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Yet more DHT22 sensor code

[Post a reply](#)by **joan** » Wed Mar 05, 2014 10:24 pm

This code has been updated.

http://abyz.co.uk/rpi/pigpio/code/DHT22_py.zip

The power parameter is only needed if you are sampling every 2 seconds or faster. Omit it otherwise. It specifies the gpio being used to switch power to the sensor.

The LED parameter gives visual feed-back whenever a sample is taken. The default, gpio 16, is the activity LED on Rev.1/2 boards. On Rev.3 boards use gpio 47. Alternatively connect your own LED.

My DHT22 arrived from China this morning. After decoding some of the more bizarre documentation known to man I now seem to have working Python code.

The DHT22 is powered from 3.3V and the output goes direct to gpio8.

If you power from 5V you'd have to muck about with external pull-ups and a resistor divider to get the circuit working properly.

For 5V operation I have done the following

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```
#!/usr/bin/env python

# 2014-07-11 DHT22.py

import time
import atexit

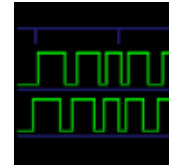
import pigpio

class sensor:
    """
    A class to read relative humidity and temperature from the
    DHT22 sensor. The sensor is also known as the AM2302.

    The sensor can be powered from the Pi 3V3 or the Pi 5V rail.

    Powering from the 3V3 rail is simpler and safer. You may need
    to power from 5V if the sensor is connected via a long cable.
```

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Connect pin 2 to a gpio.

For 5V operation connect pin 1 to 5V and pin 4 to ground.

The following pin 2 connection works for me. Use at YOUR OWN RISK.

5V--5K_resistor--+--10K_resistor--Ground

DHT22 pin 2 -----+

gpio -----+

"""

```
def __init__(self, pi, gpio, LED=None, power=None):
```

```
    """
```

```
    Instantiate with the Pi and gpio to which the DHT22 output  
    pin is connected.
```

```
    Optionally a LED may be specified. This will be blinked for  
    each successful reading.
```

```
    Optionally a gpio used to power the sensor may be specified.  
    This gpio will be set high to power the sensor. If the sensor  
    locks it will be power cycled to restart the readings.
```

```
    Taking readings more often than about once every two seconds  
will  
    eventually cause the DHT22 to hang. A 3 second interval seems  
OK.
```

```
    """
```

```
    self.pi = pi
```

```
    self.gpio = gpio
```

```
    self.LED = LED
```

```
    self.power = power
```

```
    if power is not None:
```

```
        pi.write(power, 1) # Switch sensor on.
```

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```
self.powered = True

self.cb = None

atexit.register(self.cancel)

self.bad_CS = 0 # Bad checksum count.
self.bad_SM = 0 # Short message count.
self.bad_MM = 0 # Missing message count.
self.bad_SR = 0 # Sensor reset count.

# Power cycle if timeout > MAX_TIMEOUTS.
self.no_response = 0
self.MAX_NO_RESPONSE = 2

self.rhum = -999
self.temp = -999

self.tov = None

self.high_tick = 0
self.bit = 40

pi.set_pull_up_down(gpio, pigpio.PUD_OFF)

pi.set_watchdog(gpio, 0) # Kill any watchdogs.

self.cb = pi.callback(gpio, pigpio.EITHER_EDGE, self._cb)

def _cb(self, gpio, level, tick):
    """
    Accumulate the 40 data bits.  Format into 5 bytes, humidity
    high,
    humidity low, temperature high, temperature low, checksum.
    """
    diff = pigpio.tickDiff(self.high_tick, tick)

    if level == 0:

        # Edge length determines if bit is 1 or 0.
```

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```
        val = 1

        if diff >= 200: # Bad bit?

            self.CS = 256 # Force bad checksum.

        else:

            val = 0

        if self.bit >= 40: # Message complete.

            self.bit = 40

        elif self.bit >= 32: # In checksum byte.

            self.CS = (self.CS<<1) + val

        if self.bit == 39:

            # 40th bit received.

            self.pi.set_watchdog(self.gpio, 0)

            self.no_response = 0

            total = self.hH + self.hL + self.tH + self.tL

            if (total & 255) == self.CS: # Is checksum ok?

                self.rhum = ((self.hH<<8) + self.hL) * 0.1

                if self.tH & 128: # Negative temperature.

                    mult = -0.1

                    self.tH = self.tH & 127

                else:

                    mult = 0.1

                self.temp = ((self.tH<<8) + self.tL) * mult

                self.tov = time.time()

                if self.LED is not None:

                    self.pi.write(self.LED, 0)

            else:
```

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```
elif self.bit >=24: # in temp low byte
```

```
    self.tL = (self.tL<<1) + val
```

```
elif self.bit >=16: # in temp high byte
```

```
    self.tH = (self.tH<<1) + val
```

```
elif self.bit >= 8: # in humidity low byte
```

```
    self.hL = (self.hL<<1) + val
```

```
elif self.bit >= 0: # in humidity high byte
```

```
    self.hH = (self.hH<<1) + val
```

```
else: # header bits
```

```
    pass
```

```
self.bit += 1
```

```
elif level == 1:
```

```
    self.high_tick = tick
```

```
    if diff > 250000:
```

```
        self.bit = -2
```

```
        self.hH = 0
```

```
        self.hL = 0
```

```
        self.tH = 0
```

```
        self.tL = 0
```

```
        self.CS = 0
```

```
else: # level == pigpio.TIMEOUT:
```

```
    self.pi.set_watchdog(self.gpio, 0)
```

```
    if self.bit < 8: # Too few data bits received.
```

```
        self.bad_MM += 1 # Bump missing message count.
```

```
        self.no_response += 1
```

```
        if self.no_response > self.MAX_NO_RESPONSE:
```

```
            self.no_response = 0
```

```
            self.bad_SR += 1 # Bump sensor reset count.
```

```
            if self.power is not None:
```

```
                self.powered = False
```

```
                self.pi.write(self.power, 0)
```

```
                time.sleep(2)
```

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```
        self.powered = True

    elif self.bit < 39:      # Short message received.

        self.bad_SM += 1    # Bump short message count.

        self.no_response = 0

    else:                   # Full message received.

        self.no_response = 0

def temperature(self):

    """Return current temperature."""

    return self.temp

def humidity(self):

    """Return current relative humidity."""

    return self.rhum

def staleness(self):

    """Return time since measurement made."""

    if self.tov is not None:

        return time.time() - self.tov

    else:

        return -999

def bad_checksum(self):

    """Return count of messages received with bad checksums."""

    return self.bad_CS

def short_message(self):

    """Return count of short messages."""

    return self.bad_SM

def missing_message(self):

    """Return count of missing messages."""

    return self.bad_MM

def sensor_resets(self):

    """Return count of power cycles because of sensor hangs."""

    return self.bad_SR

def trigger(self):
```

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```
        if self.LED is not None:
            self.pi.write(self.LED, 1)

        self.pi.write(self.gpio, pigpio.LOW)
        time.sleep(0.017) # 17 ms

        self.pi.set_mode(self.gpio, pigpio.INPUT)
        self.pi.set_watchdog(self.gpio, 200)

    def cancel(self):
        """Cancel the DHT22 sensor."""

        self.pi.set_watchdog(self.gpio, 0)

    if self.cb != None:
        self.cb.cancel()
        self.cb = None

if __name__ == "__main__":

    import time

    import pigpio

    import DHT22

    # Intervals of about 2 seconds or less will eventually hang the
    DHT22.

    INTERVAL=3

    pi = pigpio.pi()

    s = DHT22.sensor(pi, 22, LED=16, power=8)

    r = 0

    next_reading = time.time()

    while True:

        r += 1
```

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```
time.sleep(0.2)
```

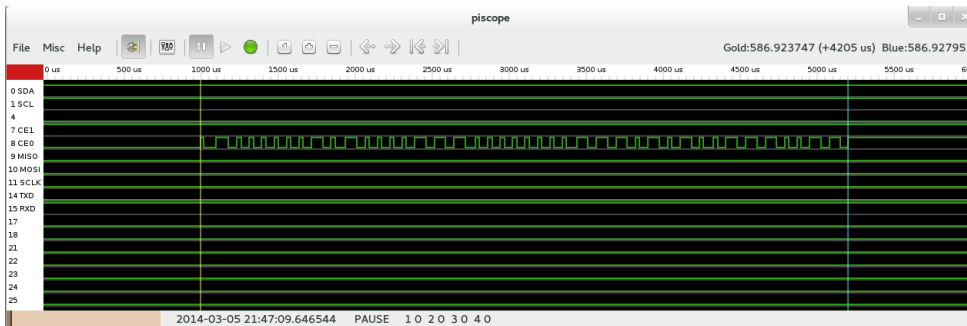
```
print("{} {} {} {:.2f} {} {} {}".format(
    r, s.humidity(), s.temperature(), s.staleness(),
    s.bad_checksum(), s.short_message(), s.missing_message(),
    s.sensor_resets()))
```

```
next_reading += INTERVAL
```

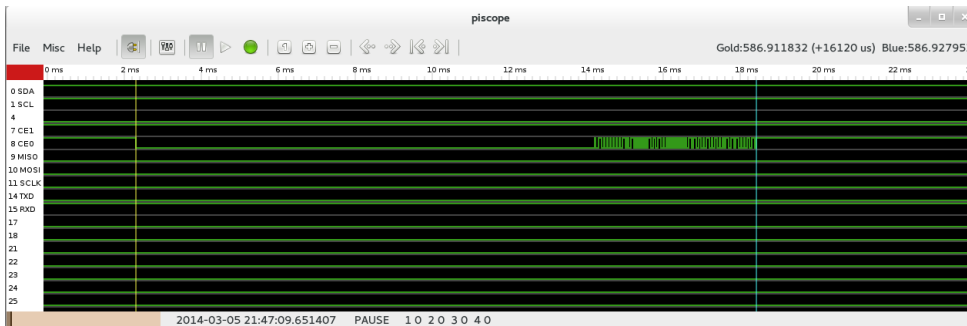
```
time.sleep(next_reading-time.time()) # Overall INTERVAL second
polling.
```

```
s.cancel()
```

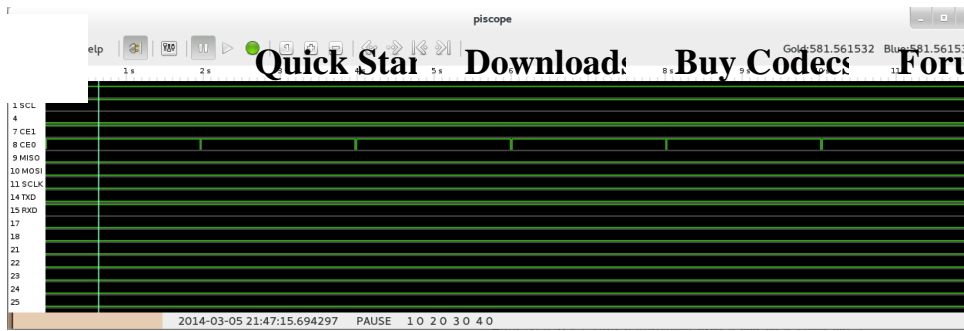
```
pi.stop()
```



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Last edited by joan on Sat Aug 02, 2014 1:27 pm, edited 7 times in total.

by **danjperron** » Fri Mar 07, 2014 12:21 am

Nice Joan,

I will be able to free the SPI since I was using it to decode the DHT22 and pigpiod was already running.

B.T.W. I create a service with pigpiod.

ref:<http://blog.scphillips.com/2013/07/getting-a-python-script-to-run-in-the-background-as-a-service-on-boot/>

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```
i@raspberrypi ~ $ cat /etc/init.d/pigpiod

#!/bin/sh

--

### BEGIN INIT INFO
# Provides:          pigpiod
# Required-Start:    $remote_fs $syslog
# Required-Stop:     $remote_fs $syslog
# Default-Start:     2 3 4 5
# Default-Stop:      0 1 6
# Short-Description: PI GPIO service with pwm
# Description:       PI GPIO service with pwm
### END INIT INFO

--

# Change the next 3 lines to suit where you install your script and
# what you want to call it
DIR=/usr/local/bin
DAEMON=$DIR/pigpiod
DAEMON_NAME=pigpiod

--

# This next line determines what user the script runs as.
# Root generally not recommended but necessary if you are using the
# Raspberry Pi GPIO from Python.
DAEMON_USER=root
```

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```
PIDFILE=/var/run/$DAEMON_NAME.pid
--

. /lib/lsb/init-functions

do_start () {
    log_daemon_msg "Starting system $DAEMON_NAME daemon"
    start-stop-daemon --start --background --pidfile $PIDFILE
--make-pidfile --user $DAEMON_USER --chuid $DAEMON_USER --startas
$DAEMON
    log_end_msg $?
}

do_stop () {
    log_daemon_msg "Stopping system $DAEMON_NAME daemon"
    start-stop-daemon --stop --pidfile $PIDFILE --retry 10
    log_end_msg $?
}

case "$1" in
    start|stop)
        do_${1}
        ;;

    restart|reload|force-reload)
        do_stop
        do_start
        ;;

    status)
        status_of_proc "$DAEMON_NAME" "$DAEMON" && exit 0 || exit $?
        ;;

    *)
        echo "Usage: /etc/init.d/$DAEMON_NAME
{start|stop|restart|status}"
        exit 1
        ;;

esac
exit 0
```

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```
sudo chmod 755 /etc/init.d/pigpiod
```

I insert it into the services

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```
cd /etc/init.d
sudo update-rc.d pigpiod defaults 99
```

I added into the service list

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```
complete -W "$(ls /etc/init.d/)" service
```

And finally start the service manually to see if it works.

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```
sudo service pigpiod start
```

Thank you ,

Daniel

by **joan** » Fri Mar 07, 2014 7:51 am

Good work on the start-up script.

A note of caution on the DHT22. Mine has locked up a couple of times after several hours of reading. I couldn't find a programmatic way of resetting the DHT22 so pulled its plug. A Google shows that I'm not alone in having reliability problems. However there is a chance that the way I'm triggering the device reads causes the problem, or indeed my breadboard. I'll be interested in any reliability problems you have compared to SPI.

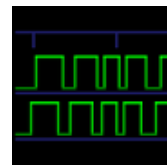
SPI does seem to have quite a few novel and unexpected uses.

by **danjperron** » Fri Mar 07, 2014 7:36 pm

Maybe a pull up problem. I had my SPI system running for 3 weeks with no interruption and no false reading or hang. the system reads it every 5 minutes twice since the first read out is always the last state it was 5 minutes ago. A minimum of 1 second is needed between any new reading.

by **joan** » Fri Mar 07, 2014 7:57 pm

I've just left it running today taking readings every 2 seconds. Just over 21,000 so far with 5 checksum failures, no timeouts, no freezes.



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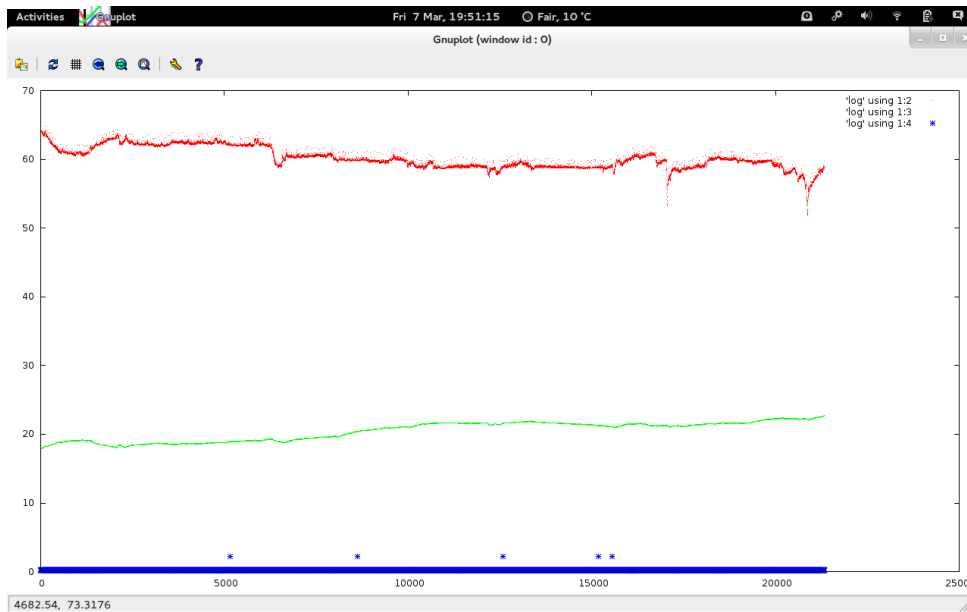
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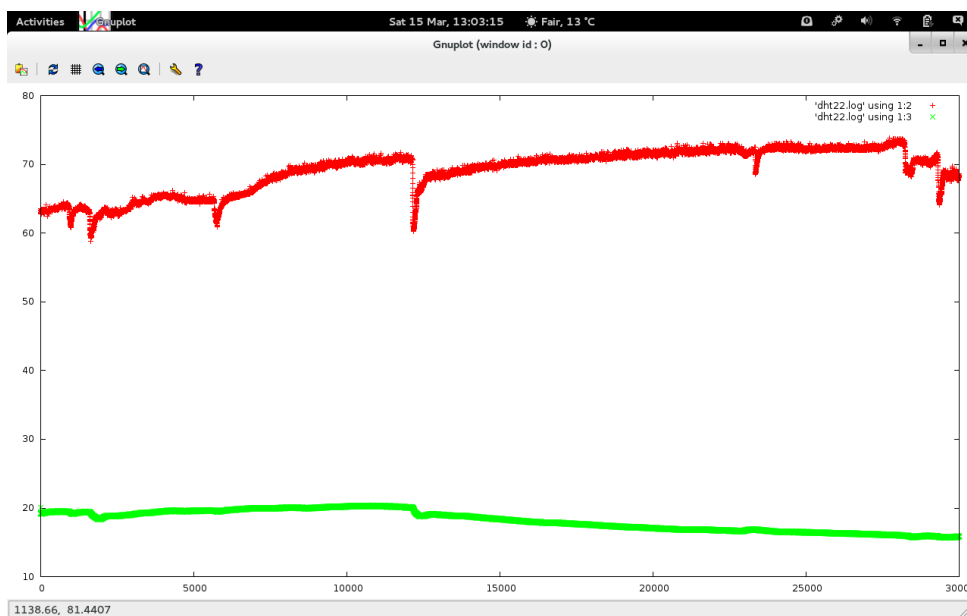
5V (5K+10K resistor) reading every 2 seconds

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by **joan** » Sat Mar 15, 2014 1:13 pm

I left the sensor and breadboard in an undisturbed place and left it running. I thought it had crashed but without thinking I had put a limit of 30000 samples (felt like a lot).

No checksum error, no timeouts, no freezes.



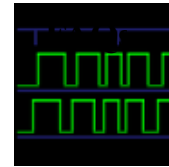
Powered from 3V3. Sample every 2 seconds.

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by **danjperron** » Sat Jun 21, 2014 1:20 am

Oops, something change in pigpio.

My service script didn't work anymore but I found a workaround.

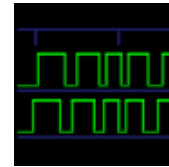


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# Change the next 3 lines to suit where you install your script and
# what you want to call it
DIR=/usr/local/bin
DAEMON=$DIR/pigpiod
DAEMON_NAME=pigpiod
DAEMON_LOCK=pigpio

# This next line determines what user the script runs as.
# Root generally not recommended but necessary if you are using the
# Raspberry Pi GPIO from Python.
DAEMON_USER=root

# The process ID of the script when it runs is stored here:
PIDFILE=/var/run/$DAEMON_LOCK.pid

. /lib/lsb/init-functions

do_start () {
    log_daemon_msg "Starting system $DAEMON_NAME daemon"
    # start-stop-daemon --start --background --pidfile $PIDFILE
    --make-pidfile --user $DAEMON_USER --chuid $DAEMON_USER --startas
    $DAEMON
    start-stop-daemon --start --background --pidfile $PIDFILE --user
    $DAEMON_USER --chuid $DAEMON_USER --startas $DAEMON
    log_end_msg $?
}

do_stop () {
```

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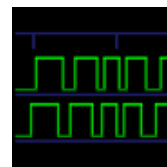
```
log_end_msg $?  
}  
  
case "$1" in  
  
    start|stop)  
        do_${1}  
        ;;  
  
    restart|reload|force-reload)  
        do_stop  
        do_start  
        ;;  
  
    status)  
        status_of_proc "$DAEMON_NAME" "$DAEMON" && exit 0 || exit $?  
        ;;  
  
    *)  
        echo "Usage: /etc/init.d/$DAEMON_NAME  
{start|stop|restart|status}"  
        exit 1  
        ;;  
  
esac  
exit 0
```

This script will use /var/run/pigpio.pid create by /usr/local/bin/pigpiod and will use it to stop the service.

Daniel

by **joan** » Sat Jun 21, 2014 7:27 am

Do you know what actually changed? I've never knowingly changed anything in this area since the daemon was introduced in version 3.



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by **danjperron** » Sat Jun 21, 2014 12:26 pm

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And now it is working fine.

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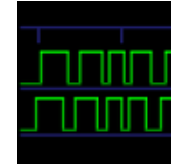
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by **joan** » Sat Jun 21, 2014 1:15 pm

As an aside I have a hypothesis about why the DHT22 locks up eventually with my code but not with SPI.

My code drives the line low as part of the trigger sequence and then turns the line into an input which allows it to pull-up to 3.3V. It seems possible that you need to actively drive the line high for a short period (40 micros) rather than just let it pull-up. I don't understand why that would be. Unfortunately this hypothesis can only be disproved.



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by **danjperron** » Sat Jun 21, 2014 3:40 pm

I notice something when I used pigpio in PWM mode , the R/C servo will glitch (making a small noise of quick movement) after a long period. Is it due to a counter going from 0xffffffff to 0x0? I really don't know. since I didn't look on how you did the pwm , it is just a theory.

I was reading a book and suddenly the R/C servo, hook to my webcam, make a moving sound , just a glitch. I notice it a couple of times. I should check the time interval and this could gives a clue about the problem.

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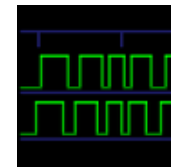
Daniel

by **joan** » Sat Jun 21, 2014 4:28 pm

danjperron wrote:I notice something when I used pigpio in PWM mode , the R/C servo will glitch (making a small noise of quick movement) after a long period. Is it due to a counter going from 0xffffffff to 0x0? I really don't know. since I didn't look on how you did the pwm , it is just a theory.

I was reading a book and suddenly the R/C servo, hook to my webcam, make a moving sound , just a glitch. I notice it a couple of times. I should check the time interval and this could gives a clue about the problem.

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It's not something I've noticed, but I rarely leave servos connected for extended periods, Do you have any feel for the periods involved?

There is the "check temperature to calculate RAM refresh rate" glitch twice a second (perhaps 8 micros each time). I have the check disabled but don't remember it causing problems for my servos in the past.

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I will try to see if I could create some kind of detector to get the glitch interval.

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by **danjperron** » Sun Jun 22, 2014 2:02 am
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The sequence number when you create a service daemon is not taken in consideration any more. Wheezy use a dependency scheme.

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If you want to use the sequence number, you will need to create /etc/init.d/.legacy-bootordering

Sequence number could be important if you create another daemon which use pigpiod. Be sure you put a number higher than the one you put for pigpiod.

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sudo touch /etc/init.d/.legacy-bootordering
update-rc.d pigpiod defaults 50
```

Sorry about that parentheses about pigpiod . But this is important enough if you want to use autostart pigpiod in service deamon.

by **joan** » Sun Jun 22, 2014 7:23 am

danjperron wrote:B.T.W.

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OK, I think I understand now. This is the number which determines the order in which programs are started in /etc/init.d type scripts. So rather than prefix the priority to the script name you now have to use a different solution or use the legacy option.

I wonder how you are meant to fix the ordering in the new scheme of things.

by **rgrbic** » Sun Jun 22, 2014 8:13 am

You should put pullup resistor in the case of 3.3V supply too.

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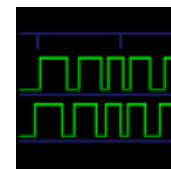
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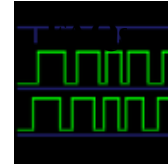
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by **joan** » Sun Jun 22, 2014 8:29 am



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Yes, I always pull the output up to 3.3V, through a voltage divider if using 5V, otherwise just through a 5k resistor.

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by **danjperron** » Sun Jun 22, 2014 11:55 am

About the pull-up resistor,

I test a DHT11 and the slew rate of the rising slope is problematic.

I had to use 1K pull-up resistor for the signal to top high (to VCC) and get valid data.

Otherwise the signal is not going up enough. Looks like a saw wave signal and there is no valid data.

And the falling edge is ok.

I suspect a bad sensor. I will order another one because I don't think is in specification. Looks like it has a big capacitor couple on a base of a open collector transistor.

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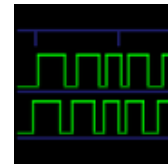
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by **joan** » Fri Jun 27, 2014 9:51 am

I've been looking into preventing the DHT22 hanging for some time. Eventually I decided to power the sensor from a gpio so I could reset it when it stops responding.

By looking at the times I need to power cycle the sensor it has become apparent that there is a strong correlation with the time a 3kW appliance is switched on.

It seems not to be a software problem after all.

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by **rgrbic** » Fri Jun 27, 2014 9:56 am

What kind of cable are you using for DHT22 and is this sensor near this appliance?

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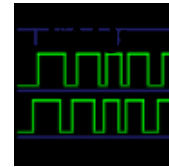


by **joan** » Fri Jun 27, 2014 10:14 am

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ring.

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by **rgrbic** » Fri Jun 27, 2014 10:33 am

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wrote:What
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The DHT22 is plugged into breadboard. The
appliance is about 20 feet away on a different
ring.

Put a capacitor between dht22 supply pins (Vcc and GND), like 0.1 uF

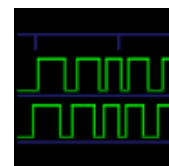
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I have a 104 cap between pins 1 and 4.

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by **rgrbic** » Sat Jun 28, 2014 9:02 am

Try to put one more (electrolytic) capacitor between vcc and gnd.

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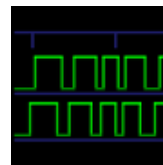
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by **joan** » Sat Jun 28, 2014 9:57 am

rgrbic wrote:Try to put one more (electrolytic) capacitor between vcc and gnd.



I've previously tried up to a 64 microfarad electrolytic. My main aim is to determine whether the software or the hardware is at fault. I'm 99% sure it's not a software problem.

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