Traffic Light Controller Using PIC18F4520 (Assembly)

This program implements a simple **traffic light controller** using **Assembly Language** for the **PIC18F4520 microcontroller**. The lights follow a standard traffic sequence:

- 1. Green $ON \rightarrow Wait 5$ seconds
- 2. Yellow $ON \rightarrow Wait 1$ second
- 3. **Red ON** \rightarrow Wait 5 seconds
- 4. Repeat Cycle

Q Line-by-Line Explanation

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ORG 0x00; Reset vector (Execution starts here) GOTO MAIN; Jump to MAIN (start of main program)
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- The program starts execution from address **0x00**.
- GOTO MAIN sends execution to the MAIN label where the actual code begins.

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ORG 0x08 ; Interrupt vector (not used here)
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• This is the **interrupt vector**. It is required by convention but not used in this code.

- **CBLOCK** defines memory locations starting from **0x20**.
- COUNT1 and COUNT2 are used as delay counters.

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ORG 0x20 ; Start of main program memory
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• This tells the assembler that the **actual program** starts from memory location **0x20**.

★ Main Program (Initialization)

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MAIN:
CLRF LATB ; Clear LATB (turn off all LEDs)
CLRF PORTB ; Clear PORTB (ensure all outputs are LOW)
MOVLW 0xF8 ; Load WREG with 0xF8 (11111000 in binary)
MOVWF TRISB ; Set RB0, RB1, RB2 as outputs (other bits remain inputs)
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- CLRF LATB & CLRF PORTB: Clears PORTB and LATB, turning off all LEDs.
- MOVLW 0xF8 & MOVWF TRISB:
 - o TRISB = 0xF8 (11111000): Sets RB0, RB1, RB2 as outputs (0 = output).
 - Other pins (RB3-RB7) remain as inputs.

Main Loop (Traffic Light Logic)

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LOOP:

MOVLW 0x04 ; Load 00000100 (Green ON)

MOVWF LATB ; Write to LATB (Turns ON Green LED at RB2)

CALL DELAY_5S; Wait 5 seconds

MOVLW 0x02 ; Load 00000010 (Yellow ON)

MOVWF LATB ; Write to LATB (Turns ON Yellow LED at RB1)

CALL DELAY_1S; Wait 1 second

MOVLW 0x01 ; Load 00000001 (Red ON)

MOVWF LATB ; Write to LATB (Turns ON Red LED at RB0)

CALL DELAY_5S; Wait 5 seconds

GOTO LOOP ; Repeat traffic light sequence
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- Green LED ON (RB2) \rightarrow 5 sec delay
- Yellow LED ON (RB1) → 1 sec delay
- Red LED ON (RB0) \rightarrow 5 sec delay
- Repeat indefinitely

Delay Subroutines

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1-Second Delay Routine
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DELAY_1S:
    MOVLW 0xFF  ; Load WREG with 0xFF (255)
    MOVWF COUNT1 ; Store in COUNT1

DELAY_LOOP1:
    MOVLW 0xFF  ; Load WREG with 0xFF (255)
    MOVWF COUNT2 ; Store in COUNT2

DELAY_LOOP2:
    DECFSZ COUNT2,F  ; Decrement COUNT2, Skip if Zero GOTO DELAY_LOOP2 ; Repeat until COUNT2 = 0
    DECFSZ COUNT1,F  ; Decrement COUNT1, Skip if Zero GOTO DELAY_LOOP1 ; Repeat outer loop RETURN
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- Creates ~1-second delay using nested loops.
- COUNT1 and COUNT2 decrement from 255 to 0, creating a delay.

5-Second Delay Routine

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DELAY_5S:
    CALL DELAY_1S ; Call 1-second delay 5 times
    CALL DELAY_1S
    CALL DELAY_1S
    CALL DELAY_1S
    CALL DELAY_1S
    CALL DELAY_1S
    RETURN
```

• Calls the 1-second delay 5 times to create a 5-second delay.

★ Algorithm (Traffic Light Controller)

- 1. **Initialize PORTB**:
 - Clear all bits
 - o Configure RB0, RB1, and RB2 as **outputs**.
- 2. Turn ON Green Light (RB2) for 5 seconds.
- 3. Turn OFF Green, Turn ON Yellow Light (RB1) for 1 second.
- 4. Turn OFF Yellow, Turn ON Red Light (RB0) for 5 seconds.
- 5. Repeat the process indefinitely

Expected LED Behavior

State	RB2 (Green)	RB1 (Yellow)	RB0 (Red)	Duration
Step 1	ON (1)	OFF (0)	OFF (0)	5 sec
Step 2	OFF (0)	ON (1)	OFF (0)	1 sec
Step 3	OFF (0)	OFF (0)	ON (1)	5 sec

Loop Back Repeat from Step 1

Key Features

- **✓** Uses simple bit manipulation to control LEDs
- **✓** Implements precise delays using software loops
- **✓** Uses comf for toggling and simple state transitions
- **✓** Optimized for PIC18F4520

♦ What You Can Modify

- Change delay values (Adjust CALL DELAY 1s in DELAY 5s).
- Add more traffic light states (e.g., blinking green before yellow).
- Extend for pedestrian crossing by adding a separate LED sequence.