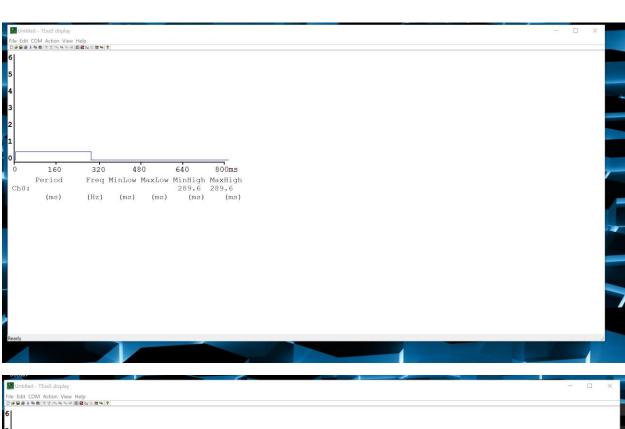
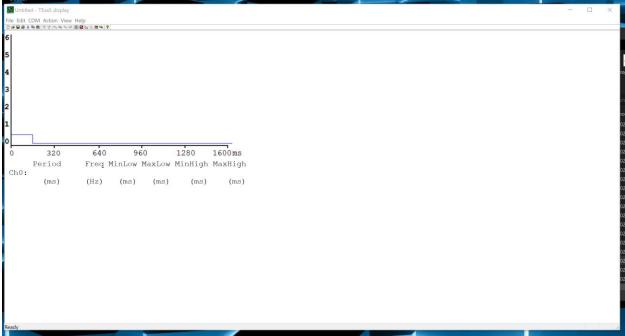
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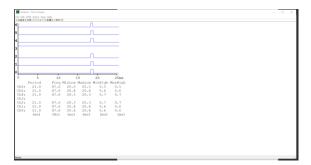
Black - about 280ish (320 zoomed in)

White – about 80ish. Needed to put the bottom end on 320 to be able to catch it w/ the screenshot (120 zoomed in)

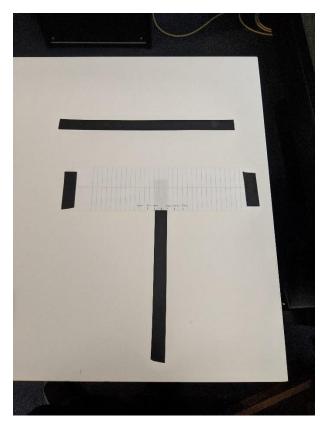




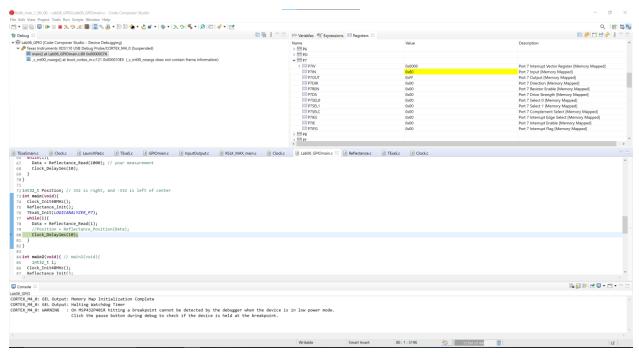
This was my initial reading before I had the battery power feeding to the sensor. After I had the battery power feeding, I ran a the regular main function to get an idea of the white/black ratio.

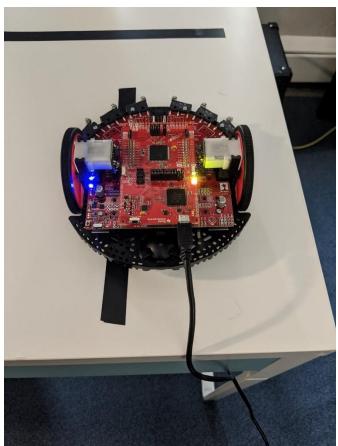


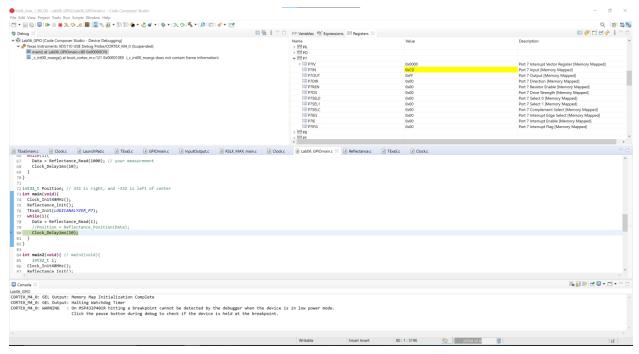
From this, I used 1ms as my value for white.

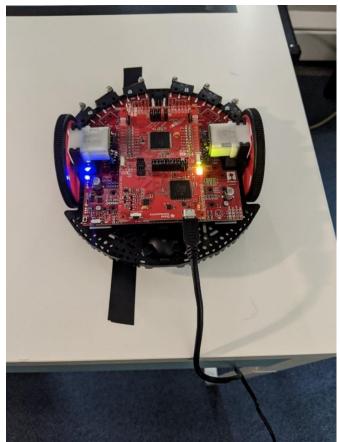


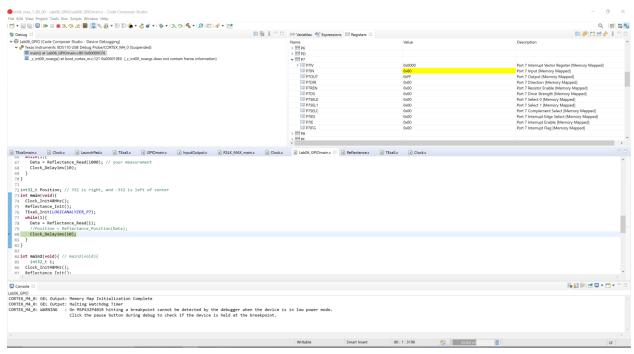
This photo was taken at the end of the experiment. Initially, it was just the vertical and horizontal pieces of tape, but at the end when I was doing the measurements, I added the piece of paper with a center line and 10, 20, and 33.4 measurements in both directions.

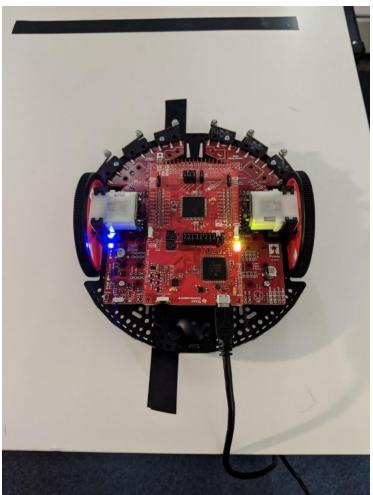


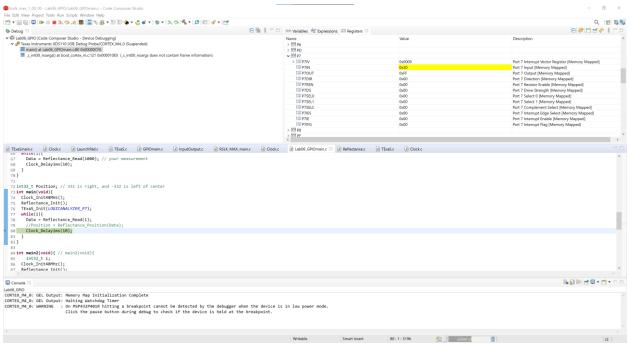


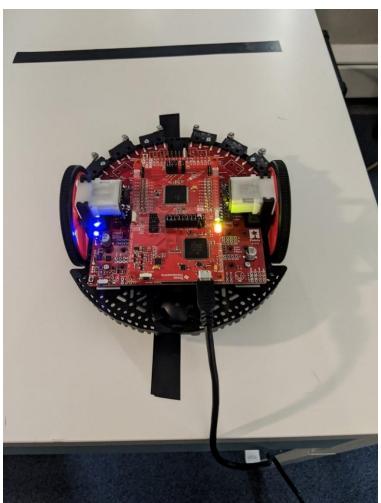


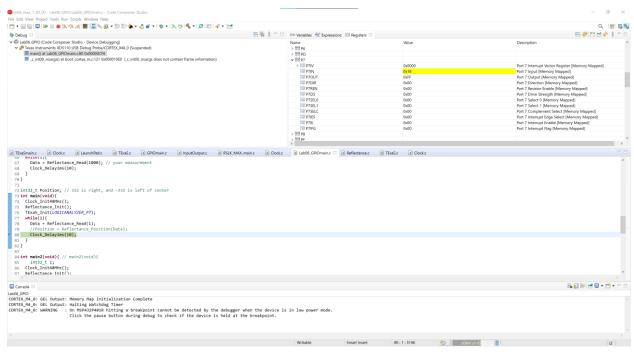


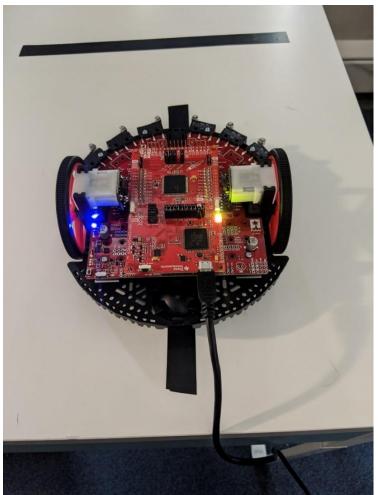


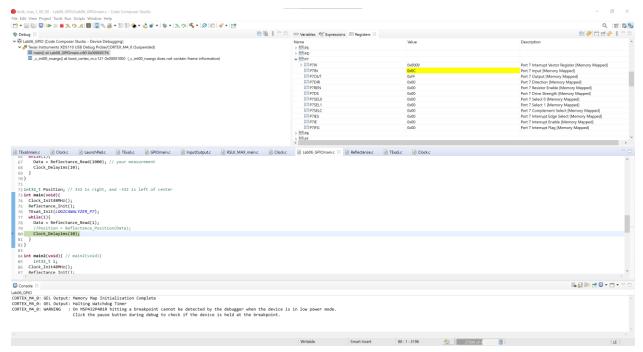


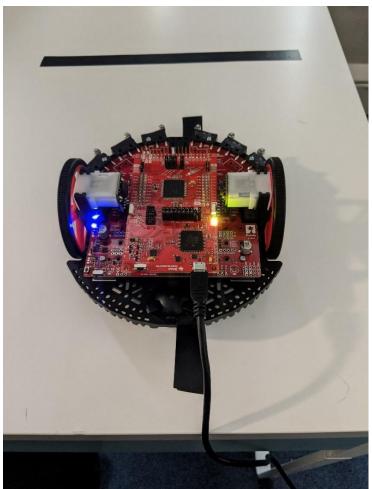


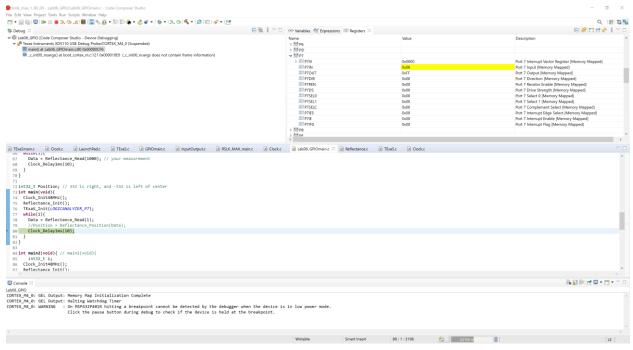


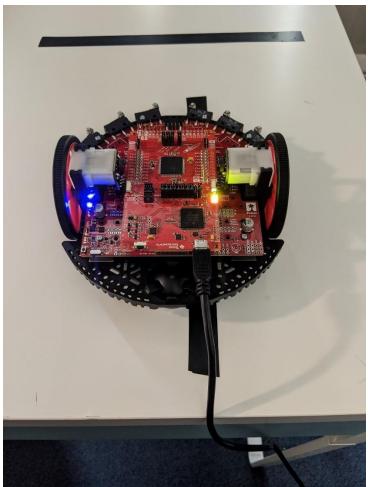


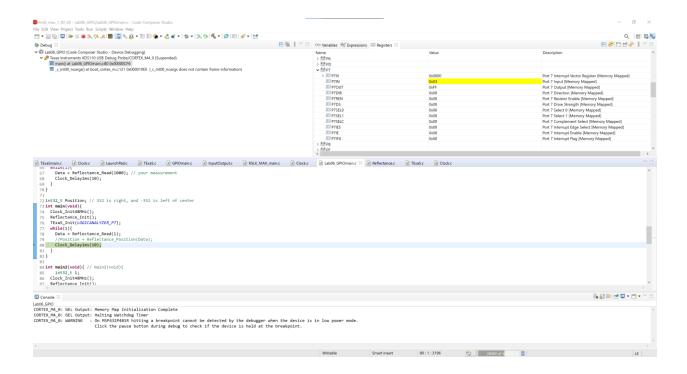


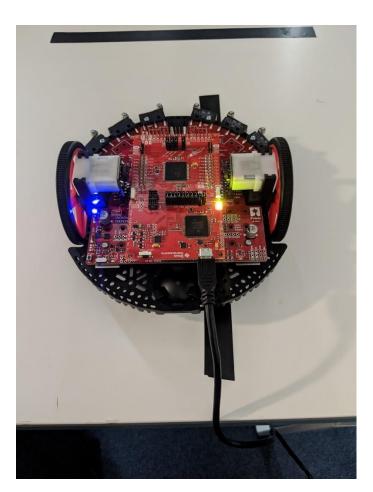


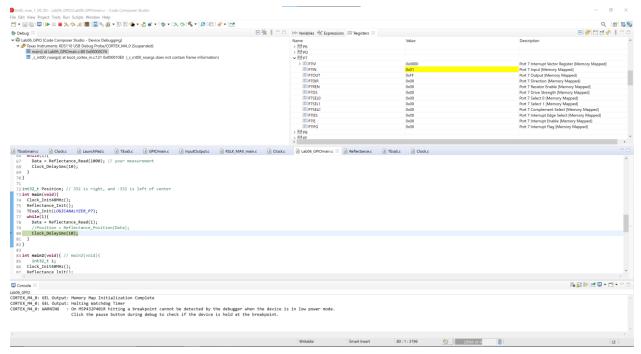




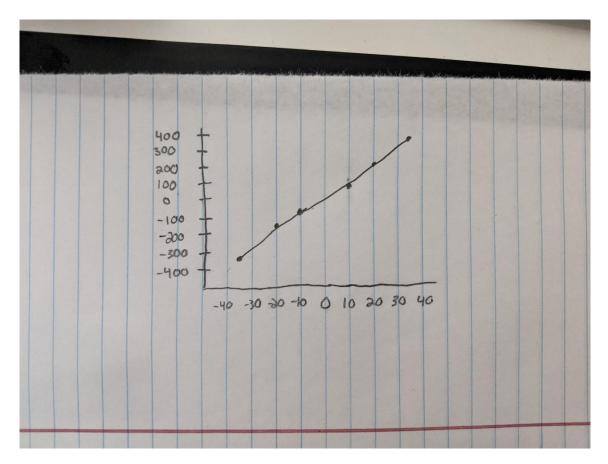












The response is monotonic, and this is important for this sensor because if it was not monotonic, as we make the adjustments to get closer to the middle, it would not respond as we want it to. The stabilization would cause hard turns and over compensation, followed by harder ones until it was thrown so far off track that it couldn't find the line again.

In my experiment, it did not seem like there was any regions of noise, but it was obvious that the sensor was rounding to its data points and not giving perfectly accurate data. This was seen when I measured 10 and 20mm from the center and was getting 9.5 and 19.0 respectively. Whenever I tried at different angles, it seemed to pick up on 2 or 3 sensors, but that will be able to be adjusted when we are driving the motors. The reason that I feel that this should be tackled later, is because if we are traveling at a hard angle, the next reading to the sensor will be further out and we will have more data points to verify that it is going a direction that is not perpendicular to the line. It is much easier to tell this with 2 data sets than just 1.