Raspberry Pi Smoke Detector



Jordan Ehrman Senior Design Project

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Problem Topic

- Standard smoke detectors work only if you hear them. If the homeowner is not home, they will not notify them.
- If there is a fire and no one is home, the fire will continue to burn until it is seen from the outside of the house by someone.
- This typically means that the fire would likely go from being a room and contents fire, to a fully evolved structure fire.

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Problem Topic

- It is my goal to design and create a system that would warn a homeowner of a smoke detector trip by email in case the resident isn't home.
- When smoke is detected, the system will use a standard smoke detector to sound an audible alarm for people in the structure but will also send a MMS message to pre specified numbers.

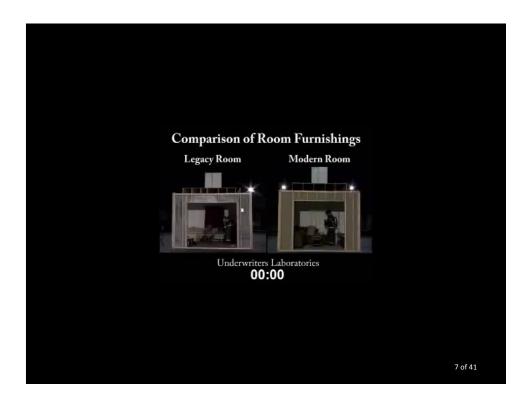
Background

- As a firefighter, I know how much more devastating it is for the family if the fire is a fully involved house fire as opposed to a room and contents fire.
- Training has taught me that early detection is key.

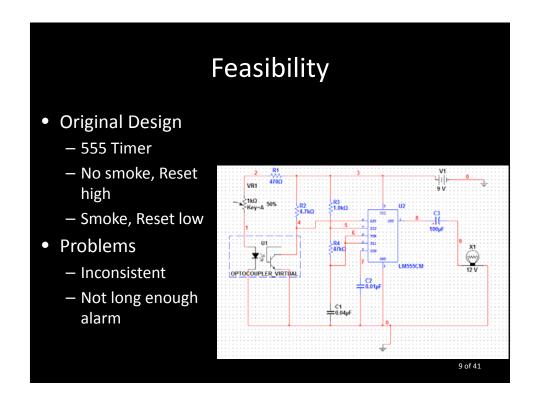
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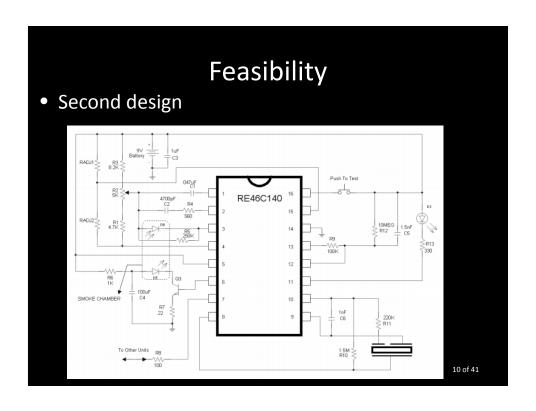
Background

 Most of the materials we use today for making furniture and carpet and other products are mostly synthetic with means that they burn hotter and faster than ever before. The video that follows is a clip from UL about how fast and how h



| Criteria | | | | | | | | | | |
|----------|----------------------|--|--------------------------|----------------|---------------------|--|--|--|--|--|
| | | Requirement Data | | Verification P | lanning | | | | | |
| ID 🔻 | Requirement Type | Requirement (Shall or Should statements) | Verification Method ▼ | Date Verific | Verification Report | | | | | |
| 1 | Operational | The system shall detect smoke | Demonstration | 30-Mar-15 | Pass | | | | | |
| 2 | Operational | The system shall provide an audible alarm | Demonstration | 30-Mar-15 | Pass | | | | | |
| 3 | Operational | The system shall send an emal to designated addresses upon detecting smoke | Demonstration | 10-Mar-15 | Pass | | | | | |
| 4 | Functional | The system shall detect smoke with ionization sensors | Analysis | 30-Mar-15 | Pass | | | | | |
| 5 | Functional | The system shall use Raspberry Pi to send email | Test | 10-Mar-15 | Pass | | | | | |
| 6 | Performance | The system shall send email within 25 seconds of audible alarm sounding | Test | 15-Apr-15 | Pass | | | | | |
| 7 | Performance | The system shall sound audible alarm within 15 seconds of smoke in chamber | Test | 15-Apr-15 | Pass | | | | | |
| | | | Inspection | 15-Apr-15 | Pass | | | | | |
| 8 | Physical | The system shall be smaller than 6" by 6" by 4" | | | | | | | | |
| 8 | Physical Physical | The system shall be smaller than 6" by 6" by 4" The system shall take less storage than 32GB | Analysis | 10-Mar-15 | Pass | | | | | |
| | | · · · | | | Pass Pass | | | | | |





Feasibility

- Problems
 - Photoelectric sensor not seeing objects
 - Alarm opposite
 - Could switch Pi input but would not be able to easily change Smoke detector
 - Would not meet UL standards

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Feasibility

- Change to commercial (store bought smoke detector) and use the signal that comes off of that.
- Benefits
 - Easily be added to a home interconnect system already in place
 - Meets standards

Legal

- High legal standards
- UL Standard 217
- No standard about tapping into residential interconnect
- Smoke alarms are only required to be stand alone devices
- NFPA has standards too but they are more for where the smoke alarm should be located in the home, not how they are supposed to operate.
- Correct standards meet since I am using a store bought smoke detector

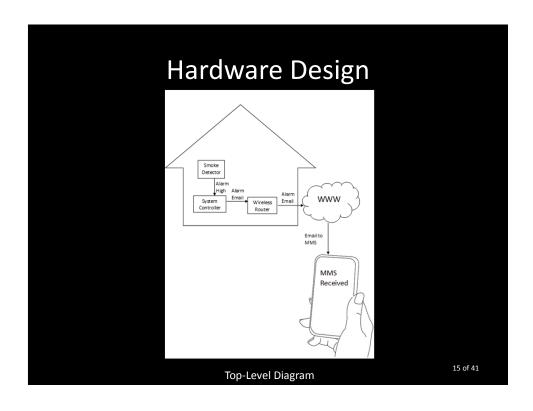
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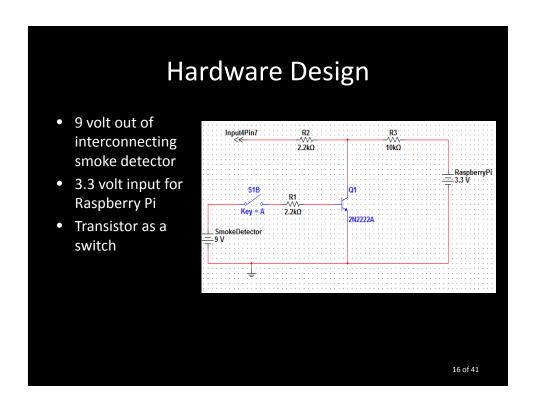
Scope

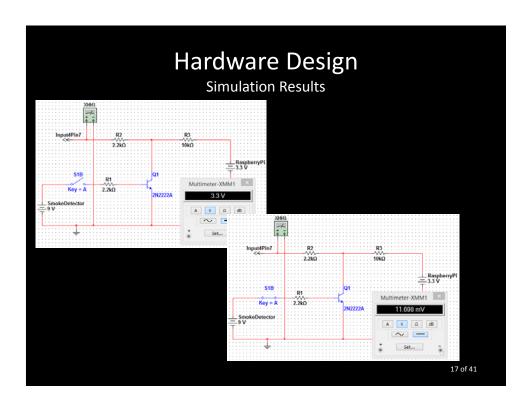
- Smoke Detector
 - Purchase Commercial Detector
 Test Detector output
- Signal Switcher and Input Regulator

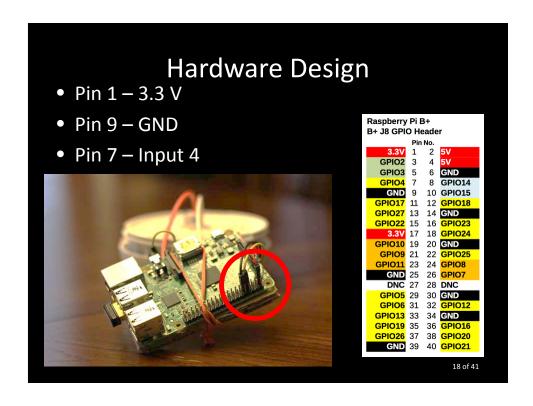
 - Design in Multisim
 Test in Multisim
 Test with Breadboard
 - Buy componentsLayout Board
 - Assemble BoardTest
- Raspberry Pi
 - Buy Raspberry PiSet up Raspberry Pi

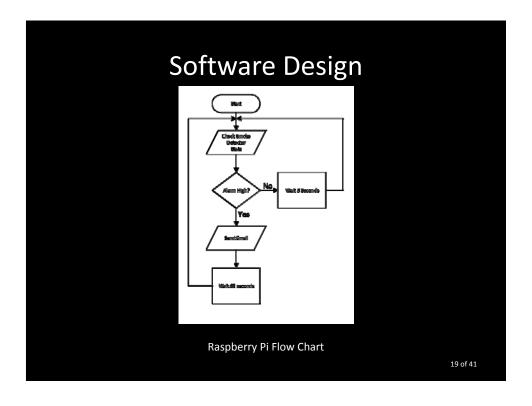
 - Program Raspberry Pi
 Test Raspberry Pi Programing
- Functional Prototype
- Connect all components
 Test Complete Prototype
- Final Report
 - Write Draft ReportWrite Report
- Presentation
- - Write PresentationPractice Presentation











Software Design

- Main operation needed to accomplish was send out an email when certain pin is changed from high to low.
- Reasons I chose Raspberry Pi over other microcontrollers
 - Lots of I/O pins
 - Low cost
 - Ease of use
 - Online documentation
 - I have friends that know it well

Software Design

- What I needed to accomplish
 - Send email
 - Automatically start program on boot
- Automatically starting program
 - Crontab
 - sudo crontab -e
 - @reboot sh /home/pi/launch.sh >/home/pi/cronlog 2>&1
 - Shell Script
 - Launch.sh#! /bin/shcd /

sudo python Email.py

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Software Design

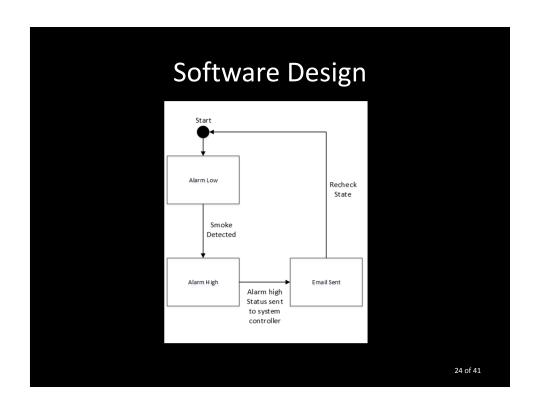
#import libraries

Sending Email

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import smtplib from email.mime.text
import MIMEText
import RPi.GPIO as GPIO
import time
import datetime
#Setup input and output pins
GPIO.setmode(GPIO.BCM)
GPIO.setup(4, GPIO.IN)
#Start Program
print ("Activate to Prococeed")
time.sleep(3)
#start loop
loop="1"
while loop =="1":
         #Check to see if input pin is high
         if GPIO.input(4)==1:
                   time.sleep(5)
                   print("not active")
         #Check to see if input pin is low
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Software Design
        if not GPIO.input(4):
                 text="""Smoke Detector Activation"""
                 timestamp=
                 datetime.datetime.now().strftime("%B %d, %Y %I:%M%p")
                 message = text + " - " +timestamp
                 msg = MIMEText(message)
                 msg['subject']='1560 Wheatfield Ct'
                 msg['from'] = 'ehrmansmokedetect@gmail.com'
                 msg['to'] = '2602735307@mms-tf.net'
                 s = smtplib.SMTP('smtp.gmail.com', 587)
                 s.ehlo()
                 s.starttls()
                 s.login('ehrmansmokedetect@gmail.com', '*******')
                 s.sendmail(msg['From'], msg['To'], msg.as_string())
                 print("Message sent")
                 time.sleep(60)
                 while not GPIO.input(4):
        pass
GPIO.cleanup()
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Problems in Testing

- Email
 - Was not getting messages to phone
 - Sending Emails but was not receiving
 - Sent email from my phone MMS to email
 - Found out that email address had changed since I last used it
- Hard to tell when messages were actually being sent
 - Put a time stamp in the message
- I wasn't getting the correct values off the smoke detector
 - Was using the wrong two cables from the interconnect

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Verification

- Requirement 1: The system shall detect smoke
 - Striking match blowing it out
- Requirement 2: The system shall provide an audible alarm
- Requirement 3: The system shall send an email to designated addresses upon detecting smoke
- Requirement 4: The system shall detect smoke with Ionization sensors.
 - Appendix A
- Requirement 5: The system shall use Raspberry Pi to send email

Verification

 Requirement 6: The System shall send email within 25 seconds of audible alarm

| Test Number | Seconds to Receive Message |
|-------------|----------------------------|
| 1 | 19.1s |
| 2 | 13.0s |
| | 16.4s |
| 4 | 14.2s |
| | 14.8s |
| | 13.1s |
| | 11.3s |
| 8 | 14.4s |
| | 13.2s |
| 10 | 11.1s |

Average: 14.1s

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Verification

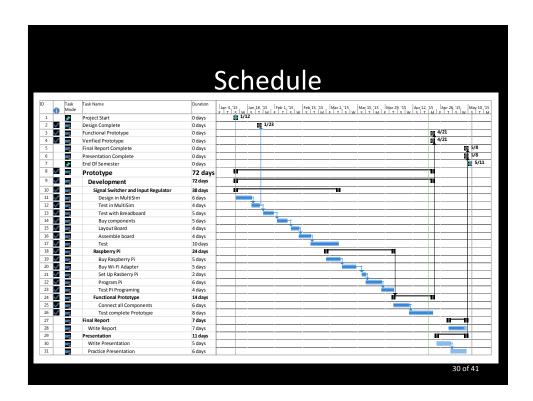
 Requirement 7: The system shall sound audible alarm within 15 seconds of smoke in chamber

| Test Number | Seconds to Alarm |
|-------------|------------------|
| 1 | 1.1s |
| 2 | 2.1s |
| | 2.4s |
| 4 | 1.6s |
| | 1.3s |
| | 2.3s |
| | 1.9s |
| 8 | 1.2s |
| | 1.6s |
| 10 | 2.1s |

Average: 1.8s

Verification

- Requirement 8: The system shall be smaller than 6" x 6" x 4"
 - 4" x 2" x 2"
- Requirement 9: The system shall take less storage than 32GB
 - 16GB SD card
- Requirement 10: The system shall work in a smoke filled environment
 - In the toaster oven with some food sprinkled on the bottom to produce smoke for 10 minutes
- Requirement 11: The system shall work in temperatures of 100°F
 - In the toaster oven set to 100°F



Resource Management

| Material/Tool Cost | | | | | | | | | |
|--------------------|--------------------------|----|-------|----|----------|----------|--|--|--|
| ltem | Item Qty | | | | tal Cost | Comments | | | |
| Raspberry Pi | 2 | \$ | 39.95 | \$ | 79.90 | | | | |
| Resistors | 10 | \$ | 0.20 | \$ | 2.00 | | | | |
| Capacitors | 10 | \$ | 0.25 | \$ | 2.50 | | | | |
| Transistors | 5 | \$ | 0.25 | \$ | 1.25 | | | | |
| IC chip | 5 | \$ | 0.40 | \$ | 2.00 | | | | |
| LED | 10 | \$ | 0.40 | \$ | 4.00 | | | | |
| LDR | 10 | \$ | 0.50 | \$ | 5.00 | | | | |
| WiFi Adapter | 2 | \$ | 8.99 | \$ | 17.98 | | | | |
| | Material Total \$ 114.63 | | | | | | | | |

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Resource Management

| Labor Cost (Hrs) | | | | | | | | | |
|------------------------------------|---------------|---------|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| Task / Activity | Jordan Ehrman | Project | | | | | | | |
| Purcahse Comercial Detector | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | |
| Test Detector output | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | |
| Design Input Regulator in Multisim | 5 | 5 | | | | | | | |
| Test in Multisim | 2 | 2 | | | | | | | |
| Test with breadboard | 5 | 5 | | | | | | | |
| buy components | 2 | 2 | | | | | | | |
| Layout Board | 3 | 3 | | | | | | | |
| Assemble Board | 6 | 6 | | | | | | | |
| Test | 10 | 10 | | | | | | | |
| Buy Raspberry Pi | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | |
| Set up Raspberry Pi | 15 | 15 | | | | | | | |
| Program Raspberry Pi | 10 | 10 | | | | | | | |
| Test Raspberry Pi Programing | 10 | 10 | | | | | | | |
| Connect all components | 2 | 2 | | | | | | | |
| Write Report | 30 | 30 | | | | | | | |
| Write Presentation | 15 | 15 | | | | | | | |
| Practice Presentation | 2 | 2 | | | | | | | |
| Labor Hr Totals | 120 | 120 | | | | | | | |

Quality Management

- Testing
- Research before buying
- Buying quality parts

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Risk Management

| ID | Entry Date | Туре | | Risk Description: 'IF statement' | Consequence of Risk: 'THEN statement' | Status | Likelihood (1-5) | Severity (1-5) | Score | Rank* | Response | Description of Response |
|----|---------------|-----------|----|--|---|--------|---------------------|-------------------|-------|--------|----------|---|
| 1 | 15-Nov-14 | Technical | IF | System cannot interface to the smoke detector | The project will not fulfill critcal operational need | Closed | 3 | 5 | 15 | High | Mitigate | Making several different plans to detect smoke. Possibly Use commercial smoke detector |
| 2 | 15-Nov-14 | Technical | IF | the system does not sound alarm | the project will not fulfill operational need | Closed | 1 | 5 | 5 | Medium | Mitigate | determine root cause of failure and correct problem |
| 3 | 15-Nov-14 | Technical | IF | the system does not send email | the project will not fulfill critical operational need | Closed | 2 | 5 | 10 | Medium | Mitigate | Research email support algorithanms on Raspberry Pi |
| 4 | 15-Nov-14 | Cost | IF | I am unable to program the Raspberry Pi | I will have to expend more time than budgeted on programming | Closed | 1 | 4 | 4 | Low | Mitigate | Seek help from friend that has Raspberry Pi prorgraming knoledge. |
| 5 | 15-Nov-14 | Cost | IF | The Raspberry Pi gets permanently damaged during the project | I will have to replace the Raspberry Pi | Closed | 1 | 3 | 3 | Low | Avoid | By purchasing 2 Raspberry P |
| 6 | 15-Nov-14 | Schedule | IF | Personal emergency happens during semester | the remaing project schedule will need to be compressed to finish in time | Closed | 3 | 2 | 6 | Low | Avoid | By putting as much time as possible into as early as possible |
| 7 | 15-Nov-14 | Schedule | IF | Parts get backordered | I won't be able to start integration and test activities as early as planned | Closed | 2 | 2 | 4 | Low | Avoid | by ordering parts early |

| Procurement | | | | | | | |
|--------------------|-------------|----------|---------|--|--|--|--|
| Item | Vendor | Price | | | | | |
| Raspberry Pi (2) | Adafuit.com | \$79.95 | | | | | |
| Resistors (5) | Radio Shack | \$2.95 | | | | | |
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| Transistor(3) | Mouser | \$5.73 | | | | | |
| Solder Bread Board | Radio Shack | \$9.95 | | | | | |
| Solder | Radio Shack | \$8.99 | | | | | |
| Smoke Detector | Lowe's | \$16.02 | | | | | |
| | Total | \$126.54 | | | | | |
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Lessons Learned

- Programing Raspberry Pi
 - I have programed microcontrollers for labs but there we just followed a set of instructions.
- The manufactures recommended design is not going to work.
 - It might get you close but don't expect it to work out the gate.

Conclusion

- The project was a success
- I plan on implementing this design in my own home
- It was not too expensive to make and if I want to build another or expand the one that I already made, I have no doubt I would be able to accomplish this with all the things I learned about the Raspberry Pi

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Questions?

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Demo

