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Important Notices

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(TMP91FY22F) (TMP91C824F) (TMP91C025F) (TMP91CK27U) (TMP91CP27U)
(TMP91CP27RUG) (TMP91CU27U) (TMP91CU27RUG) (TMP91FY27U) (TMP91CW28FG)
(TMP91CY28FG) (TMP91FY28FG) (TMP91C829F) (TMP91C630F)
(TMP92C820FG) (TMP92CH21FG) (TMP92CM22FG) (TMP92CA25FG) (TMP92CM27FG)
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Restriction on Use of 8-bit Timers

With regard to our TLCS-900/L1 Series and TLCS-900/H1 Series of 16-bit microcontrollers, we have found that the following problem may occur when 8-bit timers are used under certain conditions.

[Problem]

If the timer register of an 8-bit timer is updated under the following conditions, the timer flip-flop may output an unexpected value.

[Conditions]

This problem occurs if all the following conditions are met:

- When the 8-bit timer is used in PWM or PPG mode
- When the double buffer is enabled
- When the data in the register buffer is updated immediately before an overflow occurs in the up-counter

[Workaround]

This problem can be avoided by software by using either of the following methods:

- (1) Disable the double buffer.

(After reset the double buffer is initially disabled.)

- (2) Observe the following timing requirement when writing new data to the register buffer:

- a) In the case of using PWM mode

Write new data to the register buffer by six cycles before the next overflow occurs, using the interrupt routine to be activated by an overflow interrupt.

- b) In the case of using PPG mode

Write new data to the register buffer by six cycles before the next cycle compare match occurs, using the interrupt routine to be activated by a cycle compare match interrupt (*).

(*) An interrupt that specifies when to transfer data from the register buffer to the timer register

[Note]

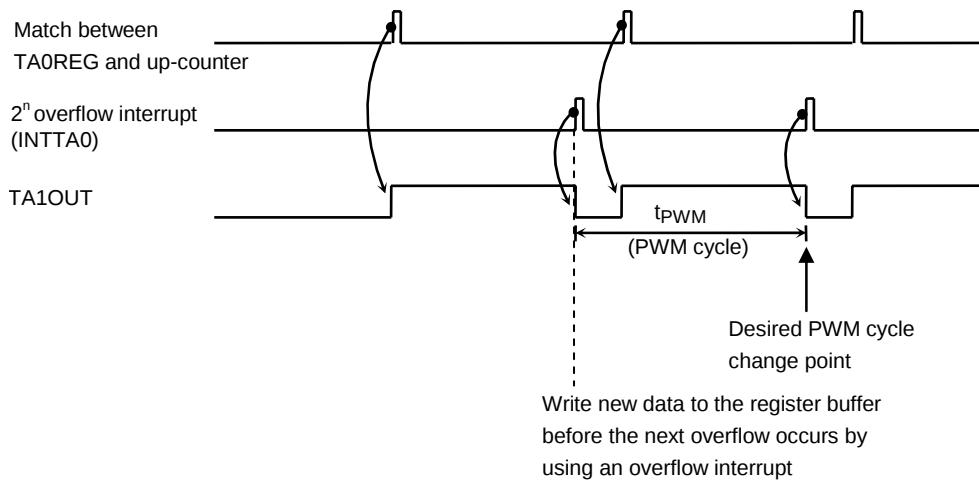
When the double buffer is enabled for an 8-bit timer in PWM or PPG mode, caution is required as explained below.

If new data is written to the register buffer immediately before an overflow occurs by a match between the timer register value and the up-counter value, the timer flip-flop may output an unexpected value.

For this reason, make sure that in PWM mode new data is written to the register buffer by six cycles ($f_{\text{sys}} \times 6$) before the next overflow occurs by using an overflow interrupt.

In the case of using PPG mode, make sure that new data is written to the register buffer by six cycles before the next cycle compare match occurs by using a cycle compare match interrupt.

Example when using PWM mode



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Datasheet Modifications: I²C Bus Mode Control

The following modifications (shown in red) will be made to the technical datasheets in the next revision.

- In the explanation of the serial bus interface control register 1 in “3.10.4 I²C Bus Mode Control”, “3.11.4 I²C Bus Mode Control”, and “3.12.4 I²C Bus Mode Control”
 1. Delete the setting examples where the serial clock frequency exceeds 100 kHz.
 2. Add the following note.

Internal serial clock selection <SCK2:0> at write		
000	n=5	(Note)
001	n=6	- (Note)
010	n=7	- (Note)
011	n=8	60.6 kHz
100	n=9	30.8 kHz
101	n=10	15.5 kHz
110	n=11	7.78 kHz
111		(Reserved)

System clock: f_c
Clock gear: $f_c/1$
 $f_c = 16 \text{ MHz}$
(internal SCL output)
 $f_{scl} = \frac{f_c}{2^n + 8} \text{ [Hz]}$

Note: This I²C bus circuit does not support the Fast mode. It supports the Standard mode only. Although the I²C bus circuit itself allows the setting of a baud rate over 100 kbps, the compliance with the I²C specification is not guaranteed in that case.

- In “3.10.5 Control in I²C Bus Mode”, “3.11.5 Control in I²C Bus Mode”, and “3.12.5 Control in I²C Bus Mode”
 1. Add the following sentence about the communication baud rate.
 2. Modify the equations as shown below.

(3) Serial clock

1. Clock source

SBI0CR1X<SCK2:0> is used to specify the maximum transfer frequency for output on the SCL pin in Master mode. **Set a communication baud rate that meets the I²C bus specification, such as the shortest pulse width of t_{LOW} , based on the equations shown below.**

$$\begin{aligned} t_{LOW} &= 2^{n-1}/f_{SBI} \\ t_{HIGH} &= 2^{n-1}/f_{SBI} + 8/f_{SBI} \\ f_{scl} &= 1/(t_{LOW} + t_{HIGH}) \\ &= \frac{f_{SBI}}{2^n + 8} \end{aligned}$$

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Datasheet Modifications: PWM Cycle of 8-bit Timers

With regard to the TLCS-900/L1 and TLCS-900/H1 microcontrollers listed above, please be advised of the modifications to be made to the technical datasheets about the PWM cycle of 8-bit timers in PWM mode.

[Modifications to be made]

In the datasheet the PWM cycle of 8-bit timers when used in PWM mode is described as " 2^n-1 ". This should be corrected to " 2^n " as shown below.

TMRA01Mode Register								
TA01MOD (xxxxH)	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
bit Symbol	TA01M1	TA01M0	PWM01	PWM00	TA1CLK1	TA1CLK0	TA0CLK1	TA0CLK0
Read/Write	R/W							
After reset	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Function	Operation mode 00: 8-bit timer mode 01: 16-bit timer mode 10: 8-bit PPG 11: 8-bit PWM		PWM cycle 00: Reserved 01: 2 ⁶ -1 10: 2 ⁷ -1 11: 2 ⁸ -1		Source clock for TMRA1 00: TA0TRG 01: φT1 10: φT16 11: φT256		Source clock for TMRA0 00: TA0IN pin 01: φT1 10: φT4 11: φT16	

PWM cycle

00: Reserved

01: 2⁶

10: 2⁷

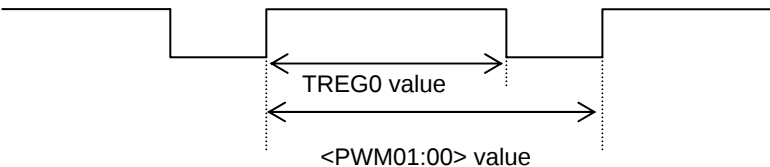
11: 2⁸

Correct

(The mode register for 8-bit timer TMRA01 is shown here as an example.)

[Operation]

Waveform in PWM mode (in the case of 8-bit timer TMRA01)



Datasheet Actual cycle

PWM cycle: 2^n-1 $\Rightarrow$ 2^n