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Connectivity	I <sup>2</sup> C, SPI, UART/USART
Peripherals	Brown-out Detect/Reset, POR, PWM, WDT
Number of I/O	33
Program Memory Size	14KB (8K x 14)
Program Memory Type	FLASH
EEPROM Size	256 x 8
RAM Size	368 x 8
Voltage - Supply (Vcc/Vdd)	2V ~ 5.5V
Data Converters	A/D 8x10b
Oscillator Type	External
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## 2.2.2.6 PIE2 Register

The PIE2 register contains the individual enable bits for the CCP2 peripheral interrupt, the SSP bus collision interrupt, and the EEPROM write operation interrupt.

### REGISTER 2-6: PIE2 REGISTER (ADDRESS 8Dh)

U-0	R/W-0	U-0	R/W-0	R/W-0	U-0	U-0	R/W-0
—	Reserved	—	EEIE	BCLIE	—	—	CCP2IE
bit 7							bit 0

- bit 7      **Unimplemented:** Read as '0'
- bit 6      **Reserved:** Always maintain this bit clear
- bit 5      **Unimplemented:** Read as '0'
- bit 4      **EEIE:** EEPROM Write Operation Interrupt Enable  
1 = Enable EE Write Interrupt  
0 = Disable EE Write Interrupt
- bit 3      **BCLIE:** Bus Collision Interrupt Enable  
1 = Enable Bus Collision Interrupt  
0 = Disable Bus Collision Interrupt
- bit 2-1   **Unimplemented:** Read as '0'
- bit 0      **CCP2IE:** CCP2 Interrupt Enable bit  
1 = Enables the CCP2 interrupt  
0 = Disables the CCP2 interrupt

#### Legend:

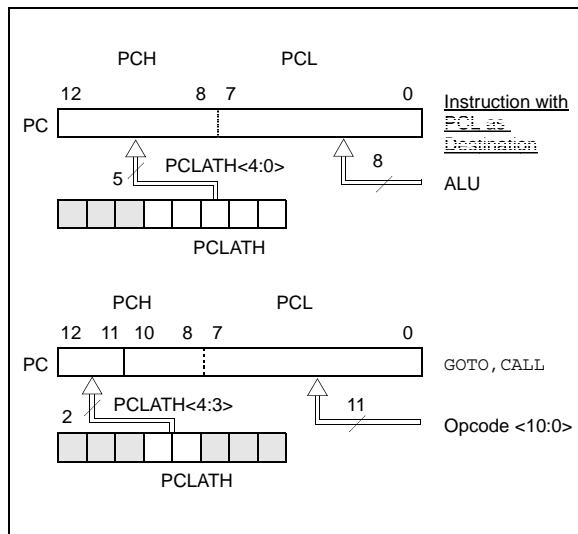
R = Readable bit	W = Writable bit	U = Unimplemented bit, read as '0'
- n = Value at POR	'1' = Bit is set	'0' = Bit is cleared      x = Bit is unknown

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## 2.3 PCL and PCLATH

The program counter (PC) is 13-bits wide. The low byte comes from the PCL register, which is a readable and writable register. The upper bits (PC<12:8>) are not readable, but are indirectly writable through the PCLATH register. On any RESET, the upper bits of the PC will be cleared. Figure 2-5 shows the two situations for the loading of the PC. The upper example in the figure shows how the PC is loaded on a write to PCL (PCLATH<4:0> → PCH). The lower example in the figure shows how the PC is loaded during a CALL or GOTO instruction (PCLATH<4:3> → PCH).

**FIGURE 2-5: LOADING OF PC IN DIFFERENT SITUATIONS**



### 2.3.1 COMPUTED GOTO

A computed GOTO is accomplished by adding an offset to the program counter (ADDWF PCL). When doing a table read using a computed GOTO method, care should be exercised if the table location crosses a PCL memory boundary (each 256 byte block). Refer to the application note, "Implementing a Table Read" (AN556).

### 2.3.2 STACK

The PIC16F87X family has an 8-level deep x 13-bit wide hardware stack. The stack space is not part of either program or data space and the stack pointer is not readable or writable. The PC is PUSHed onto the stack when a CALL instruction is executed, or an interrupt causes a branch. The stack is POPed in the event of a RETURN, RETLW or a RETFIE instruction execution. PCLATH is not affected by a PUSH or POP operation.

The stack operates as a circular buffer. This means that after the stack has been PUSHed eight times, the ninth push overwrites the value that was stored from the first push. The tenth push overwrites the second push (and so on).

**Note 1:** There are no status bits to indicate stack overflow or stack underflow conditions.

**2:** There are no instructions/mnemonics called PUSH or POP. These are actions that occur from the execution of the CALL, RETURN, RETLW and RETFIE instructions, or the vectoring to an interrupt address.

## 2.4 Program Memory Paging

All PIC16F87X devices are capable of addressing a continuous 8K word block of program memory. The CALL and GOTO instructions provide only 11 bits of address to allow branching within any 2K program memory page. When doing a CALL or GOTO instruction, the upper 2 bits of the address are provided by PCLATH<4:3>. When doing a CALL or GOTO instruction, the user must ensure that the page select bits are programmed so that the desired program memory page is addressed. If a return from a CALL instruction (or interrupt) is executed, the entire 13-bit PC is popped off the stack. Therefore, manipulation of the PCLATH<4:3> bits is not required for the return instructions (which POPs the address from the stack).

**Note:** The contents of the PCLATH register are unchanged after a RETURN or RETFIE instruction is executed. The user must rewrite the contents of the PCLATH register for any subsequent subroutine calls or GOTO instructions.

Example 2-1 shows the calling of a subroutine in page 1 of the program memory. This example assumes that PCLATH is saved and restored by the Interrupt Service Routine (if interrupts are used).

### EXAMPLE 2-1: CALL OF A SUBROUTINE IN PAGE 1 FROM PAGE 0

```

ORG 0x500
BCF PCLATH,4
BSF PCLATH,3 ;Select page 1
               ; (800h-FFFh)
CALL SUB1_P1 ;Call subroutine in
:            ;page 1 (800h-FFFh)
:
ORG 0x900 ;page 1 (800h-FFFh)
SUB1_P1
:            ;called subroutine
               ;page 1 (800h-FFFh)
:
RETURN        ;return to
               ;Call subroutine
               ;in page 0
               ; (000h-7FFh)
    
```

## 3.3 PORTC and the TRISC Register

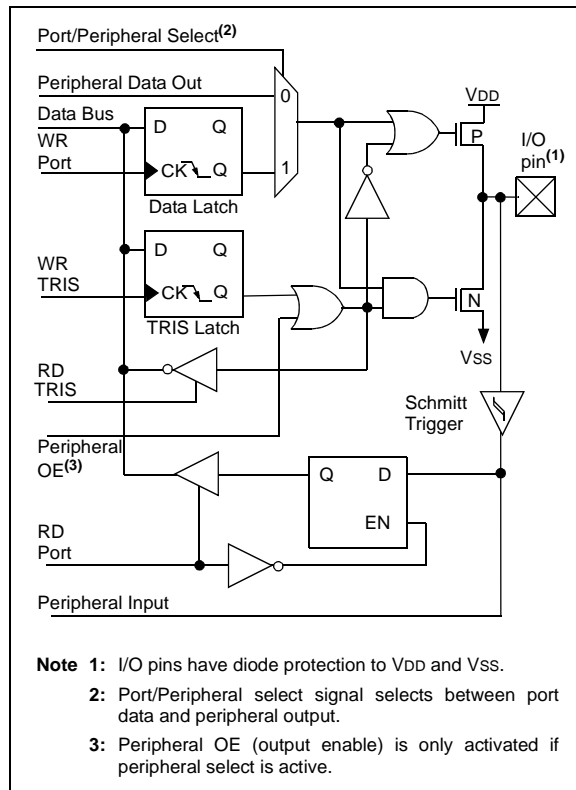
PORTC is an 8-bit wide, bi-directional port. The corresponding data direction register is TRISC. Setting a TRISC bit (= 1) will make the corresponding PORTC pin an input (i.e., put the corresponding output driver in a Hi-Impedance mode). Clearing a TRISC bit (= 0) will make the corresponding PORTC pin an output (i.e., put the contents of the output latch on the selected pin).

PORTC is multiplexed with several peripheral functions (Table 3-5). PORTC pins have Schmitt Trigger input buffers.

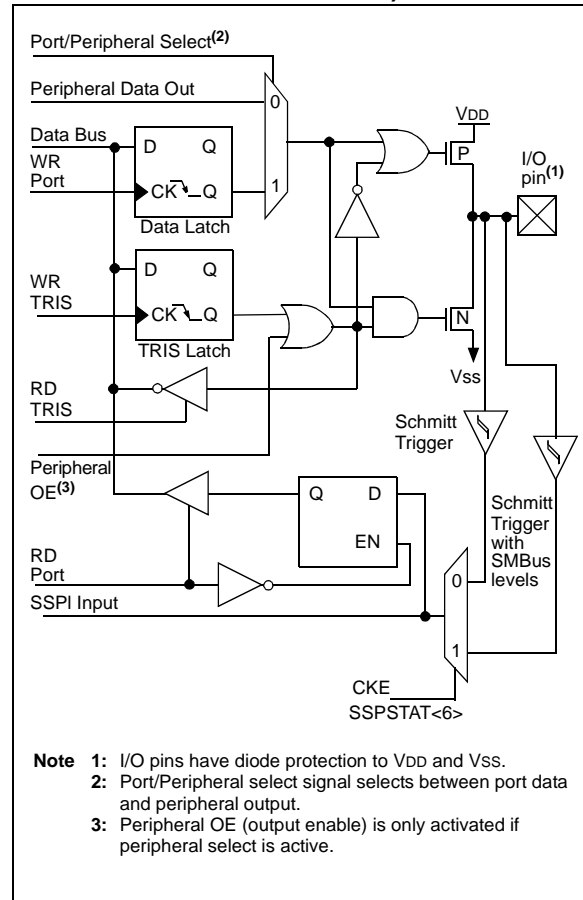
When the I<sup>2</sup>C module is enabled, the PORTC<4:3> pins can be configured with normal I<sup>2</sup>C levels, or with SMBus levels by using the CKE bit (SSPSTAT<6>).

When enabling peripheral functions, care should be taken in defining TRIS bits for each PORTC pin. Some peripherals override the TRIS bit to make a pin an output, while other peripherals override the TRIS bit to make a pin an input. Since the TRIS bit override is in effect while the peripheral is enabled, read-modify-write instructions (BSF, BCF, XORWF) with TRISC as destination, should be avoided. The user should refer to the corresponding peripheral section for the correct TRIS bit settings.

**FIGURE 3-5: PORTC BLOCK DIAGRAM (PERIPHERAL OUTPUT OVERRIDE) RC<2:0>, RC<7:5>**



**FIGURE 3-6: PORTC BLOCK DIAGRAM (PERIPHERAL OUTPUT OVERRIDE) RC<4:3>**



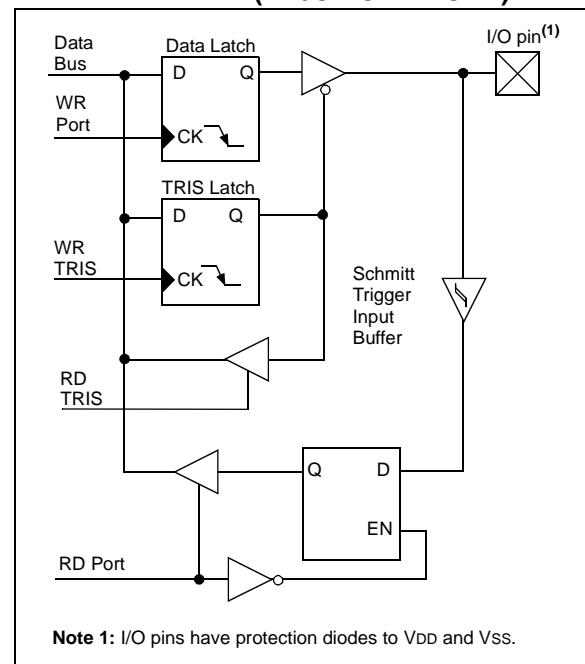
## 3.4 PORTD and TRISD Registers

PORTD and TRISD are not implemented on the PIC16F873 or PIC16F876.

PORTD is an 8-bit port with Schmitt Trigger input buffers. Each pin is individually configureable as an input or output.

PORTD can be configured as an 8-bit wide microprocessor port (parallel slave port) by setting control bit PSPMODE (TRISE<4>). In this mode, the input buffers are TTL.

**FIGURE 3-7: PORTD BLOCK DIAGRAM (IN I/O PORT MODE)**



**TABLE 3-7: PORTD FUNCTIONS**

Name	Bit#	Buffer Type	Function
RD0/PSP0	bit0	ST/TTL <sup>(1)</sup>	Input/output port pin or parallel slave port bit0.
RD1/PSP1	bit1	ST/TTL <sup>(1)</sup>	Input/output port pin or parallel slave port bit1.
RD2/PSP2	bit2	ST/TTL <sup>(1)</sup>	Input/output port pin or parallel slave port bit2.
RD3/PSP3	bit3	ST/TTL <sup>(1)</sup>	Input/output port pin or parallel slave port bit3.
RD4/PSP4	bit4	ST/TTL <sup>(1)</sup>	Input/output port pin or parallel slave port bit4.
RD5/PSP5	bit5	ST/TTL <sup>(1)</sup>	Input/output port pin or parallel slave port bit5.
RD6/PSP6	bit6	ST/TTL <sup>(1)</sup>	Input/output port pin or parallel slave port bit6.
RD7/PSP7	bit7	ST/TTL <sup>(1)</sup>	Input/output port pin or parallel slave port bit7.

Legend: ST = Schmitt Trigger input, TTL = TTL input

**Note 1:** Input buffers are Schmitt Triggers when in I/O mode and TTL buffers when in Parallel Slave Port mode.

**TABLE 3-8: SUMMARY OF REGISTERS ASSOCIATED WITH PORTD**

Address	Name	Bit 7	Bit 6	Bit 5	Bit 4	Bit 3	Bit 2	Bit 1	Bit 0	Value on: POR, BOR	Value on all other RESETS
08h	PORTD	RD7	RD6	RD5	RD4	RD3	RD2	RD1	RD0	xxxx xxxx	uuuu uuuu
88h	TRISD	PORTD Data Direction Register								1111 1111	1111 1111
89h	TRISE	IBF	OBF	IBOV	PSPMODE	—	PORTE Data Direction Bits			0000 -111	0000 -111

Legend: x = unknown, u = unchanged, - = unimplemented, read as '0'. Shaded cells are not used by PORTD.

## 4.4 Reading the FLASH Program Memory

Reading FLASH program memory is much like that of EEPROM data memory, only two NOP instructions must be inserted after the RD bit is set. These two instruction cycles that the NOP instructions execute, will be used by the microcontroller to read the data out of program memory and insert the value into the EEDATH:EEDATA registers. Data will be available following the second NOP instruction. EEDATH and EEDATA will hold their value until another read operation is initiated, or until they are written by firmware.

The steps to reading the FLASH program memory are:

1. Write the address to EEADRH:EEADR. Make sure that the address is not larger than the memory size of the PIC16F87X device.
2. Set the EEPGD bit to point to FLASH program memory.
3. Set the RD bit to start the read operation.
4. Execute two NOP instructions to allow the microcontroller to read out of program memory.
5. Read the data from the EEDATH:EEDATA registers.

### EXAMPLE 4-3: FLASH PROGRAM READ

```
BSF    STATUS, RP1    ;
BCF    STATUS, RP0    ;Bank 2
MOVF   ADDR1, W       ;Write the
MOVWF  EEADR          ;address bytes
MOVF   ADDR1, W       ;for the desired
MOVWF  EEADRH         ;address to read
BSF    STATUS, RP0    ;Bank 3
BSF    EECON1, EEPGD  ;Point to Program memory
BSF    EECON1, RD     ;Start read operation
NOP    ;Required two NOPs
NOP    ;
BCF    STATUS, RP0    ;Bank 2
MOVF   EEDATA, W      ;DATA1 = EEDATA
MOVWF  DATA1         ;
MOVF   EEDATH, W      ;DATAH = EEDATH
MOVWF  DATAH         ;
```

## 4.5 Writing to the FLASH Program Memory

Writing to FLASH program memory is unique, in that the microcontroller does not execute instructions while programming is taking place. The oscillator continues to run and all peripherals continue to operate and queue interrupts, if enabled. Once the write operation completes (specification D133), the processor begins executing code from where it left off. The other important difference when writing to FLASH program memory, is that the WRT configuration bit, when clear, prevents any writes to program memory (see Table 4-1).

Just like EEPROM data memory, there are many steps in writing to the FLASH program memory. Both address and data values must be written to the SFRs. The EEPGD bit must be set, and the WREN bit must be set to enable writes. The WREN bit should be kept clear at all times, except when writing to the FLASH Program memory. The WR bit can only be set if the WREN bit was set in a previous operation, i.e., they both cannot be set in the same operation. The WREN bit should then be cleared by firmware after the write. Clearing the WREN bit before the write actually completes will not terminate the write in progress.

Writes to program memory must also be prefaced with a special sequence of instructions that prevent inadvertent write operations. This is a sequence of five instructions that must be executed without interruption for each byte written. These instructions must then be followed by two NOP instructions to allow the microcontroller to setup for the write operation. Once the write is complete, the execution of instructions starts with the instruction after the second NOP.

The steps to write to program memory are:

1. Write the address to EEADRH:EEADR. Make sure that the address is not larger than the memory size of the PIC16F87X device.
2. Write the 14-bit data value to be programmed in the EEDATH:EEDATA registers.
3. Set the EEPGD bit to point to FLASH program memory.
4. Set the WREN bit to enable program operations.
5. Disable interrupts (if enabled).
6. Execute the special five instruction sequence:
  - Write 55h to EECON2 in two steps (first to W, then to EECON2)
  - Write AAh to EECON2 in two steps (first to W, then to EECON2)
  - Set the WR bit
7. Execute two NOP instructions to allow the microcontroller to setup for write operation.
8. Enable interrupts (if using interrupts).
9. Clear the WREN bit to disable program operations.

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## 6.1 Timer1 Operation in Timer Mode

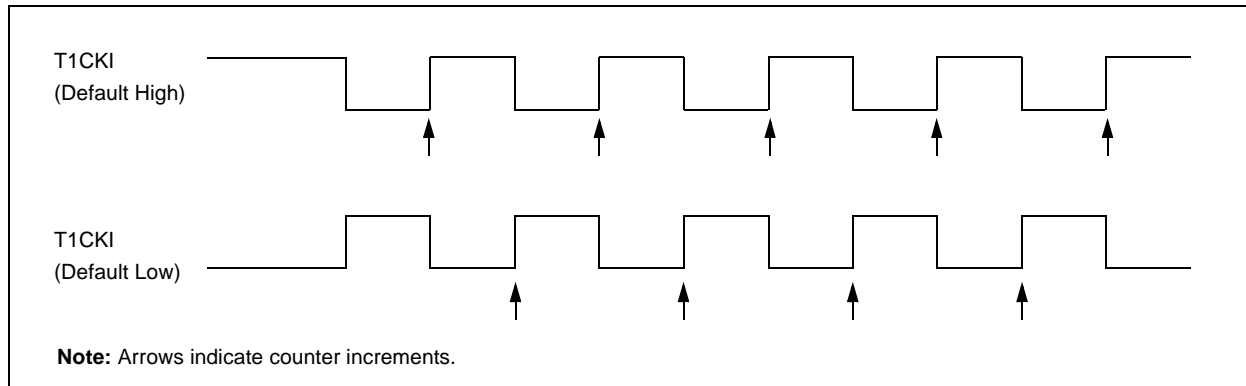
Timer mode is selected by clearing the TMR1CS (T1CON<1>) bit. In this mode, the input clock to the timer is  $F_{OSC}/4$ . The synchronize control bit  $\overline{T1SYNC}$  (T1CON<2>) has no effect, since the internal clock is always in sync.

## 6.2 Timer1 Counter Operation

Timer1 may operate in either a Synchronous, or an Asynchronous mode, depending on the setting of the TMR1CS bit.

When Timer1 is being incremented via an external source, increments occur on a rising edge. After Timer1 is enabled in Counter mode, the module must first have a falling edge before the counter begins to increment.

**FIGURE 6-1: TIMER1 INCREMENTING EDGE**



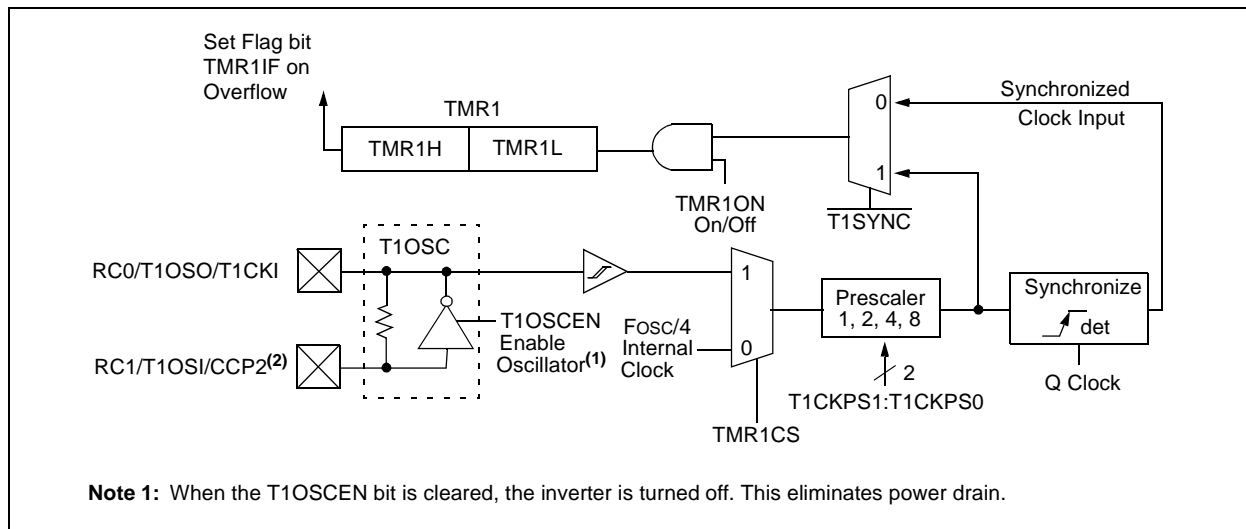
## 6.3 Timer1 Operation in Synchronized Counter Mode

Counter mode is selected by setting bit TMR1CS. In this mode, the timer increments on every rising edge of clock input on pin RC1/T1OSI/CCP2, when bit T1OSCEN is set, or on pin RC0/T1OSO/T1CKI, when bit T1OSCEN is cleared.

If  $\overline{T1SYNC}$  is cleared, then the external clock input is synchronized with internal phase clocks. The synchronization is done after the prescaler stage. The prescaler stage is an asynchronous ripple-counter.

In this configuration, during SLEEP mode, Timer1 will not increment even if the external clock is present, since the synchronization circuit is shut-off. The prescaler, however, will continue to increment.

**FIGURE 6-2: TIMER1 BLOCK DIAGRAM**



## REGISTER 9-2: SSPCON: SYNC SERIAL PORT CONTROL REGISTER (ADDRESS 14h)

R/W-0	R/W-0	R/W-0	R/W-0	R/W-0	R/W-0	R/W-0	R/W-0
WCOL	SSPOV	SSPEN	CKP	SSPM3	SSPM2	SSPM1	SSPM0

bit 7

bit 0

- bit 7 **WCOL**: Write Collision Detect bit  
Master mode:  
 1 = A write to SSPBUF was attempted while the I2C conditions were not valid  
 0 = No collision  
Slave mode:  
 1 = SSPBUF register is written while still transmitting the previous word (must be cleared in software)  
 0 = No collision
- bit 6 **SSPOV**: Receive Overflow Indicator bit  
In SPI mode:  
 1 = A new byte is received while SSPBUF holds previous data. Data in SSPSR is lost on overflow. In Slave mode, the user must read the SSPBUF, even if only transmitting data, to avoid overflows. In Master mode, the overflow bit is not set, since each operation is initiated by writing to the SSPBUF register. (Must be cleared in software.)  
 0 = No overflow  
In I<sup>2</sup>C mode:  
 1 = A byte is received while the SSPBUF is holding the previous byte. SSPOV is a "don't care" in Transmit mode. (Must be cleared in software.)  
 0 = No overflow
- bit 5 **SSPEN**: Synchronous Serial Port Enable bit  
In SPI mode:  
 When enabled, these pins must be properly configured as input or output  
 1 = Enables serial port and configures SCK, SDO, SDI, and SS as the source of the serial port pins  
 0 = Disables serial port and configures these pins as I/O port pins  
In I<sup>2</sup>C mode:  
 When enabled, these pins must be properly configured as input or output  
 1 = Enables the serial port and configures the SDA and SCL pins as the source of the serial port pins  
 0 = Disables serial port and configures these pins as I/O port pins
- bit 4 **CKP**: Clock Polarity Select bit  
In SPI mode:  
 1 = Idle state for clock is a high level  
 0 = Idle state for clock is a low level  
In I<sup>2</sup>C Slave mode:  
 SCK release control  
 1 = Enable clock  
 0 = Holds clock low (clock stretch). (Used to ensure data setup time.)  
In I<sup>2</sup>C Master mode:  
 Unused in this mode
- bit 3-0 **SSPM3:SSPM0**: Synchronous Serial Port Mode Select bits  
 0000 = SPI Master mode, clock = FOSC/4  
 0001 = SPI Master mode, clock = FOSC/16  
 0010 = SPI Master mode, clock = FOSC/64  
 0011 = SPI Master mode, clock = TMR2 output/2  
 0100 = SPI Slave mode, clock = SCK pin.  $\overline{SS}$  pin control enabled.  
 0101 = SPI Slave mode, clock = SCK pin.  $\overline{SS}$  pin control disabled.  $\overline{SS}$  can be used as I/O pin.  
 0110 = I<sup>2</sup>C Slave mode, 7-bit address  
 0111 = I<sup>2</sup>C Slave mode, 10-bit address  
 1000 = I<sup>2</sup>C Master mode, clock = FOSC / (4 \* (SSPADD+1))  
 1011 = I<sup>2</sup>C Firmware Controlled Master mode (slave idle)  
 1110 = I<sup>2</sup>C Firmware Controlled Master mode, 7-bit address with START and STOP bit interrupts enabled  
 1111 = I<sup>2</sup>C Firmware Controlled Master mode, 10-bit address with START and STOP bit interrupts enabled  
 1001, 1010, 1100, 1101 = Reserved

### Legend:

R = Readable bit	W = Writable bit	U = Unimplemented bit, read as '0'
- n = Value at POR	'1' = Bit is set	'0' = Bit is cleared      x = Bit is unknown



## 9.2.7 I<sup>2</sup>C MASTER MODE SUPPORT

Master mode is enabled by setting and clearing the appropriate SSPM bits in SSPCON and by setting the SSPEN bit. Once Master mode is enabled, the user has six options:

- Assert a START condition on SDA and SCL.
- Assert a Repeated START condition on SDA and SCL.
- Write to the SSPBUF register initiating transmission of data/address.
- Generate a STOP condition on SDA and SCL.
- Configure the I<sup>2</sup>C port to receive data.
- Generate an Acknowledge condition at the end of a received byte of data.

**Note:** The MSSP Module, when configured in I<sup>2</sup>C Master mode, does not allow queueing of events. For instance, the user is not allowed to initiate a START condition and immediately write the SSPBUF register to initiate transmission before the START condition is complete. In this case, the SSPBUF will not be written to and the WCOL bit will be set, indicating that a write to the SSPBUF did not occur.

### 9.2.7.1 I<sup>2</sup>C Master Mode Operation

The master device generates all of the serial clock pulses and the START and STOP conditions. A transfer is ended with a STOP condition or with a Repeated START condition. Since the Repeated START condition is also the beginning of the next serial transfer, the I<sup>2</sup>C bus will not be released.

In Master Transmitter mode, serial data is output through SDA, while SCL outputs the serial clock. The first byte transmitted contains the slave address of the receiving device (7 bits) and the Read/Write (R/W) bit. In this case, the R/W bit will be logic '0'. Serial data is transmitted 8 bits at a time. After each byte is transmitted, an Acknowledge bit is received. START and STOP conditions are output to indicate the beginning and the end of a serial transfer.

In Master Receive mode, the first byte transmitted contains the slave address of the transmitting device (7 bits) and the R/W bit. In this case, the R/W bit will be logic '1'. Thus, the first byte transmitted is a 7-bit slave address followed by a '1' to indicate receive bit. Serial data is received via SDA, while SCL outputs the serial clock. Serial data is received 8 bits at a time. After each byte is received, an Acknowledge bit is transmitted. START and STOP conditions indicate the beginning and end of transmission.

The baud rate generator used for SPI mode operation is now used to set the SCL clock frequency for either 100 kHz, 400 kHz, or 1 MHz I<sup>2</sup>C operation. The baud rate generator reload value is contained in the lower 7 bits of the SSPADD register. The baud rate generator will automatically begin counting on a write to the

SSPBUF. Once the given operation is complete (i.e., transmission of the last data bit is followed by ACK), the internal clock will automatically stop counting and the SCL pin will remain in its last state.

A typical transmit sequence would go as follows:

- User generates a START condition by setting the START enable bit (SEN) in SSPCON2.
- SSPIF is set. The module will wait the required start time before any other operation takes place.
- User loads SSPBUF with address to transmit.
- Address is shifted out the SDA pin until all 8 bits are transmitted.
- MSSP module shifts in the ACK bit from the slave device and writes its value into the SSPCON2 register (SSPCON2<6>).
- MSSP module generates an interrupt at the end of the ninth clock cycle by setting SSPIF.
- User loads SSPBUF with eight bits of data.
- DATA is shifted out the SDA pin until all 8 bits are transmitted.
- MSSP module shifts in the ACK bit from the slave device, and writes its value into the SSPCON2 register (SSPCON2<6>).
- MSSP module generates an interrupt at the end of the ninth clock cycle by setting the SSPIF bit.
- User generates a STOP condition by setting the STOP enable bit, PEN, in SSPCON2.
- Interrupt is generated once the STOP condition is complete.

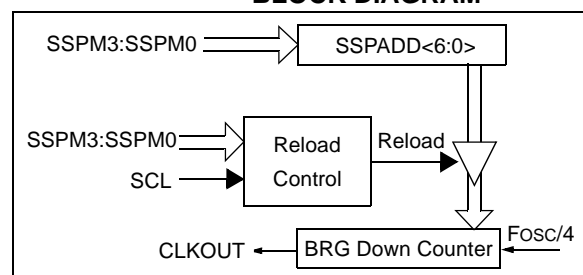
## 9.2.8 BAUD RATE GENERATOR

In I<sup>2</sup>C Master mode, the reload value for the BRG is located in the lower 7 bits of the SSPADD register (Figure 9-10). When the BRG is loaded with this value, the BRG counts down to 0 and stops until another reload has taken place. The BRG count is decremented twice per instruction cycle (Tcy), on the Q2 and Q4 clock.

In I<sup>2</sup>C Master mode, the BRG is reloaded automatically. If clock arbitration is taking place, the BRG will be reloaded when the SCL pin is sampled high (Figure 9-11).

**Note:** Baud Rate =  $F_{osc} / (4 * (SSPADD + 1))$

**FIGURE 9-10: BAUD RATE GENERATOR BLOCK DIAGRAM**

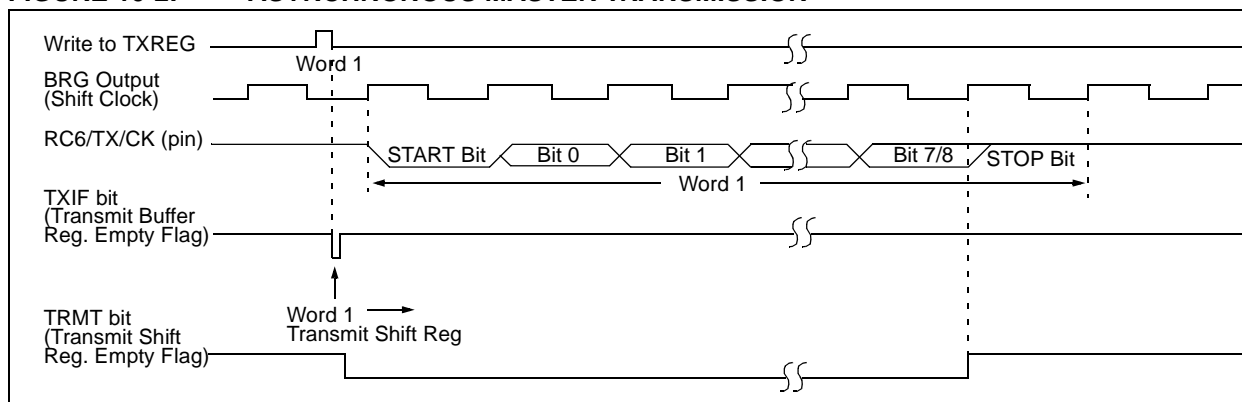


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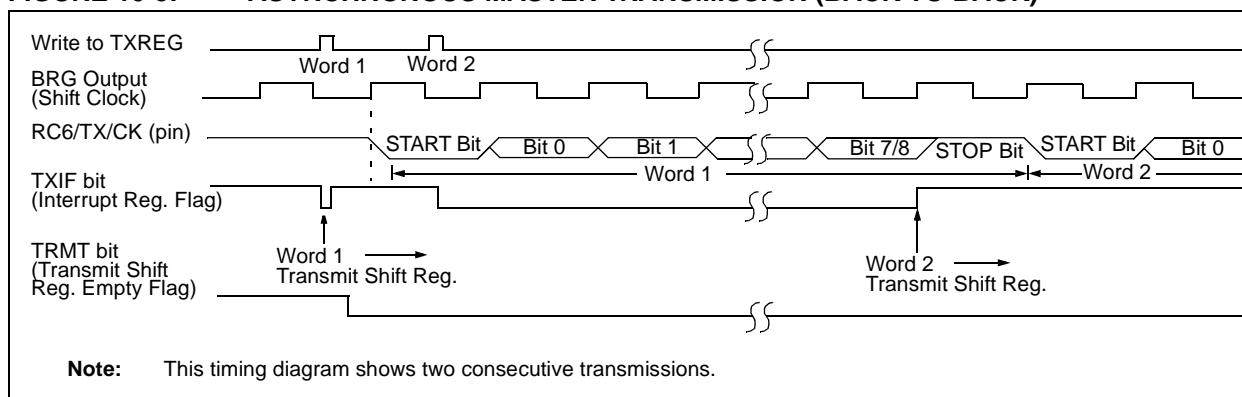
When setting up an Asynchronous Transmission, follow these steps:

1. Initialize the SPBRG register for the appropriate baud rate. If a high speed baud rate is desired, set bit BRGH (Section 10.1).
2. Enable the asynchronous serial port by clearing bit SYNC and setting bit SPEN.
3. If interrupts are desired, then set enable bit TXIE.
4. If 9-bit transmission is desired, then set transmit bit TX9.
5. Enable the transmission by setting bit TXEN, which will also set bit TXIF.
6. If 9-bit transmission is selected, the ninth bit should be loaded in bit TX9D.
7. Load data to the TXREG register (starts transmission).
8. If using interrupts, ensure that GIE and PEIE (bits 7 and 6) of the INTCON register are set.

**FIGURE 10-2: ASYNCHRONOUS MASTER TRANSMISSION**



**FIGURE 10-3: ASYNCHRONOUS MASTER TRANSMISSION (BACK TO BACK)**



**TABLE 10-5: REGISTERS ASSOCIATED WITH ASYNCHRONOUS TRANSMISSION**

Address	Name	Bit 7	Bit 6	Bit 5	Bit 4	Bit 3	Bit 2	Bit 1	Bit 0	Value on: POR, BOR	Value on all other RESETS
0Bh, 8Bh, 10Bh, 18Bh	INTCON	GIE	PEIE	T0IE	INTE	RBIE	T0IF	INTF	R0IF	0000 000x	0000 000u
0Ch	PIR1	PSPIF <sup>(1)</sup>	ADIF	RCIF	TXIF	SSPIF	CCP1IF	TMR2IF	TMR1IF	0000 0000	0000 0000
18h	RCSTA	SPEN	RX9	SREN	CREN	—	FERR	OERR	RX9D	0000 -00x	0000 -00x
19h	TXREG	USART Transmit Register								0000 0000	0000 0000
8Ch	PIE1	PSPIE <sup>(1)</sup>	ADIE	RCIE	TXIE	SSPIE	CCP1IE	TMR2IE	TMR1IE	0000 0000	0000 0000
98h	TXSTA	CSRC	TX9	TXEN	SYNC	—	BRGH	TRMT	TX9D	0000 -010	0000 -010
99h	SPBRG	Baud Rate Generator Register								0000 0000	0000 0000

Legend: x = unknown, - = unimplemented locations read as '0'. Shaded cells are not used for asynchronous transmission.

**Note 1:** Bits PSPIE and PSPIF are reserved on the PIC16F873/876; always maintain these bits clear.

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## REGISTER 11-2: ADCON1 REGISTER (ADDRESS 9Fh)

U-0	U-0	R/W-0	U-0	R/W-0	R/W-0	R/W-0	R/W-0
ADFM	—	—	—	PCFG3	PCFG2	PCFG1	PCFG0

bit 7

bit 0

bit 7

**ADFM:** A/D Result Format Select bit

1 = Right justified. 6 Most Significant bits of ADRESH are read as '0'.

0 = Left justified. 6 Least Significant bits of ADRESL are read as '0'.

bit 6-4

**Unimplemented:** Read as '0'

bit 3-0

**PCFG3:PCFG0:** A/D Port Configuration Control bits:

PCFG3: PCFG0	AN7 <sup>(1)</sup> RE2	AN6 <sup>(1)</sup> RE1	AN5 <sup>(1)</sup> RE0	AN4 RA5	AN3 RA3	AN2 RA2	AN1 RA1	AN0 RA0	VREF+	VREF-	CHAN/ Refs <sup>(2)</sup>
0000	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	VDD	VSS	8/0
0001	A	A	A	A	VREF+	A	A	A	RA3	VSS	7/1
0010	D	D	D	A	A	A	A	A	VDD	VSS	5/0
0011	D	D	D	A	VREF+	A	A	A	RA3	VSS	4/1
0100	D	D	D	D	A	D	A	A	VDD	VSS	3/0
0101	D	D	D	D	VREF+	D	A	A	RA3	VSS	2/1
011x	D	D	D	D	D	D	D	D	VDD	VSS	0/0
1000	A	A	A	A	VREF+	VREF-	A	A	RA3	RA2	6/2
1001	D	D	A	A	A	A	A	A	VDD	VSS	6/0
1010	D	D	A	A	VREF+	A	A	A	RA3	VSS	5/1
1011	D	D	A	A	VREF+	VREF-	A	A	RA3	RA2	4/2
1100	D	D	D	A	VREF+	VREF-	A	A	RA3	RA2	3/2
1101	D	D	D	D	VREF+	VREF-	A	A	RA3	RA2	2/2
1110	D	D	D	D	D	D	D	A	VDD	VSS	1/0
1111	D	D	D	D	VREF+	VREF-	D	A	RA3	RA2	1/2

A = Analog input    D = Digital I/O

**Note 1:** These channels are not available on PIC16F873/876 devices.

**2:** This column indicates the number of analog channels available as A/D inputs and the number of analog channels used as voltage reference inputs.

### Legend:

R = Readable bit

W = Writable bit

U = Unimplemented bit, read as '0'

- n = Value at POR

'1' = Bit is set

'0' = Bit is cleared

x = Bit is unknown

The ADRESH:ADRESL registers contain the 10-bit result of the A/D conversion. When the A/D conversion is complete, the result is loaded into this A/D result register pair, the GO/DONE bit (ADCON0<2>) is cleared and the A/D interrupt flag bit ADIF is set. The block diagram of the A/D module is shown in Figure 11-1.

After the A/D module has been configured as desired, the selected channel must be acquired before the conversion is started. The analog input channels must have their corresponding TRIS bits selected as inputs.

To determine sample time, see Section 11.1. After this acquisition time has elapsed, the A/D conversion can be started.

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## 12.4 Power-On Reset (POR)

A Power-on Reset pulse is generated on-chip when VDD rise is detected (in the range of 1.2V - 1.7V). To take advantage of the POR, tie the  $\overline{\text{MCLR}}$  pin directly (or through a resistor) to VDD. This will eliminate external RC components usually needed to create a Power-on Reset. A maximum rise time for VDD is specified. See Electrical Specifications for details.

When the device starts normal operation (exits the RESET condition), device operating parameters (voltage, frequency, temperature,...) must be met to ensure operation. If these conditions are not met, the device must be held in RESET until the operating conditions are met. Brown-out Reset may be used to meet the start-up conditions. For additional information, refer to Application Note, AN007, "Power-up Trouble Shooting", (DS00007).

## 12.5 Power-up Timer (PWRT)

The Power-up Timer provides a fixed 72 ms nominal time-out on power-up only from the POR. The Power-up Timer operates on an internal RC oscillator. The chip is kept in RESET as long as the PWRT is active. The PWRT's time delay allows VDD to rise to an acceptable level. A configuration bit is provided to enable/disable the PWRT.

The power-up time delay will vary from chip to chip due to VDD, temperature and process variation. See DC parameters for details (TPWRT, parameter #33).

## 12.6 Oscillator Start-up Timer (OST)

The Oscillator Start-up Timer (OST) provides a delay of 1024 oscillator cycles (from OSC1 input) after the PWRT delay is over (if PWRT is enabled). This helps to ensure that the crystal oscillator or resonator has started and stabilized.

The OST time-out is invoked only for XT, LP and HS modes and only on Power-on Reset or Wake-up from SLEEP.

## 12.7 Brown-out Reset (BOR)

The configuration bit, BODEN, can enable or disable the Brown-out Reset circuit. If VDD falls below VBOR (parameter D005, about 4V) for longer than TBOR (parameter #35, about 100 $\mu$ S), the brown-out situation will reset the device. If VDD falls below VBOR for less than TBOR, a RESET may not occur.

Once the brown-out occurs, the device will remain in Brown-out Reset until VDD rises above VBOR. The Power-up Timer then keeps the device in RESET for TPWRT (parameter #33, about 72mS). If VDD should fall below VBOR during TPWRT, the Brown-out Reset process will restart when VDD rises above VBOR with the Power-up Timer Reset. The Power-up Timer is always enabled when the Brown-out Reset circuit is enabled, regardless of the state of the PWRT configuration bit.

## 12.8 Time-out Sequence

On power-up, the time-out sequence is as follows: The PWRT delay starts (if enabled) when a POR Reset occurs. Then OST starts counting 1024 oscillator cycles when PWRT ends (LP, XT, HS). When the OST ends, the device comes out of RESET.

If  $\overline{\text{MCLR}}$  is kept low long enough, the time-outs will expire. Bringing  $\overline{\text{MCLR}}$  high will begin execution immediately. This is useful for testing purposes or to synchronize more than one PIC16F87X device operating in parallel.

Table 12-5 shows the RESET conditions for the STATUS, PCON and PC registers, while Table 12-6 shows the RESET conditions for all the registers.

## 12.9 Power Control/Status Register (PCON)

The Power Control/Status Register, PCON, has up to two bits depending upon the device.

Bit0 is Brown-out Reset Status bit,  $\overline{\text{BOR}}$ . Bit  $\overline{\text{BOR}}$  is unknown on a Power-on Reset. It must then be set by the user and checked on subsequent RESETS to see if bit  $\overline{\text{BOR}}$  cleared, indicating a BOR occurred. When the Brown-out Reset is disabled, the state of the  $\overline{\text{BOR}}$  bit is unpredictable and is, therefore, not valid at any time.

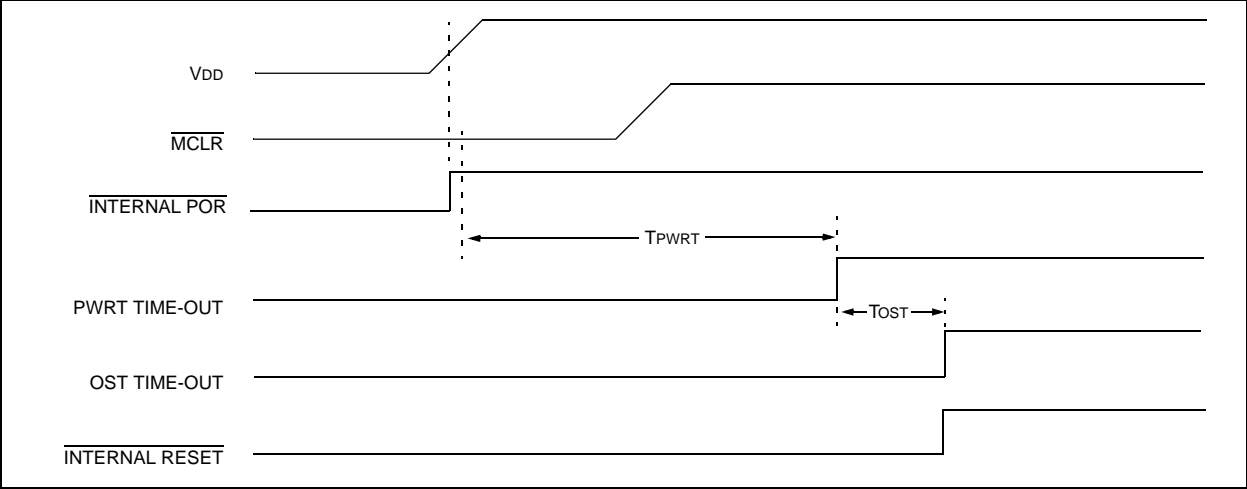
Bit1 is  $\overline{\text{POR}}$  (Power-on Reset Status bit). It is cleared on a Power-on Reset and unaffected otherwise. The user must set this bit following a Power-on Reset.

TABLE 12-3: TIME-OUT IN VARIOUS SITUATIONS

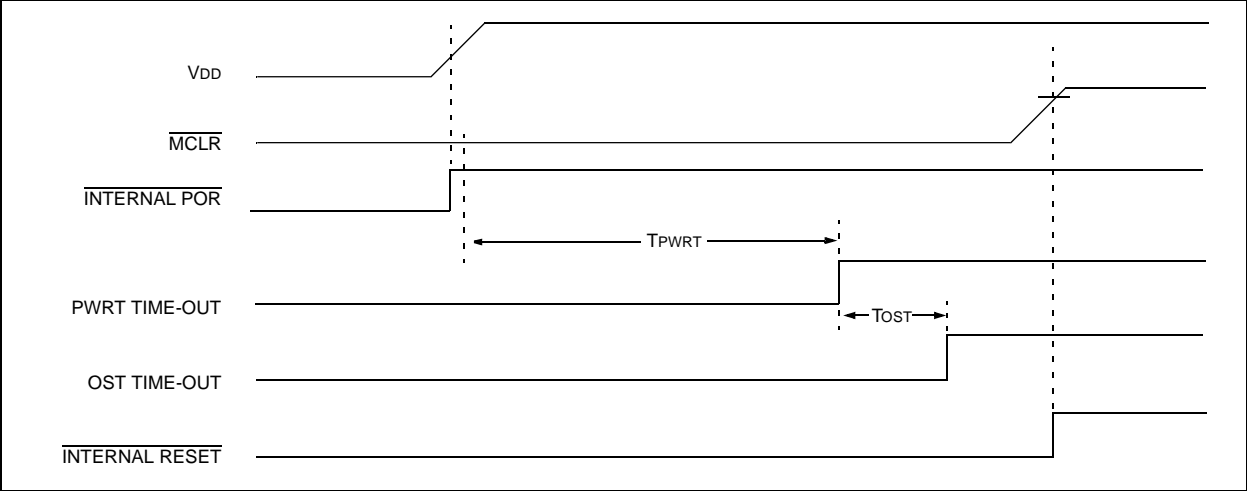
Oscillator Configuration	Power-up		Brown-out	Wake-up from SLEEP
	$\overline{\text{PWRTE}} = 0$	$\overline{\text{PWRTE}} = 1$		
XT, HS, LP	72 ms + 1024TOSC	1024TOSC	72 ms + 1024TOSC	1024TOSC
RC	72 ms	—	72 ms	—

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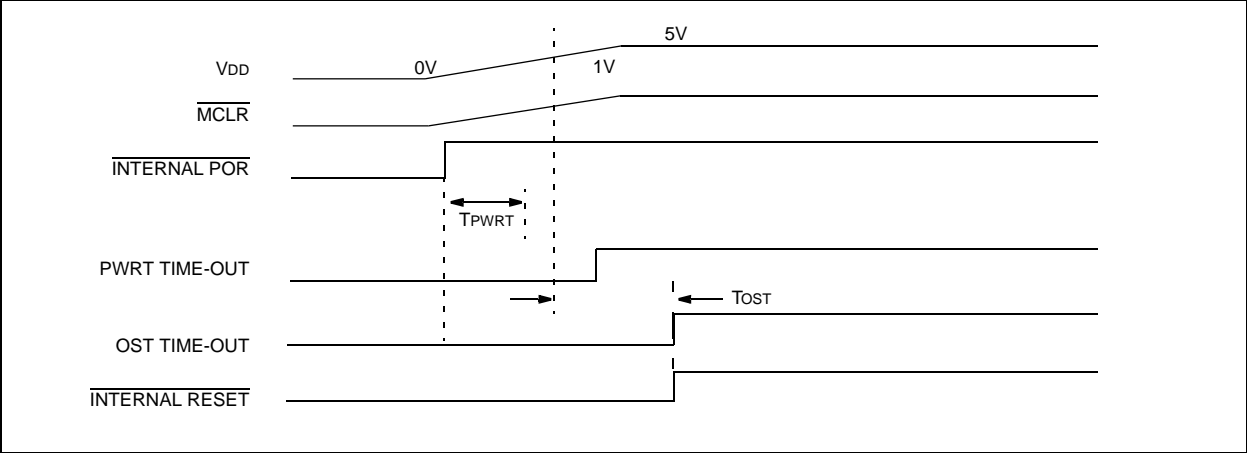
**FIGURE 12-6: TIME-OUT SEQUENCE ON POWER-UP ( $\overline{\text{MCLR}}$  NOT TIED TO  $V_{DD}$ ): CASE 1**



**FIGURE 12-7: TIME-OUT SEQUENCE ON POWER-UP ( $\overline{\text{MCLR}}$  NOT TIED TO  $V_{DD}$ ): CASE 2**



**FIGURE 12-8: SLOW RISE TIME ( $\overline{\text{MCLR}}$  TIED TO  $V_{DD}$ )**



## 14.8 MPLAB ICD In-Circuit Debugger

Microchip's In-Circuit Debugger, MPLAB ICD, is a powerful, low cost, run-time development tool. This tool is based on the FLASH PIC16F87X and can be used to develop for this and other PIC microcontrollers from the PIC16CXXX family. The MPLAB ICD utilizes the in-circuit debugging capability built into the PIC16F87X. This feature, along with Microchip's In-Circuit Serial Programming™ protocol, offers cost-effective in-circuit FLASH debugging from the graphical user interface of the MPLAB Integrated Development Environment. This enables a designer to develop and debug source code by watching variables, single-stepping and setting break points. Running at full speed enables testing hardware in real-time.

## 14.9 PRO MATE II Universal Device Programmer

The PRO MATE II universal device programmer is a full-featured programmer, capable of operating in stand-alone mode, as well as PC-hosted mode. The PRO MATE II device programmer is CE compliant.

The PRO MATE II device programmer has programmable VDD and VPP supplies, which allow it to verify programmed memory at VDD min and VDD max for maximum reliability. It has an LCD display for instructions and error messages, keys to enter commands and a modular detachable socket assembly to support various package types. In stand-alone mode, the PRO MATE II device programmer can read, verify, or program PIC devices. It can also set code protection in this mode.

## 14.10 PICSTART Plus Entry Level Development Programmer

The PICSTART Plus development programmer is an easy-to-use, low cost, prototype programmer. It connects to the PC via a COM (RS-232) port. MPLAB Integrated Development Environment software makes using the programmer simple and efficient.

The PICSTART Plus development programmer supports all PIC devices with up to 40 pins. Larger pin count devices, such as the PIC16C92X and PIC17C76X, may be supported with an adapter socket. The PICSTART Plus development programmer is CE compliant.

## 14.11 PICDEM 1 Low Cost PIC MCU Demonstration Board

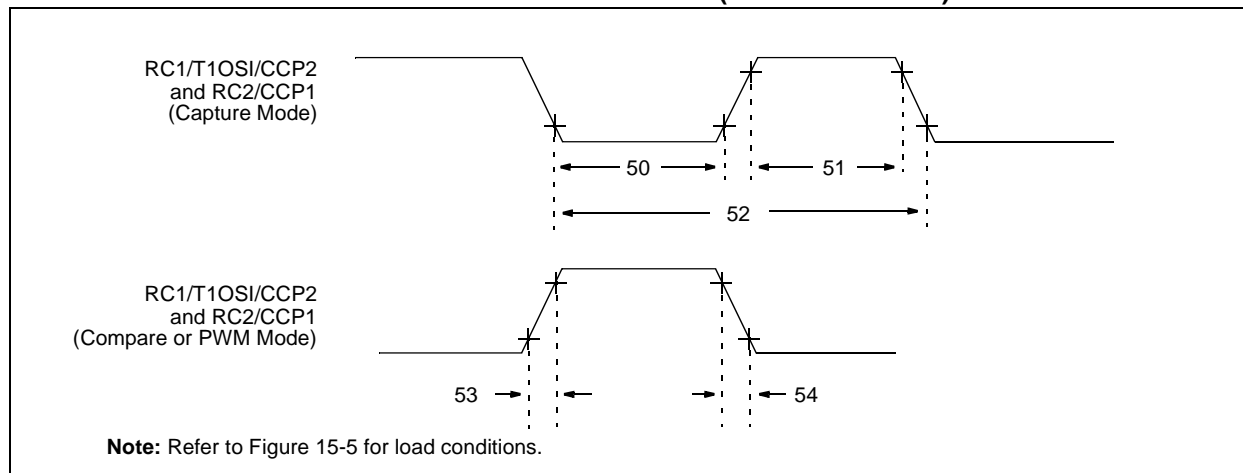
The PICDEM 1 demonstration board is a simple board which demonstrates the capabilities of several of Microchip's microcontrollers. The microcontrollers supported are: PIC16C5X (PIC16C54 to PIC16C58A), PIC16C61, PIC16C62X, PIC16C71, PIC16C8X, PIC17C42, PIC17C43 and PIC17C44. All necessary hardware and software is included to run basic demo programs. The user can program the sample microcontrollers provided with the PICDEM 1 demonstration board on a PRO MATE II device programmer, or a PICSTART Plus development programmer, and easily test firmware. The user can also connect the PICDEM 1 demonstration board to the MPLAB ICE in-circuit emulator and download the firmware to the emulator for testing. A prototype area is available for the user to build some additional hardware and connect it to the microcontroller socket(s). Some of the features include an RS-232 interface, a potentiometer for simulated analog input, push button switches and eight LEDs connected to PORTB.

## 14.12 PICDEM 2 Low Cost PIC16CXX Demonstration Board

The PICDEM 2 demonstration board is a simple demonstration board that supports the PIC16C62, PIC16C64, PIC16C65, PIC16C73 and PIC16C74 microcontrollers. All the necessary hardware and software is included to run the basic demonstration programs. The user can program the sample microcontrollers provided with the PICDEM 2 demonstration board on a PRO MATE II device programmer, or a PICSTART Plus development programmer, and easily test firmware. The MPLAB ICE in-circuit emulator may also be used with the PICDEM 2 demonstration board to test firmware. A prototype area has been provided to the user for adding additional hardware and connecting it to the microcontroller socket(s). Some of the features include a RS-232 interface, push button switches, a potentiometer for simulated analog input, a serial EEPROM to demonstrate usage of the I<sup>2</sup>C™ bus and separate headers for connection to an LCD module and a keypad.

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**FIGURE 15-11: CAPTURE/COMPARE/PWM TIMINGS (CCP1 AND CCP2)**



**TABLE 15-5: CAPTURE/COMPARE/PWM REQUIREMENTS (CCP1 AND CCP2)**

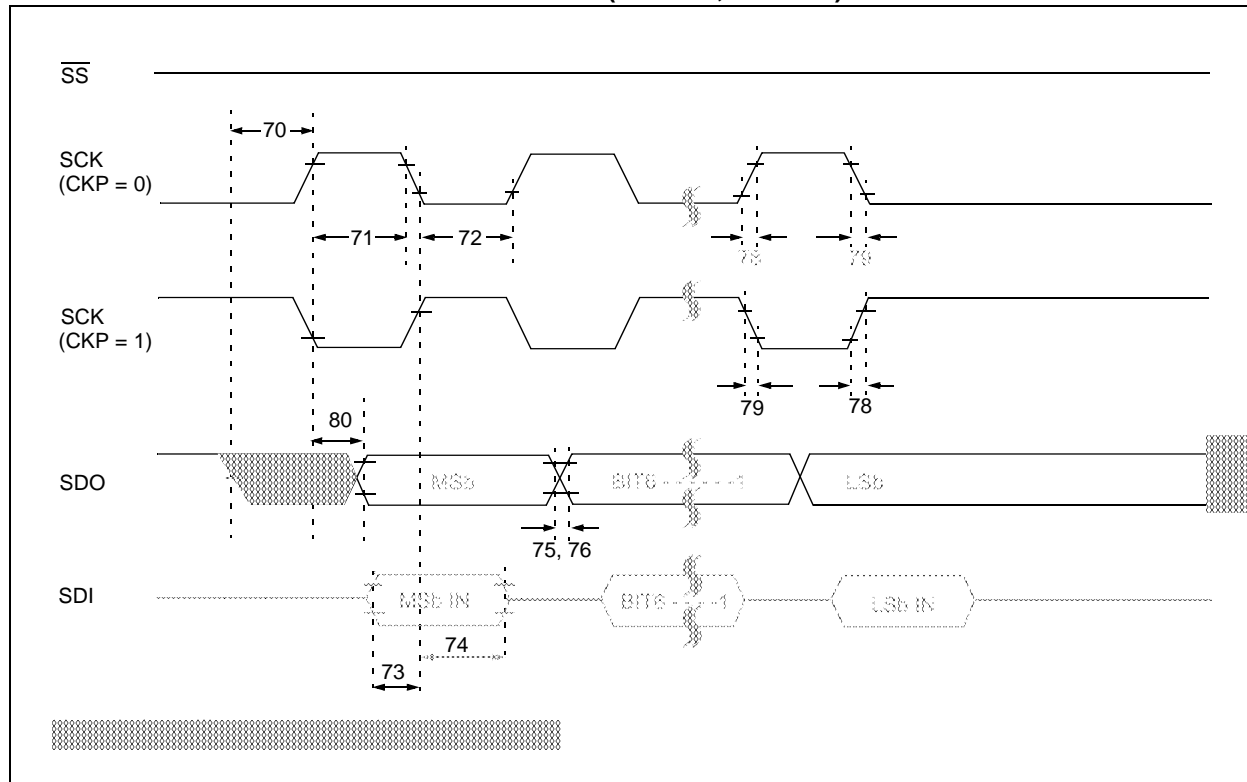
Param No.	Sym	Characteristic		Min	Typ†	Max	Units	Conditions	
50*	TccL	CCP1 and CCP2 input low time	No Prescaler		0.5Tcy + 20	—	—	ns	
			With Prescaler	Standard( <b>F</b> )	10	—	—	ns	
				Extended( <b>LF</b> )	20	—	—	ns	
51*	TccH	CCP1 and CCP2 input high time	No Prescaler		0.5Tcy + 20	—	—	ns	
			With Prescaler	Standard( <b>F</b> )	10	—	—	ns	
				Extended( <b>LF</b> )	20	—	—	ns	
52*	TccP	CCP1 and CCP2 input period			$\frac{3Tcy + 40}{N}$	—	—	ns	N = prescale value (1, 4 or 16)
53*	TccR	CCP1 and CCP2 output rise time	Standard( <b>F</b> )		—	10	25	ns	
			Extended( <b>LF</b> )		—	25	50	ns	
54*	TccF	CCP1 and CCP2 output fall time	Standard( <b>F</b> )		—	10	25	ns	
			Extended( <b>LF</b> )		—	25	45	ns	

\* These parameters are characterized but not tested.

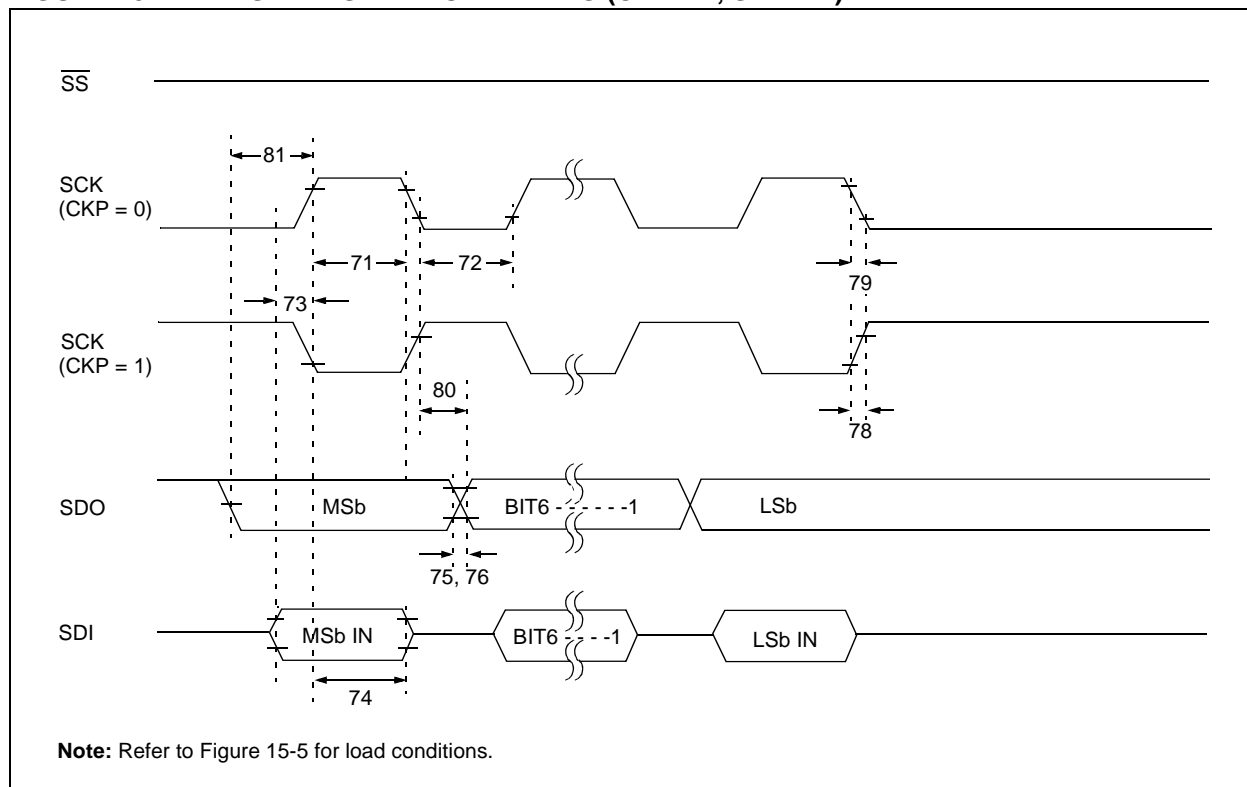
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**FIGURE 15-13: SPI MASTER MODE TIMING (CKE = 0, SMP = 0)**

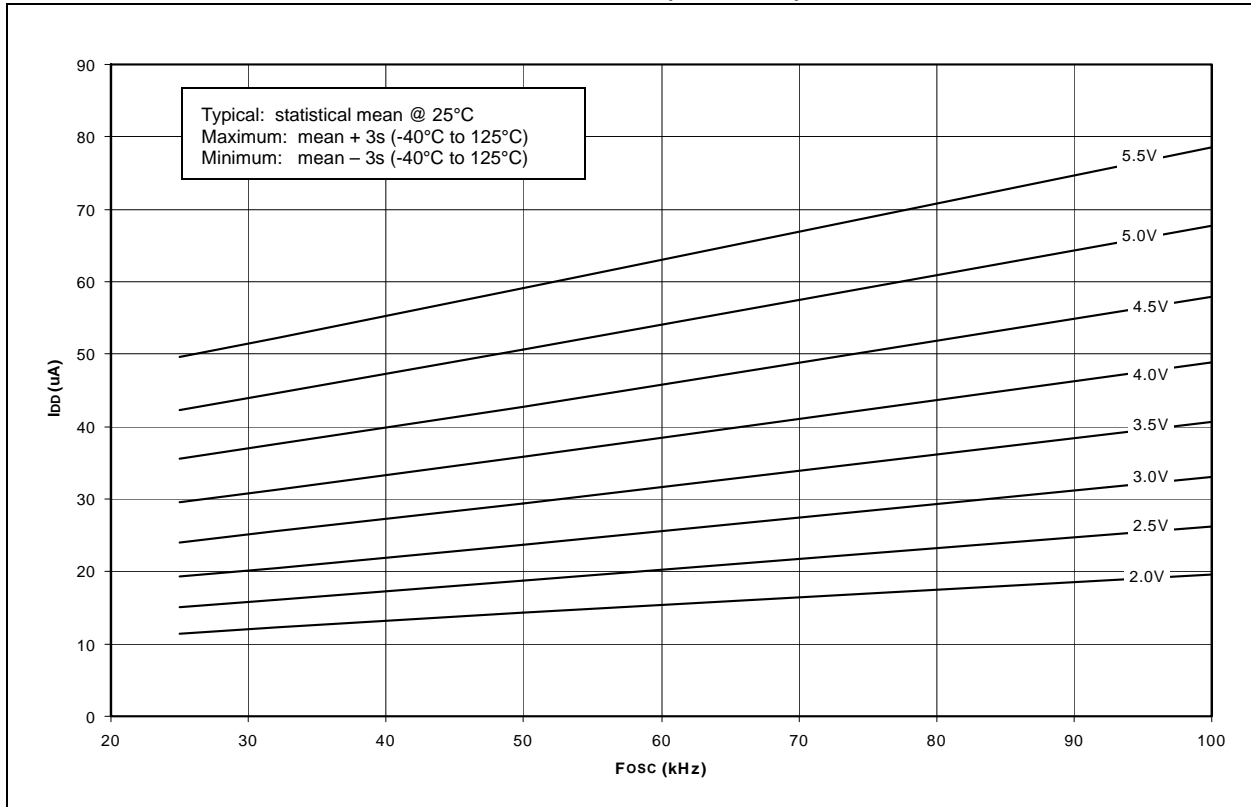


**FIGURE 15-14: SPI MASTER MODE TIMING (CKE = 1, SMP = 1)**

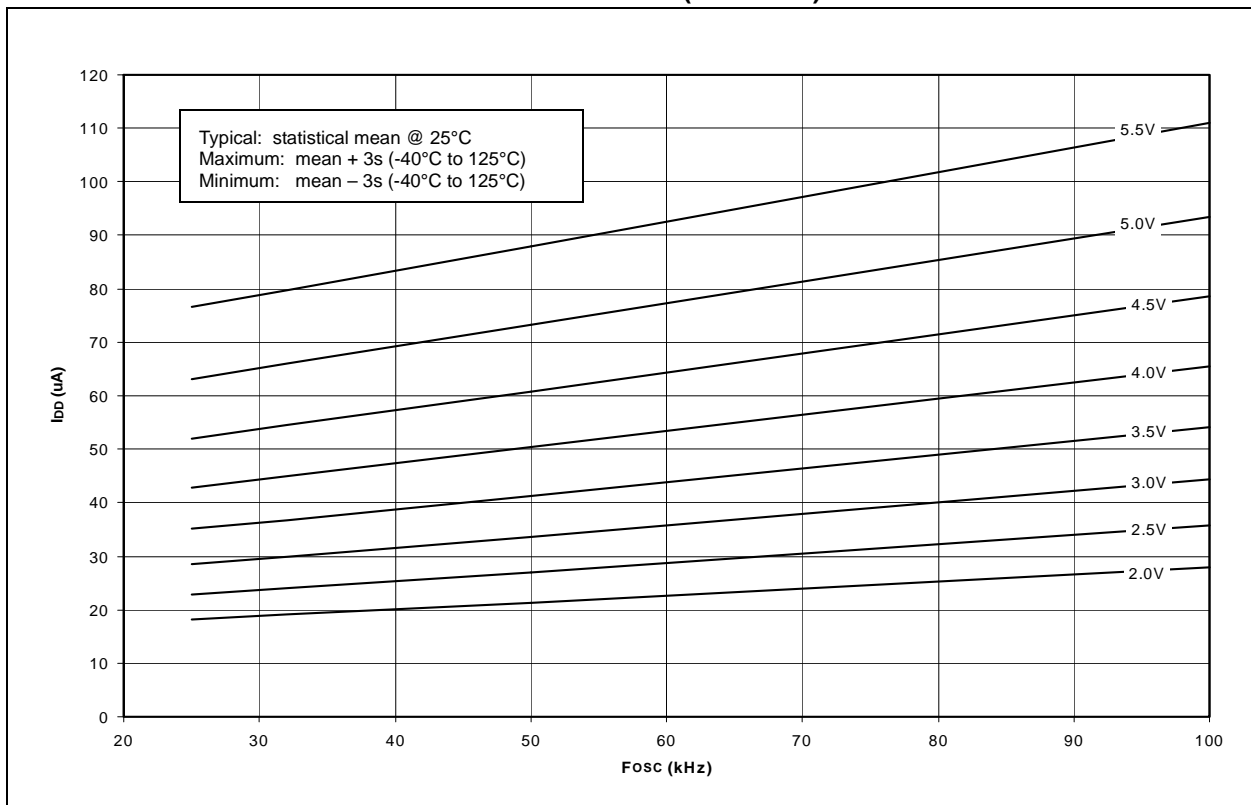




**FIGURE 16-5: TYPICAL  $I_{DD}$  vs.  $F_{osc}$  OVER  $V_{DD}$  (LP MODE)**



**FIGURE 16-6: MAXIMUM  $I_{DD}$  vs.  $F_{osc}$  OVER  $V_{DD}$  (XT MODE)**



## APPENDIX A: REVISION HISTORY

Version	Date	Revision Description
A	1998	This is a new data sheet. However, these devices are similar to the PIC16C7X devices found in the PIC16C7X Data Sheet (DS30390). Data Memory Map for PIC16F873/874, moved ADFM bit from ADCON1<5> to ADCON1<7>.
B	1999	FLASH EEPROM access information.
C	2000	DC characteristics updated. DC performance graphs added.
D	2013	Added a note to each package drawing.

## APPENDIX B: DEVICE DIFFERENCES

The differences between the devices in this data sheet are listed in Table B-1.

**TABLE B-1: DEVICE DIFFERENCES**

Difference	PIC16F876/873	PIC16F877/874
A/D	5 channels, 10-bits	8 channels, 10-bits
Parallel Slave Port	no	yes
Packages	28-pin PDIP, 28-pin windowed Cerdip, 28-pin SOIC	40-pin PDIP, 44-pin TQFP, 44-pin MQFP, 44-pin PLCC

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