

EMERTXE TRAINING PROJECT DOCUMENTATION FRAMEWORK

REQUIREMENTS & DESIGN DOCUMENT



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Microcontroller-Based Washing Machine Simulation Using PicsimLab

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1 Overview

1.1 Purpose

This project focuses on simulating a washing machine using PicsimLab, aiming to replicate real-world washing machine functionality in a virtual environment. The project begins with a comprehensive understanding of washing machine components, cycles, and operations. Parameters defining laundry status, such as fabric type, load size, and water level, are identified.

1.2 Scope

This simulation project provides valuable insights into washing machine operations, control system design, and simulation techniques. Participants gain practical experience in applying algorithms to simulate intelligent appliances, contributing to a better understanding of laundry automation.

2 Assumptions, Dependencies, Constraints

2.1 Assumptions

All the peripherals are simulated and no real time objects are interfaced .

2.2 Dependencies

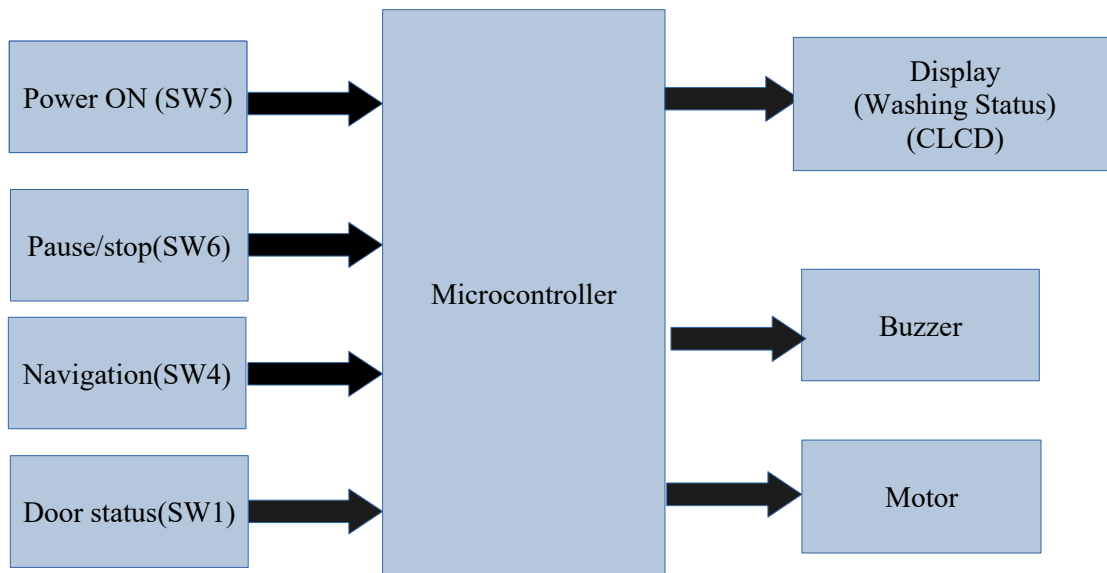
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2.3 Constraints

None

3 Requirements

3.1 Functional Requirements



3.1.1 Power ON Screen

Description : As soon as board is reset , print “Press key5 to Power ON Washing machine” on the CLCD.

wait till SW5 is pressed, if SW5 is pressed Print “Powering ON Washing Machine”.

Requirement No	1 – POWER ON SCREEN
Description	Inputs – SW5
	Process – wait till SW5 is pressed, Turn ON the machine
	Output – Print “Powering On Washing Machine”

3.1.2 Washing Program Screen

Description : The Washing Program menu will contain the following washing options.

→ Daily, Heavy , Delicates, Whites, Stain wash , Eco cottons, Woolens , Bed sheets, Rinse+Dry , Dry only, Wash only , Aqua store.

Using the keypad SW4 we can scroll between the options available. A long press of SW4 will select the option highlighted with *

Requirement No	2 – Washing Program Screen
Description	Inputs – SW5 and SW4
	Process -Washing Program selection and navigation
	<p>Output - The Washing Program menu will contain the following displays</p> <p>→ Daily, Heavy , Delicates, Whites, Stain wash , Eco cottons, Woolens , Bed sheets, Rinse+Dry , Dry only, Wash only , Aqua store</p> <p>Washing Programs</p> <p>*Daily</p> <p>Heavy</p> <p>Delicates</p> <p>using the keypad SW4 we can scroll between the options available.</p> <p>A long press of SW4 will select the option highlighted with *, switch to the Water level screen.</p>

3.1.3 Water Level Screen

Description : This screen should allow the user to select water level. The water level menu will contain the following displays

→ Auto, Low, Medium, High, Low

Using the keypad SW4 we can scroll between the options available. A long press of SW4 will select the option highlighted with *

Requirement No	3 – Water level screen
Description	Inputs - SW4
	Process – Water level selection and navigation
	<p>Output - The water level menu will contain the following displays → Auto, Low, Medium, High, Max</p> <p>Water Level:</p> <p>*Auto</p> <p>Low</p> <p>Medium</p> <p>using the keypad SW4 we can scroll between the options available.</p> <p>A long press of SW4 will select the option highlighted with *, switch to start and stop screen</p>

3.1.4 Start Screen

Description : Once washing program and water level is selected, provide user option to start the machine.

If SW5 is pressed, start the machine, display the function selected and time taken.
Then switch to function screen

Requirement No	4 – Start Screen
Description	Inputs – SW5, SW6
	Process – To Start the operation selected
	<p>Output – Display</p> <p>Press Switch :</p> <p>SW5: START</p> <p>SW6: STOP</p> <p>Once SW5 is pressed , display the function selected and time. switch to function screen</p>

	<p>If SW5 is pressed , display the function selected and time. switch to function screen</p> <p>Prog: Heavy Time: 00:50</p> <p>If SW6 is pressed , go back to washing program screen.</p>
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3.1.5 Function Screen

Description : Once machine started , display the function on going , it can be wash, rinse or spin. Along with display the time left on the CLCD.

Requirement No	5 – Function Screen
Description	Inputs - SW1 , SW5 , SW6.
	Process – Display the function and time left
	<p>Output - Display the function and the time left function : wash , rinse , spin. Time : based on washing program and water level, set time. If SW5 is pressed start the washing machine if SW6 is pressed pause the washing machine Function - wash TIME : 00:50 SW5 : START SW6 : PAUSE</p> <p>The status of SW1 is indicative of the door status. When the switch is pressed, it signifies that the door is open; conversely, when the switch is not pressed, it indicates that the door is closed."</p> <p>If SW1 is pressed turn ON the buzzer and display, DOOR : OPEN</p>

	Please close
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3.1.6 Completion Status Screen

Description : once all programs are completed, display notification “ Program completed Remove clothes ” on the CLCD.

Requirement No	1 – Completion screen
Description	
	Output – Print “ Program completed Remove clothes”

4 Output images

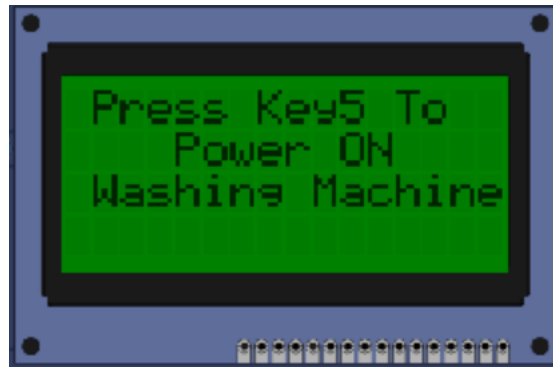


Fig1 .POWER ON SCREEN

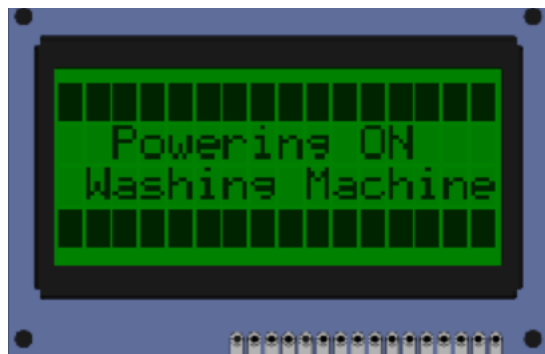


Fig 2. POWERING ON SCREEN

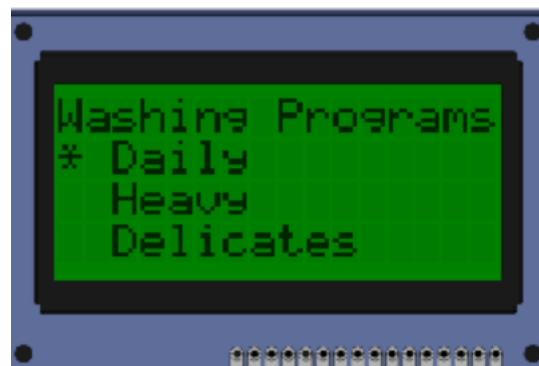


Fig 3. WASHING PROGRAM SCREEN



Fig 4. WATER LEVEL PROGRAM



Fig 5 .START SCREEN

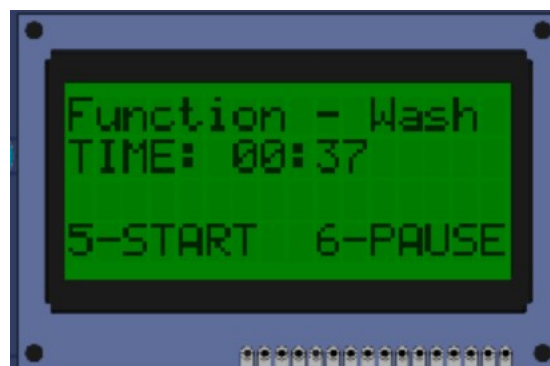


FIG 6 : FUNCTION SCREEN

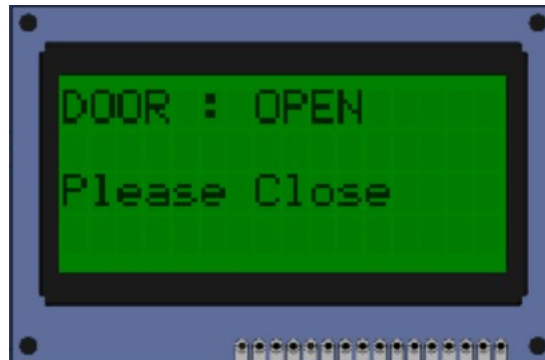


FIG 7: DOOR STATUS SCREEN

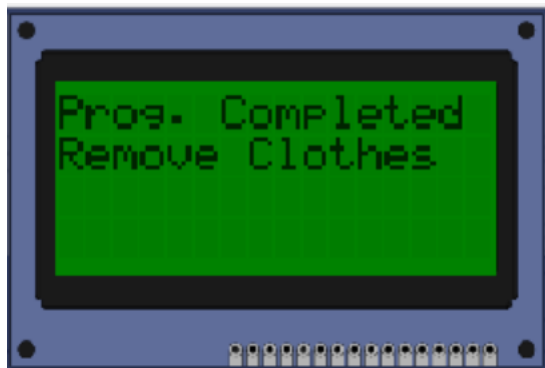


FIG 8: PROGRAM COMPLETION STATUS

Conclusion :

The washing machine simulation using picsimlab served as an effective tool for learning and applying concepts in embedded systems. It offered a hands-on experience that complemented theoretical knowledge and provided a foundation for further exploration in the field of automation and control systems.