Higher Level Programming

Agenda

- 1. MCU Expresso IDE
- 2. GPIO button and LED
- 3. GPIO interrupts
- 4. PIT timing
- 5. PWM LED brightness controlling

MCU Expresso IDE

- Allows us to:
 - Configure generated set-up code
 - Compile our project
 - Flash project to board
 - Debug
- Reset IDE layout: Toolbar -> Window -> Perspective -> Reset Perspective

MCU Expresso IDE - SDK

- Kit containing drivers, examples related to a board
- Install SDK:
 - i. Chose workspace, close welcome page
 - ii. Go to "Installed SDKs" panel (bottom middle tab)
 - iii. Right-click on the empty space
 - iv. Chose "Download and Install SDKs"
 - v. Find "frdmmcxn947" SDK and install it

MCU Expresso IDE - New Project

- To create a new project:
 - i. Go to "Quickstart Panel" (bottom left tab)
 - ii. Click on "Create a new C/C++ project..."
 - iii. Find "frdmmcxn947" SDK and click "next"
 - iv. Change "Project type" to "C++ Project"
 - v. Change "SDK Debug Console" to "Semihost"

Hello world

- We can print into console \o/
- use PRINTF function MACRO the same way as usual prinf

Pin Setup Tool

- Allows us to configure pins
- Go to Toolbar -> ConfigTools -> Pins
- Search pins in Pins panel (on the left)
- Click on the square in the first column and route it to correct peripheral
- See "Routing details" for pin configuration on the bottom

Configure Pins

- 1. In "Functional groups" pick "BOARD_InitLEDsPins"
- 2. Click on the flag on the right to turn on this group
- 3. See how the pins are configured in "Routing Details"
- 4. Do the same for "BOARD_InitBUTTONsPins" functional group

Peripherals Setup Tool

- Allows us to configure peripherals (PWM, timers)
- Go to Toolbar -> ConfigTools -> Pins

Assignment (together)

- 1. Look at the generated project stucture
- 2. Check GPIO drivers in code
- 3. Check pin setup in code
- 4. Find functions for handling GPIO

Assignment (Alone)

- 1. Read button state
- 2. Print something upon button press
- 3. Change led whe the button is pressed

Bonus: Interrupts

- 1. Update pin config to allows interrupts on button pins
- 2. Add GPIO interrupt peripheral using Peripheral setup tool
- 3. Copy and paste interrupt handler into code
- 4. Handle button press events using interrupts instead of polling

Bonus: PIT

- 1. Setup PIT peripheral to generate periodic interrupts
- 2. Print something to console every 3 seconds
- 3. Add code for PIT handling

- 1. Setup PWM peripheral
- 2. Update pin config to route LED from GPIO to PWM
- 3. Add code for PWM handling

