Chapter 70
Low Power Serial Peripheral Interface (LPSPI)

70.1 Chip-specific LPSPI information

70.1.1 LPSPI instances and configuration

Table 434. LPSPI instances

Instance	S32K314/S32K324/S32K344/S32K358/S32K348/ S32K338/S32K328/S32K388/S32K389	S32K310/S32K311/S32K312/S32K322/ S32K341/S32K342
LPSPI0	Yes	Yes
LPSPI1	Yes	Yes
LPSPI2	Yes	Yes
LPSPI3	Yes	Yes
LPSPI4	Yes	No
LPSPI5	Yes	No

Table 435. LPSPI instances configuration

Instances	TX FIFO Size	RX FIFO Size	Chip Selects
LPSPI0	4x32 bit	4x32 bit	8
LPSPI1	4x32 bit	4x32 bit	6
LPSPI2	4x32 bit	4x32 bit	4
LPSPI3	4x32 bit	4x32 bit	4
LPSPI4	4x32 bit	4x32 bit	4
LPSPI5	4x32 bit	4x32 bit	4

- For supported data rates see table 'Peripheral data rates' table in Clocking chapter.
- Low leakage and Wait modes are not supported in this device.

The number of chip selects that each LPSPI instance supports varies. Because of that, in the Configuration Register 1 (CFGR1), the Peripheral Chip Select (PCS) field and the Peripheral Chip Select Polarity (PCSPOL) field also vary. See the next 2 tables.

Table 436. LPSPI instances mapped against Peripheral Chip Select (PCS) field support

PCS supported in	PCS not supported in
LPSPI0_TCR[26-24]	—
LPSPI1_TCR[26-24]	—
LPSPI2_TCR[25–24]	LPSPI2_TCR[26]
LPSPI3_TCR[25–24]	LPSPI3_TCR[26]
LPSPI4_TCR[25–24]	LPSPI4_TCR[26]
LPSPI5_TCR[25–24]	LPSPI5_TCR[26]

Table 437. LPSPI instances mapped against Peripheral Chip Select Polarity (PCSPOL) field support

PCSPOL supported in	PCSPOL not supported in
LPSPI0_CFGR1[15-8]	—
LPSPI1_CFGR1[13–8]	LPSPI1_CFGR1[15–14]
LPSPI2_CFGR1[11–8]	LPSPI2_CFGR1[15–12]
LPSPI3_CFGR1[11–8]	LPSPI3_CFGR1[15–12]
LPSPI4_CFGR1[11–8]	LPSPI4_CFGR1[15–12]
LPSPI5_CFGR1[11–8]	LPSPI5_CFGR1[15–12]

70.1.2 LPSPI HREQ considerations for S32K314, S32K324 and S32K344

It is recommended that the HREQ pin (when PCS[1] is used as HREQ) should get de-asserted before the completion of frame transfer. In case if the HREQ state is still asserted and LPSPI returns to idle state after frame transfer completion, the HREQ state is internally latched and the next data is written to the transmit FIFO without waiting for the next HREQ assertion.

This limitation is present only while using PCS[1] as HREQ and HREQ remains asserted throughout frame transfer. In case of using trigger input as HREQ, there is no issue.

70.2 Overview

LPSPI provides an efficient interface (either as a controller or peripheral) to an SPI bus, which is a synchronous serial communication interface used in embedded systems. It is typically used to perform short distance communications between microcontrollers and peripheral devices, on printed circuit boards. Typical applications include interfacing with secure digital cards and LCD displays.

NOTE

The terminology in this chapter has been updated to align with NXP's inclusive language standards, as shown in the table below.

Table 438. Updated terms

Updated term	Deprecated term
Controller	Master
Peripheral	Slave

70.2.1 Block diagram

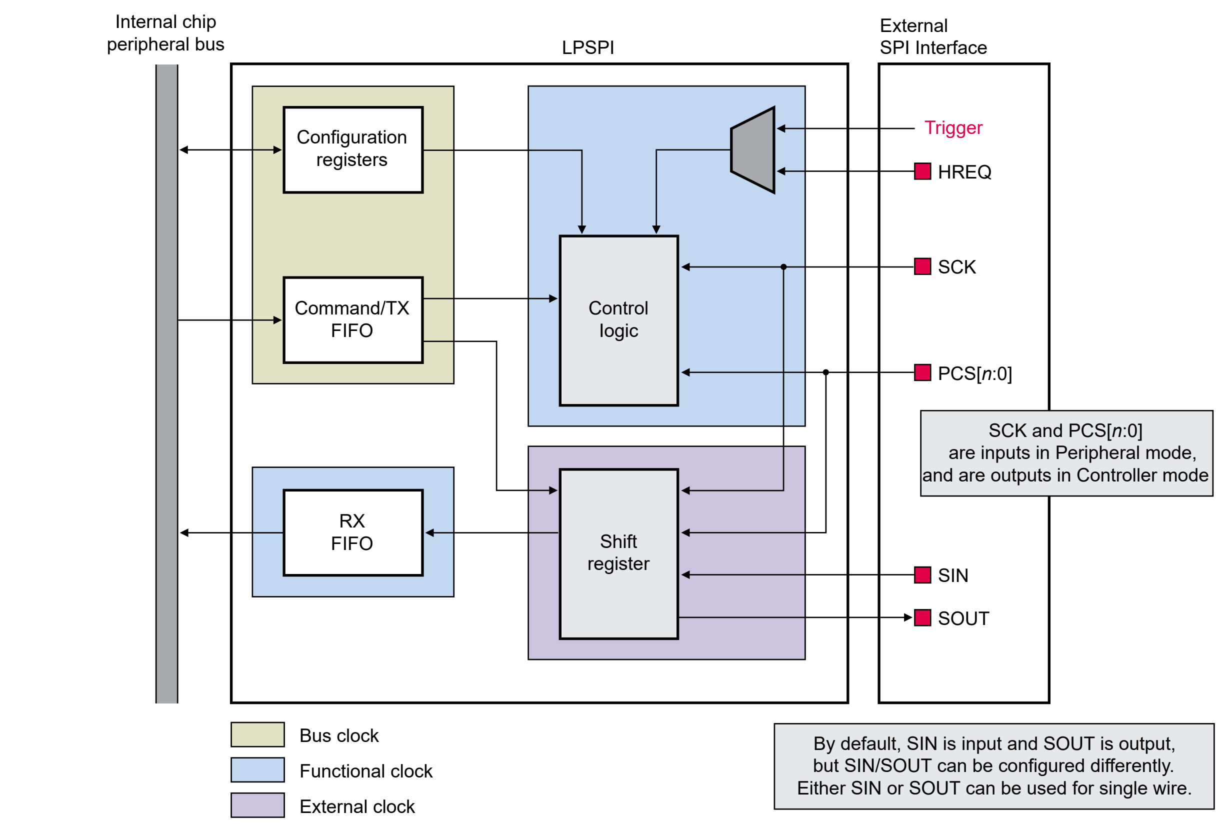
Internal chip peripheral bus
LPSPI
External SPI Interface
Configuration registers
Command/TX FIFO
Control logic
RX FIFO
Shift register
Trigger
HREQ
SCK
PCS[n:0]
SCK and PCS[n:0] are inputs in Peripheral mode, and are outputs in Controller mode
SIN
SOUT
Bus clock
Functional clock
External clock
By default, SIN is input and SOUT is output, but SIN/SOUT can be configured differently. Either SIN or SOUT can be used for single wire.

Figure 388. Block diagram

70.2.2 Features

- Minimal CPU overhead, with DMA transmit and receive requests supporting FIFO register accesses
- Support available for 32-bit word size
- Configurable clock polarity and phase
- Support available for 8 peripheral chip selects in Controller mode
- Support available for Peripheral mode
- 4-word transmit and command FIFO
- 4-word receive FIFO
- Flexible timing parameters in Controller mode, including SCK frequency and duty cycle, and delays between PCS and SCK edges
- Continuous transfer option to keep PCS asserted across multiple frames
- Full-duplex transfers that support 1-bit transmit and receive on each clock edge
- Half-duplex transfers that support:
  - 1-bit transmit or receive on each clock edge
  - 2-bit transmit or receive on each clock edge
  - 4-bit transmit or receive on each clock edge
  - 8-bit transmit or receive on each clock edge

- Option to use host request to control the start of an SPI bus transfer

70.3 Functional description

70.3.1 Controller mode

70.3.1.1 Transmit and command FIFO commands

The transmit and command FIFO is a combined FIFO that includes both transmit data words and command words. You store:

- Transmit data words in the transmit and command FIFO, by writing to Transmit Data (TDR).
- Command words in the transmit and command FIFO, by writing to Transmit Command (TCR).

When a command word is at the top of the transmit and command FIFO, the actions that can occur depend on whether LPSPI is busy or between frames (see TCR[CONT] and TCR[CONTC]). See Table 439 for conditions and possible corresponding actions when a command word is at the top of the transmit and command FIFO.

Table 439. Possible actions when a command word is at the top of the transmit and command FIFO

Condition	Action
LPSPI is enabled and idle.	The command word is pulled from the FIFO, and this command word controls all subsequent transfers.
LPSPI is busy and TCR[CONTC] is 0.	The SPI frame completes at the end of the existing word, ignoring TCR[FRAMESZ]. The command word is then pulled from the FIFO and that command word controls all subsequent transfers (or until the next update to the command word). Note that a command word with TCR[CONTC] = 0 always terminates the existing transfer regardless of the previous TCR[CONT] value.
LPSPI is busy; the existing TCR[CONT] value is 1 and the new TCR[CONTC] value is 1.	The command word must be updated at the frame boundary. The command word is pulled from the FIFO during the last SCK pulse of the existing frame (based on the value of FRAMESZ), and the frame continues using the new command value for the rest of the frame (or until the next update to the command word). When TCR[CONTC] = 1, only the lower 24 bits of the command word are updated. If the command word is updated at a word boundary, then the transfer halts (stops) after that word. TCR[CONTC] is ignored when not at a frame boundary, so the frame ends prematurely.

TCR[CONT] = 1 keeps PCS asserted at end of frame, allowing the transfer to continue.

TCR[CONTC] = 1 specifies that this command word must not terminate the existing frame, and the transfer can continue using the new command word.

TCR[CONTC] = 1 is restricted in the sense that the new command must load on a frame boundary, and the only way for a transfer to continue from a frame boundary is when the previous command has TCR[CONT] = 1.

You can read the current state of the existing command word from Transmit Command (TCR). It requires at least three LPSPI functional clock cycles for Transmit Command (TCR) to update after you write to it (assuming an empty FIFO), and LPSPI must be enabled (CR[MEN] = 1).

Writing to Transmit Command (TCR) does not initiate an SPI bus transfer, unless TCR[TXMSK] = 1. When TCR[TXMSK] = 1, a new command word is not loaded until the end of the existing frame (based on the value of TCR[FRAMESZ]); at the end of the transfer, TCR[TXMSK] transitions to 0.

In Controller mode, the LPSPI command word in Transmit Command (TCR) controls SPI attributes based on the selections in register fields. See Table 440 for TCR fields and associated functionality related to data transfer.

Table 440. Command word in Controller mode

Transmit Command (TCR)		Description	Can this field be modified during a data transfer?
Field	Name		
CPOL	Clock polarity	Specifies the polarity of the SCK pin. Any change of CPOL value causes a transition on the SCK pin.	N
CPHA	Clock phase	Specifies the clock phase of the transfer.	N
PRESCALE	Prescaler value	Specifies a prescaler used to divide the LPSPI functional clock, to generate the timing parameters of the SPI bus transfer. Changing PRESCALE in conjunction with PCS enables LPSPI to connect to different peripheral devices at different frequencies.	N
PCS	Peripheral chip select	Specifies which PCS pin asserts for the transfer; the polarity of PCS is static and specified by CFGR1[PCSPOL]. If CFGR1[PCSCFG] = 1, do not select PCS[3:2].	N
LSBF	LSB first	Specifies whether LSB (bit 0) or MSB (bit 31 for a 32-bit word) is transmitted or received first.	Y
BYSW	Byte swap	Enables byte swap on each 32-bit word when transmitting and receiving data. Byte swapping can be useful when interfacing with devices that organize data as big-endian.	Y
CONT	Continuous transfer	Configures LPSPI for a continuous transfer that keeps PCS asserted between frames (as specified by FRAMESZ). You must write a new command word to cause PCS to negate. Also, this field supports changing the command word at frame size boundaries.	Y
CONTC	Continuing command	Indicates that this is a new command word for the existing continuous transfer. When CONTC = 1, the command word must only be written to the transmit and command FIFO on a frame boundary.	Y
RXMSK	Receive data mask	Masks the receive data and does not store the masked receive data in the receive FIFO or perform receive data matching. This option is useful for half-duplex transfers or to specify which fields are compared during receive data matching.	Y
TXMSK	Transmit data mask	Masks the transmit data; masked transmit data is not pulled from the transmit FIFO, and the output data pin is 3-stated (unless otherwise configured by CFGR1[OUTCFG]). This option is useful for half-duplex transfers.	Y
WIDTH	Transfer width	Specifies the number of bits shifted on each SCK pulse: • 1-bit transfers support traditional SPI bus transfers in either half-duplex or full-duplex data formats. • 2-bit and 4-bit half-duplex transfers are useful for interfacing with QuadSPI memory devices, and either TXMSK or RXMSK must also be 1. • 8-bit half-duplex transfers are useful for interfacing with OctelSPI memory devices, and either TXMSK or RXMSK must also be 1.	Y

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Table 440. Command word in Controller mode (continued)

Transmit Command (TCR)		Description	Can this field be modified during a data transfer?
Field	Name		
FRAMESZ	Frame size	Configures the frame size in number of bits equal to (FRAMESZ + 1): • The minimum frame size is 8 bits, or 16 bits for an 8-bit transfer. • If the frame size is larger than 32 bits, then the frame is divided into multiple words of 32 bits; each word is loaded from the transmit FIFO and stored in the receive FIFO separately. • If the size of the frame is not divisible by 32, then the last load of the transmit FIFO and store of the receive FIFO contains the remaining bits. For example, a 72-bit transfer consists of three words: the first and second words are 32 bits, and the third word is 8 bits.	Y

70.3.1.1.1 SPI bus transfers

LPSPI initiates an SPI bus transfer when all these conditions are true:

- Data is written to the transmit FIFO.
- The HREQ pin is asserted (or the HREQ function is disabled).
- LPSPI is enabled.

To perform the SPI bus transfer, LPSPI uses the attributes configured in Transmit Command (TCR) and the timing parameters defined in Clock Configuration (CCR).

The SPI bus transfer ends after the number of bits indicated by the value of FRAMESZ have been transferred (provided CONT = 0), or at the end of a word when a new transmit command word is at the top of the transmit and command FIFO. When LPSPI is disabled, the SPI bus transfers end after the transmit FIFO is empty and LPSPI is idle.

The HREQ input is only checked when PCS is negated.

70.3.1.1.2 Circular FIFO

The transmit and command FIFO supports a circular FIFO feature. This feature enables the LPSPI controller to (periodically) repeat a short data transfer that fits within the transmit and command FIFO, without requiring additional FIFO accesses. When the circular FIFO is enabled (CFGR0[CIRFIFO] = 1), the current state of the FIFO read pointer is saved and the status flags are not updated. After the FIFO is empty and LPSPI is idle, the FIFO read pointer is restored with the saved version, so the contents of the transmit and command FIFO are not permanently pulled from the FIFO when Circular FIFO mode is enabled.

70.3.1.2 Receive FIFO and data match

The receive FIFO stores received data during SPI bus transfers. When TCR[RXMSK] = 1, the received data is discarded instead of being stored in the receive FIFO:

- Received data is written to the receive FIFO when the last bit of the word is sampled.
- If the transmit FIFO is empty during a multiple-word or continuous transfer, then the receive data is written to the receive FIFO before the transfer stalls (assuming CFGR1[NOSTALL] = 0) while waiting for new transmit data or for a command word to be written.

LPSPI provides a receive data match function that can match received data against one of the two words in DMR0 and DMR1, or against a masked data word. You can also configure the received data match function to compare only the first one or two received data words since the start of the frame:

- Received data that is already discarded because of TCR[RXMSK] cannot cause the data match flag to set, and delays the receive data match on the first received data word, until all discarded data is received.
- You can configure the receive data match function to discard all received data until a data match is detected, using CFGR0[RDMO].
- After a receive data match, to allow all subsequent data to be received, write 0 to CFGR0[RDMO], and then write 0 to SR[DMF].

70.3.1.3 Timing parameters

The timing parameters that are used for all SPI bus transfers are relative to the LPSPI functional clock divided by the selection specified in TCR[PRESCALE]. Although you cannot change Clock Configuration (CCR) when LPSPI is busy, to support interfacing with different peripheral devices at different frequencies, you can change the TCR[PRESCALE] selection between SPI bus transfers by using Transmit Command (TCR).

NOTE

The minimum value shown in Table 441 is the minimum counter value, but the values of Clock Configuration (CCR) must also satisfy the data sheet specs based on the LPSPI functional clock frequency and prescaler value.

Table 441. Timing parameters

Clock Configuration (CCR) Clock Configuration 1 (CCR1)		Description	Minimum value	Maximum value
Field	Name			
SCKSET	SCK setup phase	Configures the SCK setup phase to (SCKSET + 1) cycles. The setup phase is the SCK high period when either CPHA = 0 and CPOL = 1, or CPHA = 1 and CPOL = 0. Otherwise, it is the SCK low period. The SCK period is defined as (SCKSET + SCKHLD + 2) and the duty cycle is the difference between SCKSET and SCKHLD.	0 (1 cycle)	255 (256 cycles)
SCKHLD	SCK hold phase	Configures the SCK hold phase to (SCKHLD + 1) cycles. The hold phase is the SCK low period when either CPHA = 0 and CPOL = 1, or CPHA = 1 and CPOL = 0. Otherwise, it is the SCK high period. The SCK period is defined as (SCKSET + SCKHLD + 2) and the duty cycle is the difference between SCKSET and SCKHLD.	0 (1 cycle)	255 (256 cycles)
PCSPCS	PCS-to-PCS delay	Configures the minimum delay between PCS negation and the next PCS assertion to (PCSPCS + PCSPCS + 2) cycles. When the command word is updated between transfers, there is a minimum of (PCSPCS + 1) cycles between the command word update and any change on PCS pins.	0 (2 cycles)	255 (512 cycles)
SCKSCK	SCK-to-SCK delay	Configures the delay during a continuous transfer between the last SCK edge of a frame and the first SCK edge of the continuing frame to (SCKSCK + 1) cycles. This is useful when the external peripheral	0 (1 cycle)	255 (256 cycles)

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Table 441. Timing parameters (continued)

Clock Configuration (CCR) Clock Configuration 1 (CCR1)		Description	Minimum value	Maximum value
Field	Name			
		requires a large delay between different words of an SPI bus transfer.		
PCSSCK	PCS-to-SCK delay	Configures the minimum delay between PCS assertion and the first SCK edge to (PCSSCK + 1) cycles.	0 (1 cycle)	255 (256 cycles)
SCKPCS	SCK-to-PCS delay	Configures the minimum delay between the last SCK edge and the PCS negation to (SCKPCS + 1) cycles.	0 (1 cycle)	255 (256 cycles)

Figure 389 shows the timing settings controlled by:

- TCR[CPHA]
- TCR[CPOL]
- CCR[SCKPCS]
- CCR[PCSSCK]
- CCR1[SCKSET]
- CCR1[SCKHLD]

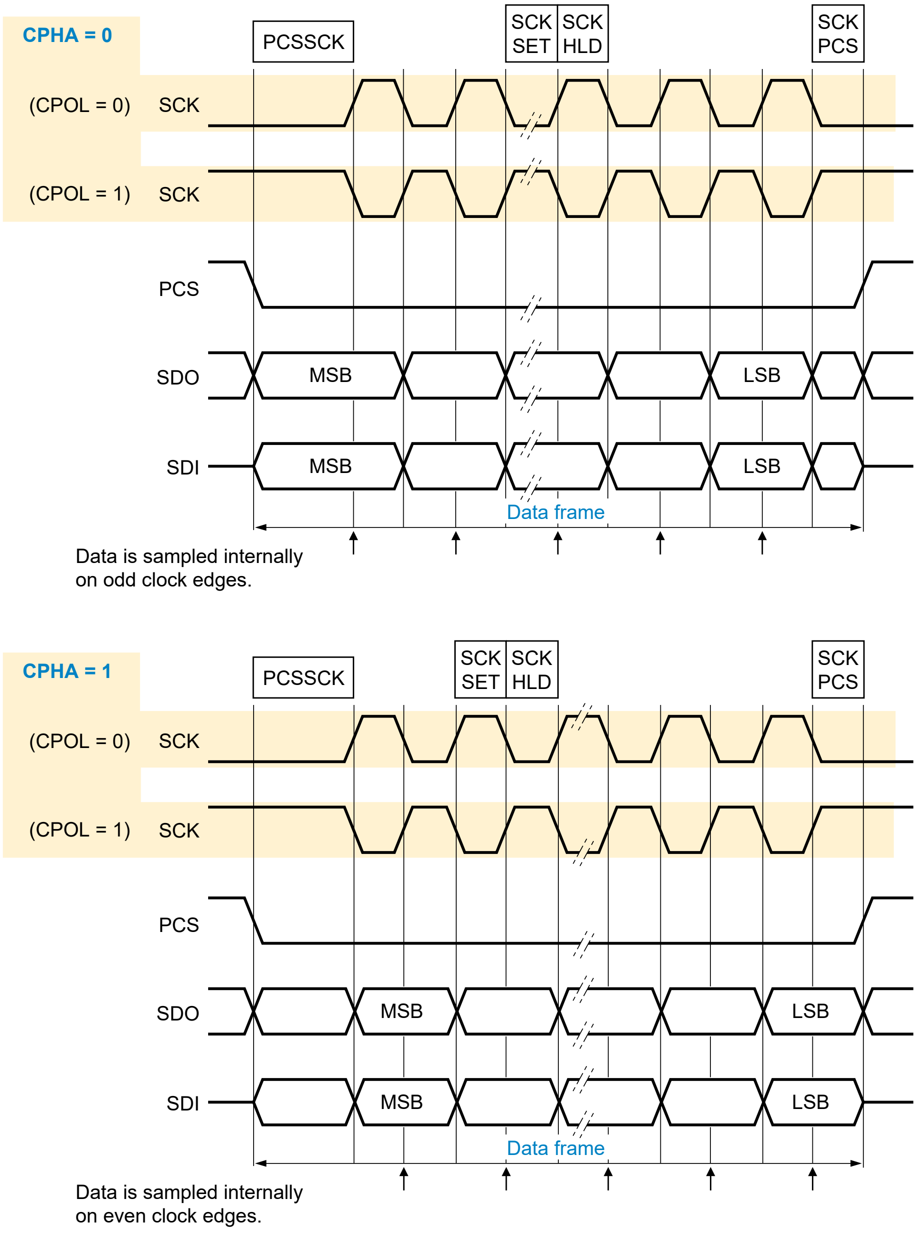

Figure 389. Clock phase (TCR[CPHA]) timing diagram example

To configure for a baud rate of 10 MHz with 50/50 duty cycle and with a functional clock frequency of 100 MHz, use the following settings:

- CCR1[SCKSET] = 0x4 (5 cycles)
- CCR1[SCKHLD] = 0x4 (5 cycles)
- CCR1[PCSPCS] = 0x8 (10 cycles)
- CCR1[SCKSCK] = 0x4 (5 cycles)
- CRR[PCSSCK] = 0x4 (5 cycles)
- CRR[SCKPCS] = 0x4 (5 cycles)
- TCR[PRESCALE] = 0x0 (divide by 1)

70.3.1.4 Pin configuration

Following are the pin configuration settings for half-duplex transfers:

- To swap directions or to support half-duplex transfers on the same pin, you can configure the SIN and SOUT pins using CFGR1[PINCFG].
- To specify whether an output data pin (SOUT, for example) 3-states when PCS is negated, or if the output data pin retains the last value, use CFGR1[OUTCFG].
- When configuring half-duplex transfers, you must configure the output data pins to 3-state when PCS is negated (CFGR1[OUTCFG] = 1).
- When performing half-duplex 2-bit transfers, you can write any value to CFGR1[PCSCFG].
- When performing half-duplex 4-bit transfers, you must write 1h to CFGR1[PCSCFG].

70.3.1.5 Clock loopback

Configure the LPSPI controller to use one of the following clocks to sample the input data:

- The SCK output clock
- A delayed version of the SCK output clock

The delayed version of the SCK is chosen by the SCK pin output delay, plus the SCK pin input delay, and is selected by writing 1 to CFGR1[SAMPLE]. Enabling the loopback version of the SCK pin can improve the setup time of the input data from the peripheral.

See the chip data sheet for the specific input setup time in Controller Loopback mode.

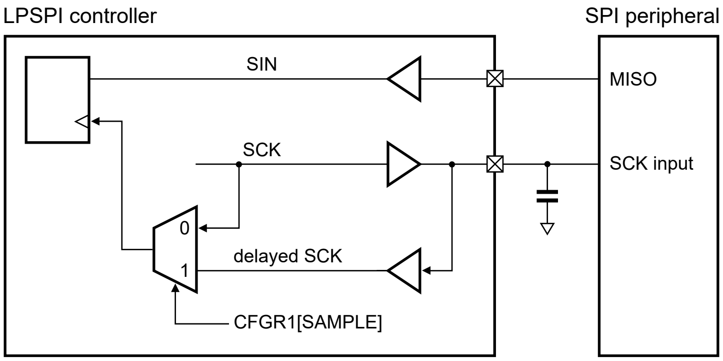

Figure 390. Clock loopback

70.3.2 Peripheral mode

LPSPI Peripheral mode:

- Uses the same shift register and logic that Controller mode uses.
- Does not use Clock Configuration (CCR).
- Requires Transmit Command (TCR) to remain static (unchanged) during SPI bus transfers.

70.3.2.1 Transmit and command FIFO commands

You must initialize Transmit Command (TCR) before enabling LPSPI in Peripheral mode, although this register is not updated until after LPSPI is enabled. After LPSPI is enabled, you must make changes to this register only when LPSPI is idle. In Peripheral mode, the LPSPI command word in this register controls SPI attributes. Before the PCS input asserts, the transmit FIFO must be filled with transmit data, or the transmit error flag sets.

Table 442. Command word in Peripheral mode

Transmit Command (TCR)		Description
Field	Name	
CPOL	Clock polarity	Specifies the polarity of the external SCK input.
CPHA	Clock phase	Specifies the clock phase of transfer.
PRESCALE	Prescaler value	Specifies the LPSPI functional clock prescaler.
PCS	Peripheral chip select	Specifies which PCS is used. The polarity of PCS is static and configured by CFGR1[PCSPOL]. If CFGR1[PCSCFG] is not equal to zero, then do not select the PCS[3:2] pins.
LSBF	LSB first	Specifies whether LSB (bit 0) or MSB (bit 31 for a 32-bit word) is transmitted or received first.
BYSW	Byte swap	Enables byte swap on each 32-bit word when transmitting and receiving data. Byte swapping can be useful when interfacing with devices that organize data as big-endian.
CONT	Continuous transfer	When continuous transfer is selected in Peripheral mode, after the number of bits indicated by FRAMESZ are transferred, LPSPI passes through and transmits the received data until the next PCS negation. Whatever is shifted in on the receive data is shifted out as transmit data considering that there is a 32-bit shift register.
CONTC	Continuing command	When the continuing command is enabled in Peripheral mode, after the number of bits indicated by FRAMESZ are transferred, RXMSK is considered equal to 1 and TXMSK is considered equal to 0 until the next PCS negation. CONTC can be used to change the direction of a transfer after the number of bits indicated by FRAMESZ.
RXMSK	Receive data mask	Masks the receive data; LPSPI does not store masked receive data in the receive FIFO or perform receive data matching. This option is useful for half-duplex transfers or to specify which fields are compared during receive data matching.
TXMSK	Transmit data mask	Masks the transmit data so that the masked transmit data is not pulled from transmit FIFO, and the output data pin is 3-stated (unless otherwise specified in CFGR1[OUTCFG]). This option is useful for half-duplex transfers.
WIDTH	Transfer width	Specifies the number of bits shifted on each SCK pulse: • 1-bit transfers support traditional SPI bus transfers in either half-duplex or full-duplex data formats. • 2-bit and 4-bit half-duplex transfers are useful for interfacing with QuadSPI memory devices, and at least either TCR[TXMSK] or TCR[RXMSK] must be 1. • 8-bit half-duplex transfers are useful for interfacing with OctelSPI memory devices, and at least either TCR[TXMSK] or TCR[RXMSK] must also be 1.
FRAMESZ	Frame size	Specifies the frame size in number of bits equal to (FRAMESZ + 1): • The minimum frame size is 8 bits, or 16 bits for an 8-bit parallel transfer. • If the frame size is larger than 32 bits, then the frame is divided into multiple words of 32 bits; each word is loaded from the transmit FIFO and stored in the receive FIFO separately. • If the size of the frame is not divisible by 32, then the last load of the transmit FIFO and store of the receive FIFO contain the remainder bits. For example, a 72-bit transfer consists of three words: the first and second words are 32 bits, and the third word is 8 bits.

70.3.2.2 Receive FIFO and data match

The receive FIFO stores receive data during SPI bus transfers. When TCR[RXMSK] = 1, the received data is discarded instead of storing the received data in the receive FIFO.

Receive data supports a receive data match function that can match received data against one of the two words in DMR0 and DMR1 or against a masked data word. You can also configure the data match function to compare only the first one or two received data words since the start of the frame.

- Received data that is already discarded because TCR[RXMSK] = 1 cannot cause the data match to set, and delays the match on the first received data word, until all discarded data is received.
- By using CFGR0[RDMO], you can also configure the receiver match function to discard all received data until a data match is detected.
- After a receive data match, to allow all subsequent data to be received, first write 0 to CFGR0[RDMO], then clear SR[DMF].

70.3.2.3 Partial received word

When the PCS pin deasserts and the receive shift register shifts in a partial word, you can configure the receive shift register to either discard the partial word or to store it in the receive FIFO. You must specify this using CFGR1[PARTIAL].

A partial word is defined as less than TCR[FRAMESZ] bits (when TCR[FRAMESZ] is equal or less than 32 bits, or it is the last word in a multi-word frame) or less than 32 bits (when TCR[FRAMESZ] is greater than 32 bits and not the last word in a multi-word frame).

A single-bit frame is not supported. A partial received word of 1 bit is supported, but a partial received frame of 1 bit is not supported.

70.3.2.4 Clocked interface

LPSPI supports interfacing with external controllers that provide only clock and data pins (PCS is not required). This interface requires:

- Writing 1 to TCR[CPHA] (data is changed on the leading edge of SCK and captured on the following edge).
- Configuring the PCS input to be always asserted (CFGR1[PCSPOL*n*] = 1). For example, to configure PCS[0] to be always asserted, write 1 to PCSPOL[0], and do not configure PCS[0] in the pin muxing. The chip-level drives PCS to a certain value (ideally 1); you could use CFGR1[PCSPOL*n*] to invert that value.
- Writing 1 to CFGR1[AUTOPCS] to enable automatic PCS generation. When CFGR1[AUTOPCS] = 1, a minimum of four LPSPI functional clock cycles (divided by the selection specified in TCR[PRESCALE]) is required between the last SCK edge of one word and the first SCK edge of the next word.

70.3.3 Debug mode

Table 443. Debug mode

Chip mode	LPSPI operation
Debug (the core is in Debug or Halted mode)	Can continue operating in Debug mode, if CR[DBGEN] = 1

70.3.4 Clocking

Table 444. LPSPI clocks

Type of clock	Description
Functional	• Asynchronous to the bus clock. • If the LPSPI functional clock remains enabled in low-power modes, then LPSPI can perform SPI bus transfers and low-power wakeups in both Controller and Peripheral modes. • LPSPI divides the functional clock by a prescaler; the resulting frequency must be at least two times faster than the SPI external clock frequency (SCK).
External	• The LPSPI shift register is clocked directly by the SCK clock. • How the SCK clock is generated or supplied depends on the mode (Controller or Peripheral): — In Controller mode, the SCK clock is generated internally. — In Peripheral mode, the SCK clock is supplied externally.
Bus	The bus clock is only used for bus accesses to the LPSPI control and configuration registers. The bus clock frequency must be high enough to support the data bandwidth requirements of the LPSPI registers, including the FIFOs.

See the chip-specific LPSPI information for more.

70.3.5 Reset

Table 445. LPSPI resets

Type of reset	Description
Chip	Resets the LPSPI logic and registers to their default states.
Software	• Resets the LPSPI logic and registers to their default states, except for the Control register. • The LPSPI software reset is controlled using CR[RST].
FIFO	• Resets the transmit and command FIFO and the receive FIFO. • CR[RTF] and CR[RRF] are write-only. • After being reset, FIFO is empty.

70.3.6 Interrupts and DMA requests

The following table lists sources (status flags) that can generate LPSPI interrupts and LPSPI transmit and receive DMA requests.

Table 446. Interrupts and DMA requests

Status (SR)		Description	Can generate		
Status flag	Name		Interrupt?	DMA request?	Low-power wake-up?
TDF	Transmit data flag	Indicates that data can be written to transmit FIFO, as configured by the transmit FIFO watermark, FCR[TXWATER].	Y	TX	Y

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Table 446. Interrupts and DMA requests (continued)

Status (SR)		Description	Can generate		
Status flag	Name		Interrupt?	DMA request?	Low-power wake-up?
RDF	Receive data flag	Indicates that data can be read from the receive FIFO, as configured by the receive FIFO watermark, FCR[RXWATER].	Y	RX	Y
WCF	Word complete flag	Indicates that the word is complete and the last bit of the word has been sampled.	Y	N	Y
FCF	Frame complete flag	Indicates that the frame is complete and PCS is deasserted.	Y	N	Y
TCF	Transfer complete flag	Indicates that transfer is complete, PCS is deasserted, and the transmit and command FIFO is empty.	Y	N	Y
TEF	Transmit error flag	Indicates a transmit and command FIFO underrun. In Controller mode, when CFGR1[NOSTALL] = 0 (transfers stall when transmit FIFO is empty), TEF cannot be set.	Y	N	Y
REF	Receive error flag	Indicates a receive FIFO overflow. In Controller mode, when CFGR1[NOSTALL] = 0 (transfers stall when receive FIFO is full), REF cannot be set.	Y	N	Y
DMF	Data match flag	Indicates that the received data matches the configured data match value.	Y	N	Y
MBF	Module busy flag	Indicates that LPSPI is busy performing an SPI bus transfer.	N	N	N

70.3.6.1 DMA support registers

To support efficient DMA transfers to the transmit and control FIFO, an alias register supports 32-bit write access to the Transmit Command (TCR) and an alias region supports incrementing 32-bit write accesses to the Transmit Data (TDR).

- Transmit Command Burst (TCBR) is a 32-bit alias register for writing to TCR.
- Transmit Data Burst (TDBR0 - TDBR127) is a 512-byte alias region that supports writing to the TDR.

The burst alias locations are contiguous. A DMA transfer can start by writing to the TCBR register to initialize the transfer and then increment into the TDBR region without changing the DMA transfer size. The alias registers can also be used by the DMA to perform burst transfers when accessing the transmit FIFO.

The transmit FIFO prevents writes that overflow the FIFO, but this prevention does not signal an error. Do not perform writes to the TDBR unless there is sufficient room in the transmit FIFO.

Receive Data Burst (RDBR0 - RDBR127) is a 512-byte alias region that supports reading the Receive Data. This can be used by the DMA to perform burst transfers when accessing the receive FIFO.

70.3.7 Peripheral triggers

The connection of the LPSPI peripheral triggers with other peripherals depends on the device that is used.

Table 447. Peripheral triggers

Type of trigger	Description	Additional information
Frame output	The frame output trigger: • Asserts at the end of each frame (when PCS deasserts). • Remains asserted for one cycle of the LPSPI functional clock divided by the configuration defined in TCR[PRESCALE].	LPSPI generates two output triggers that can be connected to other peripherals on the chip.
Word output	The word output trigger: • Asserts at the end of each received word. • Remains asserted for one cycle of the LPSPI functional clock divided by the configuration defined in TCR[PRESCALE].	
Input	To control the start of an LPSPI bus transfer, the LPSPI input trigger can be selected instead of the HREQ input: • The LPSPI input trigger is synchronized, and must assert for at least two cycles of the LPSPI functional clock divided by the configuration defined in TCR[PRESCALE] so that the input trigger can be detected. • When LPSPI is busy, the HREQ input (and therefore the LPSPI input trigger) is ignored. • When LPSPI is busy, both the HREQ and LPSPI input triggers are ignored. They are used to start a new transfer when LPSPI is idle.	

70.4 External signals

Table 448. External signals

Signal	Name	Description	I/O
SCK	Serial clock	• Input in Peripheral mode • Output in Controller mode	I/O
PCS[0]	Peripheral chip select	• Input in Peripheral mode • Output in Controller mode	I/O
PCS[1]/HREQ	Peripheral chip select or host request	Host request pin is selected when CFGR0[HREN] = 1 and CFGR0[HRSEL] = 0: • Input in either Peripheral mode or when used as controller host request • Output in either Controller mode or when used as peripheral host request	I/O
PCS[2]/DATA[2]	Peripheral chip select or data pin 2 during parallel data transfers	When CFGR1[PCSCFG] = 0: • Input in Peripheral mode • Output in Controller mode When CFGR1[PCSCFG] = 1:	I/O

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Table 448. External signals (continued)

Signal	Name	Description	I/O
		• Input in half-duplex parallel data receive transfers • Output in half-duplex parallel data transmit transfers	
PCS[3]/DATA[3]	Peripheral chip select or data pin 3 during parallel data transfers	When CFGR1[PCSCFG] = 0: • Input in Peripheral mode • Output in Controller mode When CFGR1[PCSCFG] = 1: • Input in half-duplex parallel data receive transfers • Output in half-duplex parallel data transmit transfers	I/O
PCS[4]/DATA[4]	Peripheral chip select or data pin 4 during parallel data transfers	When CFGR1[PCSCFG] = 0: • Input in Peripheral mode • Output in Controller mode When CFGR1[PCSCFG] = 11b: • Input in half-duplex parallel data receive transfers • Output in half-duplex parallel data transmit transfers	I/O
PCS[5]/DATA[5]	Peripheral chip select or data pin 5 during parallel data transfers	When CFGR1[PCSCFG] = 0: • Input in Peripheral mode • Output in Controller mode When CFGR1[PCSCFG] = 11b: • Input in half-duplex parallel data receive transfers • Output in half-duplex parallel data transmit transfers	I/O
PCS[6]/DATA[6]	Peripheral chip select or data pin 6 during parallel data transfers	When CFGR1[PCSCFG] = 0: • Input in Peripheral mode • Output in Controller mode When CFGR1[PCSCFG] = 11b: • Input in half-duplex parallel data receive transfers • Output in half-duplex parallel data transmit transfers	I/O

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Table 448. External signals (continued)

Signal	Name	Description	I/O
PCS[7]/DATA[7]	Peripheral chip select or data pin 7 during parallel data transfers	When CFGR1[PCSCFG] = 0: • Input in Peripheral mode • Output in Controller mode When CFGR1[PCSCFG] = 11b: • Input in half-duplex parallel data receive transfers • Output in half-duplex parallel data transmit transfers	I/O
SOUT/DATA[0]	Serial data output	Can be configured as serial data input signal (used as data pin 0 in half-duplex parallel data transfers)	I/O
SIN/DATA[1]	Serial data input	Can be configured as serial data output signal (used as data pin 1 in half-duplex parallel data transfers)	I/O

70.5 Initialization

This module does not require initialization.

70.6 Memory map and registers

NOTE

- Writing to a read-only register or reading a write-only register can cause bus errors.
- LPSPI does not check values programmed in registers for validity, so you must take care to write valid values only.

70.6.1 LPSPI register descriptions

70.6.1.1 LPSPI memory map

LPSPI_0 base address: 4035_8000h

LPSPI_1 base address: 4035_C000h

LPSPI_2 base address: 4036_0000h

LPSPI_3 base address: 4036_4000h

LPSPI_4 base address: 404B_C000h

LPSPI_5 base address: 404C_0000h

Offset	Register	Width (In bits)	Access	Reset value
0h	Version ID (VERID)	32	R	0200_0004h
4h	Parameter (PARAM)	32	R	See section

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Offset	Register	Width (In bits)	Access	Reset value
10h	Control (CR)	32	RW	0000_0000h
14h	Status (SR)	32	RW	0000_0001h
18h	Interrupt Enable (IER)	32	RW	0000_0000h
1Ch	DMA Enable (DER)	32	RW	0000_0000h
20h	Configuration 0 (CFGR0)	32	RW	0000_0000h
24h	Configuration 1 (CFGR1)	32	RW	0000_0000h
30h	Data Match 0 (DMR0)	32	RW	0000_0000h
34h	Data Match 1 (DMR1)	32	RW	0000_0000h
40h	Clock Configuration (CCR)	32	RW	0000_0000h
44h	Clock Configuration 1 (CCR1)	32	RW	0000_0000h
58h	FIFO Control (FCR)	32	RW	0000_0000h
5Ch	FIFO Status (FSR)	32	R	0000_0000h
60h	Transmit Command (TCR)	32	RW	0000_001Fh
64h	Transmit Data (TDR)	32	W	0000_0000h
70h	Receive Status (RSR)	32	R	0000_0002h
74h	Receive Data (RDR)	32	R	0000_0000h
78h	Receive Data Read Only (RDROR)	32	R	0000_0000h
3FCh	Transmit Command Burst (TCBR)	32	W	0000_0000h
400h - 5FCh	Transmit Data Burst (TDBR0 - TDBR127)	32	W	0000_0000h
600h - 7FCh	Receive Data Burst (RDBR0 - RDBR127)	32	R	0000_0000h

70.6.1.2 Version ID (VERID)

Offset

Register	Offset
VERID	0h

Function
Contains version numbers for the module design and feature set.

Diagram

Bits	31	30	29	28	27	26	25	24	23	22	21	20	19	18	17	16
R	MAJOR								MINOR							
W																
Reset	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Bits	15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
R	FEATURE															
W																
Reset	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0

Fields

Field	Function
31-24 MAJOR	Major Version Number Indicates the major version number of the module specification.
23-16 MINOR	Minor Version Number Indicates the minor version number of the module specification.
15-0 FEATURE	Module Identification Number Indicates the feature set number 0000_0000_0000_0100b - Standard feature set supporting a 32-bit shift register. All other values are reserved.

70.6.1.3 Parameter (PARAM)

Offset

Register	Offset
PARAM	4h

Function

Contains:

- Number of PCS pins.
- Receive FIFO size.
- Transmit FIFO size.

Diagram

Bits	31	30	29	28	27	26	25	24	23	22	21	20	19	18	17	16
R	0								PCSNUM							
W																
Reset	See Register reset values.															

Bits	15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
R	RXFIFO								TXFIFO							
W																
Reset	See Register reset values.															

Register reset values

Register	Reset value
PARAM	LPSPI_0: 0008_0202h LPSPI_1: 0006_0202h LPSPI_2–LPSPI_5: 0004_0202h

Fields

Field	Function
31-24 —	Reserved
23-16 PCSNUM	PCS Number Indicates the number of PCS pins supported.
15-8 RXFIFO	Receive FIFO Size Indicates the maximum number of words in the receive FIFO. The maximum number of words is 2^{RXFIFO}.
7-0 TXFIFO	Transmit FIFO Size Indicates the maximum number of words in the transmit FIFO. The maximum number of words is 2^{TXFIFO}.

70.6.1.4 Control (CR)

Offset

Register	Offset
CR	10h

Function

Contains fields that control the module operation.

Diagram

Bits	31	30	29	28	27	26	25	24	23	22	21	20	19	18	17	16
R	0															
W																
Reset	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Bits	15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
R	0								0				DBGEN	Reserved	RST	MEN
W							RRF	RTF								
Reset	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Fields

Field	Function
31-10 —	Reserved
9 RRF	Reset Receive FIFO Deletes all entries in the receive FIFO. This field always reads 0. 0b - No effect 1b - Reset
8 RTF	Reset Transmit FIFO Deletes all entries in the transmit FIFO. This field always reads 0. 0b - No effect 1b - Reset
7-4 —	Reserved
3 DBGEN	Debug Enable Enables LPSPI when the CPU is in Debug mode. If this field is 0, LPSPI is disabled when the CPU is halted; the PCS pin is deasserted after the transmit FIFO is empty regardless of the state of Transmit Command (TCR). You must update this field only when LPSPI is disabled (MEN = 0). 0b - Disable 1b - Enable
2 —	Reserved
1	Software Reset

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Field	Function
RST	Resets all internal logic and registers, except Control (CR). The reset takes effect immediately and remains asserted until you write 0 to it. There is no minimum delay required before clearing the software reset by writing 0. 0b - Not reset 1b - Reset
0 MEN	Module Enable Enables the module. After writing 0, MEN remains set until LPSPI has completed the current transfer and is idle. 0b - Disable 1b - Enable

70.6.1.5 Status (SR)

Offset

Register	Offset
SR	14h

Function

Contains data flow status.

Diagram

Bits	31	30	29	28	27	26	25	24	23	22	21	20	19	18	17	16
R	0							MBF	0							
W																
Reset	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Bits	15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
R	0		DMF	REF	TEF	TCF	FCF	WCF	0						RDF	TDF
W			W1C	W1C	W1C	W1C	W1C	W1C								
Reset	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1

Fields

Field	Function
31-25	Reserved

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Field	Function
—	
24 MBF	Module Busy Flag Indicates, in Controller mode, whether there is data to transmit and LPSPI is able to transmit (for example, the HREQ pin is asserted). The HREQ pin deasserts after the PCS pin deasserts and the LPSPI controller has waited for half the time specified in CCR[DBT] with no new data to transmit. Peripheral mode sets this flag when LPSPI is enabled and PCS is asserted. 0b - LPSPI is idle 1b - LPSPI is busy
23-14 —	Reserved
13 DMF	Data Match Flag Indicates whether the received data matches DMR0[MATCH0] and/or DMR1[MATCH1] (as configured by CFGR1[MATCFG]). NOTE This field behaves differently for register reads and writes. When reading 0b - No match 1b - Match When writing 0b - No effect 1b - Clear the flag
12 REF	Receive Error Flag Indicates a receive FIFO overflow error. When this flag is set: 1. End the transfer. 2. Empty the receive FIFO. 3. Clear this flag. 4. Restart the transfer from the beginning. NOTE This field behaves differently for register reads and writes. When reading 0b - No overflow 1b - Overflow When writing

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Field	Function
	0b - No effect 1b - Clear the flag
11 TEF	Transmit Error Flag Indicates a transmit FIFO underrun error. When this flag is set: 1. End the transfer. 2. Clear this flag. 3. Restart the transfer from the beginning. NOTE This field behaves differently for register reads and writes. When reading 0b - No underrun 1b - Underrun When writing 0b - No effect 1b - Clear the flag
10 TCF	Transfer Complete Flag Indicates, in Controller mode, whether all transfers are complete and LPSPI has returned to the Idle state and the transmit FIFO is empty. NOTE This field behaves differently for register reads and writes. When reading 0b - Not complete 1b - Complete When writing 0b - No effect 1b - Clear the flag
9 FCF	Frame Complete Flag Indicates whether a frame transfer is complete after PCS deasserts. NOTE This field behaves differently for register reads and writes. When reading 0b - Not complete

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Field	Function
	1b - Complete When writing 0b - No effect 1b - Clear the flag
8 WCF	Word Complete Flag Indicates whether the last bit of a received word is sampled. NOTE This field behaves differently for register reads and writes. When reading 0b - Not complete 1b - Complete When writing 0b - No effect 1b - Clear the flag
7-2 —	Reserved
1 RDF	Receive Data Flag Indicates whether the number of words in the receive FIFO is greater than the value in FCR[RXWATER]. 0b - Receive data not ready 1b - Receive data ready
0 TDF	Transmit Data Flag Indicates whether the number of words in the transmit FIFO is equal to or less than the value in FCR[TXWATER]. 0b - Transmit data not requested 1b - Transmit data requested

70.6.1.6 Interrupt Enable (IER)

Offset

Register	Offset
IER	18h

Function

Enables interrupts based on data flow and errors.

Diagram

Bits	31	30	29	28	27	26	25	24	23	22	21	20	19	18	17	16
R	0															
W																
Reset	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Bits	15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
R	0		DMIE	REIE	TEIE	TCIE	FCIE	WCIE	0						RDIE	TDIE
W																
Reset	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Fields

Field	Function
31-14 —	Reserved
13 DMIE	Data Match Interrupt Enable Enables the data match interrupt. 0b - Disable 1b - Enable
12 REIE	Receive Error Interrupt Enable Enables the receive error interrupt. 0b - Disable 1b - Enable
11 TEIE	Transmit Error Interrupt Enable Enables the transmit error interrupt. 0b - Disable 1b - Enable
10 TCIE	Transfer Complete Interrupt Enable Enables the transfer complete interrupt. 0b - Disable 1b - Enable
9 FCIE	Frame Complete Interrupt Enable Enables the frame complete interrupt. 0b - Disable 1b - Enable

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Field	Function
8 WCIE	Word Complete Interrupt Enable Enables the word complete interrupt. 0b - Disable 1b - Enable
7-2 —	Reserved
1 RDIE	Receive Data Interrupt Enable Enables the receive data interrupt. 0b - Disable 1b - Enable
0 TDIE	Transmit Data Interrupt Enable Enables the transmit data interrupt. 0b - Disable 1b - Enable

70.6.1.7 DMA Enable (DER)

Offset

Register	Offset
DER	1Ch

Function

Enables the DMA data flow.

Diagram

Bits	31	30	29	28	27	26	25	24	23	22	21	20	19	18	17	16
R	0															
W																
Reset	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Bits	15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
R	0														RDDE	TDDE
W																
Reset	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Fields

Field	Function
31-2 —	Reserved
1 RDDE	Receive Data DMA Enable Enables the receive data DMA. 0b - Disable 1b - Enable
0 TDDE	Transmit Data DMA Enable Enables the transmit data DMA. 0b - Disable 1b - Enable

70.6.1.8 Configuration 0 (CFGR0)

Offset

Register	Offset
CFGR0	20h

Function

Includes fields to configure LPSPI.

Diagram

Bits	31	30	29	28	27	26	25	24	23	22	21	20	19	18	17	16
R	0															
W																
Reset	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Bits	15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
R	0						RDMO	CIRFIFO	0				HRDIR	HRSEL	HRPOL	HREN
W																
Reset	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Fields

Field	Function
31-10 —	Reserved
9 RDMO	Receive Data Match Only Enables receive data match. When enabled, all received data that does not cause SR[DMF] to assert is discarded: • Write 1 to this field when LPSPI is idle and SR[DMF] = 0. • After SR[DMF] = 1, this field is ignored. • To ensure that no receive data is lost when disabling RDMO, write 0 to this field before clearing SR[DMF]. See CFGR1[MATCFG] for the received data matching options. When disabled, all received data is stored in the receive FIFO. 0b - Disable 1b - Enable
8 CIRFIFO	Circular FIFO Enable Enables circular FIFO. When enabled, the transmit FIFO read pointer is saved to a temporary register. The transmit FIFO is emptied as in normal operation, but when LPSPI is idle and the transmit FIFO is empty, the read pointer value is restored from the temporary register. This restoring of the read pointer causes the contents of the transmit FIFO to be cycled through repeatedly. NOTE The read pointer is restored for as long as this field is 1. Writing additional words to the FIFO when this field is 1 adds them to the end of the FIFO, up to the size of the transmit FIFO. 0b - Disable 1b - Enable
7-4 —	Reserved
3 HRDIR	Host Request Direction Specifies the direction of the HREQ pin. You must configure the HREQ pin only as an output when LPSPI is in Peripheral mode. The HREQ pin direction must be an input for Controller mode. 0b - Input 1b - Output
2 HRSEL	Host Request Select Specifies the source of the host request input. When the host request function is enabled with the HREQ pin, the PCS[1] function is disabled.

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Field	Function
	0b - HREQ pin 1b - Input trigger
1 HRPOL	Host Request Polarity Specifies the polarity of the HREQ pin or input trigger. 0b - Active high 1b - Active low
0 HREN	Host Request Enable Enables LPSPI, in Controller mode, to start a new SPI bus transfer only if the host request input is asserted. When LPSPI is busy, the host request input is ignored. In Peripheral mode, causes the HREQ output pin to assert when data is available to be transmitted. 0b - Disable 1b - Enable

70.6.1.9 Configuration 1 (CFGR1)

Offset

Register	Offset
CFGR1	24h

Function

Includes fields to configure LPSPI. You must write to this register only when LPSPI is disabled.

In addition to pin and output configurations, this register contains match configuration details; the following table shows match conditions specified in MATCFG.

Table 449. Match conditions for CFGR1[MATCFG]

Condition	Description
Match first data word with compare word	Match if first data word equals MATCH0 logically ORed with MATCH1 first_data_word == (MATCH0 || MATCH1)
Match any data word with compare word	Match if any data word equals MATCH0 logically ORed with MATCH1 any_data_word == (MATCH0 || MATCH1)
Sequential match, first data word	Match if first data word equals MATCH0, and second data word equals MATCH1 (first_data_word == MATCH0) && (second_data_word == MATCH1)
Sequential match, any data word	Match if any data word equals MATCH0, and the next data word equals MATCH1

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Table 449. Match conditions for CFGR1[MATCFG] (continued)

Condition	Description
	(any_data_word == MATCH0) && (next_data_word == MATCH1)
Match first data word (masked) with compare word (masked)	Match if first data word logically ANDed with MATCH1 equals MATCH0 logically ANDed with MATCH1 (first_data_word && MATCH1) == (MATCH0 && MATCH1)
Match any data word (masked) with compare word (masked)	Match if any data word logically ANDed with MATCH1 equals MATCH0 logically ANDed with MATCH1 (any_data_word && MATCH1) == (MATCH0 && MATCH1)

Diagram

Bits	31	30	29	28	27	26	25	24	23	22	21	20	19	18	17	16
R	0			PCSCFG		OUTCFG	PINCFG		0					MATCFG		
W																
Reset	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Bits	15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
R	PCSPOL								0			PARTIAL	NOSTALL	AUTOPCS	SAMPLE	MASTER
W																
Reset	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Fields

Field	Function
31-29 —	Reserved
28-27 PCSCFG	Peripheral Chip Select Configuration Specifies PCS pin configuration. When performing parallel transfers, you must configure this field to enable the desired transfer. **NOTE** This field is not supported in every instance. The following table includes only supported registers.

Instance	Field supported in	Field not supported in
LPSPI_0	CFGR1	—
LPSPI_1	CFGR1[27]	CFGR1[28]
LPSPI_2	CFGR1[27]	CFGR1[28]

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<tr><td>LPSPI_4</td><td>CFGR1[27]</td><td>CFGR1[28]</td></tr>
<tr><td>LPSPI_5</td><td>CFGR1[27]</td><td>CFGR1[28]</td></tr>
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NOTE
The descriptions of the field settings vary by module instance.
<table>
<tr><th>Instance</th><th>Field value and description</th></tr>
<tr><td>LPSPI_0</td><td>00b - PCS[7:2] configured for chip select function
01b - PCS[3:2] configured for half-duplex 4-bit transfers (PCS[3:2] = DATA[3:2])
11b - PCS[7:2] configured for half-duplex 4-bit and 8-bit transfers (PCS[7:2] = DATA[7:2])</td></tr>
<tr><td>LPSPI_1</td><td>0b - PCS[5:2] configured for chip select function
1b - PCS[3:2] configured for half-duplex 4-bit transfers (PCS[3:2] = DATA[3:2])</td></tr>
<tr><td>LPSPI_2</td><td>0b - PCS[3:2] configured for chip select function
1b - PCS[3:2] configured for half-duplex 4-bit transfers (PCS[3:2] = DATA[3:2])</td></tr>
<tr><td>LPSPI_3</td><td>0b - PCS[3:2] configured for chip select function
1b - PCS[3:2] configured for half-duplex 4-bit transfers (PCS[3:2] = DATA[3:2])</td></tr>
<tr><td>LPSPI_4</td><td>0b - PCS[3:2] configured for chip select function
1b - PCS[3:2] configured for half-duplex 4-bit transfers (PCS[3:2] = DATA[3:2])</td></tr>
<tr><td>LPSPI_5</td><td>0b - PCS[3:2] configured for chip select function
1b - PCS[3:2] configured for half-duplex 4-bit transfers (PCS[3:2] = DATA[3:2])</td></tr>
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<tr><td>26
OUTCFG</td><td>Output Configuration
Specifies whether the output data is 3-stated between accesses (when PCS is deasserted). When performing half-duplex transfers, this field must be 1.</td></tr>
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Field	Function
	0b - Retain last value 1b - 3-stated
25-24 PINCFG	Pin Configuration Specifies the pins used for input and output data during serial transfers. This field is ignored when performing parallel transfers. 00b - SIN is used for input data; SOUT is used for output data 01b - SIN is used for both input and output data; only half-duplex serial transfers are supported 10b - SOUT is used for both input and output data; only half-duplex serial transfers are supported 11b - SOUT is used for input data; SIN is used for output data
23-19 —	Reserved
18-16 MATCFG	Match Configuration Specifies the condition that causes SR[DMF] to assert. See the match conditions listed in Table 1 for more information. NOTE When writing to this field, either the old value or new value must be in the disabled state (0). You cannot transition from a nonzero value to another nonzero value. 000b - Match is disabled 001b - Reserved 010b - Match first data word with compare word 011b - Match any data word with compare word 100b - Sequential match, first data word 101b - Sequential match, any data word 110b - Match first data word (masked) with compare word (masked) 111b - Match any data word (masked) with compare word (masked)
15-8 PCSPOL	Peripheral Chip Select Polarity Specifies the polarity of each PCS pin. Bit *n* in this field (the least-significant bit is bit 0) corresponds to PCS[*n*]. NOTE This field is not supported in every instance. The following table includes only supported registers.

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<tr><td>LPSPI_5</td><td>CFGR1[11–8]</td><td>CFGR1[15–12]</td></tr>
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0000_0001b - Active high</td></tr>
<tr><td>LPSPI_1</td><td>00_0000b - Active low
00_0001b - Active high</td></tr>
<tr><td>LPSPI_2</td><td>0000b - Active low
0001b - Active high</td></tr>
<tr><td>LPSPI_3</td><td>0000b - Active low
0001b - Active high</td></tr>
<tr><td>LPSPI_4</td><td>0000b - Active low
0001b - Active high</td></tr>
<tr><td>LPSPI_5</td><td>0000b - Active low
0001b - Active high</td></tr>
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—</td><td>Reserved</td></tr>
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PARTIAL</td><td>Partial Enable</td></tr>
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Field	Function
	Specifies whether LPSPI, when in Peripheral mode, stores a partial received word in the receive FIFO, or discards it, when PCS deasserts. See Partial received word for more information. 0b - Discard 1b - Store
3 NOSTALL	No Stall Disables a normal operating feature that causes LPSPI, when in Controller mode, to stall transfers when the transmit FIFO is empty or when the receive FIFO is full. This feature prevents transmit FIFO underruns and receive FIFO overruns. Writing 1 to this field disables this functionality. 0b - Disable 1b - Enable
2 AUTOPCS	Automatic PCS Enables automatic PCS generation. For correct operation in Peripheral mode, LPSPI requires the PCS signal to deassert between frames. Writing 1 to this field generates an internal PCS signal at the end of each transfer word when TCR[CPHA] = 1. When this field is 1, SCK must remain idle for at least four LPSPI functional clock cycles, divided by the prescaler (see TCR[PRESCALE]) selected between each word to ensure correct operation. This field is ignored in Controller mode. 0b - Disable 1b - Enable
1 SAMPLE	Sample Point Specifies the SCK clock edge on which LPSPI, when in Controller mode, samples input data. Writing 1 to this field causes LPSPI to sample input data on a delayed loopback SCK clock edge, which improves the setup time when sampling data (see Clock loopback). In this configuration, the input data setup time in Controller mode is equal to the input data setup time in Peripheral mode. In Peripheral mode, this field is ignored. NOTE When SAMPLE = 1, both the input and output buffers must be enabled for the SCK pin. Buffers are configured at the chip level. 0b - SCK edge 1b - Delayed SCK edge
0 MASTER	Controller Mode Specifies the LPSPI operating mode, Controller or Peripheral. This field directly controls the direction of the SCK and PCS pins. 0b - Peripheral mode 1b - Controller mode

70.6.1.10 Data Match 0 (DMR0)

Offset

Register	Offset
DMR0	30h

Function

Specifies the match data to be used when data matching is enabled. See CFGR1[MATCFG] for the received data matching options.

> **NOTE**
>
> Do not change the value in this register when CFGR1[MATCFG] > 0.

Diagram

Bits	31	30	29	28	27	26	25	24	23	22	21	20	19	18	17	16
R W	MATCH0															
Reset	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Bits	15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
R W	MATCH0															
Reset	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Fields

Field	Function
31-0 MATCH0	Match 0 Value Specifies the MATCH0 value to be compared against received data.

70.6.1.11 Data Match 1 (DMR1)

Offset

Register	Offset
DMR1	34h

Function

Specifies the match data to be used when data matching is enabled. See CFGR1[MATCFG] for the received data matching options.

> **NOTE**
>
> Do not change the value in this register while CFGR1[MATCFG] > 0.

Diagram

Bits	31	30	29	28	27	26	25	24	23	22	21	20	19	18	17	16
R W	MATCH1															
Reset	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Bits	15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
R W	MATCH1															
Reset	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Fields

Field	Function
31-0 MATCH1	Match 1 Value Specifies the MATCH1 value to be compared against received data.

70.6.1.12 Clock Configuration (CCR)

Offset

Register	Offset
CCR	40h

Function

Contains clock configuration fields that are used only in Controller mode; you can only change them when LPSPI is disabled (CR[MEN] = 0).

Warning

Writing a 32-bit value to this register overwrites Clock Configuration 1 (CCR1); DBT and SCKDIV always read 0.

To avoid overwriting CCR1, do one of the following:

- Write to all four fields in Clock Configuration (CCR) simultaneously and only once in a 32-bit data.
- Modify the values of CCR[SCKPCS] and/or CCR[PCSSCK]; write only these two upper bytes in a 16-bit data or one of them in an 8-bit data.
- Modify CCR1[PCSPCS] and CCR1[SCKSCK] only or CCR1[SCKSET] and CCR1[SCKHLD] only, write respectively to CCR[DBT] or CCR[SCKDIV] in 8-bit data.

Diagram

Bits	31	30	29	28	27	26	25	24	23	22	21	20	19	18	17	16
R W	SCKPCS								PCSSCK							
Reset	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Bits	15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
R	0								0							
W	DBT								SCKDIV							
Reset	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Fields

Field	Function
31-24 SCKPCS	SCK-to-PCS Delay Configures SCK-to-PCS delay. In Controller mode, this field helps you configure the delay from the last SCK edge to PCS negation: • The delay is equal to (SCKPCS + 1) cycles of the LPSPI functional clock divided by the selected prescaler (see TCR[PRESCALE]). • The minimum delay is one cycle. See Figure 389 for more information.
23-16 PCSSCK	PCS-to-SCK Delay Configures PCS-to-SCK delay. In Controller mode, this field helps you configure the delay from PCS assertion to the first SCK edge: • The delay is equal to (PCSSCK + 1) cycles of the LPSPI functional clock divided by the selected prescaler (see TCR[PRESCALE]). • The minimum delay is one cycle. See Figure 389 for more information.
15-8 DBT	Delay Between Transfers Configures the delay between transfers. Writing to this field updates the contents of CCR1[PCSPCS] and CCR1[SCKSCK].
7-0 SCKDIV	SCK Divider Updates the contents of CCR1[SCKSET] and CCR1[SCKHLD]. Baud rate = function clock ÷ (2^PRESCALE × (SCKSET + SCKHLD + 2))

70.6.1.13 Clock Configuration 1 (CCR1)

Offset

Register	Offset
CCR1	44h

Function

Contains clock configuration fields, which are used only in Controller mode. You can change them only when LPSPI is disabled (CR[MEN] = 0).

Diagram

Bits	31	30	29	28	27	26	25	24	23	22	21	20	19	18	17	16
R W	SCKSCK								PCSPCS							
Reset	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Bits	15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
R W	SCKHLD								SCKSET							
Reset	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Fields

Field	Function
31-24 SCKSCK	SCK Inter-Frame Delay Configures SCK inter-frame delay in Controller mode: • This field helps you configure the delay from the last SCK pulse of a frame and the first SCK pulse of the following frame, in a continuous transfer. • The delay is equal to (SCKSCK + 1) cycles of the LPSPI functional clock divided by the selected prescaler (see TCR[PRESCALE]). • The minimum delay is one cycle. **NOTE** For backward compatibility, writing to CCR[DBT] updates this field with the value written.
23-16 PCSPCS	PCS to PCS Delay Configures PCS to PCS delay in Controller mode: • This field helps you configure the delay from the PCS negation to the next PCS assertion. • The delay is equal to (PCSPCS + PCSPCS + 2) cycles of the LPSPI functional clock divided by the selected prescaler (see TCR[PRESCALE]).

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Field	Function
	• The minimum delay is two cycles. • Half of the delay (PCSPCS + 1) occurs before PCS assertion and the other half of the delay (PCSPCS + 1) occurs after PCS negation. If the command word is updated between two transfers, then the command word is updated halfway between the PCS negation of the last transfer and PCS assertion of the next transfer. • The command word specifies which PCS signal is used, the polarity and phase of the SCK signal, and the selected prescaler. NOTE For backward compatibility, writing to CCR[DBT] updates this field with (DBT÷2) rounded up.
15-8 SCKHLD	SCK Hold Configures the hold phase of the SCK pin in Controller mode: • The hold phase is the delay between the SCK edge that samples the receive data and the SCK edge that drives the transmit data. • It is the SCK low period when CPHA = 0 and CPOL = 1, or CPHA = 1 and CPOL = 0. It is the SCK high period when CPHA = 0, CPOL = 0 and CPHA = 1, CPOL = 1. • The SCK hold phase delay is equal to (SCKHLD + 1) cycles of the LPSPI functional clock divided by the selected prescaler (see TCR[PRESCALE]). • The minimum delay is one cycle. • The SCK period is equal to (SCKSET + SCKHLD + 2) cycles of the LPSPI functional clock divided by the selected prescaler (see TCR[PRESCALE]). • The SCK duty cycle is based on the difference between SCKSET and SCKHLD. You must configure both these fields to the same value for a 50/50 duty cycle. See Figure 389 for more information. NOTE For backward compatibility, writing to CCR[SCKDIV] updates this field with (SCKDIV ÷ 2) rounded down.
7-0 SCKSET	SCK Setup Configures the setup phase of the SCK pin in Controller mode: • The setup phase is the delay between the SCK edge that drives the transmit data and the SCK edge that samples the receive data. • It is the SCK high period when CPHA = 0 and CPOL = 1, or CPHA = 1 and CPOL = 0. It is the SCK low period when CPHA = 0 and CPOL = 0, or CPHA = 1 and CPOL = 1. • The SCK setup phase delay is equal to (SCKSET + 1) cycles of the LPSPI functional clock divided by the selected prescaler (see TCR[PRESCALE]). • The minimum delay is one cycle.

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Field	Function
	• The SCK period is equal to (SCKSET + SCKHLD + 2) cycles of the LPSPI functional clock divided by the selected prescaler (see TCR[PRESCALE]). • The SCK duty cycle is based on the difference between SCKSET and SCKHLD. You must configure both these fields to the same value for a 50/50 duty cycle. See Figure 389 for more information. NOTE For backward compatibility, writing to CCR[SCKDIV] updates this field with (SCKDIV ÷ 2) rounded up.

70.6.1.14 FIFO Control (FCR)

Offset

Register	Offset
FCR	58h

Function

Contains the receive FIFO and transmit FIFO watermark values.

Diagram

Bits	31	30	29	28	27	26	25	24	23	22	21	20	19	18	17	16
R	0								0						RXWATER	
W																
Reset	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Bits	15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
R	0								0						TXWATER	
W																
Reset	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Fields

Field	Function
31-24 —	Reserved
23-18	Reserved

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Field	Function
—	
17-16 RXWATER	Receive FIFO Watermark Causes LPSPI to set SR[RDF] when the number of words in the receive FIFO is greater than RXWATER. Writing a value equal to or greater than the FIFO size truncates the written value.
15-8 —	Reserved
7-2 —	Reserved
1-0 TXWATER	Transmit FIFO Watermark Causes LPSPI to set SR[TDF] when the number of words in the transmit FIFO is equal to or less than TXWATER. Writing a value equal to or greater than the FIFO size truncates the written value.

70.6.1.15 FIFO Status (FSR)

Offset

Register	Offset
FSR	5Ch

Function

Contains fields that indicate the number of words currently stored in the receive and transmit FIFOs.

Diagram

Bits	31	30	29	28	27	26	25	24	23	22	21	20	19	18	17	16
R	0								0					RXCOUNT		
W																
Reset	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Bits	15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
R	0								0					TXCOUNT		
W																
Reset	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Fields

Field	Function
31-24 —	Reserved
23-19 —	Reserved
18-16 RXCOUNT	Receive FIFO Count Indicates the number of words currently stored in the receive FIFO.
15-8 —	Reserved
7-3 —	Reserved
2-0 TXCOUNT	Transmit FIFO Count Indicates the number of words currently stored in the transmit FIFO.

70.6.1.16 Transmit Command (TCR)

Offset

Register	Offset
TCR	60h

Function

Pushes the data into the transmit FIFO, in the same order as written.

When you write to either this register or to Transmit Data (TDR), each write pushes data into the transmit FIFO. You must write to this register only using 32-bit writes, which are tagged and cause the command register to update; after that the entry reaches the top of the FIFO and LPSPI is enabled. This allows changes to the command word and the transmit data itself to be interleaved. That is, writes to the two registers can be interleaved (write command word, then data word, then command word, and so on). Changing the command word causes all subsequent SPI bus transfers to be performed using the new command word:

- In Controller mode, writing a new command word does not initiate a new transfer, unless TXMSK is 1. Transfers are initiated by transmit data in the transmit FIFO, or by a new command word (with TXMSK = 1). Hardware writes 0 to TXMSK when PCS deasserts.
- In Controller mode, if the command word is changed before an existing frame has completed, then the existing frame terminates and the command word updates. The command word can be changed during a continuous transfer, if CONTC of the new command word is 1 and the command word is written on a frame size boundary.
- In Peripheral mode, the command word must be changed only when LPSPI is idle and there is no SPI bus transfer.

Avoid resetting the transmit FIFO after writing to this register; wait for the command register to update from the FIFO first.

Avoid register reading problems: Reading this register returns the current state of the register. Reading this register at the same time that it is loaded from the transmit FIFO can return an incorrect register value. It is recommended to:

- Read this register when the transmit FIFO is empty.
- Read this register more than once and then compare the returned values.

Diagram

Bits	31	30	29	28	27	26	25	24	23	22	21	20	19	18	17	16
R W	CPOL	CPHA	PRESCALE			PCS			LSBF	BYSW	CONT	CONTC	RXMSK	TXMSK	WIDTH	
Reset	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Bits	15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
R	Reserved				FRAMESZ											
W	0															
Reset	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	1

Fields

Field	Function
31 CPOL	Clock Polarity Specifies the value of SCK when it is idle. You can update this field only when PCS is deasserted. See Figure 389 for more information. 0b - Inactive low 1b - Inactive high
30 CPHA	Clock Phase Indicates whether data is captured or changed on the leading edge of SCK and captured or changed on the following edge of SCK. You can update this field only when PCS is deasserted. See Figure 389 for more information. 0b - Captured 1b - Changed
29-27 PRESCALE	Prescaler Value Specifies the division of the LPSPI functional clock. For all SPI bus transfers, this value is applied to Clock Configuration (CCR). You can update this field only when PCS is deasserted. 000b - Divide by 1 001b - Divide by 2 010b - Divide by 4 011b - Divide by 8 100b - Divide by 16 101b - Divide by 32

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<tr><th>Field</th><th>Function</th></tr>
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111b - Divide by 128</td></tr>
<tr><td>26-24
PCS</td><td>
Peripheral Chip Select
Configures the peripheral chip select used for the transfer. This field is updated only when PCS is deasserted.
NOTE
This entire field is not fully supported in every LPSPI module instance. See the chip-specific LPSPI information.
NOTE
This field is not supported in every instance. The following table includes only supported registers.
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<tr><td>LPSPI_2</td><td>TCR[25–24]</td><td>TCR[26]</td></tr>
<tr><td>LPSPI_3</td><td>TCR[25–24]</td><td>TCR[26]</td></tr>
<tr><td>LPSPI_4</td><td>TCR[25–24]</td><td>TCR[26]</td></tr>
<tr><td>LPSPI_5</td><td>TCR[25–24]</td><td>TCR[26]</td></tr>
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NOTE
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<tr><th>Instance</th><th>Field value and description</th></tr>
<tr><td>LPSPI_0</td><td>000b - Transfer using PCS[0]
001b - Transfer using PCS[1]
010b - Transfer using PCS[2]
011b - Transfer using PCS[3]
100b - Transfer using PCS[4]
101b - Transfer using PCS[5]
110b - Transfer using PCS[6]
111b - Transfer using PCS[7]</td></tr>
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<tr><td>LPSPI_1</td><td>000b - Transfer using PCS[0]
001b - Transfer using PCS[1]
010b - Transfer using PCS[2]
011b - Transfer using PCS[3]
100b - Transfer using PCS[4]
101b - Transfer using PCS[5]
110b - Transfer using PCS[6]
111b - Transfer using PCS[7]</td></tr>
<tr><td>LPSPI_2</td><td>00b - Transfer using PCS[0]
01b - Transfer using PCS[1]
10b - Transfer using PCS[2]
11b - Transfer using PCS[3]</td></tr>
<tr><td>LPSPI_3</td><td>00b - Transfer using PCS[0]
01b - Transfer using PCS[1]
10b - Transfer using PCS[2]
11b - Transfer using PCS[3]</td></tr>
<tr><td>LPSPI_4</td><td>00b - Transfer using PCS[0]
01b - Transfer using PCS[1]
10b - Transfer using PCS[2]
11b - Transfer using PCS[3]</td></tr>
<tr><td>LPSPI_5</td><td>00b - Transfer using PCS[0]
01b - Transfer using PCS[1]
10b - Transfer using PCS[2]
11b - Transfer using PCS[3]</td></tr>
</table>
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<tr><td>23
LSBF</td><td>LSB First
Indicates whether data is transferred with MSB first or LSB first.
0b - MSB first
1b - LSB first</td></tr>
<tr><td>22</td><td>Byte Swap</td></tr>
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Field	Function
BYSW	Swaps the contents of [31:24] with [7:0] and [23:16] with [15:8] for each transmit data word read from the FIFO and for each received data word stored to the FIFO (or compared with match registers). 0b - Disable byte swap 1b - Enable byte swap
21 CONT	Continuous Transfer Enables continuous transfer: • In Controller mode, this field keeps PCS asserted at the end of the frame size until a command word is received that starts a new frame. • In Peripheral mode, when this field is enabled, LPSPI only transmits the first FRAMESZ bits, after which LPSPI transmits received data (assuming a 32-bit shift register) until the next PCS negation. 0b - Disable 1b - Enable
20 CONTC	Continuing Command Enables the command word to be changed within a continuous transfer in Controller mode: • The initial command word must enable continuous transfer (CONT = 1). • The continuing command must have CONTC = 1. • The continuing command word must be loaded on a frame size boundary. For example, if the continuous transfer has a frame size of 64 bits, then a continuing command word must be loaded on a 64-bit boundary. In Peripheral mode, this field modifies the internal RXMSK and TXMSK configuration after the first FRAMESZ bits and until PCS negation: • Receive data is discarded after the first FRAMESZ bits. If CONT is also 1, this does not block the transmission of received data. • Transmit data is not masked after the first FRAMESZ bits. This allows the first FRAMESZ bits to be received and a response transmitted. 0b - Command word for start of new transfer 1b - Command word for continuing transfer
19 RXMSK	Receive Data Mask Masks receive data (receive data is not stored in the receive FIFO). 0b - Normal transfer 1b - Mask receive data
18 TXMSK	Transmit Data Mask Masks transmit data (no data is loaded from the transmit FIFO and the output pin is 3-stated). In Controller mode, TXMSK initiates a new transfer that cannot be aborted by another command word. TXMSK automatically transitions to 0 at the end of the transfer.

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<tr><th>Field</th><th>Function</th></tr>
<tr><td></td><td>0b - Normal transfer
1b - Mask transmit data</td></tr>
<tr><td>17-16
WIDTH</td><td>Transfer Width
Configures serial (1-bit) or parallel transfers. For half-duplex parallel transfers, either RXMSK or TXMSK must be 1.
NOTE
The descriptions of the field settings vary by module instance.
<table>
<tr><th>Instance</th><th>Field value and description</th></tr>
<tr><td>LPSPI_0</td><td>00b - 1-bit transfer
01b - 2-bit transfer
10b - 4-bit transfer
11b - 8-bit transfer</td></tr>
<tr><td>LPSPI_1</td><td>00b - 1-bit transfer
01b - 2-bit transfer
10b - 4-bit transfer
11b - Reserved</td></tr>
<tr><td>LPSPI_2</td><td>00b - 1-bit transfer
01b - 2-bit transfer
10b - 4-bit transfer
11b - Reserved</td></tr>
<tr><td>LPSPI_3</td><td>00b - 1-bit transfer
01b - 2-bit transfer
10b - 4-bit transfer
11b - Reserved</td></tr>
<tr><td>LPSPI_4</td><td>00b - 1-bit transfer
01b - 2-bit transfer
10b - 4-bit transfer
11b - Reserved</td></tr>
<tr><td>LPSPI_5</td><td>00b - 1-bit transfer
01b - 2-bit transfer</td></tr>
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Field	Function
	<table><tr><th>Instance</th><th>Field value and description</th></tr><tr><td></td><td>10b - 4-bit transfer 11b - Reserved</td></tr></table>
15-12 —	Reserved
11-0 FRAMESZ	Frame Size Configures the frame size in number of bits equal to (FRAMESZ + 1): • The minimum frame size is 8 bits, or 16 bits for an 8-bit transfer. • If the frame size is larger than 32 bits, then the frame is divided into multiple words of 32 bits; each word is loaded from the transmit FIFO and stored in the receive FIFO separately. • If the size of the frame is not divisible by 32, then the last load of the transmit FIFO and store of the receive FIFO contains the remainder bits. For example, a 72-bit transfer consists of three words: the first and second words are 32 bits, and the third word is 8 bits.

70.6.1.17 Transmit Data (TDR)

Offset

Register	Offset
TDR	64h

Function

Pushes the data into the transmit FIFO, in the same order that the data is written. You can write to this register using 32-, 16-, or 8-bit writes.

When you write to this register or to Transmit Command (TCR), each write pushes data into the FIFO with zero pushed in unwritten bytes.

Diagram

Bits	31	30	29	28	27	26	25	24	23	22	21	20	19	18	17	16
R																
W	DATA															
Reset	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Bits	15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
R																
W	DATA															
Reset	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Fields

Field	Function
31-0 DATA	Transmit Data Indicates transmit data. Both 8-bit and 16-bit writes of transmit data zero-extend the data written and push the data into the transmit FIFO. To zero-extend 8-bit and 16-bit writes (to 32 bits) means that the higher order (most significant) empty parts of the 8-bit and 16-bit writes are filled with zeroes.

70.6.1.18 Receive Status (RSR)

Offset

Register	Offset
RSR	70h

Function

Contains data flow status fields for receive FIFO.

Diagram

Bits	31	30	29	28	27	26	25	24	23	22	21	20	19	18	17	16
R	0															
W																
Reset	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Bits	15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
R	0														RXEMPTY	SOF
W																
Reset	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0

Fields

Field	Function
31-2 —	Reserved
1 RXEMPTY	RX FIFO Empty Indicates whether the receive FIFO is empty. 0b - Not empty 1b - Empty
0 SOF	Start of Frame Indicates whether this is the first data word received after PCS assertion. 0b - Subsequent data word or RX FIFO is empty (RXEMPTY=1). 1b - First data word

70.6.1.19 Receive Data (RDR)

Offset

Register	Offset
RDR	74h

Function

Pulls the first entry from the receive FIFO.

Diagram

Bits	31	30	29	28	27	26	25	24	23	22	21	20	19	18	17	16
R	DATA															
W																
Reset	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Bits	15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
R	DATA															
W																
Reset	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Fields

Field	Function
31-0 DATA	Receive Data

70.6.1.20 Receive Data Read Only (RDROR)

Offset

Register	Offset
RDROR	78h

Function

Returns the first entry in the receive FIFO but does not remove the data from the FIFO.

Diagram

Bits	31	30	29	28	27	26	25	24	23	22	21	20	19	18	17	16
R	DATA															
W																
Reset	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Bits	15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
R	DATA															
W																
Reset	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Fields

Field	Function
31-0 DATA	Receive Data

70.6.1.21 Transmit Command Burst (TCBR)

Offset

Register	Offset
TCBR	3FCh

Function

Supports burst transfers of command data to the transmit FIFO for use with the DMA controller.

See DMA support registers.

Diagram

Bits	31	30	29	28	27	26	25	24	23	22	21	20	19	18	17	16
R																
W	DATA															
Reset	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Bits	15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
R																
W	DATA															
Reset	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Fields

Field	Function
31-0 DATA	Command Data Writes data to Transmit Command (TCR).

70.6.1.22 Transmit Data Burst (TDBR0 - TDBR127)

Offset

For n = 0 to 127:

Register	Offset
TDBRn	400h + (n × 4h)

Function

Supports burst transfers of data to the transmit FIFO for use with the DMA controller. The size of this register is 512 bytes.

See DMA support registers.

Diagram

Bits	31	30	29	28	27	26	25	24	23	22	21	20	19	18	17	16
R																
W	DATA															
Reset	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Bits	15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
R																
W	DATA															
Reset	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Fields

Field	Function
31-0 DATA	Data Writes data to Transmit Data (TDR).

70.6.1.23 Receive Data Burst (RDBR0 - RDBR127)

Offset

For n = 0 to 127:

Register	Offset
RDBRn	600h + (n × 4h)

Function

Supports burst transfers of data from the receive FIFO. The size of this register is 512 bytes.

See DMA support registers.

Diagram

Bits	31	30	29	28	27	26	25	24	23	22	21	20	19	18	17	16
R	DATA															
W																
Reset	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Bits	15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
R	DATA															
W																
Reset	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Fields

Field	Function
31-0 DATA	Data Reads data from Receive Data (RDR).

70.7 Glossary

PCS	Peripheral chip select
SCK	Serial clock
SDI	Peripheral data in
SDO	Peripheral data out
SS	Peripheral select