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NOTE: this command is only available in version 3.1 and newer of Betaflight.

The IO remapping allows you to configure the pins on the MCU to be utilised for various functions. This is the starting framework - more work can be done.

Pins are remapped using the resources command line interface command.

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resource [function name] [index] [pin] (e.g. resource MOTOR 1 A1)
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Where MOTOR is the function, 1 is the motor index (1 based e.g. 1-4 on a quad) and A1 is Port A pin 1 or more commonly referred to as PA1 in STM datasheet documentation.

To remove a mapping, use NONE in place of PIN, e.g. resource MOTOR 5 NONE

Where a function does not require an index (i.e. there is only 1 possible pin assignment), e.g. BEEPER, SONAR_ECHO or SONAR_TRIGGER then the index **must** be omitted (e.g. resource BEEPER B6)

resource on its own will list all the available configurable options, and their current setting. This is the output to be added to the dump for use in backing up and restoring configuration. Note that this command will list all configured that would be allocated if used.

As an example resource will show motors 1-8, but if your mixer is set to QuadX then only motors 1-4 will actually be used, if you change to Oct as the mixer (and reboot) then all 8 motors will be configured.

resource list (or resource show in more recent versions of Betaflight) will list all pins and their current assignments, including all those in use by system components and **not** configurable by the user. It will also list the currently active DMA utilisation. Note for any adjustments made a save and reboot is required in order for those changes to be visible here. Consider this command the output of the currently active state.

Note that the save command must be used after changing pin mapping via the CLI.

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Figure: How different resource command variation works

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Available functions, values and constraints

Function	Index	Description	Constraints
ADC_BATT	-	Battery voltage sensor	Can only be mapped to other ADC pin
ADC_CURR	-	Battery current sensor	Can only be mapped to other ADC pin
ADC_RSSI	-	Analog RSSI input from receiver	Can only be mapped to other ADC pin
BEEPER	-	Signal buzzer	Usually hard-wired to the base of a transistor to switch the buzzer.
CAMERA_CONTROL	-	FPV camera OSD control	Emulates joystick key presses. Needs hard-wired resistor and/or capacitor. Therefore existing CAMERACONTROL pin_may only be usable for certain low frequency applications, like SmartAudio.
ESCSERIAL	?	?	?
I2C_SCL	1-n		
I2C_SDA	1-n		
INVERTER			
LED	1-3	Indicator LEDs	Don't confuse with LED_STRIP!

Function	Index	Description	Constraints
LED_STRIP	-	WS2812 LED data	Usually very good choice for alternative usage, if no WS2812- LEDs are connected/used
MOTOR	1-n	Motor signal	Mapping between other motor pins) (swapping) should always work fine. Other pins may not work (DMA conflict with DShot).
PPM	-	Receiver PPM input	Usually good choice for alternative usage
PWM	1-n	Receiver PWM input	?
SERIAL_RX	1-n	Serial receive pin	Can not be remapped to any other pins, but can be used for different functions (including software serial ports).
SERIAL_TX	1-n	Serial send pin	SERIAL_RX / SERIAL_TX 11–12 are software serial ports #1 and #2
SERV0	1-n	Servo signal	?
SONAR_ECHO	-		
SONAR_TRIGGER	_		
SPI_SDI	1-n	Used to be called SPI_MISO	
SPI_SD0	1-n	Used to be called SPI_MOSI	
SPI_SCK	1-n		

Wiki pages with examples of using the Resource Commands:

Remapping Motor outputs Using Servos & SERVO_TILT Setup on a Fixed Wing Aircraft

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