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Chapter 0 Processing

Processing is a software used to write programs that can run on computers. Processing software is free and open source running on the Mac, Windows, and GNU/Linux platforms, which is the same as Arduino software. In fact, the development of Arduino software is based on Processing software, and they still have similar interface.

Programs written with Processing are also called sketches, and Java is the default language. Java language and C++ language have many similarities, so readers who have learned our basic tutorial are able to understand and write simple Processing sketches quickly.
This tutorial will introduce how to install and use processing software on Raspberry Pi through some electronic circuit projects. Chapters and sequence in this tutorial are basically the same as those in the C and python language tutorial. Our elaborate electronic circuits and interactive project with Processing are attached at the end, including virtual instruments, games (2D and 3D versions), etc.

Download Code

Run the following command to download the code to Raspberry Pi.

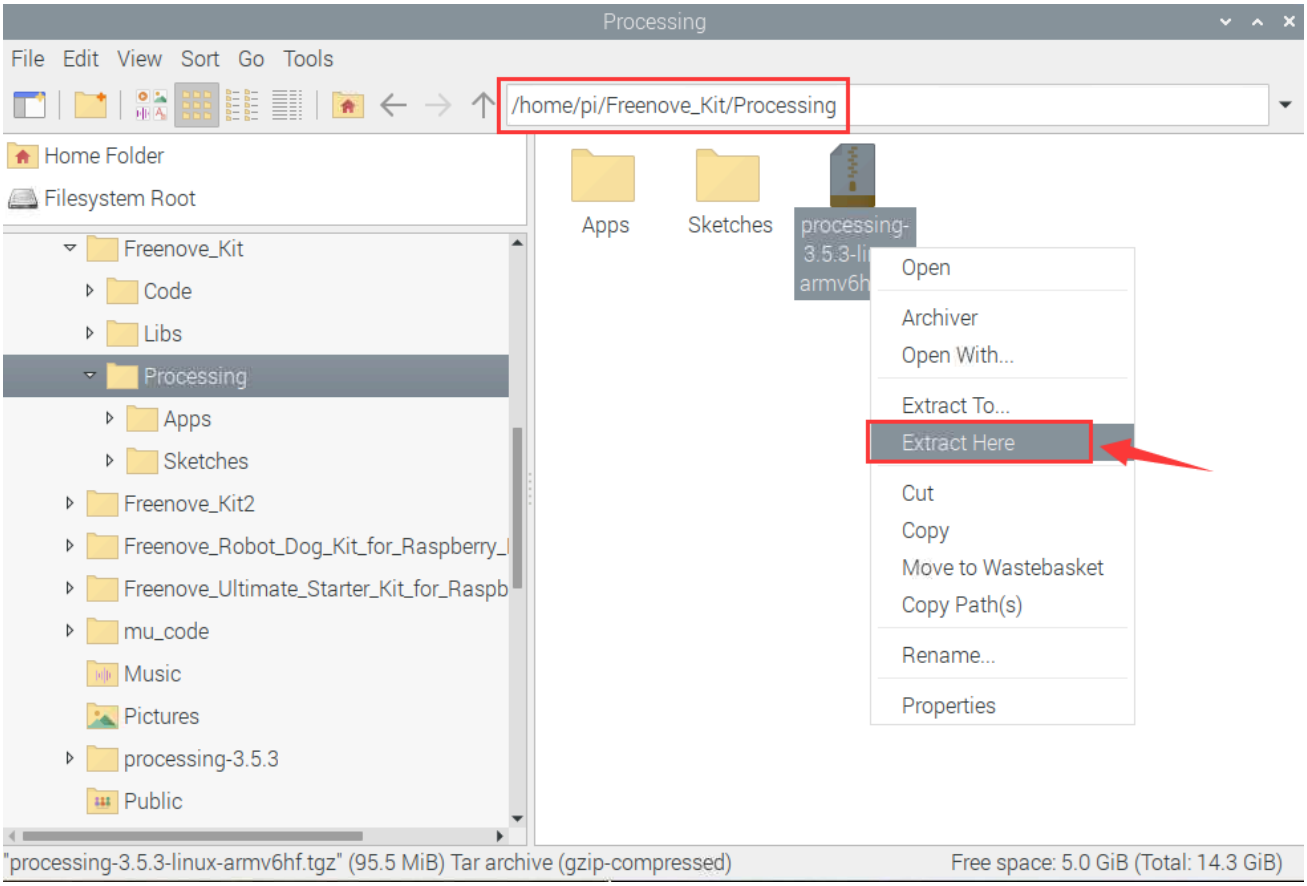
```
cd ~
git clone https://github.com/Freenove/Freenove_Projects_Kit_for_Raspberry_Pi.git
```

Run the command to rename the folder.

```
mv Freenove_Projects_Kit_for_Raspberry_Pi/ Freenove_Kit/
```

Install Processing Software

Find the directory where the installation package is located and unzip it.

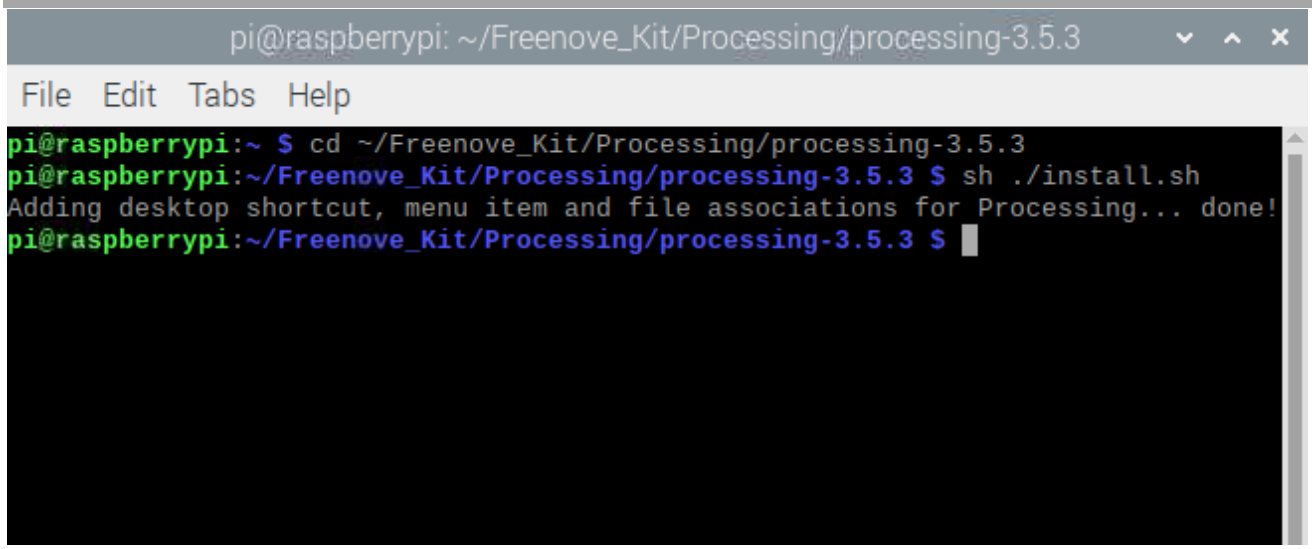


1. Run the command to enter the folder.

```
cd ~/Freenove_Kit/Processing/processing-3.5.3
```

2. Run the command to install software.

```
sh ./install.sh
```



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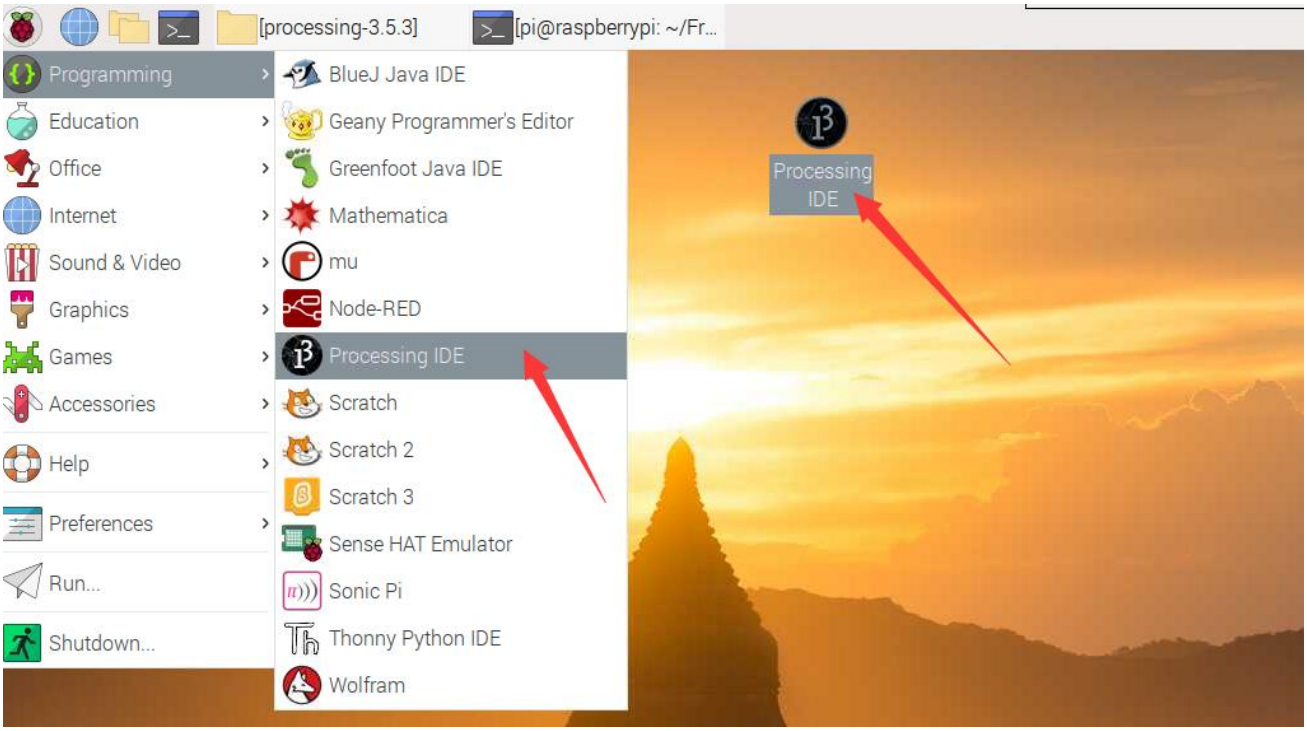
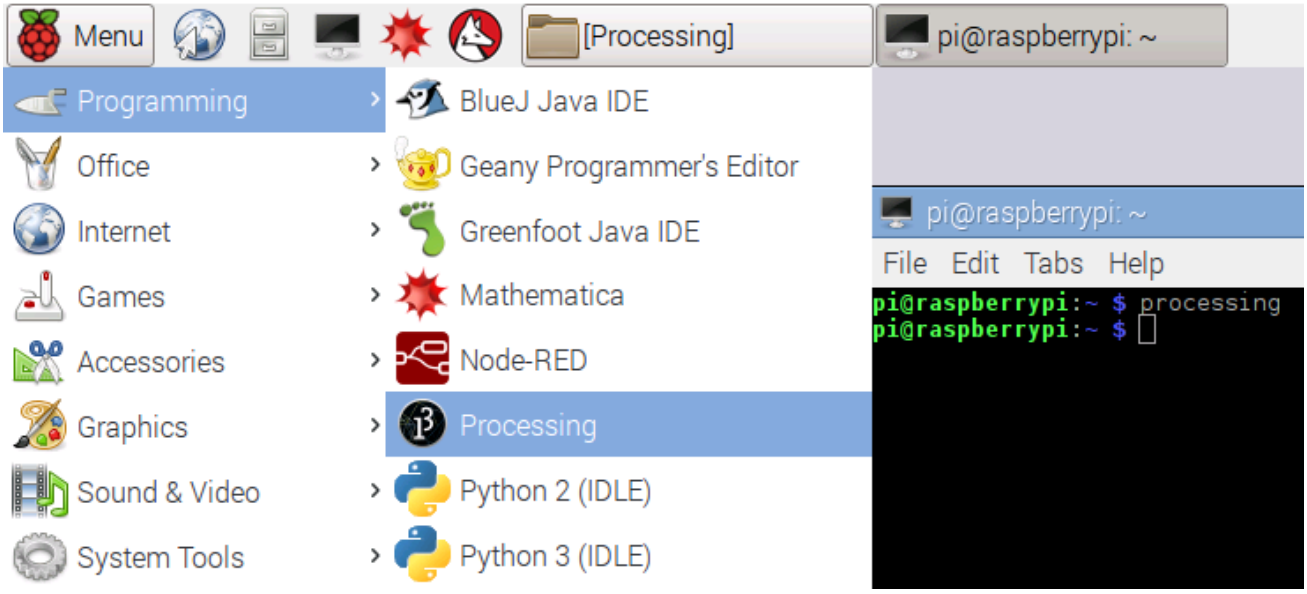
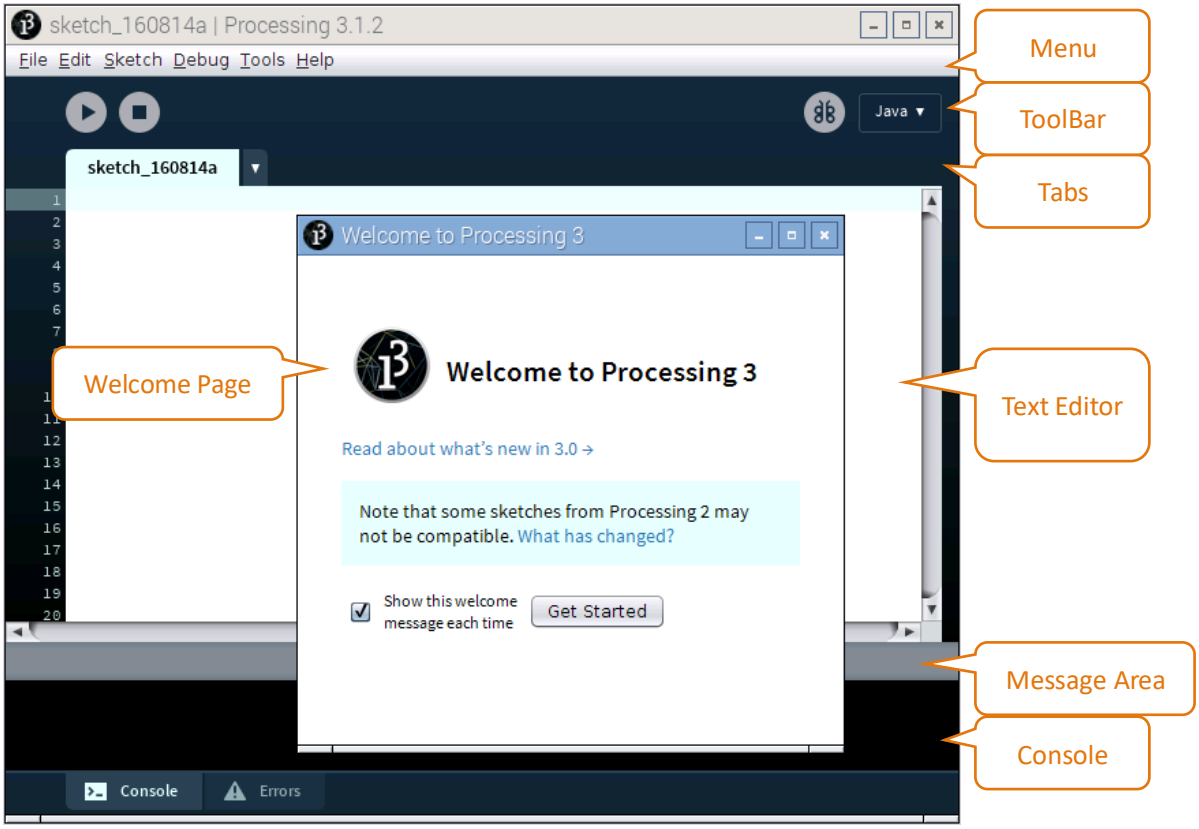


You can also download and install the software by visiting the official website https://processing.org/.

After the installation is completed, you can input "processing" to open processing software in any directory of the terminal, or open the software processing in the start menu of the system, as shown below:



Interface of processing software is shown below:



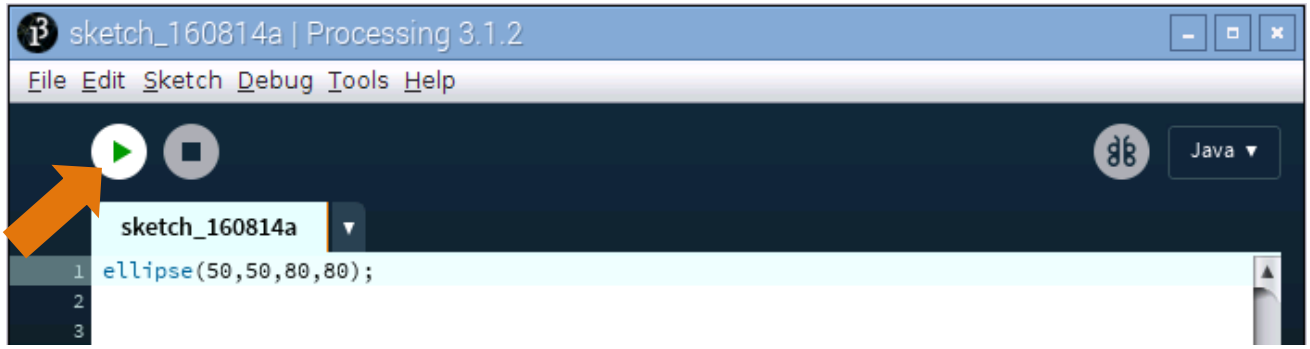
You're now running the Processing Development Environment (or PDE). There's not much to it; the large area is the Text Editor, and there's a row of buttons across the top; this is the toolbar. Below the editor is the Message Area, and below that is the Console. The Message Area is used for one line messages, and the Console is used for more technical details.

First Use

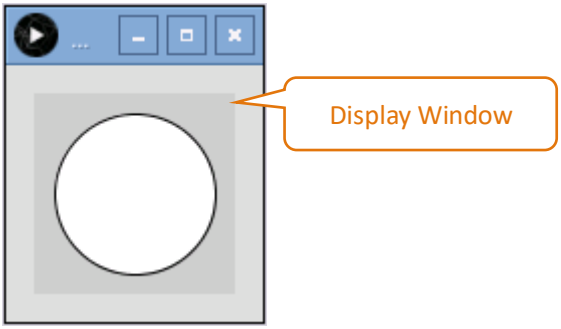
In the editor, type the following:

```
1  ellipse(50, 50, 80, 80);
```

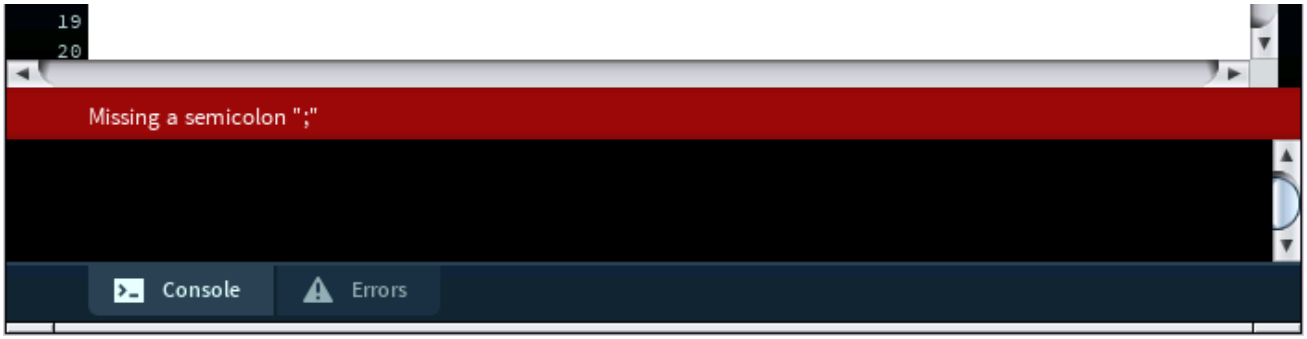
This line of code means "draw an ellipse, with the center 50 pixels over from the left and 50 pixels down from the top, with a width and height of 80 pixels." Click the Run button (the triangle button in the Toolbar).



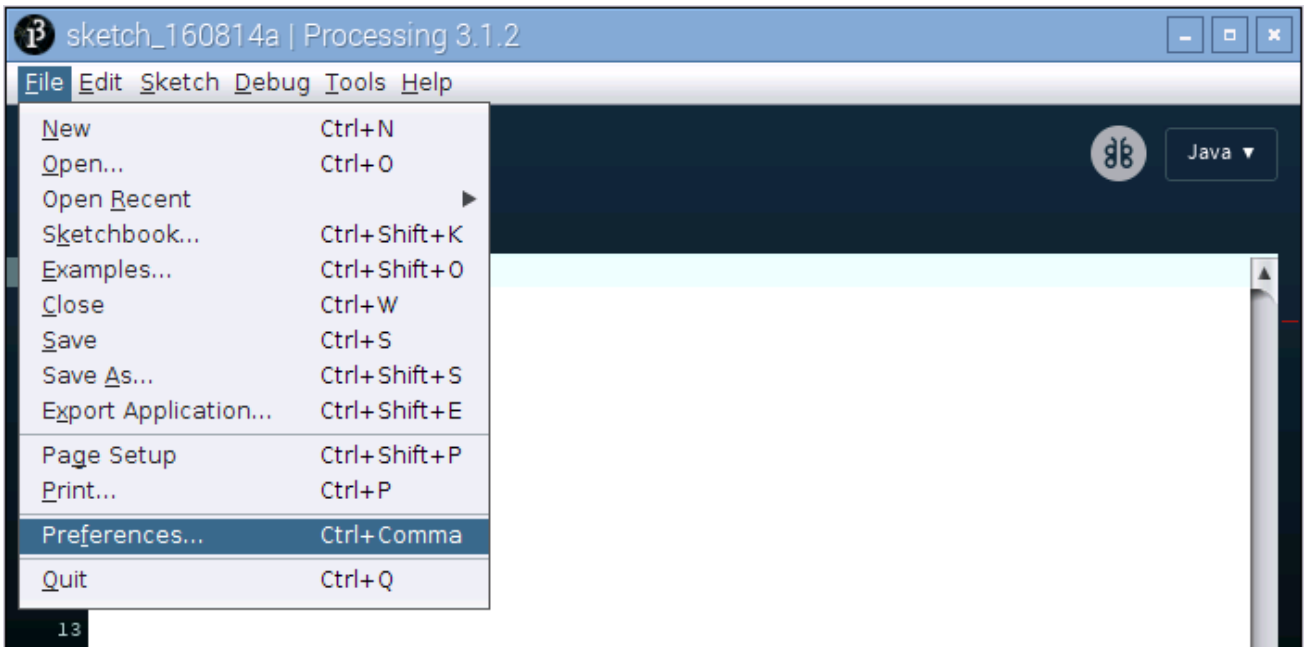
If you've typed everything correctly, you'll see a circle on your screen.



Click on "Stop" (the rectangle button in the Toolbar) or "Close" on Display Window to stop running the program.
If you didn't type it correctly, the Message Area will turn red and report an error. If this happens, make sure that you've copied the example code exactly: the numbers should be contained within parentheses and have commas between each of them, and each line should end with a semicolon.

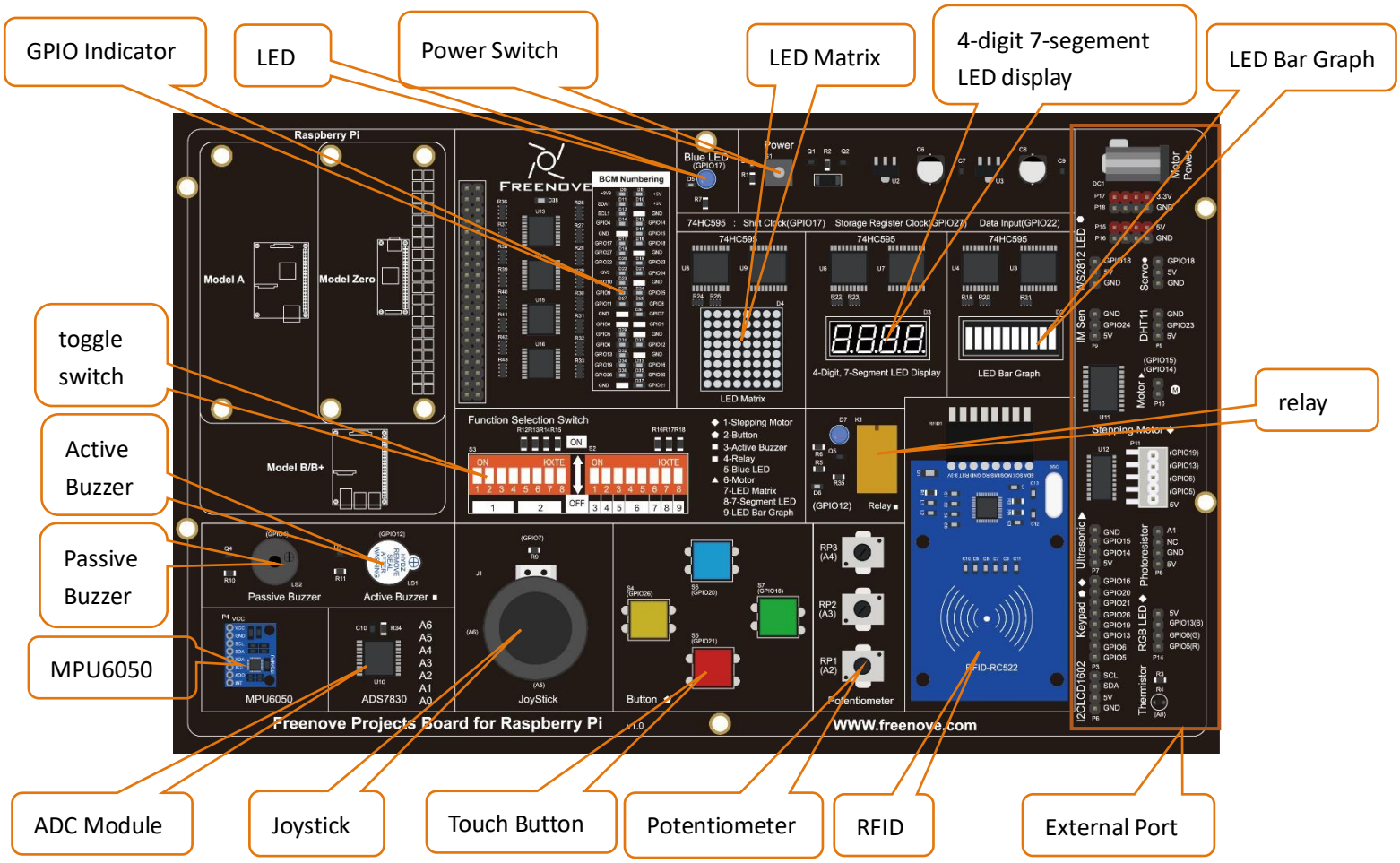


You can export this sketch to an application to run it directly without opening the Processing.
To export the sketch to the application, you must first save it.



So far, we have completed the first use. I believe you have felt the joy of it.

Projects Board for Raspberry Pi



Note:

1. Stepper motor, keypad and RGBLED must NOT be used at the same time.
2. Touch button and keypad must NOT be used at the same time.
3. Active buzzer and relay must NOT be used at the same time.
4. Motor and ultrasonic module must NOT be used at the same time.
5. Servo and WS2812LED must NOT be used at the same time.
6. Batteries need to be plugged in when using the motor.

Chapter 1 LED

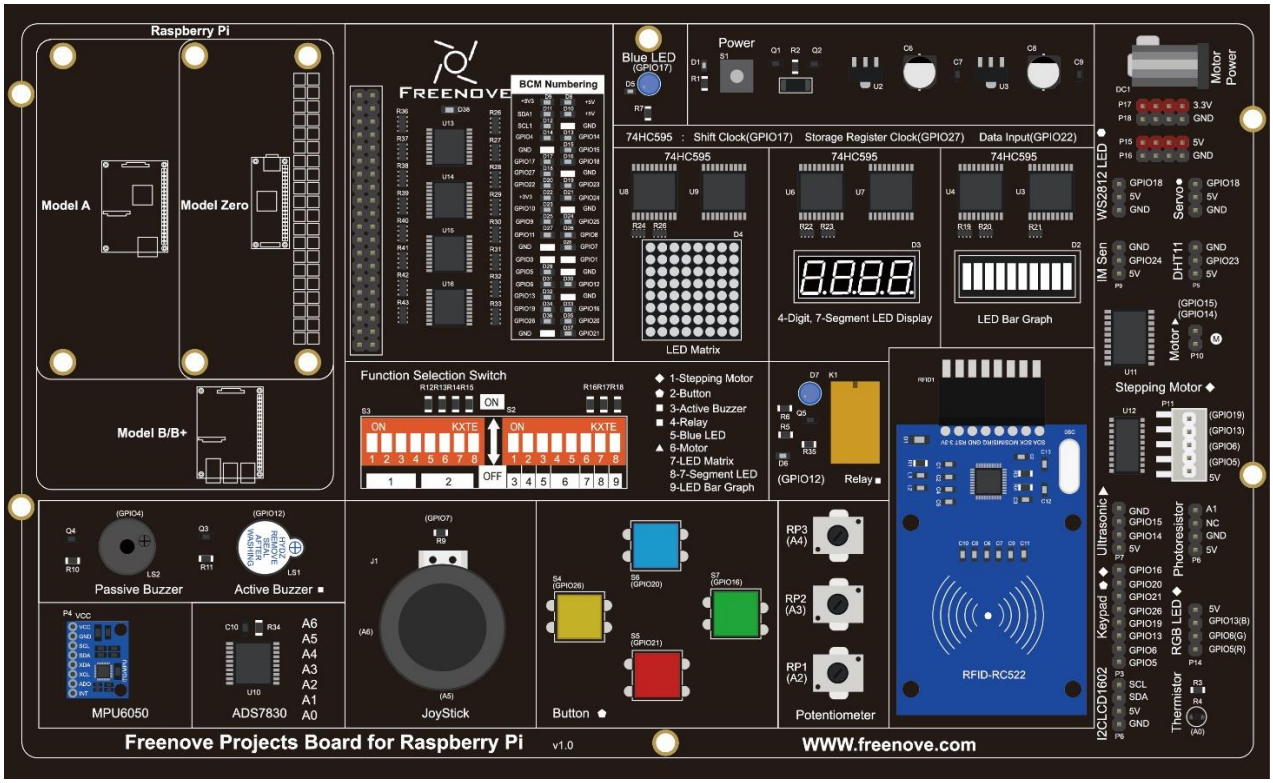
We will still start from Blink LED in this chapter, and also learn the usage of some commonly used functions of Processing Software.

Project 1.1 Blink

In this project, we will make a LED blink and have the Display window of Processing Blink at the same time.

Component List

Freenove Projects Board for Raspberry Pi



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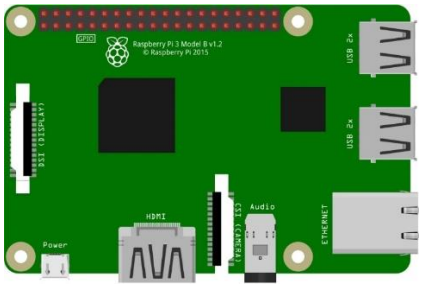

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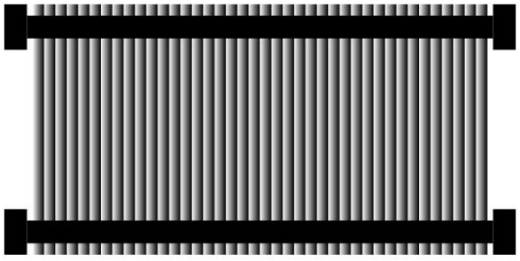
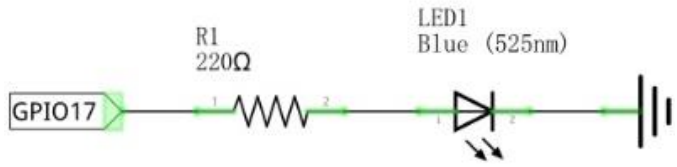


Circuit

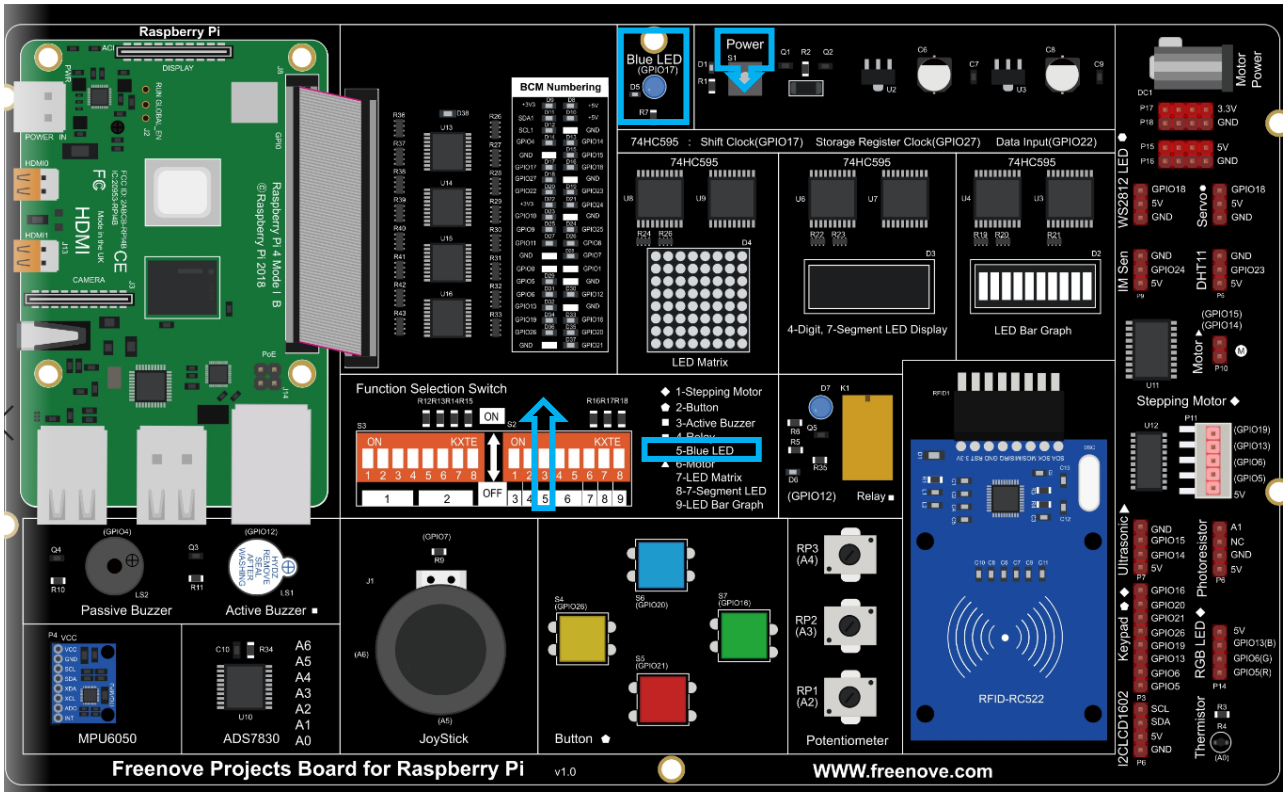
Schematic diagram

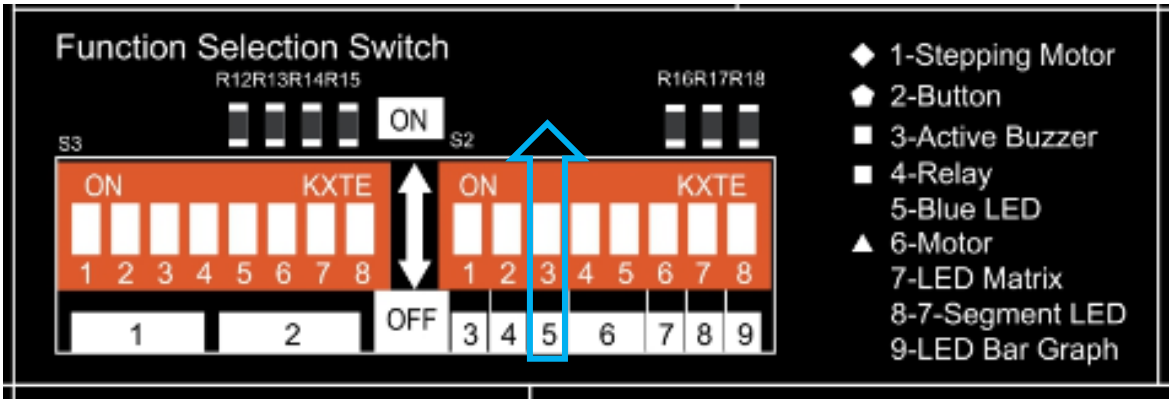


Hardware connection:

Turn ON the power switch and NO.5 toggle switch.

Power switch should be turned ON in all the projects.





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Sketch

Sketch 1.1.1 Blink

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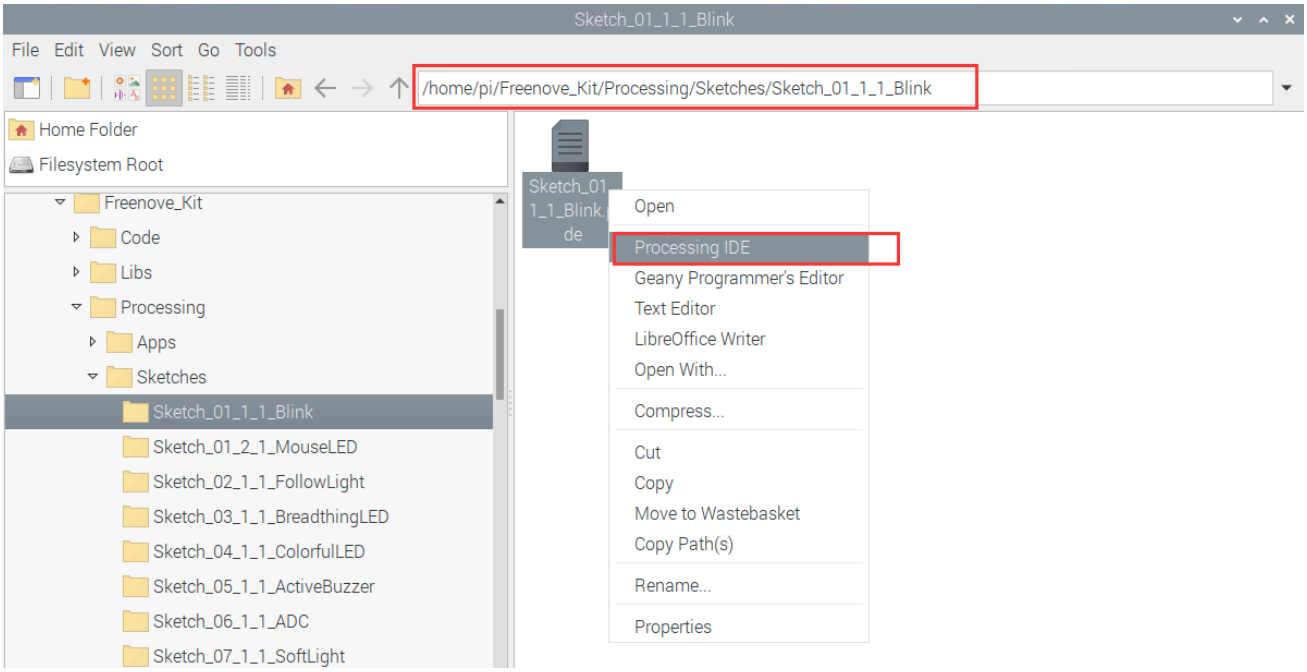
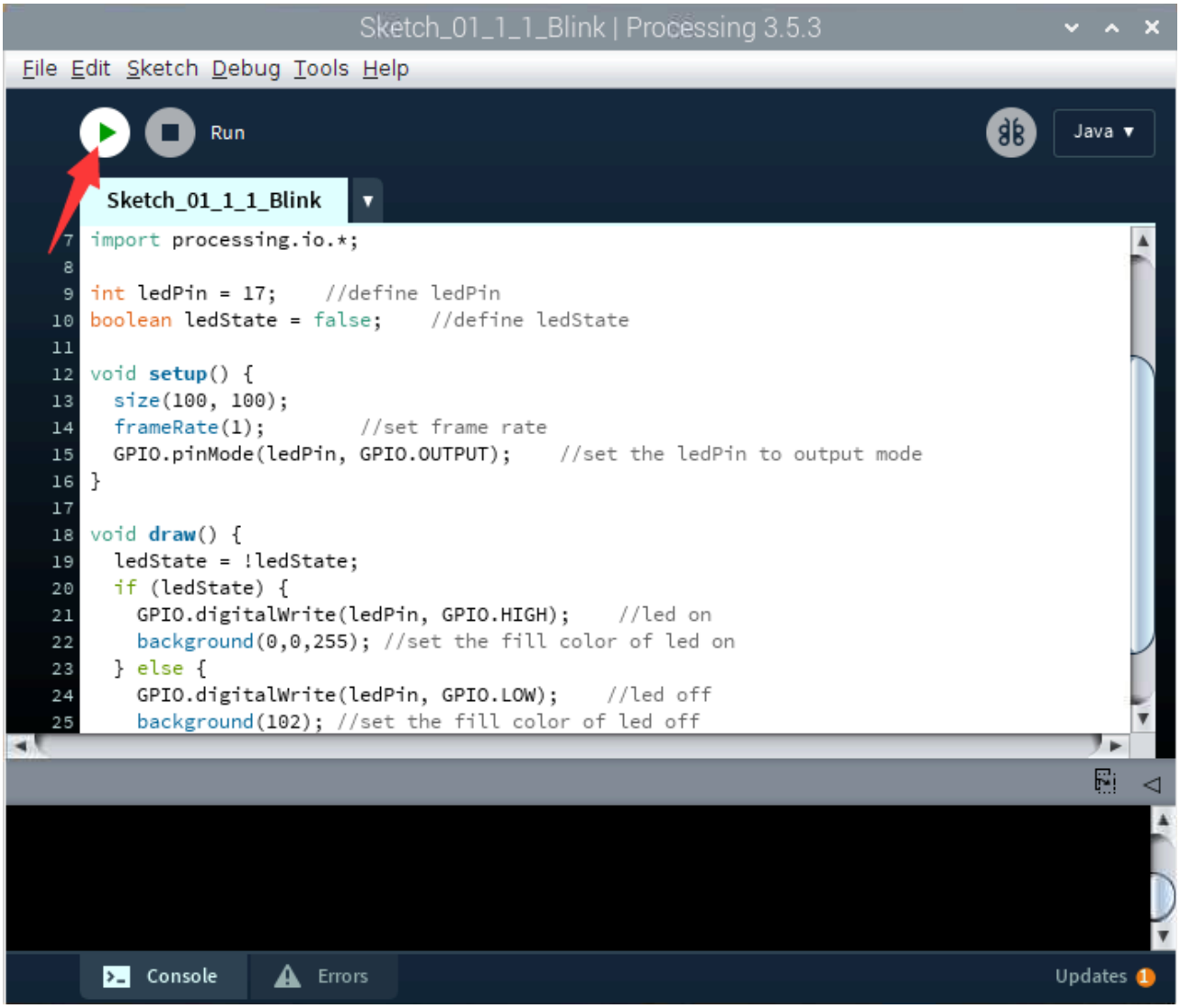
First, enter where the project is located:

```
/home/pi/Freenove_Kit/Processing/Sketches/Sketch_01_1_1_Blink
```

And then right-click to select Processing IDE



Open Processing and click Run.



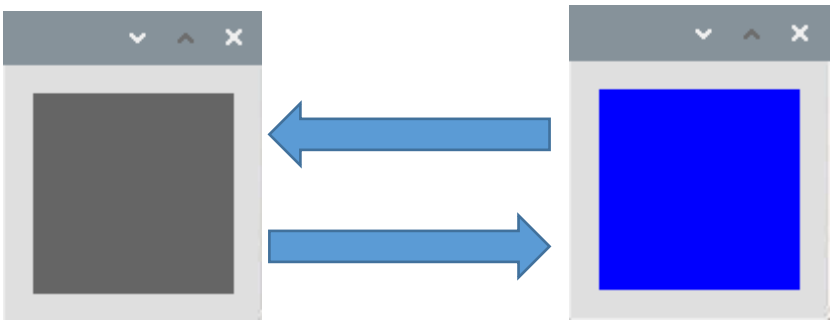

```
import processing.io.*;

int ledPin = 17;    //define ledPin
boolean ledState = false;    //define ledState

void setup() {
  size(100, 100);
  frameRate(1);        //set frame rate
  GPIO.pinMode(ledPin, GPIO.OUTPUT);    //set the ledPin to output mode
}

void draw() {
  ledState = !ledState;
  if (ledState) {
    GPIO.digitalWrite(ledPin, GPIO.HIGH);    //led on
    background(0,0,255); //set the fill color of led on
  } else {
    GPIO.digitalWrite(ledPin, GPIO.LOW);    //led off
    background(102); //set the fill color of led off
```

After the program runs, LED will start Blinking and the background of Display window will change with the change of LED state.



The following is program code:

```
1  import processing.io.*;
2
3  int ledPin = 17;    //define ledPin
4  boolean ledState = false;    //define ledState
```

```
5
6   void setup() {
7     size(100, 100);
8     frameRate(1);         //set frame rate
9     GPIO.pinMode(ledPin, GPIO.OUTPUT);    //set the ledPin to output mode
10  }
11
12  void draw() {
13    ledState = !ledState;
14    if (ledState) {
15      GPIO.digitalWrite(ledPin, GPIO.HIGH);    //led on
16      background(0,0,255); //set the fill color of led on
17    } else {
18      GPIO.digitalWrite(ledPin, GPIO.LOW);    //led off
19      background(102); //set the fill color of led off
20    }
21  }
```

Processing code usually have two functions: setup() and draw(), where the function setup() is only executed once while the function draw() will be executed repeatedly. In the function setup(), size(100, 100) specifies the size of the Display Window to 100x100pixl. FrameRate(1) specifies the refresh rate of Display Window to once per second, which means the draw() function will be executed once per second. GPIO.pinMode (ledPin, GPIO.OUTPUT) is used to set ledPin to output mode.

```
    void setup() {
      size(100, 100);
      frameRate(1);         //set frame rate
      GPIO.pinMode(ledPin, GPIO.OUTPUT);    //set the ledPin to output mode
    }
```

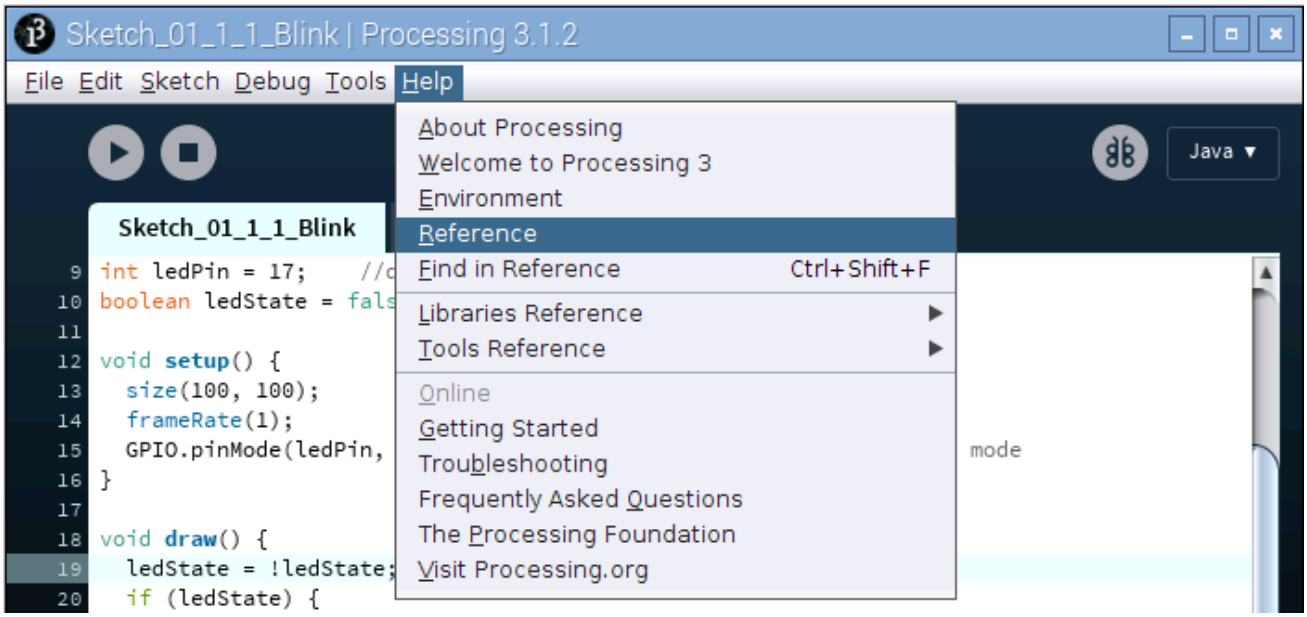
In draw() function, each execution will invert the variable "ledState". When “ledState” is true, LED is turned ON, and the background color of display window is set to red. And when the “ledState” is false, the LED is turned OFF and the background color of display window is set to gray. Since the function draw() is executed once per second, the background color of Display Window and the state of LED will also change once per second. This process will repeat in an endless loop to achieve the effect of blinking.

```
    void draw() {
      ledState = !ledState;
      if (ledState) {
        GPIO.digitalWrite(ledPin, GPIO.HIGH);    //led on
        background(0,0,255); //set the fill color of led on
      } else {
        GPIO.digitalWrite(ledPin, GPIO.LOW);    //led off
        background(102); //set the fill color of led off
      }
    }
```

The following is a brief description of some functions:

setup()
The setup() function is run once when the program starts.
draw()
It is called directly after the setup() function. The draw() function continuously executes the lines of code within its block until the program stops or noLoop() is called. draw() is called automatically and should never be called explicitly.
size()
Defines width and height of the display window in pixels.
framerate()
Specifies the number of frames to be displayed every second.
background()
Set the color of the background of the display window.
GPIO.pinMode()
Configures a pin to act either as input or output.
GPIO.digitalWrite()
Sets an output pin to be either high or low.

All functions used in this code can be found in the Reference of Processing Software, in which built-in functions are described in details, and there are some sample programs. It is recommended that beginners learn more about usage and function of those functions. The localization of Reference can be opened with the following steps: click the menu bar "Help"→"Reference".



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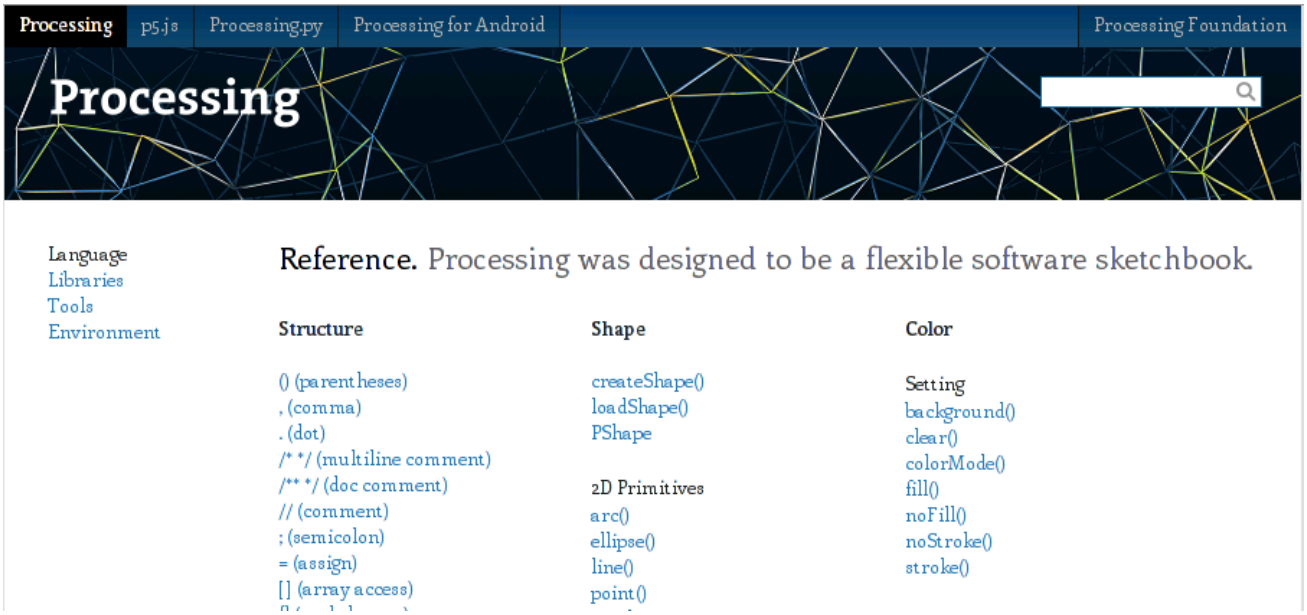

Or you can directly access to the official website for reference:http://processing.org/reference/

Project 1.2 MouseLED

In this project, we will use the mouse to control the state of LED.
The components and circuits of this project are the same as the previous section.

Component List

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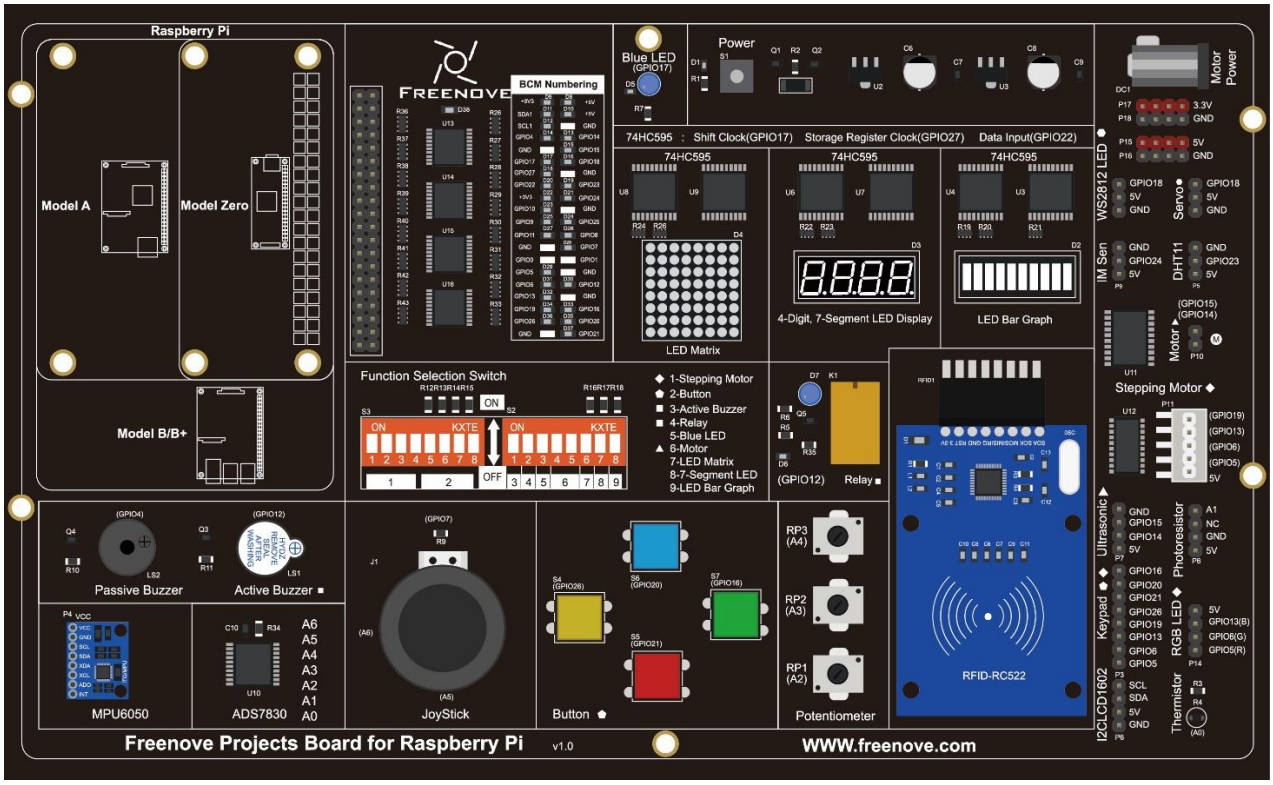

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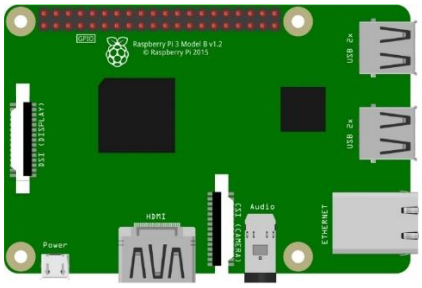

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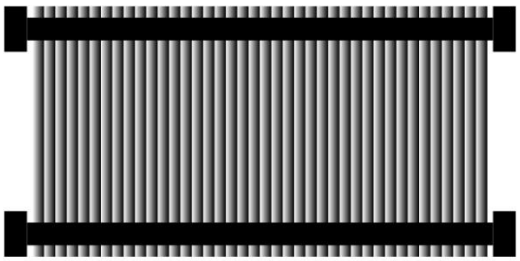
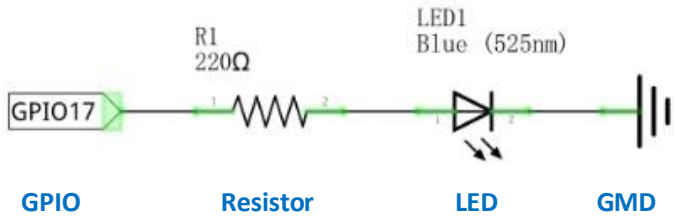


Circuit

Schematic diagram



Hardware connection.

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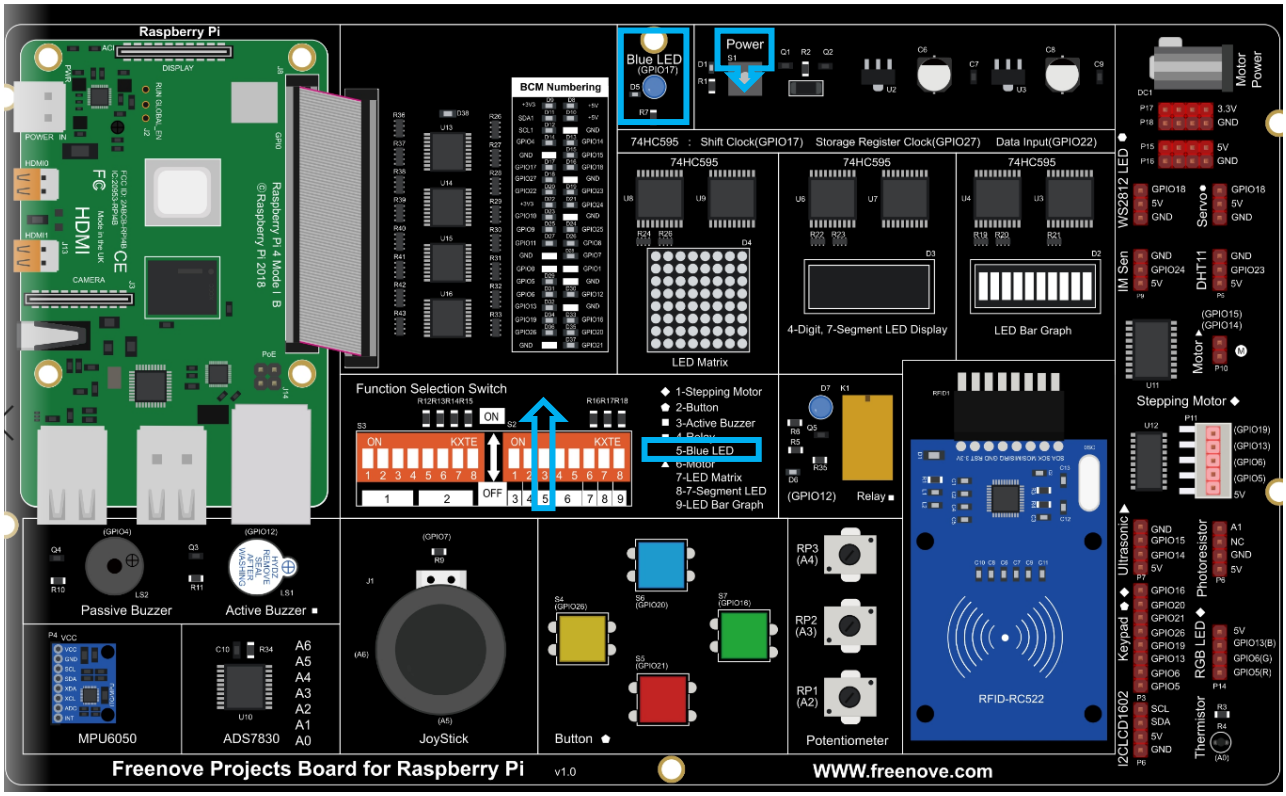

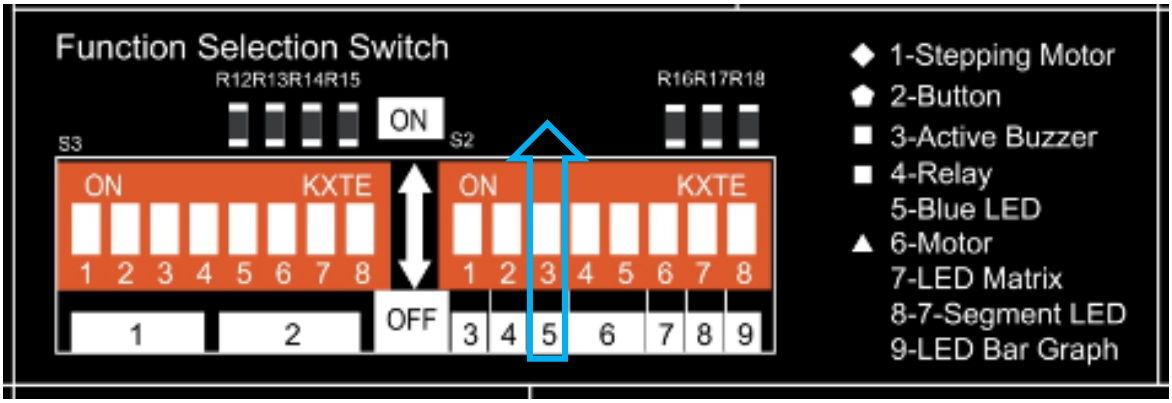

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Sketch

Sketch 1.2.1 MouseLED

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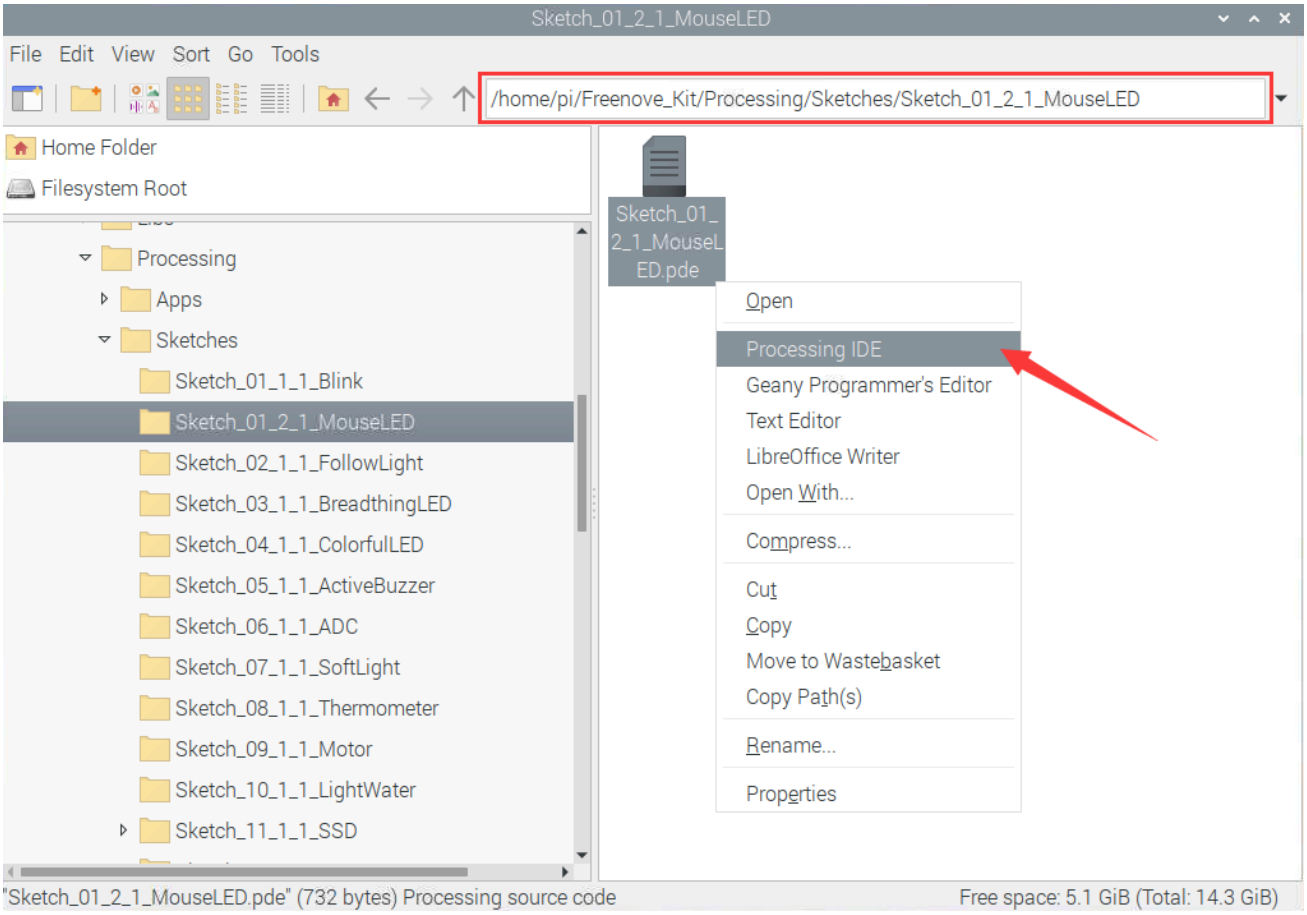
First, enter where the project is located:

```
/home/pi/Freenove_Kit/Processing/Sketches/Sketch_01_2_1_MouseLED
```

And then right-click to select Processing IDE.



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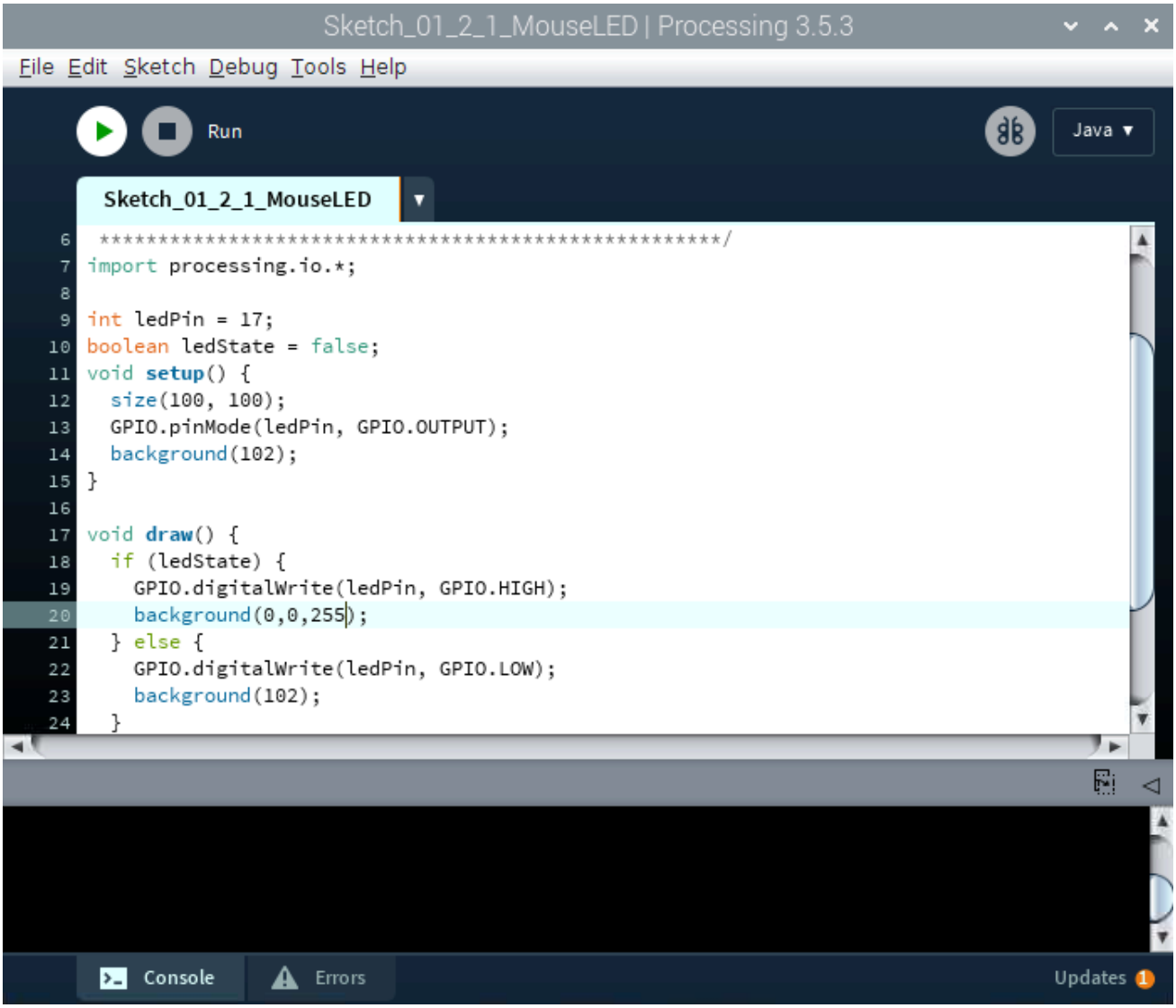
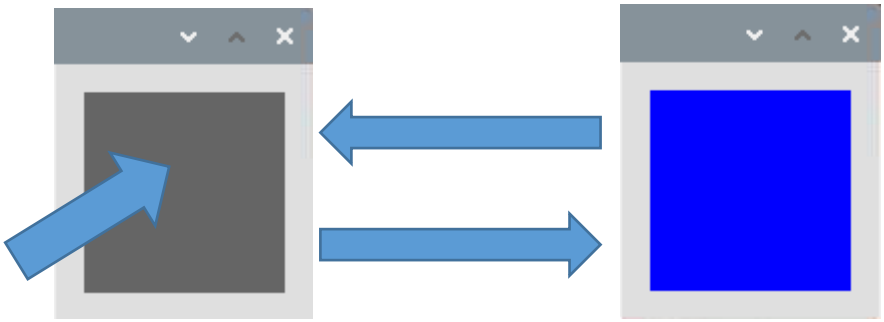


After the program runs, the LED is in OFF-state, and background color of Display window is gray. Click the grey area of the Display Window with the mouse, LED is turned ON and Display window background color becomes blue. Click on the Display Window again, the LED is turned OFF and the background color becomes gray, as shown below.



The following is program code:

```
import processing.io.*;

int ledPin = 17;
boolean ledState = false;
void setup() {
  size(100, 100);
  GPIO.pinMode(ledPin, GPIO.OUTPUT);
  background(102);
}

void draw() {
  if (ledState) {
    GPIO.digitalWrite(ledPin, GPIO.HIGH);
    background(0,0,255);
  } else {
    GPIO.digitalWrite(ledPin, GPIO.LOW);
    background(102);
  }
}

void mouseClicked() { //if the mouse Clicked
  ledState = !ledState;  //Change the led State
}
```

The function mouseClicked() in this code is used to capture the mouse click events. Once the mouse is clicked, the function will be executed. We can change the state of the variable “ledState” in this function to realize controlling LED by clicking on the mouse.

```
void mouseClicked() { //if the mouse Clicked
  ledState = !ledState;  //Change the led State
}
```

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Chapter 2 FollowLight

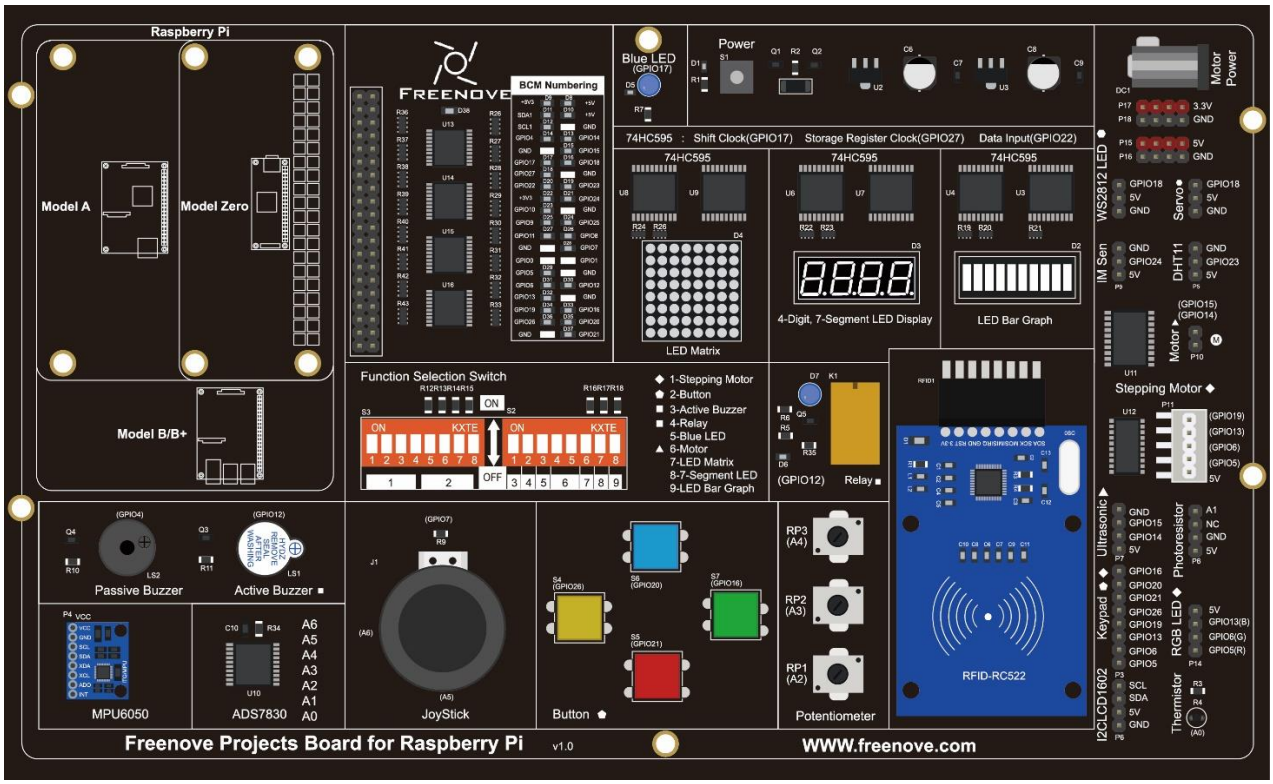
We have learned how to control an LED to blink. Next we will learn how to control a number of LEDs.

Project 2.1 FollowLight

In this project, we will use the mouse to control the LED

Component List

Freenove Projects Board for Raspberry Pi



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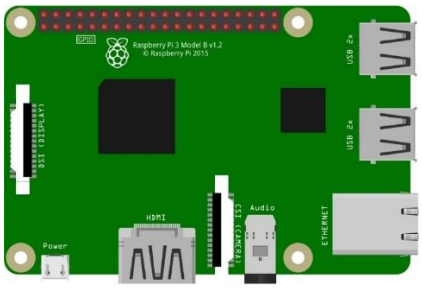

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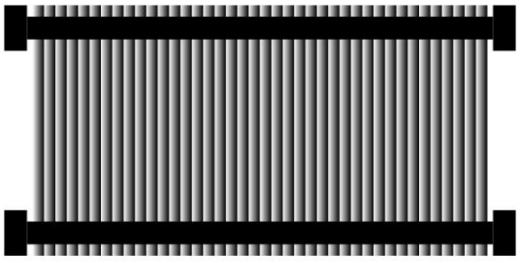

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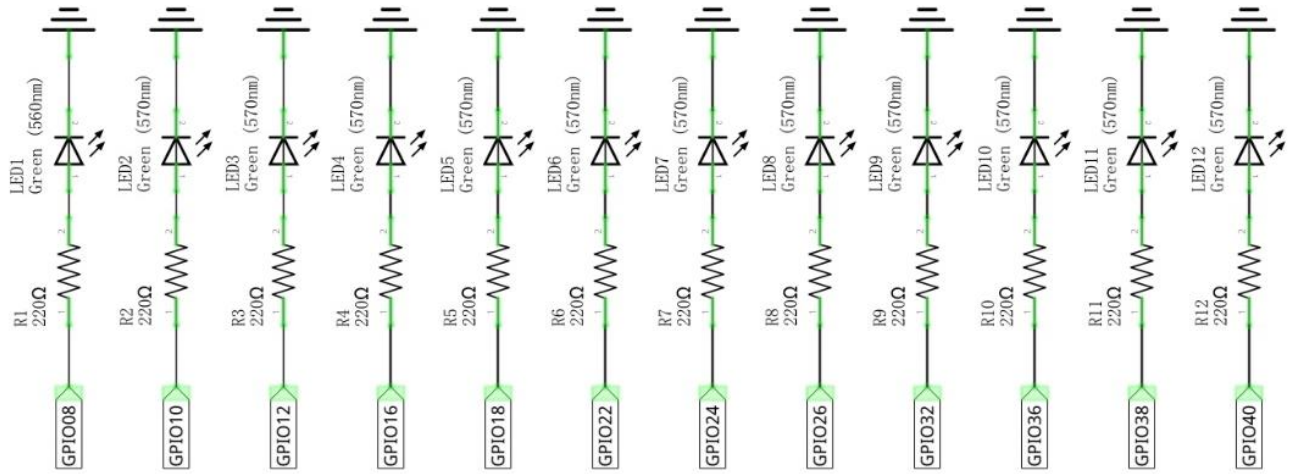

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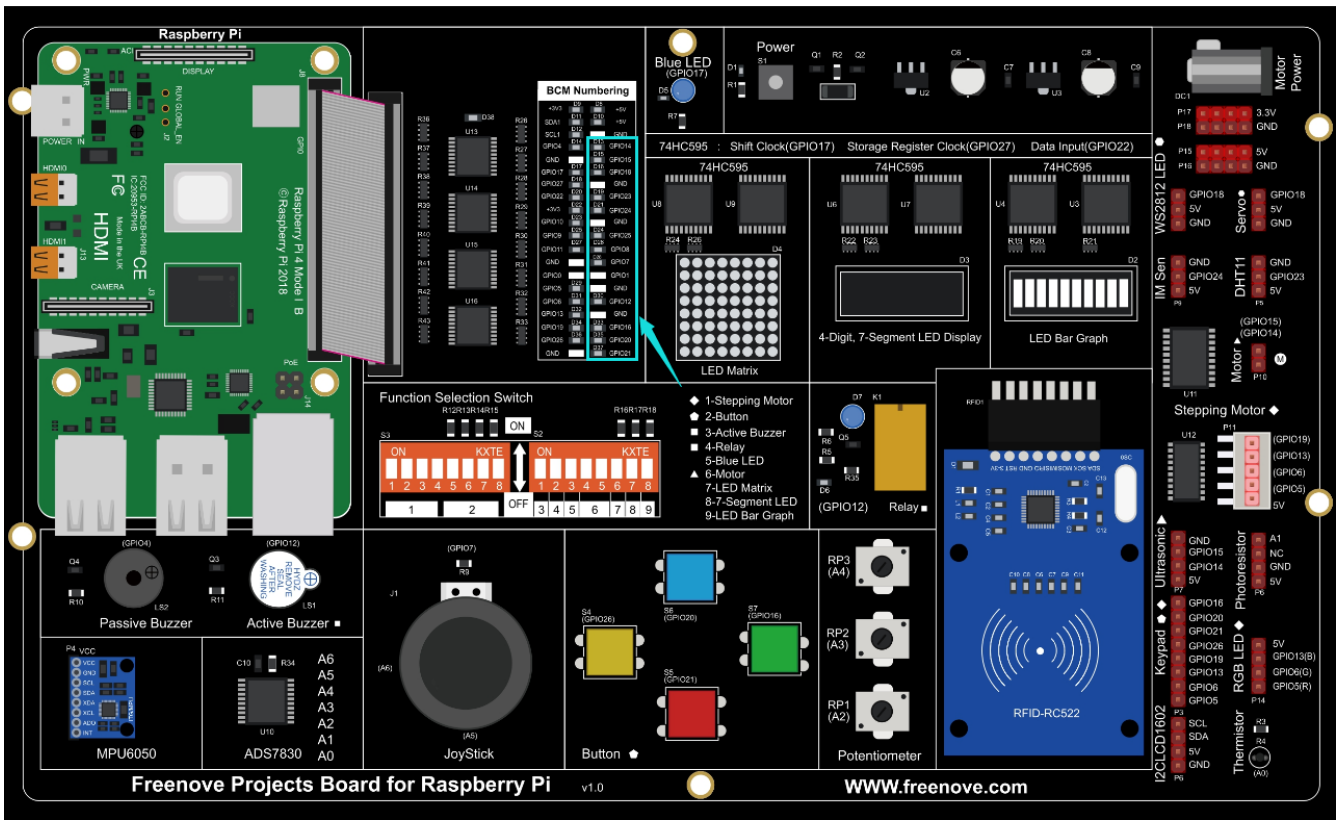

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Sketch

Sketch 2.1.1 FollowLight

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```
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```
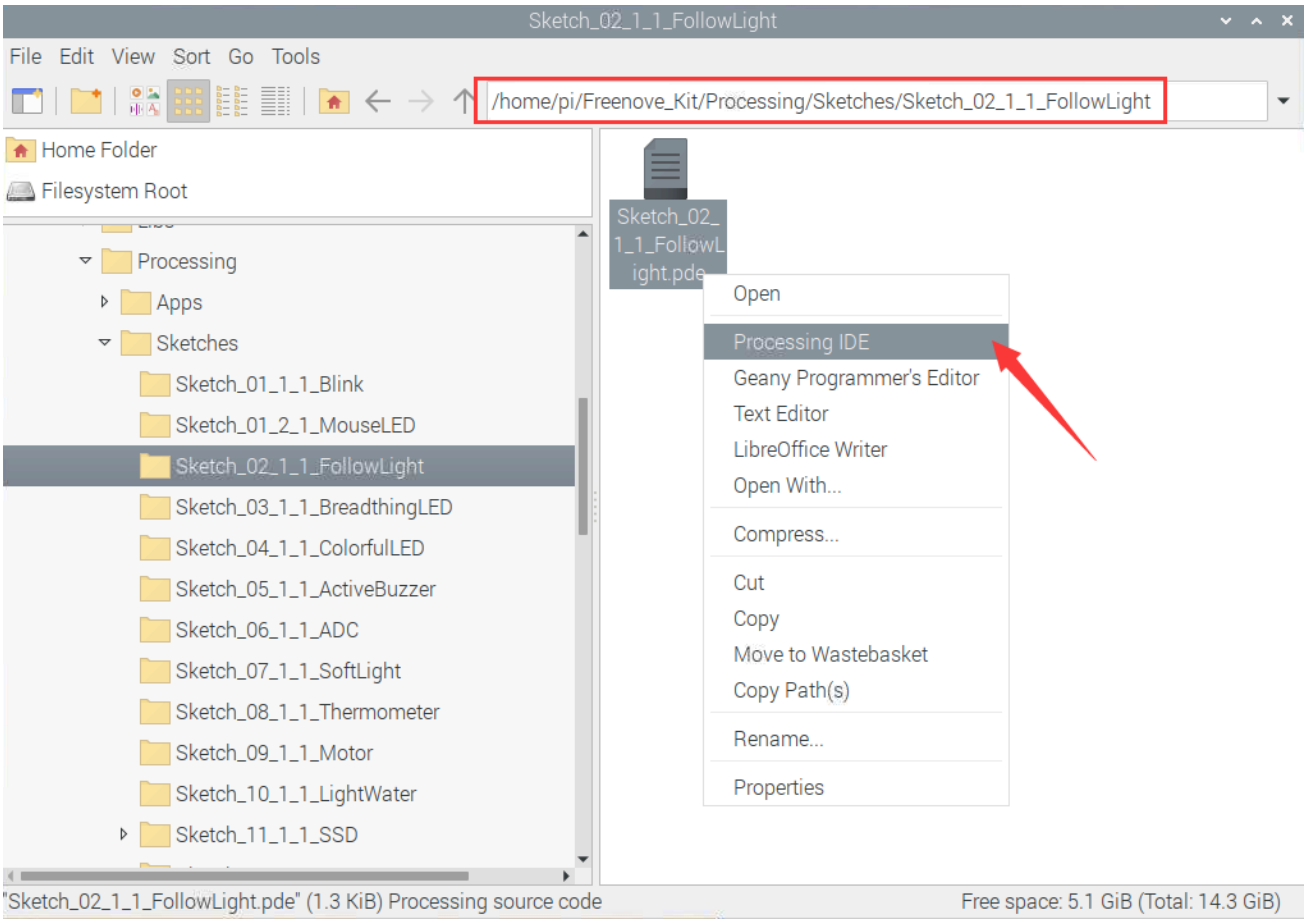

And then right-click to select Processing IDE



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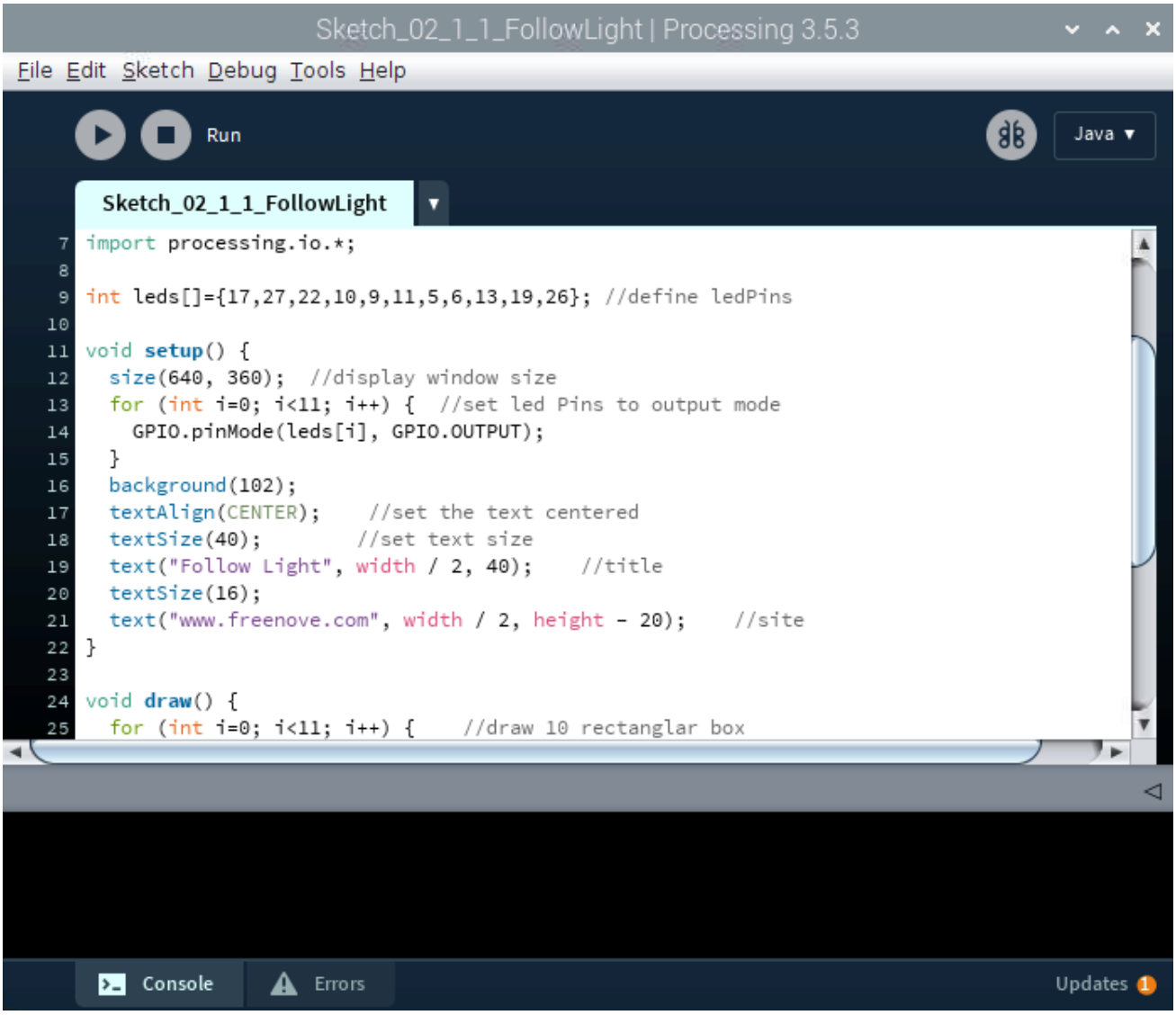
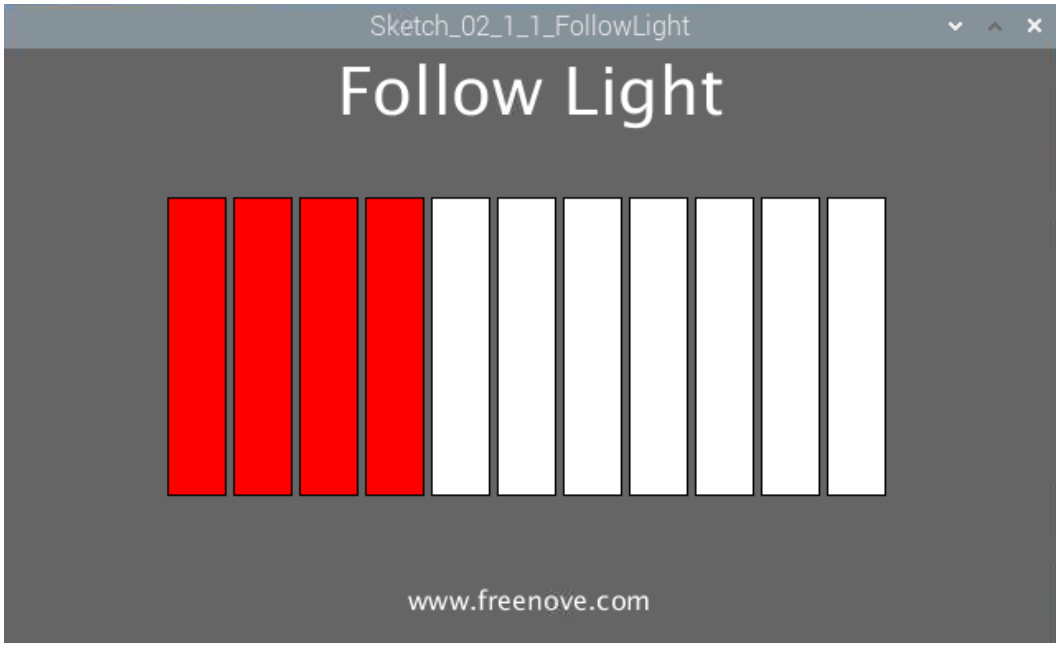


The result is as follows. The LED “touched” by the mouse cursor will be lit.



The following is program code:

```
import processing.io.*;

int leds[]={17,27,22,10,9,11,5,6,13,19,26}; //define ledPins

void setup() {
  size(640, 360);  //display window size
  for (int i=0; i<11; i++) {  //set led Pins to output mode
    GPIO.pinMode(leds[i], GPIO.OUTPUT);
  }
  background(102);
  textAlign(CENTER);    //set the text centered
  textSize(40);         //set text size
  text("Follow Light", width / 2, 40);    //title
  textSize(16);
  text("www.freenove.com", width / 2, height - 20);    //site
}

void draw() {
  for (int i=0; i<11; i++) {    //draw 10 rectanglar box
    if (mouseX>(100+40*i)) {    //if the mouse cursor on the right of rectanglar box
      fill(255, 0, 0);        //fill the rectanglar box in red color
      GPIO.digitalWrite(leds[i],GPIO.HIGH );  //turn on the corresponding led
    } else {
      fill(255, 255, 255);  //else fill the rectanglar box in white color and turn off the led
      GPIO.digitalWrite(leds[i], GPIO.LOW);
    }
    rect(100+40*i, 90, 35, 180);    //draw a rectanglar box
  }
}
```

In the function draw(), we draw 11 rectangles to represent 11 LEDs of LED Bar Graph. We make rectangles on the left of mouse filled with red, corresponding LEDs turned ON, and the rectangles on the right of mouse is white, corresponding LEDs turned OFF. In this way, when slide the mouse to right, the more LEDs on the left of mouse will be turned ON. When to the left, the reverse is the case.

```
void draw() {
  for (int i=0; i<11; i++) {    //draw 10 rectanglar box
    if (mouseX>(100+40*i)) {    //if the mouse cursor on the right of rectanglar box
      fill(255, 0, 0);        //fill the rectanglar box in red color
      GPIO.digitalWrite(leds[i],GPIO.HIGH );  //turn on the corresponding led
    } else {
      fill(255, 255, 255);  //else fill the rectanglar box in white color and turn off the led
      GPIO.digitalWrite(leds[i], GPIO.LOW);
    }
```

```
        rect(100+40*i, 90, 35, 180);     //draw a rectanglar box
    }
}
```

Chapter 3 PWM

In this chapter, we will learn how to use PWM.

Project 3.1 BreathingLED

In this project, we will make a breathing LED, which means that an LED that is OFF will then turn ON gradually and then gradually turn OFF like "breathing" and the Display Window will show a breathing LED pattern and a progress bar at the same time.

Component List

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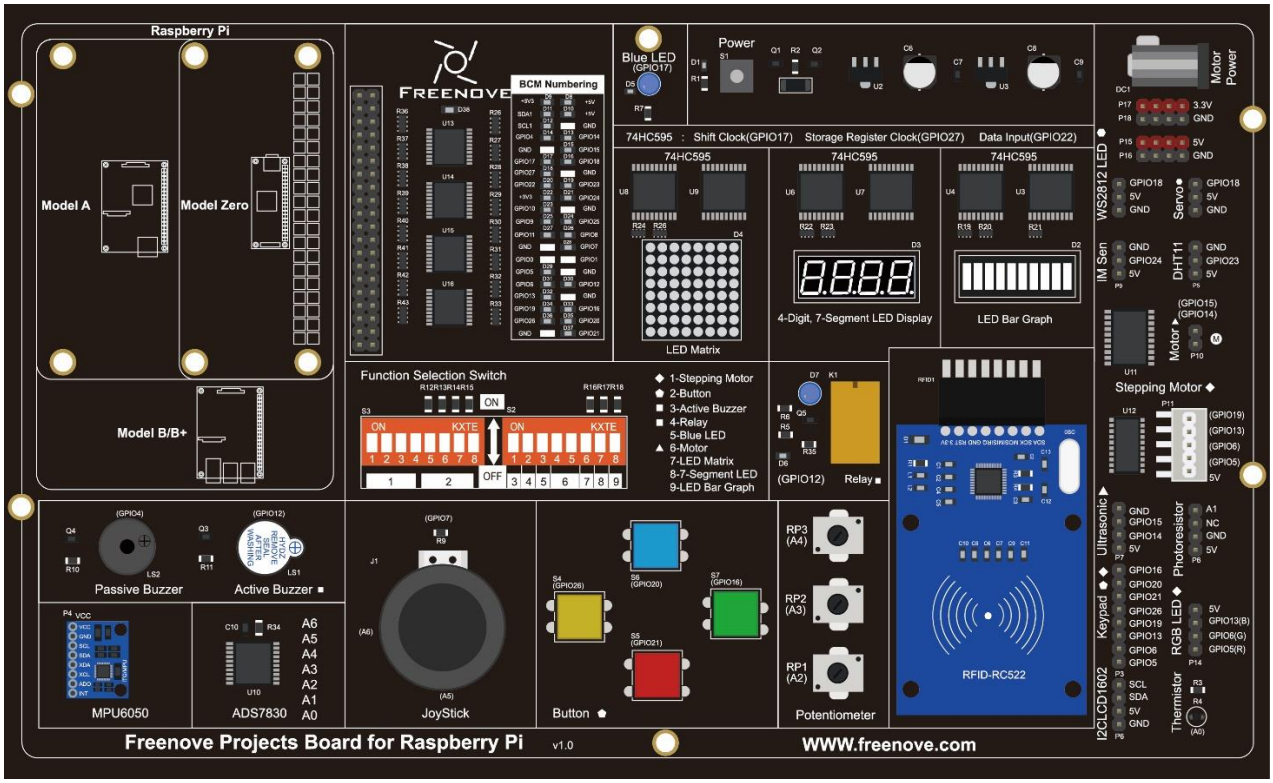

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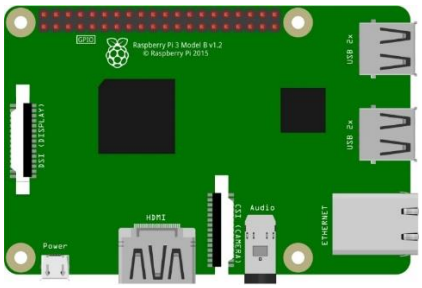

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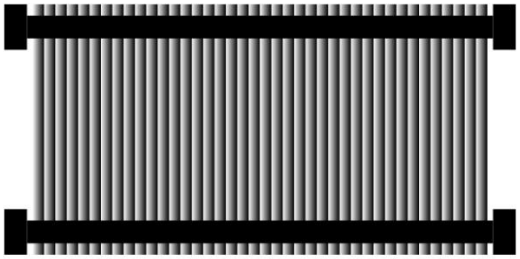

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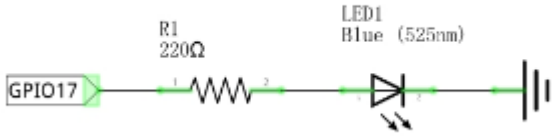

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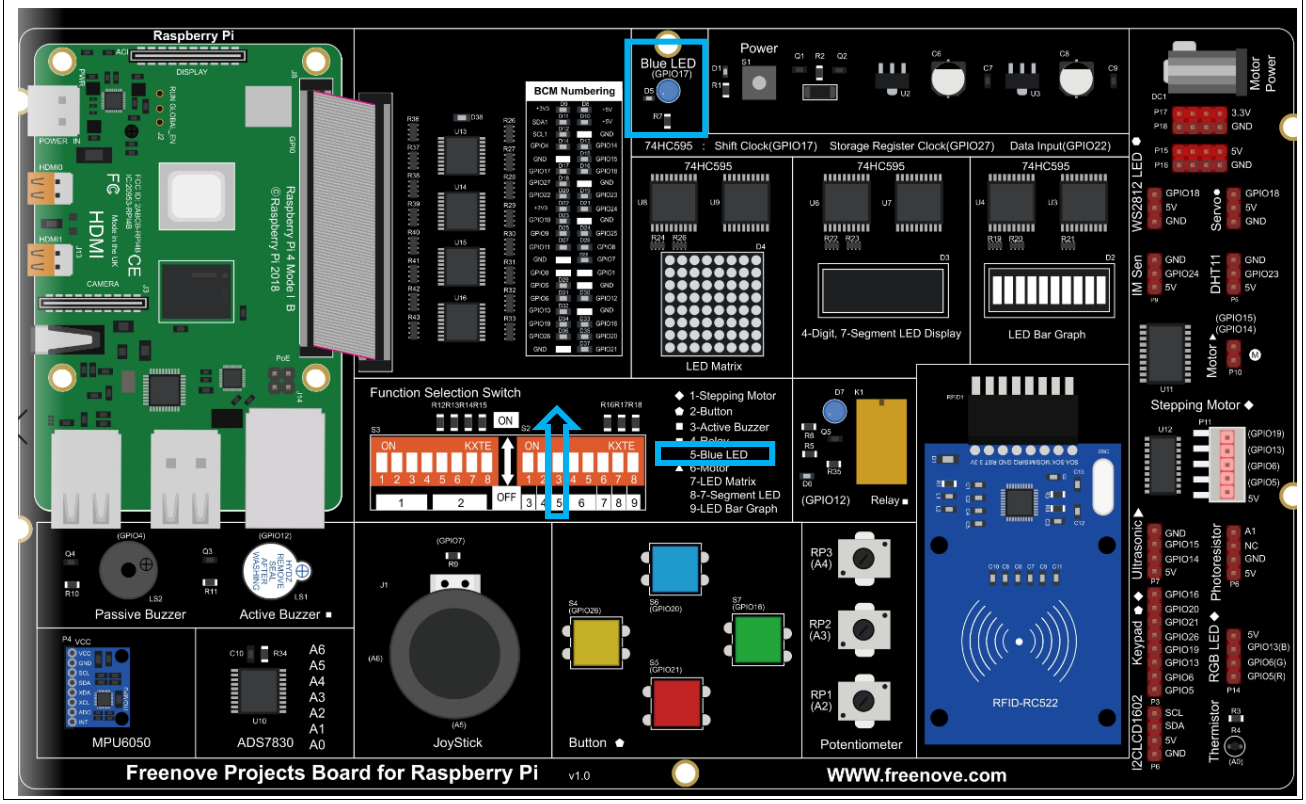

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Sketch

Sketch 3.1.1 BreathingLED

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First, enter where the project is located:

```
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```
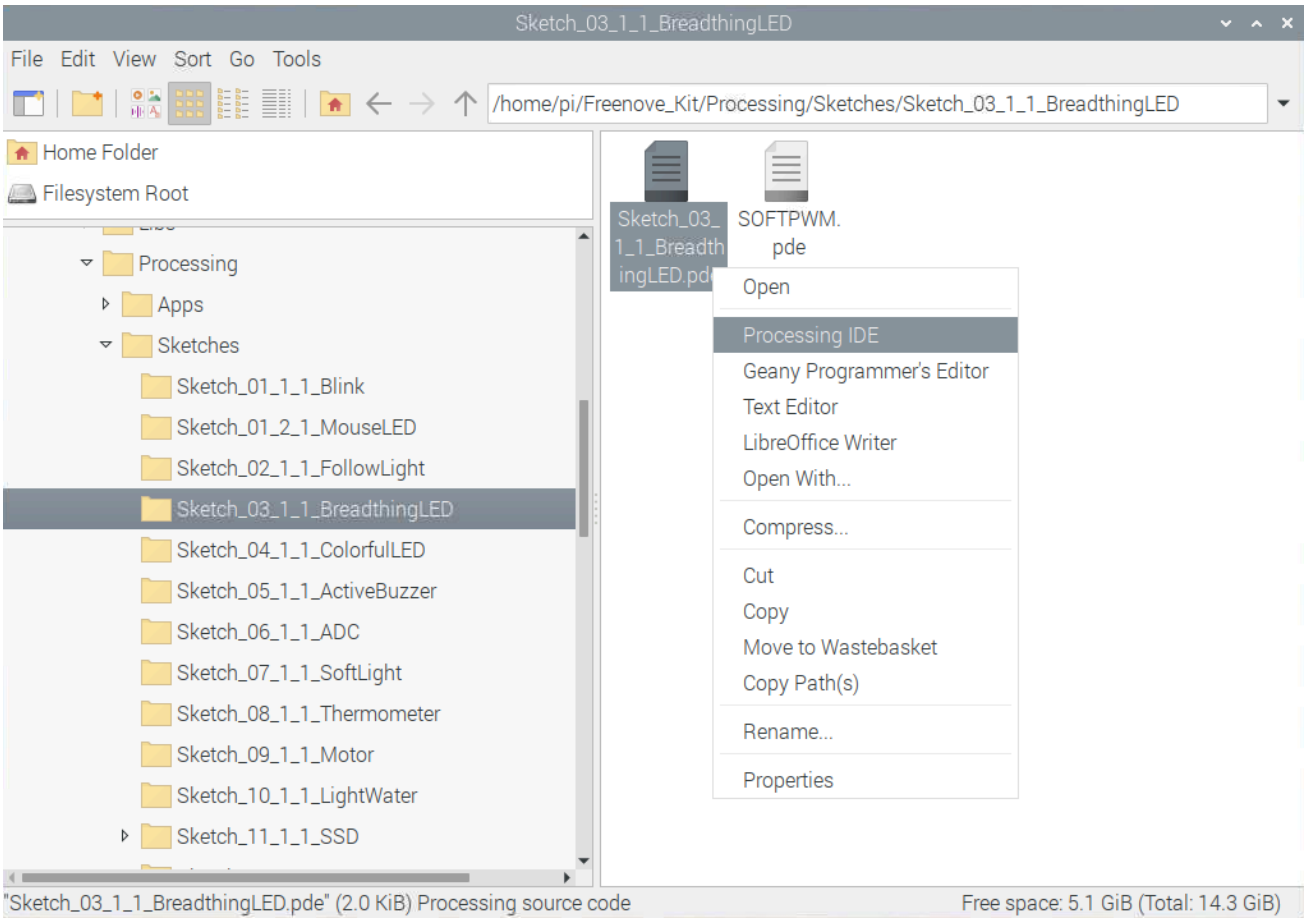

And then right-click to select Processing IDE



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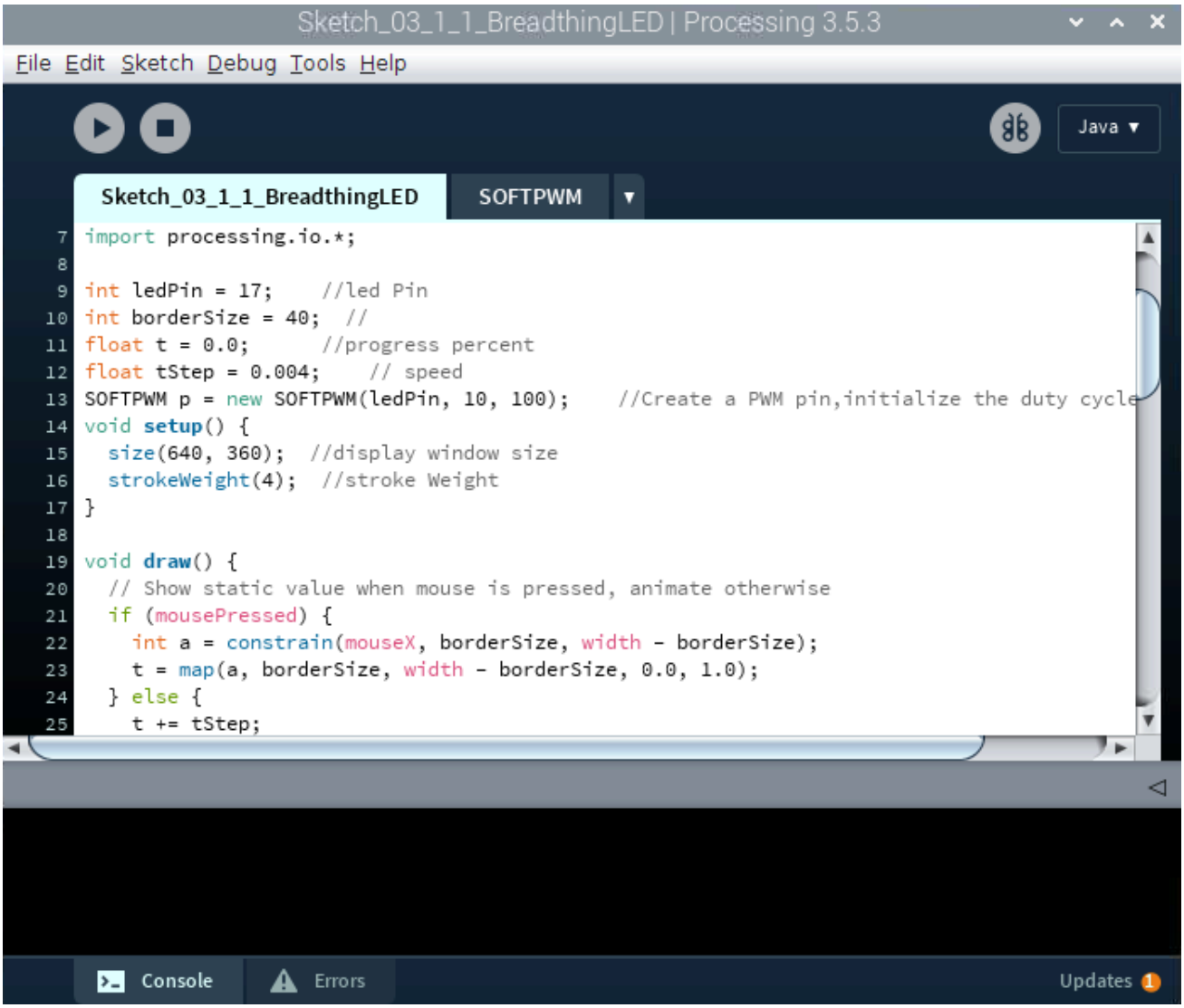


The result is as shown below. The LED will light up gradually, and then extinguish and light up again. You can control the brightness with the mouse.

The following is program code:

```
1  import processing.io.*;
2
3  int ledPin = 17;    //led Pin
4  int borderSize = 40;  //
5  float t = 0.0;      //progress percent
6  float tStep = 0.004;    // speed
7  SOFTPWM p = new SOFTPWM(ledPin, 10, 100);    //Create a PWM pin,initialize the duty cycle and
8  period
9  void setup() {
10   size(640, 360);  //display window size
11   strokeWeight(4);  //stroke Weight
12 }
13
14 void draw() {
15   // Show static value when mouse is pressed, animate otherwise
16   if (mousePressed) {
17     int a = constrain(mouseX, borderSize, width - borderSize);
18     t = map(a, borderSize, width - borderSize, 0.0, 1.0);
19   } else {
20     t += tStep;
21     if (t > 1.0) t = 0.0;
```

```
22      }
23      p.softPwmWrite((int)(t*100)); //wirte the duty cycle according to t
24      background(255);  //A white background
25      titleAndSiteInfo();  //title and Site infomation
26
27      fill(255-t*255, 255-t*255, 255);  //cycle
28      ellipse(width/2, height/2, 100, 100);
29
30      pushMatrix();
31      translate(borderSize, height - 45);
32      int barLength = width - 2*borderSize;
33
34      barBgStyle();  //progressbar bg
35      line(0, 0, barLength, 0);
36      line(barLength, -5, barLength, 5);
37
38      barStyle();  //progressbar
39      line(0, -5, 0, 5);
40      line(0, 0, t*barLength, 0);
41
42      barLabelStyle();    //progressbar label
43      text("progress : "+nf(t*100,2,2),barLength/2,-25);
44      popMatrix();
45  }
46
47  void titleAndSiteInfo() {
48      fill(0);
49      textAlign(CENTER);    //set the text centered
50      textSize(40);         //set text size
51      text("Breathing Light", width / 2, 40);    //title
52      textSize(16);
53      text("www.freenove.com", width / 2, height - 20);    //site
54  }
55  void barBgStyle() {
56      stroke(220);
57      noFill();
58  }
59
60  void barStyle() {
61      stroke(50);
62      noFill();
63  }
64
65  void barLabelStyle() {
```

```
66    noStroke();
67    fill(120);
68  }
```

First, use SOFTPWM class to create a PWM pin, which is used to control the brightness of LED. Then define a variable "t" and a variable "tStep" to control the PWM duty cycle and the rate at which "t" increases.

```
float t = 0.0;       //progress percent
float tStep = 0.004;     // speed
SOFTPWM p = new SOFTPWM(ledPin, 10, 100);     //Create a PWM pin,initialize the duty cycle and
period
```

In the function draw, if there is a click detected, the coordinate in X direction of the mouse will be mapped into the duty cycle "t"; Otherwise, duty cycle "t" will be increased gradually and PWM with the duty cycle will be output.

```
if (mousePressed) {
    int a = constrain(mouseX, borderSize, width - borderSize);
    t = map(a, borderSize, width - borderSize, 0.0, 1.0);
  } else {
    t += tStep;
    if (t > 1.0) t = 0.0;
  }
  p.softPwmWrite((int)(t*100)); //wirte the duty cycle according to t
```

The next code is designed to draw a circle filled with colors in different depth according to the "t" value, which is used to simulate LEDs with different brightness.

```
fill(255-t*255, 255-t*255, 255);  //cycle
ellipse(width/2, height/2, 100, 100);
```

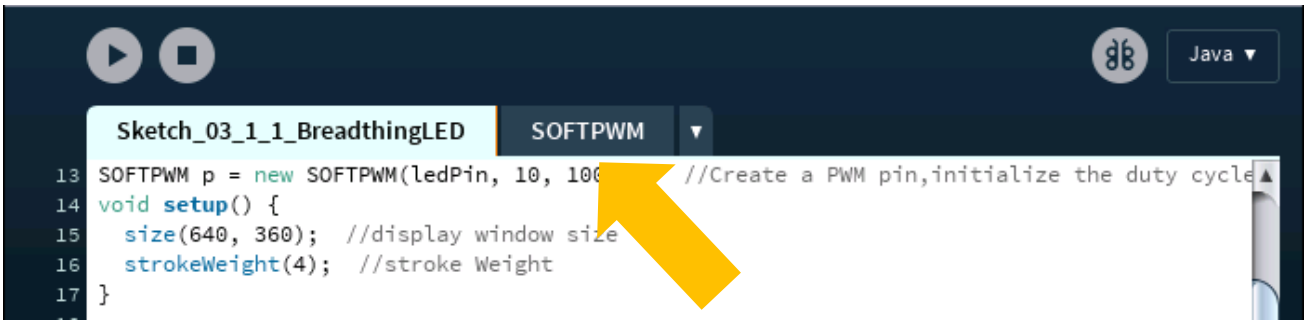
The last code is designed to draw the progress bar and the percentage of the progress.

```
barBgStyle();  //progressbar bg
line(0, 0, barLength, 0);
line(barLength, -5, barLength, 5);

barStyle();  //progressbar
line(0, -5, 0, 5);
line(0, 0, t*barLength, 0);

barLabelStyle();    //progressbar label
text("progress : "+nf(t*100,2,2),barLength/2,-25);
```

In processing software, you will see a tag page "SOFTPWM" in addition to the above code.



Reference

class SOFTPWM

```
public SOFTPWM(int iPin, int dc, int pwmRange):
```

Constructor, used to create a PWM pin, set the pwmRange and initial duty cycle. The minimum of pwmRange is 0.1ms. So pwmRange=100 means that the PWM duty cycle is 0.1ms*100=10ms.

```
public void softPwmWrite(int value)
```

Set PMW duty cycle.

```
public void softPwmStop()
```

Stop outputting PWM.

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Chapter 4 RGBLED

In this chapter, we will learn how to use RGBLED.

Project 4.1 Multicolored LED

This project will make a Multicolored LED, namely, use Processing to control the color of RGBLED.

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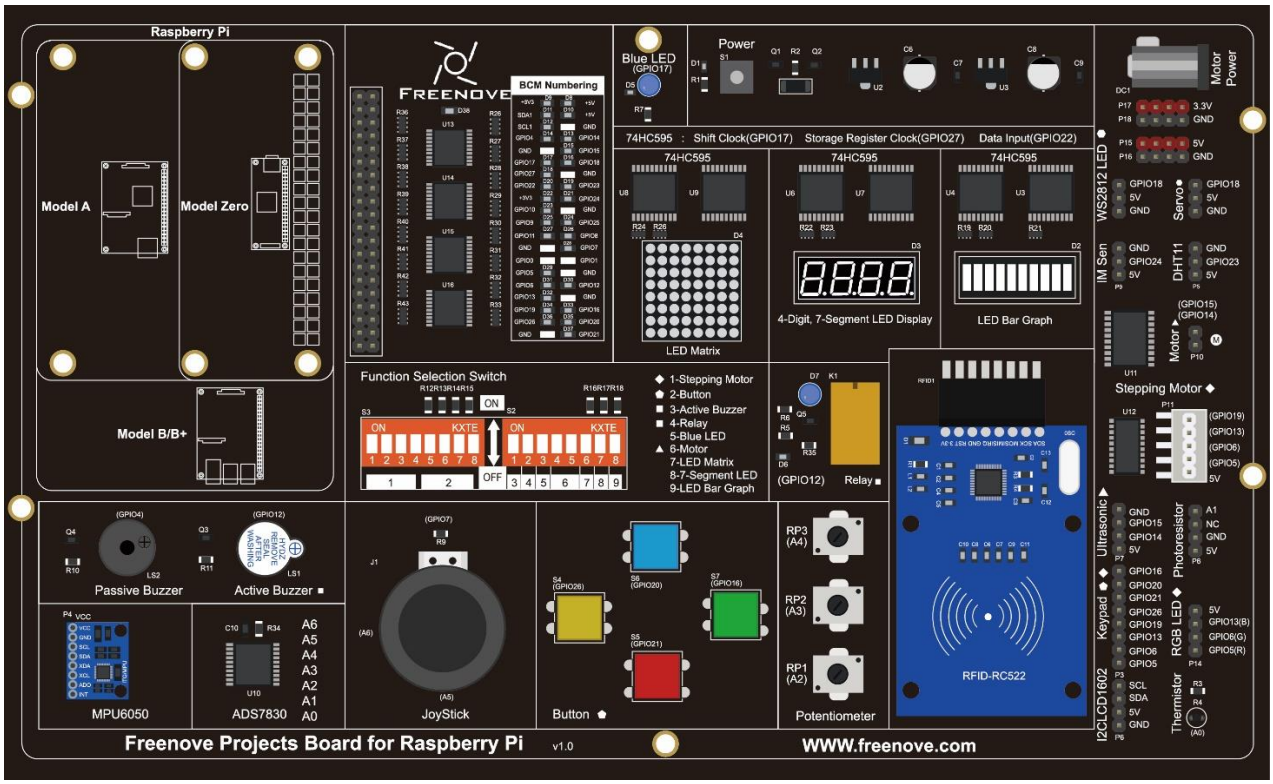

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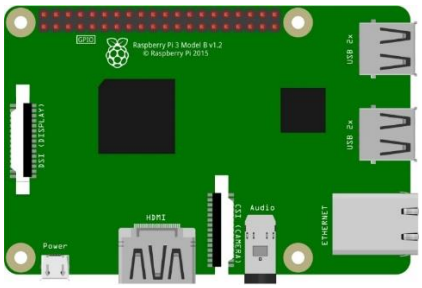

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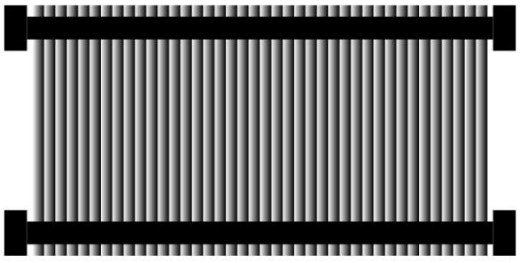

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	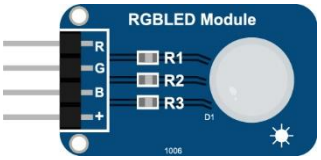

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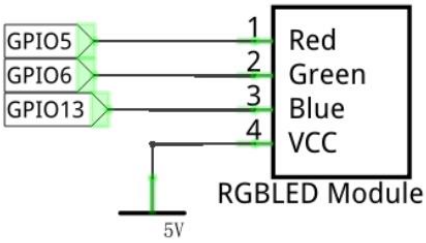

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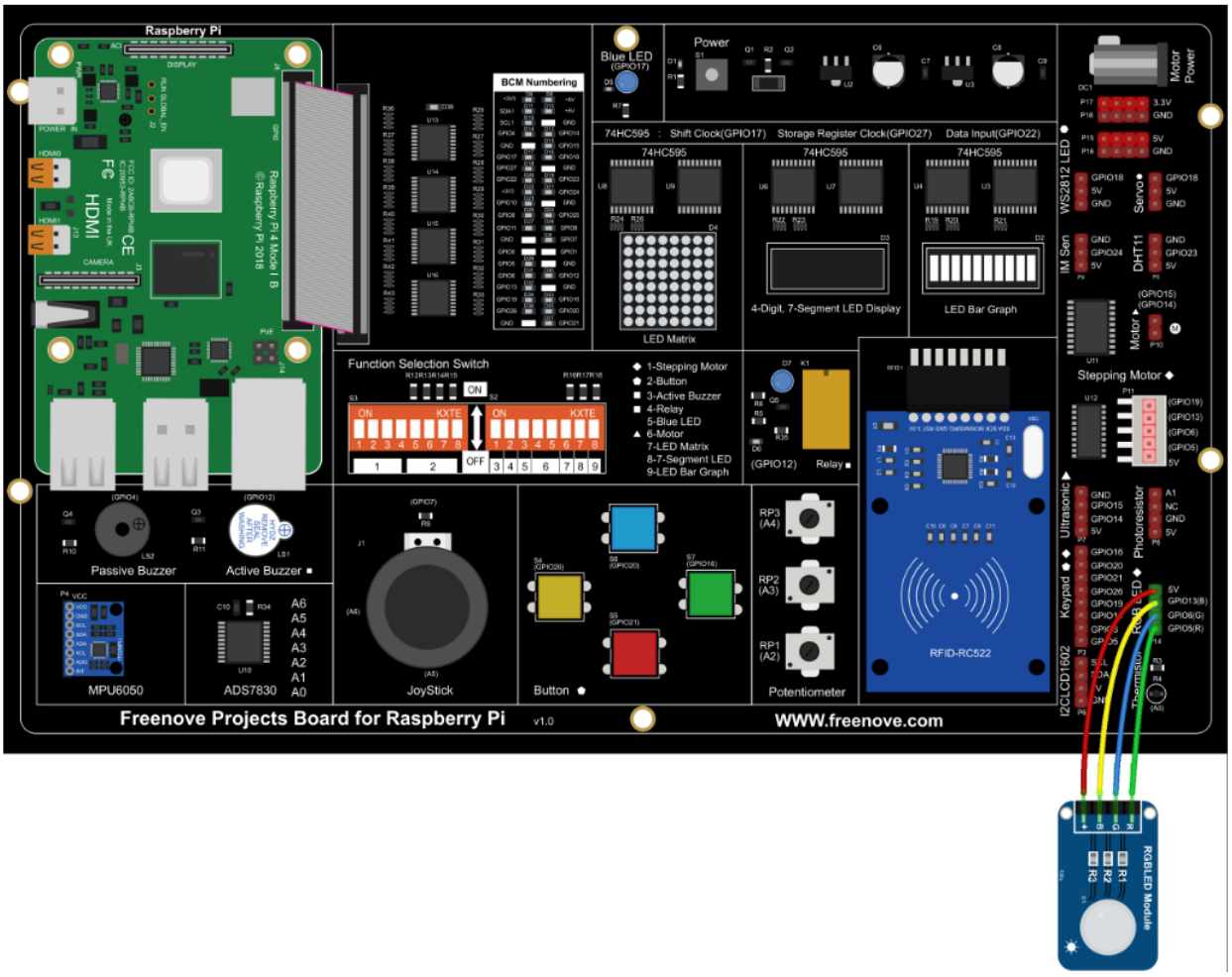

Stepper motor, keypad and RGBLED must NOT be used at the same time.

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Sketch

Sketch 4.1.1 ColorfulLED

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```
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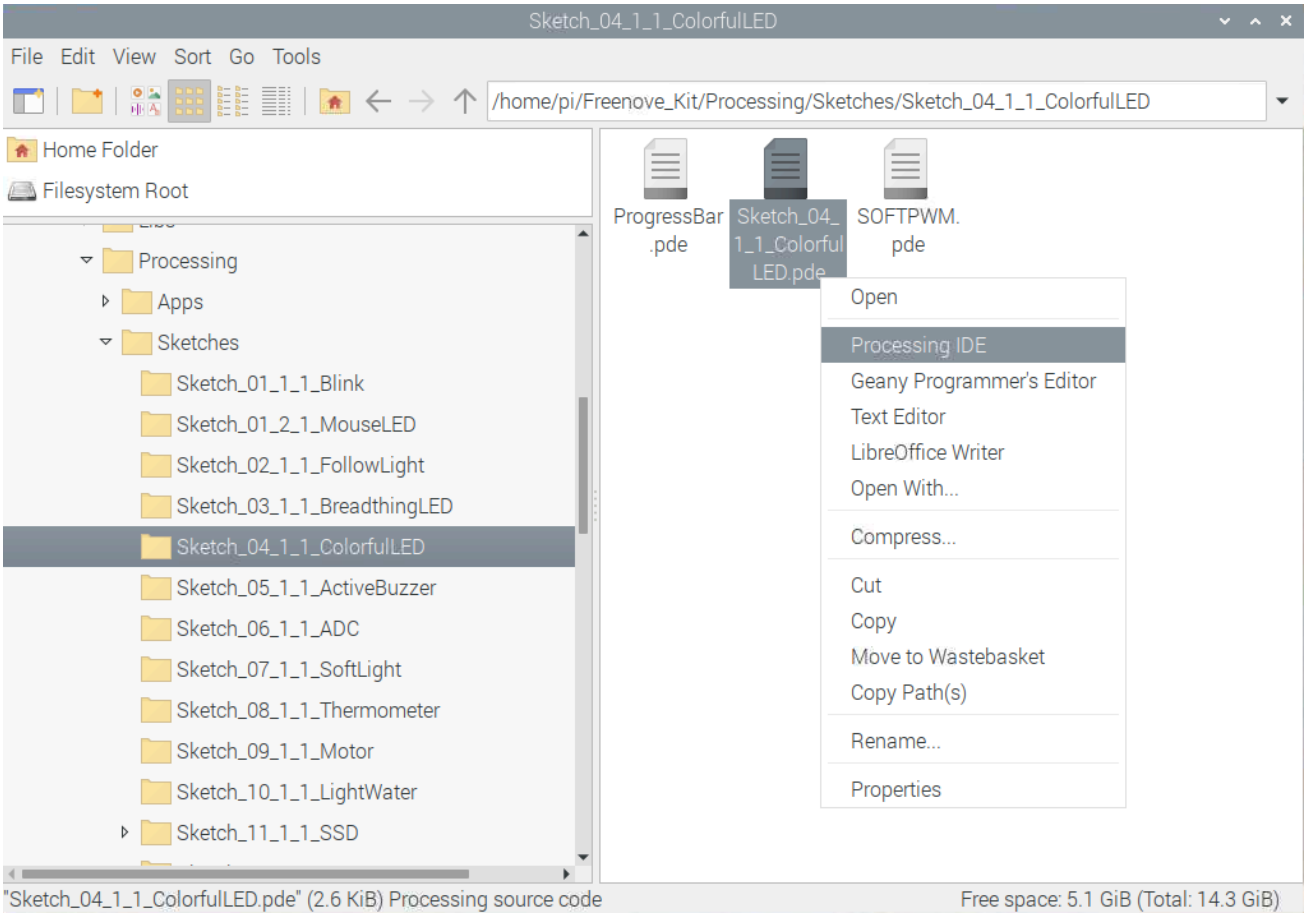
And then right-click to select Processing IDE



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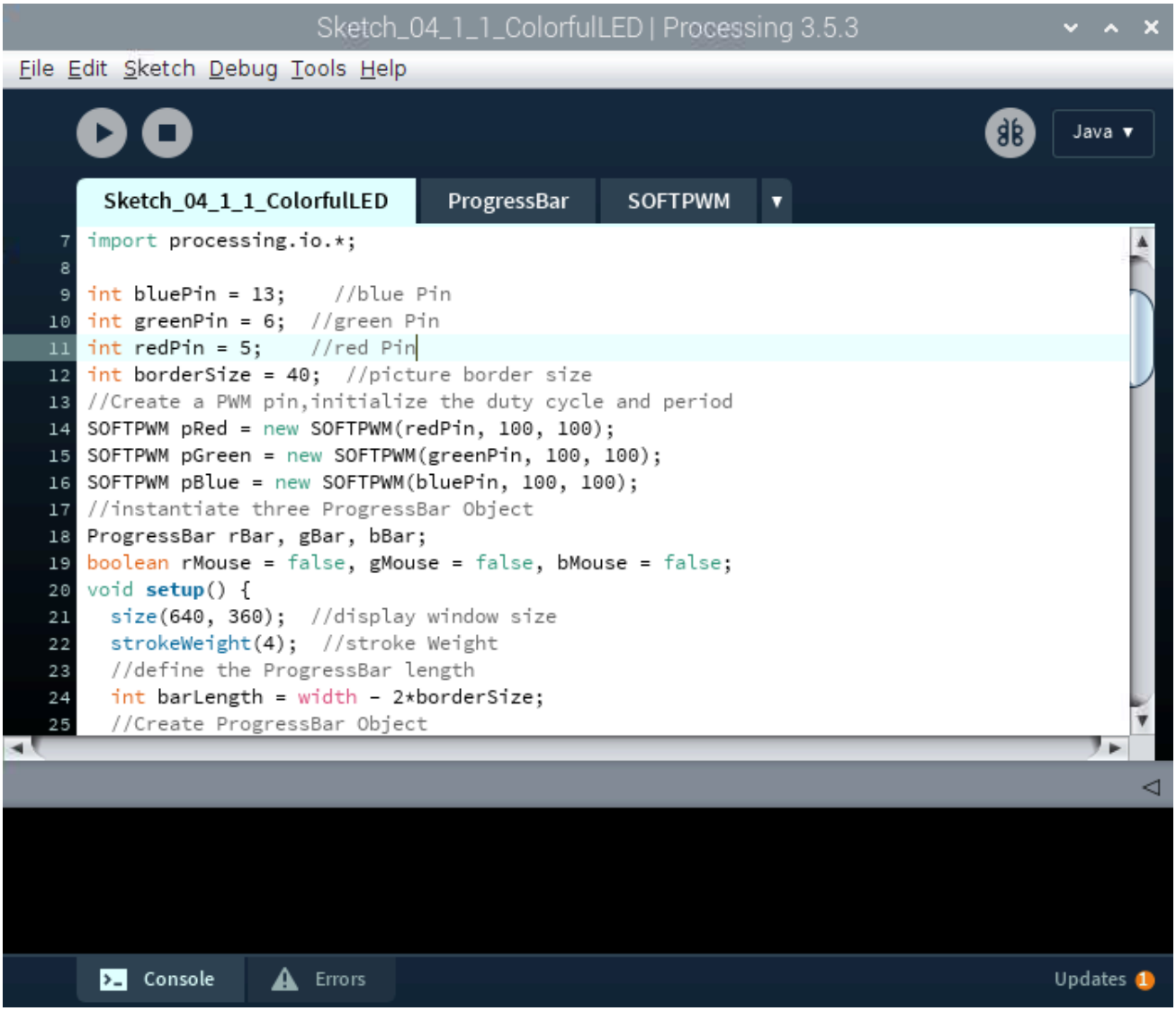
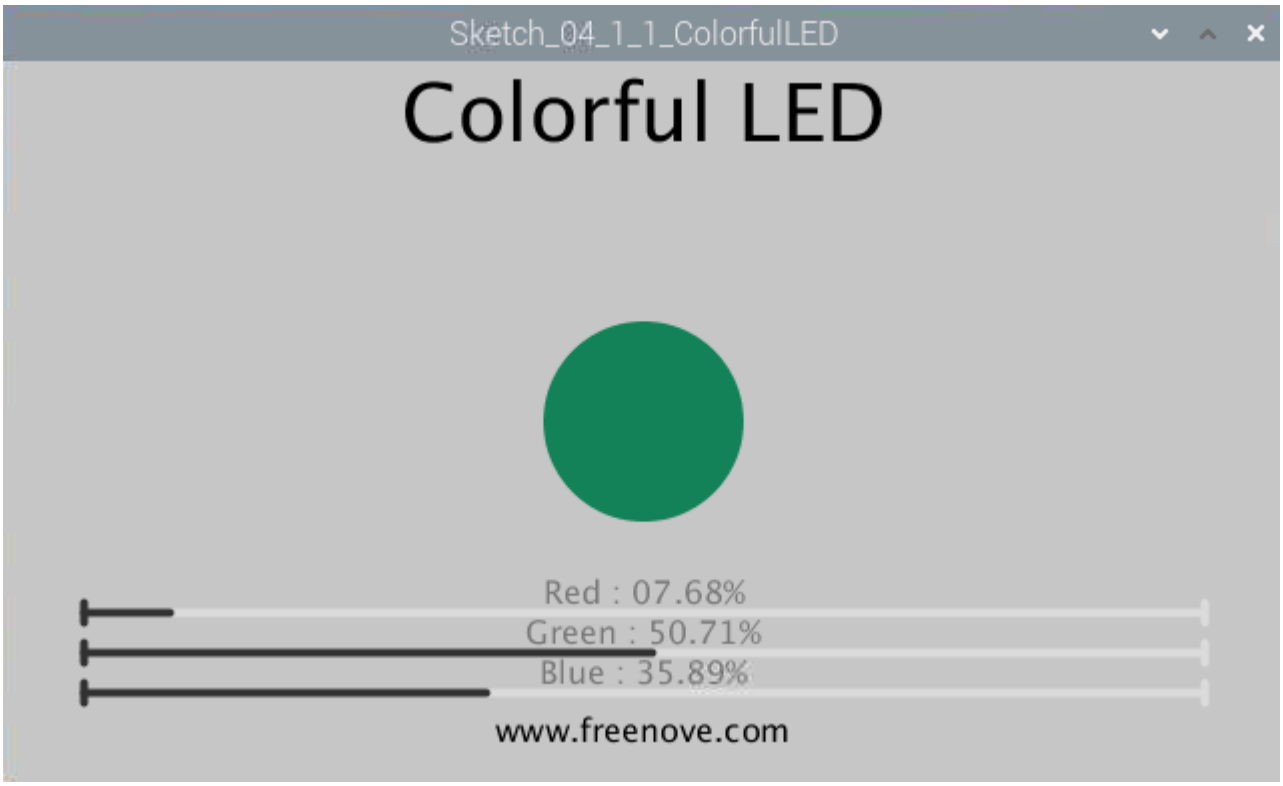


The result is as shown below. You can change the color of the LED by dragging the slider.



This project contains a lot of code files, and the core code is contained in the file Sketch_04_1_1_ColorfulLED. The other files only contain some custom classes.

The following is program code:

```
1  import processing.io.*;
2
3  int bluePin = 13;    //blue Pin
4  int greenPin = 6;  //green Pin
5  int redPin = 5;    //red Pin
6  int borderSize = 40;  //picture border size
7  //Create a PWM pin,initialize the duty cycle and period
8  SOFTPWM pRed = new SOFTPWM(redPin, 100, 100);
9  SOFTPWM pGreen = new SOFTPWM(greenPin, 100, 100);
10 SOFTPWM pBlue = new SOFTPWM(bluePin, 100, 100);
```

```
//instantiate three ProgressBar Object
ProgressBar rBar, gBar, bBar;
boolean rMouse = false, gMouse = false, bMouse = false;
void setup() {
  size(640, 360);  //display window size
  strokeWeight(4);  //stroke Weight
  //define the ProgressBar length
  int barLength = width - 2*borderSize;
  //Create ProgressBar Object
  rBar = new ProgressBar(borderSize, height - 85, barLength);
  gBar = new ProgressBar(borderSize, height - 65, barLength);
  bBar = new ProgressBar(borderSize, height - 45, barLength);
  //Set ProgressBar's title
  rBar.setTitle("Red");gBar.setTitle("Green");bBar.setTitle("Blue");
}

void draw() {
  background(200);  //A white background
  titleAndSiteInfo();  //title and Site infomation

  fill(rBar.progress*255, gBar.progress*255, bBar.progress*255);  //cycle color
  ellipse(width/2, height/2, 100, 100);  //show cycle

  rBar.create();  //Show progressBar
  gBar.create();
  bBar.create();
}

void mousePressed() {
  if ( (mouseY< rBar.y+5) && (mouseY>rBar.y-5) ) {
    rMouse = true;
  } else if ( (mouseY< gBar.y+5) && (mouseY>gBar.y-5) ) {
    gMouse = true;
  } else if ( (mouseY< bBar.y+5) && (mouseY>bBar.y-5) ) {
    bMouse = true;
  }
}
void mouseReleased() {
  rMouse = false;
  bMouse = false;
  gMouse = false;
}
void mouseDragged() {
  int a = constrain(mouseX, borderSize, width - borderSize);
```

```
55    float t = map(a, borderSize, width - borderSize, 0.0, 1.0);
56    if (rMouse) {
57      pRed.softPwmWrite((int)(100-t*100)); //wirte the duty cycle according to t
58      rBar.setProgress(t);
59    } else if (gMouse) {
60      pGreen.softPwmWrite((int)(100-t*100)); //wirte the duty cycle according to t
61      gBar.setProgress(t);
62    } else if (bMouse) {
63      pBlue.softPwmWrite((int)(100-t*100)); //wirte the duty cycle according to t
64      bBar.setProgress(t);
65    }
66  }
67
68  void titleAndSiteInfo() {
69    fill(0);
70    textAlign(CENTER);    //set the text centered
71    textSize(40);         //set text size
72    text("Colorful LED", width / 2, 40);    //title
73    textSize(16);
74    text("www.freenove.com", width / 2, height - 20);    //site
75  }
```

In the code, first create three PWM pins and three progress bars to control RGBLED.

```
SOFTPWM pRed = new SOFTPWM(redPin, 100, 100);
SOFTPWM pGreen = new SOFTPWM(greenPin, 100, 100);
SOFTPWM pBlue = new SOFTPWM(bluePin, 100, 100);
//instantiate three ProgressBar Object
ProgressBar rBar, gBar, bBar;
```

And then in function setup(), define position and length of progress bar according to the size of Display Window, and set the name of each progress bar.

```
void setup() {
  size(640, 360);  //display window size
  strokeWeight(4);  //stroke Weight
  //define the ProgressBar length
  int barLength = width - 2*borderSize;
  //Create ProgressBar Object
  rBar = new ProgressBar(borderSize, height - 85, barLength);
  gBar = new ProgressBar(borderSize, height - 65, barLength);
  bBar = new ProgressBar(borderSize, height - 45, barLength);
  //Set ProgressBar's title
  rBar.setTitle("Red");gBar.setTitle("Green");bBar.setTitle("Blue");
}
```

In function draw(), first set background, header and other basic information. Then draw a circle and set its color according to the duty cycle of three channels of RGB. Finally draw three progress bars.

```
void draw() {
  background(200);  //A white background
  titleAndSiteInfo();  //title and Site information

  fill(rBar.progress*255, gBar.progress*255, bBar.progress*255);  //cycle color
  ellipse(width/2, height/2, 100, 100);  //show cycle

  rBar.create();  //Show progressBar
  gBar.create();
  bBar.create();
}
```

System functions mousePressed(), mouseReleased() and mouseDragged() are used to determine whether the mouse drags the progress bar and set the schedule. If the mouse button is pressed in a progress bar, then the mousePressed () sets the progress flag rgbMouse to true, mouseDragged (mouseX) maps progress value to set corresponding PWM. When the mouse is released, mouseReleased() sets the progress flag rgbMouse to false..

```
void mousePressed() {
  if ( (mouseY< rBar.y+5) && (mouseY>rBar.y-5) ) {
    rMouse = true;
  } else if ( (mouseY< gBar.y+5) && (mouseY>gBar.y-5) ) {
    gMouse = true;
  } else if ( (mouseY< bBar.y+5) && (mouseY>bBar.y-5) ) {
    bMouse = true;
  }
}
void mouseReleased() {
  rMouse = false;
  bMouse = false;
  gMouse = false;
}
void mouseDragged() {
  int a = constrain(mouseX, borderSize, width - borderSize);
  float t = map(a, borderSize, width - borderSize, 0.0, 1.0);
  if (rMouse) {
    pRed.softPwmWrite((int)(100-t*100)); //write the duty cycle according to t
    rBar.setProgress(t);
  } else if (gMouse) {
    pGreen.softPwmWrite((int)(100-t*100)); //write the duty cycle according to t
    gBar.setProgress(t);
  } else if (bMouse) {
    pBlue.softPwmWrite((int)(100-t*100)); //write the duty cycle according to t
    bBar.setProgress(t);
```

```
    }
}
```

Reference

class ProgressBar

This is a custom class that is used to create a progress bar.

```
public ProgressBar(int ix, int iy, int barlen)
```

Constructor, used to create ProgressBar, the parameters for coordinates X, Y and length of ProgressBar.

```
public void setTitle(String str)
```

Used to set the name of progress bar, which will be displayed in the middle of the progress bar.

```
public void setProgress(float pgress)
```

Used to set the progress of progress bar. The parameter: 0<pgress<1.0.

```
public void create() & public void create(float pgress)
```

Used to draw progress bar.

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Chapter 5 Buzzer

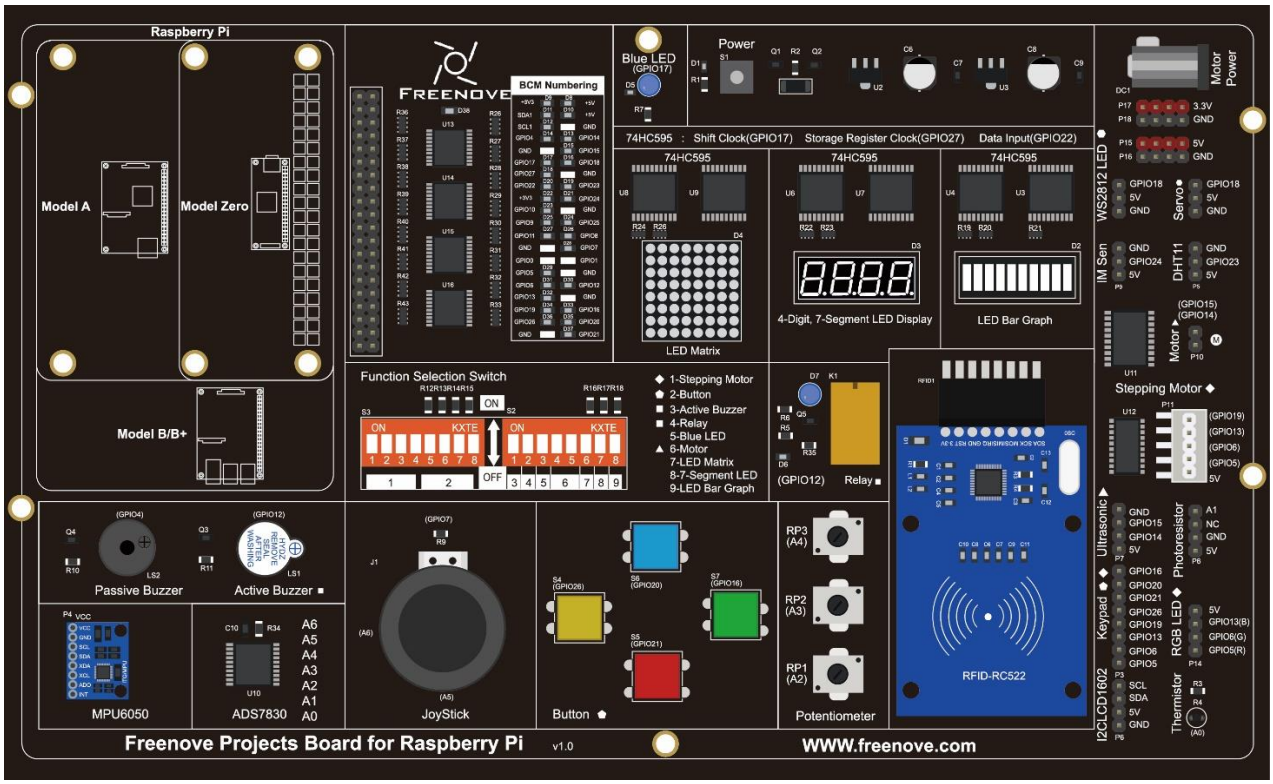
In this chapter we will learn how to use a buzzer.

Project 5.1 ActiveBuzzer

In this project, we will use the mouse to control an active buzzer.

Component List

Freenove Projects Board for Raspberry Pi



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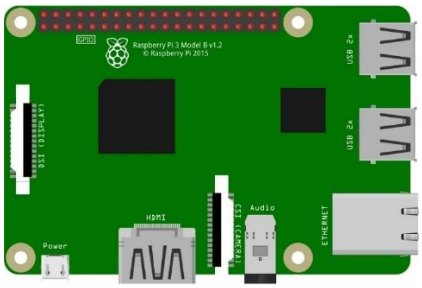

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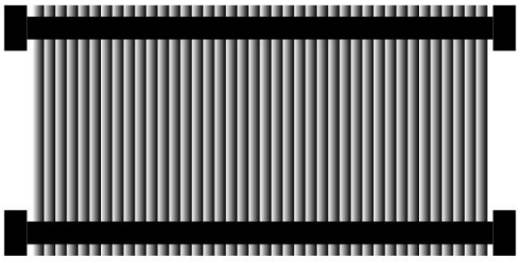
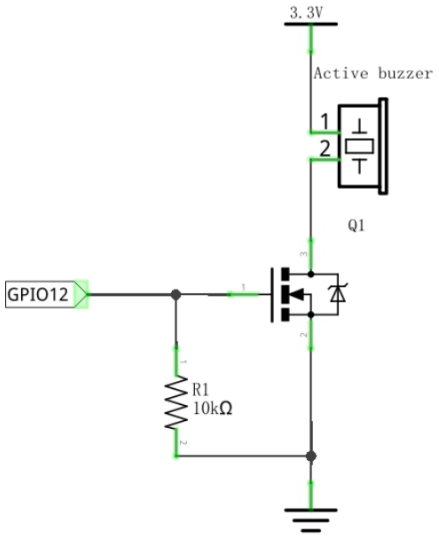


Circuit

Schematic diagram with RPi GPIO Extension Shield



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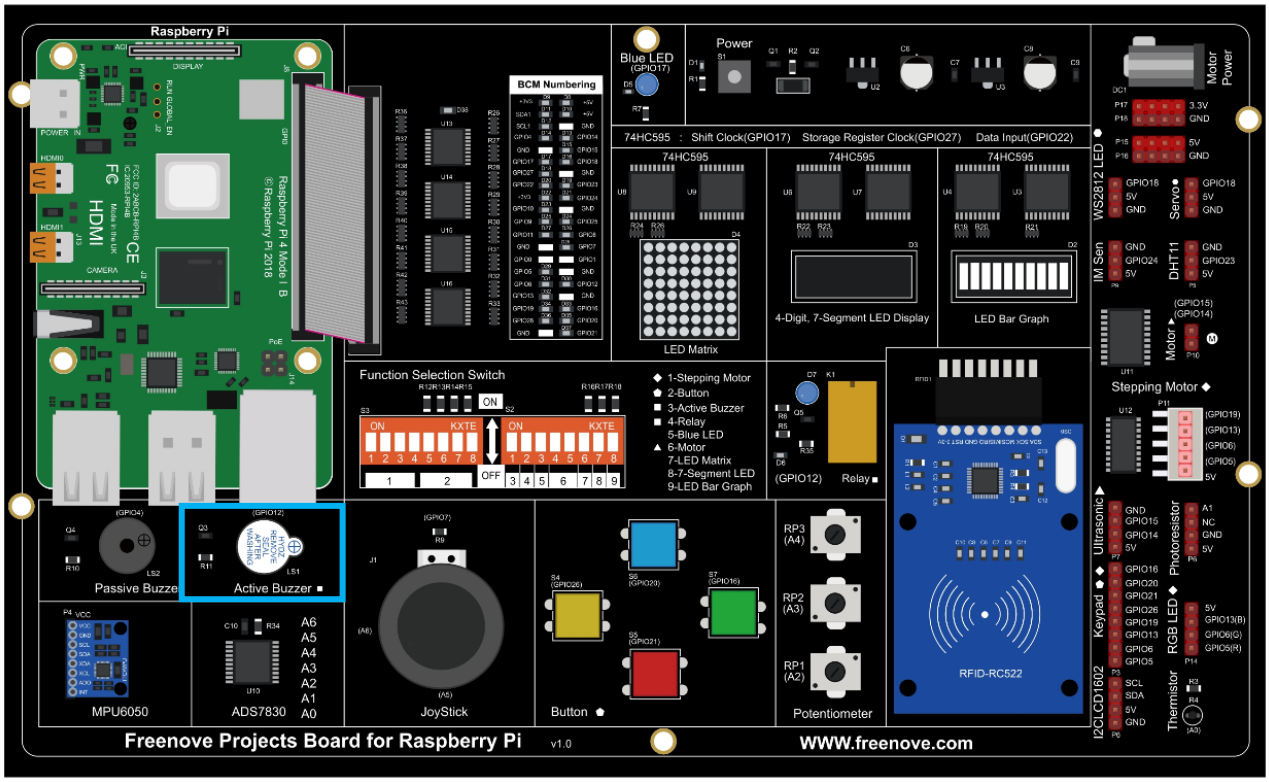

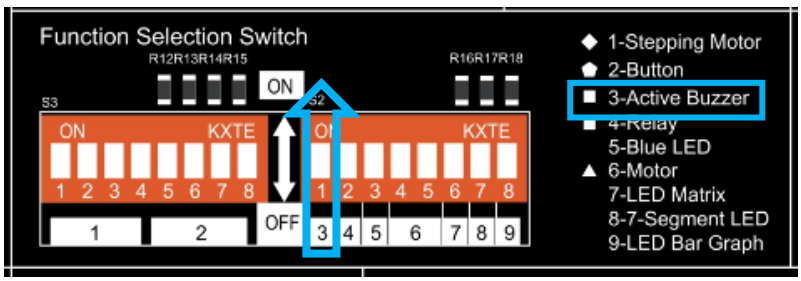

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Sketch

Sketch 5.1.1 ActiveBuzzer

First, enter where the project is located:

```
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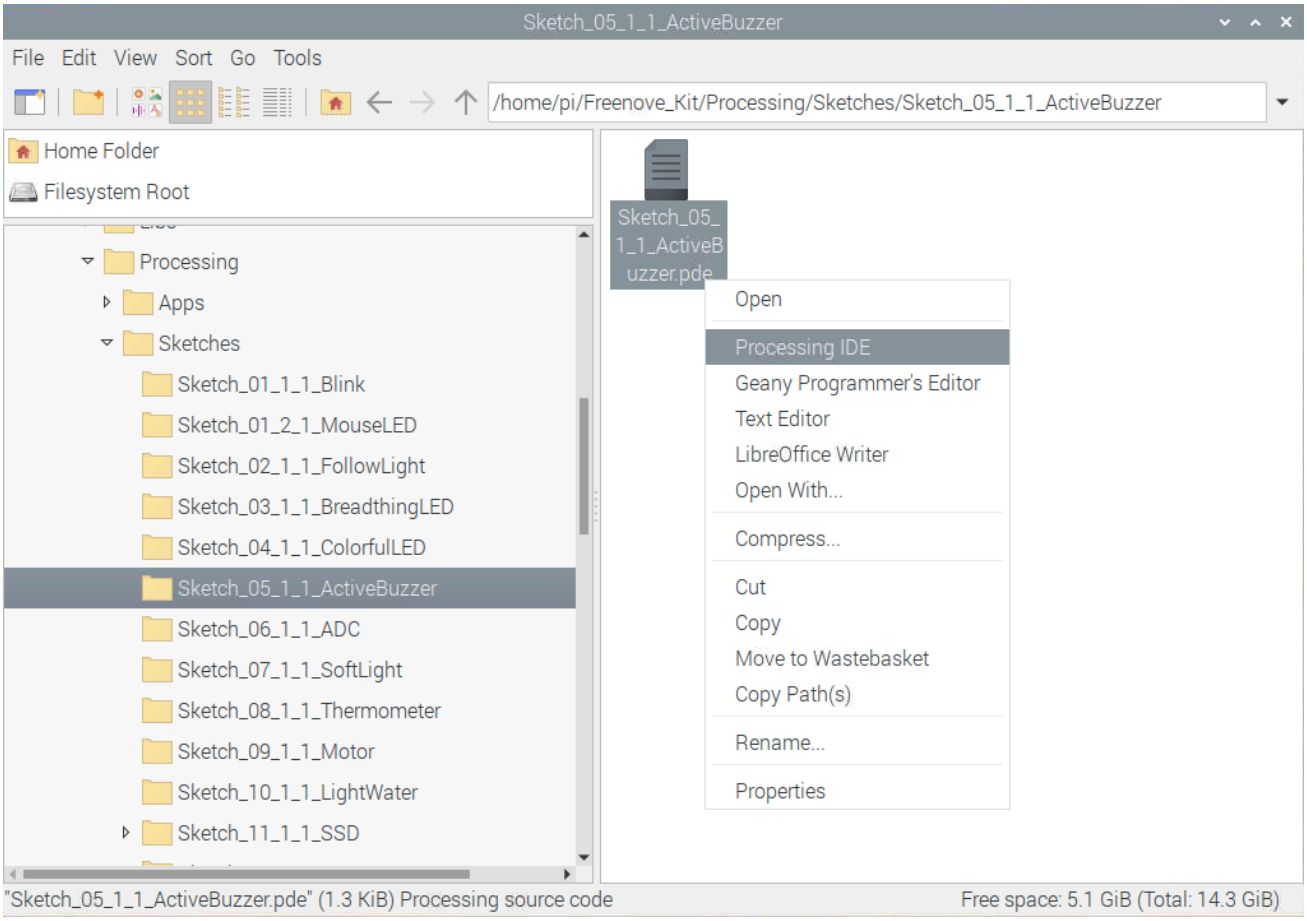
```

And then right-click to select Processing IDE



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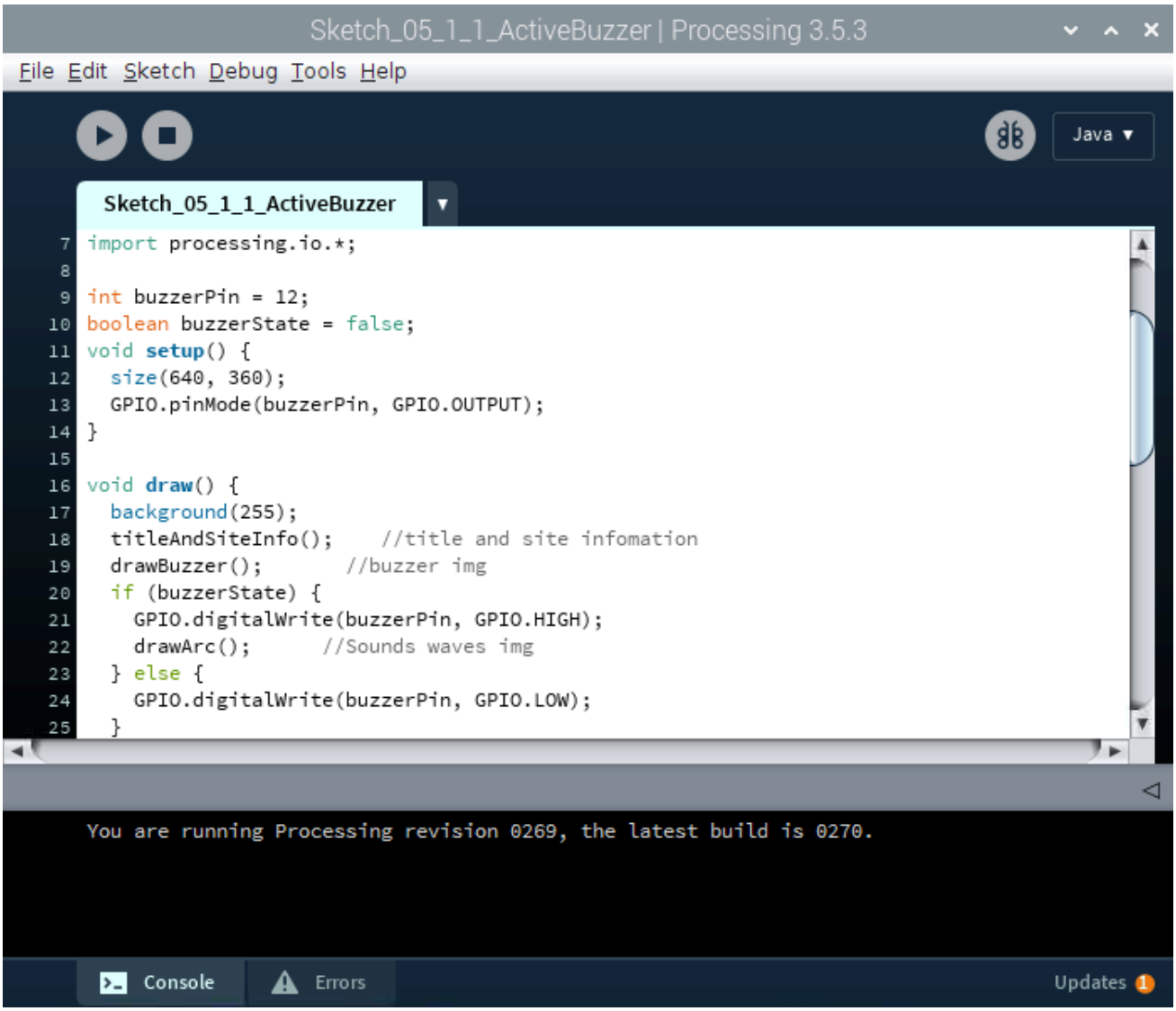

The result is as shown below. Click the buzzer, it will emit sounds. Click it again, it will stop sounding.

The following is program code:

```
import processing.io.*;

int buzzerPin = 12;
boolean buzzerState = false;
void setup() {
  size(640, 360);
  GPIO.pinMode(buzzerPin, GPIO.OUTPUT);
}

void draw() {
  background(255);
  titleAndSiteInfo();    //title and site infomation
  drawBuzzer();       //buzzer img
  if (buzzerState) {
    GPIO.digitalWrite(buzzerPin, GPIO.HIGH);
    drawArc();      //Sounds waves img
  } else {
    GPIO.digitalWrite(buzzerPin, GPIO.LOW);
  }
}

void mouseClicked() { //if the mouse Clicked
```

```
23    buzzerState = !buzzerState;  //Change the buzzer State
24  }
25  void drawBuzzer() {
26    strokeWeight(1);
27    fill(0);
28    ellipse(width/2, height/2, 50, 50);
29    fill(255);
30    ellipse(width/2, height/2, 10, 10);
31  }
32  void drawArc() {
33    noFill();
34    strokeWeight(8);
35    for (int i=0; i<3; i++) {
36      arc(width/2, height/2, 100*(1+i), 100*(1+i), -PI/4, PI/4, OPEN);
37    }
38  }
39  void titleAndSiteInfo() {
40    fill(0);
41    textAlign(CENTER);    //set the text centered
42    textSize(40);         //set text size
43    text("Active Buzzer", width / 2, 40);    //title
44    textSize(16);
45    text("www.freenove.com", width / 2, height - 20);    //site
46  }
```

Code in this project is logically the same as previous "MouseLED" project. And the difference is that this project needs to draw the buzzer pattern and arc graphics after the buzzer sounding.

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Chapter 6 ADC Module

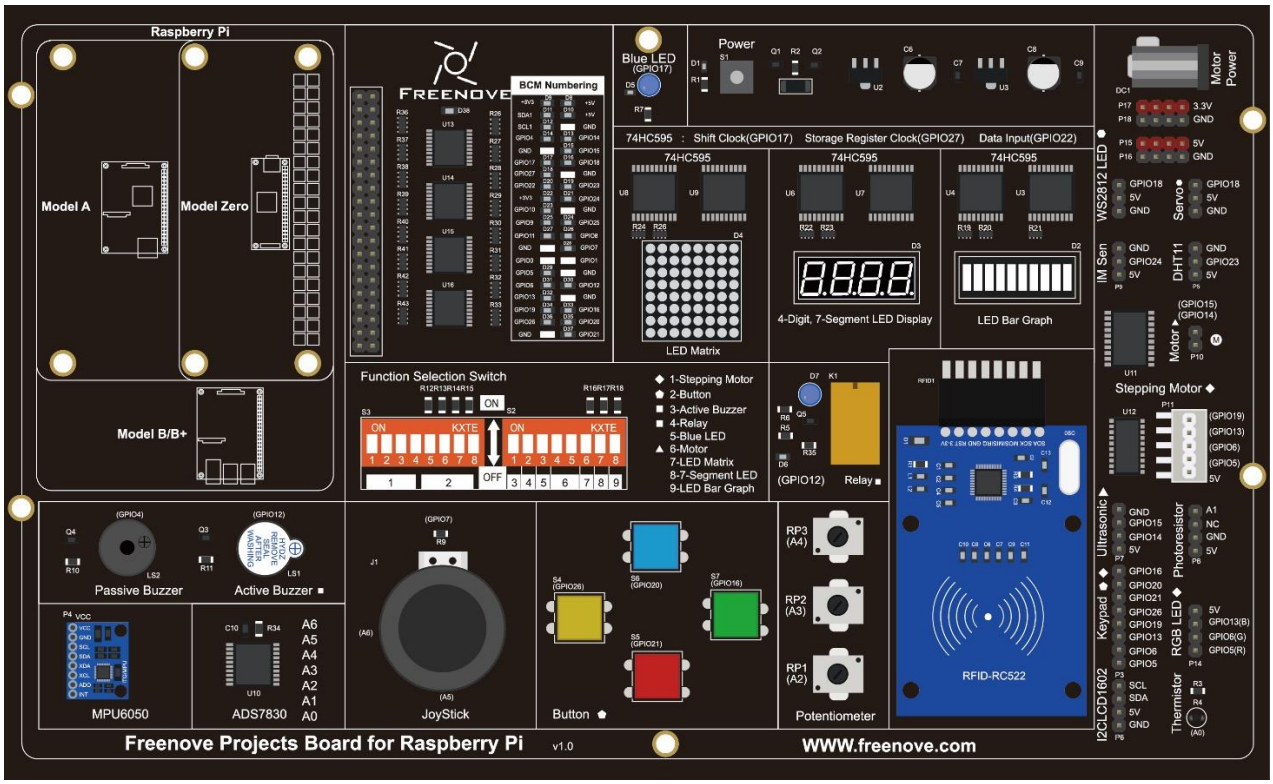
In this chapter we will learn how to use an ADC module.

Project 6.1 Voltmeter

This project uses an ADC module to read potentiometer voltage value and display the value on Display Window.

Component List

Freenove Projects Board for Raspberry Pi



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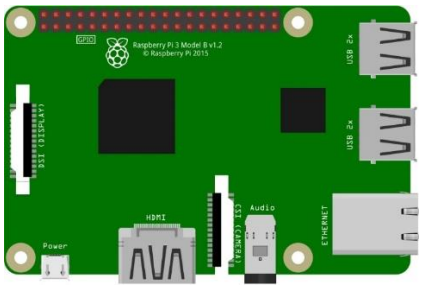
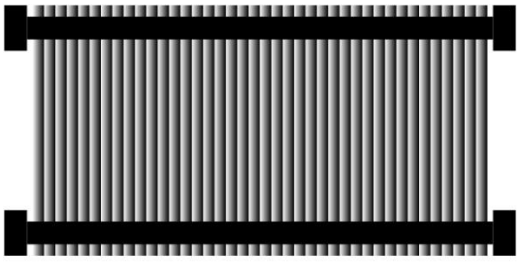
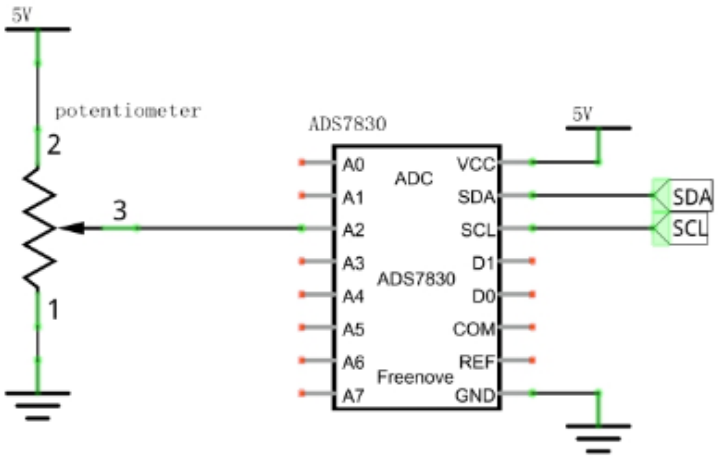
	

Circuit

Schematic diagram



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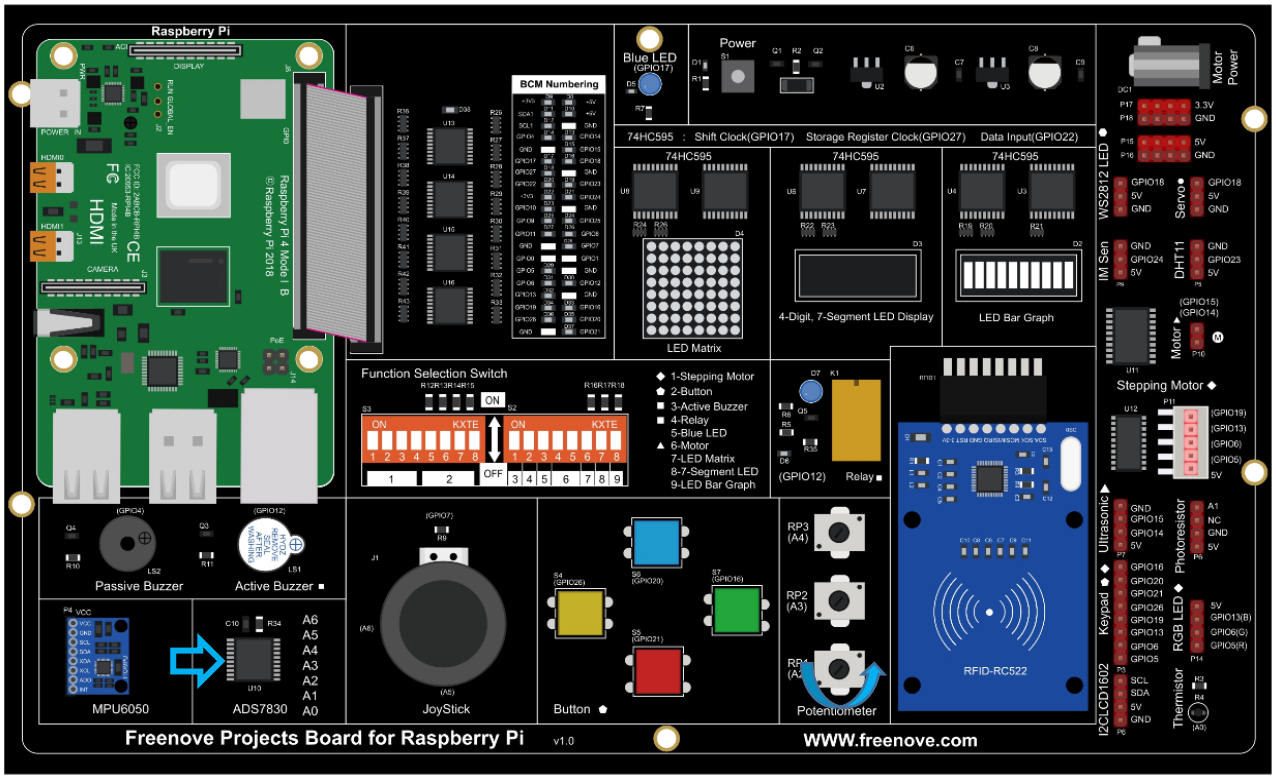

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Sketch

Configure I2C (required)

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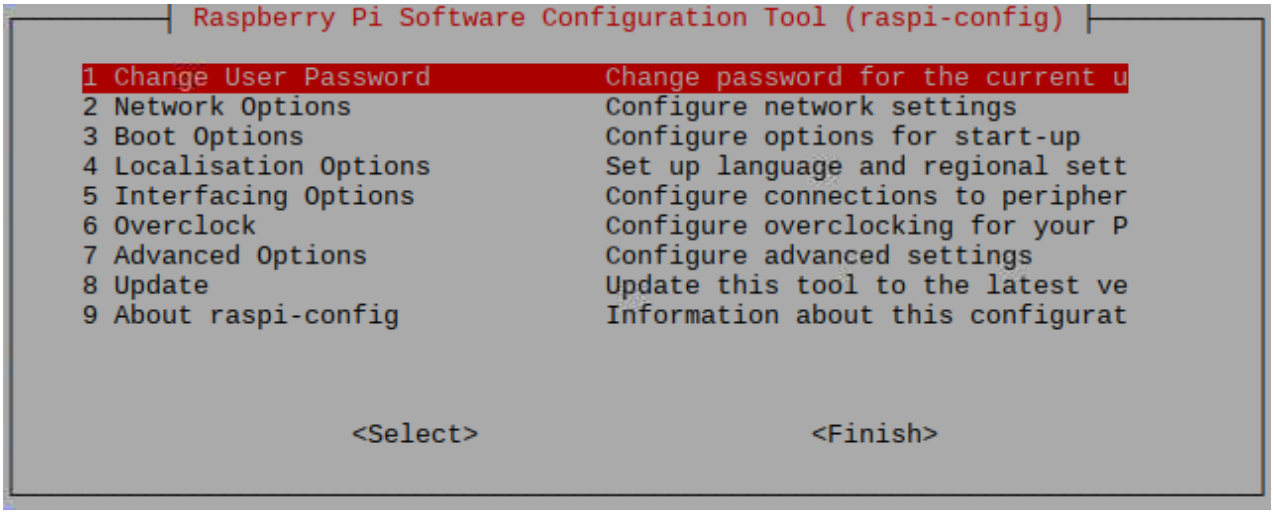
Enable I2C

There are some I2C chips in this kit like ADC module. The I2C interface of Raspberry Pi is closed by default. You need to open it manually as follows:

Type command in the terminal:

```
sudo raspi-config
```

Then open the following dialog box:



Choose “5 Interfacing Options”→“P5 I2C”→“Yes”→“Finish” in order and restart your RPi later. Then the I2C module is started.

Type a command to check whether the I2C module is started:

```
lsmod | grep i2c
```

If the I2C module has been started, the following content will be shown:

Install I2C-Tools

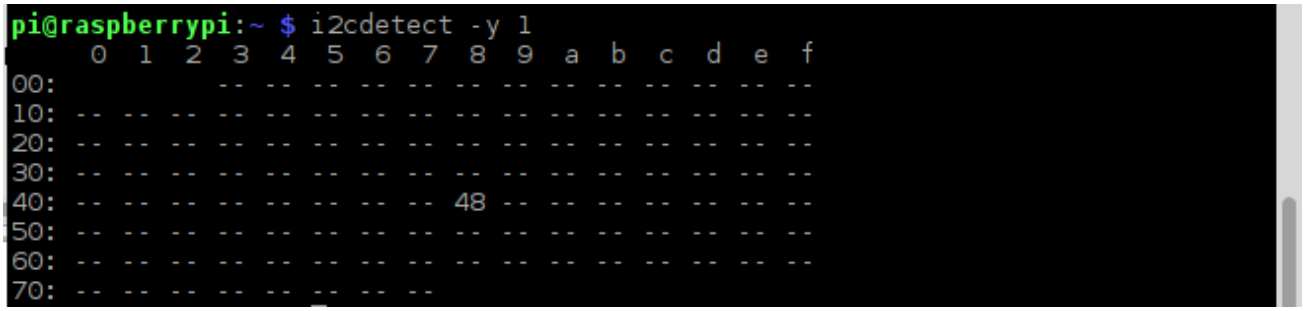
Type the command to install I2C-Tools.

```
sudo apt-get install i2c-tools
```

Detect the address of I2C device with the following command:

```
i2cdetect -y 1
```

When you are using ADS7830, the result is as below:



Here, 48 (HEX) is the I2C address of ADC Module(ADS7830).

Sketch 6.1.1 ADC

First, enter where the project is located:

```
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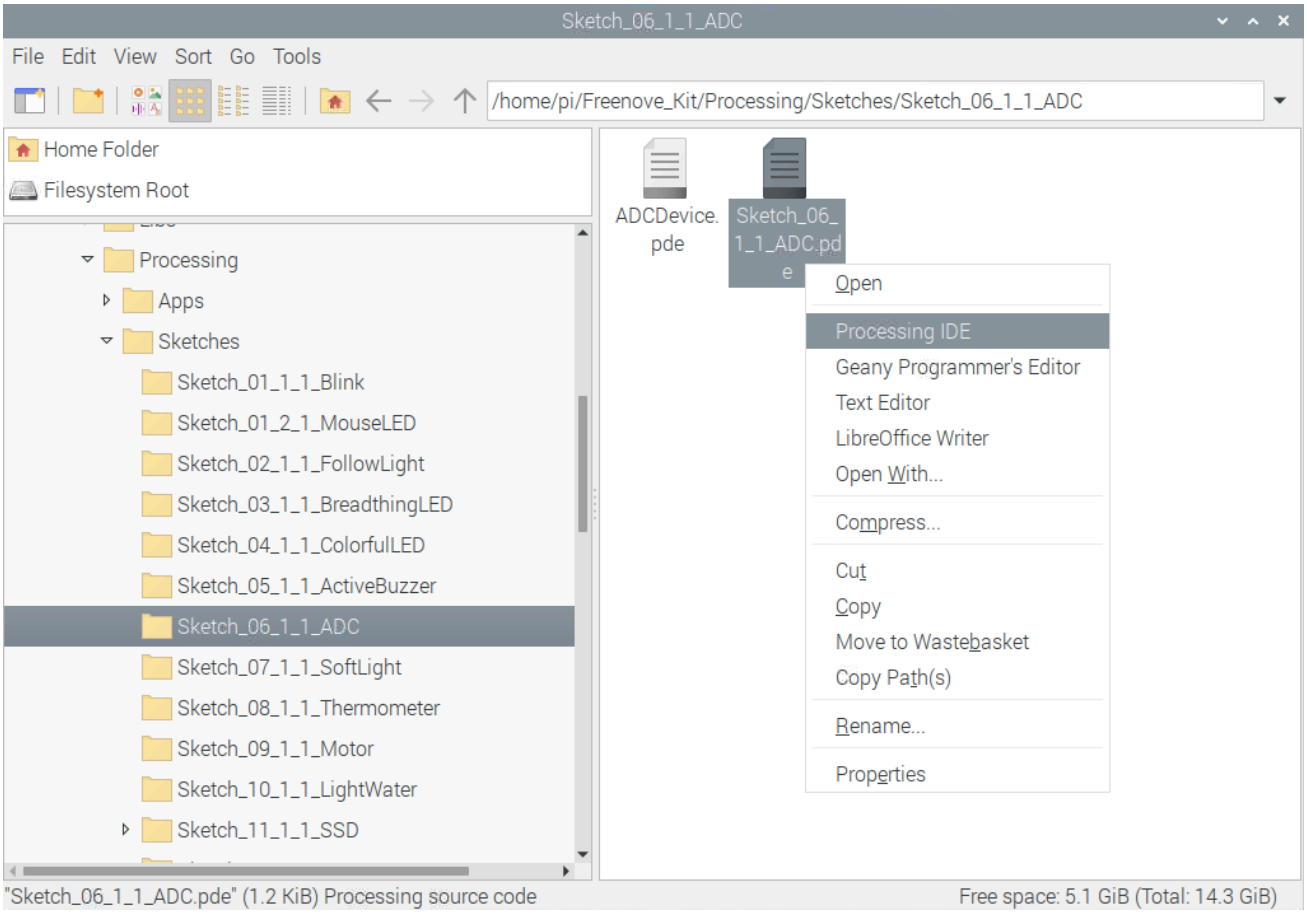
```

And then right-click to select Processing IDE



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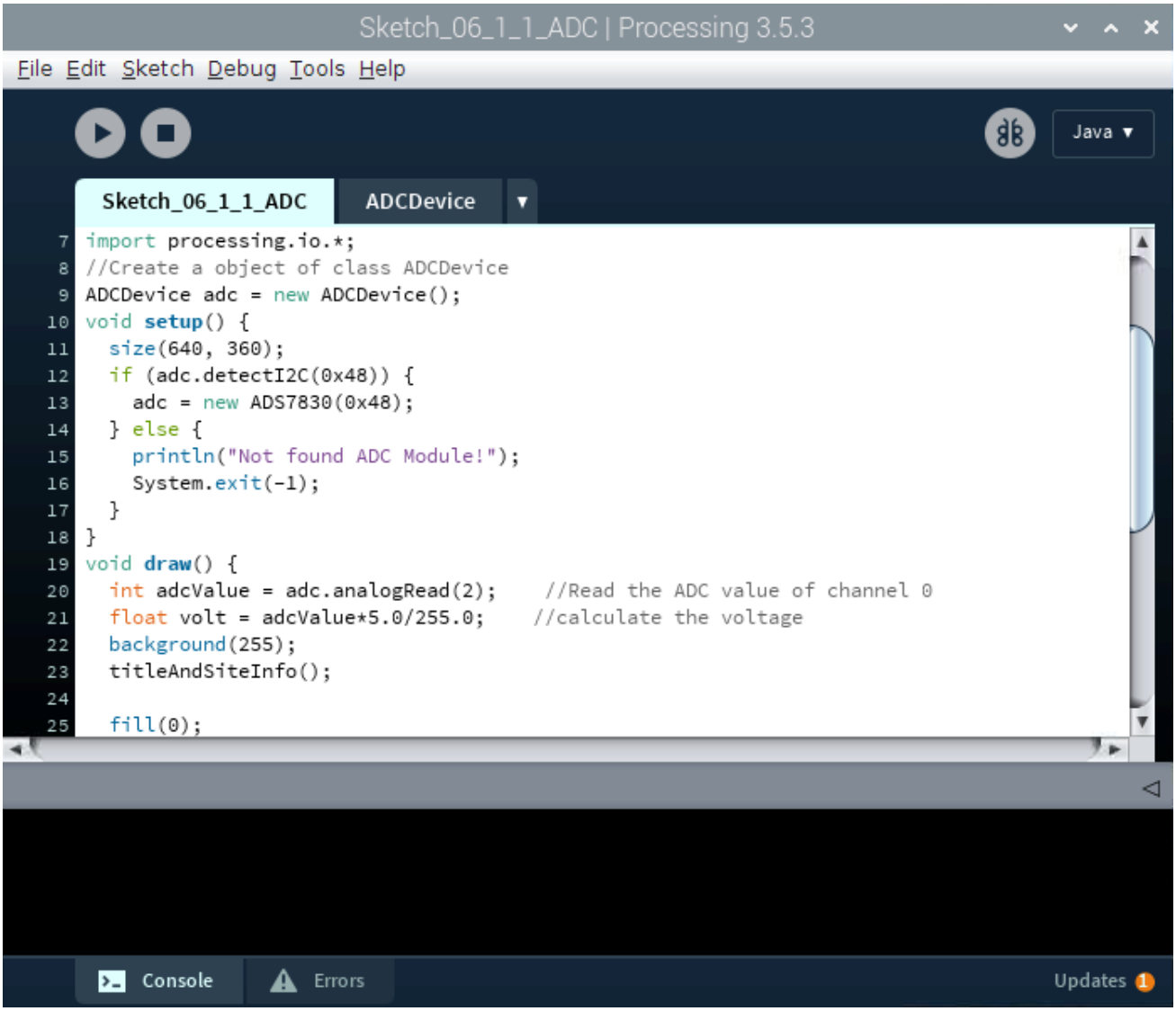
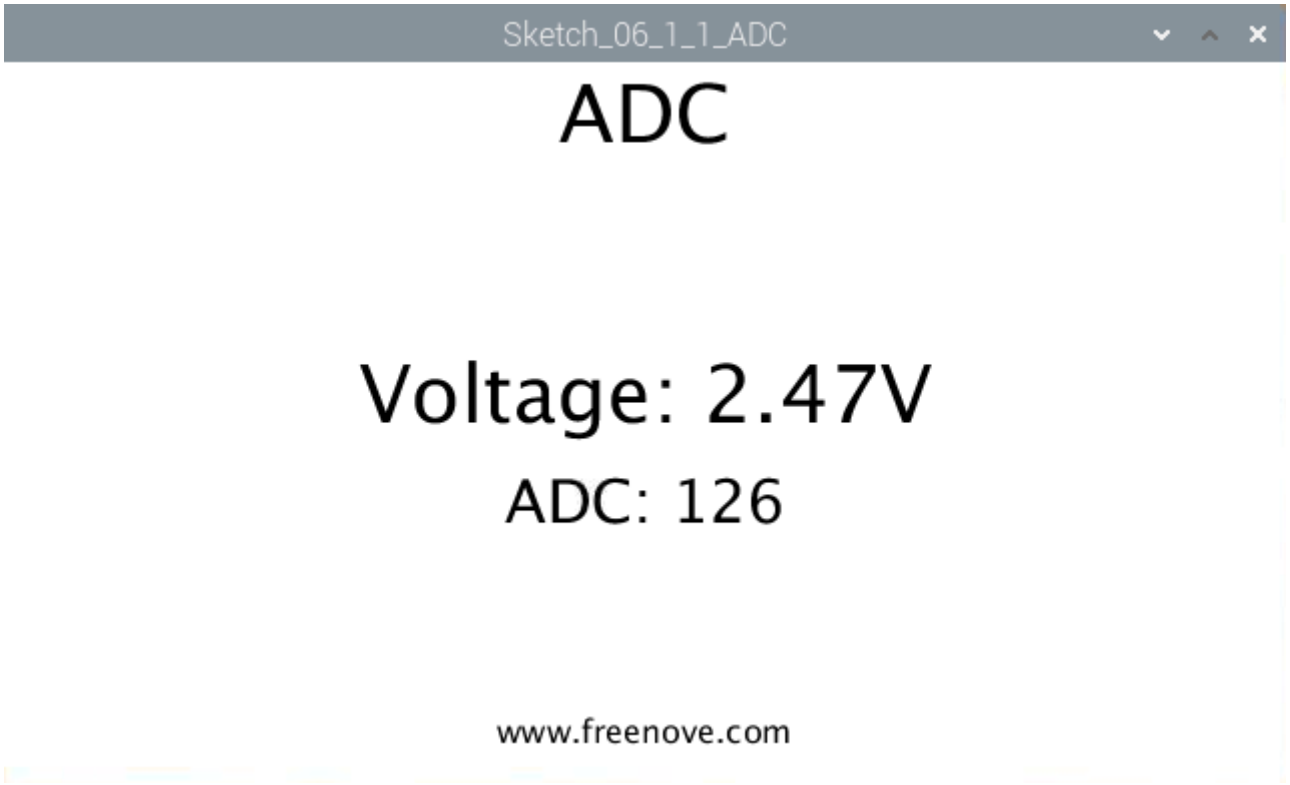


The result is as shown below. Rotate RP1 potentiometer, the reading will change accordingly.



This project contains a lot of code files, and the core code is contained in the file Sketch_06_1_1_ADC. The other files only contain some custom classes.

The following is program code:

```
import processing.io.*;
//Create a object of class ADCDevice
ADCDevice adc = new ADCDevice();
void setup() {
  size(640, 360);
  if (adc.detectI2C(0x48)) {
    adc = new ADS7830(0x48);
  } else {
    println("Not found ADC Module!");
    System.exit(-1);
  }
}
void draw() {
  int adcValue = adc.analogRead(2);    //Read the ADC value of channel 0
  float volt = adcValue*5.0/255.0;    //calculate the voltage
  background(255);
  titleAndSiteInfo();

  fill(0);
  textAlign(CENTER);    //set the text centered
  textSize(30);
  text("ADC: "+nf(adcValue, 3, 0), width / 2, height/2+50);
  textSize(40);        //set text size
  text("Voltage: "+nf(volt, 0, 2)+"V", width / 2, height/2);    //
}
void titleAndSiteInfo() {
  fill(0);
  textAlign(CENTER);    //set the text centered
  textSize(40);        //set text size
  text("ADC", width / 2, 40);    //title
  textSize(16);
  text("www.freenove.com", width / 2, height - 20);    //site
}
```

The code of this project mainly uses PCF8591 class member function analogRead() to read ADC.

```
int adcValue = adc.analogRead(2);     //Read the ADC value of channel 0
float volt = adcValue*5.0/255.0;     //calculate the voltage
```

About class ADCDevice, PCF8591, ADS7830:

class ADCDevice

This is a base class, and all ADC module classes are subclasses of it. It provides two basic member functions.

```
public int analogRead(int chn)
```

This is a unified function name. Different chips have different implement methods. Therefore, specific method is implemented in subclasses.

```
public boolean detectI2C(int addr)
```

Used to detect I2C device with a given address. If it exists, it returns true, otherwise it returns false.

class ADS7830 extends ADCDevice

This is a custom class that is used to operate the ADC of ADS7830.

```
public ADS7830(int addr)
```

Constructor, used to create a ADS7830 class object, parameters for the I2C ADS7830 device address.

```
public int analogRead(int chn)
```

Used to read ADC value of one channel of ADS7830, the parameter CHN indicates the channel number: 0,1,2,3,4,5,6,7.

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Chapter 7 ADC & LED

In this chapter, we will combine ADC and PWM to control the brightness of LED.

Project 7.1 SoftLight

In this project, we will make a softlight, which uses a potentiometer to control the brightness of LED.

Component List

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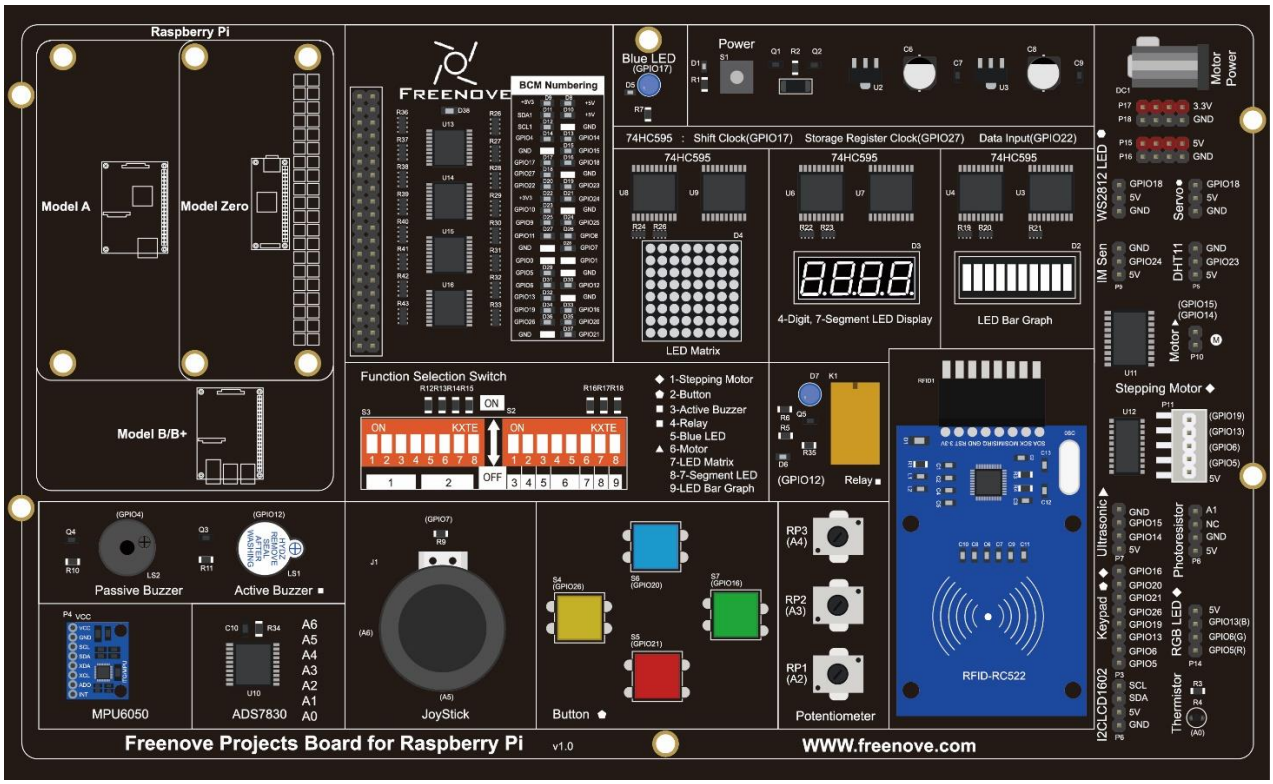

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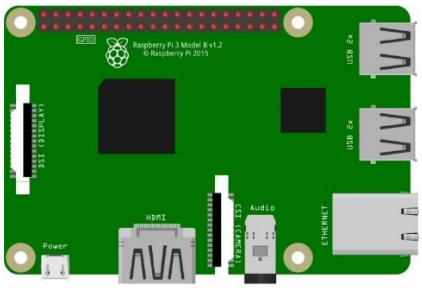

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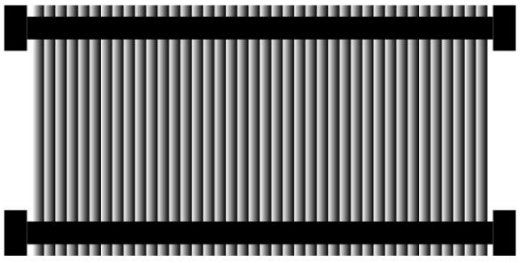

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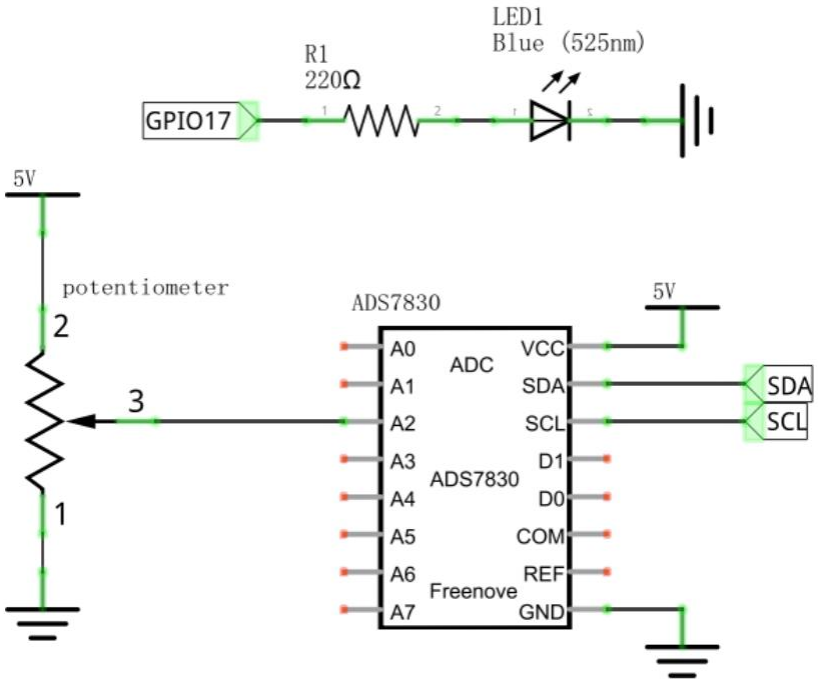
Schematic diagram



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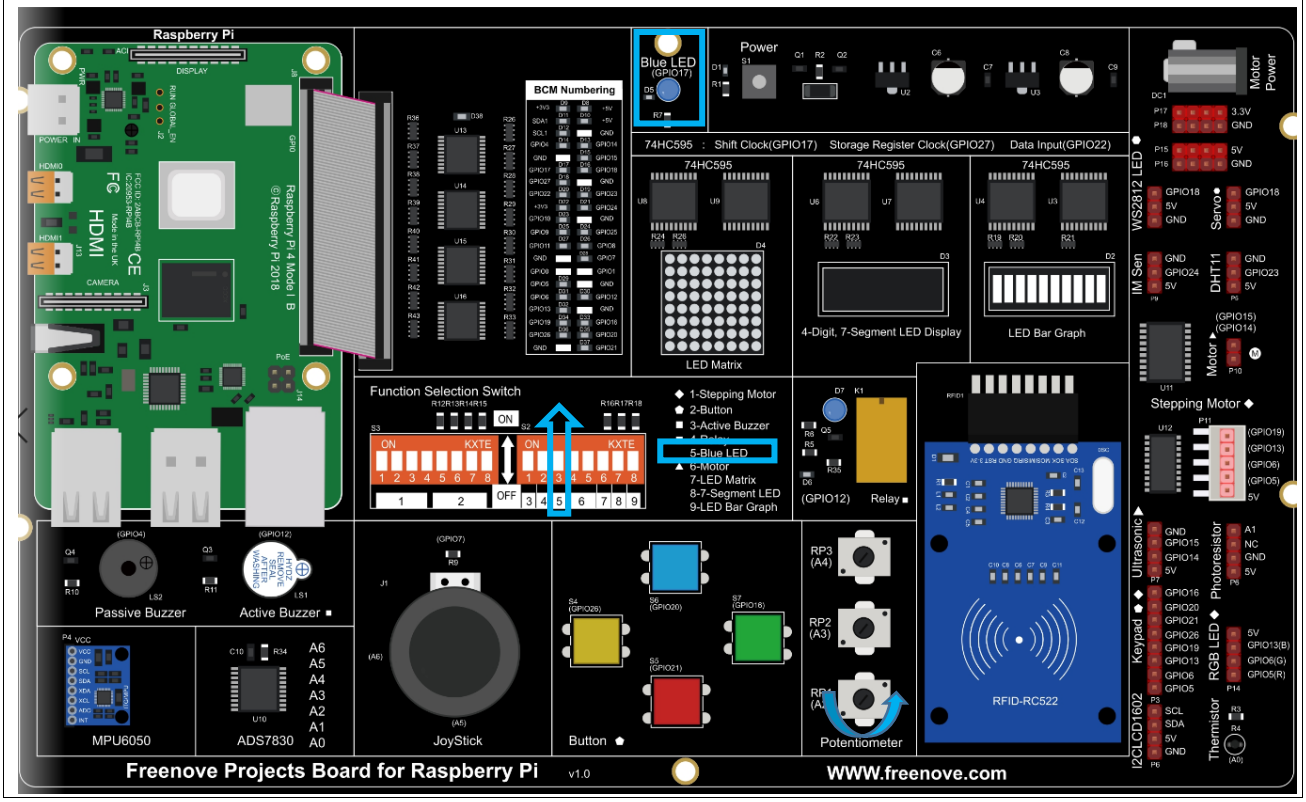

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Sketch

If you haven't configured I2C, please refer to Chapter 6. If you've done it, please move on.

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Sketch 7.1.1 SoftLight

First, enter where the project is located:

```
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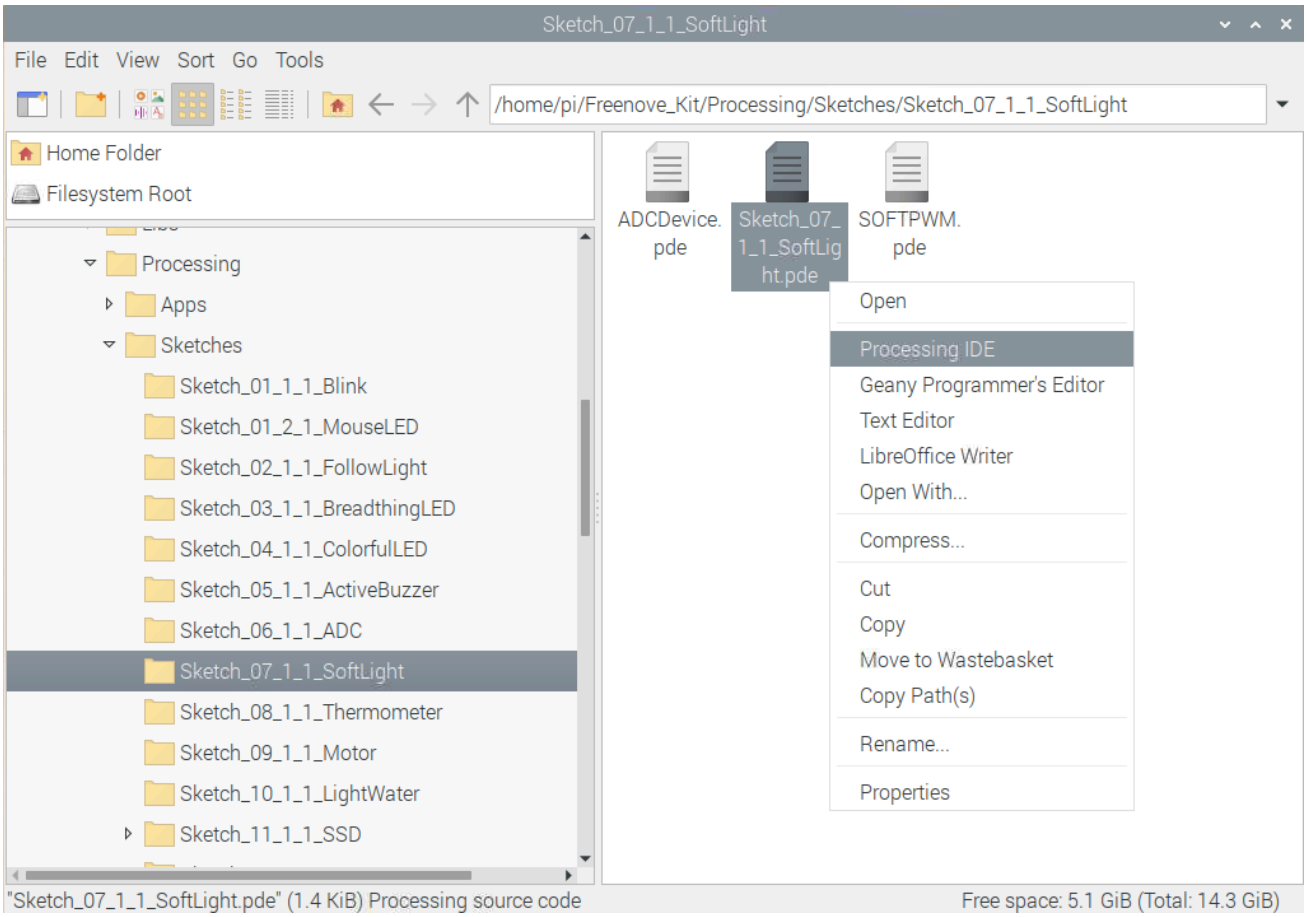
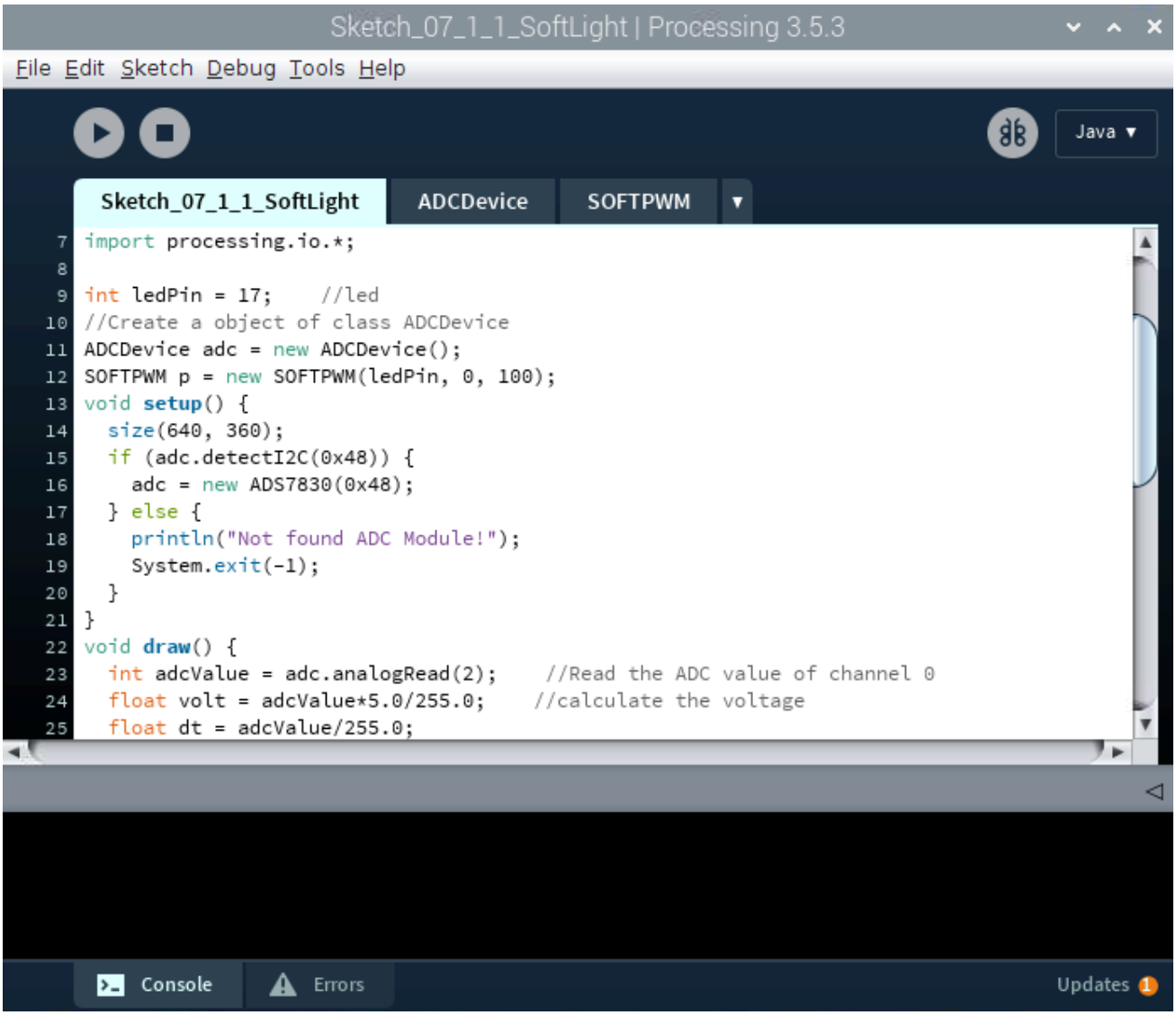
```

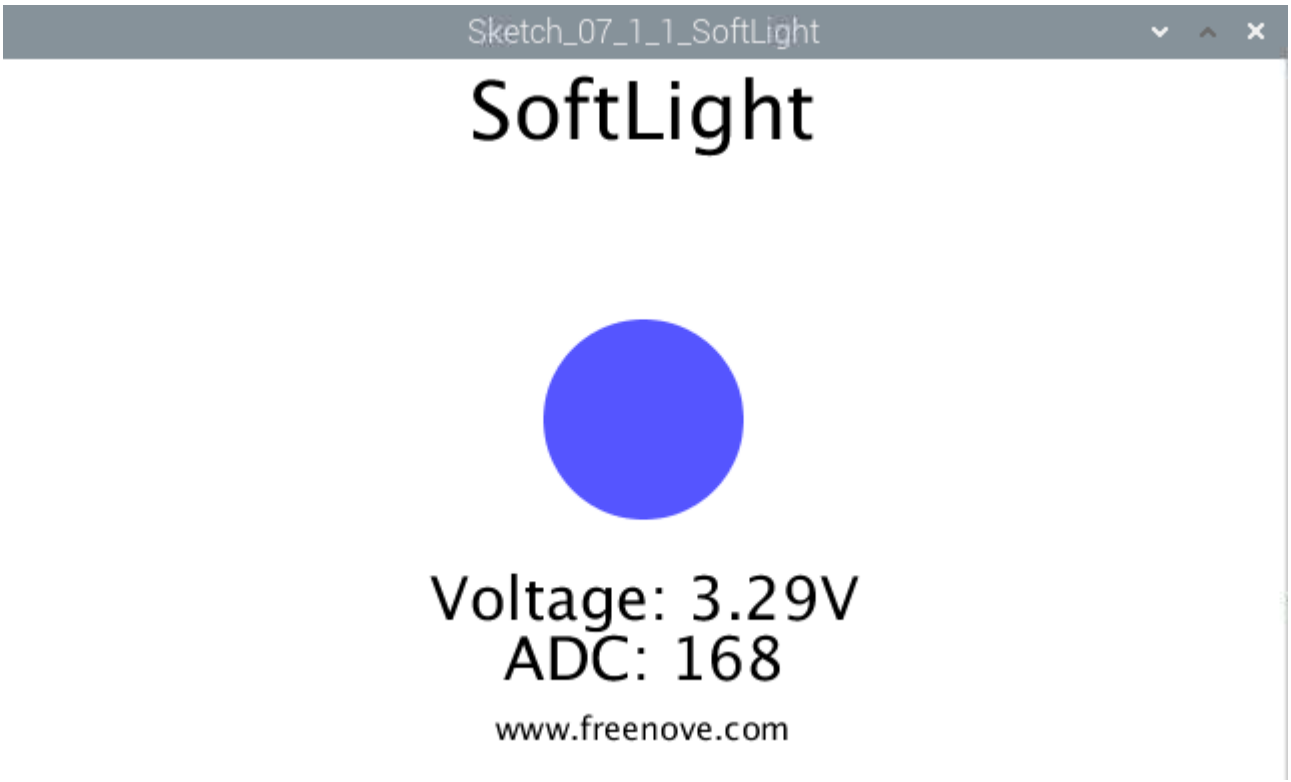
And then right-click to select Processing IDE



Open Processing and click Run



The result is as shown below. Rotate the RP1 potentiometer, and the brightness of the blue LED will change accordingly.



This project contains a lot of code files, and the core code is contained in the file Sketch_07_1_1_SoftLight. The other files only contain some custom classes.

The following is program code:

```
import processing.io.*;

int ledPin = 17;    //led
//Create a object of class ADCDevice
ADCDevice adc = new ADCDevice();
SOFTPWM p = new SOFTPWM(ledPin, 0, 100);
```

```
7  void setup() {
8    size(640, 360);
9    if (adc.detectI2C(0x48)) {
10     adc = new ADS7830(0x48);
11   } else {
12     println("Not found ADC Module!");
13     System.exit(-1);
14   }
15 }
16 void draw() {
17   int adcValue = adc.analogRead(2);    //Read the ADC value of channel 0
18   float volt = adcValue*5.0/255.0;    //calculate the voltage
19   float dt = adcValue/255.0;
20   p.softPwmWrite((int)(dt*100));  //output the pwm
21   background(255);
22   titleAndSiteInfo();
23
24   fill(255-dt*255, 255-dt*255, 255);  //cycle
25   noStroke();  //no border
26   ellipse(width/2, height/2, 100, 100);
27
28   fill(0);
29   textAlign(CENTER);    //set the text centered
30   textSize(30);
31   text("ADC: "+nf(adcValue, 3, 0), width / 2, height/2+130);
32   text("Voltage: "+nf(volt, 0, 2)+"V", width / 2, height/2+100);    //
33 }
34 void titleAndSiteInfo() {
35   fill(0);
36   textAlign(CENTER);    //set the text centered
37   textSize(40);        //set text size
38   text("SoftLight", width / 2, 40);    //title
39   textSize(16);
40   text("www.freenove.com", width / 2, height - 20);    //site
41 }
```

In this project code, get the ADC value of the potentiometer, then map it into the PWM duty cycle of LED to control its brightness. In Display Window, the color filled in LED pattern changes to simulate the change of LED brightness.

```
  int adcValue = adc.analogRead(2);    //Read the ADC value of channel 0
  float volt = adcValue*5.0/255.0;    //calculate the voltage
  float dt = adcValue/255.0;
  p.softPwmWrite((int)(dt*100));  //output the pwm
```

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Chapter 8 Thermistor

In this chapter, we will learn how to use a thermistor.

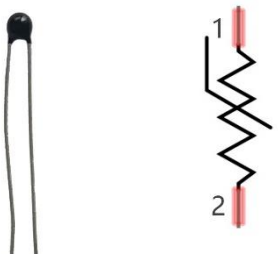
Project 8.1 Thermometer

In this project, we will use a thermistor to make a thermometer.

Component knowledge

Thermistor

Thermistor is a temperature sensitive resistor. When it senses a change in temperature, the resistance of the Thermistor will change. We can take advantage of this characteristic by using a Thermistor to detect temperature intensity. A Thermistor and its electronic symbol are shown below.



The relationship between resistance value and temperature of a thermistor is:

Rt=R*EXP [B*(1/T2-1/T1)]

Where:

Rt is the thermistor resistance under T2 temperature;

R is in the nominal resistance of thermistor under T1 temperature;

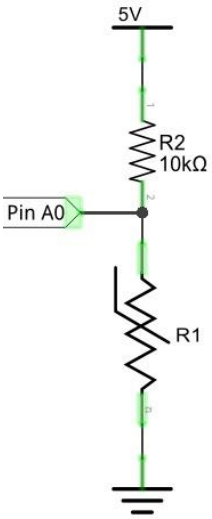
EXP[n] is nth power of e;

B is for thermal index;

T1, T2 is Kelvin temperature (absolute temperature). Kelvin temperature=273.15 + Celsius temperature.

For the parameters of the Thermistor, we use: B=3950, R=10k, T1=25.

The circuit connection method of the Thermistor is similar to photoresistor, as the following:



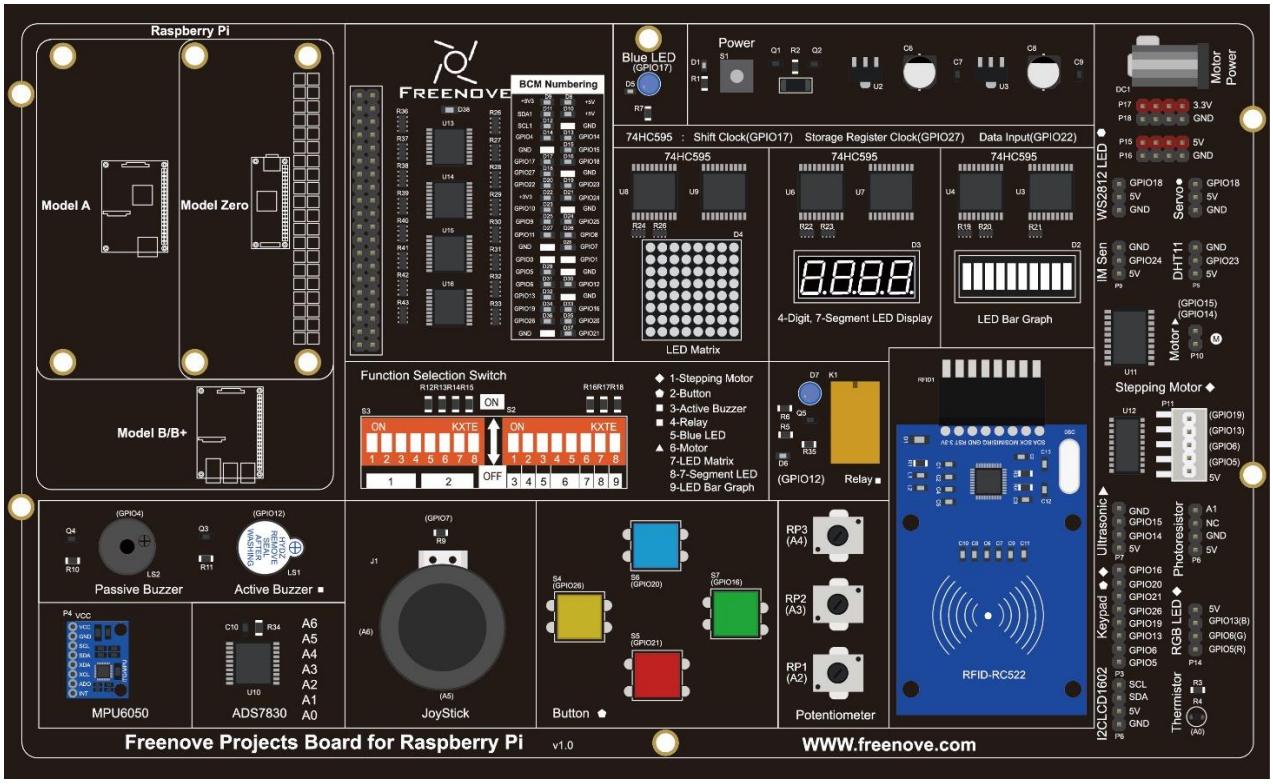
We can use the value measured by the ADC converter to obtain the resistance value of Thermistor, and then we can use the formula to obtain the temperature value.

Therefore, the temperature formula can be derived as:

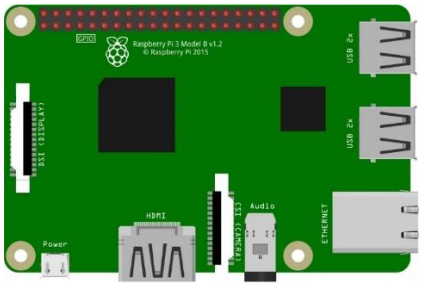
$$T2 = 1/(1/T1 + \ln(Rt/R)/B)$$

Component List

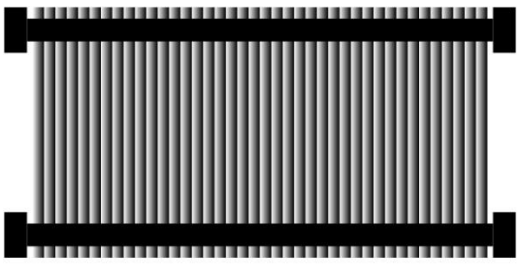
Freenove Projects Board for Raspberry Pi



Raspberry Pi

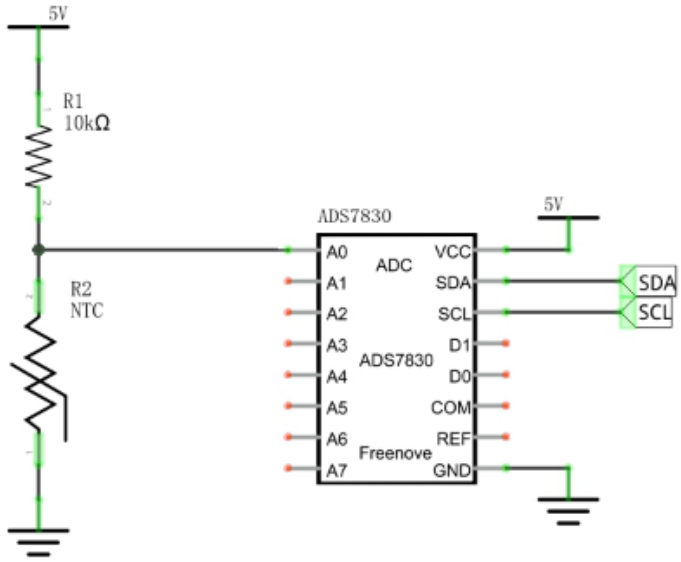


GPIO Ribbon Cable



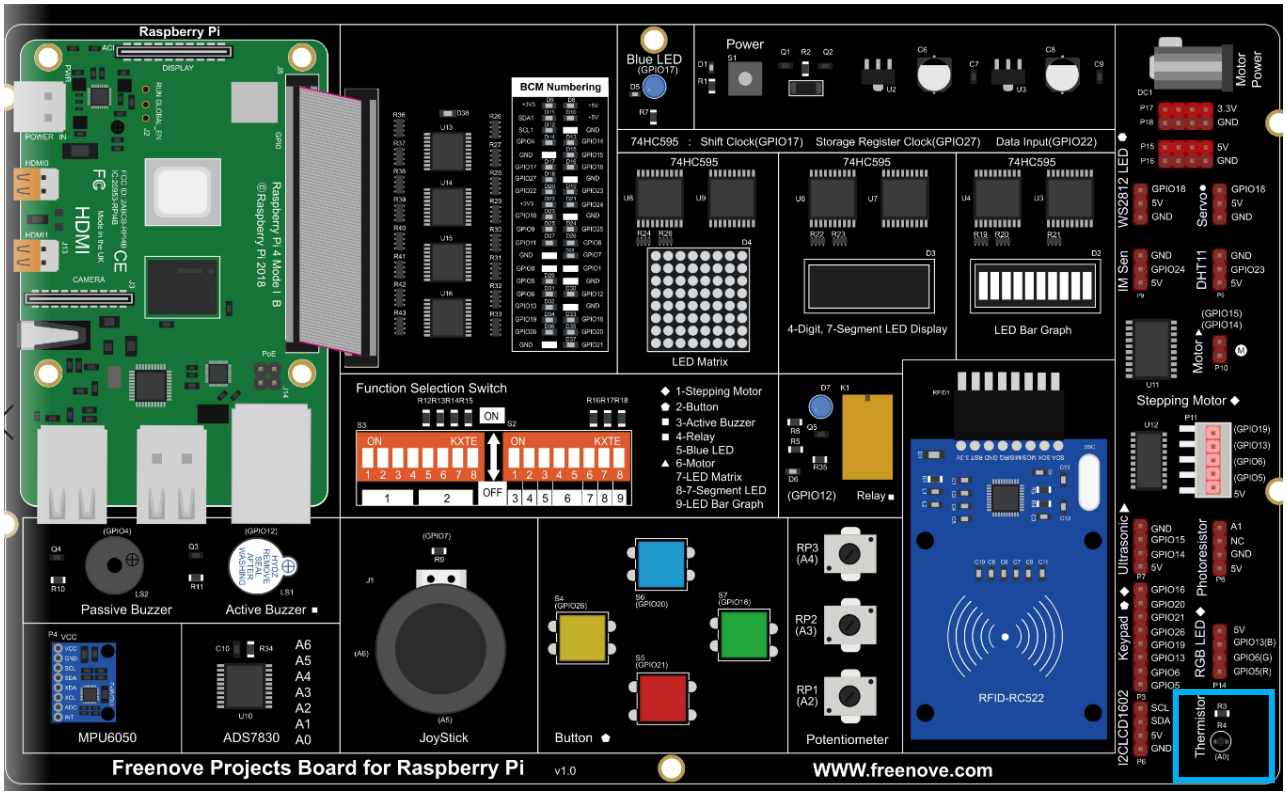
Circuit

Schematic diagram



Hardware connection.

After running the program, pinch the Thermometer with your finger and observe the changes.



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Sketch

Sketch 8.1.1 Thermometer

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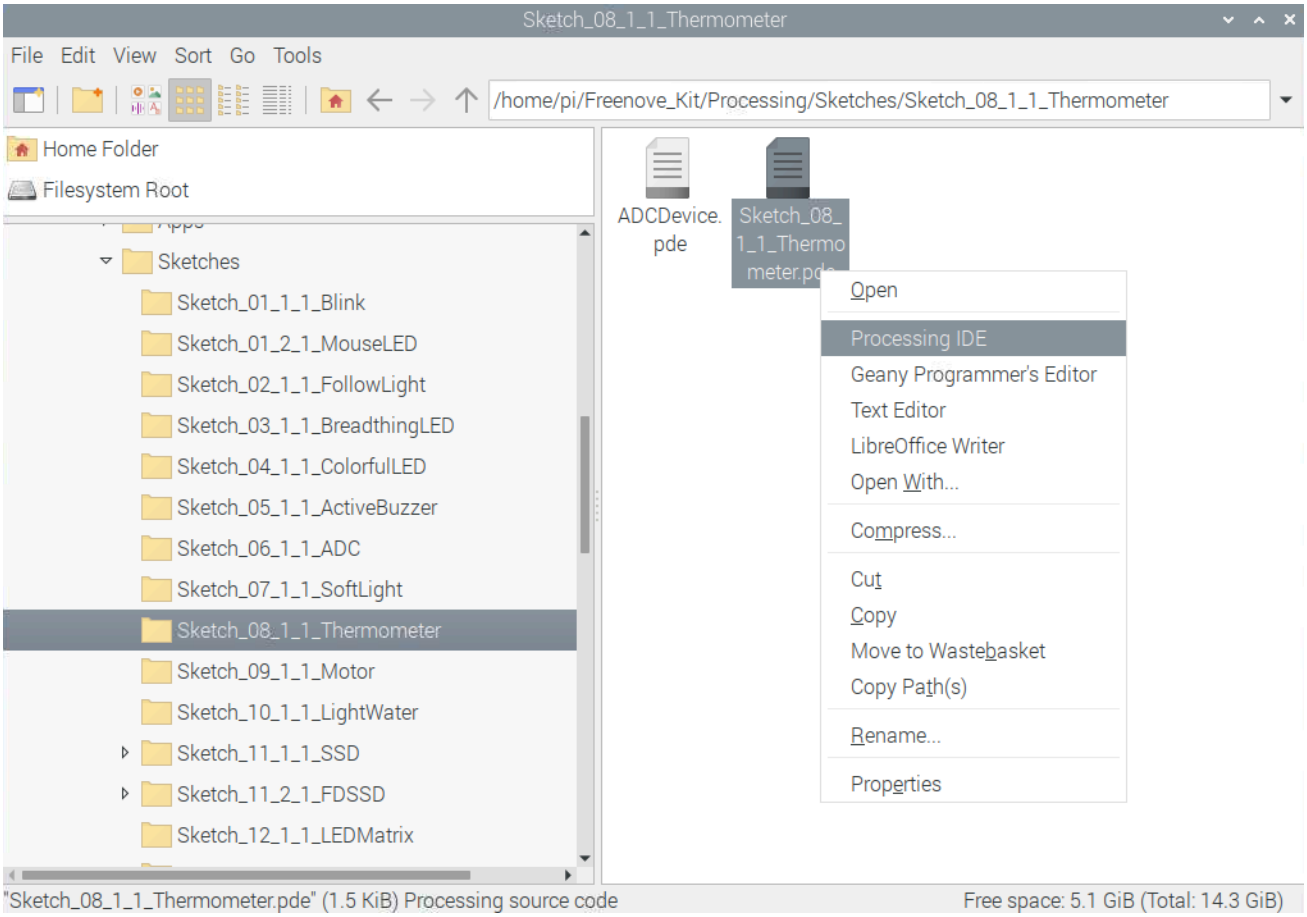
First, enter where the project is located:

```
/home/pi/Freenove_Kit/Processing/Sketches/Sketch_08_1_1_Thermometer
```

And then right-click to select Processing IDE



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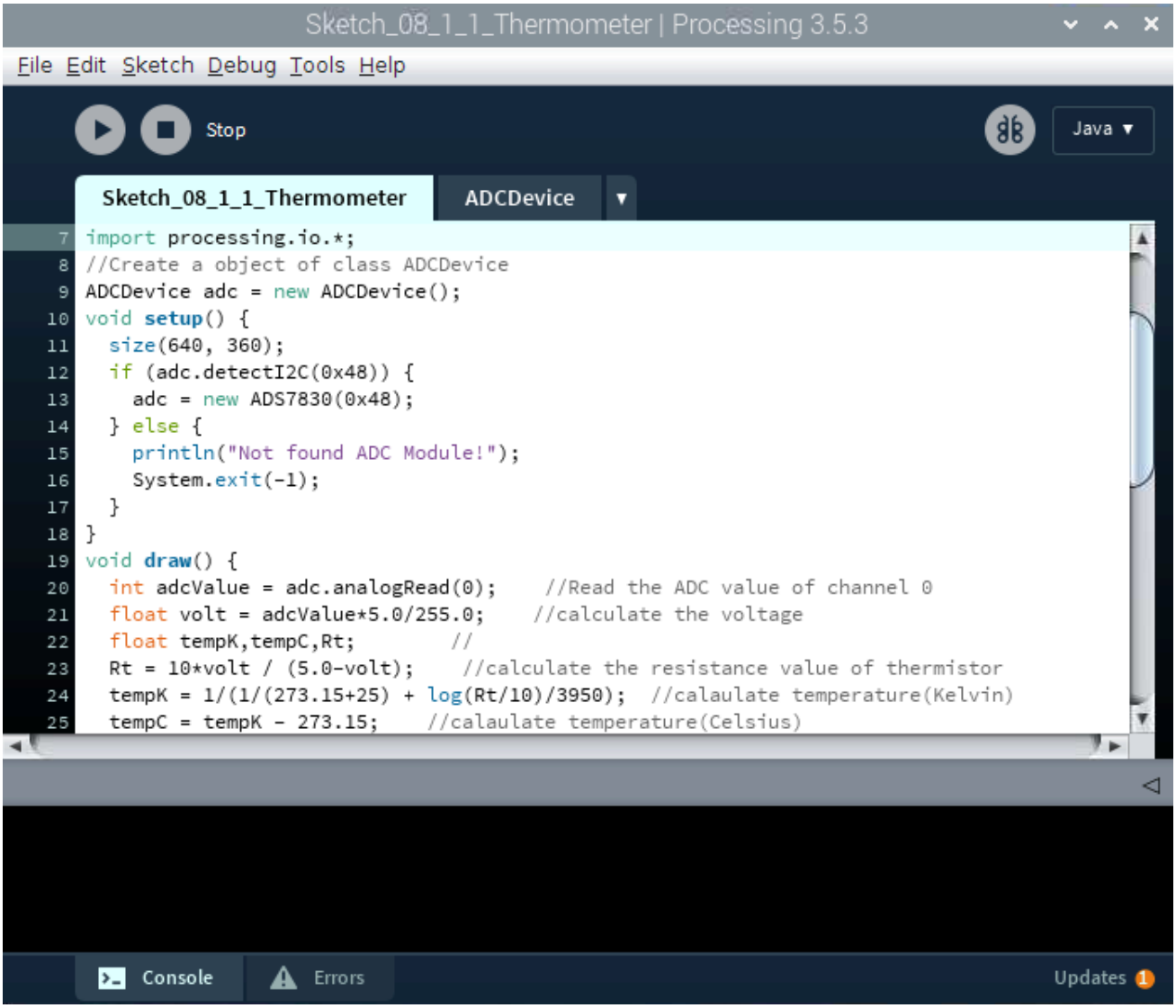
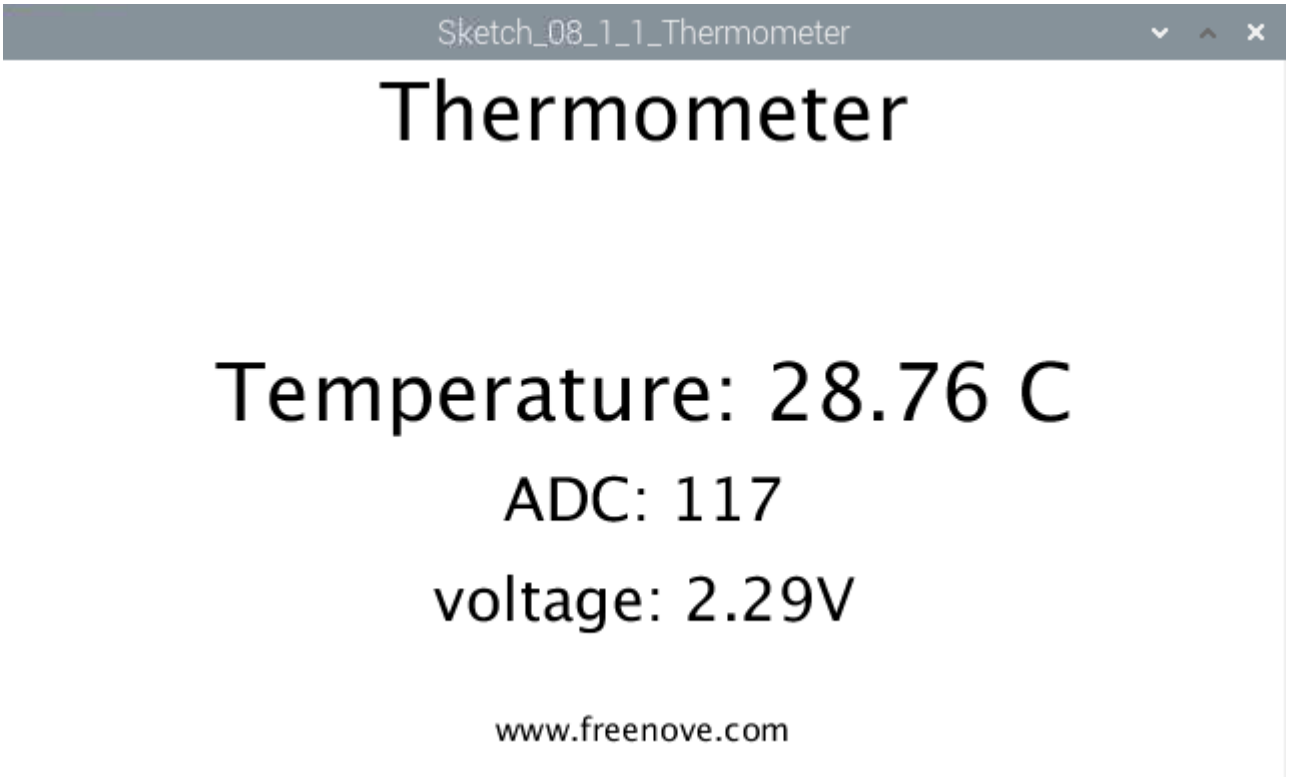


The result is as shown below. The thermometer will detect the current temperature.



This project contains a lot of code files, and the core code is contained in the file Sketch_08_1_1_Thermometer. The other files only contain some custom classes.

The following is program code:

```
import processing.io.*;
//Create a object of class ADCDevice
ADCDevice adc = new ADCDevice();
void setup() {
  size(640, 360);
  if (adc.detectI2C(0x48)) {
    adc = new ADS7830(0x48);
  } else {
    println("Not found ADC Module!");
    System.exit(-1);
  }
}
void draw() {
  int adcValue = adc.analogRead(0);    //Read the ADC value of channel 0
  float volt = adcValue*5.0/255.0;    //calculate the voltage
  float tempK,tempC,Rt;        //
  Rt = 10*volt / (5.0-volt);    //calculate the resistance value of thermistor
  tempK = 1/(1/(273.15+25) + log(Rt/10)/3950);  //calaulate temperature(Kelvin)
  tempC = tempK - 273.15;    //calaulate temperature(Celsius)

  background(255);
  titleAndSiteInfo();

  fill(0);
  textAlign(CENTER);    //set the text centered
  textSize(30);
  text("ADC: "+nf(adcValue, 0, 0), width / 2, height/2+50);
  textSize(30);
  text("voltage: "+nf(volt, 0, 2)+"V", width / 2, height/2+100);
  textSize(40);        //set text size
  text("Temperature: "+nf(tempC, 0, 2)+" C", width / 2, height/2);    //
}
void titleAndSiteInfo() {
  fill(0);
  textAlign(CENTER);    //set the text centered
  textSize(40);        //set text size
  text("Thermometer", width / 2, 40);    //title
  textSize(16);
  text("www.freenove.com", width / 2, height - 20);    //site
}
```

In this project code, first read ADC, and then calculate the current temperature according to the Ohm's law and temperature formula mentioned before, finally display them on Display Window.

```
int adcValue = adc.analogRead(0);     //Read the ADC value of channel 0
float volt = adcValue*5.0/255.0;     //calculate the voltage
float tempK,tempC,Rt;          //
Rt = 10*volt / (5.0-volt);     //calculate the resistance value of thermistor
tempK = 1/(1/(273.15+25) + log(Rt/10)/3950);  //calaulate temperature(Kelvin)
tempC = tempK - 273.15;     //calaulate temperature(Celsius)
```

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Chapter 9 Motor & Driver

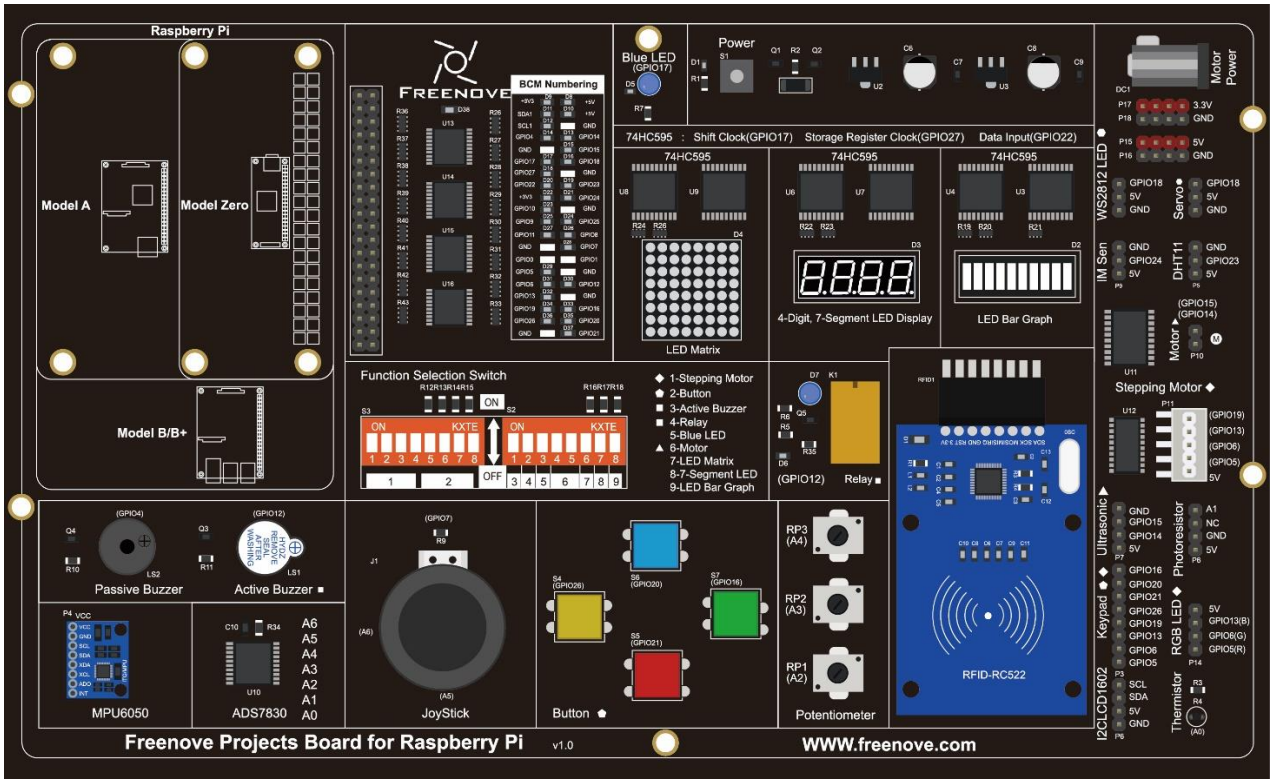
In this chapter, we will learn how to use a DC motor, including how to control the speed and direction of the motor.

Project 9.1 Motor

In this project, we use L293D to drive the DC motor. We can click on the button in the Processing Display Window to control motor direction, and drag the progress bar to control the motor speed.

Component List

Freenove Projects Board for Raspberry Pi



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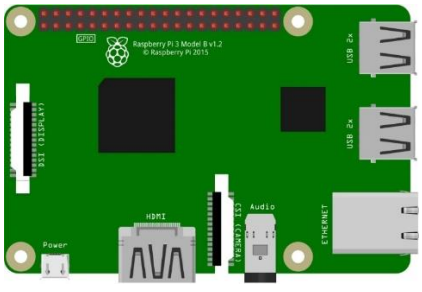

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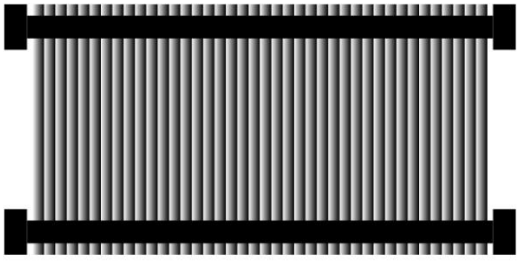
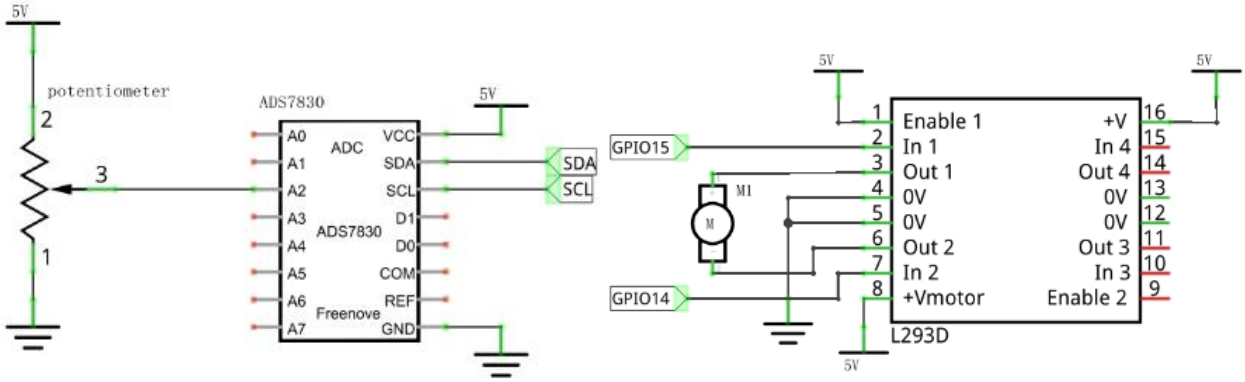


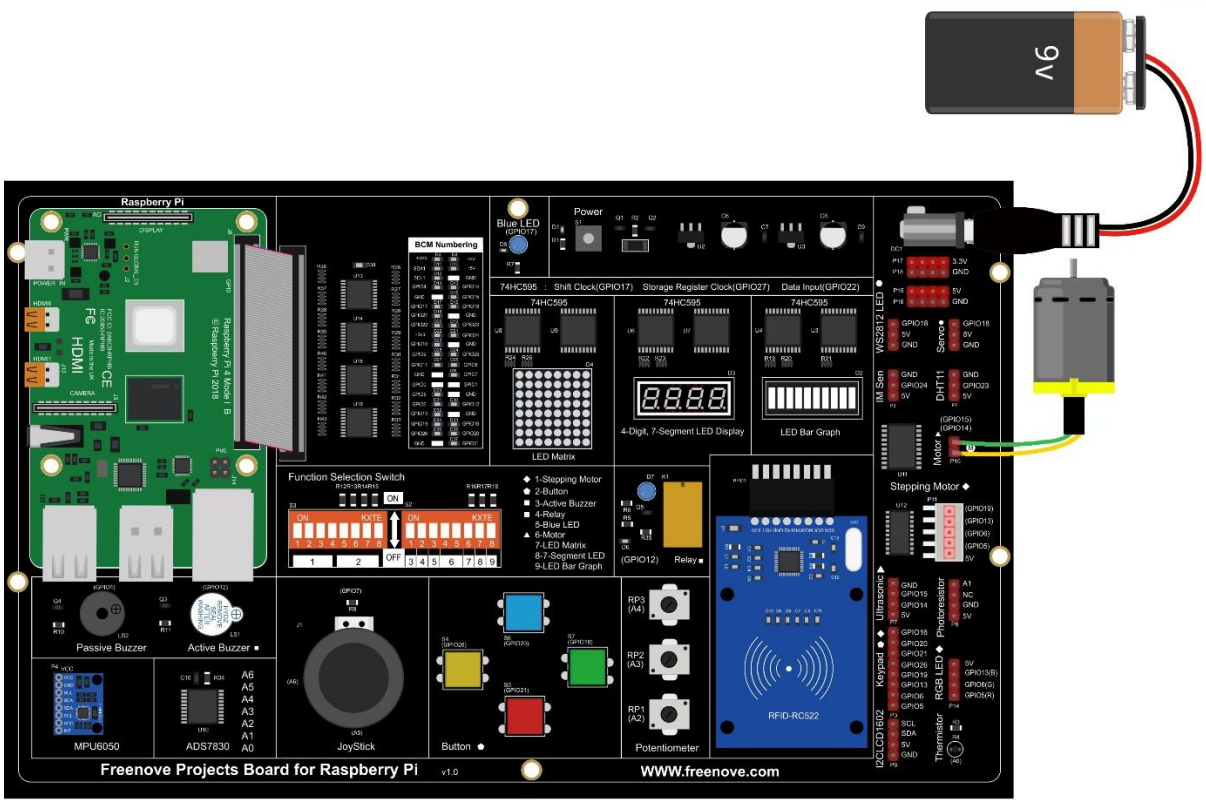
Jumper Wire 	Motor 
9V Battery (you provide) & 9V Battery Cable 	

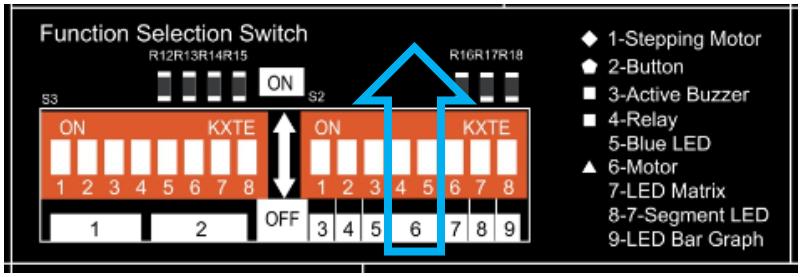
Circuit

Schematic diagram



Hardware connection.





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Sketch

Sketch 9.1.1 Motor

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First, enter where the project is located:

```
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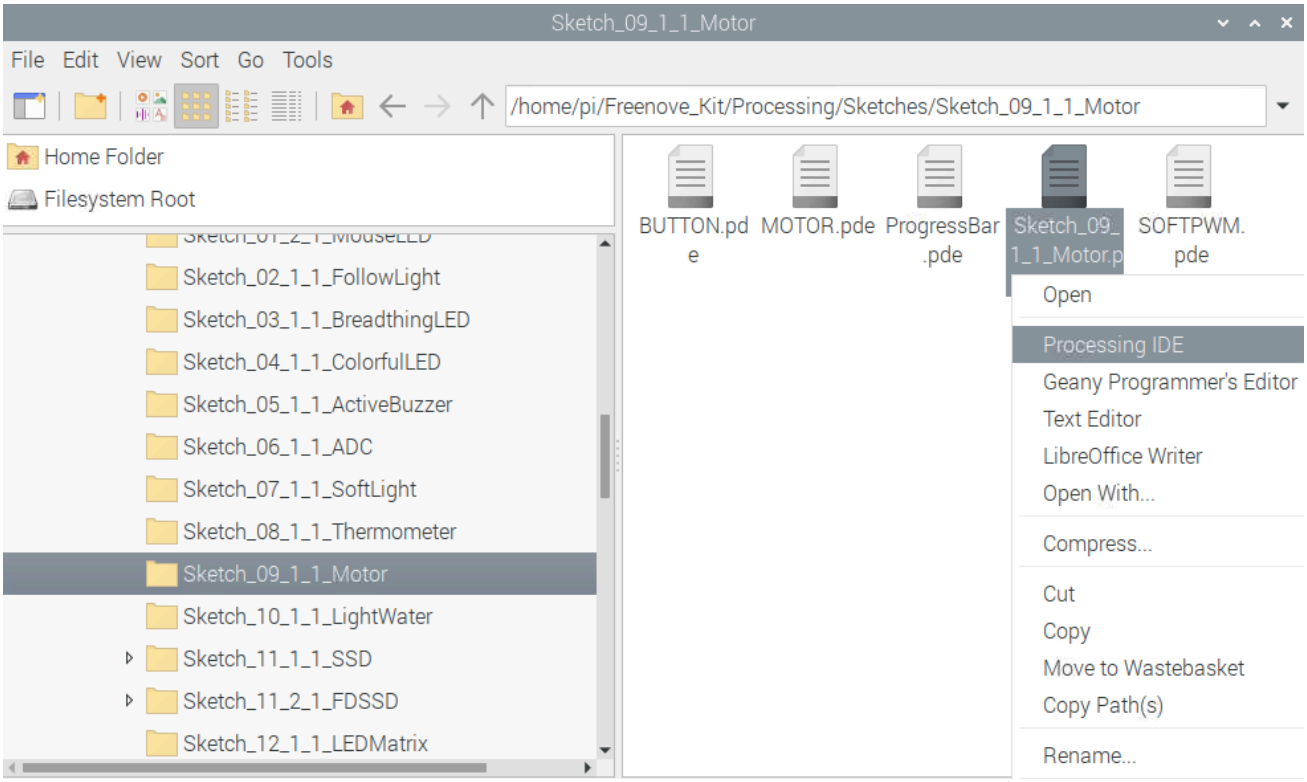
And then right-click to select Processing IDE



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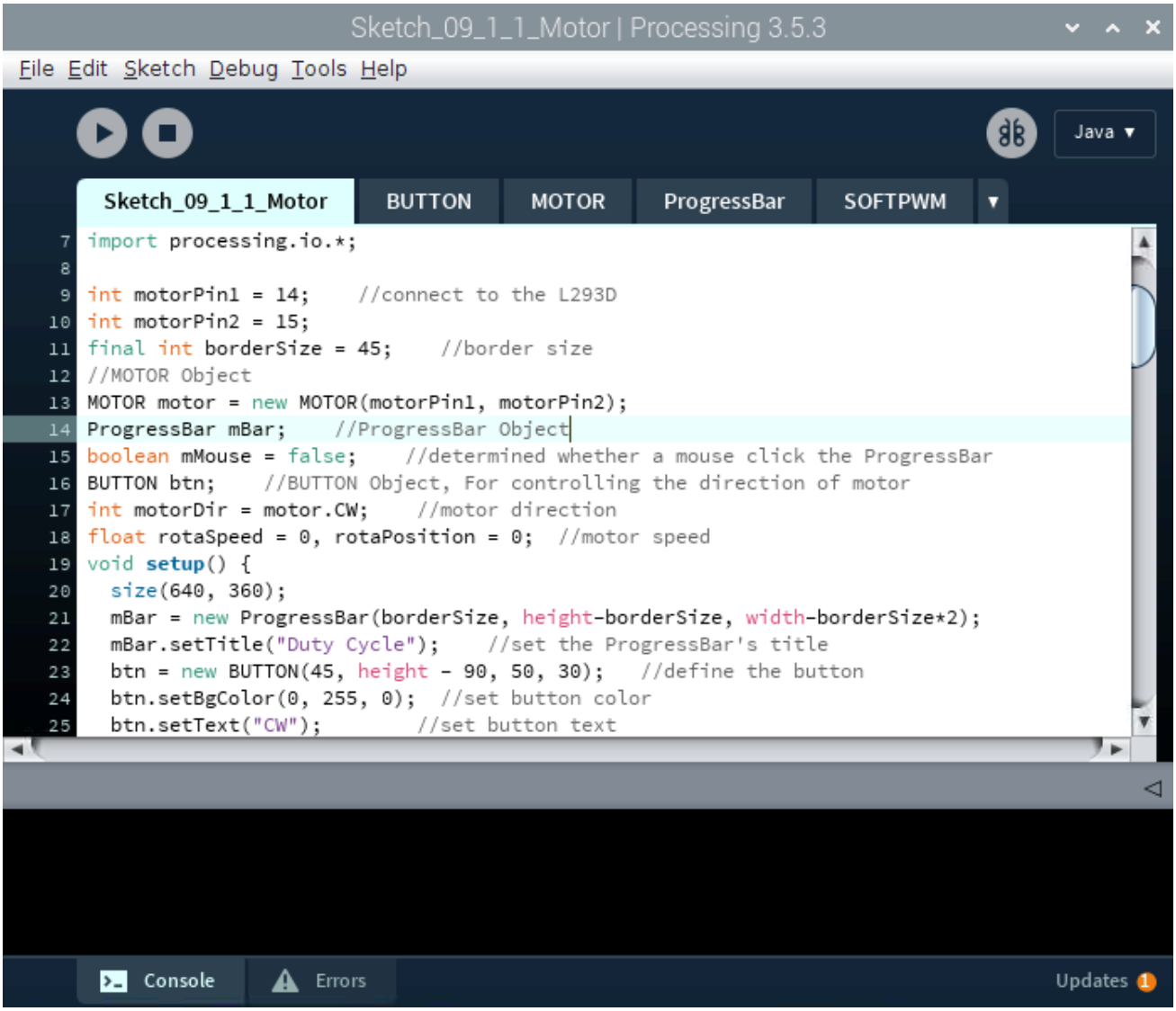
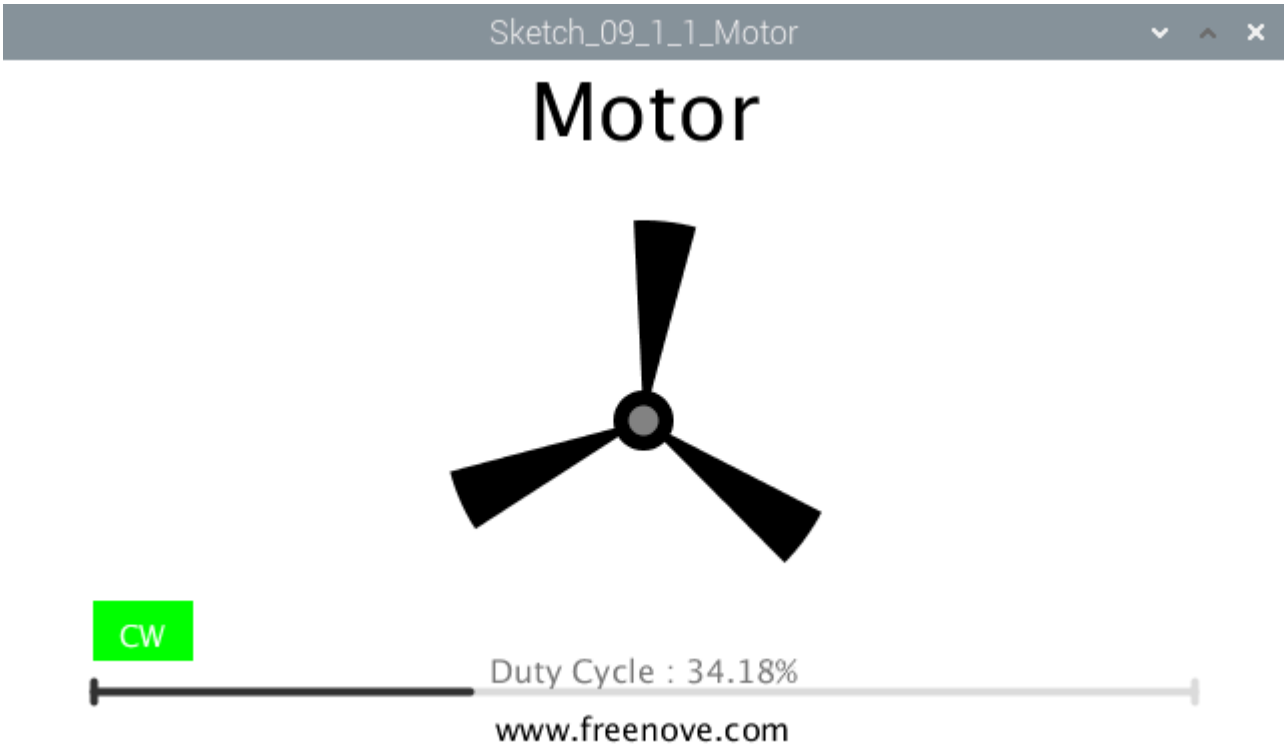


The result is as shown below. The duty cycle can be changed by dragging the slider. Cicking the button will change the rotating direction.



This project contains a lot of code files, and the core code is contained in the file Sketch_09_1_1_Motor. The other files only contain some custom classes.

The following is program code:

```
1  import processing.io.*;
2
3  int motorPin1 = 14;    //connect to the L293D
4  int motorPin2 = 15;
5  final int borderSize = 45;    //border size
6  //MOTOR Object
7  MOTOR motor = new MOTOR(motorPin1, motorPin2);
8  ProgressBar mBar;    //ProgressBar Object
9  boolean mMouse = false;    //determined whether a mouse click the ProgressBar
10 BUTTON btn;    //BUTTON Object, For controlling the direction of motor
```

```
int motorDir = motor.CW;    //motor direction
float rotaSpeed = 0, rotaPosition = 0;  //motor speed
void setup() {
  size(640, 360);
  mBar = new ProgressBar(borderSize, height-borderSize, width-borderSize*2);
  mBar.setTitle("Duty Cycle");    //set the ProgressBar's title
  btn = new BUTTON(45, height - 90, 50, 30);   //define the button
  btn.setBgColor(0, 255, 0);  //set button color
  btn.setText("CW");          //set button text
}

void draw() {
  background(255);
  titleAndSiteInfo();  //title and site information
  strokeWeight(4);    //border weight
  mBar.create();      //create the ProgressBar
  motor.start(motorDir, (int)(mBar.progress*100));  //control the motor starts to rotate
  btn.create();      //create the button
  rotaSpeed = mBar.progress * 0.02 * PI;  //virtual fan's rotating speed
  if (motorDir == motor.CW) {
    rotaPosition += rotaSpeed;
    if (rotaPosition >= 2*PI) {
      rotaPosition = 0;
    }
  } else {
    rotaPosition -= rotaSpeed;
    if (rotaPosition <= -2*PI) {
      rotaPosition = 0;
    }
  }
  drawFan(rotaPosition);    //show the virtual fan in Display window
}
//Draw a clover fan according to the stating angle
void drawFan(float angle) {
  constrain(angle, 0, 2*PI);
  fill(0);
  for (int i=0; i<3; i++) {
    arc(width/2, height/2, 200, 200, 2*i*PI/3+angle, (2*i+0.3)*PI/3+angle, PIE);
  }
  fill(0);
  ellipse(width/2, height/2, 30, 30);
  fill(128);
  ellipse(width/2, height/2, 15, 15);
}
```

```
55
56  void mousePressed() {
57    if ( (mouseY< mBar.y+5) && (mouseY>mBar.y-5) ) {
58      mMouse = true;    //the mouse click the progressBar
59    } else if ((mouseY< btn.y+btn.h) && (mouseY>btn.y)
60      && (mouseX< btn.x+btn.w) && (mouseX>btn.x)) { // the mouse click the button
61      if (motorDir == motor.CW) {    //change the direction of rotation of motor
62        motorDir = motor.CCW;
63        btn.setBgColor(255, 0, 0);
64        btn.setText("CCW");
65      } else if (motorDir == motor.CCW) {
66        motorDir = motor.CW;
67        btn.setBgColor(0, 255, 0);
68        btn.setText("CW");
69      }
70    }
71  }
72  void mouseReleased() {
73    mMouse  = false;
74  }
75  void mouseDragged() {
76    int a = constrain(mouseX, borderSize, width - borderSize);
77    float t = map(a, borderSize, width - borderSize, 0.0, 1.0);
78    if (mMouse) {
79      mBar.setProgress(t);
80    }
81  }
82  void titleAndSiteInfo() {
83    fill(0);
84    textAlign(CENTER);    //set the text centered
85    textSize(40);         //set text size
86    text("Motor", width / 2, 40);    //title
87    textSize(16);
88    text("www.freenove.com", width / 2, height - 20);    //site
89  }
```

First define the GPIO pin connected to the Motor, motor class object, the L293D class object, the ProgressBar class object, the Button class object, and some variables.

```
int motorPin1 = 14;    //connect to the L293D
int motorPin2 = 15;
final int borderSize = 45;    //border size
//MOTOR Object
MOTOR motor = new MOTOR(motorPin1, motorPin2);
ProgressBar mBar;    //ProgressBar Object
```

```
boolean mMouse = false;    //determined whether a mouse click the ProgressBar
BUTTON btn;    //BUTTON Object, For controlling the direction of motor
int motorDir = motor.CW;    //motor direction
float rotaSpeed = 0, rotaPosition = 0;  //motor speed
```

Initialize the ProgressBar and Button in setup().

```
  mBar = new ProgressBar(borderSize, height-borderSize, width-borderSize*2);
  mBar.setTitle("Duty Cycle");    //set the ProgressBar's title
  btn = new BUTTON(45, height - 90, 50, 30);   //define the button
  btn.setBgColor(0, 255, 0);  //set button color
  btn.setText("CW");        //set button text
```

In function draw(), draw all the contents to be displayed. Then set the motor speed, as well as the speed of virtual fan according to the progress of progress bar. And set the motor direction according to the button flag.

```
void draw() {
  background(255);
  titleAndSiteInfo();  //title and site information
  strokeWeight(4);    //border weight
  mBar.create();      //create the ProgressBar
  motor.start(motorDir, (int)(mBar.progress*100));  //control the motor starts to rotate
  btn.create();      //create the button
  rotaSpeed = mBar.progress * 0.02 * PI;  //virtual fan's rotating speed
  if (motorDir == motor.CW) {
    rotaPosition += rotaSpeed;
    if (rotaPosition >= 2*PI) {
      rotaPosition = 0;
    }
  } else {
    rotaPosition -= rotaSpeed;
    if (rotaPosition <= -2*PI) {
      rotaPosition = 0;
    }
  }
  drawFan(rotaPosition);    //show the virtual fan in Display window
}
```

In the mousePressed(), determine whether the Button is clicked on. If the mouse clicks on the Button, then change the motor direction and the text and color of Button. We have learned how to drag ProgressBar before, so here is no introduction.

```
else if ((mouseY< btn.y+btn.h) && (mouseY>btn.y)
    && (mouseX< btn.x+btn.w) && (mouseX>btn.x)) { // the mouse click the button
    if (motorDir == motor.CW) {    //change the direction of rotation of motor
      motorDir = motor.CCW;
      btn.setBgColor(255, 0, 0);
```

```
        btn.setText("CCW");
    } else if (motorDir == motor.CCW) {
        motorDir = motor.CW;
        btn.setBgColor(0, 255, 0);
        btn.setText("CW");
    }
```

Subfunction drawFan(float angle) is used to draw a three-blade fan, based on an initial angle. And the angle between each two blades is 120°. Changing the value of "angle" can make the fan rotate to different angles.

```
void drawFan(float angle) {
  constrain(angle, 0, 2*PI);
  fill(0);
  for (int i=0; i<3; i++) {
    arc(width/2, height/2, 200, 200, 2*i*PI/3+angle, (2*i+0.3)*PI/3+angle, PIE);
  }
  fill(0);
  ellipse(width/2, height/2, 30, 30);
  fill(128);
  ellipse(width/2, height/2, 15, 15);
}
```

Reference

class MOTOR

This is a custom class that is used to operate the motor controlled by L293D.

`public MOTOR(int pin1, int pin2, int enablePin)`

Constructor, the first two parameters are GPIO pins connected to the L293D pin, and the enablePin is used to create a PWM pin within the range of 0-100 and with frequency of 100Hz.

`public void start(int dir, int speed)`

Used to drive motor. Parameter dir represents the rotation direction, whose value is CW, CCW, STOP. Parameter speed is used to decide the duty cycle of PWM. Its value is within the range of 0-100.

About class BUTTON:

class BUTTON

This is a custom class that is used to create a Button.

`public BUTTON(int ix, int iy, int iw, int ih)`

Constructor, used to create a BUTTON class object. The parameters are for the location and size of the button to be created.

`public void create()`

Used to draw Button.

`public void setBgColor(int ir, int ig, int ib)`

Used to set Button color.

`public void setText(String str)`

Used to set Button text.

`public void setTextColor(int ir, int ig, int ib)`

Used to set text color.

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Chapter 10 74HC595 & LED Bar Graph

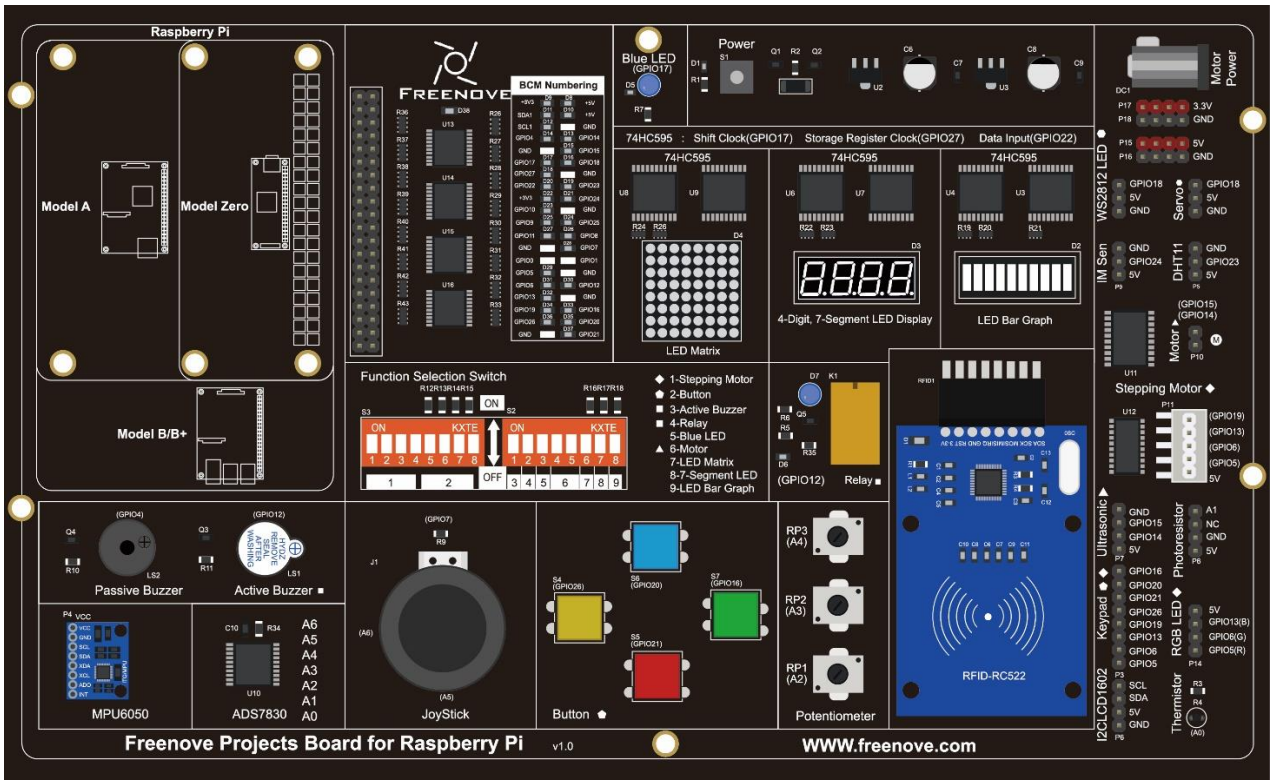
In this chapter, we will learn how to use 74HC595 chip to control Graph LED Bar.

Project 10.1 FollowLight

In this chapter, we will use 74HC595 chip and LED Bar Graph to recreate a FollowLight.

Component List

Freenove Projects Board for Raspberry Pi



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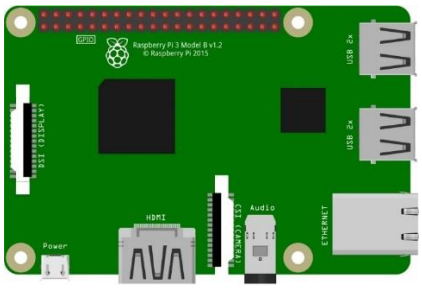
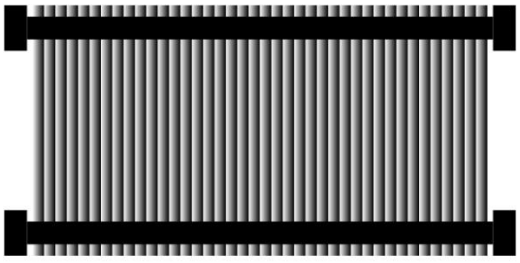
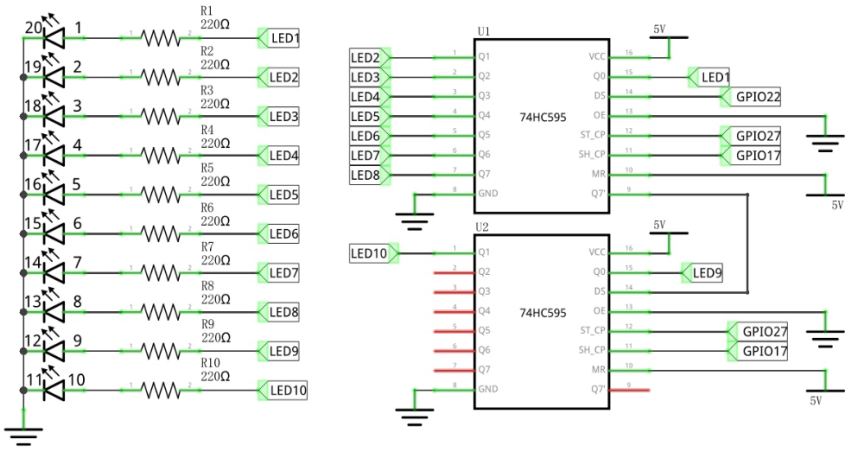
	

Bar Graph LED

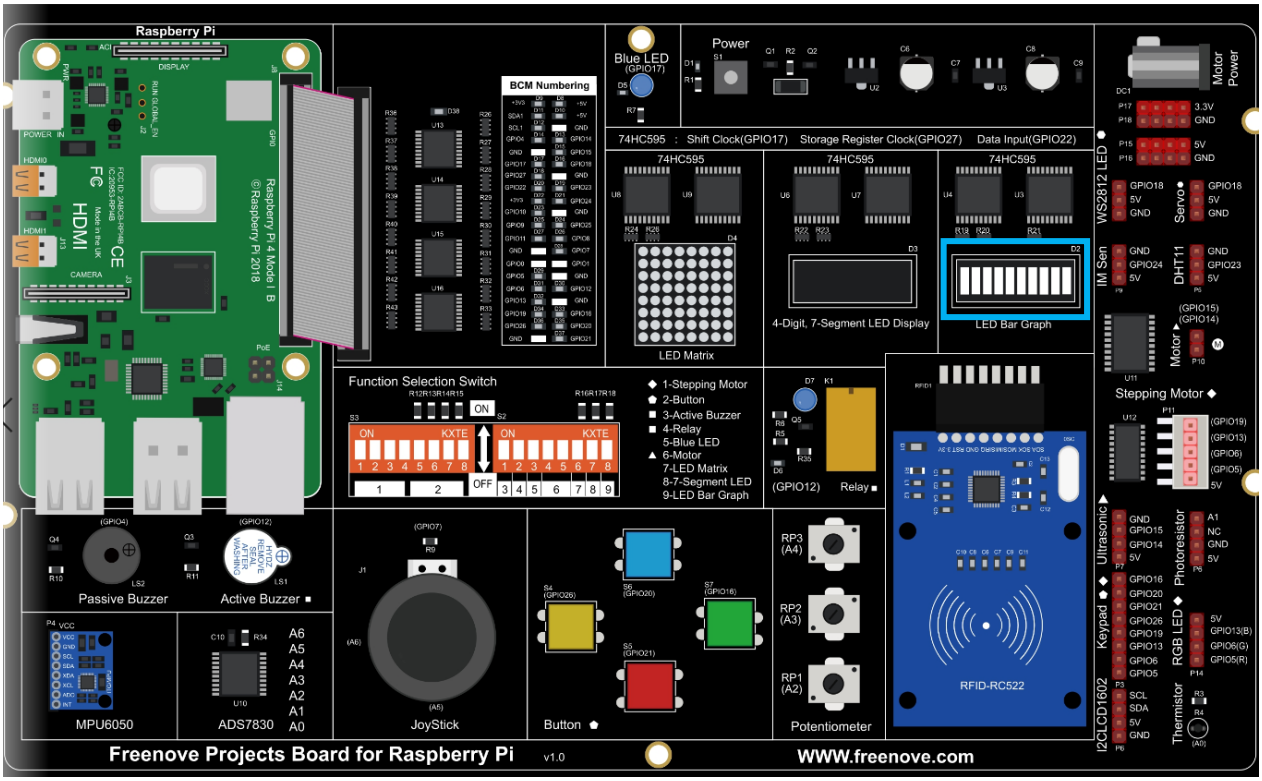
Circuit

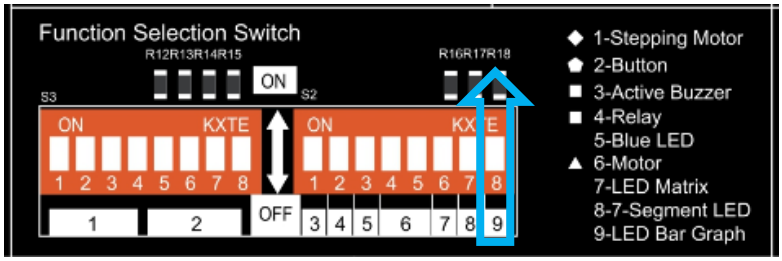
Schematic diagram



Hardware connection.

If it dosen't work, rotate LED bar graph for 180° .





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Sketch

Sketch 10.1.1 LightWater

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First, enter where the project is located:

```
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```
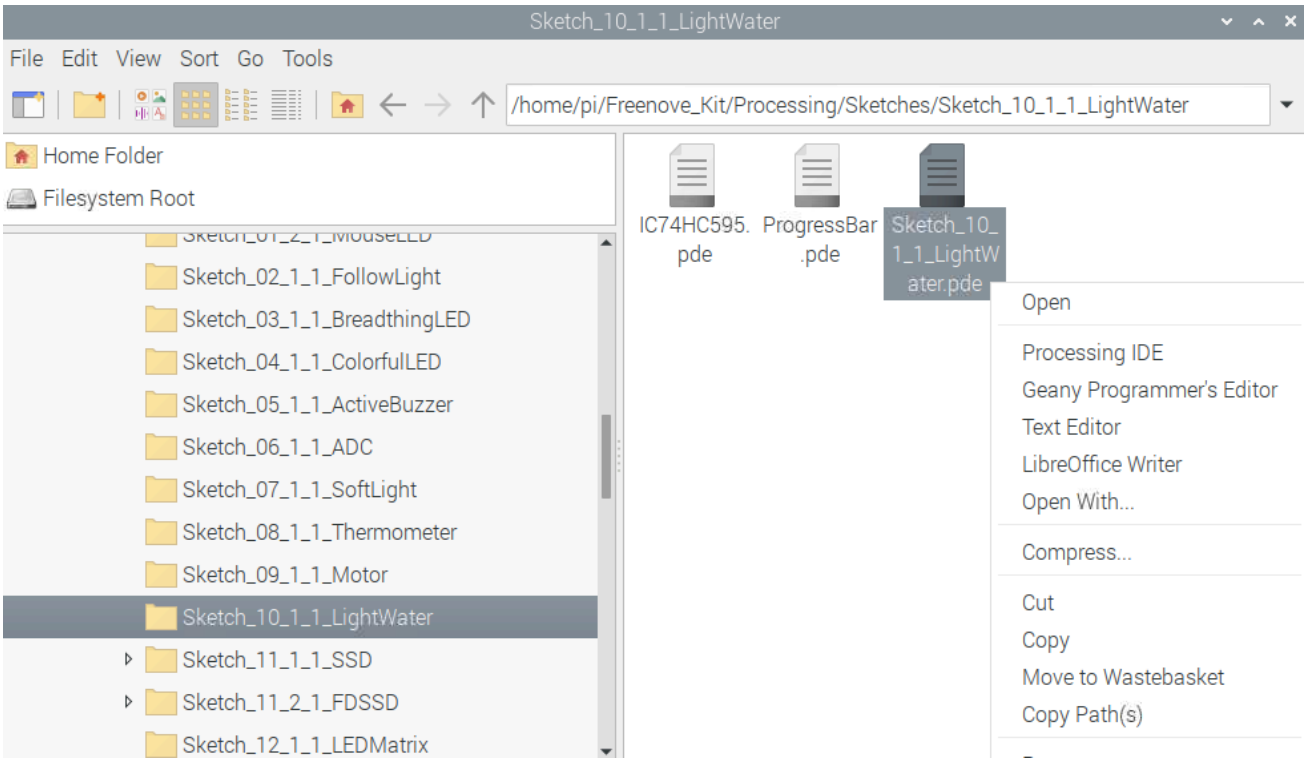
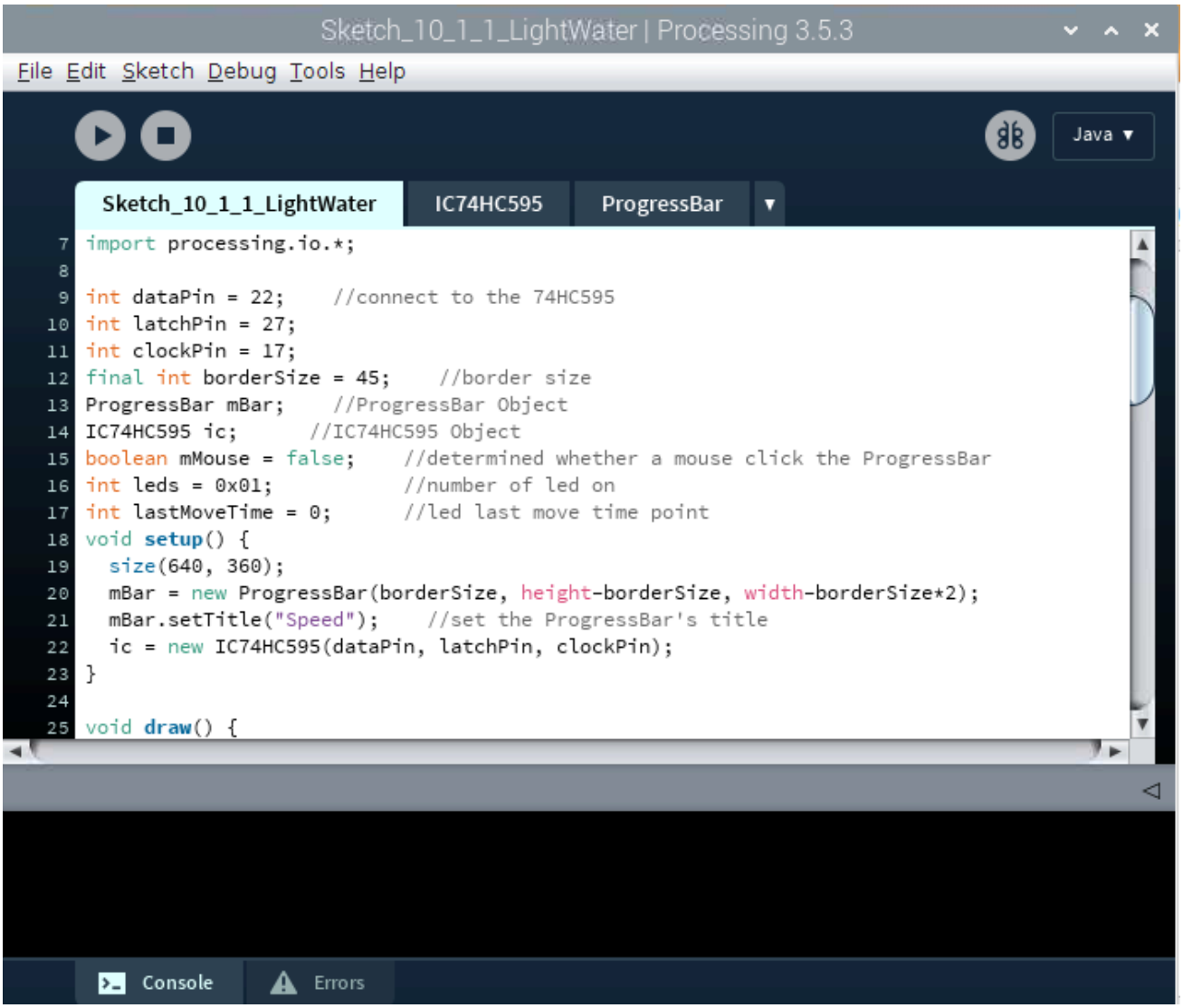
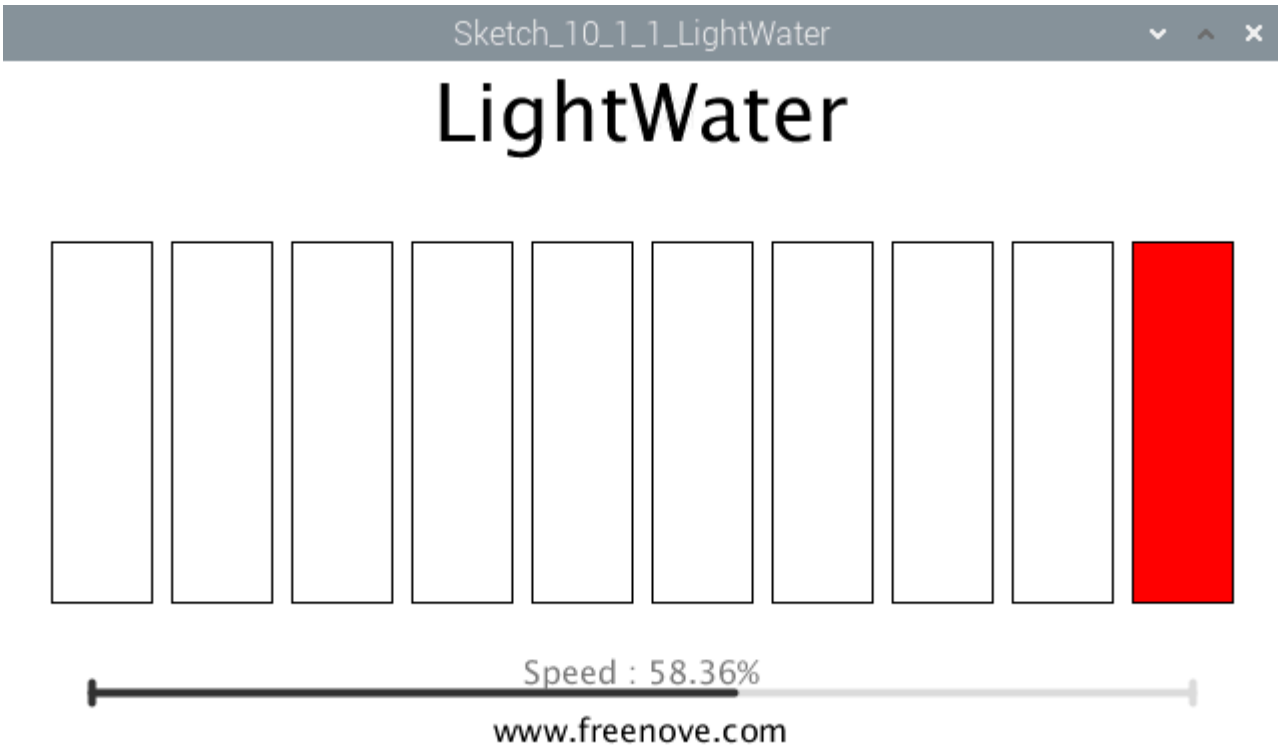

And then right-click to select Processing IDE



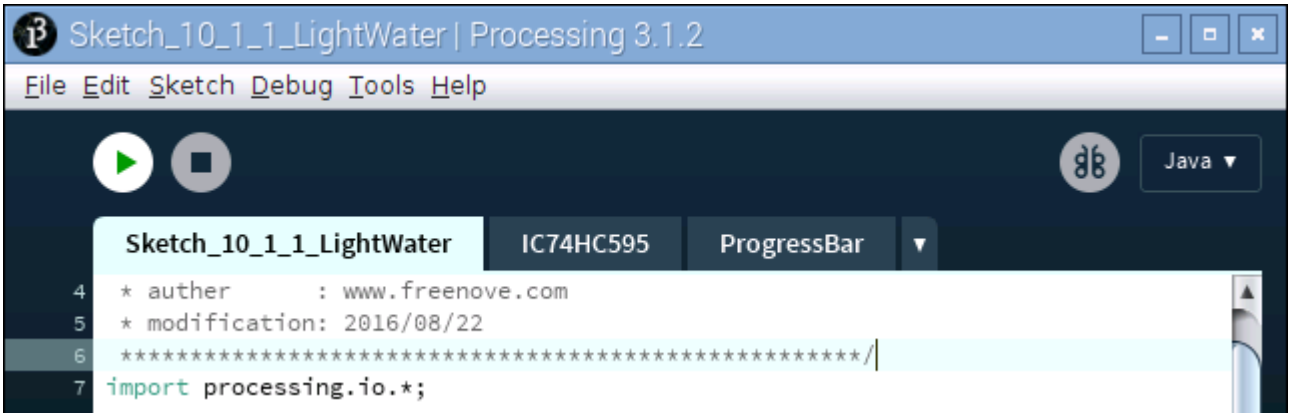
Open Processing and click Run。



The result is as shown below. LED bars will light up in turn. The speed can be controlled through the slider.



This project contains a lot of code files, and the core code is contained in the file Sketch_10_1_1_LightWater. The other files only contain some custom classes.



The following is program code:

```
1  import processing.io.*;
2
3  int dataPin = 22;    //connect to the 74HC595
4  int latchPin = 27;
5  int clockPin = 17;
6  final int borderSize = 45;    //border size
7  ProgressBar mBar;    //ProgressBar Object
8  IC74HC595 ic;      //IC74HC595 Object
9  boolean mMouse = false;    //determined whether a mouse click the ProgressBar
```

```
int leds = 0x01;           //number of led on
int lastMoveTime = 0;      //led last move time point
void setup() {
  size(640, 360);
  mBar = new ProgressBar(borderSize, height-borderSize, width-borderSize*2);
  mBar.setTitle("Speed");    //set the ProgressBar's title
  ic = new IC74HC595(dataPin, latchPin, clockPin);
}

void draw() {
  background(255);
  titleAndSiteInfo();  //title and site information
  strokeWeight(4);    //border weight
  mBar.create();      //create the ProgressBar
  //control the speed of lightwater
  if (millis() - lastMoveTime > 50/(0.05+mBar.progress)) {
    lastMoveTime = millis();
    leds<<=1;
    if (leds == 0x0400)
      leds = 0x0001;
  }
  ic.write(ic.LSBFIRST, leds);    //write 74HC595

  stroke(0);
  strokeWeight(1);
  for (int i=0; i<10; i++) {    //draw 10 rectanglar box
    if (leds == (1<<i)) {    //
      fill(255, 0, 0);        //fill the rectanglar box in red color
    } else {
      fill(255, 255, 255);  //else fill the rectanglar box in white color
    }
    rect(575-60*i, 90, 50, 180);    //draw a rectanglar box
  }
}

void mousePressed() {
  if ( (mouseY< mBar.y+5) && (mouseY>mBar.y-5) ) {
    mMouse = true;    //the mouse click the progressBar
  }
}
void mouseReleased() {
  mMouse  = false;
}
void mouseDragged() {
```

```
54    int a = constrain(mouseX, borderSize, width - borderSize);
55    float t = map(a, borderSize, width - borderSize, 0.0, 1.0);
56    if (mMouse) {
57      mBar.setProgress(t);
58    }
59  }
60  void titleAndSiteInfo() {
61    fill(0);
62    textAlign(CENTER);    //set the text centered
63    textSize(40);         //set text size
64    text("LightWater", width / 2, 40);    //title
65    textSize(16);
66    text("www.freenove.com", width / 2, height - 20);    //site
67  }
```

First define the GPIO pin connected to 74HC595, the ProgressBar class object, IC74HC595 class object, and some other variables.

```
int dataPin = 22;    //connect to the 74HC595
int latchPin = 27;
int clockPin = 17;
final int borderSize = 45;    //border size
ProgressBar mBar;    //ProgressBar Object
IC74HC595 ic;      //IC74HC595 Object
boolean mMouse = false;    //determined whether a mouse click the ProgressBar
int leds = 0x01;           //number of led on
int lastMoveTime = 0;      //led last move time point
```

In the function setup(), instantiate ProgressBar class object and IC74HC595 class object.

```
  mBar = new ProgressBar(borderSize, height-borderSize, width-borderSize*2);
  mBar.setTitle("Speed");    //set the ProgressBar's title
  ic = new IC74HC595(dataPin, latchPin, clockPin);
```

In the function draw(), set the background, text, and other information and draw the progress bar.

```
  background(255);
  titleAndSiteInfo();  //title and site information
  strokeWeight(4);    //border weight
  mBar.create();      //create the ProgressBar
```

Then according to the speed of followlight, calculate the data "leds" for 74HC595, and write it to 74HC595, then LEDBar Graph is turned on.

```
  if (millis() - lastMoveTime > 50/(0.05+mBar.progress)) {
    lastMoveTime = millis();
    leds<<=1;
    if (leds == 0x0400)
      leds = 0x0001;
  }
  ic.write(ic.LSBFIRST, leds);    //write 74HC595
```

Finally, according to the variable leds, draw the virtual LEDBar Graph on Display Window.

```
stroke(0);
  strokeWeight(1);
  for (int i=0; i<10; i++) {    //draw 10 rectanglar box
    if (leds == (1<<i)) {    //
      fill(255, 0, 0);        //fill the rectanglar box in red color
    } else {
      fill(255, 255, 255);  //else fill the rectanglar box in white color
    }
    rect(25+60*i, 90, 50, 180);    //draw a rectanglar box
  }
```

About class IC74HC595:

class IC74HC595

This is a custom class that is used to operate integrated circuit 74HC595.

```
public IC74HC595(int dPin, int lPin, int cPin)
```

Constructor. The parameters are for the GPIO pins connected to 74HC595.

```
public void write(int order,int value)
```

Used to write data to 74HC595, and the 74HC595 output port will output these data immediately.

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Chapter 11 74HC595 & Seven-segment display.

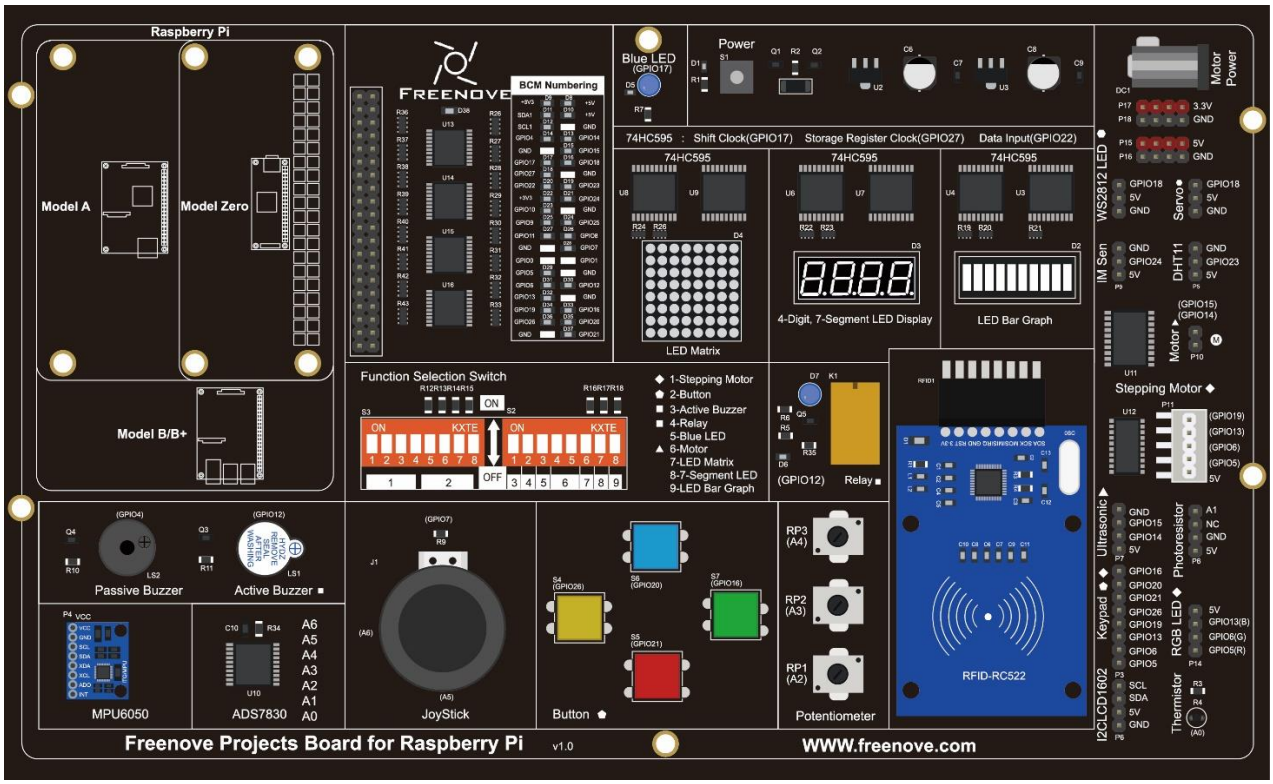
In this chapter, we will learn a new component, Seven-segment display (SSD).

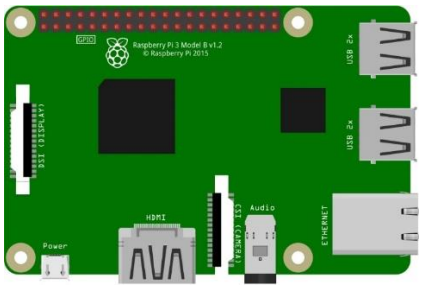
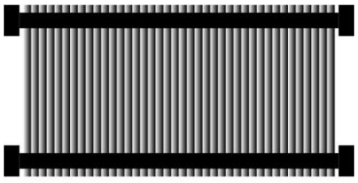
Project 11.1 Seven -segment display.

We will control the 4-digit 7-segement display to display number 0-9 through 74HC595.

Component List

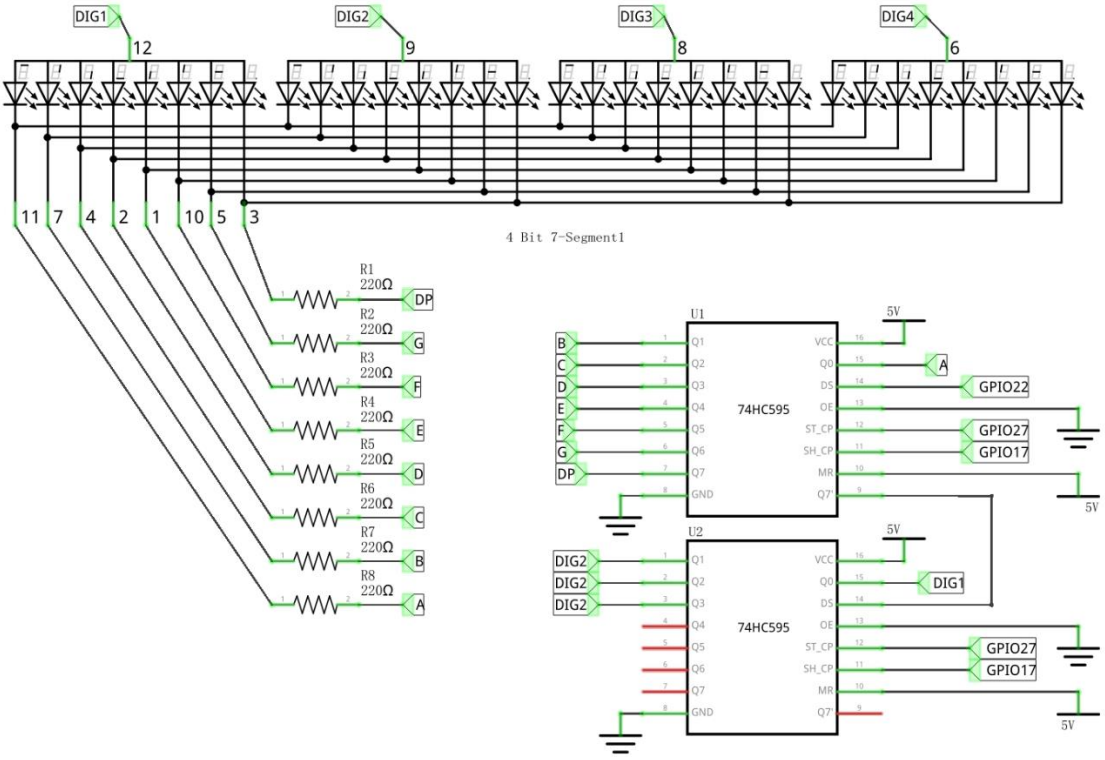
Freenove Projects Board for Raspberry Pi



Raspberry Pi	GPIO Ribbon Cable	4-Digit 7-Segment Display
		

Circuit

Schematic diagram



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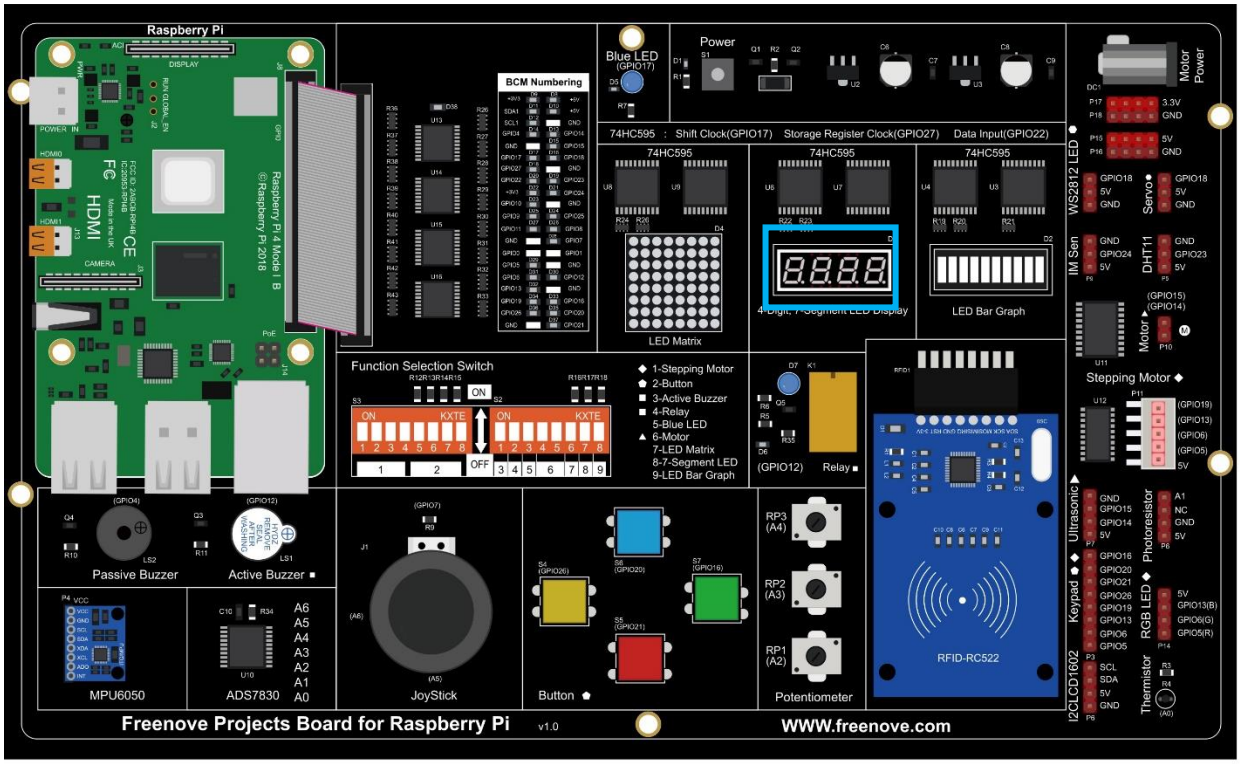

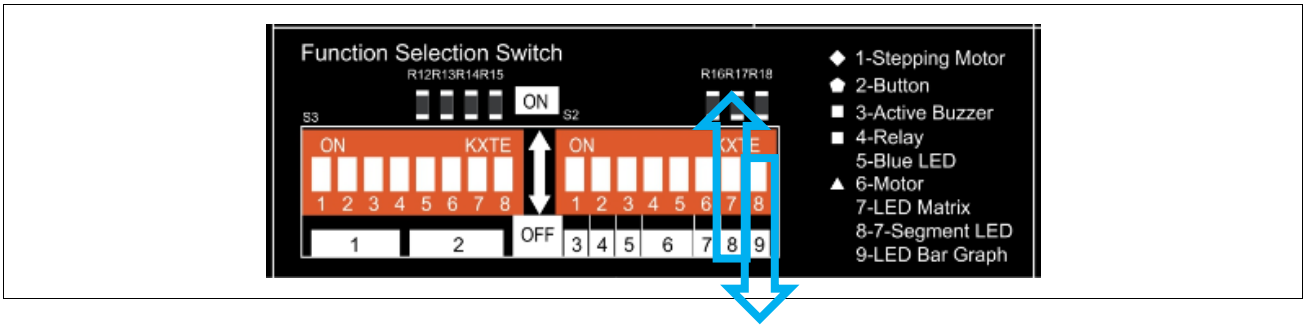

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Sketch

In this project, open an independent thread to control the FDSSD. The uncertainty of the system time slice allocation may lead FDSS to flash on the display, which is a normal phenomenon. For details about display principle of FDSSD, please refer to our C and Python manual.

Sketch 11.1.1 SSD

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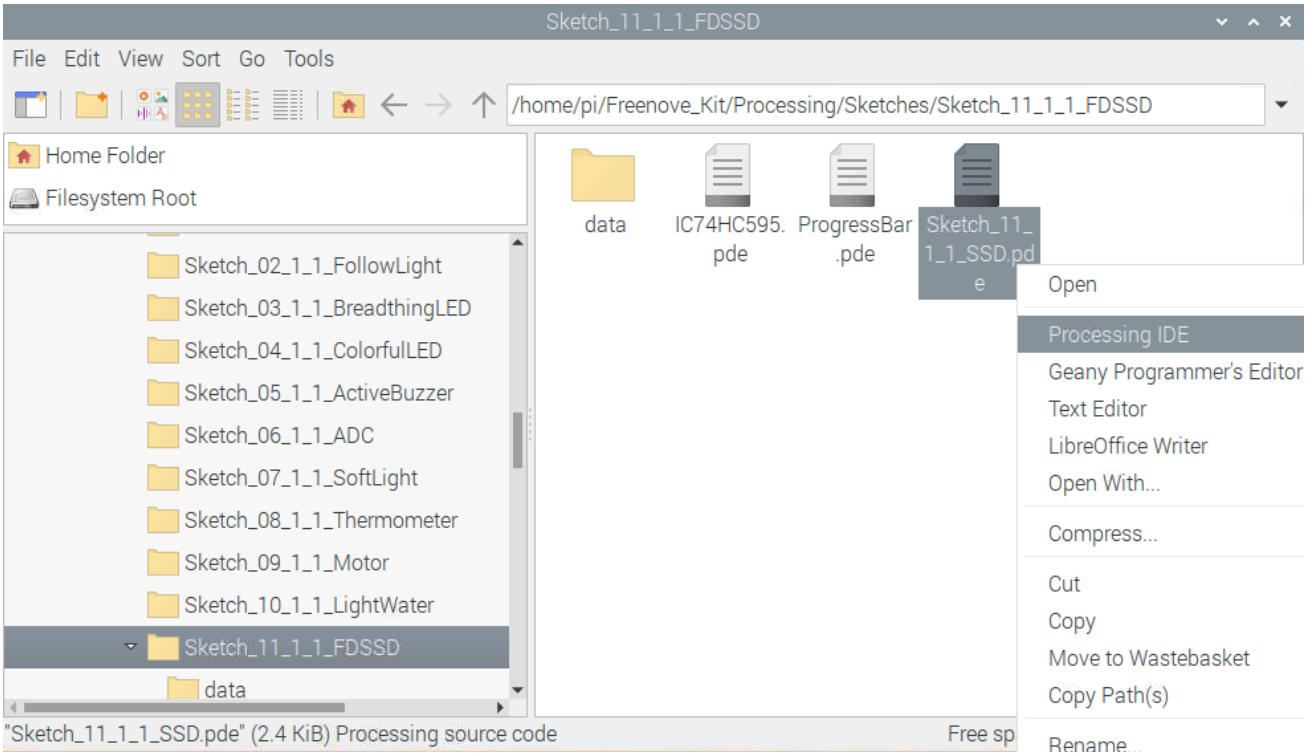
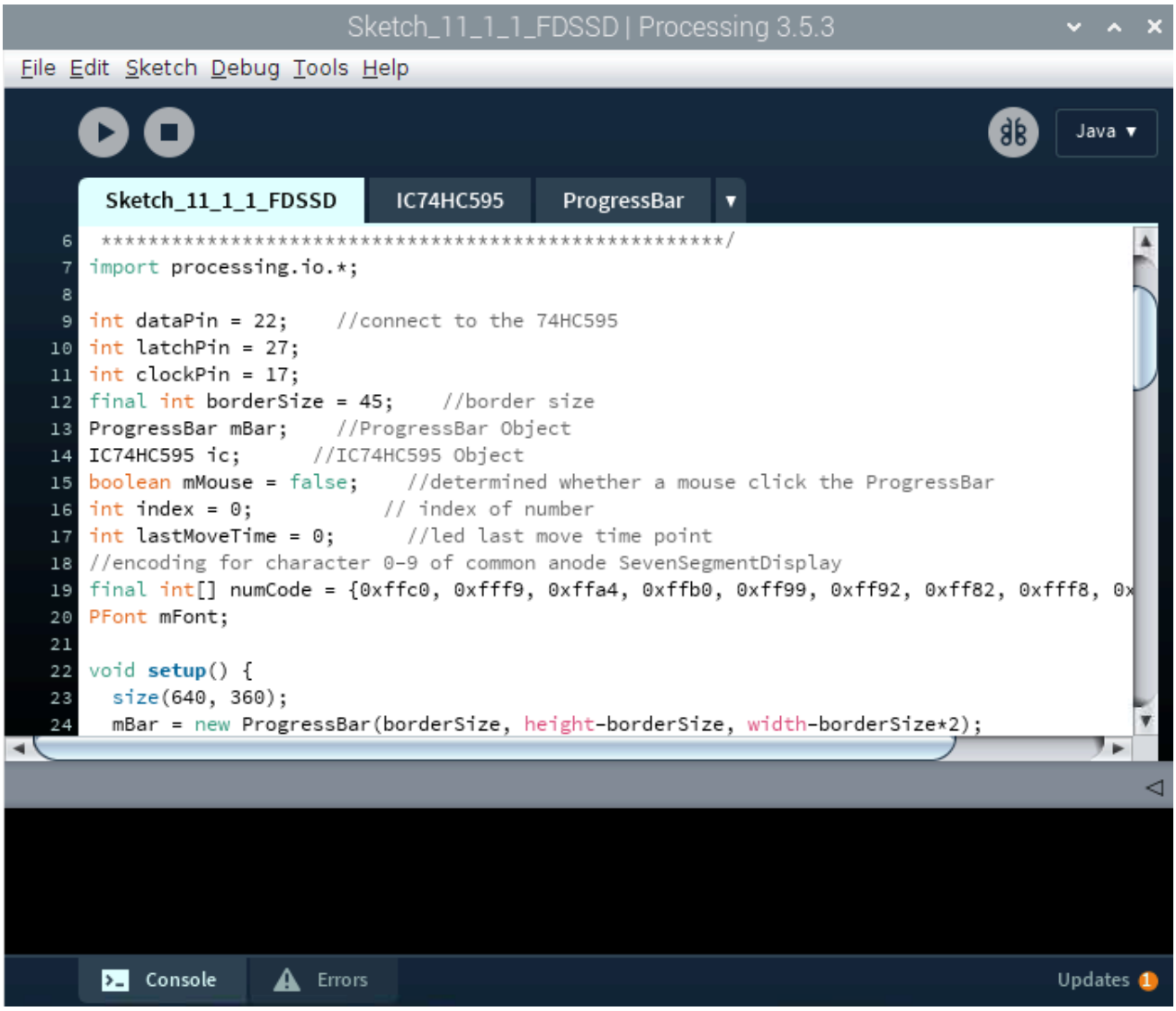
First, enter where the project is located:

```
/home/pi/Freenove_Kit/Processing/Sketches/Sketch_11_1_1_FDSSD
```

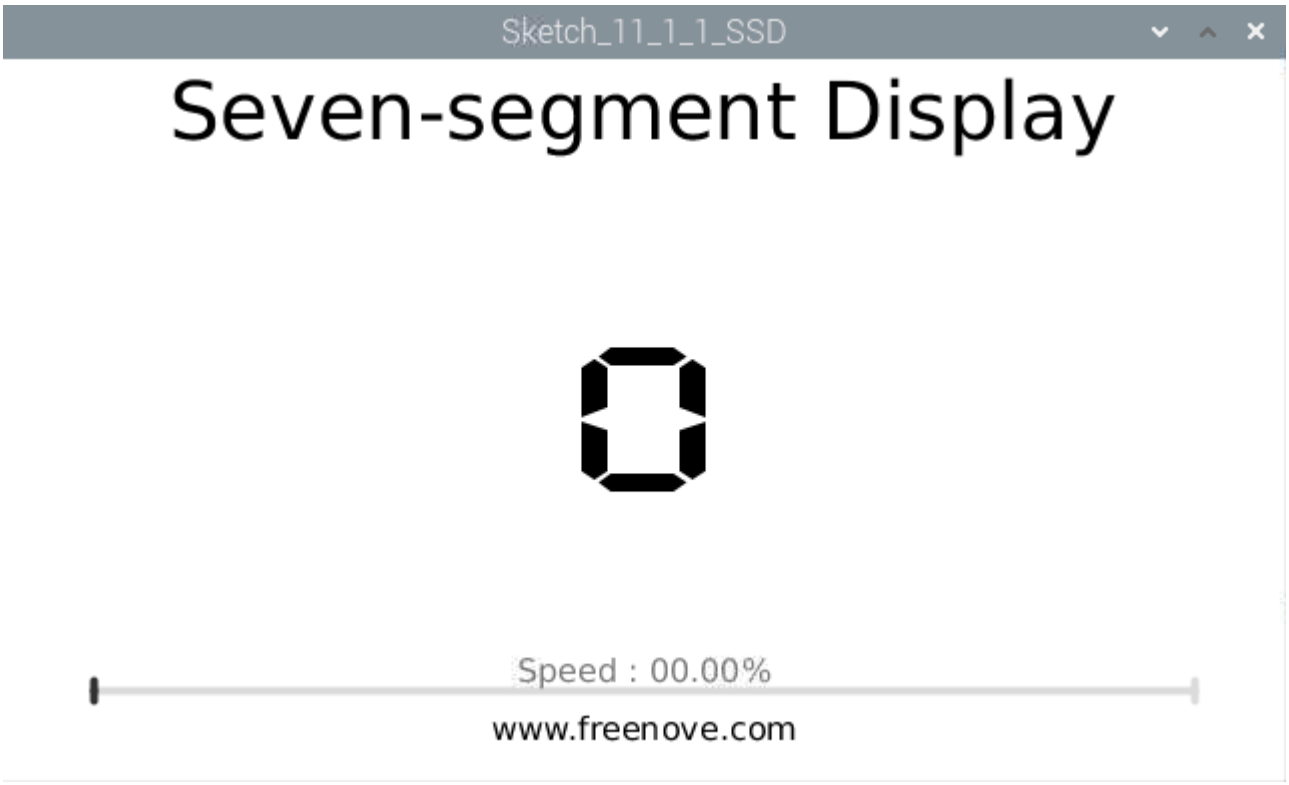
And then right-click to select Processing IDE



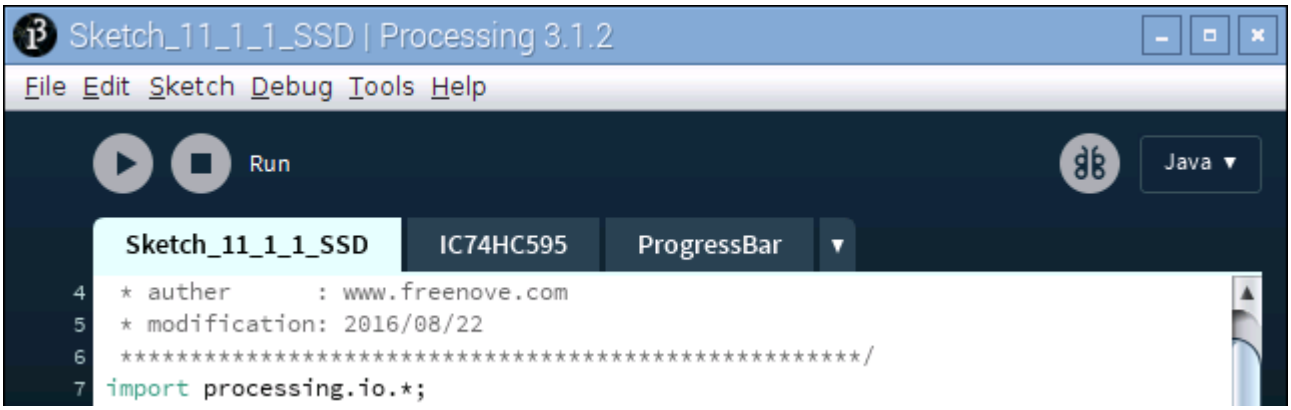
Open Processing and click Run



The result is as shown below. It will display 0-9 in circle. The speed can be changed by dragging the slider.



This project contains a lot of code files, and the core code is contained in the file Sketch_11_1_1_SSD. The other files only contain some custom classes.



The following is program code:

```
1  import processing.io.*;
2
3  int dataPin = 22;    //connect to the 74HC595
4  int latchPin = 27;
5  int clockPin = 17;
6  final int borderSize = 45;    //border size
7  ProgressBar mBar;    //ProgressBar Object
8  IC74HC595 ic;      //IC74HC595 Object
9  boolean mMouse = false;    //determined whether a mouse click the ProgressBar
```

```
int index = 0;           // index of number
int lastMoveTime = 0;      //led last move time point
//encoding for character 0-9 of common anode SevenSegmentDisplay
final int[] numCode = {0xffc0, 0xfff9, 0xffa4, 0xffb0, 0xff99, 0xff92, 0xff82, 0xfff8, 0xff80,
0xff90};
PFont mFont;

void setup() {
  size(640, 360);
  mBar = new ProgressBar(borderSize, height-borderSize, width-borderSize*2);
  mBar.setTitle("Speed");    //set the ProgressBar's title
  ic = new IC74HC595(dataPin, latchPin, clockPin);
  mFont = loadFont("DigifaceWide-100.vlw");  //create DigifaceWide font
}

void draw() {
  background(255);
  titleAndSiteInfo();  //title and site information
  strokeWeight(4);    //border weight
  mBar.create();      //create the ProgressBar
  //control the speed of number change
  if (millis() - lastMoveTime > 50/(0.05+mBar.progress)) {
    lastMoveTime = millis();
    index++;
    if (index > 9) {
      index = 0;
    }
  }
  ic.write(ic.MSBFIRST, numCode[index]);    //write 74HC595
  showNum(index);    //show the number in dispaly window
}
void showNum(int num) {
  fill(0);
  textSize(100);
  textFont(mFont);    //digiface font
  textAlign(CENTER, CENTER);
  text(num, width/2, height/2);
}
void mousePressed() {
  if ( (mouseY< mBar.y+5) && (mouseY>mBar.y-5) ) {
    mMouse = true;    //the mouse click the progressBar
  }
}
void mouseReleased() {
```

```
54    mMouse  = false;
55  }
56  void mouseDragged() {
57    int a = constrain(mouseX, borderSize, width - borderSize);
58    float t = map(a, borderSize, width - borderSize, 0.0, 1.0);
59    if (mMouse) {
60      mBar.setProgress(t);
61    }
62  }
63  void titleAndSiteInfo() {
64    fill(0);
65    textAlign(CENTER);    //set the text centered
66    textFont(createFont("", 100));  //default font
67    textSize(40);         //set text size
68    text("Seven-segment Display", width / 2, 40);    //title
69    textSize(16);
70    text("www.freenove.com", width / 2, height - 20);    //site
71  }
```

The project code is similar to that of the previous chapter. The difference is that in this project the data output by 74HC595 is the fixed coding information of FSSD. First, the character "0-9" is defined as code of common anode FSSD.

```
final int[] numCode = {0xffc0, 0xfff9, 0xffa4, 0xffb0, 0xff99, 0xff92, 0xff82, 0xfff8, 0xff80,
0xff90};
```

In the function draw(), the data is output at a certain speed. At the same time the Display Window outputs the same character.

```
  if (millis() - lastMoveTime > 50/(0.05+mBar.progress)) {
    lastMoveTime = millis();
    index++;
    if (index > 9) {
      index = 0;
    }
  }
  ic.write(ic.MSBFIRST, numCode[index]);    //write 74HC595
  showNum(index);    //show the number in dispaly window
```

By creating the font "mFont", we change the font of the characters on Display Window. The font ".vlw" file is created by clicking the "Create Font" on the menu bar, which is saved in the data folder of current Sketch.

```
PFont mFont;
……
mFont = loadFont("DigifaceWide-100.vlw");  //create DigifaceWide font
```

For more details about loadFont(), please refer to "Help→Reference→loadFont()" or the official website: https://processing.org/reference/loadFont_.html

By creating an empty font, you can reset the font to default font.

```
textFont(createFont("", 100));  //default font
```

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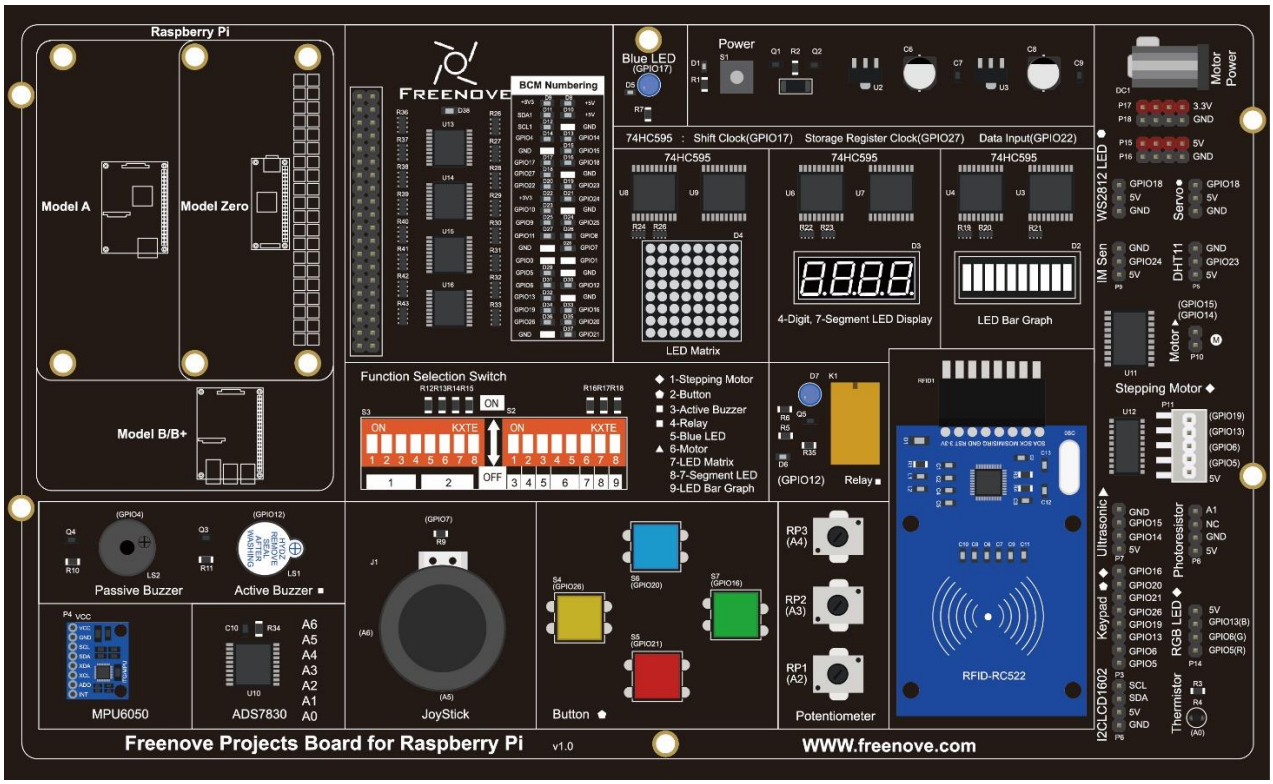
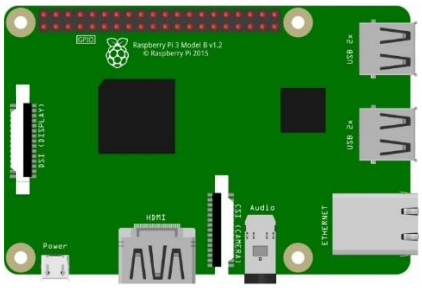
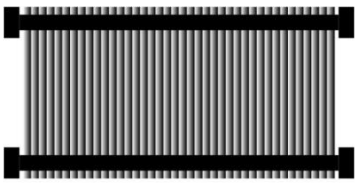
Project 11.2 4-digit Seven-segment display.

Now, let's learn to use 4-digit 7-segment display(FDSSD).

Component List

Freenove Projects Board for Raspberry Pi



Raspberry Pi	GPIO Ribbon Cable	4-Digit 7-Segment Display
		

Circuit

Schematic diagram The same as 17.1.
Hardware connection The same as 17.1.

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Sketch

In this project, open an independent thread to control the FDSSD. The uncertainty of the system time slice allocation may lead FDSS to flash on the display, which is a normal phenomenon. For details about display principle of FDSSD, please refer to our C and Python manual.

Sketch 11.2.1 FDSSD

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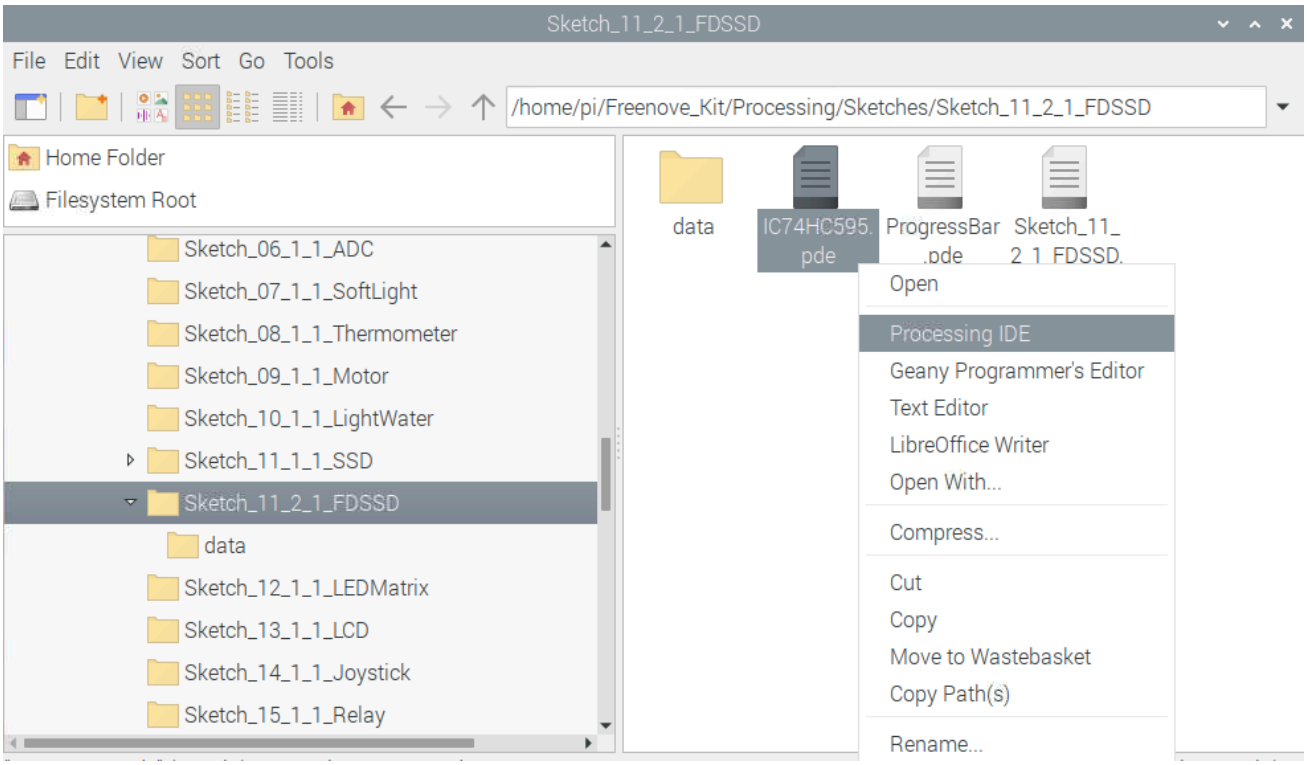
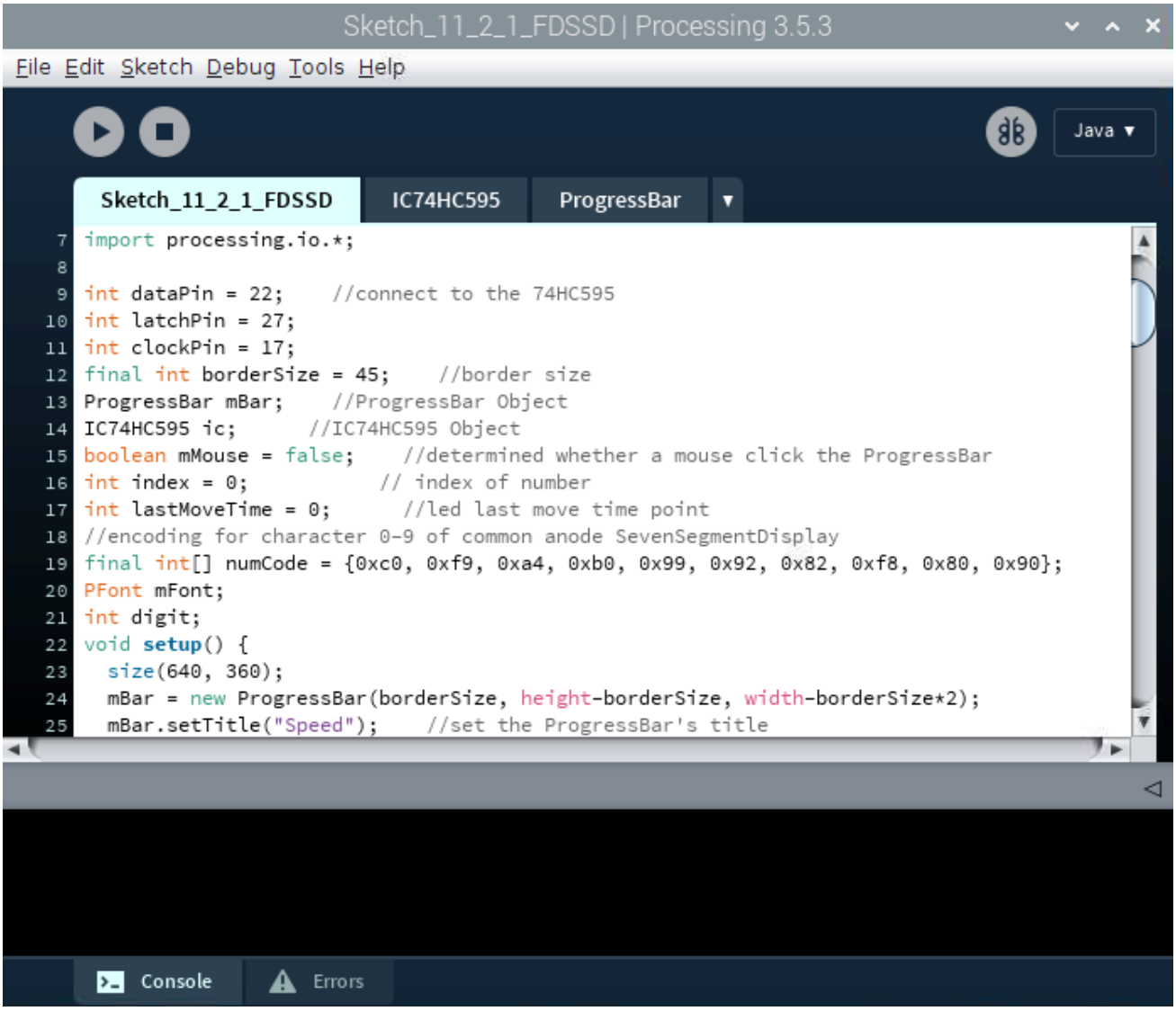
First, enter where the project is located:

```
/home/pi/Freenove_Kit/Processing/Sketches/Sketch_11_2_1_FDSSD
```

And then right-click to select Processing IDE

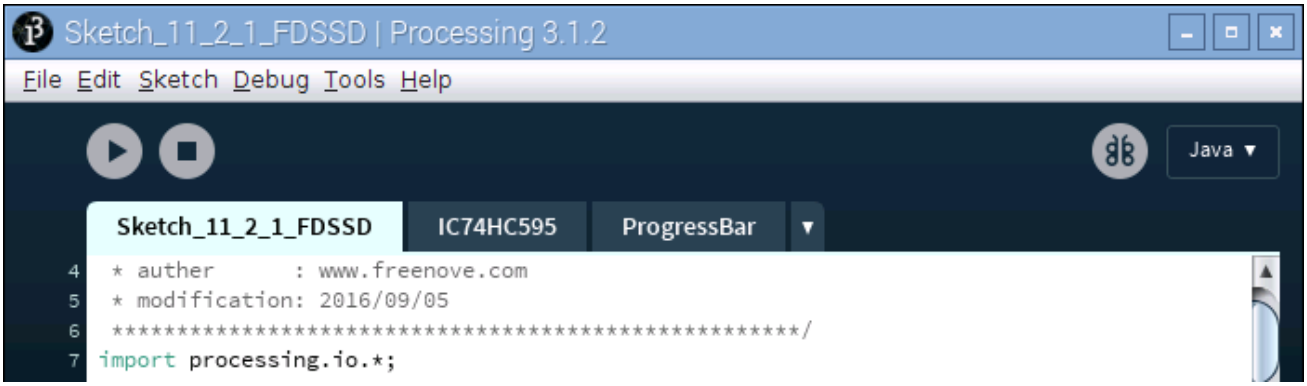


Open Processing and click Run



The result is as shown below. It will count from 0 to 9999. The speed can be changed by dragging the slider.

This project contains several code files, as shown below:



The following is program code:

```
import processing.io.*;

int dataPin = 22;    //connect to the 74HC595
int latchPin = 27;
int clockPin = 17;
final int borderSize = 45;    //border size
ProgressBar mBar;    //ProgressBar Object
IC74HC595 ic;      //IC74HC595 Object
boolean mMouse = false;    //determined whether a mouse click the ProgressBar
int index = 0;           // index of number
```

```
int lastMoveTime = 0;       //led last move time point
//encoding for character 0-9 of common anode SevenSegmentDisplay
final int[] numCode = {0xc0, 0xf9, 0xa4, 0xb0, 0x99, 0x92, 0x82, 0xf8, 0x80, 0x90};
PFont mFont;
int digit;
void setup() {
  size(640, 360);
  mBar = new ProgressBar(borderSize, height-borderSize, width-borderSize*2);
  mBar.setTitle("Speed");    //set the ProgressBar's title
  ic = new IC74HC595(dataPin, latchPin, clockPin);
  mFont = loadFont("DigifaceWide-100.vlw");  //create DigifaceWide font
  thread("displaySSD");
}

void draw() {
  background(255);
  titleAndSiteInfo();  //title and site information
  strokeWeight(4);    //border weight
  mBar.create();      //create the ProgressBar
  //control the speed of number change
  if (millis() - lastMoveTime > 50/(0.05+mBar.progress)) {
    lastMoveTime = millis();
    index++;
    if (index > 9999) {
      index = 0;
    }
  }
  //showNum(index);    //show the number in dispaly window
}
void showNum(int num) {
  fill(0);
  textSize(100);
  textFont(mFont);    //digiface font
  textAlign(CENTER, CENTER);
  text(nf(num,4,0), width/2, height/2);
}

void displaySSD() {
  while (true) {
    display(index);
  }
}
int selectDigit(int digit) {
  if (digit==0x01){
```

```
55      return (0x08<<8);
56      }
57    else if (digit==0x02){
58      return (0x04<<8);
59      }
60    else if (digit==0x04){
61      return (0x02<<8);
62      }
63    else if (digit==0x08){
64      return (0x01<<8);
65      }
66    else{
67      return (0xf0<<8);
68      }
69  }
70  void display(int dec) {
71
72    digit=selectDigit(0x01); //select the first, and display the single digit
73    ic.write(ic.MSBFIRST, numCode[dec%10]|digit);
74    delay(1);               //display duration
75
76    digit=selectDigit(0x02);  //select the second, and display the tens digit
77    ic.write(ic.MSBFIRST, numCode[dec%100/10]|digit);
78    delay(1);
79
80    digit=selectDigit(0x04);  //select the third, and display the hundreds digit
81    ic.write(ic.MSBFIRST, numCode[dec%1000/100]|digit);
82    delay(1);
83
84    digit=selectDigit(0x08);  //select the fourth, and display the thousands digit
85    ic.write(ic.MSBFIRST, numCode[dec%10000/1000]|digit);
86    delay(1);
87  }
88  void mousePressed() {
89    if ( (mouseY< mBar.y+5) && (mouseY>mBar.y-5) ) {
90      mMouse = true;    //the mouse click the progressBar
91    }
92  }
93  void mouseReleased() {
94    mMouse  = false;
95  }
96  void mouseDragged() {
97    int a = constrain(mouseX, borderSize, width - borderSize);
98    float t = map(a, borderSize, width - borderSize, 0.0, 1.0);
```

```
99    if (mMouse) {
100     mBar.setProgress(t);
101   }
102 }
103 void titleAndSiteInfo() {
104   fill(0);
105   textAlign(CENTER);    //set the text centered
106   textFont(createFont("", 100));  //default font
107   textSize(40);         //set text size
108   text("4-Digit 7-Segment Display", width / 2, 40);    //title
109   textSize(16);
110   text("www.freenove.com", width / 2, height - 20);    //site
111 }
```

In a separate thread, make the FDSSD display numbers in scan mode. Subfunction display() is used to make FDSSD display a four-digit number.

```
  thread("displaySSD");
......
void displaySSD() {
  while (true) {
    display(index);
  }
}
```

Other contents of the program are the same as the previous section "SSD".

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Chapter 12 74HC595 & LED Matrix

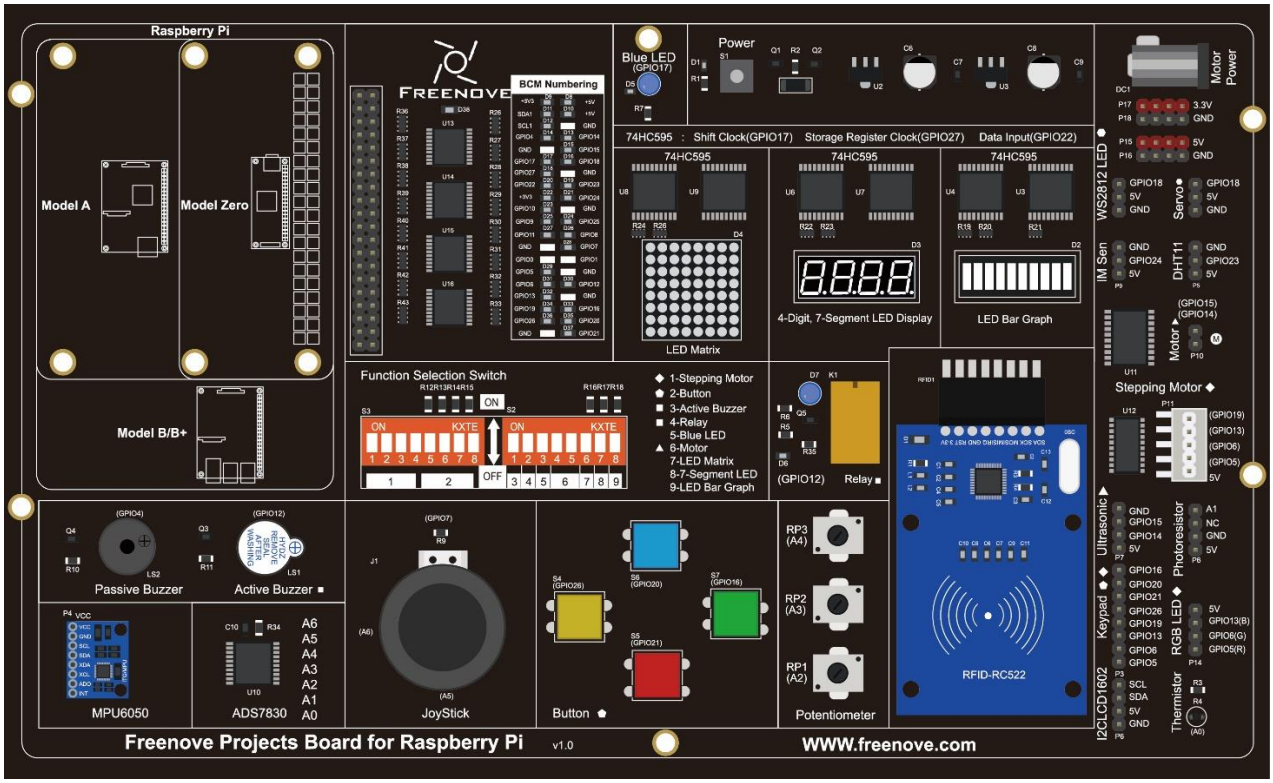
In this chapter, we will learn how to use 74HC595 to control more LEDs, LED Matrix.

Project 12.1 LED Matrix

In this project, we will use two 74HC595 chips to control a monochrome LEDMatrix (8*8) to make it display some graphics and characters.

Component List

Freenove Projects Board for Raspberry Pi x1



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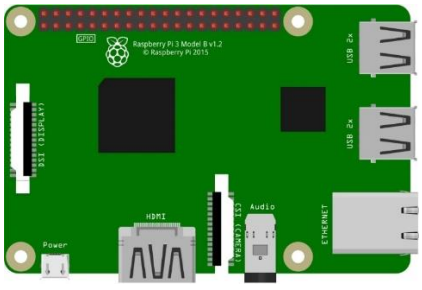
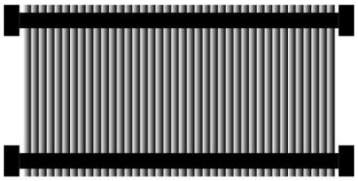
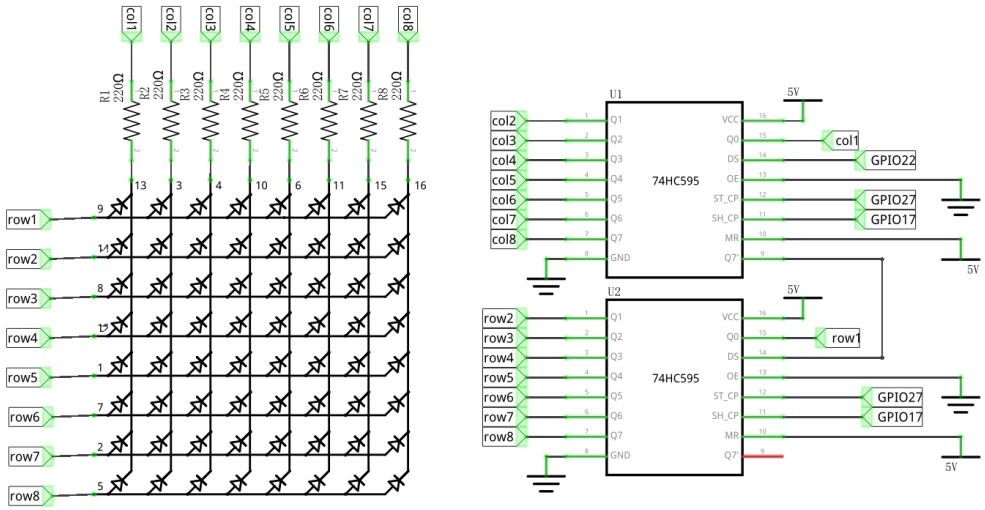
		

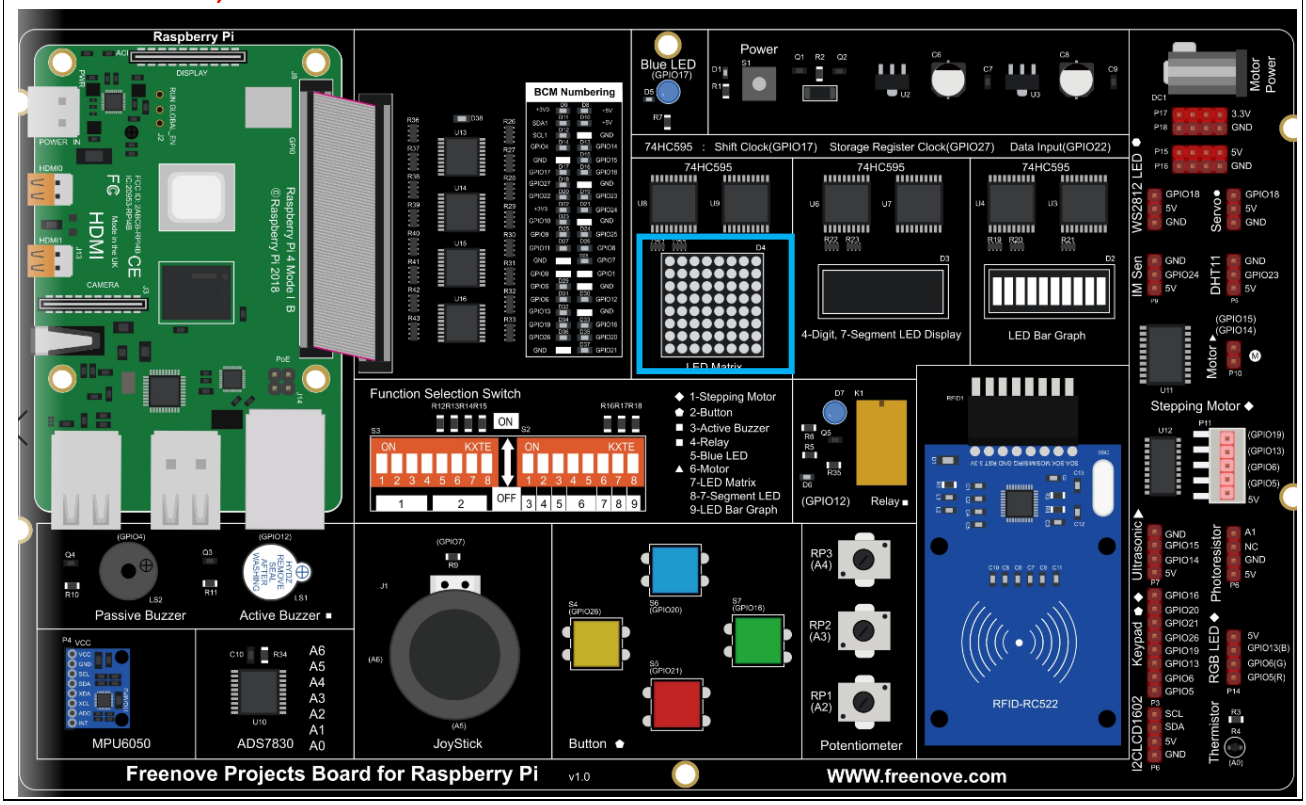
Circuit

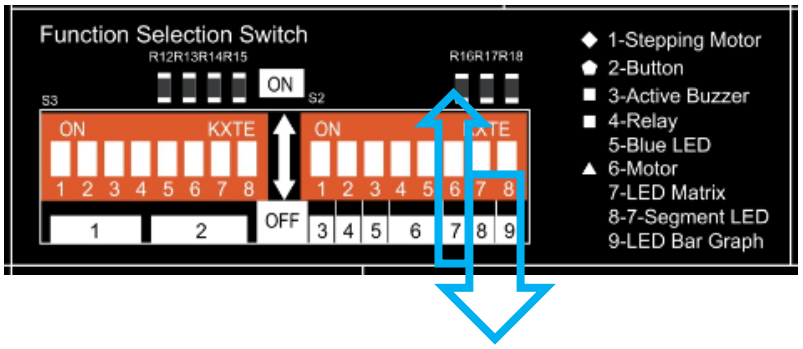
Schematic diagram



Hardware connection.

If it dosen't work, rotate the LED matrix for 180° .





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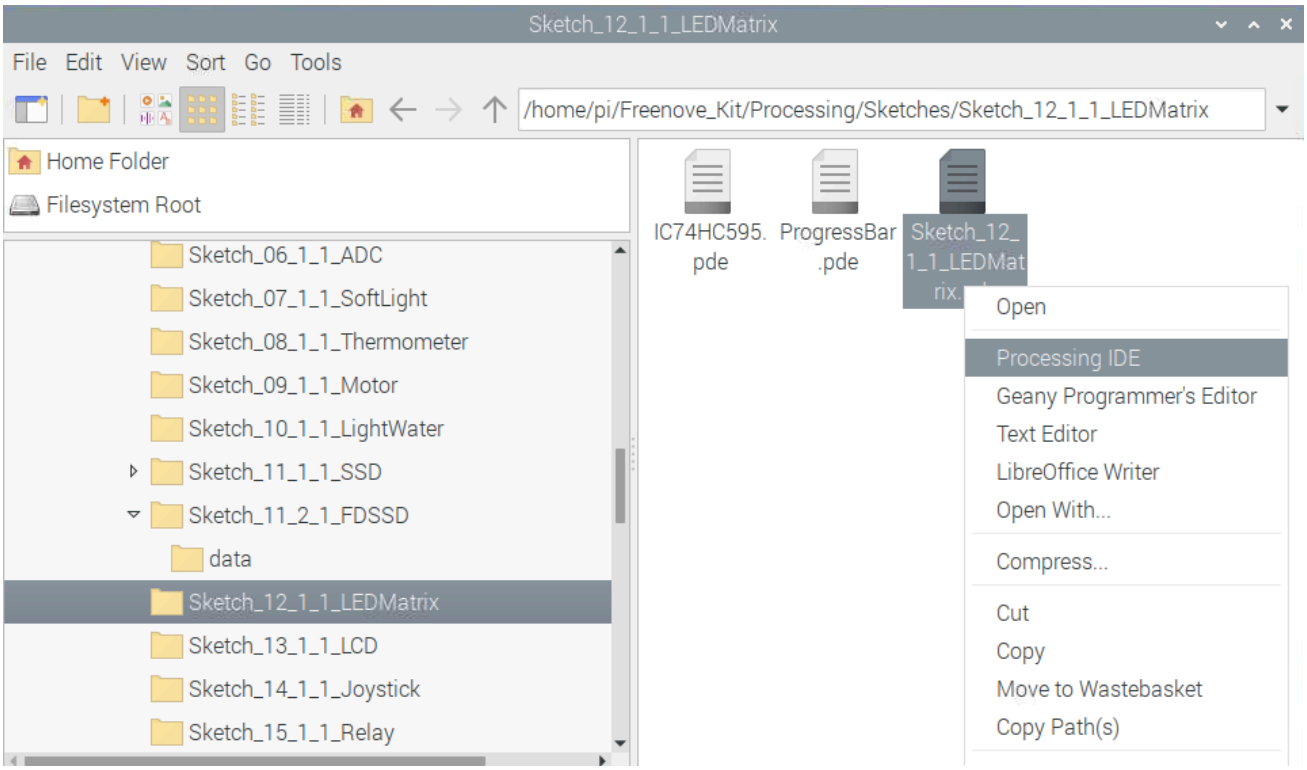
Sketch

Sketch 12.1.1 LEDMatrix

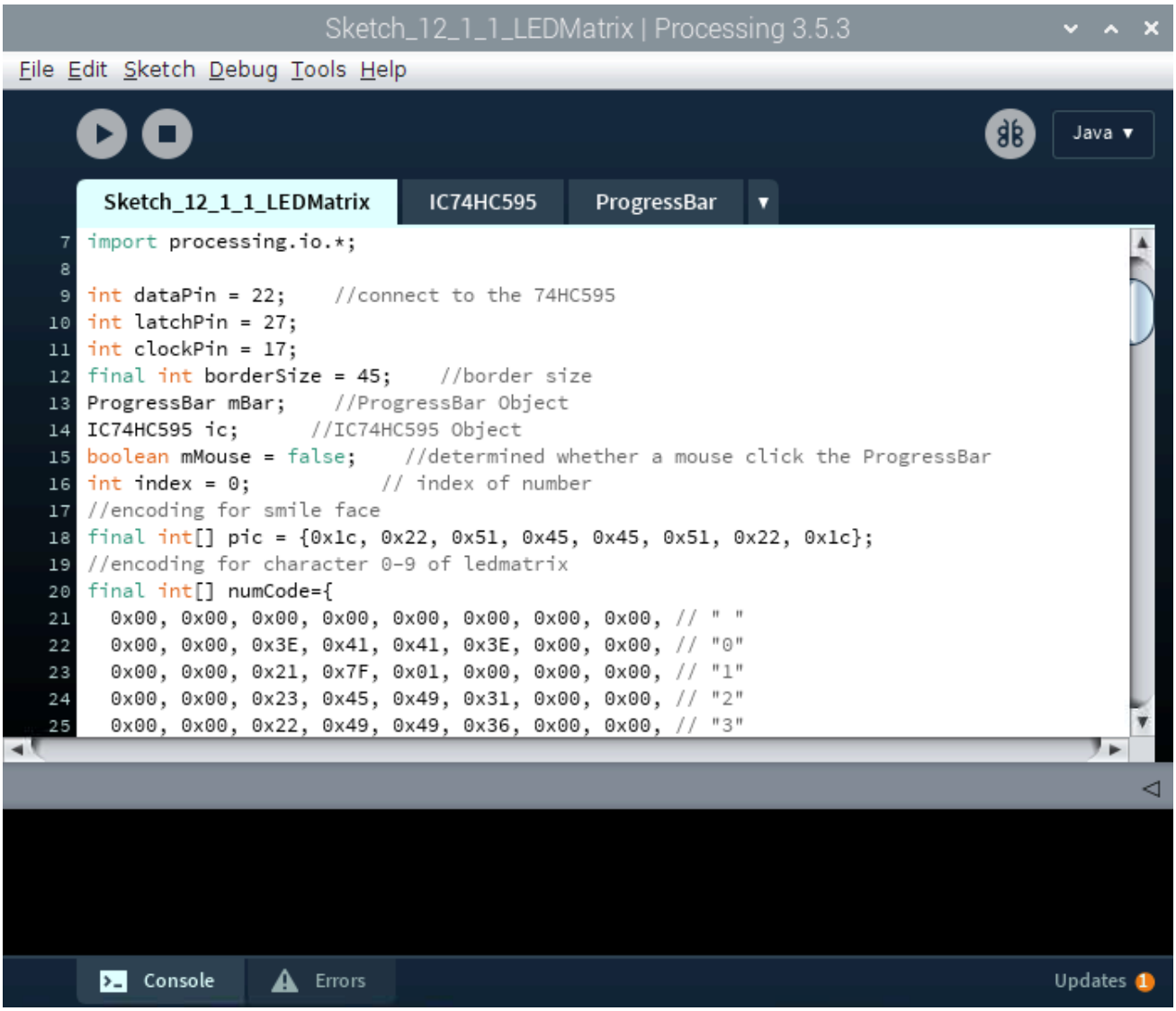
First, enter where the project is located:

```
/home/pi/Freenove_Kit/Processing/Sketches/Sketch_12_1_1_LEDMatrix
```

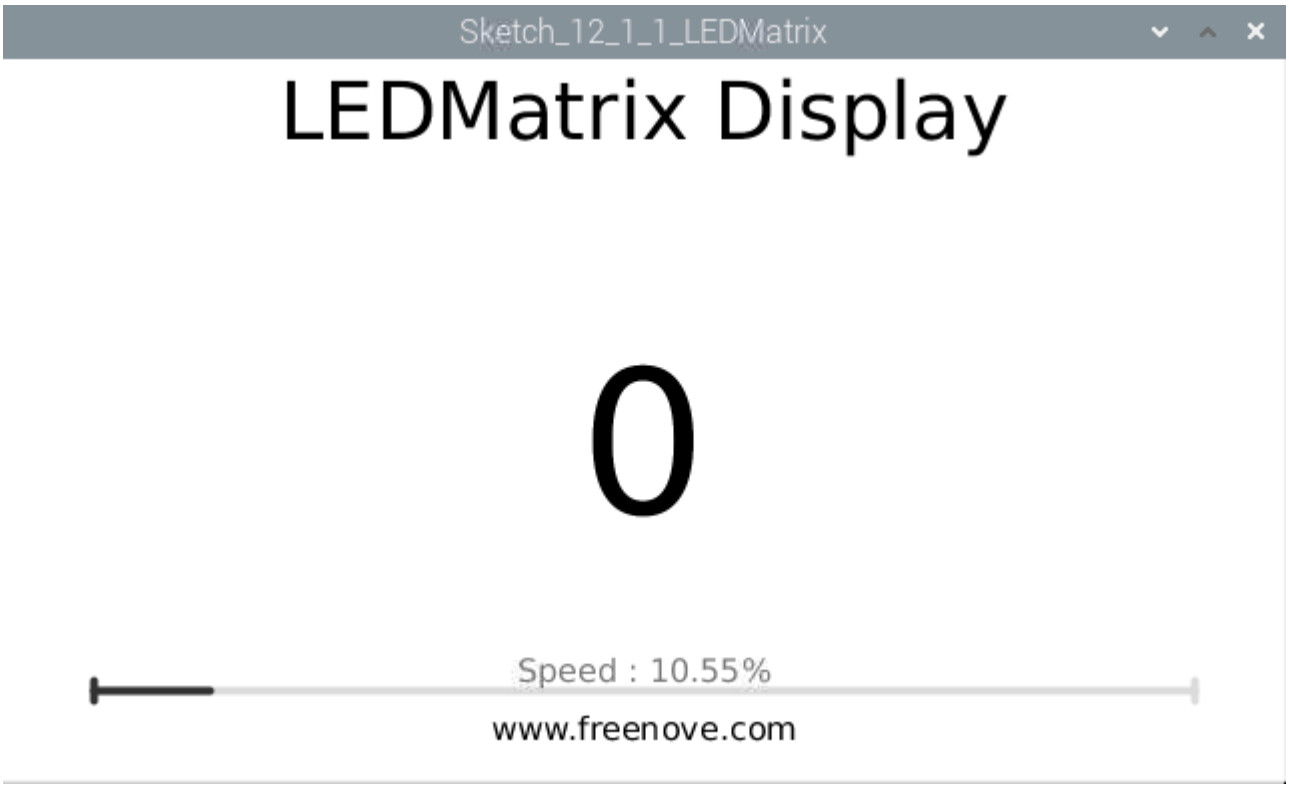
And then right-click to select Processing IDE



Open Processing and click Run



The result is as shown below. LED matrix will display a smiling face first and then character 0-F.
The speed can be changed by dragging the slider.



This project contains a lot of code files, and the core code is contained in the file Sketch_12_1_1_LEDMatrix. The other files only contain some custom classes.

The following is program code:

```
1  import processing.io.*;
2
3  int dataPin = 22;    //connect to the 74HC595
4  int latchPin = 27;
5  int clockPin = 17;
6  final int borderSize = 45;    //border size
7  ProgressBar mBar;    //ProgressBar Object
8  IC74HC595 ic;      //IC74HC595 Object
9  boolean mMouse = false;    //determined whether a mouse click the ProgressBar
```

```
int index = 0;           // index of number
//encoding for smile face
final int[] pic = {0x1c, 0x22, 0x51, 0x45, 0x45, 0x51, 0x22, 0x1c};
//encoding for character 0-9 of ledmatrix
final int[] numCode={
  0x00, 0x00, 0x00, 0x00, 0x00, 0x00, 0x00, 0x00, // " "
  0x00, 0x00, 0x3E, 0x41, 0x41, 0x3E, 0x00, 0x00, // "0"
  0x00, 0x00, 0x21, 0x7F, 0x01, 0x00, 0x00, 0x00, // "1"
  0x00, 0x00, 0x23, 0x45, 0x49, 0x31, 0x00, 0x00, // "2"
  0x00, 0x00, 0x22, 0x49, 0x49, 0x36, 0x00, 0x00, // "3"
  0x00, 0x00, 0x0E, 0x32, 0x7F, 0x02, 0x00, 0x00, // "4"
  0x00, 0x00, 0x79, 0x49, 0x49, 0x46, 0x00, 0x00, // "5"
  0x00, 0x00, 0x3E, 0x49, 0x49, 0x26, 0x00, 0x00, // "6"
  0x00, 0x00, 0x60, 0x47, 0x48, 0x70, 0x00, 0x00, // "7"
  0x00, 0x00, 0x36, 0x49, 0x49, 0x36, 0x00, 0x00, // "8"
  0x00, 0x00, 0x32, 0x49, 0x49, 0x3E, 0x00, 0x00, // "9"
  0x00, 0x00, 0x3F, 0x44, 0x44, 0x3F, 0x00, 0x00, // "A"
  0x00, 0x00, 0x7F, 0x49, 0x49, 0x36, 0x00, 0x00, // "B"
  0x00, 0x00, 0x3E, 0x41, 0x41, 0x22, 0x00, 0x00, // "C"
  0x00, 0x00, 0x7F, 0x41, 0x41, 0x3E, 0x00, 0x00, // "D"
  0x00, 0x00, 0x7F, 0x49, 0x49, 0x41, 0x00, 0x00, // "E"
  0x00, 0x00, 0x7F, 0x48, 0x48, 0x40, 0x00, 0x00, // "F"
  0x00, 0x00, 0x00, 0x00, 0x00, 0x00, 0x00, 0x00, // " "
};
myThread t = new myThread();    //create a new thread for ledmatrix
void setup() {
  size(640, 360);
  mBar = new ProgressBar(borderSize, height-borderSize, width-borderSize*2);
  mBar.setTitle("Speed");    //set the ProgressBar's title
  ic = new IC74HC595(dataPin, latchPin, clockPin);
  t.start();    //thread start
}

void draw() {
  background(255);
  titleAndSiteInfo();  //title and site information
  strokeWeight(4);    //border weight
  mBar.create();      //create the ProgressBar
  displayNum(hex(index, 1));    //show the number in dispaly window
}
class myThread extends Thread {
  public void run() {
    while (true) {
      showMatrix();    //show smile picture
```

```
54          showNum();      //show the character "0-F"
55        }
56      }
57    }
58    void showMatrix() {
59      for (int j=0; j<100; j++) {    //picture show time
60        int x=0x80;
61        for (int i=0; i<8; i++) {    //display a frame picture
62          GPIO.digitalWrite(latchPin, GPIO.LOW);
63          ic.shiftOut(ic.MSBFIRST, pic[i]);
64          ic.shiftOut(ic.MSBFIRST, ~x);
65          GPIO.digitalWrite(latchPin, GPIO.HIGH);
66          x>>=1;
67        }
68      }
69    }
70    void showNum() {
71      for (int j=0; j<numCode.length-8; j++) { //where to start showing
72        index = j/8;
73        for (int k =0; k<10*(1.2-mBar.progress); k++) {    //speed
74          int x=0x80;
75          for (int i=0; i<8; i++) {    //display a frame picture
76            GPIO.digitalWrite(latchPin, GPIO.LOW);
77            ic.shiftOut(ic.MSBFIRST, numCode[j+i]);
78            ic.shiftOut(ic.MSBFIRST, ~x);
79            GPIO.digitalWrite(latchPin, GPIO.HIGH);
80            x>>=1;
81          }
82        }
83      }
84    }
85    void displayNum(String num) {
86      fill(0);
87      textSize(100);
88      textAlign(CENTER, CENTER);
89      text(num, width/2, height/2);
90    }
91    void mousePressed() {
92      if ( (mouseY< mBar.y+5) && (mouseY>mBar.y-5) ) {
93        mMouse = true;    //the mouse click the progressBar
94      }
95    }
96    void mouseReleased() {
97      mMouse  = false;
```

```
}
void mouseDragged() {
  int a = constrain(mouseX, borderSize, width - borderSize);
  float t = map(a, borderSize, width - borderSize, 0.0, 1.0);
  if (mMouse) {
    mBar.setProgress(t);
  }
}
void titleAndSiteInfo() {
  fill(0);
  textAlign(CENTER);    //set the text centered
  textFont(createFont("", 100));  //default font
  textSize(40);        //set text size
  text("LEDMatrix Display", width / 2, 40);    //title
  textSize(16);
  text("www.freenove.com", width / 2, height - 20);    //site
}
```

In the code, first define the data of the smiling face and characters "0-F".

```
//encoding for smile face
final int[] pic = {0x1c, 0x22, 0x51, 0x45, 0x45, 0x51, 0x22, 0x1c};
//encoding for character 0-9 of ledmatrix
final int[] numCode={
......
};
```

Then create a new thread t. LEDMatrix scan display code will be executed in run() of this thread.

```
myThread t = new myThread();    //create a new thread for ledmatrix
......
class myThread extends Thread {
  public void run() {
    while (true) {
      showMatrix();    //show smile picture
      showNum();      //show the character "0-F"
    }
  }
}
```

The function setup(), defines size of Display Window, ProgressBar class objects and IC75HC595 class object, and starts the thread t.

```
void setup() {
  size(640, 360);
  mBar = new ProgressBar(borderSize, height-borderSize, width-borderSize*2);
  mBar.setTitle("Speed");    //set the ProgressBar's title
```

```
    ic = new IC74HC595(dataPin, latchPin, clockPin);
    t.start();     //thread start
}
```

In draw(), draw the relevant information and the current number to display.

```
void draw() {
    background(255);
    titleAndSiteInfo();  //title and site information
    strokeWeight(4);     //border weight
    mBar.create();       //create the ProgressBar
    displayNum(hex(index, 1));     //show the number in display window
}
```

Subfunction showMatrix () makes LEDMatrix display a smiling face pattern, which lasts for a period of time.

```
void showMatrix() {
    for (int j=0; j<100; j++) {     //picture show time
        int x=0x80;
        for (int i=0; i<8; i++) {     //display a frame picture
            GPIO.digitalWrite(latchPin, GPIO.LOW);
            ic.shiftOut(ic.MSBFIRST, pic[i]);
            ic.shiftOut(ic.MSBFIRST, ~x);
            GPIO.digitalWrite(latchPin, GPIO.HIGH);
            x>>=1;
        }
    }
}
```

Subfunction showNum() makes LEDMatrix scroll displaying character "0-F", in which the variable k is used to adjust the scrolling speed.

```
void showNum() {
  for (int j=0; j<numCode.length-8; j++) { //where to start showing
    index = j/8;
    for (int k =0; k<10*(1.2-mBar.progress); k++) {    //speed
      int x=0x80;
      for (int i=0; i<8; i++) {    //display a frame picture
        GPIO.digitalWrite(latchPin, GPIO.LOW);
        ic.shiftOut(ic.MSBFIRST, numCode[j+i]);
        ic.shiftOut(ic.MSBFIRST, ~x);
        GPIO.digitalWrite(latchPin, GPIO.HIGH);
        x>>=1;
      }
    }
  }
}
```

If you have more interests in LED matrix, you can download an interesting app to explore.
https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=com.vitogusmano.arduinoledmatrixanimator
If you have any concerns about the app, please contact with Vito Gusmano (vigus9000@gmail.com).

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Chapter 13 I2C-LCD1602

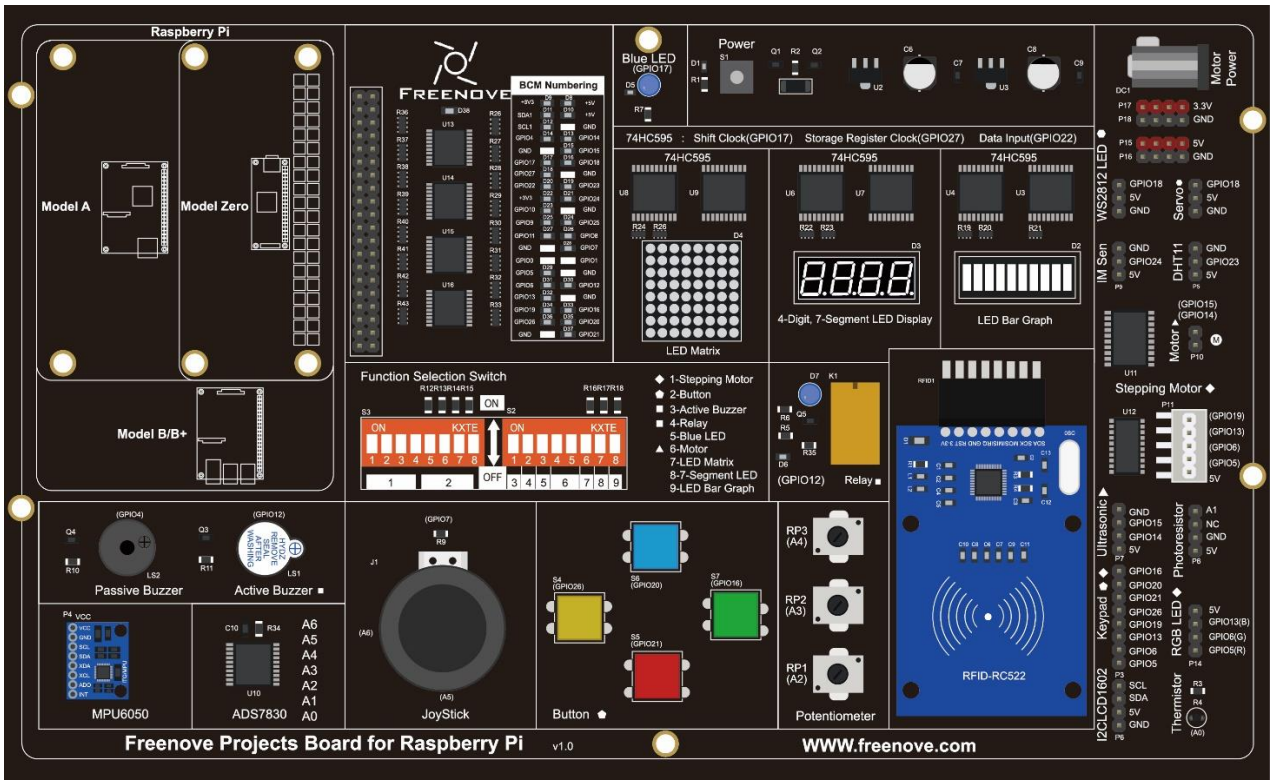
In this chapter, we will learn a display screen, LCD1602.

Project 13.1 LCD

In the project, the current time and date will be displayed on the LCD1602 and Display Window.

Component List

Freenove Projects Board for Raspberry Pi



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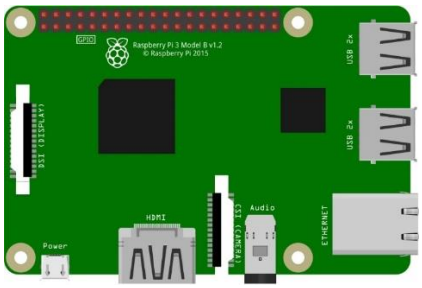

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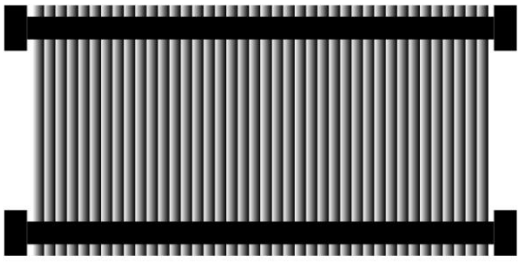
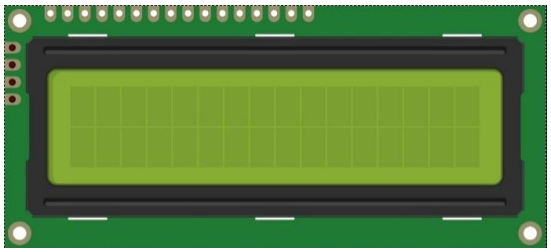
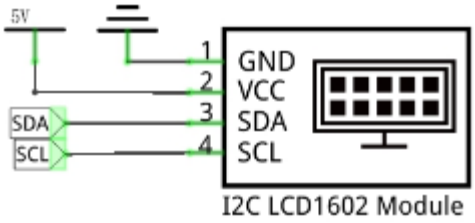


Jumper Wire	I2C LCD1602 Module
	

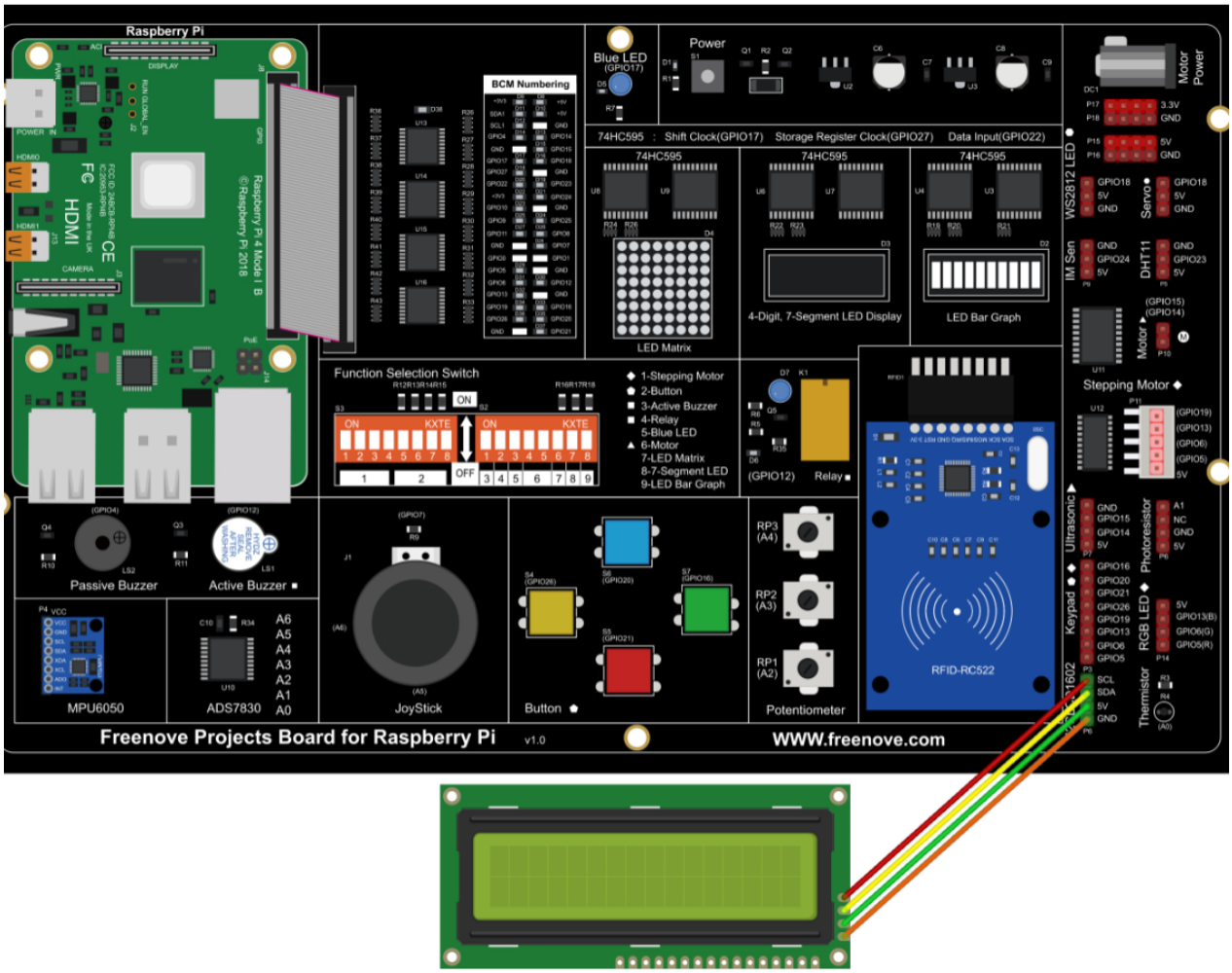
Circuit

Note that the power supply for I2C LCD1602 in this circuit is 5V.

Schematic diagram



Hardware connection.



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Sketch

Sketch 13.1.1 LCD

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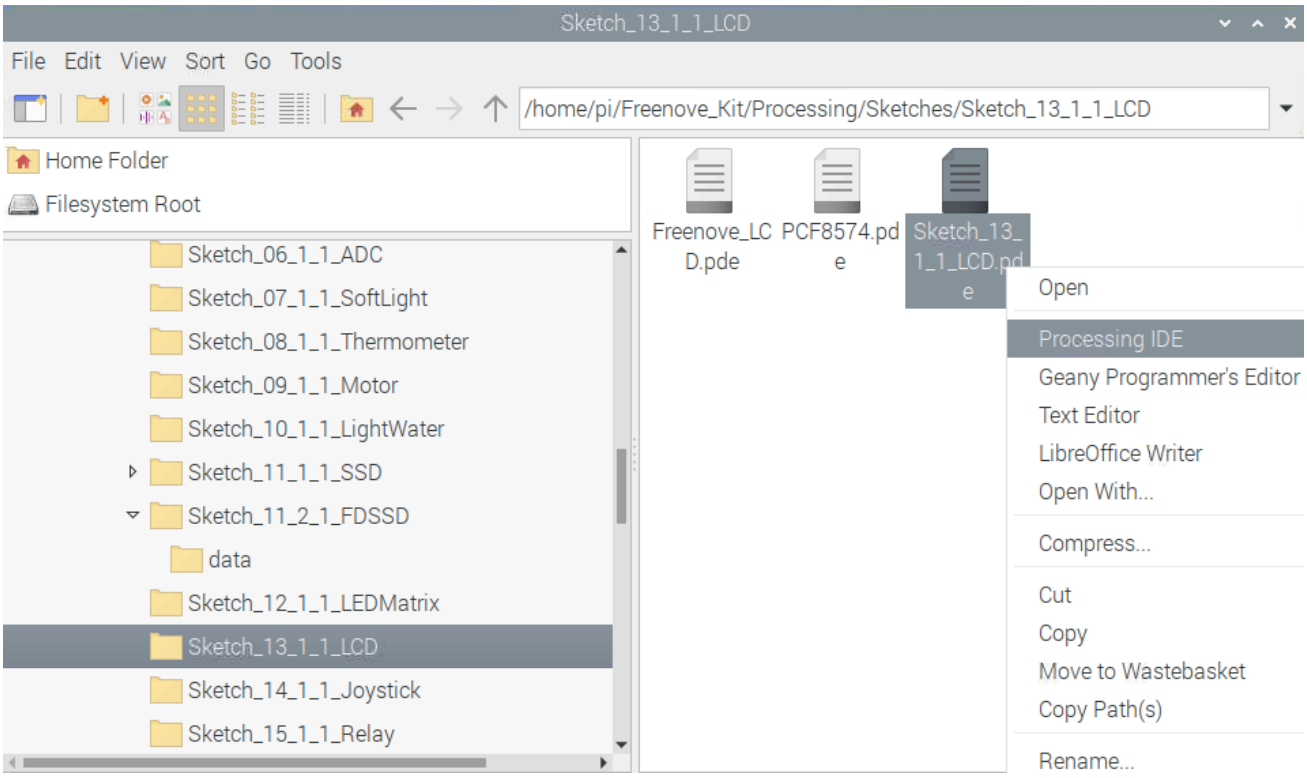
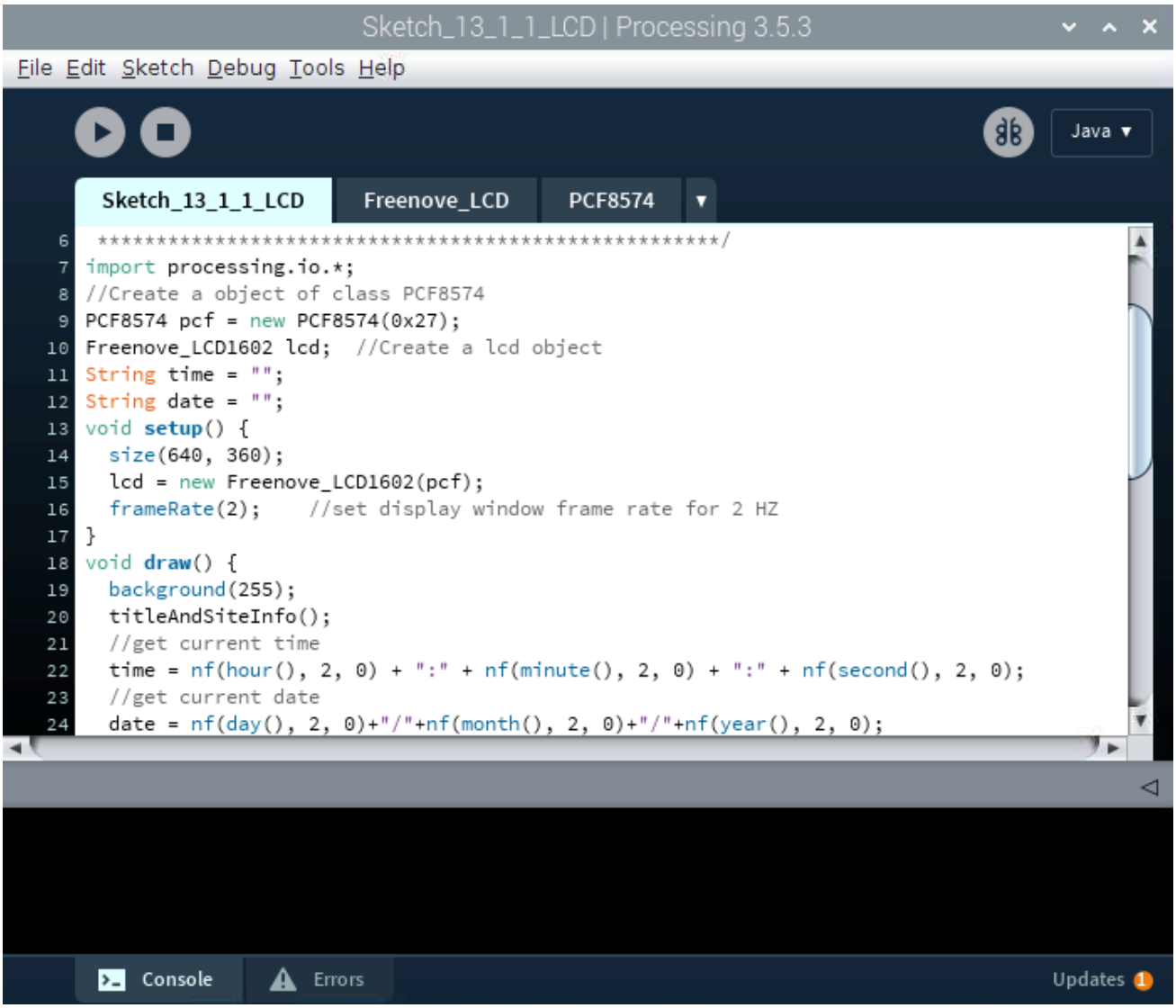
First, enter where the project is located:

```
/home/pi/Freenove_Kit/Processing/Sketches/Sketch_13_1_1_LCD
```

And then right-click to select Processing IDE



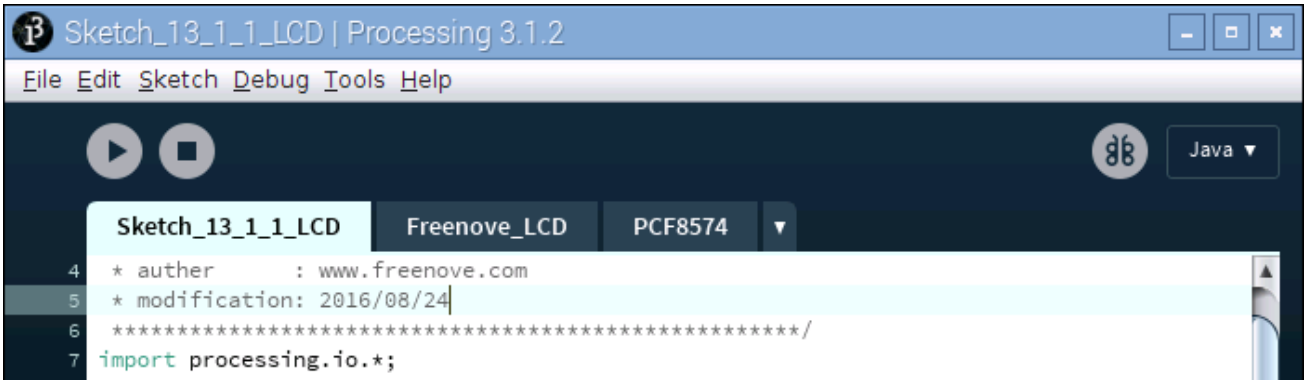
Open Processing and click Run



The result is as shown below. You can see the time and date on the pop-up window and LCD1602 screen。

NOTE: If you cannot see anything on the display or the display is not clear, try rotating the white knob on back of LCD1602 slowly, which adjusts the contrast, until the screen can display the Time and Data clearly.

This project contains a lot of code files, and the core code is contained in the file Sketch_13_1_1_LCD. The other files only contain some custom classes.



The following is program code:

```
import processing.io.*;
//Create a object of class PCF8574
PCF8574 pcf = new PCF8574(0x27);
Freenove_LCD1602 lcd;  //Create a lcd object
String time = "";
String date = "";
void setup() {
  size(640, 360);
  lcd = new Freenove_LCD1602(pcf);
  frameRate(2);    //set display window frame rate for 2 HZ
}
void draw() {
  background(255);
  titleAndSiteInfo();
  //get current time
  time = nf(hour(), 2, 0) + ":" + nf(minute(), 2, 0) + ":" + nf(second(), 2, 0);
  //get current date
  date = nf(day(), 2, 0)+"/"+nf(month(), 2, 0)+"/"+nf(year(), 2, 0);
  lcd.position(4, 0);  //show time on the lcd display
  lcd.puts(time);
  lcd.position(3, 1);  //show date on the lcd display
  lcd.puts(date);
  showTime(time, date);  //show time/date on the display window
}
void showTime(String time, String date) {
  fill(0);
  textAlign(CENTER, CENTER);
  textSize(50);
  text(time, width/2, height/2);
  textSize(30);
  text(date, width/2, height/2+50);
}
void titleAndSiteInfo() {
  fill(0);
  textAlign(CENTER);    //set the text centered
  textSize(40);         //set text size
  text("I2C-LCD1602", width / 2, 40);    //title
  textSize(16);
  text("www.freenove.com", width / 2, height - 20);    //site
}
```

First create a PCF8574 class object “pcf”, and take “pcf” as a parameter to create an LCD1602 class object. And then define the variable “time” to store date and time. Display window needs not refresh frequently. Therefore, the frame rate can be set to 1Hz or 2Hz.

```
PCF8574 pcf = new PCF8574(0x27);
Freenove_LCD1602 lcd;  //Create a lcd object
String time = "";
String date = "";
void setup() {
  size(640, 360);
  lcd = new Freenove_LCD1602(pcf);
  frameRate(2);    //set display window frame rate for 2 HZ
}
```

In the function draw(), get the current time and date, and display them on the LCD1602 and Display Window.

```
void draw() {
  background(255);
  titleAndSiteInfo();
  //get current time
  time = nf(hour(), 2, 0) + ":" + nf(minute(), 2, 0) + ":" + nf(second(), 2, 0);
  //get current date
  date = nf(day(), 2, 0)+"/"+nf(month(), 2, 0)+"/"+nf(year(), 2, 0);
  lcd.position(4, 0);  //show time on the lcd display
  lcd.puts(time);
  lcd.position(3, 1);  //show date on the lcd display
  lcd.puts(date);
  showTime(time, date);  //show time/date on the display window
}
```

Reference

class PCF8574

This is a custom class that is used to control the integrated circuit PCF8574.

```
public PCF8574(int addr)
```

Constructor, used to create a PCF8574 class object. The parameter represents the I2C device address of PCF8574.

```
public int digitalRead(int pin)
```

Used to read the value(HIGH/LOW) of one of the ports.

```
public int readByte()
```

Used to read values of all ports.

```
public void digitalWrite(int pin, int val)
```

Write data(HIGH/LOW) to a port.

```
public void writeByte(int data)
```

Write data to all ports.

class Freenove_LCD

This is a custom class that is currently only used to control the I2C-LCD1602 connected to PCF8574.

```
public Freenove_LCD1602(PCF8574 ipcf)
```

Constructor, used to create Freenove_LCD1602 class object. The parameter is for PCF8574 class object.

```
public void putChar(char data)
```

Write a character to the LCD screen.

```
public void puts(String str)
```

Write a string to the LCD screen.

```
public void display(boolean state)
```

Turn on/off LCD.

```
public void lcdCursor(boolean state)
```

Turn on/off Cursor.

```
public void cursorBlink(boolean state)
```

Turn on/off Cursor Blink.

```
public void position(int x, int y)
```

Set the location of Cursor.

```
public void home()
```

Set the Cursor to home.

```
public void lcdClear()
```

Clear the screen.

```
public void backLightON()  &  public void backLightOFF()
```

Turn on/off the backlight.

```
public void scrollDisplayLeft()  &  public void scrollDisplayRight()
```

Shift screen of a unit to left/right.

```
public void leftToRight()  &  public void rightToLeft()
```

Set text direction to be from left to right / from right to left.

```
public void autoScroll()  &  public void noAutoScroll()
```

Automatic shifting screen/turn off automatic shifting screen.

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Chapter 14 Joystick

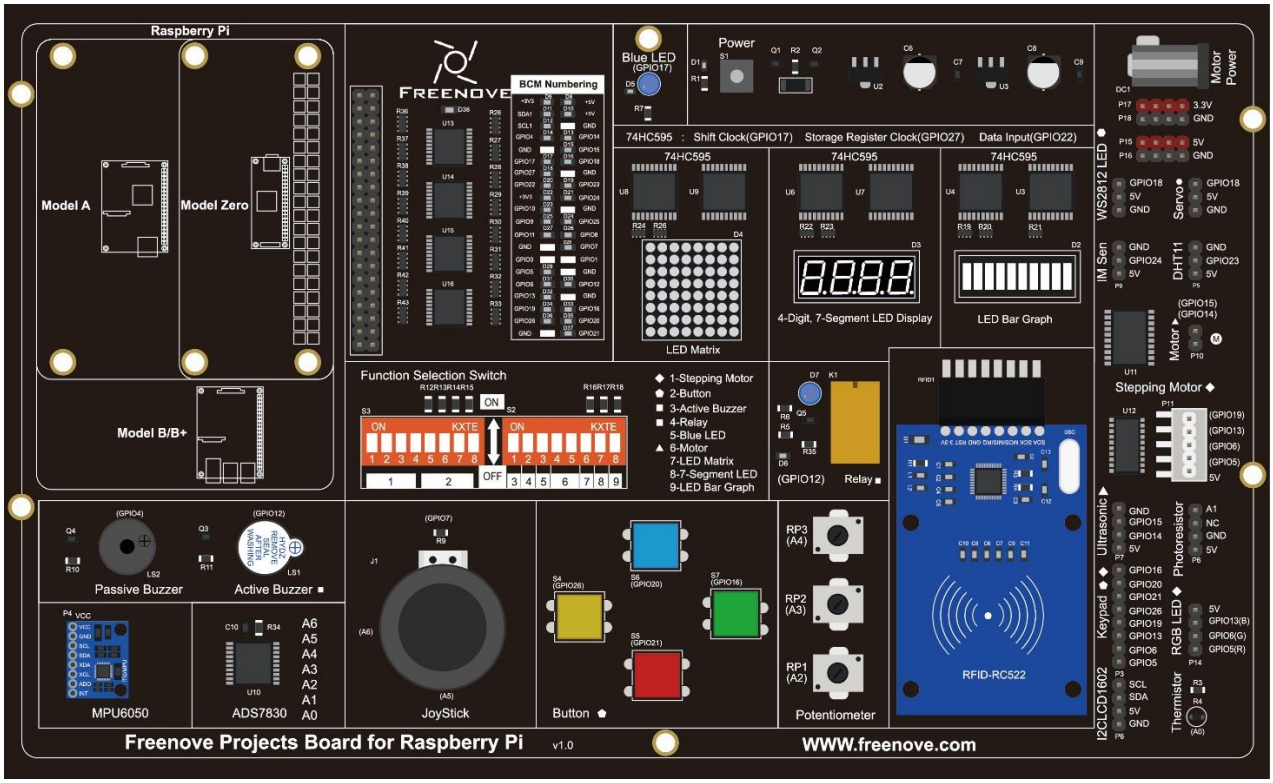
In the previous chapter, we have learned how to use a rotary potentiometer. Now, let's learn a new electronic module Joystick which works on the same principle as the rotary potentiometer.

Project 14 Joystick

In this project, we will read the data of the joystick, and draw its coordinates position and Z axis state on the Display window.

Component List

Freenove Projects Board for Raspberry Pi



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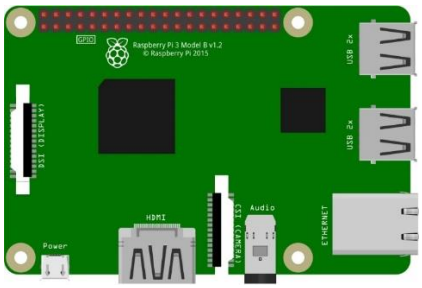

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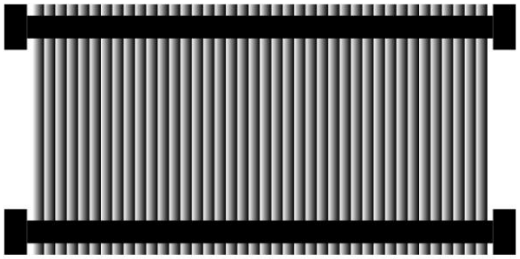
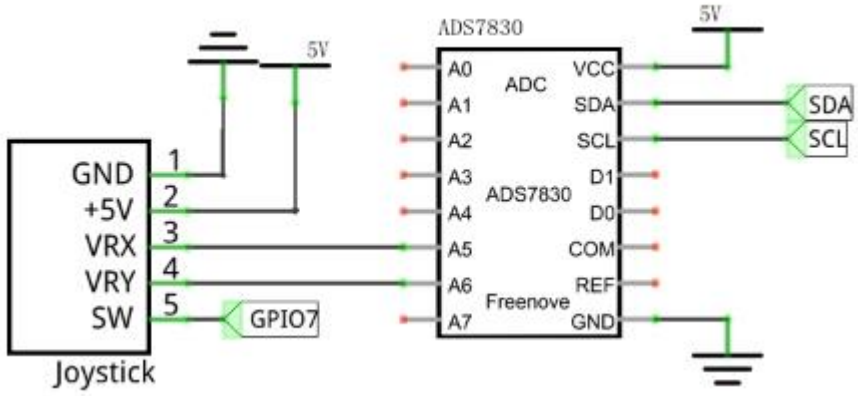


Circuit

Schematic diagram



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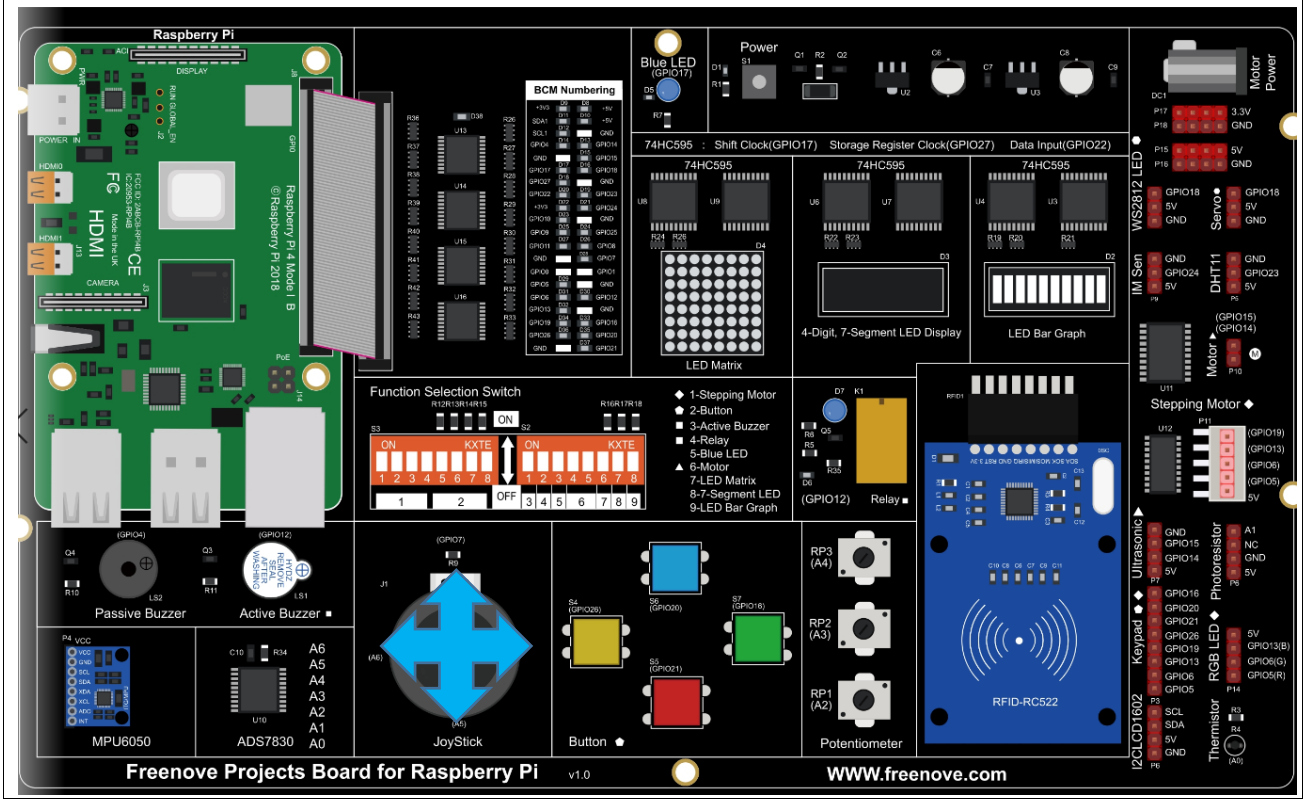

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Sketch

Sketch 14.1.1 Joystick

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First, enter where the project is located:

```
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```
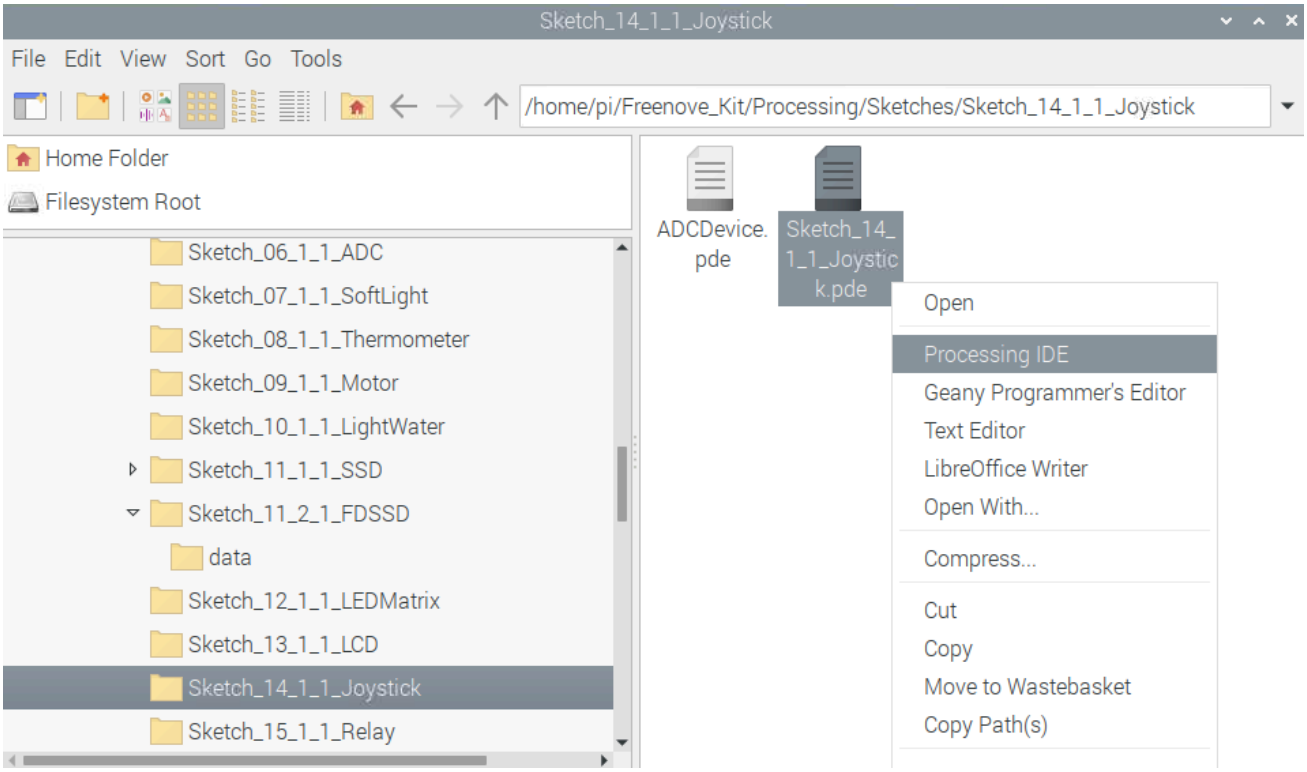

And then right-click to select Processing IDE



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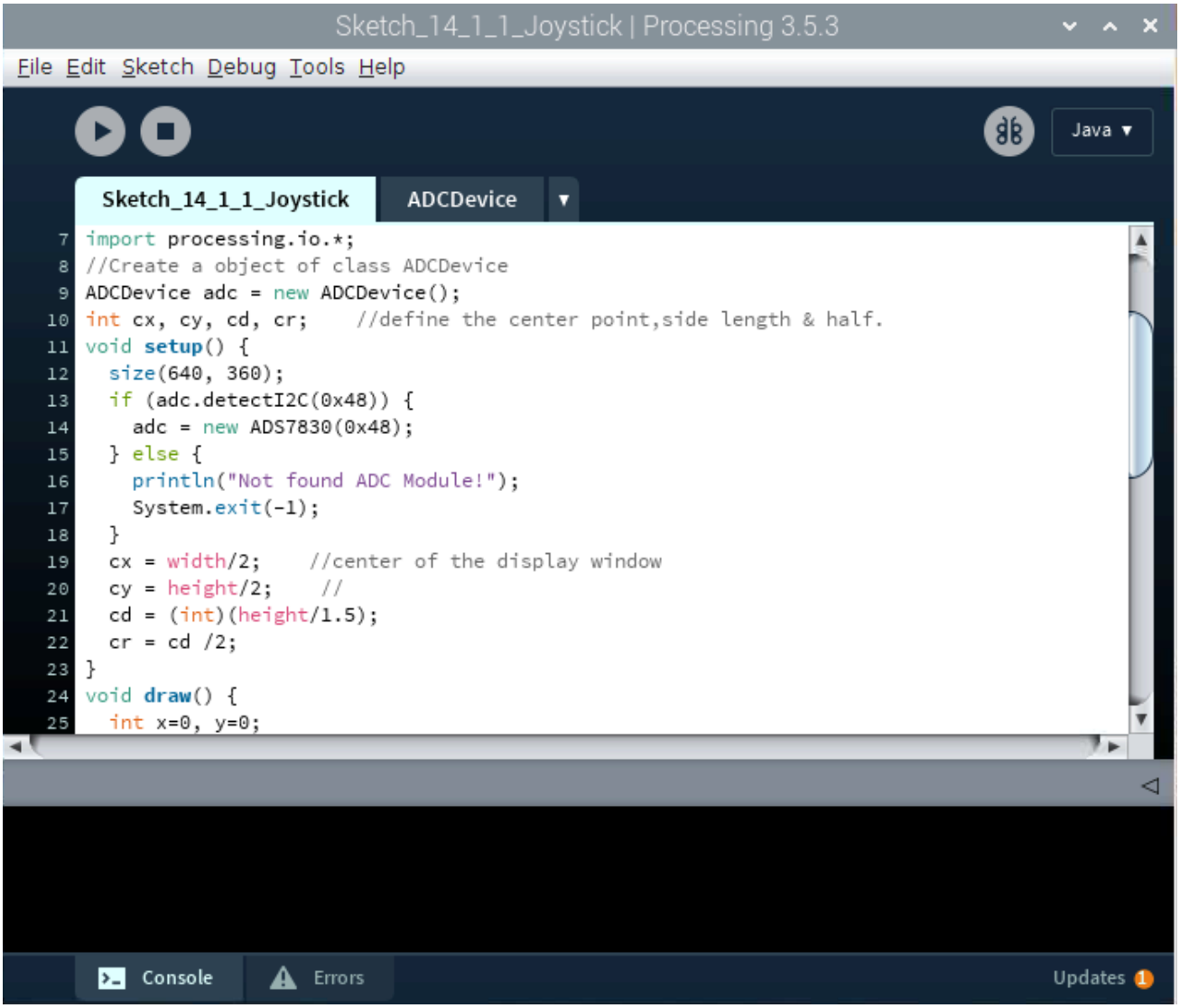
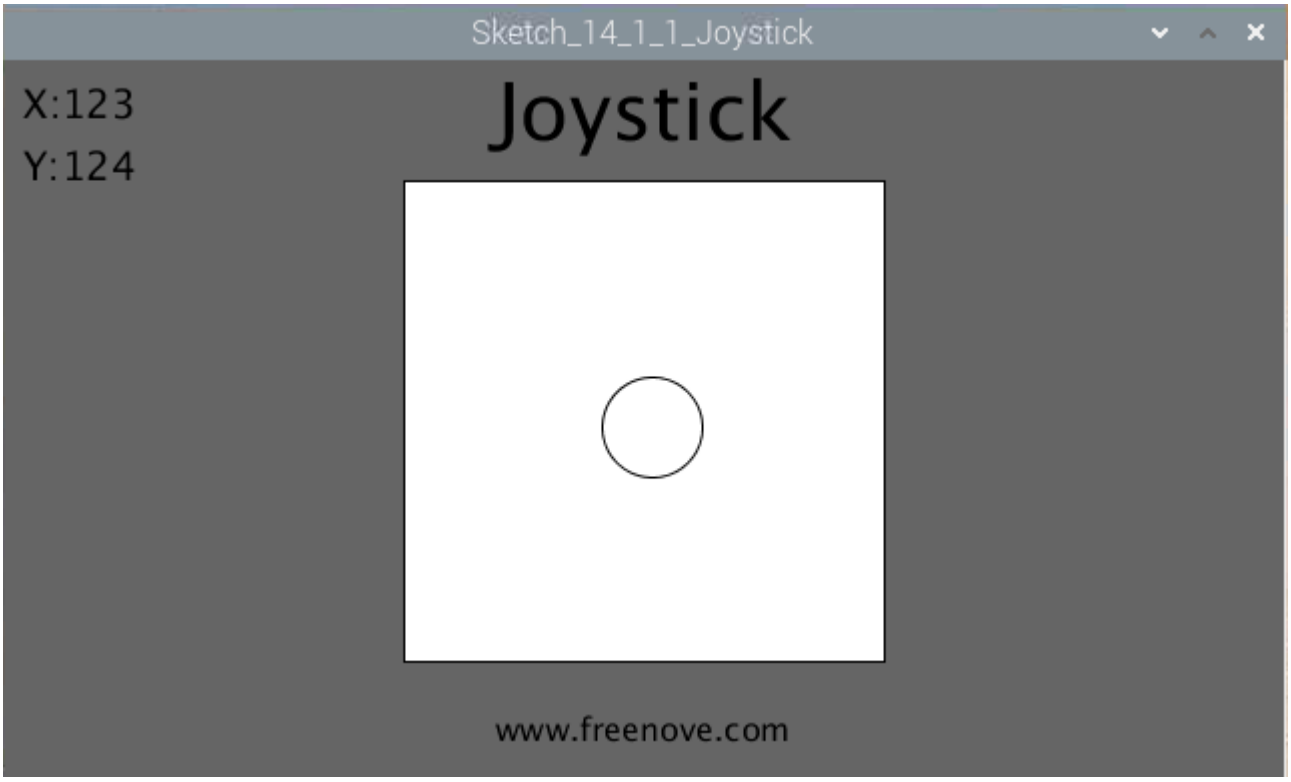
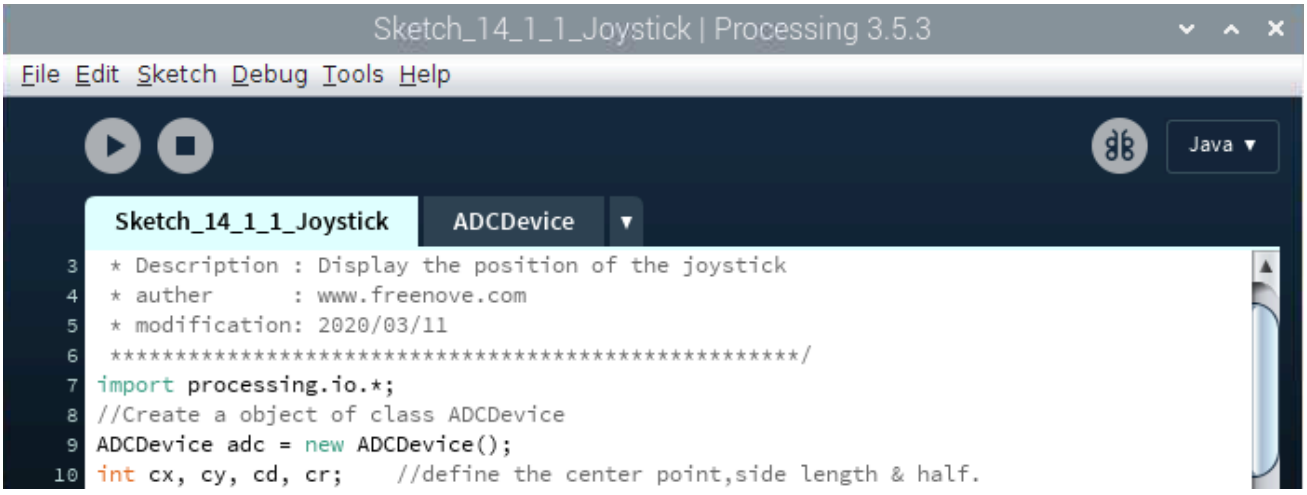


The result is as shown below. The movement of the circle can be controlled through the joystick.



This project contains several code files, as shown below:



The following is program code:

```
1  import processing.io.*;
2  //Create an object of class ADCDevice
3  ADCDevice adc = new ADCDevice();
4  int cx, cy, cd, cr;    //define the center point, side length & half.
5
6  void setup() {
7    size(640, 360);
8    if (adc.detectI2C(0x48)) {
```

```
    adc = new PCF8591(0x48);
  } else if (adc.detectI2C(0x4b)) {
    adc = new ADS7830(0x4b);
  } else {
    println("Not found ADC Module!");
    System.exit(-1);
  }
  cx = width/2;    //center of the display window
  cy = height/2;    //
  cd = (int)(height/1.5);
  cr = cd /2;
}
void draw() {
  int x=0, y=0, z=0;
  x = adc.analogRead(0);  //read the ADC of joystick
  y = adc.analogRead(1);  //
  z = adc.analogRead(2);
  background(102);
  titleAndSiteInfo();
  fill(0);
  textSize(20);
  textAlign(LEFT, TOP);
  text("X:"+x+"\nY:"+y+"\nZ:"+z, 10, 10);

  fill(255);    //wall color
  rect(cx-cr, cy-cr, cd, cd);
  ellipse(map(x, 0, 255, cx-cr, cx+cr), map(y, 0, 255, cy-cr, cy+cr), 50, 50);
}
void titleAndSiteInfo() {
  fill(0);
  textAlign(CENTER);    //set the text centered
  textSize(40);        //set text size
  text("Joystick", width / 2, 40);    //title
  textSize(16);
  text("www.freenove.com", width / 2, height - 20);    //site
}

```

In function draw(), the ADC value of three axes Joystick is read. And the ADC value of X and Y directions are mapped into the position of the circle, and the ADC value of Z axis is mapped into the filled color of the circle.

```
void draw() {
  int x=0, y=0, z=0;
  x = pcf.analogRead(2);  //read the ADC of joystick
  y = pcf.analogRead(1);  //
  z = pcf.analogRead(0);
  background(102);
  titleAndSiteInfo();
  fill(0);
  textSize(20);
  textAlign(LEFT,TOP);
  text("X:"+x+"\nY:"+y+"\nZ:"+z,10,10);

  fill(255);    //wall color
  rect(cx-cr, cy-cr, cd, cd);
  fill(constrain(z, 255, 0));    //joysitck color
  ellipse(map(x, 0, 255, cx-cr, cx+cr), map(y, 0, 255, cy-cr, cy+cr), 50, 50);
}
```

Chapter 15 Relay

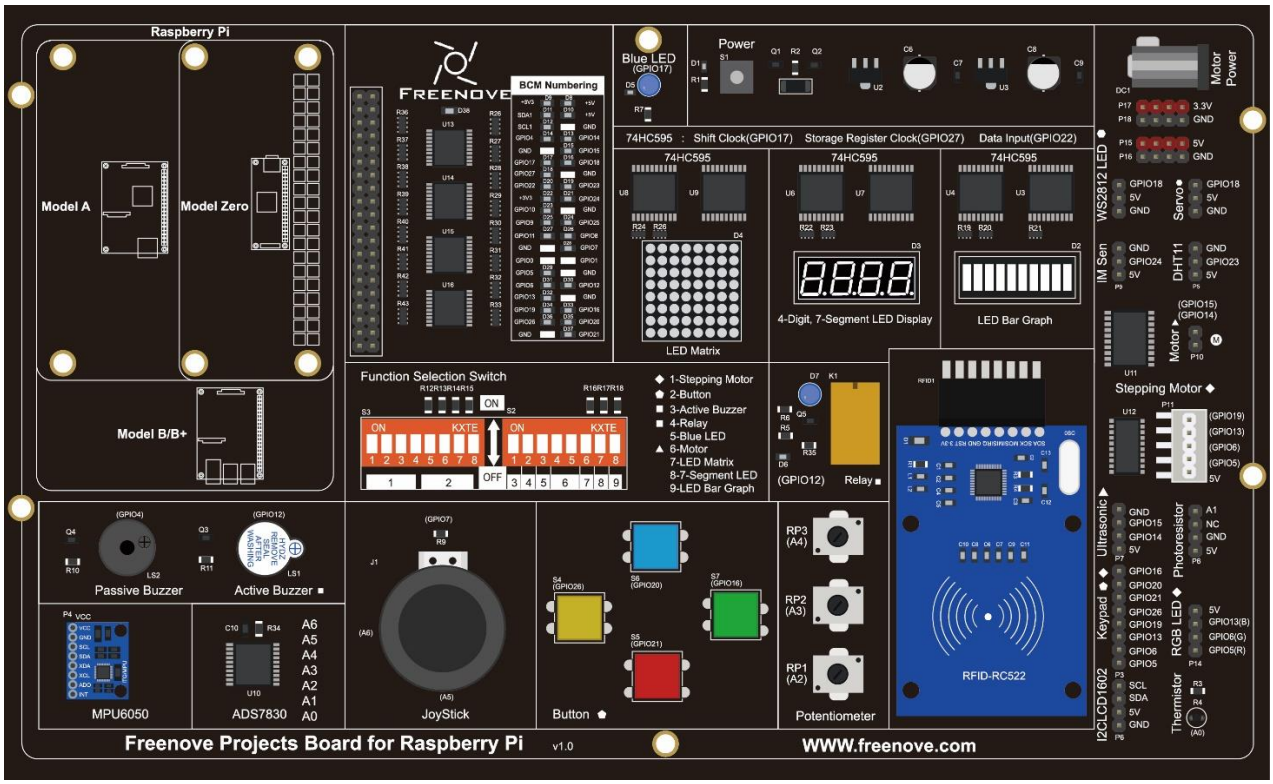
In this chapter, we will learn how to use a relay.

Project 15.1 Relay & LED

In the project, the relay is used to control the LED.

Component List

Freenove Projects Board for Raspberry Pi



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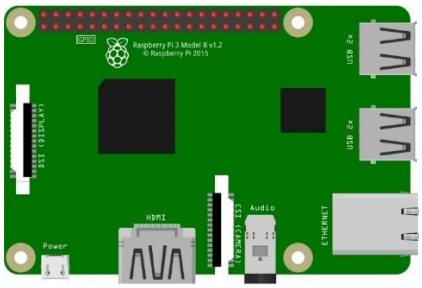

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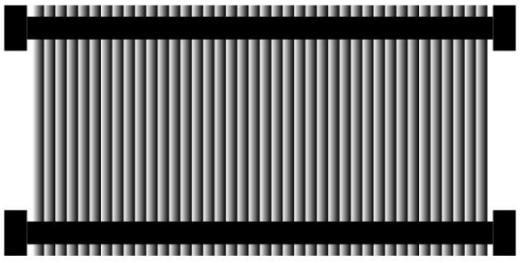
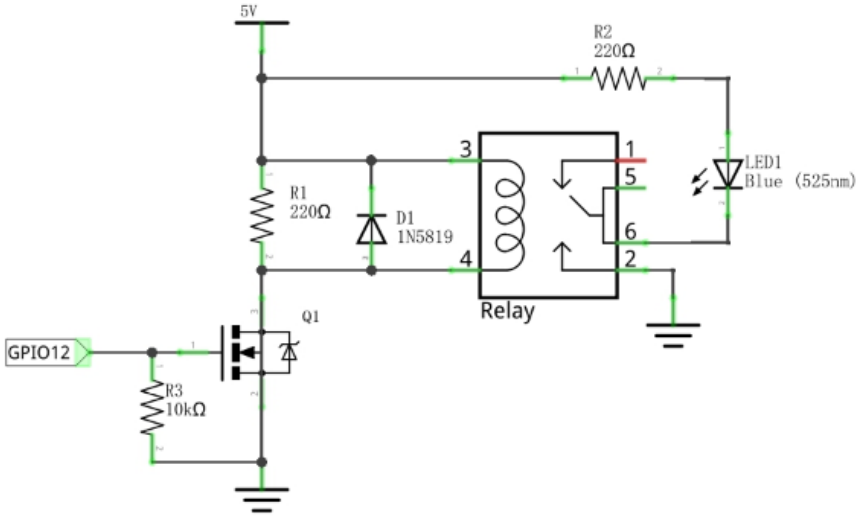


Circuit

Schematic diagram



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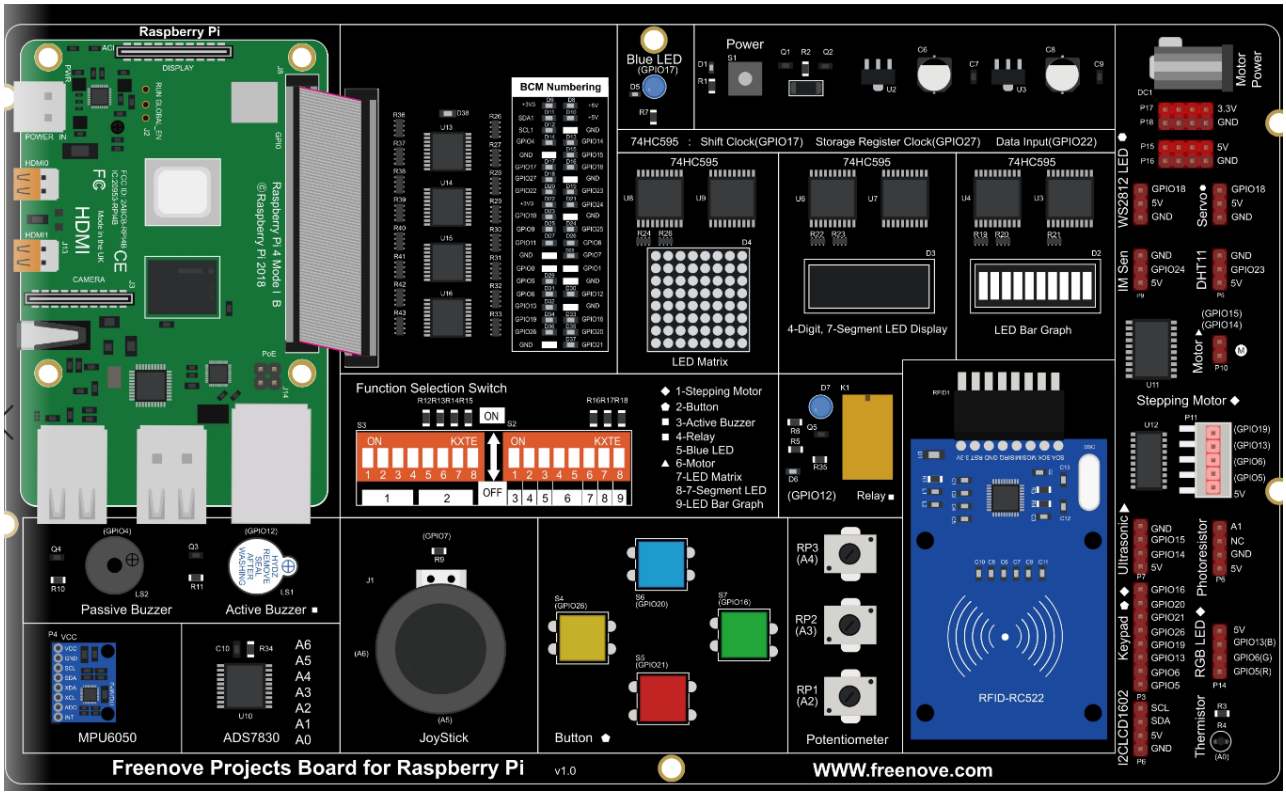

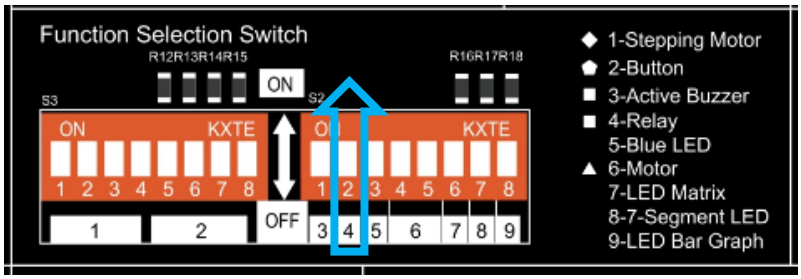

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Sketch

Sketch 15.1.1 Relay

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```
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```
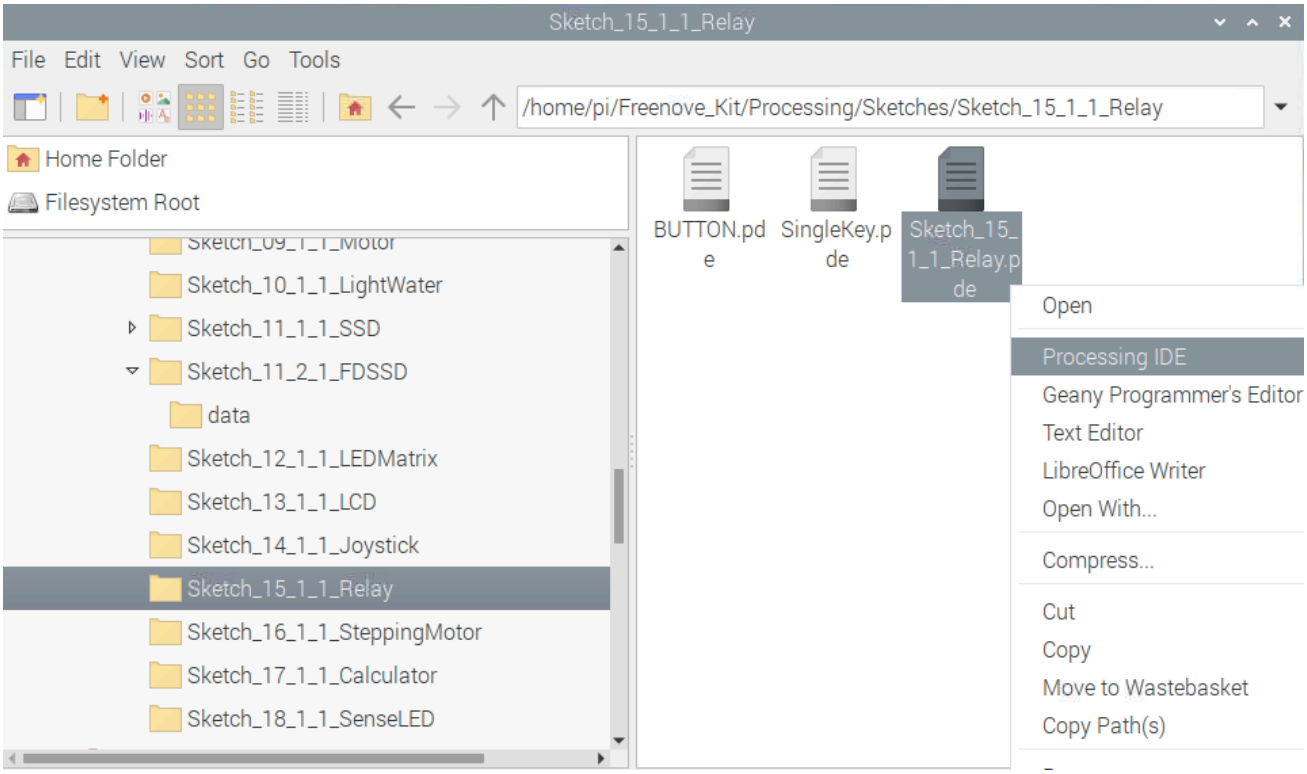

And then right-click to select Processing IDE



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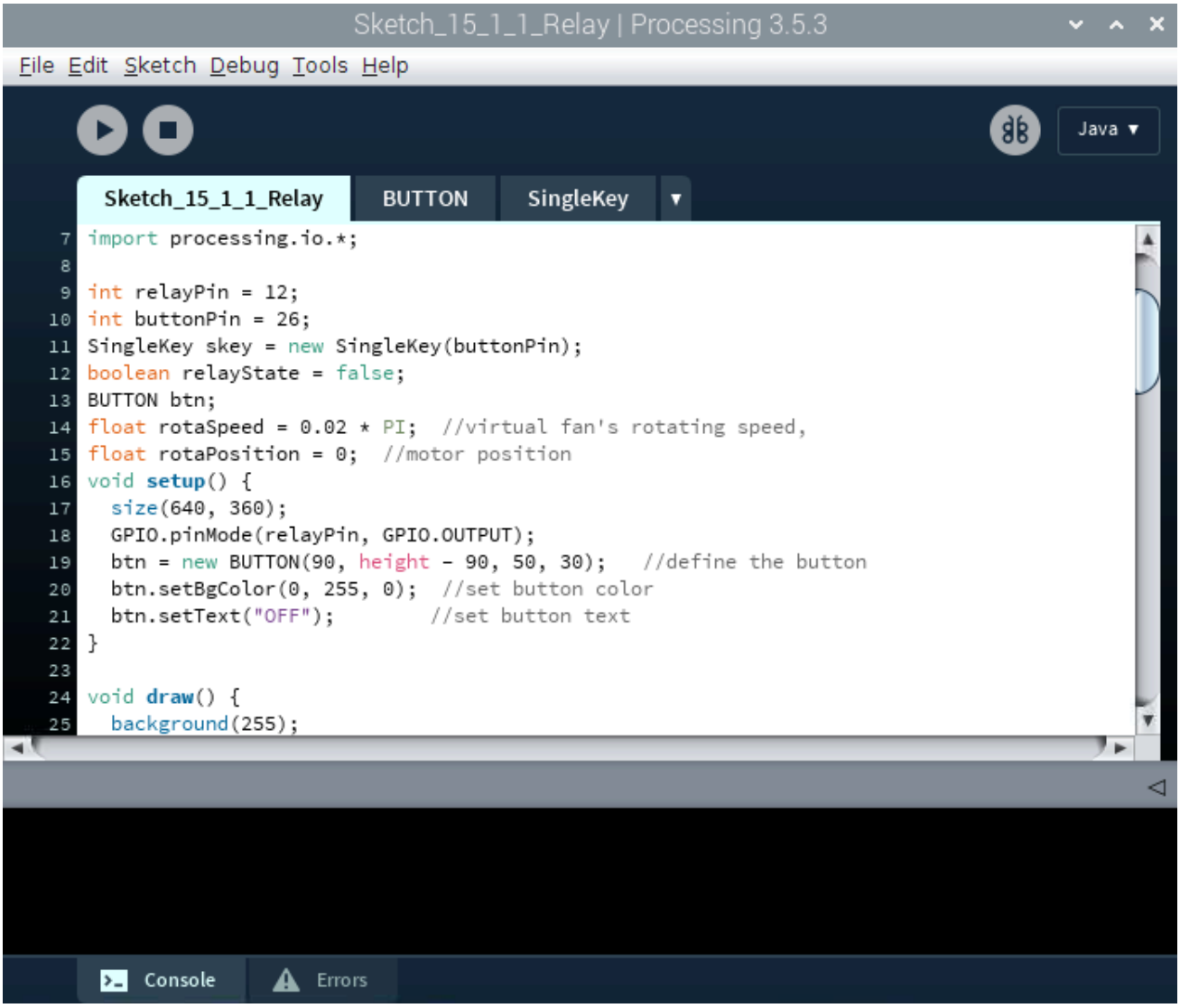
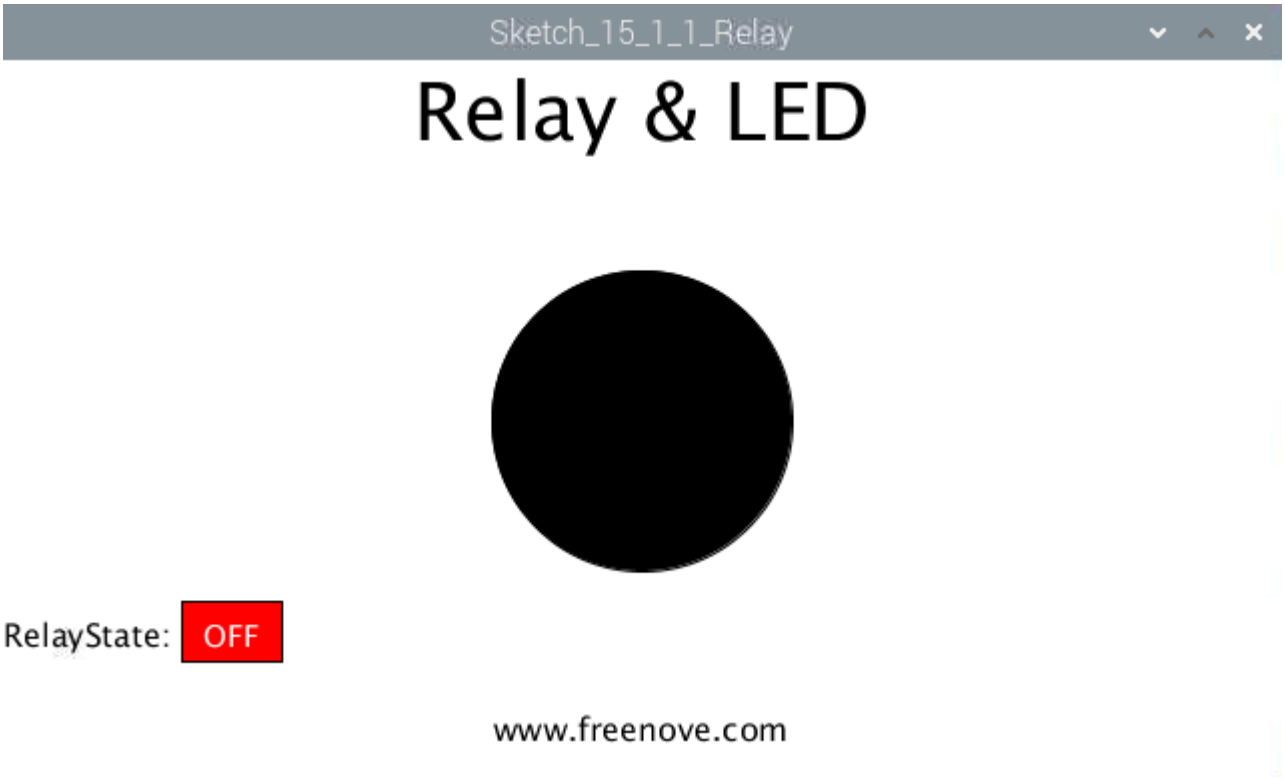


The result is as shown below. Clicking the button will light up the LED and clicking it again will turn the LED OFF.



This project contains several code files, as shown below:

The following is program code:

```
1  import processing.io.*;
2
3  int relayPin = 17;
4  int buttonPin = 18;
5  SingleKey skey = new SingleKey(buttonPin);
6  boolean relayState = false;
7  BUTTON btn;
8  float rotaSpeed = 0.02 * PI;  //virtual fan's rotating speed,
9  float rotaPosition = 0;  //motor position
10 void setup() {
```

```
11    size(640, 360);
12    GPIO.pinMode(relayPin, GPIO.OUTPUT);
13    btn = new BUTTON(90, height - 90, 50, 30);   //define the button
14    btn.setBgColor(0, 255, 0);  //set button color
15    btn.setText("OFF");         //set button text
16  }
17
18  void draw() {
19    background(255);
20    titleAndSiteInfo();  //title and site information
21
22    skey.keyScan();    //key scan
23    if (skey.isPressed) {  //key is pressed?
24      relayAction();
25    }
26    textAlign(RIGHT, CENTER);
27    text("RelayState: ", btn.x, btn.y+btn.h/2);
28    btn.create();      //create the button
29    if (relayState) {
30      rotaPosition += rotaSpeed;
31    }
32    if (rotaPosition >= 2*PI) {
33      rotaPosition = 0;
34    }
35    drawFan(rotaPosition);    //show the virtual fan in Display window
36  }
37  //Draw a clover fan according to the stating angle
38  void drawFan(float angle) {
39    constrain(angle, 0, 2*PI);
40    fill(0);
41    for (int i=0; i<3; i++) {
42      arc(width/2, height/2, 200, 200, 2*i*PI/3+angle, (2*i+0.3)*PI/3+angle, PIE);
43    }
44    fill(0);
45    ellipse(width/2, height/2, 30, 30);
46    fill(128);
47    ellipse(width/2, height/2, 15, 15);
48  }
49  void relayAction() {
50    if (relayState) {
51      GPIO.digitalWrite(relayPin, GPIO.LOW);
52      relayState = false;
53      btn.setBgColor(255, 0, 0);
54      btn.setText("OFF");
```

```
  } else {
    GPIO.digitalWrite(relayPin, GPIO.HIGH);
    relayState = true;
    btn.setBgColor(0, 255, 0);
    btn.setText("ON");
  }
}
void mousePressed() {
  if ((mouseY< btn.y+btn.h) && (mouseY>btn.y)
    && (mouseX< btn.x+btn.w) && (mouseX>btn.x)) { // the mouse clicks the button
    relayAction();
  }
}
void titleAndSiteInfo() {
  fill(0);
  textAlign(CENTER);    //set the text centered
  textSize(40);         //set text size
  text("Relay & Motor", width / 2, 40);    //title
  textSize(16);
  text("www.freenove.com", width / 2, height - 20);    //site
}
```

First define pins corresponding to the key and relay.

```
int relayPin = 17;
int buttonPin = 18;
SingleKey skey = new SingleKey(buttonPin);
boolean relayState = false;
BUTTON btn;
```

In the function setup(), Display Window and virtual button are initialized.

```
void setup() {
  size(640, 360);
  GPIO.pinMode(relayPin, GPIO.OUTPUT);
  btn = new BUTTON(90, height - 90, 50, 30);   //define the button
  btn.setBgColor(0, 255, 0);  //set button color
  btn.setText("OFF");         //set button text
}
```

In the function draw(), scan entity buttons. If the button is pressed, then execute the subfunction relayAction(), in which the state of Relay and virtual buttons will be changed. And then draw the virtual buttons and fan blades.

```
void draw() {
  background(255);
  titleAndSiteInfo();  //title and site information
```

```
  skey.keyScan();     //key scan
  if (skey.isPressed) {  //key is pressed?
    relayAction();
  }
  textAlign(RIGHT, CENTER);
  text("RelayState: ", btn.x, btn.y+btn.h/2);
  btn.create();       //create the button
  if (relayState) {
    rotaPosition += rotaSpeed;
  }
  if (rotaPosition >= 2*PI) {
    rotaPosition = 0;
  }
  drawFan(rotaPosition);    //show the virtual fan in Display window
}
```

Reference

class SingleKey

This is a custom class that is used to control the state of an independent single key.

```
public SingleKey(int Pin)
```

Constructor, used to create a SingleKey class object. The parameter represents the GPIO pin number connected to the key.

```
void keyScan()
```

Used to detect key state. If the key is pressed, the member variable isPressed will be turned to true, and corresponding GPIO pin number will be assigned to the global variable keyValue. Otherwise, isPressed is false, keyValue is -1.

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Chapter 16 Stepper Motor

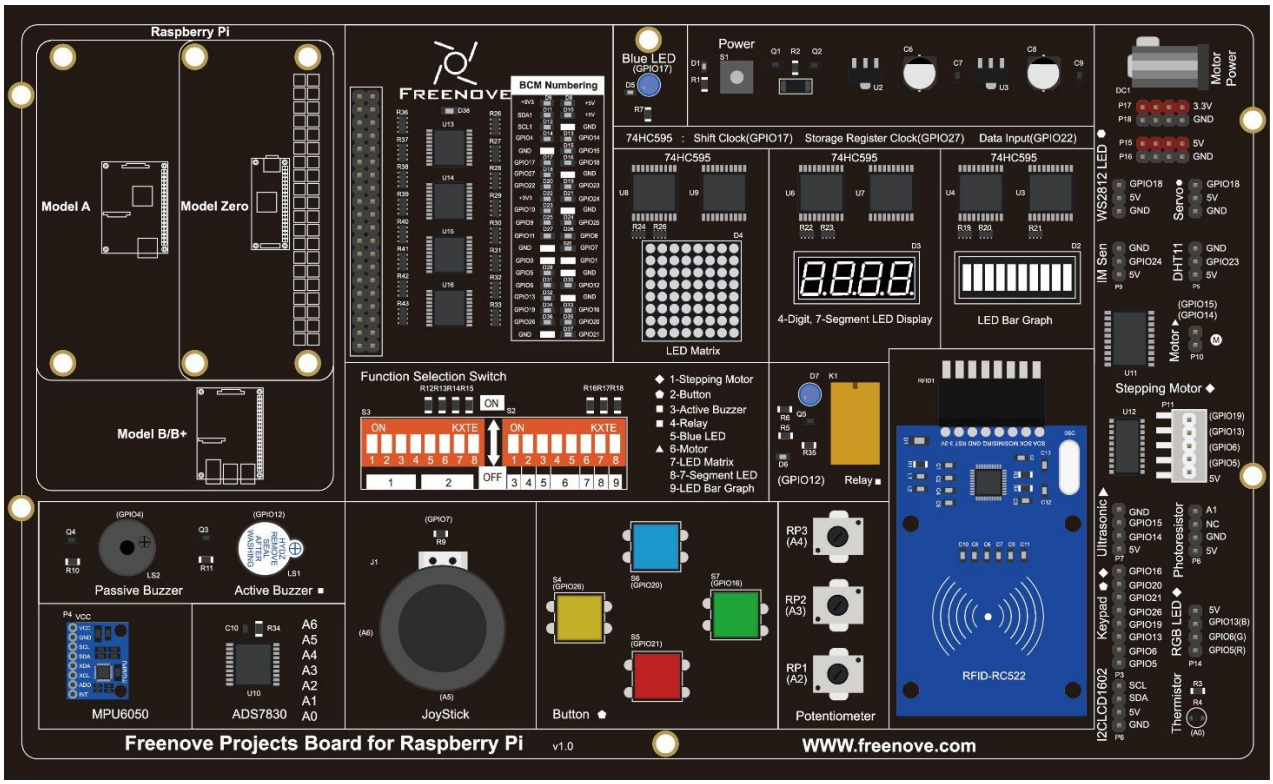
In this chapter, we will learn how to use Stepper Motor.

Project 16.1 Stepper Motor

In this project, we will learn to control the speed, turning and step number of Stepper Motor.

Component List

Freenove Projects Board for Raspberry Pi



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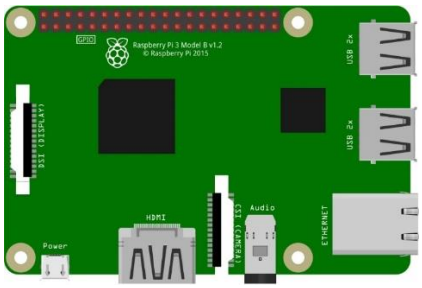	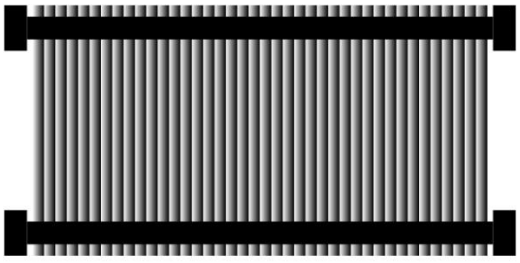

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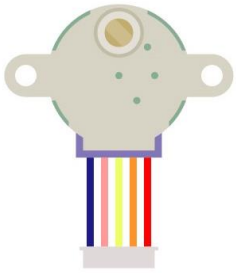
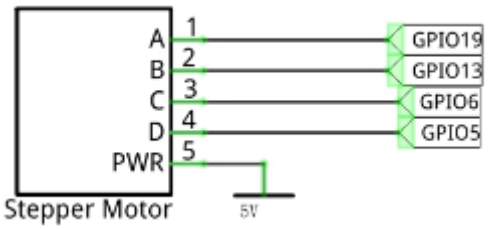


Circuit

Schematic diagram



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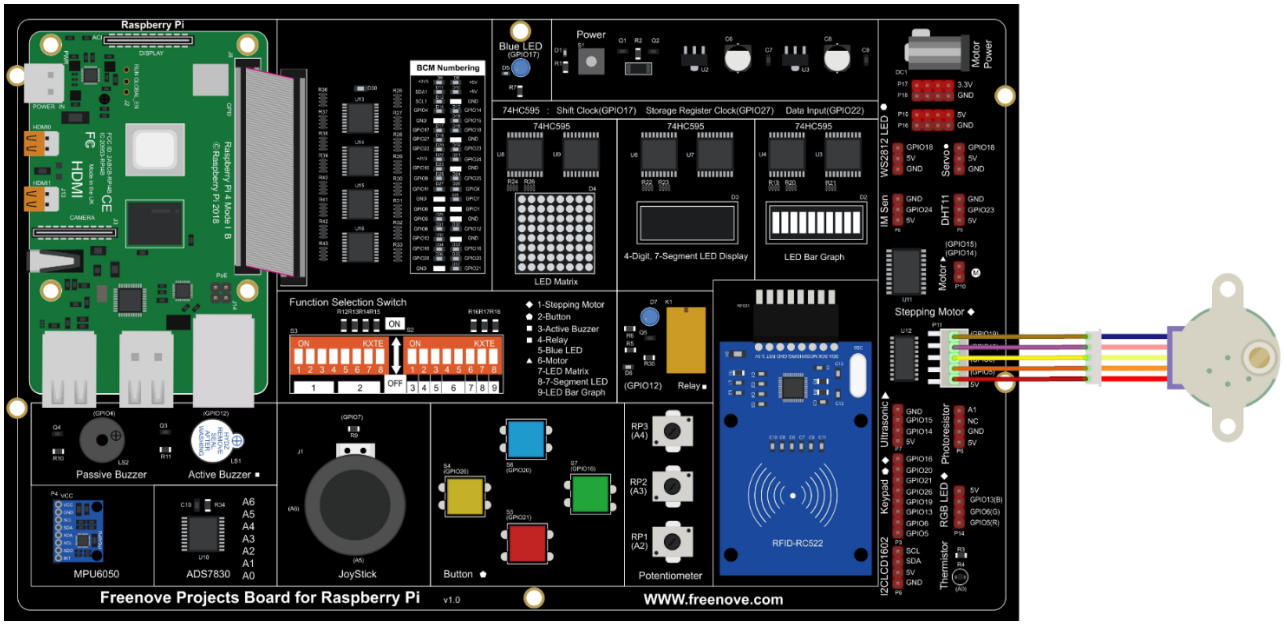

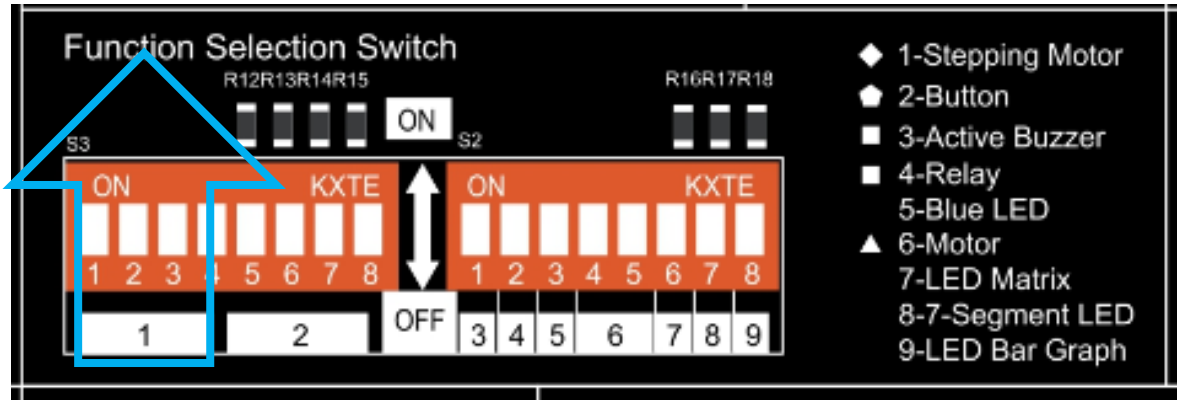

Stepper motor, keypad and RGBLED must NOT be used at the same time.

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Sketch

In this project, a separate thread is opened to control the stepper motor. The uncertainty of the system time slice allocation may lead to the running of the stepper motor not smooth, which is a normal phenomenon.

Sketch 16.1.1 SteppingMotor

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First, enter where the project is located:

```
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```
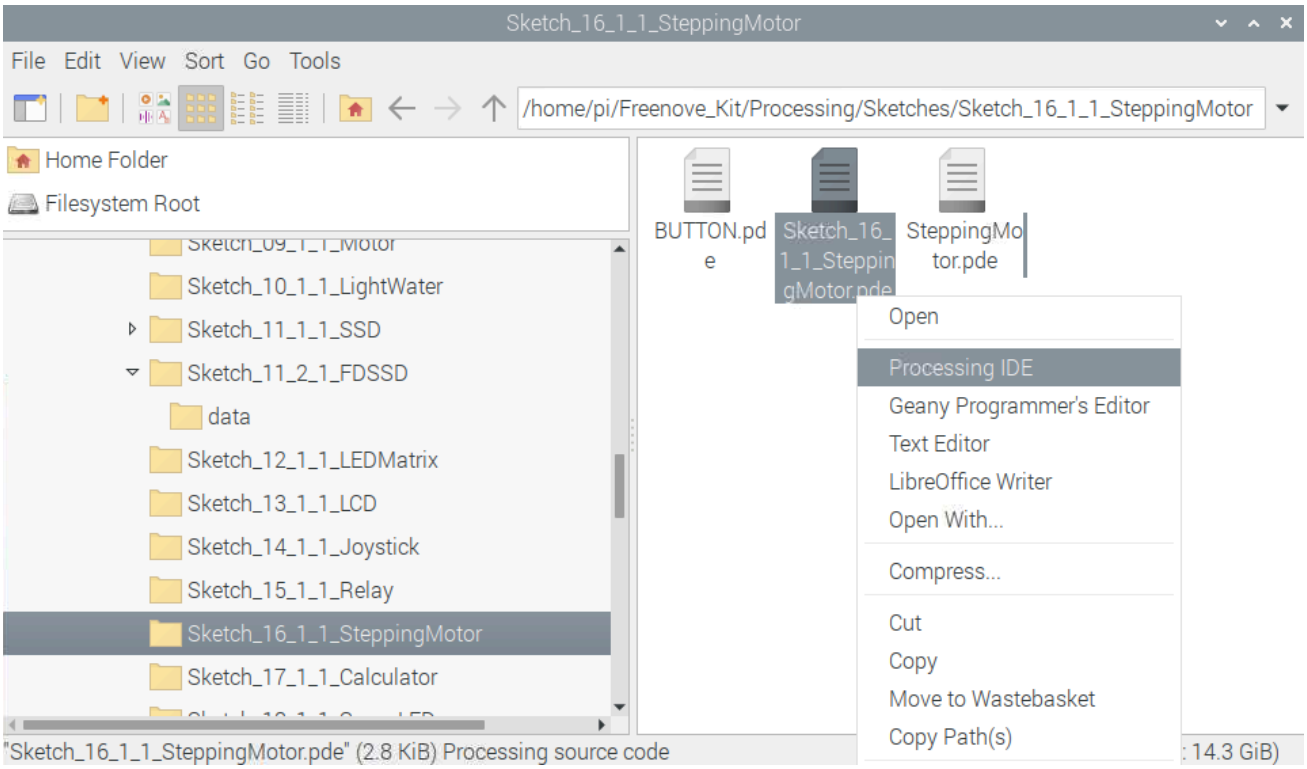

And then right-click to select Processing IDE



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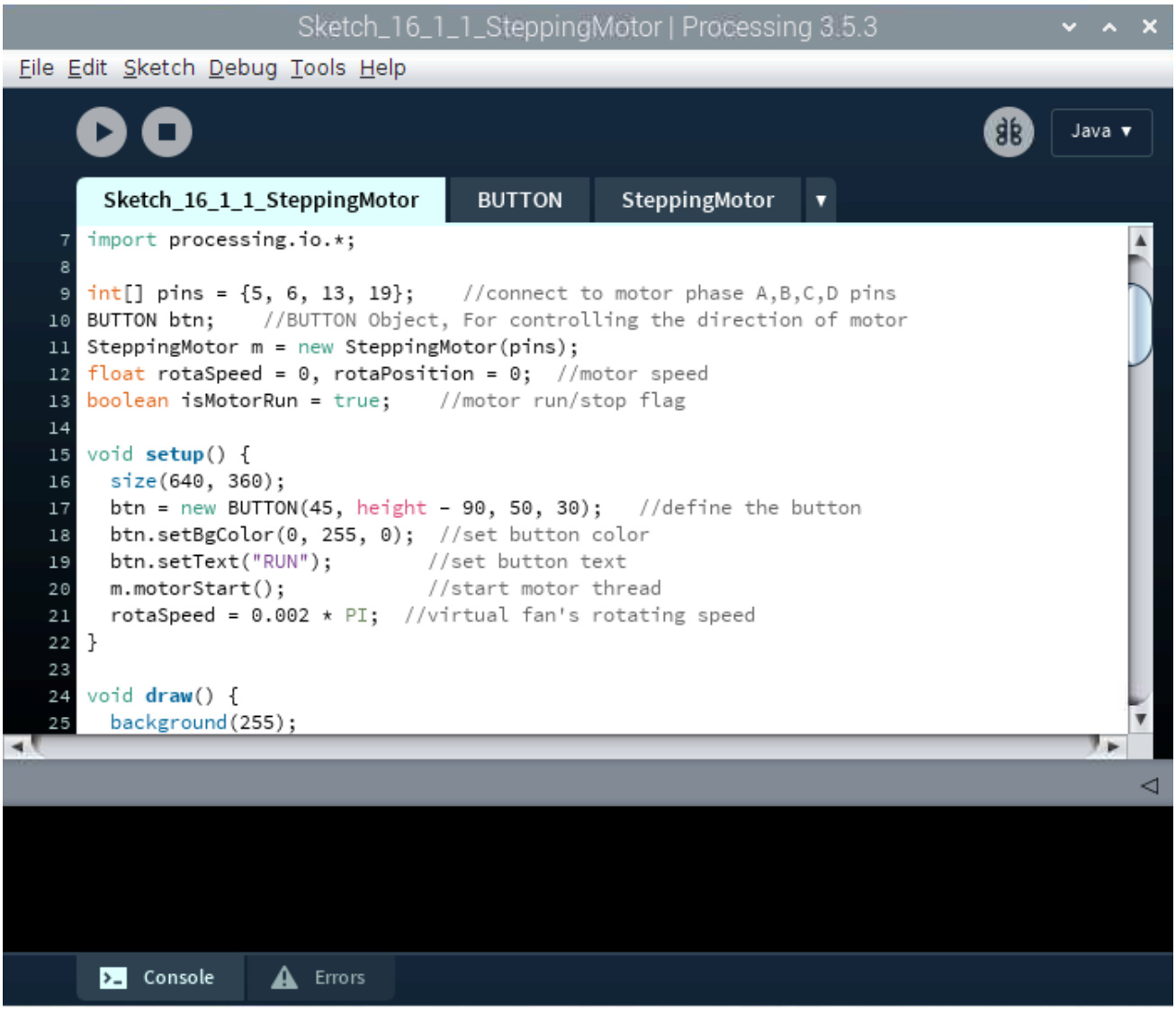
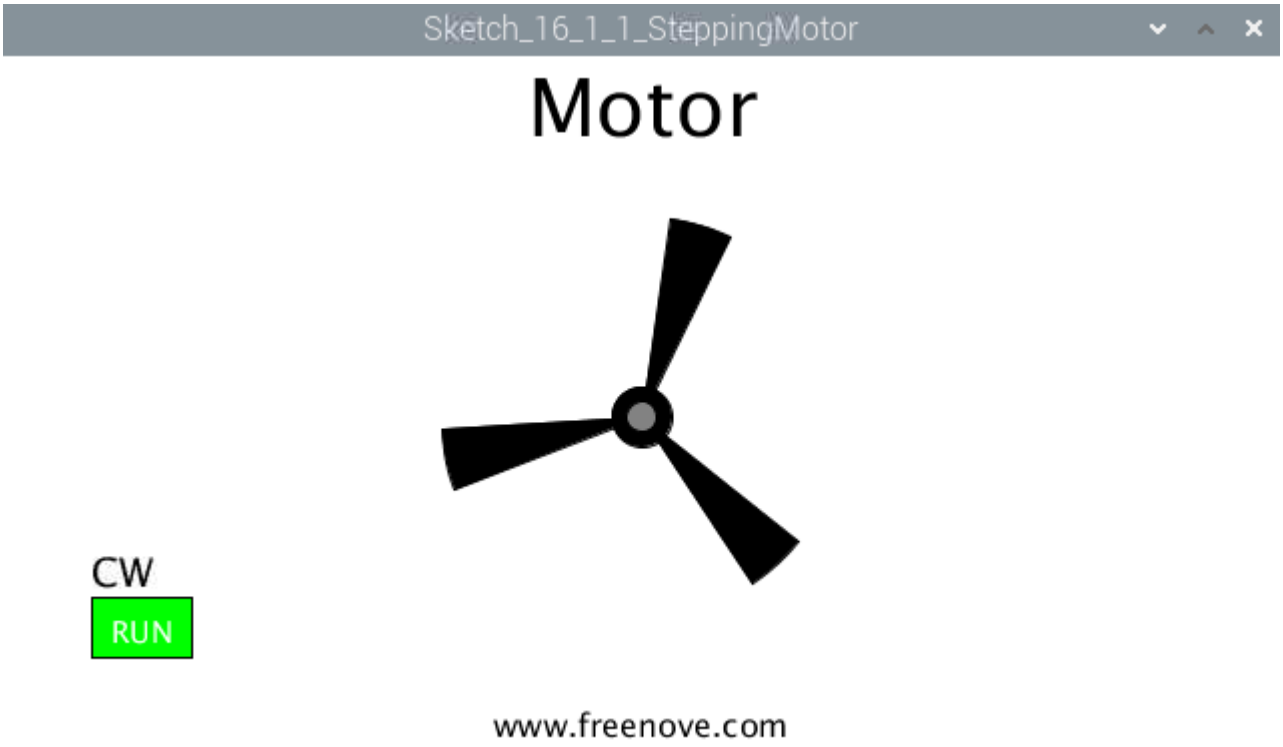


The result is as shown below. Clicking the button will start or stop the stepper motor.



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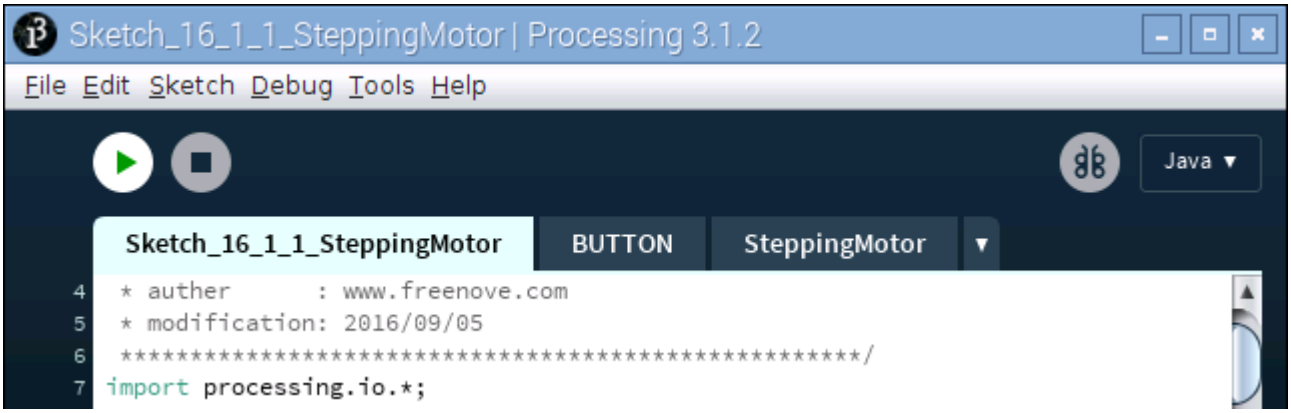

The following is program code:

```
1  import processing.io.*;
2
3  int[] pins = {18, 23, 24, 25};    //connect to motor phase A,B,C,D pins
4  BUTTON btn;    //BUTTON Object, For controlling the direction of motor
5  SteppingMotor m = new SteppingMotor(pins);
6  float rotaSpeed = 0, rotaPosition = 0;  //motor speed
7  boolean isMotorRun = true;    //motor run/stop flag
8
9  void setup() {
10   size(640, 360);
11   btn = new BUTTON(45, height - 90, 50, 30);   //define the button
12   btn.setBgColor(0, 255, 0);  //set button color
13   btn.setText("RUN");         //set button text
14   m.motorStart();             //start motor thread
15   rotaSpeed = 0.002 * PI;  //virtual fan's rotating speed
16 }
17
18 void draw() {
19   background(255);
20   titleAndSiteInfo();  //title and site information
21   btn.create();      //create the button
22   if (isMotorRun) {   //motor is running
23     fill(0);
24     textAlign(LEFT,BOTTOM);
25     textSize(20);
26     if (m.dir == m.CW) {
27       text("CW",btn.x,btn.y);    //text "CW "
28       rotaPosition+=rotaSpeed;
29       if (rotaPosition>=TWO_PI) {
30         rotaPosition = 0;
31       }
```

```
32      } else if (m.dir == m.CCW) {
33        text("CCW",btn.x,btn.y);  //text "CCW"
34        rotaPosition-=rotaSpeed;
35        if (rotaPosition<=0) {
36          rotaPosition = TWO_PI;
37        }
38      }
39    }
40    if (m.steps<=0) {      //if motor has stopped,
41      if (m.dir == m.CCW) {        //change the direction, restart.
42        m.moveSteps(m.CW, 1, 512);
43      } else if (m.dir == m.CW) {
44        m.moveSteps(m.CCW, 1, 512);
45      }
46    }
47    drawFan(rotaPosition);    //show the virtual fan in Display window
48  }
49  //Draw a clover fan according to the stating angle
50  void drawFan(float angle) {
51    constrain(angle, 0, 2*PI);
52    fill(0);
53    for (int i=0; i<3; i++) {
54      arc(width/2, height/2, 200, 200, 2*i*PI/3+angle, (2*i+0.3)*PI/3+angle, PIE);
55    }
56    fill(0);
57    ellipse(width/2, height/2, 30, 30);
58    fill(128);
59    ellipse(width/2, height/2, 15, 15);
60  }
61
62  void exit() {
63    m.motorStop();
64    println("exit");
65    System.exit(0);
66  }
67  void mousePressed() {
68    if ((mouseY< btn.y+btn.h) && (mouseY>btn.y)
69      && (mouseX< btn.x+btn.w) && (mouseX>btn.x)) { // the mouse clicks the button
70      if (isMotorRun) {
71        isMotorRun = false;
72        btn.setBgColor(255, 0, 0);
73        btn.setText("STOP");
74        m.motorStop();
75      } else {
```

```
76          isMotorRun = true;
77          btn.setBgColor(0, 255, 0);
78          btn.setText("RUN");
79          m.motorRestart();
80        }
81      }
82    }
83    void titleAndSiteInfo() {
84      fill(0);
85      textAlign(CENTER);    //set the text centered
86      textSize(40);         //set text size
87      text("Motor", width / 2, 40);    //title
88      textSize(16);
89      text("www.freenove.com", width / 2, height - 20);    //site
90    }
```

First define 4 GPIOs connected to the motor, the BUTTON class object and SteppingMotor class object.

```
int[] pins = {18, 23, 24, 25};    //connect to motor phase A,B,C,D pins
BUTTON btn;    //BUTTON Object, For controlling the direction of motor
SteppingMotor m = new SteppingMotor(pins);
```

In the function setup(), initialize the Button, start thread of stepping motor, and set the rotating speed of the virtual motor.

```
void setup() {
  size(640, 360);
  btn = new BUTTON(45, height - 90, 50, 30);   //define the button
  btn.setBgColor(0, 255, 0);  //set button color
  btn.setText("RUN");         //set button text
  m.motorStart();             //start motor thread
  rotaSpeed = 0.002 * PI;  //virtual fan's rotating speed
}
```

In the function draw(), first draw the button, and calculate the position of the virtual motor and show the current rotating direction.

```
  background(255);
  titleAndSiteInfo();  //title and site information
  btn.create();       //create the button
  if (isMotorRun) {   //motor is runnig
    fill(0);
    textAlign(LEFT,BOTTOM);
    textSize(20);
    if (m.dir == m.CW) {
      text("CW",btn.x,btn.y);    //text "CW "
```

```
      rotaPosition+=rotaSpeed;
      if (rotaPosition>=TWO_PI) {
        rotaPosition = 0;
      }
    } else if (m.dir == m.CCW) {
      text("CCW",btn.x,btn.y);  //text "CCW"
      rotaPosition-=rotaSpeed;
      if (rotaPosition<=0) {
        rotaPosition = TWO_PI;
      }
    }
  }
```

And then determine whether the stepper motor is in stopping state according to the value of "m.steps". If it is true, change the rotating direction of motor, and drive the motor to rotate a circle.

```
  if (m.steps<=0) {      //if motor has stopped,
    if (m.dir == m.CCW) {        //change the direction ,restart.
      m.moveSteps(m.CW, 1, 512);
    } else if (m.dir == m.CW) {
      m.moveSteps(m.CCW, 1, 512);
    }
  }
```

Finally draws the virtual fan.

```
drawFan(rotaPosition);
```

Reference

class SteppinMotor

This is a custom class that defines some methods to drive the four-phase stepper motor.

`public SteppingMotor(int[] mPins)`

Constructor. The parameter represents the GPIO pin connected to the stepper motor.

`public void motorStart()`

Start a stepper motor thread, then the thread is in the state of waiting, waiting for a notification to wake it up.

`public void moveSteps(int idir, int ims, int isteps)`

Used to drive stepper motor to rotate, the parameter "idir" indicates the direction that can be set as CW/CCW. The parameter "ims" is the delay (with unit ms) between each two steps of stepper motor. The higher the value of "ims", the lower the speed of stepper motor. Parameter "isteps" specifies the number of rotating steps of the stepper motor. As for four-phase stepper motor, four steps make a cycle, if set isteps=1, which means to specify the stepping motor to rotate four steps.

`public void motorStop()`

Stop stepper motor.

`public void motorRestart()`

Restart to drive stepper motor.

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Chapter 17 Matrix Keypad

In this chapter, we will learn how to use matrix keyboard.

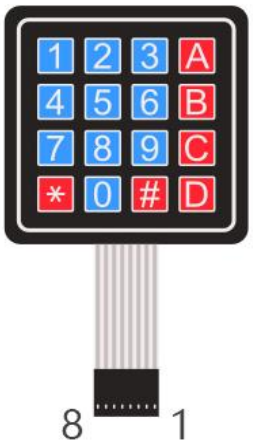
Project 17.1 Calculator

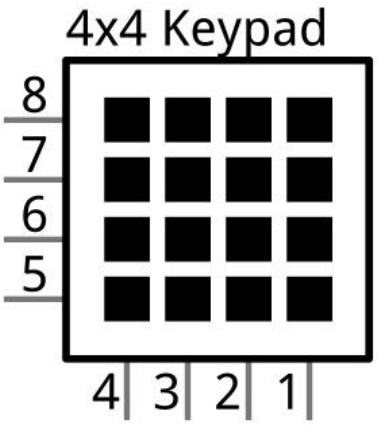
In this project, we will use a matrix keyboard to make a calculator.

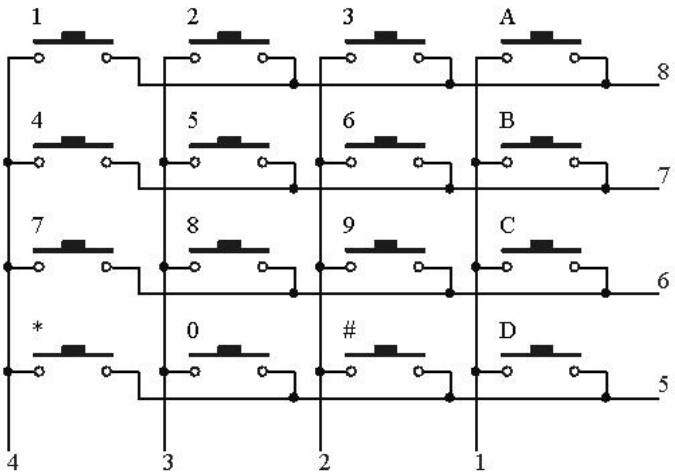
Component knowledge

4x4 Matrix Keypad

First, review the matrix keyboard sequence to facilitate building circuit.







Component List

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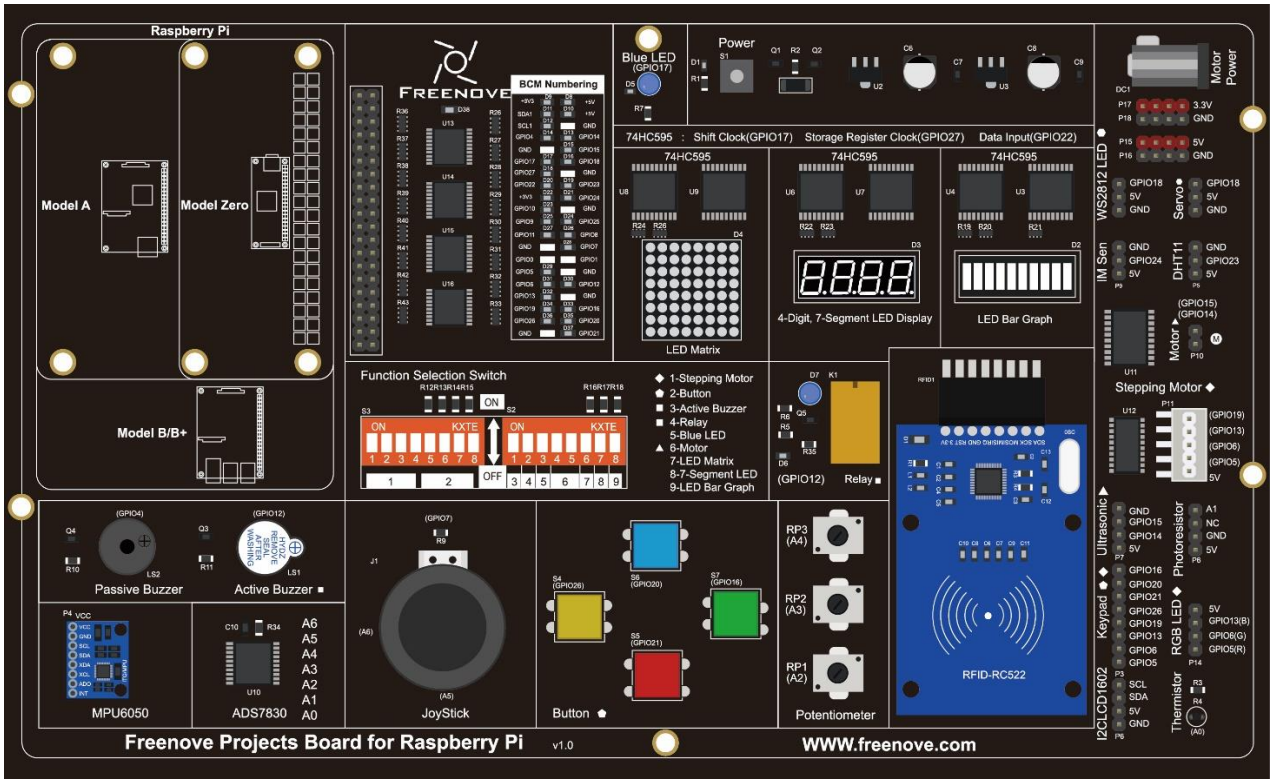

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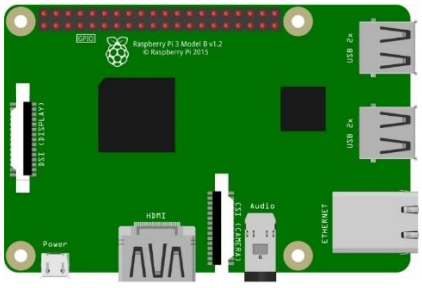

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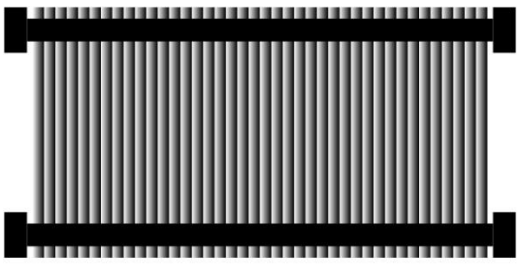
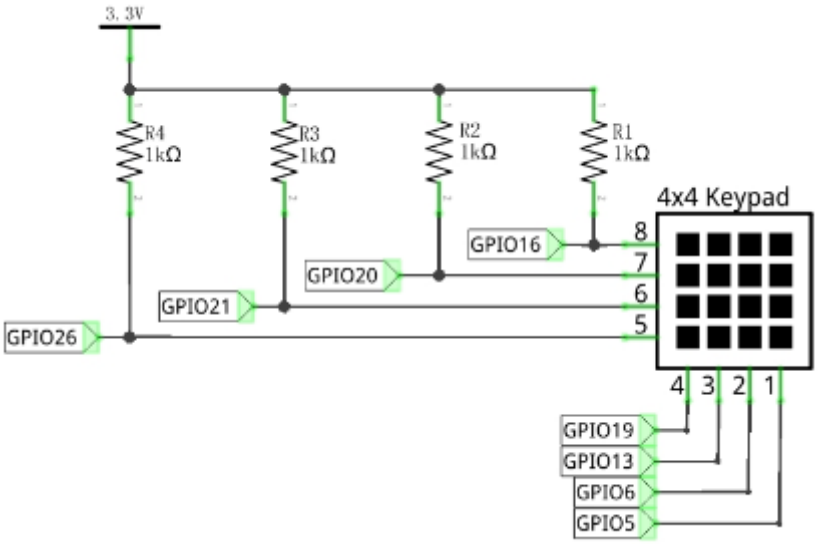


4x4 Matrix Keypad

Circuit

Schematic diagram



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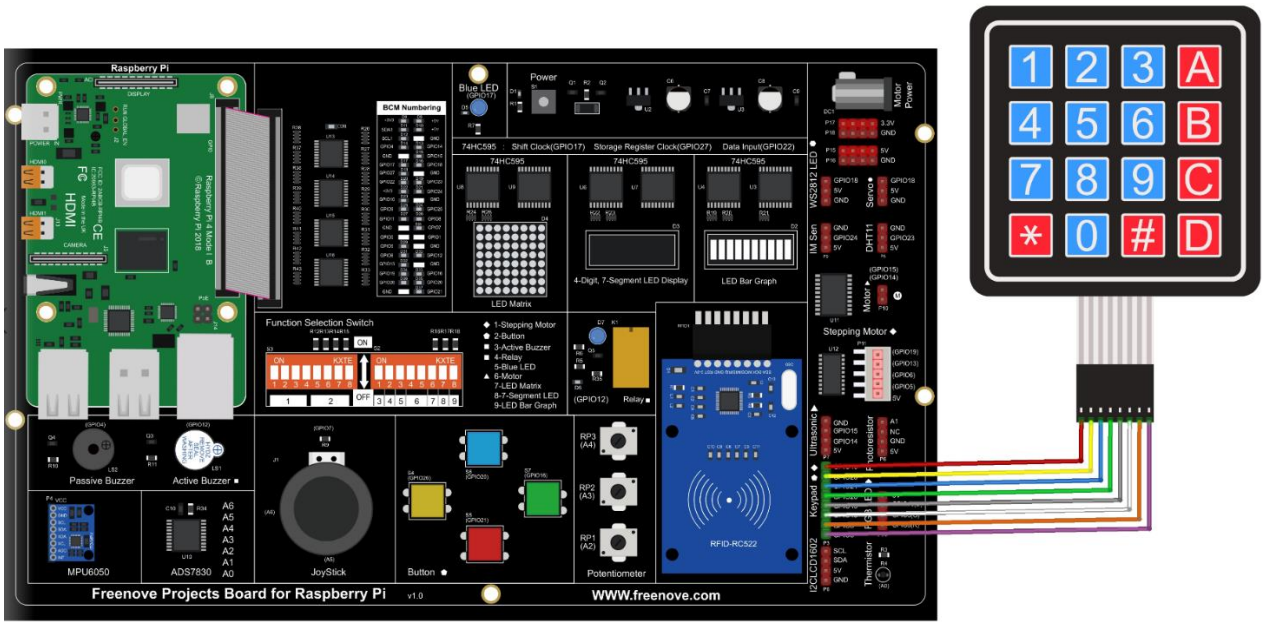

Stepper motor, keypad and RGBLED must NOT be used at the same time.

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Sketch

Sketch 17.1.1 Calculator

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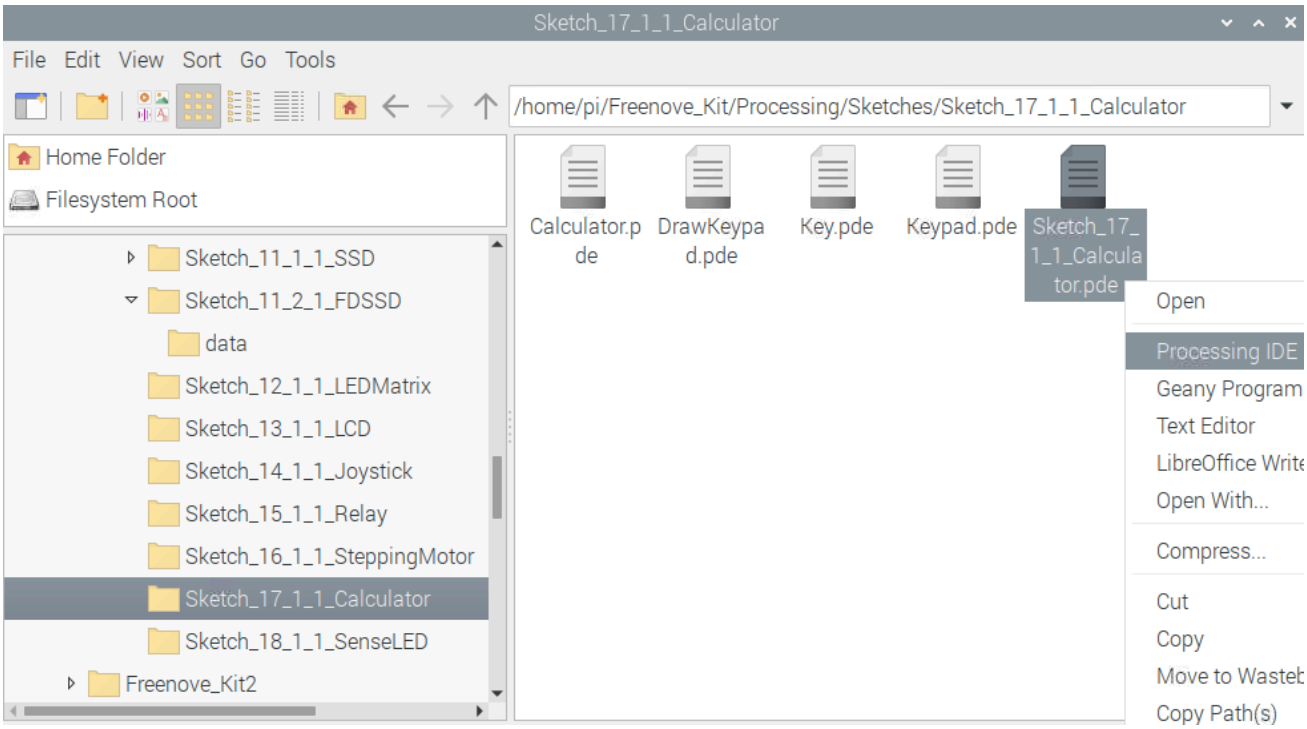
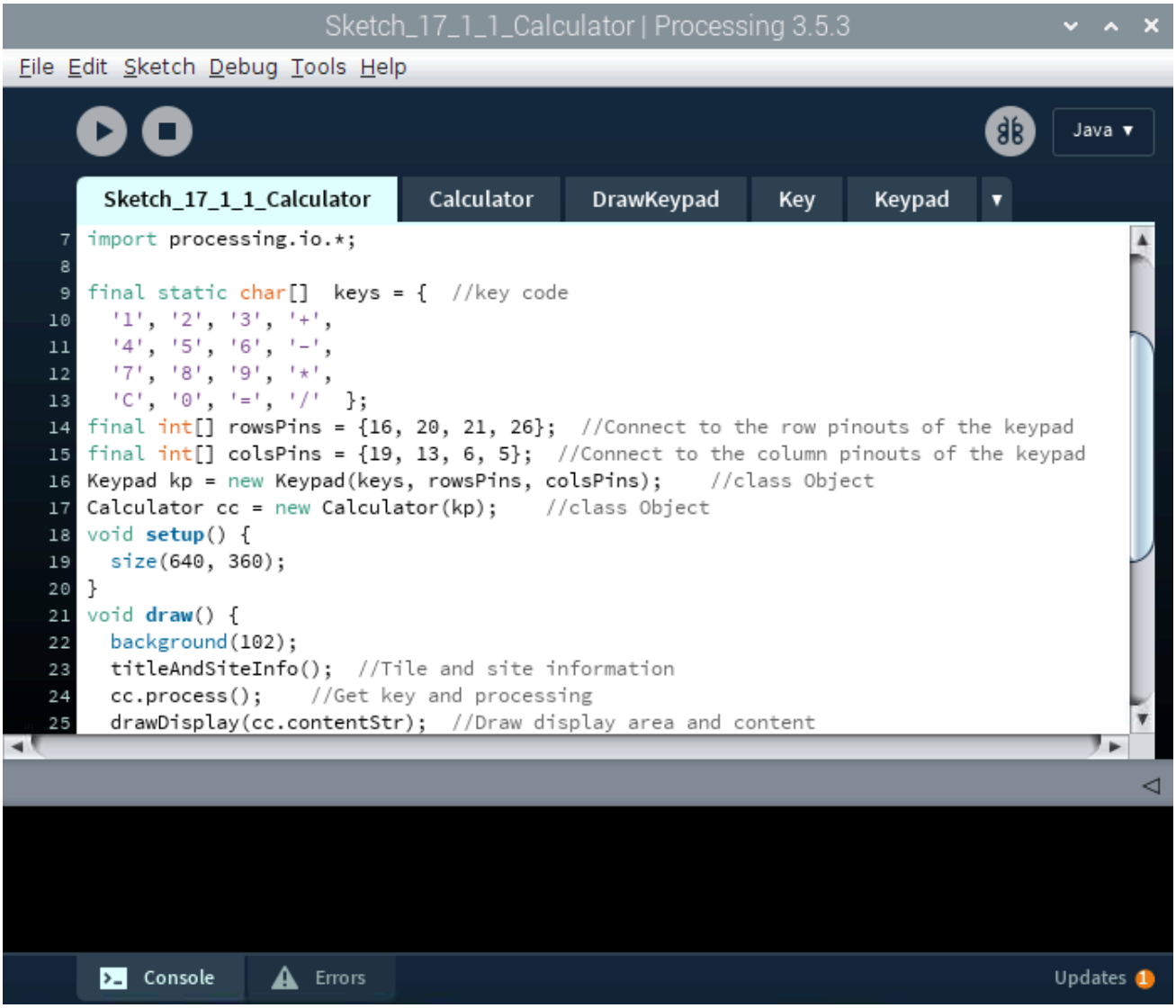
First, enter where the project is located:

```
/home/pi/Freenove_Kit/Processing/Sketches/Sketch_17_1_1_Calculator
```

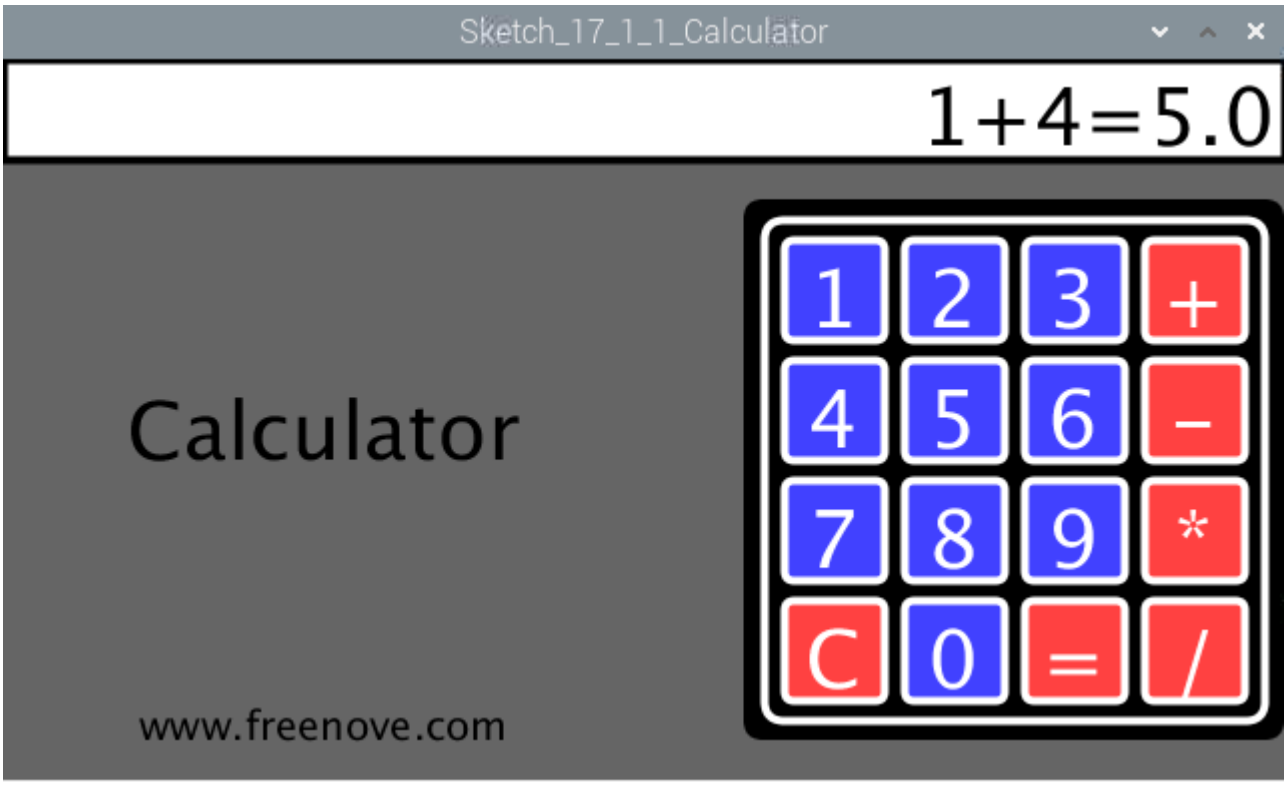
And then right-click to select Processing IDE



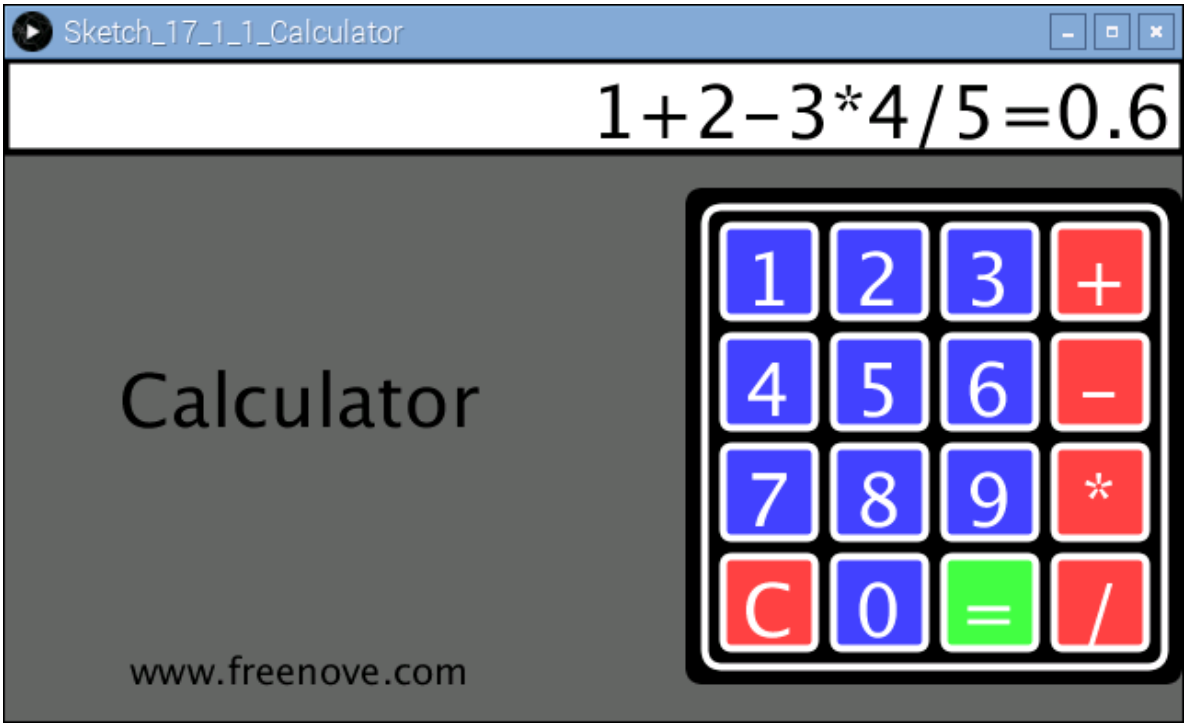
Open Processing and click Run



The result is as shown below. Pressing the matrix keypad can make calculation. (Clicking the windows doesn't work.)



Calculator achieves the basic operation of add, subtract, multiply and divide. Button "C" means Clear, namely, clear the current content. When a button is pressed, the color of the corresponding button on the virtual keyboard will be turned into green, which indicates that the button is pressed.



This project contains several code files, as shown below:

The following is program code:

```
import processing.io.*;

final static char[]  keys = {  //key code
  '1', '2', '3', '+',
  '4', '5', '6', '-',
  '7', '8', '9', '*',
  'C', '0', '=', '/'  };
final int[] rowsPins = {18, 23, 24, 25};  //Connect to the row pinouts of the keypad
final int[] colsPins = {10, 22, 27, 17};  //Connect to the column pinouts of the keypad
Keypad kp = new Keypad(keys, rowsPins, colsPins);    //class object
```

```
11  Calculator cc = new Calculator(kp);    //class Object
12  void setup() {
13    size(640, 360);
14  }
15  void draw() {
16    background(102);
17    titleAndSiteInfo();  //Tile and site information
18    cc.process();    //Get key and processing
19    drawDisplay(cc.contentStr);  //Draw display area and content
20    drawKeypad(width-kpSize, 70);    //draw virtual Keypad
21  }
22  void titleAndSiteInfo() {
23    fill(0);
24    textAlign(CENTER);    //set the text centered
25    textSize(40);        //set text size
26    text("Calculator", width / 4, 200);    //title
27    textSize(20);
28    text("www.freenove.com", width / 4, height - 20);    //site
29  }
```

In the code, first define key code of the Keypad, and the GPIO connected to the Keypad. Then create a Keypad class object based on the information, and finally create a Calculator class object according to the Keypad class object.

```
final static char[]  keys = {  //key code
  '1', '2', '3', '+',
  '4', '5', '6', '-',
  '7', '8', '9', '*',
  'C', '0', '=', '/'  };
final int[] rowsPins = {18, 23, 24, 25};  //Connect to the row pinouts of the keypad
final int[] colsPins = {10, 22, 27, 17};  //Connect to the column pinouts of the keypad
Keypad kp = new Keypad(keys, rowsPins, colsPins);    //class object
Calculator cc = new Calculator(kp);    //class object
```

In draw(), use cc.process() to obtain the key code of Keypad and for processing. And then draw the display area and virtual Keypad.

```
void draw() {
  background(102);
  titleAndSiteInfo();  //Tile and site information
  cc.process();    //Get key and processing
  drawDisplay(cc.contentStr);  //Draw display area and content
  drawKeypad(width-kpSize, 70);    //draw virtual Keypad
}
```

Reference

void drawKeypad(int x, int y)

Used to draw a Keypad with (x, y) on the upper left corner.

void drawDisplay(String content)

The function at the top of the window to draw a calculator display area, and in the area of the right alignment display content.

class Key

This is a custom class that defines the associated attribute owned by a key. There are only some member variables and a constructor in this class.

class Keypad

This is a custom class that defines the methods to use keypad.

```
public Keypad(char[] usrKeyMap, int[] row_Pins, int[] col_Pins)
```

Constructor, the parameters are: key code of keyboard, row pins, column pins.

```
public char getKey()
```

Get the key code of the pressed key. If no key is pressed, the return value is '\0'.

```
public void setDebounceTime(int ms)
```

Set the debounce time. And the default time is 10ms.

```
public void setHoldTime(int ms)
```

Set the time when the key holds stable state after pressed.

```
public boolean isPressed(char keyChar)
```

Judge wether the key with code "keyChar" is pressed.

```
public char waitForKey()
```

Wait for a key to be pressed, and return key code of the pressed key.

```
public int getState()
```

Get state of the keys.

```
boolean keyStateChanged()
```

Judge whether there is a change of key state, then return True or False.

class Calculator

This is a custom class that defines the rules and calculating methods of the calculator.

```
String contentStr = "";
```

Member variable that saves the current processing results of the calculator, which will be directly displayed in the display area.

```
public Calculator(Keypad kp)
```

Constructor. the parameter is for the Keypad class object.

```
public void process()
```

Gets the key code of the key, and makes the corresponding judgment and processing. The Processing results are stored in the member variable “contentStr”.

```
public double parse(String content)
```

This is the core of the calculator. It is to parse a string of four fundamental operations and return its double-precision floating-point number equivalent. For example, enter a string "1+2-3*4/5", then return value of 0.6.

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Chapter 18 Infrared Motion Sensor

In this chapter, we will learn a widely used sensor, Infrared Motion Sensor.

Project 18.1 Sense LED

In this project, we will make a sense LED.

Component List

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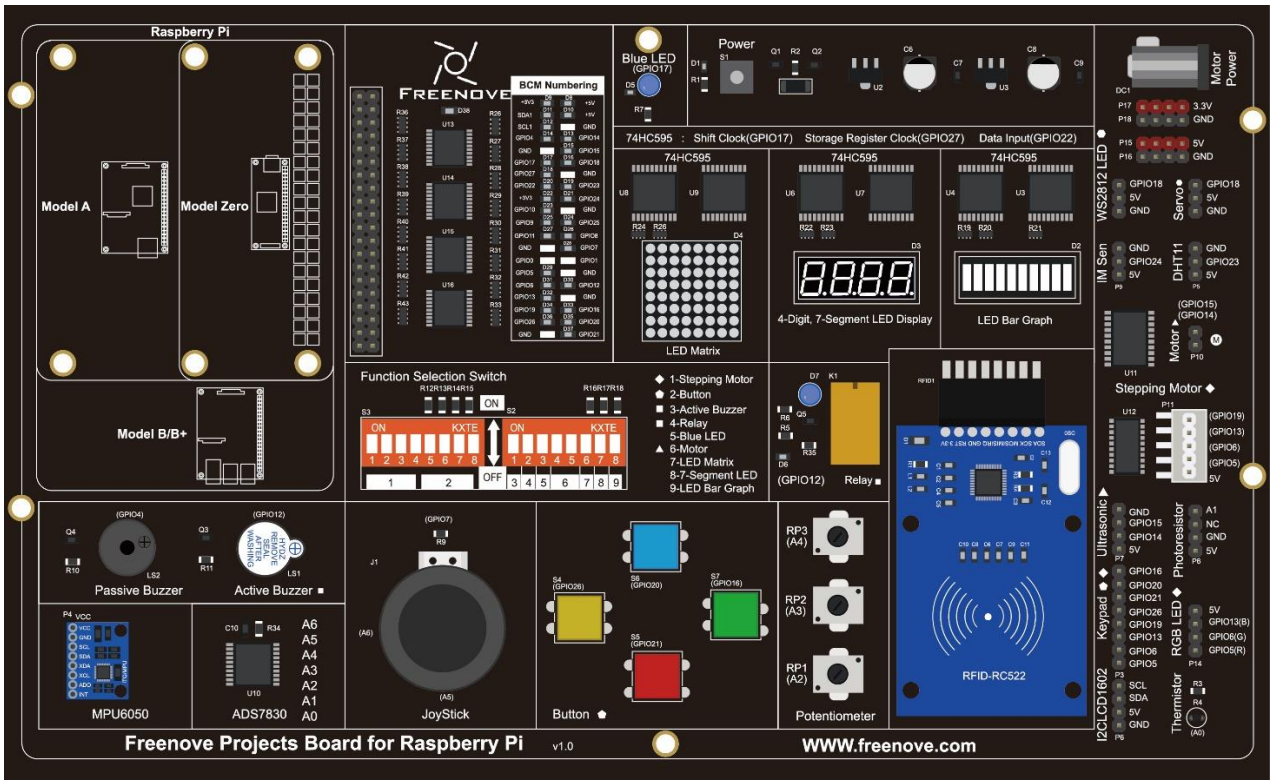

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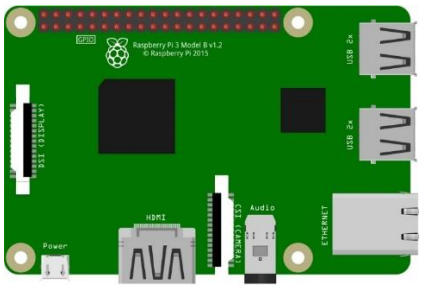

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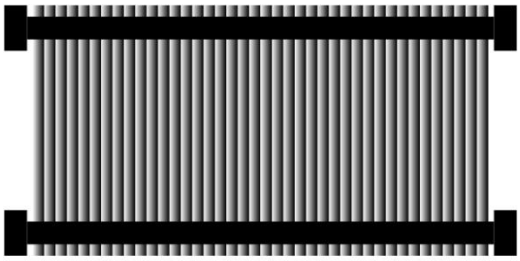

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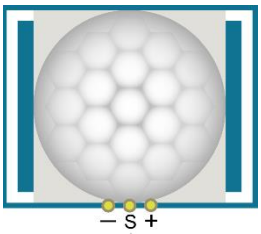
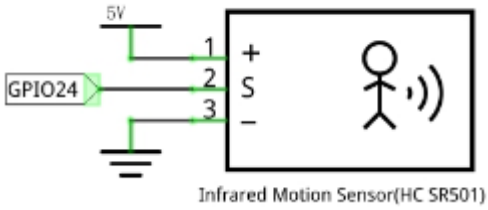
	

Circuit

Schematic diagram



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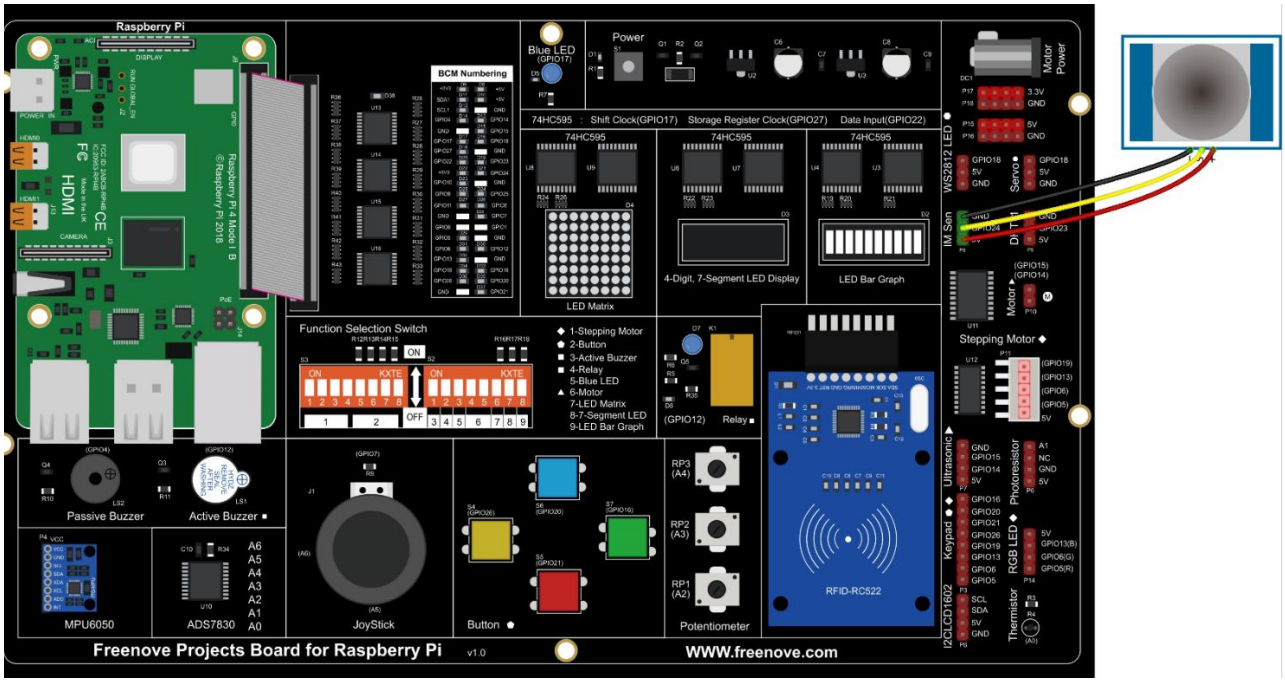

How to use this sensor?

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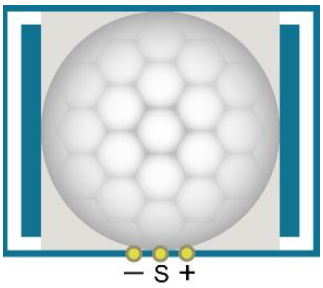
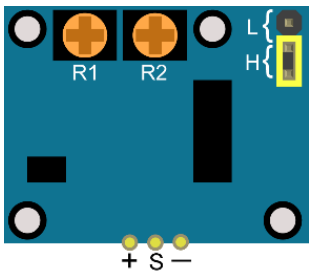
	

Description:

1. You can choose non-repeatable trigger modes or repeatable modes.
   L: non-repeatable trigger mode. The module outputs high level after sensing a body, then when the delay time is over, the module will output low level. During high level time, the sensor no longer actively senses bodies.
   H: repeatable trigger mode. The distinction from the L mode is that it can sense a body until that body leaves.

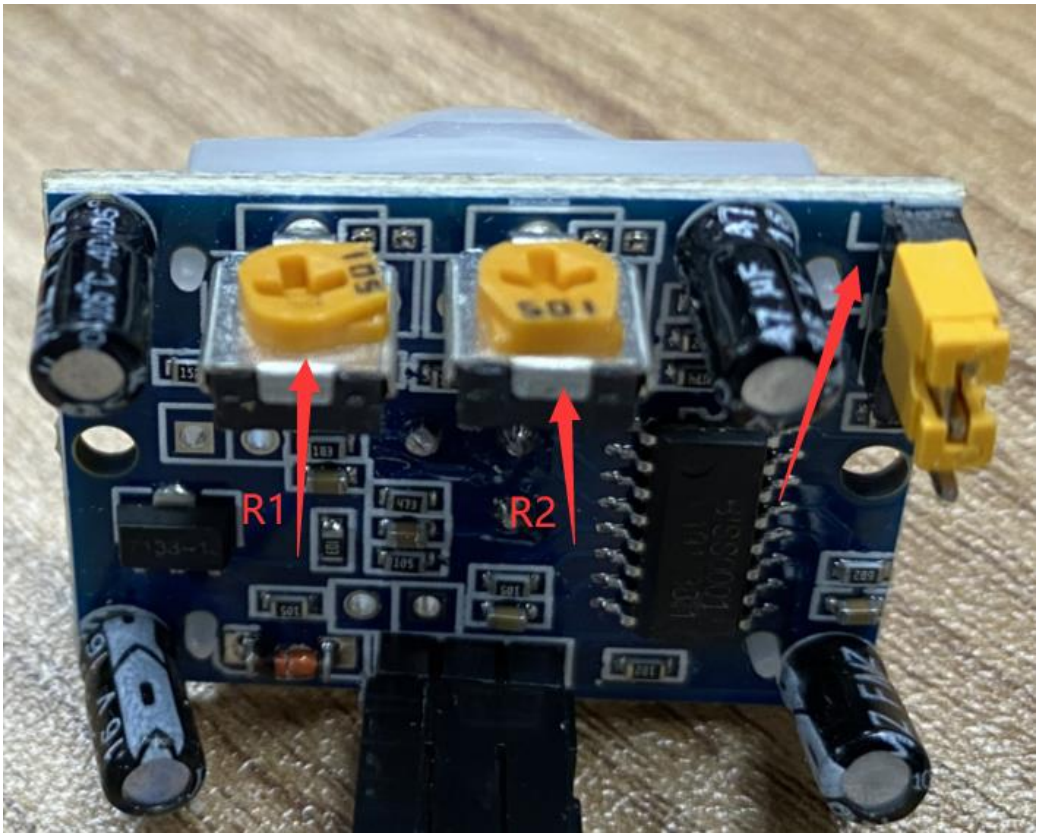
After this, it starts to time and output low level after delaying T time.

2. R1 is used to adjust HIGH level lasting time when sensor detects human motion, 1.2s-320s.
3. R2 is used to adjust the maxmum distance the sensor can detect, 3~5m.

Here we connect L and adjust R1 and R2 like below to do this project.

Put you hand close and away from the sensor slowly. Obsever the LED in previous circuit.

It need some time between two detections.



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Sketch

Sketch 18.1.1 SenseLED

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First, enter where the project is located:

```
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```
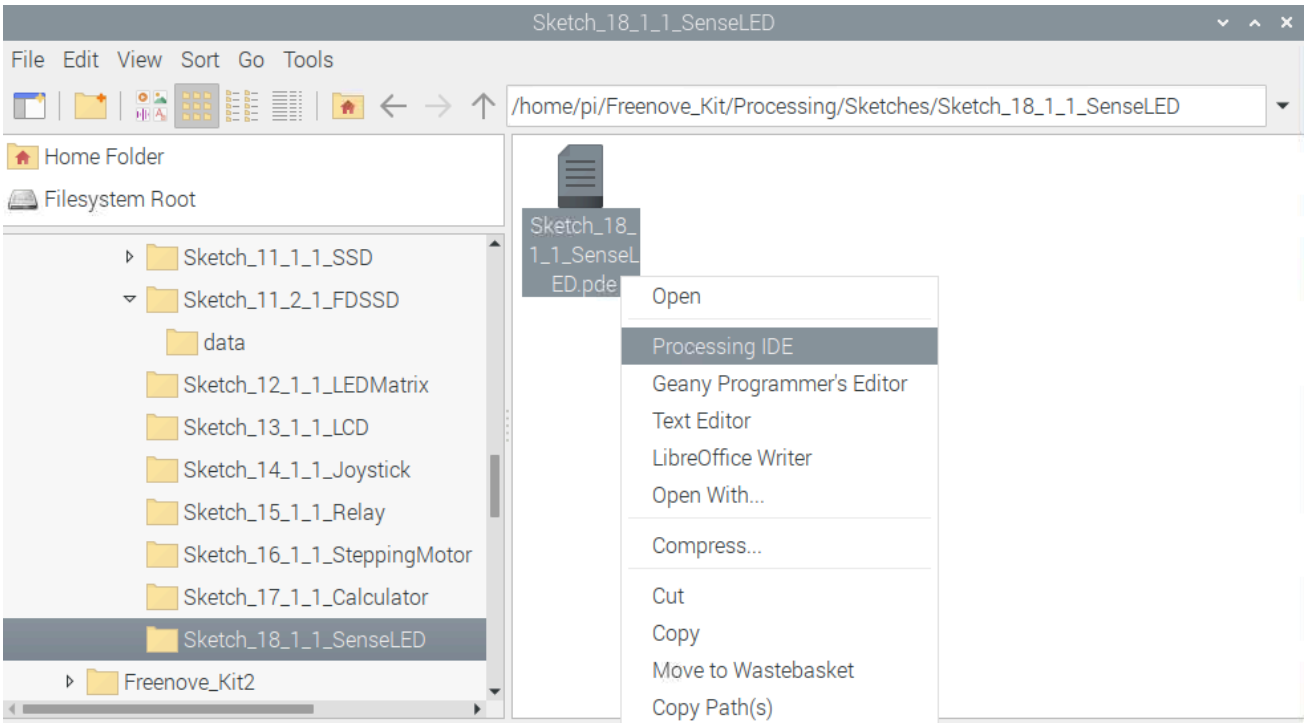
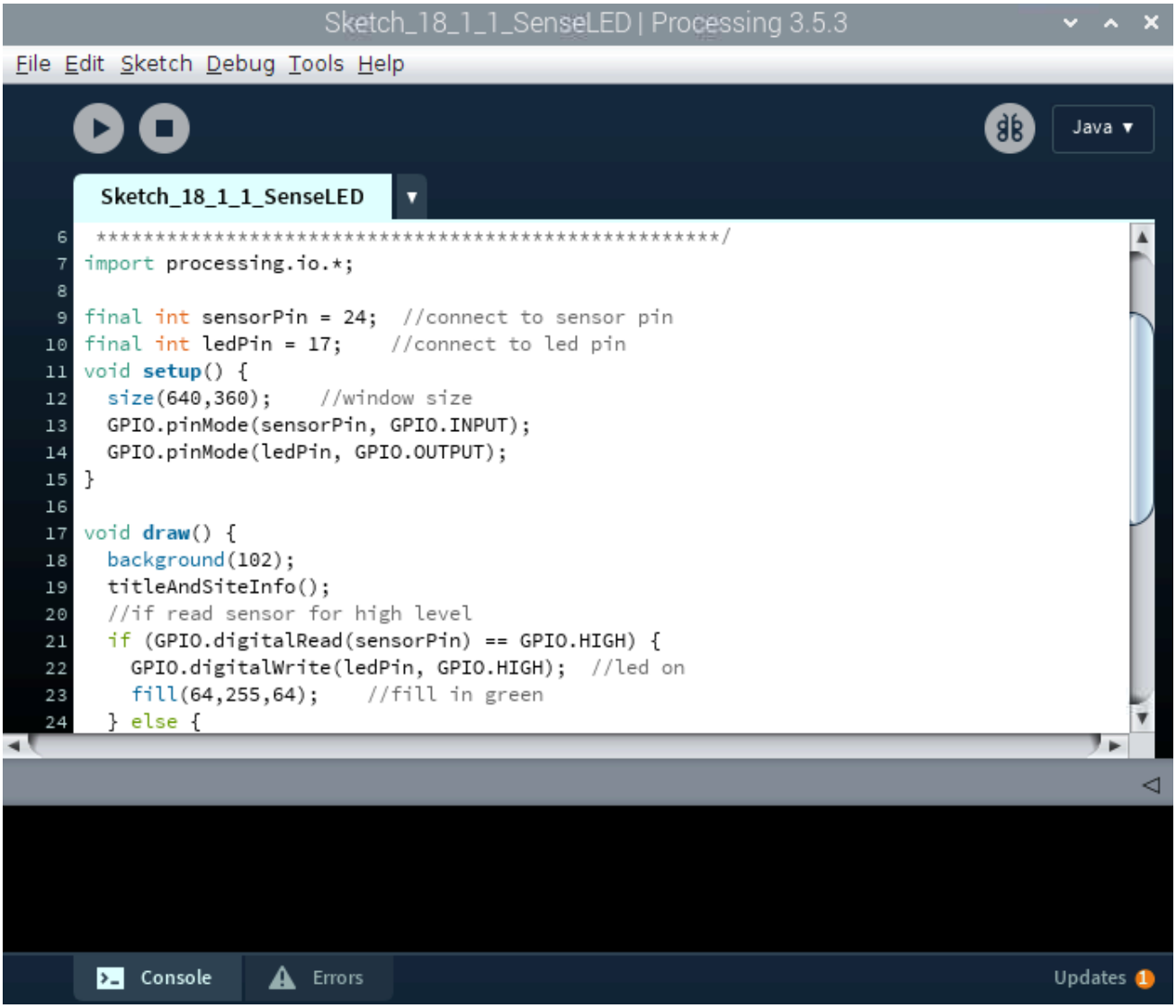
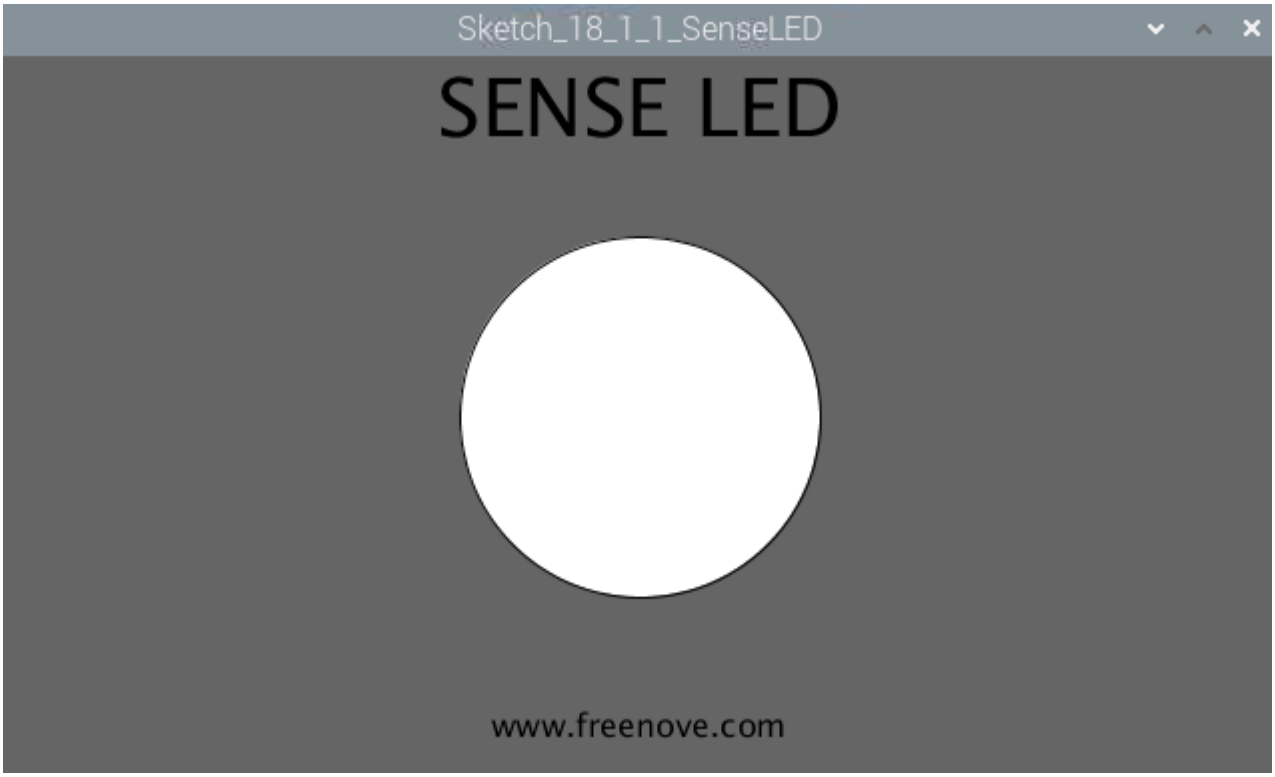

And then right-click to select Processing IDE



Open Processing and click Run



The result is as shown below. When the sensor detects a person's movement, it will light up LED.



The following is program code:

```
import processing.io.*;

final int sensorPin = 17;  //connect to sensor pin
final int ledPin = 18;    //connect to led pin
void setup() {
  size(640,360);    //window size
  GPIO.pinMode(sensorPin, GPIO.INPUT);
  GPIO.pinMode(ledPin, GPIO.OUTPUT);
}

void draw() {
  background(102);
  titleAndSiteInfo();
  //if read sensor for high level
  if (GPIO.digitalRead(sensorPin) == GPIO.HIGH) {
    GPIO.digitalWrite(ledPin, GPIO.HIGH);  //led on
    fill(64,255,64);    //fill in green
  } else {
    GPIO.digitalWrite(ledPin, GPIO.LOW);  //led off
    fill(255);        //fill in white
  }
  ellipse(width/2,height/2,height/2,height/2);
```

```
}

void titleAndSiteInfo() {
  fill(0);
  textAlign(CENTER);    //set the text centered
  textSize(40);         //set text size
  text("SENSE LED", width / 2, 40);    //title
  textSize(16);
  text("www.freenove.com", width / 2, height - 20);    //site
}
```

In this project, the code is relatively simple. In the function draw(), read level of sensor pin. When it is a high level, LED is turned on. At the same time the filled color will be changed to green. When the level is low, LED turns off and the filled color turns white. Finally, it draws a circle.

```
void draw() {
  background(102);
  titleAndSiteInfo();
  //if read sensor for high level
  if (GPIO.digitalRead(sensorPin) == GPIO.HIGH) {
    GPIO.digitalWrite(ledPin, GPIO.HIGH);  //led on
    fill(64,255,64);    //fill in green
  } else {
    GPIO.digitalWrite(ledPin, GPIO.LOW);  //led off
    fill(255);          //fill in white
  }
  ellipse(width/2,height/2,height/2,height/2);
}
```

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App 1 Oscilloscope

We have used the ADC module to read the voltage of potentiometer to achieve the function of a voltmeter before. In this chapter, we will make a more complex virtual instrument, oscilloscope. Oscilloscope is a widely used electronic measuring instrument. It can get the electrical signals that cannot be observed directly into visible images to facilitate the analysis and study of various electrical signals changing process.

App 1.1 Oscilloscope

Now, let's make an oscilloscope.

Component List

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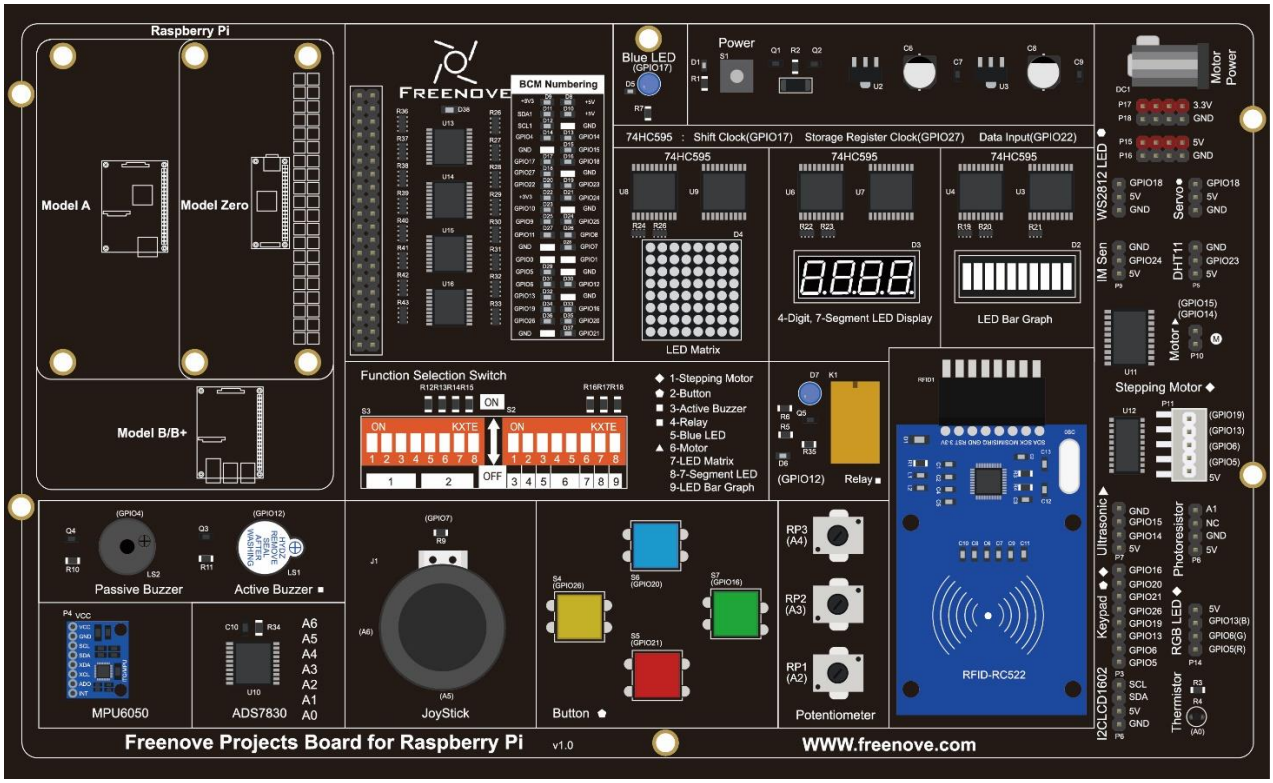

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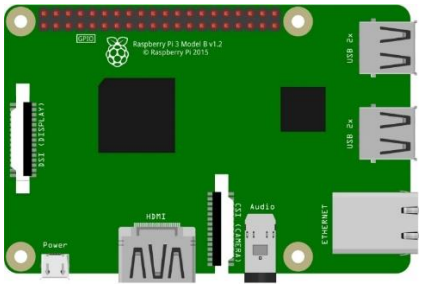

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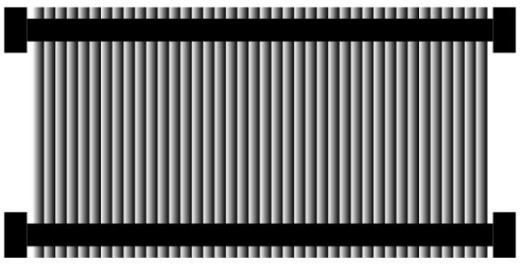
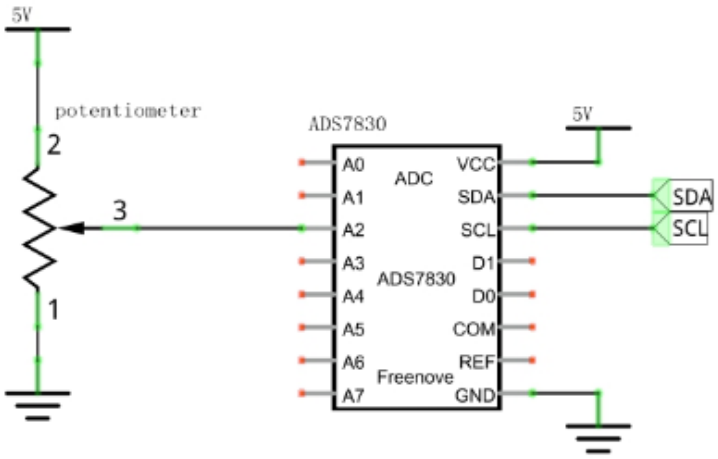


Circuit

Schematic diagram



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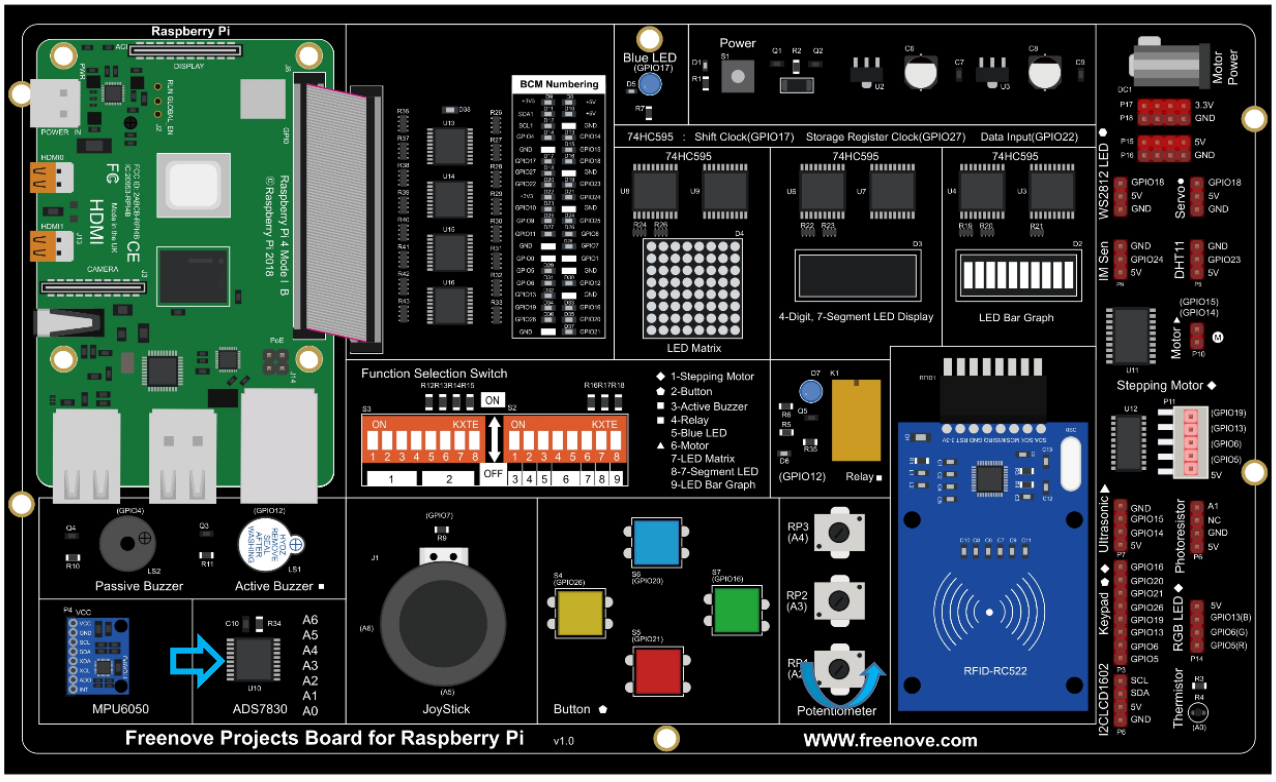

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Sketch

Sketch 1.1.1 Oscilloscope

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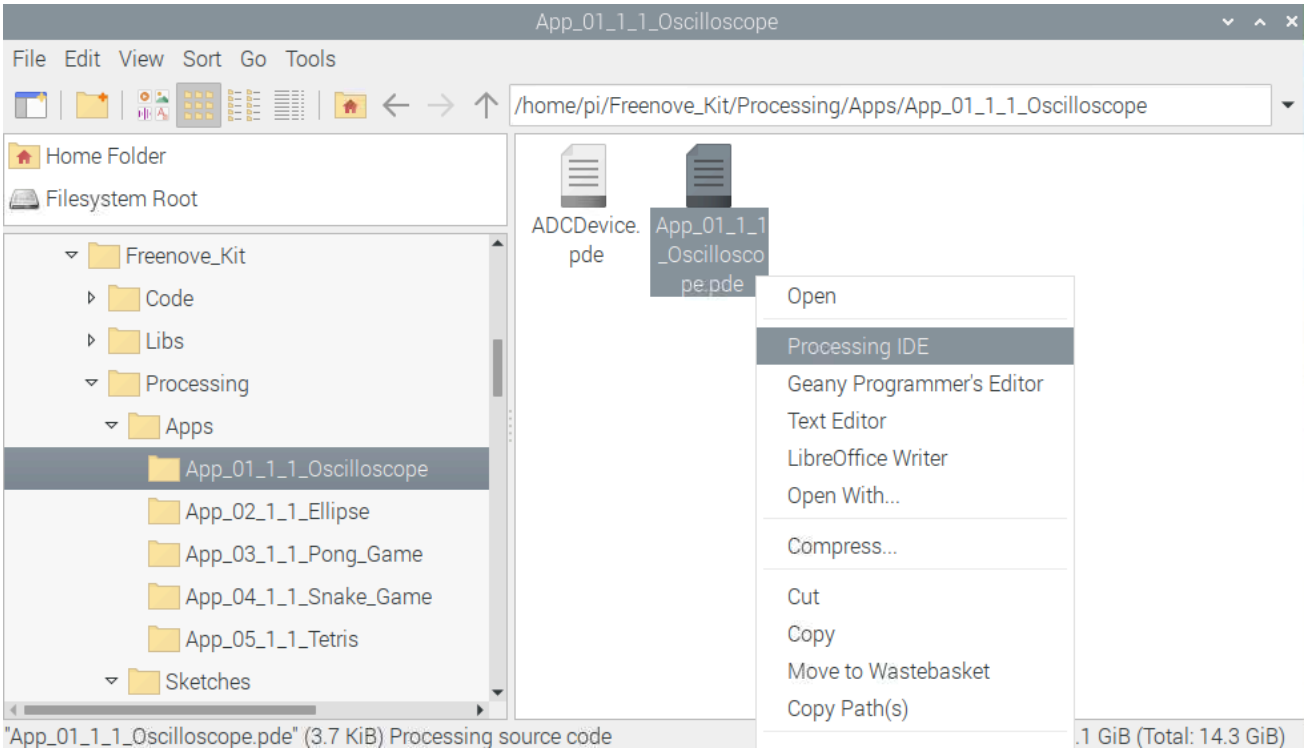

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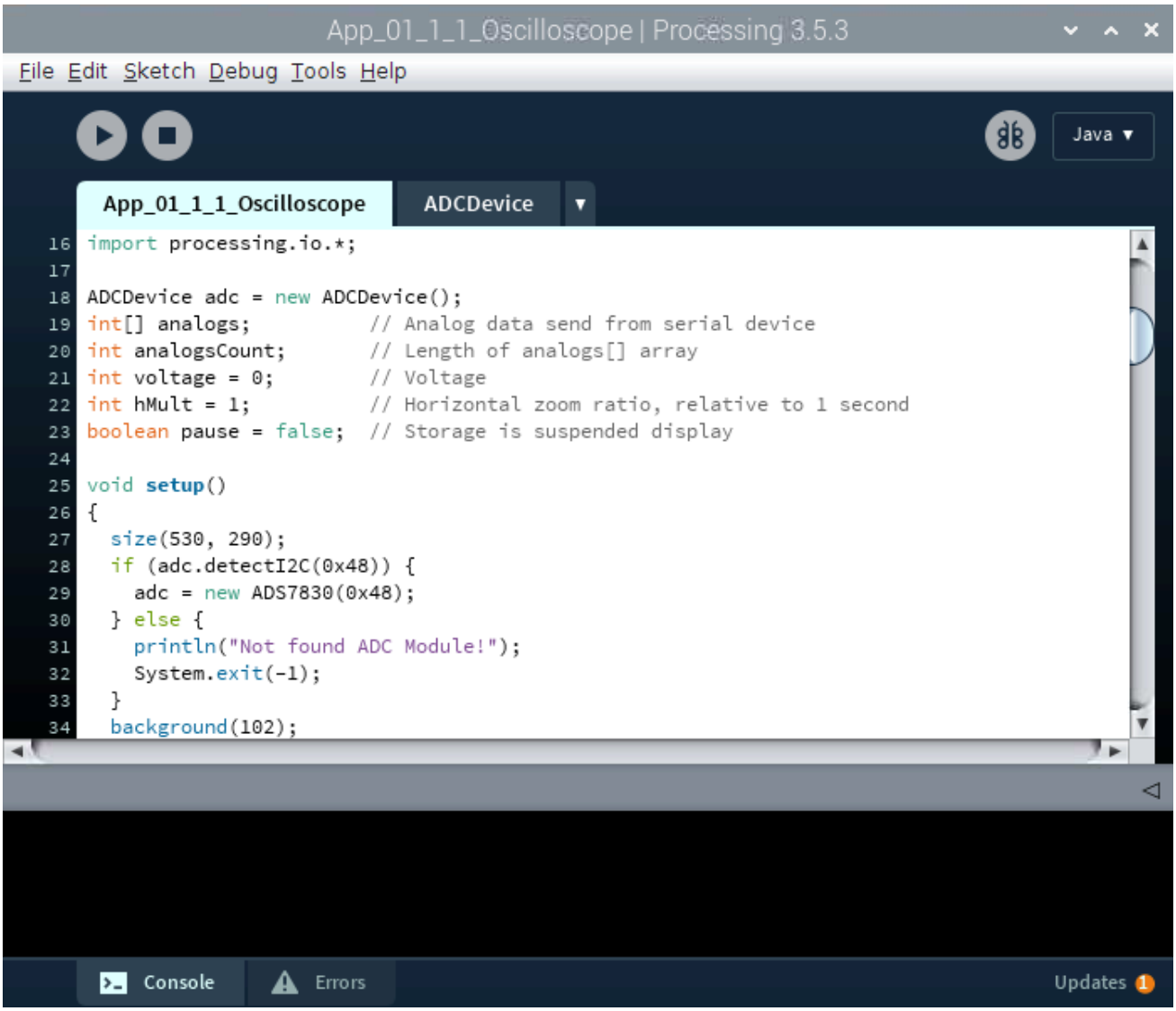
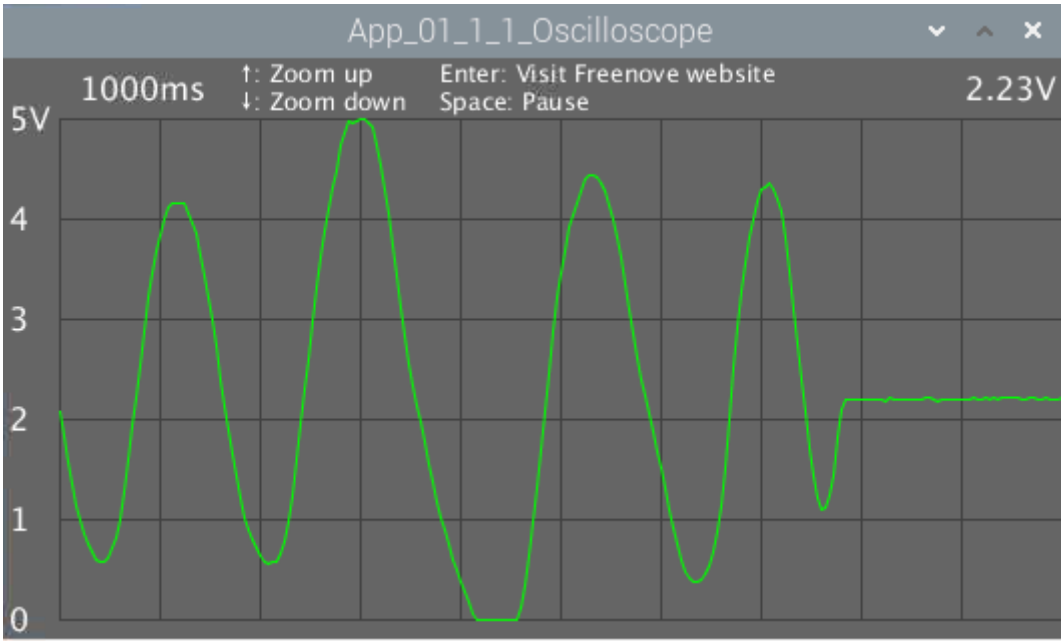


The result is as shown below. Rotating RP1 potemtiometer will make changes.



The left side of the software interface is a voltage scale, which is used to indicate the voltage of the waveform.
The "1000ms" on top left corner is the time of a square, and you can press “↑” and “↓” key on keyboard to adjust it.
The "0.00V" on top right corner is the voltage value of current signal.
You can press the space bar on keyboard to pause the display of waveform, which is easy to view and analysis.

We believe that with the help of this oscilloscope, you can have a more intuitive understanding of the actual work of some electronic circuits. It will help you complete the project and facilitate troubleshooting. You can export this sketch to an application used as a tool.

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App 2 Control Graphics

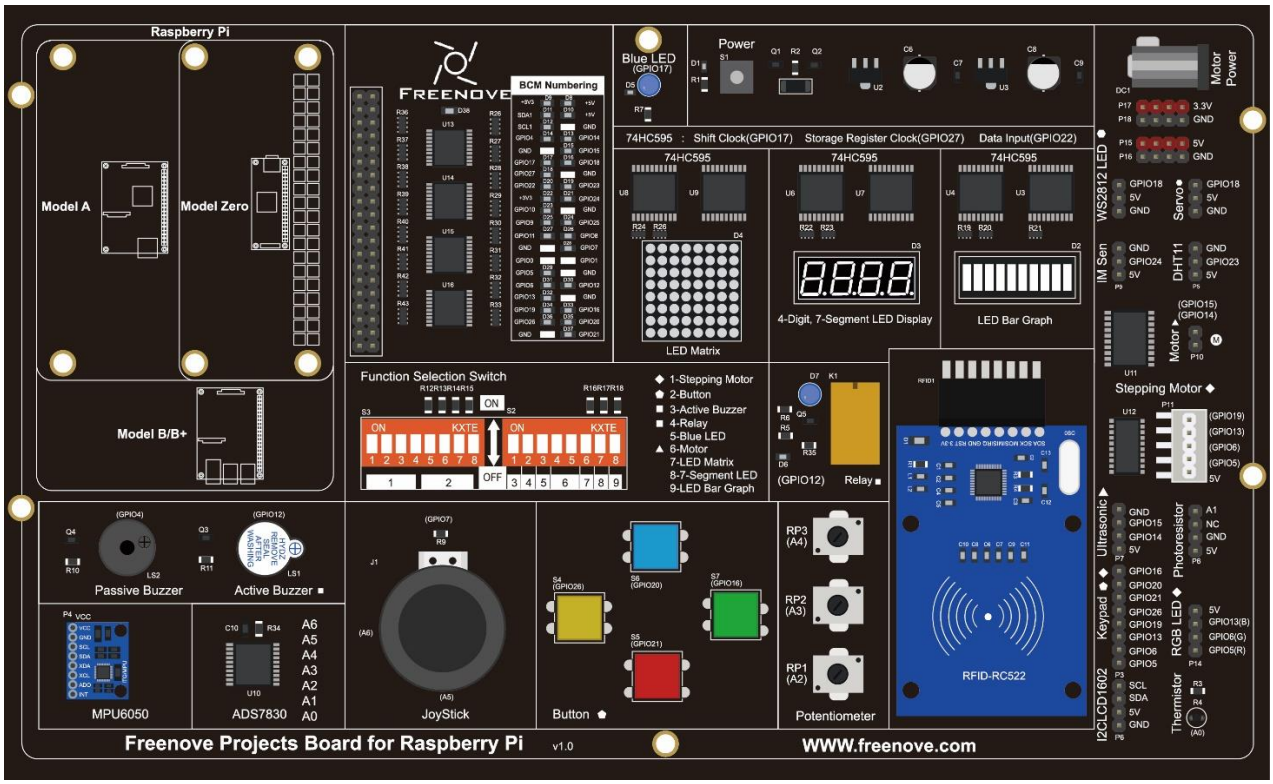
In this chapter, we will use a potentiometer to make the graphics change in Processing.

App 2.1 Ellipse

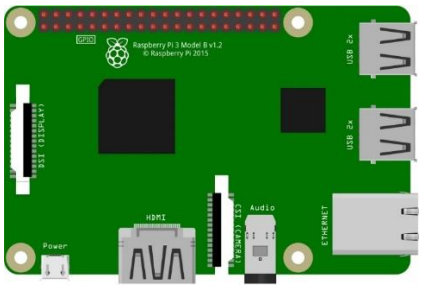
This project uses two potentiometers to control the size and shape of an ellipse respectively.

Component List

Freenove Projects Board for Raspberry Pi



Raspberry Pi



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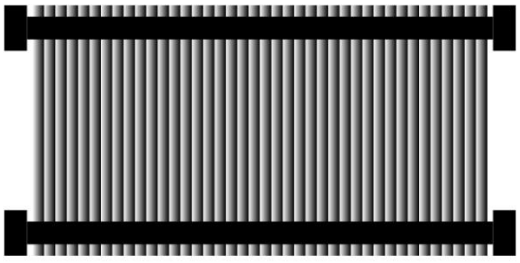
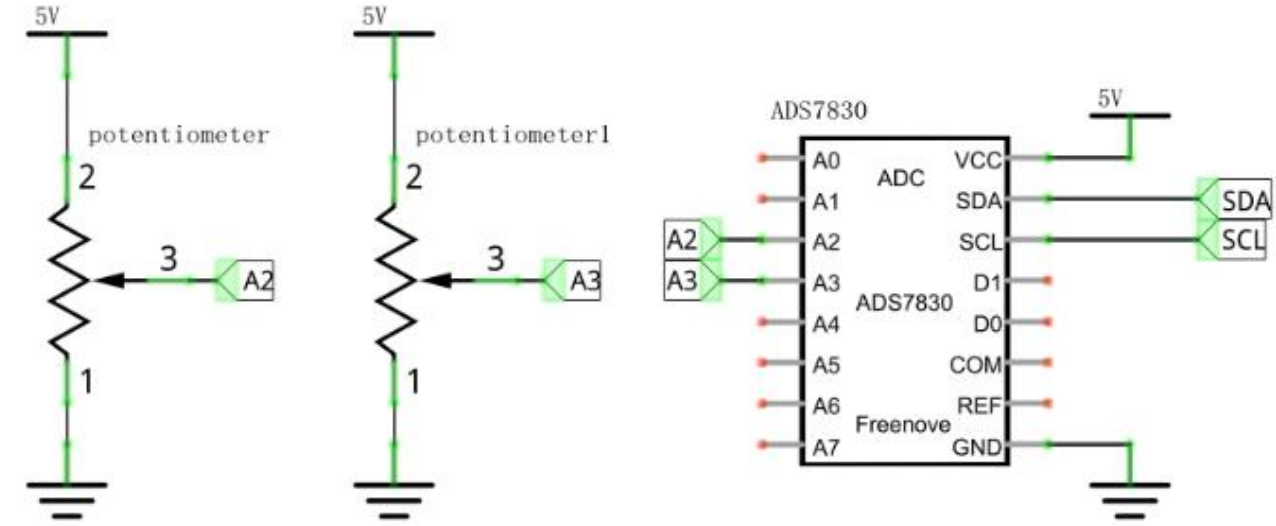
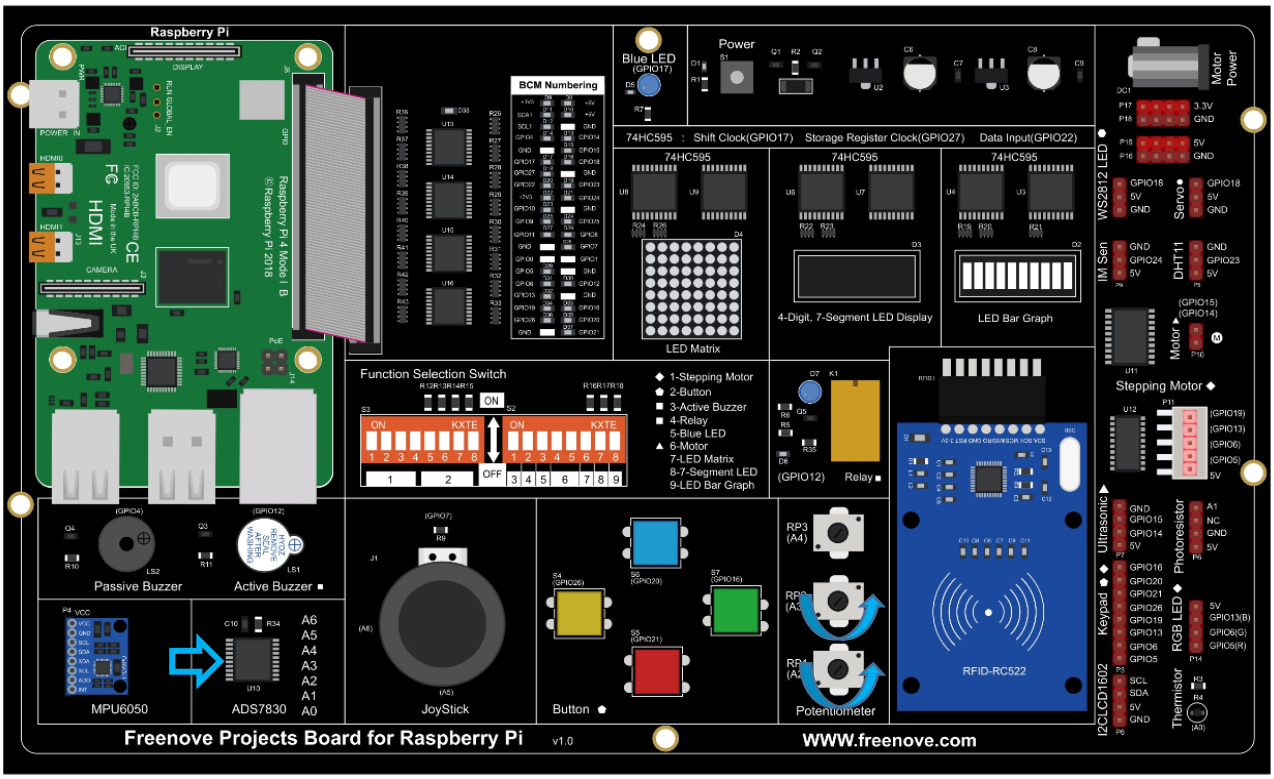


Circuit

Schematic diagram



Hardware connection.



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Sketch

Sketch 2.1.1 Ellipse

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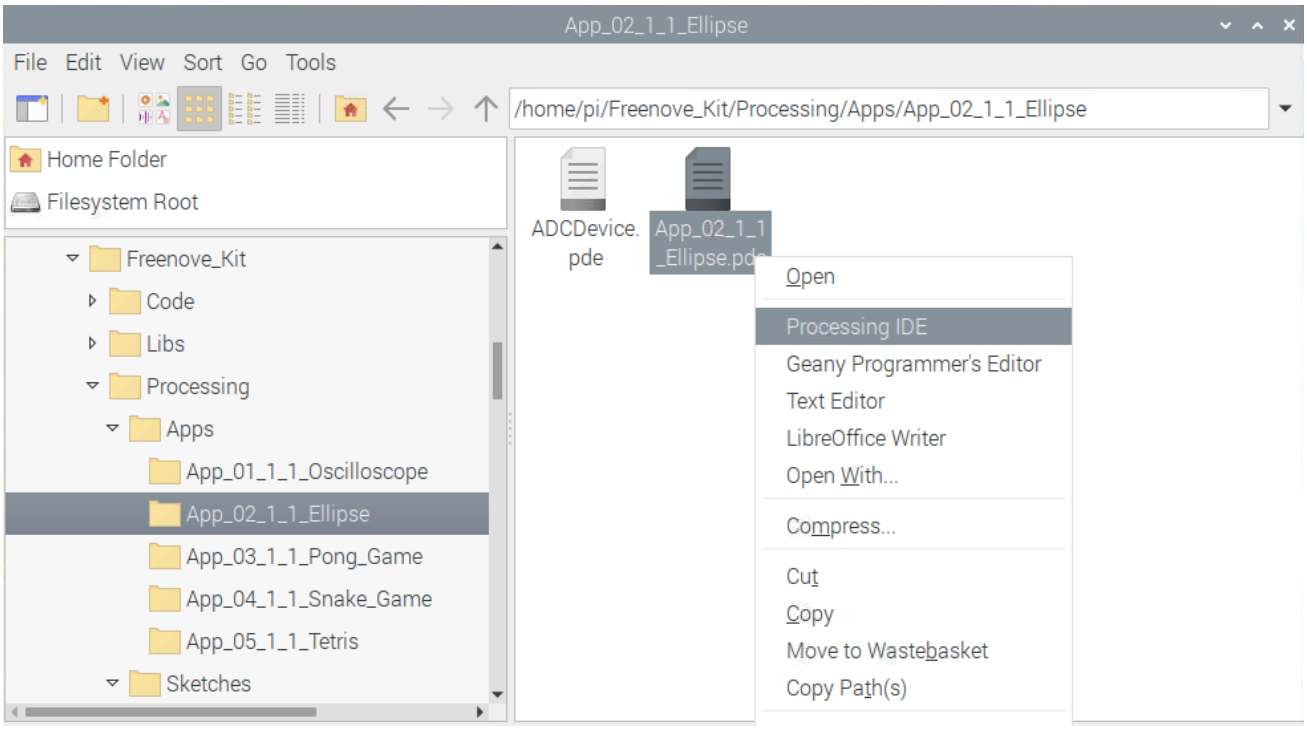

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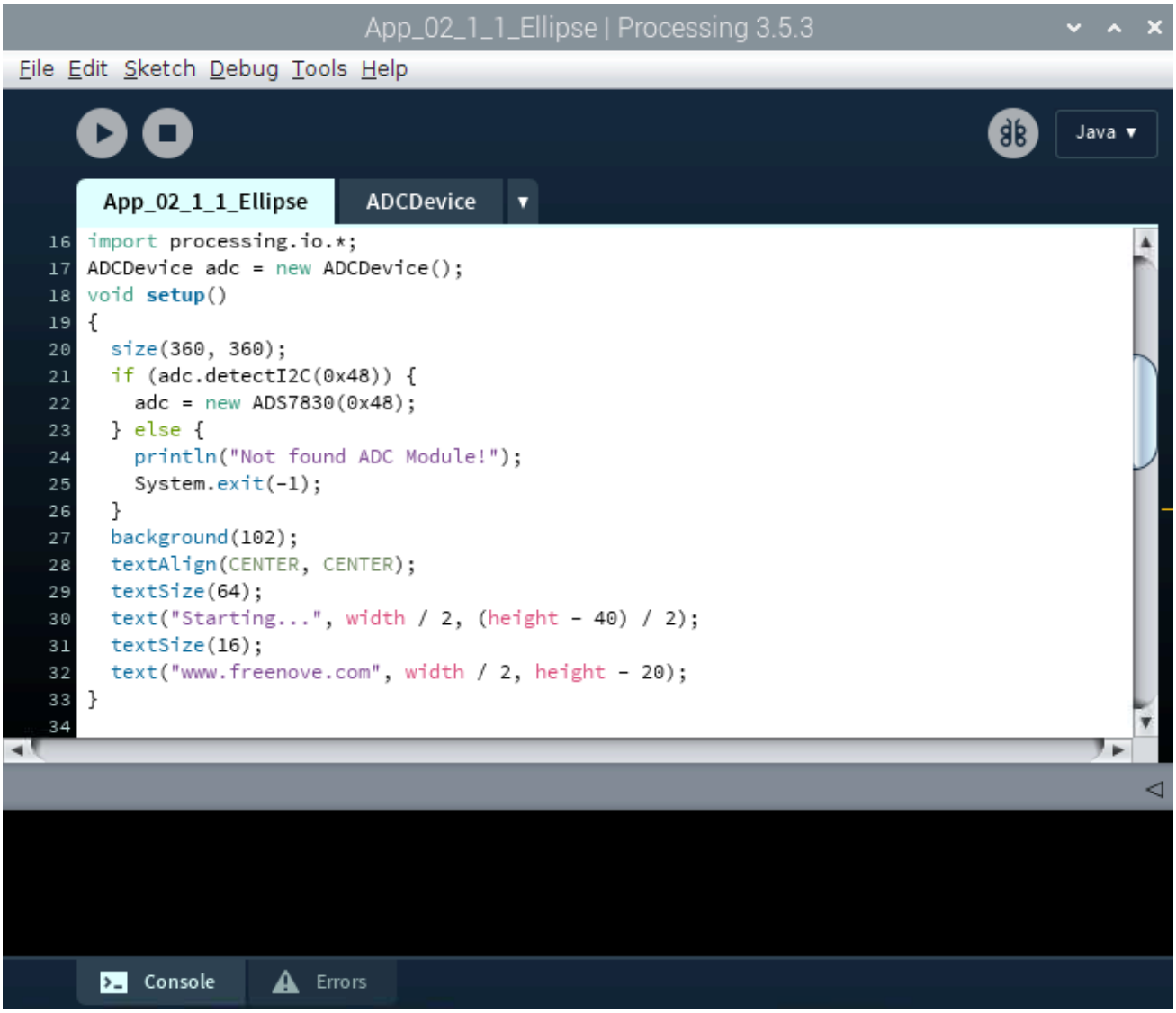

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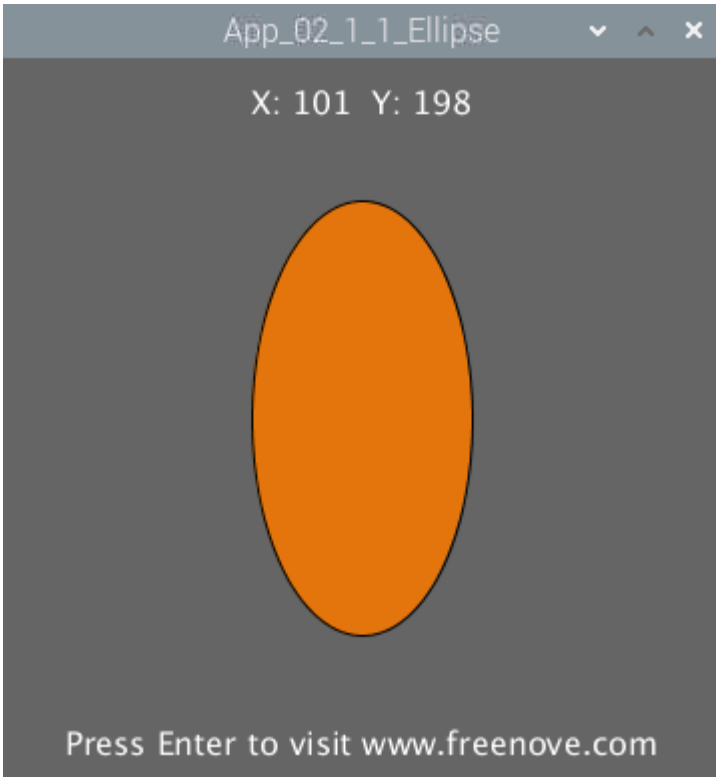

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App 3 Pong Game

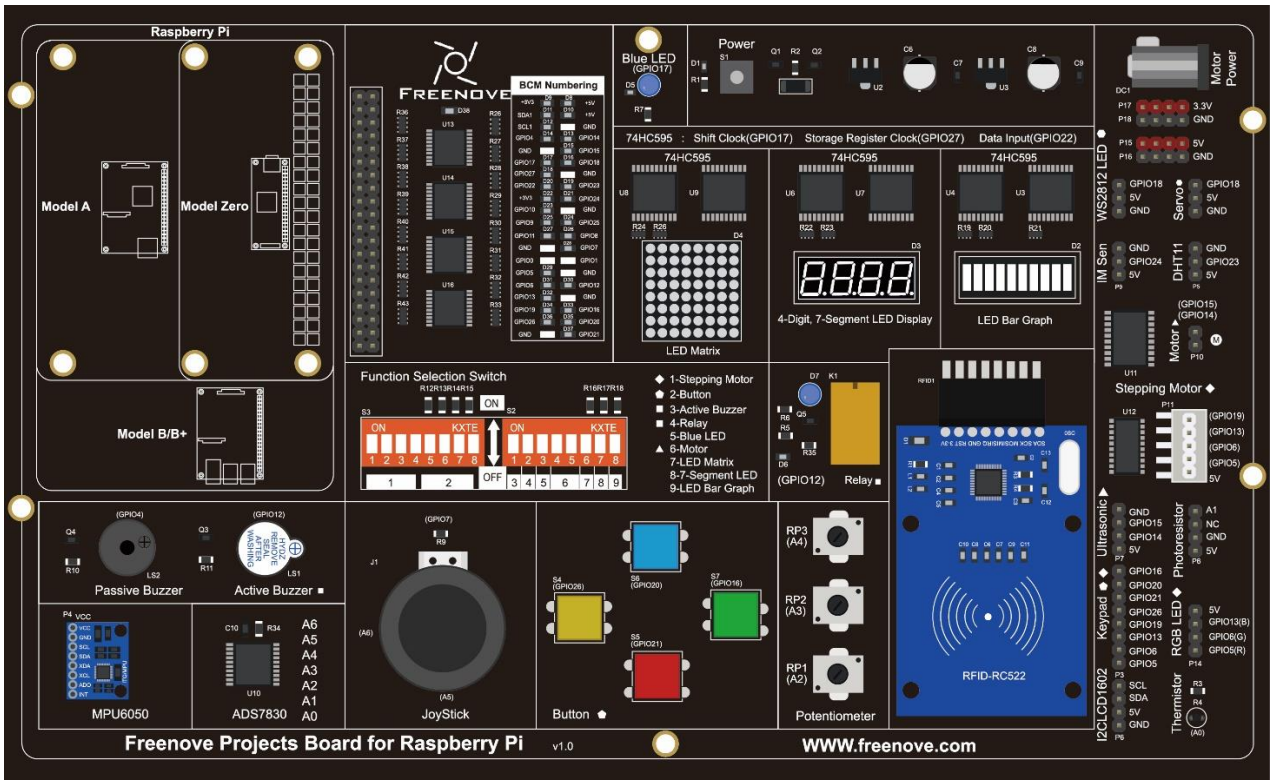
In this chapter, we will play a Pong Game.

App 3.1 Pong Game

Now, let's create and experience our own game.

Component List

Freenove Projects Board for Raspberry Pi



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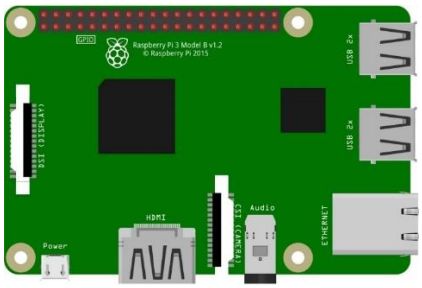

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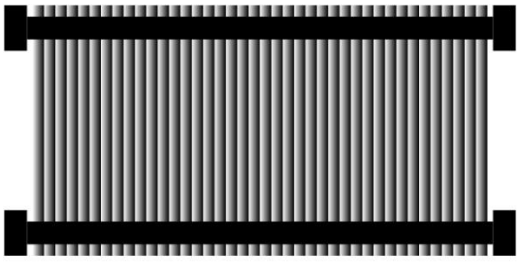
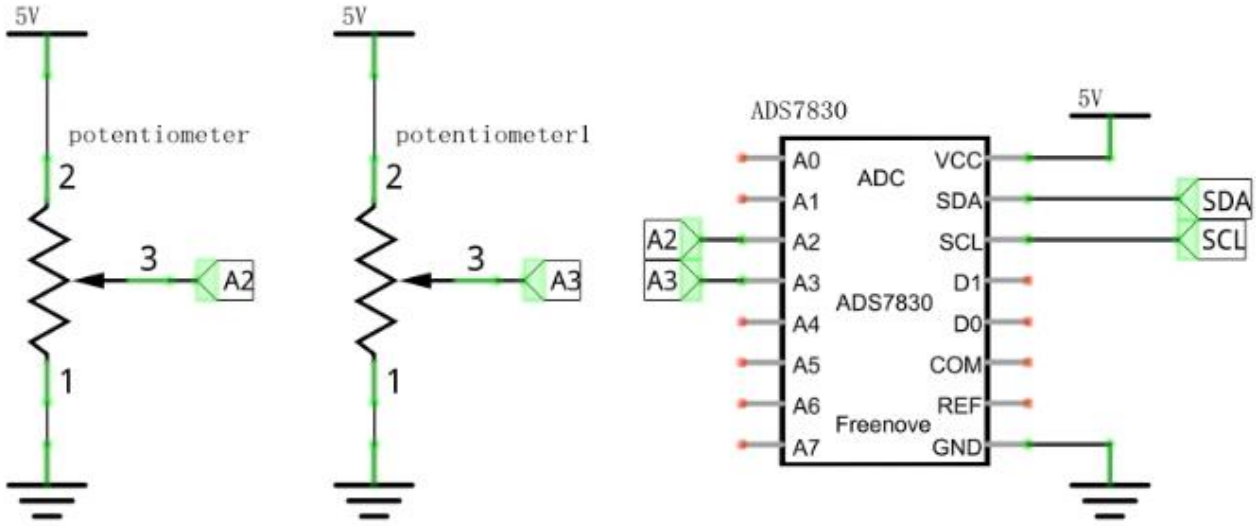


Circuit

Schematic diagram



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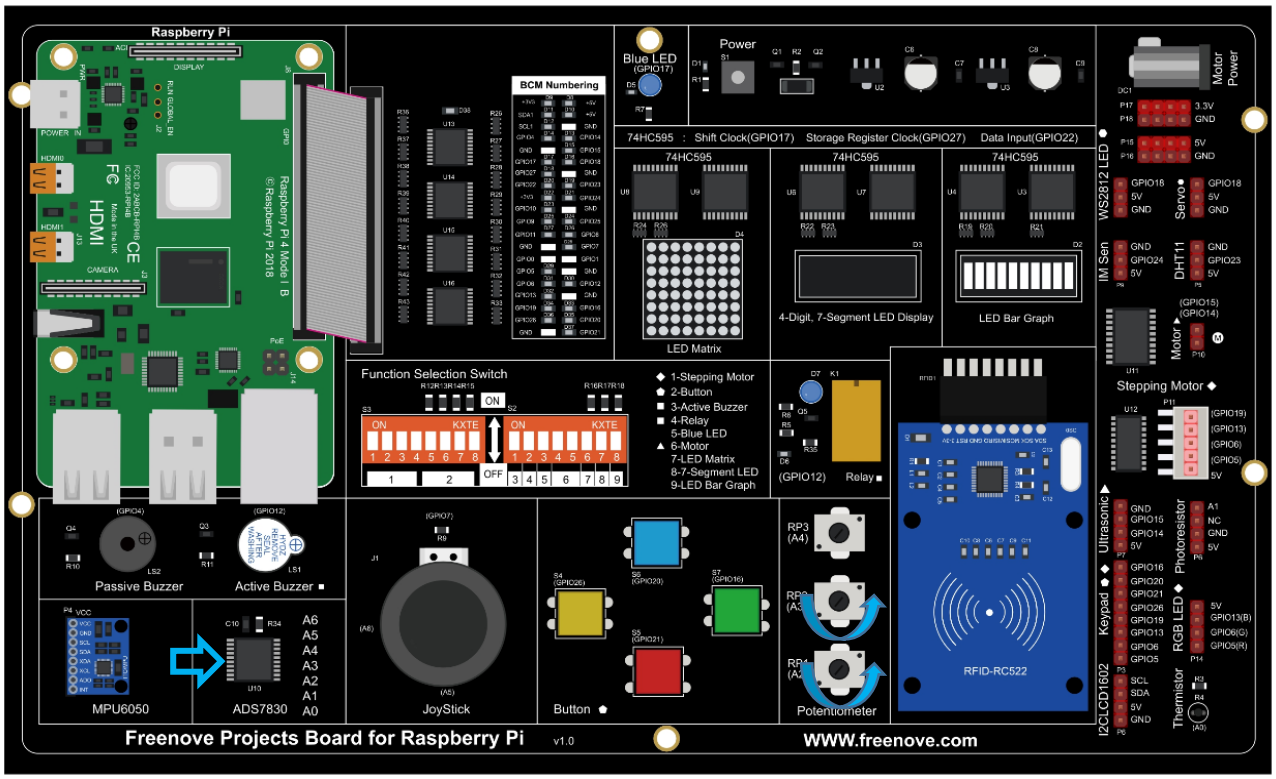

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Sketch

Sketch 3.1.1 PongGame

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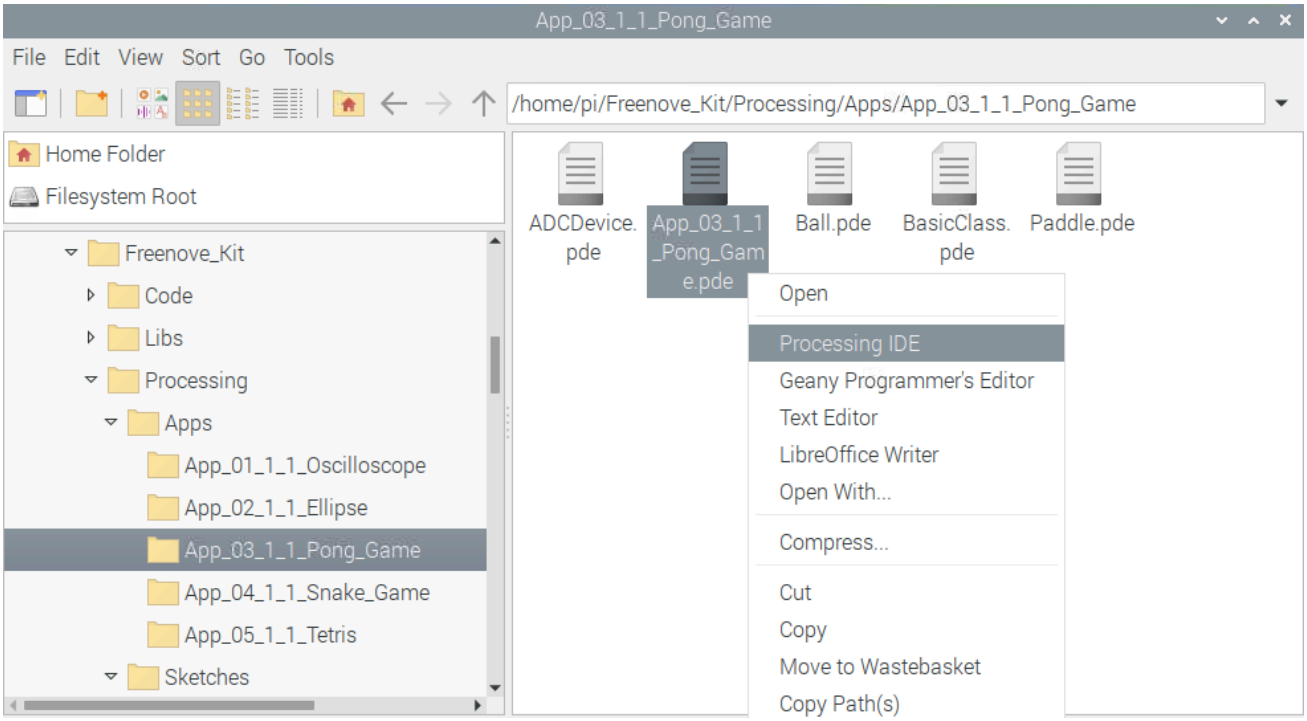

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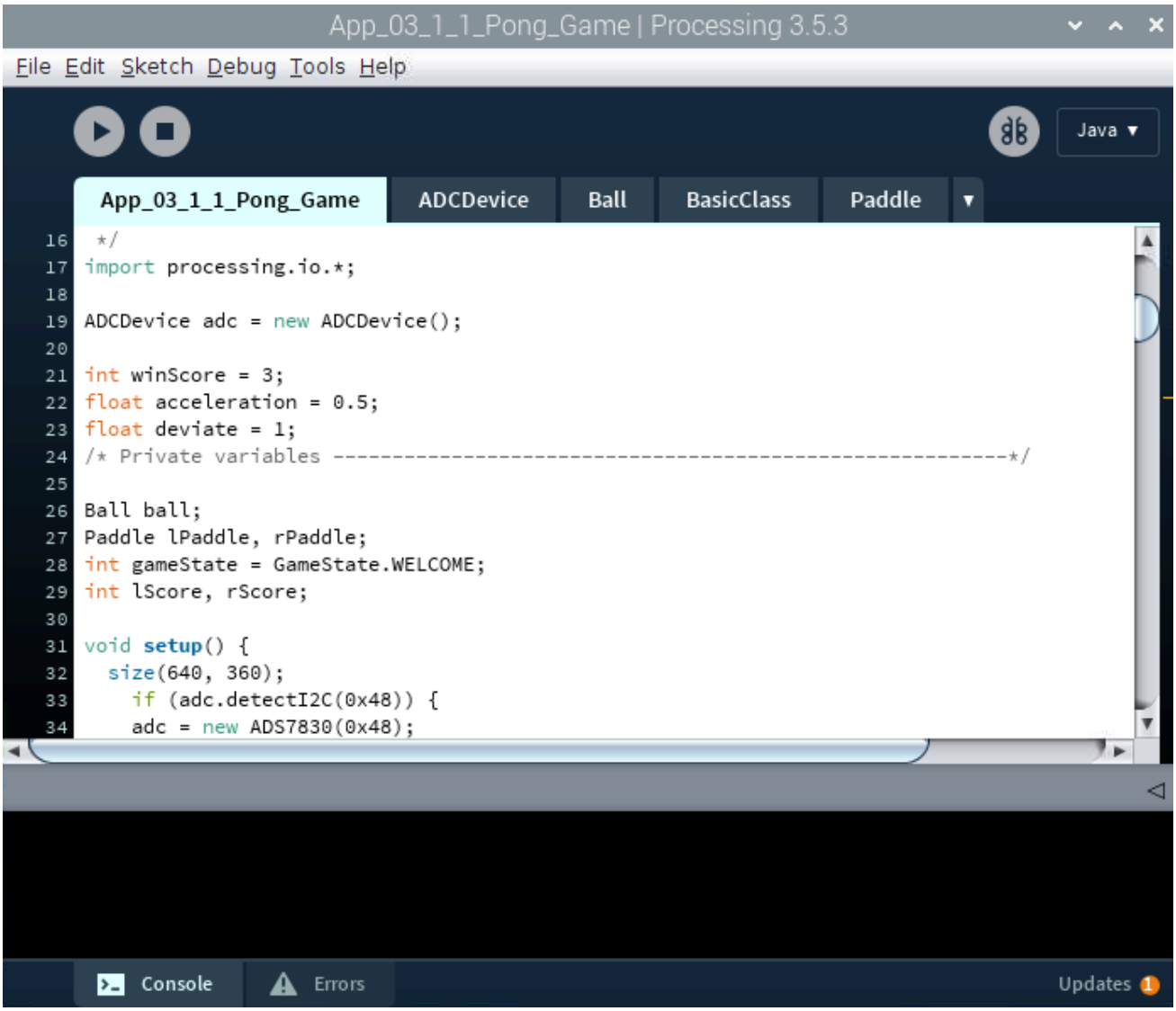
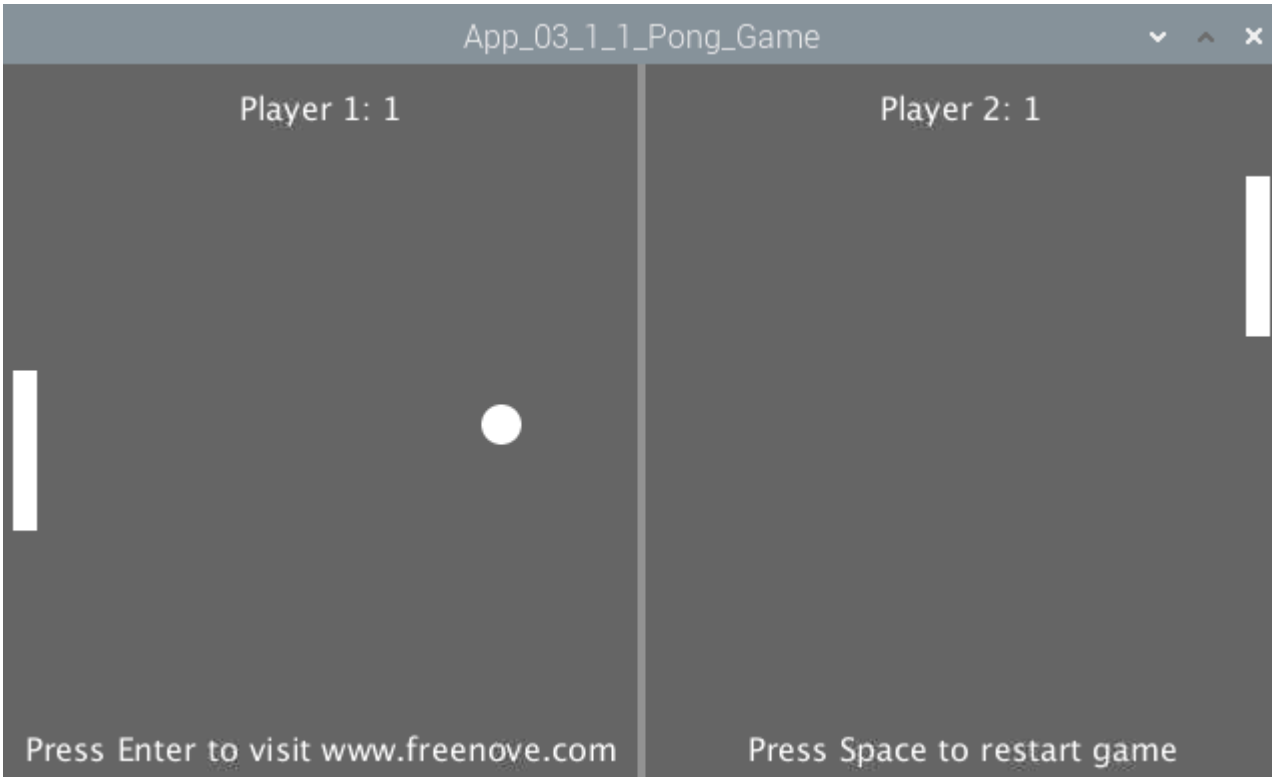


The result is as shown below. Player1 can control the pat by rotating RP1 and player2 can control by rotating RP2.



Pressing the space bar keyboard can start the game. Then you can try to rotate the potentiometer to control the movement of paddles:

Use potentiometer to control the movement of paddle to hit back the ball. The rules are the same as the classic Pong game:

The game will be over when one side gets three points. Pressing the space can restart the game:

You can restart the game by pressing the space bar at any time during the game.

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App 4 Snake Game

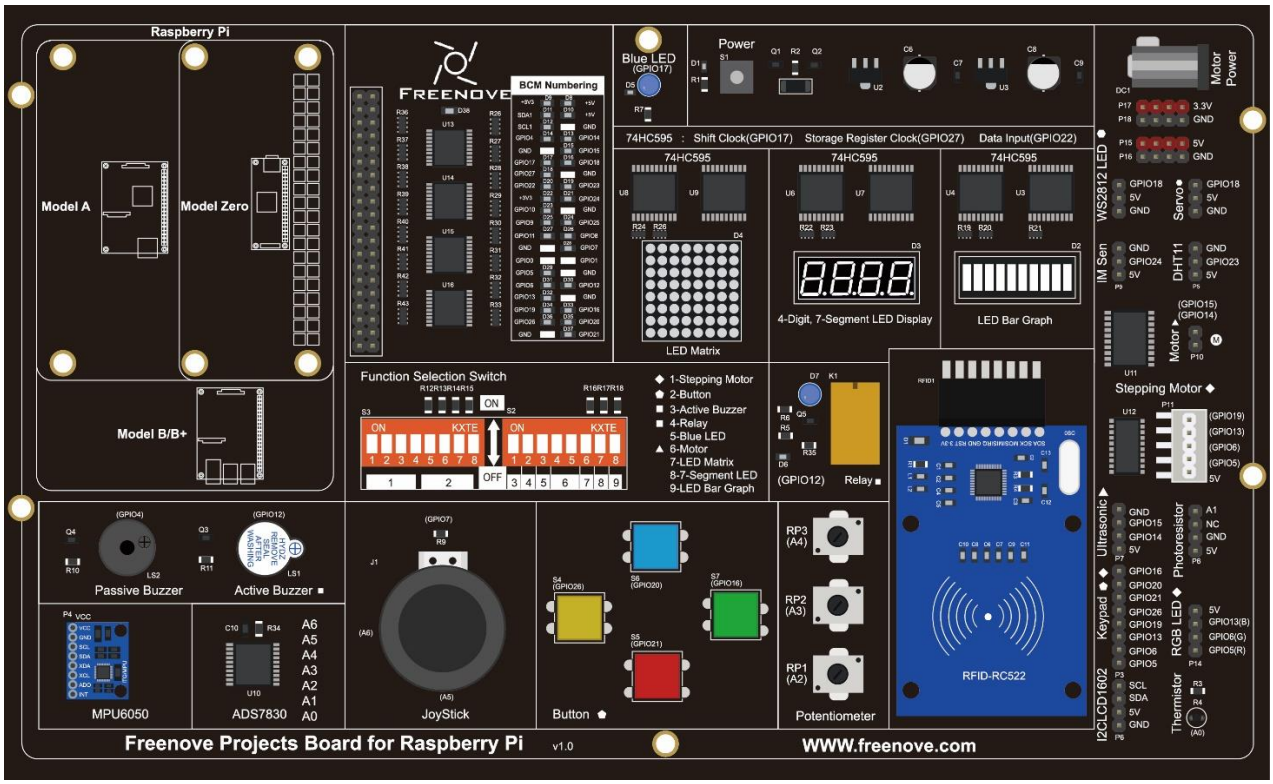
In this chapter, we will play a classic game, snake.

App 4.1 Snake Game

Now, let's create and experience our own game.

Component List

Freenove Projects Board for Raspberry Pi



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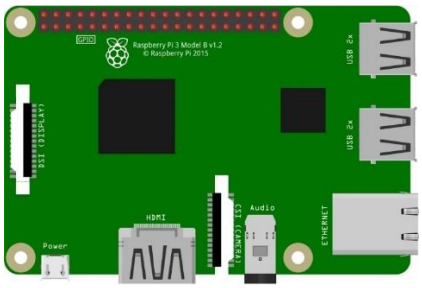

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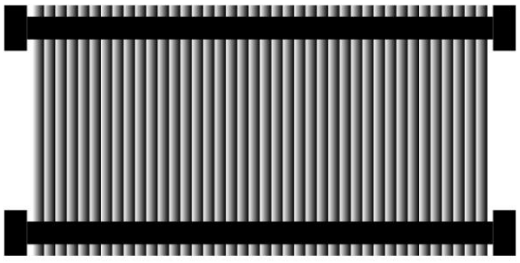
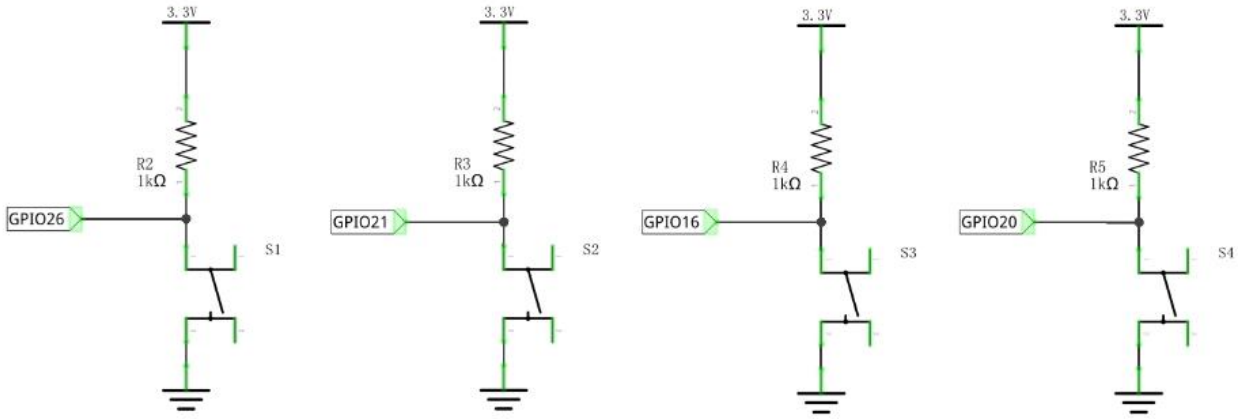


Circuit

Schematic diagram



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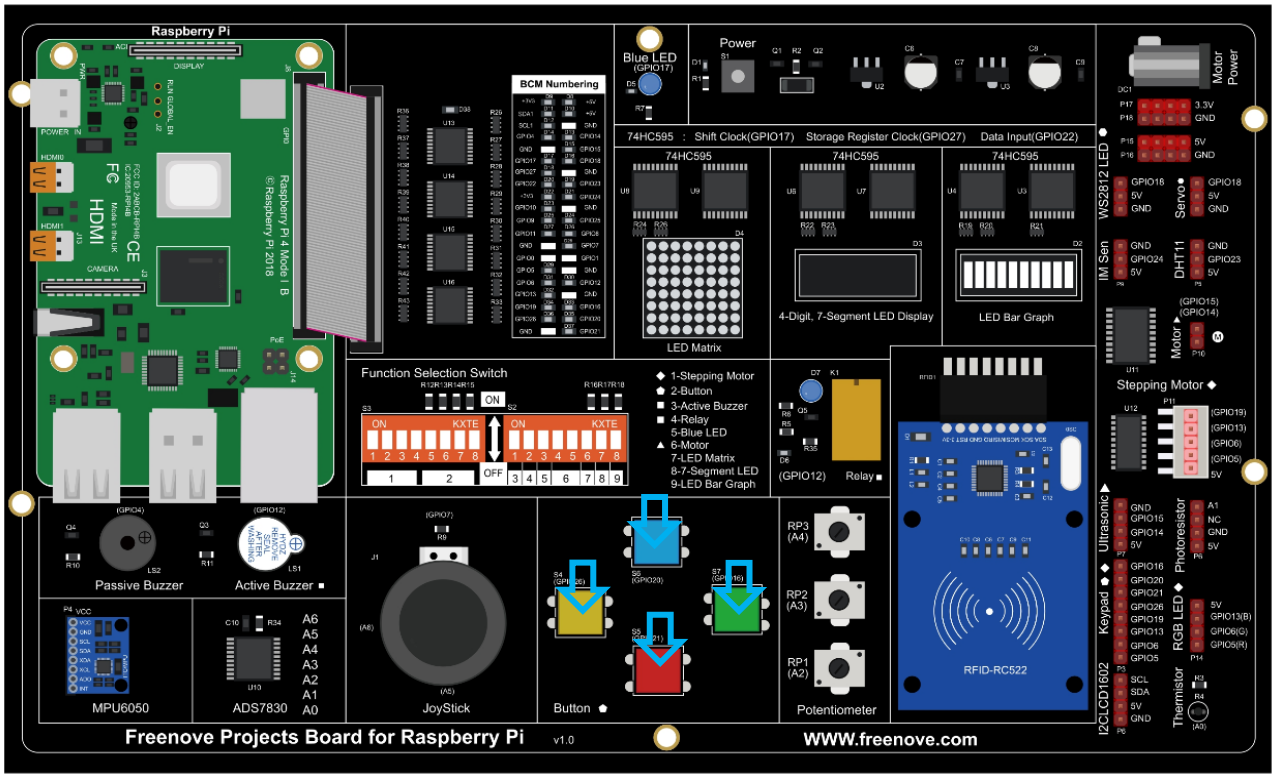

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Sketch

Sketch 4.1.1 SnakeGame

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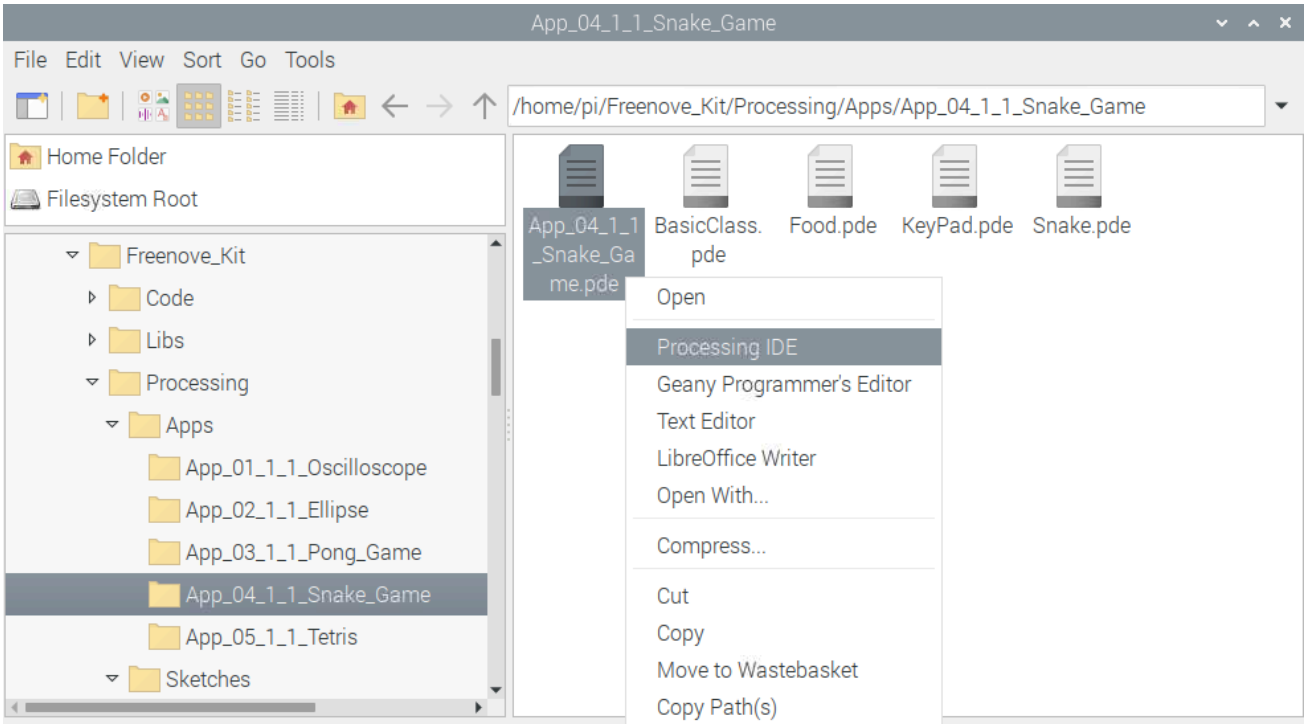

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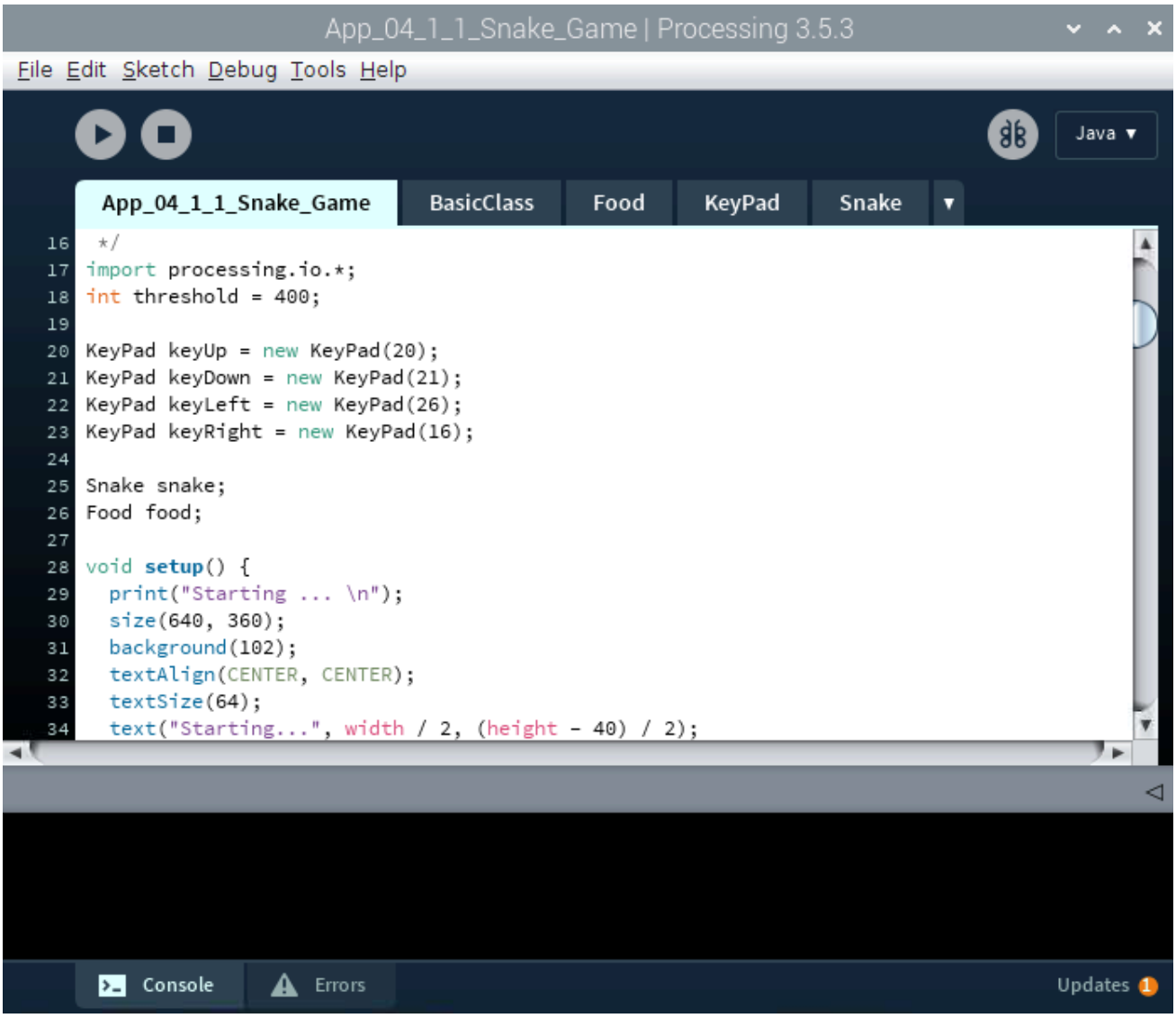
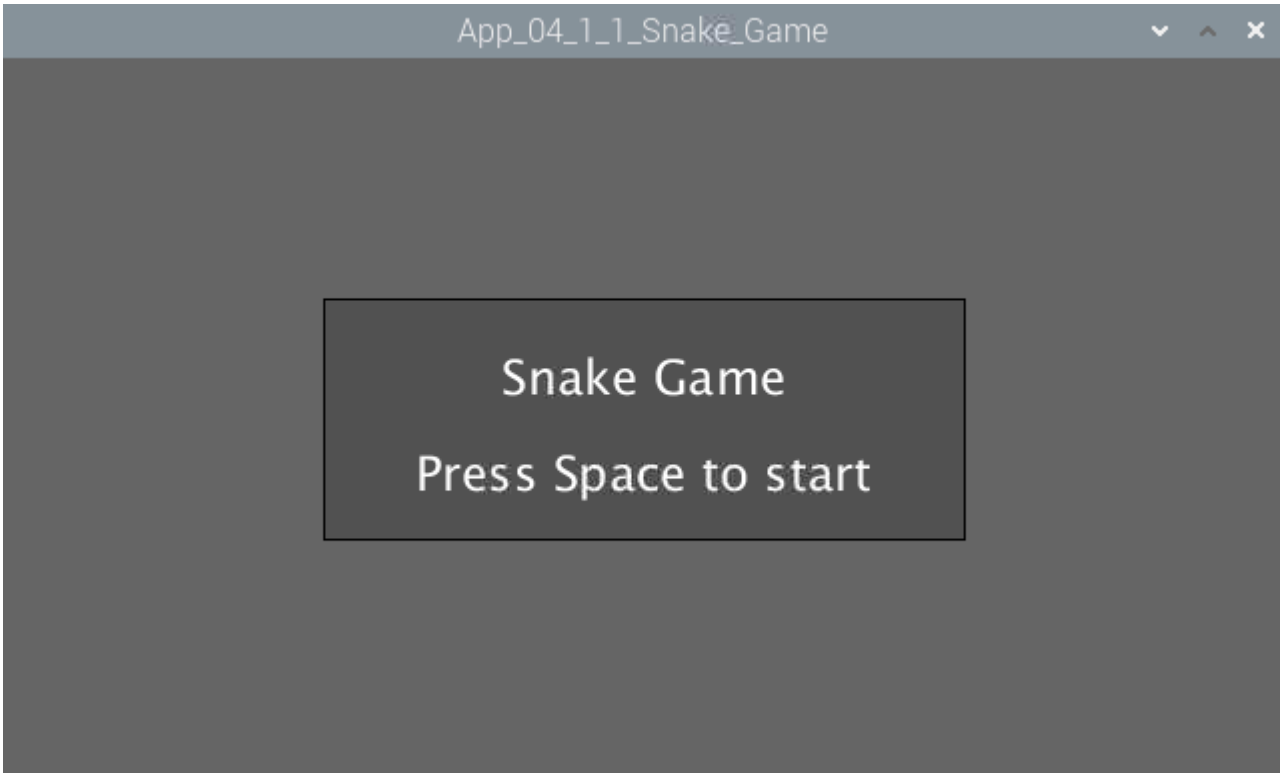
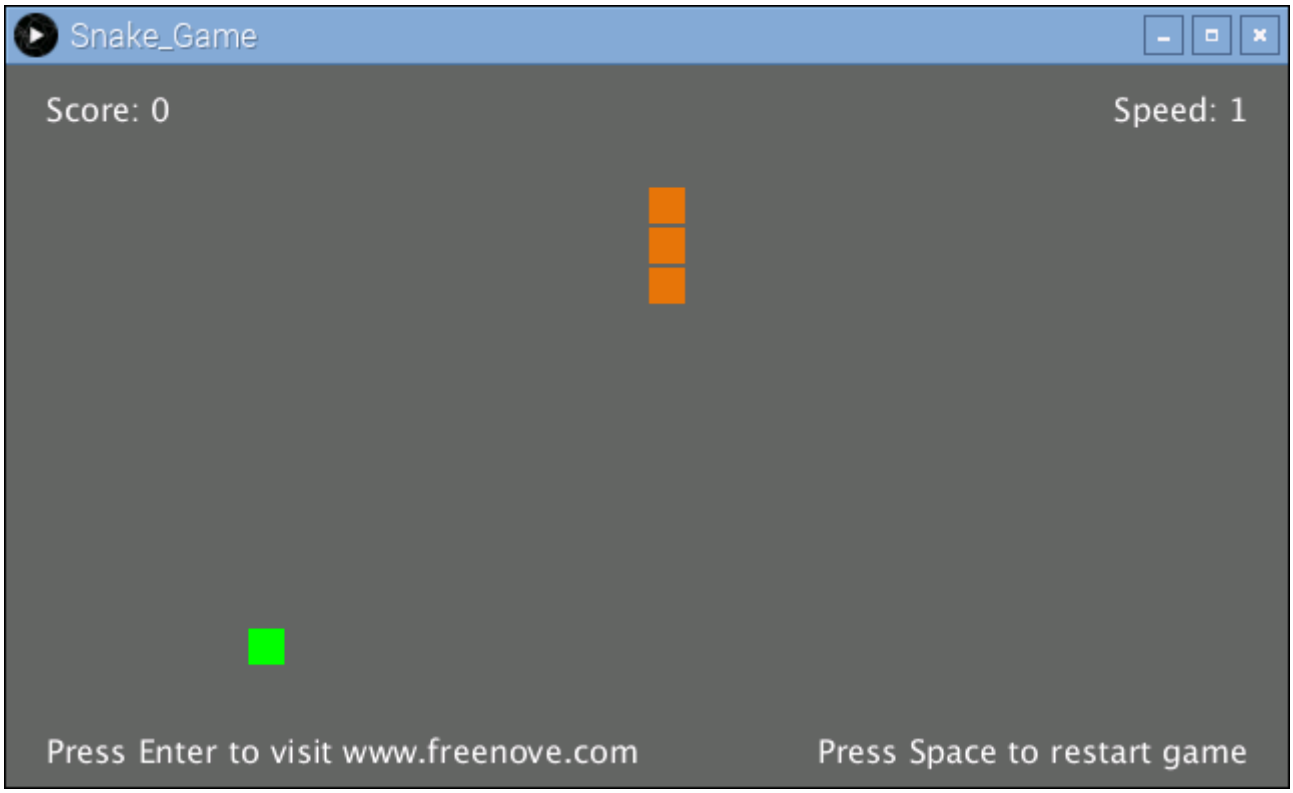


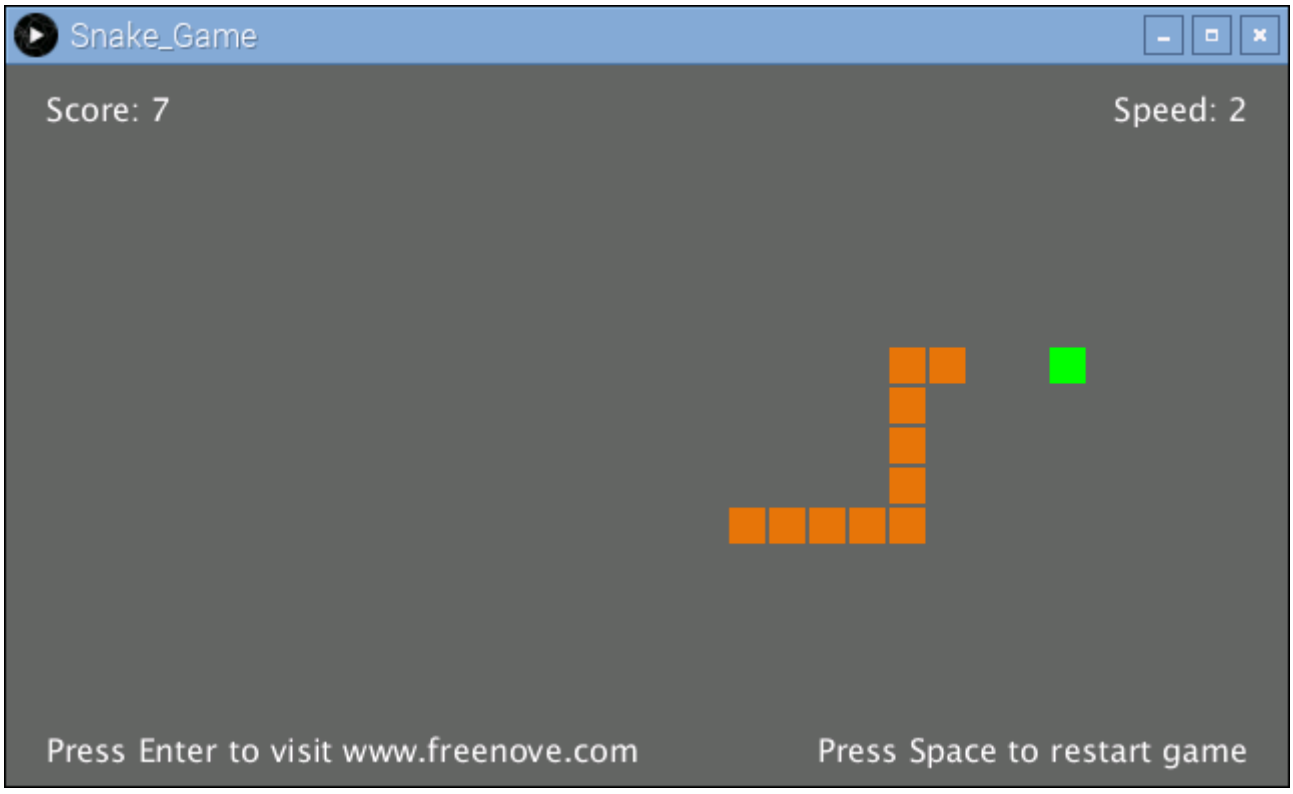
The result is as shown below. Pressing Space to start the game.



Pressing the space can start the game:



You can control the movement direction of the snake through the four buttons in circuit or four arrow keys on the keyboard. The rules are the same as the classic Snake game:



When the game is over, pressing the space can restart the game:

You can restart the game by pressing the space bar at any time during the game.

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App 5 Tetris Game

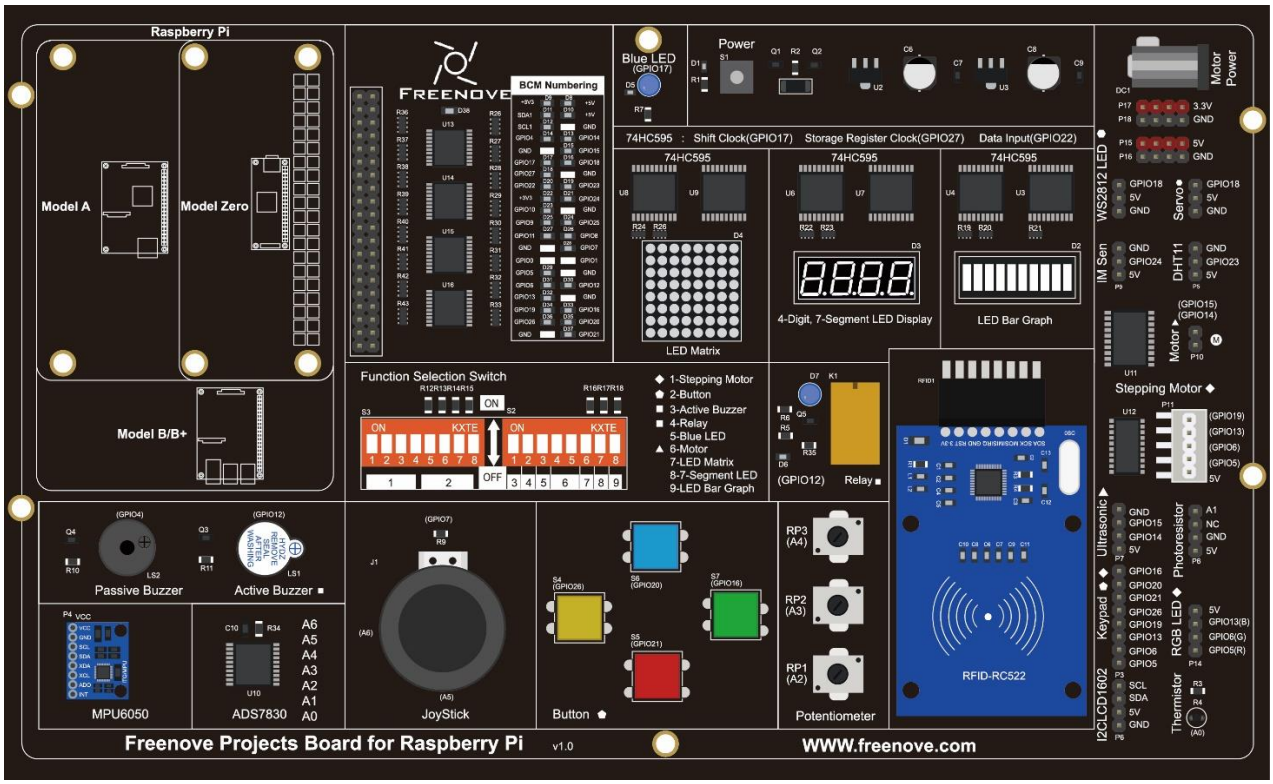
In this chapter, we will play a game, Tetris game.

App 5.1 Tetris Game

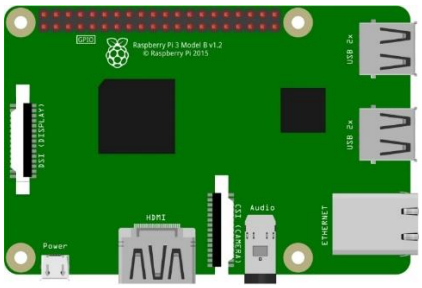
Now, let's create and experience our own game.

Component List

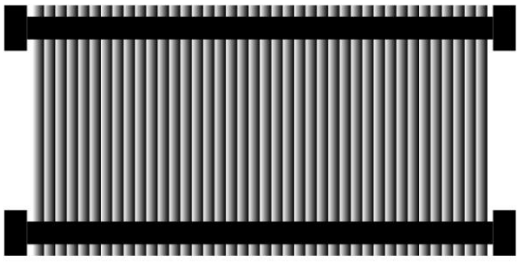
Freenove Projects Board for Raspberry Pi



Raspberry Pi

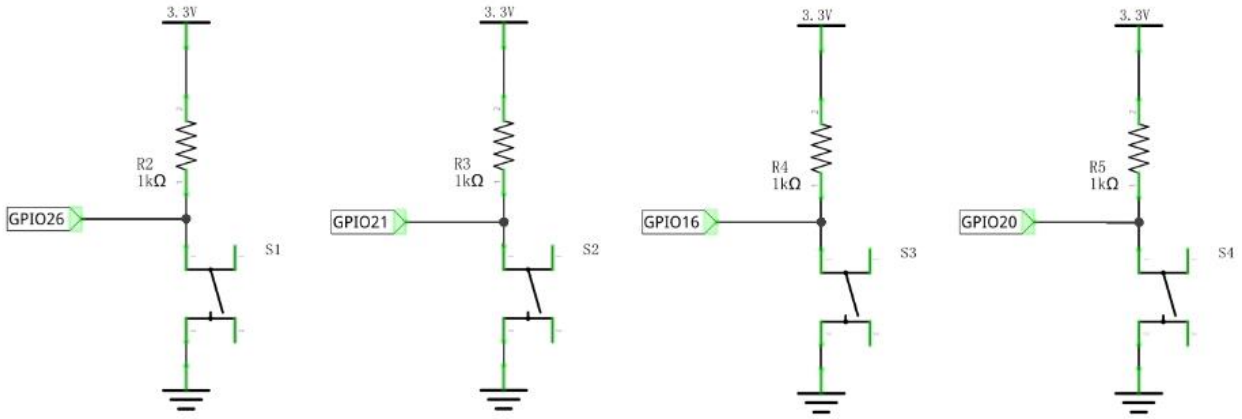


GPIO Ribbon Cable



Circuit

Schematic diagram



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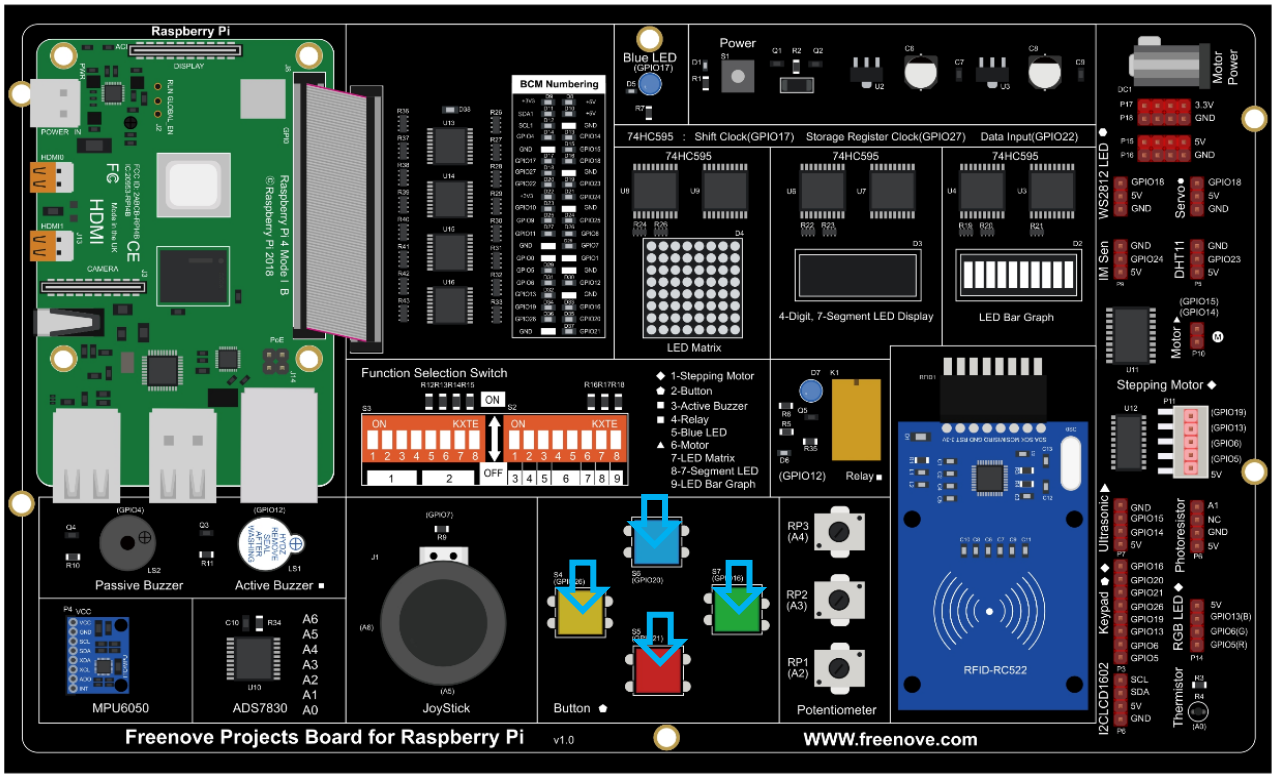

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Sketch

Sketch 5.1.1 TetrisGame

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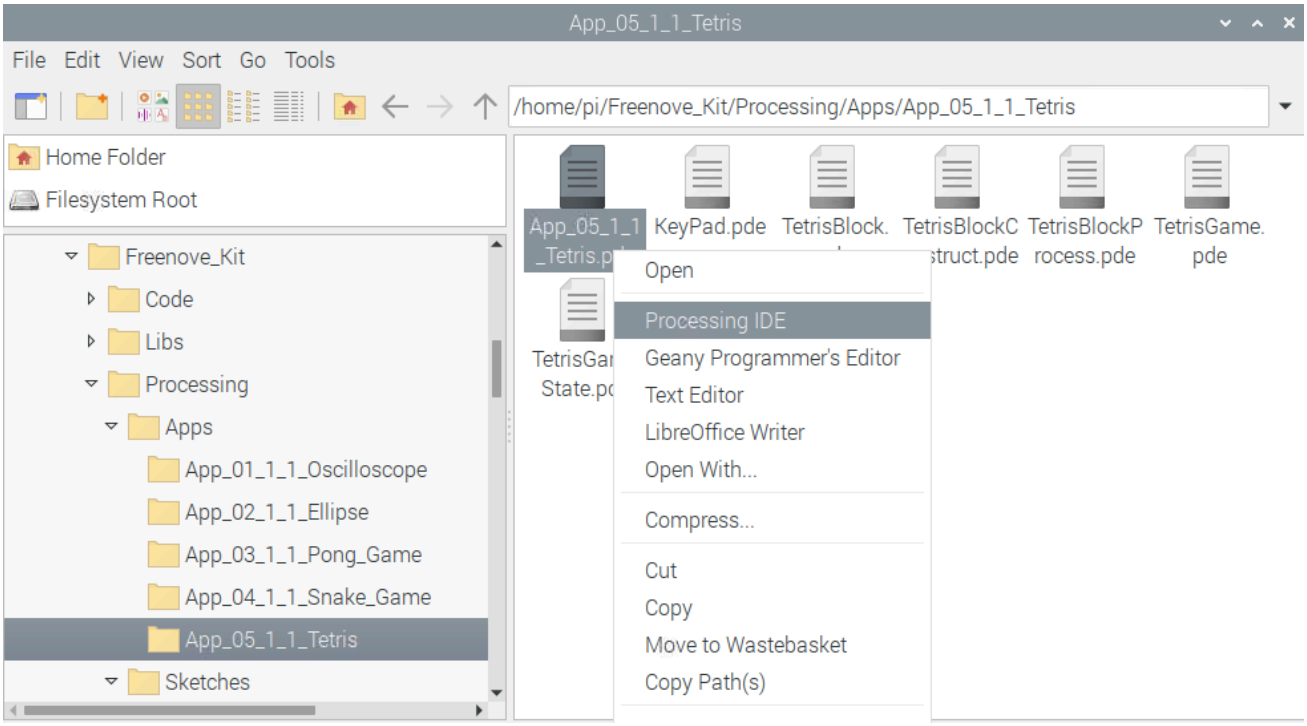

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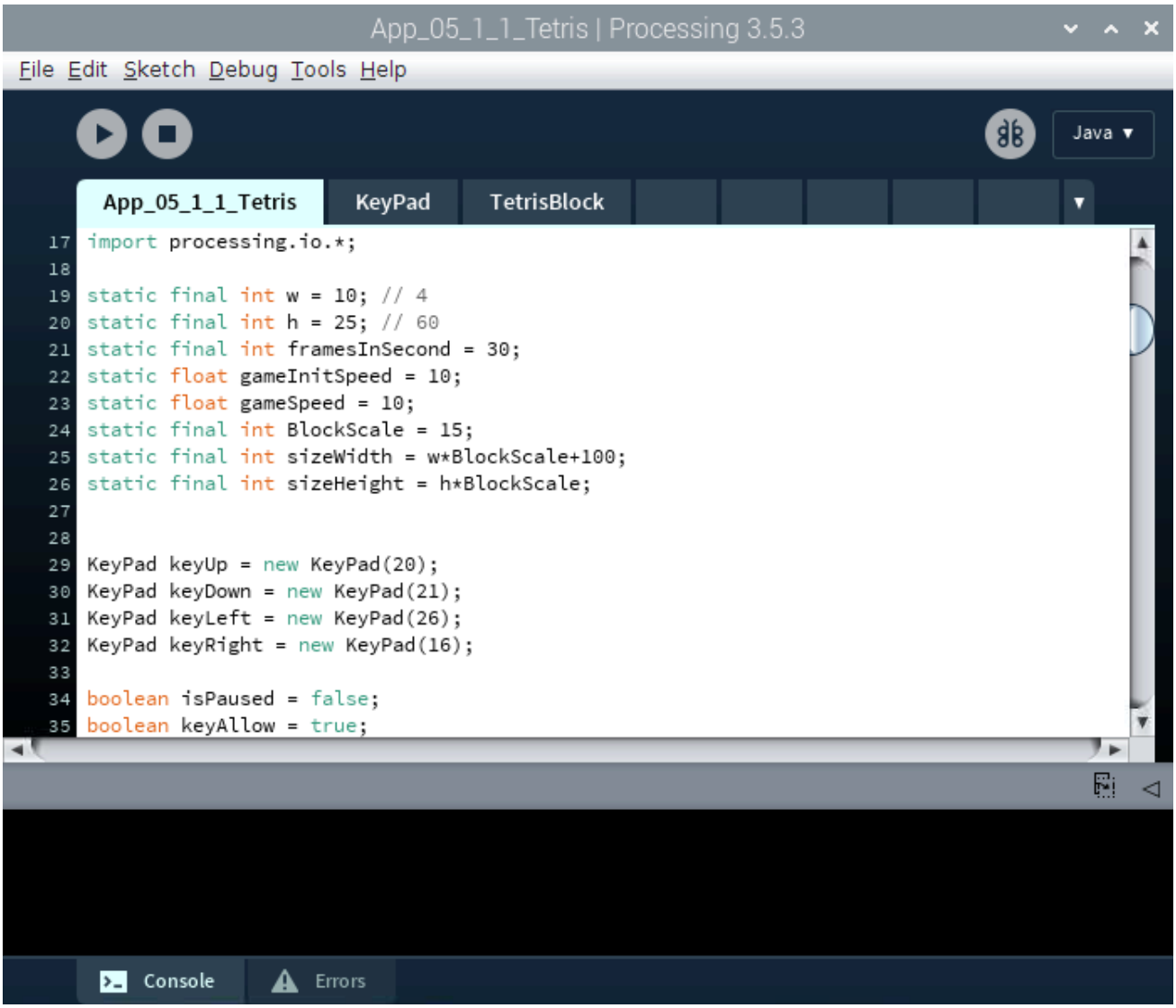

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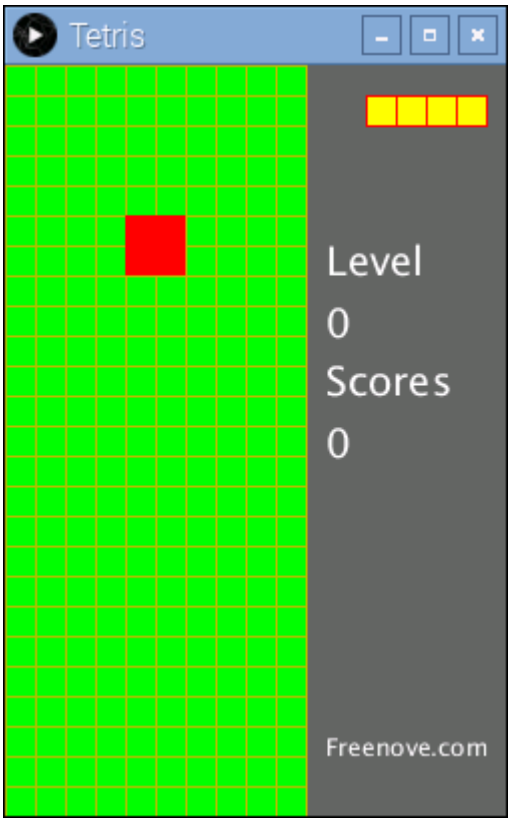
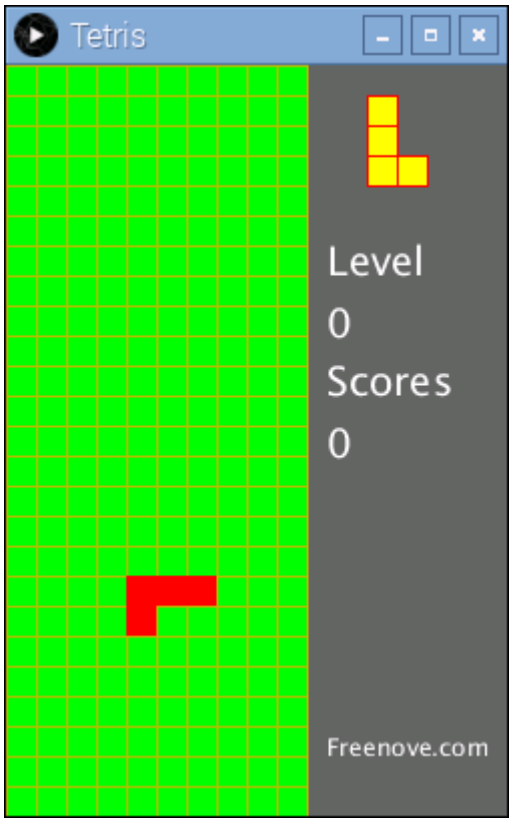
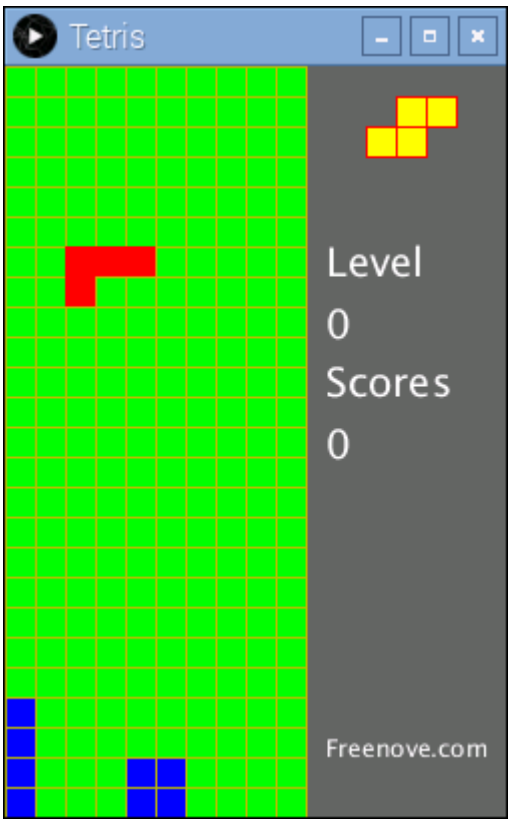
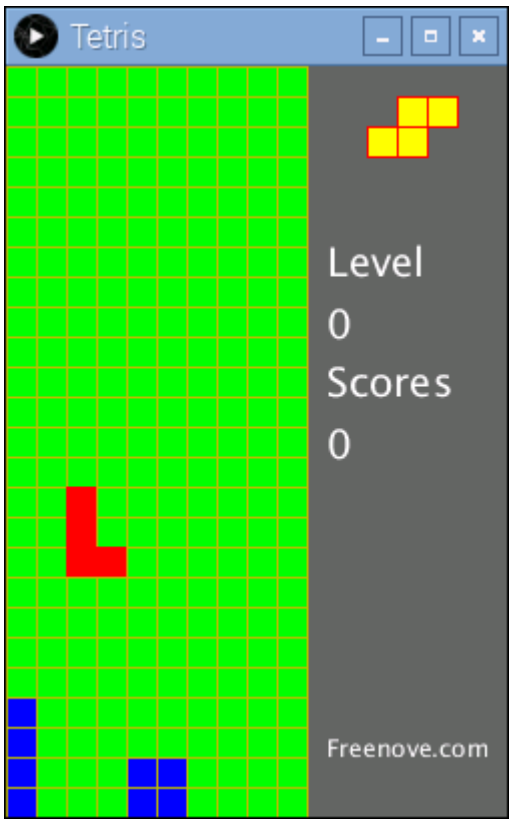


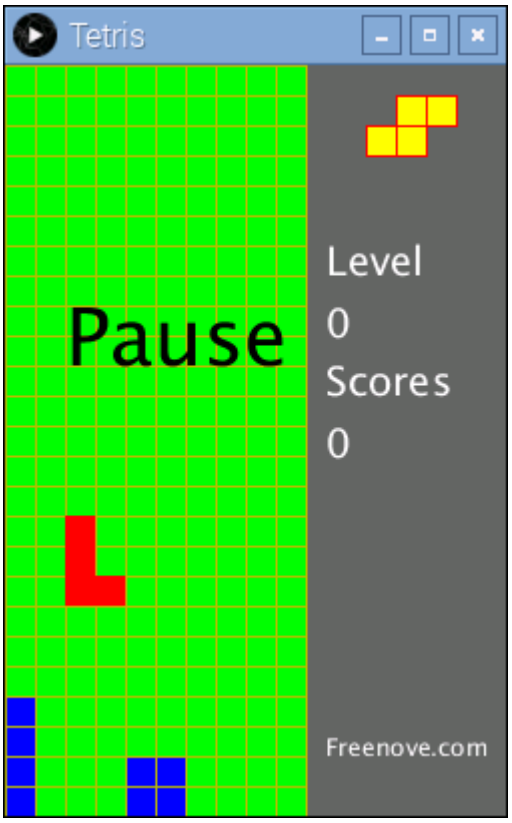


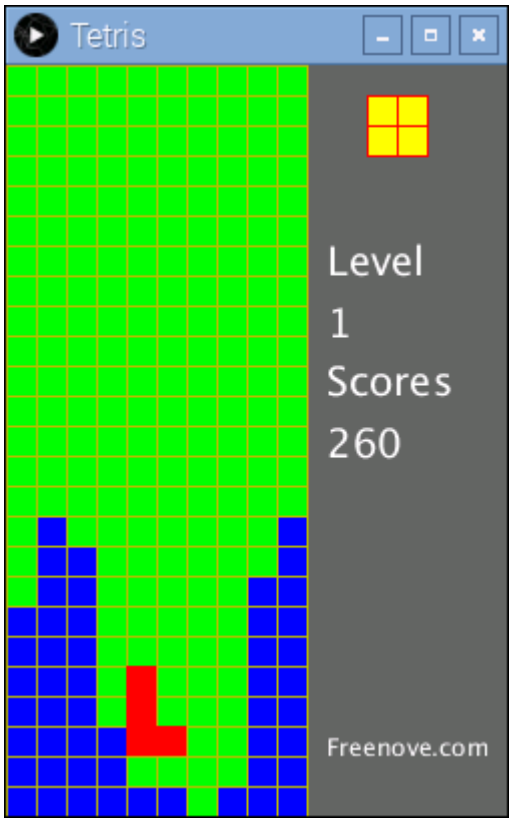
The left and right button in the circuit can control the movement of the falling block to left or right. And the button below can accelerate falling of the block. The button above is used for rotating of the block. Four direction keys on keyboard can also be used to play the game.



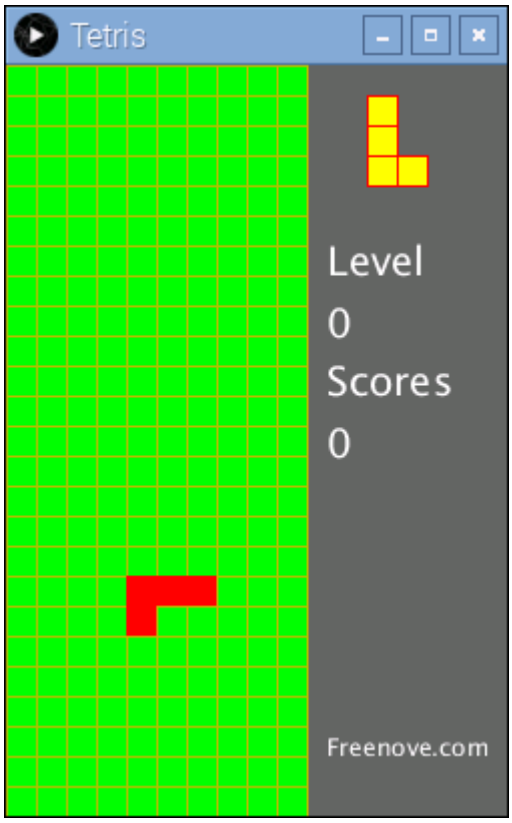


In the process of game, pressing the space bar on the keyboard can pause the game. The right side of the Display Window shows the upcoming block, the current game speed and the current score. The more lines you eliminate once, the higher the scores you will get. If you eliminate one line once, you will get 10 points. If you eliminate 4 lines once, you will get 70 points.





When the blocks are beyond the screen, the game is over. After the game is over, press the space bar to start a new game.



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