

# Package ‘Rduino’

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**Description** Functions for connecting to and interfacing with an 'Arduino' or similar device. Functionality includes uploading of sketches, setting and reading digital and analog pins, and rudimentary servo control. This project is not affiliated with the 'Arduino' company, <<https://www.arduino.cc/>>.

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BoardControlIno	<i>BoardControlIno</i>
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**Description**

Board control file for the arduino and similar devices

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getApin	<i>Get analog pin</i>
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**Description**

Get the value of an analog pin

**Usage**

```
getApin(pin)
```

**Arguments**

pin                    the number of the pin to get (integer)

**Value**

the value of the pin.

**Examples**

```
## Not run:
rduinoConnect()
# set position of servo to position of potentiometer
off<-getDpin(4)
while (!off)
{
  angle<-getApin(5)
  angle<- 1.68 * angle + 575
  setServo(9,angle)
  off<-getDpin(4)
}
offServo()

rduinoClose()

## End(Not run)
```

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getDpin

*Get digital pin*

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### **Description**

Get the value of a digital pin

### **Usage**

```
getDpin(pin)
```

### **Arguments**

pin                    the number of the pin to get (integer)

### **Value**

the binary value of the pin.

### **Examples**

```
## Not run:  
rduinoConnect()  
# LED remains on until button is pressed  
setDpin(5,1)  
isPressed<-getDpin(4)  
while (!isPressed){ isPressed<-getDpin(4) }  
setDpin(5,0)  
rduinoClose()  
  
## End(Not run)
```

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offServo

*Off servo*

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### **Description**

deactivate a servo

### **Usage**

```
offServo()
```

onServo                      *Set servo*

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**Description**

Activate a servo and set a value

**Usage**

```
onServo(pin, value)
```

**Arguments**

pin	the number of the pin connected to the servo
value	value to set for the servo

**Examples**

```
## Not run:
rduinoConnect()
# set position of servo to position of potentiometer
off<-getDpin(4)
while (!off)
{
  angle<-getApin(5)
  angle<- 1.68 * angle + 575
  setServo(9,angle)
  off<-getDpin(4)
}
offServo()

rduinoClose()

## End(Not run)
```

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rduinoClose                      *Rduino disconnect*

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**Description**

Disconnect a previously connected Arduino or similar device

**Usage**

```
rduinoClose()
```

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rduinoConnect	<i>Rduino connect</i>
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**Description**

Make a serial connection to an Arduino or similar device

**Usage**

```
rduinoConnect(baud = 38400, mode = "n,8,1", upload = TRUE,  
             arduino = NULL)
```

**Arguments**

baud	baud rate
mode	communication mode
upload	if TRUE, upload the ino file to the device
arduino	command used to run arduino as a shell command including the path

This function does two things - uploads a .ino file to an Arduino, and acts as a wrapper for the serialConnection function of the serial package. The options for the communication mode are available via the helpfile for the serialConnection command.

**Examples**

```
## Not run:  
rduinoConnect()  
rduinoClose()  
  
## End(Not run)
```

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setApin	<i>Set analog pin</i>
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**Description**

Set a analog pin to on or off

**Usage**

```
setApin(pin, value)
```

**Arguments**

pin                    the number of the pin to set (integer)  
value                  the value to which to set the pin (real)

**Examples**

```
## Not run:  
rduinoConnect()  
# gradually increase intensity of LED  
for (i in seq(1,256,by=5))  
{  
  setApin(11,i)  
  Sys.sleep(0.05)  
}  
rduinoClose()  
  
## End(Not run)
```

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setDpin

*Set digital pin*

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**Description**

Set a digital pin to on or off

**Usage**

```
setDpin(pin, value)
```

**Arguments**

pin                    the number of the pin to set (integer)  
value                  the value to which to set the pin (binary)

**Examples**

```
## Not run:  
rduinoConnect()  
# flash LED rapidly  
for (i in 0:9)  
{  
  setDpin(8,1)  
  Sys.sleep(0.05)  
  setDpin(8,0)  
  Sys.sleep(0.05)  
}  
rduinoClose()
```

*setDpin*

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## End(Not run)

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