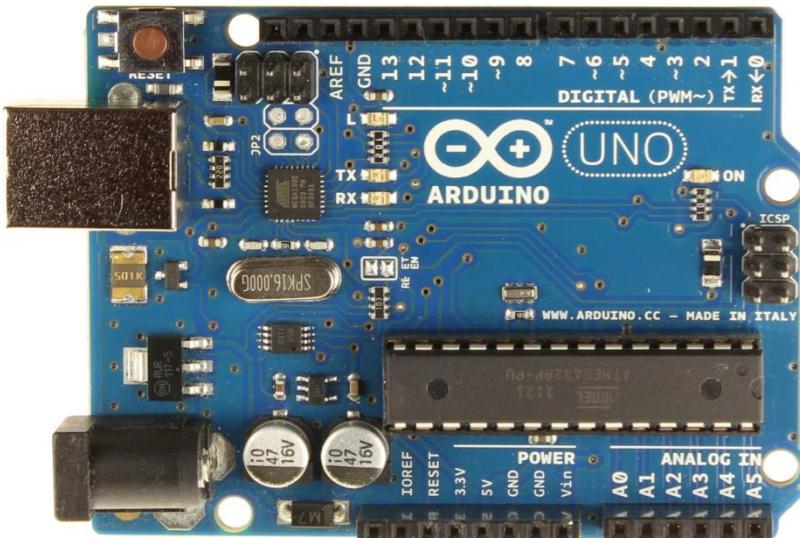


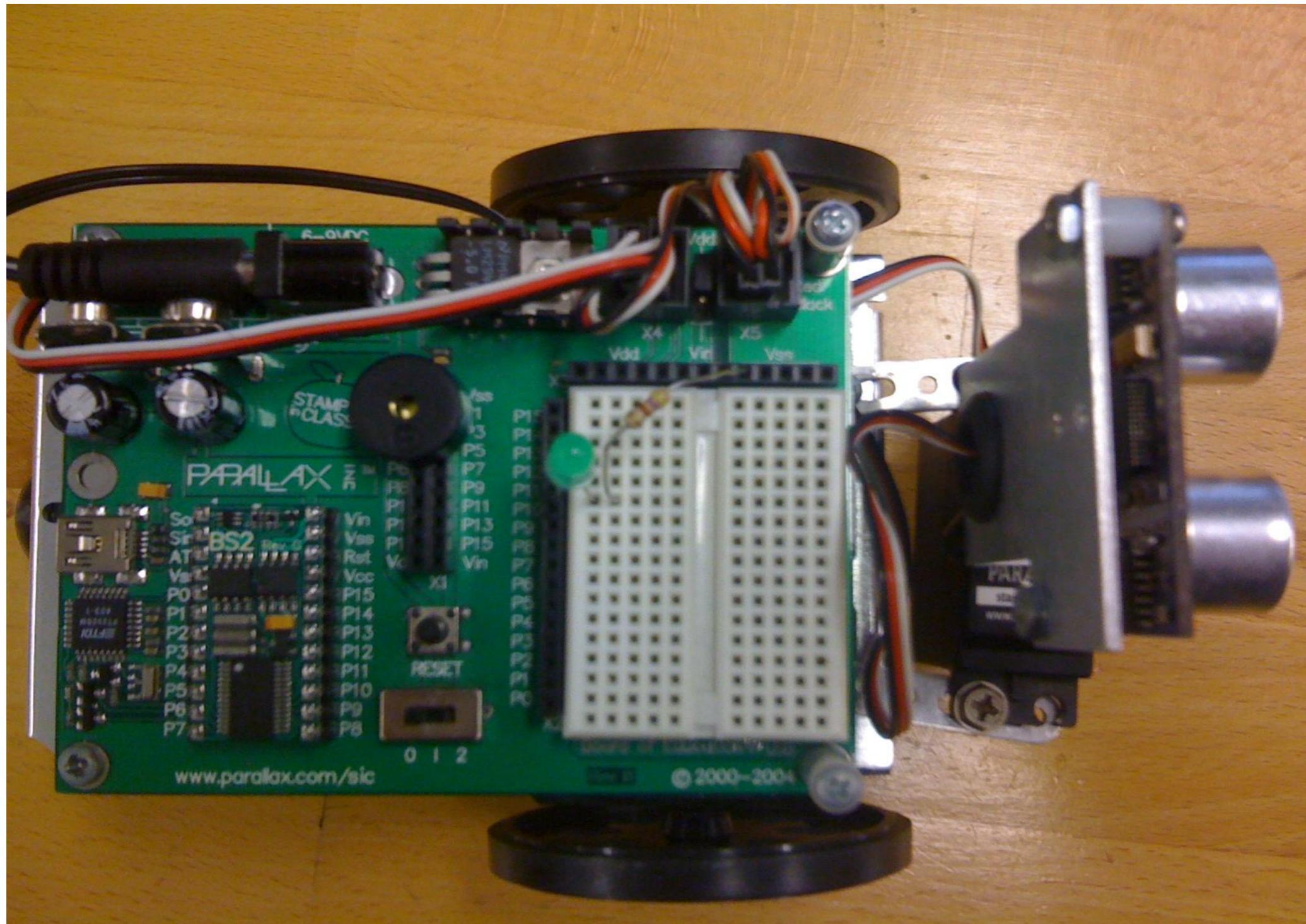
BoeBots with Arduinos



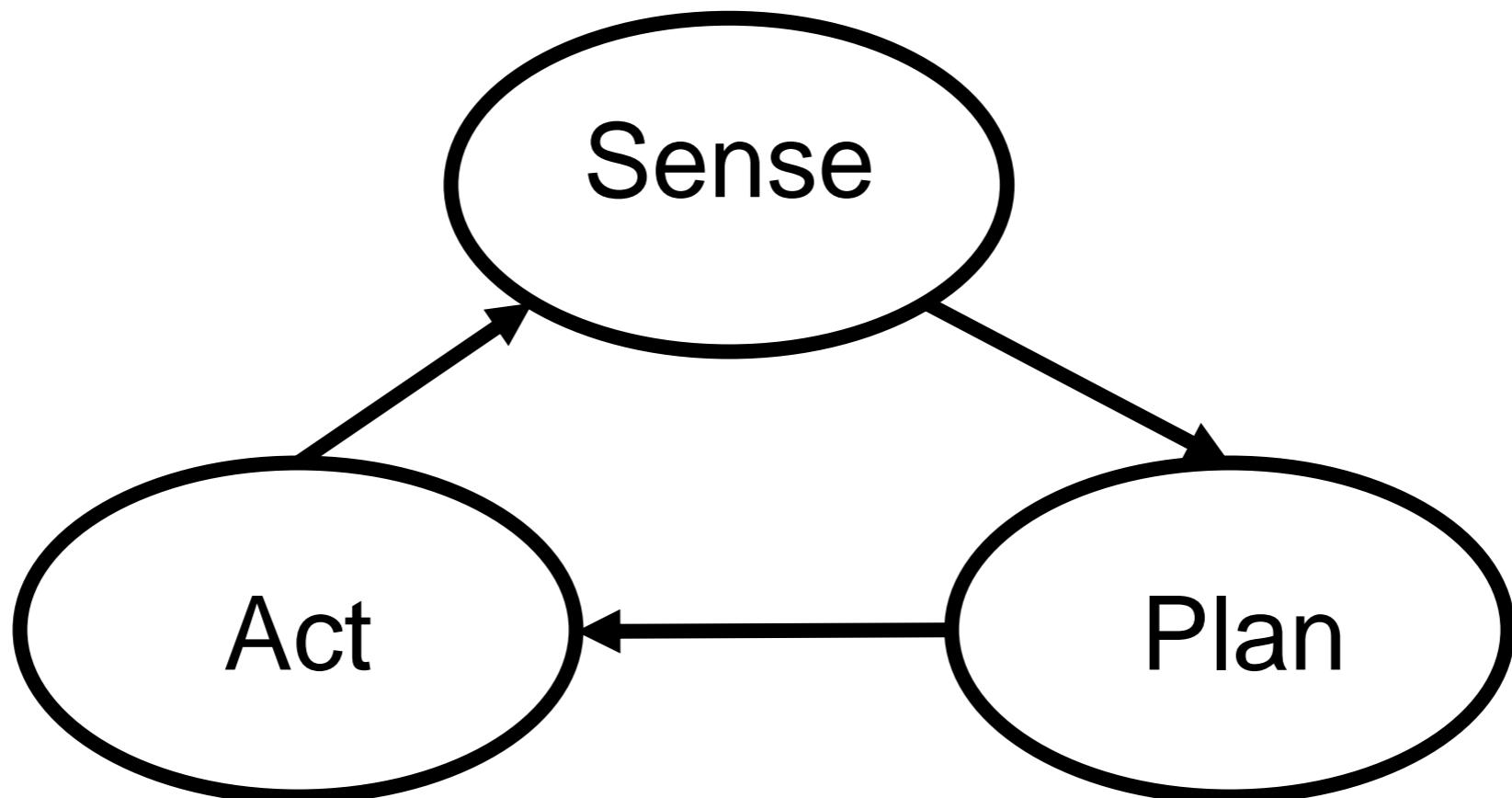
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Boebot



Boebot Architecture



Microcontroller: the brain

- Mini computer on a single chip
- Designed to perform single task
- **Examples:** keyboard, mouse, remote controller, mobile phone, microwave

Arduino Uno

Microcontroller ATmega328

Operating Voltage 5V

Input Voltage (limits) 6-20V

Digital I/O Pins 14

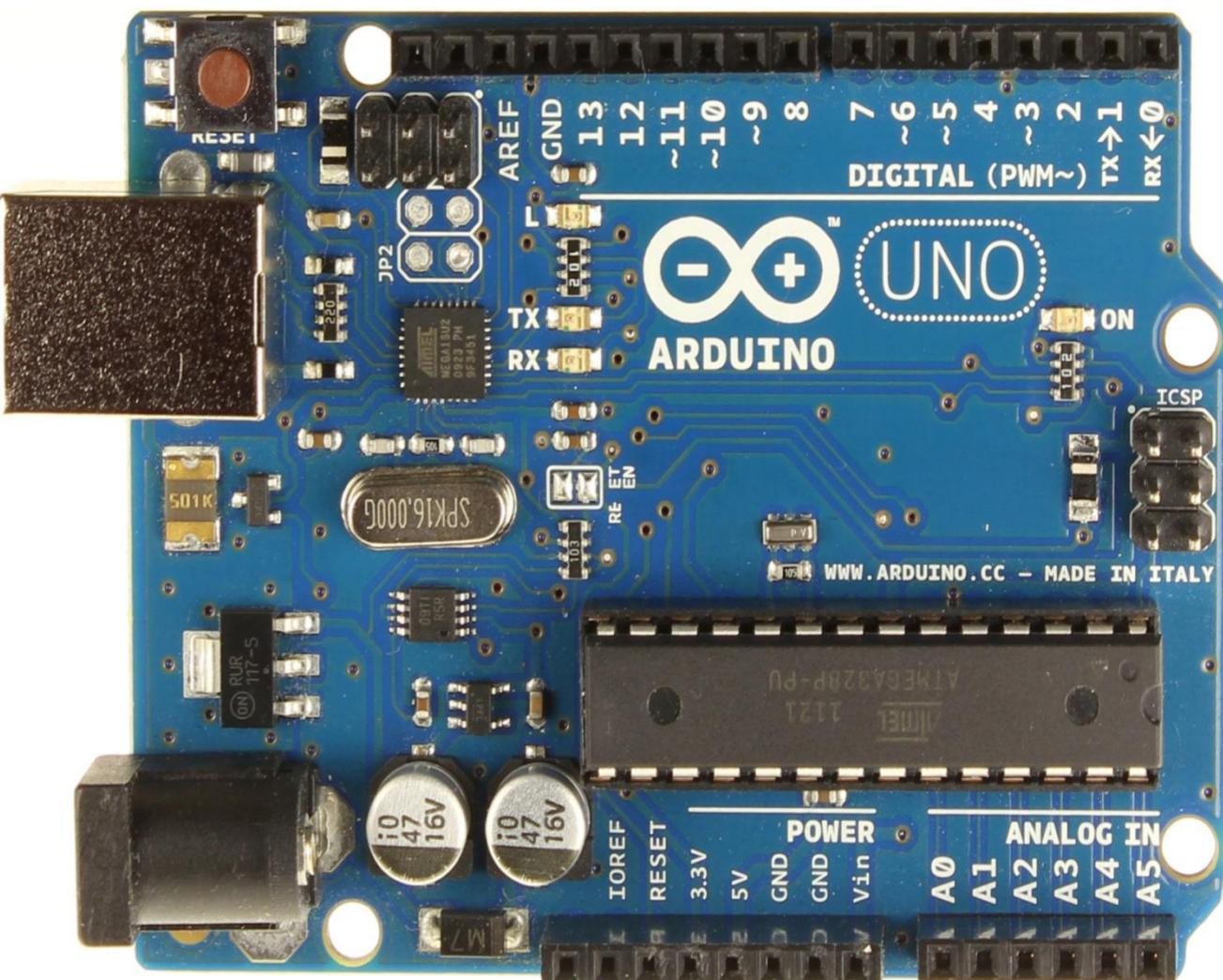
Analog Input Pins 6

Flash Memory 32 KB (ATmega328)

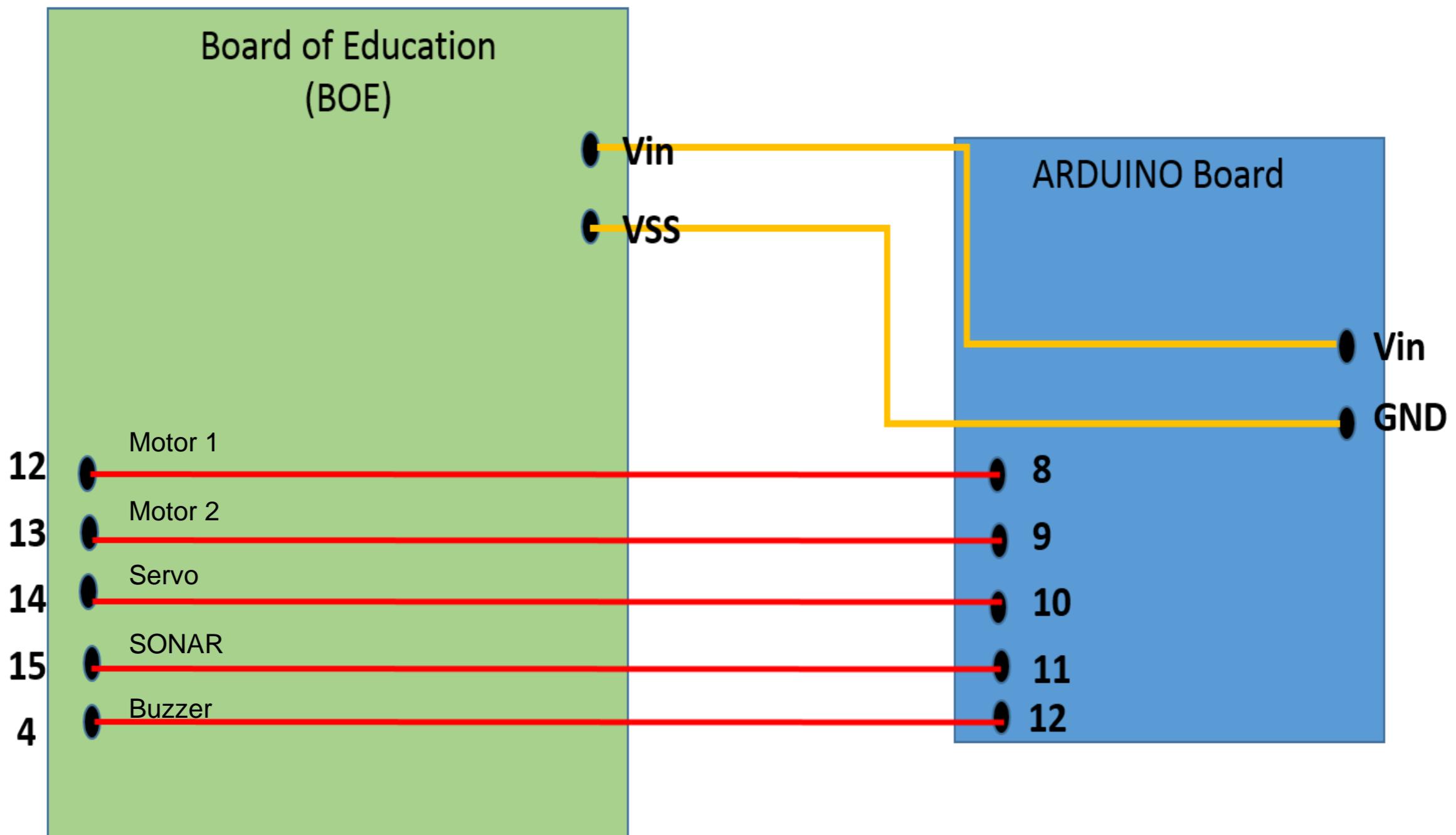
EEPROM 1 KB (ATmega328)

SRAM 2 KB (ATmega328)

Clock Speed 16 MHz



Boebot-Arduino Interface



Software

- Programming in C
- Sketches
- Sketchbook
- <http://arduino.cc/en/Main/Software>

Getting started

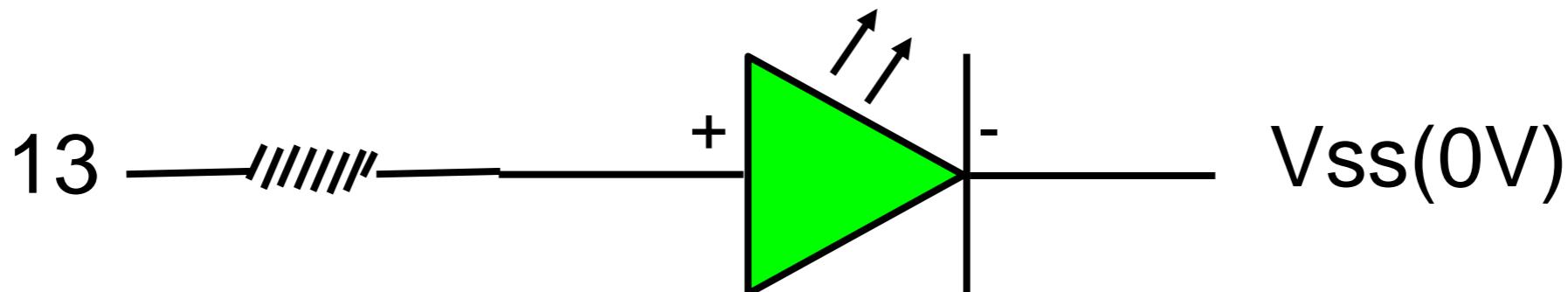
```
void setup() {  
    // put your setup code here, to run once  
}  
  
void loop() {  
    // put your main code here, to run repeatedly  
}
```

Hello World

```
void setup() {  
    Serial.begin(9600); // initialize serial comm.  
}  
  
void loop() {  
    Serial.println("Hello World!");  
}
```

Setting Pins to HIGH/LOW

- *digitalWrite(13, HIGH)*
PIN 13 now has +5V
- *digitalWrite(13, LOW)*
PIN 13 now has 0V



Blinking LED

Refer: ~/arduino-1.0.5/examples/01.Basics/Blink/Blink.ino

```
int led = 13; // Pin 13 has an LED connected on most Arduino boards

void setup() {
    pinMode(led, OUTPUT); // initialize the digital pin as an output.

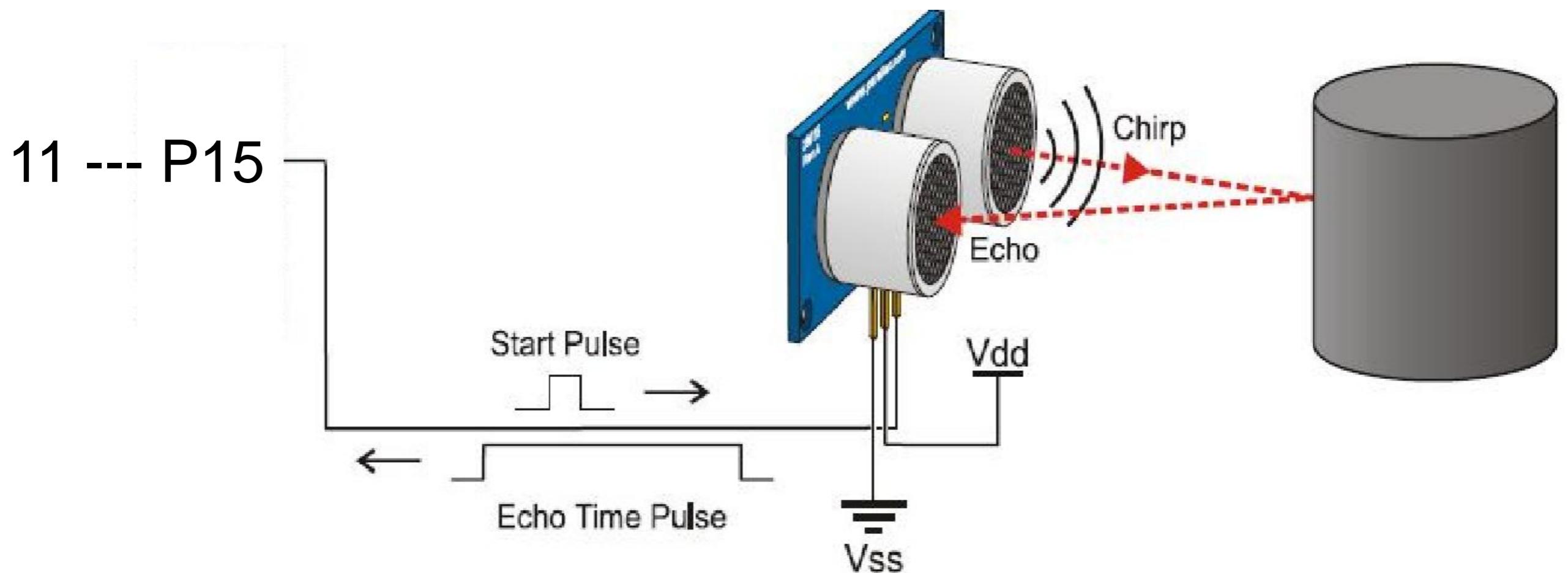
}

void loop() {
    digitalWrite(led, HIGH); // turn the LED on (HIGH is the voltage level)
    delay(1000);           // wait for a second

    digitalWrite(led, LOW); // turn the LED off by making the voltage LOW
    delay(1000);           // wait for a second

}
```

Ultrasonic Distance Sensor (SONAR)



Detecting Distance

Refer: ~/arduino-1.0.5/examples/06.Sensors/Ping/Ping.ino

```
const int pingPin = 11;      // Pin 11 is connected to the SONAR of the boebot

void setup() {
    Serial.begin(9600);      // initialize serial communication
}

void loop() {
    long duration, inches, cm;
    pinMode(pingPin, OUTPUT); // make the pingPin as output to send a pulse
    digitalWrite(pingPin, LOW);
    delayMicroseconds(2);     // send a LOW pulse for 2 microseconds
    digitalWrite(pingPin, HIGH);
    delayMicroseconds(5);     // send a HIGH pulse for 5 microseconds .....
```

Detecting Distance

.....

```
digitalWrite(pingPin, LOW);

pinMode(pingPin, INPUT); // use same pin to read signal

duration = pulseIn(pingPin, HIGH);

inches = microsecondsToInches(duration);

cm = microsecondsToCentimeters(duration);

Serial.print(inches);

Serial.print("in, ");

Serial.print(cm);

Serial.print("cm");

Serial.println();

delay(100);

}
```

Detecting Distance

Sub routines:

```
long microsecondsToInches(long microseconds)
```

```
{
```

```
    return microseconds / 74 / 2;
```

```
}
```

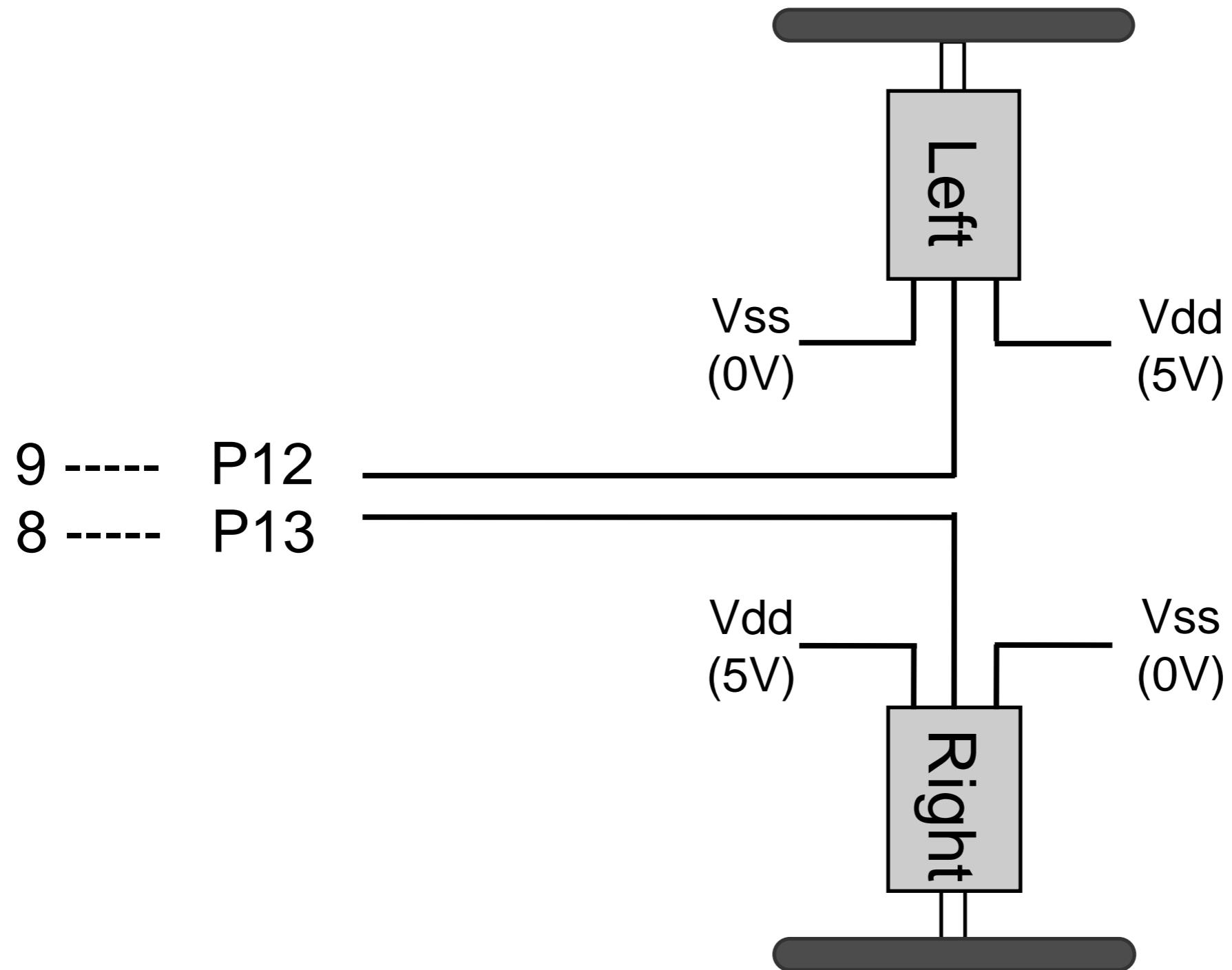
```
long microsecondsToCentimeters(long microseconds)
```

```
{
```

```
    return microseconds / 29 / 2;
```

```
}
```

Servo Motors



Motor Command

```
include <Servo.h>

Servo myservo_left;          // create servo object to control left servo
Servo myservo_right;         // create servo object to control right servo

void setup() {
    myservo_left.attach(9);   // attach the servo on pin 9 to the left servo
    myservo_right.attach(8);  // attach the servo on pin 9 to the right servo
}

void loop() {
    myservo_left.write(1000); // move left motor clockwise
    delay(1000);
    myservo_left.write(1500); // stop left motor
    delay(1000);
    myservo_left.write(2000); // move right motor anticlockwise
    delay(1000);
}
```

Moving Around

	Left	Right
Forward	CCW	CW
Backward	CW	CCW
Left	CW	CW
Right	CCW	CCW