

7 Peripheral interconnect matrix

7.1 Introduction

Several STM32F3 peripherals have internal interconnections. Knowing these interconnections allows the following benefits:

- Autonomous communication between peripherals,
- Efficient synchronization between peripherals,
- Discard the software latency and minimize GPIOs configuration,
- Optimum number of available pins even with small packages,
- Avoid the use of connectors and design an optimized PCB with less dissipated energy.

7.2 Connection summary

The following table presents the matrix for the peripheral interconnect.

Table 20. STM32F334 peripherals interconnect matrix⁽¹⁾

Source / Destination	DMA1	ADC1	ADC2	COMP2	COMP4	COMP6	OPAMP	TIM1	TIM15	TIM16	TIM17	TIM2	TIM3	DAC1	DAC2	IRTIM	HRTIM1
ADC1	x	-	x	-	-	-	-	x	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	x
ADC2	x	-	-	-	-	-	-	x	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	x
COMP2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	x	-	-	-	x	x	-	-	-	x
COMP4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	x	-	-	-	x	-	-	-	x
COMP6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	x	x	x	x	-	-	-	x
OPAMP2	-	-	x	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	x
TIM1	x	x	x	x	-	-	x	-	-	-	-	x	x	-	-	-	x
SPI1	x	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
USART1	x	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TIM15	x	x	x	-	x	x	-	x	-	-	-	-	x	x	x	-	x
TIM16	x	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	x	-	-	-	-	-	-	x	x
TIM17	x	-	-	-	-	-	-	x	x	-	-	-	-	-	-	x	x
TIM2	x	x	x	x	-	x	-	x	x	-	-	-	x	x	x	-	x
TIM3	x	x	x	x	x	-	-	x	x	-	-	x	-	x	x	-	x
TIM6	x	x	x	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	x	x	-	x
TIM7	x	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	x	x	-	x
USART2	x	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
USART3	x	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
I2C1	x	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
DAC1	x	-	-	x	x	x	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Table 20. STM32F334 peripherals interconnect matrix⁽¹⁾ (continued)

Source / Destination	DMA1	ADC1	ADC2	COMP2	COMP4	COMP6	OPAMP	TIM1	TIM15	TIM16	TIM17	TIM2	TIM3	DAC1	DAC2	IRTIM	HRTIM1
DAC2	x	-	-	x	x	x	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TS	-	x	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
VBAT	-	x	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vrefint	-	x	x	x	x	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CSS	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	x	x	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	x
PVD	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	x	x	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	x
SRAM Parity error	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	x	x	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	x
CPU Hardfault	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	x	x	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	x
HSE	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	x	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
HSI	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	x	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
LSE	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	x	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
LSI	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	x	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
MCO	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	x	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
RTC	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	x	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
HRTIM1	x	x	x	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	x	x	-	-

1. The cells with gray shading indicate that there is no interconnection.

7.3 Interconnection details

7.3.1 DMA interconnections

Hardware DMA requests are managed by peripherals. The DMA channels dedicated to each peripheral are summarized in [Section 11.3.2: DMA request mapping](#).

7.3.2 From ADC to ADC

ADC1 can be used as a "master" to trigger ADC2 "slave" start of conversion.

In dual ADC mode, the converted data of the master and slave ADCs can be read in parallel.

A description of dual ADC mode is provided in [Section 13.3.29: Dual ADC modes](#).

7.3.3 From ADC to TIM

ADCx (x=1, 2) can provide trigger event through watchdog signals to advanced-control timer TIM1.

A description of the ADC analog watchdog settings is provided in [Section 13.3.28: Analog window watchdog \(AWD1EN, JAWD1EN, AWD1SGL, AWD1CH, AWD2CH, AWD3CH, AWD_HTx, AWD_LTx, AWDx\)](#).

The output (from ADC) is on signals ADCx_AWDy_OUT (x = 1, 2 and y = 1..3 as there are 3 analog watchdogs per ADC) and the input (to timer) on signal TIM1_ETR (external trigger).

TIM1_ETR is connected to ADCx_AWDy_OUT through bits in TIM1_OR registers; refer to [Section 18.4.23: TIM1 option registers \(TIM1_OR\)](#).

7.3.4 From TIM and EXTI to ADC

General-purpose timers (TIM2/TIM3), basic timers (TIM6/TIM7), advanced-control timer (TIM1), general-purpose timer (TIM15/TIM16/TIM17) and EXTI can be used to generate an ADC triggering event.

The output (from timer) is on signal TIMx_TRGO, TIMx_TRGO2 or TIMx_CCx event.

The input (to ADC) is on signal EXT[15:0], JEXT[15:0].

The connection between timers and ADCs or also EXTI & ADCs is provided in:

- [Table 40: ADC1 \(master\) & 2 \(slave\) - External triggers for regular channels](#)
- [Table 41: ADC1 & ADC2 - External trigger for injected channels](#)

7.3.5 From OPAMP to ADC

There are two interconnection types:

1. Connect OPAMP output reference voltage to an internal ADC channel. This connection can be used for OPAMP calibration. For more details, please refer to the [Section 16.3.5: Calibration](#).
ADC2_IN17 is the channel connected internally to the reference voltage for OPAMP2.
2. OPAMP2 can be connected to ADC2_IN3. Refer to [Section 16.3.4: Using the OPAMP outputs as ADC inputs](#).

7.3.6 From TS to ADC

Internal temperature sensor (VTS) is connected internally to ADC1_IN16. Refer to [Section 13.3.30: Temperature sensor](#).

7.3.7 From VBAT to ADC

VBAT/2 output voltage can be converted using ADC1_IN17. This interconnection is explained in [Section 13.3.31: VBAT supply monitoring](#).

7.3.8 From VREFINT to ADC

VREFINT is internally connected to channel 18 of the two ADCs. This allows the monitoring of its value as described in [Section 13.3.32: Monitoring the internal voltage reference](#).

7.3.9 From COMP to TIM

The comparators outputs can be redirected internally to different timer inputs:

- break input 1/2 for fast PWM shutdowns,
- OCREF_CLR input,
- Input capture.

To select which timer input must be connected to the comparator output, the bits field COMPxOUTSEL in the COMPx_CSR register are used.

The following table gives an overview of all possible comparator outputs redirection to the timer inputs.

Table 21. Comparator outputs to timer inputs

COMP output selection					
-	TIM1	TIM2	TIM3	TIM15	TIM16
COMP2	TIM1_BRK_ACTH TIM1_BRK2 TIM1_OCrefClear TIM1_IC1	TIM2_IC4 TIM2_OCrefClear	TIM3_IC1 TIM3_OCrefClear	-	-
COMP4	TIM1_BRK TIM1_BRK2	-	TIM3_IC3 TIM3_OCrefClear	TIM15_OCrefClear TIM15_IC2	-
COMP6	TIM1_BRK_ACTH TIM1_BRK2	TIM2_IC2 TIM2_OCrefClear	-	-	TIM16_OCrefClear TIM16_IC1

Note: When the comparator output is configured to be connected internally to timers break input, the following must be considered:

1/ COMP2/6 can be used to control TIM1_BRK_ACTH (this break is always active high with no digital filter) and to control also TIM1_BRK2 input.

2/ COMP4 can be used to control TIM1_BRK and TIM1_BRK2 input (same as the other comparators).

7.3.10 From TIM to COMP

The timers output can be selected as comparators outputs blanking signals using the "COMPx_BLANKING" bits in "COMPx_CSR" register. More details on the blanking function can be found in [Section 15.3.5: Comparator output blanking function](#).

Table 22. Timer output selection as comparator blanking source

COMP blanking source			
-	COMP2	COMP4	COMP6
TIM1	TIM1 OC5	-	-
TIM15	-	TIM15 OC1	TIM15 OC2
TIM2	TIM2 OC3	-	TIM2 OC4
TIM3	TIM3 OC3	TIM3 OC4	-

7.3.11 From DAC to COMP

The comparators inverting input may be a DAC channel output (DAC1_CH1, DAC1_CH2 or DAC2_CH1).

The selection is made based on “COMPxINMSEL” bits value in “COMPx_CSR” register.

The following table summarizes these interconnections.

Table 23. DAC output selection as comparator inverting input

COMP inverting inputs			
-	COMP2	COMP4	COMP6
DAC1_CH1	X	X	X
DAC1_CH2	X	X	X
DAC2_CH1	X	X	X

7.3.12 From VREFINT to COMP

Besides to the DAC channel output, Vrefint (x1, x3/4, x1/2, x1/4) can be selected as comparator inverting input using “COMPxINMSEL” bits in “COMPx_CSR” register.

7.3.13 From TIM to OPAMP

The switch between OPAMP inverting and non-inverting inputs can be done automatically. This automatic switch is triggered by the TIM1 CC6 output arriving on the OPAMP input multiplexers. More details on this feature are available in [Section 16.3.6: Timer controlled Multiplexer mode](#).

7.3.14 From TIM to TIM

Some STM32F3 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.

A description of the feature with the various synchronization modes is available in:

- [Section 18.3.25: Timer synchronization for the advanced-control timer TIM1](#)
- [Section 18.3.25: Timer synchronization for the general-purpose timers \(TIM2/TIM3\)](#)

The slave mode selection is made using “SMS” bits, as described in:

- [Section 18.4.3: TIM1 slave mode control register \(TIM1_SMCR\)](#),
- [Section 19.4.3: TIMx slave mode control register \(TIMx_SMCR\)\(x = 2 to 3\) for the general-purpose timers \(TIM2/TIM3\)](#),
- [Section 20.5.3: TIM15 slave mode control register \(TIM15_SMCR\)](#).

The possible master/slave connections are summarized in the following table providing the internal trigger connection:

Table 24. Timer synchronization

		SLAVE			
		TIM1	TIM2	TIM3	TIM15
MASTER	TIM1	-	TIM2_ITR0	TIM3_ITR0	-
	TIM2	TIM1_ITR1	-	TIM3_ITR1	TIM15_ITR0
	TIM3	TIM1_ITR2	TIM2_ITR2	-	TIM15_ITR1
	TIM15	TIM1_ITR0		TIM3_ITR2	-
	TIM16	-		-	TIM15_ITR2
	TIM17	TIM1_ITR3		-	TIM15_ITR3

7.3.15 From system errors to TIM

In addition to comparators outputs, other sources can be used as trigger for the internal break events of some timers (TIM1/TIM15/TIM16/TIM17). For example:

- the clock failure event generated by CSS, refer to [Section 8.2.6: System clock \(SYSCLK\) selection](#) for more details,
- the PVD output, refer to [Section 6.2.2: Programmable voltage detector \(PVD\)](#) for more details,
- the SRAM parity error signal, refer to [Section 2.2.3: Parity check](#) for more details,
- the Cortex-M4 LOCKUP (Hardfault) output.

The sources mentioned above can be connected internally to TIMx_BRK_ACTH input, x = 1,15,16,17.

The purpose of the break function is to protect power switches driven by PWM signals generated by the timers.

More details on the break feature are provided in:

- [Section 18.3.16: Using the break function](#) for the advanced-control timers (TIM1)
- [Section 20.4.13: Using the break function](#) for the general-purpose timers (TIM15/TIM16/TIM17)

7.3.16 From HSE, HSI, LSE, LSI, MCO, RTC to TIM

TIM16 can be used for the measurement of internal/external clock sources. TIM16 channel1 input capture is connected to HSE/32, GPIO, RTC clock and MCO to output clocks among (HSE, HSI, LSE, LSI, SYSCLK, PLLCLK, PLLCLK/2).

The selection is performed through the TI1_RMP [1:0] bits in the TIM16_OR register.

This allows calibrating the HSI/LSI clocks.

More details are provided in [Section 8.2.14: Internal/external clock measurement with TIM16](#).

7.3.17 From TIM and EXTI to DAC

A timer counter may be used as a trigger for DAC conversions.

The TRGO event is the internal signal that will trigger conversion.

The following table provides a summary of DACs interconnections with timers:

This is described in [Section 14.5.4: DAC trigger selection](#).

Table 25. Timer and EXTI signals triggering DAC conversions

-	DAC1	DAC2
TIM2	X	X
TIM3	X	X
TIM6	X	X
TIM7	X	X
TIM15	X	X
EXTI line9	X	X

7.3.18 From TIM to IRTIM

General-purpose timer (TIM16/TIM17) output channels TIMx_OC1 are used to generate the waveform of infrared signal output. The functionality is described in [Section 22: Infrared interface \(IRTIM\)](#).

7.3.19 From ADC to HRTIM1

ADCx (x=1, 2) provides the trigger event through watchdog signals to the high resolution timer HRTIM1.

The exact mapping between HRTIM1 external events and ADC watchdog signals is provided in [Table 86: External events mapping and associated features](#).

7.3.20 From system faults to HRTIM1

The HRTIM1 system fault input (SYSFLT) gathers MCU internal fault events coming from:

- the clock failure event generated by the clock security system (CSS),
- the PVD output,
- the SRAM parity error signal,
- the Cortex-M4 LOCKUP (Hardfault) output.

Refer to [Section 21.3.15: Fault protection](#) for more details on the HRTIM1 fault protection feature.

7.3.21 From COMP to HRTIM1

The comparator output can be redirected internally to HRTIM1 inputs.

[Table 56: STM32F334xx comparator input/outputs summary](#) provides the exact mapping between comparators outputs and HRTIM internal signals. It is also explained in [Table 86: External events mapping and associated features](#).

The comparator outputs are connected directly to HRTIM1 in order to speed-up the propagation delay.

7.3.22 From OPAMP to HRTIM1

The OPAMP2_VOUT can be used as a HRTIM1 internal event source connected to HRTIM1_EEV4 or HRTIM1_EEV9 as shown in [Table 86: External events mapping and associated features](#)

7.3.23 From TIM to HRTIM1

The connections between timers and HRTIM1 are listed in [Table 86: External events mapping and associated features](#).

7.3.24 From HRTIM1 to ADC

The HRTIM1 can be used to generate an ADC trigger event on signal HRTIM1_ADCTRG1/2/3/4.

More details on ADC triggering using HRTIM1 signals are provided in [Section 21.3.18: ADC triggers](#).

7.3.25 From HRTIM1 to DAC

The HRTIM1 DACTRGx events can be selected as internal signals to trigger DAC conversion depending on the value of TSELx[2:0] control bits in DAC_CR register.

More details on ADC triggering using HRTIM1 signals are provided in [Section 21.3.18: ADC triggers](#).