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ACTIVITY 01 DISTANCE MEASUREMENT

PROBLEM STATEMENT

If the IR sensor detects an object, show "SAFE" on the display. If no object is detected, show "DEAD" on the display.

COMPONENTS USED

Aries Development Board v3, USB Cable, IR sensor, 4-bit display, jumper wires

PIN CONNECTIONS

Seven segment display:

DIO \rightarrow GPIO 0

CLK → GPIO 1

 $VCC \rightarrow 3V3$

GND → GND

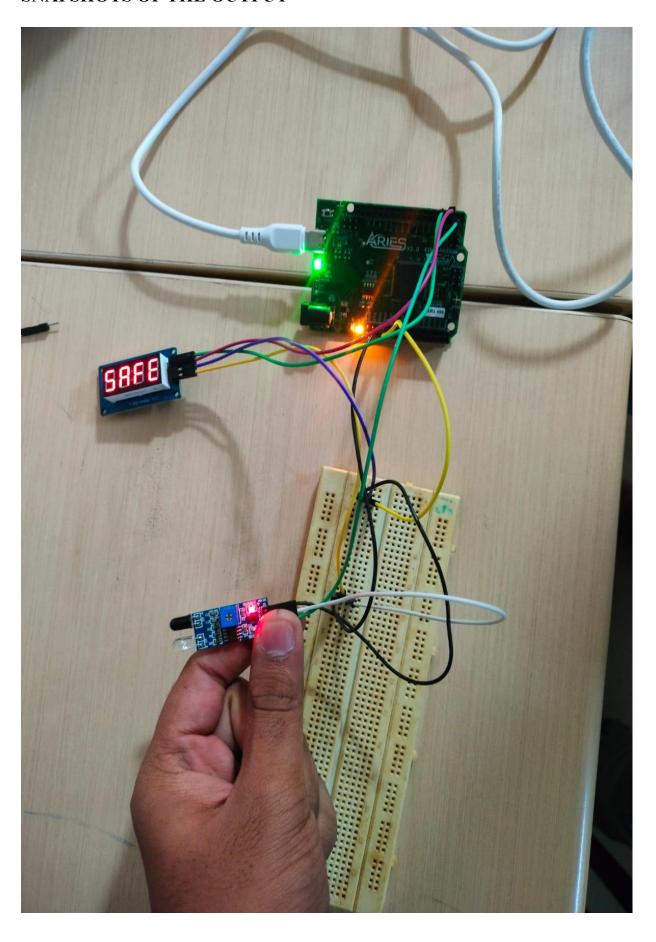
IR Sensor:

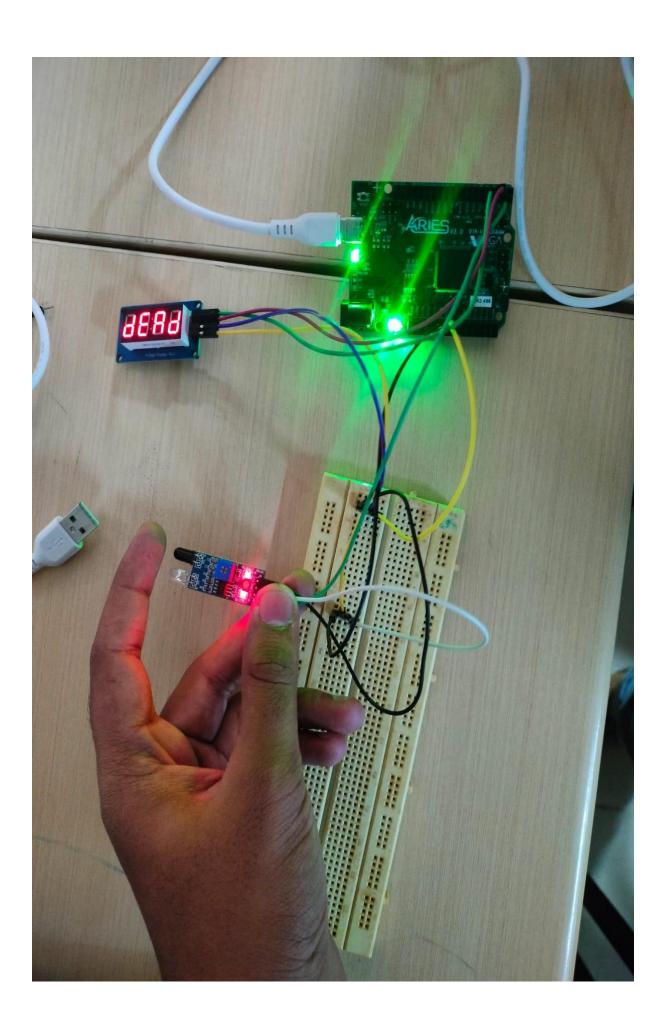
 $VCC \rightarrow 3V3$

GND → GND

OUT → GPIO 4

SNAPSHOTS OF THE OUTPUT





```
CODE
#include < TM1637.h>
int IRSensor = 4;
int LED = 22;
int CLK = 1; //CLK of TM1637 is connected to GPIO-1 pin of Aries Board
int DIO = 0; //DIO of TM1637 is connected to GPIO-0 pin of Aries Board
TM1637 tm(CLK,DIO);
void setup() {
 pinMode (IRSensor, INPUT);
 tm.init();
 tm.set(2); //set brightness; 0-7
}
void loop() {
 int statusSensor = digitalRead (IRSensor);
 if (statusSensor == 1){
  digitalWrite(LED, HIGH); // LED OFF
```

```
tm.display(0,5);

tm.display(1,10);

tm.display(2,15);

tm.display(3,14);

else {
    digitalWrite(LED, LOW); // LED ON
    tm.display(0,13);
    tm.display(1,14);
    tm.display(2,10);
    tm.display(3,13);
}
```

ACTIVITY 02 OBJECT COUNTER

PROBLEM STATEMENT

- Use the IR sensor to detect objects passing in front of it.
- Display the count on the 4-digit 7-segment display
- Reset the count when push button is pressed

COMPONENTS USED

Aries Development Board v3, USB Cable, IR sensor, 4-bit display, jumper

PIN CONNECTIONS

Seven segment display:

DIO \rightarrow GPIO 0

wires

CLK → GPIO 1

 $VCC \rightarrow 3V3$

GND → GND

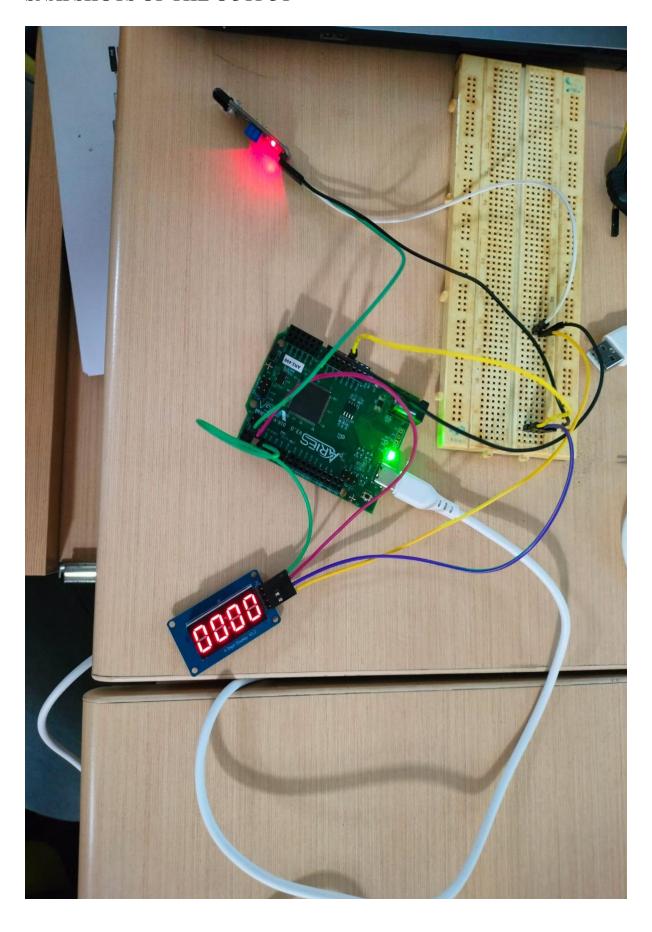
IR Sensor:

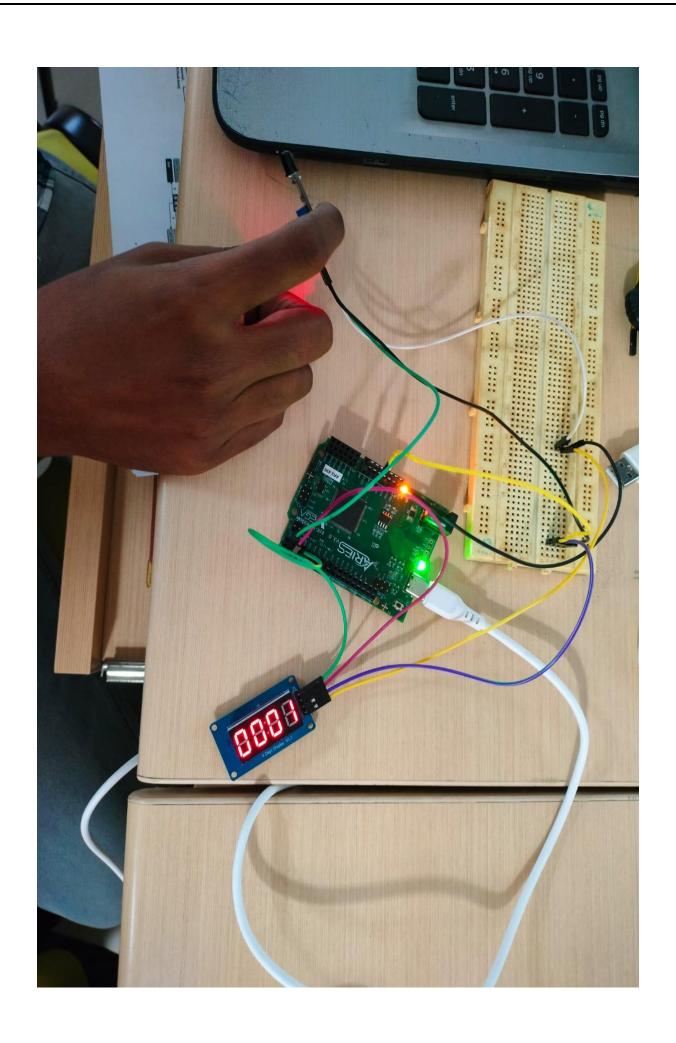
 $VCC \rightarrow 3V3$

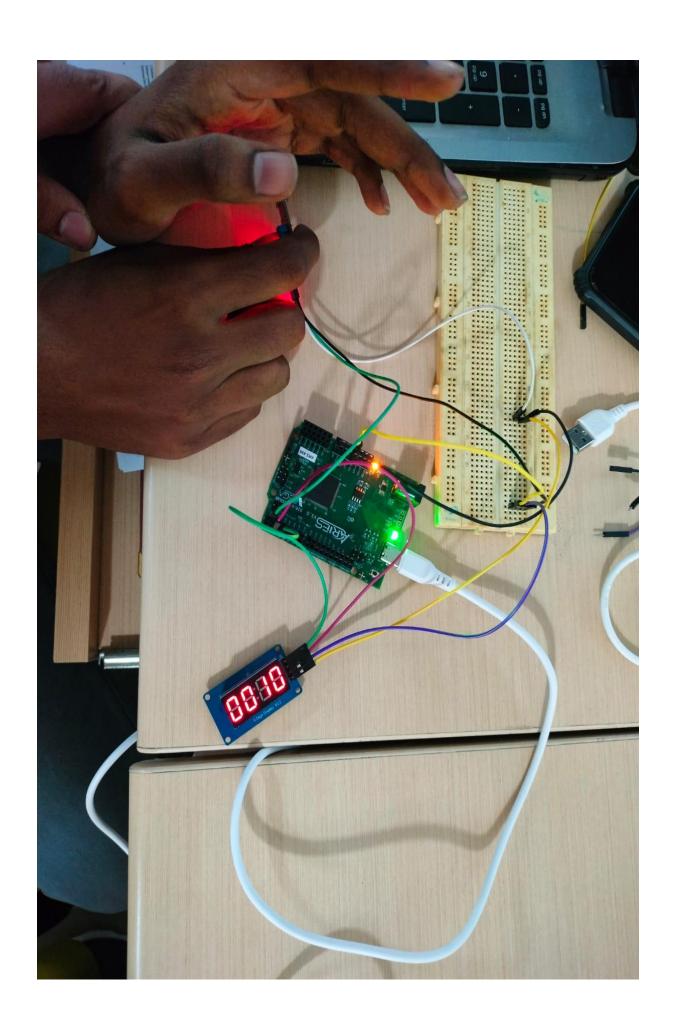
GND → GND

OUT → GPIO 4

SNAPSHOTS OF THE OUTPUT







CODE

```
#include < TM1637.h >
int IRSensor = 4;
int CLK = 1; // CLK of TM1637 is connected to GPIO-1 pin of Aries Board
int DIO = 0; // DIO of TM1637 is connected to GPIO-0 pin of Aries Board
TM1637 tm(CLK, DIO);
int count = 0;
int lastState = HIGH; // Assume no object detected at start
void setup() {
 pinMode(IRSensor, INPUT);
 tm.init();
 tm.set(2);
 updateDisplay(count);
}
void loop() {
 delay(100);
 int statusSensor = digitalRead(IRSensor);
```

```
if (statusSensor == LOW && lastState == HIGH) {
    count++;
    updateDisplay(count);
}
lastState = statusSensor;
}
// Function to update 4-digit 7-segment display
void updateDisplay(int num) {
    tm.display(3, num % 10);
    tm.display(2, (num / 10) % 10);
    tm.display(1, (num / 100) % 10);
    tm.display(0, (num / 1000) % 10);
}
```

ACTIVITY 03 SLOT MACHINE GAME WITH IR TRIGGER

PROBLEM STATEMENT

- When the IR sensor detects a hand movement, generate random numbers (0000-9999).
- Display the result on the 7-segment display.
- Flash LEDs for a "winning" number.

COMPONENTS USED

Aries Development Board v3, USB Cable, IR sensor, 4-bit display, jumper wires

PIN CONNECTIONS

Seven segment display:

DIO \rightarrow GPIO 0

CLK → GPIO 1

 $VCC \rightarrow 3V3$

GND → GND

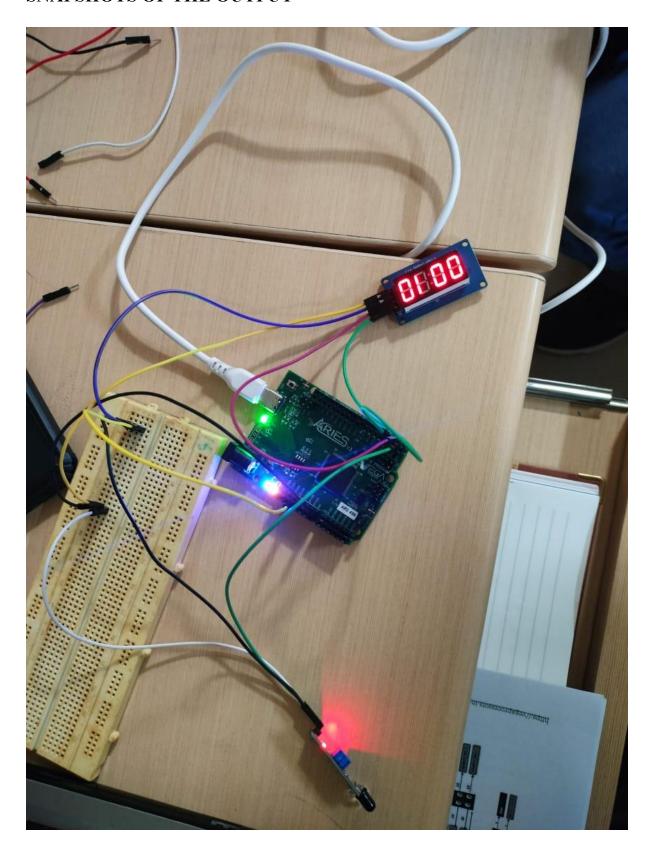
IR Sensor:

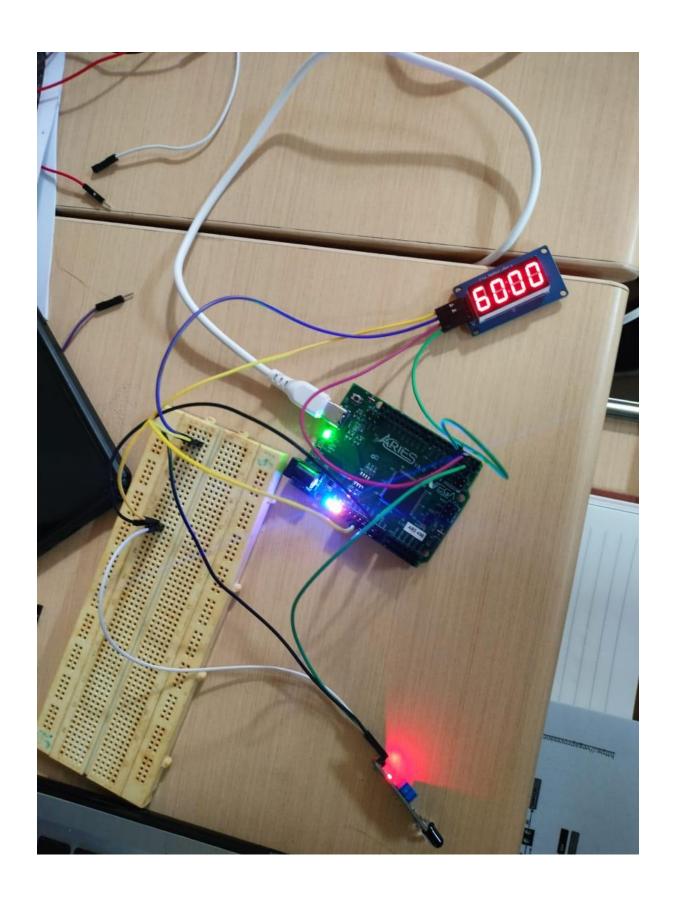
 $VCC \rightarrow 3V3$

GND → GND

OUT → GPIO 4

SNAPSHOTS OF THE OUTPUT





CODE

```
#include <TM1637.h>
int IRSensor = 4;
int LED = 23;
int CLK = 1; // TM1637 Clock Pin
int DIO = 0; // TM1637 Data Pin
TM1637 tm(CLK, DIO);
int lastState = HIGH;
void setup() {
pinMode(IRSensor, INPUT);
pinMode(LED, OUTPUT);
 digitalWrite(LED, LOW);
 tm.init();
 tm.set(5);
 updateDisplay(0000);
```

```
}
void loop() {
 int statusSensor = digitalRead(IRSensor);
 if (statusSensor == LOW && lastState == HIGH) {
  int slotNumber = random(0, 11);
  updateDisplay(slotNumber);
  if (slotNumber == 10) {
   flashWinLED();
 lastState = statusSensor;
}
void updateDisplay(int num) {
 tm.display(3, num % 10); // Ones place
 tm.display(2, (num / 10) % 10); // Tens place
 tm.display(1, (num / 100) % 10); // Hundreds place
 tm.display(0, (num / 1000) % 10); // Thousands place
```

```
void flashWinLED() {

for (int i = 0; i < 5; i++) {

  digitalWrite(LED, HIGH);

  delay(300);

  digitalWrite(LED, LOW);

  delay(300);
}
</pre>
```

ACTIVITY 04A BUZZER TUNES

PROBLEM STATEMENT

- Create a simple tune using Buzzer and delays
- Play "Twinkle Twinkle little star" with buzzers.
- Play a random song by defining the frequencies and notes.

COMPONENTS USED

Aries Development Board v3, USB Cable, Buzzer, jumper wires

PROBLEM STATEMENT 1: BASIC BUZZER

PIN CONNECTIONS

Buzzer:

 $VCC \rightarrow 3V3$

GND → GND

IN \rightarrow GPIO 0

CODE

#define BUZZER 1 // connect INPUT pin of buzzer to GPIO-0

// the setup function runs once when you press reset or power the board

```
void setup() {
 // initialize digital pin 0 as an output.
 pinMode(BUZZER, OUTPUT);
// the loop function runs over and over again forever
void loop() {
 // switching buzzer on and off rapidly
 digitalWrite(BUZZER, HIGH); //turn on the buzzer
 delay(250);
 digitalWrite(BUZZER, LOW); //turn off the buzzer
 delay(750);
 digitalWrite(BUZZER, HIGH); //turn on the buzzer
 delay(125);
 digitalWrite(BUZZER, LOW); //turn off the buzzer
 delay(125);
 digitalWrite(BUZZER, HIGH); //turn on the buzzer
 delay(125);
 digitalWrite(BUZZER, LOW); //turn off the buzzer
 delay(125);
```

PROBLEM STATEMENT 2 : TWINKLE TWINKLE ON PIEZO BUZZER PIN CONNECTIONS

Buzzer:

 $VCC \rightarrow 3V3$

GND → GND

IN \rightarrow GPIO 0

CODE

/*

@file PIEZO_Buzzer.ino

abrief Play "Twinkle Twinkle Little Star" on Piezo Buzzer

@detail Using different frequencies to create musical notes

Useful Links:

Official Site: https://vegaprocessors.in/

Development Boards: https://vegaprocessors.in/devboards/

Blogs: https://vegaprocessors.in/blog/

*** Piezoelectric buzzer ***

Connections:

Buzzer Aries Board

VCC - 3.3*V*

```
GND - GND
 IN
      - GPIO0
*/
#define BUZZER 0 // connect INPUT pin of buzzer to GPIO-0
// Define frequencies for musical notes
#define NOTE_C4 262
#define NOTE_D4 294
#define NOTE_E4 330
#define NOTE F4 349
#define NOTE_G4 392
#define NOTE_A4 440
#define NOTE_B4 494
#define NOTE_C5 523
// Twinkle Twinkle Little Star melody
int melody[] = {
 NOTE_C4, NOTE_C4, NOTE_G4, NOTE_G4, NOTE_A4, NOTE_A4,
NOTE G4,
 NOTE F4, NOTE F4, NOTE E4, NOTE E4, NOTE D4, NOTE D4,
NOTE C4
```

```
};
// Note durations in milliseconds
int durations[] = {
 250, 250, 250, 250, 250, 250, 500,
 250, 250, 250, 250, 250, 250, 500
};
// Define the number of notes in our melody
const int noteCount = 14;
void setup() {
 pinMode(BUZZER, OUTPUT);
}
void loop() {
 // Play the melody once
 for (int i = 0; i < noteCount; i++) {
  playTone(melody[i], durations[i]);
  // Brief pause between notes
  delay(50);
```

```
}
 // Pause before playing again
 delay(1000);
}
// Function to play a tone of specific frequency and duration
void playTone(int frequency, int duration) {
 // For very low frequencies, just use a simple delay approach
 long period = 1000000 / frequency;
 long\ elapsedTime = 0;
 while (elapsedTime < duration * 1000) {
  digitalWrite(BUZZER, HIGH);
  delayMicroseconds(period / 2);
  digitalWrite(BUZZER, LOW);
  delayMicroseconds(period / 2);
  elapsedTime += period;
PROBLEM 04C: PLAYING A RANDOM SONG
PIN CONNECTIONS
```

Buzzer:

 $VCC \rightarrow 3V3$

GND → GND

IN \rightarrow GPIO 1

CODE

#define BUZZER 1 // Connect INPUT pin of buzzer to GPIO-1

// Define frequencies for musical notes

#define NOTE_C4 262

#define NOTE_Cs4 277

#define NOTE_D4 294

#define NOTE_Ds4 311

#define NOTE_E4 330

#define NOTE_F4 349

#define NOTE_Fs4 370

#define NOTE_Gs4 415

#define NOTE_A4 440

#define NOTE_As4 466

#define NOTE_B4 494

#define NOTE_C5 523

```
// Melody sequence
int melody[] = {
 NOTE_A4, NOTE_B4, NOTE_A4, NOTE_Gs4, NOTE_A4,
 NOTE_A4, NOTE_B4, NOTE_A4, NOTE_Gs4, NOTE_A4,
 NOTE_A4, NOTE_B4, NOTE_C5, NOTE_B4, NOTE_A4,
 NOTE A4, NOTE B4, NOTE A4, NOTE Gs4, NOTE Fs4,
 NOTE_A4, NOTE_B4, NOTE_A4, NOTE_Gs4, NOTE_A4,
 NOTE A4, NOTE B4, NOTE A4, NOTE Gs4, NOTE A4,
 NOTE_A4, NOTE_B4, NOTE_C5, NOTE_B4, NOTE_A4,
 NOTE_A4, NOTE_B4, NOTE_A4, NOTE_Gs4, NOTE_Fs4,
 NOTE E4, NOTE Fs4, NOTE Fs4, NOTE Gs4, NOTE Gs4,
 NOTE Gs4, NOTE Fs4, NOTE Fs4, NOTE Gs4, NOTE Gs4,
 NOTE_A4, NOTE_A4, NOTE_B4, NOTE_B4, NOTE_C5,
 NOTE E4, NOTE Fs4, NOTE Fs4, NOTE Gs4, NOTE Gs4,
 NOTE_Gs4, NOTE_Fs4, NOTE_Fs4, NOTE_Gs4, NOTE_Gs4,
 NOTE A4, NOTE A4, NOTE B4, NOTE B4, NOTE C5
};
```

// Adjusted durations for a faster tempo

```
int durations[] = {
 100, 100, 100, 100, 200,
 100, 100, 100, 100, 200,
 100, 100, 100, 100, 200,
 100, 100, 100, 100, 200,
 100, 100, 100, 100, 200,
 100, 100, 100, 100, 200,
 100, 100, 100, 100, 200,
 100, 100, 100, 100, 200,
 100, 200, 100, 200, 300,
 100, 100, 100, 200, 100,
 200, 100, 200, 100, 200,
 100, 200, 100, 200, 300,
 100, 100, 100, 200, 100,
 200, 100, 200, 100, 200,
};
// Number of notes in the melody
const int noteCount = sizeof(melody) / sizeof(melody[0]);
```

```
void setup() {
 pinMode(BUZZER, OUTPUT);
void loop() {
 // Play the melody
 for (int i = 0; i < noteCount; i++) {
  playTone(melody[i], durations[i]);
  // Shorter pause between notes
  delay(30);
 // Shorter pause before repeating
 delay(500);
// Function to play a tone with specific frequency and duration
void playTone(int frequency, int duration) {
 long period = 1000000 / frequency;
 long\ elapsedTime = 0;
```

```
while (elapsedTime < duration * 1000) {
    digitalWrite(BUZZER, HIGH);
    delayMicroseconds(period / 2);
    digitalWrite(BUZZER, LOW);
    delayMicroseconds(period / 2);
    elapsedTime += period;
}</pre>
```

ACTIVITY 04B Ultrasonic Triggered Beats

PROBLEM STATEMENT

- Create a system of two ultrasonic sensors, RYG LED strip and Piezo Buzzer
- Each ultrasonic sensor triggers its corresponding
 LED and unique buzzer tune when the distance is
 less than 10cm.

COMPONENTS USED

Aries Development Board v3, USB Cable, Buzzer, jumper wires, RYG LED set, Two ultrasonic sensors

PIN CONNECTIONS

Ultrasonic Sensor 2:

VCC - 5V, GND - GND, Trig - GPIO3, Echo - GPIO4

Ultrasonic Sensor 3:

VCC - 5V, GND - GND, Trig - GPIO5, Echo - GPIO6

```
LEDs:
```

GND - GND

YELLOW - GPIO8

GREEN - GPIO7

Piezoelectric buzzer:

VCC - 3.3*V*

GND - GND

IN - GPI015

CODE

// Define Ultrasonic Sensor pins

#define TRIG_PIN2 3

#define ECHO_PIN2 4

#define TRIG_PIN3 5

#define ECHO_PIN3 6

// Define LED pins

#define YELLOW_LED 8

#define GREEN_LED 7

// Define Buzzer pin

```
#define BUZZER 12
```

```
// Variables for distance measurement
long duration2, duration3;
int distance2, distance3;
int threshold = 9; // Threshold distance in cm
int minValidDistance = 2; // Minimum valid distance (cm) to filter out false
readings
boolean specialMode = false; // For special patterns when multiple sensors
are triggered
// Variables for buzzer control
unsigned\ long\ lastBuzzerTime=0;
int currentTune = 0; // 0: no sound, 2: tune2, 3: tune3, 4: special tune
void setup() {
 // Initialize ultrasonic sensor pins
 pinMode(TRIG_PIN2, OUTPUT);
 pinMode(ECHO_PIN2, INPUT);
 pinMode(TRIG PIN3, OUTPUT);
 pinMode(ECHO PIN3, INPUT);
```

```
// Initialize LED pins
pinMode(YELLOW_LED, OUTPUT);
pinMode(GREEN_LED, OUTPUT);
// Initialize buzzer pin
pinMode(BUZZER, OUTPUT);
 digitalWrite(BUZZER, LOW);
// Turn off all LEDs initially
 digitalWrite(YELLOW_LED, LOW);
 digitalWrite(GREEN_LED, LOW);
 // Test the buzzer
playTone(100, 3);
 // Initialize serial communication
Serial.begin(115200);
Serial.println("Two Ultrasonic Sensors Controlling LEDs with Buzzer
Feedback");
Serial.println("Place hand in front of any sensor within 10cm to trigger its
LED and buzzer");
Serial.println("Buzzer test complete");
```

```
}
// Function to measure distance from an ultrasonic sensor
int measureDistance(int trigPin, int echoPin) {
 // Clear the trigPin
 digitalWrite(trigPin, LOW);
 delayMicroseconds(2);
 // Set trigPin high for 10 microseconds
 digitalWrite(trigPin, HIGH);
 delayMicroseconds(10);
 digitalWrite(trigPin, LOW);
 // Read the echoPin, returns sound wave travel time in microseconds
 long duration = pulseIn(echoPin, HIGH, 25000); // Add timeout of 25ms
 // Check if reading timed out (returned 0)
 if (duration == 0) 
  return 400; // Return a large value (no object detected)
 // Calculate distance
```

```
int distance = duration * 0.034 / 2; // Speed of sound wave divided by 2 (go
and back)
 // Filter out unreasonable values
 if (distance < minValidDistance || distance > 400) {
  return 400; // Return a large value for invalid readings
 }
 return distance;
void allLedsOff() {
 digitalWrite(YELLOW_LED, LOW);
 digitalWrite(GREEN_LED, LOW);
// Function to play a single tone
void playTone(int duration, int repetitions) {
 for (int i = 0; i < repetitions; i++) {
  digitalWrite(BUZZER, HIGH);
  delay(duration);
  digitalWrite(BUZZER, LOW);
```

```
delay(duration);
// Function for Sensor 2 tune (Yellow LED) - Double beep pattern
void playTune2() {
 unsigned long currentTime = millis();
 if (currentTime - lastBuzzerTime > 500) {
  lastBuzzerTime = currentTime;
  digitalWrite(BUZZER, HIGH);
  delay(80);
  digitalWrite(BUZZER, LOW);
  delay(80);
  digitalWrite(BUZZER, HIGH);
  delay(80);
  digitalWrite(BUZZER, LOW);
// Function for Sensor 3 tune (Green LED) - Long single beep
void playTune3() {
 unsigned long currentTime = millis();
```

```
if (currentTime - lastBuzzerTime > 800) {
  lastBuzzerTime = currentTime;
  digitalWrite(BUZZER, HIGH);
  delay(200);
  digitalWrite(BUZZER, LOW);
// Function for special tune (All sensors) - Victory melody
void playSpecialTune() {
 unsigned long currentTime = millis();
 if (currentTime - lastBuzzerTime > 1000) {
  lastBuzzerTime = currentTime;
  // Play ascending notes
  for (int i = 50; i \le 150; i += 25) {
   digitalWrite(BUZZER, HIGH);
   delay(i);
   digitalWrite(BUZZER, LOW);
   delay(50);
```

```
void loop() {
 // Measure distance from each sensor
 distance2 = measureDistance(TRIG_PIN2, ECHO_PIN2);
 distance3 = measureDistance(TRIG_PIN3, ECHO_PIN3);
 // Print distances to serial monitor for debugging
 Serial.print("Distance 2: ");
 Serial.print(distance2);
 Serial.print(" cm | Distance 3: ");
 Serial.print(distance3);
 Serial.println(" cm");
 // Turn off all LEDs first
 allLedsOff();
 // Reset buzzer state
 currentTune = 0;
 // Check if both sensors are triggered simultaneously
 if ((distance2 < threshold && distance2 >= minValidDistance) &&
   (distance3 < threshold && distance3 >= minValidDistance)) {
```

```
specialMode = true;
// Special mode: all LEDs on steadily
 digitalWrite(YELLOW_LED, HIGH);
 digitalWrite(GREEN LED, HIGH);
// Play special tune
 currentTune = 4;
Serial.println("SPECIAL MODE: Both sensors triggered!");
else {
 specialMode = false;
// Check sensor 2 (Yellow LED)
 if (distance2 < threshold && distance2 >= minValidDistance) {
  digitalWrite(YELLOW_LED, HIGH);
  currentTune = 2; // Set tune for sensor 2
  Serial.println("YELLOW LED ON - Sensor 2 triggered");
// Check sensor 3 (Green LED)
 else if (distance3 < threshold && distance3 >= minValidDistance) {
  digitalWrite(GREEN LED, HIGH);
  currentTune = 3; // Set tune for sensor 3
  Serial.println("GREEN LED ON - Sensor 3 triggered");
```

```
}
// Play the selected tune
switch(currentTune) {
 case 2:
  playTune2();
  break;
 case 3:
  playTune3();
  break;
 case 4:
  playSpecialTune();
  break;
 default:
  // No sound
  digitalWrite(BUZZER, LOW);
  break;
// Short delay before next reading
delay(20); // Reduced delay for better tune responsiveness
```

ACTIVITY 04C Ultrasonic and IR based Music system

PROBLEM STATEMENT

- A) Uses two ultrasonic sensors for notes and an IR sensor to switch between music modes normal and disco.
- B) Same as Problem 6A but uses two separate buzzers for generating the music.

COMPONENTS USED

Aries Development Board v3, USB Cable, Two Buzzers, jumper wires, RYG LED set, Two ultrasonic sensors

PROBLEM 06A: USING ONE BUZZER

PIN CONNECTIONS

Ultrasonic Sensor 2:

VCC - 5V, GND - GND, Trig - GPIO3, Echo - GPIO4

Ultrasonic Sensor 3:

VCC - 5V, GND - GND, Trig - GPIO5, Echo - GPIO6

IR Sensor:

VCC - 5V, GND - GND, OUT - GPIO11

LEDs:

GND - GND

RED - GPIO9

YELLOW - GPIO8

GREEN - GPIO7

Piezoelectric buzzer:

VCC - 3.3*V*

GND - GND

IN - GPIO12

CODE

```
// Define Ultrasonic Sensor pins
```

#define TRIG_PIN2 3

#define ECHO_PIN2 4

#define TRIG_PIN3 5

#define ECHO_PIN3 6

// Define IR sensor pin

#define IR_SENSOR 11

```
// Define LED pins
#define RED_LED 9 // Add back the Red LED
#define YELLOW LED 8
#define GREEN_LED 7
// Define Buzzer pin
#define BUZZER 1
// Variables for distance measurement
long duration2, duration3;
int distance2, distance3;
int threshold = 9; // Threshold distance in cm
int minValidDistance = 2; // Minimum valid distance (cm) to filter out false
readings
// Variables for mode control and timing
boolean irDetected = false;
unsigned long lastLEDToggle = 0;
unsigned long lastArpeggioChange = 0;
boolean ledState = false;
unsigned long discoInterval = 100;
```

```
unsigned long arpeggioInterval = 150;
int activeNote = 0; // 0: no note, 1: note from sensor 2, 2: note from sensor 3
// Variable for disco mode LED sequencing
int discoStep = 0; // 0: Red, 1: Yellow, 2: Green
unsigned long lastDiscoStep = 0;
unsigned long discoStepInterval = 150; // Time between LED changes in
disco mode
// Variables for pulsing tones when IR detected
unsigned long lastPulseChange = 0;
boolean pulseState = false;
unsigned long pulseOnTime = 200; // Tone on time
unsigned long pulseOffTime = 100; // Tone off time
// Variables for tone frequencies
int freq2 = 500; // Lower frequency for sensor 2 (Hz)
int freq3 = 1000; // Higher frequency for sensor 3 (Hz)
void setup() {
 // Initialize ultrasonic sensor pins
 pinMode(TRIG PIN2, OUTPUT);
```

```
pinMode(ECHO PIN2, INPUT);
pinMode(TRIG_PIN3, OUTPUT);
pinMode(ECHO_PIN3, INPUT);
// Initialize IR sensor pin
pinMode(IR_SENSOR, INPUT);
// Initialize LED pins
pinMode(RED_LED, OUTPUT); // Add Red LED initialization
pinMode(YELLOW_LED, OUTPUT);
pinMode(GREEN LED, OUTPUT);
// Initialize buzzer pin
pinMode(BUZZER, OUTPUT);
digitalWrite(BUZZER, LOW);
// Turn off all LEDs initially
digitalWrite(RED_LED, LOW); // Add Red LED
digitalWrite(YELLOW_LED, LOW);
digitalWrite(GREEN_LED, LOW);
// Initialize serial communication
```

```
Serial.begin(115200);
Serial.println("Enhanced Interactive Musical Light System");
Serial.println("Two modes based on IR sensor detection:");
Serial.println("1) IR detected: Pulsing tones and disco light sequence");
Serial.println("2) IR not detected: Steady tones with corresponding LEDs");
// Startup sequence to test components
 testComponents();
void testComponents() {
// Test LEDs in sequence
 digitalWrite(RED_LED, HIGH);
 delay(200);
 digitalWrite(RED_LED, LOW);
 digitalWrite(YELLOW_LED, HIGH);
 delay(200);
 digitalWrite(YELLOW_LED, LOW);
 digitalWrite(GREEN LED, HIGH);
 delay(200);
 digitalWrite(GREEN_LED, LOW);
```

```
// Test buzzer with quick ascending notes
 for (int i = 100; i \le 300; i += 100) {
  digitalWrite(BUZZER, HIGH);
  delay(i);
  digitalWrite(BUZZER, LOW);
  delay(50);
// Function to measure distance from an ultrasonic sensor
int measureDistance(int trigPin, int echoPin) {
 // Clear the trigPin
 digitalWrite(trigPin, LOW);
 delayMicroseconds(2);
 // Set trigPin high for 10 microseconds
 digitalWrite(trigPin, HIGH);
 delayMicroseconds(10);
 digitalWrite(trigPin, LOW);
 // Read the echoPin, returns sound wave travel time in microseconds
 long duration = pulseIn(echoPin, HIGH, 25000); // Add timeout of 25ms
```

```
// Check if reading timed out (returned 0)
 if (duration == 0) {
  return 400; // Return a large value (no object detected)
 }
 // Calculate distance
 int distance = duration * 0.034 / 2; // Speed of sound wave divided by 2 (go
and back)
 // Filter out unreasonable values
 if (distance < minValidDistance || distance > 400) {
  return 400; // Return a large value for invalid readings
 }
 return distance;
// Function to play a tone with specific frequency
void playTone(int frequency, int duration) {
 // Simple tone generation (approximation)
 // More precise frequencies would require a library or PWM
```

```
int period = 1000000 / frequency; // Period in microseconds
 for (long i = 0; i < duration * 1000L/period; <math>i++) {
  digitalWrite(BUZZER, HIGH);
  delayMicroseconds(period / 2);
  digitalWrite(BUZZER, LOW);
  delayMicroseconds(period / 2);
// Function to turn off all LEDs
void allLedsOff() {
 digitalWrite(RED_LED, LOW);
 digitalWrite(YELLOW_LED, LOW);
 digitalWrite(GREEN_LED, LOW);
// Function to run the disco light sequence (when IR detects)
void runDiscoSequence() {
 unsigned long currentMillis = millis();
 if (currentMillis - lastDiscoStep > discoStepInterval) {
  lastDiscoStep = currentMillis;
```

```
// Turn off all LEDs
allLedsOff();
// Move to next LED in sequence
discoStep = (discoStep + 1) \% 3;
// Turn on the current LED in the sequence
switch (discoStep) {
 case 0:
  digitalWrite(RED_LED, HIGH);
  break;
 case 1:
  digitalWrite(YELLOW_LED, HIGH);
  break;
 case 2:
  digitalWrite(GREEN_LED, HIGH);
  break;
```

```
// Function to generate pulsed tones based on active sensor(s)
void playPulsedTones() {
 unsigned long currentMillis = millis();
 // Determine which tone to play based on detected sensors
 if (distance2 < threshold && distance2 >= minValidDistance &&
   distance3 < threshold && distance3 >= minValidDistance) {
  // Both sensors - play alternating tones
  if (currentMillis - lastPulseChange > pulseOffTime) {
   if (!pulseState) {
    playTone(freq2, 50); // Play short tone at frequency 2
    pulseState = true;
    lastPulseChange = currentMillis;
   } else {
    playTone(freq3, 50); // Play short tone at frequency 3
    pulseState = false;
     lastPulseChange = currentMillis;
 else if (distance2 < threshold && distance2 >= minValidDistance) {
  // Sensor 2 - pulse at lower frequency
```

```
if (currentMillis - lastPulseChange > (pulseState? pulseOnTime:
pulseOffTime)) {
   pulseState = !pulseState;
   lastPulseChange = currentMillis;
   if (pulseState) {
    playTone(freq2, 50); // Play short tone at frequency 2
 else if (distance3 < threshold && distance3 >= minValidDistance) {
  // Sensor 3 - pulse at higher frequency
  if (currentMillis - lastPulseChange > (pulseState ? pulseOnTime :
pulseOffTime)) {
   pulseState = !pulseState;
   lastPulseChange = currentMillis;
   if (pulseState) {
    playTone(freq3, 50); // Play short tone at frequency 3
```

```
else {
  // No sensors - silence
  digitalWrite(BUZZER, LOW);
void loop() {
// Measure distances from ultrasonic sensors
 distance2 = measureDistance(TRIG_PIN2, ECHO_PIN2);
 distance3 = measureDistance(TRIG_PIN3, ECHO_PIN3);
// Check IR sensor - NOTE: Logic is now inverted from previous
implementation
irDetected = digitalRead(IR_SENSOR) == LOW; // Assuming IR sensor
outputs LOW when object detected
// Print debug info
Serial.print("Distance 2: ");
Serial.print(distance2);
Serial.print(" cm | Distance 3: ");
Serial.print(distance3);
Serial.print(" cm | IR: ");
```

```
Serial.println(irDetected? "Detected": "Not Detected");
// Turn off all LEDs initially
allLedsOff();
// MODE 1: IR object detected - Disco lights and pulsed tones
if (irDetected) {
 // Run disco light sequence
 runDiscoSequence();
 // Play pulsed tones based on which sensors are triggered
 playPulsedTones();
 Serial.println("MODE 1: Disco lights and pulsed tones");
}
// MODE 2: No IR object - Steady lights and continuous tones
else {
 // Check sensors and play appropriate continuous tones
 if (distance2 < threshold && distance2 >= minValidDistance &&
   distance3 < threshold && distance3 >= minValidDistance) {
  // Both sensors - turn on both LEDs, play higher frequency
  digitalWrite(YELLOW LED, HIGH);
```

```
digitalWrite(GREEN LED, HIGH);
 playTone(freq3, 50); // Play higher frequency
 Serial.println("MODE 2: Both LEDs ON - Playing higher tone");
}
else if (distance2 < threshold && distance2 >= minValidDistance) {
 // Sensor 2 only - turn on Yellow LED, play lower frequency
 digitalWrite(YELLOW_LED, HIGH);
 playTone(freq2, 50); // Play lower frequency
 Serial.println("MODE 2: YELLOW LED ON - Playing lower tone");
else if (distance3 < threshold && distance3 >= minValidDistance) {
 // Sensor 3 only - turn on Green LED, play higher frequency
 digitalWrite(GREEN_LED, HIGH);
 playTone(freq3, 50); // Play higher frequency
 Serial.println("MODE 2: GREEN LED ON - Playing higher tone");
}
else {
 // No sensors triggered - silence
 digitalWrite(BUZZER, LOW);
```

```
// Short delay for stability

delay(5);
}
```

PROBLEM 06B: COMBINATION OF TWO BUZZERS

PIN CONNECTIONS

Ultrasonic Sensor 2:

VCC - 5V, GND - GND, Trig - GPIO3, Echo - GPIO4

Ultrasonic Sensor 3:

VCC - 5V, GND - GND, Trig - GPIO5, Echo - GPIO6

IR Sensor:

VCC - 5V, GND - GND, OUT - GPIO11

LEDs:

GND - GND

RED - GPIO9

YELLOW - GPIO8

GREEN - GPIO7

Piezoelectric buzzers:

VCC - 3.3*V*

```
GND - GND
       - GPIO12, GPIO13
CODE
// Define Ultrasonic Sensor pins
#define TRIG_PIN2 3
#define ECHO_PIN2 4
#define TRIG_PIN3 5
#define ECHO_PIN3 6
// Define IR sensor pin
#define IR_SENSOR 11
// Define LED pins
#define RED_LED 9 // Add back the Red LED
#define YELLOW_LED 8
#define GREEN_LED 7
// Define Buzzer pins
#define BUZZER1 12 // First buzzer for Sensor 2
```

#define BUZZER2 13 // Second buzzer for Sensor 3

```
// Define musical notes for better melodies
#define NOTE_C4 262
#define NOTE D4 294
#define NOTE_E4 330
#define NOTE_F4 349
#define NOTE_G4 392
#define NOTE A4 440
#define NOTE_B4 494
#define NOTE_C5 523
#define NOTE D5 587
#define NOTE E5 659
#define NOTE_F5 698
#define NOTE_G5 784
// Melody for Sensor 2 (Yellow LED) - "Charge" fanfare
const int yellowMelodySize = 6;
const int yellowMelody[yellowMelodySize] = {NOTE C4, NOTE F4,
NOTE_G4, NOTE_A4, NOTE_F4, NOTE_C5};
const int yellowDurations[yellowMelodySize] = {100, 100, 100, 100, 100, 200};
int\ yellowNoteIndex = 0;
unsigned long lastYellowNoteTime = 0;
```

```
// Melody for Sensor 3 (Green LED) - "Star Wars" theme hint
const int greenMelodySize = 5;
const int greenMelody[greenMelodySize] = {NOTE_G4, NOTE_G4,
NOTE_G4, NOTE_D4, NOTE_B4};
const int greenDurations[greenMelodySize] = \{130, 130, 130, 100, 200\};
int greenNoteIndex = 0;
unsigned long lastGreenNoteTime = 0;
// Harmony patterns for dual buzzer mode
const int harmonySize = 4;
const int harmonyMelody1[harmonySize] = {NOTE C4, NOTE E4,
NOTE G4, NOTE C5};
const int harmonyMelody2[harmonySize] = {NOTE E4, NOTE G4,
NOTE_C5, NOTE_E5};
const int harmonyDurations[harmonySize] = \{120, 120, 120, 200\};
int harmonyIndex = 0;
unsigned long lastHarmonyTime = 0;
// Variables for distance measurement
long duration2, duration3;
int distance2, distance3;
```

```
int threshold = 9; // Threshold distance in cm
int minValidDistance = 2; // Minimum valid distance (cm) to filter out false
readings
// Variables for mode control and timing
boolean irDetected = false;
unsigned long lastLEDToggle = 0;
unsigned long lastArpeggioChange = 0;
boolean ledState = false;
unsigned long discoInterval = 100;
unsigned long arpeggioInterval = 150;
int activeNote = 0; // 0: no note, 1: note from sensor 2, 2: note from sensor 3
// Variable for disco mode LED sequencing
int discoStep = 0; // 0: Red, 1: Yellow, 2: Green
unsigned long lastDiscoStep = 0;
unsigned long discoStepInterval = 150; // Time between LED changes in
disco mode
// Variables for pulsing tones when IR detected
unsigned long lastPulseChange = 0;
boolean pulseState = false;
```

```
unsigned long pulseOnTime = 200; // Tone on time
unsigned long pulseOffTime = 100; // Tone off time
// Variables for tone frequencies
int freq2 = 500; // Lower frequency for sensor 2 (Hz)
int freq3 = 1000; // Higher frequency for sensor 3 (Hz)
void setup() {
 // Initialize ultrasonic sensor pins
 pinMode(TRIG_PIN2, OUTPUT);
 pinMode(ECHO PIN2, INPUT);
 pinMode(TRIG PIN3, OUTPUT);
 pinMode(ECHO_PIN3, INPUT);
 // Initialize IR sensor pin
 pinMode(IR_SENSOR, INPUT);
 // Initialize LED pins
 pinMode(RED LED, OUTPUT); // Add Red LED initialization
 pinMode(YELLOW_LED, OUTPUT);
 pinMode(GREEN LED, OUTPUT);
```

```
// Initialize buzzer pins
pinMode(BUZZER1, OUTPUT);
pinMode(BUZZER2, OUTPUT);
digitalWrite(BUZZER1, LOW);
digitalWrite(BUZZER2, LOW);
// Turn off all LEDs initially
digitalWrite(RED_LED, LOW); // Add Red LED
digitalWrite(YELLOW_LED, LOW);
digitalWrite(GREEN_LED, LOW);
// Initialize serial communication
Serial.begin(115200);
Serial.println("Dual Buzzer Interactive Musical Light System");
Serial.println("Two modes based on IR sensor detection:");
Serial.println("1) IR detected: Disco lights and stereo music effects");
Serial.println("2) IR not detected: Steady lights and dedicated buzzer
melodies");
// Startup sequence to test components
testComponents();
```

```
void testComponents() {
// Test LEDs in sequence
digitalWrite(RED_LED, HIGH);
delay(200);
 digitalWrite(RED\_LED, LOW);
 digitalWrite(YELLOW_LED, HIGH);
 delay(200);
digitalWrite(YELLOW_LED, LOW);
 digitalWrite(GREEN_LED, HIGH);
 delay(200);
 digitalWrite(GREEN_LED, LOW);
// Test both buzzers
Serial.println("Testing Buzzer 1");
playTone(BUZZER1, 440, 200);
 delay(300);
Serial.println("Testing Buzzer 2");
playTone(BUZZER2, 587, 200);
 delay(300);
```

```
Serial.println("Testing Dual Buzzer Harmony");
 playDualTone(BUZZER1, 440, BUZZER2, 659, 300);
 delay(100);
// Function to measure distance from an ultrasonic sensor
int measureDistance(int trigPin, int echoPin) {
 // Clear the trigPin
 digitalWrite(trigPin, LOW);
 delayMicroseconds(2);
 // Set trigPin high for 10 microseconds
 digitalWrite(trigPin, HIGH);
 delayMicroseconds(10);
 digitalWrite(trigPin, LOW);
 // Read the echoPin, returns sound wave travel time in microseconds
 long duration = pulseIn(echoPin, HIGH, 25000); // Add timeout of 25ms
 // Check if reading timed out (returned 0)
 if (duration == 0) 
  return 400; // Return a large value (no object detected)
```

```
}
 // Calculate distance
 int distance = duration * 0.034 / 2; // Speed of sound wave divided by 2 (go
and back)
 // Filter out unreasonable values
 if (distance < minValidDistance || distance > 400) {
  return 400; // Return a large value for invalid readings
 return distance;
// Function to play a tone on a specific buzzer
void playTone(int buzzer, int frequency, int duration) {
 // Simple tone generation with specified buzzer
 int period = 1000000 / frequency; // Period in microseconds
 for (long i = 0; i < duration * 1000L/period; <math>i++) {
  digitalWrite(buzzer, HIGH);
  delayMicroseconds(period / 2);
  digitalWrite(buzzer, LOW);
```

```
delayMicroseconds(period / 2);
// Function to play two tones simultaneously on both buzzers (harmony)
void playDualTone(int buzzer1, int freq1, int buzzer2, int freq2, int duration) {
 // Approximate dual-tone generation
 long cycles = duration * 1000L/2000; // Number of 2ms cycles
 int period1 = 1000000 / freq1;
 int period2 = 1000000 / freq2;
 for (long i = 0; i < cycles; i++) {
  // Generate a short burst of each frequency
  for (int j = 0; j < 10; j++) {
   digitalWrite(buzzer1, HIGH);
   delayMicroseconds(period1 / 2);
   digitalWrite(buzzer1, LOW);
   delayMicroseconds(period1 / 2);
  for (int j = 0; j < 10; j++) {
   digitalWrite(buzzer2, HIGH);
```

```
delayMicroseconds(period2 / 2);
   digitalWrite(buzzer2, LOW);
   delayMicroseconds(period2 / 2);
// Function to play the yellow sensor melody on buzzer 1
void playYellowMelody() {
 unsigned long currentTime = millis();
 if (currentTime - lastYellowNoteTime > 200) {
  lastYellowNoteTime = currentTime;
  // Play current note on buzzer 1
  playTone(BUZZER1, yellowMelody[yellowNoteIndex],
yellowDurations[yellowNoteIndex]);
  // Move to next note or reset to beginning
  yellowNoteIndex = (yellowNoteIndex + 1) % yellowMelodySize;
```

```
// Function to play the green sensor melody on buzzer 2
void playGreenMelody() {
 unsigned long currentTime = millis();
 if (currentTime - lastGreenNoteTime > 200) {
  lastGreenNoteTime = currentTime;
  // Play current note on buzzer 2
  if (greenMelody[greenNoteIndex] > 0) {
   playTone(BUZZER2, greenMelody[greenNoteIndex],
greenDurations[greenNoteIndex]);
  }
  // Move to next note or reset to beginning
  greenNoteIndex = (greenNoteIndex + 1) % greenMelodySize;
// Function to play harmony when both sensors are triggered
void playHarmonyMelody() {
 unsigned long currentTime = millis();
```

```
if (currentTime - lastHarmonyTime > 300) {
  lastHarmonyTime = currentTime;
  // Play harmony notes on both buzzers
  playDualTone(BUZZER1, harmonyMelody1[harmonyIndex],
         BUZZER2, harmonyMelody2[harmonyIndex],
         harmonyDurations[harmonyIndex]);
  // Move to next note pair
  harmonyIndex = (harmonyIndex + 1) % harmonySize;
// Function to turn off all LEDs
void allLedsOff() {
 digitalWrite(RED_LED, LOW);
 digitalWrite(YELLOW_LED, LOW);
 digitalWrite(GREEN LED, LOW);
// Function to run the disco light sequence (when IR detects)
```

```
void runDiscoSequence() {
 unsigned long currentMillis = millis();
 if (currentMillis - lastDiscoStep > discoStepInterval) {
  lastDiscoStep = currentMillis;
  // Turn off all LEDs
  allLedsOff();
  // Move to next LED in sequence
  discoStep = (discoStep + 1) \% 3;
  // Turn on the current LED in the sequence
  switch (discoStep) {
   case 0:
    digitalWrite(RED_LED, HIGH);
    break;
   case 1:
    digitalWrite(YELLOW_LED, HIGH);
    break;
   case 2:
    digitalWrite(GREEN_LED, HIGH);
```

```
break;
// Function for stereo pulsed tones in disco mode
void playStereoPulsedTones() {
 unsigned long currentMillis = millis();
 // Check which sensors are triggered
 if (distance2 < threshold && distance2 >= minValidDistance &&
   distance3 < threshold && distance3 >= minValidDistance) {
  // Both sensors - stereo ping-pong effect
  if (currentMillis - lastPulseChange > pulseOffTime) {
   lastPulseChange = currentMillis;
   if (!pulseState) {
    // Left to right
    playTone(BUZZER1, freq2, 50);
    delay(50);
    playTone(BUZZER2, freq3, 50);
   } else {
```

```
// Right to left
    playTone(BUZZER2, freq3, 50);
    delay(50);
    playTone(BUZZER1, freq2, 50);
   }
   pulseState = !pulseState;
 else if (distance2 < threshold && distance2 >= minValidDistance) {
  // Only sensor 2 - pulse buzzer 1
  if (currentMillis - lastPulseChange > (pulseState ? pulseOnTime :
pulseOffTime)) {
   pulseState = !pulseState;
   lastPulseChange = currentMillis;
   if (pulseState) {
    playTone(BUZZER1, freq2, 50);
 else if (distance3 < threshold && distance3 >= minValidDistance) {
```

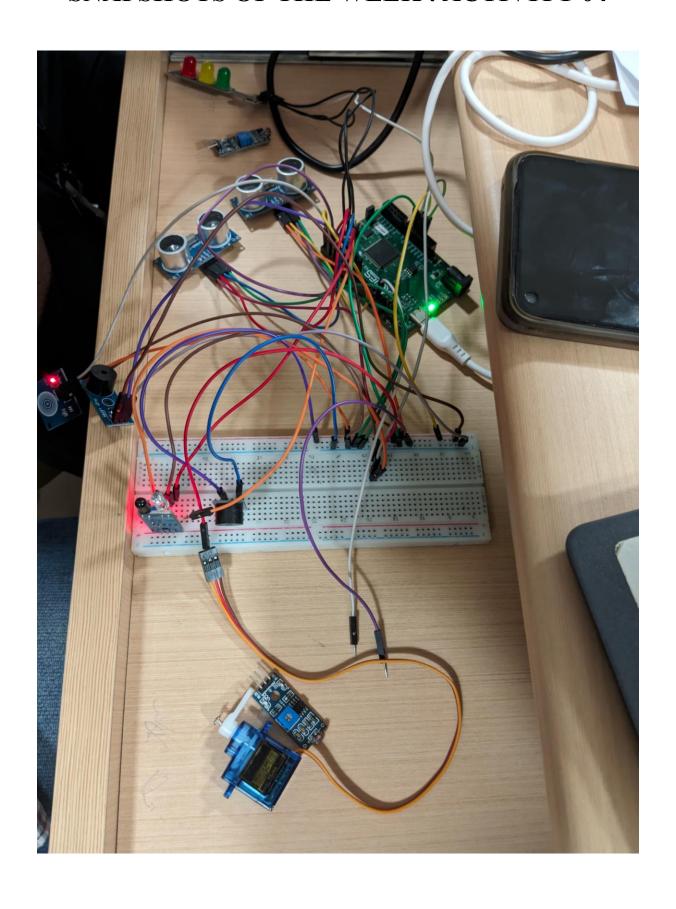
```
// Only sensor 3 - pulse buzzer 2
  if (currentMillis - lastPulseChange > (pulseState ? pulseOnTime :
pulseOffTime)) {
   pulseState = !pulseState;
   lastPulseChange = currentMillis;
   if (pulseState) {
    playTone(BUZZER2, freq3, 50);
void loop() {
 // Measure distances from ultrasonic sensors
 distance2 = measureDistance(TRIG_PIN2, ECHO_PIN2);
 distance3 = measureDistance(TRIG PIN3, ECHO PIN3);
 // Check IR sensor - NOTE: Logic is now inverted from previous
implementation
 irDetected = digitalRead(IR SENSOR) == LOW; // Assuming IR sensor
outputs LOW when object detected
```

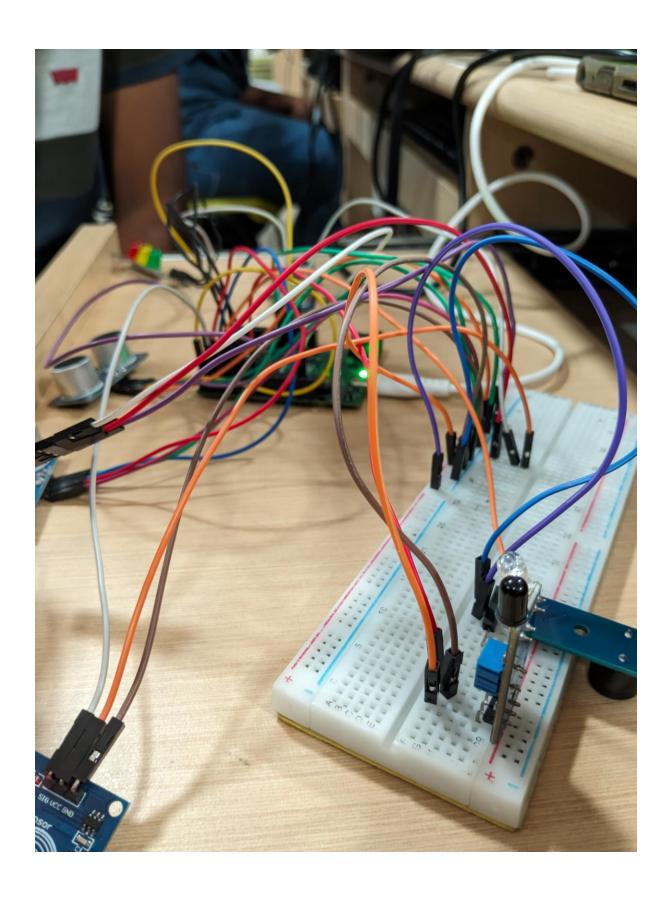
```
// Print debug info
Serial.print("Distance 2: ");
Serial.print(distance2);
Serial.print(" cm | Distance 3: ");
Serial.print(distance3);
Serial.print(" cm | IR: ");
Serial.println(irDetected? "Detected": "Not Detected");
// Turn off all LEDs initially
allLedsOff();
// MODE 1: IR object detected - Disco lights and stereo pulsed tones
if (irDetected) {
 // Run disco light sequence
 runDiscoSequence();
 // Play stereo pulsed tones based on which sensors are triggered
 playStereoPulsedTones();
 Serial.println("MODE 1: Disco lights and stereo pulsed tones");
```

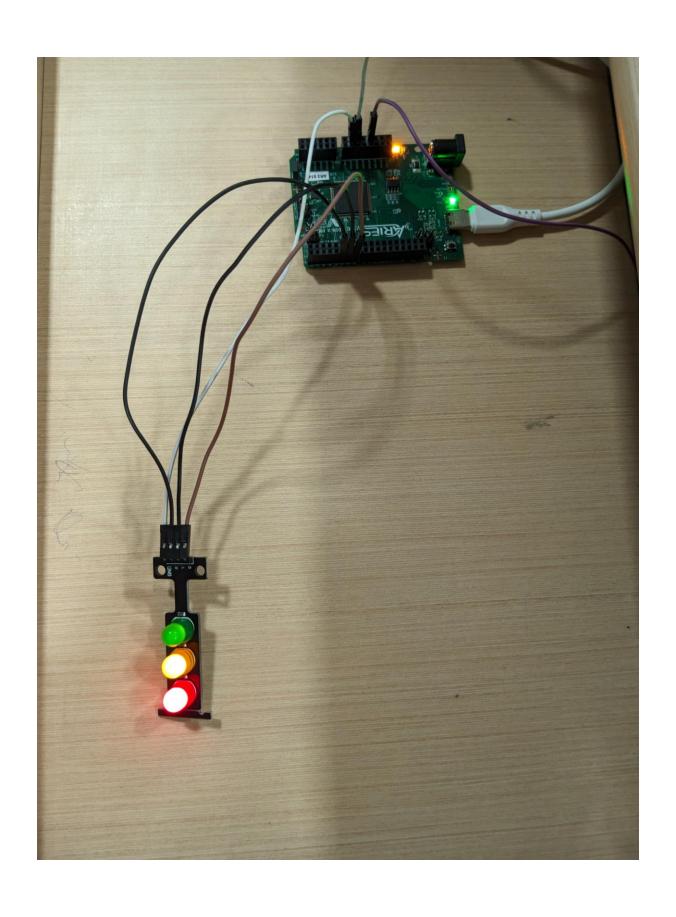
```
// MODE 2: No IR object - Steady lights and continuous melodies
 else {
 // Check sensors and play appropriate continuous tones
  if (distance2 < threshold && distance2 >= minValidDistance &&
    distance3 < threshold && distance3 >= minValidDistance) {
   // Both sensors - turn on both LEDs, play harmony
   digitalWrite(YELLOW_LED, HIGH);
   digitalWrite(GREEN LED, HIGH);
   playHarmonyMelody();
   Serial.println("MODE 2: Both LEDs ON - Playing harmony on both
buzzers");
  }
  else if (distance2 < threshold && distance2 >= minValidDistance) {
   // Sensor 2 only - turn on Yellow LED, play yellow melody on buzzer 1
   digitalWrite(YELLOW_LED, HIGH);
   playYellowMelody();
   Serial.println("MODE 2: YELLOW LED ON - Playing melody on buzzer
1");
  else if (distance3 < threshold && distance3 >= minValidDistance) {
   // Sensor 3 only - turn on Green LED, play green melody on buzzer 2
   digitalWrite(GREEN LED, HIGH);
```

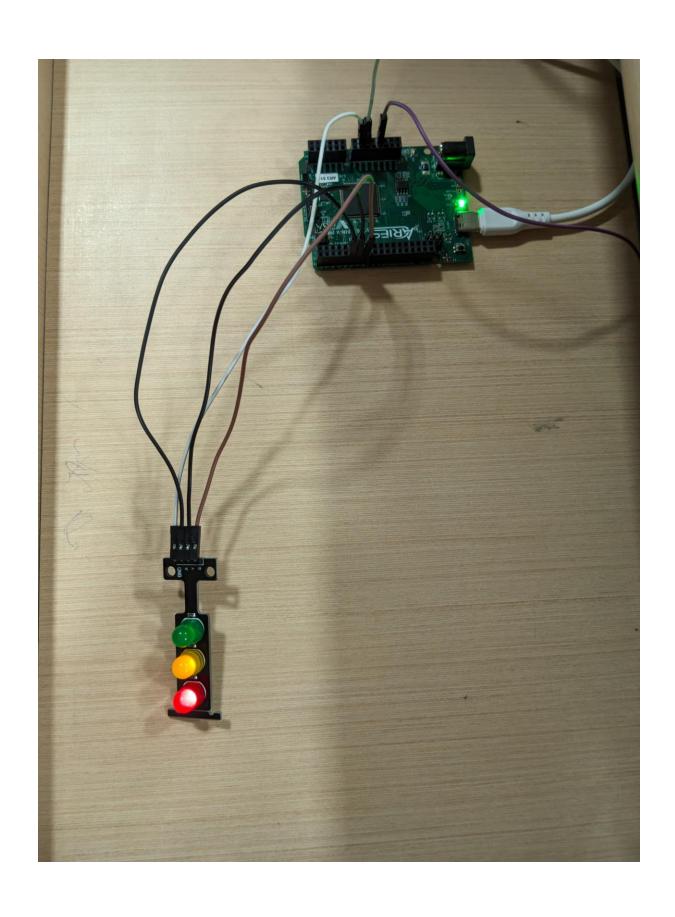
```
playGreenMelody();
   Serial.println("MODE 2: GREEN LED ON - Playing melody on buzzer
2");
  }
  else {
   // No sensors triggered - silence
   digitalWrite(BUZZER1, LOW);
   digitalWrite(BUZZER2, LOW);
// Short delay for stability
 delay(5);
```

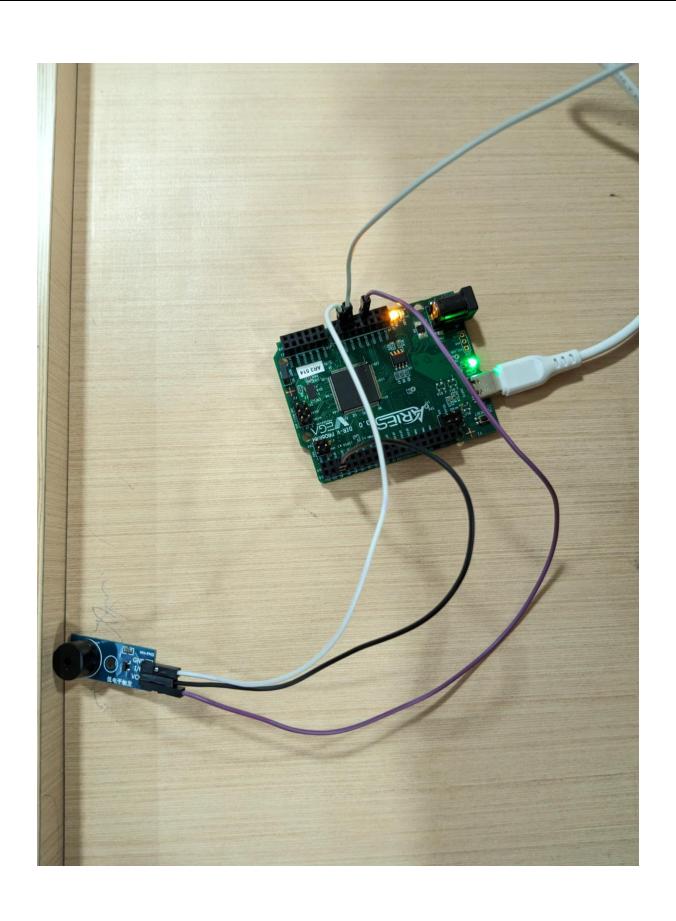
SNAPSHOTS OF THE WEEK: ACTIVITY 04











ACTIVITY 05 RFID ATTENDANCE CHECK

PROBLEM STATEMENT

If no card is shown, no LED in the RYG strip should glow. When a card is shown, if valid, Green should glow. If not valid, yellow should glow. If more than 5 attempts of invalid attendance, red would glow until board is reset.

COMPONENTS USED

Aries Development Board v3, USB Cable, RYG LED Strip, RFID module, RFID tag(s), jumper wires

PIN CONNECTIONS

RFID to Aries V3:

 $MISO \rightarrow MISO 0$

 $MOSI \rightarrow MOSI 0$

 $3V3 \rightarrow 3V3$

 $GND \rightarrow GND$

SCK -> SCLK 0

SDA / SS -> GPIO - 10

RYG Strip to Aries V3:

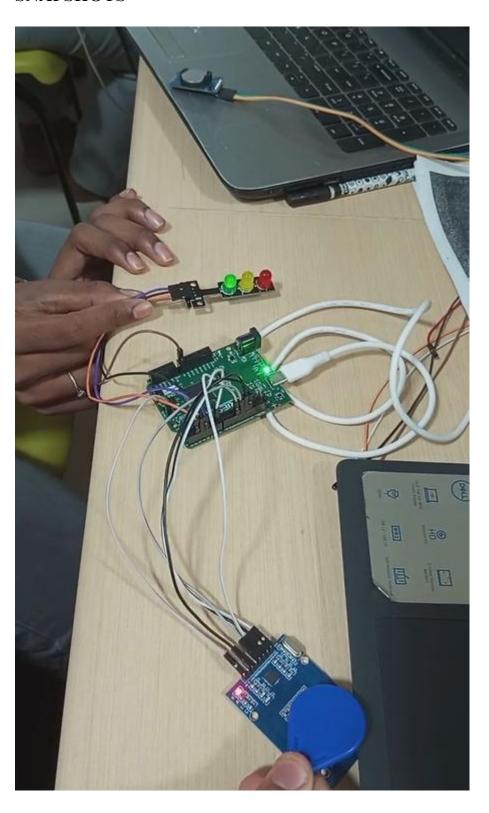
GND → GND

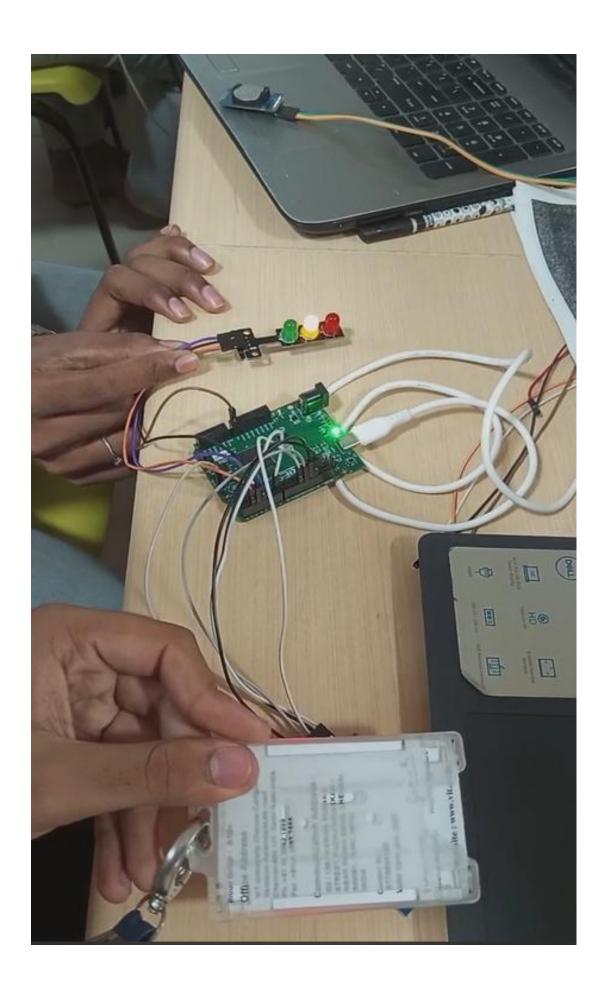
 $R \rightarrow GPIO 0$

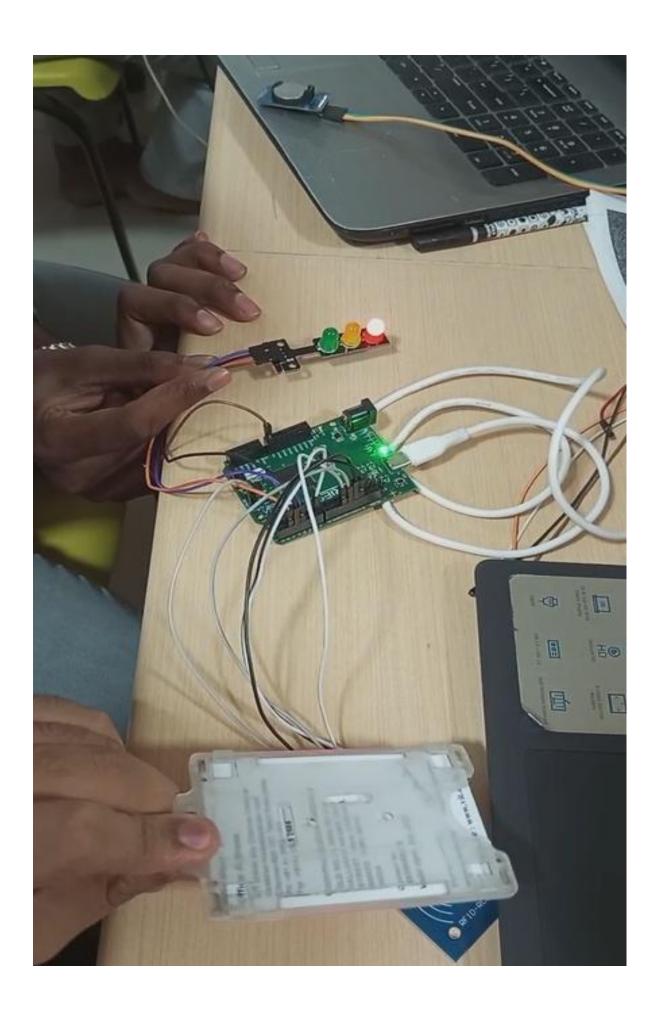
Y -> GPIO 1

G -> GPIO 2

SNAPSHOTS







```
CODE
#include <SPI.h>
#include <MFRC522.h>
// RFID pins definition
#define SS_PIN 10 // Connect SDA/SS pin of RFID to GPIO-10
#define RST_PIN 9 // Not required but defined for MFRC522 library
// LED pins definition
#define RED LED 0 // Connect Red LED pin to GPIO-0
#define YELLOW LED 1 // Connect Yellow LED pin to GPIO-1
#define GREEN LED 2 // Connect Green LED pin to GPIO-2
// RFID initialization
SPIClass SPI(0);
MFRC522 rfid(SS_PIN, RST_PIN);
MFRC522::MIFARE Key key;
// Define valid card UIDs (maximum 5 cards)
// First valid card from example: A8 AB B1 12 (hex)
const byte VALID_CARDS[][4] = {
 \{0xA8, 0xAB, 0xB1, 0x12\}, // Card 1
 // Add more valid cards here as needed
```

```
};
const int NUM_VALID_CARDS = 1; // Update when adding more cards
// Security tracking variables
int\ invalidAttempts = 0;
const int MAX_INVALID_ATTEMPTS = 3; // Changed from 5 to 3
bool systemLocked = false;
// LED feedback timing
unsigned long lastCardTime = 0;
const unsigned long FEEDBACK_DURATION = 3000; // 3 seconds
void setup() {
 // Initialize serial communication
 Serial.begin(115200);
 // Initialize SPI bus and RFID reader
 SPI.begin();
 rfid.PCD_Init();
 // Initialize LED pins
 pinMode(RED LED, OUTPUT);
```

```
pinMode(YELLOW_LED, OUTPUT);
 pinMode(GREEN_LED, OUTPUT);
 // Turn all LEDs off initially
 allLedsOff();
 // Initialize RFID key
for (byte i = 0; i < 6; i++) {
  key.keyByte[i] = 0xFF;
 Serial.println(F("RFID Access Control System"));
 Serial.println(F("Present your card for authentication"));
}
void loop() {
 // System locked state (after too many invalid attempts)
 if (systemLocked) {
  allLedsOff();
                      // Clear all LEDs first
  digitalWrite(RED_LED, HIGH); // Turn on ONLY red LED
                     // Exit loop until reset
  return;
```

```
// Check if we're currently in LED feedback mode (valid/invalid card was
just shown)
 if (millis() - lastCardTime < FEEDBACK_DURATION && lastCardTime >
0) {
  // Still in feedback period, don't do anything
  return;
 } else if (lastCardTime > 0) {
  // Feedback period has ended, turn off all LEDs
  allLedsOff();
  lastCardTime = 0;
 // Reset the loop if no new card present on the sensor/reader
 if (!rfid.PICC_IsNewCardPresent())
  return;
 // Verify if the NUID has been read
 if (!rfid.PICC_ReadCardSerial())
  return;
 // Check if the card UID matches any valid card
```

```
bool is ValidCard = false;
for (int i = 0; i < NUM_VALID_CARDS; i++) {
 if (memcmp(rfid.uid.uidByte, VALID_CARDS[i], 4) == 0) {
  isValidCard = true;
  break;
if (isValidCard) {
 Serial.println(F("Valid card detected."));
 digitalWrite(GREEN LED, HIGH); // Turn on green LED
 lastCardTime = millis(); // Start feedback timer
 invalidAttempts = 0; // Reset invalid attempts
} else {
 Serial.println(F("Invalid card detected."));
 invalidAttempts++;
 Serial.print(F("Invalid attempts: "));
 Serial.println(invalidAttempts);
 if (invalidAttempts >= MAX INVALID ATTEMPTS) {
  Serial.println(F("SECURITY ALERT: System locked!"));
  allLedsOff();
                   // Clear all LEDs
```

```
digitalWrite(RED LED, HIGH); // Turn on ONLY red LED
   systemLocked = true;  // Lock the system
  } else {
   digitalWrite(YELLOW_LED, HIGH); // Turn on yellow LED for feedback
   lastCardTime = millis(); // Start feedback timer
 // Halt PICC
rfid.PICC_HaltA();
// Stop encryption on PCD
rfid.PCD_StopCrypto1();
* Turn off all LEDs.
*/
void allLedsOff() {
digitalWrite(RED_LED, LOW);
digitalWrite(YELLOW_LED, LOW);
digitalWrite(GREEN_LED, LOW);
```

ACTIVITY 06 ALARM WITH RTC

PROBLEM STATEMENT

Set an alarm for a given hour:minute (24 hour format) using RTC and Buzzer

COMPONENTS USED

Aries Development Board v3, USB Cable, IR sensor, 4-bit display, jumper wires

PIN CONNECTIONS

Aries connection to DS1307:

 $VCC \rightarrow 3.3V$

GND -> GND

SDA -> SDA0

SCL -> SCL0

Aries connection to Buzzer:

 $VCC \rightarrow 3.3V$

GND -> GND

IN -> GPIO 0

SCL -> SCL0

```
#include <TimeLib.h>
#include <DS1307RTC.h>
#define BUZZER PIN 0 // Connect buzzer to GPIO-0
// EASY ALARM CONFIGURATION - SET YOUR ALARM TIME HERE
const uint8_t ALARM_HOUR = 14; // 24-hour format (e.g., 7 for 7AM, 15
for 3PM)
const uint8 t ALARM MINUTE = 58; // Minutes (0-59)
TwoWire Wire(0); // I2C-0
bool parse = false;
bool config = false;
bool alarmActive = false;
unsigned long lastBeepChange = 0; // For tracking beep pattern timing
uint8_t beepState = 0;  // For tracking position in beep pattern
const char *monthName[12] = {
 "Jan", "Feb", "Mar", "Apr", "May", "Jun",
 "Jul", "Aug", "Sep", "Oct", "Nov", "Dec"
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CODE

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};
tmElements_t tm;
tmElements_t alarmTime; // To store the alarm time
// the setup function runs once when you press reset or power the board
void setup() {
 // initialize serial communication
 Serial.begin(115200);
 pinMode(BUZZER_PIN, OUTPUT); // Set buzzer pin as output
 digitalWrite(BUZZER PIN, LOW); // Ensure buzzer is off initially
 delay(1000);
 Serial.println("RTC Alarm Clock with Buzzer");
 // Set RTC time using compiler time
 char timeString[9];
 char dateString[12];
 strcpy(timeString, __TIME__);
 strcpy(dateString, DATE );
 // get the date and time the compiler was run
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if (getDate(dateString) && getTime(timeString)) {
  parse = true;
  // and configure the RTC with this info
  if (RTC.write(tm)) {
   config = true;
 // Set the alarm using predefined hour and minute
 if (config) {
  setAlarmExact(ALARM_HOUR, ALARM_MINUTE);
// the loop function runs over and over again forever
void loop() {
 // Read current time from RTC
 if (RTC.read(tm)) {
  displayTime();
  checkAlarm();
 } else {
  Serial.println("Failed to read RTC!");
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}
 delay(1000); // Update every second
// Display the current time on serial monitor
void displayTime() {
 Serial.print("Current time: ");
 Serial.print(tm.Hour);
 Serial.print(":");
 if (tm.Minute < 10) Serial.print("0");</pre>
 Serial.print(tm.Minute);
 Serial.print(":");
 if (tm.Second < 10) Serial.print("0");</pre>
 Serial.print(tm.Second);
 Serial.print(" ");
 Serial.print(tm.Day);
 Serial.print(" ");
 Serial.print(monthName[tm.Month-1]);
 Serial.print(" ");
 Serial.println(tmYearToCalendar(tm.Year));
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// Set alarm to a specific hour and minute
void setAlarmExact(uint8_t hour, uint8_t minute) {
 alarmTime.Hour = hour;
 alarmTime.Minute = minute;
 Serial.print("Alarm set for: ");
 Serial.print(alarmTime.Hour);
 Serial.print(":");
 if (alarmTime.Minute < 10) Serial.print("0");</pre>
 Serial.println(alarmTime.Minute);
// Set alarm to trigger after specified minutes from current time
void setAlarm(int minutesFromNow) {
 if (RTC.read(alarmTime)) {
  // Set alarm time based on current time + minutesFromNow
  alarmTime.Minute += minutesFromNow;
  if (alarmTime.Minute >= 60) {
   alarmTime.Minute -= 60;
   alarmTime.Hour += 1;
   if (alarmTime.Hour >= 24) {
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alarmTime.Hour -= 24;
  Serial.print("Alarm set for: ");
  Serial.print(alarmTime.Hour);
  Serial.print(":");
  if (alarmTime.Minute < 10) Serial.print("0");</pre>
  Serial.println(alarmTime.Minute);
// Check if current time matches alarm time
void checkAlarm() {
 // Check if alarm should trigger (match hour and minute)
 if (tm.Hour == alarmTime.Hour && tm.Minute == alarmTime.Minute) {
  if (!alarmActive) {
   alarmActive = true;
   Serial.println("ALARM TRIGGERED!");
   lastBeepChange = millis(); // Initialize beep timing
   beepState = 0;
                       // Start pattern from beginning
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// Sound the buzzer with pattern
  soundAlarmPattern();
 } else {
  // Turn off buzzer and reset alarm flag if time no longer matches
  if (alarmActive) {
   alarmActive = false;
   digitalWrite(BUZZER_PIN, LOW);
// Create a more complex alarm sound pattern
void soundAlarmPattern() {
 // SOS pattern (... --- ...) with timing
 // Short beeps are 100ms, long beeps are 300ms, pauses are 100ms
 // Sequence pause is 500ms
 const uint8 t PATTERN LENGTH = 19; // Total states in pattern
 const uint16 t timings[PATTERN LENGTH] = {
  100, 100, 100, 100, 100, 100, // Three short beeps (S)
  300, 100, 300, 100, 300, // Three long beeps (O)
  100, 100, 100, 100, 100, 100, // Three short beeps (S)
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500, 500
                     // Longer pause before repeating
 };
 const bool states[PATTERN_LENGTH] = {
  HIGH, LOW, HIGH, LOW, HIGH, LOW, // Three short beeps (S)
  HIGH, LOW, HIGH, LOW, HIGH, // Three long beeps (O)
  HIGH, LOW, HIGH, LOW, HIGH, LOW, // Three short beeps (S)
                          // Longer pause before repeating
  LOW, LOW
 };
 unsigned long currentTime = millis();
 if ((currentTime - lastBeepChange) > timings[beepState]) {
  beepState = (beepState + 1) % PATTERN_LENGTH;
  digitalWrite(BUZZER PIN, states[beepState]);
  lastBeepChange = currentTime;
// Original simple alarm pattern (kept for reference)
void soundAlarm() {
 // Create a beeping pattern for the alarm
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if((tm.Second \% 2) == 0) {
  // On during even seconds
  digitalWrite(BUZZER_PIN, HIGH);
 } else {
  // Off during odd seconds
  digitalWrite(BUZZER_PIN, LOW);
bool getTime(char *str) {
 // get the time by seperating the string:
 char* time[3];
 int count = 0;
 char* token = strtok(str, ":");
 while (token != NULL) {
  time[count] = token;
  count++;
  token = strtok(NULL, ":");
 if(count == 3) {
  tm.Hour = atoi(time[0]);
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tm.Minute = atoi(time[1]);
  tm.Second = atoi(time[2]);
  return true;
 return false;
bool getDate(char *str) {
 // get the date by seperating the string:
 char* date[3];
 uint8_t monthIndex;
 int count = 0;
 char* token = strtok(str, " ");
 while (token != NULL) {
  date[count] = token;
  count++;
  token = strtok(NULL, " ");
 if(count != 3) return false;
for (monthIndex = 0; monthIndex < 12; monthIndex++) {</pre>
  if (strcmp(date[0], monthName[monthIndex]) == 0) break;
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if (monthIndex >= 12) return false;

tm.Day = atoi(date[1]);

tm.Month = monthIndex + 1;

tm.Year = CalendarYrToTm(atoi(date[2]));

return true;

}
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SNAPSHOTS OF THE CIRCUIT

