

Touchless Water Tap System (Arduino Project)

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Project Overview

The **Touchless Water Tap System** is an automatic water dispensing system that works **without touching the tap**  .

When a hand is placed under the tap, water starts flowing automatically  .
When the hand is removed, the water stops.

This project improves **hygiene** and helps in **saving water** .

Components Used

Component	Emoji	Purpose
Arduino UNO		Controls the entire system
Ultrasonic Sensor (HC-SR04)		Detects hand movement
Relay Module (5V)		Switches the pump ON/OFF
DC Water Pump		Pumps the water
External Battery / Power Adapter		Supplies power to the pump
Breadboard		For easy connections
Jumper Wires		Electrical connections
Water Pipe / Tube		Water outlet

💡 Component Connections 🔒

⚡ Ultrasonic Sensor to Arduino

- **VCC** → 5V ⚡
- **GND** → GND
- **TRIG** → Digital Pin 9
- **ECHO** → Digital Pin 10

⌚ Relay Module to Arduino

- **VCC** → 5V
- **GND** → GND
- **IN** → Digital Pin 8

💧 Water Pump + Relay + Battery (Important ⚠)

✗ Do NOT connect the pump directly to Arduino or breadboard

Relay Terminal Connections:

- **COM** → One wire of the pump
- **NO (Normally Open)** → Battery Negative (-)
- **Other pump wire** → Battery Positive (+)

👉 When the relay turns ON, the circuit completes and the pump starts 💦

⚙️ Working Principle 📚

- 1 The ultrasonic sensor continuously measures distance 📈
- 2 When a hand comes within **10-15 cm** 🤲

- 3** Arduino activates the relay   
- 4** Relay turns the water pump ON 
- 5** When the hand is removed
- 6** Arduino turns the relay OFF → pump stops 

📝 Control Logic (Simple)

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IF hand detected
→ Turn pump ON 
ELSE
→ Turn pump OFF 
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✿ Advantages ✶

-  Touch-free operation (better hygiene)
-  Saves water
-  Low power consumption
-  Fully automatic system
-  Easy and safe to use

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