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Lab 6

I2C SRAM

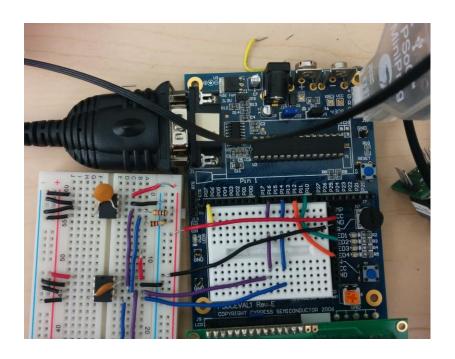
The purpose of this lab was for us to gain familiarity with the I2C protocol as well as how to use it to communicate with our two PCF8570 SRAM chips. The lab consisted of us asking the user to enter read and write commands in a certain format over the RS232 interface. The commands consists of R/W character as well as a slave address to determine which SRAM chip your writing to and a Memory chip address to tell SRAM what memory cell address you want to begin writing or reading to. Our commands also give the option to either write or read ASCII or hexadecimal characters

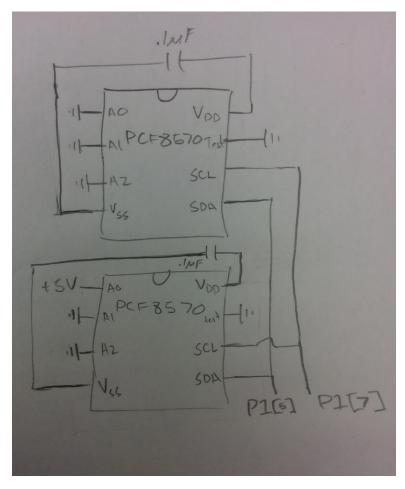
### Parts Needed:

- 1- PSoC Microcontroller
- 1- DB-9 to DB-9 cable or DB-9 to USB serial cable
- 2- PCF8570 SRAM chips
- 2- .1μF ceramic capacitor

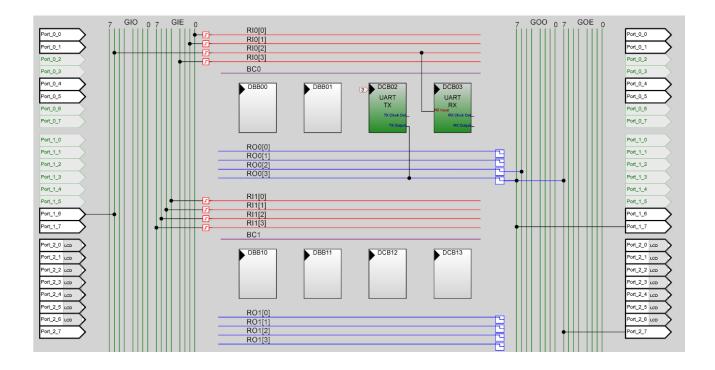
### Hardware/Pin-Out Configuration:

After hooking your PSoC up with your computer you need to wire your SRAM chips to your PSoC. This involves setting your group two address with the three address pins on your SRAM chip. These three pins can be set to any combination of power and ground as long as the two are different (its preferred to set one to 000 and the other to 001). Next tie your power and ground pins to power and ground (pins 4 and 8 respectively) and also tie the test pin (#7) to ground. Next you want to connect your SCL and SDA I2C line's to your PSoC they go into port one pin five and port one pin seven respectively. After that you want to add your .1µF ceramic decupling capacitor to each chip, they should be placed in between the power and ground pins, and there leads should be cut as short as possible to reduce noise.

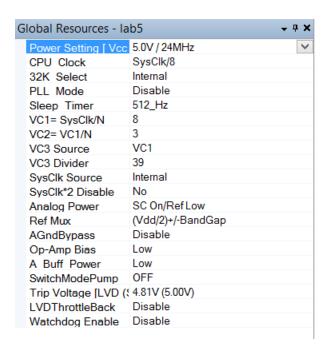




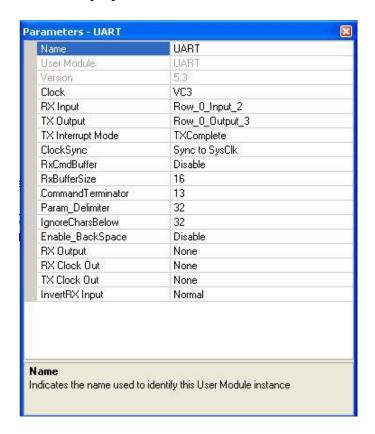
Now you're ready to create your project, clone the previous project to inherit all the UART setting and configuration. If you chose not to clone the previous be sure to assign your PSoC port 1 pin 6 (P1[8]) to the UART's RX line and port 1 pin 7 (P1[7]) to the UART's TX line, also change the variable names at those pins. This allows you to view the binary bit streams you're sending and receiving from your PSoC. This can be done from the chip level view of your project by shift-clicking on the UART modules outputs and assigning them to the appropriate pins. Below is how the chip level view of your project should look.



Next you need to configure a clock source to drive the UART. Since the required baud rate is 9600 we need to set our source clock to three times that (76,800Hz). In the UART data sheet we discovered the best way to do this was to divide the system clock by 8 and 39 and set it to VC3 as shown below:



Next you need to change the properties of your UART module to make sure everything's configured properly. The clock should be set to VC3 and the RxCmdBuffer should be disabled the UART properties window should look like this:



Next you should make sure your LCD is set to port two through its module properties.

The Real Term software used in interface with the UART needs to configured with its Baud rate set to 9600 and its port set 1 if your UART is connected to COMA or COM1 or set to port 2 if its connect to COMB or COM2.

Next you'll set the CPU system clock to SysClk/1 then you'll have to add an I2C system module to the chip level view (however the module does not use a digital block so it's not visible) of your project in order to use the appropriate functions from the API. Refer to the tables below to confirm your settings:

<b>User Module</b> User Module nar	ne.		
Pinout - lab5			
⊕ P0[0]	Port_0_0, StdCPU, High Z Analog, DisableInt, 0		
	Port_0_1, StdCPU, High Z Analog, DisableInt, 0		
⊕ P0[2]	Port_0_2, StdCPU, High Z Analog, DisableInt, 0		
	Port_0_3, StdCPU, High Z Analog, DisableInt, 0		
	Port_0_4, StdCPU, High Z Analog, DisableInt, 0		
	Port_0_5, StdCPU, High Z Analog, DisableInt, 0		
	Port_0_6, StdCPU, High Z Analog, DisableInt, 0		
	Port_0_7, StdCPU, High Z Analog, DisableInt, 0		
₱ P1[0]	Port_1_0, StdCPU, High Z Analog, DisableInt, 0		
₱ P1[1]	Port_1_1, StdCPU, High Z Analog, DisableInt, 0		
₱ P1[2]	Port_1_2, StdCPU, High Z Analog, DisableInt, 0		
₱ P1[3]	Port_1_3, StdCPU, High Z Analog, DisableInt, 0		
₱ P1[4]	Port_1_4, StdCPU, High Z Analog, DisableInt, 0		
₽1[5]	I2CHWSDA, I2C SDA, Open Drain Low, DisableInt, 1		
₱ P1[6]	Port_1_6, GlobalInOdd_6, High Z, DisableInt, 0		
₱ P1[7]	I2CHWSCL, I2C SCL, Open Drain Low, DisableInt, 1		
	LCDD4, StdCPU, Strong, DisableInt, 0		
	LCDD5, StdCPU, Strong, DisableInt, 0	Parameters - I2CHW	
	LCDD6, StdCPU, Strong, DisableInt, 0	Name	I2CHW
	LCDD7, StdCPU, Strong, DisableInt, 0	User Module	I2CHW
	LCDE, StdCPU, Strong, DisableInt, 0	Version	2.00
	LCDRS, StdCPU, Strong, DisableInt, 0	Read_Buffer_Types	RAM ONLY
	LCDRW, StdCPU, Strong, DisableInt, 0	I2C Clock	100K Standard
	Port_2_7, GlobalOutEven_7, Strong, DisableInt, 0	I2C Pin	P[1]5-P[1]7

# **Software Description:**

After configuring the pin-out settings, chip level settings and the real term settings you're ready to write your program. All your variables, pointers and constant strings should be declared globally above your main method. Your main method should initialize your strings to null as well as start you UART and set its parity to none as well as all other I2C startup functions. From there your program should print your initial message (asking if they want to R/W) to the UART's console and read in the character they input, then the program should enter an infinite while loop. You're infinite while loop calls the instruction function, read string and parse string function over and over again so the user can continuously read and write without restarting the program. The read function reads the entire string written by the user and prepares it to be parsed. The parse function assignees variables to prepare them to be written to RAM. The R/W character choices which parse is going to take place the slave address determines which ram chip will by assigned to the read and wright I2C functions. The address in should be loaded to the first bytes in the array and data in the string should loaded in the array byte by byte in order to write them to RAM.

### CODE:

```
#include "I2CHWMstr.h"
//char register [7];
//strings to read in and parse
char string0[17];
char string1[17];
char string2[17];
char string3[17];
//ram address vaibles
char RorW address;
char RorW address1;
char RorW address2;
//global array's and vairbles
char address[2];
char messageString[79];
int parseCounter=0;
int stringSize=0;
int readSize=0;
int addressInt=0;
char addressHex;
int i;
char sizeOfString;
//system control flags
BOOL hexOrAscii = FALSE;
BOOL finishFlag = FALSE;
BOOL invaildFlag = FALSE;
BOOL readOrWrite = FALSE;
BOOL firstPass = TRUE;
/* Define slave address */
#define Ram1 0x50
\#define Ram2 0x51 //NOTE:1 may need to be changed to a 2 to make room for
the R/W bit
char ramForUse = 0x00;
/* Define buffer size */
#define BUFFER SIZE 0xFF
//read and write byte buffer arrays
BYTE txBuffer[BUFFER SIZE];
BYTE rxBuffer[BUFFER SIZE];
BYTE status;
BYTE* Address Pointer;
//BYTE* Write Address Pointer;
BYTE Read Address = 0x01;
BYTE Write Address = 0x01;
char charIn = ' \setminus 0';
```

```
char charIn1= '\0';
char charIn2= '\0';
char charIn3= '\0';
char charIn4= '\0';
char instBuffer= '\0';
int placeCounter = 0;
int count;
char rawString[79];
const char welcomeMsg[] = "Welcome.";
//"W # XX A Mary had a little lamb"
//function prototypes
void startFunction(void);
void readFunction(void);
void stringParser(int placeCounter);
void instructions(void);
void readFromRam(void);
void writeToRam(void);
char asciiToHex(char addressByte);
void main(void)
//Enable Interupt calls and start LCD function call
// I2CHW Start();
12CHW EnableMstr();
M8C EnableGInt;
I2CHW EnableInt();
LCD Start();
UART Start (UART PARITY NONE);
i = 0;
//I2CHW InitRamRead(txBuffer, BUFFER SIZE);
//Write Address = 0x00;
//Read Address = 0x00;
// assign buffer values to write to RAM
txBuffer[0] = 0x00;
txBuffer[1] = 0x51;
txBuffer[2] = 0x33;
txBuffer[3] = 0x55;
txBuffer[4] = 0x33;
txBuffer[5] = 0x55;
txBuffer[6] = 0x33;
txBuffer[7] = 0x55;
//txBuffer[8] = 0x55;
// while to continuously write and read from RAM
```

```
startFunction();
while(count < 100)</pre>
writeToRam();
readFromRam();
count++;
11
                  if(!firstPass)
//
11
                  instructions();
11
11
11
                  readFunction();
//
                  stringParser(placeCounter);
//
11
                  if (invaildFlag)
11
//
                                     UART PutChar(0x07);
                          UART CPutString("This string was invalid");
//UART CPutString("Invalid flag is true");
//UART PutCRLF();
//UART CPutString(instructMsg);
                  }//end invalid flag if
11
                  else
//
11
                          //This is where the good I2c stuff goes
11
                          //Probably ought to write separate read and write
functions
                          //and switch on a flag set in stringParser()
//
11
11
                          if (readOrWrite)
11
// }//end if read
//else
// {
//}//end else
// }// end invalid if else statement
//firstPass=FALSE;//Allows instructions to print again
//invaildFlag=FALSE;//Resets validator
}//End while(1)
/// Outputting values written to ram
UART PutCRLF();
UART CPutString("Output from RAM: ");
UART PutCRLF();
UART PutChar(rxBuffer[0]);
UART PutCRLF();
UART PutChar(rxBuffer[1]);
UART PutCRLF();
```

```
UART PutChar(rxBuffer[2]);
UART PutCRLF();
UART PutChar(rxBuffer[3]);
UART PutCRLF();
UART PutChar(rxBuffer[4]);
UART PutCRLF();
UART PutChar(rxBuffer[5]);
UART PutCRLF();
UART PutChar(rxBuffer[6]);
UART PutCRLF();
UART PutChar(rxBuffer[7]);
/// Outputting values read from ram
UART PutCRLF();
UART CPutString("Bytes written to RAM: ");
UART PutCRLF();
UART CPutString("ram chip 1 , memory location 00");
UART PutCRLF();
UART PutChar(txBuffer[1]);
UART PutCRLF();
UART PutChar(txBuffer[2]);
UART PutCRLF();
UART PutChar(txBuffer[3]);
UART PutCRLF();
UART PutChar(txBuffer[4]);
UART PutCRLF();
UART PutChar(txBuffer[5]);
UART PutCRLF();
UART PutChar(txBuffer[6]);
UART PutCRLF();
UART PutChar(txBuffer[7]);
UART PutCRLF();
UART PutChar(txBuffer[8]);
} //End Main
void startFunction (void)
UART CPutString(welcomeMsg);
instructions();
}//end startFunction
//void readFunction (void)
//{
//
          placeCounter = 0;
//
          finishFlag= FALSE;
//
//
          while (!finishFlag) {
//
11
                  charIn = UART cReadChar();
11
                           while (charIn == 0x00) {charIn = UART cReadChar();}
//
                                   if (placeCounter<78) {</pre>
//
11
                               if (charIn == 0x0d) { //if carriage return
11
                                                    UART CPutString("\r\n");
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```
//
                                                     UART CPutString("\r\n");
//
                                                 finishFlag = TRUE;
//
                                        } //end if CR
                                                         //backspace
11
                                    else if ((charIn == 0x08 || charIn ==0x7f)
&& placeCounter > 0 ) { //if backspace
//
                                            placeCounter--;
//
                                            UART CPutString("\x8\x20\x8");
11
                                    } //end if backspace
11
                                    else {
//
                                                     rawString[placeCounter] =
charIn;
UART PutChar(rawString[placeCounter]);
//
                                                     placeCounter++;
//
                                            }// end else write into string
//
//
                                    } // end placeCounter if
//
                           else
//
//
//
                                            UART CPutString("String Full");
//
      UART PutChar(0x07);
//
                                            finishFlag = TRUE;
//
                                                         //addbell
//
11
//
          }//end while (~finsihFlag)
//
          finishFlag= FALSE ;
//
//}//end readFunction
//void stringParser(int parseCounter)
//{
//
      if (rawString[0] \ge 0x41 \&\& rawString[0] \le 0x5a) {
//
            rawString[0] = rawString[0] + 0x20;
//
//
          switch (rawString[0])//Determines if operation is read or write
11
          {
//
                   case 'r':
//
//
                   UART CPutString("read");
//
                   UART PutCRLF();
//
                   readOrWrite = TRUE;
//
//
//
//
                  break; //end case r
                   case 'w':
//
                   UART CPutString("write");
//
                   UART PutCRLF();
//
                   readOrWrite = FALSE;
//
                   break; //end case w
11
11
                   default:
```

```
//
                  invaildFlag = TRUE;
//
//
                  UART CPutString("r/w fail");
//
                  UART PutCRLF();
//
//
11
          }//end read/write switch
11
//
          switch (rawString[2])//determines RAM to be written to
//
                  case '0':
//
//
//
                  UART CPutString("ram 1");
//
                  UART PutCRLF();
//
                  ramForUse = Ram1;
//
//
                  break; //end case 0
//
//
                  case '1':
//
//
//
                  UART CPutString("ram 2");
//
                  UART PutCRLF();
//
                  ramForUse = Ram2;
//
//
                  break; //end case 1
//
//
                  default:
//
//
                  UART CPutString("ram fail");
11
                  UART PutCRLF();
//
                  invaildFlag = TRUE;
//
//
          }//end address switch
//
11
          //This writes the address to a string called 'address' and an int
'addressInt'
         //We need to make this check if the hex is valid
11
//
11
            RorW address1 = asciiToHex(rawString[4]);
11
            RorW address2 = asciiToHex(rawString[5]);
11
//
            RorW address1 = RorW address1 << 4;</pre>
//
            RorW address = RorW address1 + RorW address2;
//
//
          //Should change the 2 byte ascii address string into a one byte hex
address char
          //addressHex= asciiToHex(address[0])*16 + asciiToHex(address[1]);
//
//
//
           UART PutCRLF();
11
          UART CPutString("address: ");
11
          UART PutChar(RorW address);
//
          UART PutCRLF();
11
11
```

```
//
            if (rawString[7] \ge 0x41 \&\& rawString[7] \le 0x5a)
//
//
                   rawString[7] = rawString[7] + 0x20;
//
//
11
            switch (rawString[7])
11
//
//
                  case 'a':
//
//
                  UART CPutString("ascii");
//
                  hexOrAscii = FALSE;
//
                  UART PutCRLF();
//
//
                  break; //end case 0
//
//
                  case 'h':
//
//
                  UART CPutString("hex");
//
                  hexOrAscii = TRUE;
//
                  UART PutCRLF();
//
//
                  break; //end case 1
//
//
                  default:
//
                  UART CPutString("ascii/hex fail");
11
                   UART PutCRLF();
//
//
                   invaildFlag = TRUE;
//
//
          }//end ascii/hex switch
//
          parseCounter = 1;
11
11
          UART PutCRLF();
//
          UART CPutString("placeCounter set ");
11
          UART PutCRLF();
11
//
          messageString[0] = addressHex;
//
//
          while((parseCounter+8) < placeCounter)</pre>
11
          {
//
                  messageString[parseCounter] = rawString[(parseCounter+8)];
11
                  parseCounter++;
11
//
          }//end parseCounter while
//
//
            if( (parseCounter+8) == placeCounter) {
//
            messageString[placeCounter + 3] = '\0'; // something like this -
11
needs to be null terminated
//
      }
//
//
          UART PutString(messageString);
//
          UART PutCRLF();
//
          UART PutCRLF();
11
```

```
//
          placeCounter=0;
//
          parseCounter=0;
//
//
          stringSize = strlen(messageString);
//
          itoa(&sizeOfString, stringSize, 10);
11
//
          UART PutCRLF();
//
          UART PutString(&sizeOfString);
//
          UART PutCRLF();
//
//
          //Populate Write buffer
//
//
          //Address Pointer =
//
          //strcat(&address[0], &address[1]);
//
11
          //txBuffer[0] = address[0]; // is this assignment correct?
11
11
          for(i = 0; i <= stringSize; i++) {</pre>
//
                  txBuffer[i+1] = messageString[i];
//
11
          }//end for loop
//
11
11
//
          /// add Condition for spaces
//}//end stringParser
//user instruction print function
void instructions(void)
//const char instructMsg[] = "Type in the form we like (I swear I'll fix
this)";
//"W # XX A Mary had a little lamb"
UART CPutString ("Please state your request in the following format: ");
UART PutCRLF();
UART CPutString("$ # XX * Message");
UART PutCRLF();
UART CPutString("$: 'R' reads from a memory location/'W' writes to a memory
location");
UART PutCRLF();
UART CPutString("#: Group 2 address of Ram to be read from/written to ");
UART PutCRLF();
UART CPutString ("XX: Hex number indicating location in RAM memory to be read
from/written to");
UART PutCRLF();
UART CPutString("*: A for a string message in ASCII/ H for a set of Hex
numbers");
UART PutCRLF();
UART CPutString ("Message: Enter message of no longer than 79 characters
here");
```

```
UART PutCRLF();
UART CPutString ("Message should be a 2-byte Hex number if reading");
UART PutCRLF();
UART CPutString("Any deviations in this will result in an error. ");
UART PutCRLF();
UART CPutString(">");
}//end instructions
//Read Ram function to read hard coded addresses
void readFromRam(void)
//VVV From sample program in datasheet VVV
I2CHW fReadBytes(SLAVE ADDRESS, rxBuffer, BUFFER SIZE, I2CHW CompleteXfer);
// Wait until the data is read
while(!(I2CHW bReadI2CStatus() & I2CHW RD COMPLETE));
// Clear Read Complete Status bit
I2CHW ClrRdStatus();
//need to parse the message into HEX and set to readSize
I2CHW bWriteBytes (Ram1, 0x00, 1, I2CHW NoStop);
I2CHW fReadBytes(Ram1,rxBuffer, 8, I2CHW RepStart);
while(!(I2CHW bReadI2CStatus() & I2CHW RD COMPLETE));
I2CHW ClrRdStatus();
}//end readFromRam
//write Ram function to read hard coded addresses
void writeToRam(void)
//Write to RAM
I2CHW bWriteBytes(Ram1, txBuffer , 8, I2CHW CompleteXfer);
while(!(I2CHW bReadI2CStatus() & I2CHW WR COMPLETE));
I2CHW ClrWrStatus();
}//end writeToRam
//char asciiToHex(char addressByte)
//char asciiToHex(char addressByte)
11
11
//
//
         char output;
//
         BOOL lowerCase = FALSE;
11
```

```
//
//
            UART CPutString("staringAsciiToHex");
//
            UART PutCRLF();
11
//
            if(addressByte>= 0x41 && addressByte<= 0x5a)</pre>
//
//
//
                   UART CPutString("Lower case");
//
                   UART PutCRLF();
//
                   rawString[0] = rawString[0] + 0x20;
//
//
//
          if (addressByte \geq 0x30 && addressByte \leq 0x39) {
//
//
                                      UART CPutString("integer");
//
                                      UART PutCRLF();
//
                         /// Add conditional if
//
                           output = addressByte - 0x30;
//
//
             if (addressByte \geq 0x61 && addressByte \leq 0x66) {
//
//
                                      /// Add conditional if
//
                                      UART CPutString("Upper case");
11
                                      UART PutCRLF();
//
                           output = addressByte - 0x51;
//
//
////
            if (!(addressByte >= 0x30 && addressByte <= 0x39)&&
//! (addressByte >= 0x61 && addressByte <= 0x7a))
////
////
//////
                                invaildFlag=TRUE;
                         UART CPutString("Not valid Hex address");
//////
1/////
                               UART PutChar(0x07);
////
////
11
11
          return output;
//}//end asciiToHex
//end addressByte switch
//
          if (lowerCase)
//
//
                   switch (output)
//
                   {
//
                           case 'a':
//
//
                                    output = 0x61;
//
//
                           break;
//
//
                           case 'b':
11
11
                                    output = 0x62;
```

```
break;
                          case 'c':
                                  output = 0x63;
                          break;
                          case 'd':
                                  output = 0x64;
                          break;
                          case 'e':
                                  output = 0x65;
                          break;
                          case 'f':
                                   output = 0x66;
//
                          break;
//
                          default:
//end of switch output
// }//end if lowerCase
```

# Testing:

After the program is written is should be built and uploaded to the PSoC. Turn the Psoc on and go to the Real Term console and look for the initial message. If your program was written properly then it should work as described however we encountered problems while trying to properly parse the string and were not able to isolate the proper value's to upload to our buffers for reading and writing. But if the program worked properly it should look something like this:

```
### Rease state your request in the following format:

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### Rease from a memory location/"U" writes to a memory location

### Selects which RMM is written to. 1 or 2

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### Selects which RMM is written to in RMM memory to be read from/written to

### A for a string message in ASCII / H for a set of Hex numbers

### Message in the set of the numbers

### Message in the set of the numbers

### Message in this will result in an error.

### Write

### Pan 2

### A for a string was invalid

### Please state your request in the following format:

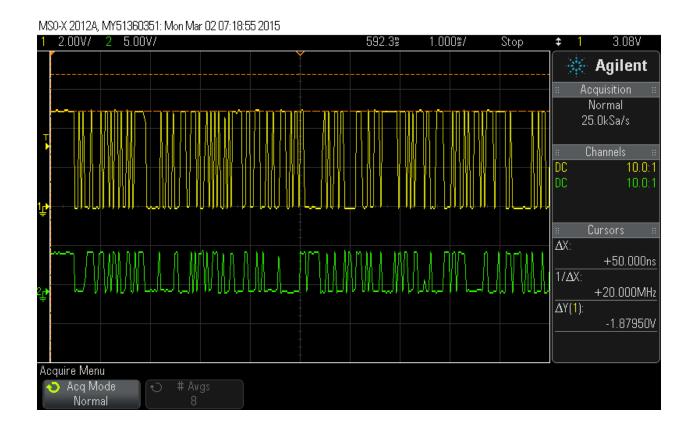
### ### ### ### Message

#### Message
```

To read and write and test your ram chip run the uncommented code above. This code will populate a write buffer with the values that are written to ram. After that it reads those values back. Below is a screen shot of how the UART realterm console window should look if ran poperly.

```
fMelcome.Please state your request in the following format:
$ # XX * Message
$: 'R' reads from a memory location/'W' writes to a memory location
#: Group 2 address of Ram to be read from/written to
XX: Hex number indicating location in RAM memory to be read from/written to
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XX: Hex number indicating location in RAM memory to be read from/written to
XX: Hex number indicating location in RAM memory to be read from/written to
XX: Hex number indicating location in RAM memory location in RAM
```

After checking the values on the console observe the two I2C signals on the osciloscope with your two probes and see if the protocol acts as expected. Between each byte you should see the start, R/W and Acknoledge bits you should also noticed how signals and synchronized to the clock. Below are Osciloscope screen shots of how our signals should look however we had a lot of noise while redoing this part to get the screenshots:













### Below are functions used from the LCD & UART data sheet's:

### I2CHW fWrite

### **Description:**

Sends a single-byte I<sup>2</sup>C bus write and ACK. This function does not generate a start or stop condition. This routine should ONLY be called when a previous start and address has been generated on the I2C bus. It should only be used when I2C\_BYTE\_COMPL is set in the I2C\_SCR register.

### C Prototype:

```
BYTE I2CHW_fWrite( BYTE bData );
Assembler:
```

```
mov A,[bRamData] ; Load data to send to slave
lcall I2CHW fWrite ; Initiate I2C write
```

#### Parameters:

bData: Byte to be sent to slave.

#### **Return Value:**

The return value is nonzero, if the slave acknowledged the master. The return value is zero, if the slave did not acknowledge the master. If the Slave failed to acknowledged the Master, the value of bStatus is 0xff.

# **Side Effects:**

The A and X registers may be modified by this or future implementations of this function. The same is true for all RAM page pointer registers in the Large Memory Model (CY8C29xxx). When necessary, it is the calling function's responsibility to preserve the values across calls to fastcall16 functions. Currently, only the CUR\_PP page pointer register is modified. The I2CHW interrupt is disabled if previously enabled.

### I2CHW bRead

### **Description:**

Initiates a single-byte I<sup>2</sup>C bus read and ACK phase. This function does not generate a start or stop condition. The fACK flag determines whether the slave is acknowledged upon receiving the data. This routine should ONLY be called when a previous start and address has been generated on the I2C bus. It should only be used when I2C\_BYTE\_COMPL is set in the I2C\_SCR register. If fACK is set, it should be followed by next I2CHW\_bRead call. To finish the read transaction Master should call this function with I2CHW\_NAKslave parameter.

### C Prototype:

Parameters:

```
BYTE I2CHW_bRead( BYTE fACK );

Assembler:

mov A,I2CHW_ACKslave ; Set flag to ACK slave ; Read single byte from slave ; Return data is in reg A
```

fACK: Set to I2CHW\_ACKslave if master should ACK the slave after receiving the data; otherwise, flag should be set to I2CHW\_NAKslave. In general, the ACK from master means request for the next data byte from the Slave. If set to I2CHW\_ACKslave, the master after receiving current data byte and ACKing will immediately clock in the next byte from the slave. This next byte will be returned the next time I2CHW\_bRead() is called. If set to I2CHW\_NAKslave, the master will only NAK the current byte and will not clock in a the next byte of data.

### **Return Value:**

Byte received from slave.

#### Side Effects:

The A and X registers may be modified by this or future implementations of this function. The same is true for all RAM page pointer registers in the Large Memory Model (CY8C29xxx). When necessary, it is the calling function's responsibility to preserve the values across calls to fastcall16 functions. Currently, only the CUR\_PP page pointer register is modified. The I2CHW interrupt is disabled if previously enabled.

### **UART\_Start**

# **Description:**

Sets the parity and enables the UART receiver and transmitter. When enabled, data can be received and transmitted.

### C Prototype:

```
void UART_Start(BYTE bParitySetting)
Assembly:
    mov A, UART_PARITY_NONE
```

# lcall UART\_Start

### Parameters:

bParitySetting: One byte that specifies the transmit parity. Symbolic names are given in C and assembly, and their associated values are listed in the following table:

TX Parity	Value
UART_PARITY_NONE	0x00
UART_PARITY_EVEN	0x02
UART_PARITY_ODD	0x06

### **Return Value:**

None

### **Side Effects:**

The A and X registers may be modified by this or future implementations of this function. The same is true for all RAM page pointer registers in the Large Memory Model (CY8C29xxx and CY8CLED16). When necessary, it is the calling function's responsibility to preserve the values across calls to fastcall16 functions.

### **UART\_CPutString**

### **Description:**

Sends constant (ROM), null terminated string out the UART TX port.

# C Prototype:

```
void UART_CPutString(const char * szROMString)
```

#### Assembler:

```
mov A,>szRomString  ; Load MSB part of pointer to ROM based null
  ; terminated string.
mov X,<szRomString  ; Load LSB part of pointer to ROM based null
  ; terminated string.
lcall UART_CPutString  ; Call function to send constant string out
  ; UART TX</pre>
```

#### Parameters:

const char \* szROMString: Pointer to string to be sent to the UART. MSB of string pointer is passed in the Accumulator and LSB of the pointer is passed in the X register.

### **Return Value:**

None

#### Side Effects:

Program flow stays in this function, until the last character is loaded into the UART transmit buffer. The A and X registers may be modified by this or future implementations of this function. The same is true for all RAM page pointer registers in the Large Memory Model (CY8C29xxx and CY8CLED16). When necessary, it is the calling function's responsibility to preserve the values across calls to fastcall16 functions.

# **UART\_PutChar**

### **Description:**

Writes a single character to the UART TX port when the port buffer is empty.

#### C Prototype:

```
void UART PutChar (CHAR cData)
```

### Assembler:

#### Parameters:

CHAR cData: The character to be sent to the UART TX port. Data is passed in the Accumulator.

#### **Return Value:**

None

### Side Effects:

Program flow stays in this function until the data can be written to the UART TX buffer. The A and X registers may be modified by this or future implementations of this function. The same is true for all RAM page pointer registers in the Large Memory Model (CY8C29xxx and CY8CLED16). When necessary, it is the calling function's responsibility to preserve the values across calls to fastcall16 functions.

# UART\_cReadChar

### **Description:**

Reads UART RX port immediately if data is not available or an error condition exists, or zero is returned. Otherwise, the character is read and returned.

### C Prototype:

```
CHAR UART cReadChar(void)
```

#### Assembler:

#### Parameters:

None

#### **Return Value:**

CHAR bData: Character read from UART RX port. ASCII characters from 1 to 255 are valid. A returned zero signifies an error condition or no data available.

#### Side Effects:

Function only accepts characters from 1 to 255 as valid. A 0x00 (null) character is detected as an error condition. The A and X registers may be modified by this or future implementations of this function. The same is true for all RAM page pointer registers in the Large Memory Model (CY8C29xxx and CY8CLED16). When necessary, it is the calling function's responsibility to preserve the values across calls to fastcall16 functions.