

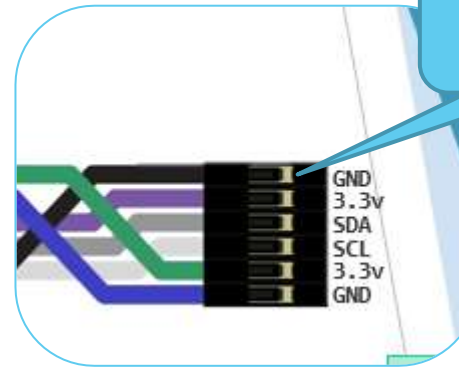
# SCUTTLE Robot Wiring Guide

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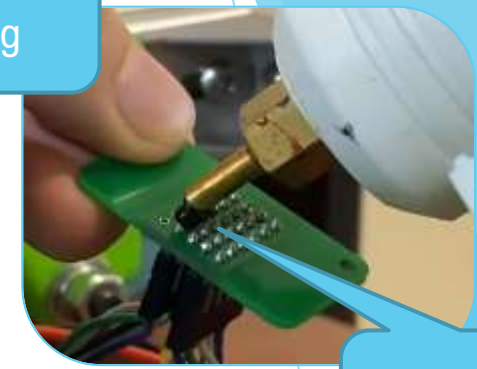
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# Good Practices

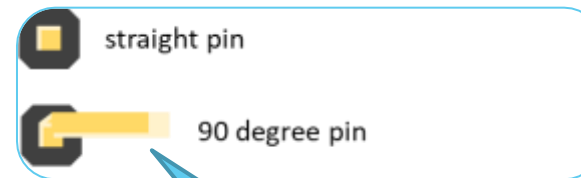
- ▶ Keep Wire sets bonded together.
- ▶ Use colors which are found in the common sequence
  - ▶ makes it easy for others to repeat your trials
  - ▶ makes it easy to document
- ▶ Eliminate individual pins
  - ▶ replace them with multi-position housings
- ▶ Use black colored wire for ground
  - ▶ whenever possible
- ▶ Dupont Housings: align the arrow to ground pin
  - ▶ whenever possible
- ▶ Use 90-degree headers where appropriate
- ▶ Hot glue backs of through-hole pins
  - ▶ reduce chance of short circuit
  - ▶ hot glue is removable if necessary



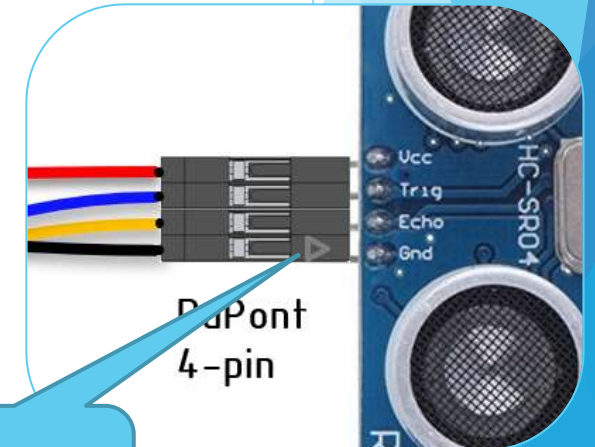
space for probing



cover pins with hot glue

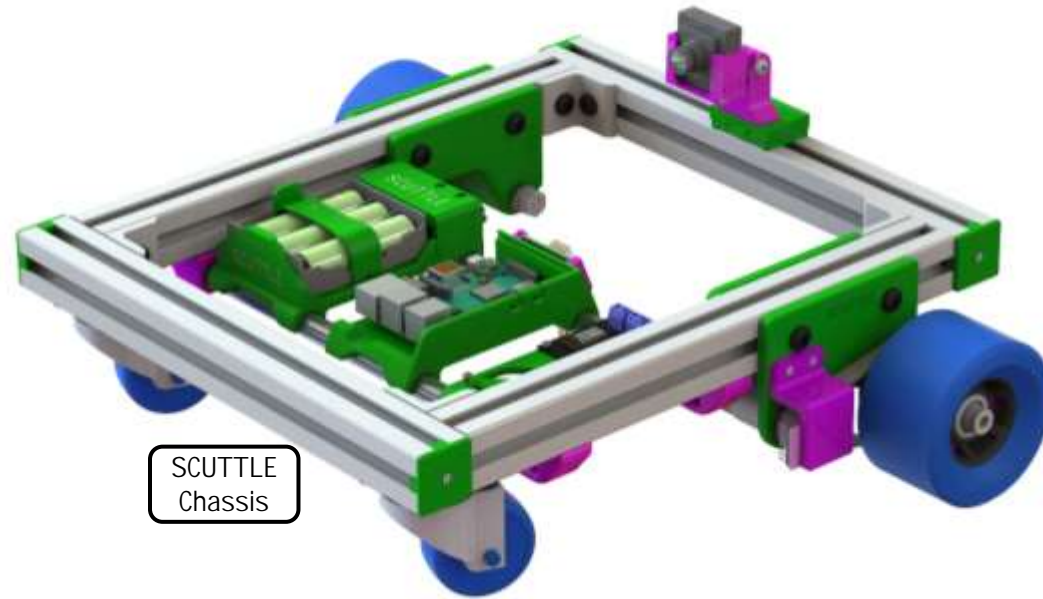


choose appropriate male pins



Arrow aligns with ground

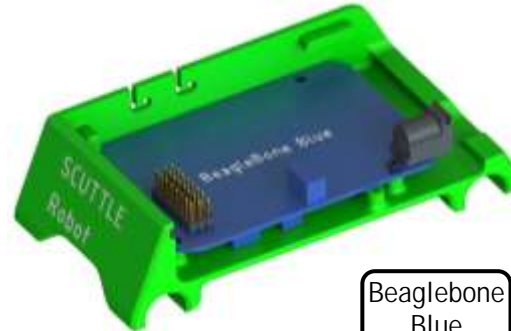
# SCUTTLE Supports various CPUs



SCUTTLE  
Chassis



Raspberry  
Pi



Beaglebone  
Blue



Jetson  
Nano

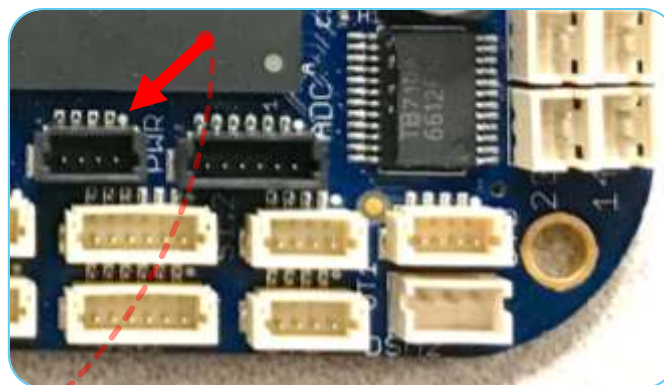
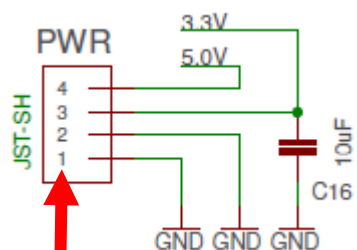
# Before You Begin:

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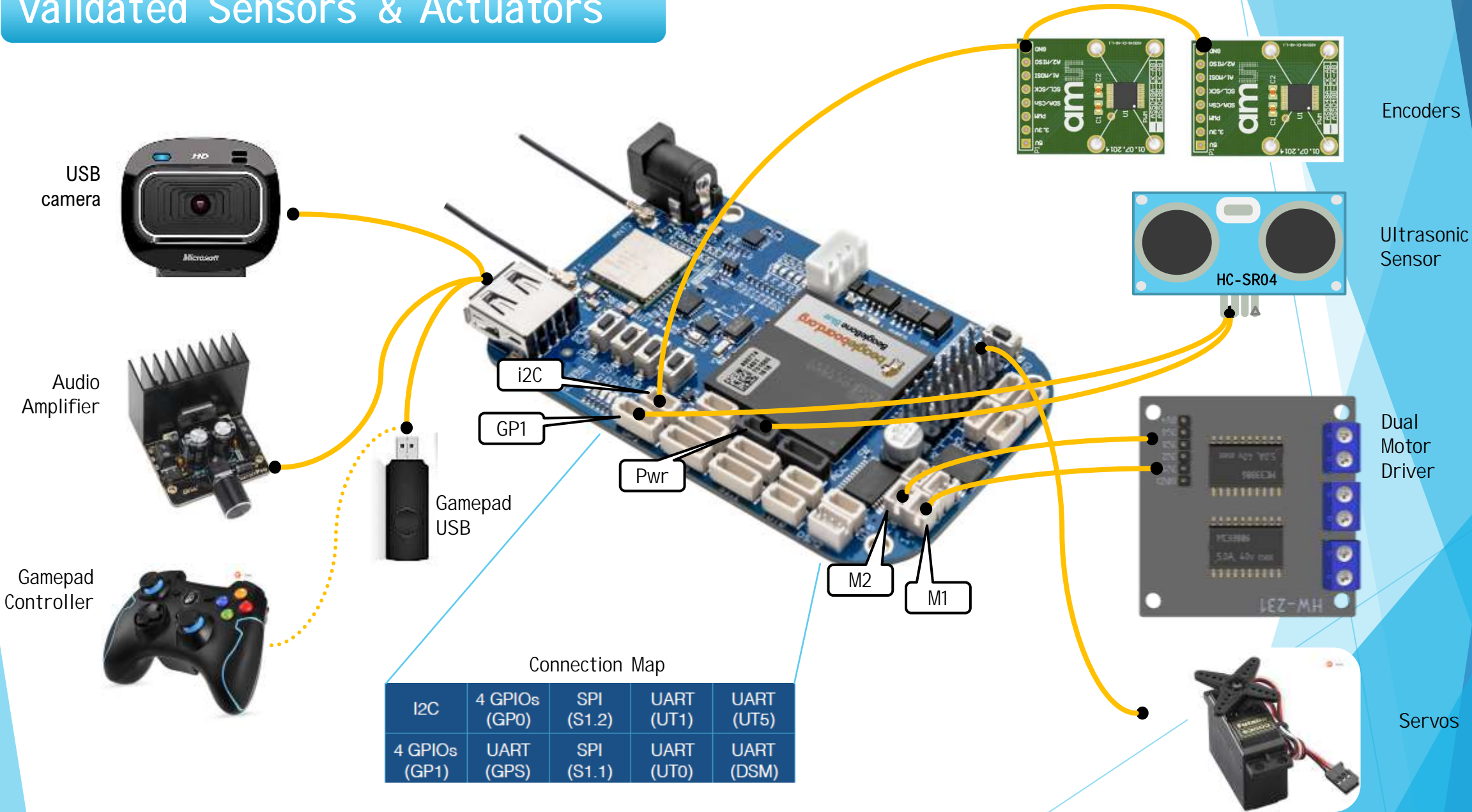
To match the beaglebone pins to the pin numbers on the diagram:

The tiny white circle on the silkscreen at each connector indicates “pin1”

*images of this style are copied directly from the beaglebone schematic*

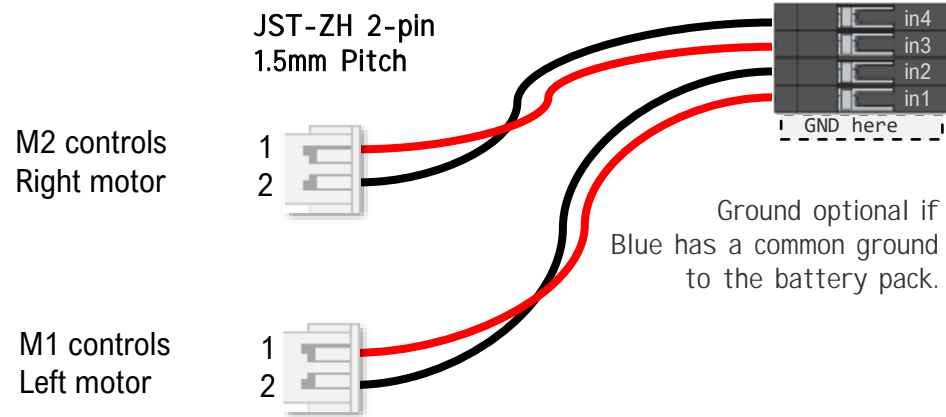


# Validated Sensors & Actuators

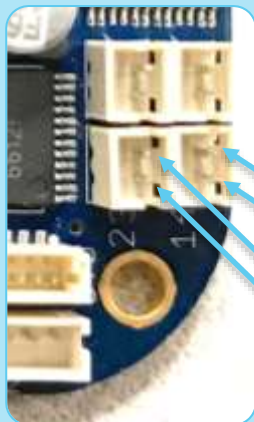
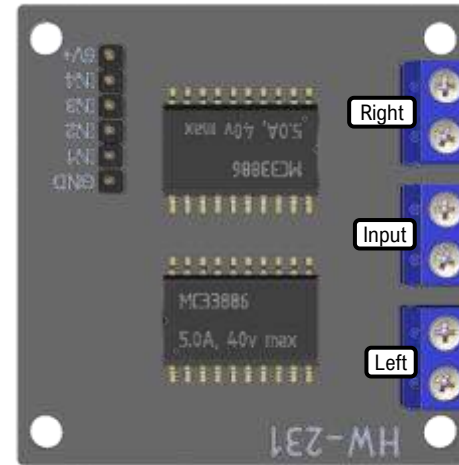




# Motor Driver Signal Wires



Motor Driver Top View  
HW-231 Motor Driver

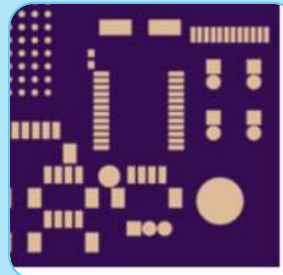


Pin 1 should be HIGH when  
motor is driven FORWARD

Motor1 Pin1  
Motor1 Pin2

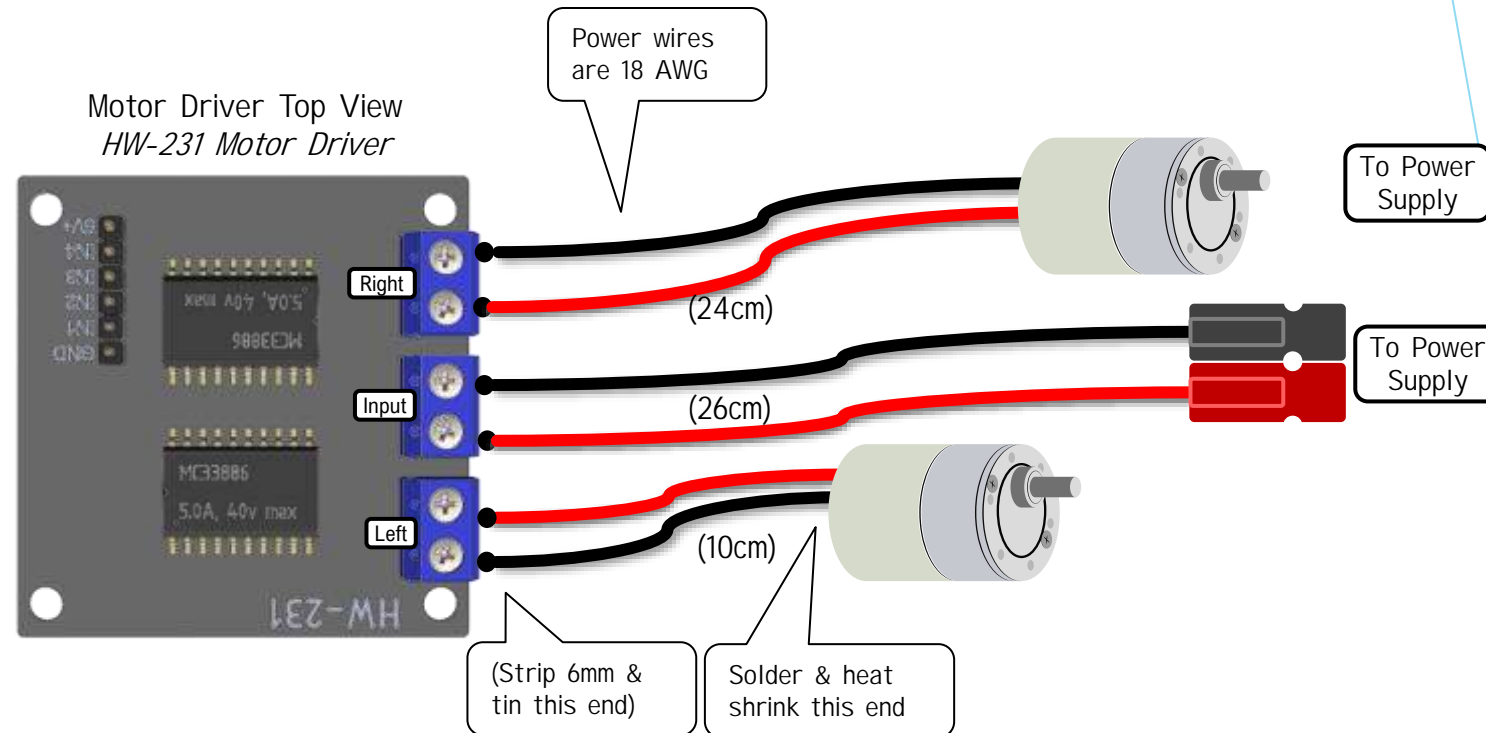
Motor2 Pin1  
Motor2 Pin2

Hardware design convention:  
Pin 1 uses the square solder pad.



Motor Direction:  
Left-hand: Drives CCW on positive command.  
Right-hand: Drives CW on positive command

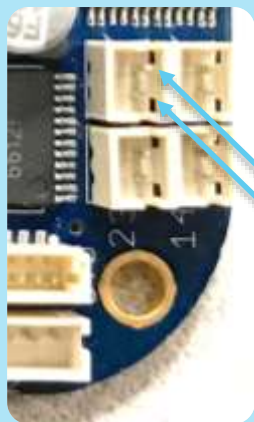
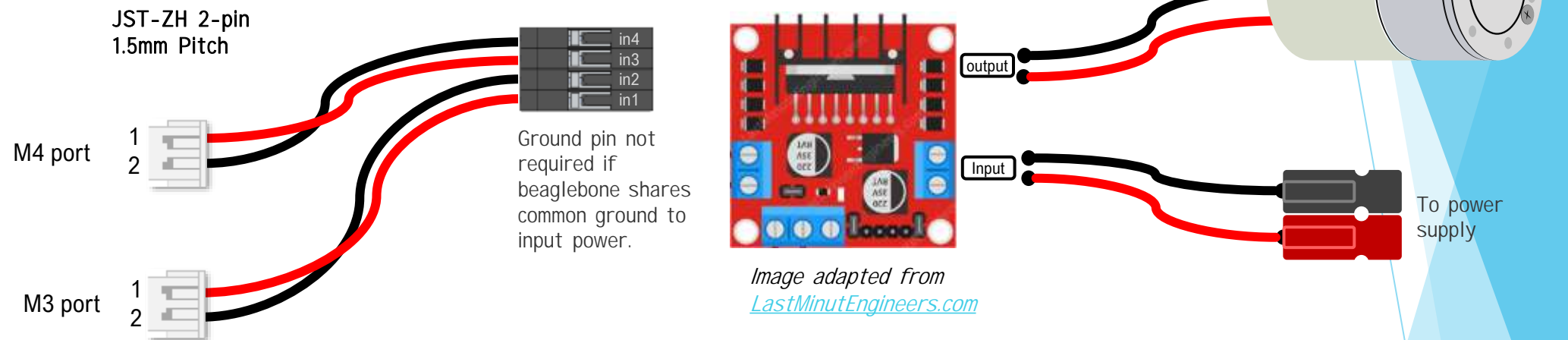
# Motor Driver Power Wires



Motor Direction:  
Left-hand: Drives CCW on positive command.  
Right-hand: Drives CW on positive command

# H-Bridge L298N (optional)

A versatile and cheap device for delivering variable voltage to low-powered DC actuators.



Pin 1 should be HIGH when motor is driven FORWARD

Motor3 Pin1  
Motor3 Pin2

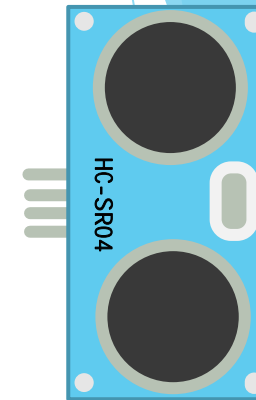
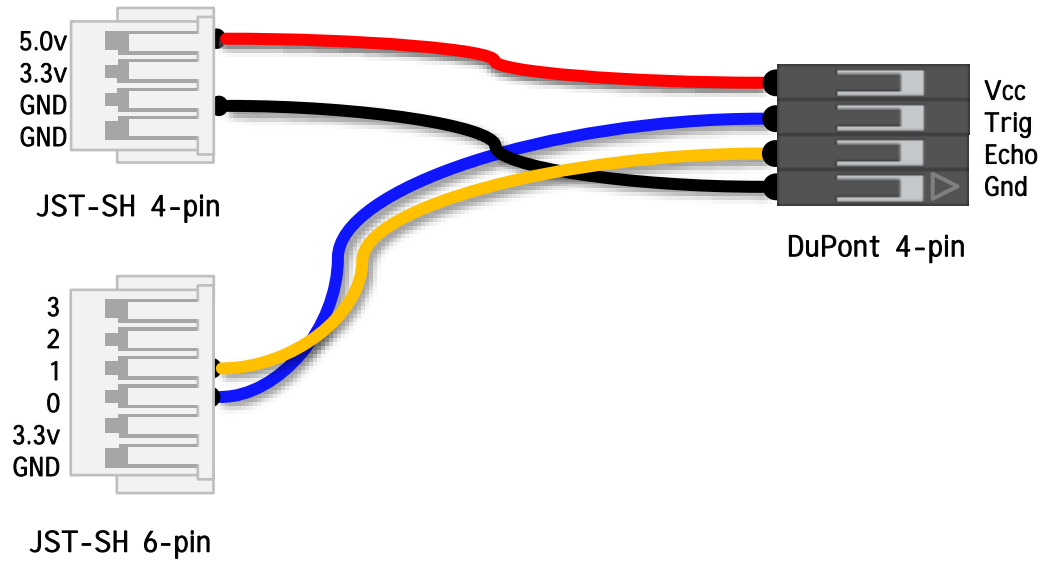
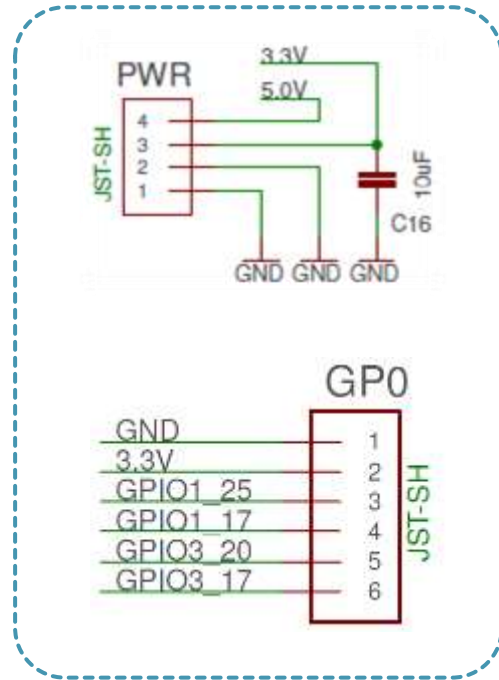


More information about the 5v regulator  
Found on the datasheet ([L78M05](http://www.st.com/en/power-management/l78m05.html))

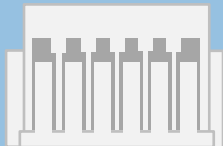


# Ultrasonic Distance Sensor (GPIO)

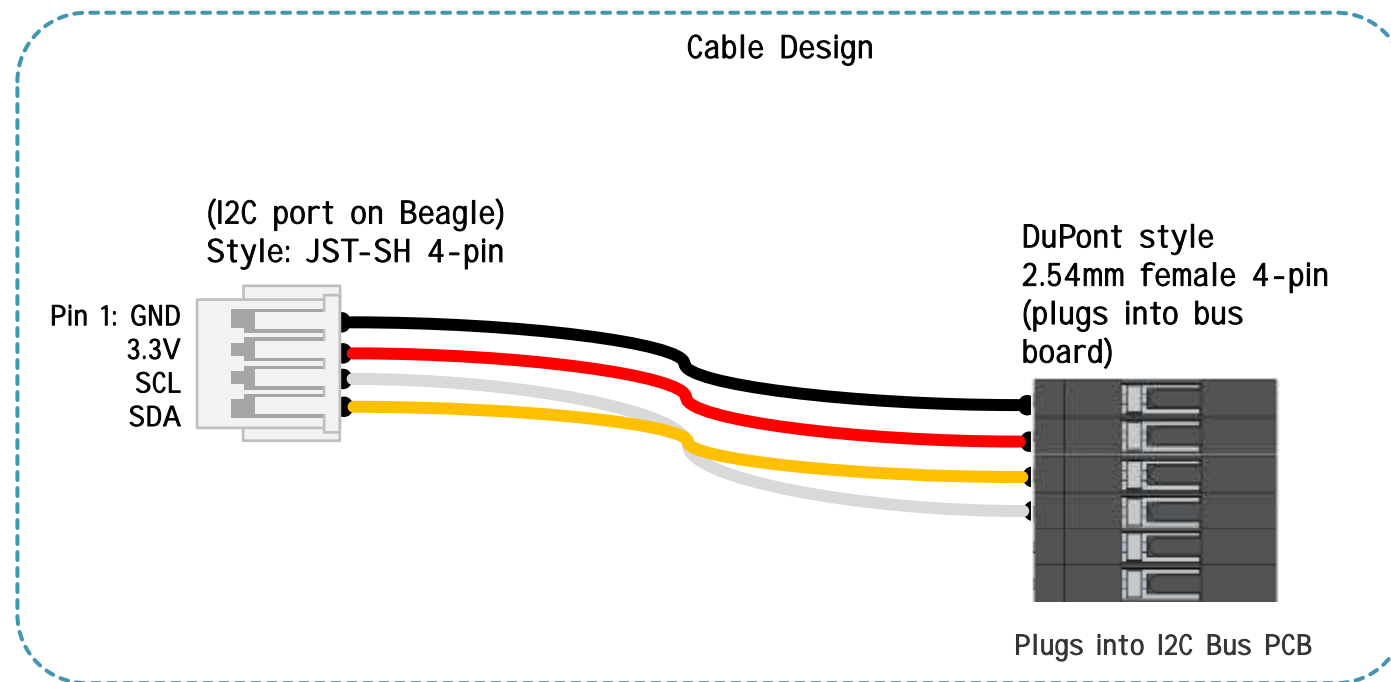
Beagle



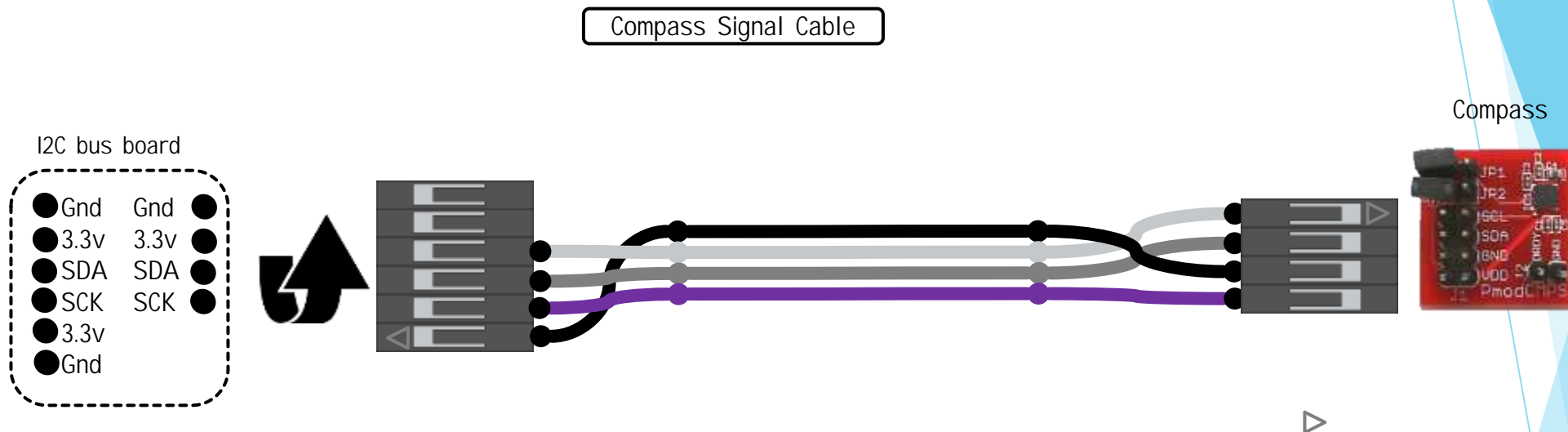
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# Beaglebone to I2C bus cable



# Compass CMPS or CMPS2 (I2C)

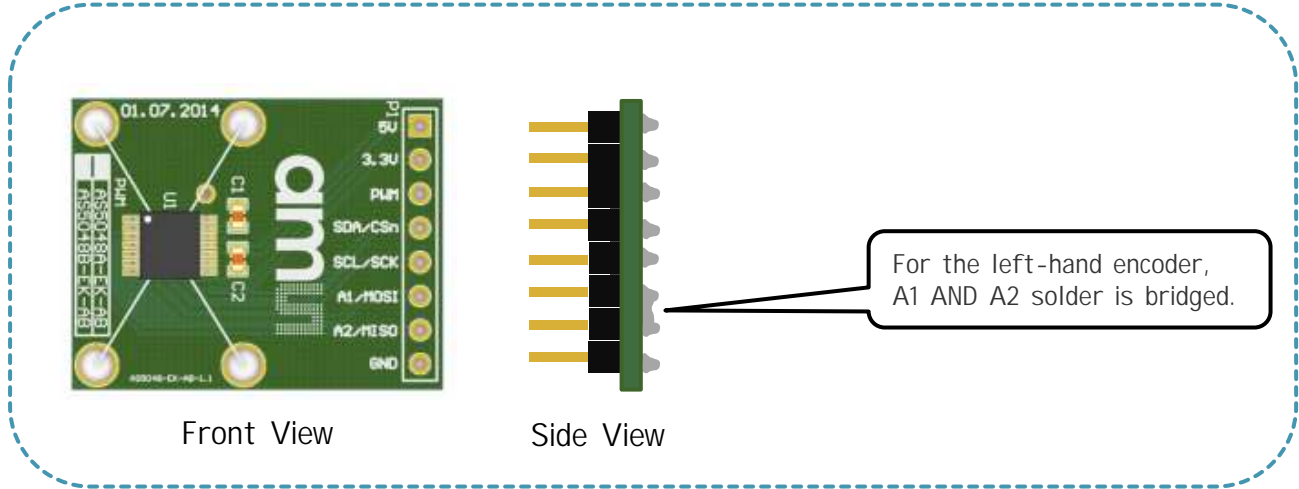


This compass is not necessary since you can access the compass on the beaglebone blue. Be sure to calibrate the compass on the blue since it lies within close proximity of magnetic hardware on the robot.

# Encoder Details



Left Encoder



The i2c address is determined by the signals on A1 and A2 pins.

Left Hand Encoder A1 is pulled **down** to GND. I2C address is 0x40

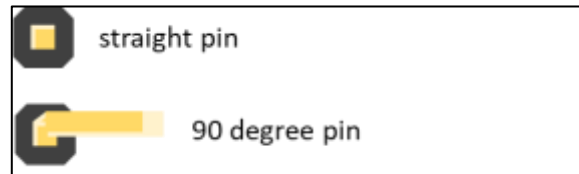
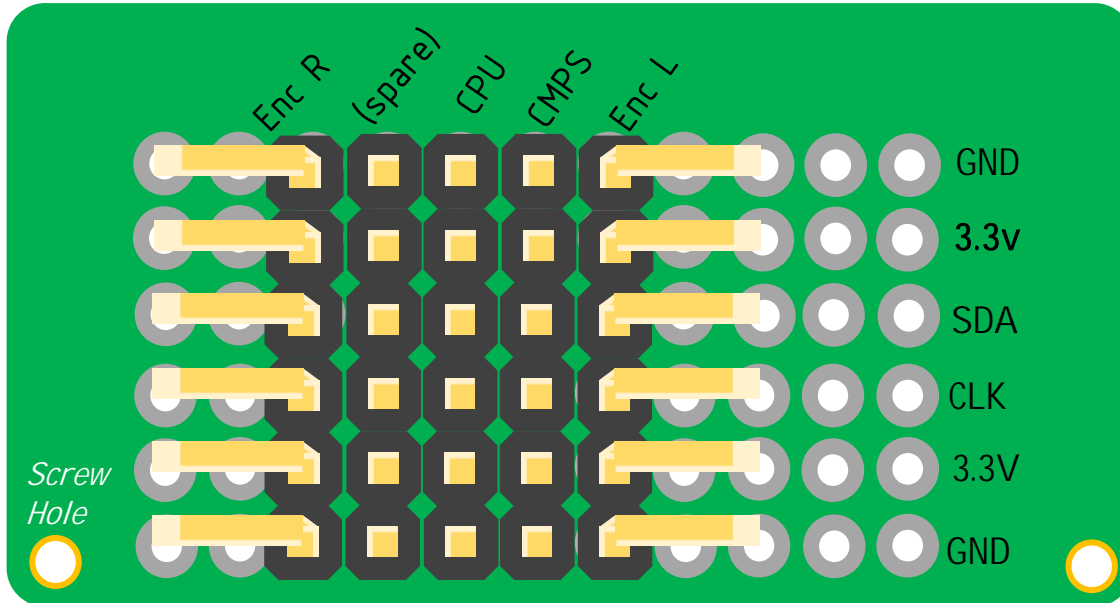
Right Hand Encoder pin A1 is pulled **up** to 3.3v. I2C address is 0x41

	Pin A1	Pin A2	Resulting i2c address
Left Encoder	LOW	LOW	0x40
Right Encoder	LOW	HIGH	0x41

# I2C Bus Board

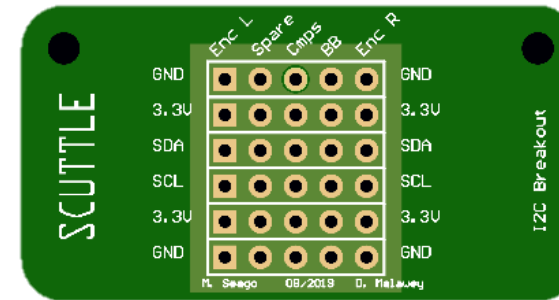
## Option A: DIY using perfboard / breadboard

The board is made from a breadboard and soldered manually. The board can be cut between rows J & K. The solder bridges all pins from left to right.



## Option B: Order the custom PCB

You can order the custom PCB from JLCPCB.com or any other service. We have posted the design files on our github under [electronics hardware](#).

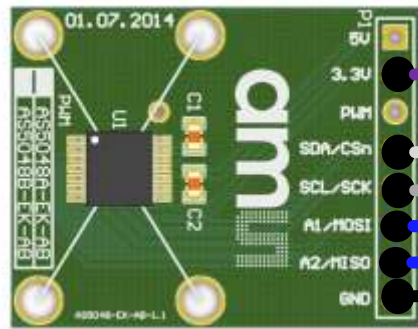




# Encoder AMS AS5048 (I2C)

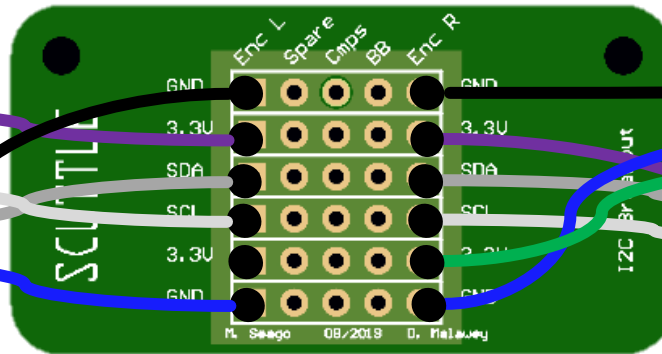
Also see: Encoder Details Slide

Left Hand Encoder  
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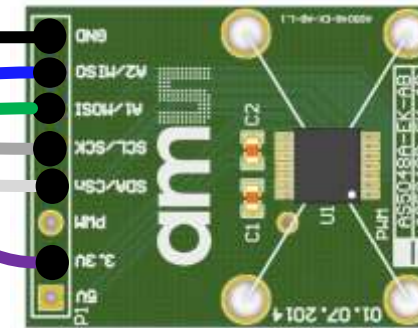


Left

I2C bus board



Right Hand Encoder  
A1 is pulled **up** to 3.3v  
I2C address is 0x41  
(Note mounting orientation on robot)

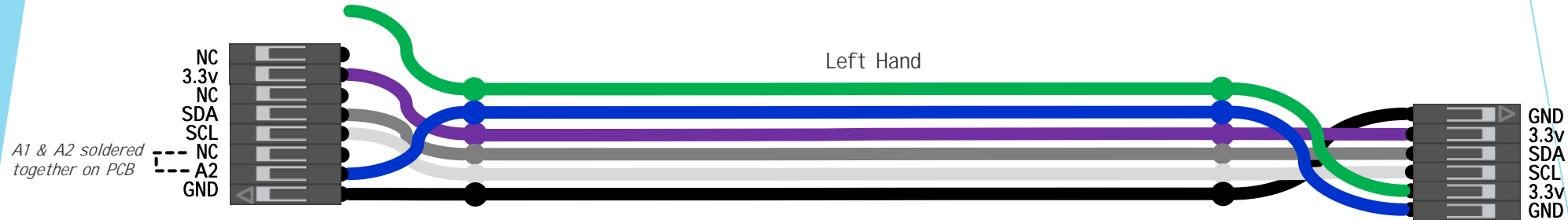


Right

# Encoder Cables

Cables modified as of 2020.12

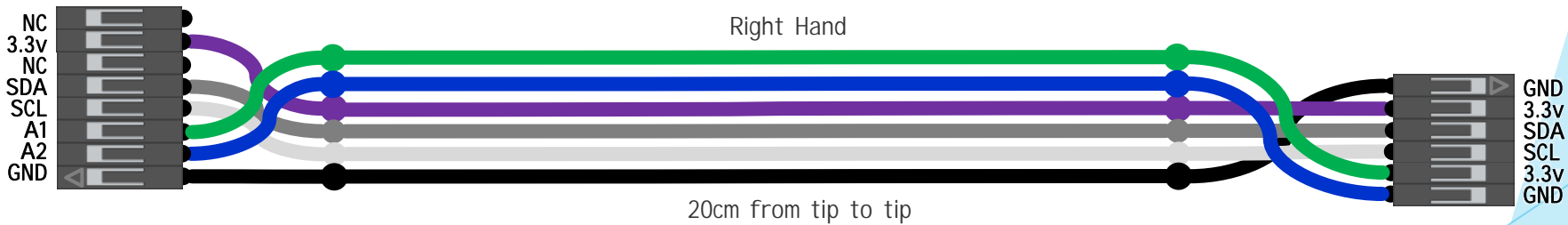
SDA = GREY SCL= WHITE



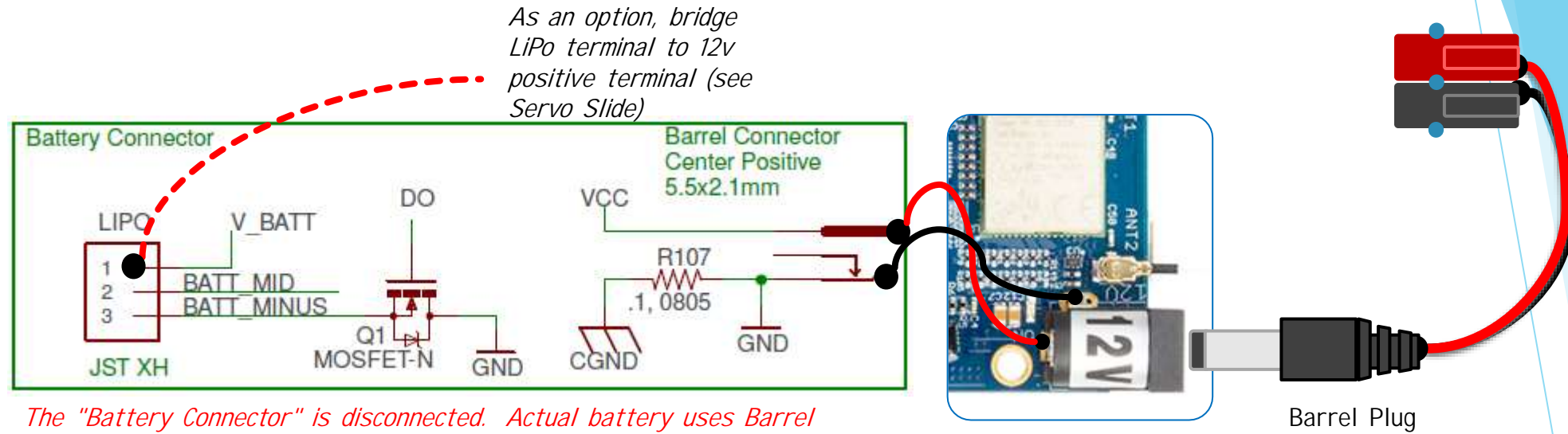
Encoder ends  
(different)

20cm from tip to tip

Bus Board Ends  
(matching)

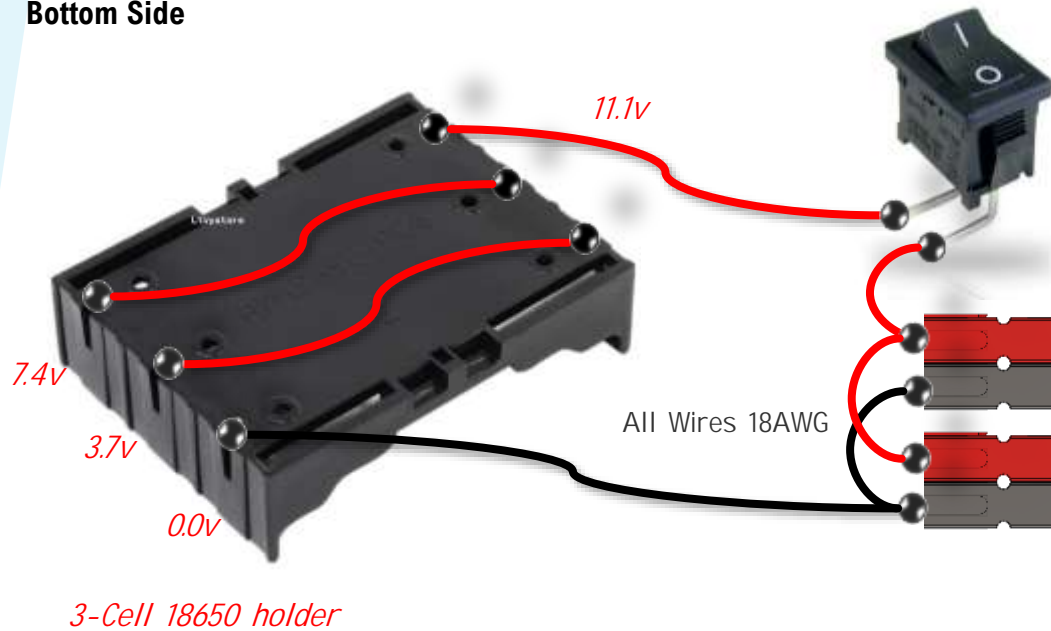


# Battery



# Battery Pack (version1 configuration)

Bottom Side



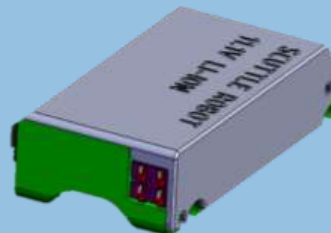
Switch PN:SRB22A2FBBNN  
Carries 10A max

Two pairs of Anderson  
connectors are attached here.

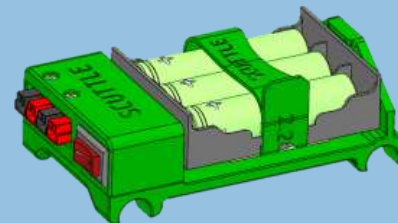
This battery pack was used through 2020.09. The wires are appropriate for the CAD designs posted prior to version 2.1.

You may build a battery pack without a Battery Management System (BMS) as shown here, or copy our latest design which includes BMS. See next slide.

Pack version 1  
BMS: does not fit  
Model on [GrabCAD](#)



Pack version 2  
BMS: optional  
Model on [GrabCAD](#)



# Battery Pack (v2, enhanced with BMS)

The BMS adds several functions to the battery pack. Look out for a Youtube video covering the SCUTTLE BMS soon (-DM 2020.11)

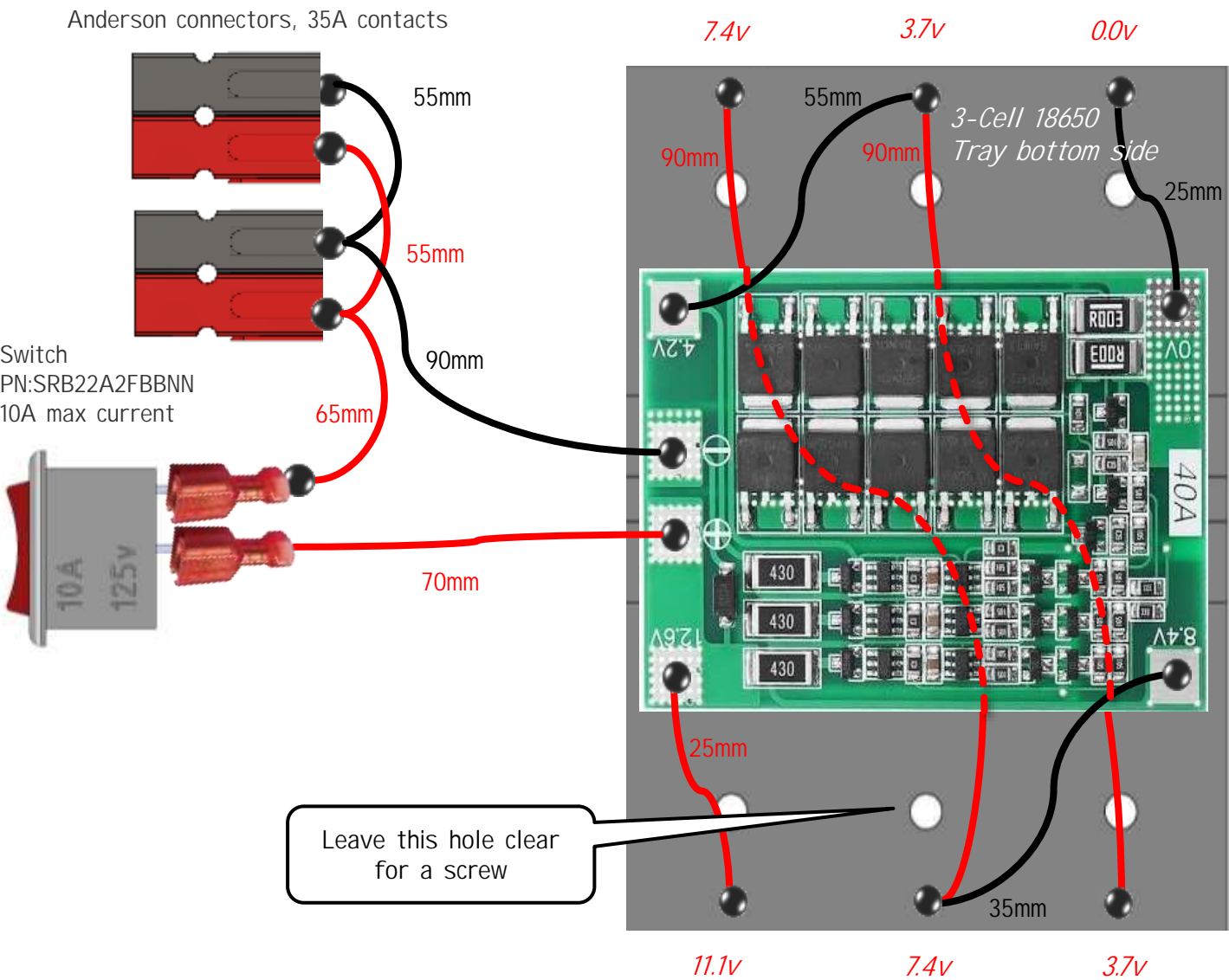


Table of wires to cut (11 total)

Length (mm)
25, 25
35, 35
55, 55
65
70
90, 90, 90

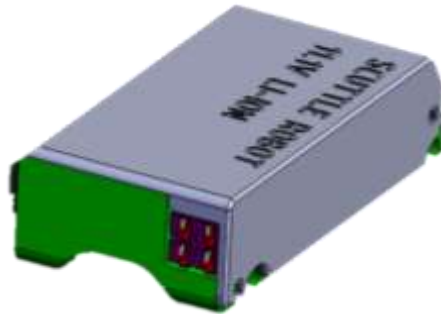


# Battery Pack Styles



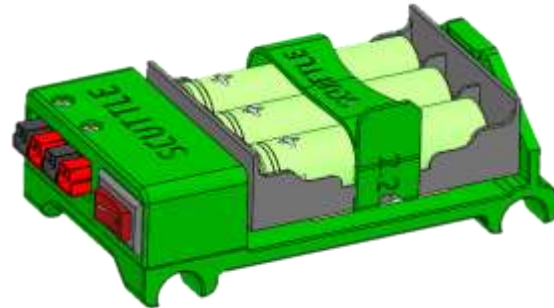
## Pack version 1

- BMS: does not fit
- Model on [GrabCAD](#)
- Access CAD model from within SCUTTLE assembly



## Pack version 2

- BMS: optional
- Model on [GrabCAD](#)
- Access the model as a standalone assembly



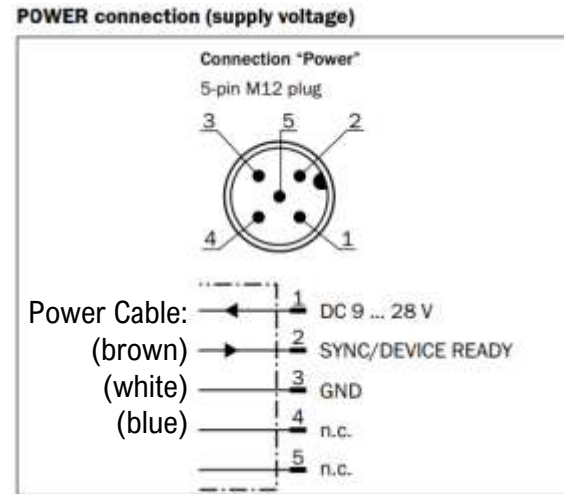
# LIDAR

Lidar Device



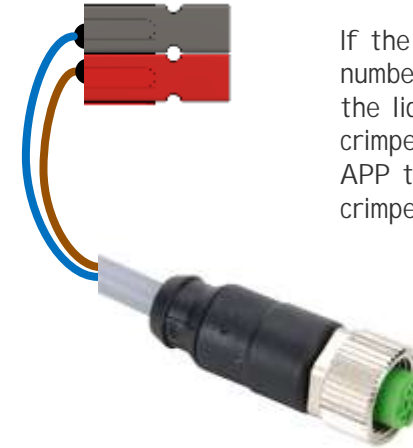
SICK TiM 561

Power Connector Diagram (lidar side)



*LIDAR-side connector (male pins)*

Power Cable Diagram (plugs into lidar)



If the indicated cable part number is used for power to the lidar, brown will be crimped into the 12v positive APP terminal and blue is crimped into the negative.

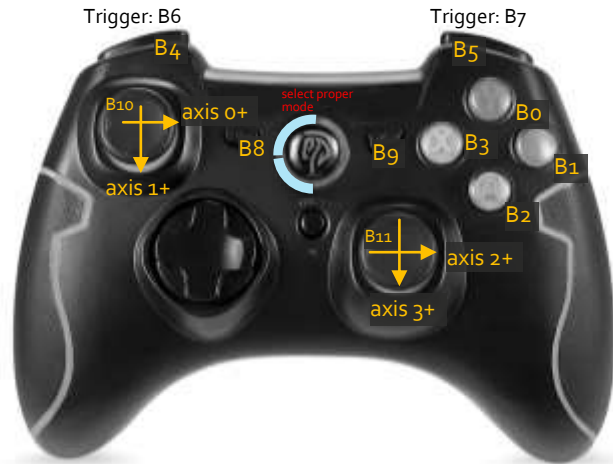
Cable: 7000-12241-2150300

*Cable-side connector (female pins)*

Typical Lidar power consumption: 2.1w



## Gamepad Controls Mapping



### Button Behavior:

- not pressed: 0
- Pressed: 1

### Axis behavior:

- Right returns positive values
- down returns positive values
- Outputs:
- Analog axes return values between -1 and 1
- These axes reach their limits before the hard-stop.
- To discover the behavior graphically, visit the html graphical test page [here](#)

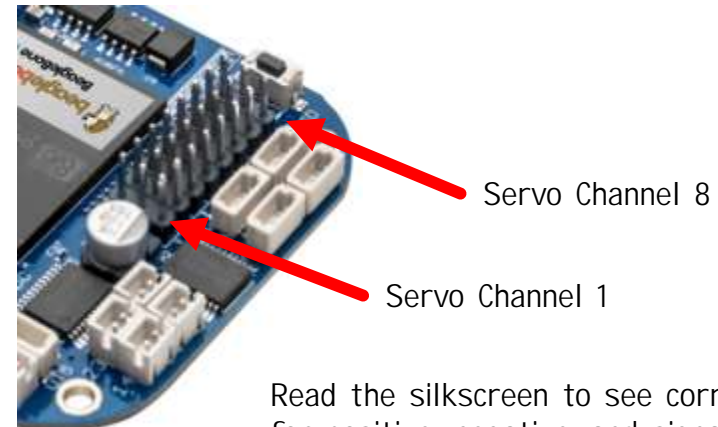
# Servos

## Bridge Power to the LiPo connector



Without a power source available at the positive (third pin) input of the LiPo connector, the board has insufficient current available to the servos to drive servos at full torque or to drive multiple servos.

A safe fix is to solder the positive terminal of the DC jack to the third pin of the connector shown. When a battery is connected, the pins correspond to 0.0v, 3.7v, and 7.2v terminals of a 2-cell lipo.

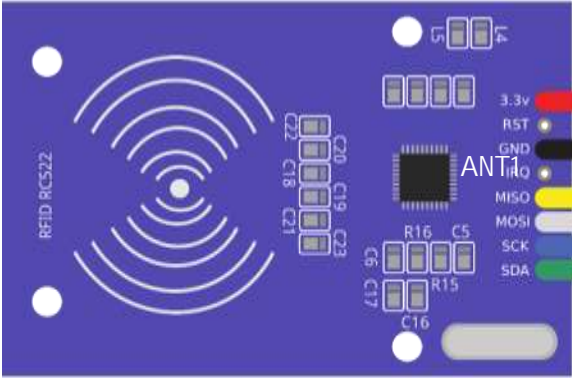


Read the silkscreen to see correct connector orientation for positive, negative, and signal.

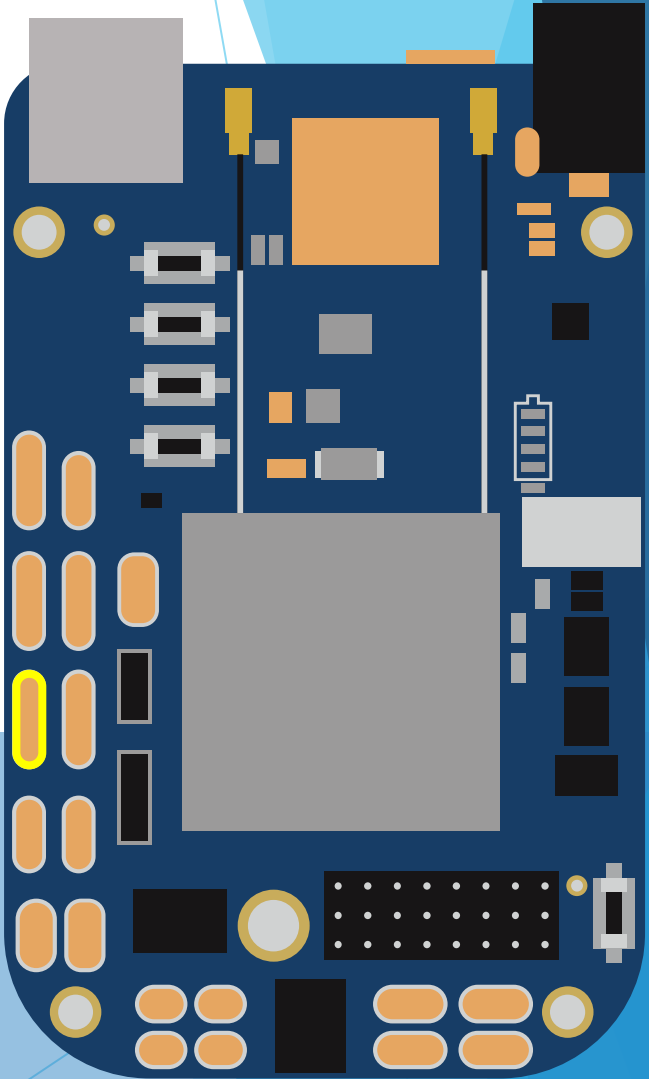
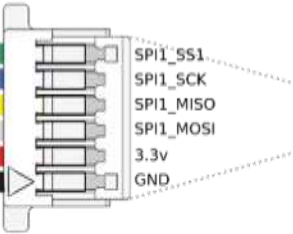


# RFID reader

RC522 low-cost  
RFID Scanner

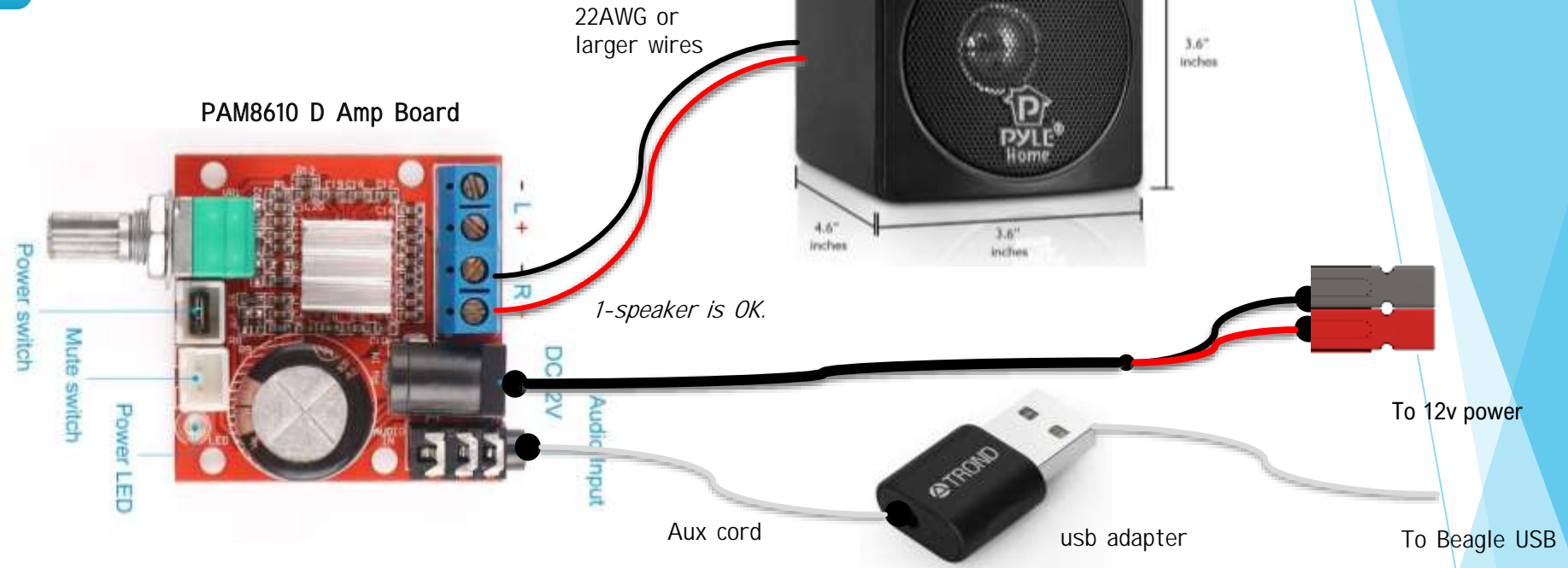


Plug into 6-pin JST-SH  
port on bbb.





# Audio Amp



## Alternative:

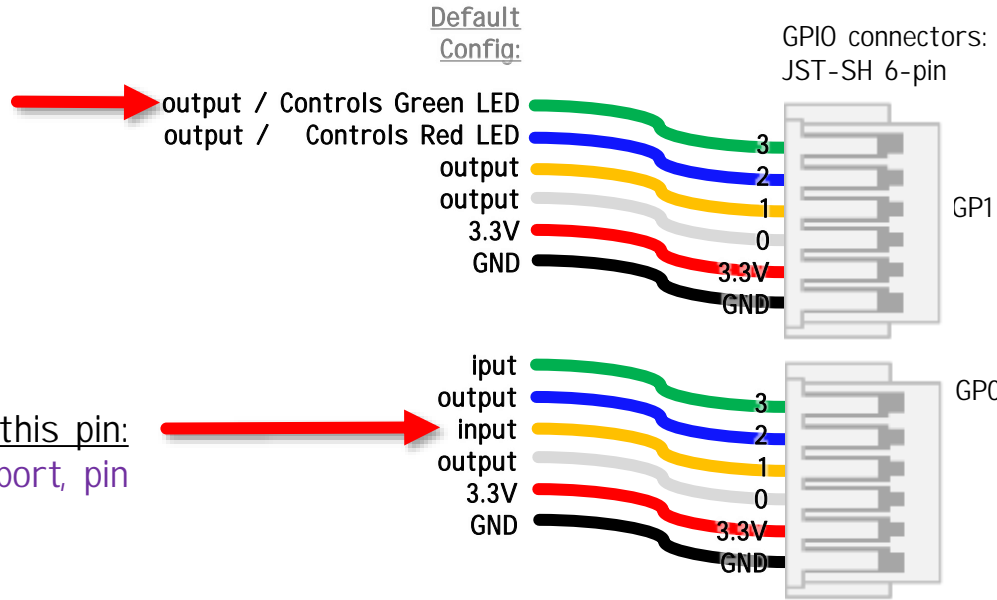
The above setup will support at least 10 watts (this is actually quite loud – easy to hear in a crowded room).

It is also possible to find a speaker which receives BOTH power AND signal over USB. These will be more compact but less powerful. (The speaker shown is 3w max)



# GPIO Connections

Example call for writing to this pin:  
`write(1,3,1)` # arguments: port, pin, state



Example call for reading this pin:  
`read(0, 1)` #arguments: port, pin

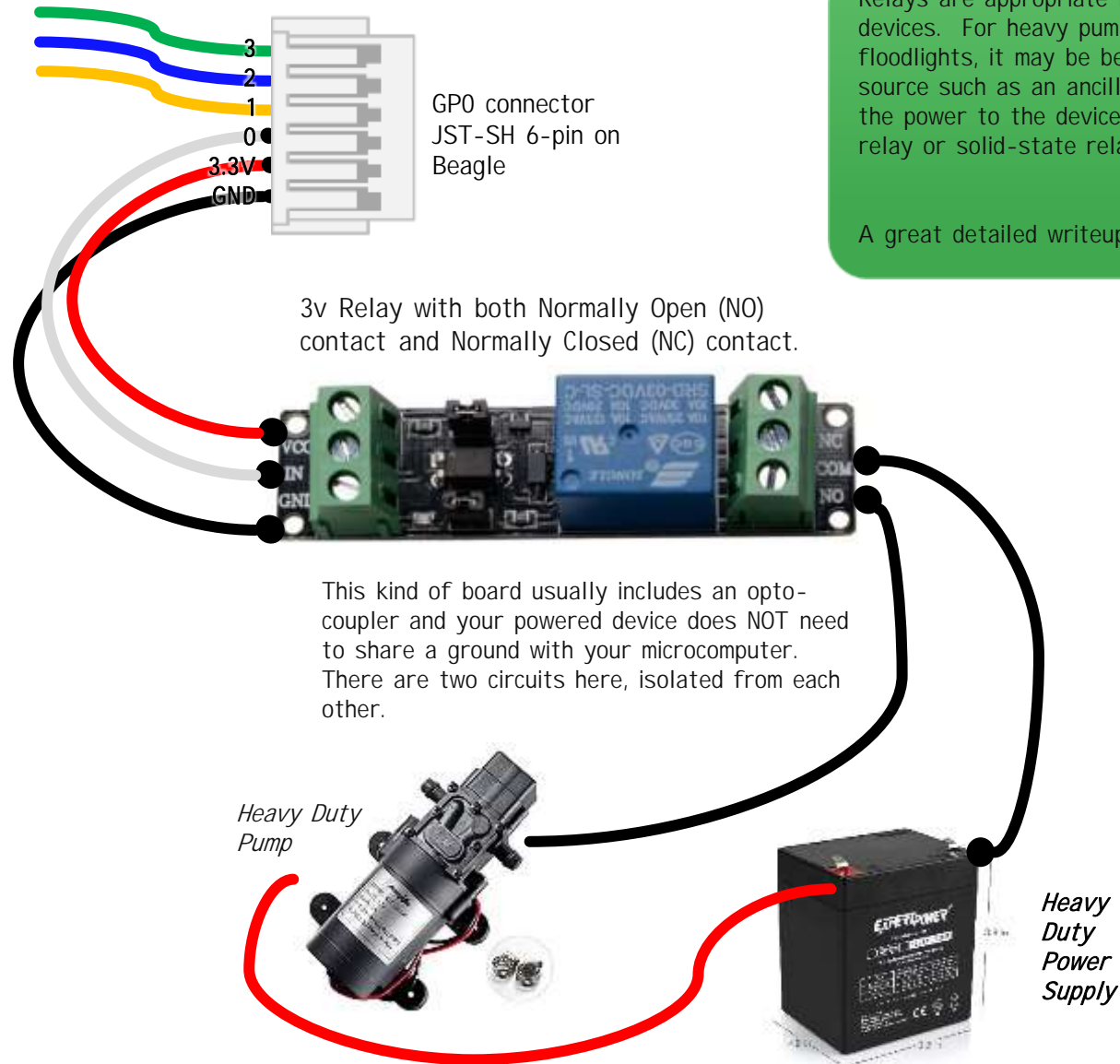
Connector vector image  
preserved for later use.



SCUTTLE naming convention  
(used in L1\_gpio.py)

*Note: JST wires don't come with the proper color sequence. They must be rearranged.*

# GPIO Example - Relay



Relays are appropriate for switching of high powered devices. For heavy pumps, motors, fans, or floodlights, it may be best to add a dedicated power source such as an ancilliary battery. Then, control the power to the device using logic-level signals and a relay or solid-state relay.

A great detailed writeup is [here](#).

# Twin Relays (tested)

Successfully tested setup 2020.10.10

- Jumper pin is removed from Vcc pins
- Send GND and 5v to the device from Beaglebone PWR
- In our test, the 3.3v from Beagle was insufficient to drive the relays
- Our device was found to be active low although advertised as active high

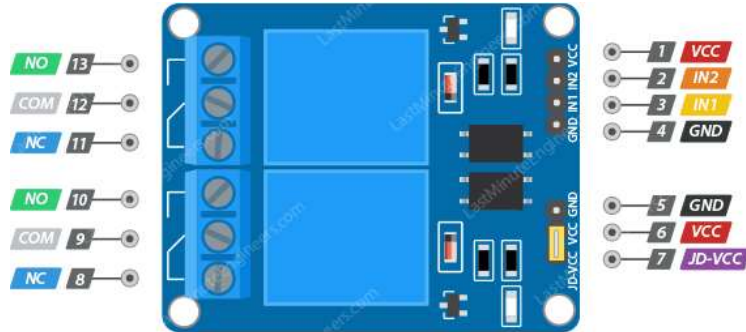
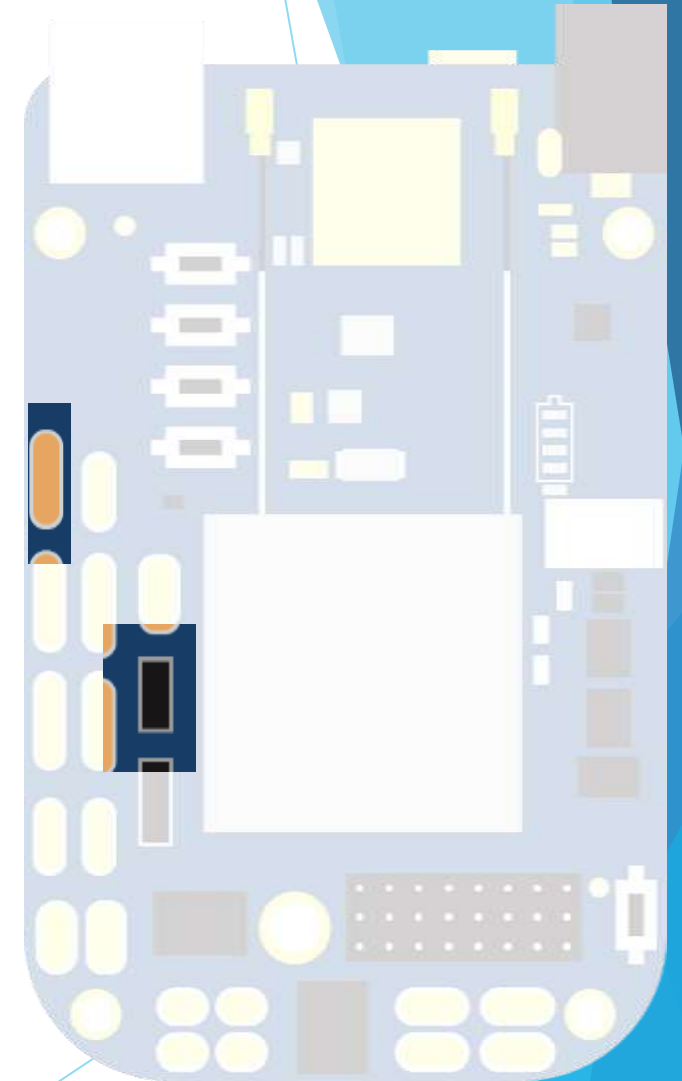
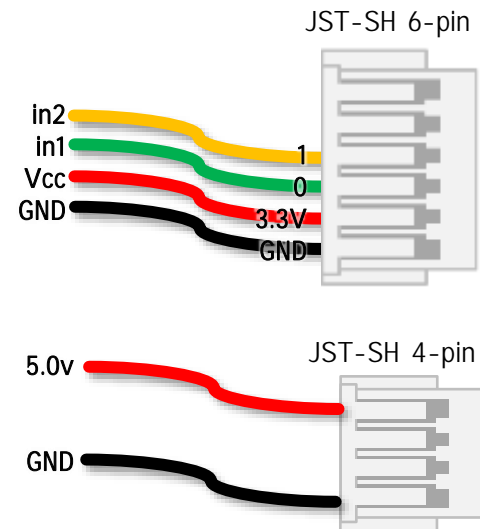


Image credit: Last Minute Engineers ([visit](#))

The problem with active-low relays:

If you have an actuator which must not be actuated until the right moment, (such as a car horn we tested indoors) an active-low device may cause you trouble.

Unless the coil power is provided at the exact moment that the signal pin is driven high, there will be an actuation during startup. Consider this when you shop for a relay.



# Wifi Antenna

Users can replace the small onboard antenna with their own selected antenna.

Antenna1 is used for WiFi

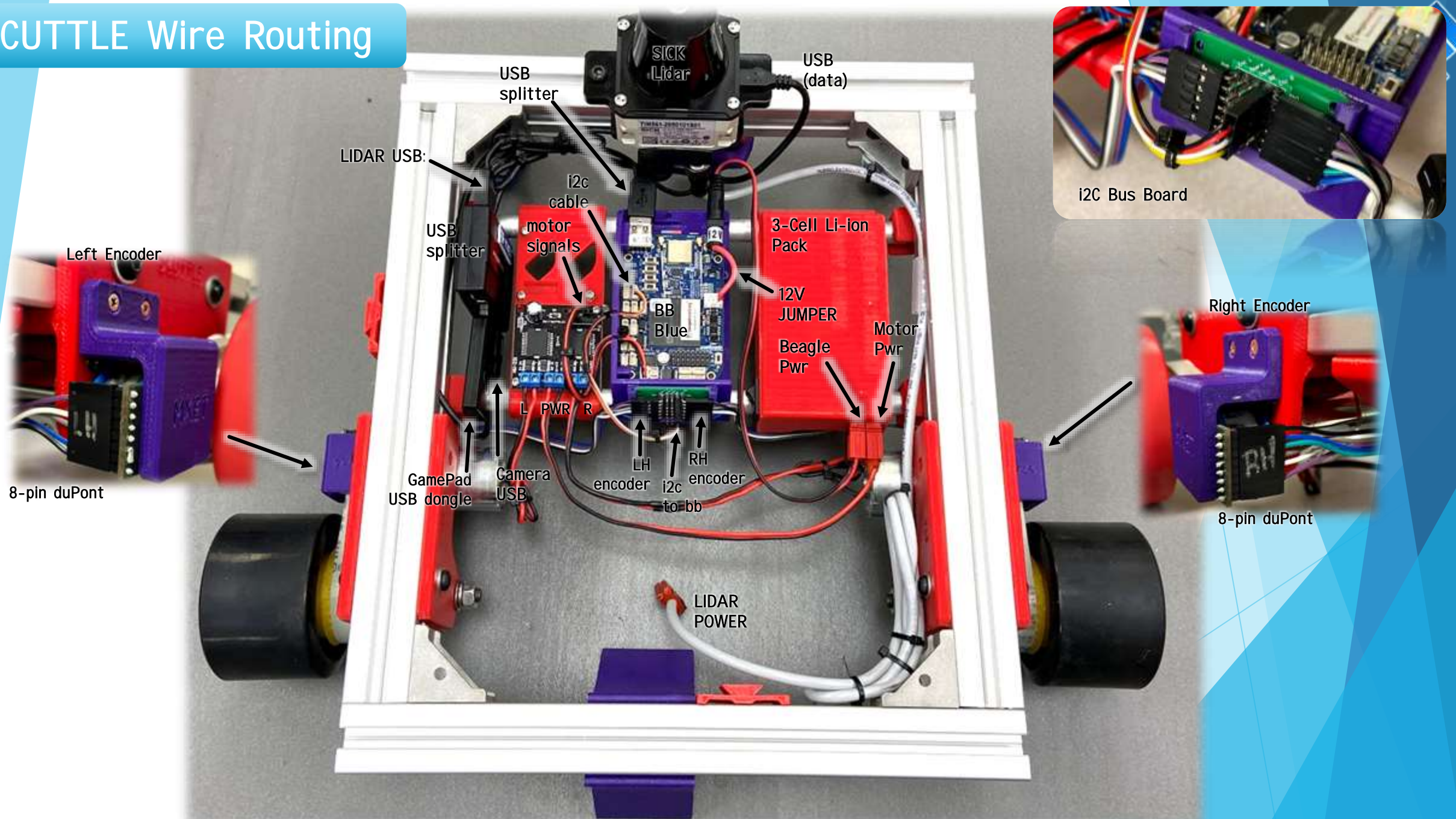
Antenna2 is used for Bluetooth

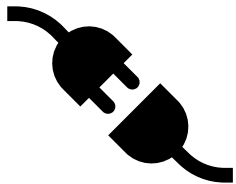
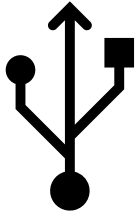
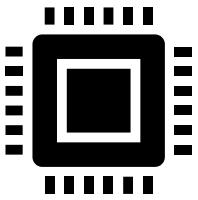
U.FL mini pci to SMA  
pigtail

6dBi antenna offers  
improved RSSI if  
pointed properly.



# SCUTTLE Wire Routing





# Wiring Guide Section 2

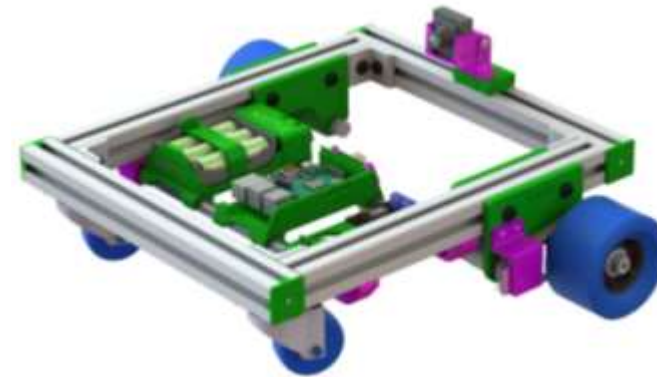
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# Pi Wiring Guide

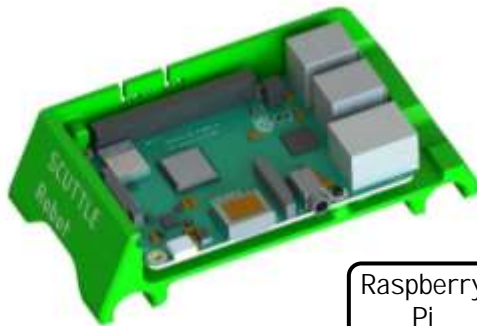
## Contents:

This section covers single board computers (SBCs) that conform to the 40-pin header design from Raspberry Pi

**Note:** Raspberry Pi was integrated after Beaglebone Blue. For wiring elements corresponding purely to the chassis, see Part 1.



SCUTTLE  
Chassis



Raspberry  
Pi



Beaglebone  
Blue



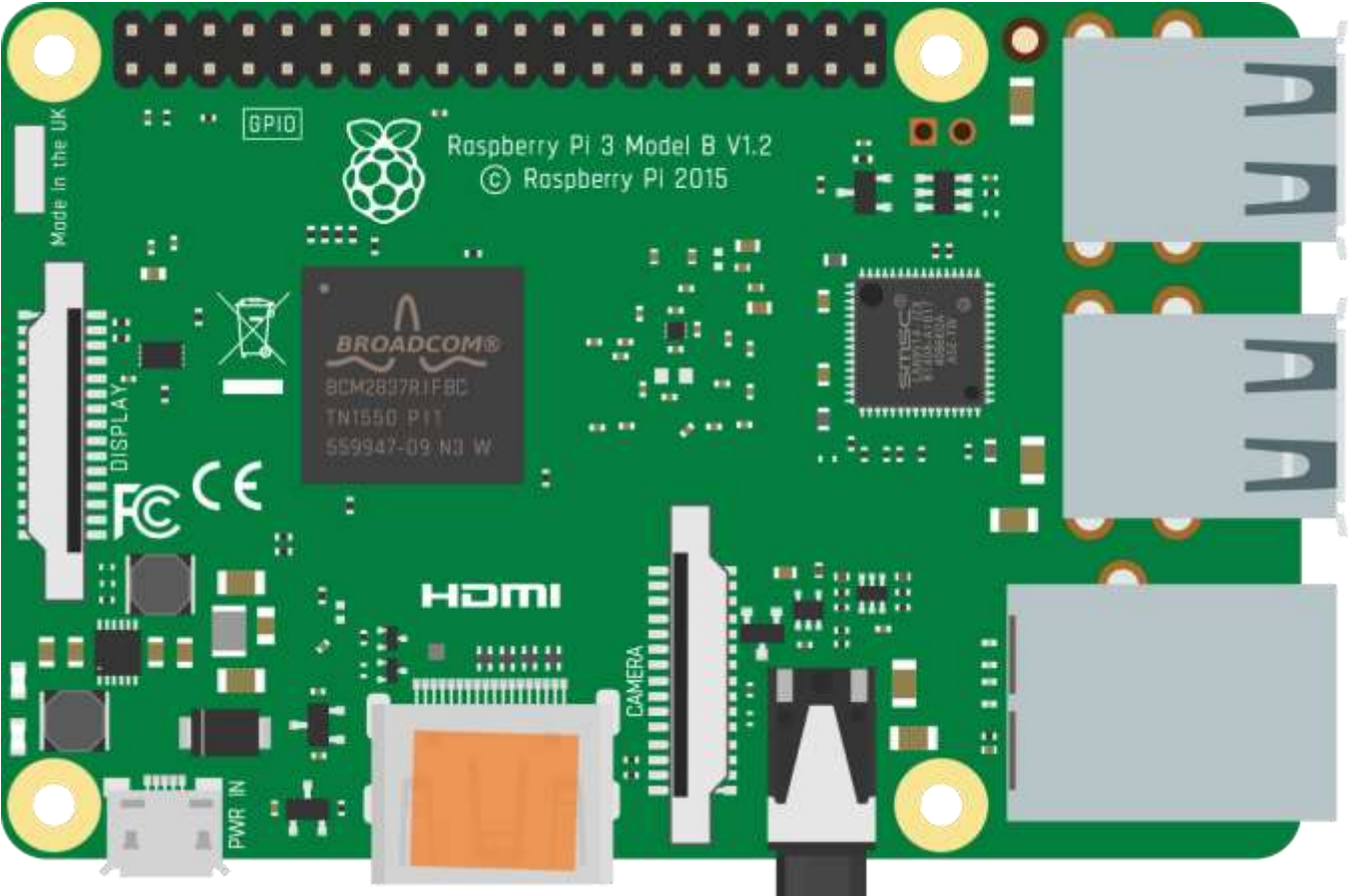
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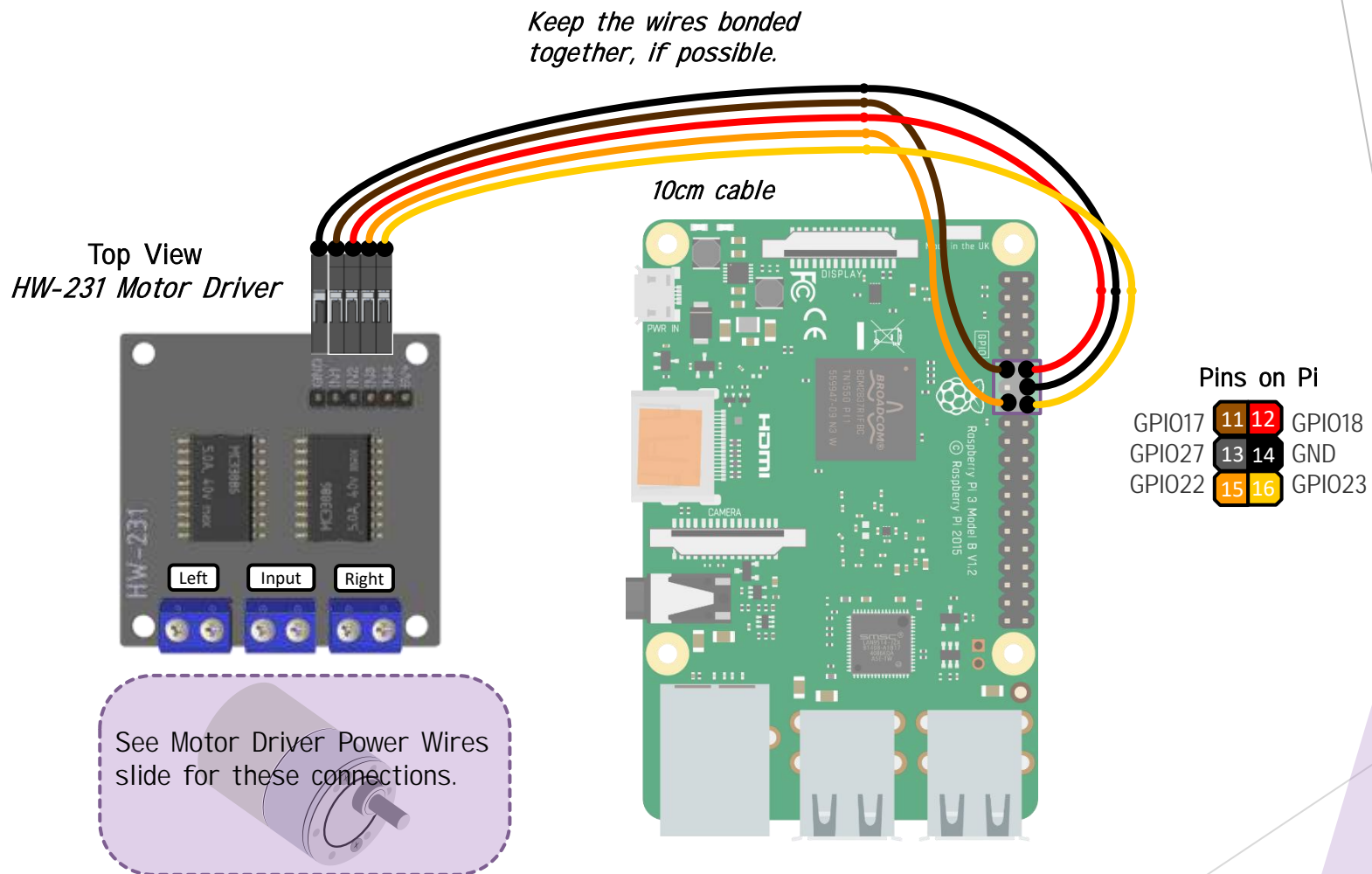
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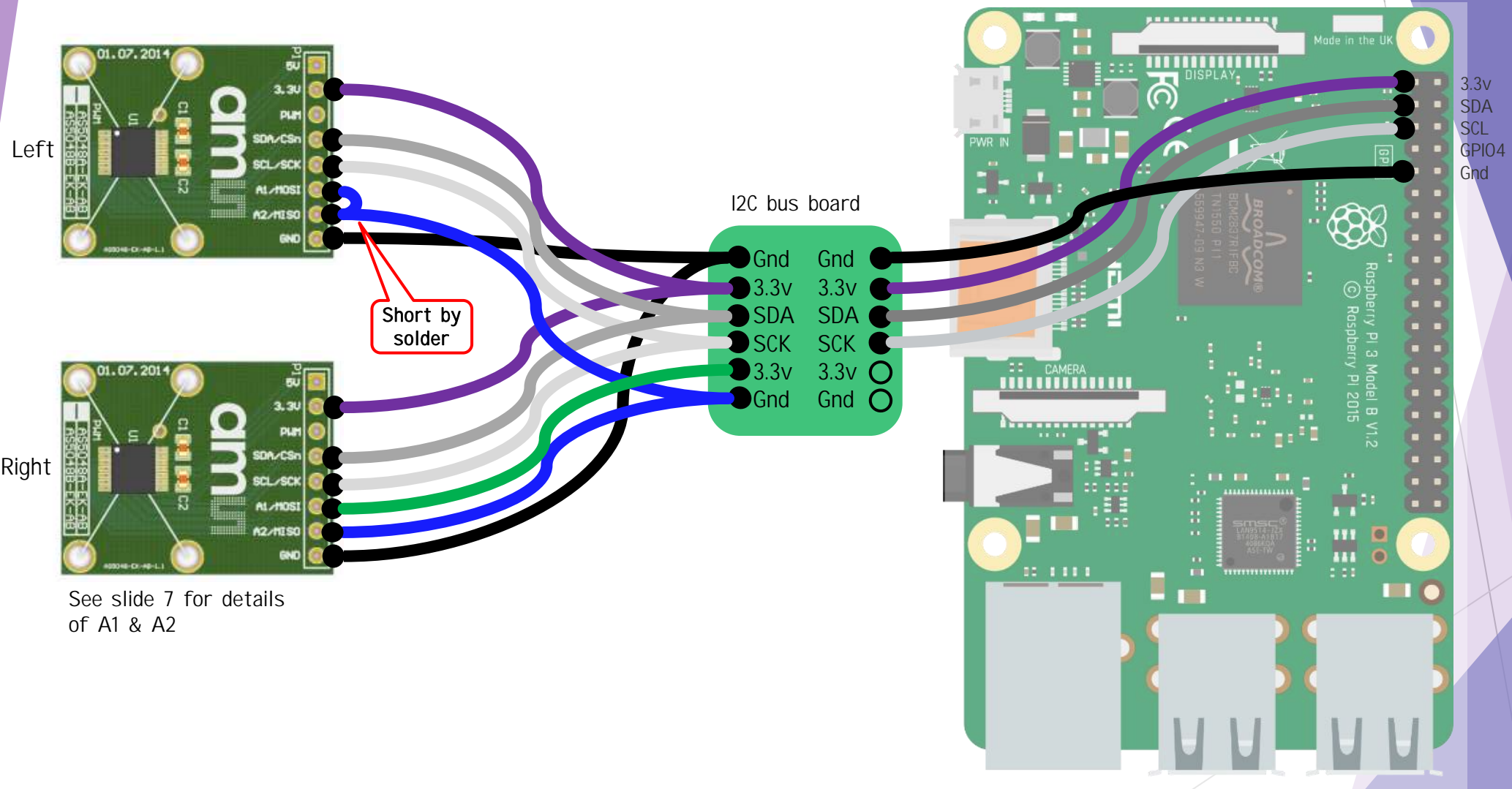
Pin Number Convention



# Pi - Motor Driver Signals



# Pi - Encoder AMS AS5048 (I2C)

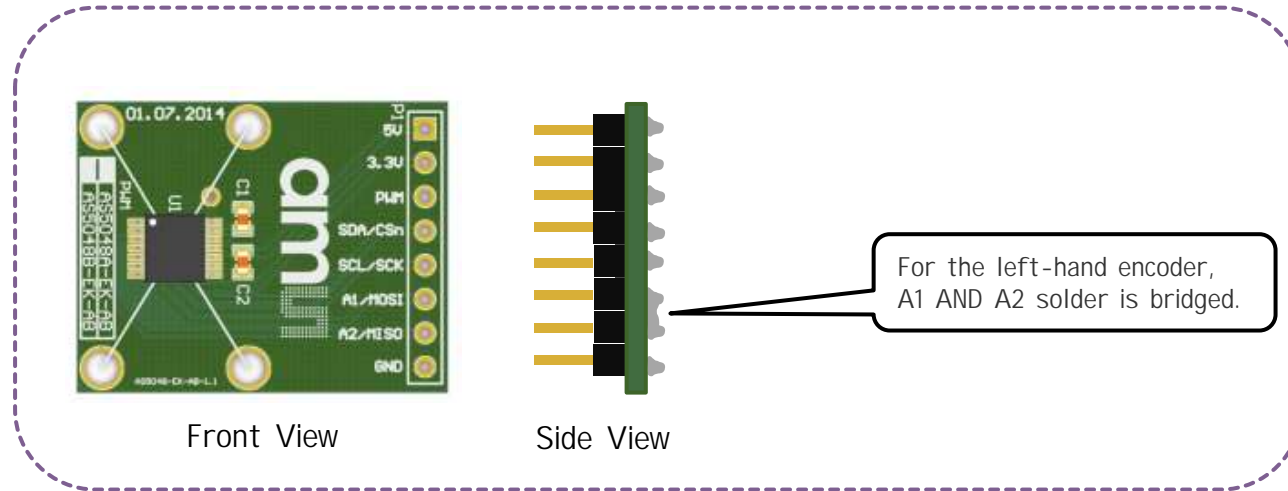




# Encoder Details



Left Encoder



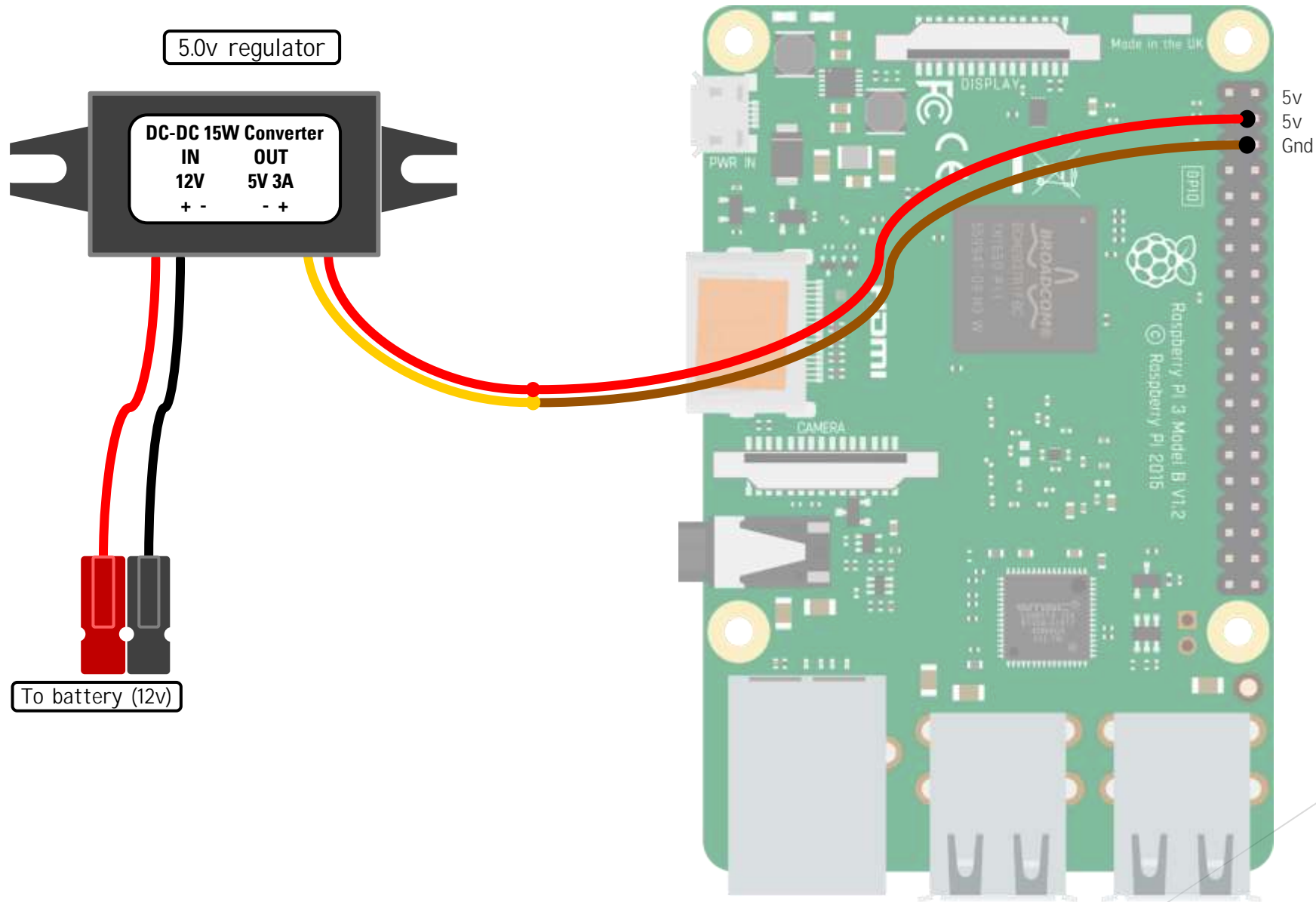
The i2c address is determined by the signals on A1 and A2 pins.

Left Hand Encoder A1 is pulled **down** to GND. I2C address is 0x40

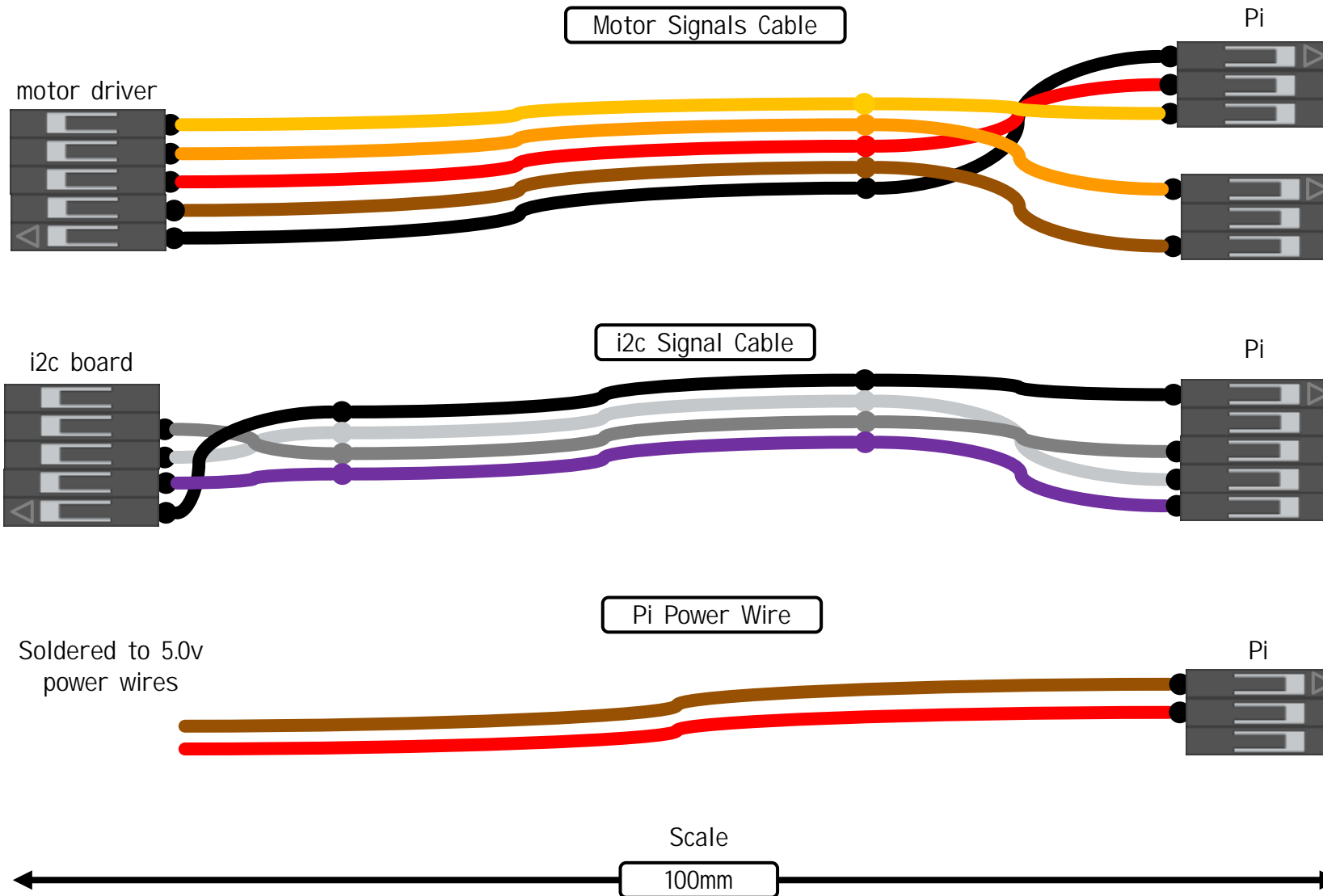
Right Hand Encoder pin A1 is pulled **up** to 3.3v. I2C address is 0x41

	Pin A1	Pin A2	Resulting i2c address
Left Encoder	LOW	LOW	0x40
Right Encoder	LOW	HIGH	0x41

# Pi - Power Supply



# Dupont Cables



## Guidelines:

Ground: When possible, insert the ground in the housing pin with the arrow.

Opening: Make the opening face the outside of the Pi headers when plugged in. This makes it easier to probe.

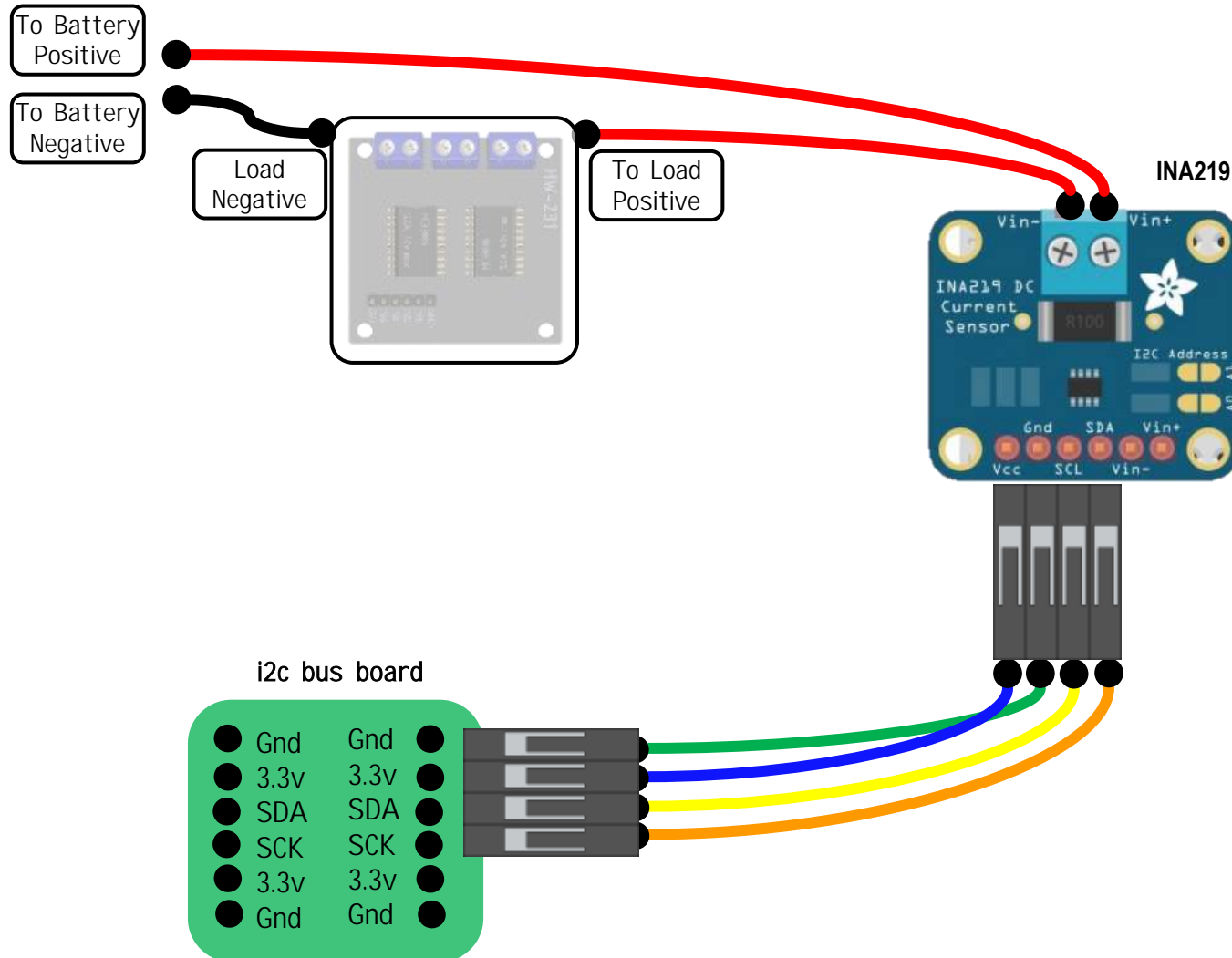
Bonding: Do not peel the wires apart unless you must. Keep wires bonded for strength.

Pin Groups: Always use grouped housings instead of individuals. Then, the cable resists tugging, unplugging, and bending male pins.

Tug Test: After inserting pins into housings, lightly tug each pin to ensure it is locked in.

# Voltage Meter – Adafruit INA219

This sensor can measure current and voltage.



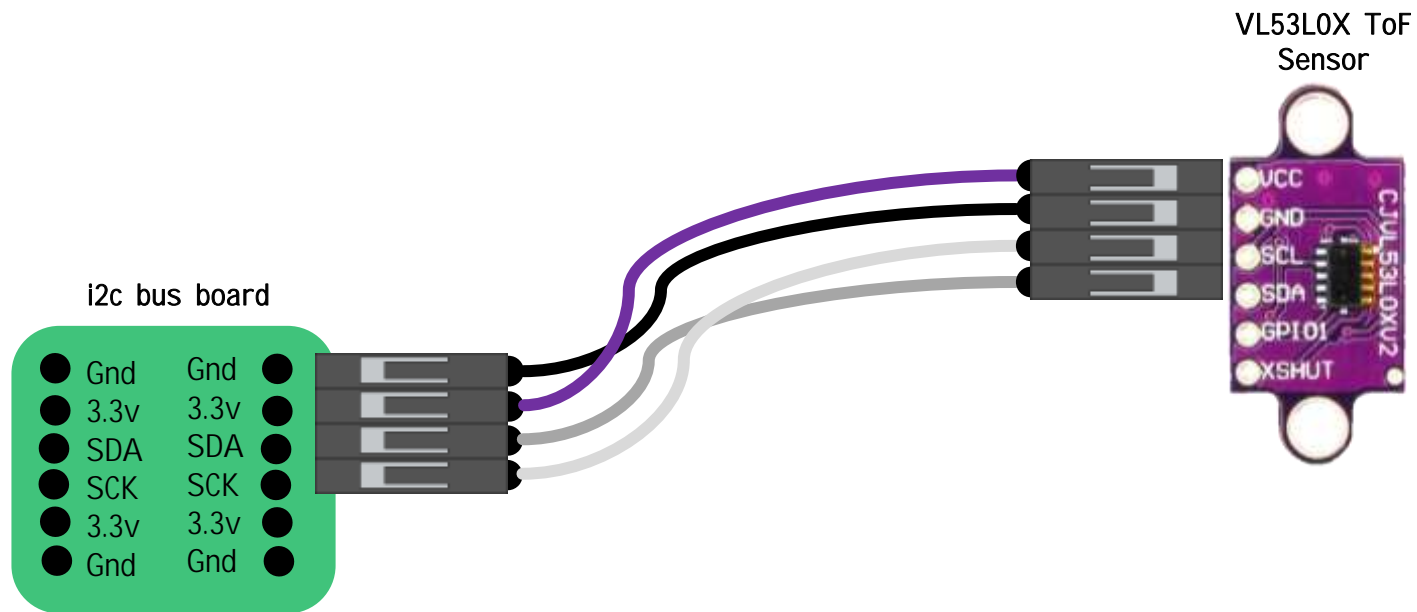
Study an Example like [this one](#) if you plan to measure current.

Set the i2c address to 0x44 by bridging the A1 contact with solder. See [this guide](#) for details.

The default Address of 0x40 would interfere with the encoders.

# Distance Sensor – VL53L0X

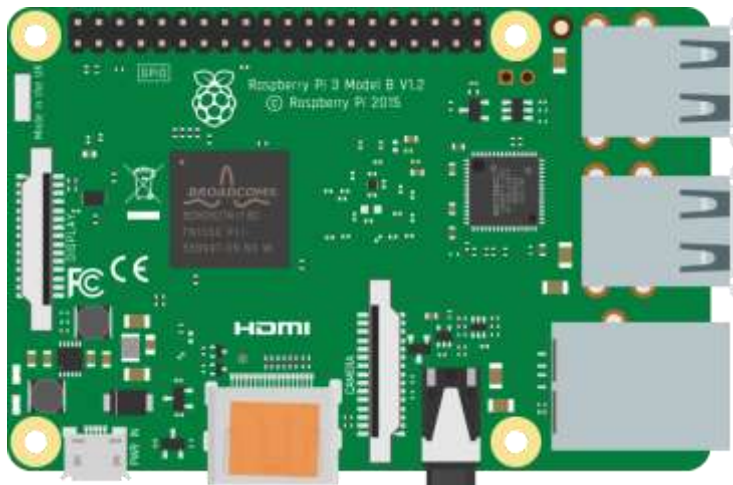
This is a time-of-flight distance sensor.



# Pi - Configuration for remo.tv



Coming for this slide: configuration of hardware on RasPi B 3+, Linux default device numbers for branded speakers, and text-to-speech selection (ie, alsamixer).



We recommend a speaker that receives power AND signals from the USB port.



If you need to use an Aux cord, a right-angle adapter can keep your wires neat.

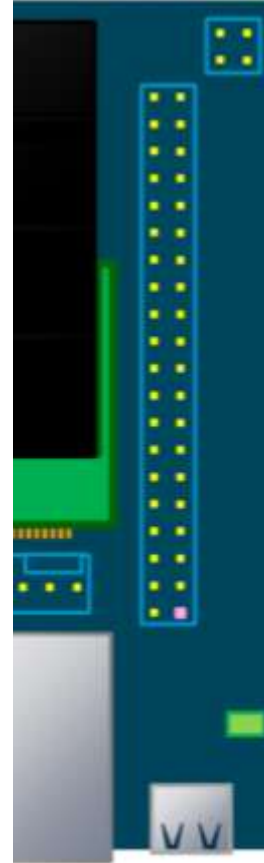


# Jetson Nano Wiring

Diagram from [Jetsonhacks.com](http://Jetsonhacks.com)

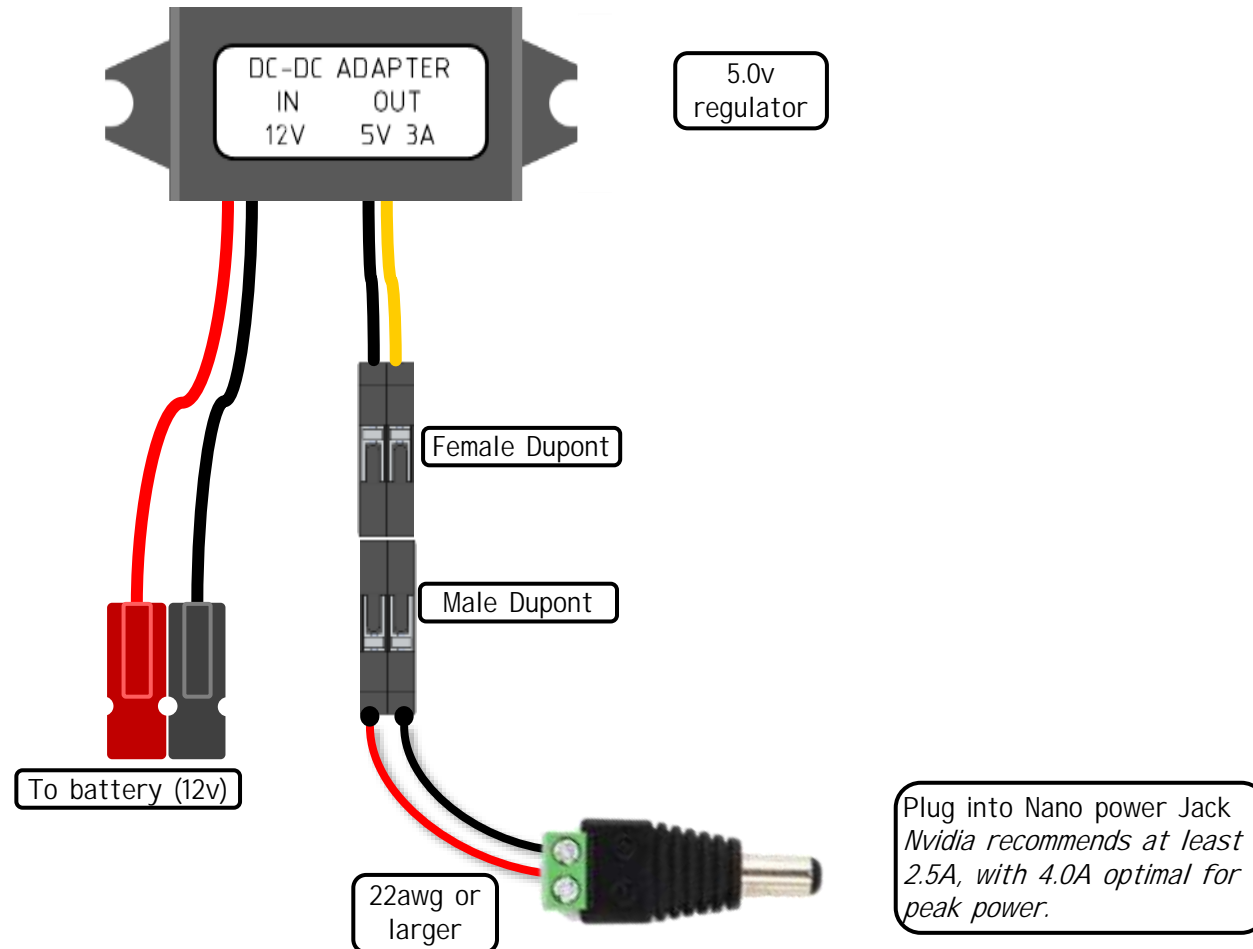
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	3.3 VDC Power	1	2	5.0 VDC Power	
	I2C_2_SDA I2C Bus 1	3	4	5.0 VDC Power	
	I2C_2_SCL I2C Bus 1	5	6	GND	
gpio216	AUDIO_MCLK	7	8	UART_2_TX /dev/ttyTHS1	
	GND	9	10	UART_2_RX /dev/ttyTHS1	
gpio50	UART_2_RTS	11	12	I2S_4_SCLK	gpio79
gpio14	SPI_2_SCK	13	14	GND	
gpio194	LCD_TE	15	16	SPI_2_CS1	gpio232
	3.3 VDC Power	17	18	SPI_2_CS0	gpio15
gpio16	SPI_1_MOSI	19		GND	
gpio17	SPI_1_MISO	21	22	SPI_2_MISO	gpio13
gpio18	SPI_1_SCK	23	24	SPI_1_CS0	gpio19
	GND	25	26	SPI_1_CS1	gpio20
	I2C_1_SDA I2C Bus 0	27	28	I2C_1_SCL I2C Bus 0	
gpio149	CAM_AF_EN	29	30	GND	
gpio200	GPIO_PZ0	31	32	LCD_BL_PWM	gpio168
gpio38	GPIO_PE6	33	34	GND	
gpio76	I2S_4_LRCK	35	36	UART_2_CTS	gpio51
gpio12	SPI_2_MOSI	37	38	I2S_4_SDIN	gpio77
	GND	39	40	I2S_4_SDOUT	gpio78

40 Pin Array on Jetson Nano



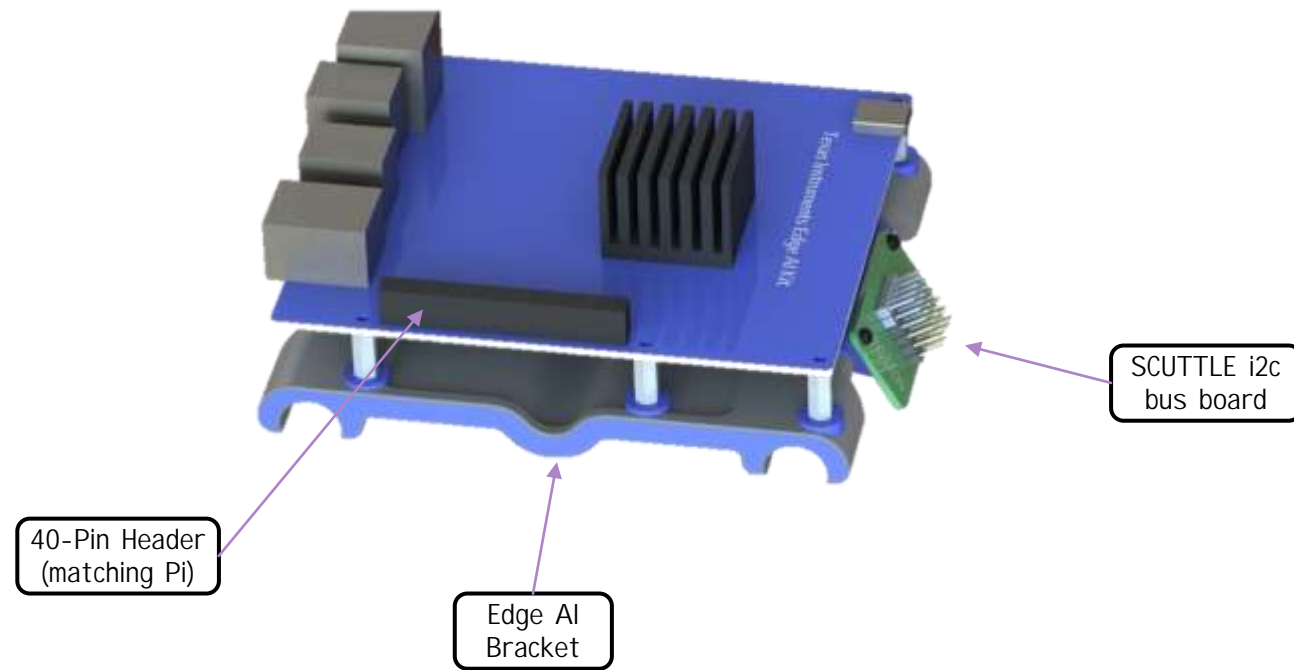
# Jetson Nano - power

Diagram for powering Jetson Nano





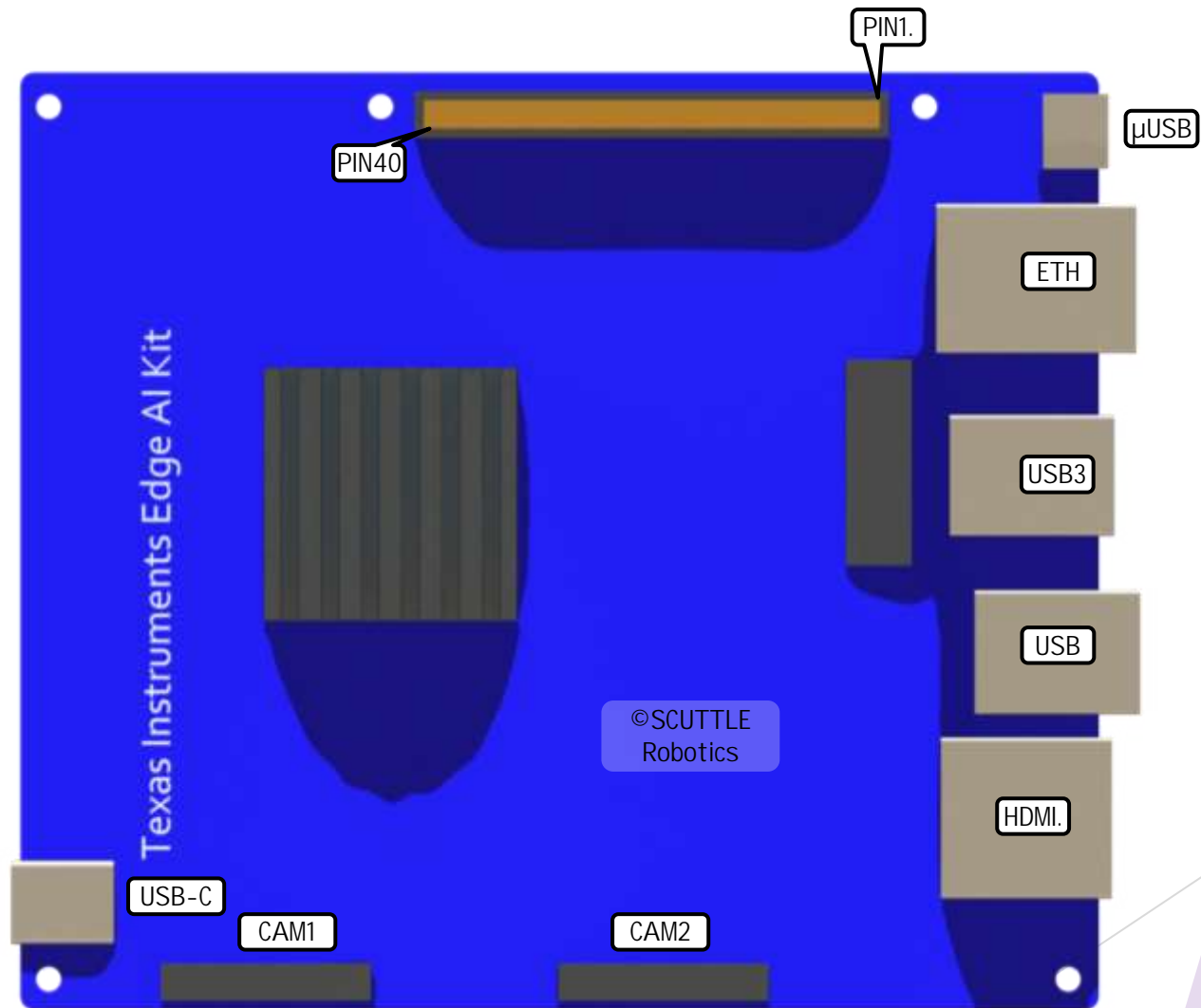
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# TDA4VM - Pinout



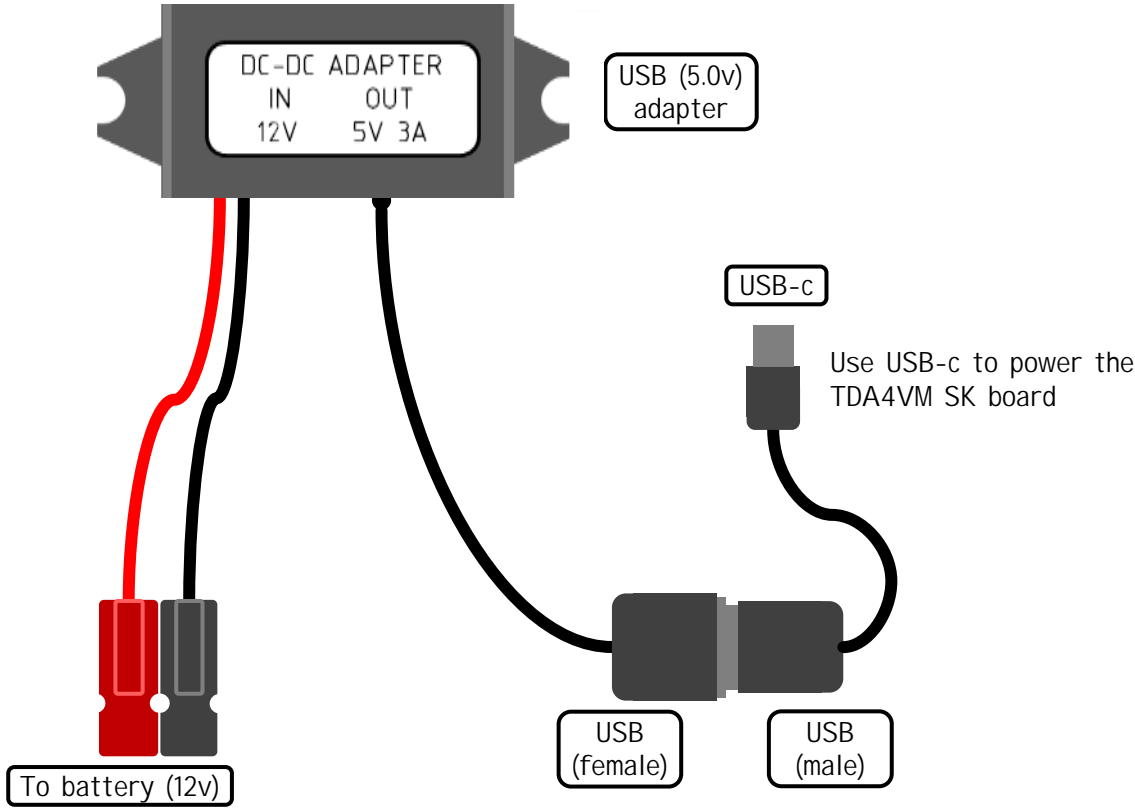
PIN			
Power_3.3	1	2	Power_5.0
I2C_SDA	3	4	Power
I2C_SCL	5	6	GND
GPIO	7	8	UART_TXD
GND	9	10	UART_RXD
GPIO	11	12	I2S_SCLK
GPIO	13	14	GND
GPIO	15	16	GPIO
Power_3.3	17	18	GPIO
SPI_MOSI	19	20	GND
SPI_MISO	21	22	GPIO
SPI_SCLK	23	24	SPI_CS0
GND	25	26	SPI_CS1
ID_SDA	27	28	ID_SCL
GPIO	29	30	GND
GPIO	31	32	PWM0
PWM1	33	34	GND
I2S_FS	35	36	GPIO
GPIO	37	38	I2S_DIN
GND	39	40	I2S_DOUT



# TDA4VM - Power



Diagram for powering Edge AI Board



# TDA4VM – SCUTTLE Wiring



Key

power

direct battery

i2c

pwm signals

other signals

