

smorphi²

transforming learning with
transformer robots

assembly & info

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(part list)

4 x Acrylic Base Plate



2 x Aluminium Base Plate



4 x Base Skirt Panel A



4 x Base Skirt Panel B



4 x Mecanum Wheel (Right)



4 x Mecanum Wheel (Left)



8 x Mecanum Motor



8 x Motor Shaft Sleeve



8 x Motor Mount



2 x Solenoid



2 x Solenoid Latch Mount



2 x Solenoid Latch Guide



All colors of parts are represented accurately here.
In the assembly steps, colors of some parts will be changed for diagram clarity.

2 x Solenoid Catch



2 x Hinge Mount



1 x Hinge Mechanism



1 x Battery



2 x Battery bracket



1 x Masterboard (ESP32)



2 x Slaveboard



2 x Sound Sensor



1 x Temperature Sensor



4 x IR Sensor



6 x Sensor Lock



12 x Hex F-F M3 Nylon 10mm



16 x Hex M-F M3 Nylon 45mm



100 x Cap Screw M3x5



30 x Cap Screw M3x25



5 x Countersunk Screw M4x8



2 x Wing Screw M3x5



1 x USB Cable



6 x 4-pin Connector



2 x 8-pin Connector



1 x Battery Charger



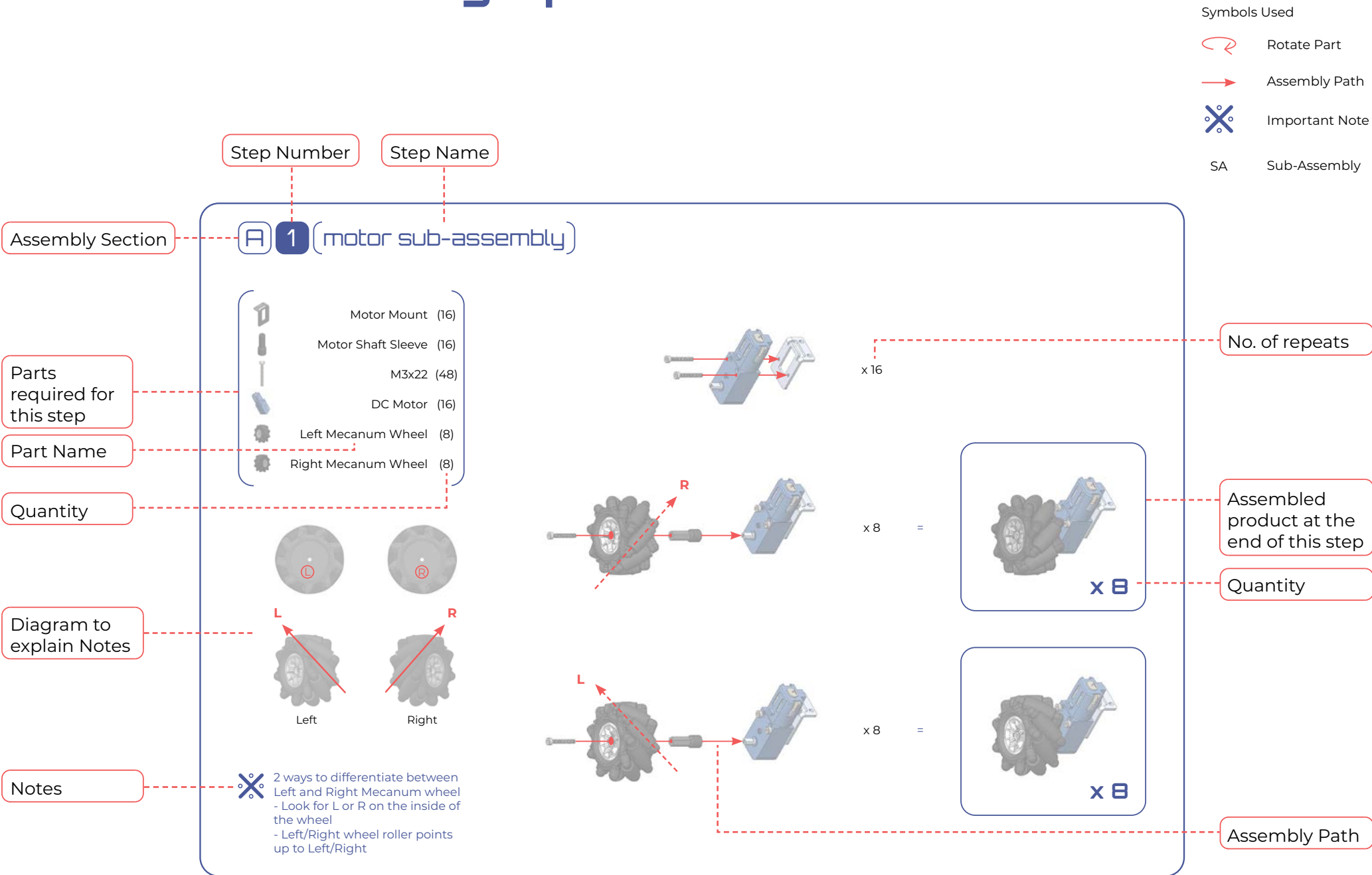
1 x Ceramic Screwdriver CD-25

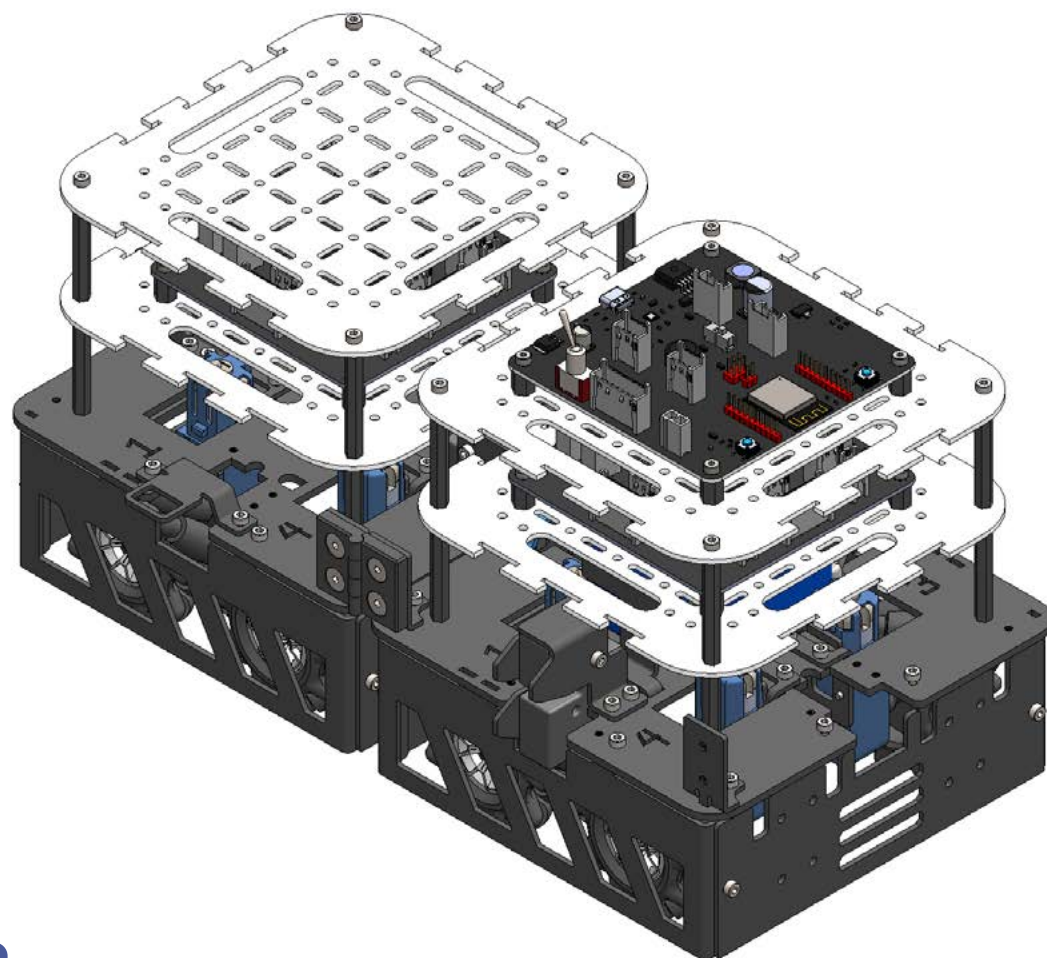


1 x HEX Key 1.5mm



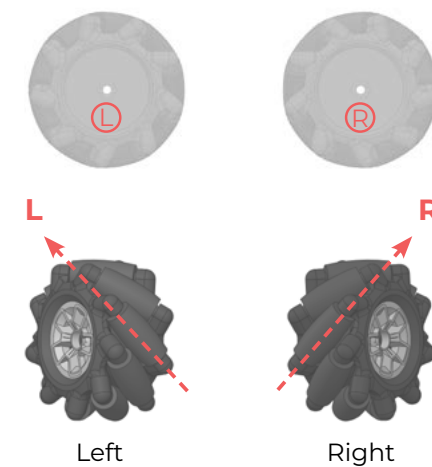
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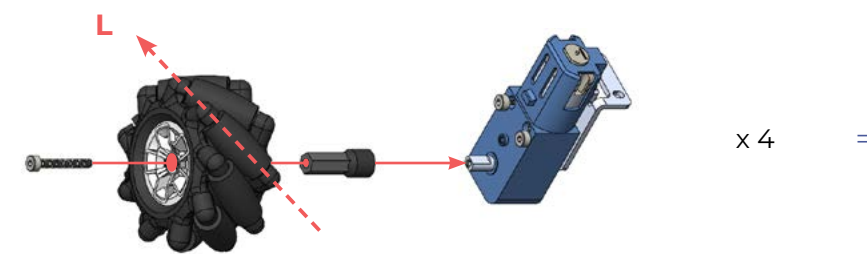
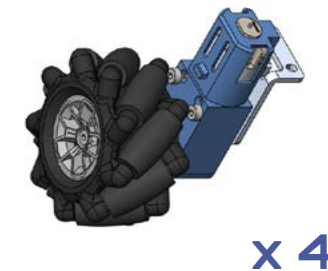
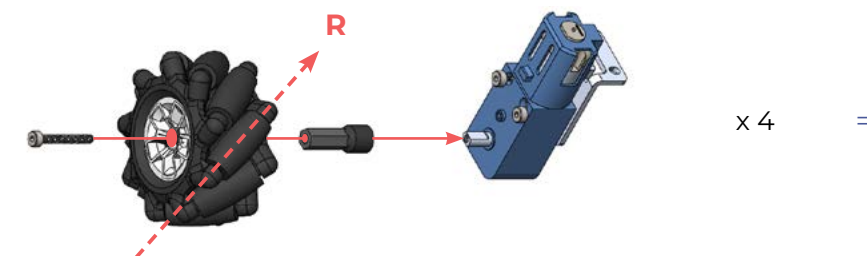
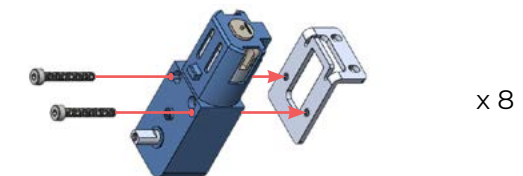


A 1 (motor sub-assembly)

-  Motor Mount (8)
-  Motor Shaft Sleeve (8)
-  M3x22 (24)
-  DC Motor (8)
-  Left Mecanum Wheel (4)
-  Right Mecanum Wheel (4)

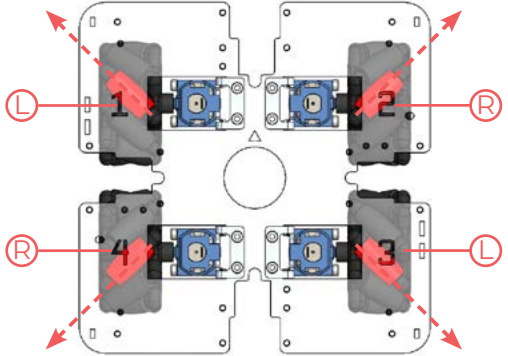


- ✕ 2 ways to differentiate between Left and Right Mecanum wheel
- Look for L or R on the inside of the wheel
 - Left/Right wheel roller points up to Left/Right



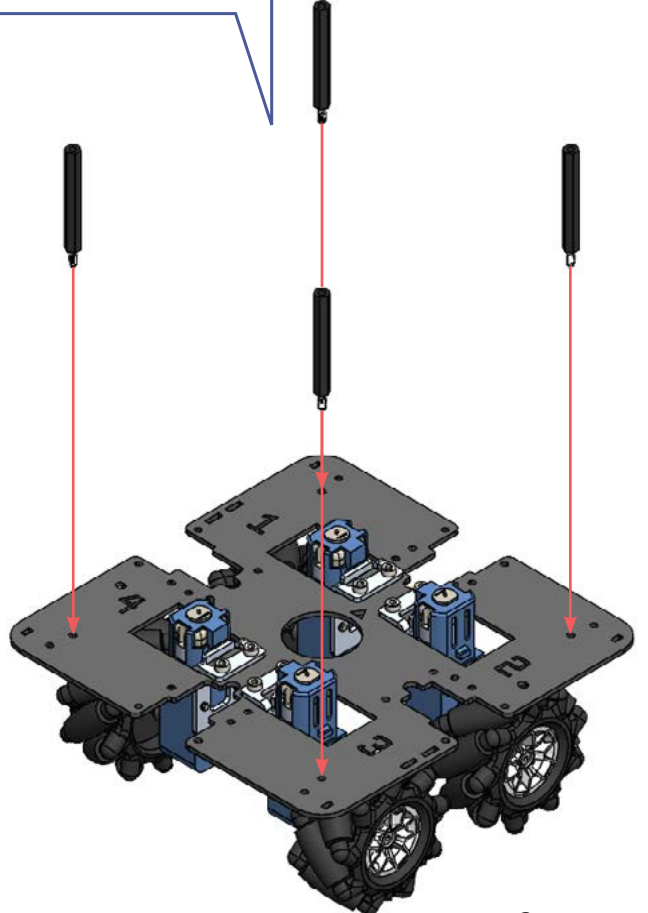
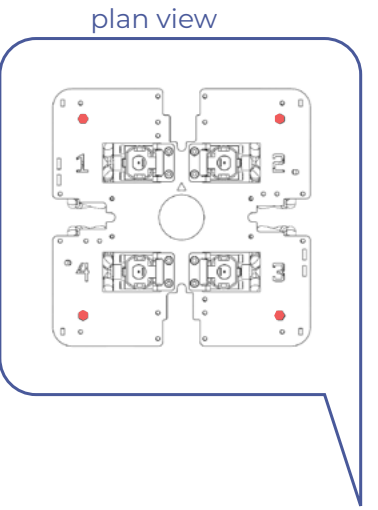
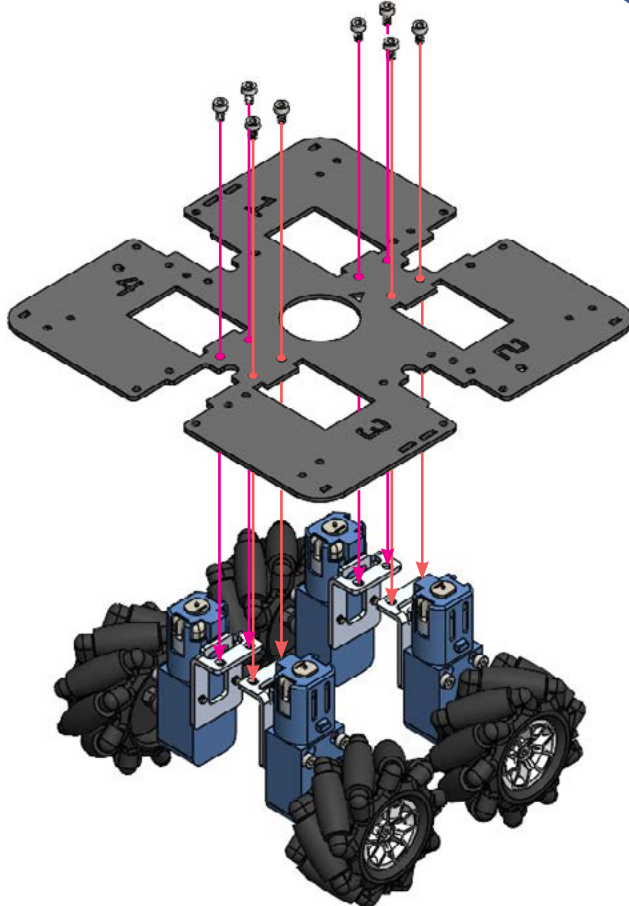
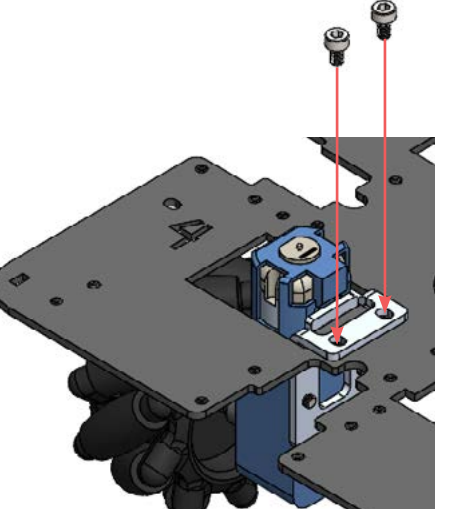
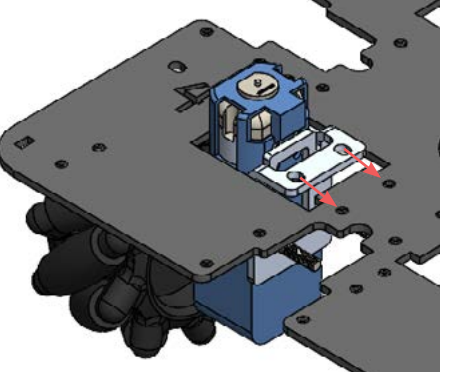
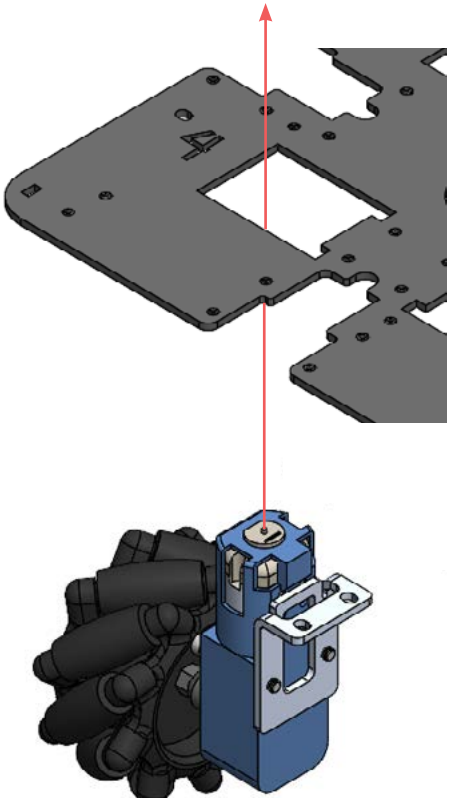
A2 (base module sub-assembly)

- AI Base Plate (2)
- Hex M-F M3 45mm (8)
- M3x5 (16)
- Left Wheel SA (4)
from A.1
- Right Wheel SA (4)
from A.1

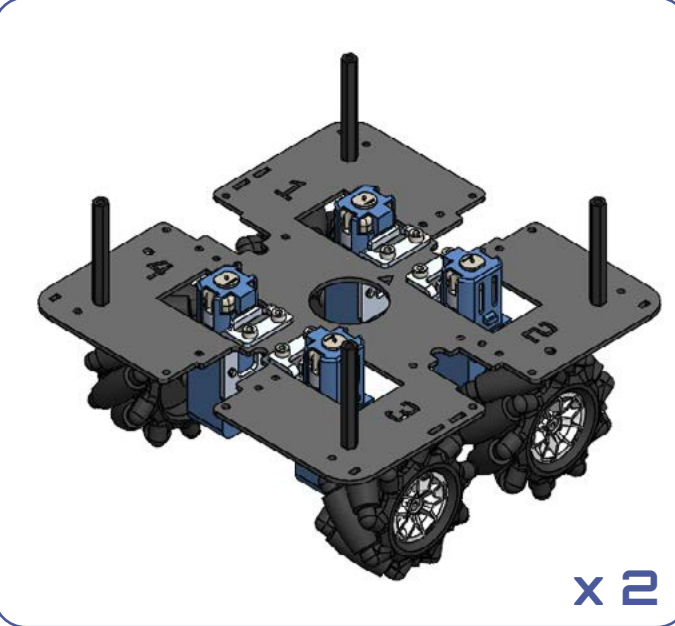


⚠ Make sure that the numbers are facing the right way up as shown in the plan view above.

⚠ Before attaching each wheel, check that the wheel is of the correct orientation for each numbered slot.

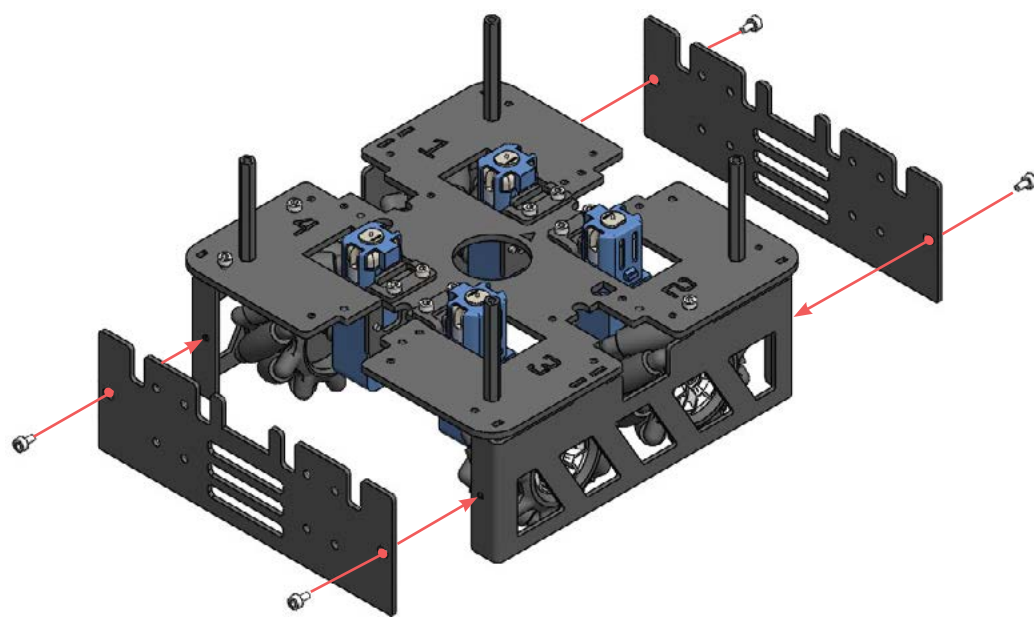
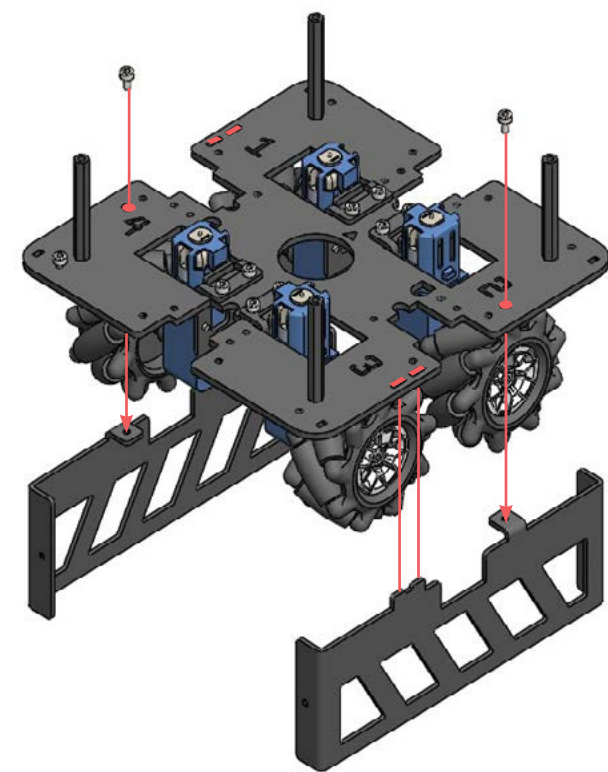


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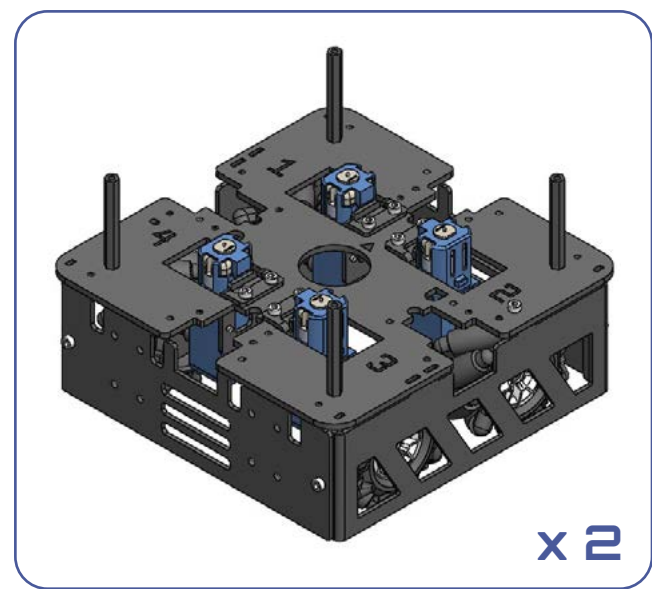


x2

- Base Skirt Panel A (4)
- Base Skirt Panel B (4)
- M3 x 5 (12)

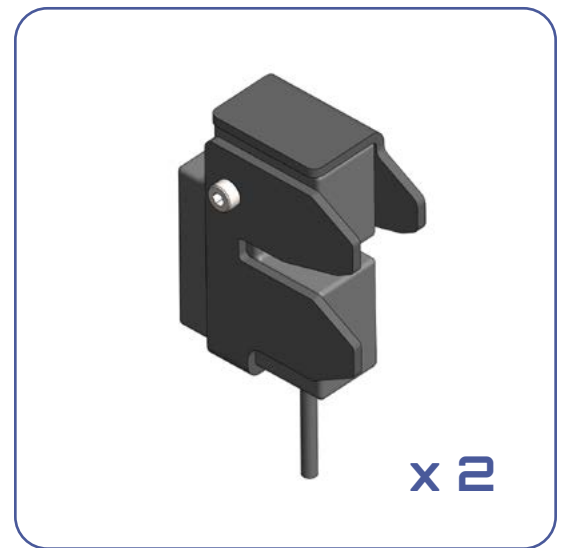
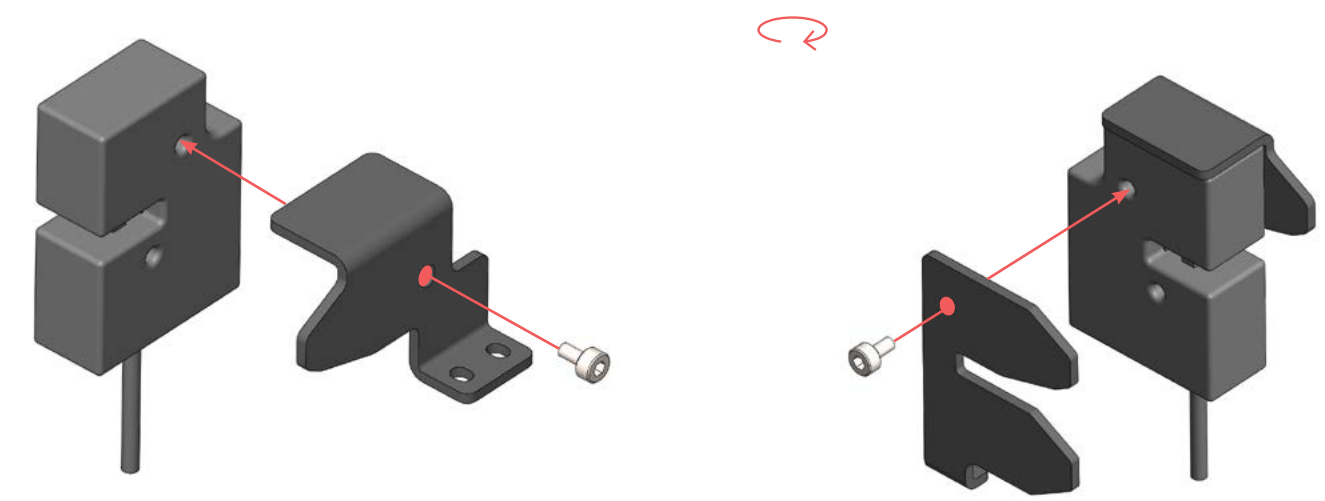


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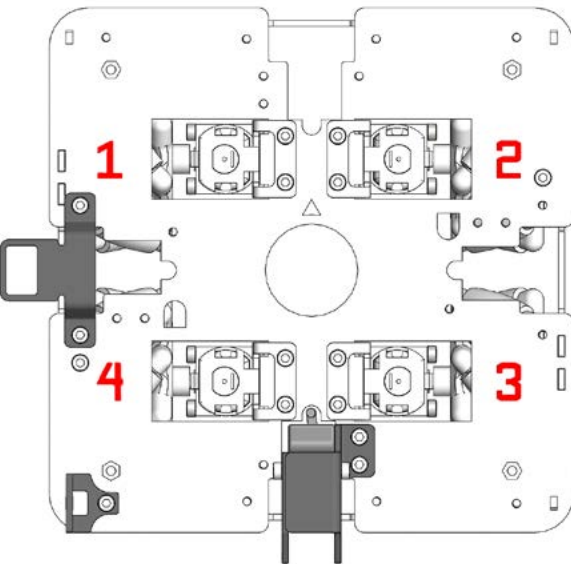
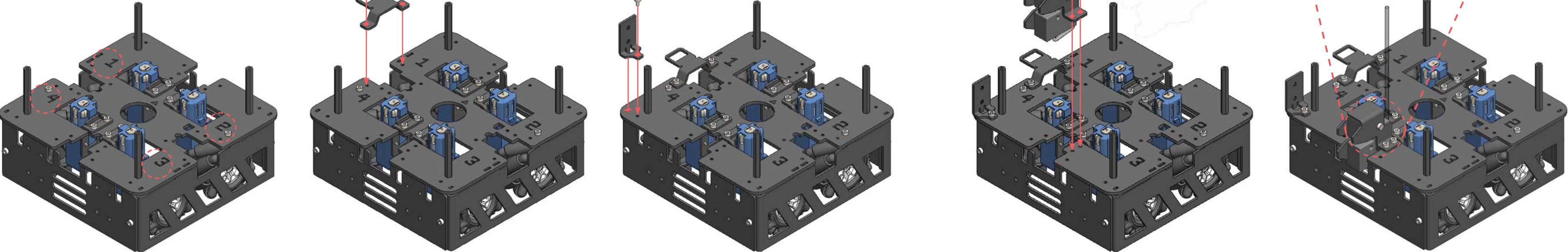
A3 (solenoid latch sub-assembly)

- Solenoid latch (2)
- Solenoid latch mount (2)
- Solenoid latch guide (2)
- M3 x 5 (4)



A 4 (module 1 mechanical sub-assembly)

- Hinge mount (1)
- Solenoid catch (1)
- Solenoid latch SA (1)
from A.3
- Base Module SA (1)
from A.2
- M3 x 5 (5)

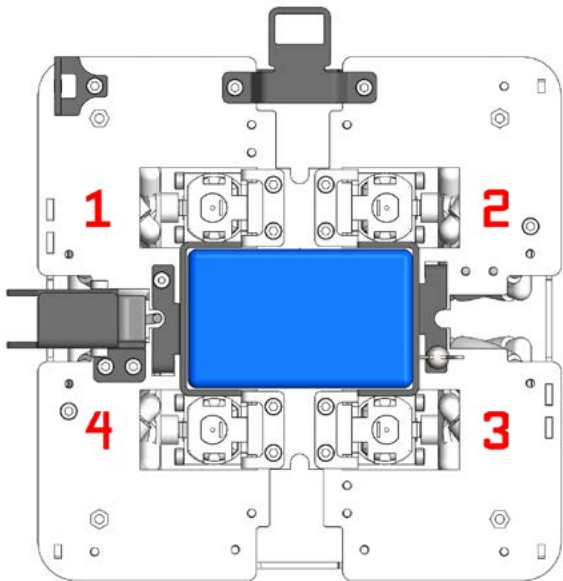
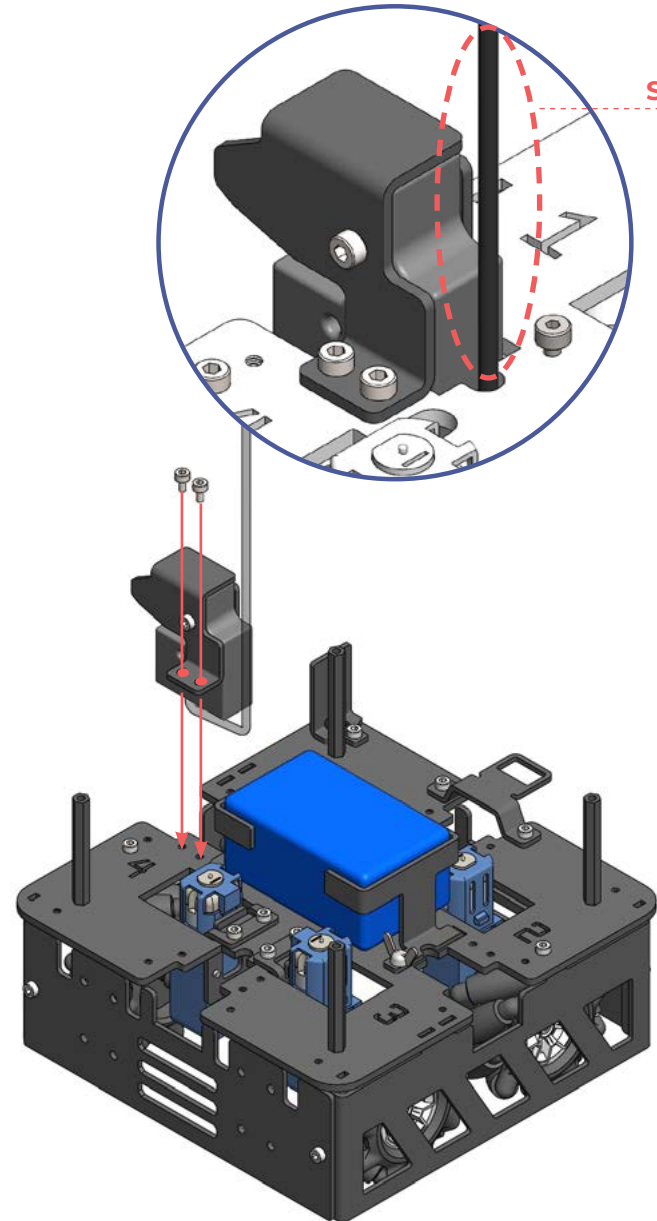
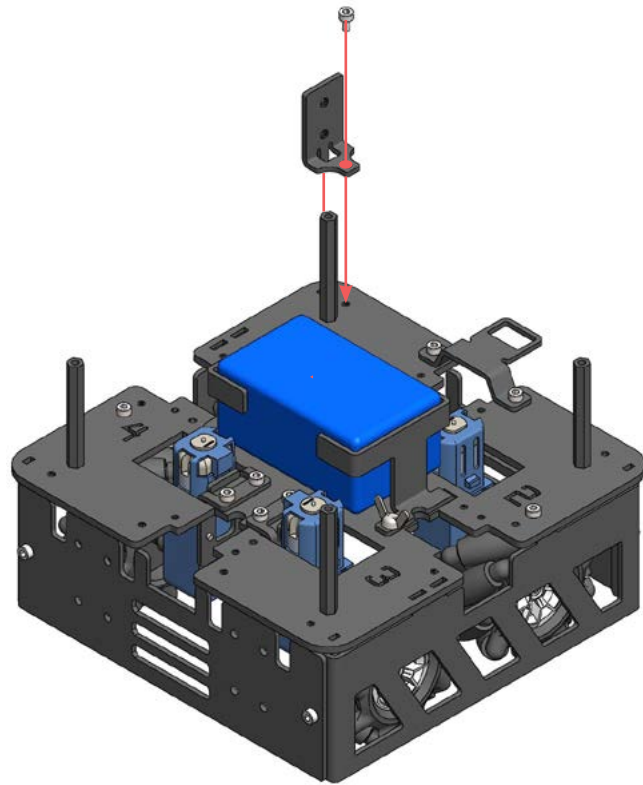
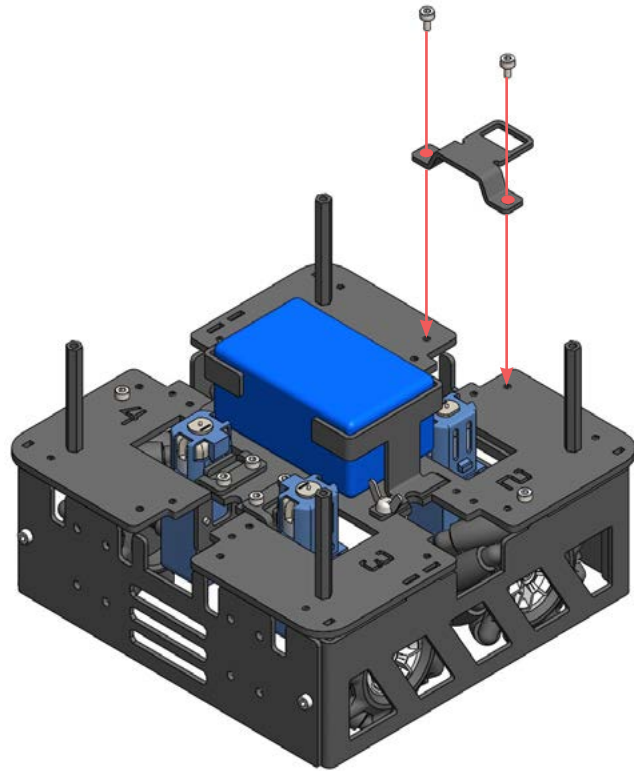
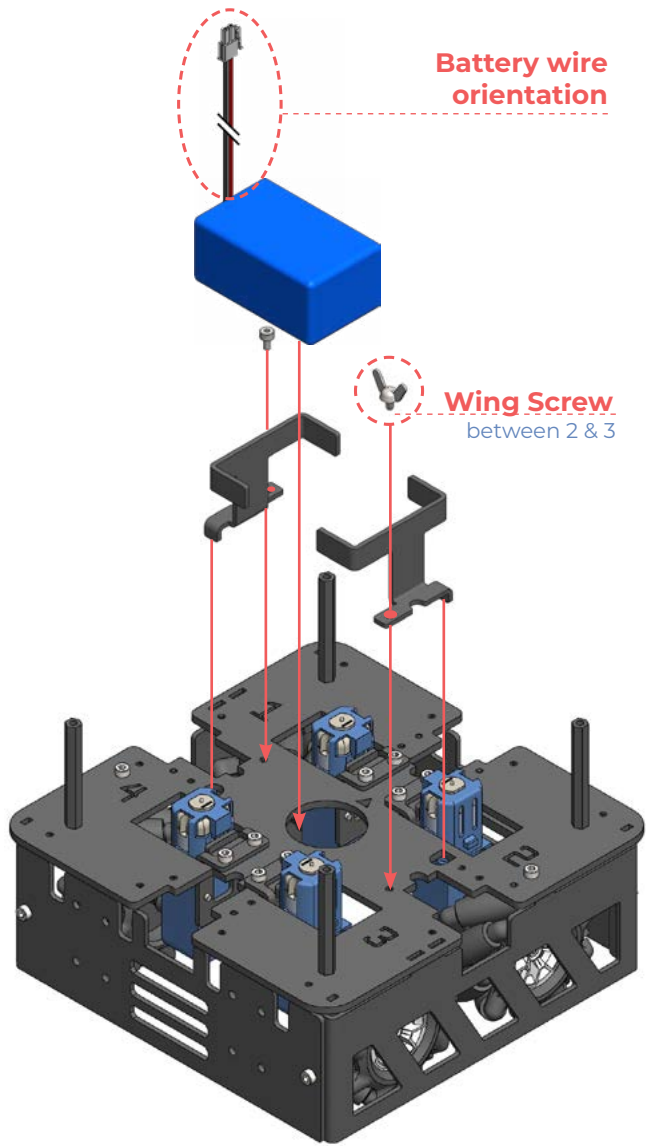
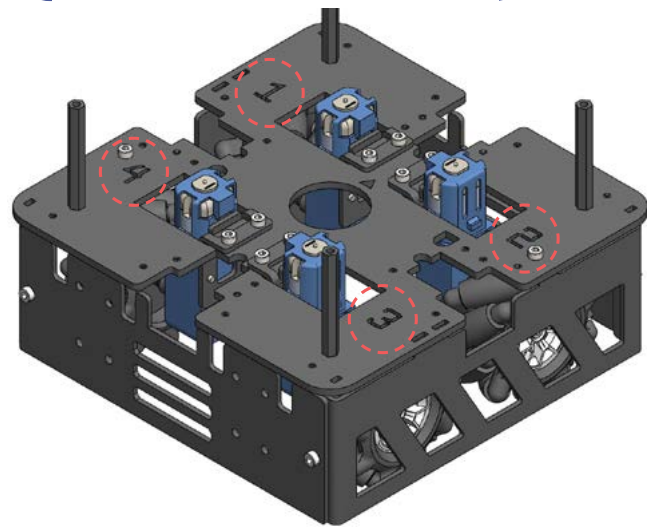


⚠ Pay attention to the numbers and their positions in relation to the parts being attached.

⚠ Check that the parts have been attached in the right location, in relation to the numbers.

A5 (module 2 mechanical sub-assembly)

- Hinge mount (1)
- Solenoid catch (1)
- Solenoid latch SA (1)
from A.3
- Battery bracket (2)
- Li-ion Battery (1)
- Base Module SA (1)
from A.2
- M3 x 5 (6)
- Wing Screw M3 x 5 (1)

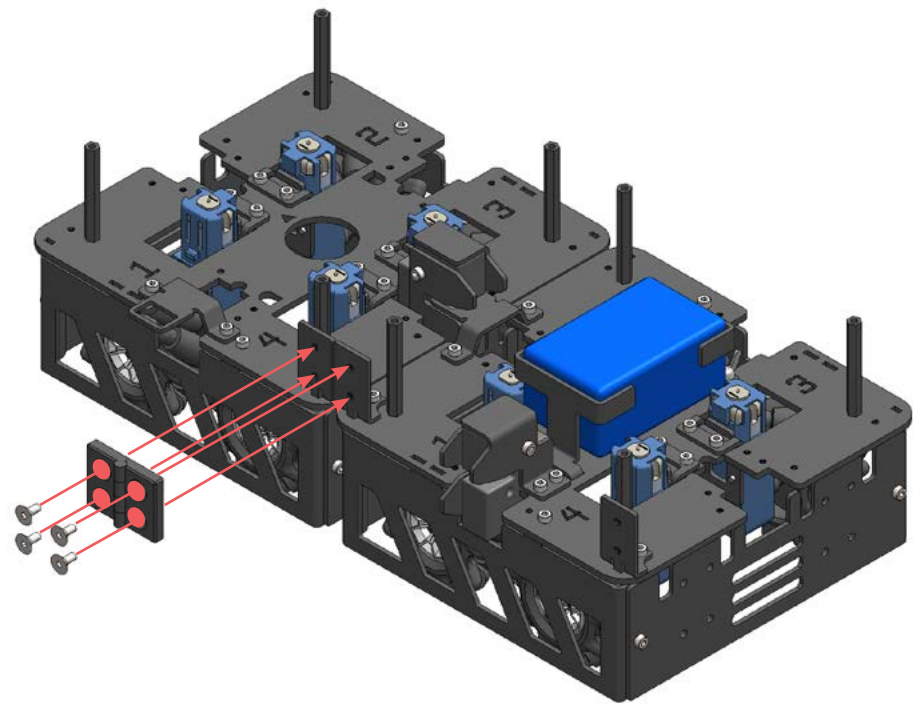
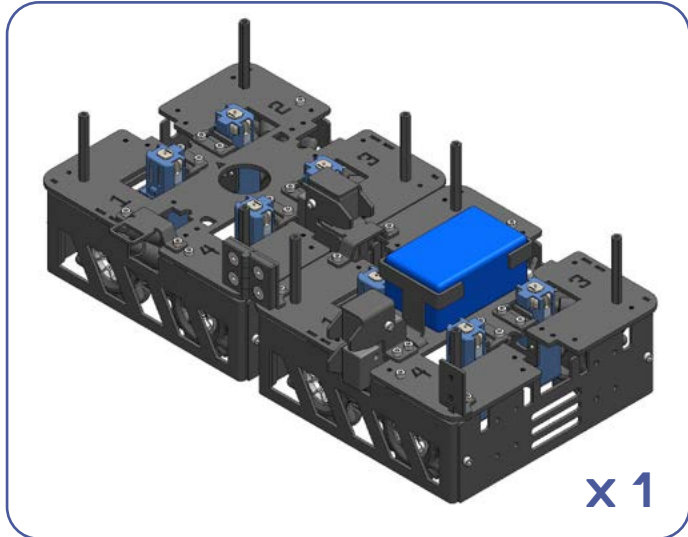
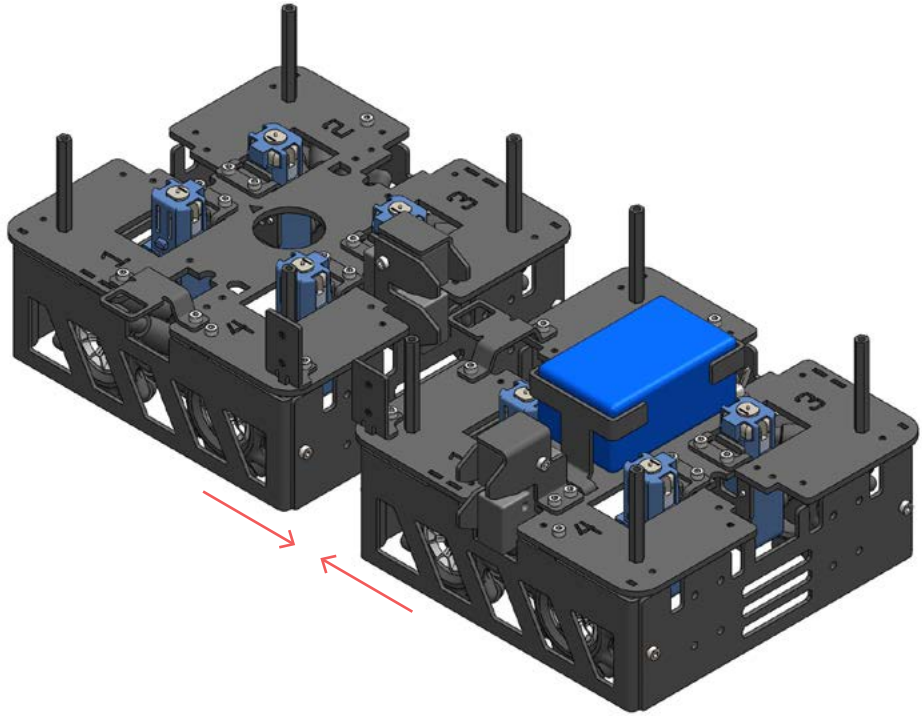
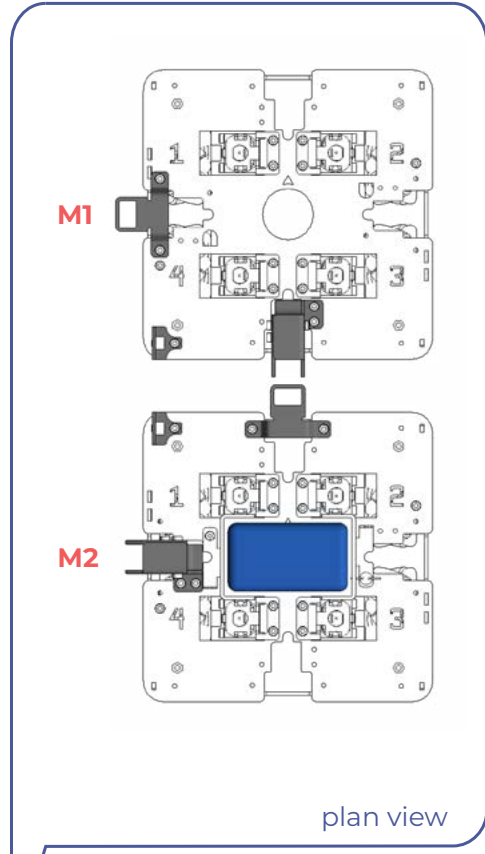
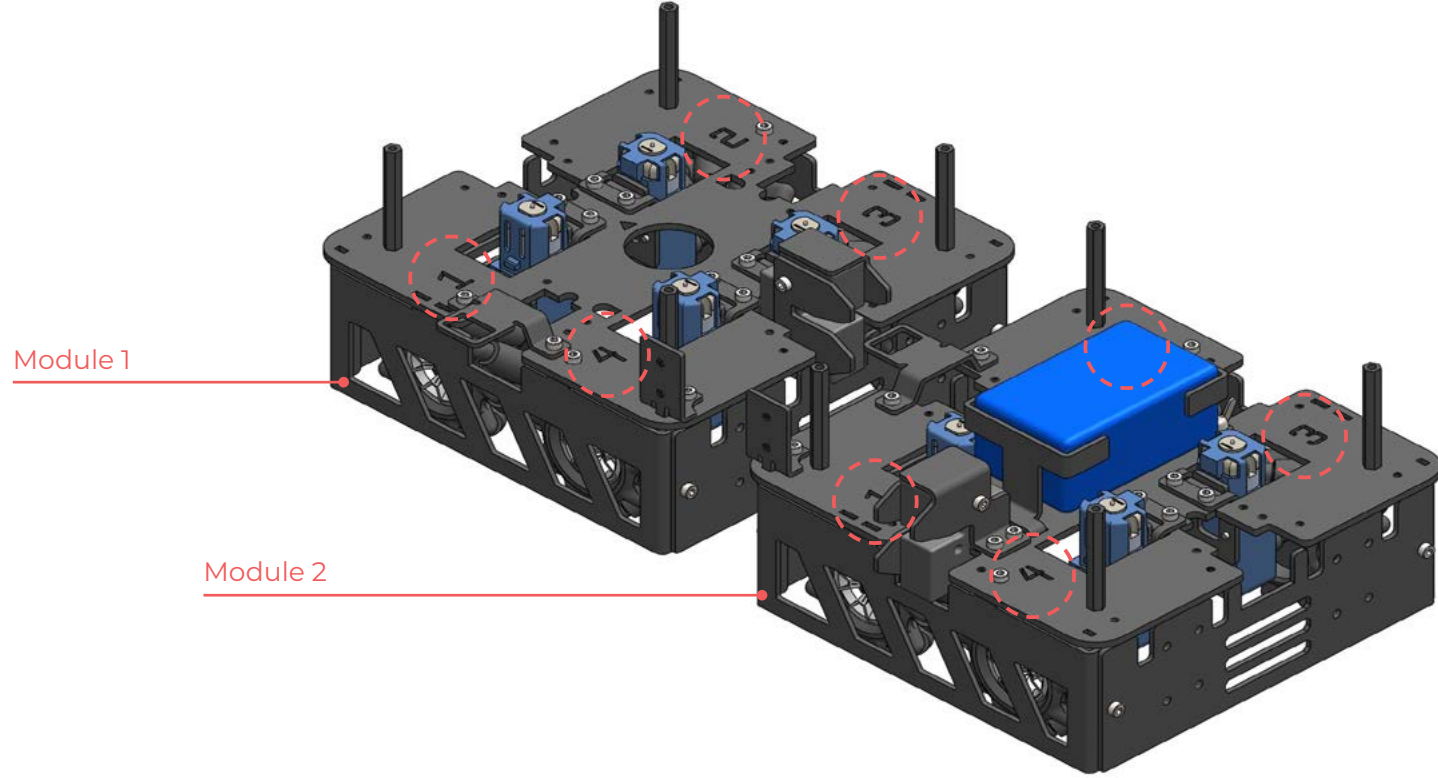


✖ Pay attention to the numbers and their positions in relation to the parts being attached.

✖ Check that the parts have been attached in the right location.

A6 (full mechanical assembly)

- Module 1 (1)
from A.4
- Module 2 (1)
from A.5
- Hinge mechanism (1)
- M4 x 8 (4)

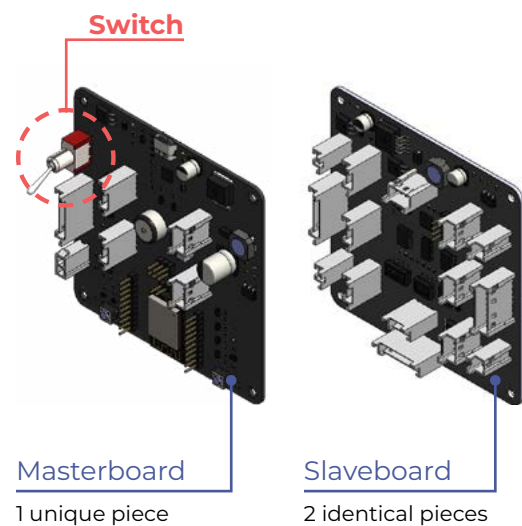


✖ Pay attention to the numbers and their orientation when attaching the modules together.

✖ Check all the positions of solenoids, solenoid catches, hinge mounts before proceeding to section B.

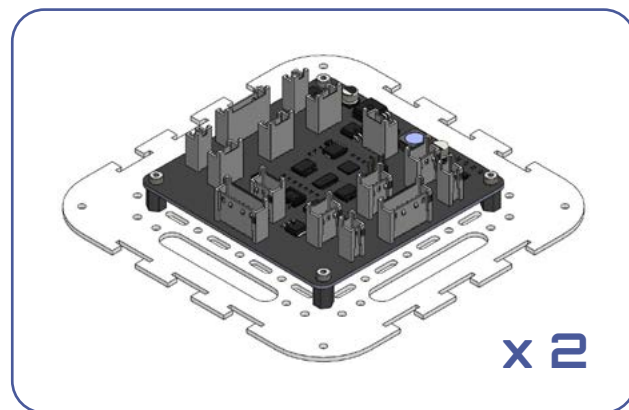
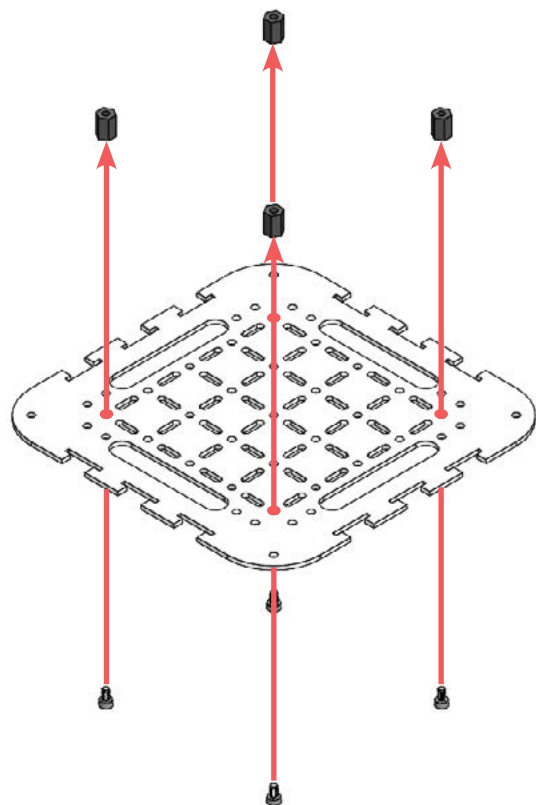
A mechanical assembly completed

B1 (e-tray sub-assembly)

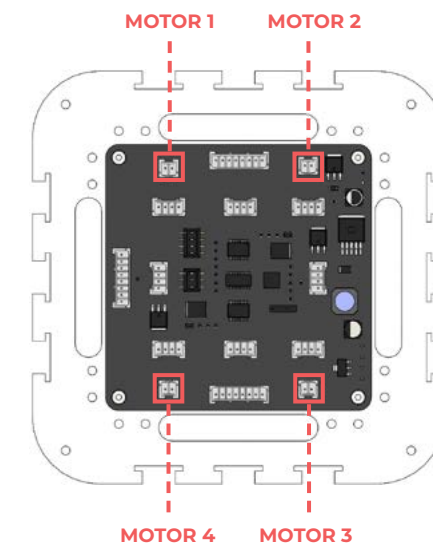
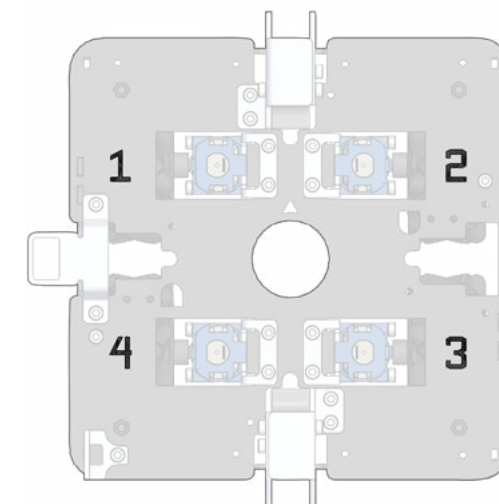
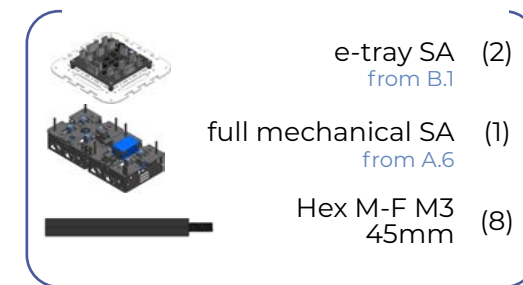


✘ Make sure that you are attaching the slaveboards and not the masterboard.

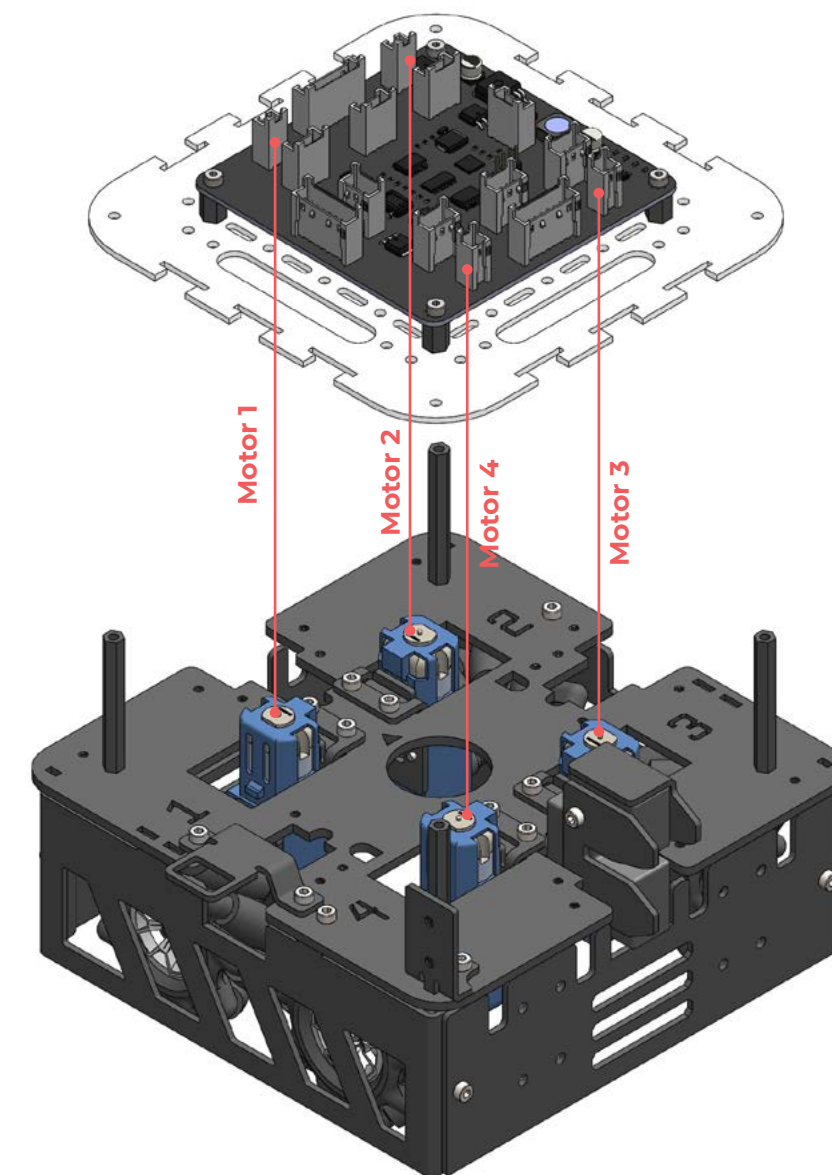
✘ How to differentiate between masterboard and slaveboards:
- Masterboard has a special switch

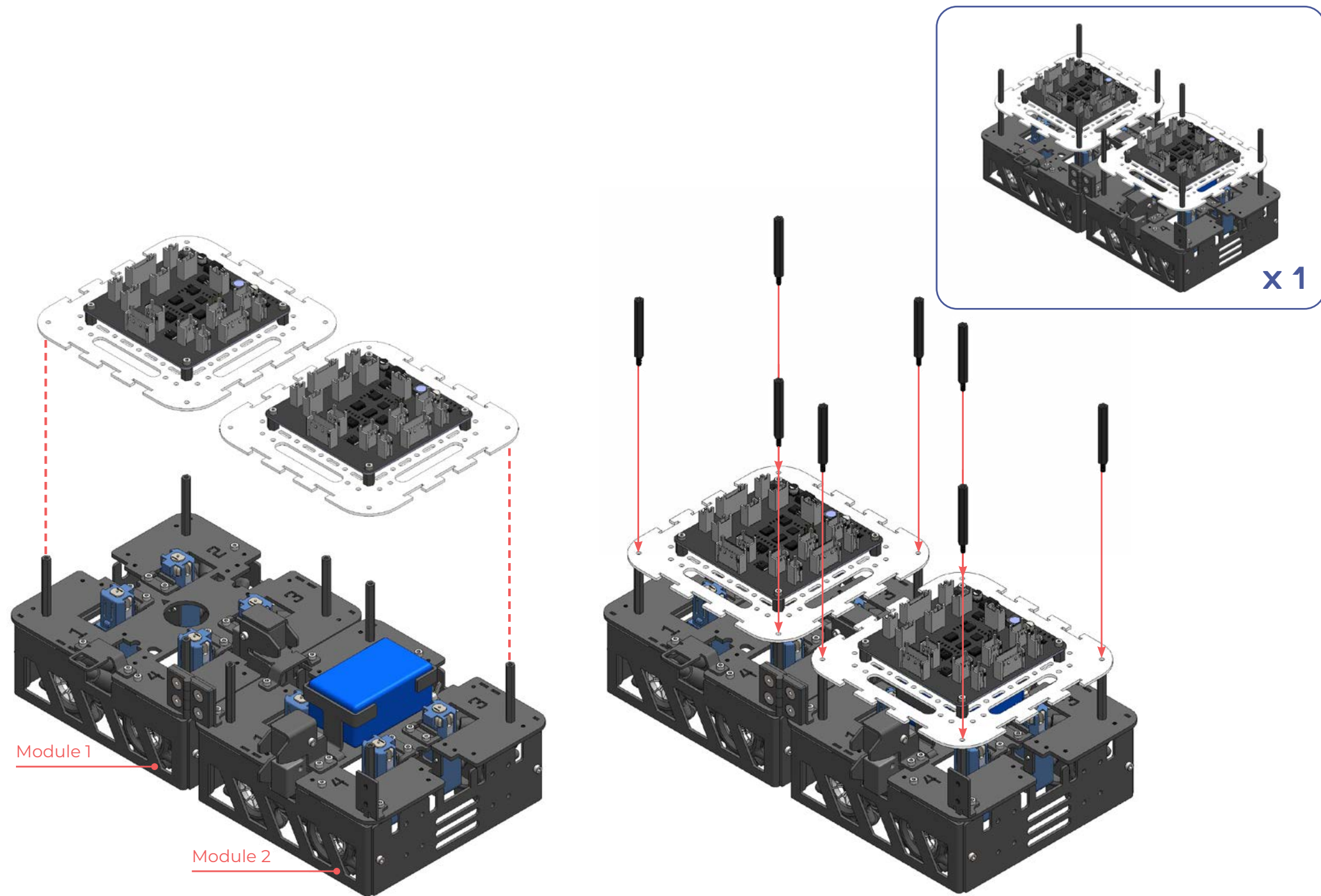


B2 (e-tray onto mechanical assembly)

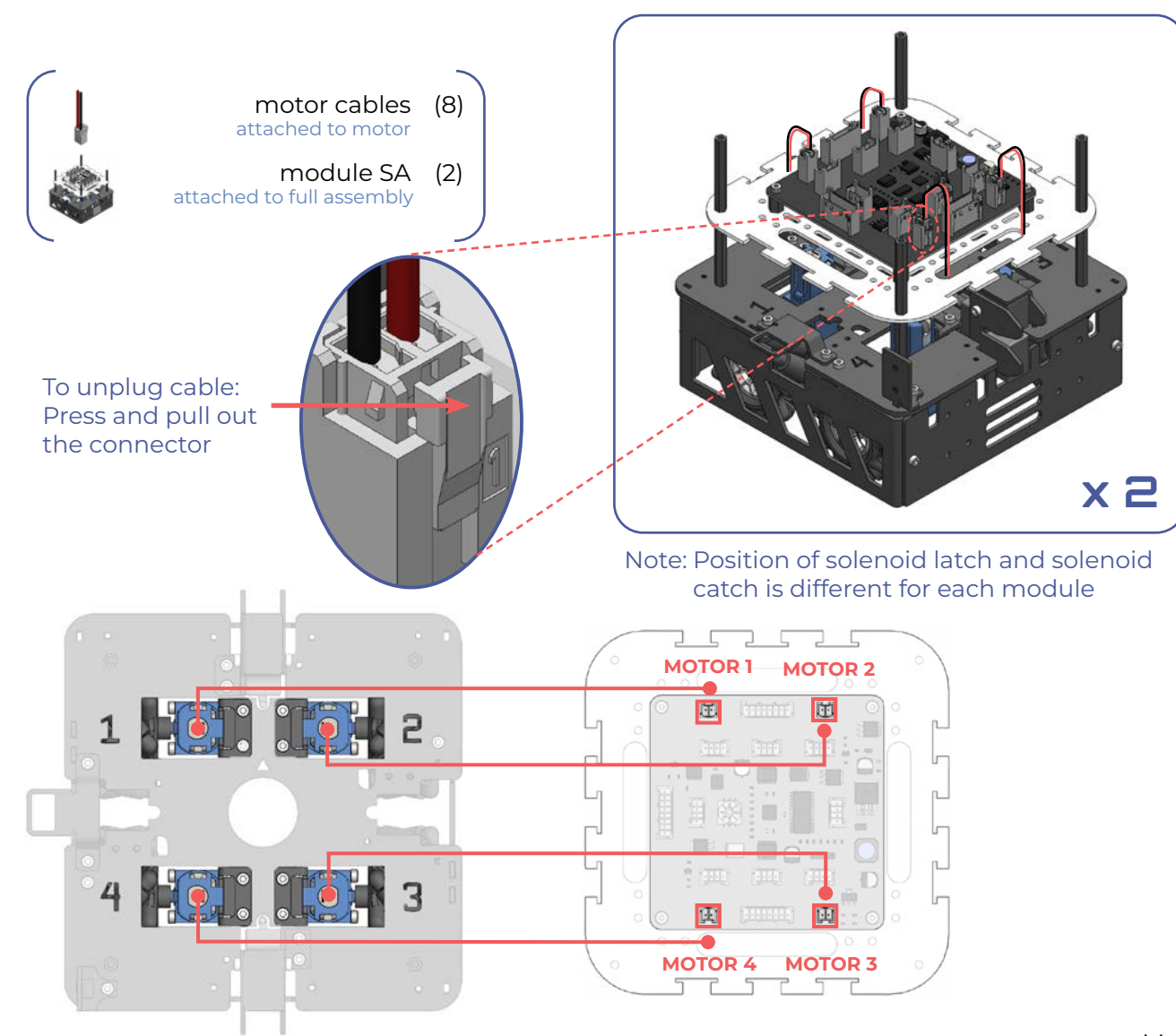


✘ Orientate e-tray SA and base module as shown on the right.
Motor 1 connector on e-tray should be on top of Motor 1 of base module.
Same goes for Motor 2, 3 and 4.



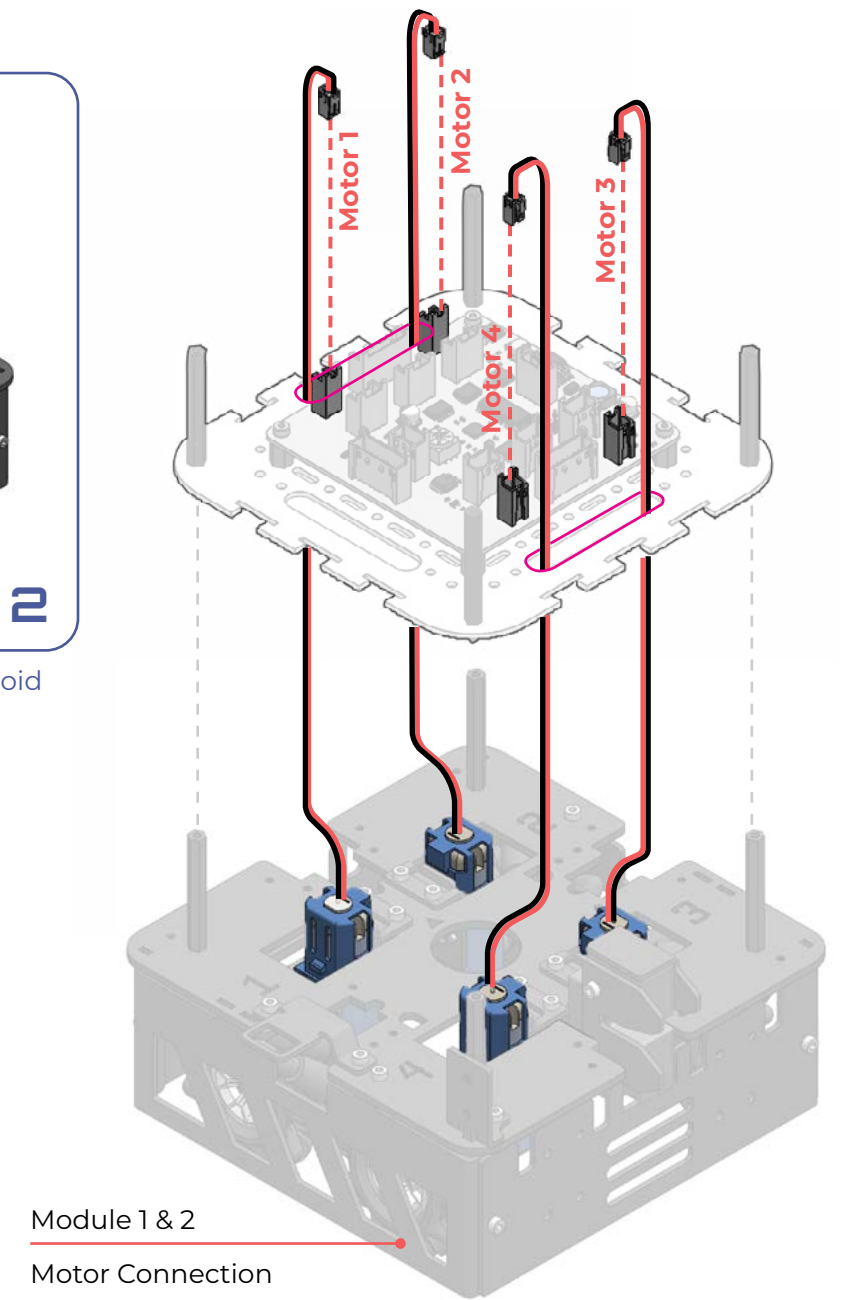


B3 (all module motor cable connection)

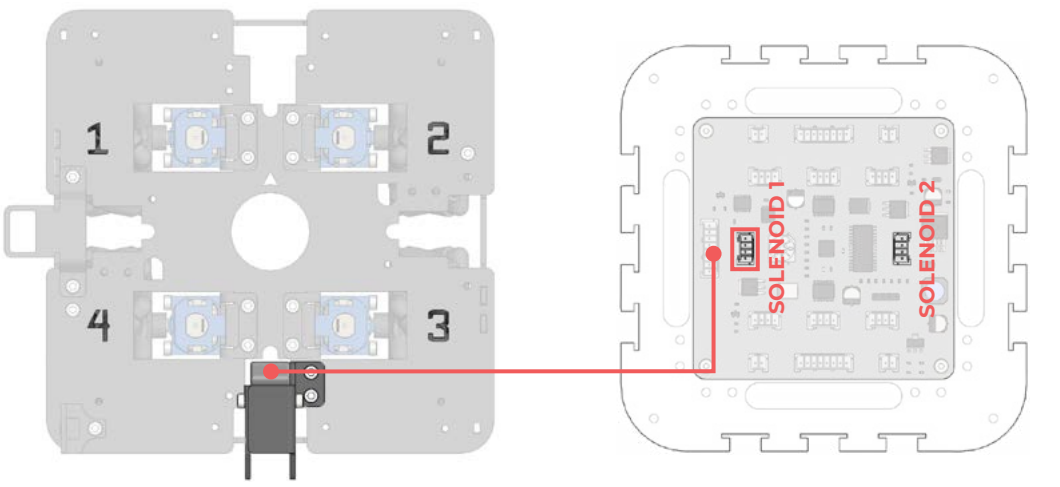
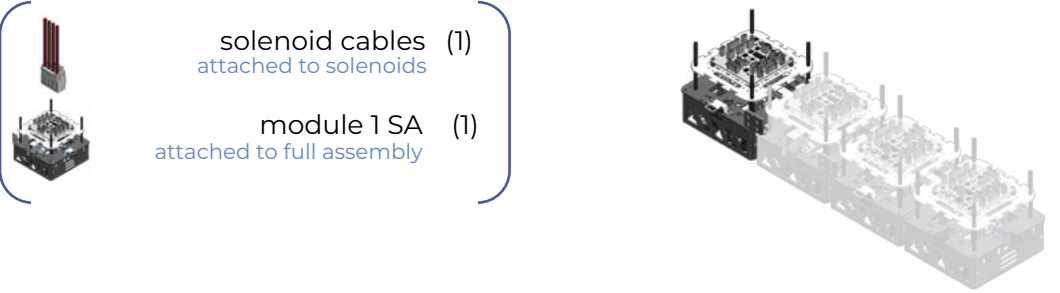


✖ Make sure that Motor 1 is connected to Motor 1 connector on Slaveboard; the same goes for Motor 2, 3 and 4.

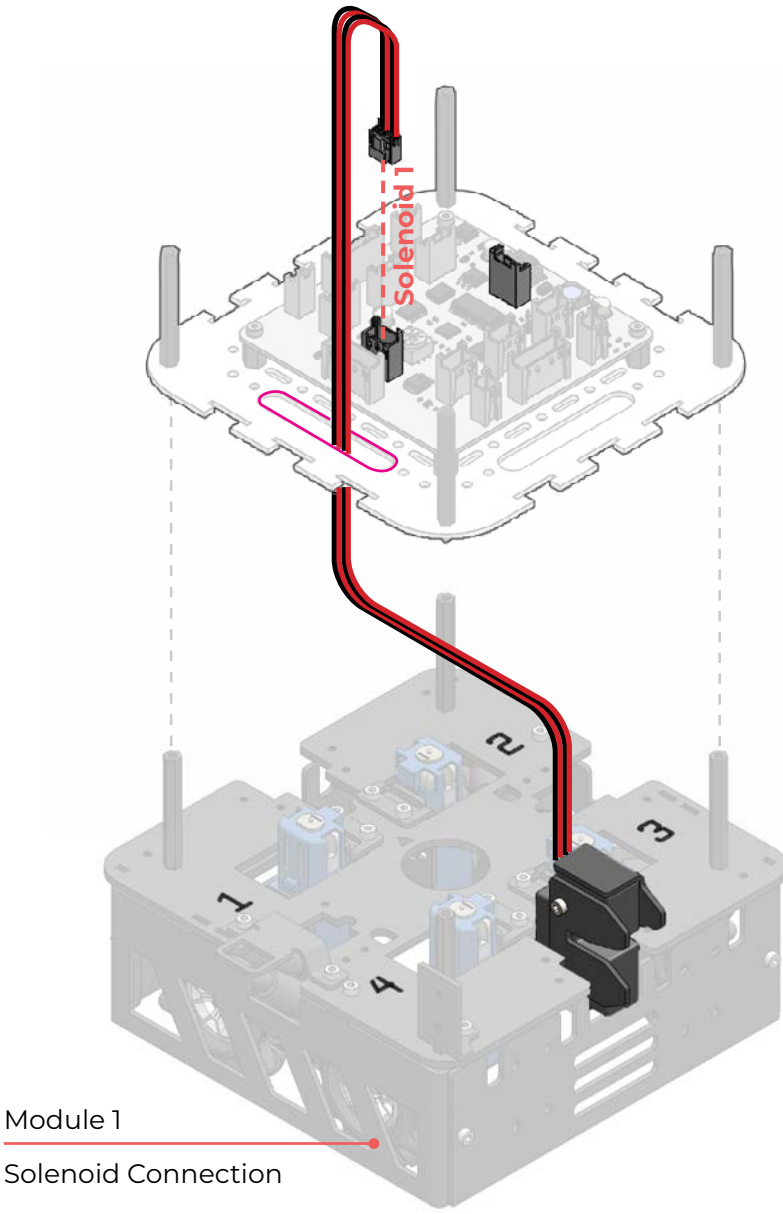
✖ Motor cable connection is the same for both modules



B 4 (module 1 solenoid cable connection)



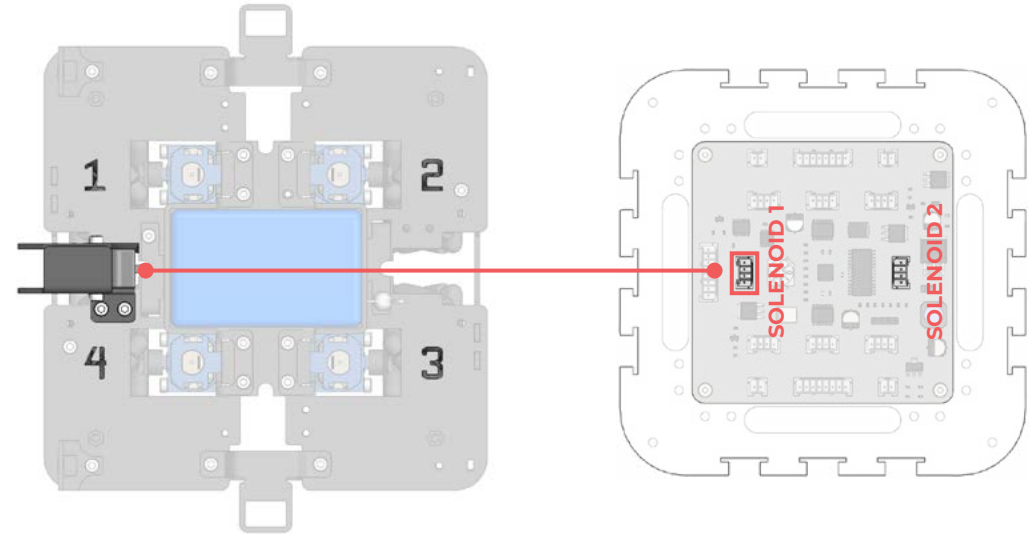
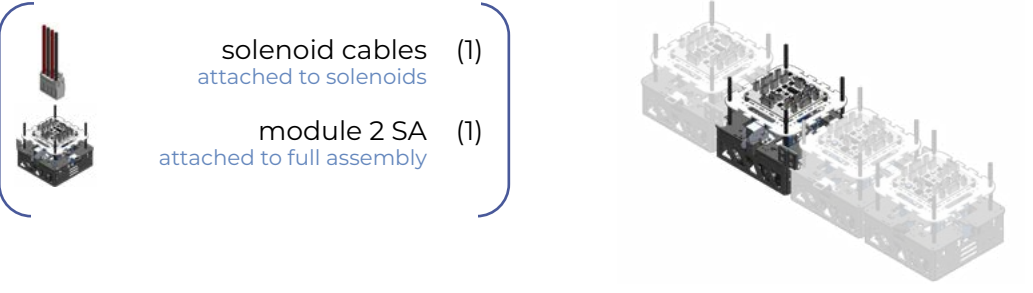
✖ Make sure to connect the solenoid to the labelled solenoid connector exactly as in the diagram below.



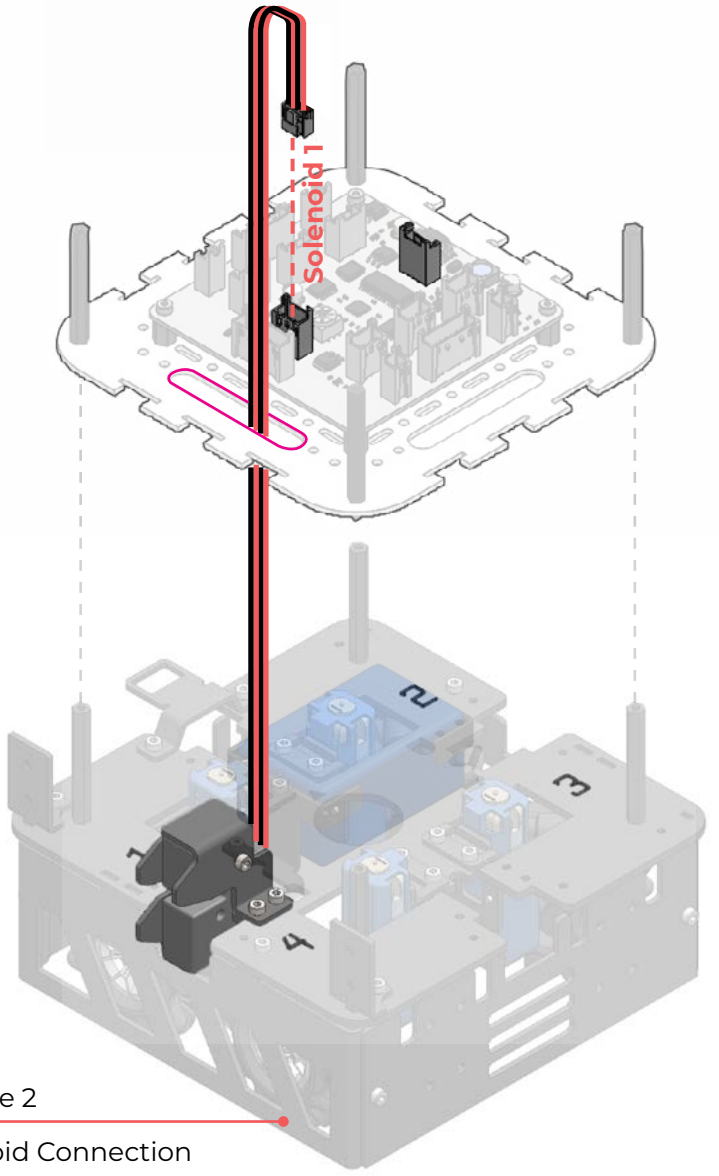
Module 1
Solenoid Connection

Opening to pass wire through

B 5 (module 2 solenoid cable connection)



✖ Make sure to connect the solenoid to the labelled solenoid connector exactly as in the diagram below.

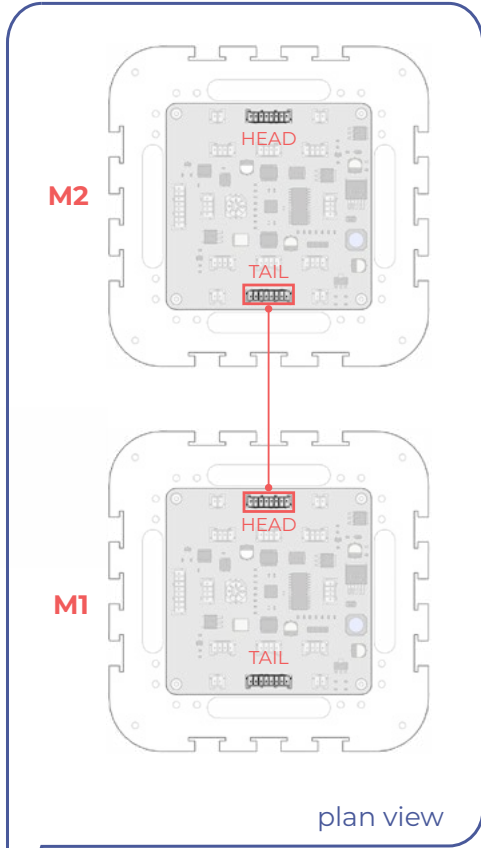
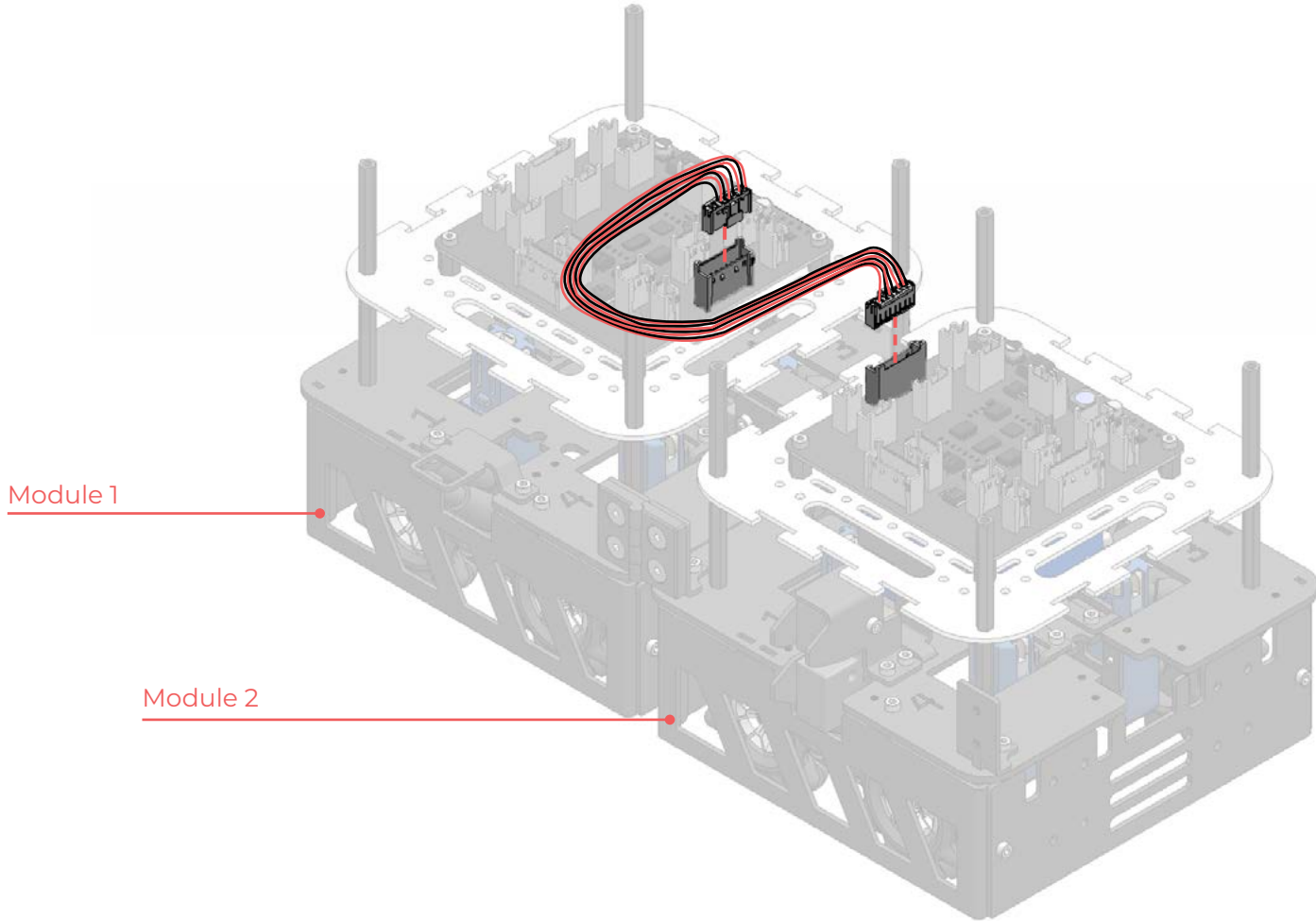


Module 2
Solenoid Connection

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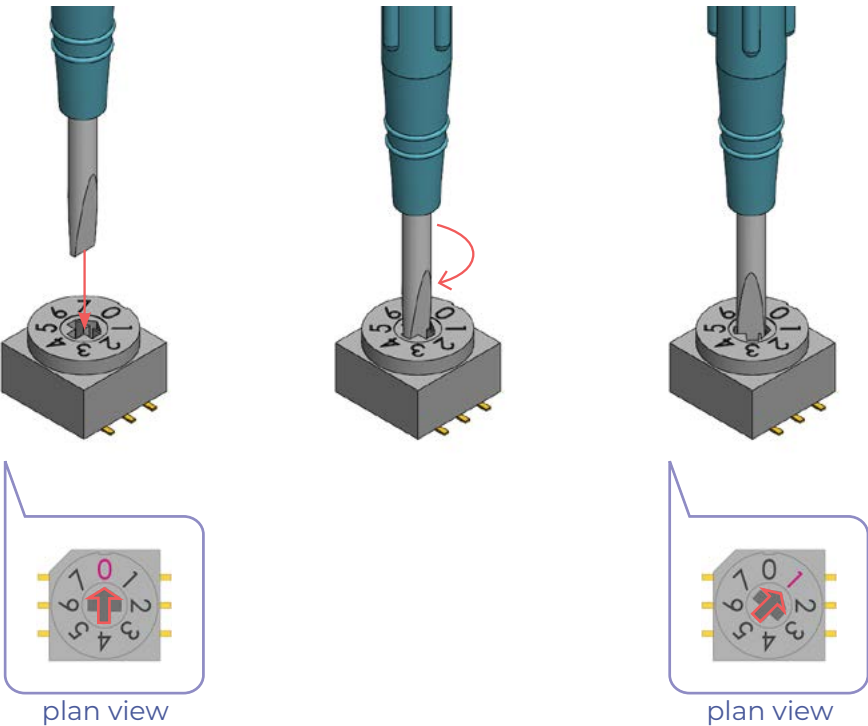
B6 (inter-module cable connection)

- 8-pin connectors (1)
- full assembly (1)
from B.5

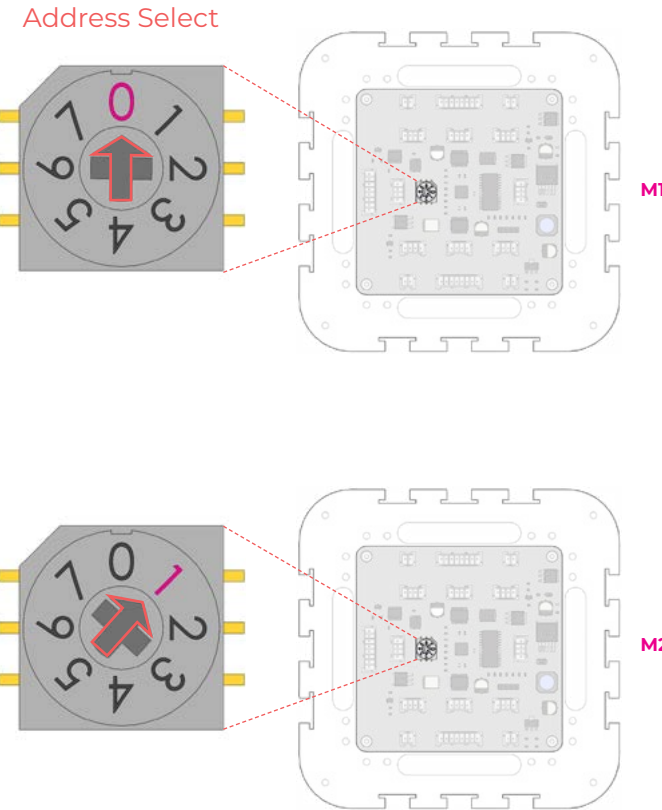


B7 (address selection)

- full assembly (1)
from B.6
- ceramic screwdriver (1)

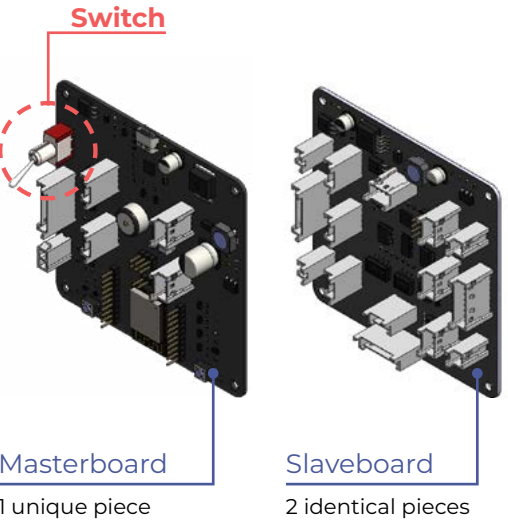


✖ Use the ceramic screwdriver to adjust the rotary switch and select the address for all 2 modules.
Module 1: Address 0, Module 2: Address 1

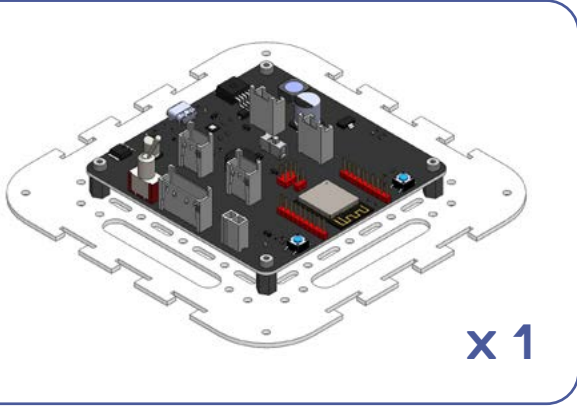
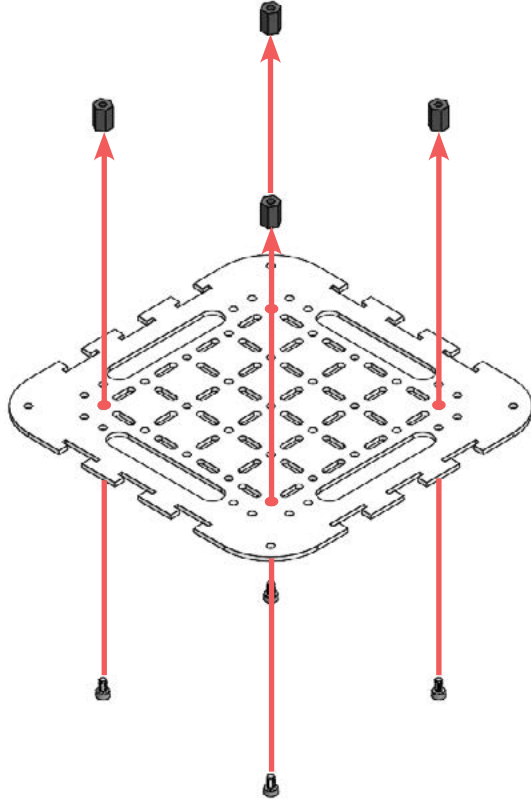


B8 (masterboard e-tray sub-assembly)

- Acrylic base plate (1)
- Masterboard (ESP32) (1)
- Hex F-F M3 10mm (4)
- M3 x 5 (8)

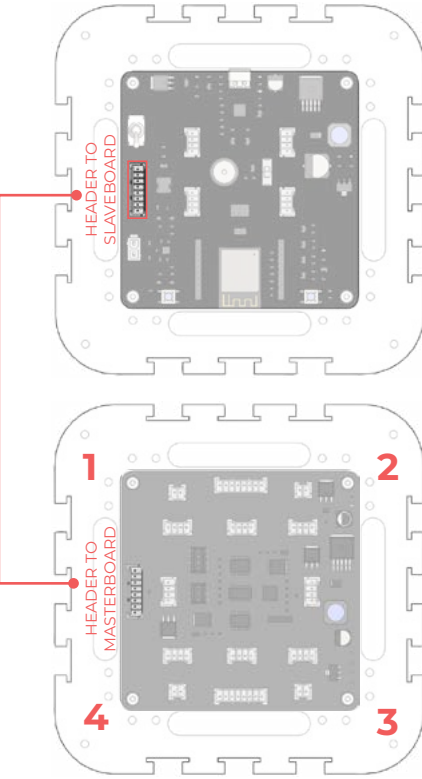


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- How to differentiate between masterboard and slaveboards:
 - Masterboard has a special switch

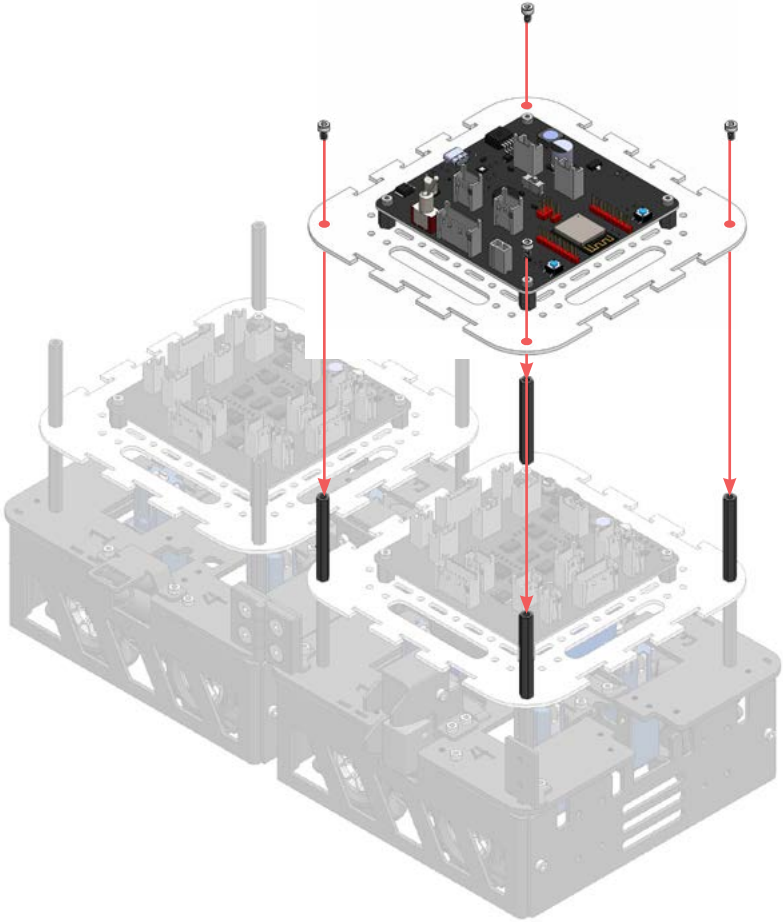


B9 (masterboard e-tray onto main assembly)

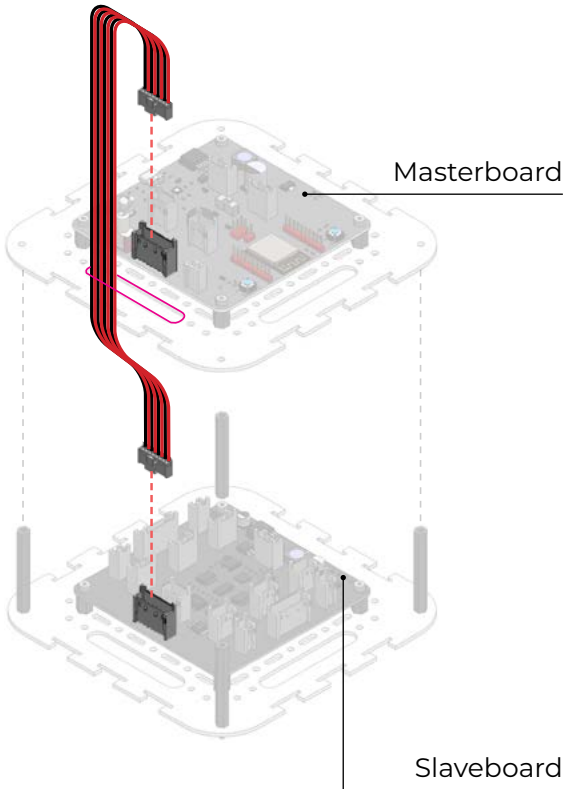
- masterboard e-tray SA (1)
from B.8
- full mechanical SA (1)
from B.6
- 8-pin connector (1)
- M3 x 5 (4)



- Align the header to slaveboard connector on the masterboard to face the side connecting Motor 1 and 4



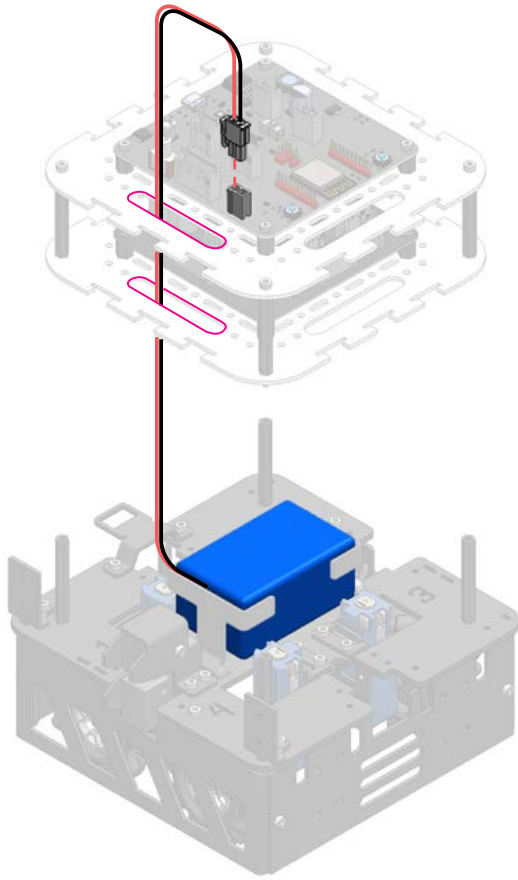
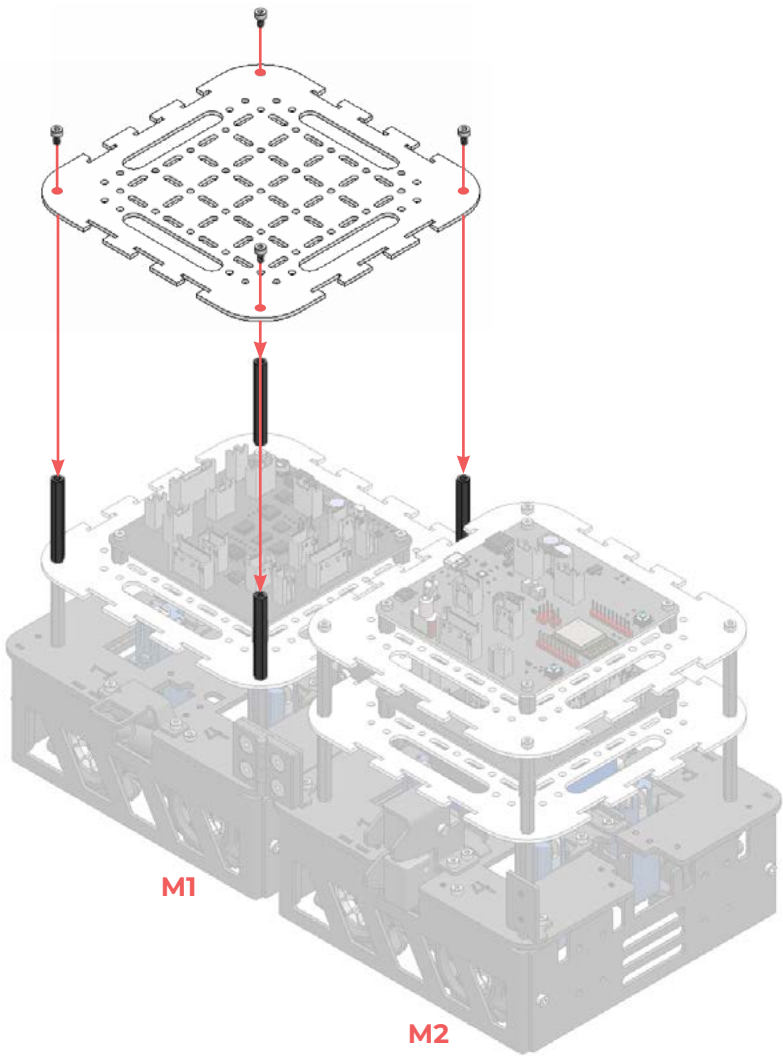
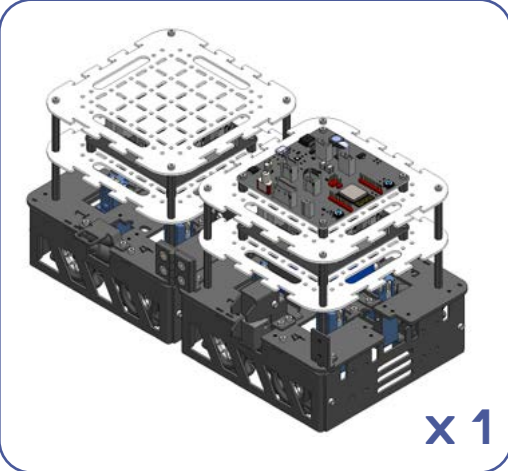
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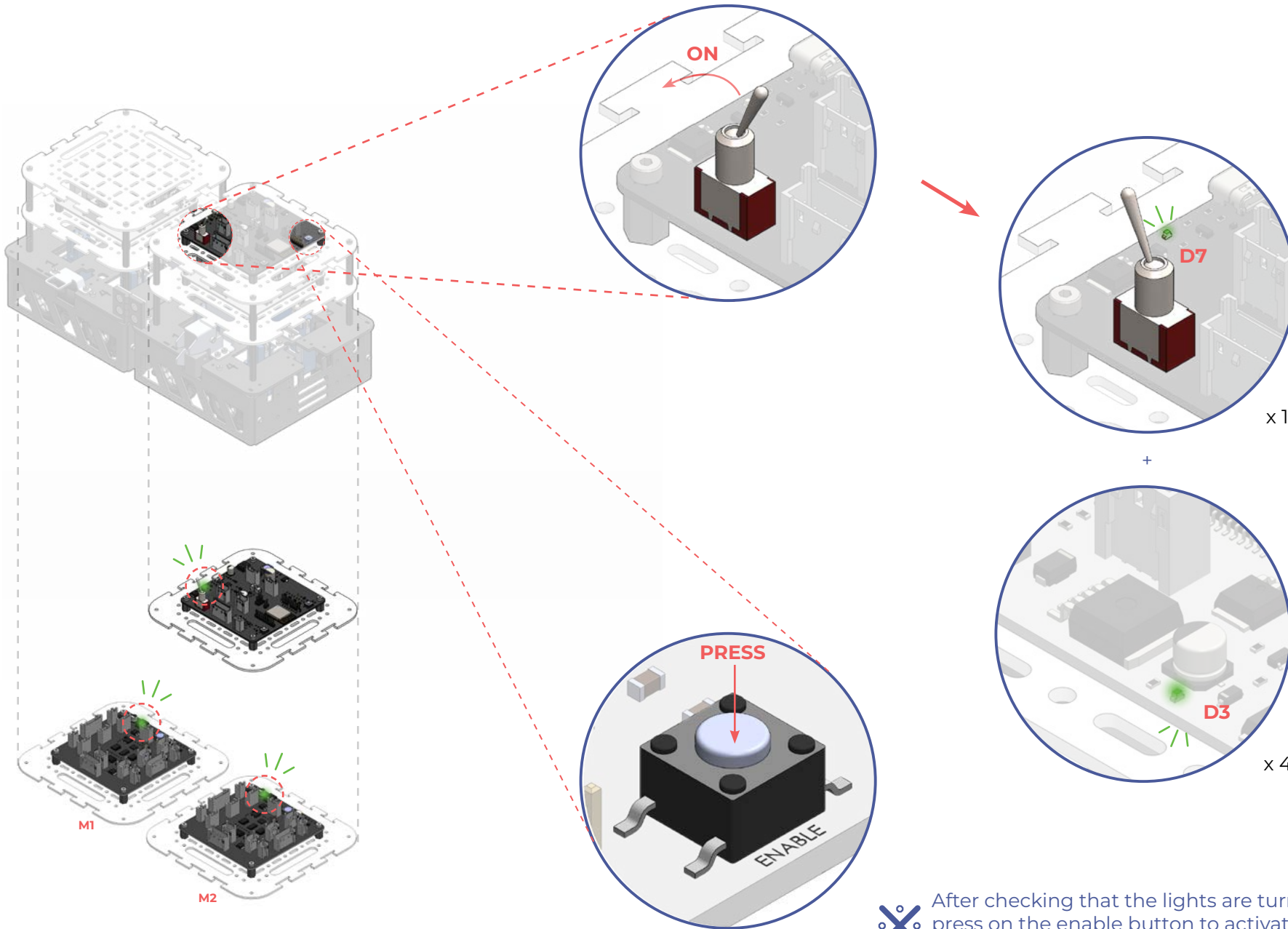
Opening to pass wire through

B 10 (attach acrylic covers & connect battery to masterboard)

- Acrylic base plate (1)
- full mechanical SA (1)
- M3 x 5 (4)

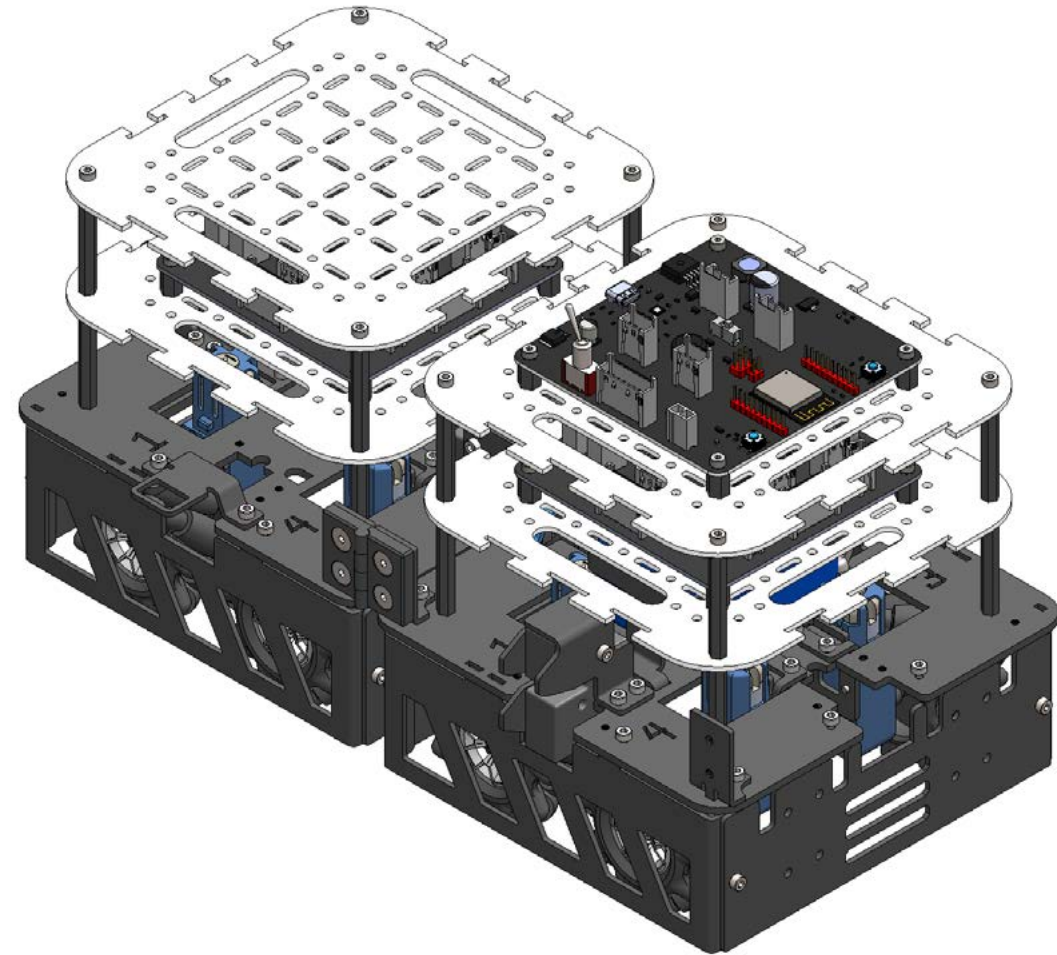


B 11 (check connection)




After checking that the lights are turned on, press on the enable button to activate the robot

B electronic assembly completed
smorphi is ready!
next step: connect with app



(app)
1. App Download.

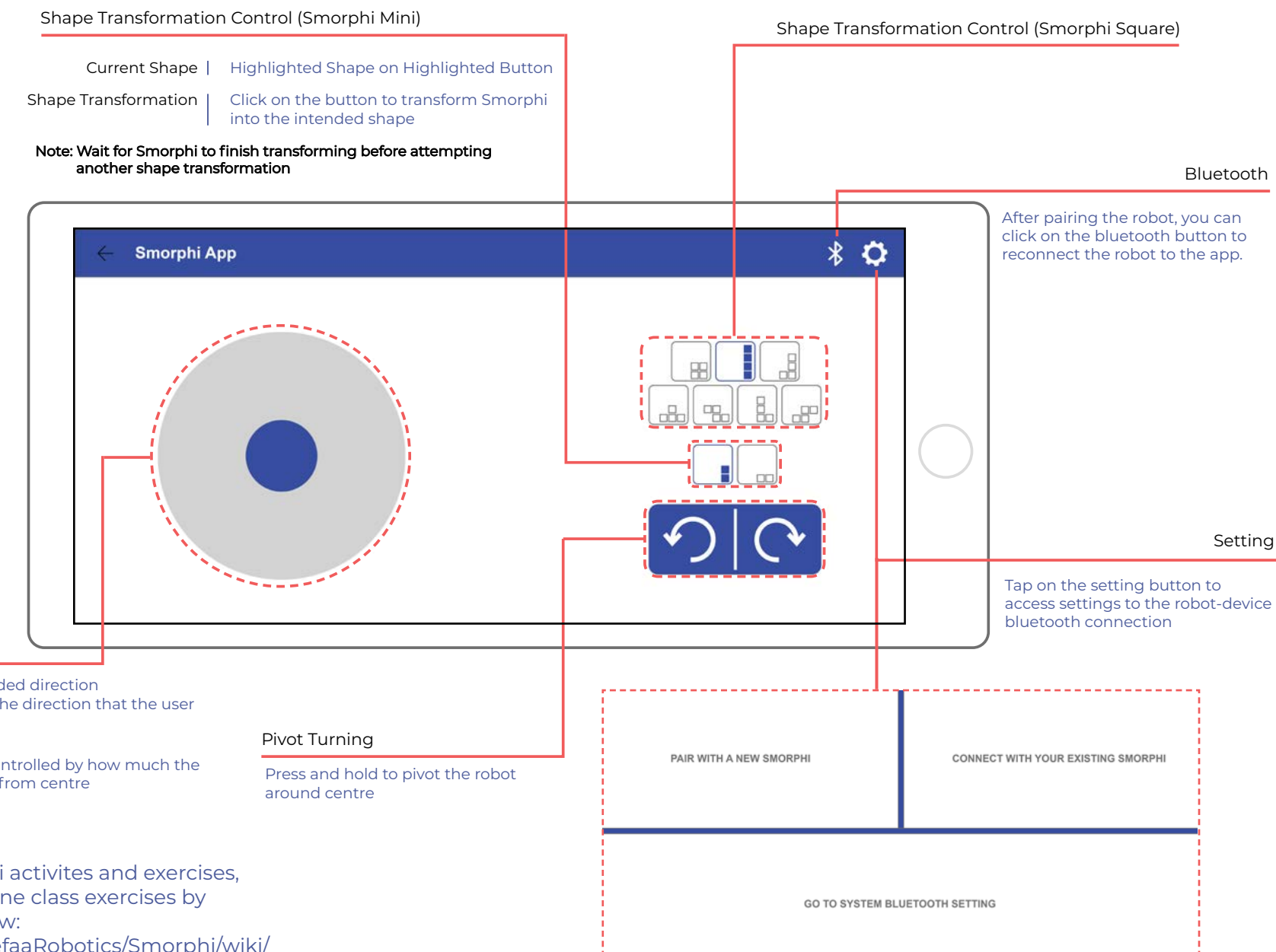
✕ Not all devices are compatible now.
See the table below to check if your device is compatible with the Smorphi app.

Smorphi App Information	
Available Platforms	(Android)
Download from	(Google Play)
App Icon & Name	 smorphi
System Requirements OS Requirements	(Android 6+ Bluetooth 4.0+)

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✕ For tutorial to Smorphi activities and exercises, please refer to the online class exercises by following the link below:
<https://github.com/WefaaRobotics/Smorphi/wiki/>

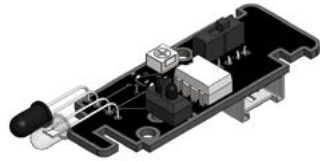


(sensors)



sound sensor (x2)

Sound sensor measures volume of sound. Onboard potentiometer* can be used to tune the range of sensing. Possible applications: sound-triggered shape transformation or sound-triggered locomotion.



IR sensor (x4)

IR sensors comes with 2 different modes, toggled by the switch onboard the sensor itself. One IR is front-facing and can be used to detect obstacles ahead. The other IR faces the ground and can be used for path tracking.

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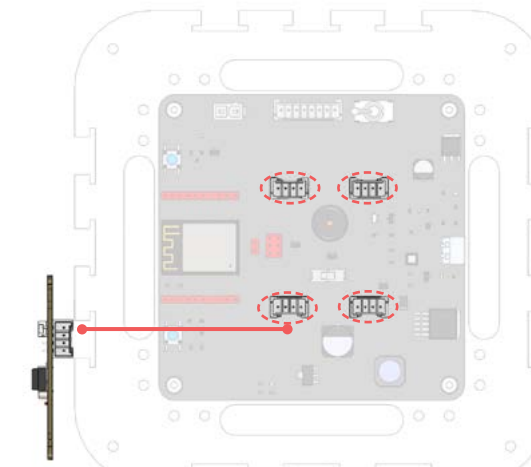
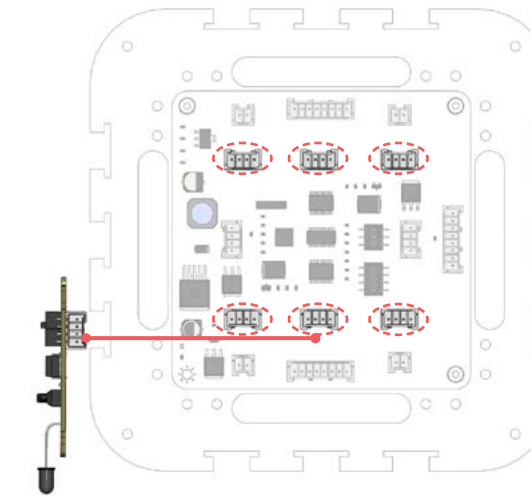


temperature sensor (x1)

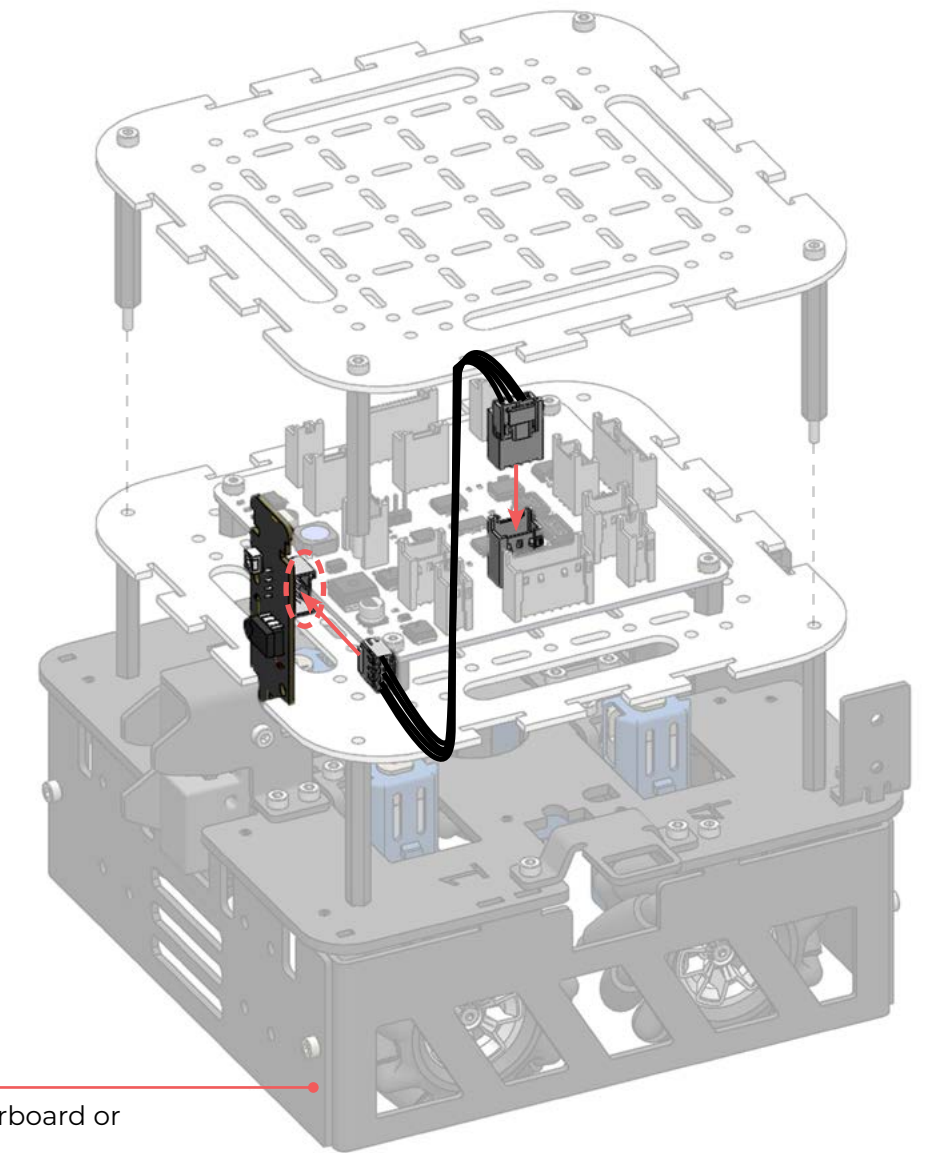
Temperature sensor measures surrounding temperature, with a range of -55°C to 125°C.

* Tutorial on how to operate the potentiometer can be found by following the link below:
<https://github.com/WefaaRobotics/Smorphi/wiki/Exercise-6>

(sound/IR sensor wiring)



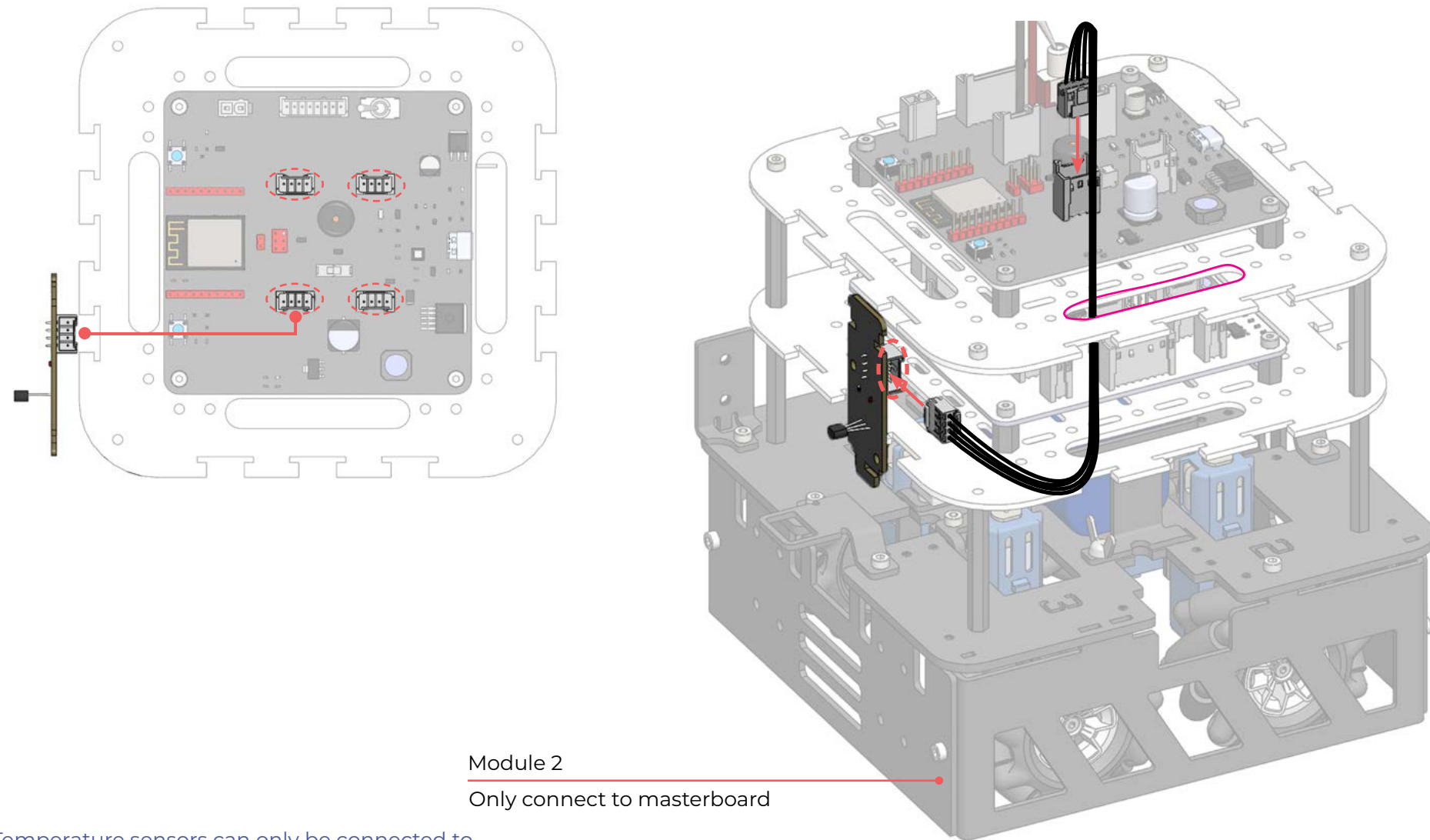
✖ Sound/IR sensor can be connected to any of the 6 sensor ports on the slaveboard (top) or any of the 4 sensor ports on the masterboard (bottom).



Module 1 or 2

Connect to masterboard or slaveboard

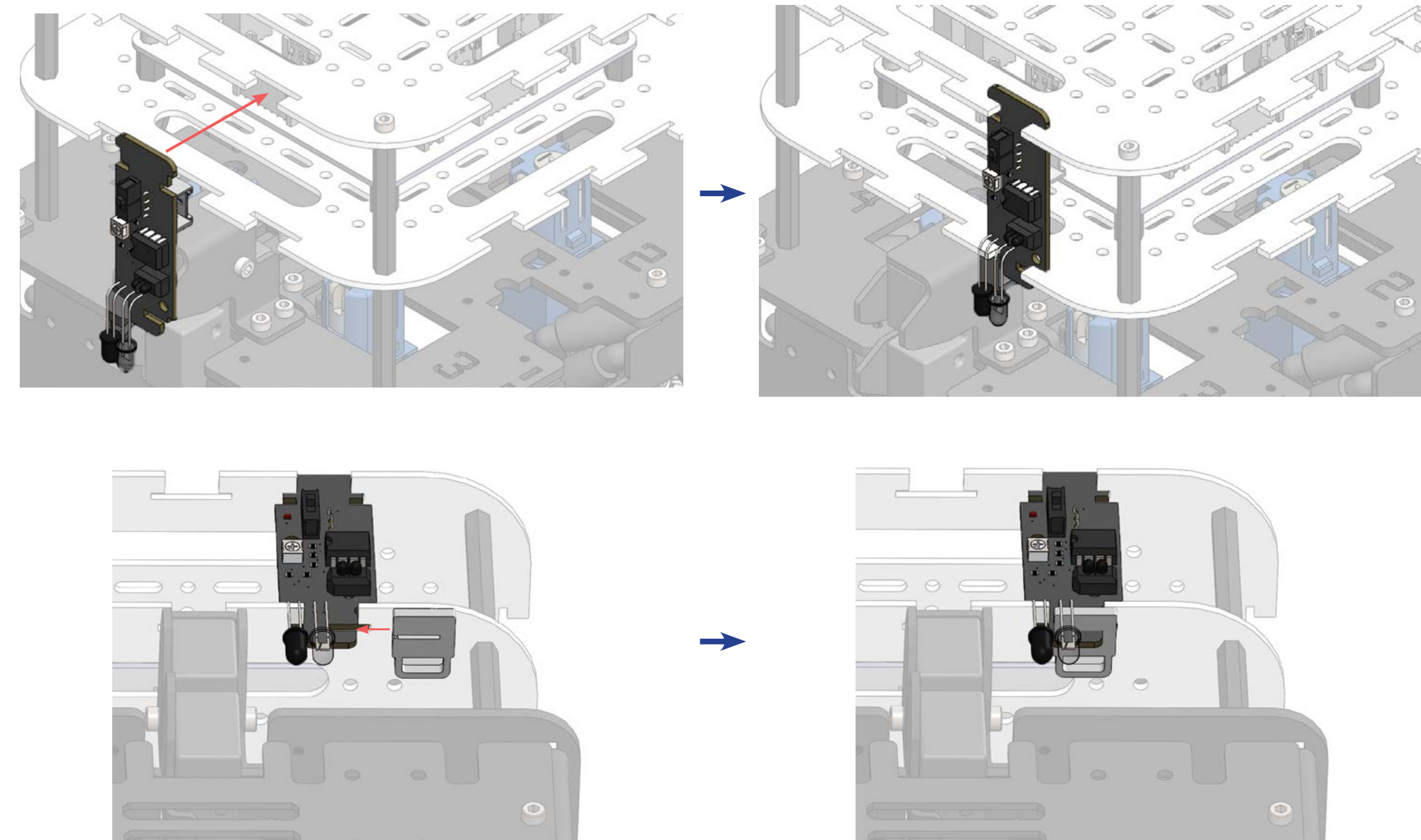
(temperature sensor wiring)



✖ Temperature sensors can only be connected to any of the 4 sensor ports on the masterboard.

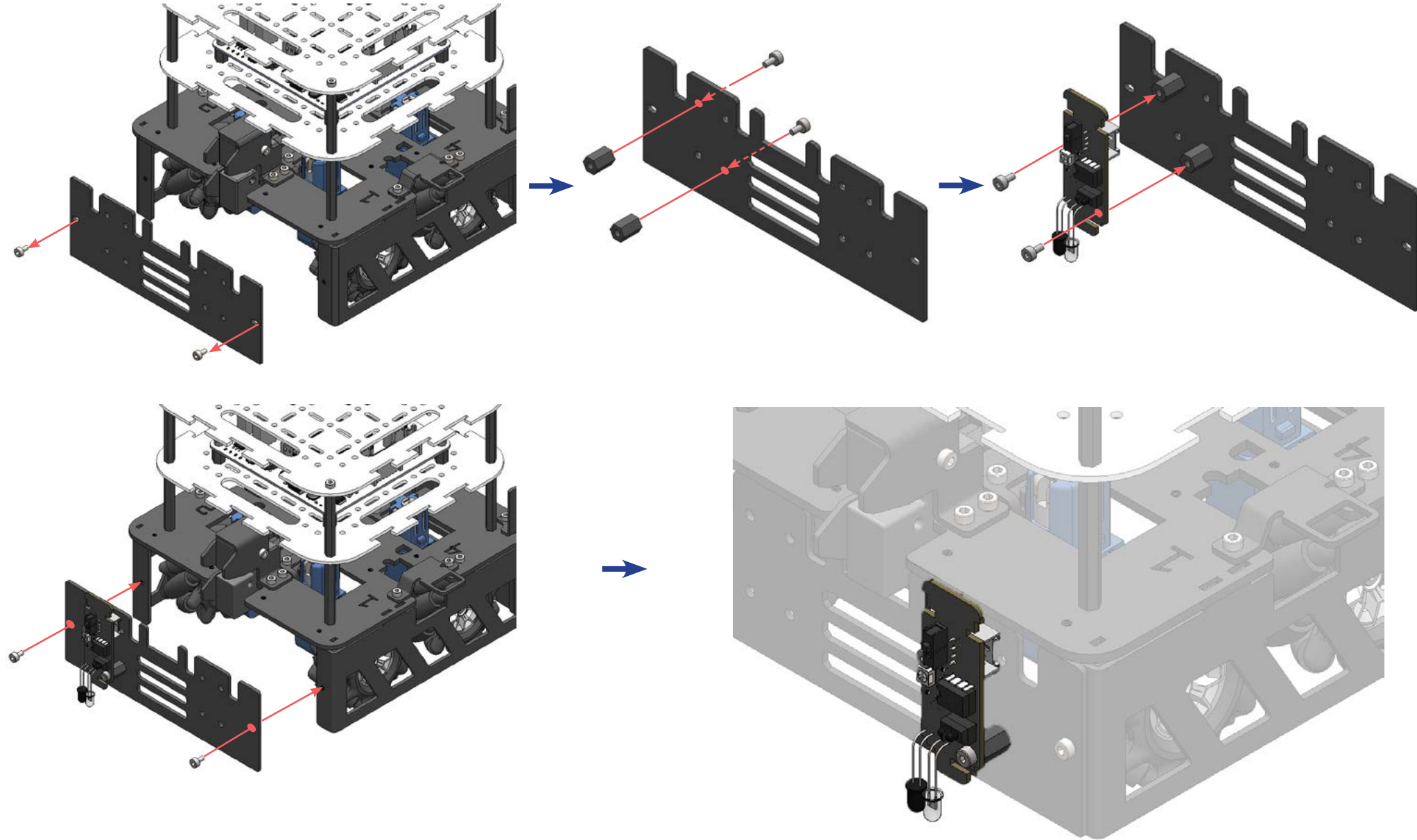
Opening to pass wire through

(sensor position 1)



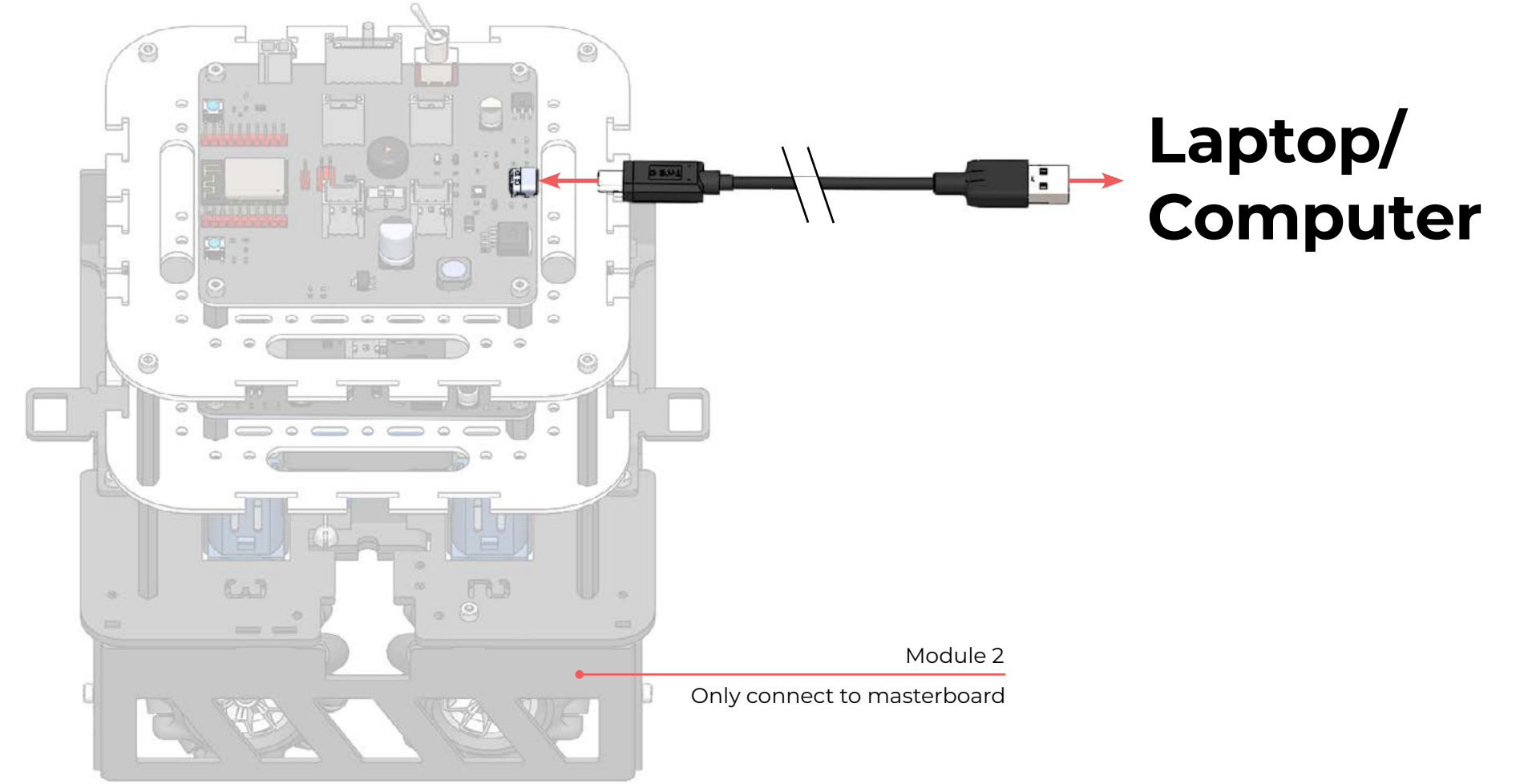
✖ Sensors can be secured to the robot using the sensor lock provided

(sensor position 2)



✕ Sensors can also be attached at the skirt panel of the robot

(connect to laptop)



✕ Plug in the USB-C cable as shown above to connect the masterboard to the computer. It allows us to upload our code from our computer onto the masterboard.

(charging)

