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Chapter 9
8255 8-bit Programmable
Peripheral Interface
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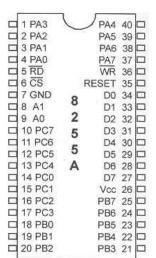
Topics

- > Interfacing with 8086/8088
- > Three modes of operation
 - Mode 0
 - Mode 1
 - Mode 2
- > Status word
- > Interfacing with 8086 data bus
- > Applications

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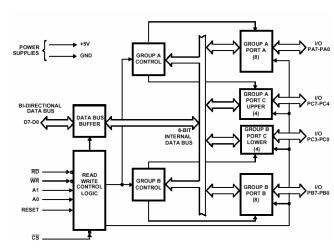
8255 PPI Chip



The 8255 Programmable Peripheral Interface (PPI)

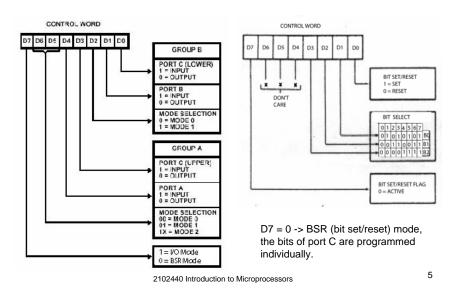
- It is one of the most widely used I/O chips.
- It has three separately accessible ports: A, B, and C
- The individual ports can be programmed to be input or output.
- Port A (PA0-PA7) -> all inputs or all outputs.
- Port B (PB0-PB7) -> all inputs or all outputs.
- Port C (PC0-PC7) -> all inputs or all outputs or can be programmed individually.
 - CU : upper bits (PC4-PC7)
 - CL : lower bits (PC0-PC3)

Block Diagram of the 8255



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I/O Mode of the 8255



8255 Port Selection

CS	A1	A0	Selects	
0	0	0	Port A	
0	0	1	Port B	
0	1	0	Port C	
0	1	1	Control register	
1	х	х	8255 is not selected	

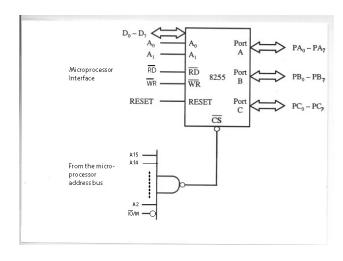
CS (chip select) : select the entire chip

A0 and A1 : select the specific port with the 8255.

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Addressing 8255



Mode Selection of the 8255

- > Ports A, B, and C are used for I/O data.
- > The control register is programmed to select the operation mode of the three ports A, B, and C.
 - Mode 0 : simple I/O mode
 - Any of the ports A, B, CL and CU can be programmed as input or output.
 - No control of individual bits (all bits are out or all bits are in)
 - Mode 1: Ports A and B can be used as input or output ports with handshaking.
 - Mode 2: Port A can be used as bidirectional I/O port with handshaking.

Input/Output Data Transfers

- > Data transfers can be Byte-wide or word-wide.
- The accessed I/O port is selected by an I/O address.
- The I/O address is specified as part of the I/O instruction.
- > The 8086 I/O addresses are output on address/data bus lines AD0-AD15.
- The logic levels of signals A0 and BHE determine whether data are I/O for an oddaddressed byte-wide port, even-addressed bytewide port, or word-wide port.

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Input/Output Instructions

Mnemonic	Meaning	Format	Operation
IN	Input direct Input indirect (variable)	IN ACC, Port IN ACC, DX	ACC ← [Port] ; ACC = AL or AX ACC ← [DX]
OUT	Output direct Output indirect (variable)	OUT Port, ACC OUT DX, ACC	[Port] ← ACC [DX] ← ACC

Direct: port address is specified directly and cannot be larger than FFH.

Ex. IN AL, 99H ; bring a byte into AL from port 99H

OUT 34H, AX ; send out a word from AX to port addresses 34H -35H

Register indirect: the port address is kept by the DX register. Therefore, it can be as high as FFFFH.

Ex. MOV DX, 64B1H; DX = 64B1H

OUT DX, AX ; send out a word from AX to port address pointed to DX.

; The byte from AL goes to port 64B1H and byte from AH

; goes to port 64B2H

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8255 Control Word (I)

- ➤ Ex. Find the control word if PA = out, PB = in, PC0 PC3 = in, and PC4-PC7 = out.
 - Control word = $1000\ 0011_2 = 83H$
- Ex. Program the 8255 to get data from port B and send it to port A. In addition, data from PCL is sent out to the PCU. Use port addresses of 300H-3003H for the 8255 chip.

8255 Example code (I)

B8255C EQU 300H; Base address of 8255 chip

CNTL EQU 83H; PA = out, PB = in, PCL = in, PCU = out

MOV DX, B8255C+3 ; load control reg. address (300H+3 = 303H)

MOV AL, CNTL ; load control byte
OUT DX, AL ; send it to control register

MOV DX, B8255C+1 ; load PB address IN AL, DX ; get the data from PB MOV DX, B8255C ; load PA address OUT DX, AL ; send it to PA MOV DX, B8255C+2 ; load PC address IN AL, DX ; get the bits from PCL AND AL. 0FH ; mask the upper bits ROL AL.1 : shift the bits ROLAL 1 ; to upper position

ROL AL,1

OUT DX, AL ; send it to PCU

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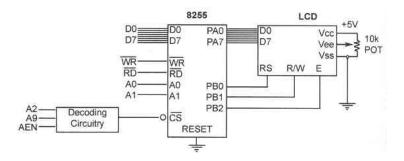
8255 Example Code (II)

Ex. Show the address decoding where port A of the 8255 has an I/O address of 300H, then write a program to toggle all bits of PA continuously with a ¼ second delay. Use INT 16H to exit if there is a keypress.

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MOV DX.303H :CONTROL REG ADDRESS
                                          QSDELAY PROC NEAR
   MOV AL.80H :ALL PORTS AS OUTPUT
                                             MOV CX,16572 ;16,572x15.085 usec=1/4 sec
   OUT DX,AL
                                             PUSH AX
AGAIN:
                                         W1·
   MOV DX.300H
                                             IN AL,61H
   MOV AL.55H
                                             AND AL,00010000B
   OUT DX.AL
                                             CMP AL, AH
   CALL QSDELAY ;1/4 SEC DELAY
                                             JE W1
   MOV AL,0AAH ;TOGGLE BIT
                                             MOV AH.AL
   OUT DX.AL
                                             LOOP W1
   CALL QSDELAY
                                             POP AX
   MOV AH,01
                                             RET
   INT 16H ; CHECK KEYPRESS
                                          QSDELAY ENDP
   JZ AGAIN :PRESS ANY KEY TO EXIT
   MOV AH.4CH
   INT 21H :EXIT
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8255 Connection to LCD

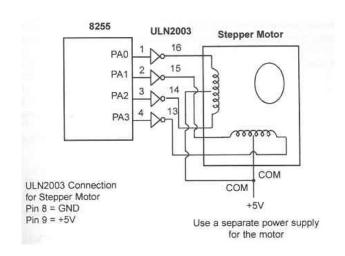


- 1. The LCD's data pins are connected to Port A of the 8255.
- 2. The LCD's RS pin is connected to PB0 of Port B of the 8255.
- 3. The LCD's R/W pin is connected to PB1 of Port B of the 8255.
- 4. The LCD's E pin is connected to PB2 of Port B of the 8255.
- 5. Both Ports A and B are configured as output ports.

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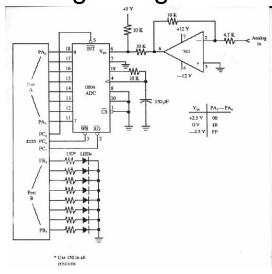
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8255 Connection to Stepper Motor



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8-bit Analog to Digital Converter



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