

ELET 4308 - SENIOR PROJECT

Car Garage Cooling System

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Background of the Project

- Implement a one car, fully-automated car garage opener and cooling system.
- Build a device that will minimize human error while parking a car in the garage and use a light sensor technique to operate the garage.
- Affordable and Profitable
- Easy to Use

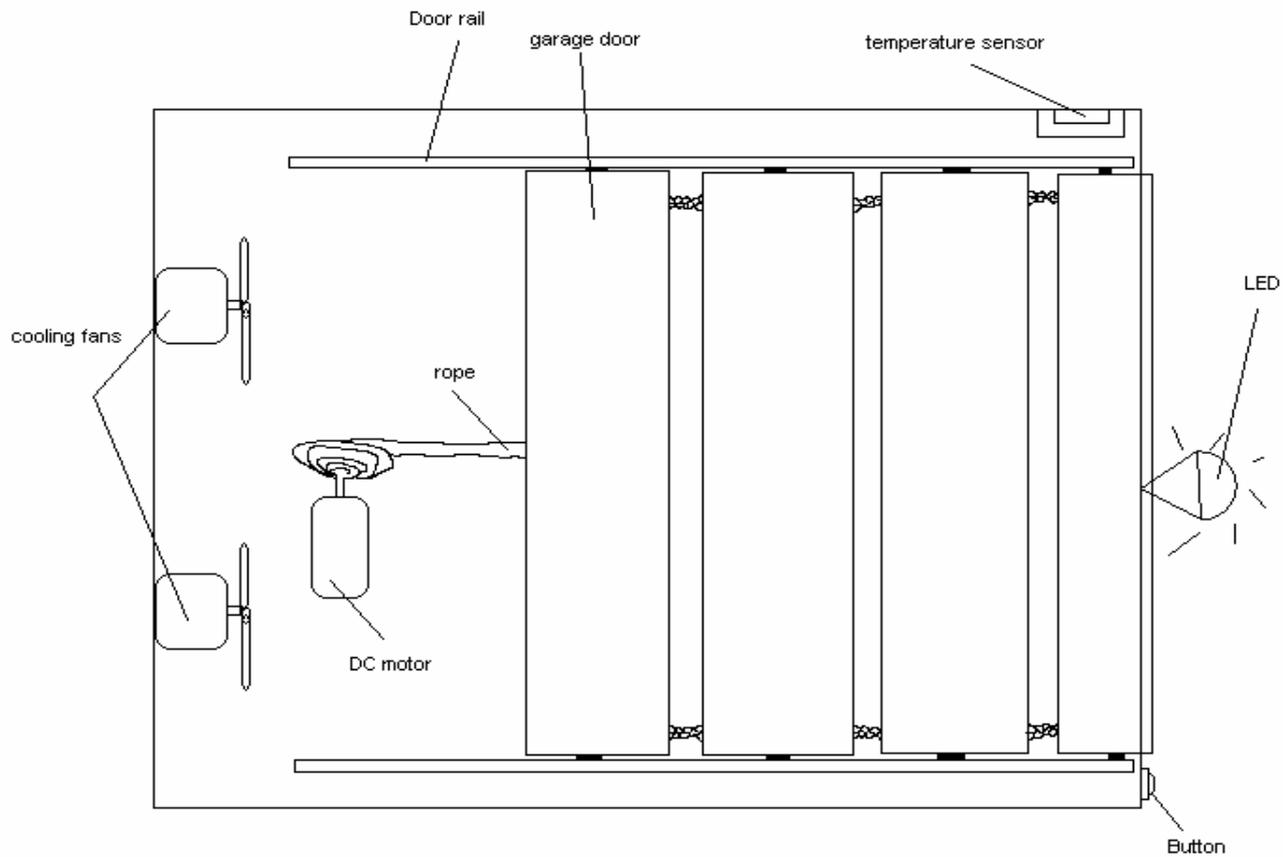
Application of the Project

- Optimize the interior temperature of a house, in addition to simulating the action of a car pulling into the driveway with the lights on.
- ***The System will:***
 - Turn on two cooling fans if the temperature becomes excessive.
 - Display the increase in temperature in binary through the LM34 temperature sensor.
 - Turn on the lights above the garage if lights shine on the garage doors.

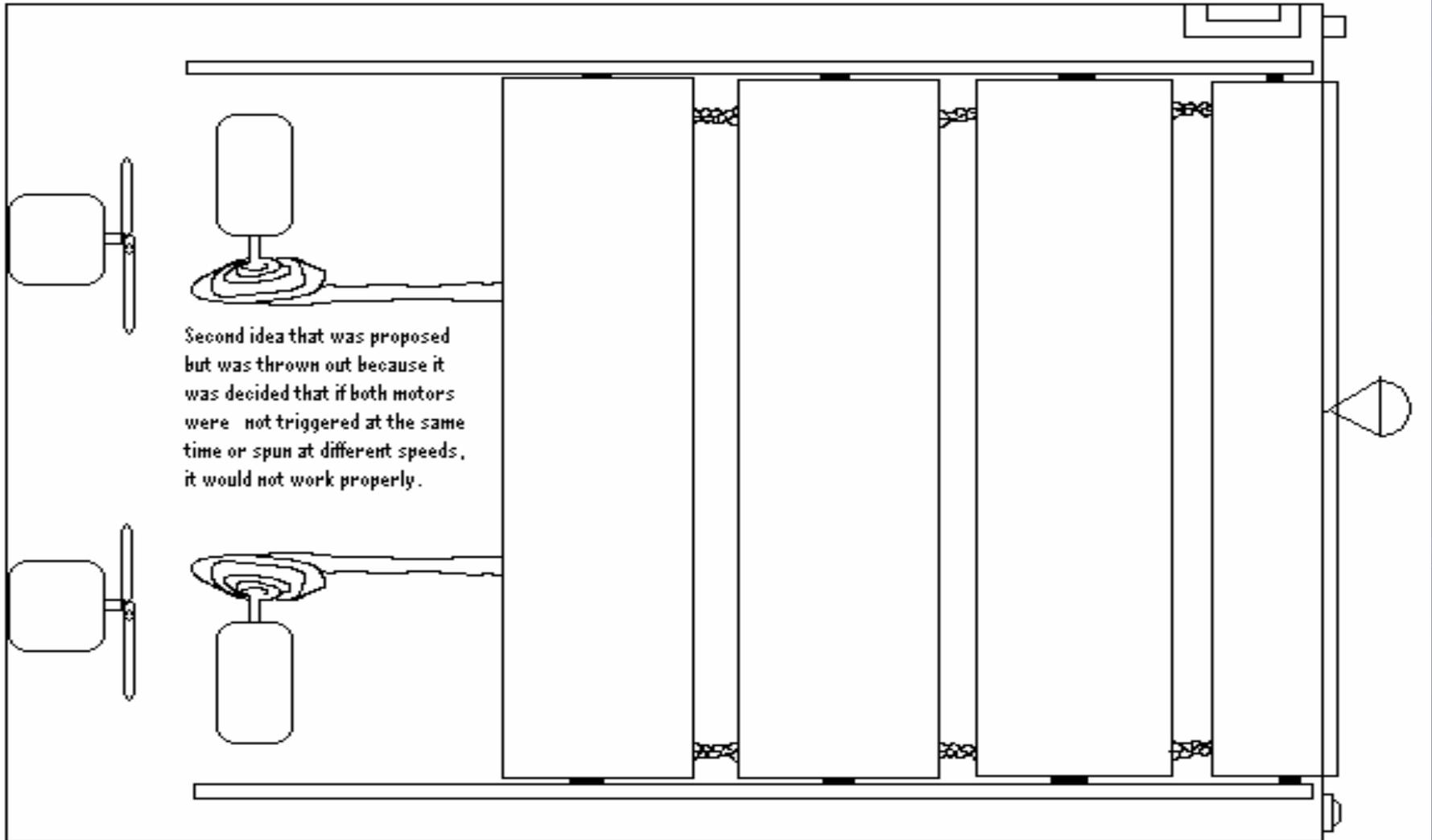
Project Specifications

- Interior of garage is equipped with a LM34 temperature sensor.
- Turns on two DC motorized fans as interior garage temperature increases. The exterior of the garage is equipped with a standard light sensor above the garage door.
- The lights above the garage door illuminate as light is shown on the front of the garage.
- The garage is equipped with a momentary button to activate car garage opener.

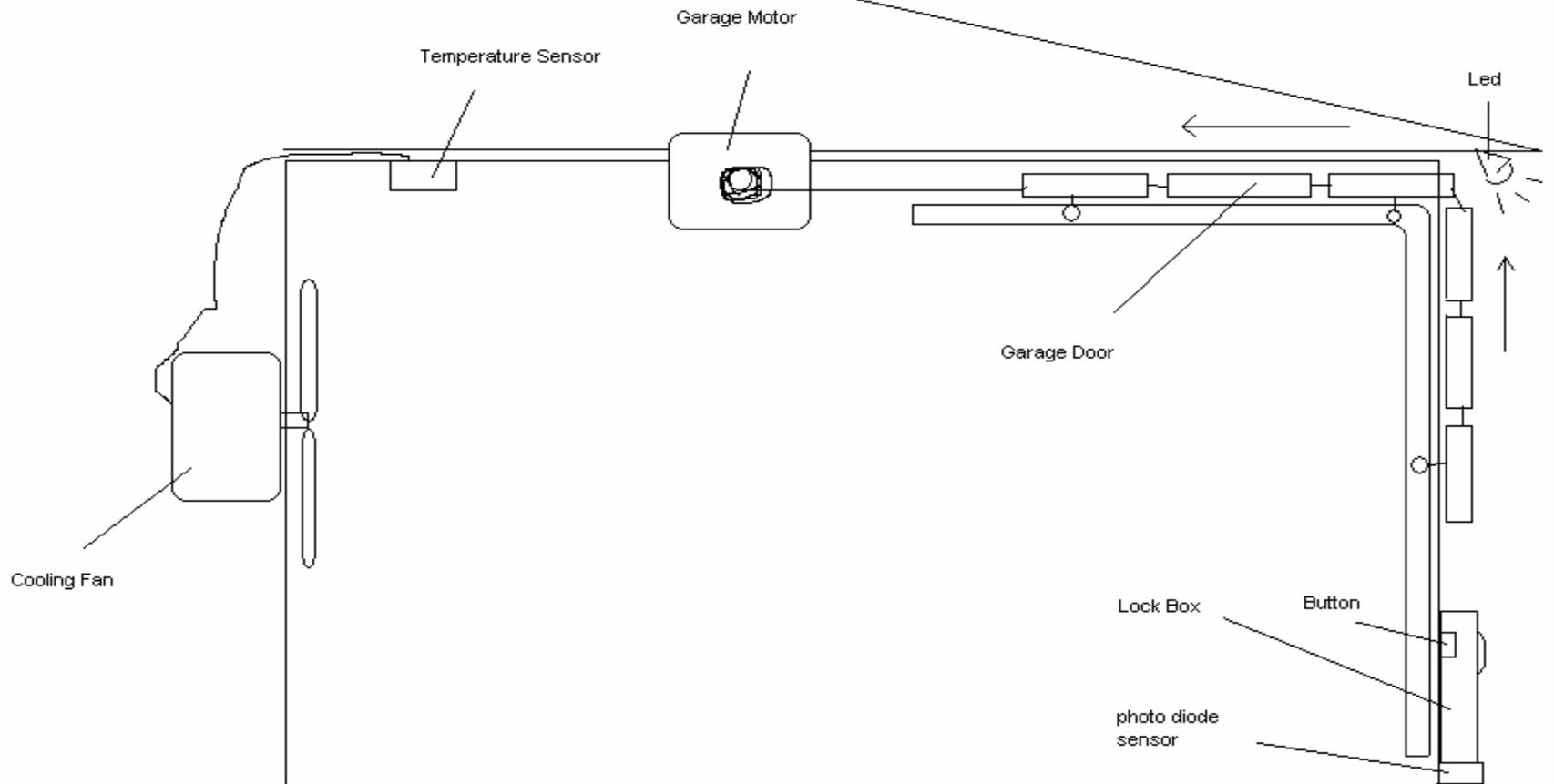
Project Model (cont.)



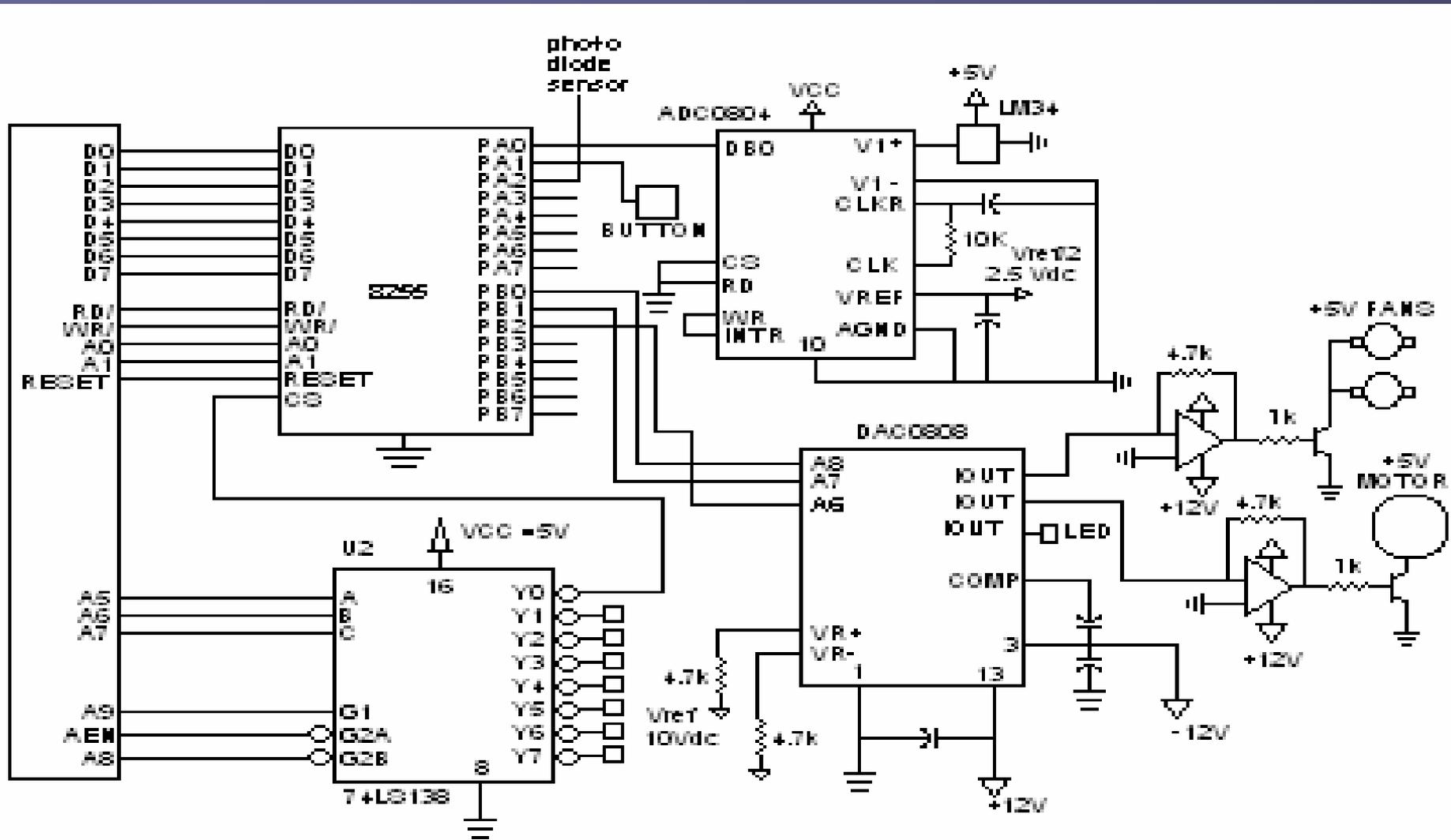
Design Alternatives



Project Model



Circuit Diagram



Cost Analysis

Materials:

- 4 pieces of plywood - \$12.00
- 3 Relay Board Kit - \$18.00
- 2 12VDC Fan - \$24.00
- LM34 temperature sensor - \$1.00
- Light sensor - \$5.00
- Momentary button - \$2.00
- Garage Motor - \$5.00
- Analog to Digital Converter (ADC0804) - Free
- Digital to Analog Converter (DAC0808) - Free
- Programmable 8255 Chip – Free

TOTAL - \$67.00

Labor Hours for Project:

- John Cao – 250 hours
 - Total – $(\$25.00/\text{hr}) * 2.5 * 250 \text{ hours} = \$15,625.00$
- Quentin Guyton – 250 hours
 - Total – $(\$25.00/\text{hr}) * 2.5 * 250 \text{ hours} = \$15,625.00$

TOTAL - \$31,250.00

GRAND TOTAL: \$31,317.00

Questions

