Making a Motor Move





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Task

- 1. Create the circuit shown on next page
- 2. Open the Arduino IDE program on your computer
- 3. In the menu at the top of the arduino program go to File \rightarrow Examples \rightarrow 03.Analog \rightarrow Fading
- 4. Upload code to arduino
- 5. One Motor should speed up and slow down
- Change Code so both motors move. HINT: You need to use the command analogWrite(ledPin2, fadeValue) and create a new variable ledPin2 with value 10 int ledPin2 = 10;

Extensions

1. Use a sensor of your choice (for example a potentiometer) connect it up and use it to control the speed of the motor



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Program Code: (File \rightarrow Examples \rightarrow 03.Analog \rightarrow Fading)
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int ledPin = 9; // Motor connected to digital pin 9
void setup() {
 // nothing happens in setup
void loop() {
 // fade in from min to max in increments of 5 points:
 for(int fadeValue = 0 ; fadeValue <= 255; fadeValue +=5) {</pre>
  // sets the value (range from 0 to 255):
  analogWrite(ledPin, fadeValue);
  // wait for 30 milliseconds to see the dimming effect
  delay(30);
 }
 // fade out from max to min in increments of 5 points:
 for(int fadeValue = 255 ; fadeValue >= 0; fadeValue -= 5) {
  // sets the value (range from 0 to 255):
  analogWrite(ledPin, fadeValue);
  // wait for 30 milliseconds to see the dimming effect
  delay(30);
```







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