LIGHT EMITTING BAR (LED BAR)

CML12S LAB EXPERIMENT

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1 GETTING STARTED

The following section has been designed to help users to quickly learn proper setup and operation of the lab experiment.

1.1 Introduction

The experiment requires a single board development system that is fully assembled and fully functional from Axiom Manufacturing. Development board CML12S256 is supported in this experiment. The system comes complete with schematic and instructions. All software, drawings, and manuals are contained on the CD.

1.2 Software

The CD comes with AxIDE, which is an integrated development environment designed exclusively for use with Axiom development boards, providing an interface to programs running on these boards. AxIDE also makes uploading programs and easy via the COM port. Read your board manual for setting up AxIDE.

1.3 Support Software

There are many useful programs on the included CD that can make developing projects easier. The CD also contains example software programs for this experiment on each board. You can also download the latest software free from our web site at: http://www.axman.com.

1.4 Hardware

The following hardware is required:

Axiom CML12S256
Windows based PC
LED BAR Lab Kit
LED BAR HLMP-2550
Four 470 ohm resistors ½ w
Five jumpers

2.0 Visual

Devices used in this lab are static sensitive and are easy damaged by mishandling. Use caution when installing wires and devices on the breadboard to prevent the bending of leads. Experiments should be laid out in a orderly fashion. Start your lab time with the bench clean and free of metal objects. Leave the lab area in a clean condition by picking up loose parts, wires and small objects.

3.0 Theory

Axiom's development board is designed for quickly and effectively learning the basics of microcontrollers. This lab will walk the student though the steps of using the development board for its intended purpose, controlling devices. A LED BAR is one device that is controllable by a microcontroller. In this lab, a four element LED BAR is used for the experiment. A LED is a solid state device that when current is forced though the device, will emit a light. The port on the microcontroller will output a +5 volt high signal. This signal is apply to the anode of the LED. The cathode of the LED is connected though a resistor to ground. The resistor is a current limiting resistor for the port. This limits the current flow on the port to its rated value, otherwise the port would over heat and possibly damage the port. LED intensity is depended on the current flow. Driving LEDS at a higher intensity would require external drivers rated for the LED being used. The PROJECT BOARD is one such board that includes the on board drivers. A LED BAR is a good indicator for appliances, machinery, cars, & alarms plus many others. They come in several colors such as red and green. One element of the LED BAR can be used as power on indicator, another as a flashing alarm indicator, still another as a fault indicator.

4.0 Procedure

The procedure is arranged in a series of steps. Each step is to be completed before moving on to the next step. As each step is built on prior steps, the student's will increase their knowledge for other labs or self-study. The student should go though the steps as many times as necessary to master the subject. As an aid in keeping track of location, the check box next to each step should be checked as completed.

4.1 Description

You will be using PORT P on the DP256 microcontroller. PORT P is a multiple functional and Bi_Directional port. Bits 4, 5, 6, 7 are used as the drive for the four LEDS in the LED BAR. PORT P output register is located at address \$0258 and its data direction register is located at \$025A on the DP256. Writing directly to this port will change the level of each pin. Writing a binary one will turn the LED on and writing a binary zero will turn LED off.

4.2 Detailed Steps

Note in the following steps: PTP refers to address \$0258. DDRP refers to address \$025A.
Verify power is not applied to CML12S256.
Install the LED BAR and the four resistors on the breadboard area per drawing.

Install five jumpers per the following.	
MCU_PORT Breadboard GND to GND PP4 to D1 PP5 to D2 PP6 to D3 PP7 to D4	
Apply power to the CML12S256.	
☐ Write \$F0 to DDRP. This configures PORT P bits 4 − 7 as outputs.	
Write \$00 to PTP, verify all segment of the LED BAR are off. This forces all outputs low, thus removing the drive for all the LEDS.	
Write \$10 to PTP, verify LB1 on the LED BAR is on. This forces PORT P bit 4 high, thus applying a drive for LB1.	
\square Write \$20 to PTP, verify LB2 on the LED BAR is on. This forces PORT P bit 5 high, thus applying a drive for LB2.	
Write \$40 to PTP, verify LB3 on the LED BAR is on. This forces PORT P bit 6 high, thus applying drive for LB3.	
Write \$80 to PTP, verify LB4 on the LED BAR is on. This forces PORT P bit 7 high, thus applying a drive for LB4.	

4.3 Conclusion

In conclusion, by using the four bits of PORT P as drive for the four LEDS in the LED BAR, the LEDS are directly set on or off. Any combination of LEDS can be set. All on at once or only one, two, three LEDS on. In development, one can assign each segment of the LED BAR a function. Maybe one LED as a "Run" indicator. One as a "FAULT" indicator. Still another as a cycle indicator, example would be "RINSE" in a washing machine. Last would indicate a "Spin" cycle. The LED brightness is not readable in strong light levels. Normally a driver is provided between the microcontroller and LEDS. This increases the current, which increases the intensity of the LEDS.

5.0 Software Control of LEDS

5.1 Program Description

The program starts by setting the direction register on PORT P as outputs. Using equates LEDB1, LEDB2, LEDB3, LEDB4 as a mask, bits 4, 5, 6, 7 of PORT P are cleared. This turns all LEDS off. The next step uses mask bit "LEDB1" to set LEDB1 on. The LED is made visual by calling a delay routine. This delay is long enough for a human to see the LED as being on. The next step uses the same mask bit "LEDB1" to turn LEDB1 off. The remaining steps turn LEDS 2,3,4 on and off in the same way. Final the program jumps back to the beginning and repeats forever.

5.2 Running LEDB2D Program

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    Load program LEDB2D.S19 into CML12S. This program is located at $1000, which is internal memory. The source is show below.
    Program is executed by entering "CALL 1000" on CML12S and pressing enter.
    The program will flash each element of the LED BAR forever.
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5.3 LED BAR Source

```
* File LEDB2D.asm
      * Four Blinking LED BARS
 ; Blinking Led's
;
         equ $0258 ; port P data
equ $025A ; port P direct
equ $10 ; LB1 select
equ $20 ; LB2 select
PTP:
                              ; port P direction
DDRP:
LEDB1:
LEDB2:
LEDB3:
          equ $40
                              ; LB3 select
LEDB4:
           equ $80
                              ; LB4 select
           org $1000
; Setup port P
           movb \$\$F0, DDRP ; bits 4 - 7 as outputs
           bclr PTP, LEDB1+LEDB2+LEDB3+LEDB4 ; turn all off
            jsr DELAY
; LED BAR one
            bset PTP, LEDB1 ; LB1 On
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bclr PTP, LEDB1 ; delay ; bsr DELAY ; LB1 Off
; LED BAR two
                                   ; LB2 On
; delay
; LB2 Off
              bset PTP, LEDB2
              jsr DELAY
bclr PTP,LEDB2
              jsr DELAY
                                       ; delay
; LED BAR three
             bset PTP, LEDB3 ; LB3 On
jsr DELAY ; delay
bclr PTP, LEDB3 ; LB3 Off
jsr DELAY ; delay
; LED BAR four
             bset PTP,LEDB4 ; LB4 On
jsr DELAY ; delay
             jsr DELAY , actor, bclr PTP, LEDB4 ; LB4 Off delay
              jmp MAIN ; start over
; Delay subroutine
DELAY:
              ldab #$0F
DELAYL1:
              ldx #$ffff
DELAYL:
              dbne X,DELAYL
              dbne B, DELAYL1
              rts
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6.0 Quiz

Question One

Where is the program LEDB2D.S19 located in memory?

A. External memory C. Eprom B. Internal memory D. Rom

Question Two

Writing \$40 to PORT P, turns what LED BAR on?

A. BAR1 C. BAR3 B. BAR2 D. BAR4

Question Three

What causes a LED to emit light?

- A. Current
- C. Voltage
- B. Resistor
- D. Diode

Question Four

Is PORT P?

- A. Input Only
- C. Bi Directional
- B. Output Only
- D. Wired Or

Question Five

How many BARS can be on at one time?

A. 1

C. 3

B. 2

D. 4

Bonus Question

What is the purpose of writing \$F0 to DDRP?

- A. Output
- C. Pulse
- B. Input
- D. Trigger

7.0 TROUBLESHOOTING

The development system is fully tested and operational before shipping. If it fails to function properly, consult the troubleshooting section of your user manual.

8.0 Tips and Suggestions

Following are a number of tips, suggestions and answers to common questions that will solve most problems users have with the development system. You can download the latest software from the Support section of our web page at: www.axman.com



