

Robotics

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1.0.1 Nature of Technology

Students develop an understanding of technology, its characteristics, scope, core concepts* and relationships between technologies and other fields.

**The core concepts of technology include systems, resources, requirements, optimization and tradeoffs, processes and controls.*

Technology Diffusion Synthesize information, evaluate and make decisions about technologies.

1A1 List and describe factors that may influence the development of technology.

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Goal-directed Research Synthesize information, evaluate and make decisions about technologies.

1A2 Describe goal-directed research, define invention and innovation, and explain the relationship among them.

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Commercialization of Technology Synthesize information, evaluate and make decisions about technologies.

1A3 Make informed choices among technology systems, resources and services.

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Optimization and Trade-offs Apply technological knowledge in decision-making.

1B1 Cite examples showing how the failure of system components contributes to the instability of a technological system (e.g., if the fuel pump in an automobile malfunctions, the entire system will not work properly; or if a computer hard drive fails, the computer system will not work properly).

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Technology Transfer Examine the synergy between and among technologies and other fields of study when solving technological problems.

1C1 Describe how technology transfer occurs when an innovation in one setting is applied in a different setting.

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Innovation and Invention Examine the synergy between and among technologies and other fields of study when solving technological problems.

1C2 Describe how technologies are, or can be, combined (e.g., a computer-controlled surgical laser scalpel represents the combination of physical, information and bio-related technology).

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Innovation and Invention Examine the synergy between and among technologies and other fields of study when solving technological problems.

1C3 Define examples of how technological progress is integral to the advancement of science, mathematics and other fields of study.

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1.0.8 Technology and Society Interaction

Students recognize interactions among society, the environment and technology, and understand technology's relationship with history. Consideration of these concepts forms a foundation for engaging in responsible and ethical use of technology.

Technology and Citizenship Interpret and practice responsible citizenship relative to technology.

2A1 Explain how making decisions about the use of technology involves weighing the trade-offs between the positive and negative effects.

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Technology and the Environment Demonstrate the relationship among people, technology and the environment.

2B1 Understand that humans can devise technologies to conserve water, soil and energy through such techniques as reusing, reducing and recycling.

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Technology and History Interpret and evaluate the influence of technology throughout history, and predict its impact on the future.

2C1 Describe how some technological development has been evolutionary, the result of a series of refinements to basic inventions or innovations over time.

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Technology and History Interpret and evaluate the influence of technology throughout history, and predict its impact on the future.

2C2 Select a technology or tool and predict how it will change in the future.

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Technology and Ethics Analyze ethical and legal technology issues and formulate solutions and strategies that foster responsible technology usage.

2D1 Practice responsible usage of technologies (e.g., download legally, install licensed software, and adhere to copyright restrictions).

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2E2

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Technology Assessment Forecast the impact of technological products and systems.

2E2 Select a technology that has had national impact and describe its impact.

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Technology Assessment Forecast the impact of technological products and systems.

2E3 Compare and contrast the past, present and future developments of a technological system.

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1.0.16 Technology for Productivity Applications

Students learn the operations of technology through the usage of technology and productivity tools.

Understanding Operations Integrate conceptual knowledge of technology systems in determining practical applications for learning and technical problem-solving.

3A1 Examine current and past devices for storing data and predict potential devices for the future.

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1.0.17 Technology for Productivity Applications

Students learn the operations of technology through the usage of technology and productivity tools.

Problem-solving Integrate conceptual knowledge of technology systems in determining practical applications for learning and technical problem-solving.

3A3 Apply strategies for identifying and solving routine hardware and software problems that occur during everyday use.

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1.0.18 Technology for Productivity Applications

Students learn the operations of technology through the usage of technology and productivity tools.

Knowledge Generation Identify, select and apply appropriate technology tools and resources to produce creative works and to construct technology-enhanced models.

3B1 Assimilate productivity and technological tools into all aspects of solving problems and managing personal information and communications.

3B1

1.0.19 Technology for Productivity Applications

Students learn the operations of technology through the usage of technology and productivity tools.

Understanding Operations Identify, select and apply appropriate technology tools and resources to produce creative works and to construct technology-enhanced models.

3B1 Identify and use input and output devices to operate and interact with computers and multimedia technology resources (e.g., digital video camera, mobile cameras-a camera on a robot base, like a Mars rover, how to connect analog equipment to digital equipment).

3B2

1.0.20 Technology for Productivity Applications

Students learn the operations of technology through the usage of technology and productivity tools.

Knowledge Generation Identify, select and apply appropriate technology tools and resources to produce creative works and to construct technology-enhanced models.

3B2 Use technology tools to model complex systems of information to improve the communication of and access to the information (e.g., modeling physics principles, graphic/geographic information system, weather modeling).

3B2

1.0.21 Technology for Productivity Applications

Students learn the operations of technology through the usage of technology and productivity tools.

Productivity Tools Identify, select and apply appropriate technology tools and resources to produce creative works and to construct technology-enhanced models.

3B2 Demonstrate proficiency in all productivity tools (e.g., word processing, spreadsheet, database, desktop publishing).

3B2

1.0.22 Technology for Productivity Applications

Students learn the operations of technology through the usage of technology and productivity tools.

Communication Tools Identify, select and apply appropriate technology tools and resources to produce creative works and to construct technology-enhanced models.

3B2 Use equipment related to computer and multimedia technology imaging (e.g., digitalization, optical character recognition, scanning, computerized microscopes).

3B3

1.0.23 Technology for Productivity Applications

Students learn the operations of technology through the usage of technology and productivity tools.

Problem-solving Identify, select and apply appropriate technology tools and resources to produce creative works and to construct technology-enhanced models.

3B3 Identify/recognize state-of-the-art technology tools for solving problems and managing personal/professional information.

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1.0.24 Technology and Communication Applications

Students use an array of technologies and apply design concepts to communicate with multiple audiences, acquire and disseminate information and enhance learning.

Evaluation Apply appropriate communication design principles in published and presented projects.

4A4 Assess the accuracy of the communication product.

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Students use an array of technologies and apply design concepts to communicate with multiple audiences, acquire and disseminate information and enhance learning.

Electronic Communications Create, publish and present information, utilizing formats appropriate to the content and audience.

4B1 Archive communication products in appropriate electronic forms (e.g., store electronic publications so that they may be accessed when needed).

4B2

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Students use an array of technologies and apply design concepts to communicate with multiple audiences, acquire and disseminate information and enhance learning.

Use of Communications Create, publish and present information, utilizing formats appropriate to the content and audience.

4B2 Use technology to publish information in electronic form (e.g., Web, multimedia, digital video, electronic portfolio).

4C2

1.0.27 Technology and Communication Applications

Students use an array of technologies and apply design concepts to communicate with multiple audiences, acquire and disseminate information and enhance learning.

Use of Communications Identify communication needs, select appropriate communication tools and design collaborative interactive projects and activities to communicate with others, incorporating emerging technologies.

4C2 Identify and use the appropriate communication tool to collaborate with others (e.g., presentation, Web site, digital video).

6A1

1.0.28 Design

Students apply a number of problem-solving strategies demonstrating the nature of design, the role of engineering and the role of assessment.

Design Process Identify and produce a product or system using a design process, evaluate the final solution and communicate the findings.

6A1 Explain and apply the methods and tools of inventive problem-solving to develop and produce a product or system.

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Technical Contradictions Identify and produce a product or system using a design process, evaluate the final solution and communicate the findings.

6A3 Identify the conceptual and technical principles that underpin design processes (e.g., analyze characteristics of technical systems that affect performance and identify principles that resolve design contradictions).

6A4

1.0.30 Design

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Requirements Identify and produce a product or system using a design process, evaluate the final solution and communicate the findings.

6A4 Identify the elements of quality in a product/system (e.g., tolerances, fit, finish, function, form (aesthetics), repeatability, durability, material).

6A5

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Optimization and Trade-offs Identify and produce a product or system using a design process, evaluate the final solution and communicate the findings.

6A5 Explain that design problems are seldom presented in a clearly defined form (e.g., problems often involve competing constituencies, undiscovered constraints and unidentified regulations).

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Technical Problem-solving Identify and produce a product or system using a design process, evaluate the final solution and communicate the findings.

6A6 Brainstorm solutions to problems using common brainstorming techniques (e.g., select a leader, select a recorder, generate ideas, discuss and add-on to ideas of others and recognize all ideas are welcome).

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Technical Communication Identify and produce a product or system using a design process, evaluate the final solution and communicate the findings.

6A7 Demonstrate knowledge of pictorial and multi-view CAD drawings (e.g., orthographic projection, isometric, oblique, perspective using proper techniques).

6A8

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Technical Communication Identify and produce a product or system using a design process, evaluate the final solution and communicate the findings.

6A8 Recognize that patent, trademark and copyright laws protect technological ideas and intellectual property.

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1.0.35 Design

Students apply a number of problem-solving strategies demonstrating the nature of design, the role of engineering and the role of assessment.

Understanding Technological Systems Identify and produce a product or system using a design process, evaluate the final solution and communicate the findings.

6A9 Describe how the technological systems of manufacturing, construction, information and communication, energy and power, transportation, medical, and agricultural, and related biotechnologies can be used to solve practical problems.

6B1

1.0.36 Design

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Design Process Recognize the role of teamwork in engineering design and of prototyping in the design process.

6B1 Explain how established design principles are used to evaluate existing designs, collect data and guide the design process (e.g., design principles include flexibility, unity, emphasis, balance, function and proportion).

6B2

1.0.37 Design

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Design Process Recognize the role of teamwork in engineering design and of prototyping in the design process.

6B2 Explain how a prototype is a working model used to test a design concept by making actual observations and necessary adjustments.

6B3

1.0.38 Design

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Design Process Recognize the role of teamwork in engineering design and of prototyping in the design process.

6B3 Create a model of a design solution to an engineering problem (e.g., virtual, physical, graphic or mathematical model).

6B4

1.0.39 Design

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Requirements Recognize the role of teamwork in engineering design and of prototyping in the design process.

6B4 Identify the factors that must be taken into account in the process of engineering design (e.g., safety, reliability, economic considerations, quality control, environmental concerns, manufacturability, maintenance and repair, and human factors in engineering, such as ergonomics).

6B5

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Design Team Collaboration Recognize the role of teamwork in engineering design and of prototyping in the design process.

6B5 Describe how engineering design is influenced by personal characteristics, such as creativity, resourcefulness, and the ability to visualize and think abstractly.

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Design Team Collaboration Recognize the role of teamwork in engineering design and of prototyping in the design process.

6B6 Describe the importance of teamwork, leadership, integrity, honesty, work habits and organizational skills of members during the design process.

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1.0.42 Design

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Technical Careers Recognize the role of teamwork in engineering design and of prototyping in the design process.

6B7 Explain the different engineering disciplines and how they relate to the major technological systems (e.g., mechanical manufacturing, audio communication, civil construction).

6C2

1.0.43 Design

Students apply a number of problem-solving strategies demonstrating the nature of design, the role of engineering and the role of assessment.

Redesign Understand and apply research, development and experimentation to problem-solving.

6C2 Research previous solutions to a technological problem and redesign an alternative solution.

6C3

1.0.44 Design

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Reverse Engineering Understand and apply research, development and experimentation to problem-solving.

6C3 Describe and demonstrate the reverse engineering process in problem-solving.

6C5

1.0.45 Design

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Technical Communication Understand and apply research, development and experimentation to problem-solving.

6C5 Use computers, calculators, instruments and devices to access, retrieve, organize, process, maintain, interpret, and evaluate data and information in order to communicate to group members (e.g., CADcomputer-aided design, software, library resources, the Internet, word processing, CBLcalculator based labs, laser measuring tools and spreadsheet software).

7C2

1.0.46 Designed World

Students understand how the physical, informational and bio-related technological systems of the designed world are brought about by the design process. Critical to this will be students' understanding of their role in the designed world: its processes, products, standards, services, history, future, impact, issues and career connections.

Use and Maintain Technological Systems Classify, demonstrate, examine and appraise manufacturing technologies.

7C2 Explain the process and programming of robotic action utilizing three axes.