

7-Nano Controller

Product manual

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




















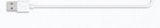






[QGroundControl](https://docs.qgroundcontrol.com/en/getting_started/download_and_install.html)

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[Mission Planner:](https://firmware.ardupilot.org/Tools/MissionPlanner/MissionPlannerstable.msi)

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Parts List

Official standard packing list			Packing list with 7-Nano PDB			7-Nano Cable kit:		
7-Nano Controller	x1		7-Nano Controller	x1		Power Cable 20cm	x1	
7-VDM Module	x1		7-Nano PDB	x1		CAN/I2C Cable 15cm	x3	
7-Nano Cable kit	x1		7-Nano Cable kit	x1		GPS2 Cable 40cm	x1	
7-Nano Screw kit	x1		7-Nano Screw kit	x1		Ethernet Cable 40cm	x1	
TF Memory Cable 32GB	x1		TF Memory Cable 32GB	x1		Debug Cable 30cm	x1	
Carbon fiber board	x1		Carbon fiber board	x1		Dupont Cable 20cm	x2	
3M Double-sided tape	x2		3M Double-sided tape	x2		TELEM->Radio 15cm	x1	
						Type-C Cable	x1	
						7-Nano Screw kit:		
						Nylon screw M2.5*6	x4	
						Single head hexagonal nylon column M2.5*8	x4	
						Round head nylon screw Round head 2.5*5	x4	
						Round head nylon screw Round head 2.5*6	x4	
						Hexagon Screw Round head 2.5*8	x4	
						Hexagon socket lock nut	x4	

Hardware specifications

Item	Parameter
Processor	STM32H753
Accelerometer	IIM-42652 BMI088
Gyroscope	IIM-42652 BMI088
Compass	IST8310
Barometer	ICP-20100/BMP581
Interfaces	
I2C	3
PWM out	14 (Configurable for 3.3V/5V)
RC in	1 (Support PPM, SBUS, and DSM)
Rssi input	PWM or 3.3V analog voltage
Can	2
Power A	1
GPS& Safety Switch	1
GPS2	1
ADC	ADC3.3&ADC6.6
DEBUG	1
USB	Type-C
Ethernet	1

Controller Working environment and physical Spec	
Rated Voltage	4.5 ~ 5.5 V
USB Voltage	4.75 ~ 5.25 V
Servo Voltage	0 ~ 10v
Working Temp	-20 ~ 85°c
Size	30.75 x 31.8 x25.75mm
Size	33.8g
7-Nano PDB Power Module	
Rated Voltage	12-70V
Detection Current(MAX)	79.2A
BEC OUT	5.3V/4A
Voltage and Current Accuracy	±0.2V/0.5A
Splitter	Divided into six
Interfaces	XT60/GH1.25 6Pin
Weight	17g

Support firmware

7-Nano controller runs perfectly with ArduPilot 4.5.6/PX4 V1.15.0 and above firmware.

Firmware and source code

7-Nano supports PX4 and ArduPilot firmware. The compiled firmware is:

[Download and write firmware tutorial:](#)

<https://doc.cuav.net/controller/7-nano/zh-hans/>

If you want to modify the code; you can download the source code through the link below

[ArduPilot Github](#)

<https://github.com/ArduPilot/ardupilot>

[PX4 Github](#)

<https://github.com/PX4/PX4-Autopilot>

Compile firmware command(ArduPilot):

```
./waf configure --board CUAV-7-Nano //Compile CUAV-7-Nano branch firmware
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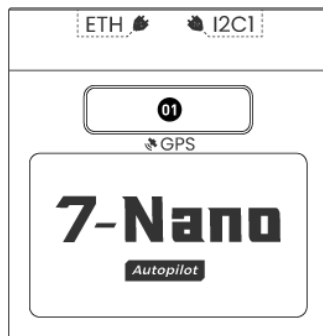
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./waf copter --upload //Write the firmware to the controller
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Compile firmware command(PX4):

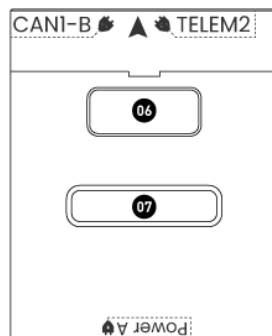
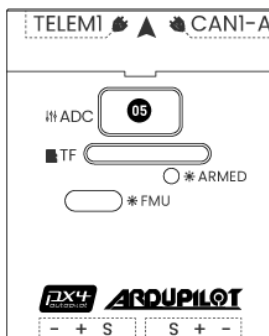
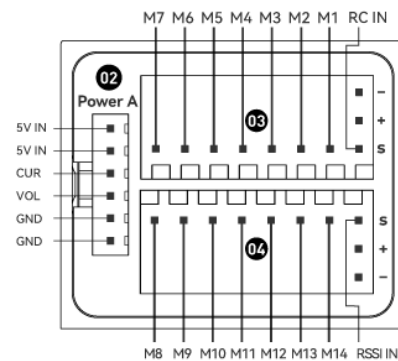
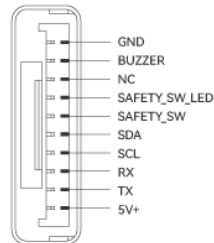
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make cuav_7-nano_default //Compile cuav_7-nano branch firmware
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Pinouts

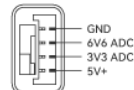
The 7-Nano interface is designed using the Pixhawk standard pinout. This may be incompatible with other interface definitions or cables. Please carefully read the interface specifications and use the original product wiring. Any damage to the device caused by wiring that does not follow the interface specifications is the user's sole responsibility.



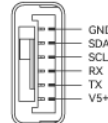
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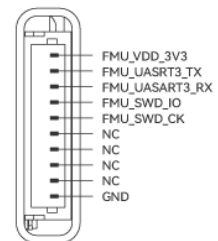
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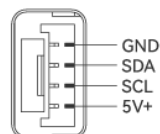
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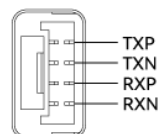
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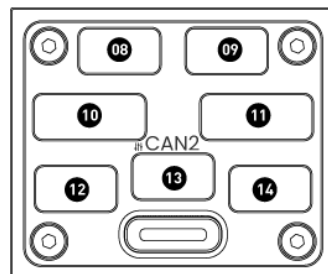
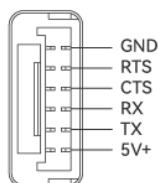
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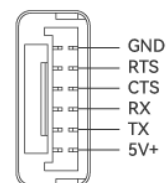
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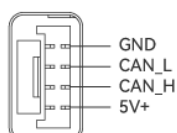
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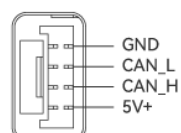
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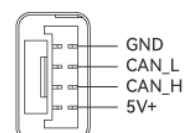
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13 CAN2

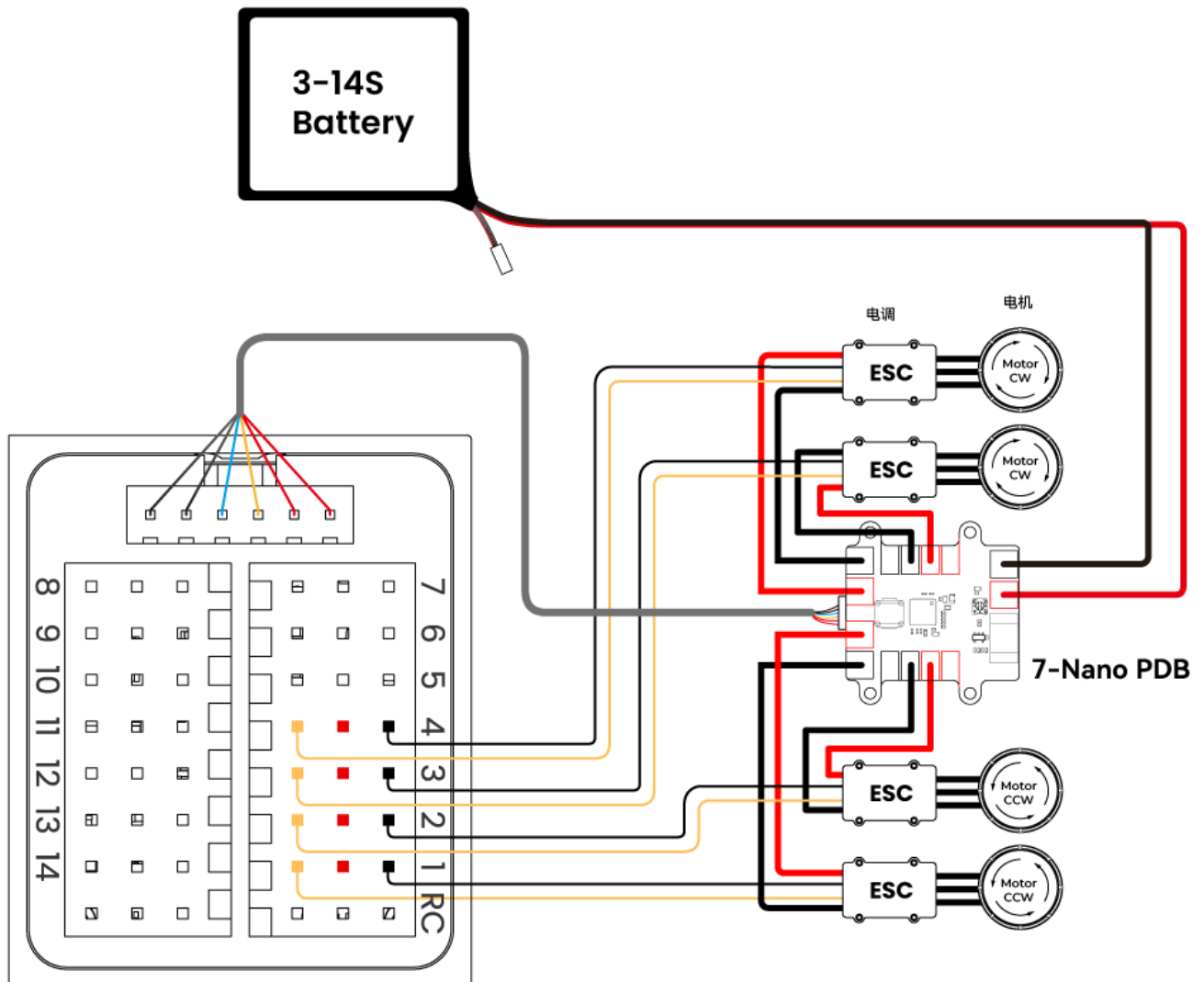


14 CAN1-B



Hardware connection diagram

Take the quadcopter as an example:



Product connection

Interface	Connected accessories
POWER A	Connect the 7-Nano PDB; it features power input and AD voltage-current detection functions.
M1~M14	PWM signal output port, which can be used to control motors or servos; and M1~M8 can be configured as 5V PWM.
RC IN	Connect the backlight for one-way protocols such as SBUS/DSM/PPMD (for ELRS/CRSF, it should be connected to any UART instead of RCIN).

RSSI	Used to connect the signal strength return module
GPS&SAFETY	Connect the Neo series GPS or C-RTK series RTK; it includes interfaces for GPS, safety switch, and buzzer.
GPS2	Used for FMU chip debugging, reading DEBUG device information; for Ardupilot, it can be configured for other UART purposes.
ADC	It includes ADC3.3 and ADC6.6, which can be used for analog level signal detection.
TF CARD	Insert an SD card to enable the log storage function.
ETH	Ethernet interface, which can be used to connect Ethernet devices such as companion computers.
I2C	Connect external I2C devices such as an external compass, which is used for communication between the controller and I2C devices.
TELEM1/TELME2	Connect telemetry modules, etc., for MAVLink data interaction
CAN1-A/B	Connect to a computer to enable communication between the controller and the computer, such as firmware loading.
CAN2	Connect DroneCAN devices such as CAN GPS, which is used for communication between the controller and DroneCAN devices (e.g., connecting NEO3 pro Dronecan GPS).
TYPE C	USB interface, which can be used for operations such as connecting to a ground station and firmware flashing.

Certification



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