



Plant Monitoring/ Maintenance System



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End Goal

- Monitor Temperature + Humidity
- Control Level of Water of Plant
- Control Temperature with a Fan

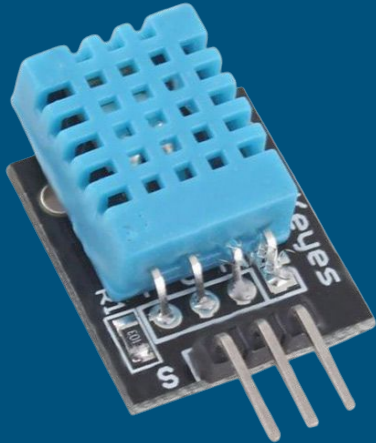
Background

- Hydroponic Propagation
- Monitor surrounding conditions for plants to grow efficiently
- Conditions include temperature, humidity and water level within the container

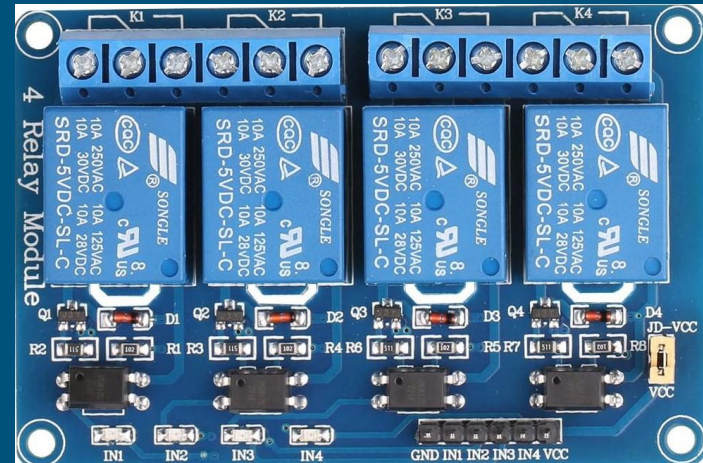
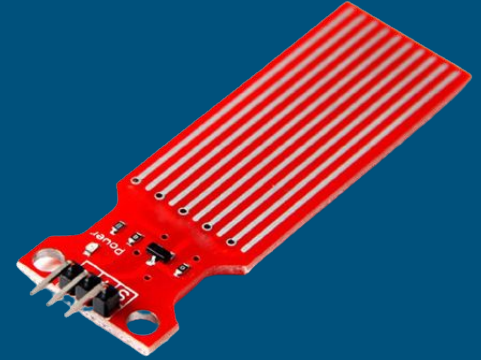


Components

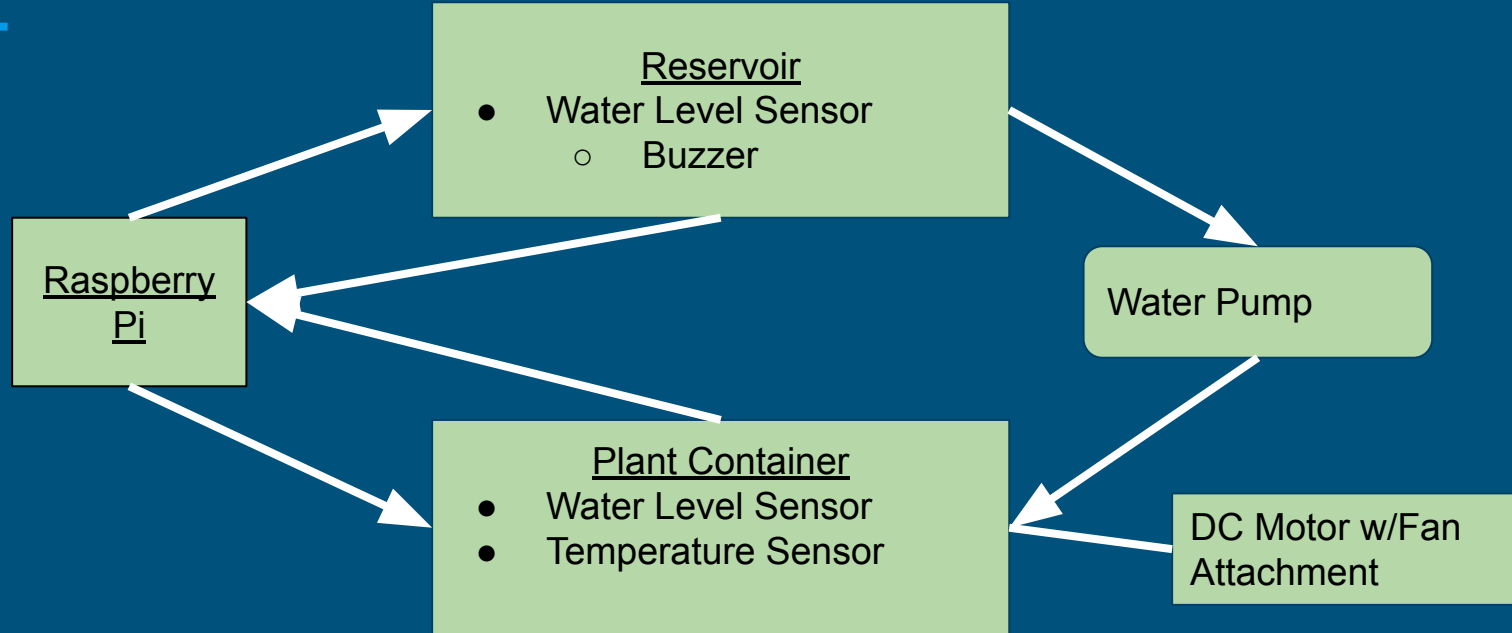
- Water Level Sensor
- Temperature/Humidity Sensor
- Water pump



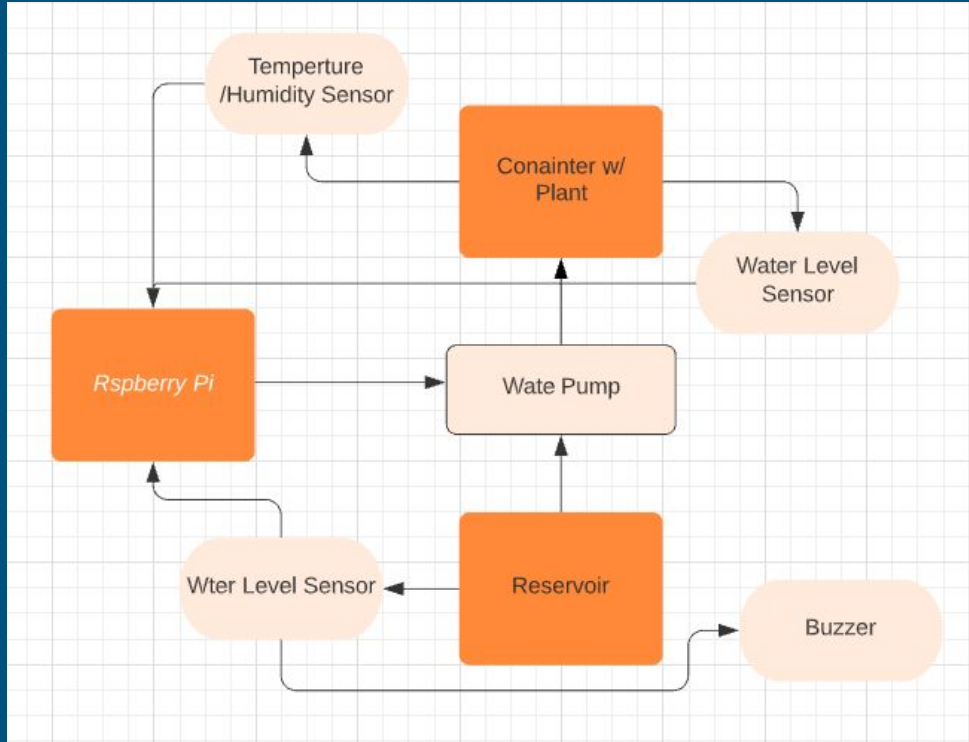
- Buzzer
- DC Motor
 - *With Fan Attachment*
- 4 Terminal Relay



System Diagram - Old

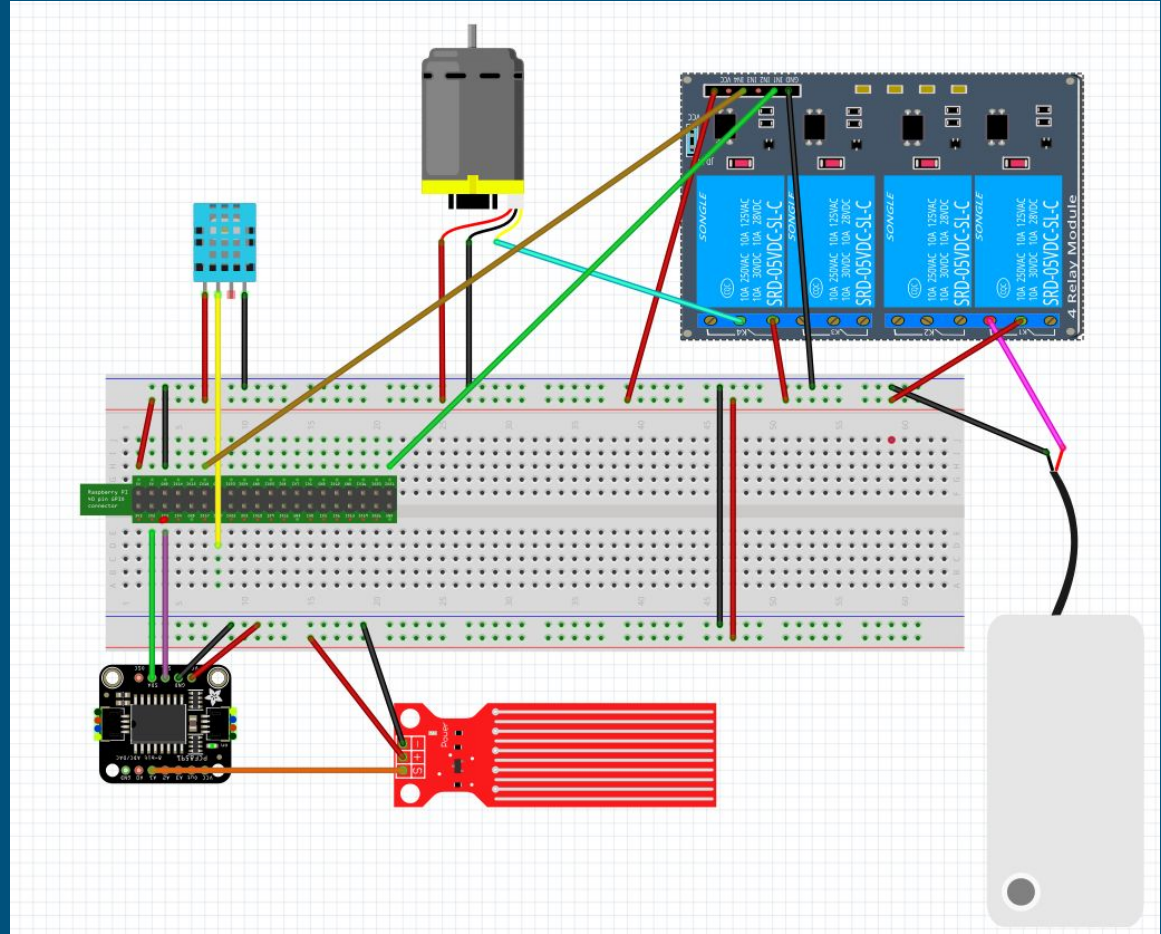


System Diagram - New

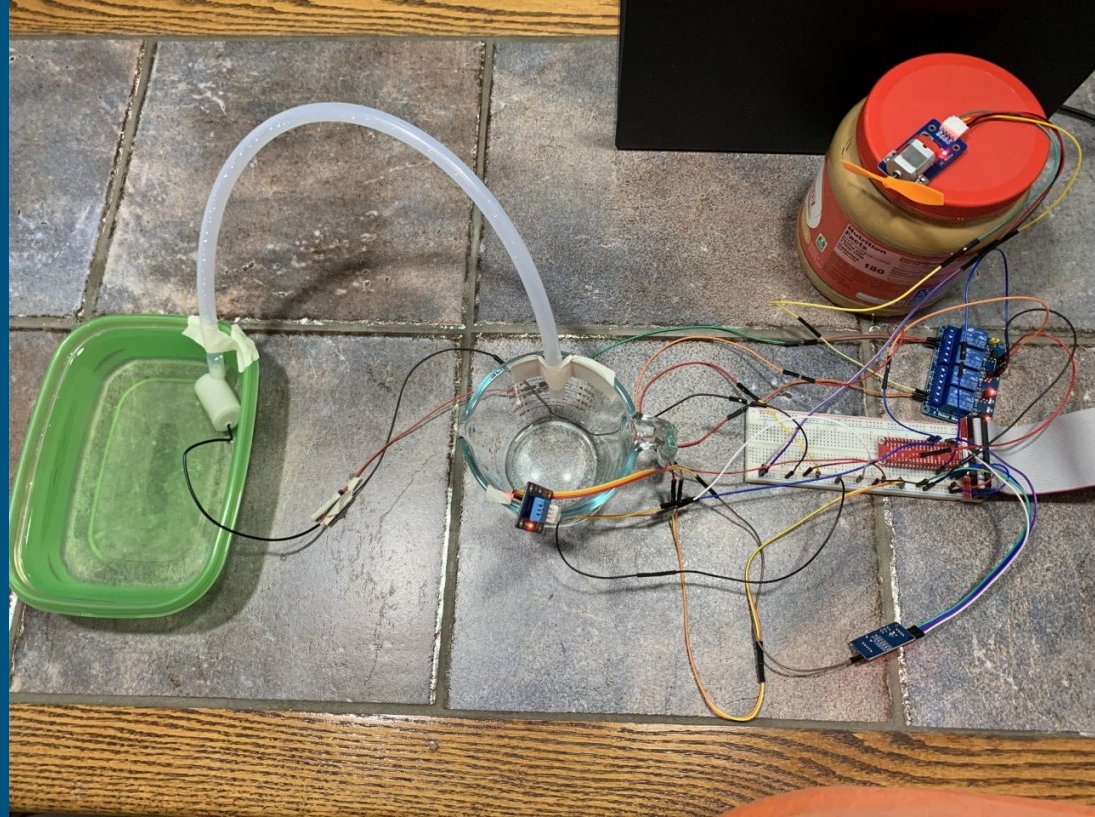


- If Water level is < 130, pump will fill container
- If temperature is > 85, DC Motor will begin to spin
- If Reservoir water level falls below a certain level, buzzer will sound.

Fritzing Circuit



Circuit



Temperature & Water Level Sensor

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sgutierrez@sergioPi: ~/Project
Water Level = 3
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Water Level = 161
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[6]+ Stopped                  sudo ./a.out
sgutierrez@sergioPi:~/Project $
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Current Temp: 78
Current Water Level: 125

Current Temp: 76
Current Water Level: 125

Water Pump & DC Motor (Fan)

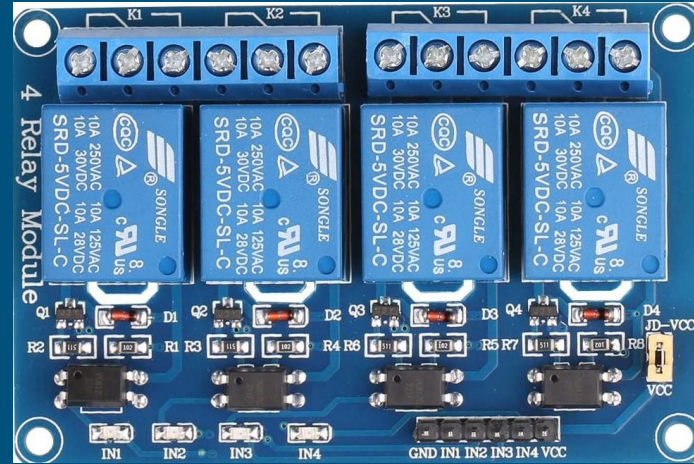
- After checking water level, if below a certain set threshold, would pump water for a small amount of time, then wait for 10 seconds, check and repeat.

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Current Temp: 97  
Current Water Level: 129
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Pumping Water...Current Temp: 76  
Current Water Level: 139
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Relay Module

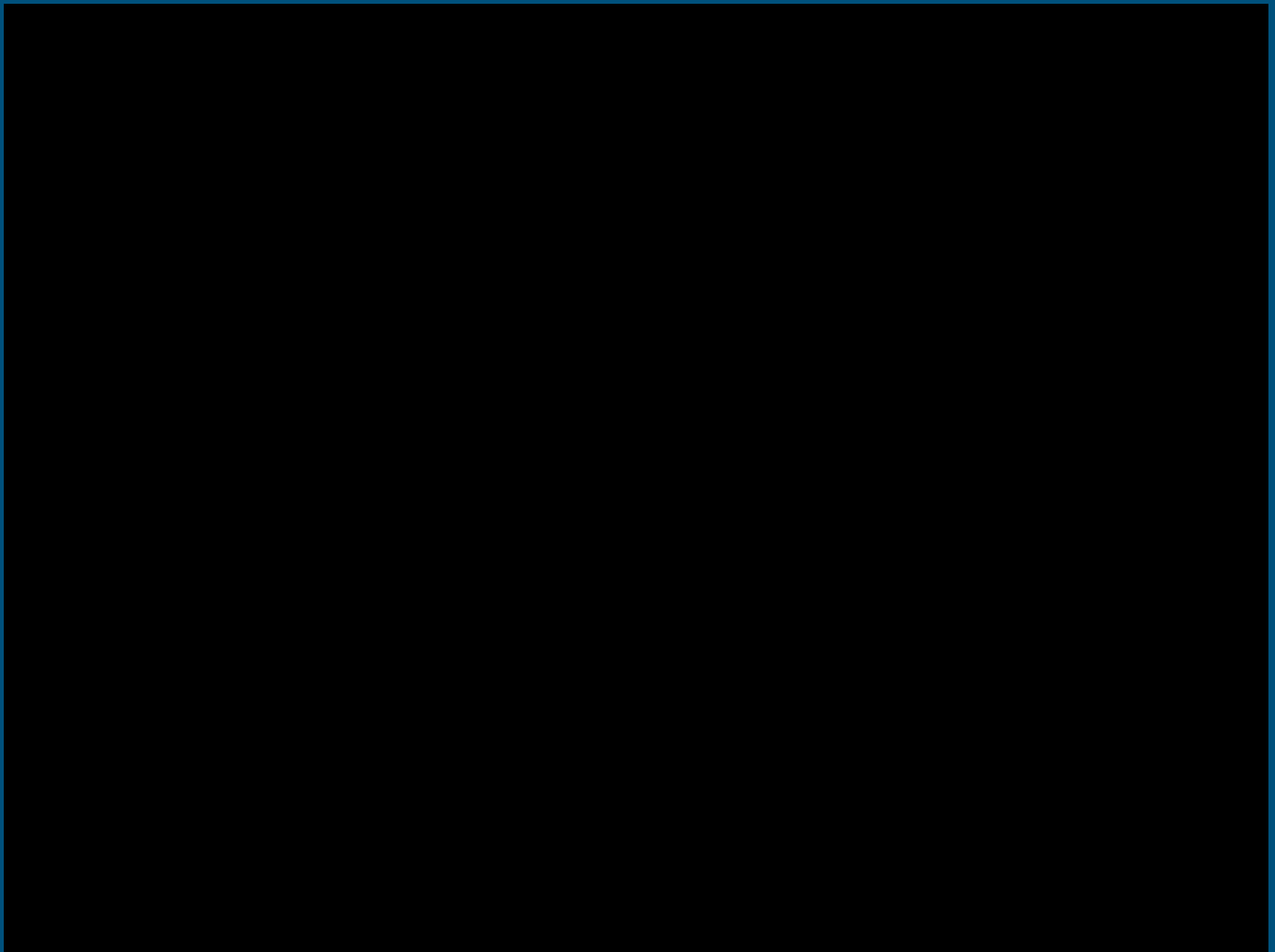
- Three Terminals:
 - NC: normally closed
 - NO: normally open
 - COM
- PUMP:
 - NO: Pump VCC
 - COM: 5V
- DC Motor
 - COM: Motor Input B
 - NC: 5V



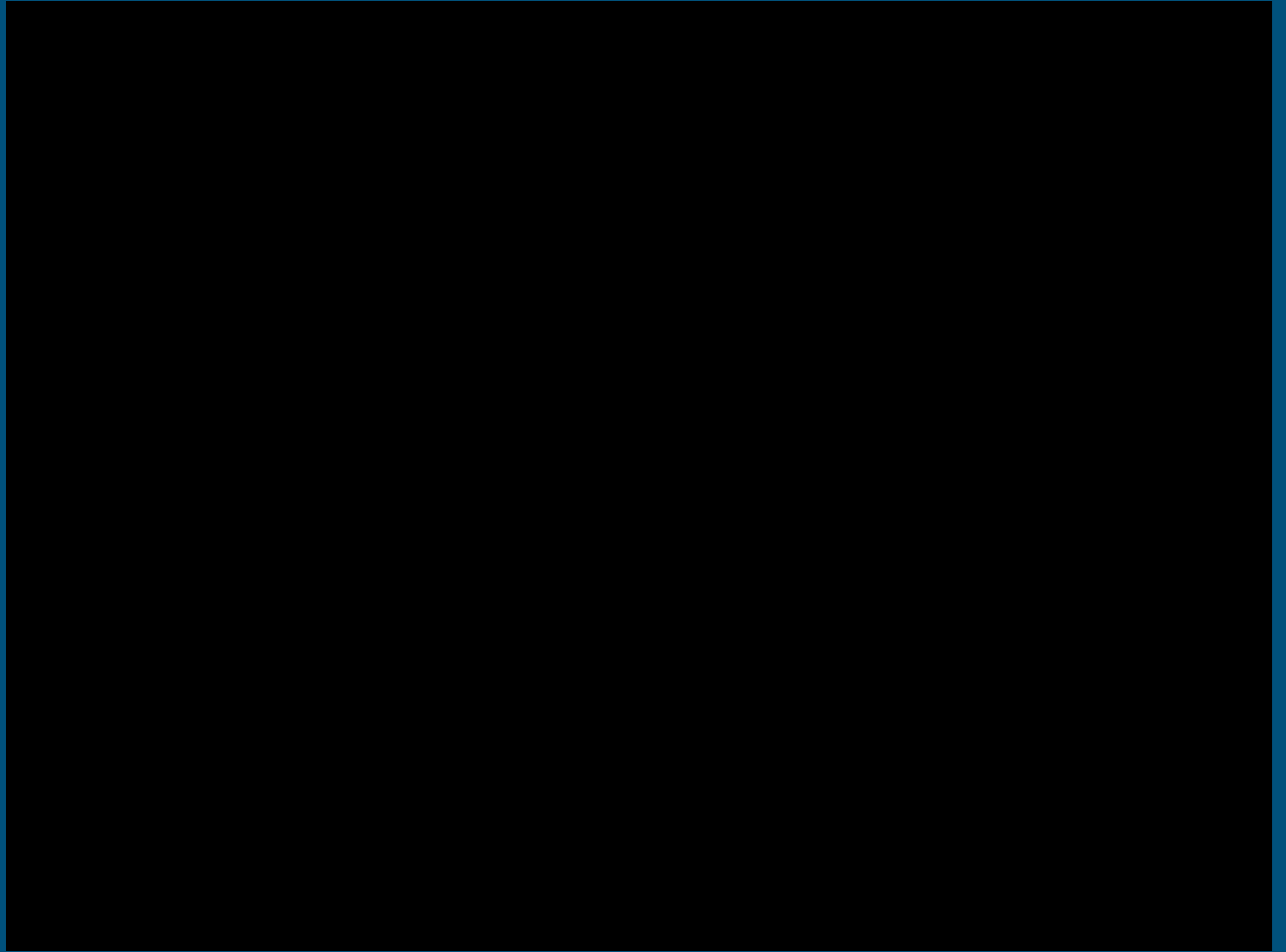
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0	1	1	0
1	0	0	0
1	1	0	1

In			Out
Coil	NC	NO	CO
0	0	x	0
0	1	x	1
1	x	0	0
1	x	1	1

Video



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Questions?

References

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