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Slotcar Race Controller for PCLapCounter Software
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     Arduino MEGA 2560 based slotcar race controller. Capture start/finish signals,
     controls the power relays as well as any signal LEDs and manages external buttons.
     See http://pclapcounter.be/arduino.html for the input/output protocol.
     Minimum PC Lap Counter version: 5.40
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     TODO:
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     - disable track call button when race is not active (or change button behaviour)

    aborting start/restart is bogus

     - void startLights(byte pattern): get them patterns figured out
     Revision History
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     2017-01-21 Gabriel Inäbnit
                                   Lane detection blackout period added
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                                   Interrupt to Lane mapping also configured with array
                                   Relays NC, r/g/y racer's stand lights, lane mappings
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                                   Race Clock - Race Finished status (RC2) PCLC v5.40
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                                   Start/Finish lights on/off/blink depending race status
     2016-10-25 Gabriel Inäbnit
                                   Removed false start init button - no longer needed
                                   Fix false start GO command with HW false start enabled
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                                   HW false start enable/disable, penalty, reset
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                                   false start detection and penalty procedure
     2016-10-18 Gabriel Inäbnit
                                   external buttons handling added
     2016-10-14 Gabriel Inäbnit
                                   initial version
          /**********************************
     Do not use pins:
     Serial1: 18 & 19 - used for interrupts
     Serial2: 16 & 17
     Serial3: 14 & 15
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     BuiltIn: 13 - try to avoid it
   /******************************
     Global variables
    ***********************************
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   const long serialSpeed = 57600; // 19200;
   const long serial3Speed = 115200; // bluetooth
   const unsigned long laneDetectionBlackoutPeriod = 500L;
  const byte laneToInterrupMapping[] = { 18, 19, 20, 21,
const byte laneToRelayMapping[] = { 12, 28, 11, 9,
                                                      3,
                                                          2 };
                                                      7,
   const byte laneToGreenMapping[]
                                  = { 44, 46, 38, 34, 39, 35 };
   const byte laneToRedMapping[]
                                  = { 41, 42, 40, 36, 32,
   const char lapTime[][7] =
    "[SF01$",
55
    "[SF02$"]
    "[SF03$"]
    "[SF04$",
    "[SF05$"
    "[SF06$"
60
   };
   const unsigned long delayMillis[] =
   { // index
    OL, // O
    1000L, //
    2000L, //
    3000L, // 3
    4000L, // 4
    5000L, // 5
    6000L, // 6
    7000L
   /*********************************
     Symbol Definitions
   #define ON HIGH
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   #define OFF LOW
   /*******************************
      Arduono Button Press Messages
    ******
   #define BUTTON_RACE_START
                                      "[BT01]"
   #define BUTTON_RACE_RESTART
                                      "[BT02]"
                                      "[BT03]"
   #define BUTTON_RACE_PAUSE
                                      "[BT04]"
   #define BUTTON_RACE_NEXT
                                      "[BT05]"
   #define BUTTON POWER OFF
                                      "[BT06]"
   #define BUTTON_POWER_ON
   #define BUTTON_END_OF_RACE
#define BUTTON_TOGGLE_POWER
                                      "[BT07]"
                                      "[BT08]"
   #define BUTTON_TOGGLE_YELLOW_FLAG "[BT09]"
   #define BUTTON_STOP_AND_GO_LANE1
#define BUTTON_STOP_AND_GO_LANE2
                                      "[SG01]"
                                      "[SG02]"
   #define BUTTON_STOP_AND_GO_LANE3
                                      "[SG03]"
   #define BUTTON_STOP_AND_GO_LANE4
                                      "[SG04]"
                                      "[SG05]"
   #define BUTTON_STOP_AND_GO_LANE5
   #define BUTTON_STOP_AND_GO_LANE6
                                      "[SG06]"
      Pin Naming
                  ************************
    *****
   // lane to interrup pin mapping
   #define LANE_1 laneToInterrupMapping[0]
   #define LANE_2 laneToInterrupMapping[1]
   #define LANE_3 laneToInterrupMapping[2]
   #define LANE_4 laneToInterrupMapping[3]
#define LANE_5 laneToInterrupMapping[4]
   #define LANE_6 laneToInterrupMapping[5]
   #define LED_1 23
   #define LED_2 25
   #define LED_3 27
   #define LED_4 29
  #define LED_5 31
   #define LED_DSR1 41
   #define LED_DSG1 44
   #define LED_DSR2 42
   #define LED_DSG2 46
#define LED_DSR3 40
   #define LED_DSG3 38
   #define LED_DSR4 36
   #define LED_DSG4
   #define LED_DSR5 32
   #define LED_DSG5 39
   #define LED_DSR6 37
   #define LED_DSG6 35
#define LED_STOP 22
   #define LED_CAUTION 24
   #define LED GO 26
     ' PWR_x: x = lane
   #define PWR_ALL 30
   #define PWR_1
                   laneToRelayMapping[0] // 12
   #define PWR_2
                   laneToRelayMapping[1] // 28
                   laneToRelayMapping[2] // 11
   #define PWR_3
                   laneToRelayMapping[3] // 9
   #define PWR_4
   #define PWR_5
                   laneToRelayMapping[4] //
   #define PWR_6
                   laneToRelayMapping[5] //
   #define FSbit_0 10
   #define FSbit_1 8
   #define FSbit_2 6
   #define FSbit_3 4
      PC Lap Counter Messages
   #define SL_1_ON "SL011"
   #define SL_1_OFF "SL010"
   #define SL_2_ON "SL021"
   #define SL_2_OFF
                    "SL020"
                    "SL031"
   #define SL_3_ON
   #define SL_3_OFF "SL030"
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                                  Finished?"); Serial3.println(isFinished () ? "yes" : "no");
           Serial3.print("
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           Serial3.print("
                                    Init?"); Serial3.println(isInit() ? "yes" : "no");
           Serial3.print("
                                    state = ");
           switch (state) {
             case RACE INIT: {
                  Serial3.println("Race Init");
240
                  break;
             case RACE_STARTED: {
                  Serial3.println("Race Started");
245
                  break;
             case RACE FINISHED: {
                  Serial3.println("Race Finished");
                  break;
             case RACE_PAUSED: {
                  Serial3.println("Race Paused");
                  break;
             default: {
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                  Serial3.println("unknown");
           Serial3.print(" Served?"); Serial3.println(isFalseStartPenaltyServed() ? "yes" : "no"); Serial3.print(" falseStartEnabled = "); Serial3.println(falseStartEnabled ? "yes" : "no");
           Serial3.print("falseStartDetected = "); Serial3.println(falseStartDetected ? "yes" : "no");
           Serial3.print("penaltyBeginMillis = "); Serial3.println(penaltyBeginMillis);
           Serial3.print("penaltyServedMillis = "); Serial3.println(getPenaltyServedMillis()); Serial3.print("penaltyTimeMillis = "); Serial3.println(penaltyTimeMillis); Serial3.print("now = "); Serial3.println(millis());
265
        void initFalseStart(byte mode) {
           falseStartEnabled = mode > 7;
           if (falseStartEnabled) { // false start HW enabled
             falseStartDetected = false; // reset false start race "fuse"
270
             penaltyBeginMillis = 0xFFFFFFF;
             penaltyServedMillis = 0;
             penaltyTimeMillis = delayMillis[mode - 8];
275
        void setFalseStartDetected() {
           falseStartDetected = true;
        bool isFalseStartPenaltyServed() {
           return getPenaltyServedMillis() > penaltyTimeMillis;
280
        bool isFalseStartDetected() {
           return falseStartDetected;
        bool isFalseStartEnabled() {
285
           return falseStartEnabled;
        bool isStarted() {
           return state 	≡ RACE_STARTED;
290
        bool isPaused() {
           return state = RACE_PAUSED;
        bool isFinished () {
           return state ≡ RACE_FINISHED;
295
        bool isInit() {
           return state = RACE_INIT;
        bool fromState(char from) {
300
           return from ≡ previousState;
        void init() {
           previousState = state;
           state = RACE_INIT;
305
         void start() {
           previousState = state;
           state = RACE_STARTED;
310
           penaltyStart();
        void pause() {
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previousState = state;
         state = RACE_PAUSED;
315
       void finish() {
         previousState = state;
         state = RACE_FINISHED;
       void setStartingLights(bool setOn) {
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         startingLights = setOn;
       bool areStartingLights(bool setOn) {
         return startingLights ≡ setOn;
325
   };
   /*********************************
      Class Race instantiations
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   Race race;
   Class Lane
               *************************
   class Lane {
     protected:
       volatile unsigned long start;
       volatile unsigned long finish;
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       volatile unsigned long now;
       volatile long count;
volatile bool reported;
       byte lane;
       byte pin;
345
       byte green;
       byte red;
       bool falseStart;
     public:
       Lane(byte setLane) {
350
         start = 0L;
         finish = 0L;
count = -1L;
         lane = setLane - 1;
         pin = laneToRelayMapping[lane];
         green = laneToGreenMapping[lane];
355
         red = laneToRedMapping[lane];
         reported = true;
         falseStart = false;
       void lapDetected() { // called by ISR, short and sweet
360
        now = millis();
         if ((now - finish) < laneDetectionBlackoutPeriod) {</pre>
          return;
         start = finish;
         finish = now;
         count++;
         reported = false;
       void reset() {
         reported = true;
         falseStart = false;
         count = -1L;
       void reportLap()
375
         if (¬reported) {
           Serial.print(lapTime[lane]);
           Serial.print(finish - start);
           Serial.println(']');
           reported = true;
380
         if (race.isFalseStartEnabled()) {
           if (race.isInit() \land \neg falseStart \land (count \equiv 0)) {
             // false start detected,
             // switching lane off immediately
385
            powerOff();
             falseStart = true;
            race.setFalseStartDetected(); // burn the race fuse
           // switch power back on after false start penalty served
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if (falseStart A race.isFalseStartPenaltyServed()) {
            falseStart = false; // reset false start lane "fuse"
            powerOn();
        }
395
      void powerOn() {
        if (¬falseStart) {
          digitalWrite(pin, HIGH);
          digitalWrite(red, LOW);
400
          digitalWrite(green, HIGH);
         } else {
          digitalWrite(red, HIGH);
          digitalWrite(green, HIGH);
        }
405
      void powerOff() {
        digitalWrite(pin, LOW);
        digitalWrite(red, HIGH);
        digitalWrite(green, LOW);
410
      bool isFalseStart() {
        return falseStart;
415 };
   /**********************************
     Class Lane instantiations
  Lane lane1(1);
   Lane lane2(2);
   Lane lane3(3);
   Lane lane4(4);
   Lane lane5(5);
425 Lane lane6(6);
   /********************
     Class Button - external buttons for PC Lap Counter
    *******************************
430 class Button {
     protected:
      String button;
      byte pin;
      unsigned int sleep;
435
      bool reported;
      bool pressed;
      void reportButton() {
        Serial.println(button);
        reported = true;
440
     public:
      Button(String setButton, byte setPin, unsigned int setSleep) {
        button = setButton;
        pin = setPin;
445
        sleep = setSleep;
        reported = false;
        pressed = false;
        pinMode(pin, INPUT_PULLUP);
      void isButtonPressed() {
450
        pressed = ¬digitalRead(pin);
        if (¬reported ∧ pressed) {
          reportButton();
          //delay(sleep);
455
        reported = pressed;
   };
   /**********************************
     Class Button instantiations
    ***********************************
   Button raceStart(BUTTON_RACE_START, 47, 10); // pin 5 (RJ11 1)
Button raceRestart (BUTTON_RACE_RESTART, 45, 10); // pin 6 (RJ11 2)

465 Button racePause (BUTTON_RACE_PAUSE, 43, 10); // pin 7 (RJ11 3, RJ11 4 = GND)
   //Button raceStartPauseRestart(BUTTON_RACE_NEXT, 43, 100);
   //Button powerOff(BUTTON_POWER_OFF, 48);
   //Button powerOn(BUTTON_POWER_ON, 49);
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// plugin box

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pinMode(LED_CAUTION, OUTPUT);

pinMode(PWR_ALL, OUTPUT);
pinMode(PWR_1, OUTPUT);

pinMode (LED_DSR1, OUTPUT);

pinMode(PWR_2, OUTPUT); pinMode(PWR_3, OUTPUT); pinMode(PWR_4, OUTPUT); pinMode(PWR_5, OUTPUT); pinMode(PWR_6, OUTPUT);

setPower(ON);

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void setLED3(bool setOn) {
     digitalWrite(LED_3, setOn);
705
   void setLED4(bool setOn) {
     digitalWrite(LED_4, setOn);
710
   void setLED5(bool setOn) {
    digitalWrite(LED_5, setOn);
  void setGO(bool setOn) {
     digitalWrite(LED_GO, setOn);
   void setSTOP(bool setOn) {
    digitalWrite(LED_STOP, setOn);
720
   void setALL(bool setOn) {
    digitalWrite(PWR_ALL, setOn);
725
   /**********************************
      start light pattern switcher
   #define 0000I
   #define 000I0
   #define 00I00
   #define OIOOO
   #define I0000 16
   void startLights(byte pattern) {
    digitalWrite(LED_1, pattern & 0000I);
     digitalWrite(LED_2, pattern & OOOIO);
     digitalWrite(LED_3, pattern & OOIOO);
     digitalWrite(LED_4, pattern & OIOOO);
     digitalWrite(LED_5, pattern & I0000);
740
    /***********************************
     enable interrupts
   void attachAllInterrupts() {
     attachInterrupt(digitalPinToInterrupt(LANE_1), lapDetected1, RISING);
    attachInterrupt(digitalPinToInterrupt(LANE_2), lapDetected2, RISING);
attachInterrupt(digitalPinToInterrupt(LANE_3), lapDetected3, RISING);
     attachInterrupt(digitalPinToInterrupt(LANE_4), lapDetected4, RISING);
    attachInterrupt(digitalPinToInterrupt(LANE_5), lapDetected5, RISING);
attachInterrupt(digitalPinToInterrupt(LANE_6), lapDetected6, RISING);
   disable interrupts
                        void detachAllInterrupts() {
     detachInterrupt(digitalPinToInterrupt(LANE_1));
     detachInterrupt(digitalPinToInterrupt(LANE_2));
     detachInterrupt(digitalPinToInterrupt(LANE_3));
     detachInterrupt(digitalPinToInterrupt(LANE_4));
     detachInterrupt(digitalPinToInterrupt(LANE_5));
     detachInterrupt(digitalPinToInterrupt(LANE_6));
765
   /**********************************
      Interrup Service Routines (ISR) definitions
   void lapDetected1() {
    lane1.lapDetected();
   void lapDetected2() {
    lane2.lapDetected();
775
   void lapDetected3() {
     lane3.lapDetected();
   void lapDetected4() {
780
     lane4.lapDetected();
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void lapDetected5()
     lane5.lapDetected();
   void lapDetected6() {
     lane6.lapDetected();
   /****************************
      Main loop
790
                ************************
   void loop() {
     detachAllInterrupts();
     while (Serial.available()) {
       Serial.readStringUntil('[');
795
         String output = Serial.readStringUntil(']');
         Serial3.println(output);
         String raceClockState = output.substring(0, 3); // RC#
         // String raceClockTime = output.substring(4, 8); // HH:MM:SS
800
         if (raceClockState = "RCO") { // Race Clock - Race Setup
           if (race.fromState(RACE_FINISHED)) {
             setPower(OFF);
           race.init();
805
           falseStart.init();
             } else if (raceClockState == "RC1" && !race.isStarted) { // Race Clock - Race Started
                race.start(); // misses the first second
         } else if (raceClockState ≡ "RC2") { // Race Clock - Race Finished
           race.finish();
810
           setLED1 (ON);
           setLED2 (ON):
           setLED3 (ON);
           setLED4 (ON);
815
           setLED5 (ON);
         } else if (raceClockState = "RC3" ∧ ¬race.isPaused()) { // Race Clock - Race Paused
           race.pause(); // track call immediate, segment end after detection delay
           yellowLEDs(ON);
          else if (output = SL_1_ON) {
           race.setStartingLights(ON); // set race starting light state with LED1 only
820
           setLED1 (ON);
         } else if (output = SL_1_OFF) {
           race.setStartingLights(OFF); // set race starting light state with LED1 only
           setLED1 (OFF);
825
         } else if (output \equiv SL_2_ON) {
           setLED2(ON);
          else if (output = SL_2_OFF) {
           setLED2(OFF);
         } else if (output = SL_3_ON) {
           setLED3 (ON);
830
         } else if (output = SL_3_OFF) {
           setLED3 (OFF);
           else if (output \equiv SL_4_ON) {
           setLED4 (ON);
          else if (output \equiv SL_4_OFF) {
835
           setLED4 (OFF);
          else if (output ≡ SL_5_ON) {
           setLED5 (ON);
          else if (output = SL_5_OFF) {
           setLED5 (OFF);
         } else if (output = GO_ON) { // race start
           race.start();
           setGO(ON);
           relayLEDsRed(OFF);
845
         } else if (output = GO_OFF) { // track call, segment or heat end
           race.pause();
           setGO(OFF);
         } else if (output = STOP_ON) {
           setSTOP (ON);
           if (race.isPaused() ^ race.fromState(RACE_STARTED)) { // blink
             setLED1 (OFF);
             setLED2 (ON);
             setLED3 (OFF);
             setLED4 (ON);
             setLED5 (OFF);
             vellowLEDs(ON);
         } else if (output = STOP_OFF) {
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setSTOP(OFF);
               flickers when race is continued (track or segment)
860
            if (race.isPaused() \wedge
                race.fromState(RACE_STARTED) ^
                race.areStartingLights(OFF)) { // blink
              setLED1 (ON);
              setLED2 (OFF);
865
              setLED3 (ON);
              setLED4 (OFF);
              setLED5 (ON);
              yellowLEDs(OFF);
870
          } else if (output = PWR_ON) {
            setALL(ON);
            yellowLEDs(ON);
            if (race.isFinished()) {
              setPower(ON);
875
          } else if (output = PWR_OFF) {
            setALL(OFF);
            if (race.isFinished()) {
              setPower(OFF);
880
          } else if (output = PWR_1_ON) {
            lane1.powerOn();
            else if (output ≡ PWR_1_OFF) {
            lane1.powerOff();
885
           else if (output ≡ PWR_2_ON) {
            lane2.powerOn();
           else if (output ≡ PWR_2_OFF) {
            lane2.powerOff();
           else if (output ≡ PWR_3_ON) {
890
            lane3.powerOn();
           else if (output ≡ PWR_3_OFF) {
            lane3.powerOff();
           else if (output ≡ PWR_4_ON) {
            lane4.powerOn();
895
           else if (output ≡ PWR_4_OFF) {
            lane4.powerOff();
           else if (output ≡ PWR_5_ON) {
            lane5.powerOn();
           else if (output = PWR_5_OFF) {
900
            lane5.powerOff();
           else if (output ≡ PWR_6_ON) {
            lane6.powerOn();
           else if (output ≡ PWR_6_OFF) {
            lane6.powerOff();
905
           else if (raceClockState ≡ "DEB") {
            race.debug();
910
      /** report lap if necessary */
     lane1.reportLap();
     lane2.reportLap();
     lane3.reportLap();
     lane4.reportLap();
915
     lane5.reportLap();
     lane6.reportLap();
     /** any buttons pressed */
     raceStart.isButtonPressed();
920
     raceRestart.isButtonPressed();
     racePause.isButtonPressed();
     //delay(3);
     attachAllInterrupts();
925
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