

# ECE 376 - Homework #8

Timer 2 Interrupts. Due Monday, March 28th

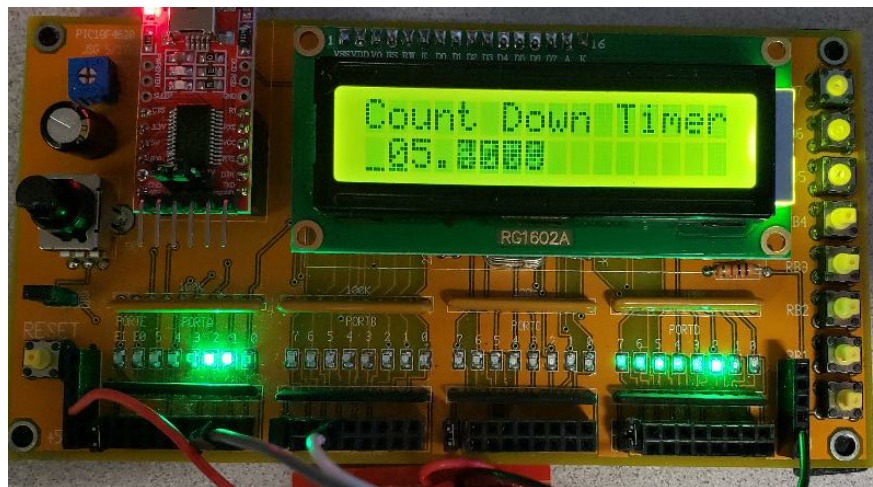
## Measuring Time to 0.1ms with Timer2 Interrupts

1) Write a routine for a count-down timer with a resolution of 0.1ms (repeat homework #4 but now with interrupts)

- Time is measured to 0.1ms using Timer2 interrupts
- Each interrupt, pin RC0 is toggled (outputting a 5kHz square wave on RC0)
- Each interrupt (every 0.1ms), TIME is decremented to zero, stopping at zero
- TIME is displayed on the LCD display to 1ms: xx.xxxx
- When you press RB0, the time is reset to 5.0000 seconds
- When you press RB1, the time is reset to 10.0000 seconds
- When you press RB2, the time is reset to 15.0000 seconds
- When you press RB3, the time is reset to 20.0000 seconds

Check the accuracy of your stopwatch

- Measure the frequency on RC0 when sent to a speaker using a cell phone app (Frequency Counter works)



Code:

< insert code and flow chart >

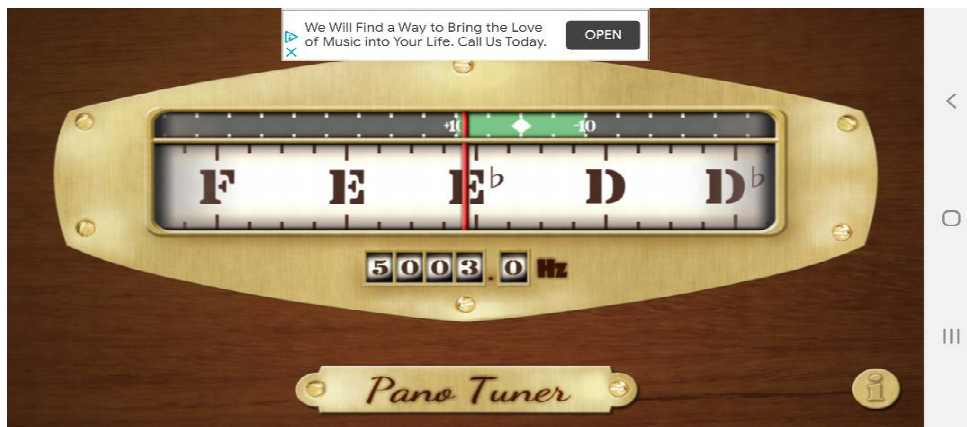
## Compilation Results:

### Memory Summary:

Program space	used	A00h ( 2602)	of 10000h bytes	( 4.0%)
Data space	used	33h ( 51)	of F80h bytes	( 1.3%)
EEPROM space	used	0h ( 0)	of 400h bytes	( 0.0%)
ID Location space	used	0h ( 0)	of 8h nibbles	( 0.0%)
Configuration bits	used	0h ( 0)	of 7h words	( 0.0%)

Frequency on RA1: 5003.0 Hz

- verifies that timer2 is running every 100us
- ( 99.940us measured )



## Generating Frequencies with Timer2 Interrupts

2) Write a routine which turns plays your PIC into a 1-string banjo using Timer2 interrupts

- Play note D3# (155.56Hz) on pin RC0 when button RB0 is pressed
- Check the accuracy of your music note using your cell phone (or whatever else you have on hand)

$$N = ABC = \left( \frac{10,000,000}{2 \cdot Hz} \right) = 32,141.939$$

Let

- A = 8
- B = 251
- C = 16

$$N = ABC = 32,128 \text{ (0.043\% low)}$$

To do this

T2CON							
7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1
A = 8					T2E	C = 16	

- T2CON = 0x3F
- PR2 = 250

Result:

- f = 155.6Hz

Code:

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// Problem #2
// 123.47Hz

// Global Variables

const unsigned char MSG0[21] = "155.56Hz";
const unsigned char MSG1[21] = " ";

// Subroutine Declarations
#include <pic18.h>

// Subroutines
#include "lcd_portd.c"

// High-priority service
void interrupt IntServe(void)
{
    if (TMR2IF) {
        if(RB0) RC1 = !RC1;
        TMR2IF = 0;
    }
}
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    }

// Main Routine
void main(void)
{
    unsigned char i;

    TRISA = 0;
    TRISB = 0xFF;
    TRISC = 0;
    TRISD = 0;
    TRISE = 0;
    ADCON1 = 0x0F;

    LCD_Init(); // initialize the LCD

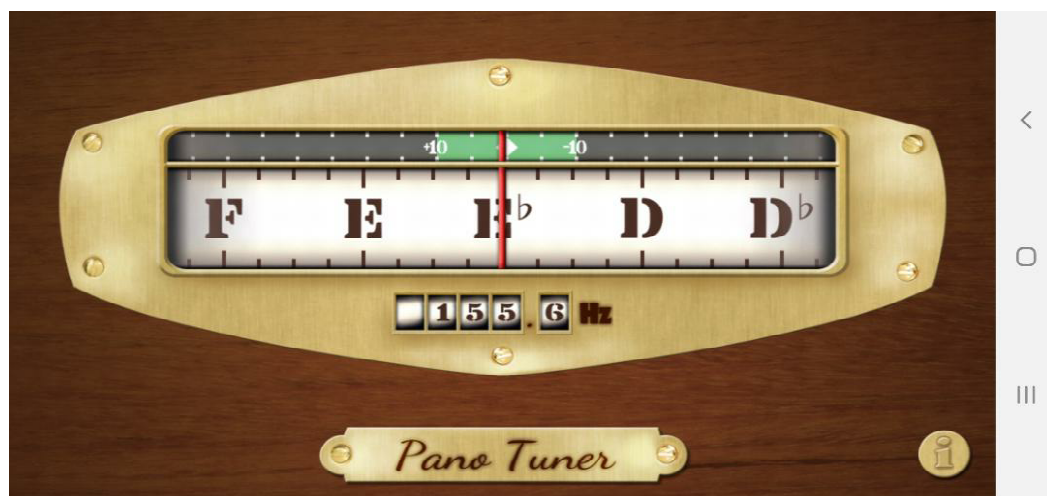
    LCD_Move(0,0); for (i=0; i<20; i++) LCD_Write(MSG0[i]);
    LCD_Move(1,0); for (i=0; i<20; i++) LCD_Write(MSG1[i]);

// set up Timer2 155.56Hz
    T2CON = 0x3F;
    PR2 = 250;
    TMR2ON = 1;
    TMR2IE = 1;
    TMR2IP = 1;
    PEIE = 1;

// turn on all interrupts
    GIE = 1;
    i = 0;

    while(1) {
        i = i + 1;
        LCD_Move(1,0); LCD_Out(i, 3, 0);
        Wait_ms(250);
    }
}

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## Stepper Motor Roulette Wheel

**3) Requirements:** Explain what the inputs are / what the outputs are / and how they relate. Also explain how Timer2 interrupts will be used in your embedded system.

Input:

- RB0

Output:

- Stepper Motor (on PORTA)
- LCD Display (on PORTD)

Relationship:

- To start the game, press and release RB0.
- This generates a random number from 0..7
- The stepper motor then turns 3 rotations plus  $25 \times N$  steps at a rate of 10ms/step (set by Timer2)
- The number (0..7) is also displayed on the LCD display as the stepper motor turns

Calculations:

10ms/step is too large for Timer2 directly. So, a counter is added so that the stepper motor turns every 10th interrupt

- Timer2: 1ms
  - A = 10
  - B = 250
  - C = 4
  - Toggle RD0 every interrupt (results in 500Hz square wave on RD0)
- 10th interrupt = 10ms
  - Step the motor every 10ms

#### 4) C-Code and flow chart.

< insert code >

#### 5) Data. Your raw data (at least two data points)

Timer2 Interrupt

- 499.0Hz



Winning Numbers

- 1, 6, 3, 0, 1, 5, 0, 3, 7, 5, 6, 0, 5

**6) Statistical Analysis:** Analyze your data to determine

- The 90% confidence interval, or
- Who in your group can jump the highest (with what probability level), or
- Something else (your pick - just use some statistics to analyze your data)

With only 14 numbers, there isn't enough data to do a chi-squared test with 8 bins, so use two bins

bin	p	np	N	chi-squared
even	0.5	7	8	1/7
odd	0.5	7	6	1/7
Total				2/7

From StatTrek, with 1 degree of freedom, this corresponds to a probability of 0.41

**I am 41% certain this is not a fair die**

Using a different grouping:

bin	p	np	N	chi-squared
0..3	0.5	7	7	0/7
4..7	0.5	7	7	0/7
Total				0/7

**I am 0% certain this is not a fair die**

Using yet another grouping:

bin	p	np	N	chi-squared
0 or 5	2/8	3.5	6	1.786
other	6/8	10.5	11	0.595
Total				2.381

From a chi-squared table with 1 degree of freedom, this corresponds to a probability of 0.88

**I am 88% certain this is not a fair die**

7) Demo (in person during Zoom office hours or in a video)