

NeuroSys 3D-Printed Prosthetic Hand Control

Technical Report

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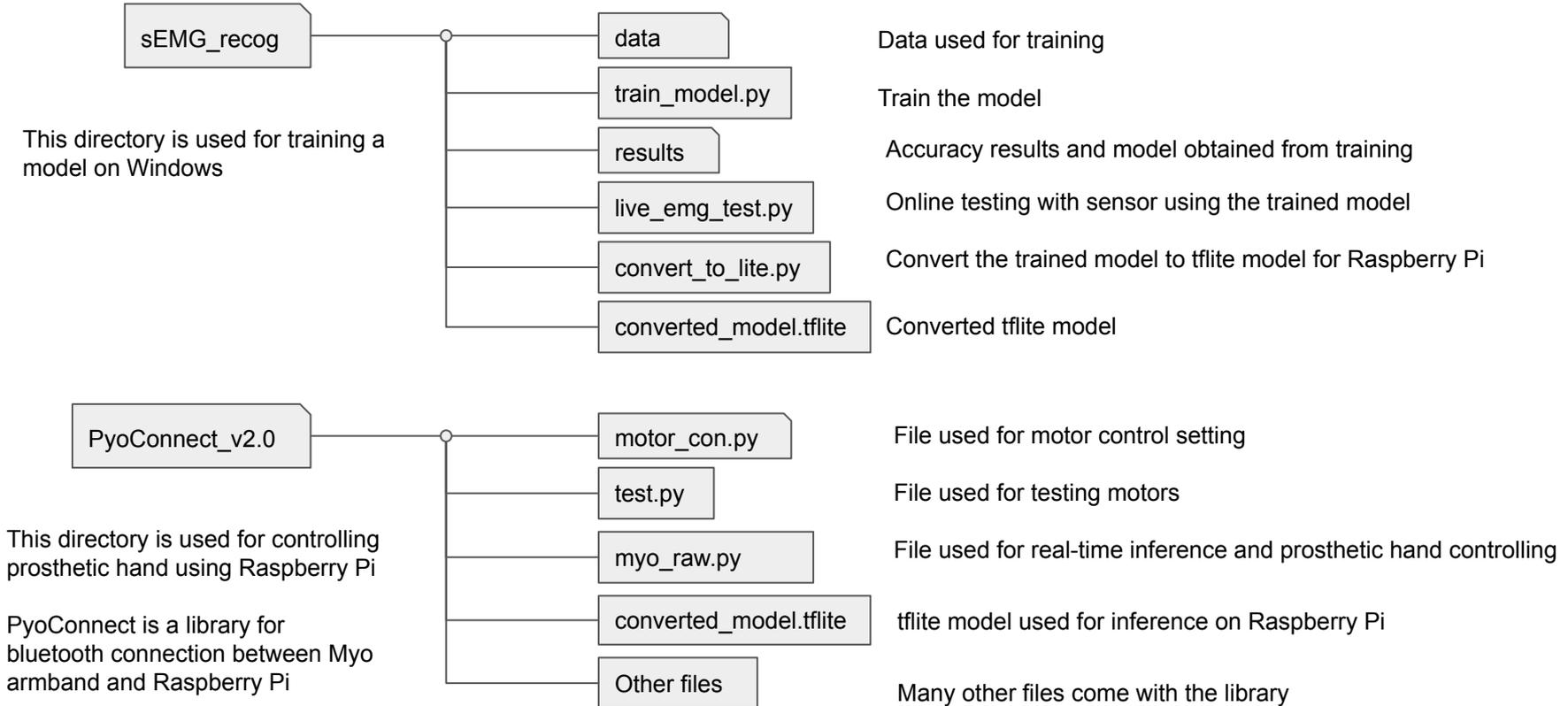
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Directory Structure



1. Setting up Myo Armband Sensor Driver & SDK

1. Download and install Myo connect on your system to use Myo armband sensor (Provided)

- (windows version)

- <https://github.com/NiklasRosenstein/myo-python/releases/download/v1.0.4/Myo+Connect+Installer.exe>

- Check if the sensor is connected to the computer.

2. Download the Myo sensor SDK (Provided)

- <https://github.com/NiklasRosenstein/myo-python/releases/download/v1.0.4/myo-sdk-win-0.9.0.zip>

Other versions are available here: <https://github.com/NiklasRosenstein/myo-python/releases>

2. sEMG Data Collection (windows SDK)

1. On windows, make sure Visual Studio is installed.
2. Go to **myo-sdk-win-0.9.0** (the downloaded SDK) → **samples**
3. Open & run **emg-data-sample-VisualStudio2013** to test if the sEMG data is sent to the computer.
 - If array of number is shown on the screen, the data is sent successfully.
4. To save the captured data to a file, we want to modify the **emg-data-sample-VisualStudio2013** project
 - The file is provided. But please follow to understand.

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Within class DataCollector, print() function, modify the code as shown on the right.

- Create a directory where to save the data
- Name the file properly as we have to save multiple files. We used **.csv** format here.
- Include `fstream` library on top of the file
#include <fstream>
- Instead of just displaying the data on the screen, we append the data to the file.

```
void print()
{
    // Clear the current line
    std::cout << '\n';

    std::ofstream log;
    log.open("../test.csv", std::ofstream::app);

    // Print out the EMG data.
    for (size_t i = 0; i < emgSamples.size(); i++) {
        std::ostringstream oss;
        oss << static_cast<int>(emgSamples[i]);

        std::string emgString = oss.str();

        //std::cout << emgString << std::string(4 - emgString.size(), ' ') << ',';
        std::cout << emgString << std::string(4 - emgString.size(), ' ') << ',';
        log << emgString << std::string(4 - emgString.size(), ' ') << ',';

    }
    log << '\n';
    //std::cout << std::flush;
    std::cout << "\n";
}
```

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Under main() function, modify the infinite while loop to capture the signal as shown.

- We only capture 200 timesteps of data each time.
- The sample frequency is changed.

```
while (1) {
    if (i == 200) {
        return 1;
    }
    //auto stop = std::chrono::high_resolution_clock::now();
    //auto duration = std::chrono::duration_cast<std::chrono::microseconds>(stop - start);
    //if (duration.count() >= 1000000) return 1;

    // In each iteration of our main loop, we run the Myo event loop for a set number of milliseconds.
    // In this case, we wish to update our display 20 times a second, so we run for 1000/20 milliseconds.
    hub.run(1);
    /*
    1000 -> 1Hz (1/s)
    500 -> 2Hz
    200 -> 5Hz
    50 -> 20Hz
    5 -> 200Hz
    20 -> 50Hz
    1 -> 1000Hz
    */
    // After processing events, we call the print() member function we defined above to print out the values we've
    // obtained from any events that have occurred.
    collector.print();
    i++;
}
```

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Try to collect the sEMG data as much as possible for making better Deep learning Model.

- In the example, we collect 7 gestures (including rest), 20 times for each gesture.
- Collect the data in different sessions E.g. Today collect once, tomorrow collect once again.
- In the example, we have collected only 2 sessions of data.

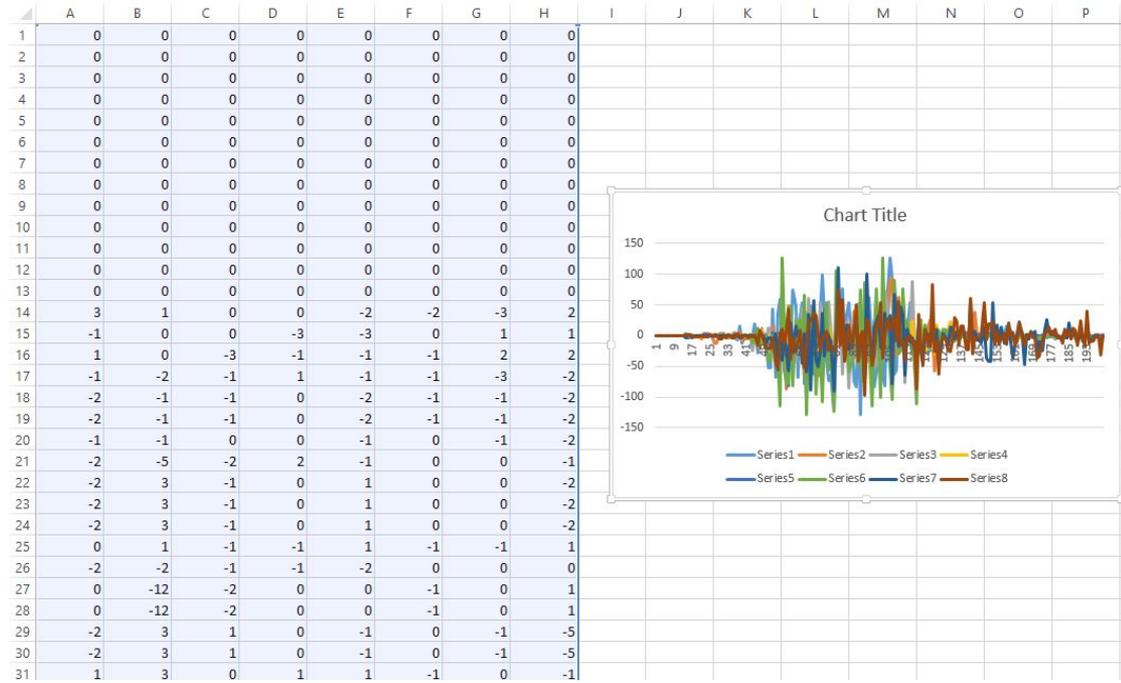
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There are many approaches to capture the sEMG data.

Here we captured starting from rest state to a gesture and back to rest state again.

You can check the saved sEMG data using Excel and create a graph as shown on the right.



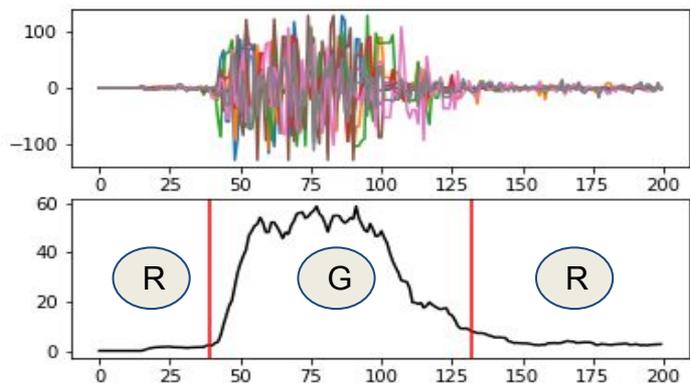
*It is assumed the data is stored in mydata.

3. Deep Learning Model Training

There are many approaches to train a deep learning AI model.

Here we used **standard deviation** and **RNN(LSTM, GRUs)**.

- Implementation using **Python, TensorFlow**.
- Standard deviation is used to detect the where gesture starts and stops.



- Divide into windows
 - Apply standard deviation
 - standard deviation of each channel

$$\sigma_c = \sqrt{\frac{\sum^W (x_c - \mu)^2}{W}}$$

- average standard deviation

$$\bar{\sigma} = \sum^C \frac{\sigma_c}{C}$$

- Thresholding
 - $\bar{\sigma} < \text{threshold}$: Rest
 - Otherwise: Gesture

x : signal data point

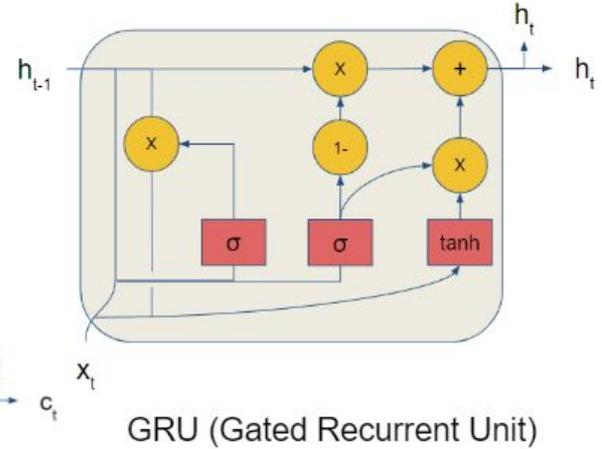
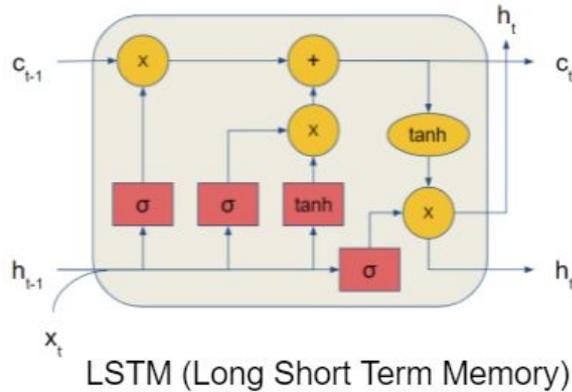
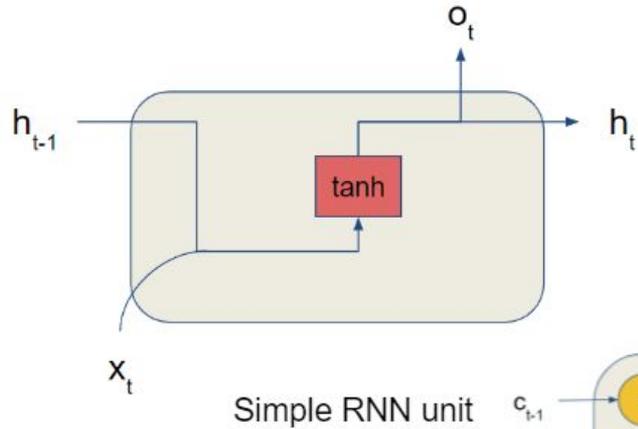
W : window size

C : number of channels

μ : mean

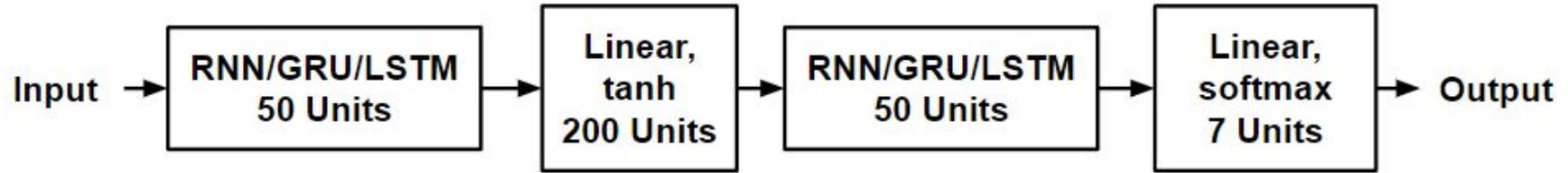
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Comparing simple RNN, LSTM, and GRU units.



● componentwise
■ layer

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We are using the above RNN,GRU,LSTM architecture. The last layer is softmax with 7 outputs to match with the 7 classes of gesture.

- 10% of data is used for offline evaluation
- Evaluation based on 5-fold cross validation
- Use different time window sizes to evaluate [10, 20, 30, 40, 50]
The more data points we use, the better the accuracy but higher delay
- At the end the trained models are saved in a directory.

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Use `train_model.py` to train an RNN model

Specify the classes, cross-validation time, datapoint, and number of repetition, and number of classes

```
class_list = ["close", "open", "one", "two", "three", "hold", "R"]  
  
howmany = 5  
datapoint = 200  
repeat_num = 40  
classnum = 7
```

Specify the data directory, and parameters used for labelling.

```
if __name__ == "__main__":  
    create_model = ModelCreation(subj_name='phea', w1=10, w2=5, start_thresh=8, save_detection_plots=True,)  
    create_model.train()  
    create_model.test()
```

*After training you can convert the trained model to tflite model for Raspberry Pi

4. Online Testing on Computer Software

Before testing with physical 3D-printed hand, we can test on computer software simulation.

Python is used for this task.

1. Install myo-python in your python environment

```
pip install myo-python
```

2. Download myo-python from github (provided)

<https://github.com/NiklasRosenstein/myo-python>

3. We are using **live_emg_test.py** to run online testing

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Modify the `live_emg_test.py` file to run online testing

Import tensorflow

```
import tensorflow as tf
from tensorflow.keras import models
```

Define classes and timesteps used to train the model

```
class_list = ["close", "hold", "one", "open", "R", "three", "two"]
timestep = 200
```

Using the trained model to predict the live emg data input

```
def display_data(self):
    emg_data = self.listener.get_emg_data()
    emg_data = np.array([x[1] for x in emg_data])

    if emg_data.size == 0:
        print("No data")
    else:
        data = np.zeros((1,timestep,8))
        data[0,:emg_data.size//8,:] = emg_data

        model_path = "D:\\ASL\\Masters\\WeuroSys\\results\\phea1\\CV_results\\cv_5\\model_cv_5.h5"
        model = models.Model
        model = models.load_model(model_path)

        predicted = model.predict(data)

        pre_class = class_list[int(np.argmax(predicted[0,emg_data.size//8-1,:]))]
        print(pre_class)
```

- Point to the SDK bin directory
- Define the window size to capture sEMG data

```
def main():
    myo.init(bin_path=r'D:\\ASL\\Masters\\myo\\myo-sdk-win-0.9.0\\bin')
    hub = myo.Hub()
    listener = EmgCollector(40)
    with hub.run_in_background(listener.on_event):
        Plot(listener).main()
```

5. Prosthetic Hand Control

Raspberry Pi is used to control the 5 motors controlling the fingers of the hand.

Convert the trained tensorflow keras model (64-bit) to tensorflow lite model (32-bit)

- Raspberry Pi by default only supports 32-bit.

```
import tensorflow as tf
from tensorflow.keras import models

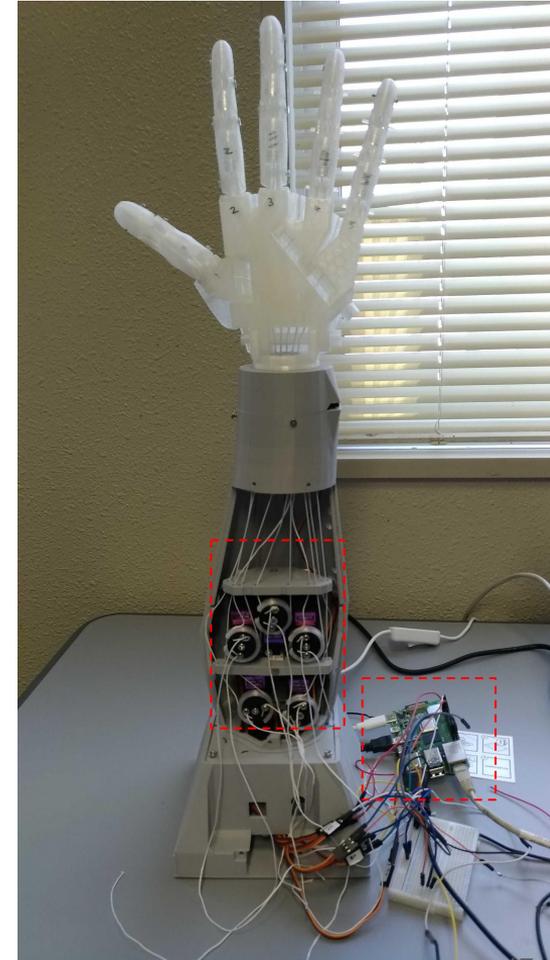
model_path = r"D:\ASL\Masters\NeuroSys\results\phea_left_combine\CV_results\cv_4\model_cv_4.h5"

model = tf.keras.models.load_model(model_path)
converter = tf.lite.TFLiteConverter.from_keras_model(model)

tflite_model = converter.convert()
open("converted_left_model.tflite", "wb").write(tflite_model)
```

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1. Because the SDK and other libraries used on Windows are not supported on linux, we are using Pyoconnect 2.0.
http://www.fernandocosentino.net/pyoconnect/PyoConnect_v2.0.zip
2. Modify to run and inference the sEMG signal using the trained model. (Provided)



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myo_raw.py

The inference and motor controlling part is within the `##Edit Here##` part

Importing tflite libraries and made motor_con file

```
import tflite_runtime
from tflite_runtime.interpreter import Interpreter
import numpy as np

from motor_con import motor
```

```
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class_list = ["close", "hold", "one", "open", "three", "two", "R"]
emgdata = []
avg = []
# tmp_angle = None
def proc_emg(emg, moving, times=[]):
    if HAVE_PYGAME:
        # update pygame display
        plot(scr, [e / 500. for e in emg])
        print(emg)
#
    emg = list(emg)
    #print(len(emg_data))
    emgdata.append(emg)
    if len(emgdata) == 60:
        #print(emg_data)
        emg_data = np.array(emgdata)
        timestep = 200
        #print(emg_data)
        data = np.zeros((1,timestep,8), dtype=np.float32)

        data[0,:emg_data.size//8,:] = emg_data
        #tt = data
        model_path = "/home/pi/model.tflite"
        interpreter = Interpreter(model_path)
        #allocate the tensors
        interpreter.allocate_tensors()
        #print(data.shape)
        #Get input and output tensors
        input_details = interpreter.get_input_details()
        output_details = interpreter.get_output_details()

        interpreter.set_tensor(input_details[0]['index'], data)

        interpreter.invoke()

        predicted = interpreter.get_tensor(output_details[0]['index'])
        tt = predicted
        print(predicted[0,emg_data.size//8-1,:])
        avg.append(predicted[0,emg_data.size//8-1,:])
        pre_class = class_list[int(np.argmax(predicted[0,emg_data.size//8-1,:]))]
```

```
#average of 2 predictions and then move the motors
if (len(avg) == 2):
    new_motor = motor()
    ree = avg[0]
    for i in range(len(avg)-1):
        ree += avg[i+1]
    pd_class = class_list[int(np.argmax(ree))]
    print(pd_class)
    if (pre_class == "open"):
        new_motor.SetAngle([0, 0, 0, 0, 0])
        time.sleep(1)
    if (pre_class == "R"):
        new_motor.SetAngle([90, 90, 90, 90, 90])
        time.sleep(1)
    elif (pre_class == "close"):
        new_motor.SetAngle([180, 180, 180, 180, 180])
        time.sleep(1)
    elif (pre_class == "one"):
        new_motor.SetAngle([180, 180, 180, 0, 90])
        time.sleep(1)
    elif (pre_class == "two"):
        new_motor.SetAngle([180, 180, 0, 0, 90])
        time.sleep(1)
    elif (pre_class == "three"):
        new_motor.SetAngle([180, 0, 0, 0, 90])
        time.sleep(1)

    new_motor.cleanup()
    del avg[:]
```

```
del emgdata[:]
## print framerate of received data
times.append(time.time())
if len(times) > 20:
    #print((len(times) - 1) / (times[-1] - times[0]))
    times.pop(0)

m.add_emg_handler(proc_emg)
m.connect()

m.add_arm_handler(lambda arm, xdir: print('arm', arm, 'xdir', xdir))
#m.add_pose_handler(lambda p: print('pose', p))
```

Demo

