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#### Details

Product Status	Active
Core Processor	ARM® Cortex®-M0+
Core Size	32-Bit Single-Core
Speed	48MHz
Connectivity	I <sup>2</sup> C, LINbus, SPI, UART/USART, USB
Peripherals	Brown-out Detect/Reset, DMA, I <sup>2</sup> S, POR, PWM, WDT
Number of I/O	38
Program Memory Size	64KB (64K x 8)
Program Memory Type	FLASH
EEPROM Size	-
RAM Size	8K x 8
Voltage - Supply (Vcc/Vdd)	1.62V ~ 3.6V
Data Converters	A/D 14x12b; D/A 1x10b
Oscillator Type	Internal
Operating Temperature	-40°C ~ 125°C (TA)
Mounting Type	Surface Mount
Package / Case	48-VFQFN Exposed Pad
Supplier Device Package	48-QFN (7x7)
Purchase URL	<a href="https://www.e-xfl.com/product-detail/microchip-technology/atsamd21g16b-mft">https://www.e-xfl.com/product-detail/microchip-technology/atsamd21g16b-mft</a>

characteristics). The system continues to be held in this static state until the internally regulated supplies have reached a safe operating state.

2. The PM starts, clocks are switched to the slow clock (Core Clock, System Clock, Flash Clock and any Bus Clocks that do not have clock gate control). Internal resets are maintained due to the external reset.
3. The debugger maintains a low level on SWCLK.  $\overline{\text{RESET}}$  is released, resulting in a debugger Cold-Plugging procedure.
4. The debugger generates a clock signal on the SWCLK pin, the Debug Access Port (DAP) receives a clock.
5. The CPU remains in Reset due to the Cold-Plugging procedure; meanwhile, the rest of the system is released.
6. A Chip-Erase is issued to ensure that the Flash is fully erased prior to programming.
7. Programming is available through the AHB-AP.
8. After the operation is completed, the chip can be restarted either by asserting  $\overline{\text{RESET}}$ , toggling power, or writing a '1' to the Status A register CPU Reset Phase Extension bit (STATUSA.CRSTEXT). Make sure that the SWCLK pin is high when releasing  $\overline{\text{RESET}}$  to prevent extending the CPU reset.

### Related Links

[Electrical Characteristics](#)

[NVMCTRL – Non-Volatile Memory Controller](#)

[Security Bit](#)

## 13.9 Intellectual Property Protection

Intellectual property protection consists of restricting access to internal memories from external tools when the device is protected, and this is accomplished by setting the NVMCTRL security bit. This protected state can be removed by issuing a Chip-Erase (refer to [Chip Erase](#)). When the device is protected, read/write accesses using the AHB-AP are limited to the DSU address range and DSU commands are restricted. When issuing a Chip-Erase, sensitive information is erased from volatile memory and Flash.

The DSU implements a security filter that monitors the AHB transactions generated by the ARM AHB-AP inside the DAP. If the device is protected, then AHB-AP read/write accesses outside the DSU external address range are discarded, causing an error response that sets the ARM AHB-AP sticky error bits (refer to the ARM Debug Interface v5 Architecture Specification on <http://www.arm.com>).

The DSU is intended to be accessed either:

- Internally from the CPU, without any limitation, even when the device is protected
- Externally from a debug adapter, with some restrictions when the device is protected

For security reasons, DSU features have limitations when used from a debug adapter. To differentiate external accesses from internal ones, the first 0x100 bytes of the DSU register map have been mirrored at offset 0x100:

- The first 0x100 bytes form the internal address range
- The next 0x100 bytes form the external address range

When the device is protected, the DAP can only issue MEM-AP accesses in the DSU address range limited to the 0x100- 0x2000 offset range.

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GCLK Generator ID	Reset Value after a User Reset
0x02	0x00010302 if the generator is not used by the RTC and not a source of a 'locked' generic clock No change if the generator is used by the RTC or used by a GCLK with a WRTLOCK as one
0x03	0x00000003 if the generator is not used by the RTC and not a source of a 'locked' generic clock No change if the generator is used by the RTC or used by a GCLK with a WRTLOCK as one
0x04	0x00000004 if the generator is not used by the RTC and not a source of a 'locked' generic clock No change if the generator is used by the RTC or used by a GCLK with a WRTLOCK as one
0x05	0x00000005 if the generator is not used by the RTC and not a source of a 'locked' generic clock No change if the generator is used by the RTC or used by a GCLK with a WRTLOCK as one
0x06	0x00000006 if the generator is not used by the RTC and not a source of a 'locked' generic clock No change if the generator is used by the RTC or used by a GCLK with a WRTLOCK as one
0x07	0x00000007 if the generator is not used by the RTC and not a source of a 'locked' generic clock No change if the generator is used by the RTC or used by a GCLK with a WRTLOCK as one
0x08	0x00000008 if the generator is not used by the RTC and not a source of a 'locked' generic clock No change if the generator is used by the RTC or used by a GCLK with a WRTLOCK as one

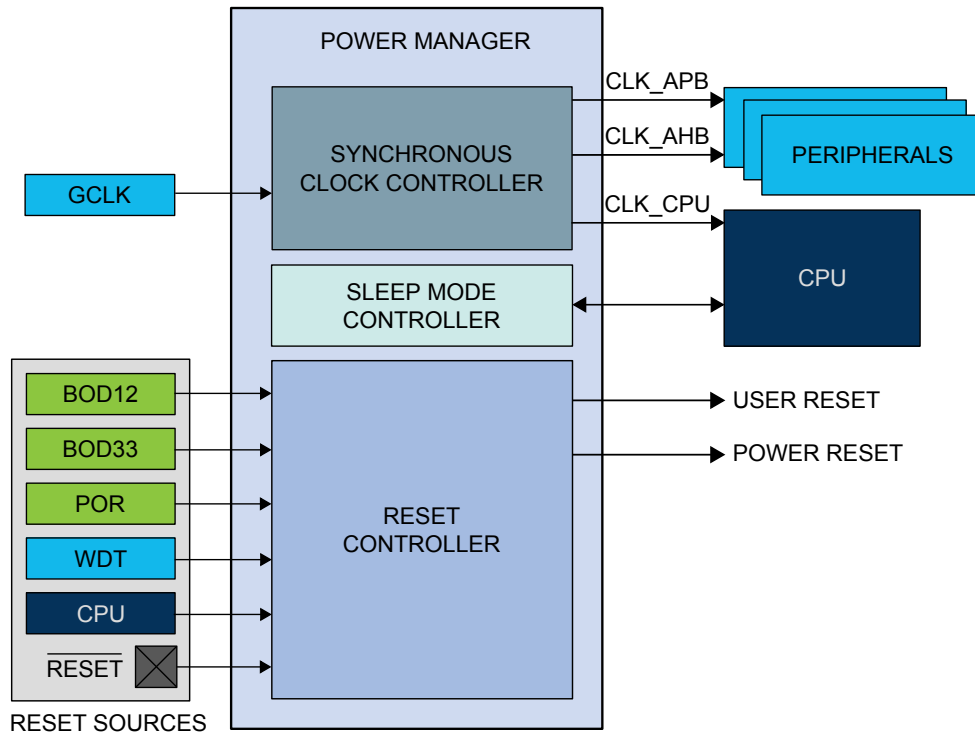
Value	Name	Description
0x0	GCLKGEN0	Generic clock generator 0
0x1	GCLKGEN1	Generic clock generator 1
0x2	GCLKGEN2	Generic clock generator 2
0x3	GCLKGEN3	Generic clock generator 3
0x4	GCLKGEN4	Generic clock generator 4
0x5	GCLKGEN5	Generic clock generator 5
0x6	GCLKGEN6	Generic clock generator 6
0x7	GCLKGEN7	Generic clock generator 7
0x8	GCLKGEN8	Generic clock generator 8
0x9-0xF	Reserved	

### 15.8.5 Generic Clock Generator Division

**Name:** GENDIV

## 16.3 Block Diagram

Figure 16-1. PM Block Diagram



## 16.4 Signal Description

Signal Name	Type	Description
$\overline{\text{RESET}}$	Digital input	External reset

Refer to *I/O Multiplexing and Considerations* for details on the pin mapping for this peripheral. One signal can be mapped on several pins.

### Related Links

[I/O Multiplexing and Considerations](#)

## 16.5 Product Dependencies

In order to use this peripheral, other parts of the system must be configured correctly, as described below.

### 16.5.1 I/O Lines

Not applicable.

### 16.5.2 Power Management

Not applicable.

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Bit	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
	OVF	SYNCRDY						CMP0
Access	R/W	R/W						R/W
Reset	0	0						0

### Bit 7 – OVF: Overflow Interrupt Enable

Writing a zero to this bit has no effect.

Writing a one to this bit will clear the Overflow Interrupt Enable bit and disable the corresponding interrupt.

Value	Description
0	The Overflow interrupt is disabled.
1	The Overflow interrupt is enabled, and an interrupt request will be generated when the Overflow interrupt flag is set.

### Bit 6 – SYNCRDY: Synchronization Ready Interrupt Enable

Writing a zero to this bit has no effect.

Writing a one to this bit will clear the Synchronization Ready Interrupt Enable bit and disable the corresponding interrupt.

Value	Description
0	The Synchronization Ready interrupt is disabled.
1	The Synchronization Ready interrupt is enabled, and an interrupt request will be generated when the Synchronization Ready interrupt flag is set.

### Bit 0 – CMP0: Compare 0 Interrupt Enable

Writing a zero to this bit has no effect.

Writing a one to this bit will clear the Compare 0 Interrupt Enable bit and disable the corresponding interrupt.

Value	Description
0	The Compare 0 interrupt is disabled.
1	The Compare 0 interrupt is enabled, and an interrupt request will be generated when the Compare x interrupt flag is set.

## 19.8.9 Interrupt Enable Clear - MODE1

**Name:** INTENCLR

**Offset:** 0x06

**Reset:** 0x00

**Property:** Write-Protected

Bit	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
	OVF	SYNCRDY					CMP1	CMP0
Access	R/W	R/W					R/W	R/W
Reset	0	0					0	0

### Bit 7 – OVF: Overflow Interrupt Enable

Writing a zero to this bit has no effect.

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**Reset:** 0x00X0

**Property:** PAC Write-Protection, Enable-Protected

Bit	15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8
					LVLEN3	LVLEN2	LVLEN1	LVLEN0
Access					R/W	R/W	R/W	R/W
Reset					0	0	0	0

Bit	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
						CRCENABLE	DMAENABLE	SWRST
Access						R/W	R/W	R/W
Reset						0	0	0

### Bits 8, 9, 10, 11 – LVLENx: Priority Level x Enable

When this bit is set, all requests with the corresponding level will be fed into the arbiter block. When cleared, all requests with the corresponding level will be ignored.

For details on arbitration schemes, refer to the [Arbitration](#) section.

These bits are not enable-protected.

Value	Description
0	Transfer requests for Priority level x will not be handled.
1	Transfer requests for Priority level x will be handled.

### Bit 2 – CRCENABLE: CRC Enable

Writing a '0' to this bit will disable the CRC calculation when the CRC Status Busy flag is cleared (CRCSTATUS.CRCBUSY). The bit is zero when the CRC is disabled.

Writing a '1' to this bit will enable the CRC calculation.

Value	Description
0	The CRC calculation is disabled.
1	The CRC calculation is enabled.

### Bit 1 – DMAENABLE: DMA Enable

Setting this bit will enable the DMA module.

Writing a '0' to this bit will disable the DMA module. When writing a '0' during an ongoing transfer, the bit will not be cleared until the internal data transfer buffer is empty and the DMA transfer is aborted. The internal data transfer buffer will be empty once the ongoing burst transfer is completed.

This bit is not enable-protected.

Value	Description
0	The peripheral is disabled.
1	The peripheral is enabled.

### Bit 0 – SWRST: Software Reset

Writing a '0' to this bit has no effect.

Writing a '1' to this bit when both the DMAC and the CRC module are disabled (DMAENABLE and CRCENABLE are '0') resets all registers in the DMAC (except DBGCTRL) to their initial state. If either the

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Bit	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
	WRBADDR[7:0]							
Access	R/W	R/W	R/W	R/W	R/W	R/W	R/W	R/W
Reset	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

### Bits 31:0 – WRBADDR[31:0]: Write-Back Memory Base Address

These bits store the Write-Back memory base address. The value must be 128-bit aligned.

#### 20.8.17 Channel ID

**Name:** CHID

**Offset:** 0x3F

**Reset:** 0x00

**Property:** -

Bit	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
					ID[3:0]			
Access					R/W	R/W	R/W	R/W
Reset					0	0	0	0

### Bits 3:0 – ID[3:0]: Channel ID

These bits define the channel number that will be affected by the channel registers (CH\*). Before reading or writing a channel register, the channel ID bit group must be written first.

#### 20.8.18 Channel Control A

This register affects the DMA channel that is selected in the Channel ID register (CHID.ID).

**Name:** CHCTRLA

**Offset:** 0x40

**Reset:** 0x00

**Property:** PAC Write-Protection, Enable-Protected

Bit	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
							ENABLE	SWRST
Access	R		R	R	R	R	R/W	R/W
Reset	0		0	0	0	0	0	0

### Bit 1 – ENABLE: Channel Enable

Writing a '0' to this bit during an ongoing transfer, the bit will not be cleared until the internal data transfer buffer is empty and the DMA transfer is aborted. The internal data transfer buffer will be empty once the ongoing burst transfer is completed.

Writing a '1' to this bit will enable the DMA channel.

This bit is not enable-protected.

Value	Description
0	DMA channel is disabled.
1	DMA channel is enabled.

Value	Description
0	The external interrupt x is disabled.
1	The external interrupt x is enabled.

## 21.8.8 Interrupt Flag Status and Clear

**Name:** INTFLAG  
**Offset:** 0x10  
**Reset:** 0x00000000  
**Property:** -

Bit	31	30	29	28	27	26	25	24
Access								
Reset								
Bit	23	22	21	20	19	18	17	16
							EXTINT17	EXTINT16
Access							R/W	R/W
Reset							0	0
Bit	15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8
	EXTINT15	EXTINT14	EXTINT13	EXTINT12	EXTINT11	EXTINT10	EXTINT9	EXTINT8
Access	R/W	R/W	R/W	R/W	R/W	R/W	R/W	R/W
Reset	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bit	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
	EXTINT7	EXTINT6	EXTINT5	EXTINT4	EXTINT3	EXTINT2	EXTINT1	EXTINT0
Access	R/W	R/W	R/W	R/W	R/W	R/W	R/W	R/W
Reset	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

**Bits 17,16,15,14,13,12,11,10,9,8,7,6,5,4,3,2,1,0 – EXTINTx : External Interrupt x [x=17..0]**

This flag is cleared by writing a one to it.

This flag is set when EXTINTx pin matches the external interrupt sense configuration and will generate an interrupt request if INTENCLR/SET.EXTINT[x] is one.

Writing a zero to this bit has no effect.

Writing a one to this bit clears the External Interrupt x flag.

## 21.8.9 Wake-Up Enable

**Name:** WAKEUP  
**Offset:** 0x14  
**Reset:** 0x00000000  
**Property:** Write-Protected



## 24.4 Signal Description

Not applicable.

## 24.5 Product Dependencies

In order to use this peripheral, other parts of the system must be configured correctly, as described below.

### 24.5.1 I/O Lines

Not applicable.

### 24.5.2 Power Management

The EVSYS can be used to wake up the CPU from all sleep modes, even if the clock used by the EVSYS channel and the EVSYS bus clock are disabled. Refer to the *PM – Power Manager* for details on the different sleep modes.

In all sleep modes, although the clock for the EVSYS is stopped, the device still can wake up the EVSYS clock. Some event generators can generate an event when their clocks are stopped.

#### Related Links

[PM – Power Manager](#)

### 24.5.3 Clocks

The EVSYS bus clock (CLK\_EVSYS\_APB) can be enabled and disabled in the Main Clock module, and the default state of CLK\_EVSYS\_APB can be found in *Peripheral Clock Masking*.

Each EVSYS channel has a dedicated generic clock (GCLK\_EVSYS\_CHANNEL\_n). These are used for event detection and propagation for each channel. These clocks must be configured and enabled in the generic clock controller before using the EVSYS. Refer to *GCLK - Generic Clock Controller* for details.

#### Related Links

[Peripheral Clock Masking](#)

[GCLK - Generic Clock Controller](#)

### 24.5.4 DMA

Not applicable.

### 24.5.5 Interrupts

The interrupt request line is connected to the Interrupt Controller. Using the EVSYS interrupts requires the interrupt controller to be configured first. Refer to *Nested Vector Interrupt Controller* for details.

#### Related Links

[Nested Vector Interrupt Controller](#)

### 24.5.6 Events

Not applicable.

### 24.5.7 Debug Operation

When the CPU is halted in debug mode, this peripheral will continue normal operation. If the peripheral is configured to require periodical service by the CPU through interrupts or similar, improper operation or data loss may result during debugging. This peripheral can be forced to halt operation during debugging.

## Related Links

[PORT: IO Pin Controller](#)

### 27.5.2 Power Management

This peripheral can continue to operate in any sleep mode where its source clock is running. The interrupts can wake up the device from sleep modes.

## Related Links

[PM – Power Manager](#)

### 27.5.3 Clocks

The SERCOM bus clock (CLK\_SERCOMx\_APB) can be enabled and disabled in the Power Manager. Refer to *Peripheral Clock Masking* for details and default status of this clock.

A generic clock (GCLK\_SERCOMx\_CORE) is required to clock the SPI. This clock must be configured and enabled in the Generic Clock Controller before using the SPI.

This generic clock is asynchronous to the bus clock (CLK\_SERCOMx\_APB). Therefore, writes to certain registers will require synchronization to the clock domains.

## Related Links

[GCLK - Generic Clock Controller](#)

[Peripheral Clock Masking](#)

[Synchronization](#)

### 27.5.4 DMA

The DMA request lines are connected to the DMA Controller (DMAC). In order to use DMA requests with this peripheral the DMAC must be configured first. Refer to *DMAC – Direct Memory Access Controller* for details.

## Related Links

[DMAC – Direct Memory Access Controller](#)

### 27.5.5 Interrupts

The interrupt request line is connected to the Interrupt Controller. In order to use interrupt requests of this peripheral, the Interrupt Controller (NVIC) must be configured first. Refer to *Nested Vector Interrupt Controller* for details.

## Related Links

[Nested Vector Interrupt Controller](#)

### 27.5.6 Events

Not applicable.

### 27.5.7 Debug Operation

When the CPU is halted in debug mode, this peripheral will continue normal operation. If the peripheral is configured to require periodical service by the CPU through interrupts or similar, improper operation or data loss may result during debugging. This peripheral can be forced to halt operation during debugging - refer to the Debug Control (DBGCTRL) register for details.

### 27.5.8 Register Access Protection

Registers with write-access can be write-protected optionally by the peripheral access controller (PAC).

PAC Write-Protection is not available for the following registers:

Value	Description
0x0	Standard-mode (Sm) up to 100 kHz and Fast-mode (Fm) up to 400 kHz
0x1	Fast-mode Plus (Fm+) up to 1 MHz
0x2	High-speed mode (Hs-mode) up to 3.4 MHz
0x3	Reserved

## Bit 23 – SEXTTOEN: Slave SCL Low Extend Time-Out

This bit enables the slave SCL low extend time-out. If SCL is cumulatively held low for greater than 25ms from the initial START to a STOP, the slave will release its clock hold if enabled and reset the internal state machine. Any interrupt flags set at the time of time-out will remain set. If the address was recognized, PREC will be set when a STOP is received.

This bit is not synchronized.

Value	Description
0	Time-out disabled
1	Time-out enabled

## Bits 21:20 – SDAHOLD[1:0]: SDA Hold Time

These bits define the SDA hold time with respect to the negative edge of SCL.

These bits are not synchronized.

Value	Name	Description
0x0	DIS	Disabled
0x1	75	50-100ns hold time
0x2	450	300-600ns hold time
0x3	600	400-800ns hold time

## Bit 16 – PINOUT: Pin Usage

This bit sets the pin usage to either two- or four-wire operation:

This bit is not synchronized.

Value	Description
0	4-wire operation disabled
1	4-wire operation enabled

## Bit 7 – RUNSTDBY: Run in Standby

This bit defines the functionality in standby sleep mode.

This bit is not synchronized.

Value	Description
0	Disabled – All reception is dropped.
1	Wake on address match, if enabled.

## Bits 4:2 – MODE[2:0]: Operating Mode

These bits must be written to 0x04 to select the I<sup>2</sup>C slave serial communication interface of the SERCOM.

These bits are not synchronized.

## Bit 1 – ENABLE: Enable

Due to synchronization, there is delay from writing CTRLA.ENABLE until the peripheral is enabled/disabled. The value written to CTRL.ENABLE will read back immediately and the Enable Synchronization

Writing a '0' to this bit has no effect.

Value	Description
0	No bus error detected.
1	Bus error detected.

## 28.8.7 Synchronization Busy

**Name:** SYNCBUSY

**Offset:** 0x1C

**Reset:** 0x00000000

Bit	31	30	29	28	27	26	25	24
Access								
Reset								
Bit	23	22	21	20	19	18	17	16
Access								
Reset								
Bit	15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8
Access								
Reset								
Bit	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
							ENABLE	SWRST
Access							R	R
Reset							0	0

### Bit 1 – ENABLE: SERCOM Enable Synchronization Busy

Enabling and disabling the SERCOM (CTRLA.ENABLE) requires synchronization. When written, the SYNCBUSY.ENABLE bit will be set until synchronization is complete.

Writes to any register (except for CTRLA.SWRST) while enable synchronization is on-going will be discarded and an APB error will be generated.

Value	Description
0	Enable synchronization is not busy.
1	Enable synchronization is busy.

### Bit 0 – SWRST: Software Reset Synchronization Busy

Resetting the SERCOM (CTRLA.SWRST) requires synchronization. When written, the SYNCBUSY.SWRST bit will be set until synchronization is complete.

Writes to any register while synchronization is on-going will be discarded and an APB error will be generated.

Value	Description
0	SWRST synchronization is not busy.
1	SWRST synchronization is busy.

Value	Description
0	Time-out disabled.
1	Time-out enabled.

## Bits 29:28 – INACTOUT[1:0]: Inactive Time-Out

If the inactive bus time-out is enabled and the bus is inactive for longer than the time-out setting, the bus state logic will be set to idle. An inactive bus arise when either an I<sup>2</sup>C master or slave is holding the SCL low.

Enabling this option is necessary for SMBus compatibility, but can also be used in a non-SMBus set-up.

Calculated time-out periods are based on a 100kHz baud rate.

These bits are not synchronized.

Value	Name	Description
0x0	DIS	Disabled
0x1	55US	5-6 SCL cycle time-out (50-60μs)
0x2	105US	10-11 SCL cycle time-out (100-110μs)
0x3	205US	20-21 SCL cycle time-out (200-210μs)

## Bit 27 – SCLSM: SCL Clock Stretch Mode

This bit controls when SCL will be stretched for software interaction.

This bit is not synchronized.

Value	Description
0	SCL stretch according to <a href="#">Figure 28-4</a> .
1	SCL stretch only after ACK bit, <a href="#">Figure 28-5</a> .

## Bits 25:24 – SPEED[1:0]: Transfer Speed

These bits define bus speed.

These bits are not synchronized.

Value	Description
0x0	Standard-mode (Sm) up to 100 kHz and Fast-mode (Fm) up to 400 kHz
0x1	Fast-mode Plus (Fm+) up to 1 MHz
0x2	High-speed mode (Hs-mode) up to 3.4 MHz
0x3	Reserved

## Bit 23 – SEXTTOEN: Slave SCL Low Extend Time-Out

This bit enables the slave SCL low extend time-out. If SCL is cumulatively held low for greater than 25ms from the initial START to a STOP, the master will release its clock hold if enabled, and complete the current transaction. A STOP will automatically be transmitted.

SB or MB will be set as normal, but CLKHOLD will be release. The MEXTTOUT and BUSERR status bits will be set.

This bit is not synchronized.

Value	Description
0	Time-out disabled
1	Time-out enabled

## Bit 8 – FSSEL: Frame Sync Select

This field selects the source of the Frame Sync n.

FSSEL	Name	Description
0x0	SCKDIV	Divided Serial Clock n is used as Frame Sync n source
0x1	FSPIN	FSn input pin is used as Frame Sync n source

## Bit 7 – BITDELAY: Data Delay from Frame Sync

BITDELAY	Name	Description
0x0	LJ	Left Justified (0 Bit Delay)
0x1	I2S	I2S (1 Bit Delay)

## Bits 6:5 – FSWIDTH[1:0]: Frame Sync Width

This field selects the duration of the Frame Sync output pulses.

When not in Burst mode, the Clock unit n operates in continuous mode when enabled, with periodic Frame Sync pulses and Data samples.

In Burst mode, a single Data transfer starts at each Frame Sync pulse; these pulses are 1-bit wide and occur only when a Data transfer is requested. Note that the compact stereo modes (16C and 8C) are not supported in the Burst mode.

FSWIDTH[1:0]	Name	Description
0x0	SLOT	Frame Sync Pulse is 1 Slot wide (default for I2S protocol)
0x1	HALF	Frame Sync Pulse is half a Frame wide
0x2	BIT	Frame Sync Pulse is 1 Bit wide
0x3	BURST	Clock Unit n operates in Burst mode, with a 1-bit wide Frame Sync pulse per Data sample, only when Data transfer is requested

## Bits 4:2 – NBSLOTS[2:0]: Number of Slots in Frame

Each Frame for Clock Unit n is composed of (NBSLOTS + 1) Slots.

## Bits 1:0 – SLOTSIZE[1:0]: Slot Size

Each Slot for Clock Unit n is composed of a number of bits specified by SLOTSIZE.

SLOTSIZE[1:0]	Name	Description
0x0	8	8-bit Slot for Clock Unit n
0x1	16	16-bit Slot for Clock Unit n
0x2	24	24-bit Slot for Clock Unit n
0x3	32	32-bit Slot for Clock Unit n

### 29.9.3 Interrupt Enable Clear

**Name:** INTENCLR

**Offset:** 0x0C

## 30.5.6 Events

The events of this peripheral are connected to the Event System.

### Related Links

[EVSYS – Event System](#)

## 30.5.7 Debug Operation

When the CPU is halted in debug mode, this peripheral will halt normal operation. This peripheral can be forced to continue operation during debugging - refer to the Debug Control (DBGCTRL) register for details.

## 30.5.8 Register Access Protection

Registers with write-access can be optionally write-protected by the Peripheral Access Controller (PAC), except the following:

- Interrupt Flag register (INTFLAG)
- Status register (STATUS)
- Read Request register (READREQ)
- Count register (COUNT)
- Period register (PER)
- Compare/Capture Value registers (CCx)

**Note:** Optional write-protection is indicated by the "PAC Write-Protection" property in the register description.

When the CPU is halted in debug mode, all write-protection is automatically disabled. Write-protection does not apply for accesses through an external debugger.

## 30.5.9 Analog Connections

Not applicable.

## 30.6 Functional Description

### 30.6.1 Principle of Operation

The following definitions are used throughout the documentation:

**Table 30-1. Timer/Counter Definitions**

Name	Description
TOP	The counter reaches TOP when it becomes equal to the highest value in the count sequence. The TOP value can be the same as Period (PER) or the Compare Channel 0 (CC0) register value depending on the waveform generator mode in <a href="#">Waveform Output Operations</a> .
ZERO	The counter is ZERO when it contains all zeroes
MAX	The counter reaches MAX when it contains all ones
UPDATE	The timer/counter signals an update when it reaches ZERO or TOP, depending on the direction settings.
Timer	The timer/counter clock control is handled by an internal source

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Bit	31	30	29	28	27	26	25	24
					FILTERVAL[3:0]			
Access					R/W	R/W	R/W	R/W
Reset					0	0	0	0
Bit	23	22	21	20	19	18	17	16
	BLANKVAL[7:0]							
Access	R/W	R/W	R/W	R/W	R/W	R/W	R/W	R/W
Reset	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bit	15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8
		CAPTURE[2:0]			CHSEL[1:0]		HALT[1:0]	
Access		R/W	R/W	R/W	R/W	R/W	R/W	R/W
Reset		0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bit	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
	RESTART	BLANK[1:0]		QUAL	KEEP		SRC[1:0]	
Access	R/W	R/W	R/W	R/W	R/W		R/W	R/W
Reset	0	0	0	0	0		0	0

### Bits 27:24 – FILTERVAL[3:0]: Recoverable Fault n Filter Value

These bits define the filter value applied on MCE<sub>x</sub> (x=0,1) event input line. The value must be set to zero when MCE<sub>x</sub> event is used as synchronous event.

### Bits 23:16 – BLANKVAL[7:0]: Recoverable Fault n Blanking Value

These bits determine the duration of the blanking of the fault input source. Activation and edge selection of the blank filtering are done by the BLANK bits (FCTRL<sub>n</sub>.BLANK).

When enabled, the fault input source is internally disabled for BLANKVAL\* prescaled GCLK\_TCC periods after the detection of the waveform edge.

### Bits 14:12 – CAPTURE[2:0]: Recoverable Fault n Capture Action

These bits select the capture and Fault n interrupt/event conditions.

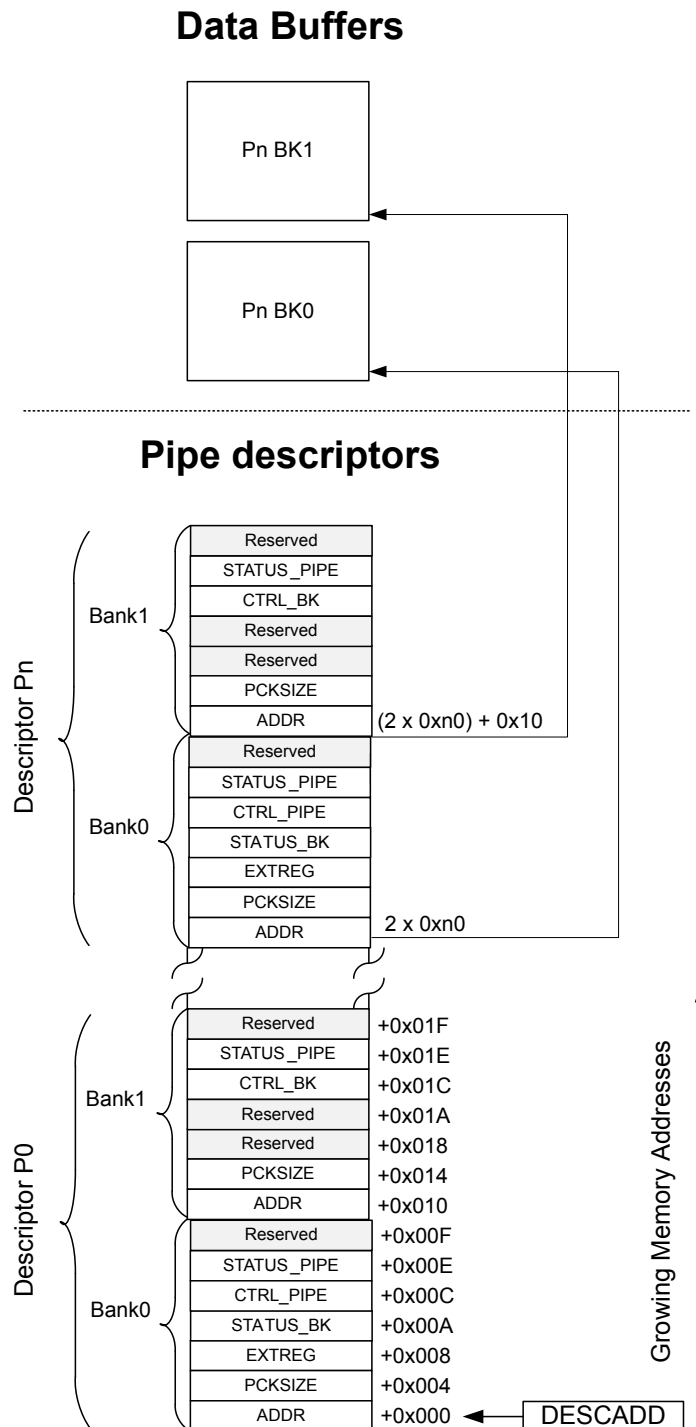
**Table 31-8. Fault n Capture Action**

Value	Name	Description
0x0	DISABLE	Capture on valid recoverable Fault n is disabled
0x1	CAPT	On rising edge of a valid recoverable Fault n, capture counter value on channel selected by CHSEL[1:0].  INTFLAG.FAULT <sub>n</sub> flag rises on each new captured value.
0x2	CAPTMIN	On rising edge of a valid recoverable Fault n, capture counter value on channel selected by CHSEL[1:0], if COUNT value is lower than the last stored capture value (CC).  INTFLAG.FAULT <sub>n</sub> flag rises on each local minimum detection.



## 32.8.7 Host Registers - Pipe RAM

### 32.8.7.1 Pipe Descriptor Structure



### 32.8.7.2 Address of the Data Buffer

**Name:** ADDR  
**Offset:** 0x00 & 0x10

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Value	Description
0	The ADC is halted during standby sleep mode.
1	The ADC continues normal operation during standby sleep mode.

### Bit 1 – ENABLE: Enable

Due to synchronization, there is a delay from writing CTRLA.ENABLE until the peripheral is enabled/disabled. The value written to CTRLA.ENABLE will read back immediately and the Synchronization Busy bit in the Status register (STATUS.SYNCBUSY) will be set. STATUS.SYNCBUSY will be cleared when the operation is complete.

Value	Description
0	The ADC is disabled.
1	The ADC is enabled.

### Bit 0 – SWRST: Software Reset

Writing a zero to this bit has no effect.

Writing a one to this bit resets all registers in the ADC, except DBGCTRL, to their initial state, and the ADC will be disabled.

Writing a one to CTRLA.SWRST will always take precedence, meaning that all other writes in the same write-operation will be discarded.

Due to synchronization, there is a delay from writing CTRLA.SWRST until the reset is complete. CTRLA.SWRST and STATUS.SYNCBUSY will both be cleared when the reset is complete.

Value	Description
0	There is no reset operation ongoing.
1	The reset operation is ongoing.

### 33.8.2 Reference Control

**Name:** REFCTRL

**Offset:** 0x01

**Reset:** 0x00

**Property:** Write-Protected

Bit	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
	REFCOMP				REFSEL[3:0]			
Access	R/W				R/W	R/W	R/W	R/W
Reset	0				0	0	0	0

### Bit 7 – REFCOMP: Reference Buffer Offset Compensation Enable

The accuracy of the gain stage can be increased by enabling the reference buffer offset compensation. This will decrease the input impedance and thus increase the start-up time of the reference.

Value	Description
0	Reference buffer offset compensation is disabled.
1	Reference buffer offset compensation is enabled.

### Bits 3:0 – REFSEL[3:0]: Reference Selection

These bits select the reference for the ADC.

## 34.8.5 Interrupt Enable Set

This register allows the user to enable an interrupt without doing a read-modify-write operation. Changes in this register will also be reflected in the Interrupt Enable Clear register (INTENCLR).

**Name:** INTENSET

**Offset:** 0x05

**Reset:** 0x00

**Property:** PAC Write-Protection

Bit	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
				WIN0			COMP1	COMP0
Access				R/W			R/W	R/W
Reset				0			0	0

### Bit 4 – WIN0: Window 0 Interrupt Enable

Reading this bit returns the state of the Window 0 interrupt enable.

Writing a '0' to this bit has no effect.

Writing a '1' to this bit enables the Window 0 interrupt.

Value	Description
0	The Window 0 interrupt is disabled.
1	The Window 0 interrupt is enabled.

### Bits 1,0 – COMPx: Comparator x Interrupt Enable

Reading this bit returns the state of the Comparator x interrupt enable.

Writing a '0' to this bit has no effect.

Writing a '1' to this bit will set the Ready interrupt bit and enable the Ready interrupt.

Value	Description
0	The Comparator x interrupt is disabled.
1	The Comparator x interrupt is enabled.

## 34.8.6 Interrupt Flag Status and Clear

**Name:** INTFLAG

**Offset:** 0x06

**Reset:** 0x00

**Property:** –

Bit	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
				WIN0			COMP1	COMP0
Access				R/W			R/W	R/W
Reset				0			0	0

### Bit 4 – WIN0: Window 0

This flag is set according to the Window 0 Interrupt Selection bit group in the WINCTRL register (WINCTRL.WINTSELx) and will generate an interrupt if INTENCLR/SET.WINx is also one.

The DAC output buffer provides a high-drive-strength output, and is capable of driving both resistive and capacitive loads. To minimize power consumption, the output buffer should be enabled only when external output is needed.

### 35.6.2.4 Digital to Analog Conversion

The DAC converts a digital value (stored in the DATA register) into an analog voltage. The conversion range is between GND and the selected DAC voltage reference. The default voltage reference is the internal reference voltage. Other voltage reference options are the analog supply voltage (VDDANA) and the external voltage reference (VREFA). The voltage reference is selected by writing to the Reference Selection bits in the Control B register (CTRLB.REFSEL).

The output voltage from the DAC can be calculated using the following formula:

$$V_{\text{OUT}} = \frac{\text{DATA}}{0x3FF} \cdot V_{\text{REF}}$$

A new conversion starts as soon as a new value is loaded into DATA. DATA can either be loaded via the APB bus during a CPU write operation, using DMA, or from the DATABUF register when a START event occurs. Refer to [Events](#) for details. As there is no automatic indication that a conversion is done, the sampling period must be greater than or equal to the specified conversion time.

### 35.6.3 DMA Operation

The DAC generates the following DMA request:

- Data Buffer Empty (EMPTY): The request is set when data is transferred from DATABUF to the internal data buffer of DAC. The request is cleared when DATABUF register is written, or by writing a one to the EMPTY bit in the Interrupt Flag register (INTFLAG.EMPTY).

For each Start Conversion event, DATABUF is transferred into DATA and the conversion starts. When DATABUF is empty, the DAC generates the DMA request for new data. As DATABUF is initially empty, a DMA request is generated whenever the DAC is enabled.

If the CPU accesses the registers that are the source of a DMA request set/clear condition, the DMA request can be lost or the DMA transfer can be corrupted, if enabled.

When DAC registers are write-protected by Peripheral Access Controller, DATABUF cannot be written. To bypass DATABUF write protection, Bypass DATABUF Write Protection bit (CTRLB.BDWP) must be written to '1'

### 35.6.4 Interrupts

The DAC Controller has the following interrupt sources:

- Data Buffer Empty (EMPTY): Indicates that the internal data buffer of the DAC is empty.
- Underrun (UNDERRUN): Indicates that the internal data buffer of the DAC is empty and a DAC start of conversion event occurred. Refer to [Events](#) for details.
- Synchronization Ready (SYNCRDY): this asynchronous interrupt can be used to wake-up the device from any sleep mode.

Each interrupt source has an interrupt flag associated with it. The interrupt flag in the Interrupt Flag Status and Clear register (INTFLAG) is set when the interrupt condition occurs. Each interrupt can be individually enabled by writing a one to the corresponding bit in the Interrupt Enable Set register (INTENSET), and disabled by writing a one to the corresponding bit in the Interrupt Enable Clear register (INTENCLR).

- Oscillators
  - XOSC (crystal oscillator) stopped
  - XOSC32K (32 kHz crystal oscillator) running with external 32kHz crystal
  - DFLL48M using XOSC32K as reference and running at 48 MHz
- Clocks
  - DFLL48M used as main clock source, except otherwise specified
  - CPU, AHB clocks undivided
  - APBA clock divided by 4
  - APBB and APBC bridges off
- The following AHB module clocks are running: NVMCTRL, APBA bridge
  - All other AHB clocks stopped
- The following peripheral clocks running: PM, SYSCCTRL, RTC
  - All other peripheral clocks stopped
- I/Os are inactive with internal pull-up
- CPU is running on flash with 1 wait states
- Cache enabled
- BOD33 disabled