

# Microprocessors & Interfacing

## *Analog Input/Output (I)*

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# Lecture Overview

- Analog output
  - PWM

# PWM Analog Output

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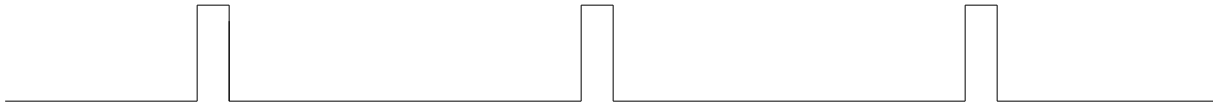
- PWM (Pulse Width Modulation) is a way of digitally encoding analog signal levels.
  - By using high-resolution counters, the duty cycle (pulse width/period) of a pulse wave is modulated to encode a specific analog signal level.
- PWM is a powerful technique for controlling analog circuits/devices with the processor's digital output.
- It is used in a wide variety of applications
  - E.g. motor speed control

# PWM Analog Output (cont.)

- The PWM signal is still digital
  - Its value is either full high or full low.
- A low-pass filter is required to smooth the input signal and eliminate the inherent noise components in PWM signal.
- The output voltage is directly proportional to the pulse width.
  - By changing the pulse width of the PWM waveform, we can control the output value.

# PWM Signal Examples

Duty cycle=10%



Duty cycle=50%



Duty cycle=90%



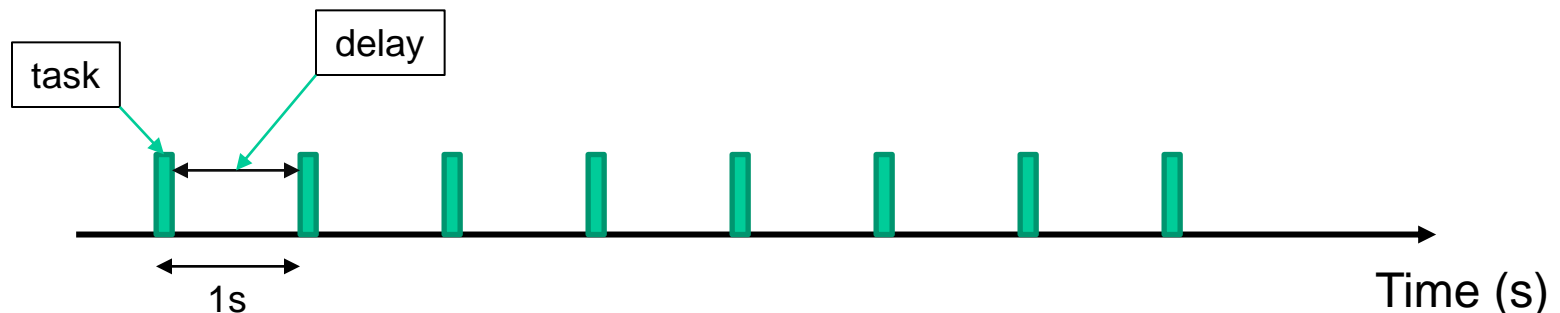
•Duty cycle: (pulse width)/period

# PWM Generation in AVR

- PWM can be obtained through the provided timers.

# Recall: Example 1 (Mon. Week 7)

- Implement a scheduler that can execute a task every one second.
  - Can be realized with
    - software design,
      - Software generates the delay
        - » With nop instructions
        - » With other tasks of known execution time
    - hardware design
      - Used here and solution is given in the next slides

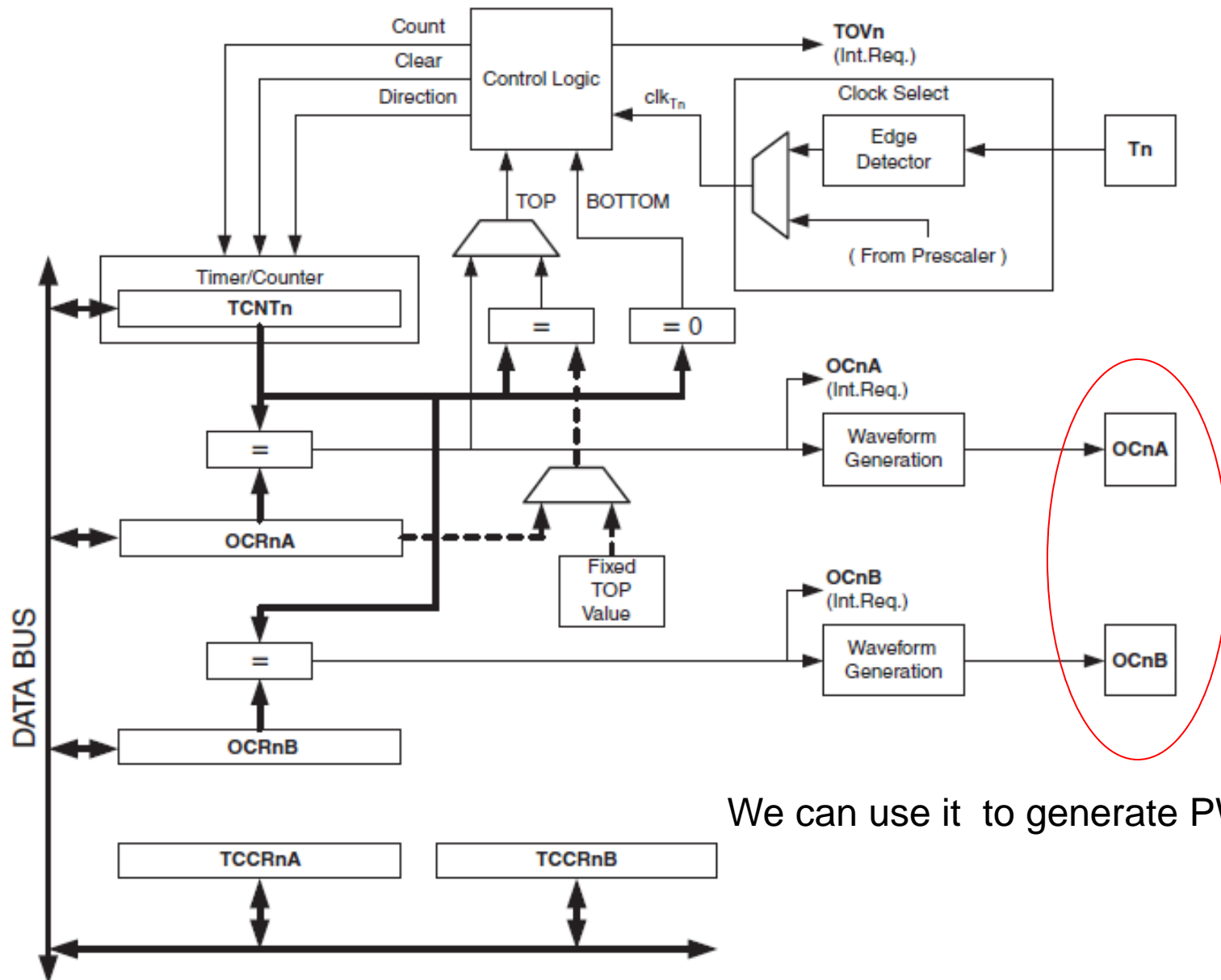


# Recall: Example 1 Solution

- Use **8-bit** Timer0 to “count” the time
  - Let’s set Timer0 prescaler to /64 (i.e. the system frequency is divided by 64)
    - The full counting duration (time-out) for the setting should be
      - $256 \times (\text{clock period}) = 256 \times 64 / (16 \text{ MHz})$   
 $= 1024 \text{ us}$ 
        - » Namely, we can set the Timer0 overflow interrupt that is to occur every 1024 us.
        - » Note, clock period = 1/16 MHz (obtained from the data sheet); the 8-bit counter can count 256 clock cycles.
    - For one second, there are
      - $1000000 / 1024 \approx 1000$  interrupts



# Recall: Timer0



We can use it to generate PWM signal

# Configuration for PWM

- TCCR0A/B

Bit	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0	
0x24 (0x44)	COM0A1	COM0A0	COM0B1	COM0B0	–	–	WGM01	WGM00	TCCR0A
Read/Write	R/W	R/W	R/W	R/W	R	R	R/W	R/W	
Initial Value	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
0x25 (0x45)	FOC0A	FOC0B	–	–	WGM02	CS02	CS01	CS00	TCCR0B
Read/Write	W	W	R	R	R/W	R/W	R/W	R/W	
Initial Value	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	

Mode	WGM2	WGM1	WGM0	Timer/Counter Mode of Operation	TOP	Update of OCRx at	TOV Flag Set on <sup>(1)(2)</sup>
0	0	0	0	Normal	0xFF	Immediate	MAX
1	0	0	1	PWM, Phase Correct	0xFF	TOP	BOTTOM
2	0	1	0	CTC	OCRA	Immediate	MAX
3	0	1	1	Fast PWM	0xFF	TOP	MAX
4	1	0	0	Reserved	–	–	–
5	1	0	1	PWM, Phase Correct	OCRA	TOP	BOTTOM
6	1	1	0	Reserved	–	–	–
7	1	1	1	Fast PWM	OCRA	BOTTOM	TOP

# Configuration for PWM (cont.)

- TCCR0A/B
  - Phase Correct PWM

Bit	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0	
0x24 (0x44)	COM0A1	COM0A0	COM0B1	COM0B0	–	–	WGM01	WGM00	TCCR0A
Read/Write	R/W	R/W	R/W	R/W	R	R	R/W	R/W	
Bit	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0	
0x25 (0x45)	FOC0A	FOC0B	–	–	WGM02	CS02	CS01	CS00	TCCR0B
Read/Write	W	W	R	R	R/W	R/W	R/W	R/W	
Initial Value	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	

**Table 16-4.** Compare Output Mode, Phase Correct PWM Mode<sup>(1)</sup>

COM0A1	COM0A0	Description
0	0	Normal port operation, OC0A disconnected
0	1	WGM02 = 0: Normal Port Operation, OC0A Disconnected WGM02 = 1: Toggle OC0A on Compare Match
1	0	Clear OC0A on Compare Match when up-counting. Set OC0A on Compare Match when down-counting
1	1	Set OC0A on Compare Match when up-counting. Clear OC0A on Compare Match when down-counting

# Configuration for PWM (cont.)

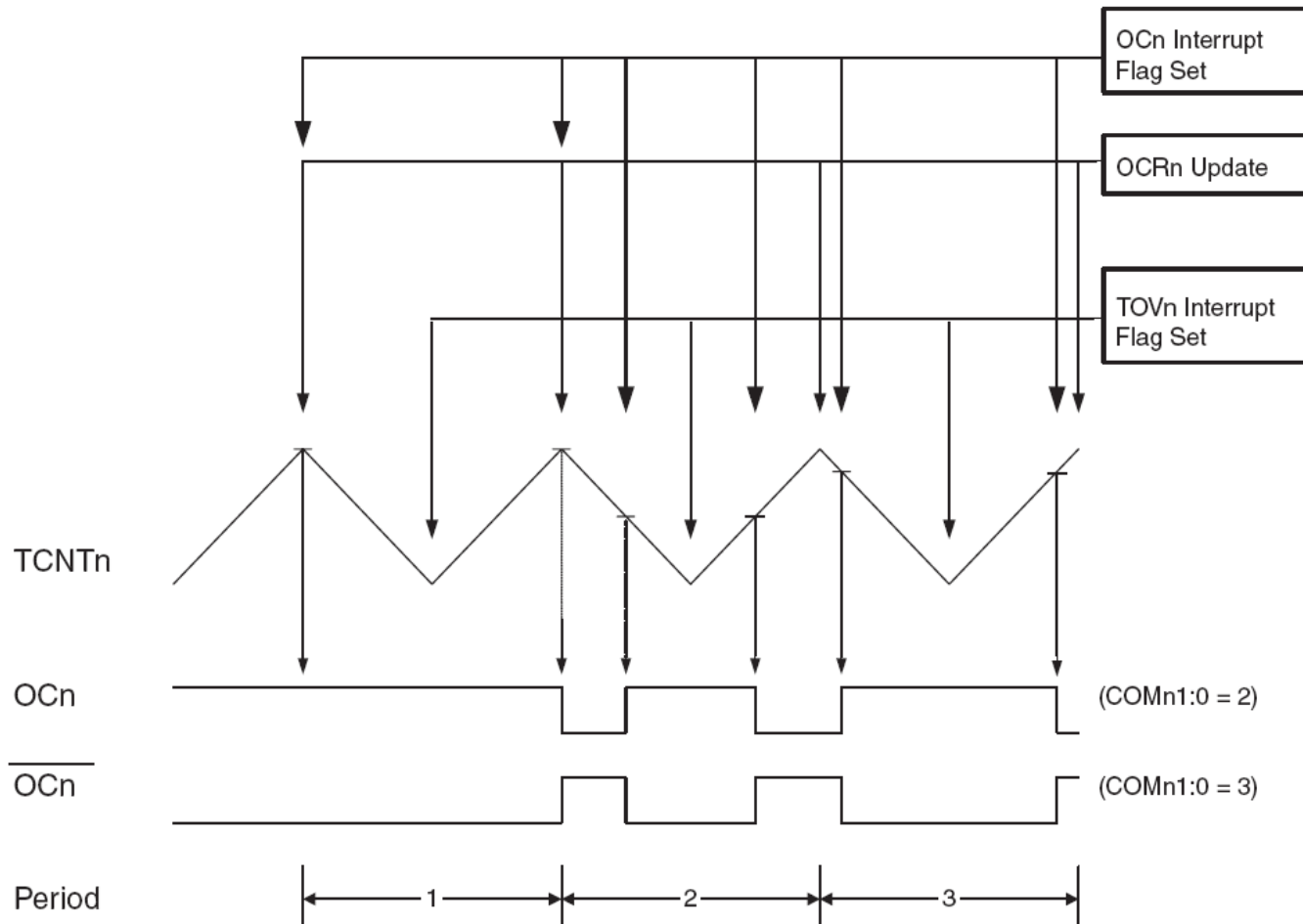
- TCCR0A/B
  - Fast PWM

Bit	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0	
0x24 (0x44)	COM0A1	COM0A0	COM0B1	COM0B0	–	–	WGM01	WGM00	TCCR0A
Read/Write	R/W	R/W	R/W	R/W	R	R	R/W	R/W	
Initial Value	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
0x25 (0x45)	FOC0A	FOC0B	–	–	WGM02	CS02	CS01	CS00	TCCR0B
Read/Write	W	W	R	R	R/W	R/W	R/W	R/W	
Initial Value	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	

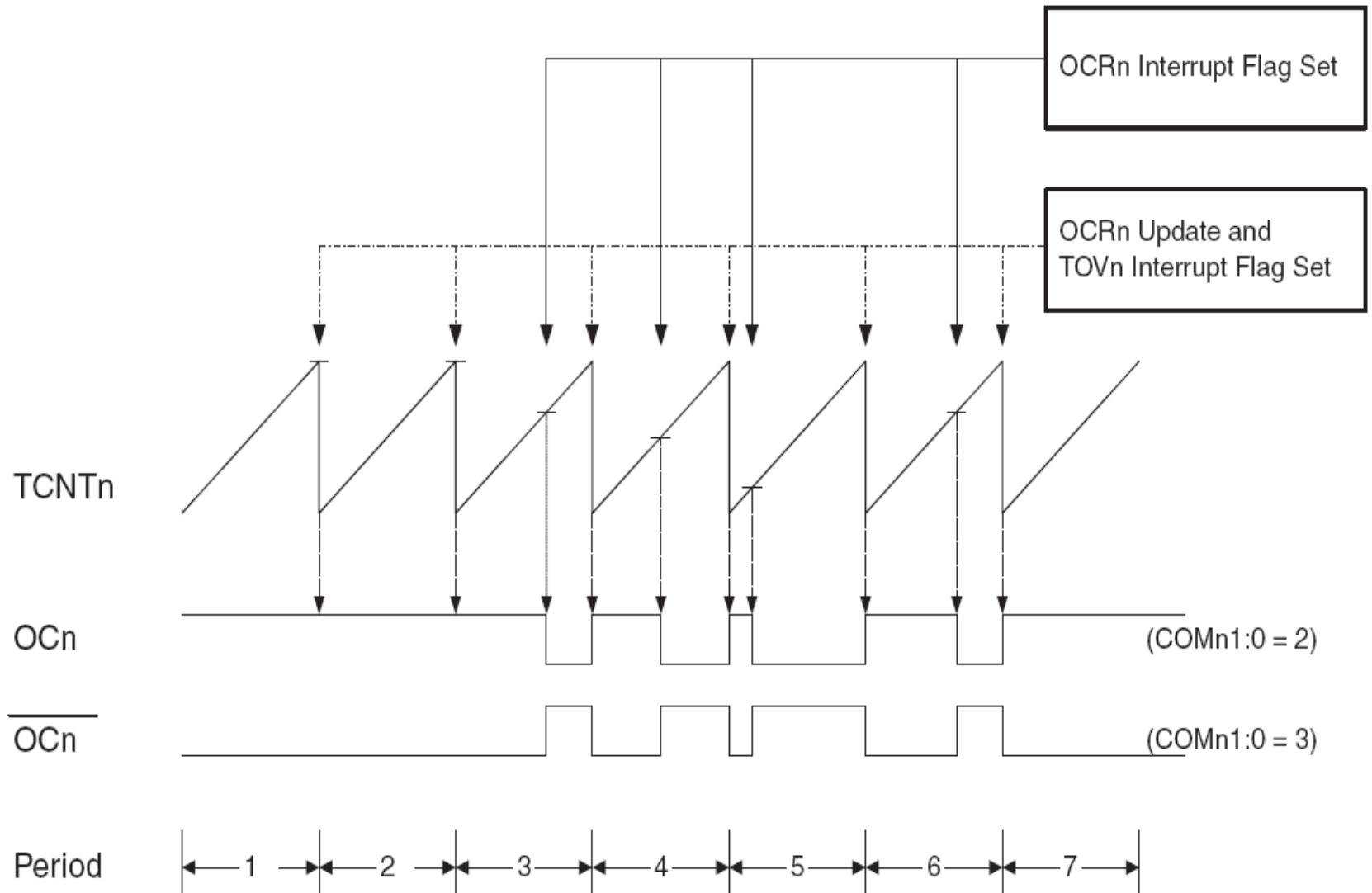
**Table 16-3.** Compare Output Mode, Fast PWM Mode<sup>(1)</sup>

COM0A1	COM0A0	Description
0	0	Normal port operation, OC0A disconnected
0	1	WGM02 = 0: Normal Port Operation, OC0A Disconnected WGM02 = 1: Toggle OC0A on Compare Match
1	0	Clear OC0A on Compare Match, set OC0A at BOTTOM (non-inverting mode)
1	1	Set OC0A on Compare Match, clear OC0A at BOTTOM (inverting mode)

# Phase Correct PWM

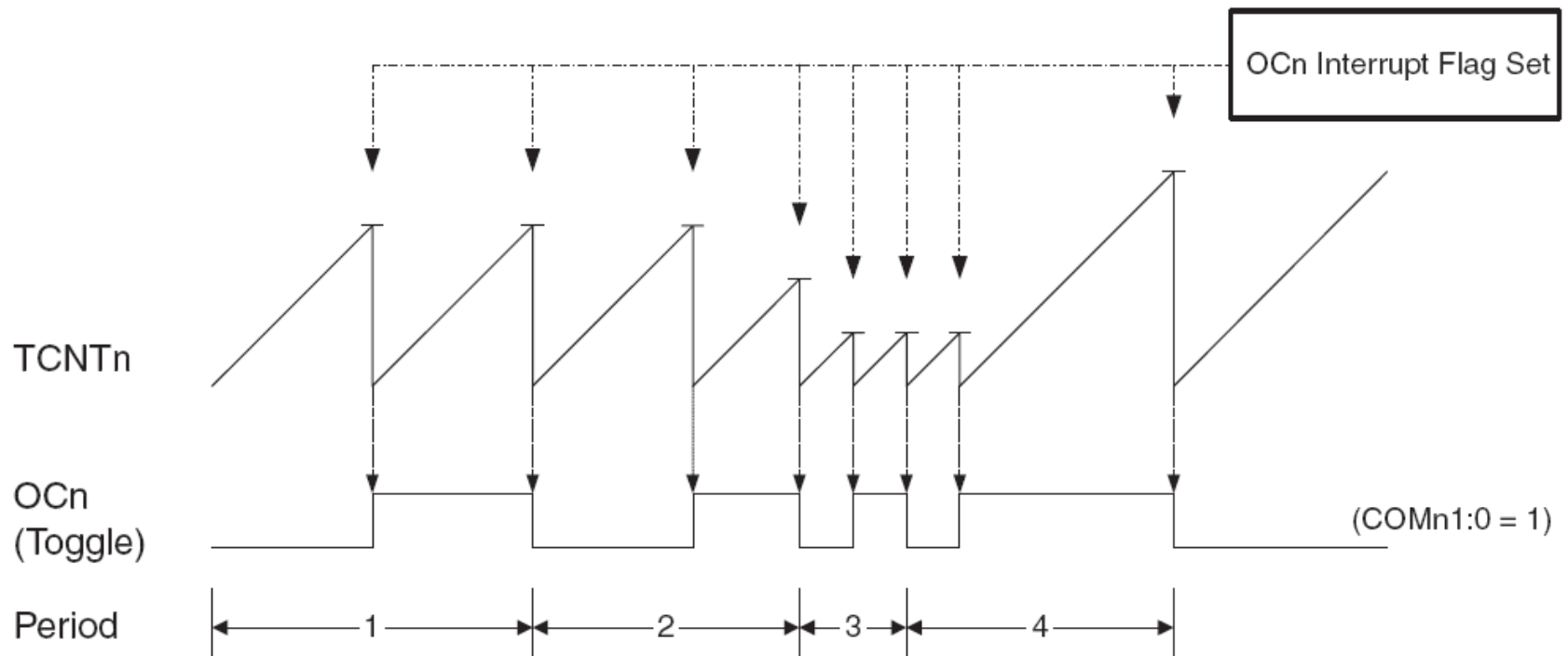


# Fast PWM



# CTC\*

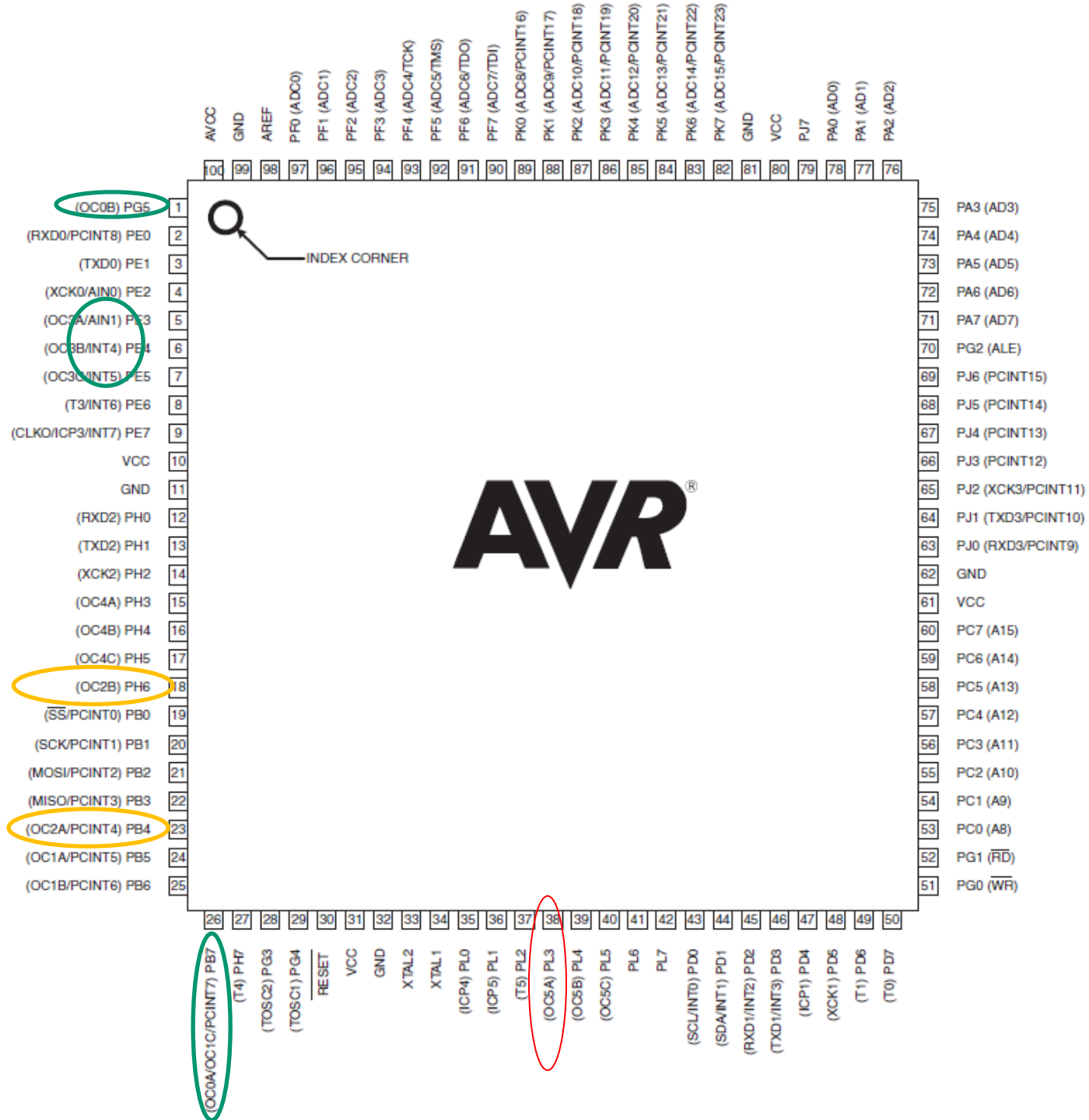
- Clear Timer on Compare Match



# Example

- Generate a PWM waveform.



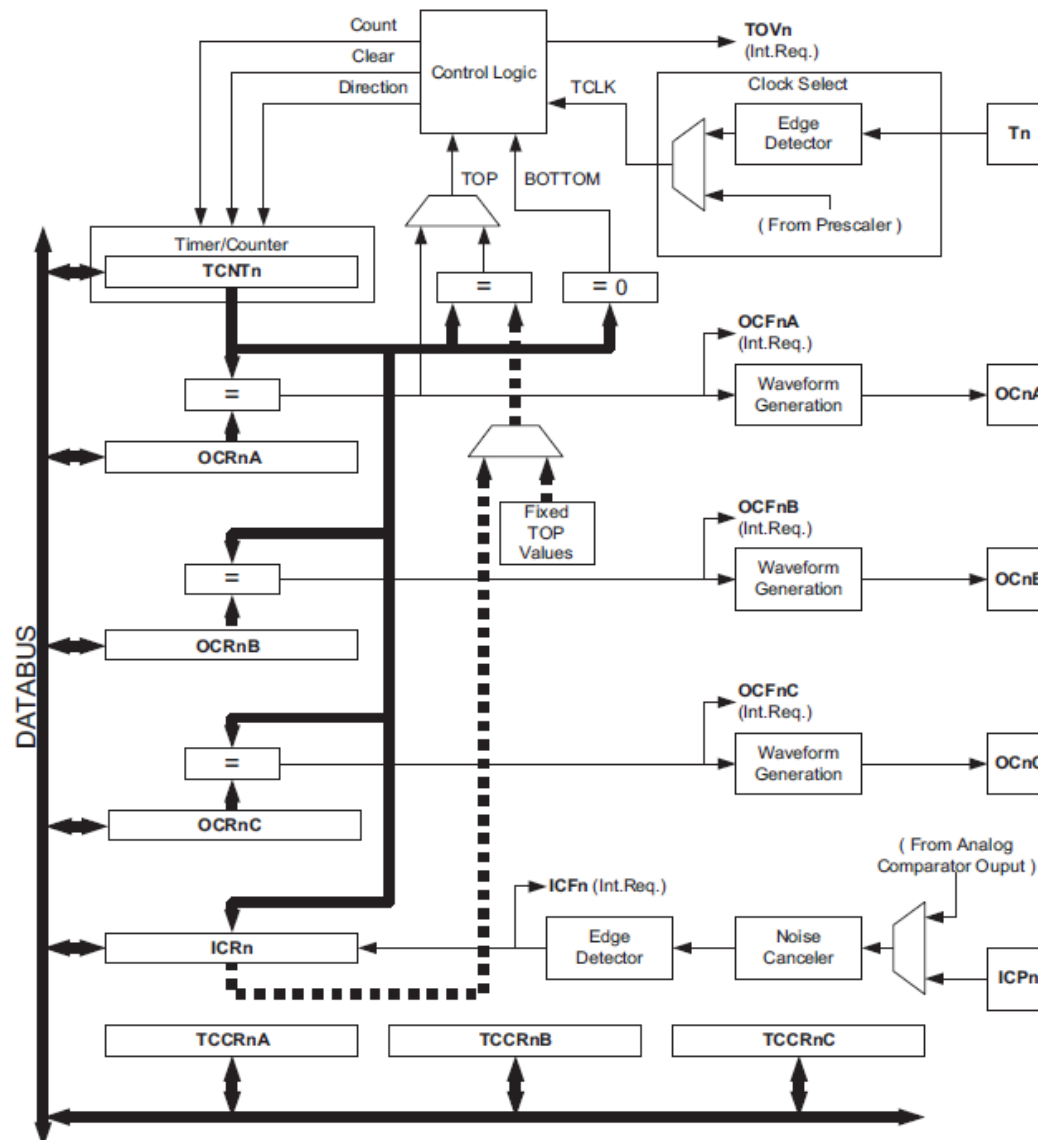


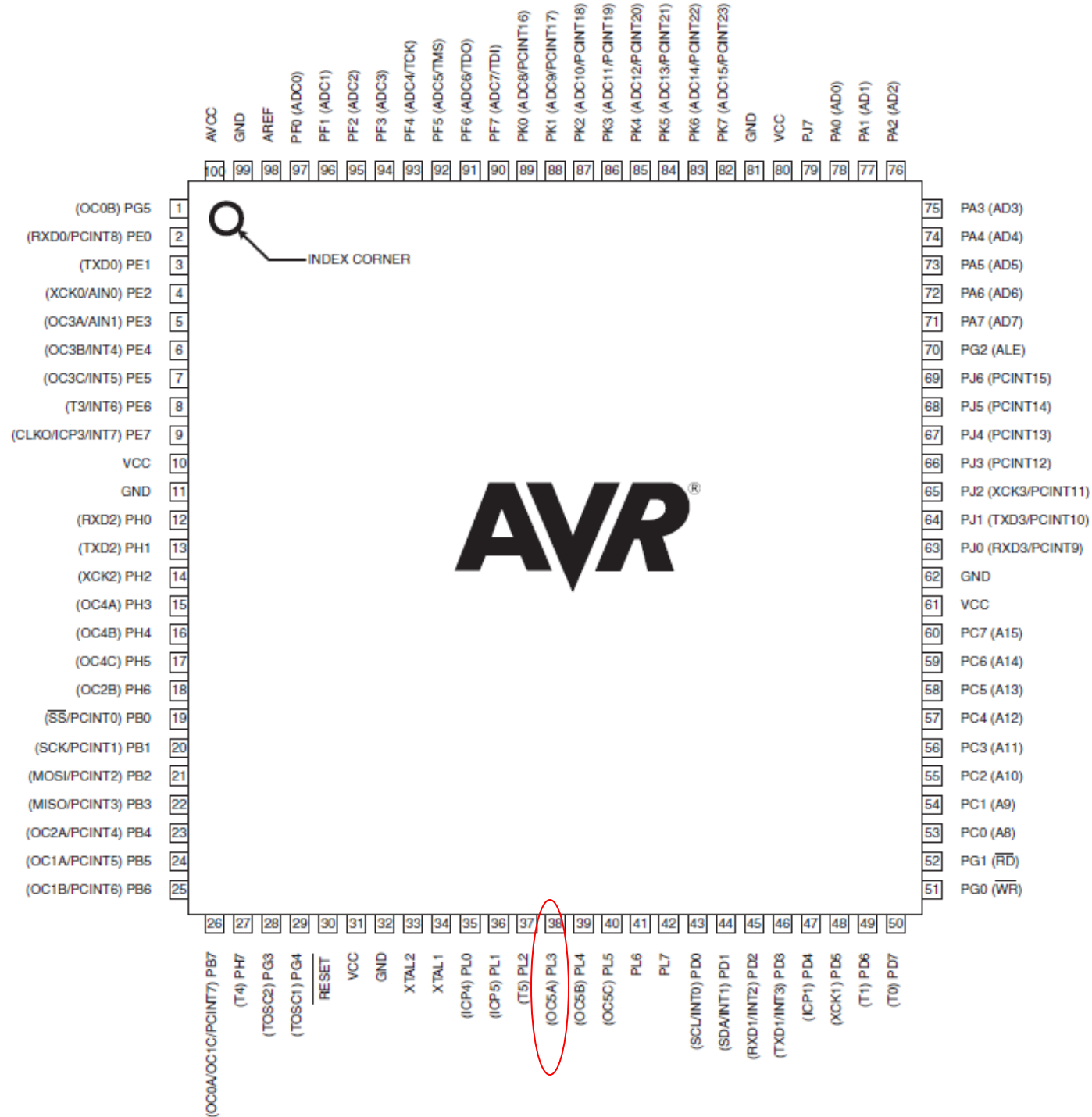
# Example (solution)

- Use Timer5
  - Set OC5A as output
  - Set the Timer5 operation mode as Phase Correct PWM mode
  - Set the timer clock

# 16-bit Timer Block Diagram\*

16-bit Timer/Counter Block Diagram<sup>(1)</sup>





# Example Code

```
.include "m2560def.inc"
```

```
.def temp=r16
```

```
ldi temp, 0b00001000
```

```
sts DDRL, temp ; Bit 3 will function as OC5A.
```

```
clr temp
```

```
; the value controls the PWM duty cycle
```

```
sts OCR5AH, temp
```

```
ldi temp, 0x4A
```

```
sts OCR5AL, temp
```

```
; Set Timer5 to Phase Correct PWM mode.
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```
ldi temp, (1 << CS50)
```

```
; Set Timer clock frequency
```

```
sts TCCR5B, temp.
```

```
ldi temp, (1<< WGM50)|(1<<COM5A1)
```

```
sts TCCR5A, temp
```

```
end: rjmp end
```

# Exercise

- The motor on the lab board is a DC motor that is driven by an input signal. The higher the input voltage, the faster the motor spins. How to use the PWM signal generated from the code shown in the previous slide to drive the motor?