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Number of I/O	85
Program Memory Size	256КВ (256К х 8)
Program Memory Type	FLASH
EEPROM Size	-
RAM Size	32K x 8
Voltage - Supply (Vcc/Vdd)	2.3V ~ 3.6V
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Description	Represents	Examples		
Arial font:				
Italic characters	Referenced books	MPLAB <sup>®</sup> IDE User's Guide		
	Emphasized text	is the only compiler		
Initial caps	A window	the Output window		
	A dialog	the Settings dialog		
	A menu selection	select Enable Programmer		
Quotes	A field name in a window or dialog	"Save project before build"		
Underlined, italic text with right angle bracket	A menu path	<u>File&gt;Save</u>		
Bold characters	A dialog button	Click OK		
	A tab	Click the <b>Power</b> tab		
N'Rnnnn	A number in verilog format, where N is the total number of digits, R is the radix and n is a digit.	4'b0010, 2'hF1		
Text in angle brackets < >	A key on the keyboard	Press <enter>, <f1></f1></enter>		
Courier New font:				
Plain Courier New	Sample source code	#define START		
	Filenames	autoexec.bat		
	File paths	c:\mcc18\h		
	Keywords	_asm, _endasm, static		
	Command-line options	-Opa+, -Opa-		
	Bit values	0, 1		
	Constants	OxFF, `A'		
Italic Courier New	A variable argument	<i>file.o</i> , where <i>file</i> can be any valid filename		
Square brackets [ ]	Optional arguments	<pre>mcc18 [options] file [options]</pre>		
Curly brackets and pipe character: {   }	Choice of mutually exclusive arguments; an OR selection	errorlevel {0 1}		
Ellipses	Replaces repeated text	<pre>var_name [, var_name]</pre>		
	Represents code supplied by user	<pre>void main (void) { }</pre>		

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- MPLAB<sup>®</sup> IDE The latest information on Microchip MPLAB IDE, the Windows<sup>®</sup> Integrated Development Environment for development systems tools. This list is focused on the MPLAB IDE, MPLAB SIM simulator, MPLAB IDE Project Manager and general editing and debugging features.
- Programmers The latest information on Microchip programmers. These include the MPLAB PM3 and PRO MATE<sup>®</sup> II device programmers and the PICSTART<sup>®</sup> Plus, PICkit<sup>®</sup> 1 and PICkit<sup>®</sup> 2 development programmers.

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## **GETTING STARTED WITH PIC32**

## **Chapter 1. PIC32 Features**

### 1.1 INTRODUCTION

The PIC32 is a 32-bit family of general purpose microcontrollers from Microchip Technology. It offers 80+ DMIPS performance with a wide variety of on-chip peripherals. It employs industry leading M4K MIPS32 core from MIPS Technologies, Inc. All members in the PIC32 family use programming interface similar to other Micro-chip PIC<sup>®</sup> microcontrollers. In addition, PIC32 microcontrollers are pin-to-pin compatible with the PIC24FJ128GA family of 16-bit microcontrollers.

### 1.2 HIGHLIGHTS

The PIC32 family offers a number of features to enable a wide variety of applications. The following subsections list all the key features grouped in major categories.

#### Performance:

- Up to 80 MHz, MIPS M4K 32-bit core with 5 stage pipeline
- High-performance hardware multiply/divide unit 1 multiply per clock
- · Programmable user and kernel memory partition for enhanced application stability
- · Multiple register sets for reduced interrupt latency
- Hardware assisted single-cycle register bits manipulations
- 128-bit wide Flash memory to shorten individual instruction fetch time
- 256 bytes of high-speed cache memory with instruction and ROM data prefetch buffer
- Available DMA controller with integrated CRC calculation and pattern-based transfer termination
- Includes USB On-The-Go controller for USB device, host, or dual-role applications
- USB controller has own dedicated DMA interface

#### **Power Management:**

- 2.3 to 3.6V operation
- · Full-speed operation over entire voltage range
- Various low-power modes including RUN, IDLE and SLEEP
- I/O transfers via DMA in IDLE mode
- Programmable peripheral clock
- · Individual peripheral ON/OFF control and operation during IDLE mode
- Multiple clock sources

#### Scalability:

- · Industry known MIPS32-compatible M4K CPU core with 5 stage pipeline
- · Large family of devices with Flash memory options from 32 KB to 512 KB
- Pin compatible with 64/100 pin PIC24FJXXXGA family of 16-bit microcontrollers



## Chapter 3. PIC32 Architecture

### 3.1 INTRODUCTION

The PIC32 family of MCUs combines the MIPS M4K core together with powerful peripherals and embedded Flash and RAM memory to address a wide range of applications.



#### FIGURE 3-1: PIC32 BLOCK DIAGRAM

#### Processor core:

- MIPS M4K with 5-stage pipeline
- MIPS32-compatible Release 2 Instruction Set
- MIPS16e<sup>™</sup> Code Compression to improve code density by up to 40%
- · GPR shadow registers to minimize latency for interrupt handlers
- · Bit field manipulation instructions
- High-performance Multiply/Divide Unit:
  - Maximum issue rate of one 32x16 multiply per clock
  - Maximum issue rate of one 32x32 multiply every other clock
- Static implementation: minimum operating frequency 0 MHz
- · 2.3 to 3.6V operation with full speed over entire range
- · Low-power modes including RUN, IDLE, and SLEEP

#### Memory:

- Unified 4GB virtual memory space
- Fixed Memory Mapping Translation (FMT) mechanism
- Flexible partitioning into kernel and user accessible memory segments for increased application stability

#### Pre Fetch Cache:

- 16 lines, each 128-bit wide, instruction Prefetch buffer
- Ability to load and lock lines useful to create SW breakpoints in Flash and minimize interrupt latency

#### Interrupt Controller:

- Fully programmable interrupt controller with Single or Multi vector mode, supporting up to 95 IRQs.
- · Multiple priorities and subpriorities for each vector
- · Highest priority interrupt has dedicated register set for reduced interrupt latency

#### DMA Controller:

- Up to 4 independent channels
- · Memory-to-Memory, Memory-to-Peripheral, and Peripheral-to-Memory transfers
- · Programmable trigger from any IRQ
- · Chainable channels, stop on match detection, Auto-Enable mode
- · Data transfers can occur while the core is in IDLE mode
- Integrated programmable CRC engine: calculates on the fly while the data is transferred.

#### **Enhanced Parallel Master Port:**

- 8- and 16-bit data interface
- Up to 16-bit address lines, expandable using GPIO lines
- 2 Chip Select lines

#### **Communication channels:**

- USB 2.0 compliant (FS. 12 Mbps), OTG, Host and Device-only capable
- 2 enhanced UART channels with hardware  $IrDA^{\ensuremath{\mathbb{R}}}$
- · 2 Master/Slave/Frame mode SPI channels
- 2 Master/Slave I<sup>2</sup>C channels, 10/7 bits mode addressing, broadcast capable

#### Analog-to-Digital Converters:

- · Up to 16 Channels, each 10-bit resolution ADCs
- Up to 500+ kilo-samples per second (ksps) conversion speed
- · Software selectable Internal or External voltage reference
- Automatic Channel Scan mode
- Selectable conversion trigger source
- 16 word conversion result buffer
- Selectable Buffer Fill modes
- · Eight result alignment options
- · Operation during CPU Sleep mode

#### Timers:

- 5 16-bit timer/counter with the ability to form up to (2) 32-bit timer/counters
- · Software-selectable internal or external clock source
- Asynchronous timer/counter with built-in oscillator
- · Programmable interrupt generation and priority
- Gated external pulse counter
- Software-selectable prescalers.
- Operational during CPU Sleep mode

#### Core Timer:

• 32 bit timer in CPU for implementing a timer interrupt function.

#### RTCC (Real-Time Clock and Calendar):

- Time with hours, minutes and seconds
- Calendar with weekday, date, month and year
- Leap year detection
- Highly configurable alarm
- Calibration of up to 260 ppm of crystal error

#### **Debug and Programming:**

- 6 instructions and 2 data breakpoints
- 2 complex breakpoint logic blocks with qualified/primed breakpoint triggers, Pass counters, and stopwatch timers.
- 4-wire EJTAG and 2-wire Microchip interface
- 2-wire Microchip Interface:
  - 6 real-time read/write capture logic blocks
  - Read/write access to all data RAM and SFRs without stopping CPU
- Instruction Trace Port:
  - 5-Wire, nonintrusive trace port
  - Triggered by complex breakpoint logic block

### GPIO:

- 5V tolerant inputs
- Individual output pin open-drain enable/disable
- · Individual input pin weak pull-up enable/disable
- · Monitor selective inputs and generate interrupt on mismatch condition
  - **Note:** Input pin weak pull-up and interrupt on mismatch features are available only on select I/O pins.

## 4.4 MPLAB C32 C COMPILER

The MPLAB C32 C Compiler package allows you to build your applications and contains the following key software components (see Figure 4-1).

- PIC32-gcc Compiler: complete ANSI C compiler with powerful integration capabilities and efficient code optimization. The compiler provides symbol information that is used by the MPLAB IDE debugger.
- **PIC32-gpp** Macro Processor: used automatically by the compiler to transform the program before compilation.
- PIC32-as Assembler: full-featured macro assembler.
- **PIC32-Id** Object Linker: links relocatable objects created by the assembler/compiler with those from precompiled libraries.
- **PIC32-ar** Archiver and Librarian: manages the creation and modification of library files of precompiled code.
- **PIC32-conv**: converts ELF executable files into ASCII or binary format, suitable for downloading onto a PROM programmer or evaluation board.

#### FIGURE 4-1: MPLAB<sup>®</sup> IDE DEVELOPMENT TOOLS COMPONENTS



## 4.5 PERIPHERAL LIBRARIES

PIC32 MCUs integrate a large number of on-chip high-performance peripherals.

To accelerate the usage of these peripherals, the MPLAB C32 compiler for PIC32 includes software peripheral libraries compatible with the 16-bit Microchip MCUs. The peripheral libraries are distributed in source and object format along with a detailed API description document. Software applications using MPLAB C32 compiler may call peripheral library functions by simply including the appropriate header file in their source files – the MPLAB C32 compiler has built-in knowledge of library header and archive files.

The peripheral include files are located in C:\Program Files\Microchip\MPLAB C32\pic32mx\include\peripheral and the full source code is located in C:\Program Files\Microchip\MPLAB C32\pic32-libs\peripheral location in corresponding peripheral sub-directory.

The Peripheral Library contains following include files:

## 4.7 DEMONSTRATION, DEVELOPMENT AND EVALUATION BOARDS

A wide variety of demonstration, development and evaluation boards for PIC32 MCUs allow 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. These boards support a variety of features, including LEDs, switches, RS-232 interfaces, LCD displays, etc. The demonstration and development boards can be used in teaching environments, for prototyping custom circuits and for learning about various microcontroller applications.

Currently, the following boards are available:

- 1. PIC32MX Starter kit (DM320001).
- 2. Explorer 16 board (DM240001) with PIC32 Plug-in Modules.

### 4.8 TECHNICAL DOCUMENTATION

The current set of documents that are available for PIC32 MCUs:

- Application Notes:
  - AN833, "Microchip TCP/IP Stack" (DS00833)
  - AN1107, "HTTP Server for the Microchip BSD TCP/IP Stack" (DS01107)
  - AN1108, "Microchip TCP/IP Stack with BSD Socket API" (DS01108)
  - AN1109, "An SNMP Agent for the Microchip TCP/IP Stack" (DS01109)
  - AN1111, "The Microchip FTP Server Using BSD Socket API" (DS01111)
  - AN1140, "USB Embedded Host Stack" (DS01140)
  - AN1141, "USB Embedded Host Stack Programmer's Guide" (DS01141)
  - AN1142, "USB Mass Storage Class on an Embedded Host" (DS01142)
  - AN1143, "USB Generic Client on an Embedded Host" (DS01143)
  - AN1144, "USB HID Class on an Embedded Host" (DS01144)
  - AN1145, "Using a USB Flash Drive on an Embedded Host" (DS01145)
  - AN1176, "USB Devcie Stack for PIC32 Programmer's Guide" (DS01176)
  - AN1166, "USB Generic Function on an Embedded Device" (DS01166)
  - AN1163, "USB HID Class on an Embedded Device" (DS01163)
  - AN1169, "USB Mass Storage Class on an Embedded Device" (DS01169)
  - AN1164, "USB CDC Class on an Embedded Device" (DS01164)
- Data Sheets:
  - DS61143 PIC32MX Family Data Sheet
- Family Reference Manuals:
  - DS61132 PIC32MX Family Reference Manual
- Code Examples:
  - PIC32 examples available in C:\ProgramFiles\Microchip\MPLAB C32\examples and on www.microchip.com/pic32.
- Errata (DS80350, DS80367)
- Migration Documents available in future
- Design Notes, Tips and Tricks available in future
- Development Tool Ordering Guide available in future



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## Chapter 5. Step-by-Step Procedures to Setup, Build, and Run a Demo Project

### 5.1 INTRODUCTION

In this step-by-step procedure, the basic concepts of the MPLAB Project Manager, Editor and Debugger will be presented. You will create a simple project and understand the debug capabilities of MPLAB IDE.

No previous MPLAB IDE knowledge is assumed. For complete features set and comprehensive technical details of MPLAB IDE and its components, please visit our web site (www.microchip.com/ide).

### 5.2 HIGHLIGHTS

Items discussed in this chapter are:

- MPLAB IDE Setup
- Step-by-Step Guide Overview
- · Selecting the Device
- · Creating the Project
- Setting Up Language Tools
- · Naming the Project
- · Adding Files to the Project
- Attaching the Debugger
- Building the Project
- · Testing the Code

#### 5.3 MPLAB IDE SETUP

#### 5.3.1 Install MPLAB IDE

To install the MPLAB on your system, you could either use the supplied installation CD or download the latest MPLAB IDE from the Microchip web site.

- To install from a CD-ROM, just place the disk into a CD drive and follow the on-screen prompts (you could use Windows Explorer to find and execute the CD-ROM menu, menu.exe).
- If the MPLAB IDE was downloaded from the Microchip web site, unzip the file and execute the resulting file to install.

Note: Administrative access will be required to install the MPLAB on a PC.

#### 5.3.2 To uninstall MPLAB IDE

- Select <u>Start>Settings>Control Panel</u> to open the control panel.
- Double click on Add/Remove Programs. Find MPLAB IDE and select it.
- Click Change/Remove to remove the program from your system.

Note: Administrative access might be required in order to uninstall the MPLAB.

## 5.9 ADDING FILES TO THE PROJECT

Step Four of the Project Wizard allows file selection for the project. This is where we can add existing files to our project. In the current example we don't have a previously created file but we'll create one once we're done with the new project setting. Just press **Next>** and the following Summary Screen will show up:

Click 'Finish' to create/configure the project with these parameters. Project Parameters Device: PIC32MX360F512L Toolsuite: Microchip PIC32 C-Compiler Toolsuite File: C:\Projects32\MyTestProject.mcp	33	Summary
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A new project will be created and added to the current workspace. Note that the selected device applies to all projects in the current workspace.	110	File: C:\Projects32\MyTestProject.mcp
	V	A new project will be created and added to the current workspace. Note that the selected device applies to all projects in the current workspace.

FIGURE 5-6: MPLAB IDE SUMMARY SCREEN

Press Finish and the workspace dialog shows up:



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Be sure to save the workspace in the Projects32 directory and name this workspace using the same name as for the project: MyTestProject.

#### Click Save.

The project space is now completely created and it should look like that:





Now we'll create our C source file. If the MPLAB IDE Editor window is not open, click <u>*File->New*</u> from the top menu or the New File menu shortcut on the standard toolbar. The Editor window will show up.

Let's type in a very simple Hello World program in the Editor window and save it in Projects32 directory as main.c. We'll use the UART Peripheral Library provided by Microchip:



To add the newly created main.c file to our project just right click on the Source Files folder in the MPLAB IDE MyTestProject.mcp window and select Add File. Browse and select main.c file from the Projects32 directory.

**Note:** If the Project window is not open, select View->Project from the top IDE menu.

The linker script that's needed for this project is selected automatically by the MPLAB IDE. We don't need to add any other file to our project.

#### FIGURE 5-9: MPLAB IDE MAIN.C FILE

## 5.10 ATTACHING THE DEBUGGER

In order to test the code using the PIC32 Starter Kit, please refer to the PIC32MX Starter Kit User's Guide (DS61144) for a sample project and a step-by-step getting started info.

For the purpose of testing our code in this document we will use an Explorer 16 Development board (DM240001), a MPLAB REAL ICE In-Circuit Debugger (DV244005) and a PIC32MX360F512L PIM (MA320001) together with a 9V universal power supply, a serial cable and a USB cable for connecting the REAL ICE to the development board.





Take the following steps to ensure proper connection of the REAL ICE to the Explorer 16 development board:

- 1. Connect the MPLAB REAL ICE module to the PC with the USB cable.
- 2. Connect the MPLAB REAL ICE to the Explorer 16 Development Board with the short RJ-11 cable.
- 3. Apply power to the Explorer 16 board.
- From the Debugger menu, click <u>Select Tool > MPLAB REAL ICE</u> to set the MPLAB REAL ICE as the debug tool in MPLAB IDE.
- 5. From the Debugger menu, select Connect to connect the debugger to the device. MPLAB IDE should report in the Output window that it found the PIC32MX360F512L device.

**Note:** MPLAB IDE may need to download new firmware if this is the first time the MPLAB REAL ICE is being used with a PIC32 device. Allow it to do so.

Once you have performed these steps, go to the MPLAB IDE window and from the <u>Debugger->Select Tool</u> menu select the debugging tool you're using to connect to the board (i.e., MPLAB REAL ICE should be within the available choices).

Once you have selected the tool, the "Debug Toolbar" should be present just below the main menu bar, together with other toolbars that may be selected.

**Note:** Be sure to select Debug from the MPLAB IDE Build Configuration drop down list.

## 5.11 BUILDING THE PROJECT

From the Project menu, we can compile and link the current files.

To build the project, select either:

- <u>- Project>Build All</u>
- Right click on the project name in the project window and select Build All
- Click the Build All icon on the Project toolbar. Hover the mouse over icons to see pop-up text of what they represent.

The Output window shows the result of the build process. There should be no errors on any step.



FIGURE 5-12: MPLAB IDE PROJECT BUILD

## 5.12 TESTING THE CODE

First download the hex image of the program we just built by selecting Debugger->Program from the Debugger menu or directly program from the "Debug Toolbar". The programming operation should occur with no errors.

In order to test our example application, we need to set-up the PC part too.

Connect a serial cable between the board RS-232 connector and one of the PC's COM ports and open a Hyper Terminal application on the PC (Programs->Accesso-ries->Communications->Hyper Terminal).

Select a proper name for this connection, click **OK** and then, in the "Connect To" screen select the COM port that's connected to the development board.

FIGURE 5-13:	HYPER TERMINAL CONNECTION SCREEN
	PIC32MX Test Properties
	Connect To Settings
	PIC32MX Test
	Country/region: United States (1)
	Enter the area code without the long-distance prefix.
	Arga code:  480
	Phone number: ]
	Connect using: COM1
	Configure
	☑ Use country/region code and area code ☑ <u>R</u> edial on busy
	OK Cancel

Click **OK** and, on the next screen, select the following communication settings:

- Bits Per Second: 57600
- Data Bits: 8
- · Parity: None
- Stop Bits: 1
- Flow Control: None

Click **OK** and the Hyper Terminal session should be connected to the serial port on the development board.

Now return to the MPLAB IDE and double click on the line:

return nc;

in the MPLAB IDE Editor window, the main.c program, to set a breakpoint on that line, just after the call to strlen().

Click Debugger->Run from the main menu, or Run from the Debug toolbar. The program should start running and it will reach the set breakpoint. The MPLAB IDE window will look very similar to this one:



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# **Chapter 6. Technical Support Resources**

## 6.1 INTRODUCTION

For information about the Technical Support provided please visit Support.microchip.com.



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