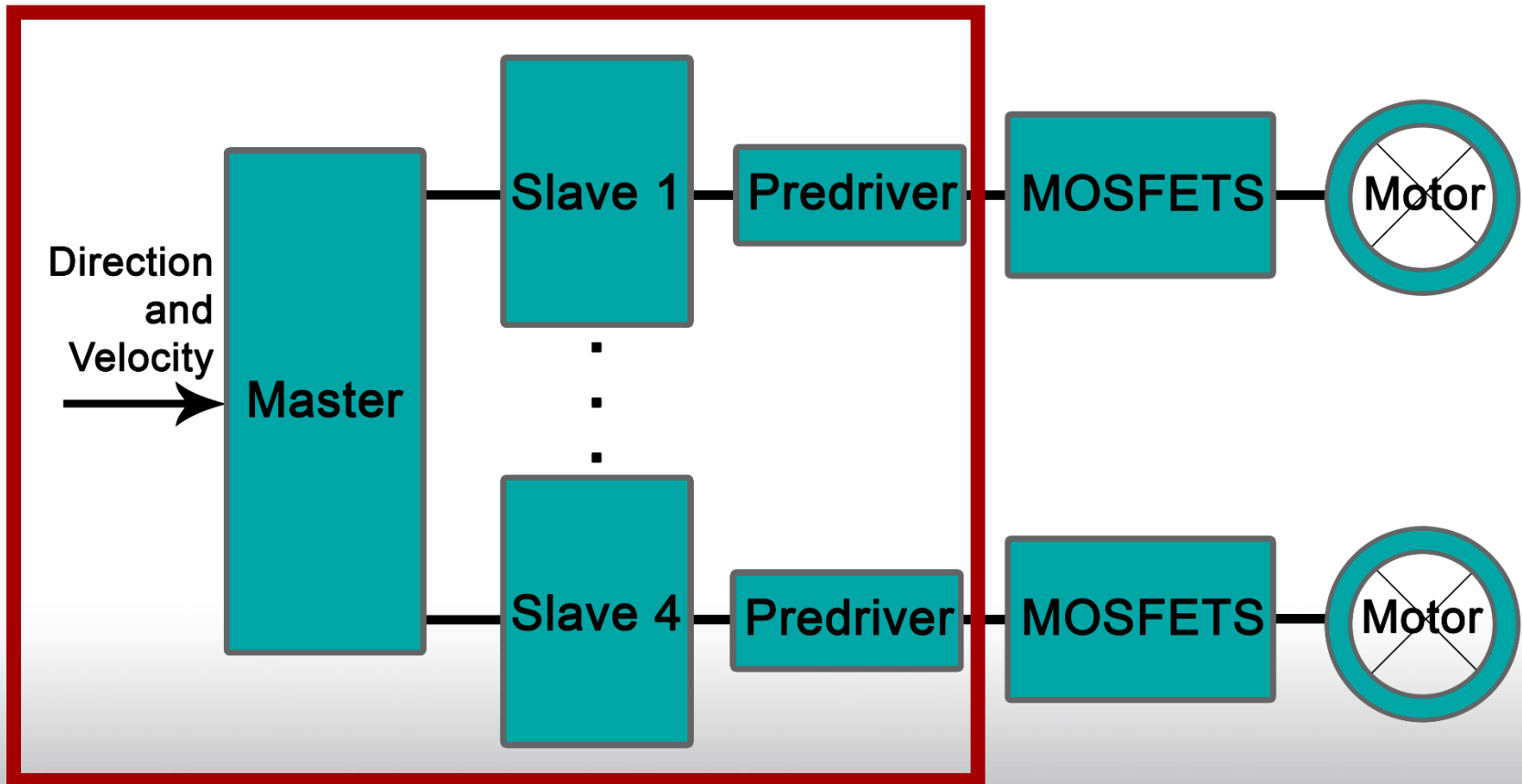


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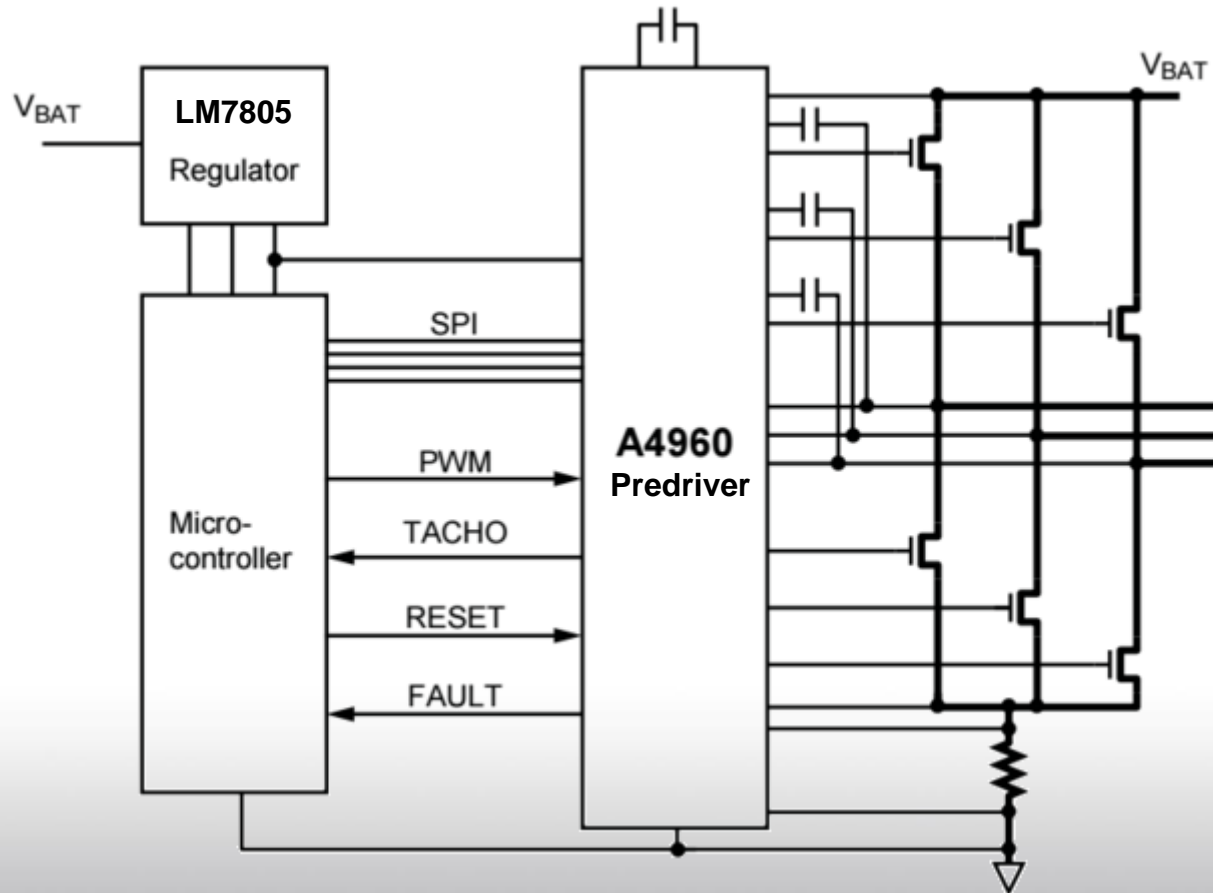
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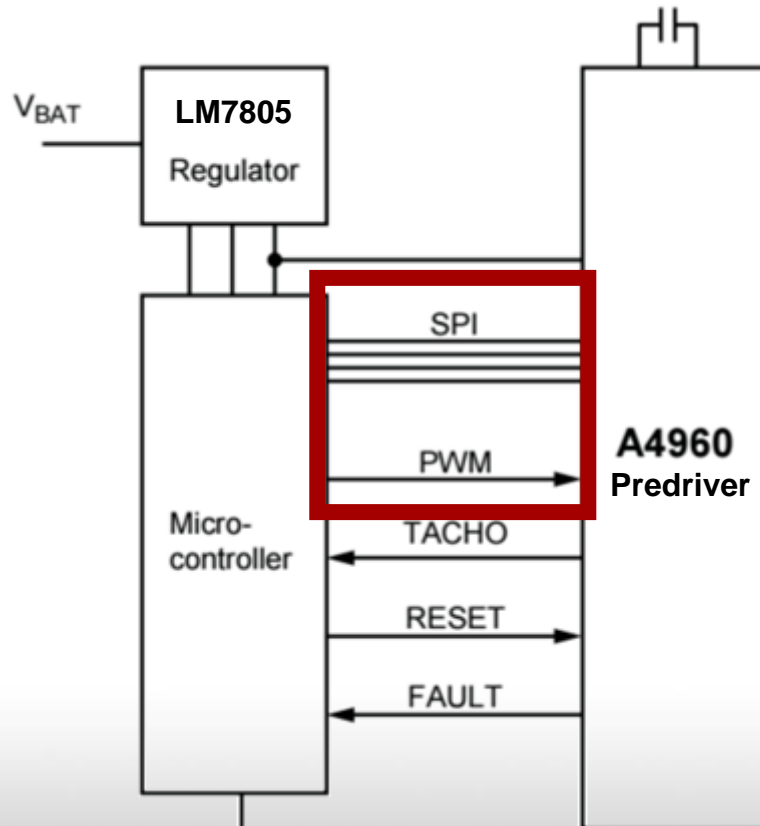
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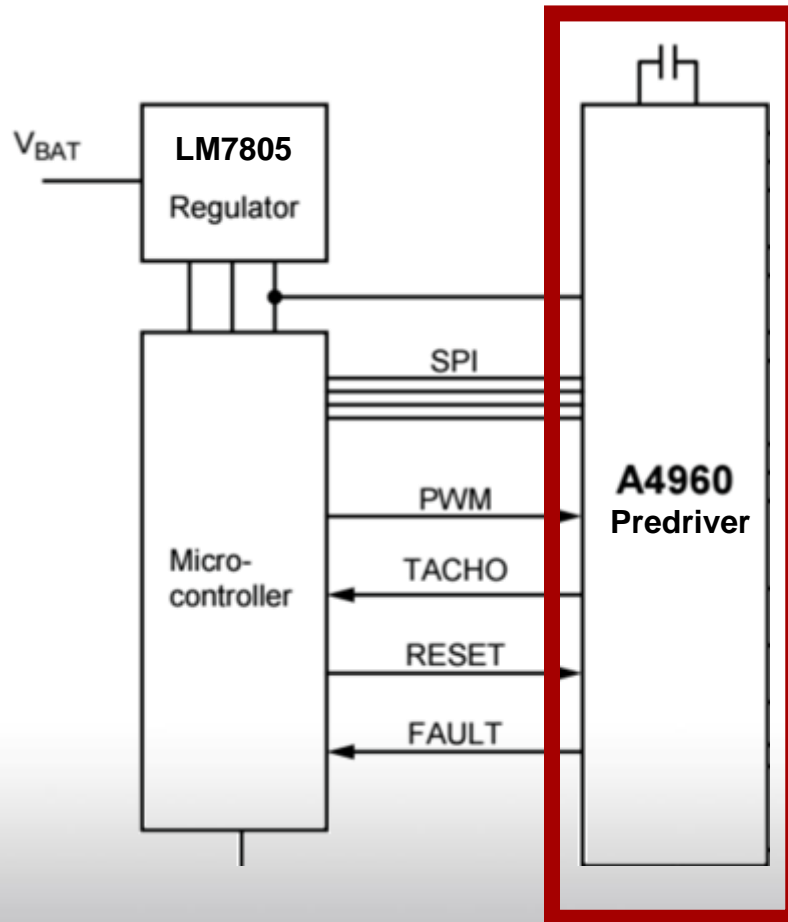
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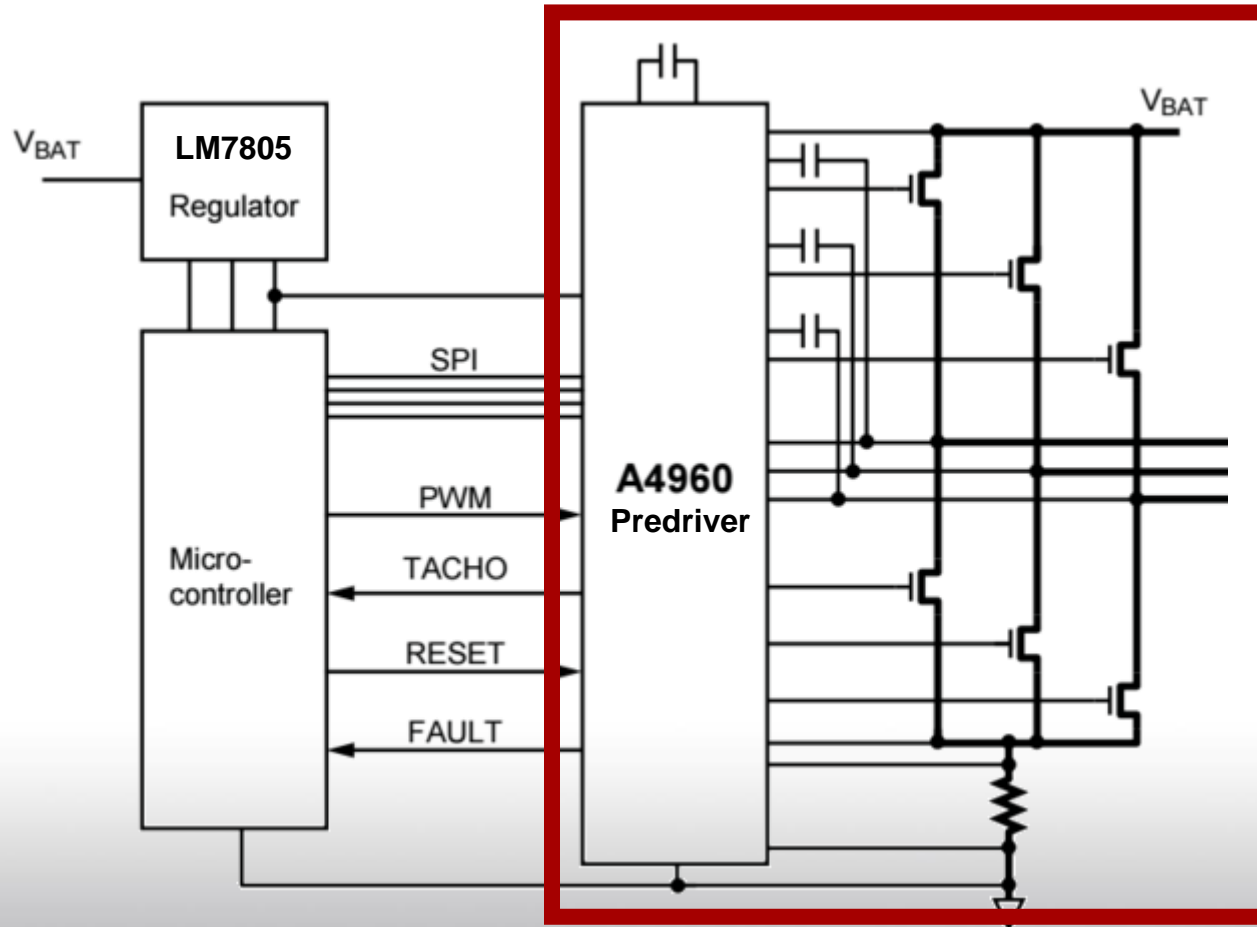
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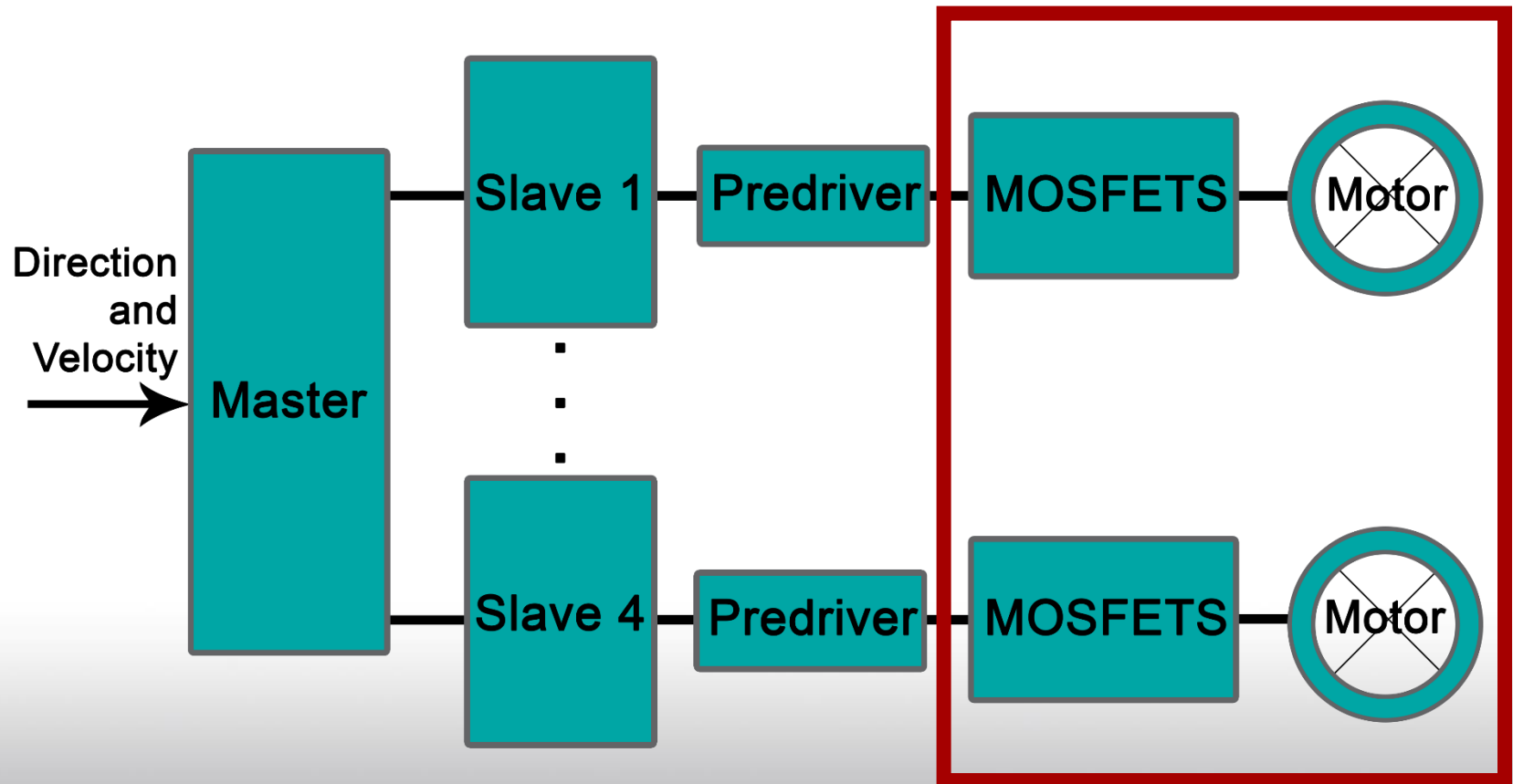
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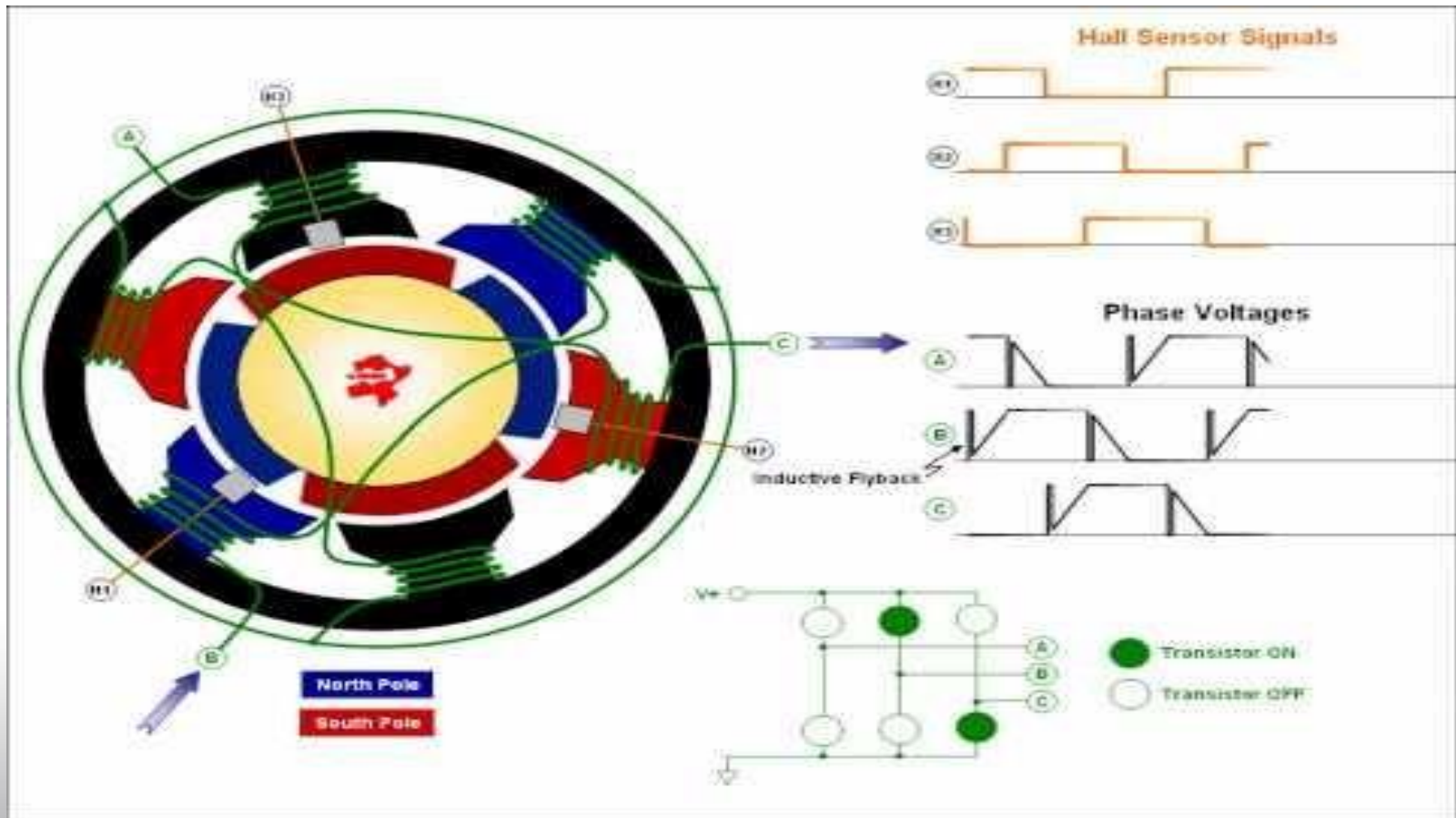
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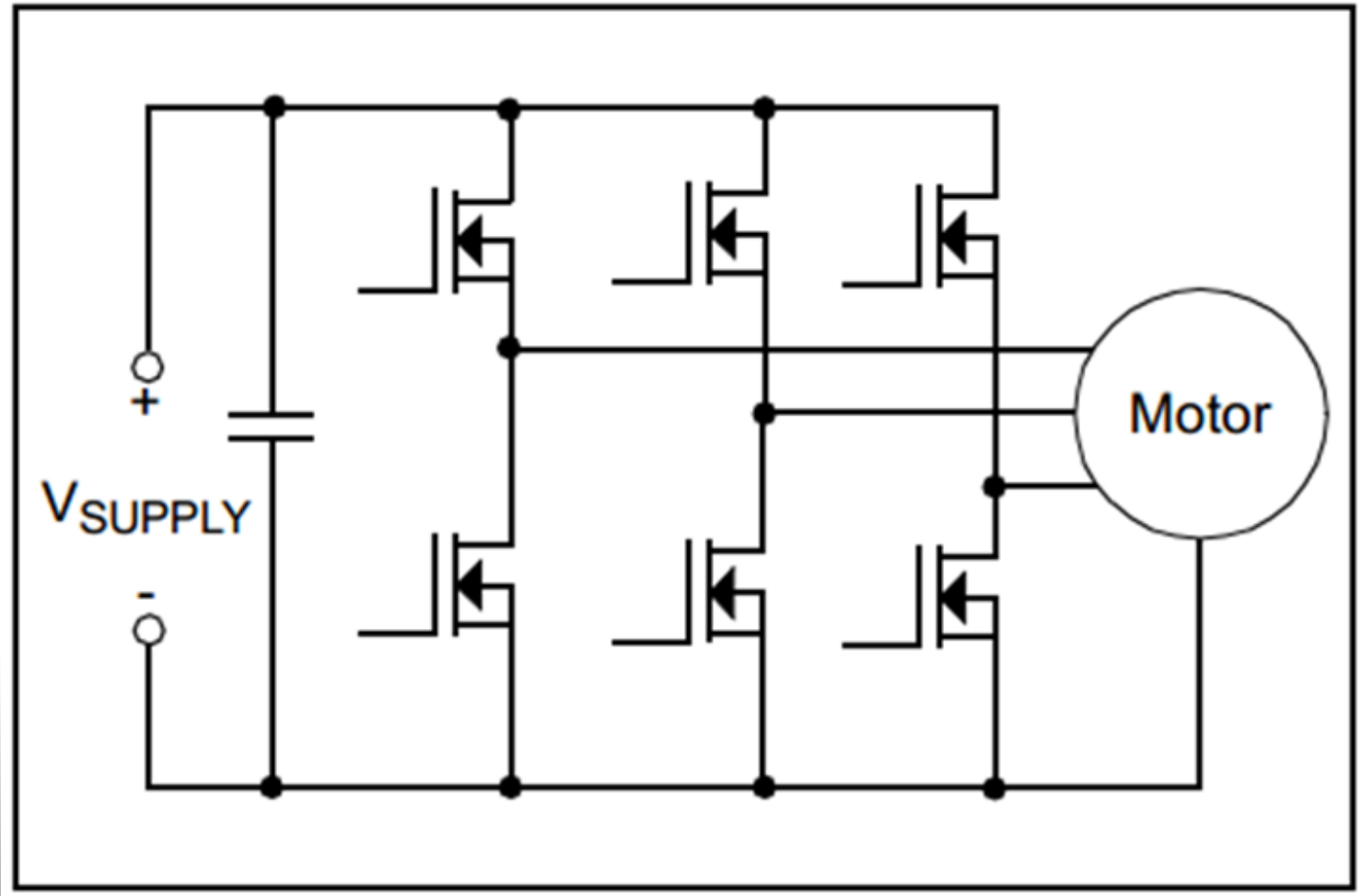
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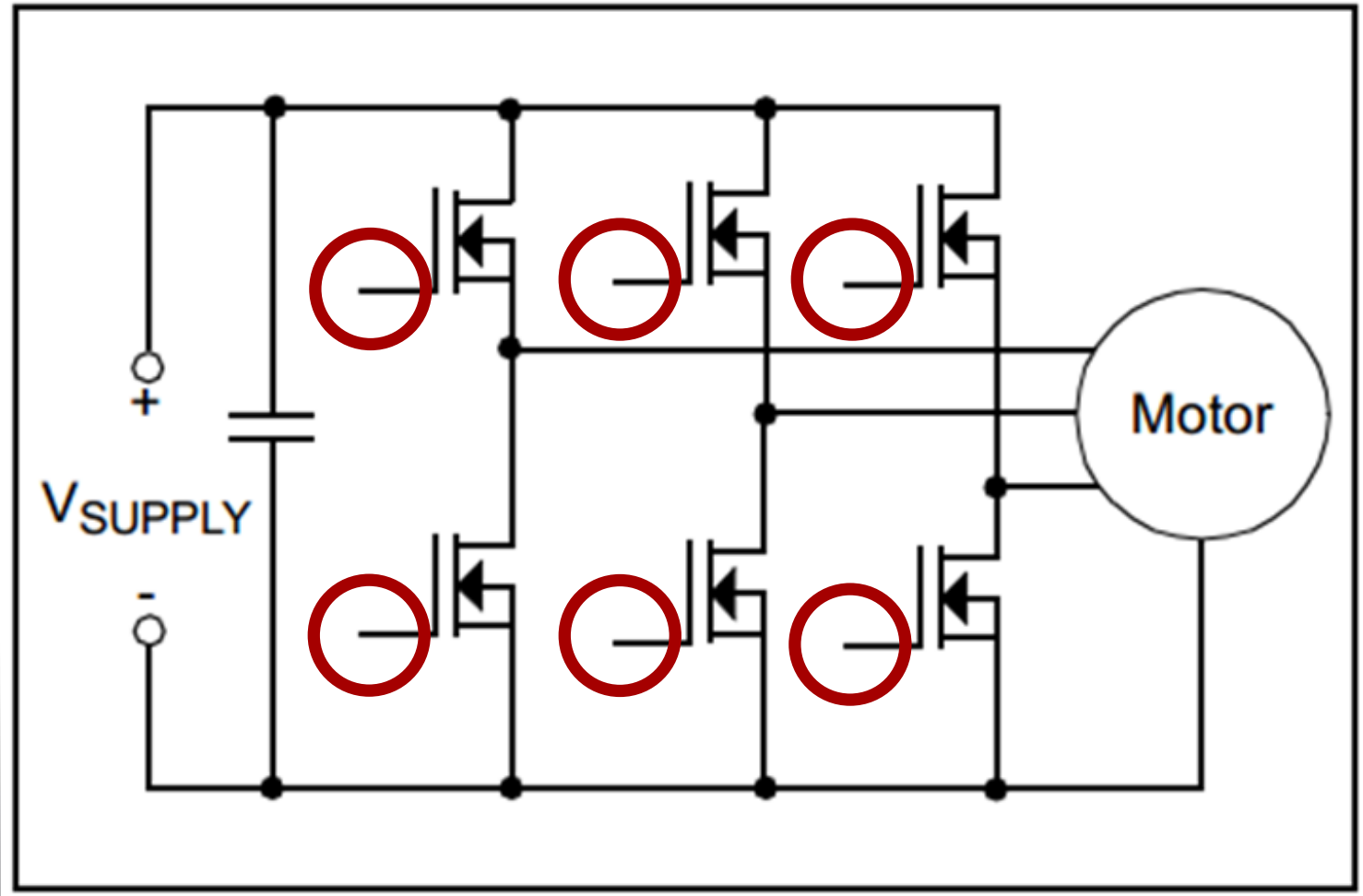
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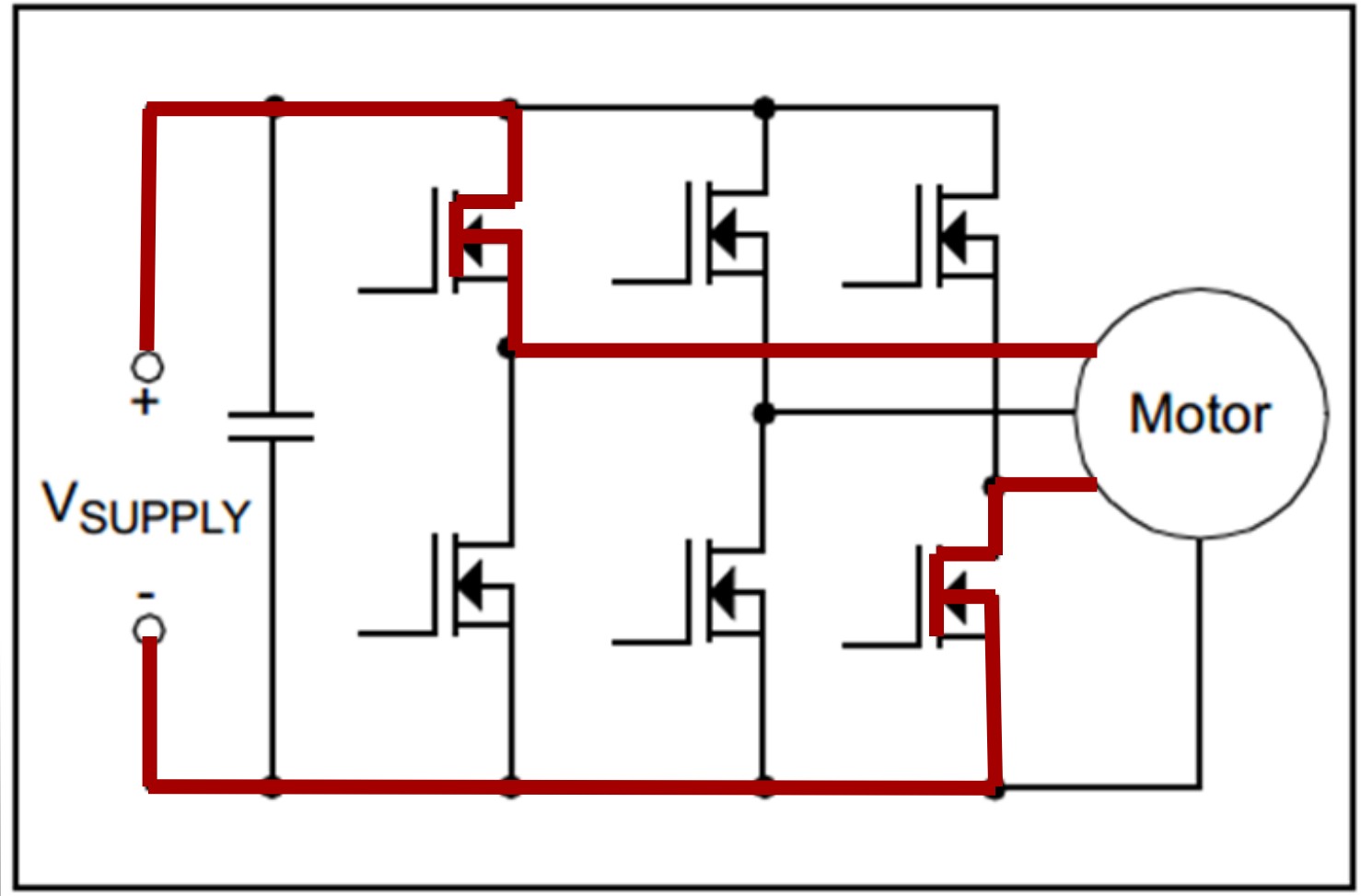
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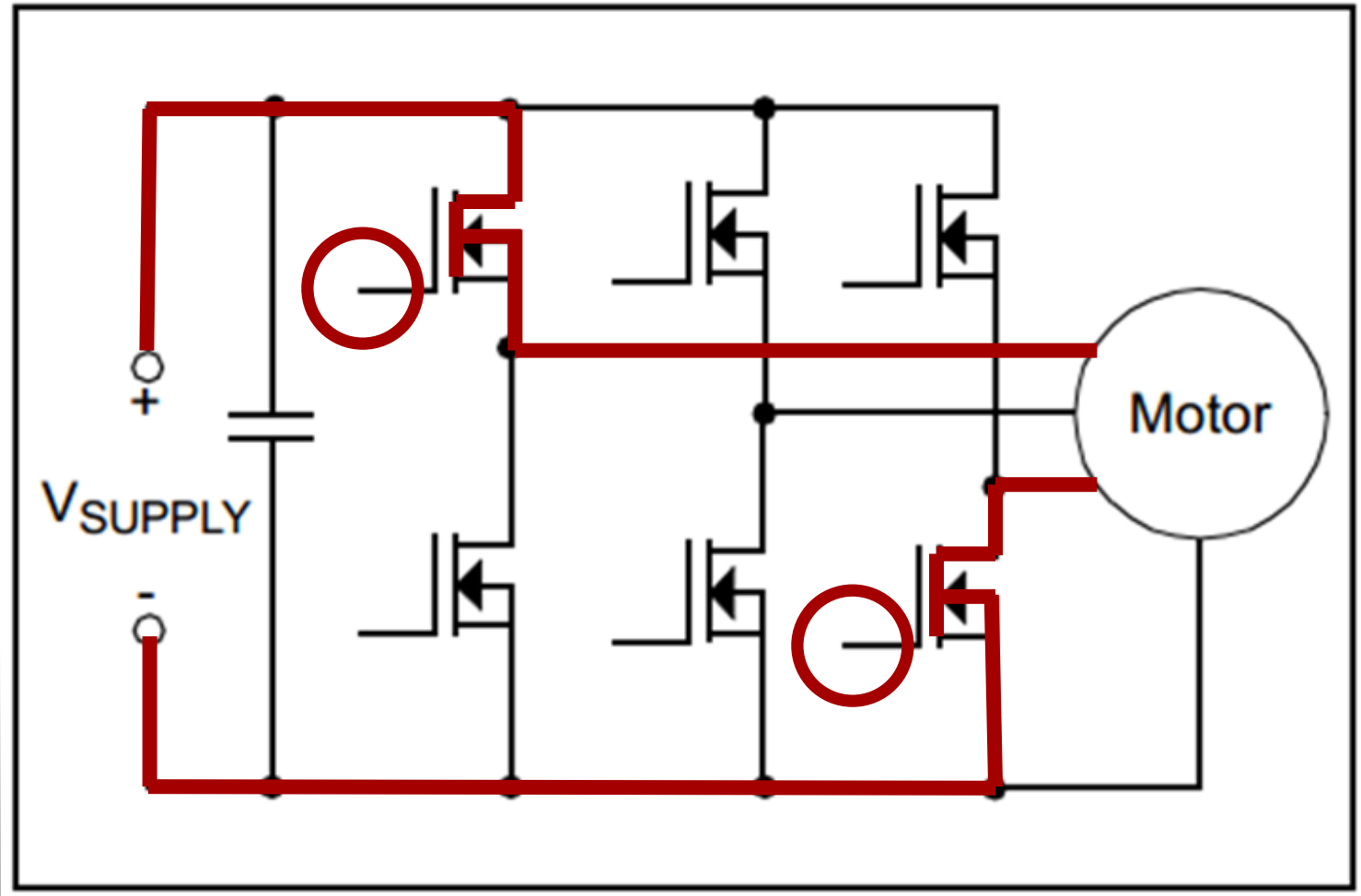
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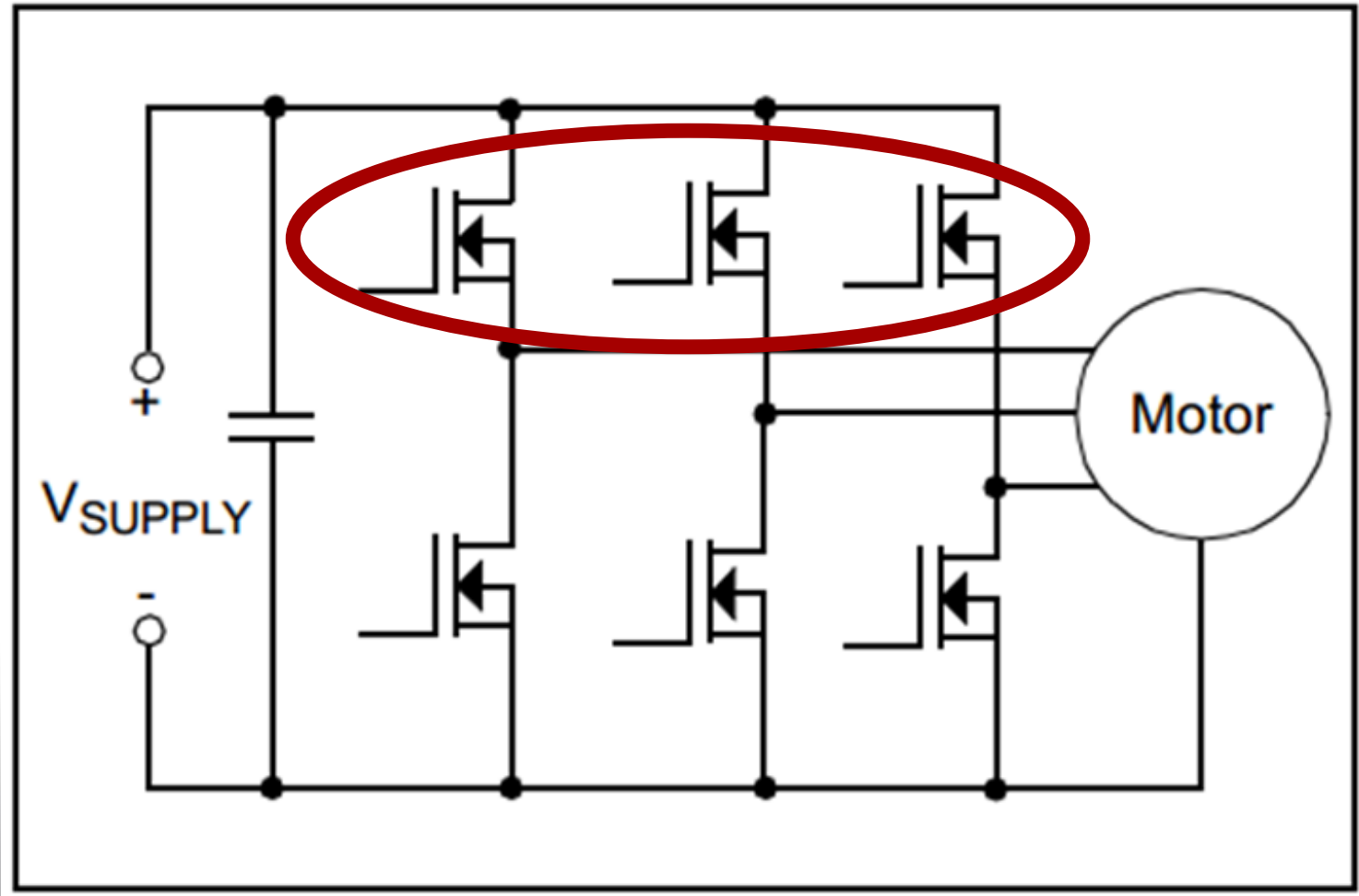
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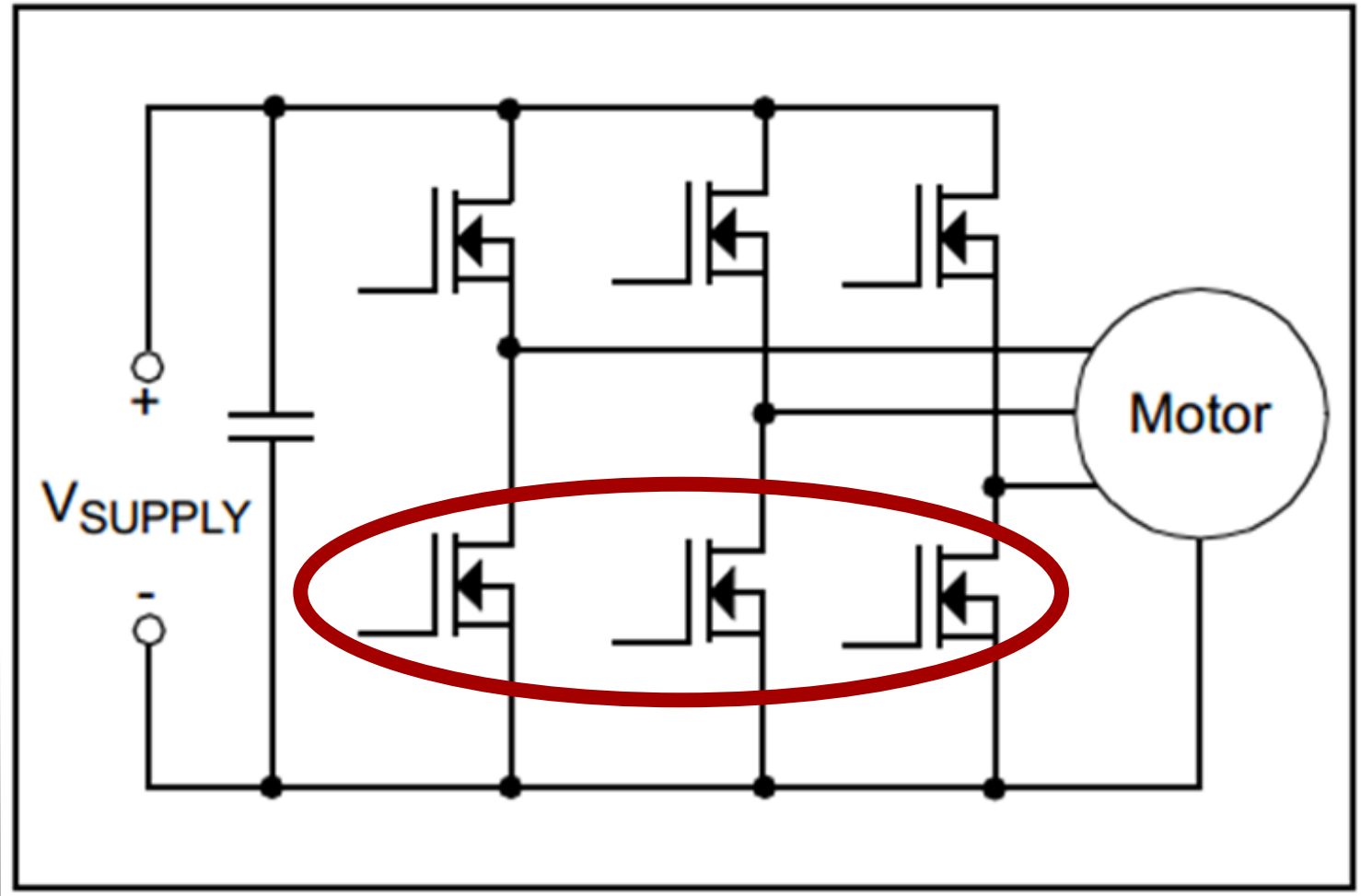
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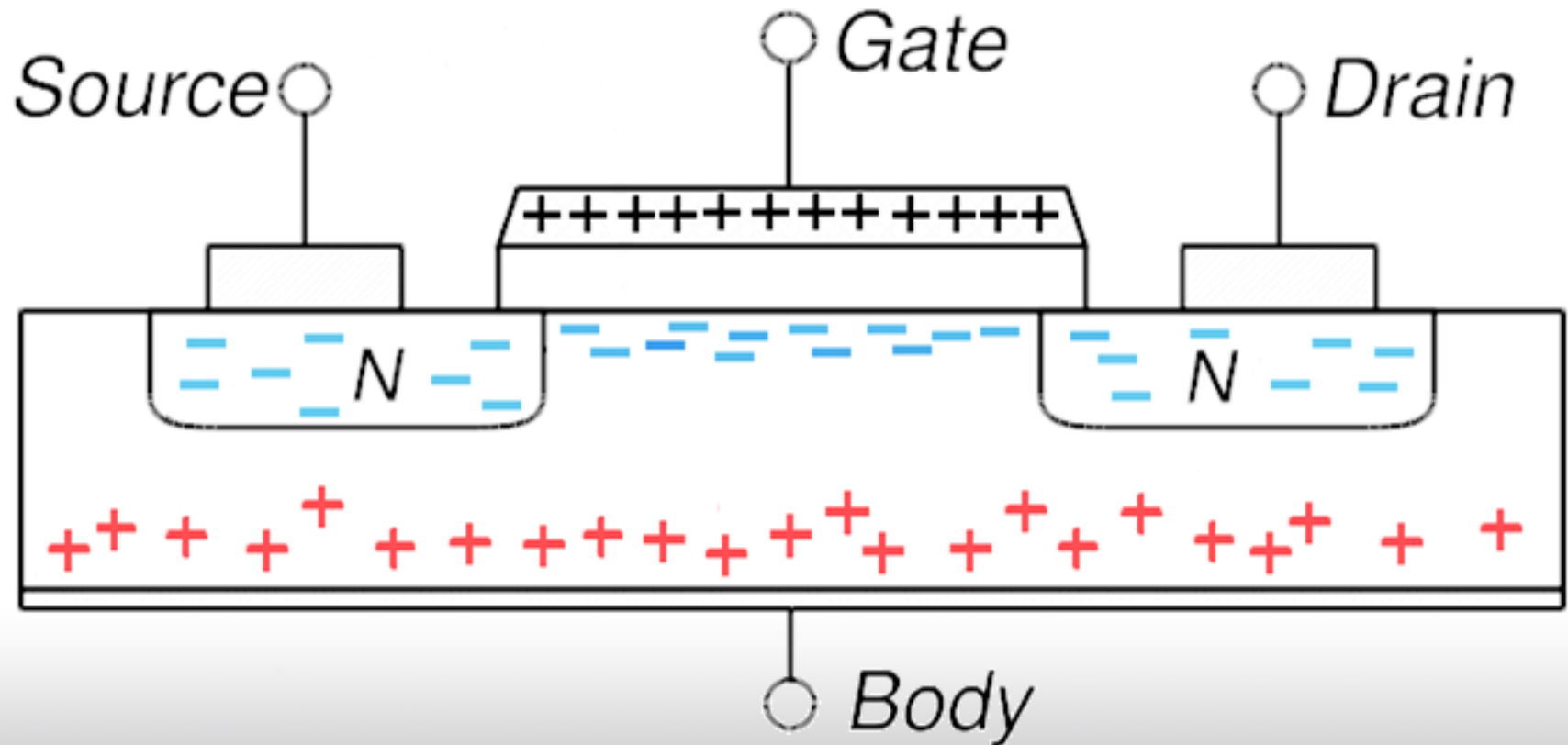
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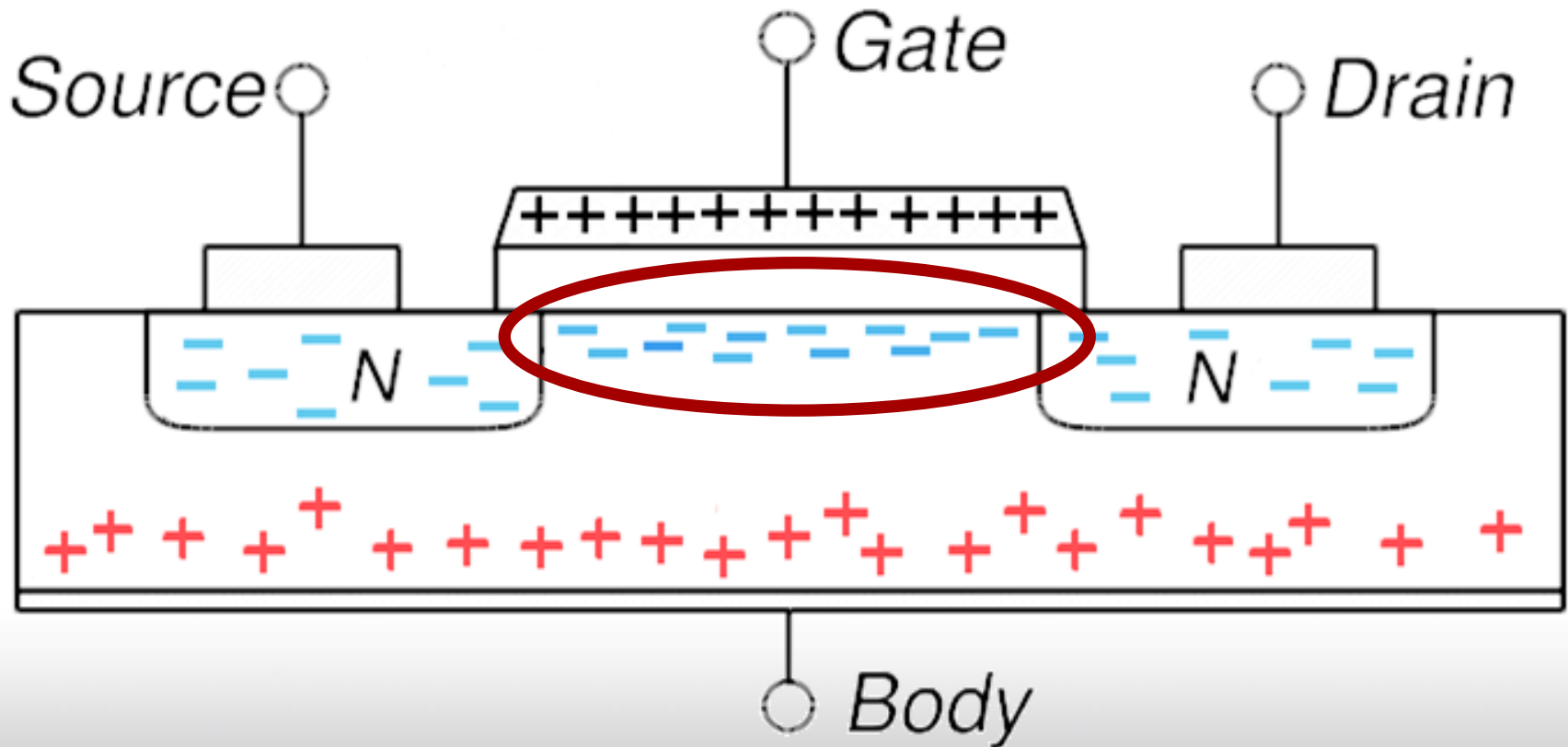
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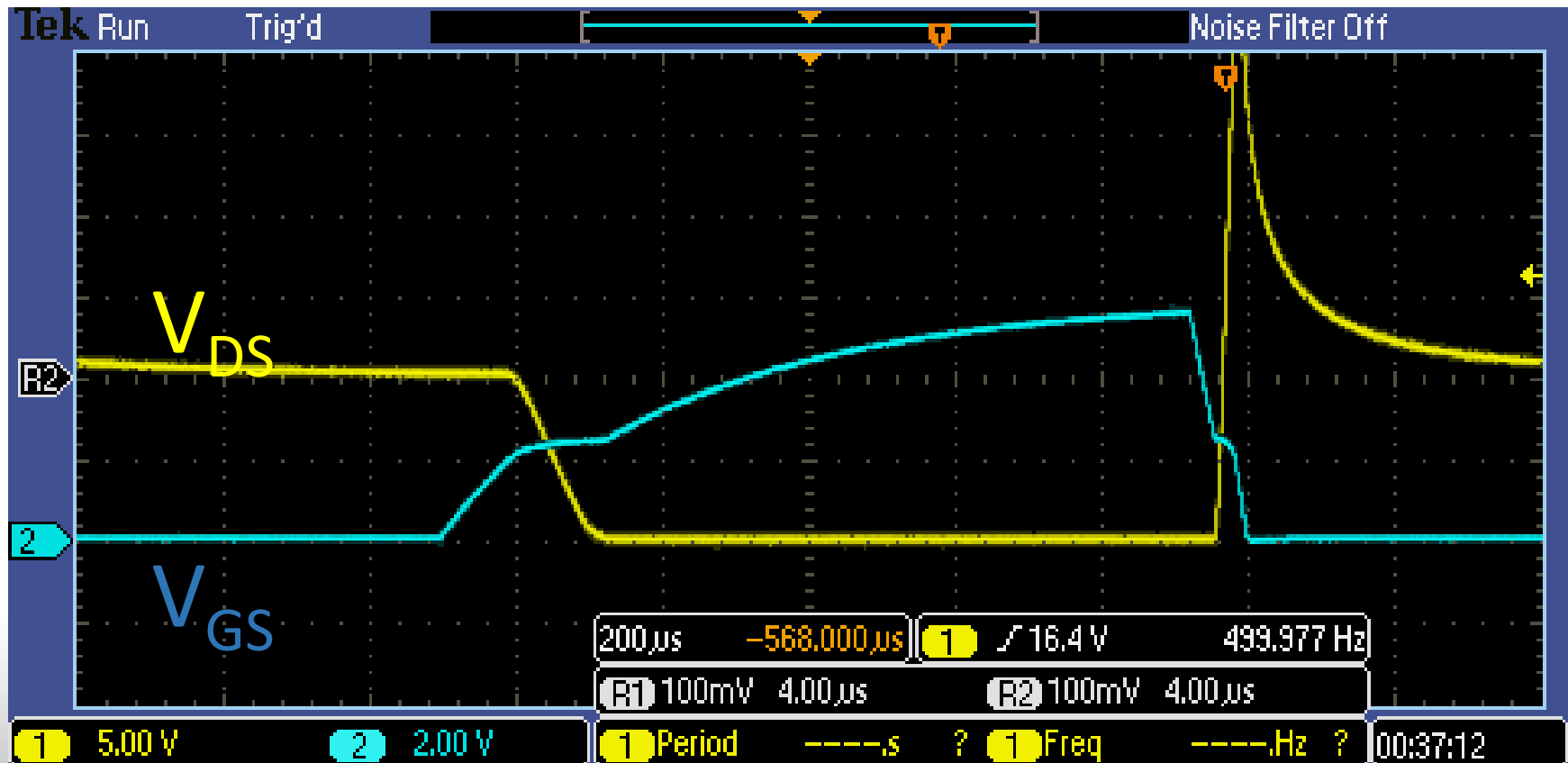
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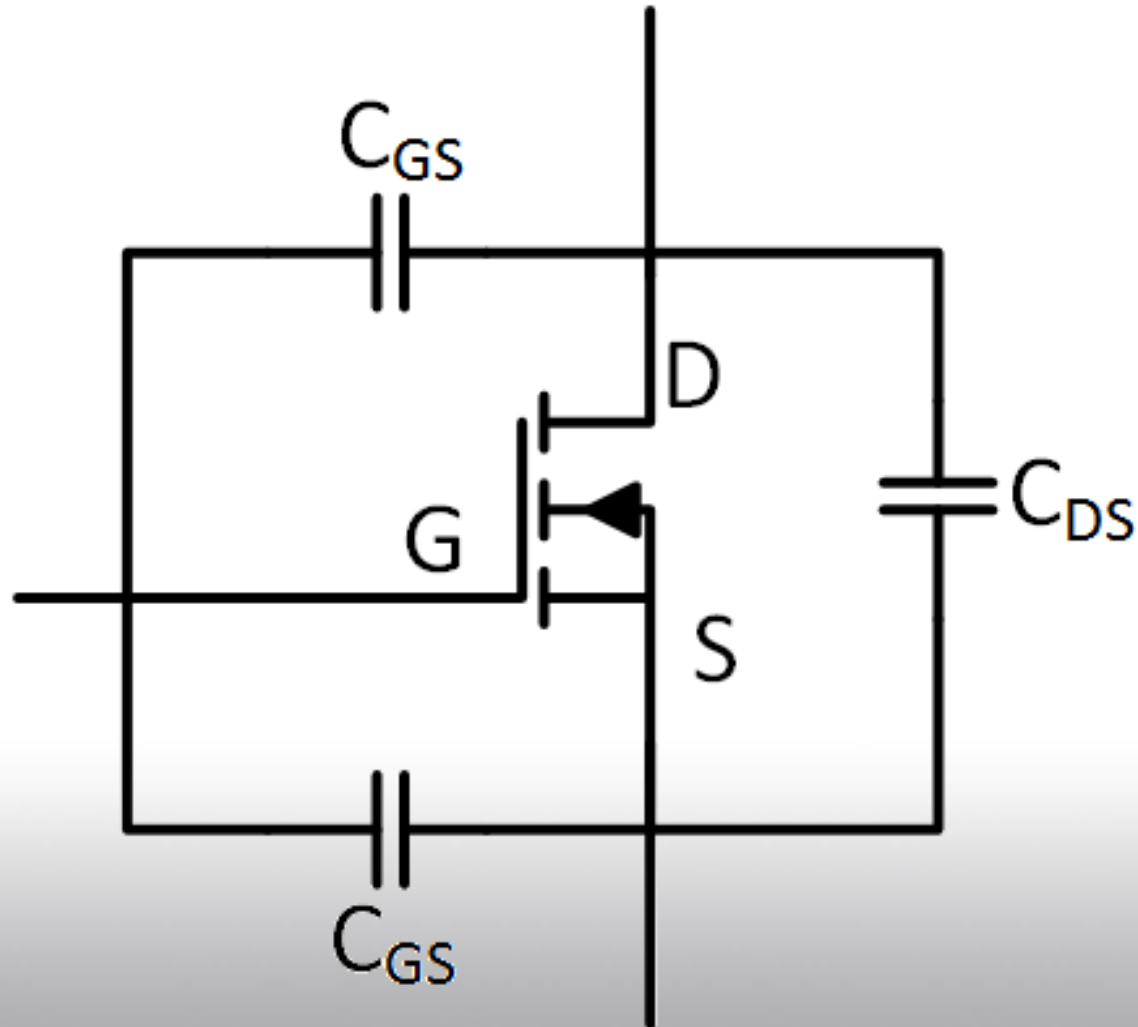


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Screenshot of oscilloscope

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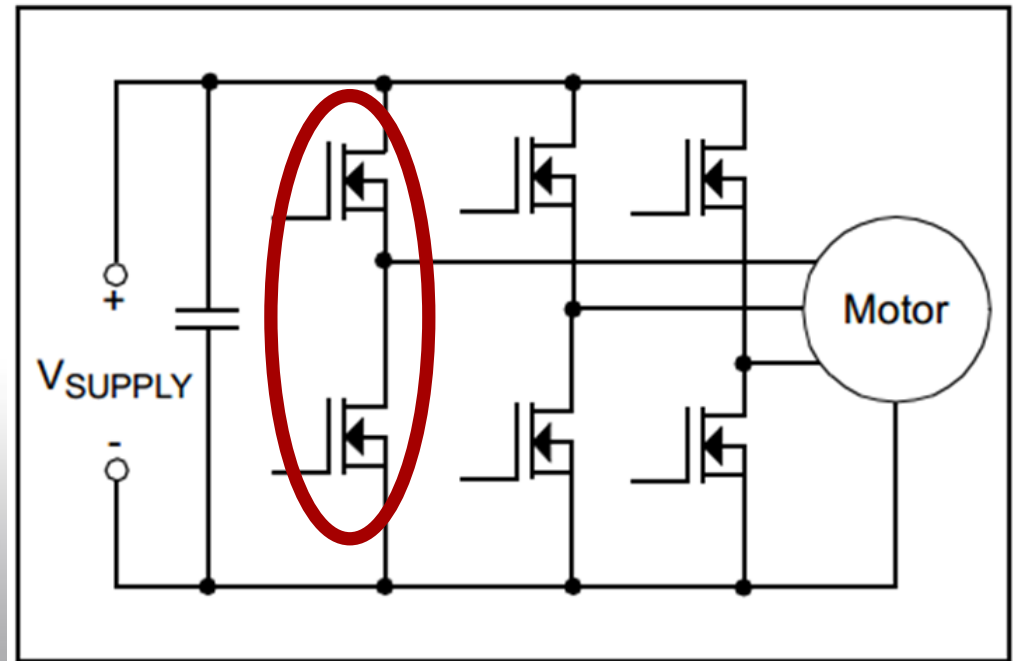


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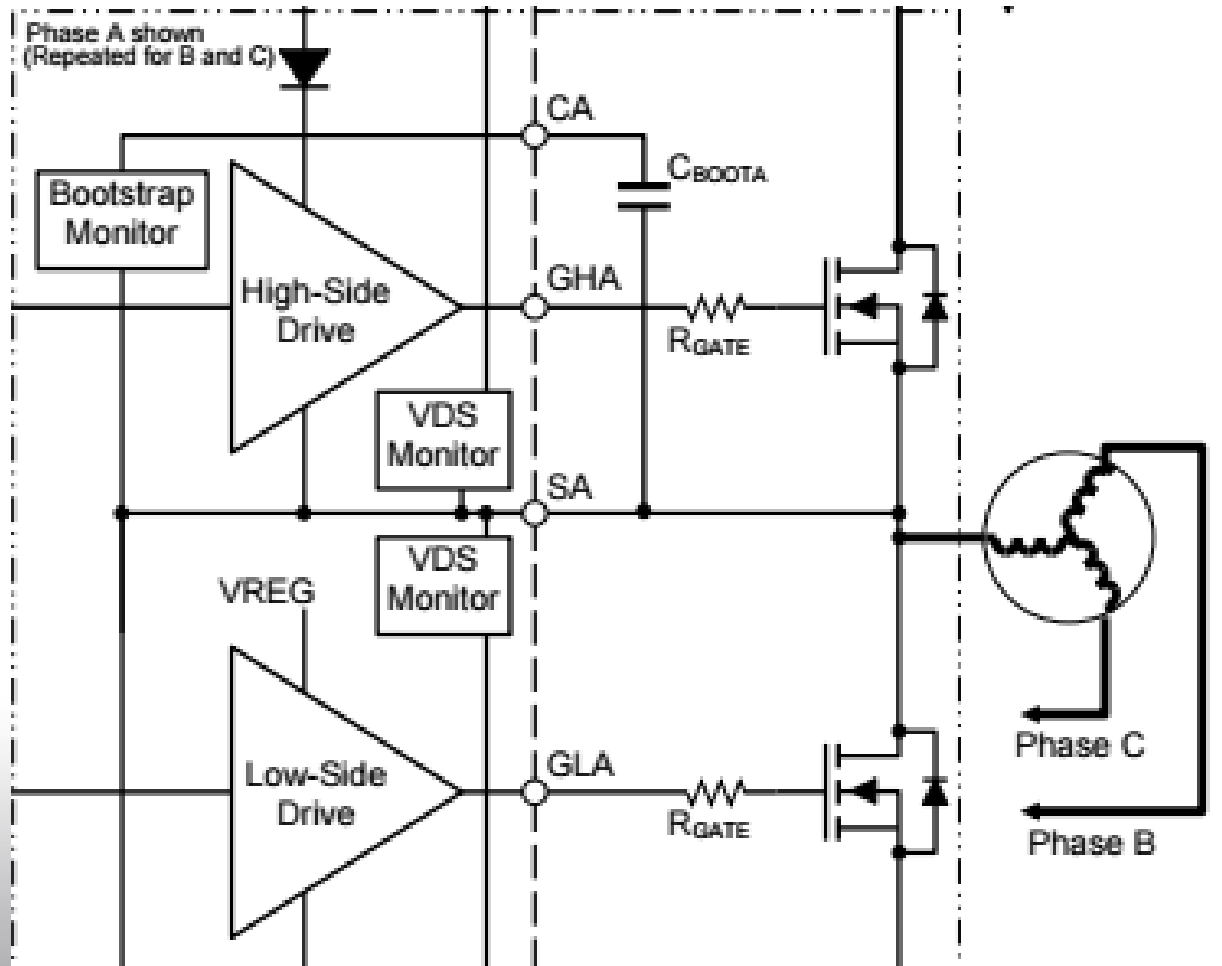
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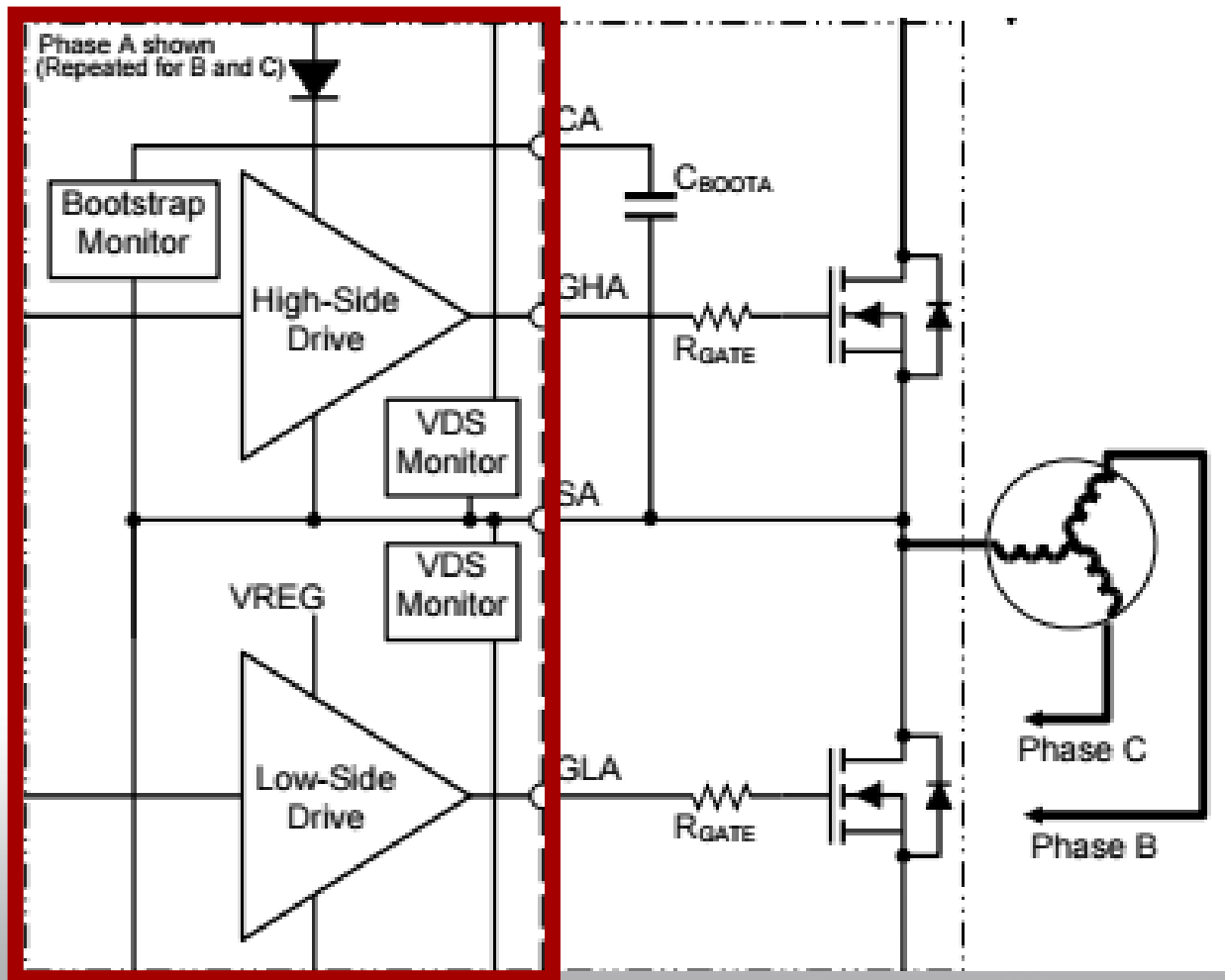
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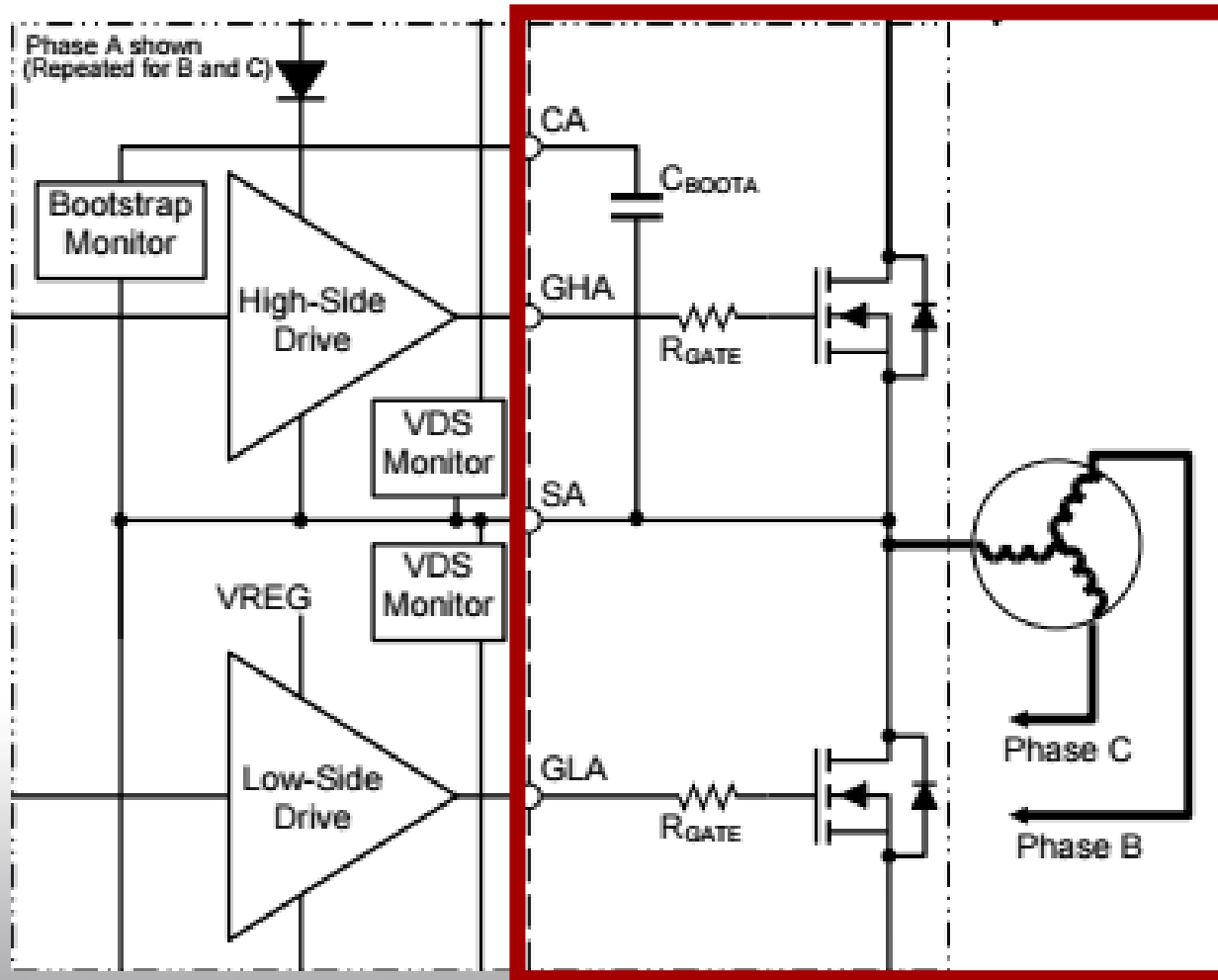
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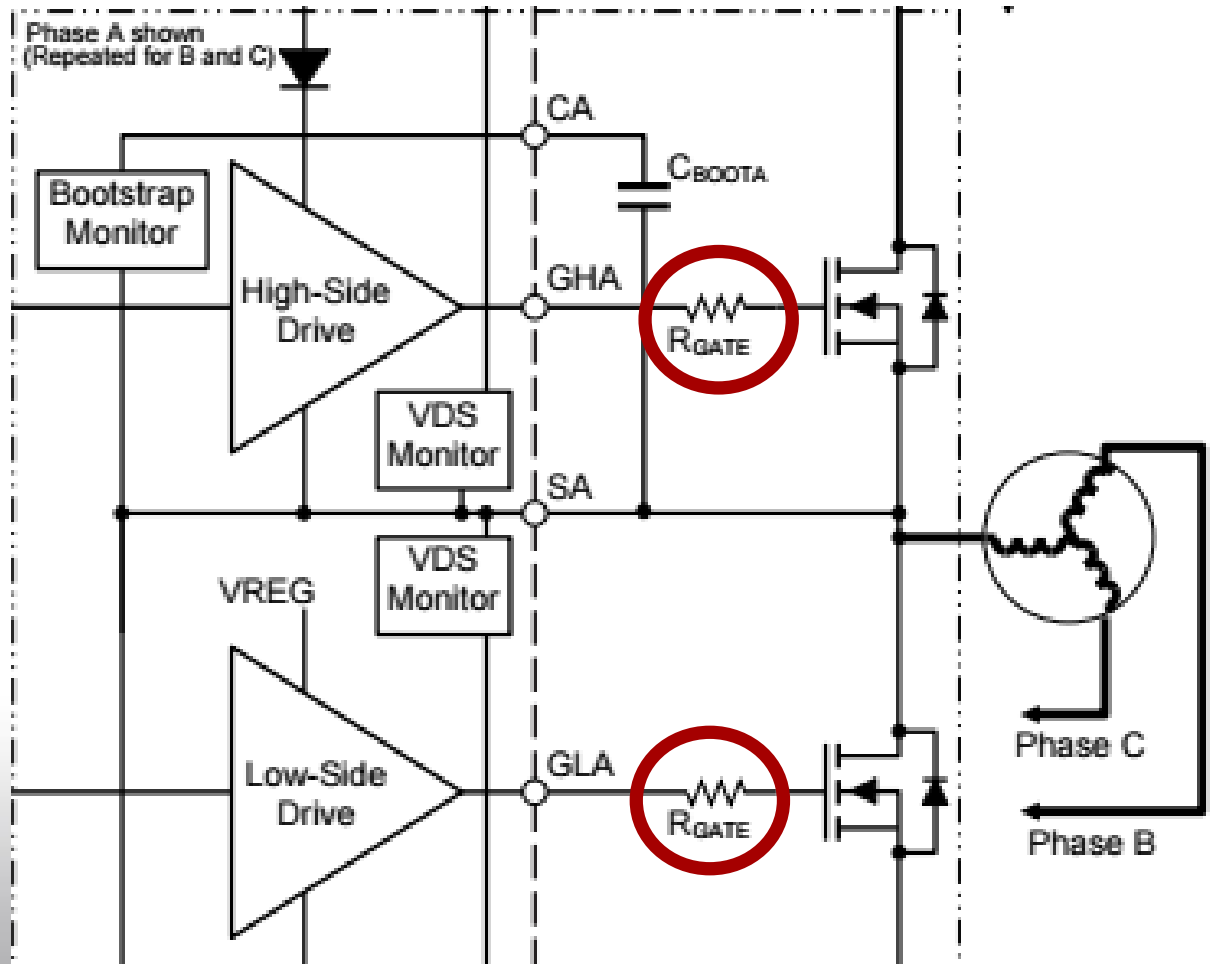
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- Turn On Time:

- $R_G = \frac{t_r}{(C_{gs} + C_{gd}) \ln\left(\frac{1}{1 - \left(\frac{V_{gp}}{V_{gsapp}}\right)}\right)} - R_{gapp}$

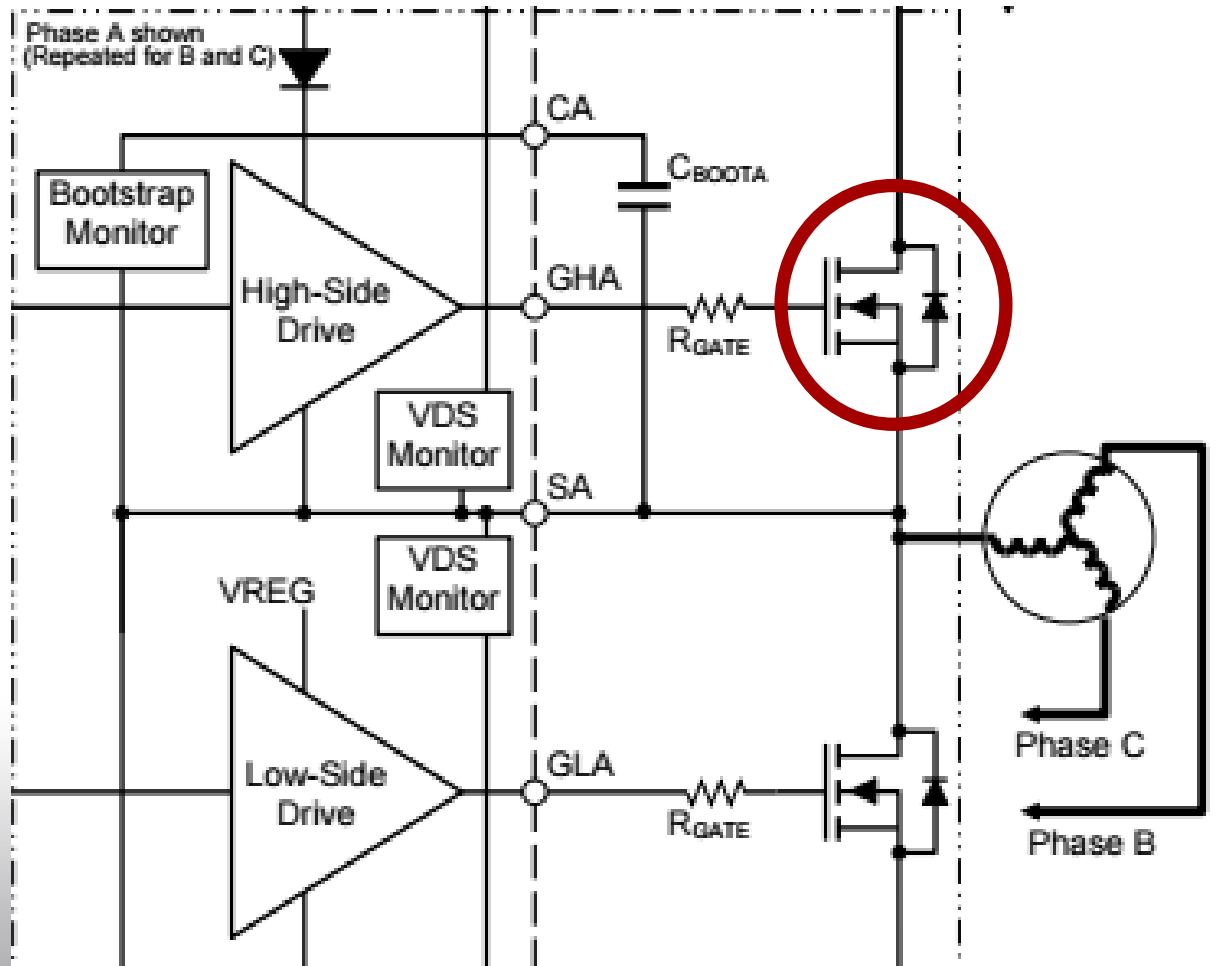
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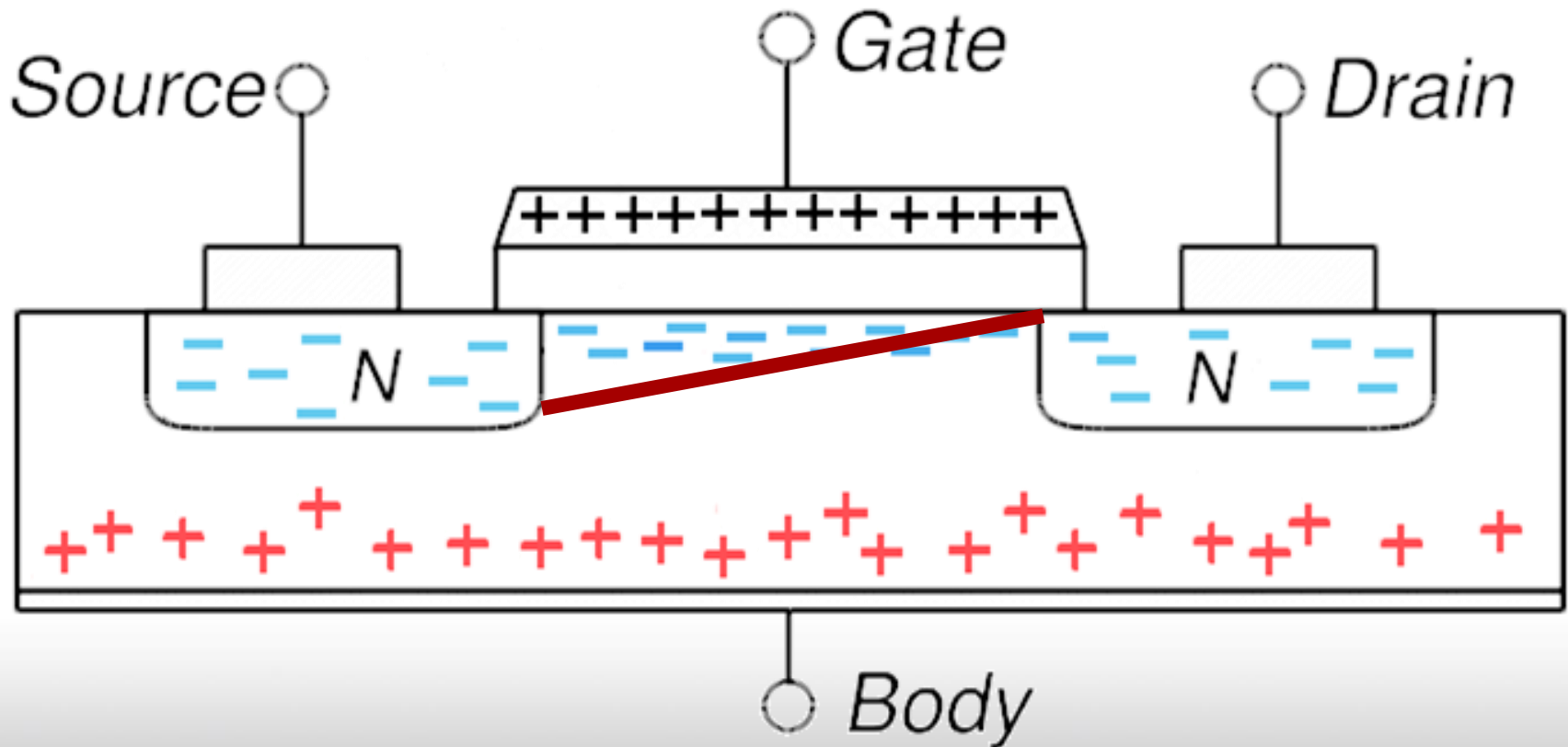
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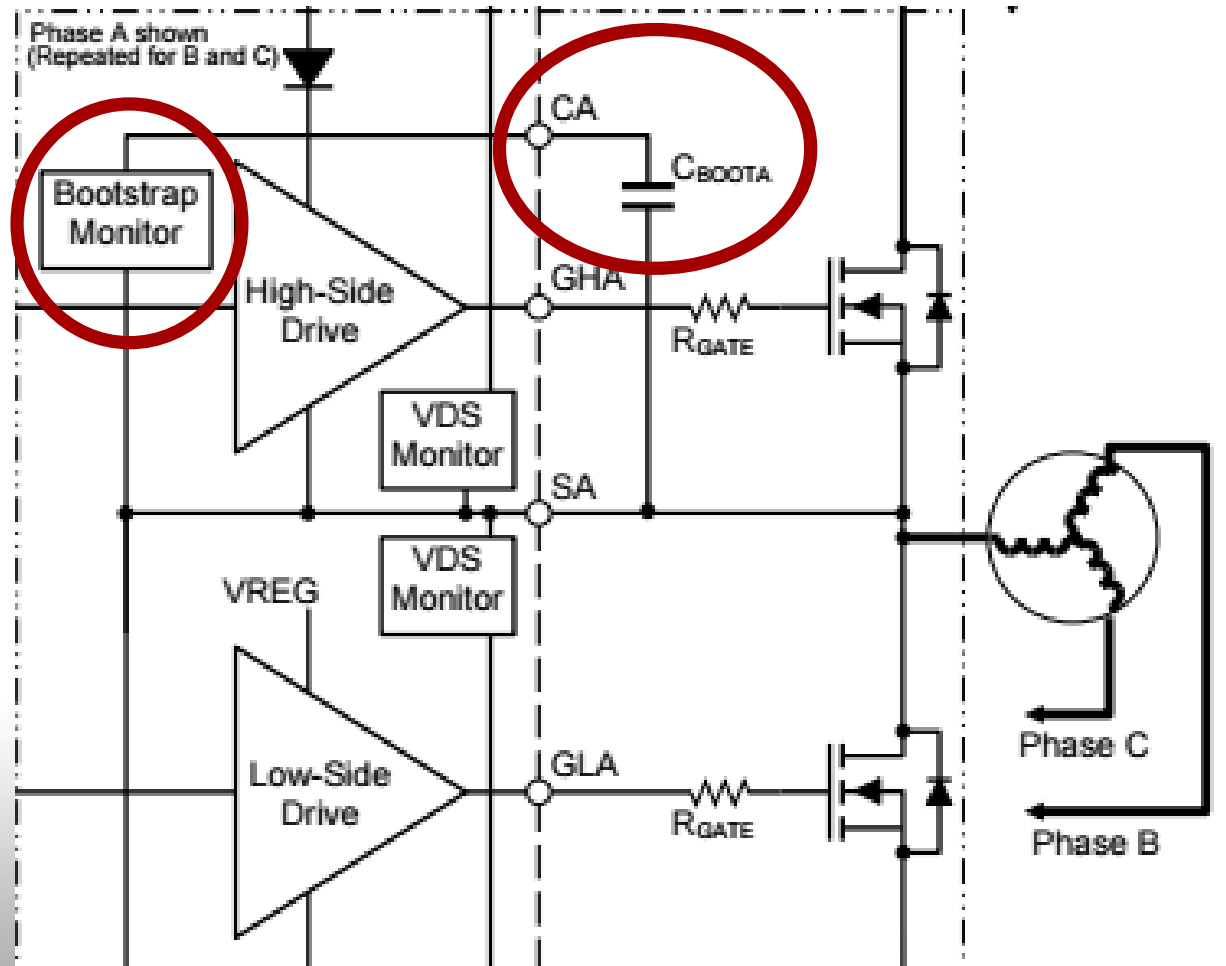
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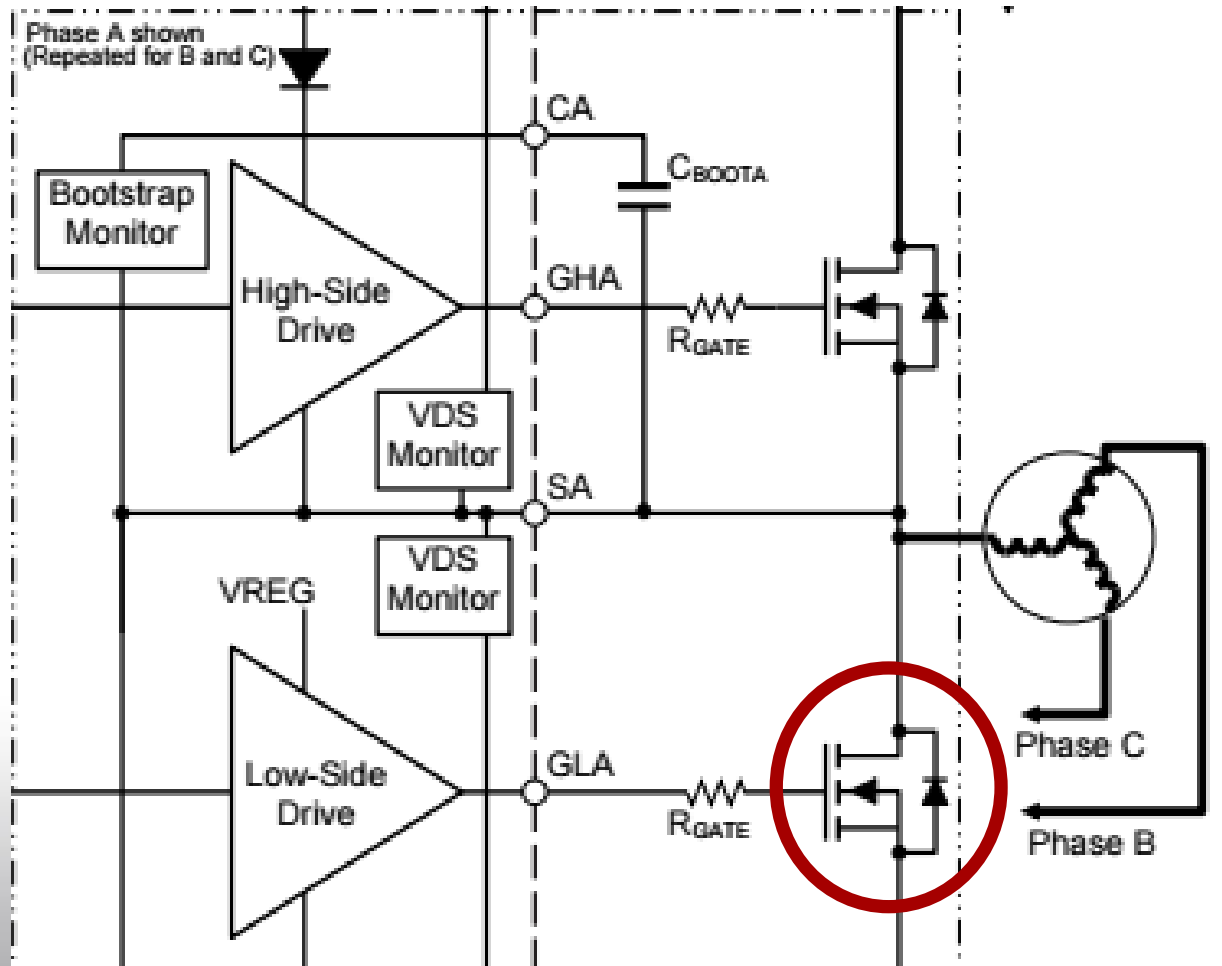
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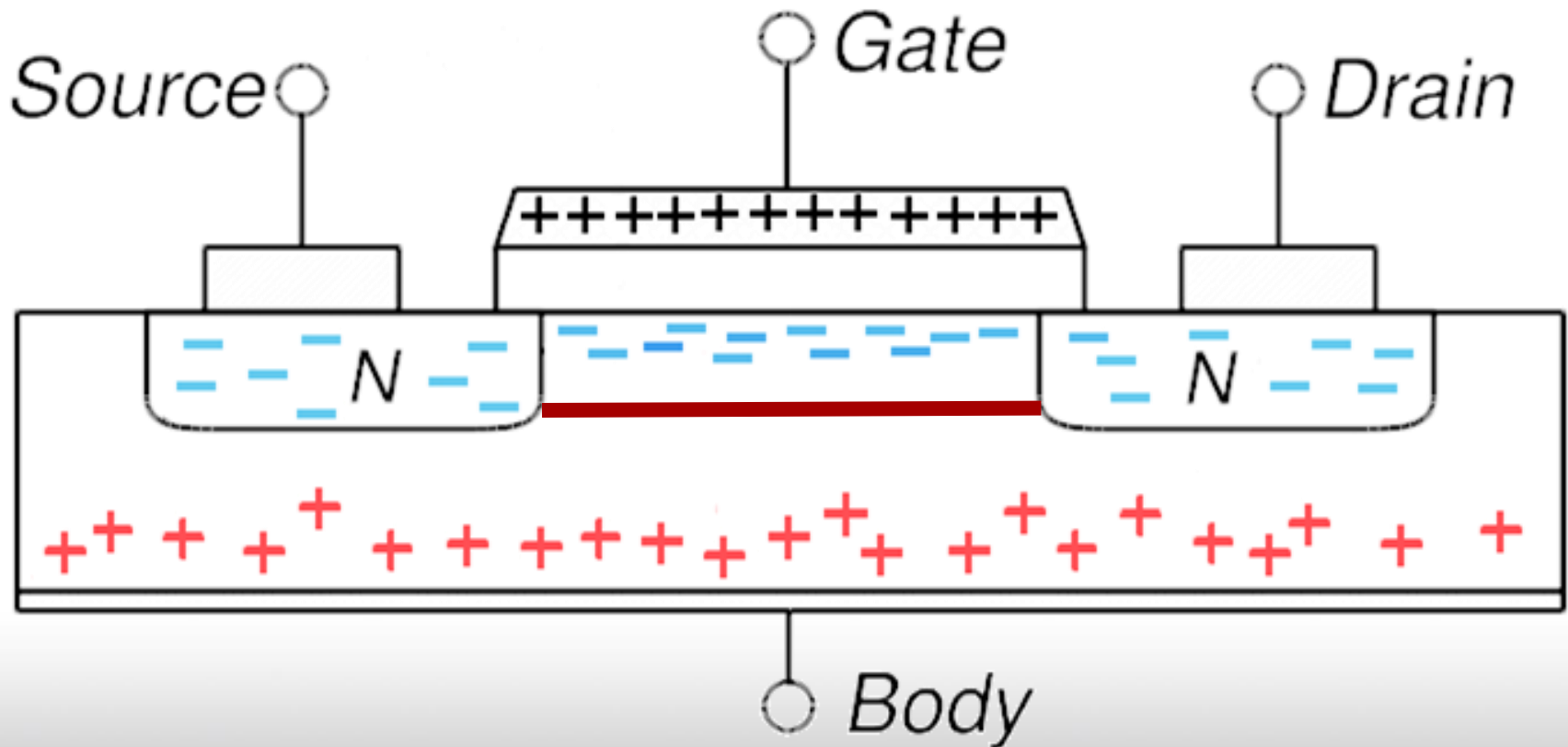
N-Channel MOSFETs – High Side

- $\Delta V_{BOOT} = V_{DD} - V_F - V_{GSMIN}$
- $Q_{TOTAL} = Q_{GATE} + (i_{LKGS}) * t_{ON} + Q_{LS}$
- $C_{BOOT} = \frac{Q_{TOTAL}}{\Delta V_{BOOT}}$

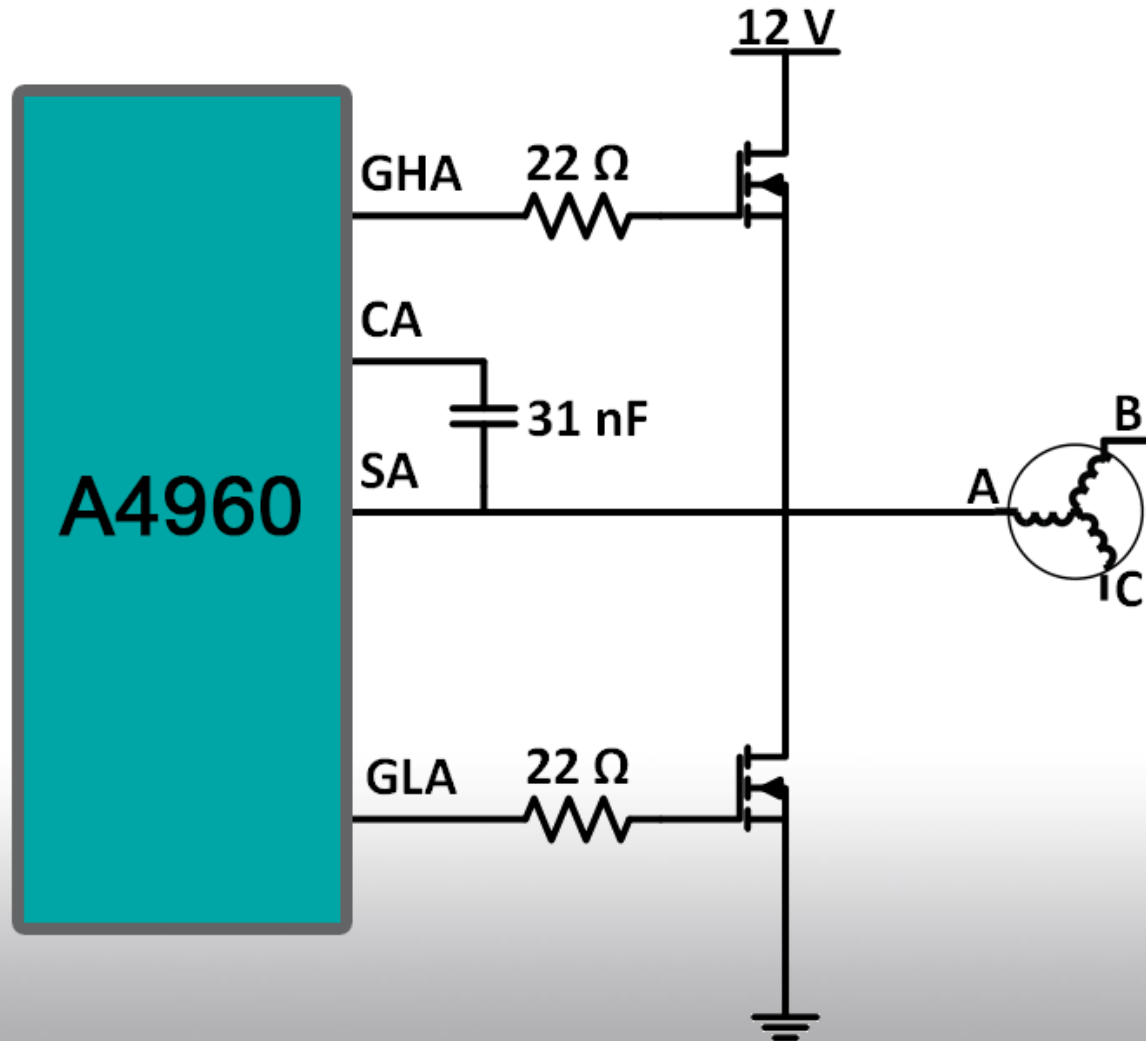
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Phase A Predriver Interface



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- Framework for RoboBoat
 - Navigation
 - Thrust



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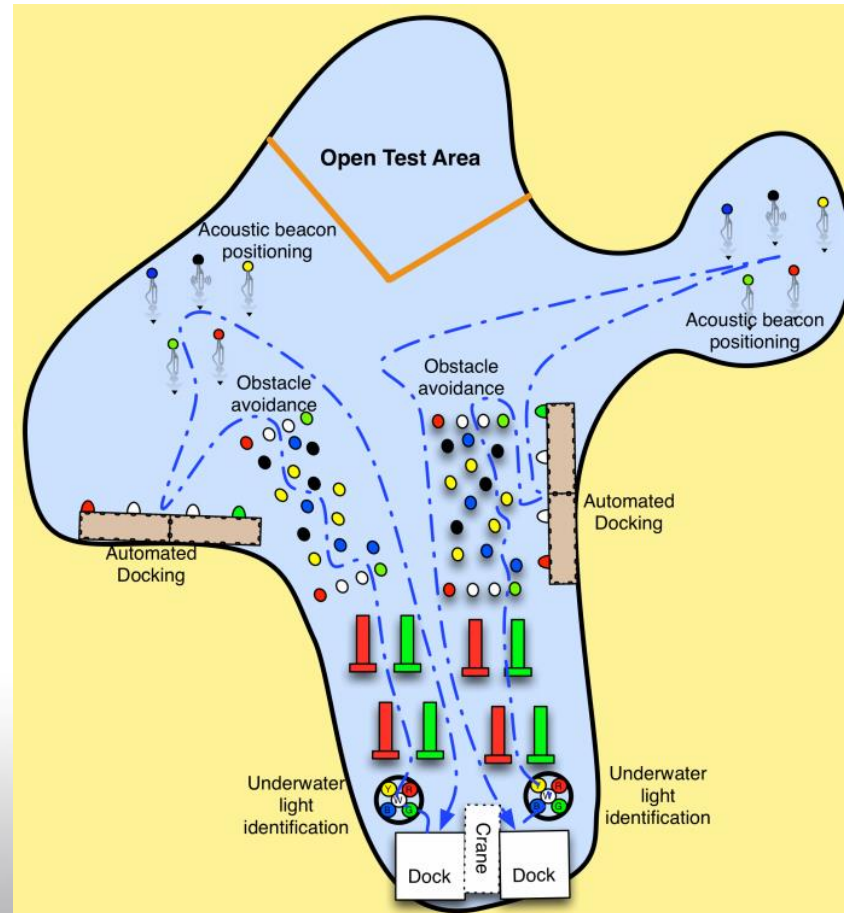
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Extra Slides

Competition Area



Constraints - AUVSI

	2013	2014	2015
Communication			
Energy source			
Kill switch			
e-Kill switch			
Propulsion			
Remote control			
Safety			
Size			
Waterproof			
Weight			

Constraints and Requirements

Communication
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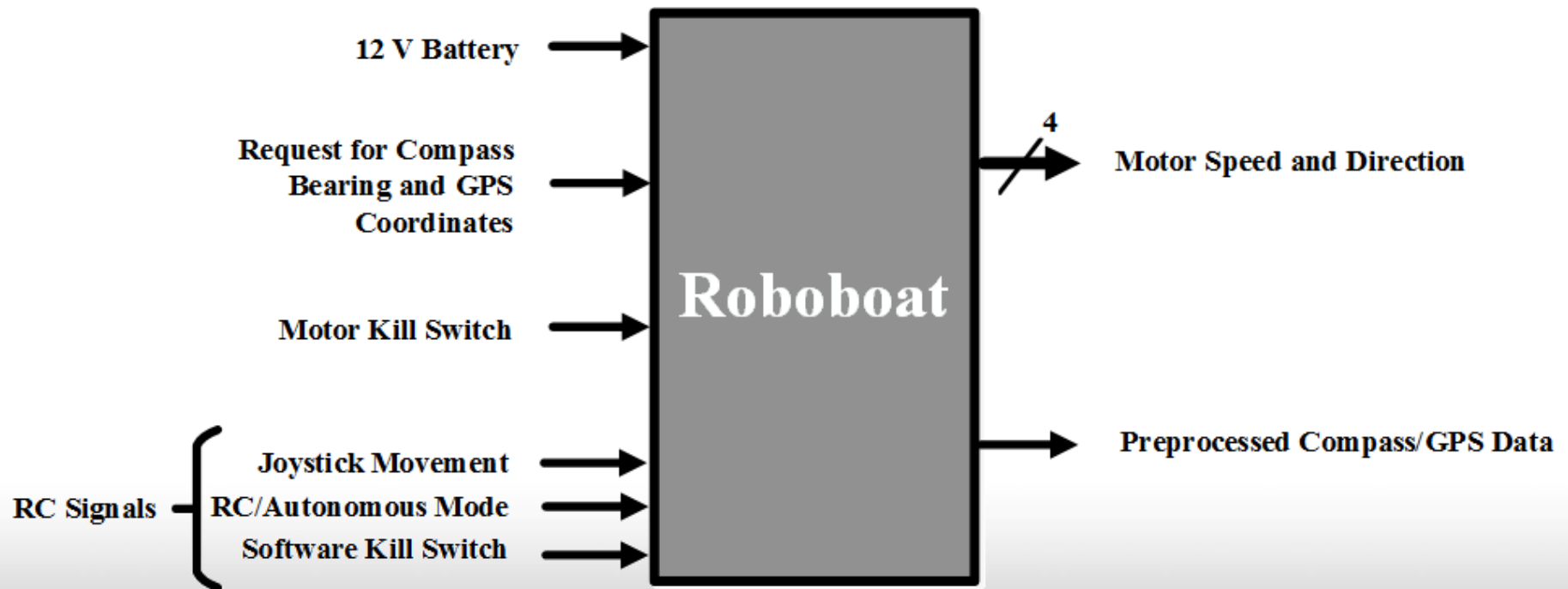
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Energy source	Constraint
Kill switch	Constraint
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Propulsion	Functional Requirement
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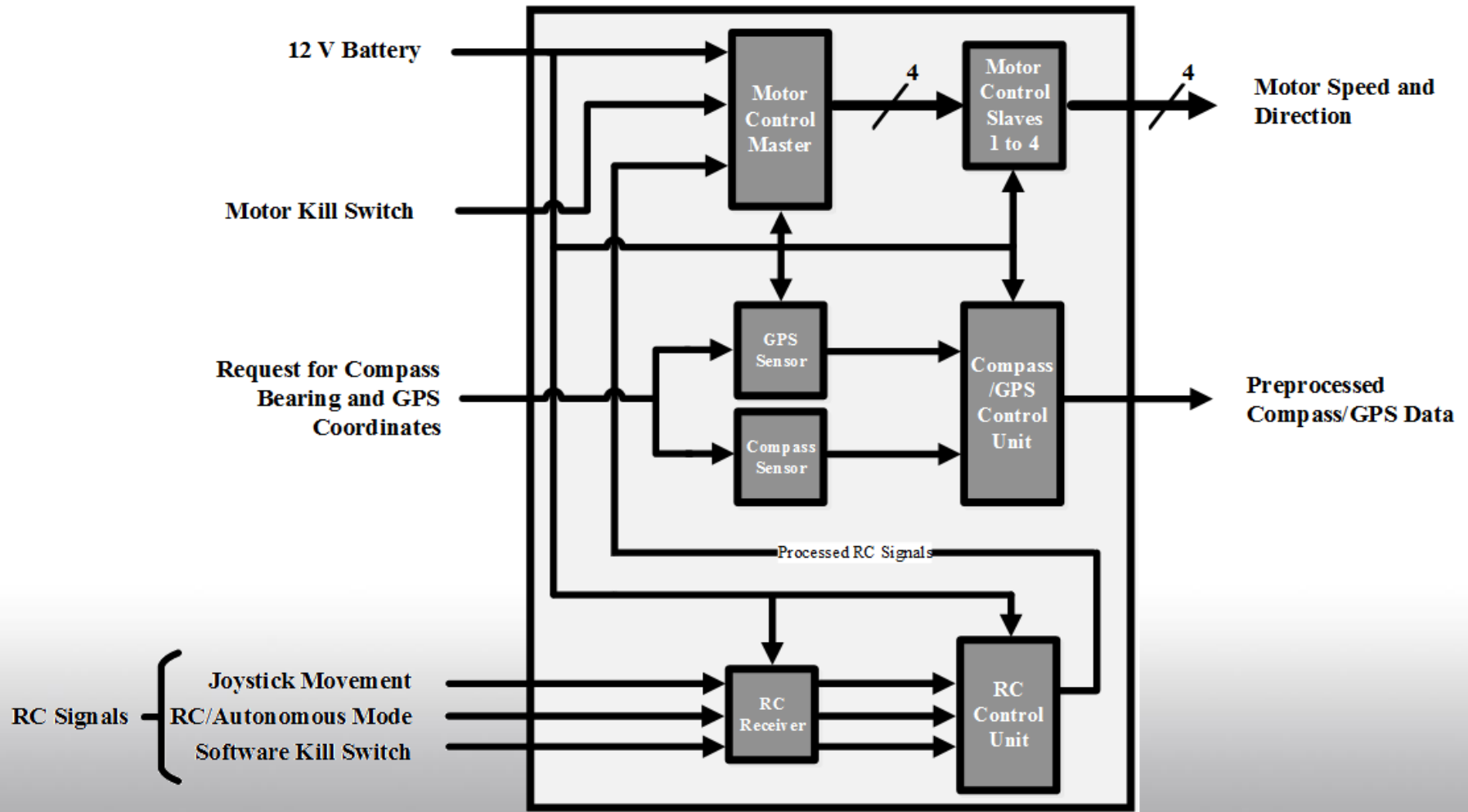
Functional Requirements	Specifications
GPS and Compass	GPS Accuracy: $< \pm 2$ m
	Compass Accuracy: $< \pm 2^\circ$
Remote Control	Rate: ≥ 5 Commands / sec
	Mode Signal
	Software Kill Signal
Motor Control	Rate: ≥ 5 Commands / sec
	Physical Kill Switch

Nonfunctional Requirements
Reusability
Water Resistance

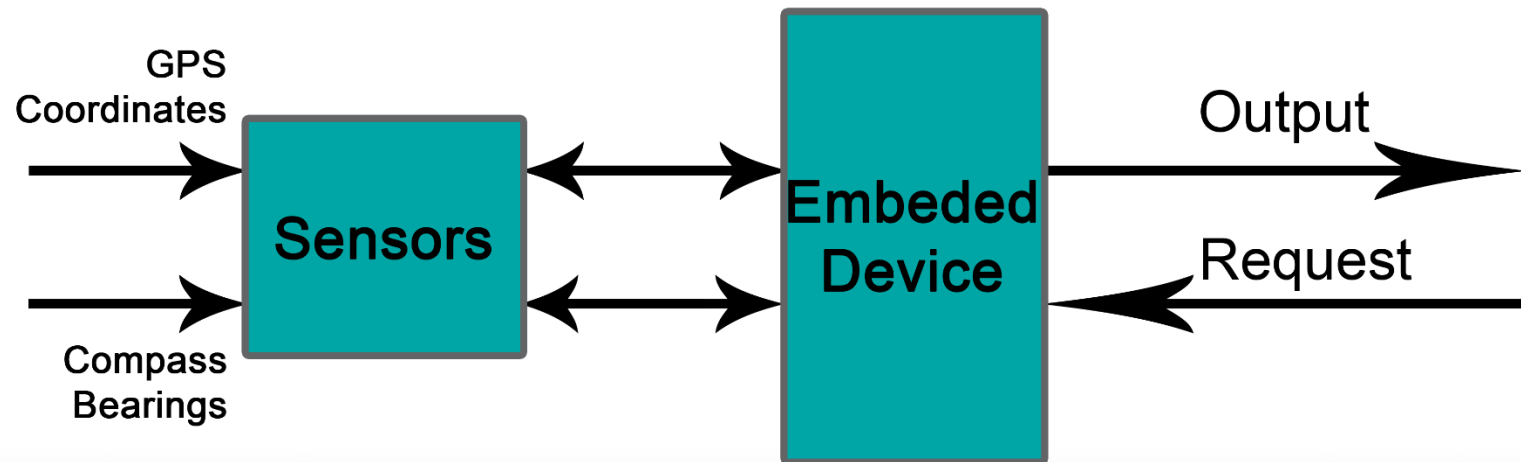
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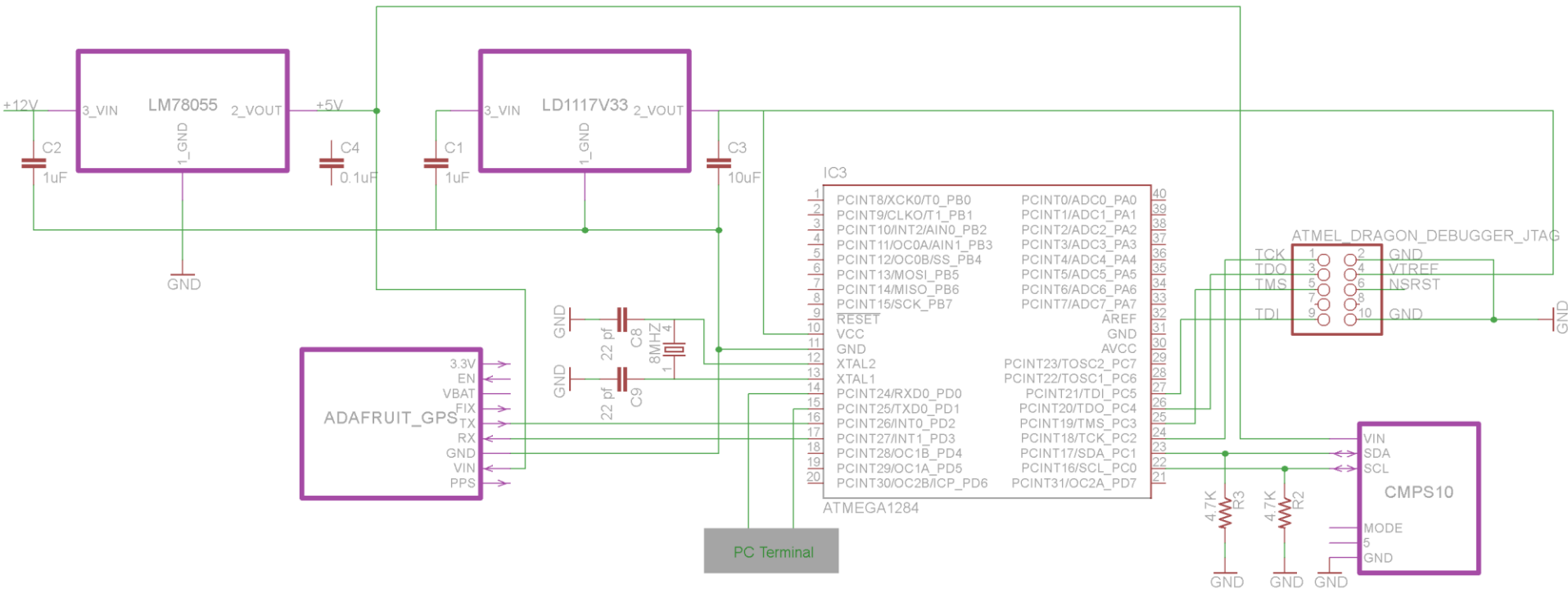
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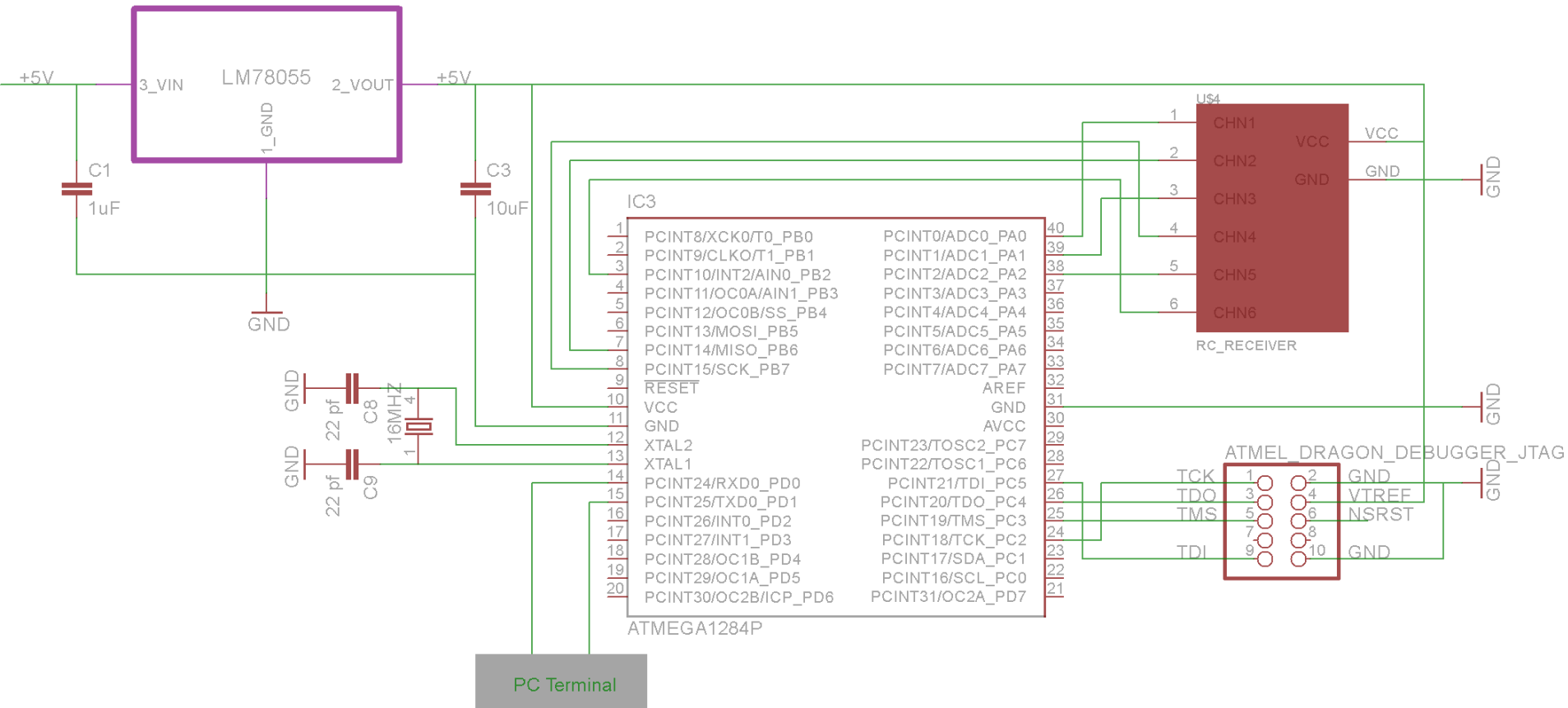
Navigation System Block Diagram



Navigation Subsystem Schematic



RC Unit Schematic



MCU and Compass Interfacing

ATmega1284		CMPS10	
SDA, receive	VIL,min = 0.99V	SDA, transmit	3.3V levels
	VIH,max = 1.98-3.83V		
SDA, transmit	VOH,min = 2.3V	SDA, receive	3.3V levels
	VOL,max = 0.6V		

MCU and GPS Interfacing

ATmega1284		Adafruit Ultimate GPS	
Rx	VIL,max = 0.99V	Tx	VOH,min = 2.3V
	VIH,min = 1.98V		VOL, max = 0.6V
Tx	VOH,min = 2.3V	Rx	VIH,min = 1.98V
	VOL,max = 0.6V		VIL,max = 0.99V

MCU and MAX3232 Interfacing

ATmega1284		MAX3232	
Rx	VIL,max = 0.99V	Tx	VOH,min = 2.7V
	VIH,min = 1.98V		VOL, max = 0.4V
Tx	VOH,min = 2.3V	Rx	VIH,min = 1.8-2.4V
	VOL,max = 0.6V		VIL,max = 0.6-1.2V

Baud Rate

$$Error[\%] = \left(\frac{BaudRate_{closestMatch}}{BaudRate} - 1 \right) * 100\%$$

(1)

$$BaudRate_{closestMatch} = \frac{f_{osc}}{16 * BaudRate} - 1$$

(2)

USART Registers

Important Registers for USART Initialization

UBRR1H, UBRR1L	Set Baud Rate
UCSR1B	Enable Receiver and Transmitter
UCSR1C	2 Stop Bits

Important Registers for USART Data Transmission

UCSR1A, UDRE1	Wait for Empty Buffer
UDR1	Where to Send Data

NEMA 2.0

Name	Garmin	Magellan	Lowrance	SiRF	Notes:
GPAPB	N	Y	Y	N	Auto Pilot B
GPBOD	Y	N	N	N	bearing, origin to destination - earlier G-12's do not transmit this
GPGGA	Y	Y	Y	Y	fix data
GPGLL	Y	Y	Y	Y	Lat/Lon data - earlier G-12's do not transmit this
GPGSA	Y	Y	Y	Y	overall satellite reception data, missing on some Garmin models
GPGSV	Y	Y	Y	Y	detailed satellite data, missing on some Garmin models
GPRMB	Y	Y	Y	N	minimum recommended data when following a route
GPRMC	Y	Y	Y	Y	minimum recommended data
GPRTE	Y	U	U	N	route data, only when there is an active route. (this is sometimes bidirectional)
GPWPL	Y	Y	U	N	waypoint data, only when there is an active route (this is sometimes bidirectional)

NEMA 2.0

GGA - essential fix data which provide 3D location and accuracy data.

```
$GPGGA,123519,4807.038,N,01131.000,E,1,08,0.9,545.4,M,46.9,M,,*47
```

Where:

GGA	Global Positioning System Fix Data
123519	Fix taken at 12:35:19 UTC
4807.038,N	Latitude 48 deg 07.038' N
01131.000,E	Longitude 11 deg 31.000' E
1	Fix quality: 0 = invalid
	1 = GPS fix (SPS)
	2 = DGPS fix
	3 = PPS fix
	4 = Real Time Kinematic
	5 = Float RTK
	6 = estimated (dead reckoning) (2.3 feature)
	7 = Manual input mode
	8 = Simulation mode
08	Number of satellites being tracked
0.9	Horizontal dilution of position
545.4,M	Altitude, Meters, above mean sea level
46.9,M	Height of geoid (mean sea level) above WGS84 ellipsoid
(empty field)	time in seconds since last DGPS update
(empty field)	DGPS station ID number
*47	the checksum data, always begins with *

Raw GPS Output

- GPS Readings
 - Asynchronous Serial
 - 9600 Baud Rate, 1 Hz Transmission
 - No Parity, 1 Stop Bit

```
$GPGGA,204555.000,4041.9645,N,08936.9937,W,2,8,0.98,195.3,M,-34.0,M,0000,0000*6C
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Serial Stream Directly From GPS Sensor

Parsed NMEA Sentence

- Algorithm:
 - Find Second Comma
 - Parse:
 - Latitude
 - Degrees
 - Minutes and Seconds
 - Format
 - Repeat for Longitude

```
$GPGGA,203117.000,4041.9591,N,08936.9856,W,2,8,0.97,194.1,M,-34.0,M,0000,0000*69
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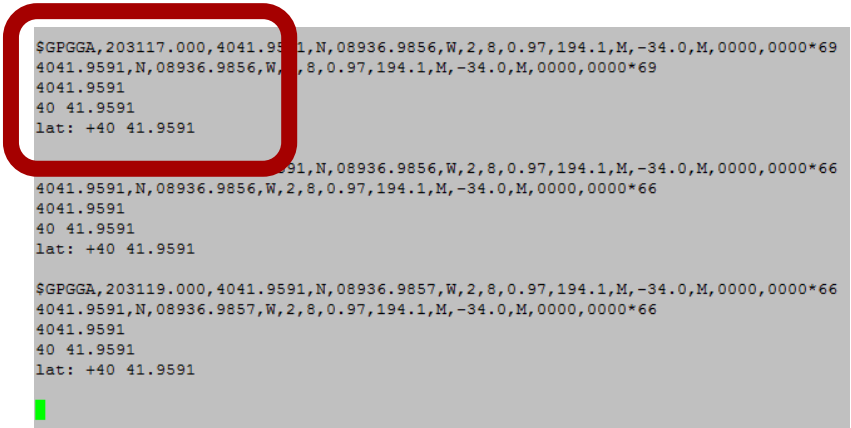
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40 41.9591  
lat: +40 41.9591
```

Serial Stream Directly From GPS Sensor

Final GPS Results

- Data Packet:
 - Latitude
 - Longitude
 - Compass Bearing (future work)

Position: +40 41.9624, -089 36.9951

Position: +40 41.9624, -089 36.9951

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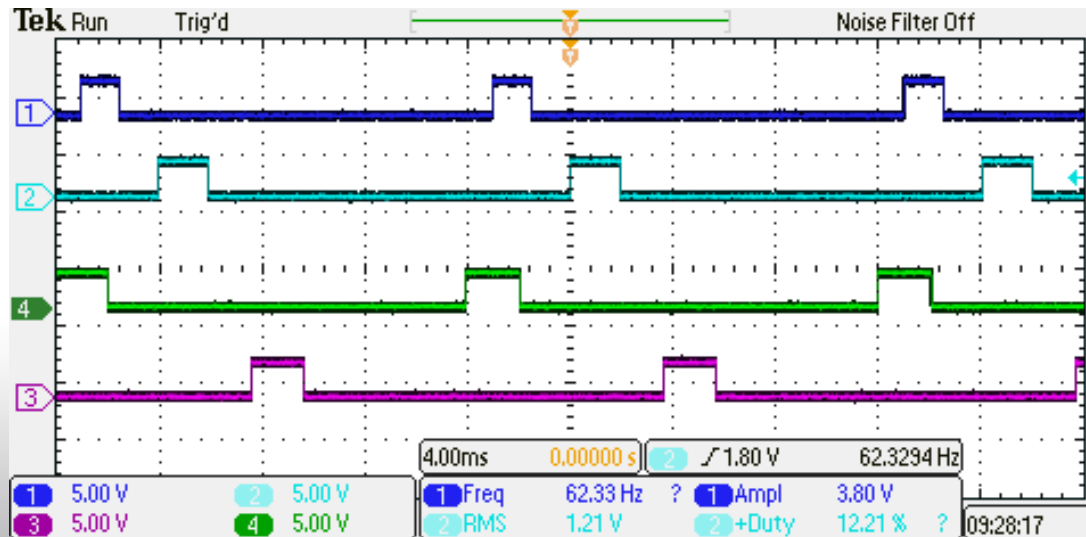
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Serial Stream Directly From GPS Sensor

RC Design Approach

- Measure Pulse-Widths
 - Timer1, INT2, PCINT1:2, PCINT
- Mode and Kill Switches
- Convert to Motor Command



RC Receiver Output, Channels 1, 3, 5, & 6

CMPS10 Compass Registers

Register	Function
0	Software version
1	Compass Bearing as a byte, i.e. 0-255 for a full circle
2,3	Compass Bearing as a word, i.e. 0-3599 for a full circle, representing 0-359.9 degrees.
4	Pitch angle - signed byte giving angle in degrees from the horizontal plane
5	Roll angle - signed byte giving angle in degrees from the horizontal plane
6	Unused
7	Unused
8	Unused
9	Unused
10,11	Magnetometer X axis raw output, 16 bit signed integer with register 10 being the upper 8 bits
12,13	Magnetometer Y axis raw output, 16 bit signed integer with register 12 being the upper 8 bits
14,15	Magnetometer Z axis raw output, 16 bit signed integer with register 14 being the upper 8 bits
16,17	Accelerometer X axis raw output, 16 bit signed integer with register 16 being the upper 8 bits
18,19	Accelerometer Y axis raw output, 16 bit signed integer with register 18 being the upper 8 bits
20,21	Accelerometer Z axis raw output, 16 bit signed integer with register 20 being the upper 8 bits
22	Command register

SCL Frequency

- $SCL\ frequency = \frac{CPU\ Clock\ Frequency}{16 + 2(TWBR) * 4^{TWPS}}$
- SCL Frequency (F_SCL) = 100 KHz
- In Software:
 - `#define TWBR_val (((F_CPU / F_SCL) / Prescaler) - 16) / 2)`

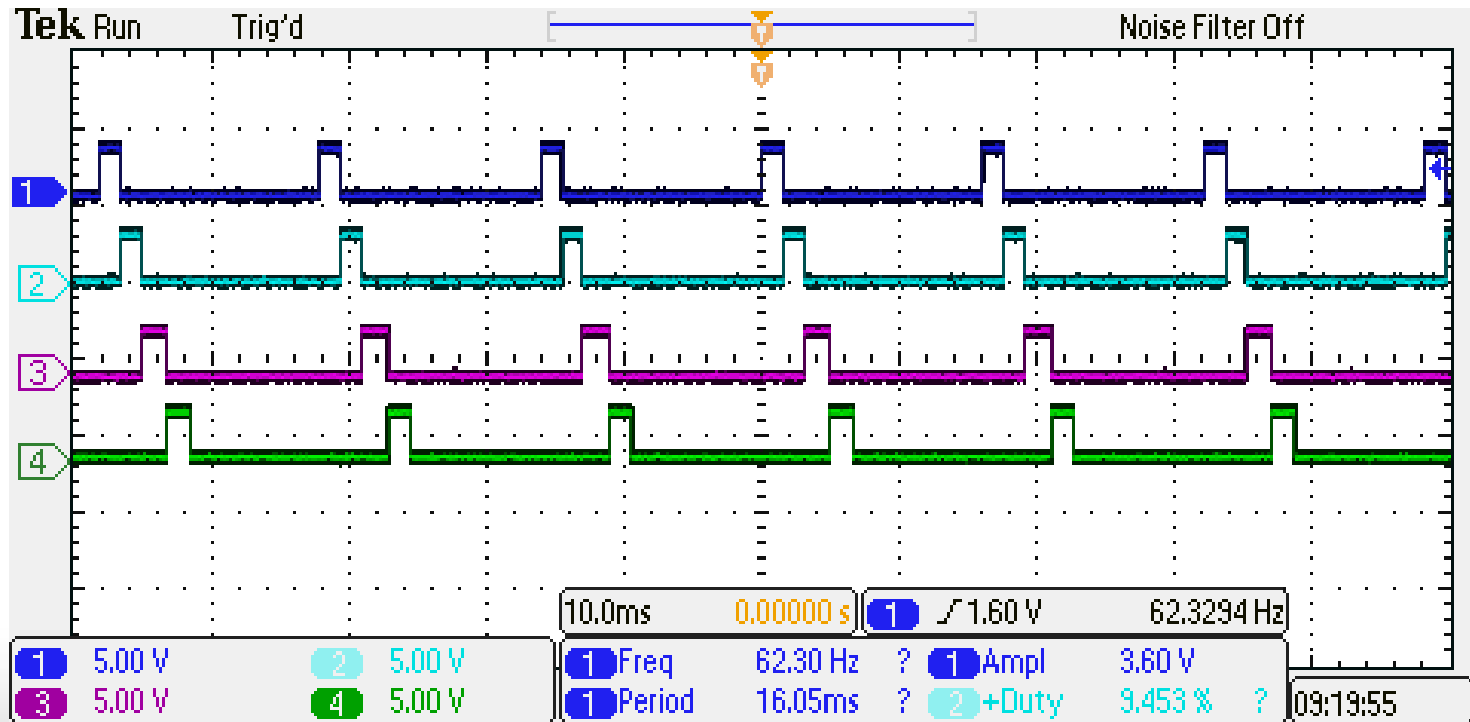
I2C Write Command

- Send Start Bit
- Load Address of I2C Device and Transmit
- Load Register Number and Transmit
- Load Write Data and Transmit
- Stop Bit

I2C Read Command

- Send Start Bi
- Load Address of I2C Device
- Transmit Data
- Send Repeated Start Bit
- Transmit Address of I2C Device
- Set Read Bit (w/ Odd Address)
- Clear Transmit Interrupt Flag
- Transmit Nack (Last Byte Request
- Read the Target Data
- Send Stop Bit on I2C Bus

RC Channels



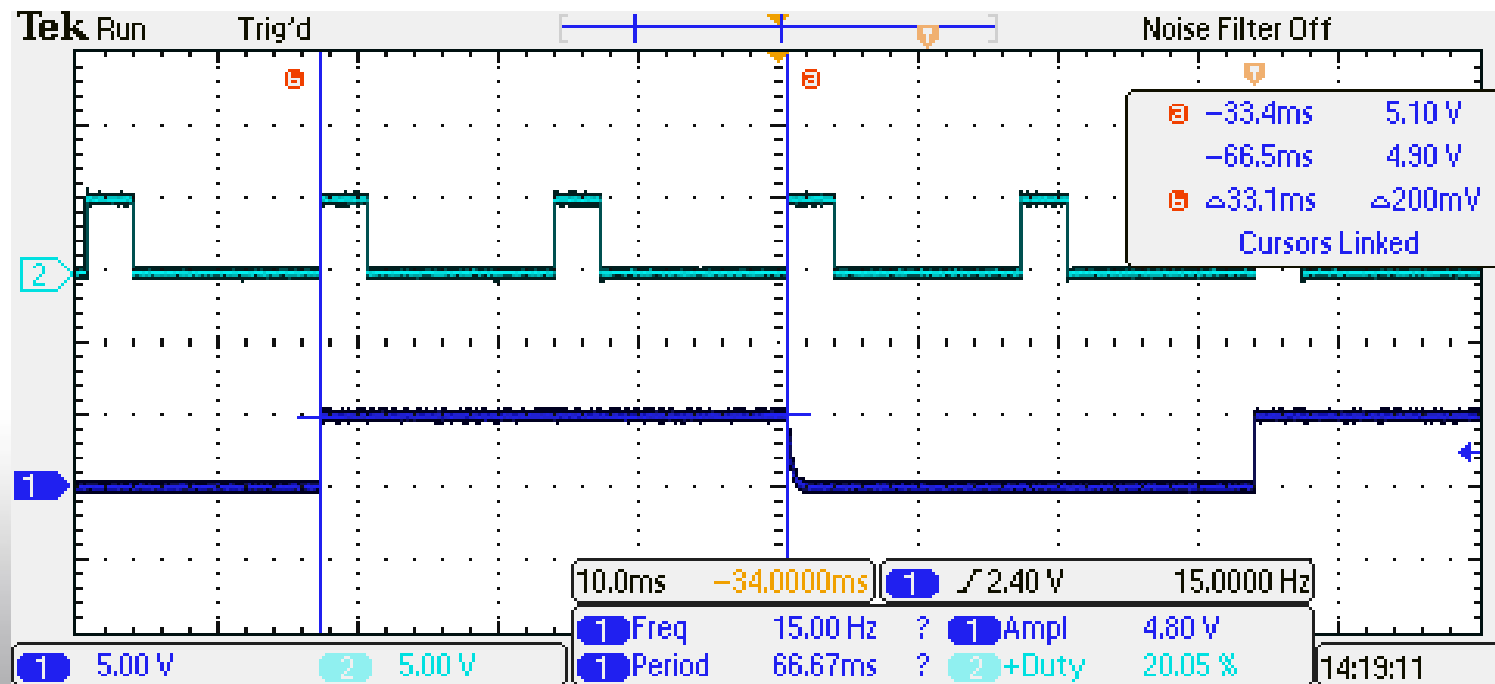
Screenshot of oscilloscope

RC Channels

RC Channel	Interrupt	ISR Action
1	PCINTA	Chk = 0 on Rising-edge
2	PCINTB	Chk = 1 on Rising-edge
3	PCINTA	Chk = 2 on Rising-edge
4	PCINTB	Chk = 3 on Rising-edge
5	PCINTA	Chk = 4 on Rising-edge and Chk = 5 on Falling-edge
6	INT2	Calculate Value of Pulse-width(Within ISR)

RC Timing

- Oscilloscope Channel 1 Toggled at the Start of RC Data Transmission
- 66.5 ms to Transmit an RC Motor Command



Screenshot of oscilloscope

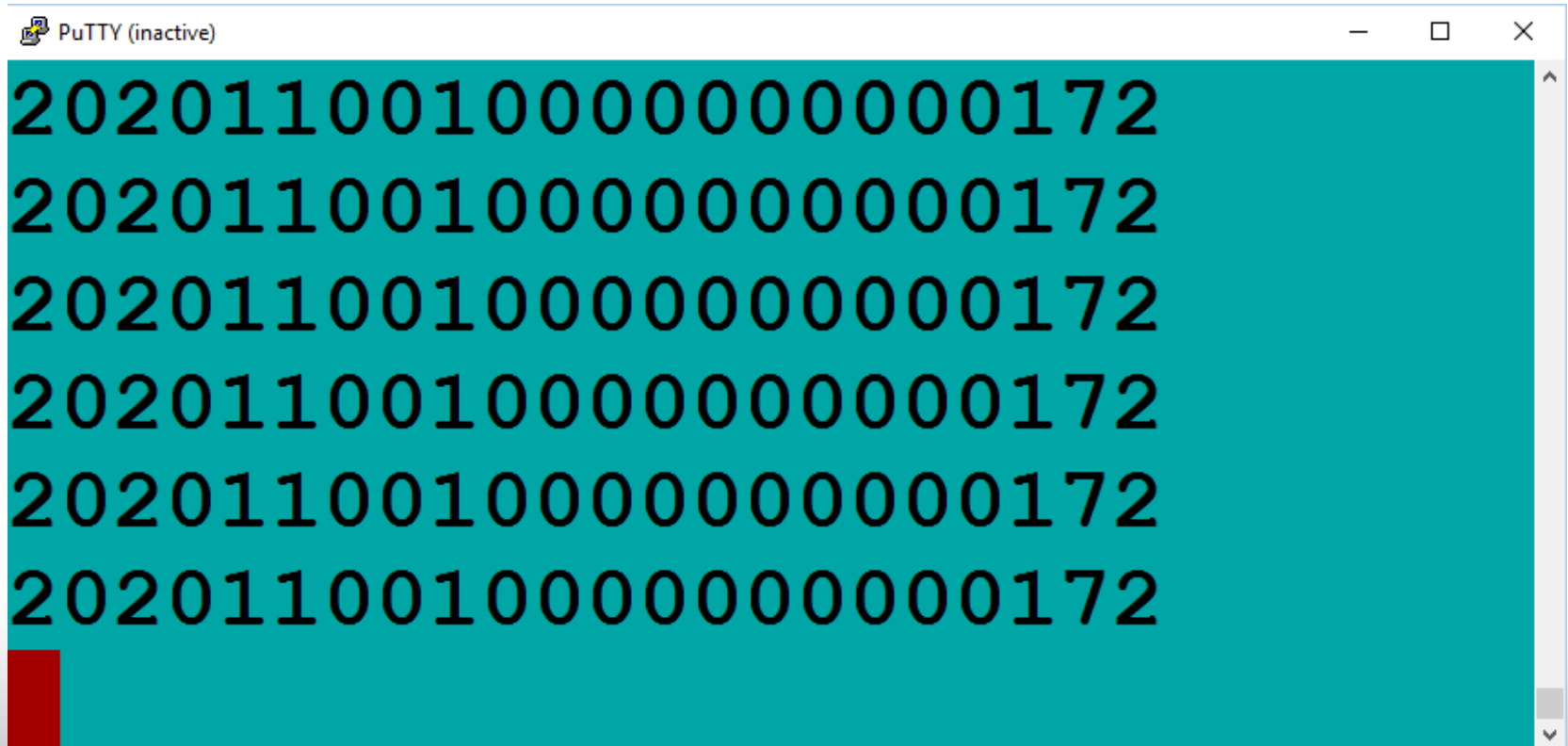
RC Motor Command Scheme

- Neutral “Dead” Zone
- Header
- Data Bits
- Footer
- 8-bits Total

Kill Motors Command

[illegible]

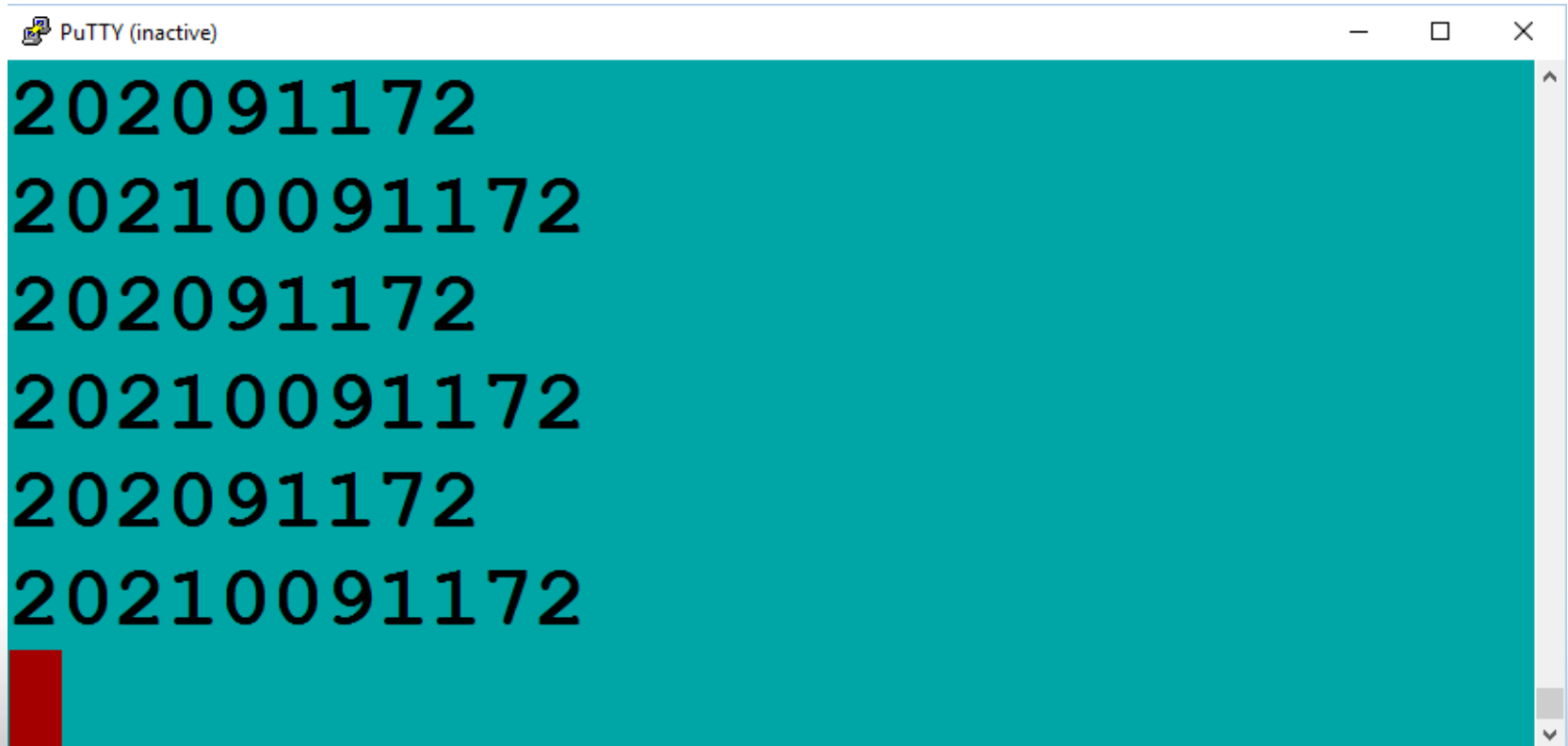
Autonomous Mode Command



A screenshot of a PuTTY terminal window titled "PuTTY (inactive)". The window has a teal background and displays six identical lines of the binary command "202011001000000000000172". A red cursor is visible at the start of the seventh line. The window includes standard OS controls (minimize, maximize, close) in the top right corner and a vertical scrollbar on the right side.

```
202011001000000000000172
202011001000000000000172
202011001000000000000172
202011001000000000000172
202011001000000000000172
202011001000000000000172
```

RC Motor Commands



A screenshot of a PuTTY terminal window titled "PuTTY (inactive)". The terminal has a teal background and displays a sequence of six RC motor commands in black text. The commands are: 202091172, 20210091172, 202091172, 20210091172, 202091172, and 20210091172. A red cursor is visible at the start of the seventh line. The window includes standard window controls (minimize, maximize, close) in the top right corner and a vertical scrollbar on the right side.

```
202091172
20210091172
202091172
20210091172
202091172
20210091172
█
```

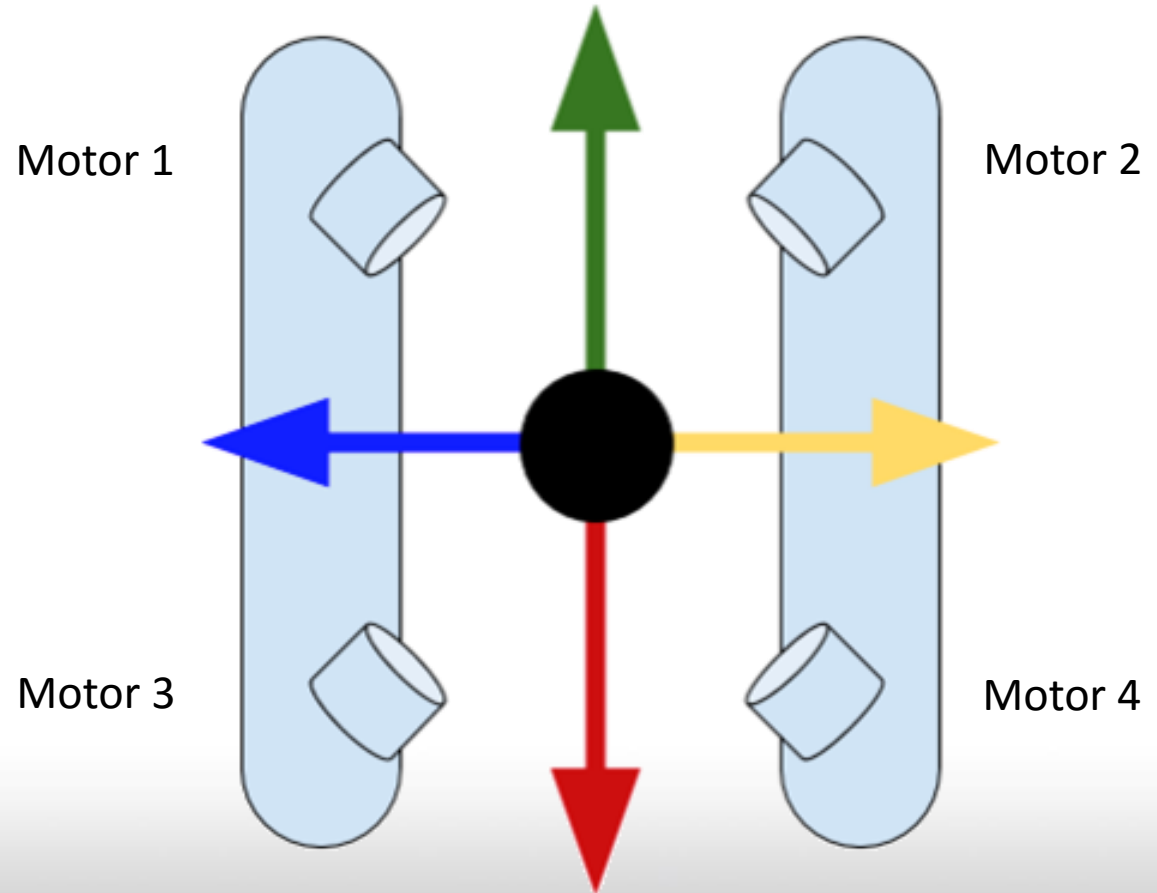
PWM Control

Forward

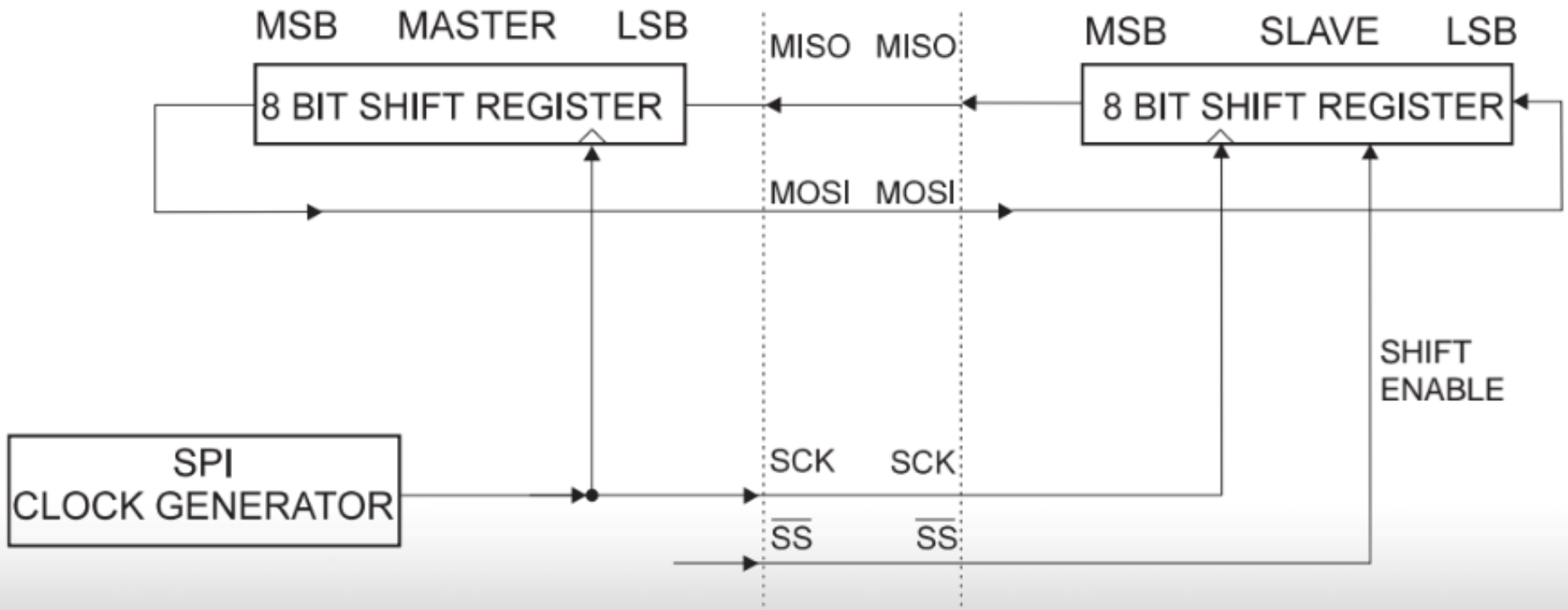
Backward

Left

Right



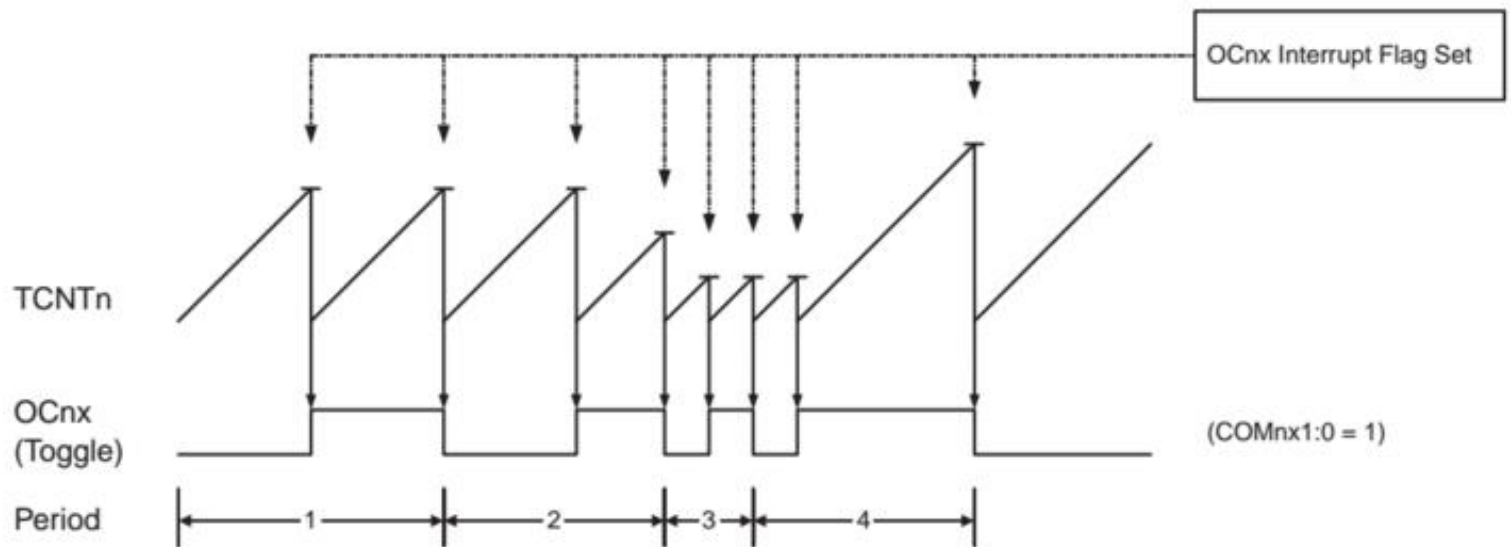
SPI Communication



Interrupt Driven Code

- PWM

Figure 17-5. CTC mode, timing diagram.



Watchdog Timer

```
ISR(TIMER2_COMPA_vect){  
    OCR2A = pwm2;  
    __asm__("wdr;");  
}
```

Watchdog Timer Information

Table 9-2. Watchdog Timer Prescale Select

WDP3	WDP2	WDP1	WDP0	Number of WDT Oscillator Cycles	Typical Time-out at $V_{CC} = 5.0V$
0	0	0	0	2K (2048) cycles	16 ms
0	0	0	1	4K (4096) cycles	32 ms
0	0	1	0	8K (8192) cycles	64 ms
0	0	1	1	16K (16384) cycles	0.125s
0	1	0	0	32K (32768) cycles	0.25s
0	1	0	1	64K (65536) cycles	0.5s
0	1	1	0	128K (131072) cycles	1.0s
0	1	1	1	256K (262144) cycles	2.0s

Motor Control Current Draw

- A4960 TOTAL: 30.253
 - VDD 16 mA
 - VBB 14 mA
 - Reference Current 3 uA
 - VBRG 250 uA
- LM7805 8 mA
- Atmega1284P 7.5 mA TOTAL: 8.2502 mA
 - PRUSART0 88.5 uA
 - PRTW1 230.3 uA
 - PRTIM3 105.5 uA
 - PRTIM1 113.7 uA
 - PRSPI 212.2 uA
- Atmega644A 9 mA TOTAL: 10.165 mA
 - PRTW1 315 uA
 - PRTIM3 300 uA
 - PRTIM1 150 uA
 - PRSPI 400 uA

TOTAL: $121.012 + 8 + 8.2502 + 40.66 = 177.92222 \text{ mA} = \mathbf{178 \text{ mA}}$

Power Loss Calculation

- Conducting Loss:

- $P_C = R_{DSon} * (i_D)^2$

- Switching Loss:

- $P_S = \frac{C_{rss} * (V_{in})^2 * f_{sw} * I_{LOAD}}{I_{GATE}}$

Battery

- Lithium Iron Phosphate
- 15 Amp Hour Battery (x2)
- Max Current Output Limited to 25 A
- Batteries Turn Off at 11 V
- Max Voltage of 13 V

Detailed Budget

Part	Unit Cost	Quantity	Total Cost
Blue Robotics T100 Thrusters	\$109.00	4	\$436.00
Internal Rectifier IRLB8748PbF HEXFET	\$0.72	24	\$17.28
Master Controller - ATmega 1284	\$7.67	1	\$7.67
Slave Controller - ATmega 644	\$6.75	4	\$27.00
Allegro MicroSystems A4960	\$7.01	4	\$28.04
Futaba T6EX Transmitter	\$150.00	1	\$150.00
Futaba 617FS Reciever	\$69.98	1	\$69.98
RC Controller - ATmega 328	\$3.24	1	\$3.24
Adafruit Ultimate GPS Breakout	\$39.95	1	\$39.95
Compass - CMPS 10	\$57.33	1	\$57.33
GPS/Compass Controller – Atmega 1284	\$7.67	1	\$7.67
			\$844.16

Reusability

- Future Work
 - GPS and Compass Unit Integration
 - Fix Predriver Errors
 - Integrate MOSFET and Motor Control
 - Construct
 - Water Resistance