Project Name: Home Security Alarm for Night-Time

Summary: This comprehensive security system is designed with a focus on user convenience and energy efficiency. The integration of the PIR sensor ensures precise motion detection, allowing the system to respond promptly to potential intruders. Simultaneously, the Light Dependent Resistor (LDR) adds a layer of intelligence by gauging ambient light levels, preventing unnecessary activation during daylight hours and promoting sustainable energy use.

The security light serves a dual purpose by not only illuminating the surroundings but also acting as a deterrent, enhancing the overall effectiveness of the system. The audible alarm further reinforces security measures, alerting both homeowners and potential intruders.

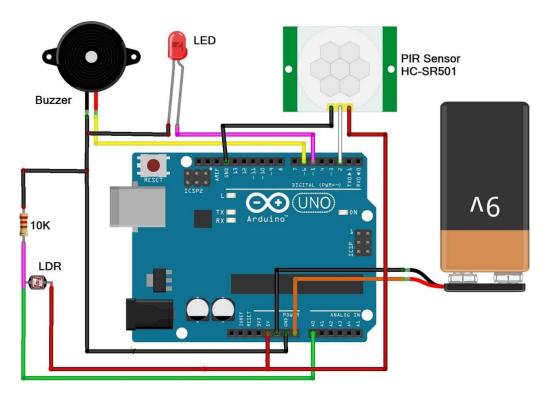
The project's user-friendly customization options contribute to a hassle-free experience, allowing homeowners to tailor settings according to their preferences. Beyond its primary security functions, the system also encourages responsible energy consumption, aligning with modern sustainability practices.

This hands-on project not only ensures a safer living environment but also provides valuable insights and skills in electronics, programming, and sensor integration. It exemplifies a holistic approach to home security, addressing both safety and energy efficiency concerns.

Components:

- 1. Arduino UNO Board
- 2. PIR Sensor HC-SR501
- 3. LDR
- 4. 10K Resistor
- 5. LED
- 6. Buzzer
- 7. 9V Battery
- 8. Breadboard (if required)

Schematic Diagram:



Source Code:

Security_System_PIR_Sensor.ino

```
int Buzzer = 6; // choose the pin for the Buzzer
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     int inputPin = 2; // choose the input pin (for PIR sensor)
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     int pirState = LOW; // we start, assuming no motion detected
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     int ledPin = 5;
     int val = 0; // variable for reading the pin status
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     void setup() {
     pinMode(ledPin, OUTPUT); // declare LED as output
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     pinMode(Buzzer, OUTPUT); // declare Buzzer as output
     pinMode(inputPin, INPUT); // declare sensor as input
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     Serial.begin(9600);
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     }
14
     void loop(){
15
     val = digitalRead(inputPin); // read input value
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     int value_ldr = analogRead(A0); // read LDR value
18
     if((300>value_ldr) && ( val==HIGH) ){
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     if (val == HIGH) { // check if the input is HIGH
20
     digitalWrite(ledPin, HIGH); // turn LED ON
21
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     digitalWrite(Buzzer, 1); // turn Buzzer ON
23
     delay(5000);
24
     if (pirState == LOW) {
25
    // we have just turned on
26
     Serial.println("Motion detected!");
27
     // We only want to print on the output change, not state
28
     pirState = HIGH;
29
    }
30
    } else {
   digitalWrite(ledPin, LOW); // turn LED OFF
31
     digitalWrite(Buzzer, 0); // turn Buzzer OFF
32
     if (pirState == HIGH){
33
34
     // we have just turned of
35
     Serial.println("Motion ended!");
36
     // We only want to print on the output change, not state
37
     pirState = LOW;
38
     }
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    }
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   }
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    }
```

Benefits:

- 1. **Precise Motion Detection:** The PIR sensor ensures accurate and reliable motion detection, minimizing false positives and enhancing the system's effectiveness.
- 2. Energy-Efficient Operation: The integration of the LDR allows the system to activate selectively in lowlight conditions, reducing unnecessary power consumption during daylight hours.
- 3. **Optimized Illumination:** The dual-functionality of the security light provides targeted illumination where needed, optimizing visibility and conserving energy by avoiding unnecessary area lighting.
- 4. **Configurable Thresholds:** Customizable settings for motion detection thresholds and light activation parameters allow fine-tuning based on specific environmental conditions, optimizing system performance.
- 5. **Real-Time Response System:** The immediate triggering of the audible alarm upon motion detection ensures a swift and real-time response to potential security threats.
- 6. **Microcontroller Logic:** The Arduino microcontroller orchestrates the integration of sensors and devices, executing complex logic for efficient decision-making in real-time.
- 7. **Integration of Deterrents:** The audible alarm and visible security light, integrated seamlessly into the system, act as both active deterrents and immediate indicators of security breaches.
- 8. Sustainable Design: The project's design promotes sustainable practices by actively conserving energy, aligning with modern green initiatives.
- 9. Versatile Sensor Calibration: The project involves sensor calibration techniques, honing skills in optimizing sensor performance under varying environmental conditions.
- 10. Advanced Security Logic: The project incorporates sophisticated security logic, combining motion detection and ambient light sensing to ensure a comprehensive response tailored to specific security requirements.

Skills:

- 1. **Electronics Proficiency:** Gain expertise in working with electronic components, understanding their functions, and establishing logical connections within the security system.
- 2. **Programming Skills:** Develop and implement code for the Arduino microcontroller, enhancing proficiency in programming and algorithm design for real-time applications.
- 3. Sensor Integration: Learn to integrate different sensors, specifically the PIR sensor and LDR, mastering the art of combining diverse technologies for a cohesive and functional system.
- 4. **Troubleshooting Abilities:** Hone problem-solving skills by identifying and addressing issues related to sensor calibration, circuit connectivity, and system malfunctions.
- 5. Calibration Techniques: Acquire hands-on experience in calibrating sensors, ensuring optimal performance and responsiveness under varying environmental conditions.
- 6. Energy-Efficient System Design: Learn to design systems with a focus on energy efficiency, implementing selective activation and deactivation mechanisms to conserve power.