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M16C/64 Group

Operation of serial I/O (transmission in UART mode)

1. Abstract

In transmitting data in UART mode, choose functions from those listed in Table 1. Operations of the circled items are described below.

2. Introduction

This application note is applied to the M16C/64 group microcomputers.

This program can be operated under the condition of M16C family products with the same SFR (Special Function Register) as M16C/64 Group products. Because some functions may be modified of the M16C family products, see the user's manual. When using the functions shown in this application note, evaluate them carefully for an operation.



3. Chosen functions

Table 1. Chosen functions

Item	Set	-up	Item	Set-up	
Transfer	0	Internal clock (f1SIO/f2SIO/f8SIO/f32SIO)	Data logic	0	No reverse
clock source		External clock (CLKi pin)	select function		Reverse
CTS function	0	CTS function enabled TXD, RXD I/O	0	No reverse	
		CTS function disable	polarity reverse bit		Reverse
Transmission		Transmission buffer empty	Bus collision	0	Not selected
interrupt factor	0	Transmission complete	detection function		Selected

4. Operation

- (1) Setting the transmit enable bit to "1" and writing transmission data to the UARTi transmit buffer register readies the data transmissible status.
- (2) When input to the CTSi pin goes to "L", transmission starts (the CTSi pin needs to be controlled on the reception side).
- (3) Transmission data held in the UARTi transmit buffer register is transmitted to the UARTi transmit register. At this time, the first bit (the start bit) of the transmission data is transmitted from the TxDi pin. Then, data is transmitted, bit by bit, in sequence: LSB, ..., MSB, parity bit, and stop bit(s).
- (4) When the stop bit(s) is (are) transmitted, the transmit register empty flag goes to "1", which indicates that transmission is completed. At this time, the UARTi transmit interrupt request bit goes to "1". The transfer clock stops at "H" level.
- (5) If the transmission condition of the next data is ready when transmission is completed, a start bit is generated following to stop bit(s), and the next data is transmitted.



Figure 1 shows the operation timing.

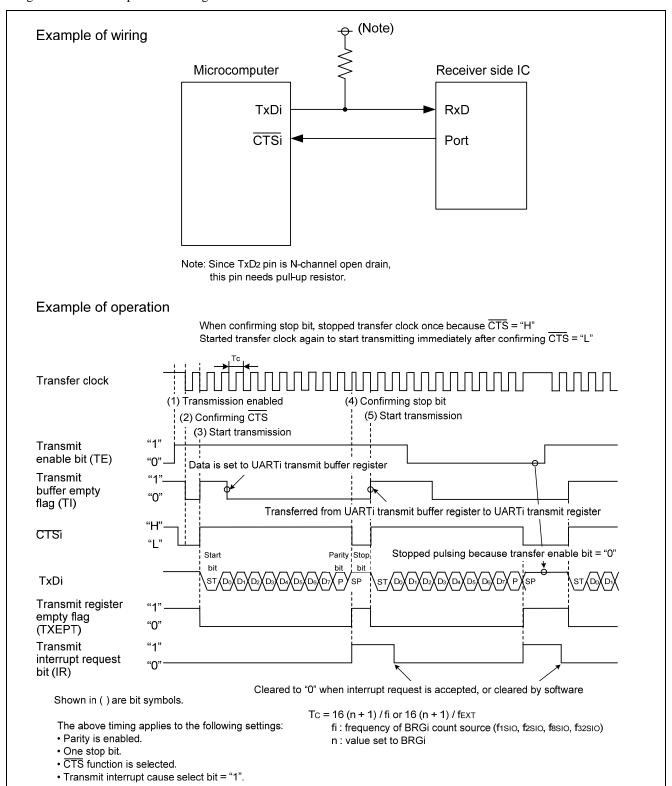
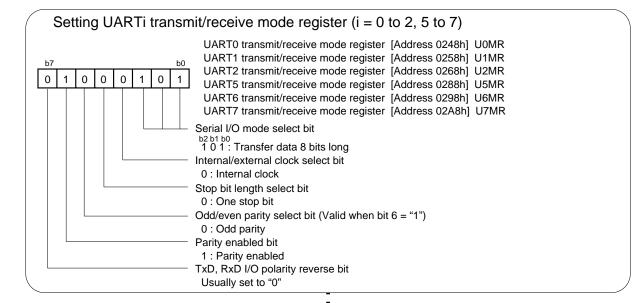
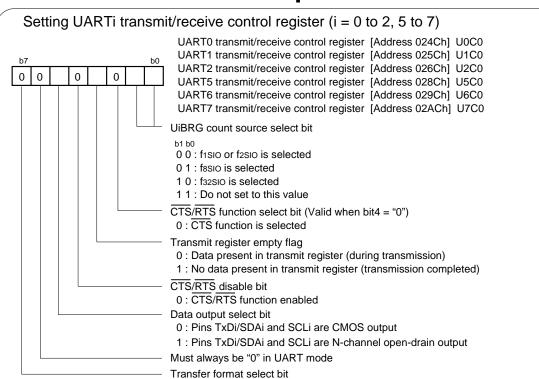


Figure 1. Operation timing of transmission in UART mode



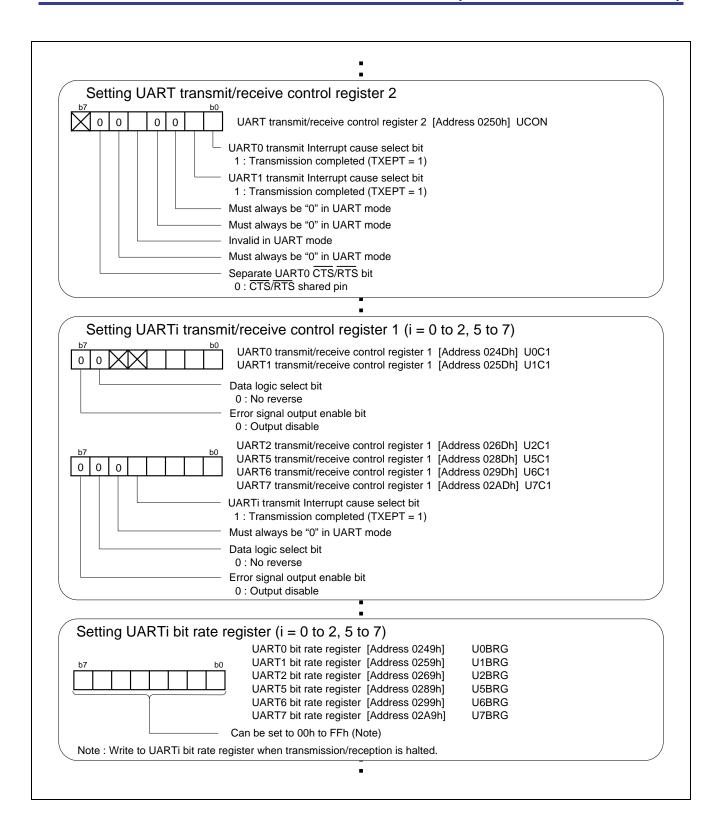
5. Set-up procedure



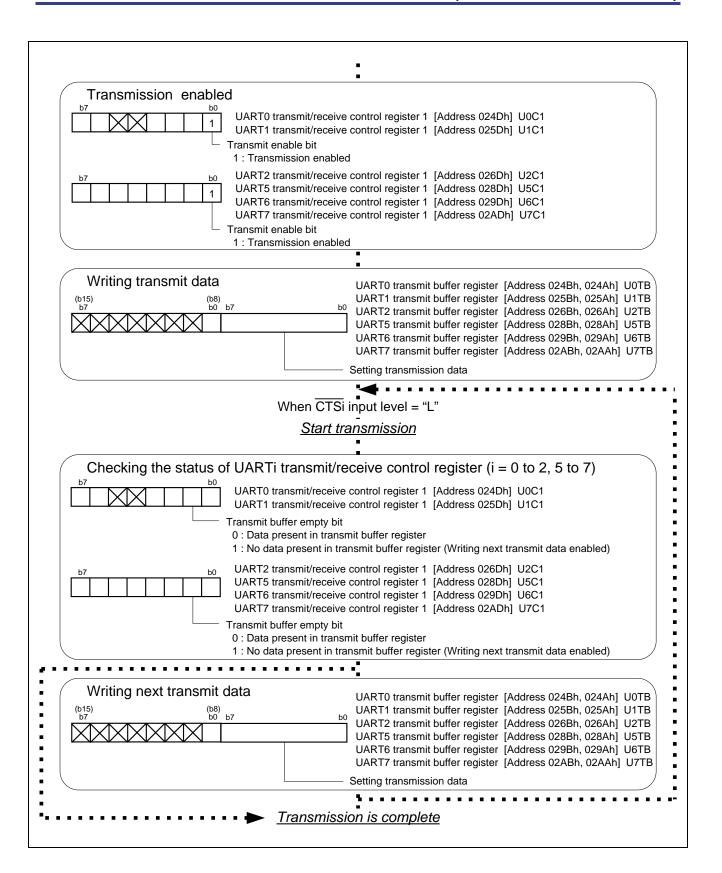


0: LSB first











6. Reference

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