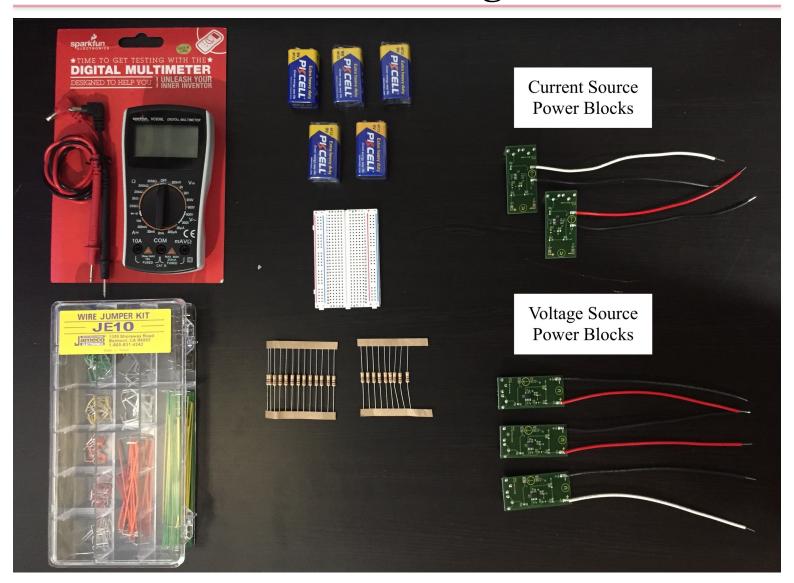
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Democratize discovery in STEM Classes

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Electronics Learning Lab Kits



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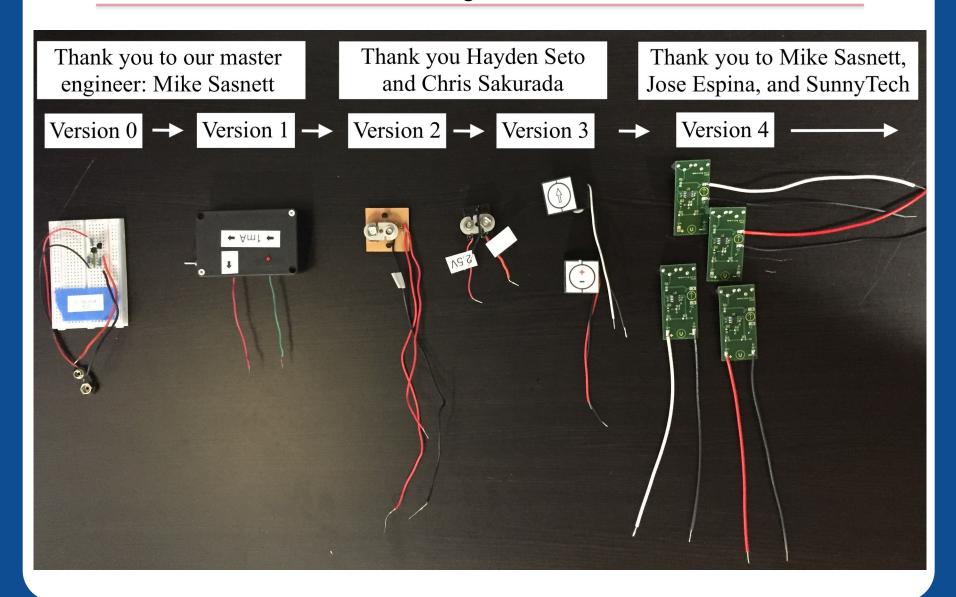
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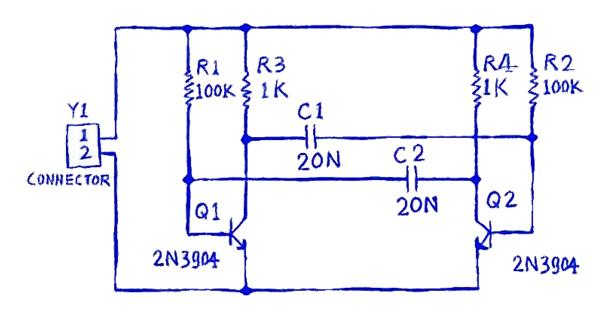
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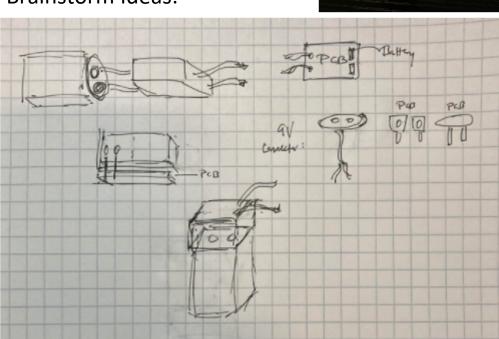
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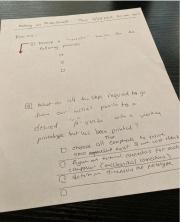
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- Decide device requirements
 - Low cost
 - User friendly
 - As small as possible
- Brainstorm Ideas:





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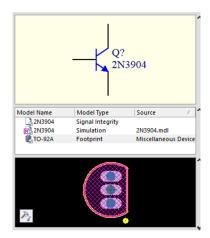
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- Component Selection:
 - Availability
 - Cost
 - Schematic Symbol
 - PCB Footprint



Components:	# of Units	Cost Per Unit	Total Component Cost:
Axial Resistor	150	0.02928	4.38
Axial Resistor	250	0.02144	5.36
Voltage Regulator	150	0.2859	30.89
NPN Transistor	150	0.0884	13.26
Keystone 9V	150	0.94339	141.5
Hammond			
Enclosure	150	0.58	87
Araldite 2011			
ероху	1	150	150
PCB	150 (75/75)		36
22 AWG Wire	3	14.3	43
	Total Cost:		511.39

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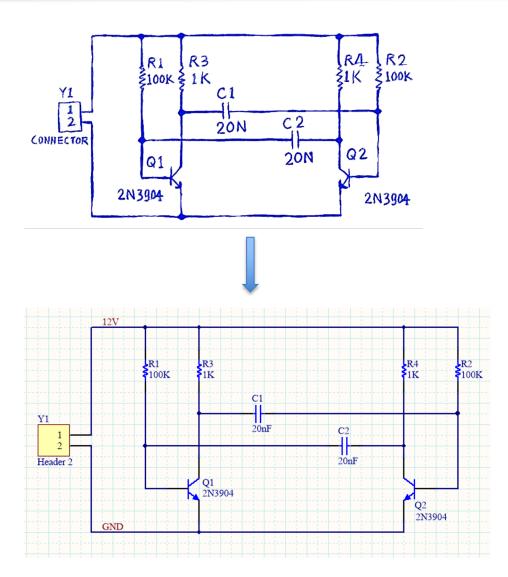
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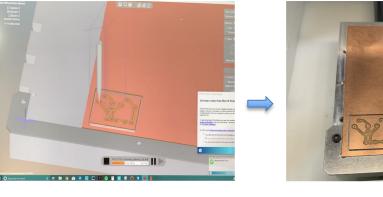
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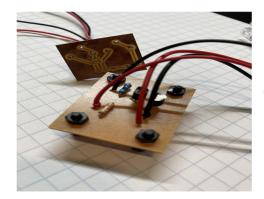
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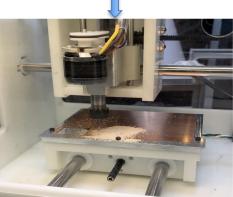
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Provides a physical sense of dimension and verify schematic capture is successful









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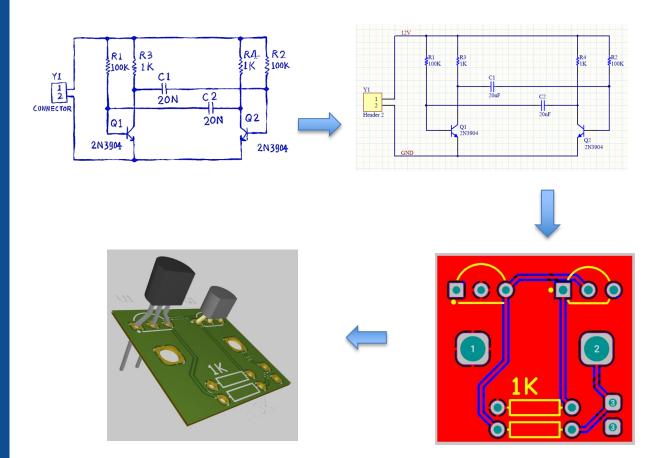
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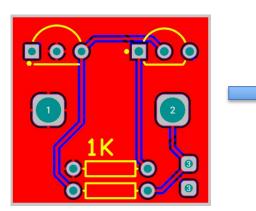
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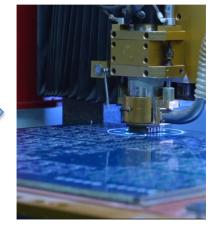
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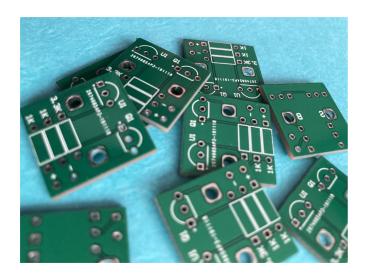
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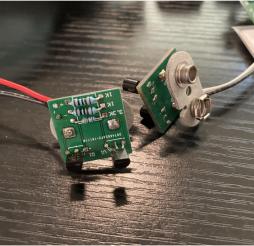
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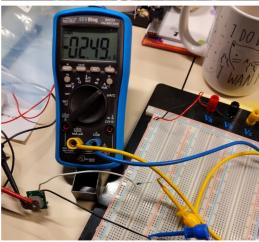
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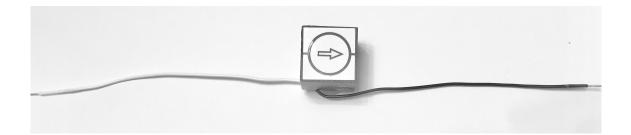
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P-Blocks are ready to use:

Voltage Sources



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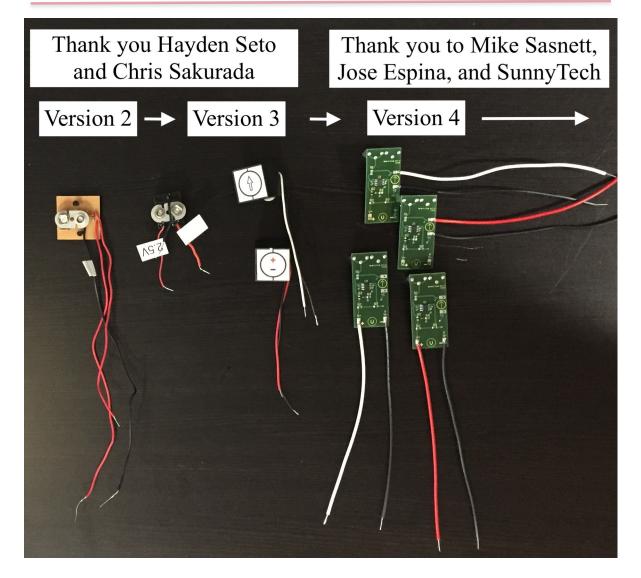
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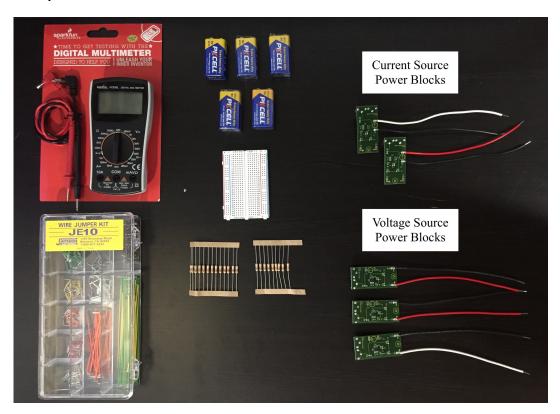
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Electronics Lab Kit:

- 2 Voltage Sources
- 2 Current Sources
- Breadboard
- Multimeter
- Jumper Wires



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Math 2B	Applied Linear Algebra	W21, S21	43
Engineering 11	Intro to MATLAB	W21	20
Engineering 37	Circuit Analysis	F20, S21	32
Physics 4B	Electricity and Magnetism	W21, S21	68
		TOTAL:	163

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