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Engineering Logbook

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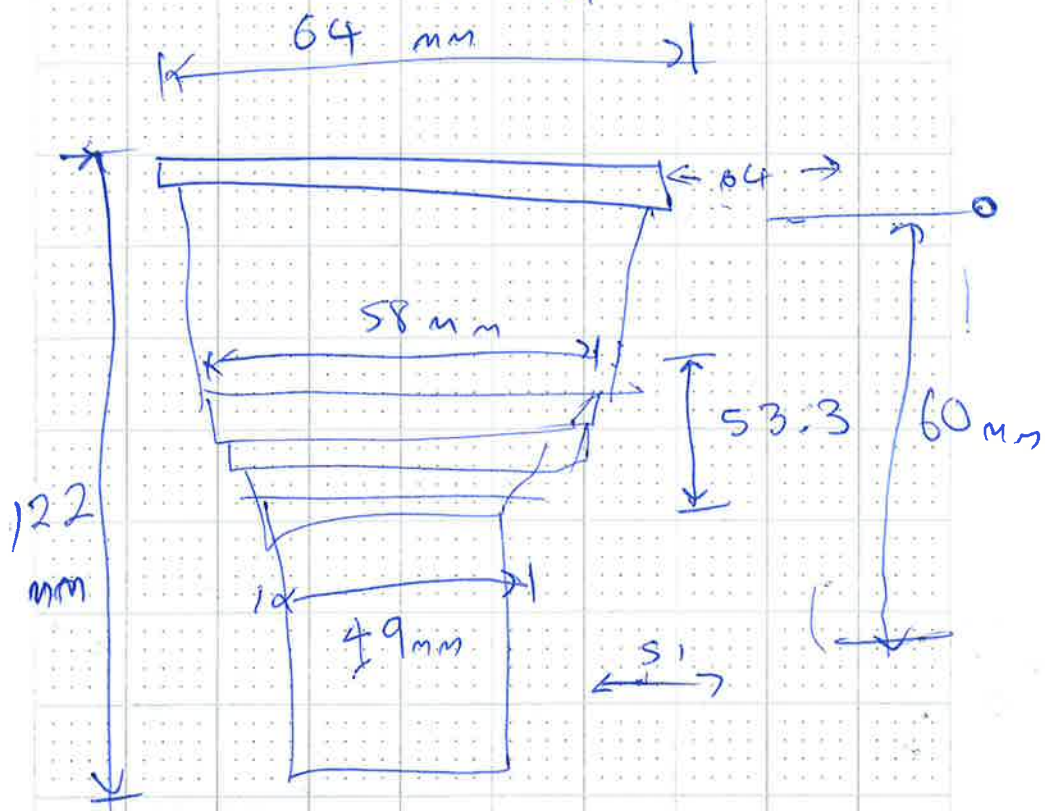
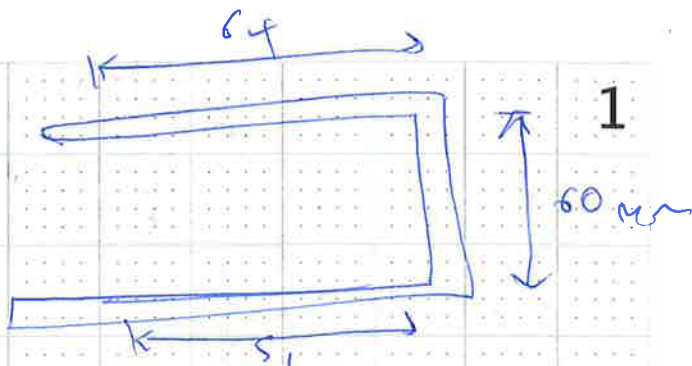
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Voltage	V	Volt	V
Current	I	Amp	A
Charge	Q	Coulomb	C
Resistance	R	Ohm	Ω
Capacitance	C	Farad	F
Inductance	L	Henry	H
Reactance	X	Ohm	Ω
Impedance	Z	Ohm	Ω
Power	P	Watt	W
Energy	E	Joule	J
Time	t	Second	s
frequency	f	hertz	Hz

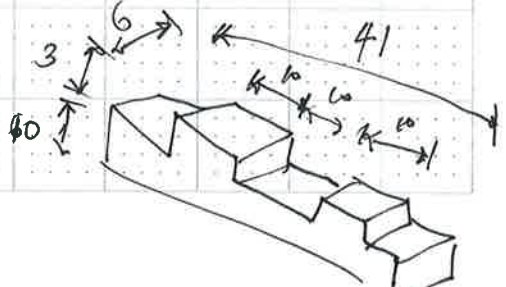
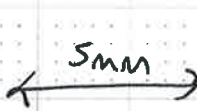
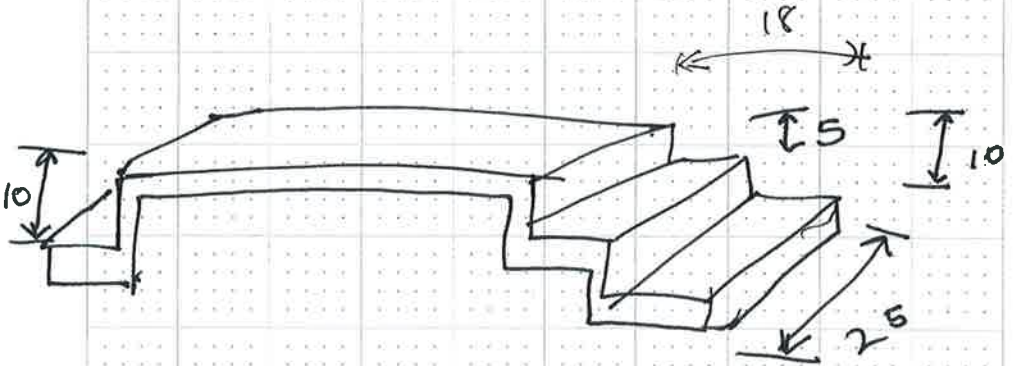
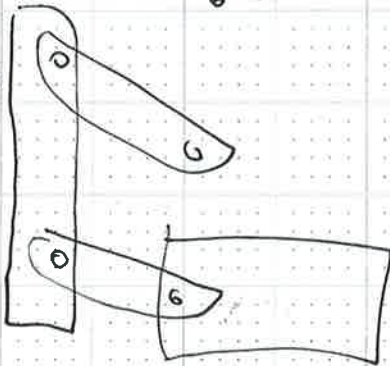
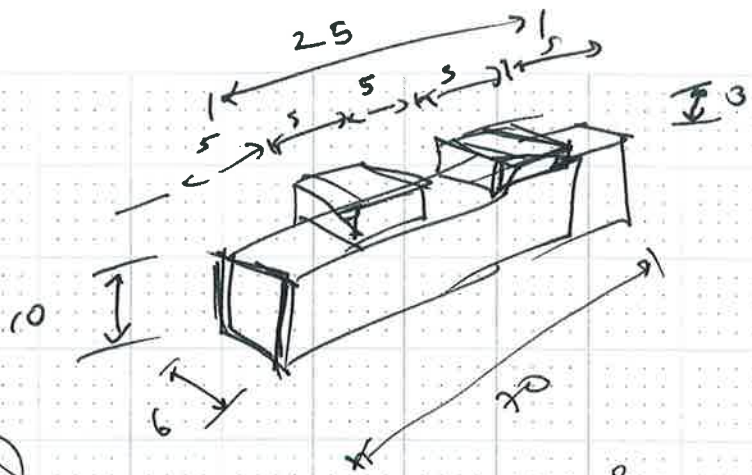
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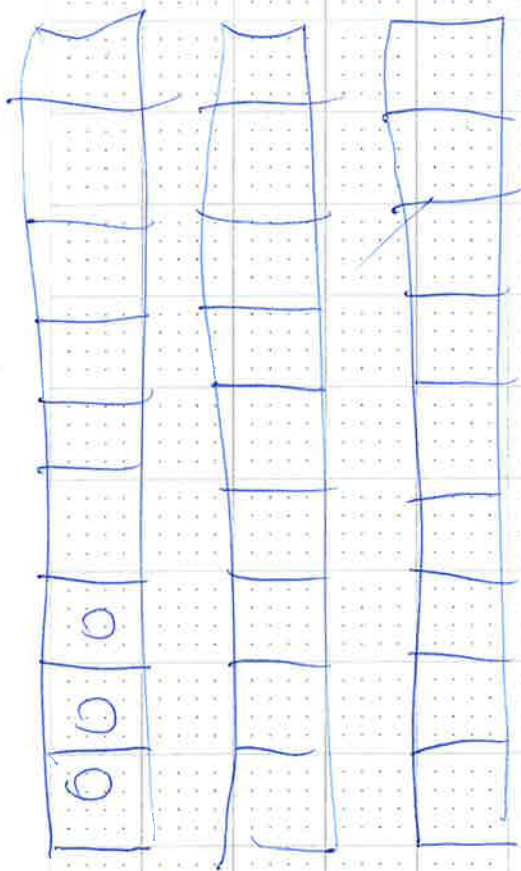
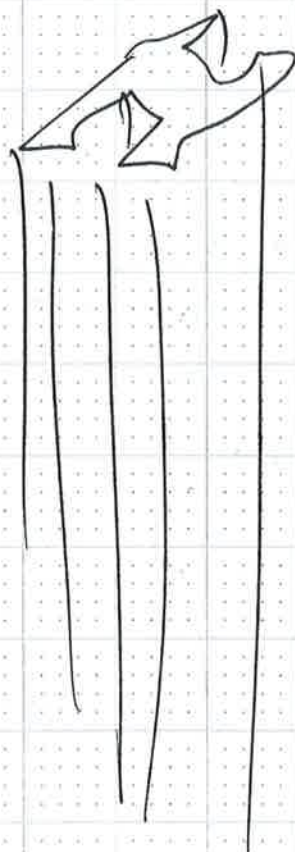
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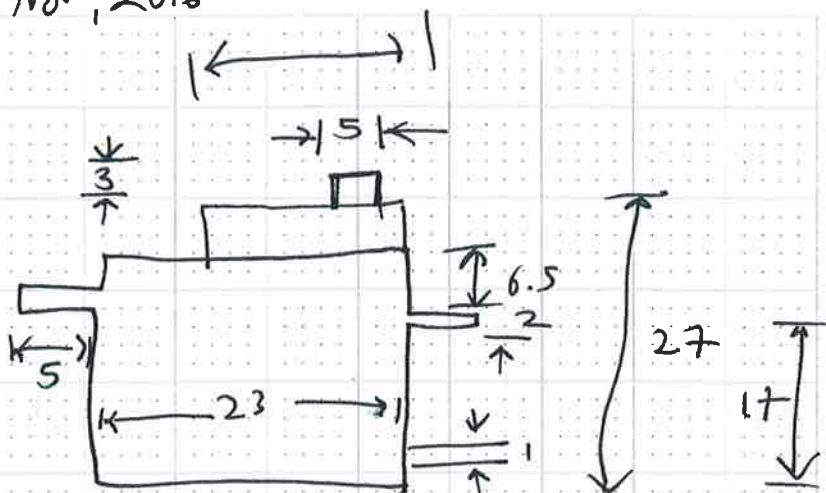




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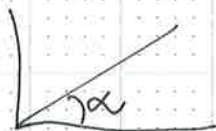
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 \uparrow



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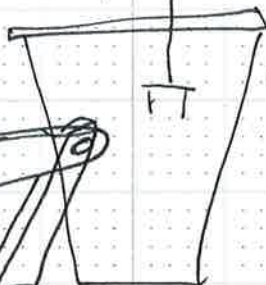
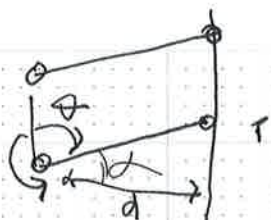
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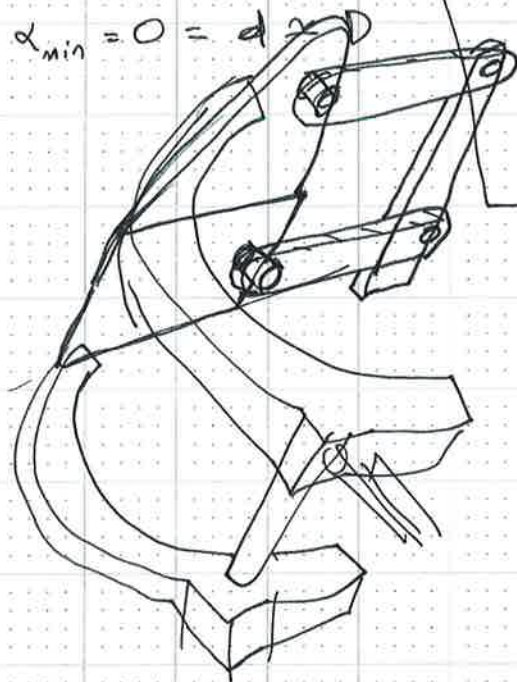


$$\alpha = 90^\circ - \theta$$

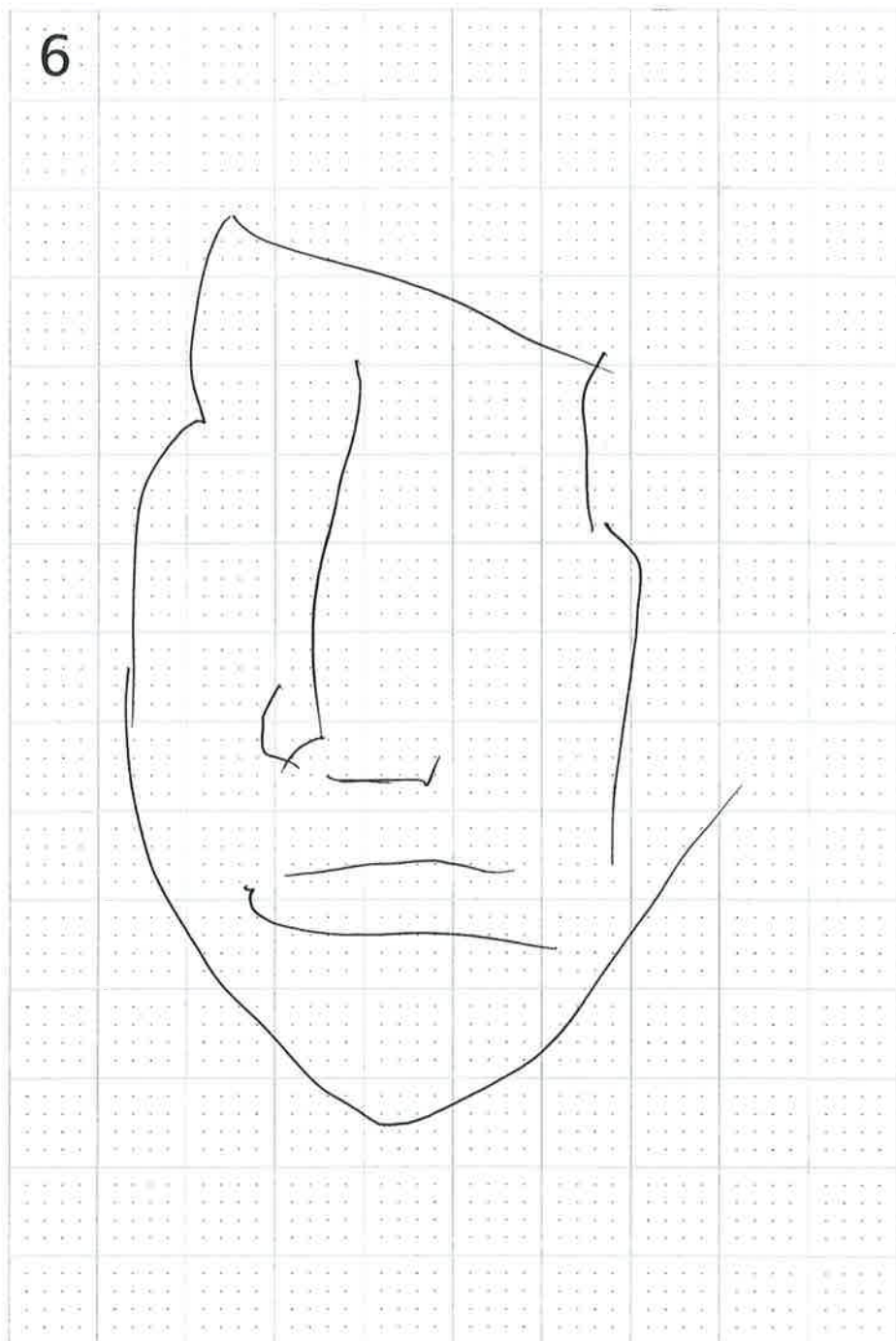
$$\alpha_{\min} = 0 = d \approx 0$$



where $D = \text{Top diameter of Cup}$

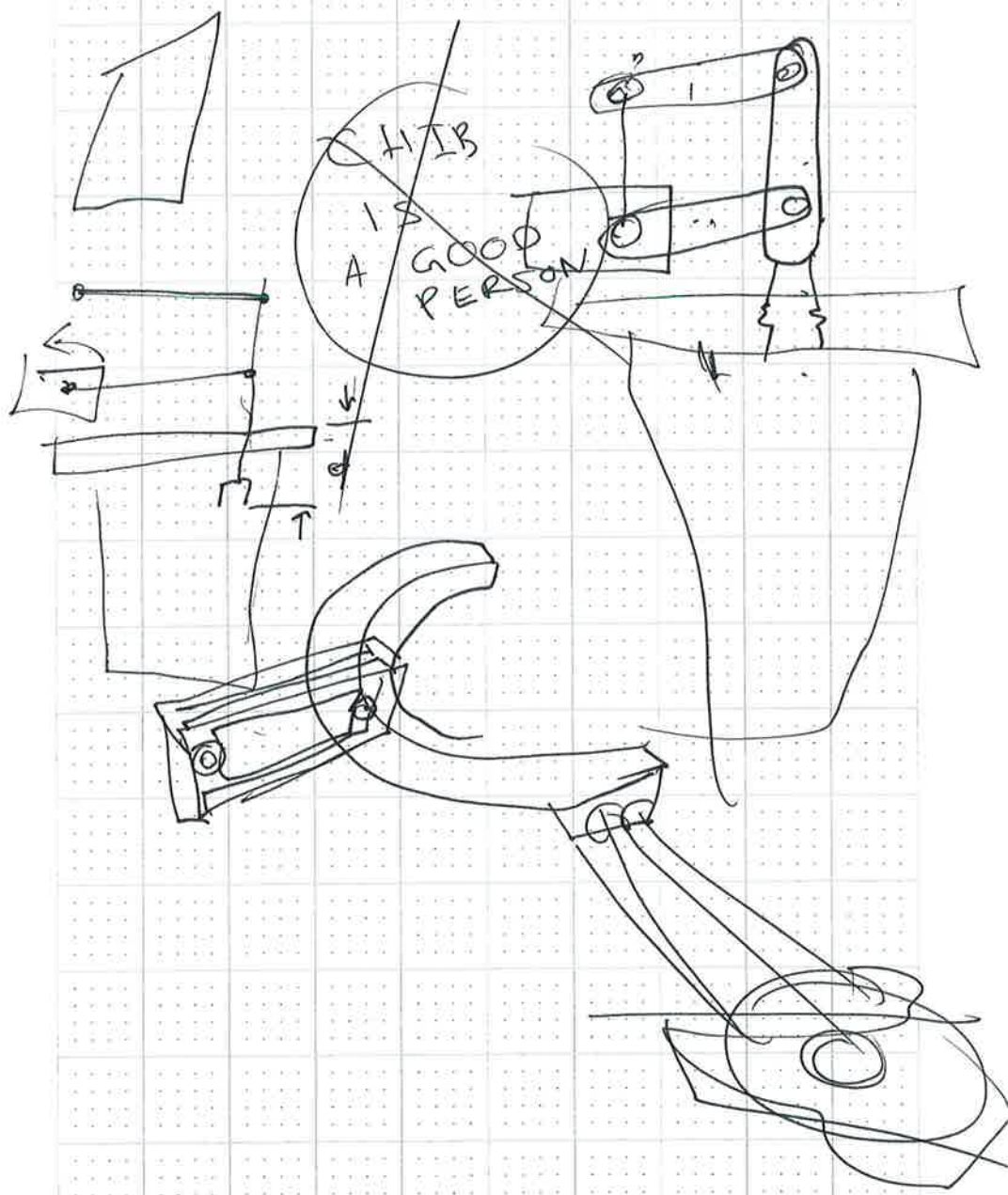


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8 Code

Sequence
turn on Red led
BTN 1 :

Close grippers

Checks for water

if water ~~Green~~
turn on, Led

else

Turn on Red Led

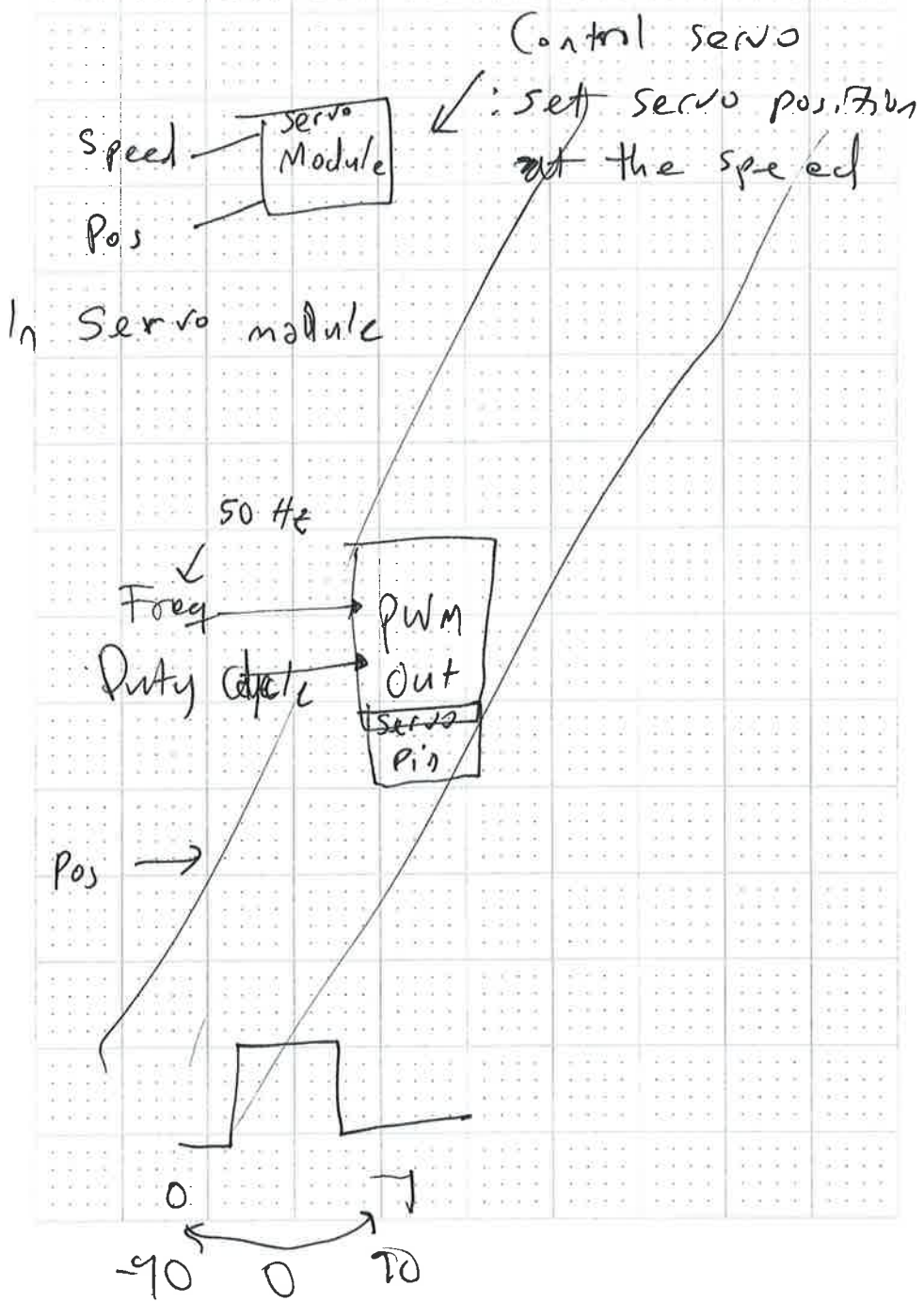
BTN 2 :

Twist : $\langle 1 \text{ deg per } \frac{1}{2} \text{ sec} \rangle$

Reverse Twist
wait 3 sec

Open grippers

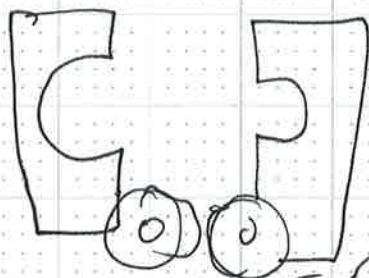
Turn on Red led



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We would need 3 servo modules

1) Jaws



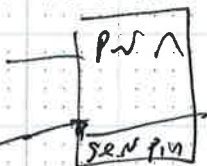
Positions → (2) Closed
Opened

We would find out angle

dutycycle - Close - 0
dutycycle - Open - 1

freq

Open - dutycycle

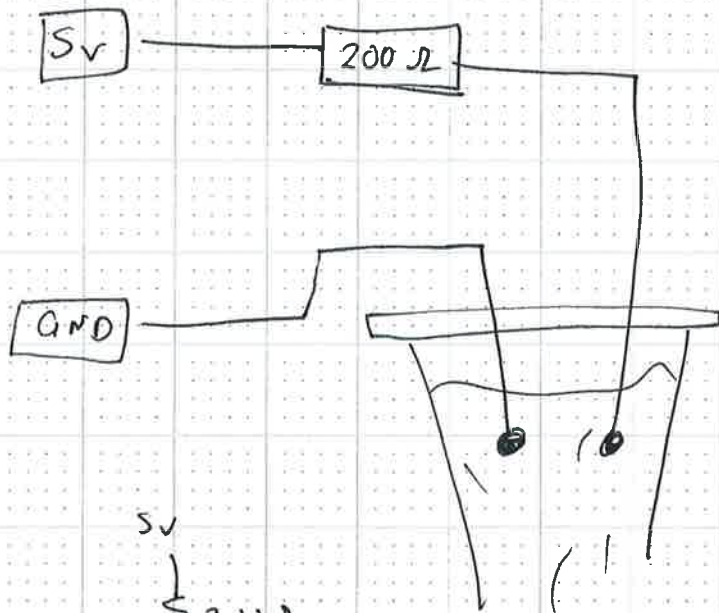


Using Jaws
would reduced the
number of actuators
needed, because
both jaws can
be driven with one
actuator

close - dutycycle

2) Water sensor

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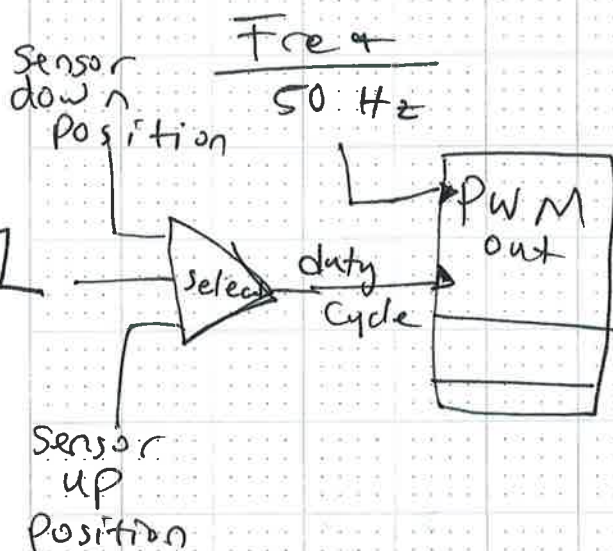
$R_w = \text{Resistance of Water}$

$$I = \frac{S_v}{R_w + 200}$$

$$I_{\text{must}} < 20 \text{ mA}$$

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Labview bit of the jaw water sensor

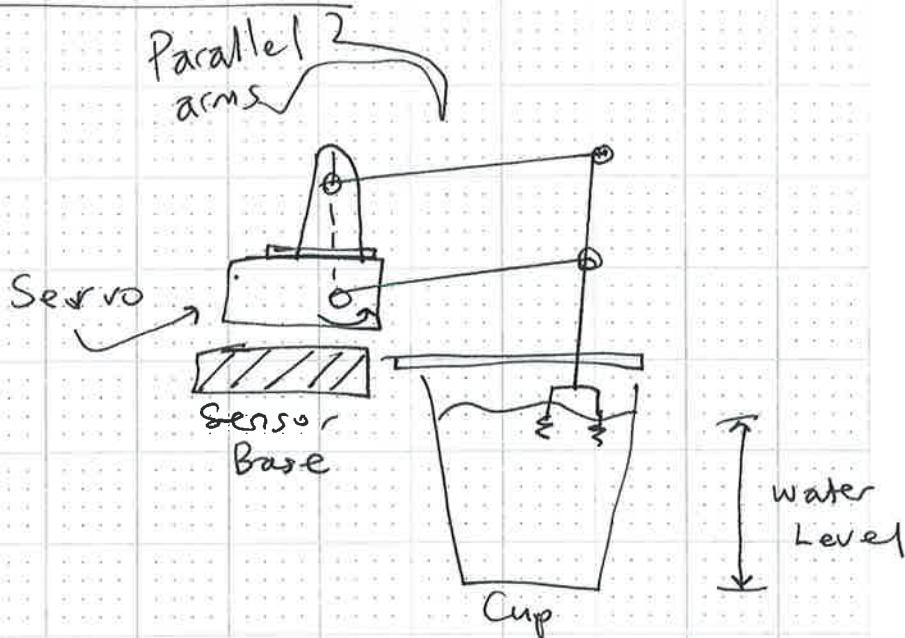


Water Level Sensor Lever Plan

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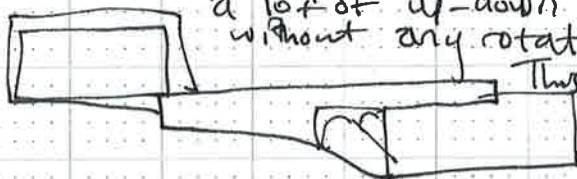
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Stick model

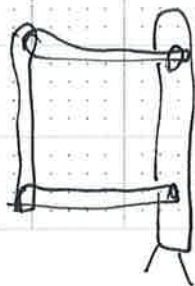


Reason

Parallel arms used to ensure sensor tip doesn't collide with the walls of the cup. Since parallel arms can achieve a lot of up-down deviation without any rotation.



This deviation is crucial to avoid any collision with the cup walls.



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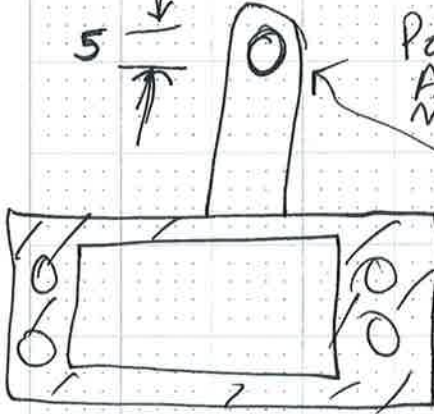
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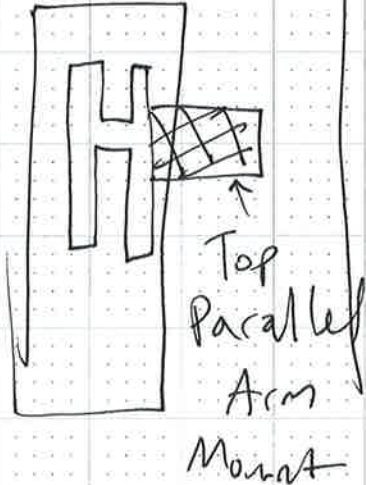
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Top
Parallel
Arm
Mount

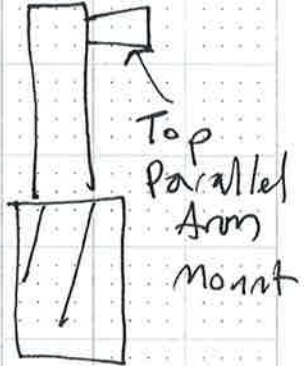


Servo
Mount

Top view



Side view



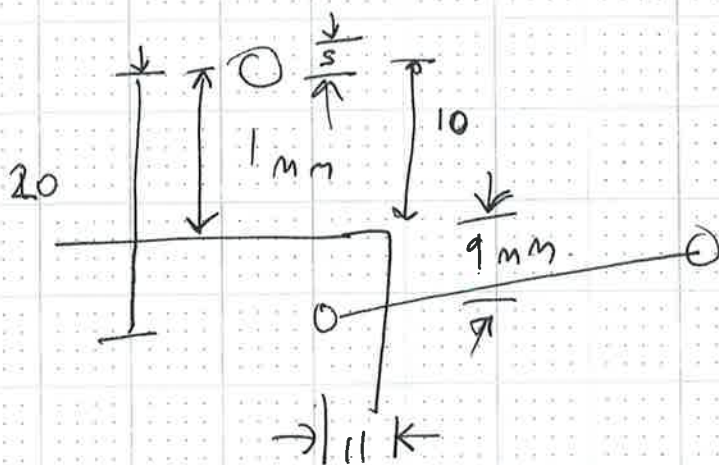
All measurements in millimeters

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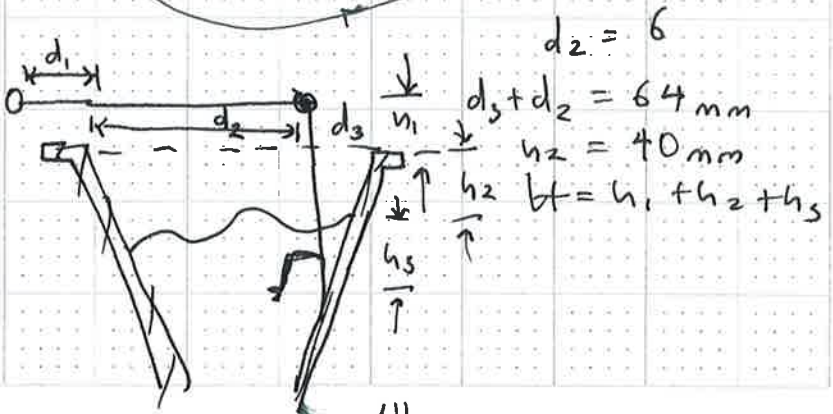
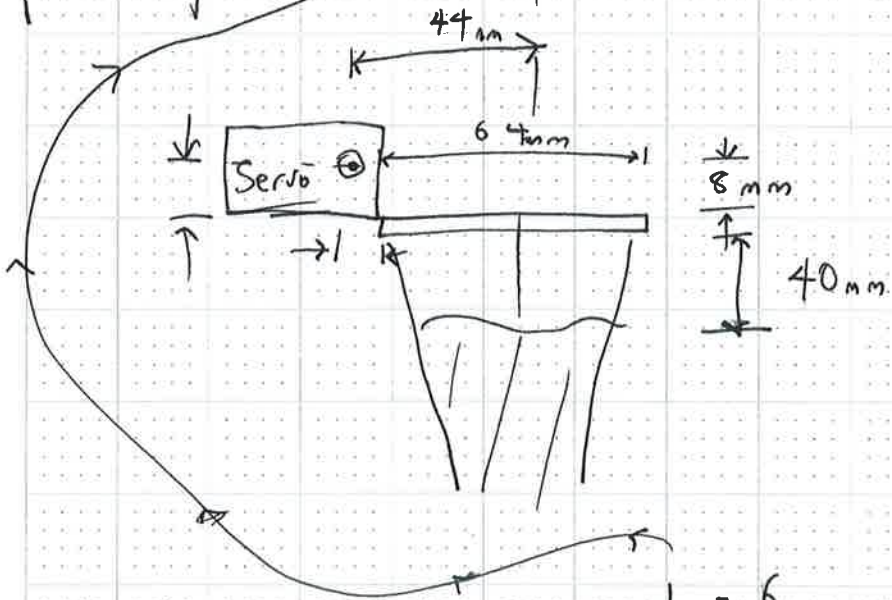
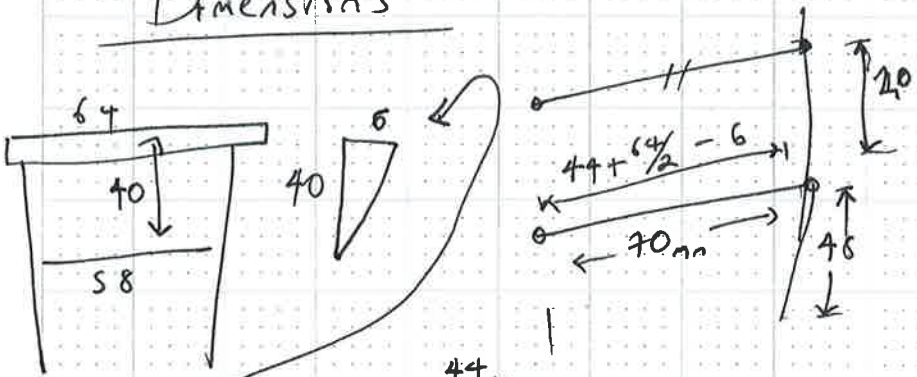
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All measurements in mm

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16 Dimensions

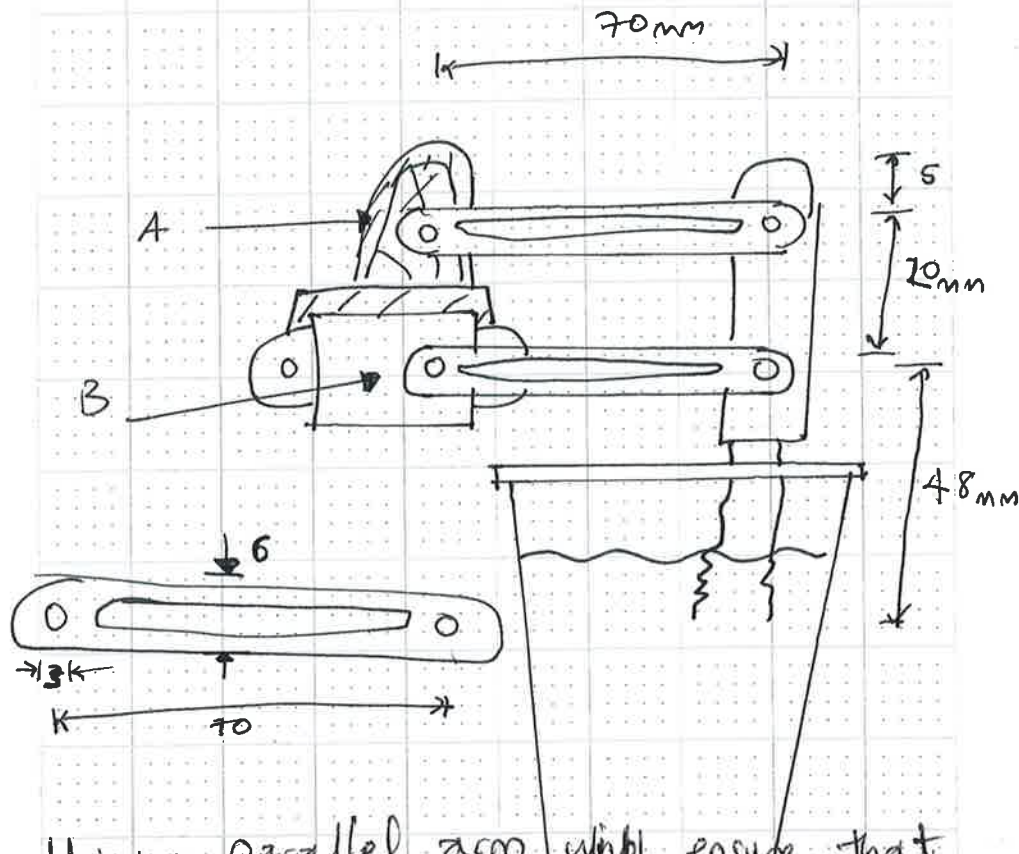


All measurements in mm

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Using a parallel arm which ensure that the sensor is lifted up vertically.

This would prevent the sensor from crashing into the cup, while providing enough clearance

All measurements in millimeters

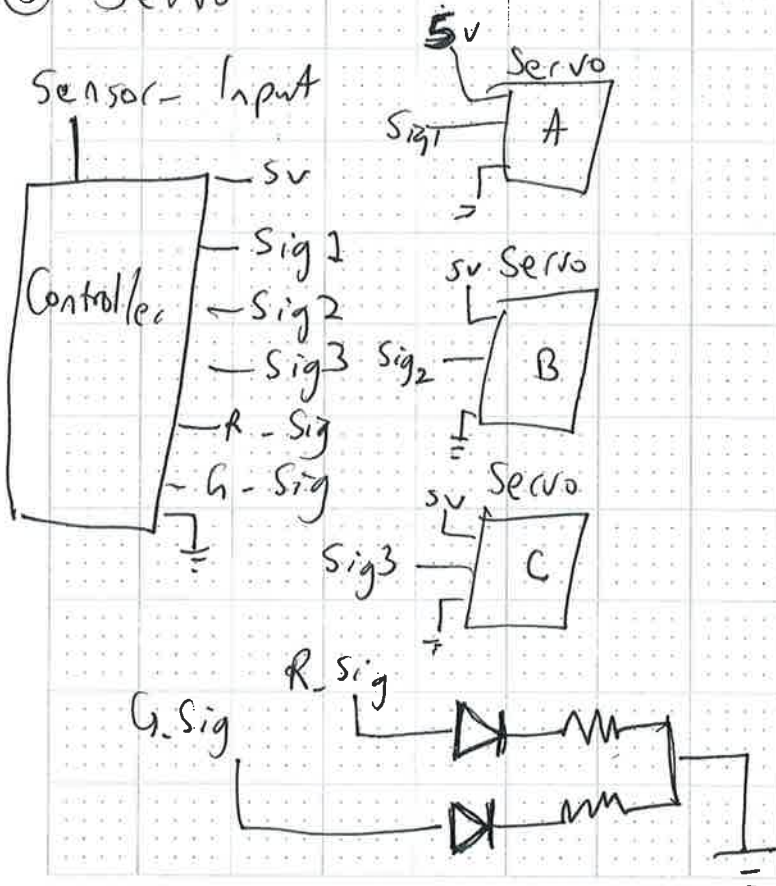
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18 Electrical Circuit

Peripherals

- ① Wire
- ② Led < Bi-Colour > x 1
- ③ Servo x 3

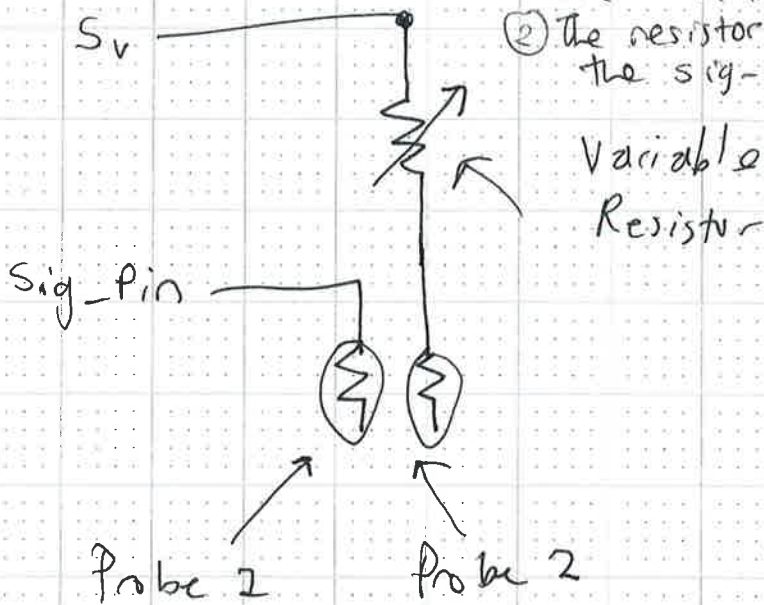


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Sensing the water

Using a 19

- ① resistor limits the current on the sig-pin.
- ② the resistor stabilizes the sig-pin



$$R_w \approx 2k\Omega$$

$$3v \leq V_{out} \leq 5v = V_{out}$$

$$3.3 = \frac{5v R_w}{R_i + R_w} \rightarrow R_{min}$$

$$5v = \frac{5v R_w}{R_i + R_w} \rightarrow R_{max}$$

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Making R_1 The subject of the formula

$$V_{out} (R_1 + R_w) = 5V R_w$$

~~$$V_{out} R_1 + V_{out} R_w$$~~

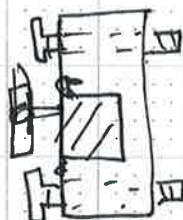
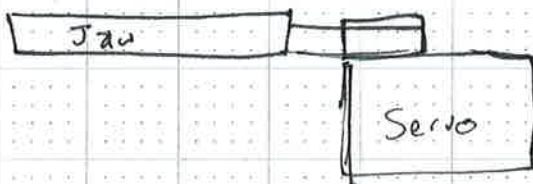
$$V_{out} R_1 + V_{out} R_w = 5V R_w$$

$$V_{out} R_1 = 5V R_w - V_{out} R_w$$

$$R_1 = \frac{R_w (5 - V_{out})}{V_{out}}$$

But The current through must be less than 20mA

$$\therefore \frac{V_{out}}{R_{Total}} \leq 20 \times 10^{-3} A$$

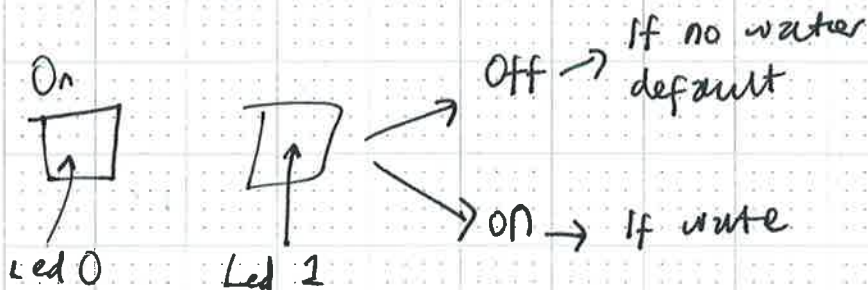


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22 LabVIEW myRIO Program

Controls



Modules

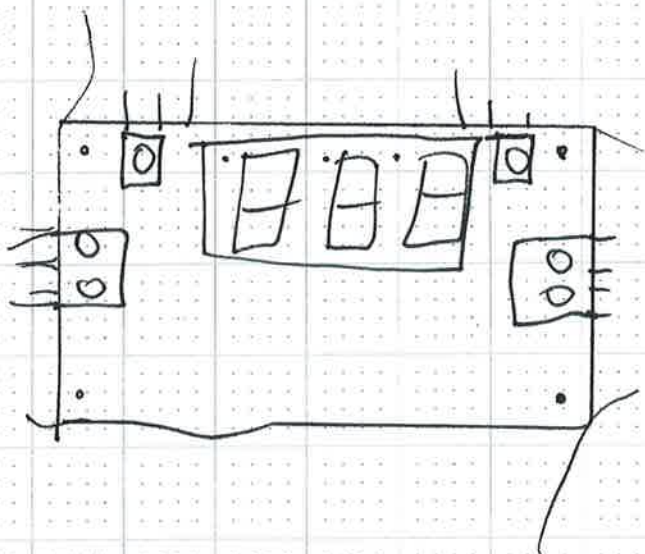
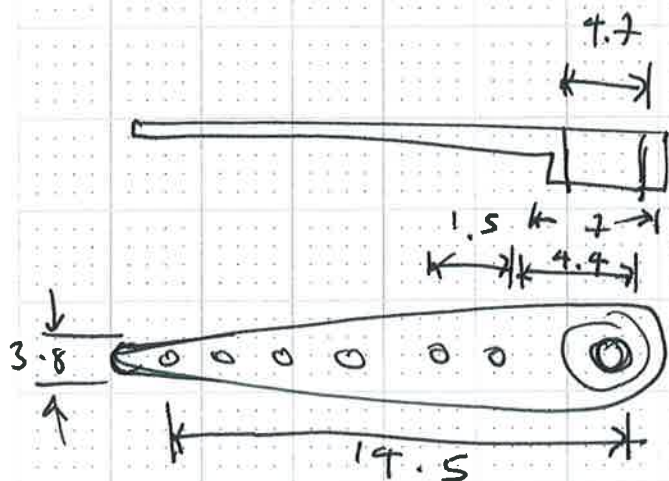
Detect Water

2x

Servo
Module

little servo dimension

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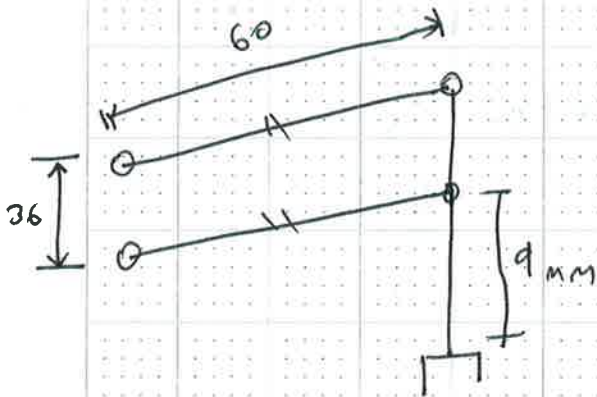


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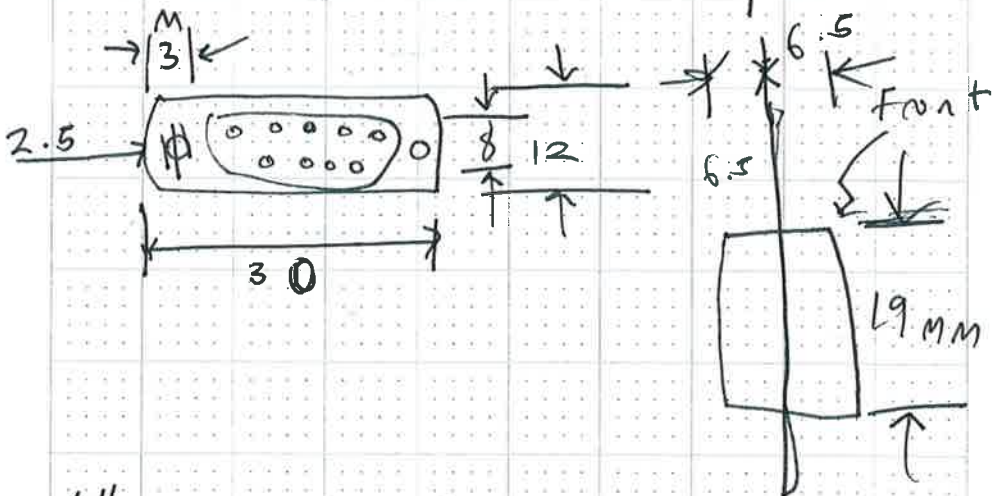
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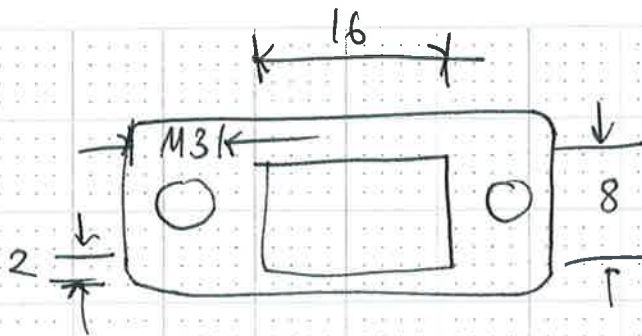
New parallel arm design for the water sensor



External Connector D-type



All measurements in mm



External Connector.

Control Circuitry

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7-15V \rightarrow V_{in}

GND \rightarrow Gnd

ServoControl-1 \rightarrow S_1

ServoControl-2 \rightarrow S_2

ServoControl-3 \rightarrow S_3

Sensor_Water \rightarrow W_s

Led \rightarrow L

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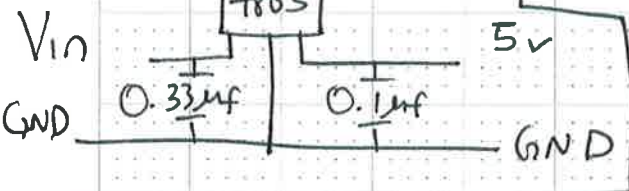
lnln

All measurement in mm

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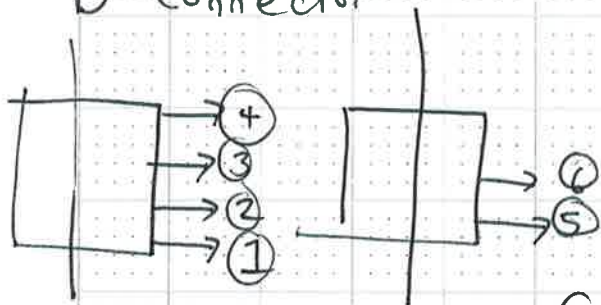
Power regulation



Indicator



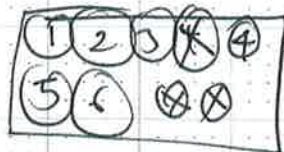
D Connector



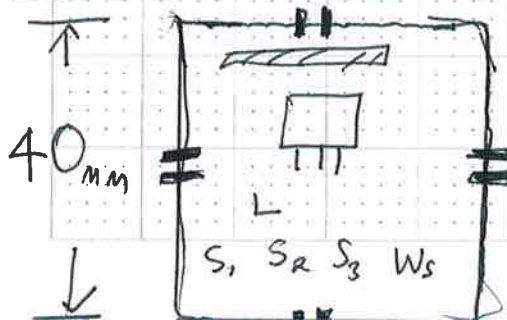
- ① S₁
- ② S₂
- ③ S₃

④ W_S

- ⑥ GND
- ⑤ V_{out}



Board Size



Drawn to Scale

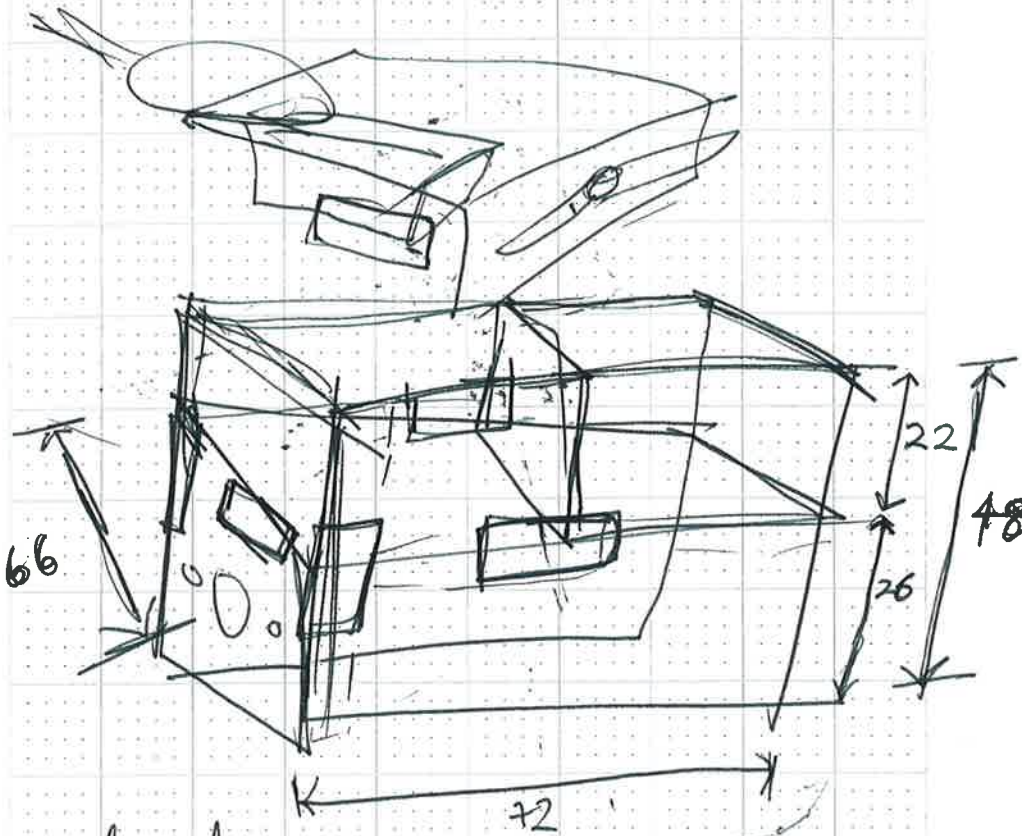
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New Hand Design

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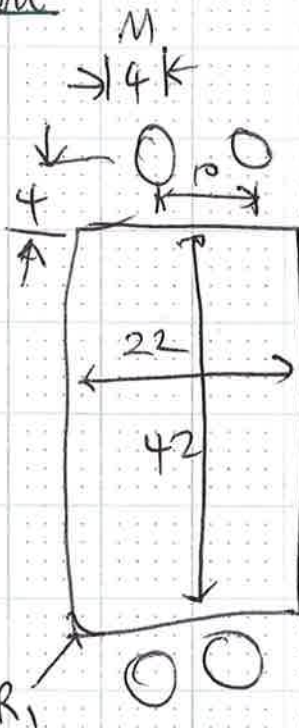
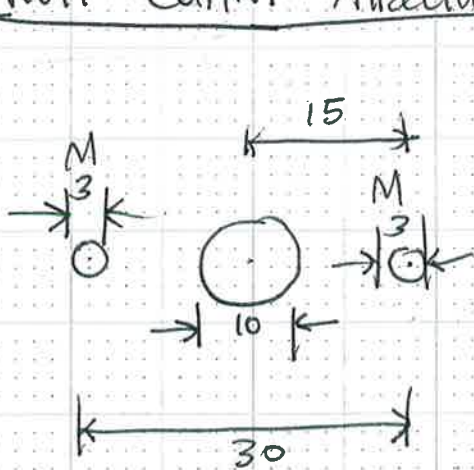
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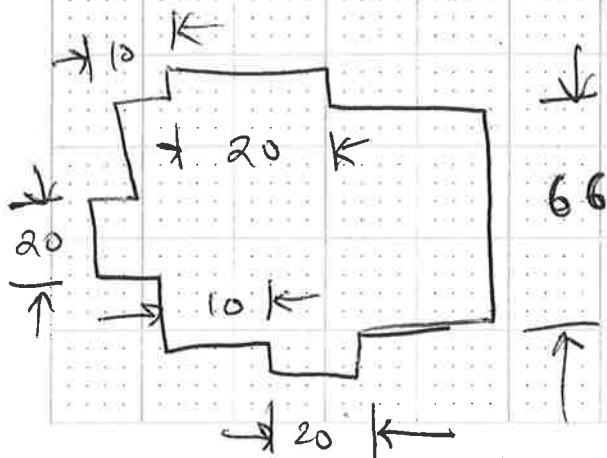
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Body Roll Control Attachment

All measurements in mm

Top plate

Labview Code Review

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Structure of Code

- ① Initialization
- ② Main loop
- ③ MyRIO Reset

Initialization

- ①a Define all variables, and
- ①b initialize all modules/serial/usb controls

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②

② Main loop

②a Detect Sensor button

②b Detect Gripper button

②c Detect Pour button

if any button detected

②d actuate servo to the demanded position

~~Ae~~ (2e)

Strobe lights

Detect Water

(2f)

(2) Reset my Rio

(3) Close / End all Pins / Servos /
modules

(3b) Reset my Rio

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Labview Front Panel

Water Detected!

→ Shows Red when water
not in Cup

→ Show Green when water
in Cup

Information!

→ Shows Current state
of the program

→ ~~Count~~

Counter:

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Shows what led is on

Step:

Stops the program

Gripper:

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Report - Plan

* Format

- Description of tasks

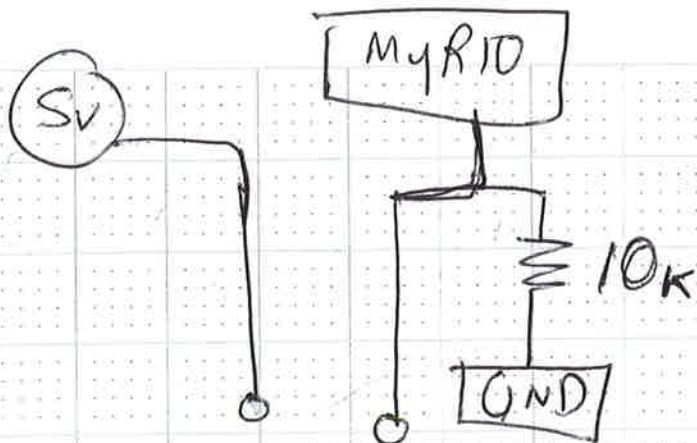
→ little survey of solutions available

→ brief description of our approach

→ brief explanation of features and concepts

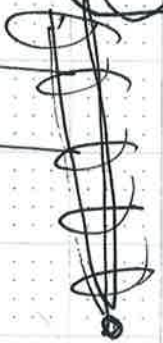
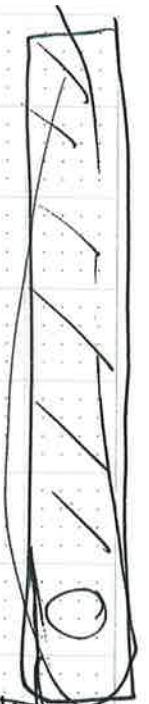
→ brief program over-view

→ links to video and code repository



5V
↓
10K
GND

$$I = \frac{5}{10000}$$



Array $[5]$ = \emptyset

$i++ = 1$

$0++$
 $1++$

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buice
 $1++$

$[] = 1$

$psid = b$

$psid = g$

0	1	2	3	4
$[a]$	$[g]$	$[b]$	$[c]$	

RESISTOR COLOUR CODE

0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
black	brown	red	orange	yellow	green	blue	purple	grey	white

3 rd Band - multiplier									
1 st Band	2 nd Band	gold	black	brown	red	orange	yellow	green	
Digit 1	Digit 2	1R0	10R	100R	1K0	10K	100K	1M0	
brown	black	1R2	12R	120R	1K2	12K	120K	1M2	
brown	red	1R5	15R	150R	1K5	15K	150K	1M5	
brown	green	2R2	22R	220R	2K2	22K	220K	2M2	
red	red	2R7	27R	270R	2K7	27K	270K	2M7	
red	purple	3R3	33R	330R	3K3	33K	330K	3M3	
orange	orange	3R9	39R	390R	3K9	39K	390K	3M9	
orange	white	4R7	47R	470R	4K7	47K	470K	4M7	
yellow	purple	5R6	56R	560R	5K6	56K	560K	5M6	
green	blue	6R8	68R	680R	6K8	68K	680K	6M8	
blue	grey	8R2	82R	820R	8K2	82K	820K	8M2	
grey	red								

4 th Band - Tolerance			
+/- 2%		+/- 5%	
red		gold	
+/- 1%		+/- 10%	
brown		silver	

Keeping a Logbook

- Use this logbook to record *everything* you do on a project:
 - Annotated sketches & doodles
 - Customer needs & requirements
 - Class notes
 - Project objectives
 - Meeting notes
 - Action Items
 - Half-baked Ideas
 - Maths calculations
 - Block diagrams
 - System diagrams
 - Sketched circuit schematics
 - Stripboard layouts (the dots are printed at the right spacing)
 - Code snippets
 - Design alternatives
 - Research findings
 - Sources of Ideas (including URLs of websites)
 - Results of experiments
 - Evaluation of data/results
 - Design reviews
 - Decision criteria
 - Design process
 - Rationale for decisions
 - Project reflections
 - Physically cut-and-pasted photos, scans etc.
- Write in the logbook as you go - do not write things elsewhere with the intention of writing it up in the logbook later.
- No loose bits of paper - they'll fall out and you'll lose them.
- Record the date on each page. Start each day on a new page.
- Use ink, not pencil. Do not erase. Delete an entry by neatly crossing it out.
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- Use the page numbers in the top corner as references. E.g. "the load on the motor was calculated using equation 5 on page 57"
- Do not paste too many bits of paper into your logbook - it'll get unmanageably thick.
- Do not paste large sheets or multiple printed pages in your logbook. Save the information in a file, give it a sensible name and store it in a sensible location. Refer to the name and location in your logbook. E.g. "datasheet for this part is stored in /myDocuments/finalproject/datasheet/555.pdf"