

LAB N°03

Arduino Communications
Interrupts-PWM-Sensors-Actuators

A. THEORY: (max 01 pages)

1. **Force Sensor:** Definition, principle, Category, and connection with Microcontrollers, see Fig.1.
2. **Interruption:**
 - 2.1. Definition
 - 2.2. Theoretical study of Arduino pins that allow interruptions
 - 2.3. Arduino Internal Pull-up (definition and programming)
 - 2.4. Structure of program-based interrupts, functions, library, etc...

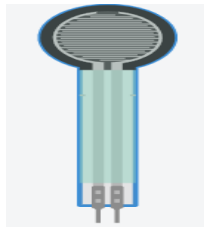


Fig.1: Force sensor

B. ACTIVITY: (max 03 pages)

1. **Force Sensor**

Connect a force sensor and an LED to the appropriate GPIOs. We want the LED to turn on if the force applied exceeds a certain threshold. Otherwise, it should turn off. Please display the force values on the console and test the functionality.

2. **Pushbutton with Internal Pull-Up**

We add a pushbutton and a second LED, but this time we will use an internal pull-up resistor instead of an external pull-up resistor. We want to turn on the LED each time we release the button after pressing it.

3. **Force Sensor and Pushbutton**

Test the system's functionality, and try to saturate the system by using different combinations of button presses and sensor readings and/or adding delay intervals.

4. **Interruptions**

Now connect the pushbutton to an **interrupt input** and perform the same tests as before for active interrupt on rising and falling edges.

5. **Explanations :**

Explain and provide an example for this interrupt mode..

6. **Conclusion**