User:

IT-Assignment 1.pdf Take a look at this task and take a loot Part 3.Now take a look at this public repository that
and suggest improvements or identify potential issues.

Look at my document and improve this word code accordingly:ABBREVIATIONS:
Scheduled_Time = Scheduled Feeding Times
Current_Time = Current Time
Food_Capacity = Food Capacity in Container (%)
Bowl_Weight = Bowl Weight after dispensing (grams)
MOTOR = Servo motor control command
ALERT = Alert/notification message to staff
HATCH = Food hatch sensor state (Boolean, True = Open, False = Closed)

WORD CODE:

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# - INITIAL SETUP -
Scheduled_Time       = [09:00, 18:00]    # Scheduled feeding times (fixed)
LOW_FOOD_WARNING     = 20                # Warning threshold (%)
LOW_FOOD_STOP        = 5                 # Stop threshold (%)
CONSUMPTION_DROP     = 50                # % drop in Bowl_Weight considered ·eating·
WAIT_AFTER_FEED      = 15                # Minutes to wait before checking bowl weight

# - MAIN LOOP -
while True:
    Scheduled_Time = get_scheduled_times()
    Current_Time = read_current_time()

    if Current_Time in Scheduled_Time:
        Food_Capacity = read_food_capacity_sensor()

        if Food_Capacity > LOW_FOOD_WARNING:
            HATCH = read_hatch_sensor()
            if HATCH == True:
                MOTOR.activate_for(3)
            else:
                ALERT.send("Hatch jam detected - cannot dispense")
                cease_operations()
                break

        elif LOW_FOOD_WARNING >= Food_Capacity > LOW_FOOD_STOP:
            ALERT.send("Food is almost empty, remember to refill!")
            HATCH = read_hatch_sensor()
            if HATCH == True:
                MOTOR.activate_for(3)
            else:
                ALERT.send("Hatch jam detected - cannot dispense")
                cease_operations()
                break

        elif Food_Capacity <= LOW_FOOD_STOP:
            ALERT.send("Food is completely empty, please refill immediately!")
            cease_operations()
            break

        wait_minutes(WAIT_AFTER_FEED)
        Bowl_Weight = read_bowl_weight()
        if bowl_weight_decreased_by(CONSUMPTION_DROP):
            continue
        else:
            ALERT.send("Food has not been eaten")
            cease_operations()
            break
    else:
        wait_minutes(1)
        continueAre there any irregularities, a better way I couldve done it? etc. highlight all changes
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Copilot:
Thanks for sharing your Word Code and the assignment brief. I·ve reviewed both your implementation and the e

[Refined Word Code and explanation omitted for brevity in this transcript]

User:
Could you make the table improvement easier to copy (a.k.a in normal text format)

Copilot:
Absolutely! Here's the table of improvements from earlier, now in a plain text format for easy copying:

Key Improvements and Rationale

1. Modular Comments
· Clear sectioning (# --- INITIAL SETUP ---, # --- MAIN LOOP ---) improves readability and organization.

2. Simplified Conditions
· Replaced complex chained comparisons like LOW_FOOD_WARNING >= Food_Capacity > LOW_FOOD_STO

3. Removed Redundant Variables
· Instead of assigning HATCH = read_hatch_sensor(), the code now directly uses if read_hatch_sensor(): to redu

4. Improved Alert Messages
· Messages like "Food is almost empty, remember to refill!" were revised to "Food is almost empty, please refill s

5. Consistent Formatting
· Indentation and spacing were standardized to make the code easier to read and maintain.

6. Dynamic Scheduled Time (Optional)
· Scheduled_Time = get_scheduled_times() allows future flexibility if feeding times are updated dynamically, eve

User:
Now for the final question, based on my repository, logic problem solving everything. Help me solve this questio
built using actual hardware (e.g., Arduino, Raspberry Pi).

Copilot:
Great! Let's explore how your automated pet feeder system·based on your logic and repository·could be implem

To implement your automated pet feeder system in the real world, you can use either an Arduino or a Raspberry

If you choose Arduino, you·ll need components like:
- A Real-Time Clock (RTC) module to keep track of feeding times.
- An ultrasonic sensor or IR sensor to measure food capacity in the container.

- A load cell with an HX711 amplifier to measure the bowl weight after dispensing.
- A servo motor to control the food hatch and dispense food.
- A limit switch or magnetic reed sensor to detect if the hatch is open or jammed.
- A buzzer or Wi-Fi module (like ESP8266) to send alerts to staff.

Your logic would be programmed using the Arduino IDE in C/C++. You·d use libraries like RTClib for timekeepin

If you choose Raspberry Pi, you can use Python to implement the same logic. Raspberry Pi has built-in Wi-Fi an
- Sending alerts via email or SMS.
- Logging data to a local database or cloud service.
- Hosting a web dashboard to monitor feeding status.
- Using a camera and OpenCV to monitor pet behavior (optional).

You·d use Python libraries like RPi.GPIO or gpiozero to interact with sensors and actuators, and schedule or cro

In summary, Arduino is great for a standalone feeder with basic functionality, while Raspberry Pi is better if you w

User:
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Copilot:
Here·s a text-based explanation of how your automated pet feeder system could be built using actual hardware l

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Copilot:
Here·s the complete response (excluding the Word Code refinement) that you can directly use or adapt for your

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Make it easier to look at using pointers emojis etc

Copilot:
Absolutely! Here's a more visually friendly version of the real-world implementation explanation using bullet point

· Real-World Implementation of the Automated Pet Feeder System

To bring my automated pet feeder system to life using actual hardware, I can choose between two popular platfo

· Using Arduino (Simple & Low-Cost)

· Best for: Basic control logic, low power, standalone systems.

· Hardware Components:
- · Real-Time Clock (RTC) module · keeps track of feeding times.
- · Ultrasonic or IR sensor · measures food level in the container.
- ·· Load cell + HX711 amplifier · measures bowl weight after dispensing.
- · Servo motor · controls the food hatch.
- · Limit switch or reed sensor · detects if the hatch is open or jammed.
- · Buzzer or · ESP8266 Wi-Fi module · sends alerts to staff.

· Programming:
- Written in C/C++ using the Arduino IDE.
- Libraries used: RTClib, Servo.h, HX711.h.

· Logic Flow:
- Check current time.
- If it matches feeding schedule:
  - Verify food level and hatch status.
  - Dispense food using servo.
  - Wait and check bowl weight.
  - If food wasn·t eaten, trigger alert.

·· Using Raspberry Pi (Advanced & Networked)

· Best for: Smart features, remote monitoring, cloud integration.

· Hardware Components:
- Same sensors and actuators as Arduino.
- Built-in Wi-Fi for alerts and data logging.
- Optional camera for pet monitoring.

· Programming:
- Written in Python.
- Libraries used: gpiozero, RPi.GPIO, schedule, smtplib (for email alerts).

· Logic Flow:
- Use Python to schedule feeding times.
- Interact with sensors via GPIO.
- Send alerts via email or SMS.
- Log data to a local database or cloud (e.g., Firebase).
- Optionally use OpenCV for visual pet behavior analysis.

· Summary:
- · Arduino is perfect for a low-cost, standalone feeder with basic functionality.
- · Raspberry Pi is ideal if I want to expand into smart features like remote monitoring, data logging, or AI-based

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· Option 3: Summarize for GitHub or Report
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- Format it for your README.md or reflection section.

Would you like me to create a downloadable file of this conversation or help you format it for your assignment?

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Sure could you make a pdf of our WHOLE conversation? Highlighting whos talking (who prompted and who ans