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Wi-Fi Metal Detector Rover with Dedicated Android Application

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ABSTRACT: The point of our venture is to plan a Mobile Remote Control RoboCar. The working depends on Android OS, Nodemcu miniature regulator, engine drivers. Nodemcu is an open-source prototyping stage. This is an exceptionally straightforward controller vehicle, with a Nodemcu with Wi-Fi module. The thought is to initially code the whole working utilizing our past information on programming. The code will then, at that point, be mimicked on programming and later be connected with the equipment. The controlling remote can be any brilliant gadget with android. Every one of the controls of the vehicle will be on the application on that gadget. We picked this for our significant undertaking as advanced mechanics has turned into a significant piece of our ordinary way of life and furthermore have a wide extension in the designing field. It assumes a fundamental part in the advancement of new innovation. Cell phone has very changed the conventional methods of human to machine cooperation. Cell phone is currently an imperative piece of an individual's life. Android is a product stage for cell phones that incorporates a working framework, middleware and key applications. Android is a no problem at all working framework. Each of its fundamental apparatuses are joined in programming called SDK which represents Software Development Kit. We realize that all manual activities have been supplanted via robotized mechanical tasks. Our principal objective of composing this paper is to foster an Android application for controlling the robot utilizing Wi-Fi.

KEYWORDS:Rover, android Application, Self-Driving cars, Metal Detector.

I.INTRODUCTION

Wi-Fi Rover with committed Android Application, will be a remote wanderer which can be controlled utilizing Android application. The venture will comprise of pack, microchip unit with implanted Wi-Fi with hub mcu, battery, and application which control the developments of wanderer.

The thought behind the venture to inspire mechanization, Autonomous means self-overseeing. Numerous authentic undertakings connected with vehicle computerization have been robotized (made programmed) dependent upon a weighty dependence on counterfeit guides in their current circumstance, like attractive strips. Independent control infers acceptable execution under huge vulnerabilities in the climate and the capacity to make up for framework disappointments without outer mediation. Self-driving vehicles consolidate an assortment of sensors to see their environmental elements, like radar, lidar, sonar, GPS, odometry and inertial estimation units. High level control frameworks decipher tactile data to recognize suitable route ways, as well as obstructions and significant signage. The test for driverless vehicle fashioners is to create control frameworks equipped for investigating tangible information to give exact recognition of different vehicles and the street ahead. Network implies that clients of a specific computerized innovation can interface effectively with different clients, different applications or significantly different ventures.

We likewise have included metal identifier for distinguishing metals to send our meanderer into unique condition for recognizing metal then we can utilize metal finder which mounted over their.

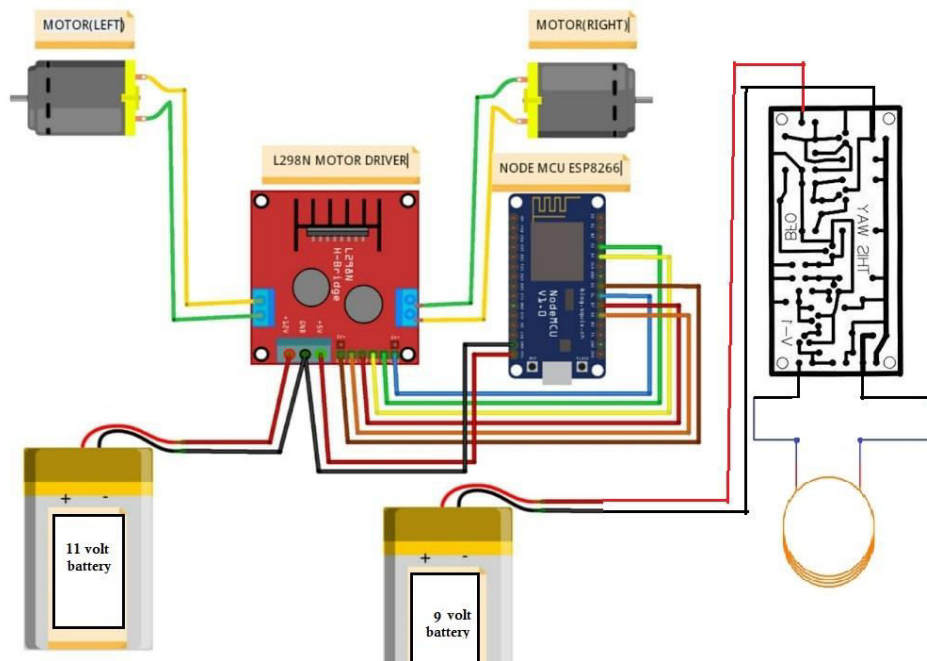
Here we are using IOT to make it more easy to use. Human contribution in mine recognition is dangerous to life. So a human less robot which is outfitted with multi sensors, remote camera to gives the Live video to look through the dubious districts and to direct the robot , multi sensors are valuable to screen the temperature in encompassing areas, for distinguishing the hidden mortars and hazardous gases and to safeguard individuals and officers from it. Whenever the robot neglects to give the live video transmission, it need not be hang tight for manual orders, it ought to equipped



for taking the own choices mentally without any manual orders and have to send the information about the situation with robot and the natural circumstances. Controlling the development of the robot without any problem. Joshua-MPL Robot is created to fulfill the above needs.

Metal Detector is a security gadget which is utilized for recognizing metals which can be destructive, at different spots like Airports, shopping centers, films, and so forth. Beforehand we have made an extremely basic Metal locator without a microcontroller, presently we are building the Metal Detector utilizing Arduino. In this task, we will utilize a loop and capacitor which will be liable for the recognition of metals. Here we have utilized an Arduino Nano to construct this metal indicator project. This is exceptionally fascinating task for all hardware darlings. Any place this locator identifies any metal close to it, the signal beginnings blaring quickly.

II.SYSTEM MODEL AND ASSUMPTIONS



A. Android Smartphone

Android is a very popular open source operating system (OS), based on the Linux kernel, used in mobile devices such as tablets and smartphones. Android has a very user friendly interface which relies on direct interaction between the user and the device i.e. by using touch gestures. These gestures are like real-world actions, which include swiping, tapping, scrolling and pinching, to control the on-screen objects, together with a virtual keyboard for taking input in text form. In the project, android smartphone has an installed app which is used for controlling the robot unit. The smartphones already come with inbuilt technology to establish connection. The technology we have used is Wi-Fi.

B. User Interface

The user interface, of the overall system, is provided using the custom made android app using Graphical User Interface (GUI). The GUI provides user, the various control modes, to Control dynamically the robot unit. When the



app is started, we first establish the connection between the app and RC unit using Bluetooth. The GUI of android provides a user friendly real-time experience to the user, to control the robot.

C. The Android Application

An application was developed in the software Android Studio. App can be installed on an Android smartphone to control the RC unit. The app shows buttons for movement of the car in different directions. These commands are as follows: Left, forward, backward and right. The code for the app is written in java.

D. RC Module

RC module is the main working unit of this system. This unit consists of the Arduino chip, the two motor drivers, and a inbuilt Wi-Fi Module connected to the circuit. Motor drivers are used to control the dc motors. The Arduino Uno, which is a small android chip, resides at the center of the unit. It is responsible for communicating with android smartphone, using the Wi-fi module and controls the motors using the motor driver. The RC unit is powered using 9V battery connected to this Arduino chip. The command for controlling the module is received using ESP8266 Chipset.

E. Metal Detector

To make it work current should pass through the coil, when current pass magnetic field is generated around it. And this change in the magnetic field will generates an electric field. So according to Faraday's law of induction states that the magnitude of the emf induced in a circuit is proportional to the rate of change of the magnetic flux that cuts across the circuit, because of this generated Electric field, a current develops across the coil and which opposes the visible change in the magnetic field and this is how Coil develops the **Inductance**, means voltage generated will opposes the increase in the current. The unit of Inductance is Henry and formula to measure the Inductance is:

$$L = (\mu_0 * N^2 * A) / l$$

Where,

L- Inductance in Henries

μ_0 - Permeability, its $4\pi*10^{-7}$ for Air

N- Number of turns

A- Inner Core Area (πr^2) in m²

l- Length of the Coil in meters

We have involved an Arduino Nano for controlling entire this Metal Detector Project. A LED and Buzzer are utilized as metal recognition pointer. A Coil and capacitor is utilized for the identification of metals. A sign diode is likewise utilized for diminishing the voltage. Furthermore, a resistor for restricting the current to the Arduino pin.

IV. CIRCUIT DIAGRAM

Below is the circuit diagram of the hardware which shows the connections between Arduino, Bluetooth and motors. It also shows a motor driver L293D which is responsible for movement of the motors in either direction. RxD pin of the Arduino is connected to the TxD pin of Esp8266 and vice versa. Supply of 5V is provided to the motors.

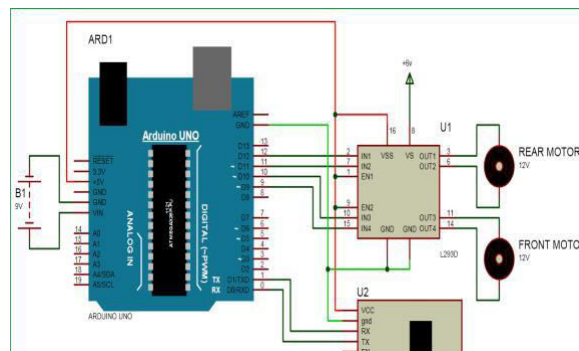


V. CIRCUIT DIAGRAM

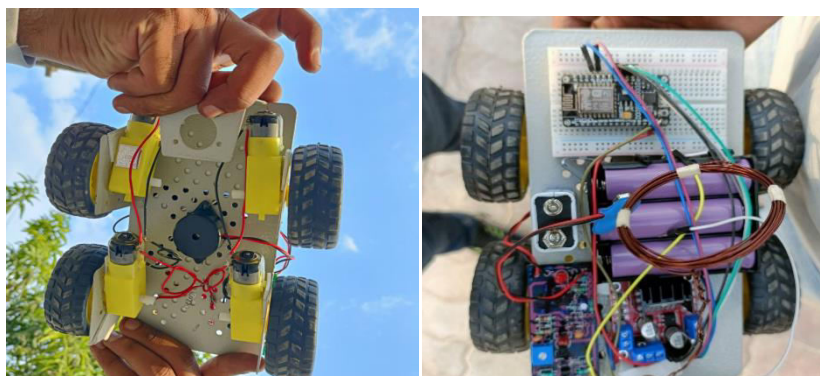
Coming up next are the parts that you would have to construct a straightforward DIY metal indicator utilizing Arduino. This large number of parts ought to be effectively accessible in your neighborhood handyman store.

1. Arduino (any)
2. Coil
3. 10nF capacitor
4. Buzzer
5. The 1k resistor
6. 330-ohm resistor
7. LED
8. 1N4148 diode
9. Breadboard or PCB
10. Connecting jumper wire
11. 9v Battery

Below is the circuit diagram of the hardware which shows the connections between Arduino, Bluetooth and motors. It also shows a motor driver L293D which is responsible for movement of the motors in either direction. Rx/D pin of the Arduino is connected to the Tx/D pin of Esp8266 and vice versa. Supply of 5V is provided to the motors.



VI. RESULT AND DISCUSSION



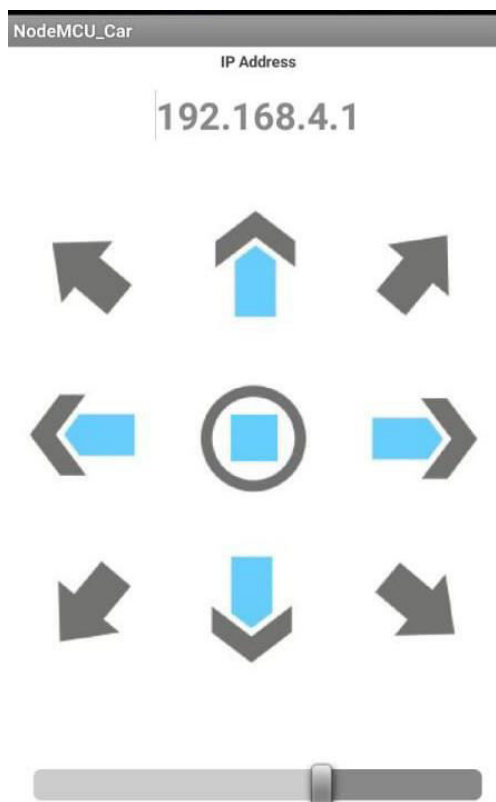


Working of this Arduino Metal Detector is bit precarious. Here we give the square wave or heartbeat, created by Arduino, to the LR high pass channel. Because of this, short spikes will be created by the curl in each progress. The beat length of the created spikes is corresponding to the inductance of the curl. So with the assistance of these Spike beats, we can quantify the inductance of Coil. In any case, here it is hard to gauge inductance unequivocally with those spikes since those spikes are of exceptionally brief span (approx. 0.5 microseconds) and that is truly challenging to be estimated by Arduino.

So rather than this, we utilized a capacitor that is charged by the rising heartbeat or spike. What's more, it expected not many heartbeats to charge the capacitor to the place where its voltage can be perused by Arduino simple pin A5. Then Arduino read the voltage of this capacitor by utilizing ADC. In the wake of understanding voltage, the capacitor immediately released by making capPin pin as result and setting it to low. This entire cycle takes around 200 microseconds to finish. For improved outcome, we rehash estimations and took a normal of the outcomes. That is the way we can gauge the surmised inductance of Coil. In the wake of obtain the outcome we move the outcomes to the LED and signal to distinguish the presence of metal. Check the Complete code given toward the finish of this Article to figure out the working.

Complete Arduino code is given toward the finish of this Article. In the programming part of this task, we have utilized two Arduino pins, one for creating block waves to be taken care of in Coil and second simple pin to peruse capacitor voltage. Other than these two pins, we have utilized two more Arduino pins for associating LED and ringer.

You can really take a look at the total code and Demonstration Video of Arduino Metal Detector underneath. You can see that at whatever point it identifies some metal the LED and Buzzer begin to flicker fastly.



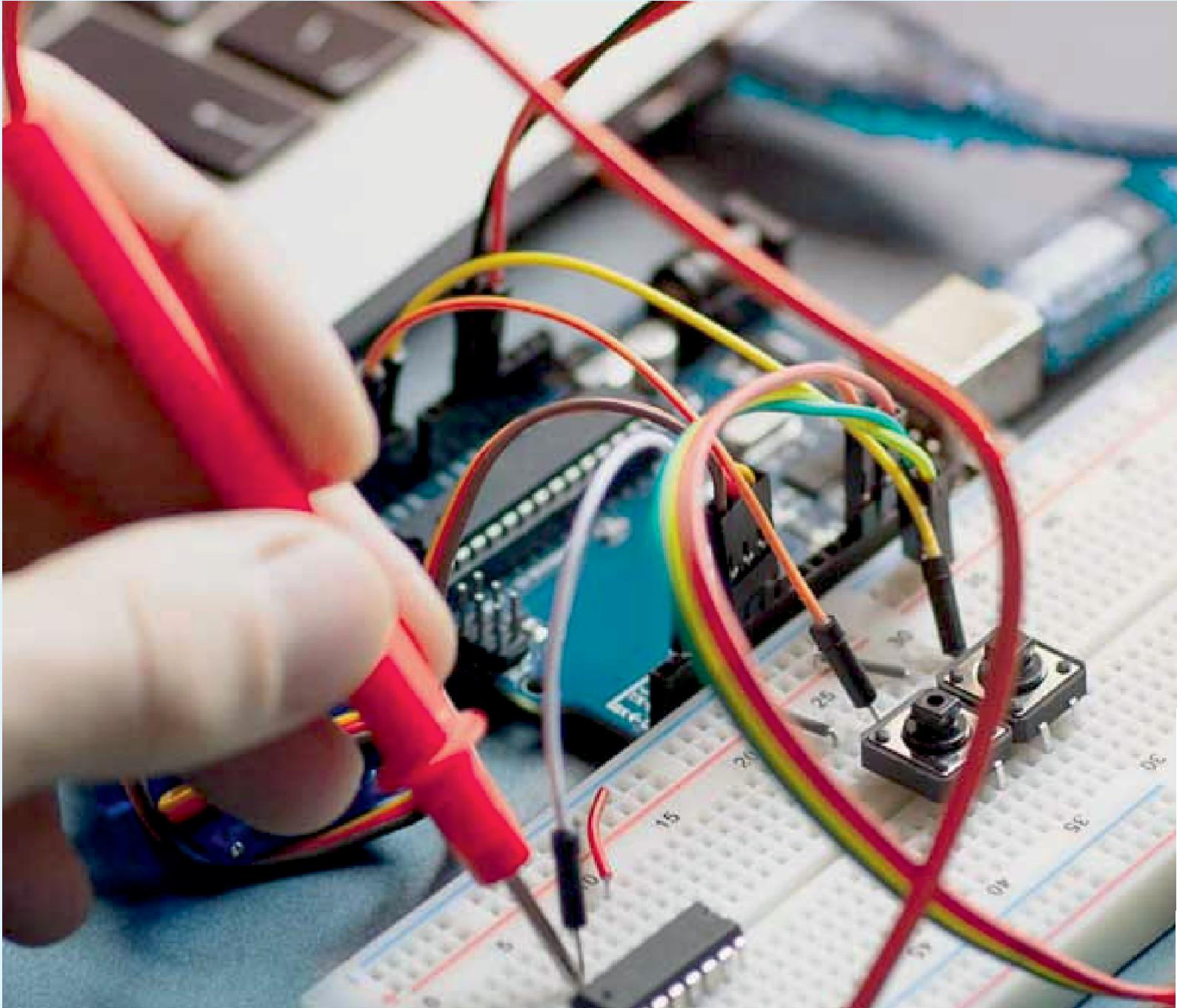


V.CONCLUSION

The hardware components are successfully assembled and interfacing the microcontroller with robot is achieved. Controlling the motion of robot via webpage as well as from android applet is successfully obtained. Hence the two modules of controlling the robot is successfully tested and demonstrated. Though controlling using Nodemcu limits the range of distance for communication, a smart and easy means to guide a robot is achieved. Controlling the motion of robot via internet is one of the easiest means as it requires the user to access the designated webpage to guide it. This system can be used in defiance applications for detecting landmines in war field and for bomb detections by mounting a metal detector sensor on it. Further, the size of device can be miniaturized based upon specific applications.

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