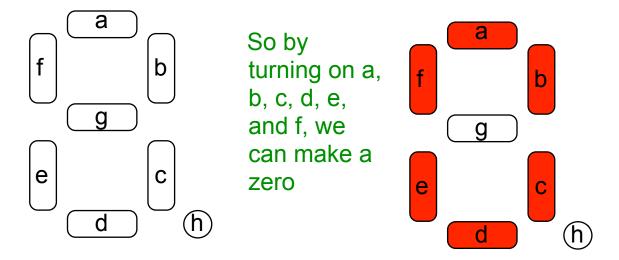
7 SEGMENT DISPLAY WITH Python

7 segment display

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A seven segment display uses LEDs to show numbers. Each LED element is normally referred to by a letter, and can be switched on or off to make the correct shape.





The Python code on the next page can be used to control the seven segment display.



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import RPi.GPIO as GPIO
                              Use the dotted lines to help
import time
                              you get each block of code
GPIO.setmode(GPIO.BOARD)
                              aligned correctly.
# variables to store pins for each segment
led a = 22
led b = 18
led c = 16
led d = 21
led e = 23
led f = 24
                                 Can you add extra patterns for
led g = 26
                                 the remaining numbers (2-9)?
led h = 19
# Design the patterns for each number
digit zero = [led a, led b, led c, led d, led e, led f]
digit one = [led b, led c]
# create a list of all the segment variables
leds = [led_a, led_b, led_c, led_d, led_e, led_f, led_g, led_h]
# Set all segment pins to be outputs
                                             Remember we use [ square
for pin in leds:
        GPIO.setup(pin, GPIO.OUT)
                                              brackets ] for lists.
# Create simple function to turn all segments off
def all off():
        for pin in leds:
               GPIO.output(pin,GPIO.LOW)
# Create a function to test all segments
def test_segs():
        all_off()
        for pin in leds:
                GPIO.output(pin, GPIO.HIGH)
                time.sleep(0.5)
                GPIO.output(pin,GPIO.LOW)
# create a function to diaply a number
def display_num(digit):
        all_off()
        for pin in digit:
                GPIO.output(pin,GPIO.HIGH)
test_segs()
time.sleep(1)
display num(digit zero)
time.sleep(1)
display_num(digit_one)
time.sleep(1)
                   Extend and modify the code so that
GPIO.cleanup()
                   the leds count down from 9 to 0.
                   Can you use a loop and another list?
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