

ECE 375  
Computer Organization and Assembly Language Programming  
Fall 2021  
Homework #3

[25 pts]

- 1- Consider the `SHORTDELAY` subroutine that is outlined below. Write AVR assembly so that it utilizes the 16-bit Timer/Counter1 to delay for 201 milliseconds (0.201 seconds). Assume that the system clock frequency is 16 MHz. Note the following requirements:
- (a) Timer/Counter1 must be initialized to operate in the Normal mode.
  - (b) The `SHORTDELAY` subroutine loads the proper value into `TCNT1` and waits until `TOV1` is set. Once `TOV` is set, it is cleared and the `SHORTDELAY` subroutine returns.
  - (c) The code must utilize a polling strategy to check `TOV1` (do not use interrupt vectors in this homework problem).

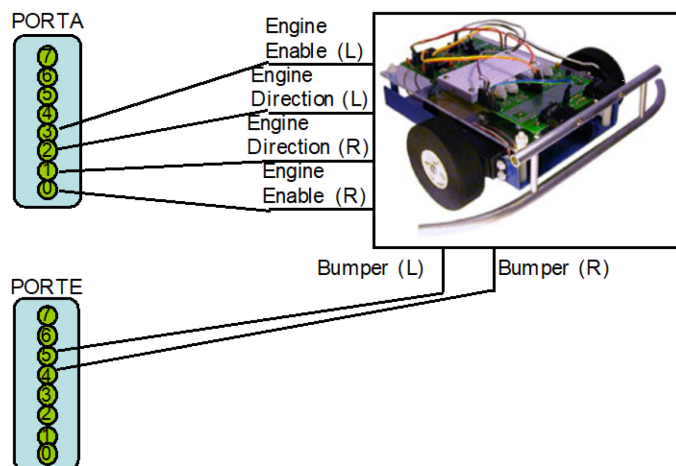
Use the skeleton code shown below. Also, show the necessary calculations for determining `TCNT1` and the best prescaler value. Your code must not use any other GPRs besides `mpr`. Please don't hesitate to refer to the ATmega128 [datasheet](#).

```
.include "m128def.inc"
.def mpr = r16
...
.ORG    $0000
        RJMP Initialize
.ORG    $0046                ; End of interrupt vectors
Initialize:
    ...
    ...Your code goes here...
    ...
SHORTDELAY:
    ...
    ...Your code goes here...
    ...
    RET
```

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- 2- Imagine that you want to program your lab board to handle the I/O configuration illustrated in the image below. Review the starter code that is provided below and fill in the missing lines (based on the instructions) to accomplish the given tasks. mpr is the only general purpose register that you are allowed to use in the code.

```
.include "m128def.inc"
.def mpr = r16
.org $0000
    rjmp      INIT
.org _____(i)
    rjmp HitRight
.org _____(ii)
    rjmp HitLeft
...
.org $0046
INIT: _____(1)      ; Configure direction of engine pins
      _____(2)      ;
      _____(3)      ; Configure direction of bumper pins
      _____(4)      ;
      _____(5)      ; Enable pull-up resistors
      _____(6)      ;         for L/R bumpers
      _____(7)      ; Detect on the proper edge
      _____(8)      ;
      _____(9)      ; Turn on interrupts for L/R bumpers
      _____(10)     ;
    sei                          ; Turn on global interrupt
```



- Fill in lines 1-2 so that the pin directions are properly configured to control the engine enable and engine direction for both left and right wheels. Any unused pins must be configured as inputs.
- Fill in lines 3-4 so that the pin directions are properly configured to detect left and right bumper movements. Once again, any unused pins must be configured as inputs.
- What are the addresses needed in lines (i) and (ii) to properly control the execution of interrupt service routines for left and right bumpers? Fill in lines 5-6 to enable the pull-up resistors for these whiskers.
- Fill in lines 7-8 with the necessary code to set External Input Sense Control to detect bumper hits (i.e., interrupts) on a falling edge.
- Fill in lines 9-10 to unmask the interrupts for whisker movements.

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- 3- Consider the AVR code segment shown below (with some missing information) that configures Timer/Counter0 for Fast PWM operation, and modifies the Fast PWM duty cycle whenever a specific button on Port D is pressed.
- (a) Fill in lines (1-2) with the instructions necessary to configure Timer/Counter0 for Fast PWM mode, non-inverting output, and a prescale value of 8.
  - (b) Based on the prescale value used in part (a), what is the frequency of the PWM signal ( $f_{\text{PWM}}$ ) being generated by Timer/Counter0? Assume the system clock frequency is 16 MHz.
  - (c) Fill in lines (3-4) to provide the compare value for Timer/Counter0 so that the initial duty cycle is 51% (use the closest available settings).
  - (d) What would be the value necessary for the variable `step` to increase the duty cycle by 12.5% each time the `DUTY_STEP` subroutine is executed? Ignore the case when/if the compare value overflows.

```
.include "m128def.inc"
.def      mpr = r16
.def      temp = r17
.equ      step = ____

INIT:
    ...
    ; stack pointer is initialized
    ...

    ; I/O ports
    ldi    mpr, 0b00010000    ; set pin 4 (OC0) as output
    out    DDRB, mpr

    ldi    mpr, 0b00000000    ; set pin 0 as input
    out    DDRD, mpr
    ldi    mpr, 0b00000001    ; enable pull-up resistor for pin 0
    out    PORTD, mpr

    ; Timer/Counter0
    ; Fast PWM mode, non-inverting, prescale = 8
    _____(1)
    _____(2)

    ; Initial compare value for PWM output
    _____(3)
    _____(4)

MAIN:
    sbis   PIND, 0
    rcall  DUTY_STEP
    rjmp   MAIN

DUTY_STEP:
    push   mpr
    push   temp

    in     mpr, _____    ; read the current PWM compare value
    ldi    temp, step
    add    mpr, temp          ; add step value to compare value
    out    _____, mpr    ; write new PWM compare value

    pop    temp
    pop    mpr
    ret                                ; return
```