

ECE4144 – Communication Hands On Assignment

The objective of this hands-on assignment is to implement a simple communication program based on USART built on the board. The processor has only one USART, which is UART1 (instead of what written in the document). Based on the datasheet, I have implemented the following code to fulfill requirements:

```
/* UCSR1A is set as default.
Normal transmission speed,
disable the multi-processor communication mode */
UCSR1A = 0x00;          // Reset the UCSR1A

UCSR1B = 0x00;          // Reset the UCSR1B
UCSR1B |= (1 << RXCIE1) | // Enable RX Complete Interrupt
          (1 << RXEN1) |  // Enable Receiver
          (1 << TXEN1);   // Enable Transmitter

UCSR1C = 0x00;          // Reset the UCSR1C
UCSR1C |= (1 << UCSZ11) | // Set Character Size to 8-bit
          (1 << UCSZ10);

UBRR1 = 51;              // UBRR1 = (fosc / (16 * Baud Rate)) - 1
                        //          = (8MHz / (16 * 9600)) - 1 = 51.08
```

After following the requirements in question 2 and question 3, we can have the following code:

```
#include <Arduino.h>

char receivedByte = 0;

void USART_Init() {
    /* UCSR1A is set as default.
    Normal transmission speed,
    disable the multi-processor communication mode */
    UCSR1A = 0x00;          // Reset the UCSR1A

    UCSR1B = 0x00;          // Reset the UCSR1B
    UCSR1B |= (1 << RXCIE1) | // Enable RX Complete Interrupt
              (1 << RXEN1) |  // Enable Receiver
              (1 << TXEN1);   // Enable Transmitter

    UCSR1C = 0x00;          // Reset the UCSR1C
    UCSR1C |= (1 << UCSZ11) | // Set Character Size to 8-bit
              (1 << UCSZ10);

    UBRR1 = 51;              // UBRR1 = (fosc / (16 * Baud Rate)) - 1
                            //          = (8MHz / (16 * 9600)) - 1 = 51.08
}

ISR(USART1_RX_vect) {
    receivedByte = UDR1;     // Read the received byte
}

void TransmitString(const char* str, uint8_t length) {
    // Transmit byte by byte
    for (uint8_t i = 0; i < length; i++) {
        while (!(UCSR1A & (1 << UDRE1))) {
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        // Wait for the transmit buffer to be empty
    }
    UDR1 = str[i]; // Transmit the byte
}
}

char GetNextReceivedByte(){
    char byte;
    cli();          // Disable global interrupts
    byte = receivedByte; // Read the received byte
    receivedByte = 0; // Clear the received byte after reading
    sei();          // Enable global interrupts
    return byte;
}

void setup() {
    USART_Init(); // Initialize USART1
    sei();        // Enable global interrupts
}

void loop() {
    char currentByte = GetNextReceivedByte();
    // Check if a byte is received
    if (currentByte != 0) {
        switch (currentByte) {
            case '1':
                TransmitString("One\n", 4);
                break;
            case '2':
                TransmitString("Two\n", 4);
                break;
            default:
                TransmitString("Default\n", 8);
                break;
        }
    }
}
}

```

After uploaded the program to the board, I connected the board to the FTDI programmer like in the figure below:

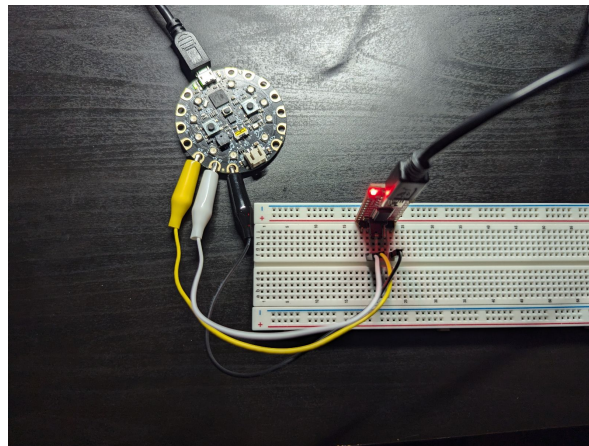


Figure 1: Connection between the board and the FTDI programmer

Then, I opened the serial monitor in the Tera Term and typed along the commands. Then, I received the outputs like in the figure below:

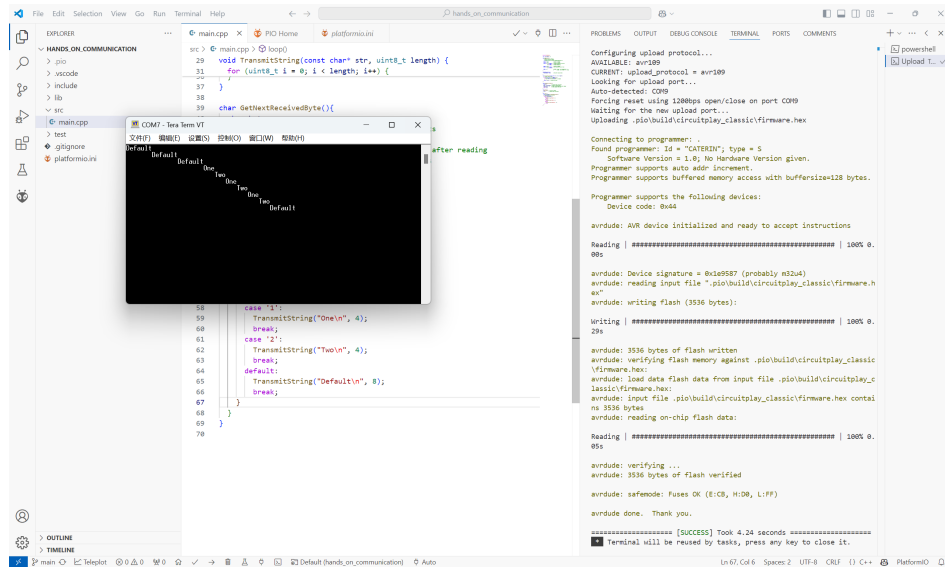


Figure 2: Output of the program

which is as expected.