## CSE522:REAL-TIME EMBEDDED SYSTEMS

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### **ASSIGNMENT 2 REPORT**

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The following report contains two parts. First part describes the implementation and device initialization details of the Assignment 2, in which we were asked to write a device driver for HCSR04 Ultrasonic sensor and an application to successfully run two HCSR04 sensors using the device driver. The second part, lists all the devices that were created in the "test\_led" program (Assignment 1) and the order these devices were initialized.

# PART 1: Implementation and Device Initialization Details of the Assignment 2

In this assignment we were asked to to write a device driver for HCSR04 Ultrasonic sensor and an application to successfully run two HCSR04 sensors using that device driver. The devices work only in one shot mode and the output are the distances in centimeters, the timestamp of the measurement in microseconds and the device name.

### PART 1A:

This part describes how to set up device data object structure and device configuration information structure for the HCSR04 devices and also the configuration parameters for respective devices. We also describe the Kconfig file where the configuration parameters are set.

The device data data object structure (stores device specific data) and the device configuration structure (stores device specific configurations eg: trigger pin, echo pin, etc.). Both of these data structures have been defined in the 'hcsr04.h' header file (Path: /zephyr/drivers/sensor/hc-sr04/hcsr04.h). These data structures will be used in the initialization function and API functions of the respective devices. These structures also allow user to read the current measurement taken by the device. Seet the below image for details of the structure.

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Figure 1.1: (Source: Screenshot of the hcsr04.h header file in /zephyr/drivers/sensor/hc-sr04/hcsr04.h)

Figure 1.1 is a screenshot of the header file **'hcsr04.h'**, which defines two data structures: The first structure is **"hcsr\_data"** and the second is **"hcsr\_config\_data"**.

"hcsr\_data" structure stores 4 types of data:

data1: The time stamp when rising edge was detected by the echo pin of the device.data2: The time stamp when falling edge was detected by the echo pin of the device.distance: Object distance in centimeters as detected by the respective HCSR04 device.timeout\_ms: Timeout limit of the device to return an echo signal (Falling Edge).

"hcsr\_config\_data" structure stores 5 types of data:

triggerPin: GPIO trigger pin of the device.
echoPin: GPIO echo pin of the device.
gpiob\_trigger: Pointer to the device structure of the gpio device respective to the trigger pin.
gpiob\_echo: Pointer to the device structure of the gpio device respective to the echo pin.
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Both these structures are respective to the individual HCSR04 devices (HCSR0 and HCSR1) and is

semaphore is given by the interrupt callback of the respective devices.

Now, lets look into the "**Kconfig**" file in *path*: /zephyr/drivers/sensor/hc-sr04/ Kconfig.

initialized in the "hscr04.c" file in path: /zephyr/drivers/sensor/hc-sr04/hcsr04.c.

Figure 1.2: (Source: Screenshot of the Kconfig file for HCSR04 device driver in /zephyr/drivers/sensor/hc-sr04/Kconfig)

This "Kconfig" file is used to provide configuration details specific to each device like for example **config HCSR04\_DEV0\_TRIGGER\_PIN** is to setup the values trigger pin of the first HCSR04 device(HCSR0). Here we also define the names of both the HCSR04 devices, which is exposed to the system. (HCSR0: HCSR04\_DW\_0, HCSR1:HCSR04\_DW\_1).

#### PART 1B:

This part majorly describes the device driver code for the HCSR4 device from the **"hcsr04.c"** file in the path: /zephyr/drivers/sensor/hc-sr04/hcsr04.c

The "hcsr04.c" code has four major parts:

- a) Device Initialization Functions: Used to setup the PINMUX pins, the trigger pin and the echo pin. This function also adds interrupt callback function to the echo pins.
- b) Device API Functions: These functions are used for API interface with the respective devices. There are three API functions to each of the HCSR devices, **sensor\_sample\_fetch()**, **sensor\_channel\_get()** and **sensor\_attr\_set()**.
- c) **DEVICE\_AND\_API\_INIT**: Used to initialize the devices, link each device to their respective API functions, and expose the device the kernel.
- d) Interrupt Callback Function: Used by the echo pins to test and read the callback data (Input) whenever a Rising edge or a falling edge is detected.

#### **Device Initialization Functions:**

Device initialization functions are used by each of the respective HCSR devices to setup the PINMUX, set the trigger GPIO pin to write output, configure the echo GPIO pin to take Rising Edge Input and add a callback function to the echo pin. The screenshots below is the initialization function of HCSR0 device .

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Figure 1.3: (Source: Screenshot of the hcsr04.c file for HCSR04 device driver in /zephyr/drivers/sensor/hc-sr04/hcsr04.c)

To setup the trigger pin to generate output/trigger we first, get a binding to the PINMUX device using the **device\_get\_binding()** and use **pinmux\_pin\_set()** to set the trigger pin. Please note that by default it has been set to set IO1 to GPIO 4. In case the trigger pin is changed, respective changes has be made to set pinmux correctly, based on how GPIO pins are connected to the IO pins.

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Figure 1.4: (Source: Screenshot of the hcsr04.c file for HCSR04 device driver in /zephyr/drivers/sensor/hc-sr04/hcsr04.c)

The above screenshot shows, how the echo pin was setup to take rising edge input signal and a callback was added to the echo pin of the HCSRO device using the **gpio\_init\_callback()** function and **gpio\_add\_callback()** function. Finally we also enable the echo pin to take call backs using the **gpio\_pin\_enable\_callback()** function.

### **Device API Functions:**

Device specific API functions have been defined in the "hcsr04.c" file to enable the user/application to fetch a sample for the indvidual devices and access the data (distance in centemeters) from the driver data. An API function has also been implemented to set the timeout parameter of each of the devices. This timeout parameter is used by the device to wait, till a measurement is completed and in case a measurement was not completed within the timeout limit, sample buffered is cleared and -1 is returned.

Specifically there are three API functions defined:

hcsr04\_sample\_fetch() ---> corresponds to sensor\_sample\_fetch()

The critical role of this function is to write a trigger signal in the GPIO trigger pin of the respective devices. Trigger pulse generated by first writing a '1' using the **gpio\_pin\_write()** function into the GPIO trigger pin, then we write '0' using the same **gpio\_pin\_write()** function.

hcsr04\_channel\_get() --> corresponds to sensor\_sample\_fetch()

This function is used to fetch the time stamp of the measurement, as well the distance stored in the device buffer. At the end of this call, the device buffer is cleared for the next sample. This function is blocked until (using the semaphore defined in the **hcsr\_config\_data** structure) the measurement is complete or timeout duration has expired. If timeout duration has been expired, we return '-1' and clear the buffer.

hcsr04\_attr\_set() --> corresponds to sensor\_attr\_set()
 This function is been used to set the "timeout\_ms" parameters (defined in hcsr\_data) of the respective devices. The user/application provides the timeout duration in microseconds.

## **Interrupt Callback Function:**

This function is used by the respective echo pin as a callback function, whenever a RISING EDGE or a FALLING edge is detected. See the below screen shot for implementation.

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Figure 1.5: (Source: Partial Screenshot of the echo\_interrupt\_cb() function defined in hcsr04.c file for HCSR04 device driver in /zephyr/drivers/sensor/hc-sr04/hcsr04.c )

As seen from the image above, in case a RISING EDGE is detected by the echo pin, we configure the echo pin to detect a FALLING EDGE next timeand in case a FALLING EDGE interrupt is detected by the echo, we configure it to detect a RISING EDGE next time.

In the callback function, we also calculate the distance in centimeters and store the values in device data buffer variable "distance" defined in the "hcsr\_data" structure. After the completion of an Interrupt when a FALLING EDGE was detected, the semaphore is given to the waiting hcsr04\_channel\_get() function.

# **DEVICE\_AND\_API\_INIT**:

This macro is been used to the initialize the device(s), expose the device to the kernel, expose the device data structure(hcsr\_data) to kernel expose the device configuration to kernal and finally to link the device to their respective API functions. See the image in the next page for the implementation details.

Figure 1.5: (Source: Screenshot of hcsr04.c file for HCSR04 device driver in /zephyr/drivers/sensor/hc-sr04/hcsr04.c ) showing the implementation of DEVICE\_AND\_API\_INIT and driver API function.

In figure 1.5 we can see that both the devices are initialized and exposed to the kernel using the **DEVICE\_AND\_API\_INIT()** macro. (*line 443 and 447*).

Please also note that a data structure named "**sensor\_driver\_api**" has been created to link the user defined API function to the structure defined by the ZephyrOS. This structure/variable is used by the kernel to implement the sensor specific APIs.

We also setup of the configuration parameters of the individual devices using the parameters obtained from the **"Kconfig"** file and passing them the to respective "**hcsr\_config\_data**" structure of the devices. Please see the image above (Figure 1.5) for the details of the implementation details (*line 433 and line 437*).