

RGB LED with Buttons

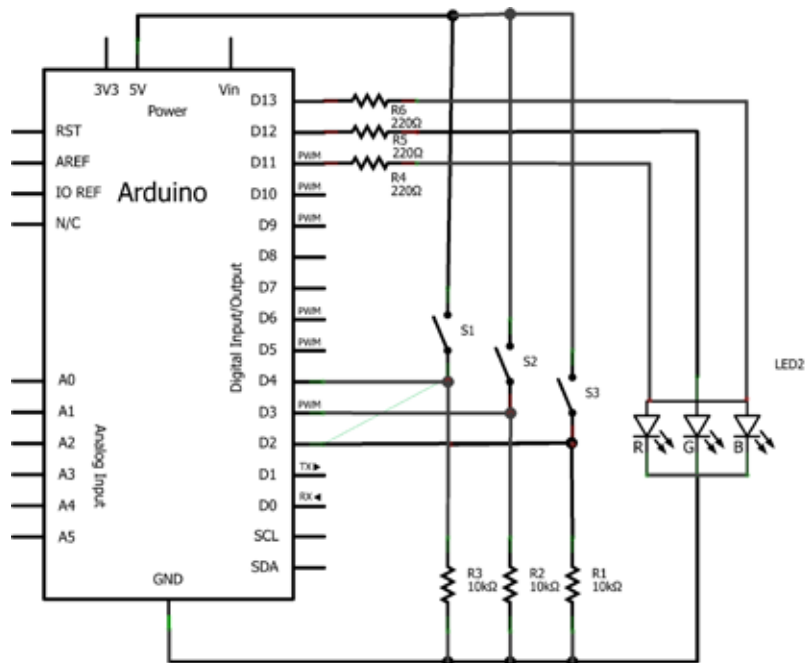
HARDWARE REQUIRED

Arduino board
1 RGB LED
3 buttons
3 220 ohm resistors
3 10K Ω resistors
breadboard
hook-up wires

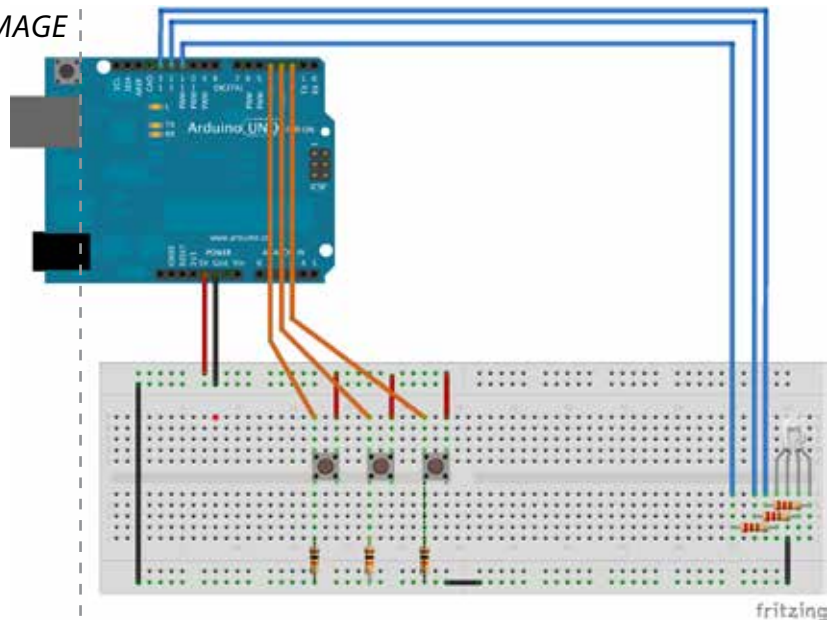
CIRCUIT

With this example you can mix the Red, Green and Blue lights using and RGB LED and three buttons.

SCHEMATIC



IMAGE



CODE

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  Use three buttons to control RGB LED color
  Turns on and off a light emitting diode(LED)
  connected to digital pin 13, when pressing a
  pushbutton attached to pin 2.

  The circuit:
  * RED light attached to pin 13
  * GREEN light attached to pin 12
  * BLUE light attached to pin 11
  * The cathode of the RGB LED is attached to
  ground
  * RED pushbutton attached to pin 4 from +5V
  * GREEN pushbutton attached to pin 3 from +5V
  * BLUE pushbutton attached to pin 2 from +5V
  * 10K resistor attached to pin 2 from ground
  * 10K resistor attached to pin 3 from ground
  * 10K resistor attached to pin 4 from ground
  * 220Ω resistor attached to pin 13 from Red pin
  * 220Ω resistor attached to pin 12 from Green pin
  * 220Ω resistor attached to pin 11 from Blue pin
  * Note: on most Arduinos there is already an LED
  on the board attached to pin 13.

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// constants won't change. They're used here to
// set pin numbers:

const int buttonPinR = 2; // the number of the RED pushbutton pin
const int buttonPinG = 3; // the number of the GREEN pushbutton pin
const int buttonPinB = 4; // the number of the BLUE pushbutton pin
const int ledPinR = 13; // the number of the RED light of RGB LED pin
const int ledPinG = 12; // the number of the GREEN light of RGB LED pin
const int ledPinB = 11; // the number of the BLUE light of RGB LED pin

// variables will change:
int buttonStateR = 0; // variable for reading the pushbutton status
int buttonStateG = 0; // variable for reading the pushbutton status
int buttonStateB = 0; // variable for reading the pushbutton status

void setup() {
  // initialize the LED pin as an output:
  pinMode(ledPinR, OUTPUT);
  pinMode(ledPinG, OUTPUT);
  pinMode(ledPinB, OUTPUT);

  // initialize the pushbutton pin as an input:
  pinMode(buttonPinR, INPUT);
  pinMode(buttonPinG, INPUT);
  pinMode(buttonPinB, INPUT);
}

void loop(){
  // read the state of the pushbutton value:
  buttonStateR = digitalRead(buttonPinR);
  buttonStateG = digitalRead(buttonPinG);
  buttonStateB = digitalRead(buttonPinB);

  // check if the pushbutton is pressed.
  // if it is, the buttonState is HIGH:
  if (buttonStateR == HIGH) {
    // turn RED light on:
    digitalWrite(ledPinR, HIGH);
  }
  else {
    // turn RED light off:
    digitalWrite(ledPinR, LOW);
  }
  if (buttonStateG == HIGH) {
    // turn GREEN light on:
    digitalWrite(ledPinG, HIGH);
  }
  else {
    // turn GREEN light off:
    digitalWrite(ledPinG, LOW);
  }
  if (buttonStateB == HIGH) {
    // turn BLUE light on:
    digitalWrite(ledPinB, HIGH);
  }
  else {
    // turn BLUE light off:
    digitalWrite(ledPinB, LOW);
  }
}
```