

## **REPORT COL215 HW ASSIGNMENT 2**

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### **APPROACH**

the inner clock runs at 100Mhz , so using it we made two signals temp1 and temp2 that runs at 250Hz and 10Hz respectively.

we used temp2 to update time.(by maintaining a counter)

we used temp1 to update anodes and cathodes.(by maintaining a counter)

There are 4 vectors each of length 4 named bin0,bin1,bin2,bin3 ; and corresponds to one tenth of a second , second and minutes. The display digits on basys board corresponds to bin0,bin1.... What we do is using the temp2 signal increment the bits and for each digit we have a cathode signal in vector form i.e. a total of 4 cathode vectors corresponding to each digit and each cathode value is obtained by running each bit into process and assigning their values as in 7 segment decoder. Now using the 250Hz signal we select a particular anode and correspondingly particular cathode , which then gives us the required stopwatch.

### **PROBLEMS ENCOUNTERED**

(In our first approach , we selected the anodes with 250Hz frequency(i.e. each anode was on for 4ms) , and based on the time we know which anode would be active and corresponding to that we should select the cathode in such a way it displays that digit. for example between 0 to 4ms , 1st anode is active , and we should assign cathodes in such a way that it displays 1st digit.

Hence we select the ith digit and convert it into cathodes using 7 segment-decoder. but that didn't serve the purpose i.e. for some reasons it didn't ran , it was stuck, hence we come up with a different implementation.)

there were more errors coming and since we were unable to debug them , we didn't import any modules rather we did everything in one single file.



