1. Arduino Board Specifications (e.g., Arduino Uno)

• Microcontroller: ATmega328P

• Operating Voltage: 5V

• Input Voltage (recommended): 7-12V

• Input Voltage (limits): 6-20V

• **Digital I/O Pins**: 14 (of which 6 provide PWM output)

• Analog Input Pins: 6

• DC Current per I/O Pin: 20 mA

• DC Current for 3.3V Pin: 50 mA

• Flash Memory: 32 KB (of which 0.5 KB used by bootloader)

• **SRAM**: 2 KB

• **EEPROM**: 1 KB

• Clock Speed: 16 MHz

• **LED_BUILTIN**: Pin 13

• **USB Interface**: Type B USB (for programming and serial communication)

• Bootloader: Pre-installed, allowing direct USB programming via the Arduino IDE

• **Power Supply Options**: USB or external 7-12V power supply

• **Dimensions**: 68.6 mm x 53.4 mm

• Weight: Approximately 25g

2. DHT11 Sensor Specifications (Temperature and Humidity Sensor)

• **Sensor Type**: Digital

Measurement Range:

o **Temperature**: 0 to 50°C

o **Humidity**: 20% to 90% RH (Relative Humidity)

Accuracy:

o **Temperature**: ±2°C

o **Humidity**: ±5% RH

• **Output Type**: Digital signal (1-wire interface)

• Operating Voltage: 3.3V to 5V

• **Current Consumption**: 2-3 mA (when measuring), 0.5 mA (when idle)

• **Response Time**: \leq 1s for humidity, \leq 2s for temperature

• Sensor Size: 15.5mm x 12mm x 5.5mm

• Operating Temperature: 0 to 50°C

• Operating Humidity: 20% to 90% RH

• Power Consumption: Low, ideal for battery-powered applications

• Libraries/Support: Supported by the DHT library in Arduino IDE for easy integration

3. Arduino Motherboard Specifications (for example, Arduino Uno)

• Microcontroller: ATmega328P (or ATmega16U2 for USB-to-serial conversion)

• Input/Output:

o **Digital I/O Pins**: 14 (6 PWM capable)

o Analog Pins: 6

o PWM Pins: 6

• Communication:

o **Serial Communication**: Through USB (using USB-to-serial converter)

o **I2C Pins**: Pin A4 (SDA), Pin A5 (SCL)

o SPI Pins: Pin 10 (SS), Pin 11 (MOSI), Pin 12 (MISO), Pin 13 (SCK)

Power:

o **Input Power Range**: 6V to 20V

Regulated Voltage: 5V for most operations

• **USB Interface**: USB-B (for serial communication and power)

• Power Pins: 5V, 3.3V, GND, Vin, etc.

• Status LEDs: Power, TX, RX, and Built-in LED (Pin 13)

• **Size**: 68.6mm x 53.4mm

• Weight: 25g

4. Microprocessor vs. Microcontroller Specifications

Microprocessor (e.g., Intel i7)

• Architecture: 64-bit (x86/x64)

• Clock Speed: Typically 2.0 GHz to 5.0 GHz

• Cores: Dual-core, Quad-core, Octa-core (depending on the specific model)

- Cache Memory: L1, L2, and L3 cache (e.g., 4MB-12MB L3 cache)
- **Instruction Set**: x86-64 architecture (supports complex instructions, multitasking, etc.)
- **Voltage**: 1.0V to 1.4V (depends on the specific CPU model)
- **Power Consumption**: 35W to 125W (depending on the model and usage)
- **Usage**: Typically used in high-performance computers, laptops, and servers
- External Memory: Works with DDR4, DDR5 RAM, SSDs, etc.
- Communication: High-speed communication interfaces like PCIe, USB, Ethernet, etc.

Microcontroller (e.g., ATmega328P on Arduino Uno)

- Architecture: 8-bit, 16-bit, or 32-bit (depending on the model, e.g., ATmega328P is 8-bit)
- Clock Speed: Typically 8 MHz to 16 MHz (ATmega328P is 16 MHz)
- **Cores**: Single-core
- **RAM**: Typically from 32 bytes to a few kilobytes
- Flash Memory: Typically from 32 KB to 256 KB (e.g., ATmega328P has 32 KB)
- **Power Consumption**: Very low (tends to be in the range of a few milliwatts)
- Input/Output: Typically 8 to 40 I/O pins with some supporting PWM and analog input
- **Peripherals**: I2C, SPI, UART, PWM, ADC (Analog-to-Digital Conversion)
- Usage: Embedded systems, sensors, small automation projects, IoT devices
- Communication: Low-speed interfaces like I2C, SPI, and UART

5. Microcontroller Example (ATmega328P)

• **Architecture**: 8-bit AVR

• Clock Speed: 16 MHz

• Flash Memory: 32 KB (2 KB used by bootloader)

• **SRAM**: 2 KB

• **EEPROM**: 1 KB

• Input/Output Pins: 23 (14 digital I/O pins, 6 analog input pins)

• PWM Channels: 6

• **ADC Channels**: 10-bit, 6 channels

• **Timers**: 3 (8-bit and 16-bit)

• **I2C**: Yes (via TWI interface)

• **SPI**: Yes (Serial Peripheral Interface)

- **UART**: Yes (Serial Communication)
- Operating Voltage: 1.8V to 5.5V (3.3V versions possible)
- **Power Consumption**: Low power consumption, with sleep modes for energy efficiency

Conclusion:

- Arduino boards are based on low-power microcontrollers like the ATmega328P, designed for embedded systems and basic projects.
- **Sensors** like the **DHT11** are tailored for specific tasks like reading temperature and humidity, and they work well with low-power microcontrollers.
- **Microprocessors** (like Intel's i7) are powerful chips used for general-purpose computing, suitable for tasks requiring substantial processing power.
- **Microcontrollers** are optimal for embedded systems and projects where low power consumption and limited computing power are necessary.