



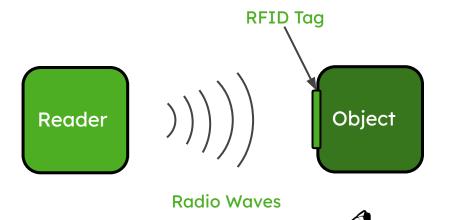
WHAT IS A VALID GOAL?



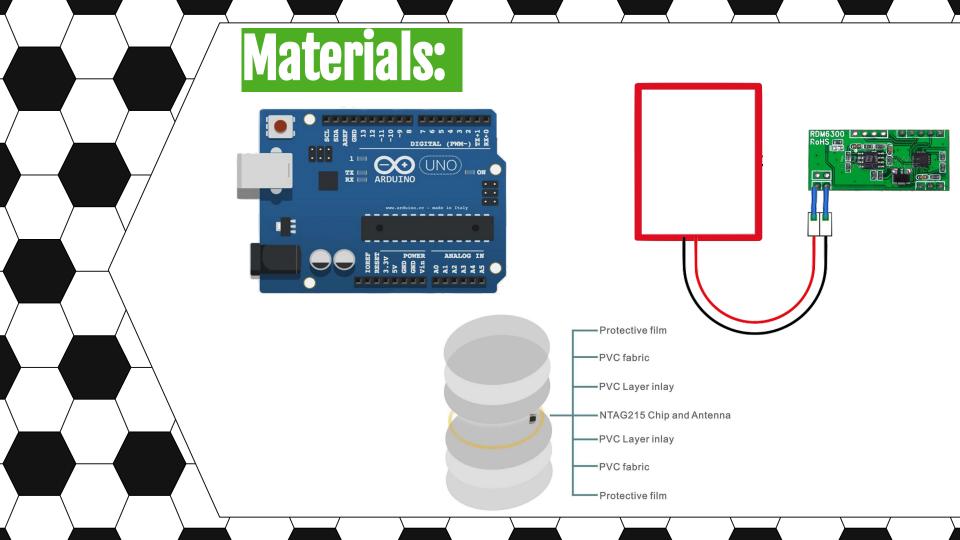


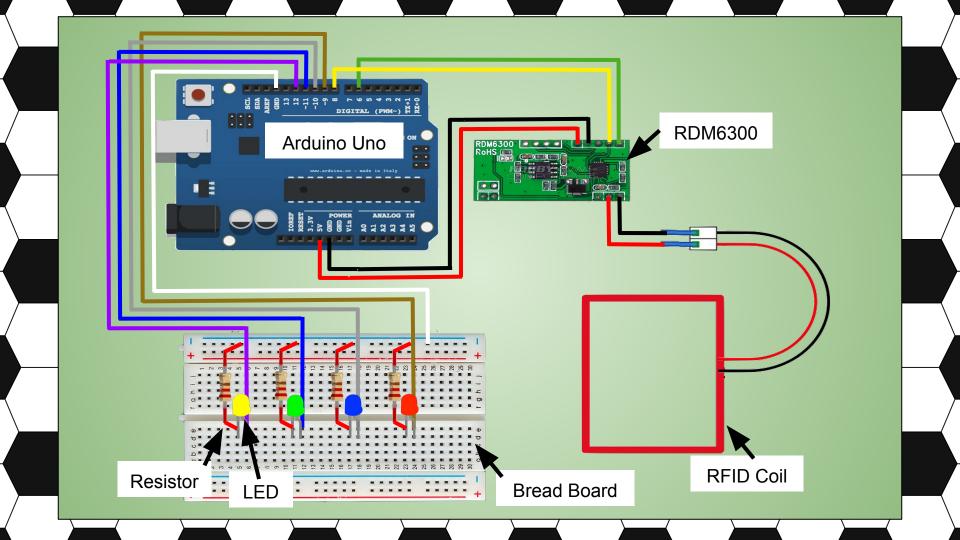
WHAT IS RFID?

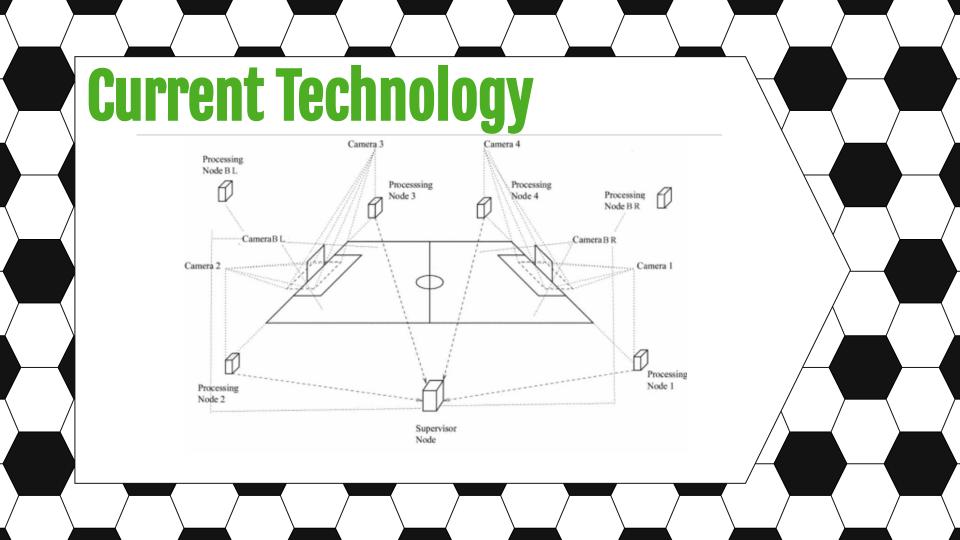


















Quicker Game Time Calls



Better Viewer Experience





Error

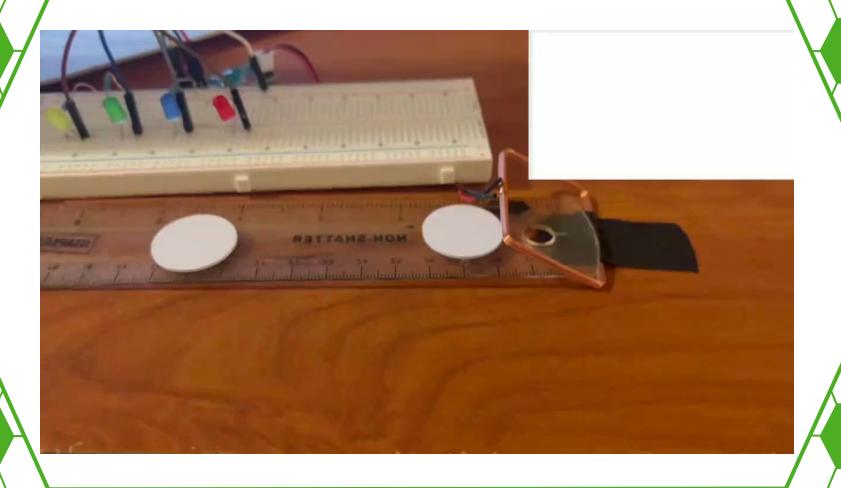
More Reliable Scores

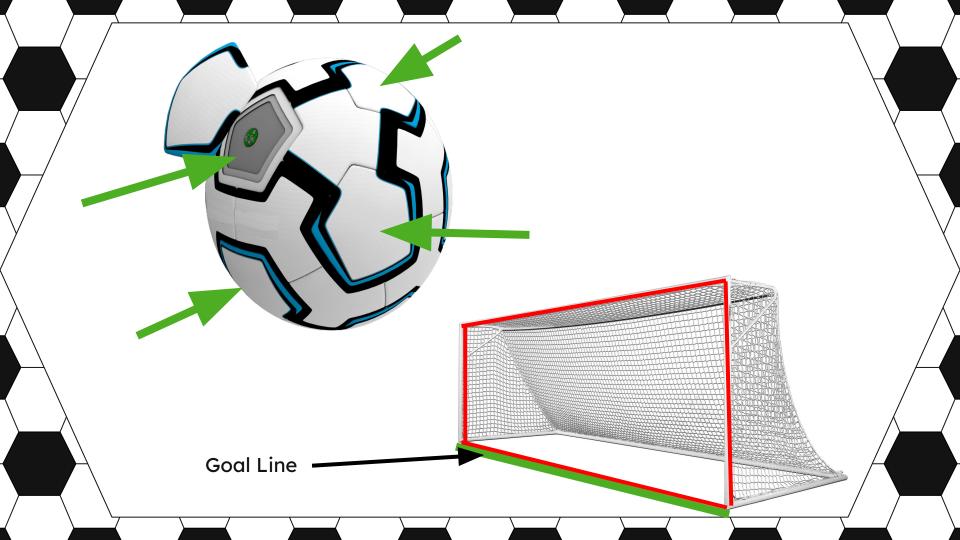


More Accurate Statistics



Less Fighting







Situations that may happen that have unique outcomes:

- 1. Ball partially crosses the goal line, and is then pushed through the goal
- 2. Ball partially crosses the goal line, and is then pulled back out of the goal

EDGE CASES: ALTERATIONS

ORIGINAL TESTING

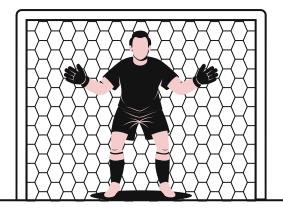
- No differentiation between tags
- Relied on count of tags

THE PROBLEM

- If ball stops on the line, will scan same tag multiple times
- If ball partially crosses and rolls back, will scan tags multiple times
 Both result in incorrect goal calls

THE FIX

- Identify each tag individually
- As each <u>unique</u> tag crosses the reader, light up LED
- When all four LEDs light up, signal valid goal



EDGE CASES: OUTPUTS

1. Ball partially crosses the goal line, and is then pushed through the goal

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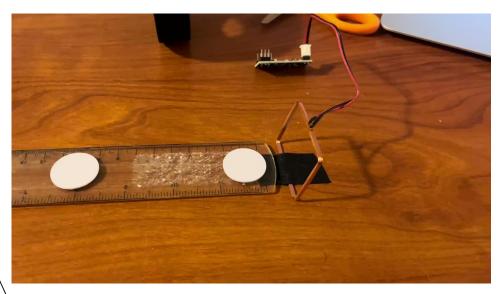
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VALID GOAL!

EDGE CASES: OUTPUTS

2. Ball partially crosses the goal line, and is then pulled back out of the goal



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FUTURE IMPLEMENTATION

WITHIN SOCCER:

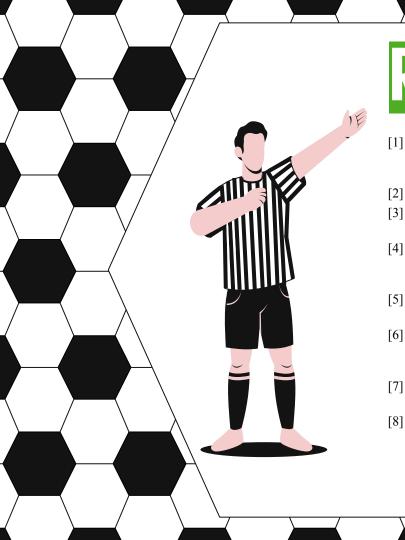
- 1. Whether the ball as stayed in bounds or not
- 2. Whether a player has stepped out of bounds



OTHER SPORTS:

- 1. Adapt to goal rules of other sports (touchdown in football, touching a base in baseball, etc)
- 2. Boundary tracking
- 3. Amateur leagues





Resources

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