KU-Loiter MAV with Rotary Wings

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We designed a small flying robot with co-axial rotary wings. It consists of two rotor blade sets, electronic speed controller, electronic motor, RF receiver, a gyroscope, and lithium polymer battery, etc. We chose a co-axial rotor system to solve anti-torque rotation problem. Also, small flying robot with about 470mm diameter rotors has a camera to capture and transmit video images. The total weight of the designed flying robot is about 450g and it can fly about 10 minutes.



1. System properties

The Vehicle

Name : KU-Loiter

Weight: 450g

Rotor Dia.: 470mm

Propulsion: 2 Electric Brushless Motor

Endurance: 10 minutes

Transmission system

- 2.4GHz analog transmitter for the video downlink. (80mW)
- 72MHz RC transmitter for safety RC Link. (100mW)