

# Vermicompost Monitoring & Management System - Arduino Code

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#include <Wire.h>
#include <LiquidCrystal_I2C.h>

#define DHTPIN 2    // Pin connected to DHT11 data pin
#define MAX_TIMINGS 85
#define DHTTYPE DHT11 // DHT11 sensor type
#define moisturePin A0 // Analog pin A0 for the soil moisture sensor
#define PUMP_PIN P2_2 // Pin connected to the pump control
#define FAN_PIN P2_0 // Pin connected to the fan control
#define LED_GREEN P1_4
#define LED_RED P1_5 // Pin connected to Red LED (for temperature indication)

int dht11_dat[5] = {0, 0, 0, 0, 0}; // Array to hold the data from DHT11
int moistureThreshold = 40; // Threshold for moisture level (in percentage)
float temperatureThreshold = 30+.0; // Threshold for fan activation (in Celsius)

LiquidCrystal_I2C lcd(0x27, 16, 2); // Create LCD object for I2C Display

unsigned long lastReadingTime = 0; // To track time for sensor readings
const unsigned long interval = 2000; // 2-second interval
bool showTemperatureHumidity = true; // Toggle between temp/humidity and moisture

int dryValue = 4095; // Analog reading when the soil is completely dry
int wetValue = 1500; // Analog reading when the soil is completely wet

void setup() {
  Serial.begin(9600);
  pinMode(DHTPIN, OUTPUT);
  digitalWrite(DHTPIN, HIGH);
  pinMode(PUMP_PIN, OUTPUT);
  digitalWrite(PUMP_PIN, HIGH);
  pinMode(FAN_PIN, OUTPUT);
  digitalWrite(FAN_PIN, HIGH);
  pinMode(LED_GREEN, OUTPUT);
  digitalWrite(LED_GREEN, HIGH);
  pinMode(LED_RED, OUTPUT);
  digitalWrite(LED_RED, HIGH);

  lcd.begin();
  lcd.backlight();
  lcd.setCursor(0, 0);
  lcd.print("Initializing...");
  delay(2000);
}

void loop() {
  unsigned long currentMillis = millis();
  if (currentMillis - lastReadingTime >= interval) {
    lastReadingTime = currentMillis;
    showTemperatureHumidity = !showTemperatureHumidity;
  }
}
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if (showTemperatureHumidity) {
  int chk = readDHT11();
  if (chk == 0) {
    float temperature = dht11_dat[2] + dht11_dat[3] / 10.0;
    if (temperature > temperatureThreshold) {
      digitalWrite(FAN_PIN, LOW);
      Serial.println("Fan: ON");
      digitalWrite(LED_GREEN, LOW);
      Serial.println("GREEN LED: ON");
    } else {
      digitalWrite(FAN_PIN, HIGH);
      Serial.println("Fan: OFF");
      digitalWrite(LED_GREEN, HIGH);
      Serial.println("GREEN LED: OFF");
    }
    lcd.clear();
    lcd.setCursor(0, 0);
    lcd.print("Temp: ");
    lcd.print(temperature);
    lcd.print(" C");
    lcd.setCursor(0, 1);
    lcd.print("Hum: ");
    lcd.print(dht11_dat[0]);
    lcd.print(" %");
  } else {
    displayError("DHT11 Error");
  }
} else {
  int moistureLevel = analogRead(moisturePin);
  int moisturePercent = map(moistureLevel, dryValue, wetValue, 0, 100);
  moisturePercent = constrain(moisturePercent, 0, 100);
  if (moisturePercent < moistureThreshold) {
    digitalWrite(PUMP_PIN, LOW);
    Serial.println("Pump: ON");
    digitalWrite(LED_RED, LOW);
    Serial.println("RED LED: ON");
  } else {
    digitalWrite(PUMP_PIN, HIGH);
    Serial.println("Pump: OFF");
    digitalWrite(LED_RED, HIGH);
    Serial.println("RED LED: OFF");
  }
  Serial.print("Soil Moisture Level: ");
  Serial.print(moisturePercent);
  Serial.println(" %");
  lcd.clear();
  lcd.setCursor(0, 0);
  lcd.print("Moisture Level:");
  lcd.setCursor(0, 1);
  lcd.print(moisturePercent);
  lcd.print(" %");
}
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    }  
  }  
  delay(2000);  
}  
  
int readDHT11() {  
  uint8_t laststate = HIGH;  
  uint8_t counter = 0;  
  uint8_t j = 0, i;  
  dht11_dat[0] = dht11_dat[1] = dht11_dat[2] = dht11_dat[3] = dht11_dat[4] = 0;  
  pinMode(DHTPIN, OUTPUT);  
  digitalWrite(DHTPIN, LOW);  
  delay(18);  
  digitalWrite(DHTPIN, HIGH);  
  delayMicroseconds(40);  
  pinMode(DHTPIN, INPUT);  
  
  for (i = 0; i < MAX_TIMINGS; i++) {  
    counter = 0;  
    while (digitalRead(DHTPIN) == laststate) {  
      counter++;  
      delayMicroseconds(1);  
      if (counter == 255) break;  
    }  
    laststate = digitalRead(DHTPIN);  
    if (counter == 255) break;  
    if ((i >= 4) && (i % 2 == 0)) {  
      dht11_dat[j / 8] <= 1;  
      if (counter > 16)  
        dht11_dat[j / 8] |= 1;  
      j++;  
    }  
  }  
  if ((j >= 40) && (dht11_dat[4] == ((dht11_dat[0] + dht11_dat[1] + dht11_dat[2] + dht11_dat[3]) & 0xFF))) {  
    return 0;  
  }  
  return 1;  
}  
  
void displayError(const char* message) {  
  Serial.println(message);  
  digitalWrite(LED_RED, LOW);  
  lcd.clear();  
  lcd.setCursor(0, 0);  
  lcd.print(message);  
  delay(2000);  
}
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