

# I2C Interfacing through RaspberryPi and Arduino

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### 1 SINGLE SLAVE

#### 1.1 Configuring Arduino as slave

**Problem 1.1.** Run the following program on the RaspberryPi using Arduino software. This will configure the Arduino as a slave.

```
#include <Wire.h> //library for
    accessing I2C bus.
#define SLAVE_ADDRESS 0x04 //
    assigning the slave address.

int r=0;
void setup() {
    Serial.begin(9600);
    Wire.begin(SLAVE_ADDRESS); //
        starting the I2C
        communication.
    Wire.onRequest(sendData); //
        sending data to the Master.
    Serial.println("Ready!");
}
void loop() {
    delay(100);
```

```
}
void sendData() {
    r=analogRead(2); //port at
        which resistance is
        connected.
    Wire.write(r/5); //scaling the
        value by 5 since analog
        value generated by Arduino
        is in the range of 0 to 1023
        and the library can handle
        only upto 255.
}
```

#### 1.2 On RaspberryPi

The following commands are for RaspberryPi. The process for running it on other Linux distributions is similar.

```
#Remove I2C from blacklist by editing the
    following file:
sudo nano /etc/modprobe.d/raspi-blacklist.conf
#After editing it should look like this:
blacklist spi-bcm2708
#blacklist i2c-bcm2708
#edit the following file:
sudo nano /etc/modules
#Add the following line at the end of the file:
i2c-dev
#Install I2C tools:
sudo apt-get install i2c-tools
#Allow Pi user to access I2C devices
sudo adduser pi i2c
#Enable I2C in config
sudo nano /etc/config.txt
dtparam=i2c1=on
#Save and Exit
#Reboot the RaspberryPi
#For checking if the slave is connected
sudo i2cdetect -y 1
```

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The last command above will display the Arduino address as 0x04 on the terminal screen.

### 1.3 Connecting RaspberryPi to Arduino

**Problem 1.2.** Connect the pins as in Table 1 and Fig. 1.2

RaspberryPi	Arduino
GND	GND
3	A4
5	A5

TABLE 1

Pin#	NAME		NAME	Pin#
01	3.3v DC Power		DC Power 5v	02
03	GPIO02 (SDA1, I2C)		DC Power 5v	04
05	GPIO03 (SCL1, I2C)		Ground	06
07	GPIO04 (GPIO_GCLK)		(TXD0) GPIO14	08
09	Ground		(RXD0) GPIO15	10
11	GPIO17 (GPIO_GEN0)		(GPIO_GEN1) GPIO18	12
13	GPIO27 (GPIO_GEN2)		Ground	14
15	GPIO22 (GPIO_GEN3)		(GPIO_GEN4) GPIO23	16
17	3.3v DC Power		(GPIO_GEN5) GPIO24	18
19	GPIO10 (SPI_MOSI)		Ground	20
21	GPIO09 (SPI_MISO)		(GPIO_GEN6) GPIO25	22
23	GPIO11 (SPI_CLK)		(SPI_CE0_N) GPIO08	24
25	Ground		(SPI_CE1_N) GPIO07	26
27	ID_SD (I2C ID EEPROM)		(I2C ID EEPROM) ID_SC	28
29	GPIO05		Ground	30
31	GPIO06		GPIO12	32
33	GPIO13		Ground	34
35	GPIO19		GPIO16	36
37	GPIO26		GPIO20	38
39	Ground		GPIO21	40

Fig. 1.2

### 1.4 Hardware Setup

**Problem 1.3.** Connect resistance to be measured and the known resistance value as per the following circuit diagram on a breadboard.

**Problem 1.4.** Connect one extreme end of breadboard to the 5V of Arduino and another extreme end to the GND of Arduino.

**Problem 1.5.** Connect +ve pin of  $V_{cc}$  from the resistance circuit setup on the breadboard to 5V on the breadboard and -ve pin of  $V_{cc}$  to GND on the breadboard.

**Problem 1.6.** Connect the +ve pin of  $V_{out}$  from the resistance circuit setup on the breadboard to

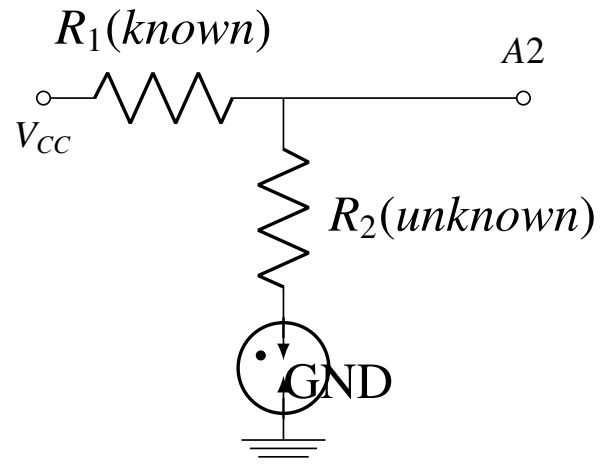


Fig. 1.3

A2 of Arduino and -ve pin of  $V_{out}$  to GND on the breadboard.

### 1.5 RaspberryPi as Master

**Problem 1.7.** Run the following code on RaspberryPi.

```
import smbus
import time
#(1) denotes the I2C port being used.
bus = smbus.SMBus(1)
vi=5;
b=0;
r1=1000;
# These are the Arduino addresses.
address1 = 0x04

def readNumber(address):#Passing the address
as a parameter to the the read function .
number = (bus.read_byte(address)) #Reading
from the slave .
return number

while True:
time.sleep(1)
n=(readNumber(address1)*5)
vo=(n*vi)/1024.0;
b=(vi/vo)-1;
r2=r1/b;
print ('The resistance value measured is
:', r2)
```

## 2 MULTIPLE SLAVES

**Problem 2.1.** Configure another Arduino as a slave with address 0x05. Use problem 1.1.

**Problem 2.2.** Connect one more Arduino to the RaspberryPi using a breadboard according to Table 1. You will have to make multiple connections using the breadboard.

**Problem 2.3.** Make a similar resistance circuit setup using the circuit diagram of 1.3 and instructions in 1.4: Hardware Setup.

**Problem 2.4.** Run the following command to check if both arduinos are detected.

```
sudo i2cdetect -y 1
```

**Problem 2.5.** Modify the code in problem 1.7 to verify if the i2c connection with the second arduino is active.

**Problem 2.6.** Run the following program to poll from both arduinos on the i2c bus.

```
import smbus
import time
#(1) denotes the I2C port being used.
bus = smbus.SMBus(1)
vi=5;
b=0;
r1=1000;
# These are the Arduino addresses.
address1 = 0x04
address2 = 0x05

def readNumber(address):#passing the address
    as a parameter to the the read function .
    number = (bus.read_byte(address)) #
        Reading from the slave .
    return number

while True:
    time.sleep(1)

    n=(readNumber(address1)*5)
    vo=(n*vi)/1024.0;
    b=(vi/vo)-1;
    r2=r1/b;
    print ('The resistance value measured_1 is
        :', r2)

    n=(readNumber(address2)*5)
```

```
vo=(n*vi)/1024.0;
b=(vi/vo)-1;
r2=r1/b;
print ('The resistance value measured_2 is
    :', r2)
```