

# **RTOS 4 Documentation**

## **Real Time Operating System Design**

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## Project

### Directory Layout

- /RTOS4 - Root directory for project
  - /milestone4 - Contains the Visual 68k simulation code
  - /RTOS4 - Static library project and solution file
  - /RTOS4\_Test - Test application project

### Build Files

milestone4/globals.c -This file houses the operating system's global variables  
milestone4/globals.h - This file houses the operating system's global variables  
milestone4/osinit.c - This file provides RTOS initialization support from the C programming perspective  
milestone4/rtos.h -Global declarations specific to the OS  
milestone4/service.c -This file will implement support for OS service calling. According to requirements, we must support Basic Atari System Services (BASS) as well as Graphical Atari System Services (GASS)  
milestone4/shared.h - Public service call definitions  
milestone4/stack.c - This file reserves user accessible memory for application stacks.  
    Needed for OS initialization  
milestone4/stdlib.h -Standard library defintions  
milestone4/support.c -Additional C based support routines for RTOS  
milestone4/task1.c - GetGlobalDataAddress test application  
milestone4/task2.c - GetSystemTickCount test application  
milestone4/timer.c - lpl6 timer handler

\* Note: although, the files below have \*.cpp extensions, this is merely to allow linking with C++ applications and does not mean they're \*.cpp files.

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RTOS4/support.cpp	- Additional C based support routines for RTOS
RTOS4/task1.cpp	- Mock application
RTOS4/task2.cpp	- Mock application
RTOS4_Test/draw.cpp	- Supporting functions for drawing
RTOS4_Test/draw.h	- Supporting functions for drawing
RTOS4_Test/global_const.cpp	- Globals, constants and definitions
RTOS4_Test/global_const.h	- Globals, constants and definitions
RTOS4_Test/main.cpp	- Mainline of the application. Most of the work is done here

## Building

The RTOS 4 milestone is split into two projects. One is built for the Visual 68k simulator, the other is built for simulation and testing on Windows.

### Visual 68k

The compiling of the milestone4 for the Visual 68k requires the installation of:

- The [68000 Cross Development System](#). This is freely downloadable
- The [Visual 68k emulator](#) (for 68000 simulation). This is also freely downloadable

The [68000 Cross Development System](#) is a 16bit application and hence requires an operating system that is backwards compatible. If you are running at 64bit version of Windows, you will need to run the development system under DosBox. This is outside the scope of this tutorial.

To use the compiler, one has to open the command prompt (Winkey + R and type cmd). Enter the directory where the 68000 Cross Development System was installed, then execute the setpath.bat batch file. Afterwards, using that same command prompt, enter the directory of the RTOS4/milestone4 project and type make. The project should successfully make.

### Visual Studio 2010

The Windows portion of the RTOS 4 milestone is comprised of two applications. One is a statically linked library and is direct port the needed RTOS source. Though the files have their extensions renamed to \*.cpp an effort is made to not perform non-C compatible operations. The renaming to \*.cpp is merely done to ensure linking with the Windows based test application. The test application produces a graphical executable to perform test functions on the RTOS code.

To build the solution it is rather simple. One merely requires to open the RTOS4.sln found in

the RTOS4/ directory and click Build->Build Solution from the menu bar. The project files were made under Visual Studio 2010.

# TRAPS

## 1. BASS

Enter these into RegD0 call Trap #1

ie.

```
MOVE.L    #3, D0
TRAP      #1
```

```
/*!
 * Get a keyboard character
 */
#define BASS_GET_KEYBOARD      3
```

```
/*!
 * Is there available information in keyboard buffer
 */
#define BASS_KEYBOARD_STATUS   4
```

```
/*!
 * Get a debug character
 */
#define BASS_GET_DEBUG         5
```

```
/*!
 * Is there available information in debug buffer
 */
#define BASS_DEBUG_IN_STATUS    6
```

```
/*!
 * Write provided character to debug port
 * D1 - Character to write
 */
#define BASS_WRITE_DEBUG        7
```

```
/*!
 * Is the debug port busy
 */
#define BASS_DEBUG_BUSY         8
```

```

/*!
 * Retrieve system tick count
 */
#define BASS_TICK_COUNT 9

/*!
 * Retrieve task global memory address
 */
#define BASS_GLOBAL_ADDRESS 10

/*!
 * Get tick count formatted into time
 * D1 - Time struct
 */
#define BASS_GETCLOCKTIME 11

```

## Examples

### InputKeyboardCharacter

```

/* Read in a string from the keyboard. */
short input[5];
int i;
for( i = 0; i < 5; ++i )
{
    input[i] = InputKeyboardCharacter();
}

```

### InputDebugCharacter

```

/* Read in a string from the debugging device. */
short input[5];
int i;
for( i = 0; i < 5; ++i )
{
    input[i] = InputDebugCharacter();
}

```

### OutputDebugCharacter

```

/* Output a string to the debugging device. */
short* output = "debug output"

```

```
int i = 0;
for( i = 0; output[i] != '\0'; ++i )
{
    OutputDebugCharacter( output[i] );
}
```

## **GetClockTime**

```
struct systemtime time;
GetClockTime( &time );
```

## **Services**

### **InputKeyboardCharacter**

#### **Description**

Read the next available keyboard character from the system's internal keyboard buffer. This call blocks a process until a key is available.

#### **Parameters**

None

#### **Return**

Next available character as short.

### **IsKeyboardCharacterAvailable**

#### **Description**

Checks if there are any characters in the keyboard buffer

#### **Parameters**

None

#### **Return**

TRUE - 1 or more characters are in the buffer

FALSE - No characters are in the buffer

### **InputDebugCharacter**

#### **Description**

Read the next available character from the system's debugger buffer. This call blocks a process

until a character is available.

### **Parameters**

None

### **Return**

Next available character as short.

## **IsDebugCharacterAvailable**

### **Description**

Checks if there are any characters currently in the debug input bugger

### **Parameters**

None

### **Return**

TRUE - 1 or more characters are in the buffer

FALSE - 0 characters are in the buffer

## **OutputDebugCharacter**

### **Description**

Output a short to the system's current debugging console.

### **Parameters**

Short - WORD to output to debugger through serial port

### **Return**

None

## **IsDebugPortBusy**

### **Description**

Checks if system's debugging device port is busy and returns TRUE or FALSE depending on the status.

### **Parameters**

None

### **Return**

TRUE - if system's debugging device port is busy

FALSE - otherwise



## **GetSystemTickCount**

### **Description**

Retrieves the number of timer interrupts that have occurred since the system booted

### **Parameters**

None

### **Return**

Unsigned Long - number of timer interrupts

## **GetGlobalDataAddress**

### **Description**

Retrieves a pointer to the calling tasks global data

### **Parameters**

None

### **Return**

Unsigned Long - address to the tasks global data

## **GetClockTime**

### **Description**

Returns the number of seconds since boot formatted into hours, minutes, and seconds

### **Parameters**

Pointer to a struct systemtime

### **Return**

None

## **GetSystemTickCount**

### **Description**

Return the number of ticks since the operating system has booted up. Each tick is specified by the scheduler's interruption cycle

**Parameters**

None

**Return**

Current operating system tick count as unsigned long