The 3.3V regulator built into the microcontroller is documented as only supplying a max of 300mA to external circuitry.

Rather than use that, we use our own regulator in the cartridge board. It can power the microcontroller and all 3V logic chips. Then we power the microcontroller through the 3V3_OUT and GND pins.

One jumper connects 3V3_EN connects to GND to disable the board's regulator. Another jumper connects VBUS to the +5V supply to power the 5V chips.

While programming the microcontroller in-place via USB, the jumper should be on the VBUS pins. While operating in the Sega, the jumper should be on the 3V3_EN pins.

J3 J4 J7 J5

1x2 jumper right-angle

1x2 jumper right-angle

X2

Template for RPiPicoW board header alignment

Connector for optional Adafruit Ethernet featherwing (jumper wires or adapter needed)

J6 Conn_02x03_Odd_Even

U17 74LVC138

This decoder tolerates 5V inputs.

(Y0) 000 => write & !A3 & register = REG_WE
(Y2) 010 => write & A3 & register = SYNC_WE
(Y6) 110 => !write & A3 & register = SYNC_OE

C20 22nF

U15 74LVC138

This decoder tolerates 5V inputs.

(Y1) 001 => !A1 & SYNC_WE & !SYNC_OE = CMD_SET
(Y2) 010 => !A1 & !SYNC_WE & SYNC_OE = CMD_OE
(Y5) 101 => A1 & SYNC_WE & !SYNC_OE = ERR_CLR
(Y6) 110 => A1 & !SYNC_WE & SYNC_OE = ERR_OE

C32 22nF

register-file-internal

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Write 16-bits to even addresses, but only low byte is accepted.

Register addresses
CMD: 0xA13000
ARG: 0xA13002
unused2: 0xA13004
unused3: 0xA13006

Command token address 0xA13008

Error token address 0xA1300A

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5V signals from Sega

3V signals from microcontroller

kinetoscope-header-internal

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While powering the microcontroller via USB without the Sega (during programming and testing), pull-up resistors on these lines keep inputs from floating. They can be set low for testing with jumper wires in the cartridge pin header.

R1 10k R2 10k R3 10k R4 10k R5 10k R6 10k R7 10k

U16 74LV1T125

5V input tolerated

C17 22nF

address-counter-internal

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data-register-internal

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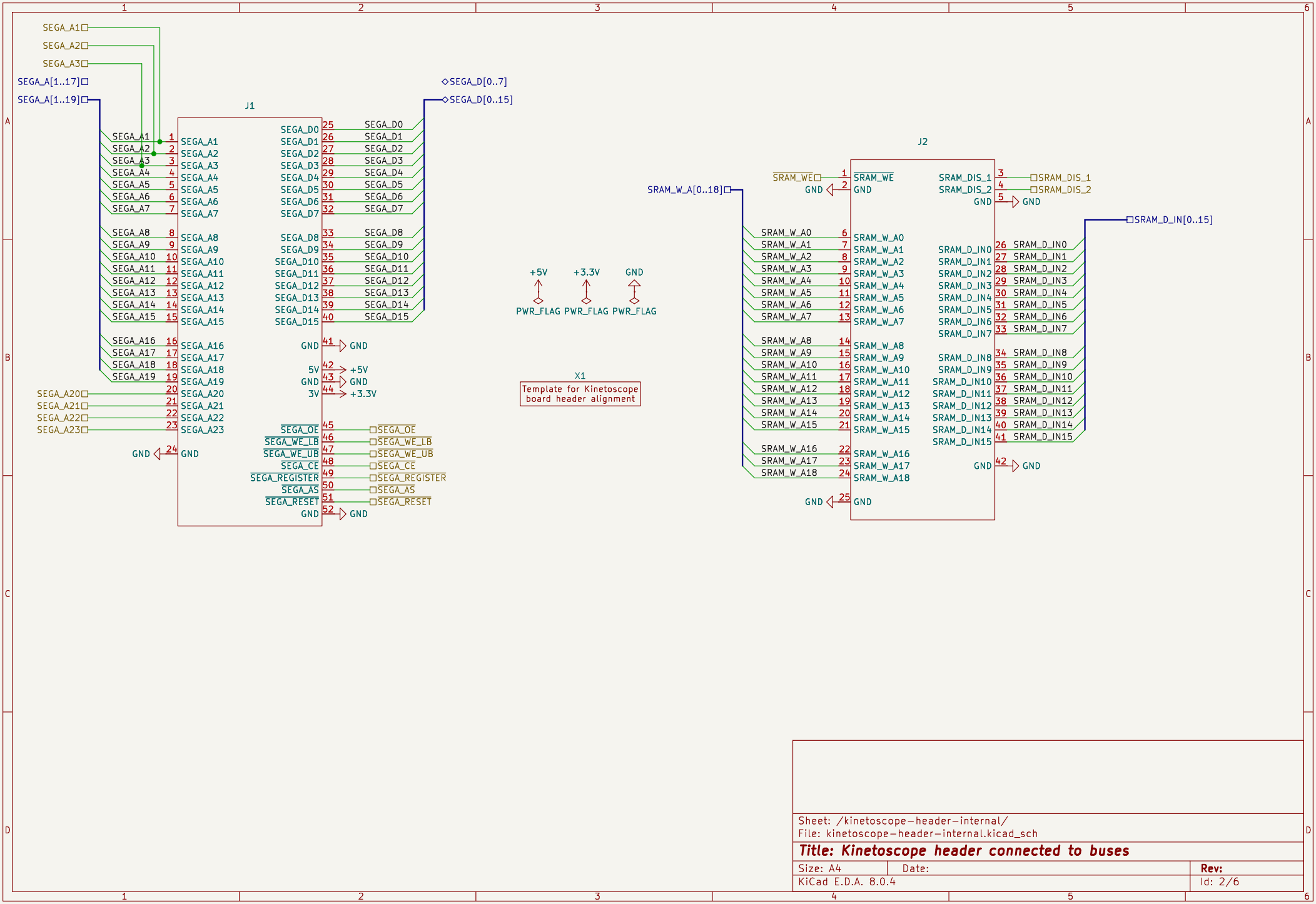
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SEGA_A20
SEGA_A21
SEGA_A22
SEGA_A23
GND
SEGA_OE
SEGA_WE_LB
SEGA_WE_UB
SEGA_CE
SEGA_REGISTER
SEGA_AS
SEGA_RESET
+5V
3V
+3.3V
PWR_FLAG
X1
Template for Kinetoscope board header alignment
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SRAM_WE
SRAM_DIS_1
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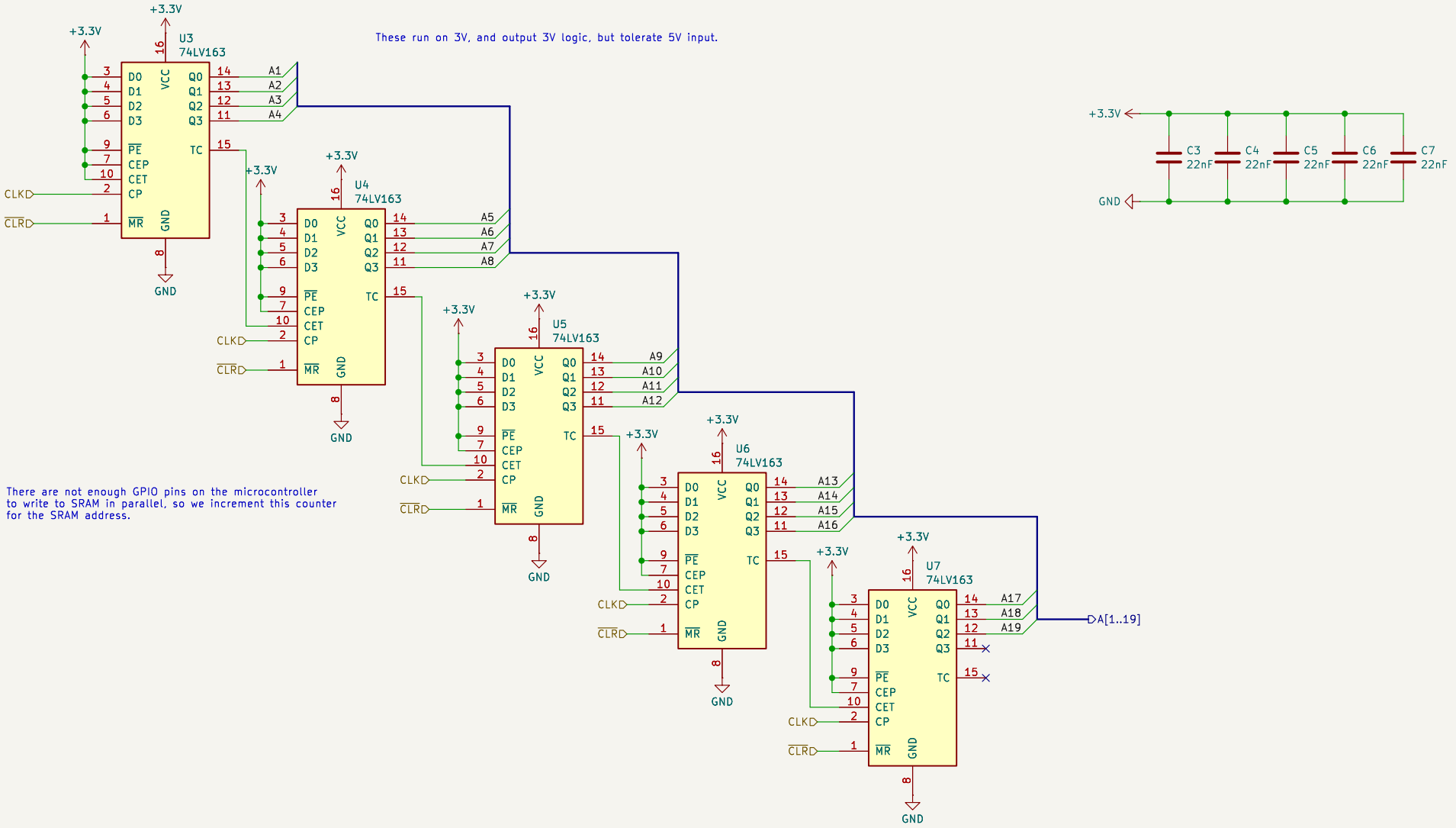

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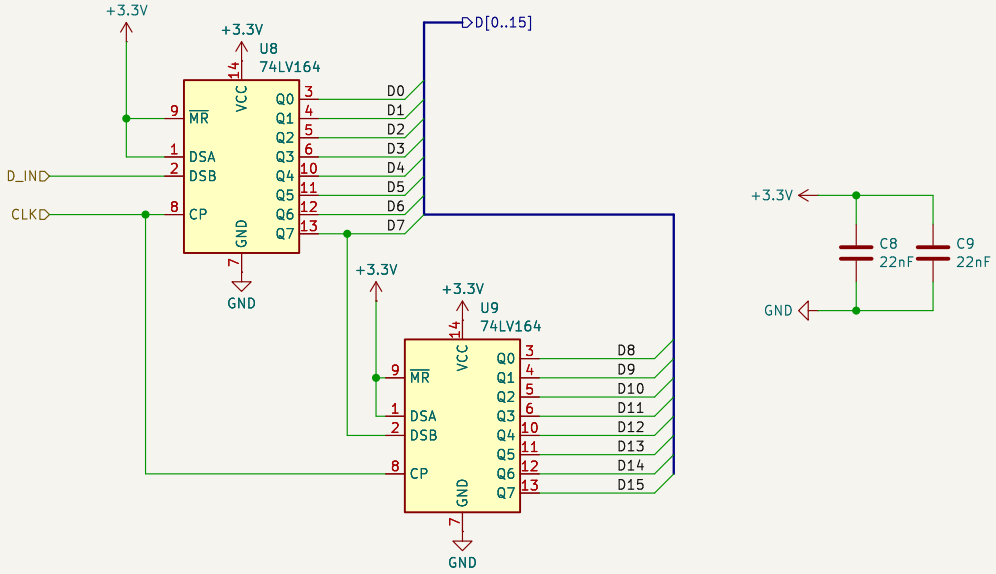
There are not enough GPIO pins on the microcontroller to write to SRAM in parallel, so we fill this data register serially.



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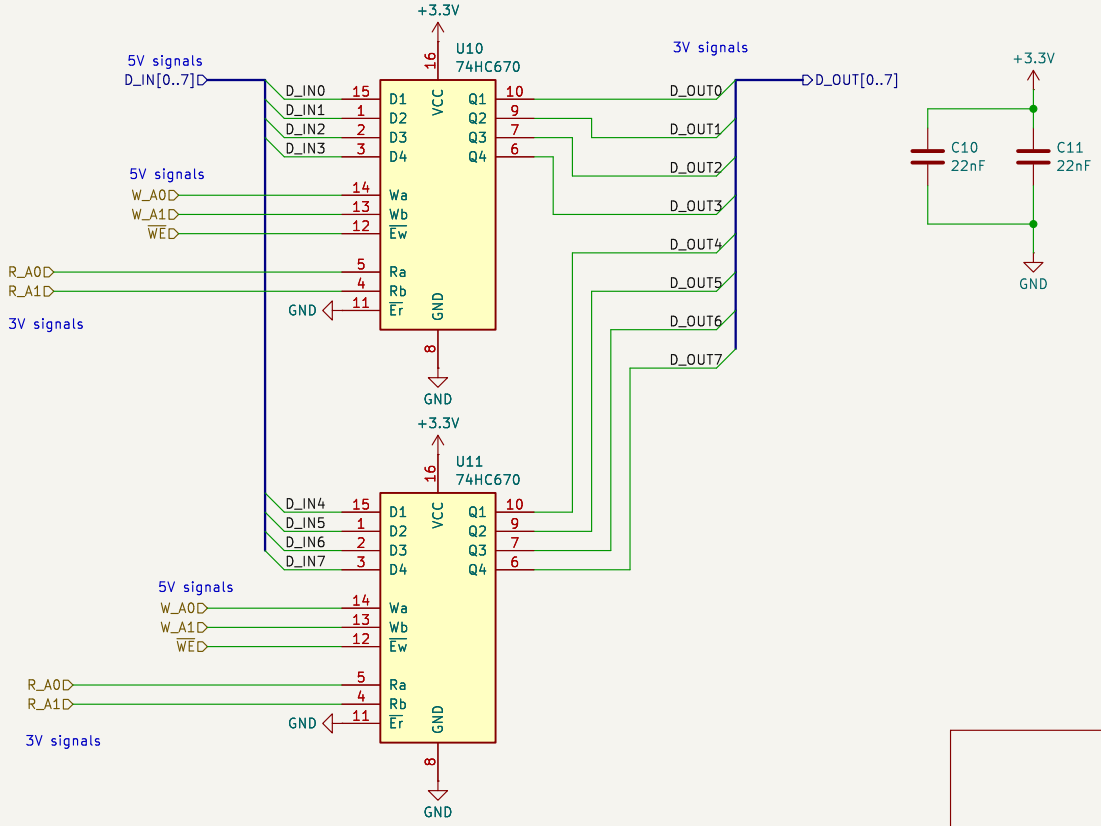
This is a set of four 8-bit registers that can be independently read and written by the two processors (one reads, one writes).

The registers are assumed to written by a device with a shared data bus (Sega Genesis) and read by a device with dedicated pins (microcontroller). The read output is always enabled.

Everything runs on +3.3V, but must be compatible with 5V inputs. If using a slightly different part number, please check input voltages in the data sheet. The data outputs are 3.3V.



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These are synchronization tokens between the M68k and the microcontroller.

The tokens will be cleared on boot/reset.

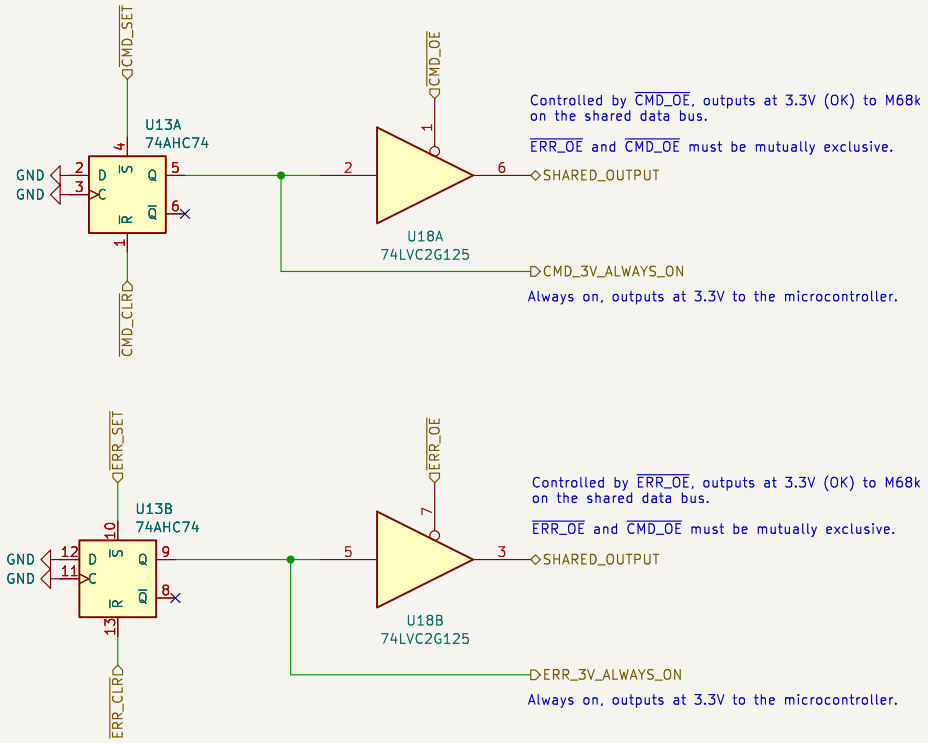
The M68k will be able to set the command token (CMD_SET), indicating to the microcontroller that a command is ready to be executed.

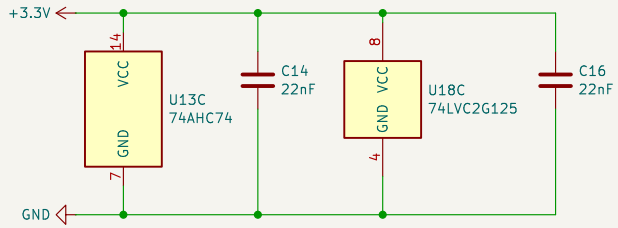
The microcontroller will be able to clear the command token (CMD_CLR), indicating to the M68k that the command has been executed.

Command codes and arguments are passed through a separate register file.

The microcontroller can also flag an error (ERR_SET) to the M68k, who can clear it (ERR_CLR) after noticing.

The M68k and microcontroller both will be able to read the current state of either token through OUTPUT_5V, which goes to the shared data bus with 5V logic. 3.3V version of both tokens are output to the microcontroller on dedicated lines.





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