

AVR Scientific Calculator Project Report

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1 Introductions

This report consists of the data how to make a scientific calculator(can handle algebraic, trigonometric, logarithmic functions) from the components shown below.

2 Components Required

- Arduino Uno/Nano
- LCD-Display
- Push Buttons
- Breadboard and Wires

3 Hardware Design

3.1 Component Connections

Table 0: Hardware Connections

Component	MCU Pin	Arduino Pin	Function
LCD RS	PD0	D0	Register Select
LCD E	PD1	D1	Enable
LCD D4-D7	PD2-PD5	D2-D5	Data Bus
Keypad ROW1	PD6	D6	Row 1
Keypad ROW2	PD7	D7	Row 2
Keypad ROW3	PB0	D8	Row 3
Keypad ROW4	PB1	D9	Row 4
Keypad COL1	PB2	D10	Column 1
Keypad COL2	PB3	D11	Column 2
Keypad COL3	PB4	D12	Column 3

3.2 Matrix Scanning

Here we are implementing the matrix method keyboard scanning the 12 different push buttons using only 7 ports as follows, we arrange the buttons in the matrix form of 4×3 and we connect every lower wire of buttons in a row and every upper wire of buttons in the column is connected so if we enable a button a unique set of signal is given to Arduino. So now we need conserve the ports.

4 Software Implementation

4.1 Main Program Structure

```
1 #define F_CPU 16000000UL
2 #include <avr/io.h>
3 #include <util/delay.h>
4
5 int main(void) {
6     // Initialize hardware
7     DDRD = 0xFF; // Set PORTD as outputs
8     DDRB = 0x03; // Set PB0-PB1 as outputs
9
10    // Initialize LCD
11    LCD_Init();
12    LCD_Message("Calculator Ready");
13
14    while(1) {
15        // Check mode buttons
16        if (!(PINC & (1<<PC2))) toggleTrigMode();
```

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17     if (!(PINC & (1<<PC3))) calculateResult();
18
19     // Handle keypad input
20     char key = getKeyPressed();
21     if (key != '\0') {
22         handleKeyPress(key);
23         _delay_ms(300); // Debounce delay
24     }
25 }
26 return 0;
27 }

```

Listing 1: Main Program Loop

4.2 Keypad Scanning

```

1  const char keys[4][3] = {
2      {'1','2','3'},
3      {'4','5','6'},
4      {'7','8','9'},
5      {'A','0','C'}
6  };
7
8  char getKeyPressed() {
9      for (uint8_t row = 0; row < 4; row++) {
10         // Activate current row
11         switch(row) {
12             case 0: PORTD &= ~(1<<ROW1); break;
13             case 1: PORTD &= ~(1<<ROW2); break;
14             case 2: PORTB &= ~(1<<ROW3); break;
15             case 3: PORTB &= ~(1<<ROW4); break;
16         }
17         _delay_us(10);
18
19         // Check columns
20         if (!(PINB & (1<<COL1))) return keys[row][0];
21         if (!(PINB & (1<<COL2))) return keys[row][1];
22         if (!(PINB & (1<<COL3))) return keys[row][2];
23
24         // Deactivate row
25         switch(row) {
26             case 0: PORTD |= (1<<ROW1); break;
27             case 1: PORTD |= (1<<ROW2); break;
28             case 2: PORTB |= (1<<ROW3); break;
29             case 3: PORTB |= (1<<ROW4); break;
30         }
31     }
32     return '\0'; // No key pressed
33 }

```

Listing 2: Keypad Scanning Function

4.3 LCD Interface

```

1  void LCD_Init() {
2      _delay_ms(50);
3      SendNibble(0x03);
4      _delay_ms(5);
5      SendNibble(0x03);
6      _delay_us(100);
7      SendNibble(0x02); // 4-bit mode
8
9      LCD_Cmd(0x28); // 2 lines, 5x8 matrix
10     LCD_Cmd(0x0C); // Display on, cursor off
11     LCD_Cmd(0x06); // Increment cursor
12     LCD_Cmd(0x01); // Clear display
13     _delay_ms(2);
14 }
15

```

```

16 void LCD_Char(uint8_t data) {
17     PORTD |= (1<<LCD_RS); // Set to data mode
18     SendByte(data);
19 }
20
21 void LCD_Message(const char *text) {
22     while(*text) LCD_Char(*text++);
23 }

```

Listing 3: LCD Initialization

4.4 Mathematical Operations

```

1 float sin_euler(float x) {
2     x = x * PI / 180; // Convert to radians
3     float term = x, sum = x;
4
5     for(int n = 3; n < 15; n += 2) {
6         term *= -x*x/(n*(n-1));
7         sum += term;
8     }
9     return sum;
10 }
11
12 float cos_euler(float x) {
13     x = x * PI / 180; // Convert to radians
14     float term = 1, sum = 1;
15
16     for(int n = 2; n < 15; n += 2) {
17         term *= -x*x/(n*(n-1));
18         sum += term;
19     }
20     return sum;
21 }

```

Listing 4: Trigonometric Functions

5 Conclusion

The AVR scientific calculator project successfully demonstrates: Efficient keypad scanning using matrix techniques, Clear output on LCD display, Accurate mathematical computations and Responsive user interface

Future enhancements could include:

- Floating-point optimization
- Additional scientific functions
- Graphical display capabilities