

Coding part

Connection Explanation

The program controls **3 servo motors** using a **joystick** and a **button**.

- **Servo 1** → Moves the arm **left and right** (X-axis). Joystick works like Pushing it **left or right** moves Servo 1.
- **Servo 2** → Moves the arm **up and down** (Y-axis). Joystick works like Pushing it **up or down** moves Servo 2.

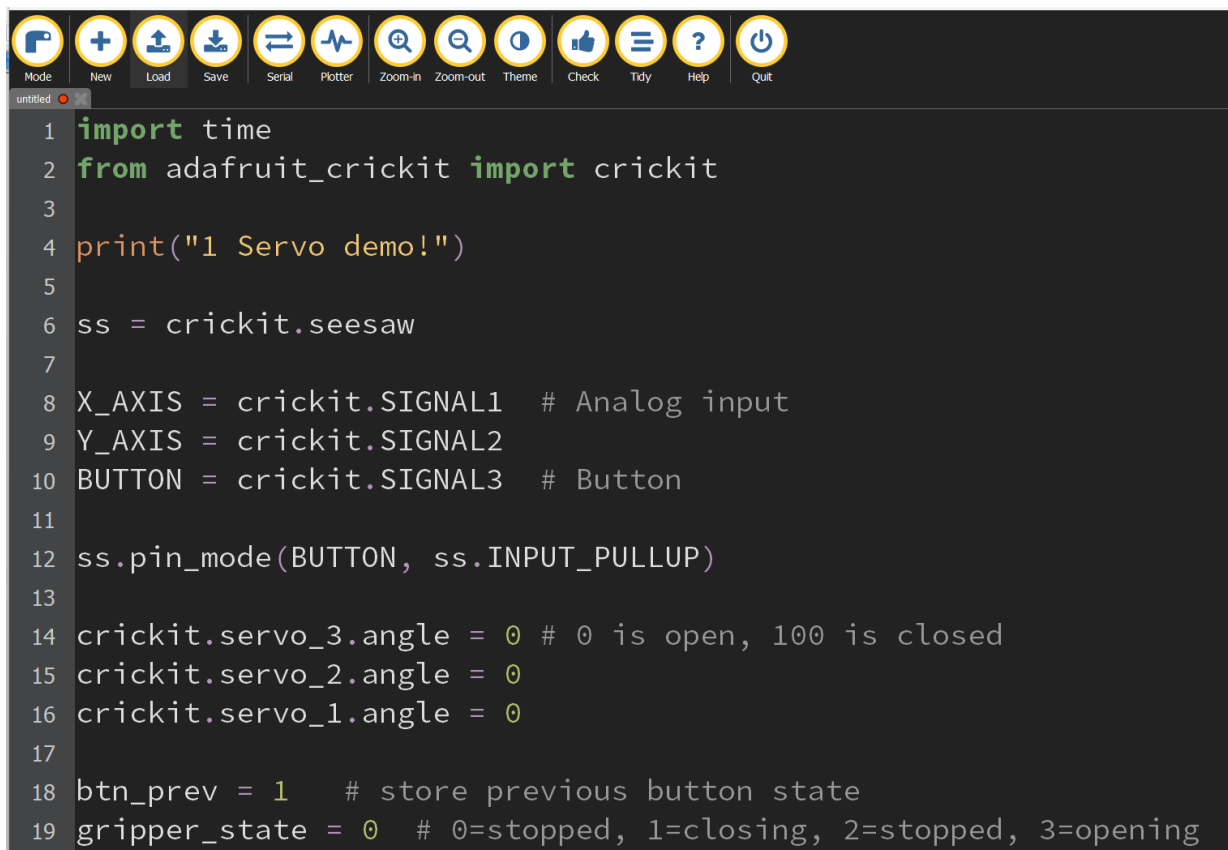
Servo 3 → Works as the **gripper hand** (open and close).

The **button** changes the gripper's state:

- First press → gripper **closes**.
- Second press → gripper **stops**.
- Third press → gripper **opens**.
- Fourth press → gripper **stops again** (cycle repeats).

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Here is the code you can see if you face any doubt while doing this task.

A screenshot of a code editor window with a dark background. The editor has a toolbar at the top with icons for Mode, New, Load, Save, Serial, Plotter, Zoom-in, Zoom-out, Theme, Check, Tidy, Help, and Quit. The code is written in Python and is as follows:

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1 import time
2 from adafruit_crickit import crickit
3
4 print("1 Servo demo!")
5
6 ss = crickit.seesaw
7
8 X_AXIS = crickit.SIGNAL1 # Analog input
9 Y_AXIS = crickit.SIGNAL2
10 BUTTON = crickit.SIGNAL3 # Button
11
12 ss.pin_mode(BUTTON, ss.INPUT_PULLUP)
13
14 crickit.servo_3.angle = 0 # 0 is open, 100 is closed
15 crickit.servo_2.angle = 0
16 crickit.servo_1.angle = 0
17
18 btn_prev = 1 # store previous button state
19 gripper_state = 0 # 0=stopped, 1=closing, 2=stopped, 3=opening
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20 gprangle = 0
21 xservo = 0
22 yservo = 0
23
24 while True:
25     y = ss.analog_read(Y_AXIS)
26     x = ss.analog_read(X_AXIS)
27     btn_val = ss.analog_read(BUTTON)
28
29     # treat button as digital (pressed < 50)
30     if btn_val < 50:
31         btn = 0 # pressed
32     else:
33         btn = 1 # released
34
35     # Detect new press (edge trigger)
36     if btn == 0 and btn_prev == 1:
37         # cycle through 0→1→2→3→0
38         gripper_state = (gripper_state + 1) % 4
39         print("New state:", gripper_state)
40
41     # Move gripper depending on state
42     if gripper_state == 1: # closing
43         print("closing gripper")
44
45     # Limit angles
46     if gprangle < 0:
47         gprangle = 0
48     if gprangle > 100:
49         gprangle = 100
50
51     crickit.servo_3.angle = gprangle
52
53     # X joystick
54     if x < 20:
55         xservo += 10
56     if x > 1000:
57         xservo -= 10
58     xservo = max(0, min(180, xservo))
59     crickit.servo_1.angle = xservo
60
61     # Y joystick
62     if y < 20:
63         yservo += 10
64     if y > 1000:
65         yservo -= 10
66     yservo = max(0, min(180, yservo))
67     crickit.servo_2.angle = yservo
68
69     btn_prev = btn
70     time.sleep(0.1)

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You can adjust the value of checking condition and modify and see the output.