

BME 363 Biomedical Instrumentation Design Lab #6 Helper

PIC Software – Add the following code in the interrupt service routine isr()

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case 10:                                // Function 10: Photoplethysmogram
    TMR0H = 0xFE;                        // Reload TMR0 high-order byte
    TMR0L = sampling_L;                  // Reload TMR0 low-order byte
    PORTCbits.RC3 = !PORTCbits.RC3;     // Toggle RC3 (pin 18) @ 1 KHz for PPG
    skipCount++;
    if (skipCount == 5) {
        SetupADC(2);                     // Switch to A/D channel AN2
        sampling_L = ReadADC();           // Read potentiometer setting from AN2
        SetupADC(3);                     // Switch to A/D channel AN2
    }
    output = ReadADC();                  // Read PPG from AN3
    d0 += output;
    if (skipCount == 8) {                // 1 KHz / 8 = 125 Hz, check pin 18 for the actual frequency
        skipCount = 0;
        d0 = d0 >> 3;                    // d0 contains the sum of 8 points, then / 8 (shift 3 bits)
        output = (unsigned char) d0;
        d0 = 0;
        if (enableBT) {
            TransmitBT(functionBT);
            TransmitBT(output);
            TransmitBT(128);
        }
    }
}
break;
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Android Software – Implement a 4-point MOBD algorithm. Add the following code in MainActivity.

Global variables

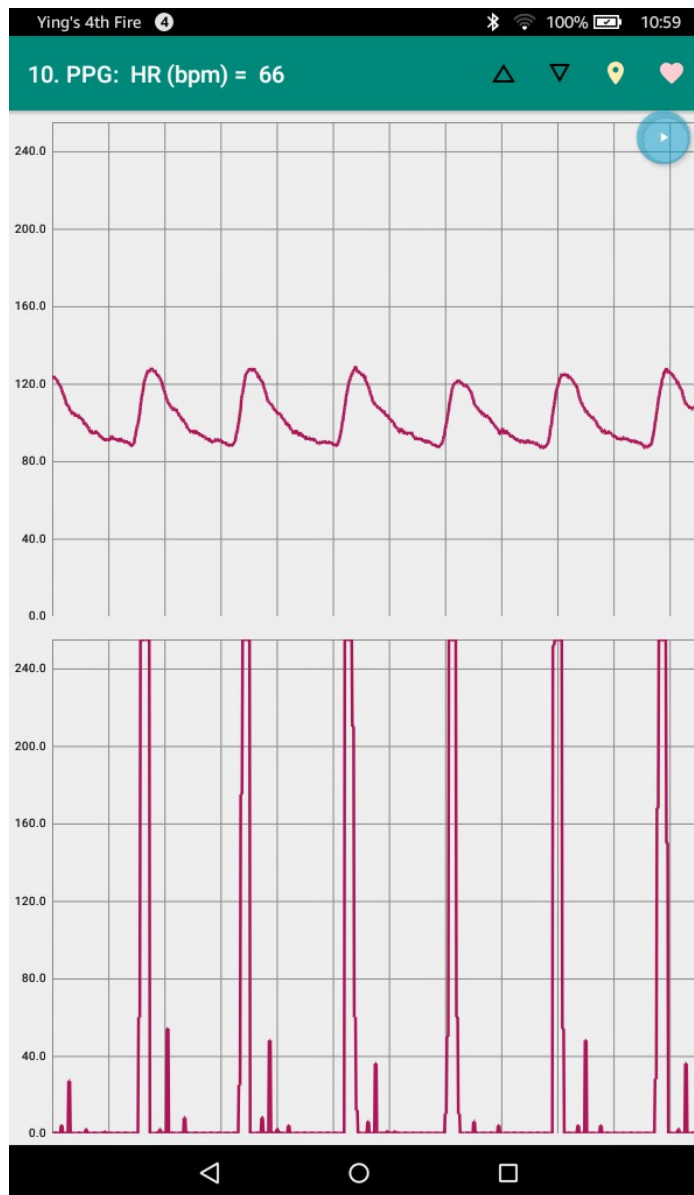
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private static int data0, data1, d0, d1, d2, d3, rri_count;
private static int threshold=80, mobd, refractory, hr, skipCount;
private static String ppg_hr;
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.....
graphValue(val1, mChartOriginal);      // Display the first channel
if (currentFunction == 10) {            // MOBD for PPG pulse detection
    skipCount++;                         // Decimate sample points 846 Hz / 8 = 106 Hz
    if (skipCount >= 3) {                // Decimate by 3, 106 Hz / 3 = 35.3 Hz, or 28 ms
        skipCount = 0;                   // Reset skipCount
        data1 = data0;                   // Move old PPG sample to data1
        data0 = val1;                    // Store new PPG sample from ADC to data0
        d3 = d2;                          // Move oldest difference to d3
        d2 = d1;                          // Move older difference to d2
        d1 = d0;                          // Move old difference to d1
        d0 = 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 && d3 > 0) { // (1) If 4 positive differences
            mobd = d0 * d1;                // Multiply first two differences
            mobd = mobd * d2;              // Multiply the older difference
            mobd = mobd * d3;              // Multiply the oldest difference
        }
        if (d0 < 0 && d1 < 0 && d2 < 0 && d3 < 0) { // (2) If 4 negative differences
            d0 = -d0;                       // Take absolute value of differences
            d1 = -d1;
            d2 = -d2;
            d3 = -d3;
            mobd = d0 * d1;                 // Multiply first two differences
            mobd = mobd * d2;               // Multiply the older difference
        }
    }
}
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        mobd = mobd * d3;           // Multiply the oldest difference
    }
    if (refractory > 0) {           // Avoid detecting extraneous peaks after QRS
        refractory++;
        if (refractory == 20) {     // Delay for 560 ms
            refractory = 0;         // Reset refractory flag to 0
        }
    } else if (mobd > threshold) { // If a peak is detected,
        refractory = 1;             // Set refractory flag
        hr = 3500 / rri_count;       // Due to packet loss, this needs calibration
        if (hr > 40 && hr < 140) ppg_hr = String.format("10. PPG: HR (bpm) = %3d", hr);
        else ppg_hr = String.format("10. PPG: HR (bpm) = ");
        runOnUiThread(() -> setTitle(ppg_hr)); // Display HR on tool bar
        rri_count = 0;
    }
    if (mobd > 255) mobd = 255;
}
val2 = mobd;
}
graphValue(val2, mChartTransformed); // Display the second channel

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The detection is quite sensitive to the magnitude and quality of the PPG. If you encounter problems with inconsistent detections, you might want to implement an adaptive threshold as follows.

Global variables

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private static int data0, data1, d0, d1, d2, d3, rri_count;
private static int threshold=20, decay, mobd, refractory, hr, skipCount;
private static String ppg_hr;

.....
graphValue(val1, mChartOriginal); // Display the first channel
if (currentFunction == 10) { // MODB for PPG pulse detection
    skipCount++; // Decimate sample points 846 Hz / 8 = 106 Hz
    if (skipCount >= 3) { // Decimate by 3, 106 Hz / 3 = 35.3 Hz, or 28 ms
        skipCount = 0; // Reset skipCount
        data1 = data0; // Move old PPG sample to data1
        data0 = val1; // Store new PPG sample from ADC to data0
        d3 = d2; // Move oldest difference to d3
        d2 = d1; // Move older difference to d2
        d1 = d0; // Move old difference to d1
        d0 = 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 && d3 > 0) { // (1) If 4 positive differences
            mobd = d0 * d1; // Multiply first two differences
            mobd = mobd * d2; // Multiply the older difference
            mobd = mobd * d3; // Multiply the oldest difference
        }
        if (d0 < 0 && d1 < 0 && d2 < 0 && d3 < 0) { // (2) If 4 negative differences
            d0 = -d0; // Take absolute value of differences
            d1 = -d1; d2 = -d2; d3 = -d3; // Make them all positive
            mobd = d0 * d1; // Multiply first two differences
            mobd = mobd * d2; // Multiply the older difference
            mobd = mobd * d3; // Multiply the oldest difference
        }
        if (refractory > 0) { // Avoid detecting extraneous peaks after QRS
            refractory++;
            if (refractory == 10) { // Delay for 280 ms
                refractory = 0; // Reset refractory flag to 0
            }
        }
        else {
            if (mobd > threshold) { // If a peak is detected,
                refractory = 1; // Set refractory flag
                threshold = mobd >> 1; // Adaptive threshold
                hr = 3500 / rri_count; // Due to packet loss, this needs calibration
                if (hr > 40 && hr < 140) ppg_hr = String.format("10. HR (bpm) = %3d", hr);
                else ppg_hr = String.format("10. HR (bpm) = ");
                runOnUiThread(() -> setTitle(ppg_hr)); // Display HR on tool bar
                rri_count = 0; // Reset RR interval counter
                decay = 5; // Set decay time constant
            }
            if (decay-- == 0) { // Counting decay down to 0
                decay = 5; // 140 ms
                threshold = threshold >> 1; // Decrease threshold by half very 140 ms
                if (threshold < 10) threshold = 10; // Set floor for threshold
            }
        }
        if (mobd > 255) mobd = 255;
    }
    val2 = mobd;
}
graphValue(val2, mChartTransformed); // Display the second channel

```