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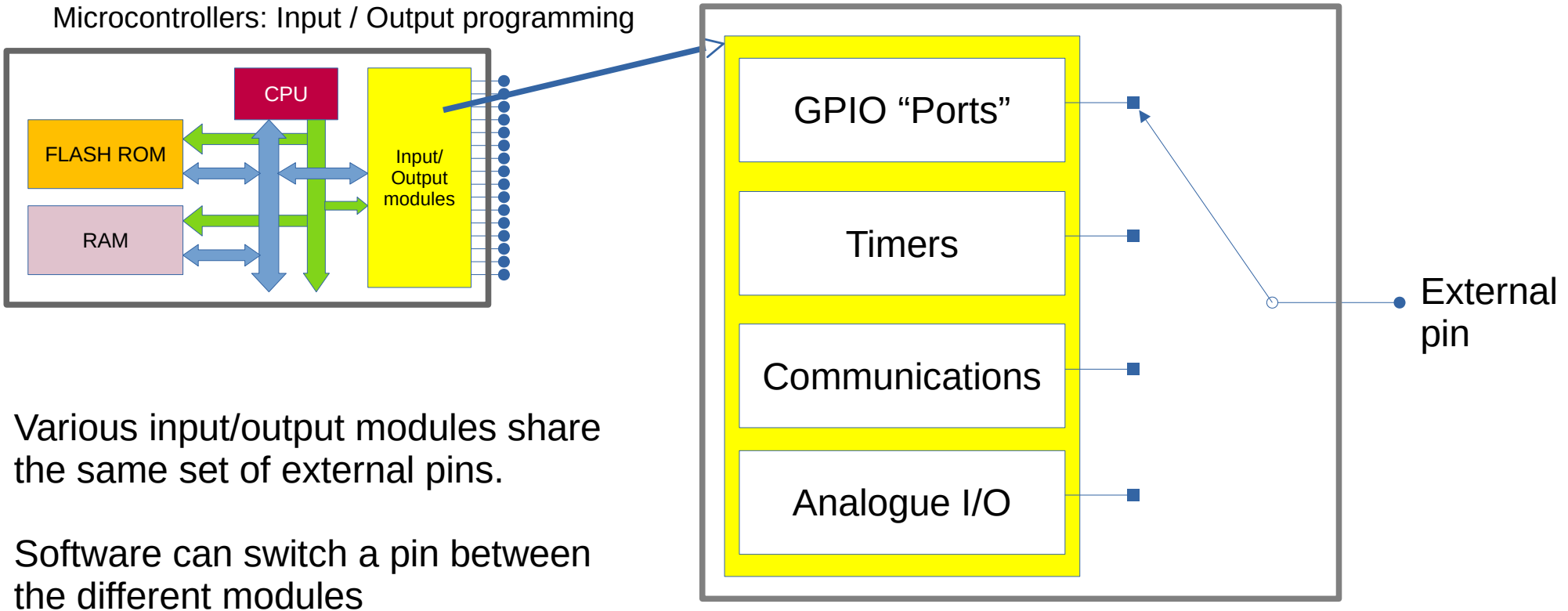

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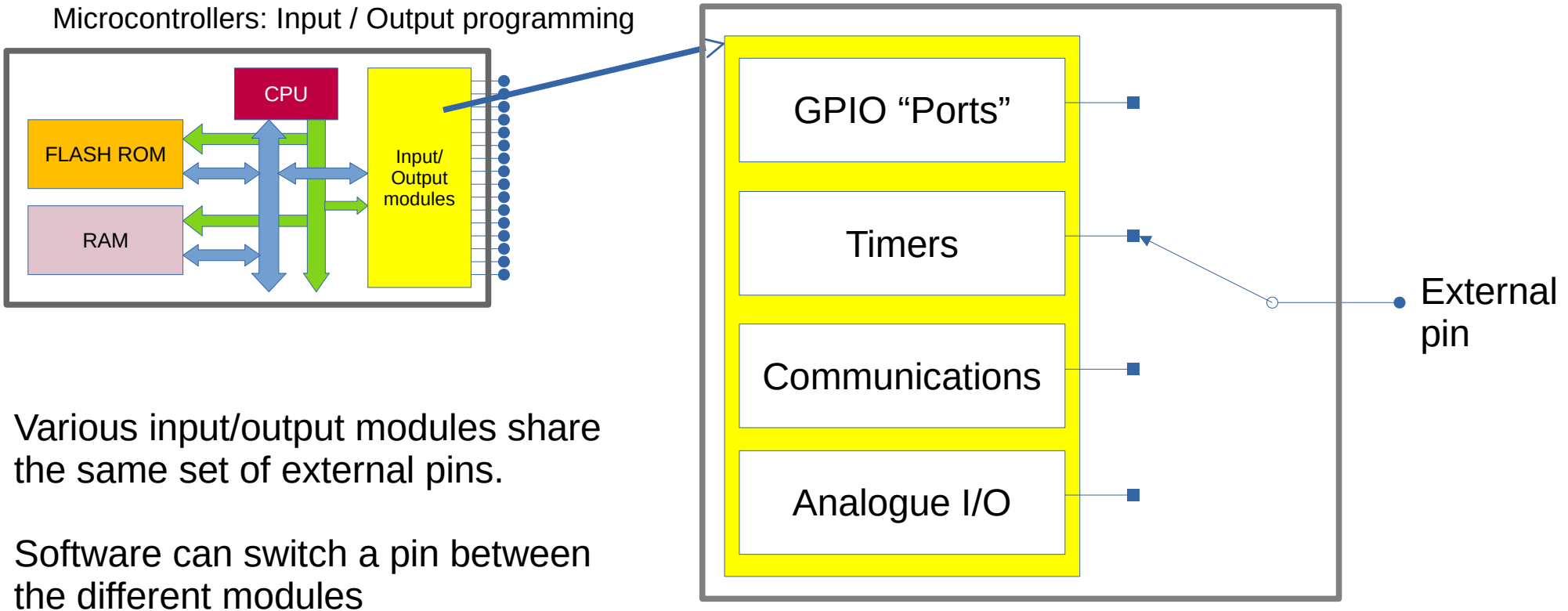

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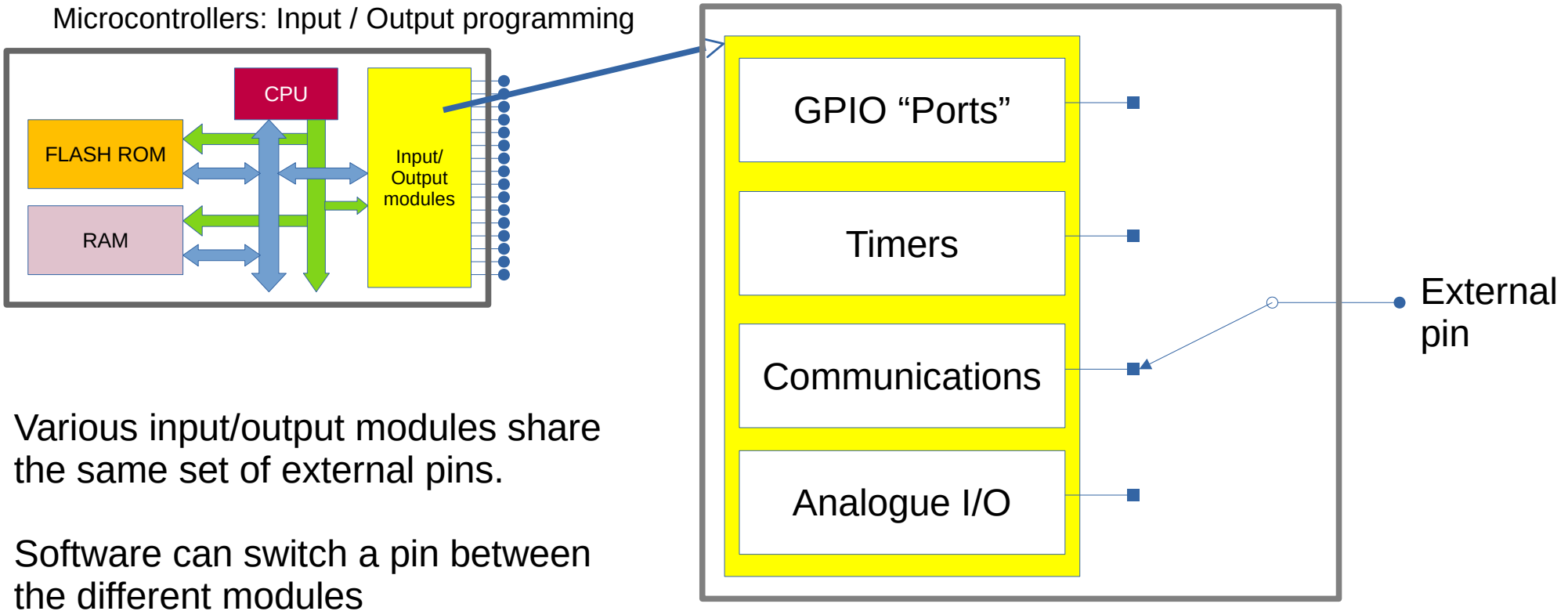

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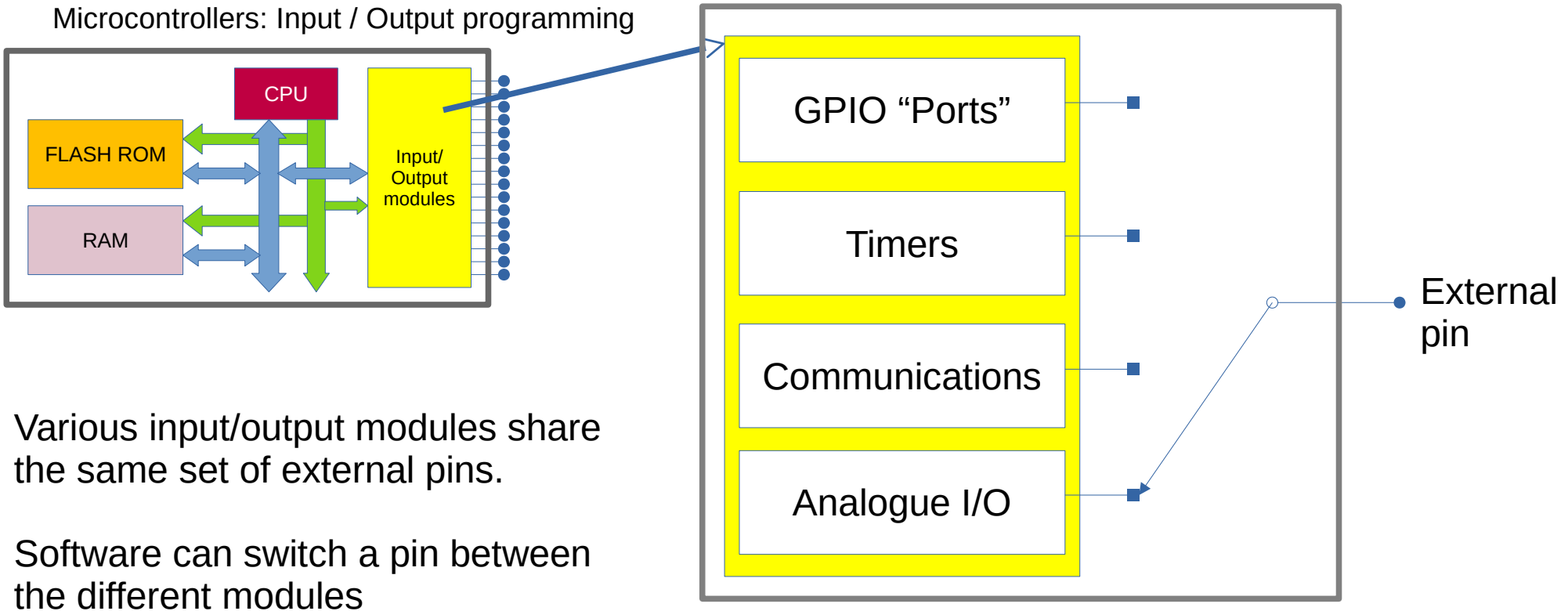

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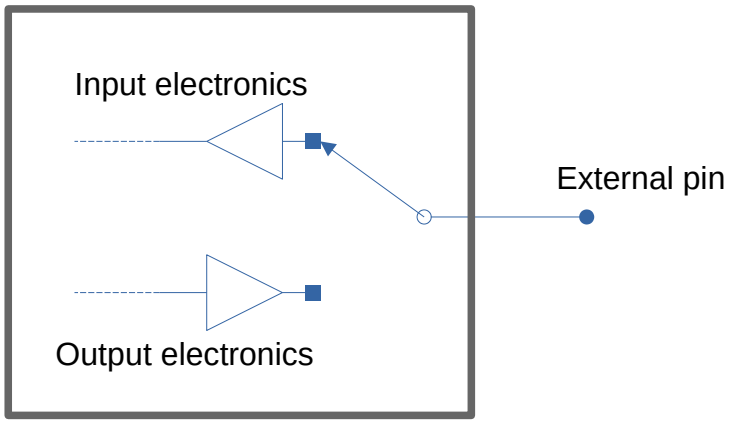
GPIO pins can be configured to be digital inputs (the default case)



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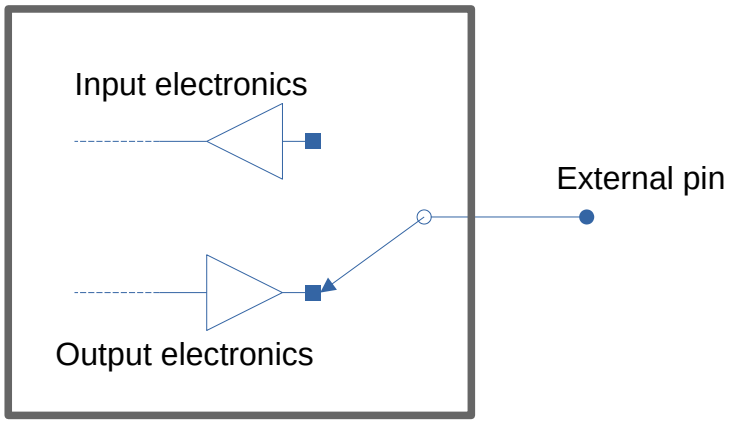

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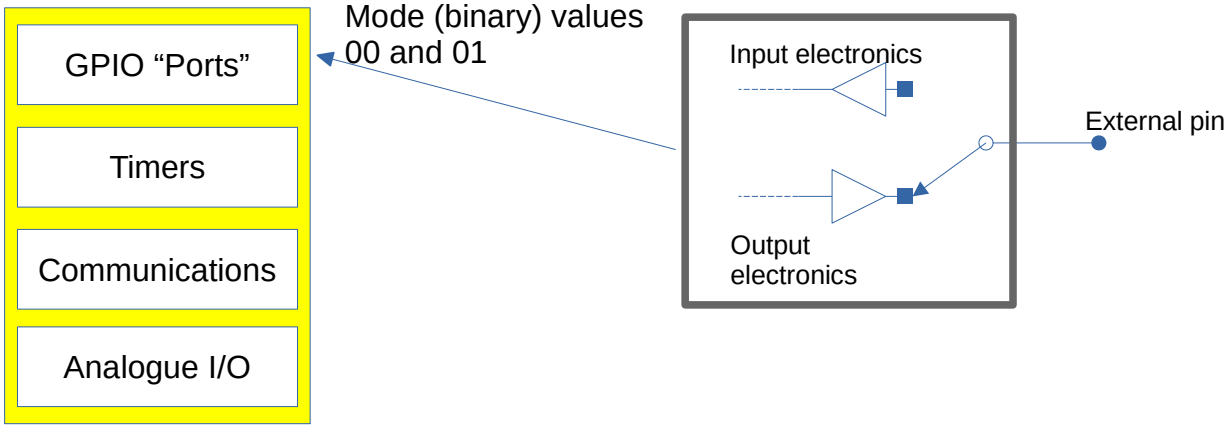

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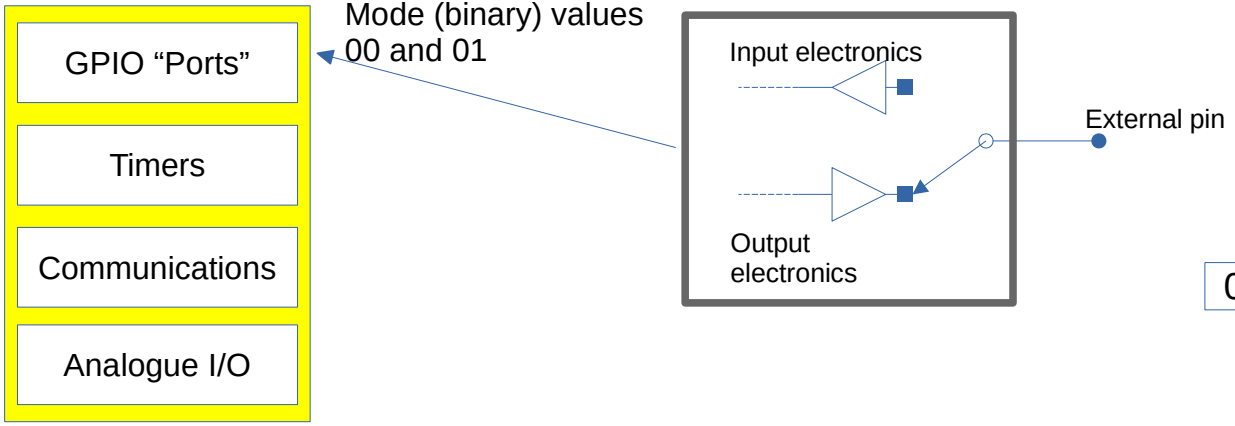

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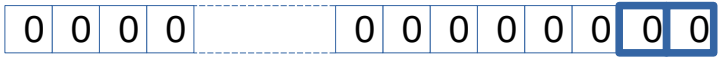

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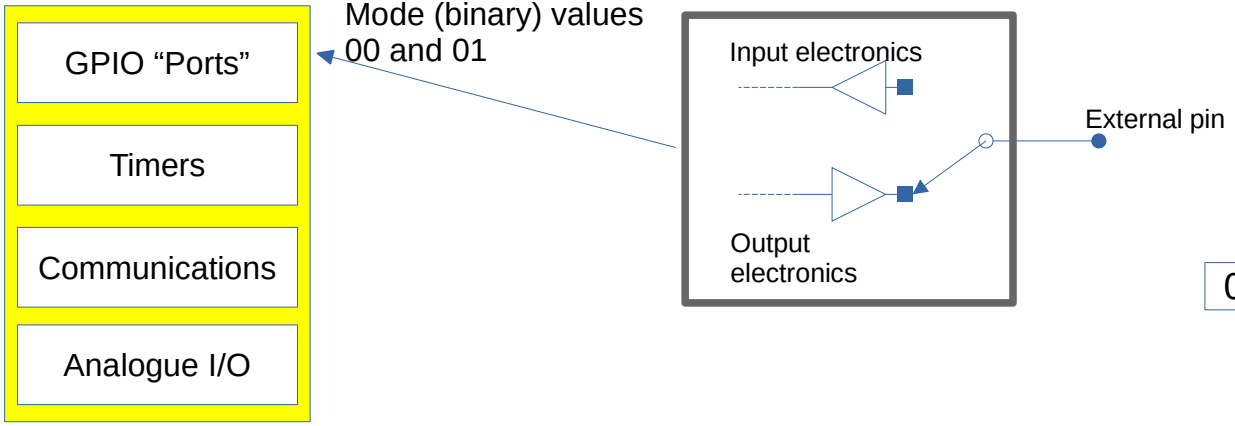

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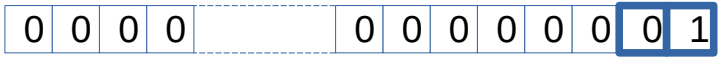

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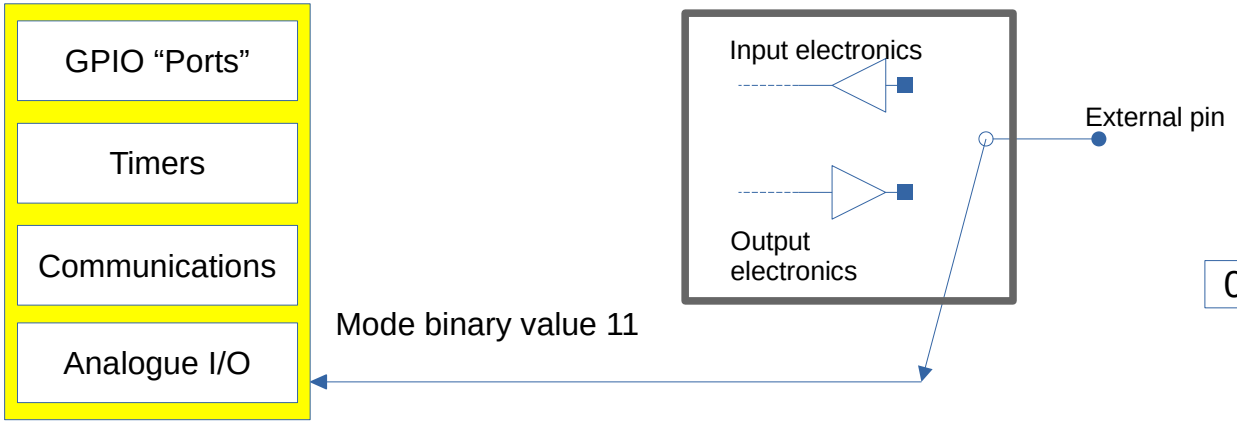

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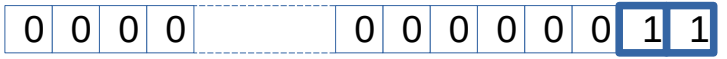

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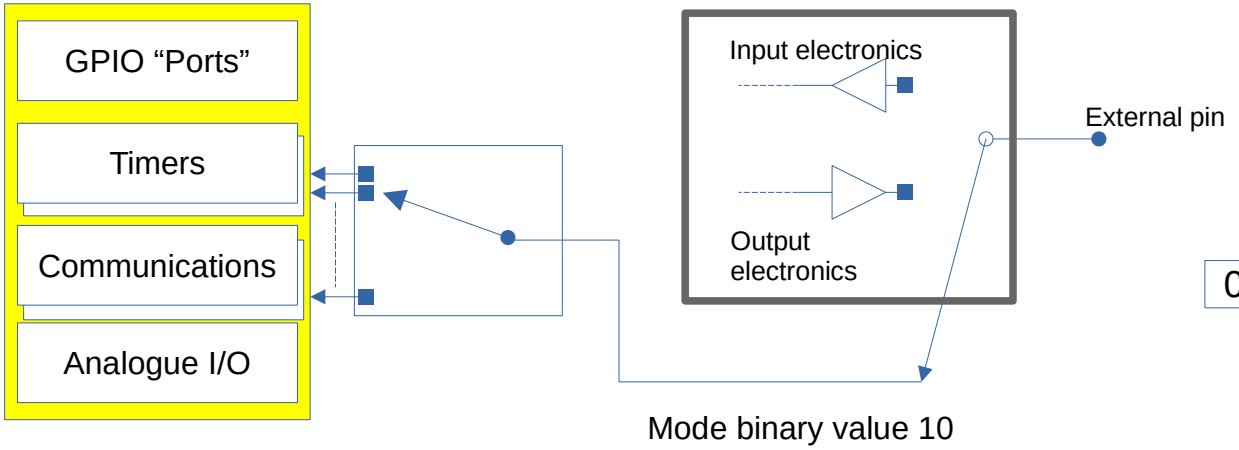

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Mode register for GPIOA

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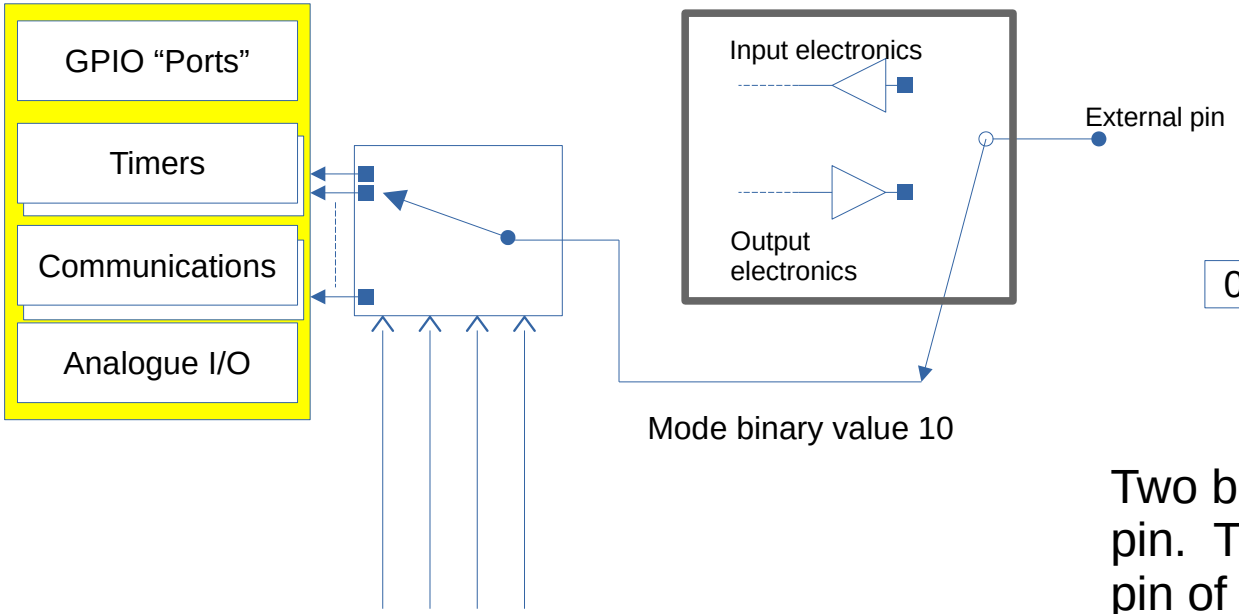

4 Further control bits for each pin in AFR[0],AFR[1]

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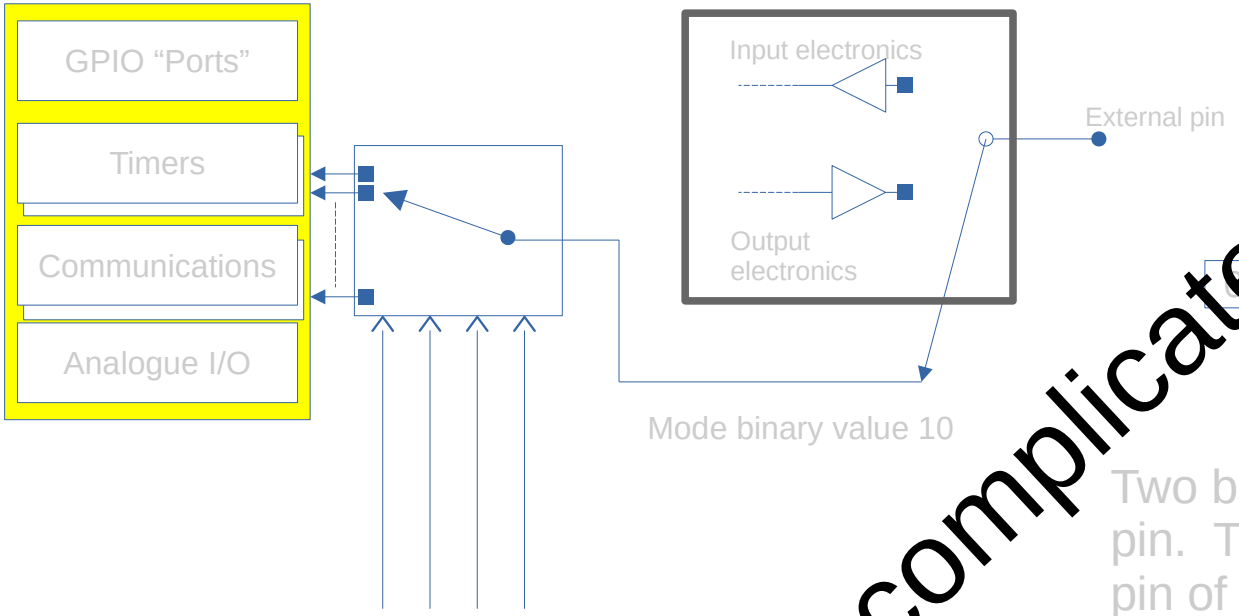

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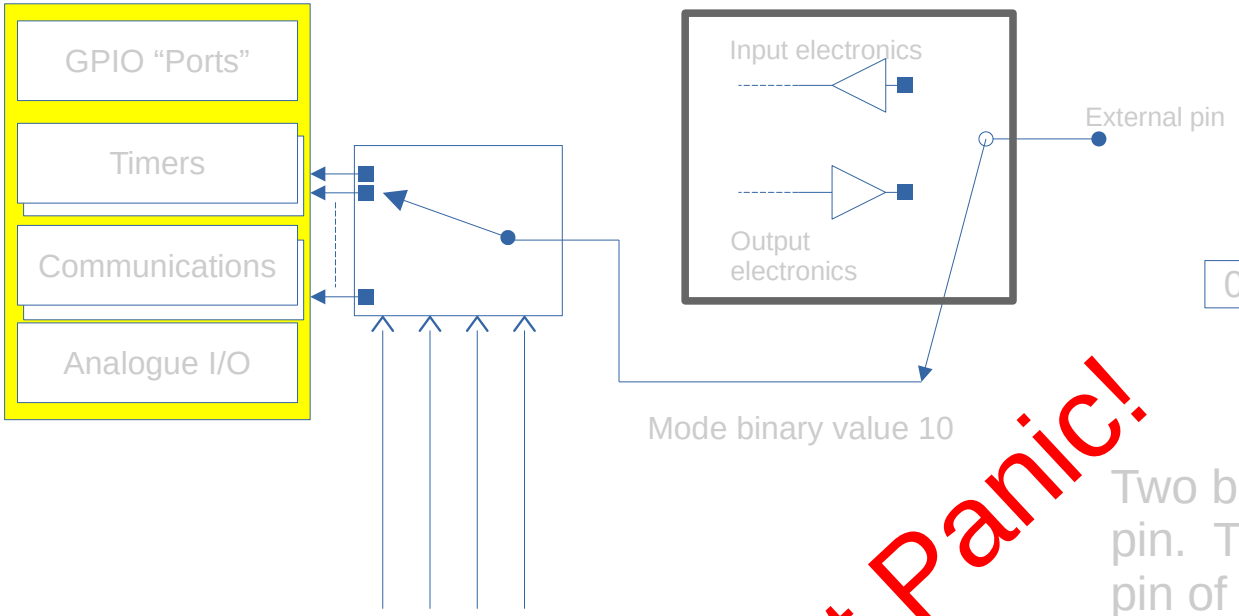

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Don’t Panic!

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We can remove the complexity and reduce the probability of error by using the helper function:

```
void pinMode(GPIO_TypeDef *Port, uint32_t BitNumber, uint32_t Mode)
{
	/*	Mode values :	0b00 = Digital input
				0b01 = Digital output
				0b10 = Alternative function
				0b11 = Analog input
	*/
	uint32_t mode_value = Port->MODER;
	Mode = Mode << (2 * BitNumber);
	mode_value = mode_value & ~(3u << (BitNumber * 2));
	mode_value = mode_value | Mode;
	Port->MODER = mode_value;
}
```

```
pinMode(GPIOA,4,1); // make PA2 a digital output

pinMode(GPIOB,7,0); // make PB7 a digital input

pinMode(GPIOC,14,2);  // assign one of the Alternate functions to PC14
                      // requires a subsequent write to AFR register
```

We will be mostly only use pins as digital inputs, outputs and analogue inputs so mostly we will use mode values of 0,1, and 3.

Controlling individual output bits

```
GPIOA->ODR  = 1;
```

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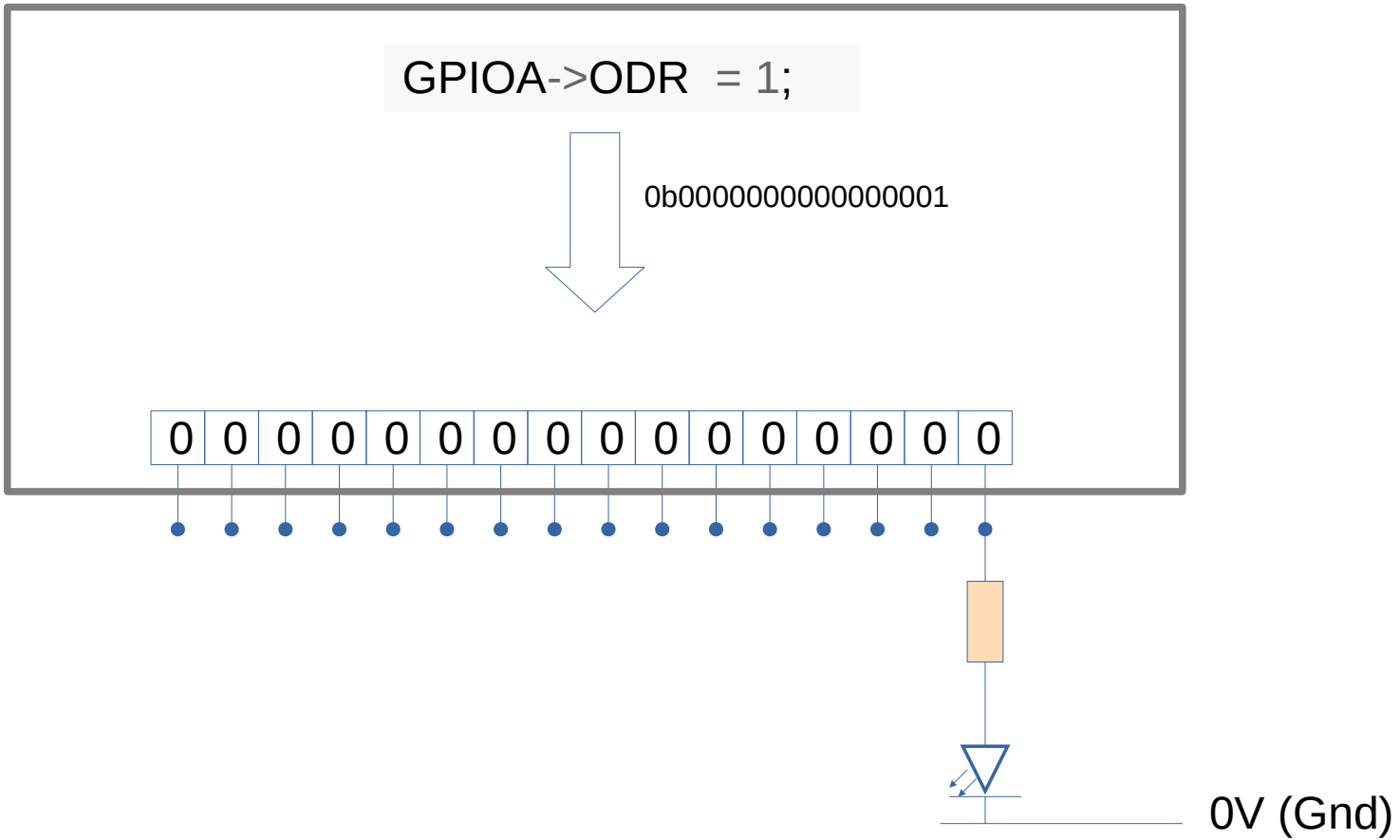

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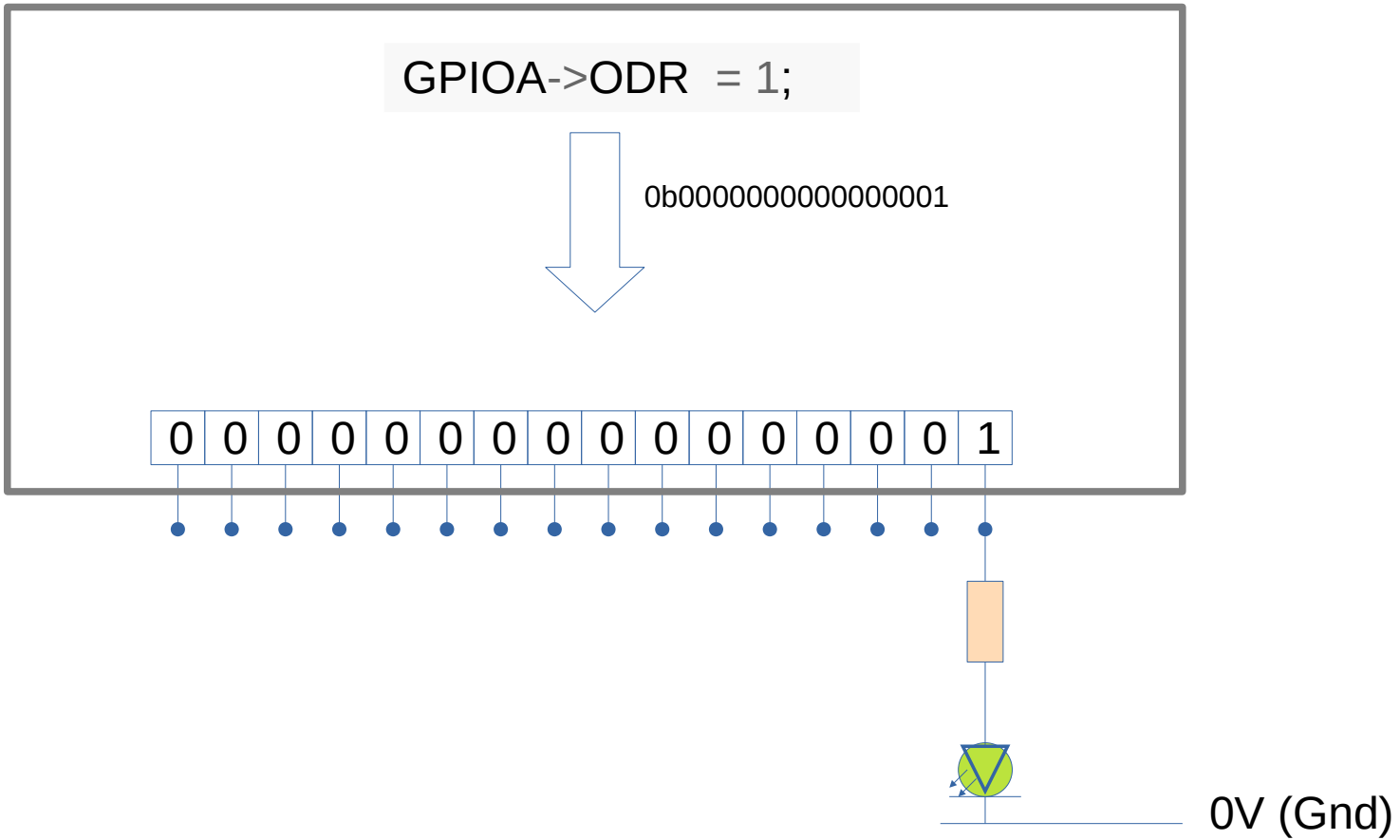

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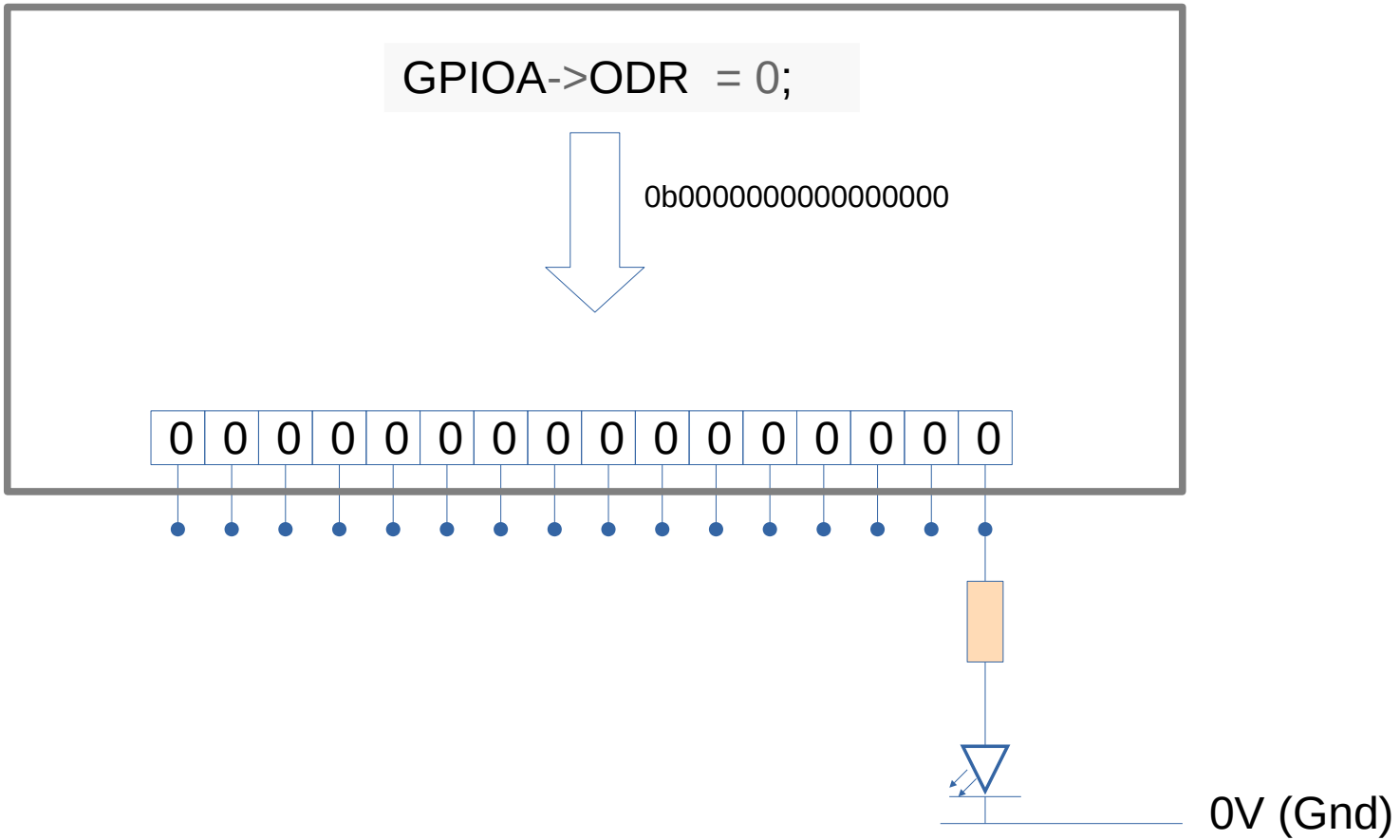

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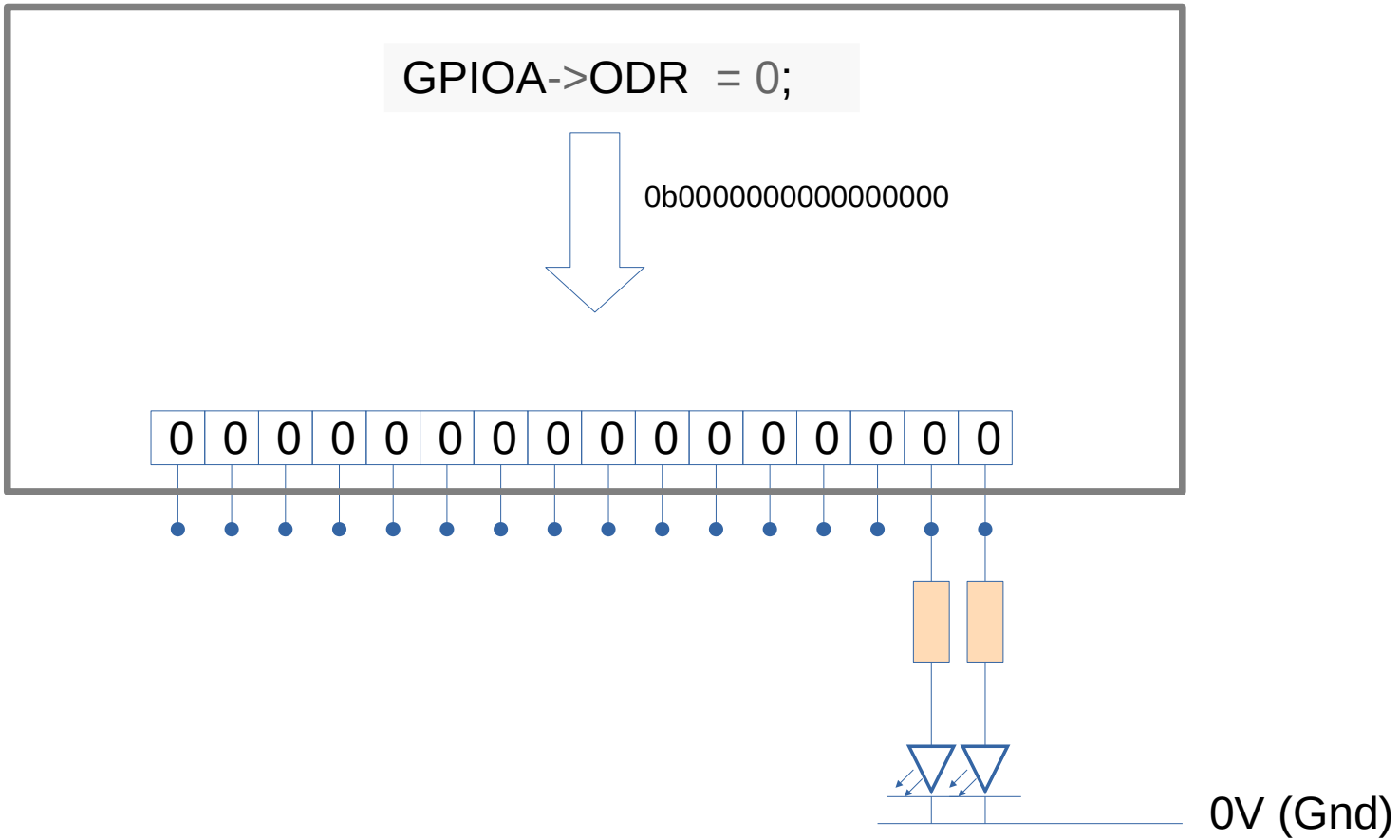

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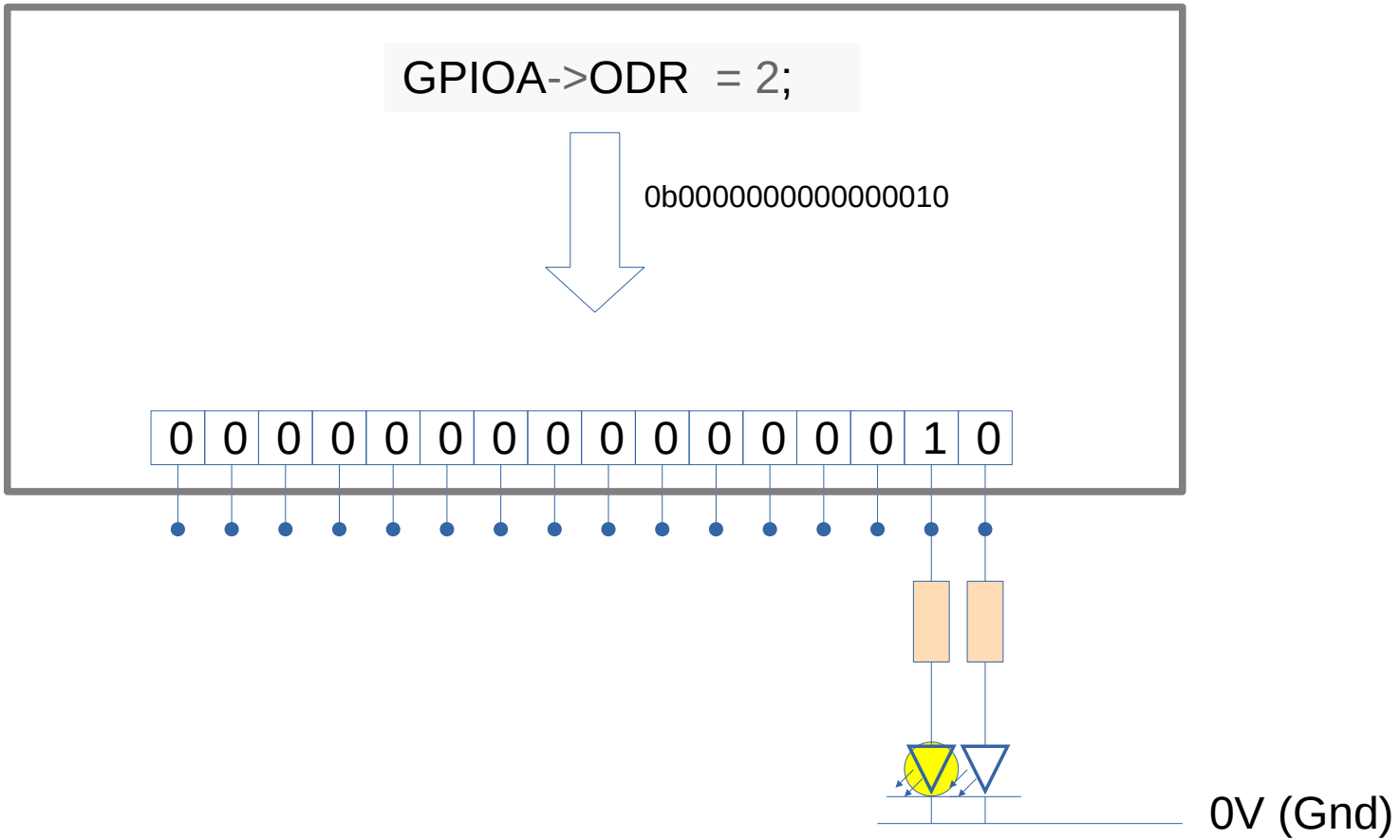

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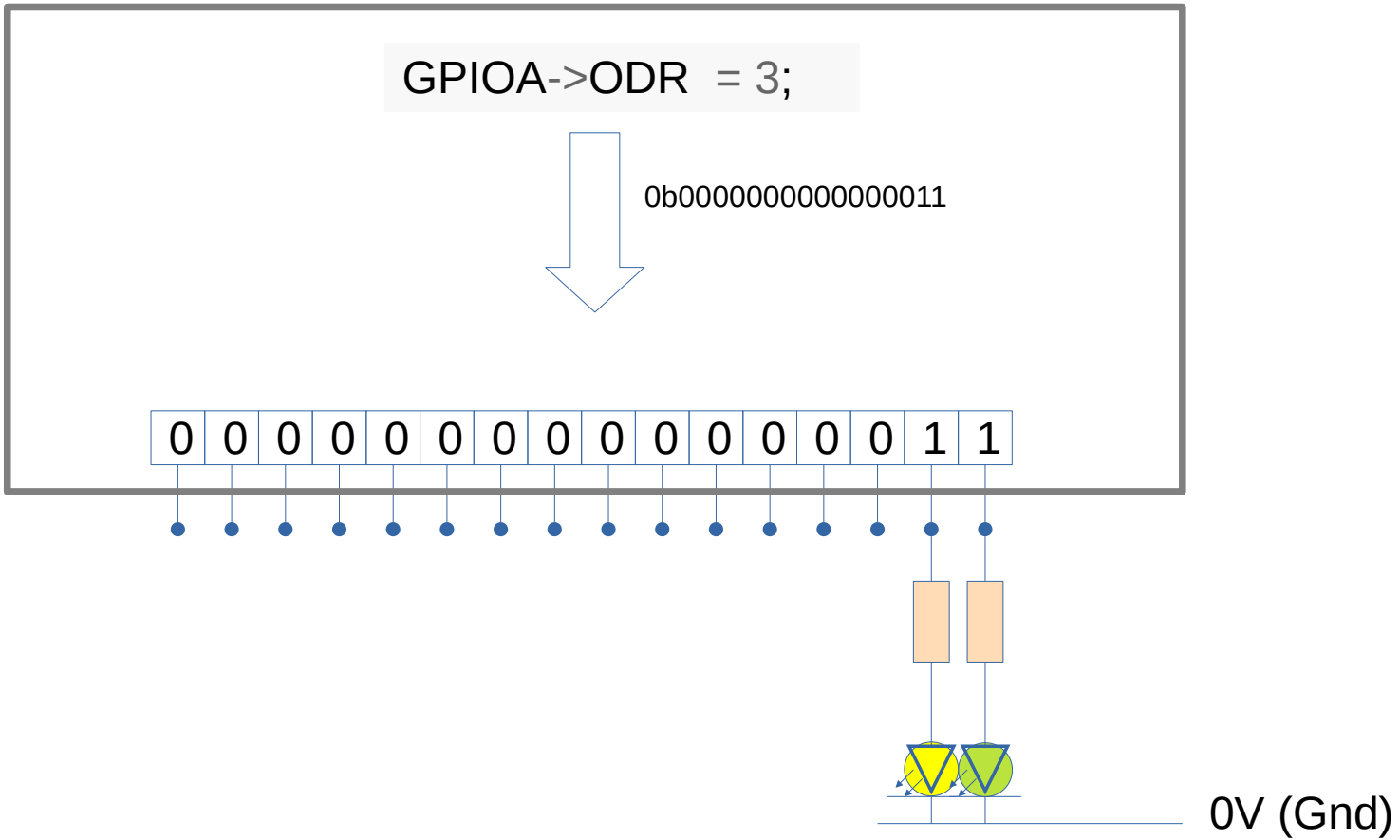
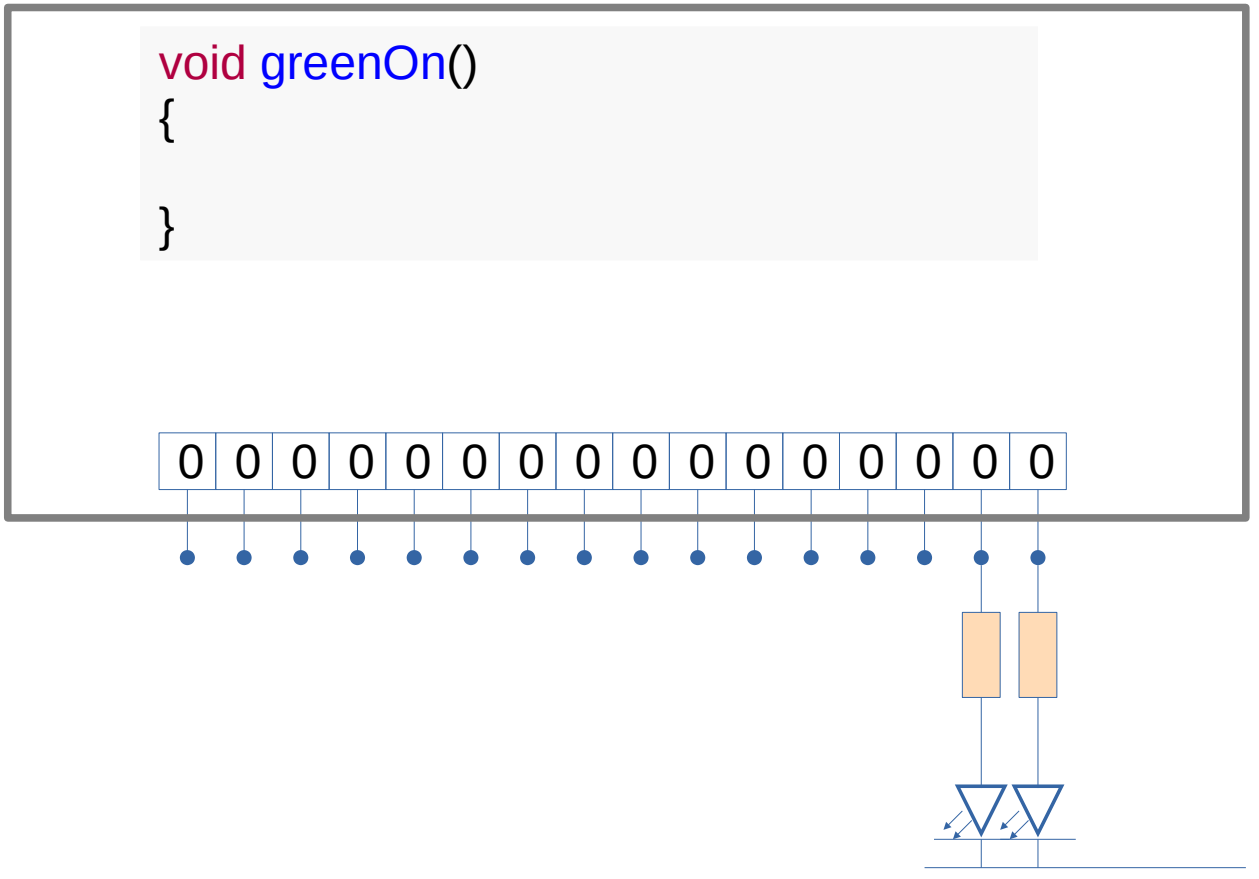


Controlling individual output bits

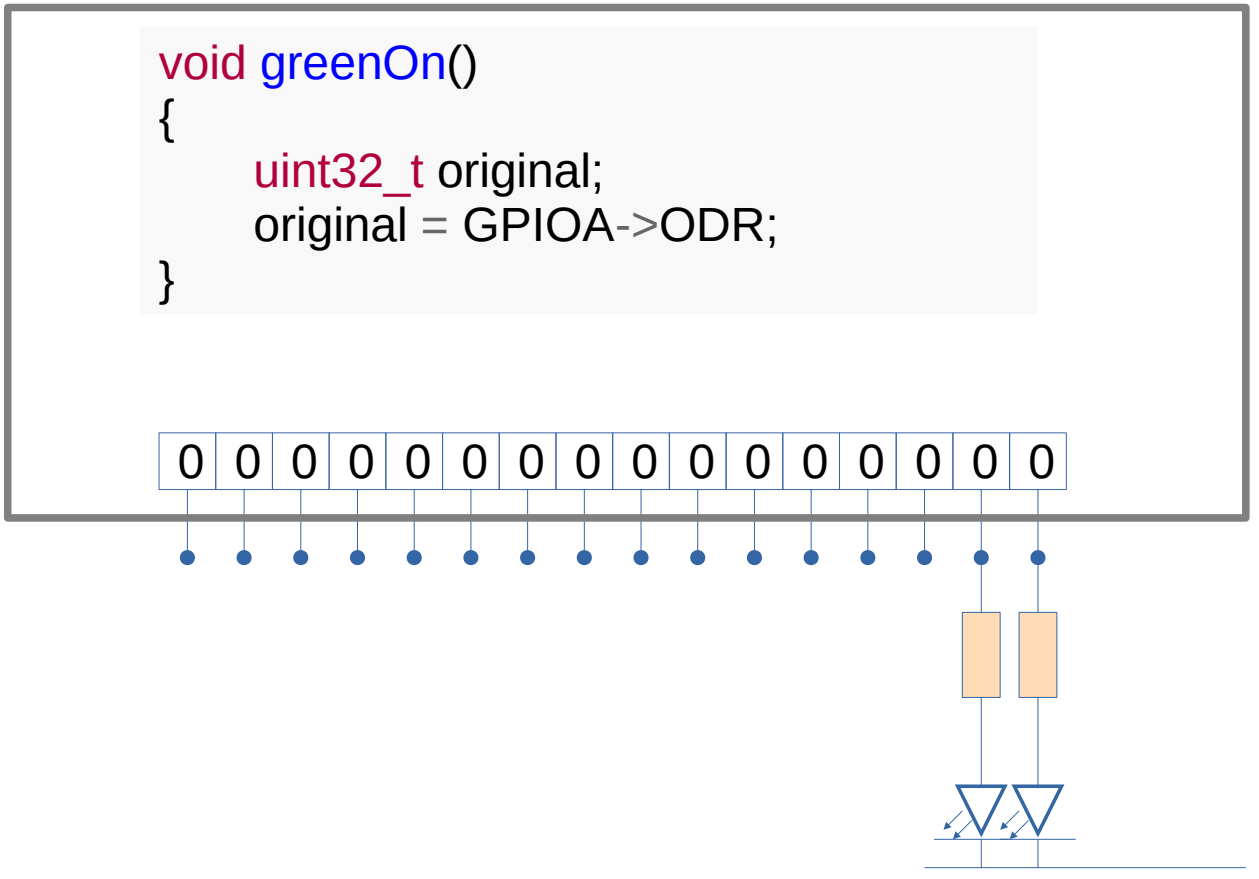
```
void greenOn()
{

}
```



Can we write a function greenOn that will turn on the green LED without affecting other bits in the ODR?

Controlling individual output bits

```
void greenOn()
{
        uint32_t original;
        original = GPIOA->ODR;
}
```



Approach: Read the current value in ODR.

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```
void greenOn()
{
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}
```
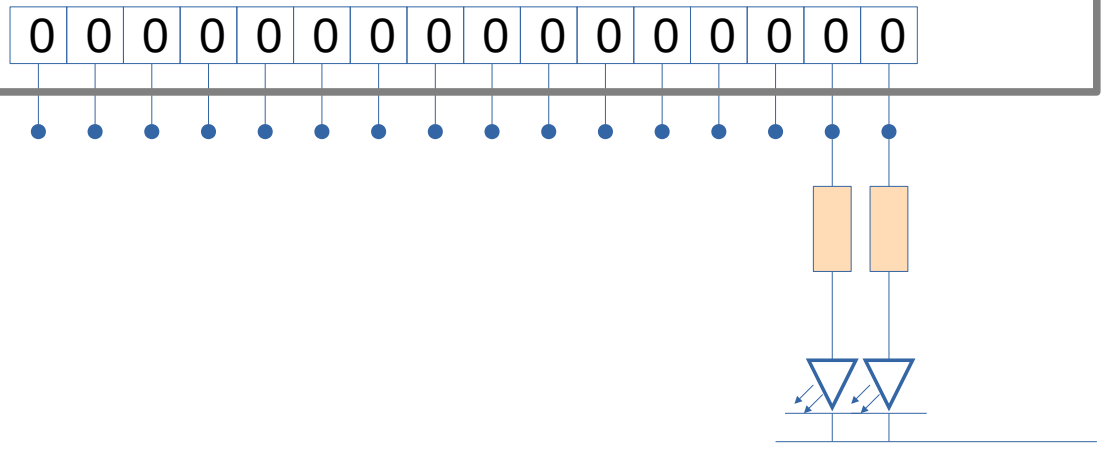

Perform a bitwise OR



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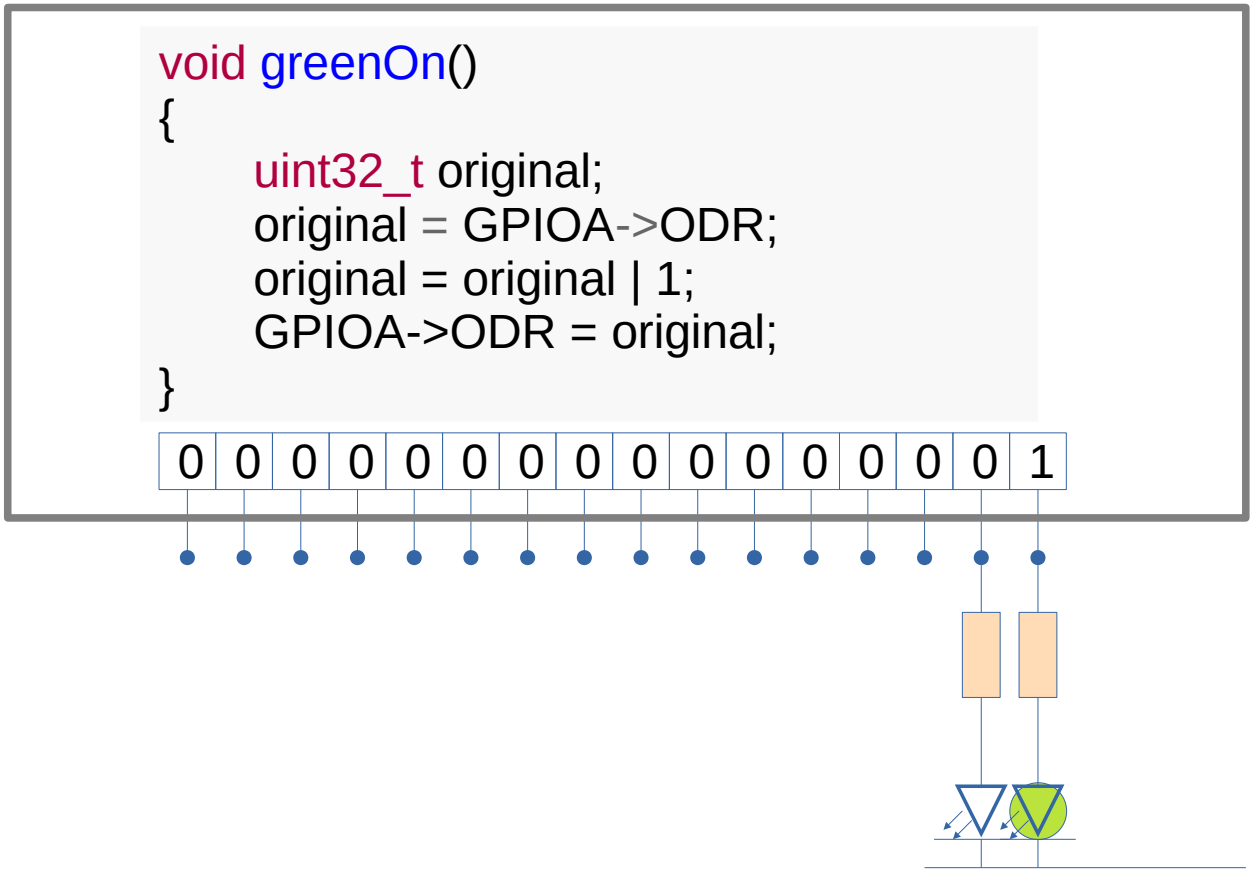

Write the result back to ODR

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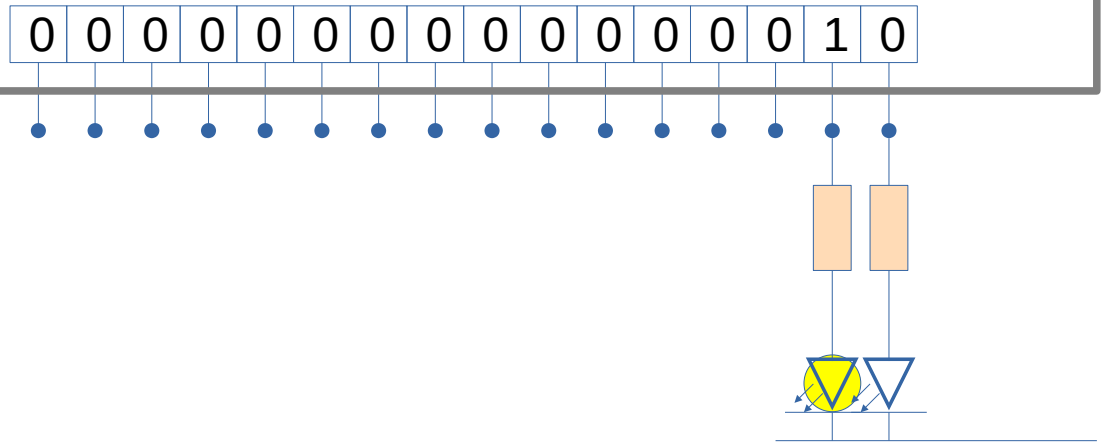

What if the yellow LED was previously on?

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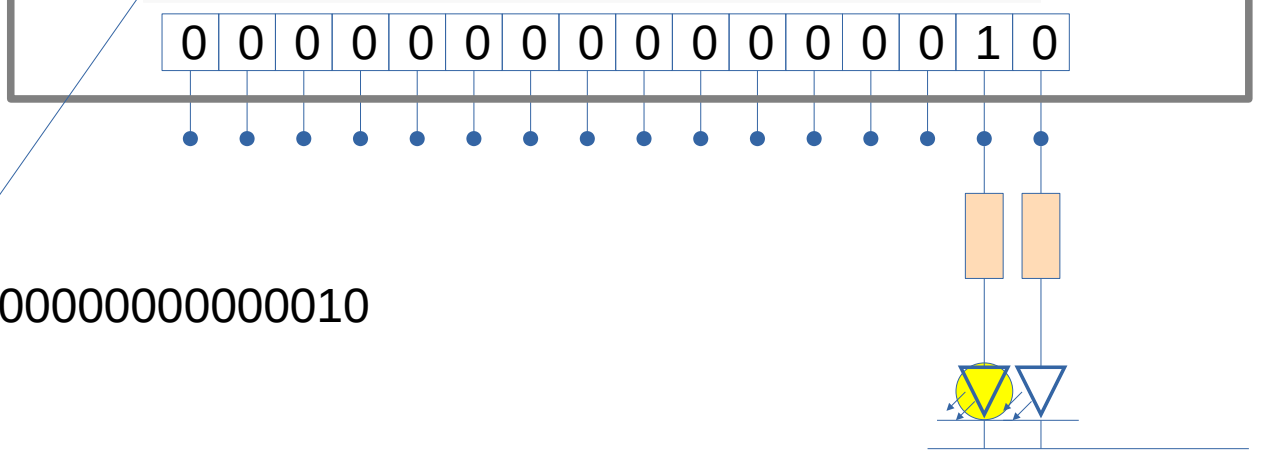

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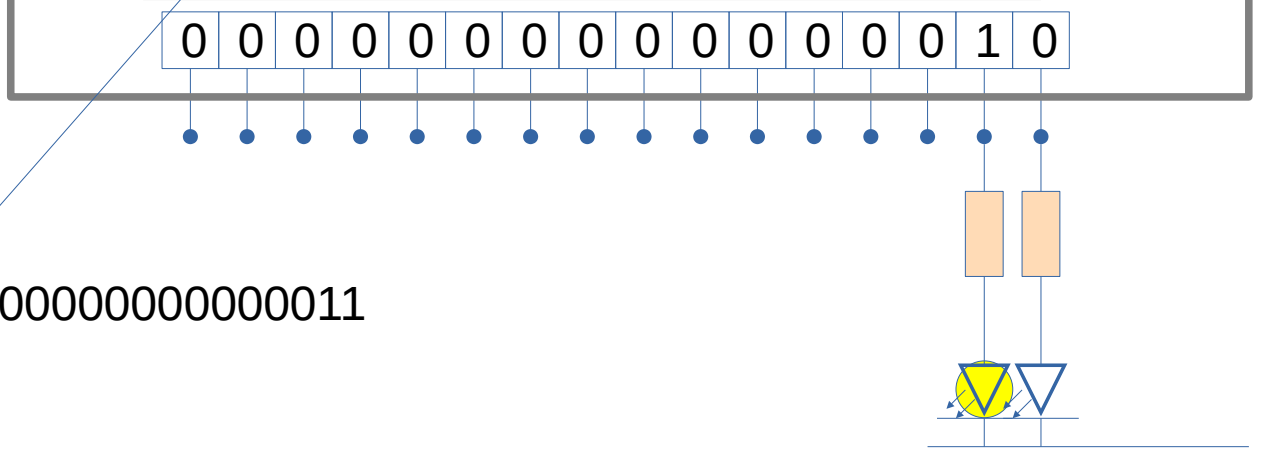

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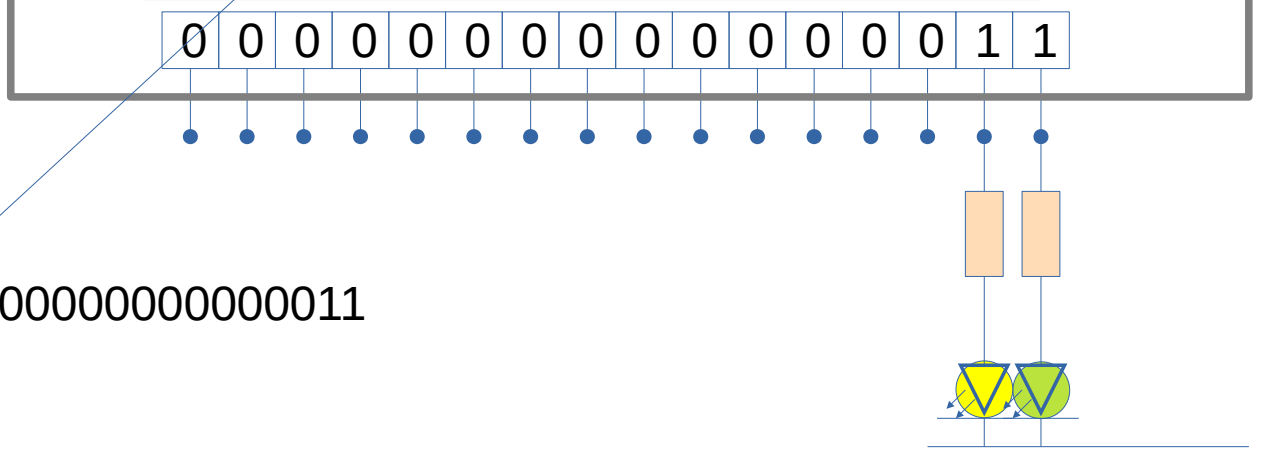
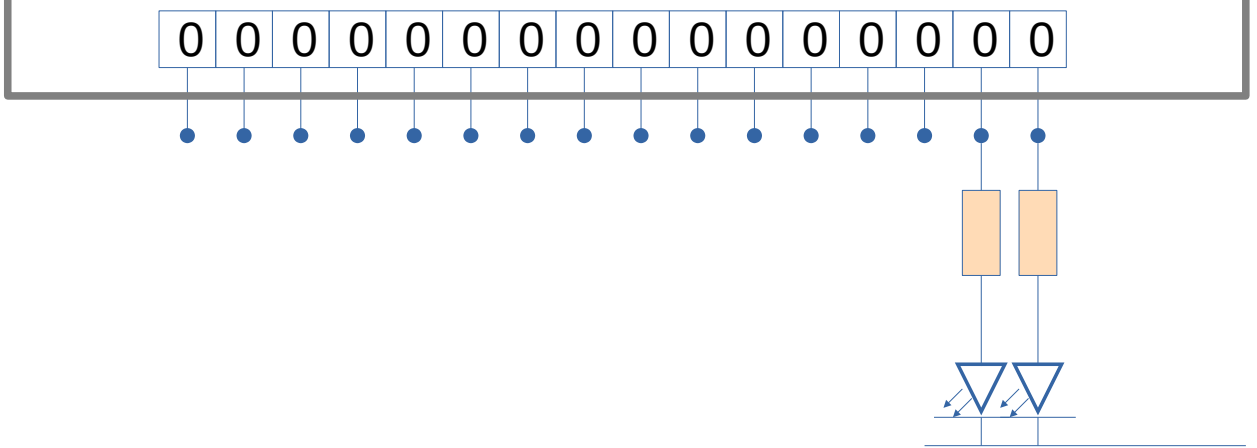


We can turn the green LED on without affecting the yellow LED or other outputs.

Controlling individual output bits

```
void yellowOn()
{
        uint32_t original;
        original = GPIOA->ODR;
        original = original | 2;
        GPIOA->ODR = original;
}
```



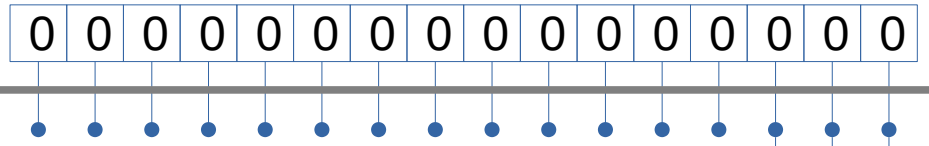
A similar function can be written for the yellow LED.

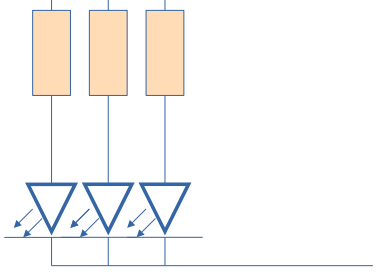
The only difference is this **value**

Controlling individual output bits

```
void redOn()
{
        uint32_t original;
        original = GPIOA->ODR;
        original = original | ??;
        GPIOA->ODR = original;
}
```

What value do we use for the next LED?





0V (Gnd)

Controlling individual output bits

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void redOn()
{
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	original = original | 4;
	GPIOA->ODR = original;
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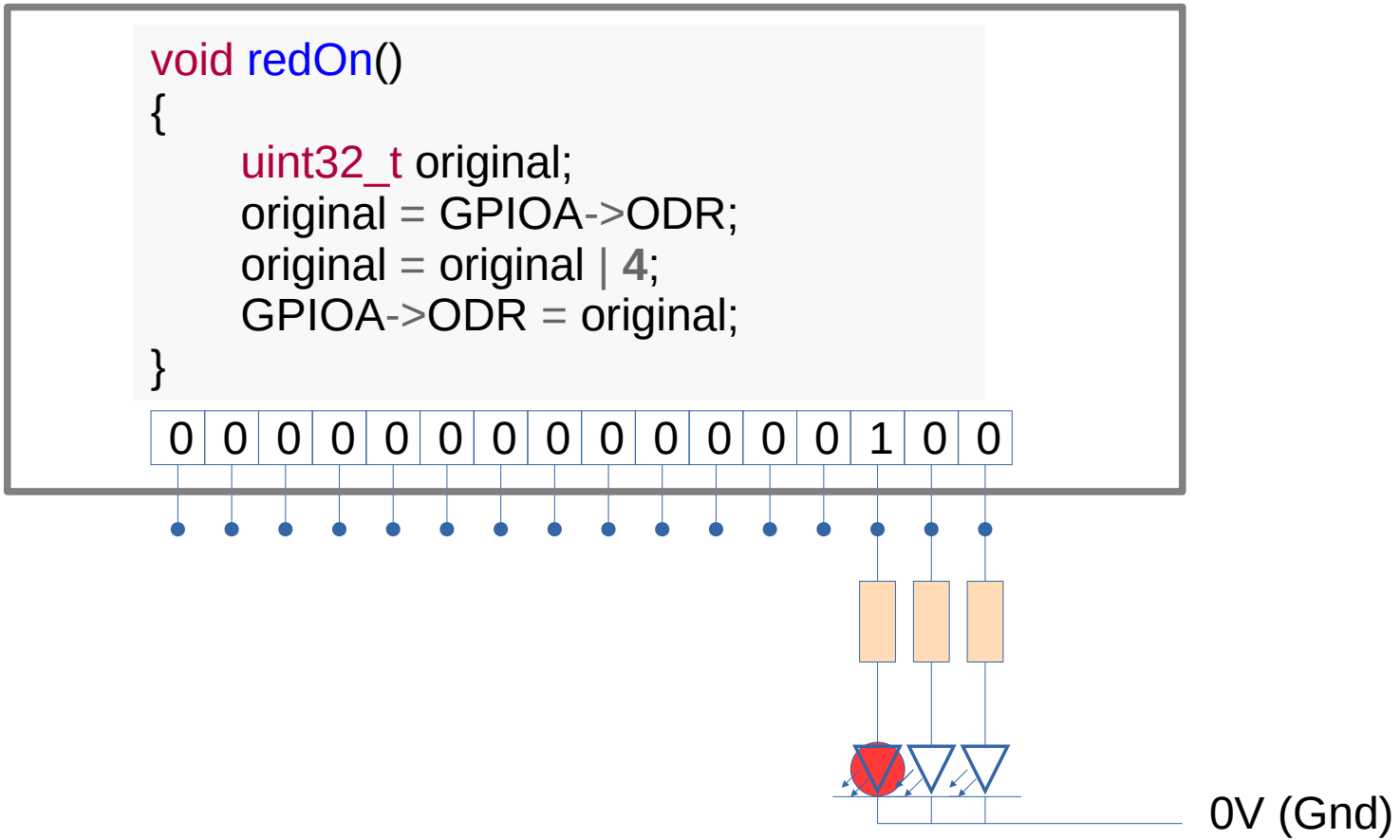

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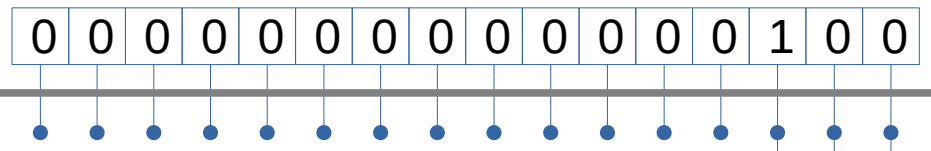
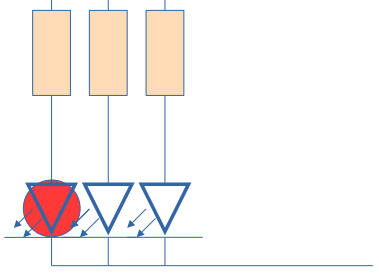


These values are usually called **masks**



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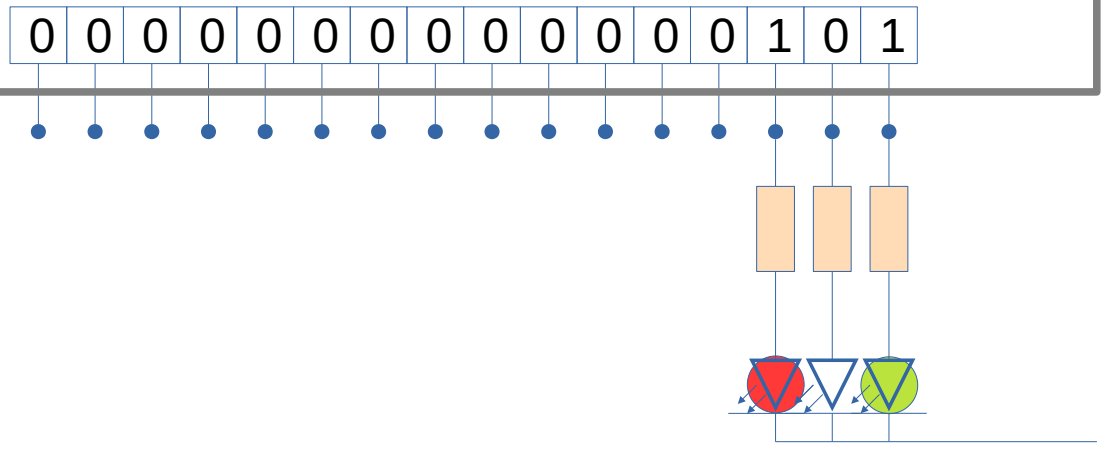

What changes is we want to turn off an LED?

Controlling individual output bits

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}
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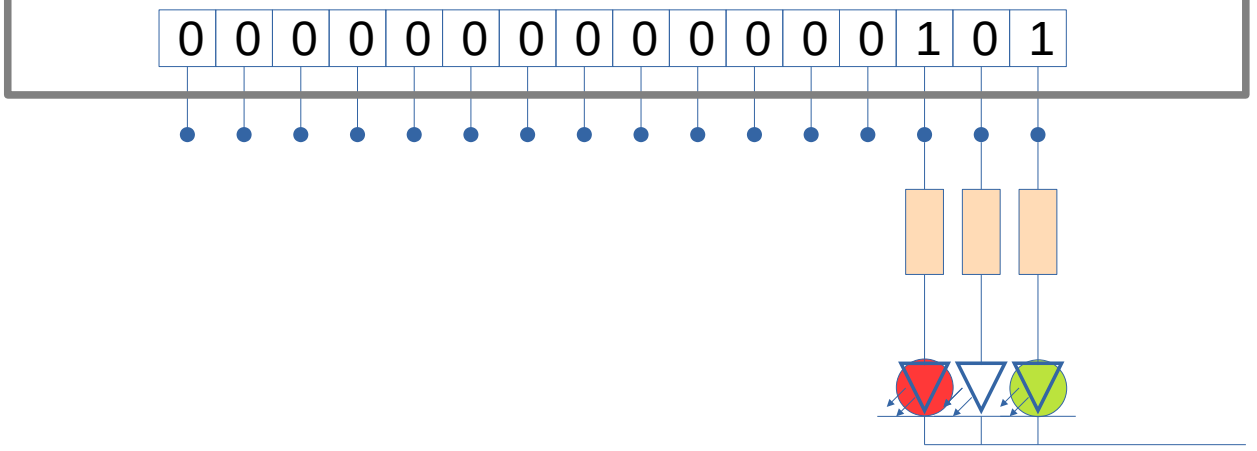

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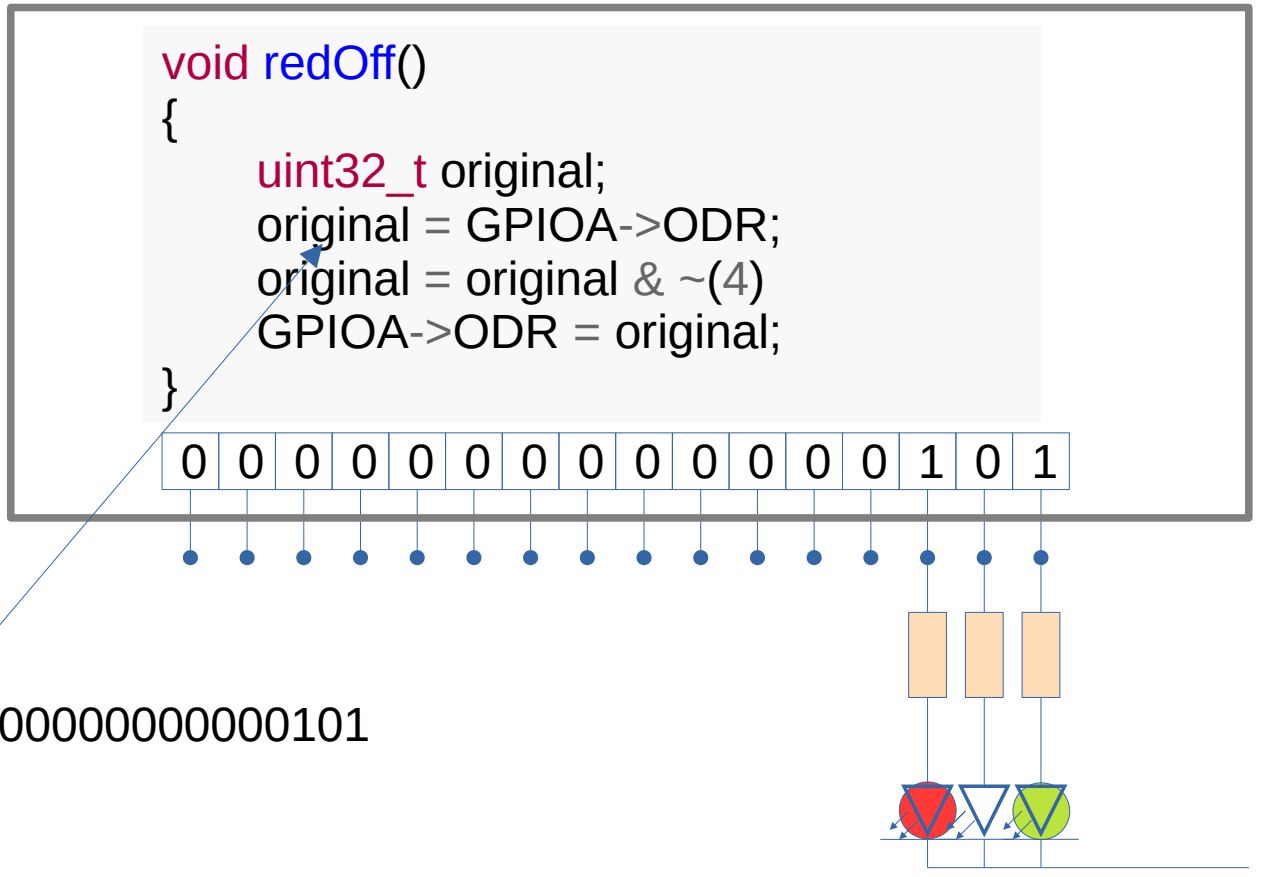

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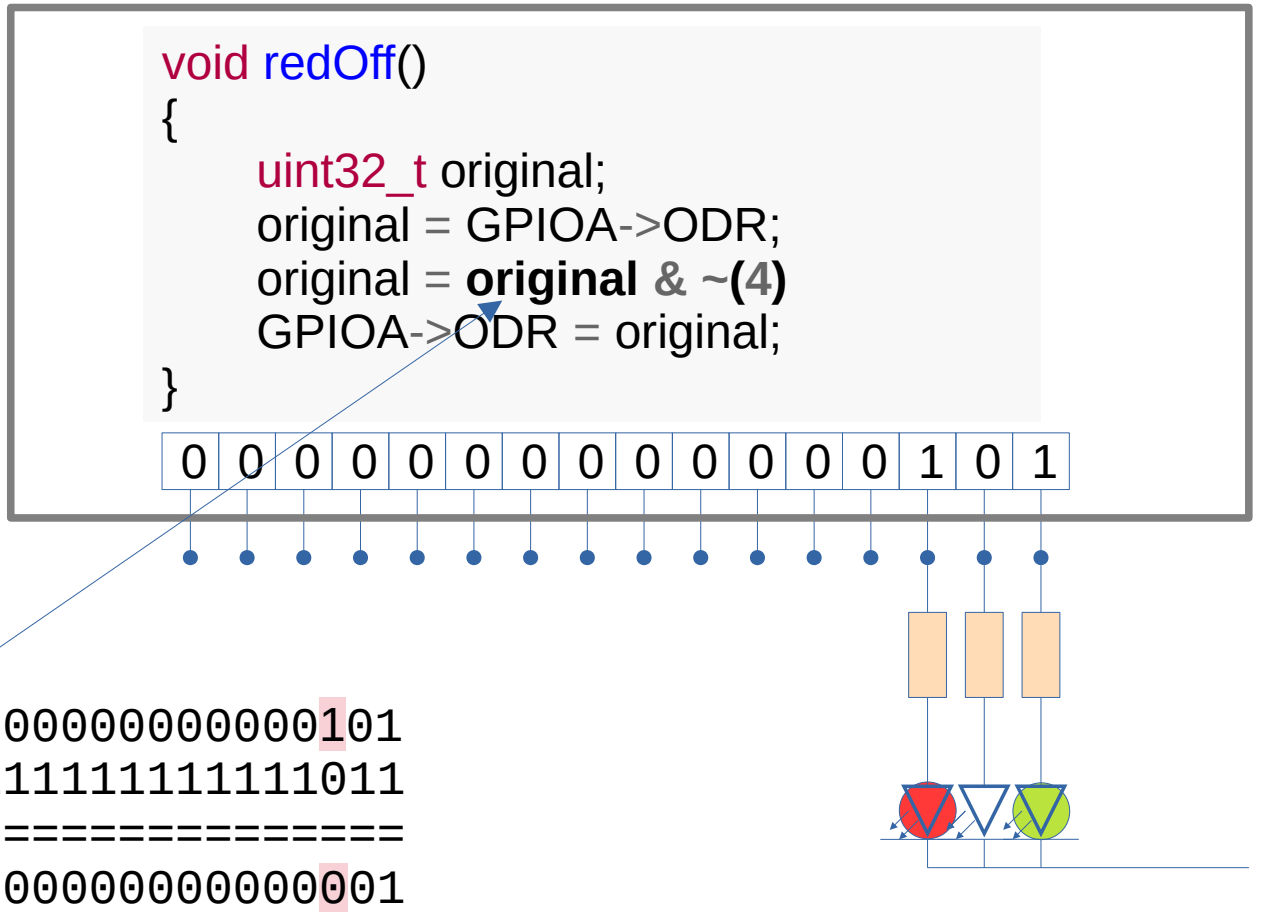

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   1111111111111011
   ================
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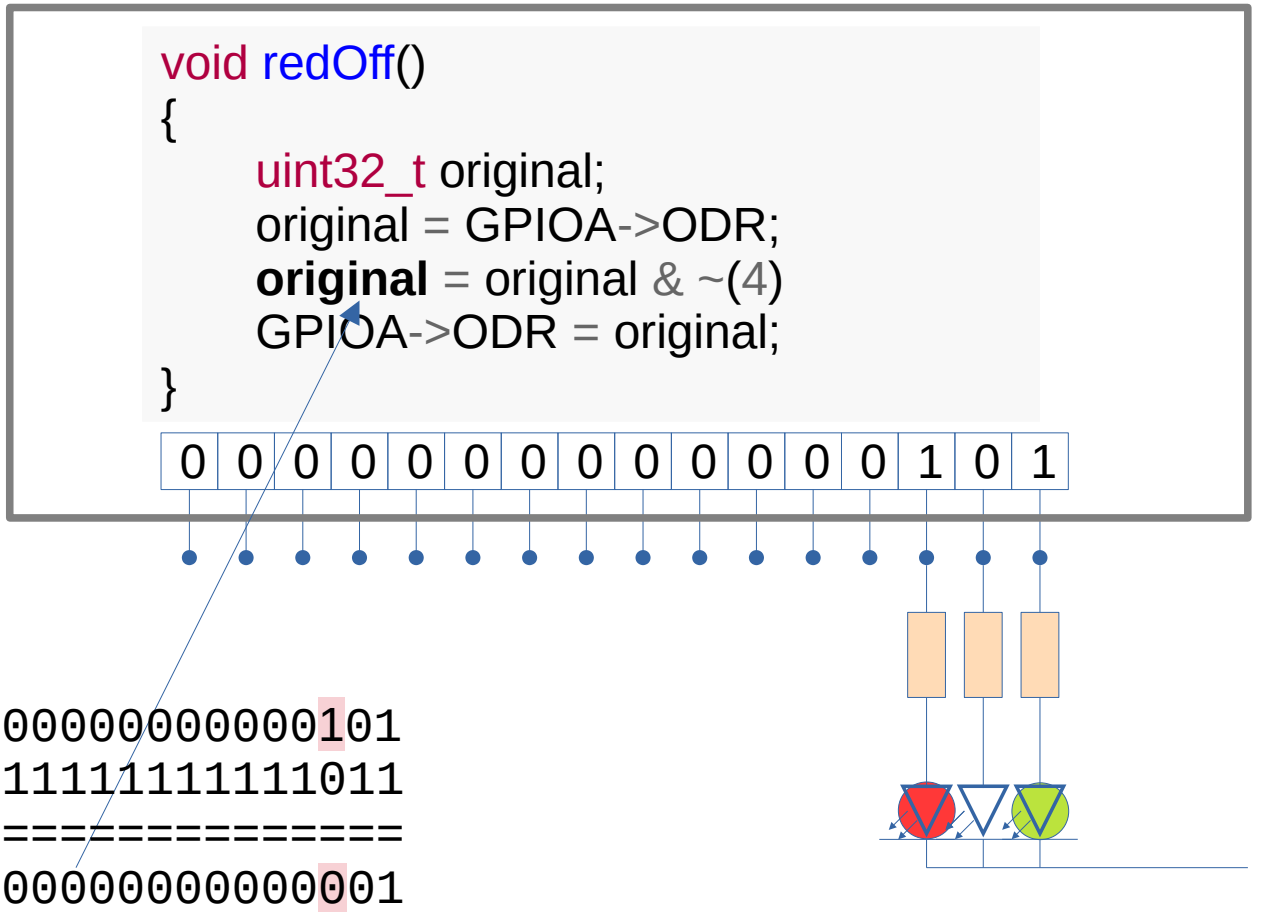

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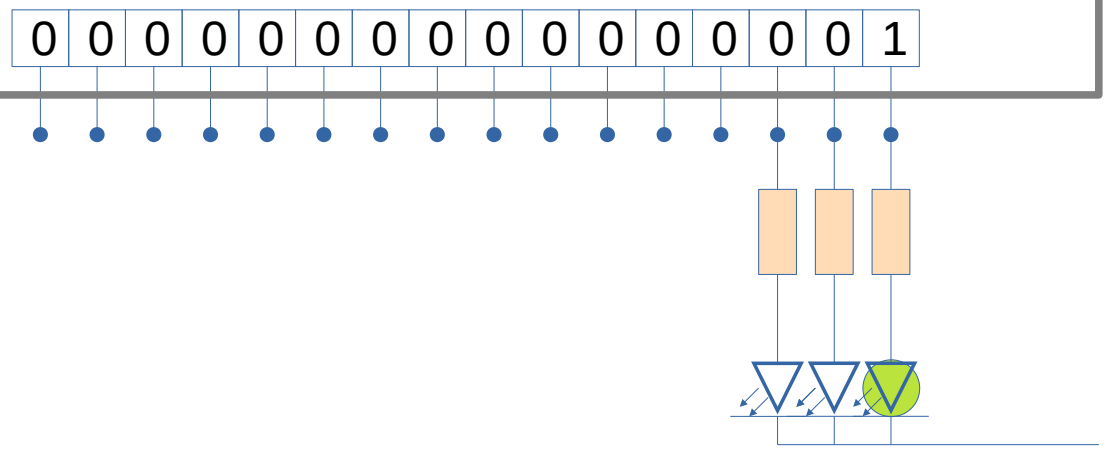

To set a particular bit in the output register:
Read the ODR
OR it with a mask
Write back to ODR

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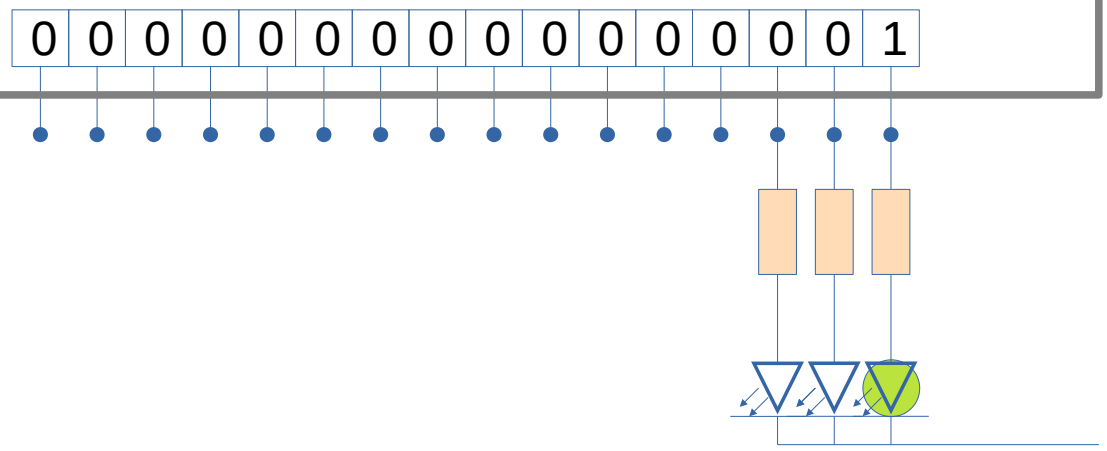
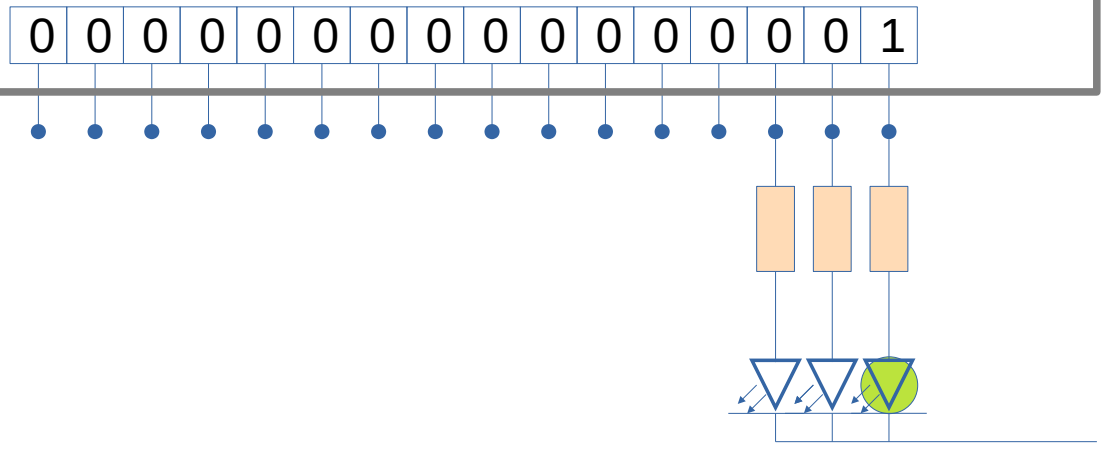


To clear a particular bit in the output register:
Read the ODR
AND it with an inverted mask
Write back to ODR

Controlling individual output bits

```
void redOff()
{
        uint32_t original;
        original = GPIOA->ODR;
        original = original & ~(4)
        GPIOA->ODR = original;
}
```



Green LED mask : 1
Yellow LED mask : 2
Red LED mask : 4

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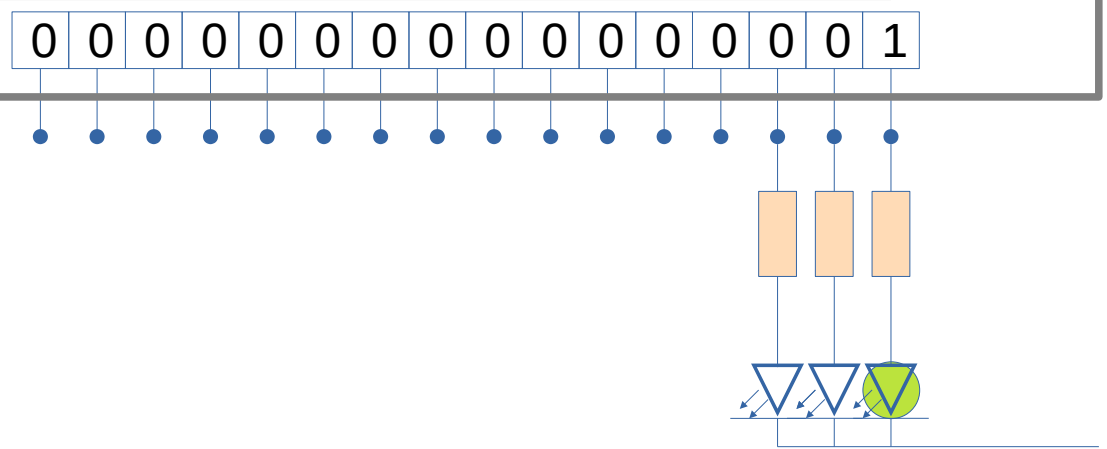


The mask value for a bit N is:

2^N

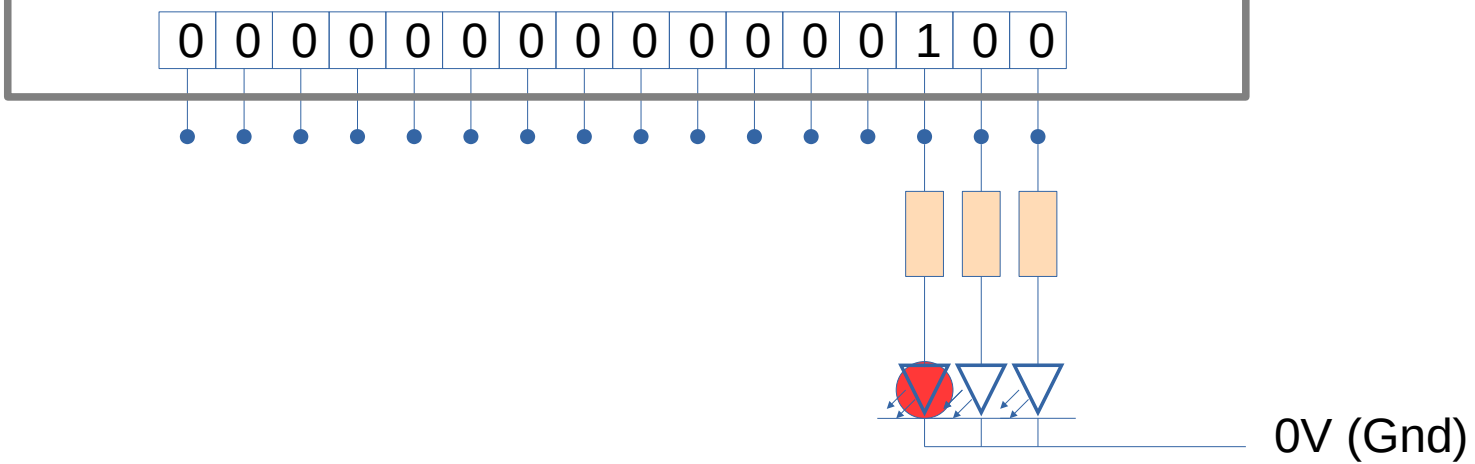
We can express this in C most efficiently as

(1 << N)

Controlling individual output bits

```
void redOn()
{
	GPIOA->ODR = GPIOA->ODR | (1 << 2);
}
```

Written in a more compact form



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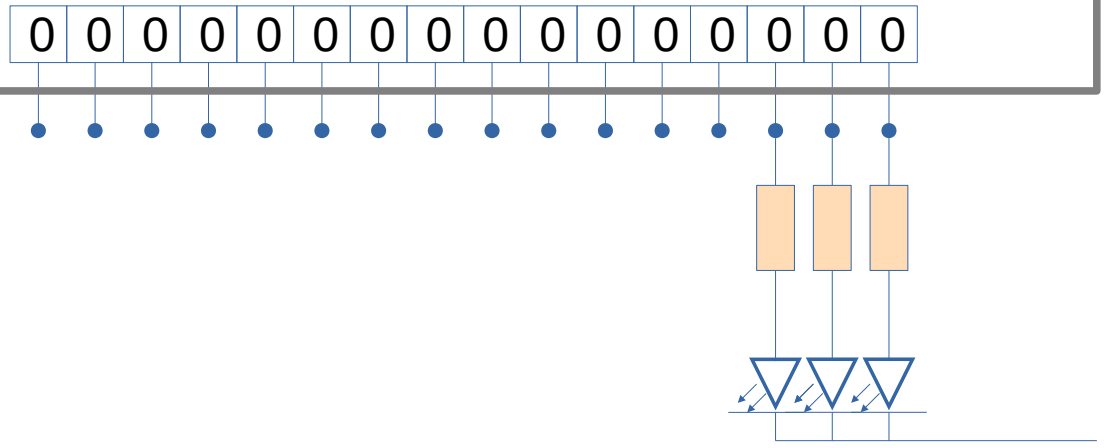
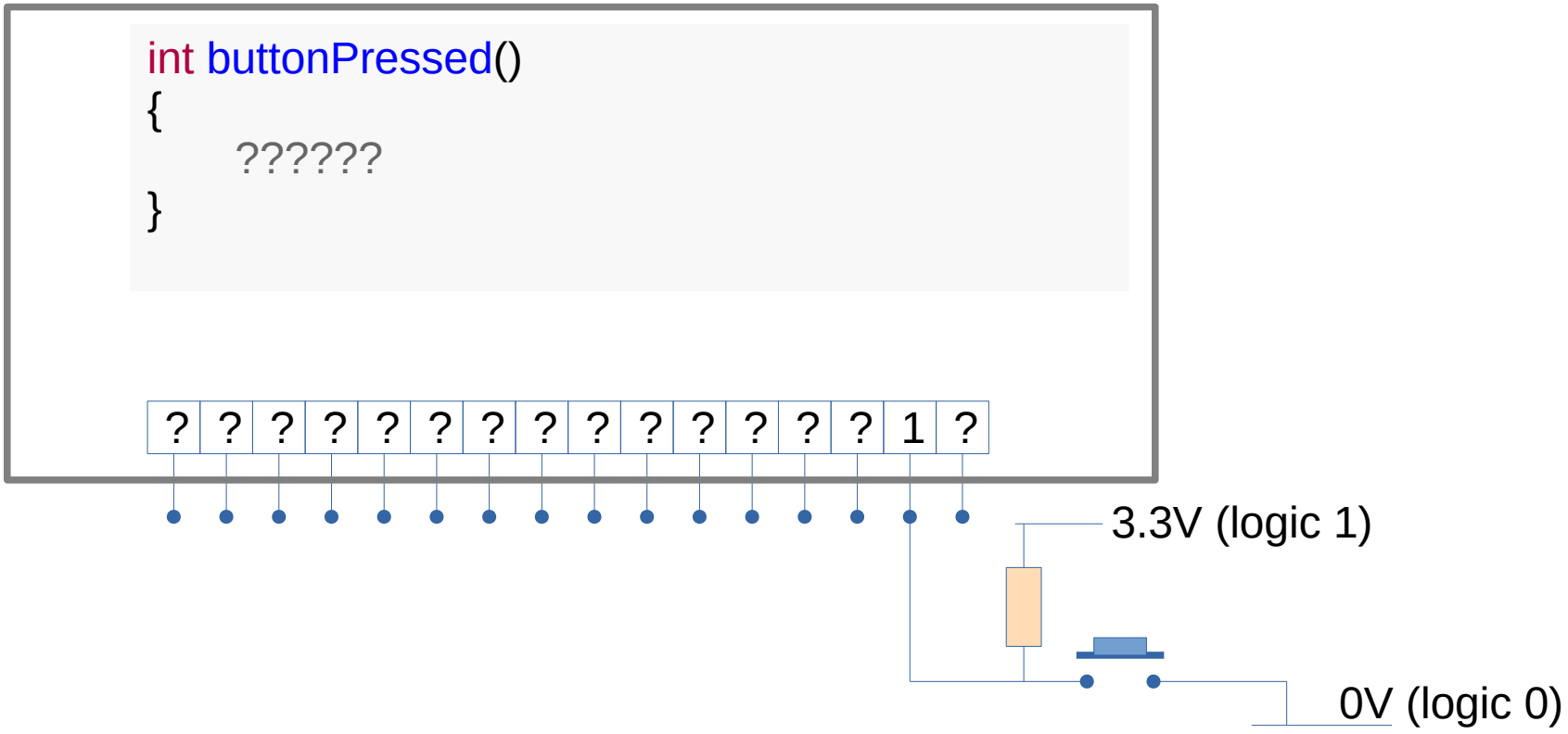


Reading individual output bits

```
int buttonPressed()
{
      ??????
}
```



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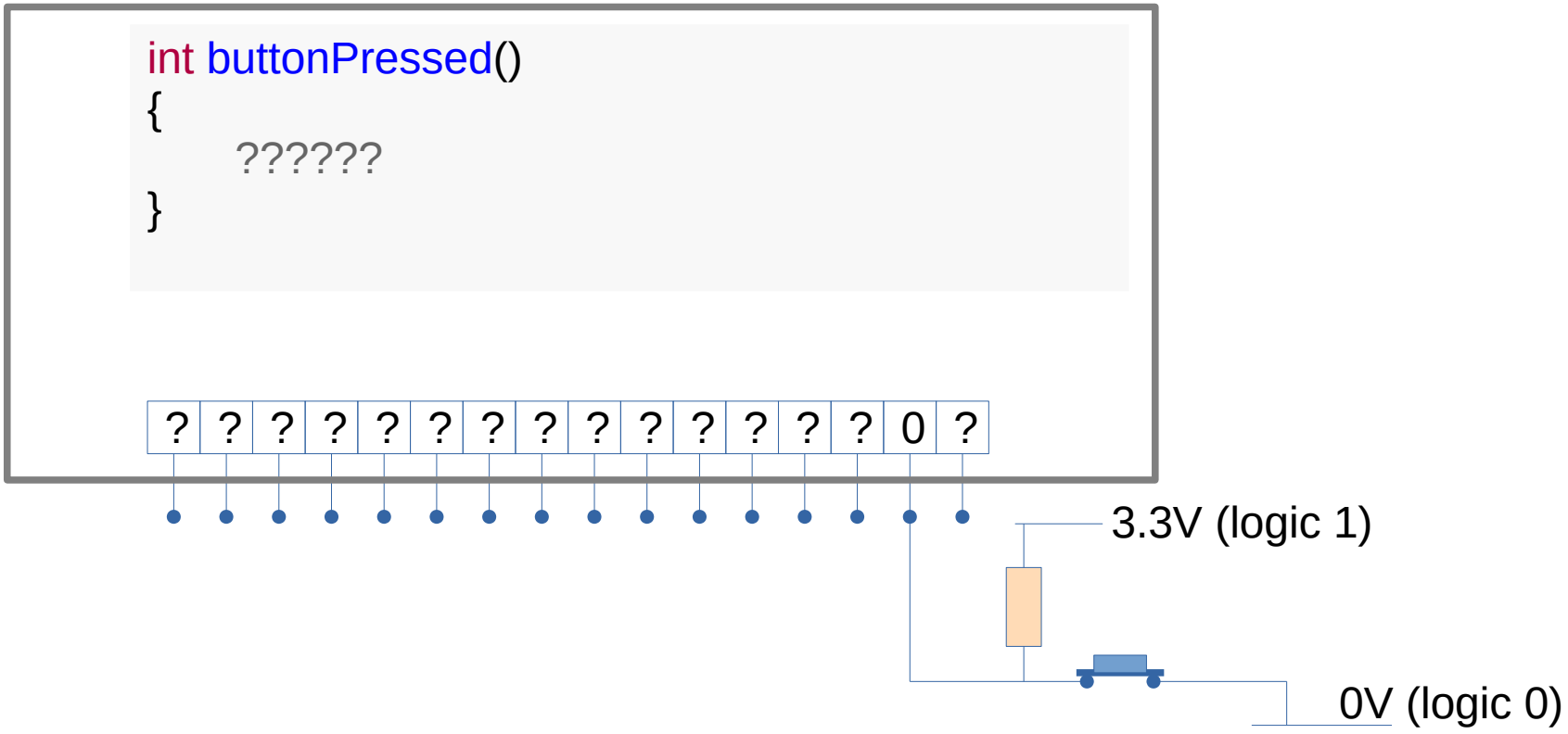
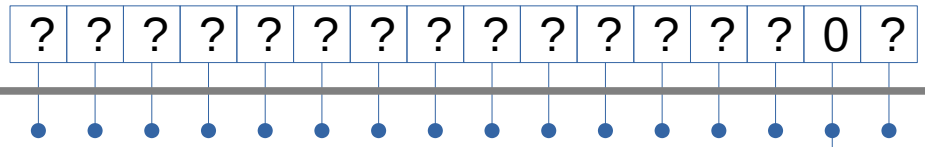
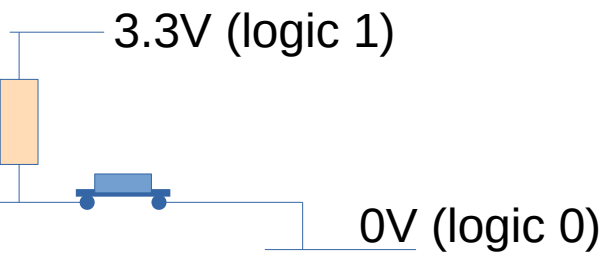


Reading individual output bits

```
int buttonPressed()
{
        if (GPIOB->IDR == 0)
                return 1;
        else
                return 0;
}
```



Would this work?



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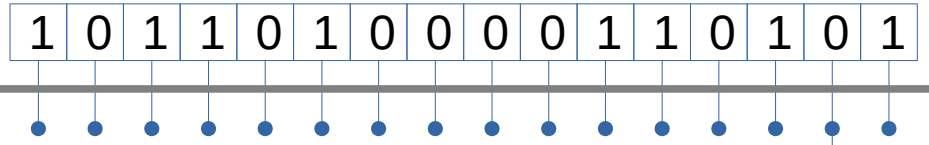
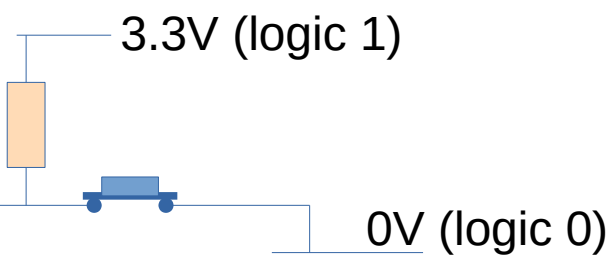


No! The other bits are in an unknown state.

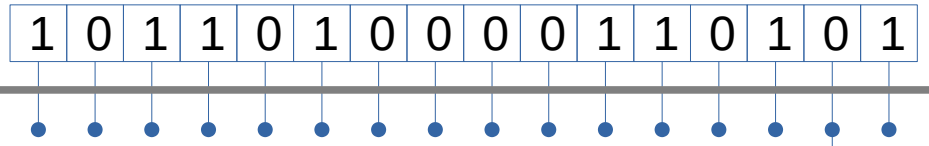
We must find a way of discarding them.

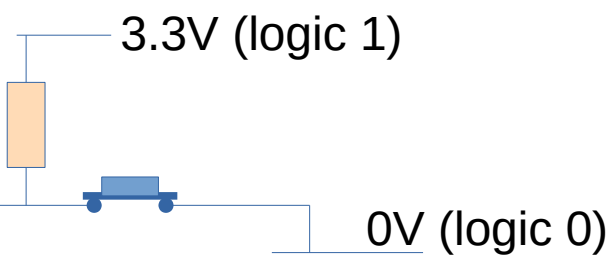


Reading individual output bits

```
int buttonPressed()
{
        if ((GPIOB->IDR & (1<<1)) == 0)
                return 1;
        else
                return 0;
}
```

Again a mask comes to our aid





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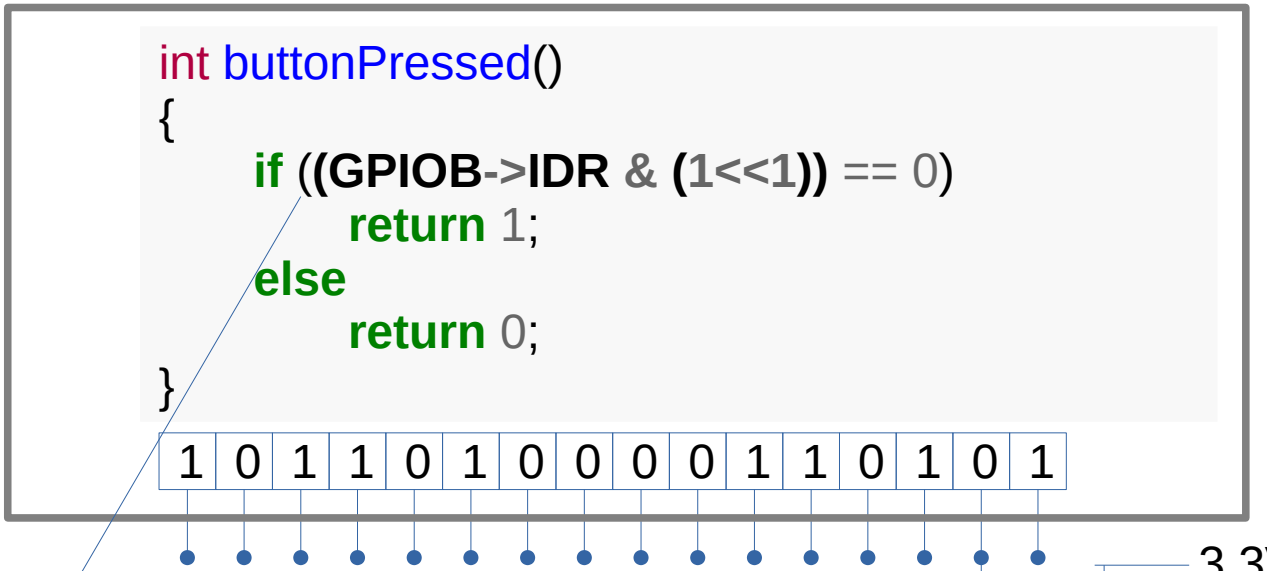


```
  1011010000110101
& 0000000000000010
  ================
  0000000000000000
```

Reading individual output bits

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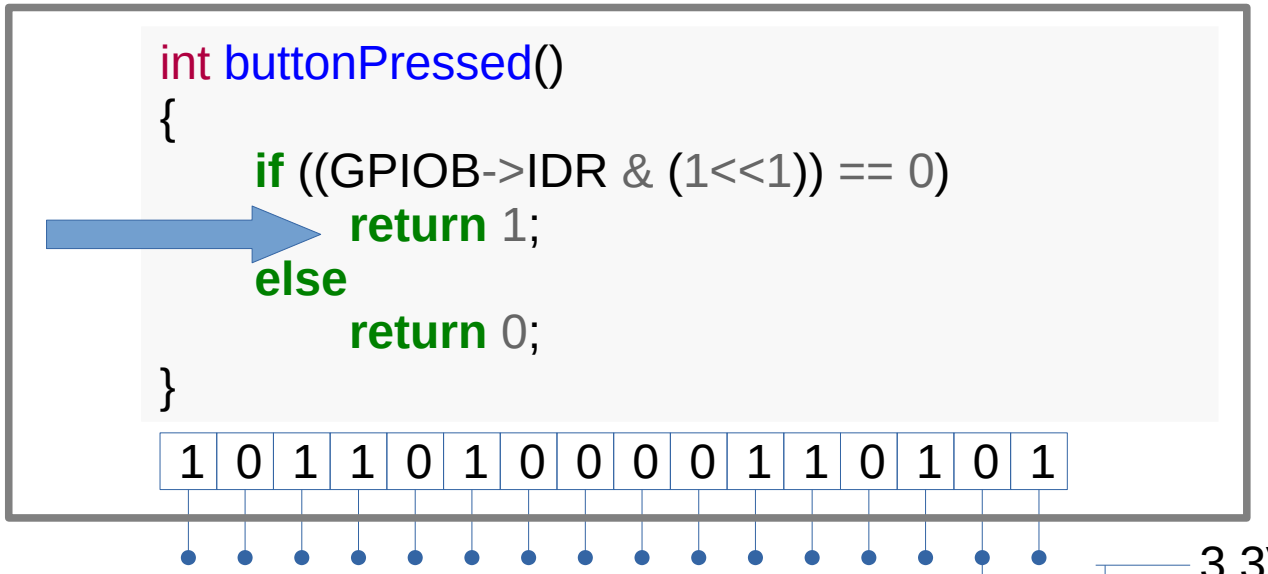
The comparison is now true

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Reading individual output bits

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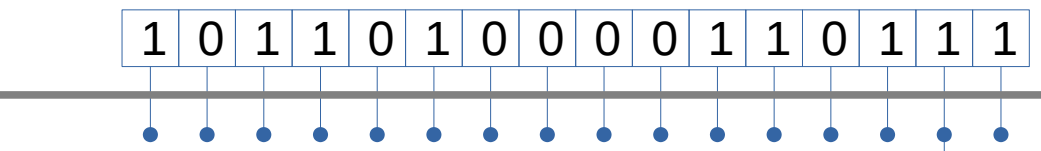
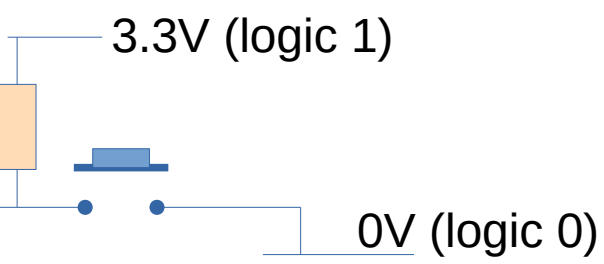


The comparison is now false

```
  1011010000110111
& 0000000000000010
  ================
  0000000000000010
```



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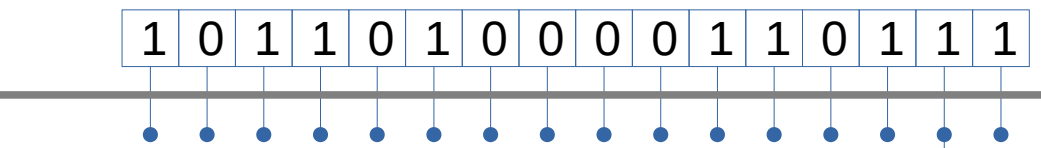
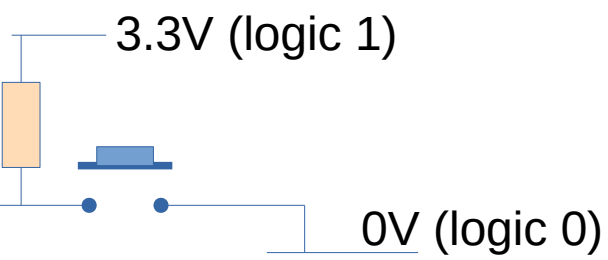


Our function return ‘true’ (1) if the button is pressed and ‘false’ (0) if it is not pressed.




```
  1011010000110111
& 0000000000000010
  ================
  0000000000000010
```

A program could use these helper functions as follows:

```
if ( buttonPressed() )
{
	redOn();
}
else
{
	redOff();
}
```