Connection/wiring diagrams for RC Car



The image at left shows the version using the IR Receiver.

We also have a version using Bluetooth instead.

Instructions for building the original car are here:

http://www.hitechnic.com/models

Note that we modified the car to hold an STM32 Discovery Kit card that replaces the NXT Brick.

A video of their car is available on YouTube:

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=KltnZBSvLu4

The Battery

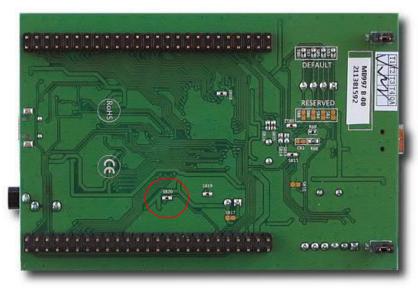
XTPower MP-10000 External Battery Pack with 10000mAh using dual USB 5V and DC 9V / 12V 2A

Ideal because it provides the 9V for the motors and sonar sensor, and 5V for the computer. (Can use 12V for the motors if desired.)



Modify the F4 Disco target board

- You must disable the blue User button on the F4 Disco board so that the GPIO pin PAO is available for use by the on-board app.
- To do so, remove (de-solder) solder bridge SB20 described in UM1472 Discovery kit for STM32F407/417 lines document
 - See Table 4 "Solder bridges"
 - See Figure 16 for circuit

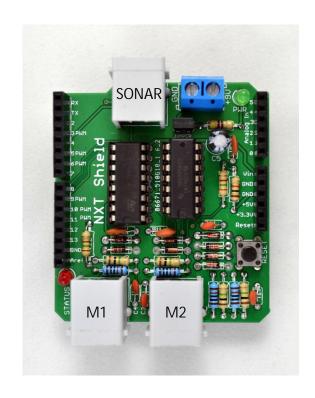


NXT Shield

Provides circuitry for the two motors and the sonar sensor

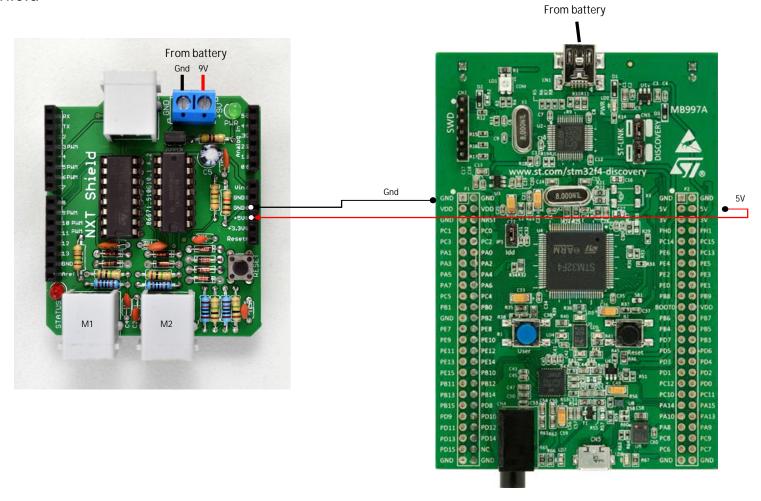
Kit, available for purchase from http://shop.tkjelectronics.dk/product_info.php?products_id=29





Power to NXT Shield

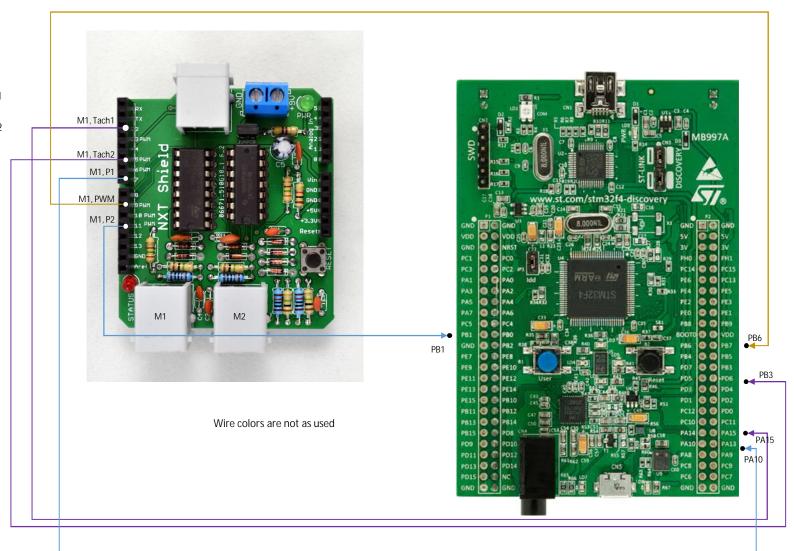
red and black wires



Motor1

NXT2:PA15, Tach1 NXT5:PB3, Tach2 NXT7:PA10, Polarity1 NXT9:PB6, PWM NXT11:PB1, Polarity2

white wires

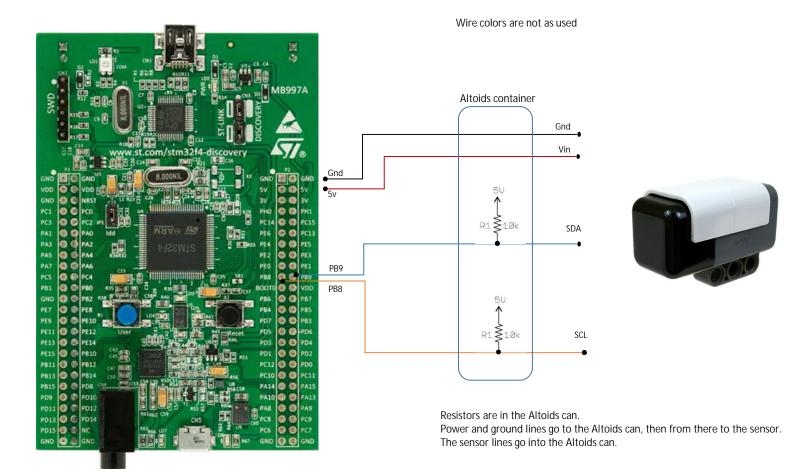


Motor2 NXT3:PA0, Tach1 (requires removal of solder bridge SB20) NXT6:PA1, Tach2 NXT12:PA2, Polarity1 NXT10:PB4, PWM NXT8:PA3, Polarity2 M2, Tach1 M2, Tach2 M2, P2 green wires M2, PWM M2, P1 ► PA1 PA0 → PA3 PA2 M1 M2 @ @ PD6 @ @ PD4 @ @ PD2 PB13 PD8 PD8 PD9 PD10 PD11 PD11 PD12 Wire colors are not as used PD13 @ 6 PD14

HiTechnic IR Receiver

Vin: 5V Gnd: Gnd SDA: PB9 SCL: PB8

Using I2C #1

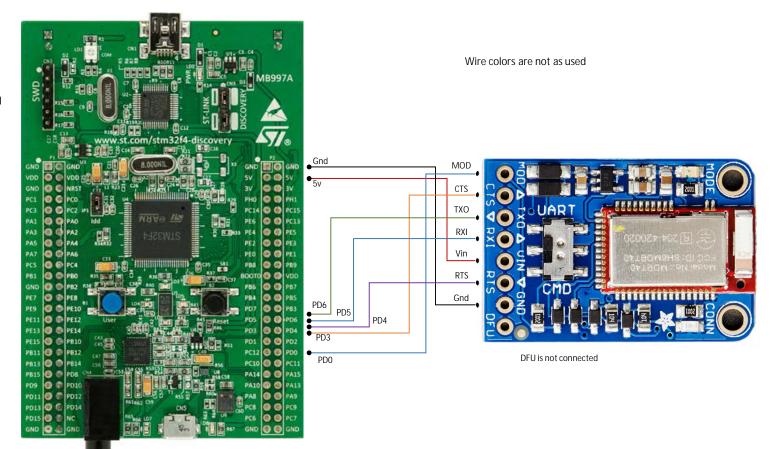


Bluefruit LE Friend UART

Vin: 5V Gnd: Gnd MOD: PD0; CTS: PD3; RTS: PD4;

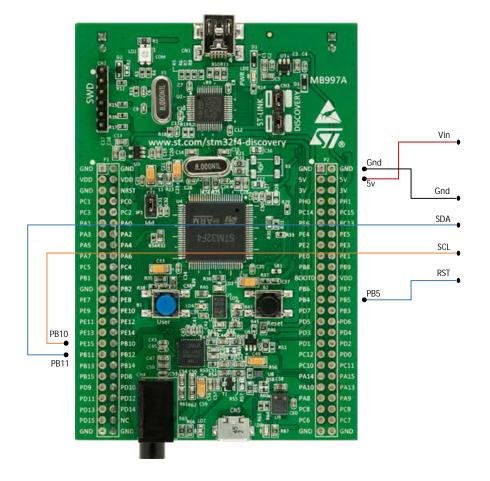
Tx: PD5; -- RXI pin on breakout board Rx: PD6; -- TXO pin on breakout board

On USART #2



Bluefruit LE Friend SPI

Vin: 5V Gnd: Gnd SDA: PB SCL: PB



Wire colors are not as used

Ultrasonic Sensor

