Subject: PIC TV clock

Posted by kareno on Mon, 18 May 2020 05:02:50 GMT

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The interweb is awash with oscilloscope clock designs, usually displaying an analogue clock on the face of a round CRT. They are nice but I can't help feeling that raster scan is being severely neglected in this area of hobby electronics. To address this imbalance I developed my PIC TV clock. It too displays a round analogue clock face but on the screen of a 625 50Hz monitor! A little Chinese mini TV takes the place of the oscilloscope. Stylish, eh?:)

Before anyone asks, a 525 60Hz version is possible but I ain't doing it.

File Attachments

- 1) PIC TV clock 1.jpg, downloaded 419 times
- 2) PIC TV clock 2.jpg, downloaded 410 times
- 3) Circuit.jpg, downloaded 375 times
- 4) TVclock.asm, downloaded 388 times

Subject: Re: PIC TV clock

Posted by kareno on Mon, 18 May 2020 12:25:36 GMT

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Oh yes - forgot to mention - my PIC TV clock generates a non-standard 625 50Hz TV signal.

It'll work fine on old analogue TV designs but may be rejected by more modern TVs.

Stay safe.

Subject: Re: PIC TV clock

Posted by rpiguy2 on Tue, 19 May 2020 19:15:27 GMT

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Looks great. I love seeing low power Microcontrollers in any application.