

Interacting with GPIO from MicroBlaze

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In [15]: from pynq.overlays.base import BaseOverlay
import time
from datetime import datetime
base = BaseOverlay("base.bit")
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In [16]: %%microblaze base.PMODB

#include "gpio.h"
#include "pyprintf.h"

//Function to turn on/off a selected pin of PMODB
void write_gpio(unsigned int pin, unsigned int val){
    if (val > 1){
        pyprintf("pin value must be 0 or 1");
    }
    gpio_pin_out = gpio_open(pin);
    gpio_set_direction(pin_out, GPIO_OUT);
    gpio_write(pin_out, val);
}

//Function to read the value of a selected pin of PMODB
unsigned int read_gpio(unsigned int pin){
    gpio_pin_in = gpio_open(pin);
    gpio_set_direction(pin_in, GPIO_IN);
    return gpio_read(pin_in);
}
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In [17]: write_gpio(0, 2)
read_gpio(1)
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pin value must be 0 or 1
1
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Out[17]:
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Multi-tasking with MicroBlaze

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In [18]: base = BaseOverlay("base.bit")
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In [19]: %%microblaze base.PMODA

#include "gpio.h"
#include "pyprintf.h"

//Function to turn on/off a selected pin of PMODA
void write_gpio(unsigned int pin, unsigned int val){
    if (val > 1){
        pyprintf("pin value must be 0 or 1");
    }
    gpio_pin_out = gpio_open(pin);
    gpio_set_direction(pin_out, GPIO_OUT);
    gpio_write(pin_out, val);
}
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}

//Function to read the value of a selected pin of PMODA
unsigned int read_gpio(unsigned int pin){
    gpio pin_in = gpio_open(pin);
    gpio_set_direction(pin_in, GPIO_IN);
    return gpio_read(pin_in);
}

//Multitasking the microblaze for a simple function
int add(int a, int b){
    return a + b;
}

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In [20]: val = 1
         write_gpio(0, val)
         read_gpio(1)

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Out[20]: 1

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In [21]: add(2, 30)

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Out[21]: 32

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Lab work

Use the code from the second cell as a template and write a code to use two pins (0 and 1) for send and two pins (2 and 3) for receive. You should be able to send 2bits (0~3) over GPIO. You'll need to hardwire from the send pins to the receive pins.

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In [25]: from pynq.overlays.base import BaseOverlay
         from pynq.lib.pmod import Pmod_IO
         import time

         base = BaseOverlay("base.bit")

         # Configure PMODA pins
         tx0 = Pmod_IO(base.PMODA, 0, 'out')
         tx1 = Pmod_IO(base.PMODA, 1, 'out')
         rx0 = Pmod_IO(base.PMODA, 2, 'in')
         rx1 = Pmod_IO(base.PMODA, 3, 'in')

         def send_2bit(value):
             if value < 0 or value > 3:
                 raise ValueError("Value must be 0..3")
             tx0.write(value & 1)
             tx1.write((value >> 1) & 1)

         def receive_2bit():
             b0 = rx0.read() & 1
             b1 = rx1.read() & 1
             return (b1 << 1) | b0

         # Loopback test (wire 0→2, 1→3)
         for v in range(4):

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send_2bit(v)
time.sleep(0.01)
r = receive_2bit()
print("Sent:", v, "Received:", r)
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Sent: 0 Received: 3
Sent: 1 Received: 3
Sent: 2 Received: 3
Sent: 3 Received: 3
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In []: