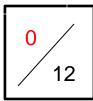


EEDG/CE 6370 Design and Analysis or Reconfigurable Systems Homework 8 – Hard Processor System



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Part I - Linux

Install any of the Linux versions on the SD card and show that it is working. Include picture.

Marks 2



Part II - Simple program

Write a simple "Hello UTD" Program" and compile and run it on the HPS of the FPGA. Report the size of the compiled file. Include a video of the compilation process and working design showing the program runs on the FPGA.

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Size of the Compiled file: 14.4KB

| -rwxr-xr-x 1 root root | 14732 Nov 13 2024 hps_gpio |
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| root@socfpga:/media/usb-drive# | 14308 Nov 12 2024 my_first_hps |

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Part III - Controlling Peripherals through HPS

a.) As you can see from the picture below, the HPS in the Terasic board is 'connected' to different peripherals:

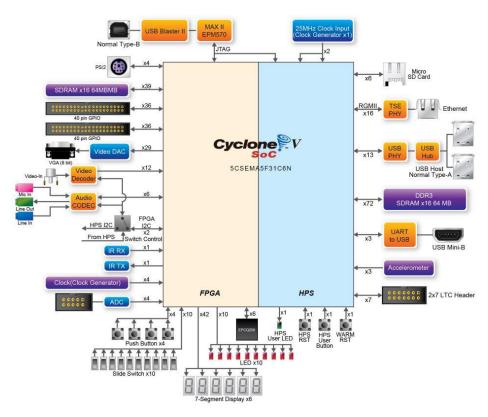


Figure 1 Cyclone V SoC in Terasic DE1-SoC board overview

Some of these peripherals include an HPS user button and a HPS user LED. Compile the hps_gpio/main.c program and annotate next to each line what it does through C/C++ comments. Include the size of the compiled program too. Create a YourTube video showing that it works.

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Size of the Compiled file: 14.8KB

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Annotated version of the code and explanations:

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#include <stdio.h>
#include <unistd.h>
#include <fcntl.h>
#include <sys/mman.h>
#include "hwlib.h"
#include "socal/socal.h"
#include "socal/hps.h"
#include "socal/alt gpio.h"
#define HW REGS BASE ( ALT STM OFST ) // Base address for the hardware
#define HW REGS SPAN ( 0x04000000 )
                                          // Memory span for hardware registers
\#define HW REGS MASK ( HW REGS_SPAN - 1 ) // Mask to access the relevant part
of memory
                       \begin{array}{lll} (0 \times 01000000) & // \text{ Direction of I/O for the LED} \\ (0 \times 01000000) & // \text{ Bit mask for controlling the LED} \\ (0 \times 02000000) & // \text{ Bit mask for the button press} \end{array}
#define USER IO DIR
#define BIT LED
#define BUTTON MASK
int main(int argc, char **argv) {
    void *virtual base;
    int fd;
    uint32 t scan input;
    int i;
    // Open "/dev/mem" to access the physical memory of the system
    // This allows us to directly interact with hardware registers
    if( (fd = open( "/dev/mem", (O RDWR | O SYNC ) ) == -1 ) {
        printf( "ERROR: could not open \"/dev/mem\"...\n" );
        return(1);
    // Map the hardware register space into user space so that we can interact
with it
    virtual base = mmap( NULL, HW REGS SPAN, ( PROT READ | PROT WRITE ),
MAP SHARED, fd, HW REGS BASE );
    if( virtual base == MAP FAILED ) {
        printf("ERROR: mmap() failed...\n");
        close( fd );
        return(1);
    // Initialize the PIO controller
    // Set the direction of the HPS GPIO1 bits attached to the LEDs to output
    alt_setbits_word( ( virtual base +
( ( uint32 t ) ( ALT GPIO1 SWPORTA DDR ADDR ) &
( uint32 t ) ( HW REGS MASK ) ) ), USER IO DIR );
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printf("led test\r\n");
   printf("the led flash 2 times\r\n");
   // Flash the LED twice
   for(i=0;i<2;i++) {
       // Set the LED on
       alt setbits word( ( virtual base +
( ( uint32 t ) ( ALT GPIO1 SWPORTA DR ADDR ) &
( uint32 t ) ( HW REGS MASK ) ) ), BIT LED );
       usleep(500*1000); // Wait for 500ms
       // Set the LED off
       alt clrbits word( ( virtual base +
( ( uint32 t ) ( ALT GPIO1 SWPORTA DR ADDR ) &
( uint32 t ) ( HW REGS MASK ) ) ), BIT LED );
       usleep(500*1000); // Wait for 500ms
   // Test the user button and control the LED with it
   printf("user key test \r\n");
   printf("press key to control led\r\n");
   // Infinite loop to monitor the button press
   while(1) {
       // Read the state of the GPIO input (button)
       scan input = alt read word( ( virtual base +
( ( uint32 t ) ( ALT GPIO1 EXT PORTA ADDR ) &
( uint32_t ) ( HW REGS MASK ) ) ) );
       // Check if the button is pressed (active low)
       if(~scan input & BUTTON MASK)
            // If pressed, turn the LED on
           alt setbits word( ( virtual base +
( ( uint32 t ) ( ALT GPIO1 SWPORTA DR ADDR ) &
( uint32 t ) ( HW REGS MASK ) ) ), BIT LED );
       else
            // If not pressed, turn the LED off
           alt clrbits word( ( virtual base +
( ( uint32 t ) ( ALT_GPIO1_SWPORTA_DR_ADDR ) &
( uint32 t ) ( HW REGS MASK ) ) ), BIT LED );
   // Clean up the memory mapping and close the file descriptor
   if( munmap( virtual base, HW REGS SPAN ) != 0 ) {
       printf( "ERROR: munmap() failed...\n" );
       close( fd );
       return(1);
   }
   close( fd );
   return(0);
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To read and write to the peripherals directly, the program opens the file /dev/mem to gain access to
physical memory.

- Next the mmap function maps the hardware registers to user space, allowing the access to memory where GPIO control registers are present.
- Then the program sets the direction of GPIO pins connected to the LEDs as output, by writing the memory location.
- To flash the LED, led pin need to be set and cleared with a delay of 500ms between each action.
- The program checks continuously for state of the button connected to the GPIO input. If the button is pressed, it turns on the LED, otherwise it turns off.
- After completion it unmaps the memory and clean the resources.
- The program basically blinks the LED twice and then when we push HPS User Button then the HPS User LEB Blinks.