

CENG 347 Lab 3

Introduction:

In this lab we were to get a similar setup to lab 1 working but this time instead of using C code we were to use assembly. For part one we were to use the given assembly code to blink the on board LED. We were then to complete part two which was recreating the binary counter with the leds also in assembly.

Procedure:

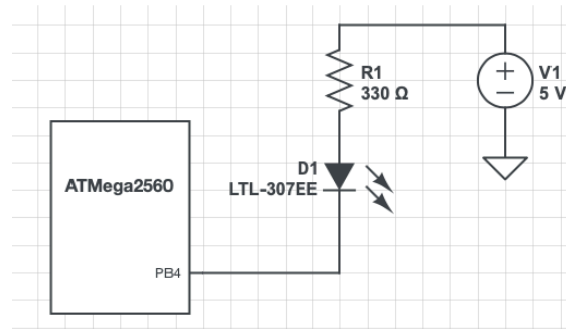
The lab is divided into two key parts:

Part 1: Load and run Blink.S

- Set up the environment for the Assembly
- Implement the Blink.S file given in the zip file
- Review and understand the delay functions
- Blink at 2Hz

Part 2: Binary Counter Implementation

- Recreate the binary counter from Lab 1
- Extend the delay to 500ms



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Application:

Part 1: Blink.S

Blink.cpp was downloaded and ran on the board with the needed include files.

Results were successful.

Code: (Was given to us)

```
; Blink LED on PB7 (ATMEGA 2560 pin 13)
; http://forum.arduino.cc/index.php?topic=159572#msg1194604

#define __SFR_OFFSET 0

#include "avr/io.h"

; let the C compiler know these are called elsewhere via external
definition
.global start
.global blink

start:
    sbi    DDRB,7    ; Set PB7 as output (set bit immediate)
    ret

blink:
    ldi    r20,250 ; Set the delay duration in ms. Maximum value is 255.
    call   delay_n_ms
    sbi    PORTB,7 ; Set PB7 HIGH
    ldi    r20,250
    call   delay_n_ms
    cbi    PORTB,7 ; Set PB7 LOW ; (clear bit immediate)
    ret

delay_n_ms:
    ; Delay about r20*1ms. Destroys r20, r30, and r31.
    ; One millisecond is about 16000 cycles at 16MHz.
    ; The basic loop takes about 5 cycles, so we need about 3000 loops.
    ldi    r31, 3000>>8 ; high(3000)
    ldi    r30, 3000&255 ; low(3000)
```

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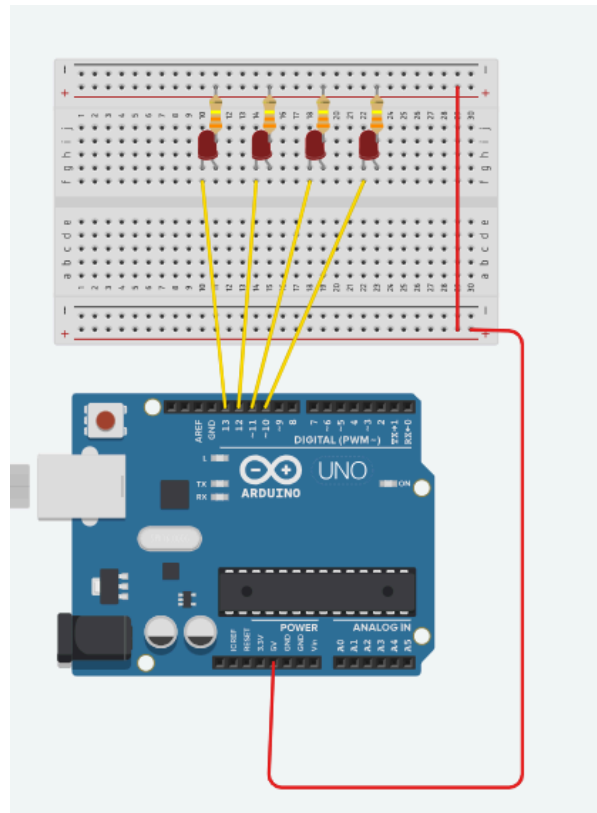
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delaylp:
    sbiw    r30, 1 ; subtract 1 word
    brne    delaylp ; branch if not equal
    subi    r20, 1 ; sub imident
    brne    delay_n_ms ; branch not equal
    ret
```

Part 2: Binary Counter Implementation in Assembly

Using the diagram provide in the lab we wired the lab to have a low signal act as a high LED. Shown below;



Blink.S was modified to allow for the counter.

Code(Zack):

```
; Count LED on PB7-4 (ATMEGA 2560 pin 13-10)
; http://forum.arduino.cc/index.php?topic=159572#msg1194604

#define __SFR_OFFSET 0

#include "avr/io.h"
```

```
; let the C compiler know these are called elsewhere via external
definition
.global start
.global counter
.global delay_n_ms

start:
    ; Setup Pin 7-4 as output
    sbi    DDRB,7
    sbi    DDRB,6
    sbi    DDRB,5
    sbi    DDRB,4

    ; Sets to known state
    clr    r16
    out    PORTB, r16

    ; Sets count to zero
    clr    r17
    ret

counter:
    ldi    r20, 255        ; Set delay to 255ms
    call   delay_n_ms
    ldi    r20, 255        ; Set delay to 255ms
    call   delay_n_ms

    ; Preserve lower 4 bits of PORTB and update upper 4 bits with inverted
count
    in     r18, PORTB      ; Load PORTB value
    ldi    r21, 0x0F       ; Load 0x0F
    and    r18, r21        ; And R18 and 0x0F
    mov    r19, r17        ; Copy count value

    ; Swap nibbles to shift left 4 bits
    mov    r22, r19        ;Creates copy
    and    r19, r21        ;Keep lower nibble
    lsl    r19              ;Shift Left by 4
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```
lsl    r19
lsl    r19
lsl    r19

and     r22, r21          ; Keeps only upper nibble
lsl     r20               ; shfits right by 4
lsl     r20
lsl     r20
lsl     r20

or      r19, r20          ; combines the nibbles

; Invers bits
ldi     r23, 0xFF         ; loads all ones
eor     r19, r23          ; Xor to flip bits

and     r18, r21          ; Ensures only upper 4 are affected
or      r18, r19          ; Merge with PORTB lower 4 bits
out     PORTB, r18        ; Output to PORTB

ldi     r24, 1            ; Loads incerment value into register
add     r17, r24          ; increments by value

and     r17, r21          ; Keep only lower 4 bits
ret
```

delay_n_ms:

```
    ; Delay about r20*1ms. Destroys r20, r30, and r31.
    ; One millisecond is about 16000 cycles at 16MHz.
    ; The basic loop takes about 5 cycles, so we need about 3000 loops.
ldi    r31, 3000>>8 ; high(3000)
ldi    r30, 3000&255 ; low(3000)
ldi    r25, 255
```

delaylp:

```
sbiw    r30, 1
brne    delaylp
subi    r20, 1
brne    delay_n_ms
ret
```

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Code (Alexis):

```
#define __SFR_OFFSET 0

#include "avr/io.h"

; let the C compiler know these are called elsewhere via external definition
.global start
.global blink
.global delay_n_ms

start:
    ; PORTB to output
    ldi r16, 0b11110000
    in r17, DDRB
    or r16, r17
    out DDRB, r16

    ; PORTB to a known state
    in r17, PORTB
    andi r17, 0x0F
    out PORTB, r17

    ret

blink:
    ; counter to 15
    ldi r18, 15

loop:
    ; load PORTB value
    in r19, PORTB
    andi r19, 0x0F

    ; shift counter to upper nybble and merge with lower nybble
    swap r18
    andi r18, 0xF0
    or r19, r18
    out PORTB, r19
    swap r18

    ; delay 500ms
    ldi r20, 250
    call delay_n_ms
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```
ldi r20, 250
call delay_n_ms

; decrement counter
dec r18
andi r18, 0x0F

rjmp loop

delay_n_ms:
; Delay about r20*1ms. Destroys r20, r30, and r31.
; One millisecond is about 16000 cycles at 16MHz.
; The basic loop takes about 5 cycles, so we need about 3000 loops.
ldi r31, 3000>>8 ; high(3000)
ldi r30, 3000&255 ; low(3000)
delaylp:
sbiw r30, 1
brne delaylp
subi r20, 1
brne delay_n_ms
ret
```

Results:

Part 1: Blink.S

The environment was set up and the LED was blinking. TA visually confirmed

Part 2: Binary Counter Implementation in Assembly

The code ran successfully and counted as expected. This was verified by the TA visually.

Conclusion

In conclusion, in this lab we were to take the setup from Lab 1 and recreate it using assembly instead of C. Part 1 was straightforward, as we just had to load and run the Blink.S file, which worked as expected. Part 2 required us to build on the part 1 code that was given to us to build the binary counter running with the correct delays and LED output. Overall, the lab helped show how to control hardware at a lower level and understand AVR assembly instructions. The successful results were confirmed by the TA in the lab, and the experience gave us a better understanding of how delays and bit manipulation work in embedded systems.