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More Girls



in STEM

Missions Plan



4 Runs, max. possible pts = 350

Research Activities

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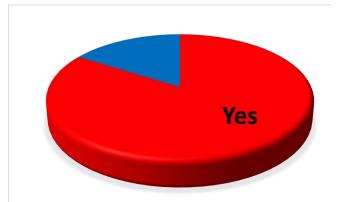


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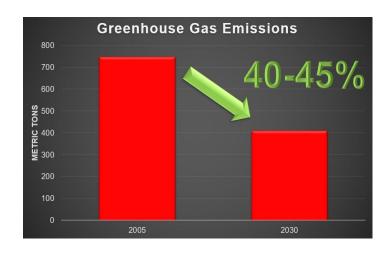




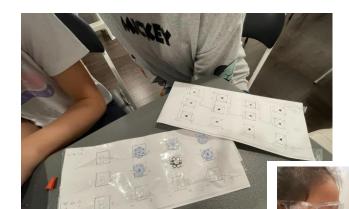
In favor of vertical farming











Grown Light
Circuitry Planning



Soldering in Progress



Farm Structure Assembly



SuperPowered Girls
Vertical Farm



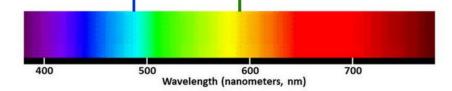




Very short wavelength, optimal for plant photosynthesis and vegetative growth.

Plants reflect this spectrum. Mostly unused light.

Optimal for stem growth, flowering, and chlorophyll production.



Light Spectrum and Plant Growth







Advantages of Vertical Farming



Maximum crop yield



Lesser space for crops



Reduces transporation cost



Food grows organically



Uses minimal water



Cheaper in the long run

	Vertical Farming	Traditional Farming
Land Use	Small space friendly, vertical farming	Large areas of farmland, horizontal farming
Water Use	Fewer water resources are used	Water use can vary, but generally, is higher
Energy Use	Often high energy use (but renewable)	Moderate energy use (if well managed)
GHG Emissions	Relatively low GHG emissions (with the right strategies)	Relatively high GHG emissions
Pollution and Ecosystem	Minimal pollution and ecosystem degradation	Most farming damages the environment
Supply Chains	Decentralized food production system	Centralized food production system

Vertical Farming

Good, but

Energy Consumption

High

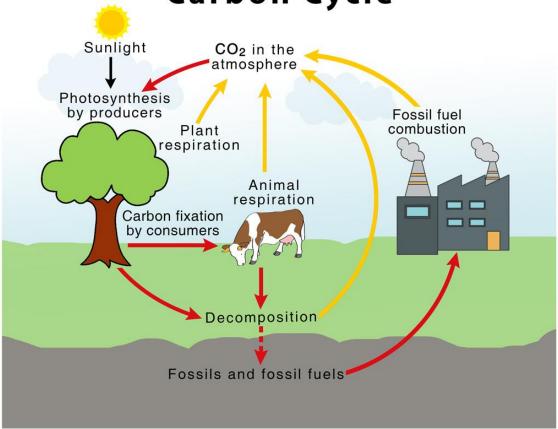
Solution ?

Partnership

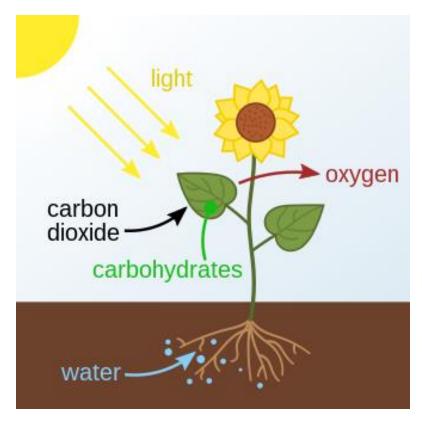


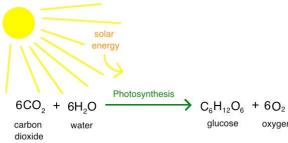


Carbon Cycle



Photosynthesis cycle













Partnership





Energy Consumption



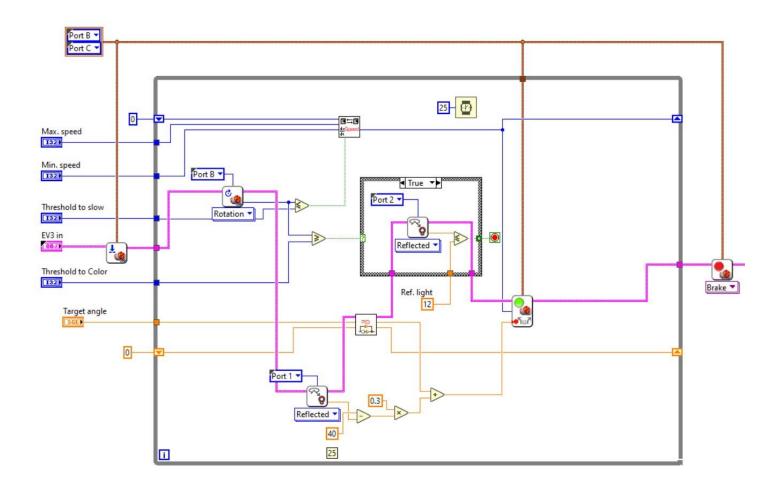
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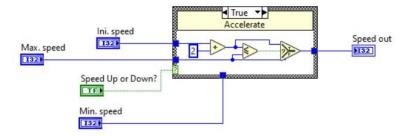
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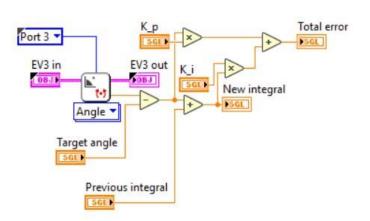


Exploration

Carbon Capture in Vertical Farming









Underlying program of EV3-G