

ECE 476/676 - Homework #9

Acceleration, I2C, and NeoPixels - Due Wednesday, November 13th

HW9: Acceleration: How High Can You Jump?

- 1) (30 points): Write a Python program which measures how high can you jump using an accelerometer
 - Start a new test by pressing button GP15
 - Measure acceleration using a GY-521 accelerometer (or similar sensor)
 - Detect then duration that you're experiencing zero g's
 - From that time, compute distance you jumped
 - Display top three distances on the graphics display

- 2) (10 points): Add a NeoPixel to your design as a starter tree:
 - Press button GP15 to start a jump session
 - When pressed, the lights on the NeoPixel light up, one at a time
 - When all lights are lit, it's time to jump (data collection starts)

- 3) (10 points): Demo your program