

GitHub Link

https://github.com/LuthoYRN/MNGLUT008_CBXLIS001_EEE3096S/blob/main/Prac4/assembly.s

Description of Implementation

Delay subroutines

Long Delay Subroutine (long_delay): This subroutine is used to create a delay of 0.7 seconds. It does this by loading the value 1400000 which is declared as LONG_DELAY_CNT into a register and then decrementing the register's value until it reaches zero. Each iteration of this loop represents a unit of delay, and once the register value reaches zero, the delay completes and branches back using link register, allowing the program to proceed.

Short Delay Subroutine (short_delay): The short delay subroutine generates a delay of 0.3 seconds. Like the long delay, it initializes a register with a smaller value 600000 loaded from SHORT_DELAY_CNT to achieve a faster interval. The loop structure here works identically as long_delay.

Main loop operation

Firstly, the value of the IDR register is read to gather the current states of the push buttons. The loop continuously monitors the state of the pushbuttons and determines which action to take based on their input states. This is done using a series of condition checks (using bitmask operations) to identify which buttons are pressed, true condition checks trigger branches to various subroutines.

1. Default LED Increment

When no buttons are held down meaning none of the bitmasks trigger a branch, the program enters the default behaviour state where the LEDs increment by 1 every 0.7 seconds. It does this by branching to the no_button_pressed subroutine which just increments the ODR register by 1 and calls write_leds which stores the new ODR value and calls long_delay for 0.7 second delay.

2. SW0 and SW1 Pressed

If SW0 and SW1 are simultaneously held down, the program branches to sw0_sw1_pressed subroutine which increments the ODR register by 2 every 0.3 seconds utilising the short_delay subroutine to maintain the interval.

3. SW0 Pressed

If SW0 is held down, the program branches to sw0_pressed subroutine which increments the ODR register by 2 every 0.7 seconds utilising the long_delay subroutine to maintain the interval.

4. SW1 Pressed

If SW1 is held down, the program branches to sw1_pressed subroutine which triggers a faster increment rate, updating the ODR register by 1 every 0.3 seconds by invoking the short_delay subroutine.

5. SW2 Pressed

If SW2 is pressed, the program branches to sw2_pressed subroutine where the LED pattern immediately changes to a fixed value of 0xAA done by overwriting the ODR register with the value.

6. SW3 Pressed

The program branches to sw3_pressed subroutine and enters a freeze state where the LED pattern remains unchanged, the subroutine does this by just branching back to the main loop every time and not doing anything to the ODR register. This effectively freezes the display until SW3 is released.

Appendix

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1  /*
2  * assembly.s
3  *
4  */
5
6  @ DO NOT EDIT
7  .syntax unified
8  .text
9  .global ASM_Main
10 .thumb_func
11
12 @ DO NOT EDIT
13 vectors:
14     .word 0x20002000
15     .word ASM_Main + 1
16
17 @ DO NOT EDIT label ASM_Main
18 ASM_Main:
19
20     @ Some code is given below for you to start with
21     LDR R0, RCC_BASE           @ Enable clock for GPIOA and B by setting bit 17
22 and 18 in RCC_AHBENR
23     LDR R1, [R0, #0x14]
24     LDR R2, AHBENR_GPIOAB     @ AHBENR_GPIOAB is defined under LITERALS at the end of
25 the code
26     ORRS R1, R1, R2
27     STR R1, [R0, #0x14]
28
29     LDR R0, GPIOA_BASE         @ Enable pull-up resistors for pushbuttons
30     MOVS R1, #0b01010101
31     STR R1, [R0, #0x0C]
32     LDR R1, GPIOB_BASE         @ Set pins connected to LEDs to outputs
33     LDR R2, MODER_OUTPUT
34     STR R2, [R1, #0]
35     MOVS R2, #0                @ NOTE: R2 will be dedicated to holding the value on the
36 LEDs
37     MOVS R3, #0
38
39 @ TODO: Add code, labels and logic for button checks and LED patterns
40
41 main_loop:
42     LDR R5, GPIOA_BASE
43     LDR R3, [R5, #0x10]        @ Reading input data register (IDR)
44
45     MOVS R5, #0b00000011       @ Set R5 to 0b000000010 (mask for bit 1 - SW0)
46     TST R3, R5                 @ Test bit 1 by ANDing R3 and R5; sets condition flags
47     BEQ sw0_sw1_pressed        @ If Z flag is set, SW0 is pressed
48
49     MOVS R5, #0b00000001       @ Set R5 to 0b000000010 (mask for bit 1 - SW0)
50     TST R3, R5                 @ Test bit 1 by ANDing R3 and R5; sets condition flags
51     BEQ sw0_pressed            @ If Z flag is set, SW0 is pressed
52
53     MOVS R5, #0b00000010       @ Set R5 to 0b000000010 (mask for bit 1 - SW0)
54     TST R3, R5                 @ Test bit 1 by ANDing R3 and R5; sets condition flags
55     BEQ sw1_pressed            @ If Z flag is set, SW0 is pressed
56
57     MOVS R5, #0b00000100       @ Set R5 to 0b000000010 (mask for bit 1 - SW0)
58     TST R3, R5                 @ Test bit 1 by ANDing R3 and R5; sets condition flags
59     BEQ sw2_pressed            @ If Z flag is set, SW0 is pressed
60
61     MOVS R5, #0b00001000       @ Set R5 to 0b000000010 (mask for bit 1 - SW0)
62     TST R3, R5                 @ Test bit 1 by ANDing R3 and R5; sets condition flags
63     BEQ sw3_pressed            @ If Z flag is set, SW0 is pressed
64
65     B no_button_pressed
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67     B main_loop                @ Loop back to the start if no match
68
69
70 no_button_pressed:
71     @ Default behavior: increment LEDs by 1 every 0.7 seconds
72     BL long_delay              @ Call long delay function
73     ADDS R2, R2, #1           @ Increment LEDs by 1
74     B write_leds              @ Go write the LED values
75
76 sw0_pressed:
77     @ SW0 behavior: increment LEDs by 2
78     BL long_delay              @ Call long delay function
79     ADDS R2, R2, #2           @ Increment LEDs by 2
80     B write_leds              @ Go write the LED values
81
82 sw1_pressed:
83     @ SW1 behavior: faster increment (0.3 seconds)
84     BL short_delay             @ Call short delay function
85     ADDS R2, R2, #1           @ Increment LEDs by 1
86     B write_leds              @ Go write the LED values
87
88 sw2_pressed:
89     @ SW2 behavior: set LED pattern to 0xAA
90     MOVS R2, #0xAA            @ Set LEDs to pattern 0xAA
91     B write_leds              @ Go write the LED values
92
93 sw0_sw1_pressed:
94     @ If both SW0 and SW1 are pressed, increment by 2 every 0.3 seconds
95     ADDS R2, R2, #2           @ Increment LEDs by 2
96     BL short_delay             @ Call short delay function (0.3 seconds)
97     B write_leds              @ Go write the LED values
98
99 sw3_pressed:
100    @ SW3 behavior: freeze the LEDs
101    B main_loop                @ Just loop without updating LEDs
102
103 //Delay methods
104 long_delay:
105     LDR R4, LONG_DELAY_CNT     @ Load long delay count into R4
106     B delay_loop
107
108 @ Subroutine for short delay (0.3 seconds)
109 short_delay:
110     LDR R4, SHORT_DELAY_CNT    @ Load short delay count into R4
111     B delay_loop               @ Use the same loop as in long_delay
112
113 delay_loop:
114     SUBS R4, R4, #1            @ Decrement R4 (not R0)
115     BNE delay_loop             @ Loop until R4 reaches zero
116     BX LR
117                                @ Return from subroutine
118 write_leds:
119     STR R2, [R1, #0x14]
120     B main_loop
121
122 @ LITERALS; DO NOT EDIT
123     .align
124 RCC_BASE:                .word 0x40021000
125 AHBENR_GPIOAB:          .word 0b11000000000000000000
126 GPIOA_BASE:              .word 0x48000000
127 GPIOB_BASE:              .word 0x48000400
128 MODER_OUTPUT:           .word 0x5555
129
130 @ TODO: Add your own values for these delays
131 LONG_DELAY_CNT:          .word 1400000    @ 0.7 second delay
132 SHORT_DELAY_CNT:         .word 600000     @ 0.3 second delay

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