Web Based Fault Detection System

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ABSTRACT

Embedded systems became an important part of our life. Addressing functional safety is a major challenge with increasing complexity. Typical examples of safety-critical embedded systems include vehicle safety or driver assistance systems with accident prevention. This specification applies to a system allowing to remotely monitoring appearance of faults on a device network so that to localize faulty sections and send patrols for reconfiguration of the network accordingly. The system shall be made of Fault detection systems with wireless communication to be installed on the networks, as specified in this document. A piece of software in the control centre is used to display the fault information from these Fault passage indicators. This shall be referred to as Fault Monitoring software. The Control Centre shall continuously measure the parameters of the devices connected wirelessly over the network. A suitable wireless interface shall facilitate acquiring this information to allow reading it remotely at the control centre.

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1. INTRODUCTION

Embedded Systems are becoming ubiquitous and an integral part of our everyday life. Addressing functional safety is a major challenge with increasing complexity. Typical examples of safety-critical embedded systems include vehicle safety or driver assistance systems with accident prevention. However, functional safety is becoming more prevalent not just in the automotive sector, but also in industrial markets such as aviation, solar energy, and the medical sector. Memory devices increasingly provide built-in error correction in order to restore corrupted data and also to maximize the number of writes in flash memory.
The software design is decomposed into the following steps:

1. Define the network by identifying the processing nodes, gates, and links.
2. Define the software objects.
3. How they might interact with one another.
4. Map the software objects on to the processing nodes.
5. Define an experiment to stimulate the model during simulation and to collect pertinent dates for functional and behavioral analysis.

The design for fault detection is implemented on a cc3200 simple link wi-fi. The design strategy adopted for testing is illustrated in the state machine as shown in the following figure.

A typical scenario of faults is as shown in the table listed below.

It is desirable to implement the protocols according to the flow diagram as shown below. The message protocol for the project is given below where the message is sent in the form of packets.

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<tr>
<th>Message Type</th>
<th>Device ID</th>
<th>Manufacturer Specification</th>
<th>Priority</th>
<th>Fault Index</th>
<th>Checksum</th>
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The control centre will communicate with the remote device for communicating the message there are many layers included in between these layers as shown in the below figure.

**1.2 Requirements analysis**

**a) Scope**

This specification applies to a system allowing to remotely monitoring appearance of faults on an device network so as to localize faulty sections and send patrols for reconfiguration of the network accordingly.

**b) Measurements**

The Control Centre shall continuously measure the parameters of the devices connected wirelessly over the network. A suitable wireless interface shall facilitate acquiring this information to allow reading it remotely at the control centre. Two CC3200 kits will be used to function as client and server respectively.

**c) Event time-stamping**
Any change of state of information shall generate a time-stamped event stored in the Control Centre interface memory. The event storage capacity shall be at least 100 events.

d) Wi-Fi

Simple Link CC3200 device is a wireless MCU that integrates a high-performance ARM Cortex-M4 MCU, allowing customers to develop an entire application with a single IC. With on-chip Wi-Fi, Internet, and robust security protocols, no prior Wi-Fi experience is required for faster development.

e) Error Detection and Correction

A suitable error detection algorithm is developed. The design for fault detection is implemented on two CC3200 simple link wifi kits.

The design strategy adopted for testing is illustrated in the Figure 1.4.

2. CC3200-SIMPLE LINK WI-FI

Created for the Internet of Things (IoT), the Simple Link CC3200 device is a wireless MCU that integrates a high-performance ARM Cortex-M4 MCU, allowing customers to develop an entire application with a single IC. With on-chip Wi-Fi, Internet, and robust security protocols, no prior Wi-Fi experience is required for faster development.

Applications
- Cloud Connectivity
- Home Automation
- Home Appliances
- Access Control
- Security Systems
Fig. 2.1 CC3200 Launch Pad Overview

2.1 Architecture Overview

The building blocks of CC3200 system-on-chip are shown in Fig. 2.1.

Fig. 2.2 CC3200 MCU+WIFI SYSTEM ON CHIP

2.2 Processor Core

ARM Cortex M4 Processor Core

CC3200 Application MCU subsystem is built around an ARM Cortex-M4 processor core which provides outstanding computational performance and exceptional system response to interrupts at low power consumption while optimizing memory footprint - making it an ideal fit for embedded applications.

Key features of ARM Cortex-M4 processor core are:
- Thumb-2 mixed 16- and 32-bit instruction set delivers the high performance expected of a 32-bit ARM core in a compact memory size – enabling richer applications within a given device memory size.
- Single-cycle multiply instruction and hardware divide • Atomic bit manipulate on (bit-banding), delivering maximum memory use and streamlined peripheral control

2.3 Cortex-M4 Processor

a) Overview

CC3200 incorporates a dedicated instance of ARM® Cortex-M4 CPU core for executing application code with or without RTOS. This processor core is not used in any manner for running any networking or device management task.

Features include:
- 32-bit ARM® Cortex™-M4 architecture optimized for small-footprint embedded applications
- 80-MHz operation
- Fast interrupt handling

b) System-Level Interface.

Only privileged software can write to the CONTROL register to change the privilege level for software execution in Thread mode.
Register can be accessed in either privileged or unprivileged mode.

3. DESIGN

The Wi-Fi network processor subsystem features a Wi-Fi internet on a chip and contains an additional dedicated ARM MCU that complete offloads the applications MCU. This application aims to exhibit the cc3200 device as a station in a simple network.

Source files briefly explained
Main.c- main file creates the simple link task which does most of the network related operations, a wlan station made task makes calls to the network related APIs of simple link library.
Gpio_if.c- gpio interface files for LED APIs
Main.c flowchart

4. CODE COMPOSER STUDIO

Introduction
CC3200 can be programmed in different IDE’S like cc studio, IAR, energies etc. The type of IDE we are using here is code composer studio v 6.0.

CCS 6.0 or higher is required. When CCS has been launched, and a workspace directory chosen, use Project → Import Existing CCS Eclipse Project. Direct it to the desired demo’s project directory containing main.c.

5. Testing and results

Software testing
The purpose of software testing is to uncover bugs for emoval and ensure the synthesis compliance with the requirements.

System testing and validation examines whether the overall system meets the users expectation
Fig 5.1 Software testing steps

Here we follow the strategy of incremental testing where the software is tested piece by piece. First each software module unit to be tested, and then the tested modules are integrated in to the larger subsystem for integration testing finally the entire software system is built for system testing.

CONCLUSION

The project uses two CC3200, this is self contained MCU and Wi-Fi module here this CC3200 has ARM cortex M4 processor. This is a very advanced processor in which the numbers of instruction cycles are reduced and data transmission is also very fast when compared to other ARM processors. CC3200 wifi module is used to transfer data wirelessly between control centre and the remote device.

Future scope

- A sensor and a LCD display can be used in this system.
- Different types of booster packs are available for cc3200 like audio, video, sensors etc. by using this module we can implement many applications.
- We can also implement this type of system in automobiles by using CAN. So that the devices communicate internally and if any fault is generated we can use the fault monitoring software to rectify the fault wirelessly.

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