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Interfacing APL Snake End Effector to LARS

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Statement of Our Project

The main and static aim of our project is to interface the APL Snake end effector to the LARS and achieve end-point control.

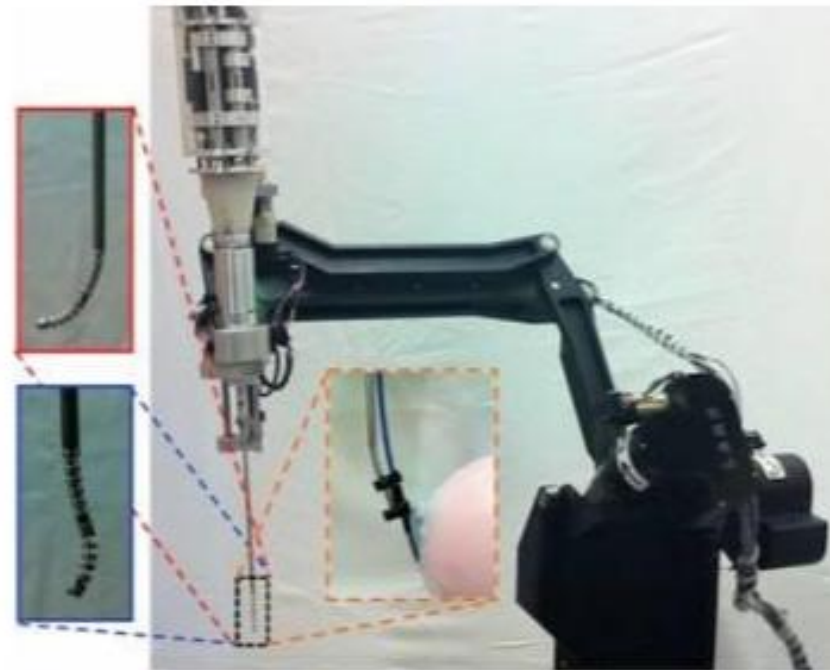


Image from: Tutkun Şen: *Elastography with LARSnake Robot*

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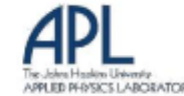
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Background & Significance

- The APL Snake was initially developed with an intention of use in hip osteolysis removal surgery.
- Various potential applications have been thought of since development, such as use in heart surgeries etc.
- Constantly being upgraded to be a self sustained surgical tool.
- Intuitive control interface for the manipulator, has since, been designed and integrated with the snake using PHANTOM® Premium haptic controller.
- LARS is an ideal system to aid autonomous operation of the APL Snake due to its mobility, dexterity, and versatility of use with various end-effectors.

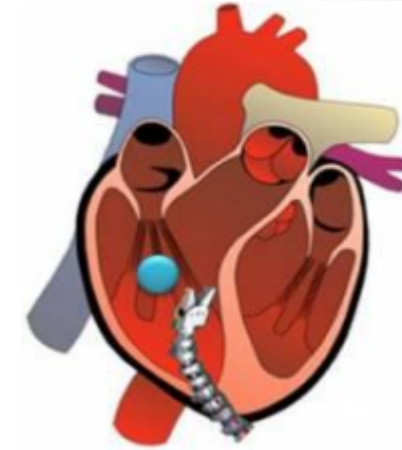


Image courtesy: Tutkun Sen



Original Plan: Project Stages

Minimum:

Fix the LARS-----→(Mar 15th)

End-point control-----→(Apr 29th)

Expected:

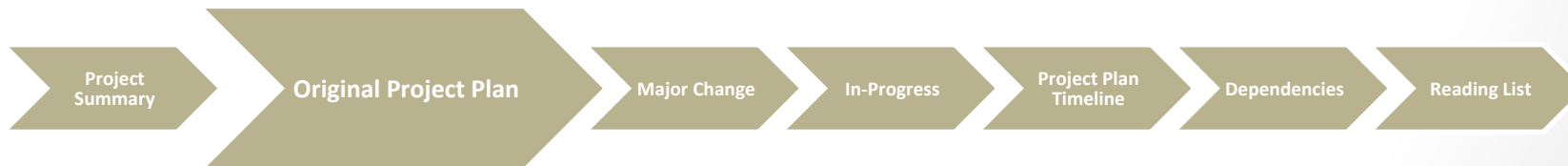
3D Registration and alignment with insertion axis-- →(May 6th)
(previously April 22nd)

Maximum:

Configure the Snake in any desirable alignment-- →(*)

Demonstration of the same on cadaver----- → (*)

*after the end of EN.600.446 timeline Prof. Armand expects us to demonstrate application on a cadaver and record video of the same.

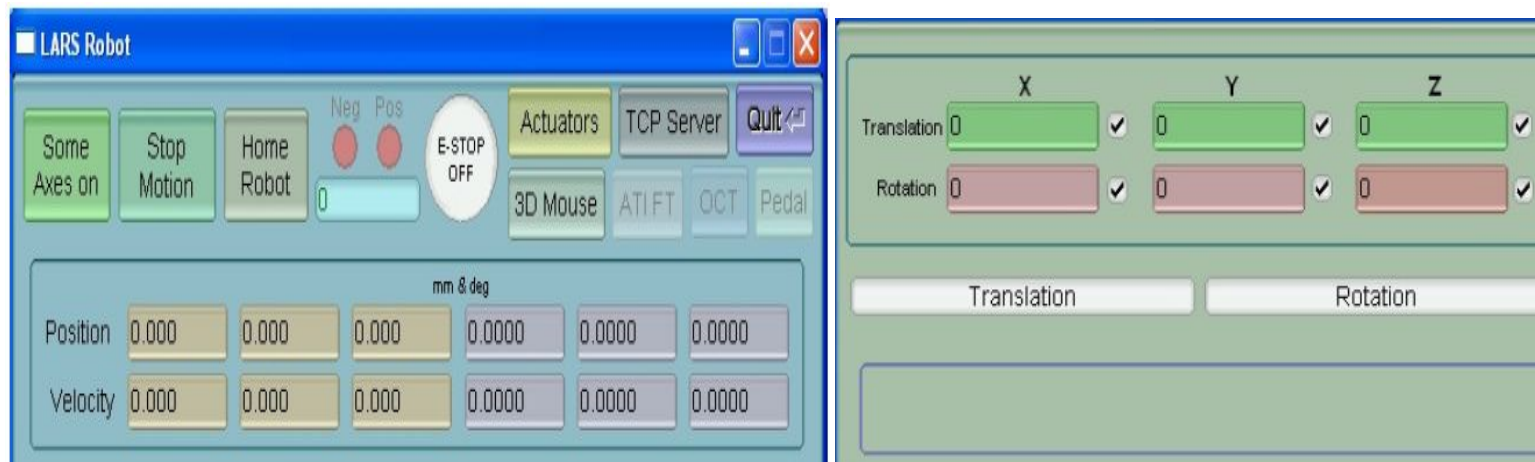




In –Progress

Interface Development.

The interface to control the LARS and Snake using FLTK is being designed:

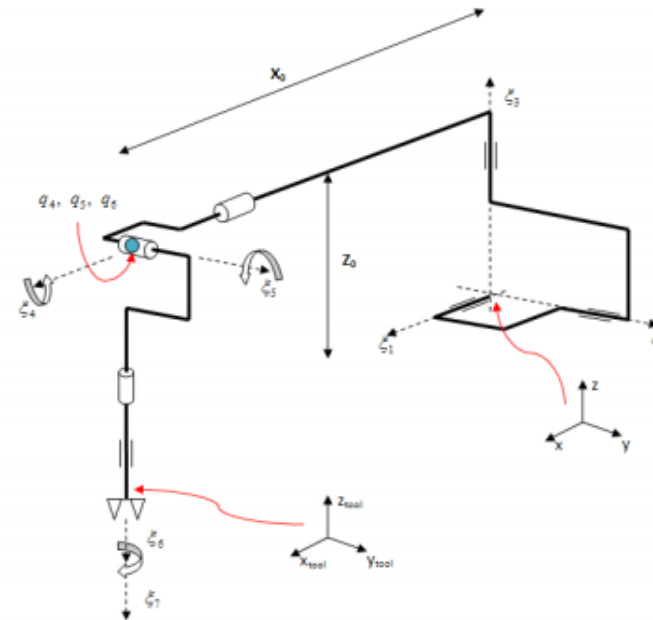
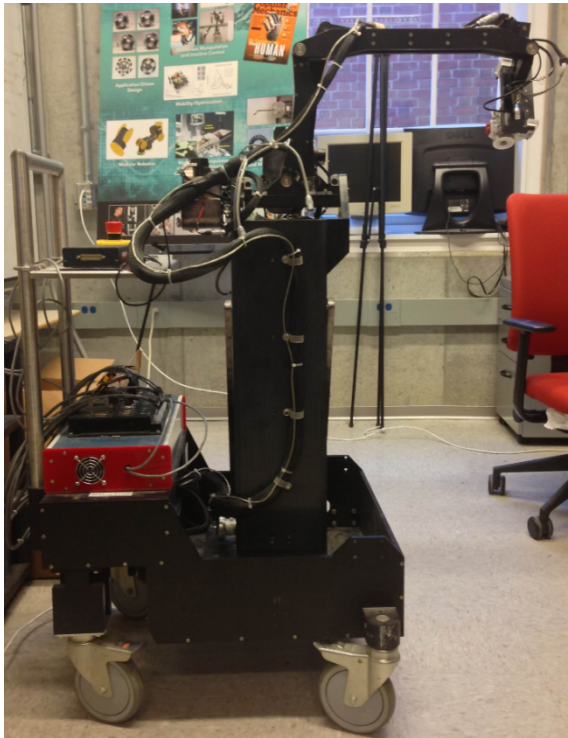


Images from report of Seth Billings and Ehsan Basafa





In –Progress Inverse Kinematics

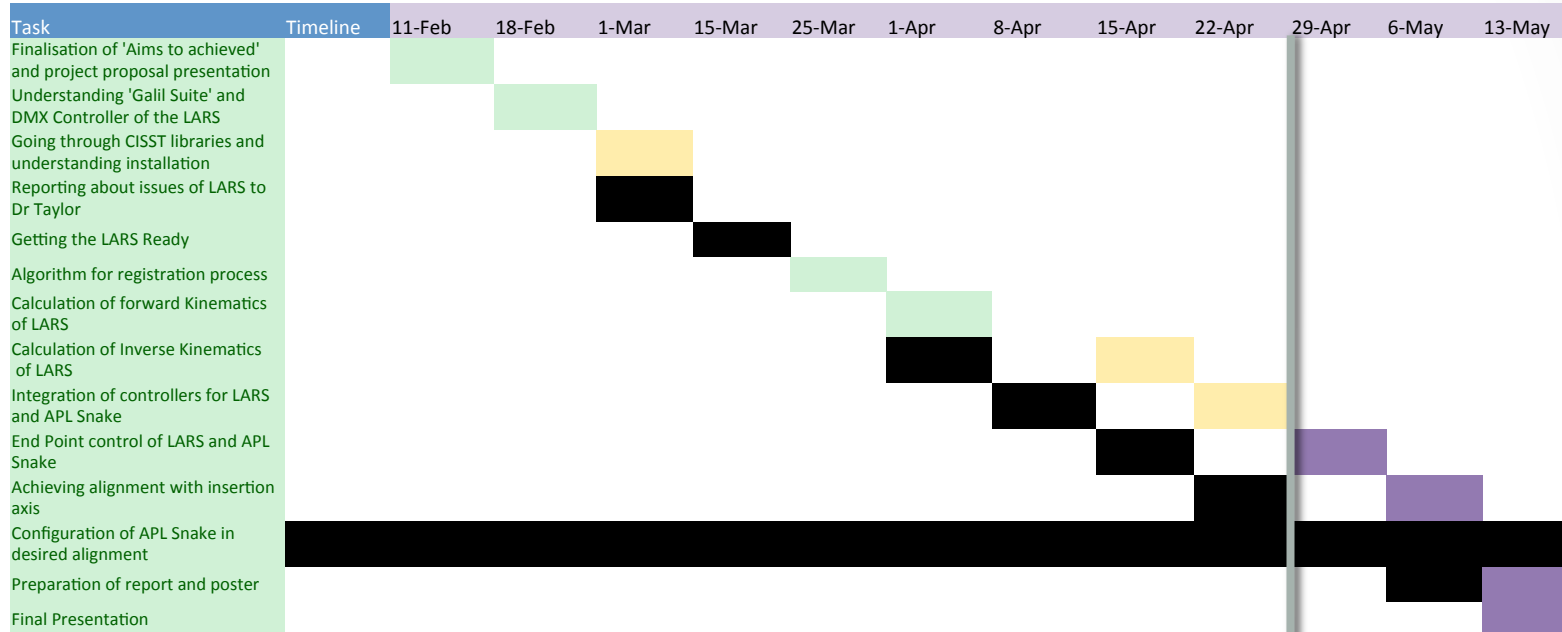


Forward Kinematics Image from Seth Billings and Ehsan Basafa

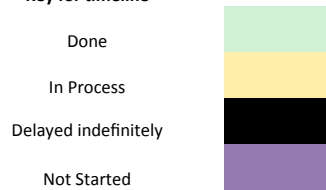




Project Plan Timeline



Key for timeline



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QUESTIONS?

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