

# UnoArduSimV1.2 Quick Help

The screenshot displays the UnoArduSim v1.1 software interface. The main window is titled "UnoArduSim v1.1: [C:\Users\Stan\Documents\UNOTests\OneMotorReversing.ino]". The interface is divided into several panes:

- Code Pane:** Contains the Arduino code for a motor reversing application. The code includes pin mode declarations, interrupt setup, and a loop function that toggles a motor direction pin.
- Variables Pane:** Displays the current value of the variable `count`, which is 14.
- Lab Bench Pane:** A central area showing a virtual Arduino Uno board with various components connected to its pins. These include resistors, LEDs, a piezo buzzer, a servo motor, a motor, a pulser, and a function generator.
- Toolbar:** Located at the top, it contains icons for file operations (File, Find, Execute, Options, Configure, VarUpdates, Windows, Help) and simulation controls (Run, Stop, Step, etc.).
- Status Bar:** At the bottom, it shows the text "For Help, press F1" and "HALTED".

Orange callout boxes with arrows point to the following elements:

- Code Pane:** Points to the code editor area.
- Variables Pane:** Points to the variable display area.
- Lab Bench Pane:** Points to the central virtual breadboard area.
- Toolbar fly-over Hints:** Points to the top toolbar.
- Status Bar:** Points to the bottom status bar.

## Code Pane

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/* Use File->Load Prog to
   load a different Program
*/





int count;


void setup()
{
  count=0;
}



void loop()
{
  count=count+1;
  delay(100);
}






//the "int main()" below is IMPLICIT in Arduino
//but is shown here EXPLICITLY by UnoArduSim
int main()
{
  setup();
  while(true)
  {

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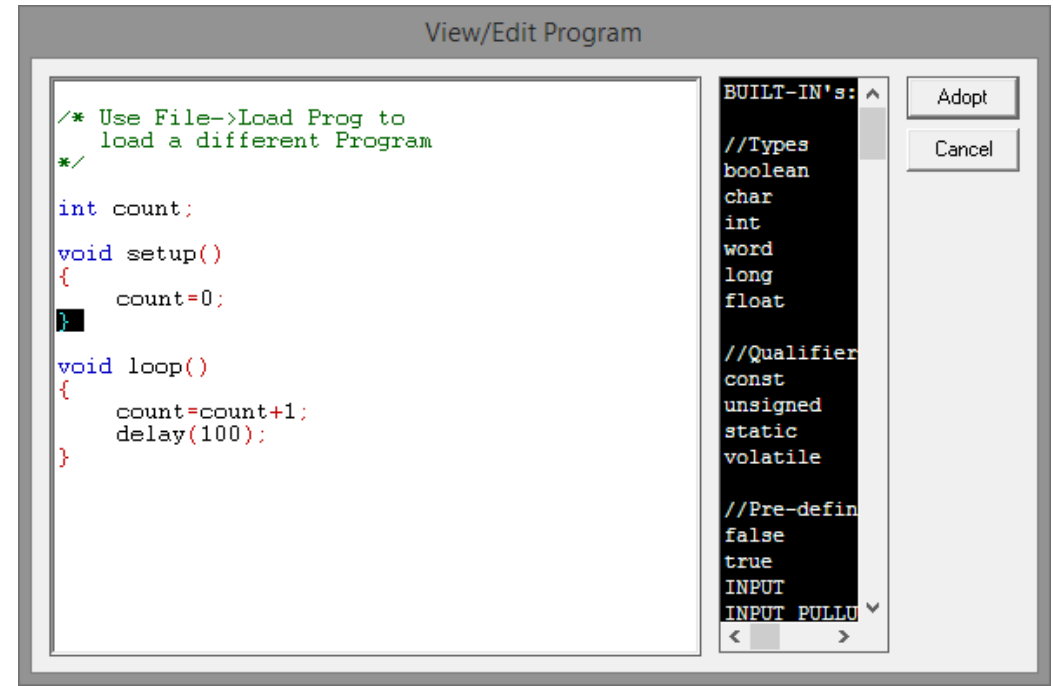
Step or run execution using , , , or .

Click to highlight a line and then click **RunTo**  to halt at a specific program line.

Click anywhere then use **PgDn** and **PgUp** or  and  to jump between **functions**,

Set search text with  and then jump to that text using  and . Move between **#include'd** files using , .

## View/Edit



To open, **double-click** on a Code Pane line, or use **File→View/Edit.**,

Will be auto-tab-indent formatted if chosen from **Config→Preferences**,

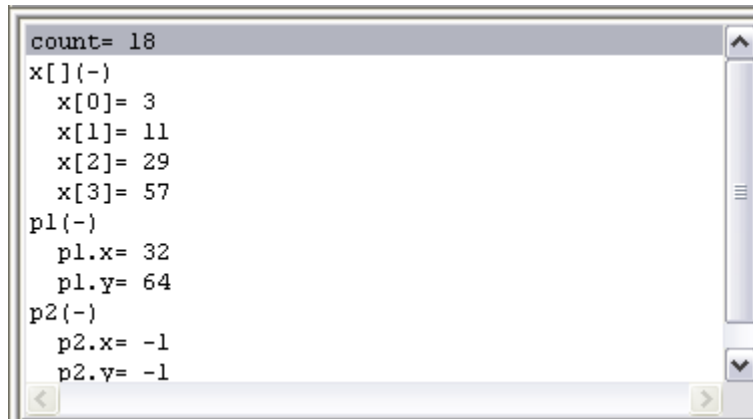
**Find** (use **ctrl-F**), **Replace** (use **ctrl-H**), and **Undo** (use **ctrl-Z**),

**ctrl-PgDn** and **ctrl-PgUp** to jump to next (or previous) empty-line break,

Double-click on a '{ ' or '}' ' brace to find matching brace partner

To add an item (after the caret) from the right-hand list, double that item.

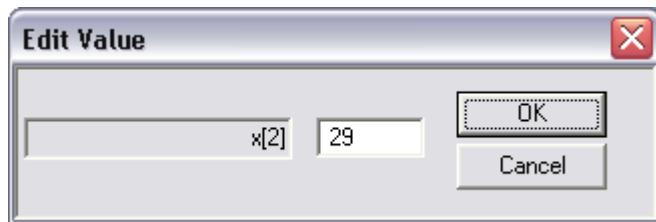
## Variables Pane



Click on **(+)** to **expand**, or on **(-)** to **collapse** arrays and objects.

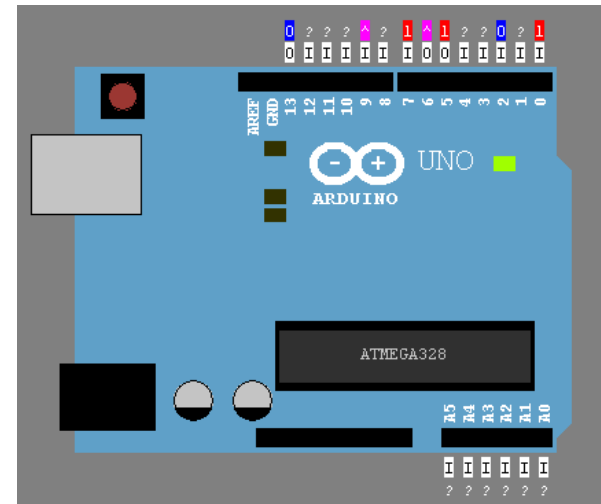
**PgDn** and **PgUp** or  and  allows you to quickly jump between **variables**.

Use the **VarUpdates** menu to control update frequency when **Run-ning**.

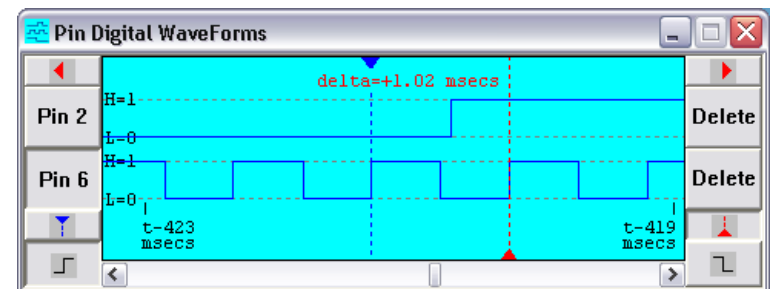


**Double-click** to change any variable to a new value in the middle of (halted) program execution.

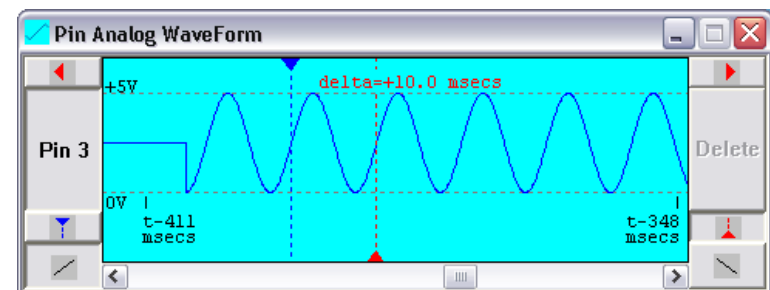
## Lab Bench Pane Uno



Left-click any pin to create (or add to) Pin Digital WaveForms.



Right-click any pin to create Pin Analog WaveForm window.



To **ZOOM IN** and **ZOOM OUT** use the mouse wheel, or keyboard shortcuts **CTRL-up\_arrow** and **CTRL-down\_arrow**.

## Lab Bench Pane I/O Devices

Set numbers and types of each using the **Config→ I/O Devices** menu selection. Set pins using a 2-digit value from 00 to 19.

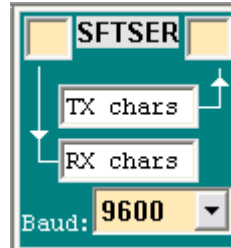
### Serial (SERIAL)



Type one or more characters in the upper (TX chars) edit and **hit Return**.

Double-click to open **a larger window for TX and RX characters**.

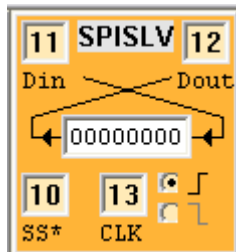
### Software Serial (SFTSER)



Type one or more characters in the upper (TX chars) edit and **hit Return**

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### SPI Slave

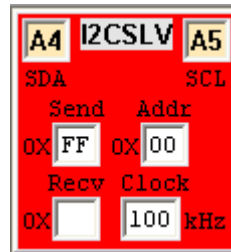


A simple shift-register device

Edge transitions on CLK trigger shifting.

SS low, drives MSB onto Dout.

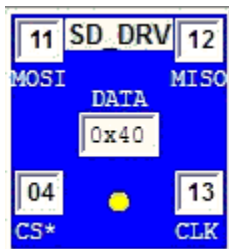
### Two-Wire I<sup>2</sup>C Slave (I2CSLV)



A *slave-mode-only* I2C device.

Double-click to open **a larger window** to see **Send and Recv bytes**

### SD Disk Drive (SD\_DRV)



A small 8Mbyte SD drive driven from SPI signals, and mirrored in an '**SD**' **subdirectory** in the loaded program's directory.

Double-click to open **a larger window** to see **Directories, Files, and content**

CS low to activate.

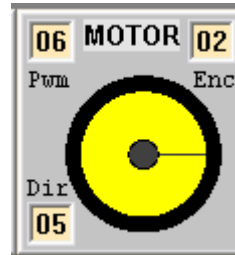
### Servo Motor (SERVO)



Accepts pulsed control signals on specified pin.

Use `#include <Servo.h>`.

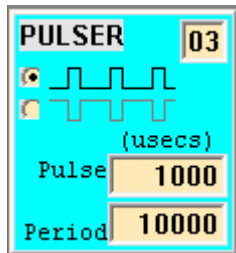
### DC Motor (MOTOR)



Accepts PWM signals on Pwm pin, level signal on Dir, and outputs 8 highs and lows per wheel revolution on Enc.

Full speed is approximately 2 revs per second.

### Digital Pulser (PULSER)

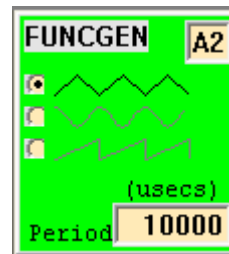


Minimum period 50 microseconds

Min pulse width 10 microseconds.

Choose positive-going pulses (0 to 5V) or negative-going pulses (5V to 0V).

### Analog Function Generator (FUNCGEN)



Minimum period is 100 microseconds

Sinusoidal, triangular, or sawtooth waveforms.

### Analog Slider



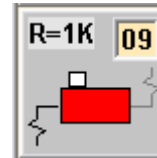
A slider-controlled 0-5V potentiometer.

### Push Button (PUSH)



A normally-open momentary pushbutton.

### Slide Switch Resistor (R=1K)



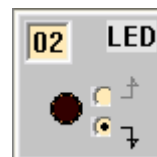
A 1 k-Ohm pull-up to +5V, or a 1 k-Ohm pull-down to ground.

### Piezoelectric Speaker (PIEZO)



"Listen" to signals on any chosen Uno pin, .





### Red LED (LED)








To either ground or to +5V.

## Menus


### File menu commands:

 <u>Load INO or PDE Prog</u>	Allows the user to choose a program file having the selected extension. The program is immediately parsed
<u>View/Edit</u>	Opens the loaded program for viewing/editing.
 <u>Save</u>	Save the edited program contents back to the original program file.
<u>Save As</u>	Save the edited program contents under a different file name.
 <u>Next (#include) file</u>	Advances the CodePane to display the next #include'd file
 <u>Previous</u>	Returns the CodePane display to the previous file
<u>Exit</u>	Exits UnoArduSim.


### Find menu commands:

Prompt	Click in either the Code Pane or the variables Pane to give it the active focus for this menu's commands.
 <u>Find Next Function/Var</u>	Jump to the next Function in the Code Pane (if it has the active focus), or to the next variable in the Variables Pane (if instead it has the active focus).
 <u>Find Previous Function/Var</u>	Jump to the previous Function in the Code Pane (if it has the active focus), or to the previous variable in the Variables Pane (if instead it has the active focus).
 <u>Set Search Text</u>	Pull up a dialog box to edit your to-be-searched-for text..
 <u>Find Next Text</u>	Jump to the next Text occurrence in the Code Pane (if it has the active focus), or to the next Text occurrence in the Variables Pane (if instead it has the active focus).
 <u>Find Previous Text</u>	Jump to the previous Text occurrence in the Code Pane (if it has the active focus), or to the previous Text occurrence in the Variables Pane (if instead it has the active focus).

## Execute menu commands:

 Step Into (F2)

Steps execution forward by one instruction, or *into a called function*.

 Step Over (F4)

Steps execution forward by one instruction, or *by one complete function call*.

 Step Out Of

Advances execution by *just enough to leave the current function*.

 Run To

Runs the program, *halting at the desired program line* -- you must first click to highlight a desired program line before using Run To.

 Run

Runs the program.

 Halt

Halts program execution (*and freezes time*).

 Reset

Resets the program (all value-variables are reset to value 0, and all pointer variables are reset to 0x0000).

Animate

Automatically steps consecutive program lines *with added artificial delay* and highlighting of the current code line.

Slow Motion

Slows time by a factor of 10.

## Options menu commands:

Step Over  
Structors/Operators

Fly right through constructors, destructors, and operator overload function during any stepping (i.e. it will not stop inside these functions).

Register-Allocation  
Modelling

Assign function locals to free ATmega registers instead of to the stack..

Error on Uninitialized

Flag as a Parse error anywhere your program attempts to use a variable without having first initialized its value.

Show Program Download

Show program download to the Uno board (with attendant delay).

Bigger Font

Use the next larger font size for the Code Pane, Variables Pane, and View/Edit window.

## Config menu commands:

I/O Devices

Choose the type(s), and numbers, of desired I/O devices. Save or Load I/O devices to/from a text file.

Preferences

Set preferences for auto-formatting of source program, allowing Expert syntax, enforcing of array bounds, Uno board version, and TWI buffer length (for I2C devices).

### VarUpdates menu commands:

<u>Allow Reduction</u>	Allow reduced frequency of display updates in the Variables Pane to avoid flicker or reduce CPU load – then values shown are only updated periodically, <b>but also whenever the program is halted.</b>
<u>Minimal Updates</u>	Only refresh the variables Pane display 4 times per second.
<u>HighLight Updates</u>	Highlight the last-changed variable value (will cause scrolling).

### Windows menu commands:

<u>Serial Monitor</u>	Add Serial IO device (if none) and pull up a larger Serial monitor TX/RX text window.
<u>Restore All</u>	Restore all minimized child windows.
Prompt	Left-Click or Right-Click an Uno Pin to create a Waveform window:
<u>Pin Digital Waveforms</u>	Restore a minimized Pin Digital Waveforms window.
<u>Pin Analog Waveform</u>	Restore a minimized Pin Analog Waveform window.

### Help menu commands:

<u>Quick Help File</u>	Opens the UnoArduSim_QuickHelp PDF file.
<u>Full Help File</u>	Opens the UnoArduSim_FullHelp PDF file.
<u>Bug Fixes</u>	View significant bug fixes since the previous release..
<u>Change/Improvements</u>	View significant changes and improvements since the previous release.
<u>About</u>	Displays version, copyright, bug report email