

Simple Obstacle Avoidance

Time required: 30 minutes

Please read all the directions carefully before beginning the assignment.

1. Comment your code as shown in the tutorials and other code examples.
2. Follow all directions carefully and accurately.
3. Think of the directions as minimum requirements.

Understanding

Demonstrate understanding of:

ultrasonic sensor, if statements

Tutorial Assignment

1. Start the Arduino IDE. Save the sketch as **SimpleObstacleAvoidance**.
2. Complete and test the program as pictured with the requirements listed.
3. Comment your code.

Requirements

- Avoid obstacles by backing up, turning right, then continue moving.
- Include **Movement.h**.

Assignment Submission

1. All students: Zip up the sketch folder. Attach the zip file to the assignment in Blackboard.
2. The assignment is demonstrated in class.
3. Online students: A link to a YouTube video recording showing your robot going through its motions is placed in the submission area in BlackBoard.

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1  /**
2   @file    SimpleObstacleAvoidance.ino
3   @author  William A Loring
4   @version V1.0.0
5   Revised: 10/06/2018   Created: 01/04/2017
6   @Description: Simple Obstacle Avoidance
7   If there is an obstacle, backup, turn right 90 and keep going
8  */
9  #include <MeMCore.h>
10 #include "Movement.h"
11 // Setup mBot hardware
12 MeIR ir; // Setup IR Remote
13 MeBuzzer buzzer; // Setup the buzzer
14 MeUltrasonicSensor ultrasonic(PORT_3); // Setup the ultrasonic sensor
15 MeRGBLed led(0, 30); // Setup the led's
16 int sensorState; // Store ultrasonic sensor reading
17 const int OBSTACLE_DISTANCE = 10; // Constant to set Distance to obstacle
18
19 void setup() {
20   led.setpin(13); // Set the pin for the led
21   ir.begin(); // Begin listening for the ir remote
22   // If a remote button is pressed
23   uint32_t value; // Declare unsigned 32 bit integer to store remote code
24   do {
25     if (ir.decode()) { // If a remote button is pressed
26       value = ir.value; // Read the value from the remote
27       value = value >> 16 & 0xff;
28     }
29   } while (value != IR_BUTTON_UP); // loop until ir up button is pressed
30 }
31
32 void loop() {
33   avoidObstacle();
34 }
35
36 void avoidObstacle() {
37   led.setColor(0, 60, 0); //Set LED to green
38   led.show();
39   forward();
40   // sensorState = ultrasonic.distanceCm(); // Read ultrasonic sensor in cm
41   sensorState = ultrasonic.distanceInch(); // Read ultrasonic sensor in inches
42   // If obstacle within OBSTACLE_DISTANCE distance, back up and turn right
43   if (sensorState < OBSTACLE_DISTANCE) {
44     led.setColor(60, 0, 0); //Set LED to red
45     led.show();
46     reverseInches(6);
47     rightTurnDegrees(90);
48   }
49 }

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