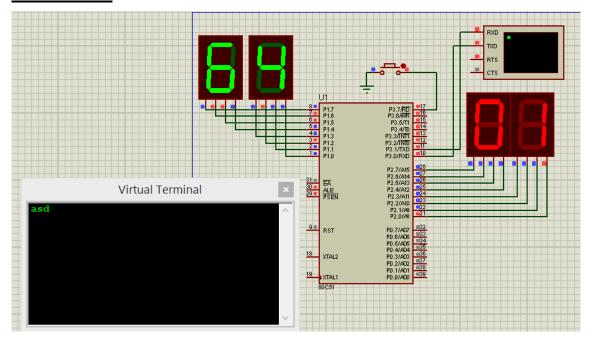
## **Problem 21**



In this problem, we implement a serial cyclic buffer

Each character entered in the terminal will be saved in this buffer

P2 displays the number of character available in the buffer

A button is used to read the data from the buffer and display it on P1 as will as sending it to the terminal

The buffer size is chosen to be 16, so program will not accept any character if the buffer is full. Also it will not execute read from buffer (when pushing the button) if the buffer is empty.

### Variables

```
SERIAL_START EQU 40H ; keyboard buffer at 40h - 4Fh (local)
SERIAL_END EQU 50H ;
WRITE_POINTER EQU 30h ; keybd write pointer (local)
READ_POINTER EQU 31h ; keybd buff read pntr (local)
COUNT EQU 32H
READ_BUTTON EQU P3.7
```

- 1,2 → The starting and end address of the buffer
- 3,4 → write pointer and read pointer variables
- 5→ count holds the available character in the buffer
- 6→ The port pin used to read the "read button"

### Main code

```
ORG 00H
9
    JMP START
  11 ORG 23H
    PUSH PSW
12
13
    JMP SERIAL INT
15 START:
16
    CALL INIT SERIAL
    CALL RESET BUFFER
17
18
    MOV P1,#0
19 START2:
20
    MOV P2, COUNT
    JNB READ BUTTON, READ SERIAL
21
    JMP START2
22
23 READ SERIAL:
24
   CALL GET KEY
    MOV P1, A
25
    CALL SEND CHAR
26
    MOV R5,#3
27
28
    CALL DELAY_100MS
    JMP START2
```

We use the serial interrupt  $\rightarrow$  will be triggered when a character is sent/received-but we will use it on character reception.

The interrupt vector of the serial interrupt is at address 23h, so we save the processor status word (12), and then jump to actual interrupt handler (13)

At start, we initialize the serial as before (16), then we reset the buffer pointer to buffer\_start (17)

The main loop, will first display the character count (20), then test the read\_button to do read operation (21). If the read\_button is pressed we call the function "GET\_KEY" to read from serial buffer (24), then display it on P1 (25), send it serially (26), wait for 300ms to allow for key release/debounce(27,28).

#### **Functions**

1- Serial\_INT

```
31 SERIAL INT:
     JBC RI,GOT_RI ; check for character in buffer
     POP PSW
                        ; restore the flags
33
34 RETI
35
   GOT_RI:
36
      PUSH ACC
                          ; save the acc
37
38
      PUSH 00h
39
     MOV A, WRITE_POINTER; get the write pointer value
                        ; see if right behind read pointer
40
      CJNE A, #SERIAL_END, ROLL_OK
41
     MOV A, #SERIAL START
42
43 ROLL OK:
44
     CJNE A, READ_POINTER, BUFF_OK; if so then do not accept
45
      JMP SERIAL_EXIT
46
47 BUFF OK:
     CALL INC_BCD
48
     MOV RO, WRITE_POINTER ; load the keyboard pointer
49
     MOV A,SBUF
                            ; get the character waiting
50
     MOV @R0,A
                            ; save the character
                            ; increment the write pointer
     INC WRITE POINTER
52
     MOV A, WRITE_POINTER
53
     CJNE A, #SERIAL_END, SERIAL_EXIT; if write not at end of buffer then ok
54
     MOV WRITE POINTER, #SERIAL START; else roll write (keybd buff 10h-1fh)
55
56 SERIAL EXIT:
```

It is the main routine that will read any character received and save it in the buffer if it is not full.

32 → jbc "jump if bit set and clear it" → will test for the RI bit and if it is set (character received), it will proceed to 37 where we push used register (37,38)

Now before saving the character into the buffer, we check if the write\_pointer reaches the serial\_end by incrementing the write\_pointer and if it is equal serial\_end, we roll it back to serial\_start (39-42). If write\_pointer becomes = read\_pointer, this means that the buffer is full, so we end the read process (45,46).

If buffer is not full, we increment the count in bcd (48), then we save the new character in the buffer (49-51). Then we increment the write\_pointer and roll it to start if it reaches buffer\_end(52-55)

2- Get\_key

```
62 GET_KEY:
           MOV A, READ_POINTER ; GET READ POINTER
63
           CJNE A, WRITE_POINTER,GET_CHAR; COMPARE TO WRITE POINTER
64
                        ; IF EQUAL (BUFFER EMPTY), WAIT
           JMP GET_KEY
65
66 GET_CHAR:
           PUSH 00H
67
           MOV RØ, READ_POINTER
                                      ; LOAD READ POINTER
68
                                      ; GET CHARACTER
           MOV A,@R0
69
                                       ; SAVE IN STACK
           PUSH ACC
70
71
           INC READ POINTER
           CALL DEC BCD
72
           MOV A, READ POINTER
73
           CJNE A, #SERIAL_END, BUFFER_OK
                                               ; CHEACK FOR BUFFER END
74
           MOV READ_POINTER, SERIAL_START ; RESET POINTER TO BUFFER START
75
76 BUFFER_OK:
           POP ACC
77
           POP 00H
78
           CLR C
79
           RET
80
```

This will read a character from the buffer. First, we wait until buffer is not empty. This is done by comparing read\_pointer with write\_pointer. If they are equal, this means that buffer is empty(63-65)

If not empty, we read the current character (68-70), then increment the read\_pointer(71), decrement the count(72). After decrementing the incrementing the read\_pointer, we check for roll over (73-75).

# 3- init\_serial

```
94 INIT SERIAL:
                            ;Asynchronous mode, 8-bit data and 1-stop bit
;Timer1 in Mode2.
; // Load timer value for baudrate generation = 256 - (12000000)/(32*12*baudrate)
95 MOV SCON,#50H
       MOV TMOD,#20H
96
       MOV TH1,#253
97
      MOV TL1,#253
99
       SETB TR1
                              //Turn ON the timer for Baud rate generation
       SETB ES
100
101
       SETB EA
       MOV COUNT,#0
```

It is the same as serial initialization before, but we enable serial interrupt (100,101)

4-INC\_BCD, DEC\_BCD

```
118 INC_BCD:
119 PUSH ACC
120 MOV A, COUNT
   ADD A, #1
121
122
    DA A
   MOV COUNT, A
123
   POP ACC
124
125 RET
127 DEC BCD:
   PUSH ACC
128
   MOV A, COUNT
129
   ADD A, #99H
130
   DA A
131
   MOV COUNT, A
132
133 POP ACC
134 RET
136 END
```

INC\_BCD is as previous examples

DEC\_BCD is done as INC\_BCD, but with the addition of 99H instead of 1 (130) Adding 99h to a BCD number is the same as adding "-1"