

Macro and Bit Operations



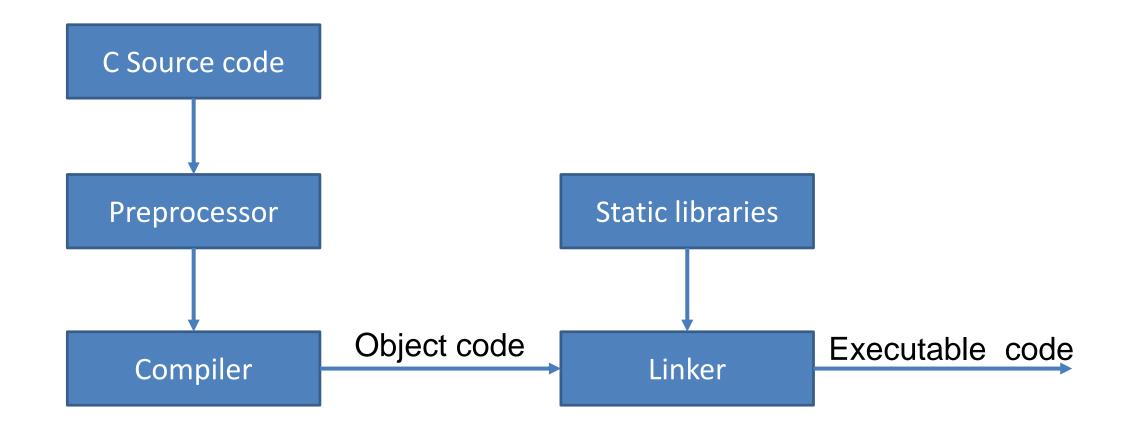
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C Preprocessor Overview



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C Preprocessor Overview

- The C pre-processor is a macro processor that is used by the C compiler to transform our program before it is compiled. It allows to define macros.
- The preprocessing consists of preprocessor directives to be executed and macros to be expanded:
 - + Inclusion of header files.
 - + Macro expansion.
 - + Conditional compilation.
 - + Diagnostics directives.
- Preprocessing directives are lines that start with '#' symbol.



Macro



Macro definition

□ What is macro

A *macro* is a fragment of code which has been given a name. Whenever the name is used, it is replaced by the contents of the macro

Macro is defined using #define preprocessor directive in the C language.

□ When to use

When creating constants that represent numbers, strings or expressions.

□ Macro classification

- Predefined macro
- User-defined macro



Object-like Macros

□Syntax

```
#define MACRO_NAME macro's body #undef MACRO_NAME
```

- Give symbolic names to numeric constants
- The macro's body end at the end of the #define line
- Single line macro:

```
#define SIZE 10
```

Multiple line macro:

```
#define NUMBERS 1, \
```



Object-like Macros

☐Use case

```
    Un-define and re-define:
        #ifdef TRUE
        #undef TRUE
        #define TRUE 1
        #endif
```



Function like Macros

□Syntax

#define macro_name(list of parameters) macro's body

No white space

Each parameter should guarded by parentheses.

```
#define mul(X, Y) ((X) * (Y))

x = \text{mul}(a, b); ==> x = ((a) * (b));

y = \text{mul}(1, 2); ==> y = ((1) * (2));
```

Return wrong value if parentheses is not used for each parameter:

```
#define mul(X, Y) (X * Y)
y = mul(1+2, 2); ==> y = (1+2 * 2); /* return 5 */
```



Function like Macros

□Nesting macro can be used in an macro like function:

```
#define UART0_BDH_SBR_MASK (0x1FU)
#define UART0_BDH_SBR_SHIFT (0U)
#define UART0_BDH_SBR(x) (((uint8_t)(((uint8_t)(x)) << \UART0_BDH_SBR_SHIFT)) & UART0_BDH_SBR_MASK)
```



Function like Macros

□Compare macro and function:

Macro	Function		
Macro is Pre-processed and is replaced by macro value.Using Macro increases the code size.	 Function is Compiled and use branch instruction when it is called. Using Function will not increase the 		
Application execution is fasterUseful when it is used to replace small code many times.	code size.Application execution is lower.Useful when large code is requested.		



C Preprocessor Directives



Inclusion directive

- ☐ Syntax
 #include <file>
 #include "file"
 - <file> is used for system header files such as math.h, string.h, stdint.h...
 - "file" is used for header files of your own program.



Conditional compilation

□Syntax

```
#if <constant-expression>
#if defined MACRO NAME
#ifdef MACRO NAME
#if! defined MACRO NAME
#ifndef MACRO NAME
#elif <constant-expression>
#else
#endif
```



Conditional compilation

☐Use case

 Avoid repeat inclusion header file: In MKL46Z4.h:



Conditional compilation

☐Use case

• Disable and enable compile:



Diagnostics Directive

□Syntax

```
#error "the error message"
#warning "the warning message"
```

• For "#warning": The pre-processor will continue pre-processing after the warning message appears.

Example:



Condition Operator "?:"

□Syntax

```
<condition expression_1> ? <expression_2> : <expression_3>;
```

- The value of expression_2 will be returned if condition expression_1 is true.
- The value of expression_3 will be returned if condition expression_1 is false.
- Example:

```
#define min(X, Y) ((X) < (Y) ? (X) : (Y))

x = min(a, b); ==> x = ((a) < (b) ? (a) : (b));

y = min(1, 2); ==> y = ((1) < (2) ? (1) : (2));
```



Preprocessor Operators

- Stringizing operator (#)
 - Stringizing operator (#) converts macro parameters to string.
- □ Token pasting operator (##)
 - Used in a macro and the two tokens on either side of each '##'
 operator are combined into a single token.



Preprocessor Operators

```
Example:
struct command {
                                                       Token pasting
  char *name;
                                                       preprocessing
  void (*function) (void);
                                                         operator
};
#define COMMAND(NAME) { #NAME, NAME ## _command }
struct command commands[] =
  COMMAND (quit),
  COMMAND (help),
};
The result:
                                                         Stringizing
struct command commands[] = {
                                                        preprocessing
  { "quit", quit_command },
                                                          operator
  { "help", help_command },
```



Bit Operations



Bit Operations(1)

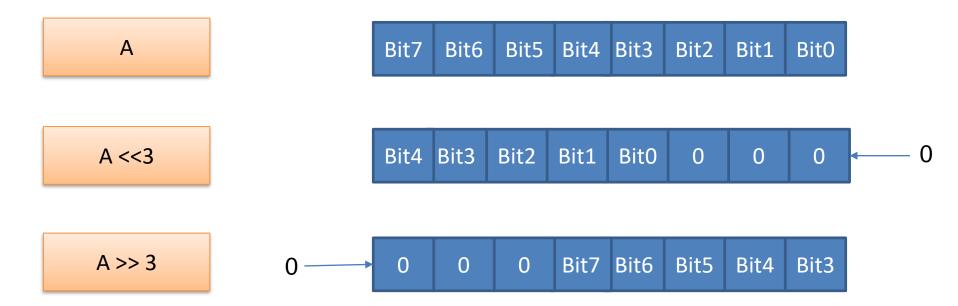
Symbol	Operation	
&	AND	
1	OR	
۸	XOR	
~	NOT	
<<	Left shift	
>>	Right shift	

Bit A	Bit B	A & B	A B	A ^ B	~A
0	0	0	0	0	1
0	1	0	1	1	1
1	0	0	1	1	0
1	1	1	1	0	0



Bit Operations(2)

☐ Shift operations





Bit Operations(3)

☐ Examples:

```
A = 0xAA(0b10101010)
```

$$B = 0x0F(0b00001111)$$

$$A \& B = 0x0A(0b00001010)$$

$$A \mid B = 0xAF(0b10101111)$$

$$A \wedge B = 0xA5(0b10100101)$$

$$\sim A = 0x55(0b01010101)$$

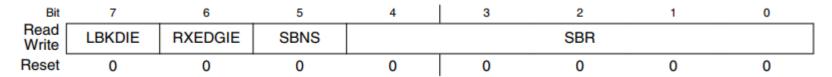
$$A \ll 3 = 0x50(0b01010000)$$

$$B >> 3 = 0x01(0b0000001)$$



Bit Operations(4)

☐ Use case:



Register mask for SBR bits field:

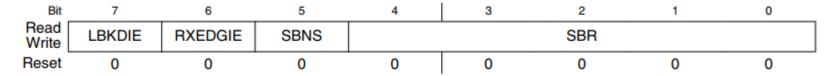
```
#define UART0_BDH_SBR_MASK (0x1FU)
#define UART0_BDH_SBNS_MASK (0x20U)
```

- Set SBNS bit: UART0->BDH = (UART0->BDH) | UART0_BDH_SBNS_MASK;
- Clear SBNS bit:
 UART0->BDH = (UART0->BDH) & (~UART0_BDH_SBNS_MASK);
- Read SBNS bit:
 Var_SBNS = (UART0->BDH) & UART0_BDH_SBNS_MASK;



Bit Operations(5)

☐ Use case:



Modify SBR bits field:

Example about Peripheral Access Layer in MKL46Z4.h file



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Thanks for listening!