

Algorithm of Multiple Targets

The port 6 is grounded, the output is distance + spectral data, and it includes: data header, distance data, spectral data, and data tail. The format is as below:

0xff, 0xff, 0xff, 0x, 0x, 0x##...0x##, 0x00, 0x00, 0x00

Header Distance Spectral Tail

The first three 0xff are data headers, then next 0x** is the upper eight bits in the 16 bits distance information, and the second 0x** is the lower eight bits. The 16 bits binary data represents the distance to the target. (unit: cm) *closest, furthest, average?*

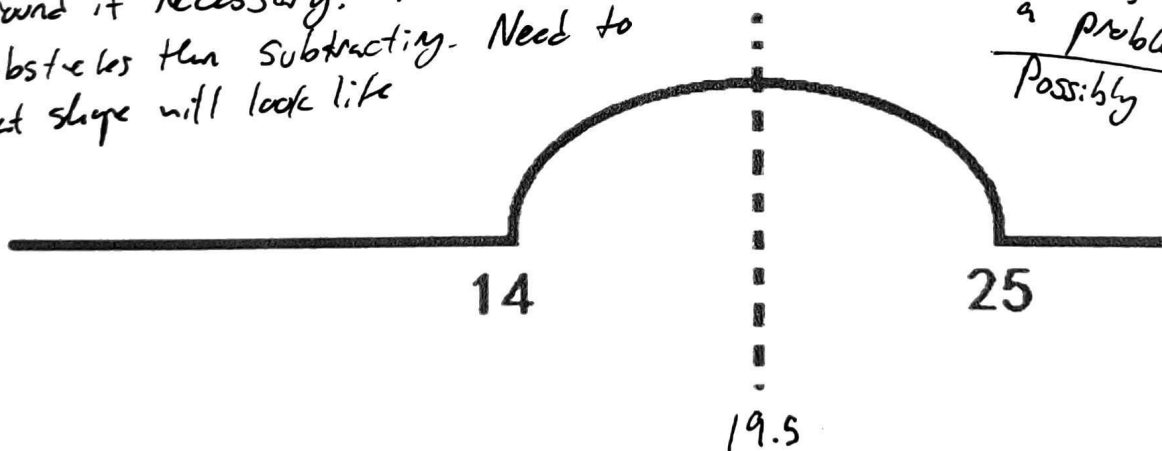
The first 0x## is amplitude of the first spectral line of the distance spectral lines, the next one is that of the second spectral line, and so on. There are 126 spectral lines in total. The amplitude ranges from 1 to 44. After post-processing, users can use these spectral lines to realize multiple targets detection. The last three 0x00 are data tails, marking the ending of this group of data.

For example: if the amplitude reaches the maximum peak, calculate the central point of the maximum peak. The central point will be the n-th data, then multiply by 0.126?

eg. If the spectral line amplitude forms peaks between 14th to 25th: The distance of the point should be: $(14 + (25 - 14) / 2) * 0.126 = 2.457$ (Unit:m)

Will have to look @ how to filter out noise of ground if necessary? Probab w/ measuring w/o obstacles then subtracting. Need to see what slope will look like

Will different surfaces pose a problem? Possibly adaptive



So



implies object @ A & B distances

Provided Code from Manufacturer
example

Multiple Targets Detection

```
* *****  
* @brief 24GHz Microwave Radar Sensor  
  
* @copyright [DFRobot](https://www.dfrobot.com), 2016  
* @copyright GNU Lesser General Public License  
  
* @author [Xiaoyu](Xiaoyu.zhang@dfrobot.com)  
* @version V1.0  
* @date 2019-03-11  
  
* GNU Lesser General Public License.  
* All above must be included in any redistribution  
* *****
```

134 = 3 head + 3 foot + 2 distance + 126 spectral

```
#include <SoftwareSerial.h>  
char col; // For storing data read from serial port  
unsigned char buffer_RTT[134] = {};  
int YCTa = 0, YCTb = 0, YCT1 = 0, checka, checkb, Tarnum=1, TargetY1 = 0;  
double Tar1a, Tar1b, Distance, Distance1, Distance2, Distance3;  
SoftwareSerial mySerial(4,5);  
void setup() {  
    mySerial.begin(57600);  
    Serial.begin(115200);  
}  
  
void loop() {  
    // Send data only when received data  
    if (mySerial.read() == 0xff)  
    {  
        // Read the incoming byte  
        for (int j = 0; j < 134; j++)  
        {  
            col = mySerial.read();  
            buffer_RTT[j] = (char)col;  
            delay(2);  
        }  
  
        mySerial.flush();  
        if(buffer_RTT[1]==0xff){  
            if(buffer_RTT[2]==0xff){  
                YCTa = buffer_RTT[3];  
                YCTb = buffer_RTT[4];  
                YCT1 = (YCTa << 8) + YCTb;  
            }  
        }  
        //Read obstacle distance of the maximum reflection intensity.  
        for(int i=6;i<134;i++){  
            if(buffer_RTT[i]==buffer_RTT[i-1]){  
                if(buffer_RTT[i-1]>buffer_RTT[i-2]){  
                    Tar1a = i-6;  
                    checka= buffer_RTT[i-1];  
                } //Check the increase of the peak  
            }  
            if(buffer_RTT[i]<buffer_RTT[i-1])  
            {  
                if decreasing: next page  
            }  
        }  
    }  
}
```

Jason device driver
Adapt for STM32F4

Should actually start on 7 if going 2 bytes

index 6 - 2nd spectral line

if plateau:
if was increasing:
is a peak

if decreasing:

(if(buffer_RTT[i-1]==buffer_RTT[i-2]) if was plotted

maybe allow a bit more latency than ==

checkb= buffer_RTT[i-1]; //Check the decrease of the peak previous might be a peak
if(checka==checkb && checkb >= 10) ← if peak from increasing & decreasing sides are the same

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Tar1b = i-6;
Tar1b=Tar1b-Tar1a;
Tar1b=Tar1b/2;
Tar1a=Tar1a+Tar1b;
Distance=Tar1a*0.126;
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Peak halfway between identified peaks

Distance=Distance*100; //Calculate distance } distance = peak location * 0.26 * 100

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Serial.print("Distance");
Serial.print(TarNum);
Serial.print(":");
Serial.println(Distance); //Output the distance of other
obstacles, can read other 3 obstacles at most.
Serial.print("D: ");
Serial.println(YCT1); //Output the obstacle distance of the
```

maximum reflection intensity.

```
if(TarNum==1){
  Distance1=Distance;
}
if(TarNum==2){
  Distance2=Distance;
}
if(TarNum==3){
  Distance3=Distance;
}
TarNum++;
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Save 3 identified peak indexes of of TarNum

maybe up to 5?

```
TarNum=1;
```

Output Result: output about 5 distance values at most

IMPORTANT :- CAN GIVE MULTIPLE TARGET DISTANCES
- DOES NOT GIVE TARGET DIRECTION.

GENERAL CODE STRUCTURE

DRIVERS / DEVICE INTERACTION - PROVIDED BY GASON

PROCESSING

INPUT(S) - ARRAY OF SPECTRAL LINES (CURRENT)

- EITHER INPUT OR MEMORY FOR A NUMBER OF PREVIOUS ARRAYS OR AT LEAST DISTANCES

STAGE 1

- FILTER OUT ROAD ON CURRENT SAMPLE
- POSSIBLY WILL NEED WHOLE PREVIOUS ARRAYS DEPENDING ON WHETHER THIS NEEDS TO BE ADAPTIVE OR CONSTANTS CAN BE USED

STAGE 2

- DETERMINE CURRENT OBJECT DISTANCES
- SIMILAR TO PROVIDED ALGORITHM

STAGE 3

- DETERMINE RELATIVE OBJECT SPEEDS (GAINING ON BIKE)?

STAGE 4

- POSSIBLY COMBINE W/ DATA FROM OTHER SENSORS
- USE LOGIC AKIN TO THAT FROM VI-PI TAKING SPEED & DISTANCE IN TO ACCOUNT TO DETERMINE WHETHER TO ALERT USER AND VEHICLE.