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BeagleBoard.org BeagleBone Blue preview

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What is demonstrated

Open hardware Linux computer

- ⇒ Self-hosted web IDE
- Debian Linux system

Self-balancing robot run as a userspace task written in C

→ 5ms inner-loop, <25% load

Connected USB camera

mjpg-streamer over WiFi

Bluetooth speaker for audio

ROS interface



https://bbb.io/blue Hardware Information

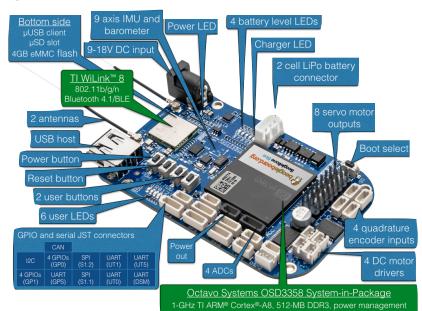
1-GHz ARM Cortex-A8, programmable real-time units, 4×DC motor drive, 8×servo motor, WiFi/BT, USB, IMU, 2 cell LiPo battery mgmt, 4×quad enc, barometer, ...

What was improved

Pre-integrated H/W elements for robotics

- → pre-integrated software: Ardupilot, ...

4-layer PCB design Quick connections for individual interfaces



Source code or detail technical information availability

https://github.com/jadonk/beaglebone-blue https://github.com/beagleboard/linux https://github.com/beagleboard/image-builder https://github.com/StrawsonDesign/Robotics_Cape_Installer