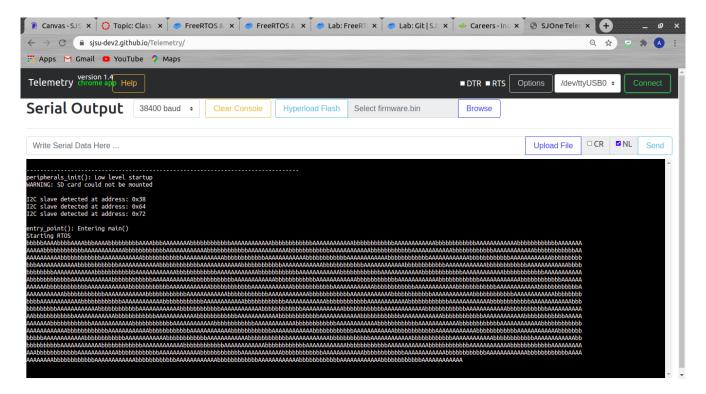
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### **Output for same priority tasks -**

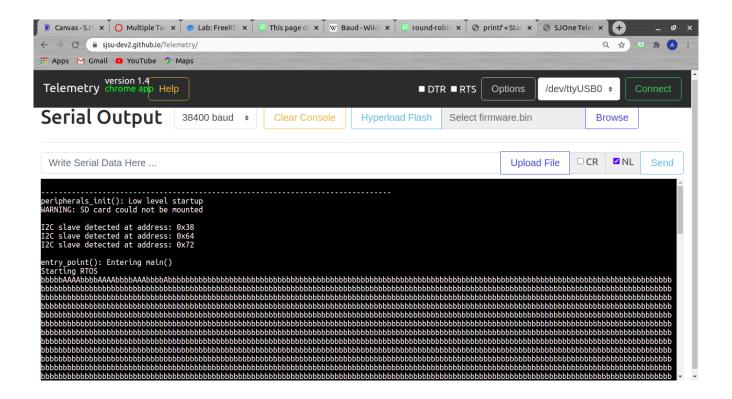


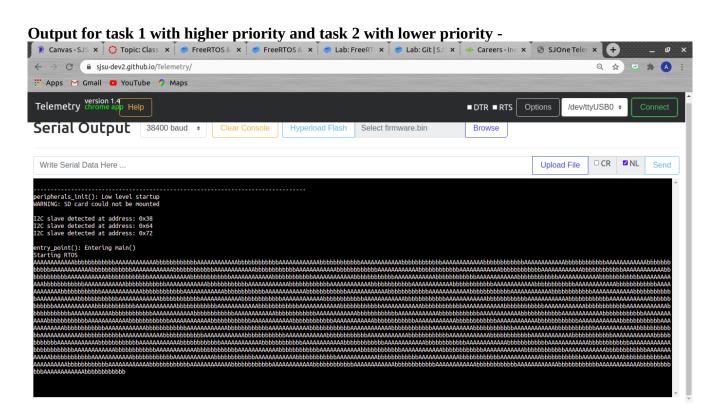
#### Explanation of the output -

Assume that our scheduler randomly selects task 1 ("A") for execution. The tick rate of our scheduler is 1 ms. The speed of our UART is 3840 characters/second and hence in 1ms it would print 3840/1000 = 3.8 characters (approx).

Now task 2 ("B") comes and prints approximately 3.8 characters. This cycle continues. Eventually 1 of the tasks reaches 12 characters (length of string) and hence the next instruction that the compiler encounters is vTaskDelay(100). The task in which vTaskDelay() is encountered will sleep for 100 ms and the other task will run. This cycle continues till the memory is full.

To prove this theory, I set vTaskDelay for Task 1("A") as 1000 and I removed vTaskDelay() from the second task("B"). This would mean that after 12 A's are printed, we would see a steady string of B's. This is indeed what happened. I have attached proof for your reference -

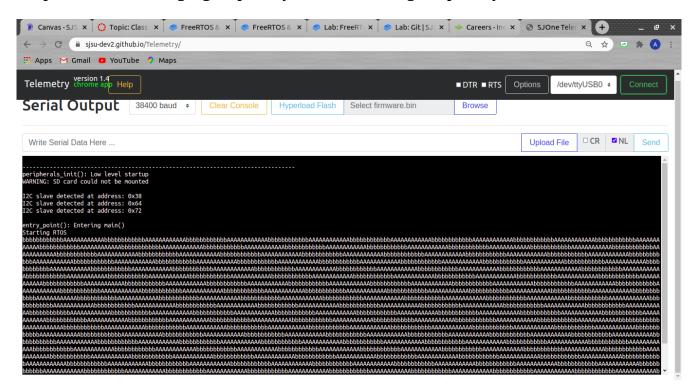




#### **Explanation**

Since task 1 is at higher priority, it starts  $1^{st}$  and runs till completion. Then vTaskDelay(100) is encountered . At this time, task 1 goes to sleep and task 2 is executed. So task 2 also runs to completion. Then task 2 sleeps and the cycle continues.

# Output for task 2 having higher priority and task 1 having low priority -



## **Explanation -**

Since task 2 is at a higher priority, it is scheduled first and runs till completion. Once task 2 is complete, vTaskDelay(100) of Task 2 is called and task 2 goes to sleep. Now task 1 is called and task 1 runs till completion. Then task 1 sleeps and the cycle repeats.