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Omeans PROHIBITION.

Example:



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Example:



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The rated maximum ambient temperature of this product is 35°C.

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Select the proper programming mode of the PROM programmer.

Be sure to set the programming area as described in this user's manual.

Do not use the PROM programmer's device identification code readout function.

## **ACAUTION**

### Cautions to Be Taken for Handling:



Use caution when handling this product. Be careful not to apply a mechanical shock.

Do not directly touch the connector pins of this product. Static electricity may damage the internal circuits. Be careful with the static electricity when handling this product and the MCU.

Attach this product to the IC socket on the PROM programmer properly.

Insert the MCU to the IC socket of this product properly.

When opening and closing the IC socket of this product, be sure to keep it horizontal.

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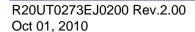


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## 1. Outline

This product is a PROM programming adapter for the 38000 Series of Renesas 8-bit MCUs (available for some 740 Series MCUs). The adapter is a tool that can be used to write programs into internal PROM of MCUs using a PROM programmer commercially available. This chapter describes the package components, external views, system configuration and the specifications of this product.

## 1.1 Package Components

This product package consists of the following items. When unpacking it, check to see if your product contains all of these items. If there is any question or doubt about the packaged product, contact your local distributor.

Table 1.1 Contents

|                | Contents                    |                   |                   |  |  |  |
|----------------|-----------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|--|--|--|
| Main unit      | PCA4738F-64A, PCA4738F-80A, | PCA4738G-100A,    | PCA4738F-42A,     |  |  |  |
| Main unit      | PCA4738F-100A, PCA4738S-64A | PCA4738H-80A      | PCA4738S-42A      |  |  |  |
| Interface unit | PCA4738C                    | PCA7402B          | PCA7402B          |  |  |  |
| Connector      | PCA4738D (28-pin)           | PCA7402D (28-pin) | PCA7402E (32-pin) |  |  |  |
| Connector      | PCA4738E (32-pin)           | PCA7402E (32-pin) | PCA7402E (32-pin) |  |  |  |
| User's Manual  | This manual                 |                   |                   |  |  |  |

## 1.2 System Configuration

Figures 1.1 and 1.2 show a configuration of this product.

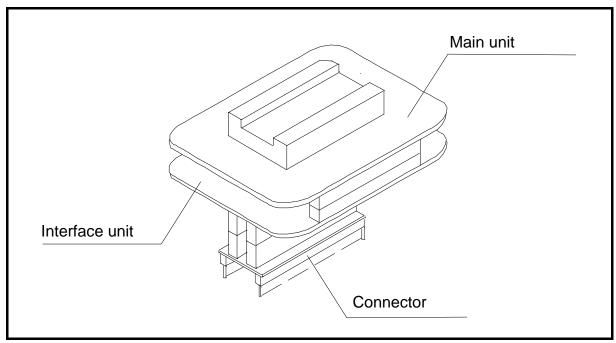


Figure 1.1 External view of the programming adapter (DIP type IC socket) and constituent parts

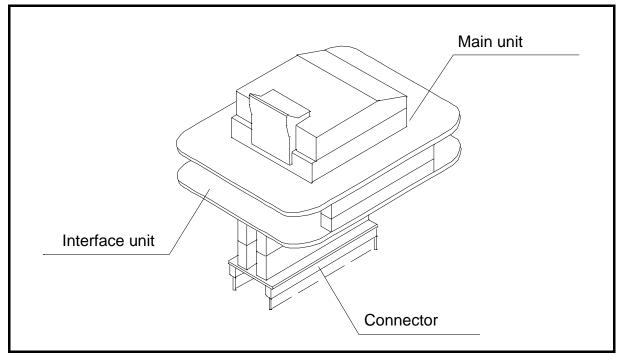


Figure 1.2 External view of the programming adapter (QFP, SOP, LCC type IC socket) and constituent parts

## 1.3 Specifications

## 1.3.1 Specifications

Table 1.2 lists common specifications of the programming adapters, and Tables 1.3 and 1.4 list individual specifications of each programming adapter.

Table 1.2 Common specifications

| Item                      |  | Description  |  |
|---------------------------|--|--|--|
| Operating clock frequency |  | 4MHz (Supplied by the ceramic oscillator mounted on the adapter)   |  |
| Power supply              |  | Supplied from Vcc of the PROM programmer   |  |
|                           | Main unit                                  | Board to mount a programmable MCU (IC socket for MCU mounted on it)  |  |
| Board                     | PCA4738C or PCA7402B (Interface unit)      | Interface board (buffer IC mounted) (Connected by two rows of standard-pitch 18-pin connectors and two rows of standard-pitch 16-pin connectors to the upper and lower boards) |  |
| configuration             | PCA4738D or PCA7402D (28-pin connector)    | Board to connect to the PROM Programmer (for M5M27C256 mode) (Standard-pitch 28-pin pin-header mounted)  |  |
|                           | PCA4738E or PCA7402E<br>(32-pin connector) | Board to connect to the PROM Programmer (for M5M27C101 mode) (Standard-pitch 32-pin pin-header mounted)  |  |

Table 1.3 Individual specifications (1/2)

| Product name | Item      | Description   |   |  |
|--------------|-----------|---|---|--|
| PCA4738S-42A | MCU       | 38000 Series SDIP<br>package<br>(42P4B, 42S1B)            | 3850, 3851 Group<br>42-pin SP/SS package  |  |
|              | IC socket | IC59-4206-G4 (made by Ya                                  | amaichi Electronics Co., Ltd.)  |  |
| PCA4738F-42A | MCU       | 38000 Series QFP<br>package<br>(42P2R-A)                  | 3850, 3851 Group<br>42-pin FP package   |  |
|              | IC socket | C51-0422-393 (made by Yamaichi Electronics Co., Ltd.)     |   |  |
| PCA4738S-64A | MCU       | 38000 Series SDIP<br>package<br>(64P4B, 64S1B)            | 3800, 3802, 3810, 3811, 3812,<br>3880, 3888, 3890 Group<br>64-pin SP/SS package |  |
|              | IC socket | 264-1300-00 (made by Sumitomo 3M Limited)                 |   |  |
| PCA4738F-64A | MCU       | 38000 Series QFP<br>package<br>(64P6N-A)                  | 3800, 3802, 3810, 3811, 3812,<br>3880, 3888, 3890 Group<br>64-pin FP package    |  |
|              | IC socket | IC51-824.KS-8095 (made by Yamaichi Electronics Co., Ltd.) |   |  |

Table 1.4 Individual specifications (2/2)

| Product name  | Item             | Description  |   |  |
|---------------|------------------|--|---|--|
| PCA4738F-80A  | MCU              | 38000 Series QFP<br>package<br>(80P6N-A)                 | 3806, 3807, 3817, 3820, 3822 Group<br>80-pin FP package   |  |
|               | IC socket        | IC51-0804-819-6 (made by                                 | y Yamaichi Electronics Co., Ltd.)   |  |
| PCA4738H-80A  | MCU              | 38000 Series QFP<br>package<br>(80P6Q-A)                 | 3820, 3822, 3886 Group<br>80-pin HP package   |  |
|               | IC socket        | C51-0804-808 (made by Yamaichi Electronics Co., Ltd.)    |   |  |
| PCA4738F-100A | MCU              | 38000 Series QFP<br>package<br>(100P6S-A)                | 3818, 3825, 3826 Group<br>100-pin FP package,<br>100-pin FP package of M37560   |  |
|               | IC socket        | IC51-1004-814-6 (made by Yamaichi Electronics Co., Ltd.) |   |  |
| PCA4738G-100A | 38000 Series QFP |  | 3825, 3826 Group<br>100-pin GP package,<br>100-pin GP package of M37513,<br>100-pin GP package of M37527,<br>100-pin GP package of M37560 |  |
|               | IC socket        | IC51-1004-809 (made by Yamaichi Electronics Co., Ltd.)   |   |  |

## 1.4 Memory Maps

Memory maps of the MCU and PROM programmers are shown in Figure 1.3 (M5M27C256A mode) and Figure 1.4 (M5M27C101 mode).

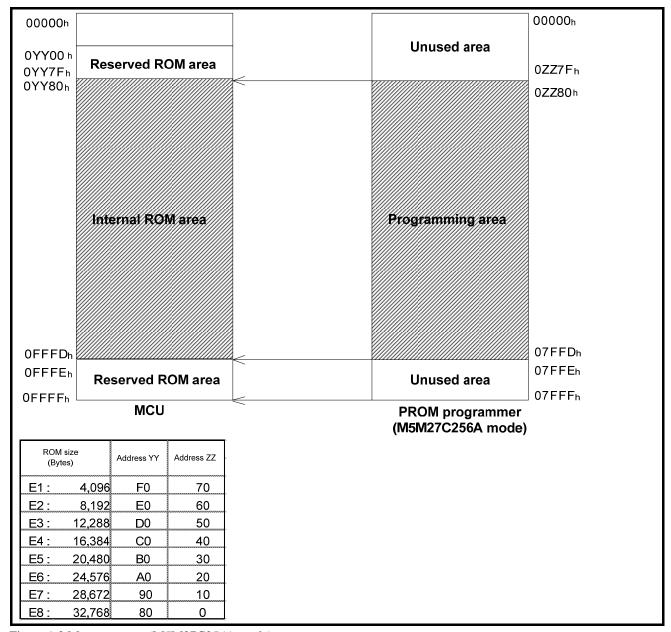


Figure 1.3 Memory maps (M5M27C256A mode)

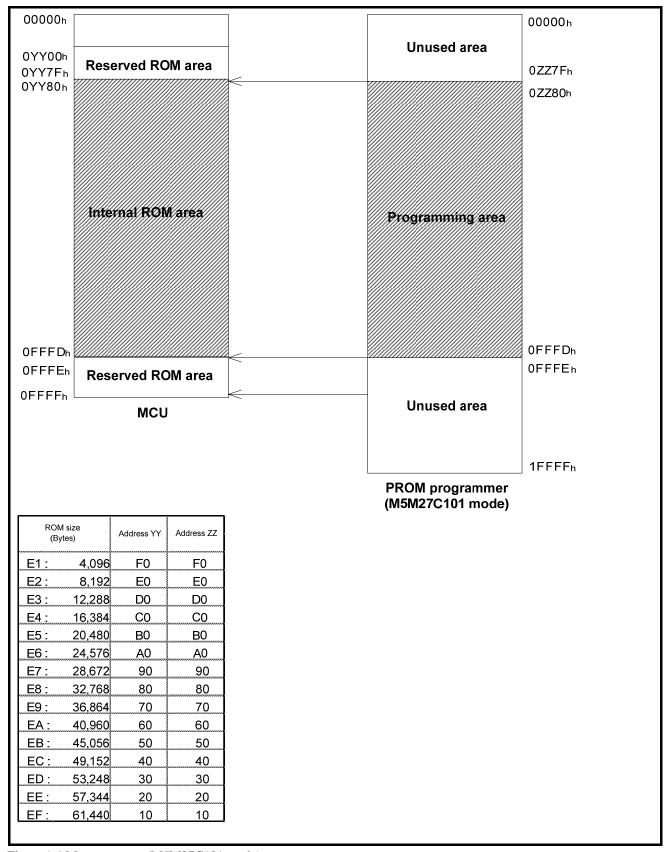


Figure 1.4 Memory maps (M5M27C101 mode)

## 2. Usage (How to Write the Program)

This chapter describes how to write programs with a PROM programmer. For the operation of the PROM programmer, refer to the user's manual of the PROM programmer.

## 2.1 Programming Procedures

Follow these procedures (1) through (9) to write programs into the MCU.

- (1) Read the program into the PROM programmer. (Offset: 8000h)\*1
  - \*1) Offset address not required when writing in M5M27C101 mode.
- (2) Select the connector corresponding to the MCU. (See Section 2.2)\*2 \*2) Skip this step for the PCA4738S-42A and PCA4738F-42A.
- (3) Attach the adapter to the PROM programmer. (See Section 2.3)
- (4) Set the switches (SW1, SW2 and SW3). (See Section 2.4)
- (5) Insert the MCU into the adapter. (See Section 2.5)
- (6) Specify the programming area of the MCU using the PROM programmer. (See Section 2.6) \*3
- (7) Using the PROM programmer's erase check function, check whether data can be written into the MCU's programming area. \*4
- (8) Write the program into the programming area of the MCU using the PROM programmer. \*4
- (9) Verify the programming area of the MCU using the PROM programmer to check whether the program is written into the MCU correctly. \*4

# **⚠** CAUTION



- Be sure to set the programming area. Otherwise the mode's shift to the programming mode may not be performed successfully. The erase check function etc. may not also be performed completely.
- \*4 Some PROM programmers perform these steps (7) through (9) automatically.

## 2.2 Selecting a Connector

Select the connector depending on the type of the MCU as described in Table 2.1 and Figure 2.1 below.

Table 2.1 Selecting connector

| Conditions          |                   |         | MCU               | Applicable connector |
|---------------------|-------------------|---------|-------------------|----------------------|
|                     | M5M27C256A        |         | M375XXE1/E2/E3/E4 | PCA4738D or          |
|                     | mode              | 32 KB   | M375XXE5/E6/E7/E8 | PCA7402D             |
| MCU's               | M5M27C101<br>mode | or less | M38XXXE1/E2/E3/E4 |                      |
|                     |                   |         | M38XXXE5/E6/E7/E8 |                      |
| programming<br>mode |                   |         | M375XXE9/EA/EB/EC | PCA4738E or          |
| mode                |                   | Over    | M375XXED/EE/EF    | PCA7402E             |
|                     |                   | 32 KB   | M38XXXE9/EA/EB/EC |                      |
|                     |                   |         | M38XXXED/EE/EF    |                      |

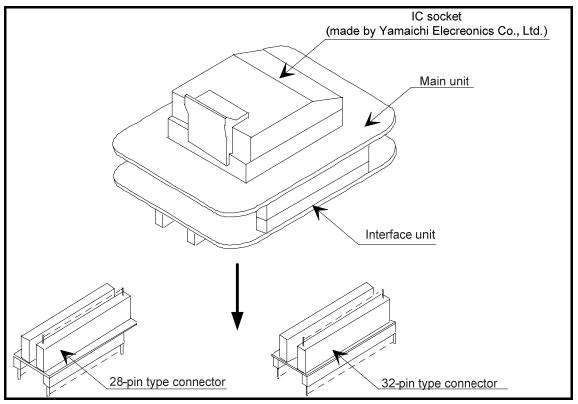


Figure 2.1 Selecting a connector

# **⚠** CAUTION



- No selection is required for the PCA4738S-42A and PCA4738F-42A. (The PCA7402E connector is already attached.)
- For the MCU whose internal ROM is 32 KB or less, the applicable adapter (PCA4738D/PCA7402D or PCA4738E/PCA7402E) depends on its device (M5M27C256A mode or M5M27C101 mode). For each matching device of the MCU, refer to Tables 2.6 to 2.9 on pages 21 to 22.

## 2.3 Attaching the Adapter to a PROM Programmer

### 2.3.1 For the PCA4738D and PCA7402D

As shown in Figure 2.2, attach the pin No. 1 of the connector (standard-pitch 28-pin pin-header mounted) to the No. 1 pin of the IC socket of the PROM programmer.

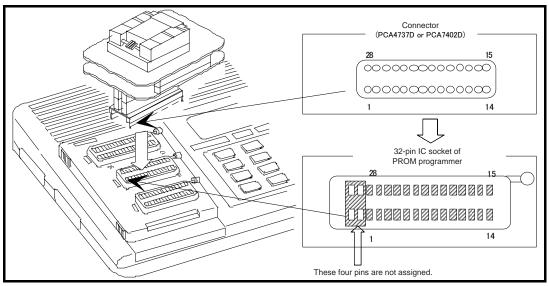


Figure 2.2 Attaching the adapter to a PROM programmer (PCA4738D or PCA7402D)

## 2.3.2 For the PCA4738E and PCA7402E

As shown in Figure 2.3, attach the pin No. 1 of the connector (standard-pitch 32-pin pin-header mounted) to the No. 1 pin of the IC socket of the PROM programmer.

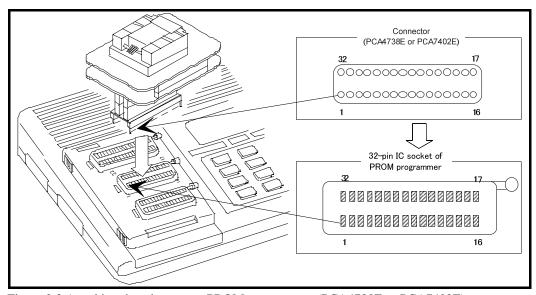


Figure 2.3 Attaching the adapter to a PROM programmer (PCA4738E or PCA7402E)



## **⚠** CAUTION

Be careful when attaching to the PROM programmer because an incorrect insertion can cause fatal damage to the MCU.

## 2.4 Switch Settings

## 2.4.1 Switches SW1 and SW2

(1) For PCA4738S-42A and PCA4738F-42A

Set the switches SW1 and SW2 according to the output format of the MCU ports. See Table 2.2 and Figure 2.4.

Table 2.2 Switch settings (PCA4738S-42A and PCA4738F-42A)

| Switch | Output format |      | Switch setting |
|--------|---------------|------|----------------|
|        | P00P03        | CMOS | CMOS           |
| SW1    |               | Pch  | Pch            |
|        |               | Nch  | Nch            |
|        | P04P07        | CMOS | CMOS           |
| SW2    |               | Pch  | Pch            |
|        |               | Nch  | Nch            |

(2) For all adapters except the PCA4738S-42A and PCA4738F-42A

Set the switches SW1 and SW2 according to the output format of the MCU ports. See Table 2.3 and Figure 2.4.

Table 2.3 Switch settings (all adapters except PCA4738S-42A and PCA4738F-42A)

| Switch | Output format |      | Switch setting |
|--------|---------------|------|----------------|
|        | P20P23        | CMOS | CMOS           |
| SW1    |               | Pch  | Pch            |
|        |               | Nch  | Nch            |
|        | P24P27        | CMOS | CMOS           |
| SW2    |               | Pch  | Pch            |
|        |               | Nch  | Nch            |

## 2.4.2 Switch SW3

Table 2.4 Switch settings of SW3

| MCU type name       | Switch setting |
|---------------------|----------------|
| M38103E6SS/SP/FS/FP |                |
| M38114E8SS/SP/FS/FP |                |
| M38174E8FS/FP       | ON             |
| M38177ECFS/FP       |                |
| M38185EEFS/FP       |                |
| Other MCUs          | OFF            |

## **⚠** CAUTION



The PC4738S-42A and PCA4738F-42A do not have switch SW3.

Table 2.5 Examples of switch settings

| Group | Example  | SW1  | SW2  |
|-------|----------|------|------|
| 7500  | M37500E8 | CMOS | CMOS |
| 7510  | M37510E6 | CMOS | CMOS |
| 7513  | M37513EF | CMOS | CMOS |
| 7560  | M37560EF | CMOS | CMOS |
| 3800  | M38002E2 | CMOS | CMOS |
| 3802  | M38022E4 | CMOS | CMOS |
| 3806  | M38067E8 | CMOS | CMOS |
| 3807  | M38073E4 | CMOS | CMOS |
| 3810  | M38102E5 | Pch  | CMOS |
| 3811  | M38112E4 | Pch  | CMOS |
| 3812  | M38123E6 | Pch  | CMOS |
| 3817  | M38177EC | CMOS | CMOS |
| 3818  | M38184EA | CMOS | CMOS |
| 3819  | M38197EA | Pch  | CMOS |
| 3820  | M38203E4 | CMOS | CMOS |
| 3822  | M38223E4 | CMOS | CMOS |
| 3825  | M38254E6 | CMOS | CMOS |
| 3826  | M38267E8 | CMOS | CMOS |
| 3850  | M38503E4 | CMOS | CMOS |
| 3851  | M38513E4 | CMOS | CMOS |
| 3874  | M38749EF | CMOS | CMOS |
| 3880  | M38802E2 | CMOS | CMOS |
| 3881  | M38813E4 | CMOS | CMOS |
| 3886  | M38867E8 | CMOS | CMOS |
| 3888  | M38881E2 | CMOS | CMOS |
| 3890  | M38903E4 | Nch  | Nch  |

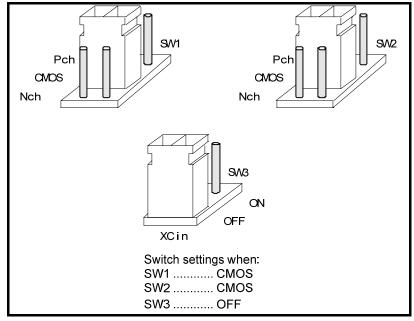


Figure 2.4 Example of switch settings

## 2.5 Mounting an MCU

As shown in Figures 2.5 and 2.6, insert the No. 1 pin of an MCU into the No. 1 pin of the IC socket.

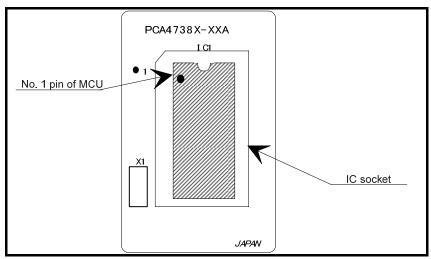


Figure 2.5 Mounting an MCU (adapters with DIP type IC socket)

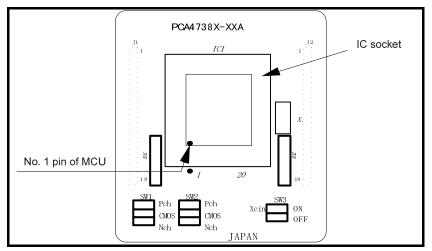


Figure 2.6 Mounting an MCU (adapters with QFP, SOP, LCC type IC socket)

# **⚠** CAUTION



Be careful when inserting the MCU because an incorrect insertion can cause fatal damage to the MCU.

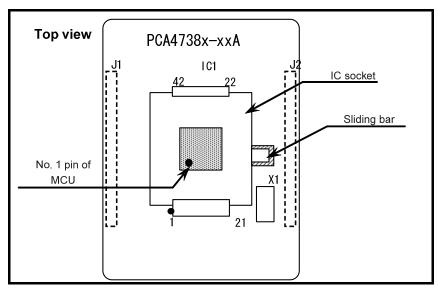


Figure 2.7 SOP Version IC Socket

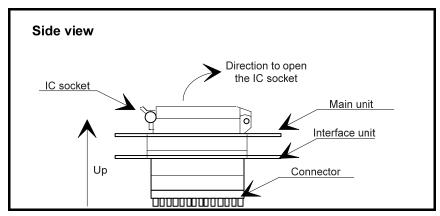


Figure 2.8 Opening and closing the IC socket

# **⚠** CAUTION

Caution to Be Taken for SOP Version IC Socket:



SOP version IC sockets (mounted on the PCA4738F-42A) have a sliding bar in the middle of the board. Be sure to keep the bar to the side of the diagonally shaded area imprinted on the board (factory-setting). An improper setting will cause fatal damage to the MCU due to faulty connections.

### Caution to Be Taken for Handling an MCU:



Do not directly touch the contact in the IC socket and the connector pins of this product because dirt may cause a faulty connection. When not using this product, attach the connector pins of this product to the conductive sponge as it was shipped from the factory.

### Caution to Be Taken for Opening and Closing the IC Socket:



When opening and closing the IC socket, hold the adapter horizontally as shown in Figure 2.8. Otherwise the inside of the IC socket may become damaged and cause a faulty connection.

## 2.6 Setting the Programming Area

To write the program into an MCU, be sure to set the programming area. And also, specify its device of the PROM programmer. The lists of programming areas and device are shown in Tables 2.6 to 2.9. Make note of the fact that the MCU whose ROM is 32 KB or less has two devices applicable. For the MCUs not listed in Tables 2.6 to 2.9, refer to each MCU's user's manual.

Table 2.6 List of programming areas and devices -38000 Series (PCA4738D or PCA7402D connector)

| MCU type name |  | ROM size    | PROM programmer |                  | ROM area   |
|---------------|--|-------------|-----------------|------------------|------------|
| MCU           | Applicable MCU   | ROW SIZE    | Device          | Programming area | of MCU     |
| M38XXXE2      | M38002E2<br>M38802E2<br>M38881E2   | About 8 KB  |                 | 6080h7FFDh       | E080hFFFDh |
| M38XXXE3      | Currently not available  | About 12 KB |                 | 5080h7FFDh       | D080hFFFDh |
| M38XXXE4      | M38002E4<br>M38022E4<br>M38073E4<br>M38112E4<br>M38203E4<br>M38223E4<br>M38813E4<br>M38903E4 | About 16 KB | M5M27C256A      | 4080h7FFDh       | C080hFFFDh |
| M38XXXE5      | M38102E5   | About 20 KB | IVISIVIZ/ CZSOA | 3080h7FFDh       | B080hFFFDh |
| M38XXXE6      | M38063E6<br>M38123E6<br>M38254E6   | About 24 KB |                 | 2080h7FFDh       | A080hFFFDh |
| M38XXXE7      | Currently not available  | About 28 KB |                 | 1080h7FFDh       | 9080hFFFDh |
| M38XXXE8      | M38004E8<br>M38027E8<br>M38067E8<br>M38184E8<br>M38207E8<br>M38257E8<br>M38267E8             | About 32 KB |                 | 0080h7FFDh       | 8080hFFFDh |

Table 2.7 List of programming areas and devices - 75xx Group (PCA4738D or PCA7402D connector)

| MCU type name |                         | ROM size    | PROM program | mer              | ROM area   |
|---------------|-------------------------|-------------|--------------|------------------|------------|
| MCU           | Applicable MCU          | KOW SIZE    | Device       | Programming area | of MCU     |
| M375XXE2      |                         | About 8 KB  |              | 6080h7FFDh       | E080hFFFDh |
| M375XXE3      | Currently not available | About 12 KB | M5M27C256A   | 5080h7FFDh       | D080hFFFDh |
| M375XXE4      |                         | About 16 KB |              | 4080h7FFDh       | C080hFFFDh |
| M375XXE5      | M37500E5                | About 20 KB |              | 3080h7FFDh       | B080hFFFDh |
| M375XXE6      | M37510E6                | About 24 KB |              | 2080h7FFDh       | A080hFFFDh |
| M375XXE7      | Currently not available | About 28 KB |              | 1080h7FFDh       | 9080hFFFDh |
| M375XXE8      | M37500E8                | About 32 KB |              | 0080h7FFDh       | 8080hFFFDh |

Table 2.8 List of programming areas and devices - 38000 Series (PCA4738E or PCA7402E connector)

| MCU type name |  | ROM size    | PROM programmer |                  | ROM area   |  |
|---------------|--|-------------|-----------------|------------------|------------|--|
| MCU           | Applicable MCU   | KOW SIZE    | Device          | Programming area | of MCU     |  |
| M38XXXE2      | Currently not available  | About 8 KB  |                 | E080hFFFDh       | E080hFFFDh |  |
| M38XXXE3      | Currently not available  | About 12 KB |                 | D080hFFFDh       | D080hFFFDh |  |
| M38XXXE4      | M38503E4<br>M38513E4   | About 16 KB |                 | C080hFFFDh       | C080hFFFDh |  |
| M38XXXE5      | Currently not available  | About 20 KB |                 | B080hFFFDh       | B080hFFFDh |  |
| M38XXXE6      | M38504E6<br>M38514E6   | About 24 KB |                 | A080hFFFDh       | A080hFFFDh |  |
| M38XXXE7      | Currently not available  | About 28 KB |                 | 9080hFFFDh       | 9080hFFFDh |  |
| M38XXXE8      | M38867E8   | About 32 KB |                 | 8080hFFFDh       | 8080hFFFDh |  |
| M38XXXE9      | Currently not available  | About 36 KB |                 | 7080hFFFDh       | 7080hFFFDh |  |
| M38XXXEA      | M38184EA<br>M38197EA   | About 40 KB |                 | 6080hFFFDh       | 6080hFFFDh |  |
| M38XXXEB      | Currently not available  | About 44 KB | M5M27C101       | 5080hFFFDh       | 5080hFFFDh |  |
| M38XXXEC      | M38067EC<br>M38127EC<br>M38177EC<br>M38198EC<br>M38199EC<br>M38227EC | About 48 KB |                 | 4080hFFFDh       | 4080hFFFDh |  |
| M38XXXED      | Currently not available  | About 52 KB |                 | 3080hFFFDh       | 3080hFFFDh |  |
| M38XXXEE      | M38185EE   | About 56 KB |                 | 2080hFFFDh       | 2080hFFFDh |  |
| M38XXXEF      | M38079EF<br>M38259EF<br>M3826AEF<br>M38749EF                         | About 60 KB |                 | 1080hFFFDh       | 1080hFFFDh |  |

Table 2.9 List of programming areas and devices - 75xx Group (PCA4738E or PCA7402E connector)

| MCU type name |                           | ROM size    | PROM progra | PROM programmer  |            |  |
|---------------|---------------------------|-------------|-------------|------------------|------------|--|
| MCU           | Applicable MCU            | KOW SIZE    | Device      | Programming area | of MCU     |  |
| M375XXE2      |                           | About 8 KB  |             | E080hFFFDh       | E080hFFFDh |  |
| M375XXE3      | Currently not available   | About 12 KB |             | D080hFFFDh       | D080hFFFDh |  |
| M375XXE4      |                           | About 16 KB |             | C080hFFFDh       | C080hFFFDh |  |
| M375XXE5      |                           | About 20 KB |             | B080hFFFDh       | B080hFFFDh |  |
| M375XXE6      | M37527E6 About 24 KB      |             |             | A080hFFFDh       | A080hFFFDh |  |
| M375XXE7      |                           | About 28 KB | M5M27C101   | 9080hFFFDh       | 9080hFFFDh |  |
| M375XXE8      |                           | About 32 KB |             | 8080hFFFDh       | 8080hFFFDh |  |
| M375XXE9      |                           | About 36 KB |             | 7080hFFFDh       | 7080hFFFDh |  |
| M375XXEA      | Currently not available   | About 40 KB |             | 6080hFFFDh       | 6080hFFFDh |  |
| M375XXEB      | - Currently not available | About 44 KB |             | 5080hFFFDh       | 5080hFFFDh |  |
| M375XXEC      |                           | About 48 KB |             | 4080hFFFDh       | 4080hFFFDh |  |
| M375XXED      |                           | About 52 KB |             | 3080hFFFDh       | 3080hFFFDh |  |
| M375XXEE      |                           | About 56 KB |             | 2080hFFFDh       | 2080hFFFDh |  |
| M375XXEF      | M37513EF<br>M37560EF      | About 60 KB |             | 1080hFFFDh       | 1080hFFFDh |  |

## 2.7 Recommended PROM Programmers

The PROM programmers listed in Table 2.10 are recommended for the adapters. Using the actual products, we have verified that these PROM programmers can be used to write programs without problem. Nonconformity occurring by using any other PROM programmers can not be supported.

For the latest types of PROM programmer, please contact the manufacturer to confirm whether it can be used for your product.

Table 2.10 Recommended PROM programmers

| Manufacturer             | Type name | Device                       |            | Programming voltage (Vpp) |
|--------------------------|-----------|------------------------------|------------|---------------------------|
| Advantest<br>Corporation | TR4943    | M5L27256 mode (Mitsubishi)   |            | 12.5[V]                   |
|                          | R4945     | M5M27C256A mode (Mitsubishi) |            |                           |
|                          |           | M5M27C101 mode (Mitsubishi)  | Write-byte |                           |
|                          | R4945A    | M5M27C256A mode (Mitsubishi) |            |                           |
|                          |           | M5M27C101 mode (Mitsubishi)  |            |                           |

<sup>\*</sup> TR4943, R4945 and R4945A are products of Advantest Corporation.

## 3. Troubleshooting (Action in Case of an Error)

Be sure to check the following before seeking technical support.

## 3.1 Errors That Occur When Writing to PROM

### 3.1.1 When Newly Purchased

| Cause               | Check point   | See page |
|---------------------|---|----------|
| Programming adapter | Is the correct connector selected?                          | 15       |
|                     | Is the adapter attached to the correct position of the PROM | 16       |
|                     | programmer?   |          |
| adapter             | Are the switches on the adapter set correctly?              | 17       |
|                     | Is the MCU attached to the correct position?                | 19       |
| PROM programmer     | Is the area specification set correctly?                    | 21-22    |
| Produi programmer   | Is the correct device selected?                             | 15, 23   |
| Contact failure     | The IC socket of the PROM programmer may be stained.        |          |
| Contact failure     | The socket needs replacing.                                 | _        |

### 3.1.2 Previously Written Normally

| Cause               | Check point   | See page |
|---------------------|---|----------|
|                     | Is the correct connector selected?  | 15       |
| Programming adapter | Is the adapter attached to the correct position of the PROM programmer?                           | 16       |
|                     | Are the switches on the adapter set correctly?  | 17       |
|                     |   |          |
|                     | Is the MCU attached to the correct position?  | 19       |
| PROM programmer     | Is the area specification set correctly?  | 21-22    |
| PROM programmer     | Is the correct device selected?   | 15, 23   |
|                     | The IC socket of the PROM programmer may be stained.  |          |
| Contact failure     | The socket needs replacing.   | -        |
| Contact failure     | The connector with which the PROM programmer contacts may be stained. Clean it with alcohol, etc. | -        |

### 3.1.3 MCU Does Not Function Normally

In the case that the program operates normally on the emulator, but when the MCU that has normally been written is attached the same program does not function normally:

- (1) Is the offset address specified correctly when copying data into the PROM programmer?
- (2) In the emulator, NOPs are often inserted in the area where the program has not been read, therefore the program happens to appear functioning normally even though it may have gone wild. Check your program again.
- (3) The emulator and the actual MCU may differ in characteristics. Consult the user's manual of the emulator to check for differences in characteristics again.

# **⚠** CAUTION

Caution to Be Taken for Mass Programming



This product is a development supporting unit for use in your program development and evaluation stages. Therefore, it is not designed for mass-programming in mass production.

Increased frequency of use causes programming failure due to the wear-out or dirt, etc. on the following parts:

- (1) Wear-out or dirt on the contact in the IC socket of this product
- (2) Wear-out or dirt on the contact of the PROM programmer's socket Replacing the PROM programmer's socket may ease the problem.

#### 3.2 Other Precautions

### 3.2.1 About Recommended PROM Programmers

Not all PROM programmers available on the market can be checked to see if they function properly. There are several PROM programmers that we have verified to function properly. These products are listed as recommended PROM programmers in the user's manual. Other PROM programmers may also be used providing that you verified them to function properly.

Note: No matter which type of PROM programmer you use, it is necessary to verify completion of programming by executing screening, etc. that are stipulated for each microcomputer used.

### 3.2.2 About Reading Out of the Device Identification Code\*1

Please do not use the PROM programmer's device identification code readout function. Using this function may break down the MCU. The device identification code is included in EPROM to indicate the manufacturer code and device code; it is not included in the MCU.

\*1 Depending on PROM programmer manufacturers, this may be referred to by another name (e.g. ID code).

## 3.3 How to Request for Support

After checking the items in "3 Troubleshooting", fill in the text file which is downloaded from the following URL, then send the information to your local distributor.

http://tool-support.renesas.com/eng/toolnews/registration/support.txt

For prompt response, please specify the following information:

- (1)Contact address
- Company name
- Department
- Responsible person
- Phone number
- E-mail address
- (2)Product information
- Name of the programming adapter
- Serial number
- Date of purchase
- Target MCU
- Symptoms (Fails blank check/Cannot write a program/Fails verification etc.)
- Detailed symptoms
- How often does the problem occur? (2 out of 10 etc.)
- -When did the problem start to occur? (Since purchase/Used to work correctly)
- Type name of the PROM programmer (Advantest R4945A etc.)
- Specified device when writing to PROM (M27C101 etc.)
- Specified programming area when writing to PROM
- Switch settings of the adapter when writing to PROM

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