

# **TOGGLING LED ON TIVA C TM4C123 KIT WITH STARTUP.C**

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## Brief:

- I made a bare metal software that runs on TIVA C microcontroller.
- This SW toggles an embedded LED connected to PORT\_F Pin number 3
- TIVA C has ARM cortex M4 processor and it supports writing startup file with C code.
- I'll put some screenshots illustrating the whole processes which include(compiling the files, map file, keil micro-vision simulation and debugging, and analyzing PORT\_F pin\_3 using logic analyzer ).

### 1-Main.c

```
//Hassan_Attia
#include<stdint.h>

#define SYSCTL_RCGC2_R    (*((volatile unsigned long*)0x400FE108))// GPIO PORT F ENABLE
#define GPIO_PORTF_DATA_R  (*((volatile unsigned long*)0x400253FC))// WRITING DATA ON PORT F PIN 3
#define GPIO_PORTF_DIR_R   (*((volatile unsigned long*)0x40025400)) // PORT F PIN 3 DIRECTION
#define GPIO_PORTF_DEN_R   (*((volatile unsigned long*)0x4002551C)) // PORT F PIN 3 ENABLE

int main(){
    volatile unsigned long delay_count;
    SYSCTL_RCGC2_R = 0x00000020;
    //delay to ensure GPIO is turned on and running
    for(delay_count = 0; delay_count<200; delay_count++);
    GPIO_PORTF_DIR_R |= 1<<3; // set pin 3 to be output
    GPIO_PORTF_DEN_R |= 1<<3; // enabling pin 3

    while(1){
        //LED turn on
        GPIO_PORTF_DATA_R |= 1<<3;

        for(delay_count = 0; delay_count<200000; delay_count++);

        //LED turn off
        GPIO_PORTF_DATA_R &= ~(1<<3);

        for(delay_count = 0; delay_count<200000; delay_count++);

    }

    return 0;
}
```

## 2-Startup.C:

```
1  /* Hassan Attia*/
2
3  #include <stdint.h>
4
5
6  void reset_handler ();
7  void Default_Handler ();
8  void NMI () __attribute__((weak, alias ("Default_Handler")));
9  void Hard_Fault () __attribute__((weak, alias ("Default_Handler")));
10 void MemManage () __attribute__((weak, alias ("Default_Handler")));
11 void BusFault () __attribute__((weak, alias ("Default_Handler")));
12 void Usage_Fault () __attribute__((weak, alias ("Default_Handler")));
13 void SV_Call () __attribute__((weak, alias ("Default_Handler")));
14
15
16
17 //using extern class for functions and symbols to make linker script links without errors
18 extern int main(void);
19 extern uint32_t _E_text;
20 extern uint32_t _S_data;
21 extern uint32_t _E_data;
22 extern uint32_t _S_bss;
23 extern uint32_t _E_bss;
24
25 Stack_top defined in startup.c instead of linker_script.ld
26
27 unsigned long stack_top [256] = {0}; //creating .bss section to initialize the stack
28
29
30 void (* g_vectors_arr_of_ptrs_to_fn[])() __attribute__((section(".vectors"))) = {
31
32     (void (*)())((unsigned long)stack_top + sizeof(stack_top)),
33
34     &reset_handler,
35     &NMI,
36     &Hard_Fault,
37     &MemManage,
38     &BusFault,
39     &Usage_Fault,
40     &SV_Call
41
42
43 };
44
45
46
47 void reset_handler () {
48     int j;
49     //copying from flash to ram
50     unsigned int data_size = (unsigned char*)&_E_data - (unsigned char*)&_S_data;
51     unsigned char* p_src = (unsigned char*)&_E_text;
52     unsigned char* p_dst = (unsigned char*)&_S_data;
53
54     for(j = 0 ; j<data_size; j++){
55
56         *((unsigned char*)p_dst++) = *((unsigned char*)p_src++);
57
58     }
59
60     //Initilize .bss with zeros in ram s
61     unsigned int bss_size = (unsigned char*)&_E_bss - (unsigned char*)&_S_bss;
62
63     p_dst = (unsigned char*)&_S_bss;
64
65     for(j = 0 ; j<bss_size; j++){
66
67         *((unsigned char*)p_dst++) = (unsigned char)0;
68
69     }
70     //Jumping to the main()
71
72     main();
73
74 }
75
76
77
78
79 void Default_Handler () {
80     reset_handler();
81 }
82
```

### 3-Linker Script:

```
1  /*Hassan Attia*/
2
3
4
5
6  MEMORY{
7
8      flash(rx): ORIGIN = 0x00000000, LENGTH = 512M
9      sram(rwx): ORIGIN = 0x20000000, LENGTH = 512M
10
11
12 }
13
14
15
16 SECTIONS{
17
18     .text :{
19         *(.vectors*)
20         *(.text*)
21         *(.rodata*)
22         _E_text = .;
23     }> flash
24
25     .data :{
26         _S_data = . ;
27         *(.data*)
28         _E_data = . ;
29     }> sram AT> flash
30
31     .bss :{
32         _S_bss = . ;
33         *(.bss*)
34         _E_bss = . ;
35
36     }> sram
37
38
39
40 }
```

Stack\_top symbol removed and  
defined in startup.c

## 4-MakeFile:

```
1  #Author: Hassan Attia
2
3  CC=arm-none-eabi-
4  CFLAGS= -mcpu=cortex-m4 -mthumb -gdwarf-2 -g
5  INCS=
6  LIBS=
7  SRC = $(wildcard *.c)
8  OBJ = $(SRC:.c=.o)
9  As = $(wildcard *.s)
10 AsOBJ = $(As:.s=.o)
11 Project_Name=learn-in-depth_cortex_M4
12
13 all: $(Project_Name).bin
14     @echo "*****Build is Done*****"
15
16
17 %.o: %.c
18     $(CC)gcc.exe -c $(CFLAGS) $(INCS) $< -o $@
19
20 $(Project_Name).bin: $(Project_Name).elf
21
22     $(CC)objcopy.exe -O binary $< $@
23
24 $(Project_Name).elf: $(OBJ) $(AsOBJ)
25     $(CC)ld.exe -T linker-script.ld $(LIBS) -Map=Map_file.txt $(OBJ) $(AsOBJ) -o $@
26
27     cp $(Project_Name).elf $(Project_Name).axf
28
29
30
31
32
33 clean:
34     rm *.o
35
36 clean_all:
37     rm *.o *.elf *.bin *.txt
38
```

## 5-Compiling:

```
$ make
arm-none-eabi-gcc.exe -c -mcpu=cortex-m4 -mthumb -gdwarf-2 -g main.c -o main.o
arm-none-eabi-gcc.exe -c -mcpu=cortex-m4 -mthumb -gdwarf-2 -g startup.c -o startup.o
arm-none-eabi-ld.exe -T linker-script.ld -Map=Map_file.txt main.o startup.o -o learn-in-depth_cortex_M4.elf
cp learn-in-depth_cortex_M4.elf learn-in-depth_cortex_M4.axf
arm-none-eabi-objcopy.exe -O binary learn-in-depth_cortex_M4.elf learn-in-depth_cortex_M4.bin
```

## 6-Map FILE:

Memory Configuration			
Name	Origin	Length	Attributes
flash	0x00000000	0x20000000	xr
sram	0x20000000	0x20000000	xrw
*default*	0x00000000	0xffffffff	
Linker script and memory map			
.text	0x00000000	0x1a4	
*(.vectors*)			
.vectors	0x00000000	0x20	startup.o
	0x00000000		g_vectors_arr_of_ptrs_to_fn
*(.text*)			
.text	0x00000020	0xc8	main.o
	0x00000020		main
.text	0x000000e8	0xbc	startup.o
	0x000000e8		reset_handler
	0x00000198		BusFault
	0x00000198		Hard_Fault
	0x00000198		Default_Handler
	0x00000198		Usage_Fault
	0x00000198		SV_Call
	0x00000198		MemManage
	0x00000198		NMI
*(.rodata*)			
	0x000001a4		_E_text = .
.glue_7	0x000001a4	0x0	
.glue_7	0x00000000	0x0	linker stubs
.glue_7t	0x000001a4	0x0	
.glue_7t	0x00000000	0x0	linker stubs
.vfp11_veneer	0x000001a4	0x0	
.vfp11_veneer	0x00000000	0x0	linker stubs
.v4_bx	0x000001a4	0x0	
.v4_bx	0x00000000	0x0	linker stubs
.iplt	0x000001a4	0x0	
.iplt	0x00000000	0x0	main.o
.rel.dyn	0x000001a4	0x0	
.rel.iplt	0x00000000	0x0	main.o
.data	0x20000000	0x0	load address 0x000001a4
	0x20000000		_S_data = .
*(.data*)			
.data	0x20000000	0x0	main.o
.data	0x20000000	0x0	startup.o
	0x20000000		_E_data = .
.igot.plt	0x20000000	0x0	load address 0x000001a4
.igot.plt	0x00000000	0x0	main.o
.bss	0x20000000	0x400	load address
	0x20000000		_S_bss = .
*(.bss*)			
.bss	0x20000000	0x0	main.o
.bss	0x20000000	0x400	startup.o
	0x20000000		stack_top
	0x20000400		_E_bss = .

Size of stack\_top reserved in .bss section as shown and it's 1024 bytes

## 7-Debugging Using Keil micro vision:

[illegible]

### 8-Anlyzing PORT\_F PIN\_3 using logic analyzer:

