CS21 Final Machine Project: Binary to Braille

Deadline: 30 March 2012

### Idea: Convert, Convert, Convert

Given six bits of data, convert it into decimal form.

Based on its decimal form, convert it into numeral form.

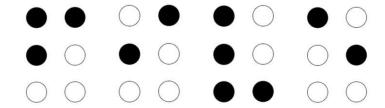
From the numeral form, print every letter using its Braille form.

### Example:

Given: 0 0 0 1 0 1

Decimal form: 5 Numeral form: five

Braille form:



## Input: Seven Switches

- Use six switches to represent the bits of data
- Use another switch that will act as an input flag (on: get input, off: do not get input)

# Output: Six LED lights

- Use six LEDs to represent the dots in a Braille letter
- While flashing each letter, there will be a delay of 2 seconds in between flashes
- For white spaces, all lights are turned off

| t = 0s                | t = 2s     | t = 4s    | t = 6s                    |
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### Machine: Arduino

- All operations (except switch input) will be done in Arduino.
- Use pins 1 to 6 for input bits, pin 7 for input flag, pins 8 to 13 for Braille dots
- Note that the input may change during runtime (thus the need for the input flag switch)

### Scoring

| <ul> <li>Input switches</li> </ul>            | 10 points        |
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| <ul> <li>Binary to decimal convers</li> </ul> | ion 10 points    |
| • Decimal to numeral conve                    | ersion 10 points |
| <ul> <li>Numeral to Braille conver</li> </ul> | sion 10 points   |
| • Braille output                              | 10 points        |
|                                               | 50 points total  |





