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Exercise for lecture Real-Time Operating Systems Design and Implementation Winter semester 2017/2018

Exercise Sheet 1

(10 Points)

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Please use the provided user name and password for login to the virtual machine *Ubuntu_12.04* and for your svn account. You can find some useful information in the file *info RTOS* on the main directory.

1.1 Version Control with Subversion (svn) (2 points)

- What are version control system and subversion?
- What is the meaning of the following terms: repository, working copy, trunk, tags and branch?
- Please use the provided svn directory of your group to practice mainly the following svn commands and submit your answers for each exercise: add, checkout, commit, copy, delete, diff, export, import, info, list, log, revert, status and update.

1.2 Raspberry Pi and Pibrella (2 points)

- Raspberry Pi
 - Which model of the Raspberry Pi do you have?
 - Which processor and peripherals does it have?
- Pibrella
 - What is the Piberella board used for?
 - Please find the mapping between the GPIO pins and the Pibrella peripherals.

1.3 FreeRTOS (6 points)

Please familiarize yourself with the files in the *FreeRTOS_RaspPi* and *bootloader* directories in the *Shared* folder for the following tasks:

- What are the 3 core files of the FreeRTOS?
- Where are the files specified for the processor architecture located?
- What does the bootloader do? Which file is loaded first and which one contains the configuration parameters?







- Please follow the steps below to install FreeRTOS:
 - a. Copy all the files in the bootloader directory to the SD card after formating it.
 - b. Run the *make* command in the *FreeRTOS_RaspPi* directory to generate the kernel.
 - c. Copy the *kernel.imp* file to the SD card.
 - d. Place the SD card into its slot on the Raspberry Pi and connect the micro USB power supply to the Pibrella in order to turn the Raspberry Pi on.
- Write a code to use all the LEDs, the buzzer and the button on the Piberella board.