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Purpose

Prevent hot car deaths in children using low cost, sensor-based, multiple alert system

Detection Unit



Camera OV2640 (Child Verification) Eyes Nose Mouth

child/Parent Detection PIR Sensors Ultrasonic Sensor

Power

Time in signal state	Battery Capacity mAh (Battery Life-Days)			
	2 Parallel 2300 mAh Packs	2 Parallel 2800 mAH Packs	3 Parallel 2800 mAh Packs	
~20%	4600	5600	8400	
	(5.69)	(6.93)	(10.4)	
~8%	4600	5600	8400	
	(10.19)	(12.45)	(18.67)	
~4%	4600	5600	8400	
	(14.51)	(17.67)	(26.5)	

Percent of Day in Each State

Alarm Signal



Battery Charge Monitoring: ESP32's on-board 12-bit ADC				
Actual Voltage (V)	Reported Voltage (V)	LCD Battery Status		
5.4	5.32	L		
5.5	5.48	L		
5.6	5.55	L		
5.7	5.70	L		
5.8	5.83	М		
5.9	5.87	М		
6.0	5.85	М		
6.1	5.96	М		
6.2	6.14	М		
6.3	6.32	М		
6.4	6.45	М		
6.5	6.58	F		
6.6	6.70	F		
6.7	6.79	F		
6.8	7.02	F		
6.9	7.20	F		
7.0	7.20	F		
7.1	7.20	F		
7.2	7.20	F		

Internal Module Diagram

Back Seat view





PIR Sensor (110°) Camera LCD **Reset Button**

Front Seat View





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System States and Operations



Requirements and Testing

Requirement	Measured results	
Internal Device		
Internal Battery: 2hr Op w/ 80% recharge in 15 mins Withstand High Temp	Internal operates 7hrs but charging circuit has failed its operation testing by not supplying a current through the circuit All components withstand less than or equal to 150 F in a vehicle	FAIL PASS
Battery Gauge W/ 3 levels & low battery alert	ADC provides 3 different battery voltage levels and low battery chirp	PASS
Child / Driver high sensitivity detection	Child and Driver presence detected by PIR and Ultrasound Sensors (50 cm) while a confirmed by face detection camera (0° - 45° side view)	being PASS
Medium Interior Alarm after 10 sec and High-Level alarm after 15 sec	Countdown State generates interior alarm and signals for exterior alarm Reset Function returns system to Detection State. Snooze Function can be called a	PASS and
Reset and Snooze Function	lasts 3 mins	PASS
Interior Alarm equal to Kitchen timer	Interior Alarm = 60dB (Compared to a kitchen alarm)	PASS
400 grams	The internal module does not have a secure method of attachment to driver headre Weighs 381 grams	est. PASS
External Device		
Wireless Communication	Bluetooth initial connection and signaling happens in 3 seconds or less, up to 10m distance	PASS
External Battery: 30-day operation	Module last for 18 days. This failure was caused by the misinformation on ESP32 CAM sleep current draws reported by the product specification	FAIL
Exterior Alarm equal to fire alarm	Exterior alarm = 90dB (Comparable to a fire alarm.)	PASS
Test Operation in three vehicles	Operation works identically in all vehicles (No Sync needed)	PASS
Attach to outside of vehicle/400 grams	The external module does not have magnets, so it is unable to attach to outside of will be placed into the engine bay. Weighs 828 grams	car. It FAIL







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(Stretch Goal) Application



Android Application Emergency Notifications Battery levels Reset Button



Wireless Communication



Responsibilities:

- Wireless connection between internal and external Modules (Bluetooth 4.2 BR/EDR). Range up to 10 meters.
- Reconnection automatically in 3 second.

External System

- **Responsibilities: Alert the user if a child is** left alone in a vehicle
- Modes (conserve power)
- Sleep mode (timing 22-24)
- > Active mode (timing 1-3)
- Timer to wake
- > If the system fails to connect it will stay in active mode until a connection made

External Alert

External alarm (93 dB/m). > Siren

Team

