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Details	
Product Status	Active
Core Processor	PIC
Core Size	8-Bit
Speed	32MHz
Connectivity	I <sup>2</sup> C, LINbus, SPI, UART/USART
Peripherals	Brown-out Detect/Reset, POR, PWM, WDT
Number of I/O	36
Program Memory Size	28KB (16K x 14)
Program Memory Type	FLASH
EEPROM Size	256 x 8
RAM Size	2K x 8
Voltage - Supply (Vcc/Vdd)	2.3V ~ 5.5V
Data Converters	A/D 35x10b; D/A 1x5b
Oscillator Type	Internal
Operating Temperature	-40°C ~ 85°C (TA)
Mounting Type	Surface Mount
Package / Case	40-UFQFN Exposed Pad
Supplier Device Package	40-UQFN (5x5)
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**TABLE 1-3:** PIC16F18876 PINOUT DESCRIPTION (CONTINUED)

Name	Function	Input Type	Output Type	Description
RA5/ANA5/SS1 <sup>(1)</sup> /MDSRC <sup>(1)</sup> /IOCA5	RA5	TTL/ST	CMOS/OD	General purpose I/O.
	ANA5	AN	_	ADC Channel A5 input.
	SS1 <sup>(1)</sup>	TTL/ST	_	MSSP1 SPI slave select input.
	MDSRC <sup>(1)</sup>	TTL/ST	_	Modulator Source input.
	IOCA5	TTL/ST	_	Interrupt-on-change input.
RA6/ANA6/OSC2/CLKOUT/IOCA6	RA6	TTL/ST	CMOS/OD	General purpose I/O.
	ANA6	AN	_	ADC Channel A6 input.
	OSC2	_	XTAL	External Crystal/Resonator (LP, XT, HS modes) driver output.
	CLKOUT	_	CMOS/OD	Fosc/4 digital output (in non-crystal/resonator modes).
	IOCA6	TTL/ST	_	Interrupt-on-change input.
RA7/ANA7/OSC1/CLKIN/IOCA7	RA7	TTL/ST	CMOS/OD	General purpose I/O.
	ANA7	AN	_	ADC Channel A7 input.
	OSC1	XTAL	_	External Crystal/Resonator (LP, XT, HS modes) driver input.
	CLKIN	TTL/ST	_	External digital clock input.
	IOCA7	TTL/ST	_	Interrupt-on-change input.
RB0/ANB0/C2IN1+/ZCD/SS2 <sup>(1)</sup> / CCP4 <sup>(1)</sup> /CWG1IN <sup>(1)</sup> /INT <sup>(1)</sup> /IOCB0	RB0	TTL/ST	CMOS/OD	General purpose I/O.
CCP4\**/CWG1IN\**/INT\**/IOCB0	ANB0	AN	_	ADC Channel B0 input.
	C2IN1+	AN	_	Comparator positive input.
	ZCD	AN	AN	Zero-cross detect input pin (with constant current sink/ source).
	SS2 <sup>(1)</sup>	TTL/ST	_	MSSP2 SPI slave select input.
	CCP4 <sup>(1)</sup>	TTL/ST	CMOS/OD	Capture/compare/PWM4 (default input location for capture function).
	CWG1IN <sup>(1)</sup>	TTL/ST	_	Complementary Waveform Generator 1 input.
	INT <sup>(1)</sup>	TTL/ST	_	External interrupt request input.
	IOCB0	TTL/ST	_	Interrupt-on-change input.
RB1/ANB1/C1IN3-/C2IN3-/SCL2 <sup>(3,4)</sup> / SCK2 <sup>(1)</sup> /CWG2IN <sup>(1)</sup> /IOCB1	RB1	TTL/ST	CMOS/OD	General purpose I/O.
SCK2(*//CWG2IN(*//IOCB1	ANB1	AN	_	ADC Channel B1 input.
	C1IN3-	AN	_	Comparator negative input.
	C2IN3-	AN	_	Comparator negative input.
	SCL2 <sup>(3,4)</sup>	I <sup>2</sup> C/SMBus	OD	MSSP2 I <sup>2</sup> C clock input/output.
	SCK2 <sup>(1)</sup>	TTL/ST	CMOS/OD	MSSP2 SPI serial clock (default input location, SCK2 is a PPS remappable input and output).
	CWG2IN <sup>(1)</sup>	TTL/ST		Complementary Waveform Generator 2 input.
	IOCB1	TTL/ST	_	Interrupt-on-change input.

**Legend:** AN = Analog input or output TTL = TTL compatible input

CMOS = CMOS compatible input or output = Schmitt Trigger input with CMOS levels = Open-Drain

= Schmitt Trigger input with I<sup>2</sup>CHV=

Note

- 2: All output signals shown in this row are PPS remappable. These signals may be mapped to output onto one of several PORTx pin options as described in Table 13-3.
- 3: This is a bidirectional signal. For normal module operation, the firmware should map this signal to the same pin in both the PPS input and PPS output registers.
- These pins are configured for I<sup>2</sup>C logic levels. The SCLx/SDAx signals may be assigned to any of the RB1/RB2/RC3/RC4 pins. PPS assignments to the other pins (e.g., RA5) will operate, but input logic levels will be standard TTL/ST, as selected by the INLVL register, instead of the I<sup>2</sup>C specific or SMBus input buffer thresholds.

High Voltage XTAL= Crystal levels This is a PPS remappable input signal. The input function may be moved from the default location shown to one of several other PORTx 1: pins. Refer to Table 13-1 for details on which PORT pins may be used for this signal.

#### 3.1.1.2 Indirect Read with FSR

The program memory can be accessed as data by setting bit 7 of the FSRxH register and reading the matching INDFx register. The MOVIW instruction will place the lower eight bits of the addressed word in the W register. Writes to the program memory cannot be performed via the INDF registers. Instructions that access the program memory via the FSR require one extra instruction cycle to complete. Example 3-2 demonstrates accessing the program memory via an FSR.

The HIGH directive will set bit 7 if a label points to a location in the program memory.

## EXAMPLE 3-2: ACCESSING PROGRAM MEMORY VIA FSR

```
constants
   RETLW DATA0
                      ;Index0 data
   RETLW DATA1
                      ;Index1 data
   RETLW DATA2
   RETLW DATA3
my_function
   ;... LOTS OF CODE...
   MOVLW LOW constants
   MOVWF FSR1L
   MOVLW HIGH constants
   MOVWF
          FSR1H
   MOVIW
          0[FSR1]
;THE PROGRAM MEMORY IS IN W
```

#### 3.2 Data Memory Organization

The data memory is partitioned into 32 memory banks with 128 bytes in each bank. Each bank consists of (Figure 3-2):

- · 12 core registers
- · 20 Special Function Registers (SFR)
- Up to 80 bytes of General Purpose RAM (GPR)
- · 16 bytes of common RAM

The active bank is selected by writing the bank number into the Bank Select Register (BSR). Unimplemented memory will read as '0'. All data memory can be accessed either directly (via instructions that use the file registers) or indirectly via the two File Select Registers (FSR). See **Section 3.5** "Indirect Addressing" for more information.

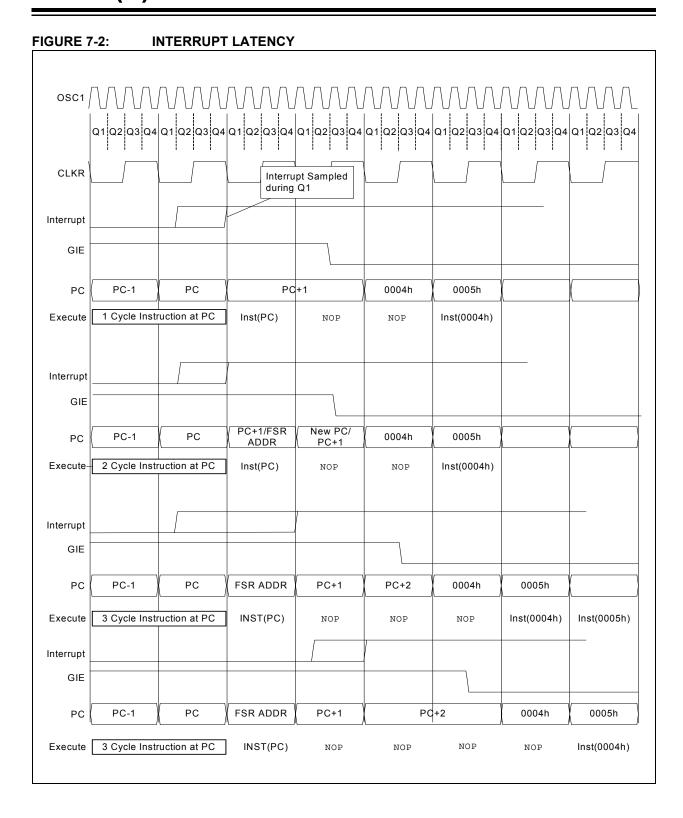
Data memory uses a 12-bit address. The upper five bits of the address define the Bank address and the lower seven bits select the registers/RAM in that bank.

#### 3.2.1 CORE REGISTERS

The core registers contain the registers that directly affect the basic operation. The core registers occupy the first 12 addresses of every data memory bank (addresses x00h/x08h through x0Bh/x8Bh). These registers are listed below in Table 3-2. For detailed information, see Table 3-12.

TABLE 3-2: CORE REGISTERS

Addresses	BANKx
x00h or x80h	INDF0
x01h or x81h	INDF1
x02h or x82h	PCL
x03h or x83h	STATUS
x04h or x84h	FSR0L
x05h or x85h	FSR0H
x06h or x86h	FSR1L
x07h or x87h	FSR1H
x08h or x88h	BSR
x09h or x89h	WREG
x0Ah or x8Ah	PCLATH
x0Bh or x8Bh	INTCON



#### 11.7 Configuring the CRC

The following steps illustrate how to properly configure the CRC.

- Determine if the automatic Program Memory scan will be used with the scanner or manual calculation through the SFR interface and perform the actions specified in Section 11.4 "CRC Data Sources", depending on which decision was made.
- 2. If desired, seed a starting CRC value into the CRCACCH/L registers.
- Program the CRCXORH/L registers with the desired generator polynomial.
- Program the DLEN<3:0> bits of the CRCCON1 register with the length of the data word 1 (refer to Example 11-1). This determines how many times the shifter will shift into the accumulator for each data word.
- Program the PLEN<3:0> bits of the CRCCON1 register with the length of the polynomial 2 (refer to Example 11-1).
- Determine whether shifting in trailing zeros is desired and set the ACCM bit of CRCCON0 register appropriately.
- Likewise, determine whether the MSb or LSb should be shifted first and write the SHIFTM bit of CRCCON0 register appropriately.
- 8. Write the CRCGO bit of the CRCCON0 register to begin the shifting process.
- 9a. If manual SFR entry is used, monitor the FULL bit of CRCCON0 register. When FULL = 0, another word of data can be written to the CRCDATH/L registers, keeping in mind that CRCDATH should be written first if the data has >8 bits, as the shifter will begin upon the CRCDATL register being written.
- 9b. If the scanner is used, the scanner will automatically stuff words into the CRCDATH/L registers as needed, as long as the SCANGO bit is set.
- 10a.If using the Flash memory scanner, monitor the SCANIF (or the SCANGO bit) for the scanner to finish pushing information into the CRCDATA registers. After the scanner is completed, monitor the CRCIF (or the BUSY bit) to determine that the CRC has been completed and the check value can be read from the CRCACC registers. If both the interrupt flags are set (or both BUSY and SCANGO bits are cleared), the completed CRC calculation can be read from the CRCACCH/L registers.
- 10b.If manual entry is used, monitor the CRCIF (or BUSY bit) to determine when the CRCACC registers will hold the check value.

## 11.8 Program Memory Scan Configuration

If desired, the Program Memory Scan module may be used in conjunction with the CRC module to perform a CRC calculation over a range of program memory addresses. In order to set up the Scanner to work with the CRC you need to perform the following steps:

- Set the EN bit to enable the module. This can be performed at any point preceding the setting of the SCANGO bit, but if it gets disabled, all internal states of the Scanner are reset (registers are unaffected).
- Choose which memory access mode is to be used (see Section 11.10 "Scanning Modes") and set the MODE bits of the SCANCONO register appropriately.
- Based on the memory access mode, set the INTM bits of the SCANCON0 register to the appropriate interrupt mode (see Section 11.10.5 "Interrupt Interaction")
- 4. Set the SCANLADRL/H and SCANHADRL/H registers with the beginning and ending locations in memory that are to be scanned.
- 5. Begin the scan by setting the SCANGO bit in the SCANCONO register. The scanner will wait (CRCGO must be set) for the signal from the CRC that it is ready for the first Flash memory location, then begin loading data into the CRC. It will continue to do so until it either hits the configured end address or an address that is unimplemented on the device, at which point the SCANGO bit will clear, Scanner functions will cease, and the SCANIF interrupt will be triggered. Alternately, the SCANGO bit can be cleared in software if desired.

#### 11.9 Scanner Interrupt

The scanner will trigger an interrupt when the SCANGO bit transitions from '1' to '0'. The SCANIF interrupt flag of PIR7 is set when the last memory location is reached and the data is entered into the CRCDATA registers. The SCANIF bit can only be cleared in software. The SCAN interrupt enable is the SCANIE bit of the PIE7 register.

#### 11.10 Scanning Modes

The memory scanner can scan in four modes: Burst, Peek, Concurrent, and Triggered. These modes are controlled by the MODE bits of the SCANCON0 register. The four modes are summarized in Table 11-1.

#### REGISTER 11-3: CRCDATH: CRC DATA HIGH BYTE REGISTER

R/W-xx	R/W-x/x	R/W-x/x	R/W-x/x	R/W-x/x	R/W-x/x	R/W-x/x	R/W-x/x
	DAT<15:8>						
bit 7							bit 0

Legend:

R = Readable bit W = Writable bit U = Unimplemented bit, read as '0'

u = Bit is unchanged x = Bit is unknown -n/n = Value at POR and BOR/Value at all other Resets

'1' = Bit is set '0' = Bit is cleared

bit 7-0 DAT<15:8>: CRC Input/Output Data bits

#### REGISTER 11-4: CRCDATL: CRC DATA LOW BYTE REGISTER

R/W-xx	R/W-x/x	R/W-x/x	R/W-x/x	R/W-x/x	R/W-x/x	R/W-x/x	R/W-x/x
	DAT<7:0>						
bit 7							bit 0

Legend:

R = Readable bit W = Writable bit U = Unimplemented bit, read as '0'

u = Bit is unchanged x = Bit is unknown -n/n = Value at POR and BOR/Value at all other Resets

'1' = Bit is set '0' = Bit is cleared

bit 7-0 DAT<7:0>: CRC Input/Output Data bits

Writing to this register fills the shifter.

#### REGISTER 11-5: CRCACCH: CRC ACCUMULATOR HIGH BYTE REGISTER

R/W-0/0	R/W-0/0	R/W-0/0	R/W-0/0	R/W-0/0	R/W-0/0	R/W-0/0	R/W-0/0
ACC<15:8>							
bit 7							bit 0

Legend:

R = Readable bit W = Writable bit U = Unimplemented bit, read as '0'

u = Bit is unchanged x = Bit is unknown -n/n = Value at POR and BOR/Value at all other Resets

'1' = Bit is set '0' = Bit is cleared

bit 7-0 ACC<15:8>: CRC Accumulator Register bits

Writing to this register writes to the CRC accumulator register. Reading from this register reads the CRC accumulator.

#### REGISTER 11-6: CRCACCL: CRC ACCUMULATOR LOW BYTE REGISTER

R/W-0/0	R/W-0/0	R/W-0/0	R/W-0/0	R/W-0/0	R/W-0/0	R/W-0/0	R/W-0/0
ACC<7:0>							
bit 7							bit 0

Legend:

R = Readable bit W = Writable bit U = Unimplemented bit, read as '0'

u = Bit is unchanged x = Bit is unknown -n/n = Value at POR and BOR/Value at all other Resets

'1' = Bit is set '0' = Bit is cleared

bit 7-0 ACC<7:0>: CRC Accumulator Register bits

Writing to this register writes to the CRC accumulator register through the CRC write bus. Reading from this register

reads the CRC accumulator.

## 19.0 PULSE-WIDTH MODULATION (PWM)

The PWMx modules generate Pulse-Width Modulated (PWM) signals of varying frequency and duty cycle.

In addition to the CCP modules, the PIC16(L)F18855/75 devices contain two PWM modules (PWM6 and PWM7). These modules are essentially the same as the CCP modules without the Capture or Compare functionality.

Note: The PWM6 and PWM7 modules are two instances of the same PWM module design. Throughout this section, the lower case 'x' in register and bit names is a generic reference to the PWM module number (which should be substituted with 6 or 7 during code development). For example, the control register is generically described in this chapter as PWMxCON, but the actual device registers are PWM6CON and PWM7CON. Similarly.

the PWMxEN bit represents the PWM6EN

Pulse-Width Modulation (PWM) is a scheme that provides power to a load by switching quickly between fully on and fully off states. The PWM signal resembles a square wave where the high portion of the signal is considered the 'on' state (pulse width), and the low portion of the signal is considered the 'off' state. The term duty cycle describes the proportion of the 'on' time to the 'off' time and is expressed in percentages, where 0% is fully off and 100% is fully on. A lower duty cycle corresponds to less power applied and a higher duty cycle corresponds to more power applied. The PWM period is defined as the duration of one complete cycle or the total amount of on and off time combined.

and PWM7EN bits.

PWM resolution defines the maximum number of steps that can be present in a single PWM period. A higher resolution allows for more precise control of the pulse width time and, in turn, the power that is applied to the load

Figure 19-1 shows a typical waveform of the PWM signal.

#### FIGURE 19-1: PWM OUTPUT

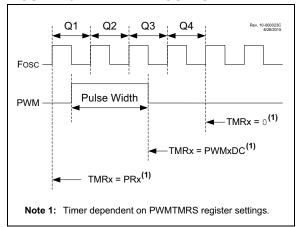


TABLE 19-3: SUMMARY OF REGISTERS ASSOCIATED WITH PWMx

Name	Bit 7	Bit 6	Bit 5	Bit 4	Bit 3	Bit 2	Bit 1	Bit 0	Register on Page
PWM6CON	PWM6EN	_	PWM6OUT	PWM6POL	_	_	_	_	287
PWM6DCH				PWM6DC<	<9:2>				288
PWM6DCL	PWM6D	C<1:0>	_	_	_	_	_	_	288
PWM7CON	PWM7EN	_	PWM7OUT	PWM7POL	_	_	_	_	287
PWM7DCH				PWM7DC<	<9:2>				288
PWM7DCL	PWM7D	C<1:0>	_	_	_	_	_	_	288
T2CON	ON		CKPS<2:0>			OUTPS	<3:0>		441
T4CON	ON		CKPS<2:0>			OUTPS	<3:0>		441
T6CON	ON		CKPS<2:0>			OUTPS	<3:0>		441
T2TMR	Holding Regi	ster for the 8-l	oit TMR2 Regist	er					
T4TMR	Holding Register for the 8-bit TMR4 Register								
T6TMR	Holding Register for the 8-bit TMR6 Register								
T2PR	TMR2 Period	Register							
T4PR	TMR4 Period	Register							
T6PR	TMR6 Period	Register							
RxyPPS	_	_			RxyPPS<	5:0>			250
CWG1ISM	_	_		_		IS<3	:0>		312
CWG2ISM						IS<3	:0>		312
CWG3ISM						IS<3	:0>		312
CLCxSELy	_	LCxDyS<5:0>							329
MDSRC	_	_	— — MDMS<4:0>					399	
MDCARH	_	_	MDCHS<3:0>					400	
MDCARL	_	_	MDCLS<3:0>					401	
TRISA	TRISA7	TRISA6	TRISA5	TRISA4	TRISA3	TRISA2	TRISA1	TRISA0	204
TRISC	TRISC7	TRISC6	TRISC5	TRISC4	TRISC3	TRISC2	TRISC1	TRISC0	220

**Legend:** – = Unimplemented locations, read as '0'. Shaded cells are not used by the PWMx module.

#### 22.1.2 DATA GATING

Outputs from the input multiplexers are directed to the desired logic function input through the data gating stage. Each data gate can direct any combination of the four selected inputs.

**Note:** Data gating is undefined at power-up.

The gate stage is more than just signal direction. The gate can be configured to direct each input signal as inverted or non-inverted data. Directed signals are ANDed together in each gate. The output of each gate can be inverted before going on to the logic function stage.

The gating is in essence a 1-to-4 input AND/NAND/OR/NOR gate. When every input is inverted and the output is inverted, the gate is an OR of all enabled data inputs. When the inputs and output are not inverted, the gate is an AND or all enabled inputs.

Table 22-3 summarizes the basic logic that can be obtained in gate 1 by using the gate logic select bits. The table shows the logic of four input variables, but each gate can be configured to use less than four. If no inputs are selected, the output will be zero or one, depending on the gate output polarity bit.

**TABLE 22-3: DATA GATING LOGIC** 

CLCxGLSy	LCxGyPOL	Gate Logic
0x55	1	AND
0x55	0	NAND
0xAA	1	NOR
0xAA	0	OR
0x00	0	Logic 0
0x00	1	Logic 1

It is possible (but not recommended) to select both the true and negated values of an input. When this is done, the gate output is zero, regardless of the other inputs, but may emit logic glitches (transient-induced pulses). If the output of the channel must be zero or one, the recommended method is to set all gate bits to zero and use the gate polarity bit to set the desired level.

Data gating is configured with the logic gate select registers as follows:

- Gate 1: CLCxGLS0 (Register 22-7)
- Gate 2: CLCxGLS1 (Register 22-8)
- Gate 3: CLCxGLS2 (Register 22-9)
- Gate 4: CLCxGLS3 (Register 22-10)

Register number suffixes are different than the gate numbers because other variations of this module have multiple gate selections in the same register.

Data gating is indicated in the right side of Figure 22-2. Only one gate is shown in detail. The remaining three gates are configured identically with the exception that the data enables correspond to the enables for that gate.

#### 22.1.3 LOGIC FUNCTION

There are eight available logic functions including:

- AND-OR
- OR-XOR
- AND
- S-R Latch
- · D Flip-Flop with Set and Reset
- · D Flip-Flop with Reset
- · J-K Flip-Flop with Reset
- Transparent Latch with Set and Reset

Logic functions are shown in Figure 22-2. Each logic function has four inputs and one output. The four inputs are the four data gate outputs of the previous stage. The output is fed to the inversion stage and from there to other peripherals, an output pin, and back to the CLCx itself.

#### 22.1.4 OUTPUT POLARITY

The last stage in the Configurable Logic Cell is the output polarity. Setting the LCxPOL bit of the CLCxPOL register inverts the output signal from the logic stage. Changing the polarity while the interrupts are enabled will cause an interrupt for the resulting output transition.

#### REGISTER 22-7: CLCxGLS0: GATE 0 LOGIC SELECT REGISTER

| R/W-x/u  |
|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| LCxG1D4T | LCxG1D4N | LCxG1D3T | LCxG1D3N | LCxG1D2T | LCxG1D2N | LCxG1D1T | LCxG1D1N |
| bit 7    |          |          |          |          |          |          | bit 0    |

Legend:		
R = Readable bit	W = Writable bit	U = Unimplemented bit, read as '0'
u = Bit is unchanged	x = Bit is unknown	-n/n = Value at POR and BOR/Value at all other Resets
'1' = Bit is set	'0' = Bit is cleared	

bit 7	LCxG1D4T: Gate 0 Data 4 True (non-inverted) bit
DIL 7	•
	1 = CLCIN3 (true) is gated into CLCx Gate 0 0 = CLCIN3 (true) is not gated into CLCx Gate 0
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bit 6	LCxG1D4N: Gate 0 Data 4 Negated (inverted) bit
	1 = CLCIN3 (inverted) is gated into CLCx Gate 0 0 = CLCIN3 (inverted) is not gated into CLCx Gate 0
bit 5	LCxG1D3T: Gate 0 Data 3 True (non-inverted) bit
	1 = CLCIN2 (true) is gated into CLCx Gate 0
	0 = CLCIN2 (true) is not gated into CLCx Gate 0
bit 4	LCxG1D3N: Gate 0 Data 3 Negated (inverted) bit
	1 = CLCIN2 (inverted) is gated into CLCx Gate 0
	0 = CLCIN2 (inverted) is not gated into CLCx Gate 0
bit 3	LCxG1D2T: Gate 0 Data 2 True (non-inverted) bit
	1 = CLCIN1 (true) is gated into CLCx Gate 0
	0 = CLCIN1 (true) is not gated into I CLCx Gate 0
bit 2	LCxG1D2N: Gate 0 Data 2 Negated (inverted) bit
	1 = CLCIN1 (inverted) is gated into CLCx Gate 0
	0 = CLCIN1 (inverted) is not gated into CLCx Gate 0
bit 1	LCxG1D1T: Gate 0 Data 1 True (non-inverted) bit
	1 = CLCIN0 (true) is gated into CLCx Gate 0
	0 = CLCIN0 (true) is not gated into CLCx Gate 0
bit 0	LCxG1D1N: Gate 0 Data 1 Negated (inverted) bit
	1 = CLCIN0 (inverted) is gated into CLCx Gate 0
	0 = CLCIN0 (inverted) is not gated into CLCx Gate 0

#### REGISTER 22-8: CLCxGLS1: GATE 1 LOGIC SELECT REGISTER

| R/W-x/u  |
|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| LCxG2D4T | LCxG2D4N | LCxG2D3T | LCxG2D3N | LCxG2D2T | LCxG2D2N | LCxG2D1T | LCxG2D1N |
| bit 7    |          |          |          |          |          |          | bit 0    |

Legend:		
R = Readable bit	W = Writable bit	U = Unimplemented bit, read as '0'
u = Bit is unchanged	x = Bit is unknown	-n/n = Value at POR and BOR/Value at all other Resets
'1' = Bit is set	'0' = Bit is cleared	

bit 7	LCxG2D4T: Gate 1 Data 4 True (non-inverted) bit
	1 = CLCIN3 (true) is gated into CLCx Gate 1
	0 = CLCIN3 (true) is not gated into CLCx Gate 1
bit 6	LCxG2D4N: Gate 1 Data 4 Negated (inverted) bit
	1 = CLCIN3 (inverted) is gated into CLCx Gate 1
	0 = CLCIN3 (inverted) is not gated into CLCx Gate 1
bit 5	LCxG2D3T: Gate 1 Data 3 True (non-inverted) bit
	1 = CLCIN2 (true) is gated into CLCx Gate 1
	0 = CLCIN2 (true) is not gated into CLCx Gate 1
bit 4	LCxG2D3N: Gate 1 Data 3 Negated (inverted) bit
	1 = CLCIN2 (inverted) is gated into CLCx Gate 1
	0 = CLCIN2 (inverted) is not gated into CLCx Gate 1
bit 3	LCxG2D2T: Gate 1 Data 2 True (non-inverted) bit
	1 = CLCIN1 (true) is gated into CLCx Gate 1
	0 = CLCIN1 (true) is not gated into CLCx Gate 1
bit 2	LCxG2D2N: Gate 1 Data 2 Negated (inverted) bit
	1 = CLCIN1 (inverted) is gated into CLCx Gate 1
	0 = CLCIN1 (inverted) is not gated into CLCx Gate 1
bit 1	LCxG2D1T: Gate 1 Data 1 True (non-inverted) bit
	1 = CLCIN0 (true) is gated into CLCx Gate 1
	0 = CLCIN0 (true) is not gated into CLCx Gate1
bit 0	LCxG2D1N: Gate 1 Data 1 Negated (inverted) bit
	1 = CLCIN0 (inverted) is gated into CLCx Gate 1
	0 = CLCIN0 (inverted) is not gated into CLCx Gate 1

#### 23.4.2 PRECHARGE CONTROL

The precharge stage is an optional period of time that brings the external channel and internal sample and hold capacitor to known voltage levels. Precharge is enabled by writing a non-zero value to the ADPRE register. This stage is initiated when an ADC conversion begins, either from setting the ADGO bit, a special event trigger, or a conversion restart from the computation functionality. If the ADPRE register is cleared when an ADC conversion begins, this stage is skipped.

During the precharge time, CHOLD is disconnected from the outer portion of the sample path that leads to the external capacitive sensor and is connected to either VDD or Vss, depending on the value of the ADPPOL bit of ADCON1. At the same time, the port pin logic of the selected analog channel is overridden to drive a digital high or low out, in order to precharge the outer portion of the ADC's sample path, which includes the external sensor. The output polarity of this override is also determined by the ADPPOL bit of ADCON1. The amount of time that this charging needs is controlled by the ADPRE register.

Note:

The external charging overrides the TRIS setting of the respective I/O pin. If there is a device attached to this pin, precharge should not be used.

#### 23.4.3 ACQUISITION CONTROL

The Acquisition stage is an optional time for the voltage on the internal sample and hold capacitor to charge or discharge from the selected analog channel. This acquisition time is controlled by the ADACQ register. When ADPRE=0, acquisition starts at the beginning of conversion. When ADPRE=1, the acquisition stage begins when precharge ends.

At the start of the acquisition stage, the port pin logic of the selected analog channel is overridden to turn off the digital high/low output drivers so they do not affect the final result of the charge averaging. Also, the selected ADC channel is connected to CHOLD. This allows charge averaging to proceed between the precharged channel and the CHOLD capacitor.

Note:

When ADPRE!=0, acquisition time cannot be '0'. In this case, setting ADACQ to '0' will set a maximum acquisition time (256 ADC clock cycles). When precharge is disabled, setting ADACQ to '0' will disable hardware acquisition time control.

#### 23.4.4 GUARD RING OUTPUTS

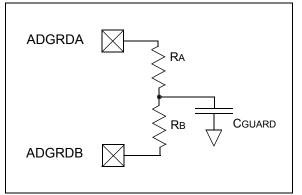
The purpose of the guard ring is to generate a signal in phase with the CVD sensing signal to minimize the effects of the parasitic capacitance on sensing electrodes. It also can be used as a mutual drive for mutual capacitive sensing. For more information about active guard and mutual drive, see Application Note AN1478, "mTouch<sup>TM</sup> Sensing Solution Acquisition Methods Capacitive Voltage Divider" (DS01478).

Figure 23-8 shows a typical guard ring circuit. CGUARD represents the capacitance of the guard ring trace placed on the PCB board. The user selects values for RA and RB that will create a voltage profile on CGUARD, which will match the selected acquisition channel.

The ADC has two guard ring drive outputs, ADGRDA and ADGRDB. These outputs can be routed through PPS controls to I/O pins (see **Section 13.0 "Peripheral Pin Select (PPS) Module"** for details). The polarity of these outputs are controlled by the ADGPOL and ADIPEN bits of ADCON1.

At the start of the first precharge stage, both outputs are set to match the ADGPOL bit of ADCON1. Once the acquisition stage begins, ADGRDA changes polarity, while ADGRDB remains unchanged. When performing a double sample conversion, setting the ADIPEN bit of ADCON1 causes both guard ring outputs to transition to the opposite polarity of ADGPOL at the start of the second precharge stage, and ADGRDA toggles again for the second acquisition. For more information on the timing of the guard ring output, refer to Figure 23-8 and Figure 23-9.

FIGURE 23-8: GUARD RING CIRCUIT



#### REGISTER 24-6: NCO1INCL: NCO1 INCREMENT REGISTER – LOW BYTE<sup>(1,2)</sup>

R/W-0/0	R/W-0/0	R/W-0/0	R/W-0/0	R/W-0/0	R/W-0/0	R/W-0/0	R/W-1/1		
NCO1INC<7:0>									
bit 7							bit 0		

#### Legend:

R = Readable bit W = Writable bit U = Unimplemented bit, read as '0'

u = Bit is unchanged x = Bit is unknown -n/n = Value at POR and BOR/Value at all other Resets

'1' = Bit is set '0' = Bit is cleared

bit 7-0 NCO1INC<7:0>: NCO1 Increment, Low Byte

Note 1: The logical increment spans NCO1INCU:NCO1INCH:NCO1INCL.

2: DDSINC is double-buffered as INCBUF; INCBUF is updated on the next falling edge of NCOCLK after writing to NCO1INCL; NCO1INCU and NCO1INCH should be written prior to writing NCO1INCL.

#### REGISTER 24-7: NCO1INCH: NCO1 INCREMENT REGISTER – HIGH BYTE<sup>(1)</sup>

R/W-0/0	R/W-0/0	R/W-0/0	R/W-0/0	R/W-0/0	R/W-0/0	R/W-0/0	R/W-0/0				
	NCO1INC<15:8>										
bit 7					bit 0						

#### Legend:

R = Readable bit W = Writable bit U = Unimplemented bit, read as '0'

u = Bit is unchanged x = Bit is unknown -n/n = Value at POR and BOR/Value at all other Resets

'1' = Bit is set '0' = Bit is cleared

bit 7-0 NCO1INC<15:8>: NCO1 Increment, High Byte

Note 1: The logical increment spans NCO1INCU:NCO1INCH:NCO1INCL.

#### REGISTER 24-8: NCO1INCU: NCO1 INCREMENT REGISTER – UPPER BYTE<sup>(1)</sup>

U-0	U-0	U-0	U-0	R/W-0/0	R/W-0/0	R/W-0/0	R/W-0/0
_	_	_	_		NCO1IN	C<19:16>	
bit 7							bit 0

#### Legend:

R = Readable bit W = Writable bit U = Unimplemented bit, read as '0'

u = Bit is unchanged x = Bit is unknown -n/n = Value at POR and BOR/Value at all other Resets

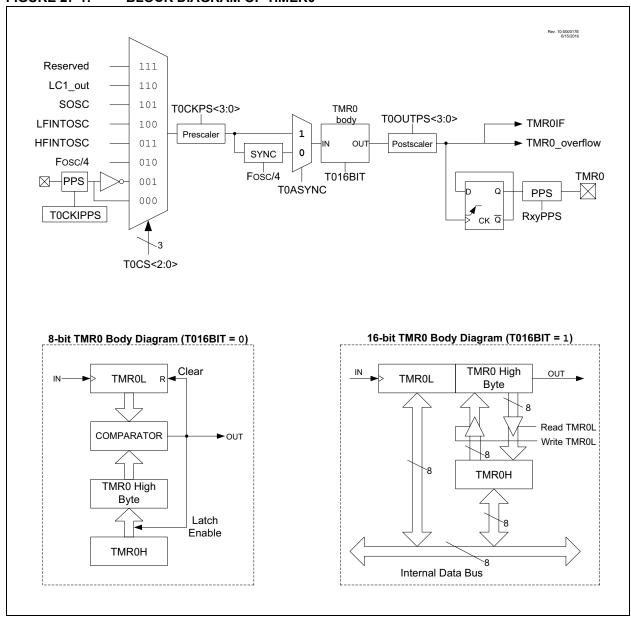
'1' = Bit is set '0' = Bit is cleared

bit 7-4 Unimplemented: Read as '0'

bit 3-0 NCO1INC<19:16>: NCO1 Increment, Upper Byte

Note 1: The logical increment spans NCO1INCU:NCO1INCH:NCO1INCL.

FIGURE 27-1: BLOCK DIAGRAM OF TIMER0



- Write SSPxCON2<0> SEN = 1

Start condition begins

**FIGURE 31-28:** 

ACKSTAT in

From slave, clear ACKSTAT bit SSPxCON2<6>

SSPxCON2 = 1

## 31.6.13.2 Bus Collision During a Repeated Start Condition

During a Repeated Start condition, a bus collision occurs if:

- a) A low level is sampled on SDA when SCL goes from low level to high level (Case 1).
- b) SCL goes low before SDA is asserted low, indicating that another master is attempting to transmit a data '1' (Case 2).

When the user releases SDA and the pin is allowed to float high, the BRG is loaded with SSPxADD and counts down to zero. The SCL pin is then deasserted and when sampled high, the SDA pin is sampled.

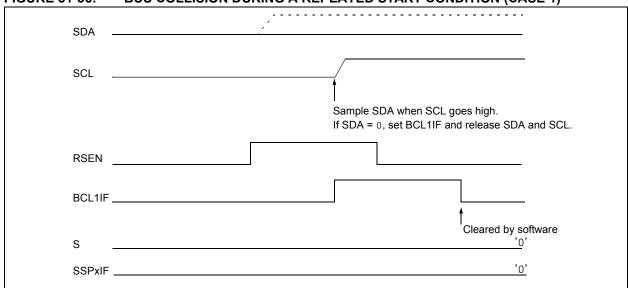
If SDA is low, a bus collision has occurred (i.e., another master is attempting to transmit a data '0', Figure 31-36). If SDA is sampled high, the BRG is reloaded and begins

counting. If SDA goes from high-to-low before the BRG times out, no bus collision occurs because no two masters can assert SDA at exactly the same time.

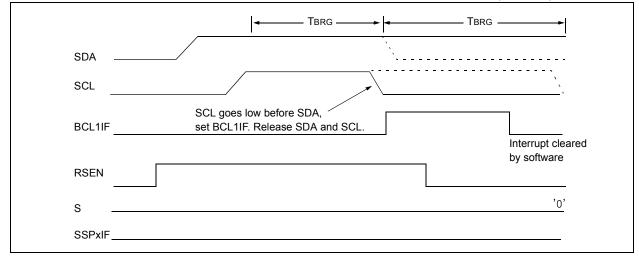
If SCL goes from high-to-low before the BRG times out and SDA has not already been asserted, a bus collision occurs. In this case, another master is attempting to transmit a data '1' during the Repeated Start condition, see Figure 31-37.

If, at the end of the BRG time-out, both SCL and SDA are still high, the SDA pin is driven low and the BRG is reloaded and begins counting. At the end of the count, regardless of the status of the SCL pin, the SCL pin is driven low and the Repeated Start condition is complete.



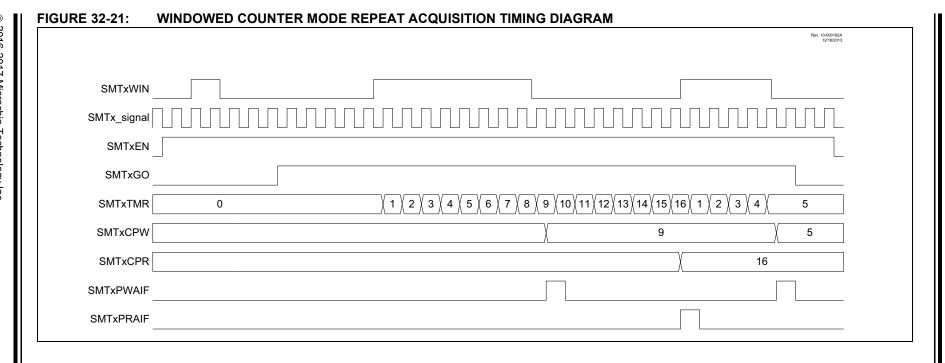


#### FIGURE 31-37: BUS COLLISION DURING REPEATED START CONDITION (CASE 2)



#### 32.6.9 COUNTER MODE

This mode increments the timer on each pulse of the SMTx\_signal input. This mode is asynchronous to the SMT clock and uses the SMTx\_signal as a time source. The SMTxCPW register will be updated with the current SMTxTMR value on the falling edge of the SMTxWIN input. See Figure 32-18.



#### 33.1.2.3 Receive Interrupts

The RCIF interrupt flag bit of the PIR3 register is set whenever the EUSART receiver is enabled and there is an unread character in the receive FIFO. The RCIF interrupt flag bit is read-only, it cannot be set or cleared by software.

RCIF interrupts are enabled by setting all of the following bits:

- RCIE, Interrupt Enable bit of the PIE3 register
- PEIE, Peripheral Interrupt Enable bit of the INTCON register
- GIE, Global Interrupt Enable bit of the INTCON register

The RCIF interrupt flag bit will be set when there is an unread character in the FIFO, regardless of the state of interrupt enable bits.

#### 33.1.2.4 Receive Framing Error

Each character in the receive FIFO buffer has a corresponding framing error Status bit. A framing error indicates that a Stop bit was not seen at the expected time. The framing error status is accessed via the FERR bit of the RC1STA register. The FERR bit represents the status of the top unread character in the receive FIFO. Therefore, the FERR bit must be read before reading the RCREG.

The FERR bit is read-only and only applies to the top unread character in the receive FIFO. A framing error (FERR = 1) does not preclude reception of additional characters. It is not necessary to clear the FERR bit. Reading the next character from the FIFO buffer will advance the FIFO to the next character and the next corresponding framing error.

The FERR bit can be forced clear by clearing the SPEN bit of the RC1STA register which resets the EUSART. Clearing the CREN bit of the RC1STA register does not affect the FERR bit. A framing error by itself does not generate an interrupt.

Note: If all receive characters in the receive FIFO have framing errors, repeated reads of the RCREG will not clear the FERR bit.

#### 33.1.2.5 Receive Overrun Error

The receive FIFO buffer can hold two characters. An overrun error will be generated if a third character, in its entirety, is received before the FIFO is accessed. When this happens the OERR bit of the RC1STA register is set. The characters already in the FIFO buffer can be read but no additional characters will be received until the error is cleared. The error must be cleared by either clearing the CREN bit of the RC1STA register or by resetting the EUSART by clearing the SPEN bit of the RC1STA register.

#### 33.1.2.6 Receiving 9-Bit Characters

The EUSART supports 9-bit character reception. When the RX9 bit of the RC1STA register is set the EUSART will shift nine bits into the RSR for each character received. The RX9D bit of the RC1STA register is the ninth and Most Significant data bit of the top unread character in the receive FIFO. When reading 9-bit data from the receive FIFO buffer, the RX9D data bit must be read before reading the eight Least Significant bits from the RCREG.

#### 33.1.2.7 Address Detection

A special Address Detection mode is available for use when multiple receivers share the same transmission line, such as in RS-485 systems. Address detection is enabled by setting the ADDEN bit of the RC1STA register.

Address detection requires 9-bit character reception. When address detection is enabled, only characters with the ninth data bit set will be transferred to the receive FIFO buffer, thereby setting the RCIF interrupt bit. All other characters will be ignored.

Upon receiving an address character, user software determines if the address matches its own. Upon address match, user software must disable address detection by clearing the ADDEN bit before the next Stop bit occurs. When user software detects the end of the message, determined by the message protocol used, software places the receiver back into the Address Detection mode by setting the ADDEN bit.

TABLE 37-11: RESET, WDT, OSCILLATOR START-UP TIMER, POWER-UP TIMER, BROWN-OUT RESET AND LOW-POWER BROWN-OUT RESET SPECIFICATIONS

Standard Operating Conditions (unless otherwise stated)									
Param. No.	Sym.	Characteristic	Min.	Typ†	Max.	Units	Conditions		
RST01*	TMCLR	MCLR Pulse Width Low to ensure Reset	2	_	_	μS			
RST02*	Tıoz	I/O high-impedance from Reset detection	_	_	2	μS			
RST03	TWDT	Watchdog Timer Time-out Period	_	16	_	ms	16 ms Nominal Reset Time		
RST04*	TPWRT	Power-up Timer Period	_	65	_	ms			
RST05	Tost	Oscillator Start-up Timer Period <sup>(1,2)</sup>	_	1024	_	Tosc			
RST06	VBOR	Brown-out Reset Voltage <sup>(4)</sup>	2.55 2.30 1.80	2.70 2.45 1.90	2.85 2.60 2.10	V V V	BORV = 0 BORV = 1 (PIC16F18856/76) BORV = 1 (PIC16LF18856/76)		
RST07	VBORHYS	Brown-out Reset Hysteresis	_	40	_	mV			
RST08	TBORDC	Brown-out Reset Response Time	_	3	_	μS			
RST09	VLPBOR	Low-Power Brown-out Reset Voltage	2.3	2.45	2.7	V			

- \* These parameters are characterized but not tested.
- † Data in "Typ" column is at 3.0V, 25°C unless otherwise stated. These parameters are for design guidance only and are not tested.
- Note 1: By design, the Oscillator Start-up Timer (OST) counts the first 1024 cycles, independent of frequency.
  - 2: To ensure these voltage tolerances, VDD and Vss must be capacitively decoupled as close to the device as possible. 0.1 μF and 0.01 μF values in parallel are recommended.

#### TABLE 37-12: ANALOG-TO-DIGITAL CONVERTER (ADC) ACCURACY SPECIFICATIONS<sup>(1,2)</sup>:

-	Operating Conditions (unless otherwise stated)  VDD = 3.0V, TA = 25°C									
Param. No.	Sym.	Characteristic	Min.	Typ†	Max.	Unit s	Conditions			
AD01	NR	Resolution	_		10	bit				
AD02	EIL	Integral Error	_	±0.1	±1.0	LSb	ADCREF+ = 3.0V, ADCREF-= 0V			
AD03	EDL	Differential Error	_	±0.1	±1.0	LSb	ADCREF+ = 3.0V, ADCREF-= 0V			
AD04	Eoff	Offset Error	_	0.5	2.0	LSb	ADCREF+ = 3.0V, ADCREF-= 0V			
AD05	Egn	Gain Error	_	±0.2	±1.0	LSb	ADCREF+ = 3.0V, ADCREF-= 0V			
AD06	VADREF	ADC Reference Voltage (ADREF+ - ADREF-)	1.8	-	VDD	٧				
AD07	VAIN	Full-Scale Range	ADREF-	_	ADREF+	V				
AD08	ZAIN	Recommended Impedance of Analog Voltage Source		10		kΩ				
AD09	RVREF	ADC Voltage Reference Ladder Impedance	_	50	_	kΩ	Note 3			

- \* These parameters are characterized but not tested.
- † Data in "Typ" column is at 3.0V, 25°C unless otherwise stated. These parameters are for design guidance only and are not tested.
- Note 1: Total Absolute Error is the sum of the offset, gain and integral non-linearity (INL) errors.
  - 2: The ADC conversion result never decreases with an increase in the input and has no missing codes.
  - 3: This is the impedance seen by the VREF pads when the external reference pads are selected.

# 39.11 Demonstration/Development Boards, Evaluation Kits, and Starter Kits

A wide variety of demonstration, development and evaluation boards for various PIC MCUs and dsPIC DSCs allows quick application development on fully functional systems. Most boards include prototyping areas for adding custom circuitry and provide application firmware and source code for examination and modification.

The boards support a variety of features, including LEDs, temperature sensors, switches, speakers, RS-232 interfaces, LCD displays, potentiometers and additional EEPROM memory.

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#### 39.12 Third-Party Development Tools

Microchip also offers a great collection of tools from third-party vendors. These tools are carefully selected to offer good value and unique functionality.

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- Software Tools from companies, such as Gimpel and Trace Systems
- Protocol Analyzers from companies, such as Saleae and Total Phase
- Demonstration Boards from companies, such as MikroElektronika, Digilent<sup>®</sup> and Olimex
- Embedded Ethernet Solutions from companies, such as EZ Web Lynx, WIZnet and IPLogika<sup>®</sup>