# EE / CPRE / SE 491- sddec20-10

Warehouse Automation

Week 2 Report 2/3/2020 - 2/16/2020 Client: none Faculty Advisor: Dr. Rover

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## Past Week Achievements

- Discussed plan of attack
  - Handheld scanners or Drones?
    - We have a reference in the following article citing an Argon Consultist that 2 drones can do the work of 100 people over the same period of time. <u>https://www.bbc.com/news/business-41737300</u>.
    - PINC AIR says that Inventory checks done by people have 89-99% accuracy.
  - Implement goods to man automation?
    - Depends on the client. Would like to have the drones move the shelves, but a client would have to have those shelves first.
- 10 Features of autonomous warehouse
  - 1. Scanning
  - 2. Real-time inventory
  - 3. Systems integration
  - 4. Metrics
  - 5. Driver Scanning
  - 6. Lighting and Security
  - 7. Automated Gate System
  - 8. Business Continuity
  - 9. Mobile System
  - 10. Employee tracking

We are aiming to implement these features with our Product

### **Pending Issues**

• Lack of client

### Plans for coming week

• Group up into teams and start work on some functionality, contact potential clients