Lustre (or other synchronous languages) for Arduino

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Arduino (1)



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Arduino (3) - video

A safety-critical example, by Henri-Joseph.





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Example Program - arduino.cc/en/Tutorial/Button

```
const int buttonPin = 2;
    // the number of the pushbutton pin
const int ledPin = 13;
    // the number of the LED pin
```

```
int buttonState = 0;
    // variable for reading the pushbutton status
```

```
void setup() {
   pinMode(ledPin, OUTPUT);
   pinMode(buttonPin, INPUT);
```

}

Example Program -

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void loop(){

// read the state of the pushbutton value: buttonState = digitalRead(buttonPin); // check if the pushbutton is pressed. // if it is, the buttonState is HIGH: if (buttonState == HIGH) { // turn LED on: digitalWrite(ledPin, HIGH); } else { // turn LED off: digitalWrite(ledPin, LOW);

} }

The same in Lustre (no memory needed)

```
node Button (button: bool) returns (ledcmd: bool) ;
let
```

```
ledcmd = button ;
tel.
```

+ compiler into C + usual bla bla for the interfacing of the sensors/actuators

The C code produced by the excellent Raymond's compiler

#include "Button.h"
typedef struct {
 //INPUTS
 _boolean _button;
 //OUTPUTS
 _boolean _ledcmd;
 //REGISTERS
} Button_ctx;
static Button_ctx ctx;

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```
// input function
void Button_I_button(_boolean V){
   ctx.button = V;
}
// Output function
extern void Button_O_ledcmd(_boolean);
// Reset procedure
void Button_reset(){...}
// Step procedure
void Button_step(){ Button_0_ledcmd(ctx._button);}
```

The Main Loop

```
... buttonState ;
const int buttonPin = 2; const int ledPin = 13;
setup()
Button_reset () ;
while (1) {
  buttonState = digitalRead(buttonPin); // Arduino style
  Button_I_button(buttonState==HIGH); // Lustre
  Button_step ()
   // in which the output procedures are called
   // e.g., Button_0_ledcmd(_boolean);
```

First Limitation of the Arduino Programming Model... and solution

If there are a lot of inputs and outputs, or if the behavior you need has memory, the body of the loop may become complex, and it's error-prone to write it by hand.

Lustre is the answer: think parallel, get the loop code for free

Example with Memory



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The DS18B20 Temperature Sensor and the OneWire Protocol

http://playground.arduino.cc/Learning/OneWire



On a 1-Wire network, a single "master" device communicates with one or more 1-Wire "slave" devices over a single data line, which can also be used to provide power to the slave devices.

Example: Typical Use of the DS18B20 Temperature Sensor

#include <OneWire.h> // One Wire protocol
OneWire ds(DS18B20_pin);

// Start the temperature measurement
ds.reset();ds.skip();ds.write(0x44, 1);

// Wait until the measure is available
delay(750);

// in milliseconds, not kgs or truckloads of bananas

// Retrieve the value
ds.reset();ds.skip();ds.write(0xBE);
temperature = (ds.read() + (ds.read() << 8)) * 0.0625;</pre>

Known Problem: the Delay

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The majority of existing code for 1Wire devices, particularly that written for Arduino, uses a very basic "Convert, Wait, Read" algorithm, even for multiple devices.

Program timing for other functions:

Arguably the biggest problem with using the above methodology is that unless threading measures are undertaken, the device must sit (hang) and wait for the conversion to take place if a hardcoded wait time is included. ... a 12-bit conversion process for a DS18B20 can take as long as 750ms.

Where to Put this Code in the Lustre Version?

- In the input function for the temperature sensor, simple, but it means the input operation hides a 750 ms delay
- Partly in the input function, and partly in an output function

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- The temperature could be updated on demand only. The Lustre program produces measuring orders, but not periodically.

General Solutions for "delay" Sensors (1)



General Solutions for "delay" Sensors (2)



Slight Adaptation of the Main Loop (Clocks on Inputs)

```
bool must_read_input = 0;
reset();
while (1) {
  // use the input procedures for sensors without delay
  if (must_read_input) {
      use the input procedure for temp.
      must_read_input = 0;
  }
  step (...)
   // in which the output procedures are called
   // one of them sets must_read_input
}
```



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Radio interface

- An input buffer, storing input data when they are decoded by the radio.
- Serial.available returns the number of bytes available in this buffer
- Serial.read takes the first byte of it.
- Serial.write sends values given as parameter on the serial interface.

In Lustre



In Lustre, with the main loop

```
void loop() {
    // This fits perfectly in an input procedure,
    // but for a tuple of inputs.
    if (Serial.available > 0) {
        client_I_radio_in_valid(true);
        client_I_radio_in_value(Serial.read());
    } else { // If the buffer is empty
        client_I_radio_in_valid(false);
    }
}
```

```
client_I_step();
```

}

Complete Simulations, with models of the radio channel



Conclusion

- The Raymond's compiler produces C code that can be used directly for the required setup and loop functions of the Arduino programming style (with the option -ctx-static)
- Some work has to be done on the interfaces for "delay" sensors
- This implies a programming style in Lustre where you set an output when you need a new sample of the input
- The serial interface of the radio is easy to use
- Lurette/Lutin... can be used to simulate a distributed algorithm with the real code of each node

Questions?