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**Activity 3**

**Topic 1: Basic LCD Output**

**Topic 2: Temperature with LM35**

**Topic 3: Humidity and Temperature with DHT11**

1. **OBJECTIVES**

* To apply practical knowledge in using the Arduino Mega 2560
* To explain the functions and components of the related topics
* To implement the LCD output, DHT11 and LM35 components using code and circuit diagrams
* To develop and enhance problem-solving skills related to the topics

1. **EQUIPMENT AND MATERIALS**

**HARDWARE**

* Arduino Uno R3 / Arduino Mega 2560
* Breadboard
* Jumper Wires
* Laptop
* DHT11
* LM 35
* 20x4 or 16x2 LCD

**SOFTWARE**

* Arduino IDE with libraries for specified components.
* MS Word
* Wokwi & TinkerCAD Simulator

1. **DIAGRAM**

**===== TOPIC 1: Basic LCD Output =====**

1. **Wokwi Simulation**

**A computer chip with wires connected to it

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1. **Breadboard**

**A close-up of a circuit board

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1. **Source Code**

#include <LiquidCrystal\_I2C.h>

LiquidCrystal\_I2C lcd(0x27, 16, 2);

void setup(){

lcd.init();

lcd.clear();

lcd.backlight();

lcd.setCursor(5, 0);

lcd.print("Ako si");

lcd.setCursor(2, 1);

lcd.print("Joseph Arenas");

}

void loop(){

}

**===== Topic 2: Temperature with LM35 =====**

1. **TinkerCad Simulation**

**A circuit board with wires

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1. **Breadboard**

**A electronic device with wires

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1. **Source Code**

void loop() {

// === Read LM35 Sensor ===

int rawValue = analogRead(LM35\_PIN);

// LM35 formula: 10mV per °C

// Temp(°C) = (ADC \* 500) / 1023

float celsius = (rawValue \* 500.0) / 1023.0;

float kelvin = celsius + 273.15;

// === Display on LCD ===

lcd.setCursor(0, 0);

lcd.print("Cel: ");

lcd.print(celsius, 1); // 1 decimal place

lcd.print((char)223); // Degree symbol

lcd.print("C");

lcd.setCursor(0, 1);

lcd.print("kel: ");

lcd.print(kelvin, 2);

lcd.print((char)223); // 2 decimal places

lcd.print("K");

// === Print to Serial Monitor (optional) ===

Serial.print("Temp: ");

Serial.print(celsius, 1);

Serial.print(" °C | ");

Serial.print(kelvin, 2);

Serial.println(" °K");

delay(1000); // Update every 1 second

}

#define USE\_I2C 1

#if USE\_I2C

#include <Wire.h>

#include <LiquidCrystal\_I2C.h>

LiquidCrystal\_I2C lcd(0x27, 16, 2); // Change address if needed (0x27 or 0x3F)

#else

#include <LiquidCrystal.h>

LiquidCrystal lcd(12, 11, 5, 4, 3, 2); // RS, EN, D4, D5, D6, D7

#endi

// === LM35 Settings ===

#define LM35\_PIN A0 // LM35 OUT pin connected to analog pin A0

void setup() {

// Start serial monitor (optional)

Serial.begin(9600);

// Initialize LCD

#if USE\_I2C

lcd.init();

lcd.backlight();

#else

lcd.begin(16, 2);

#endif

// Startup message

lcd.clear();

lcd.setCursor(0, 0);

lcd.print("LM35 Temp Sensor");

lcd.setCursor(0, 1);

lcd.print("Initializing...");

delay(2000);

lcd.clear();

}

**=== Topic 3: Humidity and Temperature with DHT11===**

1. **Wokwi Simulation**

**A circuit board with a screen and a display

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1. **Breadboard**

**A close-up of a device

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1. **Source Code**

#include <LiquidCrystal\_I2C.h>

#include <DHT.h>

#define DHTPIN 2

#define DHTTYPE DHT11

LiquidCrystal\_I2C lcd(0x27, 16, 2);

DHT dht(DHTPIN, DHTTYPE);

void setup(){

lcd.init();

lcd.backlight();

dht.begin();

}

void loop(){

float humi = dht.readHumidity();

float temp = dht.readTemperature();

lcd.setCursor(0, 0);

lcd.print("humi: ");

lcd.print(humi);

lcd.print("%");

lcd.setCursor(0, 1);

lcd.print("temp: ");

lcd.print(temp);

lcd.print("C");

delay(1000);

}

1. **PROCEDURE**

**A. Preparation**

* Gather the required components as stated in Chapter 3.
* Prepare the Arduino IDE on your preferred device.
* Review the problem for each topic and formulate or search for a circuit diagram given the problem of each topic.
* Simulate your circuit diagram to a circuit simulator such as TinkerCADor Wokwi.

**B. Actual**

* For topic 1, connect the 5v VCC and GND pin of the microcontroller to the “+” and “-“ of the breadboard. Connect the VCC and GND of the LCD to VCC and ground. Connect the SDA and SCL of the LCD to the SDA and SCL pins of the microcontroller. Connect the USBVCC to the Arduino Uno R3 / Arduino Mega 2560 then verify and upload the code.
* For topic 2, connect the 5v VCC and GND pin of the microcontroller to the “+” and “-“ of the breadboard. Connect the VCC and GND of the LCD to VCC and ground. Connect the SDA and SCL of the LCD to the SDA and SCL pins of the microcontroller. Attach the LM35 to the breadboard. Connect the VCC and GND pins of the transistor to the “+” and “-” of the breadboard. Afterwards, connect the data pin of the LM35 to A0 of the microcontroller. Connect the USBVCC to the Arduino Uno R3 / Arduino Mega 2560 then verify and upload the code.
* For topic 3, connect the 5v VCC and GND pin of the microcontroller to the “+” and “-“ of the breadboard. Connect the VCC and GND of the LCD to VCC and ground. Connect the SDA and SCL of the LCD to the SDA and SCL pins of the microcontroller. Attach the DHT11 to the breadboard. Connect the VCC and GND pins of the DHT11 to 5v and ground. Connect the data pin of the DHT11 to digital pin 2. Connect the USBVCC to the Arduino Uno R3 / Arduino Mega 2560 then verify and upload the code.

**C. Checking**

* For topic 1, ensure that the LCD displays the text of your choice based from the code as well as its proper positioning in the display.
* For topic 2, ensure that the LCD displays the temperature of the current environment. Make sure that the temperatures are accurate and realistic.
* For topic 3, ensure that the LCD displays the temperature and the humidity of the current environment. Make sure that the temperature and humidity readings are accurate.
* Adjust values or fix errors if the output is not working as expected.

**D. Uploading**

* Upload the final and corrected code to the Arduino Uno R3/Arduino Mega 2560.
* Ensure that all three topics work properly.

1. **CONCLUSION**

The activities provided hands-on experience in interfacing the Arduino with an LCD, LM35, and DHT11 sensors, effectively displaying temperature and humidity data. These exercises deepened understanding of how sensors communicate with microcontrollers and how outputs can be presented through hardware and code. Overall, the work improved both technical knowledge and problem-solving skills in microcontroller applications.A close-up of a document

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