

## What's New with Robotics with the Boe-Bot v2.0?

*Robotics with the Boe-Bot v2.0* is the newly revised and expanded version of our most popular Stamps in Class curriculum. New features of the text include:

- New chapter for beginners that introduces BASIC Stamp programming no prerequisite required.
- Expanded now includes 8 Chapters and 41 Activities. Was 188 pages, now 319 pages.
- All new programs in PBASIC 2.5, featuring DO...LOOP, IF...THEN...ELSEIF...ELSE, and SELECT...CASE code block instructions
- Programs designed specifically for the fast and responsive Parallax Continuous Rotation Servos.
- Audio and LED light indicator circuits for low-battery brownout, infrared interference, and sensor trouble-shooting
- Redesigned tactile whisker contact switches that reduce "blind spots"
- New photoresistor experiments now demonstrate these concepts: digital measurements using resistor divider circuits, and analog measurements with an RC circuit and decay time.
- Improved remote object and distance detection with shielded, frequency-matched infrared LED emitters and detectors that increase functional distance

The activities in *Robotics with the Boe-Bot v2.0* require a few parts not previously used with Robotics! v1.5. If you already have a Boe-Bot (#28132), you can conveniently obtain these parts by ordering online. Enter "28105 in the Product Search field at <u>www.parallax.com</u> or visit the Robotics Component Shop.

Boe-Bot Upgrade Kit (#28105)			
Parallax Stock Code	Description	Quantity	
150- 02020	Resistor, 2 K $\Omega$ , CF, 5%, $\frac{1}{4}$ watt	2	

150- 02210	Resistor, 220 Ω, CF, 5%, ¼ watt	5
150- 04720	Resistor, 4.7 KΩ, CF, 5%, ¼ watt	1
700- 00060	Standoff, ¼" round aluminum, 1" long, 4-40	4
710- 00007	Screw, pan head, Phillips, 7/8", 4-40	2
713- 00007	Spacer, round aluminum #4, ½"	2

Several other robotics parts were improved before the recent text revision. If your Boe-Bot came from Parallax before July 2003, you may also need to replace your servos, infrared emitters, or whisker wires for best results. *Robotics with the Boe-Bot v2.0* was written specifically for Parallax Continuous Rotation Servos. If you are not sure which parts you have, check out Appendix J to *Robotics! v1.5* for details.

Servos, Whiskers, and LED Emitter Assemblies			
Parallax Stock Code	Description	Quantity	
900- 00008	Parallax Continuous Rotation Servos	2	
350- 00003	Infrared LED – T1 3/4	2	
350- 90000	LED Standoff	2	
350- 90001	LED Light Shield	2	
700 00056	Whisker wires	2	

All of the parts listed on this page can be purchased through the Robotics Component Shop at www.parallax.com (on the home page, select Component Shop from the Robotics menu).

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