

Light Intensity PWM Design as a Tool to Attract Fish in Microcontroller-Based Stationary Lift Net

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Abstract: Fishermen looking for fish in stationary lift net usually need a tool in the form of light. The types of light they use may come from neon, mercury, a pressurized kerosene lamp, and, which is commonly used, an LED. Fishermen who use LEDs as a tool to gather or attract fish use either one color of light only or more. As to switch the light off, some use an ON/OFF switch, some use a dimmer, and the rest use the PWM technique with a microcontroller. This research aimed to develop a PWM signal using a microcontroller by carrying out an experiment making a PWM program on the Arduino Uno microcontroller, a trial on the input using the push button switch and an LED as the indicator, a trial on the input using a 2X16 LCD as the indicator, and a trial on the output of the PWM program using an oscilloscope as the indicator. The significance of this research includes, first, it develops a varied PWM signal program for three LED colors, which can be used to engineer a microcontroller to adjust the intensity of LED light as a tool to attract fish in stationary lift net-aided fishing. Second, it makes it easier for fishermen using stationary lift net to instal and use LED light-aided tools. Third, the PWM regulator for LEDs helps reduce fish-catching operational costs and it is easy to use.

Keywords: PWM technique, Stationary Lift Net, LED regulator, microcontroller, dimmer.

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I. Introduction

Pulse Width Modulation (PWM) can be used to generate or modify sinusoidal wave [1,2] to control [3], modify characteristics of a generator [4, 5], actuate and adjust induction motors [6, 3], minimize total harmonic distortion, and increase the output voltage on the inverter [7], compensate for magnetization surge currents on the transformer [8, 9], function as a switch [10], second harmonic injection [11], engineer and adjust LED lighting for net-aided fishing [12].

Light Intensity is necessary for stationary lift net-aided fishing, as a tool to attract or collect fish, or to identify fish behavior patterns [13] related to light-aided fishing [13, 14, 16,15, 17], LED engineering on net [19], and the effect of light on the catch [18, 19].

Microcontrollers were used as a tool to process the program, control wind energy [22] function as Automatic Fish Feeders [23], adjust the frequency meter [24], the design stage, analysis and testing, the fishing prototype can do the fishing automatically making it easier for fisherman to do their job [25], the design & implementation of “Intelligent Aqua-tronix” which deals with the automation of fish pond and fish tank by effective utilization of electronic technology to maintain fish health, reduce labor work and enhance fish production [26], design smart water heaters [27] Smart Wheeled Robotic (SWR) as well as a tool that is able to automatically avoid obstacles [28].

This research aimed to generate a PWM signal using a microcontroller, i.e.: 1). an experiment to develop a PWM program on the Arduino Uno microcontroller, 2). a trial on the pulse-supplying input of the push button switch using an LED as the indicator, 3) a trial on the input using a 2X16 LCD as the indicator, and 4) a trial on the output of the PWM program using an oscilloscope as the indicator. This research generated novelty in terms of PWM combination used to produce LED light colors, especially by generating color spectrums to attract fish in stationary lift net-aided fishing.

The significance of this research includes, first, it develops a PWM program that can be used to engineer a microcontroller to adjust the intensity of LED light as a tool to attract fish in stationary lift net-aided fishing. Second, it makes it easier for fishermen using stationary lift net to use LED light-aided tools. Third, the PWM regulator for LEDs helps reduce fish-catching operational costs and it is easy to use.

II. Materials And Methods

Tools and Materials

Table 1. Tools and Materials

| Tools | Function |
|-----------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Power Supply | Voltage source of the circuit |
| Oscilloscope | See PWM output |
| Microcontroller Arduino Uno | Language C program processor tool |
| Push Button Switch | Input of Pulse |
| LED | Indicator of Pulse Output |
| Project Board | to put components |
| Kabel Jumper | Connection between components |
| Software | Function |
| Arduino Ide | Making of program |
| Proteus | Design of circuit and PCB |

III. Research Method

This research employed the method of laboratory experiments, especially by developing a program using C Language with software Arduino IDE, preparing the arrangement using software Proteus, and testing out the program and arrangement in terms of their input, process, and output using an LED, LCD, and Oscilloscope as the indicators.

- Experiment to develop a program for the Arduino Uno microcontroller
- Trial on the pulse-supplying input of the push button switch using an LED as the indicator
- Trial on the input using a 2X16 LCD as the indicator
- Trial on the output of the PWM program using an oscilloscope as the indicator

IV. Block Diagram

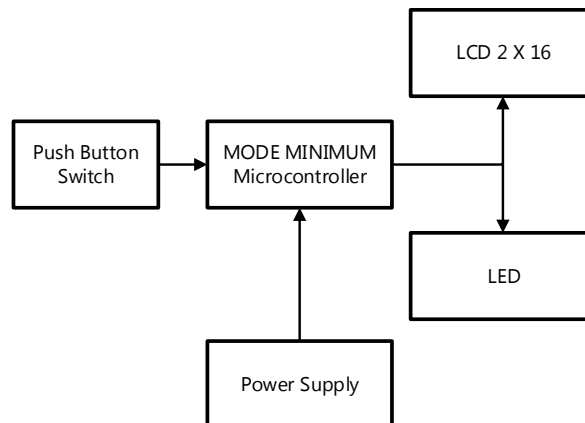


Figure 1. Block Diagram Illustrating the Design of Light Intensity

As illustrated in the block diagram above, overall, the arrangement consisted of the input, process, and output, i.e. the Push Button Switch as the input, the microcontroller as the processor and LCD, and the LED as an indicator for the PWM signal output. The part that received power supply or voltage was the microcontroller, which amounted to 9 Volt DC while voltage for the input and output was taken from the output voltage of the Arduino uno microcontroller, i.e. by 5 Volt DC.

Hardware Design

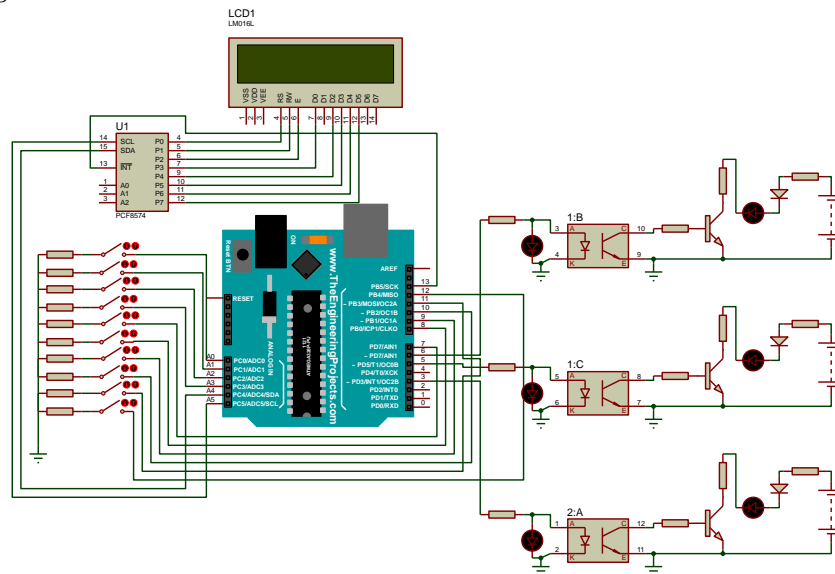


Figure 2. PWM Arrangement Design

This hardware design was developed to carry out a simulation before developing the actual arrangement. Using the right arrangement that had been proved during the simulation will enable the arrangement to work with only a very small level of error, thus the percentage for the actual arrangement develop to be successfully work normally may reach 99%. This arrangement design can measure input using an LED and LCD as indicators and measure output using a digital oscilloscope as the indicator.

Software Design

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31 void setup() {
32   pinMode (led1, OUTPUT);
33   pinMode (led2, OUTPUT);
34   pinMode (led3, OUTPUT);
35   pinMode (up1, INPUT_PULLUP);
36   pinMode (down1, INPUT_PULLUP);
37   pinMode (up2, INPUT_PULLUP);
38   pinMode (down2, INPUT_PULLUP);
39   pinMode (up3, INPUT_PULLUP);
40   pinMode (down3, INPUT_PULLUP);
41   pinMode (up4, INPUT_PULLUP);
42   pinMode (down4, INPUT_PULLUP);
43   pinMode (up5, INPUT_PULLUP);
44   pinMode (down5, INPUT_PULLUP);
45   Serial.begin(9600);
46   lcd.begin (20,4); //LCD untuk ukuran 16x2
47   lcd.setCursor(0, 0); //baris pertama
48   lcd.print("led1 led2 led3");
49   lcd.setCursor(5, 1); //baris kedua
50   lcd.print("READY");
51   delay(500);
52   lcd.setCursor(5, 1); //baris kedua
53   lcd.print(" ");
54 }

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55 void loop() {
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57   if (!(digitalRead(up1)) && (pbup1==false) && (vall<250))
58     vall=vall+5;
59     Serial.print("led1 : ");
60     Serial.println(vall);
61     pbup1=true;
62     delay(5);
63   }
64   if (!(digitalRead(down1)) && (pbdown1==false) && (vall>0))
65     vall=vall-5;
66     Serial.print("led1 : ");
67     Serial.println(vall);
68     lcd.clear();
69     lcd.setCursor(0,1);
70     pbdown1=true;
71     delay(5);
72   }
73   if (digitalRead(up1)){
74     pbup1=false;
75     delay(5);
76   }
77   if (digitalRead(down1)){
78     pbdown1=false;
79     delay(5);
80   }

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a) Input and output program b) RGB process program for switching on and off

Figure 3. PWM Software Design

Figure 3 illustrates a program design using C Language with software Arduino IDE. Part a) constitutes the program to determine the input and output used on the Arduino unomicrocontrollerpin while part b) is the programto examine the way an LED is switched ON or OFF at each PWM step. Using this work program, the LED can be switched ON and OFF freely, where each LED can be combined with other LEDs forming a combination with either two LEDs or three LEDs.

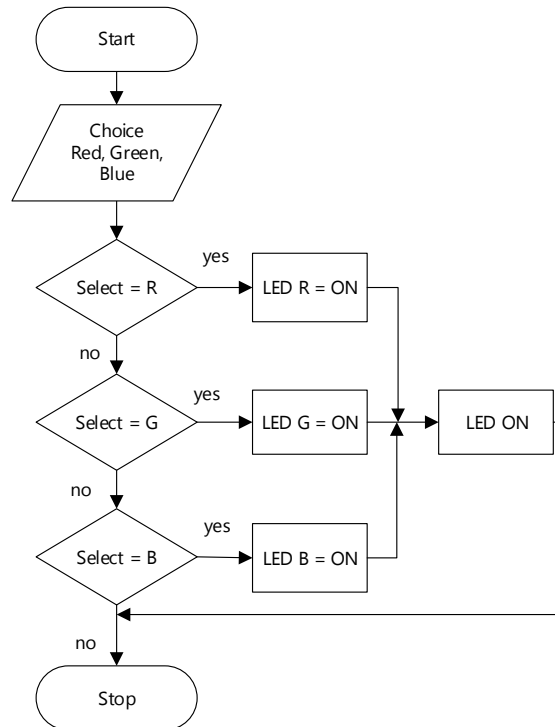


Figure 4. Flowchart on How to Switch the RGB LED on

In Figure 4, the flowchart shows that LEDs will be switched on if there are data given to each LED. The data in this program were R or red, G or green, and B or blue. If the data are in the forms of R, G, and B options, the RGB LED will light up, if it receives only one data, two data or three data, it will light up according to the incoming data.

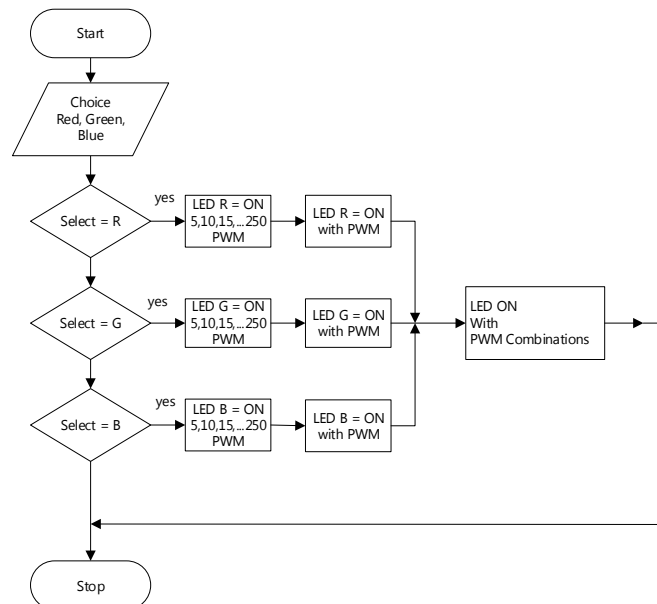


Figure 5. Flowchart on the Way the LED with PWM Combination Works

In Figure 5, the flowchart illustrates the process to switch LEDs on using various PWM combinations from Red, Green, and Blue LEDs. First, press the push button switch of the Red LED selection button with 5 PWM, then data will be received by the micro and it will turn on the Red LED with light intensity compatible with 5 PWM. Second, press the push button switch of the Green LED selection button with 95 PWM, then data will be received by the micro and it will turn on the Green LED with light intensity compatible with 95 PWM. Third, press the push button switch of the Blue LED selection button with 200 PWM, then data will be received by the micro and it will turn on the Blue LED with light intensity compatible with 200 PWM. From the process

above, it is revealed that data for the red, green, and blue LEDs are equal to 5 PWM, 95 PWM, and 200 PWM, respectively. As a result, the LED color switched on depends on the size of each PWM. LED Light can be switched on using various PWM combinations. In this case, the light produced can be adjusted to the target fish to be caught using stationary lift net-aided fishing.

Data Collection

In this research, the data were collected by conducting a PWM experiment by testing out the software and hardware developed, which means that it did not perform any statistical analysis.

V. Results And Discussion

The design developed is presented in Figure 6 below. Figure a is the hardware input with 10 Push Button Switches, Figure b is part of the processor, i.e. the Arduino uno microcontroller, Figure c is the output section consisting of three LEDs (red, green, and blue), and Figure d is the output section, i.e. a 2X16 LCD

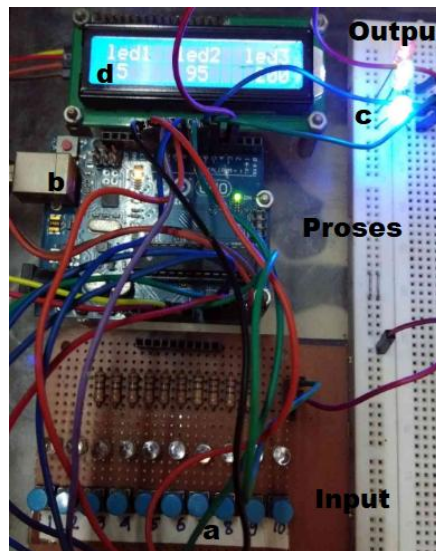


Figure 6. PWM-Regulating Hardware

Testing results for the input section, i.e. PWM Pulse Supplier, Push Button Switch as the primary tool with Red, Green, and Blue LED Indicators.

Table 2. Testing Results for PWM Supply to HPL

| Push Button Switchs | | RED Lamp | GREEN Lamp | BLUE Lamp |
|---------------------|-----|----------|------------|-----------|
| 1 | ON | ON | ON | ON |
| 2 | OFF | OFF | OFF | OFF |
| 3 | ON | ON | OFF | OFF |
| 4 | OFF | OFF | OFF | OFF |
| 5 | ON | OFF | ON | OFF |
| 6 | OFF | OFF | OFF | OFF |
| 7 | ON | OFF | OFF | ON |
| 8 | OFF | OFF | OFF | OFF |
| 9 | ON | ON | ON | ON |
| 10 | OFF | OFF | OFF | OFF |

Table 2 above presents testing results for PWM supply using the push button switch smoothly, which can be applied to all LEDs, either individually or in combination.

Testing results for the input section, i.e. PWM Pulse Supplier, Push Button Switch as the primary tool with an LCD as the indicator



Figure 7. Output indicator using an LCD

Figure 7 presents testing results for the input section using the push button switch with an LCD as the indicator. It shows that LED1 represents the Red LED, LED2 represents the Green LED, and LED3 represents the Blue LED, with RGB PWM values equal to 5 PWM, 95 PWM, and 200 PWM, respectively.

Output Testing Of The Pwm Program Using A Monitoring Oscilloscope

The PWM signal output testing are illustrated in Figures 8 and 9, i.e. PWM signals with 5-PWM Red LED, 95-PWM Green LED, and 200-PWM Blue LED with voltage of 5 Volts each and signal step of 0.1 milli second.

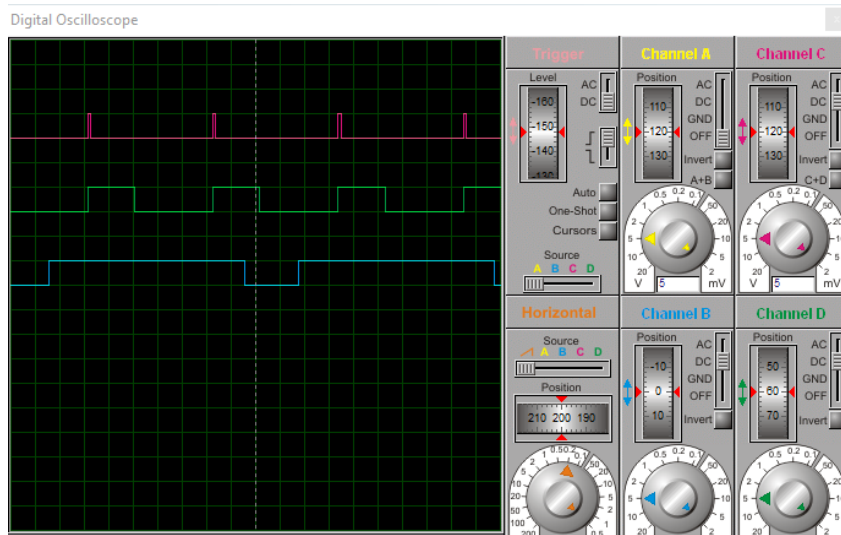


Figure 8. PWM Signal with 5-PWM Red LED, 95-PWM Green LED, and 200-PWM Blue LED

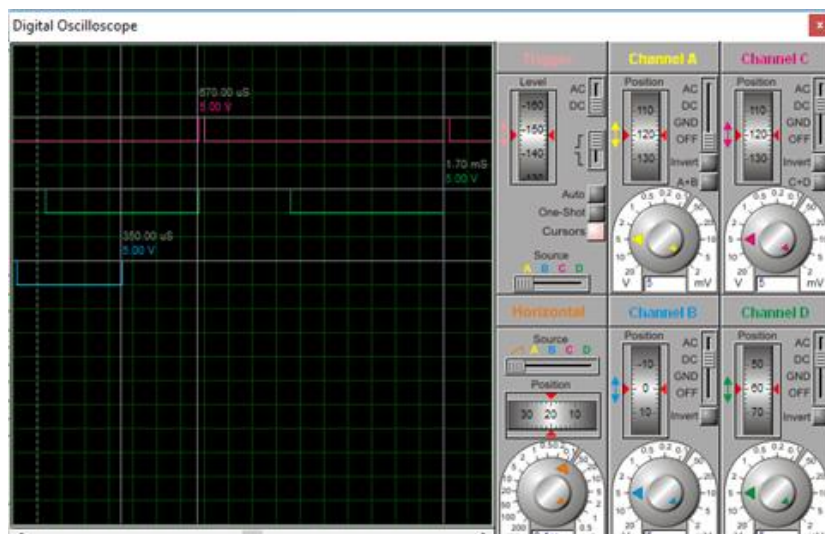


Figure 9. PWM Signal with PWM signals with 5-PWM Red LED, 95-PWM Green LED, and 200-PWM Blue LED with Voltage of 5 Volts Each and Signal Step of 0.1 Milli Second

Figures 8 and 9 illustrate the output of PWM signals generated using an oscilloscope, with the following values: Rred = 5 PWM, Green = 95 PWM, and Blue = 200 PWM, with each signal set at 5-Volt DC voltage and a step of 0.1 milli second.

Both figures show that all PWM signals of the red, green, and blue LEDs can be set from 0 PWM up to 250 PWM, and the colors can be combined according to the user's needs.

VI. Conclusion

The design of Light Intensity PWM as a tool to lure fish on microcontroller-based stationary lift net can work normally as expected based on the results of the experiment as follows: first, the program developed and installed on the Arduino uno microcontroller run normally, using C Language with software Arduino IDE; second, based on the trial on the input of the push button switch's pulse supplier with LEDs as the indicator, it is revealed that it worked normally; third, the trial on the input with a 2x16 LCD as the indicator run normally; and, fourth, the trial on the PWM program output with an oscilloscope as the indicator worked normally. Therefore, this light intensity PWM design can be realized and developed into the real design, i.e. development of the PWM output containing a 4-Volt voltage with a step of 0.1 milli second, that van be supported by high power by increasing the voltage and current for large load, which is High Power 50 Watt LED.

This research, first, discovered a PWM signal program that can be used to design a microcontroller to adjust the light intensity of LEDs as a tool to lure fish in stationary lift net-aided fishing. Second, it makes it easier for fishermen using stationary lift net to instal and use LED light-aided tools. Third, the PWM regulator for LEDs helps reduce fish-catching operational costs and it is easy to use.

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