## On the Subject of Cruel Mastermind

The game from your childhood. Only advanced. And harder to memorize. And the feedback isn't what it used to be...

- To solve this module you must find the correct 5 color code.
- The colors used in this module are: White, Magenta, Yellow, Green, Red and Blue.
- . Note that each color may be used multiple times.
- The LED colors can be cycled through by clicking the LEDs.
- By pressing the "Query" button, information about the currently entered code will be displayed.
- When the correct code is entered, the module will be solved by pressing the "Submit" button. Submitting the wrong code will invoke a strike.

Each query will generate two numbers on the display. These numbers each represent the <u>total</u> sum of two of the values listed in the table below.

- A = Number of correct colors in the correct positions.
- B = Number of correct colors in the wrong positions.
- C = Number of colors not in the solution at all.

| Color on the display: |              | Left number                              | Right number                    |
|-----------------------|--------------|--|---------------------------------|
| White                 | Left color:  | A  | В                               |
|                       | Right color: | # of batteries                           | # of solved modules             |
| Magenta               | Left color:  | С  | Α ,                             |
|                       | Right color: | # of lit indicators                      | Last digit of the serial number |
| Yellow                | Left color:  | В  | C '                             |
|                       | Right color: | Sum of all numbers in the serial number  | # of ports                      |
| Green                 | Left color:  | В  | A                               |
|                       | Right color: | # of modules on the bomb                 | # of unlit indicators           |
| Red                   | Left color:  | С  | В,                              |
|                       | Right color: | # of unique ports                        | # of strikes                    |
| Blue                  | Left color:  | A  | C ()                            |
|                       | Right color: | First numeral digit in the serial number | # of battery<br>holders         |

