

ELECTRONICS WORKSHOP I
Final Evaluation
**Automatic
Door Lock**

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Background

Need for Smart Security Solutions

- Rising demand for secure and automated access control systems in homes, offices, and industrial spaces.
- Traditional lock-and-key mechanisms are prone to theft, loss, and unauthorized duplication.

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Incorporating Technology for Usability

- Integration of user-friendly interfaces (keypad and Bluetooth app) for easy operation.
- Password-based systems eliminate the need for carrying physical keys.

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Key Features of Modern Locking Systems

- Customizable passwords for better control over access.
- Lockout mechanisms to prevent brute force attacks.
- Wireless control for convenience and remote access.

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Use Cases

- Residential doors where user control is essential.
- Office spaces requiring shared access but enhanced security.
- Industrial lockers with restricted access for staff only.



Problem Statement

Objective

Develop a secure and interactive door locking system for modern access control.

Key Features Addressed

- Password-based entry with real-time feedback via an LCD display.
- Lockout mechanism to prevent unauthorised access after repeated failures.
- Password customisation and secure management options.
- Integration with a Bluetooth-enabled app for remote control and enhanced convenience.

Proposed Design

Mapping of Requirements to Components:

- **Secure Password Input:**
4x3 membrane keypad for user input.
- **Feedback and Display:**
LCD module with I2C for clear, real-time interaction.

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Mapping of Requirements to Components:

- **Actuation Mechanism:**
Solenoid lock controlled via a relay module for reliable door operation.
- **Wireless Control:**
Bluetooth module integrated with an app for remote access.

Proposed Design

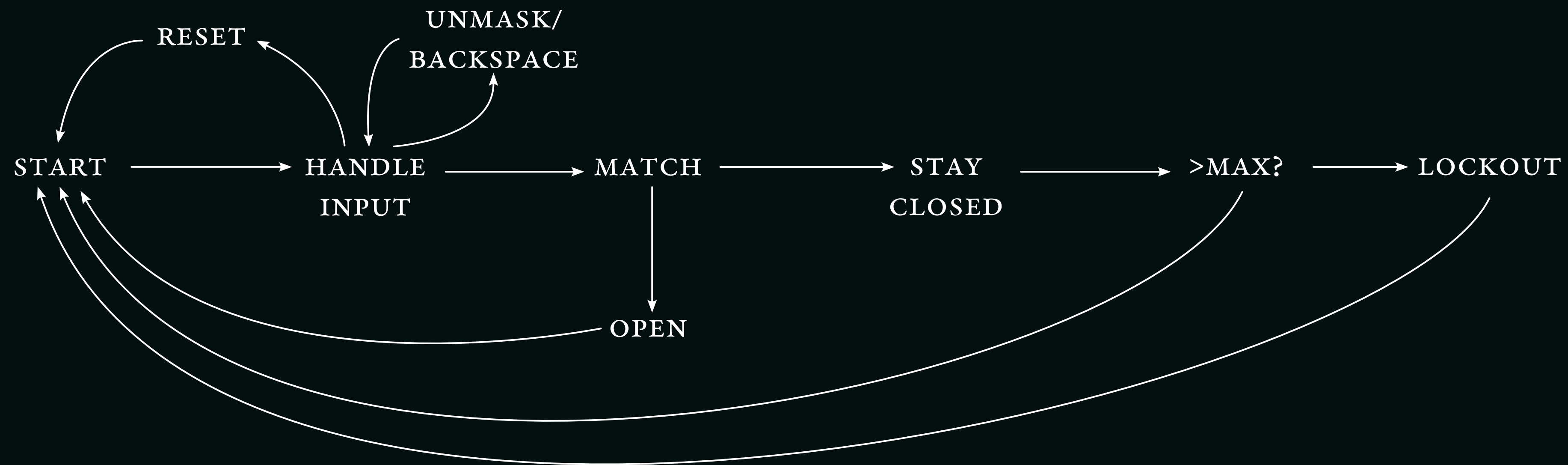
Design Choices

Initially considered a servo-motor-based system,
but opted for a solenoid lock due to:

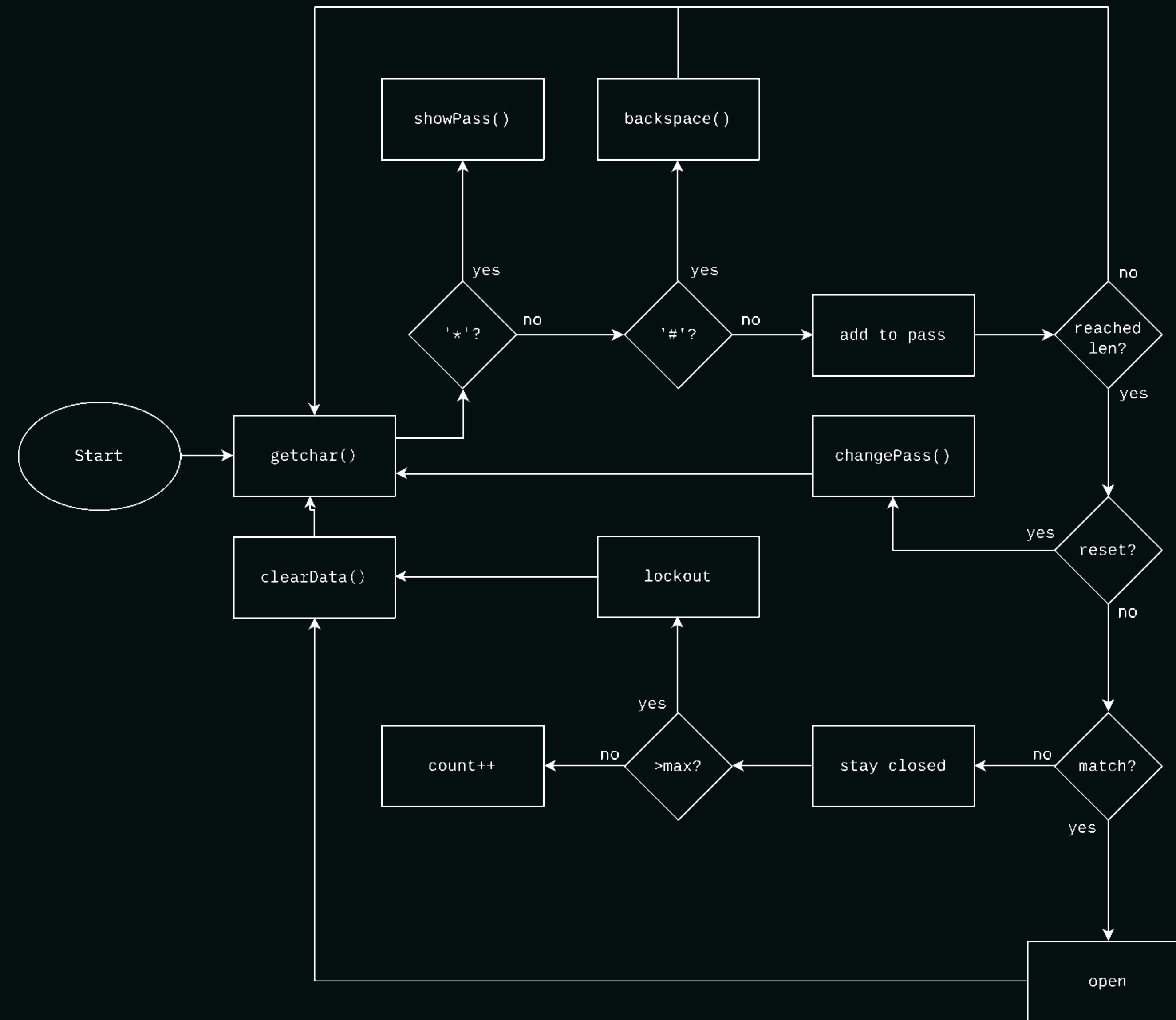
- Independence from physical variables like friction.
- More reliable and compact design for locking/unlocking mechanisms.

Proposed Design

Process Diagram

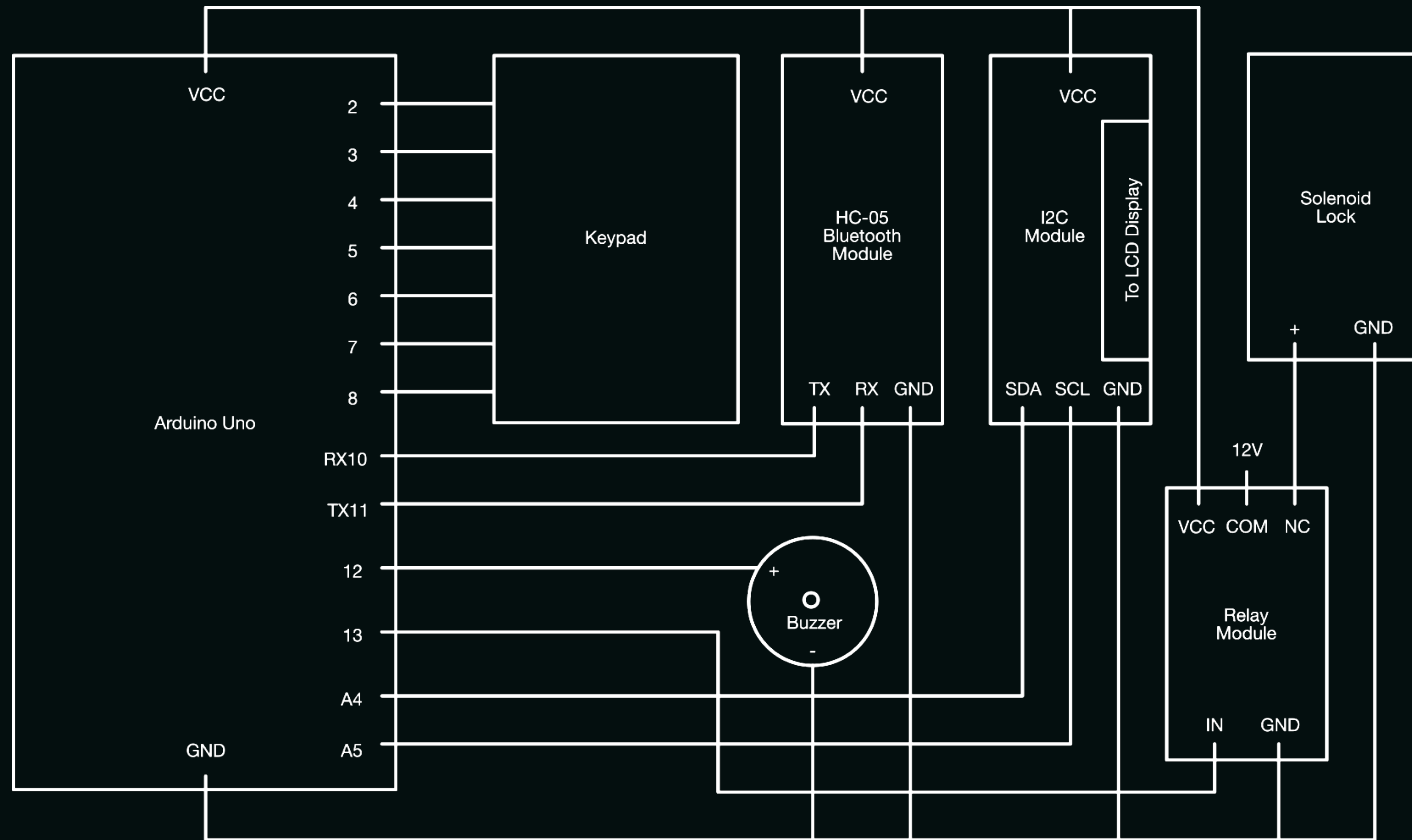


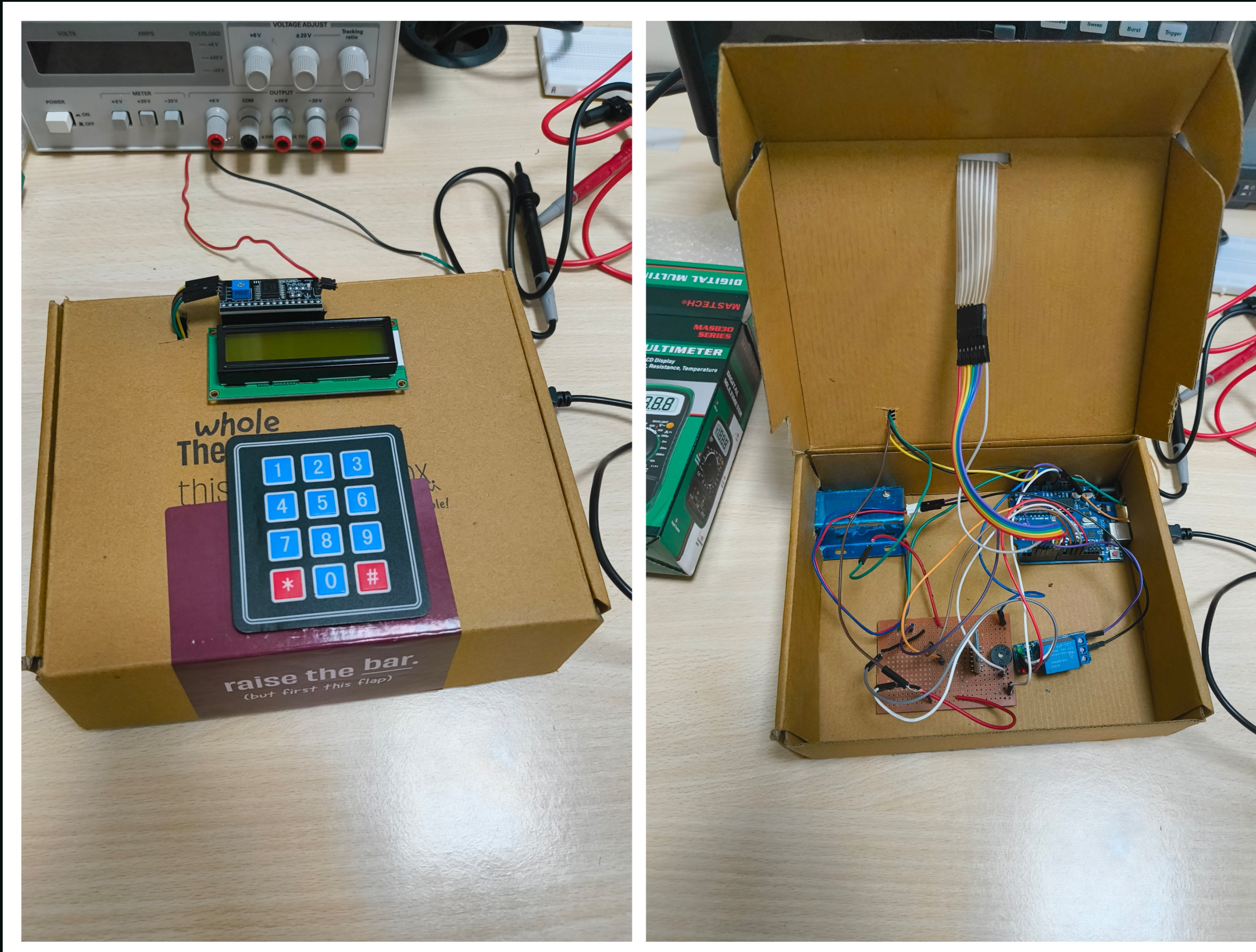
Proposed Design Block Diagram



Proposed Design

Circuit Diagram






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// Include Arduino Wire library for I2C
#include <Wire.h>
// Include LCD display library for I2C
#include <LiquidCrystal_I2C.h>
// Include Keypad library
#include <Keypad.h>
// Include Serial library
#include <SoftwareSerial.h>

SoftwareSerial mySerial(10, 11); // 10 - Rx, 11 - Tx

// Length of password + 1 for null character
#define Password_Length 9

// Character to hold password input
char Data[Password_Length];

// Password
char Master[Password_Length] = "12345678";

// Pin connected to lock relay input
int lockOutput = 13;

// Pin connected to buzzer
int buzzerPin = 12;

// counter for incorrect attempts, max att
int countinc = 0;
#define MAXINC 3

// Counter for character entries
byte data_count = 0;

// Character to hold key input
char btKey;
char keyKey;
char customKey;

// Constants for row and column sizes
const byte ROWS = 4;
const byte COLS = 3;

// Array to represent keys on keypad
char hexaKeys[ROWS][COLS] = {
  { '1', '2', '3' },
  { '4', '5', '6' },
  { '7', '8', '9' },
  { '*', '0', '#' }
};

// Connections to Arduino
byte rowPins[ROWS] = { 8, 7, 6, 5 };
byte colPins[COLS] = { 4, 3, 2 };

// Create keypad object
Keypad customKeypad = Keypad(makeKeymap(hexaKeys), rowPins, colPins, ROWS, COLS);

// Create LCD object
LiquidCrystal_I2C lcd(0x27, 16, 2);

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void setup() {
  // Setup LCD with backlight and initialize
  lcd.backlight();
  lcd.init();

  // Set lockOutput as an OUTPUT pin
  pinMode(lockOutput, OUTPUT);
  pinMode(buzzerPin, OUTPUT);

  //Serial
  mySerial.begin(9600);
  Serial.begin(115200);
}

void loop() {

  // Initialize LCD and print
  lcd.setCursor(0, 0);
  lcd.print("Enter Password:");

  // Look for keypress
  getChar();
  if (customKey) {

    // if *, show password
    if (customKey == '*') {
      showPass();
      goto shown;
    }

    // if #, backspace
    if (customKey == '#') {
      backspace();
      goto shown;
    }

    // Enter keypress into array and increment counter

    Data[data_count] = customKey;
    lcd.setCursor(data_count, 1);
    lcd.print('*');
    data_count++;
  }

  // See if we have reached the password length
  if (data_count == Password_Length - 1) {
    delay(500);
    lcd.clear();

    if (!strcmp("00000000", Data)) {
      changepass();
      goto endofloop;
    }
  }
}

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if (!strcmp(Data, Master)) {
  // Password is correct
  lcd.print("Correct");
  // Turn on relay for 5 seconds
  digitalWrite(buzzerPin, HIGH);
  delay(500);
  digitalWrite(buzzerPin, LOW);
  digitalWrite(lockOutput, HIGH);
  delay(5000);
  digitalWrite(lockOutput, LOW);
  digitalWrite(buzzerPin, HIGH);
  delay(100);
  digitalWrite(buzzerPin, LOW);

} else {
  // Password is incorrect
  lcd.print("Incorrect");
  digitalWrite(buzzerPin, HIGH);
  delay(100);
  digitalWrite(buzzerPin, LOW);
  delay(50);
  digitalWrite(buzzerPin, HIGH);
  delay(100);
  digitalWrite(buzzerPin, LOW);

  delay(1000);
  countinc++;
  if (countinc == MAXINC) {
    lcd.clear();
    lcd.print("Too many in-");
    lcd.setCursor(0, 1);
    lcd.print("correct attempts.");
    for (int i = 0; i < 3; i++) {
      digitalWrite(buzzerPin, HIGH);
      delay(100);
      digitalWrite(buzzerPin, LOW);
      delay(50);
      digitalWrite(buzzerPin, HIGH);
      delay(100);
      digitalWrite(buzzerPin, LOW);
      delay(100);
    }

    delay(1000);
    lcd.clear();
    lcd.print("Try again later");
    // delay(7000);
    digitalWrite(buzzerPin, HIGH);
    delay(1500);
    digitalWrite(buzzerPin, LOW);
    delay(3500);
    countinc = 0;
  }
}

endofloop:
NULL;

// Clear data and LCD display
lcd.clear();
clearData();
}

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shown:
  NULL;
}

void clearData() {
  // Go through array and clear data
  // put inside bracket to be cool
  while (data_count != 0) {
    Data[data_count] = 0;
    data_count--;
  }
  return;
}

void showPass() {
  // Clear screen, set cursor to start
  lcd.clear();
  lcd.setCursor(0, 0);
  lcd.print("Check Password:");
  lcd.setCursor(0, 1);
  // print every char in password
  for (int i = 0; i < data_count; i++) {
    lcd.print(Data[i]);
  }
  // wait for one second
  delay(1500);
  // clear screen, set cursor to start
  lcd.clear();
  lcd.setCursor(0, 0);
  lcd.print("Enter Password:");
  lcd.setCursor(0, 1);
  // print stars
  for (int i = 0; i < data_count; i++) {
    lcd.print('*');
  }
}

void backspace() {
  if (data_count) {
    data_count--;
    lcd.clear();
    lcd.print("Enter Password:");
    lcd.setCursor(0, 1);
    for (int i = 0; i < data_count; i++) {
      lcd.print('*');
    }
  }
}

void changepass() {
  clearData();
  lcd.clear();
  lcd.print("Reset Password?");
  lcd.setCursor(0, 1);
  lcd.print("Yes (1), No (0)");
  //delay(1000);

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do {
  getChar();
} while (!customKey);
if (customKey == '1') {
  lcd.clear();
  lcd.print("Old Password:");
  for (int i = 0; i < 8; i++) {
    do {
      getChar();
    } while (!customKey);
    if (customKey) {

      // if *, show password
      if (customKey == '*') {
        showPass();
        i = i - 1;
        continue;
      }

      // if #, backspace

      if (customKey == '#') {
        lcd.setCursor(0, 0);
        lcd.print("Incorrect input");
        delay(500);
        lcd.setCursor(0, 0);
        lcd.print("Old Password:  ");
        i = i - 1;
        continue;
      }

      // Enter keypress into array and increment counter

      Data[data_count] = customKey;
      lcd.setCursor(data_count, 1);
      lcd.print('*');
      data_count++;
    }
  }
  if (!strcmp(Data, Master)) {
    // Password is correct
    lcd.clear();
    lcd.print("Correct");
    delay(1000);
    lcd.clear();
    lcd.print("Enter new");
    lcd.setCursor(0, 1);
    lcd.print("Password:");
    delay(1000);
    lcd.clear();
    lcd.print("Password:");
  }

  for (int i = 0; i < 8; ++i) {

    do {
      getChar();
    } while (!customKey);

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```

    if (customKey) {

      // if *, show password
      if (customKey == '*') {
        lcd.setCursor(0, 0);
        lcd.print("Incorrect input");
        delay(500);
        lcd.setCursor(0, 0);
        lcd.print("Password:      ");
        i = i - 1;
        continue;
      }

      // if #, backspace
      if (customKey == '#') {
        lcd.setCursor(0, 0);
        lcd.print("Incorrect input");
        delay(500);
        lcd.setCursor(0, 0);
        lcd.print("Password:      ");
        i = i - 1;
        continue;
      }
      lcd.setCursor(i, 1);
      lcd.print('*');
      Master[i] = customKey;
    }
  }
  lcd.clear();
  lcd.print("Password Reset");
  lcd.setCursor(0, 1);
  lcd.print("Complete");
  delay(500);
  digitalWrite(buzzerPin, HIGH);
  delay(500);
  digitalWrite(buzzerPin, LOW);
  delay(100);
  digitalWrite(buzzerPin, HIGH);
  delay(500);
  digitalWrite(buzzerPin, LOW);
  delay(100);
  digitalWrite(buzzerPin, HIGH);
  delay(500);
  digitalWrite(buzzerPin, LOW);

  delay(1000);
  lcd.clear();
} else {
  lcd.clear();
  lcd.print("Incorrect");
  lcd.setCursor(0, 1);
  lcd.print("Password");
  digitalWrite(buzzerPin, HIGH);
  delay(100);
  digitalWrite(buzzerPin, LOW);

  delay(1000);
}
return;
} else
return;
}

```

```

void getChar() {
  btKey = 0;
  if (mySerial.available()) {
    btKey = mySerial.read();
  }
  keyKey = customKeypad.getKey();
  customKey = 0;
  if (btKey || keyKey) {
    customKey = keyKey ? keyKey : btKey;
  }
  if (customKey) {
    digitalWrite(buzzerPin, HIGH);
    delay(100);
    digitalWrite(buzzerPin, LOW);
  }
}

```

Demonstration

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Key Performance Indicators

Security

- Lockout mechanism after three incorrect attempts.
- Password masking and real-time feedback to prevent tampering.
- Robustness of wireless communication to prevent interception.

Key Performance Indicators

Hardware Performance

- **Response Time:**
Quick actuation of the solenoid lock upon correct password entry.
- **Reliability:**
Consistent operation of the lock mechanism over repeated use.

Key Performance Indicators

Design Efficiency

- **Hardware Complexity:**
Compact and straightforward design reduces wiring and assembly errors. No reliance on moving parts ensures durability.
- **Power Consumption:**
Efficient power use with minimal drain during standby.

Key Performance Indicators

User Experience

- **Ease of Operation:**

Intuitive interface with visual feedback on LCD.

Clear error messages and lockout notifications.

- **Customisability:**

Simple password change and wireless control via app.



Key Performance Indicators

Practical Deployment

- **Scalability:**
Can be easily adapted for multiple doors or enhanced with additional features.
- **Durability:**
Minimal maintenance due to sturdy components like the solenoid lock.

Cost of the Solution

Arduino Uno R ₃	420
4x3 Membrane Keypad	45
16x2 LCD with I ₂ C Module	325
Solenoid Lock	310
Relay Module	30
Buzzer	5
Bluetooth Module	230
Misc. (PCB, wires, etc.)	15
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Cost of the Solution

Comparison

- **with the Servo-motor Solution:**
Could be marginally cheaper but higher dependence on mechanical components, prone to wear and tear, adding maintenance costs.
- **with Commercial Solutions:**
Cost ranges between INR 5000–10,000 or more depending on features. Often require proprietary apps and lack customizability at the hardware level.

Contributions

- Collaboratively designed and implemented the system architecture, including hardware and software components.
- Jointly developed the keypad, Bluetooth app, and LCD interface for user interaction.
- Worked together on integrating the solenoid lock, relay, and buzzer for seamless operation.
- Shared responsibilities for testing, debugging, and project documentation.

Unimplemented Ideas

Dual-Tone Buzzer Sounds

- Planned to use distinct buzzer tones for each keypress, like an actual keypad.
- Encountered limitations with the Arduino's `tone()` function, leading to unsatisfactory sound quality

Unimplemented Ideas

Camera Integration

- Planned to add a camera for capturing images during incorrect password attempts, enabling remote monitoring.
- Could not implement due to unavailability of a camera module in the lab.

Unimplemented Ideas

Web Server Control

- Considered a web server for Wi-Fi-based remote control and monitoring.
- Implementation was limited by network firewall constraints and restrictions on using laptops during the presentation.

Insights

Technical Skills

- Gained hands-on experience in circuit design, Arduino programming, and Bluetooth integration.
- Learned to interface various components like keypads, LCDs, solenoid locks, and buzzers.

Insights

Problem-Solving

- Overcame challenges in component integration and debugging hardware-software interactions.
- Learned to adapt plans and implement creative solutions under resource constraints.

Insights

System Design Principles

- Understood the importance of modularity for future scalability.
- Balanced security, usability, and cost-efficiency in the design process.

Insights

Collaboration and Communication:

- Enhanced teamwork and time management while working together on all aspects of the project.
- Developed clear documentation and presentation skills to effectively convey ideas.

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