EC381: Embedded Systems Lab

Experiment No. 1

Title: Echoing the switch status to the LEDs in EdSim51

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Theory:

The Intel 8051 is a microcontroller that contains a CPU as wells as some ports and peripherals which can be used to connect various devices to it, such a seven segment display, ADC, DAC etc. Four such ports are available - **P0**, **P1**, **P2**, **and P3**, and each of these ports has 8 pins

In this experiment, the 8 pins of port **P2** are connected to 8 switches **SW0**, **SW1**, **SW2**, ..., **SW7**. These switches have been connected such that they are **active low**, ie, the voltage at the corresponding port pin will be non zero when the switch is open, and zero when the switch is closed.

To the 8 pins of port **P1**, 8 LEDs have been connected (**LED 0**, **LED 1**, ... , **LED 7**). These LEDs have been connected in such a way that they glow when the voltage at the corresponding port pin is high, and remain off otherwise.

In order to echo the switch status to the LEDs, port P2 is connected to port P1 internally via code, explained below.

Algorithm:

A single line of code is used to move the data on P2 pins to P1.

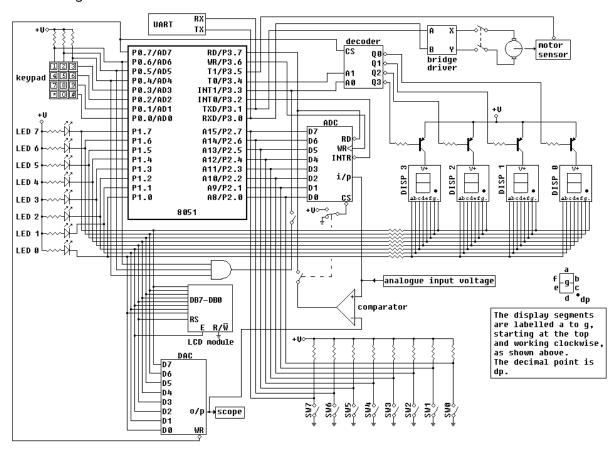
Code:

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; This program very simply echoes the
; switches on P2 to the LEDs on P1.

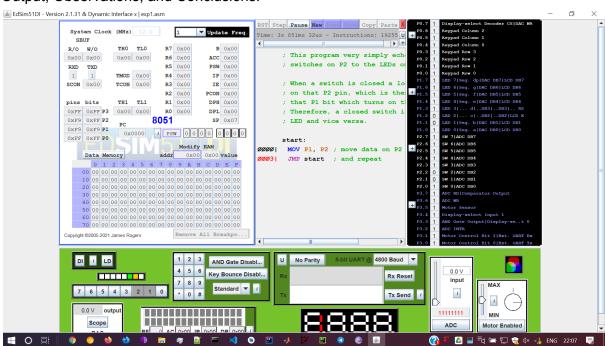
; When a switch is closed a logic 0 appears
; on that P2 pin, which is then copied to
; that P1 bit which turns on that LED.
; Therefore, a closed switch is seen as a lit
; LED and vice versa.

start:
    MOV P1, P2  ; move data on P2 pins to P1
    JMP start  ; and repeat
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Circuit Diagram:



Output, Observations, and Conclusions:



The voltage at pins 1 and 2 of port P2 is low. This means that switches SW1 and SW2 are closed (since they are active low).

Corrpesponding to that, it is observed that LED1 and LED2 are glowing, ie the switch status is being succesfully echoed to the LEDs.

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