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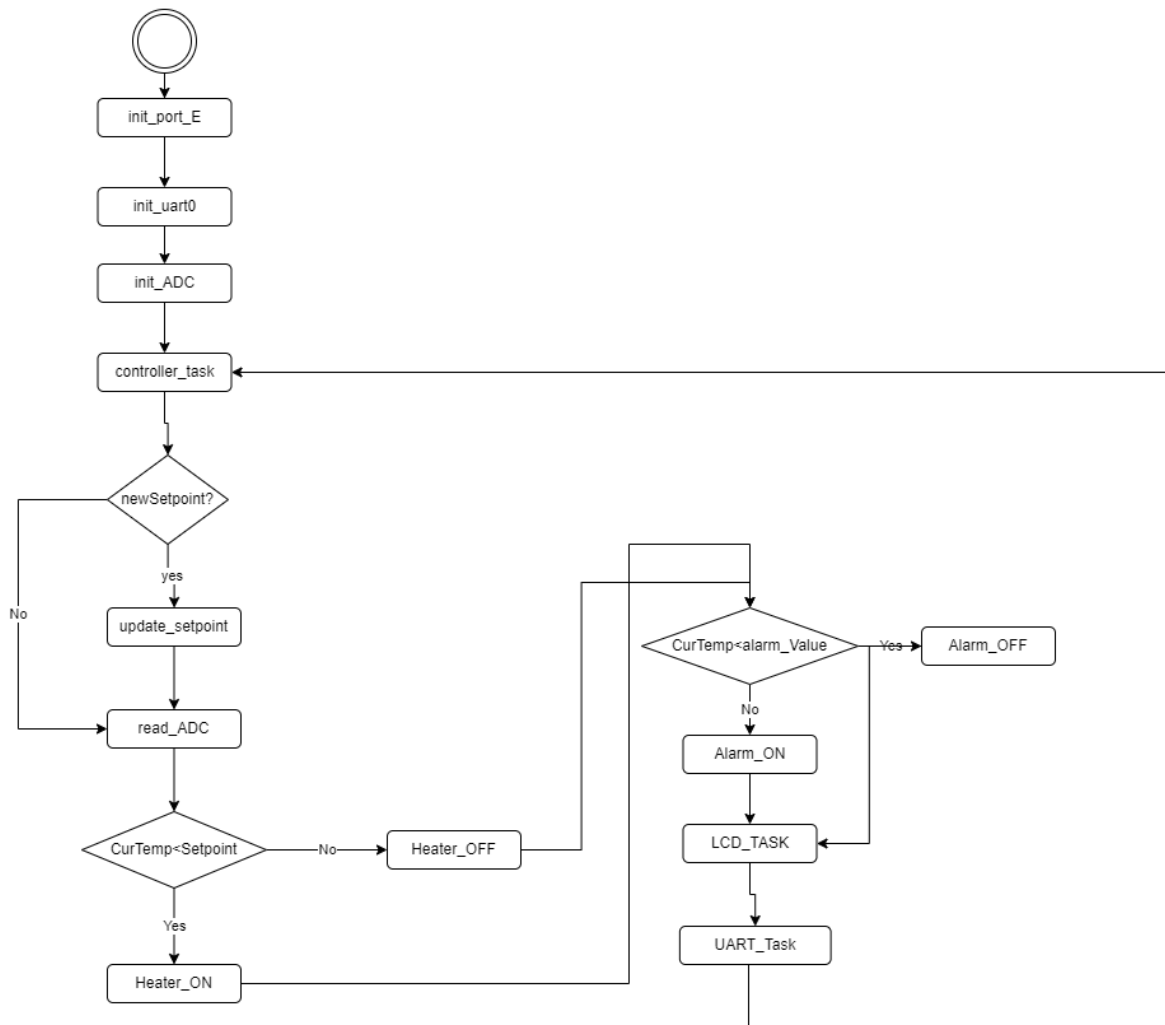
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# System Flow chart

The following flow chart represents the system in the simplest way.

We focus function callings and main conditions in the system as representing the whole system in a flow chart is impossible, so some implementation details are removed from the flow chart for simplicity and in the next chapter we will discuss our implementation in much more details.



# Functions

## API functions

```
1  /// Board Functions Prototype //////////////////////////////////////
2  void init_port_E(void);
3  void init_uart_0(void);
4  void init_ADC(void);
5  void set_pin_high(uint32_t);
6  void set_pin_low(uint32_t);
7
8  /// Utility Functions Prototype //////////////////////////////////////
9  uint32_t read_ADC(void);
10
11 uint8_t turn_heater_on(void);
12 uint8_t turn_heater_off(void);
13
14 uint8_t turn_alarm_on(void);
15 uint8_t turn_alarm_off(void);
16
17 void double_to_char_array(double, char [5]);
18 int32_t is_numeric(uint32_t);
19 bool acceptable_range(uint8_t value);
20
21
22 /// Task Function Prototype //////////////////////////////////////
23 void controller_Task(void *parameter);
24 void UART_Task      (void *parameter);
25 void LCD_Task       (void *parameter);
```

## Functions Descriptions

Define prototypes for all used functions and data structures in our system.

## Board functions

Void init\_port\_E(void);

```
1 ////////////////////////////////////////////////// Board Functions Implementation ////////////////////////////////////////////
2 //////////////////////////////////////////////////
3
4 void init_port_E(void){
5     SysCtlPeripheralEnable(SYSCTL_PERIPH_GPIOE);           // gate clock to port E
6     while(! SysCtlPeripheralReady(SYSCTL_PERIPH_GPIOE));    // wait for clock to reach port E
7
8     GPIOPinTypeGPIOOutput(GPIO_PORTE_BASE, HEATER_PIN | ALARM_PIN); // Configure heater pin and alarm pin as outputs
9     GPIOPinTypeADC(GPIO_PORTE_BASE, ADC_PIN);               // Configure pin as ADC pin
10 }
11 //
```

### Function Description:

This function is the init of port E and it starts by gating clock to port E then it waits for clock to reach port E. We configure the heater pin and alarm pin as outputs and then we configure the pin as ADC pin.

Void init\_uart\_0\_E(void)

```
1 void init_uart_0(){
2     SysCtlPeripheralEnable(SYSCTL_PERIPH_GPIOA);           // Gate clock to GPIO Port A
3     while(!SysCtlPeripheralReady(SYSCTL_PERIPH_GPIOA));    // Wait for GPIO Port A to be stable
4
5     GPIOPinConfigure(GPIO_PA1_U0TX);                       // Configure GPIO Port A Pin 1 as UART0 Transmitter
6     GPIOPinTypeUART(GPIO_PORTA_BASE, GPIO_PIN_1);         // Set GPIO Port A Pin 1 alternate function to UART
7
8     GPIOPinConfigure(GPIO_PA0_U0RX);                       // Configure GPIO Port A Pin 0 as UART0 Receiver
9     GPIOPinTypeUART(GPIO_PORTA_BASE, GPIO_PIN_0);         // Set GPIO Port A Pin 0 alternate function to UART
10
11     SysCtlPeripheralEnable(SYSCTL_PERIPH_UART0);           // Gate clock to UART0
12     while(!SysCtlPeripheralReady(SYSCTL_PERIPH_UART0));    // Wait for UART0 to be stable
13
14     UARTDisable(UART0_BASE);                               // Disable UART0
15     UARTConfigSetExpClk(UART0_BASE, SysCtlClockGet(), 9600, (UART_CONFIG_WLEN_8 | UART_CONFIG_STOP_ONE | UART_CONFIG_PAR_NONE));
16     // Configure UART0 with system clock, Baud rate of 9600, 8 bits, stop bit is 1,
17     // and no parity bit
18
19     UARTEnable(UART0_BASE);                                 // Enable UART 0
20 }
```

### Function Description:

This is the init of uart0 and it starts by gating the clock to GPIO port A and then wait for GPIO port A to be stable. We start configuring the GPIO port A pin 1 as UART0 transmitter. We set the GPIO port A pin 1 alternate function to UART. We start configuring port A pin 0 as UART receiver and set its alternate function to UART. We gate clock to UART0 and wait for it to be stable the disable it and configure the UART0 with system clock and the baud rate of 9600, 8 bits, stop bit is 1 and no parity bit. Finally we enable UART A.

Void set\_pin\_high(uint32\_t) and set\_pin\_low(uint32\_t);

```
1 void set_pin_high(uint32_t pin){
2     GPIOPinWrite(GPIO_PORTE_BASE, pin, pin);
3 }
4 //
5
6
7 void set_pin_low(uint32_t pin){
8     GPIOPinWrite(GPIO_PORTE_BASE, pin, 0);
9 }
```

Function Description:

First function we set a given pin high and second function we set a given pin low.

init\_ADC(void)

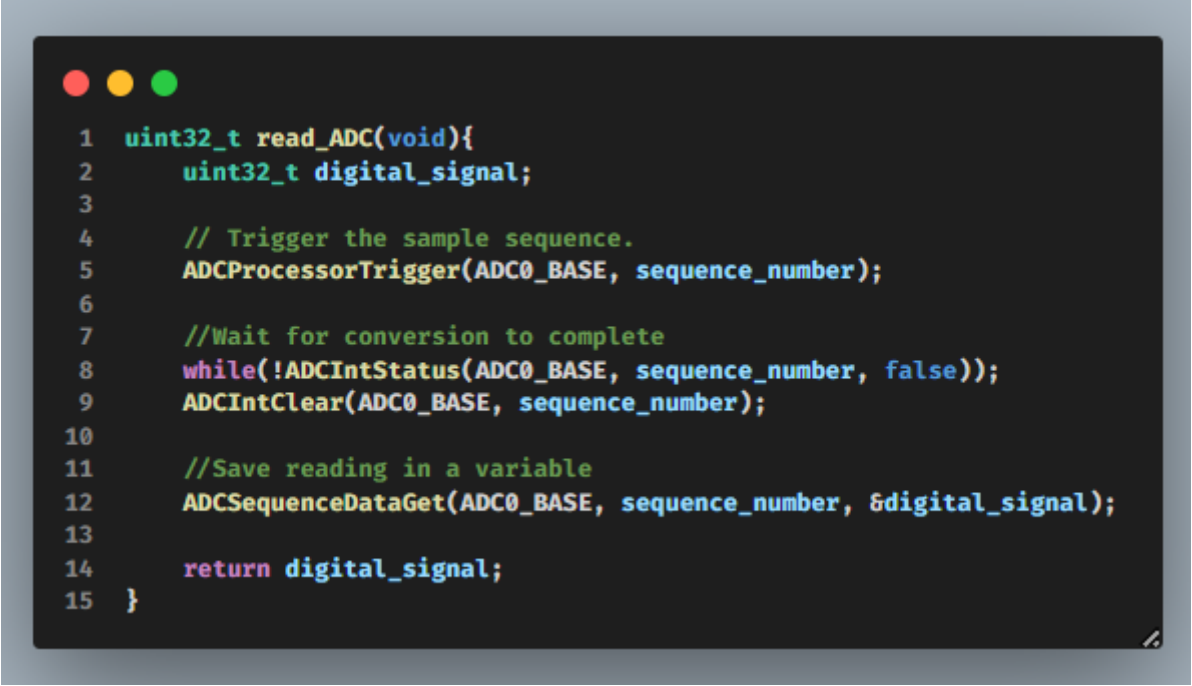
```
1 void init_ADC(void){
2     SysCtlPeripheralEnable(SYSCTL_PERIPH_ADC0);           // Gate clock to ADC0
3     while(!SysCtlPeripheralReady(SYSCTL_PERIPH_ADC0));    // Wait for ADC0 to be stable
4
5     ADCSequenceDisable(ADC0_BASE, sequence_number);        // Disable ADC0
6     ADCHardwareOversampleConfigure(ADC0_BASE, 64);         // Oversampling improves ADC accuracy by taking the average of multiple samples
7
8     ADCSequenceConfigure(ADC0_BASE, sequence_number, ADC_TRIGGER_PROCESSOR, 0); // ADC0 will be triggered by the processor
9     ADCSequenceStepConfigure(ADC0_BASE, sequence_number, 0, ADC_CTL_IE | ADC_CTL_END | ADC_CTL_CH0); // more configuration
10
11     ADCSequenceEnable(ADC0_BASE, sequence_number);         // Enable ADC0
12 }
```

Function Description:

This function is the init of the ADC as we start we gate clock to ADC0 then we wait for ADC0 to be stable. Once it is stable we disable the ADC0 and then we do oversampling to improve ADC accuracy by taking the average of multiple samples. ADC0 the will be triggered by the processor, after more configuration we enable ADC0.

## Utility functions

```
uint32_t read_ADC(void);
```




```
1  uint32_t read_ADC(void){
2      uint32_t digital_signal;
3
4      // Trigger the sample sequence.
5      ADCProcessorTrigger(ADC0_BASE, sequence_number);
6
7      //Wait for conversion to complete
8      while(!ADCIntStatus(ADC0_BASE, sequence_number, false));
9      ADCIntClear(ADC0_BASE, sequence_number);
10
11     //Save reading in a variable
12     ADCSequenceDataGet(ADC0_BASE, sequence_number, &digital_signal);
13
14     return digital_signal;
15 }
```

Function Description:

This function reads ADC and starts by triggering the sample sequence then wait for conversion to complete and then finally save the reading in a variable.

```
uint8_t turn_heater_on(void);
```

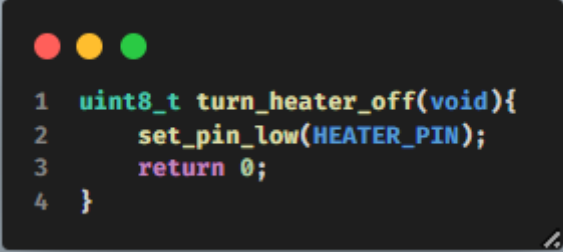


```
1  uint8_t turn_heater_on(void){
2      set_pin_high(HEATER_PIN);
3      return 1;
4  }
5  //
```

Function description:

This function turns the heater on by setting the heater pin high.

```
uint8_t turn_heater_off(void);
```

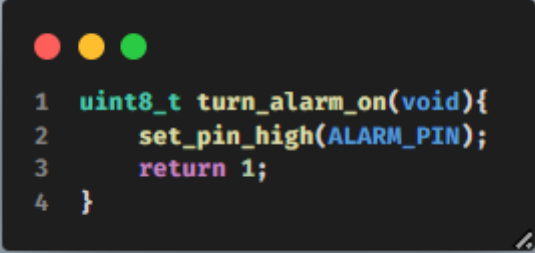


```
1 uint8_t turn_heater_off(void){  
2     set_pin_low(HEATER_PIN);  
3     return 0;  
4 }
```

Function Description:

This function turns the heater off by setting the heater pin low.

```
uint8_t turn_alarm_on(void);
```

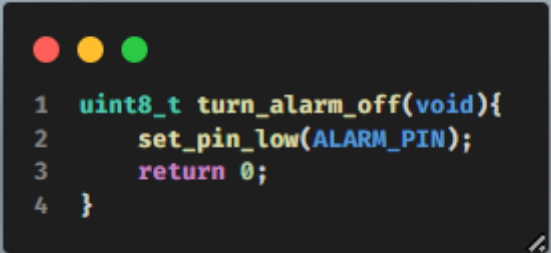


```
1 uint8_t turn_alarm_on(void){  
2     set_pin_high(ALARM_PIN);  
3     return 1;  
4 }
```

Function Description:

This function turns the alarm on by setting the alarm pin high.

```
uint8_t turn_alarm_off(void);
```



```
1 uint8_t turn_alarm_off(void){  
2     set_pin_low(ALARM_PIN);  
3     return 0;  
4 }
```

Function Description:

This function turns the alarm off by setting the alarm pin low.



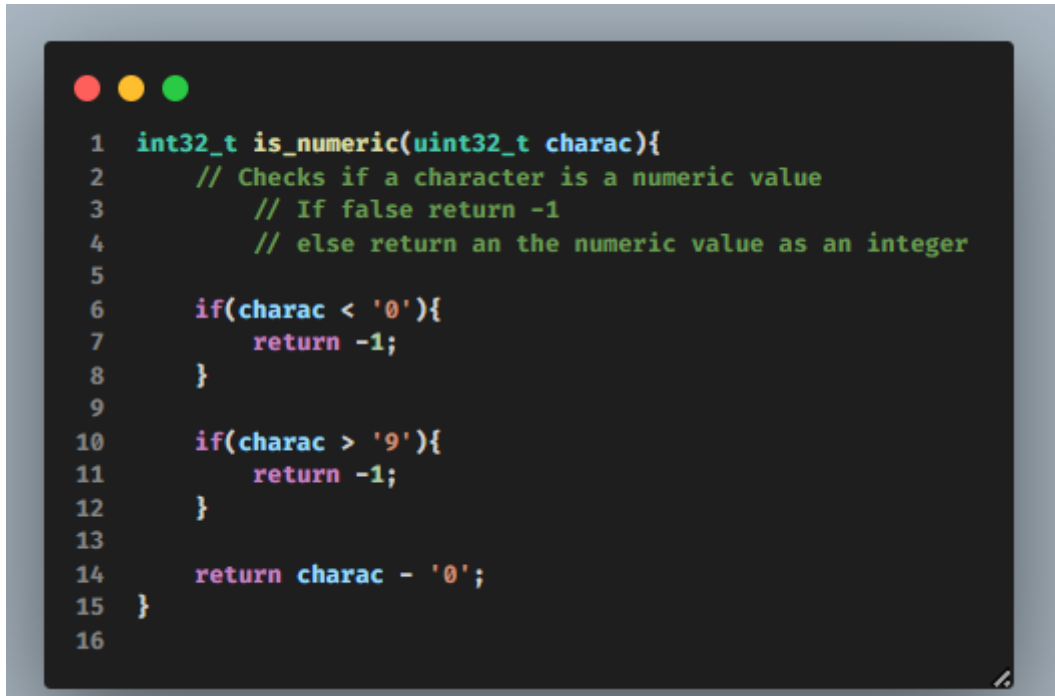
```
void double_to_char_array(double, char [5]);
```

```
1 void double_to_char_array(double digits, char digits_arr[5]){
2     // Convert a a double to an array of characters, each digit is an element
3     // used to convert the current temperature from the controller task
4     // to a character array to be displayed by the LCD
5     // by add the integer value of the digit to ascii '0' to convert it to char
6
7     int integer_part = (int) digits;
8     float decimal_part = digits - (double)(int) digits;    // x.y - x.0 = 0.y
9
10    digits_arr[1] = '0' + integer_part % 10;                // Tens digit
11    integer_part /= 10;
12    digits_arr[0] = '0' + integer_part % 10;                // Ones digit
13
14    digits_arr[2] = '.';                                     // Add decimal point
15
16    decimal_part *= 10;
17    digits_arr[3] = '0' + (int) decimal_part % 10;          // Tenths digit
18    decimal_part *= 10;
19    digits_arr[4] = '0' + (int) decimal_part % 10;          // Hundredths digit
20 }
```

#### Function Description:

This function double to char array takes two parameters that is digits and digits array. The function convert a double to an array of characters, each digit is an element used to convert the current temperature from the controller task to a character array to be displayed by the LCD by adding the integer value of the digit to ascii '0' to convert it to char. This function starts by the following  $x.y - x.0 = 0.y$  then we tens digit, ones digit, add decimal point, tenths digit, and finally hundredths digit.

```
int32_t is_numeric(uint32_t);
```

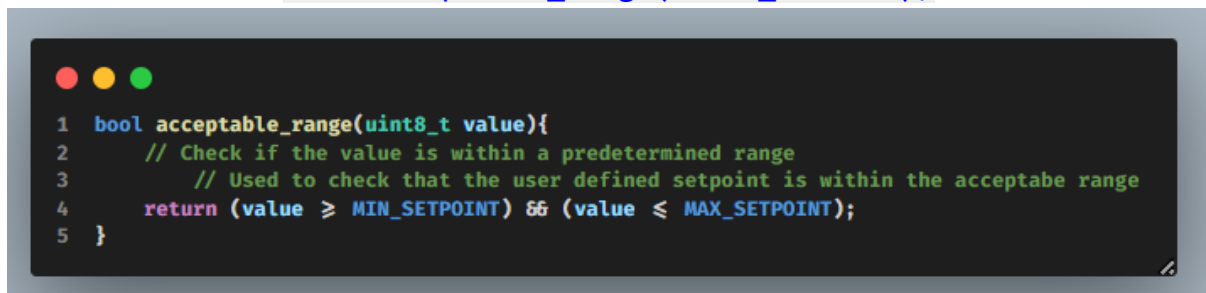


```
1  int32_t is_numeric(uint32_t charac){
2      // Checks if a character is a numeric value
3      // If false return -1
4      // else return an the numeric value as an integer
5
6      if(charac < '0'){
7          return -1;
8      }
9
10     if(charac > '9'){
11         return -1;
12     }
13
14     return charac - '0';
15 }
16
```

Function Description:

This function is numeric checks if a character is a numeric value and if false return -1 else return the numeric value as an integer.

```
bool acceptable_range(uint8_t value);
```



```
1  bool acceptable_range(uint8_t value){
2      // Check if the value is within a predetermined range
3      // Used to check that the user defined setpoint is within the acceptable range
4      return (value ≥ MIN_SETPOINT) && (value ≤ MAX_SETPOINT);
5  }
```

Function Description:

This function acceptable\_range checks if the value is within a predetermined range then used to check that the user defined setpoint is within the acceptable range.

# Task Functions

```
void controller_Task(void *parameter);
```

```
1 void controller_Task(void *parameter){
2
3     // Message sent between contrller task and LCD task
4     typedef struct Message{
5         char setpoint[5];           // holds 4 digits and a decimal point
6         char current[5];           // holds 4 digits and a decimal point
7     } Message;
8
9     Message message_LCD;
10
11     queue_UART = xQueueCreate(1, sizeof(uint32_t)); // UART Queue to send user defined setpoint from UART FIFO to Cotnroller Task
12     queue_LCD = xQueueCreate(1, sizeof(Message)); // LCD queue to send current temperature and setpoint to LCD Display
13
14     double current_temp;
15     uint32_t digital_signal; // Digital signal received from ADC
16
17     uint32_t setpoint_temp = 30;
18     uint32_t alarm_value = setpoint_temp + 10;
19
20     uint32_t heater_is_on = 0; // Flag to indicate that the heater is already on
21     uint8_t alarm_is_on = 0; // Flag to indicate that the alarm is already on
22     BaseType_t receive_status;
23
24
25     while (1)
26     {
27         receive_status = xQueueReceive(queue_UART, &setpoint_temp, 0); // Nonblocking call to reseive from UART queue
28
29         if(receive_status == pdTRUE){ // If value was received from queue update
30             alarm_value = setpoint_temp + 10;
31             if((setpoint_temp + 10) > 75){ // setpoint_temp cannot exceed 75
32                 alarm_value = 75;
33             }
34         }
35
36         double_to_char_array(current_temp, message_LCD.current); // Fill message to be sent to LCD
37         double_to_char_array(setpoint_temp, message_LCD.setpoint); // Fill message to be sent to LCD
38         xQueueOverwrite(queue_LCD, &message_LCD); // Overwrite old value in LCD queue
39
40
41         digital_signal = read_ADC(); // Read digital value from ADC
42         current_temp = (double)((double) digital_signal / 2047.5) + 1) * 25; // Calculate current temperature
43
44         // Check if current temperature is above setpoint and heater is on
45         if ((current_temp > (setpoint_temp + 0.5)) && (heater_is_on)){ // Adding 0.5 for stability
46             heater_is_on = turn_heater_off();
47         }
48         // Check if current temperature is below setpoint and heater is off
49         else if ((current_temp < (setpoint_temp - 0.5)) && !(heater_is_on)){ // Adding 0.5 for stability
50             heater_is_on = turn_heater_on();
51         }
52
53         // Check if current temperature is above alarm value and alarm is off
54         if ((current_temp > (alarm_value + 0.5)) && !(alarm_is_on)){
55             alarm_is_on = turn_alarm_on();
56         }
57         // Check if current temperature is below alarm value and alarm is on
58         else if ((current_temp < (alarm_value - 0.5)) && (alarm_is_on)){
59             alarm_is_on = turn_alarm_off();
60         }
61
62         taskYIELD(); // Leave processor for other tasks
63     }
64 };
65
66
```

## Function Description:

The controller task is the main task in our system, it is responsible for implementing the ON-OFF control system by controlling the heater, it first checks if the user requested a change in the setpoint temperature if so it updates it, it then uses the ADC to read the current temperature of the environment and based on the current value it controls the heater, also it is responsible for alerting the user if the system is overheating, our definition of over heating is if the current temperature exceeds the set point by 10 degrees. If so the system turns a buzzer on to alert the user.

```
void UART_Task(void *parameter);
```

```

1 void UART_Task(void *parameter){
2     char * message_ptr;
3
4     uint8_t input;           // User input char
5     int8_t digit_1 = -1;    // first digit
6     int8_t digit_2 = -1;    // second digit
7
8     TickType_t start_ticks;  // Start of UART task time slice in ticks
9     TickType_t current_ticks; // Current ticks
10    uint32_t UART_time_slice_ticks; // UART time slice in ticks
11
12    uint8_t new_setpoint;     // New setpoint from user if valid
13
14    while (1){
15        xSemaphoreTake(putty_mutex, portMAX_DELAY); // Take mutex to write on putty
16
17        start_ticks = xTaskGetTickCount(); // Save start of time slice
18        current_ticks = xTaskGetTickCount(); // Save current ticks
19        UART_time_slice_ticks = \
20        UART_TIME_SLICE_MS/portTICK_RATE_MS; // Calculate UART task time slice in ticks from milliseconds
21
22        UARTFIFOEnable(UART0_BASE); // Enable FIFO to clear old input
23
24        digit_1 = -1; // Reset to default
25        digit_2 = -1; // Reset to default
26
27        while(UARTBusy(UART0_BASE)); // UART 0 transmitter is sending
28
29        // UART task message start
30        message_ptr =
31        "\r\n\
32        \r\t\t----- Update -----\
33        \r\n";
34        while(*message_ptr != 0){
35            UARTCharPut(UART0_BASE, *message_ptr); // Put char in UART0 transmitter FIFO
36            message_ptr++; // Move to next char in message
37        }
38
39        message_ptr =
40        "If you wish to update the temperature setpoint\r\n\
41        \rPlease enter 2 digits between 27 and 68\r\n\
42        \rThen hit the enter key to confirm.\r\n\
43        \rNew Setpoint Value: ";
44        while(*message_ptr != 0){
45            UARTCharPut(UART0_BASE, *message_ptr);
46            message_ptr++;
47        }
48
49
50        message_ptr = "";
51        while(UARTCharsAvail(UART0_BASE)){ // Loop if UART0 receiver is not empty
52            UARTCharGetNonBlocking(UART0_BASE); // Read FIFO to empty FIFO and discard garbage input
53        }
54    }

```

The responsibilities of this function is

1. Display prompt to the user to input new setpoint
2. Take input from the user as char
3. Convert the input from char format to an integer
4. Pass the user input in integer format to the controller task
5. Repeat procedure every 5 seconds

```

55 // Loop for time slice duration
56 while((current_ticks - start_ticks) < UART_time_slice_ticks){
57     while(UARTCharsAvail(UART0_BASE)){ // Loop if UART0 receiver FIFO is not empty
58         input = UARTCharGetNonBlocking(UART0_BASE); // Get char from UART0 receiver FIFO
59         UARTCharPut(UART0_BASE, input); // Display user input for UX
60
61         if(digit_1 == -1){ // If digit is not valid
62             digit_1 = is_numeric(input); // update digit
63         }
64         else if(digit_2 == -1){
65             digit_2 = is_numeric(input);
66         }
67         else if(input == '\r'){ // If user hits enter calculate new_setpoint
68             new_setpoint = digit_1 * 10 + digit_2; // calculate new_setpoint from digits
69
70             if(acceptable_range(new_setpoint)){ // New setpoint is within acceptable range
71                 xQueueSendToBack(queue_UART, &new_setpoint, 0); // Send new setpoint to controller task
72                 UARTFIFODisable(UART0_BASE); // Stop receiving input
73                 message_ptr =
74                     "\r\n\
75                     \r\n\
76                     \r\t\tSetpoint Set";
77             }
78             else{
79                 message_ptr =
80                     "\r\n\
81                     \r\n\
82                     \r\t\tInvalid Input";
83             }
84         }
85     }
86
87     current_ticks = xTaskGetTickCount(); // Update current ticks
88 }
89
90 UARTFIFOEnable(UART0_BASE); // Enable FIFO to print messages
91
92 while(*message_ptr != 0){
93     UARTCharPut(UART0_BASE, *message_ptr);
94     message_ptr++;
95 }
96
97 // UART message end
98 message_ptr =
99     "\r\n\
100     \r\t\t-----\
101     \r\n";
102 while(*message_ptr != 0){
103     UARTCharPut(UART0_BASE, *message_ptr);
104     message_ptr++;
105 }
106
107 xSemaphoreGive(putty_mutex); // Give mutex
108 vTaskDelay(UART_TIME_SLICE_MS/portTICK_RATE_MS); // Block UART for time period
109 }
110 }
111

```

### Function Description:

This function takes mutex to write on putty and save the start of a time slice and the current takes. It then calculates the UART task time slice in ticks. After that the function enables the FIFO to clear the old output. The function then loops if the UART receiver is not empty and reads the FIFO to make it empty and discard garbage input, and it will update the digit if it is only valid.

If the user hit enter calculate new\_setpoint and if it was within the acceptable range, it will be set to controller task and it will stop receiving input. At the end, it will give the mutex and it will block the UART for a time period.

```
void LCD_Task(void *parameter);
```

```
1 void LCD_Task(void *parameter){
2     typedef struct message{
3         char setpoint[5];
4         char current[5];
5     } Message;
6
7     Message controller_message;
8
9     while (1){
10        xQueueReceive(queue_LCD, &controller_message, portMAX_DELAY);    // Receive message from queue
11        xSemaphoreTake(putty_mutex, portMAX_DELAY);    // Take mutex to write on putty
12        while(UARTBusy(UART0_BASE));    // If UART0 transmitter is sending
13
14        char * message_ptr =
15            "\r\n\
16            \r\t\t----- LCD ----- \
17            \r\n";
18        while(*message_ptr != 0){
19            UARTCharPut(UART0_BASE, *message_ptr);    // Put char on UART0 transmitter FIFO
20            message_ptr++;
21        }
22
23        // Display current setpoint
24        message_ptr = "Setpoint temperature: ";
25        while(*message_ptr != 0){
26            UARTCharPut(UART0_BASE, *message_ptr);
27            message_ptr++;
28        }
29
30
31        for(int i=0; i<5; i++){
32            UARTCharPut(UART0_BASE, controller_message.setpoint[i]);
33        }
34
35        // Display current temperature
36        message_ptr =
37            "\r\n\
38            \rCurrent temperature: ";
39        while(*message_ptr != 0){
40            UARTCharPut(UART0_BASE, *message_ptr);
41            message_ptr++;
42        }
43
44        for(int i=0; i<5; i++){
45            UARTCharPut(UART0_BASE, controller_message.current[i]);
46        }
47
48        // LCD Message END
49        message_ptr =
50            "\r\n\
51            \r\t\t----- \
52            \r\n";
53        while(*message_ptr != 0){
54            UARTCharPut(UART0_BASE, *message_ptr);
55            message_ptr++;
56        }
57
58        xSemaphoreGive(putty_mutex);    // Give Mutex
59        vTaskDelay(1000/portTICK_RATE_MS);    // Block for 1000ms
60    }
61 };
```

#### Function Description:

This function simply receive a message from the queue and make the mutex write on putty in the condition that UART0 transmitter is sending. The function then put a char0 on URAT0 transmitter's FIFO and display the setpoint, current temperature and the mutex is given back and the function block for one second.