

## Lab #1 – Software

1. **How many bytes of code space does your program require?** (Don't count the illegal instruction. Show how you arrived at your answer.)

Code Size? \_\_\_\_\_26Bytes\_\_\_\_\_

0000	1	ORG	\$0000	
0000 90 01 00	2	MOV	DPTR,#0100H	(3 bytes)
0003 78 0A	3	MOV	R0,#0AH	(2 bytes)
0005 79 00	4	MOV	R1,#00H	(2 bytes)
0007 FA	5	LOOP	MOV R2,A	(1 bytes)
0008 94 50	6	SUBB	A,#50H	(2 bytes)
000A 60 0C	7	JZ	END	(2 bytes)
000C EA	8	MOV	A,R2	(1 byte)
000D 94 50	9	SUBB	A,#50H	(2 byte)
000F 50 07	10	JNC	END	(2 byte)
0011 EA	11		MOV A,R2	(1 byte)
0012 F0	12	MOVX	[DPTR],A	(1 byte)
0013 04	13	INC	A	(1 byte)
0014 A3	14	INC	DPTR	(1 byte)
0015 09	15	INC	R1	(1 byte)
0016 D8 EF	16	DJNZ	R0,LOOP	(2 byte)
0018 89 20	17	END	MOV 20H,R1	(2 byte)
001A A5	18	DB	\$A5	(not counting the illegal character)
				26Bytes

2. **How long did your program take to execute, assuming it completed 10 writes to external memory?** Assume an 11.0592 MHz clock. Don't include the illegal instruction (\$A5). Show your detailed calculations on the code listing that you submit with the signoff sheet.

Execution Time? \_\_\_\_\_13.83us\_\_\_\_\_

The loop consists of 12 instructions out of which four are 2 bytes wide. Hence a total of 16 machine cycles which are executed 9 times in the loop.

Hence  $16 \times 9 = 144$  machine cycles

Rest of the instructions contribute to 9 cycles , Therefore total numbers of cycles are  $144 + 9 = 153$  cycles

Execution time =  $153 \text{ cycles} / 11.059 \text{ MHz} = 13.83 \mu\text{s}$

3. **What would happen if your loop started writing to external memory at location 0008h when running in the simulator?**

The program execution would overwrite instruction codes in the 0008h location and may lead to unexpected results

4. **What would happen if your loop started writing to external memory at location 0008h if the code was running in actual hardware?**

No significant effect would be noticed as the data memory would be assigned different addressing

## Lab #1 Signoff Sheet – Hardware

1. What voltage is present at the regulator input? Use a digital multimeter. \_\_\_\_\_9.55V\_\_\_\_\_



2. What voltage is present at the regulator output? Use a digital multimeter. \_\_\_\_\_5.01V\_\_\_\_\_

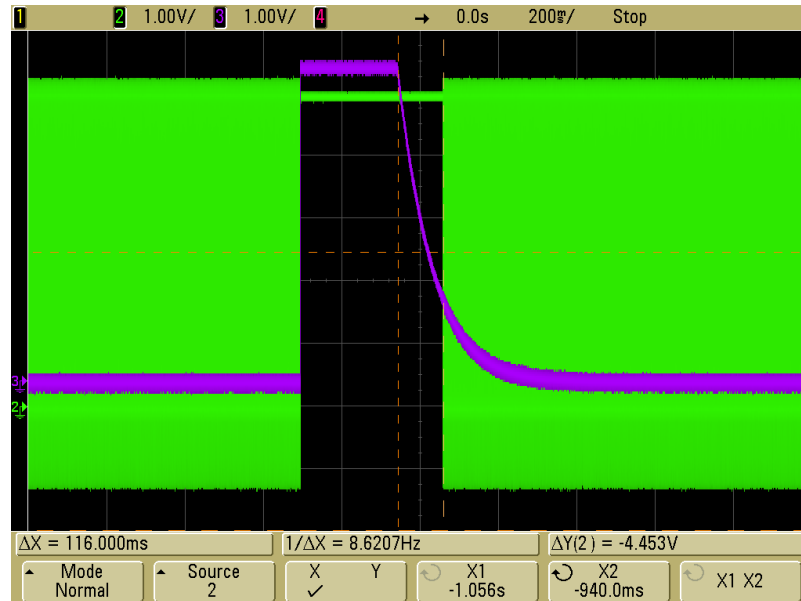


3. **What peak to peak noise is present across the processor VCC and GND?** Use an oscilloscope.  
Measured value at processor package pins on top side of board: \_\_\_\_\_181mV\_\_\_\_\_

Measured value at wire wrap socket pins on bottom side of board: \_\_\_\_\_124mV\_\_\_\_\_

4. **How long is the processor held in reset after the run-time reset pushbutton is released?** Use an oscilloscope and try to measure the time between the release of the pushbutton and the time when noise from ALE is observed on the RST signal.

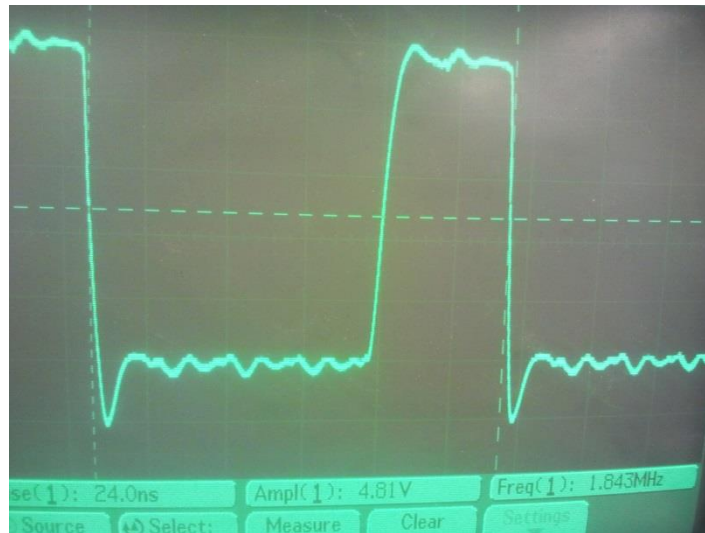
Measured value: \_\_\_\_\_116ms\_\_\_\_\_



The signal from ALE was given to channel 1 and the Reset signal to channel 2

The push button is pressed which makes the RST(Purple wave) signal go HIGH and as soon as the pushbutton is released the Processor resets and the RST signal goes low. After that noise from the ALE signal is obtained. In this case measured using cursor is 116ms.

5. What frequency is present at the ALE pin? Use an oscilloscope. \_\_\_\_\_1.843MHz\_\_\_\_\_



Measuring the frequency at ALE.

**Lesson learned:** Always check for faulty Probes on the oscilloscope or IC becoming loose from the socket.