

Project Glossary:

1. Battery
2. Voltage
3. Current
4. Circuit
5. Transistor
6. Temperature
7. Sensor
8. Fan
9. LCD Screen
10. Button

Requirements:

1. Regulate the **battery's voltage** so it does not exceed safe operating specs (risking fire and/or electrical damage) or dip below the minimum power threshold.
2. Monitor the **current** of the **circuit**, and switch between 'buck' and 'boost' mode appropriately.
 - a. When the **current** is high the **circuit** will enter 'buck' mode and begin charging the **battery**.
 - b. When the **current** is low the **circuit** will enter the 'boost' mode and begin running off of **battery power**.
3. Based **upon** inputs (voltage, temperature, current, etc...) determine and activate the appropriate **transistor**. This must be done within a reasonable timeframe to ensure both the efficiency and safety of the **circuit**.
4. Determine the **data** from input/output **current** and **voltage**. The data is received from electrical inputs and will need to be interpreted into a useable format.
5. Display **current** and voltage information to **LCD** in a human readable format.
6. Accurately determine **temperature** based on **sensor** input.
7. Regulate **fan** speed based off the **temperature** of the **circuit**.
 - a. **Fan** should spin faster as the **temperature** rises so that the **circuit** can cool down.
8. Change the **LCD screen** by pressing a **button**. The first screen will be the "Input Current and Voltage" and the second screen will be the "Output Current and Voltage"

9. Program switch debounce. When the physical buttons are pressed, the ensure that the system ignores button bounce-back that could lead to multiple button signals from one press.
10. Display on the LCD screen whether the battery is charging or discharging. This should be displayed on both input/output screens.
11. Display the current temperature of the circuit on the LCD screen. Temperature should be displayed on both input/output screens .