HiBall Balloon Payload Workshop

Sensors Part 2





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Part 1 – Arduino Test Drive Sensors

- A. LED Visual Display
- **B.** Analog vs. Digital
- C. Balloon Shield Build
- **D.** Thermometer



<u>Part 2 – Arduino Road Trip</u> <u>Sensors</u>

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- Humidity sensor (or the Darth Vader Sensor)
- It measures moisture in the air, which is great for balloon flights (condensation failures)







- First need to solder header to sensor







- Install header like shown and solder from top of board
- Short side through the bottom of the board
- Keep header perpendicular to board







Leave your Balloon Shield attached to Arduino

- Wire Arduino 5V to Breadboard
 (BB) 5V PWR Rail
- Wire Arduino GND to BB GND Rail
- Wire Sensor 5V to BB 5V Rail
- Wire Sensor GND to BB GND Rail



- Wire Sensor OUT to Arduino A2

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- Wire Sensor OUT to Arduino A2



- Modify sketch to read new sensor on A2





- Compile and Upload
- Start Serial Monitor
- Breathe on humidity sensor like Darth Vader



- Watch LEDs on Shield

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- Next, let's convert volts to % humidity

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- Look at the data sheet to understand output of the sensor
- We know Vout and Vsupply so using algebra



Voltage output (1 st order curve fit)	V _{OUT} =(V _{SUPPLY})(0.0062(sensor RH) + 0.16), typical at 25 °C
Temperature compensation	True RH = (Sensor RH)/(1.0546 – 0.00216T), T in ⁰C



- % RH is a linear function of voltage
- 100% RH looks like ~3.7 V







- Here's the algebra and the equation to code







- Watch LEDs on Shield

Humidity Sensor:

- Verify and upload your code
- Launch serial monitor
- Breathe on humidity sensor like Darth Vader



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No line ending



- Play with your new sensor some to make sure you understand how it works!
- Also, look at the data sheet and determine the voltage at maximum humidity





Balloon Shield Build Part 3:



- Disconnect you Balloon Shield and add the Humidity Sensor



Balloon Shield Build Part 2:



- Reconnect your Balloon Shield to the Arduino
- Connect USB and reload code
- Verify same results

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Pressure Sensors is fragile and \$\$\$

- A bit tricky to see the markings to install correctly
- Can use it to determine pressure/altitude of payload
- To be safe, please disconnect power from your Arduino



















- Connect GND to Pin 4, 5V to Pin 2, and Pin 3 to A3 on the Arduino

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Pin 1	Pin 2	Pin 3	Pin 4
NC	Vsupply	OUTPUT+	GND





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- Look at the data sheet to understand output of the sensor
- Known: Vsupply = 5.0 V Pmax = 15.0 psi Pmin = 0.0 psi Output(V) = measured Pressure applied = solve



 $Output (V) = \frac{0.8 \text{ x } V_{supply}}{P_{max.} - P_{min.}} \text{ x (Pressure}_{applied} - P_{min.}) + 0.10 \text{ x } V_{supply}$





- Here's the algebra and the equation to code

$$Output(V) = \frac{\left(0.8 * V_{SUPPLY}\right)}{\left(P_{\max} - P_{\min}\right)} * (pressure_{applied} - P_{\min}) + 0.10 * V_{\sup ply}$$

$$Output(V) = \frac{\left(0.8 * 5.0\right)}{\left(15.0 - 0.0\right)} * (pressure_{applied} - 0.0) + 0.10 * 5.0$$

$$Output(V) = \frac{\left(4.0\right)}{\left(15.0\right)} * (pressure_{applied}) + 0.5$$

$$\frac{15.0}{4.0} * (-0.5 + Output(V)) = pressure_{applied}$$







- Build and Upload
- DO NOT BLOW or DO NOT APPLY PRESSURE; it will break the sensor
- Use solder sucker

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- Play with your new sensor to get a feel for how it works
- Try to get your sensor to zero











- Install Pressure Sensor into headers





Autoscroll

Pressure Sensor:

- Reconnect your Balloon Shield to the Arduino

- Connect USB and reload code
- Verify same results

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- Accelerometers are used to detect forces acting on a payload
- This is a 3 axis accelerometer
- Measures g forces in X, Y, and Z directions
- Only have two analog channels left so X and Z













- Solder 6 pin header to board





- Solder 6 pin header to board
- Short side through the bottom of the board
- Keep header perpendicular to board





- Wire accelerometer as shown

Accelerometer:

Vcc is to <u>3.3V</u> GND is to GND X is to A4 Z is to A5







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The ADXL335 output is ratiometric, therefore, the output sensitivity (or scale factor) varies proportionally to the FUNCTIONAL BLOCK DIAGRAM supply voltage. At $V_s = 3.6$ V, the output sensitivity is typically 360 mV/g. At $V_s = 2$ V, the output sensitivity is typically 195 mV/g. The zero g bias output is also ratiometric, thus the zero g output is nominally equal to $V_s/2$ at all supply voltages. ONE TRADUCTORY WAR, P.O. BOX 9106, NOrWOOD, MR 02063 Tel: 701.329,4706 SENSITIVITY (RATIOMETRIC)² Fach axis Sensitivity at Xour, Your, Zour $V_s = 3V$ 270 300 mV/a330 Sensitivity Change Due to Temperature³ $V_s = 3V$ %/°C ± 0.01 ZERO g BIAS LEVEL (RATIOMETRIC) 0 g Voltage at Xour, Your $V_s = 3V$ 1.35 1.5 1.65 ۷ 0 g Voltage at Zour $V_s = 3V$ 1.2 1.5 1.8 V 0 g Offset vs. Temperature mq/°C ± 1 NOISE PERFORMANCE

Accelerometer:

- Looking at the data sheet... ADXL335













- 3.3V/2 is what it should read at "zero G" orientation or 1.65V

- Then 330 mV for every G so...

Gs = (Accelvoltage - 1.65 V) / (0.330 V)

ADXL335

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- Upload you code and launch your serial monitor (no LEDs this time)
- Rotate your breadboard and look for changes in both X and Z
- X up and X down
- Z up and Z down









- Upload you code and launch your serial monitor
- When Z up ~ 1.0G
- When Z down ~ -1.0G
- When X up ~ 1.0G
- When X down ~ -1.0G



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Xg	-0.13	Zg 1.
~9	0.15	-9

Autoscroll





- Disconnect your Balloon Shield and add the Accelerometer





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- Add Orange LED to D4 - Red wire to + and Black wire to -







- Add Blue LED to D3 - Red wire to + and Black wire to -







- Add Temp2 to Temp2- Note wire colors







- Open Temp1 Sketch; save as Temp2



int sensor;
float sensorVolt;
float sensorUnits;
float sensorUnitsC;

void setup() {
 // put your setup code here, to run once:

Serial.begin(9600);

11	setup the LED	Visual	Disp	lav	
-	<pre>pinMode(3,</pre>	OUTPUT)); /	′/Blue LE	ED
	<pre>pinMode(4,</pre>	OUTPUT); /	//Orange	LED
	pinMode(5,	OUTPUT); /	/Green l	.ED
	pinMode(6,	OUTPUT); /	//Purple	LED
	pinMode(7,	OUTPUT); /	/Red LED)
	pinMode(9,	OUTPUT); /	/Yellow	LED
}					

Balloon Shield Build Part 6:



void	loop() {	
//	put your main code here, to run repeatedly:	<pre>if(sensorUnits > 78.0) {</pre>
	sensor = analogRea (A1);	<pre>digitalWrite(5, HIGH);</pre>
	sensorVolt = sensor($5.0/1023$);	}
	<pre>sensorUnitsC = (sensorVolt - 0.5)/(0.01);</pre>	<pre>if(sensorUnits > 79.0) {</pre>
	sensorUnits = (sensorUnitsC*($9.0/5.0$) + 32);	<pre>digitalWrite(6, HIGH);</pre>
	<pre>Serial.print(sensor);</pre>	}
	Serial.print("\t voltage ");	if(sensorUnits > 80.0) {
	Serial print(sensorvolt);	digitalWrite(7. HIGH):
	Serial println(sensorUnits).	}
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11	Turn script running leds OFF at begining of l	digitalWrite(9 HIGH)
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	<pre>digitalWrite(5, LOW); //Green LED</pre>	digitalWrite(3, HIGH);
	<pre>digitalWrite(6, LOW); //Purple LED</pre>	
	digitalWrite(7, LOW); //Red LED	aelay(100);
	algitalwrite(9, LOW); //Yellow LED	



- -Build and upload your sketch
- Temp2 will stick outside your BalloonSat
- LED 3 and 4, will also stick outside your BalloonSat

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- Now let's integrate all the code and sensors together and test
- We will review code but you will use a pre-coded sketch
- Everything should look familiar
- Download code from spacegrant.colorado.edu
 - Statewide Programs
 - DemoSat Program



// Definitions
// Temperature Sensor #1
 int temp1;
 float temp1Volt;
 float temp1C;
 float temp1F;

// Temperature Sensor #2
 int temp2;
 float temp2Volt;
 float temp2C;
 float temp2F;

// Humidity Sensor
 int humidity;
 float humidityVolt;
 float RH;

// Presure Sensor
 int pressure;
 float pressureVolt;
 float psi;

// Accelerometer X
 int accelX;
 float accelXVolt;
 float accelXG;

// Accelerometer Z
 int accelZ;
 float accelZVolt;
 float accelZG;











void loop() {
 // put your main code here, to run repeatedly:

// Turn script running leds OFF at begining of loop digitalWrite(4, LOW); digitalWrite(5, LOW); digitalWrite(6, LOW); digitalWrite(7, LOW); digitalWrite(9, LOW);

delay(500); //Amount of time between samples (milliseconds)

// Log the time
 timeStamp = millis();
 Serial.print(timeStamp);



```
temp1 = analogRead(A0);
temp1Volt = temp1*(5.0/1023);
temp1C = (temp1Volt - 0.5)/(0.01);
temp1F = (temp1C^*(9.0/5.0) + 32);
Serial.print(",");
Serial.print (temp1F, 2);
digitalWrite(4, HIGH);
temp2 = analogRead(A1);
temp2Volt = temp2*(5.0/1023);
temp2C = (temp2Volt - 0.5)/(0.01);
temp2F = (temp2C*(9.0/5.0) + 32);
Serial.print("."):
Serial.print (temp2F, 2);
digitalWrite(5, HIGH);
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```
humidity = analogRead(A2);
humidityVolt = humidity*(5.0/1023);
RH = (((humidityVolt/5.0)-0.16)/0.0062);
Serial.print(",");
Serial.print(RH, 2);
digitalWrite(6, HIGH);
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```
pressure = analogRead(A3);
pressureVolt = pressure*(5.0/1023);
psi = (pressureVolt-0.5)*(15.0/4.0);
Serial.print(",");
Serial.print(psi, 2);
digitalWrite(7, HIGH);
```



```
accelX = analogRead(A4);
accelXVolt = accelX*(5.0/1023);
accelXG = (accelXVolt - (3.3/2))/(0.330);
Serial.print(",");
Serial.print(accelXG,3);
```

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accelZ = analogRead(A5);
accelZVolt = accelZ*(5.0/1023);
accelZG = (accelZVolt - (3.3/2))/(0.330);
Serial.print(",");
Serial.print(accelZG,3);
digitalWrite(9, HIGH);
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Serial.println();
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- Download code or get from desktop and run and verify it works....

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Balloon Payload Workshop Scholarship Transfer Program	COSGC Home	Search COSGC					
Hands-on How-to Balloon Payload Workshop 2017 University of Colorado Boulder							
Ja	January 6 - 7, 2017						
Each team/school will need a laptop with the Arduino software downloaded and installed. You can download the software for free by clicking the link here							
Below are links to the code and slides for the workshop. There is no need to download these files now.							
Code Slides	Data Sheets	Agenda					
Code Checklist Photos	Payload Acceptance Shee Foam Core Documen	t Map t					
Full Sensor Code Testing:



- Download code or get from desktop and run and verify it works....

Index of /images/GatewayToSpace/Fall_2017/Code

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Balloon Shield Test Code no SD.in	o.zip 2017-08-16 16:06 1.3K

Apache/2.4.7 (Ubuntu) Server at spacegrant.colorado.edu Port 80

If .ino file doesn't work, try downloading the .zip version



- Should look like this





Part 2 – Arduino Race Track Sensors

- A. OpenLog Integration
- **B.** OpenLog Code Integration
- C. Data Retrieval



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MicroSD Card Shield:





OpenLog:











- Solder 6 pin header to board
- Short side through the bottom of the board
- Keep header perpendicular to board



Similar to accelerometer shown here.

Micro SD Card OpenLog:



- Insert MicroSD card as shown







Place OpenLog in correct spot on Balloon Shield



Open Log:

- Reconnect USB and rerun same code







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OpenLog Code:



Now let's explore the code needed to record this data to the OpenLog



you stay in Wonderland, and I show you, how deep the rabbit-hole goes.

~ Morpheus' Warning To Neo (From The Film; "The Matrix") ~





- The super cool thing about **OpenLog** is that anything you serial print is written to the **OpenLog**
- A new file is created if power is removed
- A new file is created if sd card is removed and reinserted
- Can eject sd card while powered



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- Rotate your accelerometer like...

4. X Down

Sensor Testing:



5. X Up





Sensor Testing:

8. Z Down





9. Z UP





- Eject the SD card and re-insert.
- Then record data as follows:
- 1. Breath on your humidity sensor twice
- 2. Suck on pressure sensor twice
- 3. Touch both temp sensors for 5 seconds each
- 4. Orient your accelerometer (Z up/down, X up/down) 10 seconds each direction
- 5. Breath on your humidity sensor twice
- 6. Suck on pressure sensor twice
- 7. Disconnect USB from Arduino





- Remove microSD card from Uno and insert into SD card adapter







- Remove microSD card from Uno and insert into SD card adapter





- Insert SD card adapter into your laptop





- Navigate to card and copy last LOG file to your desktop





- Graph all data minus the time stamp (Using Excel)

- Mac Users you must change tab name to remove "."





- Do you see your data markers?





- Re-plot just your accel data





- How can you use this data?





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SUCCESS

Because you too can own this face of pure accomplishment





- For balloon flight, need to power Arduino with 9V battery
- Do not connect USB and 9V ever













- Cut Red and Black wire to ~1 foot in length
- Cut barrel connector black wire in half
- Strip ends of cut wire back ~1/3 inch







- Splice red and black extensions into connector and solder







- Place heatsrink tube around solder joint and heat







- Place more heatsrink tube on black and red wiring
 - Move tubing away from ends of wire
- Splice red and black wires onto switch terminals and solder taking care not to shrink tubing







- After soldering...
- Take care not to overheat the switch







- Move heatshrink tubing over terminals and heat to shrink
- Take care not to overheat the switch







- Plug battery and switch into Arduino (Remove USB cable)
- Flip the switch ON






- You are now recording data until power is lost





Part 2 – Arduino Race Track Sensors

- A. SHIELD Integration
- **B. SD Card Code Integration**
- C. Data Retrieval



