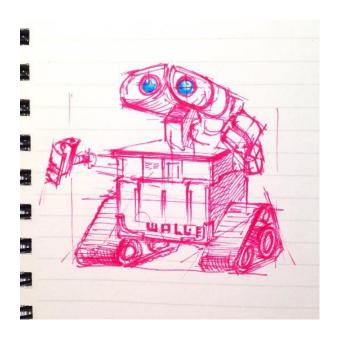


# Wall-E Interactive Robot

A reprogrammed WALL-E toy that responds to movements.

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#### **Wall-E Interactive Robot Tutorial:**

#### **Tools:**

Triangle screw driver

Standard star screw driver

Scissors

Arduino

Breadboard

2 RGB lights

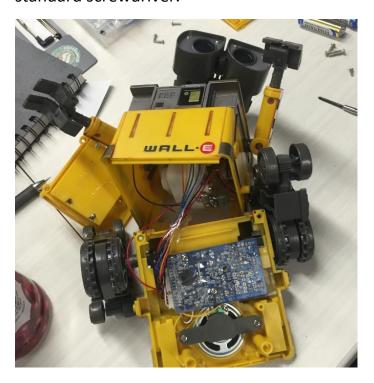
**Power Drill** 

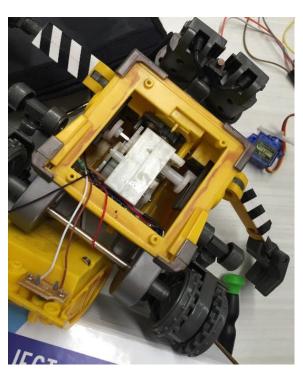
**Assorted Sander Attachments** 

Mini Hand Saw

## **Toy Deconstruction**

Start by opening the toy structure by removing the screws with a triangle screwdriver and standard screwdriver.





Remove all existing toy components from inside the body and disconnect all wires with scissors.

#### **Programming**

#### Eyes:

Start with programming the toy's eyes. Read comments in the code below as well as side notes for detailed instructions.

Setting up pins for the eyes.

```
void setup()
   Serial.begin (9600);
   pinMode(trigPin, OUTPUT);
   pinMode(echoPin, INPUT);
   pinMode(redPin1, OUTPUT);
   pinMode (greenPin1, OUTPUT);
   pinMode(bluePin1, OUTPUT);
   pinMode(redPin2, OUTPUT);
   pinMode(greenPin2, OUTPUT);
   pinMode(bluePin2, OUTPUT);
   myservol.attach(servolPin);
   myservo2.attach(servo2Pin);
   myservo3.attach(servo3Pin);
   //myservo4.attach(servo4Pin);
}
//Here we create the function for changing the eye color
void loop()
   eyeMood();
}
```

For now disregard the code pertaining to the micro-servo motors.

//Turn the proper color ON
void setColor(int red, int green, int blue)
{
 analogWrite(redPin1, red);
 analogWrite(greenPin1, green);
 analogWrite(bluePin1, blue);
 analogWrite(redPin2, red);

analogWrite(greenPin2, green);

analogWrite(bluePin2, blue);

}

To set the different eye colors use this function and RGB values.

```
/////////GENERAL////////////
//Change eye color depending on the distance to closest obstacle
void eyeMood()
   long duration, distance;
   digitalWrite(trigPin, LOW);
   delayMicroseconds(2);
   digitalWrite(trigPin, HIGH);
   delayMicroseconds(10);
   digitalWrite(trigPin, LOW);
   duration = pulseIn(echoPin, HIGH);
   distance = (duration/2) / 29.1;
   if (distance <= 10)
   redEyes();
       handsUP();
       headDOWN();
   }
```

```
void blueEyes()
    setColor(0, 0, 255); //blue
// GREEN eyes
void greenEyes()
    setColor(0, 255, 0); //green
// RED eyes
void redEyes()
    setColor(255, 0, 0); //red
//Turn eyes OFF
void eyesOff()
   setColor(0, 0, 0); //off
 else if (distance > 10 && distance <= 15)
     greenEyes();
     handsDOWN();
     headUP();
 }
 else if (distance > 15 && distance <= 30)
```

// BLUE eyes

Use this function with an 'if statement' to change the color of the RGB lights in relation to proximity. When the distance of an object from the WALL-E is greater than 15 cm, the RGB lights remain blue, in their "natural" state.

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blueEyes();

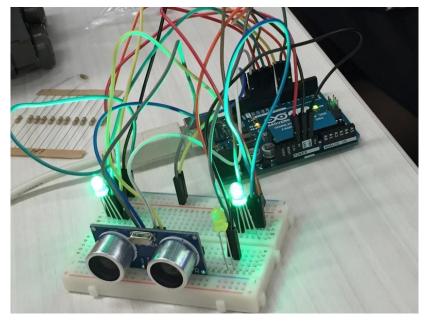
eyesOff();
handsDOWN();

delay(200);

headDOWN();

else if (distance >= 30)

Likewise, if the distance of the object is between 10 and 15 cm the RGB lights will turn from blue to green and if less than 10cm then green to red.



Once your RGB lights are functioning connect the Ultra-sonic sensor to the breadboard and Arduino with wires.

#### Arms:

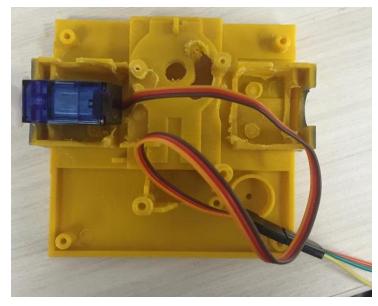
For the arms we attached two micro servo motors to the breadboard and Arduino with wires. Here we are setting up the pins.

Add micro-servo 1 and 2 to the void setup function like so.

```
myservo1.attach(servo1Pin);
myservo2.attach(servo2Pin);
```

```
//Put the hands up
  void handsUP()
      for(handPos; handPos <= 90; handPos++) // hands moving UP</pre>
          //Put right hand UP
          myservol.write(handPos);
                                                                     Here we are programming the
          //Reverse motion for left hand to go up as well
                                                                     arms (as hands) to move up and
          myservo2.write(90-handPos);
          //Set motion speed
                                                                     down from 0 to 90 degrees with a
          delay(10);
                                                                     continuous 'for loop'.
      }
  //Put the hands down
  void handsDOWN()
      for(handPos; handPos >= 0; handPos--)
          myservol.write(handPos);
          myservo2.write(90-handPos);
          delay(10);
      }
  }
////////GENERAL///////////
//Change eye color depending on the distance to closest obstacle
                                                           else if (distance > 10 && distance <= 15)
void eyeMood()
                                                               greenEyes();
   long duration, distance;
   digitalWrite(trigPin, LOW);
                                                          handsDOWN();
   delayMicroseconds(2);
                                                              headUP();
  digitalWrite(trigPin, HIGH);
  delayMicroseconds(10);
  digitalWrite(trigPin, LOW);
                                                           else if (distance > 15 && distance <= 30)
   duration = pulseIn(echoPin, HIGH);
   distance = (duration/2) / 29.1;
                                                              blueEyes();
   if (distance <= 10)
                                                           else if (distance >= 30)
      redEyes();
     handsUP();
                                                             eyesOff();
      headDOWN();
                                                         handsDOWN();
                                                             headDOWN();
                                                           delay(200);
                                                       }
```

In the code above, we have programmed the arms (as hands) to move 90 degrees in correspondence with the distance that the proximity sensor is detecting as we did for the eyes.



Micro-servo motor for arms inside WALL-E structure

#### Head:

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For the head we attached a micro servo motor to the breadboard and Arduino in the same manner. Then we set up the pins just as before.

The toy's head is programmed similarly with a 'for loop' to change its position 50 degrees as the proximity of the object changes.

```
else if (distance > 10 && distance <= 15)
///////GENERAL///////////
//Change eye color depending on the distance to closest obstacle
                                                                greenEyes();
void eyeMood()
                                                                handsDOWN();
                                                          headUP();
   long duration, distance;
                                                            1
   digitalWrite(trigPin, LOW);
   delayMicroseconds(2);
   digitalWrite(trigPin, HIGH);
                                                            else if (distance > 15 && distance <= 30)
   delayMicroseconds(10);
   digitalWrite(trigPin, LOW);
                                                                blueEyes();
   duration = pulseIn(echoPin, HIGH);
   distance = (duration/2) / 29.1;
                                                            else if (distance >= 30)
   if (distance <= 10)
                                                              eyesOff();
       redEyes();
                                                              handsDOWN();
      handsUP();
                                                         → headDOWN();
  headDOWN();
                                                            }
                                                            delay(200);
                                                         }
```

In the code above we are calling the head function as we did with the eyes and arms.

### **Assembly Process:**

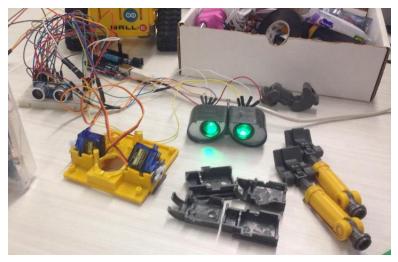
To prepare the structure to encase our breadboard, wires, micro-servo motors and other components we reshaped it using a sander attachment on a power drill



Reshaping WALL-E's head



The assembled head component with wiring



Some reshaped structural components and functioning electronic components

# Good Luck!

