LINE FOLLOWING CAR FOR AGRICULTURE

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ABSTRACT

Line following car is the model that follows the line drawn on the floor by detecting the black strip. This model can be combined with agriculture to provide sustainable use of resources such as water, etc. and proper care of the flora and fauna is ensured.

The car is equipped with sensors that detects the environment around it and upon sensing something unusual such as low moisture content carries out the desired activity assigned to it. It is also designed to send information of the environment to the device of the owner. This way the owner ensures that his/her plantations are flourishing under the right condition.

The main objective of this project is to reduce the workload of farmers in addition to providing proper knowledge of the environmental factors that ensures the good yield of the product.

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1. INTRODUCTION

1.1 OBJECTIVES AND GOALS

- Design the LINE FOLLOWING CAR
- Detect the presence of the moisture in the soil and manage accordingly.
- Design the automatic irrigation system which has a varying intensity depending upon the intensity of moisture.
- Design the temperature detecting mechanism so that irrigation can be controlled based on temperature also.
- Properly managing the RF sensor so that the car follows the line by detecting the line through RF sensor.

1.2 APPLICATIONS

- To follow the line across the field so that it can sense the moisture and temperature of the all the corners of the field and can carry out the operations as desired.
- To report proper information to the farmer so that it benefits him and leads to proper yield.

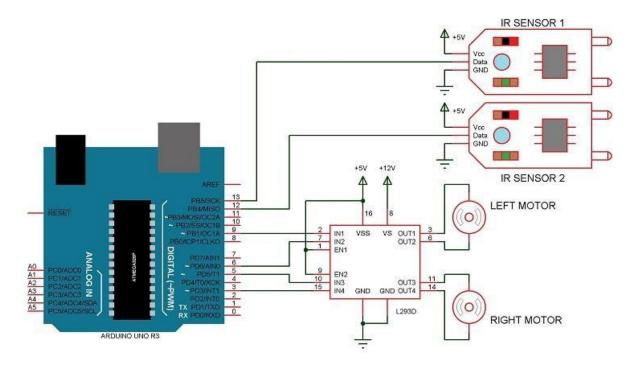
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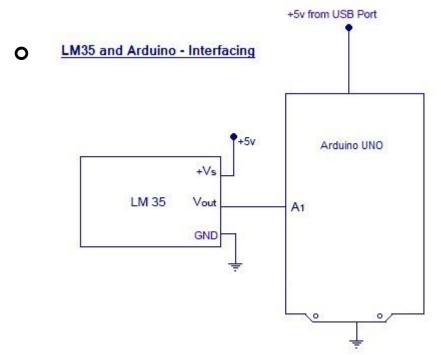
- To sense the moisture content in the environment.
- To sense the temperature of the environment.
- To follow the line using the RF sensor so that the car can traverse whole field properly.
- To irrigate the field on the basis of the sensed value of the moisture and temperature.

2. DESIGN

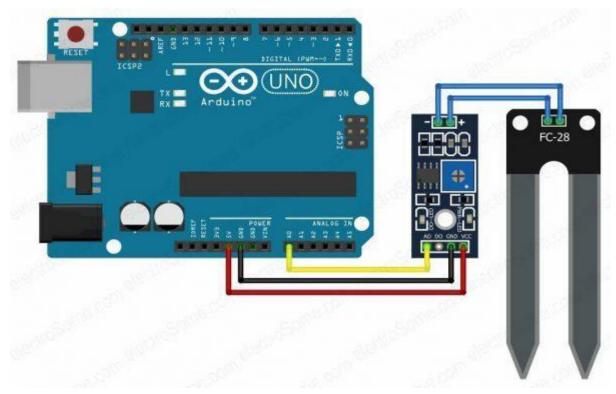
2.1 BLOCK DIAGRAM

• Line following car





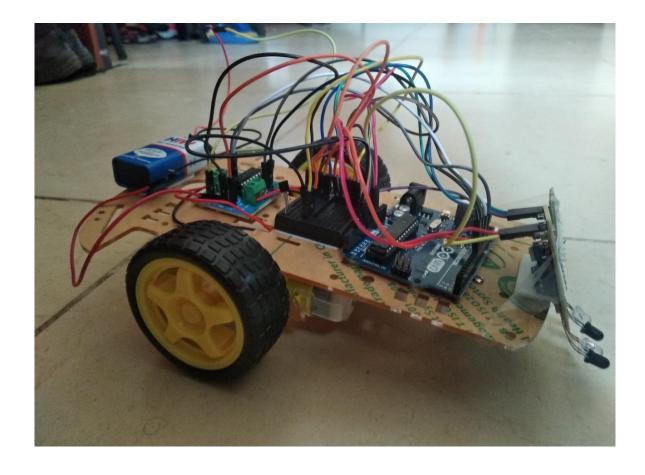
• Interfacing soil moisture module FC-28



2.2 HARDWARE ANALYSIS

- 1. Arduino Uno
- 2. Jumper cables (Female-Female, Male-Female)
- 3. Copper wires
- 4. LM-35 Temperature sensor module: Operating voltage: 4V-30V, Output signal: Analog output voltage which is proportional to temperature in degree Celsius, Range: -55°C to 150°C
- 5. Breadboard
- 6. Car Chassis
- 7. 4x Plastic tyres
- 8. 2x L293D Motor Driver Module: Supply-Voltage: 5 V, VSS Power Supply: 36 V, Separate Input-Logic Supply, Highest Output Current 1.2 A Per Channel.
- 9. 2x IR Sensor Module: Operating Voltage: 3.3V 5.0V, Detection range: 2cm 30cm (Adjustable using potentiometer), Current Consumption: at 3.3V: ~23 mA, at 5.0V: ~43 mA, On board Obstacle Detection LED indicator.
- 10. Soil moisture sensor: FC-28, Operating Voltage: 3.3V 5.0, Output Voltage: 0 4.2V, Input Current: 35mA, Output signal: Both Analog and Digital

2.3 SNAPSHOT



3. SOFTWARE

3.1 CODE AND EXPLANATION

```
float tempc; //variable to store temperature in degree Celsius
 float tempf; //variable to store temperature in Fahreinheit
 float vout; //temporary variable to hold sensor reading
void setup()
{
 pinMode(A3,INPUT); // Initialize pin A3 for soil moisture sensor
 pinMode(A0,INPUT); // Initialize Pin A0 as Input Pin for IR Sensor 1
 pinMode(A1,INPUT); // Initialize Pin A1 as Input Pin for IR Sensor 2
 pinMode(8,OUTPUT); // Initialize Pin 8 as Output Pin for Motor Output 2
 pinMode(9,OUTPUT); // Initialize Pin 9 as Output Pin for Motor Output 2
 pinMode(10,OUTPUT); // Initialize Pin 10 as Output Pin for Motor Output
1
```

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pinMode(11,OUTPUT); // Initialize Pin 11 as Output Pin for Motor Output
1
 Serial.begin(9600); // Initialize Serial monitor for output
 pinMode(A2,INPUT); // Initialize pin A2 for temperature sensor module
void loop() // put your main code here, to run repeatedly:
 vout=analogRead(A2); //Reading the value from temperature sensor
 output_value= analogRead(sensor_pin); //Read soil moisture value
 output_value = map(output_value,550,0,0,100); //Analog to readable value
 Serial.print("Mositure : ");
 Serial.print(output_value);
 Serial.println("%");
 delay(1000); // Print and delay the monitor
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vout=(vout*500)/1023; // Converting analog to readable value
 tempc=vout; // Storing value in Degree Celsius
 Serial.print("Temperature=: ");
 Serial.println(tempc);
 delay(1000); // Print and delay monitor
 int b = analogRead(A0); // Get the values from Pin A0
 int a = analogRead(A1); // Get the values from Pin A1
 /* The Two variables a and b are used for this particular circuit. When the
IR Sensor detects white or any other color the range is less than 100,
                                                                      and
when it detects black color, then the Range is above 1000. So, we have taken
a Mid-Point Parameter with range of 100. */
/* digitalWrite is used to write a HIGH or a LOW value to a specified digital
pin (LOW and HIGH is the voltage level of the particular pin) */
  if(a<100 && b<100){
                              // Forward Movement
digitalWrite(8,HIGH); // Pin 8 is High for Motor Output 2
digitalWrite(9,LOW);
                            // Pin 9 is Low
                                             digitalWrite(10,HIGH);
// Pin 10 is High for Motor Output 1
```

```
digitalWrite(11,LOW); // Pin 11 is Low
 if(a>100 && b<100){
                           // Right Movement
  digitalWrite(8,LOW);
                           // Pin 8 is Low
  digitalWrite(9,LOW);
                           // Pin 9 is Low
  digitalWrite(10,HIGH);
                         // Pin 10 is High for Motor Output 1
  digitalWrite(11,LOW);
                         // Pin 11 is Low
}
                           // Left Movement
  if(a<100 && b>100){
  digitalWrite(8,HIGH);
                           // Pin 8 is High for Motor Output 2
  digitalWrite(9,LOW);
                           // Pin 9 is Low
  digitalWrite(10,LOW); // Pin 10 is Low
                                                digitalWrite(11,LOW);
// Pin 11 is Low
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if(a>100 && b>100){  // Stop

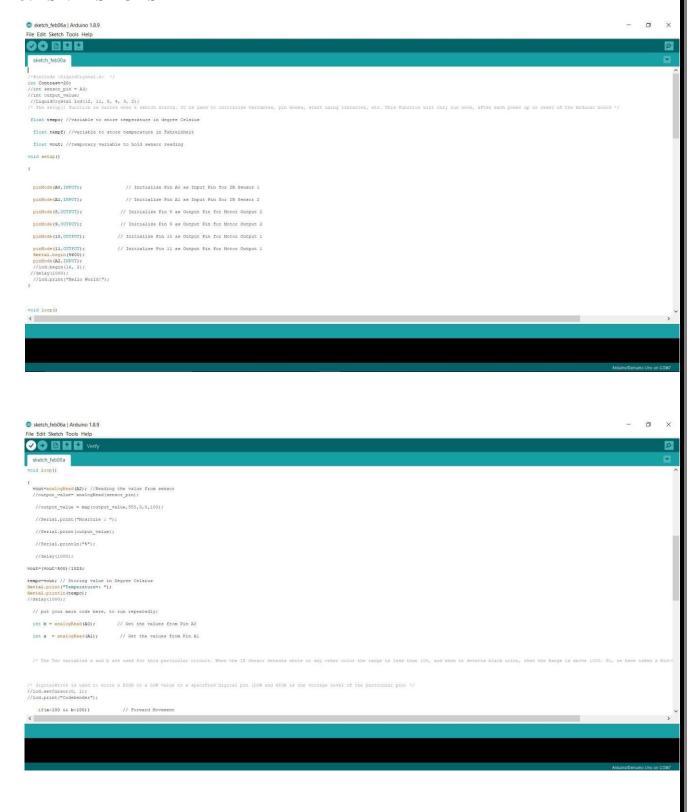
digitalWrite(8,LOW);  // Pin 8 is Low

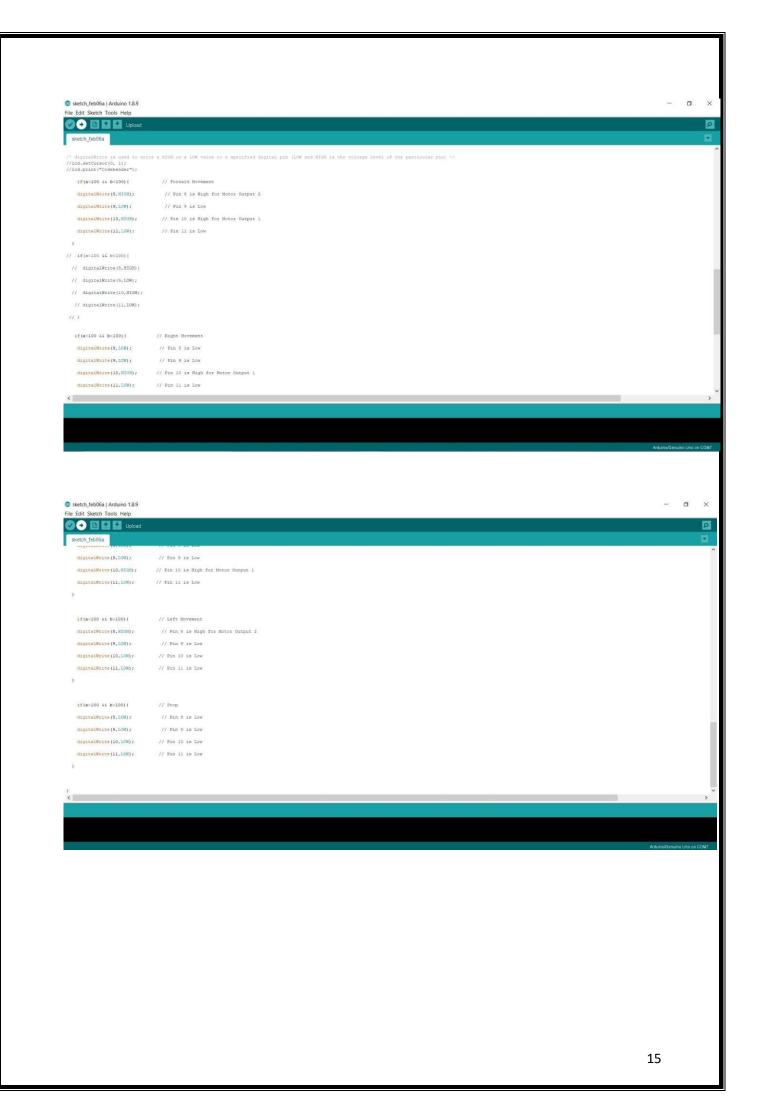
digitalWrite(9,LOW);  // Pin 9 is Low

digitalWrite(10,LOW);  // Pin 10 is Low

digitalWrite(11,LOW);  // Pin 11 is Low
}
```

3.2 SNAPSHOTS





4. CONCLUSION AND FUTURE WORK

4.1 CONCLUSION

Technology can serve a greater purpose by making them handle the redundant tasks which we humans repeat. For the farmers, they need to keep a constant check on the environment on which their crops are growing. Our device makes that task a bit easier. So now they need not go to their land and test each and every time.

By reducing their burden of checking their environment on which crops are growing, they can focus on other works like marketing, future planning etc.

4.2 FUTURE WORK

- An involvement of mobile application which will be installed in user's phone. The application will uniquely identify the controlling device and store the values in database for future reference.
- An additional variable will be added which can uniquely identify the place or the relative distance from where the measurements that were taken.

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