

# Dali Dust Box

## Open-Source PM2.5 Mapping

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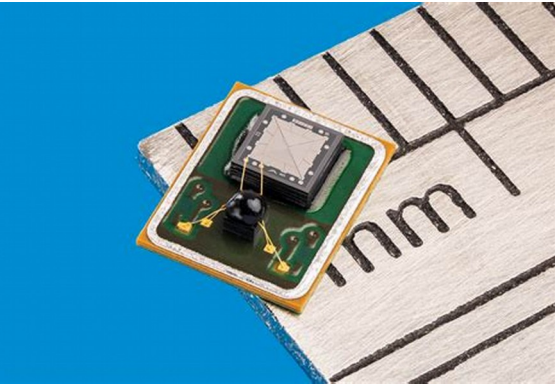
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# Introduction: Me!

- Kellner Emmanuel – 柯埃渺
- Studied micro-engineering
- Now, Sustainable development & Innovation
- At University of Geneva & Tsinghua



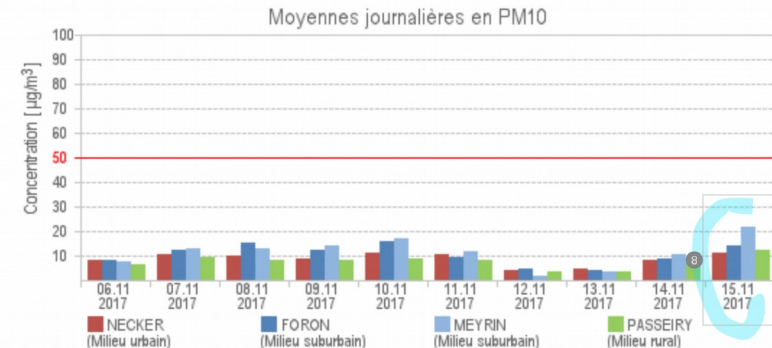
# Introduction: You!

- Short introduction!
  - Name
  - Major
  - Hometown
  - Any air quality issue there? What is the cause?
  - Any experience with environment monitoring?
  - Any experience with sensors / electronics?



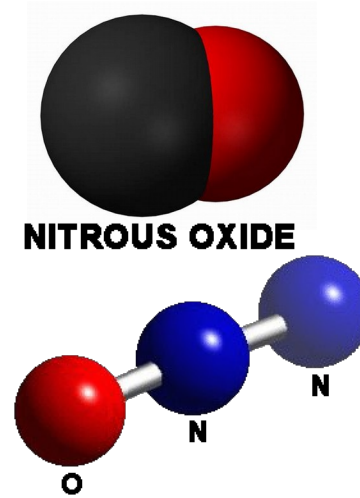
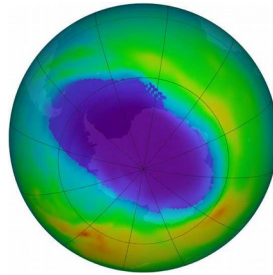


Evolution des moyennes journalières des PM10 pour les 10 derniers jours (— valeur limite)

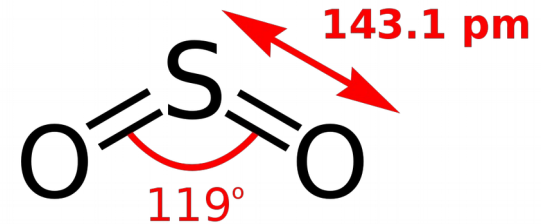
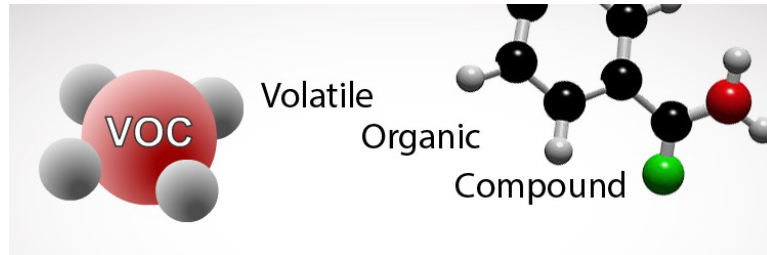
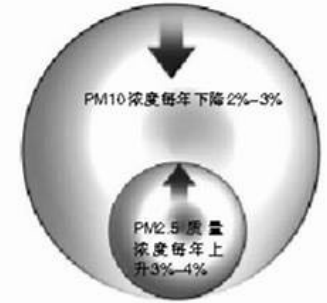


# What is air pollution?

- PM2.5 & PM10
- Carbon Monoxide (CO)
- Ozone (O<sub>3</sub>)
- Nitrous oxides (NO<sub>x</sub>)
- Sulfur Oxides (SO<sub>x</sub>)
- VOCs (benzene, formaldehyde...)
- ...



北京空气中PM10和PM2.5变化

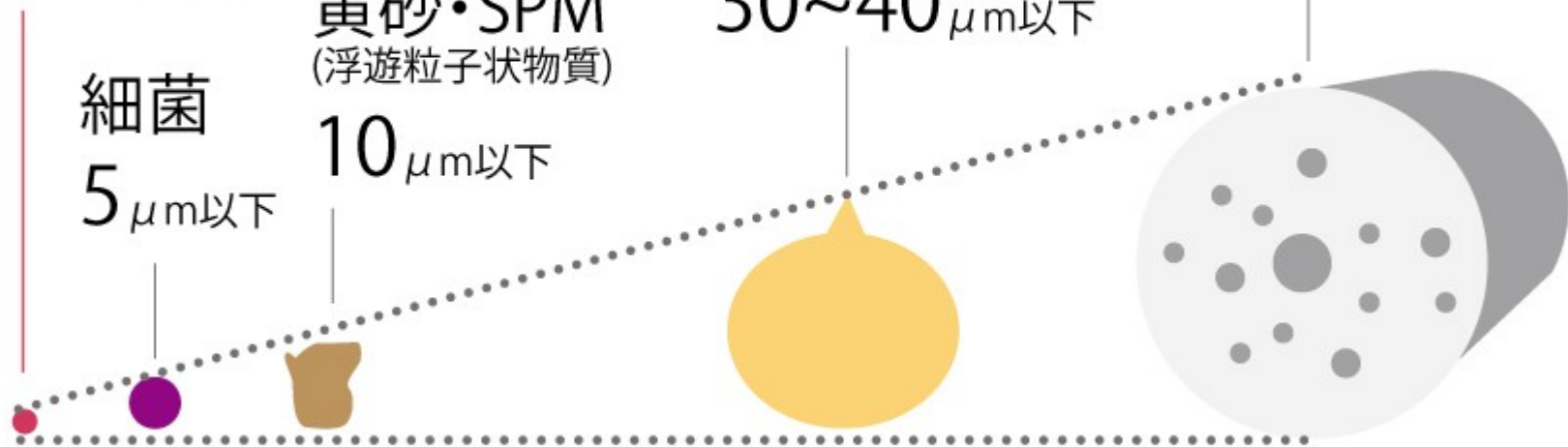


# PM2.5 & PM10

**PM2.5**

(微小粒子状物質)

2.5  $\mu\text{m}$ 以下



出典: 米国EPA・大阪府環境農林水産業  
「微小粒子状物質(PM 2.5)」に関する資料より



# What causes PM2.5 & PM10?



# Why measure PM2.5 & PM10?

- Dangerous!  
Responsible for 1 over 7 premature death  
In Switzerland!
- Everyone know them  
But not that well
- We can measure them

图片

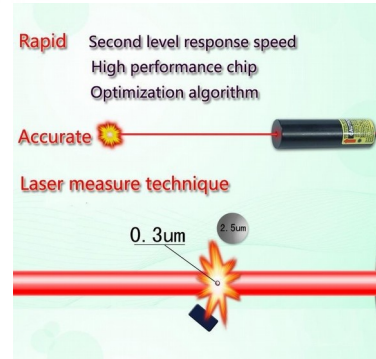
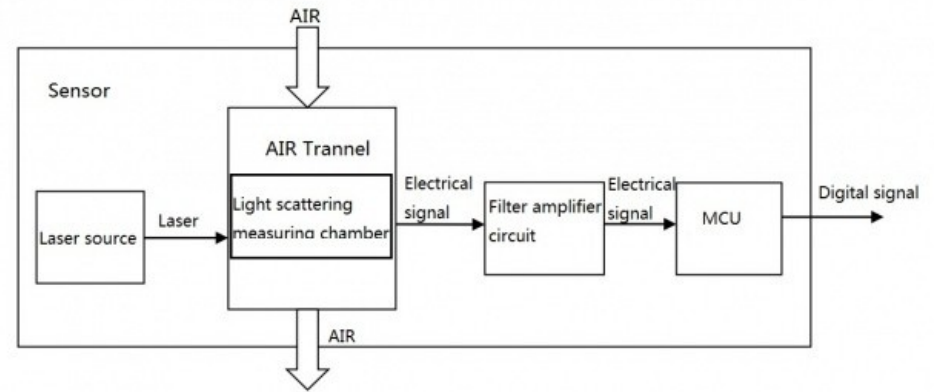
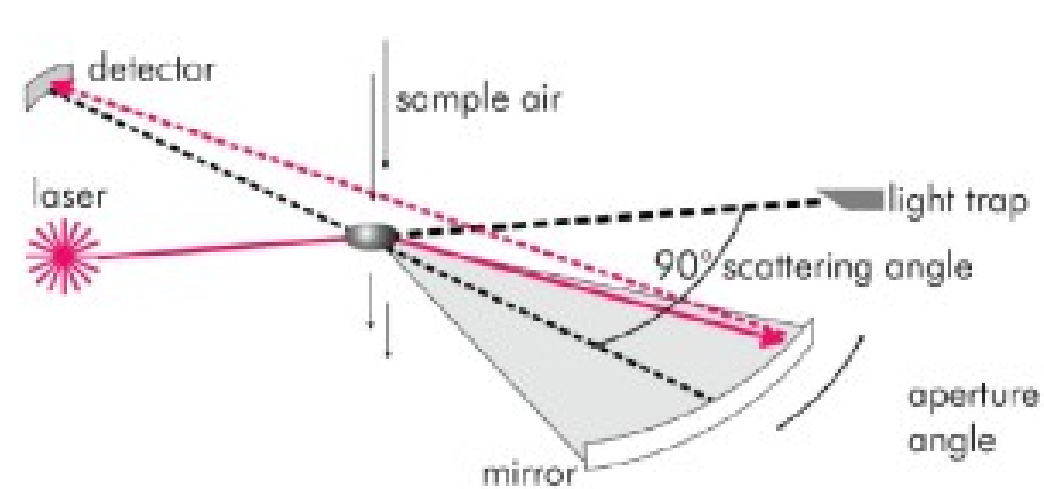
1952年12月5日，伦敦严重阴霾，交通混乱，5000多人被夺去生命，随后的3个月时间里约1.3万人死于呼吸系统并发症。那时，伦敦的PM2.5浓度达到1600。今天咱们这里是3900。希望大家保重！





# How to measure PM2.5 & PM10

- LASERS! IR laser scattering



# Okay, but... how to do that?

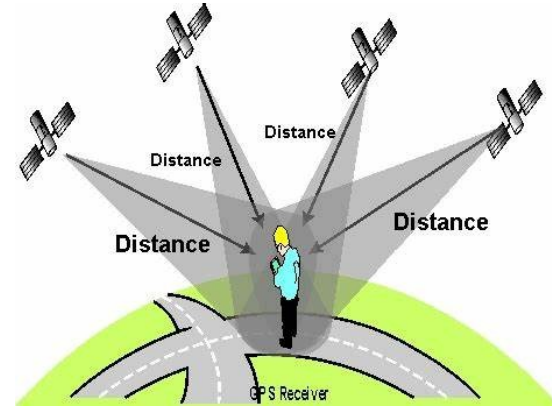
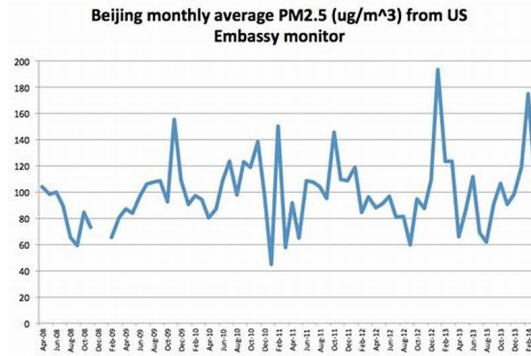
- No need to know how it works to use it!  
but better to understand a bit, to trust the data
- Many products exists. Find one that works for you.  
If you cannot find one, **make it!**



# How to map air pollution

Simple!

- Get PM2.5 & PM10 value
  - Get GPS position
  - Write all that to a file!
- How to measure PM2.5? Ask internet?
  - How to get position? Ask internet...
  - How to log that to a file? Ask internet!



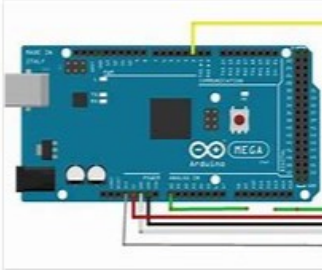


# Building on what is already there

- Find people already using what you need:

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pm2.5 arduino



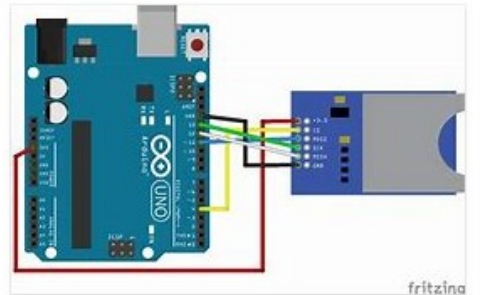
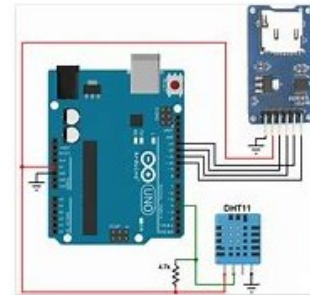
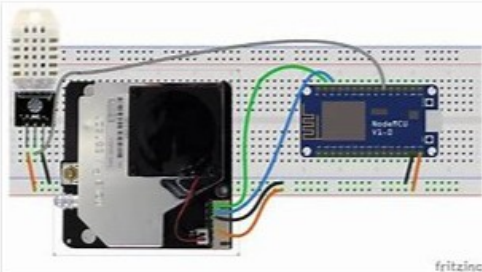
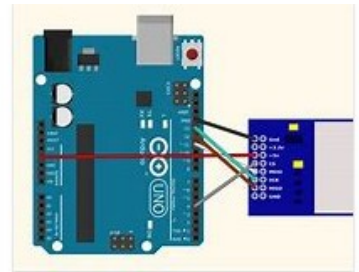
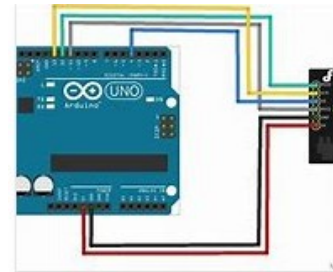
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gps arduino



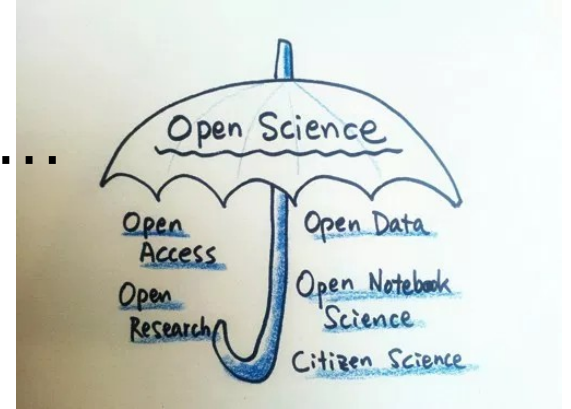
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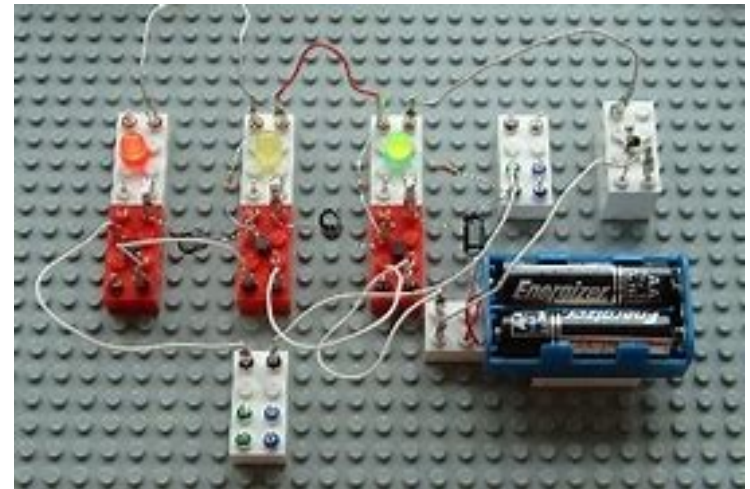
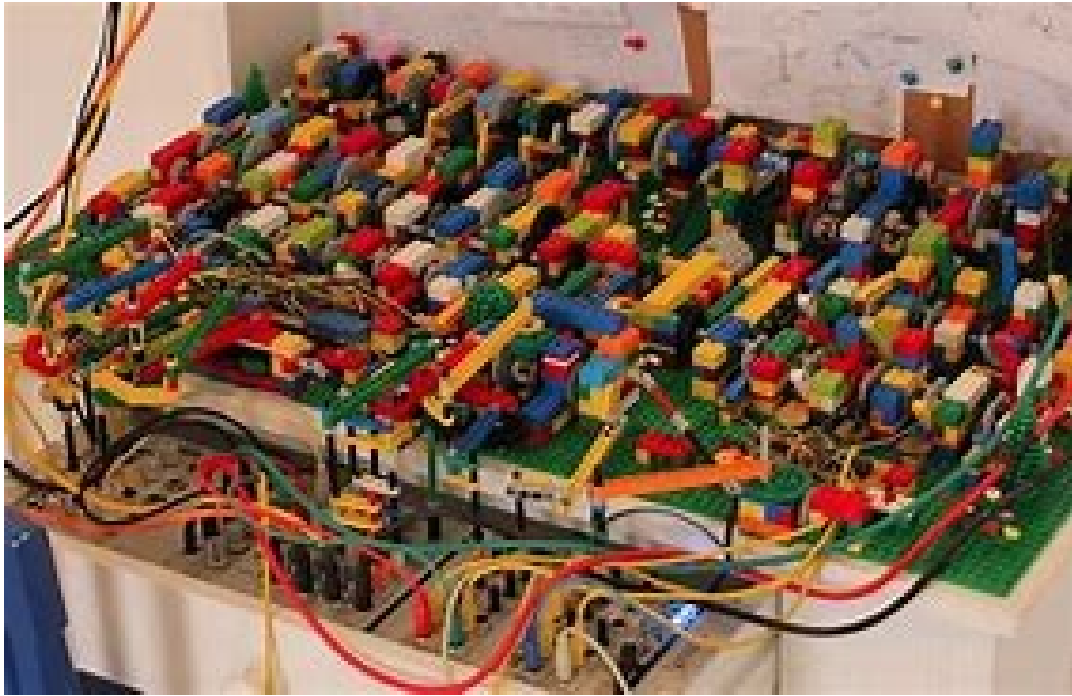


# Open source community

- Many people have similar issue  
Many people try things, similar, different...
  - Find out what others use, why, and how
- Documentation!
  - Like scientific papers: hypothesis, methodology, result
- Open source, Open Hardware, Open Science
  - Share so others can improve and share back!



# Prototype ( 原型 ) = LEGO / IKEA





# Components

- Microcontroller
- PM2.5/PM10 sensor
- Temperature/Humidity
- GPS
- SD-Card
- Lots of wires!



BME280



# Microcontroller - 单片机

- Bluepill – STM32
- Cheap! 10RMB
- Powerful
  - lots of input/outputs, fast
- Compatible Arduino (but cheaper ;) )
  - Do you know Arduino?



# PM2.5/PM10 sensor – PM 传感器

- SDS018
- (not so) cheap! 110RMB
- Good quality

cheaper sensors = random output  
more expensive sensors = too expensive!

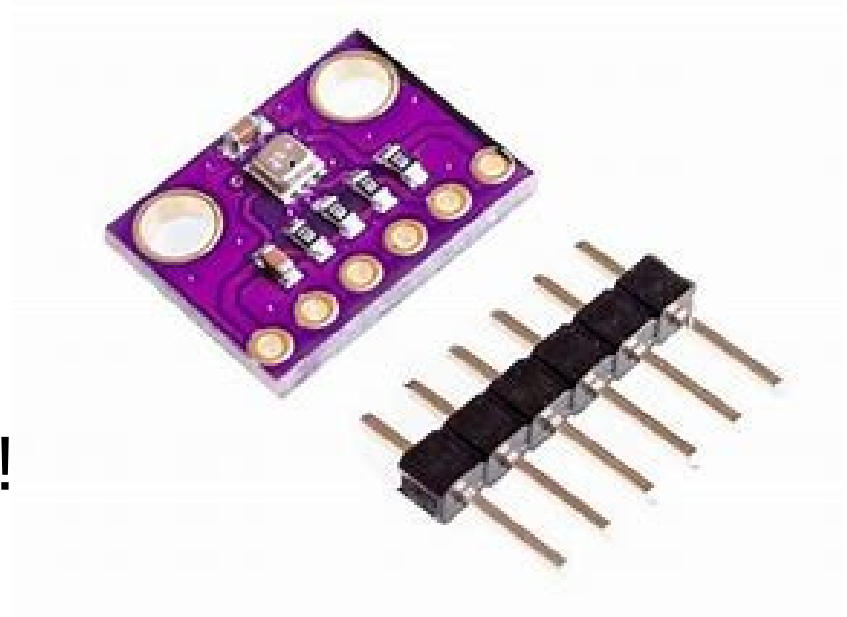
- Arduino Libraries available!





# Temperature & Humidity – 温度 & 湿度

- Why? Humidity change particle apparent size...
- BME280
- Cheap: 16RMB
- Good
- Not much to say...
- Arduino Libraries available!



# GPS receiver

- MT3339
- Expensive: 130RMB
- But good signal!

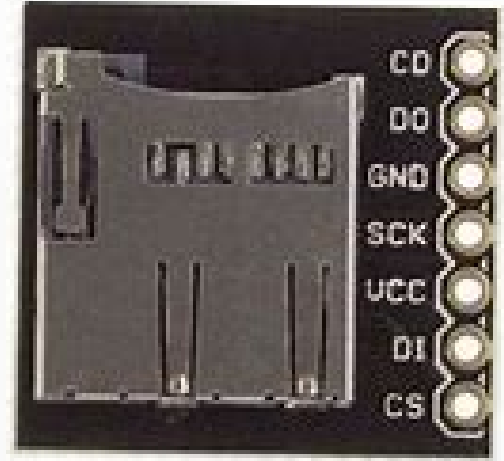
Mapping need correct position  
GPS signal is sometimes hard to get

- Arduino Libraries available!



# SD card reader

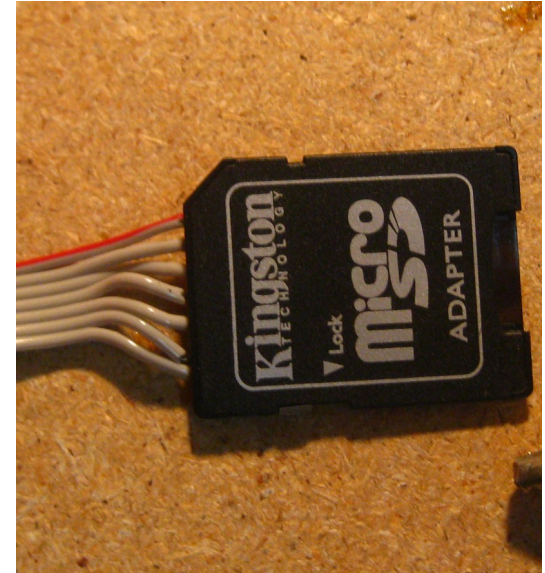
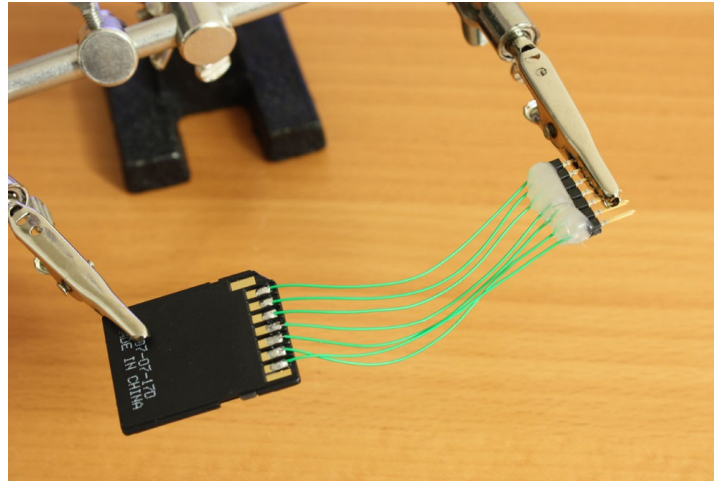
- Simple connection
- Cheap: 5RMB
- But...
- We didn't receive those... Hack!





# SD card reader hack

- Simple connection
- Cheaper: 1RMB
- But... a bit messy



# To summarize

	Component	Price
Microcontroller	Bluepill	10 RMB
PM2.5/PM10 sensor	SDS018	120 RMB
GPS	MT3339	130 RMB
Humidity & Temperature	BME280	15 RMB
SD card + breakout	No Name	20 RMB
<b>Total</b>		<b>300 RMB</b>
<b>Professional Solution</b>		<b>2100 RMB</b>
+ pencil & paper		

# Assembling

- How to wire things
- Breadboard prototype
- Soldering workshop

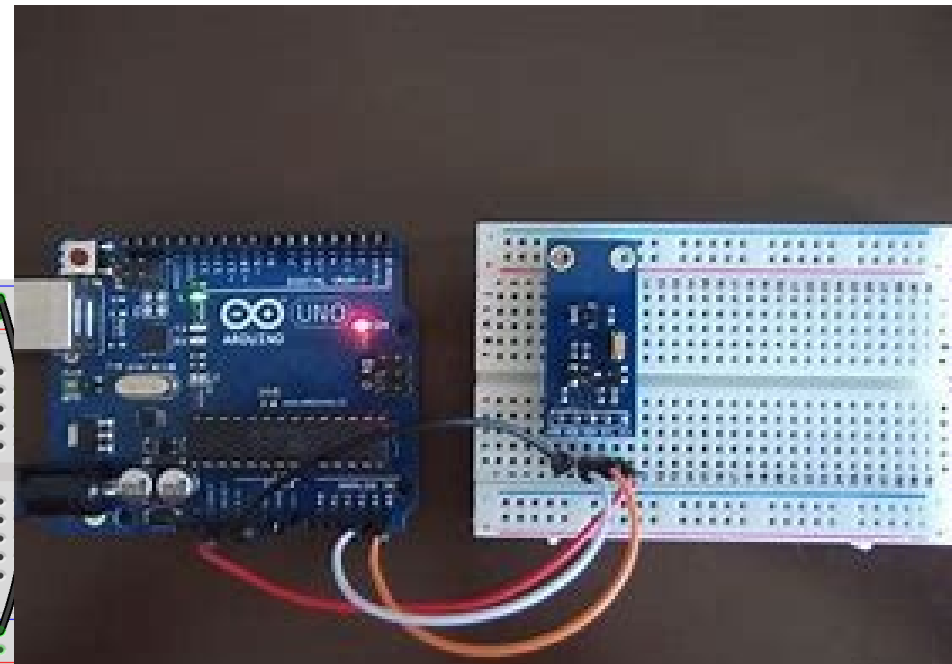
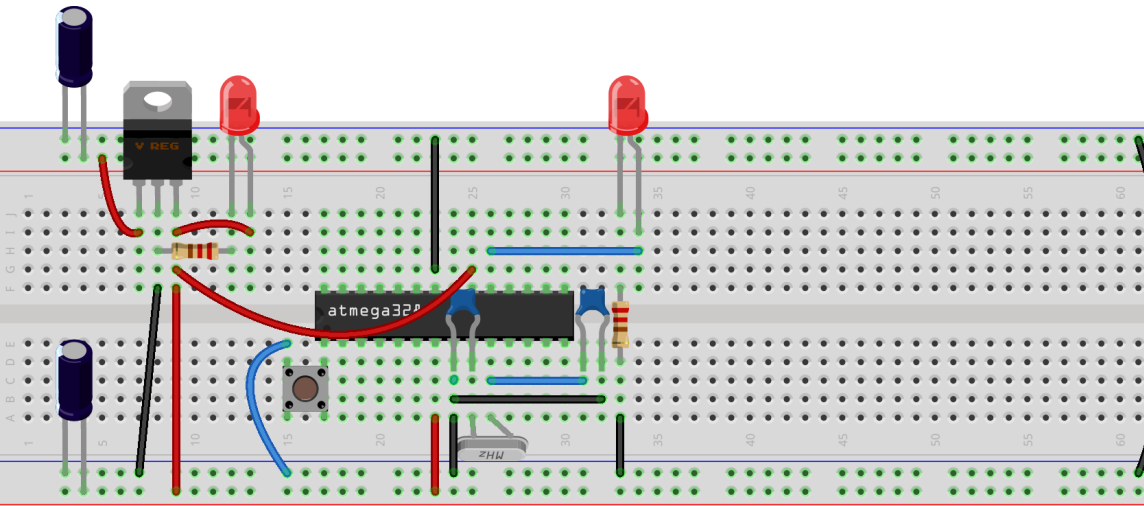
# Wiring

- Available online: follow instructions

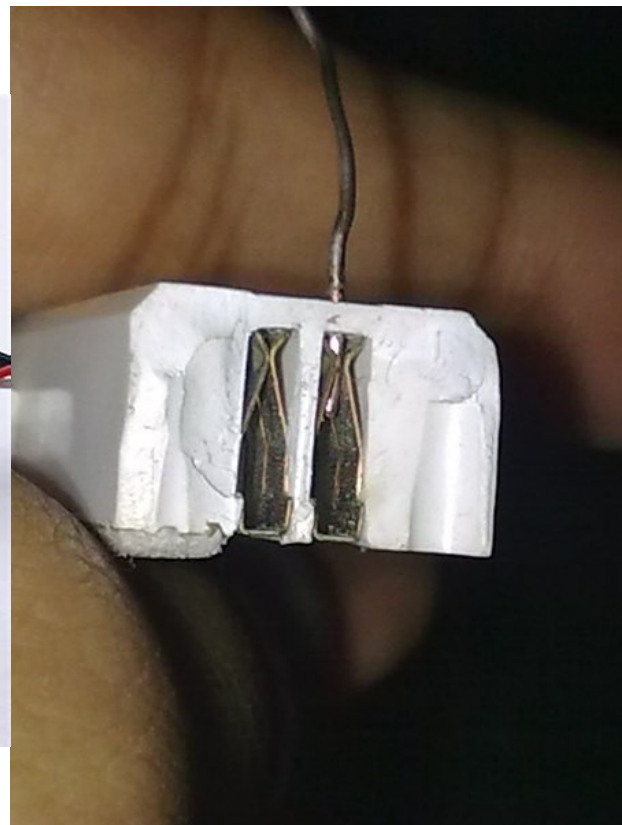
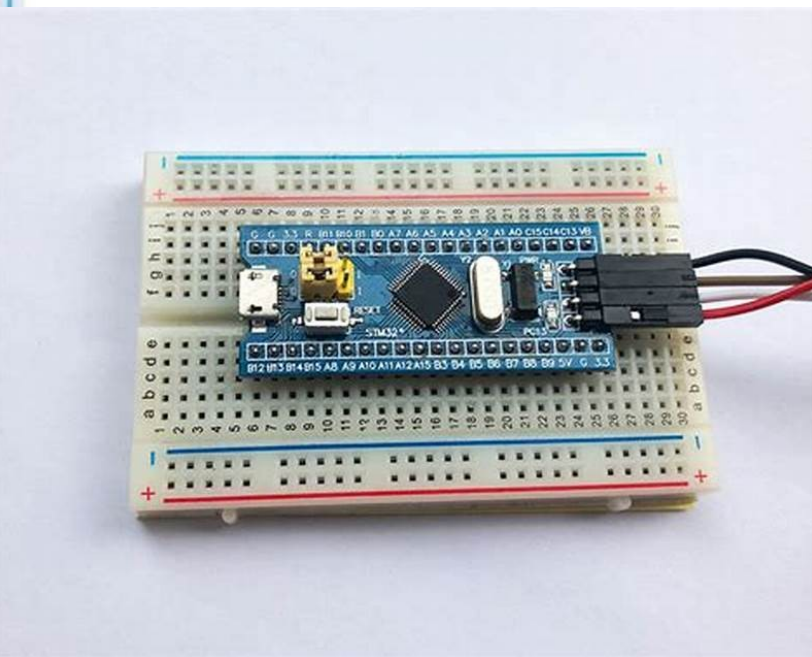
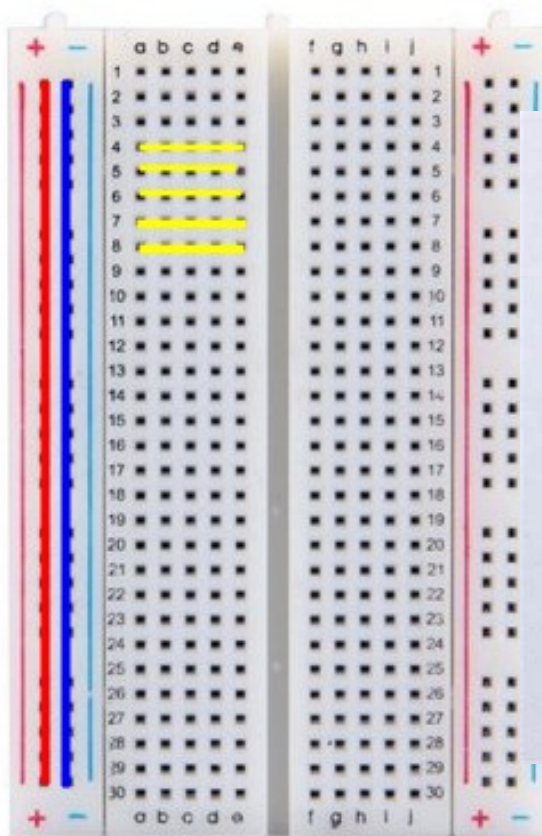


# Breadboard - 面包板

- Used to assemble without soldering
- To see if it works

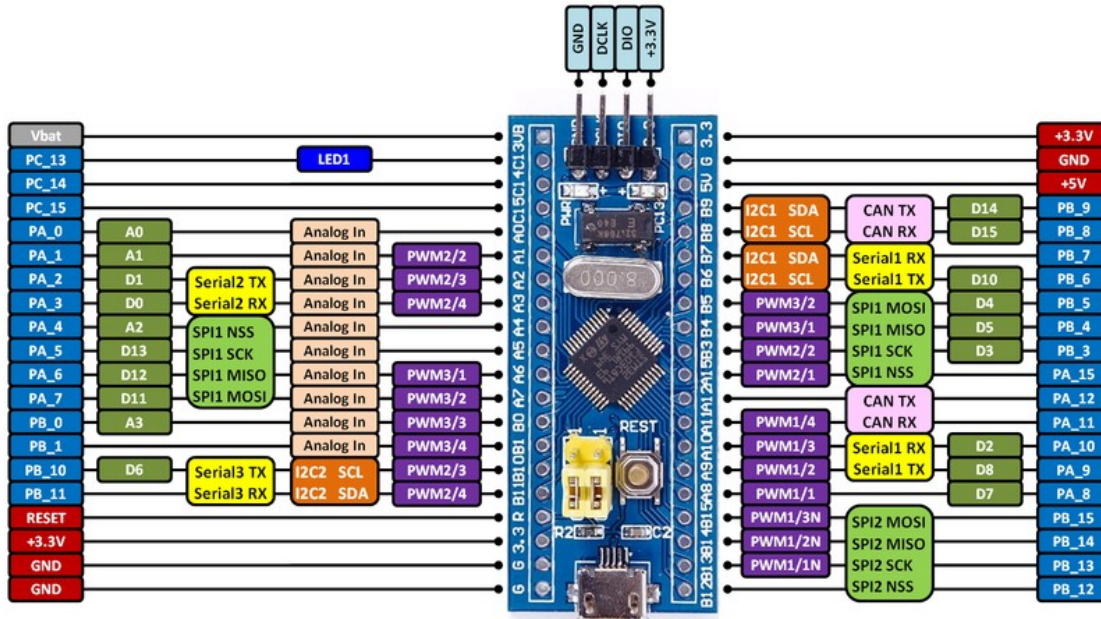


# Breadboard - 面包板



# Microcontroller - 单片机

- Pins have names and numbers
- They do different things: read signal, blink LED..



# PM2.5/PM10 sensor – PM 传感器

- Input: Electricity (5V, GND)
- Output: PM2.5, PM10 (TX, RX)

SDS018	BluePill
5V	5V
GND	GND
RX	B10
TX	B11

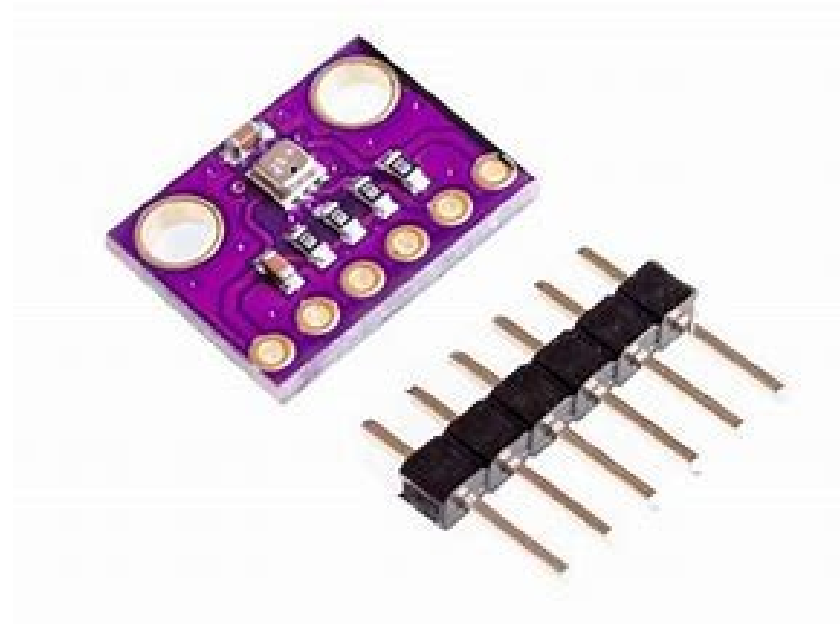




# Temperature & Humidity – 温度 & 湿度

- Input: Electricity (VCC, GND)
- Output: Temperature, Humidity, Pressure

BME280	BluePill
VCC	3.3V
GND	GND (G)
SCL	A5
SDA	A7
CSB	A4
SDO	A6



# GPS receiver

- Input: Electricity (VCC, GND)
- Output: Date/Time, Latitude, Longitude

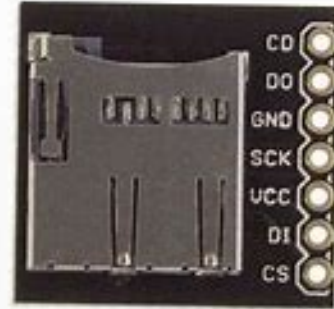
GPS	BluePill
GND	GND (G)
VCC	5V
TXD	A3
RXD	A2



# SD card

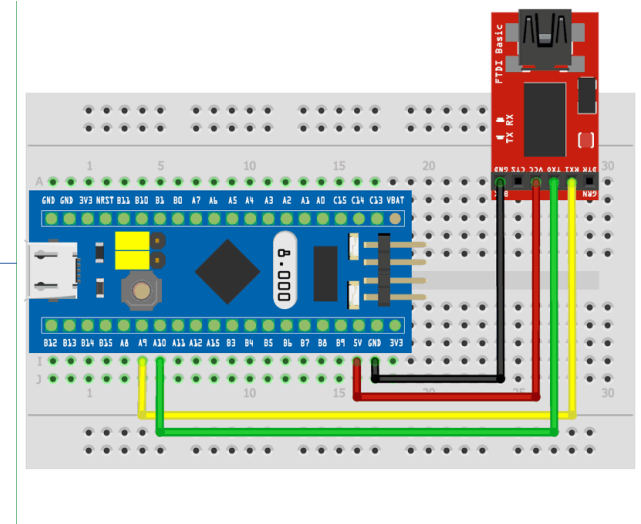
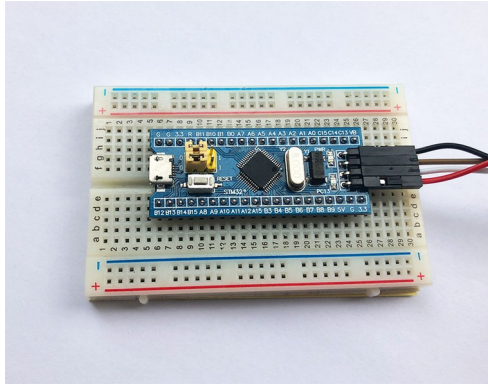
- Input: Electricity (VCC, GND), Data
- Output: ... writing logfile

SD breakout	BluePill
3V3	3.3V
CS	B0
MOSI	A7
CLK	A5
MISO	A6
GND	GND (G)



# Wiring

SDS018	BluePill
5V	5V
GND	GND
RX	B10
TX	B11





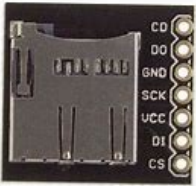
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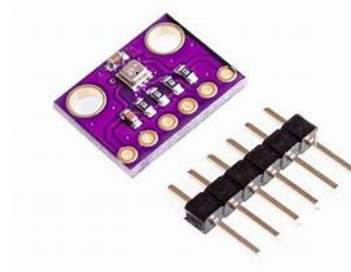
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RX	B10
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VCC	5V
TXD	A3
RXD	A2



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CS	B0
MOSI	A7
CLK	A5
MISO	A6
GND	GND (G)



BME280	BluePill
VCC	3.3V
GND	GND (G)
SCL	A5
SDA	A7
CSB	A4
SDO	A6

# Soldering