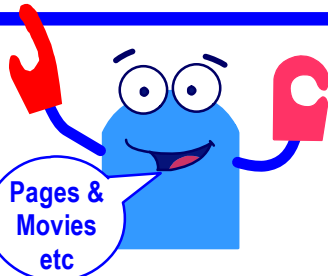


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Using IQ2 microcontroller with Kre8® Robots etc

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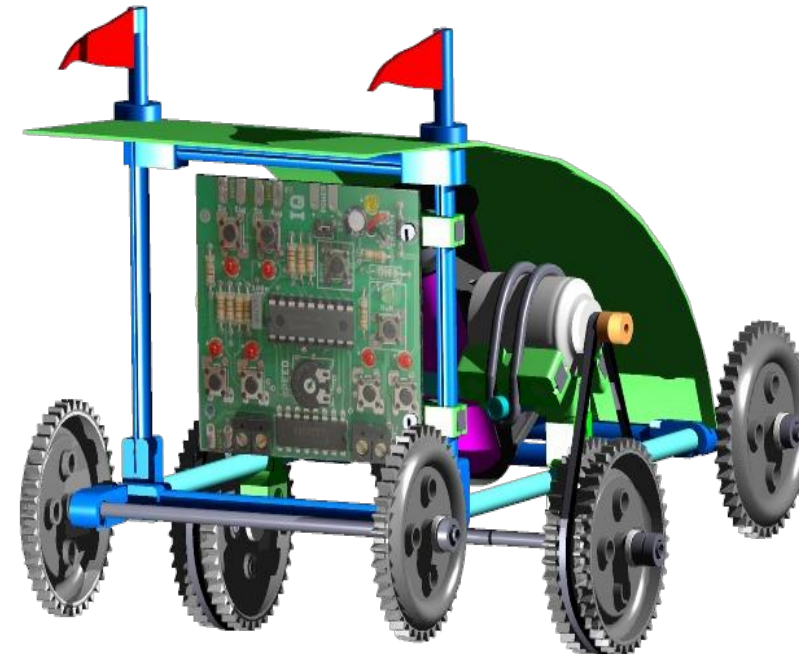
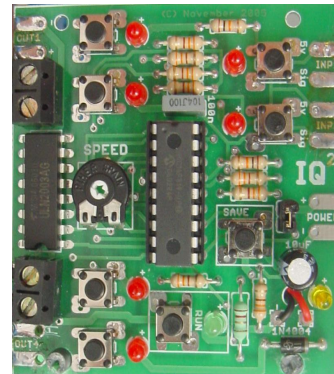
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Used here with Kre8 Cleverbot - see part list

Keywords

Robot control, program, sequence LEDs, Input, process, output, reset, run, resistor, predicting, timing, PIC chip, driver chip, micro-controller, motor control, inputs, bulb, buzzer, design, assembly,



Micro-controller

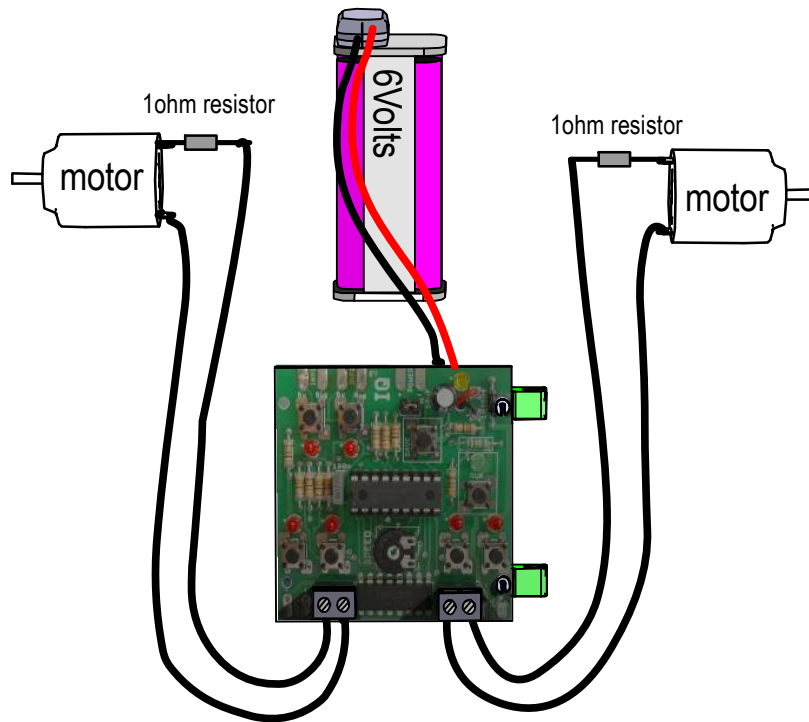
Tasks

- After making the Cleverbot - see separate instructions
- Add the Micro-controller board using the instruction on page 2 and 3
- Program the robot
- Have fun making it dance about etc

Extra Challenges

- a) Set up a challenge for yourself
- b) Set a challenge for a group of people
- c) Redesign with your own theme

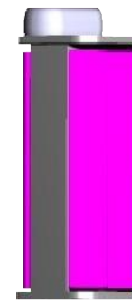
Wiring up the IQ2



Note - Switch wires over if the robot goes the wrong way]
(using screw connectors makes this easier)

As this circuit does not use solar motors a 1.0 ohm resistor is needs to be placed in **series** with the motors as shown.

Parts Needed (+ Kre8 Cleverbot)

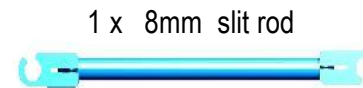


Note - The IQ2 Micro-controller is available from various suppliers such as Rapid Electronics and TEP and comes with its own basic instructions.

1 x 6Volt battery holder
(4 x AA battery type)



2 x 1.0 ohm resistors



1 x 8mm slit rod

2 individual clip connectors
(cut from one uncut connector)

1 x IQ2 micro-controller

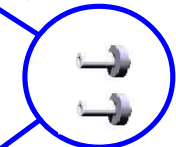


Drill these two holes 4mm dia.

2 x screw connectors
(or just solder wires in place)



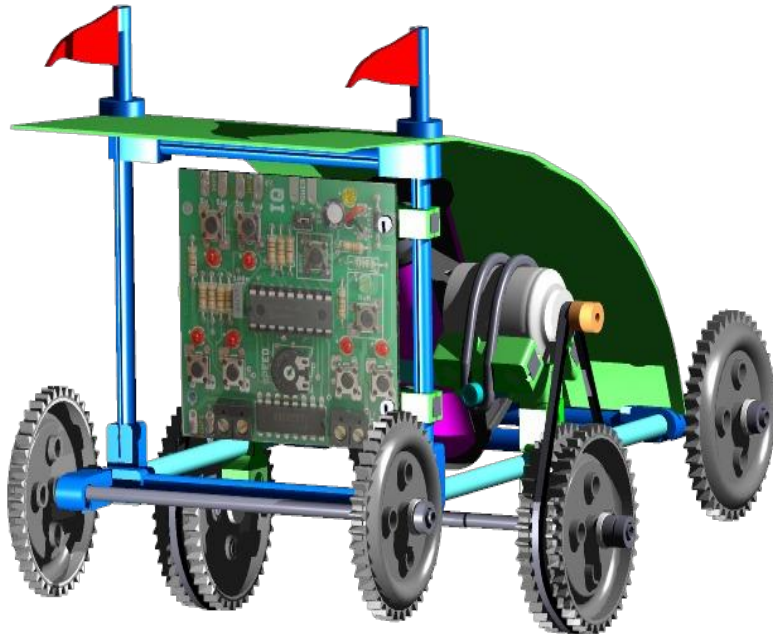
1 x 4mm snap rods
2cm long each
(Snap from piece provided)



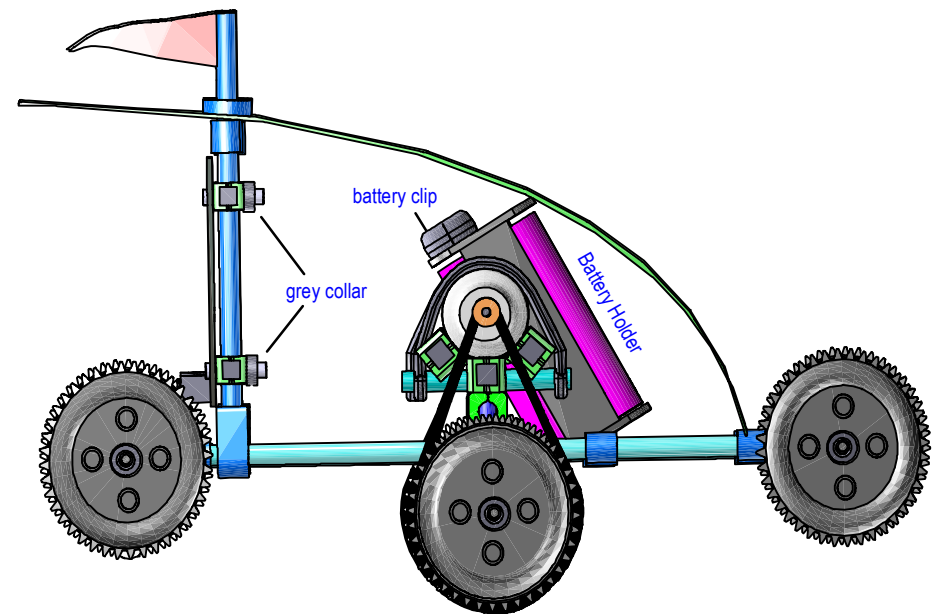
2 x 4mm grey collars
(slide on end of snap rods)



2 - green
Multiconnectors



The circuit board is held by two green multiblocks which have 4mm snap rods pushed into the 4mm diameter holes drilled into the PCB board.



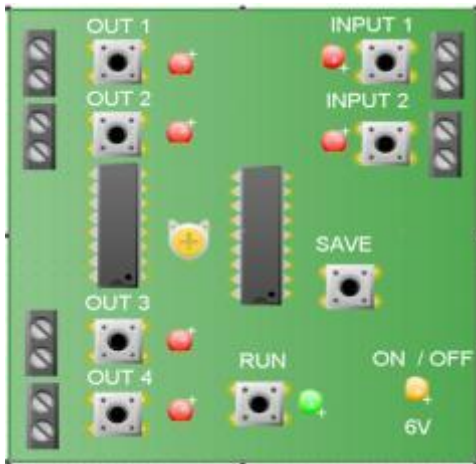
This side view shows how the battery rests on the extra rod held in place blue clip connectors. At the back the PCB board can be seen held by the grey collars.

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IQ2 microcontroller with Kre8® Cleverbot

How to Program the Robot

Note - See instruction sheets supplied with the IQ2 for more help.



Simplified diagram

Simple Program

To turn Robot forward and turn

The Basic Idea-

Select each action wanted. SAVING each step then RUN program.

Before starting press **RUN** to until the green led is **OFF**

Example

Action wanted

TURN ON OUTPUT 1,2

Press **SAVE**

Repeat above

TURN OFF OUTPUT 1&2

Press **SAVE**

TURN ON OUTPUT 1

Press **SAVE**

How to do it

- **press buttons so LED 1 and LED 2 are on**
(this makes two motors work and go forward)

(this double the time going forward)

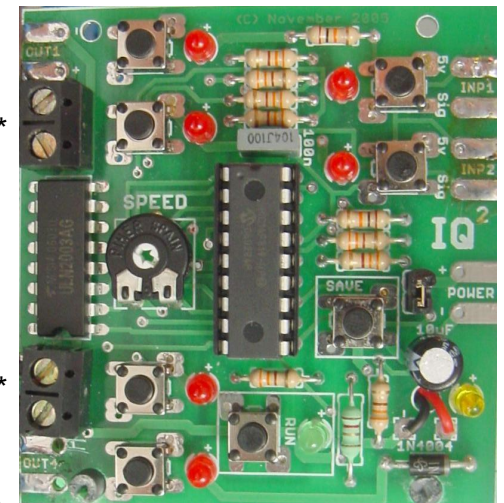
- **press buttons so LED 1 and LED 2 are off**
(this stops the action)

- **press buttons so LED 1 is on**

(this turns a robot using just one motor)

To RUN

- **press RUN**



Note - two screw connectors marked * have been added to make it easier to connect wires up.

Note - You will need to have the motors connected to OUTPUT 1 and OUTPUT 2 to make the ROBOT work
(if robot spins instead of moving straight forward you will need to switch one pair of wires over)