

# EasyVR – SI/SD Commands and functions

## **Application Note**

Release 1.0

```
void action()
    switch (group)
   {
   case GROUP_1:
     switch (idx)
     {
     case G1_REDLED:
      // write your action code here
       // group = GROUP_X; <-- or jump to another group X for co
       break:
      case Gl_GREENLED:
       // write your action code here
       // group = GROUP X; <-- or jump to another group X for co
       break:
      case G1 RELAY:
       // write your action code here
       // group = GROUP_X; <-- or jump to another group X for co
     break:
}
```

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#### Introduction

This Aplication Note shall teach how the common workflow goes with EasyVR Shields and Modules. This document does not replace the Manual, it just goes through the standard Speaker Dependent Command creation process to the integration of some action the controller does if a spoken command gets recognized.

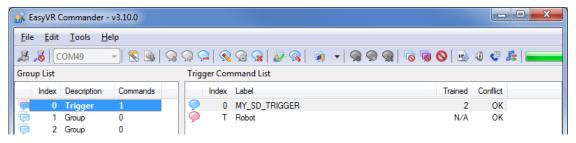
This is the most simple example, the action performable is just limited to Arduino Controller boards and your imagination. Whatever you plan to do, start switching leds first. In this case we switch 3 Outputs HIGH.

Before going on please carefully read the paragraph *Quick start guide for using the Shield* on the EasyVR 3 User Manual (<u>available here</u>).

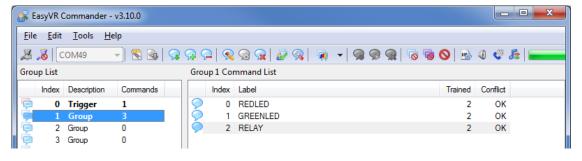
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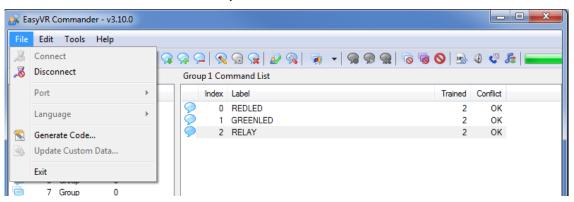
1. Check for the built-in Trigger Word "Robot" and optionally add a custom speaker dependent (SD) trigger word (MY\_SD\_TRIGGER in this example):



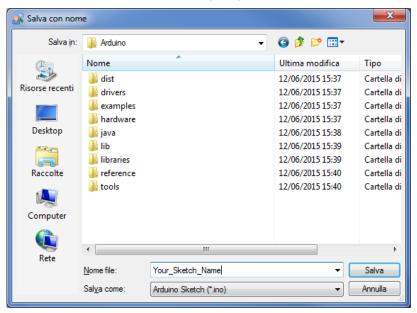
2. Create and train three Commands in Group 1, as in the following example:



3. Get the code for Arduino from the EasyVR Commander:



Save the code as Arduino Sketch (\*.ino):





- 5. Go to the folder where you exported the code to and double click the file, then click on Yes when Arduino alerts you that a new folder with the same name of your sketch will be created.
- 6. The exported code will open in Arduino IDE:

```
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  AppNote_example
#include "Arduino.h"
#if !defined(SERIAL PORT MONITOR)
  #error "Arduino version not supported. Please update your IDE to
#if defined(SERIAL PORT USBVIRTUAL)
  // Shield Jumper on HW (for Leonardo and Due)
  #define port SERIAL_PORT_HARDWARE
  #define pcSerial SERIAL_PORT_USBVIRTUAL
#else
  // Shield Jumper on SW (using pins 12/13 or 8/9 as RX/TX)
  #include "SoftwareSerial.h"
  SoftwareSerial port(12, 13);
  #define pcSerial SERIAL_PORT_MONITOR
#endif
```

7. Insert your code here. In this example we will switch two LEDs and one relay. Add the following code in void setup:

```
void setup()
{
  pinMode(8, OUTPUT);
  pinMode(9, OUTPUT);
  pinMode(4, OUTPUT);
```

8. Add the following code in yellow to jump to GROUP\_1 when the trigger word is recognized:

```
idx = easyvr.getWord();
if (idx >= 0)
{
    // built-in trigger (ROBOT)
    group = GROUP_1;
    // group = GROUP_X; <-- jump to another group X
    return;
}</pre>
```



9. Scroll down where you find the following code:

```
void action()
   switch (group)
   {
   case GROUP_1:
     switch (idx)
     case G1 REDLED:
       // write your action code here
       // group = GROUP X; <-- or jump to another group X for co
       break:
     case G1_GREENLED:
       // write your action code here
       // group = GROUP_X; <-- or jump to another group X for co
       break:
      case Gl_RELAY:
       // write your action code here
       // group = GROUP_X; <-- or jump to another group X for co
       break:
     break:
   }
```

10. Add some action code here:

```
void action()
    switch (group)
    case GROUP_1:
      switch (idx)
      case G1_REDLED:
         // write your action code here
        digitalWrite(9, HIGH);
// group = GROUP_X; <-- or jump to another group X for composite commands</pre>
        break:
       case Gl_GREENLED:
         // write your action code here
        digitalWrite(8, HIGH);
// group = GROUP_X; <-- or jump to another group X for composite commands</pre>
        break:
       case Gl_RELAY:
         // write your action code here
        digitalWrite(4, HIGH);
// group = GROUP_X; <-- or jump to another group X for composite commands</pre>
        break:
      break:
    -)
}
```

- 11. Remember to disconnect the EasyVR Commander and then upload your sketch to the Arduino board.
- 12. You can start the serial monitor to see what is going on:

```
Timed out, try again...

Say a command in Group 0

Say a command in Group 1

Command: 0 = REDLED

Say a command in Group 1

Command: 1 = GREENLED

Say a command in Group 1

Command: 2 = RELAY

Say a command in Group 1
```



### **Additional tips&tricks**

#### **Custom SD trigger**

The command easyvr.getWord() in the following part of the code is used to get the built-in trigger word "ROBOT":

```
idx = easyvr.getWord();
if (idx >= 0)
{
    // built-in trigger (ROBOT)
    group = GROUP_1;
    // group = GROUP_X; <-- jump to another group X
    return;
}</pre>
```

If you train a custom Speaker Dependent trigger word in Group 0 (MY\_SD\_TRIGGER in this example), the code generated by the EasyVR Commander will include it as in the following example:

```
void action()
{
    switch (group)
    {
    case GROUP_O:
      switch (idx)
      {
      case GO MY SD TRIGGER:
       // write your action code here
        // group = GROUP X; <-- or jump to another group X for composite commands
       break:
      }
     break;
    case GROUP_1:
      switch (idx)
      case G1_REDLED:
        // write your action code here
        digitalWrite(9, HIGH);
        // group = GROUP_X; <-- or jump to another group X for composite commands
        break:
```

If you want to jump to Group 1 when the custom SD trigger is recognized from Group 0, you just need to modify the code as follows:

```
case GO_MY_SD_TRIGGER:
   // write your action code here
  group = GROUP_1; // k-- jump to group 1
  break;
}
break;
```

In this way, when the custom SD trigger is recognized from Group 0, it will jump to Group 1 (thanks to the instruction "group=GROUP\_1;")

#### **Using SI commands**

Using SI commands follows exactly the same approach of using SD commands, the only difference is that you have to use <a href="mailto:easyvr.recognizeWord(n">easyvr.recognizeWord(n)</a> instead of <a href="mailto:easyvr.getCommand(n">easyvr.getCommand(n)</a> and then <a href="mailto:easyvr.getWord()">easyvr.getCommand()</a> to retrieve the recognized command index. See EasyVR Arduino Library section of the EasyVR 3 User Manual (<a href="mailto:available-here">available here</a>) for further details.



#### How to get support

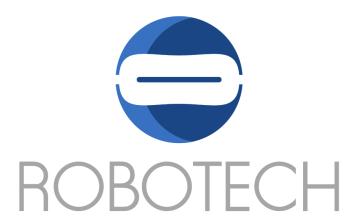
#### **Manuals / Application Notes / Demo Code**

A user manual which includes all the information required to get started is provided in the <u>download section</u>. All of the necessary software is installed together with the EasyVR Commander. This includes QuickSynthesis and FluentChip and Quick T2SI Lite with all available Language packs. Please note that although the Quick T2SI Lite is installed with the EasyVR Commander, a user license is available separately to activate this part of the installation. The Quick T2SI Lite license enables creation of custom Speaker Inderpendent Commands. Additional libraries and examples for Arduino are also available. Please check the <u>download section</u> for more details.

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