



# Mars ASIS

Mars Operational Agricultural System for In-Situ Specialization

**X-Hab Academic Innovation Challenge 2014-2015**

**University of Colorado at Boulder**

## **System Reference Manual**

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## I. PROJECT CHARTER: X-HAB 2014/2015

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| <b>Project Name:</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | eXploration Habitat (X-Hab)                                                                          |
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| <b>Project Scope/Objectives:</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |                                                                                                      |
| <p>To enable a permanent human presence beyond Earth, a regenerative means of food production must be made available for long duration crewed space missions.</p> <p>The scope of X-Hab is to generate a conceptual design and develop a reduced-scale prototype for a pre-deployable Martian plant production system while identifying key science questions and related engineering challenges.</p> |                                                                                                      |

**Primary Objectives:**

1. Develop a conceptual design for a system capable of growing food-producing plants in an unmanned, self-controlled environment on the Martian surface.
2. Design, fabricate, and test a reduced-scale prototype to demonstrate system functionality.
3. Identify key science questions and engineering challenges related to plant growth on the Martian surface.

**Secondary Objectives:**

4. Demonstrate, with a prototype, the system's capability to support research-grade plant science studies in a closed environment.
5. Develop a design that is capable of supporting a variety of food-producing plants.

**Deliverables:**

1. Develop a conceptual design of a plant-production system that functions on the surface of Mars.
2. Develop and test a reduced-scale prototype of the conceptual design.
3. Publish a list of scientific questions and engineering challenges related to plant growth on the Martian surface.

**Ground Rules:**

1. Plants grown shall be food-producing.
2. System shall be capable of being operated and maintained in extreme environments (i.e. Martian surface).
3. System shall have a small stowage volume and mass.
4. System shall be deployable upon delivery (i.e. operable upon delivery).
5. System shall be pre-deployable (i.e. arrive prior to human arrival).
6. System shall use pre-planted media or growing system.
7. System shall have a priming volume of water and required gases.
8. System should have a closed water loop.
9. System should be able to harvest and store O<sub>2</sub> generated from plants.
10. System prototype shall be built and tested prior to May 2, 2015.

**Assumptions and Constraints:**

1. The system design will not include the method of delivery (i.e. deployment) to the Martian surface.

*Rationale: Given schedule constraints, delivery system planning has been determined to be outside of this project's scope.*

2. The system should operate independently of other spacecraft or systems.

*Rationale: Without knowledge of the delivery system to the Martian system, we should not assume availability of power or other spacecraft subsystems to support the system.*

3. The system will be launched and delivered to the Martian surface using existing or planned transportation vehicles.

*Source: X-Hab 2014 Proposal*

4. The payload volume shall not exceed 20" x 17" x 30".



5. The system will be designed to grow Outredgeous lettuce.

*Rationale: Leafy lettuce requires minimal to no maintenance and has high nutritional content per volume. Outredgeous lettuce has a short growth cycle allowing prototype demonstration within schedule constraints, and allows "cut and come" harvesting. Also, this lettuce has been previously grown in space, providing baseline data for comparison.*

6. The system's design will support plant growth from germination to, but not through, harvest.

*Rationale: Given schedule constraints, harvest and re-planting have been determined to be beyond this project's scope. It is assumed that a human crew will arrive after system deployment to harvest manually.*

**Project Completion Date:** 05/15/2015

**Budget:** \$

**Important Deadlines (Tentative, *Not Actuals*):**

1. Systems Design Review (CU) – Sept 23, 2014
2. Systems Design Review (NASA) – Sept 30, 2014
3. Preliminary Design Review (CU) – Oct 28, 2014
4. Preliminary Design Review (NASA) – Nov 12, 2014
5. Critical Design Review (CU) – Dec 11, 2014
6. Critical Design Review (NASA) – Jan 14, 2015
7. Progress Checkpoint Review – Mar 11, 2015
8. Class Completion – May 2, 2015

**Resources:**

- Bioastronautics Lab
- LifeLAB AETHER Atmosphere Rig
- LifeLAB RALPHEE/JANA Thermal Vacuum Chambers
- Heritage hardware and software
- Infinite Harvest consulting

**Communication Plan:**

1. Weekly Meetings from 3-5 pm Tues/Thurs
2. Weekly subsystem meetings as required
3. Internal communication via email and phone contact, 24 hour mandatory response
4. Document sharing and storage via Google Drive accessible to all team members

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## II. PROJECT AND SYSTEM OVERVIEW

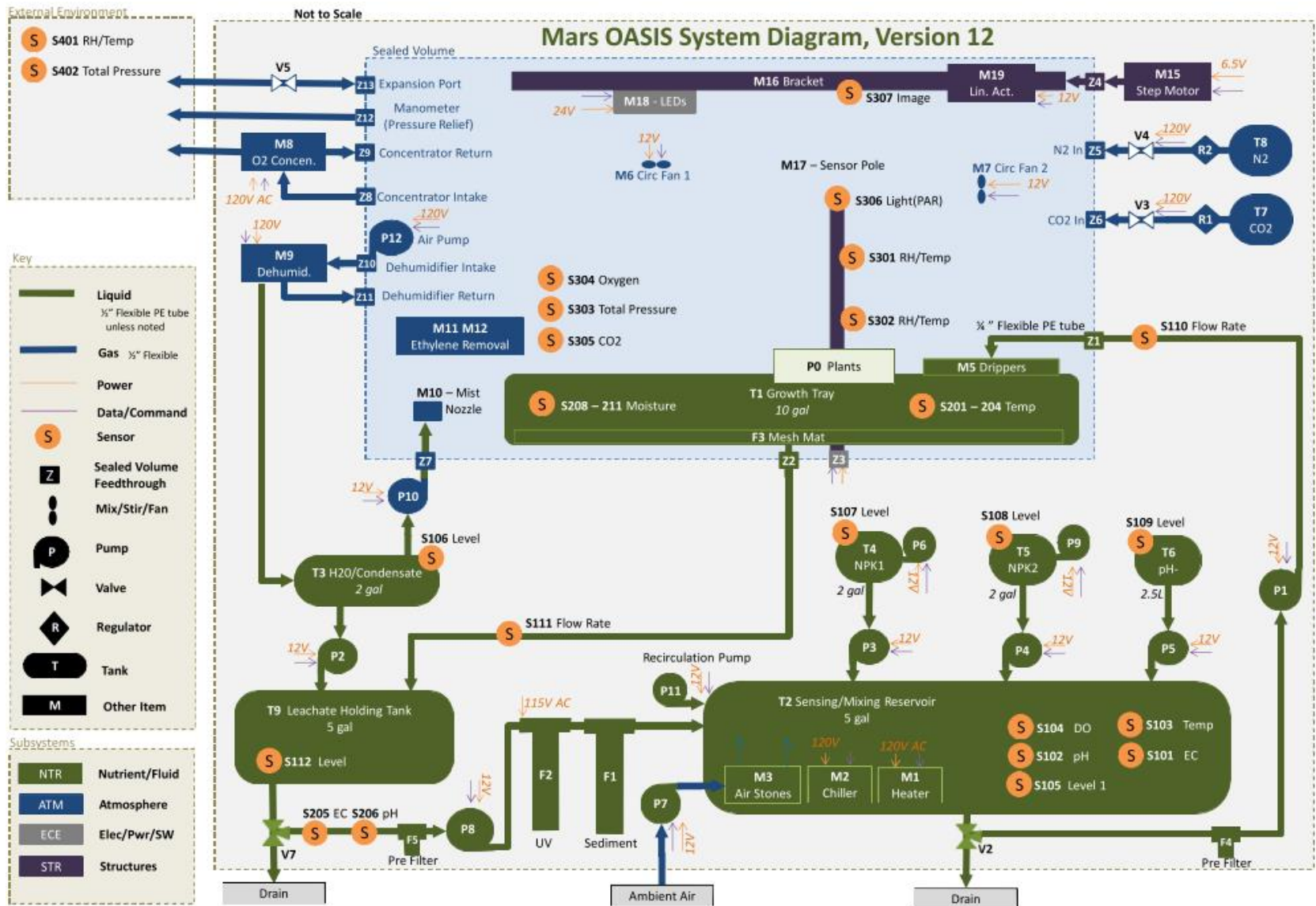
The 2015 paper submitted for the International Conference on Environmental Systems (ICES) provides an in-depth review of both the MarsOASIS concept and prototype designs. Paper publication is pending review and final edits, and is attached to this manual (Appendix A).

MarsOASIS: A Predeployable Miniature Martian Greenhouse for Crop Production Research, 45<sup>th</sup> *International Conference on Environmental Systems*, 12-16 July 2015.

### **Abstract:**

In order to enable long term habitation on planetary surfaces, a means of sustainable food production must be developed. Addressing this need for surface habitats on Mars, the MarsOASIS team has developed a concept for a Martian surface greenhouse for unmanned crop production research as a proof of concept for larger scale food production facilities for manned surface missions. Utilizing in-situ resources such as the Martian atmosphere, sunlight, and UV-C radiation, the greenhouse aims to provide a sustainable method of long-term food production requiring minimal consumable resources. The MarsOASIS system is capable of growing a full life cycle of Outredgeous lettuce with its autonomous control system designed for a unmanned environment, only requiring teleoperation in extreme circumstances. A reduced-scope prototype of MarsOASIS is being developed to test technologies such as a natural/artificial hybrid lighting system, a closed water recycling system, remote teleoperation, and fully autonomous monitoring and control of the greenhouse. The prototype is currently in the final stages of design, with a full demonstration of plant life cycle testing set to occur in summer 2015. Results from this prototype demonstration will help quantify the feasibility of the innovative approaches seen in the MarsOASIS design.

### III. SYSTEM PLUMBING AND INTERFACE DIAGRAM



## IV. SYSTEM OPERATION

### A. Structures

The purpose of the structures subsystem is to support and integrate other subsystems into a single, functional mechanical design. Additionally, the structures subsystem provides a mobile bracket which supports a camera and LED lighting system.

The structural design is composed entirely of 80/20 and encloses all other subsystems with room for plumbing and wiring. An acrylic dome, purchased from Replex Plastics, is used as the upper boundary of the growth volume. The growth volume is sealed from the rest of the system, and feed throughs are used to provide external subsystem components access to the sealed growth volume for plumbing and electronics purposes. The LED and camera-mounted bracket spans the entire growth bed and provides lighting and imaging capabilities at all angles by rotating 180° over the growth bed. Originally, the bracket was designed to be servo driven with two static cameras mounted to it; however, for higher fidelity, the design was updated so that a single camera moves along the length of the bracket (20+) in addition to the 180° rotation provided by the bracket. The servo was swapped for a motor that will provide torque through a gear assembly.

*Component Operation:* The toggle clamps surrounding the surface structure can be opened and closed to install or remove the dome. There are four aluminum plates that should be placed on top of the flange prior to closing the toggle clamps, to ensure a tighter seal in the growth volume. The bracket may be rotated by operating the servo motor driver through the Beaglebone interface.

*Performance Specifications:* The structure sits on eight casters, each capable of supporting 125lbs. The system can therefore be rolled through a 6 foot doorway with ease. The stepper motor has 1200 oz-in of torque and a step angle accuracy of ±5% (Full Step, No Load). It can withstand a maximum radial force of 49.5 lbs (0.79+from flange) and a maximum axial force of 13.5 lbs.

*Safety or Handling Precautions:* The acrylic dome must be handled with care to avoid cracking. The bracket should not be rotated past 90 degrees in its current configuration until it can be made more rigid.

### B. Supplemental Lighting

*Component Operation:* The white supplemental LEDs are mounted to the underside of the camera bracket, therefore allowing LED light to reach all sides of the growing bed via the 180° rotation of the camera bracket. The Outdoor UltraBright<sup>™</sup> (IP65) Architectural Series Bright White LED Strip Lights, are from Flexfire. They come in a 16 foot reel, are ½+wide, are weatherproof, and can be cut in 2+long segments. Approximately 6 strips have been mounted on the underside of the bracket, totaling approximately 15 feet. The strips are wired together as one in daisy-chain fashion. To plug them in they require one 24V power source and one ground. The lights can be operated at full constant power, or can be

dimmed through pulse width modulation. Currently a single PWM driver is mounted on an aluminum plate that is mounted on the system electronics shelf. This driver is connected to the LED power input. The driver has not yet been connected or controlled from the Beagle bone, but can be operated manually with a signal generator. To do this, connect a signal generator to the green control signal wire from the driver. The lights can then be dimmed by controlling the signal pulse width.

*Performance Specifications:* The 16 foot reel of Flexfire UltraBright Architectural Series weatherproof LEDs contain 700 individual LED chips, providing a total of 8,510 Lumens (519 lumens per foot), and requiring 84 Watts power at a maximum of 3.5 amps. The color temperature is 6000-6500k, and the beam angle covers 120 degrees. The LEDs should be kept at temperatures less than 86 °. Initial calculations show that the lumens provided by 15 feet of UltraBright bracket mounted LEDs will be sufficient to provide the maximum required output (for Outrageous Lettuce) is 150-450  $\mu\text{mol}/\text{m}^2\text{s}$  PAR. However, further characterization of the PAR output, as installed is needed.

*Safety or Handling Precautions:* The individual 6 strips are attached by Flexfire connectors that are quite fragile. They have been temporarily glued to ensure they remain fixed. When operated at full capacity, the LEDs will be *quite* bright. Though they are not advertised as hazardous, caution should be taken nonetheless not to stare directly at them.

Other safety precautions from the manufacturer include:

- *Do not mechanically press the strip and its components*
- *Ensure correct polarity when connecting power*

*Maintenance Instructions:* The strips are rated for 50,000 hours of use before they will dim to 70% of its original brightness. It is possible that the strips may need to be wiped down during maintenance periods, due to the condensation that will likely collect on their surface.

## C. Atmospheric Management

### Oxygen Removal

*Component Operation:* The Invacare Oxygen Concentrator is powered with 120VAC. The wires have been stripped, leaving copper wires exposed, and can be attached to the 120VAC power supply and relay. The oxygen concentrator can be turned on via a switch on the front of the unit. The flow rate is controlled via a flowmeter dial on the front of the unit.

*Performance Specifications:* Concentrator can exhaust oxygen between 0.5 - 5 L/min, at a concentration of 93%. Nearly pure nitrogen is exhausted back into the sealed growth volume.

*Safety or Handling Precautions:* Concentrator exhausts back into the growth volume. Ensure that the manometer is calibrated such that growth chamber is not over pressurized. Also, there is an exposed compressor fan that spins when the unit is turned on. Avoid contact with the fan blades.

*Maintenance Instructions:* Concentrator has an operating life of 5 years. The compressor does not have a life expectancy. It is recommended that the oxygen concentrator oxygen output percentage is measured every year in order to monitor saturation of the molecular sieve beds.

*Potential Failure Modes and Troubleshooting Tips:* If concentrator fails to remove oxygen, or removes oxygen at a concentration much lower than 93%, the molecular sieve beds could be saturated and need replacing. If expected flow rates are not achievable, compressor could need inspection and maintenance.

## **CO<sub>2</sub>/ N<sub>2</sub> provision**

*Component Operation:* Regulators should remain closed when the gas provision is not needed. Open the regulator (black knob) to allow gas to flow. Solenoids are actuated via 120VAC and do not require pressure assist to open.

*Performance Specifications:* Regulator should be set to lowest setting, giving an output pressure of 0-50 psi. Output will be >99% CO<sub>2</sub>/ N<sub>2</sub>.

*Safety or Handling Precautions:* Exercise caution when working with 120VAC components. Polarity is not a factor for the hot wires of the power lines.

*Maintenance Instructions:* View regulator pressure gauge in order to monitor N<sub>2</sub> and CO<sub>2</sub> levels. N<sub>2</sub> should be near 1600 psi when full and CO<sub>2</sub> should be near 700 psi when full. Refill as needed for testing purposes.

*Potential Failure Modes and Troubleshooting Tips:* If solenoids do not actuate, check power connection. If gas is not released from tanks, check tank levels and make sure regulators are open. Ensure that all tubing connections have tight hose clamps securely installed.

## **Air Circulation**

*Component Operation:* Cooler Guy Blade Master 92 computer fans are powered with 12VDC.

*Performance Specifications:* Fans operate at a flow rate of 800 - 2800 RPM/ 15.7 - 54.8 CFM.

*Safety or Handling Precautions:* Ensure that DC (12VDC) voltage is being supplied instead of 120VAC. Check direction of fans (arrows on the side of the housing indicate flow direction).

*Maintenance Instructions:* Fans have long life time. Clean any dust as needed.

*Potential Failure Modes and Troubleshooting Tips:* If fans do not operate, make sure connections are all correct. Hermetically seal electronics.

## **Humidity Control**

*Component Operation:* Pump P10 for fogging nozzle is powered via 12VDC. Dehumidifier is powered via 9VDC (supplied with included converter). Both components have power switches located on the side of their housings.

*Performance Specifications:* Pump P10 has an output pressure of ~40 psi and a flow rate of 9 mL/s through the fogging nozzle. Water can condense from the dehumidifier at a rate of 250 mL/day.

*Safety or Handling Precautions:* Ensure that 9VDC (not 120VAC) is supplied to dehumidifier. Handle condensate output line from dehumidifier with care; connection is



fragile and should be kept in a vertical position so that condensation does not built up on the inner surface of the tube.

*Maintenance Instructions:* Operating lifetimes not specified. Fogging nozzle should not have a lifetime. Clean out pre-filter for P10 regularly to ensure particulates do not enter pump lines.

*Potential Failure Modes and Troubleshooting Tips:* If water does not exit the dehumidifier, make sure the connection between the unit and the condensate tank is secure. Regularly check the pre-filter before P10 for particulate build up. If fogging nozzle is dripping, check hose clamps and connection to nozzle.

### **Trace Contaminant Control**

*Component Operation:* BluApple sorbers do not require power.

*Performance Specifications:* N/A

*Safety or Handling Precautions:* Avoid inhalation, ingestion, and contact with sodium permanganate within BluApples.

*Maintenance Instructions:* Sodium permanganate packets should be replaced every three months.

*Potential Failure Modes and Troubleshooting Tips:* If vegetation within system appears to be ripening prematurely, sodium permanganate packets may be saturated and need to be replaced.

## **D. Nutrient and Water Delivery**

*General Operation:* Liquid conditioning begins in the mixing tank (T1) where nutrients are added (from T4 and T5 via P3 and P4) to the water. The water is enriched with dissolved oxygen by an air stone bubbling unit (P7) and further conditioned to the optimal pH value (from T6 via P5). The conditioned water is then pumped (P1) to the growth bed (T1) containing the plants (P0) and soilless substrate via pressure compensated drippers (M5). Most of the water is drained (gravity) into a collection tank labeled leachate (T9). Some of the water is taken up by the plant and either remains there or is released into the atmosphere during evapotranspiration, at which point the atmospheric system condenses it into liquid form, deposits it (gravity) into the condensate tank (T3), and finally into (P2) the leachate tank (T9). From the leachate tank (T9), the liquid is sent through (P8) a 1 micron filtration unit (F1), followed by a UV filter (F2) which acts as a biocide against microbial contaminants. Finally, the filtered liquid is recycled back into the mixing tank to begin the process again. A full cycle occurs on the order of once or twice per day, depending on the maturity of the plant and environmental conditions.

*Main Pumps and Pre-Filters:* The main pumps (P1, P8, and P2) are 12VDC 1GPM 40PSI and pump about 45ml/sec. Simply connect a power supply and flip switch to turn on. It is imperative that debris of any kind does not enter into the pump. To prevent this, a strainer-style prefilter is included in-line prior to each pump. To clean: unscrew the clear plastic cover to release the strainer, wash it, and replace the cover. Do not take apart the pumps. The screws are tightened to a specific (but undocumented) torque which affects the operation of the pump. These pumps will run dry and they are self-priming.

*Dosing Pumps:* The dosing pumps (P3, P4, P5) are 12VDC peristaltic pumps and pump about 1ml/sec. Once a voltage is applied, the pump runs, there is no on/off switch. These pumps will run dry and are self-priming.

*Recirculating Pumps:* The recirculating pumps (P11, P6, P9) are 12VDC and pump about 25ml/sec. Once a voltage is applied, the pump runs, there is no on/off switch. These pumps will not run dry and not are self-priming.

*Air Pump:* The 12VDC air pump (P7) is used to oxygenate water in the main tank (T1) and provide agitation of the liquid. It pulls in ambient air and outputs it to two air lines which should be fitted with air stones (M3) to provide small bubbles. Once a voltage is applied to the pump, air begins to flow. There is no on/off switch.

*Heater, Chiller, UV:* The heater (M1), Chiller (M2), and UV filter (F2) are 120V AC power. The heater and chiller are installed in the main tank with a screw-operated feedthrough such that only the heating element is submerged and the wiring remains outside the tank. Use caution with the heater especially, the wiring is exposed and should never be plugged in unless the wiring is sealed. Once power is given, the devices turn on. There is no on/off switch.

*Main Sediment Filter:* The main sediment filter (F1) is simply a blue housing which unscrews to reveal a replaceable filter cylinder. Make sure the unit is sealed tightly before flowing water through or it will leak.

*Drain Valves:* The system has two drain valves (V2, V7) and an open hole in the bottom of the growth bed (Z2). The valves have 3 settings: on/off/drain. In the on position, water will be routed through the system; in the drain position, water will spill out (use a bucket); in the off position, water will not pass through the valve. V7 drains the leachate tank. V2 drains the main tank. Z2 empties into the leachate tank.

*Drippers:* When water is pumped from the main tank (T2) into the growth tray (T1) via P1, it passes through a ring of tubing studded with pressure compensated drippers (M5), this ensures even flow and uniform saturation of the growth medium. The pump will rapidly turn itself on and off to compensate for the pressure limit, this is normal.

*Mesh Mat and Drain Cover:* The mesh mat (F3) sits at the bottom of the growth bed and prevents sediment from entering the lines through the drain. The drain is covered by a stainless steel strainer which itself is covered by a smaller mesh. Both should be cleaned after each usage. The drain cover is non-removable (affixed with epoxy).

*Growth Media:* The primary growth medium substrate (~70%) is made from coco coir (CocoLoco brand). This retains water in the root zone and buffers against quick or dramatic changes in liquid composition and temperate. Small rocks (Turface brand) are mixed with the substrate (~20%) to ensure drainage and water flow. The top layer of the mixture (~10%) is seed starting mix that facilitates successful germination.



## E. Data Processing for Sensors

**Making Python Files on Beaglebone Black microcontrollers:**

**Accessing Python Files on Beaglebone Black microcontrollers:**

## Sensor Functions Index:

*File Name:* ec\_cal\_0.py

*Function:* ec\_caldry()

*Description:* Used to clear the calibration and perform dry calibration of the Electrical Conductivity Probe.

*File Name:* ec\_cal\_1.py

*Function:* ec\_callow()

*Description:* Used to get calibration information and perform low point calibration of the Electrical Conductivity Probe

*File Name:* ec\_cal\_2.py

*Function:* ec\_calhigh()

*Description:* Used to get calibration information and perform high point calibration of the Electrical Conductivity Probe

*File Name:* ec\_read\_func.py

*Function:* ec\_read(slave\_add)

*Description:* Used to read electrical conductivity value of the solution using the EC probe.

*File Name:* ph\_cal.py

*Function:* ph\_cal()

*Description:* Used to get the calibration information and perform low point,high point and mid point calibration of the pH probe.

*File Name:* ph\_read\_func.py

*Function:* ph\_read(slave\_add)

*Description:* Used to read pH value of the solution using the pH probe.

*File Name:* do\_cal.py

*Function:* do\_cal()

*Description:* Used to get the calibration information and perform single point calibration of the Dissolved Oxygen probe.

*File Name:* do\_read\_func.py

*Function:* do\_read(slave\_add)

*Description:* Used to read DO value of the solution using the DO probe.

*File Name:* CO2.py

*Function:* CO2()

*Description:* Used to read the percentage of CO2 present in the greenhouse.

*File Name:* O2.py

*Function:* O2\_sensor(PORT\_ID)

*Description:* Used to read the percentage of O2 present in the greenhouse.

*File Name:* flow\_meter.py

*Function:* flow\_meter()

*Description:* Used to read the value of Turboflow of the water flow.

*File Name:* moisture.py

*Function:* moisture\_read(ADC\_CHANNEL)

*Description:* Used to read the value of volumetric weight content of soil.

*File Name:* par.py

*Function:* par()

*Description:* Used to read the value of Photosynthetic Photon Flux Density present in the greenhouse.

*File Name:* liquid\_level.py

*Function:* liquid\_level()

*Description:* Used to read the liquid level

*File Name:* Stepper.py

*Function:* Init()

*Description:* Used to initialise the direction,step and limit for the stepper motor.

## **Camera Operation:**

### *Connecting the camera to the BeagleBone Black:*

1. Power the beaglebone black with the 5V DC power supply (this is important, the beaglebone alone cannot provide the necessary current)
2. Insert the USB camera into the USB port of the board
3. ssh into the board
4. Check to see if the camera is available. Check the contents of the /dev folder, The camera should appear as video0.
5. Run the following camera.py script to capture an image. The script will store the image as image1.jpeg+
6. Transfer the image

*Code for camera.py:*

## **Carbon Dioxide Sensor Operation:**

### *Connecting the CO2 sensor to the Beaglebone Black:*

1. Connect pin P8\_24 (TX) to the RX pin on the main terminal UART of the sensor
2. Connect P8\_26 (RX) to the TX pin on the main terminal UART of the sensor
3. Provide voltage 5V to the G+ on main terminal
4. Give common ground to both the beaglebone and the sensor
5. Connect the jumper
6. Run the serialc02.py script

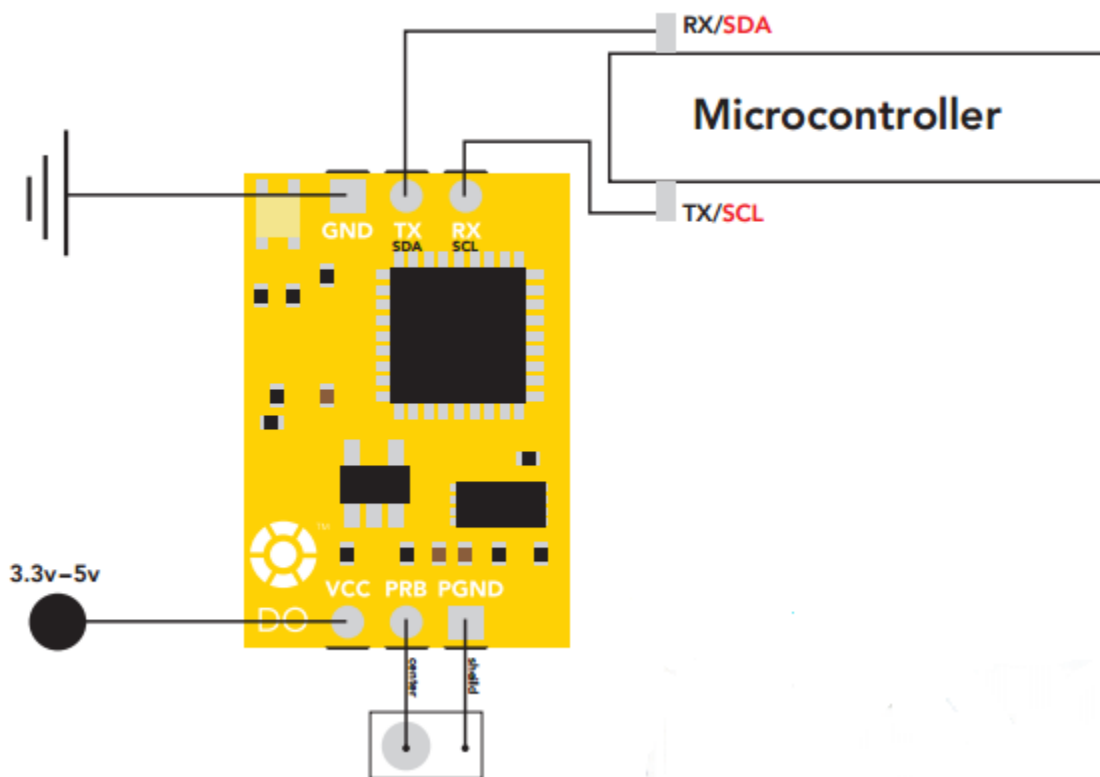
*Code for serialc02.py:*

## Dissolved Oxygen Sensor Operation

Using the Atlas Scientific Dissolved Oxygen sensor with the Beaglebone Black:

1. Operate the DO sensor in I2C mode by shorting the Probe gnd and the Tx pin. It is indicated by a glowing blue led on the circuit.
2. Connect the Tx of the circuit to the SDA of the beagle bone black. Connect the Rx to the SCL.
3. Provide pull up voltage for SDA and SCL of by using resistance of ~4.5k ohms.
4. Provide an operating voltage of 5V to the circuit. Provide a common ground to the circuit and the BBB.
5. Connect the BNC connector which is connected to the EC probe.
6. Run the python script.

Supporting Circuitry:



Code for `do_cal.py` (calibrating the sensor):

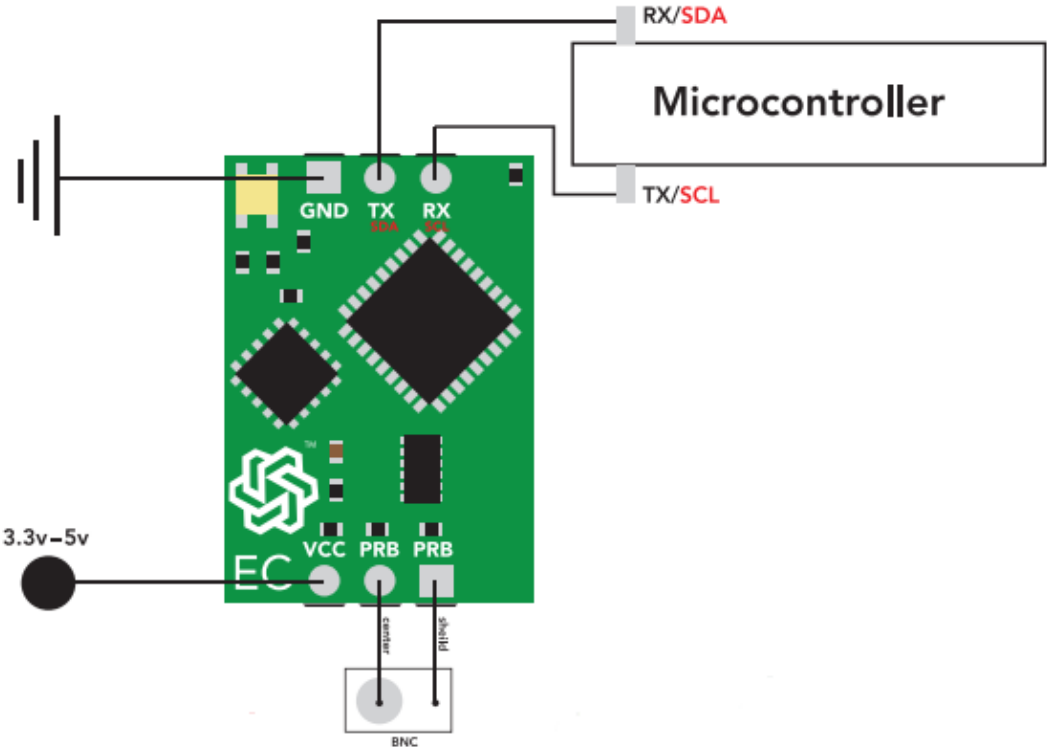
*Code for do\_read\_func.py (reading values):*

### **Electrical Conductivity Sensor Operation**

*Using the Atlas Scientific Electrical Conductivity sensor with the Beaglebone Black:*

1. Operate the EC sensor in I2C mode by shorting the Probe gnd and the Tx pin. It is indicated by a glowing blue led on the circuit.
2. Connect the Tx of the circuit to the SDA of the beagle bone black. Connect the Rx to the SCL.
3. Provide pull up voltage for SDA and SCL of by using resistance of ~4.5k ohms.
4. Provide an operating voltage of 5V to the circuit. Provide a common ground to the circuit and the BBB.
5. Connect the BNC connector which is connected to the EC probe.
6. Run the python script.

Supporting Circuitry:



Code for ec\_cal0.py:

*Code for ec\_read\_func.py:*

## **Flow Meter Operation**

*Code for flow.py:*

## **Liquid Level Sensor Operation**

*Supporting Circuitry:*

Voltage divider: 2x 200kOhm resistors.

*Code for liquid\_level.py:*

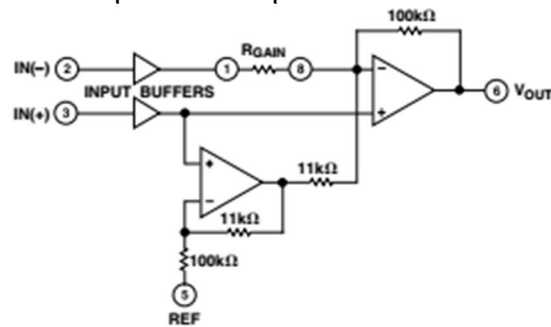
## **Moisture Sensor Operation**

*Code for moisture.py*



## Oxygen Sensor Operation

*Supporting Circuitry:* The oxygen sensor requires an AMP04 instrumentation amplifier. It's a single-supply instrumentation amplifier that operates over a 5V to 15V range.



Code for O2.py

## PAR Sensor Operation

MarsOASIS is using the Quantum SQ-200 Apogee Instruments PAR Sensor. The sensor requires an ADC interface with the BeagleBone Black. Radiation that causes photosynthesis is referred to as photosynthetically active radiation (PAR), which is also called photosynthetic photon flux (PPF) that is measured in units of micromoles per square meter per second. The radiation is found in the range of 400 to 700nm.

*Interface:* ADC

*Power Supply:* 5-24VDC

*Current Consumption:* 300microAmps

*Connections:*

- Green Wire: Positive (signal from the sensor)
- White Wire: Input Power
- Clear: Ground (for sensor signal and input power)

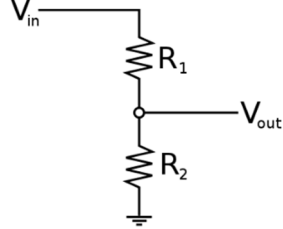
*Formula:*

$$\text{Calibration Factor } \left( \frac{0.5 \text{ micro-mol } m^{-2}s^{-1} \text{ per mV}}{0.5} \right) * \text{Sensor Output Signal (mV)} = \text{PPF (micro-mol } m^{-2}s^{-1})$$
$$\frac{0.5}{0.5} * 4000 = 2000$$

Full sunlight will return a PPF measurement of 2000 micro-mol  $m^{-2}s^{-1}$ , which should return an output signal of 4000 mV for an a sensor input voltage supply of 0 to 5V.

### Support Circuitry:

The sensor needs a voltage divider.



The output current needs to be less than 300microAmps and the input voltage will be 5V so  $I = V_{in}/(R_1 + R_2)$ . Setting  $I=300\text{microA}$  and  $V_{in}$  to 5V, we get  $R_1 + R_2 = 17\text{kOhms}$ . Rounding up to 20kOhms and knowing that the BeagleBone can only take ADC signals of 1.8V max.

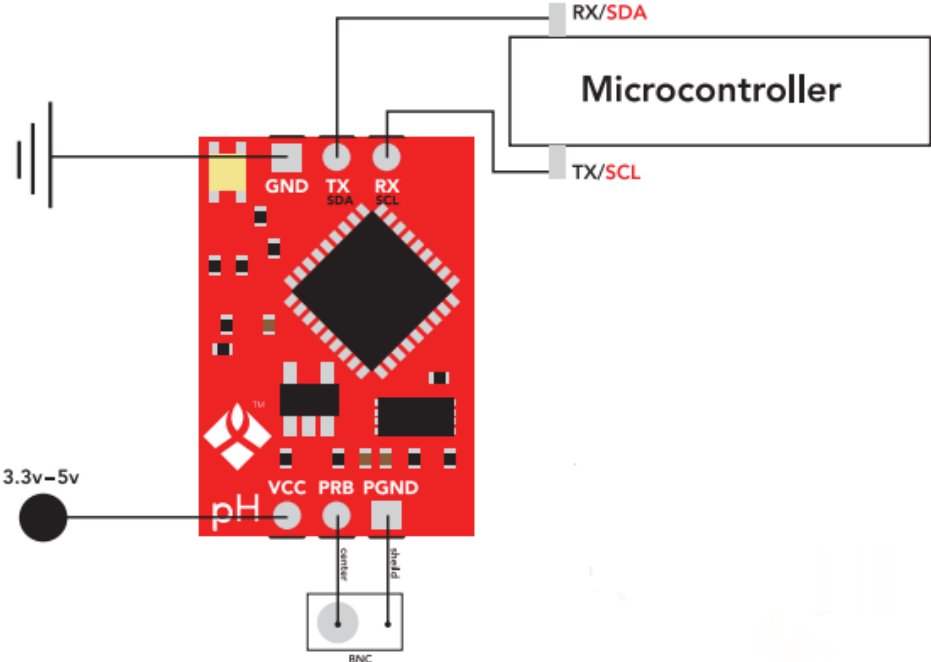
Code for *par.py*

## pH Sensor Operation

*Using the pH Atlas Scientific sensor with the Beaglebone Black microcontroller:*

1. Operate the pH sensor in I2C mode by shorting the Probe gnd and the Tx pin. It is indicated by a glowing blue led on the circuit.
2. Connect the Tx of the circuit to the SDA of the beagle bone black. Connect the Rx to the SCL.
3. Provide pull up voltage for SDA and SCL of by using resistance of ~4.5k ohms.
4. Provide an operating voltage of 5V to the circuit. Provide a common ground to the circuit and the BBB.
5. Connect the BNC connector which is connected to the EC probe.
6. Run the python script.

Supporting Circuitry:



Code for PAR Sensor:

## F. Control Logic

### *Operating Instructions:*

- Load BB1\_control.py to Beaglebone 1 and BB2\_control.py to Beaglebone 2.
- Download the zmq module on both the beaglebones.
- Download the Adafruit Beaglebone modules on both Beaglebones.
- Load global\_var and mech\_ctrl modules on both Beaglebones.
- Load the Sensor modules on both Beaglebones.
- Load the watering, mixing and VPD python modules in Beaglebone 1.
- Load gas composition and lighting pythonmodules in Beaglebone 2.
- Download cv2 module on Beaglebone 1 for camera control.
- Run the python script BB1\_control.py on Beaglebone 1.
- Run python script BB2\_control.py on Beaglebone 2.
- The control software is now operating.

## G. Power and Component Actuation

The power to all mechanical components are controlled using relays. With the exception of stepper motor all mechanical components connect to Sainsmart 8 channel relay board which works on 5V and provides eight SPDT relays on each board. The control signals for the relays are active low and connect to the Beaglebone black GPIO pins using a 5 to 3.3V bi directional level shifter. The [Beaglebone Connections map](#) contains detailed description

on how and where each component is connected on the relay board and their respective power supplies. The following python code configures the Beaglebone black GPIO pin as an output and toggles a relay. The code below makes an assumption that the pin has been configured as GPIO and no other resources like HDMI interface is accessing it. To run the below code first SSH into the Beaglebone and install the Adafruit BBIO GPIO library and python 2.7.

In the above code the variables `port_id` and `STATUS` will be set by the user. The `port_id` relates to the port on the beaglebone to which the relay control signal is connected to and the `STATUS` is set to `ON` if the user want to run on the relay and set to `OFF` if the user wants to turn the relay off.

## H. Graphical User Interface

The Graphical User Interface (GUI) is the platform which is the link between the system and the user. It gives a visual representation of the events in the system. Through the GUI you can monitor the plant growth via a visual representation of the plant growth parameters and live images of the plant, you can control the plant growth by feeding a change in optimal sensor range, sampling rate, etc. It also enables the ability to remotely initiate or pause the plant growth cycle. Some basic instructions for loading and accessing server and website files are included below. For more detail, see the attached *Continuity Documents*.

*Linux is the recommended platform for web development. The languages used for developing the front end are HTML, CSS, Javascript and jQuery. We chose a template and worked of it.*

All files related to the MarOASIS GUI can be found in the XHab 2014/2015 folder, under 03\_Electrical/Software→GUI.

Knowing Javascript and jQuery is really important. The following is a list of must watch tutorials:

<http://www.lynda.com/JavaScript-tutorials/JavaScript-Essential-Training/81266-2.html?srchtrk=index:1%0Alinktypeid:2%0Aq:javascript%0Apage:1%0As:relevance%0Asa:true%0Aproducttypeid:2>

<http://www.lynda.com/search?q=jquery&f=level%3a1%5eBeginner>

Also basic knowledge of Responsive Web Design, AJAX using jQuery and JSON using Javascript of jQuery is a must.

### Software:

1. Nginx- For setting up a localhost -<http://wiki.nginx.org/Install>
2. Mozilla Firefox- <https://www.mozilla.org/en-US/firefox/developer/>
3. Firebug (Works only for Firefox)- For debugging- <http://getfirebug.com/>

### Setup (For Linux):

#### 1) Nginx

Follow the instructions on <http://wiki.nginx.org/Install>

Using the following commands to start, stop, restart and check status

- `sudo service nginx start+ -- Start Nginx`
- `sudo service nginx stop+ -- Stop Nginx`
- `sudo service nginx status+ -- Check Nginx status`
- `sudo service nginx restart+ -- Restart Nginx`

#### 2) Host File Change

1. Change directory to `%etc+` ----- `%cd /etc+`
2. Open the `%hosts +file` ----- `%vim hosts+`
3. Insert the following(hit `iqto insert`) ----- `%i27.0.0.1 local.autoponics.com+`
4. Save it ----- `%ESC : wq+`

4) “ESC :wq” to save the file

- Your folder for storing all your files
- Default file

Now when you enter local.autoponics.com the browser pulls up the index.html file which resides at /home/anurag/xhab

Now for example if you enter local.autoponics.com/xyz/abc.html then it pulls up the abc.html file from /home/anurag/xhab/**xyz** folder.

## I. Simulated Lighting

*Component Operation:* The external Martian light is simulated using a customizable spectrum light fixture designed, built and provided by AcroOptics. This lighting system has not yet been used for the MarsOASIS system, and thus these instructions come straight from the AcroOptics materials found at the end of this section. The lighting system can be controlled/operated/setup through two interfaces: a computer GUI or a small LCD screen on the unit with buttons for navigation and to change settings. The MarsOASIS team has verified the functionality of the unit through the LCD screen.

The AcroOptics team has customized the CRAVE24 system firmware to include a timing scheme to incorporate the Martian day length of 24.67 hours rather than the standard 24 hour length. To use this mode, which may not be necessary in all cases, the user must go through the LCD screen on the unit rather than the computer GUI, and it eliminates some of the lighting customization seen in the Earth mode. Below are the steps to set up the unit in Mars mode and begin operation:

1. Set the date/time (this is the Earth date/time).
2. Set "day data" to give you the sun behavior that you want. This data is used for both the "Day" and "Mars" modes. Set the moon data to anything you want, it won't have an effect in Mars mode. Right now this means that you can't set the sunrise time to occur during the last 40 minutes of the (mars) day, hopefully that won't be an issue.
3. Setup the LCD to show "Mars Time", this will let you know the current Mars day number and time (0:00 - 24:40).
4. Set the operation mode to "Mars".

Once in Mars mode, the spectrum can be customized using percentages on the LCD screen on the unit. To get an idea of the spectrum you are creating, please use the [Output Spectrum Calculator](#) provided by AcroOptics, available in the X-Hab 2014-2015 folder, under 12\_Design Documents → AcroOptics.

*Performance Specifications:* The following performance specifications (provided courtesy of AcroOptics) outline all capabilities of the CRAVE24 system in the standard Earth Mode. However, for the Martian mode, customization must be done through the built in LCD screen which does not allow use of variance of spectrum/intensity over the course of the

test length, as the days are all of equal length and intensity. It may be desirable to use the system in Earth mode instead of Mars mode to gain customization but it will then be limited to 24 hours.

*Safety Concerns:* Since the CRAVE24 unit is Commercial Off-The-Shelf (COTS), nearly all safety issues and concerns have been addressed by AcroOptics, however there are a few things remaining to think about. The unit has built in temperature management with controlled fans and temperature sensors that shut the unit down if high temperatures are reached. Even with this feature, it is advantageous to operate the CRAVE24 unit in an environment where it can be surrounded by air to prevent high temperatures and potential damage to MarsOASIS and AcroOptics hardware. The second concern is the mass of the system. With the weight coming in near 35lbs, it is imperative to hang the lighting system in a safe manner with a large factor of safety so the unit is not dislodged and dropped where it could cause human injury and hardware damage to a very expensive system.

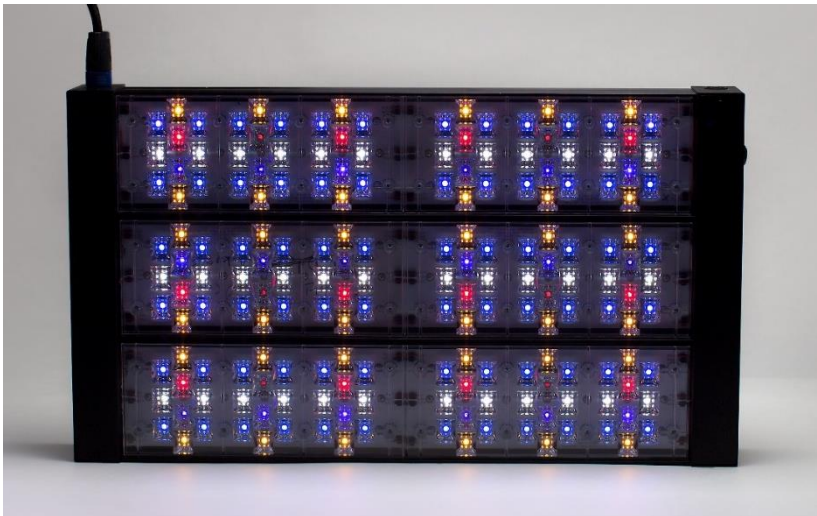




## CRAVE 24

The CRAVE 24 is a programmable, full-spectrum horticultural light for standard 5' x 5' grow spaces. Designed to optimize biomass and flowering, the fixture generates light peaks that correspond to the wavelength ranges for photosynthesis. Additionally, significant broad-spectrum coverage benefits both plant appearance and many other light-sensitive biological processes.

The accompanying software allows for custom grow cycles up to 500 days, with variable light output by day. It also makes configuring multiple fixtures to run identical or varying programs simple and fast. The fixture has two fully-tunable program cycles, which can be used either to mimic the sun and moon, or overlapped to shift the spectral power distribution over the course of the day.



It can be configured to operate in several different modes according to the user's desires, and to imitate the light characteristics required for the maintenance and propagation of all photosynthetic organisms.

The fixture requires far less energy and emits significantly less heat than metal halide or high-pressure sodium fixtures with the same output, reducing HVAC expenses and ensuring long fixture life.

## Functional Highlights:

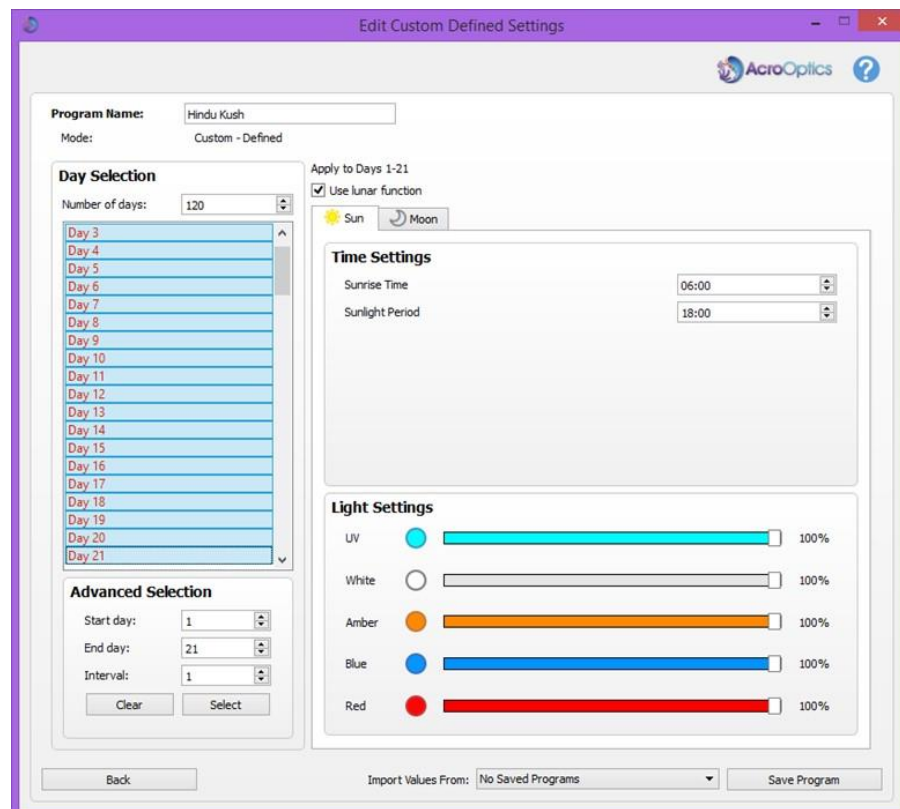
- **Fully Controllable:** The fixture can be programmed using a navigational menu and LCD display directly on the fixture, or via USB using free software downloaded from our website, simplifying the creation of even the most complex light routines. The fixture can also be accessed via optional WiFi feature
- **High-quality Optics:** TIR lens optics blend and focus the light where it is needed, minimizing spill-over/glare.
- **Very Large Array Design:** Ensures a uniform light distribution over the entire grow area – no hotspots or dead zones.

- **Flexibility:** Daisy-chaining the fixtures allows a grow space of any size or shape to be optimally illuminated: the programmability means plants don't need to be moved around for different stages of the grow cycle.
- **Durability:** the fixture housing is powder-coated steel and anodized aluminum, ensuring a long usable life with minimal maintenance. High quality components and exceptional design means your fixture will last for many years.
- **Longevity:** the design and power draw of the fixture means the light output will be within 90% of the first day it was turned on after 50,000 hours of use.
- **Low Lifetime Cost:** no bulbs to replace, up to 75% less electrical usage, 80% less heat output, and up to 50% less water consumed compared with HID means a lower lifetime cost.
- **Room to Grow:** updateable firmware ensures your fixtures can keep up with the latest software improvements.

## ***The CRAVE fixture – Advanced Lighting for Advanced Thinkers.***

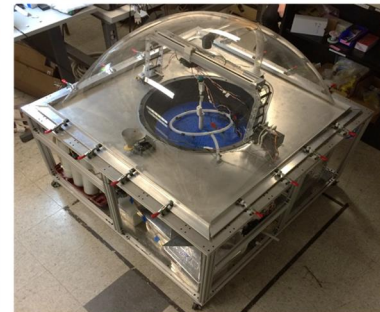
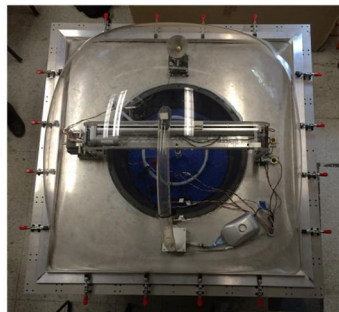
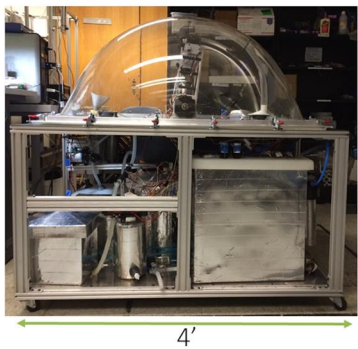
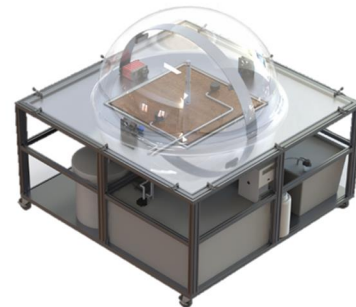
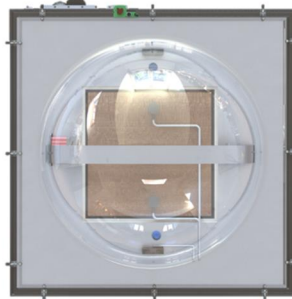
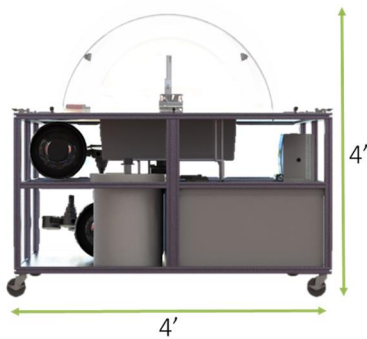
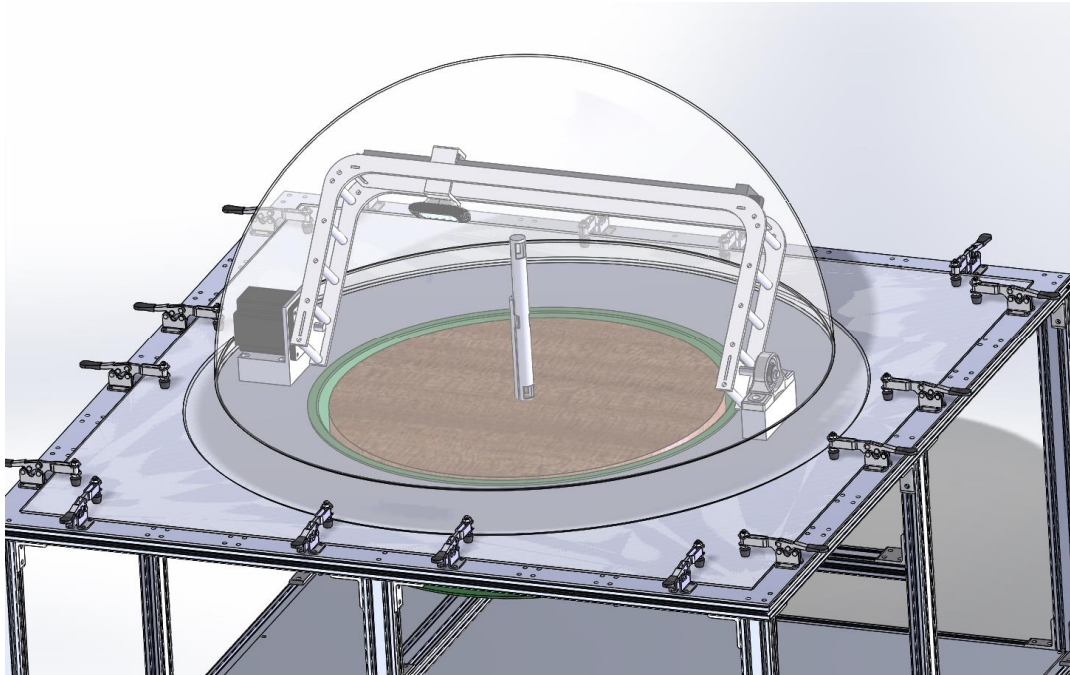
### User Interface

Settings can be made for individual days, multiple days simultaneously, or on a recurrent basis (e.g. every 30 days). Sun and Moon can be used to mimic solar/lunar cycles for a specific geographic region, or used to shift the color output over the course of a single day by overlapping the photoperiods. Solar/lunar schedules can be downloaded from our website by selecting the desired location from a globe.)



## V. MECHANICAL DRAWINGS

CAD models and drawings for the MarsOASIS concept and prototype can be found in the X-Hab 2014-2015 Folder under 01\_Sturcture→CAD. The full prototype assembly file is located in: 01\_Sturcture →CAD →Prototype CAD →Prototype CAD →Assem.SLDASM



## VI. MECHANICAL FEED-THROUGHS

| Sys ID | System | Function                                                      | Line OD  | Notes                                                                                   | Part Description                                                              | Hole Dia. (Inches) | Link                                                                                                                    |
|--------|--------|---------------------------------------------------------------|----------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Z1     | NTR    | Liquid - Conditioned water into growth area                   | 0.593    | <i>From main sensing reservoir to growth bed</i>                                        | Liquid Tight Straight Cord Grip 1/2 Trade Size, for 0.5"-0.6" Cord Diameter   | 1.1                | <a href="http://www.mcmaster.com/#8302k15/=vzsers">http://www.mcmaster.com/#8302k15/=vzsers</a>                         |
| Z2     | NTR    | Liquid - Plant leachate out of growth tray                    | 1/2" NPT | <i>From growth bed to leachate tank (Bottom of growth bed)</i>                          | Supplied by NTR team                                                          |                    |                                                                                                                         |
| Z3     | STR    | Hole for Sensor Pole                                          |          | <i>(Bottom of growth bed)</i>                                                           |                                                                               |                    |                                                                                                                         |
| Z4     | EESW   | Electronics feed through for motors and remaining instruments |          |                                                                                         |                                                                               |                    |                                                                                                                         |
| Z5     | ATM    | Air line for N2 - shared with CO2 line via wye barbed fitting | 1/4" NPT | <i>Place near CO2 line, both of which should be near (underneath) a circulation fan</i> | Liquid Tight Straight Cord Grip 1/2 Trade Size, for 0.38"-0.5" Cord Diameter  | 0.82               | <a href="http://www.mcmaster.com/#standard-cord-grips/=vzse9e">http://www.mcmaster.com/#standard-cord-grips/=vzse9e</a> |
| Z5     | ATM    | Air line for CO2 - shared with N2 line via wye barbed fitting | 1/4" NPT | <i>Place near N2 line, both of which should be near (underneath) a circulation fan</i>  | Liquid Tight Straight Cord Grip 1/2 Trade Size, for 0.38"-0.5" Cord Diameter  | 0.82               | <a href="http://www.mcmaster.com/#standard-cord-grips/=vzse9e">http://www.mcmaster.com/#standard-cord-grips/=vzse9e</a> |
| Z7     | ATM    | Water line for humidification                                 | 1/4" NPT | <i>From water supply - &gt; humidifier pump -&gt; misting nozzle</i>                    | Liquid Tight Straight Cord Grip 1/2 Trade Size, for 0.38"-0.5" Cord Diameter  | 0.82               | <a href="http://www.mcmaster.com/#standard-cord-grips/=vzse9e">http://www.mcmaster.com/#standard-cord-grips/=vzse9e</a> |
| Z8     | ATM    | Air line - oxygen concentrator intake                         | 1/2" NPT | <i>To fittings on oxygen concentrator</i>                                               | Liquid Tight Straight Cord Grip 3/4 Trade Size, for 0.63"-0.75" Cord Diameter |                    | <a href="http://www.mcmaster.com/#8302k19/=vzsg6g">http://www.mcmaster.com/#8302k19/=vzsg6g</a>                         |

|     |     |                                       |          |                                                             |                                                                              |       |                                                                                                                         |
|-----|-----|---------------------------------------|----------|-------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Z9  | ATM | Air line - oxygen concentrator return | 1/4" NPT | <i>Returns Nitrogen to chamber from oxygen concentrator</i> | Liquid Tight Straight Cord Grip 1/2 Trade Size, for 0.38"-0.5" Cord Diameter |       | <a href="http://www.mcmaster.com/#8302k19/=vzsg6g">http://www.mcmaster.com/#8302k19/=vzsg6g</a>                         |
| Z10 | ATM | Air line - dehumidifer intake         | 1/4" NPT | <i>Air from growth volume to dehumidifier</i>               | Liquid Tight Straight Cord Grip 1/2 Trade Size, for 0.38"-0.5" Cord Diameter | 0.82  | <a href="http://www.mcmaster.com/#standard-cord-grips/=vzse9e">http://www.mcmaster.com/#standard-cord-grips/=vzse9e</a> |
| Z11 | ATM | Dehumidifier Return                   | 1/4" NPT | <i>From lab air to growth volume *relief valve</i>          | Liquid Tight Straight Cord Grip 1/2 Trade Size, for 0.38"-0.5" Cord Diameter | 1.125 | <a href="http://www.mcmaster.com/#8682t24/=vzrf84">http://www.mcmaster.com/#8682t24/=vzrf84</a>                         |
| Z12 | ATM | Manometer                             | 1/2" NPT | <i>From growth volume to lab air *relief valve</i>          | Through-Wall Fitting Polypropylene, NPT Female on Both Ends, 3/4 Pipe Size   | 1.6   | <a href="http://www.mcmaster.com/#36895k142/=vzshtz">http://www.mcmaster.com/#36895k142/=vzshtz</a>                     |
| Z13 | ATM | Port of Jordan - Expansion port       | 1/2" NPT | <i>Expansion Port for Future Use</i>                        | Miniature Through-Wall Fitting High-Pressure Brass, 1/2 Pipe Size            | 1.125 |                                                                                                                         |

## VII. COMPONENT LIST

The table in **Appendix B** contains detailed information on all components in the MarsOASIS prototype. Specification or data sheets are attached *electronically* to this manual as a zipped file called *MarsOASIS Reference Manual - Appendix C Spec Sheets.zip*.



## VIII. ELECTRICAL INTERFACE DOCUMENTS

### A. Sensor Inventory

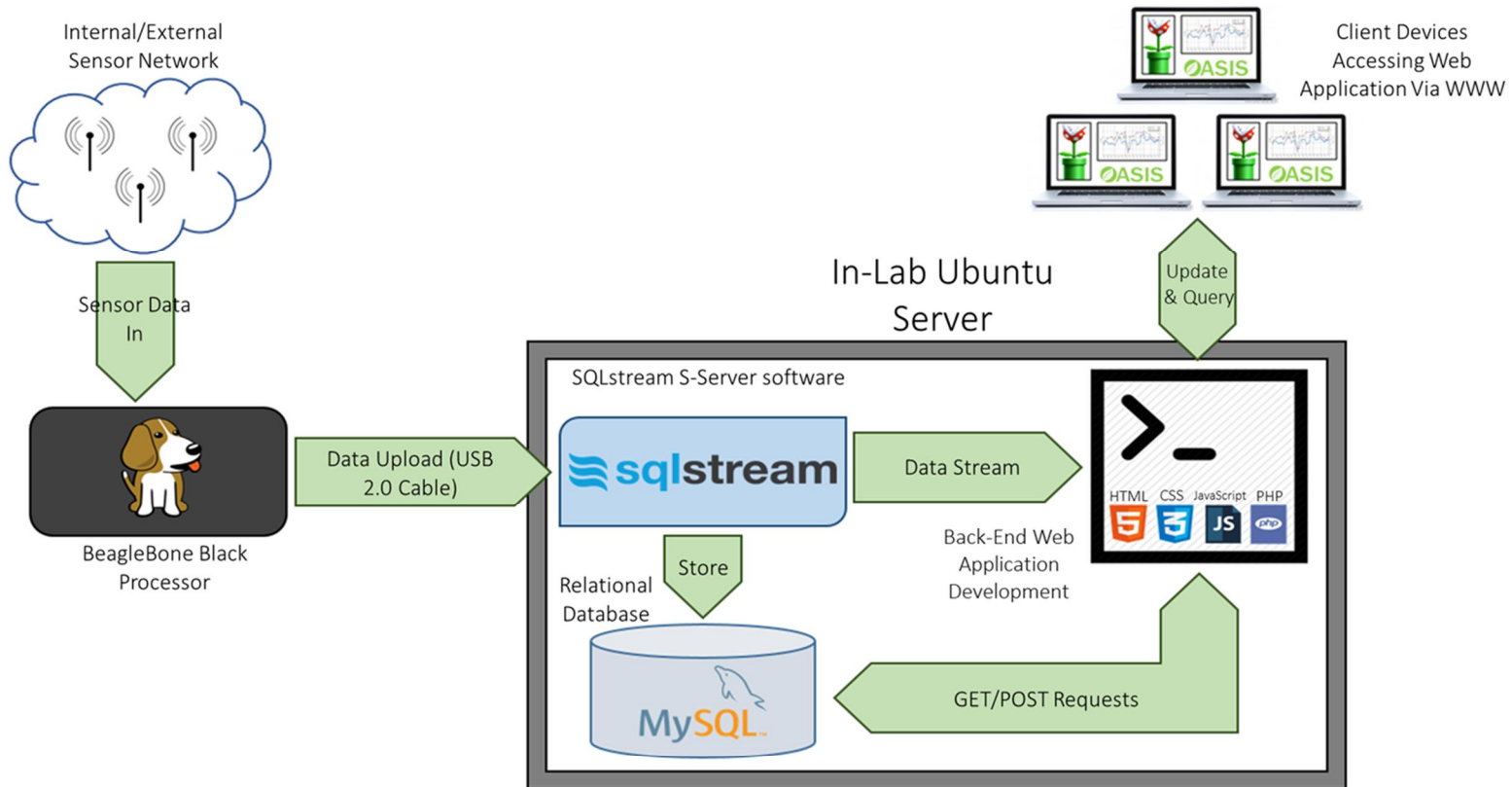
| Sensor          | Qty | Function                                                                          | Make and Model                                            | Power (V)                     | Current (Amps)               | Output                           | Units                                | Range          | Accuracy             |
|-----------------|-----|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------|------------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------|----------------------|
| EC              | 2   | Electrical Conductivity (Measuring Nutrient Deficit) in Growth Medium & Reservoir | Atlas Scientific, EC-EZO                                  | 3.0-5.5 (DC)                  | 0.05                         | 0-5 (RS232)                      | μS-cm <sup>-1</sup>                  | 0.55-500,000   | +/- 2                |
| pH              | 2   | pH in Growth Medium & Reservoir                                                   | Atlas Scientific, pH-EZO                                  | 3.0-5.5 (DC)                  | 0.0183                       | UART or 0-Vcc                    | pH                                   | .001 to 14.000 | +/- 0.02             |
| Temperature     | 5   | Liquid Temperature in Reservoir (1) & Growth Medium (4)                           | Dallas Semiconductor, DS18B20                             | 3.0-5.5 (DC)                  | 0.0015                       | 12-bit                           | deg C                                | -55-125        | +/-0.5               |
| Moisture        | 4   | Volumetric Water Content in Growth Medium                                         | Vegtronix, VH-400                                         | 3.5-20 (DC)                   | 0.007                        | 0 - 3V                           | %                                    | 0-50           | 2% @ 25°C            |
| DO Probe        | 1   | Dissolved Oxygen in Mixing Reservoir                                              | Atlas Scientific, DO Probe w/ EZO DO Circuit              | 3.0-5.5 (DC)                  | 0.0183                       | UART or 0-Vcc                    | mg/L                                 | 0.01-35.99     | +/-0.2               |
| Liquid Level    | 6   | Liquid Level in Mixing, Nutrient, pH, Leachate, & Condensate Tanks                | Milone Technologies, PN-12110215TC-8                      | 3.3 (DC) 10V Max              | depends on pull up resistors | 1500Ω-300Ω                       | Inches                               | 0-8            | +/- 10%              |
| Flow Meter      | 2   | Water Flow Rate Into & Out of Growth Bed                                          | Atlas Scientific, Turbo Flow Flow Meter w/ FLO-30 Circuit | 3-24 (DC) 2.5-5 (DC, Circuit) | unknown                      | 0-345 Hz (probe) 0-VCC (circuit) | lpm                                  | 0.8-7.6        | 367 uL (probe pulse) |
| RH/Temp (Air)   | 3   | Internal (2) & External (1) Relative Humidity & Air Temperature                   | Dallas Semiconductor, AM2302/DHT22                        | 3..3-5.5 (DC)                 | 0.0015                       | 16 bit                           | % deg C                              | 0-100 -40-80   | +/- 2% +/-0.5        |
| Total Pressure  | 2   | Internal (1) & External (1) Total Atmospheric Pressure                            | Bosch, BMP180                                             | 1.8-3.6 (DC)                  | <0.001                       | 19 bit                           | hPA                                  | 300 - 1100     | +/- 0.12             |
| Oxygen          | 1   | Internal O <sub>2</sub> Concentration                                             | MaxTec, R125P01-002                                       | passive (amplifier circuit)   | 0                            | 10.0 to 15.5 mV                  | %                                    | 0-100          | +/- 1%               |
| CO <sub>2</sub> | 1   | Internal CO <sub>2</sub> Concentration                                            | CO2meter.com, SE-0018 K30 STA                             | 4.5-14V (DC)                  | 0.040                        | 0-4V (or 1-5V)                   | ppm                                  | 0-5000         | +/- 30 +/- 3%        |
| Light (PAR)     | 1   | Internal Photosynthetically Active Radiation, 410 nm-655 nm, 180° FOV             | Apogee Instruments, SQ-215                                | 5-24V (DC)                    | 300 uA (nominal)             | 0-5V                             | μmol m <sup>-2</sup> s <sup>-1</sup> | 0 - 2500       | +/- 1%               |
| Camera          | 1   | Plant Health Imagery                                                              | Logitech C920                                             | 5 (DC)                        | 1.5A                         | n/a                              | RGB                                  | 1 to 255       | n/a                  |

## B. Actuator Inventory

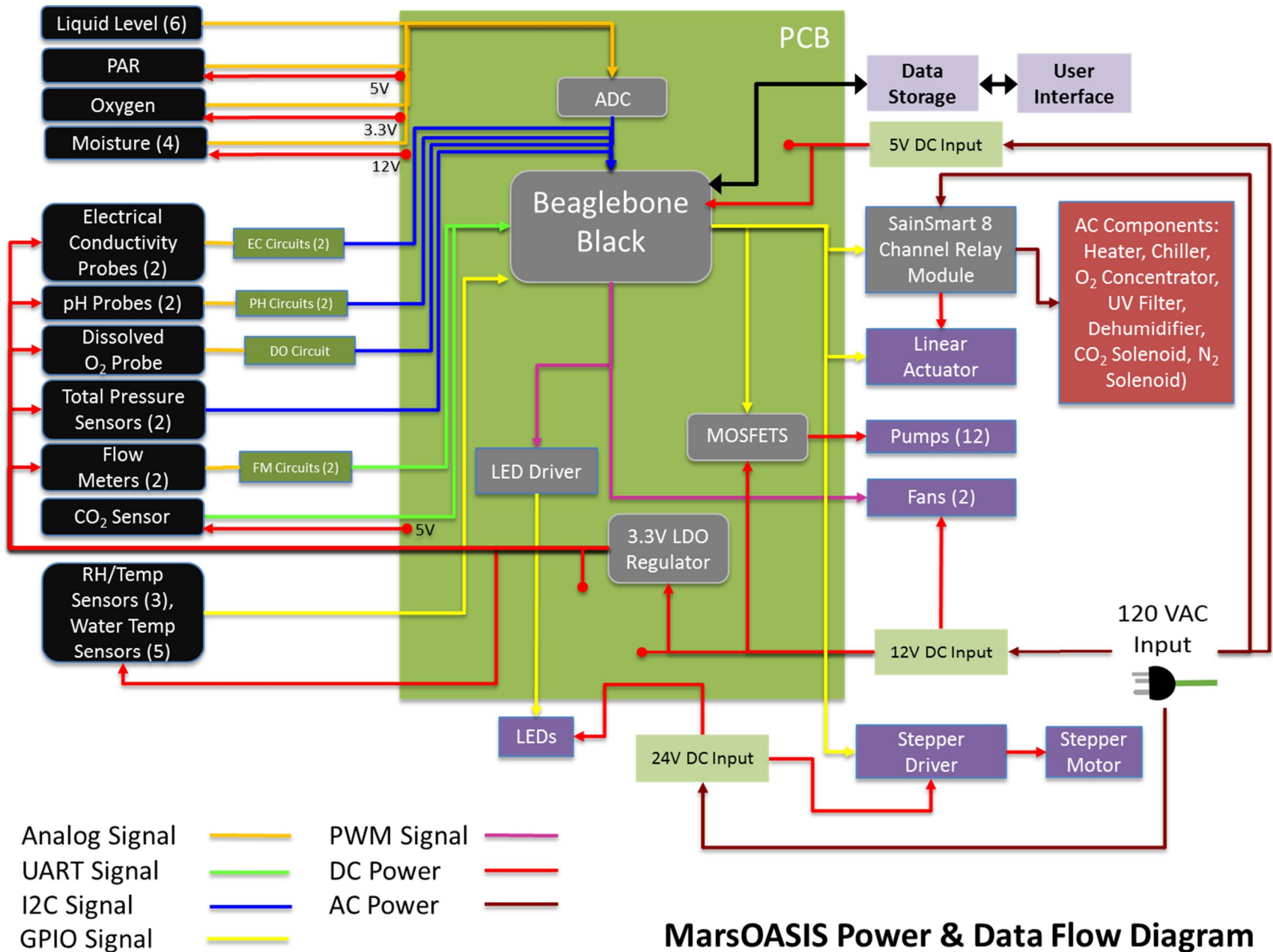
| Component              | SysID   | Relay Channel | Power (W) | Voltage | Current (Amps) | Control Hardware                                      |
|------------------------|---------|---------------|-----------|---------|----------------|-------------------------------------------------------|
| Main Pump              | P1      | R1_C1         | 30        | 12V DC  | 2.5            | SainSmart 8 Channel<br>DC 5V Relay                    |
| Water Heater           | M1      | R1_C2         | 750       | 120V AC | 6.3            |                                                       |
| Water Chiller          | M2      | R1_C3         | 50        | 120V AC | 5              |                                                       |
| Condensate Pump        | P2      | R1_C4         | 30        | 12V DC  | 2.5            |                                                       |
| Nutrient 1 Dosing      | P3      | R1_C5         | 0.96      | 12V DC  | 0.08           |                                                       |
| Nutrient 2 Dosing      | P4      | R1_C6         | 0.96      | 12V DC  | 0.08           |                                                       |
| pH Dosing              | P5      | R1_C7         | 0.96      | 12V DC  | 0.08           |                                                       |
| Filter Pump            | P8      | R1_C8         | 30        | 12V DC  | 2.5            |                                                       |
| Humidifier Pump        | P10     | R2_C1         | 30        | 12V DC  | 2.5            |                                                       |
| Dehumidifier           | M9      | R2_C2         | 22.5      | 120V AC | 2.5            |                                                       |
| Air Pump, Dehumidifier | P12     | R2_C3         | 2         | 120V AC | 0.017          |                                                       |
| Nutrient 1 Circulation | P6      | R2_C4         | 3.6       | 12V DC  | 0.3            |                                                       |
| O2 Concentrator        | M8      | R2_C5         | 390       | 120V AC | 4.3            |                                                       |
| N2 Solenoid            | V4      | R2_C6         | 9VA       | 120V AC | unknown        |                                                       |
| Main Tank Circulation  | P11     | R2_C7         | 3.6       | 12V DC  | 0.3            |                                                       |
| Air Bubbler            | P7      | R2_C8         | 5.52      | 12V DC  | 0.46           |                                                       |
| UV Filter              | F1      | R3_C1         | 10        | 120V AC | unknown        |                                                       |
| Fan 1                  | M6      | R3_C2         | 3.12      | 12V DC  | 0.26           |                                                       |
| Fan 2                  | M7      | R3_C3         | 3.12      | 12V DC  | 0.26           |                                                       |
| CO2 Solenoid           | V3      | R3_C4         | 9VA       | 120V AC | unknown        |                                                       |
| Nutrient 2 Circulation | P9      | R3_C5         | 3.6       | 12V DC  | 0.3            |                                                       |
| Linear Actuator        | LA1 LA2 | R3_C6 R3_C7   | 3         | 12V DC  | 0.25           | L293D Motor Driver .<br>Solarbotics (Qty 2)           |
| Stepper (ST) Motor     | ST      | R3_C8         | 16.25     | 6.5     | 2.5            | KL-5056 20-50VDC 5.6A<br>Bipolar Stepper Motor Driver |
| LEDs (16 foot reel)    | M18     | N/A           | 84        | 24V DC  | 3.5            | PWM Driver                                            |



### C. Power and Data Distribution



**MarsOASIS User Interface Diagram**



**MarsOASIS Power & Data Flow Diagram**





| Component | Pin Number | Pin Label | Signal         | Description            | Connection Component | Connection Pin | Address | Part Number | Location                | Connector | J Connector Pin | General Signal (Data/Logic) | Analog |
|-----------|------------|-----------|----------------|------------------------|----------------------|----------------|---------|-------------|-------------------------|-----------|-----------------|-----------------------------|--------|
| DD1       | 6          | PGND      | N/A            | This is a probe line f | External cable       |                |         |             |                         |           |                 |                             |        |
| LL1       | 1          | Rref      | N/A            |                        | NC                   | NC             |         | PN-1211021  | Liquid Tanks & Plumbing |           |                 |                             | 1      |
| LL1       | 2          | Rsense    | Analog         |                        | ADC1                 | 7              |         |             |                         | J5        | 1               |                             | 1      |
| LL1       | 3          | Rsense    | AGND           |                        | PCB                  | AGND           |         |             |                         | J5        | 20              |                             |        |
| LL1       | 4          | Rref      | N/A            |                        | NC                   | NC             |         |             |                         |           |                 |                             |        |
| LL2       | 1          | Rref      | N/A            |                        | NC                   | NC             |         | PN-1211021  | Liquid Tanks & Plumbing |           |                 |                             | 1      |
| LL2       | 2          | Rsense    | Analog         |                        | ADC1                 | 8              |         |             |                         | J5        | 2               |                             | 1      |
| LL2       | 3          | Rsense    | AGND           |                        | PCB                  | AGND           |         |             |                         | J5        | 21              |                             |        |
| LL2       | 4          | Rref      | N/A            |                        | NC                   | NC             |         |             |                         |           |                 |                             |        |
| LL3       | 1          | Rref      | N/A            |                        | NC                   | NC             |         | PN-1211021  | Liquid Tanks & Plumbing |           |                 |                             | 1      |
| LL3       | 2          | Rsense    | Analog         |                        | ADC1                 | 9              |         |             |                         | J5        | 3               |                             | 1      |
| LL3       | 3          | Rsense    | AGND           |                        | PCB                  | AGND           |         |             |                         | J5        | 22              |                             |        |
| LL3       | 4          | Rref      | N/A            |                        | NC                   | NC             |         |             |                         |           |                 |                             |        |
| LL4       | 1          | Rref      | N/A            |                        | NC                   | NC             |         | PN-1211021  | Liquid Tanks & Plumbing |           |                 |                             | 1      |
| LL4       | 2          | Rsense    | Analog         |                        | ADC1                 | 10             |         |             |                         | J5        | 4               |                             | 1      |
| LL4       | 3          | Rsense    | AGND           |                        | PCB                  | AGND           |         |             |                         | J5        | 23              |                             |        |
| LL4       | 4          | Rref      | N/A            |                        | NC                   | NC             |         |             |                         |           |                 |                             |        |
| LL5       | 1          | Rref      | N/A            |                        | NC                   | NC             |         | PN-1211021  | Liquid Tanks & Plumbing |           |                 |                             | 1      |
| LL5       | 2          | Rsense    | Analog         |                        | ADC1                 | 11             |         |             |                         | J5        | 5               |                             | 1      |
| LL5       | 3          | Rsense    | AGND           |                        | PCB                  | AGND           |         |             |                         | J5        | 24              |                             |        |
| LL5       | 4          | Rref      | N/A            |                        | NC                   | NC             |         |             |                         |           |                 |                             |        |
| LL6       | 1          | Rref      | N/A            |                        | NC                   | NC             |         | PN-1211021  | Liquid Tanks & Plumbing |           |                 |                             | 1      |
| LL6       | 2          | Rsense    | Analog         |                        | ADC1                 | 12             |         |             |                         | J5        | 6               |                             | 1      |
| LL6       | 3          | Rsense    | AGND           |                        | PCB                  | AGND           |         |             |                         | J5        | 25              |                             |        |
| LL6       | 4          | Rref      | N/A            |                        | NC                   | NC             |         |             |                         |           |                 |                             |        |
| FM1       | 1          | GND       | DGND           |                        | PCB                  | DGND           |         | SEN-203F    | Liquid Tanks & Plumbing | J2        | 25              |                             | 1      |
| FM1       | 2          | TX        | UART           |                        | BBB1                 | 70             |         |             |                         | J2        | 5               |                             | 1      |
| FM1       | 3          | RX        | UART           |                        | BBB1                 | 72             |         |             |                         | J2        | 6               |                             | 1      |
| FM1       | 4          | VCC       | 2.5V-5.5V      |                        | PCB                  | 3.3V           |         |             |                         | J2        | 24              |                             | 1      |
| FM1       | 5          | PRB       | N/A            | This is a probe line f | External cable       |                |         |             |                         |           |                 |                             |        |
| FM1       | 6          | PGND      | N/A            | This is a probe line f | External cable       | DGND           |         |             |                         |           |                 |                             |        |
| FM2       | 1          | GND       | DGND           |                        | PCB                  | DGND           |         | SEN-203F    | Liquid Tanks & Plumbing | J2        | 27              |                             | 1      |
| FM2       | 2          | TX        | UART           |                        | BBB1                 | 59             |         |             |                         | J2        | 7               |                             | 1      |
| FM2       | 3          | RX        | UART           |                        | BBB1                 | 57             |         |             |                         | J2        | 8               |                             | 1      |
| FM2       | 4          | VCC       | 2.5V-5.5V      |                        | PCB, PRB             | 3.3V           |         |             |                         | J2        | 26              |                             | 1      |
| FM2       | 5          | PRB       | N/A            |                        | External cable (PRB) |                |         |             |                         |           |                 |                             |        |
| FM2       | 6          | GND       | DGND           |                        | PRB                  | DGND           |         |             |                         |           |                 |                             |        |
| TEMP2     | 1          | NC        | N/A            |                        |                      |                |         | SEN-11050   | Growth Medium           |           |                 |                             |        |
| TEMP2     | 2          | NC        | N/A            |                        |                      |                |         |             |                         |           |                 |                             |        |
| TEMP2     | 3          | VDD       | 3V-5.5V        |                        | PCB                  | 3.3V           |         |             |                         | J3        | 24              |                             | 1      |
| TEMP2     | 4          | DQ        | Digital In/Out |                        | BBB1                 | 4              |         |             |                         | J3        | 5               |                             | 1      |
| TEMP2     | 5          | GND       | DGND           |                        | PCB                  | DGND           |         |             |                         | J3        | 25              |                             | 1      |
| TEMP2     | 6          | NC        | N/A            |                        |                      |                |         |             |                         |           |                 |                             |        |
| TEMP2     | 7          | NC        | N/A            |                        |                      |                |         |             |                         |           |                 |                             |        |
| TEMP2     | 8          | NC        | N/A            |                        |                      |                |         |             |                         |           |                 |                             |        |
| TEMP3     | 1          | NC        | N/A            |                        |                      |                |         | SEN-11050   | Growth Medium           |           |                 |                             |        |
| TEMP3     | 2          | NC        | N/A            |                        |                      |                |         |             |                         |           |                 |                             |        |
| TEMP3     | 3          | VDD       | 3V-5.5V        |                        | PCB                  | 3.3V           |         |             |                         | J3        | 6               |                             | 1      |
| TEMP3     | 4          | DQ        | Digital In/Out |                        | BBB1                 | 5              |         |             |                         | J3        | 7               |                             | 1      |
| TEMP3     | 5          | GND       | DGND           |                        | PCB                  | DGND           |         |             |                         | J3        | 26              |                             | 1      |
| TEMP3     | 6          | NC        | N/A            |                        |                      |                |         |             |                         |           |                 |                             |        |
| TEMP3     | 7          | NC        | N/A            |                        |                      |                |         |             |                         |           |                 |                             |        |
| TEMP3     | 8          | NC        | N/A            |                        |                      |                |         |             |                         |           |                 |                             |        |
| TEMP4     | 1          | NC        | N/A            |                        |                      |                |         | SEN-11050   | Growth Medium           |           |                 |                             |        |
| TEMP4     | 2          | NC        | N/A            |                        |                      |                |         |             |                         |           |                 |                             |        |
| TEMP4     | 3          | VDD       | 3V-5.5V        |                        | PCB                  | 3.3V           |         |             |                         | J3        | 27              |                             | 1      |

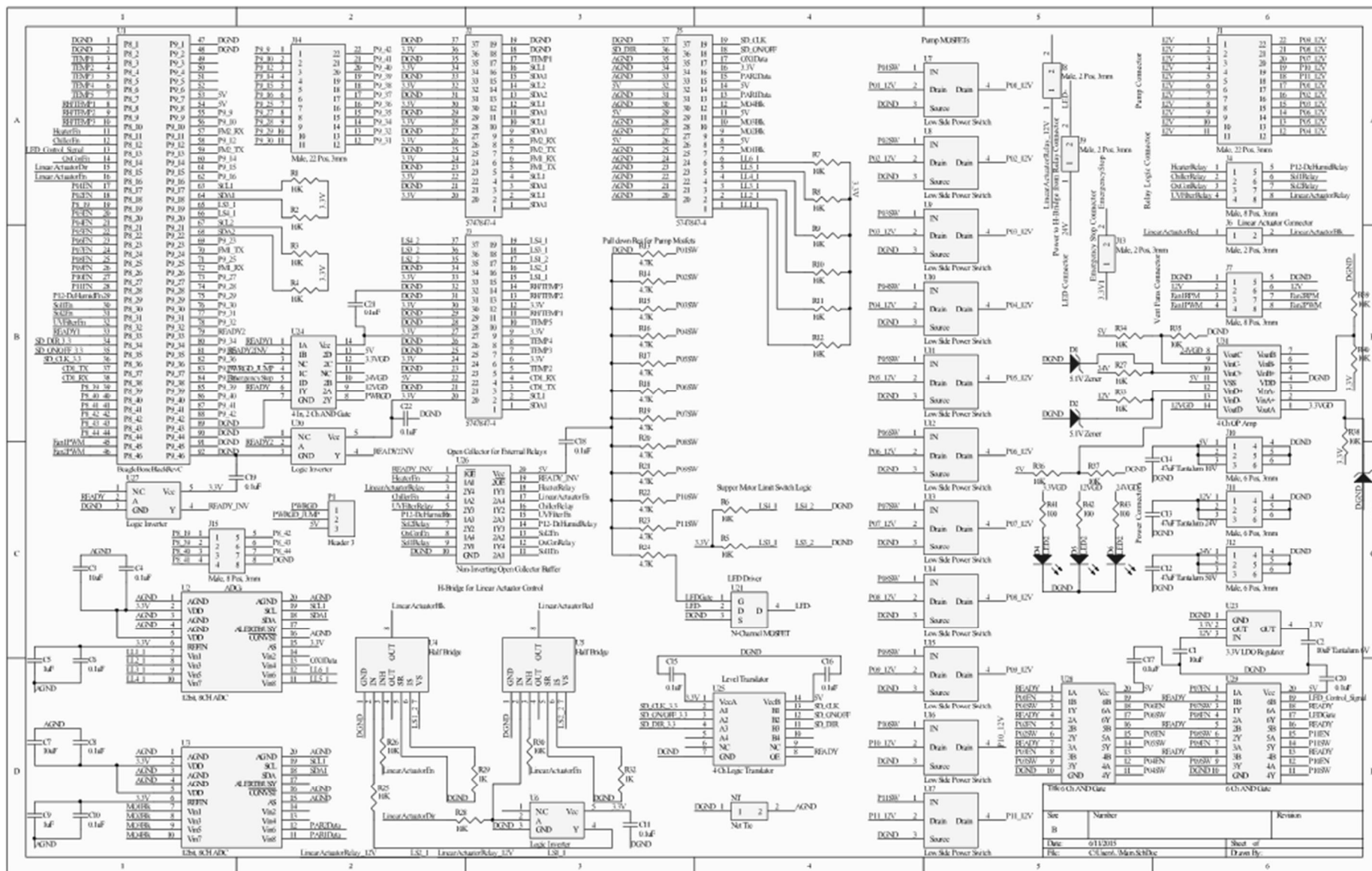
| Component | Pin Number | Pin Label | Signal         | Description            | Connection Component | Connection Pin | Address | Part Number | Location      | Connecto J | Connector Pin | General Signal (Data/Logic) | Analog |
|-----------|------------|-----------|----------------|------------------------|----------------------|----------------|---------|-------------|---------------|------------|---------------|-----------------------------|--------|
| TEMP4     | 4          | DQ        | Digital In/Out |                        | BBB1                 | 6              |         |             |               | J3         | 8             |                             | 1      |
| TEMP4     | 5          | GND       | DGND           |                        | PCB                  | DGND           |         |             |               | J3         | 28            |                             | 1      |
| TEMP4     | 6          | NC        | N/A            |                        |                      |                |         |             |               |            |               |                             |        |
| TEMP4     | 7          | NC        | N/A            |                        |                      |                |         |             |               |            |               |                             |        |
| TEMP4     | 8          | NC        | N/A            |                        |                      |                |         |             |               |            |               |                             |        |
| TEMP5     | 1          | NC        | N/A            |                        |                      |                |         | SEN-11050   | Growth Medium |            |               |                             |        |
| TEMP5     | 2          | NC        | N/A            |                        |                      |                |         |             |               |            |               |                             |        |
| TEMP5     | 3          | VDD       | 3V-5.5V        |                        | PCB                  | 3.3V           |         |             |               | J3         | 9             |                             | 1      |
| TEMP5     | 4          | DQ        | Digital In/Out |                        | BBB1                 | 7              |         |             |               | J3         | 10            |                             | 1      |
| TEMP5     | 5          | GND       | DGND           |                        | PCB                  | DGND           |         |             |               | J3         | 29            |                             | 1      |
| TEMP5     | 6          | NC        | N/A            |                        |                      |                |         |             |               |            |               |                             |        |
| TEMP5     | 7          | NC        | N/A            |                        |                      |                |         |             |               |            |               |                             |        |
| TEMP5     | 8          | NC        | N/A            |                        |                      |                |         |             |               |            |               |                             |        |
| EC2       | 1          | GND       | DGND           |                        | PCB                  | DGND           |         | 3 SEN-12908 | Growth Medium | J2         | 29            |                             | 1      |
| EC2       | 2          | TX/SDA    | I2C            |                        | BBB1                 | 64             |         |             |               | J2         | 9             |                             | 1      |
| EC2       | 3          | RX/SCL    | I2C            |                        | BBB1                 | 63             |         |             |               | J2         | 10            |                             | 1      |
| EC2       | 4          | VCC       | 3.3V-5V        |                        | PCB                  | 3.3V           |         |             |               | J2         | 28            |                             | 1      |
| EC2       | 5          | PRB       | N/A            |                        | External cable       |                |         |             |               |            |               |                             |        |
| EC2       | 6          | PRB       | N/A            |                        | External cable       |                |         |             |               |            |               |                             |        |
| PH2       | 1          | GND       | DGND           |                        | PCB                  | DGND           |         | 4 SEN-10972 | Growth Medium | J2         | 31            |                             | 1      |
| PH2       | 2          | TX/SDA    | I2C            |                        | BBB1                 | 64             |         |             |               | J2         | 11            |                             | 1      |
| PH2       | 3          | RX/SCL    | I2C            |                        | BBB1                 | 63             |         |             |               | J2         | 12            |                             | 1      |
| PH2       | 4          | VCC       | 3.3V-5.5V      |                        | PCB                  | 3.3V           |         |             |               | J2         | 30            |                             | 1      |
| PH2       | 5          | PRB       | N/A            |                        | External BNC         |                |         |             |               |            |               |                             |        |
| PH2       | 6          | PGND      | N/A            | This is a probe line f | External cable       |                |         |             |               |            |               |                             |        |
| MO1       | 1          | BARE      | GND            |                        | PCB                  | AGND           |         | VH400-2M    | Growth Medium | J5         | 27            |                             | 1      |
| MO1       | 2          | RED       | 3.5V-20V       |                        | PCB                  | 12V            |         |             |               | J5         | 26            |                             | 1      |
| MO1       | 3          | BLACK     | Analog         |                        | ADC2                 | 7              |         |             |               | J5         | 7             |                             | 1      |
| MO2       | 1          | BARE      | GND            |                        | PCB                  | AGND           |         | VH400-2M    | Growth Medium | J5         | 28            |                             | 1      |
| MO2       | 2          | RED       | 3.5V-20V       |                        | PCB                  | 12V            |         |             |               | J5         | 8             |                             | 1      |
| MO2       | 3          | BLACK     | Analog         |                        | ADC2                 | 8              |         |             |               | J5         | 9             |                             | 1      |
| MO3       | 1          | BARE      | GND            |                        | PCB                  | AGND           |         | VH400-2M    | Growth Medium | J5         | 30            |                             | 1      |
| MO3       | 2          | RED       | 3.5V-20V       |                        | PCB                  | 12V            |         |             |               | J5         | 29            |                             | 1      |
| MO3       | 3          | BLACK     | Analog         |                        | ADC2                 | 9              |         |             |               | J5         | 10            |                             | 1      |
| MO4       | 1          | BARE      | GND            |                        | PCB                  | AGND           |         | VH400-2M    | Growth Medium | J5         | 31            |                             | 1      |
| MO4       | 2          | RED       | 3.5V-20V       |                        | PCB                  | 12V            |         |             |               | J5         | 11            |                             | 1      |
| MO4       | 3          | BLACK     | Analog         |                        | ADC2                 | 10             |         |             |               | J5         | 12            |                             | 1      |
| RH/TEMP1  | 1          | VDD       | 3.3V-5.5V      |                        | PCB                  | 3.3V           |         | 393         | Internal      | J3         | 30            |                             | 1      |
| RH/TEMP1  | 2          | DQ        | Digital In/Out |                        | BBB1                 | 8              |         |             |               | J3         | 11            |                             | 1      |
| RH/TEMP1  | 3          | GND       | DGND           |                        | PCB                  | DGND           |         |             |               | J3         | 31            |                             | 1      |
| RH/TEMP2  | 1          | VDD       | 3.3V-5.5V      |                        | PCB                  | 3.3V           |         | 393         | Internal      | J3         | 12            |                             | 1      |
| RH/TEMP2  | 2          | DQ        | Digital In/Out |                        | BBB1                 | 9              |         |             |               | J3         | 13            |                             | 1      |
| RH/TEMP2  | 3          | GND       | DGND           |                        | PCB                  | DGND           |         |             |               | J3         | 32            |                             | 1      |
| TP1       | 1          | VIN       | 3V-5V          |                        | PCB                  | 3.3V           |         | 119 BMP180  | Internal      | J3         | 20            |                             | 1      |
| TP1       | 2          | Vo        | 3V@100mA       |                        | NC                   | NC             |         |             |               |            |               |                             |        |
| TP1       | 3          | GND       | DGND           |                        | PCB                  | DGND           |         |             |               | J3         | 21            |                             | 1      |
| TP1       | 4          | RX/SCL    | I2C            |                        | BBB1                 | 63             |         |             |               | J3         | 2             |                             | 1      |
| TP1       | 5          | TX/SDA    | I2C            |                        | BBB1                 | 64             |         |             |               | J3         | 1             |                             | 1      |
| OX1       | 1          |           | Analog         |                        | ADC1                 | 13             |         | R125P01-002 | Internal      | J5         | 17            |                             | 1      |
| OX1       |            | GND       |                |                        |                      |                |         |             |               | J5         | 16            |                             |        |
| OX1       |            |           |                |                        |                      | 3.3V           |         |             |               | J5         | 35            |                             |        |
| CD1       | 1          | GND       | DGND           |                        | PCB                  | DGND           |         | SE-0018 K30 | Internal      | J3         | 23            |                             | 1      |
| CD1       | 2          | TX        | UART           |                        | BBB1                 | 37             |         |             |               | J3         | 3             |                             | 1      |
| CD1       | 3          | RX        | UART           |                        | BBB1                 | 38             |         |             |               | J3         | 4             |                             | 1      |
| CD1       | 4          | G0        | 5V-9V          |                        | PCB                  | 5V             |         |             |               | J3         | 22            |                             | 1      |
| PAR1      | 1          | GREEN     | Analog         |                        | ADC2                 | 11             |         | SQ-215      | Internal      | J5         | 13            |                             | 1      |

| Component                     | Pin Number | Pin Label | Signal         | Description           | Connection Component                      | Connection Pin | Address | Part Number   | Location | Connecto | J Connector Pin | General Signal (Data/Logic) | Analog |
|-------------------------------|------------|-----------|----------------|-----------------------|-------------------------------------------|----------------|---------|---------------|----------|----------|-----------------|-----------------------------|--------|
| PAR1                          | 2          | WHITE     | 5V-24V         |                       | PCB                                       | 5V             |         |               |          | J5       | 32              |                             | 1      |
| PAR1                          | 3          | CLEAR     | GND            |                       | PCB                                       | AGND           |         |               |          | J5       | 33              |                             | 1      |
| PAR2                          | 1          | GREEN     | Analog         |                       | ADC2                                      | 12             |         | SQ-215        | External | J5       | 15              |                             | 1      |
| PAR2                          | 2          | WHITE     | 5V-24V         |                       | PCB                                       | 5V             |         |               |          | J5       | 14              |                             | 1      |
| PAR2                          | 3          | CLEAR     | GND            |                       | PCB                                       | AGND           |         |               |          | J5       | 34              |                             | 1      |
| RH/TEMP3                      | 1          | VDD       | 3.3V-5.5V      |                       | PCB                                       | 3.3V           |         | 393           | External | J3       | 33              |                             | 1      |
| RH/TEMP3                      | 2          | DQ        | Digital In/Out |                       | BBB1                                      | 10             |         |               |          | J3       | 14              |                             | 1      |
| RH/TEMP3                      | 3          | GND       | DGND           |                       | PCB                                       | DGND           |         |               |          | J3       | 34              |                             | 1      |
| TP2                           | 1          | VIN       | 3V-5V          |                       | PCB                                       | 3.3V           |         | 119 BMP180    | External | J2       | 32              |                             | 1      |
| TP2                           | 2          | Vo        | 3V@100mA       |                       | NC                                        | NC             |         |               |          |          |                 |                             |        |
| TP2                           | 3          | GND       | DGND           |                       | PCB                                       | DGND           |         |               |          | J2       | 33              |                             | 1      |
| TP2                           | 4          | SCL       | I2C            |                       | BBB1                                      | 67             |         |               |          | J2       | 14              |                             | 1      |
| TP2                           | 5          | SDA       | I2C            |                       | BBB1                                      | 68             |         |               |          | J2       | 13              |                             | 1      |
| LED Driver                    | 1          | G         | PWM            | This is the GATE In   | U24                                       | 3              |         | 785-1146-5-ND |          |          |                 |                             |        |
| LED Driver                    | 2          | D         | LED-           | This will be connect  | LED                                       | 2              |         |               |          | J9       | 2               |                             |        |
| LED Driver                    | 3          | S         | DGND           | To protect the board  | PCB                                       | DGND           |         |               |          |          |                 |                             |        |
| LED Driver                    | 4          | D         | LED-           | This will be connect  | LED                                       | 2              |         |               |          | J9       | 2               |                             |        |
| Camera                        | USB        |           |                |                       | BBB1                                      | USB            |         |               |          |          |                 |                             |        |
| Res. Heater Relay Signal      |            |           |                |                       | U26, Open Collector                       | 18             |         |               |          | J4       | 1               |                             |        |
| Res. Chiller Relay Signal     |            |           |                |                       | U26, Open Collector                       | 16             |         |               |          | J4       | 2               |                             |        |
| Vent. Fan 1                   | 1          | GND       | GND            |                       | PCB                                       | DGND           |         |               |          | J7       | 1               |                             |        |
| Vent. Fan 1                   | 2          | V+        | 12V            |                       | PCB                                       | 12V            |         |               |          | J7       | 2               |                             |        |
| Vent. Fan 1                   | 3          | RPM       |                |                       | NC                                        | NC             |         |               |          | J7       | 3               |                             |        |
| Vent. Fan 1                   | 4          | PWM       | PWM            |                       | BBB1                                      | 45             |         |               |          | J7       | 4               |                             |        |
| Vent Fan 2                    | 1          | GND       | GND            |                       | PCB                                       | DGND           |         |               |          | J7       | 5               |                             |        |
| Vent Fan 2                    | 2          | V+        | 12V            |                       | PCB                                       | 12V            |         |               |          | J7       | 6               |                             |        |
| Vent Fan 2                    | 3          | RPM       |                |                       | NC                                        | NC             |         |               |          | J7       | 7               |                             |        |
| Vent Fan 2                    | 4          | PWM       | PWM            |                       | BBB1                                      | 46             |         |               |          | J7       | 8               |                             |        |
| Ox Concentrator Relay Signal  |            |           |                |                       | U26, Open Collector                       | 12             |         |               |          | J4       | 3               |                             |        |
| Dehumidifier/P12 Relay Signal |            |           |                |                       | U26, Open Collector                       | 14             |         |               |          | J4       | 5               |                             |        |
| Step Driver                   | ON/OFF+    | 5V Logic  |                |                       | U25, Logic Translator                     | 12             |         |               |          | J5       | 18              |                             |        |
| Step Driver                   | ON/OFF-    | GND       |                |                       | PCB                                       | DGND           |         |               |          | J5       | 37              |                             |        |
| Step Driver                   | CLK+       | 5V Logic  |                |                       | U25, Logic Translator                     | 13             |         |               |          | J5       | 19              |                             |        |
| Step Driver                   | CLK-       | GND       |                |                       | PCB                                       | DGND           |         |               |          | J2       | 18              |                             |        |
| Step Driver                   | DIR+       | 5V Logic  |                |                       | U25, Logic Translator                     | 11             |         |               |          | J5       | 36              |                             |        |
| Step Driver                   | DIR-       | GND       |                |                       | PCB                                       | DGND           |         |               |          | J2       | 19              |                             |        |
| Limit Switch 1                | 1          |           |                | Linear actuator limit | 12V Signal from the Linear Actuator Relay |                |         |               |          | J3       | 15              |                             |        |
| Limit Switch 1                | 2          |           |                | Linear actuator limit | U4, Half Bridge                           | 7              |         |               |          | J3       | 16              |                             |        |
| Limit Switch 2                | 1          |           |                | Linear actuator limit | 12V Signal from the Linear Actuator Relay |                |         |               |          | J3       | 17              |                             |        |
| Limit Switch 2                | 2          |           |                | Linear actuator limit | U5, Half Bridge                           | 7              |         |               |          | J3       | 35              |                             |        |
| Limit Switch 3                | 1          |           |                | Stepper motor limit   | BBB1                                      | 65             |         |               |          | J3       | 18              |                             |        |
| Limit Switch 3                | 2          |           |                | Stepper motor limit   | PCB                                       | DGND           |         |               |          | J3       | 36              |                             |        |
| Limit Switch 4                | 1          |           |                | Stepper motor limit   | BBB1                                      | 66             |         |               |          | J3       | 19              |                             |        |
| Limit Switch 4                | 2          |           |                | Stepper motor limit   | PCB                                       | DGND           |         |               |          | J3       | 37              |                             |        |
| Linear Actuator               | 1          | Red       | 24V            | The H-Bridge config   | U4, Half Bridge                           | 8              |         |               |          | J6       | 1               |                             |        |
| Linear Actuator               | 2          | Black     | 24V            | The H-Bridge config   | U5, Half Bridge                           | 8              |         |               |          | J6       | 2               |                             |        |
| P01                           | 1          |           | 12V            |                       | U7, Low Sid Power Switch                  | 2,4            |         |               |          | J1       | 1               |                             |        |
| P01                           | 2          |           | DGND           |                       | PCB                                       | DGND           |         |               |          |          |                 |                             |        |
| P02                           | 1          |           | 12V            |                       | U8, Low Sid Power Switch                  | 2,4            |         |               |          | J1       | 2               |                             |        |
| P02                           | 2          |           | DGND           |                       | PCB                                       | DGND           |         |               |          |          |                 |                             |        |
| P03                           | 1          |           | 12V            |                       | U9, Low Sid Power Switch                  | 2,4            |         |               |          | J1       | 3               |                             |        |
| P03                           | 2          |           | DGND           |                       | PCB                                       | DGND           |         |               |          |          |                 |                             |        |
| P04                           | 1          |           | 12V            |                       | U10, Low Sid Power Switch                 | 2,4            |         |               |          | J1       | 4               |                             |        |
| P04                           | 2          |           | DGND           |                       | PCB                                       | DGND           |         |               |          |          |                 |                             |        |
| P05                           | 1          |           | 12V            |                       | U11, Low Sid Power Switch                 | 2,4            |         |               |          | J1       | 5               |                             |        |
| P05                           | 2          |           | DGND           |                       | PCB                                       | DGND           |         |               |          |          |                 |                             |        |





# E. Electrical Schematics



## IX. SYSTEM BUDGETS

### A. Gas Budget

| Constituent | Concentration (%) | Tank Pressure-Full (psi) | Tank Volume (L) |
|-------------|-------------------|--------------------------|-----------------|
| N2          | >99               | 1600                     | 1.89            |
| CO2         | >99               | 700                      | 1.89            |
| O2          | 93                | n/a                      | n/a             |

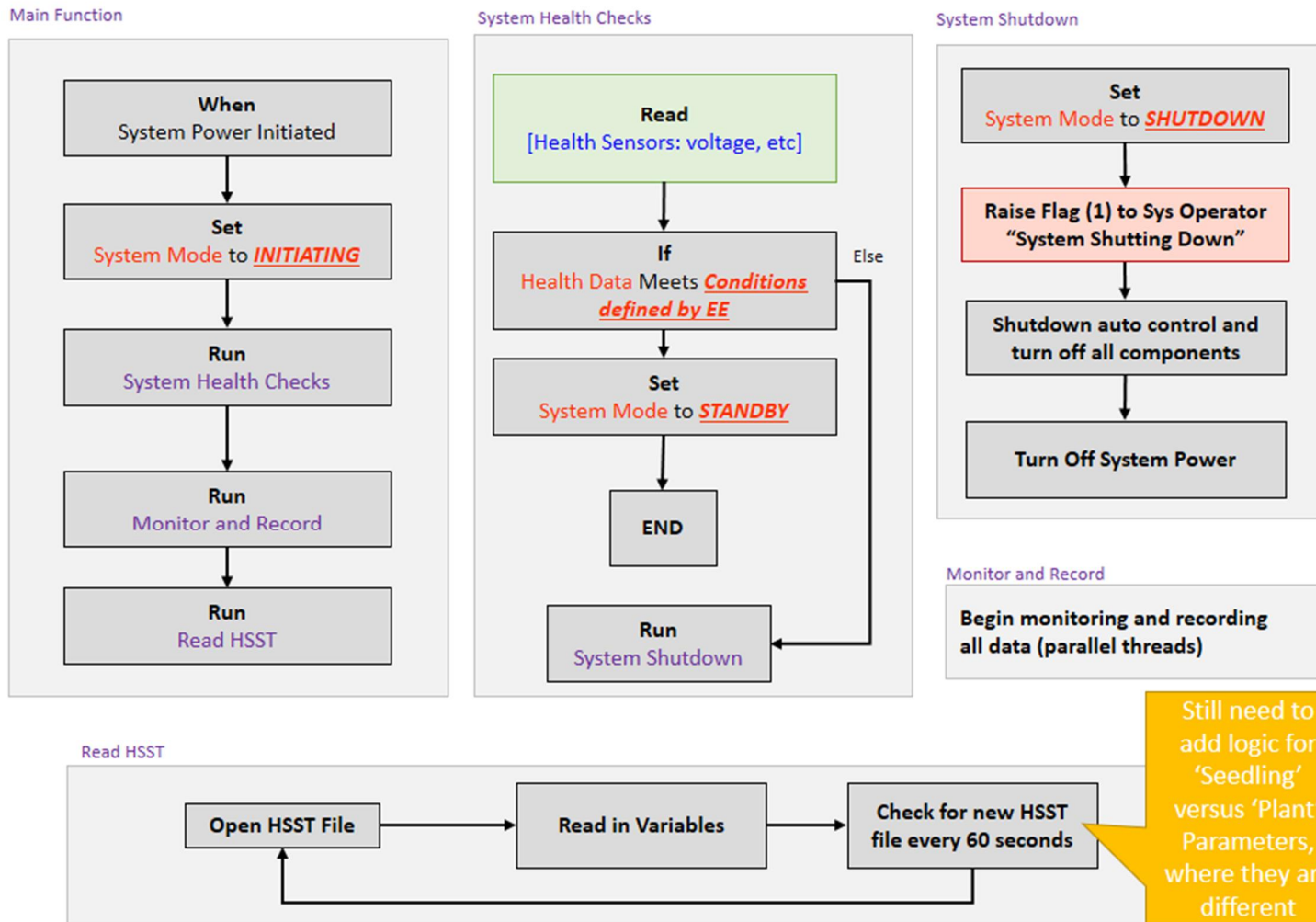
### B. Liquid Budget

| Liquid Budget                       |                                   |                        |             |             |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|------------------------|-------------|-------------|
| Item                                | Rationale/Source                  | Units                  | Amount      | Gallons     |
| <b>Water Volume</b>                 |                                   |                        |             |             |
| <b>Growth Tray</b>                  |                                   |                        |             |             |
| Volume                              | $\pi \cdot r^2 \cdot h$           | cubic ft               | 1.3         |             |
| <i>x Saturation Percent</i>         | 78% of the volume will be water   | %                      | 0.8         |             |
| <i>x Conversion Factor (liters)</i> |                                   | -                      | 28.3        |             |
| <b>Growth Tray</b>                  |                                   | <b>liters</b>          | <b>28.9</b> | <b>7.6</b>  |
| <b>Plant Needs</b>                  |                                   |                        |             |             |
| Plant Daily Water Needs             | Ray Wheeler paper via Gioia Massa | ml/m <sup>2</sup> /day | 4000.0      |             |
| <i>x Growth Area</i>                | $\pi \cdot r^2$                   | m <sup>2</sup>         | 0.3         |             |
| <i>x Growth Cycle</i>               | 45 day cycle                      | days                   | 45.0        |             |
| <i>x Conversion Factor</i>          | Convert to Liters                 | -                      | 0.0         |             |
| <b>Without Recycling</b>            |                                   | liters                 | <b>52.5</b> | <b>13.9</b> |
| <i>x Recycling Factor</i>           | 90% of water will be recycled     | -                      | 0.1         |             |
| <b>Plant Needs with Recycling</b>   |                                   | <b>liters</b>          | <b>5.3</b>  | <b>1.4</b>  |
| <b>Tank Buffers</b>                 |                                   |                        |             |             |
| Main Tank                           | Tanks cannot be dry <sup>1</sup>  |                        |             |             |
|                                     | Depends on shape of tank          | liters                 | 1           |             |
| + Leachate Tank                     | Depends on shape of tank          | liters                 | 1           |             |

|                                                                                                                  |                                       |        |             |             |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|--------|-------------|-------------|
| <b>Tank Buffers</b>                                                                                              |                                       | liters | <b>2.0</b>  | <b>0.5</b>  |
|                                                                                                                  |                                       |        |             |             |
| <b>Grand Total Water</b>                                                                                         |                                       | liters | <b>36.1</b> | <b>9.5</b>  |
|                                                                                                                  |                                       |        |             |             |
| <b>Tank Size</b>                                                                                                 | Round to nearest standard gallon size | liters | <b>37.9</b> | <b>10.0</b> |
|                                                                                                                  |                                       |        |             |             |
| <b>Nutrient Volume</b>                                                                                           |                                       |        |             |             |
| <b>Nutrient Volume</b>                                                                                           |                                       |        |             |             |
| Liters of Water <sup>2</sup>                                                                                     | Assume filtering strips all nutrients | liters | 81.4        | 21.5        |
| Concentration (stored)                                                                                           | Recommended by GM                     | -      | 4.0         | 1.1         |
| <b>Nutrient Volume</b>                                                                                           | $C_1V_1 = C_2V_2$                     | liters | <b>11.6</b> | <b>3.1</b>  |
|                                                                                                                  |                                       |        |             |             |
| <b>Tank Size (2x)</b>                                                                                            | Two tanks for two part solution       | liters | <b>7.6</b>  | <b>2.0</b>  |
|                                                                                                                  |                                       |        |             |             |
| <b>Notes</b>                                                                                                     |                                       |        |             |             |
| 1) Sensors, heater, cooler, pump require that tanks not be empty                                                 |                                       |        |             |             |
| 2) Need to condition all ~52 liters that the plant processes over the life cycle plus the full saturation of the |                                       |        |             |             |
| growth medium (~29 liters).                                                                                      |                                       |        |             |             |

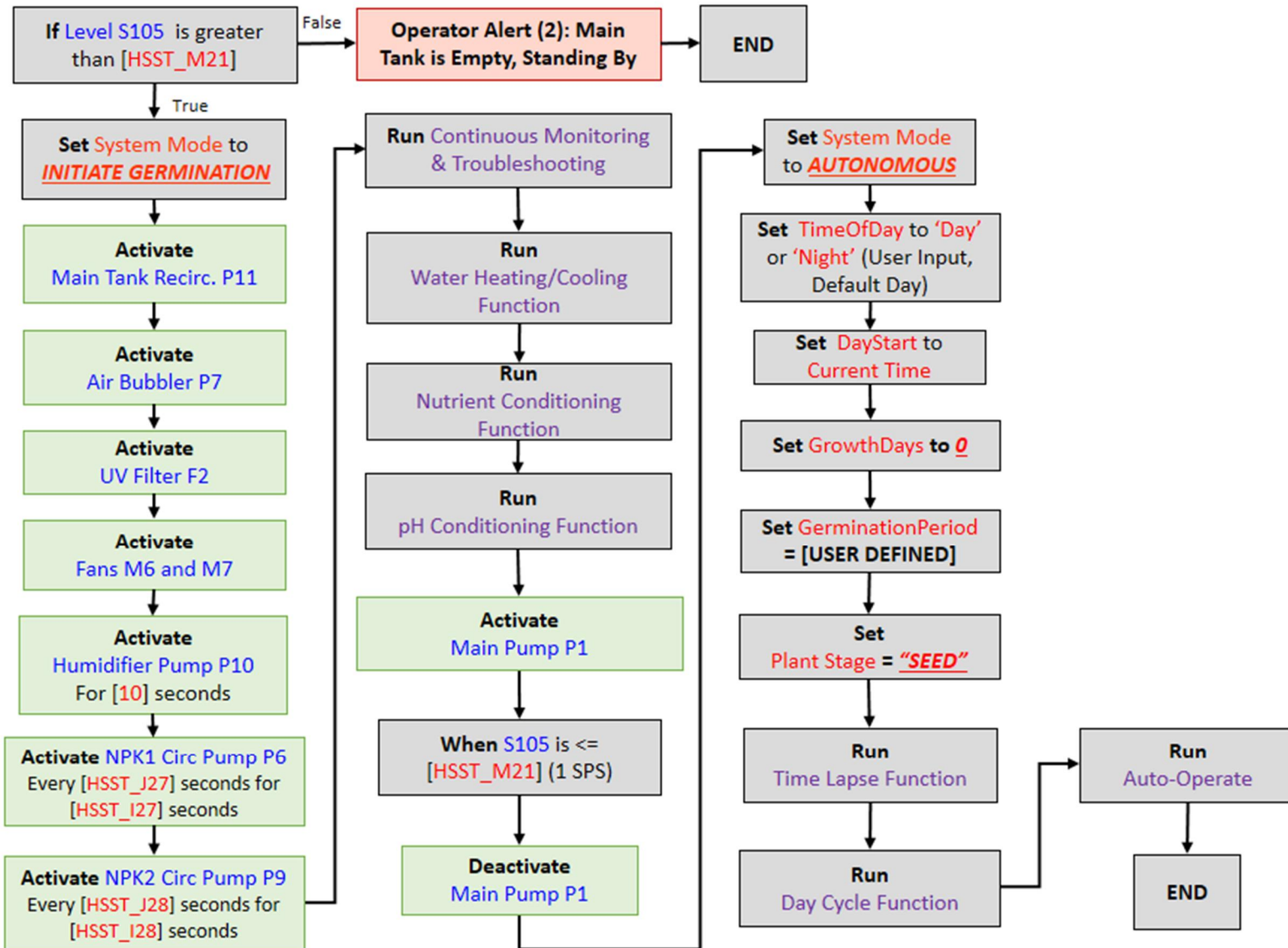
# X. CONTROL LOGIC FLOW DIAGRAM

Main System Control

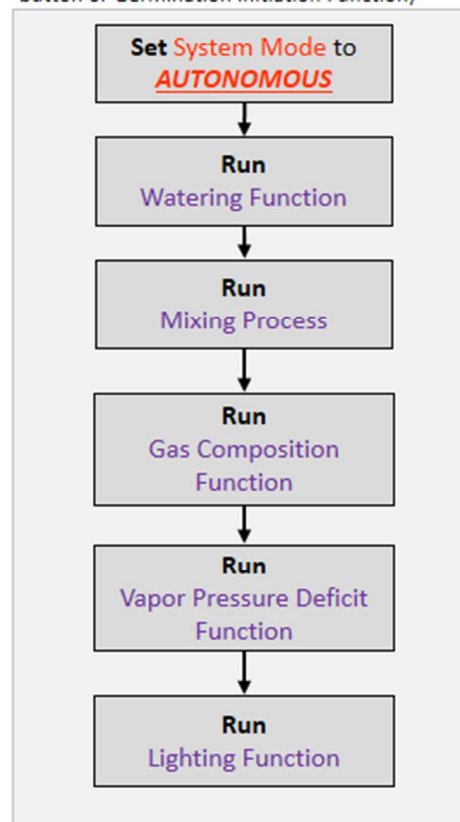


Still need to add logic for 'Seedling' versus 'Plant' Parameters, where they are different

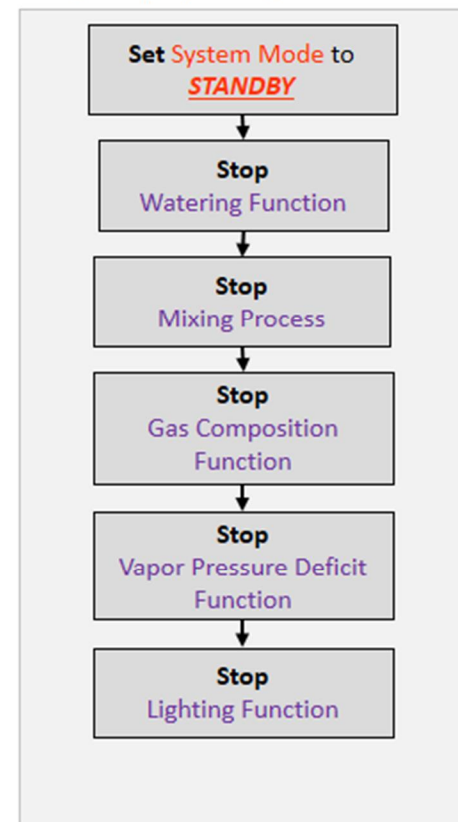
Initiate Germination (called by user interface command)



Auto-Operate (called by user interface 'Resume' button or Germination Initiation Function)

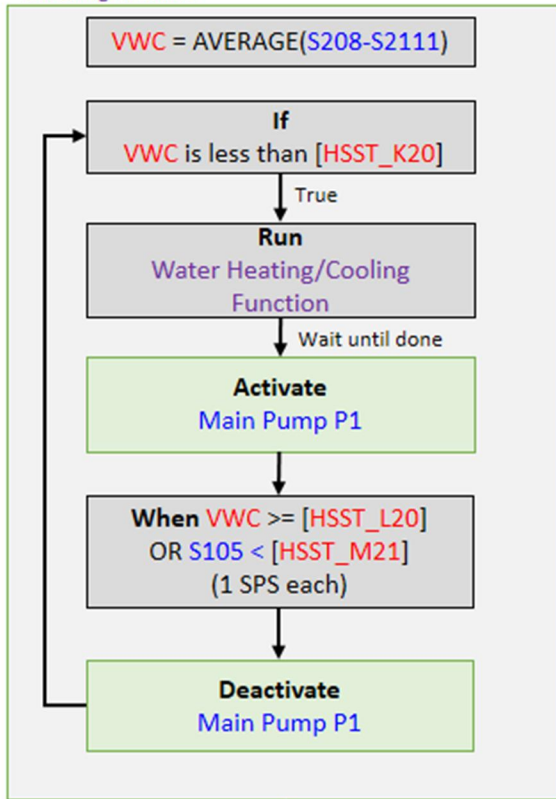


Tele-Operate (only called by user interface command)



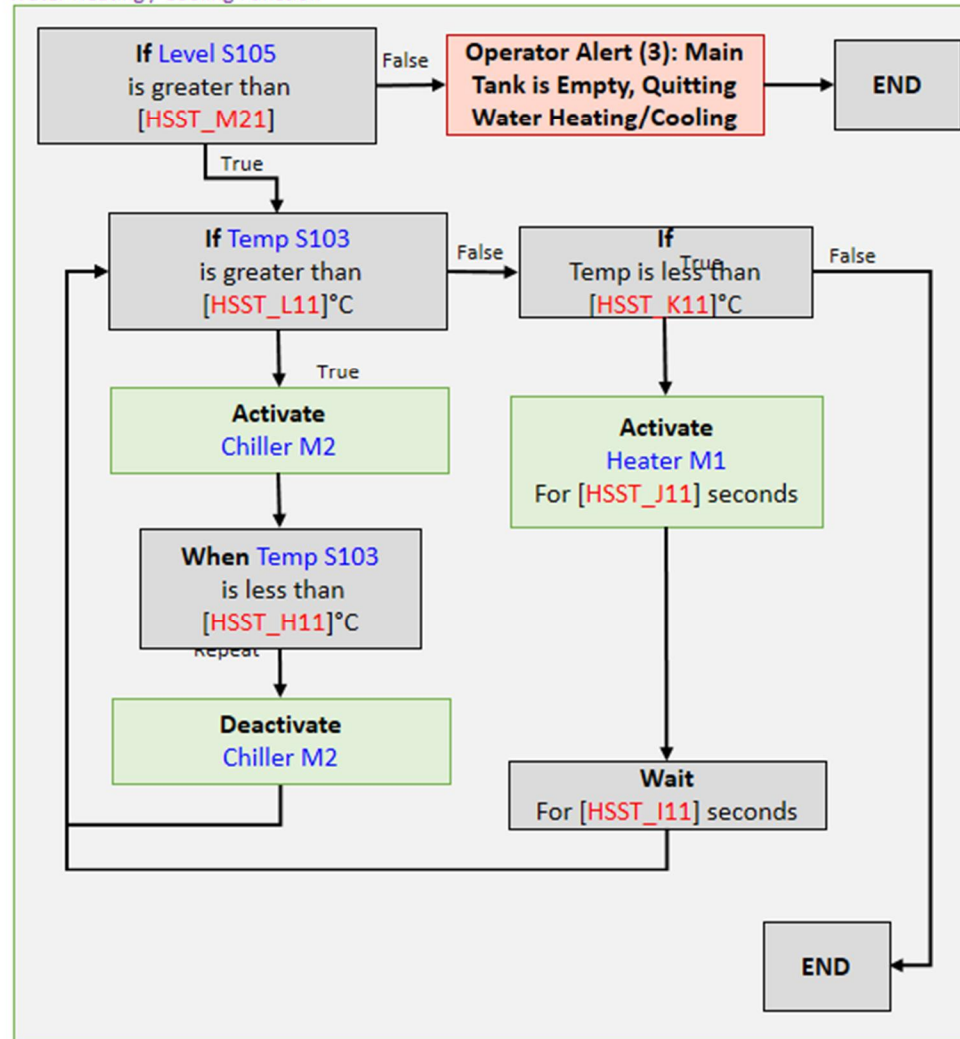


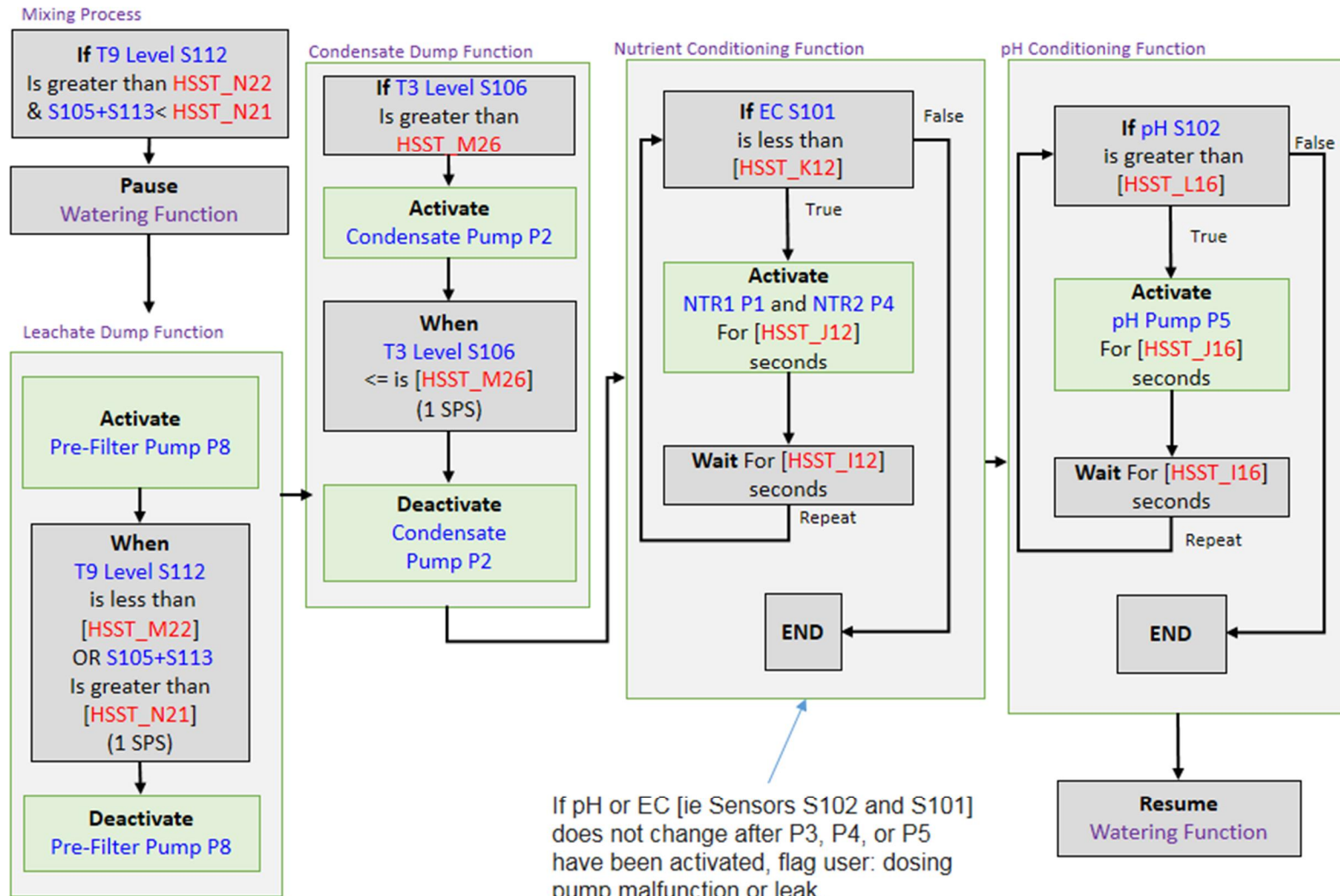
Watering Function



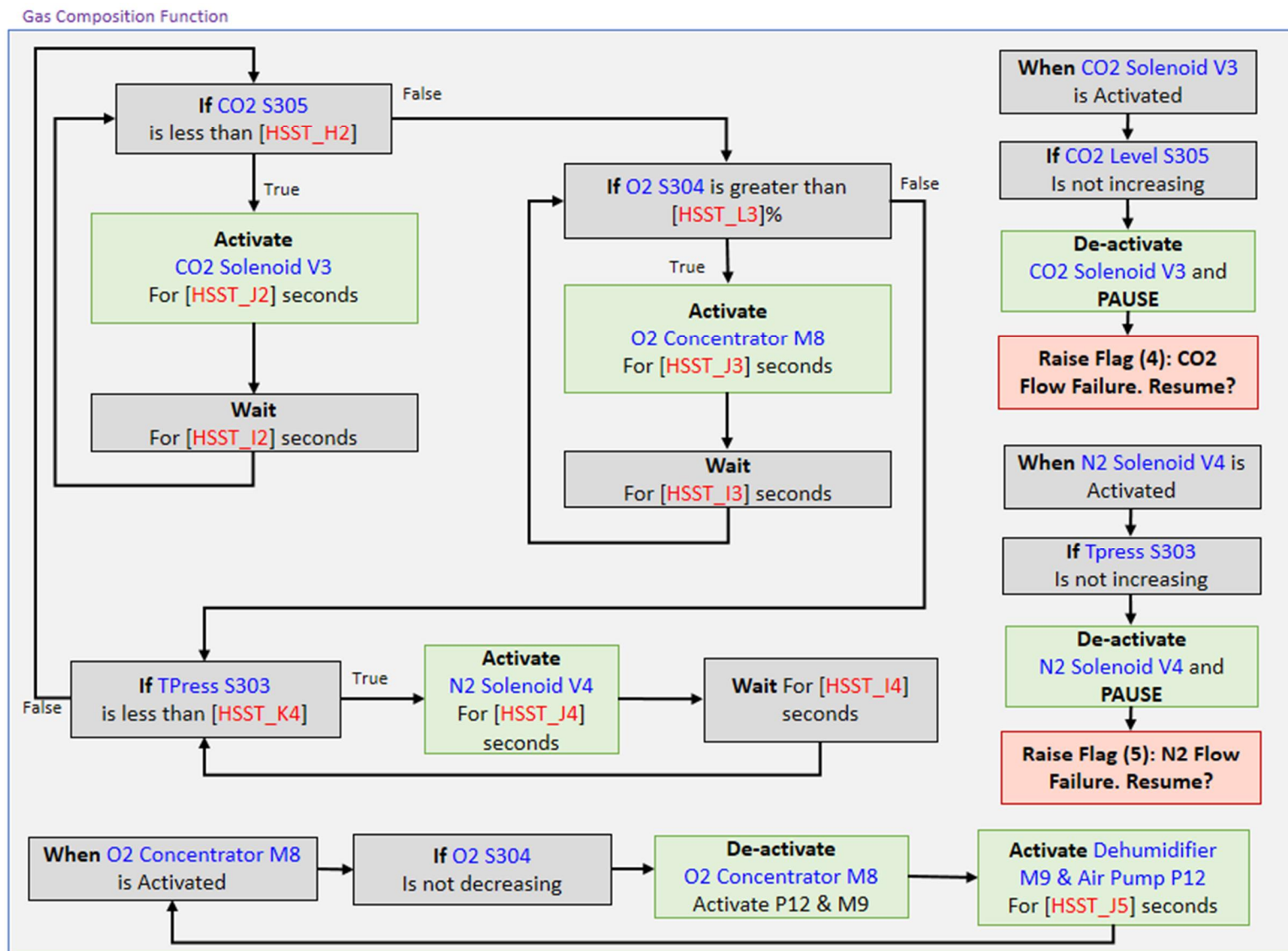
If Moisture Content [ie Sensors S208-S211] do not change after P1 has been activated, flag user: watering command malfunction. If Flow Sensor S110 indicates flow, the issue is with the drop ring (M5), if not, the issue is with the pump (P1).

Water Heating / Cooling Function

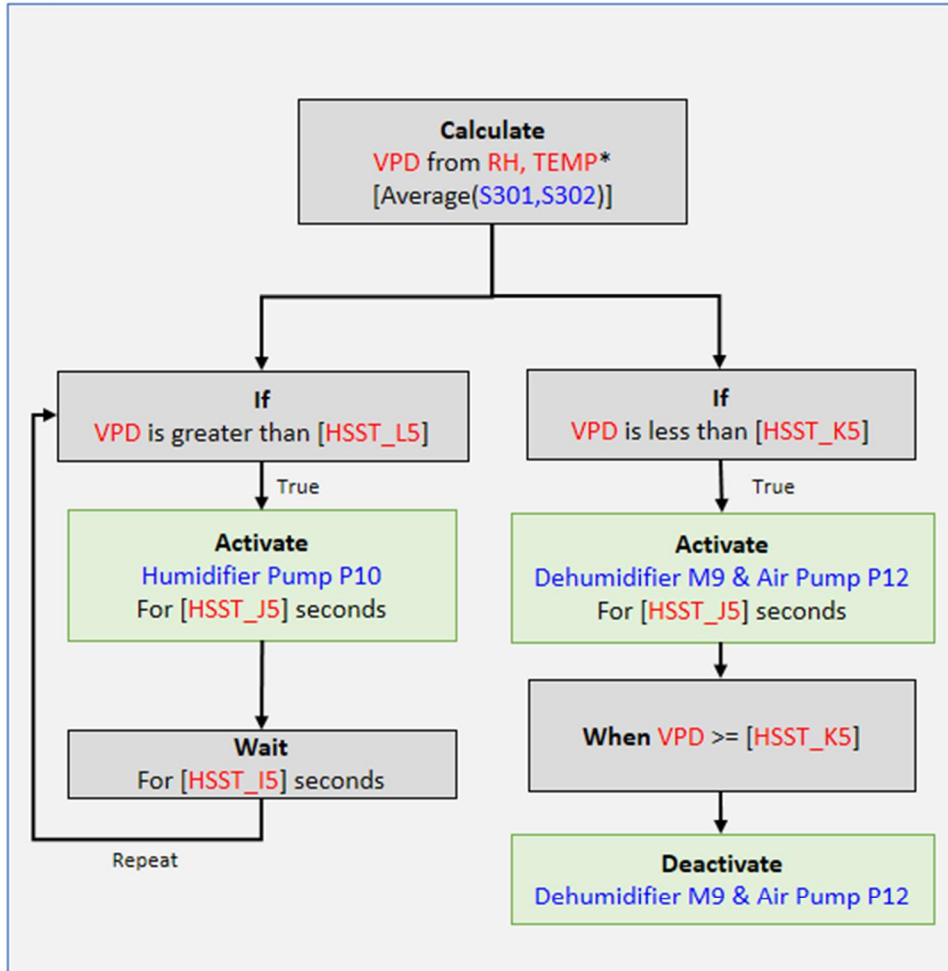








Vapor Pressure Deficit Function



After running P10, if RH does not increase after 60 seconds, send error message: Humidification Failure

\*VPD from RH, TEMP

$$T = T(^{\circ}\text{C}) + 273.15$$

$$A = -1.044 \times 10^4$$

$$B = -1.129 \times 10^1$$

$$C = -2.702 \times 10^{-2}$$

$$D = 1.289 \times 10^{-5}$$

$$E = -2.478 \times 10^{-9}$$

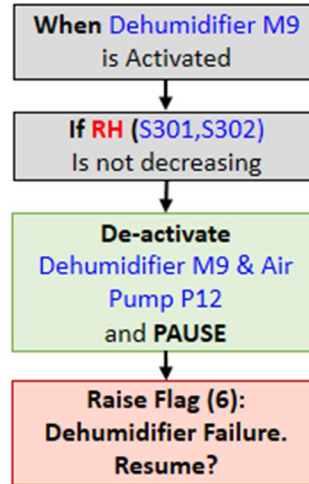
$$F = 6.456$$

$$vp_{sat} = e^{(A/T + B + CT + DT^2 + ET^3 + F \ln T)}$$

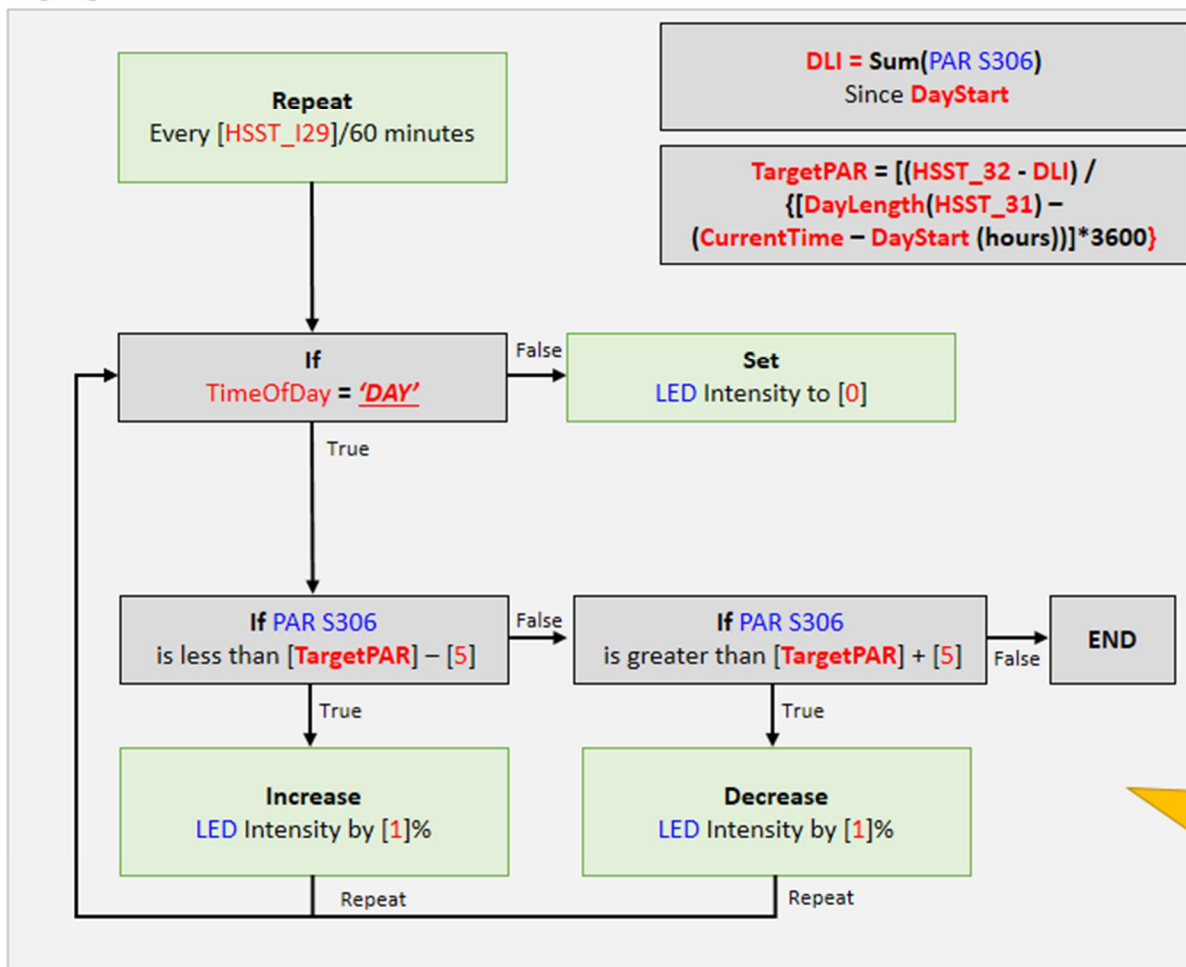
$$vp_{air} = vp_{sat} \times RH \div 100$$

$$VPD = vp_{sat} - vp_{air}$$

<http://ohioline.osu.edu/aex-fact/0804.html>



Lighting Function



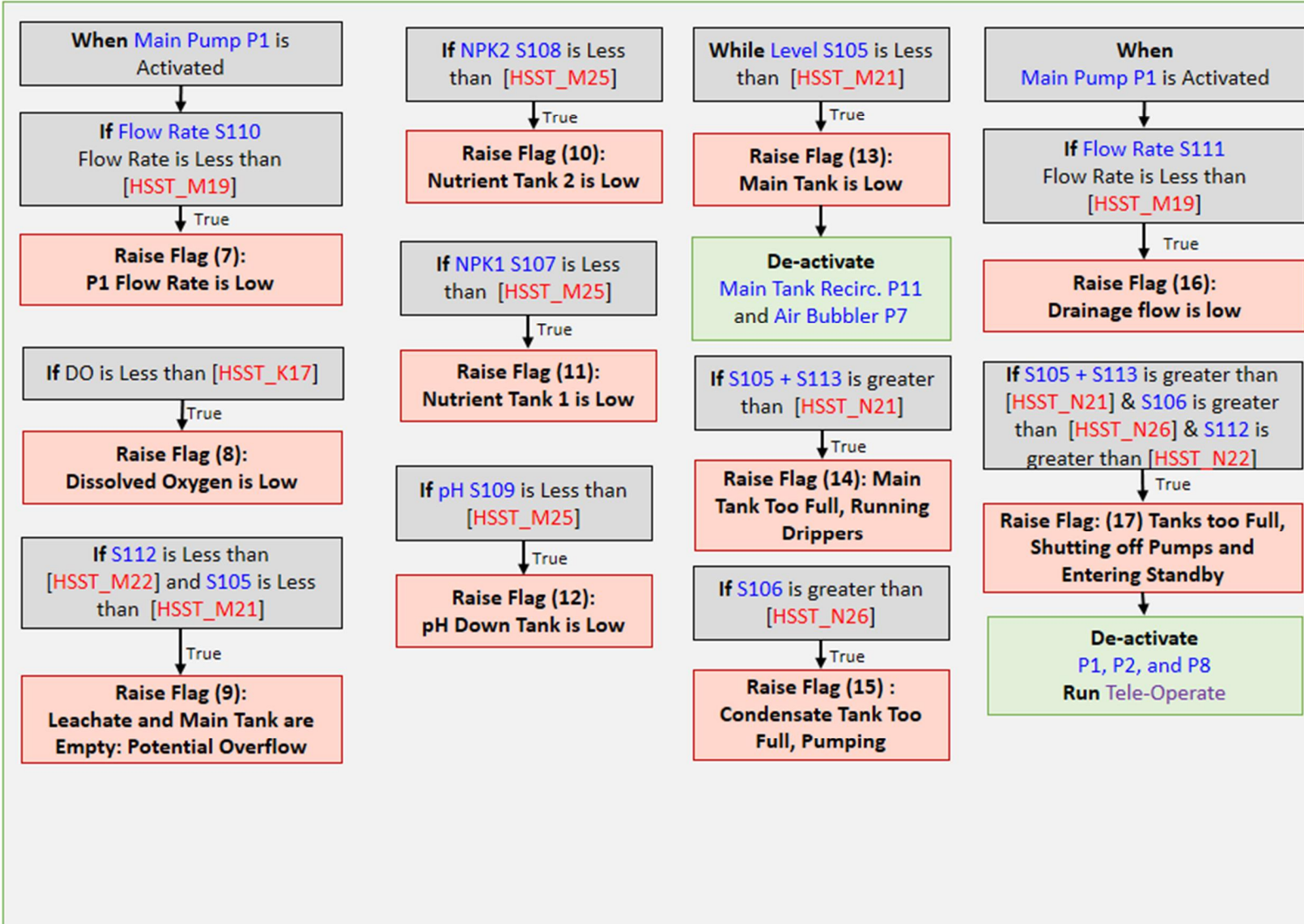
**DLI = Sum(PAR S306)**  
Since **DayStart**

**TargetPAR = [(HSST\_32 - DLI) /**  
**{[DayLength(HSST\_31) -**  
**(CurrentTime - DayStart (hours))]\*3600}**

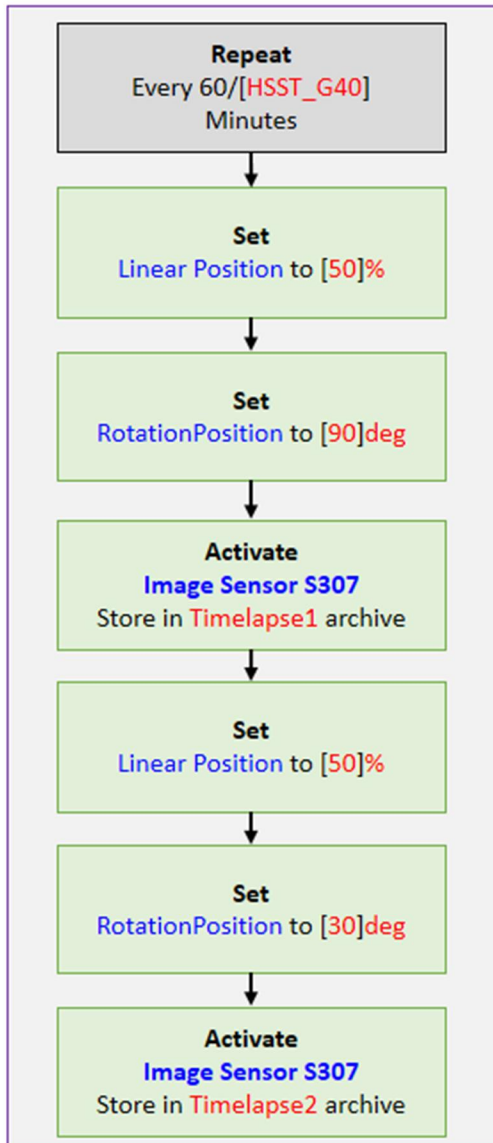
Still need to add logic for bracket control when LEDs are on

Continuous Monitoring and Troubleshooting

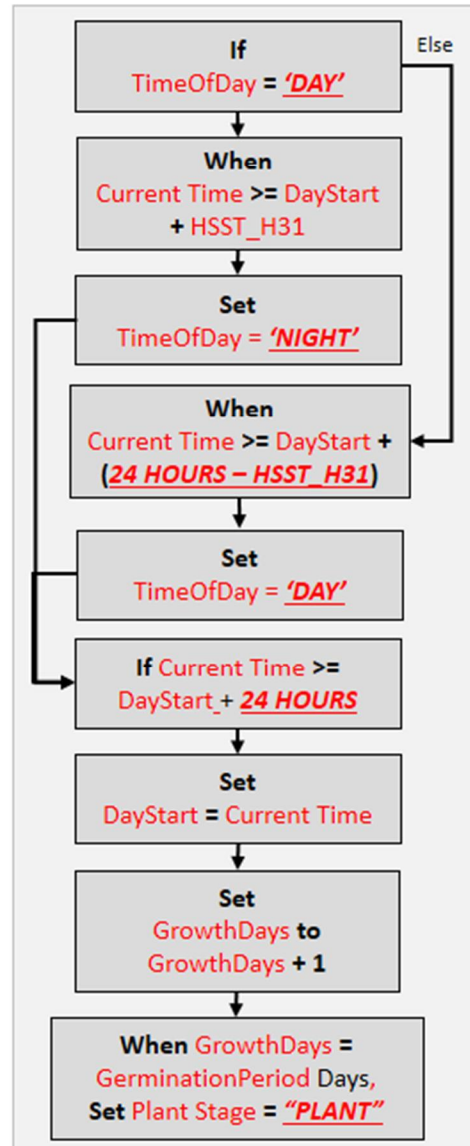
Continuous Concurrent Autonomous Operations



Timelapse Function



Day Cycle Function



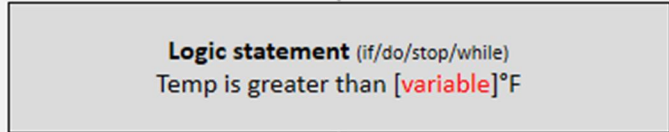
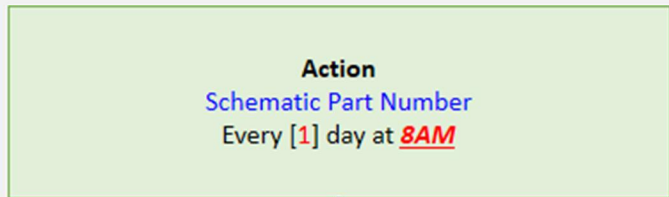


Legend

Lane (a set of related processes)

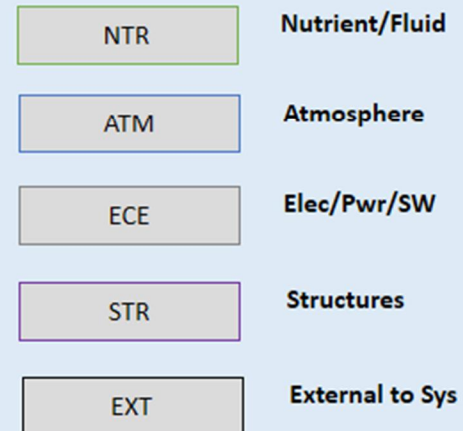
Process (a group of Functions)

Function (a group of commands)



Next Step Instruction or Query  
Condition

Function Borders by Subsystem



***HARDCODED VALUE***

[To be determined]

Logic Diagram Key

# User Flag IDs

| Flag ID | Alert Text                                              |
|---------|---------------------------------------------------------|
| 1       | System Shutting Down                                    |
| 2       | Main Tank is Empty, Standing By                         |
| 3       | Main Tank is Empty, Quitting Water Heating/Cooling      |
| 4       | CO2 Flow Failure. Resume?                               |
| 5       | N2 Flow Failure. Resume?                                |
| 6       | Dehumidifier Failure. Resume?                           |
| 7       | P1 Flow Rate is Low                                     |
| 8       | Dissolved Oxygen is Low                                 |
| 9       | Leachate and Main Tank are Empty: Potential Overflow    |
| 10      | Nutrient Tank 2 is Low                                  |
| 11      | Nutrient Tank 1 is Low                                  |
| 12      | pH Down Tank is Low                                     |
| 13      | Main Tank is Low                                        |
| 14      | Main Tank Too Full, Running Drippers                    |
| 15      | Condensate Tank Too Full, Pumping                       |
| 16      | Drainage flow is low                                    |
| 17      | Tanks too Full, Shutting off Pumps and Entering Standby |

# XI. SYSTEM REQUIREMENTS

## A. Definitions, Ground Rules, and Assumptions

### **Mission Statement:**

*Design a concept for a pre-deployable Martian greenhouse and develop a reduced-scope prototype to identify key science questions and engineering challenges.*

### **Rationale:**

In order to enable permanent human presence beyond Earth, a regenerative means of producing food must be available for long duration crewed space missions. A prototype greenhouse system will also serve as a platform for research-grade crop production studies in controlled environments.

### **Objectives:**

#### **1. Martian Greenhouse Concept**

- What does a system need to successfully grow food-producing plants on Mars?
- What are the engineering challenges associated with doing so?

#### **2. Reduced-Scope Prototype**

- Provide proof-of-concept for the overall conceptual system design.
- Demonstrate innovative approaches to a subset of engineering challenges.

| PROJECT DEFINITIONS AND ACRONYMS |                                                                                                                                                                                                              |
|----------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Controlled Environment           | Environment in which the parameters relative to the subject plant are monitored and controlled within set ranges.                                                                                            |
| Deployable Upon Landing          | 'Operable' upon landing.                                                                                                                                                                                     |
| HSST                             | Habitat Sensing Specification Table (contains specific environmental control requirements for the subject plant)                                                                                             |
| Materially Closed Environment    | Environment in which mass is conserved within the bounds of the environment, and pathways with the outside are eliminated.                                                                                   |
| MCLSS                            | Martian Crop Life Support System                                                                                                                                                                             |
| OASIS                            | Operational Agricultural System for In-Situ Specialization                                                                                                                                                   |
| <b>Payload</b>                   | Payload to be delivered to the Martian surface that includes the plant seeds, consumables, supporting structure, and all supporting systems for plant germination, growth, and maintenance prior to harvest. |
| Pre-Deployable                   | Delivered to the Martian surface prior to crewed missions, and is operational without human presence.                                                                                                        |
| Subject Plant                    | Plant chosen for growth in the prototype greenhouse and for the mission conceptual design baseline.                                                                                                          |



**GROUND RULES** *Source: G1-G9: X-Hab Challenge 2015 Solicitation, Desirable Features*

|     |                                                                                         |
|-----|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| G1. | Plants grown will be food producing.                                                    |
| G2. | MCLSS will be capable of being operated and maintained in extreme environments.         |
| G3. | MCLSS will have a small payload volume and mass.                                        |
| G4. | MCLSS will be deployable upon landing. (i.e., operable upon landing)                    |
| G5. | MCLSS will be pre-deployable (i.e., arrives and operates prior to astronauts arriving). |
| G6. | MCLSS will use pre-planted media or growing system.                                     |
| G7. | MCLSS will have a priming volume of water and required gases.                           |
| G8. | MCLSS will have a closed water loop.                                                    |
| G9. | MCLSS will be able to harvest and store O <sub>2</sub> generated from plants.           |

**ASSUMPTIONS**

|     |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |
|-----|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| A1. | The MCLSS will not incorporate means of delivery (or deployment) to the Martian surface.<br><i>Rationale: Given schedule constraints, delivery systems have been determined to be outside of this project's scope.</i>                  |
| A2. | Subject plant seeds survive transport to the Martian surface.                                                                                                                                                                           |
| A3. | The MCLSS will be self-powered, independent of spacecraft or lander systems.<br><i>Rationale: Without knowledge of the delivery system to the Martian system, we should not assume availability of power to support the greenhouse.</i> |
| A6. | Subject plant will be Outredgeous lettuce<br><i>Rationale: fast growing, baseline data, low maintenance, continuous harvest, nutritional content</i>                                                                                    |
| A7. | The MCLSS need only support plant cycle phases from germination up until (not through) harvest.<br><i>Rationale: Given schedule constraints, harvest and re-planting have been determined to be beyond this project's scope.</i>        |
| A8. | MCLSS will rely on telemetry system of orbiters (and/or lander) to communicate with Earth ground station.                                                                                                                               |

**SYSTEM LEVEL REQUIREMENTS**

|        |                                                                              |
|--------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| SYS1.1 | Plant growth area will be 1 m <sup>2</sup>                                   |
| SYS1.2 | MCLSS atmosphere will be 0.61 m tall.                                        |
| SYS2.1 | System shall provide remote control capability for initiating germination.   |
| SYS2.2 | System will provide nutrients for seed germination per the HSST.             |
| SYS2.3 | System will provide light necessary for seed germination per the HSST.       |
| SYS2.4 | System will provide moisture necessary for seed germination per the HSST.    |
| SYS2.5 | System will provide environment necessary for seed germination per the HSST. |

|        |                                                                                |
|--------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| SYS2.6 | System will provide power necessary to support seed germination .              |
| SYS3.1 | System will provide nutrients necessary for seedling growth per the HSST.      |
| SYS3.2 | System will provide light necessary for seedling growth per the HSST.          |
| SYS3.3 | System will provide water necessary for seedling growth per the HSST.          |
| SYS3.4 | System will provide environment necessary for seedling growth per the HSST.    |
| SYS3.5 | System will provide power needed for seedling growth.                          |
| SYS4.1 | System shall protect the plant subject from harm due to environmental hazards. |
| SYS4.2 | System shall provide control of environmental parameters and consumables.      |
| SYS4.3 | System shall ensure harvest ready plants are edible.                           |
| SYS4.4 | System will provide power needed for health maintenance.                       |
| SYS4.5 | System shall protect the sub-systems from harm due to environmental hazards.   |

## B. Concept to Prototype Change Summary

| Operating Environment                    | Concept (Mars)                                                                                                           | Prototype (Lab, No Additional Env. Testing)                                                             |
|------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Gravity                                  | 3.7 m/s <sup>2</sup> (~2/5 Earth Gravity)                                                                                | 9.8 m/s <sup>2</sup>                                                                                    |
| Atmospheric Pressure (Outside/Inside /Δ) | 0.6 /35 /34.4 kPa                                                                                                        | 101 /101/0 kPa                                                                                          |
| External Atmospheric Composition         | 95.3% CO <sub>2</sub> , 2.7% N <sub>2</sub> , 1.6% Ar, 0.13 O <sub>2</sub> , 0.08% CO                                    | 78% N <sub>2</sub> , 21% O <sub>2</sub> , trace amounts of H <sub>2</sub> O, Ar, CO <sub>2</sub> , etc) |
| Temperature Range Outside                | -75°C to -2°C (-103 to 28 °F), Equatorial, Gale Crator                                                                   | 18-14 °C (65-75°F), Laboratory                                                                          |
| Magnetic Field                           | No global magnetic field                                                                                                 | Global Magnetic Field                                                                                   |
| Light                                    | 590W/m <sup>2</sup> maximum, 24.67 hours per day                                                                         | 590W/m <sup>2</sup> maximum, 24.67 hours per day (Simulated with lamps)                                 |
| Wind Speed                               | 10 m/s average (~30 m/s maximum)                                                                                         | 0 m/s                                                                                                   |
| Environmental Hazards                    | Dust, Solar radiation, micro-meterites                                                                                   | None                                                                                                    |
| Requirement                              | Concept Approach                                                                                                         | Prototype Approach                                                                                      |
| CO <sub>2</sub> Provision (ATM 2.2)      | Filtrete filter and fan to a compressor and storage tank                                                                 | CO <sub>2</sub> cylinders will provide needed CO <sub>2</sub> via solenoid actuators.                   |
| Oxygen Removal (ATM3.2)                  | Pressure Swing Adsorption; Zeolites for N <sub>2</sub> adsorption and recovery                                           | Nitrogen depleted atmosphere will be vented to lab                                                      |
| Excess Oxygen Storage (ATM3.3)           | <i>Oxygen will be stored after passing through the PSA adsorption columns.</i>                                           | Atmospheric management system will measure atmospheric O <sub>2</sub> vented from the system.           |
| N <sub>2</sub> Provision (ATM4)          | Volume of nitrogen will be launched from Earth in payload.                                                               | Nitrogen will be delivered from tanks in the lab via solenoid actuators                                 |
| Relative Humidity Adjustment (ATM6.2)    | Intake fans bring in wet air over the cooling loops to condense water. The water is sent to the water management system. | COTS dehumidifier, misting system; water is sent to water management system.                            |
| Data Handling (CC1.1, CC3)               | RAD6000                                                                                                                  | Beaglebone Black                                                                                        |
| Plant Image Spatial Coverage (CC4.1.2)   | Camera slides along moveable bracket, giving coverage close to 360 degrees circumferentially.                            | Two cameras mounted 45 degrees from horizontal plane on curved bracket.                                 |
| Data Telemetry (CC5 and COM1.1)          | Data compressed prior to transmission and uplinked to Mars orbiters.                                                     | Compressed data packets from microprocessor will be transmitted to online server                        |
| Lighting Provision (LT1,LT2)             | Natural/artificial hybrid light system with LEDs mounted on strip on moveable bracket                                    | Simulated in-situ light and artificial LEDs mounted on strip on moveable bracket.                       |
| Dissolved Oxygen Injection (NTR5.2)      | Pure O <sub>2</sub> from storage tanks will be bubbled through main reservoir                                            | Air from external atmosphere MCLSS will be bubbled through main reservoir                               |
| Power Provision (PWR1-12)                | Flexible photovoltaics on inside of clamshell lid w/ solid-                                                              | AC wall outlet and power processing unit for                                                            |

|                                                                                                                 |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |                                                                                                        |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
|                                                                                                                 | state lithium ion battery storage; power processing unit for distribution                                                                                                                                                                                                         | distribution.                                                                                          |
| <b>Growing Area (STR1)</b>                                                                                      | Pill shaped structure will contain a 1 m <sup>2</sup> growth area                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | 3 ft diameter skylight dome will contain a 2' x 2' plant growth area for the prototype.                |
| <b>Growing Height (STR2)</b>                                                                                    | Upper shell will have average height of 0.61m                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     | COTS skylight dome will provide minimum of 12" from plant base to ceiling with a maximum height of 20" |
| <b>Structure Fits Through Door (STR3)</b>                                                                       | N/A                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | Structure is 4qwide on castors and can fit through 6 foot doorway.                                     |
| <b>Outgassing Protection (STR4.1)</b>                                                                           | MPPS structure exposed to vacuum shall be made of materials with TML and CVCM according to NASA outgassing standards.                                                                                                                                                             | Not Applicable to Prototype                                                                            |
| <b>MPPS structrue shall attenuate UV-C wavelengths (&lt;280nm) by at least 95% during a growth cycle (STR5)</b> | PEEK and polycarbonate attenuate UVC wavelengths by >99%                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | Not Applicable to Prototype                                                                            |
| <b>Passive Thermal Control (STR7)</b>                                                                           | Large thermal mass ( > 200,000 J/K); polycarbonate upper shell allows visible and IR radiation to pass through; clamshell lid insulates at night; PEEK for lower shell has low thermal conductivity; aerogel and multilayer insulation; cushion for additional thermal protection | Not Required in Laboratory Environment: No clamshell lid, thermal insulation or cushion included       |
| <b>Natural Light Transmission (STR8)</b>                                                                        | Polycarbonate upper-shell w/ Clamshell Lid with actuation for open/close                                                                                                                                                                                                          | Transparent dome will allow natural light transmission                                                 |
| <b>Moveable w/ &lt;50 lb Force</b>                                                                              | Not Applicable                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    | MCLSS prototype will be on castors                                                                     |
| <b>Atmospheric Heat Input (TC1, TC2.2)</b>                                                                      | System will use aerogel insulation and a heater to maintain desirable temperature levels.                                                                                                                                                                                         | Not applicable to prototype                                                                            |
| <b>Atmospheric Heat Removal (TC2.3)</b>                                                                         | Clam shell will remain open if system overheats, heat exchanger                                                                                                                                                                                                                   | Misting will occur to decrease atmospheric temperature                                                 |
| <b>Air Flow Measurement (TC3.1)</b>                                                                             | Anemometers uniformly spaced throughout growing area                                                                                                                                                                                                                              | Not Applicable to Prototype (due to cost)                                                              |
| <b>Water Supply Pathogen Removal (WTR3.4)</b>                                                                   | System will expose reservoir water to in-situ UV-C light                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | UV-C lamp before reservoir and after pre-filter                                                        |
| <b>Water Flow Rate Monitoring (WTR3.5.1)</b>                                                                    | Flow meter at growth tray outlet                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | Estimated from pump status and tank water level                                                        |

## C. Mars OASIS Requirements with Conceptual and Prototype Design Approaches

| L2.1 ATMOSPHERE |                                                                                                                                   |                                                                                   |                                                                                   |                                                                                                                                                                                                |
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| ReqID           | Requirement                                                                                                                       | Concept Approach                                                                  | Prototype Req.                                                                    | Prototype Approach                                                                                                                                                                             |
| ATM1            | Atmospheric management system will provide priming volume of gases necessary for seed germination per the HSST.                   | Volume of gases necessary for germination will be launched from Earth in payload. | Same                                                                              | CO2 cylinder will provide needed CO2 via solenoid actuators (T7 to R1 to V3 to V6); N2 cylinder will provide makeup gas.                                                                       |
| ATM1.1          | Atmospheric management system should have mechanism to release priming volume when and as directed by Command and Control System. | Valves will release priming volume                                                | Same                                                                              | Same                                                                                                                                                                                           |
| ATM2            | Atmospheric Management system shall maintain controlled atmospheric CO2 concentration per HSST.                                   | System will use in-situ CO2 to replenish CO2 concentration.                       | Same                                                                              | See 2.1-2.3                                                                                                                                                                                    |
| ATM2.1          | Atmospheric Management system shall measure atmospheric CO2 concentration levels per HSST.                                        | CO2 sensors will measure CO2 concentration.                                       | Same                                                                              | Same                                                                                                                                                                                           |
| ATM2.2          | Atmospheric Management system shall deliver CO2 when and as directed by Command and Control System.                               | Filtrete filter and fan to a compressor and storage tank                          | Same                                                                              | CO2 cylinders will provide needed CO2 via solenoid actuators (T7 to R1 to V3 to V6, air pushed by M7 circulation fan)                                                                          |
| ATM2.3          | Atmospheric Management system should passively maintain stable target CO2 concentration.                                          | Structure will be sealed. See requirement STR3                                    | Same                                                                              | Same                                                                                                                                                                                           |
| ATM3            | System shall maintain controlled atmospheric O2 concentration per HSST.                                                           | Oxygen will be scrubbed and stored via pressure swing adsorption.                 | Same                                                                              | See 3.1-3.3                                                                                                                                                                                    |
| ATM3.1          | Atmospheric Management system shall measure atmospheric O2 concentration levels per HSST.                                         | O2 sensors will measure O2 concentration.                                         | Same                                                                              | Sensor 304 measures oxygen                                                                                                                                                                     |
| ATM3.2          | Atmospheric Management system shall remove O2 when and as directed by Command and Control System.                                 | Pressure Swing Adsorption; Zeolites for N2 adsorption and recovery                | Same                                                                              | Oxygen will be removed by oxygen concentrator, going through intake Z12 or Z8, through valve V8, into M8 (concentrator)                                                                        |
| ATM3.3          | Atmospheric Management system should safely harvest and store excess atmospheric O2.                                              | Oxygen will be stored after passing through the PSA adsorption columns.           | Atmospheric management system will measure atmospheric O2 vented from the system. | oxygen concentration coming from O2 concentrator will be characterized in system testing, and the O2 vented will be estimated from the time during which the oxygen concentrator is activated. |
| ATM3.3.1        | System should maintain O2 levels below 30%                                                                                        | Oxygen will be removed and stored                                                 | Same                                                                              | See 3.2                                                                                                                                                                                        |
| ATM3.4          | Atmospheric Management system should passively maintain stable target O2 concentration.                                           | Structure will be sealed. See requirement STR3                                    | Same                                                                              | Same                                                                                                                                                                                           |

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| ATM4   | Atmospheric Management system shall maintain controlled atmospheric concentration of Nitrogen gas.               | Volume of nitrogen will be launched from Earth in payload.                                                                                                                                                                                                             | Same | N2 cylinders will provide needed N2 via solenoid actuators (T8 to R2 to V4 to Z6, air pushed by M7 circulation fan)                                                                                                         |
| ATM4.1 | Atmospheric Management system shall measure N2 gas concentration levels per HSST.                                | Total pressure, O2, and CO2 will be measured, and N2 concentration derived.                                                                                                                                                                                            | Same | Same                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |
| ATM4.2 | Atmospheric Management system shall deliver N2 gas when and as directed by Command and Control System.           | Nitrogen will be delivered from tanks in the bioastro lab via solenoid actuators.                                                                                                                                                                                      | Same | Same as ATM4                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| ATM4.3 | Atmospheric Management system should passively maintain stable target concentration of N2 gas.                   | Structure will be sealed. See requirement STR3                                                                                                                                                                                                                         | Same | Same                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |
| ATM5   | Atmospheric Management system shall not allow trace contaminants to exceed tolerable limits per HSST.            | Ethylene contaminants will be removed with ethylene sorbers                                                                                                                                                                                                            | Same | Same                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |
| ATM5.3 | Atmospheric Management system shall passively remove Ethylene from the atmosphere.                               | Zeolite sorber to oxidize ethylene and positive pressure to move air through filter                                                                                                                                                                                    | Same | Same                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |
| ATM6   | Atmospheric Management system shall maintain controlled atmospheric relative humidity per HSST.                  | A dehumidifier design has been made that sends refrigerant to the exterior, is cooled, and then sent over cooling loops. Intake fans bring in wet air over the cooling loops to condense water. The water is sent to the nutrient subsystem for storage and treatment. | Same | COTS dehumidifier, combined with mister (from T3 to P10 through Z7 to M10, mist nozzle to humidify; air through Z12 through M9 to T3 to dehumidify)                                                                         |
| ATM6.1 | Atmospheric Management system shall measure atmospheric relative humidity.                                       | RH/Temperature Sensors                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | Same | Sensors S301-S302                                                                                                                                                                                                           |
| ATM6.2 | Atmospheric Management system shall adjust relative humidity when and as directed by Command and Control System. | Water vapor from main water reservoir and external heat exchanger to condense water vapor                                                                                                                                                                              | Same | See ATM6                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |
| ATM6.3 | Atmospheric Management system should passively maintain stable target atmospheric relative humidity.             | Structure will be sealed. See requirement STR3                                                                                                                                                                                                                         | Same | Same                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |
| ATM6.4 | Atmospheric Management system shall send condensed excess water vapor to nutrient and fluids management system.  | Water will be sent with water tubes.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   | Same | Water vapor to travel from M9 (dehumidifier) to T3 (Condensate Tank)                                                                                                                                                        |
| ATM7   | System shall maintain atmospheric pressure per HSST.                                                             | CO2, O2, and N2 systems will be controllable to maintain desired pressure; relief valve for overpressure                                                                                                                                                               | Same | After achieving desired partial pressure of CO2 and O2, N2 will be added (see ATM4) to achieve desired total pressure. In the event of overpressurization, O2 concentrator can be run, port of Jordan or relieve valve will |

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| ATM7.1                          | System shall measure atmospheric pressure.                                                                                                                                                                                 | Pressure sensors will measure atmospheric pressure.                                                              | Same           | Sensor S303                                                                                   |
| ATM7.2                          | System shall adjust atmospheric pressure when and as directed by Command and Control System                                                                                                                                | Relief valves, CO2, N2, O2 control                                                                               | Same           | See ATM7                                                                                      |
| ATM7.3                          | System shall passively maintain target atmospheric pressure.                                                                                                                                                               | Structure will be sealed. See requirement STR3                                                                   | Same           | Structure will be sealed and include emergency relief valves for over or underpressurization. |
| ATM8                            | System shall maintain pressure delta no greater than 0.1 psi from ambient laboratory pressure.                                                                                                                             | N/A to concept                                                                                                   | Same           | System will employ manometer for 0.1 psi pressure relief                                      |
| <b>L2.2 COMMAND AND CONTROL</b> |                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |                                                                                                                  |                |                                                                                               |
| ReqID                           | Requirement                                                                                                                                                                                                                | Concept Approach                                                                                                 | Prototype Req. | Prototype Approach                                                                            |
| CC1                             | Command and Control System shall activate MCLSS upon receipt of authorization from Earth ground station.                                                                                                                   | Via GUI at ground station on Earth                                                                               | Same           | Same                                                                                          |
| CC1.1                           | Command and Control System shall deliver system status data defined in the Software Reference to Communications system.                                                                                                    | Via data handling on RAD6000.                                                                                    | Same           | Data handling on Beaglebone Black.                                                            |
| CC2                             | Command and Control System shall send actuation command for germination upon receipt of authorization from Earth ground station.                                                                                           | After receipt of command from GUI, Germination Mode will be initiated and actuation signals sent as appropriate. | Same           | Same                                                                                          |
| CC3                             | Command and Control system shall autonomously control subsystems to adjust growth parameters based on data received from sub-system monitors.                                                                              | Algorithmic based control through RAD6000; components actuated through relay control                             | Same           | Algorithmic based control through Beaglebone Black, according to Control Logic structure      |
| CC3.1                           | Command and Control system shall receive growth parameter data from sub-system sensors as defined in MarsOASIS ICD                                                                                                         | Sensors will return data to microprocessor                                                                       | Same           | Same                                                                                          |
| CC3.2                           | Command and Control system shall process growth condition parameters from sub-system data.                                                                                                                                 | RAD6000 Microprocessor                                                                                           | Same           | Beaglebone Black Processor                                                                    |
| CC3.3                           | Command and Control system shall determine actuation requirements based on measured and required growth parameters, as specified in the HSST.                                                                              | Algorithmic based control through RAD6000.                                                                       | Same           | Algorithmic based control through Beaglebone Black, according to Control Logic structure      |
| CC3.4                           | Command and Control System shall send actuation signals to subsystems to adjust controlled growth conditions to nominal levels when the measured state is outside of the ideal range for longer than the allowed duration. | Algorithmic based control through RAD6000.                                                                       | Same           | Algorithmic based control through Beaglebone Black, according to Control Logic structure      |
| CC3.5                           | Command and Control System shall deliver growth parameter data to Communications system as defined in Software Reference.                                                                                                  | Data will be compressed and sent via RAD6000.                                                                    | Same           | Data will be compressed and sent via RAD6000                                                  |

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| CC4     | Command and Control System shall monitor sub-system health, as defined in Software Reference                                                                                                       | Combination of sensor readings and algorithms on microprocessor.                                  | Same                                                                                     | Same                                                                                                                         |
| CC4.1   | Command and Control system shall monitor plant health.                                                                                                                                             | USB/i2c cameras mounted on track on adjustable bracket; JPEG compression; OpenCV image processing | Same                                                                                     | Same                                                                                                                         |
| CC4.1.1 | At least one image at a fixed position of the full plant shall be delivered to the Communications system at least every 4 hours while the system is operating.                                     | Timer controlled relay will operate cameras. Fixed position to be defined in HSST.                | Same                                                                                     | Same                                                                                                                         |
| CC4.1.2 | The command and control system will deliver a plant image within 45 degrees of a requested circumferential angle to the Communications system when commanded by the Earth ground station operator. | Camera will be able to move along bracket, capable of reaching ~360 degree field of view          | Command and control system will deliver plant image within 5 degrees of requested angle. | One camera, mounted on rotating bracket, and moving along bracket with linear actuators, allowing ~360 degree field of view. |
| CC4.2   | Command and Control system shall monitor the external environment per the HSST.                                                                                                                    | Via sensors listed on sensor map                                                                  | Same                                                                                     | S401-405                                                                                                                     |
| CC4.2.1 | Command and Control system shall receive external environment data from system sensors as defined in the HSST.                                                                                     | Sensors will return data to microprocessor.                                                       | Same                                                                                     | Same                                                                                                                         |
| CC4.2.2 | Command and Control System shall deliver external environment data to Communications system.                                                                                                       | Via algorithmic control on microprocessor                                                         | Same                                                                                     | Same                                                                                                                         |
| CC4.3   | Command and Control system shall monitor sub-system health indicators as defined in Software Reference..                                                                                           | Combination of sensor readings and control algorithms on microprocessor.                          | Same                                                                                     | Same                                                                                                                         |
| CC4.3.1 | Command and Control system shall receive system status data from system sensors as defined in Software Reference.                                                                                  | Data will be stored and delivered. Data processing for analysis will be done on Earth.            | Same                                                                                     | Same                                                                                                                         |
| CC4.3.2 | Command and Control System shall deliver system status data to Communications system.                                                                                                              | Data defined in ICD will be stored and delivered to online server.                                | Same                                                                                     | Same                                                                                                                         |
| CC5     | Command and Control system shall receive telemetered command signals from Earth based ground station                                                                                               | Data will delivered via online server.                                                            | Same                                                                                     | Same                                                                                                                         |
| CC6     | Command and Control System shall send override actuation signals to power switchable components when instructed by Communications system.                                                          | Via algorithmic control on microprocessor                                                         | Same                                                                                     | Same                                                                                                                         |

### L2.3 COMMUNICATIONS

| ReqID  | Requirement                                                                                   | Concept Approach                                                                                                                                                              | Prototype Req.        | Prototype Approach               |
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| COM1   | Communications system shall record and display all monitored data at an Earth ground station. | Web-based GUI that can be accessed by general public with special login authority for those who need it to see more detailed parametric data and use tele-operated functions. | Same                  | Same                             |
| COM1.1 | Communications system shall telemeter all monitored                                           | Data compressed prior to transmission                                                                                                                                         | Communications system | All information will come off in |



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|                      | data to Martian orbiter(s)                                                                                                                                                             | and uplinked to Mars orbiters                                                                                                                                                | shall transmit all monitored data to MCLSS prototype ground station. | compressed data packets from microprocessor and sent to online server.                          |
| COM1.2               | Communications system shall provide graphical visualization of monitored data on Earth based ground support equipment, as defined in Software Reference.                               | GUI. Website that can be accessed by general public with special login authority for those who need it to see more detailed parametric data and use tele-operated functions. | Same                                                                 | Same                                                                                            |
| COM1.2.1             | Communication system will provide alerts when system health is at medium or high risk as defined in the HSST.                                                                          | via GUI                                                                                                                                                                      | Same                                                                 | Same                                                                                            |
| COM1.3               | Communications system shall log monitoring and event data received at the Earth ground station.                                                                                        | See 1.3.1                                                                                                                                                                    | Same                                                                 | Same                                                                                            |
| COM1.3.1             | System data file defined in the Software Reference will be recorded and stored at least every 60 minutes while the system is active.                                                   | Data storage on cloud and backup on board storage                                                                                                                            | Same                                                                 | Same                                                                                            |
| COM1.3.2             | System data file defined in the Software Reference will be recorded and stored when requested by the ground station operator.                                                          | See 1.3.1                                                                                                                                                                    | Same                                                                 | Same                                                                                            |
| COM2                 | Communications system shall provide remote override capability for controlled conditions from ground station.                                                                          | GUI will send updated HSST values to HSST file on server                                                                                                                     | Same                                                                 | Same                                                                                            |
| COM2.1               | Communications system shall include user interface option to simulate a time lag of in the receipt and transmission of all data to and from the MCLSS of a duration input by the user. | N/A                                                                                                                                                                          | Same                                                                 | Time lag option on GUI will enforce a defined transmission delay to and from the microprocessor |
| COM3                 | Communications system shall deliver system activation signal to Command and Control System when commanded by ground station operator.                                                  | GUI will send activation signal from interface to processor                                                                                                                  | Same                                                                 | Same                                                                                            |
| COM4                 | Communications system shall deliver germination activation signal to Command and Control System when commanded by ground station operator.                                             | GUI will send germination signal from interface to processor                                                                                                                 | Same                                                                 | Same                                                                                            |
| COM5                 | Communication system shall deliver image acquisition signal to Command and Control System when commanded by ground station that includes the desired circumferential image angle.      | GUI will send camera command to processor that includes desired camera angle parameters.                                                                                     | Same                                                                 | Same                                                                                            |
| <b>L2.4 LIGHTING</b> |                                                                                                                                                                                        |                                                                                                                                                                              |                                                                      |                                                                                                 |
| <b>ReqID</b>         | <b>Requirement</b>                                                                                                                                                                     | <b>Concept Approach</b>                                                                                                                                                      | <b>Prototype Req.</b>                                                | <b>Prototype Approach</b>                                                                       |
| LT1                  | Lighting system will provide light necessary for seed germination per HSST.                                                                                                            | See LT2                                                                                                                                                                      | Same                                                                 | Same                                                                                            |

| LT2                           | Lighting system shall maintain controlled light levels for seedling growth.                                               | Natural/artificial hybrid light system with red and blue LEDs mounted on strip on moveable bracket                                               | Same           | Simulated in-situ light and white LEDs mounted on strip on moveable bracket.                                                                                               |
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| LT2.1                         | Lighting system shall measure PAR intensity per HSST.                                                                     | Light (PAR) sensor                                                                                                                               | Same           | S306                                                                                                                                                                       |
| LT2.2                         | Lighting system shall adjust PAR intensity when and as directed by Command and Control System.                            | Red/Blue LEDs mounted on adjustable bracket, controlled separately. Intensity in blue and red spectrums will be independently controlled by PWM. | Same           | Same                                                                                                                                                                       |
| LT 2.4                        | <i>Light should be uniformly distributed over entire growing area.</i>                                                    | LEDs will be uniformly spaced along bracket. Analysis will be done to evaluate light distribution given curved bracket.                          | Same           | Same                                                                                                                                                                       |
| <b>L2.5 NUTRIENT DELIVERY</b> |                                                                                                                           |                                                                                                                                                  |                |                                                                                                                                                                            |
| ReqID                         | Requirement                                                                                                               | Concept Approach                                                                                                                                 | Prototype Req. | Prototype Approach                                                                                                                                                         |
| NTR1                          | Nutrient delivery system shall provide initial nutrients for germination when actuated.                                   | See NTR1.1-1.2                                                                                                                                   | Same           | Same                                                                                                                                                                       |
| NTR1.1                        | Nutrient delivery system shall contain pre-planted media or growing system.                                               | Coconut Coir Growth Medium; Hydroponic system will deliver nutrients in solution when activated.                                                 | Same           | A mix of Coco Coir and Turface for the main growth medium; on top of which sits a 1-1.5in layer of germination mix                                                         |
| NTR1.2                        | Seed distribution should maximize growing area per plant.                                                                 | Diamond planting pattern will be utilized, per SME recommendation                                                                                | Same           | Same                                                                                                                                                                       |
| NTR2                          | Nutrient Delivery system shall maintain controlled NPK concentration levels in growth medium.                             | See NTR2.1-2.3                                                                                                                                   | Same           | Same                                                                                                                                                                       |
| NTR2.1                        | Nutrient Delivery system shall measure NPK concentration levels in growth medium per HSST.                                | EC sensors located per Sensor Map                                                                                                                | Same           | S205 (out); S101 (in)                                                                                                                                                      |
| NTR2.2                        | Nutrient Delivery system shall deliver NPK nutrients to growth medium when and as directed by Command and Control System. | Pre-set amount of pre-mixed single nutrient solution will be sent from nutrient tank to resevoir when actuated, with Nutrient dosing pump        | Same           | Nutrient solution from T4 and T5 will be fed with dosing pumps P3 and p4 into main tank, until correct EC is reached. Nutrient tanks will be stirred with circulation pump |
| NTR2.3                        | Nutrient Delivery system should passively maintain stable target NPK concentration levels in growth medium.               | Nutrient rich water will be recycled to minimize addition of nutrient solution                                                                   | Same           | Same                                                                                                                                                                       |
| NTR3                          | Nutrient Delivery system shall maintain controlled pH in growth medium.                                                   | See NTR3.1-3.3                                                                                                                                   | Same           | pH down solution (T6) will be fed with dosing pumpt P5 into main tank (T2). pH up solution is not required, per advisors                                                   |
| NTR3.1                        | Nutrient Delivery system shall measure pH of the growth                                                                   | Single pH sensor                                                                                                                                 | Same           | S206 (out) and S102 (in)                                                                                                                                                   |

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|        | medium per HSST                                                                                                                     |                                                                                                                             |      |                                                                                                                   |
| NTR3.2 | Nutrient Delivery system shall adjust pH of growth medium when and as directed by Control and Communication System                  | Nitric Acid to lower pH; pH pump                                                                                            | Same | See NTR3 and Control Logic                                                                                        |
| NTR3.3 | Nutrient Delivery system should passively maintain stable target pH in growth medium                                                | Nutrient rich water will be recycled to minimize pH adjustment                                                              | Same | Same                                                                                                              |
| NTR4   | Nutrient Delivery system shall maintain controlled micronutrient concentrations in growth medium.                                   | See NTR4.1-4.3                                                                                                              | Same | Same                                                                                                              |
| NTR4.1 | Nutrient Delivery system shall measure micronutrient concentrations in growth medium per HSST.                                      | EC sensors located per Sensor Map will measure total nutrient concentrations                                                | Same | Same                                                                                                              |
| NTR4.2 | Nutrient Delivery system shall deliver micronutrients to growth medium when and as directed by Command and Control System.          | Pre-set amount of pre-mixed nutrient solution will be sent from nutrient tank to reservoir when actuated                    | Same | Same                                                                                                              |
| NTR4.3 | Nutrient Delivery system should passively maintain stable target micronutrient concentration levels in growth medium.               | Nutrient rich water will be recycled to minimize addition of nutrient solution.                                             | Same | Same - Note, for longer growth cycles, iron manganate may need to be supplemented due to loss from UVC filtering. |
| NTR5   | Nutrient Delivery system shall maintain controlled dissolved oxygen levels in growth medium.                                        | See NTR 5.1-5.3                                                                                                             | Same | Same                                                                                                              |
| NTR5.1 | Nutrient Delivery system shall measure dissolved oxygen in growth medium per HSST.                                                  | DO Sensor in growth medium and reservoir                                                                                    | Same | DO sensor (S104) in reservoir only to know DO of water coming into growth medium                                  |
| NTR5.2 | Nutrient Delivery system shall inject dissolved oxygen into growth medium when and as directed by Control and Communication System. | Pure O2 from storage tanks will be bubbled through main reservoir                                                           | Same | Air from laboratory will be bubbled through main reservoir (P7 to M3)                                             |
| NTR5.3 | Nutrient Delivery system should maintain uniform dissolved oxygen concentrations in growth medium                                   | Water will be continuously circulated, providing additional aeration, at a flow rate specified in the HSST                  | Same | Water in main tank will be continuously circulated prior to being delivered to growth medium.                     |
| NTR6   | Nutrient Delivery system shall maintain controlled growth medium temperature.                                                       | See NTR 6.1-6.3                                                                                                             | Same | Same                                                                                                              |
| NTR6.1 | Nutrient Delivery system shall measure growth medium temperature per HSST.                                                          | Temperature sensors in growth medium and reservoir                                                                          | Same | S201-204                                                                                                          |
| NTR6.2 | Nutrient Delivery system shall adjust growth medium temperature when and as directed by Control and Communication System.           | Growth medium temperature controlled by reservoir temperature, adjusted by a chiller and heating element, prior to watering | Same | M2 (chiller) and M1 (heater) in T2 (main tank)                                                                    |
| NTR6.3 | Nutrient Delivery system should passively maintain stable target growth medium temperature.                                         | Large thermal mass of system and water volume will provide high heat capacity.                                              | Same | Same                                                                                                              |

| <b>L2.6 POWER</b>      |                                                                                                  |                                                                                                           |                                                                                                       |                                                                                                             |
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| <b>ReqID</b>           | <b>Requirement</b>                                                                               | <b>Concept Approach</b>                                                                                   | <b>Prototype Req.</b>                                                                                 | <b>Prototype Approach</b>                                                                                   |
| PWR1                   | Power system will provide power to the Command and Control system during germination.            | Flexible photovoltaics w/ solid-state lithium ion battery storage; power processing unit for distribution | Same                                                                                                  | AC wall outlet and power processing unit for distribution; See power distribution diagram and power budget. |
| PWR2                   | Power system will provide power to the Lighting system during germination.                       | See PWR1                                                                                                  | Same                                                                                                  | See PWR1                                                                                                    |
| PWR3                   | Power system will provide power to the Thermal Control system during germination.                | See PWR1                                                                                                  | Same                                                                                                  | See PWR1                                                                                                    |
| PWR4                   | Power system will provide power Atmospheric Management system during germination.                | See PWR1                                                                                                  | Same                                                                                                  | See PWR1                                                                                                    |
| PWR5                   | Power system will provide power Water Management system during germination.                      | See PWR1                                                                                                  | Same                                                                                                  | See PWR1                                                                                                    |
| PWR6                   | Power system will provide power to the Command and Control system during growth phase.           | See PWR1                                                                                                  | Same                                                                                                  | See PWR1                                                                                                    |
| PWR7                   | Power system will provide power to the Lighting system during growth phase.                      | See PWR1                                                                                                  | Same                                                                                                  | See PWR1                                                                                                    |
| PWR8                   | Power system will provide power to the Thermal Control system during growth phase.               | See PWR1                                                                                                  | Same                                                                                                  | See PWR1                                                                                                    |
| PWR9                   | Power system will provide power Atmospheric Management system during growth phase.               | See PWR1                                                                                                  | Same                                                                                                  | See PWR1                                                                                                    |
| PWR10                  | Power system will provide power Water Management system during growth phase.                     | See PWR1                                                                                                  | Same                                                                                                  | See PWR1                                                                                                    |
| PWR11                  | Power system will provide power Nutrient Delivery system during growth phase.                    | See PWR1                                                                                                  | Same                                                                                                  | See PWR1                                                                                                    |
| PWR12                  | Power system will provide power to the Communications system during growth phase.                | See PWR1                                                                                                  | Same                                                                                                  | See PWR1                                                                                                    |
| <b>L2.7 STRUCTURES</b> |                                                                                                  |                                                                                                           |                                                                                                       |                                                                                                             |
| <b>ReqID</b>           | <b>Requirement</b>                                                                               | <b>Concept Approach</b>                                                                                   | <b>Prototype Req.</b>                                                                                 | <b>Prototype Approach</b>                                                                                   |
| STR1                   | Structure should allow a 1 meter squared growing area for plants                                 | Pill shaped structure will contain a 1 m <sup>2</sup> growth area                                         | Plant growth area will a minimum of 3 square feet.                                                    | 3 ft diameter skylight dome will contain a 2' diameter circular plant growth area for the prototype.        |
| STR2                   | Structure should allow a average of 61 cm of height from plant base to ceiling for plant growth. | Upper shell will have average height of 0.61m                                                             | Prototype MCLSS should allow an average of 12" of height from plant base to ceiling for plant growth. | COTS skylight dome will provide minimum of 12" from plant base to ceiling with a maximum height of 20"      |

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| STR3   | Structure should fit through 6 ft doorway                                                                                           | N/A for concept                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   | Same                                                                     | structure is 4 feet wide and on castors                |
| STR4   | Structure will maintain total net system atmospheric pressure leak rate of less 10% over a 28 day life cycle.                       | Components and vessel will be sealed to achieve desired leak rate                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | Same                                                                     | Same                                                   |
| STR4.1 | MPPS structure exposed to vacuum shall be made of materials with TML and CVCM according to NASA outgassing standards                | Materials chosen for concept meet this requirement                                                                                                                                                                                                                                | N/A - out of scope                                                       | N/A - out of scope                                     |
| STR5   | MPPS structure shall attenuate UV-C wavelengths (<280nm) by at least 95% during a growth cycle                                      | PEEK and polycarbonate attenuate UVC wavelengths by >99%                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | N/A - out of scope                                                       | N/A - out of scope                                     |
| STR6   | Food grade (safe) materials shall be used for components interacting with plant environment.                                        | All materials considered are non-toxic                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            | Same                                                                     | Same                                                   |
| STR7   | Structure should provide thermal protection to passively maintain stable target atmospheric temperature.                            | Large thermal mass ( > 200,000 J/K); polycarbonate upper shell allows visible and IR radiation to pass through; clamshell lid insulates at night; PEEK for lower shell has low thermal conductivity; aerogel and multilayer insulation; cushion for additional thermal protection | N/A - out of scope                                                       | N/A - out of scope                                     |
| STR8   | Structure should allow transmission of natural sunlight into the system atmosphere when directed by the Command and Control System. | Polycarbonate upper shell w/ Clamshell Lid with actuation for open/close;                                                                                                                                                                                                         | Structure should allow transmission of natural sunlight into atmosphere. | Transparent dome will allow natural light transmission |
| STR9   | MCLSS shall be internally accessible.                                                                                               | MPPS shall use non-permanent and reusable fasteners.                                                                                                                                                                                                                              | Same                                                                     | Same                                                   |
| STR10  | Structure will be sealed to minimize water loss from the system while in operation.                                                 | Components and vessel will be sealed to minimize water leakage, and water loss will be monitored and measured during system operation.                                                                                                                                            | Same                                                                     | Same                                                   |
| STR11  | MCLSS shall be able to be moved with less than 50 lbs force.                                                                        | N/A                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | Same                                                                     | MCLSS prototype will be on castors                     |
| STR12  | Electrical and mechanical components shall be protected from humidity and condensation.                                             | Area under dome (atmosphere) and growth tray will be a sealed volume, protecting other components from humidity. Components in sealed area will be required to operate in the wet environment during one life cycle.                                                              | Same                                                                     | Verify ruggedness of components under dome             |
| STR13  | System will include ability to intake and exhaust from/to external environment.                                                     | N/A                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | Same                                                                     | Prototype will include a manual intake/exhaust port.   |

## L2.8 THERMAL CONTROL

| ReqID | Requirement | Concept Approach | Prototype Req. | Prototype Approach |
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| TC1   | Thermal Control system will provide temperature necessary for seed germination per the HSST.        | System will use MLI and a heater to maintain desirable temperature levels.                           | Same                                                       | Laboratory ambient temperature considered sufficient                                    |
| TC2   | Thermal Control system shall maintain controlled atmospheric temperature.                           | See TC2.1-2.3                                                                                        | Same                                                       | Laboratory ambient temperature considered sufficient for prototype testing              |
| TC2.1 | Thermal Control system shall measure atmospheric temperature per the HSST.                          | Thermistors will measure system temperature.                                                         | Same                                                       | S301 and S302                                                                           |
| TC2.2 | Thermal Control system shall provide heat input when and as directed by Command and Control System. | System will use aerogel insulation and a heater to maintain desirable temperature levels.            | Removed                                                    | N/A - out of scope                                                                      |
| TC2.3 | Thermal Control system shall remove heat when and as directed by Command and Control System.        | Clam shell will remain open if system overheats, heat exchanger                                      | Same                                                       | Misting will occur to decrease atmospheric temperature. See ATM6                        |
| TC3   | Thermal Control system shall provide downward air flow within range specified in HSST               | System shall use adjustable speed electronics fans to circulate the air and ensure it is well-mixed. | Same                                                       | Electronics fan: need analysis to show air flow will be provided in the required range. |
| TC3.1 | Thermal Control system shall measure air flow per the HSST.                                         | Anemometers uniformly spaced throughout growing area                                                 | N/A - out of scope - sensor is too expensive for prototype | N/A - out of scope                                                                      |
| TC3.2 | Thermal Control system shall adjust air flow when as directed by Command and Control System.        | Fan speed will be adjustable and calibrated to desired air flow without plants present               | Same                                                       | Same                                                                                    |

## L2.9 WATER MANAGEMENT

| ReqID  | Requirement                                                                                                                 | Concept Approach                                                                                                                        | Prototype Req. | Prototype Approach |
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| WTR1   | Water management system will provide priming volume of water necessary for seed germination per HSST.                       | Priming volume will be stored in reservoir and leachate tank, according to water budget.                                                | Same           | Same               |
| WTR1.1 | Water management system should have mechanism to release priming volume when and as directed by Command and Control System. | Pump turned on in Germination Mode                                                                                                      | Same           | Same               |
| WTR2   | Water Management system shall maintain controlled moisture levels at plant roots.                                           | See WTR2.1-2.3                                                                                                                          | Same           | Same               |
| WTR2.1 | Water Management system shall measure moisture levels at plant roots per HSST.                                              | Ultrasonic Range Finder in an empty column within the growth medium. The water in the column represents Growth Medium saturation level. | Same           | S208-211           |
| WTR2.2 | Water Management system shall distribute clean water to plant roots when and as directed by Command and Control System.     | 1/4 tube punctuated by pressure regulated drippers                                                                                      | Same           | Same               |

| WTR2.3                                                                                          | Water Management system should passively maintain stable target moisture levels at plant roots.                                                   | Wicking system                                                                                           | Same           | Same                                                                                                                                                                |
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| WTR3                                                                                            | Water Management system shall recycle water                                                                                                       | See WTR3.1-3.3                                                                                           | Same           | Same                                                                                                                                                                |
| WTR3.1                                                                                          | Reservoir for growth medium water shall store volume specified by water budget.                                                                   | Separate Water Tank                                                                                      | Same           | Same                                                                                                                                                                |
| WTR3.2                                                                                          | Water Management System shall measure liquid level in water reservoir per HSST                                                                    | Liquid Level Sensor (aquaplumb type)                                                                     | Same           | S105                                                                                                                                                                |
| WTR3.3                                                                                          | Growth medium water will have turbidity < 5 NTUs                                                                                                  | Sediment pre-filter (5 micron);                                                                          | Same           | Same                                                                                                                                                                |
| WTR3.4                                                                                          | Water management system will remove pathogens from reservoir.                                                                                     | System will expose reservoir water to in-situ UV-C light                                                 | Same           | UV-C lamp before reservoir and after pre-filter (P8 to F2 to F1 to T2)                                                                                              |
| WTR3.5                                                                                          | Water Management System shall distribute clean nutrient laden water to growth medium at a rate greater than maximum expected plant transpiration. | Water will be pumped from from reservoir to growth tray at a rate of 1 GPM                               | Same           | Transpired water will collect in condensate tank which will be conditioned and fed back into growth medium as soon as moisture sensors indicate watering is needed. |
| WTR3.5.1                                                                                        | Water Management System shall monitor flow rate from growth medium according to HSST.                                                             | Flow meter at growth tray inlet & outlet                                                                 | Same           | S111 (from), S110 (to)                                                                                                                                              |
| WTR3.6                                                                                          | Water Management system shall collect drainage water from growth medium.                                                                          | Water runoff passes through filter before going back into the mixing tank.                               | Same           | T1 to Z2 to V1 to T9                                                                                                                                                |
| WTR3.7                                                                                          | Water Management system shall collect condensed water from atmospheric management system.                                                         | Atmosphere and Thermal Control will deposit water into an intake pipe after being condensed into liquid. | Same           | M9 (dehumidifer) to T3 holding tank to P2 to T9 (leachate tank)                                                                                                     |
| WTR4                                                                                            | Water Management system shall maintain controlled water temperature at plant roots.                                                               | See WTR4.1-4.2                                                                                           | Same           | Same                                                                                                                                                                |
| WTR4.1                                                                                          | Water Management system shall measure water temperature at plant roots per HSST.                                                                  | Temperature Sensors within growth medium and temperature sensors in reservoir                            | Same           | S103 in reservoir and S201-204 in growth medium                                                                                                                     |
| WTR4.2                                                                                          | Water Management system shall adjust water temperature when and as directed by Command and Control System.                                        | Water chiller and heating element in reservoir will provide temperature control                          | Same           | M2 (chiller), M1 (heater)                                                                                                                                           |
| WTR5                                                                                            | Water Management system shall store fresh water supply according to water budget in MarsOASIS ICD.                                                | Fresh water tank                                                                                         | Same           | Fresh water stored in tank T3                                                                                                                                       |
| <b>L3 ADDITIONAL SYSTEM SPECIFICATIONS DERIVED FROM OPERATIONAL AND PRODUCTION CONTSTRAINTS</b> |                                                                                                                                                   |                                                                                                          |                |                                                                                                                                                                     |
| ReqID                                                                                           | Requirement                                                                                                                                       | Concept Approach                                                                                         | Prototype Req. | Prototype Approach                                                                                                                                                  |
| SPEC1                                                                                           | All materials and components within the sealed volume should be able to withstand the expected operating                                          | N/A                                                                                                      | Same           | All components specifications, where possible, have been                                                                                                            |

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|        | temperature, pressure, and high humidity conditions                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |     |      | reviewed for compatability with expected operating environment.                                                |
| SPEC2  | Because the MCLSS will be subjected to dissolved salts and distilled water that may be corrosive, internal materials and components in contact with the water loop should be corrosion resistant and made from rustproof materials, such as stainless or epoxy coated steel, or plastic. | N/A | Same | All applicable components have been reviewed for compliance with this requirement.                             |
| SPEC3  | Electronic components should be able to function under expected vibration levels                                                                                                                                                                                                         | N/A | Same | Unverified                                                                                                     |
| SPEC4  | The system will be expect to perform for the duration of one operational test (45 day growth cycle).                                                                                                                                                                                     | N/A | Same | All components specificatinos have been reviewed to assure expected life time is greather than 45 days of use. |
| SPEC5  | Water management system will include a drain that can remove all water from the reservoir.                                                                                                                                                                                               | N/A | Same | Requirement met (V2)                                                                                           |
| SPEC6  | Overcurrent Protection: The system will be fuse protected in the event of excessive power draw by the camera linear actuator or bracket stepper motor.                                                                                                                                   | N/A | Same | Feature has been incorporated in power system design.                                                          |
| SPEC7  | System software should incorporate a safe shutdown procedure in event of power loss or catastrophic system failure                                                                                                                                                                       | N/A | Same | Safe shutdown procedure is in development.                                                                     |
| SPEC8  | Temperature sensors must be shielded from excessive heat (i.e., beyond operating limits) from lamps both internal and external to the system.                                                                                                                                            | N/A | Same | Unverified                                                                                                     |
| SPEC9  | Component exposure to the sealed internal atmosphere will be minimized and exposed components will be water resistant or proof.                                                                                                                                                          | N/A | Same | Unverified                                                                                                     |
| SPEC10 | Materials coming in contact with the plants, atmosphere, or water loop (including caulking compounds and sealants and condenser materials) should also be non-toxic to the subject plants.                                                                                               | N/A | Same | All applicable materials and components have been reviewed and meet this requirement.                          |
| SPEC11 | All pipework and fittings for the hydroponic and water management system should be made of plastic and stainless steel or plastic-bodied pumps of self-priming type should be used.                                                                                                      | N/A | Same | Requirement met.                                                                                               |
| SPEC12 | Plant bed material should be rust and corrosion proof                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    | N/A | Same | LDPE flexible plastic                                                                                          |
| SPEC13 | Plant bed must tolerate structural load from plants, growth medium and water                                                                                                                                                                                                             | N/A | Same | Low Density Polyethelyne (LDPE) tub will be supported by 80/20 aluminum bars.                                  |



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| SPEC14 | water budget and control logic must allow for sufficient water depth in tanks containing submersible sensors.                             | N/A | Same | Water budget includes water buffer for submerging components as needed. |
| SPEC15 | Desired resolution and range of each sensor should be above the expected noise floor of the integrated sensor.                            | N/A | Same | Sensors have been reviewed and meet this requirement                    |
| SPEC16 | Components in the water recycling loop should be chosen to maintain water seal (i.e., no leaks) at the expected flow rates and pressures. | N/A | Same | Requirement met.                                                        |
| SPEC17 | All pipe fittings should have barb fitting connection type.                                                                               | N/A | Same | Requirement met                                                         |
| SPEC18 | System should be grounded, in order to avoid electrical damage in the case of an electrical short                                         | N/A | Same | Requirement met                                                         |
| SPEC19 | Water heating element must be submerged when operated.                                                                                    | N/A | Same | Requirement will be met, and controlled in control logic,               |
| SPEC20 | Oxygen outlet will be protected from sparks or other heat sources.                                                                        | N/A | Same | Requirement met.                                                        |

### D. Habitat Sensing Specification Table (HSST)

| ReqID | Category            | Parameter                           | Units | Measurement Range (Units) | Measurement Resolution (Units) | Min Sample Rate (N/hr) | Set Point (Units) | Settling Time (seconds) | Actuation Time (seconds) | Ideal Min, Plant | Ideal Max, Plant | Tolerable Min, Plant | Tolerable Max, Plant | Ideal Min, Germ | Ideal Max, Germ | Tolerable Min, Germ | Tolerable Max, Germ | Lower Value Limit | Upper Value Limit | Comments                                                                                                                                                       | Sources                                                                                                                               |
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| 1.1   | Internal Atmosphere | CO2 Partial Pressure (Daytime Only) | ppm   | 0-2000                    | 100                            | 60                     | 1500              | 5                       | 0.5                      | 1000             | 2000             | 100                  | 500000               | 1000            | 2000            | 100                 | 500000              | 0                 | 2000              | >50% creates risk of settline out (GCH); <100 ppm, CO2 exchange rate approaches zero; must be pressure/temp compensated - set ponit based on std pressure/temp | comments from Ray Wheeler                                                                                                             |
| 1.2   | Internal Atmosphere | O2 Partial Pressure                 | %     | 0-100                     | 1                              | 60                     | 17.5              | 5                       | 1                        | 12               | 21               | 10                   | 25                   | 12              | 21              | 10                  | 25                  | 0                 | 100               | 25 kPa is 30% concentration, set point is earth concentration, given 84 kPa total pressure                                                                     | comments from Ray Wheeler                                                                                                             |
| 1.3   | Internal Atmosphere | Total Pressure                      | hPa   | 300 - 1100hPa             | 100                            | 60                     | 840               | 5                       | 0.5                      | 800              | 840              | 750                  | 847                  | 800             | 840             | 750                 | 847                 | 0                 | 1500              | 1/4 atm (plants can survive) to 1atm (Earth at Sea Level); Add N2 to raise, vent to lower; system limited to ambien plus 0.1 PSI before manometer overflows    | Dr. Ray Wheeler talk 9/29/2014                                                                                                        |
| 1.4   | Internal Atmosphere | Vapor Pressure Deficit              | kPa   | n/a                       | n/a                            | 360                    | 0.5               | 5                       | 1                        | 0.5              | 1.2              | 0.4                  | 1.4                  | 0.5             | 1.2             | 0.4                 | 1.4                 | 0                 | 5                 | Calculated from temp and RH ( <a href="http://ohioline.osu.edu/aex-fact/0804.html">http://ohioline.osu.edu/aex-fact/0804.html</a> )                            | Wikipedia ( <a href="http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Vapour_Pressure_Deficit">http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Vapour_Pressure_Deficit</a> ) |
| 1.5   | Internal Atmosphere | Relative Humidity                   | %     | 5 - 99                    | 1                              | 360                    | 65                | 5                       | 1                        | 50               | 70               | 30                   | 90                   | 50              | 70              | 30                  | 90                  | 0                 | 100               | Controlled to reach desired VPD                                                                                                                                | <a href="http://www.cornellcea.com/attachments/Cornell%20">http://www.cornellcea.com/attachments/Cornell%</a>                         |

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|       |                           |                              |                       |           |     |     |     |     |      |         |     |      |      |      |         |      |     |      |                                                                                                   | 20CEA%20Lettuce%20Handbook%20.pdf                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| 1.6   | Internal Atmosphere       | Temperature (Day)            | deg C                 | -40 to 80 | 0.2 | 360 | n/a | n/a | n/a  | 23      | 27  | 21   | 29   | 20   | 25      | 18   | 27  | n/a  | n/a                                                                                               |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| 1.7   | Internal Atmosphere       | Temperature (Night)          | deg C                 | -40 to 80 | 0.2 | 360 | n/a | n/a | n/a  | 18      | 22  | 15   | 24   | 18   | 22      | 15   | 24  | n/a  | n/a                                                                                               | Within maxmum Earth temps; should be measured near plant canopy; cool temps could be used to slow growth                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                | <a href="http://www.weekendgardener.net/vegetables/lettuce.htm">http://www.weekendgardener.net/vegetables/lettuce.htm</a> and comments from Ray Wheeler; Set point of 23 NASA/TM-2003-211184.                                              |
| 1.8   | Internal Atmosphere       | Air flow                     | m/s                   | n/a       | n/a | n/a | n/a | n/a | n/a  | 0.15    | 0.5 | 0.1  | 0.8  | 0.15 | 0.5     | 0.1  | 0.8 | n/a  | n/a                                                                                               | Downward air flow required, not measured but regulated fan power controls air flow                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      | <a href="http://www.controlledenvironments.org/Growth_Chamber_Handbook/Ch14.pdf">http://www.controlledenvironments.org/Growth_Chamber_Handbook/Ch14.pdf</a> , page 194                                                                     |
| 2.1   | Nutrient & Water Delivery | Soil/Medium Temperature      | deg C                 | 0 - 100   | 1   | 60  | 18  | n/a | n/a  | 15      | 20  | 10   | 22   | 15   | 20      | 4.4  | 27  | 0    | 50                                                                                                | <a href="http://www.johnnyseeds.com/p-6609-outredgeous-romaine-lettuce.aspx">http://www.johnnyseeds.com/p-6609-outredgeous-romaine-lettuce.aspx</a>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| 2.2   | Nutrient & Water Delivery | Water Temperature            | deg C                 | 0 - 100   | 1   | 60  | 23  | 10  | 10   | 22      | 24  | 21   | 25   | 18   | 21      | 16   | 23  | 0    | 50                                                                                                | Water boils at 100C at 1atm and ~67C at 1/4atm (sensor); cooler temp also prevents fungal growth                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        | <a href="http://www.howardfresh.com/Hydroponic-Lettuce-Production1.html">http://www.howardfresh.com/Hydroponic-Lettuce-Production1.html</a> says 18-21 C. Use 23 as a 'set point' NASA/TM-2003-211184; cornell lettuce handbook says 24-26 |
| 2.3   | Nutrient & Water Delivery | Electrical Conductivity (EC) | $\mu\text{S-cm}^{-1}$ | 3 - 3000  | 1   | 60  | 10  | 1   | 1150 | 1250    | 800 | 2000 | 1150 | 1250 | 800     | 2000 | 0   | 5000 | 1150-1250 above source water (plant). 3-3000 is distilled water to a margin above lettuce maximum | <a href="http://www.cornellcea.com/attachments/Cornell%20CEA%20Lettuce%20Handbook%20.pdf">http://www.cornellcea.com/attachments/Cornell%20CEA%20Lettuce%20Handbook%20.pdf</a><br><a href="http://www.homehydrosystems.com/ph_tds_ppm/ph_vegetables_page.html">http://www.homehydrosystems.com/ph_tds_ppm/ph_vegetables_page.html</a> ;<br><a href="http://www.fao.org/docrep/005/y4263e/y4263e0e.htm">http://www.fao.org/docrep/005/y4263e/y4263e0e.htm</a> (90% yield for upper limit) |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| 2.3.1 | Nutrient & Water Delivery | Nitrogen (N)                 | ppm                   | n/a       | n/a | n/a | n/a | n/a |      | 100-200 |     |      | n/a  |      | 100-200 | n/a  | n/a | n/a  | n/a                                                                                               | Nitrate + Ammonium                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      | <a href="http://www.howardfresh.com/Hydroponic-Lettuce-Production1.html">http://www.howardfresh.com/Hydroponic-Lettuce-Production1.html</a> ; UoA Lettuce Intensive Course                                                                 |
| 2.3.2 | Nutrient & Water Delivery | Phosphorus (P)               | ppm                   | n/a       | n/a | n/a | n/a | n/a |      | 15-90   |     |      | n/a  |      | 15-90   | n/a  | n/a | n/a  | n/a                                                                                               |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         | <a href="http://www.howardfresh.com/Hydroponic-Lettuce-Production1.html">http://www.howardfresh.com/Hydroponic-Lettuce-Production1.html</a> ; UoA Lettuce Intensive                                                                        |





## XII. Change Log

| Date       | Requestor | System    | Feature                      | Change Description                                                                                                                                  | Requirements Affected                                                                            | Other Impacts                                                                                                 | Systems Affected | Reason for Change                                                                                                                                                     |
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| 11/19/2014 | Paul      | Structure | Camera bracket for prototype | We would now like to have two cameras fixed to the bracket instead of one camera that can move.                                                     | CC4.1.2                                                                                          | May not have desired coverage of plant growth area with 2 cameras.                                            | CC               | Reduced growth area requires a curved bracket. Mounting moveable camera along curved bracket will be too complex for the scope of the prototype.                      |
| 11/24/2014 | Kier      | ATM       | Heater                       | Atmospheric heater is to be removed from prototype design because testing environment will be stable and within desired temperature range of plant. | TC2.2                                                                                            |                                                                                                               | WTR              |                                                                                                                                                                       |
| 2/6/2015   | Chris     | CC        | Requirement Update           | CC4.1.1 - qualified that time lapsed images sent to CC will be taken at a fixed position                                                            | CC4.1.1                                                                                          | None                                                                                                          | CC, COM          | Clarify requirement                                                                                                                                                   |
| 2/6/2015   | Chris     | COM       | Requirement Addition         | Added requirement COM2.1 to include user defined time lag option on GUI.                                                                            | COM2                                                                                             |                                                                                                               | COM              |                                                                                                                                                                       |
| 2/13/2015  | Chris     | STR       | Requirement Addition         | Added STR13: System will include ability to intake and exhaust from/to external environment.                                                        | ATM2 (CO2 control),<br>ATM3 (O2 Control),<br>ATM4 (N2 control),<br>ATM7 (total pressure control) | May reduce ability to autonomously control atmosphere, and increase water loss from system over growth cycle. | WTR and ATMO     | Requested by project stakeholders                                                                                                                                     |
| 2/13/2015  | Chris     | STR       | Requirement update           | Growth area required changed to minimum of 3 square feet, to match prototype growth bed chosen.                                                     | STR1.1                                                                                           | None                                                                                                          | None             | Prototype scope                                                                                                                                                       |
| 2/14/2015  | Chris     | CC        | System Diagram Update        | Removed sensors S406 and S406, measuring O2 concentrator exhaust composition.                                                                       | ATM3.3                                                                                           | None                                                                                                          | ATM              | Unnecessary complexity; requirement can be met through estimation and testing.                                                                                        |
| 2/14/2015  | Chris     | ATM       | Requirement Addition         | System shall maintain pressure delta no greater than 10 psi from ambient laboratory pressure.                                                       | ATM8                                                                                             | If relief valves activate, will lose control of gas composition in sealed section.                            | STR, ATM         | Recommended by project stakeholders for laboratory safety.                                                                                                            |
| 2/14/2015  | Chris     | LT        | Requirement correction       | Lighting system will measure PAR intensity (changed from light intensity and spectrum)                                                              | LT2.1                                                                                            | None                                                                                                          | LT, NTR          | Measuring spectrum is out of scope for this project and measuring intensity is sufficient.                                                                            |
| 2/14/2015  | Chris     | LT        | Requirement correction       | Lighting system will adjust light intensity only (not spectrum)                                                                                     | LT2.2                                                                                            | None                                                                                                          | LT, NTR          | we opted to removed the Red/blue LEDs, since spectrum control was deemed out of scope for the prototype, per advisor recommendation.                                  |
| 2/15/2015  | John      | NTR       | Component Change             | Growth Medium Mix changed from pure Coco Coir to a mixture of Coco Coir and Turface beneath a 1inch layer of Germination Mix                        |                                                                                                  | None                                                                                                          | NTR              | Coco Coir alone does not have optimal water retention and drain properties. The seeds will not germinate in a coarse soilles mix: a purpose-made germination mix will |

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|           |       |            |                                               |                                                                                                                                        |                         |                                                                                                                                                                                      |          | increase the chances of a successful germination.                                                                                                                                                                            |
| 2/15/2015 | John  | NTR        | Schematic/Component Change                    | Condensate tank will drain into Leachate Tank instead of Main Tank.                                                                    |                         | Control Logic, Order of Operations                                                                                                                                                   | NTR, STR | 1) In the previous setup, the condensate loop would never have been filtered 2) Running somewhat 'clean' water through the filtration loop after the leachate has gone through will limitedly 'clean' the pipes and sensors. |
| 3/9/2015  | Kier  | ATM        | Schematic/Component Change                    | Air pump will feed air into dehumidifier. Air pump is located INSIDE growth volume, going through a feed through into the dehumidifier |                         |                                                                                                                                                                                      |          | 1) air flow through dehumidifier was not sufficient to achieve condensation                                                                                                                                                  |
| 3/9/2015  | Kier  | ATM        | Schematic/Component Change                    | 3-way solenoid no longer used, separating feedthroughs for oxygen concentrator intake and dehumidifier return                          |                         |                                                                                                                                                                                      |          |                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |
| 3/11/2015 | Kier  | ATM        | Schematic/Component Change                    | Changed relief valve to a manometer for internal pressure relief                                                                       |                         |                                                                                                                                                                                      |          |                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |
| 3/11/2015 | John  | NTR        | Schematic/Component Change                    | Added level sensor to main tank                                                                                                        |                         |                                                                                                                                                                                      |          | Main Tank too tall for one sensor.                                                                                                                                                                                           |
| 3/14/2015 | John  | NTR        | Schematic/Component Change                    | Added Pre-Filters (F4, F5) before P1 and P8                                                                                            |                         |                                                                                                                                                                                      | NTR      | Debris (esp from fabrication) can break pump, prefilters will catch large sediment                                                                                                                                           |
| 5/22/2015 | Paul  | EE Sensors | Requirement Removal and System Diagram Change | Remove external CO2, O2, and PAR sensors from requirements and design.                                                                 | HSST 4.5 and 4.6, CC3.1 | Minimal - components are not critical for system operation or control; they provide additional data to the user about the external environment for troubleshooting/research purposes |          | Reduce system complexity for unnecessary sensors; Also there are only 6 UART connections available on the BeagleBone and the CO2 sensor requires an additional UART connection                                               |
| 6/11/2015 | Chris | EE Sensors | Sensor removal                                | Remove LL sensor 7, and replace LL6 with a longer tape sensor                                                                          | HSST 2.9                | none                                                                                                                                                                                 |          | Liquid level sensor cannot be submerged, so we cannot use the stacked design as planned                                                                                                                                      |

### XIII. Risk Assessment

| MarsOASIS RISK ASSESSMENT, REV -           |                    |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |   |   |     |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
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| Risk Description                           | Subsystem Affected | Risk Statement                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | Handling Action                                                                                                                                                                                                            | L | C | RAC | Comments                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
| Dust Abrasion of CO2 Gas Intake Compressor | ATM                | Given that in-situ CO2 will be extracted from the Martian atmosphere into the MCLSS, there is the potential that compressor system will be abraded by dust, reducing performance or causing system failure.                                                                                                     | Mitigate: Filtrete filter                                                                                                                                                                                                  | 2 | 5 | 10  | This is an engineering challenge to be addressed in the final paper.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |
| Early Seed Germination                     | ATM, WTR           | Given that seeds will be transported within the MCLSS from Earth to Mars and the MCLSS will be on the Martian surface for some period of time prior to germination initiation there is the potential for germination to begin prematurely.                                                                      | Mitigate: Control conditions                                                                                                                                                                                               | 1 | 5 | 5   | This is an engineering challenge to be addressed in the final paper, defining recommended environmental controls to prevent gemination.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |
| Sensor Failure                             | CC                 | Given that measured environmental parameter data is required for autonomous control of those parameters, there is the potential for sensor failure to result in crop degradation or loss of crop.                                                                                                               | Mitigate: Redundant sensors                                                                                                                                                                                                | 1 | 5 | 5   |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| Sensor Calibration                         | CC                 | Given that MCLSS sensors will be calibrated prior to launching and deploying on Mars, there is the potential that they will lose calibration after transit to the Martian surface.                                                                                                                              | Research                                                                                                                                                                                                                   | 1 | 5 | 5   | This is an engineering challenge to be researched in the final project paper. The sensors with risk of calibration loss will be identified, and possible mitigations proposed.                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |
| Wilting                                    | COM                | Given that telemetry communication between the MCLSS and the Earth ground station may be limited to a short period within a days time, there is the potential that plant wilting or other emergency conditions may occur compromising the crop before the ground operator can detect or react to the situation. | Mitigate: The system will process digital images of plants to determine whether wilting is occurring, convert to emergency mode, and send emergency signal to Earth ground station through deep space network if possible. | 2 | 5 | 10  | This is an engineering challenge to be researched in the final project paper. Though the inability to react immediately to degraded enviornmental parameters presents a threat to the crop, reliability telemetered communication with Mars is currently unavailable technology. One could make the assumption that multiple orbiters could be available to increase communication capability. |
| Condensation on Electrical                 | CC/COM             | Given that water vapor in the atmosphere may condense onto exposed electrical                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   | Mitigate: Component exposure to the atmosphere will be minimized                                                                                                                                                           | 2 | 5 | 10  |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |



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| Components                                             |     | components there is the potential for electrical component short circuit, resulting in electrical system degradation or failure.                                                                                                                                          | and exposed components will be water resistant or proof.                                                                                                        |   |   |    |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| Algae Buildup on Dome                                  | LT  | Given that MCLSS atmospheric conditions are conducive to algal growth, there is the potential for algae to grow and accumulate on the transparent dome or artificial lighting system, reducing or blocking light transmission from the sun or artificial lighting system. | Research                                                                                                                                                        | 2 | 3 | 6  | This is an engineering challenge to be researched in the final project paper. In a longer growth cycle, algal buildup on the dome may be more likely. Algacidal materials might be explored to treat dome.                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
| Light Degradation Due to Dust Accumulation or Abrasion | LT  | Given that dust storms can occur over large distance for days or weeks at a time on Mars, accumulating on the dome or causing abrasion, there is the potential for sun transmission to be reduced below tolerable levels for plant growth or survival.                    | Mitigate: The clamshell lid will close during periods of high winds and/or low light and artificial light take over during dust storms.                         | 1 | 5 | 5  | This is an engineering challenge to be researched in the final project paper. Stored power is expected to last through the average length dust storm, but may not be able to provide enough power for artificial lighting throughout a longer 1-2 month long storm. Expected probability crop loss due to loss of light from a dust storm after exhausting back up power will be analyzed for the final paper. |
| UV-C Nutrient Depletion                                | NTR | Given that UV-C radiation is used as a biocide for pathogen control in the root zone, there is the potential for iron chlorosis due to the destruction of iron chelate.                                                                                                   | Mitigate                                                                                                                                                        | 2 | 4 | 8  | Addition of iron to the nutrient solution.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
| Off-balance or Depleted NPK Due to Differential Uptake | NTR | Given that plants may take up N, P, or K at varying rates, there is the potential that N, P, or K levels may become off balance or depleted.                                                                                                                              | Accept: EC measurements will detect overall reduction in NPK concentration and system will add pre-mixed nutrients. Risk of severe imbalance is considered low. | 2 | 5 | 10 |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| Failure of Lid Closure Due to Dust Infiltration        | STR | Given that there the clamshell lid will be open during the day to collect light, there is the potential that dust can infiltrate the hinge, leading to mechanical failure of the lid to close and potential crop failure due to low nighttime temperatures.               | Mitigate: Clamshell lid design will incorporate components that will be protected from dust penetration, such as hermetic joints.                               | 1 | 5 | 5  |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| Micrometeoroid Impact                                  | STR | Given that the Martian atmosphere is 1% as dense as Earth's there is the potential for micrometeorites to impact and penetrate                                                                                                                                            | Accept:                                                                                                                                                         | 1 | 5 | 5  | The likelihood of penetration due to micrometeorite impact is considered low and a minimal risk.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |

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|                                             |              | the structure, resulting in loss of internal pressure.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |                                                                                                                                                                   |   |   |    |                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |
| Radiation Exposure                          | STR          | Given that there is increased particulate radiation (solar and galactic) on the Martian surface compared with that on Earth, there is potential for plant damage due to radiation exposure.                                                                                                       | Accept                                                                                                                                                            | 1 | 3 | 3  | Expected ionizing radiation exposure over 100 day mission is ~20 REM, well under expected plant tolerance of ~1000 REM                                                                                          |
| Salt Buildup in Condensor or Plumbing       | NTR, WTR, TC | Given that salt deposits (from dissolved solids in the nutrient solution) could build up in the water vapor condensor, water pumps, growth medium or plumbing to the water reservoir, there is the potential that the condensor or plumbing could clog and degrade flow rates through the system. | Research - run test prior to system activation to determine need for inline reverse osmosis filter                                                                | 2 | 5 | 10 | Discuss as an engineering challenge. A system running for a longer or multiple life cycles will need to be flushed with fresh water requiring additional mass for the water and an additional fresh water tank. |
| Internal Fluid Leak                         | WTR          | Given that fluid will be traveling through the water management system under pressure, there is the potential that water could leak from the water management system resulting in loss of total water available for plant uptake and potential damage to other system components.                 | Mitigate: Components will be chosen and tested to withstand expected water pressures and minimize likelihood of leaks.                                            | 1 | 5 | 5  |                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |
| Fungal Infections at Plant Roots (Root Rot) | WTR          | Given that nutrient enriched water will be recycled and recirculated through the water reservoir, there is the potential for fungal spores to grow and infect plant roots, resulting in degraded plant growth or crop failure                                                                     | Mitigate: keep root medium aerated and water circulating; filtration will be used to remove or kill spores or other pathogens                                     | 1 | 5 | 5  |                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |
| Water Overheating                           | WTR          | Given that electrical components will present a heat load into the system, there is the potential for water to become too warm for healthy plant growth.                                                                                                                                          | Accept: The risk of water overheating is considered to be low, given the high heat capacity of the water and that the atmospheric temperature will be controlled. | 1 | 5 | 5  |                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |
| Pump or Valve Failure                       | WTR          | Given that components with mechanisms or moving parts are at a higher risk of failure in the extreme temperatures and pressures and reduce gravity of the Martian environment, there is the potential                                                                                             | Accept                                                                                                                                                            | 2 | 5 | 10 |                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |

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|                                                                   |        | for pump or valve failure to occur resulting in loss of water at the plant roots                                                                                                                      |                                                                                                                            |   |   |    |                                                                               |
| Bitflip                                                           | CC/COM | Given increased radiation exposure in the Martian atmosphere and the inability to reproduce the flight environment in ground testing, there is the potential for software malfunction due to bitflip. | Accept                                                                                                                     | 1 | 5 | 5  |                                                                               |
| Radiation Damage to Electrical Components                         | CC/COM | Given the increased radiation levels in the Martian environment, there is the potential for degraded electrical component performance.                                                                | Research                                                                                                                   | 2 | 5 | 10 |                                                                               |
| Thermal and Humidity Control Under Extreme Temperature Variations | TC     | Given the extreme temperature variation of the Martian atmosphere there is the potential for extreme temperature swings to occur outside of the ability of the MCLSS to control.                      | Research                                                                                                                   | 2 | 5 | 10 |                                                                               |
| Power Generation Degradation Due to Dust Accumulation             | PWR    | Given that dust storms can occur over large distance for days or weeks at a time on Mars, there is the potential for solar panel power generation to be degraded.                                     | Mitigate: The clamshell lid will close during periods of high winds and/or low light.                                      | 2 | 5 | 10 | This is an engineering challenge to be researched in the final project paper. |
| Tip Burn Due to Lighting Heat Load                                | LT     | Given that artificial lighting will be used in close proximity to plant leaves, there is the potential that heat from artificial lights may burn lettuce leaves.                                      | Research: Expected temperature from LEDs will be investigated and a requirement added to bound light distance from plants. | 2 | 5 | 10 |                                                                               |
| Structure Tipping                                                 | STR    | Given potential for high winds on the Martian surface there is the potential for the structure to tip over.                                                                                           | Accept: Risk considered minimal given system weight                                                                        | 2 | 5 | 10 |                                                                               |
| Water Loss in O2 Removal                                          | WTR    | Given that air will be directly vented to the laboratory to remove oxygen, water vapor will also be lost.                                                                                             | Accept: Margin in water budget is sufficient.                                                                              |   |   |    |                                                                               |