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INVIGILATOR CLOCK

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INTRODUCTION

The invigilator clock system is designed to assist invigilators in monitoring examination durations accurately. It provides a centralized timekeeping system that synchronizes multiple clocks placed in examination rooms. The system utilizes the 8051 microcontroller for its reliability, low cost, and ease of programming.

WORKING FLOW

- Upon power-up, the microcontroller initializes the system, setting the time to a predefined value and displaying it on the LED.
- To start an examination session, the invigilator has to reset the system and then the circuit will start.
- During the examination, the system continuously updates the countdown timer and displays the remaining time on the LED.
- This circuit behaves as a down counter which gradually decreases the count as per our requirement.
- When the countdown timer of seconds reaches to zero it calls minute LED panel and decrements it by one, similarly when minute reaches to zero it makes hours LED to decrease by one.

FUNCTIONALITIES

- Timekeeping: The microcontroller keeps track of the current time, updating it continuously based on the crystal oscillator's pulses.
- Countdown Timer: Allows the invigilator to set a specific duration for the examination. Once started, the timer counts down, displaying the remaining time on the LED.
- Synchronization: This ensures all clocks display the same time.
- User Interface: The LED display presents the current time, countdown timer, and synchronization status.

COMPONENTS REQUIRED

- **8051 Microcontroller:** The heart of the system, responsible for timekeeping, synchronization, and control logic.
- Crystal Oscillator: Provides precise clock pulses to the microcontroller.
- 7 **Segment LED Display:** Displays the current time, countdown timer, and synchronization status.
- **Power Supply:** To provide appropriate power supply of 5V.

BLOCK DIAGRAM

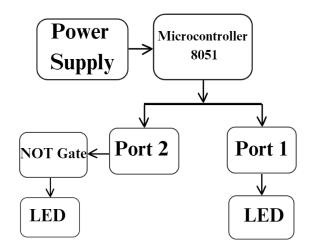


Fig: 1 Block Diagram

CIRCUIT DIAGRAM

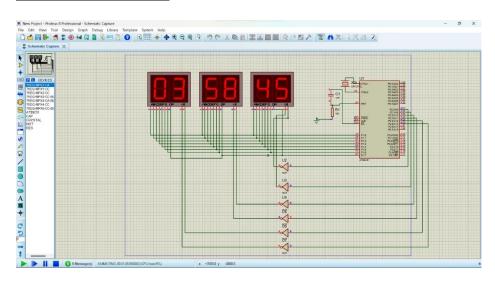


Fig 2: Circuit Diagram

FLOW CHART

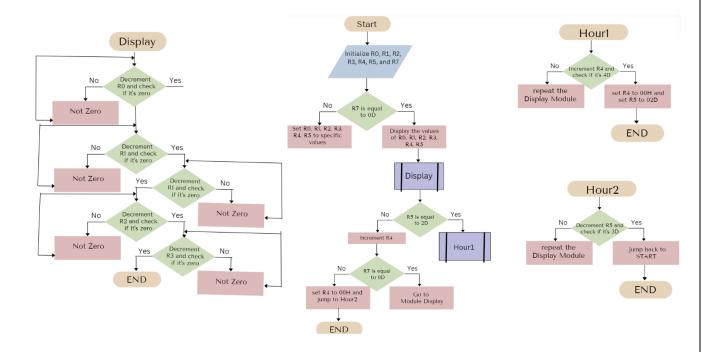


Fig 3: Main Flow Chart

ALGORITHM

- Initialization: The program starts at address 00H, where it jumps to the MAIN subroutine. The MAIN subroutine initializes the data pointers and registers R0-R5.
- Main Loop: The program then enters a loop labeled START, where it appears to initialize some registers with specific values. After that, it checks the value of register R7. If it's equal to 0, it jumps to the DISPLAY subroutine; otherwise, it sets some other values and resets R7.
- Displaying Data: The DISPLAY subroutine is responsible for displaying data. It starts by incrementing R7 and calling the SHOW subroutine. Then it decrements R0 and checks if it's zero; if not, it repeats the process for R1, R2, R3, and finally checks the value in R5. If it's not equal to 2, it increments R4 until it reaches 10. Then it jumps to Hour2. If it is equal to 2, it jumps to Hour1.
- Handling Hour1: In the Hour1 subroutine, it increments R4 and checks if it's equal to 4D. If not, it continues incrementing R5 until it reaches 3. Then it jumps back to START.

- Displaying Data (SHOW): The SHOW subroutine is responsible for actually displaying the data. It appears to be using a loop labeled REPEAT to iterate through the values in memory pointed to by DPTR. It moves the values in registers R0-R5 and then sends them to the output ports P2.0-P2.5 with some delays in between.
- Delay Function: The DELAY subroutine provides a delay mechanism for timing purposes. It sets a flag in PSW.4, then enters nested loops to create a delay, and finally clears the flag.
- Data: At address 300H, there's a block of data labeled MYDATA. This block seems to contain some data used for display purposes.

APPLICATION

- Examination Halls: It ensures accurate monitoring of examination durations, preventing any discrepancies or unfair advantages.
- Training Centers and Workshops: It helps trainers and instructors in managing session durations effectively, ensuring that each topic or activity is covered within the allocated time.
- Public Spaces: The system can be used to display accurate departure and arrival times for buses, trains, and other modes of transportation, improving passenger convenience.
- Sports and Athletic Events: In races and marathons, it provides precise timing information to participants and spectators, ensuring fair competition.

RESULT

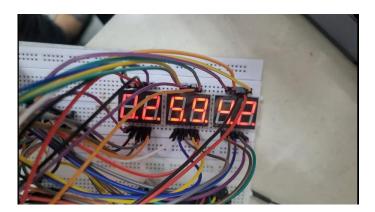


Fig: Result

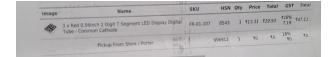
As you can see it is down counting as time goes down, by providing proper delay it is working effectively and providing required outcome. First set of LED represent hours, second LED panel represent minutes and the third LED panel represent seconds.

CONCLUSION

The invigilator clock system based on the 8051 microcontroller provides a reliable and user-friendly solution for monitoring examination durations. Its functionalities, including timekeeping, countdown timer, synchronization, and user interface, cater to the specific needs of invigilators, enhancing the efficiency and fairness of examination administration.

BILL





SET OF QUESTIONS

- Q1) On what basis LED is configurated?
- Q2) Provide the LOOK UP table for the 7 segment display.
- Q3) What is the difference between crystal oscillators and ceramic resonators?
- Q4) Describe the role of the DISPLAY label.
- Q5) What does the MOV DPTR, #MYDATA instruction do?

CODE

```
87 CLR P2.0
88 MOV A,R1
89 MOVC A,@A+DPTR
90 SETB P2.1
20 ORG 00H
21 LJMP MAIN
22
     ORG 30H
     MAIN:
23
                                             MOV P1,A
                                         91
    MOV DPTR , #MYDATA
24
                                             ACALL DELAY
                                         92
25
     START:
                                         93
                                             CLR P2.1
                                            MOV A, R2
26
    MOV RO,#00H
                                         94
    MOV R1,#00H
                                         95
                                             MOVC A, @A+DPTR
27
28
     MOV R2,#00H
                                             MOV P1, A
29 MOV R3, #00H
                                         98
                                            ACALL DELAY
    MOV R4,#00H
30
                                        99
                                             CLR P2.2
31
    MOV R5,#00H
                                            MOV A, R3
MOVC A, @A+DPTR
                                       100
32
                                       101
33
    CJNE R7 ,#OD , DISPLAY
                                            SETB P2.3
                                       102
34 MOV RO, #9
                                       103 MOV Pl ,A
35 MOV R1,#5
                                       104
                                              ACALL DELAY
     MOV R2,#9
36
                                       105
                                              CLR P2.3
    MOV R3,#5
37
                                       106 MOV A,R4
38
    MOV R4,#2
                                       107
                                             MOVC A, @A+DPTR
     MOV R5,#0
39
                                             SETB P2.4
                                       108
    MOV R7,#00H
40
                                       109 MOV P1,A
41
                                       110
                                              ACALL DELAY
42
                                              CLR P2.4
                                       111
43 DISPLAY:
                                       112
                                            MOV A,R5
44 INC R7
                                       113
                                              MOVC A, @A+DPTR
45
     ACALL SHOW
                                       114
                                              SETB P2.5
46
    BACK:
                                       115
                                            MOV P1,A
     DEC RO
47
                                             ACALL DELAY
                                       116
117
48
     CJNE RO, #00H, DISPLAY
                                              CLR P2.5
   MOV R0, #9
49
                                       118
                                            DJNZ R6, REPEAT
     DEC R1
50
                                       119
                                             RET
     CJNE R1, #00H , DISPLAY
51
                                       120
52 MOV R1, #5
                                       121
                                            DELAY:
53
     DEC R2
                                            SETB PSW. 4
MOV R2,#10
                                       122
123
     CJNE R2, #00H, DISPLAY
54
55 MOV R2,#9
                                       124 AGAIN2: MOV R3 ,#100
56
     DEC R3
                                       125 AGAIN1: DJNZ R3, AGAIN1
     CJNE R3, #00H, DISPLAY
57
                                       126
                                              DJNZ R2 , AGAIN2
    MOV R3,#5
58
                                              CLR PSW. 4
                                       127
59
    MOV A,R5
60 XRL A, #2D
                                       128
                                             RET
     JZ HOUR1
                                       129
61
                                            ORG 300H
     JNZ XX
                                       130
62
63
     XX:
                                       131
                                              MYDATA:
                                     132
133
     DEC R4
64
                                               DB 3FH,06H,5BH,4FH,66H,6DH,7DH,07H,7FH,6FH
                                              END
     CJNE R4, #00H, DISPLAY
65
66
   MOV R4,#10
67
     SJMP HOUR2
68
     HOUR1:
     DEC R4
69
     CJNE R4, #00H, DISPLAY
70
71
     MOV R4 ,#4
72
    MOV R5, #02D
73
74
     HOUR2:
75
     DEC R5
     CJNE R5, #3D, DISPLAY
76
    SJMP START
77
78
79
80
    MOV R6,#82D
81
     REPEAT:
82
     MOV A, RO
     MOVC A, @A+DPTR
83
     SETB P2.0
84
85 MOV P1,A
86 ACALL DELAY
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