

# Displaying text on a PmodNAV

This demonstration shows how to display text on a PmodNAV using the board.

The Digilent Pmod NAV is required. In this example it should be connected to PMODA.

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In [1]: from pynq.overlays.base import BaseOverlay
        from pynq.lib import Pmod_NAV

        base = BaseOverlay("base.bit")

        pmod_nav = Pmod_NAV(base.PMODA)
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In [2]: help(pmod_nav)
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Help on Pmod\_NAV in module pynq.lib.pmod.pmod\_nav object:

```
class Pmod_NAV(builtins.object)
|   Pmod_NAV(mb_info, text=None)
|
|   This class controls an NAV Pmod.
|
|   The Pmod NAV uses the LSM9DS1 3-axis accelerometer, 3-axis gyroscope, 3-axis magn
etometer, plus the LPS25HB digital barometer to provide users with 10-DOF functionali
ty.
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|   Attributes
|   -----
|   microblaze : Pmod
|       Microblaze processor instance used by this module.
|
|   Methods defined here:
|
|   __init__(self, mb_info, text=None)
|       Return a new instance of an OLED object.
|
|   Parameters
|   -----
|   mb_info : dict
|       A dictionary storing Microblaze information, such as the
|       IP name and the reset name.
|   text: str
|       The text to be displayed after initialization.
|
|   get_ag_id(self)
|       The function gets the device id for all the instruments.
|
|   Returns
|   -----
|   list
|       A list of the device ID Accel-Gyro, Mag and alt.
|
|   read_accel(self)
|       The function gets the device id for all the instruments.
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    Returns
    -----
    list
        A list of the device ID Accel-Gyro, Mag and alt.

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    Data descriptors defined here:

    __dict__
        dictionary for instance variables (if defined)

    __weakref__
        list of weak references to the object (if defined)

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You should now see the text output on the OLED, so let's try another message.

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In [3]: deviceID = pmod_nav.get_ag_id()
        print(bin(deviceID))
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0b1111111101101000
```

That's it! Please try to write your own messages to the PmodOLED.

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In [29]: accel = pmod_nav.read_accel()
        print(accel)
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[4294967295, 0, 0]
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In [19]: deviceID = pmod_nav.get_mag_id()
        print(bin(deviceID))
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AttributeError                                Traceback (most recent call last)
<ipython-input-19-50f93a18d55e> in <module>
----> 1 deviceID = pmod_nav.get_mag_id()
      2 print(bin(deviceID))

AttributeError: 'Pmod_NAV' object has no attribute 'get_mag_id'

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In [8]: help(pmod_oled)
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Help on Pmod\_OLED in module pynq.lib.pmod.pmod\_oled object:

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class Pmod_OLED(builtins.object)
    Pmod_OLED(mb_info, text=None)

    This class controls an OLED Pmod.

    The Pmod OLED (PB 200-222) is 128x32 pixel monochrome organic LED (OLED)
    panel powered by the Solomon Systech SSD1306.

    Attributes
    -----
    microblaze : Pmod
        Microblaze processor instance used by this module.

    Methods defined here:

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```
__init__(self, mb_info, text=None)
    Return a new instance of an OLED object.

    Parameters
    -----
    mb_info : dict
        A dictionary storing Microblaze information, such as the
        IP name and the reset name.
    text: str
        The text to be displayed after initialization.

clear(self)
    Clear the OLED screen.

    This is done by sending the clear command to the IOP.

    Returns
    -----
    None

draw_line(self, x1, y1, x2, y2)
    Draw a straight line on the OLED.

    Parameters
    -----
    x1 : int
        The x-position of the starting point.
    y1 : int
        The y-position of the starting point.
    x2 : int
        The x-position of the ending point.
    y2 : int
        The y-position of the ending point.

    Returns
    -----
    None

draw_rect(self, x1, y1, x2, y2)
    Draw a rectangle on the OLED.

    Parameters
    -----
    x1 : int
        The x-position of the starting point.
    y1 : int
        The y-position of the starting point.
    x2 : int
        The x-position of the ending point.
    y2 : int
        The y-position of the ending point.

    Returns
    -----
    None

write(self, text, x=0, y=0)
    Write a new text string on the OLED.

    Parameters
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text : str
    The text string to be displayed on the OLED screen.
x : int
    The x-position of the display.
y : int
    The y-position of the display.
```

Returns

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None

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Data descriptors defined here:

\_\_dict\_\_  
 dictionary for instance variables (if defined)

\_\_weakref\_\_  
 list of weak references to the object (if defined)

In [ ]: