

PASSIVE INFRARED MOTION SENSOR

SEN-HC-SR501



1. GENERAL INFORMATION

Dear customer,

thank you for choosing our product. In the following, we will show you how to use this device.

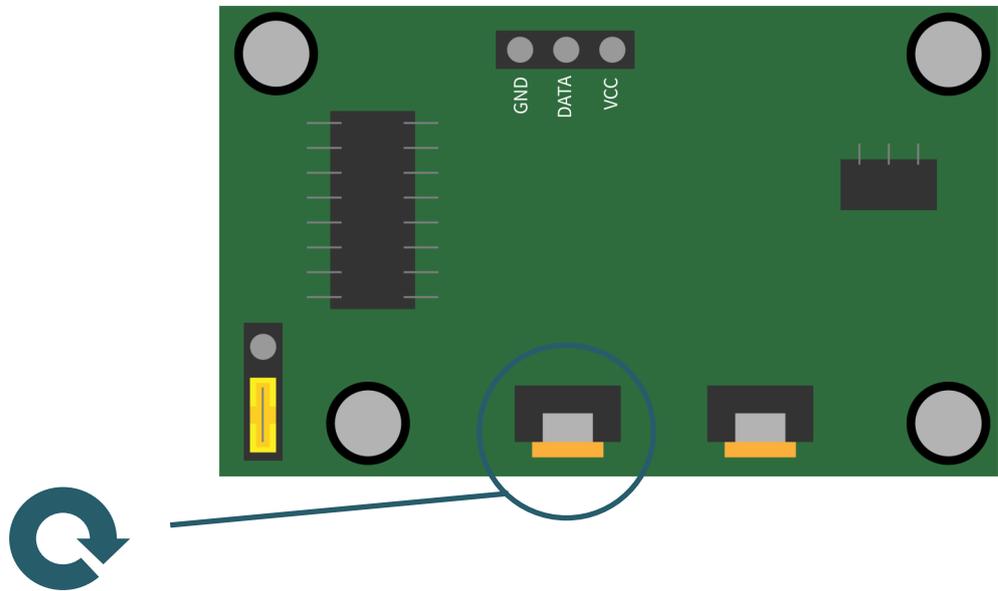
Should you encounter any unexpected problems during use, please do not hesitate to contact us.

2. ADJUSTING THE SENSOR

This passive infrared motion sensor has the possibility to adjust the sensitivity, hold time and pulse rate.

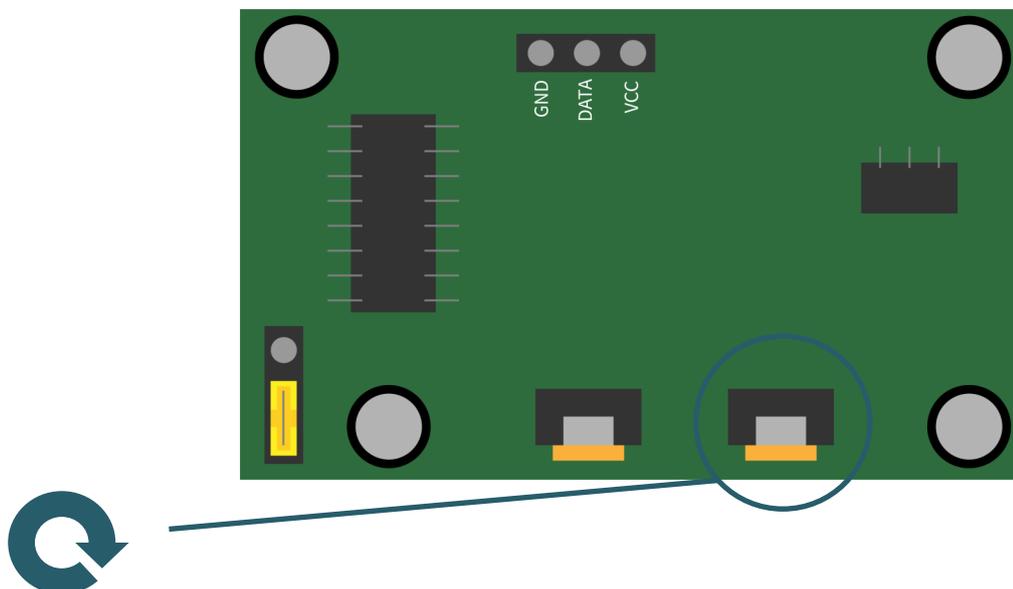
Sensitivity

The sensitivity of the infrared sensor can be adjusted with one of the potentiometers. The sensitivity will be lower if you turn the potentiometer clockwise.



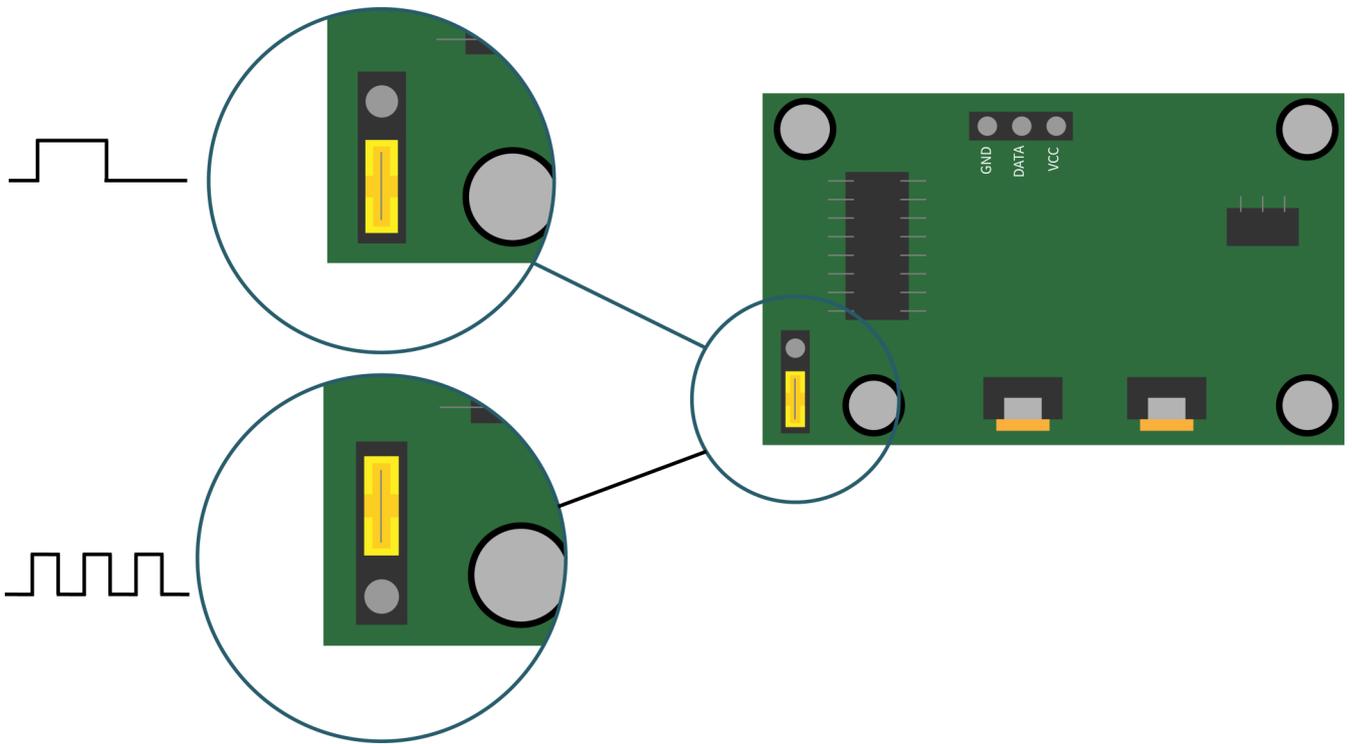
Hold time

For this sensor, the hold time sets how long the sensor will remain active when motion is detected and the signal output remains set as active. You can set this with the second potentiometer. If you turn the potentiometer clockwise, the holding time becomes longer.



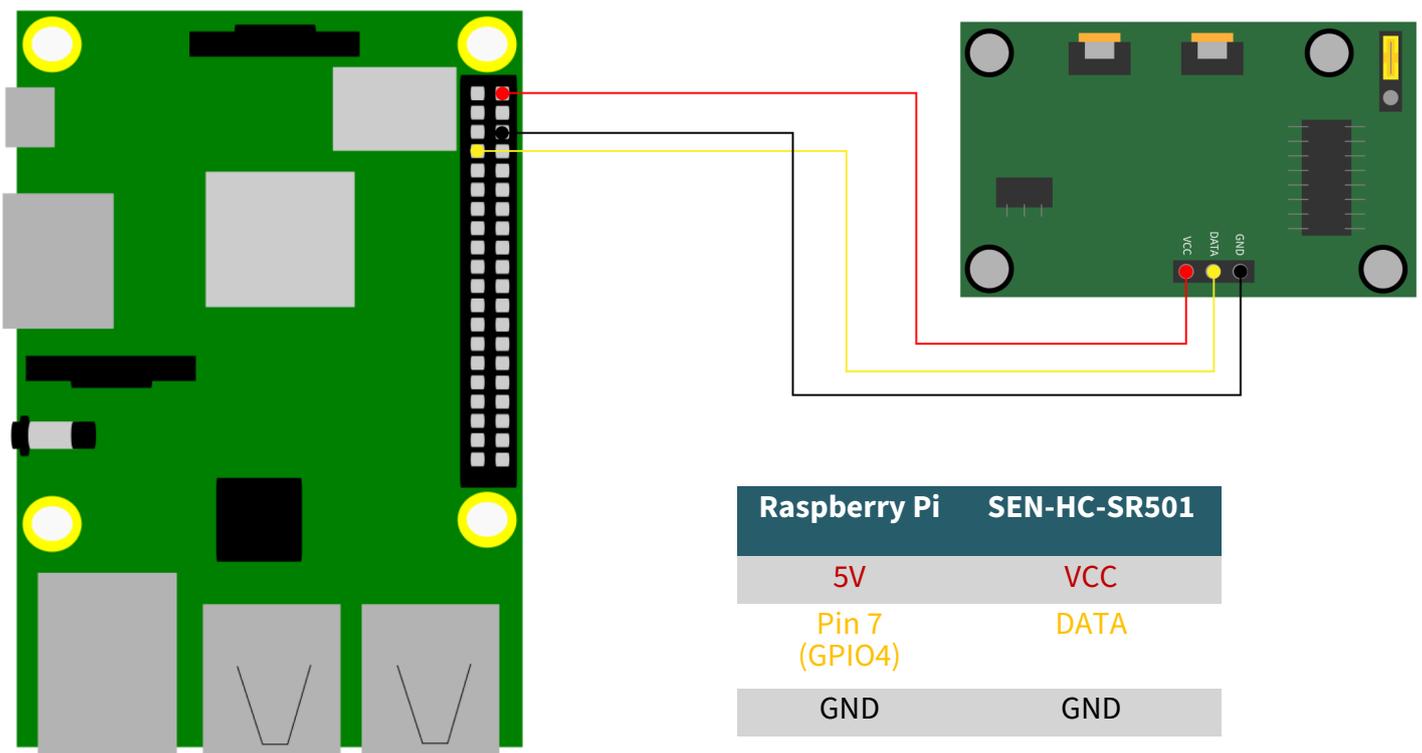
Pulse rate

The pulse rate describes how often the sensor can trigger. The sensor can detect a movement only once or several times. The default setting is multiple detection of movements. You can set this with a jumper on the back of the board.



3. USAGE WITH RASPBERRY PI

Connection



Code example

This code example shows you on the console of the Raspberry Pi when a movement is detected and when it sets the signal back to LOW. The status of the Raspberry Pi is not continuously displayed. You can download the code example [here](#) or create the file directly on the Raspberry Pi.

Therefore, enter the following command into the console of the Raspberry Pi and copy the following code into the now opened file. You can save with CTRL + O and leave the editor with CTRL + X.

```
nano detect-movement.py
```

```
#!/usr/bin/python
from gpiozero import MotionSensor
import time

# Declaration of GPIO4 as an input for the PIR sensor
pir = MotionSensor(4)

# Intermediate variables
active = False

try:
    while True:
        # Monitoring changes from the PIR sensor
        if pir.motion_detected and not active:
            print("Motion detected")
            active = True
        elif not pir.motion_detected and active:
            print("No movement")
            active = False

        time.sleep(0.1)

# Termination condition
except KeyboardInterrupt:
    print("Program interrupted by user.")
```

You can run the program with the following command.

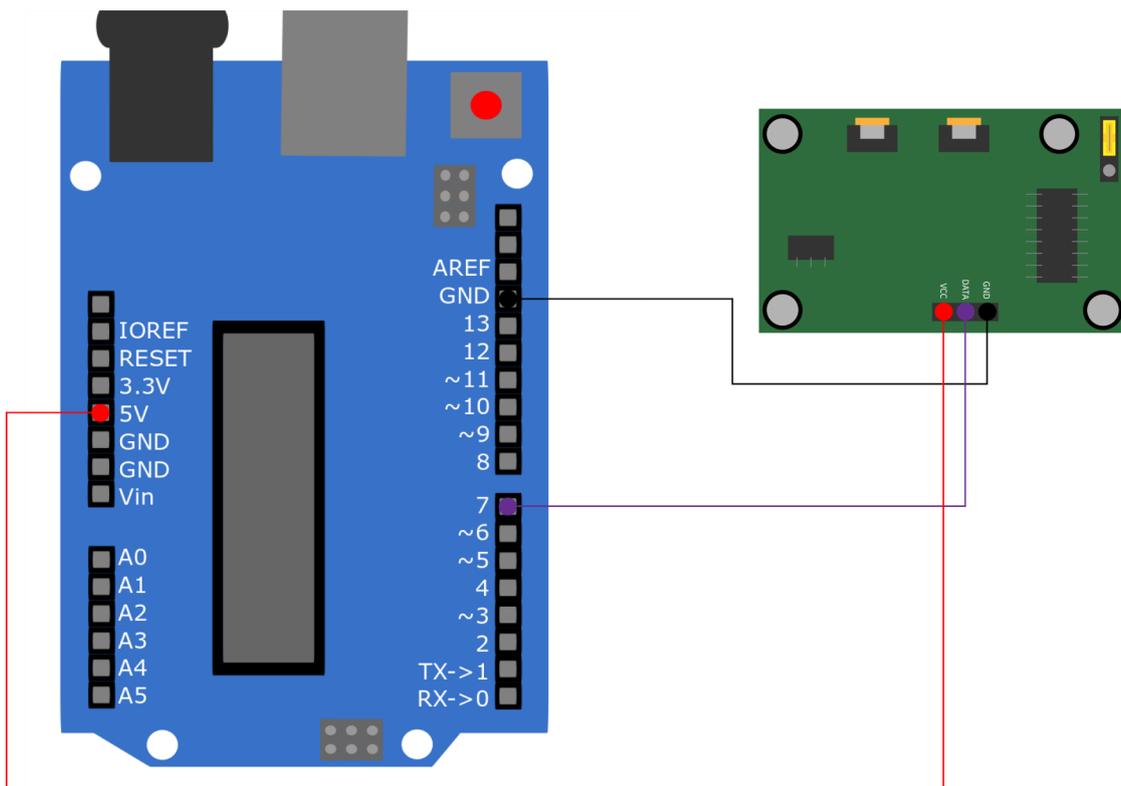
```
python3 detect-movement.py
```



These instructions were written under Raspberry Pi OS Bookworm for the Raspberry Pi 4 and 5. It has not been checked with newer operating systems or hardware.

4. USAGE WITH ARDUINO

Connection



Arduino	SEN-HC-SR501
5V	VCC
Pin 7	DATA
GND	GND

Code example

This code example will be displayed on the serial monitor of the Arduino when the sensor has detected motion or when the data signal is set to LOW again. First you should check if the correct board is selected under **Tools** → **Board:** and the correct COM under **Tools** → **Port:**.

You can download the code sample [here](#) or you can copy the following code into your Arduino IDE and open the serial monitor at **Tools** → **Serial Monitor**. There you have to set the baudrate to **9600** to see the output.

```
boolean active = false; //Declare intermediate variable
int pin = 7; // Set data pin
int movement = 0;

void setup() {
  pinMode(pin, INPUT); // Set Pin7 as input
  Serial.begin(9600); // Serial monitor at a baud rate of 9600
}

void loop() {
  movement = digitalRead(pin); // Read Sensor

  // a new movement was detected
  if(movement == HIGH && active == false){
    active = true;
    Serial.println("Motion detected");
  }

  // no motion after motion is detected
  if(movement == LOW && active == true){
    active = false;
    Serial.println("No movement");
  }

  delay(100);
}
```

5. FURTHER INFORMATION

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