

ECE 376 - Homework #3

Binary Inputs, Binary Outputs, & LEDs - Due Monday, September 16th

Binary Inputs

Assume a thermistor has a resistance-temperature relationship of

$$R = 1000 \cdot \exp\left(\frac{3905}{T+273} - \frac{3905}{298}\right) \Omega$$

1) Design a circuit which outputs

- 0V when $T < 40C$
- 5V when $T > 40C$

Step 1: Find the resistance at 40C

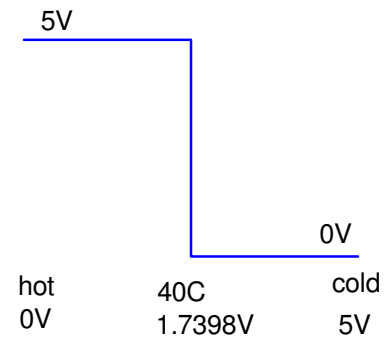
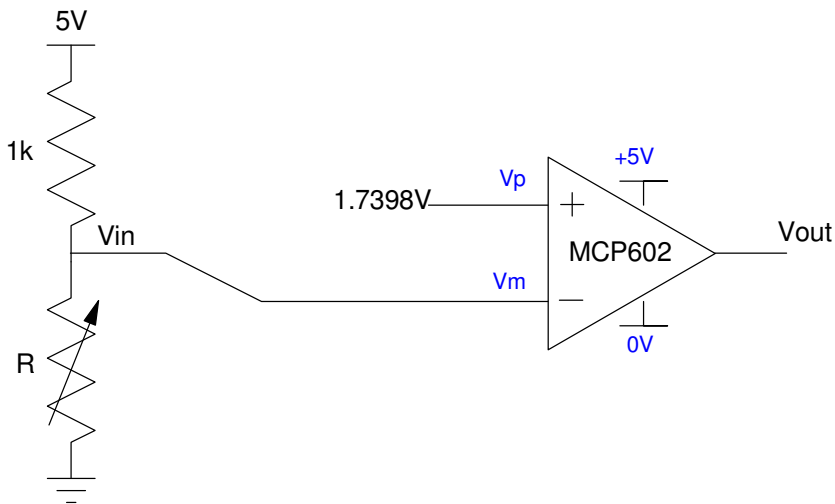
$$R = 533.6642 \text{ Ohms}$$

Step 2: Convert to voltage. Assuming a 1k resistor and a voltage divider

$$V = \left(\frac{R}{R+1k}\right) 5V = 1.7398V$$

Step 3: Use a comparator to convert to 0V / 5V binary

- When $T = 1000C$ (ish), $R = 0$ (ish), $V_{in} = 0V$ (ish), $V_{out} = 5V$
- Connect to the minus input to get $V_{out} = (T > 40C)$



2) Design a circuit which outputs

- 0V when T < 40C
- 5V when T > 45C

Step 1: Find the resistance at temperature

- T = 40C R = 533.6642 Ohms
- T = 45C R = 438.6065 Ohms

Step 2: Convert to voltage. Assume a voltage divider with a 1k resistor

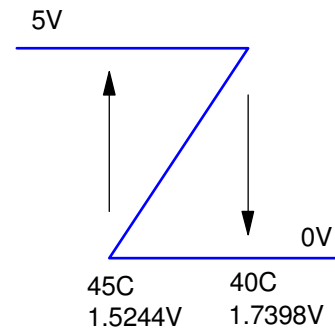
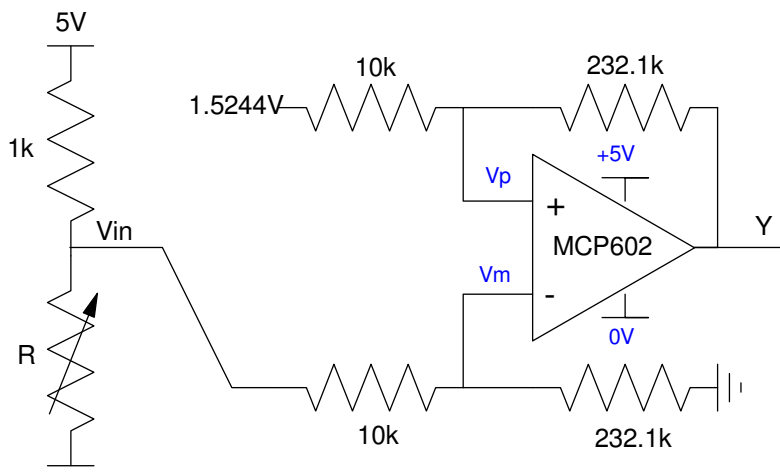
- T = 40C V_x = 1.7398V
- T = 45C V_x = 1.5244V

Step 3: Set up the Schmitt trigger

- The on voltage (45C) is less than the off voltage (40C). Connect to the minus input
- The on voltage is 1.5244V. Make the offset 1.5244V
- The gain needed is

$$gain = \left(\frac{\text{change in output}}{\text{change in input}} \right) = \left(\frac{5V-0V}{1.8398V-1.5244V} \right) = 23.21$$

Make the resistor ratio 23.21 : 1

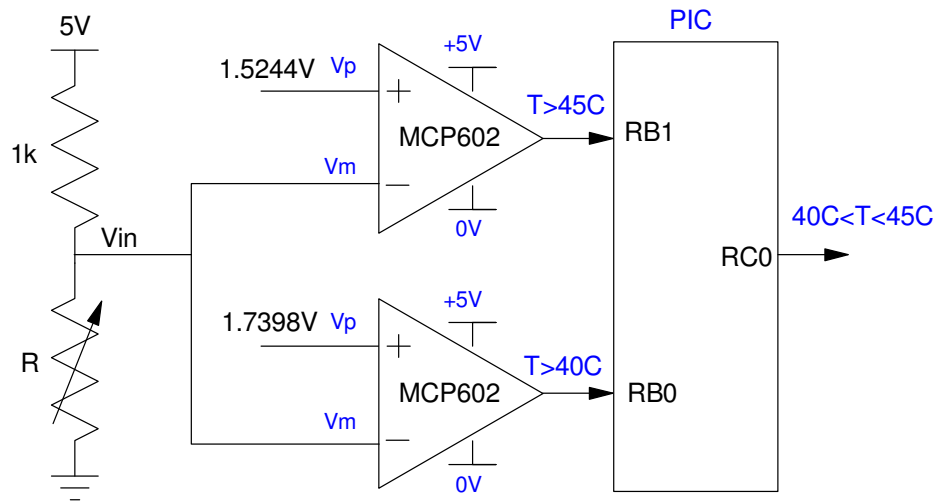


3) Design a circuit which outputs

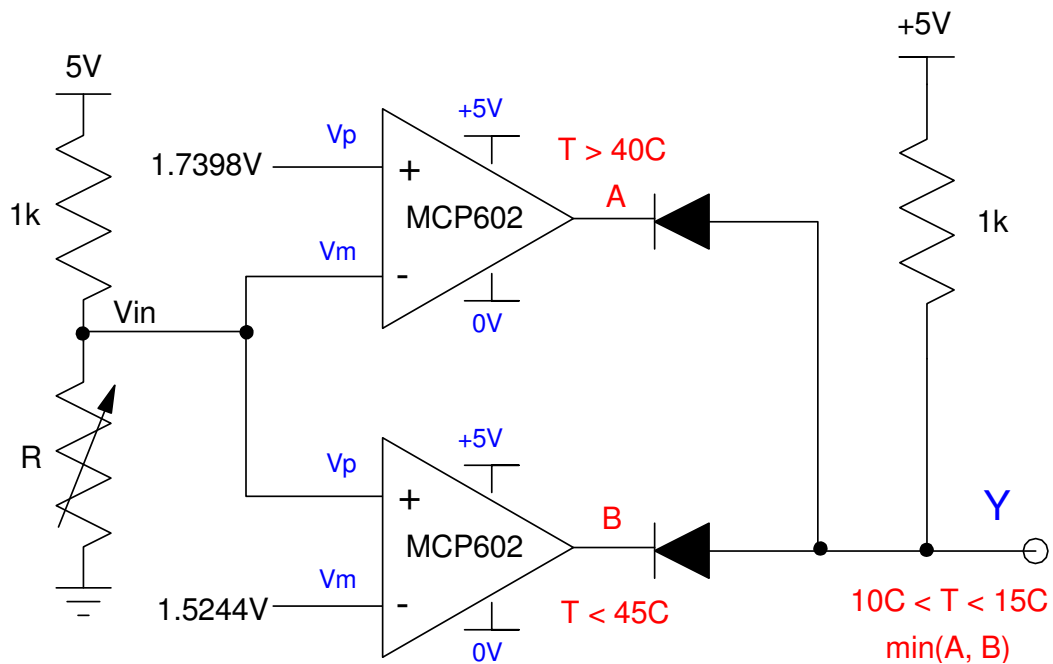
- 0V when $40C < T < 45C$
- 5V otherwise

A little trickier. Option #1: Design two comparators and compute the intersection in software

- V1: $V > 40C$
- V2: $V > 45C$



Option #2: Use a min-circuit from Electronics



Binary Outputs

4) Design a circuit which allows your PIC board to turn on and off an RGB Piranah LED at 0mA (off) and 15mA (on). Assume the specifications for the LEDs are:

Color	Vf @ 20mA	mcd @ 20mA
red	2.0V	10,000
green	3.2V	10,000
blue	3.2V	10,000

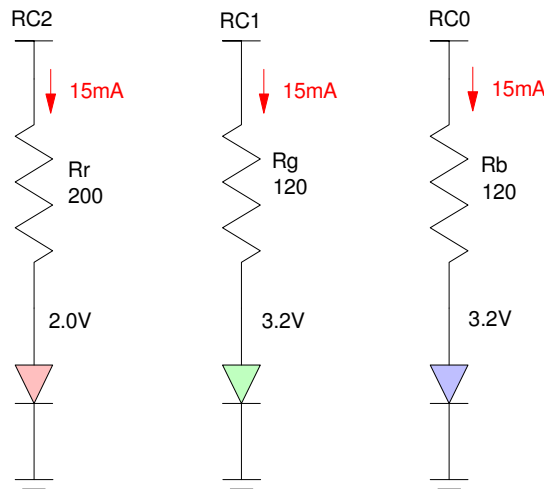
Since the voltage is less than 5V and the current is less than 25mA, the PIC can drive the LEDs directly. Just add a resistor to set the current.

Calculating the resistors:

$$R_r = \left(\frac{5V - 2.0V}{15mA} \right) = 200\Omega$$

$$R_g = \left(\frac{5V - 3.2V}{15mA} \right) = 120\Omega$$

$$R_b = \left(\frac{5V - 3.2V}{15mA} \right) = 120\Omega$$



5) Design a circuit which allows your PIC board to turn on and off a 5W LED at 500mA. The specs for the LED are:

- $V_f = 6.0\text{--}7.0\text{V}$ (assume 6.5V)
- Current = 700mA
- 500-600 Lumens (equivalent to a 60W light bulb).

<https://www.ebay.com/itm/1W-3W-5W-10W-50W-100W-High-power-SMD-Chip-LED-COB-White-Blue-Red-Light-Beads/124011607823>

Assume you have a 6144 NPN transistor:

- max continuous current = 3A
- current gain = 300
- $V_{be} = 0.7\text{V}$, $V_{ce(sat)} = 0.2\text{V}$

Since this needs more than 5V and more than 25mA, a PIC can't drive the LED directly. Add an NPN transistor as a switch. Assuming a 6144 NPN transistor and a 12V power supply:

$$R_c = \left(\frac{12\text{V} - 6.5\text{V} - 0.2\text{V}}{500\text{mA}} \right) = 10.6\Omega$$

In order to saturate the transistor, you need

$$\beta I_b > I_c$$

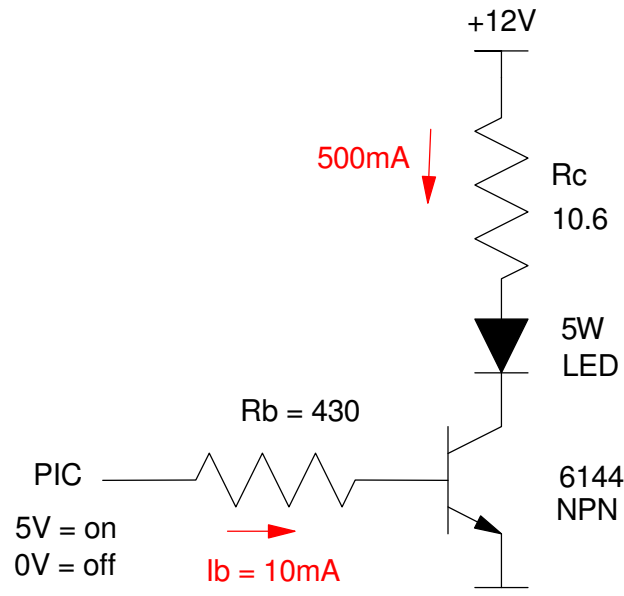
$$I_b > \left(\frac{500\text{mA}}{300} \right) = 1.67\text{mA}$$

Pick a number larger than 1.67mA and less than 25mA (the most a PIC can output). Let $I_b = 10\text{mA}$

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$$R_b = \left(\frac{5\text{V} - 0.7\text{V}}{10\text{mA}} \right) = 430\Omega$$

R_b doesn't have to be *exactly* 430 Ohms. 470 Ohms works. 330 Ohms works.



Timing:

- 6) Write a program which outputs the music note G#3 (207.652 Hz)
- Verify the frequency of the square wave you generate
 - (Pano Tuner app on you cell phone works well for this)

The duration of the wait loop needs to be 24,078.747 clocks

$$N = \left(\frac{10,000,000}{2 \cdot \text{Hz}} \right) = 24,078.747$$

One way to do this is to have three nested wait loops:

```
Wait: movlw    A
; 4 clocks

        movwf   CNT0
W1:    movlw   B
; 5 clocks * A
        movwf   CNT1
W2:    nop
; 10 clocks * A * B
        nop
        nop
        nop
        nop
        nop
        nop
        decfsz  CNT1,F
        goto   W2
        decfsz  CNT0,F
        goto   W0
        return
```

The total time spend in the wait loop is

$$N = 10AB + 5A + 4$$

Come up with integers which are in the range of (1..255) and the product is close to 24,078,747. In Matlab, you can find the best combination (not necessary - just showing off)

```
% Matlab Code
minE = 9999
for a = 1:255
    for b = 1:255
        N = 10*a*b + 5*a + 4;
        E = abs(24078.7 - N);
        if(E < minE)
            minE = E;
            A = a;
            B = b;
            [A,B,N]
        end
    end
end
end
```

This results in

$$A = 15, B = 160, N = 24,079$$

The resulting program is then

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#include <p18f4620.inc>

; Variables
CNT0 EQU 1
CNT1 EQU 2

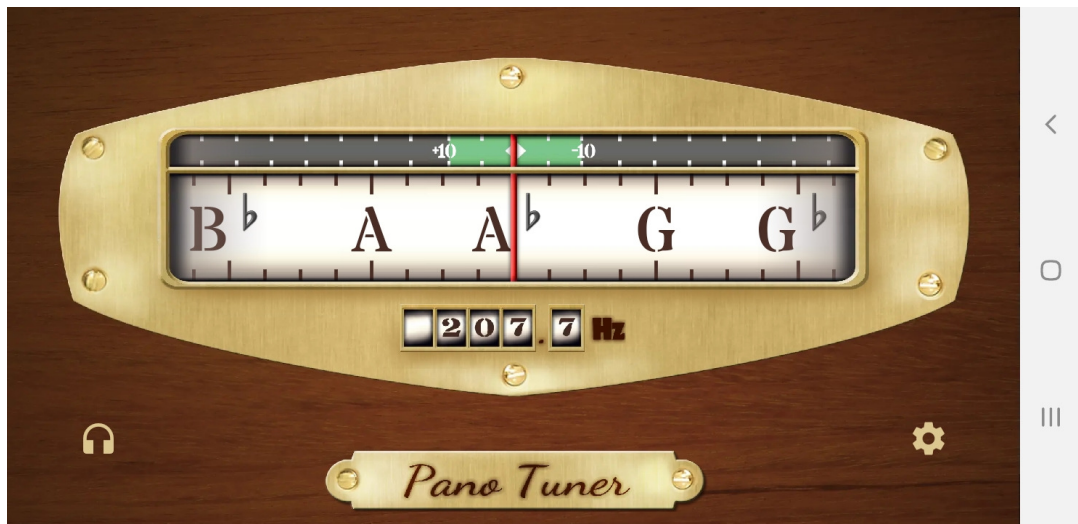
; Program
    org 0x800
    call Init
Loop:
    incf PORTC,F
    call Wait
    goto Loop

; --- Subroutines ---

Init:
    clrf TRISA
    clrf TRISB
    clrf TRISC
    clrf TRISD
    clrf TRISE
    movlw 0x0F
    movwf ADCON1 ;everyone is binary
    return

Wait: movlw    15
      movwf    CNT0
W1:  movlw    160
      movwf    CNT1
W2:  nop
      nop
      nop
      nop
      nop
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      nop
      decfsz  CNT1,F
      goto  W2
      decfsz  CNT0,F
      goto  W0
      return

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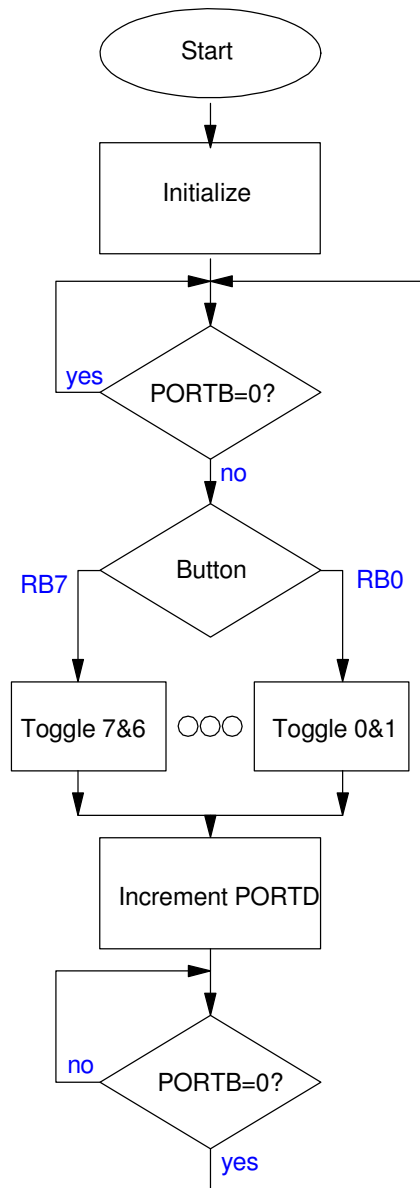


Lab: Lights-Out Game

7) Give the flow chart for a program to turn your PIC board into *Lights-Out* game

- On power up, PORTC = 0xFF and PORTD = 0x00
- When you press and release a button, the corresponding pin on PORTC and its neighbors are toggled
 - RB0: Toggle pins RC0, RC1
 - RB1: Toggle pins RC0, RC1, RC2
 - etc.
- Each time you press and release a button, PORTD increments by one

The goal of the game is to turn off all of the lights on PORTC in the minimum number of moves



8) Write the corresponding assembler code

```

org 0x800
movlw 0xFF
movwf TRISB
clrf TRISC
clrf TRISD
movlw 0xFF
movwf PORTC
clrf PORTD
movlw 0x0F
movwf ADCON1

L1:  movlw 0
     cpfseq PORTB
     goto L2
     goto L1

L2:  btfsc PORTB, 7
     goto B7
     btfsc PORTB, 6
     goto B6
     btfsc PORTB, 5
     goto B5
     btfsc PORTB, 4
     goto B4
     btfsc PORTB, 3
     goto B3
     btfsc PORTB, 2
     goto B2
     btfsc PORTB, 1
     goto B1

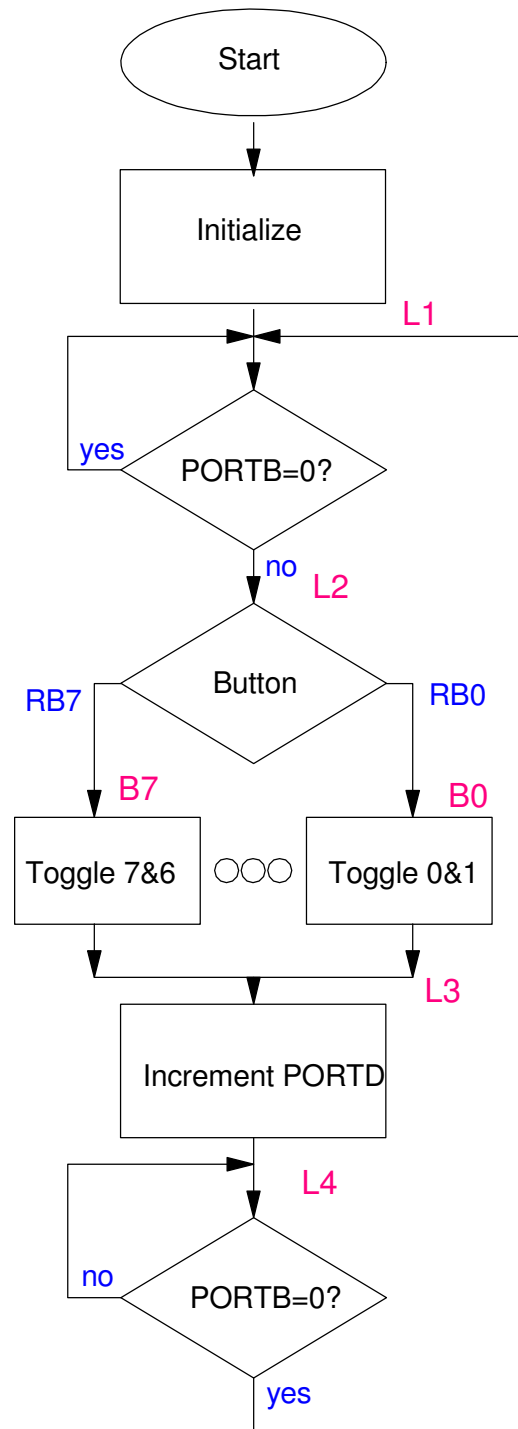
B0:  movlw 0x03
     xorwf PORTC, F
     goto L3
B1:  movlw 0x07
     xorwf PORTC, F
     goto L3
B2:  movlw 0x0E
     xorwf PORTC, F
     goto L3
B3:  movlw 0x1C
     xorwf PORTC, F
     goto L3
B4:  movlw 0x38
     xorwf PORTC, F
     goto L3
B5:  movlw 0x70
     xorwf PORTC, F
     goto L3
B6:  movlw 0xE0
     xorwf PORTC, F
     goto L3
B7:  movlw 0xC0
     xorwf PORTC, F
     goto L3

L3:  incf PORTD, F

L4:  movlw 0
     cpfseq PORTB
     goto L4
     goto L1

end

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9) Test your code.

- Compile and program your PIC board
- Verify each button's operation

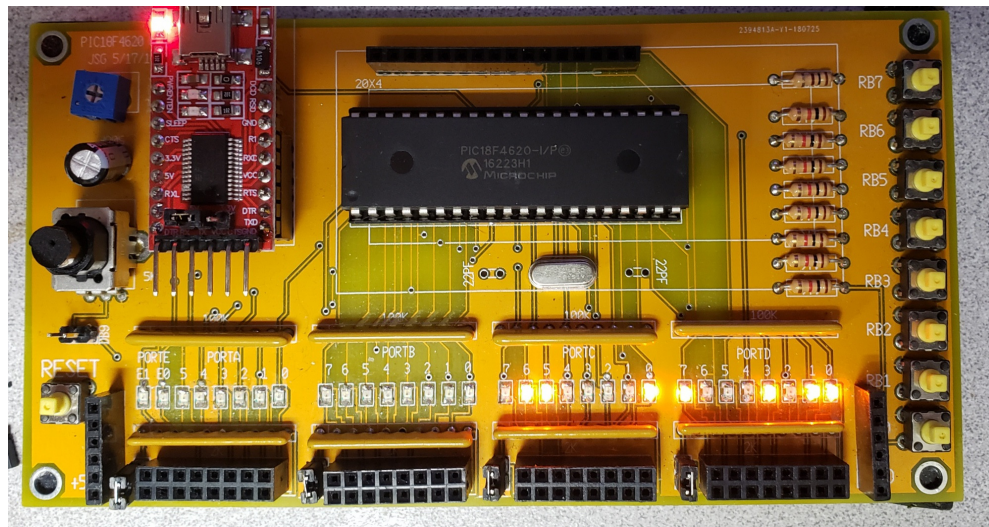
Checking:

- RB0 toggles lights 0,1 (check)
- RB1 toggles lights 0,1,2 (check)
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- RB6 toggles lights 5,6,7 (check)
- RB7 toggles lights 6,7 (check)
- PORTD counts with each button press (check)

There are some double counts, though. Adding debouncing would be good.

10) (20 points) Demonstration

- In-person of with a video



Lights-Out Game: As you press a button, that light and it's neighbors toggle on PORTC