# **CSE 379 Lab #4**Spring 2020

# **Objective**

In this part of the lab, you will learn to use general purpose I/O to interface hardware with the ARM processor and begin to create a library for your subroutines. You will utilize four LEDs, four momentary push buttons, the RGB LED, and the keypad on the EduBase Board.

## **Description**

Write and test four ARM assembly language subroutines, called *read\_from\_push\_btns*, *illuminateLEDs*, *illuminate\_RGB\_LED*, and *read\_from\_keypad*. Once written, write a subroutine, called *lab4*, which has a menu that allows you to repeatedly do the following until the user decides to exit the program. Note that instructions on how to use the program (such as what the menu choices are and what user input is expected) is required.

- Display a binary value between 0000 and 1111 on the LEDs. LED3 is the MSB while the LED0 is the LSB. A 1 should turn on the LED and a 0 should turn it off.
- Read a value from the momentary push buttons. The binary value read should be displayed in hexadecimal in *PuTTy*.
- Display, in *PuTTy*, the key that is pressed on the keypad Only keys 0 through 9 will be tested.
- Illuminate or turn off the RGB LED. When illuminating the RGB LED, the user should be allowed to select the color (red, green, blue, purple, yellow, or white) via *PuTTy*.

## The Library

Incorporate the following subroutines into a separate library file called *library lab 4.s.* 

- *uart init* initializes the user UART for use.
- output character transmits a character passed into the routine in r0 to PuTTy via the UART.
- read character reads a character from PuTTy via the UART, and returns the character in r0.
- read\_string reads a string entered in PuTTy and stores it as a null-terminated string in memory. The user terminates the string by hitting Enter. The base address of the string should be passed into the routine in r4. The carriage return should NOT be stored in the string.
- *output\_string* displays a null-terminated string in *PuTTy*. The base address of the string should be passed into the routine in *r4*.
- $read\_from\_push\_btns$  reads the momentary push buttons, and returns the value read in  $r\theta$ . Push button 2 should correspond to the MSB and 5 to the LSB.
- *Illuminate\_LEDs* illuminates the four LEDs. The pattern indicating which LEDs to illuminate is passed into the routine in *r0*. Bit 3 corresponds to LED 3, bit 2 to LED 2, bit 1 to LED 1, and bit 0 to LED0.
- *illuminate\_RGB\_LED* illuminates the RBG LED. The color to be displayed is passed into the routine in *r0*. How the individual colors are encoded when passed into the routine in *r0* is up to you. You should provide for the RGB LED to be illuminated red, blue, green, purple, yellow., and white.
- read\_from\_keypad reads a keypress on the keypad, and returns the value corresponding to the key that was pressed in r0. Only keys 0 through 9 will be tested.

## **Skeleton Code**

The following skeleton code shown below can be used to get you started with your library file.

```
.text
      .global uart init
      .global output_character
      .global read character
      .global read_string
      .global output string
      .global read from push btns
      .global illuminate LEDs
      .global illuminate RGB LED
      .global read keypad
uart init:
      STMFD SP!, {lr} ; Store register lr on stack
          ; Your code is placed here
      LDMFD sp!, {lr}
      MOV pc, lr
output character:
      STMFD SP!, {lr} ; Store register lr on stack
          ; Your code is placed here
      LDMFD sp!, {lr}
      MOV pc, lr
read character:
      STMFD SP!, {lr} ; Store register lr on stack
          ; Your code is placed here
      LDMFD sp!, {lr}
      MOV pc, lr
read string:
      STMFD SP!,{lr} ; Store register lr on stack
          ; Your code is placed here
      LDMFD sp!, {lr}
      MOV pc, lr
output string:
      STMFD SP!, {lr} ; Store register lr on stack
          ; Your code is placed here
      LDMFD sp!, {lr}
      MOV pc, lr
```

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read_from_push_btns:
      STMFD SP!, {lr} ; Store register lr on stack
          ; Your code is placed here
      LDMFD sp!, {lr}
      MOV pc, lr
illuminate LEDs:
      STMFD SP!, {lr} ; Store register lr on stack
          ; Your code is placed here
      LDMFD sp!, {lr}
      MOV pc, lr
illuminate RGB LED:
      STMFD SP!, {lr} ; Store register lr on stack
          ; Your code is placed here
      LDMFD sp!, {lr}
      MOV pc, lr
read keypad:
      STMFD SP!, {lr} ; Store register lr on stack
          ; Your code is placed here
      LDMFD sp!, {lr}
      MOV pc, lr
      .end
```

To access these routines from *lab* 4.s, be sure to declare the labels as global, as shown below.

```
.text
      .global uart init
      .global output character
      .global read character
      .qlobal read string
      .global output string
      .global read from push btns
      .global illuminate LEDs
      .global illuminate RGB LED
      .global read keypad
      .global lab4
lab4:
      STMFD SP!, {lr}; Store register lr on stack
           ; Your code is placed here
      LDMFD sp!, {lr}
      MOV pc, lr
      .end
```

#### **Partners**

You will work with a partner in this lab. Your partner *MUST* be the same partner you worked with on lab #3.

### **Documentation**

Your program must be clearly commented, and documentation must also be provided. The documentation must follow the guidelines covered in lecture (found on the *Lectures* webpage of the course website). Your comments should describe what *each* section of your program does. To receive full credit on your documentation, you must submit a draft of your flowchart before you start working on the lab in your regularly scheduled lab time on Monday, February 24 or Tuesday, February 25.

#### **Submissions**

Your source code (C and assembly) must be submitted online using the submit command (submit\_cse379 Your source code (C and assembly) and your documentation (as a PDF) must be submitted online using the submit command (submit\_cse379 lab\_4\_wrapper.c lab\_4.s lab\_4\_library.s lab\_4\_documentation.pdf) on timberlake.cse.buffalo.edu before 11:59 PM on Tuesday, March 3, 2020. A hardcopy of your documentation is due at the beginning of class on Wednesday, March 4, 2020. Your documentation will be used along with the code you submitted when you perform the debug exercise for Lab #4.