



ENG3640 Micro Computer Interfacing

General Information Handout

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Research Interests

- VLSI Physical Design Automation (CAD Tools)
- Reconfigurable Computing Systems
- Embedded Systems



Outline

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Lecture & Lab Schedule

- Lectures
 - 1. 11:30 12:20 MACK 308 (M,W,F)
- > Tutorials
 - 1. 12:30 1:30 MACK 234 (Wednesday)
- > LABS
 - 1. 2:30 4:20 THRN 2307, (Friday)



Tex Book and References

- Text Book: MC68HC12: An Introduction Software and Hardware Interfacing, By Huang, 2005.
- References
 - Motorola 68HC11/68HC12 User Manuals
 - 2. H. Stone, Microcomputer Interfacing
 - 3. Handouts

Resources & Communication

- http://www.uoguelph.ca/~sareibi
- Communications
 - 1. E-mail
 - 2. Eng364 Web Page (Announcement)
 - 3. Newsgroup if available



Course Objectives

- Introduces you to small microprocessor based systems (Embedded Systems)
- Achieves the following goals:
 - 1. Learn about Microcontrollers
 - 2. Understand Software Development
 - 3. Learn Basic I/O techniques (Parallel, Serial)
 - 4. Learn Hardware/Software timing and Inter
 - 5. Understand Data Acquisition Systems

Acquiring Skills



Inroduction to Interfacing, Micro Controller Structure, Programming Interfacing Techniques

Parallel Port Interfacing Serial Port Interfacing, Memory Interfacing Essential Concepts

Interrupts, Timing Generation Busses, Transmission Lines



Analog Signals, Sensors, Transducers, A/D Conv D/A Conv Data Acquisition
Systems



Relationship to Other Courses



Pre-requisite: Should learn

Combinational and Sequential

Logic Design, Data Path and Control

ENG339 Signal Processing

Co-requisite: teaches you the Basics of processing signals, Filters, DSP Processors, helps With Concepts about DAS ENG354
Electrical
Devices

Helps understand issues About Transistors, ICs, Operational Amplifiers

Will help you with triese Courses since they use Similar concepts covered

ENG340 ENG442





Tentative Schedule

- 1. Week #1, Introduction to Interfacing, Micro
- 2. Week #2, #3, Programming, Assembly
- 3. Week #4, Interfacing Concepts (Parallel)
- 4. Week #5, Interrupts
- 5. Week #6, Timing Generation Techniques
- 6. Week #7,#8, Data Acquisition Systems
- 7. Week #9, Serial Communication
- 8. Week #10, Busses
- 9. Week #11, Memory
- Week #12, Misc Topics, Review



Assignments

- Assignment#1, (Week#2) → Assembly Language Programming
- 2. Assignment#2, (Week#3) → Cont .. Assembly Programming
- 3. Assignment#3, (Week#4) → General Interfacing Concepts
- 4. Assignment#4, (Week#5) → Interrupt Driven I/O
- 5. Assignment#5, (Week#7) → Data Acquisition System
- 6. Assignment#6, (Week#9) → Serial Communications
- 7. Assignment#7, (Week#10) → Busses and Transmission Lines
- 8. Assignment#8, (Week#11) -> Memory Interfacing



LABS

- Labs are an integral part of the course. The objectives of the labs are:
 - Understand and assimilate lecture material
 - 2. Give practical experience using HC11/HC12
 - 3. Give you experience using Assembler/Comp
 - Learn about Serial Communications, Data Acquisition Systems, Interrupts, Timers, LCDs



Labs: Due Dates

- Lab#0, Week#2,
- Lab#1, Week#3, \rightarrow 4,
- Lab#2, Week#4, \rightarrow 5,
- Lab#3, Week#5, \rightarrow 6, Keypad Interfacing
- Lab#4, Week#6, \rightarrow 8,

- **Equipment and Software**
- M68HC12 Programming
- Parallel Port Programming.
- Servo Motor Control/LCD
- Lab#5, Week#8, \rightarrow 9, Data Acquisition Systems
- Lab#6, Week#9, \rightarrow 10, Design of Real Time Clock
- Lab#7, Week#10,→ 11, Serial RF-Communication



Exam Schedule

- Quizzes, any time! (in Tutorial or Lecture), covers material of previous weeks.
- Midterms,
 - Week 8, Thur (TBA)
- > Final Exam, Week#13, Dec 14th, Covers weeks 1-12



Evaluation

| Topic | Weight | Details |
|-------------|--------|--------------------------------------|
| Assignments | 5% | Every week, Hand in during tutorial |
| Labs | 25% | Report, Questions by TA, Preparation |
| Quizzes | 5% | 2 Quizzes, any week. |
| Midterm | 20% | Covers weeks 1-7 |
| Final Exam | 45% | Covers topics from Week1-12 |



Important Issues

- ▶ If you miss a Quiz there will be no make-up for it unless you have a medical excuse.
- In order to pass the course, you must pass both the lab and exam course portion. Students must obtain a grade of 50% or higher on the exam portion of the course.
- ➤ If a <u>laboratory is missed</u> due to illness or other reason, arrangements must be made with the teaching assistant to complete a make-up lab.



Academic Misconduct

- ➤ The policy for this course is zero tolerance for any form of academic misconduct.
- ➤ <u>Directly copying another student's work</u> or copying portions of code for example assembly language code e.t.c., is an honor code violation and will result in failing grade and may result in a failing grade in the course.
- Students will automatically be referred to the Director of the School/Dean of CPES for action.
- Please refer to the regulations outlines in the student handbook regarding academic misconduct.



Simple Advice

- Attend all Lectures!
- Attempt all assignments
- Make use of your Teaching Assistants
- Understand the lab requirements and don't rely on your colleagues!!
- Study in groups (don't rely on others!)
- Identify your strengths and weaknesses
- Manage your time!!!!!!!!



