

Temperature Sensor

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Files for Temperature Sensor:

<https://github.com/SofiaXie/Temperature-Sensor>

GitHub Link:

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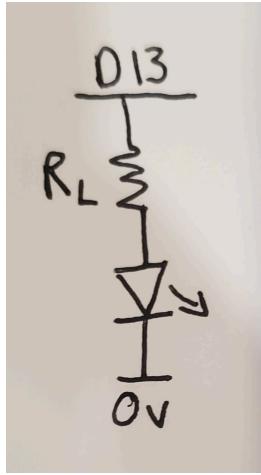
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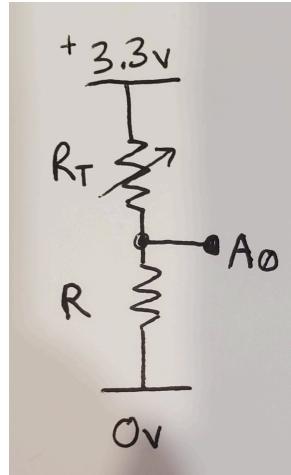
Designing the Circuit

Choosing Resistor Values



LED Circuit

Values: $R_L = 1\text{k}\Omega$



Voltage Divider

Values: $R_T = 30\text{k}\Omega - 60\text{k}\Omega$; $R = 57\text{k}\Omega$

Circuit Diagram for Functionality

Ohm's law is integral to your understanding of electronics, and ensures the current is properly limited so as to not burn out any components. The LED circuit has a resistor, R_L , to limit the current flowing through the diode protecting it from burning out. The LED can handle a max current of 10mA. To ensure this current is well below this level the resistance was calculated with $I = 3\text{mA}$. This gave us a standard resistor value of $1\text{k}\Omega$.

Ohm's Law:

$$V = I * R_L$$

Rearranged to find Resistance:

$$R_L = \frac{V}{I}$$

Value Calculations:

$$D13 = 2.7\text{V}$$

$$I_{max} = 3\text{mA}$$

$$R_L = \frac{V}{I}$$

$$R_L = \frac{2.7}{0.003} = 900$$

Voltage divider outputs a fraction of the input voltage. This ratio is determined by the resistor values used. R_T is a NTC thermistor which operates linearly between the ranges of $60\text{k}\Omega$ (room temp) to $30\text{k}\Omega$ (100F). It's real values was measured to be $54.7\text{k}\Omega$. The value of R

was chosen to be a standard value of $57\text{k}\Omega$, to equally divide the supply voltage of 3.3 V to 1.65 V.

Voltage Divider Equation:

$$V_D = V_S \frac{R}{R+R_T}$$

Rearranged to find Resistance:

See full algebra in appendix 1.

$$R = \frac{V_S - V_D}{V_D R_T}$$

Value Calculations:

$$V_S = 3.3\text{V}$$

$$V_D = 1.65\text{V}$$

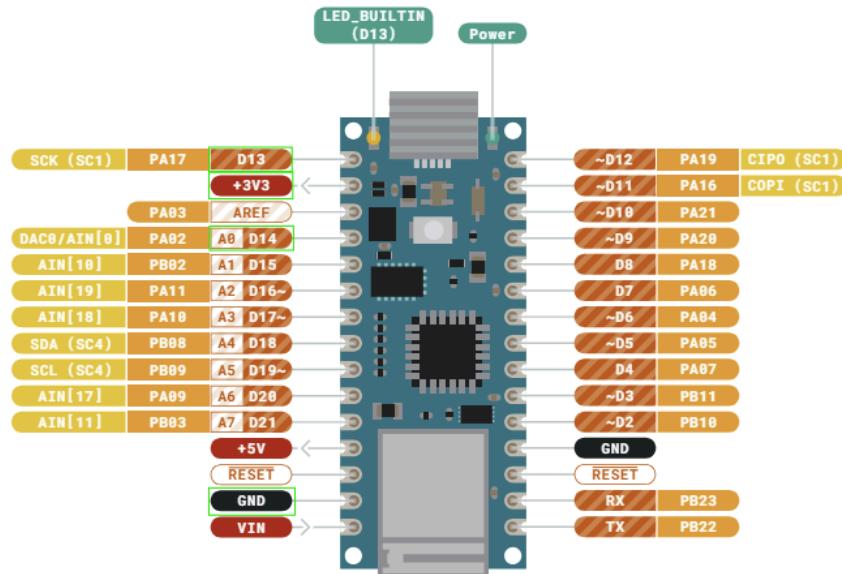
$$R_T = 54.7\text{ k}\Omega$$

$$R = \frac{V_D R_T}{V_S - V_D}$$

$$R = \frac{1.65(54,700)}{3.3 - 1.65}$$

$$= \frac{90285}{1.65} = 54.7\text{ k}\Omega$$

Connecting to Arduino



Pinout Diagram for the Arduino Nano 33 IoT

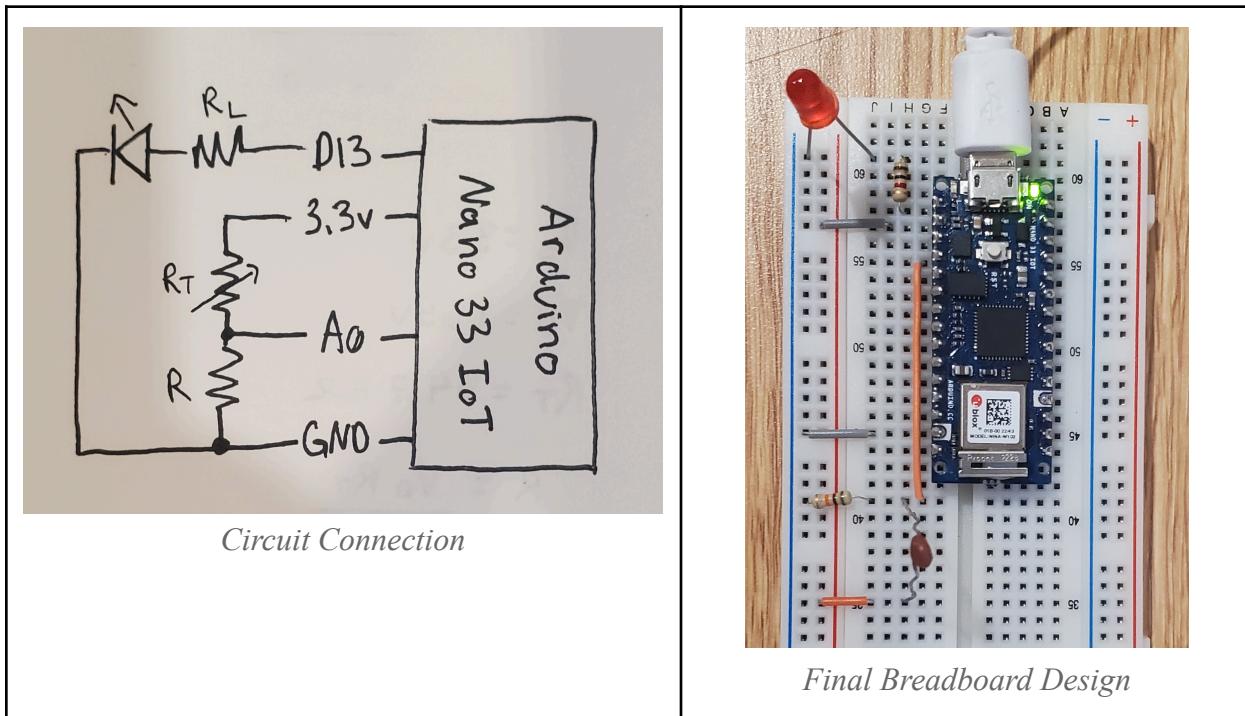
LED Circuit:

D13 provides the voltage to turn on the LED, it was measured to be 2.7V.

Voltage Divider:

Input (V_s) of 3.3V was used to power the circuit. The GND pin is connected to 0V. A0 was connected to the output of the voltage divider, V_D .

Putting it All Together



Reading the Data

Coding the arduino to read voltage and convert to temperature.

Why Nano33 IoT?

When first conducting research on how to display analog data to the website I was looking at using BLE (bluetooth Low Energy) Technology and chose the Arduino Nano33 IoT. After talking with team members and learning more about coding the Arduino it became apparent that sending data via bluetooth required creating a client to receive data, and was proven to be too difficult. We also looked into sending data over wifi but quickly discovered it would be challenging due to encryption.

Learning to Code Arduino

Ardunio has very thorough [documentation](#) on how to use its devices and provides great starter tutorials. I used “[Controlling LED](#)” and “[Connecting to WiFi](#)” to learn to program arduino.

Converting Voltage to Temperature

Math Time! I did not want a linear relationship so I hardcoded voltage ranges to match certain temperature values.

```
15 void loop() {
16     unsigned long currentMillis = millis();
17
18     if(currentMillis - previousMillis >= interval){
19         previousMillis = currentMillis;
20         int sensorValue = analogRead(A0); //reads 1023 values
21         float voltage = sensorValue * (3.3/1023.0); //read voltage
22
23         if (voltage < 1.5) {
24             temp = (60.0/1.5)*voltage;
25         }
26         if(voltage < 1.6 & voltage > 1.5){
27             temp = (70.0/1.6)*voltage;
28         }
29         if(voltage < 1.7 & voltage > 1.8){
30             temp = (80.0/1.8)*voltage;
31         }
32         if(voltage < 1.8 & voltage > 1.9){
33             temp = (90.0/1.9)*voltage;
34         }
35         if(voltage > 2.0 & voltage < 2.1){
36             temp = (95.0/2.0)*voltage;
37         }
38
39         // If temp to high led turns on!
40         if(voltage > 3.2){
41             temp = (95.0/2.0)*voltage;
42             //turn on led, wait 5s then turn off
43             digitalWrite(LED_PIN, HIGH);
44             Serial.println("ledOn");
45         }
46
47         // digitalWrite(LED_PIN, LOW);
48         Serial.println(temp);
49         timeDelay();
50     }
51 }
```

Sending to Local Host

Why localhost?

First consider having it on the cloud and sending via wifi, or bluetooth. Through WPI wifi required certificates and extra encryption. Could require us to host another server to pass data to. So reading from the local easiest and cheapest for us.

```
5 def post_data(temp = 101):
6     curr_time = time.localtime()
7     day = curr_time.tm_mday
8     date_to_post = f'{time.strftime("%A", curr_time)}, {time.strftime("%B", curr_time)} {day}{"st" if day % 10 == 1 else "nd" if day % 10 == 2 else "rd" if day % 10 == 3 else "th"}'
9     time_to_post = f'{curr_time.tm_hour % 12 if curr_time.tm_hour % 12 else 12}:{curr_time.tm_min:02} {"AM" if curr_time.tm_hour < 12 or curr_time.tm_hour == 24 else "PM"}'
10
11    try:
12        data = {
13            'temp': float(temp),
14            'time': time_to_post,
15            'date': date_to_post
16        }
17
18        response = requests.post(" http://localhost:3000/api/weather", json=data)
19
20        if response.status_code == 200:
21            print('that worked! ')
22        else:
23            print(f"status code {response.status_code}")
24            print('that did not work')
25            print(response.text)
26
27    except Exception as e:
28        print("error", str(e))
```

Reading from Arduino IDE and sending as json.

```
30     arduino_port = "COM5"
31     baud_rate = 9600
32
33     ser = serial.Serial(arduino_port, baud_rate)
34     time.sleep(2); #connection settle time
35
36     def avg(alist):
37         temp = 0
38         for i in alist:
39             temp += float(i)
40
41         return temp / len(alist)
```

Take an avg of 10 samples.

```
38     def avg(alist):
39         temp = 0
40         for i in alist:
41             temp += float(i)
42
43         return temp / len(alist)
```

Python code also uses a built-in library to fetch time and date.

```
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11    try:
12        data = {
13            'temp': float(temp),
14            'time': time_to_post,
15            'date': date_to_post
16        }
```

Displaying to Website

Sending from a python file, creating a route to the website

```
45  try:
46      alist = []
47      while True:
48          if ser.in_waiting > 0:
49              if len(alist) == 10:
50                  post_data(round(avg(alist), 2))
51                  alist = []
52              else:
53                  line = ser.readline().decode('utf-8').rstrip()
54                  alist.append(line)
55
56      except KeyboardInterrupt:
57          print("Exiting program")
58
59      temp = line
60
61  ser.close()
```

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Appendix 1: Algebra for Voltage Divider.

$$\begin{aligned}V_p &= V_s \frac{R}{R + R_T} \\V_D(R + R_T) &= V_s R \\V_D R + V_D R_T &= V_s R \\V_D R_T &= V_s R - V_p R \\V_p R_T &= R(V_s - V_p) \\R &= \frac{V_p R_T}{V_s - V_p}\end{aligned}$$

Appendix 2: Learning to Code with the Arduino