



Embedded pool

Day 02: UART Protocol

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Summary: [Kickstart my UART](#)

Chapter I

Introduction

[International Morse code](#) (or the International Morse alphabet) is a code that allows text to be transmitted using short and long pulses, whether produced by signs, light, an electrical signal, sound, or gesture.

This code is often attributed to Samuel Morse, but several people dispute this and tend to attribute the language's paternity to his assistant, Alfred Vail.

Invented in 1832 for telegraphy, this character coding assigns a unique combination of intermittent signals to each letter, number, and punctuation mark. Morse code is considered the precursor of digital communications.

Morse code is primarily used by the military as a means of transmission, often encrypted, as well as in the civilian world for certain automatic broadcasts, such as:

- radio beacons in aviation,
- call sign of maritime stations,
- international emitters (atomic clocks),
- or for maritime signaling by certain radar transponders.

Morse code is also practiced by amateurs such as:

- radio amateurs,
- scouts (audible and visual Morse code),
- divers and mountaineers (visual Morse code),
- puzzle solvers,
- as well as the default message reception ringtone for Nokia mobile phones ('SMS SMS' in Morse code).

Chapter II


Consignes générales

Sauf contradiction explicite, les consignes suivantes seront valables pour tous les exercices.

- Le langage utilisé pour ce projet est le C.
- Il n'est pas nécessaire de coder à la norme de 42.
- Les exercices sont très précisément ordonnés du plus simple au plus complexe. En aucun cas nous ne prendrons en compte ni n'évaluerons un exercice complexe si un exercice plus simple n'est pas parfaitement réussi.
- Vos exercices seront évalués par des responsables de l'association 42Chips.
- Vous ne devez laisser aucun autre fichier que ceux explicitement spécifiés par les énoncés des exercices dans votre répertoire lors de la peer-évaluation.
- Toutes les réponses à vos questions techniques se trouvent dans les **datasheets** ou sur Internet. À vous d'utiliser et d'abuser de ces sujets pour comprendre comment réaliser votre exercice.
- Vous devez utiliser la datasheet du microcontrôleur qui vous est fourni et commenter les parties importantes de votre programme en renseignant où vous avez trouvé les indices dans le document, et, si nécessaire, expliquer votre démarche. Ne faites pas des pavés non plus. Il faut que cela reste clair.
- Vous avez une question ? Demandez à votre voisin de droite ou de gauche. Vous pouvez demander sur le salon dédié dans le Discord de la piscine ou en dernier recours à un staff.


Chapter III

Write

	Exercise 00
	write(2)
	Turn-in directory : <i>ex00/</i>
	Files to turn in : Makefile , *.c , *.h
	Allowed functions : avr/io.h , util/delay.h , avr/interrupt.h
	Notes : n/a

- The AVR ATmega328P microcontroller has 1 UART device that you must use in this exercise to communicate with a computer.
- On the PC, the **screen** program is used to read the serial port from a terminal.
- You must write a function **uart_init** that initializes the UART.
- A function **uart_tx** that writes a character to the PC's serial port.
- The MCU's UART must be configured as 115200 8N1.
- **UBRRnL** must be calculated based on **UART_BAUDRATE** and **F_CPU**.
- The program should write 'Z' to the serial port at 1Hz (do as you wish).

```
void uart_tx(char c);
```

	Exercise 01
print_str	
Turn-in directory : <i>ex01/</i>	
Files to turn in : Makefile, *.c, *.h	
Allowed functions : avr/io.h, util/delay.h, avr/interrupt.h	
Notes : n/a	


- You must write a function `uart_printstr` that will be called every 2 seconds to display Hello World! on the serial port.
- The MCU's UART must be configured to 115200 8N1.
- The infinite loop of the program should remain empty.

```
void uart_printstr(const char* str);
```

```
Hello World!  
Hello World!  
Hello World!  
...
```


Chapter IV

Read

	Exercise 02
read(2)	
Turn-in directory : <i>ex02/</i>	
Files to turn in : Makefile , *.c , *.h	
Allowed functions : avr/io.h , util/delay.h , avr/interrupt.h	
Notes : n/a	

- Now you will have to write a function `uart_rx` that waits to receive a character on the MCU's UART port and then returns it.
- You must write a program that uses your `uart_rx` function.
- It should write the received characters from `uart_rx` to the serial port using your `uart_tx` function (ex00).


```
char uart_rx(void);
```

	Exercise 03
Uppercase/Lowercase	
Turn-in directory : <i>ex03/</i>	
Files to turn in : Makefile, *.c, *.h	
Allowed functions : avr/io.h, util/delay.h, avr/interrupt.h	
Notes : n/a	

- You must write a program that sends an echo on the serial port, but transforms lowercase characters into uppercase and uppercase characters into lowercase before sending them back.
- Attention, this time instead of using your `uart_rx`, you must use an interruption to detect that a new character is on the UART port.
- The infinite loop of the program must remain empty.

Chapter V

Bonus: WOPR

	Exercise 04
Login	
Turn-in directory : <code>ex04/</code>	
Files to turn in : <code>Makefile, *.c, *.h</code>	
Allowed functions : <code>avr/io.h, util/delay.h, avr/interrupt.h</code>	
Notes : n/a	

- Create 2 strings, a username and a password.
- Display a prompt on the serial port that asks for the username and password.
- When typing the username, there should be an echo.
- same for the password but with '*' instead of characters.
- The Backspace key deletes a character.
- The Enter key validates the input.
- If the username and password are correct, the program displays the welcome text and makes the LEDs blink.



Bonus points if you add a dramatic effect. ;)

- Otherwise, the program displays the error message.


```
Enter your login:
  username: spectre
  password: *****
Bad combination username/password

Enter your login:
  username: spectre
  password: *****
Hello spectre!
Shall we play a game?
```