EE 308 Spring 2006

## **EE 308**

## Homework 13 Due May 1, 2006

- 1. You are asked to send a character string to another device over the SCI port.
  - (a) What is the ASCII code (hex digits) to send the character string EE 308\r\n (EE 308 followed by a carriage return and a line feed)?
  - (b) What is the ASCII code for the same character string if it is sent using seven data bits and odd parity?
  - (c) How long will it to send that character string over the SCI port at 9600 baud?
- 2. Write some C code to set up the serial port SCI0 to operate in the following mode: eight bits (seven data bits and one parity bit), odd parity, and 9600 baud. Be sure to enable both the transmitter and receiver, and enable interrupts on the receiver.
- 3. Write a C function int putchar(int c) which will write the character c to SCIO. The function should return -1 if the character cannot be sent (if the transmitter of SCIO is not enabled); otherwise, the function should return c. Be sure to wait until the transmit data register is empty before writing the character to the transmit data register.
- 4. Write a C function int getchar(int c) which will read and return a character from SCIO. The function should return -1 if the SCIO receiver is is not enabled; otherwise, the function should return the character it reads from the data register. Be sure to wait until the receive data register is full before reading the character.
- 5. A wheel on a robot has an encoder which generates 5,000 pulses for one revolution of the wheel. Write a C program which does the following:
  - Enables the pulse accumulator PACA.
  - Enables an RTI interrupt with a 32.768 ms period
  - In the RTI interrupt service routine, determine the number of pulses which have occurred since the last interrupt, and save that value to a 16-bit global variable.
  - In the main program, print out the speed of the wheel in RPM.