

The road ahead

This week

Electronics Production

- Mill and stuff a circuit board

The road ahead

This week

Electronics Production

- Mill and stuff a circuit board

2 weeks from now

Electronics Design

- Design your own circuit board
- Mill and stuff it

The road ahead

This week

Electronics Production

- Mill and stuff a circuit board

2 weeks from now

Electronics Design

- Design your own circuit board
- Mill and stuff it

4 weeks from now

Embedded Programming

- Design your own circuit board
- Mill and stuff it
- Program it

The next few weeks have a simple task!

1. Learn (or recall) basic electrical engineering

The next few weeks have a simple task!

1. Learn (or recall) basic electrical engineering
2. Use it to design a custom circuit board in a new software program

The next few weeks have a simple task!

1. Learn (or recall) basic electrical engineering
2. Use it to design a custom circuit board in a new software program
3. Mill it and solder on all the parts properly


The next few weeks have a simple task!

1. Learn (or recall) basic electrical engineering
2. Use it to design a custom circuit board in a new software program
3. Mill it and solder on all the parts properly
4. Learn (or recall) some programming: “Arduino” i.e. C++

The next few weeks have a simple task!

1. Learn (or recall) basic electrical engineering
2. Use it to design a custom circuit board in a new software program
3. Mill it and solder on all the parts properly
4. Learn (or recall) some programming
5. Write a new program to test your custom board

The next few weeks have a simple task!

1. Learn (or recall) basic electrical engineering
2. Use it to  a new software
3. Mill it and
4. Learn (or recall) some programming
5. Write a custom program to test your board

The road ahead

Today's Focus

This week

Electronics Production

- Mill and stuff a circuit board

2 weeks from now

Electronics Design

- Design your own circuit board
- Mill and stuff it

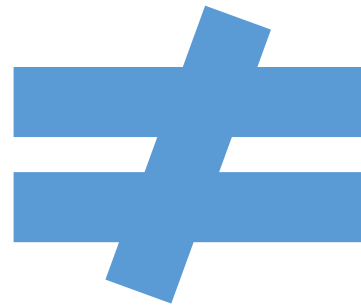
4 weeks from now

Embedded Programming

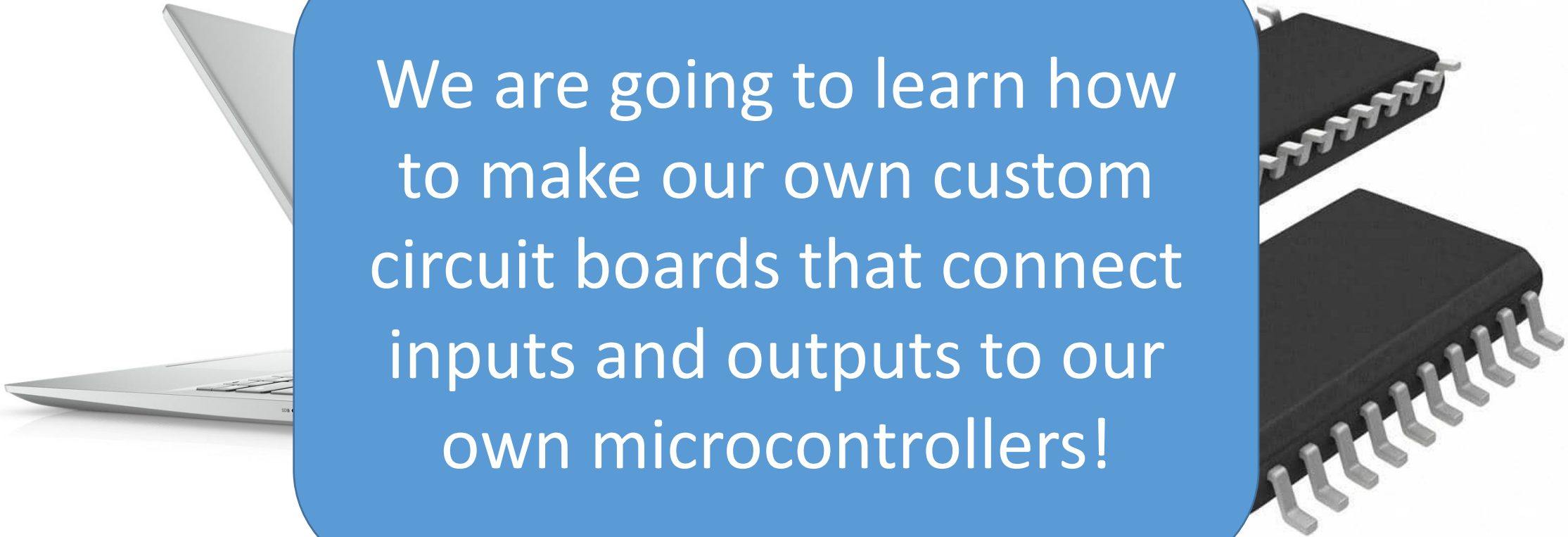
- Design your own circuit board
- Mill and stuff it
- Program it

Why do I even need to know anything about electrical engineering?

Why do I even need to know anything about electrical engineering?



Why do I even need to know anything about electrical engineering?



We are going to learn how to make our own custom circuit boards that connect inputs and outputs to our own microcontrollers!

Ohm's Law:

$$V = I * R$$

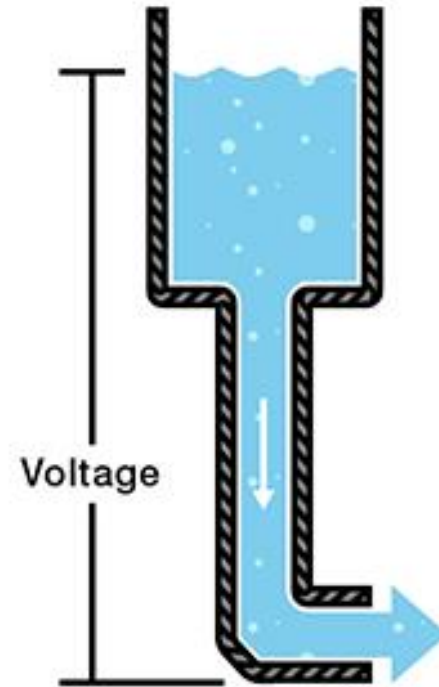
Voltage (measure in volts)

I: Current (measure in amps)

Resistance (measured in ohms)

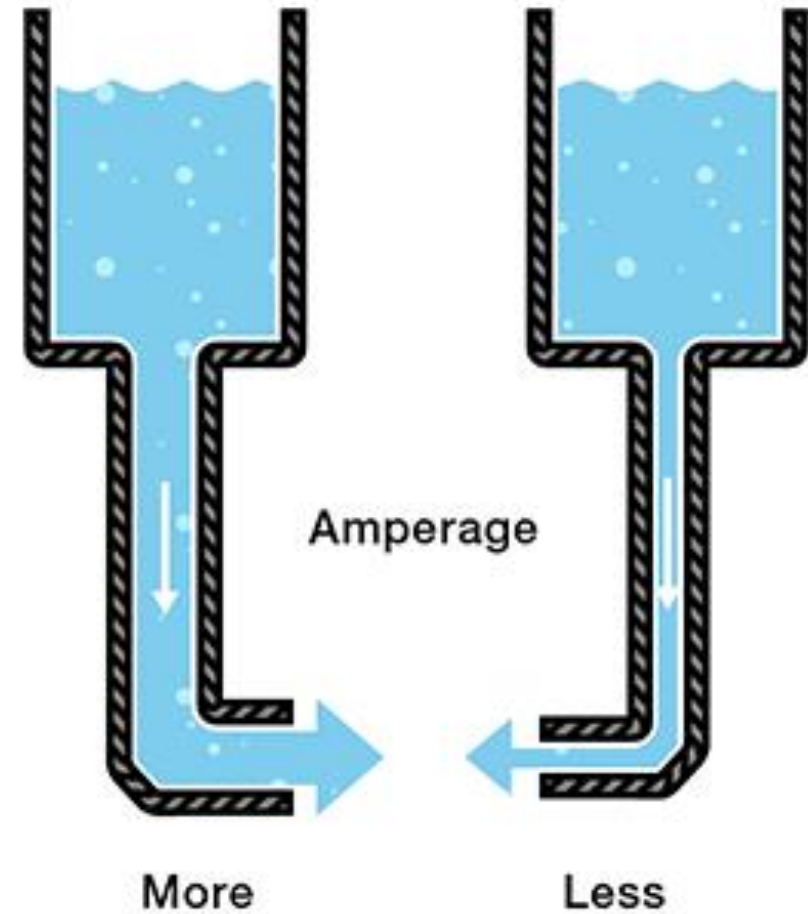
Voltage

Measures the **difference in electrical potential** between two points – often an input voltage (vcc) and ground (gnd)



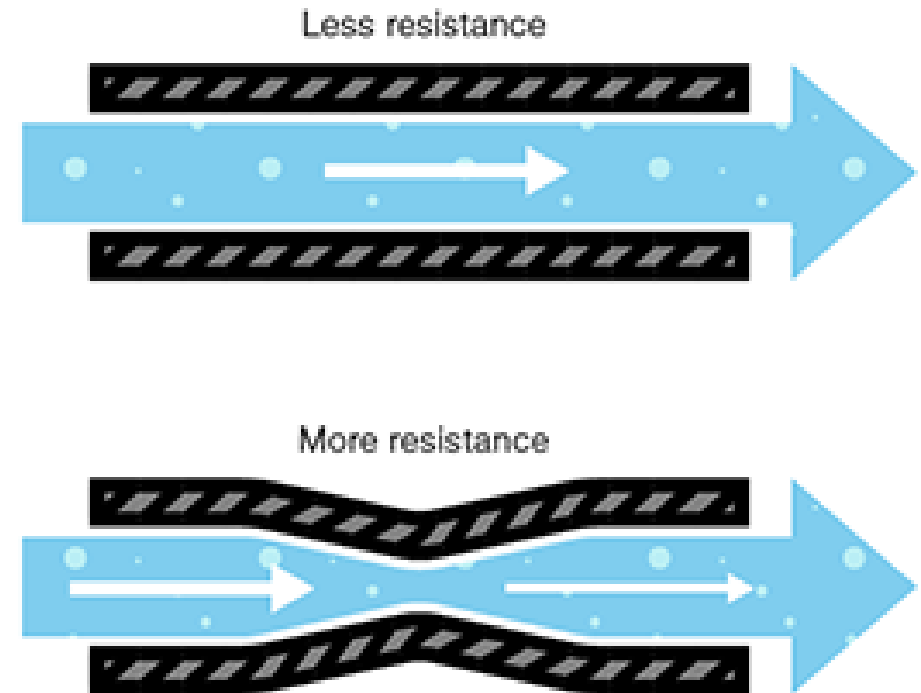
Current

Measures the **rate of flow of electrons** in a circuit



Resistance

Measures **how hard it is for electrons to move** through a circuit



Triplets

- Voltage: potential to do work (electron pressure)
- Current: work (electron flow)
- Resistance: ... friction (electron resistance)

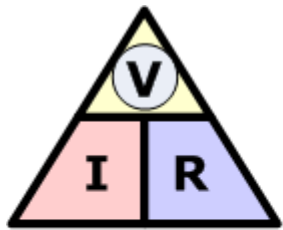
Ohm's Law:

$$V = I * R$$

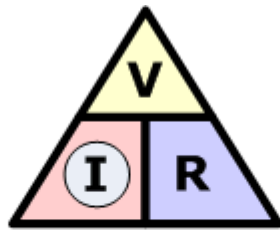
Voltage (measure in volts)

I: Current (measure in amps)

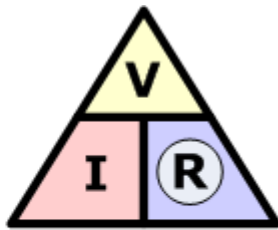
Resistance (measured in ohms)



$$V = I \times R$$

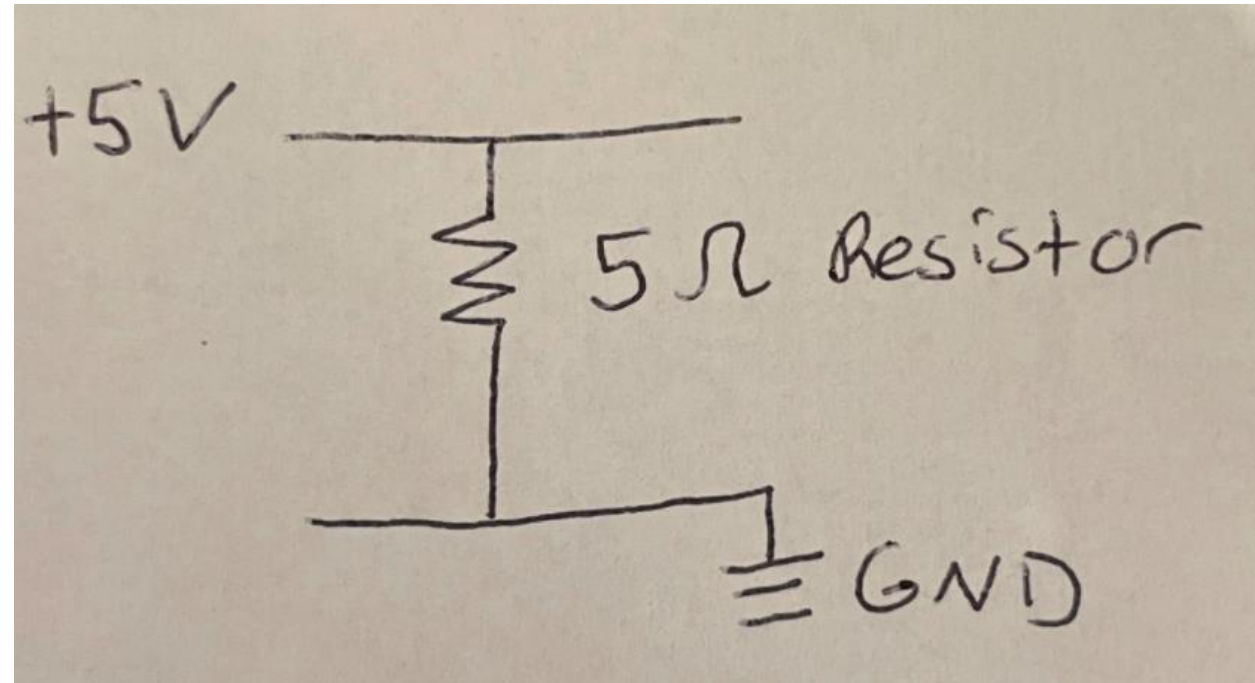


$$I = \frac{V}{R}$$



$$R = \frac{V}{I}$$

How much current goes through this resistor?



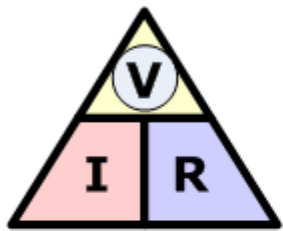
Ohm's Law:

$$V = I * R$$

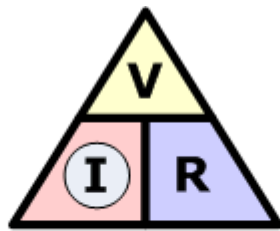
Voltage (measure in volts)

I: Current (measure in amps)

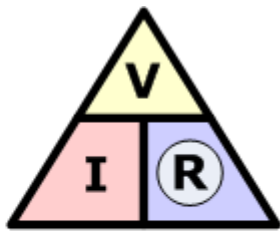
Resistance (measured in ohms)



$$V = I \times R$$

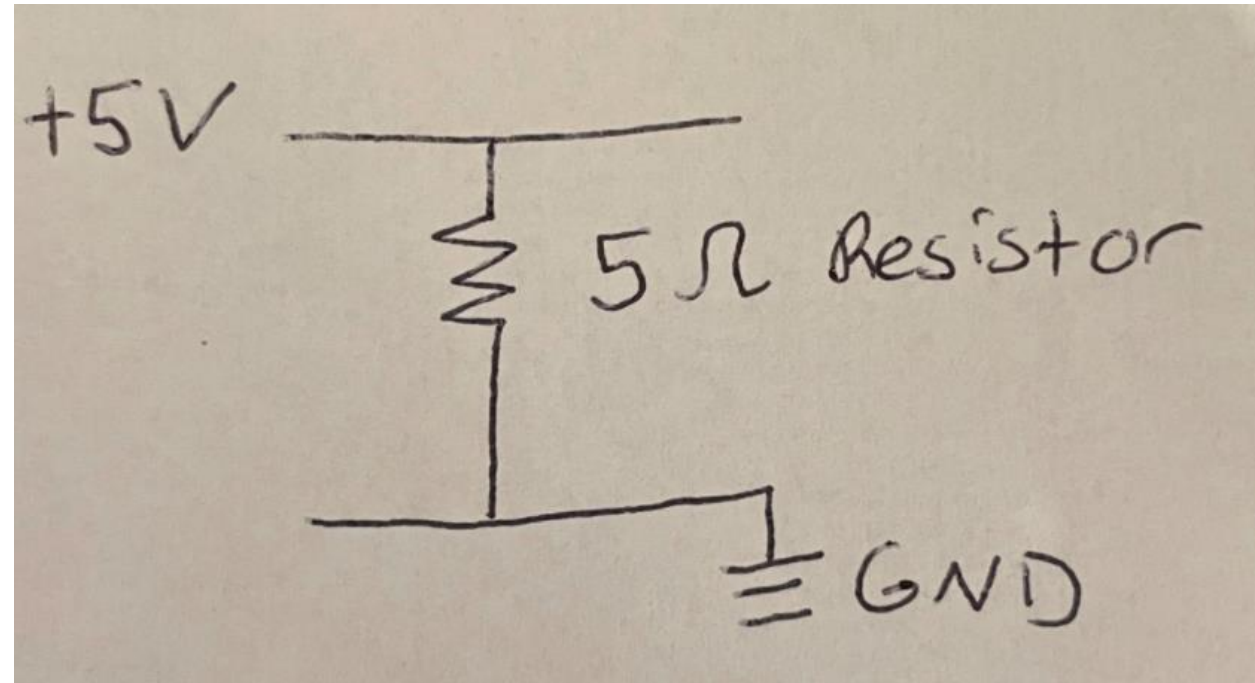


$$I = \frac{V}{R}$$



$$R = \frac{V}{I}$$

How much current goes through this resistor?



1A

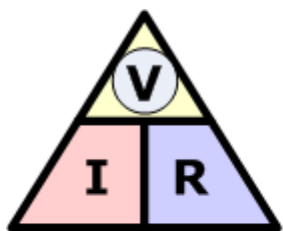
Ohm's Law:

$$V = I * R$$

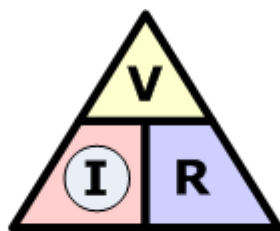
Voltage (measure in volts)

I: Current (measure in amps)

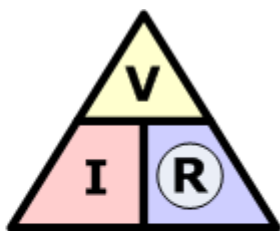
Resistance (measured in ohms)



$$V = I \times R$$

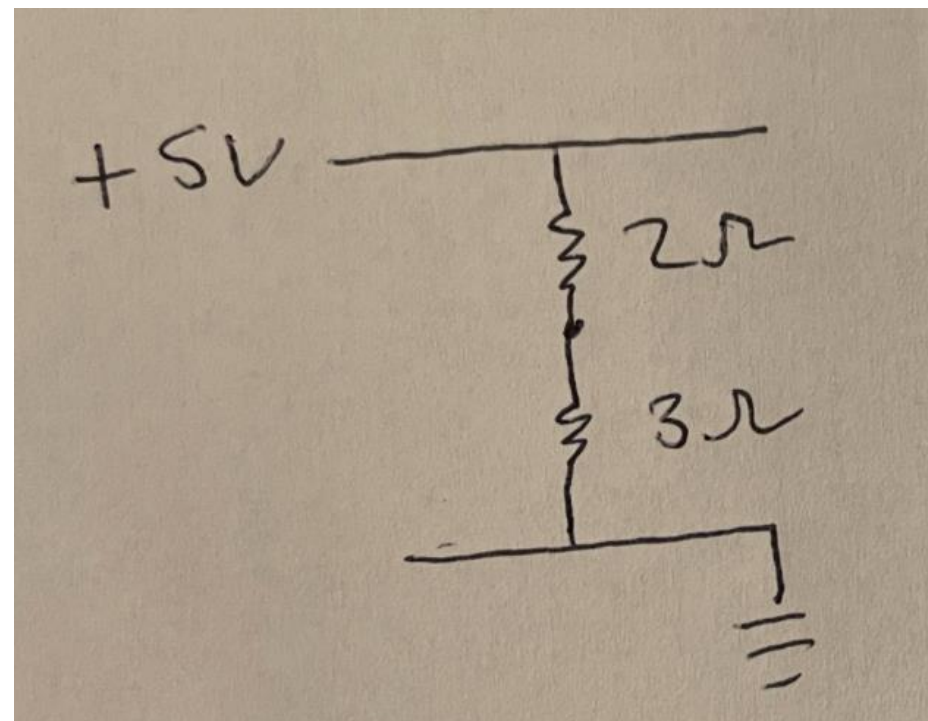


$$I = \frac{V}{R}$$



$$R = \frac{V}{I}$$

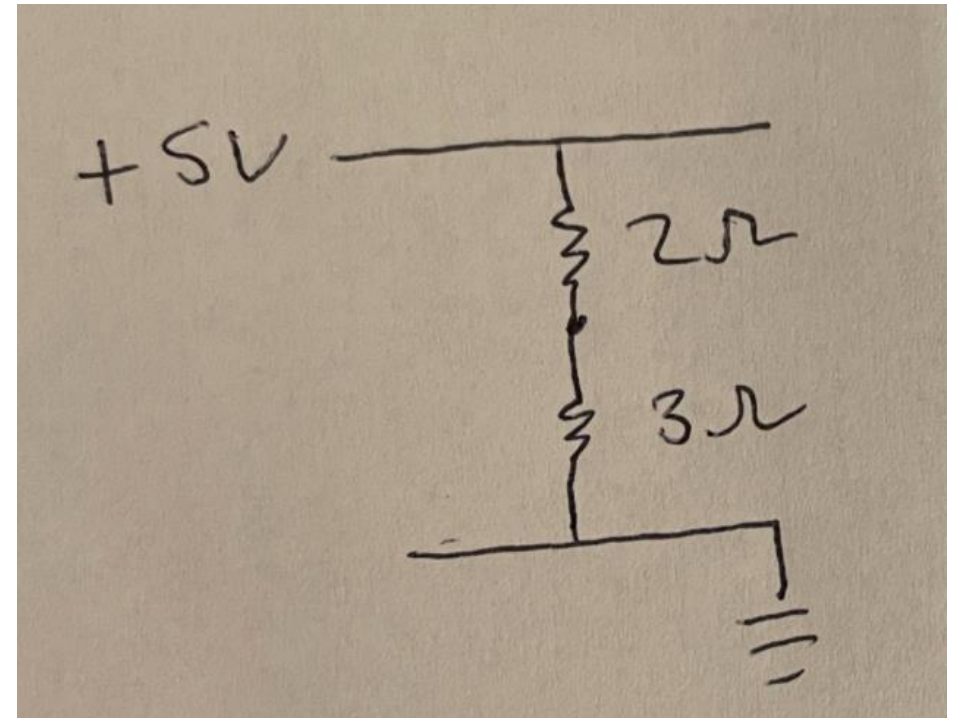
How about these resistors?



Ohm's Law:

- Resistance in series adds
- To learn more about series and parallel check out this link: https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Series_and_parallel_circuits

How about these resistors?

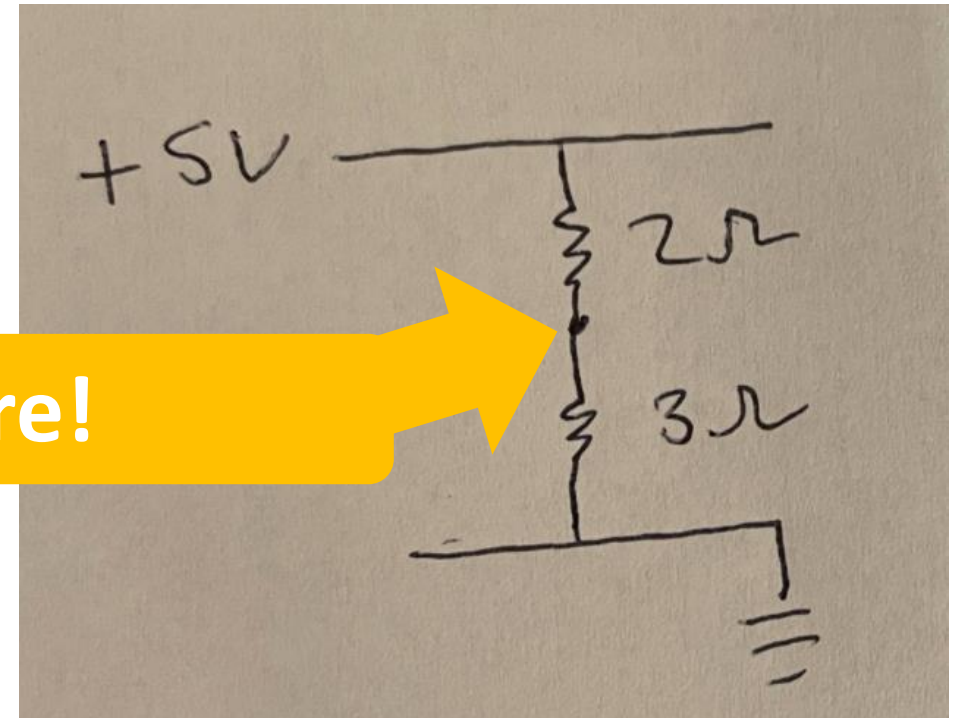


1A

Ohm's Law:

- Resistance in series adds
- To learn more about series and parallel check out the https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Series_and_parallel_circuits

How about these resistors?



1A

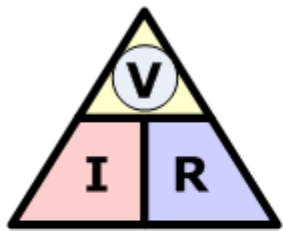
Ohm's Law:

$$V = I * R$$

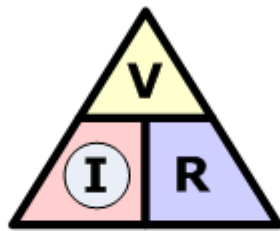
Voltage (measure in volts)

I: Current (measure in amps)

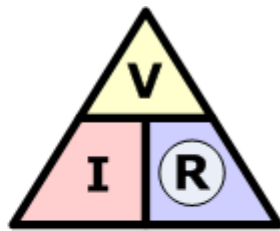
Resistance (measured in ohms)



$$V = I \times R$$

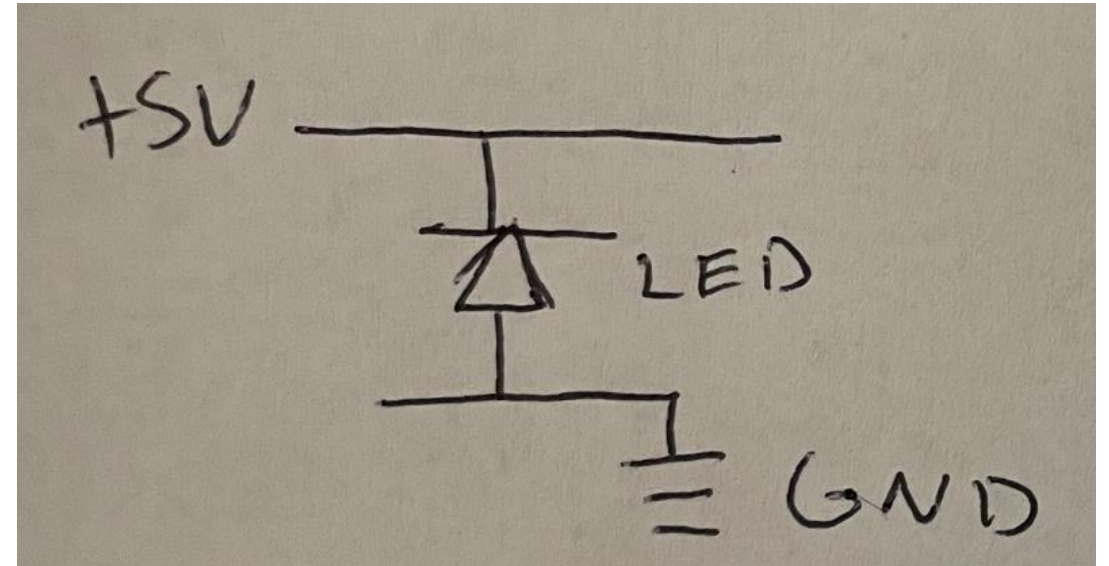


$$I = \frac{V}{R}$$



$$R = \frac{V}{I}$$

What about this LED?



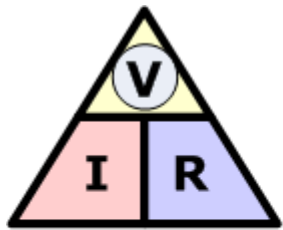
Ohm's Law:

$$V = I * R$$

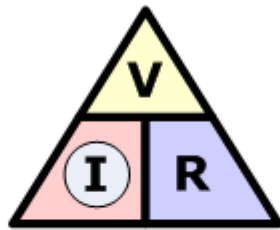
Voltage (measure in volts)

I: Current (measure in amps)

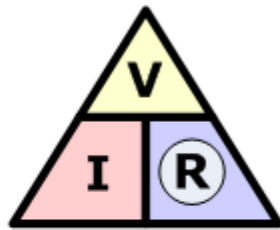
Resistance (measured in ohms)



$$V = I \times R$$

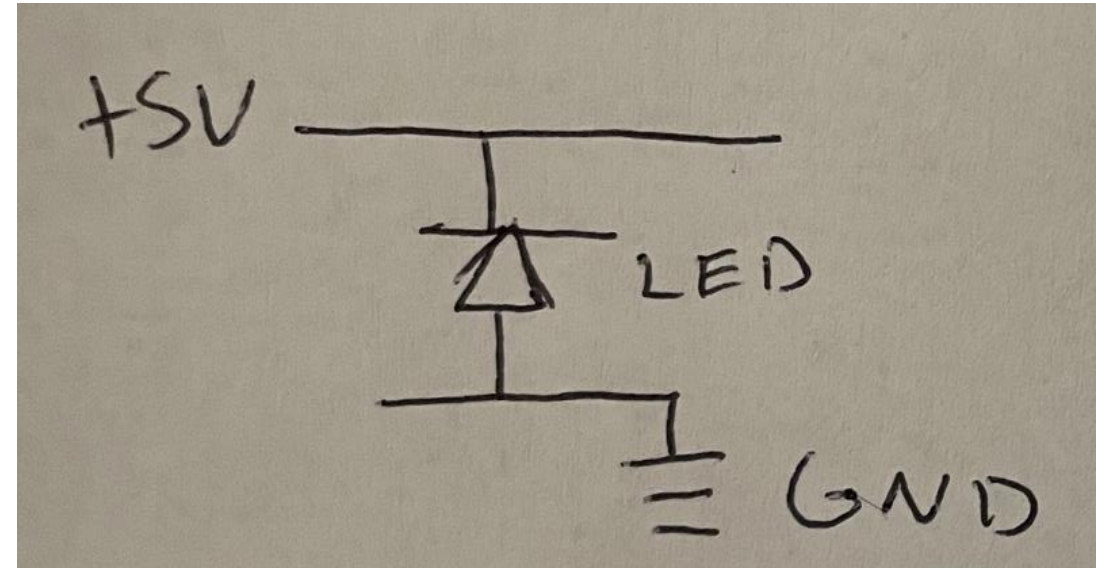


$$I = \frac{V}{R}$$



$$R = \frac{V}{I}$$

What about this LED?



Trick Question – 0A
All diodes are one way!

Ohm's Law:

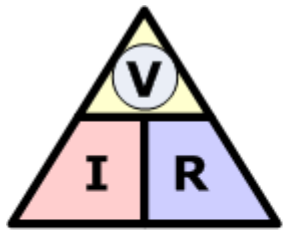
$$V = I * R$$

Voltage (measure in volts)

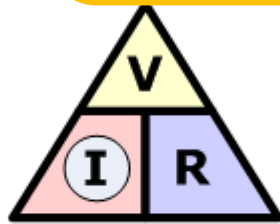
I: Current

Resistance

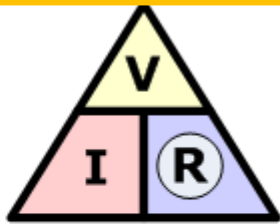
Green line on surface mount parts!



$$V = I \times R$$

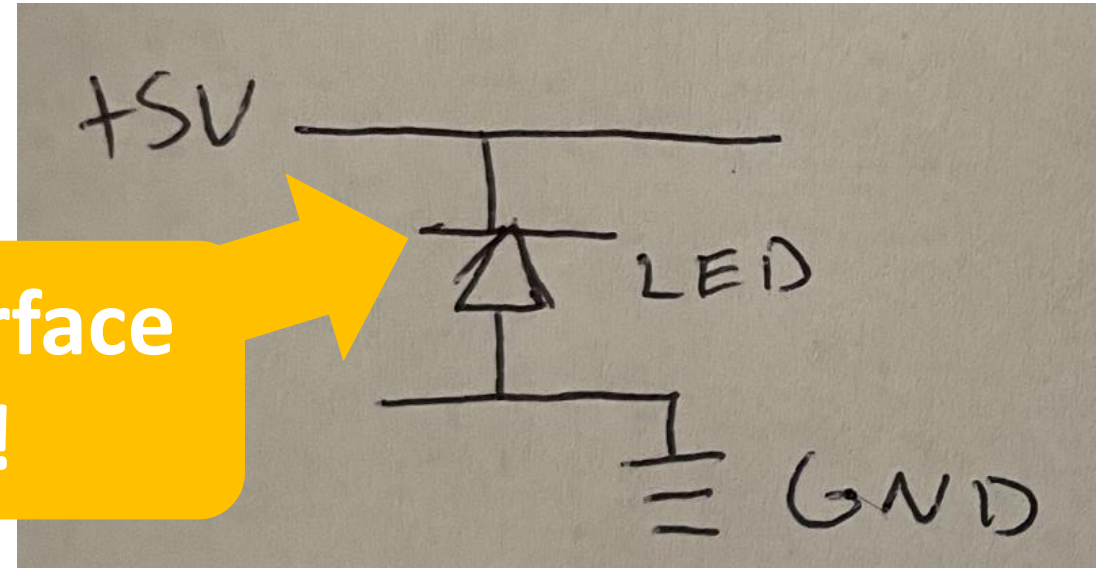


$$I = \frac{V}{R}$$



$$R = \frac{V}{I}$$

What about this LED?



Trick Question – 0A
All diodes are one way!

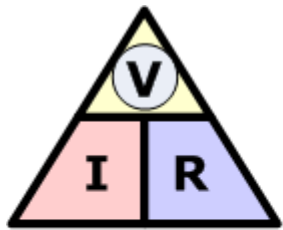
Ohm's Law:

$$V = I * R$$

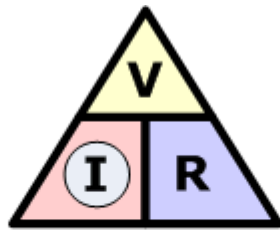
Voltage (measure in volts)

I: Current (measure in amps)

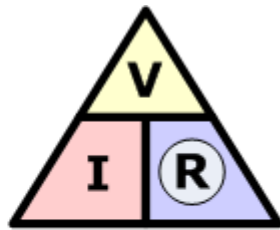
Resistance (measured in ohms)



$$V = I \times R$$

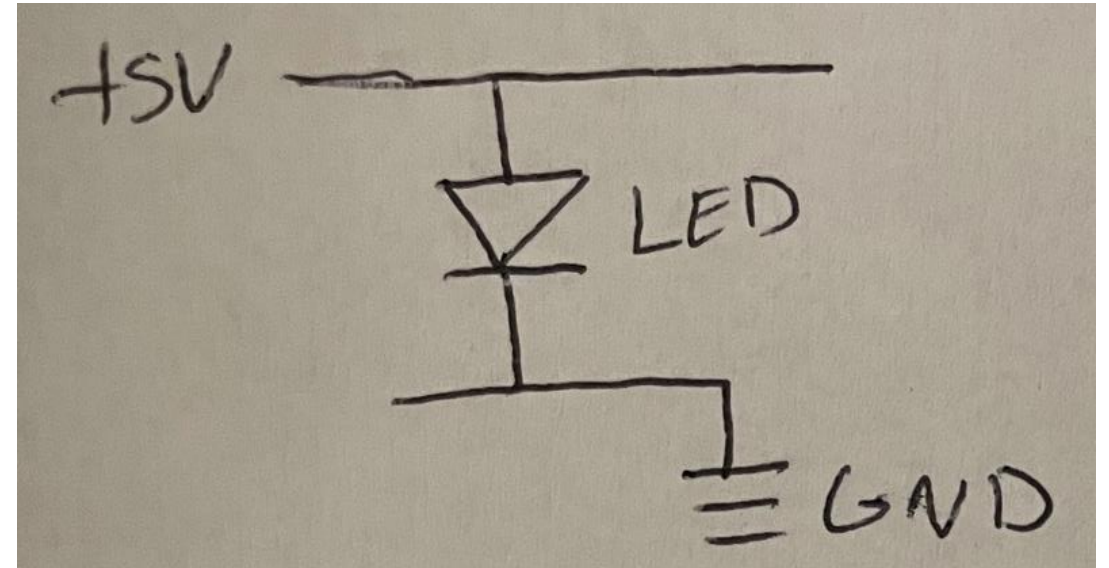


$$I = \frac{V}{R}$$



$$R = \frac{V}{I}$$

Ok so what about this
(correct direction) LED?



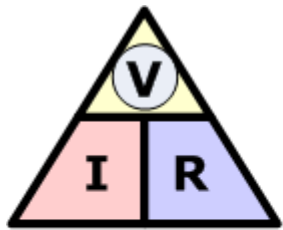
Ohm's Law:

$$V = I * R$$

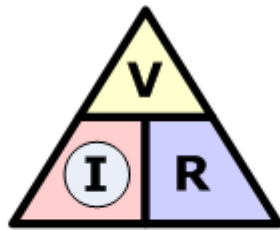
Voltage (measure in volts)

I: Current (measure in amps)

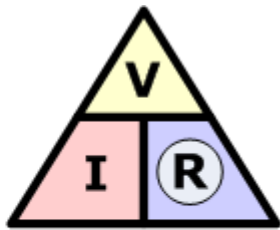
Resistance (measured in ohms)



$$V = I \times R$$

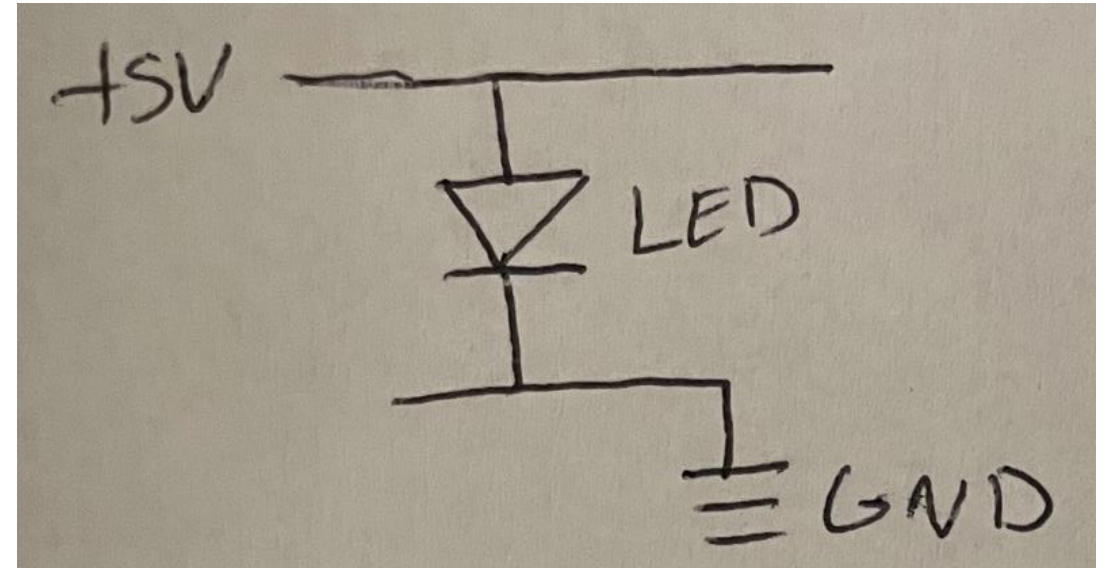


$$I = \frac{V}{R}$$



$$R = \frac{V}{I}$$

Ok so what about this
(correct direction) LED?



Trick Question Again – ∞ A
Diodes have 0 resistance!

Ohm's Law:

$$V = IR$$

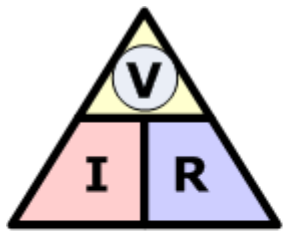
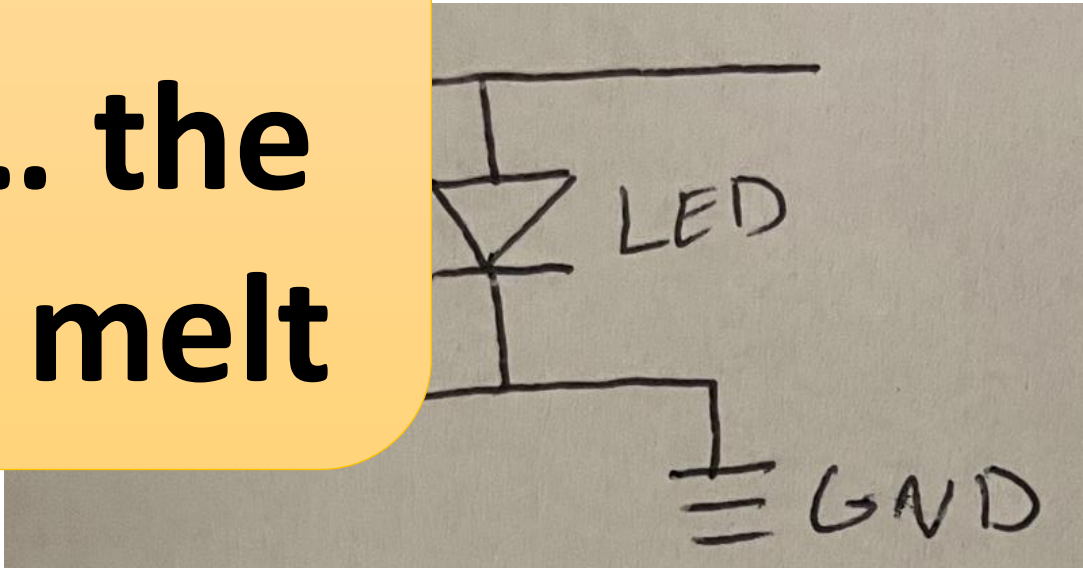
Voltage (V)

I: Current (I)

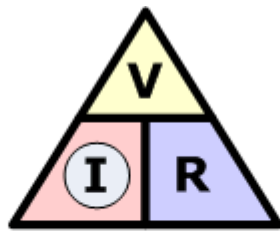
R: Resistance (R)

Infinite current... the part will melt

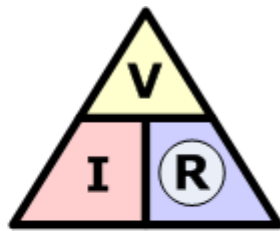
Ok so what about this (reverse direction) LED?



$$V = I \times R$$



$$I = \frac{V}{R}$$



$$R = \frac{V}{I}$$

Trick Question Again – ∞ A
Diodes have 0 resistance!

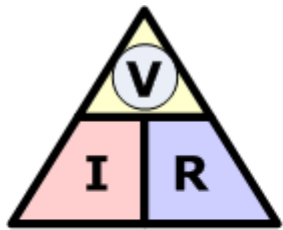
Ohm's Law:

$$V = I * R$$

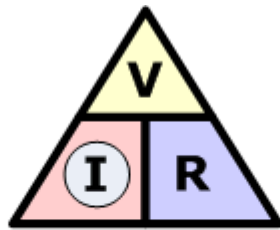
Voltage (measure in volts)

I: Current (measure in amps)

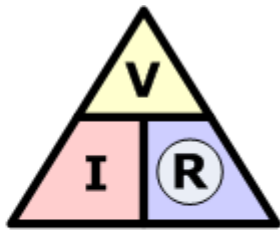
Resistance (measured in ohms)



$$V = I \times R$$

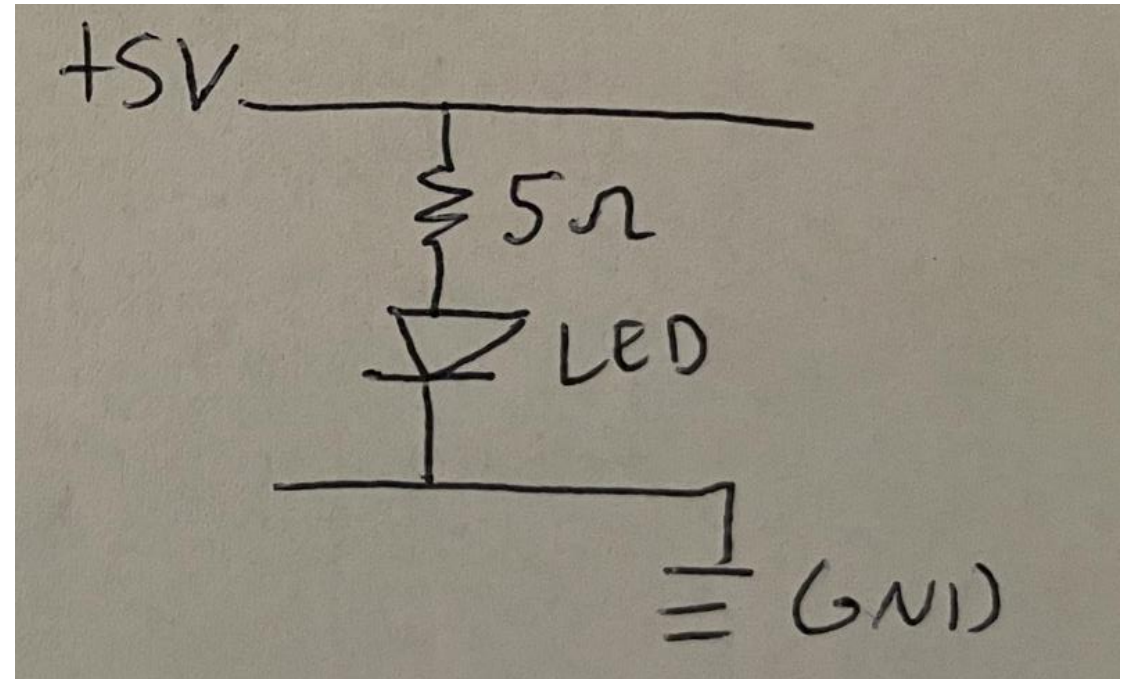


$$I = \frac{V}{R}$$



$$R = \frac{V}{I}$$

Ok so what about this
(correct direction) LED with a
current limiting resistor!



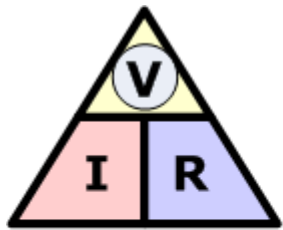
Ohm's Law:

$$V = I * R$$

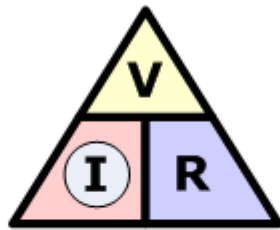
Voltage (measure in volts)

I: Current (measure in amps)

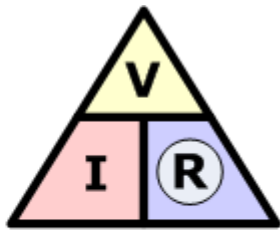
Resistance (measured in ohms)



$$V = I \times R$$

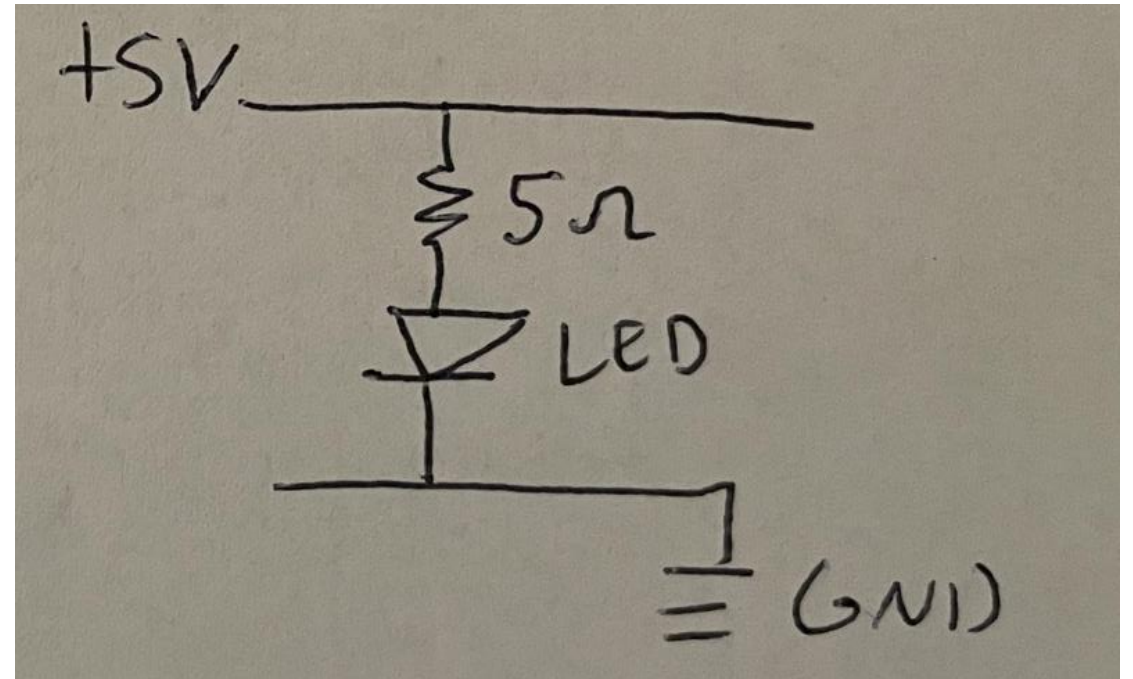


$$I = \frac{V}{R}$$



$$R = \frac{V}{I}$$

Ok so what about this
(correct direction) LED with a
current limiting resistor!

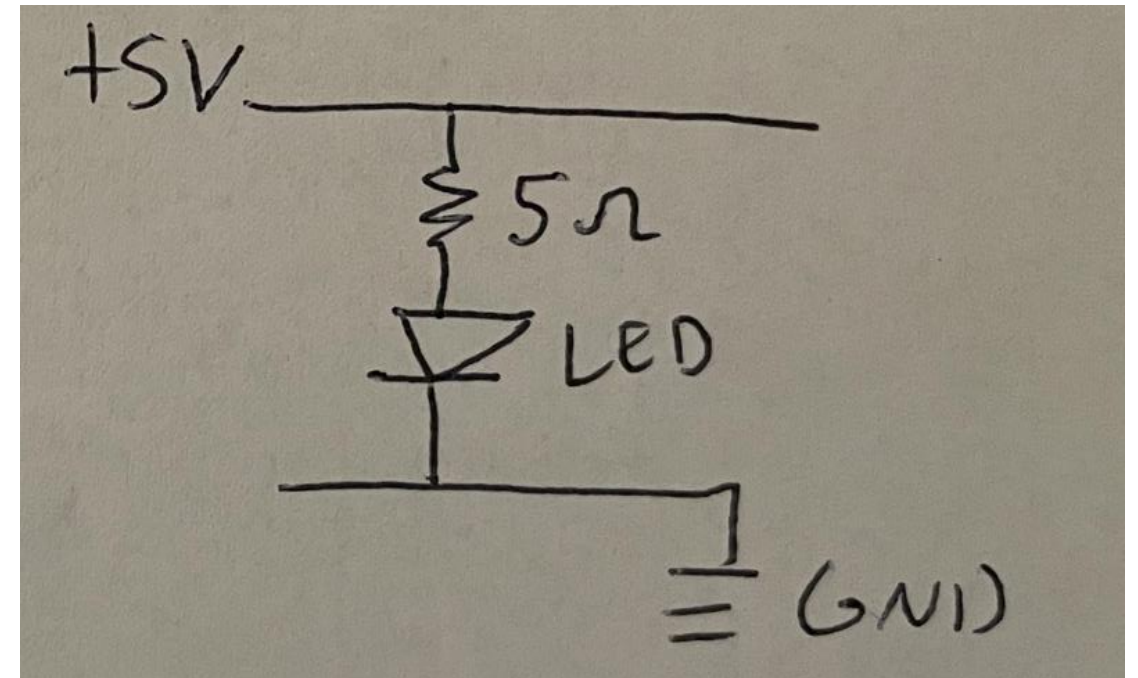


1A

Ohm's Law:

- 500 to 1K ohm resistors work well (for me)
- The order of the resistor and LED does NOT matter

Ok so what about this (correct direction) LED with a current limiting resistor!



1A

Our second equation - Capacitance

$$C = I * dv/dt$$

Capacitance (measured in farads) (also a charge measurement, charge = CV)

I: Current (measure in amps)

dV/dt: Change in Voltage over time (measure in volts/second)

Capacitance

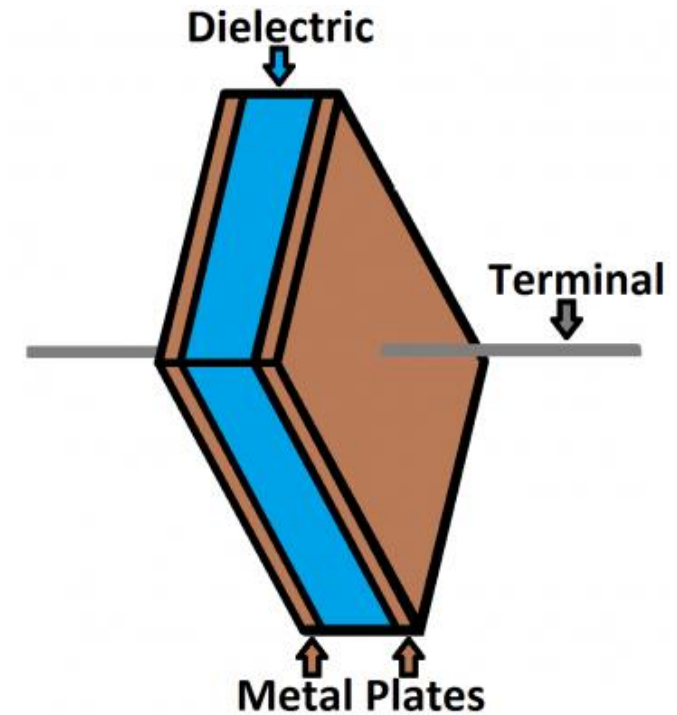
$$C = I * dv/dt$$

Capacitance (measured in farads)

I: Current (measure in amps)

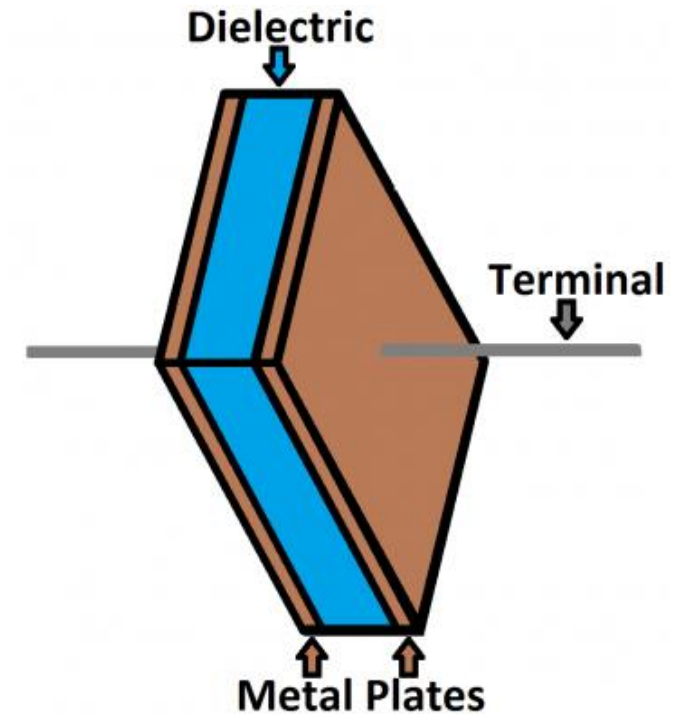
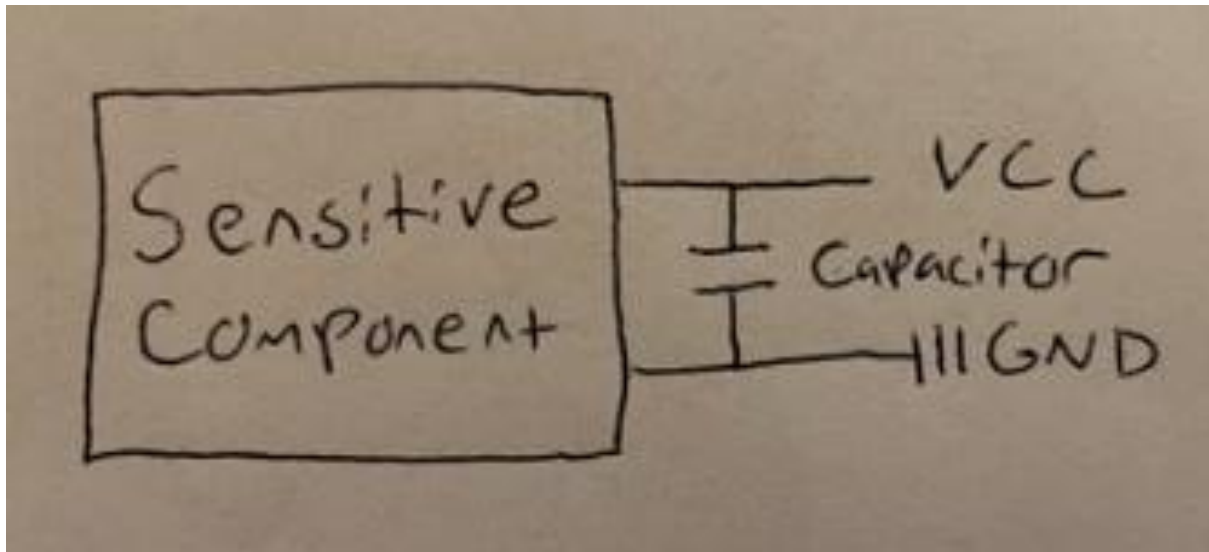
dV/dt: Change in Voltage over time
(measure in volts/second)

Energy is stored in an *electric* field

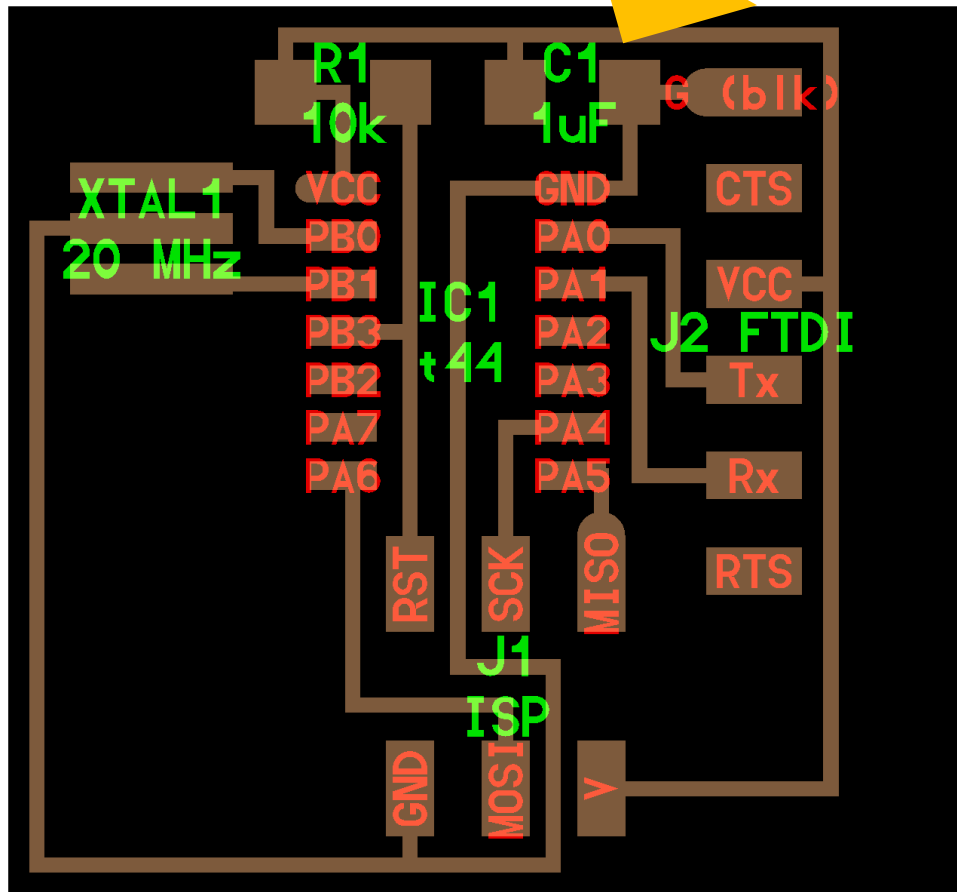


Capacitance

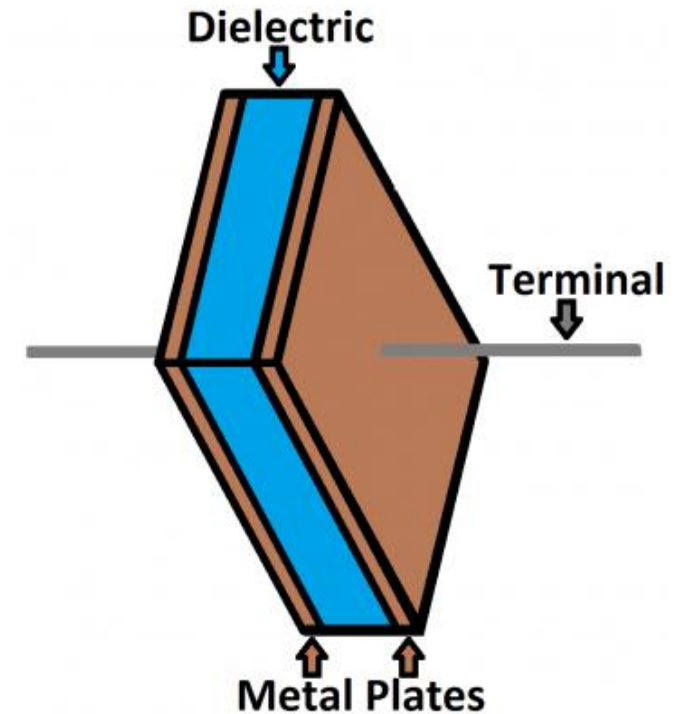
The science here can get a little complicated but/and I like to think of a capacitor as a **filter** for changes in voltage



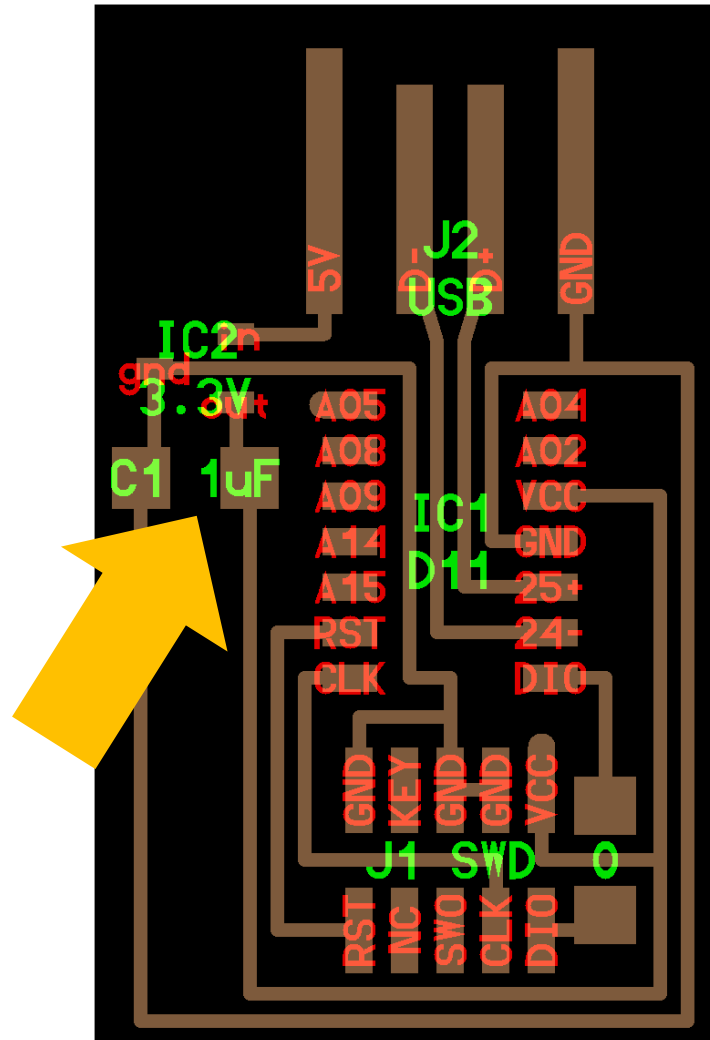
Capacitance



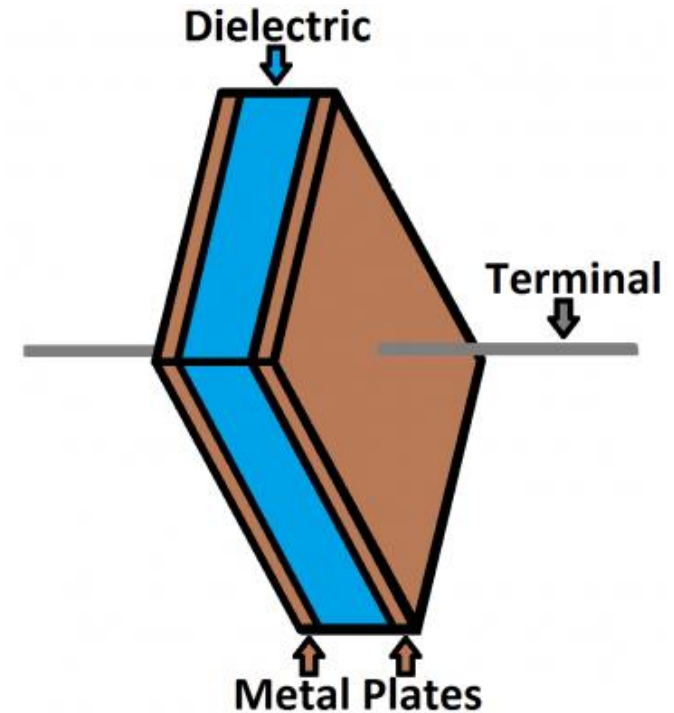
The science here can get a little complicated but/and I like to think of a capacitor as a **filter** for changes in voltage



Capacitance



The science here can get a little complicated but/and I like to think of a capacitor as a **filter** for changes in voltage



Inductance

$$v(t) = L \frac{di}{dt}$$

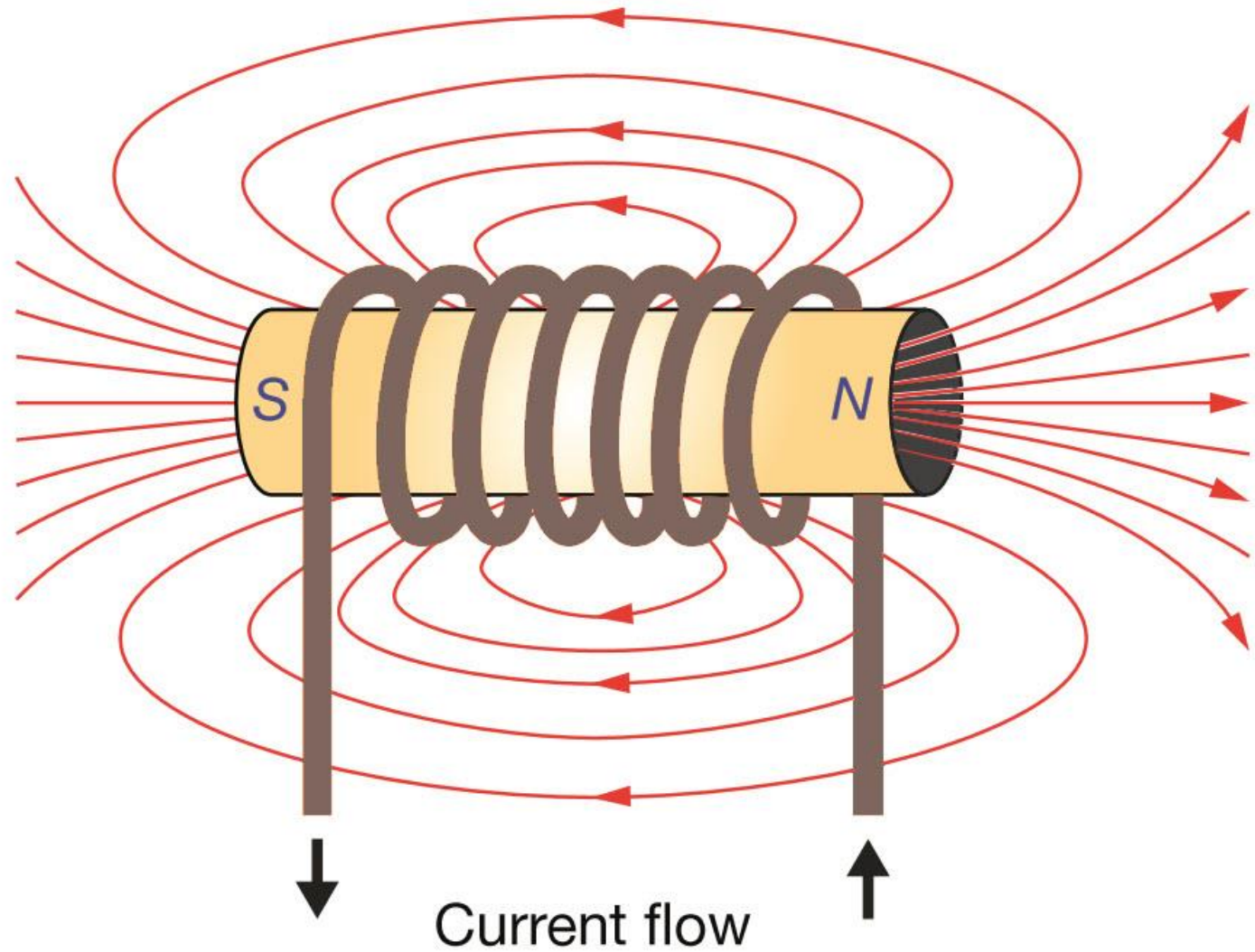
Inductance (measured in “henry”s)

v(t): voltage induced by inductor at this instant

di/dt: Change in Current over time (measure in volts/second)

Inductance

Energy is stored in a magnetic field (!)

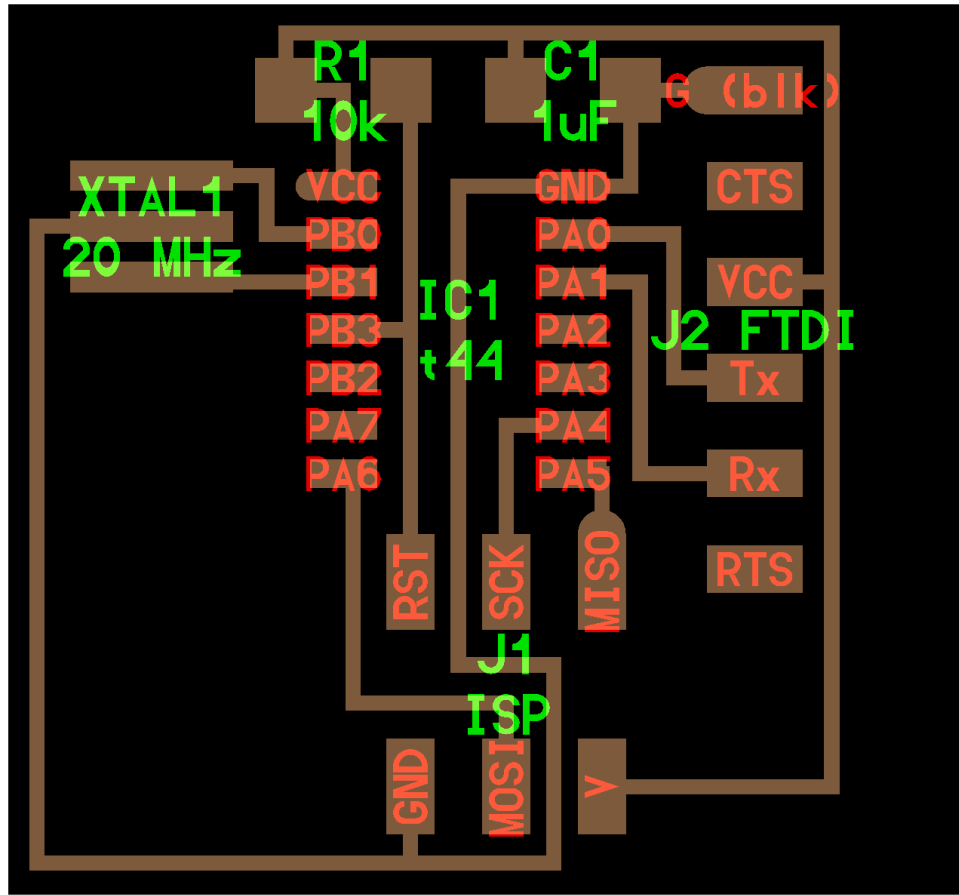


Triplets

- Resistance / Resistors: resists voltage, “does work”
- Capacitance / Capacitors: resists change in voltage
- Inductance / Inductors: resists change in current

Triplets

- *everything* has *some* resistance, inductance, and capacitance; resistors are inductors, capacitors are resistors, inductors are capacitors, etc...
- we can largely ignore this inconvenience until we hit high powers, high frequencies, and high precision



But how will I know if my component needs a capacitor? And how big of a capacitor will I need? (and what are all of those labels?)

Features

- High Performance, Low Power AVR[®] 8-bit Microcontroller
- Advanced RISC Architecture
 - 120 Powerful Instructions – Most Single Clock Cycle Execution
 - 32 x 8 General Purpose Working Registers
 - Fully Static Operation
- High Endurance, Non-volatile Memory Segments
 - 2K/4K/8K Bytes of In-System, Self-programmable Flash Program Memory
 - Endurance: 10,000 Write/Erase Cycles
 - 128/256/512 Bytes of In-System Programmable EEPROM
 - Endurance: 100,000 Write/Erase Cycles
 - 128/256/512 Bytes of Internal SRAM
 - Data Retention: 20 years at 85°C / 100 years at 25°C
 - Programming Lock for Self-programming Flash & EEPROM Data Security
- Peripheral Features
 - One 8-bit and One 16-bit Timer/Counter with Two PWM Channels, Each
 - 10-bit ADC
 - 8 Single-ended Channels
 - 12 Differential ADC Channel Pairs with Programmable Gain (1x / 20x)
 - Programmable Watchdog Timer with Separate On-chip Oscillator
 - On-chip Analog Comparator
 - Universal Serial Interface
- Special Microcontroller Features
 - debugWIRE On-chip Debug System
 - In-System Programmable via SPI Port
 - Internal and External Interrupt Sources
 - Pin Change Interrupt on 12 Pins
 - Low Power Idle, ADC Noise Reduction, Standby and Power-down Modes
 - Enhanced Power-on Reset Circuit
 - Programmable Brown-out Detection Circuit with Software Disable Function
 - Internal Calibrated Oscillator
 - On-chip Temperature Sensor
- I/O and Packages
 - Available in 20-pin QFN/MLF/VQFN, 14-pin SOIC, 14-pin PDIP and 15-ball UFBGA
 - Twelve Programmable I/O Lines
- Operating Voltage:
 - 1.8 – 5.5V
- Speed Grade:
 - 0 – 4 MHz @ 1.8 – 5.5V
 - 0 – 10 MHz @ 2.7 – 5.5V
 - 0 – 20 MHz @ 4.5 – 5.5V
- Industrial Temperature Range: -40°C to +85°C
- Low Power Consumption
 - Active Mode:
 - 210 µA at 1.8V and 1 MHz
 - Idle Mode:
 - 33 µA at 1.8V and 1 MHz
 - Power-down Mode:
 - 0.1 µA at 1.8V and 25°C



8-bit AVR[®]
Microcontroller
with 2K/4K/8K
Bytes In-System
Programmable
Flash

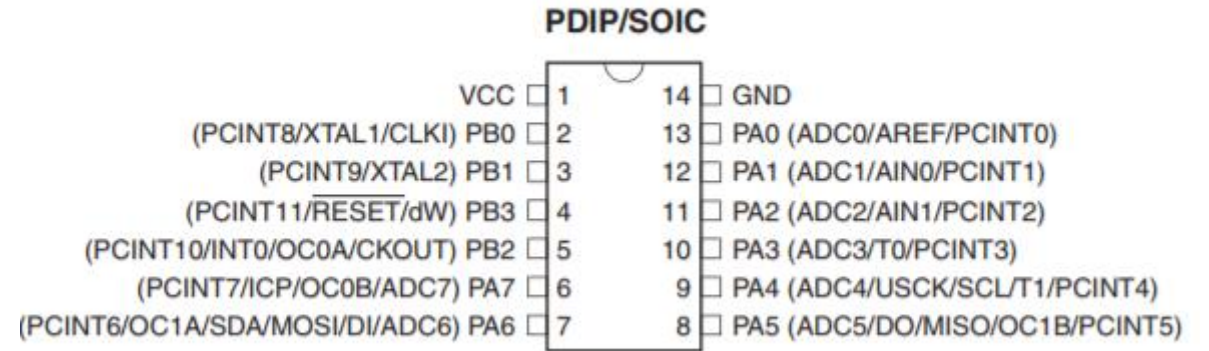
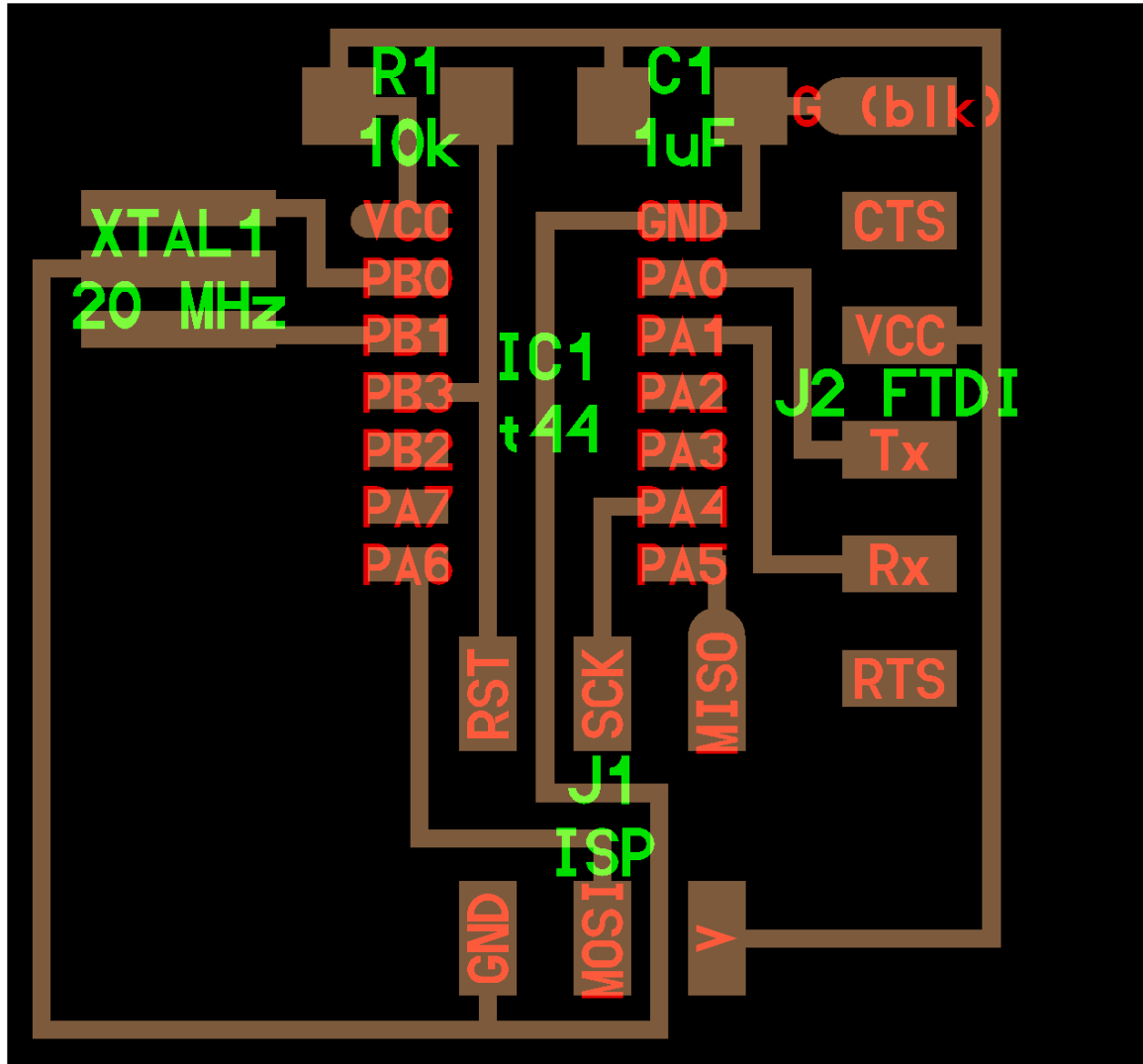
ATtiny24A
ATtiny44A
ATtiny84A

Rev. 8183F-AVR-08/12



Sometimes:
read the
datasheet

Often: follow
design patterns



Oh hey look at Neil's hello world board – it looks like the programming 6 pin header has all of it's named things connected to the ports on the Attiny with those names!

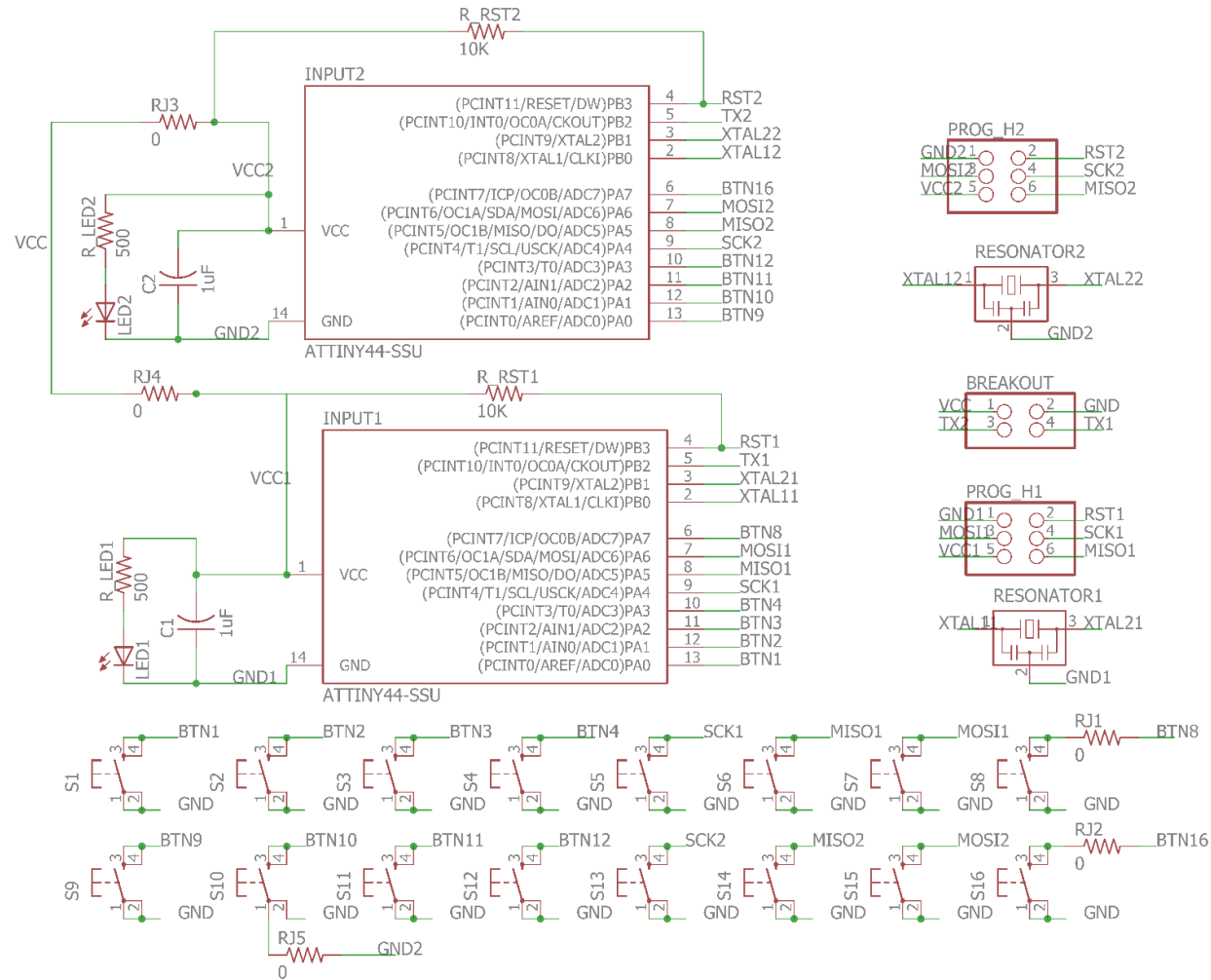
Oh and the clock too (XTAL)!

“EDA” Electronic Design Automation

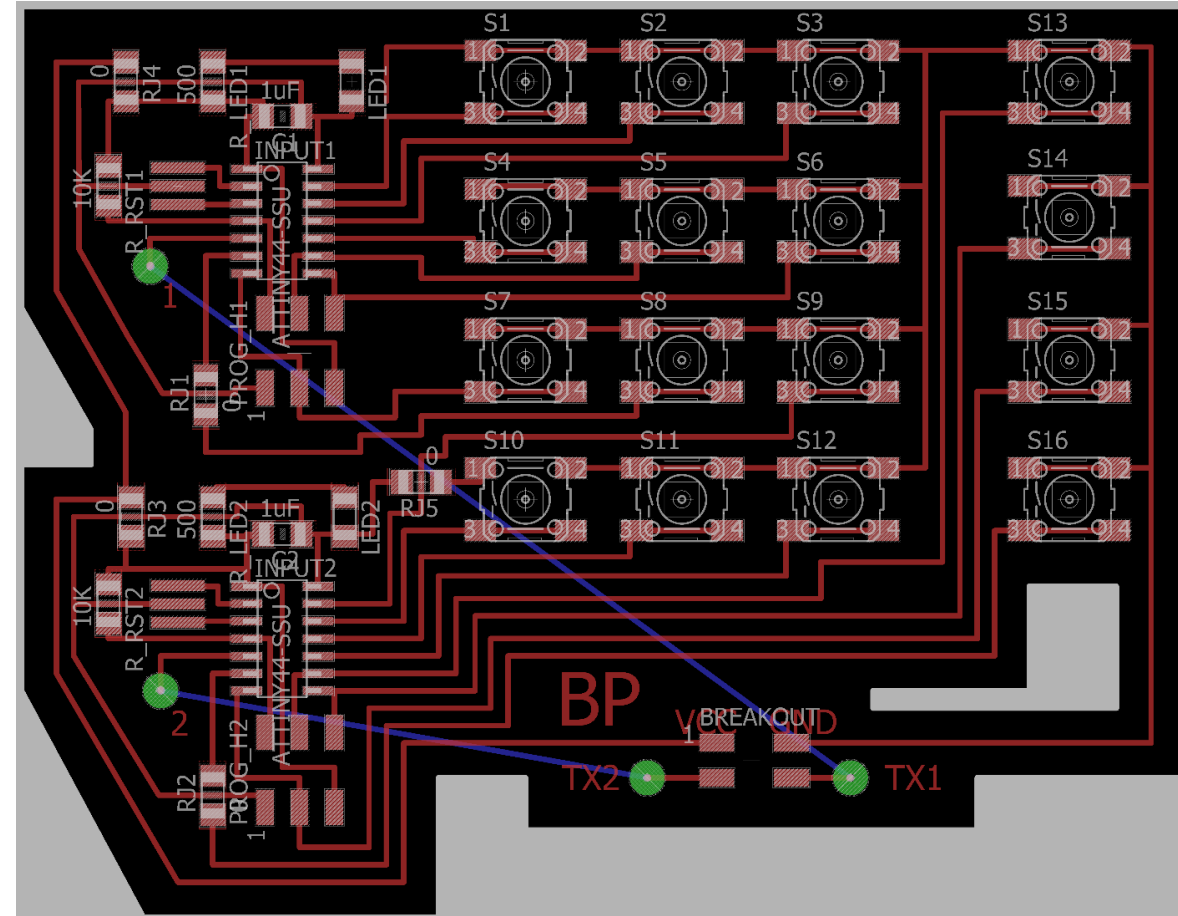
“ECAD” Electronics Computer Aided Design



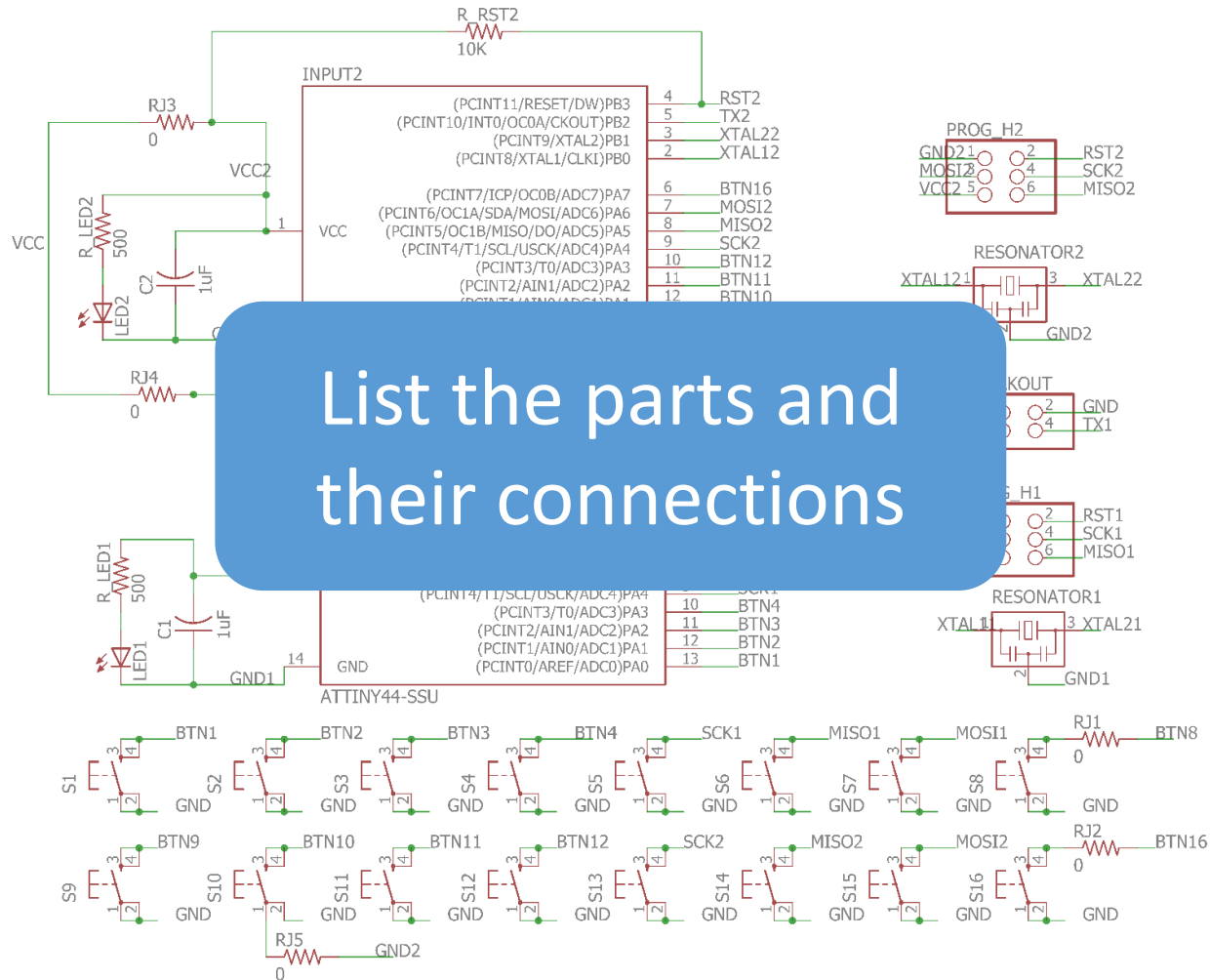
Schematic



Board File

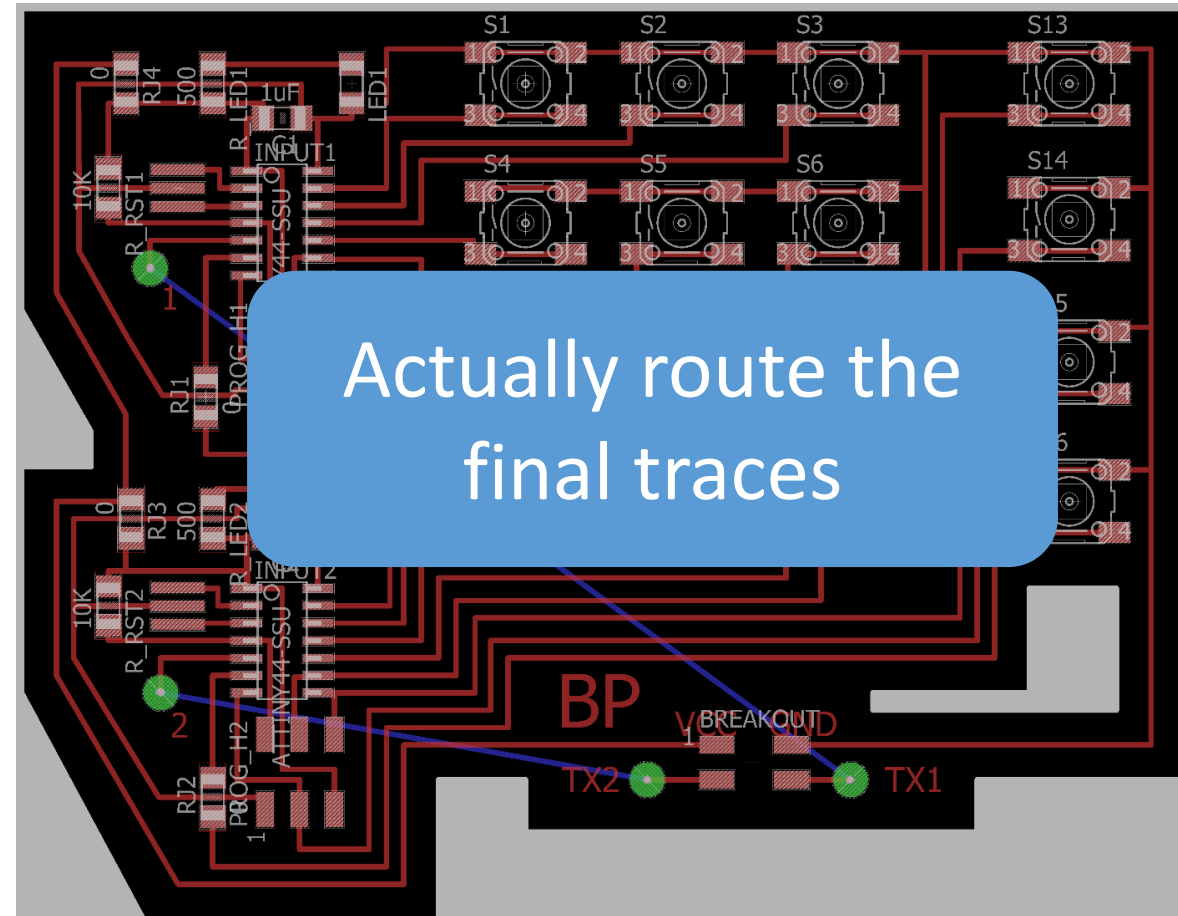


Schematic



List the parts and their connections

Board File

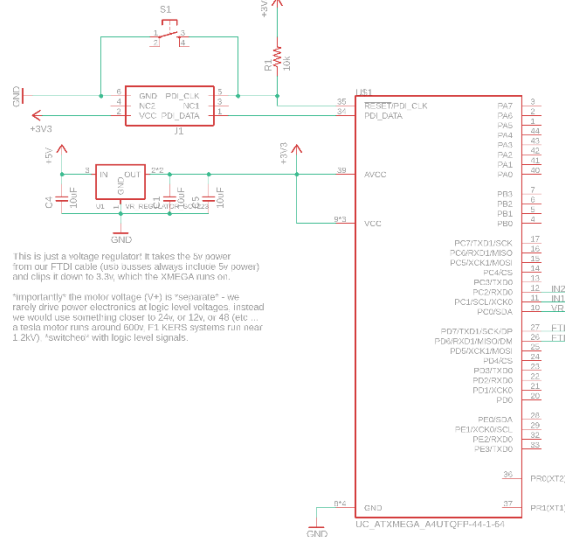


Actually route the final traces

Schematic

This part of the circuit includes the header to send programming signals to the microcontroller to write new programs into its memory

It also includes a physical switch we can use to reset the controller

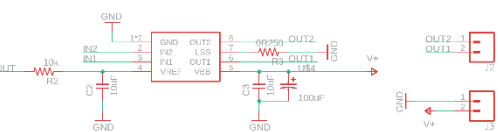


This is just a voltage regulator! It takes the 5v power from our FTDI cable (also outputs always include 5v power) and calls it down to 3.3v, which the ATXMEGA wants.

Importantly the motor voltage (V+) is "separate" - we rarely drive power electronics at logic level voltages, instead we would use something closer to 24v, or 12v, or 48 (etc ...) a motor runs around 600v, F1 K493 systems run near 1.2kV) "switcher" with logic level signals.



FTDI cables are USB-to-Serial (or USB-to-UART) converters, they let you send bytes to- and receive bytes from- your microcontroller's UART peripheral

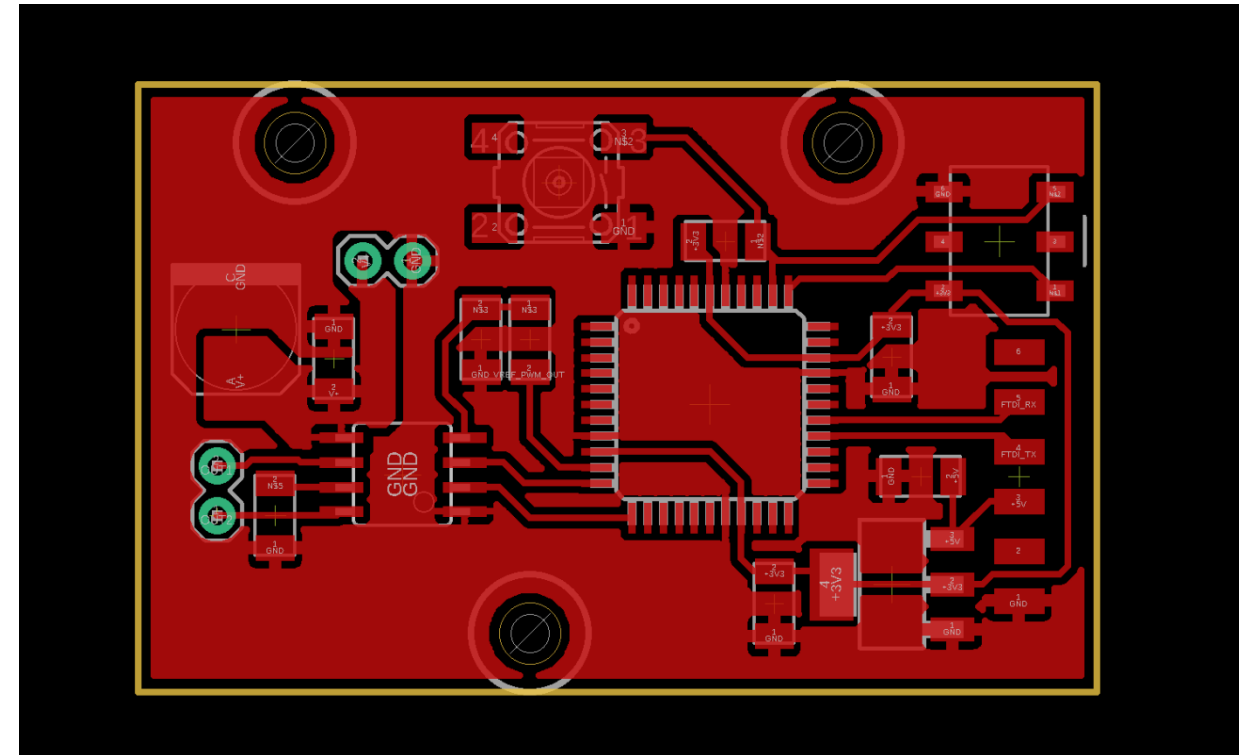


The A493 is an h-bridge with integrated current limiting hardware, to set the current limit I am driving to VREF pin with a PWM line and an RC filter

this will let me adjust the amount of current my motor sees, which is "effectively" torque control. IN1 and IN2 are GPIO that set the direction.

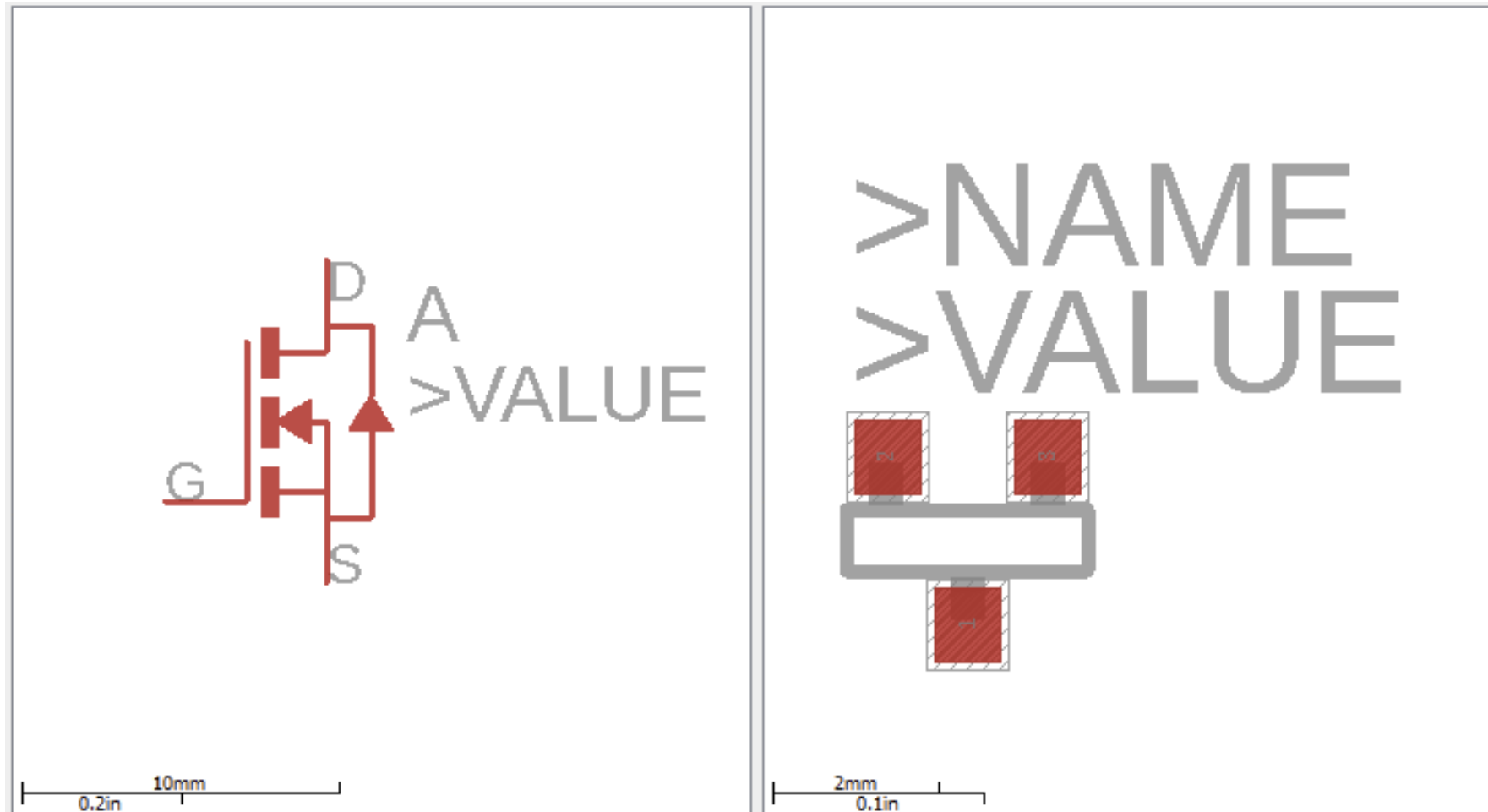
the small resistor (0.25ohms) is a "shunt" resistor that the A493 uses to measure current

Board File

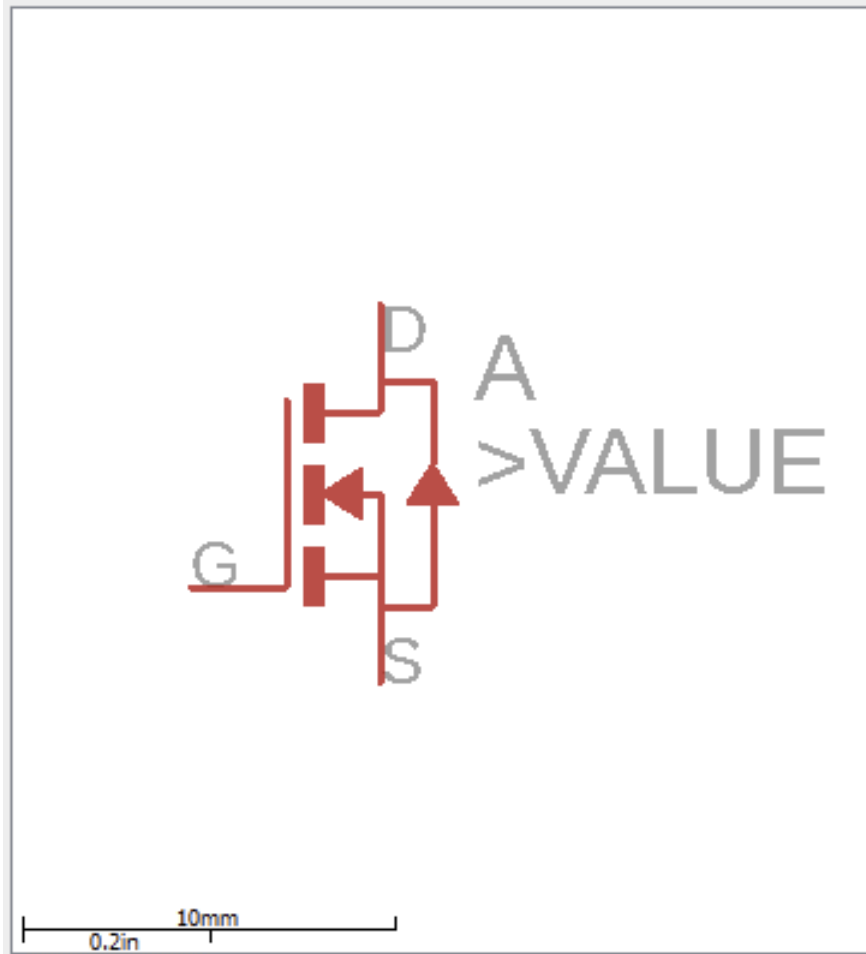


“Symbol”

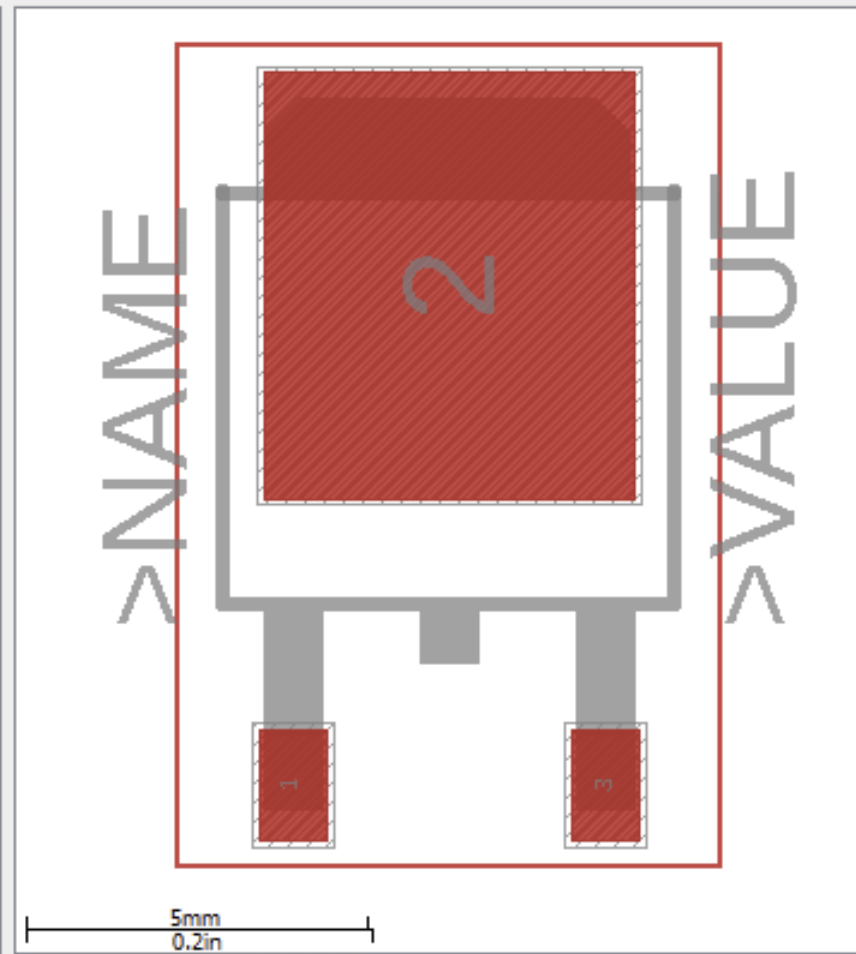
“Footprint”

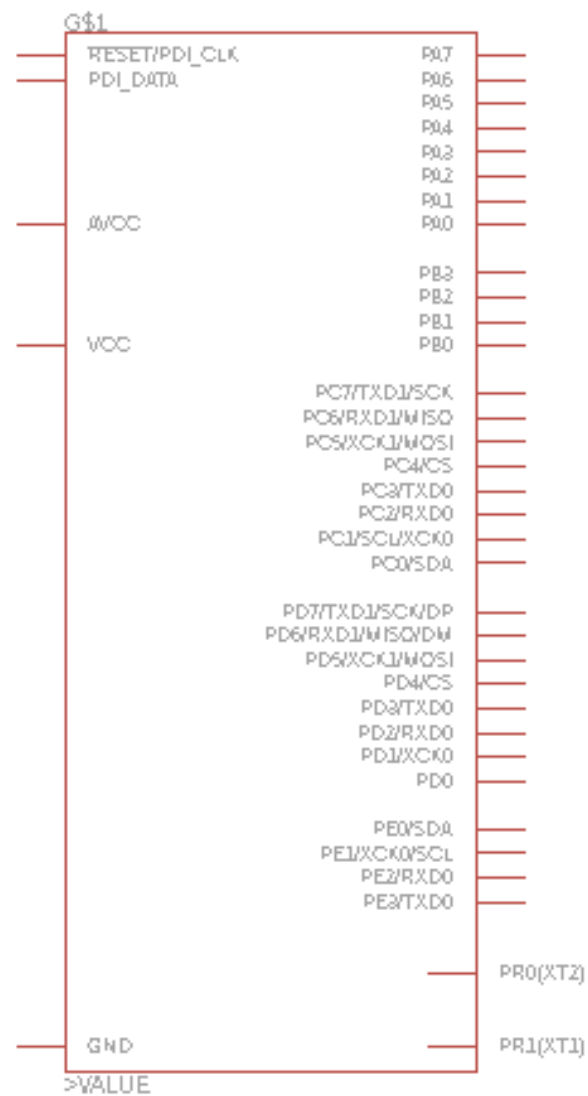


“Symbol”



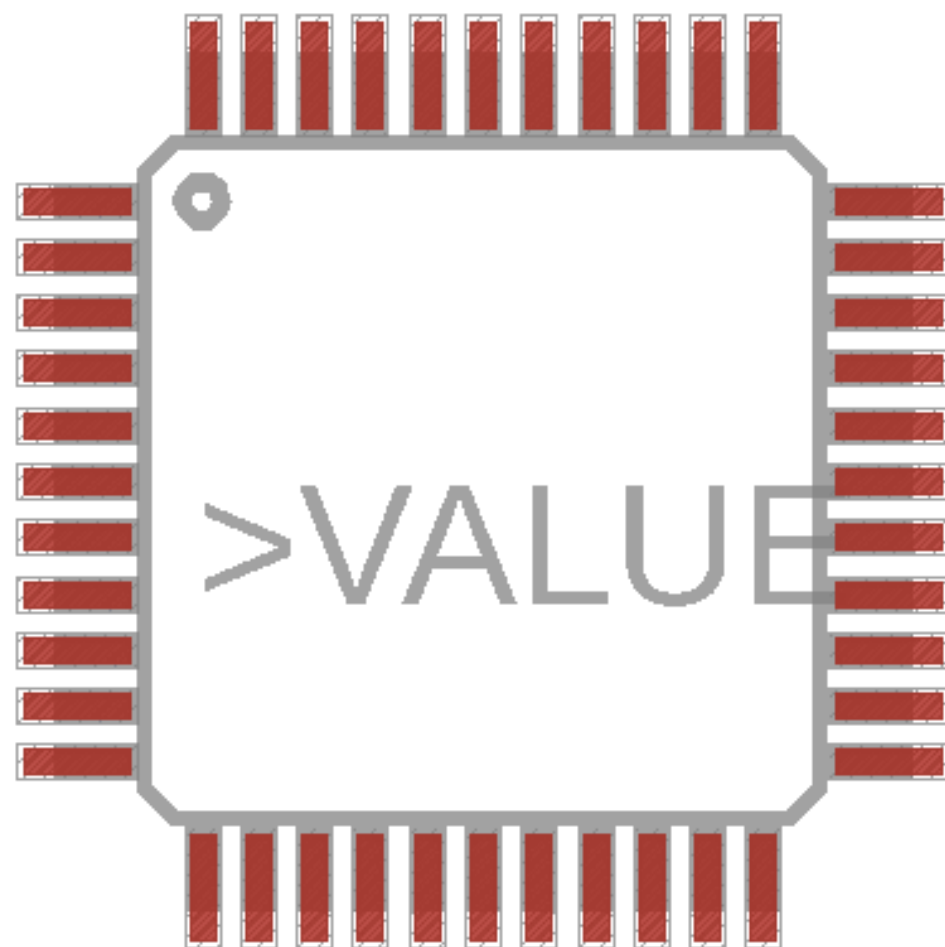
“Footprint”



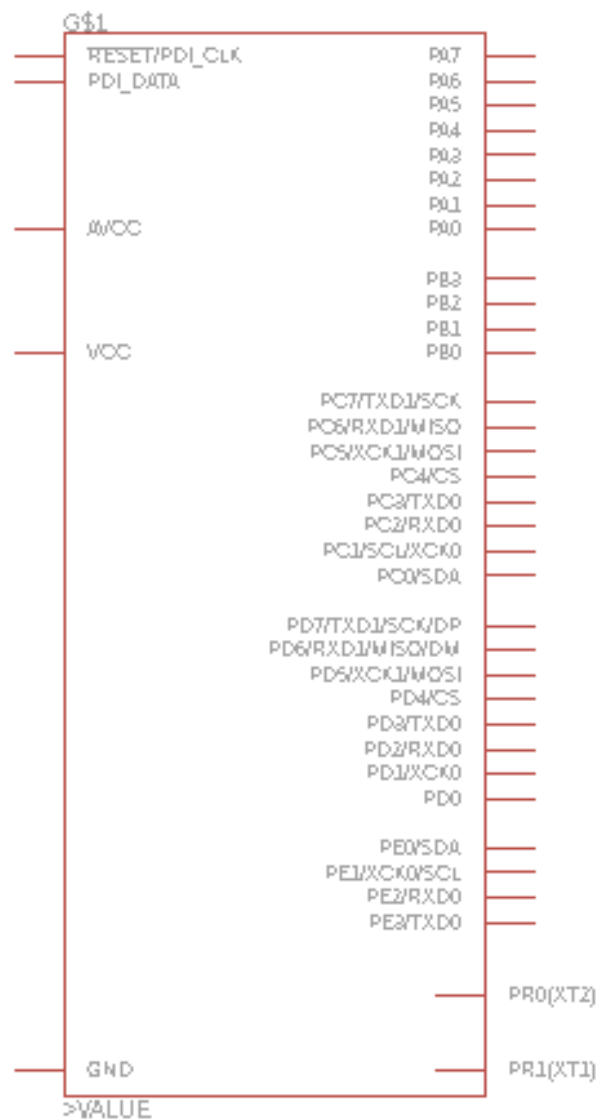


50mm
2in

>NAME



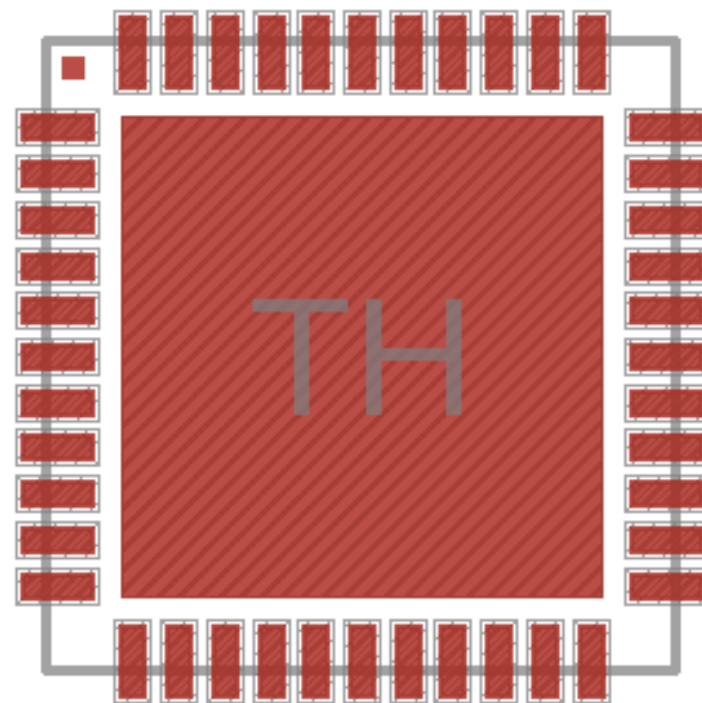
5mm
0.2in



50mm
2in

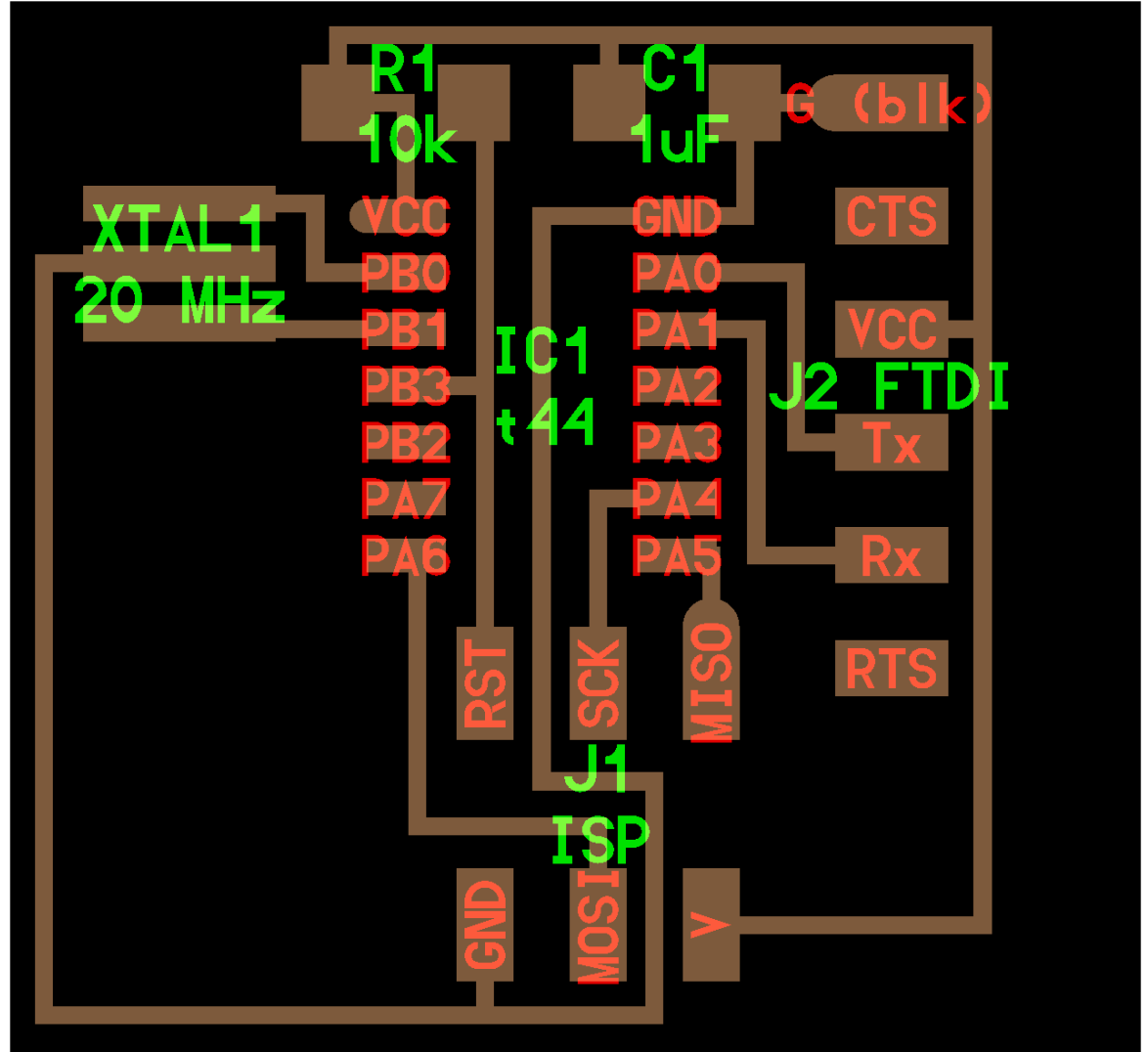
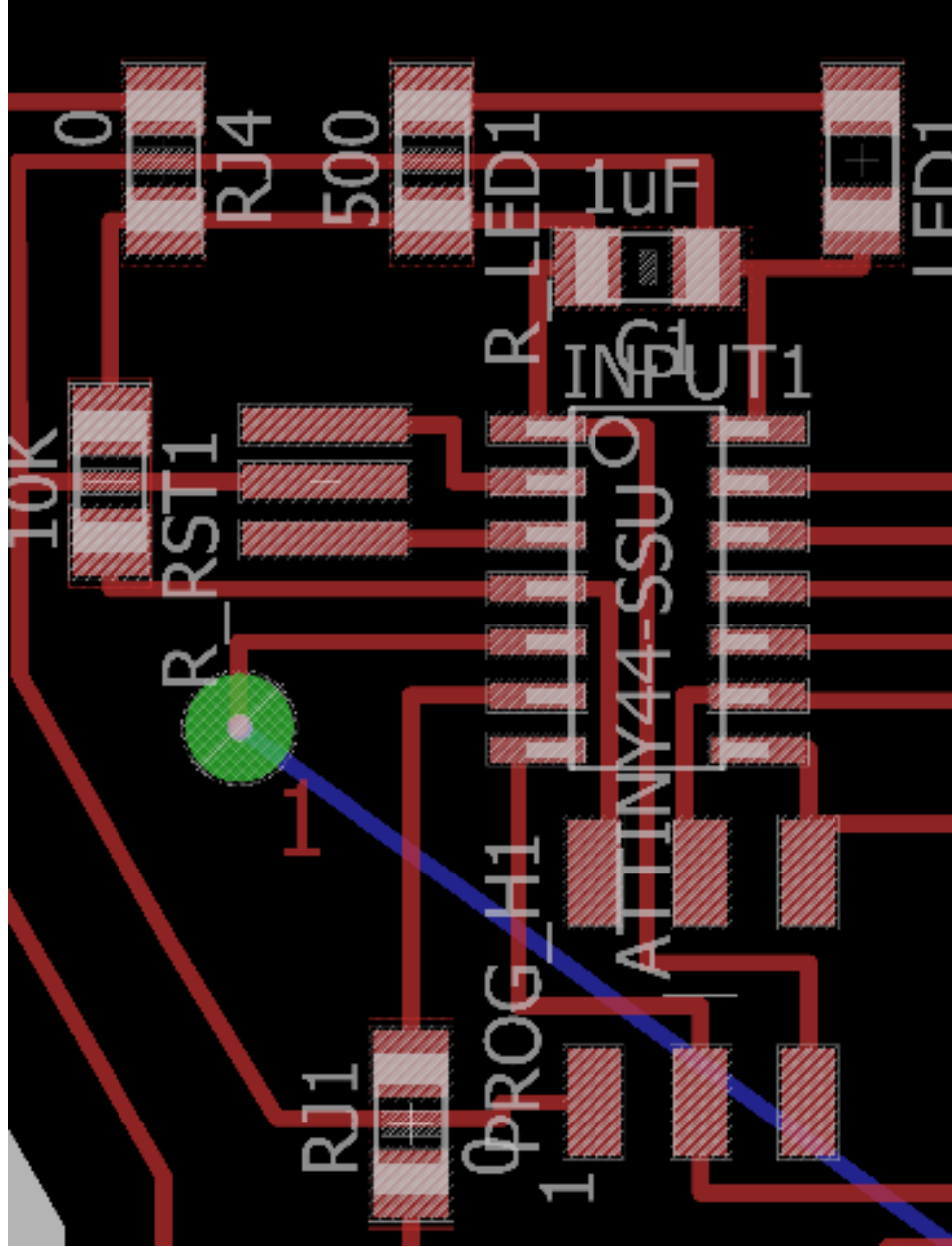
>VALUE

>NAME



>VALUE

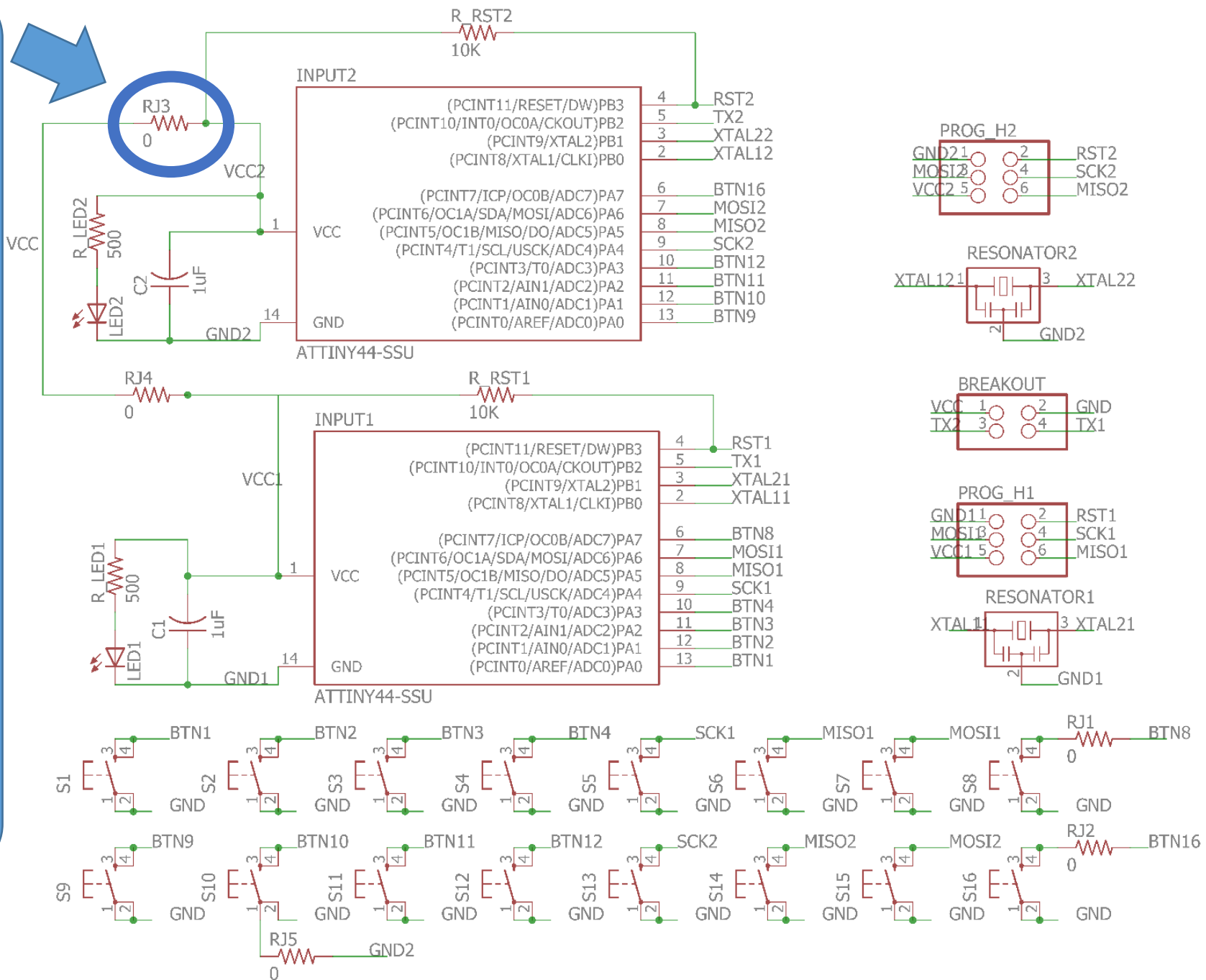
5mm
0.2in

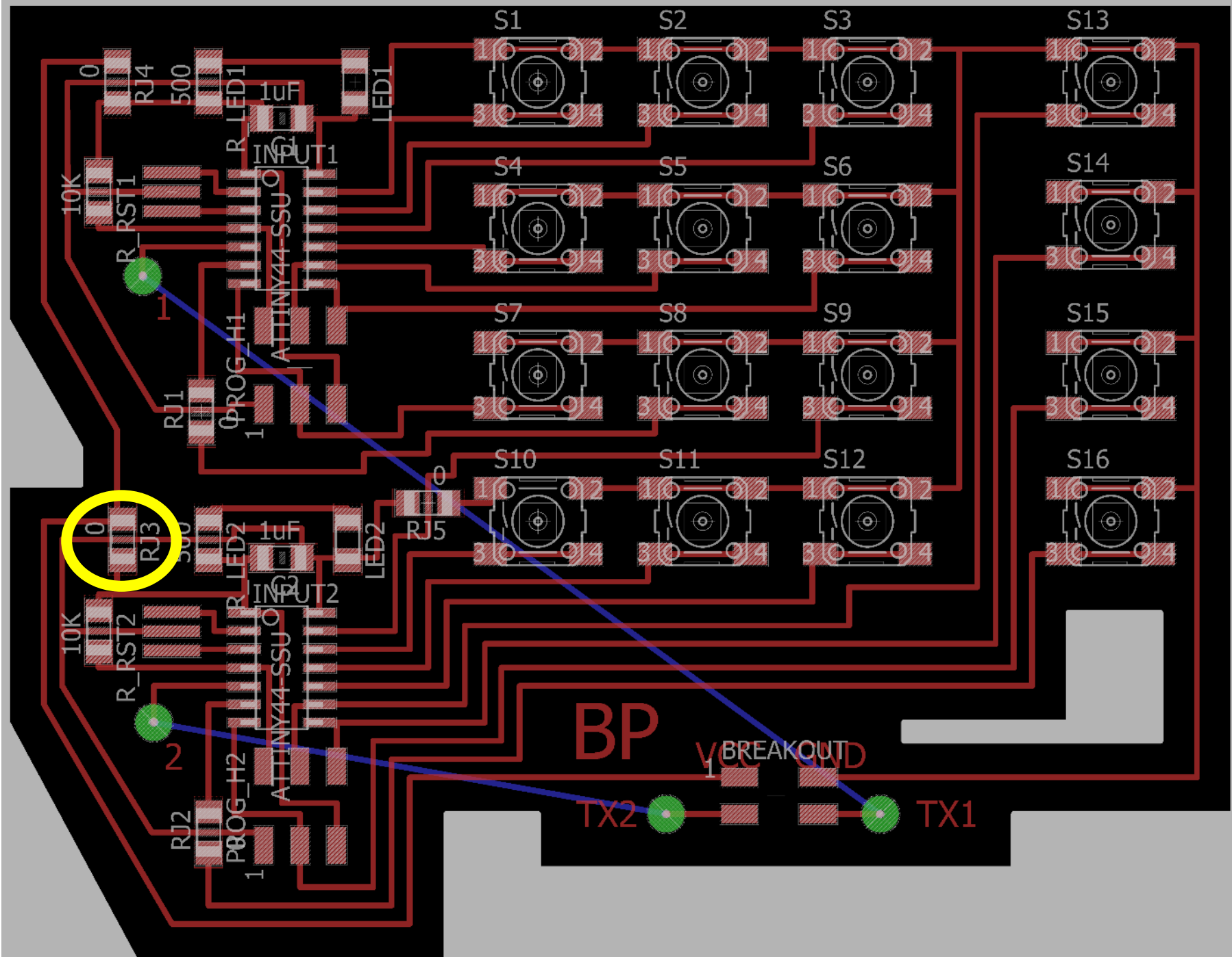


Tips for board schematics and routing:

- 1. Do the schematic first** (and finish it before moving on to routing) (Neil's examples lack schematics)
- 2. Use lots of names** to keep the schematic clean
- 3. Triple check the schematic** before moving onto routing (and have someone else check it)
- 4. Copy the routing patterns Neil or others use**
- 5. Add 0 ohm resistors** if you get stuck routing

Here's a nice example of a 0 ohm resistor that was added later during routing





Design Patterns in Practice

- Bypass Capacitors
- Current-Limiting Resistors
- Buttons, Pull-Up Resistors
- Voltage Regulators
- RC Filters
- Low-Side Switches

EDA Basics

- Adding / Finding Components
- Modifying “Net Lists”
- Moving, Routing, etc