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Details

Product Status	Obsolete
Core Processor	AVR
Core Size	8-Bit
Speed	16MHz
Connectivity	I ² C, LINbus, SPI, UART/USART
Peripherals	Brown-out Detect/Reset, POR, PWM, WDT
Number of I/O	23
Program Memory Size	16KB (16K x 8)
Program Memory Type	FLASH
EEPROM Size	512 x 8
RAM Size	1K x 8
Voltage - Supply (Vcc/Vdd)	2.7V ~ 5.5V
Data Converters	A/D 8x10b
Oscillator Type	Internal
Operating Temperature	-40°C ~ 125°C (TC)
Mounting Type	Surface Mount
Package / Case	48-VFQFN Exposed Pad
Supplier Device Package	48-QFN (7x7)
Purchase URL	https://www.e-xfl.com/product-detail/microchip-technology/ata6613p-plpw

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3.3.20.1 Normal Mode

This is the normal transmitting and receiving mode at the LIN interface in accordance with the LIN specification LIN 2.x. The voltage regulator is active and can source up to 50 mA. The undervoltage detection is activated. The watchdog needs a trigger signal from NTRIG to avoid resets at NRES. If NRES is switched to low, the IC changes its state to Fail-safe Mode.

3.3.20.2 Silent Mode

A falling edge at EN when TXD is high switches the IC into Silent Mode. The TXD Signal has to be logic high during the Mode Select window (see Figure 3-3 on page 11). The transmission path is disabled in Silent Mode. The overall supply current from V_{Batt} is a combination of the I_{VSsi} 57µA plus the VCC regulator output current I_{VCC} .

The 5V regulator with $\pm 2\%$ tolerance can source up to 50mA. The internal slave termination between the LIN pin and the VS pin is disabled in Silent Mode, only a weak pull-up current (typically 10µA) between the LIN pin and the VS pin is present. Silent Mode can be activated independently from the actual level on the LIN, WAKE, or KL_15 pins.

If an undervoltage condition occurs, NRES is switched to low, and the IC changes its state to Fail-safe Mode.

A voltage less than the LIN Pre_Wake detection VLINL at the LIN pin activates the internal LIN receiver and switches on the internal slave termination between the LIN pin and the V_{S} pin.



Figure 3-3. Switch to Silent Mode





3.3.24 Watchdog

The watchdog anticipates a trigger signal from the microcontroller at the NTRIG (negative edge) input within a time window of T_{wd} . The trigger signal must exceed a minimum time $t_{trigmin} > 200$ ns. If a triggering signal is not received, a reset signal will be generated at output NRES. After a watchdog reset the IC starts with the lead time. The timing basis of the watchdog is provided by the internal oscillator. Its time period, T_{osc} , is adjustable via the external resistor $R_{wd osc}$ (34k Ω to 120k Ω).

During Silent or Sleep Mode the watchdog is switched off to reduce current consumption.

The minimum time for the first watchdog pulse is required after the undervoltage reset at NRES disappears. It is defined as lead time t_d . After wake up from Sleep or Silent Mode, the lead time t_d starts with the negative edge of the RXD output.

3.3.24.1 Typical Timing Sequence with $R_{WD OSC} = 51 k\Omega$

The trigger signal $\rm T_{wd}$ is adjustable between 20ms and 64ms using the external resistor $\rm R_{WD_OSC}.$

For example, with an external resistor of $R_{WD_OSC} = 51k\Omega \pm 1\%$, the typical parameters of the watchdog are as follows:

$$\begin{split} t_{osc} &= 0.405 \times R_{WD_OSC} - 0.0004 \times (R_{WD_OSC})^2 \ (R_{WD_OSC} \text{ in } k\Omega; \ t_{osc} \text{ in } \mu s) \\ t_{OSC} &= 19.6 \mu s \ due \ to \ 51 k\Omega \\ t_d &= 7895 \times 19.6 \mu s = 155 m s \\ t_1 &= 1053 \times 19.6 \mu s = 20.6 m s \\ t_2 &= 1105 \times 19.6 \mu s = 21.6 m s \\ t_{nres} &= \text{constant} = 4 m s \end{split}$$

After ramping up the battery voltage, the 5V regulator is switched on. The reset output NRES stays low for the time t_{reset} (typically 4ms), then it switches to high, and the watchdog waits for the trigger sequence from the microcontroller. The lead time, t_d , follows the reset and is $t_d = 155$ ms. In this time, the first watchdog pulse from the microcontroller is required. If the trigger pulse NTRIG occurs during this time, the time t_1 starts immediately. If no trigger signal occurs during the time t_d , a watchdog reset with $t_{NRES} = 4$ ms will reset the microcontroller after $t_d = 155$ ms. The times t_1 and t_2 have a fixed relationship between each other. A triggering signal from the microcontroller is anticipated within the time frame of $t_2 = 21.6$ ms. To avoid false triggering from glitches, the trigger pulse must be longer than $t_{TRIG,min} > 200$ ns. This slope serves to restart the watchdog sequence. If the triggering signal fails in this open window t_2 , the NRES output will be drawn to ground. A triggering signal during the closed window t_1 immediately switches NRES to low.

6.5.2 SRAM Data Memory

Figure 6-9 shows how the Atmel[®] ATA6612/ATA6613 SRAM Memory is organized.

The Atmel ATA6612/ATA6613 is a complex microcontroller with more peripheral units than can be supported within the 64 locations reserved in the Opcode for the IN and OUT instructions. For the Extended I/O space from 0x60 - 0xFF in SRAM, only the ST/STS/STD and LD/LDS/LDD instructions can be used.

The lower 768/1280/1280 data memory locations address both the Register File, the I/O memory, Extended I/O memory, and the internal data SRAM. The first 32 locations address the Register File, the next 64 location the standard I/O memory, then 160 locations of Extended I/O memory, and the next 512/1024/1024 locations address the internal data SRAM.

The five different addressing modes for the data memory cover: Direct, Indirect with Displacement, Indirect, Indirect with Pre-decrement, and Indirect with Post-increment. In the Register File, registers R26 to R31 feature the indirect addressing pointer registers.

The direct addressing reaches the entire data space.

The Indirect with Displacement mode reaches 63 address locations from the base address given by the Y- or Z-register.

When using register indirect addressing modes with automatic pre-decrement and post-increment, the address registers X, Y, and Z are decremented or incremented.

The 32 general purpose working registers, 64 I/O Registers, 160 Extended I/O Registers, and the 512/1024/1024 bytes of internal data SRAM in the Atmel ATA6612/ATA6613 are all accessible through all these addressing modes. The Register File is described in "General Purpose Register File" on page 36.



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0x02FF/0x04FF/0x04FF



When the write access time has elapsed, the EEPE bit is cleared by hardware. The user software can poll this bit and wait for a zero before writing the next byte. When EEPE has been set, the CPU is halted for two cycles before the next instruction is executed.

• Bit 0 – EERE: EEPROM Read Enable

The EEPROM Read Enable Signal EERE is the read strobe to the EEPROM. When the correct address is set up in the EEAR Register, the EERE bit must be written to a logic one to trigger the EEPROM read. The EEPROM read access takes one instruction, and the requested data is available immediately. When the EEPROM is read, the CPU is halted for four cycles before the next instruction is executed.

The user should poll the EEPE bit before starting the read operation. If a write operation is in progress, it is neither possible to read the EEPROM, nor to change the EEAR Register.

The calibrated Oscillator is used to time the EEPROM accesses. Table 6-3 lists the typical programming time for EEPROM access from the CPU.

Symbol	Number of Calibrated RC Oscillator Cycles	Typ Programming Time							
EEPROM write (from CPU)	26,368	3.3ms							

 Table 6-3.
 EEPROM Programming Time

The following code examples show one assembly and one C function for writing to the EEPROM. The examples assume that interrupts are controlled (e.g. by disabling interrupts globally) so that no interrupts will occur during execution of these functions. The examples also assume that no Flash Boot Loader is present in the software. If such code is present, the EEPROM write function must also wait for any ongoing SPM command to finish.





When applying an external clock, it is required to avoid sudden changes in the applied clock frequency to ensure stable operation of the MCU. A variation in frequency of more than 2% from one clock cycle to the next can lead to unpredictable behavior. If changes of more than 2% is required, ensure that the MCU is kept in Reset during the changes.

Note that the System Clock Prescaler can be used to implement run-time changes of the internal clock frequency while still ensuring stable operation. Refer to "System Clock Prescaler" on page 60 for details.

6.6.9 Clock Output Buffer

The device can output the system clock on the CLKO pin. To enable the output, the CKOUT Fuse has to be programmed. This mode is suitable when the chip clock is used to drive other circuits on the system. The clock also will be output during reset, and the normal operation of I/O pin will be overridden when the fuse is programmed. Any clock source, including the internal RC Oscillator, can be selected when the clock is output on CLKO. If the System Clock Prescaler is used, it is the divided system clock that is output.

6.6.10 Timer/Counter Oscillator

The device can operate its Timer/Counter2 from an external 32.768 kHz watch crystal or a external clock source. The Timer/Counter Oscillator Pins (TOSC1 and TOSC2) are shared with XTAL1 and XTAL2. This means that the Timer/Counter Oscillator can only be used when an internal RC Oscillator is selected as system clock source. See Figure 6-12 on page 53 for crystal connection.

Applying an external clock source to TOSC1 requires EXTCLK in the ASSR Register written to logic one. See "Asynchronous operation of the Timer/Counter" on page 180 for further description on selecting external clock as input instead of a 32kHz crystal.

6.6.11 System Clock Prescaler

The Atmel[®] ATA6612/ATA6613 has a system clock prescaler, and the system clock can be divided by setting the "Clock Prescale Register – CLKPR" on page 61. This feature can be used to decrease the system clock frequency and the power consumption when the requirement for processing power is low. This can be used with all clock source options, and it will affect the clock frequency of the CPU and all synchronous peripherals. $clk_{I/O}$, clk_{ADC} , clk_{CPU} , and clk_{FLASH} are divided by a factor as shown in Table 6-20 on page 70.

When switching between prescaler settings, the System Clock Prescaler ensures that no glitches occurs in the clock system. It also ensures that no intermediate frequency is higher than neither the clock frequency corresponding to the previous setting, nor the clock frequency corresponding to the new setting. The ripple counter that implements the prescaler runs at the frequency of the undivided clock, which may be faster than the CPU's clock frequency. Hence, it is not possible to determine the state of the prescaler - even if it were readable, and the exact time it takes to switch from one clock division to the other cannot be exactly predicted. From the time the CLKPS values are written, it takes between T1 + T2 and T1 + 2 * T2 before the new clock frequency is active. In this interval, 2 active clock edges are produced. Here, T1 is the previous clock period, and T2 is the period corresponding to the new prescaler setting.



6.7.8.6 Port Pins

When entering a sleep mode, all port pins should be configured to use minimum power. The most important is then to ensure that no pins drive resistive loads. In sleep modes where both the I/O clock ($clk_{I/O}$) and the ADC clock (clk_{ADC}) are stopped, the input buffers of the device will be disabled. This ensures that no power is consumed by the input logic when not needed. In some cases, the input logic is needed for detecting wake-up conditions, and it will then be enabled. Refer to the section "Digital Input Enable and Sleep Modes" on page 94 for details on which pins are enabled. If the input buffer is enabled and the input signal is left floating or have an analog signal level close to $V_{CC}/2$, the input buffer will use excessive power.

For analog input pins, the digital input buffer should be disabled at all times. An analog signal level close to $V_{CC}/2$ on an input pin can cause significant current even in active mode. Digital input buffers can be disabled by writing to the Digital Input Disable Registers (DIDR1 and DIDR0). Refer to "Digital Input Disable Register 1 – DIDR1" on page 264 and "Digital Input Disable Register 0 – DIDR0" on page 281 for details.

6.7.8.7 On-chip Debug System

If the On-chip debug system is enabled by the DWEN Fuse and the chip enters sleep mode, the main clock source is enabled and hence always consumes power. In the deeper sleep modes, this will contribute significantly to the total current consumption.

6.8 System Control and Reset

6.8.1 Resetting the AVR

During reset, all I/O Registers are set to their initial values, and the program starts execution from the Reset Vector. For the Atmel[®] ATA6613, the instruction placed at the Reset Vector must be a JMP – Absolute Jump – instruction to the reset handling routine. For the Atmel ATA6612, the instruction placed at the Reset Vector must be an RJMP – Relative Jump – instruction to the reset handling routine. If the program never enables an interrupt source, the Interrupt Vectors are not used, and regular program code can be placed at these locations. This is also the case if the Reset Vector is in the Application section while the Interrupt Vectors are in the Boot section or vice versa (Atmel ATA6612/ATA6613 only). The circuit diagram in Figure 6-15 on page 69 shows the reset logic. Table 6-20 on page 70 defines the electrical parameters of the reset circuitry.

The I/O ports of the AVR[®] are immediately reset to their initial state when a reset source goes active. This does not require any clock source to be running.

After all reset sources have gone inactive, a delay counter is invoked, stretching the internal reset. This allows the power to reach a stable level before normal operation starts. The time-out period of the delay counter is defined by the user through the SUT and CKSEL Fuses. The different selections for the delay period are presented in "Clock Sources" on page 52.

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When the BOOTRST Fuse is programmed, the Boot section size set to 2Kbytes and the IVSEL bit in the MCUCR Register is set before any interrupts are enabled, the most typical and general program setup for the Reset and Interrupt Vector Addresses in ATA6613 is:

Address Label	s Code		Comments				
;							
.org 0x1C00							
0x1C00	jmp	RESET	; Reset handler				
0x1C02	jmp	EXT_INT0	; IRQ0 Handler				
0x1C04	jmp	EXT_INT1	; IRQ1 Handler				
			;				
0x1C32	jmp	SPM_RDY	; Store Program Memory Ready Handler				
;							
0x1C33 RESET	: ldi	r16,high(RAME	END); Main program start				
0x1C34	out	SPH,r16	; Set Stack Pointer to top of RAM				
0x1C35	ldi	r16,low(RAMEN	ID)				
0x1C36	out	SPL,r16					
0x1C37	sei		; Enable interrupts				
0x1C38	<inst< td=""><td>r> xxx</td><td></td></inst<>	r> xxx					

6.9.2.1 Moving Interrupts Between Application and Boot Space, Atmel ATA6612 and ATA6613 The MCU Control Register controls the placement of the Interrupt Vector table.

6.9.2.2 MCU Control Register – MCUCR

Bit	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0	_
	-	-	-	PUD	-	-	IVSEL	IVCE	MCUCR
Read/Write	R	R	R	R/W	R	R	R/W	R/W	-
Initial Value	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	

• Bit 1 - IVSEL: Interrupt Vector Select

When the IVSEL bit is cleared (zero), the Interrupt Vectors are placed at the start of the Flash memory. When this bit is set (one), the Interrupt Vectors are moved to the beginning of the Boot Loader section of the Flash. The actual address of the start of the Boot Flash Section is determined by the BOOTSZ Fuses. Refer to section "Boot Loader Support – Read-While-Write Self-Programming, Atmel ATA6612 and ATA6613" on page 284 for details. To avoid unintentional changes of Interrupt Vector tables, a special write procedure must be followed to change the IVSEL bit:

- a. Write the Interrupt Vector Change Enable (IVCE) bit to one.
- b. Within four cycles, write the desired value to IVSEL while writing a zero to IVCE.

Interrupts will automatically be disabled while this sequence is executed. Interrupts are disabled in the cycle IVCE is set, and they remain disabled until after the instruction following the write to IVSEL. If IVSEL is not written, interrupts remain disabled for four cycles. The I-bit in the Status Register is unaffected by the automatic disabling.

Note: If Interrupt Vectors are placed in the Boot Loader section and Boot Lock bit BLB02 is programmed, interrupts are disabled while executing from the Application section. If Interrupt Vectors are placed in the Application section and Boot Lock bit BLB12 is programed, interrupts are disabled while executing from the Boot Loader section. Refer to section "Boot Loader Support – Read-While-Write Self-Programming, Atmel ATA6612 and ATA6613" on page 284 for details on Boot Lock bits.



6.10.3.1 MCU Control Register – MCUCR

Bit	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0	_
	-	-	-	PUD	-	-	IVSEL	IVCE	MCUCR
Read/Write	R	R	R	R/W	R	R	R/W	R/W	_
Initial Value	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	

• Bit 4 – PUD: Pull-up Disable

When this bit is written to one, the pull-ups in the I/O ports are disabled even if the DDxn and PORTxn Registers are configured to enable the pull-ups ($\{DDxn, PORTxn\} = 0b01$). See "Configuring the Pin" on page 90 for more details about this feature.

6.10.3.2 Alternate Functions of Port B

The Port B pins with alternate functions are shown in Table 6-32.

Port Pin	Alternate Functions
PB7	XTAL2 (Chip Clock Oscillator pin 2) TOSC2 (Timer Oscillator pin 2) PCINT7 (Pin Change Interrupt 7)
PB6	XTAL1 (Chip Clock Oscillator pin 1 or External clock input) TOSC1 (Timer Oscillator pin 1) PCINT6 (Pin Change Interrupt 6)
PB5	SCK (SPI Bus Master clock Input) PCINT5 (Pin Change Interrupt 5)
PB4	MISO (SPI Bus Master Input/Slave Output) PCINT4 (Pin Change Interrupt 4)
PB3	MOSI (SPI Bus Master Output/Slave Input) OC2A (Timer/Counter2 Output Compare Match A Output) PCINT3 (Pin Change Interrupt 3)
PB2	SS (SPI Bus Master Slave select) OC1B (Timer/Counter1 Output Compare Match B Output) PCINT2 (Pin Change Interrupt 2)
PB1	OC1A (Timer/Counter1 Output Compare Match A Output) PCINT1 (Pin Change Interrupt 1)
PB0	ICP1 (Timer/Counter1 Input Capture Input) CLKO (Divided System Clock Output) PCINT0 (Pin Change Interrupt 0)

 Table 6-32.
 Port B Pins Alternate Functions





6.11.2 External Interrupt Mask Register – EIMSK

Bit	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0	
	-	-	-	-	-	-	INT1	INT0	EIMSK
Read/Write	R	R	R	R	R	R	R/W	R/W	-
Initial Value	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	

Bit 7..2 – Res: Reserved Bits

These bits are unused bits in the Atmel[®] ATA6612/ATA6613, and will always read as zero.

• Bit 1 – INT1: External Interrupt Request 1 Enable

When the INT1 bit is set (one) and the I-bit in the Status Register (SREG) is set (one), the external pin interrupt is enabled. The Interrupt Sense Control1 bits 1/0 (ISC11 and ISC10) in the External Interrupt Control Register A (EICRA) define whether the external interrupt is activated on rising and/or falling edge of the INT1 pin or level sensed. Activity on the pin will cause an interrupt request even if INT1 is configured as an output. The corresponding interrupt of External Interrupt Request 1 is executed from the INT1 Interrupt Vector.

• Bit 0 - INT0: External Interrupt Request 0 Enable

When the INT0 bit is set (one) and the I-bit in the Status Register (SREG) is set (one), the external pin interrupt is enabled. The Interrupt Sense Control0 bits 1/0 (ISC01 and ISC00) in the External Interrupt Control Register A (EICRA) define whether the external interrupt is activated on rising and/or falling edge of the INT0 pin or level sensed. Activity on the pin will cause an interrupt request even if INT0 is configured as an output. The corresponding interrupt of External Interrupt Request 0 is executed from the INT0 Interrupt Vector.

6.11.3 External Interrupt Flag Register – EIFR

Bit	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0	
	-	-	-	-	-	-	INTF1	INTF0	EIFR
Read/Write	R	R	R	R	R	R	R/W	R/W	
Initial Value	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	

• Bit 7..2 - Res: Reserved Bits

These bits are unused bits in the Atmel ATA6612/ATA6613, and will always read as zero.

• Bit 1 - INTF1: External Interrupt Flag 1

When an edge or logic change on the INT1 pin triggers an interrupt request, INTF1 becomes set (one). If the I-bit in SREG and the INT1 bit in EIMSK are set (one), the MCU will jump to the corresponding Interrupt Vector. The flag is cleared when the interrupt routine is executed. Alternatively, the flag can be cleared by writing a logical one to it. This flag is always cleared when INT1 is configured as a level interrupt.

• Bit 0 - INTF0: External Interrupt Flag 0

When an edge or logic change on the INTO pin triggers an interrupt request, INTFO becomes set (one). If the I-bit in SREG and the INTO bit in EIMSK are set (one), the MCU will jump to the corresponding Interrupt Vector. The flag is cleared when the interrupt routine is executed. Alternatively, the flag can be cleared by writing a logical one to it. This flag is always cleared when INTO is configured as a level interrupt.

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The extreme values for the OCR1x Register represents special cases when generating a PWM waveform output in the phase correct PWM mode. If the OCR1x is set equal to BOT-TOM the output will be continuously low and if set equal to TOP the output will be set to high for non-inverted PWM mode. For inverted PWM the output will have the opposite logic values. If OCR1A is used to define the TOP value (WGM13:0 = 9) and COM1A1:0 = 1, the OC1A output will toggle with a 50% duty cycle.

6.14.9 Timer/Counter Timing Diagrams

The Timer/Counter is a synchronous design and the timer clock (clk_{T1}) is therefore shown as a clock enable signal in the following figures. The figures include information on when Interrupt Flags are set, and when the OCR1x Register is updated with the OCR1x buffer value (only for modes utilizing double buffering). Figure 6-49 shows a timing diagram for the setting of OCF1x.



Figure 6-49. Timer/Counter Timing Diagram, Setting of OCF1x, no Prescaling

Figure 6-50 shows the same timing data, but with the prescaler enabled.



Figure 6-50. Timer/Counter Timing Diagram, Setting of OCF1x, with Prescaler ($f_{clk_{-1/O}}/8$)



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An interrupt can be generated each time the counter value reaches the TOP value by using the OCF2A Flag. If the interrupt is enabled, the interrupt handler routine can be used for updating the TOP value. However, changing TOP to a value close to BOTTOM when the counter is running with none or a low prescaler value must be done with care since the CTC mode does not have the double buffering feature. If the new value written to OCR2A is lower than the current value of TCNT2, the counter will miss the compare match. The counter will then have to count to its maximum value (0xFF) and wrap around starting at 0x00 before the compare match can occur.

For generating a waveform output in CTC mode, the OC2A output can be set to toggle its logical level on each compare match by setting the Compare Output mode bits to toggle mode (COM2A1:0 = 1). The OC2A value will not be visible on the port pin unless the data direction for the pin is set to output. The waveform generated will have a maximum frequency of $f_{OC2A} = f_{clk_I/O}/2$ when OCR2A is set to zero (0x00). The waveform frequency is defined by the following equation:

 $f_{OCnx} = \frac{f_{clk_l/O}}{2 \cdot N \cdot (1 + OCRnx)}$

The N variable represents the prescale factor (1, 8, 32, 64, 128, 256, or 1024).

As for the Normal mode of operation, the TOV2 Flag is set in the same timer clock cycle that the counter counts from MAX to 0x00.

6.15.6.3 Fast PWM Mode

The fast Pulse Width Modulation or fast PWM mode (WGM22:0 = 3 or 7) provides a high frequency PWM waveform generation option. The fast PWM differs from the other PWM option by its single-slope operation. The counter counts from BOTTOM to TOP then restarts from BOTTOM. TOP is defined as 0xFF when WGM2:0 = 3, and OCR2A when MGM2:0 = 7. In non-inverting Compare Output mode, the Output Compare (OC2x) is cleared on the compare match between TCNT2 and OCR2x, and set at BOTTOM. In inverting Compare Output mode, the output is set on compare match and cleared at BOTTOM. Due to the single-slope operation, the operating frequency of the fast PWM mode can be twice as high as the phase correct PWM mode that uses dual-slope operation. This high frequency makes the fast PWM mode well suited for power regulation, rectification, and DAC applications. High frequency allows physically small sized external components (coils, capacitors), and therefore reduces total system cost.

In fast PWM mode, the counter is incremented until the counter value matches the TOP value. The counter is then cleared at the following timer clock cycle. The timing diagram for the fast PWM mode is shown in Figure 6-58 on page 170. The TCNT2 value is in the timing diagram shown as a histogram for illustrating the single-slope operation. The diagram includes non-inverted and inverted PWM outputs. The small horizontal line marks on the TCNT2 slopes represent compare matches between OCR2x and TCNT2.



6.17 USART0

The Universal Synchronous and Asynchronous serial Receiver and Transmitter (USART) is a highly flexible serial communication device. The main features are:

- Full Duplex Operation (Independent Serial Receive and Transmit Registers)
- Asynchronous or Synchronous Operation
- Master or Slave Clocked Synchronous Operation
- High Resolution Baud Rate Generator
- Supports Serial Frames with 5, 6, 7, 8, or 9 Data Bits and 1 or 2 Stop Bits
- Odd or Even Parity Generation and Parity Check Supported by Hardware
- Data OverRun Detection
- Framing Error Detection
- Noise Filtering Includes False Start Bit Detection and Digital Low Pass Filter
- Three Separate Interrupts on TX Complete, TX Data Register Empty and RX Complete
- Multi-processor Communication Mode
- Double Speed Asynchronous Communication Mode

The USART can also be used in Master SPI mode (see "USART in SPI Mode" on page 220. The Power Reduction USART bit, PRUSARTO, in "Power Reduction Register - PRR" on page 66 must be disabled by writing a logical zero to it.

6.17.1 Overview

A simplified block diagram of the USART Transmitter is shown in Figure 6-69 on page 194. CPU accessible I/O Registers and I/O pins are shown in bold.





6.17.6.1 Receiving Frames with 5 to 8 Data Bits

The Receiver starts data reception when it detects a valid start bit. Each bit that follows the start bit will be sampled at the baud rate or XCKn clock, and shifted into the Receive Shift Register until the first stop bit of a frame is received. A second stop bit will be ignored by the Receiver. When the first stop bit is received, i.e., a complete serial frame is present in the Receive Shift Register, the contents of the Shift Register will be moved into the receive buffer. The receive buffer can then be read by reading the UDRn I/O location.

The following code example shows a simple USART receive function based on polling of the Receive Complete (RXCn) Flag. When using frames with less than eight bits the most significant bits of the data read from the UDRn will be masked to zero. The USART has to be initialized before the function can be used.

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Assembly Code Example<sup>(1)</sup>
   USART_Receive:
     ; Wait for data to be received
     sbis UCSRnA, RXCn
     rjmp USART_Receive
     ; Get and return received data from buffer
     in
         r16, UDRn
     ret
C Code Example<sup>(1)</sup>
   unsigned char USART_Receive( void )
    {
     /* Wait for data to be received */
     while ( !(UCSRnA & (1<<RXCn)) )</pre>
           ;
      /* Get and return received data from buffer */
     return UDRn;
```

Note: 1. The example code assumes that the part specific header file is included. For I/O Registers located in extended I/O map, "IN", "OUT", "SBIS", "SBIC", "CBI", and "SBI" instructions must be replaced with instructions that allow access to extended I/O. Typically "LDS" and "STS" combined with "SBRS", "SBRC", "SBR", and "CBR".

The function simply waits for data to be present in the receive buffer by checking the RXCn Flag, before reading the buffer and returning the value.

6.17.6.2 Receiving Frames with 9 Data Bits

If 9-bit characters are used (UCSZn=7) the ninth bit must be read from the RXB8n bit in UCSRnB before reading the low bits from the UDRn. This rule applies to the FEn, DORn and UPEn Status Flags as well. Read status from UCSRnA, then data from UDRn. Reading the UDRn I/O location will change the state of the receive buffer FIFO and consequently the TXB8n, FEn, DORn and UPEn bits, which all are stored in the FIFO, will change.

6.19.5.2 Bit Rate Generator Unit

This unit controls the period of SCL when operating in a Master mode. The SCL period is controlled by settings in the TWI Bit Rate Register (TWBR) and the Prescaler bits in the TWI Status Register (TWSR). Slave operation does not depend on Bit Rate or Prescaler settings, but the CPU clock frequency in the Slave must be at least 16 times higher than the SCL frequency. Note that slaves may prolong the SCL low period, thereby reducing the average TWI bus clock period. The SCL frequency is generated according to the following equation:

SCL frequency = $\frac{\text{CPU Clock frequency}}{16 + 2(\text{TWBR}) \cdot (PrescalerValue)}$

- TWBR = Value of the TWI Bit Rate Register.
- PrescalerValue = Value of the prescaler (see Table 6-88 on page 240).
- Note: TWBR should be 10 or higher if the TWI operates in Master mode. If TWBR is lower than 10, the Master may produce an incorrect output on SDA and SCL for the reminder of the byte. The problem occurs when operating the TWI in Master mode, sending Start + SLA + R/W to a Slave (a Slave does not need to be connected to the bus for the condition to happen).

6.19.5.3 Bus Interface Unit

This unit contains the Data and Address Shift Register (TWDR), a START/STOP Controller and Arbitration detection hardware. The TWDR contains the address or data bytes to be transmitted, or the address or data bytes received. In addition to the 8-bit TWDR, the Bus Interface Unit also contains a register containing the (N)ACK bit to be transmitted or received. This (N)ACK Register is not directly accessible by the application software. However, when receiving, it can be set or cleared by manipulating the TWI Control Register (TWCR). When in Transmitter mode, the value of the received (N)ACK bit can be determined by the value in the TWSR.

The START/STOP Controller is responsible for generation and detection of START, REPEATED START, and STOP conditions. The START/STOP controller is able to detect START and STOP conditions even when the AVR[®] MCU is in one of the sleep modes, enabling the MCU to wake up if addressed by a Master.

If the TWI has initiated a transmission as Master, the Arbitration Detection hardware continuously monitors the transmission trying to determine if arbitration is in process. If the TWI has lost an arbitration, the Control Unit is informed. Correct action can then be taken and appropriate status codes generated.

6.19.5.4 Address Match Unit

The Address Match unit checks if received address bytes match the seven-bit address in the TWI Address Register (TWAR). If the TWI General Call Recognition Enable (TWGCE) bit in the TWAR is written to one, all incoming address bits will also be compared against the General Call address. Upon an address match, the Control Unit is informed, allowing correct action to be taken. The TWI may or may not acknowledge its address, depending on settings in the TWCR. The Address Match unit is able to compare addresses even when the AVR[®] MCU is in sleep mode, enabling the MCU to wake up if addressed by a Master. If another interrupt (e.g., INT0) occurs during TWI Power-down address match and wakes up the CPU, the TWI aborts operation and return to it's idle state. If this cause any problems, ensure that TWI Address Match is the only enabled interrupt when entering Power-down.





Table 6-93.	Status Codes for Slave Transmitter Mode
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Status Code		Application Software Response					
(TWSR)				To T	TWCR		
Prescaler	Status of the 2-wire Serial						
are 0	Interface Hardware	To/from TWDR	STA	STO	TWINT	TWEA	Next Action Taken by TWI Hardware
04.0	Own SLA+R has been	Load data byte or	Х	0	1	0	Last data byte will be transmitted and NOT ACK should be received
UXA8	ACK has been returned	Load data byte	х	0	1	1	Data byte will be transmitted and ACK should be received
0~80	Arbitration lost in SLA+R/W as Master; own SLA+R has been	Load data byte or	Х	0	1	0	Last data byte will be transmitted and NOT ACK should be received
0xB0	received; ACK has been returned	Load data byte	х	0	1	1	Data byte will be transmitted and ACK should be received
0×88	Data byte in TWDR has been	Load data byte or	Х	0	1	0	Last data byte will be transmitted and NOT ACK should be received
UXD8	received	Load data byte	х	0	1	1	Data byte will be transmitted and ACK should be received
		No TWDR action or	0	0	1	0	Switched to the not addressed Slave mode; no recognition of own SLA or GCA
0xC0	Data byte in TWDR has been transmitted; NOT ACK has been received	No TWDR action or	0	0	1	1	Switched to the not addressed Slave mode; own SLA will be recognized;
		No TWDR action or	1	0	1	0	Switched to the not addressed Slave mode; no recognition of own SLA or GCA; a START condition will be transmitted when the bus becomes free
		No TWDR action	1	0	1	1	Switched to the not addressed Slave mode; own SLA will be recognized; GCA will be recognized if TWGCE = "1"; a START condition will be transmitted when the bus becomes free
		No TWDR action or	0	0	1	0	Switched to the not addressed Slave mode; no recognition of own SLA or GCA
		No TWDR action or	0	0	1	1	Switched to the not addressed Slave mode; own SLA will be recognized; GCA will be recognized if TWGCE = "1"
0xC8	Last data byte in TWDR has been transmitted (TWEA = "0"); ACK has been received	No TWDR action or	1	0	1	0	Switched to the not addressed Slave mode; no recognition of own SLA or GCA; a START condition will be transmitted when the bus becomes free
		No TWDR action	1	0	1	1	Switched to the not addressed Slave mode; own SLA will be recognized; GCA will be recognized if TWGCE = "1"; a START condition will be transmitted when the bus becomes free



6.20 Analog Comparator

The Analog Comparator compares the input values on the positive pin AIN0 and negative pin AIN1. When the voltage on the positive pin AIN0 is higher than the voltage on the negative pin AIN1, the Analog Comparator output, ACO, is set. The comparator's output can be set to trigger the Timer/Counter1 Input Capture function. In addition, the comparator can trigger a separate interrupt, exclusive to the Analog Comparator. The user can select Interrupt triggering on comparator output rise, fall or toggle. A block diagram of the comparator and its surrounding logic is shown in Figure 6-99.

The Power Reduction ADC bit, PRADC, in "Power Reduction Register - PRR" on page 66 must be disabled by writing a logical zero to be able to use the ADC input MUX.



Figure 6-99. Analog Comparator Block Diagram⁽²⁾

Notes: 1. See Table 6-96 on page 264.

2. Refer to Table 6-38 on page 104 for Analog Comparator pin placement.

6.20.1 ADC Control and Status Register B – ADCSRB

Bit	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0	_
	-	ACME	-	-	-	ADTS2	ADTS1	ADTS0	ADCSRB
Read/Write	R	R/W	R	R	R	R/W	R/W	R/W	
Initial Value	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	

• Bit 6 – ACME: Analog Comparator Multiplexer Enable

When this bit is written logic one and the ADC is switched off (ADEN in ADCSRA is zero), the ADC multiplexer selects the negative input to the Analog Comparator. When this bit is written logic zero, AIN1 is applied to the negative input of the Analog Comparator. For a detailed description of this bit (see "Analog Comparator Multiplexed Input" on page 264).



Figure 6-108. ADC Power Connections



6.21.5.3 ADC Accuracy Definitions

An n-bit single-ended ADC converts a voltage linearly between GND and V_{REF} in 2^n steps (LSBs). The lowest code is read as 0, and the highest code is read as 2^n -1.

Several parameters describe the deviation from the ideal behavior:

• Offset: The deviation of the first transition (0x000 to 0x001) compared to the ideal transition (at 0.5LSB). Ideal value: 0 LSB.

6.23.6 Addressing the Flash During Self-Programming

The Z-pointer is used to address the SPM commands.

Bit	15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8
ZH (R31)	Z15	Z14	Z13	Z12	Z11	Z10	Z9	Z8
ZL (R30)	Z7	Z6	Z5	Z4	Z3	Z2	Z1	Z0
	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0

Since the Flash is organized in pages (see Table 6-123 on page 306), the Program Counter can be treated as having two different sections. One section, consisting of the least significant bits, is addressing the words within a page, while the most significant bits are addressing the pages. This is1 shown in Figure 6-116. Note that the Page Erase and Page Write operations are addressed independently. Therefore it is of major importance that the Boot Loader software addresses the same page in both the Page Erase and Page Write operation. Once a programming operation is initiated, the address is latched and the Z-pointer can be used for other operations.

The only SPM operation that does not use the Z-pointer is Setting the Boot Loader Lock bits. The content of the Z-pointer is ignored and will have no effect on the operation. The LPM instruction does also use the Z-pointer to store the address. Since this instruction addresses the Flash byte-by-byte, also the LSB (bit Z0) of the Z-pointer is used.



Figure 6-116. Addressing the Flash During SPM⁽¹⁾







6.24 Memory Programming

6.24.1 Program And Data Memory Lock Bits

The Atmel[®] ATA6612/ATA6613 provides six Lock bits which can be left unprogrammed ("1") or can be programmed ("0") to obtain the additional features listed in Table 6-114. The Lock bits can only be erased to "1" with the Chip Erase command. The SPM instruction is enabled for the whole Flash if the SELFPRGEN fuse is programmed ("0"), otherwise it is disabled.

Lock Bit Byte	Bit No	Description	Default Value
	7	-	1 (unprogrammed)
	6	-	1 (unprogrammed)
BLB12 ⁽²⁾	5	Boot Lock bit	1 (unprogrammed)
BLB11 ⁽²⁾	4	Boot Lock bit	1 (unprogrammed)
BLB02 ⁽²⁾	3	Boot Lock bit	1 (unprogrammed)
BLB01 ⁽²⁾	2	Boot Lock bit	1 (unprogrammed)
LB2	1	Lock bit	1 (unprogrammed)
LB1	0	Lock bit	1 (unprogrammed)

Table 6-113. Lock Bit Byte⁽¹⁾

Notes: 1. "1" means unprogrammed, "0" means programmed 2. Only on Atmel ATA6612/ATA6613

Table 6-114.	Lock Bit Protection Modes ⁽¹⁾⁽²⁾
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Memory Lock Bits		its	Protection Type	
LB Mode	LB2	LB1		
1	1	1	No memory lock features enabled.	
2	1	0	Further programming of the Flash and EEPROM is disabled in Parallel and Serial Programming mode. The Fuse bits are locked in both Serial and Parallel Programming mode. ⁽¹⁾	
3	0	0	Further programming and verification of the Flash and EEPROM is disabled in Parallel and Serial Programming mode. The Boot Lock bits and Fuse bits are locked in both Serial and Parallel Programming mode. ⁽¹⁾	

Notes: 1. Program the Fuse bits and Boot Lock bits before programming the LB1 and LB2.

2. "1" means unprogrammed, "0" means programmed



7.3.1.1 Power-down Supply Current





Figure 7-7. Power-down Supply Current versus V_{CC} (Watchdog Timer Enabled)



POWER-DOWN SUPPLY CURRENT vs. V_{CC} WATCHDOG TIMER DISABLED / Vt Fast corners excluded

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