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// Program to operate a Vacuum Fluorescent Display
// using an Arduinno Uno, Atmega328P microcontroller.

/*code:      [modified eg 12.5.4-Mazidi, 8 pin 2 ports DON]

#define F_CPU 16000000UL

#include <avr/io.h>
#include <util/delay.h>

#define LCD_DPRT PORTD          // configuring PortD for data
#define LCD_DDDR DDRD
#define LCD_DPIN PIND
#define LCD_CPRT PORTB          // utilizing PortB pins for the control.
#define LCD_CDDR DDRB
#define LCD_CPIN PINB
#define LCD_RS 0                 // control pin assignments.
#define LCD_RW 1
#define LCD_EN 2

//*****
void delay_us(unsigned int d)
{
    _delay_us(d);
}

//*****
void lcdCommand( unsigned char cmnd )
{
    LCD_DPRT = cmnd;
    LCD_CPRT &= ~ (1<<LCD_RS); // LCD_RS/LCD_RW pins of PortB are cleared...
    LCD_CPRT &= ~ (1<<LCD_RW); // ...as required to send commands to LCD.
    LCD_CPRT |= (1<<LCD_EN); // LCD_EN pin of PortB is set (pulsed)for internal latching to send a command.
    delay_us(.02); // delay 20 ns for LCD module to run a command.
    LCD_CPRT &= ~ (1<<LCD_EN); // LCD_EN pin of PortB is cleared after sending a command.
    delay_us(.26); // delay 260ns between commands sent.
}

//*****
void lcdData( unsigned char data )
{
    LCD_DPRT = data;
    LCD_CPRT |= (1<<LCD_RS); // LCD_RS pin of PortB is set!!!!as required to send data.
    LCD_CPRT &= ~ (1<<LCD_RW); // LCD_RW pin of PortB is cleared as required to send data.
    LCD_CPRT |= (1<<LCD_EN); // LCD_EN pin of PortB is set for internal latching of the LCD to send data.
    delay_us(100); // delay 100us for LCD module to write data to screen.
    LCD_CPRT &= ~ (1<<LCD_EN); // LCD_EN pin of PortB is cleared after sending data byte.
    delay_us(100); // delay of 100us between data bytes sent.
}

//*****
void lcd_init() // Equivalent to void InitializeComputerBoard (void).
{           // ...exception: the delay btwn clear display and entry mode.
    LCD_DDDR = 0xFF; // Port D is configured as output.
}

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LCD_CDDR = 0xFF;           // Port B is configured as output.

LCD_CPRT &= ~(1<<LCD_EN); // LCD_EN pin of PortB is cleared in preparation for sending commands.
delay_us(2000);           // delay of 2ms before sending commands.
lcdCommand(0x38);         // Function set command.
lcdCommand(0x0E);         // Display on with blinking cursor.
lcdCommand(0x01);         // Display cleared.
delay_us(2000);
lcdCommand(0x06);         // Entry mode set
}

//*****
void lcd_gotoxy(unsigned char x, unsigned char y)
{
unsigned char firstCharAdr[]={0x80,0xC0,0x94,0xD4}; //table 12-5 of text.
lcdCommand(firstCharAdr[y-1] + x - 1); // calculating the address location to the first and subsequent characters.
delay_us(100);           // delay of 100us btwn each character being displayed
}

//*****
void lcd_print( char * str )
{
unsigned char i = 0 ;
while(str[i]!=0)
{
    lcdData(str[i]); // string array of characters to be displayed
    i++;             // each member of array called up incrementally.
}
}

//*****
int main(void)
{
lcd_init();           // init routine.
lcd_gotoxy(1,1);
lcd_print("The world is but");
lcd_gotoxy(1,2);
lcd_print("one country");
while(1);            // do forever.
return 0;
}

*/code

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