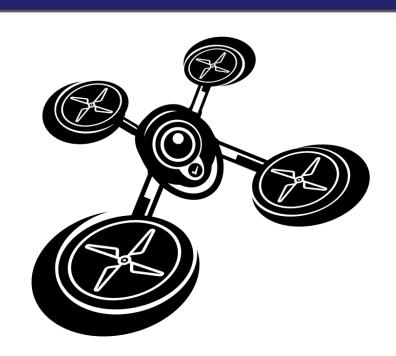


## **VESO-Drone:**

# A Novel Drone-Carried Service System for Emergency Response Applications





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### Background

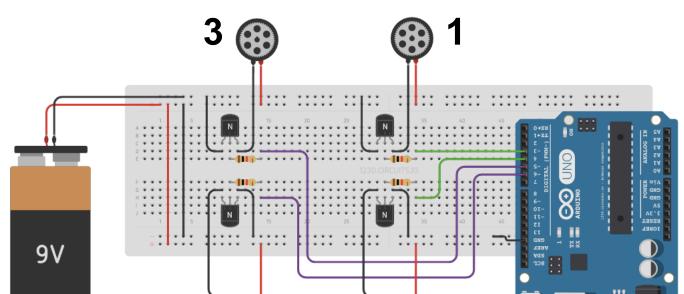
- Machine to Machine (M2M) refers to technologies that allow both wireless and wired systems to communicate with other devices of the same type.
- The VErsatile Service-Oriented
  Wireless Mesh Network (VESOMesh) is a mobile ad-hoc network
  (MANET) that provides data storage
  and processing capabilities in each
  node.
- Motivation: to design an application, using VESO Mesh as the platform, that helps Emergency First Responders (EFR) gather data via use of a drone.

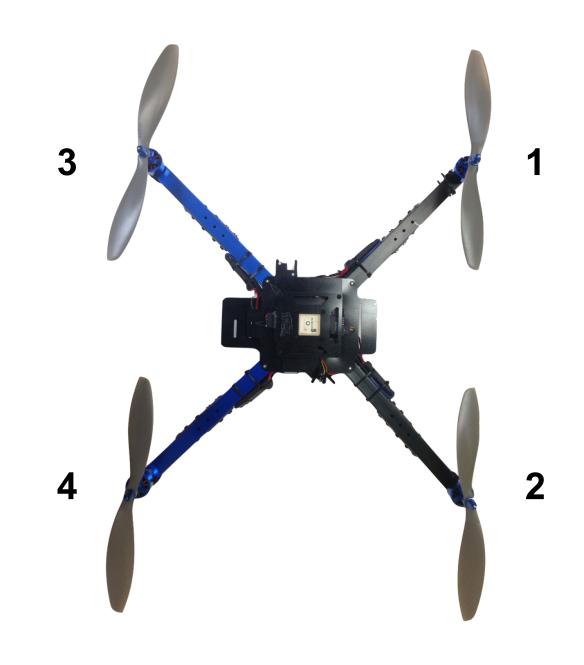
#### **VESO-Drone**

- **Purpose:** Develop and evaluate a VESO-Drone system for data dissemination in emergency response via a web and/or mobile application.

#### Objectives

- Research Emergency First
   Response applications and management.
- Design node configuration and web application.
- Configure VESO-Drone hardware connection and interfacing.
- Develop a web and/or mobile application to allow connectivity between the user and the drone.
- Update the Interface Control
   Document (ICD) for VESO-Mesh as a M2M platform.

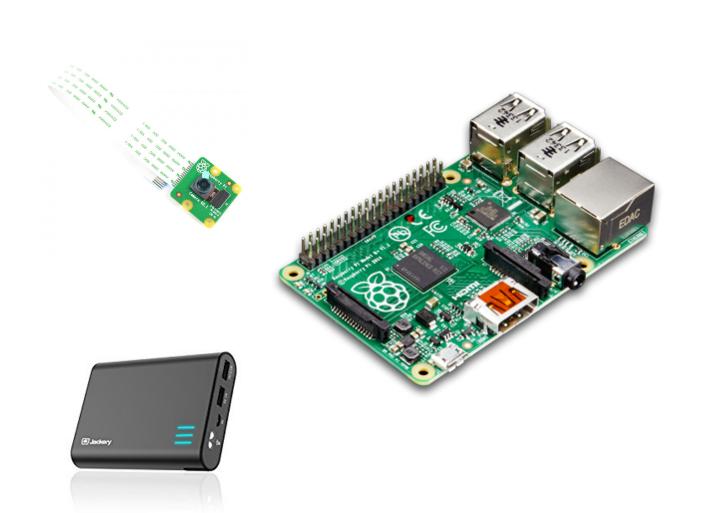




#### Software Development

#### **Features:**

- Live streaming of VESO-Drone camera feed.
- Display of data gathered from the drone.
- SMS notifications inform users of VESO-Drone status.



**Features:** 

Hardware Interfacing

- Arduino to Raspberry Pi interfacing allows the user to control the drone by issuing real-time commands.
- Built-in GPS allows the user to keep track of the drone's location.
- Gas Sensors collect data to warn users about possible harmful gasses present in the environment such as smoke, benzene, and CO<sub>2</sub>.
- Cameras collect data and allow the user better control the drone's current flight path.
- Proximity sensors allow the drone to avoid collisions with foreign objects.

#### Timeline

Month	Task
August - September	Research and Study Necessary Skills
October	Planning and Design
November - December	Configuring VESO-Drone
January - April	Development and Integration
April - May	Testing

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