## **Kit Contents**

Your kit should contain the following:

- 3d printed plastic chassis
- 2x rear wheel inside
- · 2x rear wheel outside
- 3mm plastic wire
- 2x front wheel
- 2x servo with bag of accessories
  - · various servo horns (white plastic)
  - 2 long screws
  - 1 short screw
- 1x sonic sensor
- 1x sonic sensor mount
- · 4 strands of wire with female to male connectors
- 1x battery pack
- 1x bread board
- 1x Arduino Nano w/ Atmega 328 with optional ICSP header pins (unattached)
- 2x jumper wires (red, black)
- 2 tank treads
- 1x moustache

Tools Required:

- small philips screwdriver
- hot glue gun

Assembly Guide

Mechanical:

- 1. Attach the front wheels to the front axel using the long screws that come with the servo.
- 2. Hot glue the sonar mount to the chassis, facing the front.
- 3. Mount the servos in place at the rear of the chassis. Test the fit of the treads before gluing them in place.
- 4. Assemble the rear wheels:
  - 1. Glue the long, thin servo horn into the thin part of the rear wheel.
  - 2. Glue the plastic wire into the holes so it is facing the open side of the wheel.
  - 3. Glue the top of the wheel in place, using the plastic wire to line it up.
  - 4. Trim off any excess plastic that sticks out.
- 5. Glue the battery pack to the chassis ensure that the switch and power cables are accessible.
- 6. Remove the backing from the bread board and stick it to the battery pack.

## Electronic:

- 1. Connect the four-strand wire to the sonar sensor.
- 2. Snap the sonar sensor into the mount, with the wires facing upwards.
- 3. Connect the arduino nano circuit board to the breadboard, in the middle.
- 4. Connect:
  - 1. Servo purple to the ground (black) rail of the bread board.
  - 2. Servo red to the 6v (red) rail of the bread board.

- 3. Servo orange to pins 2 (right) and 3 (left) on the arduino.
- 4. Sensor Trig to pin 12 on the arduino.
- 5. Sensor Echo to pin 11 on the arduino.
- 6. Sensor 5V to the 5V pin on the arduino.
- 7. Sensor Gnd to any ground pin on the arduino.
- 8. Red jumper wire from the red rail of the bread board to VCC on the arduino.
- 9. Black jumper wire from the black rail of the bread board to the same ground pin as used in step 7.
- 10. Battery red wire to the red rail on the bread board.
- 11. Battery black wire to the black rail on the bread board.

Turn on the power and watch it go!

Reprogramming:

- 1. Download the arduino IDE from http://arduino.cc/en/Guide/HomePage
- 2. Download the sketch from <u>http://swarm.workshop.perforce.com/projects/tgray-a-simulacrum-of-completion/files/rover</u>
- 3. Choose Arduino Nano w/ Atmega 328 as the board type.
- 4. Connect the arduino board to your computer via USB (not included).
- 5. Upload the code to the arduino board.
- 6. Use the supplied arduino libraries and examples to explore and expand your robot's capabilities.