

# NAO Pyrobot Interface Documentation

## Motion

Commands for `self.robot`

- `slaveAll()`  
engage all motors
- `unslaveAll()`  
disengage all motors
- `slaveJoint(joint)`  
engage a single motor or joint chain
- `getAngle(joint, angle)`  
read a single joint or joint chain
- `setAngle(joint, angle)`  
control a single joint or joint chain
- `goNeutral(kneeAngle=40, torsoAngle=0, wideAngle=0)`  
set robot to a ready position
- `hand(hand)`  
open or close 'LHand' or 'Rhand'
- `sit()`  
sit down from any position
- `stand()`  
stand up from any position
- `wave(arm='both')`  
wave 'left', 'right', or 'both' arms

## LEDs

Commands for `self.robot.leds[0]`

- `setEyeLed(number, color, time=0.2)`
- `setEyeLeds(color, time=0.2)`
- `eyeProgression(percent, colorA=0x00ff00, colorB=0x0000ff)`  
use robot's eyes as a progress meter
- `fadeRGB(group, color, speed=0.0)`  
fade a specific set of LEDs to a color over time (see API reference for LED names)

Note on colors: all colors must be in hexadecimal RGB format, e.g. 0xRRGGBB where RR, GG, and BB are 2-digit hex values from 00 to FF

## Speech

Commands for `self.robot`

- `say(string, shaping=0, speed=0, wait=False)`  
*string*: the string to say  
*shaping*: voice pitch modulation, defaults can be set in the tts device window  
*speed*: voice speed, defaults can be set in the tts device window  
*wait*: allow string to queue behind other tts calls (default is False)

Commands for `tts[0]`

- `voiceType(voice, speed=100, shape=100)`  
sets default voice for `say()` command, where *voice* is 'normal', 'deep', 'female' or 'custom'  
If 'custom', takes *speed* and *shape* as extra parameters.  
These parameters can be set in the device window as well.

## Camera

`self.robot.camera[0]` functions to Pyrobot specifications  
(note that motion detection filters will not function when in dual-screen mode)

Functions exclusive to NaoCamera:

- `disableAuto()`: disables automatic color correction (default is enabled)
- `enableAuto()`: enables automatic color correction (default is enabled)

## Sonars

`self.robot.sonar[0].readData()` returns left and right sonar readings

Sonars drain the battery faster if enabled. Readings are greatly affected by surface differences and ambient noise, so may appear random at times. Use conservatively and with caution.

## Other

Access <http://marvin:9559> for the NaoQi API reference.

ALMotion can be accessed as `robot.motion`

ALMemory can be accessed as `robot.memory`

Device proxies can be accessed as `device[0].proxy`