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Introduction

This application note describes the safety functions implemented on the RL78/F13 and RL78/F14 microcontrollers (MCUs).

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1. Overview of the Safety Functions

To detect any errors and failures with the built-in self-test function, the RL78/F13 and RL78/F14 MCUs have the following safety functions.

(1) **CRC (cyclic redundancy check) operation functions (High-speed CRC operation & general-purpose CRC operation)**

High-speed CRC operation: This check is executed on the entire code flash memory area after stopping the CPU (making the CPU transition to HALT mode).

General-purpose CRC operation: The general-purpose CRC can be used in the code flash memory area. Also, it can be used for multi-purpose data check such as serial communication.

(2) **RAM-ECC function**

This function detects and corrects data corruption (bit errors) during a read access to RAM and notifies the error detected/corrected by generating an interrupt.

(3) **CPU stack pointer monitor function**

This function detects an overflow and underflow of the stack pointer (SP) and generates an interrupt in response.

(4) **Clock monitor function**

This function detects an oscillation stop of the main system clock (f_{MAIN}) and main/PLL selection clock (f_{MP}) using the low-speed on-chip oscillation clock (f_{L}) and accordingly generates a reset signal or interrupt.

(5) **RAM guard function**

This function protects data in RAM that is to be guarded from any erroneous writing when a CPU runaway etc., occurs.

(6) **SFR guard function**

This function protects the SFRs (special function registers for port functions, interrupts, clock control, and voltage detector control) that is to be guarded from any erroneous writing when a CPU runaway or any problem occurs.

(7) **Invalid memory access detection function**

This function detects any invalid access to the memory area when a CPU runaway or any problem occurs and generates a reset signal.

(8) **Frequency detection function**

The function detects whether or not the clock is operating on an abnormal frequency by comparing the high-speed on-chip oscillator clock (f_{IH}), external X1 oscillation clock (f_{MX}), or PLL clock (f_{PLL}) with the low-speed on-chip oscillator clock (f_{L}).

(9) **A/D test function**

This function performs self-diagnosis for the A/D converter.

(10) **Digital output signal level detection function for I/O ports**

This function detects any output abnormality by reading the digital output level (high or low) of the pin when the port is set to output mode.

2. Flash Memory CRC Operation Function (High-speed CRC)

2.1 Overview of High-speed CRC Operation

The high-speed CRC operation is a function to perform a high-speed check on the entire code flash memory area by stopping the CPU (by making the CPU enter HALT mode). Any failure in the code flash memory can be detected by comparing the expected value of the CRC function which is calculated beforehand with the result of the high-speed CRC operation.

The CRC generator polynomial used complies with “ $X^{16} + X^{12} + X^5 + 1$ ” of CRC-16-CCITT. The high-speed CRC operates in MSB first order from bit 31 to bit 0.

Since the CPU is stopped during the high-speed CRC operation, it is impossible to run the user software. Confirm the processing time for the high-speed CRC operation function listed in **Table 2-1** and use this function according to the specifications of your system.

Table 2-1: Processing Time of High-speed (HS) CRC Operation

Range of HS CRC operation ^{Note}	Processing time (f _{CLK} =32MHz)	Register setting
16KB (00000H - 03FFBH)	4095 clocks (approx.128 μs)	CRC0CTL.FEA[5:0]=000000B
32KB (00000H - 07FFBH)	8191clocks (approx.256 μs)	CRC0CTL.FEA[5:0]=000001B
48KB (00000H - 0BFFBH)	12287 clocks (approx.384 μs)	CRC0CTL.FEA[5:0]=000010B
64KB (00000H - 0FFFBH)	16383 clocks (approx.512 μs)	CRC0CTL.FEA[5:0]=000011B
80KB (00000H - 13FFBH)	20479 clocks (approx.640 μs)	CRC0CTL.FEA[5:0]=000100B
96KB (00000H - 17FFBH)	24575 clocks (approx.768 μs)	CRC0CTL.FEA[5:0]=000101B
112KB (00000H - 1BFFBH)	28671 clocks (approx.896 μs)	CRC0CTL.FEA[5:0]=000110B
128KB (00000H - 1FFFBH)	32767 clocks (approx.1024 μs)	CRC0CTL.FEA[5:0]=000111B
144KB (00000H - 23FFBH)	36863 clocks (approx.1152 μs)	CRC0CTL.FEA[5:0]=001000B
160KB (00000H - 27FFBH)	40959 clocks (approx.1280 μs)	CRC0CTL.FEA[5:0]=001001B
176KB (00000H - 2BFFBH)	45055 clocks (approx.1408 μs)	CRC0CTL.FEA[5:0]=001010B
192KB (00000H - 2FFFBH)	49151 clocks (approx.1536 μs)	CRC0CTL.FEA[5:0]=001011B
208KB (00000H - 33FFBH)	53247 clocks (approx.1664 μs)	CRC0CTL.FEA[5:0]=001100B
224KB (00000H - 37FFBH)	57343 clocks (approx.1792 μs)	CRC0CTL.FEA[5:0]=001101B
240KB (00000H - 3BFFBH)	61439 clocks (approx.1920 μs)	CRC0CTL.FEA[5:0]=001110B
256KB (00000H - 3FFFBH)	65535 clocks (approx.2048 μs)	CRC0CTL.FEA[5:0]=001111B

Note: The last four bytes of the flash memory (e.g., an area of 003FFCH-003FFFH of a 16-KB memory) are not included in the range of high-speed CRC operation.

2.2 Registers used for High-speed CRC Operation

The registers used for the high-speed CRC operation are described below.

(1) Flash memory CRC control register (CRC0CTL)

This register enables/disables the high-speed CRC operation and specifies the calculation range. This CRC0CTL register can be accessed by a 1-bit memory manipulation instruction (CRC0EN) or an 8-bit memory manipulation instruction.

Address: F02F0H After reset: 00H R/W

Symbol	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
CRC0CTL	CRC0EN	0	FEA5	FEA4	FEA3	FEA2	FEA1	FEA0

Bit Name	Description
CRC0EN	0 : Stops the high-speed CRC arithmetic unit. 1 : Starts the high-speed CRC operation upon execution of the HALT instruction.
FEA[5:0]	Specify the high-speed CRC operation range. ^{Note} 000000B: 16KB 000001B: 32KB 000010B: 48KB 000011B: 64KB 000100B: 80KB 000101B: 96KB 000110B: 112KB 000111B: 128KB 001000B: 144KB 001001B: 160KB 001010B: 176KB 001011B: 192KB 001100B: 208KB 001101B: 224KB 001110B: 240KB 001111B: 256KB Other than the above ranges: Setting prohibited

Note: Be sure to set the calculation range to be within the memory range of the product used.

(2) Flash memory CRC operation result register (PGCRCL)

This register stores the results of high-speed CRC operation. This register can be accessed by a 16-bit memory manipulation instruction.

Address: F02F2H After reset: 0000H R/W

Symbol	15	0
PGCRCL	PGCRC[15:0]	

Bit Name	Description
PGCRC[15:0]	Stores the results of high-speed CRC operation. ^{Note}

Note: This register is writable only when the value of the CRC0EN bit is 1.

2.3 Flow Chart of High-speed CRC operation

Figure 2-1 is a flow chart of the high-speed CRC operation.

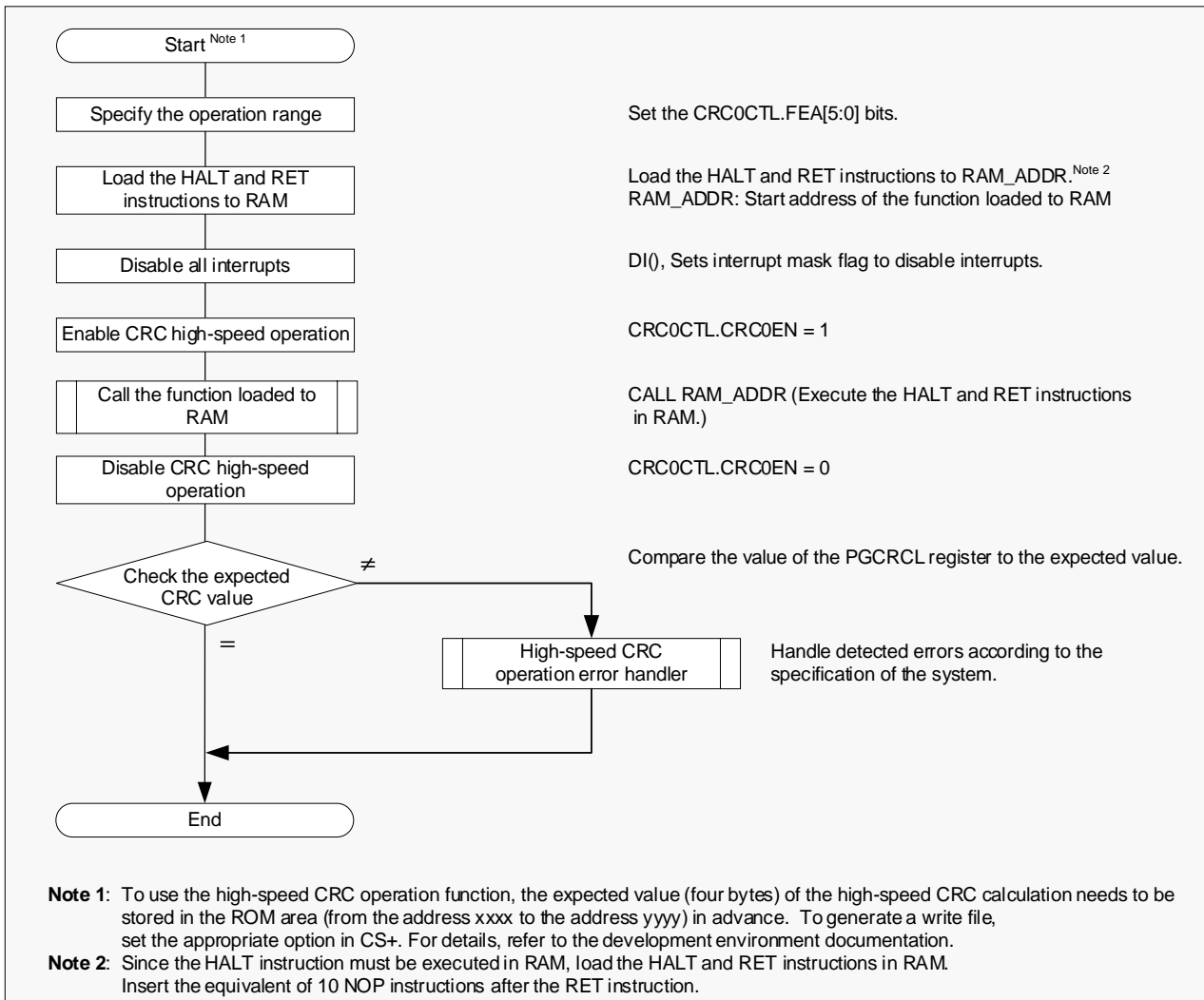


Figure 2-1 Flow Chart of High-speed CRC operation

2.4 Example of High-speed CRC operation

Figure 2-2 is an example of the high-speed CRC operation function for a product whose ROM size is 64KB.

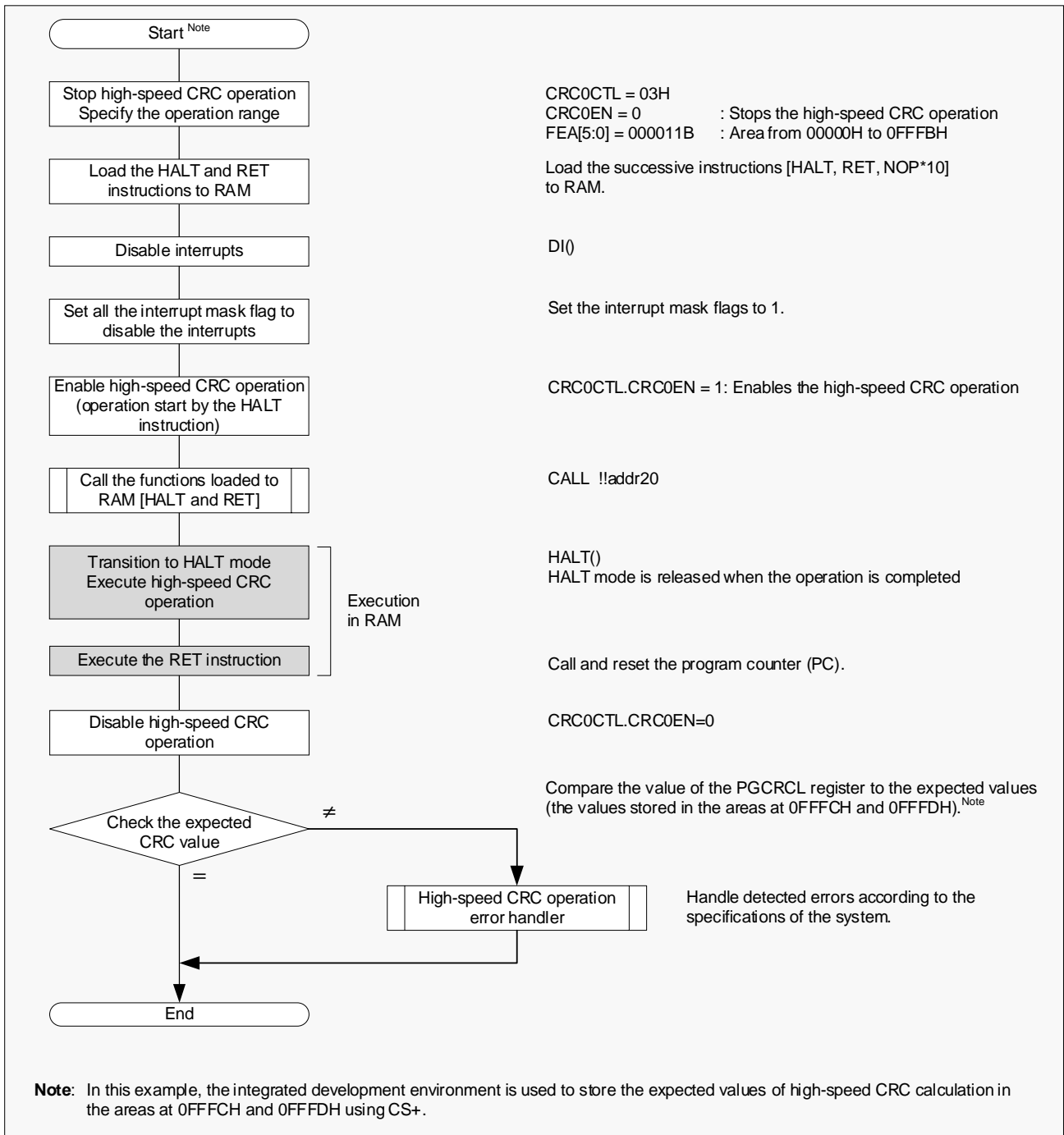


Figure 2-2 Example of High-speed CRC operation

2.5 Cautions when Using High-speed CRC operation

The following are the cautions when using the high-speed CRC operation function.

- (1) The high-speed CRC operation starts upon execution of the HALT instruction in RAM. HALT mode is released when the calculation is finished. Therefore, before executing the HALT instruction, be sure to disable the interrupts (DI) and also to set all the interrupt mask flags to 1 (interrupt processing disabled).
- (2) Since the CPU is stopped during high-speed CRC operation, it is impossible to run the user software. When using this function, confirm that the processing time of the high-speed CRC operation function will not lead to problems. (See **Table 2-1**.)
- (3) The RL78 CPU core performs pre-reading when an instruction code is fetched. Therefore, to execute the instruction in the RAM area, the subsequent addresses (after the instruction) up to a size of 10 bytes need to be initialized.
- (4) When the expected value of the high-speed CRC operation function is calculated using the integrated development environment, the result can be represented in a HEX file. However, it will not be represented in a load module file.
- (5) The monitor program is allocated to the code flash memory area. Accordingly, high-speed CRC calculation result will not match its expected value during on-chip debugging.

3. CRC Operation Function (General-purpose CRC)

3.1 Overview of General-purpose CRC operation

The function of general-purpose CRC is to write calculation data to the CRC input register (CRCIN) and to store the calculation result in the CRC data register (CRCD) while the CPU is operating. This function can be used for a wide variety of purposes, such as serial communication or other applications.

The CRC generator polynomial supports “ $X^{16} + X^{12} + X^5 + 1$ ” of CRC-16-CCITT and “ $X^4 + X^3 + X^2 + 1$ ” of SENT compliant.

3.2 General-purpose CRC Operation Registers

The registers used for the general-purpose CRC operation are described below.

(1) CRC input register (CRCIN)

This register is used to set data used for CRC operation. This register can be accessed by an 8-bit memory manipulation instruction.

Address: FFFACH After reset: 00H R/W

Symbol	7								0
CRCIN	CRCIN [7:0]								

Bit Name	Description
CRCIN[7:0]	Specifies the range of input data for CRC operation. When supporting CRC-CCITT: 00H-FFH When conforming to SENT: 00H-0FH

(2) CRC operation mode control register (CRCMD)

This register selects a calculation mode (CRC generator polynomial) for the general-purpose CRC arithmetic unit. This register can be accessed by an 8-bit memory manipulation instruction.

Address: F02F9H After reset: 00H R/W

Symbol	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
CRCMD	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	POLYSEL

Bit Name	Description
POLYSEL	0: CRC-CCITT ($X^{16}+X^{12}+X^5+1$) 1: Conforms to SENT ($X^4+X^3+X^2+1$)

(3) CRC data register (CRCD)

This register stores the results of general-purpose CRC operation. This register can be accessed by a 16-bit memory manipulation instruction.

Address: F02FAH After reset: 0000H R/W

Symbol	15																			0
CRCD	CRCD[15:0]																			

Bit Name	Description
CRCD[15:0]	Stores the result of CRC operation. When supporting CRC-CCITT: 0000H-FFFFH When conforming to SENT: 0000H-000FH

3.3 Flow Chart of General-purpose CRC Operation

Figure 3-1 is a flow chart of the general-purpose CRC operation function.

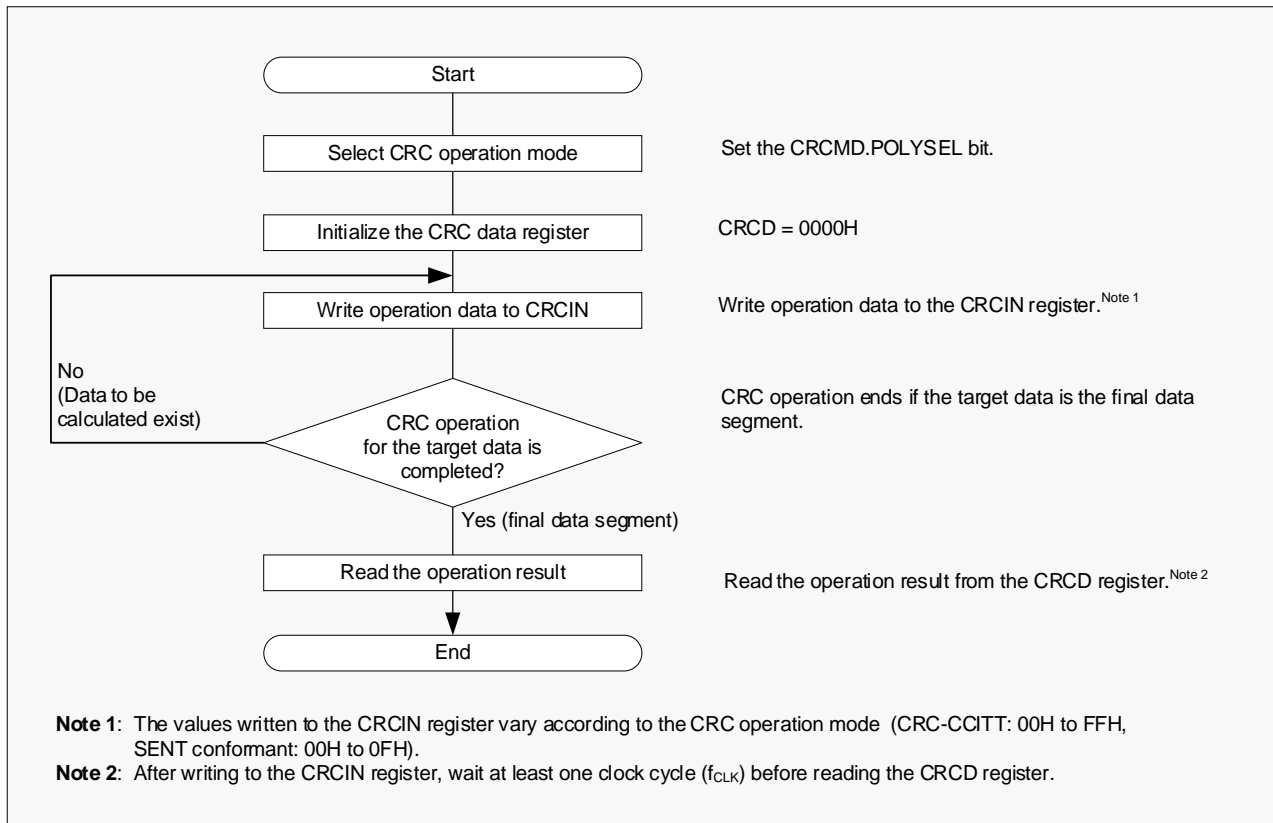


Figure 3-1 Flow Chart of General-purpose CRC Operation

3.4 Cautions when Using General-purpose CRC Operation

The following are the cautions when using the general-purpose CRC operation function.

- (1) After writing to the CRCIN register, wait at least one clock cycle (f_{CLK}) before reading the CRCD register.
- (2) Do not set any software break in the target area of CRC operation. Setting a software break in that area will alter the CRC operation result. This is because the debugger changes the row where the software break is to be set into a break instruction.

4. RAM-ECC Function

4.1 Overview of RAM-ECC Function

The RAM-ECC function detects any data corruption (bit error) and accordingly generates an interrupt. Also, if the error detected is a 1-bit error, this function corrects the corruption data.

For the write access to RAM, this function generates a 4-bit ECC code and a 1-bit parity bit for 8-bit data written to RAM. For the read access to RAM, this function checks the ECC code and parity bits and outputs the bit error detection interrupt request (INTRAM) if a bit error is detected.

Table 4-1: Operation of the RAM-ECC function

Bit corruption (bit error)			Interrupt notification (INTRAM)	ECCER register/DBERR bit	ERADR register	Read value
Data bit	ECC code	Parity bit				
No bit error			–	–	–	Expected value
1-bit error	–	–	Request generation Note 1	0 Note 1	Address storage Note 1	Expected value
–	1-bit error	–	Request generation Note 1	0 Note 1	Address storage Note 1	Expected value
–	–	1-bit error	–	–	–	Expected value
2-bit error			Request generation Note 2	1	Address storage	Indefinite Note 2
3-bit or more error			Indefinite Note 3	Indefinite Note 3	Indefinite Note 3	Indefinite Note 3

Remark: In the table above, “–” means “no bit error” and “no update” for the item “Bit corruption (bit error)” and other items (Input notification, ECCER register, ERADR register and Read value), respectively.

Note 1: When the value of the IEN bit in the ECCIER register is 1 (Interrupt enabled), the interrupt request signal (INTRAM) is generated. Also, in this case, the ERADR register and the DBERR bit will be updated.

Note 2: An interrupt request signal will be generated regardless of the setting of the IEN bit. In this case, the ERADR register and the DBERR bit will be updated. Since the error detected is a multiple-bits (two or more) error, the expected data correction will not be performed.

Note 3: Since the error detected is a multiple-bits (two or more) error, the expected data correction will not be performed. In addition, error detection will not be checked correctly.

4.2 Registers used for RAM-ECC Function

The registers used for the RAM-ECC function are described below.

(1) Error address store register (ERADR)

This register stores the address corresponding to a bit error detected. This register can be read by a 16-bit memory manipulation instruction.

Address: F0200H After reset: 0000H R

Symbol	15																		0
ERADR	ERAD[15:0]																		

Bit Name	Description
ERAD [15:0]	Stores the address of a bit error detected. ^{Note}

Note: The register value is updated every time a bit error interrupt request is generated.

(2) 1-bit error detection interrupt enable register (ECCIER)

This register enables/disables the interrupt when a 1-bit error is detected. This register can be accessed by an 8-bit memory manipulation instruction.

Address: F0202H After reset: 00H R/W

Symbol	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
ECCIER	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	IEN

Bit Name	Description
IEN	0: Disables the interrupt generation for a 1-bit error detected. ^{Note} 1: Enables the interrupt generation for a 1-bit error detected.

Note: When a 2-bit error is detected, a bit-error detection interrupt request (INTRAM) is generated regardless of the setting of the IEN bit.

(3) Bit error detection register (ECCER)

This register checks whether the bit error detected is a 1-bit error (correction of errors detected) or a 2-bit error. This register is accessed by an 8-bit memory manipulation instruction.

Address: F0203H After reset: 00H R/W

Symbol	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
ECCER	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	DBERR

Bit Name	Description
DBERR ^{Note}	0: A 1-bit error detected (Error correction) 1: A 2-bit error detected

Note: If the bit error interrupt request (INTRAM) has not been generated, the value of the DBERR bit is invalid.

(4) ECC test protect register (ECCTPR)

This register enables/disables the access to the ECC test mode register (ECCTMDR). This register can be accessed by an 8-bit memory manipulation instruction.

Address: F0204H After reset: 00H R/W

Symbol	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
ECCTPR	-	-	-	-	-	TPR [2:0]		

Bit Name	Description
TPR[2:0]	Other than 111B: Disables the access to the ECCTMDR register. 111B: Enables the access to the ECCTMDR register.

(5) **ECC test mode register (ECCTMDR)**

This register selects an ECC test mode. This register can be accessed by an 8-bit memory manipulation instruction.

Before accessing this register, write 07H to the ECCTPR register.

Address: F0205H After reset: 00H R/W

Symbol	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
ECCTMDR	-	-	-	-	-	TMD[[2:0]		

Bit Name	Description
TMD[2:0]	000B: Normal operating mode 001B: ECC test mode Other than above: Setting prohibited

(6) **Write data inversion register (ECCDWRVR)**

This register is used to confirm that the ECC is operating correctly by inverting the parity bits of write data and ECC code in ECC test mode. This register can be accessed by a 16-bit memory manipulation instruction.

Address: F0206H After reset: 0000H R/W

Symbol	15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8
ECCDWRVR	-	-	-	PRTYRV	ECCRV[3:0]			

	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
	DWRV[7:0]							

Bit Name	Description
PRTYRV	0: Parity bit not inverted 1: Parity bit inverted
ECCRV[3:0]	0: Bit (i) of ECC code not inverted 1: Bit (i) of ECC code inverted (i: 3-0)
DWRV[7:0]	0: Bit (j) of RAM write data not inverted 1: Bit (j) of RAM write data inverted (j: 7-0)

4.3 Flow Chart of RAM-ECC Function

Figure 4-1 is a flow chart of the RAM-ECC function.

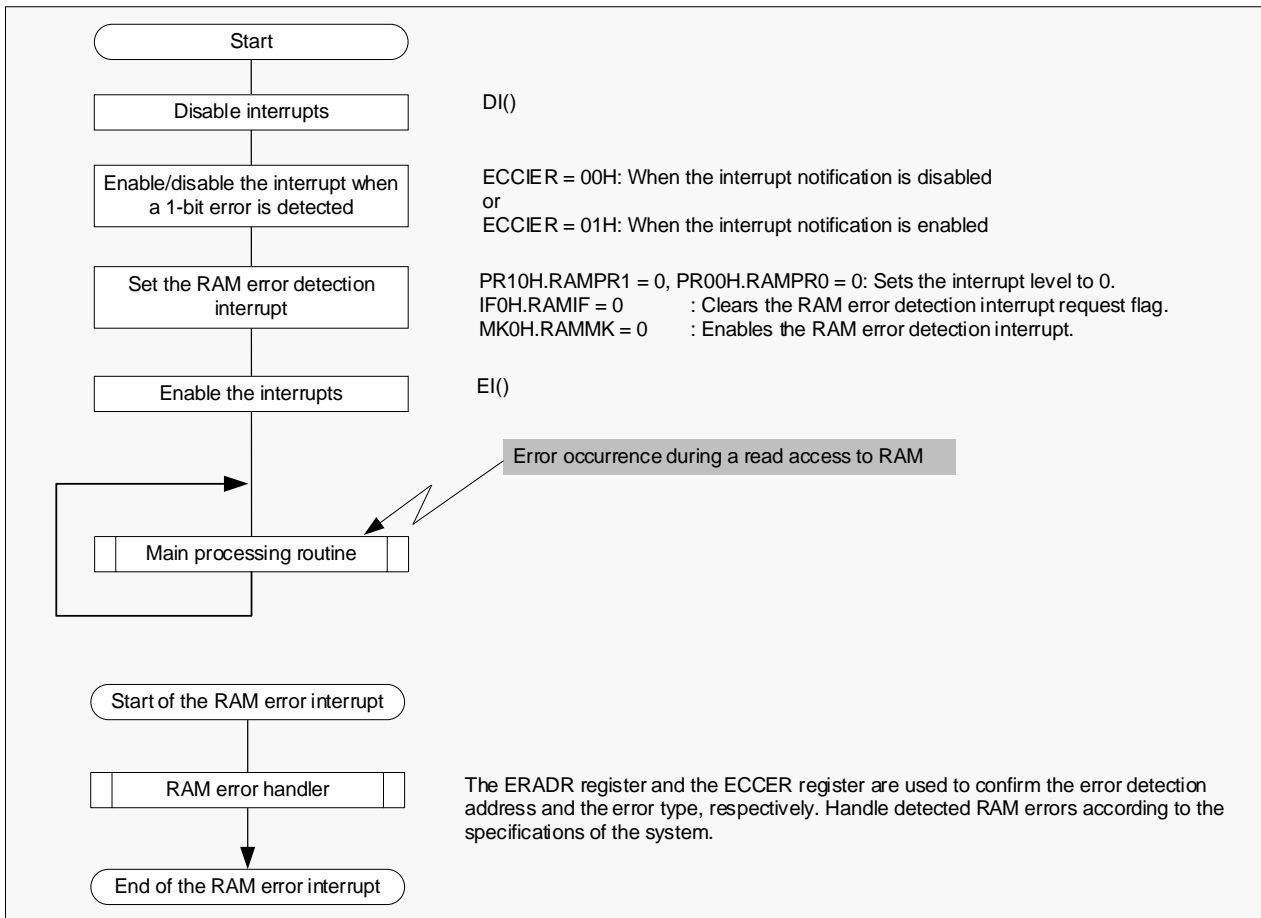


Figure 4-1 Flow Chart of RAM-ECC Function

4.4 ECC Test Mode

In ECC test mode, operations of the RAM-ECC function can be checked by writing a bit-inverted value to write data/ECC code/parity bits and by reading the target RAM. To enable this mode, the RAM must not be accessed. (Enable this mode when, for example, initialization of RAM is being executed.)

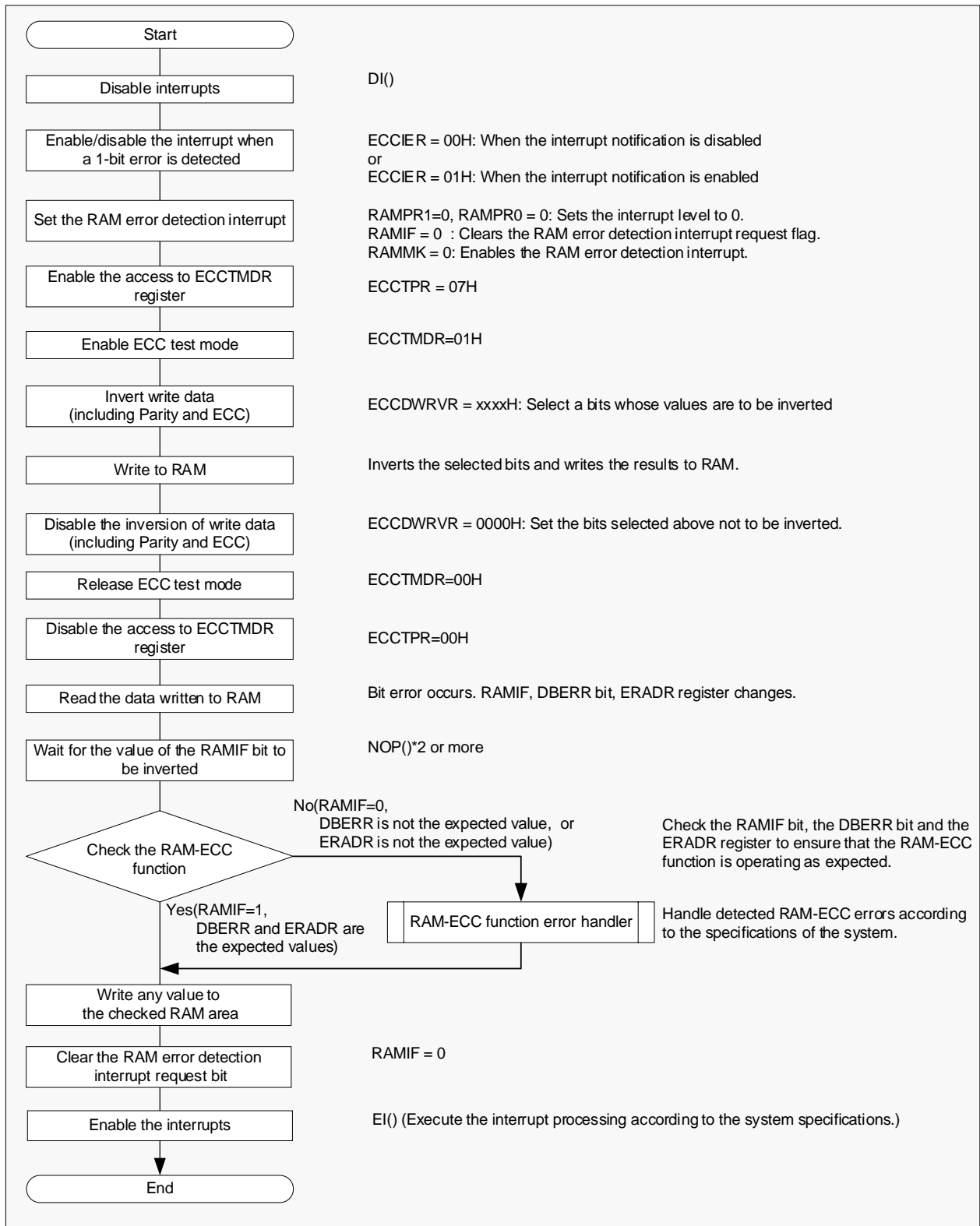


Figure 4-2 Flow Chart of ECC Test Function

Table 4-2 is an example of the setting of the ECC test mode.

Table 4-2 Setting Example of ECC test mode

ECCDWRVR register			Interrupt notification (INTRAM)	ECCER register/DBERR bit	ERADR register	Read value
DWRV[7:0]	ECCR[3:0]	PRTYRV				
No bit inversion			–	–	–	Expected value
1-bit inversion	–	–	Request generation <small>Note 1</small>	0 <small>Note 1</small>	Address storage <small>Note 1</small>	Expected value
–	1-bit inversion	–	Request generation <small>Note 1</small>	0 <small>Note 1</small>	Address storage <small>Note 1</small>	Expected value
–	–	1-bit inversion	–	–	–	Expected value
2-bit inversion	–	–	Request generation	1	Address storage	Indefinite <small>Note 2</small>
1-bit inversion	1-bit inversion	–	Request generation	1	Address storage	Indefinite <small>Note 2</small>
1-bit inversion	–	1-bit inversion	Request generation	1	Address storage	Expected value
–	2-bit inversion	–	Request generation	1	Address storage	Indefinite <small>Note 2</small>
–	1-bit inversion	1-bit inversion	Request generation	1	Address storage	Expected value
3-bit or more inversion			Indefinite <small>Note 3</small>	Indefinite <small>Note 3</small>	Indefinite <small>Note 3</small>	Indefinite <small>Note 3</small>

Remark: In the table above, “–” means “no bit inversion” and “no update” for the item “ECCDWRVR register” and other items (Input notification, ECCER register, ERADR register and Read value), respectively.

Note 1: When the value of the IEN bit in the ECCIER register is 1 (Interrupt enabled), the interrupt request signal (INTRAM) is generated. In this case, the ERADR register and the DBERR bit will be updated.

Note 2: Since the error detected is a multiple-bit (two or more) error, the expected data correction will not be performed.

Note 3: Since the error detected is a multiple-bit (three or more) error, the expected data correction will not be performed. In this case, error detection will not be checked correctly.

4.5 Cautions when Using RAM-ECC Function

The following are the cautions when using the RAM-ECC function.

- (1) When a 1-bit error is detected, the expected value (a value written) can be read since the error detected is to be corrected. However, since the RAM value will not be rewritten, when the 1-bit error detection interrupt enable bit is set to 1 (Interrupt enabled), the interrupt request (INTRAM) is generated every time the address where this error has been detected is read.
- (2) Since the RAM-ECC function is not executed during on-chip debugging, do not use the ECC test mode.
- (3) When a 2-bit error is detected, the bit error detection interrupt (INTRAM) is generated regardless of the setting of the IEN bit (enables/disables the interrupt when a 1-bit error is detected) in the ECCIER register.
- (4) When a program is executed in RAM, error detection/correction will not be performed even if a bit-error occurs at instruction fetch.

5. CPU Stack Pointer Monitor Function

5.1 Overview of CPU Stack Pointer Monitor Function

This function monitors the address pointed to by a stack pointer to check that the address is within the stack area. When the stack pointer moves to an address beyond the area, the interrupt request (INTSPM) is generated.

5.2 Registers used for CPU Stack Pointer Monitor Function

The registers used for the CPU stack pointer monitor function are described below.

(1) SPM control register (SPMCTRL)

This register enables/disables the CPU stack pointer monitor function. This register can be accessed by an 8-bit memory manipulation instruction.

Address: F00D8H After reset: 00H R/W

Symbol	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
SPMCTRL	SPMEN	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Bit Name	Description
SPMEN ^{Note}	0: Disables the stack pointer monitor function. 1: Enables the stack pointer monitor function. Disables writing to the SPOFR and SPUFR registers.

Note: Writing 1 to the SPMEN bit is only valid and writing 0 after setting the SPMEN bit to 1 is invalid.

(2) SP overflow address setting register (SPOFR)

This register specifies a stack pointer overflow address (upper limit). This register can be accessed by a 16-bit memory manipulation instruction.

Address: F00DAH After reset: FFFE_H R/W

Symbol	15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
SPOFR	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0

Bit Name	Description
15-0 ^{Note}	Sets a stack pointer overflow address. The lowest bit (0) is fixed to 0. When writing, write 0.

Note: When SPMEN=1, writing to the SPOFR register is invalid.

(3) SP underflow address setting register (SPUFR)

This register specifies a CPU stack pointer underflow address (lower value). This register can be accessed by a 16-bit memory manipulation instruction.

Address: F00DCH After reset: 0000_H R/W

Symbol	15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
SPUFR	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0

Bit Name	Description
15-0 ^{Note}	Sets a stack pointer underflow address. The lowest bit (0) is fixed to 0. When writing, write 0.

Note: When SPMEN=1, writing to the SPUFR register is invalid.

5.3 Flow Chart of CPU Stack Pointer Monitor Function

Figure 5-1 is a flow chart of the CPU stack pointer monitor function.

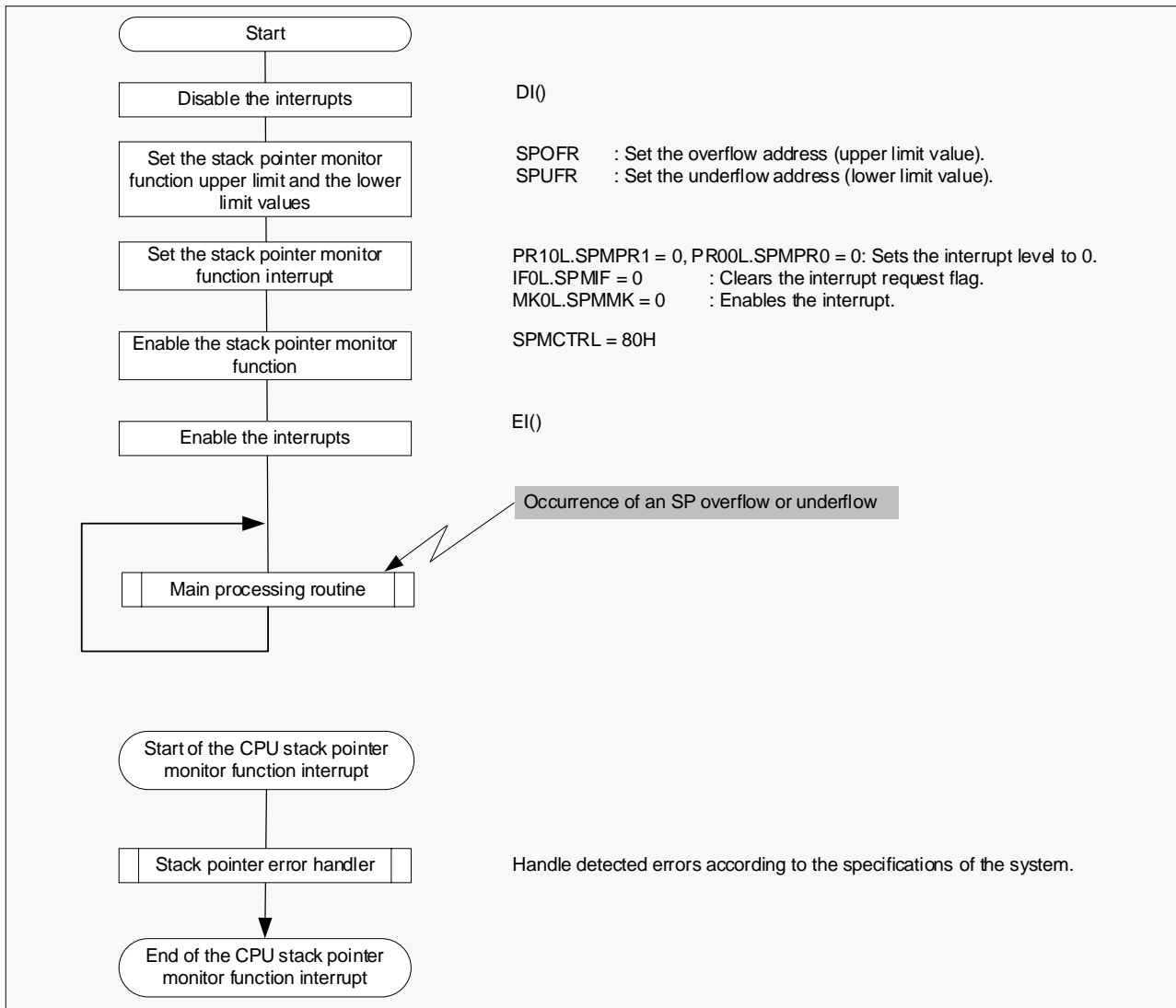


Figure 5-1 Flow Chart of Stack Pointer Monitor Function

5.4 Interrupt Determination of CPU Stack Pointer Monitor Function

The interrupt generated by the CPU stack pointer monitor function shares the same vector table address with the INTP4 interrupt. When the two interrupts are both used, the source of the interrupt needs to be determined by software.

Figure 5-2 is a flow chart of the CPU stack pointer monitor function.

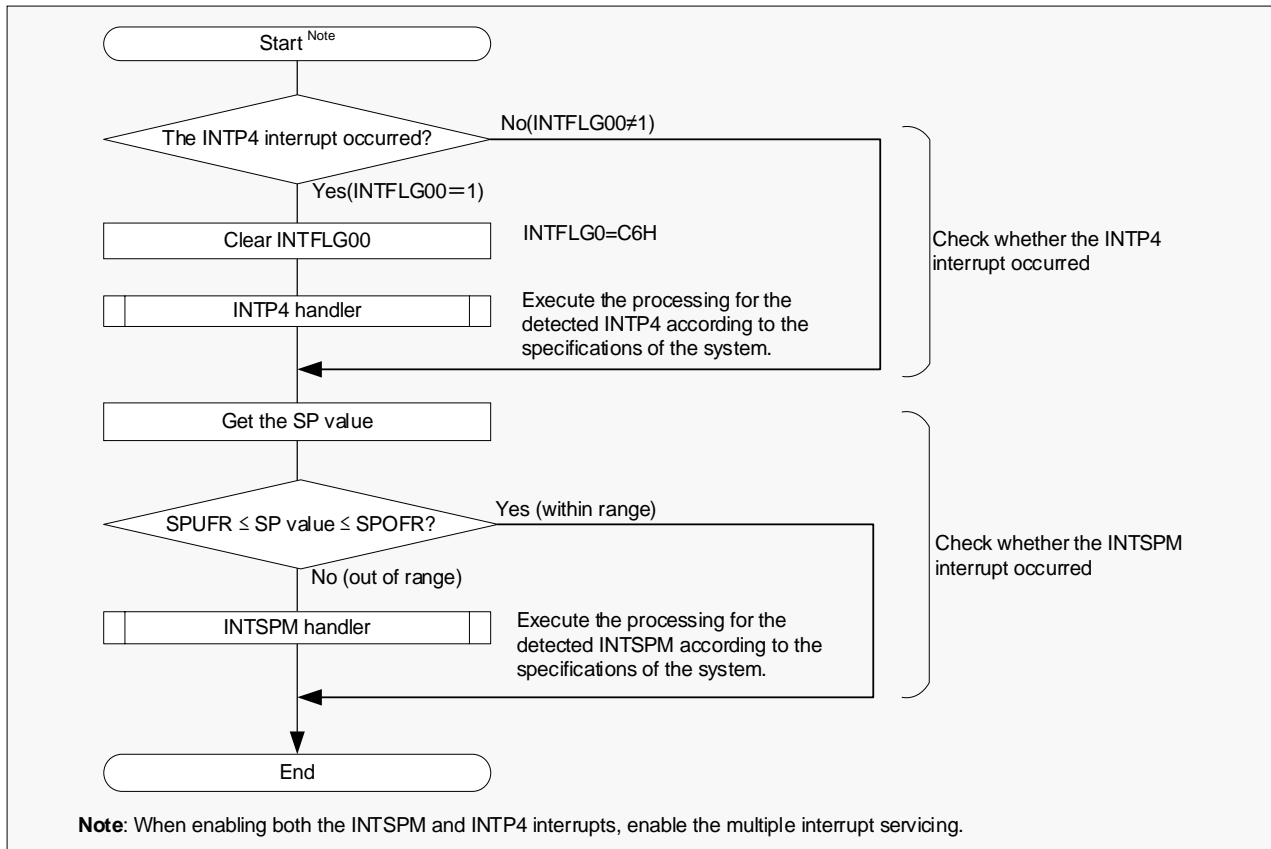


Figure 5-2 Determination of INTSPM and INTP4 interrupts

5.5 Cautions when Using CPU Stack Pointer Monitor Function

The following are the cautions when using the CPU stack pointer monitor function.

- (1) Do not use the CPU stack pointer monitor function during on-chip debugging.
- (2) If the value of the stack pointer remains out of ranges of the SPOFR and SPUFR registers after an SP overflow/underflow is detected, SP overflow/underflow will no longer be detected. To keep the monitor function enabled, set the stack pointer address value again to be within the monitorable range.
- (3) The same vector table address is used by the INTSPM and INTP4 interrupts. To use both interrupt together, the source of the interrupt needs to be determined by SP overflow or underflow interrupt.

6. Clock Monitor Function

6.1 Overview of Clock Monitor Function

The clock monitor function monitors the statuses of the main system clock (f_{MAIN}) and main system /PLL select clock (f_{MP}) by using the low-speed on-chip oscillator clock (f_{L}).

When this function detects that the oscillation of the main system clock (f_{MAIN}) has stopped, it generates a reset signal.

When this function detects that the oscillation of the PLL select clock (f_{MP}) has stopped, clock through mode is forcibly selected (PLLSTS.SELPLLS is set to 0), and the INTCLM interrupt request is generated. However, the value of the SELPLL bit in the PLLCTL register will not change from “1”.

If the sampling clock (low-speed on-chip oscillator clock) is stopped, the clock monitor will not operate.

6.2 Registers used for Clock Monitor Function

The registers used for the clock monitor function are described below.

(1) User option byte (000C1H/020C1H)

This register enables/disables the clock monitor function.

Address: 000C1H/020C1H After reset: -

7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
VPOC[2:0]			CLKMB	LVIS[1:0]		LVIMDS[1:0]	
Bit Name	Description						
CLKMB	0: Enables the clock monitor function. 1: Stops the clock monitor function.						

6.3 Flow Chart of Clock Monitor Function

Figure 6-1 is a flow chart of the clock monitor function.

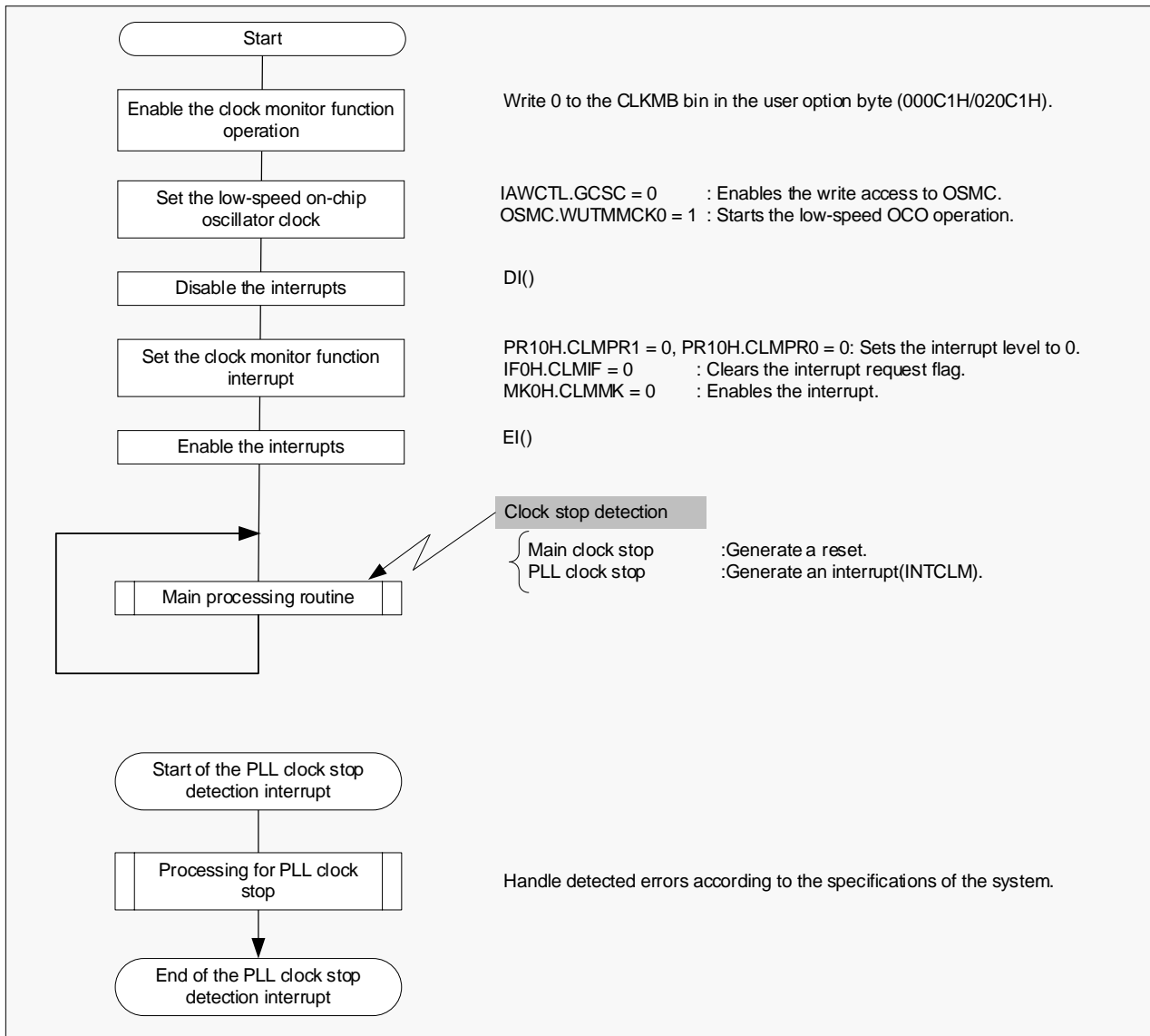


Figure 6-1 Flow Chart of Clock Monitor Function

6.4 Interrupt Determination of Clock Monitor Function

The PLL clock stop detection interrupt of the clock monitor function shares the same vector table address with the INTP13 interrupt. To use both interrupts together, the source of the interrupt needs to be determined by software.

Figure 6-2 is a flow chart of interrupt determination for when the PLL clock stop is detected.

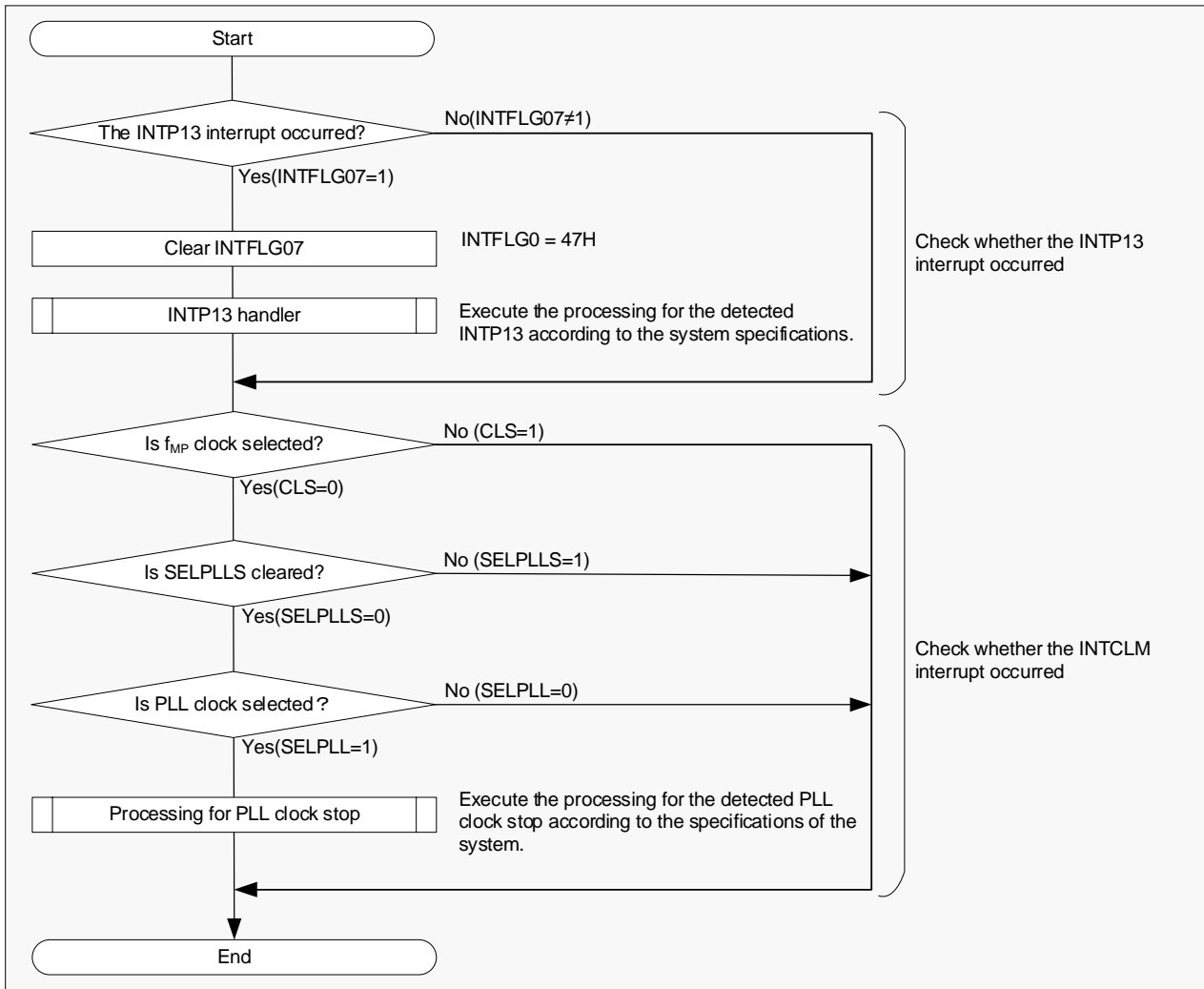


Figure 6-2 Determination of PLL Clock Detection Interrupt and INTP13 Interrupt

6.5 Cautions when Using Clock Monitor Function

The following are the cautions when using the clock monitor function.

- (1) Verification of the clock monitor function using the E1 on-chip debugger is not available.
- (2) The clock monitor function is disabled (stopped) under the following conditions:
 - The value of bit 4 (CLKMB) in the user option byte (000C1H/020C1H) is 1.
 - The sampling clock is stopped (the low-speed on-chip oscillator stops).
 - In STOP/SNOOZE mode
 - While oscillation stabilization time is being counted after STOP mode is released.
 - The CPU/peripheral hardware clock frequency (f_{CLK}) is equal to the subsystem clock (f_{SUB}) or the low-speed on-chip oscillator clock (f_{L}).
- (3) To transition the CPU to STOP mode by stopping the PLL while the clock monitor function is enabled, set the PLLCTL.PLLON bit to 0 (PLL stopped) prior to execution of the STOP instruction.
- (4) The PLL clock stop detection interrupt of the clock monitor function shares the same vector table address with the INTP13 interrupt. To use both interrupts together, the source of the interrupt needs to be determined by software.

7. RAM Guard Function

7.1 Overview of RAM Guard Function

The RAM guard function protects data in a specified memory space. When the RAM guard function is enabled, writing to the protected space is invalid.

7.2 Registers used for RAM Guard Function

The registers used by the RAM guard function are described below.

(1) Invalid memory access detection control register (IAWCTL)

This register enables/disables the RAM guard function and specifies the space to be protected. This register can be accessed by an 8-bit memory manipulation instruction.

Address: F0078H After reset: 00H R/W

Symbol	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
IAWCTL	IAWEN	0	GRAM[1:0]	0	GPORT	GINT	GCSC	

Bit Name	Description
GRAM[1:0]	RAM guard space (protected area) 00B: Disabled 01B: 128 bytes starting from the RAM lowest address 10B: 256 bytes starting from the RAM lowest address 11B: 512 bytes starting from the RAM lowest address

Table 7-1: RAM guard space by RL78/F13 (LIN-incorporated) products

Product	GRAM[1:0]=01B	GRAM[1:0]=10B	GRAM[1:0]=11B
R5F10AnA (n=6, A, B, G)	FFB00H - FFB7FH	FFB00H - FFBFFH	FFB00H - FFCFFH
R5F10AnC (n=6, A, B, G, L)	FF700H - FF77FH	FF700H - FF7FFH	FF700H - FF8FFH
R5F10AnD (n=6, A, B, G, L)	FF300H - FF37FH	FF300H - FF3FFH	FF300H - FF4FFH
R5F10AnE (n=6, A, B, G, L, M)	FEF00H - FEF7FH	FEF00H - FEFFFH	FEF00H - FF0FFH
R5F10AnF (n=G, L, M)	FE700H - FE77FH	FE700H - FE7FFH	FE700H - FE8FFH
R5F10AnG (n=G, L, M)	FDF00H - FDF7FH	FDF00H - FDFFFH	FDF00H - FE0FFH

Table 7-2: RAM guard space by RL78/F13 (CAN&LIN-incorporated) products

Product	GRAM[1:0]=01B	GRAM[1:0]=10B	GRAM[1:0]=11B
R5F10BnC (n=A, B, G, L)	FF700H - FF77FH	FF700H - FF7FFH	FF700H - FF8FFH
R5F10BnD (n=A, B, G, L)	FF300H - FF37FH	FF300H - FF3FFH	FF300H - FF4FFH
R5F10BnE (n=A, B, G, L, M)	FEF00H - FEF7FH	FEF00H - FEFFFH	FEF00H - FF0FFH
R5F10BnF (n=A, B, G, L, M)	FE700H - FE77FH	FE700H - FE7FFH	FE700H - FE8FFH
R5F10BnG (n=A, B, G, L, M)	FDF00H - FDF7FH	FDF00H - FDFFFH	FDF00H - FE0FFH

Table 7-3: RAM guard space by RL78/F14 products

Product	GRAM[1:0]=01B	GRAM[1:0]=10B	GRAM[1:0]=11B
R5F10PnD (n=A, B, G)	FEF00H - FEF7FH	FEF00H - FEFFFH	FEF00H - FF0FFH
R5F10PnE (n=A, B, G, L, M, P)	FE700H - FE77FH	FE700H - FE7FFH	FE700H - FE8FFH
R5F10PnF (n=G, L, M, P)	FDF00H - FDF7FH	FDF00H - FDFFFH	FDF00H - FE0FFH
R5F10PnG (n=G, L, M, P)	FD700H - FD77FH	FD700H - FD7FFH	FD700H - FD8FFH
R5F10PnH (n=G, L, M, P)	FBF00H - FBF7FH	FBF00H - FBFFFH	FBF00H - FC0FFH
R5F10PnJ (n=G, L, M, P)	FAF00H - FAF7FH	FAF00H - FAFFFH	FAF00H - FB0FFH

7.3 Flow Chart of RAM Guard Function

Figure 7-1 is a flow chart of the RAM guard function.

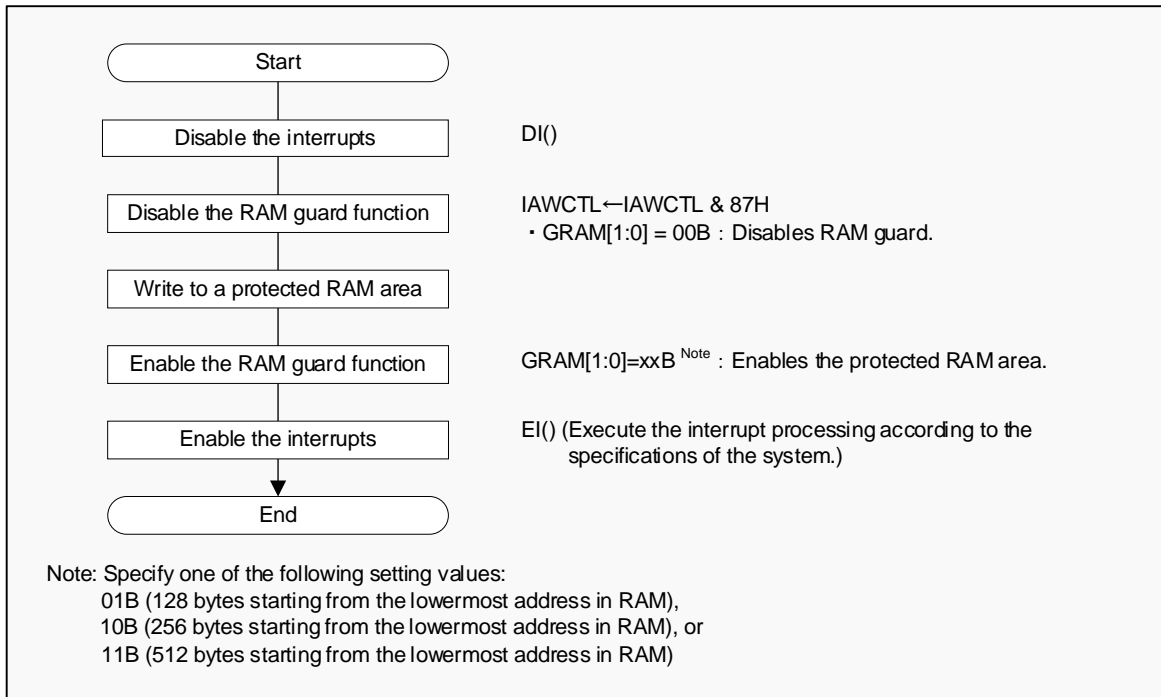


Figure 7-1 Flow Chart of RAM Guard Function

7.4 Cautions when Using the RAM Guard Function

The following are the cautions for when using the RAM guard function.

- (1) When writing to a protected area in RAM by step execution during on-chip debugging, the RAM guard function is disabled.
- (2) Do not specify a RAM area that is used as a stack to an area where the RAM guard function is enabled.

8. SFR Guard Function

8.1 Overview of SFR Guard Function

The SFR guard function protects data of the registers used for port/interrupt/clock control functions and the registers to control the voltage detection circuit. Once the SFR guard function is enabled, writing data to the SFR that is protected will be invalid. **Table 8-1** lists the registers that the SFR guard function can protect.

Table 8-1: SFR Guard-Target Registers

Function	Registers protected by SFR guard function ^{Note}
Port function	PMxx, PUxx, PIMxx, POMxx, PMCxx, PITHLxx, ADPC, PIORx
Interrupt function	IFxx, MKxx, PRxx, EGPx, EGNx
Clock control and voltage drop detection	CMC, CSC, OSTs, CKC, PERx, OSMC, LVIM, LVIS, CANCKSEL, LINCKSEL, CKSEL, PLLCTL, MDIV, RTCCL, POCRES, STPSTC

Note: The target registers vary depending on products (according to ports or interrupt implemented).

8.2 Registers Used for SFR Guard Function

The registers used for the SFR guard function are described below.

(1) Invalid memory access detection control register (IAWCTL)

This register is used to enable/disable the SFR guard function. This register can be accessed by an 8-bit memory manipulation instruction.

Address: F0078H After reset: 00H R/W

Symbol	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
IAWCTL	IAWEN	0	GRAM[1:0]		0	GPORT	GINT	GCSC

Bit Name	Description
GPORT	Guard of registers for the port function 0: Disabled 1: Enabled
GINT	Guard of registers for the interrupt function 0: Disabled 1: Enabled
GCSC	Guard of registers for the clock control and the voltage detection circuit 0: Disabled 1: Enabled

8.3 Flow Chart of SFR Guard Function

Figure 8-1 is a flow chart of the RAM guard function.

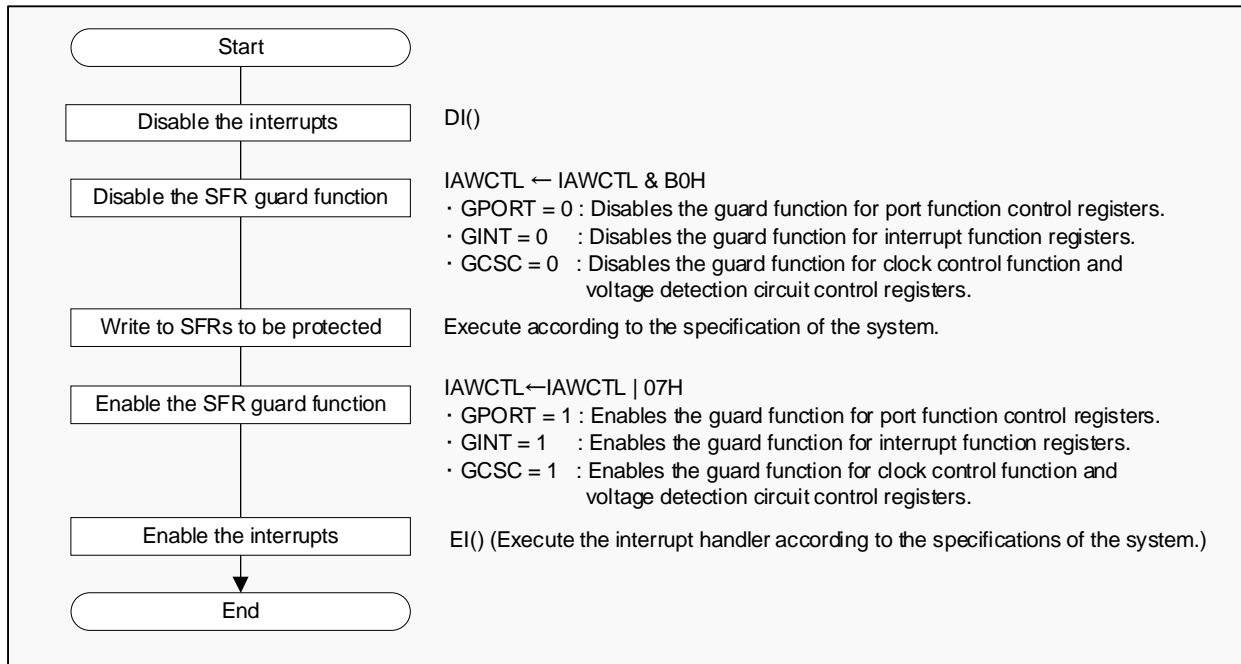


Figure 8-1 Flow Chart of SFR Guard Function

8.4 Cautions when Using SFR Guard Function

The following are the cautions when using the SFR guard function.

- (1) This function will be disabled when reset is released (the values of the GPORT, GINT and GCSC bits are set to 0.)

9. Invalid Memory Access Detection Function

9.1 Overview of Invalid Memory Access Detection Function

The invalid memory access detection function triggers a reset if an Invalid Access Detection space (see **Figure 9-1**) is accessed.

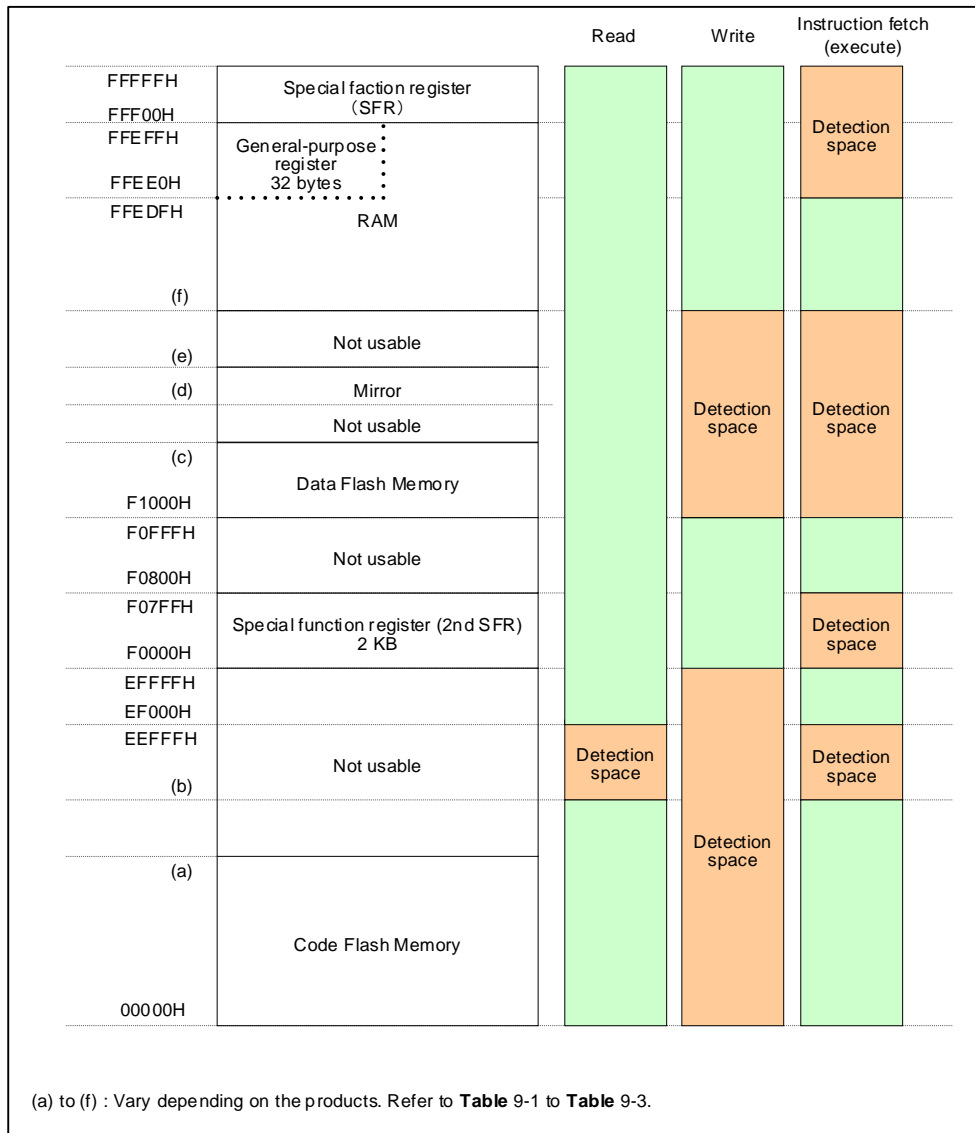


Figure 9-1 Invalid Access Detection Area

Table 9-1: Memory Space by RL78/F13 models (LIN incorporated)

Products (models)	(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)
R5F10AnA (n=6, A, B, G)	03FFFFH	10000H	F1FFFFH	F2000H	F4000H	FFB00H
R5F10AnC (n=6, A, B, G, L)	07FFFFH	10000H	F1FFFFH	F2000H	F8000H	FF700H
R5F10AnD (n=6, A, B, G, L)	0BFFFFH	10000H	F1FFFFH	F2000H	FC000H	FF300H
R5F10AnE (n=6, A, B, G, L)	0FFFFFH	10000H	F1FFFFH	F2000H	-	FEF00H
R5F10AME	0FFFFFH	10000H	F1FFFFH	F2000H	FDF00H	FEF00H
R5F10AnF (n=G, L, M)	17FFFFH	20000H	F1FFFFH	F2000H	FDF00H	FE700H
R5F10AnG (n=G, L, M)	1FFFFFH	20000H	F1FFFFH	F2000H	-	FDF00H

Table 9-2: Memory Space by RL78/F13 models (CAN & LIN incorporated)

Products (models)	(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)
R5F10BnC (n=A, B, G, L)	07FFFFH	10000H	F1FFFFH	F2000H	F8000H	FF700H
R5F10BnD (n=A, B, G, L)	0BFFFFH	10000H	F1FFFFH	F2000H	FC000H	FF300H
R5F10BnE (n=A, B, G, L, M)	0FFFFFH	10000H	F1FFFFH	F2000H	FDF00H	FEF00H
R5F10BnF (n=A, B, G, L, M)	17FFFFH	20000H	F1FFFFH	F2000H	FDF00H	FE700H
R5F10BnG (n=A, B, G, L, M)	1FFFFFH	20000H	F1FFFFH	F2000H	-	FDF00H

Table 9-3: Memory Space by RL78/F14 models

Products (models)	(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)
R5F10PnD (n=A, B, G)	0BFFFFH	10000H	F1FFFFH	F2000H	FC000H	FEF00H
R5F10PnE (n=A, B, G, L, M)	0FFFFFH	10000H	F1FFFFH	F2000H	FDF00H	FE700H
R5F10PPE	0FFFFFH	10000H	F1FFFFH	F3000H	FAF00H	FE700H
R5F10PnF (n=G, L, M)	17FFFFH	20000H	F1FFFFH	F2000H	-	FDF00H
R5F10PPF	17FFFFH	20000H	F1FFFFH	F3000H	FAF00H	FDF00H
R5F10PnG (n=G, L, M, P)	1FFFFFH	20000H	F2FFFFH	F3000H	FAF00H	FD700H
R5F10PnH (n=G, L, M, P)	2FFFFFH	30000H	F2FFFFH	F3000H	FAF00H	FBF00H
R5F10PnJ (n=G, L, M, P)	3FFFFFH	40000H	F2FFFFH	F3000H	-	FAF00H

9.2 Register used for Invalid Memory Access Detection Function

The registers used for the invalid memory access detection function are described below.

(1) Invalid memory access detection control register (IAWCTL)

This register enables/disables detection of any invalid memory access. This register can be accessed by an 8-bit memory manipulation instruction.

Address: F0078H After reset: 00H R/W

Symbol	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
IAWCTL	IAWEN	0	GRAM[1:0]	0	GPORT	GINT	GCSC	

Bit Name	Description
IAWEN ^{Note}	0: Disables detection of invalid memory access. 1: Enables detection of invalid memory access.

Note: Only writing 1 to the IAWEN bit is valid and writing 0 after setting the IAWEN bit to 1 is invalid.

9.3 Flow Chart of Invalid Memory Access Detection Function

Figure 9-2 is a flow chart of the invalid memory access detection function.

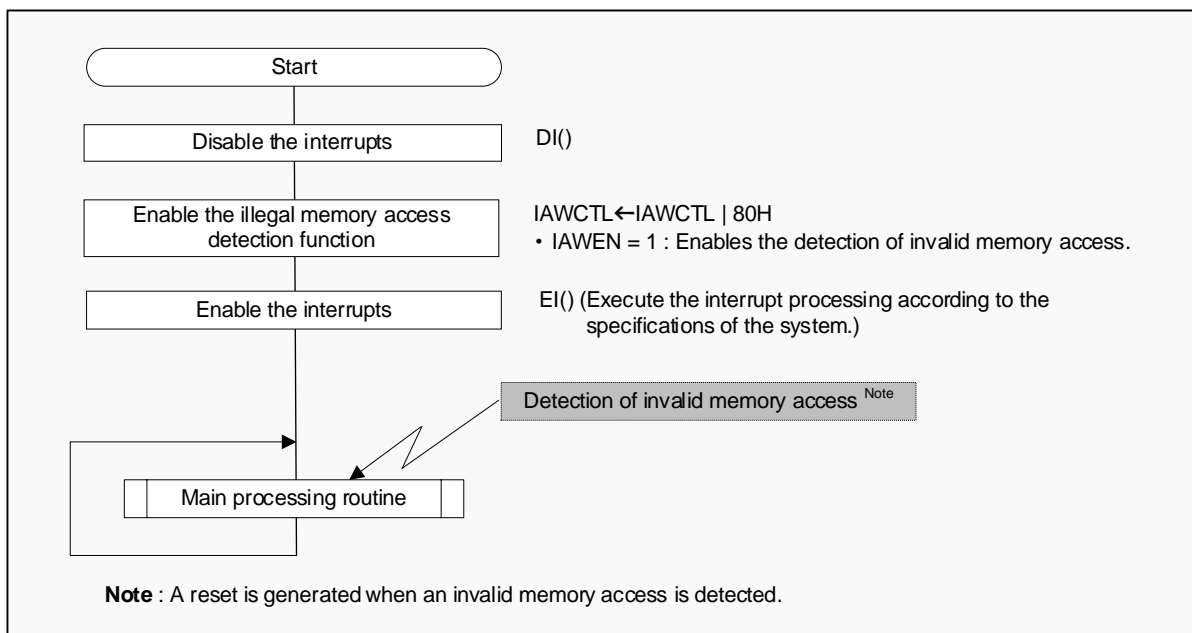


Figure 9-2 Flow Chart of Invalid Memory Access Detection Function

9.4 Cautions when Using Invalid Memory Access Function

The following are the cautions when using the invalid memory access detection function.

- When the value of bit 4 (WDTON) in the user option byte (000C0H/020C0H) is set to 1, the invalid memory access detection function is enabled regardless of the setting value to the IAWEN bit.
- With a product having a code flash memory whose size is 16KB/32KB/48KB, a value “FFH” will be read if the space [between the start address of the code flash memory (the address “a” in Figure 9-1) and the address 0FFFFH] is invalidly accessed. Also, if an instruction fetch is executed in the same space by an invalid access, a reset is generated due to execution of the invalid instruction.
- With a product having a code flash memory whose size is 96KB, a value “FFH” will be read if the space [between the start address of the code flash memory (an address “a” in Figure 9-1) and the address 1FFFFH] is invalidly accessed. Also, if an instruction fetch is executed in the same space by an invalid access, a reset is generated due to execution of the invalid instruction.

10. Frequency Detection Function

10.1 Overview of Frequency Detection Function

When either of the high-speed on-chip oscillator clock (f_{IH}), high-speed system clock (f_{MX}) or PLL clock (f_{PLL}) is selected for the CPU/peripheral hardware clock (f_{CLK}), the frequency detection function can detect any abnormality in the CPU/peripheral hardware clock (f_{CLK}) by comparing the selected clock with the low-speed on-chip oscillation clock (f_{IL}).

The number of clock cycles of the monitor clock (either one of f_{IH} , f_{MX} , or f_{PLL}) during a period of one clock cycle of the standard clock (low-speed on-chip oscillator clock) is counted using timer array unit 0 (TAU0). Based on the counted cycles, determine whether the frequency is correct or not using the user software.

10.2 Registers Used for Frequency Detection Function

The registers used for the frequency detection function are described below.

(1) Timer input select register 0 (TIS0)

This register selects the timer input used for channel 1 of timer array unit 0 (TAU0). To use the frequency detection function, select the low speed on chip oscillator clock as the input. This register can be accessed by an 8-bit memory manipulation instruction.

Address: F0074H After reset: 00H R/W

Symbol	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
TIS0	TIS07	TIS06	0	TIS04	0	TIS0[2:0]		

Bit Name	Description
TIS0[2:0]	Selects the timer input used for channel 1 of timer array unit 0. 000B, 010B, 011B: Input signal of timer input pin (TI01) 001B: Event input signal from ELC 100B: Low-speed on-chip oscillator clock (f_{IL}) 101B: Sub/low-speed on-chip oscillator select clock (f_{SL}) Other than above: Setting prohibited

(2) Timer array unit 0-related registers

- Timer mode register 01 (TMR01)
 - CKS01[1:0] = Selects an operation clock (Select any one from CK00 to CK03 for the operation clock of channel 1.)
 - CCS01 = 0 (Sets 0 to “count clock selection”. (Selects the operation clock (f_{MCK}).)
 - SPLIT01 = 0 (Selects “16-bit timer operation”).
 - STS01[2:0] = 001B (The valid edge of the TI01 pin input is used as both the start trigger and capture trigger.)
 - CIS01[1:0] = 00B (Selects falling edge detection for valid edge of TI01 pin input.)
 - MD01[3:1] = 010B (Selects “capture mode” as the operating mode for channel 1.)
 - MD010 = 0 (Selects “No generation of INTTM01 at count start”).
- Timer channel start register 0 (TS0)
 - TS01: Enables channel 1 operation.
- Timer data register 01 (TDR01)
 - Captures the counter value with an input signal of the low-speed on-chip oscillator clock.
- Timer status register 01 (TSR01)
 - OVF: Checks whether channel 1 overflowed or not.
- Timer channel stop register 0 (TT0)
 - TT01: Stops the channel 1 operation.

10.3 Flow Chart of Frequency Detection Function

Figure 10-1 is a flow chart of the frequency detection function.

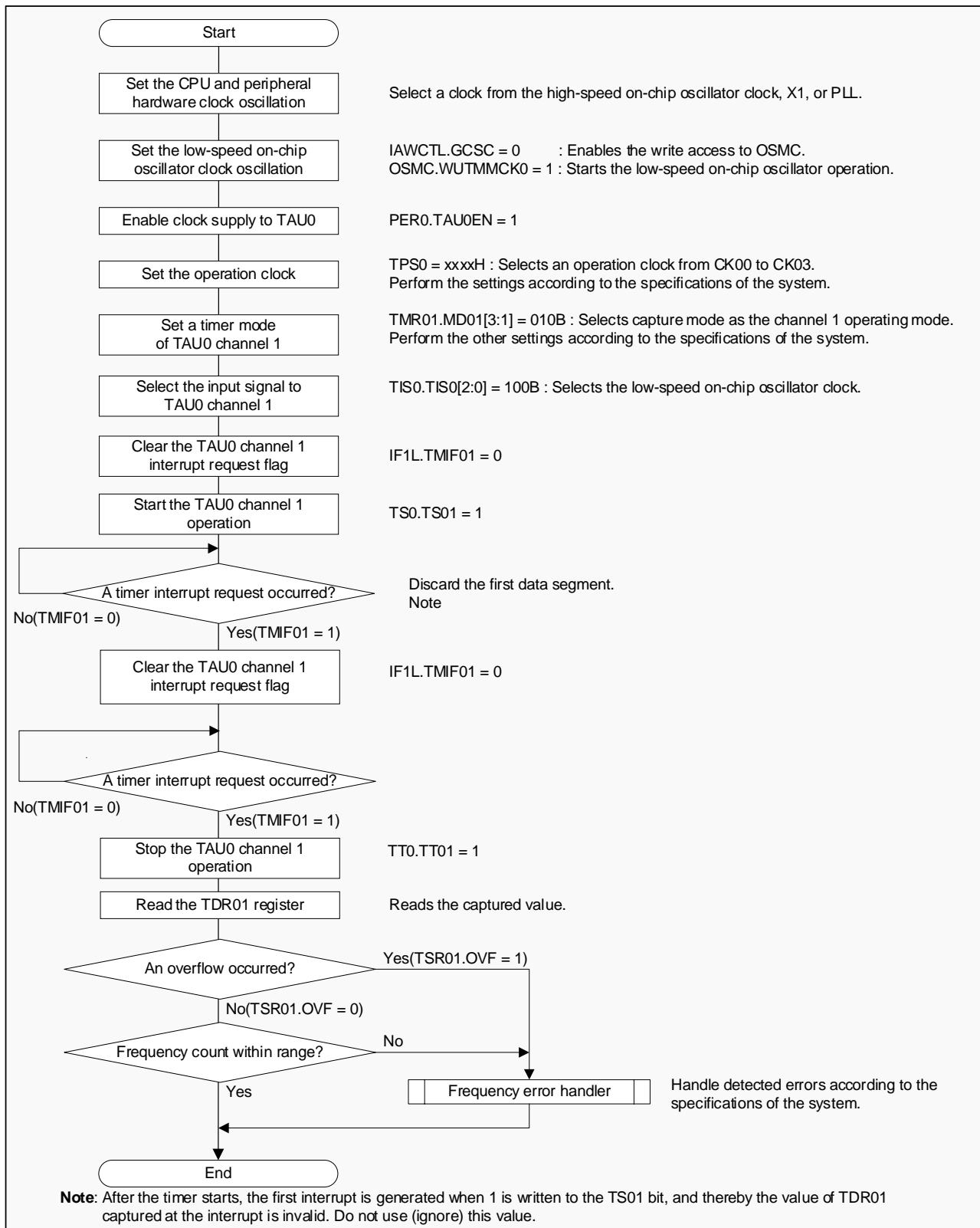


Figure 10-1 Flow Chart of Frequency Detection Function

10.4 Cautions when Using Frequency Detection Function

The following are the cautions for when using the frequency detection function.

- (1) The determination of whether or not the clock is operating on an abnormal frequency must consider the accuracy of both the low speed on chip oscillator clock used for the standard clock and the oscillation clock used for the monitor clock (high-speed on-chip oscillator clock, high-speed system clock, and PLL clock).

11. A/D Test Function

11.1 Overview of A/D Test Function

This A/D test function checks whether the A/D converter is operating normally by executing A/D conversions on three different internal voltages of 0V, the AV_{REF} voltage, and the internal reference voltage (1.45V).

11.2 Registers used for A/D Test Function

The registers used for the A/D test function are described below.

(1) A/D test register (ADTES)

This register selects the A/D conversion target. This register can be accessed by an 8-bit memory manipulation instruction.

Address: F0013H After reset: 00H R/W

Symbol	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
ADTES	0	0	0	0	0	0	ADTES[1:0]	

Bit Name	Description
ADTES[1:0]	Selects an A/D conversion target. 00B: ANI _{xx} / temperature sensor output/ internal reference voltage output (1.45V) This is specified by the analog input channel specification register (ADS register.) 01B: Setting prohibited 10B: AV_{REFM} 11B: AV_{REFP}

(2) Analog input channel specification register (ADS)

This register specifies the input channel of the analog voltage to be A/D converted. This register can be accessed by a 1-bit memory manipulation instruction or an 8-bit memory manipulation instruction.

Address: FFF31H After reset: 00H R/W

Symbol	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
ADS	ADISS	0	0	ADS[4:0]				

Bit Name	Description
ADISS	Selects an A/D conversion target. 0: Analog input channel (ANI _x) 1: Temperature sensor/ internal reference voltage output (1.45V)
ADS[4:0]	Channel selection · Select mode (ADMD=0) ADISS=0 [When the analog input channel (ANI _x) is selected]: 00000B: ANI0, 00001B: ANI1, 00010B: ANI2, 00011B: ANI3, 00100B: ANI4, 00101B: ANI5, 00110B: ANI6, 00111B: ANI7, 01000B: ANI8, 01001B: ANI9, 01010B: ANI10, 01011B: ANI11, 01100B: ANI12, 01101B: ANI13, 01110B: ANI14, 01111B: ANI15, 10000B: ANI16, 10001B: ANI17, 10010B: ANI18, 10011B: ANI19, 10100B: ANI20, 10101B: ANI21, 10110B: ANI22, 10111B: ANI23, 11000B: ANI24, 11001B: ANI25, 11010B: ANI26, 11011B: ANI27, 11100B: ANI28, 11101B: ANI29, 11110B: ANI30, 11111B: Setting prohibited ADISS=1 (when a temperature sensor or internal reference voltage output is selected): 00000B: Temperature sensor output 00001B: Internal reference voltage output (1.45V) Others: Setting prohibited · Scan mode (ADMD=1) When ADISS=0: 00000B: ANI0-3, 00001B: ANI1-4, 00010B: ANI2-5, 00011B: ANI3-6, 00100B: ANI4-7, 00101B: ANI5-8, 00110B: ANI6-9, 00111B: ANI7-10, 01000B: ANI8-11, 01001B: ANI9-12, 01010B: ANI10-13, 01011B: ANI11-14, 01100B: ANI12-15, 10000B: ANI16-19, 10001B: ANI17-20, 10010B: ANI18-21, 10011B: ANI19-22, 10100B: ANI20-23, Other than the above: Setting prohibited When ADISS=1: Setting prohibited

11.3 Flow Chart of A/D Test Function

Figure 11-1 is the flow chart of the A/D test function.

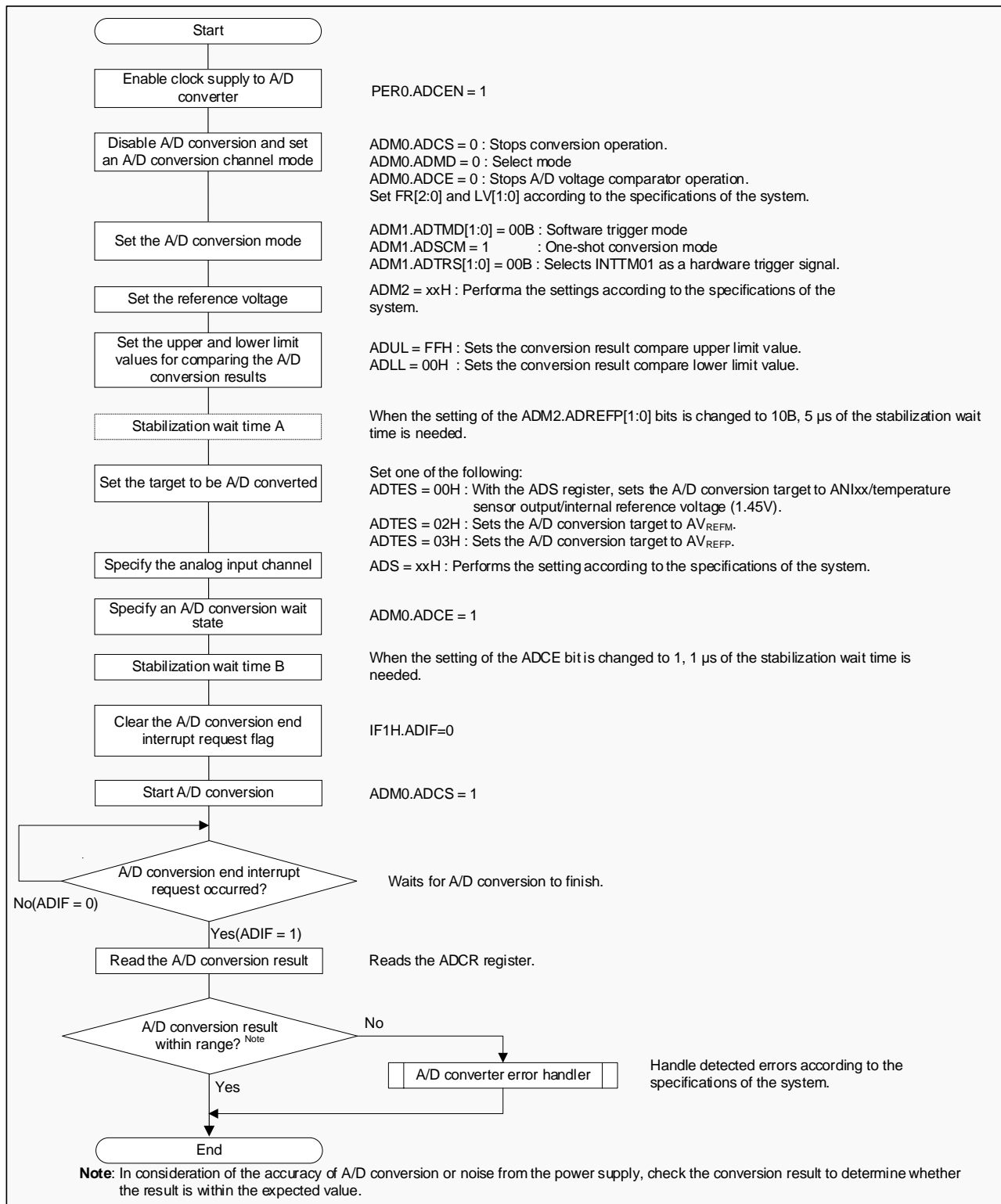


Figure 11-1 Flow Chart of A/D Test Function

11.4 Cautions when Using A/D Test Function

The following are the cautions for when using the A/D test function.

- (1) When the ADISS bit in the ADS register is set to 1, the result of the first A/D conversion cannot be used.
- (2) The A/D conversion results must be checked with consideration of the accuracy of A/D conversions, or noise from the power supply by using several samples of evaluation data or values having ample margins.

12. Digital Output Signal Level Detection Function for I/O Ports

12.1 Overview of Digital Output Signal Level Detection Function for I/O Ports

This function can read the output level of the pin when the I/O ports are in output mode and check whether the output level is correct or not.

12.2 Registers used for Digital Output Signal Level Detection Function for I/O Ports

The registers used for the digital output signal level detection function for I/O ports are described below.

(1) Port mode select register (PMS)

This register specifies whether the output latch value of a port or the output level of a pin is to be read when the port is in output mode. This register can be accessed by a 1-bit memory manipulation instruction or an 8-bit memory manipulation instruction.

Address: F0077H After reset: 00H R/W

Symbol	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
PMS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	PMS0

Bit Name	Description
PMS0	Selects the data to be read when the port is in output mode (PMmn=0). 0: Reads the value (output latch) of Pmn register. 1: Reads the output level of a pin.

Remark: m= 0, 1, 3 to10, 12 to 15 /n= 0 to 7

12.3 Flow Chart of Digital Output Signal Level Detection for I/O Ports

Figure 12-1 is a flow chart of the digital output signal level detection for I/O ports.

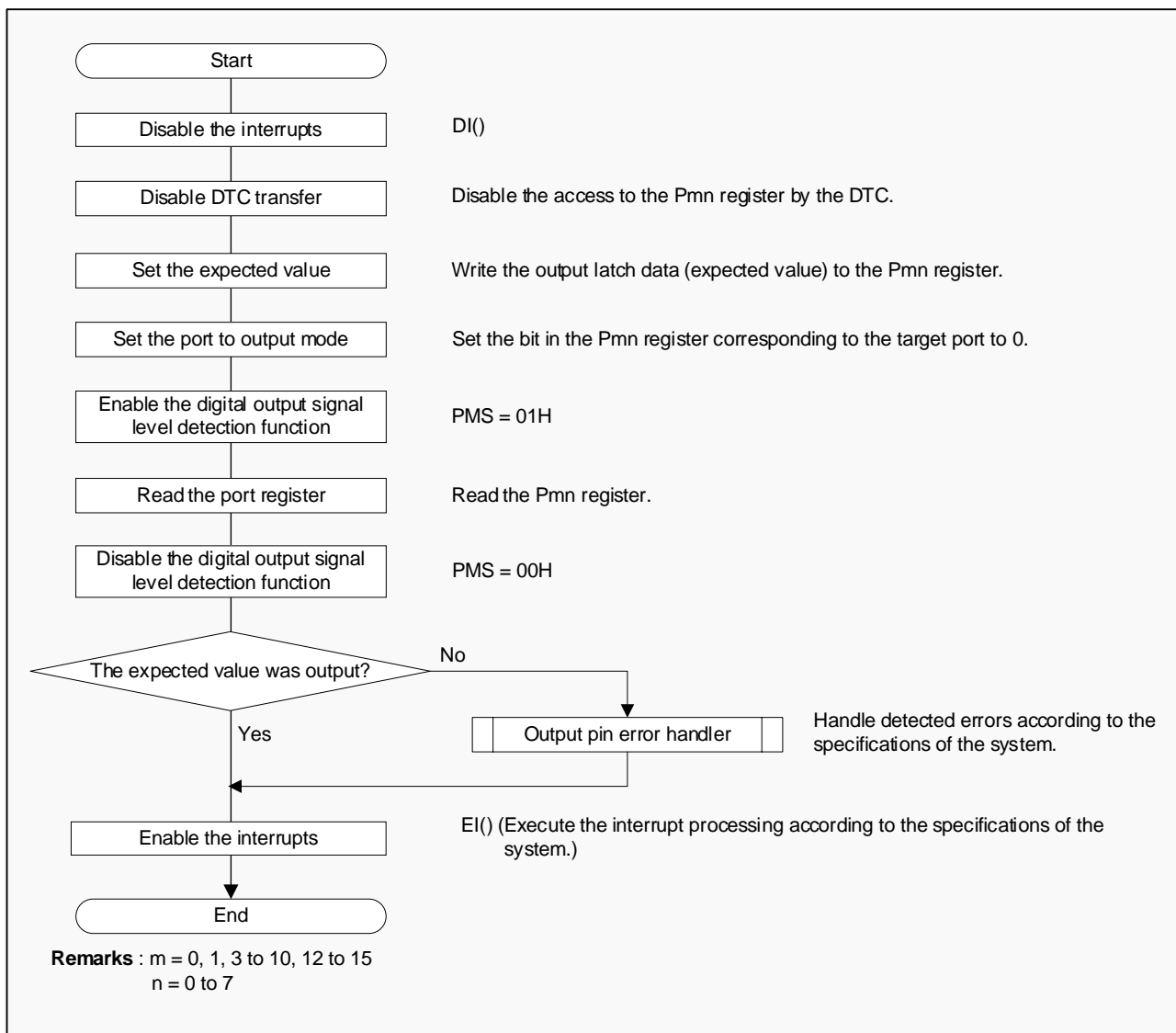


Figure 12-1 Flow Chart of Digital Output Signal Level Detection for I/O ports

12.4 Cautions when Using Digital Output Signal Level Detection for I/O Ports

The following are the cautions when using the digital output signal level detection for I/O ports.

- When any writing is executed for a port register (Pmn) with a bit manipulation instruction or an AND, OR instruction while the PMS0 bit in the PMS register is set to 1 (Output level of the pin is read), the output levels read are stored in the bits (other bits in the same port register). To write to the port register when the PMS0 bit is set to 1, an 8-bit data transfer instruction must be used. Also, the port register must be read while the DI (interrupt disabled) has been set.

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General Precautions in the Handling of Microprocessing Unit and Microcontroller Unit Products

The following usage notes are applicable to all Microprocessing unit and Microcontroller unit products from Renesas. For detailed usage notes on the products covered by this document, refer to the relevant sections of the document as well as any technical updates that have been issued for the products.

1. Handling of Unused Pins

Handle unused pins in accordance with the directions given under Handling of Unused Pins in the manual.

- The input pins of CMOS products are generally in the high-impedance state. In operation with an unused pin in the open-circuit state, extra electromagnetic noise is induced in the vicinity of LSI, an associated shoot-through current flows internally, and malfunctions occur due to the false recognition of the pin state as an input signal become possible. Unused pins should be handled as described under Handling of Unused Pins in the manual.

2. Processing at Power-on

The state of the product is undefined at the moment when power is supplied.

- The states of internal circuits in the LSI are indeterminate and the states of register settings and pins are undefined at the moment when power is supplied.

In a finished product where the reset signal is applied to the external reset pin, the states of pins are not guaranteed from the moment when power is supplied until the reset process is completed.

In a similar way, the states of pins in a product that is reset by an on-chip power-on reset function are not guaranteed from the moment when power is supplied until the power reaches the level at which resetting has been specified.

3. Prohibition of Access to Reserved Addresses

Access to reserved addresses is prohibited.

- The reserved addresses are provided for the possible future expansion of functions. Do not access these addresses; the correct operation of LSI is not guaranteed if they are accessed.

4. Clock Signals

After applying a reset, only release the reset line after the operating clock signal has become stable. When switching the clock signal during program execution, wait until the target clock signal has stabilized.

- When the clock signal is generated with an external resonator (or from an external oscillator) during a reset, ensure that the reset line is only released after full stabilization of the clock signal. Moreover, when switching to a clock signal produced with an external resonator (or by an external oscillator) while program execution is in progress, wait until the target clock signal is stable.

5. Differences between Products

Before changing from one product to another, i.e. to a product with a different part number, confirm that the change will not lead to problems.

- The characteristics of Microprocessing unit or Microcontroller unit products in the same group but having a different part number may differ in terms of the internal memory capacity, layout pattern, and other factors, which can affect the ranges of electrical characteristics, such as characteristic values, operating margins, immunity to noise, and amount of radiated noise. When changing to a product with a different part number, implement a system-evaluation test for the given product.

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