

Add Idle Thread to Task Example

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The Idle module allows you to specify one or more functions that are to be run whenever the system is idle.

Add the Idle function management module to my configuration

User idle function 0 your function

User idle function 1

User idle function 2

User idle function 3

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task.c
114 var timerParams = new Timer.Params();
115 timerParams.startMode = Timer.StartMode_AUTO;
116 timerParams.runMode = Timer.RunMode_CONTINUOUS;
117 /* Timer period is 1/2 second (500,000 uSeconds) */
118 timerParams.period = 500000;
119 timerParams.periodType = Timer.PeriodType_MICROSECS;
120 var myTimer = Timer.create(0, '&myTickFxn', timerParams
121
122 /* Create a task with priority 1 */
123 var Task = xdc.useModule('ti.sysbios.knl.Task');
124 var taskParams = new Task.Params();
125 taskParams.priority = 1;
126 var myTask = Task.create('&myTaskFxn', taskParams);
127
128 /* Inhibit the creation of a task to run idle functions
129 Task.enableIdleTask = true; set to true
130
131 /*
132 * Create a binary semaphore for the timer ISR to use to
133 * signal the pended task every 10 ticks
134 */
135 var Semaphore = xdc.useModule('ti.sysbios.knl.Semaphore'
136 var semParams = new Semaphore.Params();
137 semParams.mode = Semaphore.Mode_BINARY;
138 Program.global.mySem = Semaphore.create(0, semParams);
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