14 General-purpose timers (TIM3)

14.1 TIM3 introduction

The general-purpose timers consist of a 16-bit auto-reload counter driven by a programmable prescaler.

They may be used for a variety of purposes, including measuring the pulse lengths of input signals (*input capture*) or generating output waveforms (*output compare and PWM*).

Pulse lengths and waveform periods can be modulated from a few microseconds to several milliseconds using the timer prescaler and the RCC clock controller prescalers.

The timers are completely independent, and do not share any resources. They can be synchronized together as described in *Section 14.3.15*.

14.2 TIM3 main features

General-purpose TIMx timer features include:

- 16-bit (TIM3) up, down, up/down auto-reload counter.
- 16-bit programmable prescaler used to divide (also "on the fly") the counter clock frequency by any factor between 1 and 65535.
- Up to 4 independent channels for:
 - Input capture
 - Output compare
 - PWM generation (Edge- and Center-aligned modes)
 - One-pulse mode output
- Synchronization circuit to control the timer with external signals and to interconnect several timers.
- Interrupt/DMA generation on the following events:
 - Update: counter overflow/underflow, counter initialization (by software or internal/external trigger)
 - Trigger event (counter start, stop, initialization or count by internal/external trigger)
 - Input capture
 - Output compare
- Supports incremental (quadrature) encoder and hall-sensor circuitry for positioning purposes
- Trigger input for external clock or cycle-by-cycle current management

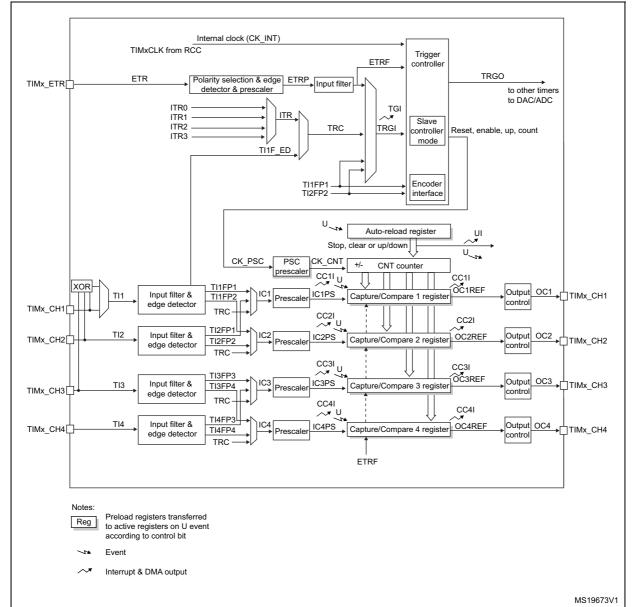


Figure 93. General-purpose timer block diagram (TIM3)

14.3 TIM3 functional description

14.3.1 Time-base unit

The main block of the programmable timer is a 16-bit/32-bit counter with its related autoreload register. The counter can count up but also down or both up and down. The counter clock can be divided by a prescaler.

The counter, the auto-reload register and the prescaler register can be written or read by software. This is true even when the counter is running.

The time-base unit includes:

- Counter Register (TIMx CNT)
- Prescaler Register (TIMx_PSC)
- Auto-Reload Register (TIMx_ARR)

The auto-reload register is preloaded. Writing to or reading from the auto-reload register accesses the preload register. The content of the preload register are transferred into the shadow register permanently or at each update event (UEV), depending on the auto-reload preload enable bit (ARPE) in TIMx_CR1 register. The update event is sent when the counter reaches the overflow (or underflow when downcounting) and if the UDIS bit equals 0 in the TIMx_CR1 register. It can also be generated by software. The generation of the update event is described in detail for each configuration.

The counter is clocked by the prescaler output CK_CNT, which is enabled only when the counter enable bit (CEN) in TIMx_CR1 register is set (refer also to the slave mode controller description to get more details on counter enabling).

Note that the actual counter enable signal CNT EN is set 1 clock cycle after CEN.

Prescaler description

The prescaler can divide the counter clock frequency by any factor between 1 and 65536. It is based on a 16-bit counter controlled through a 16-bit/32-bit register (in the TIMx_PSC register). It can be changed on the fly as this control register is buffered. The new prescaler ratio is taken into account at the next update event.

Figure 94 and *Figure 95* give some examples of the counter behavior when the prescaler ratio is changed on the fly:

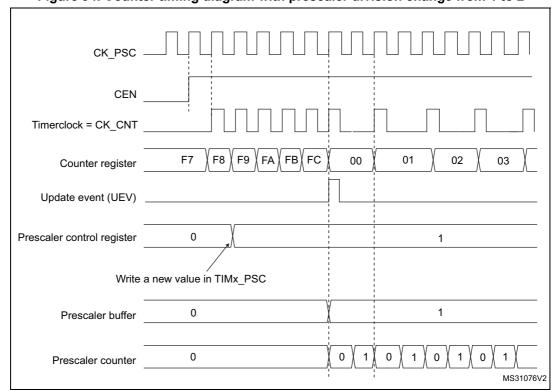


Figure 94. Counter timing diagram with prescaler division change from 1 to 2

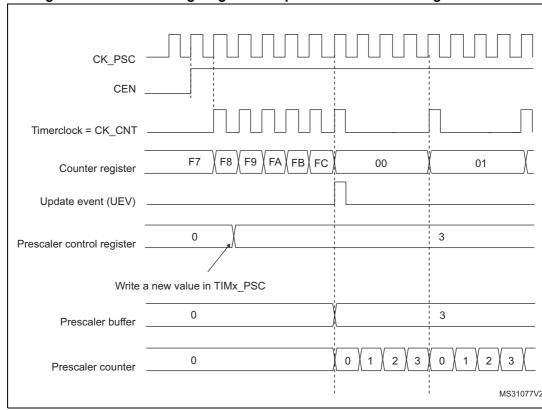


Figure 95. Counter timing diagram with prescaler division change from 1 to 4

14.3.2 Counter modes

Upcounting mode

In upcounting mode, the counter counts from 0 to the auto-reload value (content of the TIMx ARR register), then restarts from 0 and generates a counter overflow event.

An Update event can be generated at each counter overflow or by setting the UG bit in the TIMx_EGR register (by software or by using the slave mode controller).

The UEV event can be disabled by software by setting the UDIS bit in TIMx_CR1 register. This is to avoid updating the shadow registers while writing new values in the preload registers. Then no update event occurs until the UDIS bit has been written to 0. However, the counter restarts from 0, as well as the counter of the prescaler (but the prescale rate does not change). In addition, if the URS bit (update request selection) in TIMx_CR1 register is set, setting the UG bit generates an update event UEV but without setting the UIF flag (thus no interrupt or DMA request is sent). This is to avoid generating both update and capture interrupts when clearing the counter on the capture event.

When an update event occurs, all the registers are updated and the update flag (UIF bit in TIMx SR register) is set (depending on the URS bit):

- The buffer of the prescaler is reloaded with the preload value (content of the TIMX PSC register)
- The auto-reload shadow register is updated with the preload value (TIMx ARR)

The following figures show some examples of the counter behavior for different clock frequencies when TIMx ARR=0x36.



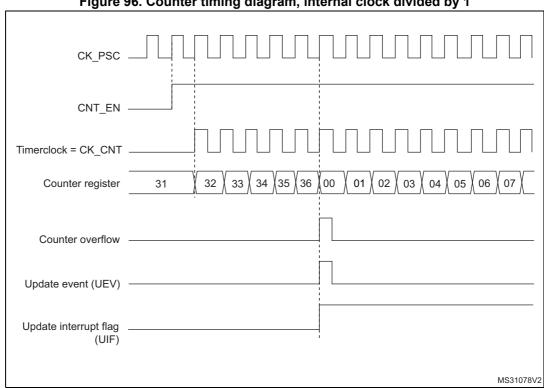
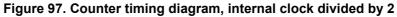
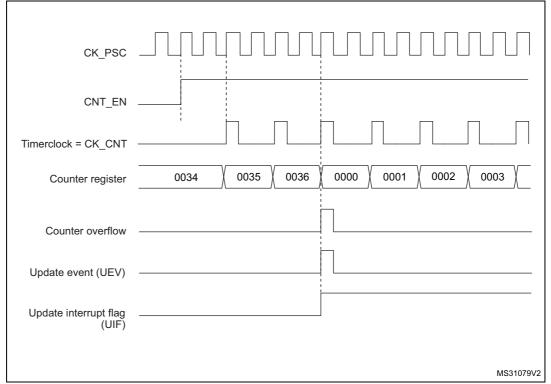


Figure 96. Counter timing diagram, internal clock divided by 1





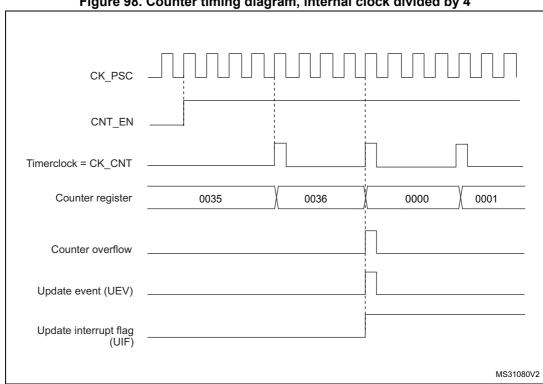
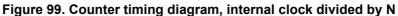
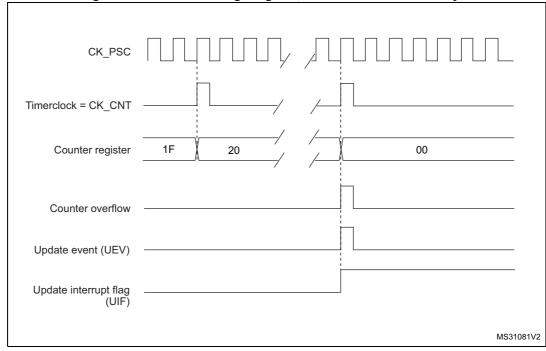


Figure 98. Counter timing diagram, internal clock divided by 4





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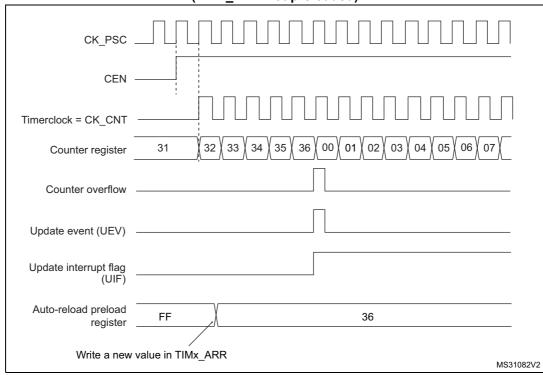
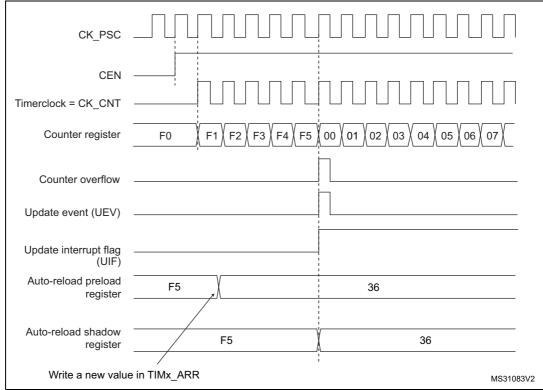


Figure 100. Counter timing diagram, Update event when ARPE=0 (TIMx_ARR not preloaded)





Downcounting mode

In downcounting mode, the counter counts from the auto-reload value (content of the TIMx_ARR register) down to 0, then restarts from the auto-reload value and generates a counter underflow event.

An Update event can be generate at each counter underflow or by setting the UG bit in the TIMx_EGR register (by software or by using the slave mode controller)

The UEV update event can be disabled by software by setting the UDIS bit in TIMx_CR1 register. This is to avoid updating the shadow registers while writing new values in the preload registers. Then no update event occurs until UDIS bit has been written to 0. However, the counter restarts from the current auto-reload value, whereas the counter of the prescaler restarts from 0 (but the prescale rate doesn't change).

In addition, if the URS bit (update request selection) in TIMx_CR1 register is set, setting the UG bit generates an update event UEV but without setting the UIF flag (thus no interrupt or DMA request is sent). This is to avoid generating both update and capture interrupts when clearing the counter on the capture event.

When an update event occurs, all the registers are updated and the update flag (UIF bit in TIMx SR register) is set (depending on the URS bit):

- The buffer of the prescaler is reloaded with the preload value (content of the TIMx_PSC register).
- The auto-reload active register is updated with the preload value (content of the TIMx_ARR register). Note that the auto-reload is updated before the counter is reloaded, so that the next period is the expected one.

The following figures show some examples of the counter behavior for different clock frequencies when TIMx ARR=0x36.

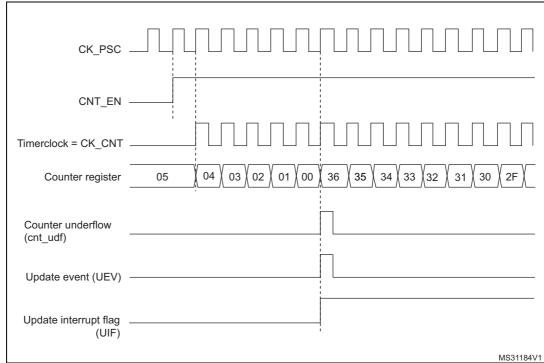


Figure 102. Counter timing diagram, internal clock divided by 1

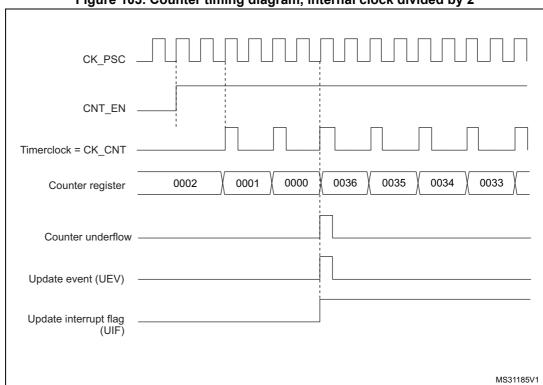
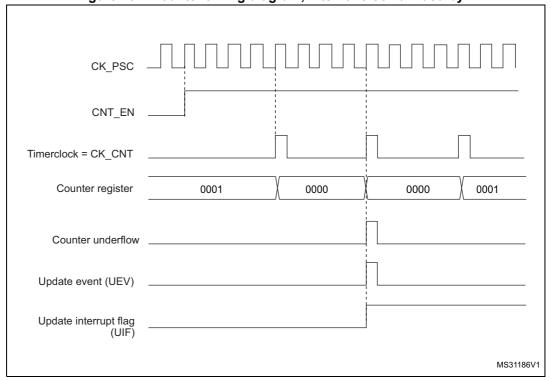


Figure 103. Counter timing diagram, internal clock divided by 2





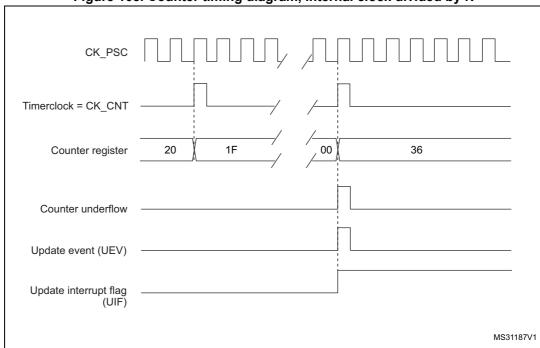
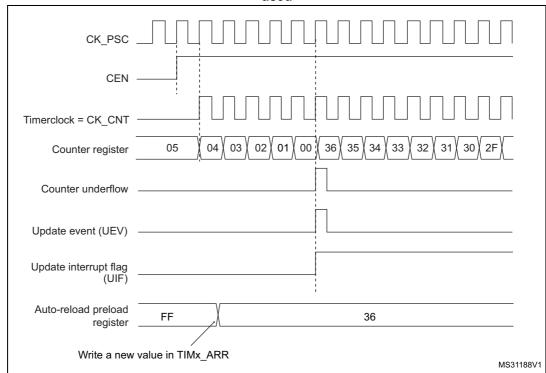


Figure 105. Counter timing diagram, internal clock divided by N





Center-aligned mode (up/down counting)

In center-aligned mode, the counter counts from 0 to the auto-reload value (content of the TIMx_ARR register) – 1, generates a counter overflow event, then counts from the auto-reload value down to 1 and generates a counter underflow event. Then it restarts counting from 0.

Center-aligned mode is active when the CMS bits in TIMx_CR1 register are not equal to '00'. The Output compare interrupt flag of channels configured in output is set when: the counter counts down (Center aligned mode 1, CMS = "01"), the counter counts up (Center aligned mode 2, CMS = "10") the counter counts up and down (Center aligned mode 3, CMS = "11").

In this mode, the direction bit (DIR from TIMx_CR1 register) cannot be written. It is updated by hardware and gives the current direction of the counter.

The update event can be generated at each counter overflow and at each counter underflow or by setting the UG bit in the TIMx_EGR register (by software or by using the slave mode controller) also generates an update event. In this case, the counter restarts counting from 0, as well as the counter of the prescaler.

The UEV update event can be disabled by software by setting the UDIS bit in TIMx_CR1 register. This is to avoid updating the shadow registers while writing new values in the preload registers. Then no update event occurs until the UDIS bit has been written to 0. However, the counter continues counting up and down, based on the current auto-reload value.

In addition, if the URS bit (update request selection) in TIMx_CR1 register is set, setting the UG bit generates an update event UEV but without setting the UIF flag (thus no interrupt or DMA request is sent). This is to avoid generating both update and capture interrupt when clearing the counter on the capture event.

When an update event occurs, all the registers are updated and the update flag (UIF bit in TIMx SR register) is set (depending on the URS bit):

- The buffer of the prescaler is reloaded with the preload value (content of the TIMx_PSC register).
- The auto-reload active register is updated with the preload value (content of the TIMx_ARR register). Note that if the update source is a counter overflow, the auto-reload is updated before the counter is reloaded, so that the next period is the expected one (the counter is loaded with the new value).

The following figures show some examples of the counter behavior for different clock frequencies.



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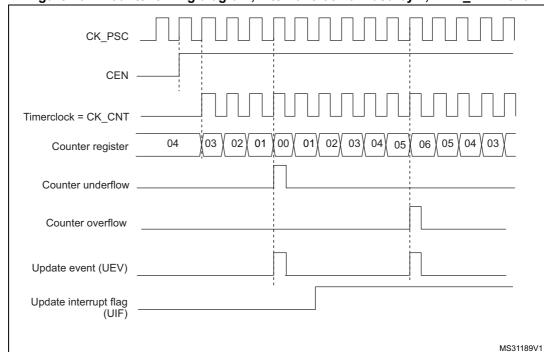


Figure 107. Counter timing diagram, internal clock divided by 1, TIMx_ARR=0x6

1. Here, center-aligned mode 1 is used (for more details refer to Section 14.4.1: TIM3 control register 1 (TIM3_CR1) on page 343).

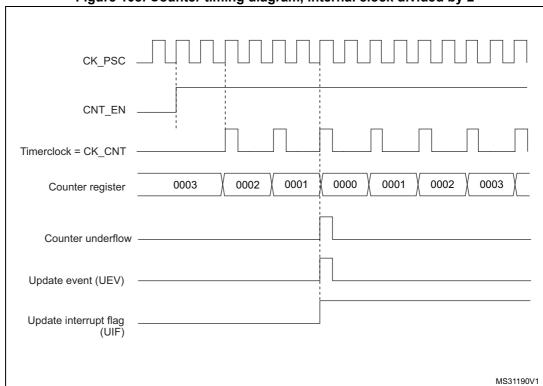


Figure 108. Counter timing diagram, internal clock divided by 2

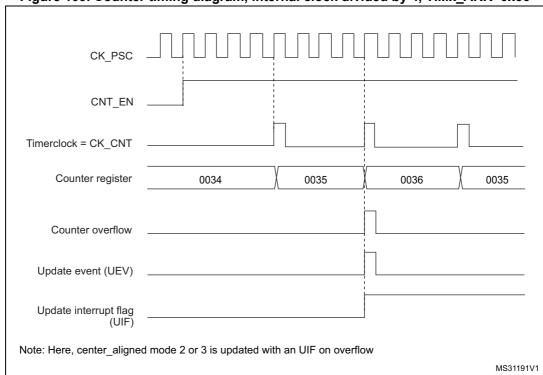


Figure 109. Counter timing diagram, internal clock divided by 4, TIMx_ARR=0x36

1. Center-aligned mode 2 or 3 is used with an UIF on overflow.

CK_PSC Timerclock = CK_CNT 20 Counter register Counter underflow Update event (UEV) Update interrupt flag MS31192V1

Figure 110. Counter timing diagram, internal clock divided by N

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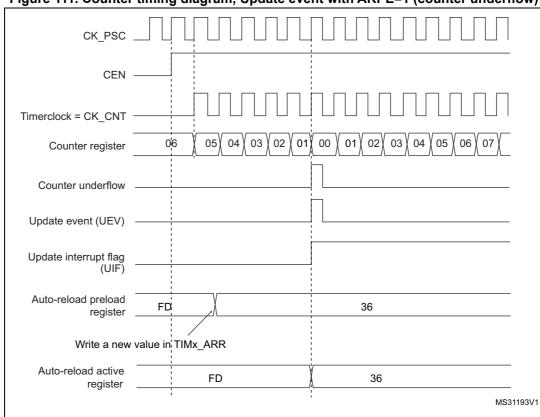
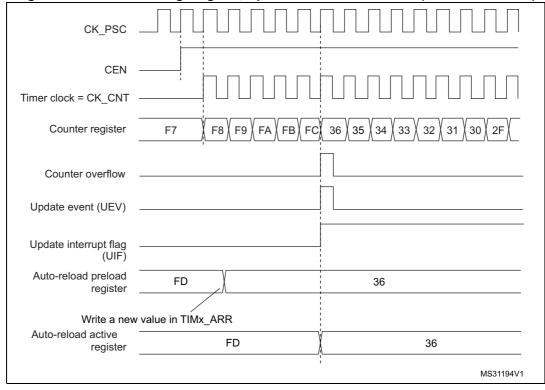


Figure 111. Counter timing diagram, Update event with ARPE=1 (counter underflow)





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14.3.3 Clock sources

The counter clock can be provided by the following clock sources:

- Internal clock (CK_INT)
- External clock mode1: external input pin (Tlx)
- External clock mode2: external trigger input (ETR)
- Internal trigger inputs (ITRx): using one timer as prescaler for another timer, for example, Timer 1 can be configured to act as a prescaler for Timer 2. Refer to: Using one timer as prescaler for another on page 337 for more details.

Internal clock source (CK_INT)

If the slave mode controller is disabled (SMS=000 in the TIMx_SMCR register), then the CEN, DIR (in the TIMx_CR1 register) and UG bits (in the TIMx_EGR register) are actual control bits and can be changed only by software (except UG which remains cleared automatically). As soon as the CEN bit is written to 1, the prescaler is clocked by the internal clock CK_INT.

Figure 113 shows the behavior of the control circuit and the upcounter in normal mode, without prescaler.

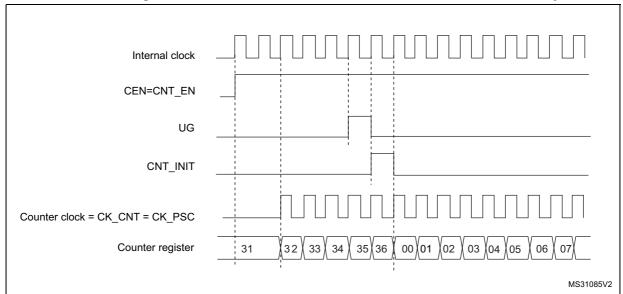


Figure 113. Control circuit in normal mode, internal clock divided by 1

External clock source mode 1

This mode is selected when SMS=111 in the TIMx_SMCR register. The counter can count at each rising or falling edge on a selected input.

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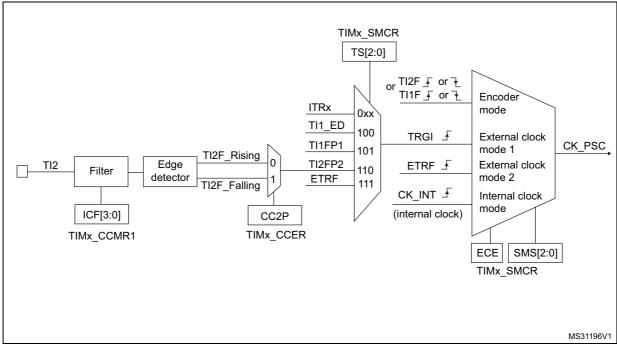


Figure 114. Tl2 external clock connection example

For example, to configure the upcounter to count in response to a rising edge on the TI2 input, use the following procedure:

- Configure channel 2 to detect rising edges on the TI2 input by writing CC2S= '01 in the TIMx CCMR1 register.
- 2. Configure the input filter duration by writing the IC2F[3:0] bits in the TIMx_CCMR1 register (if no filter is needed, keep IC2F=0000).

Note: The capture prescaler is not used for triggering, so it does not need to be configured.

- Select rising edge polarity by writing CC2P=0 and CC2NP=0 in the TIMx_CCER register.
- 4. Configure the timer in external clock mode 1 by writing SMS=111 in the TIMx_SMCR register.
- 5. Select TI2 as the input source by writing TS=110 in the TIMx SMCR register.
- Enable the counter by writing CEN=1 in the TIMx_CR1 register.

For code example refer to the Appendix section A.8.2: Up counter on each 2 ETR rising edges.

When a rising edge occurs on TI2, the counter counts once and the TIF flag is set.

The delay between the rising edge on TI2 and the actual clock of the counter is due to the resynchronization circuit on TI2 input.

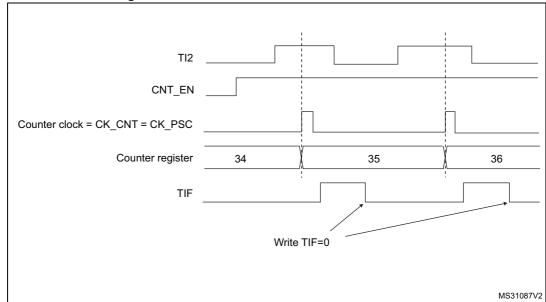


Figure 115. Control circuit in external clock mode 1

External clock source mode 2

This mode is selected by writing ECE=1 in the TIMx_SMCR register.

The counter can count at each rising or falling edge on the external trigger input ETR.

The Figure 116 gives an overview of the external trigger input block.

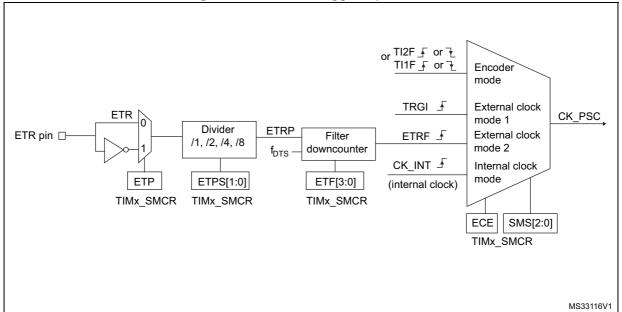


Figure 116. External trigger input block

For example, to configure the upcounter to count each 2 rising edges on ETR, use the following procedure:

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- 1. As no filter is needed in this example, write ETF[3:0]=0000 in the TIMx_SMCR register.
- 2. Set the prescaler by writing ETPS[1:0]=01 in the TIMx_SMCR register
- 3. Select rising edge detection on the ETR pin by writing ETP=0 in the TIMx_SMCR register
- 4. Enable external clock mode 2 by writing ECE=1 in the TIMx_SMCR register.
- Enable the counter by writing CEN=1 in the TIMx_CR1 register.

The counter counts once each 2 ETR rising edges.

The delay between the rising edge on ETR and the actual clock of the counter is due to the resynchronization circuit on the ETRP signal.

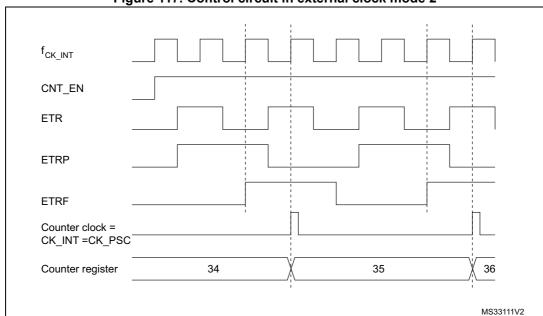


Figure 117. Control circuit in external clock mode 2

14.3.4 Capture/compare channels

Each Capture/Compare channel is built around a capture/compare register (including a shadow register), a input stage for capture (with digital filter, multiplexing and prescaler) and an output stage (with comparator and output control).

The following figure gives an overview of one Capture/Compare channel.

The input stage samples the corresponding TIx input to generate a filtered signal TIxF. Then, an edge detector with polarity selection generates a signal (TIxFPx) which can be used as trigger input by the slave mode controller or as the capture command. It is prescaled before the capture register (ICxPS).

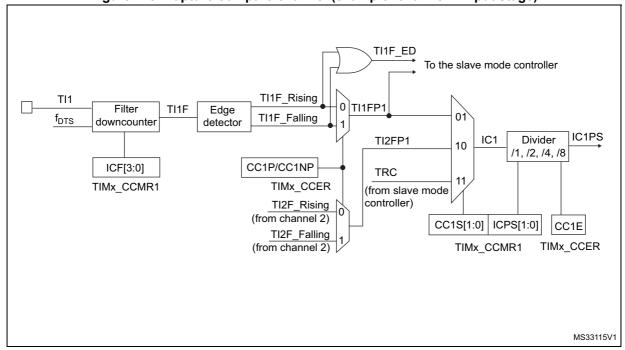


Figure 118. Capture/compare channel (example: channel 1 input stage)

The output stage generates an intermediate waveform which is then used for reference: OCxRef (active high). The polarity acts at the end of the chain.

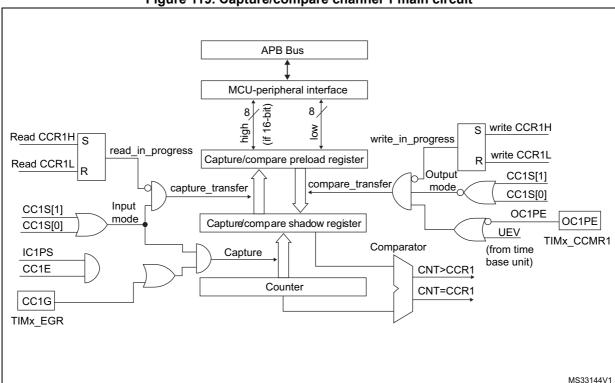


Figure 119. Capture/compare channel 1 main circuit

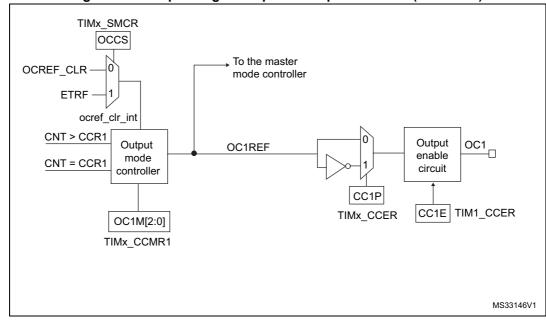


Figure 120. Output stage of capture/compare channel (channel 1)

The capture/compare block is made of one preload register and one shadow register. Write and read always access the preload register.

In capture mode, captures are actually done in the shadow register, which is copied into the preload register.

In compare mode, the content of the preload register is copied into the shadow register which is compared to the counter.

14.3.5 Input capture mode

In Input capture mode, the Capture/Compare Registers (TIMx CCRx) are used to latch the value of the counter after a transition detected by the corresponding ICx signal. When a capture occurs, the corresponding CCXIF flag (TIMx SR register) is set and an interrupt or a DMA request can be sent if they are enabled. If a capture occurs while the CCxIF flag was already high, then the over-capture flag CCxOF (TIMx SR register) is set. CCxIF can be cleared by software by writing it to 0 or by reading the captured data stored in the TIMx CCRx register. CCxOF is cleared when it is written with 0.

The following example shows how to capture the counter value in TIMx CCR1 when TI1 input rises. To do this, use the following procedure:

- Select the active input: TIMx CCR1 must be linked to the TI1 input, so write the CC1S bits to 01 in the TIMx_CCMR1 register. As soon as CC1S becomes different from 00, the channel is configured in input and the TIMx CCR1 register becomes read-only.
- Program the appropriate input filter duration in relation with the signal connected to the timer (when the input is one of the TIx (ICxF bits in the TIMx_CCMRx register). Let's imagine that, when toggling, the input signal is not stable during at must 5 internal clock cycles. We must program a filter duration longer than these 5 clock cycles. We can validate a transition on TI1 when 8 consecutive samples with the new level have been



- detected (sampled at f_{DTS} frequency). Then write IC1F bits to 0011 in the TIMx CCMR1 register.
- Select the edge of the active transition on the TI1 channel by writing the CC1P and CC1NP bits to 0 in the TIMx_CCER register (rising edge in this case).
- Program the input prescaler. In our example, we wish the capture to be performed at each valid transition, so the prescaler is disabled (write IC1PS bits to 00 in the TIMx CCMR1 register).
- Enable capture from the counter into the capture register by setting the CC1E bit in the TIMx CCER register.
- If needed, enable the related interrupt request by setting the CC1IE bit in the TIMx_DIER register, and/or the DMA request by setting the CC1DE bit in the TIMx_DIER register.

For code example refer to the Appendix section A.8.3: Input capture configuration.

When an input capture occurs:

- The TIMx CCR1 register gets the value of the counter on the active transition.
- CC1IF flag is set (interrupt flag). CC1OF is also set if at least two consecutive captures occurred whereas the flag was not cleared.
- An interrupt is generated depending on the CC1IE bit.
- A DMA request is generated depending on the CC1DE bit.

For code example refer to the Appendix section A.8.4: Input capture data management.

In order to handle the overcapture, it is recommended to read the data before the overcapture flag. This is to avoid missing an overcapture which could happen after reading the flag and before reading the data.

Note:

IC interrupt and/or DMA requests can be generated by software by setting the corresponding CCxG bit in the TIMx EGR register.



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14.3.6 PWM input mode

This mode is a particular case of input capture mode. The procedure is the same except:

- Two ICx signals are mapped on the same TIx input.
- These 2 ICx signals are active on edges with opposite polarity.
- One of the two TIxFP signals is selected as trigger input and the slave mode controller is configured in reset mode.

For example, one can measure the period (in TIMx_CCR1 register) and the duty cycle (in TIMx_CCR2 register) of the PWM applied on TI1 using the following procedure (depending on CK_INT frequency and prescaler value):

- Select the active input for TIMx_CCR1: write the CC1S bits to 01 in the TIMx_CCMR1 register (TI1 selected).
- Select the active polarity for TI1FP1 (used both for capture in TIMx_CCR1 and counter clear): write the CC1P to '0' and the CC1NP bit to '0' (active on rising edge).
- Select the active input for TIMx_CCR2: write the CC2S bits to 10 in the TIMx_CCMR1 register (TI1 selected).
- Select the active polarity for TI1FP2 (used for capture in TIMx_CCR2): write the CC2P bit to '1' and the CC2NP bit to '0'(active on falling edge).
- Select the valid trigger input: write the TS bits to 101 in the TIMx_SMCR register (TI1FP1 selected).
- Configure the slave mode controller in reset mode: write the SMS bits to 100 in the TIMx SMCR register.
- Enable the captures: write the CC1E and CC2E bits to '1 in the TIMx_CCER register.

For code example refer to the Appendix section A.8.5: PWM input configuration.

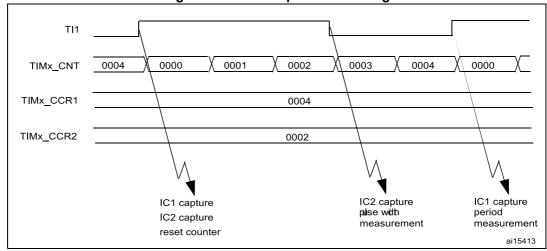


Figure 121. PWM input mode timing

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14.3.7 Forced output mode

In output mode (CCxS bits = 00 in the TIMx_CCMRx register), each output compare signal (OCxREF and then OCx) can be forced to active or inactive level directly by software, independently of any comparison between the output compare register and the counter.

To force an output compare signal (ocxref/OCx) to its active level, one just needs to write 101 in the OCxM bits in the corresponding TIMx_CCMRx register. Thus ocxref is forced high (OCxREF is always active high) and OCx get opposite value to CCxP polarity bit.

e.g.: CCxP=0 (OCx active high) => OCx is forced to high level.

ocxref signal can be forced low by writing the OCxM bits to 100 in the TIMx_CCMRx register.

Anyway, the comparison between the TIMx_CCRx shadow register and the counter is still performed and allows the flag to be set. Interrupt and DMA requests can be sent accordingly. This is described in the Output Compare Mode section.

14.3.8 Output compare mode

This function is used to control an output waveform or indicating when a period of time has elapsed.

When a match is found between the capture/compare register and the counter, the output compare function:

- Assigns the corresponding output pin to a programmable value defined by the output compare mode (OCxM bits in the TIMx_CCMRx register) and the output polarity (CCxP bit in the TIMx_CCER register). The output pin can keep its level (OCXM=000), be set active (OCxM=001), be set inactive (OCxM=010) or can toggle (OCxM=011) on match.
- Sets a flag in the interrupt status register (CCxIF bit in the TIMx_SR register).
- Generates an interrupt if the corresponding interrupt mask is set (CCXIE bit in the TIMx_DIER register).
- Sends a DMA request if the corresponding enable bit is set (CCxDE bit in the TIMx_DIER register, CCDS bit in the TIMx_CR2 register for the DMA request selection).

The TIMx_CCRx registers can be programmed with or without preload registers using the OCxPE bit in the TIMx_CCMRx register.

In output compare mode, the update event UEV has no effect on ocxref and OCx output. The timing resolution is one count of the counter. Output compare mode can also be used to output a single pulse (in One-pulse mode).

Procedure:

- 1. Select the counter clock (internal, external, prescaler).
- 2. Write the desired data in the TIMx_ARR and TIMx_CCRx registers.
- Set the CCxIE and/or CCxDE bits if an interrupt and/or a DMA request is to be generated.
- 4. Select the output mode. For example, one must write OCxM=011, OCxPE=0, CCxP=0 and CCxE=1 to toggle OCx output pin when CNT matches CCRx, CCRx preload is not used, OCx is enabled and active high.
- Enable the counter by setting the CEN bit in the TIMx_CR1 register.

For code example refer to the Appendix section A.8.7: Output compare configuration.

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The TIMx_CCRx register can be updated at any time by software to control the output waveform, provided that the preload register is not enabled (OCxPE=0, else TIMx_CCRx shadow register is updated only at the next update event UEV). An example is given in *Figure 122*.

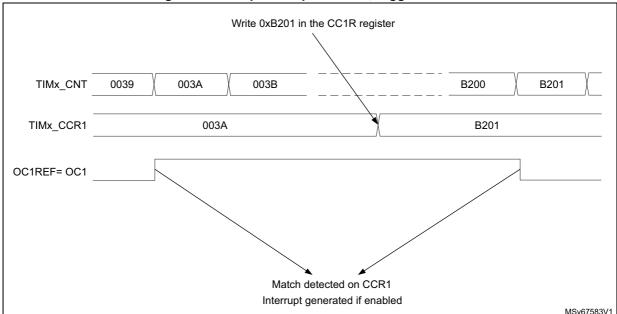


Figure 122. Output compare mode, toggle on OC1

14.3.9 **PWM** mode

Pulse width modulation mode allows to generate a signal with a frequency determined by the value of the TIMx_ARR register and a duty cycle determined by the value of the TIMx CCRx register.

The PWM mode can be selected independently on each channel (one PWM per OCx output) by writing 110 (PWM mode 1) or '111 (PWM mode 2) in the OCxM bits in the TIMx_CCMRx register. The corresponding preload register must be enabled by setting the OCxPE bit in the TIMx_CCMRx register, and eventually the auto-reload preload register (in upcounting or center-aligned modes) by setting the ARPE bit in the TIMx_CR1 register.

As the preload registers are transferred to the shadow registers only when an update event occurs, before starting the counter, all registers must be initialized by setting the UG bit in the TIMx_EGR register.

OCx polarity is software programmable using the CCxP bit in the TIMx_CCER register. It can be programmed as active high or active low. OCx output is enabled by the CCxE bit in the TIMx_CCER register. Refer to the TIMx_CCERx register description for more details.

In PWM mode (1 or 2), TIMx_CNT and TIMx_CCRx are always compared to determine whether TIMx_CCRx \leq TIMx_CNT or TIMx_CNT \leq TIMx_CCRx (depending on the direction of the counter). However, to comply with the OCREF_CLR functionality (OCREF can be

cleared by an external event through the ETR signal until the next PWM period), the OCREF signal is asserted only:

- When the result of the comparison changes, or
- When the output compare mode (OCxM bits in TIMx_CCMRx register) switches from the "frozen" configuration (no comparison, OCxM='000) to one of the PWM modes (OCxM='110 or '111).

This forces the PWM by software while the timer is running.

The timer is able to generate PWM in edge-aligned mode or center-aligned mode depending on the CMS bits in the TIMx_CR1 register.

PWM edge-aligned mode

Upcounting configuration

Upcounting is active when the DIR bit in the TIMx_CR1 register is low. Refer to the *Section*: *Upcounting mode on page 304*.

In the following example, we consider PWM mode 1. The reference PWM signal OCxREF is high as long as TIMx_CNT <TIMx_CCRx else it becomes low. If the compare value in TIMx_CCRx is greater than the auto-reload value (in TIMx_ARR) then OCxREF is held at '1. If the compare value is 0 then OCxREF is held at '0. *Figure 123* shows some edge-aligned PWM waveforms in an example where TIMx_ARR=8.

For code example refer to the Appendix section *A.8.9: Center-aligned PWM configuration example*.

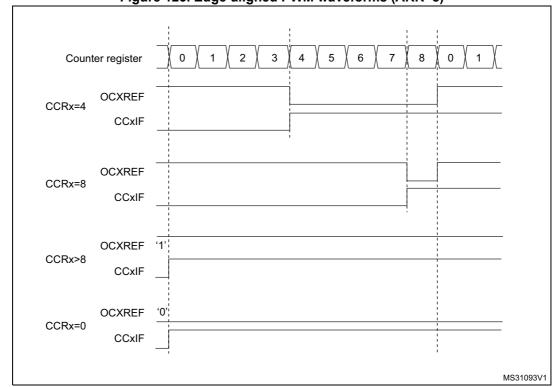


Figure 123. Edge-aligned PWM waveforms (ARR=8)

Downcounting configuration

Downcounting is active when DIR bit in TIMx_CR1 register is high. Refer to *Downcounting mode on page 308*

In PWM mode 1, the reference signal ocxref is low as long as TIMx_CNT>TIMx_CCRx else it becomes high. If the compare value in TIMx_CCRx is greater than the auto-reload value in TIMx_ARR, then ocxref is held at '1.0% PWM is not possible in this mode.

PWM center-aligned mode

Center-aligned mode is active when the CMS bits in TIMx_CR1 register are different from '00 (all the remaining configurations having the same effect on the ocxref/OCx signals). The compare flag is set when the counter counts up, when it counts down or both when it counts up and down depending on the CMS bits configuration. The direction bit (DIR) in the TIMx_CR1 register is updated by hardware and must not be changed by software. Refer to the Center-aligned mode (up/down counting) on page 311.

Figure 124 shows some center-aligned PWM waveforms in an example where:

- TIMx ARR=8,
- PWM mode is the PWM mode 1,
- The flag is set when the counter counts down corresponding to the center-aligned mode 1 selected for CMS=01 in TIMx CR1 register.

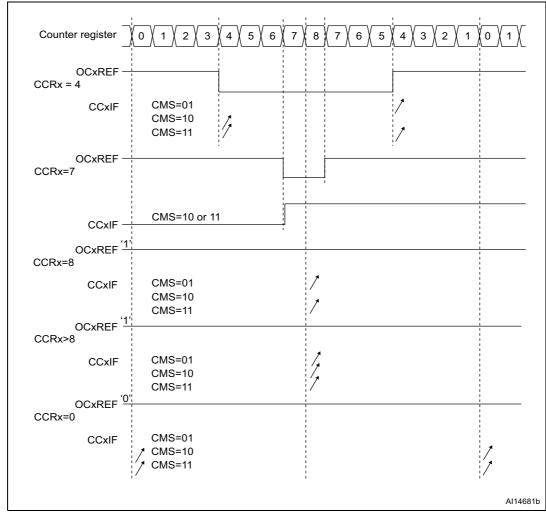


Figure 124. Center-aligned PWM waveforms (ARR=8)

Hints on using center-aligned mode:

- When starting in center-aligned mode, the current up-down configuration is used. It means that the counter counts up or down depending on the value written in the DIR bit in the TIMx_CR1 register. Moreover, the DIR and CMS bits must not be changed at the same time by the software.
- Writing to the counter while running in center-aligned mode is not recommended as it can lead to unexpected results. In particular:
 - The direction is not updated if a value greater than the auto-reload value is written in the counter (TIMx_CNT>TIMx_ARR). For example, if the counter was counting up, it continues to count up.
 - The direction is updated if 0 or the TIMx_ARR value is written in the counter but no Update Event UEV is generated.
- The safest way to use center-aligned mode is to generate an update by software (setting the UG bit in the TIMx_EGR register) just before starting the counter and not to write the counter while it is running.

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14.3.10 One-pulse mode

One-pulse mode (OPM) is a particular case of the previous modes. It allows the counter to be started in response to a stimulus and to generate a pulse with a programmable length after a programmable delay.

Starting the counter can be controlled through the slave mode controller. Generating the waveform can be done in output compare mode or PWM mode. One-pulse mode is selected by setting the OPM bit in the TIMx CR1 register. This makes the counter stop automatically at the next update event UEV.

A pulse can be correctly generated only if the compare value is different from the counter initial value. Before starting (when the timer is waiting for the trigger), the configuration must be:

- In upcounting: $CNT < CCRx \le ARR$ (in particular, 0 < CCRx),
- In downcounting: CNT>CCRx.

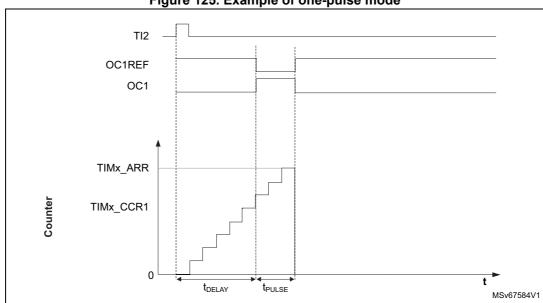


Figure 125. Example of one-pulse mode

For example one may want to generate a positive pulse on OC1 with a length of tpulse and after a delay of t_{DFLAY} as soon as a positive edge is detected on the TI2 input pin.

Use TI2FP2 as trigger 1:

- Map TI2FP2 on TI2 by writing CC2S=01 in the TIMx CCMR1 register.
- TI2FP2 must detect a rising edge, write CC2P=0 and CC2NP='0' in the TIMx CCER register.
- Configure TI2FP2 as trigger for the slave mode controller (TRGI) by writing TS=110 in the TIMx SMCR register.
- TI2FP2 is used to start the counter by writing SMS to '110 in the TIMx SMCR register (trigger mode).

The OPM waveform is defined by writing the compare registers (taking into account the clock frequency and the counter prescaler).

- The t_{DELAY} is defined by the value written in the TIMx_CCR1 register.
- The t_{PULSE} is defined by the difference between the auto-reload value and the compare value (TIMx_ARR - TIMx_CCR1 + 1).
- Let's say one want to build a waveform with a transition from '0 to '1 when a compare match occurs and a transition from '1 to '0 when the counter reaches the auto-reload value. To do this PWM mode 2 must be enabled by writing OC1M=111 in the TIMx_CCMR1 register. Optionally the preload registers can be enabled by writing OC1PE=1 in the TIMx_CCMR1 register and ARPE in the TIMx_CR1 register. In this case one has to write the compare value in the TIMx_CCR1 register, the auto-reload value in the TIMx_ARR register, generate an update by setting the UG bit and wait for external trigger event on TI2. CC1P is written to '0 in this example.

In our example, the DIR and CMS bits in the TIMx_CR1 register should be low.

For code example refer to the Appendix section A.8.16: One-Pulse mode.

Since only 1 pulse (Single mode) is needed, a 1 must be written in the OPM bit in the TIMx_CR1 register to stop the counter at the next update event (when the counter rolls over from the auto-reload value back to 0). When OPM bit in the TIMx_CR1 register is set to '0', so the Repetitive Mode is selected.

Particular case: OCx fast enable

In One-pulse mode, the edge detection on TIx input set the CEN bit which enables the counter. Then the comparison between the counter and the compare value makes the output toggle. But several clock cycles are needed for these operations and it limits the minimum delay $t_{\rm DELAY}$ min we can get.

If one wants to output a waveform with the minimum delay, the OCxFE bit can be set in the TIMx_CCMRx register. Then OCxRef (and OCx) are forced in response to the stimulus, without taking in account the comparison. Its new level is the same as if a compare match had occurred. OCxFE acts only if the channel is configured in PWM1 or PWM2 mode.

For code example refer to the part of code, conditioned by PULSE_WITHOUT_DELAY > 0 in the Appendix section *A.8.16*: One-Pulse mode.

14.3.11 Clearing the OCxREF signal on an external event

- The external trigger prescaler should be kept off: bits ETPS[1:0] in the TIMx_SMCR register are cleared to 00.
- 2. The external clock mode 2 must be disabled: bit ECE in the TIM1_SMCR register is cleared to 0.
- 3. The external trigger polarity (ETP) and the external trigger filter (ETF) can be configured according to the application's needs.

For code example refer to the Appendix section A.8.10: ETR configuration to clear OCxREF.

Figure 126 shows the behavior of the OCxREF signal when the ETRF input becomes high, for both values of the OCxCE enable bit. In this example, the timer TIMx is programmed in PWM mode.



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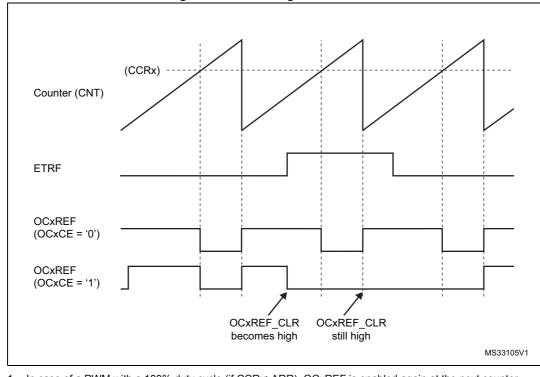


Figure 126. Clearing TIMx OCxREF

 In case of a PWM with a 100% duty cycle (if CCRx>ARR), OCxREF is enabled again at the next counter overflow.

14.3.12 Encoder interface mode

To select Encoder Interface mode write SMS='001 in the TIMx_SMCR register if the counter is counting on TI2 edges only, SMS=010 if it is counting on TI1 edges only and SMS=011 if it is counting on both TI1 and TI2 edges.

Select the TI1 and TI2 polarity by programming the CC1P and CC2P bits in the TIMx_CCER register. CC1NP and CC2NP must be kept cleared. When needed, the input filter can be programmed as well.

The two inputs TI1 and TI2 are used to interface to an incremental encoder. Refer to *Table 47*. The counter is clocked by each valid transition on TI1FP1 or TI2FP2 (TI1 and TI2 after input filter and polarity selection, TI1FP1=TI1 if not filtered and not inverted, TI2FP2=TI2 if not filtered and not inverted) assuming that it is enabled (CEN bit in TIMx_CR1 register written to '1). The sequence of transitions of the two inputs is evaluated and generates count pulses as well as the direction signal. Depending on the sequence the counter counts up or down, the DIR bit in the TIMx_CR1 register is modified by hardware accordingly. The DIR bit is calculated at each transition on any input (TI1 or TI2), whatever the counter is counting on TI1 only, TI2 only or both TI1 and TI2.

Encoder interface mode acts simply as an external clock with direction selection. This means that the counter just counts continuously between 0 and the auto-reload value in the TIMx_ARR register (0 to ARR or ARR down to 0 depending on the direction). So the TIMx_ARR must be configured before starting. In the same way, the capture, compare, prescaler, trigger output features continue to work as normal.

In this mode, the counter is modified automatically following the speed and the direction of the incremental encoder and its content, therefore, always represents the encoder's



position. The count direction correspond to the rotation direction of the connected sensor. The table summarizes the possible combinations, assuming TI1 and TI2 do not switch at the same time.

Active edge	Level on opposite signal (TI1FP1 for TI2, TI2FP2 for TI1)	TI1FP1 signal		TI2FP2 signal	
		Rising	Falling	Rising	Falling
Counting on TI1 only	High	Down	Up	No Count	No Count
	Low	Up	Down	No Count	No Count
Counting on TI2 only	High	No Count	No Count	Up	Down
	Low	No Count	No Count	Down	Up
Counting on TI1 and TI2	High	Down	Up	Up	Down
	Low	Up	Down	Down	Up

Table 47. Counting direction versus encoder signals

An external incremental encoder can be connected directly to the MCU without external interface logic. However, comparators are normally be used to convert the encoder's differential outputs to digital signals. This greatly increases noise immunity. The third encoder output which indicate the mechanical zero position, may be connected to an external interrupt input and trigger a counter reset.

Figure 127 gives an example of counter operation, showing count signal generation and direction control. It also shows how input jitter is compensated where both edges are selected. This might occur if the sensor is positioned near to one of the switching points. For this example we assume that the configuration is the following:

- CC1S= 01 (TIMx CCMR1 register, TI1FP1 mapped on TI1)
- CC2S= 01 (TIMx_CCMR2 register, TI2FP2 mapped on TI2)
- CC1P=0, CC1NP = '0' (TIMx_CCER register, TI1FP1 noninverted, TI1FP1=TI1)
- CC2P=0, CC2NP = '0' (TIMx CCER register, TI2FP2 noninverted, TI2FP2=TI2)
- SMS= 011 (TIMx_SMCR register, both inputs are active on both rising and falling edges)
- CEN= 1 (TIMx_CR1 register, Counter is enabled)

For code example refer to the Appendix section *A.8.10: ETR configuration to clear OCxREF*.



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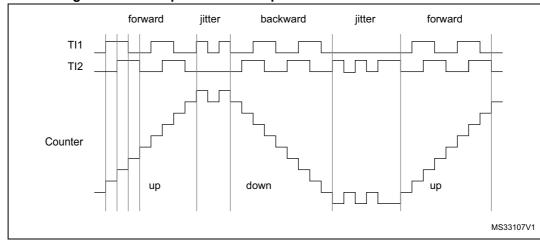


Figure 127. Example of counter operation in encoder interface mode

Figure 128 gives an example of counter behavior when TI1FP1 polarity is inverted (same configuration as above except CC1P=1).

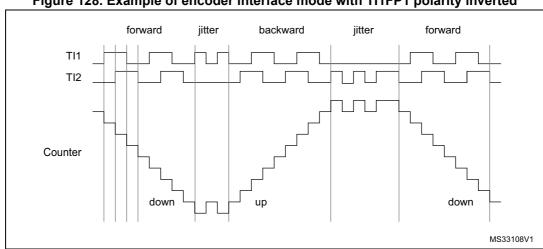


Figure 128. Example of encoder interface mode with TI1FP1 polarity inverted

The timer, when configured in Encoder Interface mode provides information on the sensor's current position. Dynamic information can be obtained (speed, acceleration, deceleration) by measuring the period between two encoder events using a second timer configured in capture mode. The output of the encoder which indicates the mechanical zero can be used for this purpose. Depending on the time between two events, the counter can also be read at regular times. This can be done by latching the counter value into a third input capture register if available (then the capture signal must be periodic and can be generated by another timer). when available, it is also possible to read its value through a DMA request generated by a Real-Time clock.

14.3.13 Timer input XOR function

The TI1S bit in the TIM1_CR2 register, allows the input filter of channel 1 to be connected to the output of a XOR gate, combining the three input pins TIMx_CH1 to TIMx_CH3.

The XOR output can be used with all the timer input functions such as trigger or input capture.



An example of this feature used to interface Hall sensors is given in Section 13.3.18 on page 266.

14.3.14 Timers and external trigger synchronization

The TIMx Timers can be synchronized with an external trigger in several modes: Reset mode, Gated mode and Trigger mode.

Slave mode: Reset mode

The counter and its prescaler can be reinitialized in response to an event on a trigger input. Moreover, if the URS bit from the TIMx_CR1 register is low, an update event UEV is generated. Then all the preloaded registers (TIMx_ARR, TIMx_CCRx) are updated.

In the following example, the upcounter is cleared in response to a rising edge on TI1 input:

- Configure the channel 1 to detect rising edges on TI1. Configure the input filter duration (in this example, we do not need any filter, so we keep IC1F=0000). The capture prescaler is not used for triggering, so it does not need to be configured. The CC1S bits select the input capture source only, CC1S = 01 in the TIMx_CCMR1 register. Write CC1P=0 and CC1NP=0 in TIMx_CCER register to validate the polarity (and detect rising edges only).
- Configure the timer in reset mode by writing SMS=100 in TIMx_SMCR register. Select TI1 as the input source by writing TS=101 in TIMx_SMCR register.
- Start the counter by writing CEN=1 in the TIMx CR1 register.

For code example refer to the Appendix section A.8.12: Reset mode.

The counter starts counting on the internal clock, then behaves normally until TI1 rising edge. When TI1 rises, the counter is cleared and restarts from 0. In the meantime, the trigger flag is set (TIF bit in the TIMx_SR register) and an interrupt request, or a DMA request can be sent if enabled (depending on the TIE and TDE bits in TIMx_DIER register).

The following figure shows this behavior when the auto-reload register TIMx_ARR=0x36. The delay between the rising edge on TI1 and the actual reset of the counter is due to the resynchronization circuit on TI1 input.

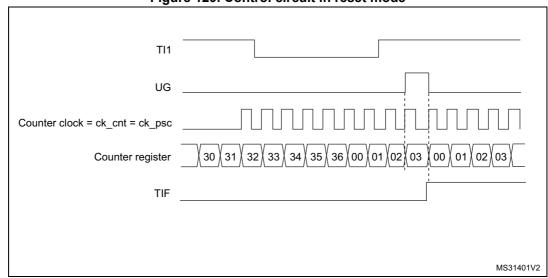


Figure 129. Control circuit in reset mode

Slave mode: Gated mode

The counter can be enabled depending on the level of a selected input.

In the following example, the upcounter counts only when TI1 input is low:

- Configure the channel 1 to detect low levels on TI1. Configure the input filter duration
 (in this example, we do not need any filter, so we keep IC1F=0000). The capture
 prescaler is not used for triggering, so it does not need to be configured. The CC1S bits
 select the input capture source only, CC1S=01 in TIMx_CCMR1 register. Write
 CC1P=1 and CC1NP=0 in TIMx_CCER register to validate the polarity (and detect low
 level only).
- Configure the timer in gated mode by writing SMS=101 in TIMx_SMCR register. Select TI1 as the input source by writing TS=101 in TIMx_SMCR register.
- Enable the counter by writing CEN=1 in the TIMx_CR1 register (in gated mode, the counter doesn't start if CEN=0, whatever is the trigger input level).

For code example refer to the Appendix section A.8.13: Gated mode.

The counter starts counting on the internal clock as long as TI1 is low and stops as soon as TI1 becomes high. The TIF flag in the TIMx_SR register is set both when the counter starts or stops.

The delay between the rising edge on TI1 and the actual stop of the counter is due to the resynchronization circuit on TI1 input.

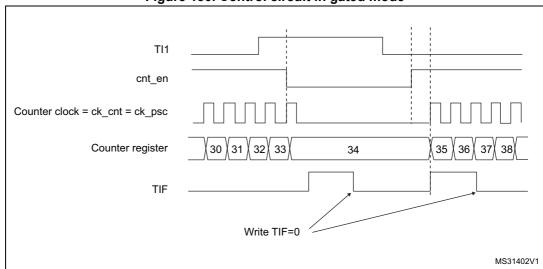


Figure 130. Control circuit in gated mode

Slave mode: Trigger mode

The counter can start in response to an event on a selected input.

In the following example, the upcounter starts in response to a rising edge on TI2 input:

 Configure the channel 2 to detect rising edges on TI2. Configure the input filter duration (in this example, we do not need any filter, so we keep IC2F=0000). The capture prescaler is not used for triggering, so it does not need to be configured. CC2S bits are selecting the input capture source only, CC2S=01 in TIMx_CCMR1 register. Write



^{1.} The configuration "CCxP=CCxNP=1" (detection of both rising and falling edges) does not have any effect in gated mode because gated mode acts on a level and not on an edge.

CC2P=1 and CC2NP=0 in TIMx_CCER register to validate the polarity (and detect low level only).

• Configure the timer in trigger mode by writing SMS=110 in TIMx_SMCR register. Select TI2 as the input source by writing TS=110 in TIMx_SMCR register.

For code example refer to the Appendix section A.8.14: Trigger mode.

When a rising edge occurs on TI2, the counter starts counting on the internal clock and the TIF flag is set.

The delay between the rising edge on TI2 and the actual start of the counter is due to the resynchronization circuit on TI2 input.

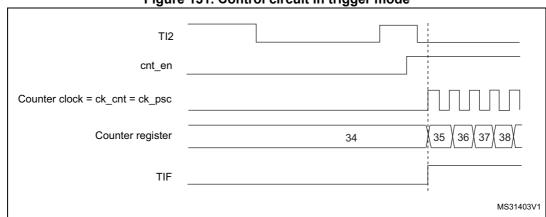


Figure 131. Control circuit in trigger mode

Slave mode: External Clock mode 2 + trigger mode

The external clock mode 2 can be used in addition to another slave mode (except external clock mode 1 and encoder mode). In this case, the ETR signal is used as external clock input, and another input can be selected as trigger input when operating in reset mode, gated mode or trigger mode. It is recommended not to select ETR as TRGI through the TS bits of TIMx SMCR register.

In the following example, the upcounter is incremented at each rising edge of the ETR signal as soon as a rising edge of TI1 occurs:

- Configure the external trigger input circuit by programming the TIMx SMCR register as
 - ETF = 0000: no filter
 - ETPS=00: prescaler disabled
 - ETP=0: detection of rising edges on ETR and ECE=1 to enable the external clock mode 2.
- Configure the channel 1 as follows, to detect rising edges on TI:
 - IC1F=0000: no filter.
 - The capture prescaler is not used for triggering and does not need to be configured.
 - CC1S=01in TIMx CCMR1 register to select only the input capture source
 - CC1P=0 and CC1NP=0 in TIMx CCER register to validate the polarity (and detect rising edge only).
- Configure the timer in trigger mode by writing SMS=110 in TIMx_SMCR register. Select 3. TI1 as the input source by writing TS=101 in TIMx SMCR register.

For code example refer to the Appendix section A.8.15: External clock mode 2 + trigger mode.

A rising edge on TI1 enables the counter and sets the TIF flag. The counter then counts on ETR rising edges.

The delay between the rising edge of the ETR signal and the actual reset of the counter is due to the resynchronization circuit on ETRP input.

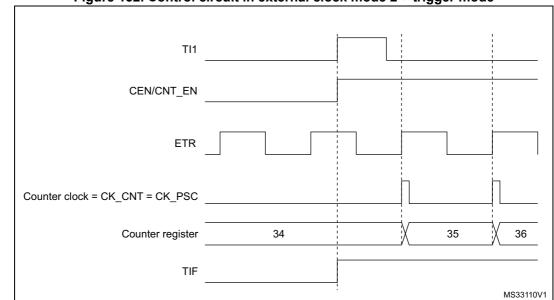


Figure 132. Control circuit in external clock mode 2 + trigger mode

14.3.15 **Timer synchronization**

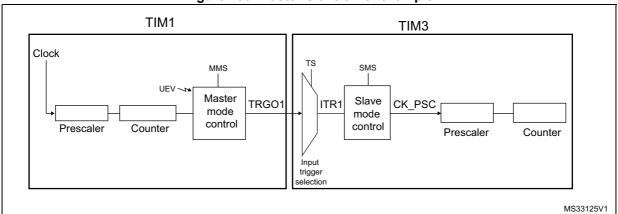
The TIMx timers are linked together internally for timer synchronization or chaining. When one Timer is configured in Master Mode, it can reset, start, stop or clock the counter of another Timer configured in Slave Mode.



Figure 133: Master/Slave timer example presents an overview of the trigger selection and the master mode selection blocks.

Using one timer as prescaler for another

Figure 133. Master/Slave timer example



For example, Timer 1 can be configured to act as a prescaler for Timer 3. Refer to *Figure 133*. To do this:

- Configure Timer 1 in master mode so that it outputs a periodic trigger signal on each update event UEV. If MMS=010 is written in the TIM1_CR2 register, a rising edge is output on TRGO1 each time an update event is generated.
- To connect the TRGO1 output of Timer 1 to Timer 3, Timer 3 must be configured in slave mode using ITR1 as internal trigger. This is selected through the TS bits in the TIM3_SMCR register (writing TS=000).
- Then the Timer2's slave mode controller should be configured in external clock mode 1 (write SMS=111 in the TIM3_SMCR register). This causes Timer 3 to be clocked by the rising edge of the periodic Timer 1 trigger signal (which correspond to the timer 1 counter overflow).
- Finally both timers must be enabled by setting their respective CEN bits within their respective TIMx_CR1 registers. Make sure to enable Timer2 before enabling Timer1.

For code example refer to the Appendix section A.8.17: Timer prescaling another timer.

Note:

If OCx is selected on Timer 1 as trigger output (MMS=1xx), its rising edge is used to clock the counter of timer 3.

Using one timer to enable another timer

In this example, we control the enable of Timer 3 with the output compare 1 of Timer 1. Refer to *Figure 133* for connections. Timer 3 counts on the divided internal clock only when



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OC1REF of Timer 1 is high. Both counter clock frequencies are divided by 3 by the prescaler compared to CK_INT ($f_{CK-CNT} = f_{CK-INT}/3$).

- Configure Timer 1 master mode to send its Output Compare 1 Reference (OC1REF) signal as trigger output (MMS=100 in the TIM1_CR2 register).
- Configure the Timer 1 OC1REF waveform (TIM1 CCMR1 register).
- Configure Timer 3 to get the input trigger from Timer 1 (TS=000 in the TIM3 SMCR
- Configure Timer 3 in gated mode (SMS=101 in TIM3_SMCR register).
- Enable Timer 3 by writing '1 in the CEN bit (TIM3 CR1 register).
- Start Timer 1 by writing '1 in the CEN bit (TIM1_CR1 register).

For code example refer to the Appendix section A.8.18: Timer enabling another timer.

The counter 3 clock is not synchronized with counter 1, this mode only affects the Timer 3 Note: counter enable signal.

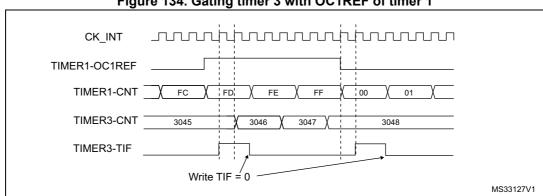


Figure 134. Gating timer 3 with OC1REF of timer 1

In the example in Figure 134, the Timer 3 counter and prescaler are not initialized before being started. So they start counting from their current value. It is possible to start from a given value by resetting both timers before starting Timer 1. Then any value can be written in the timer counters. The timers can easily be reset by software using the UG bit in the TIMx EGR registers.

In the next example, we synchronize Timer 1 and Timer 3. Timer 1 is the master and starts from 0. Timer 3 is the slave and starts from 0xE7. The prescaler ratio is the same for both

timers. Timer 3 stops when Timer 1 is disabled by writing '0 to the CEN bit in the TIM1_CR1 register:

- Configure Timer 1 master mode to send its Counter Enable signal (CNT_EN) as a trigger output (MMS=001 in the TIM1_CR2 register).
- Configure the Timer 1 OC1REF waveform (TIM1 CCMR1 register).
- Configure Timer 3 to get the input trigger from Timer 1 (TS=000 in the TIM3_SMCR register).
- Configure Timer 3 in gated mode (SMS=101 in TIM3_SMCR register).
- Reset Timer 1 by writing '1 in UG bit (TIM1_EGR register).
- Reset Timer 3 by writing '1 in UG bit (TIM3_EGR register).
- Initialize Timer 3 to 0xE7 by writing '0xE7' in the timer 3 counter (TIM3_CNTL).
- Enable Timer 3 by writing '1 in the CEN bit (TIM3_CR1 register).
- Start Timer 1 by writing '1 in the CEN bit (TIM1 CR1 register).
- Stop Timer 1 by writing '0 in the CEN bit (TIM1 CR1 register).

For code example refer to the Appendix section A.8.19: Master and slave synchronization.

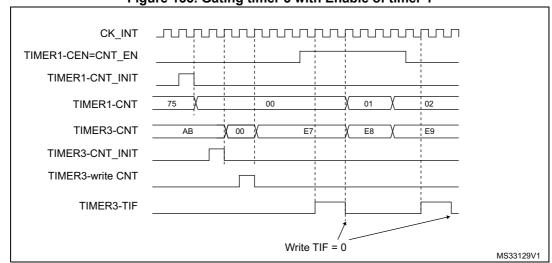


Figure 135. Gating timer 3 with Enable of timer 1

Using one timer to start another timer

In this example, we set the enable of Timer 3 with the update event of Timer 1. Refer to Figure 133 for connections. Timer 3 starts counting from its current value (which can be nonzero) on the divided internal clock as soon as the update event is generated by Timer 1. When Timer 3 receives the trigger signal its CEN bit is automatically set and the counter counts until we write '0 to the CEN bit in the TIM3_CR1 register. Both counter clock frequencies are divided by 3 by the prescaler compared to CK_INT ($f_{CK-CNT} = f_{CK-INT}/3$).

- Configure Timer 1 master mode to send its Update Event (UEV) as trigger output (MMS=010 in the TIM1_CR2 register).
- Configure the Timer 1 period (TIM1 ARR registers).
- Configure Timer 3 to get the input trigger from Timer 1 (TS=000 in the TIM3_SMCR register).
- Configure Timer 3 in trigger mode (SMS=110 in TIM3 SMCR register).
- Start Timer 1 by writing '1 in the CEN bit (TIM1 CR1 register).

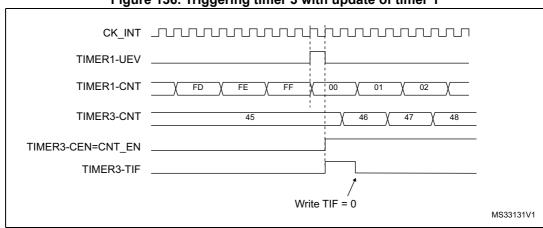


Figure 136. Triggering timer 3 with update of timer 1

As in the previous example, both counters can be initialized before starting counting. Figure 137 shows the behavior with the same configuration as in Figure 136 but in trigger mode instead of gated mode (SMS=110 in the TIM3 SMCR register).

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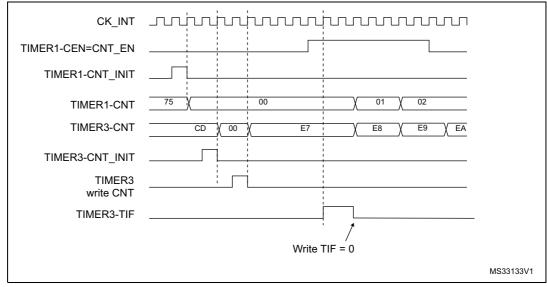


Figure 137. Triggering timer 3 with Enable of timer 1

Starting 2 timers synchronously in response to an external trigger

In this example, we set the enable of timer 1 when its TI1 input rises, and the enable of Timer 3 with the enable of Timer 1. Refer to *Figure 133* for connections. To ensure the counters are aligned, Timer 1 must be configured in Master/Slave mode (slave with respect to TI1, master with respect to Timer 3):

- Configure Timer 1 master mode to send its Enable as trigger output (MMS=001 in the TIM1 CR2 register).
- Configure Timer 1 slave mode to get the input trigger from TI1 (TS=100 in the TIM1 SMCR register).
- Configure Timer 1 in trigger mode (SMS=110 in the TIM1_SMCR register).
- Configure the Timer 1 in Master/Slave mode by writing MSM=1 (TIM1 SMCR register).
- Configure Timer 3 to get the input trigger from Timer 1 (TS=000 in the TIM3_SMCR register).
- Configure Timer 3 in trigger mode (SMS=110 in the TIM3 SMCR register).

For code example refer to the Appendix section A.8.20: Two timers synchronized by an external trigger.

When a rising edge occurs on TI1 (Timer 1), both counters starts counting synchronously on the internal clock and both TIF flags are set.

Note:

In this example both timers are initialized before starting (by setting their respective UG bits). Both counters starts from 0, but an offset can easily be inserted between them by writing any of the counter registers (TIMx_CNT). One can see that the master/slave mode insert a delay between CNT_EN and CK_PSC on timer 1.



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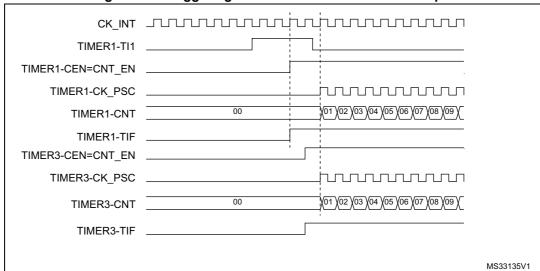


Figure 138. Triggering timer 1 and 3 with timer 1 TI1 input

14.3.16 **Debug mode**

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When the microcontroller enters debug mode (Arm[®] Cortex[®]-M0 core - halted), the TIMx counter either continues to work normally or stops, depending on DBG_TIMx_STOP configuration bit in DBGMCU module.

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14.4 TIM3 registers

Refer to Section 1.2 on page 33 for a list of abbreviations used in register descriptions.

The peripheral registers can be accessed by half-words (16-bit) or words (32-bit).

14.4.1 TIM3 control register 1 (TIM3 CR1)

Address offset: 0x00 Reset value: 0x0000

	15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
	Res.	Res.	Res.	Res.	Res.	Res.	CKD	[1:0]	ARPE	CMS	S[1:0]	DIR	OPM	URS	UDIS	CEN
ſ							rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw

Bits 15:10 Reserved, must be kept at reset value.

Bits 9:8 CKD: Clock division

This bit-field indicates the division ratio between the timer clock (CK_INT) frequency and sampling clock used by the digital filters (ETR, Tlx),

00: $t_{DTS} = t_{CK_INT}$

01: t_{DTS} = 2 × t_{CK_INT} 10: t_{DTS} = 4 × t_{CK_INT}

11: Reserved

Bit 7 ARPE: Auto-reload preload enable

0: TIMx ARR register is not buffered

1: TIMx_ARR register is buffered

Bits 6:5 CMS[1:0]: Center-aligned mode selection

00: Edge-aligned mode. The counter counts up or down depending on the direction bit

01: Center-aligned mode 1. The counter counts up and down alternatively. Output compare interrupt flags of channels configured in output (CCxS=00 in TIMx_CCMRx register) are set only when the counter is counting down.

10: Center-aligned mode 2. The counter counts up and down alternatively. Output compare interrupt flags of channels configured in output (CCxS=00 in TIMx CCMRx register) are set only when the counter is counting up.

11: Center-aligned mode 3. The counter counts up and down alternatively. Output compare interrupt flags of channels configured in output (CCxS=00 in TIMx_CCMRx register) are set both when the counter is counting up or down.

Note: It is not allowed to switch from edge-aligned mode to center-aligned mode as long as the counter is enabled (CEN=1)

Bit 4 DIR: Direction

0: Counter used as upcounter

1: Counter used as downcounter

Note: This bit is read only when the timer is configured in Center-aligned mode or Encoder

Bit 3 **OPM**: One-pulse mode

0: Counter is not stopped at update event

1: Counter stops counting at the next update event (clearing the bit CEN)

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Bit 2 URS: Update request source

This bit is set and cleared by software to select the UEV event sources.

0: Any of the following events generate an update interrupt or DMA request if enabled. These events can be:

- Counter overflow/underflow
- Setting the UG bit
- Update generation through the slave mode controller
- 1: Only counter overflow/underflow generates an update interrupt or DMA request if enabled.

Bit 1 UDIS: Update disable

This bit is set and cleared by software to enable/disable UEV event generation.

- 0: UEV enabled. The Update (UEV) event is generated by one of the following events:
 - Counter overflow/underflow
 - Setting the UG bit
 - Update generation through the slave mode controller

Buffered registers are then loaded with their preload values.

1: UEV disabled. The Update event is not generated, shadow registers keep their value (ARR, PSC, CCRx). However the counter and the prescaler are reinitialized if the UG bit is set or if a hardware reset is received from the slave mode controller.

Bit 0 CEN: Counter enable

- 0: Counter disabled
- 1: Counter enabled

Note: External clock, gated mode and encoder mode can work only if the CEN bit has been previously set by software. However trigger mode can set the CEN bit automatically by hardware.

CEN is cleared automatically in one-pulse mode, when an update event occurs.



14.4.2 TIM3 control register 2 (TIM3_CR2)

Address offset: 0x04 Reset value: 0x0000

15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
Res.	TI1S		MMS[2:0]	CCDS	Res.	Res.	Res.							
								rw	rw	rw	rw	rw			

Bits 15:8 Reserved, must be kept at reset value.

Bit 7 TI1S: TI1 selection

0: The TIMx_CH1 pin is connected to TI1 input

1: The TIMx_CH1, CH2 and CH3 pins are connected to the TI1 input (XOR combination)

See also Section 13.3.18: Interfacing with Hall sensors on page 266

Bits 6:4 MMS: Master mode selection

These bits allow to select the information to be sent in master mode to slave timers for synchronization (TRGO). The combination is as follows:

000: **Reset** - the UG bit from the TIMx_EGR register is used as trigger output (TRGO). If the reset is generated by the trigger input (slave mode controller configured in reset mode) then the signal on TRGO is delayed compared to the actual reset.

001: **Enable** - the Counter enable signal, CNT_EN, is used as trigger output (TRGO). It is useful to start several timers at the same time or to control a window in which a slave timer is enabled. The Counter Enable signal is generated by a logic OR between CEN control bit and the trigger input when configured in gated mode.

When the Counter Enable signal is controlled by the trigger input, there is a delay on TRGO, except if the master/slave mode is selected (see the MSM bit description in TIMx_SMCR register).

010: **Update** - The update event is selected as trigger output (TRGO). For instance a master timer can then be used as a prescaler for a slave timer.

011: **Compare Pulse** - The trigger output send a positive pulse when the CC1IF flag is to be set (even if it was already high), as soon as a capture or a compare match occurred. (TRGO)

100: Compare - OC1REF signal is used as trigger output (TRGO)

101: Compare - OC2REF signal is used as trigger output (TRGO)

110: Compare - OC3REF signal is used as trigger output (TRGO)

111: Compare - OC4REF signal is used as trigger output (TRGO)

Bit 3 CCDS: Capture/compare DMA selection

0: CCx DMA request sent when CCx event occurs

1: CCx DMA requests sent when update event occurs

Bits 2:0 Reserved, must be kept at reset value.

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14.4.3 TIM3 slave mode control register (TIM3_SMCR)

Address offset: 0x08 Reset value: 0x0000

15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
ETP	ECE	ETPS	S[1:0]		ETF	[3:0]		MSM		TS[2:0]		occs		SMS[2:0]	
rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw

Bit 15 **ETP**: External trigger polarity

This bit selects whether ETR or $\overline{\text{ETR}}$ is used for trigger operations

- 0: ETR is noninverted, active at high level or rising edge
- 1: ETR is inverted, active at low level or falling edge

Bit 14 ECE: External clock enable

This bit enables External clock mode 2.

- 0: External clock mode 2 disabled
- 1: External clock mode 2 enabled. The counter is clocked by any active edge on the ETRF signal.
- 1: Setting the ECE bit has the same effect as selecting external clock mode 1 with TRGI connected to ETRF (SMS=111 and TS=111).
- **2:** It is possible to simultaneously use external clock mode 2 with the following slave modes: reset mode, gated mode and trigger mode. Nevertheless, TRGI must not be connected to ETRF in this case (TS bits must not be 111).
- **3:** If external clock mode 1 and external clock mode 2 are enabled at the same time, the external clock input is ETRF.

Bits 13:12 ETPS[1:0]: External trigger prescaler

External trigger signal ETRP frequency must be at most 1/4 of CK_INT frequency. A prescaler can be enabled to reduce ETRP frequency. It is useful when inputting fast external clocks.

00: Prescaler OFF

01: ETRP frequency divided by 2

10: ETRP frequency divided by 4

11: ETRP frequency divided by 8



Bits 11:8 ETF[3:0]: External trigger filter

This bit-field defines the frequency used to sample ETRP signal and the length of the digital filter applied to ETRP. The digital filter is made of an event counter in which N consecutive events are needed to validate a transition on the output:

```
0000: No filter, sampling is done at f<sub>DTS</sub>
0001: f_{SAMPLING} = f_{CK} INT, N = 2
0010: f_{SAMPLING} = f_{CK INT}, N = 4
0011: f_{SAMPLING} = f_{CK\_INT}, N = 8
0100: f_{SAMPLING} = f_{DTS} / 2, N = 6
0101: f_{SAMPLING} = f_{DTS} / 2, N = 8
0110: f_{SAMPLING} = f_{DTS} / 4, N = 6
0111: f_{SAMPLING} = f_{DTS} / 4, N = 8
1000: f_{SAMPLING} = f_{DTS} / 8, N = 6
1001: f_{SAMPLING} = f_{DTS} / 8, N = 8
1010: f_{SAMPLING} = f_{DTS} / 16, N = 5
1011: f_{SAMPLING} = f_{DTS} / 16, N = 6
1100: f_{SAMPLING} = f_{DTS} / 16, N = 8
1101: f_{SAMPLING} = f_{DTS} / 32, N = 5
1110: f_{SAMPLING} = f_{DTS} / 32, N = 6
1111: f_{SAMPLING} = f_{DTS} / 32, N = 8
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Note: Care must be taken that f_{DTS} is replaced in the formula by CK_INT when ETF[3:0] = 1, 2 or 3.

Bit 7 MSM: Master/Slave mode

0: No action

1: The effect of an event on the trigger input (TRGI) is delayed to allow a perfect synchronization between the current timer and its slaves (through TRGO). It is useful if we want to synchronize several timers on a single external event.

Bits 6:4 TS: Trigger selection

This bit-field selects the trigger input to be used to synchronize the counter.

```
000: Internal Trigger 0 (ITR0).
001: Internal Trigger 1 (ITR1).
010: Internal Trigger 2 (ITR2).
011: Internal Trigger 3 (ITR3).
100: TI1 Edge Detector (TI1F_ED)
101: Filtered Timer Input 1 (TI1FP1)
110: Filtered Timer Input 2 (TI2FP2)
111: External Trigger input (ETRF)
```

See *Table 48: TIM3 internal trigger connection* for more details on ITRx meaning for each Timer.

Note: These bits must be changed only when they are not used (e.g. when SMS=000) to avoid wrong edge detections at the transition.

Bit 3 OCCS: OCREF clear selection.

This bit is used to select the OCREF clear source.

```
0:OCREF_CLR_INT is connected to the OCREF_CLR input
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1: OCREF_CLR_INT is connected to ETRF

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Bits 2:0 SMS: Slave mode selection

When external signals are selected the active edge of the trigger signal (TRGI) is linked to the polarity selected on the external input (see Input Control register and Control Register description.

000: Slave mode disabled - if CEN = '1 then the prescaler is clocked directly by the internal clock

001: Encoder mode 1 - Counter counts up/down on TI1FP1 edge depending on TI2FP2 level

010: Encoder mode 2 - Counter counts up/down on TI2FP2 edge depending on TI1FP1 level.

011: Encoder mode 3 - Counter counts up/down on both TI1FP1 and TI2FP2 edges depending on the level of the other input.

100: Reset Mode - Rising edge of the selected trigger input (TRGI) reinitializes the counter and generates an update of the registers.

101: Gated Mode - The counter clock is enabled when the trigger input (TRGI) is high. The counter stops (but is not reset) as soon as the trigger becomes low. Both start and stop of the counter are controlled.

110: Trigger Mode - The counter starts at a rising edge of the trigger TRGI (but it is not reset). Only the start of the counter is controlled.

111: External Clock Mode 1 - Rising edges of the selected trigger (TRGI) clock the counter.

Note: The gated mode must not be used if TI1F_ED is selected as the trigger input (TS=100). Indeed, TI1F_ED outputs 1 pulse for each transition on TI1F, whereas the gated mode checks the level of the trigger signal.

Note: The clock of the slave timer must be enabled prior to receive events from the master timer, and must not be changed on-the-fly while triggers are received from the master timer.

Table 48. TIM3 internal trigger connection

Slave TIM	ITR0 (TS = 000)	ITR2 (TS = 010)	ITR3 (TS = 011)
TIM3	TIM1	TIM15	TIM14

14.4.4 TIM3 DMA/Interrupt enable register (TIM3_DIER)

Address offset: 0x0C Reset value: 0x0000

15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
Res.	TDE	Res.	CC4DE	CC3DE	CC2DE	CC1DE	UDE	Res.	TIE	Res.	CC4IE	CC3IE	CC2IE	CC1IE	UIE
	rw		rw	rw	rw	rw	rw		rw		rw	rw	rw	rw	rw

Bit 15 Reserved, must be kept at reset value.

Bit 14 **TDE**: Trigger DMA request enable

0: Trigger DMA request disabled.

1: Trigger DMA request enabled.

Bit 13 Reserved, must be kept at reset value.

Bit 12 **CC4DE**: Capture/Compare 4 DMA request enable

0: CC4 DMA request disabled.

1: CC4 DMA request enabled.

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Bit 11 CC3DE: Capture/Compare 3 DMA request enable

0: CC3 DMA request disabled.

1: CC3 DMA request enabled.

Bit 10 CC2DE: Capture/Compare 2 DMA request enable

0: CC2 DMA request disabled.

1: CC2 DMA request enabled.

Bit 9 CC1DE: Capture/Compare 1 DMA request enable

0: CC1 DMA request disabled.

1: CC1 DMA request enabled.

Bit 8 **UDE**: Update DMA request enable

0: Update DMA request disabled.

1: Update DMA request enabled.

Bit 7 Reserved, must be kept at reset value.

Bit 6 TIE: Trigger interrupt enable

0: Trigger interrupt disabled.

1: Trigger interrupt enabled.

Bit 5 Reserved, must be kept at reset value.

Bit 4 CC4IE: Capture/Compare 4 interrupt enable

0: CC4 interrupt disabled.

1: CC4 interrupt enabled.

Bit 3 CC3IE: Capture/Compare 3 interrupt enable

0: CC3 interrupt disabled

1: CC3 interrupt enabled

Bit 2 CC2IE: Capture/Compare 2 interrupt enable

0: CC2 interrupt disabled

1: CC2 interrupt enabled

Bit 1 CC1IE: Capture/Compare 1 interrupt enable

0: CC1 interrupt disabled

1: CC1 interrupt enabled

Bit 0 **UIE**: Update interrupt enable

0: Update interrupt disabled

1: Update interrupt enabled

14.4.5 TIM3 status register (TIM3_SR)

Address offset: 0x10 Reset value: 0x0000

	15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
ſ	Res.	Res.	Res.	CC4OF	CC3OF	CC2OF	CC10F	Res.	Res.	TIF	Res.	CC4IF	CC3IF	CC2IF	CC1IF	UIF
				rc_w0	rc_w0	rc_w0	rc_w0			rc_w0		rc_w0	rc_w0	rc_w0	rc_w0	rc_w0

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- Bits 15:13 Reserved, must be kept at reset value.
 - Bit 12 CC40F: Capture/Compare 4 overcapture flag

Refer to CC1OF description

Bit 11 CC3OF: Capture/Compare 3 overcapture flag

Refer to CC1OF description

Bit 10 CC2OF: Capture/compare 2 overcapture flag

Refer to CC1OF description

Bit 9 CC10F: Capture/Compare 1 overcapture flag

This flag is set by hardware only when the corresponding channel is configured in input capture mode. It is cleared by software by writing it to '0.

- 0: No overcapture has been detected
- 1: The counter value has been captured in TIMx_CCR1 register while CC1IF flag was already set
- Bits 8:7 Reserved, must be kept at reset value.
 - Bit 6 TIF: Trigger interrupt flag

This flag is set by hardware on trigger event (active edge detected on TRGI input when the slave mode controller is enabled in all modes but gated mode. It is set when the counter starts or stops when gated mode is selected. It is cleared by software.

- 0: No trigger event occurred
- 1: Trigger interrupt pending
- Bit 5 Reserved, must be kept at reset value.
- Bit 4 CC4IF: Capture/Compare 4 interrupt flag

Refer to CC1IF description

Bit 3 CC3IF: Capture/Compare 3 interrupt flag

Refer to CC1IF description

Bit 2 CC2IF: Capture/Compare 2 interrupt flag

Refer to CC1IF description

Bit 1 CC1IF: Capture/compare 1 interrupt flag

If channel CC1 is configured as output:

This flag is set by hardware when the counter matches the compare value, with some exception in center-aligned mode (refer to the CMS bits in the TIMx_CR1 register description). It is cleared by software.

0: No match

1: The content of the counter TIMx_CNT matches the content of the TIMx_CCR1 register. When the contents of TIMx_CCR1 are greater than the contents of TIMx_ARR, the CC1IF bit goes high on the counter overflow (in upcounting and up/down-counting modes) or underflow (in downcounting mode)

If channel CC1 is configured as input:

This bit is set by hardware on a capture. It is cleared by software or by reading the TIMx_CCR1 register.

0: No input capture occurred

1: The counter value has been captured in TIMx_CCR1 register (An edge has been detected on IC1 which matches the selected polarity)

Bit 0 UIF: Update interrupt flag

This bit is set by hardware on an update event. It is cleared by software.

0: No update occurred.

1: Update interrupt pending.

This bit is set by hardware when the registers are updated:

At overflow or underflow and if UDIS=0 in the TIMx CR1 register.

When CNT is reinitialized by software using the UG bit in TIMx_EGR register, if URS=0 and UDIS=0 in the TIMx_CR1 register.

When CNT is reinitialized by a trigger event (refer to the synchro control register description), if URS=0 and UDIS=0 in the TIMx_CR1 register.



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14.4.6 TIM3 event generation register (TIM3_EGR)

Address offset: 0x14 Reset value: 0x0000

15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
Res.	TG	Res.	CC4G	CC3G	CC2G	CC1G	UG								
									w		w	w	w	w	w

Bits 15:7 Reserved, must be kept at reset value.

Bit 6 TG: Trigger generation

This bit is set by software in order to generate an event, it is automatically cleared by hardware.

- 0. No action
- 1: The TIF flag is set in TIMx_SR register. Related interrupt or DMA transfer can occur if enabled.
- Bit 5 Reserved, must be kept at reset value.
- Bit 4 CC4G: Capture/compare 4 generation

Refer to CC1G description

Bit 3 CC3G: Capture/compare 3 generation

Refer to CC1G description

Bit 2 CC2G: Capture/compare 2 generation

Refer to CC1G description

Bit 1 CC1G: Capture/compare 1 generation

This bit is set by software in order to generate an event, it is automatically cleared by hardware.

0: No action

1: A capture/compare event is generated on channel 1:

If channel CC1 is configured as output:

CC1IF flag is set, Corresponding interrupt or DMA request is sent if enabled.

If channel CC1 is configured as input:

The current value of the counter is captured in TIMx_CCR1 register. The CC1IF flag is set, the corresponding interrupt or DMA request is sent if enabled. The CC1OF flag is set if the CC1IF flag was already high.

Bit 0 UG: Update generation

This bit can be set by software, it is automatically cleared by hardware.

- 0: No action
- 1: Re-initialize the counter and generates an update of the registers. Note that the prescaler counter is cleared too (anyway the prescaler ratio is not affected). The counter is cleared if the center-aligned mode is selected or if DIR=0 (upcounting), else it takes the auto-reload value (TIMx_ARR) if DIR=1 (downcounting).



14.4.7 TIM3 capture/compare mode register 1 (TIM3_CCMR1)

Address offset: 0x18 Reset value: 0x0000

The channels can be used in input (capture mode) or in output (compare mode). The direction of a channel is defined by configuring the corresponding CCxS bits. All the other bits of this register have a different function in input and in output mode. For a given bit, OCxx describes its function when the channel is configured in output, ICxx describes its function when the channel is configured in input. So one must take care that the same bit can have a different meaning for the input stage and for the output stage.

15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
OC2CE	(OC2M[2:0]	OC2PE	OC2FE	CC2S	2[1:0]	OC1CE	(OC1M[2:0]	OC1PE	OC1FE		S[1:0]
	IC2F[3:0]			IC2PS	C[1:0]	0020	5[1.0]		IC1F	[3:0]		IC1PS	C[1:0]	0	3[1.0]
rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw

Output compare mode

Bit 15 **OC2CE**: Output compare 2 clear enable

Bits 14:12 OC2M[2:0]: Output compare 2 mode

Bit 11 OC2PE: Output compare 2 preload enable

Bit 10 OC2FE: Output compare 2 fast enable

Bits 9:8 CC2S[1:0]: Capture/Compare 2 selection

This bit-field defines the direction of the channel (input/output) as well as the used input.

00: CC2 channel is configured as output

01: CC2 channel is configured as input, IC2 is mapped on TI2

10: CC2 channel is configured as input, IC2 is mapped on TI1

11: CC2 channel is configured as input, IC2 is mapped on TRC. This mode is working only if an internal trigger input is selected through the TS bit (TIMx_SMCR register)

Note: CC2S bits are writable only when the channel is OFF (CC2E = 0 in TIMx_CCER).

Bit 7 OC1CE: Output compare 1 clear enable

OC1CE: Output Compare 1 Clear Enable

0: OC1Ref is not affected by the ETRF input

1: OC1Ref is cleared as soon as a High level is detected on ETRF input

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Bits 6:4 OC1M: Output compare 1 mode

These bits define the behavior of the output reference signal OC1REF from which OC1 and OC1N are derived. OC1REF is active high whereas OC1 and OC1N active level depends on CC1P and CC1NP bits.

000: Frozen - The comparison between the output compare register TIMx_CCR1 and the counter TIMx_CNT has no effect on the outputs.(this mode is used to generate a timing base).

001: Set channel 1 to active level on match. OC1REF signal is forced high when the counter TIMx_CNT matches the capture/compare register 1 (TIMx_CCR1).

010: Set channel 1 to inactive level on match. OC1REF signal is forced low when the counter TIMx CNT matches the capture/compare register 1 (TIMx CCR1).

011: Toggle - OC1REF toggles when TIMx CNT=TIMx CCR1.

100: Force inactive level - OC1REF is forced low.

101: Force active level - OC1REF is forced high.

110: PWM mode 1 - In upcounting, channel 1 is active as long as TIMx_CNT<TIMx_CCR1 else inactive. In downcounting, channel 1 is inactive (OC1REF='0) as long as TIMx_CNT>TIMx_CCR1 else active (OC1REF=1).

111: PWM mode 2 - In upcounting, channel 1 is inactive as long as TIMx_CNT<TIMx_CCR1 else active. In downcounting, channel 1 is active as long as TIMx_CNT>TIMx_CCR1 else inactive.

Note: 1: These bits can not be modified as long as LOCK level 3 has been programmed (LOCK bits in TIMx_BDTR register) and CC1S=00 (the channel is configured in output).

2: In PWM mode 1 or 2, the OCREF level changes only when the result of the comparison changes or when the output compare mode switches from "frozen" mode to "PWM" mode.

Bit 3 OC1PE: Output compare 1 preload enable

0: Preload register on TIMx_CCR1 disabled. TIMx_CCR1 can be written at anytime, the new value is taken in account immediately.

1: Preload register on TIMx_CCR1 enabled. Read/Write operations access the preload register. TIMx_CCR1 preload value is loaded in the active register at each update event.

Note: These bits can not be modified as long as LOCK level 3 has been programmed (LOCK bits in TIMx BDTR register) and CC1S=00 (the channel is configured in output).

Bit 2 OC1FE: Output compare 1 fast enable

This bit is used to accelerate the effect of an event on the trigger in input on the CC output.

0: CC1 behaves normally depending on counter and CCR1 values even when the trigger is ON. The minimum delay to activate CC1 output when an edge occurs on the trigger input is 5 clock cycles.

1: An active edge on the trigger input acts like a compare match on CC1 output. Then, OC is set to the compare level independently from the result of the comparison. Delay to sample the trigger input and to activate CC1 output is reduced to 3 clock cycles. OCFE acts only if the channel is configured in PWM1 or PWM2 mode.

Bits 1:0 CC1S: Capture/Compare 1 selection

This bit-field defines the direction of the channel (input/output) as well as the used input.

00: CC1 channel is configured as output.

01: CC1 channel is configured as input, IC1 is mapped on TI1.

10: CC1 channel is configured as input, IC1 is mapped on TI2.

11: CC1 channel is configured as input, IC1 is mapped on TRC. This mode is working only if an internal trigger input is selected through TS bit (TIMx_SMCR register)

Note: CC1S bits are writable only when the channel is OFF (CC1E = 0 in $TIMx_CCER$).

Input capture mode



```
Bits 15:12 IC2F: Input capture 2 filter
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Bits 11:10 IC2PSC[1:0]: Input capture 2 prescaler

Bits 9:8 CC2S: Capture/compare 2 selection

This bit-field defines the direction of the channel (input/output) as well as the used input.

00: CC2 channel is configured as output.

01: CC2 channel is configured as input, IC2 is mapped on TI2.

10: CC2 channel is configured as input, IC2 is mapped on TI1.

11: CC2 channel is configured as input, IC2 is mapped on TRC. This mode is working only if an internal trigger input is selected through TS bit (TIMx SMCR register)

Note: CC2S bits are writable only when the channel is OFF (CC2E = 0 in TIMx_CCER).

Bits 7:4 IC1F: Input capture 1 filter

This bit-field defines the frequency used to sample TI1 input and the length of the digital filter applied to TI1. The digital filter is made of an event counter in which N consecutive events are needed to validate a transition on the output:

```
0000: No filter, sampling is done at force
0001: f_{SAMPLING} = f_{CK INT}, N = 2
0010: f_{SAMPLING} = f_{CK} INT, N = 4
0011: f_{SAMPLING} = f_{CK\_INT}, N = 8
0100: f_{SAMPLING} = f_{DTS} / 2, N = 6
0101: f_{SAMPLING} = f_{DTS} / 2, N = 8
0110: f_{SAMPLING} = f_{DTS} / 4, N = 6
0111: f_{SAMPLING} = f_{DTS} / 4, N = 8
1000: f_{SAMPLING} = f_{DTS} / 8, N = 6
1001: f_{SAMPLING} = f_{DTS} / 8, N = 8
1010: f_{SAMPLING} = f_{DTS} / 16, N = 5
1011: f_{SAMPLING} = f_{DTS} / 16, N = 6
1100: f_{SAMPLING} = f_{DTS} / 16, N = 8
1101: f_{SAMPLING} = f_{DTS} / 32, N = 5
1110: f_{SAMPLING} = f_{DTS} / 32, N = 6
1111: f_{SAMPLING} = f_{DTS} / 32, N = 8
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Note: Care must be taken that f_{DTS} is replaced in the formula by CK_INT when ICxF[3:0] = 1, 2 or 3.

Bits 3:2 IC1PSC: Input capture 1 prescaler

This bit-field defines the ratio of the prescaler acting on CC1 input (IC1).

The prescaler is reset as soon as CC1E=0 (TIMx CCER register).

00: no prescaler, capture is done each time an edge is detected on the capture input

01: capture is done once every 2 events

10: capture is done once every 4 events

11: capture is done once every 8 events

Bits 1:0 CC1S: Capture/Compare 1 selection

This bit-field defines the direction of the channel (input/output) as well as the used input.

00: CC1 channel is configured as output

01: CC1 channel is configured as input, IC1 is mapped on TI1

10: CC1 channel is configured as input, IC1 is mapped on TI2

11: CC1 channel is configured as input, IC1 is mapped on TRC. This mode is working only if an internal trigger input is selected through TS bit (TIMx_SMCR register)

Note: CC1S bits are writable only when the channel is OFF (CC1E = 0 in $TIMx_CCER$).

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14.4.8 TIM3 capture/compare mode register 2 (TIM3_CCMR2)

Address offset: 0x1C Reset value: 0x0000

Refer to the above CCMR1 register description.

15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
OC4CE	(OC4M[2:0]	OC4PE	OC4FE		S[1:0]	OC3CE	(OC3M[2:0]	OC3PE	OC3FE	CC3	S[1:0]
	IC4F[3:0]			IC4PS	SC[1:0]	0	3[1.0]		IC3F	[3:0]		IC3PS	C[1:0]	000	3[1.0]
rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw

Output compare mode

Bit 15 OC4CE: Output compare 4 clear enable

Bits 14:12 OC4M: Output compare 4 mode

Bit 11 **OC4PE**: Output compare 4 preload enable

Bit 10 OC4FE: Output compare 4 fast enable

Bits 9:8 CC4S: Capture/Compare 4 selection

This bit-field defines the direction of the channel (input/output) as well as the used input.

00: CC4 channel is configured as output

01: CC4 channel is configured as input, IC4 is mapped on TI4

10: CC4 channel is configured as input, IC4 is mapped on TI3

11: CC4 channel is configured as input, IC4 is mapped on TRC. This mode is working only if an internal trigger input is selected through TS bit (TIMx_SMCR register)

Note: CC4S bits are writable only when the channel is OFF (CC4E = 0 in TIMx_CCER).

Bit 7 OC3CE: Output compare 3 clear enable

Bits 6:4 OC3M: Output compare 3 mode

Bit 3 OC3PE: Output compare 3 preload enable

Bit 2 OC3FE: Output compare 3 fast enable

Bits 1:0 CC3S: Capture/Compare 3 selection

This bit-field defines the direction of the channel (input/output) as well as the used input.

00: CC3 channel is configured as output

01: CC3 channel is configured as input, IC3 is mapped on TI3

10: CC3 channel is configured as input, IC3 is mapped on TI4

11: CC3 channel is configured as input, IC3 is mapped on TRC. This mode is working only if an internal trigger input is selected through TS bit (TIMx_SMCR register)

Note: CC3S bits are writable only when the channel is OFF (CC3E = 0 in TIMx_CCER).

Input capture mode

Bits 15:12 IC4F: Input capture 4 filter

Bits 11:10 IC4PSC: Input capture 4 prescaler

Bits 9:8 CC4S: Capture/Compare 4 selection

This bit-field defines the direction of the channel (input/output) as well as the used input.

00: CC4 channel is configured as output

01: CC4 channel is configured as input, IC4 is mapped on TI4

10: CC4 channel is configured as input, IC4 is mapped on TI3

11: CC4 channel is configured as input, IC4 is mapped on TRC. This mode is working only if an internal trigger input is selected through TS bit (TIMx_SMCR register)

Note: CC4S bits are writable only when the channel is OFF (CC4E = 0 in TIMx_CCER).

Bits 7:4 IC3F: Input capture 3 filter

Bits 3:2 IC3PSC: Input capture 3 prescaler

Bits 1:0 CC3S: Capture/Compare 3 selection

This bit-field defines the direction of the channel (input/output) as well as the used input.

00: CC3 channel is configured as output

01: CC3 channel is configured as input, IC3 is mapped on TI3

10: CC3 channel is configured as input, IC3 is mapped on TI4

11: CC3 channel is configured as input, IC3 is mapped on TRC. This mode is working only if an internal trigger input is selected through TS bit (TIMx_SMCR register)

Note: CC3S bits are writable only when the channel is OFF (CC3E = 0 in TIMx_CCER).

14.4.9 TIM3 capture/compare enable register (TIM3_CCER)

Address offset: 0x20 Reset value: 0x0000

	15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
Ī	CC4NP	Res.	CC4P	CC4E	CC3NP	Res.	CC3P	CC3E	CC2NP	Res.	CC2P	CC2E	CC1NP	Res.	CC1P	CC1E
Ī	rw		rw	rw												

Bit 15 CC4NP: Capture/Compare 4 output Polarity.

Refer to CC1NP description

Bit 14 Reserved, must be kept at reset value.

Bit 13 CC4P: Capture/Compare 4 output Polarity.

Refer to CC1P description

Bit 12 CC4E: Capture/Compare 4 output enable.

Refer to CC1E description

Bit 11 CC3NP: Capture/Compare 3 output Polarity.

Refer to CC1NP description

Bit 10 Reserved, must be kept at reset value.

Bit 9 CC3P: Capture/Compare 3 output Polarity.

Refer to CC1P description

Bit 8 CC3E: Capture/Compare 3 output enable.

Refer to CC1E description

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Bit 7 CC2NP: Capture/Compare 2 output Polarity.

Refer to CC1NP description

Bit 6 Reserved, must be kept at reset value.

Bit 5 CC2P: Capture/Compare 2 output Polarity.

Refer to CC1P description

Bit 4 CC2E: Capture/Compare 2 output enable.

Refer to CC1E description

Bit 3 CC1NP: Capture/Compare 1 output Polarity.

CC1 channel configured as output:

CC1NP must be kept cleared in this case.

CC1 channel configured as input:

This bit is used in conjunction with CC1P to define TI1FP1/TI2FP1 polarity. refer to CC1P description.

Bit 2 Reserved, must be kept at reset value.

Bit 1 CC1P: Capture/Compare 1 output Polarity.

CC1 channel configured as output:

0: OC1 active high

1: OC1 active low

CC1 channel configured as input:

CC1NP/CC1P bits select TI1FP1 and TI2FP1 polarity for trigger or capture operations.

00: noninverted/rising edge

Circuit is sensitive to TIxFP1 rising edge (capture, trigger in reset, external clock or trigger mode), TIxFP1 is not inverted (trigger in gated mode, encoder mode).

01: inverted/falling edge

Circuit is sensitive to TIxFP1 falling edge (capture, trigger in reset, external clock or trigger mode), TIxFP1 is inverted (trigger in gated mode, encoder mode).

10: reserved, do not use this configuration.

11: noninverted/both edges

Circuit is sensitive to both TIxFP1 rising and falling edges (capture, trigger in reset, external clock or trigger mode), TIxFP1 is not inverted (trigger in gated mode). This configuration must not be used for encoder mode.

Bit 0 CC1E: Capture/Compare 1 output enable.

CC1 channel configured as output:

0: Off - OC1 is not active

1: On - OC1 signal is output on the corresponding output pin

CC1 channel configured as input:

This bit determines if a capture of the counter value can actually be done into the input capture/compare register 1 (TIMx_CCR1) or not.

0: Capture disabled

1: Capture enabled

Table 49. Output control bit for standard OCx channels

CCxE bit	OCx output state
0	Output Disabled (OCx=0, OCx_EN=0)
1	OCx=OCxREF + Polarity, OCx_EN=1

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Note: The state of the external IO pins connected to the standard OCx channels depends on the

OCx channel state and the GPIO registers.

14.4.10 TIM3 counter (TIM3_CNT)

Address offset: 0x24

Reset value: 0x0000 0000

15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
							CNT	[15:0]							
rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw							

Bits 15:0 CNT[15:0]: Low counter value

14.4.11 TIM3 prescaler (TIM3_PSC)

Address offset: 0x28 Reset value: 0x0000

15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
							PSC	[15:0]							
rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw							

Bits 15:0 PSC[15:0]: Prescaler value

The counter clock frequency CK_CNT is equal to f_{CK}_{PSC} / (PSC[15:0] + 1).

PSC contains the value to be loaded in the active prescaler register at each update event.

14.4.12 TIM3 auto-reload register (TIM3_ARR)

Address offset: 0x2C

Reset value: 0xFFFF FFFF

15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
	ARR[15:0]														
rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw

Bits 15:0 ARR[15:0]: Low Auto-reload value

ARR is the value to be loaded in the actual auto-reload register.

Refer to Section 14.3.1: Time-base unit on page 302 for more details about ARR update and behavior.

The counter is blocked while the auto-reload value is null.

14.4.13 TIM3 capture/compare register 1 (TIM3_CCR1)

Address offset: 0x34

Reset value: 0x0000 0000

15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
							CCR1	[15:0]							
rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw							

Bits 15:0 CCR1[15:0]: Low Capture/Compare 1 value

If channel CC1 is configured as output:

CCR1 is the value to be loaded in the actual capture/compare 1 register (preload value).

It is loaded permanently if the preload feature is not selected in the TIMx_CCMR1 register (bit OC1PE). Otherwise the preload value is copied in the active capture/compare 1 register when an update event occurs.

The active capture/compare register contains the value to be compared to the counter TIMx CNT and signaled on OC1 output.

If channel CC1is configured as input:

CCR1 is the counter value transferred by the last input capture 1 event (IC1).

14.4.14 TIM3 capture/compare register 2 (TIM3 CCR2)

Address offset: 0x38

Reset value: 0x0000 0000

15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
							CCR2	2[15:0]							
rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw							

Bits 15:0 CCR2[15:0]: Low Capture/Compare 2 value

If channel CC2 is configured as output:

CCR2 is the value to be loaded in the actual capture/compare 2 register (preload value).

It is loaded permanently if the preload feature is not selected in the TIMx_CCMR2 register (bit OC2PE). Else the preload value is copied in the active capture/compare 2 register when an update event occurs.

The active capture/compare register contains the value to be compared to the counter TIMx CNT and signaled on OC2 output.

If channel CC2 is configured as input:

CCR2 is the counter value transferred by the last input capture 2 event (IC2).

14.4.15 TIM3 capture/compare register 3 (TIM3_CCR3)

Address offset: 0x3C

Reset value: 0x0000 0000

15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
	CCR3[15:0]														
rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw

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Bits 15:0 CCR3[15:0]: Low Capture/Compare 3 value

update event occurs.

If channel CC3 is configured as output:

CCR3 is the value to be loaded in the actual capture/compare 3 register (preload value). It is loaded permanently if the preload feature is not selected in the TIMx_CCMR3 register (bit OC3PE). Else the preload value is copied in the active capture/compare 3 register when an

The active capture/compare register contains the value to be compared to the counter TIMx_CNT and signaled on OC3 output.

If channel CC3is configured as input:

CCR3 is the counter value transferred by the last input capture 3 event (IC3).



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14.4.16 TIM3 capture/compare register 4 (TIM3_CCR4)

Address offset: 0x40

Reset value: 0x0000 0000

15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
							CCR4	[15:0]							
rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw							

Bits 15:0 CCR4[15:0]: Low Capture/Compare 4 value

1. If CC4 channel is configured as output (CC4S bits):

CCR4 is the value to be loaded in the actual capture/compare 4 register (preload value). It is loaded permanently if the preload feature is not selected in the TIMx_CCMR4 register (bit OC4PE). Otherwise, the preload value is copied in the active capture/compare 4 register when an update event occurs.

The active capture/compare register contains the value to be compared to the counter TIMx CNT and signaled on OC4 output.

2. If CC4 channel is configured as input (CC4S bits in TIMx_CCMR4 register): CCR4 is the counter value transferred by the last input capture 4 event (IC4).

14.4.17 TIM3 DMA control register (TIM3_DCR)

Address offset: 0x48 Reset value: 0x0000

15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
Res.	Res.	Res.			DBL[4:0]			Res.	Res.	Res.			DBA[4:0]		
			rw	rw	rw	rw	rw				rw	rw	rw	rw	rw

Bits 15:13 Reserved, must be kept at reset value.

Bits 12:8 DBL[4:0]: DMA burst length

This 5-bit vector defines the number of DMA transfers (the timer recognizes a burst transfer when a read or a write access is done to the TIMx_DMAR address).

00000: 1 transfer, 00001: 2 transfers, 00010: 3 transfers,

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10001: 18 transfers.

Bits 7:5 Reserved, must be kept at reset value.

Bits 4:0 DBA[4:0]: DMA base address

This 5-bit vector defines the base-address for DMA transfers (when read/write access are done through the TIMx_DMAR address). DBA is defined as an offset starting from the address of the TIMx_CR1 register.

Example:

00000: TIMx_CR1, 00001: TIMx_CR2, 00010: TIMx_SMCR,

Example: Let us consider the following transfer: DBL = 7 transfers & DBA = TIMx_CR1. In this case the transfer is done to/from 7 registers starting from the TIMx_CR1 address.

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14.4.18 TIM3 DMA address for full transfer (TIM3_DMAR)

Address offset: 0x4C Reset value: 0x0000

15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
							DMAE	3[15:0]							
rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw	rw							

Bits 15:0 DMAB[15:0]: DMA register for burst accesses

A read or write operation to the DMAR register accesses the register located at the address (TIMx_CR1 address) + (DBA + DMA index) x 4

where TIMx_CR1 address is the address of the control register 1, DBA is the DMA base address configured in TIMx_DCR register, DMA index is automatically controlled by the DMA transfer, and ranges from 0 to DBL (DBL configured in TIMx_DCR).

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Example of how to use the DMA burst feature

In this example the timer DMA burst feature is used to update the contents of the CCRx registers (x = 2, 3, 4) with the DMA transferring half words into the CCRx registers.

This is done in the following steps:

- Configure the corresponding DMA channel as follows:
 - DMA channel peripheral address is the DMAR register address
 - DMA channel memory address is the address of the buffer in the RAM containing the data to be transferred by DMA into CCRx registers.
 - Number of data to transfer = 3 (See note below).
 - Circular mode disabled.
- Configure the DCR register by configuring the DBA and DBL bit fields as follows: DBL = 3 transfers, DBA = 0xE.
- Enable the TIMx update DMA request (set the UDE bit in the DIER register).
- 4. Enable TIMx
- 5. Enable the DMA channel

For code example refer to the Appendix section *A.8.20: Two timers synchronized by an external trigger*.

Note:

This example is for the case where every CCRx register to be updated once. If every CCRx register is to be updated twice for example, the number of data to transfer should be 6. Let us take the example of a buffer in the RAM containing data1, data2, data3, data4, data5 and data6. The data is transferred to the CCRx registers as follows: on the first update DMA request, data1 is transferred to CCR2, data2 is transferred to CCR3, data3 is transferred to CCR4 and on the second update DMA request, data4 is transferred to CCR2, data5 is transferred to CCR3 and data6 is transferred to CCR4.

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14.4.19 TIM3 register map

TIM3 registers are mapped as described in the table below:

Table 50. TIM3 register map and reset values

Offset	Register	31	30	29	28	27	26	25	24	23	22	21	20	19	18	17	16	15	14	13	12	11	10	6	8	7	9	5	4	3	2	1	0
0x00	TIM3_CR1	Res.	Res.	Res.	Res.	Res.	Res.		KD :0]	ARPE	CN [1:	1S 0]	DIR	OPM	URS	SIGN	CEN																
	Reset value																							0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0x04	TIM3_CR2	Res.	Res.	Res.	Res.	Res.	Res.	Res.	Res.	TI1S	MN	1S[2	2:0]	CCDS	Res.	Res.	Res.																
	Reset value																									0	0	0	0	0			
0x08	TIM3_SMCR	Res.	ETP	ECE	ET [1	PS :0]	I	ETF	[3:0)]	MSM	TS	S[2:	0]	SOOO	SN	1S[2	:0]															
	Reset value																	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0x0C	TIM3_DIER	Res.	TDE	Res.	CC4DE	CC3DE	CC2DE	CC1DE	NDE	Res.	TIE	Res.	CC4IE	CC3IE	CC2IE	CC11E	NE																
	Reset value																		0		0	0	0	0	0		0		0	0	0	0	0
0x10	TIM3_SR	Res.	Res.	Res.	CC40F	CC3OF	CC20F	CC10F	Res.	Res.	TIF	Res.	CC4IF	CC3IF	CC2IF	CC11F	UIF																
	Reset value																				0	0	0	0			0		0	0	0	0	0
0x14	TIM3_EGR	Res.	Res.	Res.	Res.	Res.	Res.	Res.	Res.	Res.	TG	Res.	CC4G	CC3G	CC2G	CC1G	ne																
	Reset value																										0		0	0	0	0	0
	TIM3_CCMR1 Output compare mode	Res.	OC2CE		C2 [2:0	M]	OC2PE	OC2FE		:0]	OC1CE		C1I 2:0]	M I	OC1PE	OC1FE	CC [1:																
0x18	Reset value																	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	TIM3_CCMR1 Input capture mode	Res.	ı	IC2F	[3:0)]	10 P3 [1			22S :0]	ı	C1F	[3:0]	IC PS [1:	SC	CC [1:																
	Reset value																	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	TIM3_CCMR2 Output compare mode	Res.	O24CE		C4 [2:0		OC4PE	OC4FE		C4S :0]	OC3CE		C3l 2:0]	N	OC3PE	OC3FE	CC [1:																
0x1C	Reset value																	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
00	TIM3_CCMR2 Input capture mode	Res.	ı	IC4F	[3:0)]	10 PS [1	SC		C4S :0]	ı	C3F	[3:0]	IC PS [1:	SC	CC [1:																
	Reset value																	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0x20	TIM3_CCER	Res.	CC4NP	Res.	CC4P	CC4E	CC3NP	Res.	CC3P	CC3E	CC2NP	Res.	CC2P	CC2E	CC1NP	Res.	CC1P	CC1E															
	Reset value																	0		0	0	0		0	0	0		0	0	0		0	0
0x24	TIM3_CNT	Res.							C	CNT	[15:	0]																					
	Reset value	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0x28	TIM3_PSC	Res.							F	PSC	[15:	0]																					
	Reset value																	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0x2C	TIM3_ARR	Res.							Δ	ARR																							
	Reset value																	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0x30	Reserved	Res.	Res.	Res.	Res.	Res.	Res.	Res.	Res.	Res.	Res.	Res.	Res.	Res.	Res.	Res.	Res.																
	Reset value																																



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Table 50. TIM3 register map and reset values (continued)

									~ 3				•								10												
Offset	Register	31	30	53	28	27	56	25	24	23	22	21	20	19	18	17	16	15	14	13	12	11	10	6	œ	7	9	2	4	3	2	1	0
0x34	TIM3_CCR1	Res.			•	•	•		С	CR	1[15	:0]		•																			
	Reset value																	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0x38	TIM3_CCR1	Res.							С	CR	2[15	:0]																					
	Reset value																	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0x3C	TIM3_CCR1	Res.	© CCR3[15:0]																														
	Reset value																	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0x40	TIM3_CCR1	Res.	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0																														
	Reset value																	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0x44	Reserved	Res.	Res.	Res.	Res.	Res.	Res.	Res.	Res.	Res.	Res.	Res.	Res.	Res.	Res.	Res.	Res.	Res.															
	Reset value																																
0x48	TIM3_DCR	Res.																															
	Reset value																				0	0	0	0	0				0	0	0	0	0
0x4C	TIM3_DMAR	Res.	DMAB[15:0]																														
L	Reset value																					0	0	0	0	0							

Refer to Section 2.2 on page 37 for the register boundary addresses.