



Site Safety Detection

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Abstract: Abstract Safety is crucial in every industrial or construction arena as accidents can also cause injuries and damages. To mitigate risks in real-time, modern surveillance employs multiple sensors to track and assess risks. For this project, we installed and set up configurations for several sensors including ultrasonic sensors for distance measuring, pulse sensors for monitoring human heart rate, IR flame sensors for identifying fire, and MQ-135 sensor for detecting harmful gases. These sensors allow for constant monitoring and detection of potential threats, leading to appropriate action. Consequently, these features and sensors improve accident prevention and safety at the site.

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I. INTRODUCTION

The consequences of accidents at construction sites and in industries can be extremely damaging and lead to injuries or fatalities, as well as loss of property. Consequently, this project implements a system that utilizes multiple site safety detectors and real time monitoring sensors to mitigate the possible risks. Sensors that attempt to mitigate the risk of the accident in the system the project works on include: ultrasonic sensors to identify and avoid moving collisions, pulse sensors to detect fatigue/ stress medical emergencies, heart rate sensors to detect the work of the staff, instant fire hazards from the flame sensors, and the safety- monitoring gas sensor that detects health compromising air pollution. Simple as it may be, the integration of these sensors can prevent risk factors from not being detected and respond to increasing the state of safety among workers from being neglected. This indeed should provide a positive and efficient safe place to work.

II. LITERATURE SURVEY

Arduino systems have been researched for improving safety in construction and other dangerous job sites. Joseph and Narayanan “Arduino-Based Safety Management System for High-Risk Work Zones”,2022 focused on improving worker safety by continuously monitoring restricted and high-risk zones at construction sites. Their system used ultrasonic sensors for accurate proximity detection and PIR sensors to identify human movement, reducing false alerts. Visual warning indicators provided immediate hazard awareness, making the system effective for preventing accidental entry into danger zones.

A Kumar, R Singh, “IoT-Enabled smart helmet for Construction Worker Safety”,2021 introduced an IoT-enabled smart helmet aimed at enhancing personal safety through wearable technology. The helmet incorporated gas and temperature sensors to detect hazardous environmental conditions, while fall detection mechanisms helped identify worker accidents promptly.

P Reddy and S Desai, “Embedded Sensor Network for Real-Time Monitoring of Construction Site Hazards”,2020 developed an embedded sensor network for construction sites to provide continuous environmental monitoring. Their system integrated gas, fire, and vibration sensors to detect hazardous

conditions such as gas leaks, fire outbreaks, and structural instability.

S. Ali, N. Pathak, “Wireless Body-Mounted Safety Device for Construction Workers”, 2019 introduced a wireless body-mounted safety device designed for real-time health and location monitoring of workers. The system featured heart rate monitoring to identify physical stress and fatigue, along with fall detection to improve safety in high-risk or isolated areas.

Some other studies showcase the relevance of having more than one sensor for effective safety monitoring. Systems which combine the detection of objects, environmental setting and human health can provide preventative notifications, minimizing crashes. Real time communication and IoT use enables supervisors to react to threats faster, increasing the safety and efficiency of workplaces.

III. RESEARCH METHODOLOGY

The site safety detection device is designed to bolstered workplace safety and streamline hazard supervision using hazard monitoring sensors connected to an Arduino microcontroller. Obstacle and motional ultrasonic sensors are utilised to avoid collisions and accidents. Workers’ heartbeats are recorded via pulse sensors to detect fatigue and stress, or other medical emergencies. There are IR flame sensors, and the MQ-135 gas sensors to monitor and detect threats to worker health such as pollutants and medical hazardous gases.

Arduino processes all sensor data and compares them with predetermined safety thresholds. When abnormal conditions arise, LED indicators and buzzers activate, and alerts are sent to workers and supervisors. Every system is tested in controlled environments in order to respond with accuracy and reliability. Integrating multiple sensors and adjusting monitoring in real-time gives the methodology a practical and proactive protection. The system is also able to log data for additional analysis in order to pin point frequent risks and enhance safety protocols.

The system undergoes additional testing in controlled environments to ensure accuracy, responsiveness, and overall system reliability. This methodology employs a real-time monitoring system and data logging to provide a comprehensive and proactive solution. This approach helps to maintain safety and reduce the likellihood of accidents in high risk construction sites and industrial locations

The overall procedure is as follows:

1. System setup: The ultrasonic, pulse, IR flame, and MQ-135 sensors are interfaced with the Arduino microcontroller.
2. Power up system: Turn on the system to power all sensors and collect data.
3. Monitoring: There is continuous measurement of each respective parameter (distance, heart rate, fire, and gas level).
4. Data processing: Readings from the sensors are held in real time and processed in the Arduino.
5. Threshold comparison: The Arduino verifies sensor values with preset safety margins and detects unsafe condition.
6. Danger: If a sensor reading is potentially dangerous, it is considered a hazard.
7. Warning: The system provides a warning to nearby workers and supervisors with a LED indicator, buzzer, and/or notification.
8. End system feedback: Alerts stay active until the hazard is mitigated, or readings are back to normal.
9. System Testing: The system is tested in a controlled environment to fine-tune it and make sure it is working.
10. System continues to run: The system continues to function on its own, providing safety surveillance and monitoring conditions in real time.

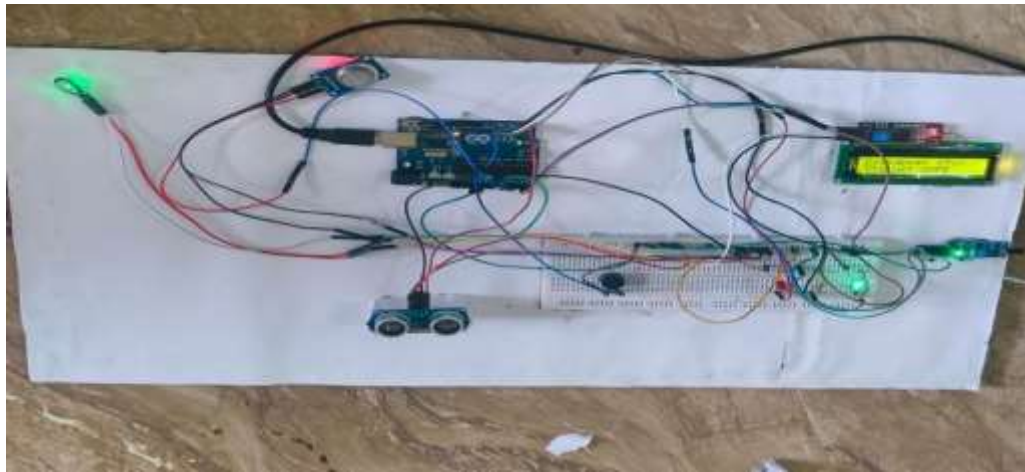


Figure 1: Implementation of Site Safety Detection



Figure 2 : Attenuation exceeded



Figure 3 : Pulse rate detection



Figure 4 : Distance detection



Figure 5 : Gas Detection

IV. RESULT AND DISCUSSION

1. **Near Object Detection:** The ultrasonic sensor accurately detected within range nearby objects and moving equipment to help avoid site collisions.
2. **Real-Time Health Monitoring:** The pulse sensor measured real-time heart rate and abnormal values indicating fatigue or physical stress were detected successfully.
3. **Rapid Fire Detection:** The IR flame sensor detected fire hazards by responding immediately to flames or heat sources and activated alerts.
4. **Gas Detection:** The MQ-135 sensor harmful gases and changes in air quality accurately, supporting environmental safety and early warning of hazards.
5. **Instant Data Processing:** There was no noticeable delay in processing the sensor data by the Arduino enabling timely decision making and alerts.
6. **Efficient Warning System:** Workers were able to respond to unsafe conditions swiftly due to the visual and audible alerts provided by the LEDs and buzzers.
7. **Improved Safety Precaution:** Accidents were less likely to occur due to the increased awareness of workers when the system highlighted the newly added risks.
8. **Safety Sensors:** All sensors operated in continuous mode during the test providing continuous monitoring without manual control.
9. **Low False Readings:** The sensors were mostly accurate, though slight fluctuations caused by environmental noise and sensor sensitivity were detected.
10. **Scope for Improvement:** Future improvements, such as sensor calibration, data logging, and wireless communication, would help make the system scalable and more robust.

V. CONCLUSION

The project built the system for site safety detection and created a positive value for safety improvements (to safety improvements) in very unsafe work locations (high risk job site locations): unsafe work locations. The project constructed (integrated) ultrasonic, pulse, IR flame and MQ-135 sensors with an Arduino microcontroller. This system can structure simultaneous monitoring of multi- hazards and real-time warning capabilities. The system incorporated multi-hazard detectors and real-time warning capabilities. The ultrasonic sensor helps with collision prevention. The pulse sensor helps with monitoring the health of the workers. The IR flame sensor helps with early detection of fire. The MQ-135 sensor helps with checking the environment for unsafe levels of certain gases. The system's vague condition response with proper notification of workers (active alerts) using fire (visual) and explosion (audible) methods, and the system documentation demonstrates how the tool can be successfully employed with the system in practice for occupational health and safety tools (OHST). Testing showed the safety line (the boundary) of reliable operation of the system, and demonstrated the system as a possible practical safety tool. The project built a proof of concept showing how the use of multiple sensors (or) in a single integrated monitoring system can help mitigate occupational health and safety risks (OHST) and establish an increased responsive work environment.

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