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Virtual Hardware Laboratories examples (Embedded Systems Laboratory)

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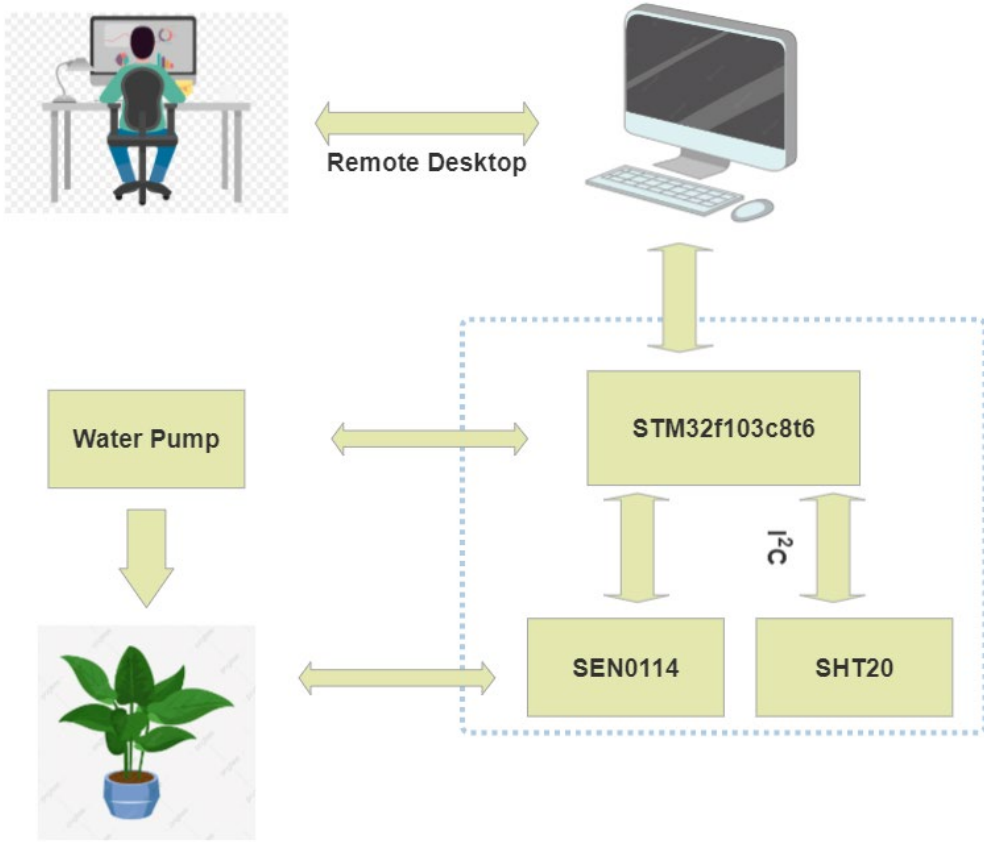
- The course consists of five laboratory exercises each designed to be done in a single session. The topics that will be covered are:
  - General purpose I/O ports
  - Timers
  - ADC
  - Serial communication protocols (I^2C and UART/USART)

- The ultimate purpose of this project is to provide students with practical introduction to the field of embedded systems. Additionally by combining the five exercises an interesting and practical autonomous irrigation system can be created. The irrigation system consists of:
  - STM32f103c8t6 microcontroller (processing information)
  - SEN0114 soil moisture sensor (measure soil moisture)
  - SHT20 temperature and humidity sensor (measure ambient temperature and air humidity)



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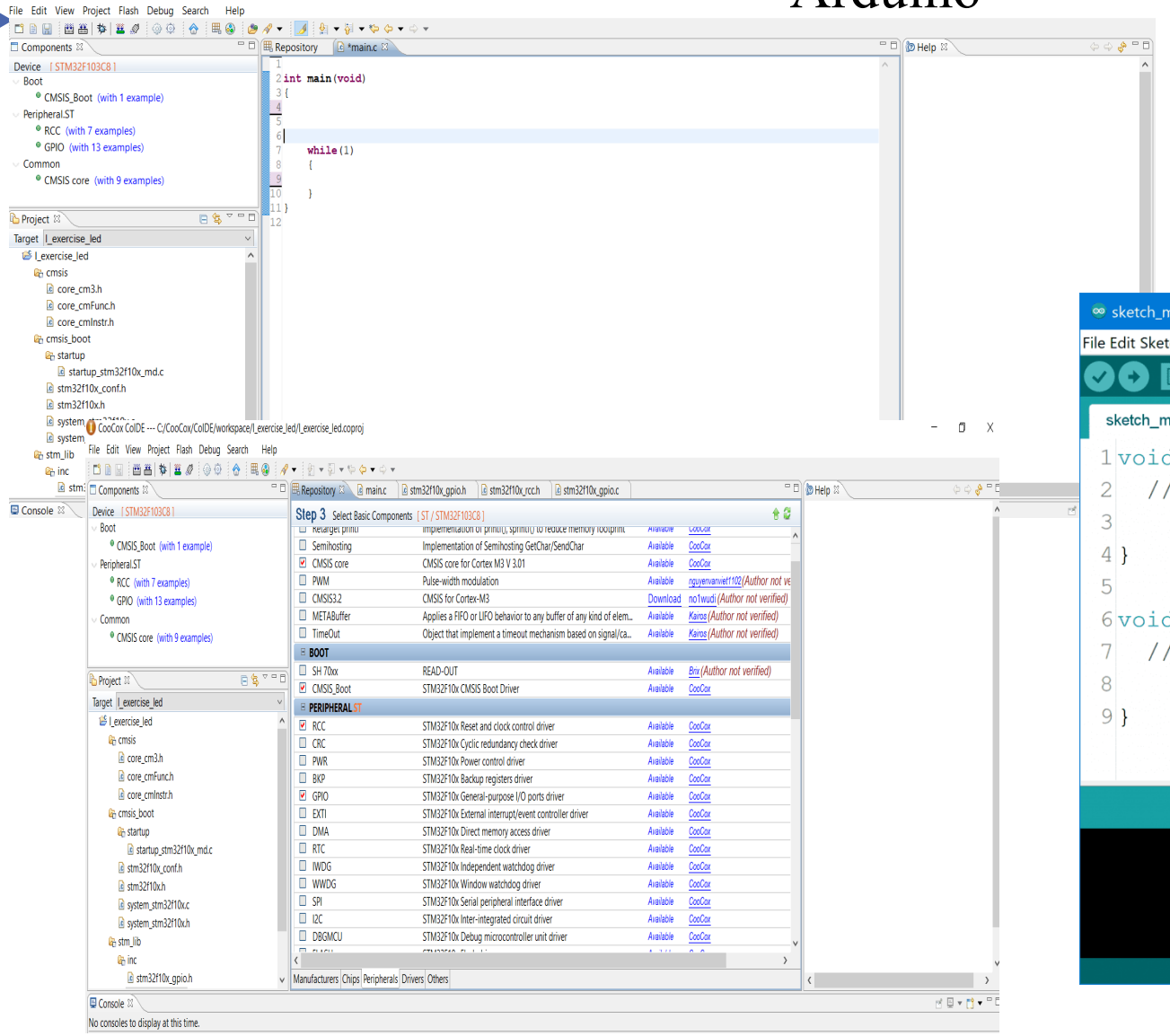
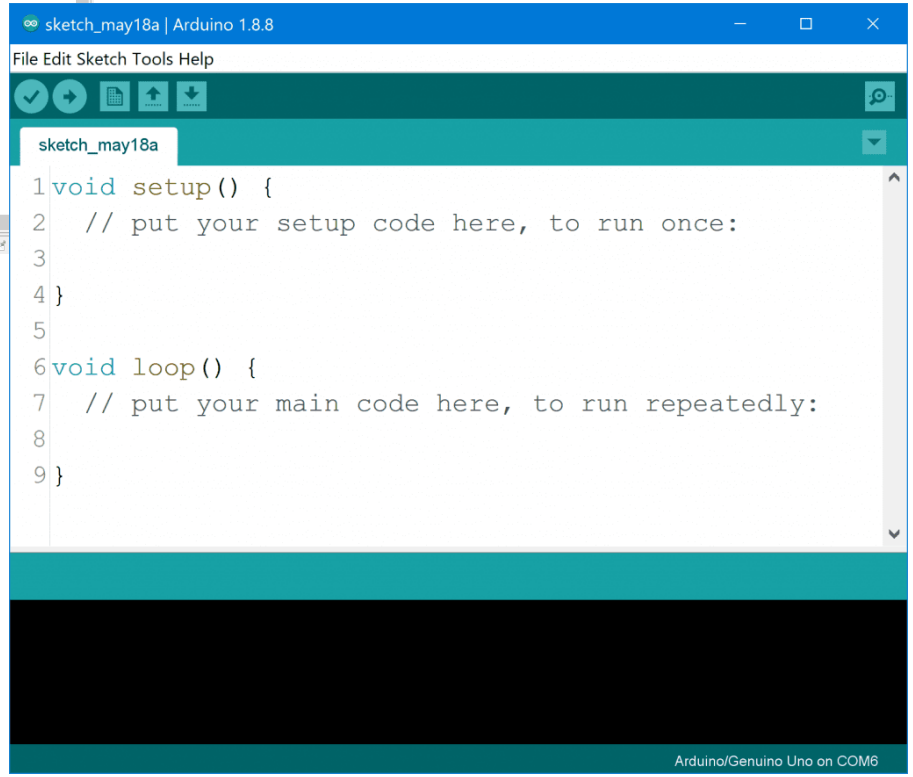
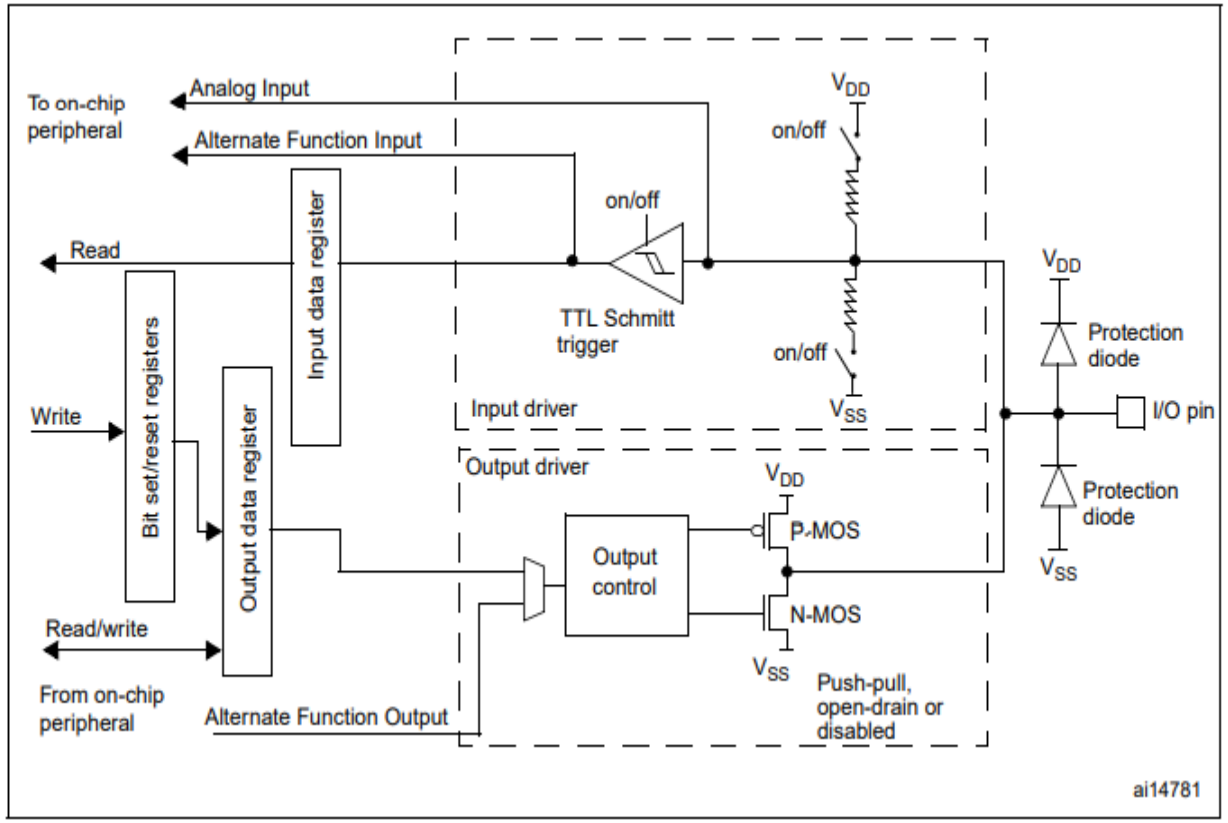
Development Environment –CooCox Coide and Arduino





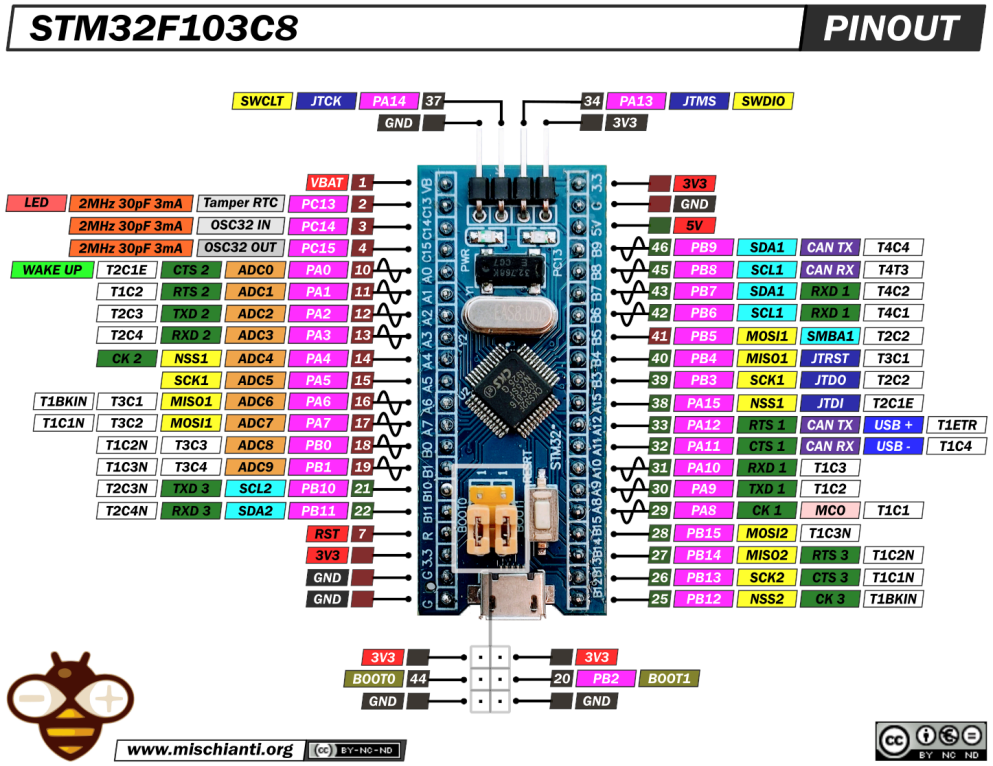
GPIO ports

- GPIO – General Purpose Input Output pins can be individually configured for specific purpose
- Relationship between microcontroller peripherals and devices
- GPIO functional modes:
  - Input floating
  - Input pull-up
  - Input push-up
  - Analog
  - Output open-drain
  - Output push-pull
  - Alternate function open-drain
  - Alternate function push-pull



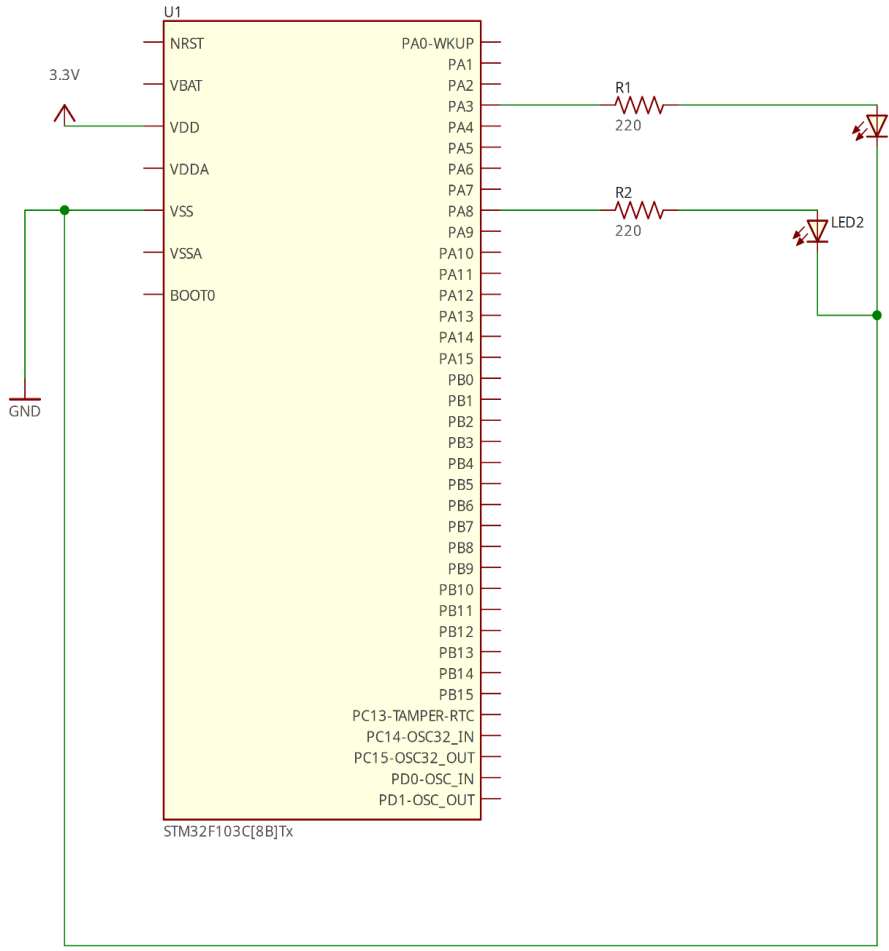
GPIO Configuration

- Enable peripheral clock
- Specify the GPIO pins to be configured
- Specify the speed for the selected pins
- Specify the operating mode for the selected pins
- Remap pin if alternate function is used

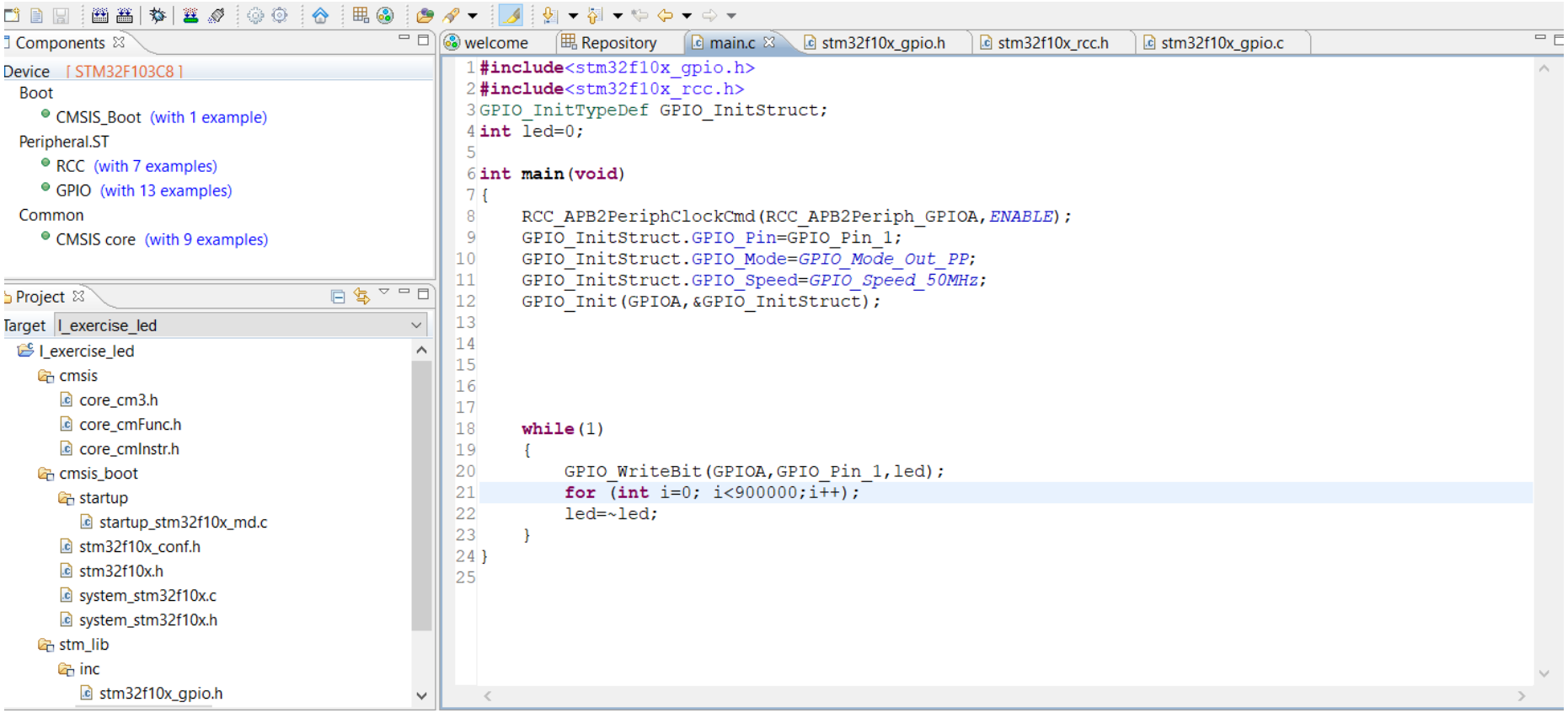


I exercise – Configuration the GPIO port

- The first exercise is a way of getting started and becoming familiar with the tools and environment, as well as understanding the general purpose I/O ports.
- It consists of a simple code that configures a selected I/O port which turns a LED diode connected through a 220 ohms resistor on or off dependent on the set logic level. In addition a second diode can be used to implement alternating operation.
- Additional exercise is to write code for traffic light where for loop is used for delay



Example with LED diode



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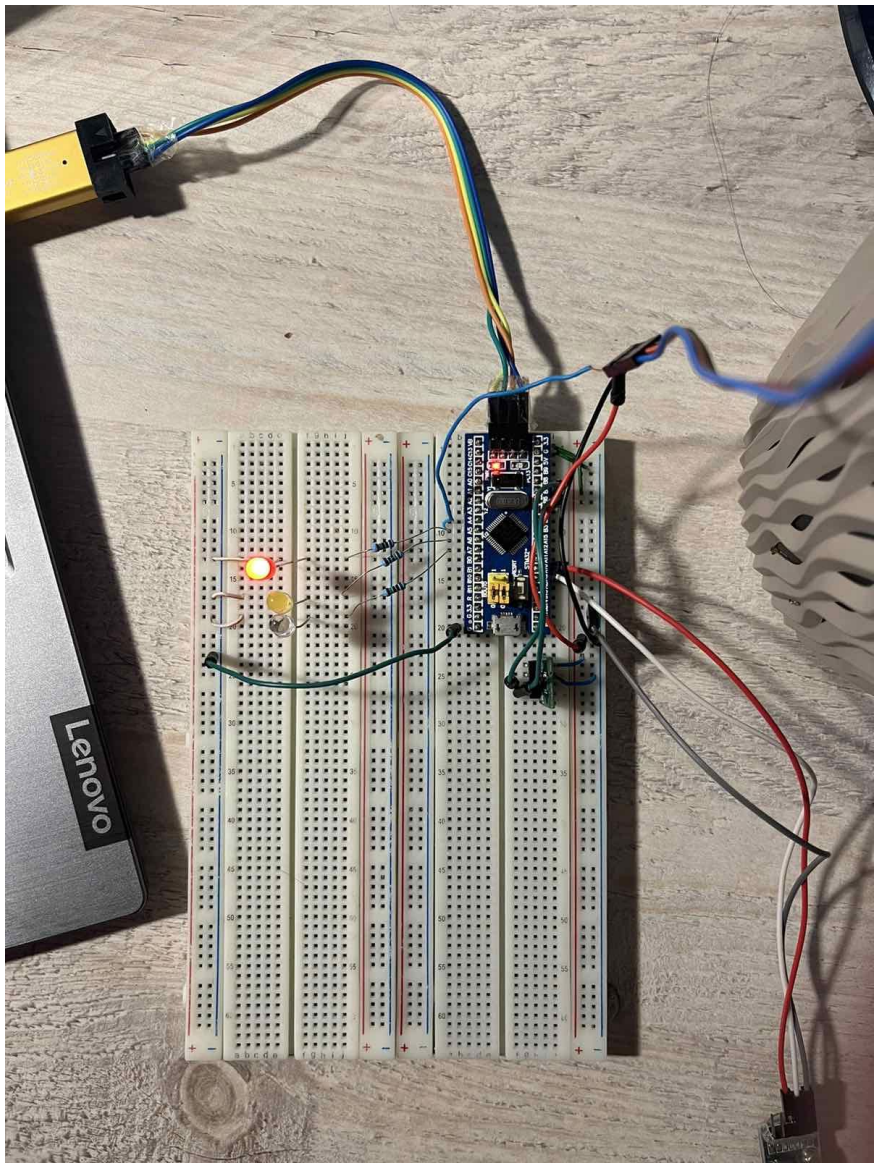

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Basic Timers- TIM6 and TIM7

- TIM6 and TIM7 usually are used for time-base generation and to drive the digital-analog convertor
- Basic Timers consist of a 16-bit auto-reload counter driven by a programmable prescaler
- They are completely independent
- Main features are:
- 16-bit programmable prescaler used do divide the counter clock frequency by any factor between 1 and $2^{16} - 1$
- Synchronization circuit to trigger the DAC
- Interrupt on update event: counter overflow

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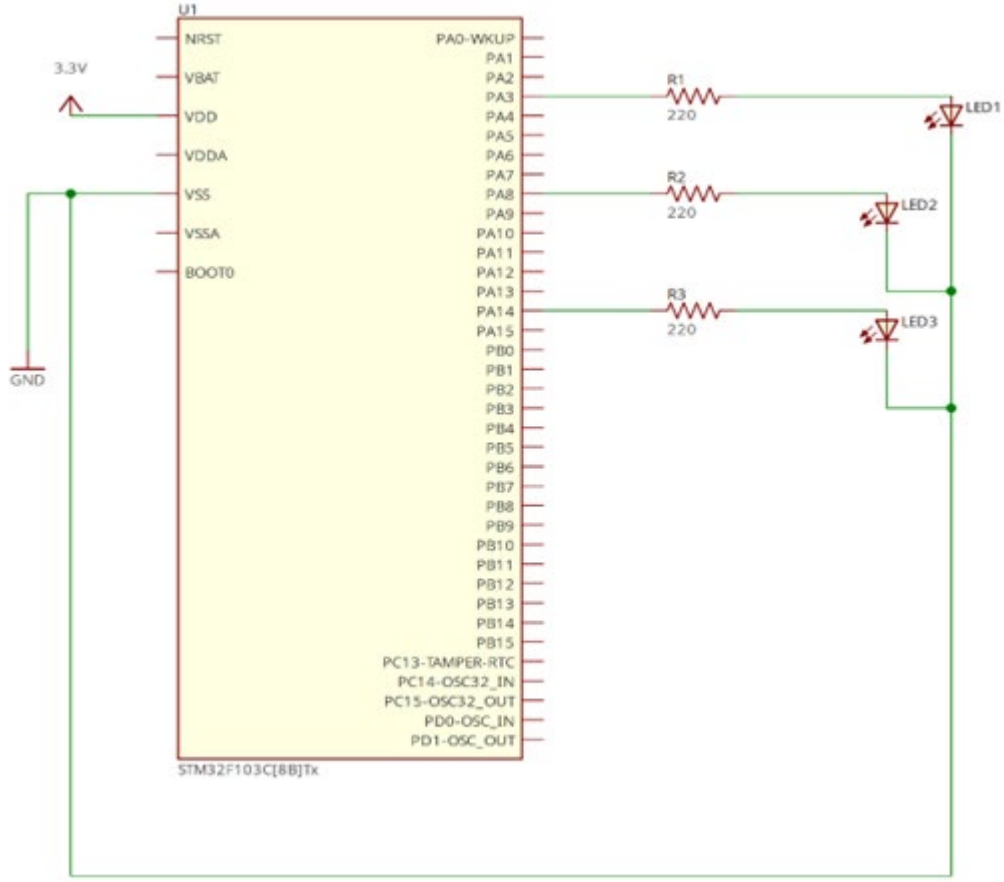
II exercise – Pulse Width Modulation (PWM) and Delay

- This exercise begins with a brief overview of the operation of the integrated timers and prescalers.
- The STM microcontroller has to be programmed to use its internal RC oscillator as a clock signal. The students can write delay function using timers. Using delay can perform traffic light using three diode.
- For further practice students can generate PWM signal for intensity changes.
- Further, students can experiment with different oscillator as clock signal, different driving scheme and etc.)



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Example – Delay

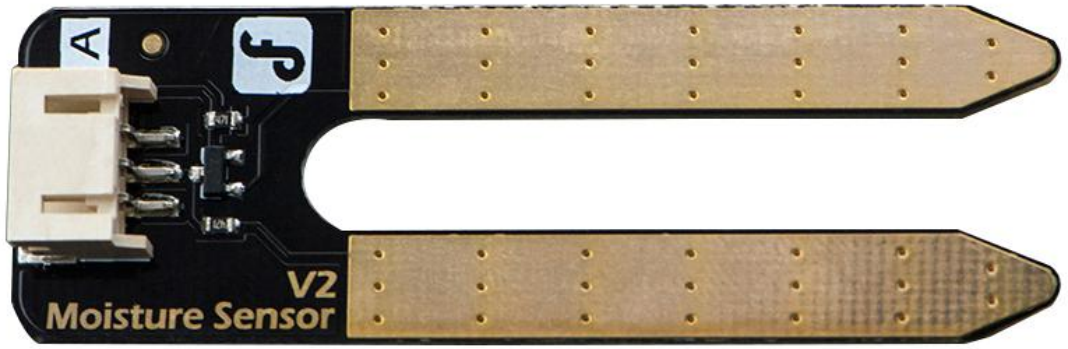
```
#include<stm32f10x_gpio.h>
#include<stm32f10x_rcc.h>
GPIO_InitTypeDef GPIO_InitStruct;
int red_led=0;
int green_led=0;
int yellow_led=0;
void delay_ms(int ms)
{
    RCC -> APB1ENR |= 0x1; //Vkluci clock za timer 2
    TIM2 -> PSC = 72-1; //Postavi vrednost na PSC na //71 so toa taktot na brojacot //go delime so 72
    TIM2 -> ARR = 1000-1; //Postavi vrednost vo auto- //reload registarot na 999 so //toa counterot ke broi do od //0-999 1000 taktovi od CK_
    TIM2 -> CNT = 0;
    TIM2 -> EGR |= 0x1; //Generiraj update event so //cel updatirawe na baferot na //preskalerot
    TIM2 -> SR &= ~(0x1); //Resetiraj interrupt flegot
    TIM2 -> CR1 |= 0x1; //Vkluci tajmerot
    while(ms > 0) //Broi dodeka ms ne stane nula
    {
        while((TIM2 -> SR & 0x1) == 0); //Cekaj dodeka ne //nastane overflow //odnosno counterot //izbroi do 999
            TIM2 -> SR &= ~(0x1); /* resetiraj fleg */
            ms--; //Dekrementiraj brojac
        }
    TIM2 -> CR1 &= ~(0x1); //Stopiraj timer
    RCC -> APB1ENR &= ~(0x1 );
}

int main(void)
{
    RCC_APB2PeriphClockCmd(RCC_APB2Periph_GPIOA,ENABLE);
    GPIO_InitStruct.GPIO_Pin=GPIO_Pin_1 | GPIO_Pin_2 | GPIO_Pin_3;
    GPIO_InitStruct.GPIO_Mode=GPIO_Mode_Out_PP;
    GPIO_InitStruct.GPIO_Speed=GPIO_Speed_50MHz;
    GPIO_Init(GPIOA,&GPIO_InitStruct);

    while(1)
    {
        green_led=0;
        red_led=1;
        GPIO_WriteBit(GPIOA,GPIO_Pin_1,red_led);
        GPIO_WriteBit(GPIOA,GPIO_Pin_2,yellow_led);
        GPIO_WriteBit(GPIOA,GPIO_Pin_3,green_led);
        delay(10000);
        red_led=0;
```

III exercise – Conversion analog values to digital

- Exercise 3 gives a description of the operation of the soil moisture sensor and the process of A/D conversion.
- SEN0114 is a capacitive soil moisture sensor that conducts current through the soil its two probes and measures the soil resistivity.
- The goal of this exercise is to convert the measured values from analog to digital form and to store this information on the microcontroller memory.



Measured values	Meaning
0-500	Very dry
500-1200	Good
>1200	Wet

Analog to digital converter - ADC

- ADC main features:
- 16 multiplexed channels
- 12-bit resolution
- Sampling frequency
- Single and continuous conversion modes

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Example of Analog/Digital Conversion

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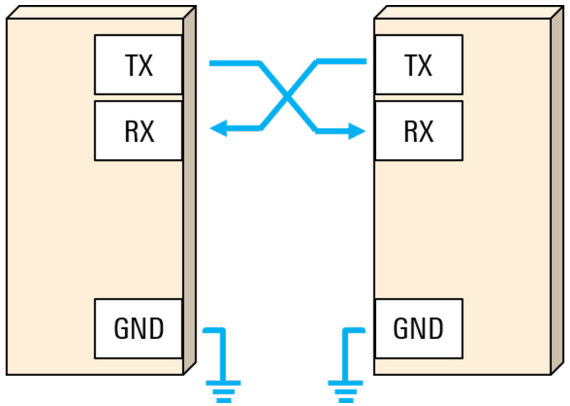
```
#include <stm32f10x_gpio.h>
#include <stm32f10x_rcc.h>
#include <stm32f10x_adc.h>

GPIO_InitTypeDef GPIO_ADC_InitStruct;
ADC_InitTypeDef ADC_InitStruct;
uint16_t value=0;
int main(void)
{
    RCC_APB2PeriphClockCmd(RCC_APB2Periph_GPIOA,ENABLE);
    GPIO_ADC_InitStruct.GPIO_Pin=GPIO_Pin_5;
    GPIO_ADC_InitStruct.GPIO_Mode=GPIO_Mode_AIN;
    GPIO_ADC_InitStruct.GPIO_Speed=GPIO_Speed_50MHz;
    GPIO_Init(GPIOA, &GPIO_ADC_InitStruct);                    // init GPIOB
    //GPIO_PinRemapConfig(GPIO_Remap_ADC1_ETRGREG, ENABLE);
    ADC_DeInit(ADC1);
    RCC_APB2PeriphClockCmd(RCC_APB2Periph_ADC1,ENABLE);
    RCC_ADCCLKConfig(RCC_PCLK2_Div4);

    ADC_InitStruct.ADC_Mode==ADC_Mode_Independent;
    ADC_InitStruct.ADC_ContinuousConvMode=ENABLE;
    ADC_InitStruct.ADC_ScanConvMode=DISABLE;
    ADC_InitStruct.ADC_NbrOfChannel=1;
    ADC_InitStruct.ADC_DataAlign=ADC_DataAlign_Right;
    ADC_InitStruct.ADC_ExternalTrigConv=ADC_ExternalTrigConv_None;
    ADC_Init(ADC1,&ADC_InitStruct);

    ADC_RegularChannelConfig(ADC1,ADC_Channel_5,1,ADC_SampleTime_1Cycles5);
    ADC_Cmd(ADC1,ENABLE);
    ADC_ResetCalibration(ADC1);
    while(ADC_GetResetCalibrationStatus(ADC1));
    ADC_StartCalibration( ADC1);
    ADC_SoftwareStartConvCmd(ADC1, ENABLE);


    while(1)
    {
        uint16_t value=0;
        value=ADC_GetConversionValue(ADC1);
        for(int i=0;i<500000;i++);
    }
}
```

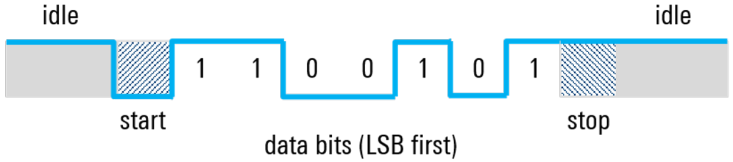
Semihosting | Variables

Name	Value
i	239070
value	12

IV exercise - USART communication

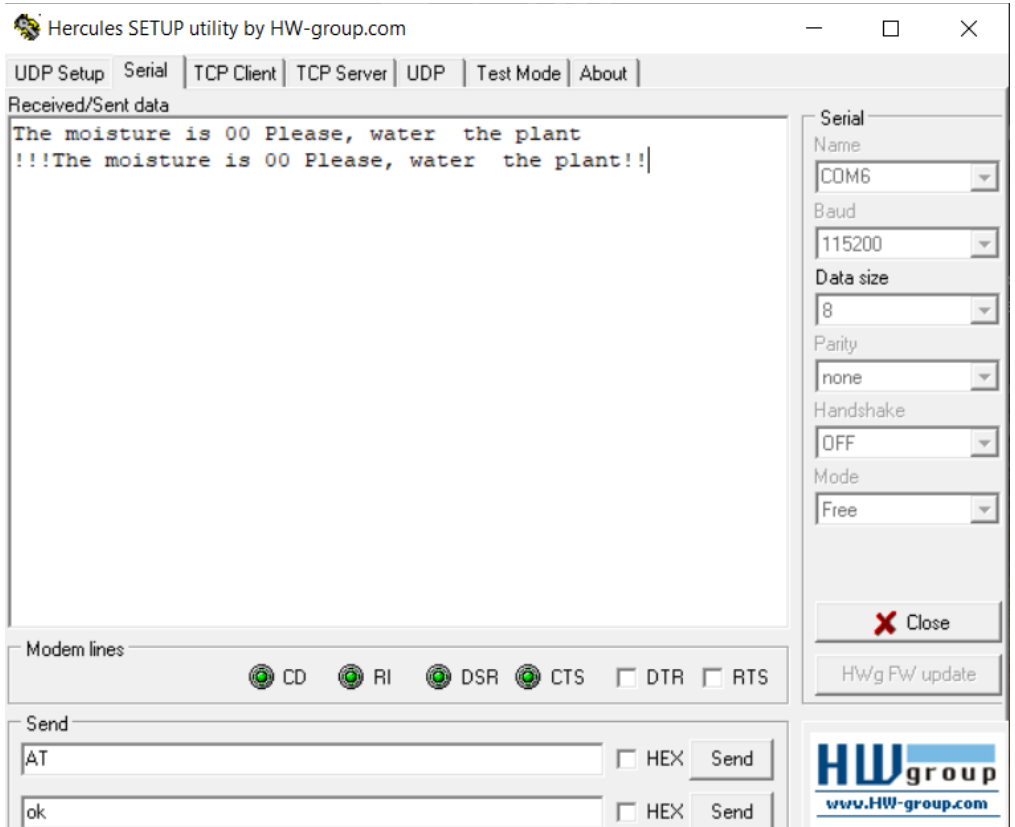
- Universal synchronous asynchronous receiver transmitter (USART) offers flexible data exchange through defined protocol or sets of rules for exchanging data between two devices.





IV exercise - USART communication

- In this exercise students get to know the basic principles of the UART/USART serial communication protocol.
- By using the USART modules of the STM microcontroller the can send the measured values stored on the microcontroller to the PC in order to view them on the serial monitor.



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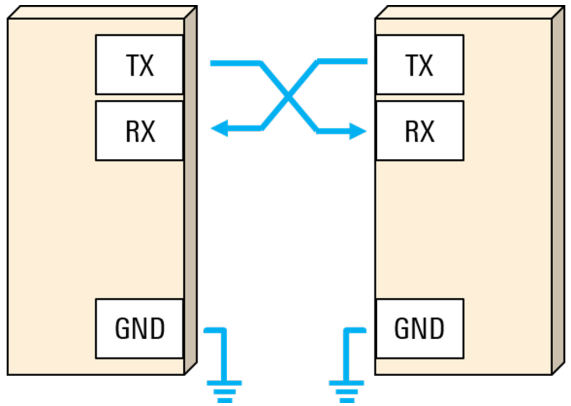
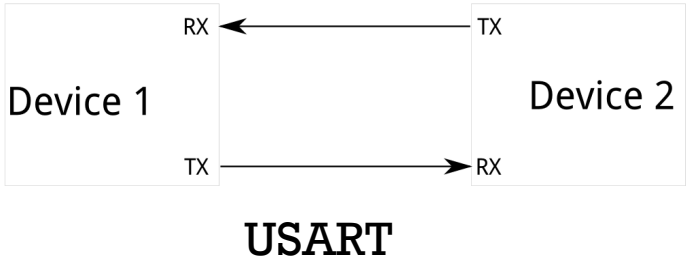
IV exercise - USART communication

- USART Features
  - Full duplex, asynchronous communications
  - A common programmable transmit and receive baud rates
  - Programmable data word length (8 or 9 bits)
  - Configurable stop bits - support for 1 or 2 stop bits
  - Transmitter clock output for synchronous transmission
  - Separate enable bits for Transmitter and Receive

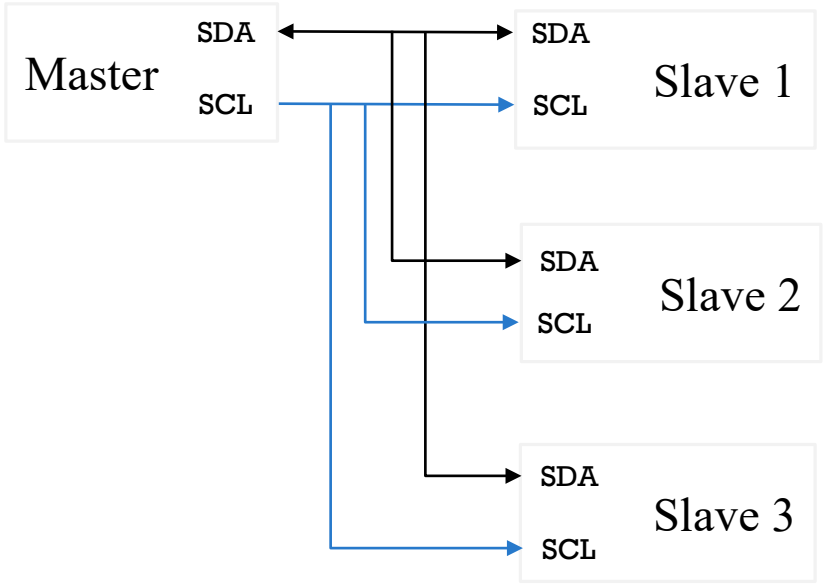


V exercise – I2C communication

- **Why Inter-Intergrated Circuit (I2C) Protocol?**

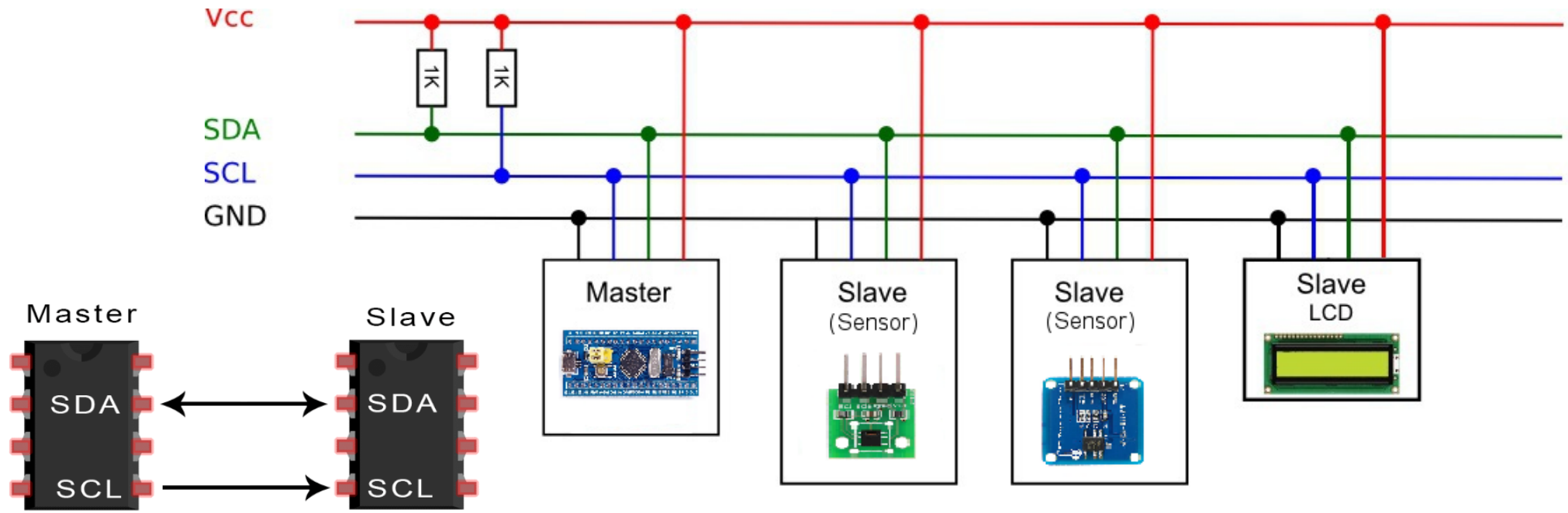


USART



I2C

V exercise – I2C communication



Start	7 or 10 bits	Read/ Write Bit	ACK/ NACK Bit	8 Bits	ACK/ NACK Bit	8 Bits	ACK/ NACK Bit	Stop

Start Condition

Address Frame

Data Frame

Data Frame

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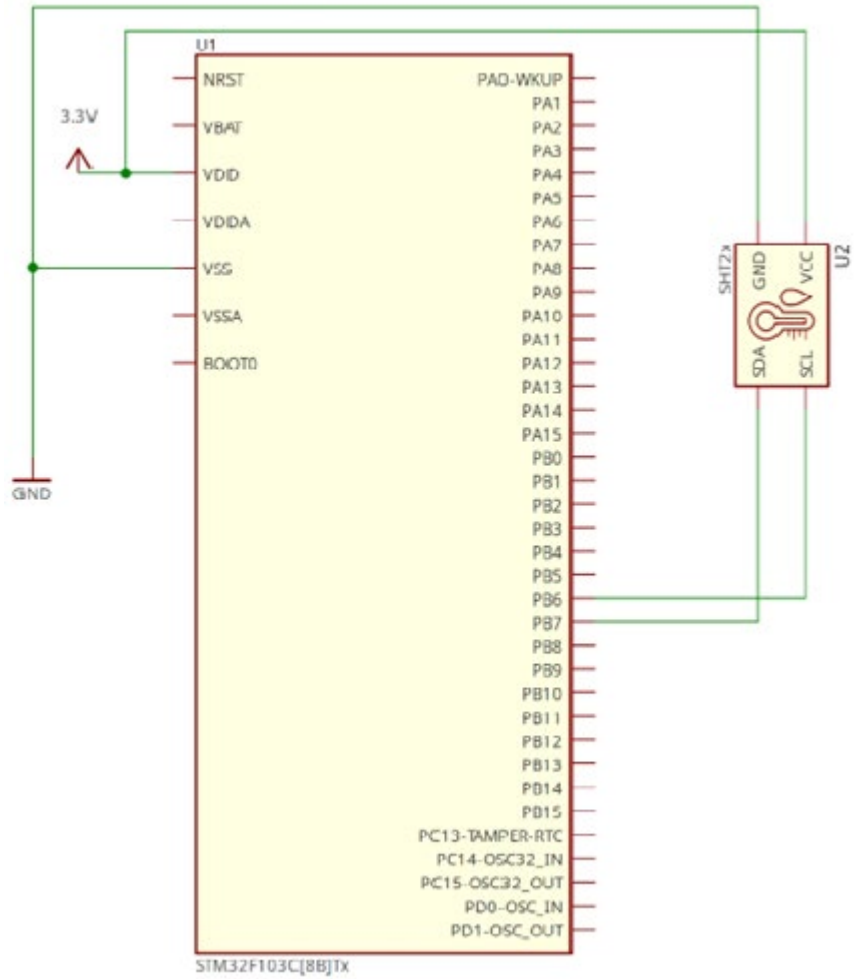
V exercise – Temperature and Humidity sensor with I2C communication

- This exercise gives a brief overview of the operation of the temperature and humidity sensor as well as the I²C communication protocol.
- SHT20 is a combination of a capacitive humidity sensor and ambient temperature sensor.
- By using I²C communication the measured data is sent to the STM memory.



Example with I2C communication

```
void init_I2C1(void){

    // enable APB1 peripheral clock for I2C1
            RCC_APB1PeriphClockCmd(RCC_APB1Periph_I2C1, ENABLE);
            // enable clock for SCL and SDA pins
            RCC_APB2PeriphClockCmd(RCC_APB2Periph_GPIOB, ENABLE);

            /* setup SCL and SDA pins
             * You can connect I2C1 to two different
             * pairs of pins:
             * 1. SCL on PB6 and SDA on PB7
             * 2. SCL on PB8 and SDA on PB9
             */
            GPIO_I2C_InitStruct.GPIO_Pin = GPIO_Pin_6 | GPIO_Pin_7;

                // we are going to use PB6 and PB7
            GPIO_I2C_InitStruct.GPIO_Mode = GPIO_Mode_AF_OD;            // set pins to alternate function
            GPIO_I2C_InitStruct.GPIO_Speed = GPIO_Speed_50MHz;      // set GPIO speed
                //GPIO_InitStruct.GPIO_OType = GPIO_OType_OD;           // set output to open drain --> the line has to be only pulled
                //GPIO_InitStruct.GPIO_PuPd = GPIO_PuPd_UP;         // enable pull up resistors
            GPIO_Init(GPIOB, &GPIO_I2C_InitStruct);                 // init GPIOB
            GPIO_PinRemapConfig(GPIO_Remap_I2C1, ENABLE);

            // Connect I2C1 pins to AF

             I2C_InitStruct.I2C_ClockSpeed=100000;
             I2C_InitStruct.I2C_Mode=I2C_Mode_I2C;
             I2C_InitStruct.I2C_DutyCycle=I2C_DutyCycle_2;
             I2C_InitStruct.I2C_Ack=I2C_Ack_Enable;
             I2C_InitStruct.I2C_AcknowledgedAddress=I2C_AcknowledgedAddress_7bit;  //size of the address
             I2C_InitStruct.I2C_OwnAddress1=0x00;  //address of the Microcontroller

             I2C_Init( I2C1,&I2C_InitStruct);   //init I2C
             I2C_Cmd(I2C1, ENABLE);         //Enables or disables the specified I2C peripheral.

}
```

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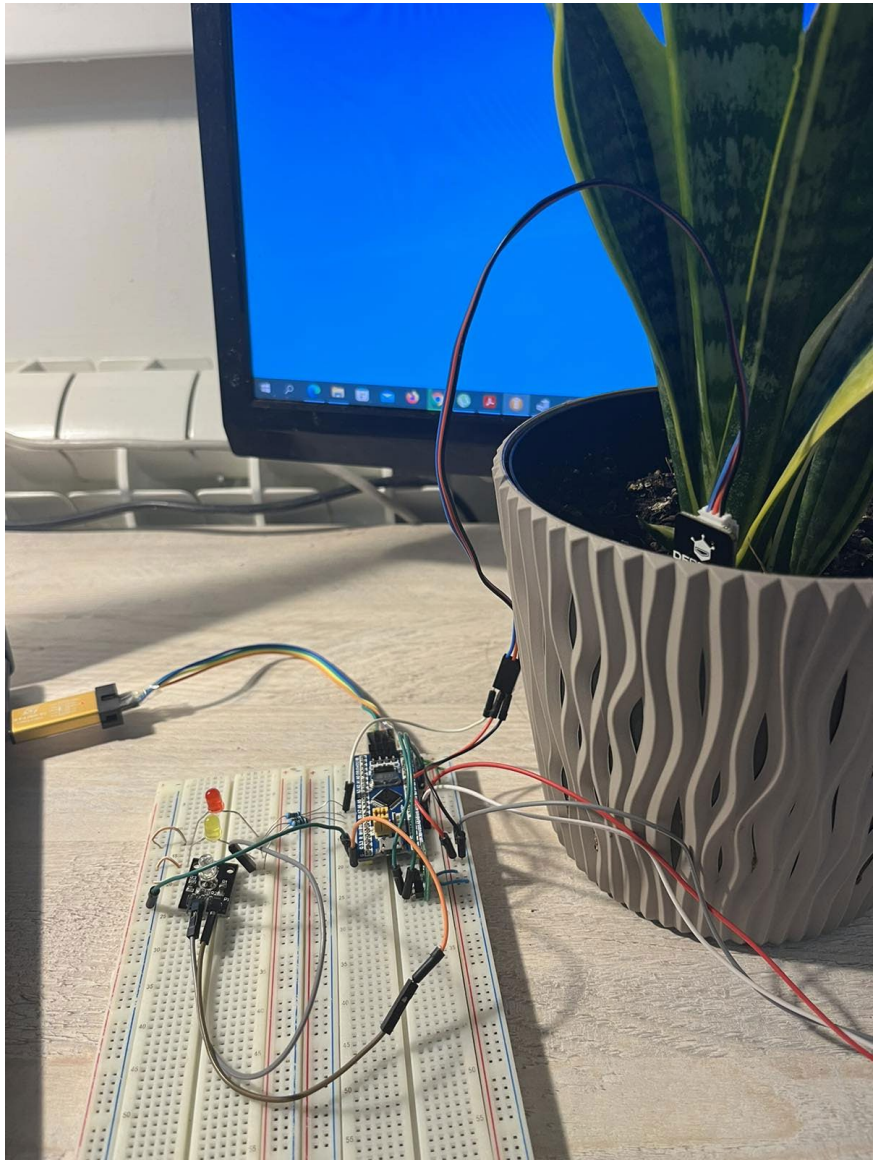
Name	Value
temp	25
humidity	50



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