

Project 2 Report

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III. Introduction

In project 2 our goal is to communicate data between the Arduino Nano and Raspberry Pi 2 zero W devices. One of the main learning outcomes of this project was learning how to send/receive packets of information between devices rather than just the data. This is because packets will keep the integrity of the data sent. Along with these devices the data was collected using a force sensor and an acceleration sensor. Using these sensors we have an example of real world applications, for example a car tracking potholes on its way to a destination. The device we used to detect the acceleration and bump traction was the BNO055 IMU. We used this device's code library written by Adafruit's computer engineers. We measured the acceleration as a float at 20 times per second. We used a specific formula to calculate the filtered acceleration.

IV. Design and Implementation Plan

We broke down our project into several demos to make progress incremental and give us the ability to verify that certain parts were working before moving on with the whole.

Breakdown of Day-to-Day Signatures:

Day 1:

On Day 1 we showed that we can properly interface the BNO055 sensor with the Arduino by printing Absolute Orientation Euler data to the Arduino Serial Monitor

Day 2:

On Day 2 we showed that we can properly detect a bump by continuously printing acceleration data to the serial monitor and printing “We hit a bump” when the acceleration passed a certain value.

Day 3:

The demonstration for Day 3 was to show that we can read and write to the RPi by writing ‘A’, ‘B’, and ‘Cc’ from Waveforms and printing to the RPi’s console.

Day 4:

Our demonstration on Day 4 was to show that we can complete the full process of sending a packet by receiving acceleration packets on the RPi from the Arduino and verifying that the checksums matched on both sides.

Day 5:

On Day 5 we demonstrated that we can receive force sensor data, send that data in a packet, receive the data on the RPi, and print the contents of the packet on the RPi’s console.

Day 6:

On Day 6, we planned to show complete implementation of the project by sending a force measurement packet and an acceleration packet

Summary of the contributions of the group members:

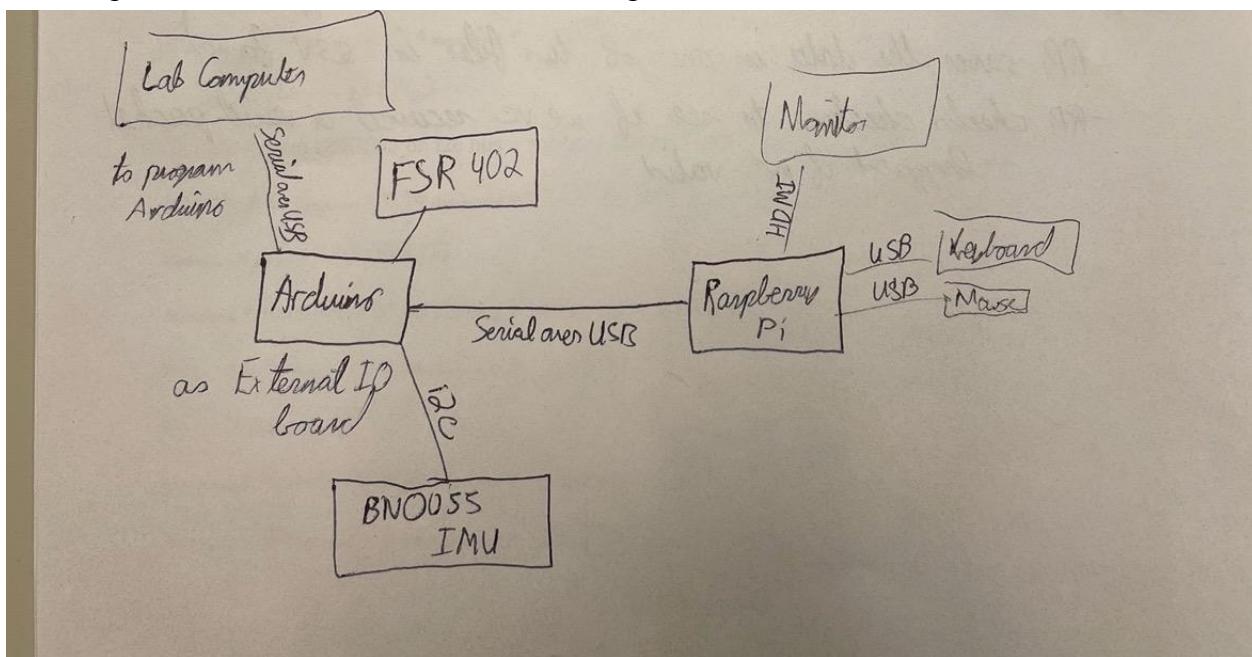
Kyle: Helped write a decent portion of the notebook. Wrote Arduino code once the group had to switch from Ibra's laptop to mine. Tried getting the packets to also send a date and time and convert the output to a .csv file.

Ibrahima: Helped wire every component with the group, created design and implementation plan (the signatures and demos), helped write the Arduino code

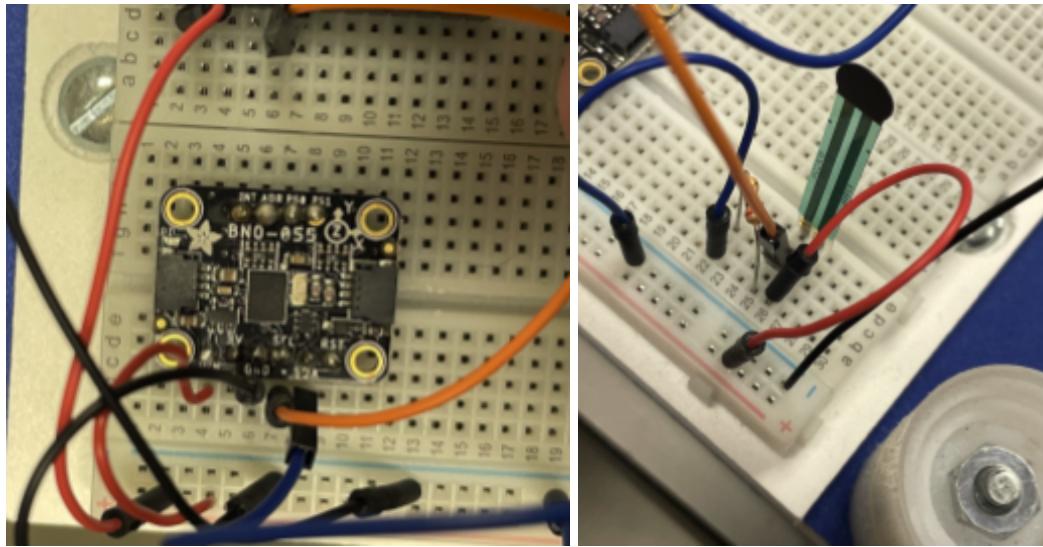
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V. Description of Design Results

The setup of the hardware is as shown in this diagram:



We had the sensors attached to the Arduino (because it excels in real-time measurements). We wired the BNO055 to the Arduino with lines GND -> GND, VIN -> 3.3V, SCL-> SCL on the Arduino, SDA-> SDA on the Arduino. The Force Sensing Resistor (FSR) was also connected to the Arduino. The BNO055 and FSR look like this when properly interfaced:



We used both the Arduino and the Raspberry Pi in this project and had to program on both ends. Our Arduino code had one sketch and our Raspberry Pi code consisted of main.cpp, COBSdecoder.h, and COBSdecoder.cpp.

Arduino Code

This sketch handled everything that needed to be done on the Arduino. We combined the three acceleration measurements in the acc vector with the equation `float a_measured = sqrt(pow(acc.x(),2) + pow(acc.y(),2) + pow(acc.z(),2));`. We then set up an array of 40 floats to store the acceleration measurements to be used in the packet. We wrote a for loop to update index 19 in the array with the new measured acceleration every loop and shift indices . This was important so that whenever we did sense a bump we had access to the 20 acceleration measurements from the past second. We chose `abs(a_measured) > (0.25*9.81)` to be the condition for when a bump is detected. Once that happens we print "We hit a bump!!" to the serial monitor, send the first 20 float measurements into the packet, print the previous second into the monitor, take the next second of measurements, put the next second of measurements in the packet, print that next second to the monitor, and finally calculate the checksum. Instead of `Serial.write()`, we used `myPacketSerial.send()` to send the full contents of our packet to the RPI.

We used Arduino's analog read to quantify the force on the force sensor. Testing to send the force sensor data as a packet was very similar to sending packets of the acceleration. The value that we returned from the Arduino's ADC through Analog pin A1 was sent through our formula: `float F = pow(((1024*20000)/sensorValue) - 20000)/(pow(10, 5.88)),(1.0/-0.8));` We decided that the condition for a button press should be `abs(F) > 50`. Once the condition was met we printed "We touched the butt...on" to the monitor, created the packet, added angles, added a different header (one for force packets now), printed the full 40 force measurements to the console, added them to the packet, and sent one.

Main.cpp

This file defines what should be in the packet struct. This file has the code for testing the COBS files.

This file also includes the code that we wrote for reading and writing with the RPi. We wired the TX and RX lines of the Arduino to the RX and TX pins of the RPi. We used the "Writing to Waveforms Test" section of our code in this part as well to send the characters 'A' 'B' and 'C' from the Arduino and print them to the console of the RPi.

In the final code (which is also in this file), we handled receiving force and acceleration packets. We wrote code in main to separate and print out the contents of our packet to the console. We also calculated a checksum on the RPi side of things and printed that checksum to the console. Our checksum ended up being an 8 bit integer on both ends. The formula that we used to calculate the checksum was to simply add up the ASCII value of the header and the 40 acceleration/force measurements.

In testing the force packets, when the packet was received on the RPi we decoded like we did earlier and printed all of the information to the console, verifying that it matched what was on the Arduino and that the numbers made sense in the context of our experiment.

COBSdecoder.h

Header file for COBSdecoder.h

COBSdecoder.cpp

File used to decode the packets sent with Consistent Overhead Byte Stuffing encoding.

VII. Assessment of Experimental Results

In the end, the group was able to communicate successfully between the devices without the date or time. The checksum values would match on both sides of the communication which would allow for the receiving side to properly get all of the information. Which in turn means that groups are able to send information in packets across devices such as Raspberry Pis and Arduinos. Packets are vital since it is the only measure that can make sure the information sent is correct and in order. Another outcome of this lab was getting information from multiple parts of the experiment. Having the two different sensors, acceleration and force sensors, showed how a project can have many different parts. Unfortunately, the group was not able to incorporate a date and time to the packets and output the data into a .csv file. Finishing this part of the lab would give the group insight on how companies could access the information easily after the

packet is sent. Overall, the experiment was incredibly useful for students to learn how to combine systems.

VIII. Appendix

Arduino Code:

```
#include <Wire.h>
#include <Adafruit_BNO055.h>
#include <Adafruit_Sensor.h>
#include <utility/imumaths.h>
#include <PacketSerial.h>

//using namespace LibSerial

Adafruit_BNO055 bno = Adafruit_BNO055(55);

float a_prev = 0; //Global because it is needed across loops

//Indices 0-19 will be constantly updated
//Indices 20-39 will be updates when we hit a bump
float previousSecondAcc[40];
float previousSecondForce[40];

PacketSerial myPacketSerial;

struct send_packet {
    char header;
    float measurement[40];
    float orient_yaw;
    float orient_pitch;
    float orient_roll;
    uint8_t checksum;
};

/***************** SETUP ***************** SETUP ***************** SETUP *****************/
void setup() {

    // put your setup code here, to run once:
    Serial.begin(9600);
    Serial1.begin(9600);
    Serial.println("Setup called"); Serial1.println("");

    //Initialize the sensor
    if(!bno.begin()) {
        Serial.print("No BNO055 detected. Check wiring or I2C Addr.");
        while(1);
    }

    delay(1000);

    bno.setExtCrystalUse(true);
```

```

myPacketSerial.setStream(&Serial);
myPacketSerial.setStream(&Serial1);
}

/***************** LOOP ***************** LOOP ***************** LOOP *****************/

/*sending basic packet
send_packet testpkt;
testpkt.header = 'testeberger';
testpkt.checksum = 27;
myPacketSerial.send((uint8_t*)&testpkt, sizeof(testpkt)); */

void loop() {
// put your main code here, to run repeatedly:

//Euler angle
imu::Vector<3> euler = bno.getVector(Adafruit_BNO055::VECTOR_EULER);
//Acceleration vector
imu::Vector<3> acc = bno.getVector(Adafruit_BNO055::VECTOR_LINEARACCEL);

int sensorPin = A1;
int sensorValue = analogRead(sensorPin);
float F = pow(((1024*20000)/sensorValue) - 20000)/(pow(10, 5.88)),(1.0/-0.8));

/*
// Orientation (euler angles)
Serial.print("X: ");
Serial.println(euler.x());
Serial.print(" Y: ");
Serial.println(euler.y());
Serial.print(" Z: ");
Serial.println(euler.z());

// Acceleration
Serial.print("X: ");
Serial.println(acc.x());
Serial.print(" Y: ");
Serial.println(acc.y());
Serial.print(" Z: ");
Serial.println(acc.z());
*/
//Combined Acceleration
float a_measured = sqrt( pow(acc.x(),2) + pow(acc.y(),2) + pow(acc.z(),2) );

/*
//Filtered Acceleration
float a_fil = (0.86*a_prev) + (0.14*a_measured);

Serial.print("Measured Acceleration ");
Serial.println(a_measured);
*/

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/*
Serial.print("Previous Acceleration ");
Serial.println(a_prev);
Serial.print("Filtered Acceleration ");
Serial.println(a_fil);
Serial.println(acc.z());
Serial.println("");
*/
//On every loop we need to update the array
for(int i=0; i<19; i++) {
    previousSecondAcc[i] = previousSecondAcc[i+1];
    previousSecondForce[i] = previousSecondForce[i+1];
}
previousSecondAcc[19] = a_measured;
previousSecondForce[19] = sensorValue;

// Button Pressed
if(abs(F) > 50){

    Serial.print("We touched the butt...on");

    send_packet pkt;
    pkt.header = 'm'; // button header
    pkt.orient_yaw = euler.z();
    pkt.orient_pitch = euler.y();
    pkt.orient_roll = euler.x();

    for(int i=0; i<=19; i++) {
        pkt.measurement[i] = previousSecondForce[i];
    }

    //Print previous second array
    for(int i=0; i<=19; i++) {
        Serial.println(pkt.measurement[i]);
        Serial.print(" ");
    }
    Serial.println("");

    //Future second into the packet
    for(int i=20; i<40; i++) {
        sensorValue = analogRead(sensorPin);
        F = pow(((1024*20000)/sensorValue) - 20000)/(pow(10, 5.88)),(1.0/-0.8));
        pkt.measurement[i] = F;
        delay(50);
    }
    Serial.println("");
    Serial.println("Done Recording");

    pkt.checksum = 0;
    for (int i=0; i<40; i++){
        pkt.checksum += pkt.measurement[i];
    }
    pkt.checksum += (int)(pkt.header); //Calculates the checksum on Arduino's side
}

```

```

myPacketSerial.send((uint8_t*)&pkt, sizeof(pkt));

}

// Bump detected
if(abs(a_measured) > (0.25*9.81))
{
    Serial.println("We hit a bump!!!!");

    send_packet pkt;
    pkt.header = 'z'; // bump header
    pkt.orient_yaw = euler.z();
    pkt.orient_pitch = euler.y();
    pkt.orient_roll = euler.x();

    //Previous second into the packet
    for(int i=0; i<=19; i++) {
        pkt.measurement[i] = previousSecondAcc[i];
    }

    //Print previous second array
    for(int i=0; i<=19; i++) {
        Serial.println(pkt.measurement[i]);
        Serial.print(" ");
    }
    Serial.println("");

    //Future second into the packet
    for(int i=20; i<40; i++) {

        acc = bno.getVector(Adafruit_BNO055::VECTOR_LINEARACCEL);
        a_measured = sqrt( pow(acc.x(),2) + pow(acc.y(),2) + pow(acc.z(),2) );

        //Serial.print("Measured Acceleration ");
        //Serial.println(a_measured);

        // /*
        // Gather the data for the packet
        pkt.measurement[i] = a_measured;
        // */
        Serial.print(pkt.measurement[i]);
        Serial.print(" ");

        delay(50);
    }
    Serial.println("");
    Serial.println("Done Recording");

    pkt.checksum = 0;
    for (int i=0; i<40; i++){
        pkt.checksum += pkt.measurement[i];
    }
    pkt.checksum += (int)(pkt.header); //Calculates the checksum on Arduino's side
    myPacketSerial.send((uint8_t*)&pkt, sizeof(pkt));
}

```

```
}

//Update previous
//a_prev = a_fil;

//Writing to Waveforms Test
/*
while(1) {
    Serial.write( 'A' );
    Serial.write( 'B' );
    Serial.write( 'C' );
    Serial.println("");
    delay(1000);
}

*/
//Reading from Waveforms Test
/*
if (Serial.available() > 0) {
    // get incoming byte:
    inByte = Serial.read();
    Serial.println(thirdSensor);
}

*/
delay(50);

}
```

Main.cpp:

Project 2 main

```

1 //Project 2 main
2
3 #include <iostream>
4 #include <fstream>
5 #include <unistd.h>
6 #include <libserial/SerialPort.h>
7 #include <libserial/SerialStream.h>
8 #include "COBSdecoder.cpp"
9
10 using namespace std;
11
12 struct receive_packet {
13     char header;
14     float measurement[40];
15     float orient_yaw;
16     float orient_pitch;
17     float orient_roll;
18     uint8_t checksum;
19 };
20
21 //Our checksum will be created by adding the values of our header and 40 measurements
22 uint8_t calculateChecksum(char header, float measurements[]) {
23     uint8_t checkSum = 0;
24     int headerInt = (int)header;
25
26     checkSum = checkSum + headerInt;
27
28     for(int i=0; i<40; i++) { checkSum += measurements[i]; }
29
30     return checkSum;
31 }
32
33 int main() {
34
35     cout << "Hi1" << endl;
36     LibSerial::SerialPort arduino;
37     arduino.Open( "/dev/ttyS0" );
38     cout << "Hi2" << endl;
39     arduino.SetBaudRate( LibSerial::BaudRate::BAUD_9600 );
40     uint8_t c;
41     receive_packet pkt;
42     cobSerial myCOB;
43     float RPiChecksum;
44
45     time_t currentTime1;
46     tm * currentTime2;
47     char StringDate[100];
48
49     char StringTime[100];
50     std::ofstream Testfile;
51     std::ofstream AccelFile;
52     std::ofstream ForceFile;
53
54     ctime(&currentTime1);
55     currentTime2 = localtime(&currentTime1);
56
57     strftime(StringDate, 50, "It is the %B %d, %Y", currentTime2);
58     strftime(StringTime, 50, "The time is %T", currentTime2);
59
60     cout << StringDate << endl;
61     cout << StringTime << endl;
62
63     //Checking if opened properly
64     if(!arduino.IsOpen()) {
65         cout << "Serial Port is not open." << endl;
66     }
67
68     //Writing to Waveforms Demo
69     /*
70     my_serial_port.WriteByte( 'A' ); //41
71     usleep(10000);
72     my_serial_port.WriteByte( 'B' ); //42
73     usleep(10000);
74     my_serial_port.WriteByte( 'C' ); //43
75     usleep(10000);
76     my_serial_port.WriteByte( 'X' ); //58
77     usleep(10000);
78     my_serial_port.WriteByte( 'Y' ); //59
79     usleep(10000);
80     my_serial_port.WriteByte( 'Z' ); //5a
81     */
82
83     //Reading from Waveforms
84     /*
85     while(1) {
86         char next_char = 'B';
87         int timeout_ms = 25000;
88
89         while(my_serial_port.IsDataAvailable()) {
90             my_serial_port.ReadByte(next_char, 0);
91             usleep(1000);
92             cout << next_char << endl;
93             usleep(1000);
94         }
95     }
96
97 */

```

```

Functions
  calculateChecks
  main [33]
Structs
  receive_packet [
    checksum [1]
    header [13]
    measurement [1]
    orient_pitch [1]
    orient_roll [1]
    orient_yaw [1]
  ]
Extern Variables
  std [10]

TestFile.open("test.csv", std::ios::app);
99
100 TestFile << 1 << "," << 2 << "," << 3 << "," << 4 << "," << 5 << endl;
101 for(int i = 0; i<40; i++){
102     TestFile << i << ",";
103 }
104 TestFile << endl << "you did it";
105 TestFile.close();
106 cout << "Test CSV file done" << endl;
107
108 // Final Code
109 while (1) {
110     if (arduino.IsDataAvailable()) {
111         arduino.ReadByte(c, 0);
112         myCOB.addByte(c);
113     }
114     if ( myCOB.packetAvail() ) {
115         cout << (int)(pkt.header) << endl;
116         if(pkt.header == 'z'){
117             cout << "An acceleration packet has been received" << endl;
118             int len = myCOB.getPacket((char*)&pkt);
119             cout << "packet length " << len << endl;
120
121             AccelFile.open("acceleration.csv", std::ios::app);
122             AccelFile << StringDate << "," << StringTime << "," << pkt.orientation.pitch << "," << pkt.orientation.roll << ",";
123             for(int i = 0; i<40; i++){
124                 AccelFile << pkt.measurement[i] << ",";
125             }
126             AccelFile << endl << pkt.checksum;
127             AccelFile.close();
128
129         }else if(pkt.header == 'm'){
130             cout << "An force packet has been received" << endl;
131             int len = myCOB.getPacket((char*)&pkt);
132             cout << "packet length " << len << endl;
133
134             ForceFile.open("force.csv", std::ios::app);
135             ForceFile << StringDate << "," << StringTime << "," << pkt.orientation.pitch << "," << pkt.orientation.roll << ",";
136             for(int i = 0; i<40; i++){
137                 ForceFile << pkt.measurement[i] << ",";
138             }
139             ForceFile << endl << pkt.checksum;
140             ForceFile.close();
141
142
143         cout << "Header: " << pkt.header << endl;
144         cout << "Values: ";
145         for(int i=0; i<40; i++) { cout << pkt.measurement[i] << ", " ; }
146         cout << endl;
147         cout << "Header as int: " << (int)(pkt.header) << endl;
148         cout << "Arduino Checksum: " << int(pkt.checksum) << endl;
149         cout << "RPI Checksum: " << int(calculateChecksum(pkt.header, pkt.measurement)) << endl;
150         cout << endl;
151     /*
152     */
153 }
154 //arduino.Close();
155
156 return 0;
157
158
159
8:26: File /home/pi/Desktop/main.cpp saved.
0:01: File /home/pi/Desktop/main.cpp saved.
33:57: File /home/pi/Desktop/main.cpp saved.
51:54: File /home/pi/Desktop/test.csv opened (6).
52:37: File /home/pi/Desktop/test.csv closed.
52:45: File /home/pi/Desktop/main.cpp saved.
54:09: File /home/pi/Desktop/main.cpp saved.

col: 8 sel: 0 INS TAB mode: LF encoding: UTF-8 filetype: C++ scope: main

```

COBSdecoder.h:

```

// The COBS decoder class header file

#include <iostream>

class cobSerial {
public:
    cobSerial();
    ~cobSerial();
    void addByte(uint8_t c);
    bool packetAvail();
    int getPacket(char* ptrOutput);
    static const int constMaxPacketSize = 256;
private:
    void decode();

```

```

        bool bAvail;
        char buff[constMaxPacketSize];
        int buffIdx;
        char decodedBuff[constMaxPacketSize];
        int decodeIdx;
    };

```

COBSdecoder.cpp:

```

// The COBS decoder cpp file

#include "COBSdecoder.h"
#include <cstring>

using namespace std;

cobSerial::cobSerial() {
    buffIdx = 0;
    decodeIdx = 0;
    bAvail = false;
}

cobSerial::~cobSerial() {
}

void cobSerial::addByte(uint8_t c) {
    if( c == 0 ) {
        decode();
        bAvail = true;
        buffIdx = 0;
    } else {
        buff[buffIdx] = c;
        buffIdx++;
    }
}

bool cobSerial::packetAvail() {
    return bAvail;
}

int cobSerial::getPacket(char* ptrOutput) {
    if(bAvail) {
        memcpy(ptrOutput, decodedBuff, decodeIdx);
        bAvail = false;
        return decodeIdx;
    } else {
        return -1;
    }
}

```

```
void cobSerial::decode() {
    int i = 0;
    int l = 0;
    decodeIdx = 0;
    while ( i < buffIdx) {
        l = i + buff[i];
        i++;
        while ( i < l ) {
            decodedBuff[decodeIdx] = buff[i];
            i++;
            decodeIdx++;
        }
        if ( l < buffIdx) {
            decodedBuff[decodeIdx] = 0;
            decodeIdx++;
        }
    }
}
```