## The University of Jordan College of Engineering & Technology Department of Computer Engineering

Fall Term 2016



Course: Embedded Systems Lab – 0907334 (1 Cr. – Core Course)

Catalog Data: Introduction to embedded systems design tools and hardware programmers. Experiments

using both simulation and practical implementation of the basic building blocks of a microcontroller including timers, counters, PWM generation, I/O techniques and requirements, A/D conversion, serial communications. Experiments to explore the

system design process using hardware-software co design process. Design project.

**Co-requisites by** 

**Course:** 

Embedded Systems (0907333)

**Prerequisites by** 

**Topic:** 

Good background in electronics, circuits, digital logic, and assembly programming.

**Textbook:** The Lab has a set of experiments that will be posted on the website of the lab

• Designing Embedded Systems with PIC Microcontrollers (principles and

applications), 2<sup>nd</sup> Ed. By: Tim Wilmshurst, Newnes, 2007.

• An Introduction to the Design of Small-Scale Embedded Systems, 1st Ed. By:

Tim Wilmshurst Palgrave, 2001.

• Microchip Website: www.microchip.com

Course Website: <a href="http://embedded-ju.ucoz.com/">http://embedded-ju.ucoz.com/</a>

**Schedule & Duration:** 15 Weeks, 12 labs, 3 hr. each (including exams)

Student Material: Text book, class handouts, some instructor keynotes, calculator and

access to a personal computer and internet.

College Facilities: Lab with whiteboard, personal computers, kits, programmers, oscilliscopes and

server.

**Course Objectives:** The objectives of this course are:

1. Introduce students to embedded systems design tools and hardware

programmers

2. Give the students skills in both simulation and practical implementation of the

basic building blocks of a microcontroller including timers, counters, PWM generation, I/O techniques and requirements, A/D conversion, serial

communications

**Course Outcomes and Relation to ABET Program Outcomes:** 

1. Experience with a set of tools for embedded systems programming and debugging. [b, k]

2. Experience with implementing several embedded systems with particular focus on the interaction between multiple devices.[b]

- 3. Design products using microcontrollers and various analog and digital ICs. [b,c,d]
- 4. Can read the datasheet for any embedded system, understand how it works. [b]
- 5. Develop existing embedded systems by formulating the system design problem including the design constraints, create a design that satisfies the constraints, implement the design in hardware and software, and measure performance against the design constraints. [b,c,d]

## **Lab Schedule**

Date (Week Start)	Event
4/9/2016	Lab Preparations
18/9/2016	Introduction to MPLAB
25/9/2016	MPLAB and Instruction Set Analysis 1
2/10/2016	No Lab
9/10/2016	Instruction Set Analysis 2 & Modular Programming Techniques
16/10/2016	Basic Embedded System Analysis and Design + Introducing Protus
23/10/2016	Hardware excercises + Quiz + Project Announcement
30/10/2016	LCD
6/11/2016	Timers
13/11/2016	Midterm Exam
20/11/2016	USART
27/11/2016	A/D
4/12/2016	Using HI-TECH C compiler in MPLAB
18/12/2016	Project Submission & Discussion
Last Week of Study	Final Exam

**Attendance:** Class attendance will be taken and the university's polices will be enforced in this regard.

**Assessments:** Quizzes, exams, project and in-lab assessment

**Grading policy:** Pre-labs & Labsheets 15% Quiz 10%

Midterm Exam 20%
Project 15%
Final Exam 40%

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Class Time and Location: Section 1: Sunday; 1:00 pm— 4:00 pm, Embedded Systems Lab

**Section 2**: Monday; 12:30 pm— 3:30 pm, Embedded Systems Lab **Section 3**: Tuesday; 1:00 pm— 4:00 pm, Embedded Systems Lab **Section 4**: Wednesday; 12:30 pm— 3:30 pm, Embedded Systems Lab **Section 5**: Thursday; 1:00 pm— 4:00 pm, Embedded Systems Lab

**Program Outcomes (P0)** 

a	An ability to apply knowledge of mathematics, science, and engineering
b	An ability to design and conduct experiment as well as to analyze and interpret data.
c	An ability to design a system, component, or process to meet desired needs, within realistic constraints such as economic, environmental, social, political, ethical, health and safety, manufacturability, and sustainability.
d	An ability to function on multidisciplinary teams
e	An ability to identify, formulate, and solve engineering problems
f	An understanding of professional and ethical responsibility.
g	An ability to communicate effectively
h	The broad education necessary to understand the impact of engineering solutions in a gloabal, economic, environmental, and societal context
i	A recognition of the need for, and an ability to engage in life-long learning
j	Knowledge of contemporary issues
k	An ability to use the techniques, skills, and modern engineering tools necessary for engineering practice

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