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The Capacitive Touch Children's Guitar is a fully functional electronic toy demonstrating an application of Cypress Semiconductor's CapSense touch sensing technology. It was developed as a senior design project by myself and two other engineering students. I was responsible for the guitar's LED lights, main microcontroller and sound storage and playback from a flash memory card. In addition, I built a flash memory programmer to load the sound data onto the flash card. This document presents a view of the overall design and an in-depth look at my contributions.

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## CONTRIBUTION OF CO-AUTHORS

This paper describes a senior design project created by Casey Silbernagel, Randy Suhargo and myself. Some of their work has been included in the engineering design specification.

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### Introduction

In the fall of 2009, I began working on the "Touch Controlled Music Player" with Casey Silbernagel and Randy Suhargo. The idea of using capacitive touch technology in a music-playing children's toy was suggested by our mentor, Robert Eilers of Cypress Semiconductor, who was inspired by one of his son's musical toys. A similar toy incorporating Cypress' CapSense technology would be a fun project as well as a good demonstration of the uses of capacitive touch. We were given significant leeway with our design, and considered several ideas, such as a piano and turntable, before eventually deciding on the "Guitar Hero"-inspired toy guitar.



Figure 1 – Guitar Hero guitar with "strummer" and buttons on neck

In addition to the basic requirements of "plays music" and "contains Cypress CapSense technology", the project had a few other requirements. It needed to be safe for children, durable enough to be dropped, have a battery life of at least three hours, and have physical buttons and LED lights to generate additional interest.

#### **Project Overview**

The project design was completed fall term, following the requirements for the senior design class. We worked on building the guitar during winter and spring term and were able to complete construction by the Engineering Expo. The design required only a few minor adjustments during construction.

At the simplest level, the guitar can be thought of as having inputs (mechanical buttons and touch sensitive strummer), outputs (sound and LEDs) and a control system (microcontroller and flash memory). In addition, the project required a custom guitarshaped enclosure. During project development and construction, I was responsible for the LED, flash memory, and microcontroller sections.

### **Overview of Co-Authors' Work**

As mentioned previously, the project was a group effort between Casey Silbernagel, Randy Suhargo, and myself. I will briefly review their contributions to the project (which are necessary for understanding how the guitar works) before examining my own work in detail.

An essential component to any electronic device is power. Early on, we decided that the device would run at 3.3 volts and would be powered by commonly available batteries. The guitar was also required to have a battery life of three hours or more. Based on power budget calculations, we decided that four AA batteries connected to a UA78M00 fixed-voltage regulator would be an appropriate power source.

Naturally, a guitar toy will be expected to play sound. The design of our guitar sound generation system was based heavily off an Atmel application note [1] describing a voice

recorder application. The sound circuitry converts a 16 kHz pulse-width modulated (PWM) digital signal from the microcontroller back into analog for sound playback. This is accomplished using a low-pass filter with a cutoff frequency of approximately 4 kHz.



Figure 2 - Sampled sound encoded as PWM



Figure 3 - Approximation of original sound after low-pass filter

The filtered sound is amplified by a TPA731 audio amplifier, delivering 250 mW with a total harmonic distortion of 0.55%. This satisfies the company mentor's request that the THD be below 1%.

The amplified sound is played through an 8-ohm speaker. A special requirement for the speaker was that it needed to be small enough to fit in the constrained space of the guitar case.

One particularly unique aspect of the guitar project was the need for a custom-built case. The option of repurposing an existing case such as a Guitar Hero guitar was considered, but rejected due to the fact that the guitar had to be small enough for children age 3-5, and a gutted commercial product would be even more constrained in terms of internal space.



#### Figure 4 - Completed guitar in case

Our guitar case was modeled in SolidWorks and 3D printed at OSU. Before the Engineering Expo, the case was painted in OSU's colors of orange and black. The backing is made of clear polycarbonate so the internal components can be seen. On the neck of the guitar, there are four spring-loaded buttons connected to internal switches.

The "capacitive touch" aspect of the guitar can be seen on the "strings" area of the guitar picture above. Because we wanted a rather large "strumming pad", we needed to implement a two-dimensional touchpad-style capacitive touch surface rather than the

simpler "slider" touch surface we had originally planned on implementing. This added some development time to the capacitive touch section. We used the CapSense CY8C20534 chip from Cypress to interpret the touch surface input and produce suitable outputs for the microcontroller. The CapSense chip also controls the six lights on either side of the touchpad; these will light up in sequence as a user slides his or her finger across.

#### Flash Memory

One of the most difficult aspects of the design and implementation of the project was figuring out how to store the sound data in a way that could easily be accessed by the microcontroller. Most microcontrollers contain less than 100 KB of onboard flash memory. This is a lot of memory for code storage, but insufficient for storing any kind of multimedia; a sound file even a few seconds long can be hundreds of kilobytes. (We had decided early on that our guitar should output "real" sampled guitar noises, not simple tones.)

The first challenge was deciding which medium the data should be stored on. The aforementioned Atmel application note [1] used an external flash memory chip to store and play back recorded sound data. However, this solution was unsuitable for use in the guitar because there is no easy way to load data from an external source to the flash chip. Through my research I found that SD cards, commonly used in cameras, cell phones and other mobile devices, were also popular in microcontroller projects. The SD card can be accessed through a standard SPI interface available on most microcontrollers. Due to SD's popularity, there is a large amount of code and documentation available on the web.

The cards are commonly available and inexpensive. It's even possible to easily make SD card sockets by using MicroSD cards and soldering 0.1" header to the breakout adapter.

One of the biggest appeals of using the SD card was the possibility that data could be loaded to the card directly from a computer. Further examination showed that this solution was not as easy as it looked. A computer operating system cannot access an SD card (or any other storage media) unless it has been formatted. In the case of flash memory, this usually means FAT16 or FAT32 formatting. However, from the perspective of the guitar microcontroller, accessing formatted data storage adds a significant layer of complexity and extra computation time. Ideally, the sound data should be written unformatted to the SD card and read directly.



Figure 5 - SD Card Programmer

The solution I came up with was to build a separate SD card programmer to load unformatted "raw" data directly to the SD card, which could then easily be accessed by the LM3S811 microcontroller simply by knowing the block number and length of the data to be read. This design is based on another project that uses an ATmega8 or ATmega32 microcontroller to read from or write to an SD card. [2] Due to unavailability of the mega8 or mega32 at the time of building, I was forced to use an ATmega88 as a replacement, and modified the existing codebase to work with this microcontroller. Another difficulty was getting the code small enough to fit into the ATmega88's 8K of internal Flash memory. The original code had been just small enough to squeeze onto the mega8, and with a small amount of tweaking fit on the mega88 as well. However, I needed to add one of the "advanced" features from the ATmega32 version of the code – the ability to write to multiple blocks at a time. I was able to accomplish this by cutting out unnecessary features (such as the ability to read or erase blocks) until the multiple block write function finally fit.

The flash memory programmer has an RS-232 interface for use with a PC terminal program. Because my laptop does not have a serial port, I needed to use an off-the-shelf USB-serial adapter. I had no difficulty accessing the device using a standard terminal program.

```
> 3 : Write multiple Blocks
> Select Option (0-9): d
Invalid option!
Press any key...
> 3 : Write multiple Blocks
> Select Option (0-9): 3
Enter the Block number (0000-9999):0300
How many blocks? (000-999):017
Enter text (NEVER ENDING):
2:24 22×137 0k 19200 N81
```

#### Figure 6 - Writing the flash memory from a PC terminal

The flash memory programmer proved to be an effective method for loading sound data onto the SD card. One downside was that it was unexpectedly slow – often taking upwards of an hour to transfer a single sound clip. However, the ability to load "raw" data, which could then be accessed directly by the microcontroller, significantly reduced the complexity of programming for the LM3S811.

### Lights

I was responsible for the six LED lights on the top of the guitar's neck. The initial LED design used only two GPIO from the microcontroller, with three LEDs each being controlled by a single GPIO. Because the microcontroller can only source or sink up to 8

mA of current per GPIO line, transistors were added to the design to allow approximately 13.3 mA of current through each LED.



Figure 7 - Initial light block design

During spring term, the group decided that it would be better if each light could be controlled separately. The microcontroller had four extra GPIOs, so there wasn't a problem on that end. An unexpected difficulty came from the constrained size of the case. The protoboard containing the light components had to fit in a small area on top of the guitar and was already cramped. Building a new light board would have required additional labor and time, which we were already strained for. The old light board was simply rewired so each LED connected to the microcontroller, rather than being connected through the base of the transistor. The downside to this approach was that the LEDs could no longer be driven by the transistors, and instead were driven by the microcontroller. This resulted in the LEDs becoming dimmer.



Figure 8 - Light block after rewiring

## **Microcontroller**

My largest responsibility on the touch controlled music player was the central microcontroller. The microcontroller is responsible for controlling the entire design. It must interpret the input from the CapSense controllers and physical buttons and send appropriate outputs to the light and sound blocks. Since sound data is too large to fit in a microcontroller's onboard flash memory, the microcontroller must also be capable of accessing an external memory at relatively high speeds. The device must run fast enough and contain enough memory to manage all these tasks at once.

I researched several microcontroller boards before deciding on the Stellaris LM3S811 Evaluation Kit from Luminary Micro (now owned by Texas Instruments). Using a microcontroller board, rather than a standalone microcontroller, is an obvious choice for a proof-of-concept prototype (as opposed to a commercially produced device). A microcontroller board will have easily accessible GPIO pins, which is especially important for chips that are only available in surface mount packages. Preferably, these pins will be spaced at a standard pitch (usually 0.1") so the board can be mounted to headers and attached or detached from the rest of the system easily. Another mechanical consideration was the size of the board itself, given the constrained nature of the guitar case. The LM3S811 Evaluation Kit measures 3.5" x 1.5", which is reasonably small.



Figure 9 - Stellaris LM3S811 Evaluation Kit

Other reasons the LM3S811 was a good candidate are that, first and foremost, it contained more than enough GPIO pins for the CapSense, buttons and lights. Second, it was capable of outputting a PWM signal with 16 bits of quantization at 16 KHz. It could also run SPI at speeds upwards of 2 MHz. Because the microcontroller would be outputting the sounds it accessed from the Flash memory via SPI, it was important that the SPI could run much faster than the PWM and not introduce any noticeable delay into sound playback. The microcontroller itself runs at up to 50 MHz, though I chose to run it

at 40 MHz for ease of frequency division. It contains 64KB of Flash memory for code and 8KB of SRAM. This is more than enough memory, even considering the two 512byte buffers needed for sound playback in RAM. The LM3S811 is built around an ARM Cortex-M3 core, which I was already familiar with from an earlier project. The manufacturer provides "StellarisWare" libraries for easy control of the various onboard subsystems. There are also a number of hobbyist projects using the LM3S811. The most useful of these was a project that accessed data from an SD card. [3] The code for this project was freely available, and using it saved me a lot of time.

Two other nice "bonus" features of the board were the OLED display and the JTAG-USB interface. The OLED display allowed for the use of "print" functions on the microcontroller. While not strictly necessary, it was nice to have during initial testing of the SD card interface. I also used it to display error messages. The JTAG-USB interface meant that I did not have to purchase a separate JTAG-USB programmer to program and debug. The microcontroller board runs at 3.3V and draws around 80 mA of current. [4] This was deemed an acceptable level of power consumption.

#### **Microcontroller Programming**

The most difficult aspect of programming the microcontroller was reading the sound data from the SD card and outputting that data as a PWM signal. Compared to this task, implementation of the CapSense and button interrupts and light output was trivial.

One issue that arose was the problem of how to convert sound samples (typically available as WAV files) into the 16-bit, 16 kHz sampled sounds that would be used on the microcontroller. Even if the WAV file could be re-sampled, I wasn't going to spend

time figuring out how to decode a WAV file in the LM3S811 code. The solution I decided on was to use MATLAB and its "wavread" and "resample" functions to change WAV files to the required format. Once converted, the sounds were loaded to the SD card using the flash memory programmer. I obtained the sampled guitar sounds from the website "The Freesound Project" [6], which is a large database of sounds licensed under Creative Commons. In particular, the sounds I used were "that\_beatles\_chord" by "justkiddink" [6] and "chord1", "chord2", "chord3" and "chord5" by "NoiseCollector" [7].

To play back the sound as it was loaded from the SD card, I implemented a simple state machine. In order to avoid skipping in the sound playback, I needed to be able to read a block of sound data from the SD card while simultaneously playing the previous block out the PWM. I used two 512-byte buffers (512 bytes is the size of an SD card block) named buf0 and buf1. When an interrupt from the CapSense or buttons indicates that there is a sound to be played, the state machine will first enter the LBUF0 state and load the first block of the sound into buf0. (All sound locations and lengths are hardcoded using define statements.) The delay to load a single block is only a few milliseconds and too short to be detected by the user.



Figure 10 - State machine for sound loading and playback

The blocks\_remaining variable is initialized by the CapSense or button interrupt as the hardcoded size (in blocks) of the selected sound. (All sounds have been adjusted so that they do not occupy partial blocks.) It is decremented each time a block is loaded into a buffer. If there are still blocks remaining to be played, the state machine moves to either

the LBUF1\_PBUF0 state or the LBUF0\_PBUF1 state and loads the next block using SPI while outputting the previous block on the PWM. The state machine will wait in the current state until the PWM has finished outputting each encoded sample, as indicated by the cnt variable. (Since sound samples are 16-bit, there are 256 samples per block.) After all blocks have been read, the state machine will move to the PBUF0 or PBUF1 state, play the last block, then return to the OFF state.

The rest of the microcontroller code was fairly trivial to implement. The CapSense chip outputs an active-low signal when "strummed", which triggers an interrupt on the microcontroller. Initially, there were also interrupts associated with the buttons; these were later removed, so the guitar will only play sounds when the CapSense is touched. Holding buttons while strumming the CapSense causes different sounds to be played. The buttons also use standard GPIO, and are active-high. The LEDs, as noted earlier, are active-low.

#### Conclusion

In many ways, the touch-controlled guitar project was a natural extension of my other work with microcontrollers, including a test board I designed at Datalogic Scanning and the clock radio from ECE 473. The most challenging aspect of the project was the sound storage and playback; especially the unexpected need to build a separate flash memory programmer. In the end, my design worked successfully and the toy guitar outputs realistic-sounding guitar sounds when "strummed".

At present, there are a number of improvements I would consider implementing to improve on the guitar design. One improvement would be allowing the microcontroller to read sound files from formatted SD cards. This would greatly simplify the process of loading sounds on the SD card by allowing them to be loaded directly from a computer. This would not have been a feasible addition during the initial implementation of the SD card interface, but would make a good improvement. I would also consider using a faster PWM to output sound data that had been sampled at a higher rate. Ideally, the PWM would run at 44.1 kHz (a standard sampling rate for audio files), which would allow the encoding of sounds encompassing the entire range of human hearing (approximately 20 Hz – 20 kHz). This would also require a change to the low-pass filter.

I had a lot of fun working on the touch-controlled guitar. I've always been interested in microcontroller-based toys and this project provided an opportunity to create one in real life. Our Expo showing was successful and attracted a lot of attention from our target audience – young children and their parents. I couldn't think of a better way to have finished off my five years as an undergraduate in Electrical and Computer Engineering.

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## **Appendix B - Flash Memory Programmer Schematic**

The flash memory programmer uses an ATmega88 microcontroller. It is adapted from the ATmega8-based design from "SD Card Interfacing with ATmega8 / 32". [2]



## Appendix C - Microcontroller Code

The microcontroller code is written in C for the Stellaris LM3S811 microcontroller.

```
SeniorDesign/microcontroller_code/sound_test/sound_test.c
                                                                                                                                                                                                                     Page 1
 // Test the ability to read from the SD card.
// spi_read_test.c
// Erin Sullivan
 // 2.21.2010
 //**********
                                        *****
#include "inc/hw_types.h"
#include "inc/hw_memmap.h"
#include "inc/hw_ints.h"
#include "driverlib/debug.h"
#include "driverlib/sysctl.h"
#include "driverlib/systick.h"
#include "driverlib/ssi.h"
#include "driverlib/gpio.h"
#include "driverild/gpio.n"
#include "inc/hw_ssi.h"
#include "drivers/display96x16x1.h"
#include "lib/sd_spi.h"
#include "driverlib/pwm.h"
#include "driverlib/interrupt.h"
#include "driverlib/interrupt.h"
#include #driverlib/interrupt.h"
#include #driverlib/interrupt.h"
#include #driverlib/interrupt.h"
#include #driverlib/interrupt.h"
#include #driverlib/interrupt.h"
#include #driverlib/interrupt.h"
#include #driverlib/gpio.n"
#include #driverlib/gpio.n"
#include #driverlib/gpio.n"
#include #drivers/display96x16x1.h"
#include #drivers/display96x16x1.h"
#include #drivers/display96x16x1.h"
#include #driverlib/gpio.n"
#include #driverli
 #include <string.h>
unsigned char buf0[512];
unsigned char buf1[512];
unsigned volatile int cnt = 0;
unsigned int blocksRemaining;
 unsigned long sound;
                                                                                                             //the index of the sound data
 unsigned int offset;
                                                                                                              //block offset for reading from SD
unsigned char sound_state = 0;
unsigned int timeout = 0;
                                                                                                              //state machine variable for sound playback
                                                                                                              //timeout
 unsigned char test_pin_on = 0;
                                                                                                              //whether to auto-reset PC7 (test light/LED5
 ) or not
 unsigned char test_led_count = 0;
                                                                                                            //use test pin to implement binary count wit
h led
unsigned long sound_locs[] = {300, 400, 1000, 1112, 1301, 1444, 2000, 2038, 2074,
2108, 3000, 3143, 3308, 3590, 6000};
unsigned int sound_lens[] = {17, 49, 112, 189, 143, 103, 38, 36, 34, 34, 143, 12,
282, 234, 50};
#define PWM_VALUE 8000
 #define SOUND_HONK
                                                                  0
#define SOUND_CAT
#define SOUND_CHORD1
#define SOUND_CHORD2
                                                                  1
                                                                  2
                                                                  3
 #define SOUND CHORD3
                                                                  4
 #define SOUND_CHORD4
                                                                  5
 #define SOUND TONEA
                                                                  6
7
 #define SOUND TONEB
 #define SOUND TONED
                                                                  8
 #define SOUND_TONEG
                                                                  9
#define SOUND_TBC
#define SOUND_CHORD8
                                                                  10
                                                                  11
 #define SOUND_CRIFF1
                                                                  12
 #define SOUND_FRIFF
                                                                  13
#define SOUND_NONE
                                                                  14
 //sound playback states
#define OFF
#define LBUF0
                                                                  0
                                                                  1
 #define LBUF1_PBUF0
                                                                  2
#define LBUF0_PBUF1
#define PBUF0
                                                                  3
                                                                  Δ
#define PBUF1
                                                                  5
 #define BUTTON1_SOUND
                                                                                        SOUND_CHORD1
                                                                                       SOUND_CHORD2
SOUND_CHORD3
SOUND_CHORD4
 #define BUTTON2_SOUND
#define BUTTON1_SOUND
#define BUTTON4_SOUND
#define BUTTON1_ALT_SOUND
#define BUTTON1_ALT_SOUND
                                                                                       SOUND_TBC
SOUND_HONK
```

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#define BUTTON3 ALT SO	UND SOUND CAT
#define BUTTON4 ALT SOU	
#define CAPSENSE_SOUND	SOUND_TBC
#define TEST_SOUND	SOUND_CAT
//button/capsense gpio	bases
#define BUTTON1_BASE	GPIO_PORTD_BASE
#define BUTTON2_BASE	GPIO_PORTD_BASE
#define BUTTON3_BASE #define BUTTON4 BASE	
#define CAPSENSE BASE	GPIO_PORTB_BASE
#define TEST_BASE	GPIO_PORTC_BASE
//button/capsense gpio	pins
#define BUTTON1_PIN	GPIO_PIN_4
#define BUTTON2_PIN	GPIO_PIN_5
#define BUTTON3_PIN	GPIO_PIN_0
#define BUTTON4_PIN #define CAPSENSE PIN	GPIO_PIN_1 GPIO_PIN_4
#define TEST_PIN	GPIO_PIN_4 GPIO_PIN_4
//LED gpio bases	
#define LED1 BASE	GPIO PORTB BASE
#define LED2_BASE	GPI0_PORTC_BASE
#define LED3_BASE	GPIO_PORTB_BASE
#define LED4_BASE	GPIO_PORTD_BASE
#define LED5_BASE #define LED6 BASE	GPIO_PORTC_BASE GPIO_PORTC_BASE
//LED gpio pins #define LED1 PIN	GPIO PIN 6
#define LED2 PIN	GPIO PIN 7
#define LED3 PIN	GPIO PIN 5
#define LED4_PIN	GPIO_PIN_1
#define LED5_PIN	GPIO_PIN_5
#define LED6_PIN	GPIO_PIN_6
//LED bitfields	01
#define LED1 #define LED2	0x1 0x2
#define LED3	0x4
#define LED4	0x8
#define LED5	0x10
#define LED6	0x20
//LED physical location	
	LED2
#define LED_L_YELLOW #define LED L GREEN	LED3
#define LED R RED	LED1
#define LED_R_RED #define LED_R_YELLOW	LED6
#define LED_R_GREEN	LED5
#define TIMEOUT_MS	300000 //timeout value in ms
//*******************	***********************
//	
//! \addtogroup example //! <h1>Hello World (he</h1>	
//! //! A very simple ``he	llo world'' example. It simply displays ``hello world''
//! on the LCD and is a //	a starting point for more complicated applications.
//****************************	*********************
	***************************************
	hat is called if the driver library encounters an error.
// //****************************	******
//************************************	

```
SeniorDesign/microcontroller_code/sound_test/sound_test.c
                                                                        Page 3
 error__(char *pcFilename, unsigned long ulLine)
#endif
//Helper function to turn LEDs on/off.
void LEDControl(int leds){
       if(leds & LED1)
              GPIOPinWrite(LED1 BASE, LED1 PIN, 0);
       else
              GPIOPinWrite(LED1_BASE, LED1_PIN, LED1_PIN);
       else
              GPIOPinWrite(LED2_BASE, LED2_PIN, LED2_PIN);
       if(leds & LED3)
              GPIOPinWrite(LED3_BASE, LED3_PIN, 0);
       else
              GPIOPinWrite(LED3 BASE, LED3 PIN, LED3 PIN);
       if(leds & LED4)
              GPIOPinWrite(LED4_BASE, LED4_PIN, 0);
       else
              GPIOPinWrite(LED4_BASE, LED4_PIN, LED4_PIN);
       else
              GPIOPinWrite(LED5_BASE, LED5_PIN, LED5_PIN);
       else
              GPIOPinWrite(LED6_BASE, LED6_PIN, LED6_PIN);
}
                         ******
//*
11
// The PWM interrupt handler.
11
void PWMIntHandler(void) {
       unsigned long ulStatus;
       unsigned long ulPeriod;
       unsigned int value;
       ulPeriod = SysCtlClockGet() / (4*PWM_VALUE);
       //play from buffer 0
if((sound_state == LBUF1_PBUF0) || (sound_state == PBUF0)){
    value = buf0[2*cnt];
    value += buf0[2*cnt+1] * 0x100; //convert chars to int
              cnt++;
              if (value > 65010)
value = 65010;
              PWMPulseWidthSet(PWM_BASE, PWM_OUT_0, ulPeriod * (value + 1) / 65536
);
       }
       else if((sound_state == LBUF0_PBUF1) || (sound_state == PBUF1)){
              value = buf1[2*cnt+1] * 0x100; //convert chars to int
              cnt++:
              if (value > 65010)
value = 65010;
              PWMPulseWidthSet(PWM_BASE, PWM_OUT_0, ulPeriod * (value + 1) / 65536
);
       }
       else {
              //50% duty cycle
```

```
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                                                                                                                                                    Page 4
                              PWMPulseWidthSet(PWM BASE, PWM OUT 0, ulPeriod / 2);
                              cnt=256; //don't get stuck
               }
               // Get the interrrupt status.
               ulStatus = PWMGenIntStatus(PWM BASE, PWM GEN 0, true);
               // Clear the asserted interrupts.
PWMGenIntClear(PWM_BASE, PWM_GEN_0, ulStatus);
}
           *****
//*
11
     The GPIO Port B interrupt handler. (CapSense interrupt)
11
//Button 1 is pressed.
if(GPIOPinRead(BUTTON1_BASE, BUTTON1_PIN)){
    sound = sound_locs[BUTTON1_SOUND];
    blocksRemaining = sound_lens[BUTTON1_SOUND];
    LEDControl(LED_L_RED[LED_R_YELLOW|LED_L_GREEN);
//button 2 is also pressed = play the alt sound
    if(GPIOPinRead(BUTTON2_BASE, BUTTON2_PIN)) {
        sound = sound_locs[BUTTON1_ALT_SOUND];
        blocksRemaining = sound_lens[BUTTON1_ALT_SOUND];
}
             //Button 2 is pressed.
else if(GPIOPinRead(BUTTON2_BASE, BUTTON2_PIN)){
    sound = sound_locs[BUTTON2_SOUND];
    blocksRemaining = sound_lens[BUTTON2_SOUND];
    LEDControl(LED_L_RED|LED_R_RED|LED_L_GREEN|LED_R_GREEN);
//button 3 is also pressed = play the alt sound
    if(GPIOPinRead(BUTTON3_BASE, BUTTON3_PIN)) {
        sound = sound_locs[BUTTON2_ALT_SOUND];
        blocksRemaining = sound_lens[BUTTON2_ALT_SOUND];
    }
}
               sound = sound locs[BUTTON3 SOUND];
              iblocksRemaining = sound_lens[BUTTON3_SOUND];
    LEDControl(LED_R_RED|LED_L_YELLOW|LED_R_GREEN);
    //button 4 is also pressed = play the alt sound
    if(GPIOPinRead(BUTTON4_BASE, BUTTON4_PIN)) {
        sound = sound_locs[BUTTON3_ALT_SOUND];
        blockBUTTON3_ALT_SOUND];
        blockBUTTON3_ALT_SOUND];
                                             blocksRemaining = sound_lens[BUTTON3_ALT_SOUND];
                              }
              //Button 4 is pressed.
else if(GPIOPinRead(BUTTON4_BASE, BUTTON4_PIN)){
        sound = sound_locs[BUTTON4_SOUND];
        blocksRemaining = sound_lens[BUTTON4_SOUND];
        LEDControl(LED_L_YELLOW[LED_R_YELLOW]LED_R_RED|LED_L_GREEN);
               }
               //No buttons are pressed.
               else {
                              sound = sound_locs[CAPSENSE_SOUND];
blocksRemaining = sound_lens[CAPSENSE_SOUND];
                              //cycle LEDs
                              test_led_count++;
                              }
               sound_state = LBUF0;
```

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                                                              Page 5
      cnt = 0;
offset = 0;
      timeout = 0;
}
11
// The GPIO Port C interrupt handler. (Test button)
void PortCIntHandler(void) {
    sound = sound_locs[TEST_SOUND];
    blocksRemaining = sound_lens[TEST_SOUND];
      test_led_count++;
if(test_led_count > LED6) test_led_count = 0;
LEDControl(test_led_count);
      cnt = 0;
offset = 0;
      sound state = LBUF0;
      timeout = 0;
}
///
// The idle function. Runs continuously when no other sounds are playing.
// (Used for battery life testing.)
//
void idle(void){
    sound = sound_locs[SOUND_NONE];
    blocksRemaining = sound_lens[SOUND_NONE];
    test_led_count++;
      if(test_led_count > LED6) test_led_count = 1;
      LEDControl(test_led_count);
      cnt = 0;
offset = 0;
      sound_state = LBUF0;
}
11
// The systick interrupt handler. Used for auto power-off.
11
void SysTickIntHandler(void) {
      SysCtlSleep();
            }
      }
11
// Main function
//
//*********
             int main(void)
{
   unsigned long ulPeriod;
      blockSemaining = 0;
sound = sound_locs[TEST_SOUND]; //
// Set the clocking to run from the PLL / 5 = 40 MHz.
SysCtlClockSet(SYSCTL_SYSDIV_5 | SYSCTL_USE_PLL | SYSCTL_OSC_MAIN |
      SYSCTL_XTAL_6MHZ);
//PWM clock = 10 MHz
```

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                                                                                                                                 Page 6
             SvsCtlPWMClockSet(SYSCTL PWMDIV 4);
             // Initialize the OLED display.
             Display96x16x1Init(false);
              // Enable the peripherals used.
             SysCtlPeripheralEnable(SYSCTL_PERIPH_PWM);
            SysCtlPeripheralEnable(SYSCTL_PERIPH_GPIOB);
SysCtlPeripheralEnable(SYSCTL_PERIPH_GPIOC);
SysCtlPeripheralEnable(SYSCTL_PERIPH_GPIOD);
            //Configure the Systick interrupt to fire every 1 ms.
SysTickEnable();
             SysTickPeriodSet(40000);
             SysTickIntEnable();
             // Set GPIO D0 as a PWM pin. It is used to output the PWMO signal.
            // Set GPIO D0 as a PWM pin. It is used to outp
GPIOPinTypePWM(GPIO_PORTD_BASE, GPIO_PIN_0);
//Set all buttons and CapSense as inputs.
GPIOPinTypeGPIOInput(BUTTON1 BASE, BUTTON1 PIN);
GPIOPinTypeGPIOInput(BUTTON2_BASE, BUTTON2_PIN);
GPIOPinTypeGPIOInput(BUTTON3_BASE, BUTTON3_PIN);
GPIOPinTypeGPIOInput(BUTTON4_BASE, BUTTON4_PIN);
GPIOPinTypeGPIOInput(BUTTON4_BASE, BUTTON4_PIN);
GPIOPinTypeGPIOInput(BUTTON4_BASE, BUTTON4_PIN);
            GPIOPinTypeGPIOInput(TEST_BASE, TEST_PIN);
GPIOPinTypeGPIOInput(CAPSENSE_BASE, CAPSENSE_PIN);
//Set all LEDs as output.
            GPIODIrModeSet(LED1 BASE, LED1 PIN, GPIO DIR MODE OUT);
GPIODIrModeSet(LED2 BASE, LED2 PIN, GPIO DIR MODE OUT);
GPIODirModeSet(LED3 BASE, LED3 PIN, GPIO DIR MODE OUT);
GPIODirModeSet(LED4 BASE, LED4 PIN, GPIO DIR MODE OUT);
GPIODIrModeSet(LED5 BASE, LED5 PIN, GPIO DIR MODE OUT);
GPIODIrModeSet(LED5 BASE, LED5 PIN, GPIO DIR MODE OUT);
             GPIODirModeSet(LED6_BASE, LED6_PIN, GPIO_DIR_MODE_OUT);
             //Set Buttons 1-4 as weak pull-downs.
            GPIOPadConfigSet(BUTTON1_BASE, BUTTON1_PIN, GPIO_STRENGTH_2MA,
GPIO_PIN_TYPE_STD_WPD);
GPIOPadConfigSet(BUTTON2_BASE, BUTTON2_PIN, GPIO_STRENGTH_2MA,
GPIO_PIN_TYPE_STD_WPD);
GPIOPadConfigSet(BUTTON3_BASE, BUTTON3_PIN, GPIO_STRENGTH_2MA,
            GPIO PIN TYPE STD WPD);
GPIOPadConfigSet(BUTTON4_BASE, BUTTON4_PIN, GPIO_STRENGTH_2MA,
GPIO_PIN_TYPE_STD_WPD);
            // Compute the PWM period based on the system clock.
             ulPeriod = SysCtlClockGet() / (4*PWM_VALUE);
            PWMGenPeriodSet(PWM_BASE, PWM_GEN_0, ulPeriod);
            // Set PWMO's duty cycle.
PWMPulseWidthSet(PWM_BASE, PWM_OUT_0, ulPeriod / 2);
             //Enable the PWM interrupt to trigger on count zero
            IntMasterEnable();
IntEnable(INT_GPIOB);
IntEnable(INT_GPIOC);
             IntEnable(INT_PWM0)
             IntEnable(FAULT_SYSTICK);
             //Enable the interrupts for the GPIO
             GPIOIntTypeSet(CAPSENSE_BASE, CAPSENSE_PIN, GPIO_LOW_LEVEL);
             GPIOIntTypeSet(TEST_BASE, TEST_PIN, GPIO_LOW_LEVEL);
             GPIOPinIntEnable(CAPSENSE_BASE, CAPSENSE_PIN);
             GPIOPinIntEnable(TEST BASE, TEST PIN);
             PWMGenIntTrigEnable(PWM BASE, PWM GEN 0, PWM INT CNT ZERO);
```
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                                                                           Page 7
       // Enable the PWM0 output signal.
PWMOutputState(PWM_BASE, PWM_OUT_0_BIT, true);
       // Enable the PWM generator.
       PWMGenEnable(PWM_BASE, PWM_GEN_0);
       //Initialize SPI.
       spi_init();
//Initialize the SD card for SPI mode.
       if(sd_init())
    Display96x16x1StringDraw("SD Init Failed", 0, 0);
       //turn off LEDs
       LEDControl(0);
       //Sound playback state machine.
       while(1) {
    switch(sound_state){
               case LBUF0:
                       sd_read_block(buf0, sound+offset); //get the data
                       blocksRemaining--;
                       offset++;
                       if(blocksRemaining)
                              sound_state = LBUF1_PBUF0;
                       else
                              sound state = PBUF0;
                       break;
               blocksRemaining--;
                       offset++;
                       while(cnt<255); //wait for PWM to finish with buf1
                       sound_state = PBUF0;
                       break;
               case LBUF1_PBUF0:
    sd_read_block(buf1, sound+offset); //get the data
                       blocksRemaining--;
                       offset++:
                       while(cnt<255); //wait for PWM to finish with buf0
                       cnt = 0;
                       else
                              sound_state = PBUF1;
                       break;
               case PBUF0:
                       while(cnt<255); //wait for PWM to finish with buf0
                       cnt = 0;
                       blocksRemaining--;
sound_state = OFF;
                       break;
               case PBUF1:
                       while(cnt<255); //wait for PWM to finsh with buf1
                       cnt = 0;
blocksRemaining--;
                       sound_state = OFF;
                       break;
               default:
                       idle();
               11
           }
           }
}
```

## **Appendix D - Flash Memory Code**

The flash memory code is written in C for the ATmega88. It is adapted from the ATmega8 code from "SD Card Interfacing with ATmega8 / 32". [2]

```
~/Documents/School/SeniorDesign/flashmem/write_mult_blocks_code/SD_main.c
                                                                                                            Page 1
//*****
                                                                         ******
//Controller: ATmega8 (Clock: 8 Mhz-internal)
//Compiler: AVR-GCC
//Version : 2.1
//Author: CC Dharmani, Chennai (India)
//Modified by Erin Sullivan for use with ATmega88
// www.dharmanitech.com
//Date: 26 Feb 2009
                            *****
//Link to the Post: http://www.dharmanitech.com/2009/01/sd-card-interfacing-with-atm
ega8-fat32.html
#define F_CPU 8000000UL
#include <avr/io.h>
#include <avr/pgmspace.h>
#include <avr/interrupt.h>
                                         //freq 8 MHz
#include <aVr/interrupt.n>
#include <util/delay.h>
#include "SPI_routines.h"
#include "SD_routines.h"
#include "UART_routines.h"
#ifndef FAT_DISABLE
//#include "FAT32.h"
#endif
volatile unsigned long startBlock;
volatile unsigned long totalBlocks;
volatile unsigned char buffer[512];
volatile unsigned long firstDataSector, rootCluster, totalClusters;
volatile unsigned int bytesPerSector, sectorPerCluster, reservedSectorCount;
void port_init(void)
DDRB = 0xEF; //MISO line i/p, rest o/p
PORTB = 0 \times EF;
\begin{array}{l} PORTB = 0 \times EF;\\ PORTC = 0 \times 00;\\ DDRC = 0 \times 00;\\ DDRD = 0 \times 06; \end{array}
PORTD = 0 \times 00;
}
//UARTO initialize
// desired baud rate: 38400
// actual: baud rate:19231 (0.2%)
// char size: 8 bit
// parity: Disabled
void uart0_init(void)
{
UCSROB = 0x00; //disable while setting baud rate
 UCSR0A = 0 \times 00;
 UCSR0C = 0 \times 06;
 UBRROL = 0x0C; //set baud rate lo
UBRROH = 0x00; //set baud rate hi
 UCSR0B = (1<<RXEN0) | (1<<TXEN0);
}
//call this routine to initialize all peripherals
void init_devices(void)
{
 cli();
port_init();
spi_init();
 uart0_init();
MCUCR = 0x00;
// GICR = 0x00;
EIFR = 0x00;
//TIMSK = 0x00; //timer interrupt sources
TIMSK0 = 0x00;
 //all peripherals are now initialized
}
```

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~/Documents/School/SeniorDesign/flashmem/write_mult_blocks_code/SD_main.c
                                                                                  Page 2
int main(void)
unsigned char option, error, data, FAT32_active;
unsigned int i;
unsigned char fileName[13];
_delay_ms(100); //delay for VCC stabilization
init devices();
PORTD |= 0x04; //switching ON the LED (for testing purpose only)
TX NEWLINE;
TX NEWLINE;
TX_NEWLINE;
transmitString_F (PSTR(" Dharmani's microSD Card Testing.."));
TX NEWLINE;
TX_NEWLINE;
SD_init();
SPI_HIGH_SPEED;
                  //SCK - 4 MHz
_delay_ms(1);
// #ifndef FAT_DISABLE
// FAT32_active = 1;
// error = getBootSectorData (); //read boot sector and keep necessary data in globa
// error = g
// arriables
// if(error)
// {
// transmi
// FAT32_a
    transmitString_F (PSTR("FAT32 not found!")); //FAT32 incompatible drive
FAT32_active = 0;
// }
// #endif
11
// #ifdef FAT DISABLE
// #Indsmitstring_F (PSTR("FAT32 not found!")); //FAT32 incompatible drive
// FAT32_active = 0;
// #endif
while(1)
TX NEWLINE;
transmitString_F(PSTR("Press any key..."));
TX NEWLINE;
option = receiveByte();
TX_NEWLINE;
#ifndef SINGLE_DISABLE
transmitString_F(PSTR("> 0 : Erase Blocks"));
TX NEWLINE;
transmitString_F(PSTR("> 1 : Write single Block"));
TX NEWLINE:
transmitString_F(PSTR("> 2 : Read single Block"));
#endif
TX_NEWLINE;
transmitString_F(PSTR("> 3 : Write multiple Blocks"));
#ifndef FAT_TESTING_ONLY
TX NEWLINE:
transmitString F(PSTR("> 4 : Read multiple Blocks"));
#endif
#ifndef FAT_DISABLE
TX NEWLINE;
transmitString_F(PSTR("> 5 : Get file list"));
TX_NEWLINE;
transmitString_F(PSTR("> 6 : Read File"));
TX NEWLINE;
transmitString_F(PSTR("> 7 : Create File"));
```

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                                                                                                           Page 3
TX NEWLINE:
transmitString F(PSTR("> 8 : Delete File"));
TX_NEWLINE;
transmitString_F(PSTR("> 9 : Read SD Memory Capacity (Total/Free)"));
#endif
TX NEWLINE;
TX NEWLINE
transmitString F(PSTR("> Select Option (0-9): "));
/*WARNING: If option 0, 1 or 3 is selected, the card may not be detected by PC/Lapto
p again,
as it disturbs the FAT format, and you may have to format it again with FAT32.
This options are given for learning the raw data transfer to & from the SD Card*/
option = receiveByte();
transmitByte(option);
if(option >= 0x35 && option <= 0x39) //options 5 to 9 disabled if FAT32 not found
{
   if(!FAT32 active)
   {
     TX_NEWLINE;
      TX NEWLINE:
        transmitString_F(PSTR("FAT32 options disabled!"));
        continue;
}
}
if((option >= 0x30) && (option <=0x34)) //get starting block address for options 0 t
o 4
{
TX_NEWLINE;
TX NEWLINE;
In_inductions
transmitString_F(PSTR("Enter the Block number (0000-9999):"));
data = receiveByte(); transmitByte(data);
startBlock = (data & 0x0f) * 1000;
data = receiveByte(); transmitByte(data);
startBlock += (data & 0x0f) * 100;
data = receiveByte(); transmitByte(data);
startBlock += (data & 0x0f) * 10;
data = receiveByte(); transmitByte(data);
startBlock += (data & 0x0f);
TX NEWLINE;
}
totalBlocks = 1;
//#ifndef FAT_TESTING_ONLY
if((option == 0x30) || (option == 0x33) || (option == 0x34)) //get total number of b locks for options 0, 3 or 4
Tx_newline;
TX NEWLINE;
transmitString_F(PSTR("How many blocks? (000-999):"));
transmitString_F(PSTR("How many blocks? (
    data = receiveByte(); transmitByte(data);
    totalBlocks = (data & 0x0f) * 100;
    data = receiveByte(); transmitByte(data);
    totalBlocks += (data & 0x0f) * 10;
    data = receiveByte(); transmitByte(data);
    totalBlocks += (data & 0x0f);

TX NEWLINE:
}
//#endif
switch (option)
case '0': //error = SD_erase (block, totalBlocks);
error = SD_erase (startBlock, totalBlocks);
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                                                                                       Page 4
           TX NEWLINE;
           if(error)
               transmitString_F(PSTR("Erase failed.."));
           else
               transmitString_F(PSTR("Erased!"));
           break;
case '1': TX NEWLINE;
           transmitString_F(PSTR(" Enter text (NEVER ENDING):"));
           i=0;
             do
             {
                  data = receiveByte();
                 transmitByte(data);
buffer[i++] = data;
// if(data == '\r')
                                           //append 'newline' character whenevr 'carriag
e return' is received
                                     {
                                         transmitByte('\n');
buffer[i++] = '\n';
                  11
                  11
             if(i == 512) break;
}//while (data != '~');
             while(1);
error = SD_writeSingleBlock (startBlock);
TX_NEWLINE;
             TX NEWLINE;
             if(error)
                 transmitString_F(PSTR("Write failed.."));
             else
transmitString_F(PSTR("Write successful!"));
             break;
case '2': error = SD_readSingleBlock (startBlock);
           TX_NEWLINE;
           if(error)
             transmitString_F(PSTR("Read failed.."));
           else
           {
             for(i=0;i<512;i++)</pre>
             {
                  //if(buffer[i] == '~') break;
                 transmitByte(buffer[i]);
             TX_NEWLINE;
             TX_NEWLINE;
transmitString_F(PSTR("Read successful!"));
           }
           break;
//next two options will work only if following macro is cleared from SD routines.h
#endif
case '3':
           error = SD writeMultipleBlock (startBlock, totalBlocks);
           TX_NEWLINE;
           if(error)
             transmitString_F(PSTR("Write failed.."));
           else
             transmitString_F(PSTR("Write successful!"));
break;
#ifndef FAT_TESTING_ONLY
case '4': error = SD_readMultipleBlock (startBlock, totalBlocks);
           TX NEWLINE;
           if(error)
             transmitString_F(PSTR("Read failed.."));
           else
             transmitString_F(PSTR("Read successful!"));
           break;
#endif
#ifndef FAT_DISABLE
case '5': TX_NEWLINE;
```

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                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                Page 5
                                             findFiles(GET_LIST,0);
                                break;
case '6':
case '7':
case '8': TX_NEWLINE;
                                            TX_NEWLINE;
                                in_iteration is a set of the interval and iteration 
                                i=0;
while(1)
                               if(i != 0)
                                              {
                                                    transmitByte(data);
                                                    transmitByte(' ');
transmitByte(data);
                                                    i--;
                                              }
continue;
                                       }
if(data <0x20 || data > 0x7e) continue; //check for valid English text
character
                                        transmitByte(data);
                                       fileName[i++] = data;
if(i==13){transmitString_F(PSTR(" file name too long..")); break;}
                                 }
if(i>12) break;
                                 TX NEWLINE;
                                 if(option == '6')
                                       readFile( READ, fileName);
                                 if(option == '7')
   createFile(fileName);
                                if(option == '8')
  deleteFile(fileName);
                                break;
case '9': memoryStatistics();
                                break;
#endif
default: TX NEWLINE;
                              TX_NEWLINE;
                              transmitString_F(PSTR(" Invalid option!"));
                              TX NEWLINE;
}
TX_NEWLINE;
}
return 0;
}
```

```
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// ****** FUNCTIONS FOR SD RAW DATA TRANSFER ******
//*******
                                          *****
//Controller: ATmega8 (Clock: 8 Mhz-internal)
//Compiler: AVR-GCC
//Version : 2.0
//Author: CC Dharmani, Chennai (India)
//Modified by Erin Sullivan for use with ATmega88
// www.dharmanitech.com
//Date: 26 Feb 2009
                    *****
//Link to the Post: http://www.dharmanitech.com/2009/01/sd-card-interfacing-with-atm
ega8-fat32.html
 // ***** SOURCE FILE : SD_routines.c ******
#include <avr/io.h>
#include <avr/i0.n>
#include <avr/gmspace.h>
#include "SPL_routines.h"
#include "SD_routines.h"
#include "UART_routines.h"
//Function: to initialize the SD card in SPI mode
//Arguments: none
//return: unsigned char; will be 0 if no error,
// otherwise the response byte will be sent
//****
                                          *****
unsigned char SD init(void)
unsigned char i, response, retry=0 ;
SD_CS_ASSERT;
do
{
   for(i=0;i<10;i++)</pre>
     SPI transmit(0xff);
   response = SD sendCommand(GO IDLE STATE, 0);//send 'reset & go idle' command
   retry++;
if(retry>0xfe) {transmitString_F(PSTR("SD init fail..")); return 1; }//time out
} while(response != 0x01);
SD CS DEASSERT;
SPI_transmit (0xff);
SPI_transmit (0xff);
retry = 0;
do
{
   response = SD_sendCommand(SEND_OP_COND, 0); //activate card's initialization pro
cess
   response = SD_sendCommand(SEND_OP_COND, 0); //resend command (for compatibility
with some cards)
   retry++;
if(retry>0xfe) return 1; //time out
}while(response);
SD_sendCommand(CRC_ON_OFF, OFF); //disable CRC; deafault - CRC disabled in SPI mode
SD_sendCommand(SET_BLOCK_LEN, 512); //set block size to 512
return 0; //normal return
}
//Function: to send a command to SD card
*****
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unsigned char SD sendCommand(unsigned char cmd, unsigned long arg)
unsigned char response, retry=0;
SD CS ASSERT;
SPI_transmit(cmd | 0x40); //send command, first two bits always '01'
SPI_transmit(arg>>24);
SPI_transmit(arg>>16);
SPI_transmit(arg>>8);
SPI_transmit(arg);
SPI_transmit(0x95);
while((response = SPI_receive()) == 0xff) //wait response
    if(retry++ > 0xfe) break; //time out error
SPI_receive(); //extra 8 CLK
SD_CS_DEASSERT;
return response; //return state
}
#ifndef SINGLE_DISABLE
//Function: to erase specified no. of blocks of SD card
//Arguments: none
//return: unsigned char; will be 0 if no error,
unsigned char SD erase (unsigned long startBlock, unsigned long totalBlocks)
unsigned char response;
response = SD sendCommand(ERASE BLOCK START ADDR, startBlock<<9); //send starting bl
ock address
if(response != 0x00) //check for SD status: 0x00 - OK (No flags set)
 return response;
response = SD_sendCommand(ERASE_BLOCK_END_ADDR,(startBlock + totalBlocks - 1)<<9); /
/send end block address
if(response != 0 \times 00)
 return response;
response = SD_sendCommand(ERASE_SELECTED_BLOCKS, 0); //erase all selected blocks
if(response != 0x00)
 return response;
return 0; //normal return
#endif
//Function: to read a single block from SD card
//Arguments: none
//return: unsigned char; will be 0 if no error,
//****
unsigned char SD readSingleBlock(unsigned long startBlock)
unsigned char response;
unsigned int i, retry=0;
response = SD_sendCommand(READ_SINGLE_BLOCK, startBlock<<9); //read a Block command
//block address converted to starting address of 512 byte Block
if(response != 0x00) //check for SD status: 0x00 - OK (No flags set)
 return response;
SD_CS_ASSERT;
while(SPI_receive() != 0xfe) //wait for start block token 0xfe (0x1111110)
 if(retry++ > 0xfffe){SD_CS_DEASSERT; return 1;} //return if time-out
for(i=0; i<512; i++) //read 512 bytes</pre>
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 buffer[i] = SPI receive();
SPI_receive(); //receive incoming CRC (16-bit), CRC is ignored here
SPI_receive();
SPI_receive(); //extra 8 clock pulses
SD_CS_DEASSERT;
return 0;
}
//Function: to write to a single block of SD card
//Arguments: none
//return: unsigned char; will be 0 if no error,
****
unsigned char SD writeSingleBlock(unsigned long startBlock)
{
unsigned char response;
unsigned int i, retry=0;
response = SD_sendCommand(WRITE_SINGLE_BLOCK, startBlock<<9); //write a Block comman
d
if(response != 0x00) //check for SD status: 0x00 - OK (No flags set)
return response;
SD CS ASSERT;
SPI transmit(0xfe);
                     //Send start block token 0xfe (0x11111110)
for(i=0; i<512; i++) //s
SPI_transmit(buffer[i]);</pre>
                      //send 512 bytes data
SPI_transmit(0xff);
                      //transmit dummy CRC (16-bit), CRC is ignored here
SPI_transmit(0xff);
response = SPI receive();
{
 SD CS DEASSERT;
                            //AAA='110'-data rejected due to write error
 return response;
}
while(!SPI_receive()) //wait for SD card to complete writing and get idle
if(retry++ > 0xfffe){SD_CS_DEASSERT; return 1;}
SD CS DEASSERT:
SPI_transmit(0xff); //just spend 8 clock cycle delay before reasserting the CS lin
                   //re-asserting the CS line to verify if card is still busy
SD_CS_ASSERT;
while(!SPI_receive()) //wait for SD card to complete writing and get idle
    if(retry++ > 0xfffe){SD_CS_DEASSERT; return 1;}
SD_CS_DEASSERT;
return 0;
}
#ifndef FAT TESTING ONLY
//Function: to read multiple blocks from SD card & send every block to UART
//Arguments: none
//return: unsigned char; will be 0 if no error,
unsigned char SD_readMultipleBlock (unsigned long startBlock, unsigned long totalBlo
cks)
{
unsigned char response;
unsigned int i, retry=0;
```

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retry = 0;
response = SD sendCommand(READ MULTIPLE BLOCKS, startBlock <<9); //read a Block comm
and
//block address converted to starting address of 512 byte Block
if(response != 0x00) //check for SD status: 0x00 - OK (No flags set)
return response;
SD_CS_ASSERT;
while( totalBlocks )
{
  retry = 0;
  while(SPI_receive() != 0xfe) //wait for start block token 0xfe (0x1111110)
if(retry++ > 0xfffe){SD_CS_DEASSERT; return 1;} //return if time-out
  for(i=0; i<512; i++) //read 512 bytes
buffer[i] = SPI_receive();</pre>
  SPI_receive(); //receive incoming CRC (16-bit), CRC is ignored here
  SPI_receive();
  SPI_receive(); //extra 8 cycles
  TX_NEWLINE;
  transmitString_F(PSTR(" ------ "));
  TX_NEWLINE;
  for(i=0; i<512; i++) //send the block to UART</pre>
  {
    if(buffer[i] == '~') break;
    transmitByte ( buffer[i] );
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  TX NEWLINE:
  transmitString_F(PSTR(" ----- "));
  TX NEWLINE;
  totalBlocks--;
}
SD_sendCommand(STOP_TRANSMISSION, 0); //command to stop transmission
SD_CS_DEASSERT;
SPI_receive(); //extra 8 clock pulses
return 0;
}
#endif
//Function: to receive data from UART and write to multiple blocks of SD card
//Arguments: none
//return: unsigned char; will be 0 if no error,
unsigned char SD_writeMultipleBlock(unsigned long startBlock, unsigned long totalBlo
cks)
{
unsigned char response, data;
unsigned int i, retry=0;
unsigned long blockCounter=0, size;
response = SD_sendCommand(WRITE_MULTIPLE_BLOCKS, startBlock<<9); //write a Block com</pre>
mand
if (response != 0x00) //check for SD status: 0x00 - OK (No flags set)
  return response;
SD_CS_ASSERT;
TX_NEWLINE;
transmitString_F(PSTR(" Enter text (NEVER ENDING): "));
TX_NEWLINE;
while( blockCounter < totalBlocks )</pre>
```

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{
   i=0;
   for(i=0;i<512;i++) {
  data = receiveByte();</pre>
  transmitByte(data);
  buffer[i] = data;
    }
   // TX_NEWLINE;
// transmitString_F(PSTR(" ---- "));
// TX_NEWLINE;
   SPI_transmit(0xfc); //Send start block token 0xfc (0x11111100)
   for(i=0; i<512; i++) //send 512 bytes data
    SPI_transmit( buffer[i] );</pre>
   SPI_transmit(0xff); //transmit dummy CRC (16-bit), CRC is ignored here
   SPI_transmit(0xff);
   return response;
   }
   while(!SPI_receive()) //wait for SD card to complete writing and get idle
  if(retry++ > 0xfffe){SD_CS_DEASSERT; return 1;}
   SPI_receive(); //extra 8 bits
blockCounter++;
}
SPI_transmit(0xfd); //send 'stop transmission token'
retry = 0;
while(!SPI_receive()) //wait for SD card to complete writing and get idle
    if(retry++ > 0xfffe){SD_CS_DEASSERT; return 1;}
SD_CS_DEASSERT;
SPI_transmit(0xff); //just spend 8 clock cycle delay before reasserting the CS signa
SD_CS_ASSERT; //re assertion of the CS signal is required to verify if card is still
busy
while(!SPI_receive()) //wait for SD card to complete writing and get idle
    if(retry++ > 0xfffe){SD_CS_DEASSERT; return 1;}
SD_CS_DEASSERT;
return 0;
//******* END ***** www.dharmanitech.com *****
```

## Appendix E - MATLAB WAV conversion code

The MATLAB script converts a WAV file into a format appropriate for use by the microcontroller.

```
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```

```
[wav, rate, bits] = wavread('sound.wav')
wav = resample(wav, 16000, rate) %resample the sound at 16 kHz
wav = wav+1
wav = wav(:,1).*32768 - 1
wav = uint16(wav) % convert to unsigned 16-bit integer
fid txt = fopen('sound.txt', 'wt')
fid_bin = fopen('sound', 'wt')
fprintf(fid_txt, '%04X\n', wav);
fwrite(fid_bin, wav, 'uint16', 0, 'l');
```

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