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- Electronic components and modules
- Learning kits for Arduino
- Learning kits for Raspberry Pi
- Learning kits for Technology
- Robot kits
- Auxiliary tools for creations

Our code and circuit are open source. You can obtain the details and the latest information through visiting the following web sites:
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Preface

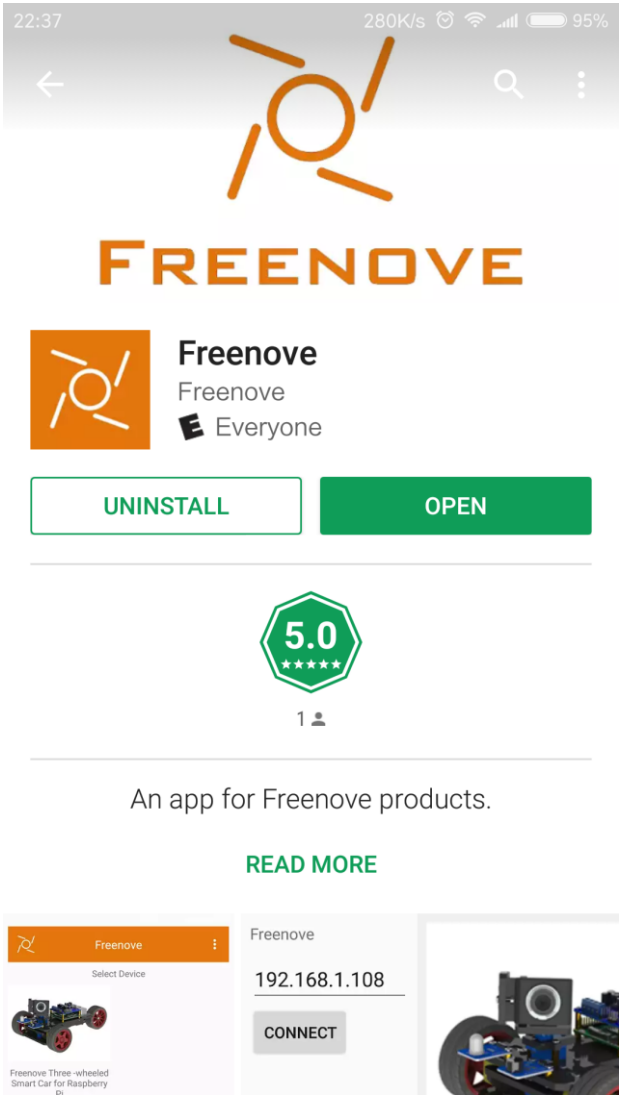
Welcome to use Freenove products. Freenove app for Freenove is the controller of Freenove official device (robot /car/aircraft, etc.), which will make you to enjoy using Android devices to control the the robot device.

Install Freenove app

There are three ways to install app, you can choose any one.

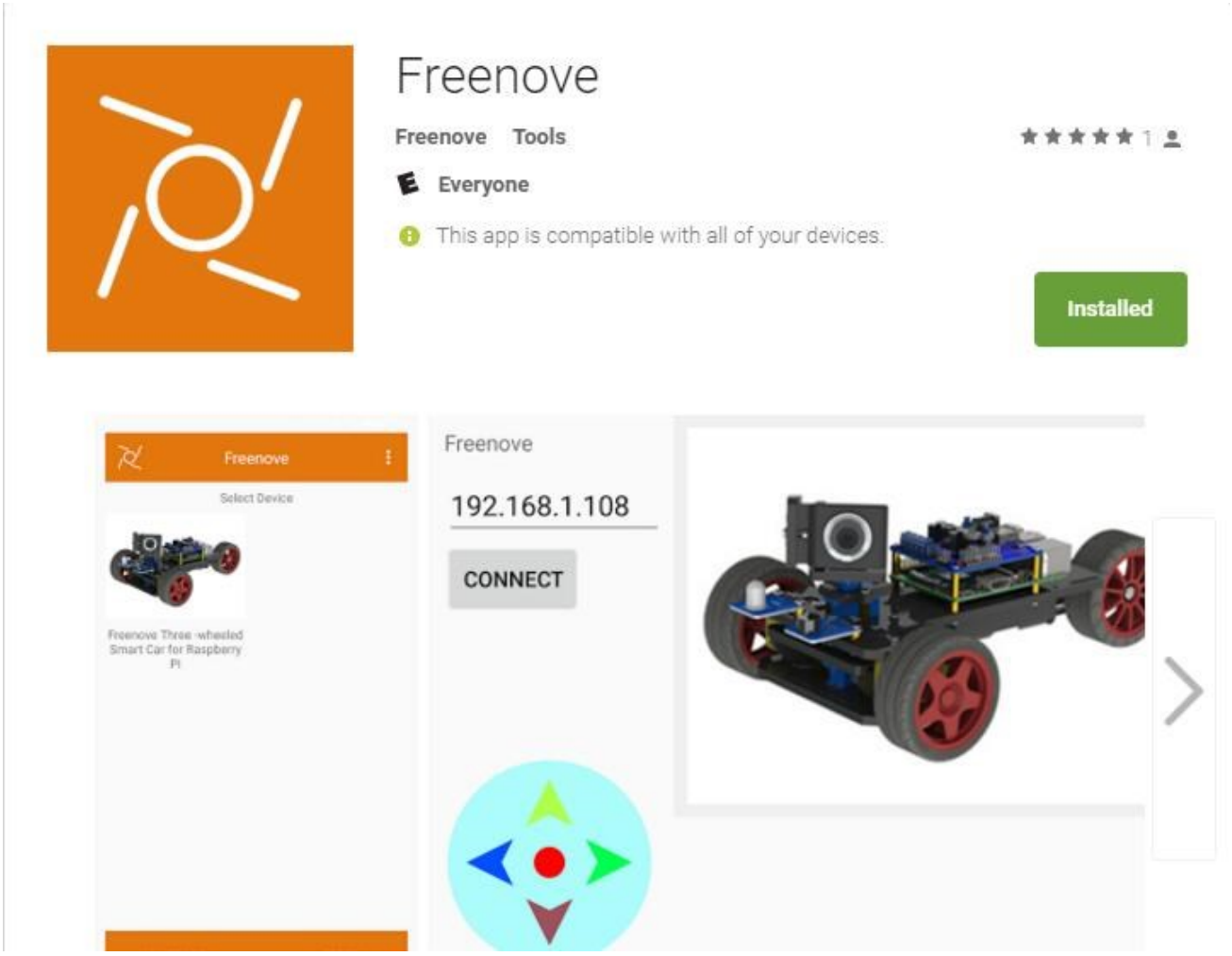
Method 1

Use Google play to search “freenove”, download and install.



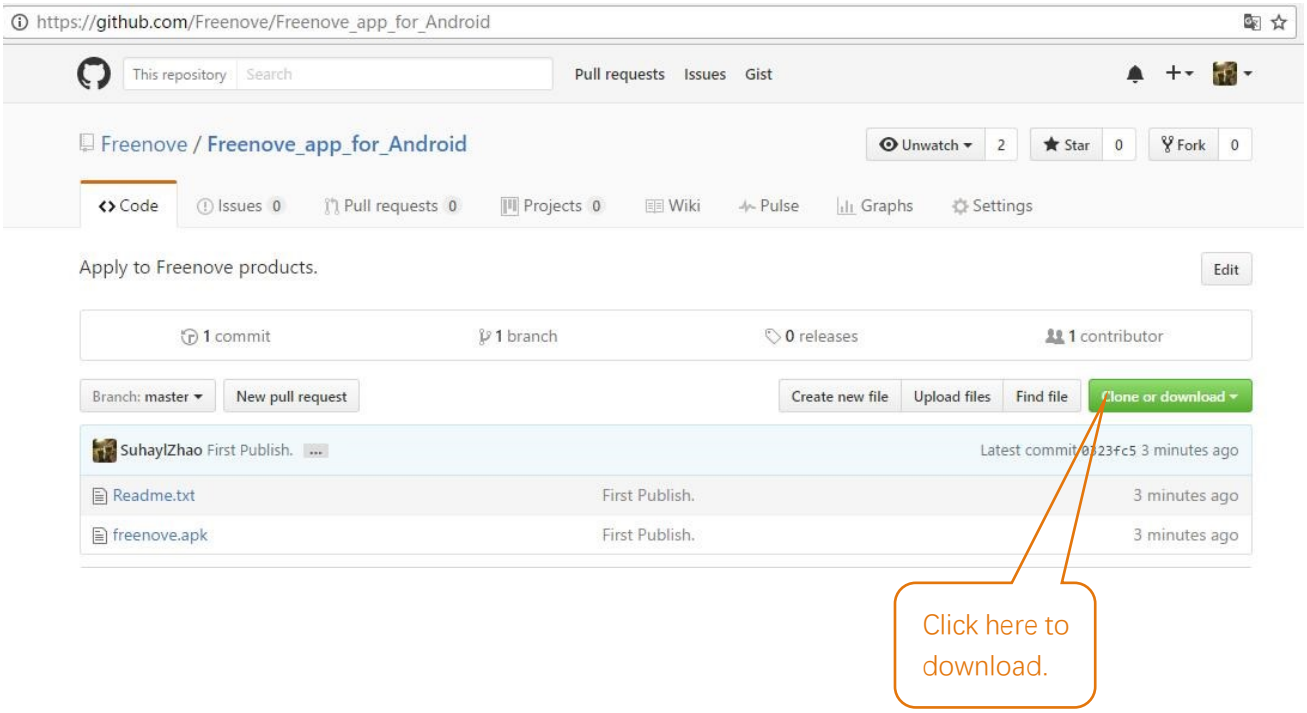
Method 2

Visit https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=com.freenove.suhayl.Freenove, and click install.



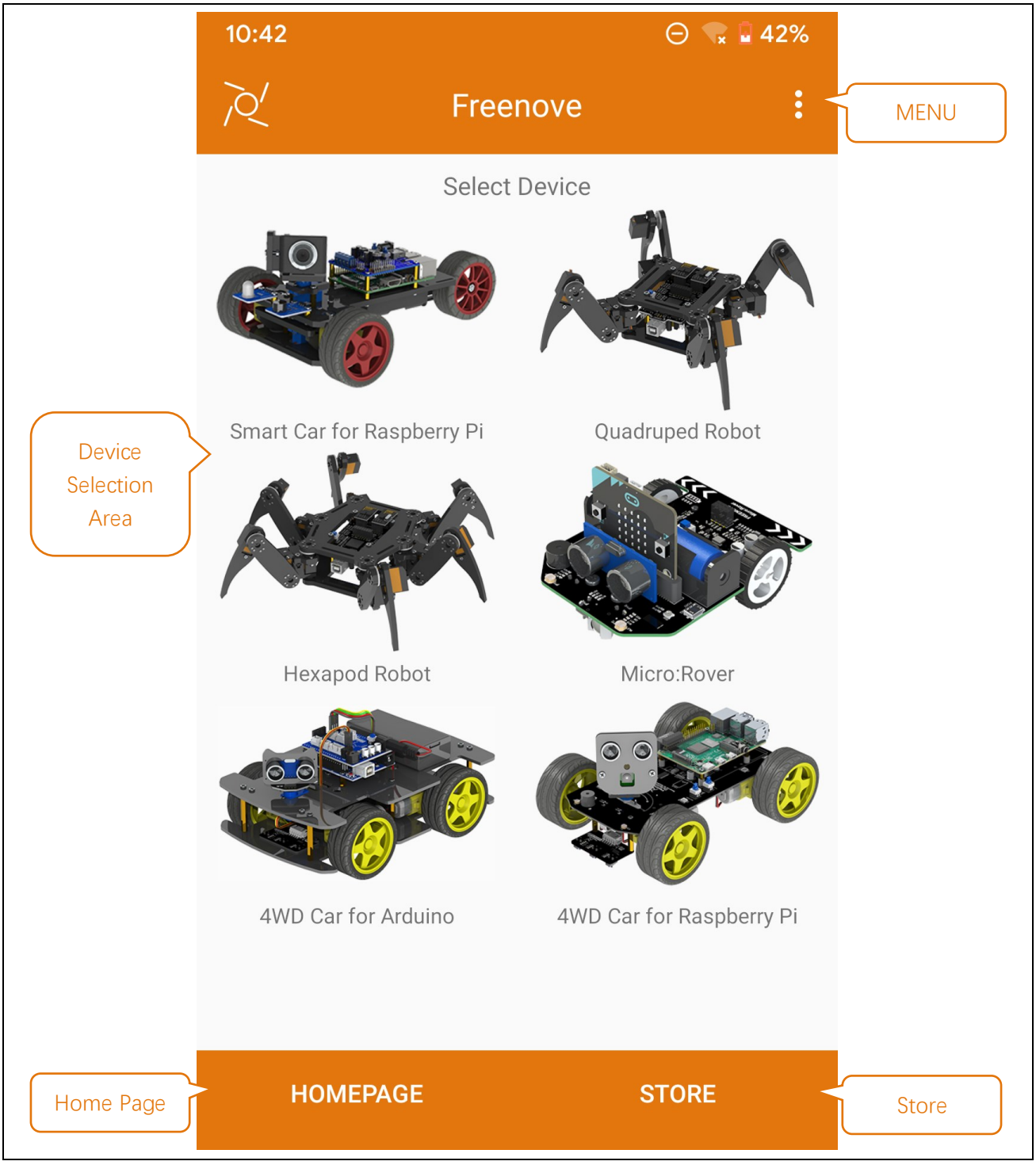
Method 3

Visit https://github.com/Freenove/Freenove_app_for_Android, download the files in this library, and install freenove.apk to your Android phone manually.



Using

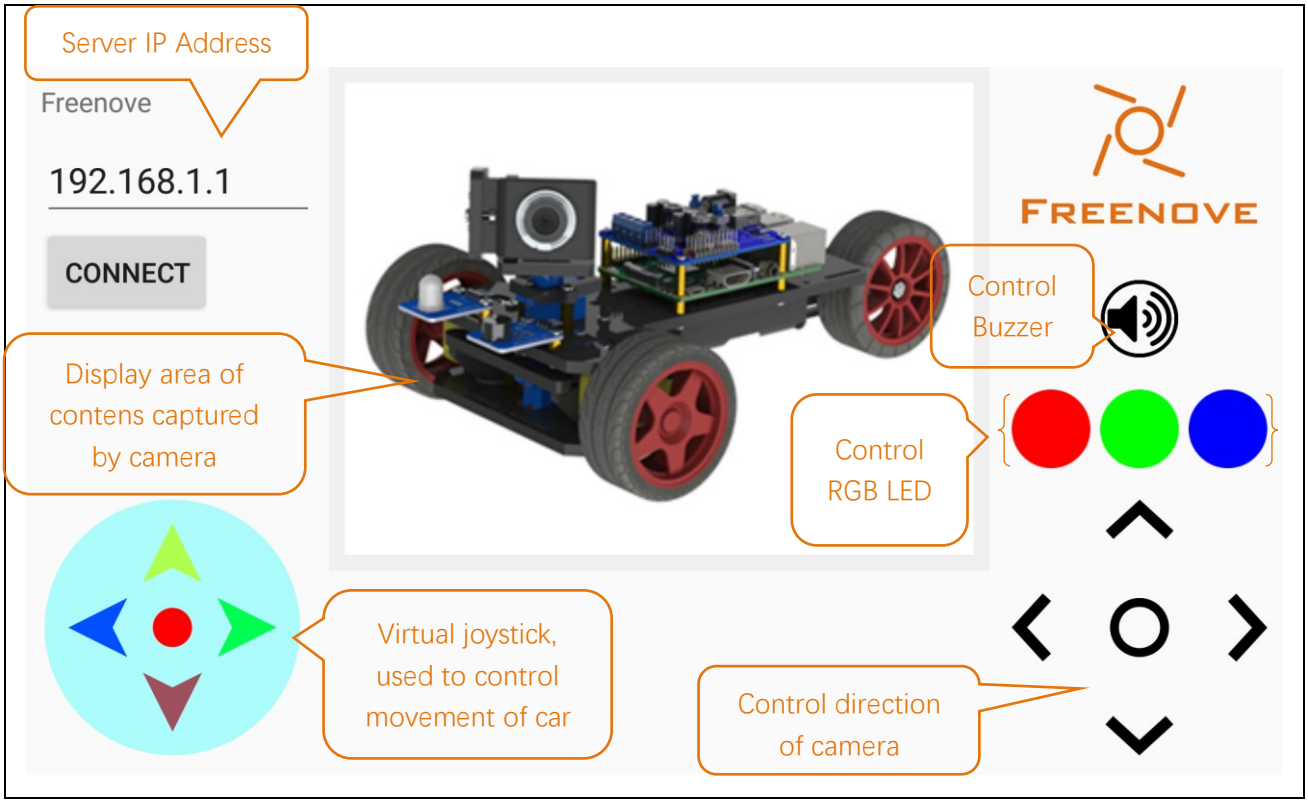
Open application “Freenove”, as shown below:



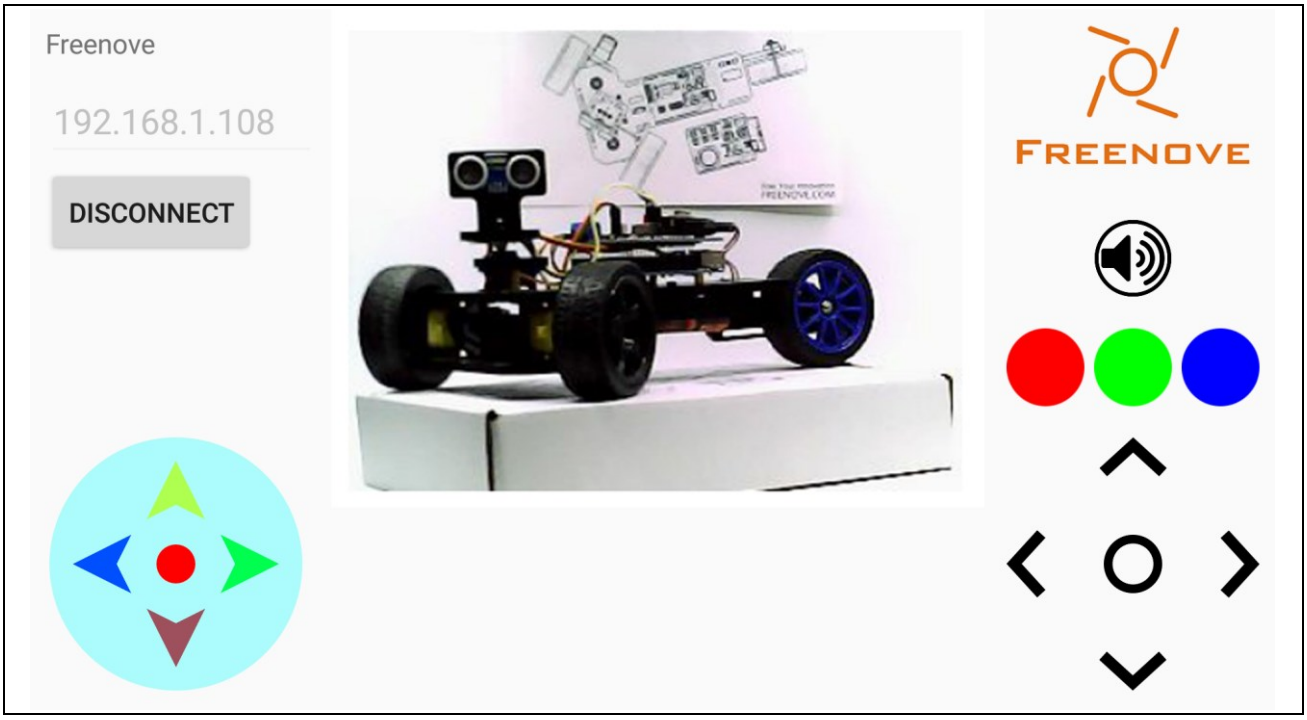
There will be more Freenove products added to the device selection area in the future.

Freenove Three-wheeled Smart Car Kit for Raspberry Pi

Click “Smart Car for Raspberry Pi”. then application jump to following interface.



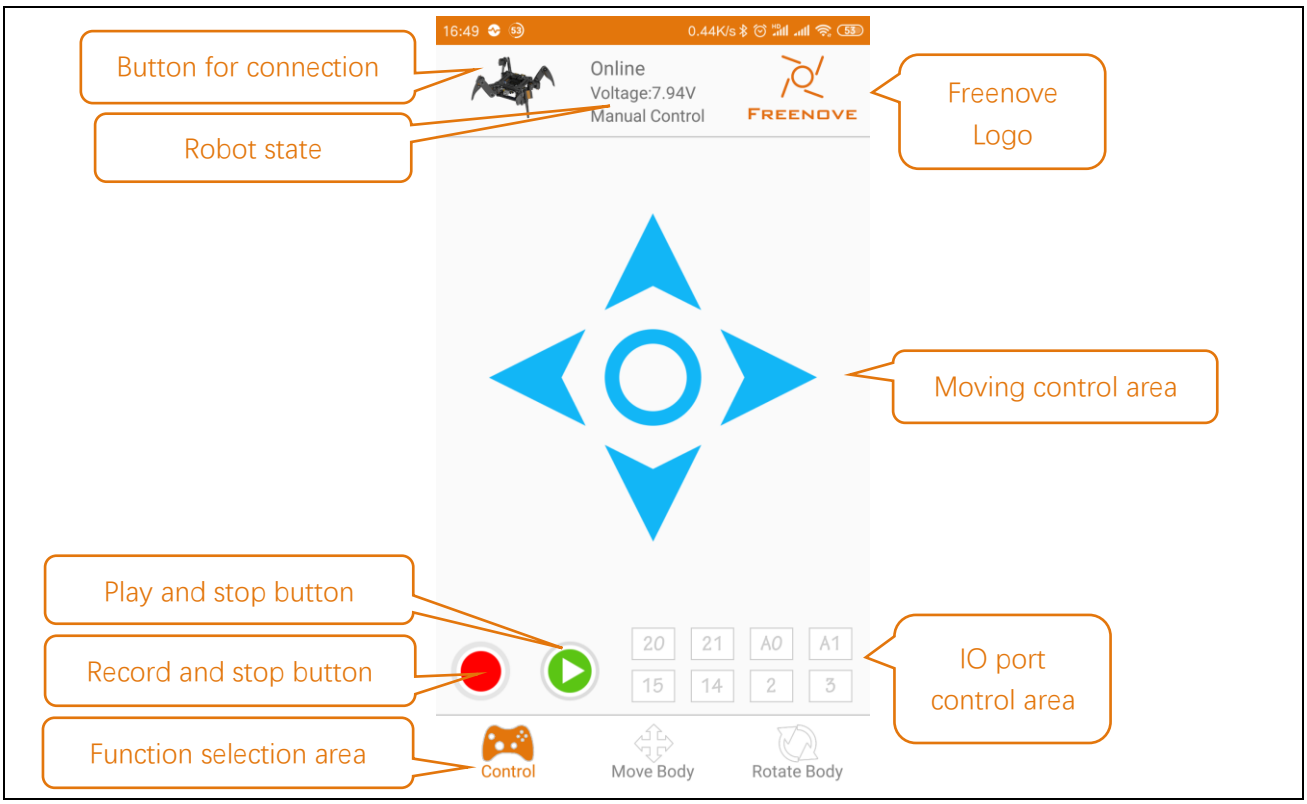
Make sure camera and TCP services of the RPi have been opened. Then enter your RPi IP address in the column Server IP Address, click the button CONNECT. Then the connection succeeds later. RPi IP address is 192.168.1.108. after a successful connection, the interface is shown below.



The IP address will be stored after correct onnection, so that it can be used multiple times without having to output the IP address every time. Then you can control the car.

Freenove Quadruped Robot Kit

Click Freenove Freenove Quadruped Robot Kit, then app jumps to the following interface.



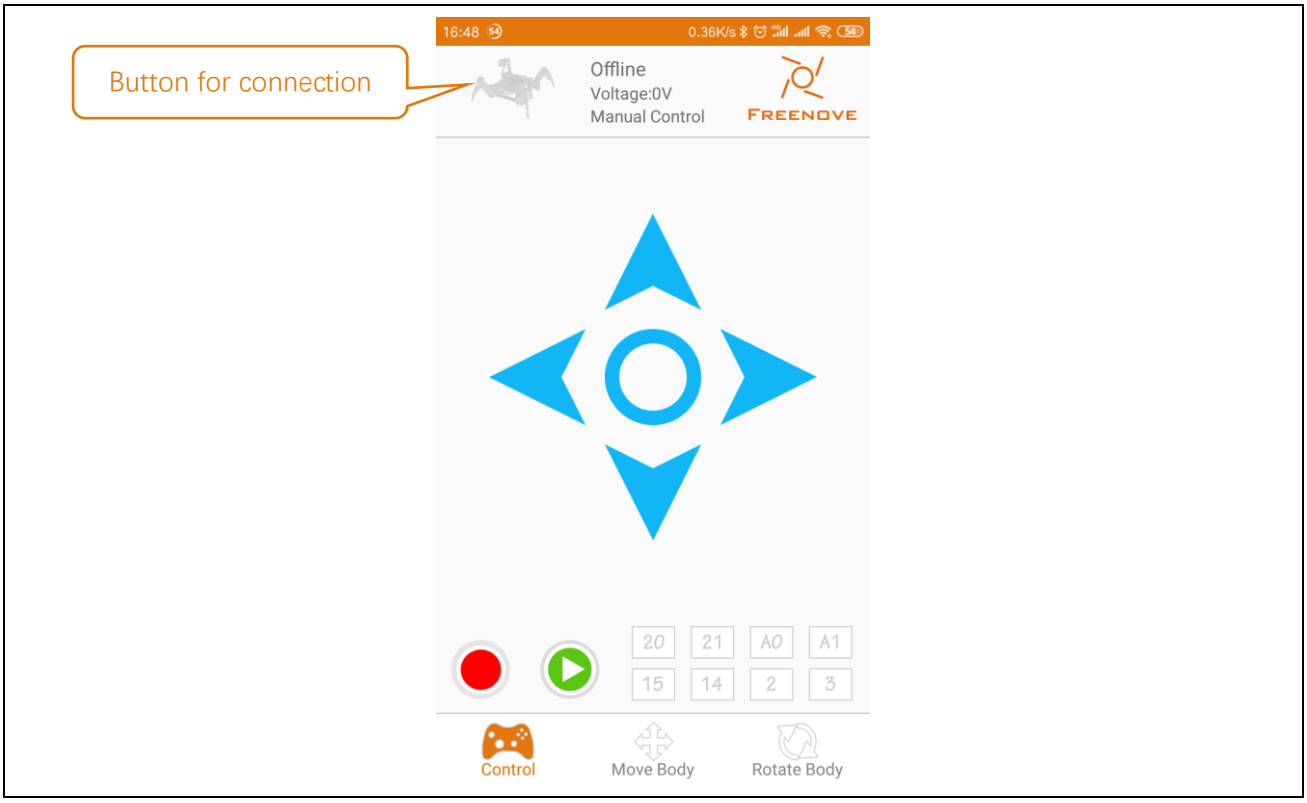
If your Android device has been connected to the robot via WiFi, then the app will connect the robot automatically.
Under this page:
In moving control area, you can control robot to move back or forth and left or right, through touching arrow control button.
When you click the center, robot will sit down or stand up.

In IO port control area, you can also control different IO ports of robot to output high or low level, through touching differnet buttons.

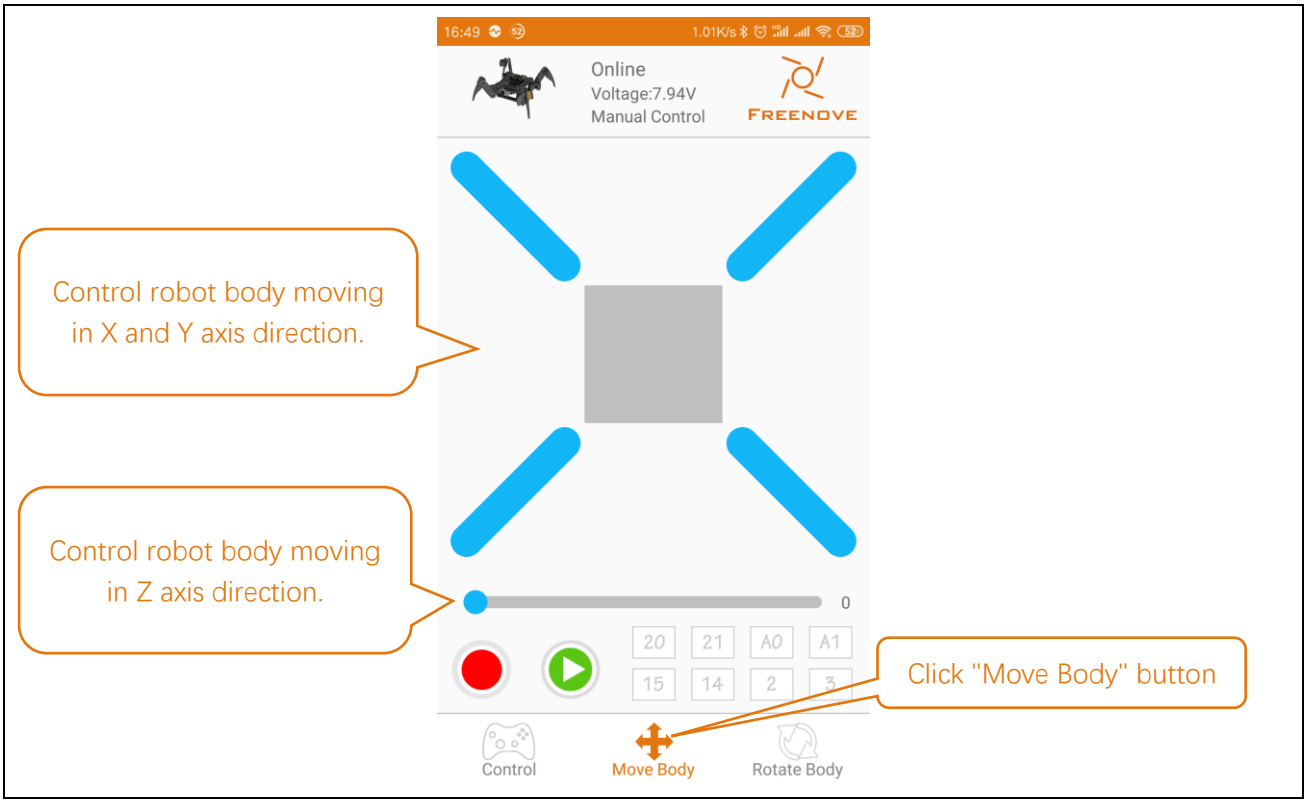
We will introduce the rest red and green button latter.

If the WiFi of your Android device is not connected to the robot, you will not be able to control the robot directly. If the connection succeeds, you can touch the robot indication icon to connect on the top left, or reopen Freenove app connection.

The following is a page screenshot of the app under offline.

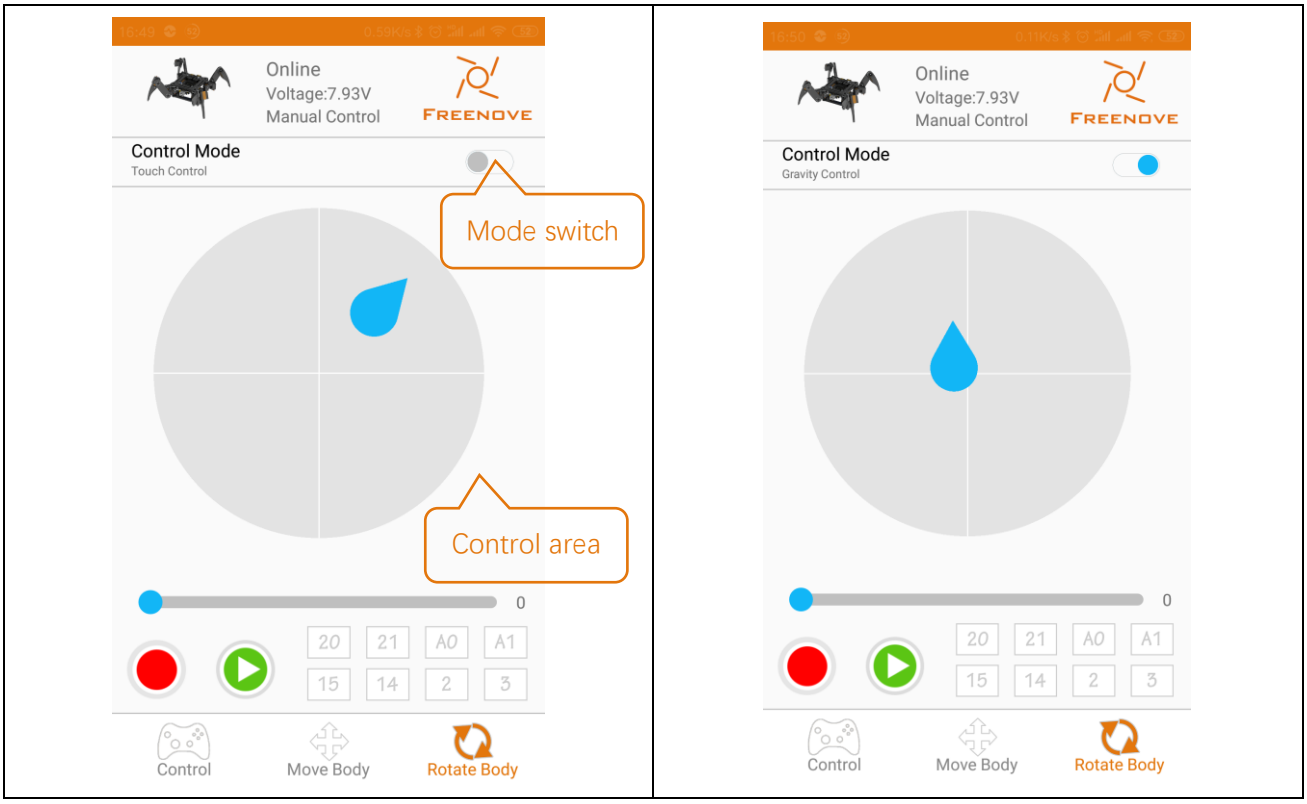


Click "Move Body" button to enter the page below.



In this page, you can control the robot body moving in three-dimensional space and with its feets no moving.

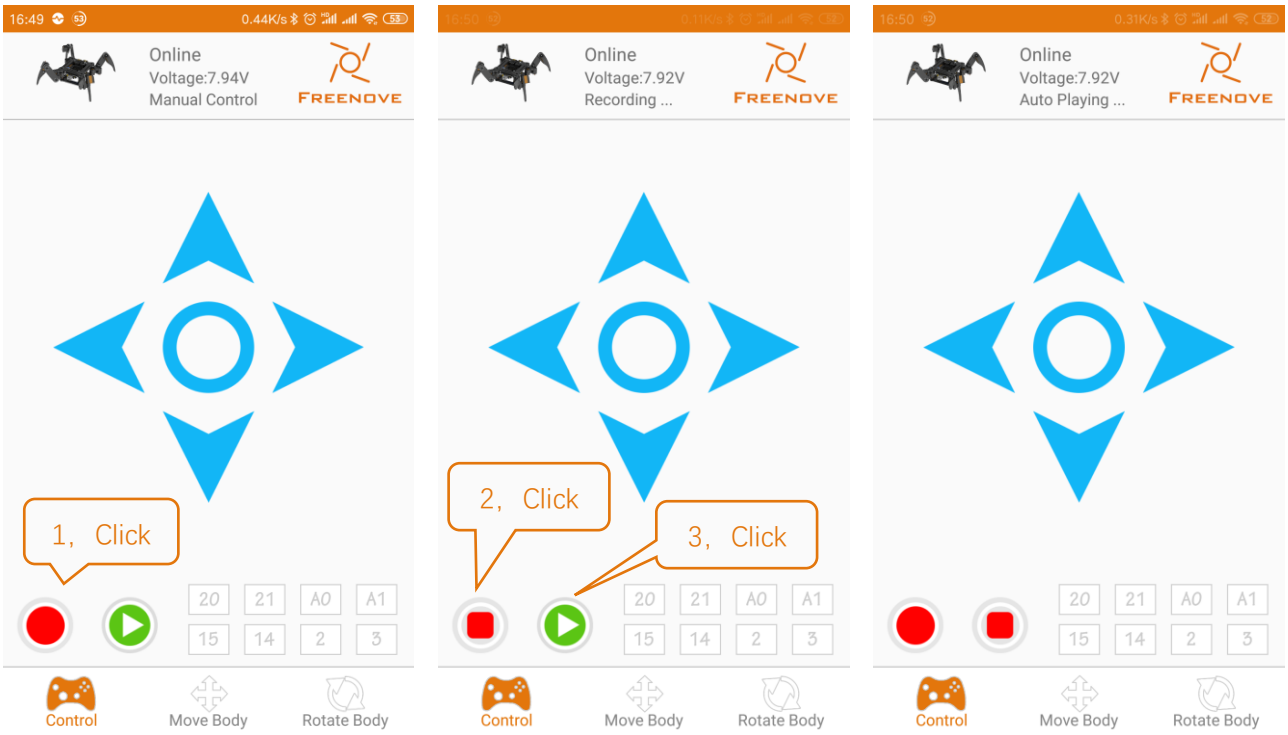
Click "Rotate Body" button to enter the page below.



In this page, you can control robot body to rotate along the X, Y, Z axis. You can use one finger to drag the blue drip or use two fingers to rotate the blue drip.

Mode switch is used to switch control mode. Left is touch control mode and right is gravity control mode. Under gravity control mode, tilt your cell phone to control.

Now we will introduce the record function.



Nomatter which interface the app is in, you can use this function.

First, press red circular button. Then it become red square button. The app starts to record your operation. Under this process, you can swich different fuction selections and do whatever operation you want. When you want to end recording, just press red square button, nomatter which page you are in.

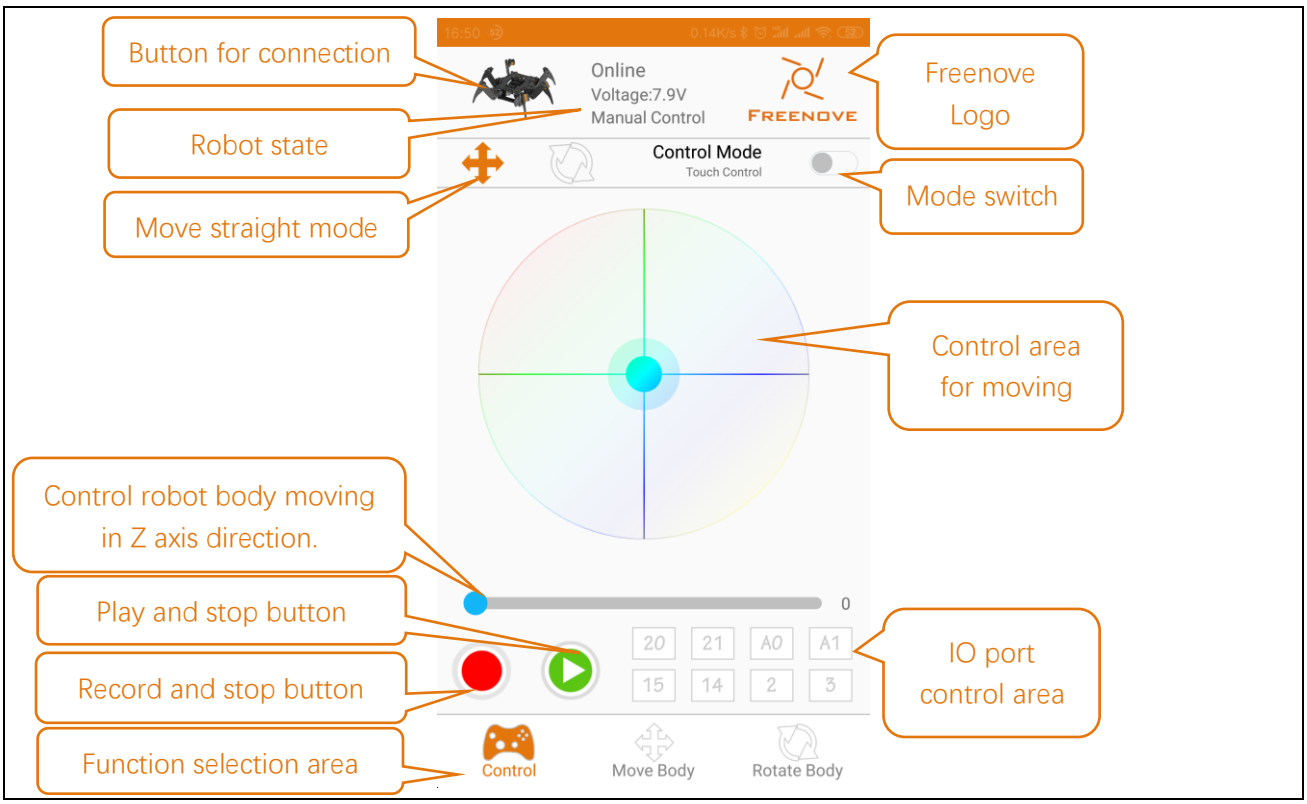
Second, press green circular button to play. Then it become red square button. You can press it to end the playing or wait for automatic end.

And the app will save only one record until you record another set of operations. So you can play a record many times.

You can also press green circular button to play without ending recording.

Freenove Hexapod Robot Kit

Click Freenove Hexapod Robot Kit, then it jumps to the following interface.



If your Android device has been connected to the robot via WiFi, then the app will connect the robot automatically.

Under this page. Click move straight mode:
In control area, you can control robot to move in any direction. First you can click any position in Ring area. And you can drag the circular button to any position. The moveing speed is depend on the distance to center. And When you click the center, robot will sit down or stand up.

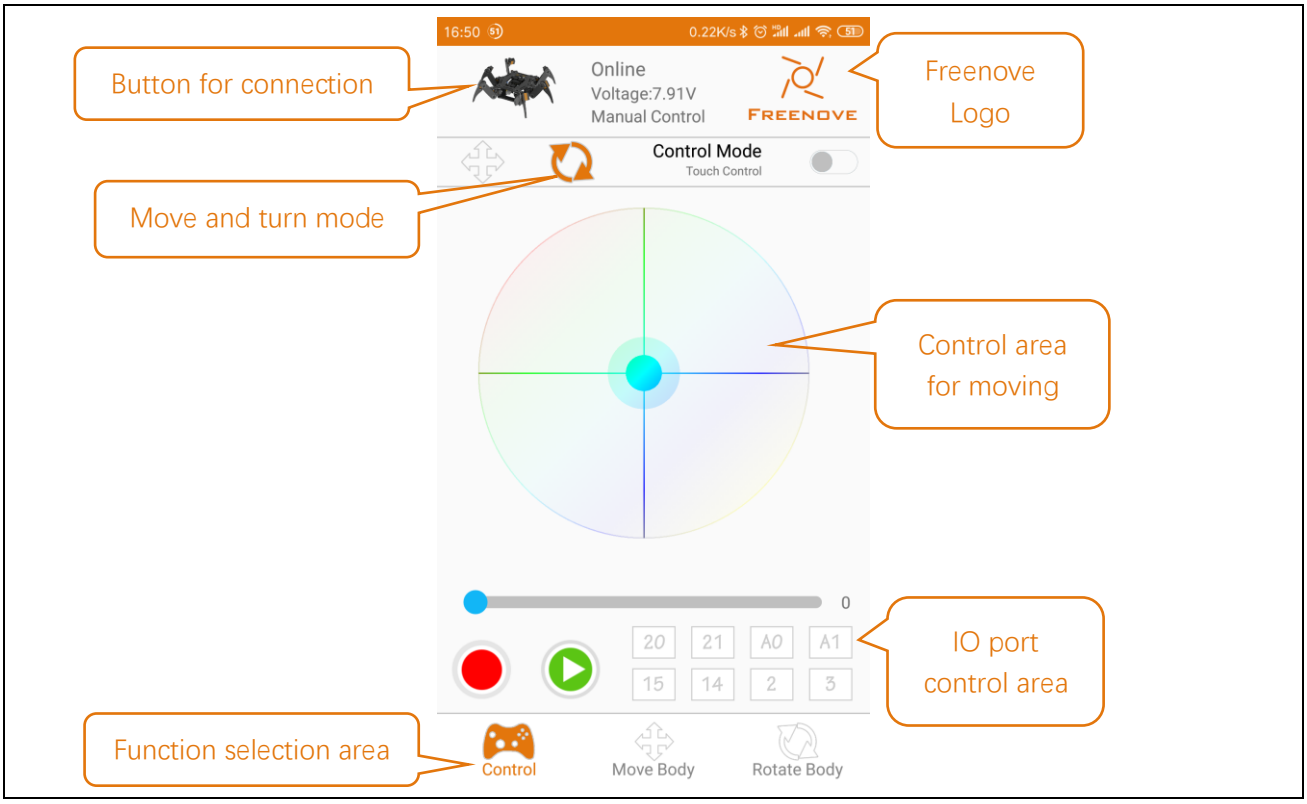
In IO port control area, you can also control different IO ports of robot to output high or low level, through touching differnet buttons.

Slider is used to Control robot body moving in Z axis direction.

Mode switch is used to switch control mode. Left is touch control mode and right is gravity control mode. Under gravity control mode, tilt your cell phone to control.

We will introduce the rest red and green button latter.

Under this page. Click move straight mode



In control area:

When circular button is in Y axis, the robot will move forth or back. When circular button is in x axis, the robot will turn in original place.

If circular button is in other positons, the robot will turn with certain turning radius.

The closer the distance to the x-axis, the smaller the turning radius.

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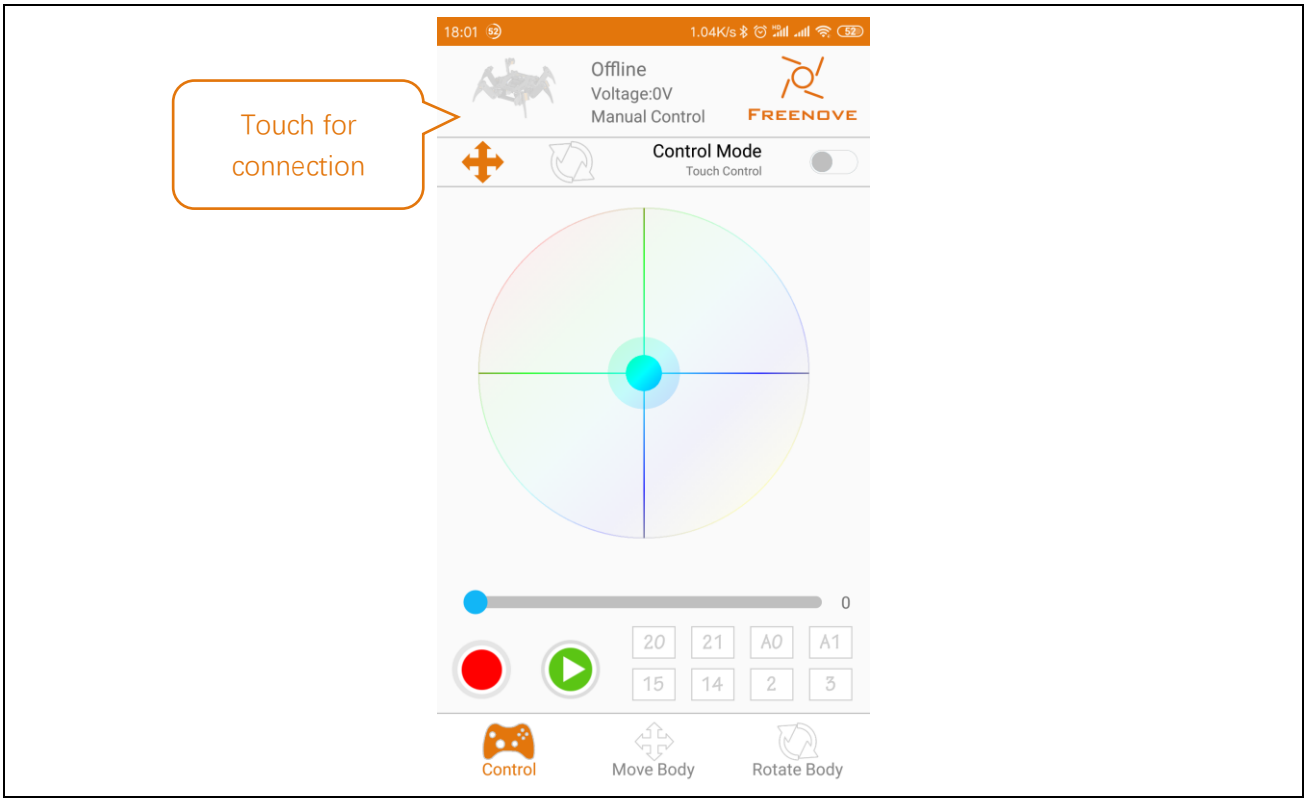

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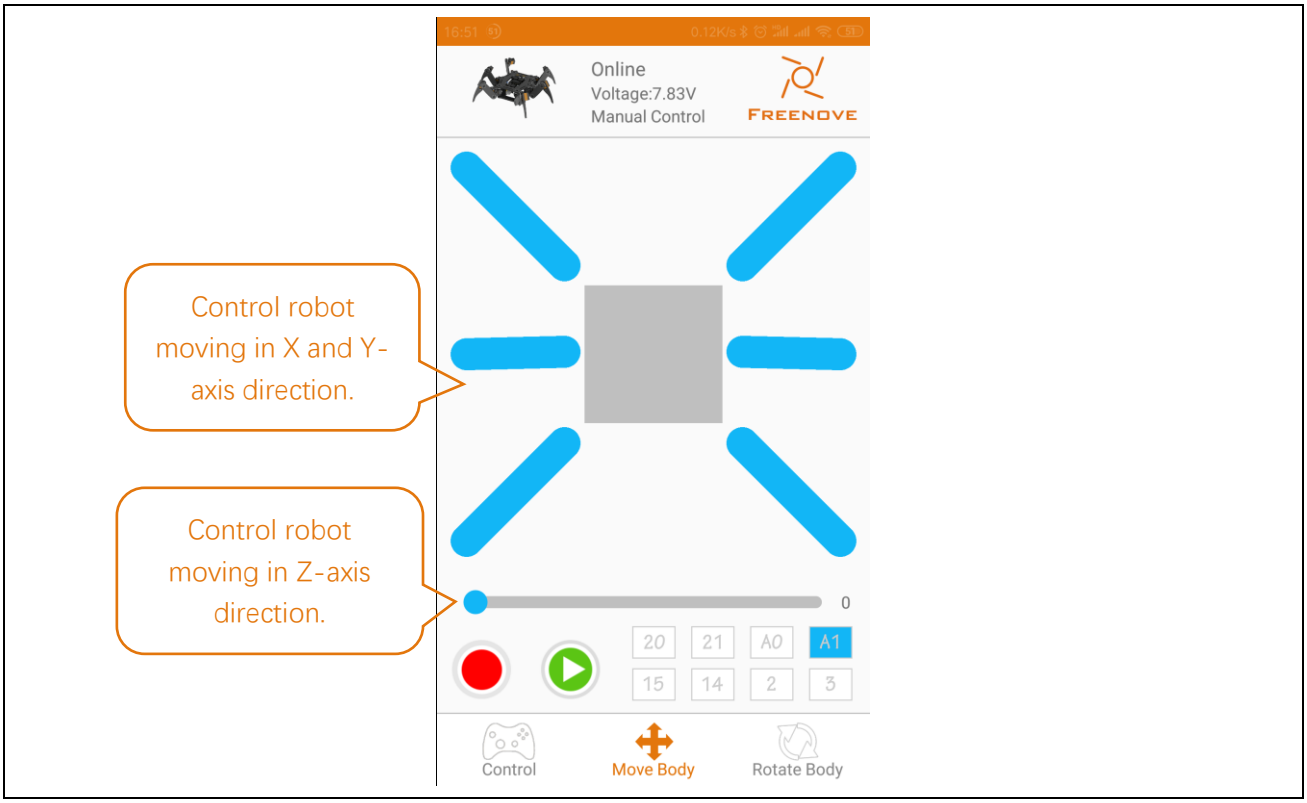
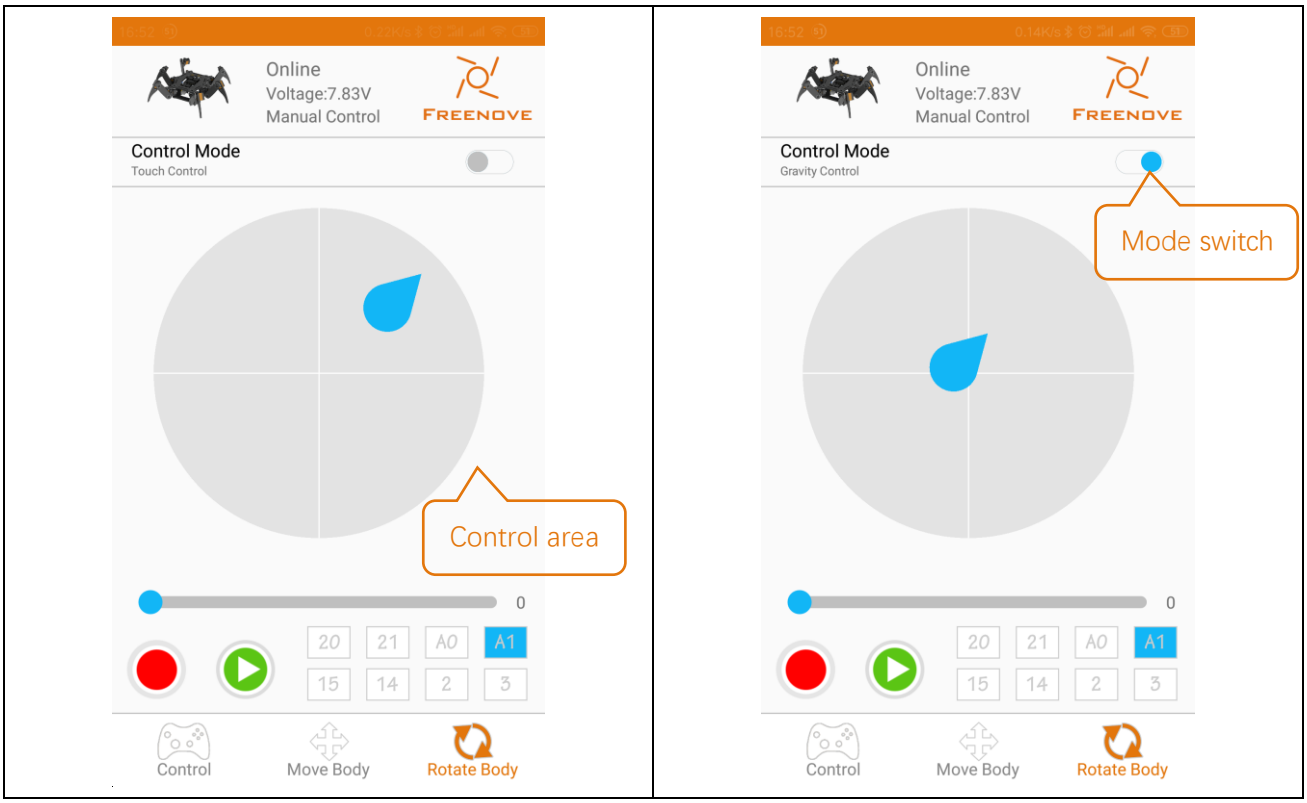


In this page, you can control the robot body moving in three-dimensional space and with its feets no moving. Here, controling robot to move in Z axis direction will not influence the robot positon in Z axis under control function selection. And A1 button is pressed in this page, so IO port A1 outputs high level.

Click "Rotate Body" button to enter the page below.



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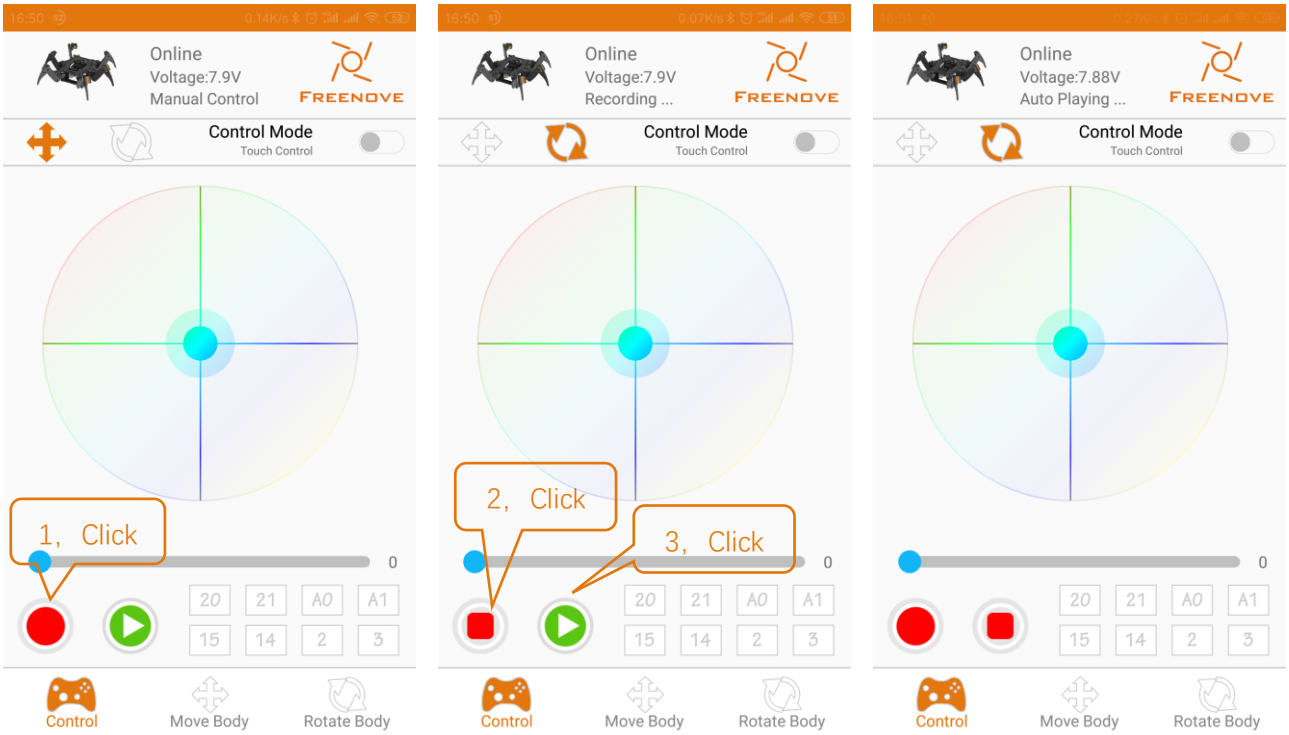
Now we will introduce the record function.



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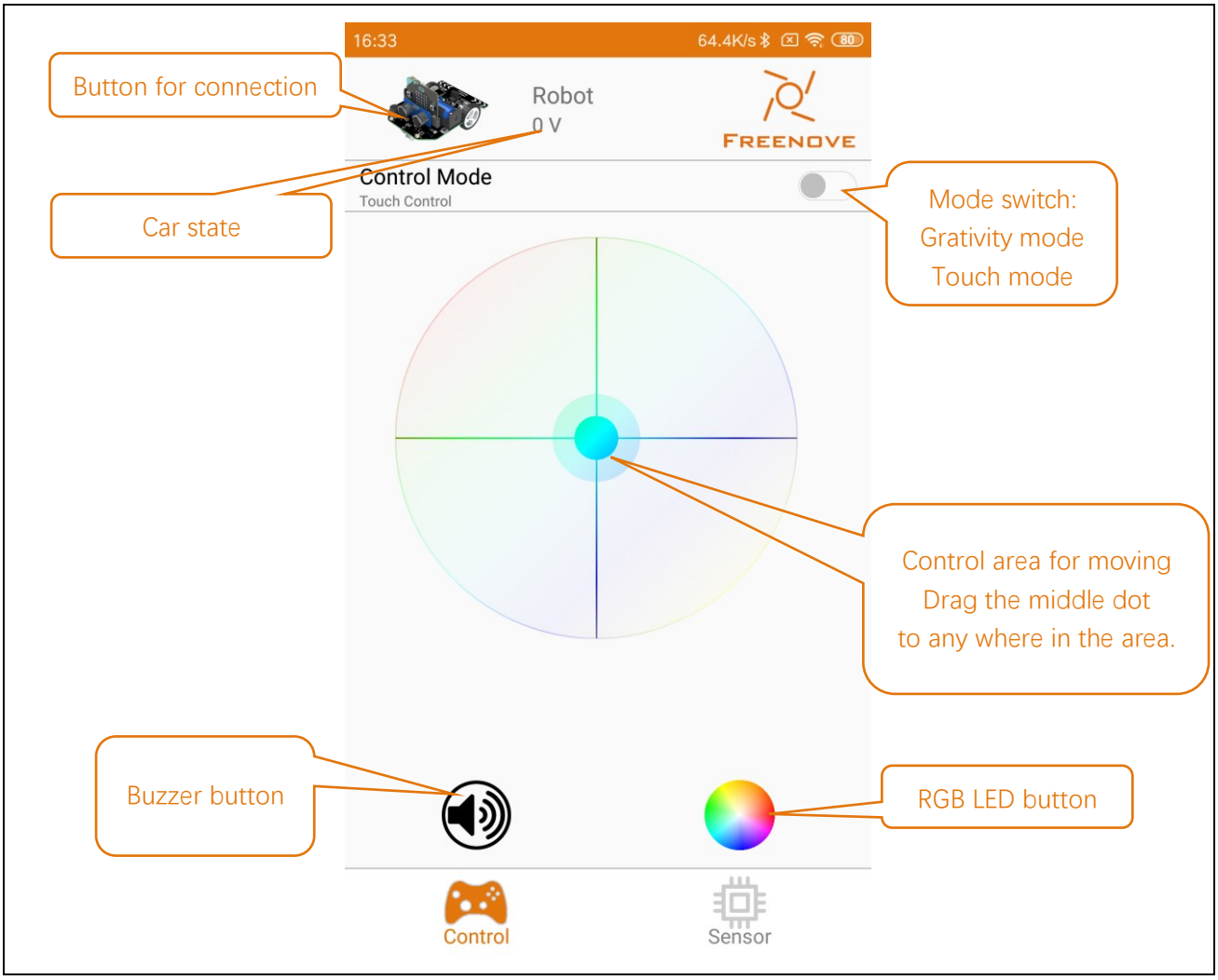
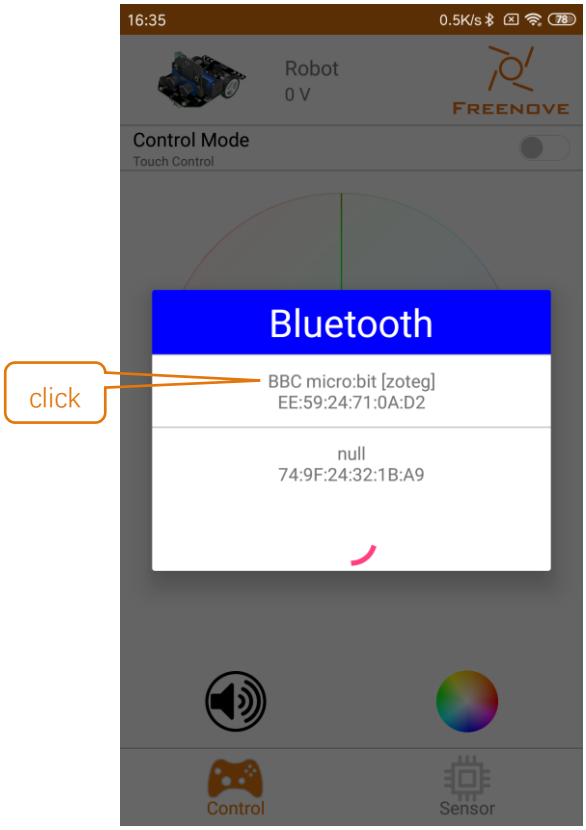
Freenove Micro:Rover

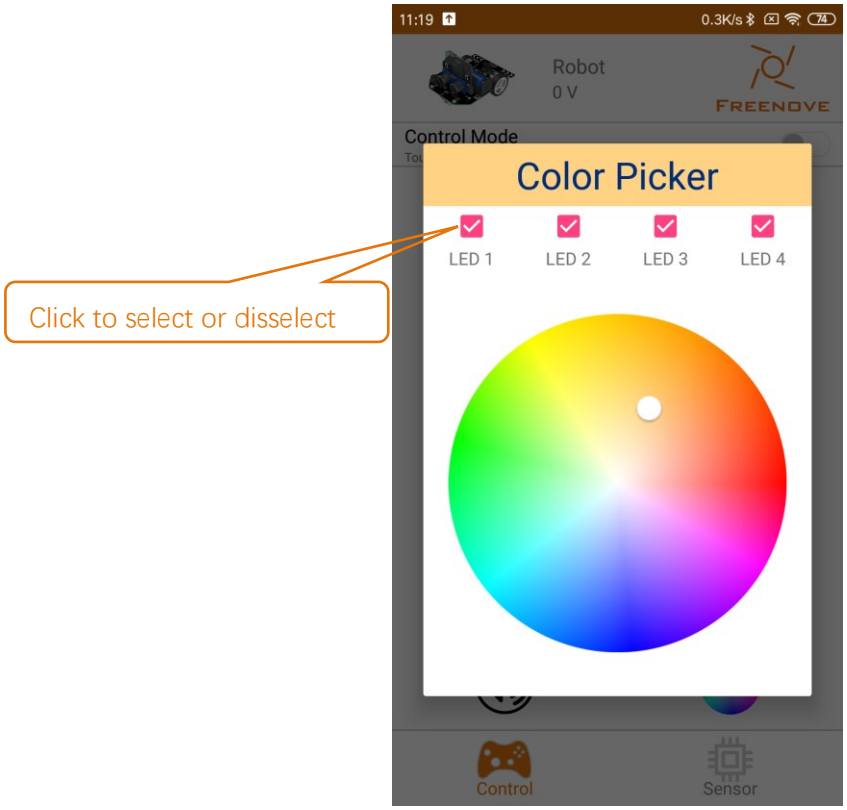
Click Micro:Rover on home page, then it jumps to the following interface.



First, chlick connection button to contact Mico:Rover with phone.

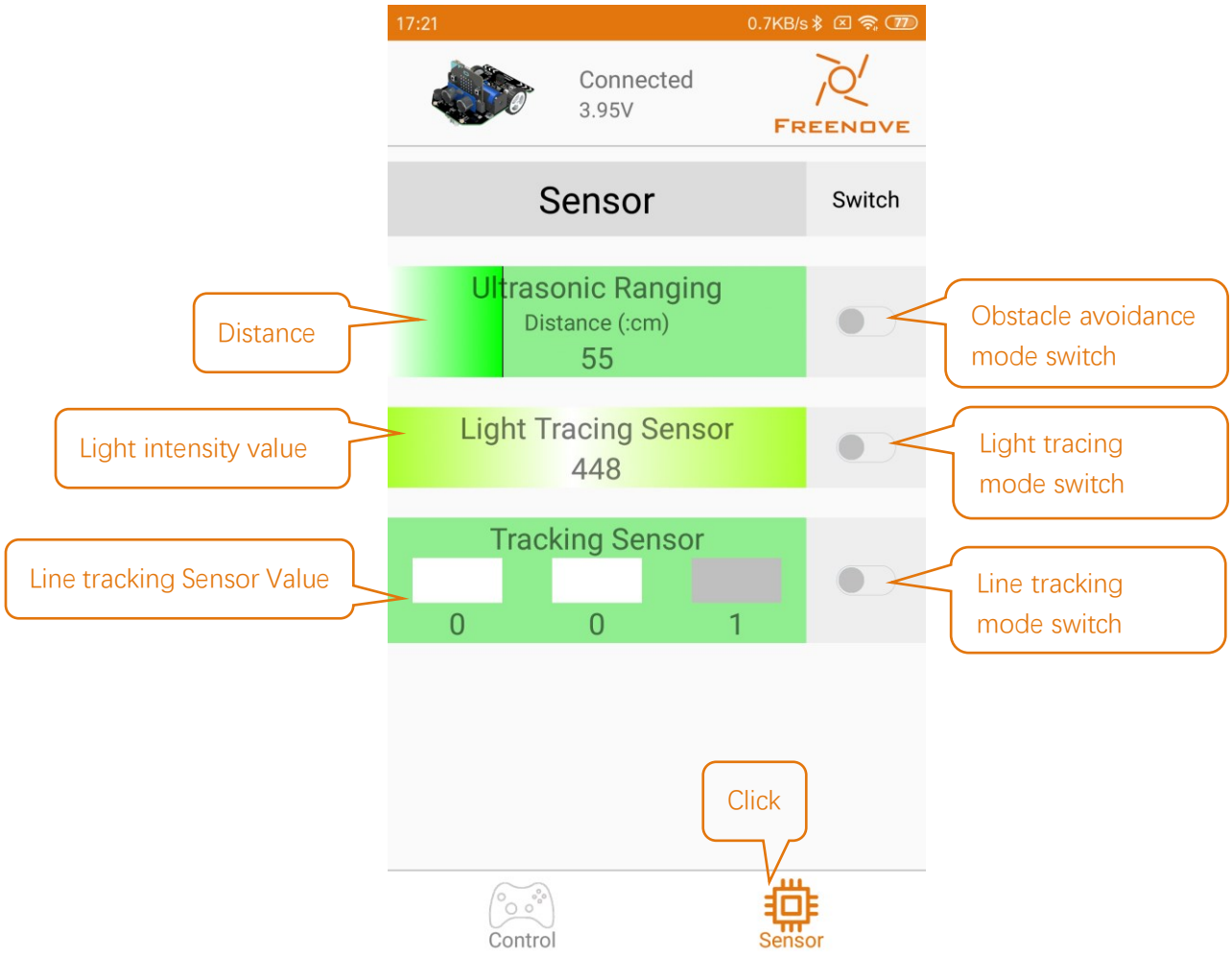


Click RGB LED button. Then following interface will appear.



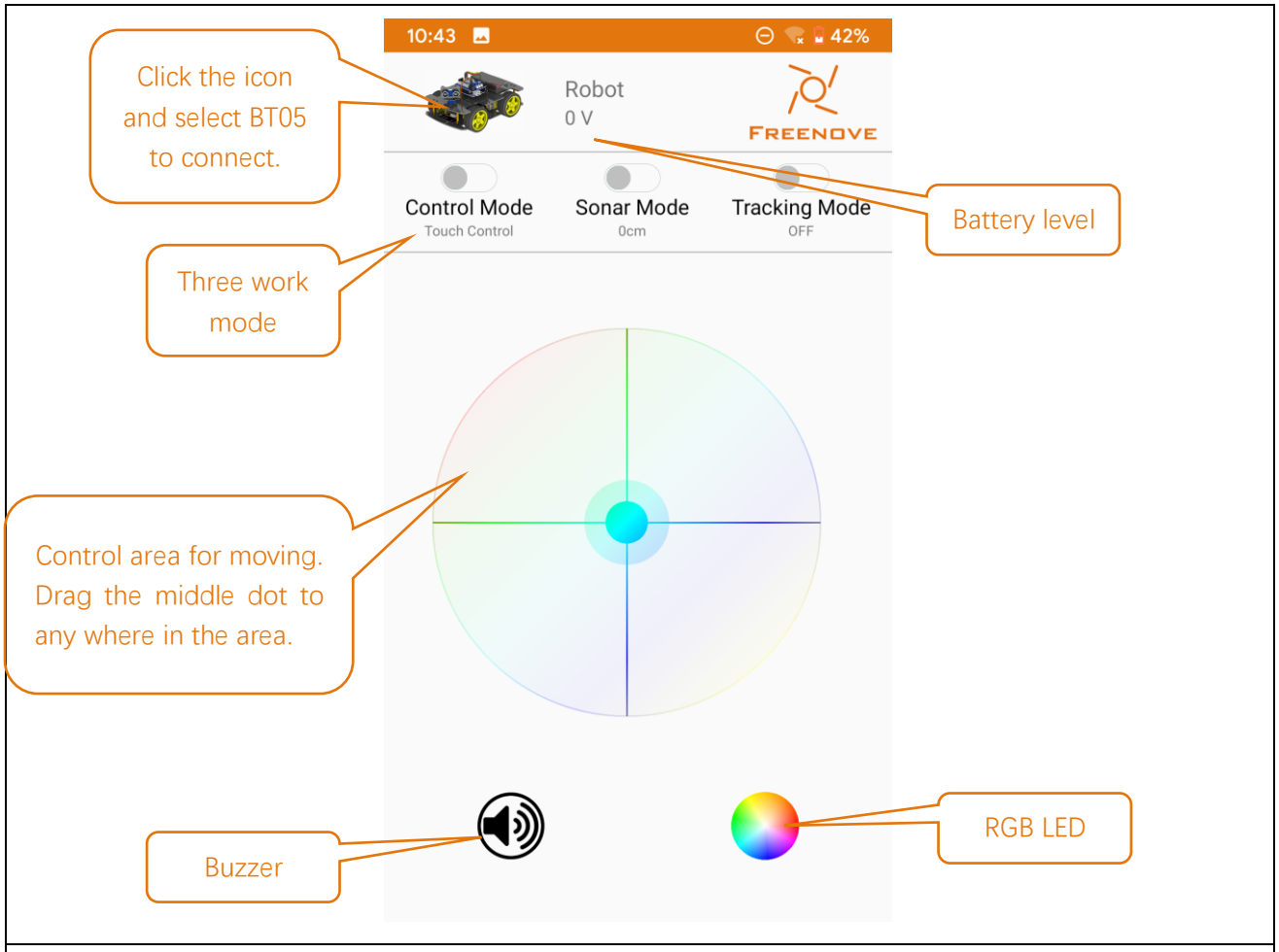
You can choose to change the color of certain LEDs selected.

In sensor interface, there are three control modes based on sensors.

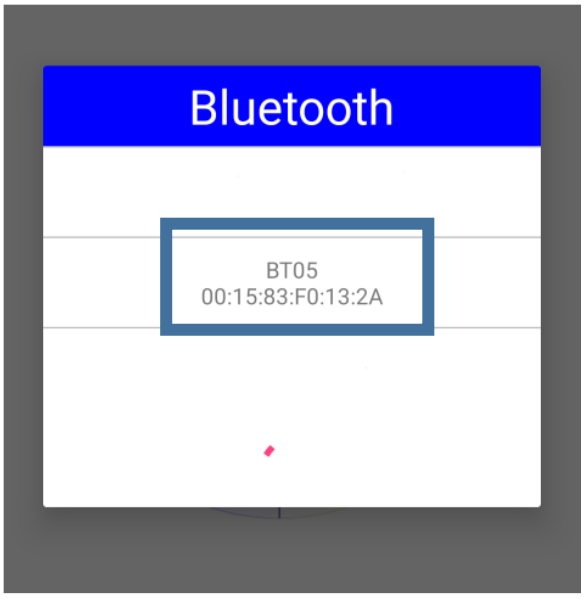


Freenove 4WD Car for Arduino

Make sure you have install Bluetooth module in the car.

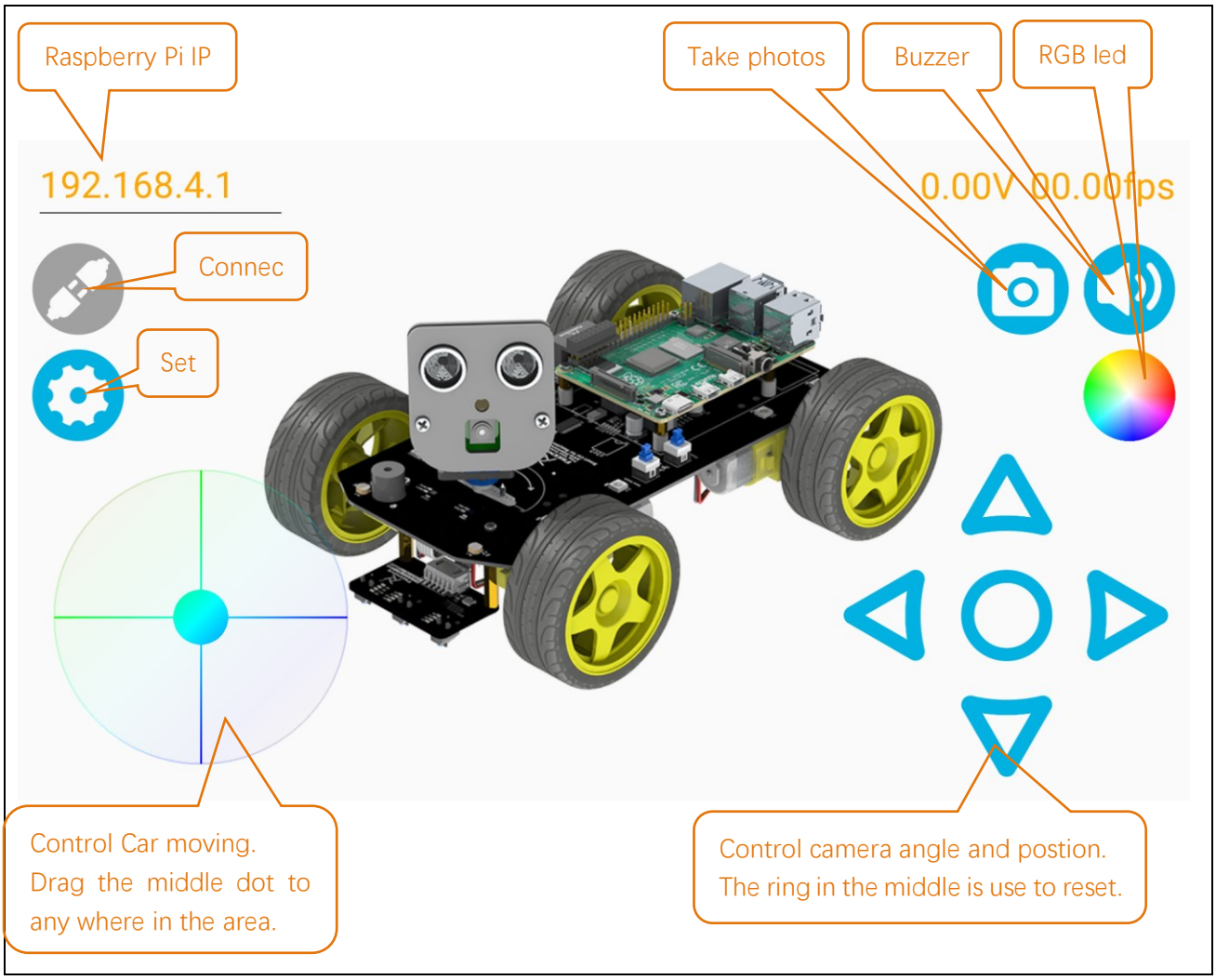


Click BT05



Freenove 4WD Car for Raspberry Pi

Open the server in Raspberry Pi car first.



What's next?

Thanks for your reading.

This book is all over here. If you find any mistakes, missions or you have other ideas and questions about contents of this book or the kit and ect, please feel free to contact us, and we will check and correct it as soon as possible.
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