

How to use the light sensor switch module



Article Overview

A light sensor switch module detects ambient light levels and outputs a digital signal to control devices or microcontrollers based on a set light threshold.

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A light sensor switch module is an electronic component that senses the brightness of the surrounding environment and provides a digital ON/OFF output when the light intensity crosses a preset threshold. Common modules use either a photoresistor (LDR) or a photodiode combined with a comparator like the LM393 to convert analog light changes into a clean digital signal .

Key Features

- Operating Voltage: Typically 3.3V-5V, compatible with Arduino, Raspberry Pi, ESP32, and other microcontrollers .
- Outputs:
 - Digital Output (DO): Switches HIGH or LOW depending on light intensity relative to the threshold.
 - Analog Output (AO, optional): Provides continuous voltage proportional to light intensity for precise measurement .
- Adjustable Sensitivity: Onboard potentiometer allows tuning the light threshold for triggering the output

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