



Introduction to Robotics and Intelligent Systems Lab

Lab 3: 3D Transforms using Accelerometer

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Introduction

Theoretical portion:

The theoretical part of this lab mostly consists of understanding and modelling the behaviour of linear circuit elements such as resistors, inductors, and capacitors.

Arduino Uno:

The arduino uno is a microcontroller that is used for most of the practical tasks of this experiment. The Arduino comes equipped with numerous ports and sources, namely digital and analog ports that can be connected to other circuits, as well as a few sources of voltage.

Processing

Processing is an "extension" of the java language used for graphical design and visual design. Processing can also be connected to an arduino via the arduino API (establishing a port). Processing can be used to draw shapes, or model data retrieved from arduino to display it.

Accelerometer

An accelerometer is a device used to measure g-force acceleration. The Adafruit MMA8451 Accelerometer Breakout used in this experiment also shows what way it is facing.

Resistor:

A resistor is a circuit element that resists the flow of an electric current. The behaviour of a resistor and its voltage-current relationship is best described by Ohm's Law, which states that:

$$V = IR.$$

Reading: Voltage is equal to current times resistance, where voltage is in volts, and currents are in ampères.

Capacitor:

The capacitor is another circuit element that is used in this lab, a capacitor is a device used to store electric charge, the voltage-charge relationship of a capacitor is given by:

$$Q = CV.$$

Where Q = charge, in coulombs, C = capacitance, in Farads, and V = voltage

Derivating both sides of the equation with respect to time gives:

$i = C \frac{dV}{dt}$. One of the important properties of the capacitor for understanding this lab is that capacitors resist sudden changes in voltage.

Inductor

In many ways, the inductor behaves as the "dual" of a capacitor. A capacitor is a device that stores electric energy in the form of a magnetic field. The Voltage-Current relation of an inductor is given by the equation:

$V = L \frac{di}{dt}$, where L is the inductance, measured in henrys.

Laplace transform

The Laplace transform is a very useful tool used to solve ordinary differential equations. By definition, the Laplace Transform is given as:

$\mathcal{L}\{f(t)\} = \int_0^{\infty} f(t)e^{-st}u(t)dt$. Where $u(t)$ is known as the step function, a function that is 1

for $t \geq 0$ and 0 for $t < 0$. The result of the transformation is a function that is not dependent on time, but on a complex variable s . The result can then be transformed back to the time domain mostly by using tables with common Laplace Transforms. The usefulness of the Laplace transform comes in the form of being able to generalize ohm's law for capacitors and inductors by using impedance, defined as:

$$z = \frac{V}{I},$$

For a resistor. this is the Ohm

For a capacitor: $z = \frac{1}{sC}$

For an inductor $z = sL$

This allows for the modelling of capacitors and inductors as resistors in the laplace domain to obtain a result that can then be transformed back into the time domain.

Transfer Function

A transfer function is the ratio of an output function over an input function (assuming zero initial conditions) . There are many kinds of transfer functions that can be defined, but they mostly take the form:

$H(s) = \frac{Y(s)}{X(s)}$, where Y = output of an element voltage or current, and X = an input of a current or voltage source.

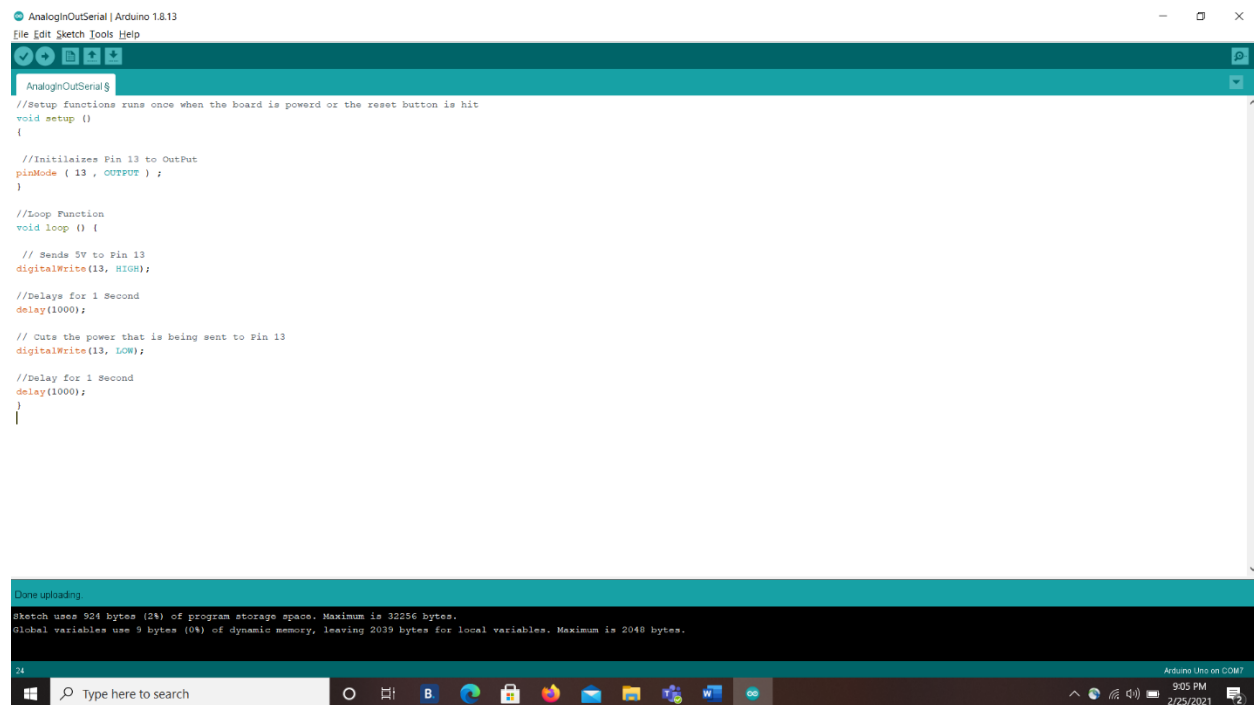
Simulink

Simulink is a programming environment developed by mathworks that is based on MATLAB for analyzing physical and electrical systems. In this lab, it is used to model electrical outputs of RC and RL circuits.

Lab Session 1

Task 1.1 First Program in Arduino

We were asked to be familiar with the arduino IDE and upload our first program on it. The code was as follows:



```
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//Setup functions runs once when the board is powered or the reset button is hit
void setup ()
{
  //Initializes Pin 13 to Output
  pinMode ( 13 , OUTPUT ) ;
}

//Loop Function
void loop () {

  // Sends 5V to Pin 13
  digitalWrite(13, HIGH);

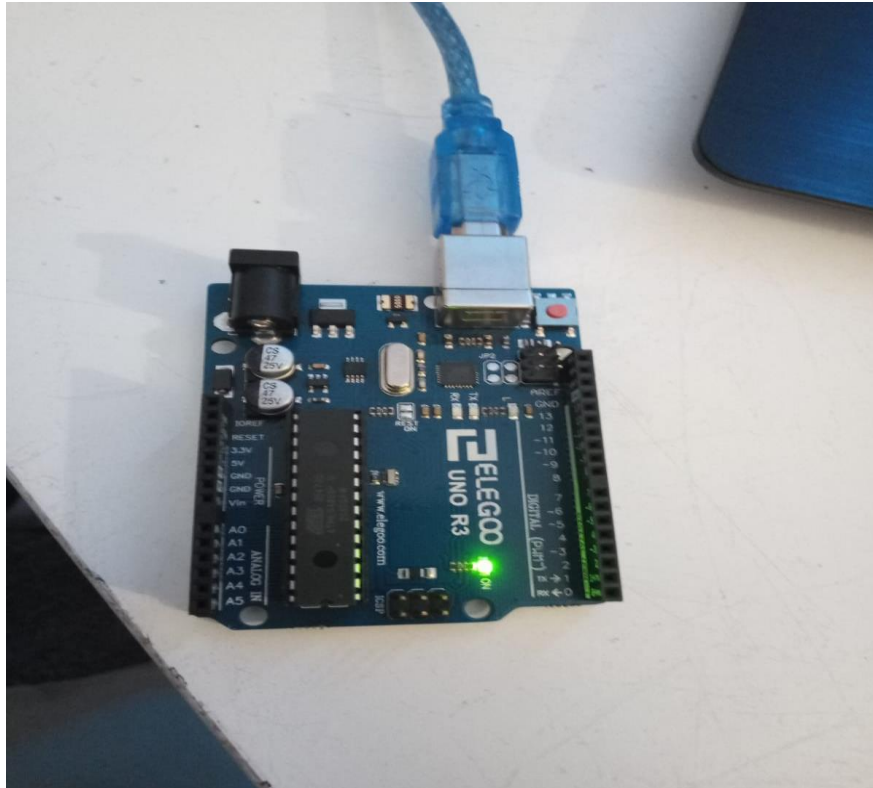
  //Delays for 1 Second
  delay(1000);

  // Cuts the power that is being sent to Pin 13
  digitalWrite(13, LOW);

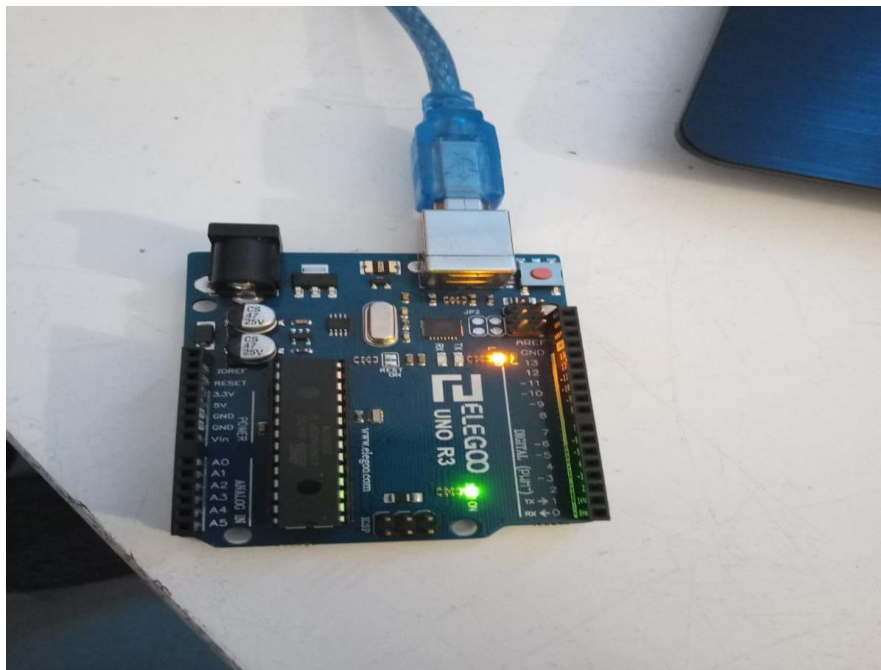
  //delay for 1 Second
  delay(1000);
}

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Global variables use 9 bytes (0%) of dynamic memory, leaving 2039 bytes for local variables. Maximum is 2040 bytes.
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We uploaded our code in Arduino by using USB cable, before which we configured Serial Port. as in Figure 1(On/High State) and Figure 2(OFF/Low State).

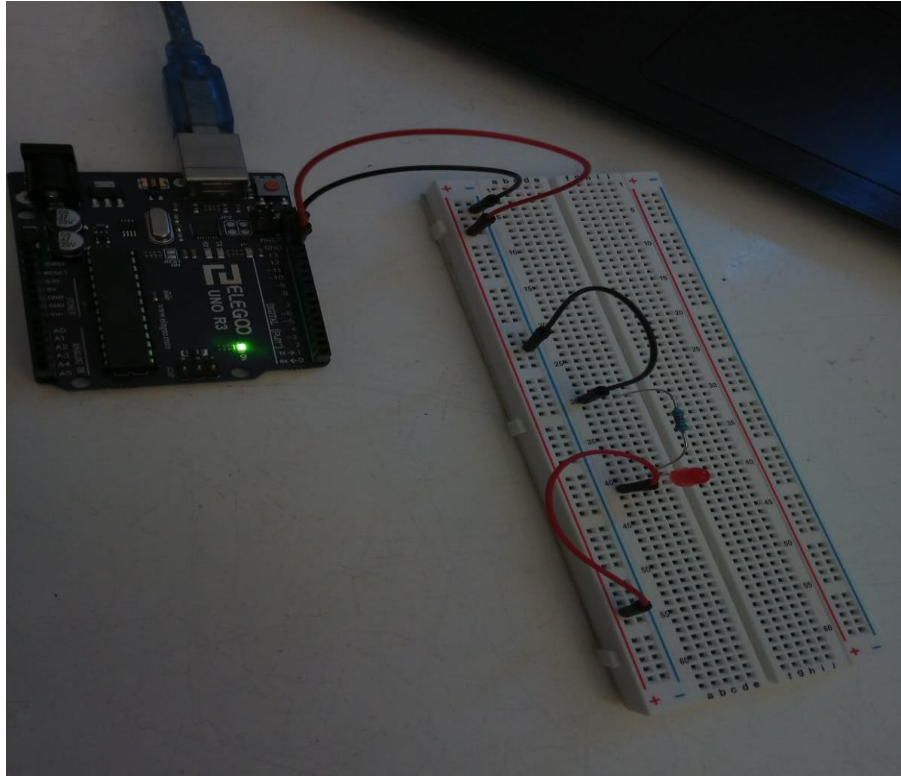


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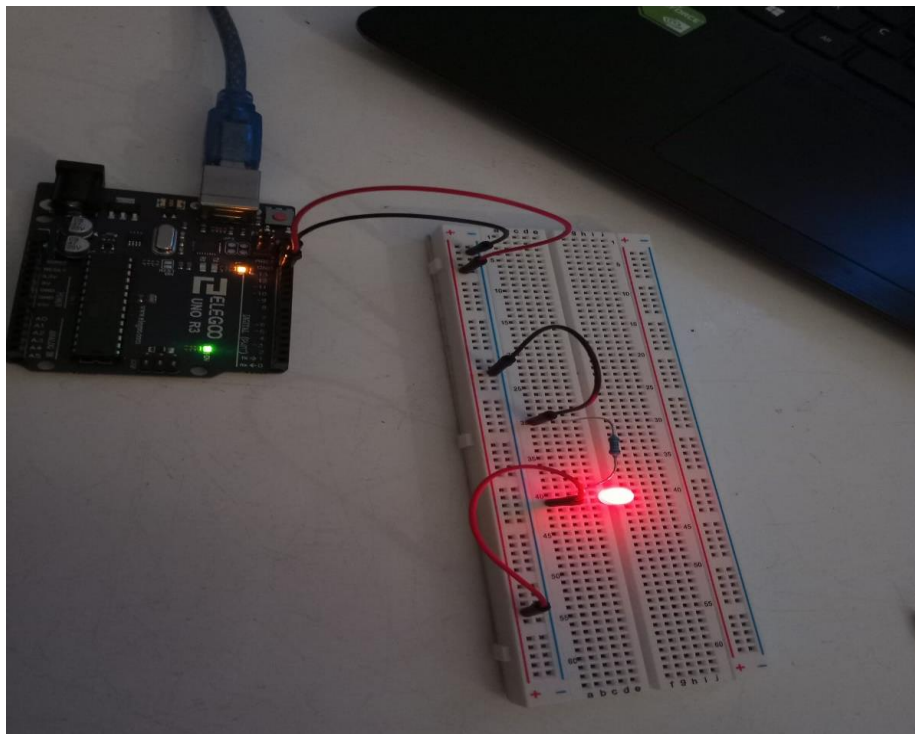


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Task 1.2 Experiment as on 1.1 but by using external LED on breadboard

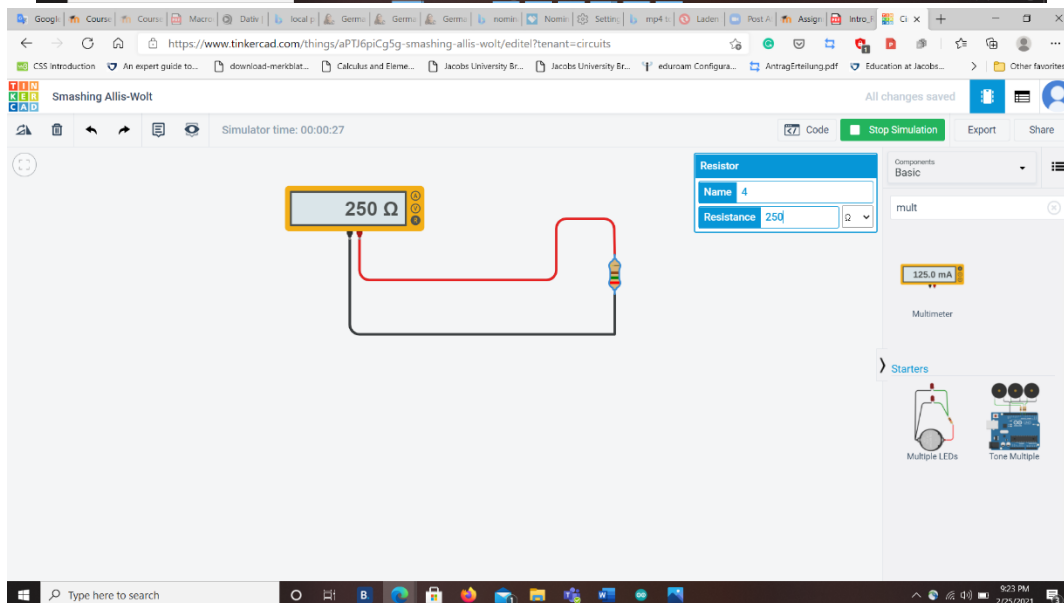
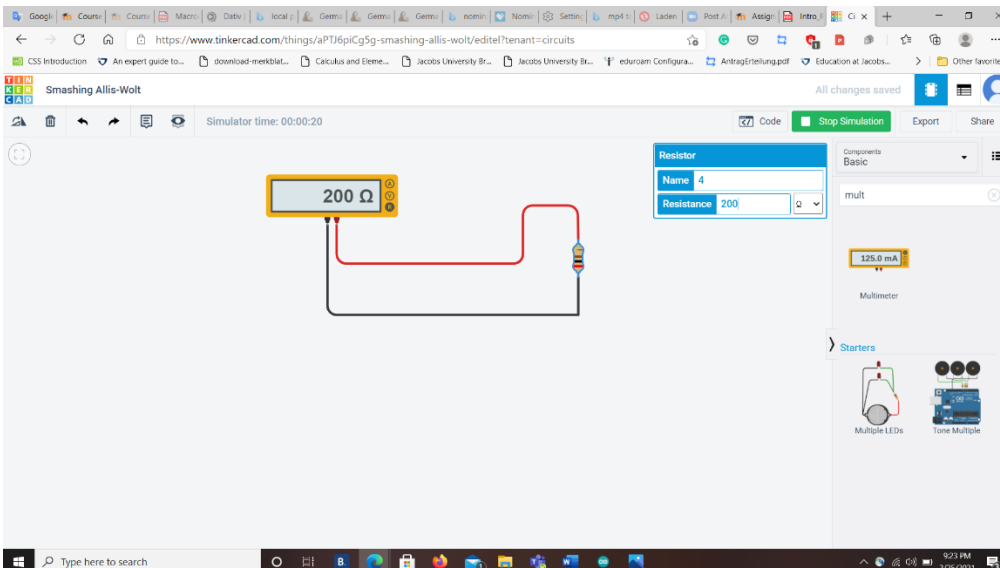
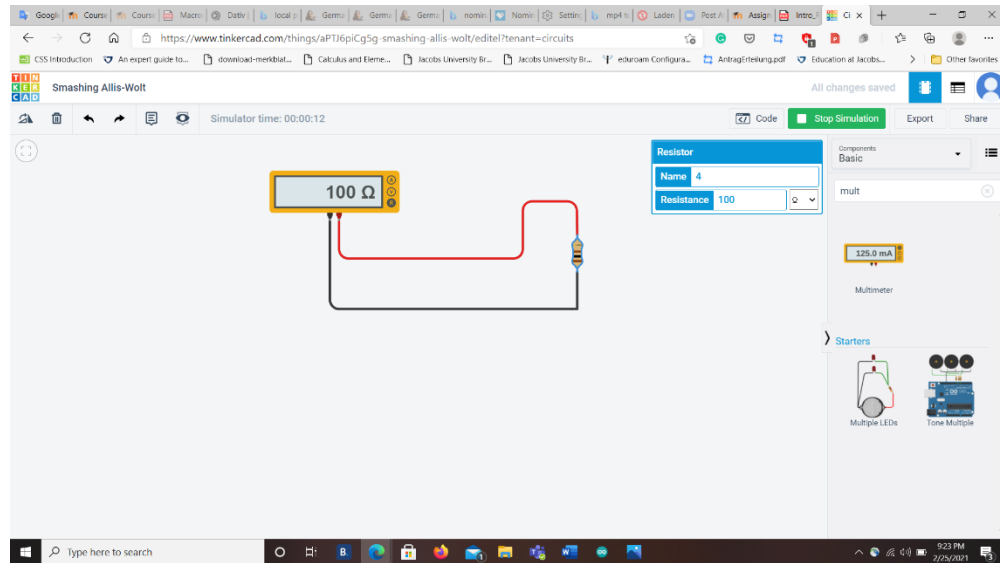


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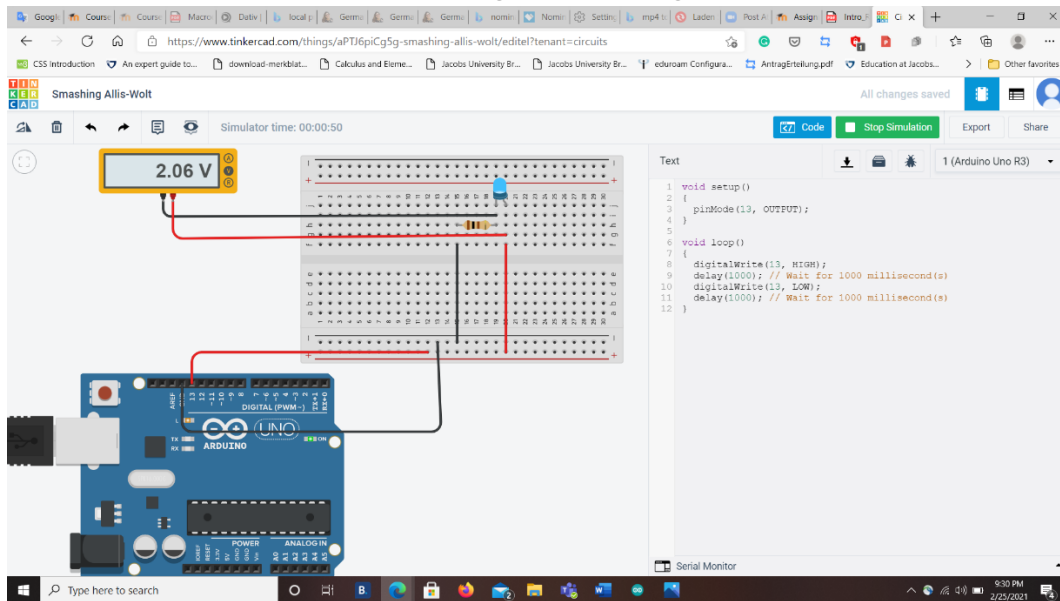
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Task 1.3 Measuring the resistance of resistors and recording them



Measuring Resistance of Various Resistor using Multimeter

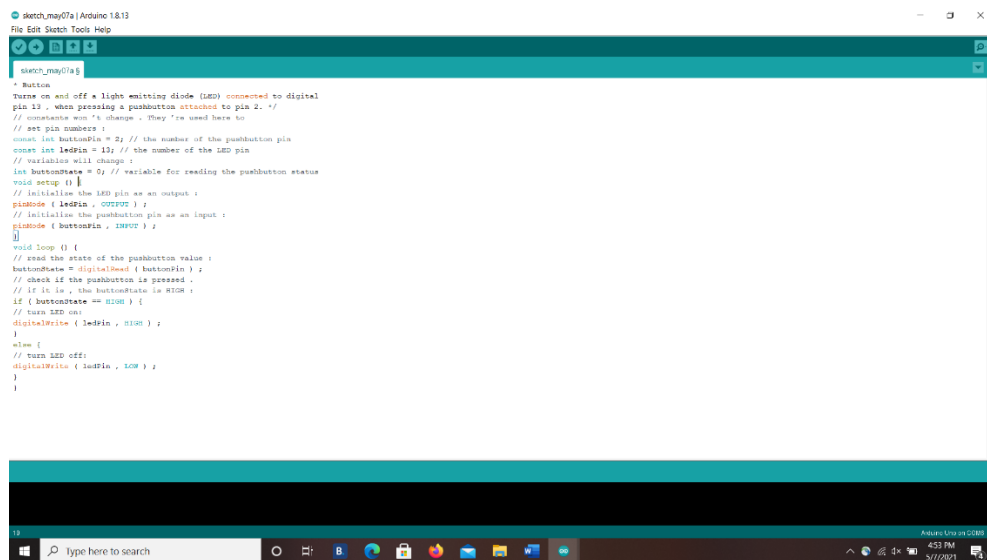
Task 1.4 Measuring the Voltage of the LED

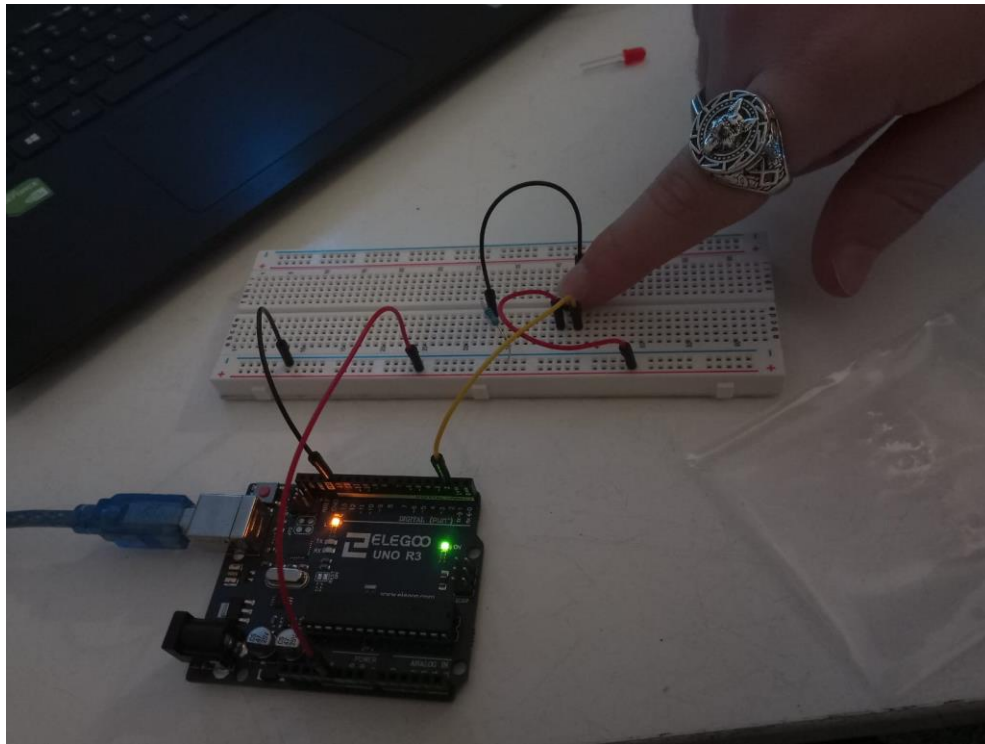


Measurement of Voltage of LED on circuit

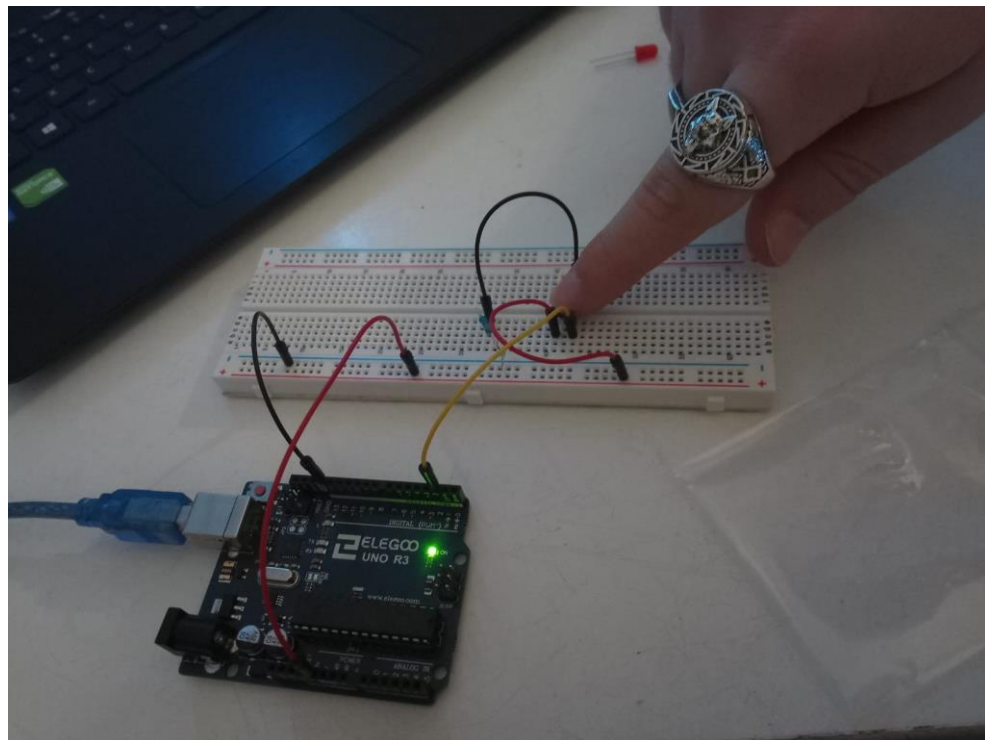
Task 1.6 Keeping the Button on the circuit so it only glows when pressed

Code:



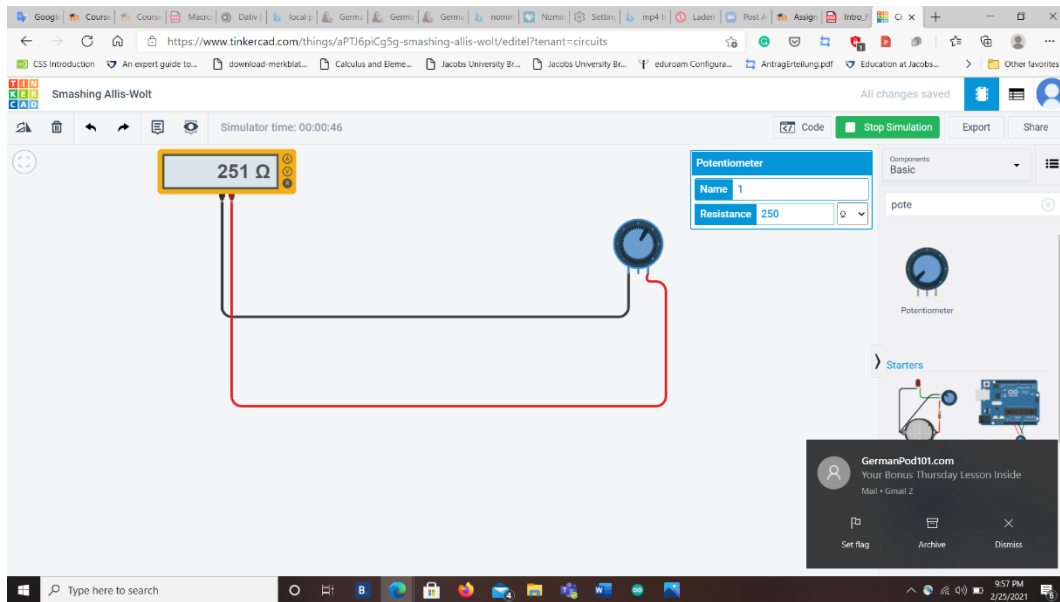


Bulb Glowing while Button is Pressed



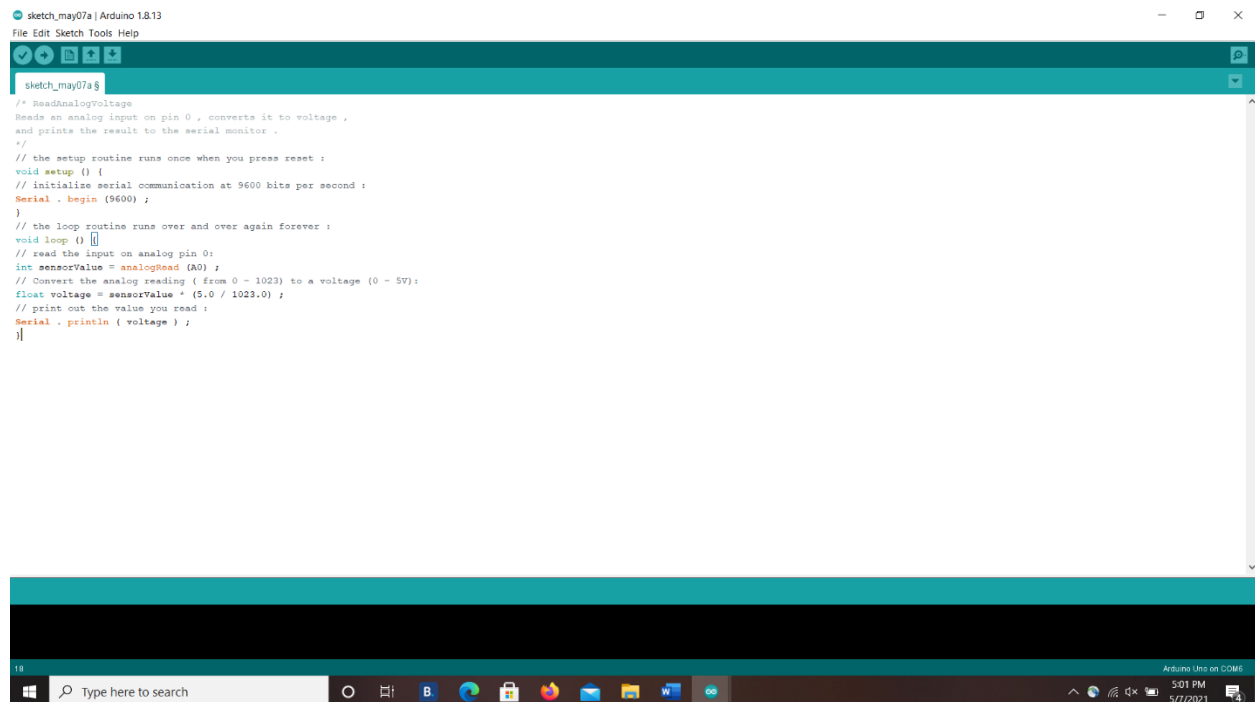
Bulb didn't glow while Button is not Pressed

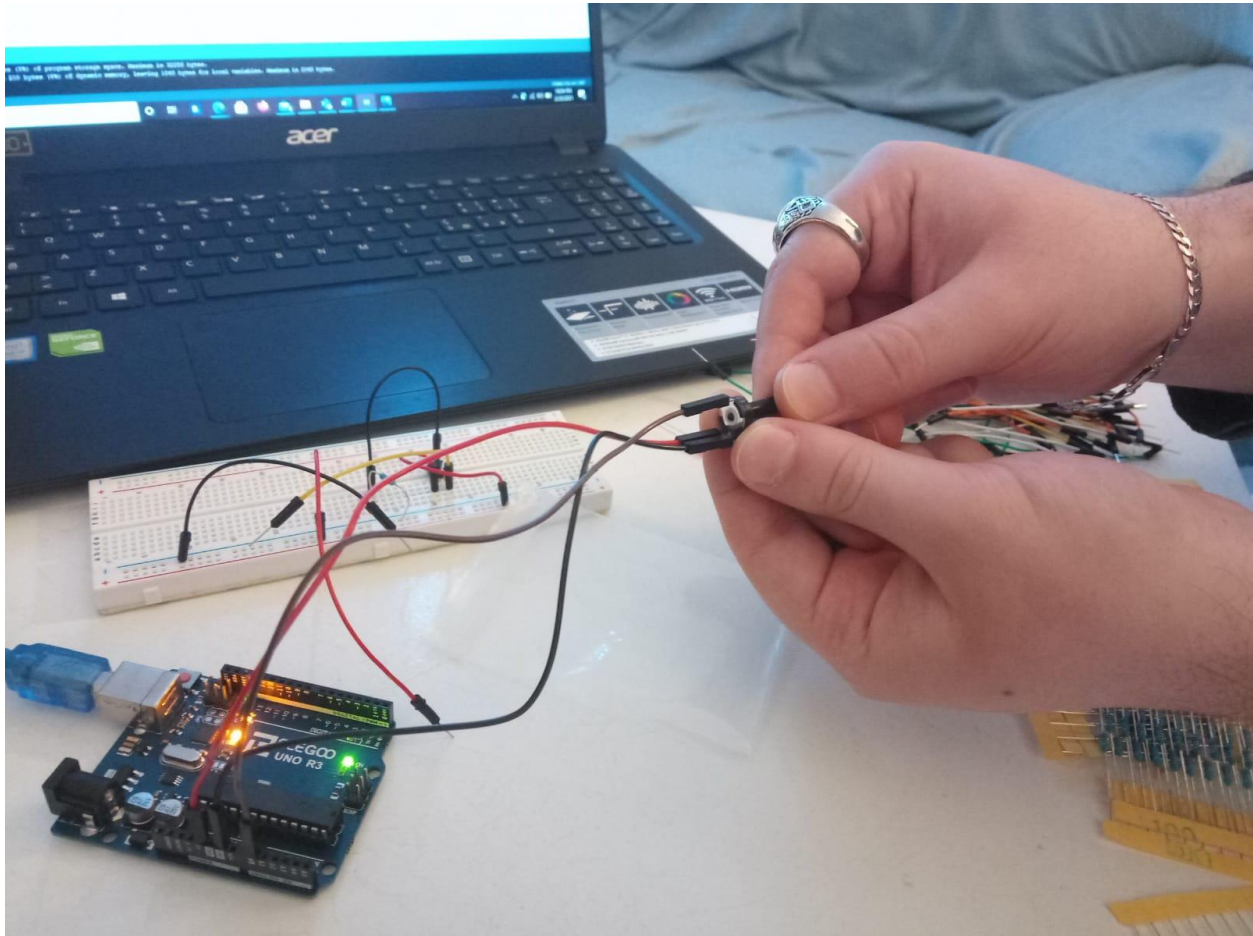
Task 1.7 Measuring the Total resistance across the outer pins of potentiometer



Measuring Resistance of Potentiometer

Task 1.8 Changing the amount of resistance using potentiometer and observing in serial monitor

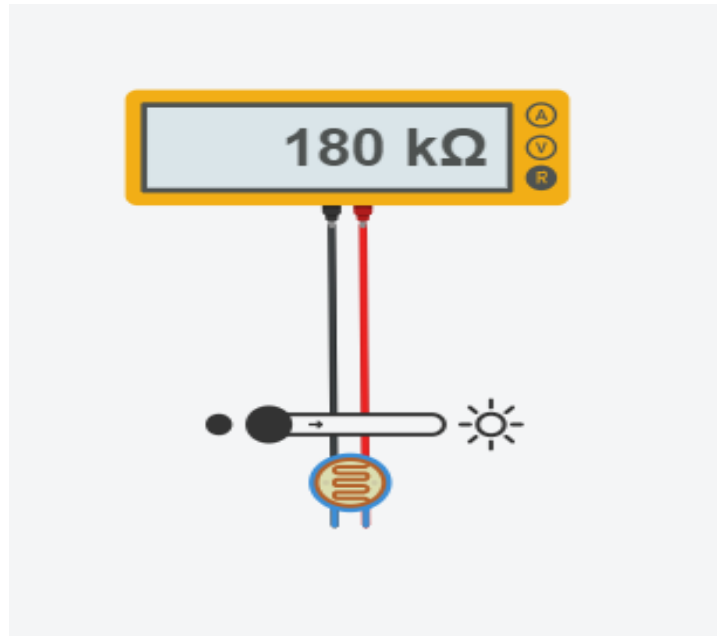




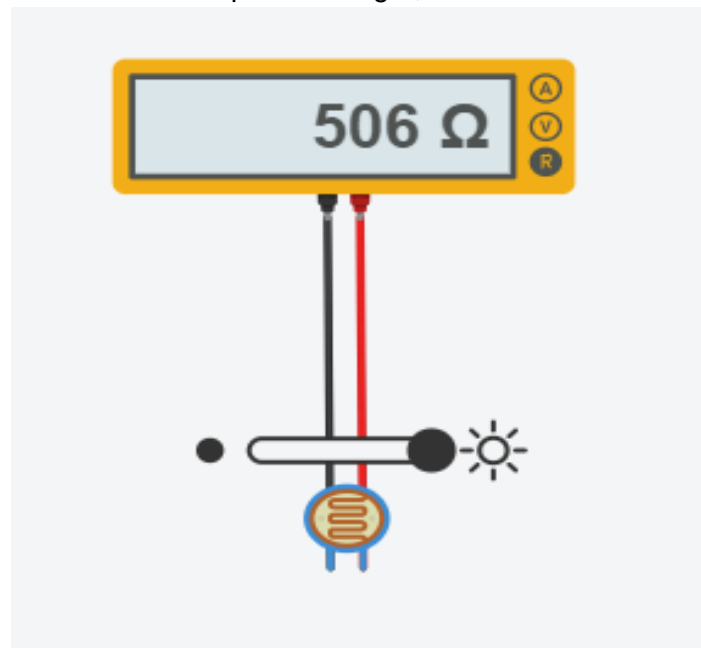
Lab Session 2

Task 2.1 Measuring Resistance Range Manually

We were asked to measure the range of resistance values exhibited by the LDR provided under various light conditions.



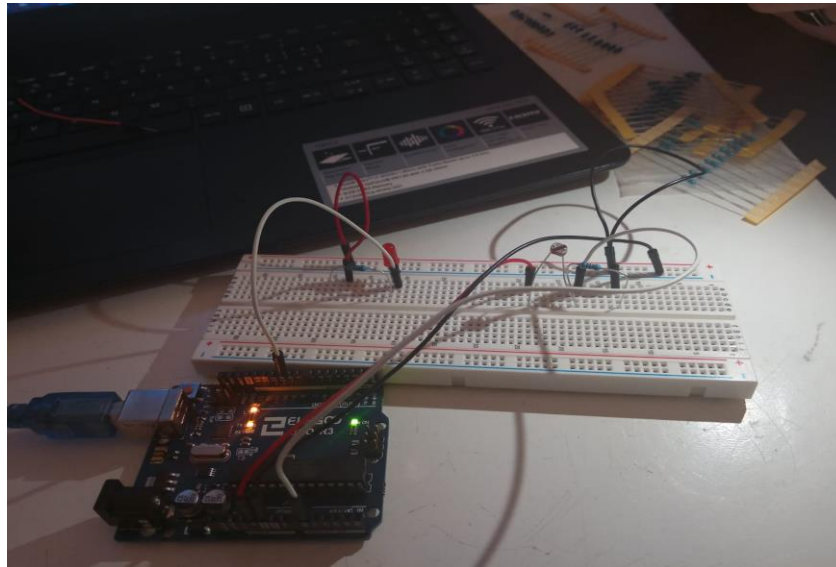
Picture captured at minimum exposure to light, the resistance was at 180 kilo ohms.



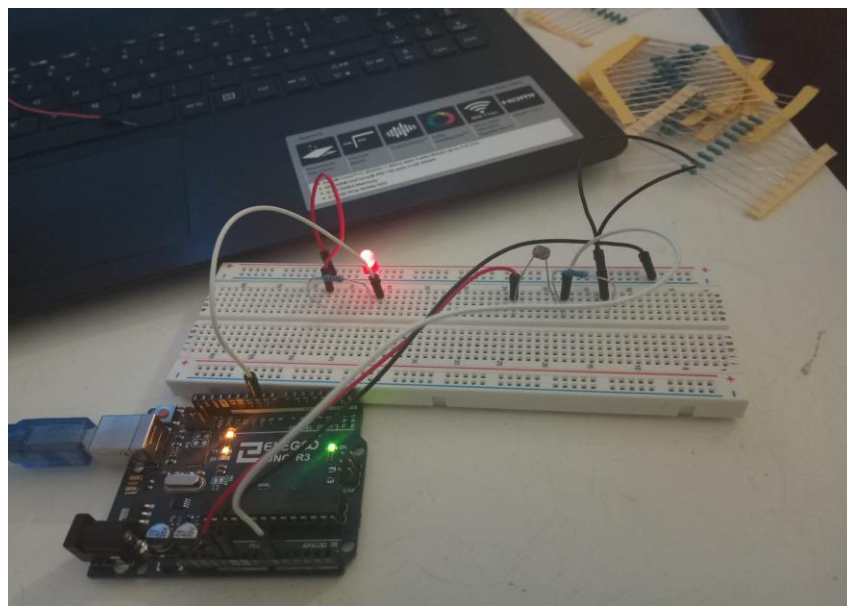
Picture captured at maximum exposure to light, the resistance was at 506 ohms.

Task 2.2 LDR in a Voltage-Divider

In task 2.2 we set up the circuit as shown in below pictures so as to ensure the LED turns on as soon as the LDR detects that it has become dark.

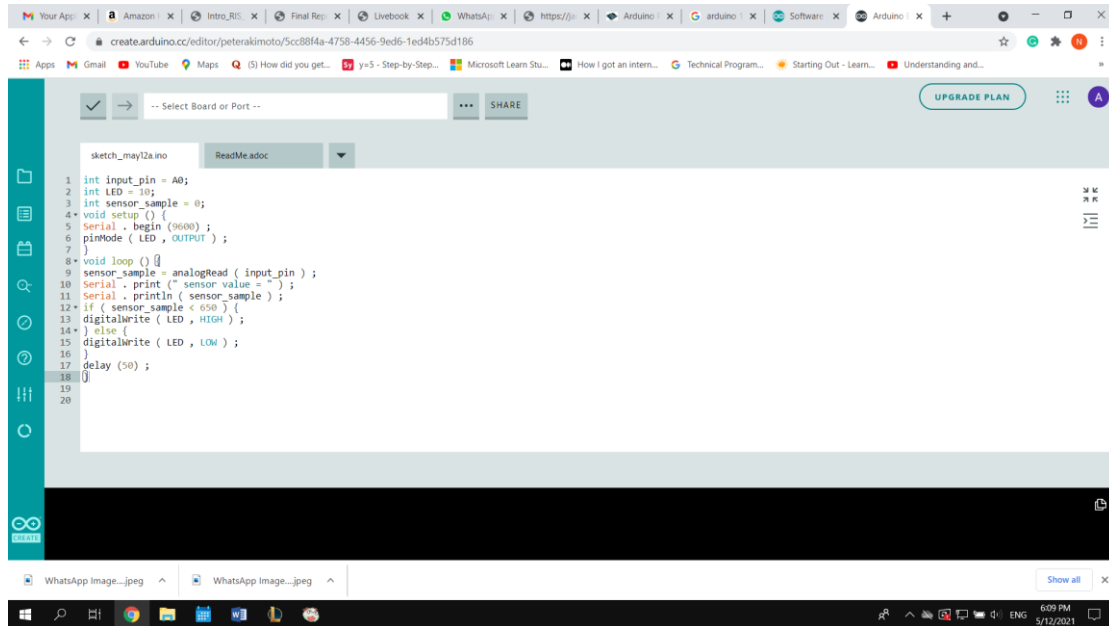


Picture captured when sensor value is greater than 650 hence LED is off.



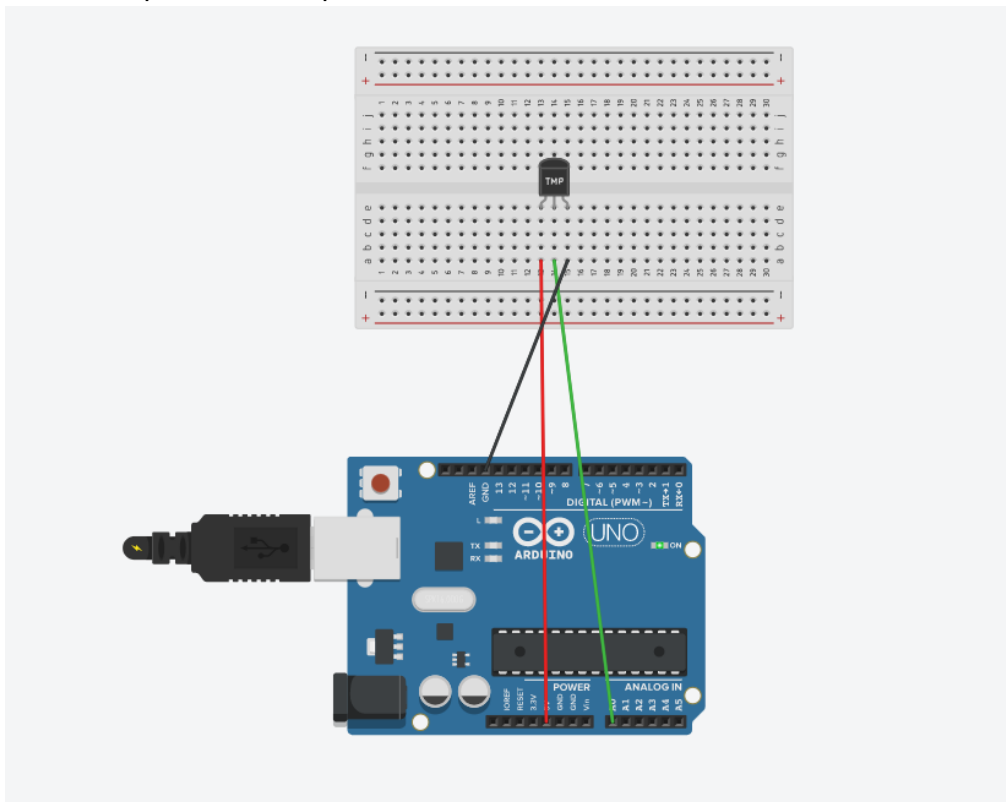
Picture captured when sensor value is less than 650 hence LED is on.

The code below was used to turn on the LED as soon as the LDR detects that it has become dark:



Task 2.3 Measuring the average-temperature and its mean

The middle pin is connected to A0 AND the other pin with a blue wire is connected to the ground. The middle pin is meant to read temperature and return the value after conversion to voltage. The pin of the temperature sensor is connected to the 5Volts.



Code used for measure temperature:


```

1  int TMP36 = A0; // The middle lead is connected to analog -in 0.
2  int temperature = 0;
3  int wait_ms = 20; // wait time between measurements in millisec .
4  # define NR_SAMPLES 10
5  int samples [ NR_SAMPLES ]; // array of samples
6  void setup () {
7  Serial . begin (9600) ;
8  }
9  void loop () {
10 float sum= 0.0;
11 for (int i=0; i< NR_SAMPLES ; ++i){
12 // map values from range [0, 410] to [-50, 150]
13 samples [i]= map ( analogRead ( TMP36 ), 0, 410 , -50, 150) ;
14 sum += samples [i];
15 delay ( wait_ms );
16 }
17 float mean = sum/ NR_SAMPLES ;
18 float sum_square_deviation = 0.0;
19 for (int i=0; i< NR_SAMPLES ; ++i){
20 sum_square_deviation += ( samples [i] - mean )*( samples [i] - mean );
21 }
22 float standard_deviation = sqrt ( sum_square_deviation / NR_SAMPLES );
23 Serial . print ( " mean : " );
24 Serial . print ( mean , 3);
25 Serial . print ( " C, \t std: " );
26 Serial . println ( standard_deviation );
27 }

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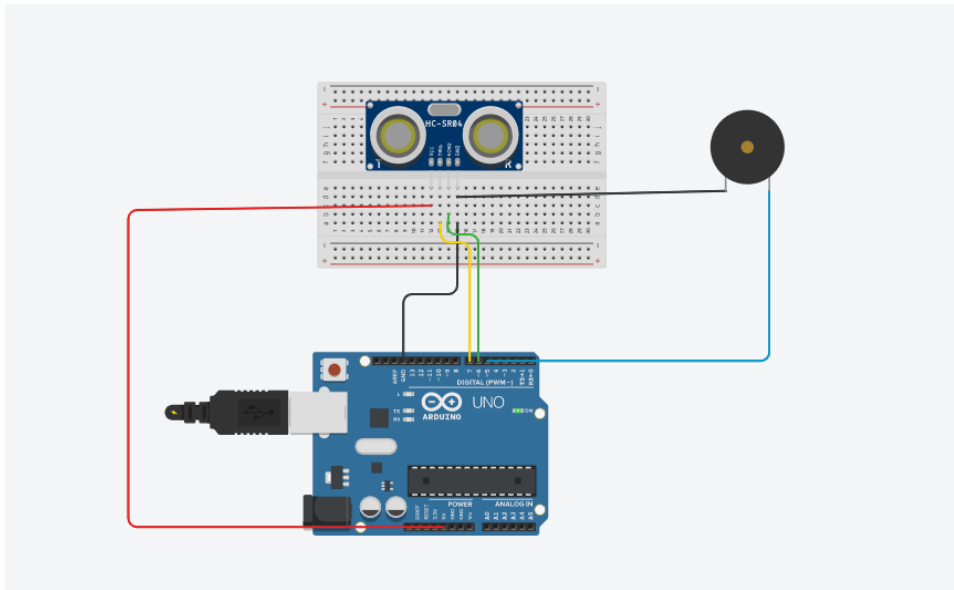
COM5		COM5	
mean : 23.600 C,	std: 0.60	mean : 30.000 C,	std: 0.63
mean : 23.700 C,	std: 0.64	mean : 29.700 C,	std: 0.78
mean : 23.200 C,	std: 0.75	mean : 29.700 C,	std: 0.46
mean : 23.700 C,	std: 0.90	mean : 30.000 C,	std: 0.45
mean : 23.800 C,	std: 0.87	mean : 30.000 C,	std: 0.45
mean : 23.400 C,	std: 0.66	mean : 29.900 C,	std: 0.54
mean : 23.700 C,	std: 0.78	mean : 29.800 C,	std: 0.40
mean : 24.000 C,	std: 0.63	mean : 30.000 C,	std: 0.45
mean : 23.700 C,	std: 0.64	mean : 30.000 C,	std: 0.63
mean : 23.800 C,	std: 0.60	mean : 29.800 C,	std: 0.87
mean : 23.700 C,	std: 0.64	mean : 29.900 C,	std: 0.54
mean : 23.900 C,	std: 0.54	mean : 30.000 C,	std: 0.77
mean : 23.500 C,	std: 0.67	mean : 29.900 C,	std: 0.30
mean : 24.000 C,	std: 0.45	mean : 29.800 C,	std: 0.40
mean : 23.700 C,	std: 0.64	mean : 29.900 C,	std: 0.54
mean : 23.400 C,	std: 0.49	mean : 29.800 C,	std: 0.87

Picture captured before touching the sensor and after

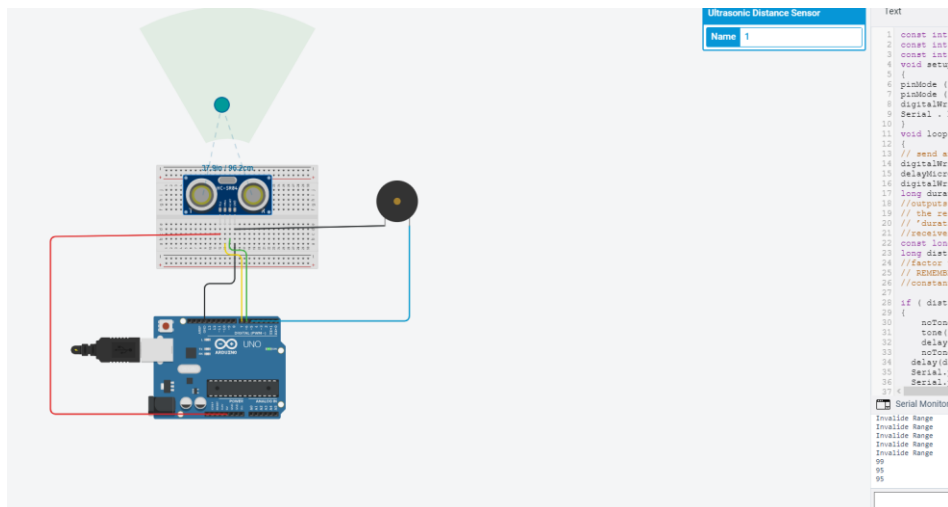
Task 2.4

The reason we use the value 410 in the call to the map function is because when it comes to the temperature sensor the middle pin gives out a voltage between 0-2 Volts. A value of 0 corresponds to the temperature of -50 degrees Celsius, and the value of 2 volts corresponds to a temperature of 150 degrees Celsius which is equivalent to 410

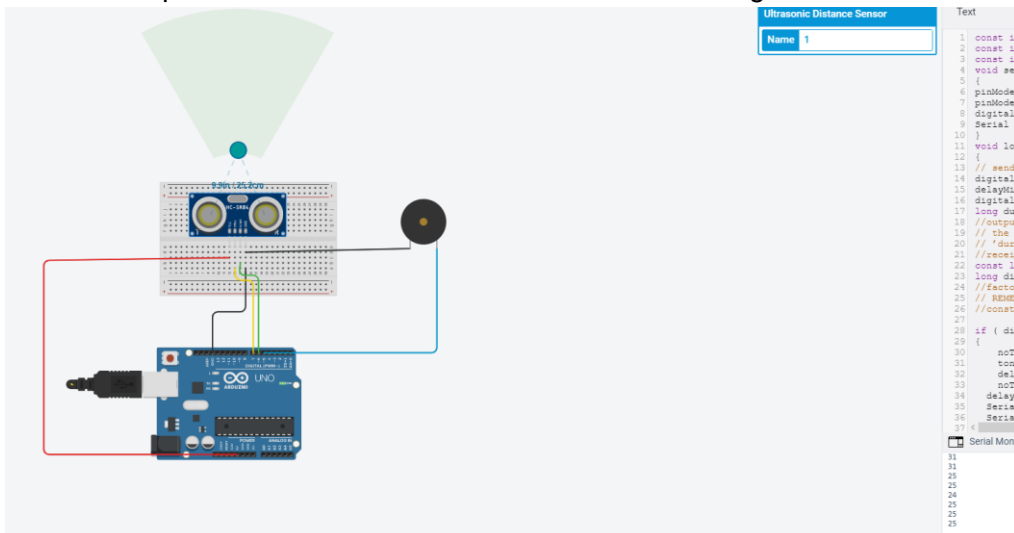
Task 2.5 Creating a car parking sensor using the Ultrasonic distance sensor



Picture of the circuit used for car parking sensor



Picture captured when distance is less than 100cm but greater than 20cm.



Picture captured when the distance was less than 20cm
the distance was less than 20cm and the beep was continuous without any interruptions

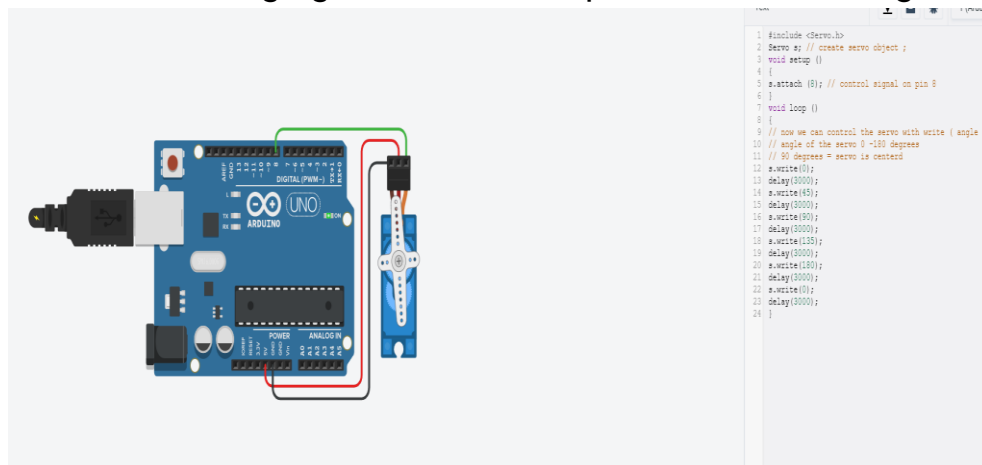
Code used:

```
1  const int trig = 7;
2  const int echo = 6;
3  const int speaker=5;
4  void setup ()
5  {
6  pinMode ( trig , OUTPUT ) ;
7  pinMode ( echo , INPUT ) ;
8  digitalWrite ( trig , LOW ) ;
9  Serial . begin (9600) ;
10 }
11 void loop ()
12 {
13 // send an impulse to trigger the sensor start the measurement
14 digitalWrite ( trig , HIGH ) ;
15 delayMicroseconds (15) ; // minimum impulse width required by HC -SR4 sensor
16 digitalWrite ( trig , LOW ) ;
17 long duration = pulseIn ( echo , HIGH ) ; // this function waits until the sensor
18 //outputs the result
19 // the result is encoded as the pulse width in microseconds
20 // 'duration ' is the time it takes sound from the transmitter back to the
21 //receiver after it bounces off an obstacle
22 const long vsound = 340; // [m/s]
23 long dist = ( duration / 2L ) * vsound / 10000L ; // 10000 is just the scaling
24 //factor to get the result in [cm]
25 // REMEMBER : when doing operations with 'long ' variables , always put 'L' after
26 //constants otherwise you will have bugs !
27
28 if ( dist < 100L && dist > 20L )
29 {
30     noTone(speaker);
31     tone(speaker,1000);
32     delay(dist*10);
33     noTone(speaker);
34     delay(dist*10);
35     Serial.print(dist);
36     Serial.print("\n");
37 }
38 else if(dist<20L)
39 {
40     tone(speaker,1000);
41     Serial.print(dist);
42     Serial.print("\n");
43 }
44 else{
45     Serial.print("Invalid Range");
46     Serial.print("\n");
47 }
```

Task 2.6

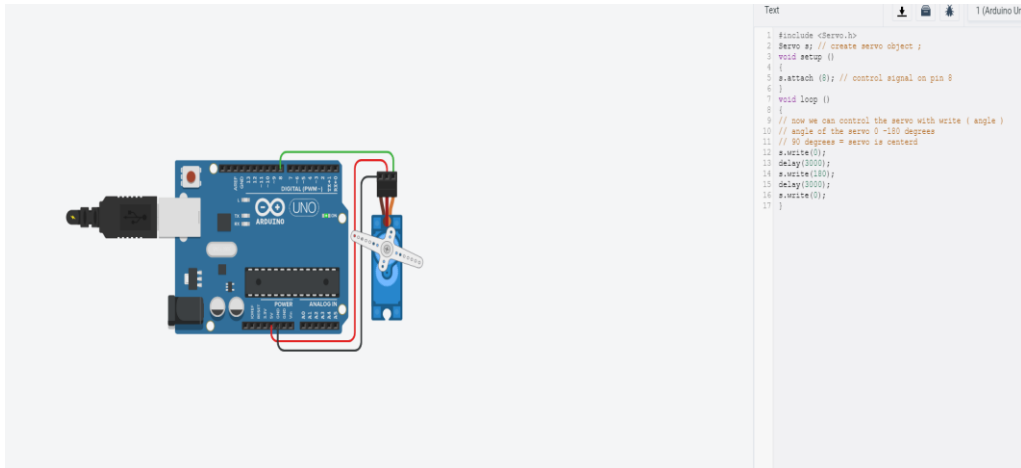
Pins 9 and 10 cannot be used on the Uno when using the servo library

Task 2.7 Changing the code to stop the servo at 0 degrees

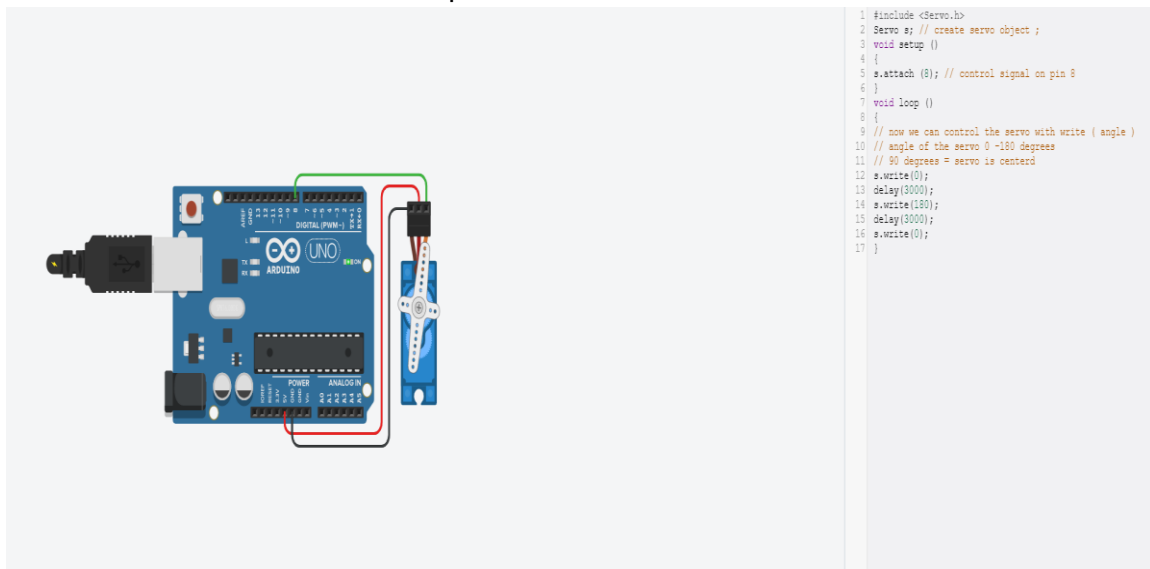


Picture captured when the servo starts at 0 degrees

Task 2.8 Making the servo transition smoothly from 0 to 180 and back in a continuous cycle



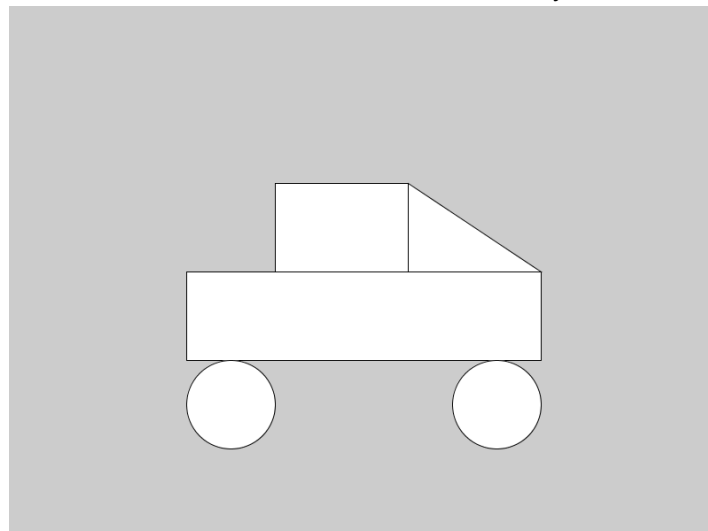
The code written ensures that the servo transition smoothly from 0 to 180 degrees and back in a period of 6 seconds.



Picture captured when the servo moves from 180 to 0 degrees

Task 2.9

2D car was drawn with a combination various syntaxes as shown

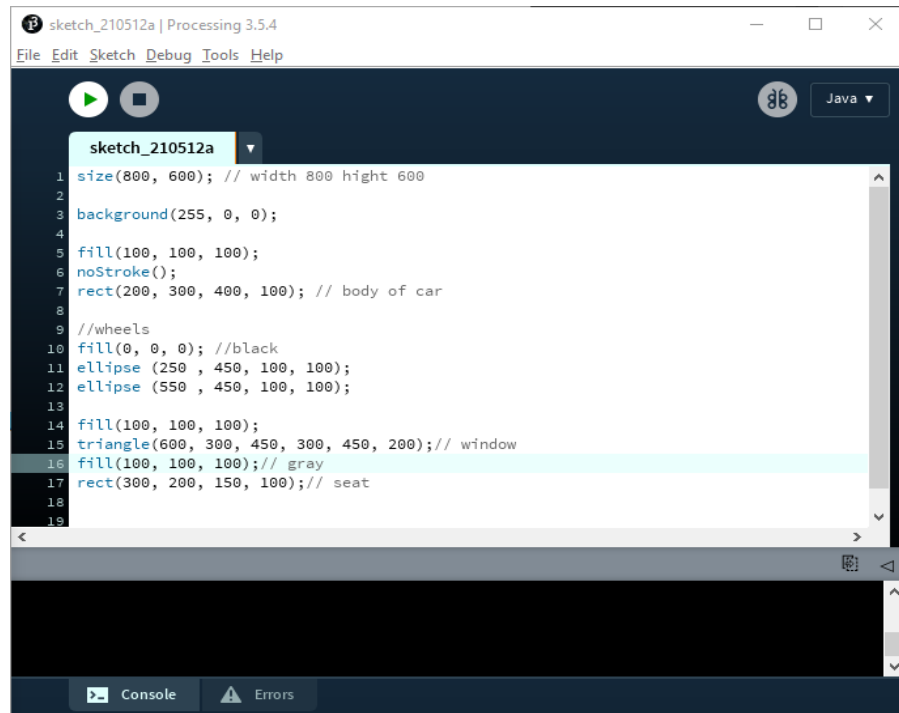


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sketch_210512a
1 size(600, 600); // width 600 height 600
2
3 rect(200, 300, 400, 100); // body of car
4
5 //wheels
6 ellipse (250 , 450, 100, 100);
7 ellipse (550 , 450, 100, 100);
8
9 triangle(600, 300, 450, 300, 450, 200); // window
10 rect(300, 200, 150, 100); // seat
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Task 2.10





Lab Session 3

Task 3.1

In Task 3.1 we are going to use the “Processing” Programming Language to perform 3D transformation using accelerometer. We use the P3D renderer for drawing in 3D.

Run the code listed in the lab manual Listing 3.1. The XYZ coordinate-system (CS) in Processing is left-handed CS. The origin is at the top-left, X-axis points to the right of the screen, Y-axis points to the bottom of the screen, and the Z-axis is coming out of the screen.

For the task 3.1 we should complete the following:

In the code, the variables 'rotx' and 'roty' are the rotation angles corresponding to the X-axis and Y-axis. Be familiar with the commands rotateX() and rotateY() and explain the usage of these two commands.

```

float rotx , roty ;
void setup () {
size (400 ,400 , P3D);
rotx = 0.0;
roty = 0.0;
}
void draw () {
background (255) ;
pushMatrix ();
translate ( width /2.0 , height /2.0 , -50);
rotateX ( rotx );
rotateY ( roty );
draw_axes ();
popMatrix ();
}
void draw_axes () {
fill (100 , 200 , 100 , 127) ;
stroke (0);
box (90 , 60 , 30) ;
stroke (255 , 0 , 0);
line (0 , 0 , 0 , 100 , 0 , 0); // Red X- Axis
stroke (0 , 255 , 0);
line (0 , 0 , 0 , 0 , 100 , 0); // Green Y- Axis
stroke (0 , 0 , 255) ;
line (0 , 0 , 0 , 0 , 0 , 100) ; // Blue Z- Axis
}
/** This is an event - handler function .
*/
void mouseDragged () {
float rate = 0.01;
rotx += ( pmouseY - mouseY ) * rate ;
roty += ( mouseX - pmouseX ) * rate ;
}

```

Figure1: Task 3.1 Code.

In the beginning the *background(255)* to set the color of the background, then the command *translate* is used to specify the amount to displace the object within the display window. In the *draw_axes()* function, we are drawing the *x (red)*, *y(green)* and *z(blue)* axes going through the faces of the cube. *mouseDragged()* function determined amount by which the object should move when we move the mouse by a certain distance. *draw ()* function rotates everything

by respective amount using *rotateX()* and *rotateY()*. We ran the code in processing and the following results were obtained. We rotated the 3D object in different positions, each position is shown below.

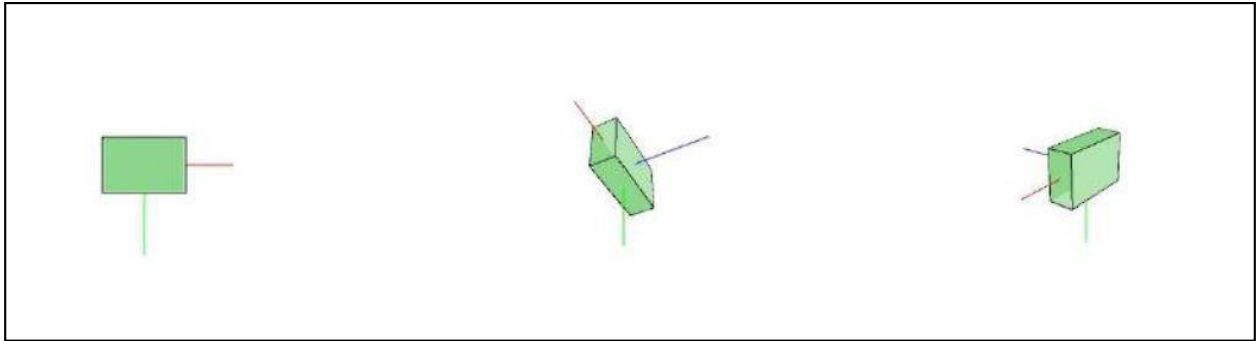
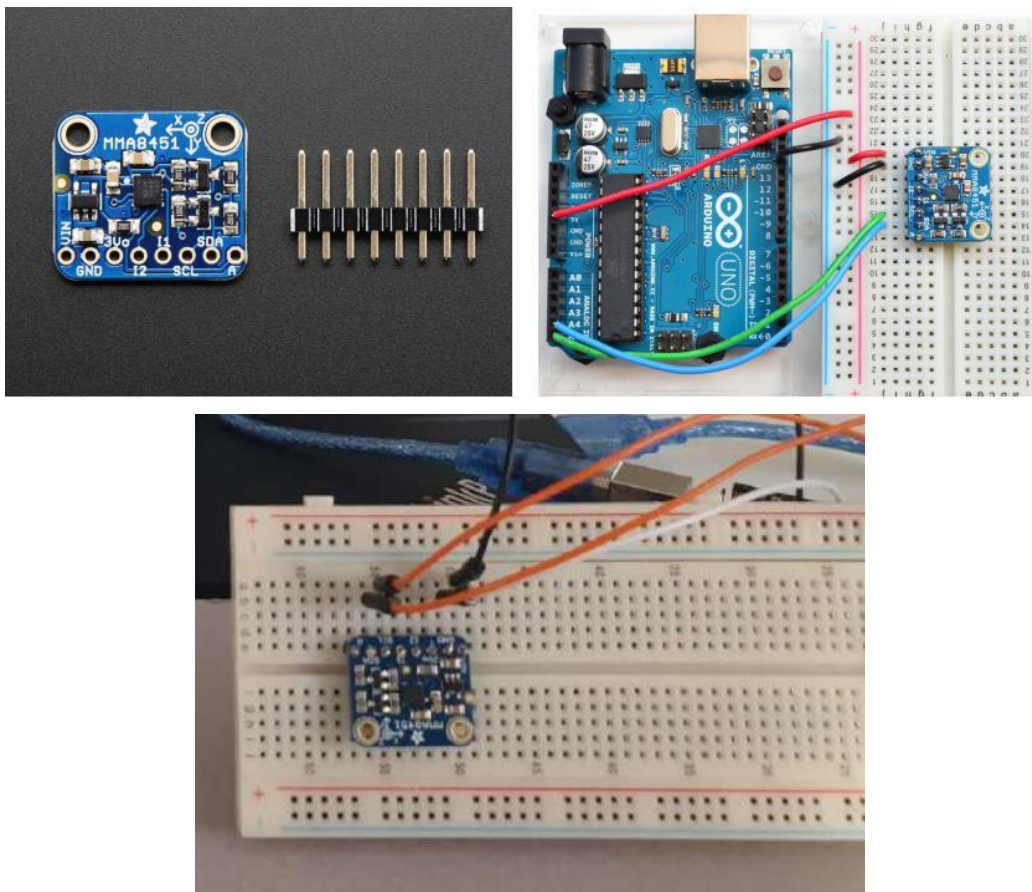


Figure2: Object visualization in Processing

Task 3.2

In task 3.2 we are going to measure the acceleration using the accelerometer which is a device that measures the vibration, or acceleration of motion of a structure. The force caused by vibration or a change in motion (acceleration) causes the mass to "squeeze" the piezoelectric material which produces an electrical charge that is proportional to the force exerted upon it.

In our lab we use the accelerometer MMA8451. From Freescale with a 14-bit ADC resolution. We built the circuit as in the figure below.



We then download the file Adafruit MMA8451 Library-master.zip. In the Arduino IDE, went to the menu item Sketch, Include Library, Add .ZIP Library, and in the file-dialog, and selected the zip file.

We downloaded the file Adafruit Sensor-master.zip to a folder of your choice. In the Arduino IDE, went to the menu item Sketch, Include Library, Add .ZIP Library, and in the file-dialog, selected the zip file.

Then we run the code In the Arduino IDE, opened File, Examples, Adafruit MMA8451 Library, MMA8451demo, compiled it, and uploaded it to Arduino. Then we opened the serial monitor and the following output appeared.

```
X: -50 Y: 396 Z: 4026
X: -0.01 Y: 0.10 Z: 0.98 m/s^2
Portrait Up Front

X: -40 Y: 404 Z: 4010
X: -0.01 Y: 0.09 Z: 0.98 m/s^2
Portrait Up Front

X: -44 Y: 388 Z: 3998
X: -0.01 Y: 0.10 Z: 0.98 m/s^2
Portrait Up Front

X: -40 Y: 412 Z: 4006
X: -0.01 Y: 0.10 Z: 0.98 m/s^2
Portrait Up Front

X: -36 Y: 404 Z: 3996
X: -0.01 Y: 0.09 Z: 0.98 m/s^2
Portrait Up Front

X: -36 Y: 380 Z: 3998
X: -0.01 Y: 0.09 Z: 0.98 m/s^2
Portrait Up Front

X: -44 Y: 390 Z: 4002
X: -0.01 Y: 0.10 Z: 0.98 m/s^2
Portrait Up Front

X: -40 Y: 400 Z: 4024
X: -0.01 Y: 0.10 Z: 0.98 m/s^2
Portrait Up Front

X: -46 Y: 408 Z: 3988
X: -0.01 Y: 0.10 Z: 0.98 m/s^2
Portrait Up Front
```

Figure3: Accelerometer output in the serial monitor measuring the G-force acceleration which shows 0.98 m/s² in the free fall state.

The unit m/s² is not really the unit the accelerometer measures, it measures the force which applies in our sensor. It uses electromechanical sensor that is designed to measure either static or dynamic acceleration. Static acceleration is the constant force acting on a body, like gravity or friction. These forces are predictable and uniform to a large extent. For example, the acceleration due to gravity is constant at 9.8m/s, and the gravitation force is almost the same at every point on earth. The value shown in the serial monitor is off by a factor of 10, the real value should be 9.8m/s² while the serial monitor shows 0.98m/s².

Then we show the output of the accelerometer in different positions:

- 0: Portrait Up Front
- 1: Portrait Up Back
- 2: Portrait Down Front
- 3: Portrait Down Back
- 4: Landscape Right Front

- 5: Landscape Right Back
6: Landscape Left Front
7: Landscape Left Back

```

15:56:04.399 -> X:      -9.73   Y:      0.19   Z:      -0.68   m/s^2
15:56:04.433 -> Landscape Left Back
15:56:04.466 ->
15:56:04.908 -> X:     -4068   Y:       74   Z:      -294
15:56:04.942 -> X:      -9.74   Y:      0.16   Z:      -0.76   m/s^2
15:56:04.976 -> Landscape Left Back
15:56:04.976 ->
15:56:05.420 -> X:     -4006   Y:        6   Z:      -258
15:56:05.455 -> X:      -9.78   Y:      0.03   Z:      -0.57   m/s^2
15:56:05.489 -> Landscape Left Back
15:56:05.522 ->
15:56:05.932 -> X:     -4074   Y:       78   Z:      -302
15:56:05.965 -> X:      -9.76   Y:      0.17   Z:      -0.73   m/s^2
15:56:05.999 -> Landscape Left Back
15:56:06.033 ->

```

Figure4: LANDSCAPE LEFT BACK

```

15:54:35.301 -> X:       9.62   Y:     -0.49   Z:      -0.16   m/s^2
15:54:35.335 -> Landscape Right Back
15:54:35.369 ->
15:54:35.816 -> X:      4010   Y:     -134   Z:       102
15:54:35.816 -> X:       9.62   Y:     -0.34   Z:       0.23   m/s^2
15:54:35.849 -> Landscape Right Back
15:54:35.885 ->
15:54:36.328 -> X:      4032   Y:        6   Z:       186
15:54:36.328 -> X:       9.65   Y:     -0.02   Z:       0.40   m/s^2
15:54:36.397 -> Landscape Right Back
15:54:36.397 ->
15:54:36.843 -> X:      4034   Y:       -6   Z:       198
15:54:36.877 -> X:       9.65   Y:     -0.02   Z:       0.41   m/s^2
15:54:36.912 -> Landscape Right Back
15:54:36.912 ->

```

Figure5: LANDSCAPE RIGHT BACK

```

15:54:17.596 -> X:       9.58   Y:      0.68   Z:       0.60   m/s^2
15:54:17.631 -> Landscape Right Front
15:54:17.665 ->
15:54:18.075 -> X:      4030   Y:      244   Z:       180
15:54:18.108 -> X:       9.63   Y:      0.62   Z:       0.42   m/s^2
15:54:18.143 -> Landscape Right Front
15:54:18.177 ->
15:54:18.588 -> X:      4058   Y:      572   Z:       976
15:54:18.622 -> X:       9.42   Y:      1.04   Z:       0.91   m/s^2
15:54:18.655 -> Landscape Right Front
15:54:18.689 ->
15:54:19.136 -> X:      4028   Y:      162   Z:       276
15:54:19.136 -> X:       9.63   Y:      0.41   Z:       0.68   m/s^2
15:54:19.170 -> Landscape Right Front
15:54:19.205 ->

```

Figure6: LANDSCAPE RIGHT FRONT


```

15:55:30.475 -> X:      -9.72  Y:      0.45  Z:      2.04  m/s^2
15:55:30.510 -> Landscape Left Front
15:55:30.545 ->
15:55:30.988 -> X:     -3994  Y:      38    Z:      954
15:55:30.988 -> X:      -9.58  Y:      0.11  Z:      2.31  m/s^2
15:55:31.057 -> Landscape Left Front
15:55:31.057 ->
15:55:31.502 -> X:     -3978  Y:     212    Z:      988
15:55:31.536 -> X:      -9.49  Y:      0.43  Z:      2.41  m/s^2
15:55:31.571 -> Landscape Left Front
15:55:31.571 ->
15:55:32.018 -> X:     -3998  Y:     190    Z:      952
15:55:32.053 -> X:      -9.52  Y:      0.49  Z:      2.35  m/s^2
15:55:32.086 -> Landscape Left Front
15:55:32.121 ->

```

Figure7: LENDSCAPE LEFT FRONT

```

15:53:46.848 -> X:     -0.16  Y:      0.78  Z:     -5.56  m/s^2
15:53:46.884 -> Portrait Down Back
15:53:46.917 ->
15:53:47.360 -> X:     -90    Y:     278    Z:    -4022
15:53:47.395 -> X:     -0.19  Y:      0.64  Z:    -9.66  m/s^2
15:53:47.429 -> Portrait Down Back
15:53:47.429 ->
15:53:47.875 -> X:     -70    Y:     278    Z:    -4006
15:53:47.908 -> X:     -0.20  Y:      0.68  Z:    -9.61  m/s^2
15:53:47.942 -> Portrait Down Back
15:53:47.977 ->
15:53:48.389 -> X:      0     Y:     278    Z:    -3978
15:53:48.422 -> X:     -0.00  Y:      0.65  Z:    -9.50  m/s^2
15:53:48.457 -> Portrait Down Back
15:53:48.491 ->

```

Figure8: PORTRAIT DOWN BACK

```

15:48:34.139 -> X:     -0.04  Y:      0.20  Z:      9.76  m/s^2
15:48:34.174 -> Portrait Up Front
15:48:34.207 ->
15:48:34.622 -> X:     -28    Y:      74    Z:     4050
15:48:34.655 -> X:     -0.01  Y:      0.21  Z:      9.77  m/s^2
15:48:34.690 -> Portrait Up Front
15:48:34.724 ->
15:48:35.137 -> X:     -36    Y:     102    Z:     4064
15:48:35.170 -> X:     -0.09  Y:      0.23  Z:      9.72  m/s^2
15:48:35.204 -> Portrait Up Front
15:48:35.238 ->
15:48:35.649 -> X:     -26    Y:      86    Z:     4086
15:48:35.683 -> X:     -0.11  Y:      0.16  Z:      9.74  m/s^2
15:48:35.718 -> Portrait Up Front
15:48:35.753 ->

```

Figure9: PORTRAIT UP FRONT

```

15:52:00.857 -> X:      -0.45   Y:      1.06   Z:      9.73   m/s^2
15:52:00.891 -> Portrait Down Front
15:52:00.891 ->
15:52:01.337 -> X:      -206   Y:      368   Z:      4038
15:52:01.370 -> X:      -0.45   Y:      0.88   Z:      9.64   m/s^2
15:52:01.405 -> Portrait Down Front
15:52:01.405 ->
15:52:01.850 -> X:      -204   Y:      352   Z:      4044
15:52:01.884 -> X:      -0.50   Y:      0.85   Z:      9.68   m/s^2
15:52:01.910 -> Portrait Down Front
15:52:01.932 ->
15:52:02.362 -> X:      -198   Y:      326   Z:      4068
15:52:02.397 -> X:      -0.48   Y:      0.84   Z:      9.73   m/s^2
15:52:02.431 -> Portrait Down Front
15:52:02.464 ->

```

Figure10: PORTRAIT DOWN FRONT

```

15:51:07.847 -> X:      0.14   Y:     -0.56   Z:     -9.52   m/s^2
15:51:07.915 -> Portrait Up Back
15:51:07.915 ->
15:51:08.357 -> X:      42    Y:     -232   Z:     -4052
15:51:08.391 -> X:      0.11   Y:     -0.53   Z:     -9.67   m/s^2
15:51:08.425 -> Portrait Up Back
15:51:08.425 ->
15:51:08.868 -> X:      108   Y:      108   Z:     -4062
15:51:08.903 -> X:      0.26   Y:      0.23   Z:     -9.80   m/s^2
15:51:08.930 -> Portrait Up Back
15:51:08.938 ->
15:51:09.382 -> X:      24    Y:      -8    Z:     -4012
15:51:09.416 -> X:      0.03   Y:     -0.01   Z:     -9.62   m/s^2
15:51:09.450 -> Portrait Up Back
15:51:09.484 ->

```

Figure11: PORTRAIT UP BACK

The demo from the examples code is shown below.

```

/*****/
/*!
@file Adafruit_MMA8451.h
@author K. Townsend (Adafruit Industries)
@license BSD (see license.txt)

This is an example for the Adafruit MMA8451 Accel
breakout board
----> https://www.adafruit.com/products/2019

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source code, please support Adafruit and open-source
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v1.0 - First release
*/
/*****/

#include <Adafruit_MMA8451.h>
#include <Adafruit_Sensor.h>
#include <Wire.h>

Adafruit_MMA8451 mma = Adafruit_MMA8451();

```

```

void set up(void)

Serial.begin(9600

);

Serial.println(11 Adafruit      MMA8451 test!11 ) ;

if (1mma .begin())
{
Serial.println(11 Couldnt start11 ) ;
while (1)

Serial.println(11 MMA8451      found!11 ) ;

mma.setR ange (MMA 8451 RANG
E_2_G);Serial .print(11 Range =
11 ) ;
Serial.print(2 << mma.getR ange());
Serial.println(11 G11 ) ;

void loop()

// Read the 'raw' data in 14-bit
countsmma.read();
Serial.print(11 X:\t11 )
; Serial .pri nt(mma .x);
Serial.print("\tY:\t");
Serial .print(mma.y);
Serial.print("\tZ:\t");
Serial .print(mma.z);
Serial.println();

/* Get a new sensor event
*/sensors_event_t event;
mma.getEvent(&event);
/* Display the results (accelerati on is measured in
* m/s. 2 ) */
Serial.print(11 X: \t11 ) ;
Serial .print(event .acce leration.x);
Serial.print(11 \t11 ) ;
Serial.print(11 Y: \t11 ) ;
Serial .print(event .acce leration.y);
Serial.print(11 \t11 ) ;
Serial.print(11 Z: \t11 ) ;
Serial .print(event .acce leration.z);
Serial.print(11 \t11 ) ;
Serial.println(11 m/s^2 11 ) ;

```

```

/* Get the orientation of the sensor */
uint8_t o = mma.getOrientation();

switch (o)
{
case MMA8451_PL_PUF:
Serial.println("Portrait Up Front");
break;
case MMA8451_PL_PUB:
Serial.println("Portrait Up Back");
break;
case MMA8451_PL_PDF:
Serial.println("Portrait Down Front");
break;
case MMA8451_PL_PDB:
Serial.println("Portrait Down Back");
break;
case MMA8451_PL_LRF:
Serial.println("Landscape Right Front");
break;
case MMA8451_PL_LRB:
Serial.println("Landscape Right Back");
break;
case MMA8451_PL_LLF:
Serial.println("Landscape Left Front");
break;
case MMA8451_PL_LLB:
Serial.println("Landscape Left Back");
break;

Serial.println();
delay(500);
)

```

Task 3.3

Pitch, yaw and roll are three dimensional movement of an object. We can use the movement of an airplane to demonstrate it as shown in the figure below. Let $\theta \in [-\pi/2; \pi/2]$; $\phi \in (-\pi; \pi]$; $\varphi \in (-\pi; \pi]$ denote the angles which the object rotates along the axis corresponding to pitch, yaw and roll. We have the following relation between θ ; φ and X ; Y ; Z where X ; Y ; Z approximate the measured forces along the XYZ axes. We need to first normalize X ; Y ; Z such that:

$$ax = \frac{X}{\sqrt{X^2 + Y^2 + Z^2}}$$

$$ay = \frac{Y}{\sqrt{X^2 + Y^2 + Z^2}}$$

$$az = \frac{Z}{\sqrt{X^2 + Y^2 + Z^2}}$$

$$\theta = \arcsin(ax)$$

$$\phi = \arctan\left(\frac{ay}{\cos\theta}, \frac{az}{\cos\theta}\right)$$

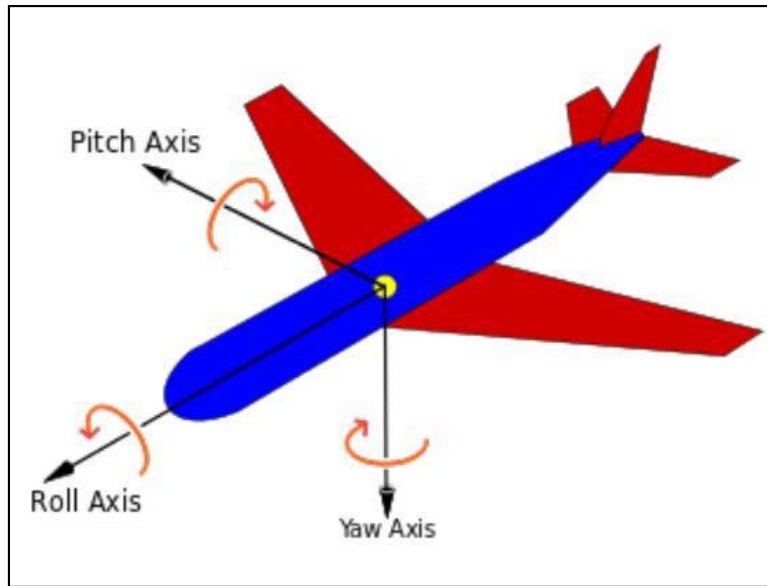


Figure12: Illustration of three dimensional movements.

On the Arduino side, we modified the code of the demo program, so that the Processing program is able to read what it writes on the serial port. On the Processing side we filled the missing parts of the code in order to calculate the pitch and the roll. We ran the GUI to see the output shown in the figures 13 and 14. The modified code and the output is shown below.

