Moving Car System Design

Outline

This document shows a design of a four-driving wheel robot that moves in a rectangular shape.

Car Components:

- Four motors (M1, M2, M3, M4)
- One button to start (PB1)
- One button for stop (PB2)
- Four LEDs (LED1, LED2, LED3, LED4)

System Requirements:

- 1. The car starts initially from 0 speed.
- 2. When PB1 is pressed, the car will move forward after 1 second.
- 3. The car will move forward to create the longest side of the rectangle for 3 seconds with 50% of its maximum speed.
- 4. After finishing the first longest side the car will stop for 0.5 seconds, rotate 90 degrees to the right, and stop for 0.5 second.
- 5. The car will move to create the short side of the rectangle at 30% of its speed for 2 seconds.
- 6. After finishing the shortest side the car will stop for 0.5 seconds, rotate 90 degrees to the right, and stop for 0.5 second.
- 7. Steps 3 to 6 will be repeated infinitely until you press the stop button (PB2)
- 8. PB2 acts as a sudden break, and it has the highest priority.

Layered Architecture

Definition

Layered Architecture (Figure 1) describes an architectural pattern composed of several separate horizontal layers that function together as a single unit of software.

Microcontroller Abstraction Layer (*MCAL*) is a software module that directly accesses on-chip MCU peripheral modules and external devices that are mapped to memory, and makes the upper software layer independent of the MCU.

Hardware Abstraction Layer (HAL) is a layer of programming that allows a computer OS to interact with a hardware device at a general or abstract level rather than at a detailed hardware level.

Design

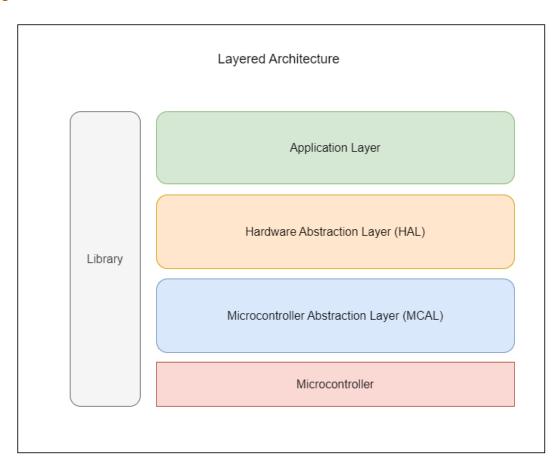


Figure 1. Layered Architecture Design

System Modules

Definition

A *Module* is a distinct assembly of components that can be easily added, removed or replaced in a larger system. Generally, a *Module* is not functional on its own.

In computer hardware, a *Module* is a component that is designed for easy replacement.

Design

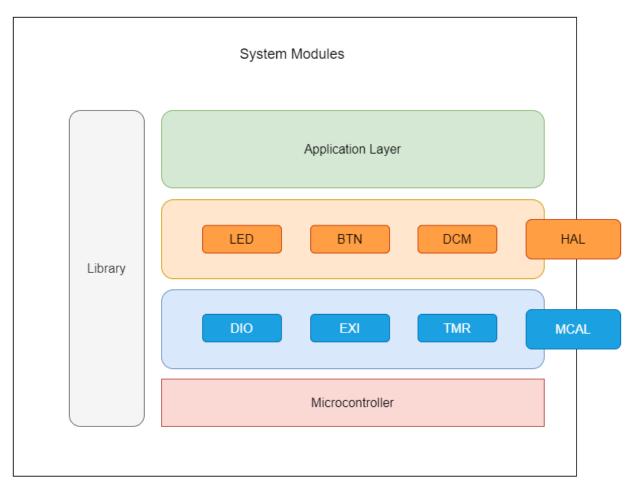


Figure 2. System Modules Design

Application Programming Interfaces (APIs)

Definition

An *API* is an *Application Programming Interface* that defines a set of *routines*, *protocols* and *tools* for creating an application. An *API* defines the high level interface of the behavior and capabilities of the component and its inputs and outputs.

An *API* should be created so that it is generic and implementation independent. This allows for the API to be used in multiple applications with changes only to the implementation of the API and not the general interface or behavior.

MCAL APIs

A. DIO APIS

vd DIO_vdInitialization (void)

Name: DIO vdInitialization

Input: void *Output*: void

Description: Function to initialize DIO peripheral.

u8 DIO_u8SetPinDirection (u8 Cpy_u8PortId, u8 Cpy_u8PinId, u8 Cpy_u8PinDirection)

Name: DIO u8SetPinDirection

Input: u8 Portld, u8 Pinld, and u8 PinDirection

Output: u8 Error or No Error

Description: Function to set Pin direction.

u8 DIO_u8SetPinValue (u8 Cpy_u8PortId, u8 Cpy_u8PinId, u8 Cpy_u8PinValue)

Name: DIO u8SetPinValue

Input: u8 Portld, u8 Pinld, and u8 PinValue

Output: u8 Error or No Error

Description: Function to set Pin value.

u8 DIO_u8GetPinValue (u8 Cpy_u8PortId, u8 Cpy_u8PinId, u8 *Cpy_pu8ReturnedPinValue)

Name: DIO_u8GetPinValue

Input: u8 Portld, u8 PinId, and Pointer to u8 ReturnedPinValue

Output: u8 Error or No Error

Description: Function to get Pin value.

u8 DIO u8TogglePinValue (u8 Cpy u8PortId, u8 Cpy u8PinId)

Name: DIO_u8TogglePinValue Input: u8 PortId and u8 PinId Output: u8 Error or No Error

Description: Function to toggle Pin value.

B. EXI APIS

u8 EXI_u8EnablePIE (u8 Cpy_u8InterruptId, u8 Cpy_u8SenseControl)

Name: EXI u8EnablePIE

Input: u8 InterruptId and u8 SenseControl

Output: u8 Error or No Error

Description: Function to enable and configure Peripheral Interrupt Enable (PIE),

by setting relevant bits for each interrupt, then configuring Sense Control.

u8 EXI_u8DisablePIE (u8 Cpy_u8InterruptId)

Name: EXI_u8DisablePIE

Input: u8 InterruptId

Output: u8 Error or No Error

Description: Function to disable Peripheral Interrupt Enable (PIE), by clearing

relevant bits for each interrupt.

u8 EXI_u8INTSetCallBack (u8 Cpy_u8InterruptId, void (*Cpy_pfINTInterruptAction) (void))

Name: EXI_u8SetCallBack

Input: u8 InterruptId and Pointer to Function that takes void and returns void

Output: u8 Error or No Error

Description: Function to receive an address of a function (in APP Layer) to be called back in ISR function of the passed Interrupt (InterruptId), the address is passed through a pointer to function (INTInterruptAction), and then pass this address to ISR function.

C. TMR APIS

vd TMR vdTMR0Initialization (void)

Name: TMR_vdTMR0Initialization

Input: void *Output*: void

Description: Function to Initialize TMR0 peripheral.

u8 TMR u8EnableTMR (u8 Cpy u8Timerld)

Name: TMR u8EnableTMR

Input: u8 TimerId

Output: u8 Error or No Error

Description: Function to Enable TMR peripheral.

u8 TMR u8DisableTMR (u8 Cpy u8Timerld)

Name: TMR u8DisableTMR

Input: u8 TimerId

Output: u8 Error or No Error

Description: Function to Disable TMR peripheral.

u8 TMR_u8OVFSetCallBack (u8 Cpy_u8Timerld, void (*Cpy_pfOVFInterruptAction) (void))

Name: TMR_u8OVFSetCallBack

Input: u8 TimerId and Pointer to function OVFInterruptAction taking void and

returning void

Output: u8 Error or No Error

Description: Function to receive an address of a function (in APP Layer) to be called back in ISR function of the passed Timer (TimerId), the address is passed through a pointer to function (OVFInterruptAction), and then pass this address to ISR function.

u8 TMR_u8COMPSetCallBack (u8 Cpy_u8TimerId, u8 Cpy_u8Timer1ChannelId, void (*Cpy_pfCOMPInterruptAction) (void))

Name: TMR_u8GetOVFFlagStatus

Input: u8 TimerId, u8 Timer1ChannelId, and Pointer to function COMPInterruptAction taking void and returning void

Output: u8 Error or No Error

Description: Function to receive an address of a function (in APP Layer) to be called back in ISR function of the passed Timer (TimerId), the address is passed through a pointer to function (COMPInterruptAction), and then pass this address to ISR function.

HAL APIs

A. LED APIS

u8 LED u8SetLEDPin (u8 Cpy u8LEDId, u8 Cpy u8Operation)

Name: LED u8SetLEDPin

Input: u8 LedId and u8 Operation *Output*: u8 Error or No Error

Description: Function to switch LED on, off, or toggle.

B. BTN APIs

u8 BTN_u8GetBTNState (u8 Cpy_u8BTNId, u8 *Cpy_pu8ReturnedBTNState)

Name: BTN u8GetBTNState

Input: u8 BTNId and Pointer to u8 ReturnedBTNState

Output: u8 Error or No Error

Description: Function to get BTN state.

C. DCM APIs

u8 DCM_u8RotateDCMInOneDirection (u16 Cpy_u16RotateSpeed)

Name: DCM vdRotateDCMInOneDirection

Input: u16 RotateSpeed
Output: u8 Error or No Error

Description: Function to Rotate DCM in One Direction only.

u8 DCM_u8SetDutyCycleOfPWM (u16 Cpy_u16DutyCycleValue)

Name: DCM_u8SetDutyCycleOfPWM

Input: u8 DutyCycleValue *Output*: u8 Error or No Error

Description: Function to Set Duty Cycle Value of DCM PWM.

vd DCM_vdStopDCM (void)

Name: DCM vdStopMotor

Input: void *Output*: void

Description: Function to Stop DCM.

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