

KU-Hawk



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System Introduction



The Vehicle

– Name : KU-Hawk

Weight: 350g

Wingspan : 495mm

- Endurance: 20 minutes

Propulsion : Brushless Motor



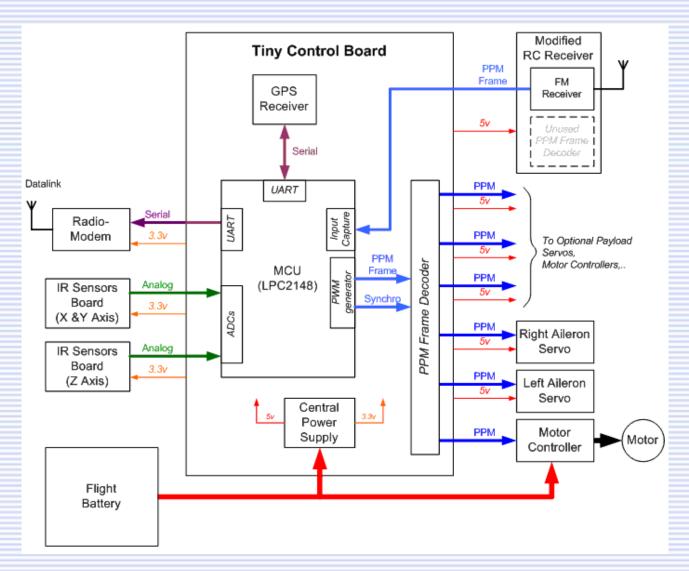
Transmission system

- 2.4GHz analog transmitter for the video downlink.(80mW)
- Digital modem 868MHz for uplink and downlink telemetry and data (250mW)
- 72MHz RC transmitter for safety RC Link. (100mW)







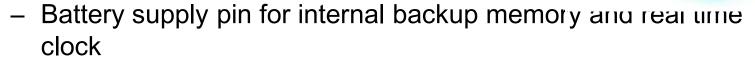






GPS

- 20channels GPS receiver.
- 1 sec position update rate
- Protocol: NMEA 0813, 9600bps default
- SiRF3F/LP[Low power single chip solution]



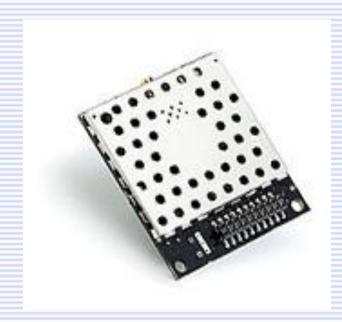
- Industrial operating temperature range -30 to 85°C
- Operating voltage 3.6 ~ 5.0V
- Size 30.3mm x 25.9mm, Height 7.0mm, Weight 9.8grams

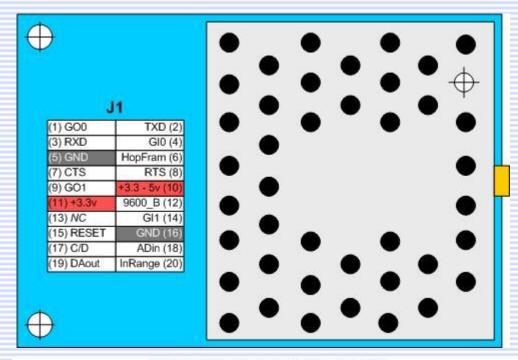






RF Modem





Wiring the Aerocomm AC4868 to the Tiny

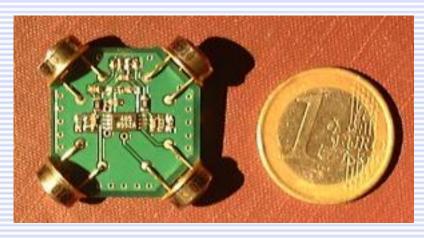
AC4868 20-pin Header	Name	Color	Tiny Serial-1	Notes
2	Tx	green	7	(Note 1)
3	Rx	blue	8	(Note 1)
5	GND	black	1	-
10+11	VCC	red	2	+3.3v
17	C/D	white	3	Low = Command High = Data

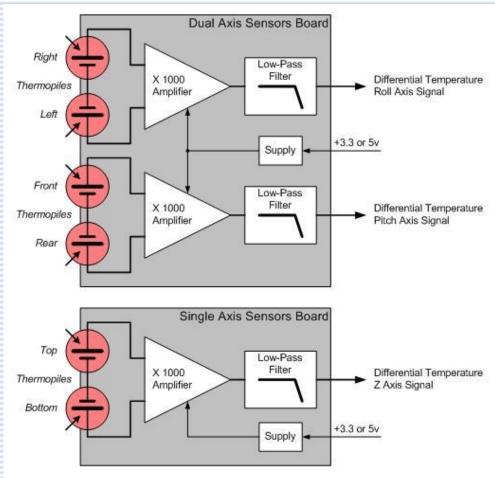
Note 1: names are specified with respect to the AEROCOMM module





IR Gyro



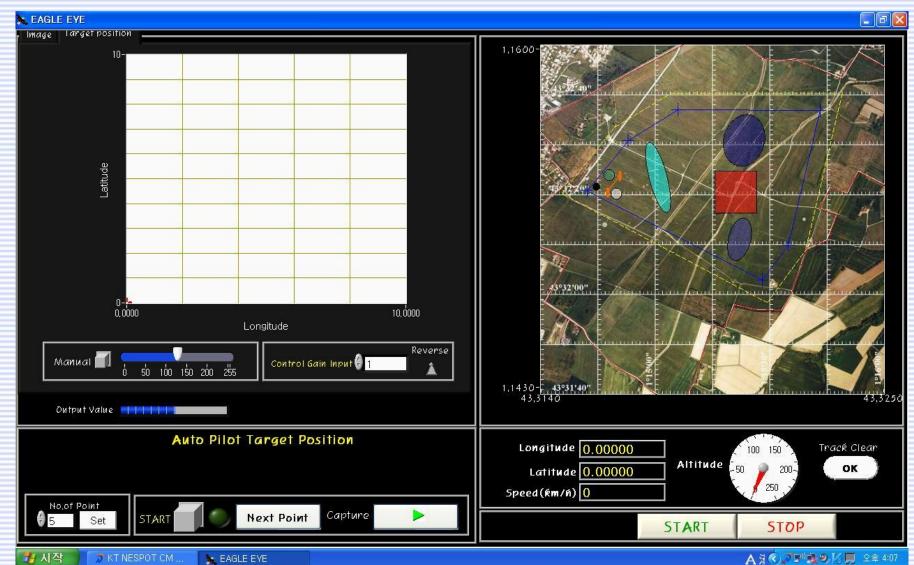






Autopilot System-GUI









Safety Treatments



- In case of GPS downlink & autopilot uplink failure
 - Switch to RC manual control
- In case of video downlink failure
 - Automatic return to the launching point
- In case of main motor power failure
 - Gliding within 150m from the failure point
- In case of autopilot and manual control failure
 - Turn off main motor power and glide within 150m





KU-Hawk Video Clip







