## Title:

LED Socket

# Sensor/Indicator/Actuator:

Indicator

#### Features:

Shows Statuses via On or Off Can be Faded to show values in between

### **Connection:**

Digital

## **Summary:**

The Light Emitting Diode, or LED, is an electrical component that lights up when power is applied to it. Its usage varies from a pure light source, like in a flashlight. To a way to show information, like in a car dashboard. LEDs are a common replacement to other light up indicators because they use less power but still shine very bright. When you project needs to display the state of something or even if you just want to add some pizazz, try out the LED socket with your favorite color LED.

### Example Code

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Turns an LED on for one second, then off for one second, repeatedly.

Most Arduinos have an on-board LED you can control. On the UNO, MEGA and ZERO it is attached to digital pin 13, on MKR1000 on pin 6. LED\_BUILTIN is set to the correct LED pin independent of which board is used.

If you want to know what pin the on-board LED is connected to on your Arduino model, check the Technical Specs of your board at: https://www.arduino.cc/en/Main/Products

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*/
// Change here if you're using a different socket
#define LED_SOCKET 5 // <= digital socket number (D5)</pre>
// the setup function runs once when you press reset or power the board
void setup() {
  // initialize digital pin LED_SOCKET as an output.
 pinMode(LED_SOCKET, OUTPUT);
}
// the loop function runs over and over again forever
void loop() {
  digitalWrite(LED_SOCKET, HIGH); // turn the LED on (HIGH is the voltage level)
 delay(1000);
                                    // wait for a second
 digitalWrite(LED_SOCKET, LOW); // turn the LED off by making the voltage LOW
 delay(1000);
                                    // wait for a second
}
```