



CStem Project: Thermo-resistor

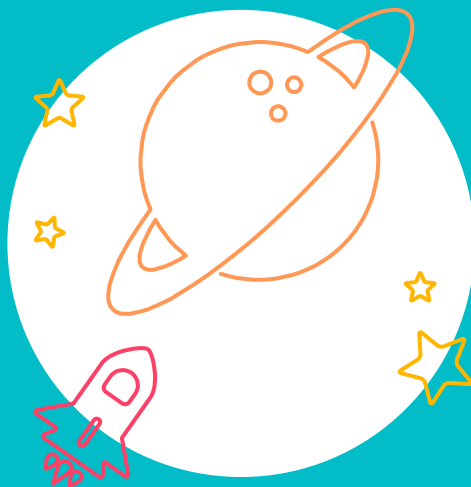
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Prompt :

Use a thermo-resistor to control Linkbot speed, and display such through LEDs, when at fastest speed, use photoresistor to determine direction of Linkbot



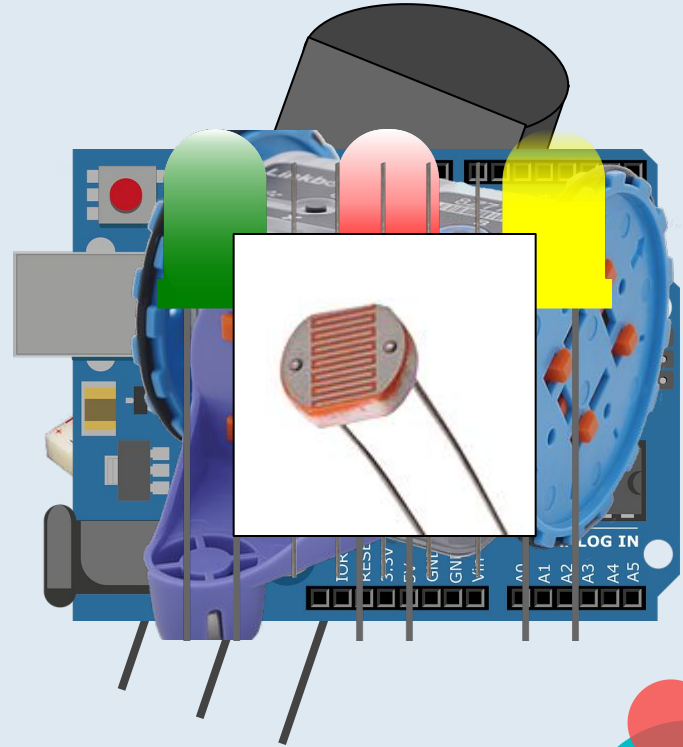


Vocabulary

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Hardware

- Breadboard
- Thermoresistor
- Arduino
- LinkBot
- LED
- Resistor
- Photoresistor



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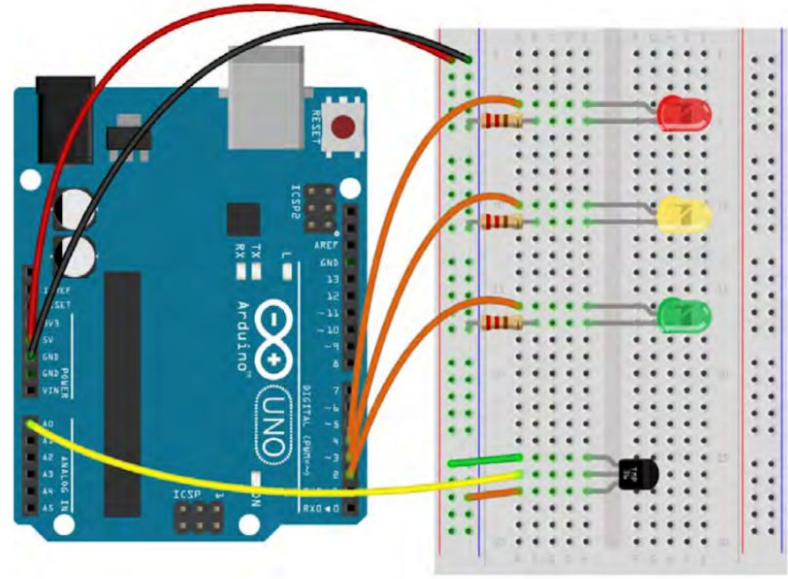
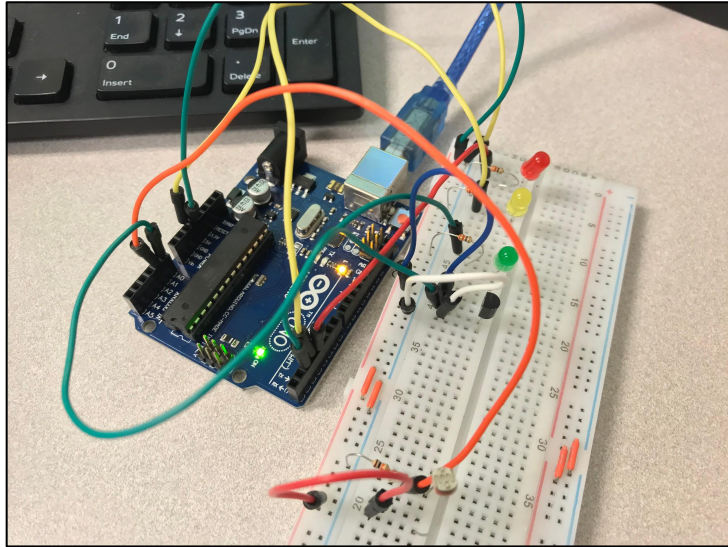
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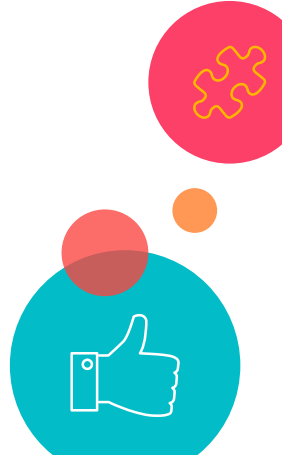
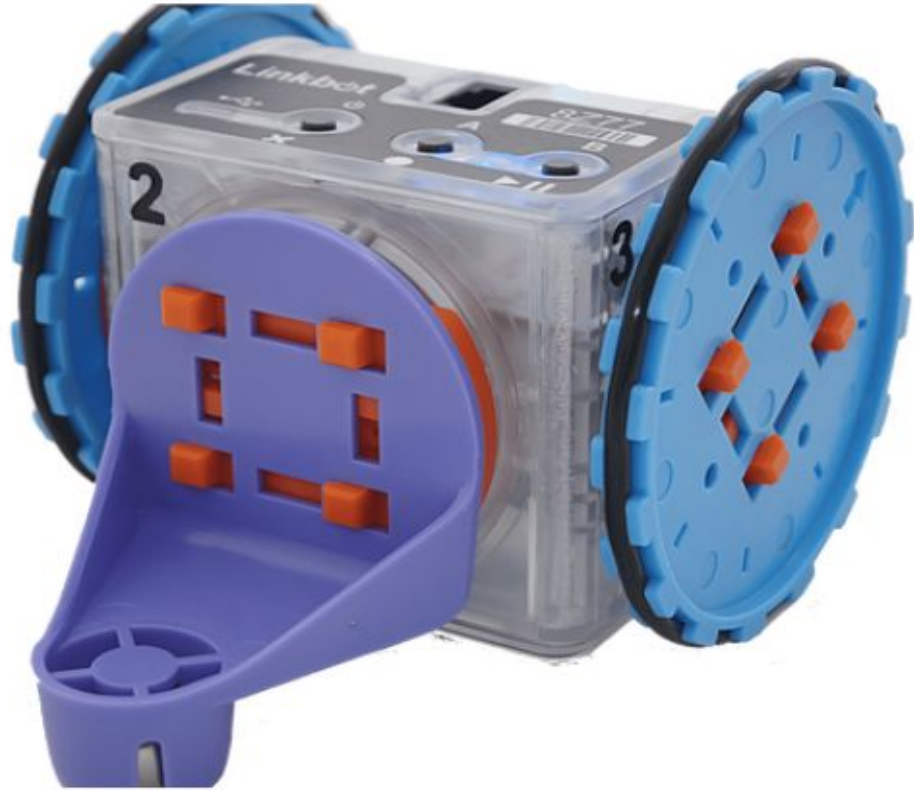
- CStem Studio
 - ChIDE
 - RoboBlockly
 - Ch Arduino

RoboBlockly



Hardware Procedure







Software Procedure

Coding

ChIDE

- Create Header
- Name Variables
- Connect voltage to speed
- Connect temperature to LEDs
- Troubleshoot

```
while(1){  
  sensorVal = analogRead(sensorPin);  
  printf("Sensor Value: %d", sensorVal);  
  
  voltage = (sensorVal/1023.0)*5.0;  
  printf("\n Voltage: %.2lf", voltage);  
  
  temperature = (voltage - 0.5)*100;  
  printf("\n degrees C: %.2lf\n", temperature);  
  
  if(temperature < baselineTemp){  
    digitalWrite(2, LOW);  
    digitalWrite(3, LOW);  
    digitalWrite(4, LOW);  
  }  
  
  else if(temperature > baselineTemp && temperature < (baselineTemp+2)){  
    digitalWrite(2, HIGH);  
    digitalWrite(3, LOW);  
    digitalWrite(4, LOW);  
  }  
  
  else if (temperature >= (baselineTemp+2) && temperature < (baselineTemp+4)){  
    digitalWrite(2, HIGH);  
    digitalWrite(3, HIGH);  
    digitalWrite(4, LOW);  
  }  
}
```

Coding

```
else if (temperature >= (baselineTemp +2)){
    digitalWrite(2, HIGH);
    digitalWrite(3, LOW);
    digitalWrite(4, LOW);
    // Barry.setSpeed(5, radius);
    Barry.setLEDColor("green");
    printf("SHOULD TURN GREEN");
}
if(lightVal >= (baselineLight+2)){
    printf("Should turn right");
    Barry.turnRight(90,radius,trackwidth);
}
else if (lightVal<baselineLight){
    printf("Should turn left");
    Barry.turnLeft(90,radius,trackwidth);
}
}
/* {
    digitalWrite(2, LOW);
    digitalWrite(3, LOW);
    digitalWrite(4, HIGH);
    Barry.setSpeed(0, radius);
}*/
delay(1000);
}
```





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Problems

1. Arduino would not connect
2. Inaccurate thermoresistor
3. Error in code
4. Incomplete Circuit
5. Thermoresistor overheating
6. Linkbot unresponsive

Solutions

1. Update Arduino
2. Replace wire
3. Naming robot consistently
4. Rework the wiring
5. Incorrect set up
6. Rewriting code



Thank you!
Any questions?

