

R8C/27 Group and R8C/33C Group

Differences between R8C/27 Group and R8C/33C Group

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1. Abstract

This document is reference material for identifying differences between the R8C/27 Group and R8C/33C Group.

2. Introduction

This document applies to the following microcomputers (MCUs):

• MCUs: R8C/27 Group and R8C/33C Group

3. R8C/33C Group Replaces R8C/27 Group

Since the R8C/33C Group is an upward compatible product of the R8C/27 Group, replacing the R8C/27 Group with the R8C/33C Group is easy. For more details, refer to 4. Group Differences and the hardware user's manual.

3.1 Upward Compatibility of Functions

Additional functions for the R8C/33C Group are as follows:

- (1) Add detection level selections to voltage detection 0 and voltage detection 1.
- (2) Add a data transfer controller (DTC).
- (3) Add a low-speed on-chip oscillator for the watchdog timer.
- (4) Add event input control to timer RA.
- (5) Add A/D trigger generation to timer RC.
- (6) Add one channel of the serial interface (UART2) with clock synchronous serial I/O mode, clock asynchronous serial I/O mode (UART mode), special mode (I²C mode), and multiprocessor communication function.
- (7) Add bus collision detection to the hardware LIN during Synch Break transmission.
- (8) Add repeat mode 1, single sweep mode, and repeat sweep mode to A/D converter operating mode. Add timer RC and an external trigger for the A/D conversion start conditions of repeat mode 0. Add AD1 to AD7 to the storage registers for the A/D conversion results.
- (9) Add a D/A converter.
- (10) Add comparator B.
- (11) Add a data protect function and background operation (BGO) function to the flash memory. Add two blocks of data flash.

4. Group Differences

4.1 Function and Specification Differences

Table 4.1 to Table 4.7 list differences in the functions and specifications. For more details regarding pin function differences, refer to 4.2 Pin Function Differences.

Table 4.1 Function and Specification Differences (1) (1)

	Item	R8C/27 Group	R8C/33C Group
Memory	ROM/RAM	• 8 KB/512 B •16 KB/1 KB • 24 KB/1.5 KB • 32 KB/1.5 KB	• 4 KB/512 B • 8 KB/1 KB • 16 KB/1.5 KB • 24 KB/2 KB • 32 KB/2.5 KB
Reset		Reset source determination function: Not included CPU clock after reset: low-speed on-chip oscillator divided by 8 Flash memory start time of reset sequence: 14 cycles of CPU clock	Reset source determination function: Included CPU clock after reset: low-speed on-chip oscillator no division Flash memory start time of reset sequence: 148 cycles of CPU clock
Voltage detection circuits	Voltage detection 0	Voltage monitor 0: Included (2) Detection voltage cannot be selected. Digital filter function: Included (digital filter can be selected as included or not included)	 Voltage monitor 0: Included Detection voltage can be selected (four levels). Digital filter function: Not included
	Voltage detection 1	 Detection voltage cannot be selected. Detection edge cannot be selected. Digital filter sampling time: (fOCO-S divided by n) x 4 n: 1, 2, 4, 8 Voltage monitor 1 reset: Included Voltage monitor 1 interrupt: Included (2) (non-maskable interrupt fixed) Monitor: Included (2) 	 Detection voltage can be selected (16 levels). Detection edge can be selected (one edge or both edges). Digital filter sampling time: (fOCO-S divided by n) x 2 n: 1, 2, 4, 8 Voltage monitor 1 reset: Not included Voltage monitor 1 interrupt: Included (non-maskable interrupt or maskable interrupt can be selected) Monitor: Included
	Voltage detection 2	 Detection edge cannot be selected. Digital filter sampling time: (fOCO-S divided by n) x 4 n: 1, 2, 4, 8 Voltage monitor 2 reset: Included Voltage monitor 2 interrupt: Included (non-maskable interrupt fixed) 	 Detection edge can be selected (one edge or both edges). Digital filter sampling time: (fOCO-S divided by n) x 2 n: 1, 2, 4, 8 Voltage monitor 2 reset: Not included Voltage monitor 2 interrupt: Included (non-maskable interrupt or maskable interrupt can be selected.)

- 1. Refer to the hardware user's manual for details and electrical characteristics.
- 2. This only applies to the N and D versions in the R8C/27 Group.

Table 4.2 Function and Specification Differences (2) (1)

Item	R8C/27 Group	R8C/33C Group
I/O ports	 I/O ports: 25 Input ports: 3 Input threshold value cannot be selected. Ports for LED drive: 8 (2) Port input function cannot be selected. 	Input port: 27 Input port: 1 Input threshold value can be selected. High current drive ports: 27 Port input function can be selected (selectable dependent/not dependent on the direction register).
Clock generation circuits	 XCIN clock oscillation circuit can be used. (2) Clock source for fOCO128 depends on the FRA01 bit. fC cannot be selected as the peripheral function clock. Low-speed on-chip oscillator for watchdog timer: Not included XIN-XOUT drive capacity can be selected. XCIN-XCOUT drive capacity can be selected. 	XCIN clock oscillation circuit can be used. Clock source for fOCO128 depends on the FRA03 bit. fC can be selected as the peripheral function clock. Low-speed on-chip oscillator for watchdog timer: Included XIN-XOUT drive capacity cannot be selected. XCIN-XCOUT drive capacity cannot be selected.
High-speed on-chip oscillator	 No correction value for 32 MHz Frequency correction data for all supply voltage ranges: Included Divide-by-2 or divide-by-3 for high-speed on-chip oscillator clock division ratio cannot be selected. (3) 	 Correction value for 32 MHz Frequency correction data for all supply voltage ranges: Not included Divide-by-2 or divide-by-3 for high-speed on-chip oscillator clock division ratio can be selected.
Interrupts	Interrupt sources: 24 (2) External interrupt inputs: 7 (INT x 3, key input x 4)	Interrupt sources: 32 External interrupt inputs: 7 (INT x 3, key input x 4)
Watchdog timer	 Underflow period cannot be selected Refresh acknowledgement period cannot be selected. 15 bits x 1 channel 	 Underflow period can be selected (four steps). Refresh acknowledgement period can be selected (four steps). 14 bits x 1 channel
DTC	Not included	Included

- 1. Refer to the hardware user's manual for details and electrical characteristics.
- 2. These only apply to the N and D versions in the R8C/27 Group.
- 3. This only applies to the K version in the R8C/27 Group.

Table 4.3 Function and Specification Differences (3) (1)

Item		R8C/27 Group	R8C/33C Group
Timer RA	Count source	• fC32 can be selected. (2) • fC cannot be selected.	fC32 can be selected. fC can be selected.
Timer IVA	-	Event input control function: Not included	Event input control function: Included
	Count source	fOCO-F cannot be selected.	fOCO-F can be selected.
	_	Module operation enable bit (MSTTRC bit): Not included	Module operation enable bit (MSTTRC bit): Included
Timer RC	Output compare function	TRCGRC register cannot be used to control TRCIOA pin output. TRCGRD register cannot be used to control TRCIOB pin output. A/D trigger is not generated.	 TRCGRC register can be used to control TRCIOA pin output. TRCGRD register can be used to control TRCIOB pin output. A/D trigger generation can be selected.
	PWM mode	Use shared bit to set active level/initial output. A/D trigger is not generated.	 Use each bit to set active level/initial output. A/D trigger generation can be selected.
	PWM2 mode	A/D trigger is not generated.	A/D trigger generation can be selected.
Timer RE (real- time clock mode)	1	Included (2)	Included
	TREO pin output function	Either f2, f4, or f8 is output.	Either f2, fC, f4, f8, or 1 Hz is output.
Timer RE	Count source	fC4 can be selected. (2)	fC4 can be selected.
(output compare mode)	TREO pin output function	Either f2, f4, or f8 is output.	Either f2, fC, f4, f8, or compare output is output.

- 1. Refer to the hardware user's manual for details and electrical characteristics.
- 2. These only apply to the N and D versions in the R8C/27 Group.

Table 4.4 Function and Specification Differences (4) (1)

Item		R8C/27 Group	R8C/33C Group
Serial interface (UART0) Count source		fC cannot be selected.	fC can be selected.
Serial interface (UART1) Count source		fC cannot be selected.	fC can be selected.
Serial interface (U.	ART2)	Not included	Included
Clock synchronous serial interface (synchronous serial communication unit)		Module operation enable bit (MSTIIC bit): Not included Transfer data length: 8 bits fixed Transmit/receive data register length: 8 bits	Module operation enable bit (MSTIIC bit): Included Transfer data length: 8 bits to 16 bits can be selected. Transmit/receive data register length: 16 bits
Clock synchronous serial interface (I ² C-bus interface)		Module operation enable bit (MSTIIC bit): Not included Double or half transfer cannot be selected. SDA digital delay: Not included	 Module operation enable bit (MSTIIC bit): Included Double or half transfer can be selected. SDA digital delay: Included (three steps)
Hardware LIN		Bus collision during Sync Break transmission cannot be detected.	Bus collision during Sync Break transmission can be detected (enable/disable can be switched).

Refer to the hardware user's manual for details and electrical characteristics.

Table 4.5 Function and Specification Differences (5) (1)

	Item	R8C/27 Group	R8C/33C Group
	Operating modes	One-shot mode Repeat mode	 One-shot mode Repeat mode 0 Repeat mode 1 Single sweep mode Repeat sweep mode
	A/D conversion start conditions	Software trigger	Software trigger Timer RC External trigger
A/D converter	Registers for storing A/D conversion results	One	Eight
	Operating clocks (φAD)	• f1, f2, f4, and fOCO-F	• fAD, fAD divided by 2, fAD divided by 4, fAD divided by 8 (fAD = f1 or fOCO-F)
	Conversion rate (2)	33 φAD cycles	Minimum 44 φAD cycles
	Sample and hold function	Included or not included: Can be selected	Included or not included: Cannot be selected (fixed as included)
	On-chip reference voltage	Not included	Included
D/A Converter		Not included	Included
Comparator B		Not included	Included

- 1. Refer to the hardware user's manual for details and electrical characteristics.
- 2. The conversion rate is based on the conditions of one-shot mode, 10-bit resolution, and the sample and hold function.

Table 4.6 Function and Specification Differences (6) (1)

Item R8C/27 Group		R8C/33C Group
	Program ROM size is 8 KB or 16 KB	Program ROM size is 2 KB, 4 KB, or 8
	per block.	KB per block.
	 Data flash area: 1 KB × 2 blocks 	Data flash area: 1 KB × 4 blocks
	Data protect function: Not included	Data protect function: Included
	BGO function: Not included	BGO function: Included
	Erase/write error interrupt: Not	Erase/write error interrupt: Included
	included	Flash access error interrupt: Included
	Flash access error interrupt : Not	Flash ready status interrupt: Included
	included	Rewrite control program in EW0
	Flash ready status interrupt: Not	mode can be executed in program
	included	ROM area when data flash area is
	Rewrite control program in EW0 mode	rewritten.
	is executed in areas other than flash	Mode after program or erase in EW0
	memory.	mode: Read array mode
	•Mode after program or erase in EW0	Rewrite control for program ROM area:
	mode: Read status register mode	Each block can be controlled by the
Flash memory	Rewrite control for program ROM area:	lock bit disable select bit (FMR13) and
	Each block can be controlled by the	software command.
	rewrite disable bits (FMR15 and FMR16) in blocks 0 and 1.	Rewrite control for data flash area: Each block can be controlled by block
	Rewrite control for data flash area:	A, block B, block C, and block D rewrite
	Individual blocks cannot be controlled.	disable bits (FMR14, FMR15, FMR16,
	CPU clock limit in EW0 mode: 5 MHz	and FMR17).
	or below	CPU clock limit in EW0 mode: 20 MHz
	Program suspend function: Included	or below
	Read status register command:	Program suspend function: Not
	Included	included
	Lock bit program command: Not	Read status register command: Not
	included	included
	Read lock bit status command: Not	Lock bit program command: Included
	included	Read lock bit status command:
	Block blank check command: Not	Included
	included	Block blank check command: Included

1. Refer to the hardware user's manual for details and electrical characteristics.

Table 4.7 Function and Specification Differences (7) (1)

Item	R8C/27 Group	R8C/33C Group
Supply voltage	 VCC = 3.0 to 5.5 V (f(XIN) = 20 MHz) (2) VCC = 3.0 to 5.5 V (f(XIN) = 16 MHz) (3) VCC = 2.7 to 5.5 V (f(XIN) = 10 MHz) VCC = 2.2 to 5.5 V (f(XIN) = 5 MHz) (4) 	 VCC = 2.7 to 5.5 V (f(XIN) = 20 MHz) VCC = 1.8 to 5.5 V (f(XIN) = 5 MHz) VCC = 2.7 to 5.5 V (f(XIN) = 10 MHz)
Low current consumption	 Typical 10 mA (4) (VCC = 5 V, f(XIN) = 20 MHz) Typical 6 mA (4) (VCC = 3 V, f(XIN) = 10 MHz) Typical 2.0 μA (4) (VCC = 3 V, wait mode) (f(XCIN) = 32 kHz) Typical 0.7 μA (4) (VCC = 3 V, stop mode) 	 Typical 6.5 mA (VCC = 5 V, f(XIN) = 20 MHz) Typical 3.5 mA (VCC = 3 V, f(XIN) = 10 MHz) Typical 3.5 μA (VCC = 3 V, wait mode) (f(XCIN) = 32 kHz) Typical 2.0 μA (VCC = 3 V, stop mode)

- 1. Refer to the hardware user's manual for details and electrical characteristics.
- 2. This applies to all versions except for the K version in the R8C/27 Group.
- 3. This only applies to the K version in the R8C/27 Group.
- 4. These only apply to the N and D versions in the R8C/27 Group.

4.2 Pin Function Differences

Table 4.8 lists pin function differences.

Table 4.8 Pin Function Differences

Pin Name	R8C/27 Group	R8C/33C Group
XCIN	P4_6 ⁽¹⁾	P4_6
XCOUT	P4_7 ⁽¹⁾	P4_7
ĪNT1	P1_7, P1_5, P3_6	P1_7, P1_5, P2_0
TRCCLK	P3_3	P3_3, P1_4
TRCTRG	P1_1	P1_1, P0_2, P0_1, P0_0
TRCIOA	P1_1	P1_1, P0_2, P0_1, P0_0
TRCIOB	P1_2	P1_2, P2_0, P0_5, P0_4, P0_3
TRCIOC	P3_4, P5_3	P3_4, P2_1, P1_3, P0_7
TRCIOD	P3_5, P5_4	P3_5, P2_2, P1_0, P0_6
CLK1	P0_5	P0_3
RXD1	P4_5, P3_7, P3_6	P0_2
TXD1	P3_7, P3_6, P0_0	P0_1
CLK2	_	P3_5
RXD2	_	P4_5, P3_7, P3_4
TXD2	_	P3_7, P3_4
CTS2	_	P3_3
RTS2	_	P3_3
SCL2	_	P4_5, P3_7, P3_4
SDA2	_	P3_7, P3_4
SDA	P3_4	P3_7
SSI	P3_3, P1_6	P3_4
SCS	P3_4	P3_3
ADTRG	_	P4_5
DA0	_	P0_6
DA1	_	P0_7
IVCMP1	_	P1_7
IVCMP3	_	P3_3
IVREF1	_	P1_6
IVREF3	_	P3_4

Note:

1. These only apply to the N and D versions in the R8C/27 Group.

4.3 SFR Differences

Table 4.9 to Table 4.13 list differences in the SFRs.

Table 4.9 SFR Differences (1)

R8C/27 Group	R8C/33C Group	Remarks
_	RSTFR	
_	CMPA	
_	VCAC	
VCA1	VCA1	Allocation addresses are different.
VCA2	VCA2	Bit 5 added ⁽¹⁾ Allocation addresses are different.
_	VD1LS	
VW0C	VW0C	Reset values are different.Bits 1 and 4 to 7 deleted
VW1C	VW1C	 Reset values are different. Bits 2 and 3 added ⁽¹⁾ Bit 6 deleted Allocation addresses are different.
VW2C	VW2C	Reset values are different.Bit 6 deleted and allocation addresses are different.
_	P2	
_	PD2	
P3	P3	Bit 6 deleted
PD3	PD3	Bit 6 deleted
PD4	PD4	Bits 6 and 7 added
P5	_	
PD5	_	
PINSR1	_	
PINSR2	_	Bit 6 moved to bit 0 in TRBRCSR register.
PINSR3	_	 Bit 3 moved to bits 0 to 2 in TRCPSR1 register and functions added Bit 4 moved to bits 4 to 6 in TRCPSR1 register and functions added
PMR	_	 Bit 0 moved to bits 1 to 3 in INTSR register and functions added Functions in bits 3, 4, and 6 deleted Bit 5 moved to bit 0 in U1SR register Bit 7 moved to bit 0 in SSUIICSR register
_	TRASR	
_	TRBRCSR	
	TRCPSR0	
	TRCPSR1	
_	U0SR	
_	U1SR	
_	U2SR0	
_	U2SR1	
_	SSUIICSR	
_	INTSR	
_	PINSR	

Note:

1. These only apply to the J and K versions in the R8C/27 Group.

Table 4.10 SFR Differences (2)

R8C/27 Group	R8C/33C Group	Remarks
PUR0	PUR0	Bit 4 added and allocation addresses are different.
PUR1	PUR1	Functions in bit 1 added and bits 2 and 3 deletedAllocation addresses are different.
P1DRR ⁽¹⁾	P1DRR	Allocation addresses are different.
_	P2DRR	
_	DRR0	
_	DRR1	
_	VLT0	
_	VLT1	
СМО	СМО	Reset values are different.Functions in bits 3 and 4 changed and bit 7 added
CM1	CM1	Bit 5 deleted
-	CM3	
CPSRF (1)	CPSRF	
FRA0	FRA0	Bit 3 added
_	FRA3	
FRA4 ⁽¹⁾	FRA4	Functions are different.
_	FRA5	
FRA6 ⁽¹⁾	FRA6	Functions are different.
FRA7 ⁽¹⁾	FRA7	Functions and allocation addresses are different.
PRCR	PRCR	Functions in bits 0 and 3 changed
_	FMRDYIC	
_	S2TIC	
_	S2RIC	
_	U2BCNIC	
_	VCMP1IC	
_	VCMP2IC	
INTEN	INTEN	Allocation addresses are different.
INTF	INTF	Allocation addresses are different.
KIEN	KIEN	Allocation addresses are different.
AIER	AIER0	 Register name changed and allocation addresses are different. Functions in bit 1 moved to bit 0 in AIER1 register.
_	AIER1	
RMAD0	RMAD0	Allocation addresses and reset values are different.
RMAD1	RMAD1	Allocation addresses and reset values are different.
WDC	WDTC	Reset values are different.Register name changed and bit 5 added

1. These only apply to the N and D versions in the R8C/27 Group.

Table 4.11 SFR Differences (3)

R8C/27 Group	R8C/33C Group	Remarks
_	DTCTL	
_	DTCEN0	
_	DTCEN1	
_	DTCEN2	
_	DTCEN3	
_	DTCEN5	
_	DTCEN6	
_	DTCD0	
_	DTCD1	
_	DTCD2	
_	DTCD3	
_	DTCD4	
_	DTCD5	
_	DTCD6	
_	DTCD7	
_	DTCD8	
_	DTCD9	
_	DTCD10	
_	DTCD11	
_	DTCD12	
_	DTCD13	
_	DTCD14	
_	DTCD15	
_	DTCD16	
_	DTCD17	
_	DTCD18	
_	DTCD19	
_	DTCD20	
_	DTCD21	
_	DTCD22	
_	DTCD23	
TRAIOC	TRAIOC	Functions in bit 3 changedFunctions in bit 3 moved to bits 0 and 1 in TRASR register,
		and bits 1 to 3 in INTSR register • Bits 6 and 7 added
TRAMR	TRAMR	Functions added to bits 4 to 6
_	MSTCR	
TRCCR1	TRCCR1	Functions added to bits 4 to 6
TRCIOR1	TRCIOR1	Bits 3 and 7 added
TRCCR2	TRCCR2	Bits 0 to 2 added
	TRCADCR	
TREHR (1)	TREHR	
TREWK (1)	TREWK	
TRECSR	TRECSR	Bit 4 added and functions added to bits 5 and 6

1. These only apply to the N and D versions in the R8C/27 Group.

Table 4.12 SFR Differences (4)

R8C/27 Group	R8C/33C Group	Remarks
U0C0	U0C0	Functions added to bits 0 and 1
U1MR	U1MR	Allocation addresses are different.
U1BRG	U1BRG	Allocation addresses are different.
U1TB	U1TB	Allocation addresses are different.
U1C0	U1C0	Allocation addresses are different and functions added to bits 0 and 1.
U1C1	U1C1	Allocation addresses are different.
U1RB	U1RB	Allocation addresses are different.
_	U2MR	
_	U2BRG	
_	U2TB	
_	U2C0	
_	U2C1	
_	U2RB	
_	URXDF	
_	U2SMR	
_	U2SMR2	
_	U2SMR3	
_	U2SMR4	
_	U2SMR5	
_	SSBR	
SSTDR/ICDRT	SSTDR/ICDRT	SSTDR register sizes and allocation addresses are different.
_	SSTDRH	7
SSRDR/ICDRR	SSRDR/ICDRR	SSRDR register sizes and allocation addresses are different.
_	SSRDRH	7
SSCRH/ICCR1	SSCRH/ICCR1	Allocation addresses are different.
SSCRL/ICCR2	SSCRL/ICCR2	Allocation addresses are different.
SSMR/ICMR	SSMR/ICMR	 Reset values are different (only for SSMR register). Allocation addresses are different. Bit 3 added (only for SSMR register)
SSMR2/SAR	SSMR2/SAR	Allocation addresses are different.
SSER/ICIER	SSER/ICIER	Allocation addresses are different.
SSSR/ICSR	SSSR/ICSR	Allocation addresses are different.
_	LINCR2	
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Table 4.13 SFR Differences (5)

R8C/27 Group	R8C/33C Group	Remarks
_	OCVREFCR	
AD	AD0	Register name changed
_	AD1	
_	AD2	
_	AD3	
_	AD4	
_	AD5	
_	AD6	
_	AD7	
_	ADMOD	
_	ADINSEL	
ADCON0	ADCON0	 Functions in bits 0 to 2 moved to bits 0 to 2 in ADINSEL register Functions in bit 3 moved to bits 3 to 5 in ADMOD register and functions added Functions in bit 4 moved to bits 6 and 7 in ADINSEL register and functions added Functions in bit 6 moved to bit 0 Functions in bit 7 moved to bits 0 to 2 in ADMOD register and functions added
ADCON1	ADCON1	 Bit 0 added Functions in bit 3 moved to bit 4 Functions in bit 4 moved to bits 0 to 2 in ADMOD register and functions added Bit 5 symbol names changed Bits 6 and 7 added
ADCON2	_	
_	DA0	
_	DA1	
_	DACON	
_	INTCMP	
_	FST	
FMR0	FMR0	 Reset values are different. Functions in bit 0 moved to bit 7 in FST register Functions in bit 2 changed Bits 4 and 5 added Functions in bit 6 moved to bit 4 in FST register Functions in bit 6 changed Functions in bit 7 moved to bit 5 in FST register Functions in bit 7 changed Allocation addresses are different.
FMR1	FMR1	 Functions in bit 1 moved to bit 2 in FMR0 register Bits 3, 4, and 7 added Functions in bits 5 and 6 changed
FMR4	FMR2	Functions in bits 0 and 2 changedBits 3, 4, and 6 deleted

Table 4.14 Option Function Select Area Differences (1)

R8C/27 Group	R8C/33C Group	Remarks
OFS	OFS	Bit 4 added and functions in bit 5 changed Functions in bit 5 moved to bit 6
_	OFS2	

1. The option function select area is allocated in the flash memory, not in the SFRs.

4.4 Interrupt Vector Differences

Table 4.15 lists differences in the fixed vector table and Table 4.16 lists differences in the relocatable vector table.

Table 4.15 Differences in Fixed Vector Table

Vector addresses	Interrupt Source of	Interrupt Source of
Addresses (L) to (H)	R8C/27 Group	R8C/33C Group
0FFF0h to 0FFF3h	Watchdog timer	Watchdog timer
	Oscillation stop detection	Oscillation stop detection
	Voltage monitor 1 (1)	Voltage monitor 1
	Voltage monitor 2	Voltage monitor 2

Note:

1. This only applies to the N and D versions in the R8C/27 Group.

Table 4.16 Relocatable Vector Table Differences

Software Interrupt	Interrupt Source of	Interrupt Source of
Number	R8C/27 Group	R8C/33C Group
1	_	Flash memory ready
11	_	UART2 transmit/NACK2
12	_	UART2 receive/ACK2
30	-	UART2 bus collision detection
50	-	Voltage monitor 1
51		Voltage monitor 2

5. Reference Documents

R8C/27 Group User's Manual: Hardware Rev.2.10 R8C/33C Group User's Manual: Hardware Rev.1.00

The latest versions can be downloaded from the Renesas Electronics website.

Technical Update/Technical News

The latest information can be downloaded from the Renesas Electronics website.

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General Precautions in the Handling of MPU/MCU Products

The following usage notes are applicable to all MPU/MCU products from Renesas. For detailed usage notes on the products covered by this manual, refer to the relevant sections of the manual. If the descriptions under General Precautions in the Handling of MPU/MCU Products and in the body of the manual differ from each other, the description in the body of the manual takes precedence.

1. Handling of Unused Pins

Handle unused pins in accord 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

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