



# **Application Note on Interfacing Arduino with Potentiometer**





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### Introduction

In this application note we will be discussing on interfacing potentiometer with Arduino UNO to control the brightness of an LED.

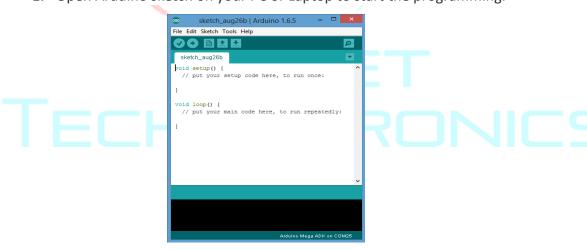
Arduino UNO: <u>Arduino</u> is an open-source prototyping platform based on easy-to-use hardware and software. <u>Arduino boards</u> are able to read inputs - light on a sensor, a finger on a button, or a Twitter message - and turn it into an output - activating a motor, turning on an LED, publishing something online. All this is defined by a set of instructions programmed through <u>the Arduino Software (IDE)</u>.

**Potentiometer**: A **potentiometer**, informally a pot, is a three-terminal resistor with a sliding or rotating contact that forms an adjustable voltage divider. If only two terminals are used, one end and the wiper, it acts as a variable resistor or rheostat.

### Step1. The Materials required are:

- Arduino UNO
- potentiometer Breakout
- Male to male Jumpers

1. Open Arduino sketch on your PC or Laptop to start the programming.

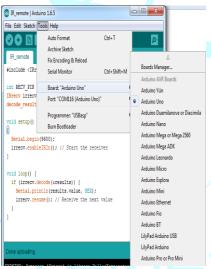


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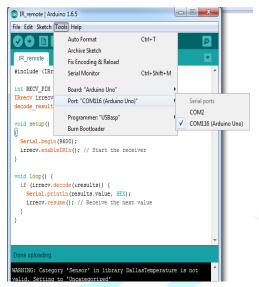
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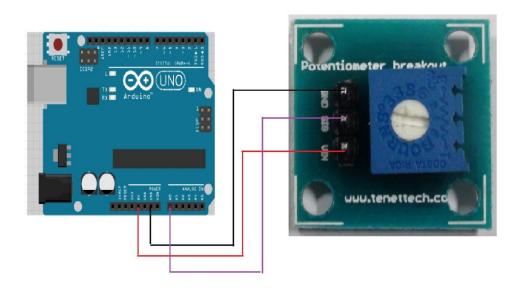
- Type the program for the LED to turn on for 1 sec and turn off 1 sec.
- Click on verify and check for any errors in the program. If no errors are present select the Arduino UNO in IDE. Go to tools> Board> Select Arduino UNO.



• Select port of programming by Tools> Port> Select the port for programming



Now Upload the program to the arduino



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void setup() {
 pinMode(9,OUTPUT);
 Serial.begin(9600);
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}

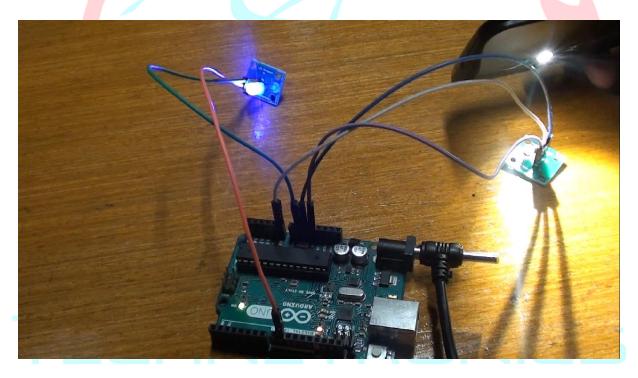
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void loop() {
int A0 = analogRead(A0);
Serial.println(A0);
int y= A0;
y = map(y,0,1023,255,0);
analogWrite(9,y);
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}

### **OUTPUT:**



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