

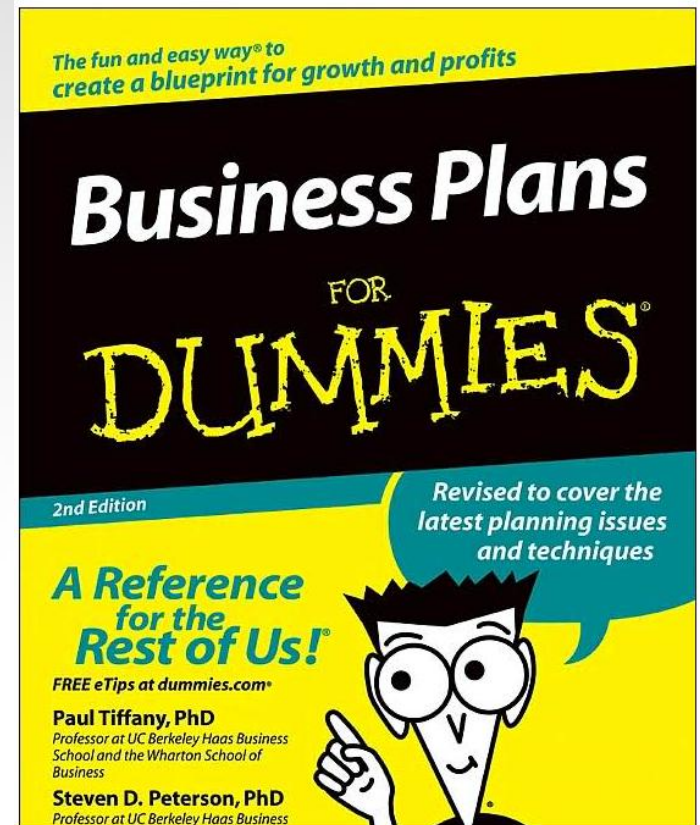



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Collaborative Design

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- 135 employees (41 dogs)
- Self-funded
- 50/50 global/domestic split
- Making it up as we go



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L6470 Stepper Driver Breakout

sku: BOB-10859 RoHS 


Description: STMicro's L6470 (a.k.a "dSPIN", bipolar stepper motor driver. It has built-in overcurrent detection, undervoltage detection, overtemperature detection, stall detection, a 5-bit ADC, and a switch input for either user jog control or as a hard stop function. If the microcontroller's software wasn't enough, it also features microstepping (microsteps per full step) and PWM drive voltage control.

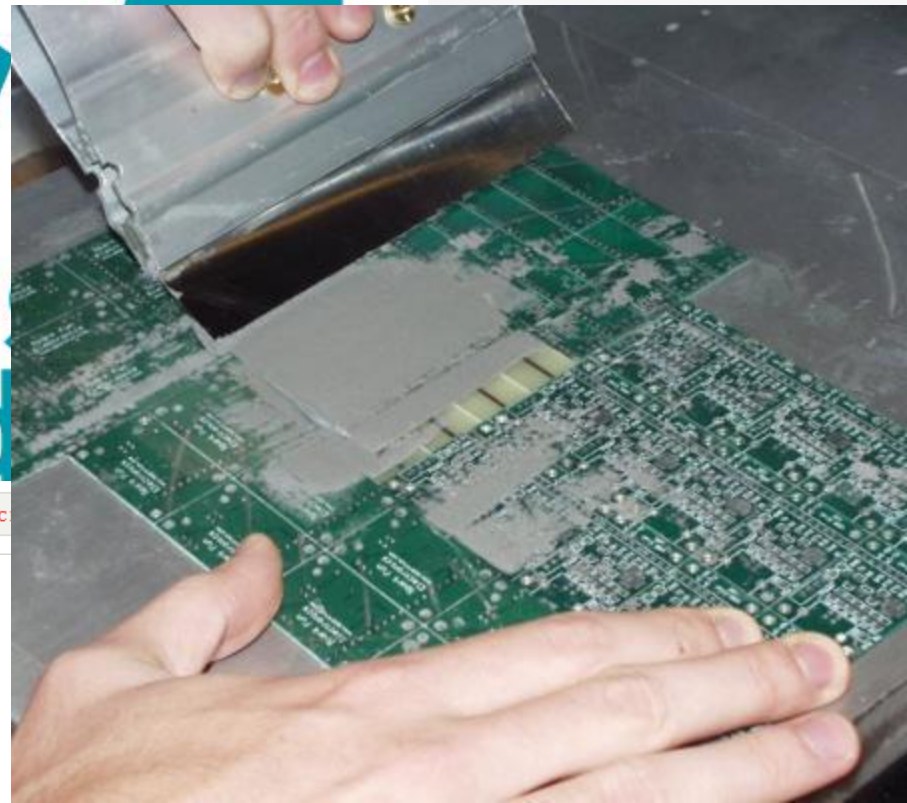
Unlike most stepper motor drivers, the dSPIN has an on-board SPI link. It has an on-board 16MHz oscillator and can autonomously execute movement commands. It also supports more counting steps in your code! It also supports microstepping, acceleration and deceleration profiles to prevent missed steps. On-board registers track current speed and position.

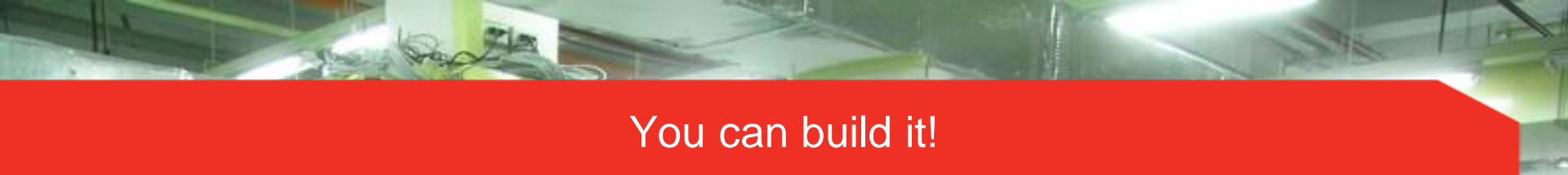
This L6470 Stepper Driver Breakout makes it easy to put the dSPIN to work in your project. Simply connect your motors and your SPI-capable microcontroller and get steppin'!



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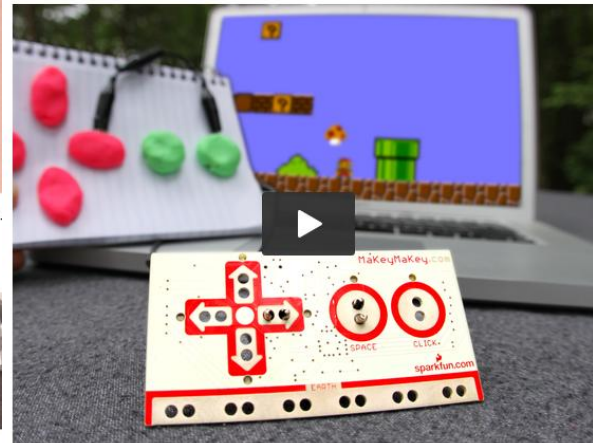
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LEAST \$25,000 IS PLEDGED BY TUESDAY JUN
12, 8:00PM EDT.

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\$1 MINIMUM PLEDGE

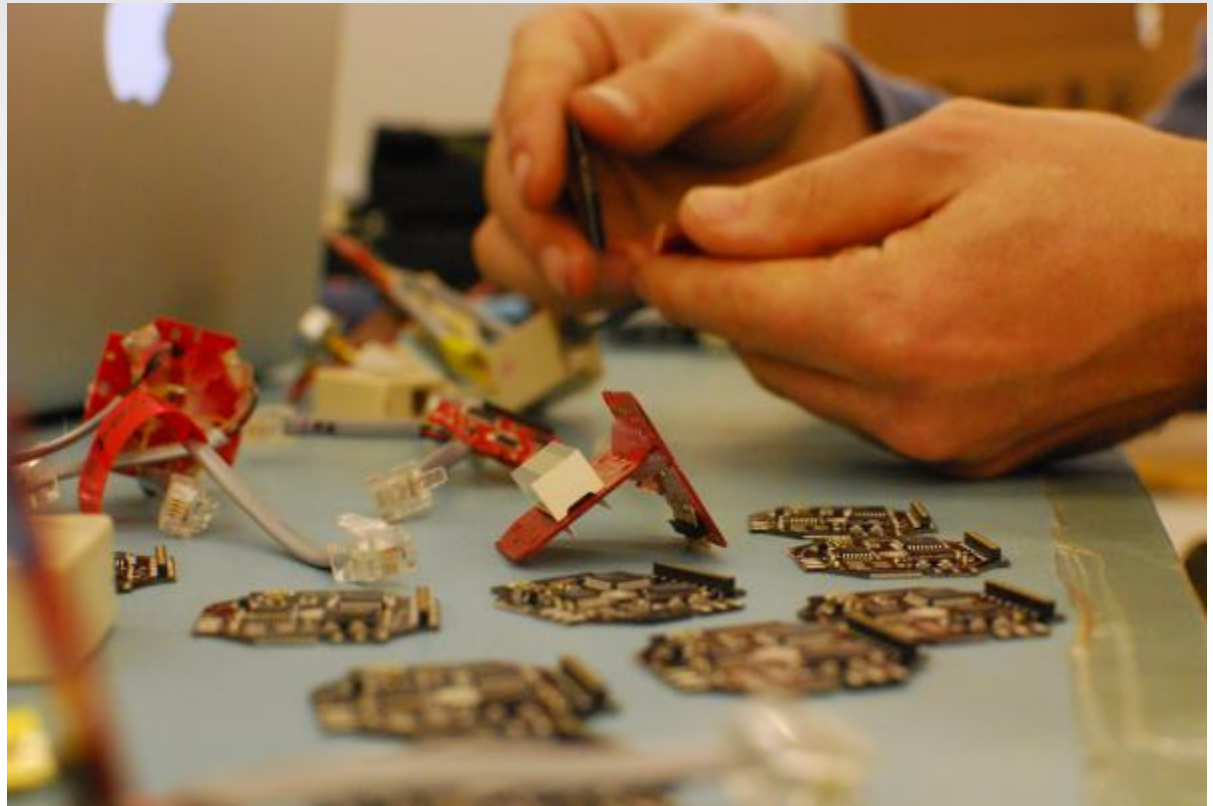


Three Outcomes



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Sell a few
Keep your day job
Make enough to
pay for more tools



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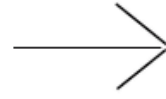
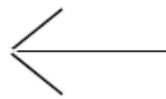
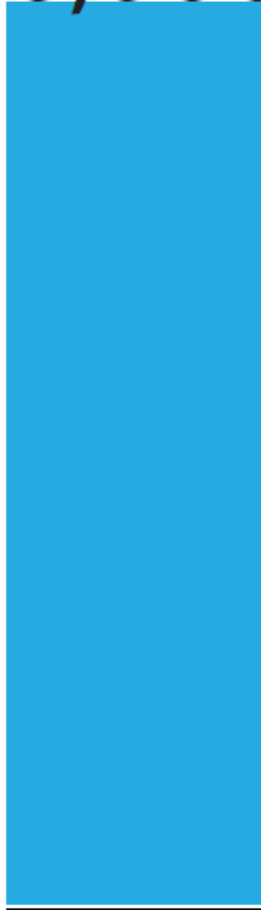
Can't quit. Must ship.



“This is what you'll get. It took us about 6 minutes to test/cal, screw, and kit this. We just have.... 150 to go...” (900 minutes = 15 hours)

Collaborate!

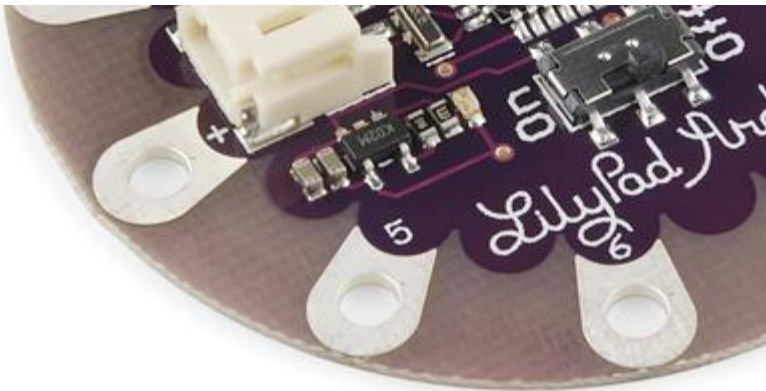
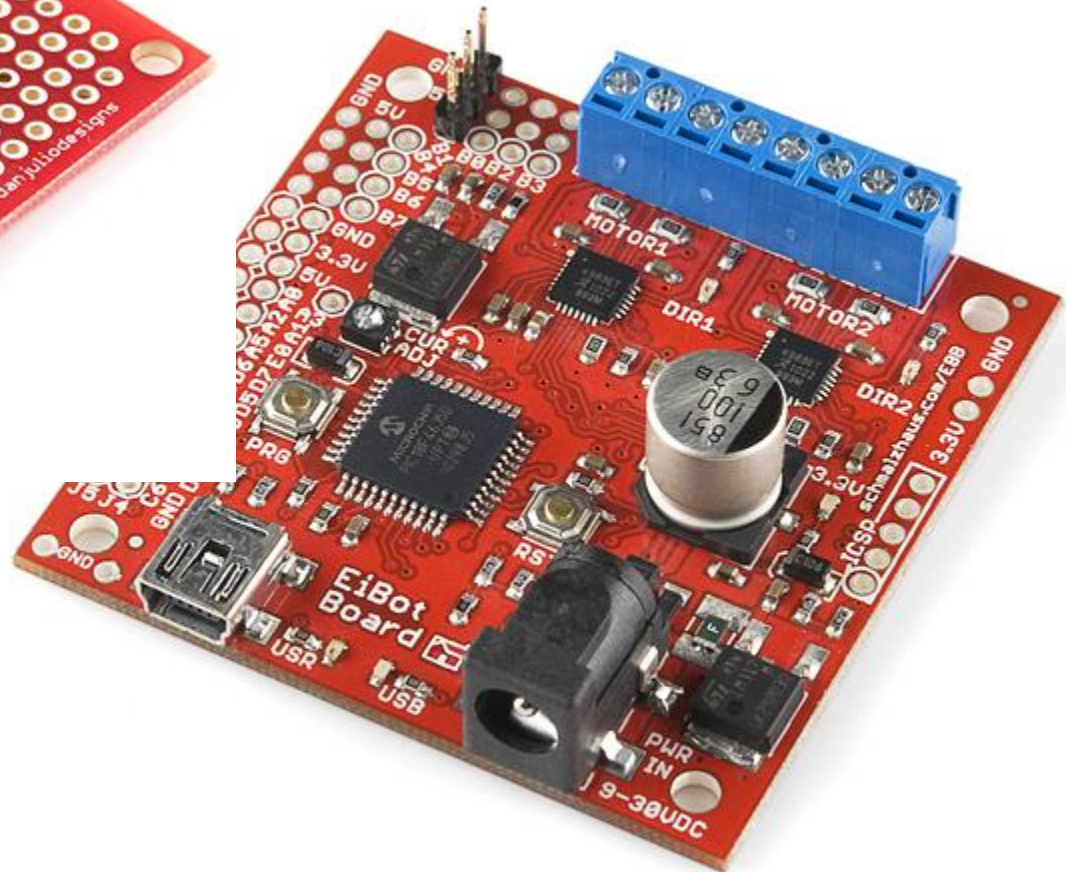
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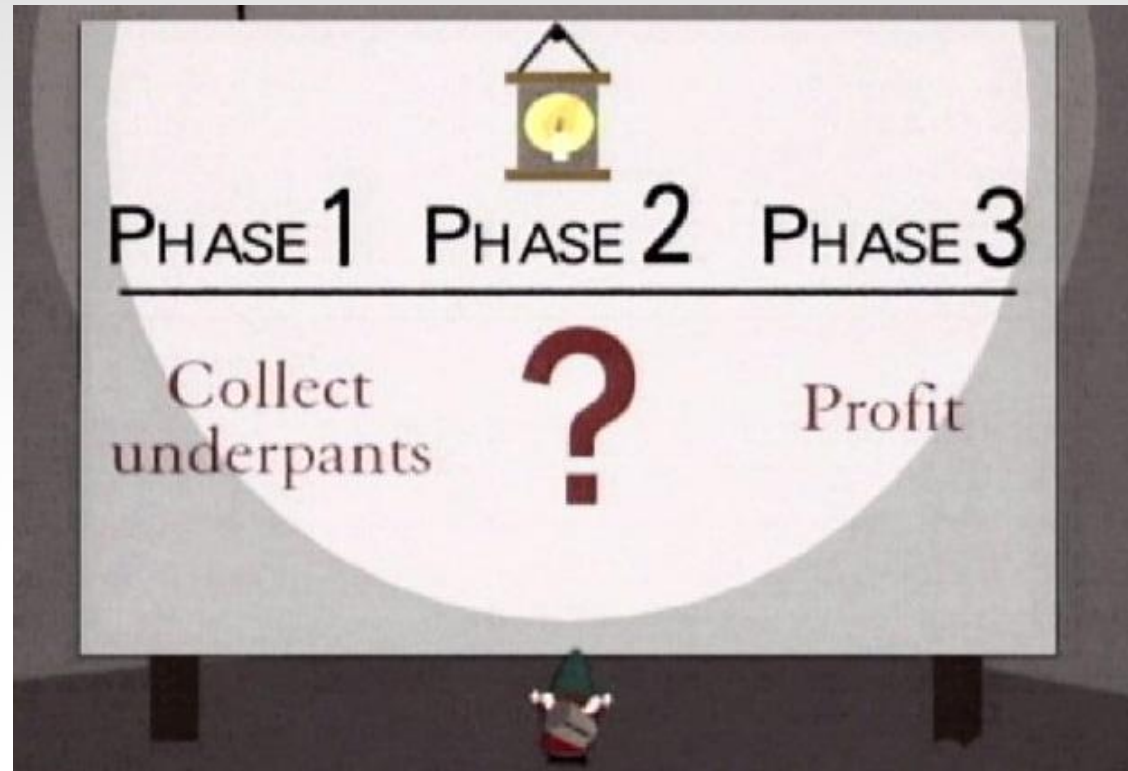


Collaborations Work



Some Collaborations Don't Work

- It's hard
- It doesn't always work out





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