



8051(MICRO-CONTROLLER) (Trainer: Dr. Jeevan K M)

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Learning Objective: Making patterns of LED blinking using an 8051 microcontroller.

Inputs and Outputs:

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☐ **Outputs:** LED states (ON/OFF)

Logic:

- The port has a hexadecimal value that is converted into binary by the microcontroller. Each of the binary representation's bits can regulate an individual LED; '1' will turn on an LED and '0' makes it off. For example, if P1=0x01, then only the first LED connected to the last bit would be on and all others would be off.
- ☐ The rest of the LEDs are connected to the ground which will give a simple circuit for controlling them using port value.
- ☐ This basic principle allows for different LED blinking patterns, . Two major techniques can be employed:
 - Directly assigning hexadecimal values to ports.
 - Creating blinking patterns using left shift of bits in loops.

