Safety Function (Flash Memory CRC Operation Function)

Introduction

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The general-purpose CRC performs operation on the data in a part of the on-chip RAM and compares their results with the results of the operation performed again in the same area. The data to be operated on can be changed using by switch input.

Both of the high-speed CRC and general-purpose CRC turn on an LED when the results of the operation match.

Target Device

RL78/G23

When applying the sample program covered in this application note to another microcomputer, modify the program according to the specifications for the target microcomputer and conduct an extensive evaluation of the modified program.
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1. Specifications

1.1 Specification Outline

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Both of the high-speed CRC and general-purpose CRC turn on an LED when the results of the operation match.

Table 1 - 1 lists the Peripheral Functions to be Used and their Uses. Figure 1 - 1 shows the Outline of High-speed CRC Operation. Figure 1 - 2 shows the Outline of General-purpose CRC Operation.

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<th>Use</th>
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<td>Safety function:</td>
<td>Performs high-speed CRC and general-purpose CRC operation</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Flash memory CRC operation function</td>
<td>in a specified memory area and compares their results with the</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>separately prepared values to verify the validity of the data.</td>
</tr>
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Figure 1 - 1 Outline of High-speed CRC Operation
Figure 1-2 Outline of General-purpose CRC Operation

Operation starts by pressing the button.

- Operation start trigger button

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<th>Target data</th>
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<tr>
<td>RAM</td>
<td>RAM</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Operation target area</td>
<td>Program area</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Memory map (image)

Operation target area

General-purpose CRC operation

switch input

[No change] [Changed]

Change target data.

Operation target data

True-false determination LED2

- Match
- Mismatch
1.2 Operation Outline

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Both of the high-speed CRC and general-purpose CRC turn on an LED when the results of the operation match.

(1) Initialize the flash memory CRC operation function.

   <Conditions for setting>
   - Set the range of the area on which high-speed CRC operation is to be performed to the flash memory (addresses 00000H to 0FFFBH).
   - Set the operation mode of the high-speed CRC to "Start operation on the execution of a HALT instruction."

(2) Initialize the operation control ports.

   <Conditions for setting>
   - General-purpose CRC operation target data switching: Set up P50 as an input port (using an on-chip pull-up resistor).
   - LED1 /2 output (CRC operation true-false determination result): Set up P53 and P52 as output ports.
   - General-purpose CRC operation start trigger button: Set up P137/INTP0 in INTP0 falling edge detection interrupt mode (using an on-chip pull-up resistor).

(3) Perform high-speed CRC operation on the flash memory (addresses 00000H to 0FFFBH).

(4) Compare the results obtained in step (3) with the target values (specified in advance at build time) that are generated in the flash memory (addresses 0FFFCH to 0FFFDH) by the object converter and turns on LED1 if they match.

(5) Store arbitrary data and the results of general-purpose CRC operation in the general-purpose CRC operation target area (part of the on-chip RAM).

(6) Enter the HALT mode and waits for a general-purpose CRC operation start trigger (INTP0).

(7) Exit the HALT mode on the occurrence of a CRC operation start trigger and update the general-purpose CRC operation target data if the state of the general-purpose CRC operation target data switch is "Changed."

(8) Perform general-purpose CRC operation.

(9) Turn on LED2 if the results obtained in step (8) match the ones obtained in step (5).

   Otherwise, turn off the LED2.

(10) Repeat steps (5) to (9).

Caution 1. When building the application, disable on-chip debugging with the link option. This is because addresses 0FFFCH to 0FFFDH which are to be used to store the results of high-speed CRC operation as the target of comparison are also reserved for the on-chip debugger and a conflict would otherwise occur.
Caution 2. When checking the application for normal operation, write HEX data (File format: mot, srec, and so on) into the RL78/G23 using a flash memory programmer that is compatible with the RL78/G23.
2. Operation Check Conditions

The sample code contained in this application note has been checked under the conditions listed in the table below.

### Table 2-1 Operation Confirmation Conditions

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Item</th>
<th>Description</th>
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<tr>
<td>Microcontroller used</td>
<td>RL78/G23 (R7F100GLG)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Operating frequency</td>
<td>• High-speed on-chip oscillator (HOCO) clock: 32 MHz</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>• CPU/peripheral hardware clock: 32 MHz</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Operating voltage</td>
<td>5.0 V (can be operated at 1.8 V to 5.5 V)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>LVD0 detection voltage: Reset mode</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>At rising edge TYP. 1.90 V (1.84 V to 1.95 V)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>At falling edge TYP. 1.86 V (1.80 V to 1.91 V)</td>
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<td>Integrated development environment (CS+)</td>
<td>CS+ for CC V8.05.00 from Renesas Electronics Corp.</td>
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<td>CC-RL V1.10.00 from Renesas Electronics Corp.</td>
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<td>IAR Embedded Workbench for Renesas RL78 V4.21.1 from IAR Systems</td>
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<td>C compiler (IAR)</td>
<td>IAR C/C++ Compiler for Renesas RL78 V4.21.1.2409 from IAR Systems</td>
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<td>Smart configurator (SC)</td>
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<td>Board support package (BSP)</td>
<td>V1.0.0 from Renesas Electronics Corp.</td>
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<td>Flash memory programmer</td>
<td>E2 emulator Lite (RTE0T0002LKCE00000R) from Renesas Electronics Corp.</td>
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<td>Flash memory programming software</td>
<td>Renesas Flash Programmer V3.08.02 from Renesas Electronics Corp.</td>
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3. Description of the Hardware

3.1 Hardware Configuration Example

The example of configuration of the hardware that is used for this application note is shown below.

Figure 3 - 1 Hardware Configuration

Note 1. The purpose of this circuit is only to provide the connection outline and the circuit is simplified accordingly. When designing and implementing an actual circuit, provide proper pin treatment and make sure that the hardware's electrical specifications are met (connect the input-only ports separately to VDD or VSS via a resistor).

Note 2. Connect any pins whose name begins with EVSS to VSS and any pins whose name begins with EVDD to VDD, respectively.

Note 3. VDD must be held at not lower than the reset release voltage (VLVD) that is specified as LVD.

3.2 List of Pins to be used

Table 3 - 1 lists the pins to be used and their functions.

Table 3 - 1 Pins to be Used and their Functions

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Pin Name</th>
<th>I/O</th>
<th>Description</th>
</tr>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>P50</td>
<td>Input</td>
<td>General-purpose CRC operation target data switching input (changed/no change)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>P53</td>
<td>Output</td>
<td>LED1 lighting control port (high-speed CRC operation result output)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>P52</td>
<td>Output</td>
<td>LED2 lighting control port (general-purpose CRC operation result output)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>P137/INTP0</td>
<td>Input</td>
<td>General-purpose CRC operation start trigger input</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Caution In this application note, only the used pins are processed. When actually designing your circuit, make sure the design includes sufficient pin processing and meets electrical characteristic requirements.
4. Description of the Software

4.1 List of Option Byte Settings
Table 4-1 summarizes the settings of the option bytes.

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Address</th>
<th>Value</th>
<th>Description</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>000C0H / 010C0H</td>
<td>01101110B</td>
<td>Disables the watchdog timer. (Stops counting after the release from the reset status.)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>000C1H / 010C1H</td>
<td>11111110B</td>
<td>LVD0 detection voltage: Reset mode. At rising edge TYP. 1.90 V (1.84 V to 1.95 V) At falling edge TYP. 1.86 V (1.80 V to 1.91 V)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>000C2H / 010C2H</td>
<td>11101000B</td>
<td>HS mode HOCO: 32 MHz</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>000C3H / 010C3H</td>
<td>00000100B</td>
<td>Prohibits the on-chip debugger.</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

4.2 List of Constants
Table 4-2 lists the constants that are used in this sample program.

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Constant</th>
<th>Setting</th>
<th>Description</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>HIGHSPEED_CALC_ADDR</td>
<td>0xFFFC</td>
<td>Address at which the results of the high-speed CRC operation generated by the object converter are to be stored</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>GP_CALC_BUFF_SIZE</td>
<td>254</td>
<td>Size of the general-purpose CRC operation target buffer (excluding the 2 bytes in the area storing operation result)</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

4.3 List of Variables
Table 4-3 lists the global variable that is used by this sample program.

<table>
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<tr>
<th>Type</th>
<th>Variable Name</th>
<th>Contents</th>
<th>Function Used</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>uint8_t</td>
<td>calc_data[GP_CALC_BUFF_SIZE+2]</td>
<td>Area for storing the general-purpose CRC operation target data</td>
<td>main() R_CreateDataForComparison() R_GeneralPurposeCRCProc()</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
4.4 List of Functions

Table 4 - 4 lists the functions that are used in this sample program.

<table>
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<tr>
<th>Function Name</th>
<th>Outline</th>
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<tr>
<td>R_HighSpeedCRCProc()</td>
<td>High-speed CRC operation processing</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>R_CGC_Set_CRCOn()</td>
<td>Enable high-speed CRC ALU operation</td>
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<tr>
<td>R_ExecHighSpeedCRC()</td>
<td>Execution of high-speed CRC operation</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>R_CreateDataForComparison()</td>
<td>Creation of general-purpose CRC operation target data</td>
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<td>R_GeneralPurposeCRCProc()</td>
<td>General-purpose CRC operation processing</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
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4.5 Function Specifications

This section describes the specifications for the functions that are used in the sample code.

[Function Name] R_HighSpeedCRCProc()

Synopsis: High-speed CRC operation processing

Header: __

Declaration: uint16_t R_HighSpeedCRCProc(void)

Explanation: This function performs high-speed CRC operation and returns the results.

Arguments: None

Return value: Results of high-speed CRC operation

Remarks: None

[Function Name] R_CGC_Set_CRCOn()

Synopsis: Enable high-speed CRC ALU operation

Header: __

Declaration: void R_CGC_Set_CRCOn(void)

Explanation: Enable high-speed CRC ALU operation (starts the operation according to HALT instruction execution).

Arguments: None

Return value: None

Remarks: None
### [Function Name] R_ExecHighSpeedCRC()

**Synopsis**  
Execution of high-speed CRC operation

**Header**  
---

**Declaration**  
void R_ExecHighSpeedCRC(void)

**Explanation**  
This function expands the HALT and RET instructions in the on-chip RAM (stack area) to start high-speed CRC operation. This function also executes the HALT and RET instructions that are expanded in the on-chip RAM.

**Arguments**  
None

**Return value**  
None

**Remarks**  
None

### [Function Name] R_CreateDataForComparison()

**Synopsis**  
Creation of general-purpose CRC operation target data

**Header**  
---

**Declaration**  
void R_CreateDataForComparison( uint8_t *data, uint8_t size )

**Explanation**  
This function creates the target data to be subjected to general-purpose CRC operation. Performs general-purpose CRC operation on that data and places the results in the given area.

**Arguments**  
*data  
Pointer to the area storing the target data

size  
Size of the area storing the target data

**Return value**  
None

**Remarks**  
None

### [Function Name] R_GeneralPurposeCRCProc()

**Synopsis**  
General-purpose CRC operation processing

**Header**  
---

**Declaration**  
uint16_t R_GeneralPurposeCRCProc( uint8_t *data, uint8_t size )

**Explanation**  
This function performs general-purpose CRC operation and returns the results.

**Arguments**  
*data  
Pointer to the target data

size  
Size of the target data

**Return value**  
Result of the general-purpose CRC operation

**Remarks**  
None
4.6 Flowcharts

4.6.1 Main Processing

Figure 4 - 1 and Figure 4 - 2 show the flowchart for the main processing.

Figure 4 - 1 Main Processing (1/2)

```
main()

Enable high-speed CRC operator
Operation range:
addresses 00000H to 0FFFBH

CRC0CTL register ← 83H

Enable interrupts
IE ← 1

Get OC-generated high-speed CRC operation results

Specify the output memory address
as an object converter option.
0FFFCH is specified in this sample code.

High-speed CRC operation processing
R_HighSpeedCRCProc()

Results of high-speed CRC operation processing match OC output values?

Yes

Turn on LED1
P53 bit ← 0

No

Turn off LED1
P53 bit ← 1

Disable interrupts
IE ← 0

Create general-purpose CRC operation target data
R_CreateDataForComparison()

Start INTP0 operation
R_Config_INTC_INTP0_Start()

1
```
Figure 4 - 2 Main Processing (2/2)

1. Wait for general-purpose CRC operation start trigger. Exit HALT mode on an INTP0 interrupt.
2. Reject key input noises.
3. Wait for 10 ms
4. General-purpose CRC operation start trigger ON?
   - Yes: P137 == 0
   - No: P50 == 0
5. Is general-purpose CRC operation target data switch state "Changed"?
   - Yes: Modify general-purpose CRC operation target data
     - General-purpose CRC operation processing
       R_GeneralPurposeCRC Proc()
     - Results of general-purpose CRC operation processing match original output value?
       - Yes: Turn on LED2
         - P52 bit ← 0
       - No: Turn off LED2
         - P52 bit ← 1
- Object converter option settings
  - CRC operation
    - Do CRC operation: Yes
    - CRC result output address: 0FFFC
    - CRC operation range: Addresses 00000H to 0FFFBH
    - CRC operation mode: CRC-CCITT(MSB) type

**Figure 4 - 3 Object Converter Option Settings (Properties window of CS+ CC-RL build tool)**

![Object Converter Option Settings](image-url)
Figure 4 - 4 Object Converter Option Settings (Properties window of e² studio)
Figure 4-5 Object Converter Option Settings (Options window of IAR)
① Check the storage location of the linker configuration file (icf file).
   [Example] The storage location of the icf file is as shown below.
   “C:\Program Files (x86)\IAR Systems\Embedded Workbench 8.4\rl78\config”

② Copy and rename the default icf file to get the icf file for use in this project.
   Then, store the icf file for this project in the project folder.
   [Example] Copy and rename “lnkr7f100glg.icf” to create “r01an5565-rl78g23-crc.icf”.
   Then, store “r01an5565-rl78g23-crc.icf” in the project folder
   “C:\Workspace_IAR_EW\r01an5565-rl78g23-crc”.

![Options window of IAR for linker configuration file settings]
③ Add the code in the red frame to "r01an5565-rl78g23-crc.icf" as shown in the image below.

```plaintext
define region CHECKSUM_region_plus2 = mem:[from 0x00000 to 0xFFFFD];
place at end of CHECKSUM_region_plus2 { ro section .checksum };
```

④ Check the "Override default" and select the “r01an5565-rl78g23-crc.icf".
Figure 4-8 Output Converter Settings (Options window of IAR)
### 4.6.2 High-speed CRC Operation Processing

Figure 4 - 9 shows the flowchart for the high-speed CRC operation processing.

**Figure 4 - 9 High-speed CRC Operation Processing**

```
R_HighSpeedCRCProc()

Mask all interrupts

MK0 register ← FFFFH
MK1 register ← FFFFH
MK2 register ← FFFFH
MK3 register ← FFFFH

Enable high-speed CRC operation
R_CGC_Set_CRCOn()

Initialize flash memory CRC operation result register
PGCRL register ← 00H

Perform high-speed CRC operation
R_ExecHighSpeedCRC()

Disable CRC operation
CRC0EN bit ← 0

Get operation results
Temporary variable result ← PGCRL register

Set operation results to return value

return
```
4.6.3 Enabling High-speed CRC Operation
Figure 4 - 10 shows the flowchart for enabling high-speed CRC operation.

Figure 4 - 10 Enabling High-speed CRC Operation

```
R_CGC_Set_CRCOn()

Execute HALT instruction to start
operation

CRC0EN bit ← 1

return
```

4.6.4 Performing High-speed CRC Operation
Figure 4 - 11 shows the flowchart for performing high-speed CRC operation.

Figure 4 - 11 Performing High-speed CRC Operation

```
R_ExecHighSpeedCRC()

Copy HALT and RET instructions into
RAM

Initialize the following 10 bytes

RAM 1st byte ← 0x61
RAM 2nd byte ← 0xED
RAM 3rd byte ← 0xD7
RAM 4th to 13th bytes ← 0x00

Branch to RAM address storing
copied HALT instruction

return
```
4.6.5 Creating General-purpose CRC Operation Target Data

Figure 4 - 12 shows the flowchart for creating general-purpose CRC operation target data.

**Figure 4 - 12 Creating General-purpose CRC Operation Target Data**

```plaintext
R_CreateDataForComparison()

Initialize loop counter to 0

Is loop counter value smaller than size of area storing operation target data?

No

Yes

Store loop counter value in location designated by pointer to operation target data area

Loop counter + 1

Pointer to area storing operation target data + 1

General-purpose CRC operation processing
R_GeneralPurposeCRCProc()

Copy operation results into area designated by pointer to area storing operation target data

*data ← operation results (the lower 1 byte)
*(data + 1) ← operation results (the upper 1 byte)

Arguments
    data: Pointer to area storing operation target data
    size: Size of area storing operation target data

*data ← Loop counter
```

Argument
    *data: Pointer to area storing operation target data

Return
4.6.6 General-purpose CRC Operation Processing

Figure 4 - 13 shows the flowchart for the general-purpose CRC operation processing.

Figure 4 - 13 General-purpose CRC Operation Processing

R_GeneralPurposeCRCProc()

- Initialize CRC data register
- Initialize loop counter to 0

Is loop counter value smaller than size of operation target data?

Yes
- Store data at the location designated by pointer to operation target data in CRC input register
- CRCIN register ← *data
- Loop counter + 1
- Pointer to operation target data + 1

No

- CRCD register ← 0000H
- Wait for 1 clock
- Get operation results
- Temporary variable result ← CRCD register
- Set operation results to return value
- return

Arguments
- data: Pointer to operation target data
- size: Size of operation target data
5. **Sample Code**

The sample code is available on the Renesas Electronics Website.

6. **Documents for Reference**

RL78/G23 User's Manual: Hardware (R01UH0896)

RL78 Family User's Manual: Software (R01US0015)

(The latest versions of the documents are available on the Renesas Electronics Website.)

Technical Updates/Technical Brochures

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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. Precaution against Electrostatic Discharge (ESD)
   
   A strong electrical field, when exposed to a CMOS device, can cause destruction of the gate oxide and ultimately degrade the device operation. Steps must be taken to stop the generation of static electricity as much as possible, and quickly dissipate it when it occurs. Environmental control must be adequate. When it is dry, a humidifier should be used. This is recommended to avoid using insulators that can easily build up static electricity.

   Semiconductor devices must be stored and transported in an anti-static container, static shielding bag or conductive material. All test and measurement tools including work benches and floors must be grounded. The operator must also be grounded using a wrist strap. Semiconductor devices must not be touched with bare hands. Similar precautions must be taken for printed circuit boards with mounted semiconductor devices.

2. Processing at power-on
   
   The state of the product is undefined at the time 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 time 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 time 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 time when power is supplied until the power reaches the level at which resetting is specified.

3. Input of signal during power-off state
   
   Do not input signals or an I/O pull-up power supply while the device is powered off. The current injection that results from input of such a signal or I/O pull-up power supply may cause malfunction and the abnormal current that passes in the device at this time may cause degradation of internal elements. Follow the guideline for input signal during power-off state as described in your product documentation.

4. 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 the 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.

5. Clock signals
   
   After applying a reset, only release the reset line after the operating clock signal becomes stable. When switching the clock signal during program execution, wait until the target clock signal is 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. Additionally, 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.

6. Voltage application waveform at input pin
   
   Waveform distortion due to input noise or a reflected wave may cause malfunction. If the input of the CMOS device stays in the area between $V_{IL}$ (Max.) and $V_{IH}$ (Min.) due to noise, for example, the device may malfunction. Take care to prevent chattering noise from entering the device when the input level is fixed, and also in the transition period when the input level passes through the area between $V_{IL}$ (Max.) and $V_{IH}$ (Min.).

7. Prohibition of access to reserved addresses
   
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