

Four Digital Seven Segment

Overview

Now, let' s try to control more Digit 7-segment display

Experimental Materials:

Raspberry Pi *1

T-type expansion board *1

Breadboard*1

4-Digit 7-segment display *1

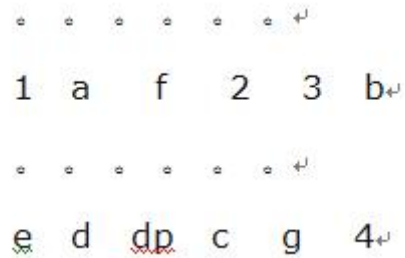
Some DuPont lines

Product description:



- Function: The segments are Light Emitting Diodes and they therefore need a series resistance to prevent burning out.
- Application: Digital display is widely used in instruments, clocks, displays and so on.

The pin description is as follows:



Technical Parameters:

Type: common anode
Size: 30mm * 14mm * 7.2mm (L*W*T)
Luminous color: Highlight-red

Wiring diagram:

C code:

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int del = 55; //Here to fine tune the clock
void init()
{
    pinMode(d1, OUTPUT);
    pinMode(d2, OUTPUT);
    pinMode(d3, OUTPUT);
    pinMode(d4, OUTPUT);
    pinMode(a, OUTPUT);
    pinMode(b, OUTPUT);
    pinMode(c, OUTPUT);
    pinMode(d, OUTPUT);
    pinMode(e, OUTPUT);
    pinMode(f, OUTPUT);
    pinMode(g, OUTPUT);
    pinMode(dp, OUTPUT);
}

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void bitSelect(unsigned char n)//
{
    switch(n)
    {
    case 1:
        digitalWrite(d1,HIGH);
        digitalWrite(d2, LOW);
        digitalWrite(d3, LOW);
        digitalWrite(d4, LOW);
        break;
    case 2:
        digitalWrite(d1, LOW);
        digitalWrite(d2, HIGH);
        digitalWrite(d3, LOW);
        digitalWrite(d4, LOW);
        break;
    case 3:
        digitalWrite(d1,LOW);
        digitalWrite(d2, LOW);
        digitalWrite(d3, HIGH);
        digitalWrite(d4, LOW);
        break;
    case 4:
        digitalWrite(d1, LOW);
        digitalWrite(d2, LOW);

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        digitalWrite(d3, LOW);
        digitalWrite(d4, HIGH);
        break;
        default :
            digitalWrite(d1, LOW);
            digitalWrite(d2, LOW);
            digitalWrite(d3, LOW);
            digitalWrite(d4, LOW);
            break;
    }
}

void Num_0()
{
    digitalWrite(a, LOW);
    digitalWrite(b, LOW);
    digitalWrite(c, LOW);
    digitalWrite(d, LOW);
    digitalWrite(e, LOW);
    digitalWrite(f, LOW);
    digitalWrite(g, HIGH);
    digitalWrite(dp, HIGH);
}

void Num_1()
{
    digitalWrite(a, HIGH);
    digitalWrite(b, LOW);
    digitalWrite(c, LOW);
    digitalWrite(d, HIGH);
    digitalWrite(e, HIGH);
    digitalWrite(f, HIGH);
    digitalWrite(g, HIGH);
    digitalWrite(dp, HIGH);
}

void Num_2()
{
    digitalWrite(a, LOW);
    digitalWrite(b, LOW);
    digitalWrite(c, HIGH);
    digitalWrite(d, LOW);
    digitalWrite(e, LOW);
    digitalWrite(f, HIGH);
    digitalWrite(g, LOW);
    digitalWrite(dp, HIGH);
}

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void Num_3()
{
    digitalWrite(a, LOW);
    digitalWrite(b, LOW);
    digitalWrite(c, LOW);
    digitalWrite(d, LOW);
    digitalWrite(e, HIGH);
    digitalWrite(f, HIGH);
    digitalWrite(g, LOW);
    digitalWrite(dp,HIGH);
}
void Num_4()
{
    digitalWrite(a, HIGH);
    digitalWrite(b, LOW);
    digitalWrite(c, LOW);
    digitalWrite(d, HIGH);
    digitalWrite(e, HIGH);
    digitalWrite(f, LOW);
    digitalWrite(g, LOW);
    digitalWrite(dp,HIGH);
}
void Num_5()
{
    digitalWrite(a, LOW);
    digitalWrite(b, HIGH);
    digitalWrite(c, LOW);
    digitalWrite(d, LOW);
    digitalWrite(e, HIGH);
    digitalWrite(f, LOW);
    digitalWrite(g, LOW);
    digitalWrite(dp,HIGH);
}
void Num_6()
{
    digitalWrite(a, LOW);
    digitalWrite(b, HIGH);
    digitalWrite(c, LOW);
    digitalWrite(d, LOW);
    digitalWrite(e, LOW);
    digitalWrite(f, LOW);
    digitalWrite(g, LOW);
    digitalWrite(dp,HIGH);
}
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void Num_7()
{
    digitalWrite(a, LOW);
    digitalWrite(b, LOW);
    digitalWrite(c, LOW);
    digitalWrite(d, HIGH);
    digitalWrite(e, HIGH);
    digitalWrite(f, HIGH);
    digitalWrite(g, HIGH);
    digitalWrite(dp,HIGH);
}
void Num_8()
{
    digitalWrite(a, LOW);
    digitalWrite(b, LOW);
    digitalWrite(c, LOW);
    digitalWrite(d, LOW);
    digitalWrite(e, LOW);
    digitalWrite(f, LOW);
    digitalWrite(g, LOW);
    digitalWrite(dp,HIGH);
}
void Num_9()
{
    digitalWrite(a, LOW);
    digitalWrite(b, LOW);
    digitalWrite(c, LOW);
    digitalWrite(d, LOW);
    digitalWrite(e, HIGH);
    digitalWrite(f, LOW);
    digitalWrite(g, LOW);
    digitalWrite(dp,HIGH);
}
void Clear() // Clear the screen
{
    digitalWrite(a, HIGH);
    digitalWrite(b, HIGH);
    digitalWrite(c, HIGH);
    digitalWrite(d, HIGH);
    digitalWrite(e, HIGH);
    digitalWrite(f, HIGH);
    digitalWrite(g, HIGH);
    digitalWrite(dp,HIGH);
}

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void pickNumber(unsigned char n)//Choose the number of
{
    switch(n)
    {
        case 0:Num_0();
        break;
        case 1:Num_1();
        break;
        case 2:Num_2();
        break;
        case 3:Num_3();
        break;
        case 4:Num_4();
        break;
        case 5:Num_5();
        break;
        case 6:Num_6();
        break;
        case 7:Num_7();
        break;
        case 8:Num_8();
        break;
        case 9:Num_9();
        break;
        default:Clear();
        break;
    }
}

void Display(unsigned char x, unsigned char Number)//Show that x is the
coordinate, Number is the number
{
    bitSelect(x);
    pickNumber(Number);
    delay(1);
    //Clear() ; //Vanishing
}

int main(void)
{
    if(wiringPiSetup() == -1)
    {
        printf("wiringPi setup failed!\n");
        return -1;
    }
}

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init();
while(1)
{
    Display(1, 1);
    delay(1000);
    Display(2, 2);
    delay(1000);
    Display(3, 3);
    delay(1000);
    Display(4, 4);
    delay(1000);
}
}

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Python code:

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#!/usr/bin/env python
import RPi.GPIO as GPIO
import time

pins = {'pinA':3, 'pinB':5, 'pinC':21, 'pinD':8, 'pinE':10, 'pinF':11,
'pinG':12, 'pinDP':13, 'pin_1':15, 'pin_2':16, 'pin_3':18, 'pin_4':19}

def init():
    GPIO.setmode(GPIO.BOARD)
    for i in pins:
        GPIO.setup(pins[i], GPIO.OUT)
    print 'gpio init completed!'

def bitSelect(bitNum):
    if(bitNum == 1):
        GPIO.output(pins['pin_1'], GPIO.HIGH)
        GPIO.output(pins['pin_2'], GPIO.LOW)
        GPIO.output(pins['pin_3'], GPIO.LOW)
        GPIO.output(pins['pin_4'], GPIO.LOW)
    elif(bitNum == 2):

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        GPIO.output(pins['pin_1'], GPIO.LOW)
        GPIO.output(pins['pin_2'], GPIO.HIGH)
        GPIO.output(pins['pin_3'], GPIO.LOW)
        GPIO.output(pins['pin_4'], GPIO.LOW)
    elif(bitNum == 3):
        GPIO.output(pins['pin_1'], GPIO.LOW)
        GPIO.output(pins['pin_2'], GPIO.LOW)
        GPIO.output(pins['pin_3'], GPIO.HIGH)
        GPIO.output(pins['pin_4'], GPIO.LOW)
    elif(bitNum == 4):
        GPIO.output(pins['pin_1'], GPIO.LOW)
        GPIO.output(pins['pin_2'], GPIO.LOW)
        GPIO.output(pins['pin_3'], GPIO.LOW)
        GPIO.output(pins['pin_4'], GPIO.HIGH)
    else:
        GPIO.output(pins['pin_1'], GPIO.LOW)
        GPIO.output(pins['pin_2'], GPIO.LOW)
        GPIO.output(pins['pin_3'], GPIO.LOW)
        GPIO.output(pins['pin_4'], GPIO.LOW)
    print 'bitSelect completed!'

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def display_0():
    GPIO.output(pins['pinA'], GPIO.LOW)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinB'], GPIO.LOW)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinC'], GPIO.LOW)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinD'], GPIO.LOW)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinE'], GPIO.LOW)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinF'], GPIO.LOW)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinG'], GPIO.HIGH)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinDP'], GPIO.HIGH)
    print 'display number 0'

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def display_1():
    GPIO.output(pins['pinA'], GPIO.HIGH)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinB'], GPIO.LOW)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinC'], GPIO.LOW)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinD'], GPIO.HIGH)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinE'], GPIO.HIGH)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinF'], GPIO.HIGH)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinG'], GPIO.HIGH)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinDP'], GPIO.HIGH)
    print 'display number 1'

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def display_2():
    GPIO.output(pins['pinA'], GPIO.LOW)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinB'], GPIO.LOW)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinC'], GPIO.HIGH)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinD'], GPIO.LOW)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinE'], GPIO.LOW)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinF'], GPIO.HIGH)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinG'], GPIO.LOW)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinDP'], GPIO.HIGH)
    print 'display number 2'
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def display_3():
    GPIO.output(pins['pinA'], GPIO.LOW)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinB'], GPIO.LOW)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinC'], GPIO.LOW)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinD'], GPIO.LOW)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinE'], GPIO.HIGH)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinF'], GPIO.HIGH)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinG'], GPIO.LOW)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinDP'], GPIO.HIGH)
    print 'display number 3'
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def display_4():
    GPIO.output(pins['pinA'], GPIO.HIGH)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinB'], GPIO.LOW)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinC'], GPIO.LOW)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinD'], GPIO.HIGH)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinE'], GPIO.HIGH)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinF'], GPIO.LOW)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinG'], GPIO.LOW)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinDP'], GPIO.HIGH)
    print 'display number 4'
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def display_5():
    GPIO.output(pins['pinA'], GPIO.LOW)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinB'], GPIO.HIGH)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinC'], GPIO.LOW)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinD'], GPIO.LOW)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinE'], GPIO.HIGH)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinF'], GPIO.LOW)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinG'], GPIO.LOW)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinDP'], GPIO.HIGH)
    print 'display number 5'
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def display_6():
    GPIO.output(pins['pinA'], GPIO.LOW)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinB'], GPIO.HIGH)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinC'], GPIO.LOW)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinD'], GPIO.LOW)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinE'], GPIO.LOW)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinF'], GPIO.LOW)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinG'], GPIO.LOW)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinDP'], GPIO.HIGH)
    print 'display number 6'
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def display_7():
    GPIO.output(pins['pinA'], GPIO.LOW)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinB'], GPIO.LOW)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinC'], GPIO.LOW)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinD'], GPIO.HIGH)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinE'], GPIO.HIGH)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinF'], GPIO.HIGH)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinG'], GPIO.HIGH)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinDP'], GPIO.HIGH)
    print 'display number 7'
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def display_8():
    GPIO.output(pins['pinA'], GPIO.LOW)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinB'], GPIO.LOW)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinC'], GPIO.LOW)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinD'], GPIO.LOW)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinE'], GPIO.LOW)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinF'], GPIO.LOW)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinG'], GPIO.LOW)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinDP'], GPIO.HIGH)
    print 'display number 8'
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def display_9():
    GPIO.output(pins['pinA'], GPIO.LOW)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinB'], GPIO.LOW)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinC'], GPIO.LOW)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinD'], GPIO.LOW)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinE'], GPIO.HIGH)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinF'], GPIO.LOW)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinG'], GPIO.LOW)
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GPIO.output(pins['pinDP'], GPIO.HIGH)
print 'display number 9'

def display_dp():
    GPIO.output(pins['pinA'], GPIO.HIGH)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinB'], GPIO.HIGH)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinC'], GPIO.HIGH)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinD'], GPIO.HIGH)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinE'], GPIO.HIGH)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinF'], GPIO.HIGH)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinG'], GPIO.HIGH)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinDP'], GPIO.LOW)
    print 'display DP'

def clear():    #clear the screen
    GPIO.output(pins['pinA'], GPIO.HIGH)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinB'], GPIO.HIGH)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinC'], GPIO.HIGH)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinD'], GPIO.HIGH)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinE'], GPIO.HIGH)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinF'], GPIO.HIGH)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinG'], GPIO.HIGH)
    GPIO.output(pins['pinDP'], GPIO.HIGH)
    print 'clear the screen!'

def pickNum(number):
    if(number == 0):
        display_0()
    elif(number == 1):
        display_1()
    elif(number == 2):
        display_2()
    elif(number == 3):
        display_3()
    elif(number == 4):
        display_4()
    elif(number == 5):
        display_5()
    elif(number == 6):
        display_6()
    elif(number == 7):
        display_7()
    elif(number == 8):

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        display_8()
    elif(number == 9):
        display_9()
    else:
        clear()

def Display(Bit, Number):
    bitSelect(Bit)
    pickNum(Number)
    time.sleep(0.001)

def loop():
    while True:
        Display(1,1)
        time.sleep(1)
        Display(2,2)
        time.sleep(1)
        Display(3,3)
        time.sleep(1)
        Display(4,4)
        time.sleep(1)

if __name__ == '__main__':
    try:
        init()
        loop()
    except KeyboardInterrupt:
        GPIO.cleanup()
        print 'Key Board Interrupt!'

```

Experimental results:

In the directory where the code file is located, execute the following command

C:

```
gcc -Wall -o 4digitLEDdisplay 4digitLEDdisplay.c -lwiringPi  
sudo ./4digitLEDdisplay
```

Python:

```
python 4digitLEDdisplay.py
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After the instruction is executed, The four digits display the number 1234 cyclically.

