

Multiplication of Backward Differences (MOBD) Algorithm

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int dummy, d0, d1, d2, mobd, threshold, rri_count, hr;
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void interrupt isr() (
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    case 8:                // Function 8: Heart rate meter
        TMR0H = 0xED;      // Reload TMR0 for 5 ms count, sampling rate = 200 Hz
        TMR0L = 0x44;      // 0xFFFF-0xED44 = 0x12BB = 4795, (205 us delay)
        data1 = data0;     // Move old ECG sample to data1
        data0 = ReadADC(); // Store new ECG sample from ADC to data0
        PORTBbits.RB2 = !PORTBbits.RB2; // Toggle RB2 for sampling rate check
        do_MOBD = 1;       // Flag main() to do MOBD for QRS detection
        break;
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void main() {
    threshold = 50;        // Threshold for the MOBD QRS-detection algorithm
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    while (1) {
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        case 8:            // Function 9: Multiplication of Backward Differences (MOBD)
            if (do_MOBD){ // MOBD = Multiplication of Backwards Differences
                INTCONbits.TMR0IE = 0; // Disable TMR0 interrupt
                do_MOBD = 0;           // Reset new_data flag
                d2 = d1;               // Move oldest difference to d2
                d1 = d0;               // Move older difference to d1
                d0 = (int)data0 - data1; // Store new difference in d0, (int) casting important
                rri_count++;           // Increment RR-interval
                mobd = 0;              // mobd = 0, unless sign consistency is met:
                if (d0 > 0 && d1 > 0 && d2 > 0){ // (1) If 3 consecutive positive differences
                    mobd = d0 * d1;    // Multiply first two differences
                    mobd = mobd >> 3; // Scale down (divide by 8)
                    mobd = mobd * d2; // Multiply the oldest difference
                }
                if (d0 < 0 && d1 < 0 && d2 < 0){ // (2) If 3 consecutive negative differences
                    d0 = -d0;          // Take absolute value of differences
                    d1 = -d1;
                    d2 = -d2;
                    mobd = d0 * d1;    // Multiply first two differences
                    mobd = mobd >> 3; // Scale down (divide by 8)
                    mobd = mobd * d2; // Multiply the oldest difference
                }
                if (refractory){      // Avoid detecting extraneous peaks after QRS
                    refractory++;
                    if (refractory == 40){ // Delay for 200 ms
                        refractory = 0; // Reset refractory flag to 0
                        PORTBbits.RB3 = 0; // Turn buzzer/LED off (Pin 36)
                    }
                }
                else if (mobd > threshold){ // If a peak is detected,
                    refractory = 1;      // Set refractory flag
                    PORTBbits.RB3 = 1;    // Turn buzzer/LED on (Pin 36)
                    display = 1;         // Set display flag
                }
                PORTD = (unsigned char)mobd; // Output mobd value to Port D
                INTCONbits.TMR0IE = 1;    // Enable TMR0 interrupt
            }
            if (display){             // Display Heart Rate in 3 digits
                hr = 12000/rri_count;   // 60/0.005 = 12000
                rri_count = 0;          // Reset RRI counter
                PrintNum(hr, 71);      // Isolates each digit and displays
                display = 0;           // Reset display flag
            }
            break;
        }
    }
}
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