To initialize an I/O port for general use, we perform seven steps. Steps two through four are needed only for the LM4F/TM4C microcontrollers. First, we activate the clock for the port. Second, we unlock the port; unlocking is needed only for pins PC3-0, PD7, PF0 on the LM4F and TM4C. Third, we disable the analog function of the pin, because we will be using the pin for digital I/O. Fourth, we clear bits in the PCTL (Table 6.1) to select regular digital function. Fifth, we set its direction register. Sixth, we clear bits in the alternate function register, and lastly, seventh, we enable the digital port.

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\$400F.E1			GP OF	G P Œ	GP O D	GPOC	GP OB	GPI OA	SYSCTL RCGC 2 R
\$400043 FC	DATA	DATA	D ATA	DATA	DA TA	DATA	DATA	DATA	GPO PORTA DATA _R
\$400044 00	D R	DR	D R	D R	DR	D R	DR	DR	GPO PORTA DR R
\$400044 20	SEL	ŒL	SEL	SEL	SEL	SEL	SEL	ŒL	GPOPORTA AFSEL
\$400045 10	PUE	PUE	P UE	PUE	PUE	PUE	PUE	PUE	GPO PORTA PUR R
\$400045 1C	DEN	DEN	DEN	D EN	DEN	DEN	DEN	DEN	GPO PORTA DEN
\$400045 24	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	GPO PORTA CRR
\$400045 28	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	GPO_PORTA_AMSE LR
\$400053 FC	DATA	DATA	D ATA	DATA	DA TA	DATA	DATA	DATA	GPO PORTB DATA

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\$400 0.54 00	DR	DIR	DIR	DR	DR	D R	DIR	D R	GP O PORTB DIR R
\$400 0.54 2 ₀	SE L	SEL	SEL	SEL	SEL	SEL	SE L	SEL	GP O PORTB AFSE L R
\$4000.55 10	PUE	PUE	PUE	PUE	PUE	PUE	PUE	PUE	GP O_PORTB_PUR_
\$4000 55 1C	DEN	DEN	DEN	DEN	DEN	DEN	DEN	DEN	GP O PORTB DEN
\$400 0.55 24	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	GP O_PORTB_CR_R
\$4000.55 28	0	0	AMSEL	AM SEL	0	0	0	0	GP O PORTB AM SE L_R
\$4000.63 FC	DATA	DATA	DATA	DATA	JTAG	JTAG	JTAG	JTAG	GP O PORTC DATA
\$4000.64 00	DR	DIR	DIR	D R	JTAG	JTAG	JTAG	JTAG	GP O_PORTC_ D R_R
\$4000 64 20	SEL	SEL	SEL	SEL	JTAG	JTAG	JTAG	JTAG	GP O PORTC AFSEL
\$4000.65 10	PUE	PUE	PUE	PUE	JTAG	JTAG	JTAG	JTAG	GP O_PORTC_PUR_
\$400 0.65 1C	DEN	DEN	DEN	DEN	JTAG	JTAG	JTAG	JTAG	GP O PORTC DEN
\$4000.65 24	1	1	1	1	JTAG	JTAG	JTAG	JTAG	GP O PORTC CR R
\$400 0.65 28	AMSEL	AMSEL	AMSEL	AM SEL	JTAG	JTAG	JTAG	JTAG	GP O_PORTC_AM SE
\$4000 73 FC	DATA	DATA	DATA	DATA	DATA	DATA	DATA	DATA	GP O PORTD DATA _R
\$4000.74 00	DR	DIR	DIR	DR	DR	D R	DIR	DR	GP O_PORTD_D R_
\$4000.74 20	SEL	SEL	SEL	SEL	SEL	SEL	SEL	SEL	GP O PORTD AFSE
\$4000.75 10	PUE	PUE	PUE	PUE	PUE	PUE	PUE	PUE	GP O PORTD PUR
\$400 0.75 1C	DEN	DEN	DEN	DEN	DEN	DEN	DEN	DEN	GP O_PORTD_D EN_

\$400 0.75 24	CR	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	GP O PORTD CR R
\$400 0.75 28	0	0	AMSEL	AM SEL	AMSEL	AMSEL	AMSEL	AMSEL	GP O PORTD AMSE
\$4002.43 FC			DATA	DATA	DATA	DATA	DATA	DATA	GP O_PORTE_DATA
\$400244 00			DIR	D R	DR	D R	DIR	D R	GP O PORTE D R R
\$400 2.44 20			SEL	SEL	SEL	SEL	SEL	SEL	GP O_PORTE_AFSEL
\$4002.45 10			PUE	PUE	PUE	PUE	PUE	PUE	GP O PORTE PUR
\$4002.45 1 _C			DEN	DEN	DEN	DEN	DEN	DEN	GP O PORTE DEN
\$400 2.45 24			1	1	1	1	1	1	GP O_PORTE_CR_R
\$400245 28			AMSEL	AM SEL	AMSEL	AMSEL	AMSEL	AMSEL	GP O PORTE AMSE
\$4002.53 FC				DATA	DATA	DATA	DATA	DATA	GP O_PORTF_DATA
\$4002.54 00				D R	DR	D R	DIR	D R	GP O PORTF DIR R
\$4002.54 20				SEL	SEL	SEL	SE L	SEL	GP O PORTF AFSEL
\$4002.55 10				PUE	PUE	PUE	PUE	PUE	GP O_PORTF_PUR_
\$4002 55 1C				DEN	DEN	DEN	DEN	DEN	GP O PORTF DEN
\$4002.55 24				1	1	1	1	CR	GP O_PORTF_CR_R
\$4002.55 28				0	0	0	0	0	GP O PORTF AMSE L_R

\$4000.45 2C	PMC7	PMC6	PMC5	PMC4	PMC3	PMC2	PMC1	PMC0	GPIO_PORTA_PCTL_
\$4000.55 2C	PMC7	PMC6	PMC5	PMC4	PMC3	PMC2	PMC1	PMC0	GPIO_PORTB_PCTL_
\$4000.65 2C	PMC7	PMC6	PMC5	PMC4	0x1	0x1	0x1	0x1	GPIO_PORTC_PCTL_
\$4000.75 2C	PMC7	PMC6	PMC5	PMC4	PMC3	PMC2	PMC1	PMC0	GPIO_PORTD_PCTL _R
\$4002.45 2C			PMC5	PMC4	PMC3	PMC2	PMC1	PMC0	GPIO_PORTE_PCTL_
\$4002.55 2C				PMC4	PMC3	PMC2	PMC1	PMC0	GPIO_PORTF_PCTL_
\$4000.65 20	LOCK (GPIO_PORTC_LOCK _R							
\$4000.75 20	LOCK (GPIO_PORTD_LOCK _R							
\$4002.55 20	LOCK (GPIO_PORTF_LOCK _R							

Table 6.2 Some TM4C123 parallel ports. Each register is 32 bits wide. For PMCx bits, see Table 6.1. JTAG means do not use these pins and do not change any of these bits.