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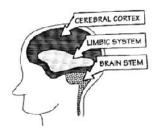
## The Robot Includes:

- Motorized Top Loading Belt
- Conveyor Box Sensors
- Home and Destination Beacons

# Simple to Use

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# The Software Architecture is based on the three levels of intelligence found in the human brain



*Cerebral Cortex*-Physically the outer layer of the brain, which is characterized by the folds just under the skull. Functions include: Decision making, analysis, and dreaming. This is called the Goal Level in the Triune Operating System.

*Limbic System*-The gray matter found in the center of the brain, controls human behavior such as breathing, hunger, etc. This is called Behavior Level. Real-time decisions are made when simple or complex actions are triggered.

**Brain Stem-**The base of the brain is connected to the spinal cord and nervous system. This controls our critical responses and instinctive behaviors. It is analogous to the Instinct Level which gives the machine common sense. Motor/sensor fusion allows the machine to instantly react to its environment. The Behavior and Goal levels can alter the Instinct's reaction at any time.

Consider what happens when a person touches something *hot*. The nerve endings in the skin detects the heat and causes an immediate muscular response (*Instinct Level*). Additionally, a message (pain) is sent to the brains' Limbic System that activates a higher level behavior or set of actions based on *programmed behaviors* or *learned experiences*. This behavior or actions pre-empt the Cerebral Cortex (Goal Level) while the behavior is executing. When the action is finished, the Cerebral Cortex (Goal Level) regains control and continue where it left off or it may decide to change strategies or goals.

*Moving*-Two independent DC motors provide locomotion using an advanced pulse width modulation motor speed control. Speeds can be controlled from one to one hundred percent in one percent increments.

*Touching*-Two whiskers on the base section are used for tactile sensors.

*Seeing*-Four independent optical sensors are mounted on the base using Light Emitting Diodes (LED) and phototransistors pairs. A proprietary narrow beam sonar system is mounted in the panning head section for navigation and long range sensor scans. The sonar can detect object distances to one eight of an inch. A single Visible Red LED sensor located in this section has the capability to see about three to four feet. Three optical sensor arrays are located in the non-moving collar section for additional object detection.

*Feeling*-A force feedback system is used to monitor wheel load. Force is measured continuously to monitor the surface type or load. It is sensitive enough to determine whether the robot is operating on carpet of hard flooring.

*Thinking-*The processor in the base section performs real-time collision avoidance while the head processor navigates and scans the environment, simultaneously. The two computers are networked together allowing them to cooperate in solving the navigation problem.

*Learning*-The language used for programming the onboard computers is English. No prior programming experience is necessary to create new commands (words) for this robot. However, the very tools used to create this easy to use and powerful language is always available to the user. The user words actually become part of language. The potential for this robot is limited only by the users imagination.

## **Primary Features**

**Reconfigurable Design**-The design allows several important changes in the field. The motors can be changed out in a matter of minutes to change the speed or carrying capacity of the system. Two battery compartments are available so if weight savings is important, only one battery box can be used trading mission length for weight.

#### Intruder Specifications

Wireless System

1 KM range, line of site
 1 real-time color video camera link 420 lines resolution
 1 RS232 9600 baud wireless control link
 1 Remote controller using two dual axis joysticks for robot and head control or other device

#### **Onboard Computers**

ARC Motorola 68HC11 based intelligent robot controller with resident Triune operating system and language onboard 32 Kilobytes PROM
32 Kilobytes of battery backed RAM
RS-232 Communication port

Physical and Electrical

Size: 22x22x10 inches Weight 35 pounds without batteries Weight 50 pounds with 1 set lead acid batteries Weight 65 pounds with 2 sets lead acid batteries

Includes:

20 foot communication cable Technical manual Software disk

This technology was developed with the co-operation of the US Special Forces for military recon missions.

### Intruder Price List

#### **Basic Platform**

All Surface drive Articulated in the center for maximum traction Intelligent ARC Robot Controller RS-232 Interface 9600 baud (three wire) 15/30 Amp hour Lead Acid batteries (non rechargable) Remote control unit

#### Wireless Subsystem

RS-232 computer communication-410mhz 2 watt fixed frequency Video/Audio-3 watt real-time 910mhz Note: a 900mhz control and 2.4mhz video is available

#### **Onboard GPS**

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A dual system utilizing 12 channels each of the US Global Positioning System and the Russian Glasnost System with a resolution of 7 meters. Navigation software is currently under development a should be ready by the second quarter 2000.

#### **Delivery:** 6 weeks

*Terms:* 50% down when placing order and the balance due on delivery.

\$25,000