

# Active Windows MDR - Presentation

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# HELLO AGAIN!



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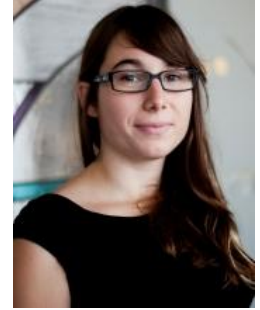
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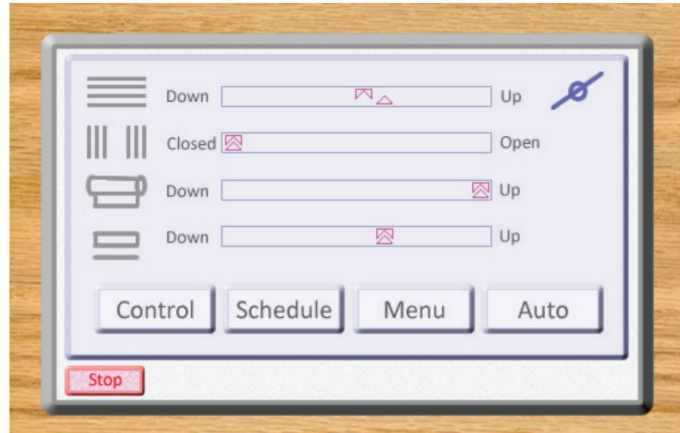
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# Our Problem Statement

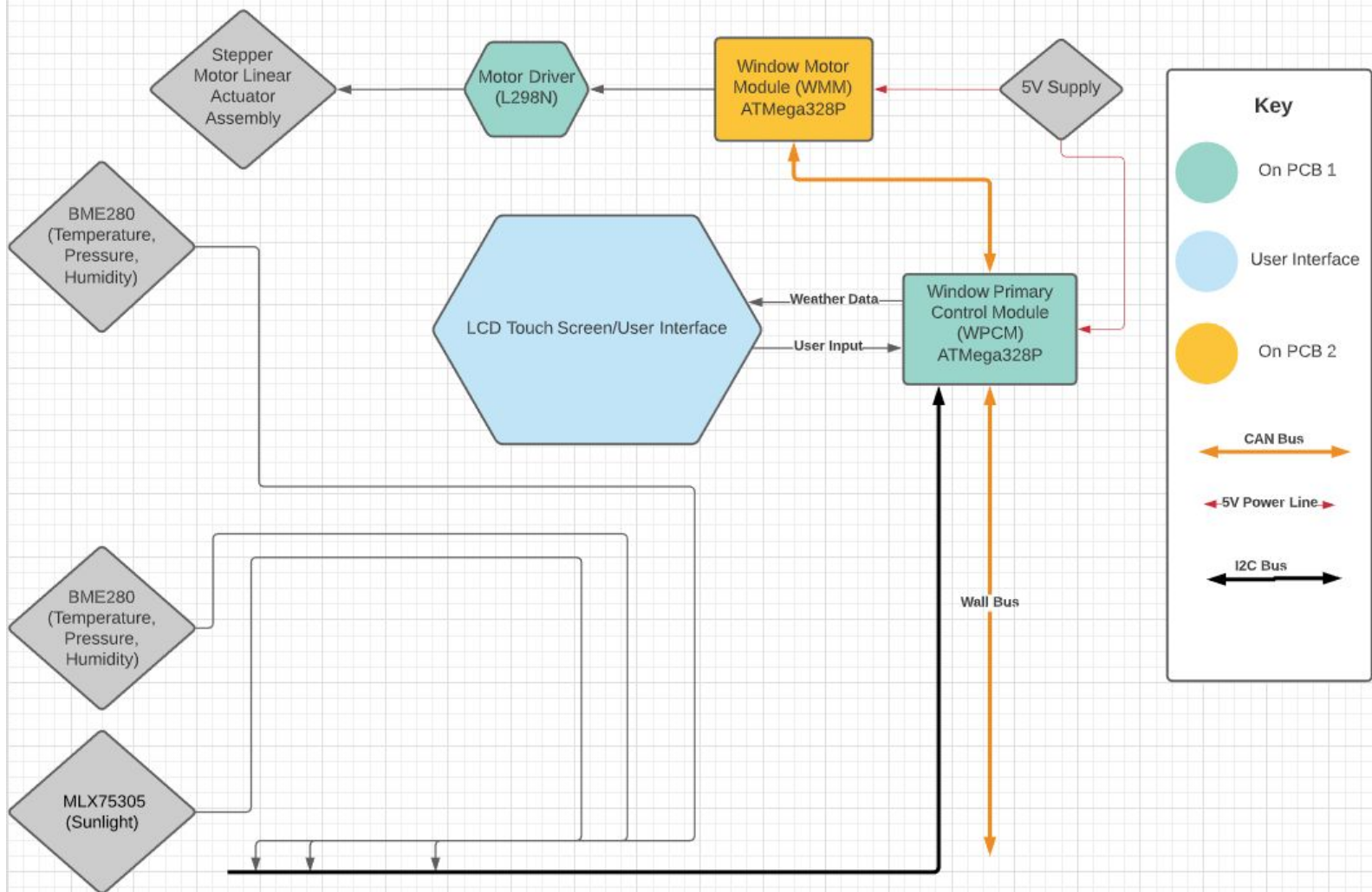
**Goal:** Design a user interface that utilizes environmental data from sensors to allow a user to receive scheduling information that controls windows in their house.



# Updated System Specifications

The Active Window - Window Primary Control Module will meet or exceed the following system specifications:

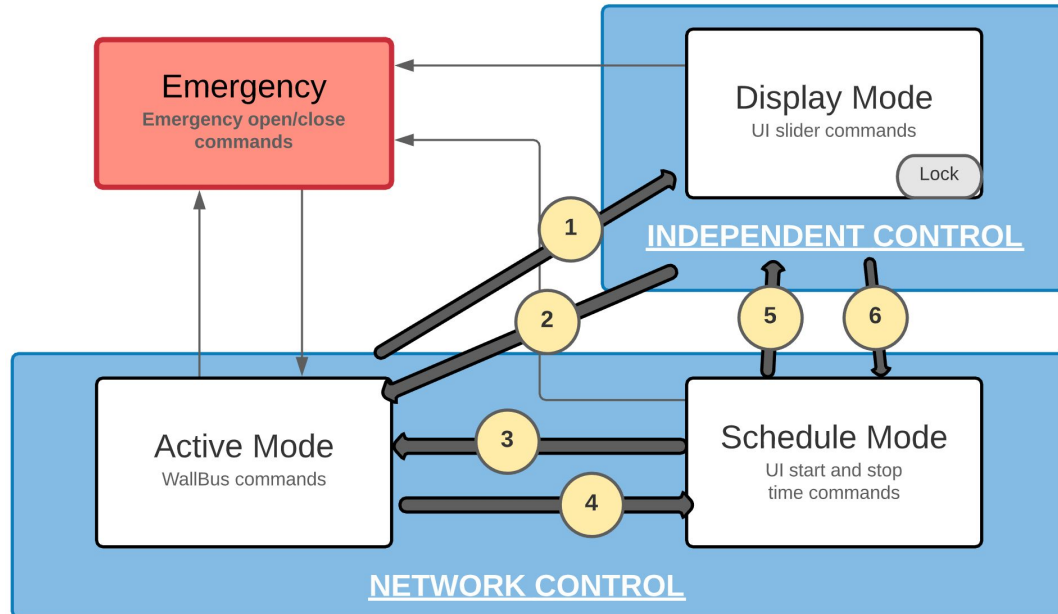
1. Supports communication with network via WallBus (CAN Bus)
2. Supports communication with inter-window motors via WindowBus (CAN Bus)
3. Allow the user to set the height at which the window, thermal cover, and blinds are opened/drawn
4. Allow the user to create a time schedule to open/close parts of the window
5. Allow the user to stop smart capabilities of the window, returning it to a simple mechanical device
6. Measure temperature, humidity, air pressure, and light inside and outside the room
7. Display the height at which the window, thermal cover, and blinds are opened/drawn
8. Ability to enter Sleep mode when not being used, can enter Active mode upon user touching screen
9. Volume (LxWxH): 1,536 cubic cm. (12 x 16 x 8 cm) (93.7 cubic in. (4.72 x 6.30 x 3.15 in))
- ~~10. Last more than 50 years before needing replacement~~



# Active Window Command Hierarchy

## 4 Modes:

- **Active:** WallBus commands determine window height
- **Display:** User sets height via touch screen
- **Schedule:** User sets schedule to open/close window to
- **Emergency:** Activated via network, waits to receive “All clear”



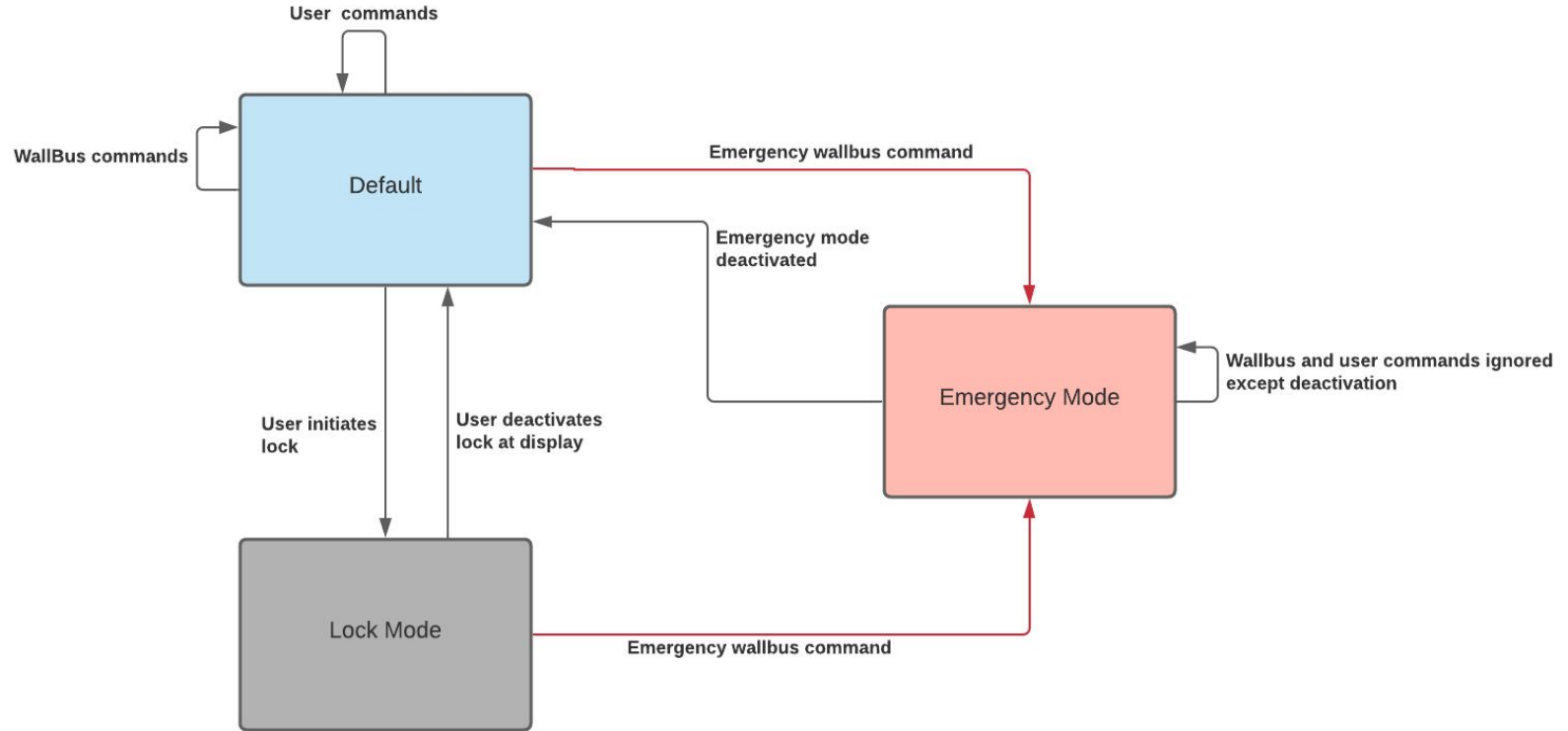
**Emergency** commands will always have priority, while selected mode commands will come second:

**1&2.** User can switch between Active and Display mode at the touch screen at any time. **Lock** function will prevent anything (WallBus, sliders, or schedule) except **Emergency** commands from changing the window height. **Lock** can only be set/unset from the touch screen.

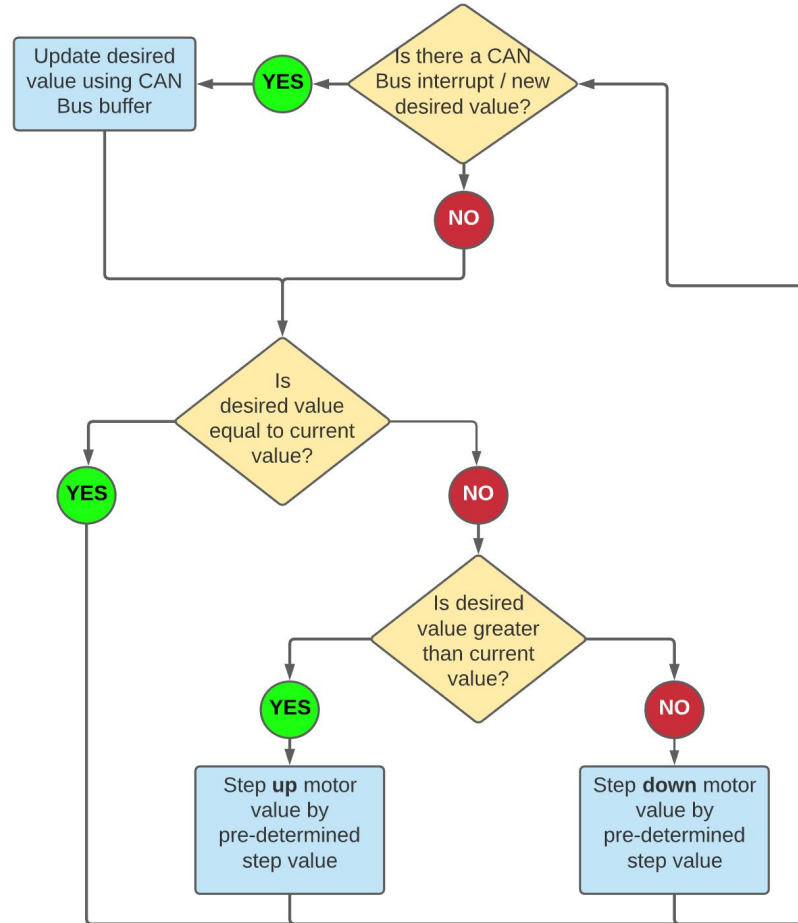
**3&5.** User can decide to switch into Active or Display mode once their schedule command finishes (or switch to Display by interrupting the schedule).

**4&6.** Schedule Mode will be automatically entered when a scheduled start time is reached.

# Updated Software Diagram (WPCM)

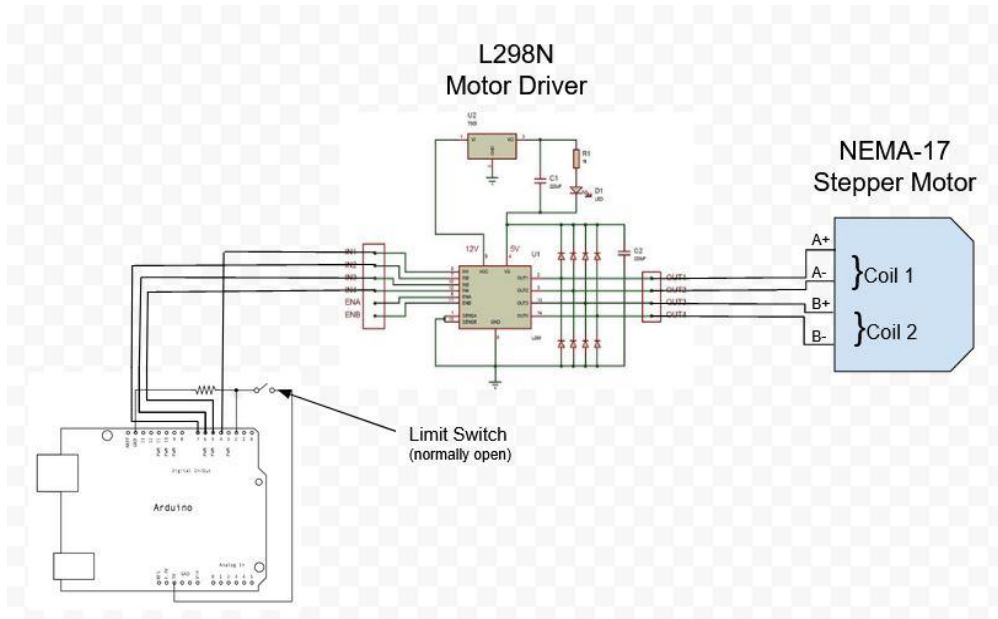


# Updated Software Diagram (WMM)





# Deliverables - Motor Control



## Installed Features

- Homing position upon system initialization
- Specific distance control via user input
- Directional control via user input
- Integration with CanBus: able to receive and execute CanBus communications
- Directional Control
- [Can Demo](#)

# Deliverable - User Interface [Display Demo](#)

## What We Have Done:

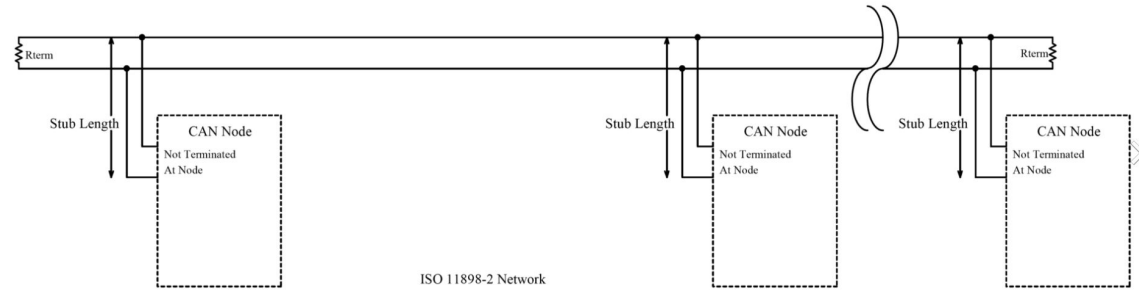
- \*\*Transferring data to / from Touch Screen (MDR GOAL)
- Main Menu
  - Allows user access between different window toggles (Network and Manual)
- Slider Menu
  - Allows user to set values for window height, thermal cover, and blinds
  - Displays slider percentage to user

## What We Plan to Design:

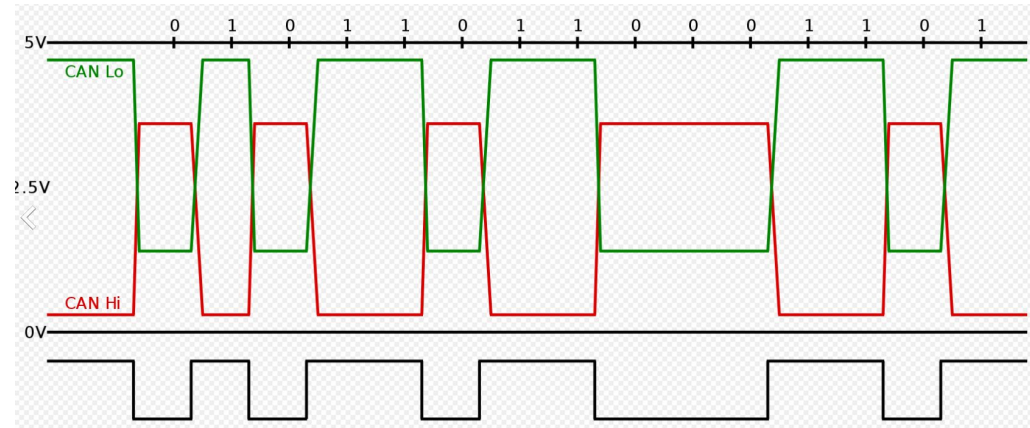
- A CAN bus communication line between the Touch Screen and motors
- Communication between the sensors and display (to show current temperature in the room, override Manual mode)
- Allow user to input automatic schedule through Schedule Menu

# CAN Bus

- 2-Wire Interface - Uses only two wires to communicate
- Asynchronous - There is no clock signal
- Multi-Master - Any device in the network can be either a master or a target device
- Bitwise Arbitration - Device that sends first zero gains control of the bus

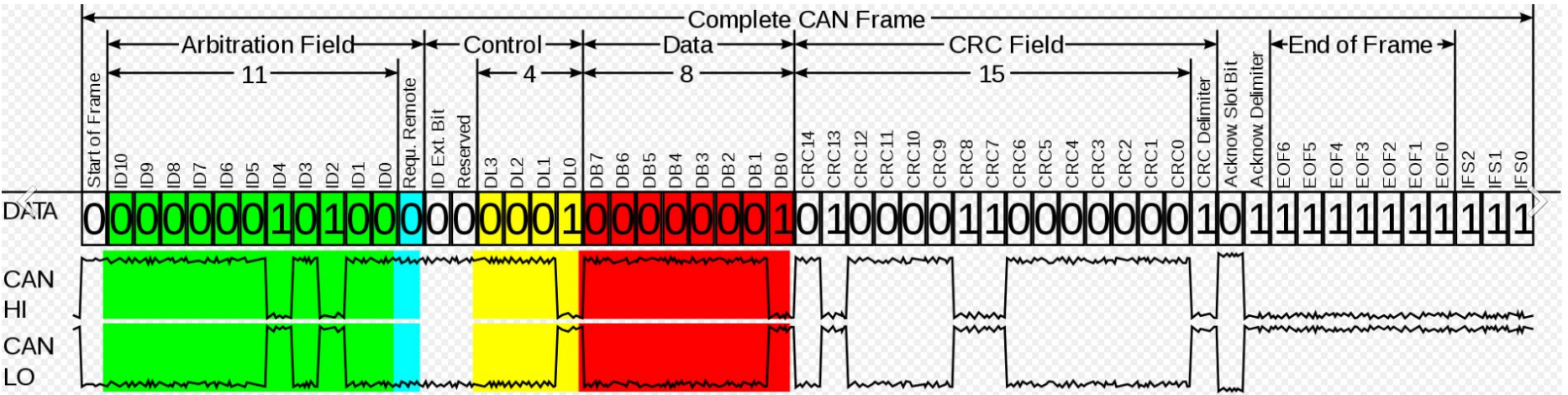


**Figure 1:** Example of CAN Bus Network <https://tekeye.uk/automotive/can-bus-cable-wiring>



**Figure 2:** CAN Bus 2-Wire Output <https://support.squarell.com/index.php?Knowledgebase/Article/View/94/7/can-high-can-low>

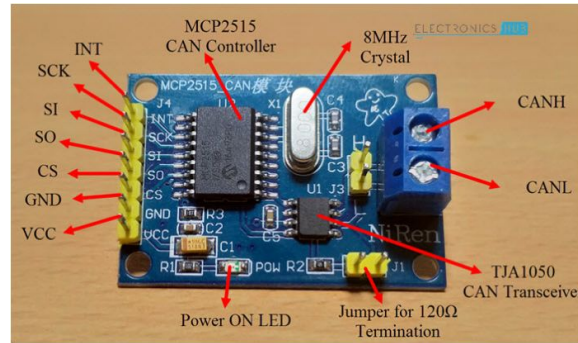
# CAN Bus Message Structure



**Figure 3:** Example CAN Bus Message <https://www.electronicsworld.com/news/high-speed-can-fd-bus-is-coming-to-cars-says-microchip-2015-10/>

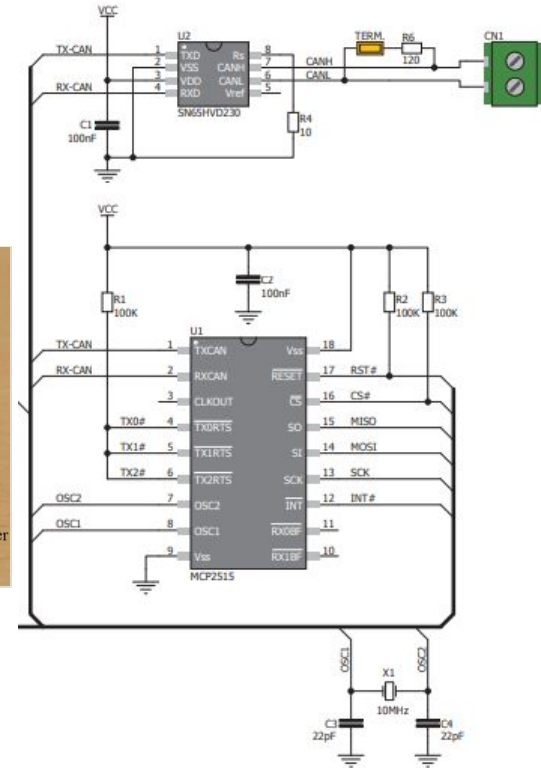
# Our Current CAN Board

- Made of two chips - Can controller (MCP 2515) and Can transceiver (TJA 1050)
- Arduino communicates to controller via SPI
- Controller controls what message transceiver outputs and interprets what the transceiver inputs
- Transceiver delivers/receives actual Can bus message



**Figure 4:** CAN Board we are currently using, XSOURCE CAN Board

<https://www.electronicshub.org/arduino-mcp2515-can-bus-tutorial/>

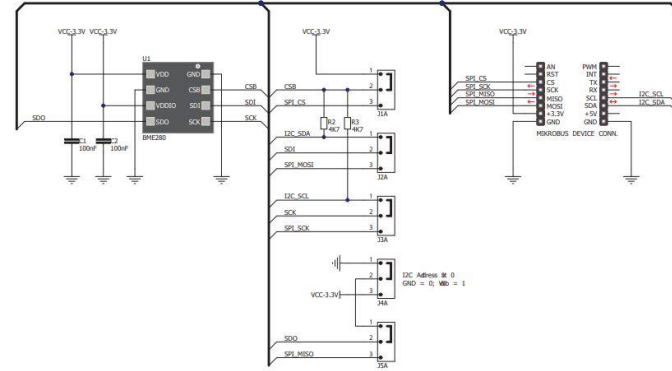


**Figure 5:** Example of board wiring  
<https://www.mikroe.com/can-spi-33v-click>

# Deliverable - Weather Data (Damian)

## What We Have Done

- Enabled communication via I2C with the Weather Click and Microcontroller
  - Obtained readings for humidity (%), temperature(C), and pressure (hPa)
- Collected ambient light readings via analog connection
  - Readings obtained as illuminance (lux)
- All data is logged into a spreadsheet where we can take averages and plot data
- Researched usage of filtering modes, resolution of data, and active/sleep modes of the sensors



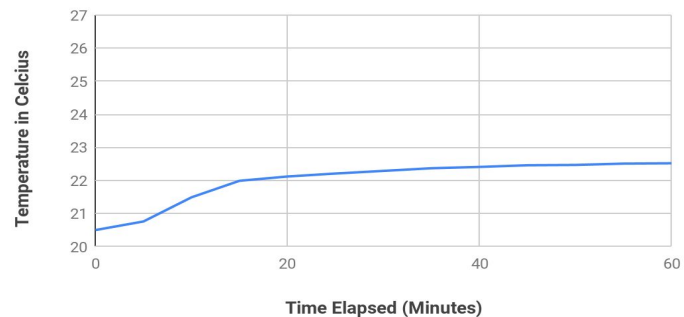
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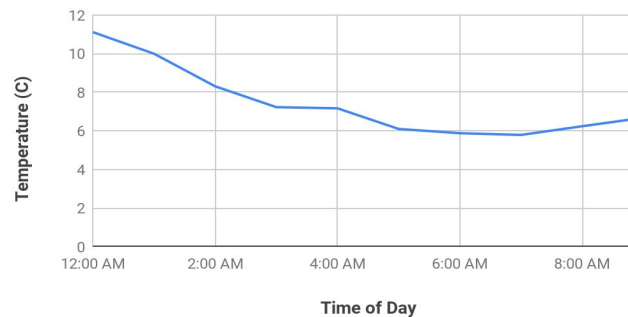
- Design system (sensors) without click boards using chips on the boards
- Full integration of weather sensors and data so data can be read by microcontroller and create responses via motor
- Send sensor data to Display

# Weather Data

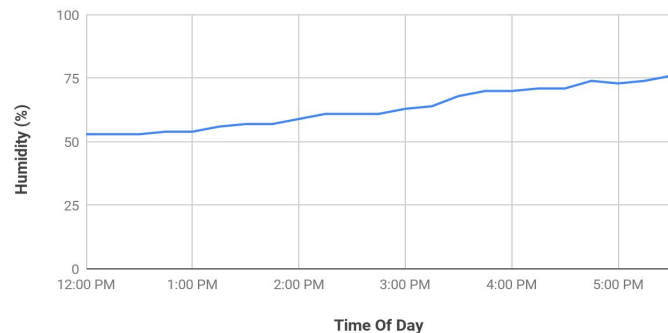
## Temperature In My Room With a Heater On



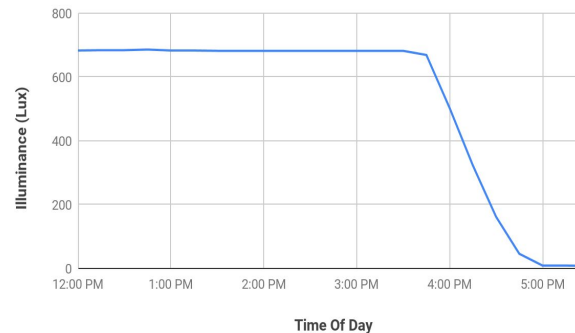
## Temperature Overnight



## Humidity During A Cloudy Day

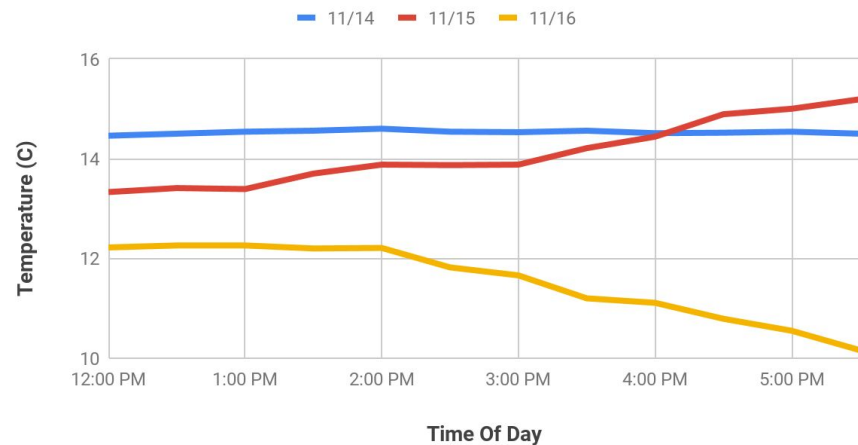


## Outdoor Light In the Afternoon and Evening

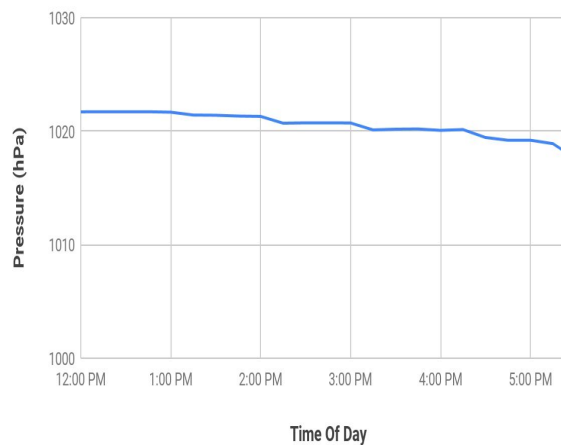


# More Weather Data

## Outdoor Temperature Across 3 Days



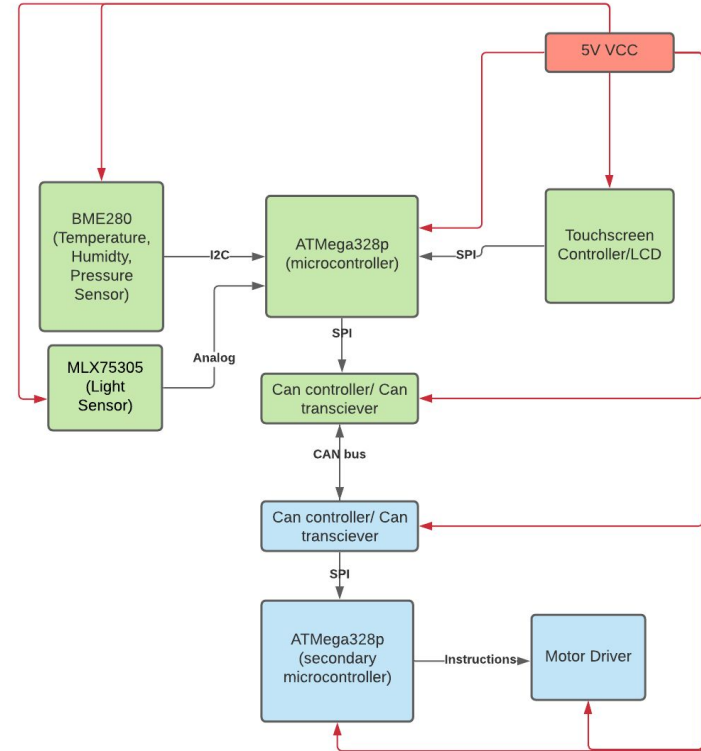
## Outdoor Pressure Readings - 15 Min. Intervals



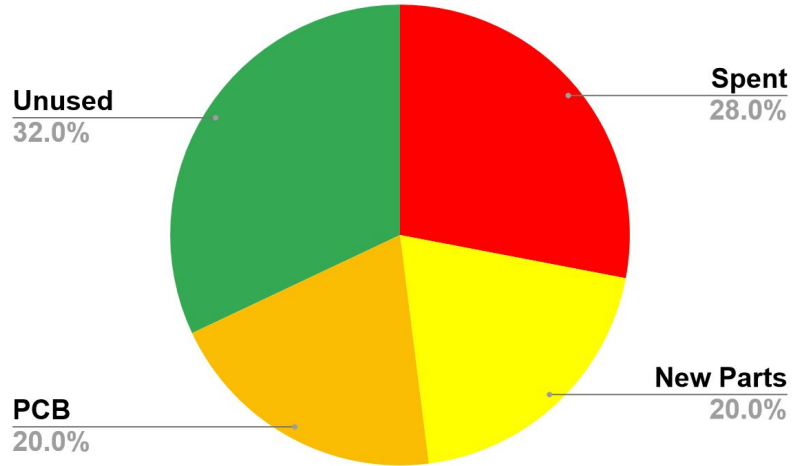


# Custom Hardware Plan

- Microcontroller x2
  - ATmega328p
- Chips from the Click Boards
  - Weather Click- **BME280**
  - Ambient Click- **MLX75305**
  - CAN SPI Click - **MCP2515** and **TJA1050**
- Motor Driver and Motor
- RTC
- Will keep the breakout board for LCD
  - 3.5" TFT 320x480 + Touchscreen
- Will test and use Altium



# Budget Update



## Fall Parts Purchase

Part	Part Number	Quantity	Cost	Totals
2.8" Touch LCD Display Shield	1528-1027-ND	1	\$34.95	\$34.95
Weather click by Mikroe	MIKROE-1978	1	\$22.88	\$22.88
Ambient Click by Mikroe	MIKROE-1890	1	\$9.36	\$9.36
Arduino UNO Click Shield	MIKROE-1581	2	\$7.80	\$15.60
Can SPI Click	MIKROE-986	2	\$21.84	\$43.68
IC MCU	ATMEGA328P-PU-ND	1	\$2.08	\$2.08
				<b>\$128.55</b>

Spent = **\$140**

Spring Cost Estimate = **\$200**

Unused = **\$160**

# Budget Update: Proposed Parts Purchase (SP21)

Part	Part Number	Segment of Project	Quantity	Cost	Totals
Can Controller	MCP 2515	Can Bus	3	\$2.52	\$7.56
Receiver	TJA1050	Can Bus	3	\$1.09	\$3.27
Microcontroller	ATMega 328P	Can Bus, Sensing, Motor, Display	3	\$1.72	\$5.16
IC Bridge Driver	L298N	Motor Control	1	\$4.86	\$4.86
Voltage Regulator	78M05	Motor Control	1	\$0.48	\$0.48
Temp/Humidity/Pressure Sensor	BME280	Sensing	1	\$5.95	\$5.95
Optical Light Sensor	MLX75305	Sensing	1	\$2.33	\$2.33
3.5" TFT 320x480 + Touchscreen	HXD8357D	User Interface	1	\$39.95	\$39.95
Resistive Touch Screen Controller	STMPE610	User Interface	1	\$9.95	\$9.95
					\$79.51

# List of Software and Hardware

Component	Software/Hardware	Part Number
Dual H-Bridge Motor Driver	Hardware	L298N
Bipolar Stepper-Motor	Hardware	Nema-17
<a href="#">mcp2515 Library</a>	Software	
Arduino Uno	Hardware	A000066
Stepper Motor	Hardware	28BYJ-48
Motor Driver	Hardware	ULN2003
XSOURCE CAN Board	Hardware	MCP2515
<a href="#">2.8" TFT Touch Shield for Arduino with Resistive Touch Screen</a>	Hardware	1651
<a href="#">Adafruit GFX Library</a>	Software	
<a href="#">Adafruit I2C9341 Arduino Library</a>	Software	
<a href="#">SPI Library</a>	Software	
Weather Click	Hardware	BME280
Ambient Click	Hardware	MLX75305
<a href="#">SparkFun BME280 Arduino Library</a>	Software	

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Thanks!



Q&A