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Project Title

**TIMER AND SERIAL MONITOR**

Sheet ARDUINO n\_1.1

Description

Use the serial monitor of ARDUINO IDE to display the reaction time to press a push button by an external random impulse

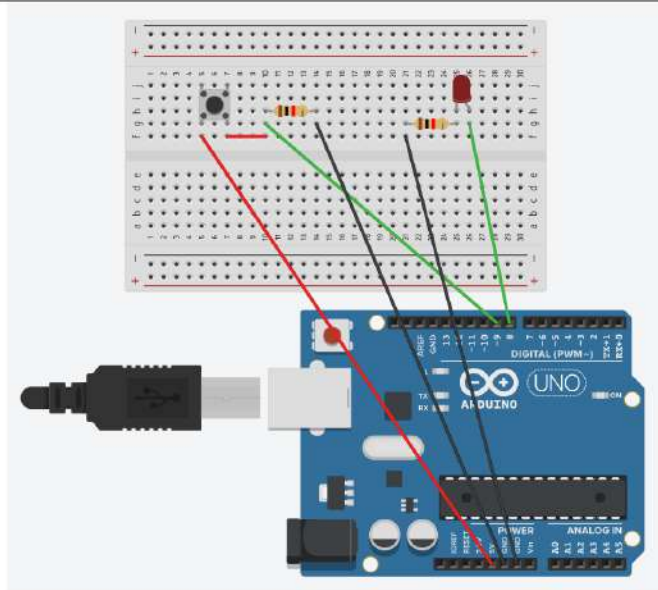
Necessary  
materials

ARDUINO UNO board  
1 LED  
1 resistor - 220  $\Omega$   
1 resistor - 1 k $\Omega$   
1 push button

Sketch

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int tempo;  
int pinLed = 8;  
int buttonPin = 9;  
int a;  
  
void setup() {  
  pinMode(pinLed, OUTPUT);  
  pinMode(buttonPin, INPUT);  
  Serial.begin(9600);  
}  
  
void loop() {  
  delay(random(5000,10000));  
  digitalWrite(pinLed, HIGH);  
  a=0;  
  while(digitalRead(buttonPin)==LOW)  
  {  
    a++;  
    delay(1);  
  }  
  Serial.println(a);  
  digitalWrite(pinLed, LOW);  
}
```

Pictorial  
/Schematic



Refer to all the instructions reported in the Lecture\_#18