

Development of UAVs and MAVs in Osaka Prefecture University

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Span: 60cm Weight: 300g



Span: 42cm Weight: 350g



Diameter: 40cm Weight: 500g

Control board



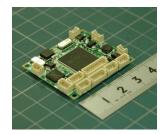
MAVC1

(Micro Aerial Vehicle controller 1)



Size:75×55mm Weight:29g MAVC2

(Micro Aerial Vehicle controller 2)



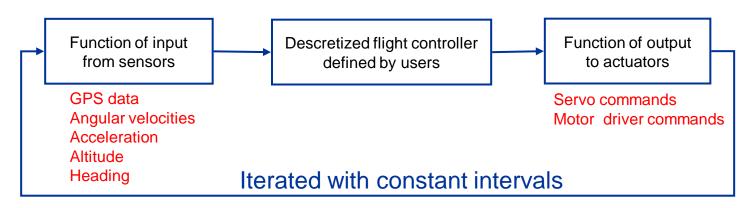
Size:40×35mm Weight:4.6g

	MAVC1	MAVC2
PWM	8ch	3ch
Motor driver		1ch
ССР	10ch	3ch
A/D	6ch	1ch
D/A	2ch	
I/O	16ch	4ch
UART	4ch	2ch
Rate gyro	3ch (onboard)	2ch (onboard)
Accelerometer	3ch (onboard)	3ch (onboard)
Geomagnetism sensor	1ch	1ch (onboard)
GPS	1ch	Enable (UART)
Rotary encoder input	1ch	
5V output	3ch	1ch
Power supply	7.4-12V	3.4-4.5V-

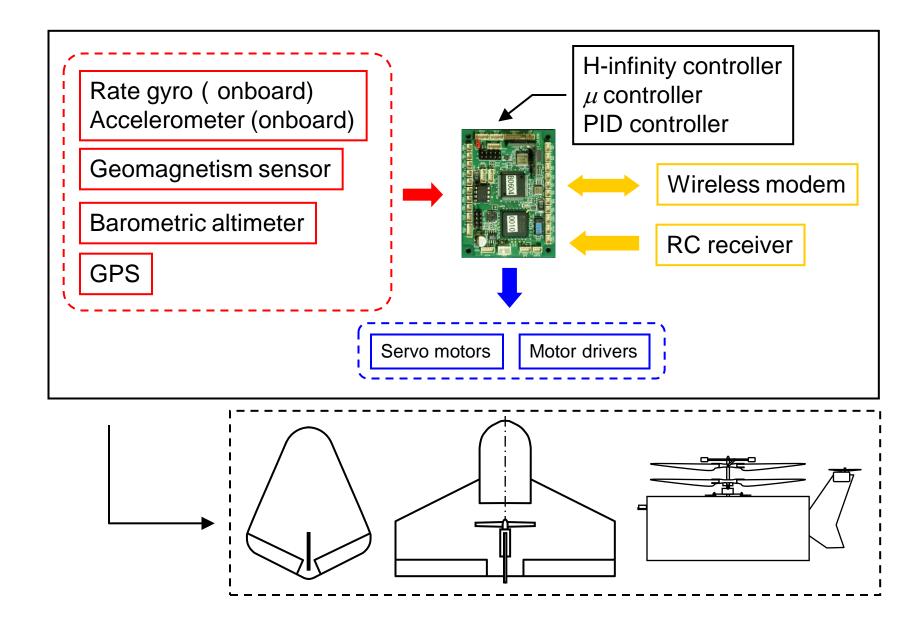


- 1. Free C development environment can be used.
- 2. Many functions are provided.
- 3. Complicated flight controller can be implemented easily.

Provided basic structure







Fixed wing aircraft



Autonomous aircraft (MANTA)



Span: 60cm Weight: 300g Duration: 15 minutes

Autonomous gliding aircraft (Mola mola)



Span: 42cm Weight: 350g Flying test model of Re-Entry Vehicle Dropped from balloon

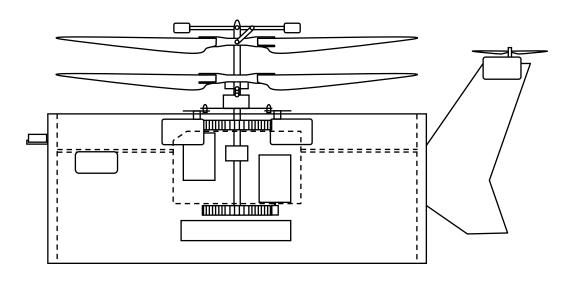
Rotary wing aircraft



Autonomous co-axial Helicopter

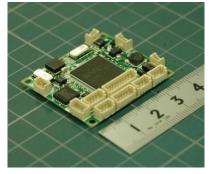


Diameter: 40cm Weight: 500g Duration: 3 minutes



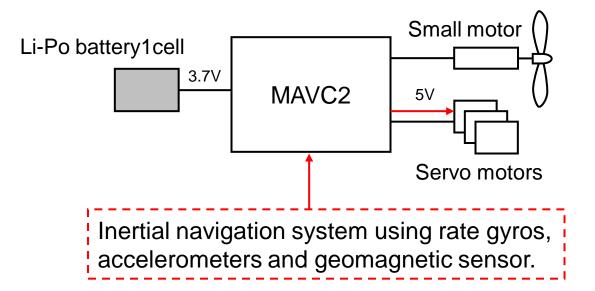
Future work on MAVs





Size:40×35mm Weight:4.6g MAVC2 will be applied to Indoor MAVs.

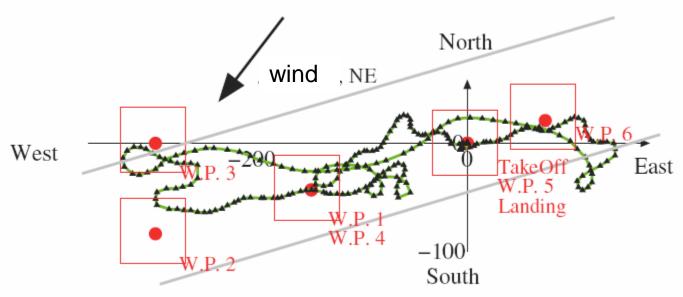
- Fixed wing aircraft
- Airship
- Ornithopter





Autonomous flight is performed.

- 1. Hand launch
- 2. Waypoints tracking
- 3. Automatic landing



Example of results