Hummer-Bot Instruction Manual



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Chapter1 Introduction

"Hummer-Bot" is a multi-function car based on Arduino UNO R3, which is composed of embedded micro-controller, sensor, mechanical movement, wireless communication module and other parts. Although it cannot sing and dance like the traditional robot, it is also very intelligent and a member of the family of intelligent robot. By virtue of the inherent talent, Hummer-Bot can run on every corner, automatically avoid obstacles and walk along the black and white lines freely, of course, people can also play it via such as Bluetooth, infrared ray, PS2 remote sensing control, with passion and all kinds of attitude.

In the robot-prevalent era, sensor, wireless and power technologies are indispensable parts of people's lives, such as infrared is widely used in industrial robot, ultrasonic wave is widely applied in the medical industry, as to the wireless technology, it is beyond count. WIFI, Bluetooth, infrared, and ZigBee are becoming irreplaceable parts in smart Home Furnishing. "Hummer-Bot" is a very product of the development of the robot by combing these technologies perfectly, it can be used conveniently, developed easily. In addition, "Hummer-Bot" has a variety of modes, can be switched freely and completed a variety of development on one platform, which is the best choice for every electronic enthusiasts.

"Hummer-Bot" is a car which combines machine and electric, people can feel like in a competition through wireless control, this is not only a test of endurance and confidence for enthusiasts, but also a training to their response. The core of the car' walking is motor control, a good motor and drive are the necessary conditions for the car' journey to success, "Hummer-Bot" contains 4 DC motors and a high power drive chip, which enable the driving force of the car to a higher level.

The key to judgment depends on the sensor, just like the five senses of human beings, which is always aware of everything around it, and avoids unnecessary mistakes, such as collision, migration and so on. The combination of power and sensor makes the car more flexible and data acquisition more accurate.

1.1 Writing Purpose

The purpose of this manual is to create a fast, practical and convenient development learning platform for the vast number of electronic enthusiasts and let them grasp the Arduino and its extended system design methods and design principles, as well as the corresponding hardware debugging methods.

This manual will lead you to learn every function of "Hummer-Bot" step by step and open a new "Hummer-Bot" journey for you. It is divided into two parts: 1, Preparation chapter, which mainly introduces the use of common Arduino development software and some downloading and debugging skills. 2, Experiment chapter, which contains hardware and software, the former mainly introduces the function and principle of each module; the latter mainly introduces each part of the program and leads you to understand and grasp the principle of Arduino and the car development through written examples step by step.

This manual is a specifications for "Hummer-Bot", the file whose format is PDF which is in the CD along with our product requires the corresponding software to open. It contains detailed schematic diagrams and complete source codes for all instances, the codes won't have any mistake under our strict test. In addition, the library files used in the source codes are put into the corresponding path, you only need to see corresponding phenomenon of the car and personally experience the process of experiment by downloading the source codes to Arduino via the serial port emulator.

This manual is not only very suitable for students and electronic enthusiasts, but also a good reference for companies to develop products.

1.2 Product Introduction

"Hummer-Bot" is a multifunctional car based on the Arduino UNO and L298N motor. Compared with the traditional car, "Hummer-Bot" is also equipped with wireless control (Bluetooth, infrared, WIFI and so on); ultrasonic; infrared. It can trace and avoid obstacles automatically, of course, makers can also automatically control the car with wireless and make full use of each module, as well as integrate all kinds of related sensors to make the car more intelligent, which is more challenging. "Hummer-Bot" has various types of information, technical manuals, routines, etc., which can teach you step by step. Each electronic fan can use it easily to achieve their desired function.

Product Features

- Three groups of black line infrared tracing module
- Two group of infrared obstacle avoidance module
- Ultrasonic obstacle avoidance
- Four DC motor drive
- Two 3000mZh, 3.7V rechargeable lithium battery with longer endurance
- Remaining capacity of battery real-time detection
- Infrared remote control
- Bluetooth app control
- PS2 handle control (optional)

Product component invento



Note:

Please refer to the following table for instructions for use of each accessory device:





Name	Quant itv	Attrib utes	effect	Physical map
M3 Wrench	1	Black 2.5mm_ 52Lx18 H	Fixing M3 screws	
M4 Wrench	1	Black 3.0mm- 59Lx22 H	Fixing M4 screws	
Motor fixing bracket	4	MЗ	Fixing motor	
Power-DC	1	5. 5*2. 5	Connecting UNO R3 board as the power supply	
Voltage display module	1	RED	Detecting voltage	



Name	Quant itv	Attrib utes	effect	Physical map
Connectio n line	RED:5 Black :5	15cm RED 15cm Black	Connecting motor and power supply DC head	
DuPont Line	5	3P Mother to mother	Connecting infrared obstacle avoidance module and tracking module	
DuPont Line	1	10P Mother to mother	Connect ultrasonic barrier (4P) and motor driver board (4P)	
DuPont Line	1	3P Mother to mother	Connecting infrared receiver and transmitting the data of infrared receiver head to the expansion board	



Name	Quant ity	Attrib utes	effect	Physical map
Cross flat screws	4	M2*12	Fixing SG90 servo motor	
Hexagon socket bolt	4	M4*12	Fixing wheel	
Copper pillar	6	M3*30	Fixing acrylic plate	
Hexagon socket bolt	10	M3*14	Fixed infrared tracking module, motor driver board and UNO-r3 main control board	
Hexagon socket bolt	20	M3*12	Fixing sensor, Acry lic board and voltage display module	



Chapter2 Preparations

2.1 About Arduino

At the beginning of the study, let us read this little story: In the north of Italy, there is a picturesque town which across the blue green Dora Baltea River whose name is Ivrea, it is a place full of colorful history for it is where the king was born. In AD 1002, King Arduino became the ruler of the state, unfortunately two years later he was deposed by the German King Henry II and became an oppressed king. Today, in a street called cobblestone, there is a bar named di Re Arduino to commemorates the king appears in people's lives. The bar owner Massimo Banzi (there is a saying: Massimo Banzi often comes to this bar) is an electronics engineer in Italy, and later he named the electronic product Arduino in memory of this place. Arduino is a convenient, flexible, open source electronic prototype platform, including hardware (various types of Arduino board) and software (Arduino IDE). It is suitable for artists, designers, electronic lovers.

Arduino can perceive the environment through a variety of sensors, feedback, and influence the environment by controlling lights, motors, and other devices. The microcontroller on the board can write programs through Arduino programming language, compiled into binary files, burned into microcontroller. The programming of Arduino is realized by Arduino programming language (based on Wiring) and Arduino development environment (Based on Processing). Projects based on Arduino can either only contain Arduino or contain Arduino and some other software on the PC, they can communicate via such as Flash, Processing, MaxMSP.

You can do it yourself, or you can buy a finished kit, the software that Arduino uses can be downloaded for free. The hardware reference design (CAD file) also follows the available open-source protocol, and you can be very free to modify them according to your own requirements.

Arduino can not only use electronic components such as Switch or sensors or other controllers, LED, stepping motors or other output devices that are developed, but also operate independently as an interface that communicates with software, such as flash, processing, Max/MSP, VVVV, or other interactive software.

In addition, Arduino is based on the AVR platform and does second compilation and packaging for AVR library, the port is packaged, so you basically do not need to manage the register, address pointer and so on, the difficulty of software development is greatly reduced, it is suitable for non professional enthusiasts. Advantages and disadvantages coexist due to the second compilation and packaging, the code is not conciser than original AVR code, and code execution efficiency and code volume is weaker than AVR direct compilation.

2.2 Why Choosing Arduino

There are many SCM and SCM platform suitable for interactive system design. For example: Parallax Basic Stamp, Netmedia 's BX-24, Phidgets, MIT' s Handyboard, and so on. All of these tools, you do not need to care about the cumbersome details of SCM programming, they provide you with a set of easy-to-use

kit. Arduino also simplifies the working process of the microcontroller, but compared with other systems, Arduino is more advantageous in many places, especially for teachers, students and some amateurs:

1, Cheap - compared with other platforms, the Arduino board is pretty cheap. The cheapest version of Arduino can be made by hand, even if it's finished, the price will not exceed 200 yuan.

2, Cross platform - Arduino IDE can run in Windows, Macintosh, OSX, and Linux operating system. Most other SCM software can only run on Windows.

3, Simple programming environment - beginners can easily learn to use the Arduino programming environment, but it can also provide enough advanced applications for advanced users. As for the teachers, the Processing programming environment can be used easily, so if students have learned how to use Processing programming environment, then they will feel familiar when using the Arduino development environment.

4, Open source software and extensible - Arduino software is open source, experienced programmers can extend it. Arduino programming language can be extended through the C++ library, if someone wants to understand the technical details, you can skip the Arduino language and use AVR C programming language (because Arduino language is actually based on AVR C). Similarly, you can add AVR C code directly to your Arduino program if necessary.

5, Open source hardware can be extended - Arduino is based on the ATMEGA8 and ATMEGA168/328 MCU of Atmel, it is also based on the Creative Commons license agreement, so experienced circuit designers can design their own modules by extension or improvement according to their own requirements. Even for some relatively less experienced users, they can also make a test board to understand how Arduino works, which is money-saving and time-saving .





Fig 2.2 Several commonly usedArduino



Chapter3 Experiments

3.1 Assembly of the Car

3.1.1 Bottom Mounting of the Car

First we open the box, take out the car body (two black acrylic), screwdriver, M4x12 screws, six angle coupling and matching set screws, four black&red welding wires and four motor and wheels.

The first step is to Mounting motor mount.





After the completion as shown.





The second step is to Welding wire on the motor.





After the completion as shown.





The third step is to fix the wire on the motor with tie tape.



The fourth step is to Mount aluminum alloy brackets on acrylic plates. first removing the protective film on the acrylic, and then fixing it according to the corresponding space. After the installation, the front face is shown in Fig.3.1.4, and the back is shown in Fig.3.1.5.

Note: the screws in Fig.3.1.5 should not be screwed too tight, otherwise the wheels adjustment will be affected. The screw of the motor holder is always installed from the outside to the inside. If it is installed in the opposite direction, the protruding screw will affect the rotation of the wheel.

the installation must ensure that the screw hole on the bracket aligns with the screw hole on the acrylic plate





Fig.3.1.3 Diagram of Aluminum Alloy Bracket Installation





Fig.3.1.4 Diagram of Motor Installation



Fig.3.1.5 Fixing Screw for Motor



The fifth step is to install the connecting shaft for the purpose of fastening the connecting motor and the wheel, and use the connecting shaft as the power transmission link. Fig.3.1.6 shows the connecting shaft and the set screws, first screwing the screws into the connecting shaft (not too tight, otherwise the motor transmission shaft cannot be inserted into the connecting shaft), Then insert the smooth side of the motor's drive shaft into the machine screw, as shown in Figure 3.1.7. Turn the machine's meter screws to hold the smooth side of the motor's drive shaft.



Fig.3.1.6 Connecting Shaft Kit





Fig.3.1.7 Diagram of Connecting Shaft Installation



Fig.3.1.8 After Installation (set screws must be stuck in the smooth side)

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Fig.3.1.9 Diagram after Complete Installation

The sixth step is to install wheels, "Hummer-Bot" uses racing wheels which grip stronger, less friction, more stable than the traditional wheels. The wheel mounting method is relatively simple. Then inserting the connecting shafts into the wheels as shown in Fig.3.1.10 and screwing tightly as shown in Fig.3.1.11.





Fig.3.1.10 Diagram of Wheel Installation



Fig.3.1.10 Diagram of Wheel Screw Fixation

In the fourth step we said that don't screw too tight, because it is not convenient to adjust the wheels later. As shown in Fig.3.1.11,the installed wheels would have some tilt, then we need to adjust the motor by hand gently until the wheels and the acrylic become parallel, then tighten the screws.



Fig.3.1.11 Adjusting Wheels and Tightening Screws

The seventh step is to install the motor drive. As shown in Fig.3.1.12, fixing the motor on the acrylic.





First fix the screw on the motor driver board, as shown below



Then install the motor driver board on the acrylic board, as shown below



Fig.3.1.12 Diagram of Motor Drive Installation



The eighth step is to connect the motor wires to the drive, note that the rotation direction of the two motors require to be identical, so we should modify and debug the program first when wiring. Connecting the motor to any motor driver board, as shown in Fig.3.1.13, then connecting the two wires on battery box to the motor drive +12v (red) and GND (black), and leading a wire from +5V to "3" or "4" in the figure(IN1&IN2 is a motor set, IN3&IN4 is another set). Observing rotation directions of the motors, if the rotation directions are not the same, you only need to change "1" and "2" in the figure. The physical map is shown in Fig.3.1.14.



Fig.3.1.13 Diagram of Connection Between Motors and Drive Board





Fig.3.1.14 Diagram of Connection Between Motors and Drive Board

The ninth step is to install the tracing module and fix the module to the acrylic board according to the Fig.3.1.15. First, screwing the screws to the tracing module(Use two nuts here), as shown in Fig.3.1.16, and then connecting the 3Pin wire to the "1" in Fig.3.1.16. After the installation is completed, Finally, the tracking module is fixed to the acrylic plate. the back is shown in Fig 3.1.17.







Fig.3.1.15 Diagram of Tracing Module Installation





Fig.3.1.16 Diagram of Screw Brackets



Fig.3.1.17 The Back of Complete Installation

3.1.2 Surface Mounting of the Car

The first step is to install the battery box and the Arduino mainboard, this step is quite simple, install the corresponding package to "3" and "2" in Fig.3.1.19, the complete installation is shown in Fig.3.1.20.



Fig.3.1.19 Diagram of Top Surface Device Installation



First install the screws on the UNO



After the completion as shown





Then install UNO on acrylic plates



Fig.3.1.20 Diagram of Arduino Mainboard and Battery Box Installation



The second step is to install the total of 6 support screws which are mainly used to connect two piece acrylic board. In Fig.3.1.19, we can see the "1" logo where there are 6 holes, these are the screw fixing holes, The installation is shown in Fig.3.1.21 and the complete installation is shown in Fig.3.1.22.



Fig.3.1.21 Installation diagram



Fig.3.1.22 Diagram of the Pillars



The third step is to install the steering gear and the bracket. In Fig.3.1.19, the "4" logo is the actuator mounting position. The device used as shown ,The complete installation is shown in Fig.3.1.23.



First, install the servo fixing bracket, that is, install the bracket in the place as shown in the figure, and add the fixing screw





Step 2: Install the servo, install it as shown in the figure



The third step: use two screws to fix the servo.



Fig.3.1.23 Diagram of Steering Gear Installation


After installing the steering gear, you can add the ultrasonic module on it. In order to reduce the later steering angle adjustment, we adjust the steering gear to 90 degrees, and copy the following program to the compiler environment (you can also directly open the program in the CD), then connect the signal line(Orange) on steering gear to the 13 IO port on Arduino, After the servo rotates to 90°, we can install the servo bracket on the servo, and after the installation, we can fix it with screws., the installation is shown in Fig.3.1.24.

```
#include <Servo.h>
Servo myservo; // create servo object to control a servo
int pos = 90; // variable to store the servo position
void setup()
{
    myservo.attach(13); // attaches the servo on pin 9 to the servo object
    }
void loop()
    {
        myservo.write(pos); // tell servo to go to position in variable 'pos'
        delay(15); // waits 15ms for the servo to reach the position
    }
```

}





Fig.3.1.24 Diagram of Steering Gear Angle Adjustment

The fifth step is to install ultrasonic bracket, fix the bracket on the steering gear, as shown in Fig.3.1.25.



Fig.3.1.25 Diagram of Ultrasonic Bracket Installation



The sixth step is to install infrared obstacle avoidance module in the two holes marked as "6" in Fig.3.1.19, as shown in Fig.3.1.26.



Fig.3.1.26 Diagram of Infrared Obstacle Avoidance Installation



The seventh step is to install infrared remote control receiving head on the Arduino extended board and fixed it with a screw, as shown in Fig.3.1.27. Pay attention to the installation direction.



Fig.3.1.27 Diagram of Infrared Remote Control Receiving Head Installation

The eighth step is to install the voltage display module in the back of battery box to logo "A"marked in Fig.3.1.28, and insert the wire into the hole identified as "B" and out from the hole marked as "C". The complete installation is as shown in Fig.3.1.29.



Fig.3.1.28 Diagram of Voltage Display Module Installation





Fig.3.1.29 Diagram of Voltage Display Module Installation

Connect the power cable: First find the matching two power cables (the same as the wires used by the motor, one red and one black) and connect the two cables to the DC power head. The DC power connector is shown in Figure 3.1.29. The rubber ring marked as "1" can be removed to open the shell, as shown in Fig.3.1.31. Soldering the wires to the +12V and GND, as shown in Fig.3.1.32.



Fig.3.1.30&Fig.3.1.31 DC Power Head





The tenth step is the whole assembly, first inserting the 4Pin wire into IN1-IN4 on the motor drive, and threading the other end wire of the tracing module from the bottom to the top of the car. Then connecting two wires of the battery box and the voltage display module $\$ DC power head to the +12V (red) and GND (black) on the motor drive board. (And the other end of the wire in the ninth step is here) At last, aligning the six columns with the six holes as shown in Fig.3.1.33, then screwing the screws tightly from the bottom and the assembly is completed which is shown in Fig3.1.34 and Fig3.1.35(details of wires connection will be introduced later).



Fig.3.1.33 Diagram of Wires Arrangement



Fig3.1.34 the Effect of Whole Assembly





Fig3.1.35the Effect of Whole Assembly

So far, the basic assembly of car has been completed, we believe you have some basic knowledge of your car's structure, function and some modules through a short period of time, then you can achieve the corresponding functions only by downloading the program to the development board, each function has a corresponding program in CD, so please enjoy playing. However, if you can read the program and write your own program, there will be more fun, now let's go to the software section!

Expansion board wiring diagram

After the car is assembled, the wire connection can be referenced as shown in the figure. Of course, it will be described in detail later in the program.



3.2 Development of the Car

3.2.1 Walking Principle of the Car

"Motor" - I believe it is universally acknowledged. In today' society, the power spreads every corner in of our lives, the motor is widely used in their respective posts. It is a kind of electromagnetic device which can achieve energy conversion or transfer according to electromagnetic induction, it has the advantages of good speed regulation performance, easy-to-start, quick response, large starting torque, small volume, light weight, easy-to-assemble which can server as power source for electrical appliances or machinery. Due to the internal high speed motor can provide the original power, drive speed (deceleration) gear set and produce

greater torque, so it can meet the system requirements. Combined with these advantages, in the "Hummer-Bot" car, we selected four DC motors as the power source.

Motor drive - it is a necessary condition for the motor to play its superior performance. Its main function is to provide sufficient current and power for the motor. In the "Hummer-Bot" car, we choose the L298N as the motor driver chip for it is a high voltage and current full-bridge driver chip, the chip uses 15 pins package. It is a special motor driven integrated circuit (two H bridges) with high voltage and current full-bridge driver. And it contains 4 channel logic drive circuit, basically belongs to a kind of two-phase and four-phase special motor drive which contains two H bridges of high voltage large current. The output current is 2A, the maximum current is 4A, the maximum working voltage is 50V, which can drive the load under 46V and 2A, such as high power DC motor, stepper motor, solenoid valve and so on. The chip with two enable control terminals uses the standard logic level to control signals, allows or prohibits the device to work when the input signal is not interfered, it has a logic power input terminal which can enable the internal logic circuit to work under low voltage, and feedback the variation to the control circuit. Especially, the input can be connected directly with the MCU and easily controlled. When the DC motor is driven, the stepper motor can be directly controlled, and it can be turned forward and reversely, which only needs to change the logic level of the input. The pin arrangement is shown in Fig.3.2.1. The pin 1 and 15 can separately connect to the current sampling resistor and form the current sensing signal.



Fig.3.2.1 Arrangement of Chip Pins

L298N can drive 2 motors which are connected between OUTI, OUT2 and OUT3, OUT4. 5, 7, 10 and 12 pin are connected to input control level for controlling the positive and negative rotation of the motor, ENA, ENB are connected to control enable terminal for controlling the running and shutdown of the motor. Its characteristics:

Signal indicator



- The speed is adjustable
- The strong anti-interference ability with photoelectric isolation
- Overvoltage and overcurrent protection
- Controlling of two motors separately
- Controlling the stepper motor
- The speed control with PWM pulse width
- Positive and negative rotation

ENA	IN1	IN2	Motor status
Н	Н	L	Forward
Н	L	Н	Reversal
Н	IN2	IN1	Quick stop
L	Х	Х	Stop

Fig.3.2.2 Logic Function Chart



Fig.3.2.3 Module Physical Map

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Fig.3.2.4 Schematic Diagram of Motor Drive

Four DC motors with high power L298N drive enable "Hummer-Bot" to run faster than conventional two-wheel car, the acceleration time is shorter and the structure is more stable. However, in the actual application, we need to adjust the speed of the car because of environmental or other factors, yet this does not affect the forward, backward, stop, flexible steering of the car, so we use PWM to control the speed of the motor(Note: PWM is a way to simulate the simulation output via square waves with different duty cycles.), Arduino PWM port outputs a series of square waves with fixed frequency, the power and current of the motor can be amplified after receiving the signal, thereby changing the motor's speed. The speed coordination of two motors on the right and left wheels can achieve the forward, backward, turning and other functions of the car. Figure 2.4.5 shows the sequence diagram of PWM duty cycles.



0% duty cycle
10% duty cycle
25% duty cycle
50% duty cycle
80% duty cycle
100% duty cycle

Fig.3.2.5 Sequence Diagram of PWM Duty Cycles

In Arduino, analog voltage can not be output, only 0 or 5V digital voltage value, we can use high resolution counter and the duty cycles of the square wave modulation method to encode a specific level of analog signal. The PWM signal is still digital, because at any given time, the full amplitude of DC power supply is either 5V (ON) or 0V (OFF). The voltage or current source is added to the analog load with a ON or OFF repetitive pulse sequence. When the DC power supply is added to the load, the power supply is on, otherwise the power supply is off. As long as the bandwidth is enough, any analog value can use PWM to encode. The output voltage value is calculated by the on and off time. Output voltage = (turn-on time / pulse time) * maximum voltage. Fig.2.4.6 shows the corresponding voltage to the pulse change.





In the "Hummer-Bot" car experiment, we use Arduino UNO R3 as the main control board. By referring to the chip data, we will know that Arduino UNO has 6 PWM pins, namely digital interfaces 3, 5, 6, 9, 10, 11, and we select 5, 6, 9, 10 as the motor control IO, the connection is shown in Fig.2.4.7.



Fig.2.4.7 Connection between Arduino and L298N Drive Board

After the connection, we do not know whether the motor can work normally or not, so we need to do a simple test by copying the following code(you can also open the program in the CD directly) into the IDE development environment and downloading to the development board. And turning on the power(power connection is introduced the tenth and eleventh steps in 3.1.2) to observe the wheels rotation, if "going forward 5s----stopping 1s---- going back 5s---- stopping 1s----turning left 3s----stop 1s----turning right 3s" are normal, the connection is correct, otherwise the polarities of the motor may be reversed, then you need to adjust slightly.

Note: this test and IO selection are only for reference, you can choose other IO ports or use other wiring methods according to your own ideas.

```
int E1 = 5; //PWMA
int M1 = 9; //PWMA
int E2 = 6; //PWMB
int M2 = 10; //PWMB
void setup()
{
}
void setup()
```



```
{
 analogWrite(M1,0);
 analogWrite(E1, 150); //the speed value of motorA is 150
 analogWrite(M2,0);
 analogWrite(E2, 150); //the speed value of motorB is 150
 delay(5000);
 //******* ***********************//forward
 analogWrite(M1,0);
 analogWrite(E1, 0); //the speed value of motorA is 0
 analogWrite(M2,0);
 analogWrite(E2, 0); //the speed value of motorB is 0
 delay(1000);
analogWrite(M1, 150); //the speed value of motorA is 150
 analogWrite(E1, 0);
 analogWrite(M2, 150);//the speed value of motorA is 150
 analogWrite(E2, 0);
 analogWrite(M1,0);
 analogWrite(E1, 0); //the speed value of motorA is 0
 analogWrite(M2,0);
 analogWrite(E2, 0); //the speed value of motorB is 0
 delay(1000);
analogWrite(M1, 0);
 analogWrite(E1, 180); //the speed value of motorA is 180
 analogWrite (M2, 180); //the speed value of motorB is 180
 analogWrite(E2, 0);
 delay(3000);
analogWrite(M1, 0);
 analogWrite(E1, 0); //the speed value of motorA is 0
 analogWrite(M2, 0);
 analogWrite(E2, 0); //the speed value of motorB is 0
 delay(1000);
analogWrite (M1,200); //the speed value of motorA is 200
 analogWrite(E1, 0);
 analogWrite (M2,0);
 analogWrite(E2, 200); //the speed value of motorB is 200
 }
```

By now, the car can move normally, are you happy and excited? But this is just the beginning, the car can just fool-turning without significance, there will be more fun if we add it some "organs".Now we will equip the car with several commonly-used sensors, so it will have a new understanding of the world.

3.2.2 Infrared Obstacle Avoidance

3.2.2.1 Introduction of Infrared Obstacle Avoidance Sensor

Infrared obstacle avoidance module is a pair of infrared transmitting and receiving tubes, the former launches a certain frequency infrared, the receiving tube will receive the reflected infrared when the infrared detects the obstacles. After the signal is processed by the comparator circuit, the green LED lights, and the signal output port outputs digital signal at the same time(a low level signal). The detection distance can be adjusted through the potentiometer knob, the effective distance range is 2-30cm, the working voltage is 3.3V-5V. Due to the sensor uses infrared, so the anti-interference ability is very strong, the measurement accuracy is very high when the distance is moderate. In addition, the module can be assembled easily and used conveniently, it can be widely used in robot obstacle avoidance, car obstacle avoidance and the black&white line tracing and many other occasions.

3.2.2.2 Working Principle

1, The module output port OUT can be directly connected with the IO port of the microcontroller, and directly drive a 5V relay; the connection mode is: VCC-VCC; GND-GND; OUT-IO (A3 and A4), as shown in Fig.3.2.9 and Chart 3.2.1.

2, The module uses the 3-5V DC power as power supply. When the power is on, the indicator will light.

3, The diameter of installation hole is 3mm, you can use the same size screws (screws in the kit).

Infrared Obstacle Avoidance Module
VCC
GND
The left module
The right module

Pin wiring definition (only for reference, you can define according to your own ideas):

Chart 3.2.1 Pin Wiring Definition

3.2.2.3 Module Parameters

The working principle of infrared obstacle avoidance sensor is very simple, that is the reflection property of objects. In a certain range, if there is no obstacle, the infrared ray emitted will gradually weaken because of the farther distance of transmission, and finally disappear. If there are obstacles, the infrared will be reflected to the receiving head. As soon as the sensor detects the signal, it can confirm that there are obstacles in front of the circuit board, the green indicator will light, the OUT port continuously outputs low level signal to MCU at the same time, the MCU conducts a series of analysis to ensure that the two wheels of car works properly

and avoids the obstacle beautifully. The schematic diagram of the sensor is shown in Fig.3.2.8. Infrared detector can be divided into active and passive according to its working mode.

Active infrared detector is equipped with infrared light source, it can detect the location of the object through covering the light source, reflection, refraction and other optical means.

Passive infrared detector has no light source, and it can measure the position, temperature, or infrared imaging of the detected object by receiving the characteristic spectral radiation of the detected object.



Fig.3.2.8 Infrared obstacle avoidance schematic diagram





Fig.3.2.9 Connection of Arduino and Sensor

Note: This module can adjust the detection distance by the potentiometer, the detection distance is 2-30cm, if it is found that the distance detection is not very sensitive, you can use the potentiometer to achieve the desired results (rotating the potentiometer clockwise will increase the detection distance; counterclockwise will decrease), it is shown in Fig.3.2.10.



Fig.3.2.10 Diagram of Distance Detection Adjustment

3.2.2.4 Experimental Procedures

1, Fixing the two sensors on the car and connecting them to Arduino with wires.(Already done)

2, Testing the sensitivity of module, namely opening the switch on the battery box and the indicator will light, placing obstacles the 10cm away from the infrared tubes, adjusting the potentiometer until the output indicator lights up.

3, Module test.copying the following code to the IDE compiler environment (you can also open the program directly in the CD), downloading it to the development board, opening the serial port monitor (baud rate is 9600) and observing the changes of data when there is a obstacle (Figure 3.2.11) and no obstacle (Figure 3.2.12).

Note: Here we connect the infrared obstacle avoidance signal output port to the analog port on Arduino (A0-A5), so the serial port prints out analog value, you can connect it to digital port (2-13), and the serial port will only print out "0" and "1".

```
const int leftPin = A3;
const int rightPin = A4;
int dl;
int dr;
void setup()
```

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```
Serial.begin(9600);
pinMode(leftPin, INPUT);
pinMode(rightPin, INPUT);
delay(1000);
```

```
}
```

```
void loop()
```

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```
dl = analogRead(leftPin);
dr = analogRead(rightPin);
Serial.print("left:");
Serial.print(dl);
Serial.print(" ");
Serial.print("right:");
Serial.println(dr);
```

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Fig.3.2.11	Diagram	of Data	with	Obstacles
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left:1020	right:1020			
left:1020	right:1020			
left:1021	right:1020			
left:1021	right:1020			
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left:1021	right:1020			
left:1020	right:1020			
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left:1020	right:1021			
left:1020	right:1020			
left:1020	right:1021			
left:1020	right:1021			
left:1020	right:1020			-
🔲 自动滚屏		没有结束符 ▼	9600 波特率 🔻	Clear output

Fig.3.2.12 Diagram of Data without Obstacles

3.2.2.5 Software Design

In the above steps, we have tested the car's driving and obstacle avoidance module respectively, they have achieved the desired results, here the "infrared obstacle avoidance" actually has been explained in this section, but we have not put the programs of two parts together, so we now integrates the program of the two parts and complete this great "infrared obstacle avoidance" project. First, let's read the complete program:

```
pinMode(rightPin, INPUT); // Set the working mode of two sensor pins, namely "input"
```

delay(1000);

}

```
void loop()
```

Ł

dl = analogRead(leftPin);

dr = analogRead(rightPin); // Read the values collected by both sensors and assign them to the defined variables.

if (dl >= 38 && dr <= 38) /* If the value collected by the left sensor is greater than or equal to 38 and the right value is less than or equal to 38, the following program in {} is executed (dl> = 38, there is no obstacle on the left, dr <= 38 shows that there is an obstacle on the right, so at this time the car is turning to the side without obstacles (ie, turning to the left). From Figure 3.2.11, we know that the simulated value will drop below about 35 in the event of an obstacle , But in order to reduce the error, we set the threshold at 38 to prevent the car from judging the error because of the error. We can also customize other values. If we use the digital port to



```
receive the value of the sensor, we only return "0" and "1" ", But the same way to
judge. The reason why I did not use digital IO, because we use the digital IO port in
other places.*/
 {
  analogWrite (M1,0);
  analogWrite(E1, 180); //the speed value of motorA is 180
  analogWrite (M2,180); //the speed value of motorB is 180
  analogWrite(E2, 0); /* Set a PWM value, the maximum PWM is 255, but the speed of the
car should not be too fast when walking, otherwise it can not hit the obstacle in time
when the obstacles are suddenly encountered.*/
  Serial.print(dl);
  Serial.print(" ");
  Serial.print(dr);
  Serial.print(" ");
  Serial.println("Turning left"); /* Through the "Serial Monitor" print the current
status of the car and the value collected by the sensor* /
  delay(300);
  analogWrite(M1, 0);
  analogWrite(E1, 0);
  analogWrite(M2, 0);
  analogWrite(E2, 0); /* As the car left after about 300ms stop, after measuring, 300ms
time car just can rotate about 90 degrees, because the DC motor does not like the
steering angle can be precisely controlled, so can only give a rough estimate, of
course, different motor speed is not Similarly, the time used is not the same, so
everyone in the experiment can be based on their own ideas, but the angle of 90, but
also other values.*/
  delay(1000); //*******************************//Turning left
  }
  if (dl <= 38 && dr <= 38) /* If the value collected by the left sensor is less than
```

or equal to 38 and the right value is less than or equal to 38, the following program in {} is executed (dl <= 38, indicating that there is an obstacle on the left and dr <= 38 shows that there is an obstacle on the right, so at this time the car is rotated 180 degrees backwards. In the experiment, the car can just turn around 180 degrees after 500ms of rotation. Because the DC motor can not precisely control the angle like the steering gear, An approximate value, of course, different motor speed is not the same, the time used is not the same, so everyone in the experiment can be based on the circumstances may be.)*/

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```
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```

```
{
```

```
analogWrite(M1,255); //the speed value of motorA is 255
   analogWrite(E1, 0);
   analogWrite(M2, 0);
   analogWrite(E2, 255); //the speed value of motorB is 255
   Serial.print(dl);
   Serial.print(" ");
   Serial.print(dr);
   Serial.print(" ");
   Serial.println("Turning around");/* Through the "Serial Monitor" print the current
status of the car and the value collected by the sensor. ^{\star/}
   delay(500);
   analogWrite (M1,0);
   analogWrite (E1, 0);
   analogWrite (M2,0);
   analogWrite (E2, 0); /* Rotate 180 degrees and stop */
   delay(1000); //********************************//Turning around
```

```
}
```

if (dl <= 38 && dr >= 38) /* If the left sensor is less than or equal to 38 and the right value is greater than or equal to 38, the following program in {} is executed (dl <= 38, indicating that there is an obstacle on the left, dr> = 38 shows that there is no obstacle on the left, so at this moment the car is turning to the side without obstacle, that is, turning to the right)

```
{
```

analogWrite(M2, 0);

```
analogWrite(M1, 180); //the speed value of motorA is val
analogWrite(E1, 0);
analogWrite(M2, 0);
analogWrite(E2, 180); //the speed value of motorA is val
Serial.print(d1);
Serial.print(" ");
Serial.print(dr);
Serial.print(" ");
Serial.print(" ");
delay(300);
analogWrite(M1, 0);
analogWrite(E1, 0);
```



if (dl >= 38 && dr >= 38) / * Judge two values collected by the sensor. If the value collected by the left sensor is greater than or equal to 38 and the right value is greater than or equal to 38, execute the following program in {} (dl> = 38, indicating that there is no obstacle on the left and dr > = 38 that there is no obstacle on the left, so the car at this time straight * /

{

int val=150; /* When the straight line has a PWM value of 150, if the value is too large, the speed of the car will be very fast, which may lead to the car can not hit the obstacle in time when it encounters the obstacle. * / analogWrite (M1,0); analogWrite(E1, val); //the speed value of motorA is val analogWrite (M2,0); analogWrite(E2, val); //the speed value of motorB is val Serial.print(dl); Serial.print(dl); Serial.print(dr); Serial.print(" "); Serial.print(" ");

}

In the above program, we made comments on some part of the program in order to make you to learn and understand the program easily, the program is relatively simple, you can write your own programs to give the car more skills. Of course, if you want to use it directly, we have the corresponding source program in the CD.

3.2.3 Infrared Tracing

3.2.3.1 Introduction of Infrared Tracing Sensor

After infrared obstacle avoidance, let us learn the infrared tracing, their nature of work are the same, using basically the same module, just in different ways, to achieve different functions. In this section when we study, we have to pay attention to the color of the line we trace(the black line or white line), if your floor is black, you should trace the white line (pasting white line on the floor); if it is white, then you should trace the black line on the floor); you just need to make a distinct difference between the track and the ground environment.

Black line tracking refers to the car drives along the black line on the white floor, it can know where to drive according to the received reflected light due to the different light reflection coefficient on the black and white floor.

White line tracking refers to the car drives along the white line on the black floor, it can know where to drive according to the received reflected light due to the different light reflection coefficient on the white and black floor.

In the "Hummer-Bot" car, we use the TCRT5000 sensor as tracing module, TCRT5000 infrared reflection sensor is a photoelectric sensor which consists of an infrared emitting diode and a NPN infrared photoelectric transistor. The detectable reflective distance is 1mm-25mm, the sensor is specially equipped with M3 fixed installation holes, so it is easy to adjust the direction, it also has the 74HC14 Schmidt trigger inverter which ensure the clean signal, the good wave shape and the strong driving ability. It can be applied to robot obstacle avoidance, robot tracing (detecting black line in white background and detecting white line in black background), which is the necessary sensor for tracing line robot and other occasions. The PCB size is 3.5cm*1cm, and the physical map is shown in Fig.3.2.13.



Fig.3.2.13 Physical Map of the Module

3.2.3.2 Working Principle

In the above, we talked about two patterns of tracing-the white line and the black line. In fact, either the black line or the white line, we usually adopt the infrared detection method.

Infrared detection method means that different objects with different colors have the different infrared reflection characteristics. The car launches the infrared to the ground continually during driving process, the infrared receiving tube will be in a shutdown state and the output of the module is low level when the emitted infrared is not reflected or the reflected infrared is not strong enough, and indicating diode will be off; when the diffuse reflection occurred on a white floor, the intense reflected infrared will be received by the receiving tube on the car, the photosensitive triode will be saturated, the output end of the module is high level and the indicating diode will light.



As is shown in the schematic diagram 3.2.14 (U1 is comparator, such as LM358, LM324, LM393, LM339 and a series of comparators, we use the 74HC14D comparator in TCRT5000), A and C are connected to the light emitting diode, C and E to the receiving diode, as shown in Fig.3.2.13. In the "Hummer-Bot" car, we use three modules, two in the left and right sides, one in the middle. Its installation is shown in Fig.3.2.16,the tracing sensors are in a straight line.



Fig.3.2.14 Schematic Diagram of Tracing Module Fig.3.2.16 Diagram of Tracing Module Installation

The X1 and Y1 are the first direction control sensors, and the width of the two sensors on the same side of the black line must not be greater than the width of the black line. When the car is moving forward, the driving track is always between the two first level sensors X1 and Y1 (the black track as shown in Fig. 3.2.16), when the car deviates from the black line:

If the left X1 detects the black line which can not be detected by the right Y1 and intermediate sensors, the the car has shifted to the right, then the car will turn left slightly, and keeping intermediate sensor always detecting the black line; if the right Y1 detects the black line which can not be detected by the left X1 and intermediate sensors, the the car has shifted to the left, then the car will turn right slightly, and keeping intermediate sensor always detecting the black line; if the car has shifted to the left, then the car will turn right slightly, and keeping intermediate sensor always detecting the black line; if the car turns back on the track driving along the black line, X1 and Y1 can all detect the white line, and send high level to the microcontroller.

3.2.3.3 Module Parameters

- Using TCRT5000 infrared reflection sensor
- The detection distance: 1mm~25mm, the focal distance is 2.5mm
- The comparator output signal waveform is clean, good-shape and it has more than 15mA strong drive ability.
- The working voltage: 3.3V-5V
- Using wide voltage comparator 74HC14D, digital output (0 and 1)
- Easy-to-install fixed bolt holes

Note:

Correct wiring! Do connect the positive and negative pins correctly, or the mainboard and electronic device may burn up. Connecting the VCC to 3.3V or 5V, the OUT output port to the microcontroller IO port directly. The I/O port on Arduino should be set for input mode / receiving mode, otherwise it can not be used. As for other MCU, such as ARM or more advanced control boards, if the I/O ports need to be used as the input and output mode, they have to be set to the input mode / receiving mode. The 51 series microcontrollers can be used directly, there is no need to set the input and output mode.

If you want to know more about TCRT5000, please refer to the file "TCRT5000.pdf" in the CD.

3.2.3.4 Experimental Procedures

1, Fixing the sensor on the car (the assembly is completed) and connecting it to the Arduino as shown in Fig.3.2.17.

2, Making the track. if your floor is white, then you could stick a black tape to form a loop, otherwise stick a white tape, the shape of track is based on your own desires, the best width of the tape is 13-18mm. In this manual, we use the black track, as shown in Fig.3.2.18.

3, Module test.Copying the following codes to the IDE compiler environment (you can also open the program in the CD directly) and downloading to the development board, opening the serial port monitor (baud rate is 9600) to observe the changes of data when there is the white line (Fig. 3.2.19) and is not the white line (Figure 3.2.20).

Note: Here we connect the signal output port of infrared obstacle avoidance to the analog port on Arduino (A0-A5), so the serial port monitor prints analog values, you can connect it to the digital port(2-13), then the serial port monitor will print out only "0" and "1".

```
void setup()
{
   Serial.begin(9600);
}
void loop()
{
   int left,centre,right;
   left=analogRead(A0);
   centre=analogRead(A1);
   right=analogRead(A2);
   Serial.print("right:");
   Serial.print("ight);
   Serial.print("centre:");
   Serial.print(centre);
```

Serial.print("

");



```
Serial.print("left:");
Serial.print(left);
Serial.println(" ");
```

}



Fig.3.2.18 Example of the Black Track

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				Send
right:1002	centre:1004	left:1004		*
right:1002	centre:1004	left:1003		
right:1002	centre:1004	left:1004		
right:1002	centre:1004	left:1004		
right:1002	centre:1004	left:1004		
right:1002	centre:1004	left:1004		
right:1002	centre:1004	left:1003		
right:1002	centre:1004	left:1004		
right:1002	centre:1004	left:1004		
right:1002	centre:1004	left:1004		
right:1002	centre:1004	left:1004		
right:1002	centre:1004	left:1003		
right:1002	centre:1004	left:1004		
right:1002	centre:1004	left:1003		
right:1002	centre:1004	left:1004		
right:1002	centre:1004	left:1003		
right:1002	centre:1004	left:1004		
right:1001	centre:1004	left:1004		
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Fig. 3.2.19 The Data When the Sensor Does Not Detect the Black Line

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right:0	centre:0	left:0		
right:0	centre:0	left:0		
right:0	centre:0	left:0		
right:0	centre:0	left:0		
right:0	centre:0	left:0		
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right:0	centre:0	left:0		
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right:0	centre:0	left:0		
right:0	centre:0	left:0		
right:0	centre:0	left:0		
right:0	centre:0	left:0		
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Figure 3.2.20 The Data When the Sensor Detects the Black Line

From Fig.3.2.19 and Fig.3.2.20 we can see that the output is high level when the sensor does not detect the black line, low level when detects the black line. We use the analog port to collect the sensor's signal, so the printed value is analog that, the high level is reaching 1024, the low level is 0. After we master the working principle of the sensor, our tracing car in this section comes to an end, then let us open a car journey.

3.2.3.5 Software Design

1. Overall software flow chart

When the car enters the tracing mode, it keeps scanning the I/O port of the MCU connected to the sensors, once detecting the changes in signal at the I/O port, the corresponding procedure will be implemented, the corresponding signal will be sent to the motor so as to correct the status of the car. 2. The car tracing flow chart

When the car enters the tracing mode, it keeps scanning the I/O port of the MCU connected to the sensors, once detecting the changes in signal at the I/O port, the corresponding procedure will be implemented. If the left sensor detects the black line(the left half of the car walked across the black line, the car body is trended right), the car should turn the left; If the right sensor detects the black line(the right half of the car walked across the black line, the car body is trended across the black line, the car body is trended left), the car should turn the right. After the direction adjustment, the car walks forward, and continues to detect the black line repeatedly. The tracing flow chart is shown in Fig.3.2.21.



```
3. Program Explanation
```

```
void loop()
```

{

```
int left1,centre,right1; /* Define 3 sensors * /
```

Serial.begin(9600); /* Set the baud rate to 9600 * /}

```
left1=analogRead(A0);
```

```
centre=analogRead(A1);
```

```
right1=analogRead(A2); /* Read the value collected by 3 sensors * /
```



if((right1 >= 975)&&(centre <= 8)&&(left1 >= 975)) / * Judge the collected value, if right1> = 975 and left1> = 975 are greater than 975, the left and right sensors do not detect the black line, the center <= 8 shows that the middle sensor detects the black line, so the car will Drive along the black line. From Figure 3.2.19 and Figure 3.2.20, we know that when a black line is detected, the sensor captures a value that is low and reads 0 after analog IO. However, to reduce the error, we set the threshold In 8, to prevent the error caused by the car to determine the wrong, we can customize the other values, if the use of digital port to receive the value of the sensor returns only "0" and "1", but to determine the same way. The reason why I did not use digital IO, because we use the digital IO port in other places. * /

```
{
```

int val=150; /* Set a PWM value, the maximum value of PWM is 255, but the speed should not be too fast when tracing the car, otherwise the car will shake more in the tracing process. analogWrite (M1,0);

```
analogWrite(E1, val); //the speed value of motorA is val
analogWrite (M2,0);
analogWrite(E2, val); //the speed value of motorB is val
}
```

else if((right1 <= 8)&&(centre >= 975)&&(left1 >= 975)) / * The value collected to judge, if the center> = 975 and left1> = 975 are greater than 975, indicating that the middle and left sensors did not detect the black line, right1 <= 8 shows the right sensor detects a black line, then the car Has left to the left, or the black line has been turning to the right, so the car should turn to the right. * /

```
{
    int val=150;
    analogWrite (E1,0);
    analogWrite(M1, val); //the speed value of motorA is val
    analogWrite (M2,0);
    analogWrite(E2, val); //the speed value of motorB is val
```

}

else if((right1 >= 975)&&(centre >= 975)&&(left1 <= 8)) / * Judge the collected value, if center> = 975 and right1> = 975 are greater than 975, indicating that the middle and right sensors did not detect the black line, left1 <= 8 shows that the left sensor detects the black line, then the car Has been to the right deviation, or the black line has turned to the left, so the car should turn left at this time. * / { int val=130;

```
analogWrite (M1,0);
    analogWrite(E1, val); //the speed value of motorA is val
    analogWrite (E2,0);
    analogWrite(M2, val); //the speed value of motorB is val
   }
  if((right1 <= 8)&&(centre <= 8)&&(left1 <= 8)) / * The value collected to judge, if
the center <= 8, left1 <= 8 and right1 <= 8 are greater than 8, indicating 3 sensors
have detected a black line, then the car has reached the "ten" intersection, because We
have only 3 sensors, no way to make more sophisticated judgments, so only let the car
choose to go straight. * / {
  int val=130;
  analogWrite (M1,0);
  analogWrite(E1, val); //the speed value of motorA is val
  analogWrite (M2,0);
  analogWrite(E2, val); //the speed value of motorB is val
 }
```

3.2.4 Ultrasonic Obstacle Avoidance

In this product, we will integrate the ultrasonic module and steering engine together and make the two part working at the same time, which greatly increases the effectiveness of the data and the flexibility of the car, the main working flow: When the power is on, steering engine will automatically rotates to 90 degrees, the MCU will read data from the reflected ultrasonic. If the data is greater than the security value, the car will continue to drive forward, otherwise the car will stop, then the steering engine will rotate 90 degrees to the right. After that, the MCU reads data from the reflected ultrasonic again, the steering engine rotates 180 degrees to the left, then reading data again, the steering engine rotate 90 degrees, the MCU will contrast the two detected data, if the left data is greater than the right data, the car will turn left, otherwise turn right, if the two data are both less than the safety value, the car will turn around.

3.2.4.1 Suite Introduction

1. The steering gear

}

The steering gear is also called servo motor which is originally used in ships, since it can control the angle continuously through the program, so it has been widely used in intelligent steering robot to achieve all kinds of joint movement, the characteristics steering gear are small volume, large torque, high stability, simple external mechanical design. Either in hardware or software design, the design of steering engine is an important part of car controlling, the steering gear is mainly composed of the following parts in general, steering wheels, gear group, position feedback potentiometer, DC motor and control circuit(shown in Fig.3.2.22, Fig.3.2.23). Fig.3.2.24 shows the most commonly used 9G steering gear now.





Fig.3.2.22 Diagram of Steering Gear



Fig.3.2.23 Composition of Steering Gear





Fig.3.2.24 Physical Map of Steering Gear

2. The ultrasonic

An ultrasonic sensor is a device that transforms other forms of energies into ultrasonic energy with desired frequency, or transforms the ultrasonic energy into other forms of energy with the same frequency. The ultrasonic sensors are commonly classified into two categories, the acoustic type and the hydrodynamic type. Acoustic type mainly has: 1, piezoelectric sensor; 2, magnetostrictive sensor; 3, electrostatic sensor. The hydrodynamic type includes the gas whistle and the liquid whistle. At present most of the ultrasonic sensors are working using piezoelectric sensors. Distance measurement with the ultrasonic is also a hot spot.

In the "Hummer-Bot" car, we use HC-SR04 ultrasonic module which has the 2cm-400cm non-contact distance sensing function, the measurement accuracy can achieve to 3mm; the temperature sensor can correct the measured results using the GPIO communication mode, the module has a stable and reliable watchdog. The module includes an ultrasonic transmitter, receiver and control circuit, which can measure distance and steer like in some projects. The smart car can detect obstacles in front of itself, so that the smart car can change direction in time, avoid obstacles. A common ultrasonic sensor is shown in Fig.3.2.25.





Fig.3.2.25 Physical Map of Ultrasonic Module

3.2.4.2 Suite Parameters

1. Steering gear

The steering gear has three input wires as shown in Fig.3.2.25, the red is power wire, while the brown is the ground, which guarantee the basic energy supply for the steering gear. The power supply has two kinds of specifications (one is 4.8V, the other is 6.0V)which are corresponding to different torque standards, the 6.0V torque is higher than the 4.8V torque; and the another one is the signal control wire, which is generally white in Futaba, orange in JR. Noticing that some of the SANWA's power wires are on the edge rather than the middle which need to be identified, so you need to remember that the red is power wire, the brown is ground wire.

2. Ultrasonic wave

- 1, Working voltage: 4.5V~5.5V. In particular, voltage above 5.5V is not allowed definitely
- 2, Power consumption current: the minimum is 1mA, the maximum is 20mA
- 3, Resonant frequency: 40KHz;

4, Detection range: 4 mm to 4 meters. Error: 4%. In particular, the nearest distance is 4mm, the longest distance is 4 meters, and the data outputs continuously without setting anything. 5, Temperature measurement range: 0° C to $+100^{\circ}$ C; precision: 1° C

6, Illumination measurement range: bright and dark;

7, Data output mode: icc and uart (57600bps), users can choose any of them; UART mode uses 7 bytes as a group, and the 3 data stared with 0x55 are the distance values; the 2 data started with 0x66 are the temperature value; the 2 data started with 0x77 are the illumination values. 0x55\0x66\0x77 are the data headers in order to distinguish the 3 data;

8, Supporting the following 2 detection methods: 1, continuous detection; 2, controlled intermittent detection;

9, Distance data format: using mm as the smallest data unit, double byte 16 hexadecimal transmission;

10, Temperature data format: using Celsius degree as the smallest unit, single byte hexadecimal transmission;

11, Light data format: single byte 16 hexadecimal transmission; the value is big when it is dark, small when it is bright;

12, Working temperature: $0^{\circ}C \sim +100^{\circ}C$

13, storage temperature: -40 to +120 degrees Celsius

14, Size: 48mm*39mm*22mm (H)

15, The size of fixing holes: $3*\Phi3mm$; Gap:10mm

3.2.4.3 Working Principle

1. Steering gear

The control signal enters the signal modulation chip by the receiver channel, gets the DC bias voltage. The steering gear has a reference circuit which generates a reference signal with a period of 20ms and a width of 1.5ms. Comparing the obtained DC bias voltage with the voltage of the potentiometer, and obtaining the output voltage difference. Finally, the positive and negative output voltage difference in the motor driver chip decide the positive and negative rotation of motor. When the speed of motor is certain, the cascade reducer gear will drive potentiometer to rotate so that the voltage difference is reducing to 0, the motor will stop rotating.

When the control circuit receives the control signal, the motor will rotate and drive a series of gear sets, the signal will move to the output steering wheel when the motor decelerates. The the output shaft of steering gear is connected with the position feedback potentiometer, the potentiometer will output a voltage signal to the control circuit board to feedback when the steering gear rotates, then the control circuit board decides the rotation direction and speed of the motor according to the position, so as to achieve the goal. The working process is as follows: control signal \rightarrow control circuit board \rightarrow motor rotation \rightarrow gear sets deceleration \rightarrow steering wheel rotation \rightarrow position feedback potentiometer \rightarrow control circuit board feedback.

The control signal is 20MS pulse width modulation (PWM), in which the pulse width varies linearly from 0.5-2.5MS, the corresponding steering wheel position varies from 0-180 degrees, which means the output shaft will maintain a corresponding certain degrees if providing the steering gear with certain pulse width. No matter how the external torque changes, it only changes position until a signal with different is provided as shown in Fig.3.2.27. The steering gear has an internal reference circuit which can produce reference signal with 20MS period and 1.5MS width, there is a comparator which can detect the magnitude and direction of the external signal and the reference signal, thereby produce the motor rotation signal.


Fig.3.2.27 Relationship between the Motor Output Angle and Input Pulse

2. The ultrasonic

The most commonly used method of ultrasonic distance measurement is echo detection method, the ultrasonic transmitter launches ultrasonic toward a direction and starting the time counter at the same time, the ultrasonic will reflect back immediately when encountering a blocking obstacle, and stopping the counter immediately as soon as the reflected ultrasonic is received by the receiver. The working sequence diagram is shown in Fig.3.2.28. The velocity of the ultrasonic in the air is 340m/s, we can calculate the distance between the transmitting position and the blocking obstacle according to the time t recorded by the time counters, that is: s=340*t/2.



Fig.3.2.28 the Ultrasonic Working Sequence

Let us analyze the working sequence, first the trigger signal starts the HC-RS04 distance measurement module, which means the MCU sends an at least 10us high level to trigger the HC-RS04, the signal sent inside of the module is responded automatically by the module, so we do not have to manage it, the output signal is what we need to pay attention to. The output high level of the signal is the transmitting and

receiving time interval of the ultrasonic, which can be recorded with the time counter, and don't forget to divided it with 2.

The ultrasonic is a sound wave which will be influenced by temperature. If the temperature changes little, it can be approximately considered that the ultrasonic velocity is almost unchanged in the transmission process. If the required accuracy of measurement is very high, the measurement results should be to corrected with the temperature compensation. Once the velocity is determined, the distance can be obtained. This is the basic principle of ultrasonic distance measurement module, which is shown in Fig.3.2.29:



Fig.3.2.29 the Principle of Ultrasonic Distance Measurement Module

The ultrasonic is mainly divided into two parts, one is the transmitting circuit and the other is the receiving circuit, as shown in Fig.3.2.30. The transmitting circuit is mainly composed of by the inverter 74LS04 and ultrasonic transducer T40, the first 40kHz square wave from the Arduino port is transmitted through the reverser to the one electrode on the ultrasonic transducer, the second wave is transmitted to the another electrode on ultrasonic transducer, this will enhance the ultrasonic emission intensity. The output end adopts two parallel inverters in order to improve the driving ability. the resistance R1 and R2 on the one hand can improve the drive ability of the 74LS04 outputting high level, on the other hand, it can increase the damping effect of the ultrasonic transducer and shorten the free oscillation time.

The receiving circuit is composed of the ultrasonic sensor, two-stage amplifier circuit and a PLL circuit. The reflected signal received by the ultrasonic sensor is very weak, which can be and amplified by the two-stage amplifier. PLL circuit will send the interrupt request to the microcontroller when receiving the signal with required frequency. The center frequency of internal VCO in the PLL LM567 is

 $f_0 = 1/(1.1R_P 1C2)$, the locking bandwidth is associated with C3. Because the transmitted ultrasonic frequency is 40kHz, the center frequency of the PLL is 40kHz, which only respond to the frequency of the signal, so that the interference of other frequency signals can be avoided.

The ultrasonic sensor will send the received the signal to the two stage amplifier, the amplified signal will be sent into the PLL for demodulation, if the frequency is 40kHz, then the 8 pin will send a low level



interrupt request signal to the microcontroller P3.3, the Arduino will stop the time counter when detecting low level.



Fig.3.2.30 Schematic Diagram of Ultrasonic Transmitting and Receiving

3.2.4.4 Experimental Procedures

1, Installing the steering gear, ultrasonic module to the car which has been completed in fourth step to the seventh step in 3.1.2) as shown in Fig.3.2.31.

2. Connecting the steering gear and ultrasonic module to the Arduino motherboard as shown in

Fig.3.2.32.(you can choose other IO ports according to your own ideas).





Fig.3.2.31 Installation Diagram of the Steering Gear and Ultrasonic Module



Fig.3.2.32 Wiring of the Steering Gear and Ultrasonic Module



3.2.4.5 Software Design

1. Diagram of the program

2. Introduction of the program

#include <Servo.h>/* In this section, we use the steering gear, so we need to call the steering gear library file. As for what is in the library file, we will not study it. Interested friends can drive for research. We have put this library files on the CD-ROM, we need to copy this folder to the Arduino IDE installation path "libraries" folder, otherwise the program can not compile. * / Servo head;

int E1 = 5; //PWMAint E2 = 6; //PWMB /* Define 4 motor control terminals, connected to IN1-IN4 on the motor drive board. * / const int TriqPin = 2;const int EchoPin = 3; /* Define the sensor's 2 control pins to connect to pins 2 and 3 on the Arduino. * / float da; float dl; float dr; / * Define three variables, used to store the servo at 0,90,180 degrees, the value collected by the ultrasonic module, da is the value collected by the ultrasonic 90 degrees servo, dl is the steering servo 180 degrees ultrasonic acquisition To the value, at this point the steering gear has turned to the left of the car. da for the servo 0 degrees ultrasonic collected value, then the steering gear has turned to the right side of the car. * /

void setup()

{

Serial.begin(9600); / * Set the baud rate to 9600, use "Serial Monitor" to check the
data during debugging * /

head.attach(13); / * Define the control pin of the servo as pin 13* /
pinMode(E2, OUTPUT);
pinMode(E1, OUTPUT);
pinMode(M1, OUTPUT);
pinMode(M2, OUTPUT);
pinMode(TrigPin, OUTPUT);
pinMode(EchoPin, INPUT); / * Define two ultrasonic working mode. * /



```
head.write(90); / * The servos swivel to 90 (center) during initialization, because
some servos may have errors, so they are not necessarily centered at 90 degrees, so be
fine-tuned where the servos are centered at 90 degrees. * /
delay(1000);
```

}

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void loop()
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```
analogWrite(TrigPin, 0); // Low high and low send a short pulse to TrigPin)
delayMicroseconds(2);
analogWrite(TrigPin, 255);
delayMicroseconds(10);
analogWrite(TrigPin, 0);
da = pulseIn(EchoPin, HIGH) / 58.0; // Convert the echo time to cm
```

if (da >= 50 && da <= 2000) / * Judge the collected value, da> = 50 && da <= 2000, meaning that when the distance between the current obstacle and the car is greater than or equal to 50, and less than or equal to 2000cm, execute the following program in {} * /

```
{
```

int val=150; / * When the straight line has a PWM value of 150, if the value is too high, the speed of the car will be very fast, which may lead to the car can not hit the obstacle in time when it encounters the obstacle. * / digitalWrite(M1,0);

analogWrite(E1, val); //the speed value of motorA is val

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digitalWrite(M2,0);
```

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analogWrite(E2, val); //the speed value of motorB is val
```

```
Serial.print("Distance = ");
```

Serial.print(da);

```
Serial.print(" ");
```

Serial.println("Moving advance 50");

delay(500); / * If the distance is more than 50cm, move forward and output "Moving advance 50", indicating that the obstacle is more than 50cm from the car

}

if (da <40 && da >30) / * Judge the collected value, da <50 && da> 30, meaning that when the distance between the frontal obstacle and the car is greater than 30, and less than 40cm, execute the following program in {} * /

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int val=130;



digitalWrite(M1,0); analogWrite(E1, val); //the speed value of motorA is val digitalWrite(M2,0); analogWrite(E2, val); //the speed value of motorB is val Serial.print("Distance = "); Serial.print(da); Serial.print(da); Serial.print(" "); Serial.println("Moving advance40"); delay(500); / * If the distance is more than 40cm, move forward and output "Moving advance 40", indicating that the obstacle is more than 40cm from the car

}

else if (da <= 20) / * The collected value is judged, da <= 20, meaning that when the current obstacle and the car is less than 20cm, execute the following program in {}, the distance between the car and the obstacle has exceeded the safety value, So the car stopped forward * /

ł

```
int val=0;
    digitalWrite(M1,0);
    analogWrite(E1, val); //the speed value of motorA is 0
    digitalWrite(M2,0);
    analogWrite(E2, val); //the speed value of motorB is 0
    Serial.print("Distance = ");
    Serial.print(da);
    Serial.print(" ");
    Serial.println("Stopped");// If the distance is less than 20cm, the car will stop
and output "Stopped"
    delay (500);
    head.write (180); / * Servo rotated 90 degrees from the original to 180 degrees, the
left side of the car * /
    delay(1000);
    analogWrite(TrigPin, 0); // Low high and low send a short pulse to TrigPin
    delayMicroseconds(2);
    analogWrite(TrigPin, 255);
    delayMicroseconds(10);
    analogWrite(TrigPin, 0);
    dl = pulseIn(EchoPin, HIGH) / 58.0; // Convert the echo time to cm
    Serial.print("Left distance = ");
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```
Serial.print(dl);
    Serial.print(" "); / * Ultrasonic acquisition of the left side of the car and
obstacles distance, and then assigned to dl, then print on the "Serial Monitor" * /
    head.write(0); / * Servo steering from the original 180 degrees to 0 degrees, the
right side of the car * /
    delay(1000);
    analogWrite (TrigPin, 0); // Low high and low send a short pulse to TrigPin
    delayMicroseconds(2);
    analogWrite(TrigPin, 255);
    delayMicroseconds(10);
    analogWrite(TrigPin, 0);
    dr = pulseIn(EchoPin, HIGH) / 58.0; // Convert the echo time to cm
    Serial.print("Right distance = ");
    Serial.print(dr);
    Serial.print(" ");
    Serial.println();/*Ultrasonic acquisition of the distance between the right side of
the car and the obstacle, and then assigned to dr, and then print the distance on the
"Serial Monitor" * /
    head.write(80);
                       // head steering back, that is, when the initialization 80
degrees position
    if (dl >= 20 && dl <= 1000 && dl > dr)
    £
     digitalWrite(M1,0);
     analogWrite(E1, 180); //the speed value of motorA is 180
     digitalWrite(M2,180); //the speed value of motorB is 180
     analogWrite(E2, 0);
     Serial.println("Turning left1");
                    // determine the left and right distance if the left is larger
     delay(200);
than the left
     }
    else if (dl >= 1000)
   Ł
     digitalWrite(M1,180); //the speed value of motorA is 180
     analogWrite(E1, 0);
     digitalWrite(M2,0);
     analogWrite(E2, 180); //the speed value of motorB is 180
     Serial.println("Turning right1");
     delay(200);
```



```
// Special case If the left return distance is greater than 1000, the probe is
blocked and turn right at this moment
     }
    else if (dr >= 20 && dr <= 1000 && dr > dl)
   Ł
     digitalWrite(M1,180); //the speed value of motorA is 180
     analogWrite(E1, 0);
     digitalWrite(M2,0);
     analogWrite(E2, 180); //the speed value of motorB is 180
     Serial.println("Turning right2");
     delay(200);
                 // Judge about the distance if the right side then turn right
   }
    else if (dr >= 1000)
  {
    digitalWrite(M1,0);
    analogWrite(E1, 180); //the speed value of motorA is 180
    digitalWrite(M2,180); //the speed value of motorB is 180
    analogWrite(E2, 0);
    Serial.println("Turning left2");
    delay(200);
    // Special case If the return distance on the right is more than 1000, then the
probe is blocked and turn left at this moment
   }
  else if (dr <= 20 && dl <= 20)
 ł
   digitalWrite(M1,255); //the speed value of motorA is 255
   analogWrite(E1, 0);
   digitalWrite(M2,0);
   analogWrite(E2, 255); //the speed value of motorB is 255
   Serial.println("Turning around");
   delay(700);
   // turn around if both sides are less than 20cm in distance
  }
 }
```

}

In front the sections, we focus on the "automatic driving", and they are obstacle avoidance experiments. We didn't seem to have relationship with the car, it is lack of fun. So in the next few sections, we will develop the car from other aspects to make sure that we are able to control the car personally, then we will



start from the "infrared remote control", followed by "2.4G handle remote control" and the last is "mobile phone Bluetooth control".

3.2.5 Infrared Remote Control

3.2.5.1 Suite Introduction

Infrared remote control is widely used in every field which is known to everyone, since it can control other electrical appliances, naturally it can control the Hummer-Bot car. Let us take a look at the infrared remote control first:

Infrared wireless remote control kit includes Mini ultra-thin infrared remote controller and 38KHz infrared receiving module, the remote controller has 17 function keys, the transmission distance is up to 8 meters which is very suitable for controlling equipment indoor. The infrared receiving module can receive 38KHz modulation remote control signal. Through the Arduino programming, the decoding operation of the remote control signal can be realized so as to produce all kinds of remote control robot and interactive works. The suite is shown in Fig.3.2.33.





Fig.3.2.33 Physical Map of Remote Control Suite

Infrared remotecontrol system is mainly divided into modulation, transmitting and receiving parts. The transmitting part is mainly composed of keyboard, remote control specific integrated circuit, exciter and infrared light emitting diode. The integrated circuit is the core part of the launch system which consists internal oscillation circuit, timing circuit, scanning signal generator, key input encoder, instruction decoder, user code converter, digital modulation circuit and buffer amplifier and so on. It can produce a key scanning pulse signal, translate the key code, then obtain remote control commands of the keys by telecommand

encoder (remote control encoding pulse). Through pulse amplitude modulation of the 38KHZ carrier signal, the infrared diode can transmit infrared remote control signal.

In the infrared receiver, photoelectric converter (usually a photodiode or photoelectric triode, here we use PIN photodiode) converts the received infrared light instruction signal into a corresponding electrical signal. The received signal is very weak and interference is particularly large, in order to achieve the accurate detection and signal conversion, in addition to the infrared photoelectric conversion device with high performance, choosing the reasonable circuit design with good performance is also required. The most common photoelectric conversion device is a photodiode. When the photosensitive surface of the PN junction is irradiated by light, the semiconductor material of PN junction absorbs light energy and converts the light energy into electric energy. When the reverse voltage is added to the photodiode, the reverse current in the diode will change with the change of the incident light intensity. The larger the radiation intensity is, the larger the reverse current will be, the reverse current of the photoelectric varies with the incident light pulse.

In the Hummer-Bot car, the integrated infrared receiving head has three pins, including the power supply pin, grounding and signal output pin. The circuit is shown in Fig.3.2.34. Ceramic capacitors is a decoupling capacitor which can filter the output signal interference. The 1 end is the output of the demodulation signal, which is directly connected to the number 2 port on the Arduino. When the infrared coded signal is transmitted, it will be processed by the infrared joint, then outputs the square wave signal, and directly supplied to the Arduino, and the corresponding operation is carried out to control the motor.



Fig.3.2.34 Circuit Diagram and Physical Map of Infrared Receiving Head

3.2.5.3 Working Principle

The remote control system in general composed of the remote controller (transmitter), and receiver, when you press any button on the remote control, it will generate the corresponding encoding pulse, and output various control pulse signals based on the infrared, infrared monitor diode sends the signal to the the amplifier and the pulse amplitude limiter, the limiter controls the pulse amplitude at a certain level, regardless of the distance of infrared transmitter and receiver. AC signal enters the band-pass filter which can pass the 30KHZ to the load wave 60KHZ, and enters the comparator through the demodulation circuit.



The comparator outputs high or low level and restores the output signal waveform. The system procedure diagram is shown in Fig.3.2.35.





Fig.3.2.35 Remote Control System Diagram

3.2.5.4 Experimental Procedures

1, Installing the infrared receiving head on the development board (if it has been installed in the the eighth step in "3.1.2", please ignore. The complete installation is shown in Fig.3.1.26.

2, Referring to Fig.3.2.36 and connecting the infrared receiving module to the Arduino board (you can choose other IO ports according to your own ideas)

Note: Do not reverse power line, otherwise the receiving head will burn up.



Fig.3.1.36 Infrared Module Connection Diagram



3, Copying the following program to IDE (you can also directly open the matching program in the CD), and downloading to the development board, pulled out the transparent plastic sheet marked as "1" in the Fig.3.2.33. Then opening the serial port monitor, observing and recording the values on it while pressing keys on the remote control towards the receiving head as shown in Fig.3.2.37.

```
#include <IRremote.h>
int RECV_PIN = 12; // Define the IR receiver pin to be 12
IRrecv irrecv(RECV_PIN);

decode_results results;
void setup()
{
    Serial.begin(9600);
    irrecv.enableIRIn(); // Initialize the infrared receiver
}
void loop() {
    if (irrecv.decode(&results))
{
      Serial.println(results.value, HEX); // Output the receive code in hexadecimal
      Serial.println(); // Receive the next value }
```

}

COM16 (Arduino Uno)
FFFFFFF
FF18E7
FFFFFFF
FF18E7
FFFFFFF
FF38C7

In Fig.3.2.37, we can see the two value "FFFFFFF" and "FF18E7", "FF18E7" is the code of a key on the remote control, "FFFFFFF" means that the code has been received, waiting to receive the next code.

3.2.5.5 Software Design

```
#include <IRremote.h>*/ In this section, we use infrared remote control, so we need to
call the corresponding library file, as for what is in the library file, we will not
study, and interested friends can drive research. We have put this library files on the
CD-ROM, we need to copy this folder to the Arduino IDE installation path "libraries"
folder, otherwise the program can not compile. * /
int E1 = 5; //PWMA
int E2 = 6; //PWMB
int RECV PIN = 12;
long expedite1 = 0xFF6897; / * Define a long integer expedite1 variable, and assign
this variable 0xFF689, FF689 is the infrared remote control button encoding * /
long expedite2 = 0xFFB04F;
long advence = 0xFF18E7;
long back = 0xFF4AB5;
long stop = 0 \times FF38C7;
long left = 0xFF10EF;
long right = 0 \times FF5AA5;
IRrecv irrecv(RECV_PIN);
decode results results;
void setup()
{
 Serial.begin(9600);
 irrecv.enableIRIn(); // Initialize the infrared receiver
}
void loop()
£
 if (irrecv.decode(&results)) / * Read the value received by the infrared * / {
   if (results.value == advence) / * Judgment on the received value, if this value is
```

```
advence, execute the following {} command, here is the forward instruction. * /
```

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```
int val=150;
     analogWrite (M1,0);
     analogWrite(E1, val); //the speed value of motorA is val
     analogWrite (M2,0);
     analogWrite(E2, val); //the speed value of motorB is val
     irrecv.resume(); // Receive the next value
   }
   if(results.value == expedite1) / * Judgment on the value received, if this value is
expedite1, execute the command in {} below, here is the acceleration 1 command. * /
        {
      int val=200;
      analogWrite (M1,0);
     analogWrite(E1, val);//the speed value of motorA is val
      analogWrite (M2,0);
      analogWrite(E2, val); //the speed value of motorB is val
     irrecv.resume();
    }
   if (results.value == expedite2) / * Judgment on the received value, if the value is
expedite2, execute the command {} below, here for the acceleration 2 command. * /
        Ł
      int val=255;
      analogWrite (M1,0);
      analogWrite(E1, val); //the speed value of motorA is val
     analogWrite (M2,0);
      analogWrite(E2, val); //the speed value of motorB is val
     irrecv.resume();
    3
    if (results.value == stop) / * To judge the value received, if this value is stop,
execute the command in the following {}, here is the stop instruction. * /
    Ł
      int val=0;
     analogWrite (M1,0);
      analogWrite(E1, val); //the speed value of motorA is val
      analogWrite (M2,0);
      analogWrite(E2, val);//the speed value of motorB is val
     delay(500);
     irrecv.resume();
    }
```

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```
if (results.value == left) / * Judgment on the received value, if the value is left,
execute the command in the following {}, here is the instruction to the left. * /
   £
     int val=150;
     analogWrite (M1,0);
     analogWrite(E1, val); //the speed value of motorA is val
     analogWrite (E2,0);
     analogWrite(M2, val); //the speed value of motorB is val
     delay(500); / * Rotate 500ms to the left and stop, otherwise the car will always
be spinning around. * /
     analogWrite (M1,0);
     analogWrite(E1, 0); //the speed value of motorA is 0
     analogWrite (M2,0);
     analogWrite(E2, 0); //the speed value of motorB is 0
     analogWrite(A1,180);
     irrecv.resume();
   }
   if (results.value == right) / * Judgment on the received value, if the value is
right, execute the command in the following {}, here is the command to the right. * /
       £
     int val=150;
     analogWrite (E1,0);
     analogWrite(M1, val); //the speed value of motorA is val
     analogWrite (M2,0);
     analogWrite(E2, val); //the speed value of motorA is val
     delay(500);
     analogWrite (M1,0);
     analogWrite(E1, 0); //the speed value of motorA is 0
     analogWrite (M2,0);
     analogWrite(E2, 0); //the speed value of motorB is 0
     analogWrite(A2,180);
     irrecv.resume();
   }
  if (results.value == back) / * Judgment on the received value, if the value is back,
execute the command {} below, here for the back instruction. * /
```

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int val=150; analogWrite (E1,0);



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analogWrite(M1, val); //the speed value of motorA is val
analogWrite(E2,0);
analogWrite(M2, val); //the speed value of motorA is val
irrecv.resume(); // 接收下一个值
}
Serial.println(results.value, HEX); // Output the receive code in hexadecimal
Serial.println();// Add a blank line for easy viewing of the output
irrecv.resume();
}
```

```
}
```

The above is the infrared remote reference program, you can open it in the CD and download to the development board, the instructions of remote control in shown in Fig.3.2.38.



Fig.3.2.38. Infrared Remote Control Instructions

3.2.6 PS2 Handle (Optional)

3.2.6.1 Suite Introduction

PS2 handle is SONY game remote control handle, SONY series game host is very popular in the world. Someone has come up with the idea of the PS2 handle, cracked the communication protocol, so that the handle can be connected to other devices for remote control, such as remote control of our familiar four wheeled vehicles and robots. Its outstanding features are cost-effective,rich buttons and easy to extend to other applications, Fig.3.2.39 shows a commonly used PS2 wireless handle.





Fig.3.2.39 PS2 Wireless Handle

The PS2 handle is composed of the handle and the receiver, the handle uses two AAA batteries as power supply. The controller and receiver use the same power supply whose voltage range is 3~5V, overvoltage, reverse connection will cause the receiver to burn out. There is a power switch on the handle, ON /OFF, when you switch it to ON, the light on handle will not stop flashing until the receiver is searched. In a certain period of time, if the receiver can not be find, the handle will enter the standby mode and the light will burn out, you can press "START" button to wake up the handle.

The receiver is powered by the Arduino as shown in Fig.3.2.40, in the absence of pairing, the green light flashes. When the handle switch is opened, the handle and receiver will pair automatically, and the light will be always on, and the handle is matched successfully. Button "MODE" (The above logo may be "ANALOG" in different handles, but it will not affect the usefulness), you can choose "red light mode" or "green light mode".

Some users see that the handle and receiver cannot match properly! Most of the problems are the incorrect wiring of the receiver and the program problems.

Solution: The receiver should only be connected with power supply(power line must be connected correctly), not any data lines and clock lines. The handle light will be always on when pairing is successful. Then checking whether the wiring and program transplantation are correct again.





Fig.3.2.40 Remote Control Receiver Module

There are 9 interfaces at the end of the receiving head, each of which is shown in the following table:

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
DI/DAT	DO/CMD	NC	GND	VDD	CS/SEL	CLK	NC	АСК

Note: The appearance of the receiver will be different due to different batches, some with a power light, some without, but the use and definition of the pins are the same.

DI/DAT: The signal flows from the handle to the host. This signal is a serial 8-bit data which is transmitted synchronously to the falling edge of the clock. The read of the signal is completed in the process of clock changing from high to low;

DO/CMD: The signal flows from the host to the handle. The signal is similar to the DI, a serial 8-bit data, which is transmitted synchronously to the falling edge of the clock;

NC: Empty port; .

GND: Ground;

VDD: The 3~5V power supply;

CS/SEL: Providing trigger signals for handles, the level is low during communication;

CLK: The clock signal is sent by the host to maintain data synchronization;

NC: Empty port;

ACK: the response signal from the handle to the host. This signal changes to low in the last cycle of each 8bit data sending, and the CS remains low. If the CS signal do not remain low, the PS host will try another device in about 60 microseconds. The ACK port is not used in programming.

3.2.6.4 Experimental Procedures

1, The wires are connected to the 1, 2, 4, 5, 6 and 7 pins of the receiving head respectively as shown in Fig.3.2.41.



Fig.3.2.41 Wiring of the Receiver Head

2, Fixing the receiving head on the car with cable tie (the red frame area in Fig.3.2.42) as shown in Fig.2.3.43.





Fig.3.2.42 Receiving Head Position



Fig.2.3.43 Installation of Receiving Head



3, Drawing the wire according to the hole at "1" in Fig.3.2.44, the connecting the wire to the Aruino extended board with reference to Fig.2.3.45 as shown in Fig.2.3.44.



Fig.3.2.44 Physical Map of Wiring



Fig.2.3.45 Diagram of Wiring between Arduino and Receiver Head



4, Opening the "remote control testing program" in the CD, and copying the library folder (PS2X_lib) to the "libraries" folder in the Arduino IDE installation path, as shown in Fig.2.4.14, otherwise the compiler cannot pass. In addition, downloading the program to the Arduino development board, opening the PS2 remote control, if the receiving head and remote control has been connected (or pairing successfully), the receiver head indicator will always be on, otherwise the LED lights will flash constantly. Finally, we open the serial port monitor, press any button on the remote controller, and we can see the corresponding data on the serial port monitor, such as shown Fig.3.2.45.

💿 COM16 (Arduino Uno)

Up held this hard: 76
Up held this hard: 146
Up held this hard: 95
Square just released
DOWN held this hard: 187
DOWN held this hard: 201
DOWN held this hard: 37
X just changed
X just changed
LEFT held this hard: 170
LEFT held this hard: 255
LEFT held this hard: 205
Circle just pressed
Triangle pressed
Up held this hard: 113
Triangle pressed
Up held this hard: 106
LEFT held this hard: 148
Square just released
LEFT held this hard: 226
LEFT held this hard: 177
Circle just pressed

💿 COM16 (Arduino Uno)

```
Stick Values:127,128,127,128
Stick Values: 127, 128, 127, 128
Stick Values:127,128,127,128
Right held this hard: 98
Right held this hard: 6
DOWN held this hard: 60
Circle just pressed
Up held this hard: 127
Up held this hard: 157
Up held this hard: 153
Up held this hard: 181
Up held this hard: 178
Up held this hard: 143
X just changed
X just changed
Right held this hard: 171
Right held this hard: 205
LEFT held this hard: 67
LEFT held this hard: 137
LEFT held this hard: 128
L2 pressed
R2 pressed
```

Fig.3.2.45	Data Dis	play in	Serial	Port	Monitor

3.2.6.5 Software Design



```
int vb;
int KK;
void setup()
£
 Serial.begin(9600);
 error = ps2x.config_gamepad(11,7,8,4, true, true);
/ * Set the receiving port on the Arduino * /
3
void loop()
{
 ps2x.read gamepad(false, vibrate); / * Read the signal received by the receiver * /
 if (ps2x.Button (PSB L3)) / * If the received signal is PSB L3, execute the command in
{}, ie stop, "PSB L3" is the code returned when the button on the PS2 handle is
pressed, and through the "fourth step in the experimental step" we can get All key
coding * /
 {
  int val=0
            :
  analogWrite (M1,0);
  analogWrite(E1, val); //the speed value of motorA is val
  analogWrite (M2,0);
  analogWrite(E2, val); //the speed value of motorA is val
 }
 if (ps2x.Button (PSB PAD UP)) / * If the received signal is PSB PAD UP, execute the
command in {}, ie forward, "PSB PAD UP" is the code returned when the button on the PS2
handle is pressed, and through the "fourth step in the experimental step" we can obtain
All key coding * /
 {
 int val=180 ;
 analogWrite (M1,0);
 analogWrite(E1, val); //the speed value of motorA is val
 analogWrite (M2,0);
 analogWrite(E2, val); //the speed value of motorA is val
  }
```

if(ps2x.Button(PSB_R2)||(ps2x.Button(PSB_PAD_RIGHT)))

/ * If the received signal is PSB_R2 or PSB_PAD_RIGHT, execute the command in {}, ie, turn right. The reason why two codes are used here is because we have set two buttons on the PS2 handle for turning right, Just press one of them to complete the right turn "PSB R2 and PSB PAD RIGHT" is the code that is returned when the button on the PS2



```
handle is pressed. Through the "fourth step in the experimental step" we can get the
code of all the buttons * /
 {
 int val=200;
 analogWrite (E1,0);
 analogWrite(M1, val); //the speed value of motorA is val
 analogWrite (M2,0);
 analogWrite(E2, val); //the speed value of motorA is val
 delay(200); analogWrite (M1,0);
 analogWrite(E1, 0);
 analogWrite (M2,0);
 analogWrite(E2, 0);
 }
 if (ps2x.Button (PSB L2) || (ps2x.Button (PSB PAD LEFT)))
 / * If the received signal is PSB_L2 or PSB_PAD_LEFT, execute the command in {}, ie
turn left. The reason why two codes are used here is because we have set two keys on
the PS2 handle for turning left, Just press one of them to complete the turn left * /
 £
   int val=200;
   analogWrite (M1,0);
   analogWrite(E1, val); //the speed value of motorA is val
   analogWrite (E2,0);
   analogWrite(M2, val); //the speed value of motorA is val
   delay(200); analogWrite (M1,0);
   analogWrite(E1, 0);
   analogWrite (M2,0);
   analogWrite(E2, 0);
}
 if (ps2x.Button (PSB PAD DOWN)) / * If the received signal is PSB PAD DOWN, execute the
command in {} to stop. * /
 Ł
   int val=180;
   analogWrite (E1,0);
   analogWrite(M1, val); //the speed value of motorA is val
   analogWrite (E2,0);
   analogWrite(M2, val); //the speed value of motorA is val
   }
```



if(ps2x.Button(PSB_L1)) / * If the received signal is PSB_L1, execute the command in
{}. * /

{

vb = ps2x.Analog(PSS_LY); / * Read the value of PSS_LY, that is, the joystick value, and assign this value to the variable vb. The joystick range is 0-255. When you press L1, you can toggle the joystick to generate the corresponding value. If L1 is not pressed, dial rocker will not produce the corresponding value. Because PWM is also 0-255, so we directly convert the value generated by the joystick into PWM, so as to control the motor speed. Experimental results are: Press the L1, dial the left rocker, the car can be accelerated or slowed down in the process of progress. * / analogWrite (M1,0);

analogWrite(E1, vb); //the speed value of motorA is vb
analogWrite (M2,0);

analogWrite(E2, vb); //the speed value of motorB is vb

}

if(ps2x.Button(PSB_R1)) / * If the received signal is PSB_R1, execute the command in
{}. * /

ł

KK = ps2x.Analog(PSS_RY); / * Read the value of PSS_RY, ie the joystick value, and assign this value to the variable kk. The joystick range is 0-255. When you press R1, you can toggle the joystick to generate the corresponding value. If R1 is not pressed, dial rocker will not produce the corresponding value. Because PWM is also 0-255, so we directly convert the value generated by the joystick into PWM, so as to control the motor speed. The experimental result is: press R1, dial the right joystick, the car can be accelerated or decelerated in the process of receding. * /

analogWrite(M1,KK); //the speed value of motorA is kk

```
analogWrite(E1, 0);
```

analogWrite(M2,KK); //the speed value of motorA is kk
analogWrite(E2,0);

}

```
delay(50);
```

}

In the above program, we used a lot of buttons, but they are all showed in code form and no details to any keys. Now we will know about these buttons, if you download the above program directly to the development board, you can control the car with PS2 handle in accordance with the instructions below as shown in Fig.3.2.46. Of course, we encourage users to write programs, set keys according to their own ideas, so the development of the car will be very meaningful.





Fig.3.2.46 Functions of PS2 Handle Buttons

- PS2 handle description:
- Mark 1: turn left
- Mark 2: turn right
- Mark 3: right joystick (Mark 5) control key. When the R1 is pressed, the right joystick will work.
- Mark 4: left joystick (Mark 6) control key. When L1 is pressed, the left joystick will work.
- Mark 5: right joystick
- Mark 6: left joystick
- Mark 7: move forward
- Mark 8: move backward

Mark 9: power switch (if you do not use the handle, the power switch should be turned off as soon as possible to prevent the handle from sleep state)



3.2.7 Mobile Phone Bluetooth Control

3.2.7.1 Suite Introduction

Bluetooth is a wireless technology standard that enables short distance data exchange between fixed devices, mobile devices and building personal domain networks (using 2.4~2.485GHz ISM band UHF radio waves). Bluetooth technology was originally created by Ericsson in 1994 as an alternative to the RS232 data cable. It is the best choice of wireless transmission which has been applied to all walks of life now. Bluetooth module is mainly to realize the data transmission between host computer and slave computer, there are two kinds of communication methods, one is parallel communication, the other is serial communication.

Transmitting the data of each unit simultaneously is called parallel communication. Parallel communication of Arduino relies on parallel I/O. The biggest advantage of parallel communication is the fast speed of information transmission. The disadvantage is that every bit of the unit information needs a signal line. Therefore, parallel communication wastes materials.

Transmitting the data of each unit bit by bit is called serial communication. Serial communication can be realized by serial connection port. The outstanding advantage of serial communication is that only one pair of transmission lines is needed to transmit information. The disadvantage is that it is slower than parallel communication.

The design of the data transmission in this section is only for command transmission, the data volume is not large, so we will use serial communication to realize the wireless communication between host computer and slave computer, namely MCU serial communication.

Bluetooth module is the most important part of mobile phone Bluetooth control, it has the function of receiving remote control commands. The selection of Bluetooth module should be based on the design scheme, there are several hard demands in material selection: the reaction should be sensitive, easy to use, cost-effective, reliable communication. Through the online information, it is found that HC-05 Bluetooth module is more suitable for the design requirements, the purchase is also convenient and the effective distance is wide.

HC-05 Bluetooth wireless communication module has two working modes, one is command response mode, and the other is automatic connection mode. In the command response mode, the user sends the AT work instruction to the module to set the control parameters of the module and give the control instructions. In the automatic connection mode, the module has three working modes, namely the host(Master), the slave (Slave) and the loop (Loopback) mode. When the work mode is selected, the module will transmit data automatically according to the setting mode. The working state of the module can be dynamically converted by adjusting the input level of the external pin of the module. The physical diagram of module is shown in Fig.3.2.47.





Fig.3.2.47 HC-05 Module

3.2.7.2 Bluetooth protocol

Using Bluetooth to control the car means we use the Android app to control the Bluetooth sending instructions to the Arduino serial port, so as to control the motor's forwarding, reversing, speed and so on. Since the wireless communication is involved, one of the essential issues is the communication problem between the two terminals. But there is no common "language" between them, so designing communication protocols are required to ensure a perfect interaction between Android and Arduino. The main process is: the Android identification terminal packs the detected commands into the corresponding data packets, and then sends them to the Bluetooth module (HC-05). When HC-05 receives the packets, it will transmit them to Arduino through the serial port, then Arduino to analyze the data packets and execute the corresponding actions. The data format sent by the upper computer end (Android) is as follows, which mainly contains 6 fields, we use a structure to represent it

	Start_code	Length	Туре	Data	Checksum	Tail		
typedef st	typedef struct							
£								
unsigned		_code ;	// 8bit	0xAA				
unsigned	char type;							
unsigne	d char addr;							
unsigne	d short int	function	; // 16 k	pit				
unsigned	char *data;	;	// n bit					
unsigned	short int s	sum;	// checl	k sum				
unsigned	<pre>char end_cc</pre>	ode;	// 8bit	0x55				
}ST_prot	ocol;							

The start_code is the beginning part of the packet, for example, the unification is designated as 0xAA.

The type represents the type of the slave device.

The addr is the address of the controlling device.

The function means the functional types of device which need to control, we are currently supporting the following functional types



```
typedef enum
{
    E_BATTERY = 1,
    E_LED = 2,
    E_BUZZER = 3,
    E_INFO = 4,
    E_ROBOT_CONTROL = 5,
    E_ROBOT_CONTROL_SPEED = 6,
    E_TEMPERATURE = 7,
    E_IR_TRACKING = 8,
    E_ULTRASONIC = 9,
    E_VERSION = 10,
    E_UPGRADE = 11,
}E CONTOROL FUNC ;
```

The data means the specific control value of a car, such as speed, angle.

The checksum is the xor result of each data bit.

The tail is the end part of the packet. When receiving this data, it means that the packet has been sent, the next packet is ready to be received. We uniformly designate it as 0x55. For example, a complete packet can be such as "AA 01 01 <u>06 50 00 58</u> 55", in which:

"06" is the "device type", such as motor, LED, buzzer and so on. The 06 here refers to the transmission speed, and the 05 refers to the transmission direction.

"50 (or 0050)" is the controlling data, 0x50 in hexadecimal is 80 when converted to binary, which means the speed value is 80. If the data is 05, it means the controlling direction, that is 80 degrees (forward).

"0058" is the check sum, that is, 0x01+0x01+0x06+0x50=0x58.

"55" is the tail of the protocol, indicating the end of data transmission.



Fig.3.2.48 the Interface of Android APP

In the above Figure.3.2.48:

The "A, B" sections are the acceleration and deceleration buttons.

The "C" section includes the dashboard and the digital display area, and the two parts displaying

synchronously. They represents the current speed.

The "D" section is a gravity remote sensing switch which can be switched to the gravity remote sensing mode.

The "E" section represents the Bluetooth name that is currently connected.

The "F" section indicates Bluetooth connection state. If the Bluetooth is not connected, the "disconnected" is displayed here.

The "G" section is a manual rocker, and sliding it allows the car to rotate.

The "I" section is a data return area, such as the current state, speed of the car, etc. The "H" section is the data packet, for example, the data is "AA 01 01 06 23 00 2B 55". At this time, the speed is 35 (23 is 16 hexadecimal data, which means 35 when converted to 10 hexadecimal).

If the transmitted data is "AA 01 01 05 00 5B 00 62 55", it means that the car is moving forward (05 is the direction control instruction, and the 005B means 91 when converted to binary number. By the Figure.3.2.48 we can know that 91 degree means the car is moving forward).

3.2.7.3 Experimental Procedures

Connect the Bluetooth module of the wire to "1" marked in Fig.3.2.50 Connection mode: HC-05 VCC port on Bluetooth module is connected to Arduino 3.6V~6V DC power anode, GND port is connected to the

cathode of the DC power, the RXD port is connected to the TXD port on Arduino extended board, TXD port is connected to RXD port on the board, as shown in Fig.3.2.51.

Note: Since Arduino UNO has only one serial port, the Bluetooth must be disconnected from the serial port when downloading the program, otherwise the download will fail.



Fig.3.2.50 Wiring Positions of Bluetooth





Fig.3.2.51 Installation of Bluetooth Module

3, Opening the mobile phone Bluetooth to find the Bluetooth name and connect (default Bluetooth name is HC-05, password is 1234). When the connection is successful, opening the APP (there is a software for Android mobile phone in the CD, latter we will launch the IOS version) and selecting Bluetooth name in APP and connecting as shown in Fig.3.2.52. You will see that the flashing of the Bluetooth module indicator slows down, if you have downloaded the program to the development board before, you can use the phone to control the car directly, as shown in Fig.3.2.53.



Fig.3.2.52 Connection of Mobile Phone APP



Fig.3.2.53. Diagram of APP Control

In Fig.3.2.53, we can see the logo "1" and "2". When the Bluetooth connection is successful, sliding green dot marked as "1" in any direction, the car will move towards the corresponding direction. Switching on the gravity sensor marked in "2", the APP is switched to the gravity induction mode, and you can control the movement direction of the car by shaking the mobile phone.



Software Design

```
#include "protocol.h"
#include "hummerbot.h"
#include "process.h"
int E1 = 5; //PWMA
int M1 = 9; //DIRA --- left
int E2 = 6; //PWMB
int M2 = 10; //DIRB --- right
byte readbuff[32] = {};
int readlen = 0;
ST_protocol recv;
hummerbot hbot(E1,M1,E2,M2,13,A0);
void setup()
{
   Serial.begin(9600);
   hbot.init();
}
void read_data(void)
{
 unsigned char avilable;
 byte *p = readbuff ;
 memset (p, 0, 32);
 readlen = 0;
 while (Serial.available()>0)
   {
      if(!avilable && Serial.peek()==START_CODE)
       {
          avilable = 1;
       }
       if (avilable)
       {
if ((*p = Serial.read()) == END CODE)
          {
            avilable =0;
```



```
readlen++;
            //Serial.print(*p,HEX);
             break;
          }
       // Serial.print(*p,HEX);
          p++;
          readlen++;
       }
   }
// Serial.print("\n");
}
void loop()
{
    read_data();
    if (!protocol_prase(readbuff,readlen,&recv))
{
   switch(recv.function)
   {
       case E_BATTERY:
          break ;
       case E_LED:
          break;
       case E_INFO:
           break;
       case E_ROBOT_CONTROL:
       hbot.drive(protocol_prase_degree(&recv));
           break;
       case E ROBOT CONTROL SPEED:
       hbot.setSpeed(protocol_prase_speed(&recv));
           break ;
       case E_VERSION:
          break;
   }
   }
   }
```