

"Bag Tag" v3
Electronics
8x8 LED Matrix

(Proposed project for Innov School Jr)

Requirements



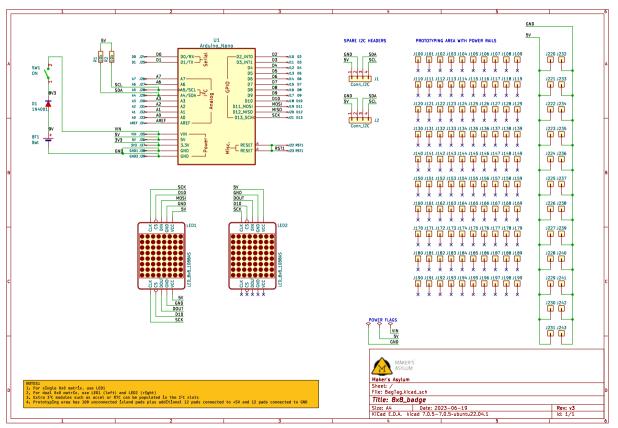
- Complexity level SIMPLE
- Must include elements of
 - Electronics (soldering)
 - Arduino (programming)
 - Rapid prototyping (3DP/laser)
- BADGE form factor
- Powered by 9V battery
- Expandable / Hackable

Changes in v3 (v/s v1 & v2)

- All parts on FRONT, but battery on side
- Two I²C expansion headers
- Can install one or two 8x8 SINGLE color
 LED display based on MAX7219 chip
- Parts aligned along vertical axis for balance
- 100 prototyping pads and 12 each for
 +5V and GND

Schematic



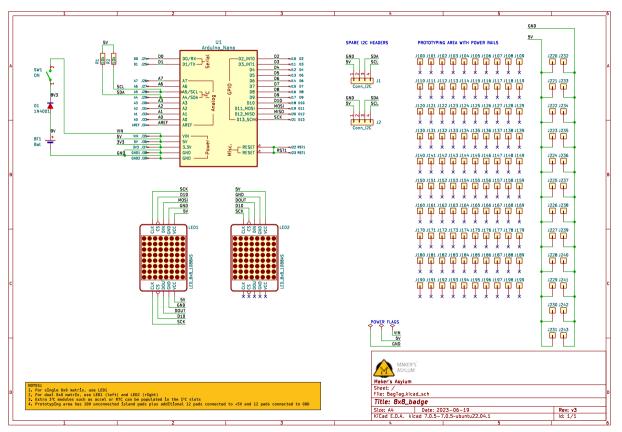


Components:

- Arduino Nano
- Single Color 8x8 LED Matrix based on MAX7219
- Switch
- Diode
- 9V Battery with clip
- Header sockets
- Header pins
- PCB

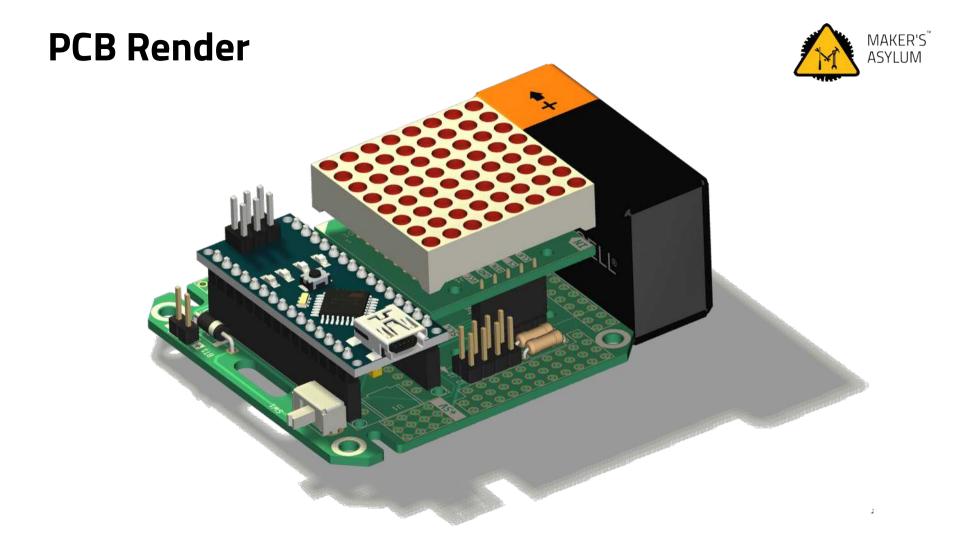
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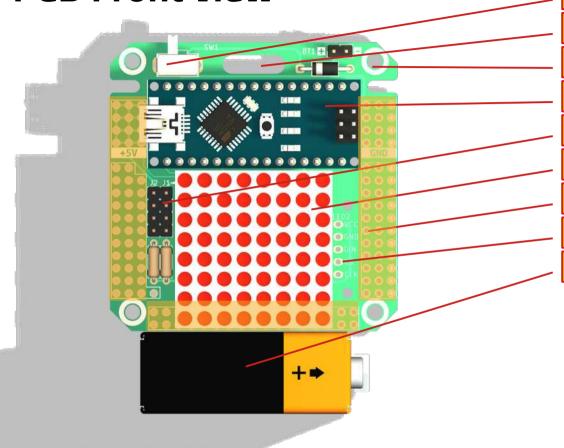


Optional upgrades (not included in kit)

- 2nd single color 8x8 LED Matrix
- Add extra modules
 - I²C modules such as accelerometer, IMU, RTC
 - Buttons, joystick etc
- Hackable via prototyping area with 100 pads+ 24 power rail pads



PCB Front view



Switch

Lanyard slot

Mount holes, x4

Arduino Nano

Spare I²C, x2

Display

Proto area

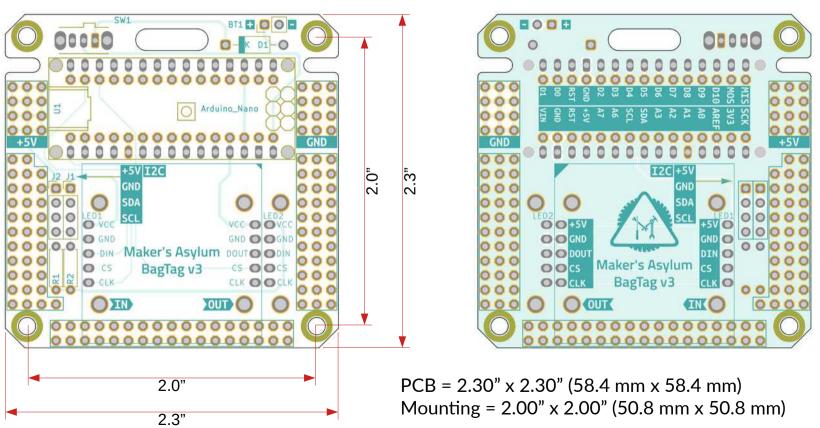
2nd Display

Battery, 9V



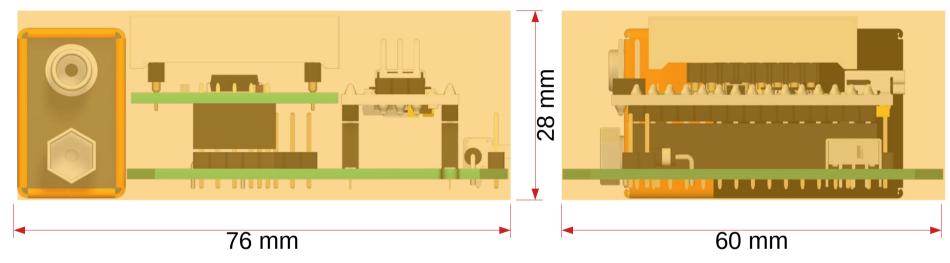
PCB dimensions





PCB Side views

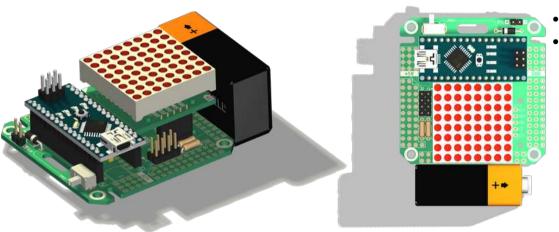




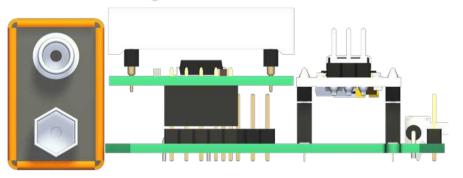
- Side views of the PCB.
- 8x8 LED matrix display and Arduino Nano require header pins and sockets.
- BagTag will fit inside a volume of 76 mm x 60 mm x 28 mm

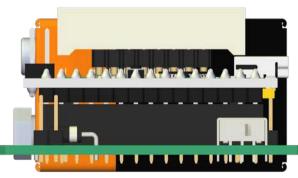
PCB Battery location





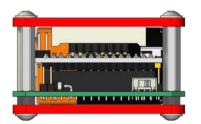
- Battery is not located on the PCB.
- Battery mounting / orientation / location depends on enclosure

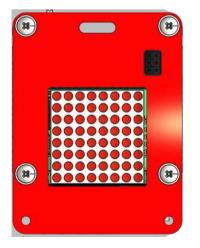


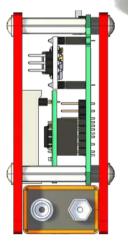


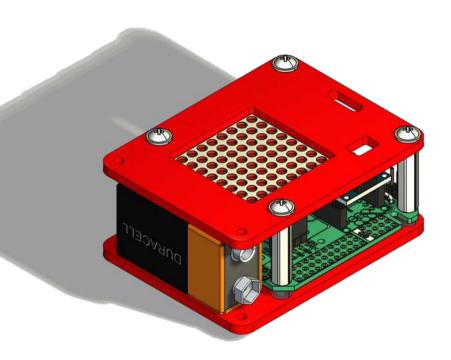
Enclosure suggestion











See exploded view at

~/fabricate/renders/BagTag_v3_exploded_view.mp4

Enclosure suggestions 2















Hacking



- Two extra I²C headers and 100 copper pads for future hacking
- Add a second 8x8 LED matrix, I²C modules (accel, IMU, RTC), buttons etc.
- Some hacking ideas:
 - Electronic Dice (using accelerometer for shake detection)
 - Timer or Clock (using RTC)
 - SNAKE game (using 5 buttons)
 - PONG game using two joysticks
 - Ornament or Wearable
 - VU meter (sound decibel display, using microphone module)