

EE324: Microcontroller and Interfacing

Fall 2015-2016

Course Catalog Description

This course deals with the practical concepts related to the use of microcontrollers and embedded controllers in industrial applications. This course provides sufficient knowledge to the students to use microcontrollers to sense the real world quantities, analyses the data, and to use the results to perform control functions. This course will provide sufficient foundation for the students to pursue further studies in a number of 'state-of-the-art" areas related to computer design and architecture at the senior (undergraduate) as well as the graduate levels.

Course Details		
Credit Hours	3	
Core	Core Course for Electrical Engineering	
Elective		
Open for Student Category	BSc. students	
Closed for Student Category		

Course Prerequisite(s)/Co-Requisite(s)

Pre-requisites: EE220, Basic Programming Course

Co-requisites: None

Course Offering Details						
Lecture(s)	Nbr of Lec(s) Per Week	2	Duration	50 min	Timings and Venue	
Recitation (per week)	Nbr of Rec (s) Per Week	х	Duration			
Lab (if any) per week	Nbr of Session(s) Per Week	х	Duration			
Tutorial (per week)	Nbr of Tut(s) Per Week	х	Duration			

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Course Lea	arning Outcomes			
EE324-	The students should be able to:			
CLO1:	Demonstrate a fundamental knowledge of basic hardware building blocks in an embedded microcomputer system such as			
	microcontrollers, memory, transducers, ADCs and DACs etc.			
CLO2:	Demonstrate a knowledge of methods, steps and techniques for interfacing a microcontroller to external world devices such as,			
	motors, sensors, transducers, etc.			
	LAB related			
CLO3:	Develop an ability to conduct experiments (plan experimental work, construct circuits, connect instruments, operate the instruments,			
	take measurements, as well as analyze and interpret data and report the results.			
CLO4:	Use Modern analysis and simulation software.			
CLO5:	Design and develop Embedded and Stand-alone systems to devise solutions for the betterment of the society.			
CLO6:	Demonstrate the ability to work in a team through a group project involving microprocessor interfacing.			
CLO7:	Through Lab based tasks and project develop skills of leadership and project management.			
CLO8:	Develop skills of using microcontrollers for solving real life problems off the job and on the job.			
Relation to EE Program Outcomes				

EE-240 **Related PLOs** Levels of Learning **Teaching Methods Assessment Methods** CLOs CLO1 PLO1 Instruction, Tutorial, Assignments Cog-1,2 Assignments, Quizzes, Midterm, Final CLO2 PLO3 Cog-1,2,3 Instruction, Tutorial, Assignments Assignments, Quizzes, Midterm, Final CLO3 PLO₂ Assignments, Quizzes, Midterm, Final Cog-1,2,3,4 Instruction, Tutorial, Assignments CLO4 PLO5 Cog-1,2,3,4 Instruction, Tutorial, Assignments Assignments, Quizzes, Final CLO5 Cog-1,2,3,4 PLO6 Instruction, Tutorial, Assignments Assignments, Quizzes, Final CLO6 PLO9 Cog-1,2,3 Instruction, Tutorial, Assignments Assignments, Quizzes, Final CLO7 PLO11

CLO8

PLO12

Grading Breakup and Policy			
Lab	15%		
Quizzes + Assignments	19+1%		
Mid-term Exam	20%		
Final Exam	30%		
Project	14%		
Exhibition	1%		



Module	Topics	Sessions	Readings
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1.	Basic hardware building blocks in		
	an embedded microcomputer system	1	class notes
2.	Microcontroller Architecture and Programming	4-6	
	Microcontroller architecture		
	Memory interface and Address decoding techniques		
	Instruction Set		
2	Assembly language programming techniques	4	TID A
3.	Microcontroller Interfacing	4	TBA
	Review of computer I/O ports and techniques Parallel I/O vs. serial I/O		
	Memory mapped VS independent I/O		
	Theory of interrupts and DMA		
4.	Microcomputer Peripherals	5	
	Timers, PWM	· ·	
	Serial data communication standards		
	Serial I/O,EIA RS-232 standard , I2C, SPI, USB		
	The Universal Asynchronous Receiver Transmitter		
	MIDTERM		
	Industrial data acquisition and control	3	
	Basic Measurement electronics		
	A/D and D/A conversion		
5.	Transducers, Sensors and actuators	3	
	GPS Sensors, Gyroscopes, thermal sensors etc.		
6.	Interrupt Programming Case Studies	2	
7.	Case Study: AVR	2	
8.	Seminars with case studies	1	
	Seminar Notes		
	FINAL EXAM	<u>1</u>	

Textbook(s)/Supplementary Readings

Textbook

PIC Microcontroller and Embedded systems, Mouhammad Ali Mazidi by Prentice Hall Inc.

Examination Detail				
Midterm Exam	Yes/No: Yes Combine Separate: Combine Duration: 90 minutes Preferred Date: TBA Exam Specifications: TBA			



Final Exam

Yes/No: Yes

Combine Separate: Combine

Duration: 180 minutes

Exam Specifications: TBA

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