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### A) CONCEPTUALIZATION:

The name of the software developed is called ISAPP meaning Irrigation System Application. It is a prototype platform based on easy-to-use hardware and software. It consists of a circuit board, which can be programmed (referred to as a microcontroller) and a ready-made software which is used to write and upload the computer code to the physical board.

**2) SPECIFICATION:** The modules of the App ISAPP can be broken down into various modules based on its different functions. They are:

- i) The boards are able to read analog or digital input signals from different sensors and turn it into an output as activating a motor, turning LED on/off, connect to the cloud and many other functions.
- ii) The boards can be controlled by sending a set of instructions to the microcontroller on the board via the software.
- iii) Unlike most previous programmable circuit boards, the ISAPP does not need an extra piece of hardware in order to load a new code into the system. It can be manually written.
- iv) Also, the ISAPP uses a simplified programming language, making it easier.
- v) The ISAPP has a thermometer sensor which enables the system to read the soil temperature of the soil.
- vi) The ISAPP has a soil moisture sensor to be able to read the soil moisture.
- vii) The Actuation system is linked with the ISAPP which helps to implement all the instructions given.
- viii) It has an alarm system.

### B) SOFTWARE FEATURES:

The Irrigation system Application (ISAPP) has a microcontroller board based on the ATmega328. It has 14 digital input/output pins, 6 analog inputs, a 16 MHz ceramic resonator, a USB connection, a power Jack, an ICSP header, and a reset button. The power to the board (ISAPP) can be provided by connecting USB with the laptop, computer or either by using battery. It has the ESP8266 Wi-Fi module integrated TCP/IP protocol which has an ability to give the microcontroller to access Wi-Fi network which makes it possible for the board of the software to be controlled on the laptop or phone. It is cost effective with the huge growing community. It can host an application or offload all Wi-Fi function from other application. This module has powerful enough onboard processing and storage capacity that allows it to be integrated with the sensor and other applications through GPIO with the minimal runtime. It transforms the module into an IoT solution. Also the software has the ability to read the temperature of the soil using the temperature sensor.

- ✓ Determine the moisture content of the soil.
- ✓ Configure time interval for the water system.
- ✓ Trigger an alarm if there is no sufficient water.
- ✓ Enabled password for the system.

### HARDWARE FEATURES:

**SOIL MOISTURE SENSOR:** Soil moisture sensor has a comparator (LM393) which helps in converting analog data to digital data easy for the processing purpose. Two probes of 5cm are responsible for collecting the data and to transfer when it is immersed in the soil. The voltage output from the sensor corresponds to the conductivity of the soil. The moisture content of the soil is determined by the type of the soil and is given as change in resistance value.



## Algorithms

- Step 1: START
- 2: Read password
- 3: IF Password == "hrisgwags"  
~~ELSE~~ Print "Access granted"  
ELSE  
Print "Access denied"
- 4: Read all sensor value
- 5: Assign output in part 3
- 6: If ADC value > 40  
Print "Temp high"  
ELSE:  
Print "Temp Low"
- 7) If sensor 2 ADC value < 50  
Print "f0"  
ELSE:  
Print "f1"
- 8) If sensor 3 ADC value > 50  
Print "Moisture high"  
ELSE:  
~~Start~~ ~~for~~ Measure the soil water tension  
If Measured value > starting point of irrigation  
Turn solenoid valve on  
Turn pump on  
ELSE:  
Turn solenoid valve off  
Turn pump off
- 9) Write the values of the values of LCD
- 10) END

## ~~C) DESIGN:~~

**IMPLEMENTATION:** It was designed in order to work with mobile phones and laptops. The software was created using codes from C++ programming and it is similar to the Arduino. And the programming language is easier to understand.

## ~~TESTING:~~

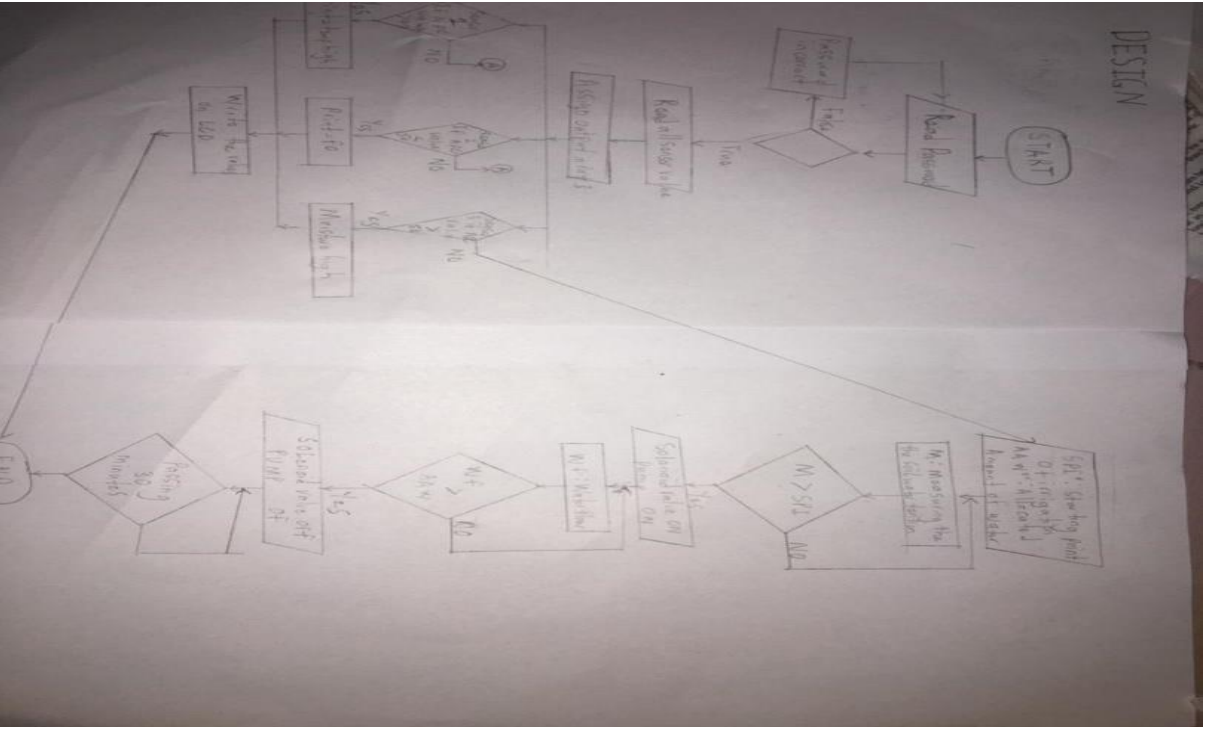
- 1) Connect one end of the wire to A0 port.
- 2) Connect the other end to GND port.
- 3) Analog 0 in the serial monitor should now read 0.0 volts.
- 4) Remove the wire from GND and connect it to 5V.
- 5) Analog 0 should now read approximately 5.0 volts.
- 6) Remove the wire from 5V and connect it to 3.3V.

## DEBUGGING:

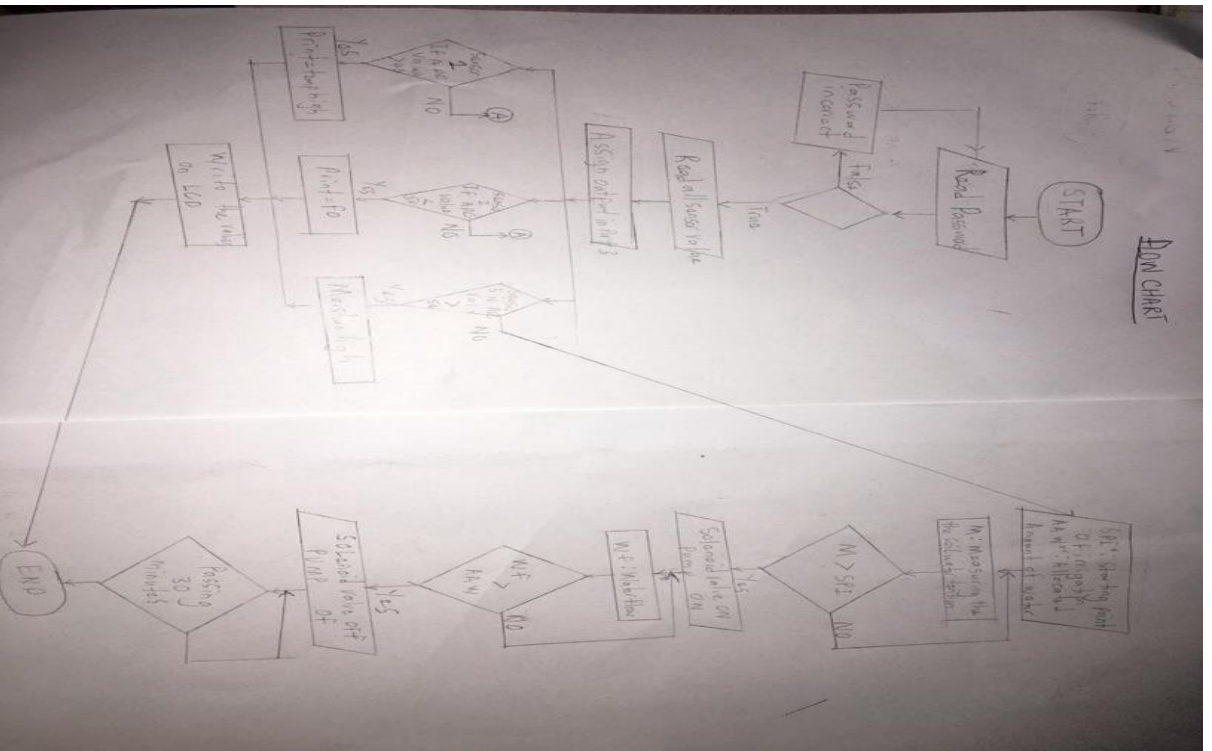
- 1) Write a test case that reproduces the Bug.
- 2) Know your code.
- 3) Pair program your way out of it.
- 4) Fix the problem.

## RELEASE AND UPDATE:

# DESIGN



# Flow CHART





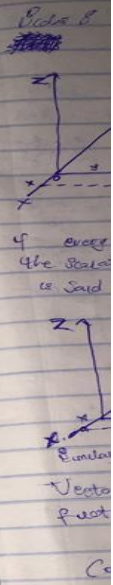
of the sensor. The resistance across soil probes can vary from infinity (for completely dry soil) to a very little resistance (for 100% moisture in soil). This variation in resistance across the probes (RS) leads to variation in forward bias voltage.

**TEMPERATURE SENSOR:** An NTC temperature sensor. A thermistor is a variable resistor. The resistance changes with the change in temperature. These sensors are made of ~~semiconductors~~ semiconductive materials composed of ceramics or polymers to provide larger changes in the resistance with just small changes in temperature. The term "NTC" means "Negative Temperature Coefficient". Works on the principle that the resistance decreases with the increase of the increase of the temperature.

**THE TANK:** The tank is a reservoir which is used to store water received from a river nearby the farm. The tank is made using ~~plastic~~ hard plastic. It is durable and cost effective. And also the tank has an attached alarm system which helps to alarm us if there isn't enough water in the tank. The alarm is connected to the ISAPP, the alarm can be controlled with the Application system.

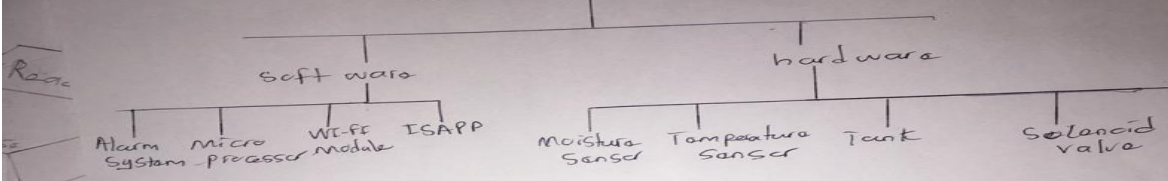
**SOLENOID VALVES: SOLENOID VALVE:**

Solenoid valves are electro-mechanical valves that are controlled by stepping a running an electrical current through a solenoid, in order to change the state of the valve. A solenoid is a coil of wire that is magnetized when electricity runs through it. The solenoid valve makes use of this solenoid in order to activate a valve thus controlling the water flow, airflow and other things with electricity. There are three types of solenoid valves which are general-purpose type, low pressure steam type and high pressure steam pipe. It also uses a timer to control the water flow.



**TOP-DOWN DESIGN**

**IRRIGATION SYSTEM**



**Bottom-Top Design**

