

# Embedded Sequencer

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# Specifications/Desired behavior

## 2 Modes:

- Record
- Playback; choose BPM

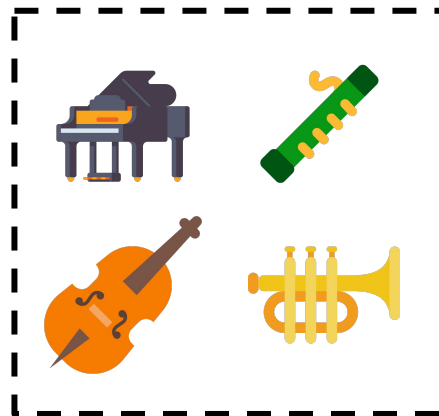
Select slot with button



16 slots

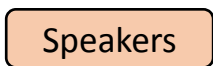
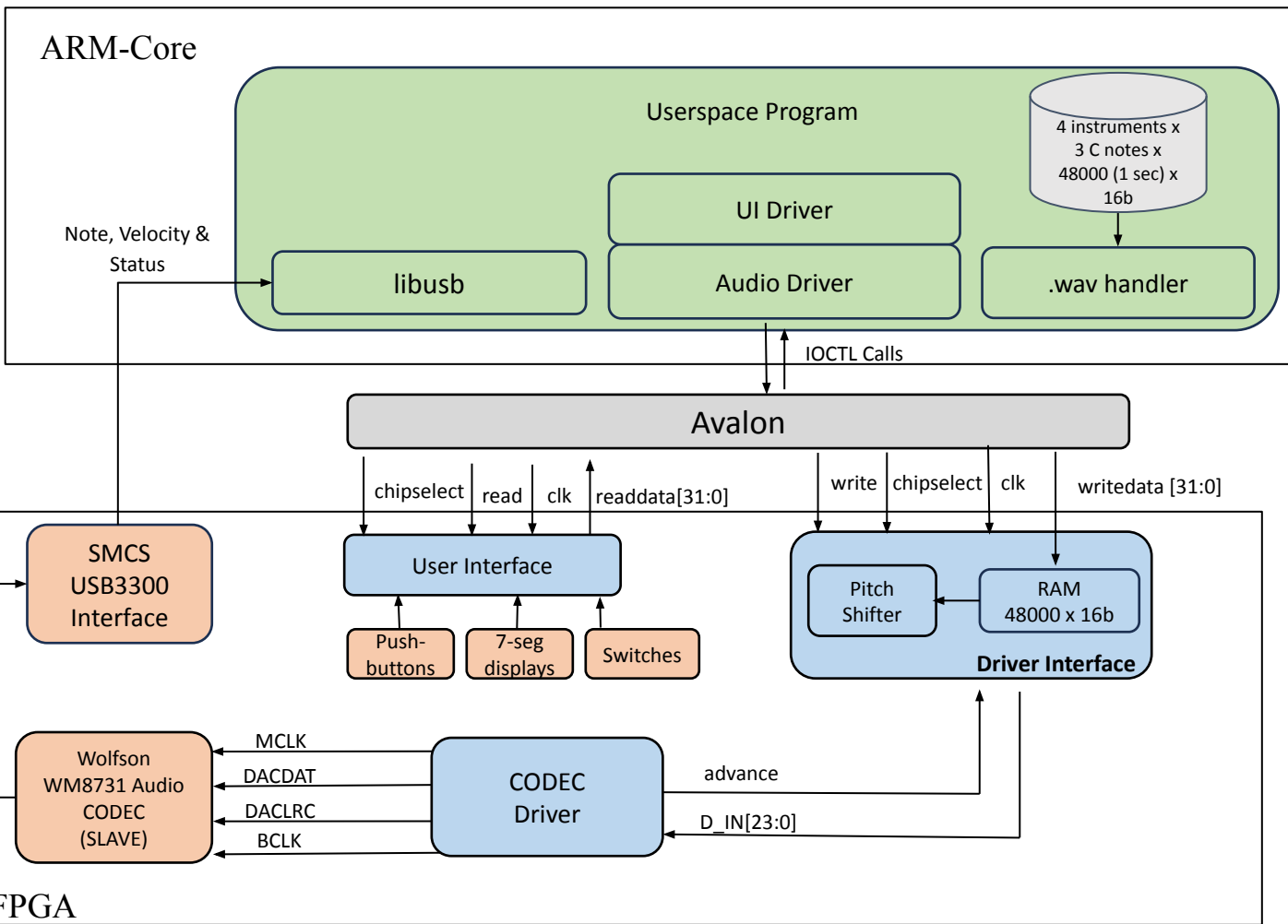


4 Instruments;  
Controlled with  
MIDI keyboard



DE1-SoC

- Peripheral
- SystemVerilog Module
- Software



# User Interface



playback

bpm

change step

change  
track/bpm

- Memory mapped messages to userspace:

[track | step | playback | bpm]

8bits    8bits    1bit    15bits

// Writes x and y coordinates

```
static void read_props(user_interface_props_t *props)
```

```
{
```

```
    unsigned int bpm_playback = ioread16(UI_BPM_PLAYBACK(dev.virtbase));
```

```
    unsigned int step_track = ioread16(UI_STEP_TRACK(dev.virtbase));
```

```
    props->step = (unsigned char)step_track;
```

```
    props->track = (unsigned char) (step_track >> 8);
```

```
    props->bpm = (unsigned short)(bpm_playback & 0x00007FFF);
```

```
    printk(KERN_INFO "Here: %hu", props->bpm);
```

```
    props->playback = (unsigned char) ((bpm_playback & 0x00008000) >> 15);
```

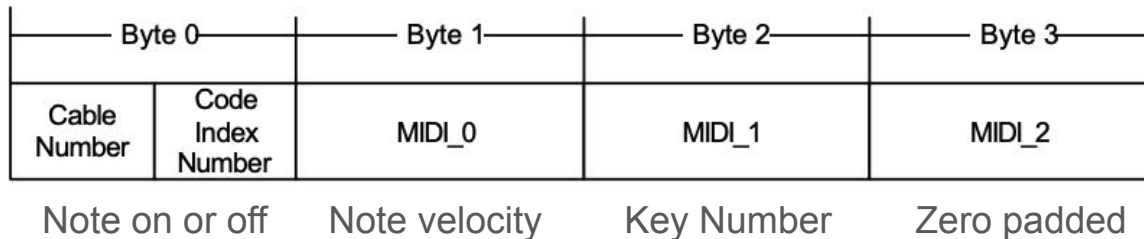
```
    dev.props = *props;
```

```
}
```

# Decoding USB-MIDI

Handled via USB Bulk Transfer:

USB-MIDI  
Packets



Libusb Device Handle:

```
// Get MIDI Device
if ( inter->bInterfaceClass == 1 &&
    inter->bInterfaceProtocol == 0 &&
    inter->bInterfaceSubClass == 3) {
```

```
*endpoint_address = inter->endpoint[1].bEndpointAddress;
```

```
// Input: packet.keycode[1]
NoteInfo mapCodeToNote(int num) {
    NoteInfo result;
    if(num != 0){
        int note[12] = {1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9,10,11,12};
        int index = (num - MIN_KEY_CODE) % 12;
        int octave = (num - MIN_KEY_CODE) / 12;
        int noteVal = note[index] +( octave * 12);

        result.noteVal = index;
        result.octave = octave;
        result.noteIndex = noteVal;}
    else{
        result.noteVal = 0;
        result.octave = 0;
        result.noteIndex = 0;}
    return result; };
```

# Wolfson WM8731 Audio CODEC Config.

## 24b, 48kHz, MSB first

REGISTER	B 15	B 14	B 13	B 12	B 11	B 10	B 9	B8	B7	B6	B5	B4	B3	B2	B1	B0
R0 (00h)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	LRIN BOTH	LIN MUTE	0	0	LINVOL				
R1 (02h)	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	RLIN BOTH	RIN MUTE	0	0	RINVOL				
R2 (04h)	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	LRHP BOTH	LZCEN	LHPVOL						
R3 (06h)	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	RLHP BOTH	RZCEN	RHPVOL						
R4 (08h)	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	SIDEATT	SIDETONE	DAC SEL	BY PASS	INSEL	MUTE MC	MIC BOOST	
R5 (0Ah)	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	HPOR	DAC MU	DEEMPH	ADC HPD	
R6 (0Ch)	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	PWR OFF	CLK OUTPD	OSCPD	OUTPD	DACPD	ADCPD	MICPD	LINEINPD
R7 (0Eh)	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	BCLK INV	MS	LR SWAP	LRP	IWL		FORMAT	
R8 (10h)	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	CLKO DIV2	CLKI DIV2	SR			BOSR	USB/NORM	
R9 (12h)	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	ACTIVE
R15(1Eh)	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	RESET								
	ADDRESS							DATA								

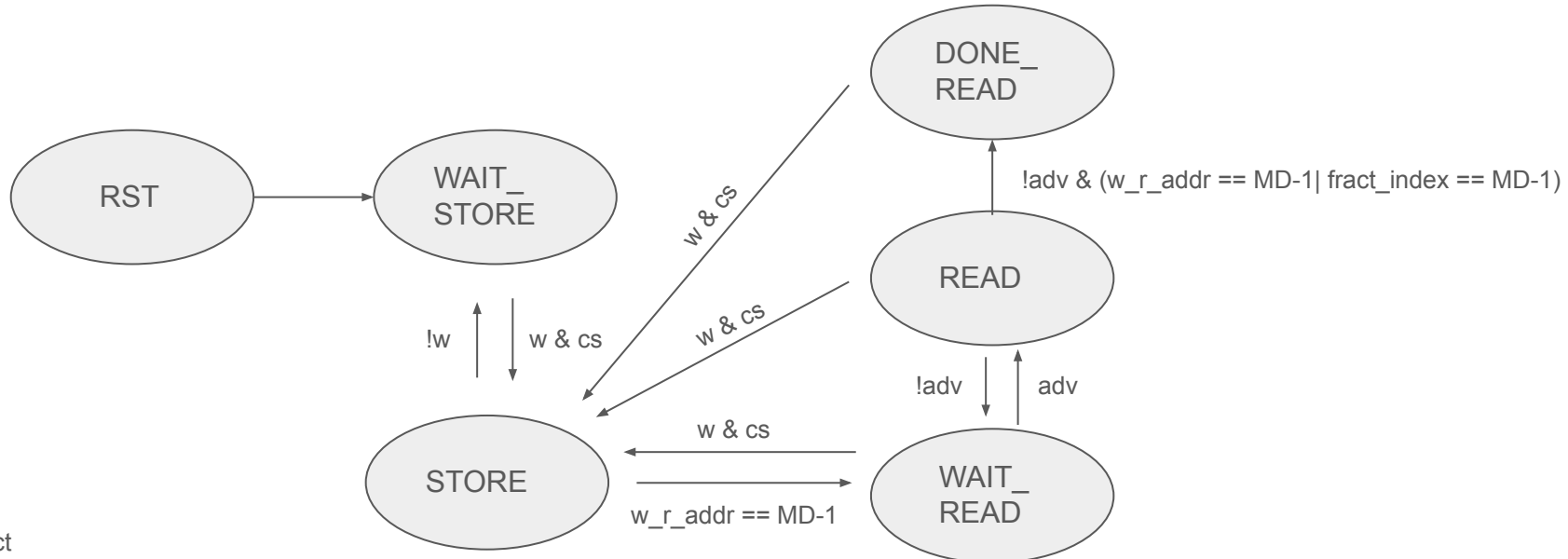
```
63 parameter I2C_BUS_MODE = 1'b0;
64 parameter CFG_TYPE = 8'h01;
65
66 parameter MIN_ROM_ADDRESS = 6'h00;
67 parameter MAX_ROM_ADDRESS = 6'h32;
68
69 parameter AUD_LINE_IN_LC = 9'h01A;
70 parameter AUD_LINE_IN_RC = 9'h01A;
71 parameter AUD_LINE_OUT_LC = 9'h07B;
72 parameter AUD_LINE_OUT_RC = 9'h07B;
73 parameter AUD_ADC_PATH = 9'd149;
74 parameter AUD_DAC_PATH = 9'h006;
75 parameter AUD_POWER = 9'h000100000;
76 parameter AUD_DATA_FORMAT = 9'd73;
77 parameter AUD_SAMPLE_CTRL = 9'd0;
78 parameter AUD_SET_ACTIVE = 9'h001;
```

(driver we used was a wrapper around preconfigured Intel IP)

# Driver Interface (Moore FSM)

1. Store sample from userspace to RAM

2. Shift Pitch & Pass samples to CODEC



w : write  
cs : chipselect  
adv : advance  
MD : Memory Depth (48000)

# Driver Interface (Moore FSM, State Transitions)

```
55 // state logic
56 always_ff @(posedge clk)
57   if (reset) state <= RST;
58   else case(state)
59     RST: begin // reset internal signals
60       w_r_address <= 16'b0;
61       fract_index <= 32'b0;
62       control <= 32'b0;
63       mem_we <= 1'b0;
64       state <= WAIT_STORE;
65     end
66     WAIT_STORE: if (write && chipselect) begin
67       mem_we <= 1'b1;
68       state <= STORE;
69     end else begin
70       mem_we <= 1'b0;
71       state <= WAIT_STORE;
72     end
73     STORE: begin
74       if (w_r_address == MEM_DEPTH-1) begin
75         w_r_address <= 16'b0; // reset for read
76         fract_index <= 32'b0;
77         mem_we <= 1'b0;
78         state <= WAIT_READ; // sample stored, continue to read mode
79       end else if (!write) begin // wait for falling edge of write
80         w_r_address <= w_r_address + 16'b1;
81         state <= WAIT_STORE;
82         mem_we <= 1'b0;
83       end else begin
84         state <= STORE;
85         mem_we <= 1'b1;
86       end
87     end
88   endcase
```

```
WAIT_READ:
  if (advance) state <= READ;
  else if (write && chipselect) begin // arrival of a new wav file
    w_r_address <= 16'b0;
    fract_index <= 32'b0;
    mem_we <= 1'b1;
    state <= STORE;
  end else begin
    state <= WAIT_READ;
  end
end

READ:
  if (!advance) begin // wait for falling edge
    //if (w_r_address == MEM_DEPTH-1) w_r_address <= 16'b0; // wraparound
    //else w_r_address <= w_r_address + 16'b1;
    if (w_r_address == MEM_DEPTH - 1) begin fract_index <= 32'b0; w_r_address <= 16'b0; state <= DONE_READ; end
    else if (fract_index_sum[15:0] > MEM_DEPTH - 1) begin fract_index <= 32'b0; w_r_address <= 16'b0; state <= DONE_READ; end
    else begin fract_index <= fract_index_sum; w_r_address <= fract_index_sum[15:0]; state <= WAIT_READ; end
  end else if (write && chipselect) begin // arrival of a new wav file
    w_r_address <= 16'b0;
    fract_index <= 32'b0;
    mem_we <= 1'b1;
    state <= STORE;
  end else begin
    state <= READ;
  end
end

DONE_READ:
  if (write && chipselect) begin // arrival of a new wav file
    w_r_address <= 16'b0;
    fract_index <= 32'b0;
    mem_we <= 1'b1;
    state <= STORE;
  end else begin
    state <= DONE_READ;
  end
end
endcase
```



# Driver Interface (Moore FSM, Output Logic)

```
125 // output logic
126 always_comb begin
127     case(state)
128         READ: begin
129             if (!advance) begin
130                 fract_index_sum = fract_index + pitch_shift;
131                 leftSample = {mem_out, 8'b0};
132                 rightSample = {mem_out, 8'b0};
133             end else begin
134                 leftSample = {mem_out, 8'b0};
135                 rightSample = {mem_out, 8'b0};
136                 fract_index_sum = 32'b0;
137             end
138         end
139         WAIT_READ: begin
140             leftSample = {mem_out, 8'b0};
141             rightSample = {mem_out, 8'b0};
142             fract_index_sum = 32'b0;
143         end
144         default: begin // make sure data is ready before advance signal arrives
145             leftSample = 24'b0;
146             rightSample = 24'b0;
147             fract_index_sum = 32'b0;
148         end
149     endcase
150 end
151 endmodule
```

# Software Control

- Memory mapped messages:

```
[ playbackmode | active_channels | pitch_shift | note_velocity | channel | audio_sample ]
```

1 bit

4 bits

4 bits

3 bits

2 bits

16 bits

- Audio driver with 4 device registers (1 per track) for memory mapped write

```
/* Device registers */
#define REG_AUDI01(x) ((x)+4)
#define REG_AUDI02(x) ((x)+8)
#define REG_AUDI03(x) ((x)+12)
#define REG_AUDI04(x) ((x)+16)
```

```
int active_chan[16] = {0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0};
int control_notes[4][16] = {
    {0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0},
    {0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0},
    {0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0},
    {0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0}
};
```

```
//set file names:
char* sample_name[4][3] = {
    {"bassoonC2.wav","bassoonC3.wav","bassoonC4.wav"} ,
    {"cello2C2.wav","cello2C3.wav","cello2C4.wav"} ,
    {"pianoC2.wav","pianoC3.wav","pianoC4.wav"} ,
    {"synthbrassC2.wav","synthbrassC3.wav","synthbrassC4.wav"}
};
```

Octave #

Track #

# Pitch Shifter

Note/Interval		Just Intervals	CENTS	"Pythagorean" (True intervals)	CENTS	Equal Temperament	CENTS
Tonic	C	1	0.00	1	0.00	1	0.00
Minor 2nd	c#	16/15	111.73	256/243	90.22	$2^{1/12}$	100.00
Major 2nd	D	10/9	182.40	9/8	203.91	$2^{2/6}$	200.00
Minor 3rd	e#	6/5	315.64	32/27	294.13	$2^{3/4}$	300.00
Major 3rd	E	5/4	386.31	81/64	407.82	$2^{4/3}$	400.00
Perfect 4th	F	4/3	498.04	4/3	498.04	$2^{5/12}$	500.00
Augmented 4th	f#	45/32	590.22	729/512	611.73	√2	600.00
Diminished 5th	Gb	64/45	609.78	1024/729	588.27		
Perfect 5th	G	3/2	701.96	3/2	701.96	$2^{7/12}$	700.00
Minor 6th	g#	8/5	813.69	128/81	792.18	$2^{2/3}$	800.00
Major 6th	A	5/3	884.36	27/16	905.87	$2^{3/4}$	900.00
Minor 7th	a#	9/5	1017.60	16/9	996.09	$2^{5/6}$	1000.00
Major 7th	B	15/8	1088.27	243/128	1109.78	$2^{11/12}$	1100.00
Octave	C'	2	1200.00	2	1200.00	2	1200.00

- Just intonation vs Equal Temperament
- Implemented using fixed point numbers and skipping samples

```

128     READ: begin
129         if (!advance) begin
130             fract_index_sum = fract_index + pitch_shift;

```



```

if (w_r_address == MEM_DEPTH - 1) begin fract_index <= 32'b0; w_r_address <= 16'b0; state <= DONE_READ; end
else if (fract_index_sum[15:0] > MEM_DEPTH - 1) begin fract_index <= 32'b0; w_r_address <= 16'b0; state <= DONE_READ; e
else begin fract_index <= fract_index_sum; w_r_address <= fract_index_sum[15:0]; state <= WAIT_READ; end

```

$$1.887 + 1.887 = 3.77 = 3$$

# wav\_handler.c

```
10  struct HEADER {
11      unsigned char riff[4];                // RIFF string
12      unsigned int overall_size;           // overall size of file in bytes
13      unsigned char wave[4];              // WAVE string
14      unsigned char fmt_chunk_marker[4];   // fmt string with trailing null char
15      unsigned int length_of_fmt;         // length of the format data
16      unsigned int format_type;           // format type. 1-PCM, 3- IEEE float, 6 - 8bit A law, 7 - 8bit mu law
17      unsigned int channels;              // no.of channels
18      unsigned int sample_rate;           // sampling rate (blocks per second)
19      unsigned int byterate;               // SampleRate * NumChannels * BitsPerSample/8
20      unsigned int block_align;           // NumChannels * BitsPerSample/8
21      unsigned int bits_per_sample;       // bits per sample, 8- 8bits, 16- 16 bits etc
22      unsigned char data_chunk_header [4]; // DATA string or FLLR string
23      unsigned int data_size;              // NumSamples * NumChannels * BitsPerSample/8 - size of the next chunk that will be read
24  };
25
26
27  struct HEADER header;
28  int read_wav(int**data, char* filename, int verbose);
```

Parses input .wav headers & data segment

# Conclusions

- Successfully Implemented the desired behavior.
- Pitch-shifting in hardware.
- User Interface logic & file handling in software.
- We did not implement a mixer.