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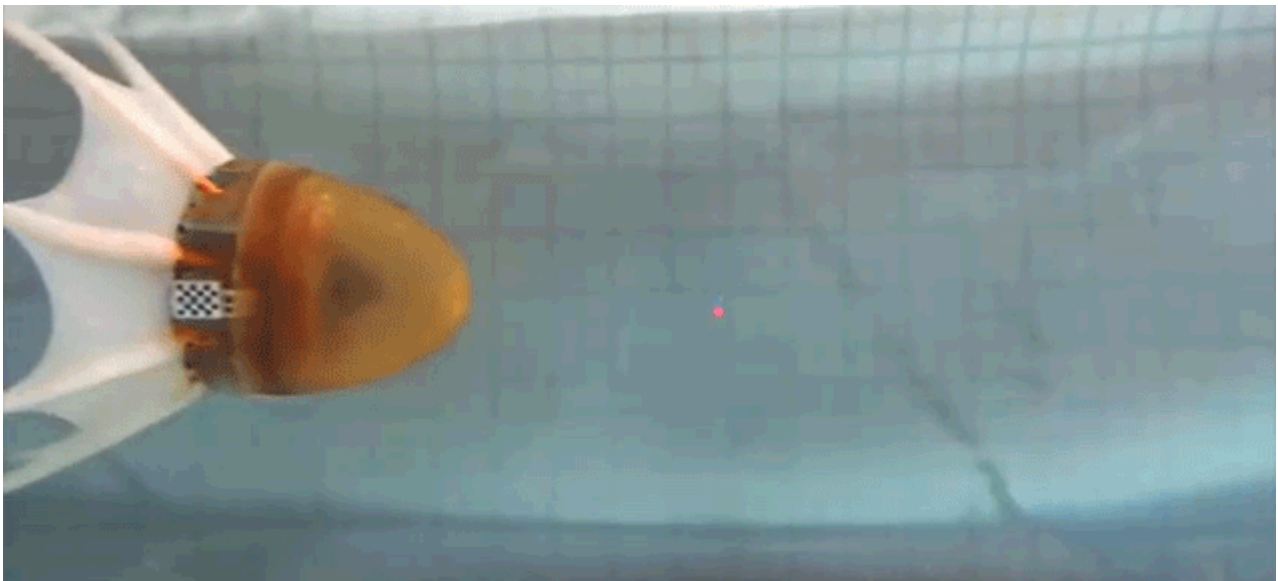


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When designing robots it only makes sense to occasionally take a peek at what Mother Nature has already come up with for surviving and navigating our planet. But do robotics researchers have to keep choosing the world's most creepiest animals for inspiration? Does anyone really want to live in a world with unstoppable robot snakes (<http://gizmodo.com/watch-and-squirm-as-this-robot-tentacle-snakes-through-1634890307>) or artificial octopi (<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=azumXwStahM>) lurking in our oceans?