Mechatronics Final Project

Safe Velocity Indicator

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Undershoot

Too Slow

Overshoot

Too Fast

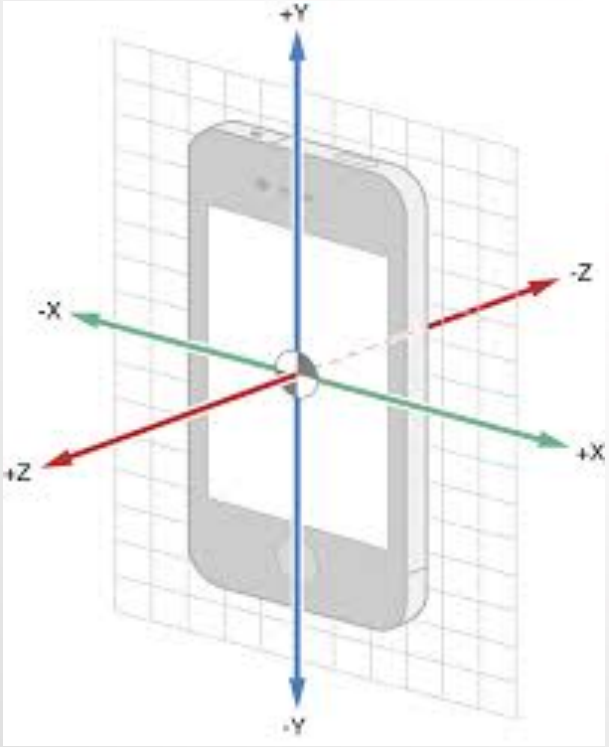
Objective

Safe Velocity Indicator

- **To design a safe velocity indicator using iPhone programming to ensure rider's safety**
- **To provide feedback to the rider so that the rider is aware of one's speed as he/she approaches the jump**
- **To add flexibility to the application such that the rider can modify and personalize the range of "safe-speed"**

Difficulties

Safe Velocity Indicator



- **Our original intent was to use accelerometer in the iPhone to retrieve velocity data**
- **Accelerometer is not suitable to calculate velocity, because small error in acceleration will cause for the velocity to drift over time**
- **Alternative Solution : GPS chip in iPhone**

User-Interface

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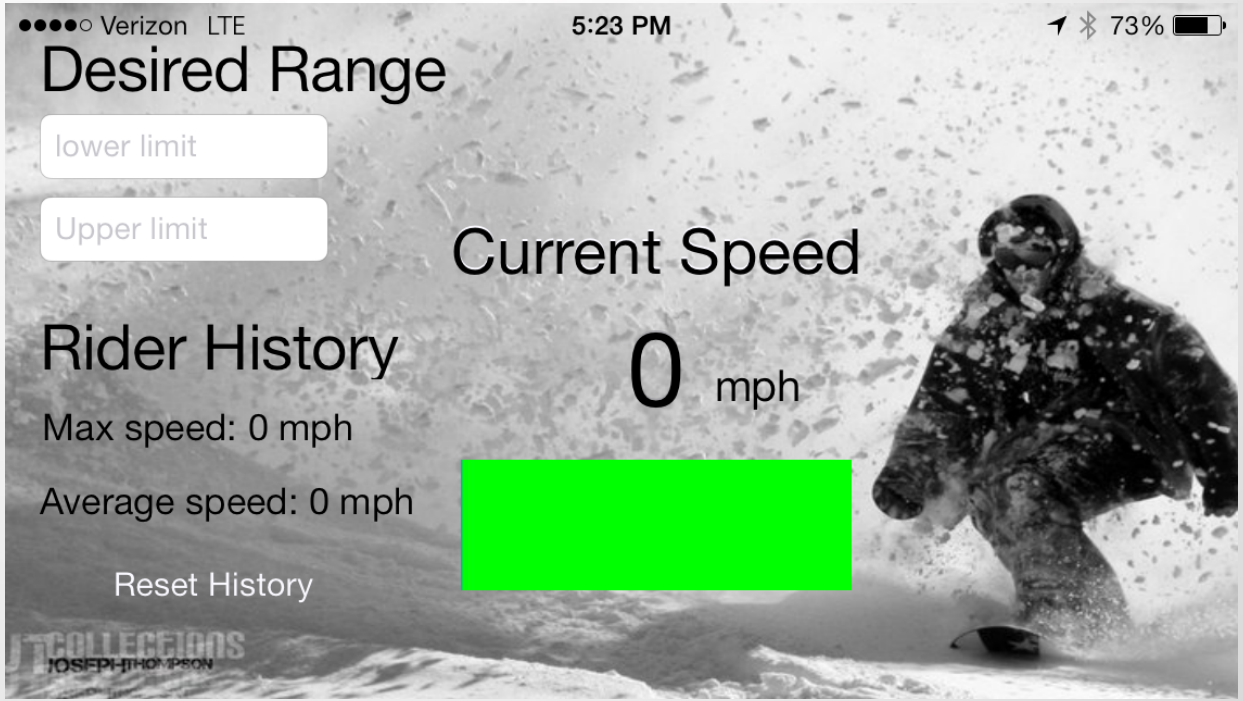

Implementation/Coding

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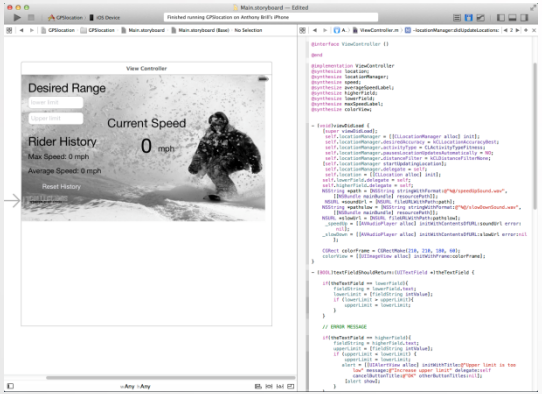


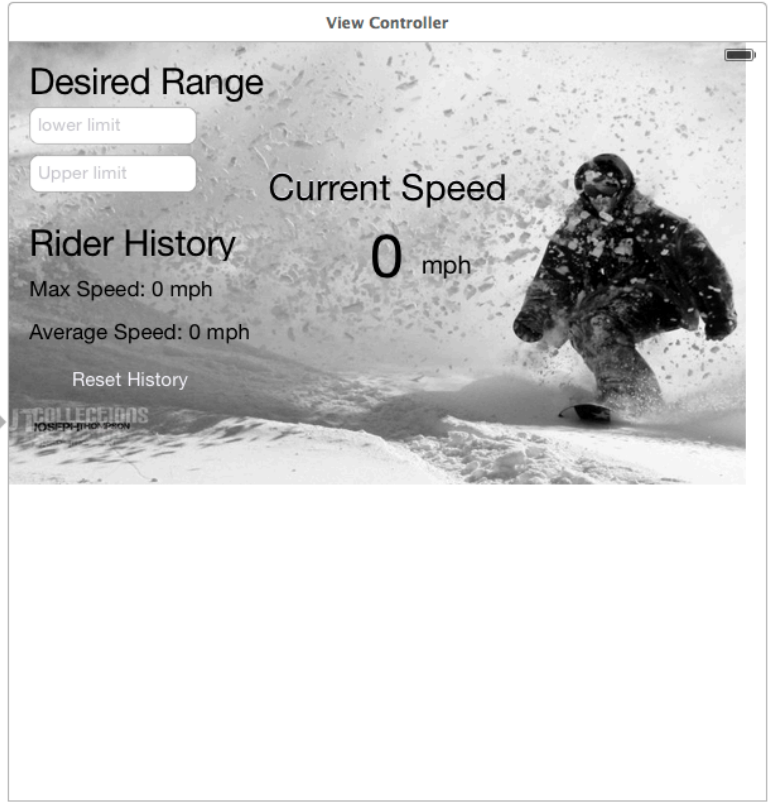
- **Used CoreLocation framework**
- **CoreLocation returns a user's latitude/longitude coordinates and makes use of them to calculate velocity**

Main.storyboard — Edited

GPSlocation › iOS Device

Finished running GPSlocation on Anthony Brill's iPhone

GPSlocation › GPSlocation › Main.storyboard › Main.storyboard (Base) › No Selection



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@interface ViewController ()

@end

@implementation ViewController
@synthesize location;
@synthesize locationManager;
@synthesize speed;
@synthesize averageSpeedLabel;
@synthesize higherField;
@synthesize lowerField;
@synthesize maxSpeedLabel;
@synthesize colorView;


- (void)viewDidLoad {
    [super viewDidLoad];
     self.locationManager = [[CLLocationManager alloc] init];
     self.locationManager.desiredAccuracy = kCLLocationAccuracyBest;
     self.locationManager.activityType = CLActivityTypeFitness;
     self.locationManager.pausesLocationUpdatesAutomatically = NO;
     self.locationManager.distanceFilter = kCLDistanceFilterNone;
    [self.locationManager startUpdatingLocation];
     self.locationManager.delegate = self;
     self.location = [[CLLocation alloc] init];
    self.lowerField.delegate = self;
    self.higherField.delegate = self;
    NSString *path = [NSString stringWithFormat:@"%@/speedUpSound.wav",
        [[NSBundle mainBundle] resourcePath]];
     NSURL *soundUrl = [NSURL fileURLWithPath:path];
    NSString *pathslow = [NSString stringWithFormat:@"%@/slowDownSound.wav",
        [[NSBundle mainBundle] resourcePath]];
    NSURL *slowUrl = [NSURL fileURLWithPath:pathslow];
     _speedUp = [[AVAudioPlayer alloc] initWithContentsOfURL:soundUrl error:
         nil];
    _slowDown = [[AVAudioPlayer alloc] initWithContentsOfURL:slowUrl error:nil
        ];

    CGRect colorFrame = CGRectMake(210, 210, 180, 60);
    colorView = [[UIImageView alloc] initWithFrame:colorFrame];
}

- (BOOL)textFieldShouldReturn:(UITextField *)theTextField {

    if(theTextField == lowerField){
        fieldString = lowerField.text;
        lowerLimit = [fieldString intValue];
        if (lowerLimit > upperLimit){
            upperLimit = lowerLimit;
        }
    }

    // ERROR MESSAGE

    if(theTextField == higherField){
        fieldString = higherField.text;
        upperLimit = [fieldString intValue];
        if (upperLimit < lowerLimit) {
            upperLimit = lowerLimit;
           alert = [[UIAlertView alloc] initWithTitle:@"Upper limit is too
               low" message:@"Increase upper limit" delegate:self
               cancelButtonTitle:@"OK" otherButtonTitles:nil];
            [alert show];
        }
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#import <AudioToolbox/AudioToolbox.h>
#import <AVFoundation/AVFoundation.h>

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               cancelButtonTitle:@"OK" otherButtonTitles:nil];
            [alert show];
        }
    }
    [theTextField resignFirstResponder];
    return YES;
}
```

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- (void)locationManager:(CLLocationManager *)manager didUpdateLocations:(NSArray *)locations {
    self.location = locations.lastObject;
    int speedInt = self.location.speed*2.2369;

    // MAX SPEED

    if (speedInt > maxSpeed) {
        maxSpeed = speedInt;
    }
     [maxSpeedLabel setText: [NSString stringWithFormat:@"Max speed: %i mph", maxSpeed]];

    // AVERAGE SPEED

    if (speedInt > 0)
    {
      totalAverageSpeed = totalAverageSpeed+speedInt;
        counterAvg = counterAvg + 1;
        averageSpeed = totalAverageSpeed/counterAvg;
    }
    [averageSpeedLabel setText: [NSString stringWithFormat:@"Average speed: %i mph", averageSpeed]];

   // SETTING ALERTS

    if (speedInt < 0) {
        self.speed.text = [NSString stringWithFormat:@"0"];

        colorView.image = [UIImage imageNamed:@"Red.jpg"];
        [self.view addSubview:colorView];
    }
    else if  ((speedInt > 0) && (speedInt < lowerLimit)) {
        colorView.image = [UIImage imageNamed:@"Red.jpg"];
        [self.view addSubview:colorView];
        self.speed.text = [NSString stringWithFormat:@"%i", speedInt];
        AudioServicesPlaySystemSound(kSystemSoundID_Vibrate);
        [_speedUp play];
    }
    else if (speedInt > upperLimit) {
        colorView.image = [UIImage imageNamed:@"Yellow"];
        [self.view addSubview:colorView];
        self.speed.text = [NSString stringWithFormat:@"%i", speedInt];
        AudioServicesPlaySystemSound(kSystemSoundID_Vibrate);
        [_slowDown play];
    }
    else {
        colorView.image = [UIImage imageNamed:@"Green"];
        [self.view addSubview:colorView];
        self.speed.text = [NSString stringWithFormat:@"%i", speedInt];
    }
}
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- (IBAction)resetButton:(id)sender {
    maxSpeed = 0;
    averageSpeed = 0;
    counterAvg = 0;
    totalAverageSpeed = 0;


    [maxSpeedLabel setText: [NSString stringWithFormat:@"Max speed: %i mph", maxSpeed]];

    [averageSpeedLabel setText: [NSString stringWithFormat:@"Average speed: %i mph", averageSpeed]];
}
@end
```

Issues with CoreLocation

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- **Velocity measurements are less reliable at low speed**
- **GPS restricts the user to outdoor activities**
- **CoreLocation framework does not allow the sampling frequency to be directly set**
- **Transmitting GPS data requires heavy battery usage**

Feedback Mechanism

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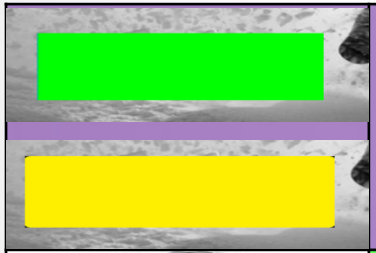	Light	• The light will be RED if the rider's speed is too slow and YELLOW if too fast • If the speed is in the predefined range, the light will be GREEN
	Vibration	• Phone will be vibrating if the rider's speed is outside of defined range (User-defined) • Vibration will stop as soon as rider's speed resides in safe-range
	Sound	• If the rider's speed is greater than the safe speed range, the app will transmit the sound "Slow-down" • If the speed is lower than the range it will transmit "Speed-up" sound

Video: Working Prototype

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Real-Life Implementation

Safe Velocity Indicator

- **iPhone can be easily mounted on a helmet**
- **Rider can check one's speed in real-time**
- **Without spending hundreds of dollars on HUD goggles which doesn't provide any safety alert on speed control, the rider can simply use the iPhone to ensure their safety**

HUD Product Comparison

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			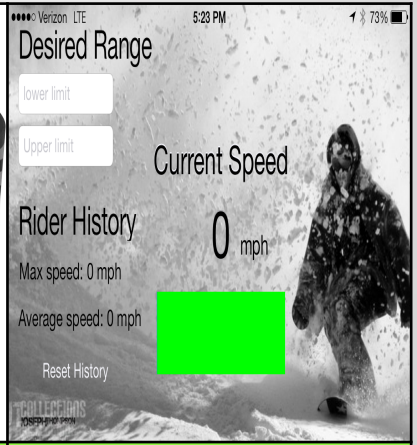
Oakley AirWave	**Recon SNOW2 HUD**	**Zeal Z3 GPS Goggle**	**Our Product**
$650	**$550**	**$488**	**$0**

Future Development

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- **Remember speeds for different jumps**
- **Download jump data from Mountain Website**
- **Upload jump data to Mountain Website**
- **Allow warning sounds to run while playing music**
- **Ability to turn off specific alerts**
- **Secret features we're not allowed to talk about**

Questions

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