Robotic Arm

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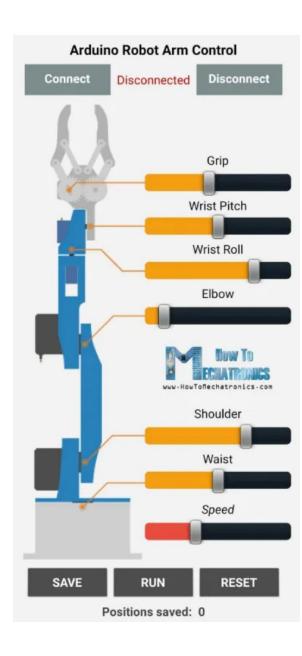
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Introduction

• A **robotic arm** is a type of <u>mechanical arm</u>, usually <u>programmable</u>, with similar functions to a human <u>arm</u>; the arm may be the sum total of the mechanism or may be part of a more complex <u>robot</u>. The links of such a manipulator are connected by joints allowing either rotational motion (such as in an <u>articulated robot</u>) or translational (linear) displacement.

Components

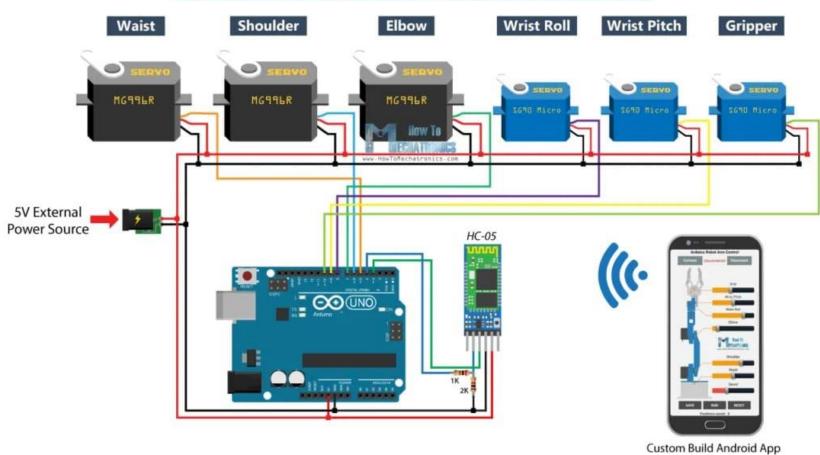
- MG996R Servo Motor
- SG90 MICRO Servo Motor
- HC-05 Bluetooth module
- Arduino board
- 5V 2A DC power supply



Application UI

Circuit Diagram

DIY Arduino Robot Arm with Smartphone Control



Custom Build Android Ap using MIT App Inventor

Overview

• Using the sliders in the app we can manually control the movement of each servo or axis of the robot arm. Also using the "Save" button we can record each position or step and then the robot arm can automatically run and repeat these steps. With the same button we can pause the automatic operation as well as reset or delete all steps so that we can record new ones.

Advantages

- Cost Effectiveness
- There will be no lunchbreaks, holidays, sick leave or shift time allocated for robotic automation. It can be set to work on a repetitive cycle.
- Robotic automation eliminates these risks by accurately producing and checking items meet the required standard without fail.
- Using robotic automation to tackle repetitive tasks makes complete sense. Robots are designed to make repetitive movements

Disadvantages

- Potential Job Losses
- One of the biggest concerns surrounding the introduction of robotic automation is the impact of jobs for workers.
- Initial Investment Costs is typically the biggest obstacle that will decide whether or not a company will invest in robotic automation