STM32 MCU family

32-bit Flash microcontrollers powered by ARM® Cortex™-M3



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Welcome to the world of STM32

Releasing your creativity

The STM32 family of 32-bit Flash microcontrollers is based on the breakthrough ARM Cortex-M3 core – a core specifically developed for embedded applications requiring a combination of high performance, low power and low cost. The STM32 family benefits from the Cortex-M3 architectural enhancements, including the Thumb-2® instruction set to deliver improved performance combined with better code density, and a tightly coupled nested vectored interrupt controller for significantly faster response to interrupts, all combined with industry-leading power consumption. STMicroelectronics was a lead partner in developing the Cortex-M3 core and is now the first leading MCU supplier to introduce a product family based on the core.

The STM32 family is built to offer new degrees of freedom to MCU users. It offers a complete 32-bit product range that combines high performance, low power and low voltage, while maintaining full integration and ease of development.

It eases migration from the 16-bit world thanks to its high level of features integration, its easy-to-use architecture, its low power capability and cost-effectiveness.

This new family will enable you to create new applications, and design in the innovations you have been long dreaming about.

The right core

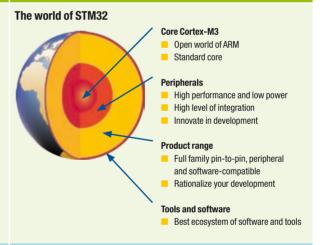
The STM32 is built around the industry-standard ARM 32-bit RISC architecture. The Cortex-M3 is the latest core from ARM.

The Cortex-M3 core targets the microcontroller and embedded markets. The advanced architectural features of the Cortex-M3 processor reduce memory size while delivering industry-leading performance in a small, power-efficient RISC core. It thus provides an ideal platform for the migration of many different applications around the world from legacy devices to 32-bit microcontroller world.

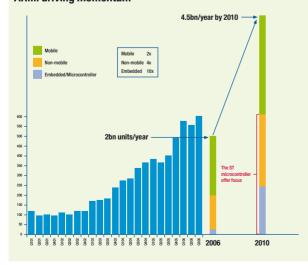




The right choice



ARM: driving momentum



The STM32 family gives you more performance and features without compromising power and cost.

As a result:

- 1. You access the open world of ARM technology with a standard core and the best ecosystem of software and tools
- 2. You rationalize your development, because the same family fits many platforms
- 3. You innovate in your projects with the latest software technology (such as RTOS), and by rethinking your hardware and software partitioning to bring breakthrough improvements in your applications

The STM32 key benefits

- Leading-edge architecture with the latest Cortex-M3 core from ARM
- Superior and innovative peripherals
- Outstanding power efficiency
- Maximum integration
- Easy development, fast time to market



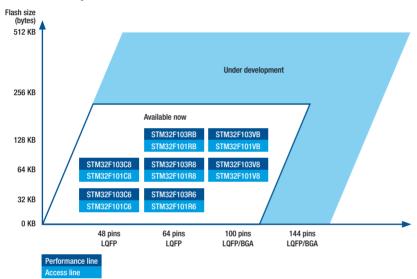
STM32, the optimal platform choice

The STM32 is an optimal choice to support many applications with the same platform:

- From reduced memory and pin requirements to larger needs
- From performance demanding to battery operated
- From simple cost-sensitive to complex high-value

The high level of pin-to-pin, peripheral and software compatibility across the family gives you full flexibility. You can upgrade to a higher or downgrade to a lower memory size, or use different packages without changing your initial layout or software.

STM32F10x portfolio



72 MHz Cortex-M3 CPU – wide selection of devices:

- 6 KB to 20 KB SRAM
- Two lines: Performance and Access
- Pin-to-pin, software and peripheral compatibility across family
- 2.0 to 3.6 V power supply/ 5 V tolerant I/Os
- -40 to +85°C or up to 105°C operating temperature range

Device summary

Part number		Program memory type		RAM (Bytes)	Timer functions		Serial interface	I/Os (High	Packages	Supply voltage
		Flash			12 or 16-bit (IC/OC/PWM)	Others		current 2)		voitage
STM32 (ARM Cortex-M3) - 32-bit Microcontrollers										
48	STM32F101C6	•	32 K	6 K	2x16-bit (8/8/8)		1xSPI/1xI2C/2xUSART*	32(32)	LQFP48	2 to 3.6 V
pins	STM32F101C8	•	64 K	10 K	2x16-bit (8/8/8)	2xWDG, RTC, 24-bit	2xSPI/2xI2C/3xUSART*	32(32)	LQFP48	2 to 3.6 V
64 pins	STM32F101R6	•	32 K	6 K	2x16-bit (12/12/12)		2xSPI/2xI2C/3xUSART*	49(49)	LQFP64	2 to 3.6 V
	STM32F101R8	•	64 K	10 K	3x16-bit (12/12/12)		2xSPI/2xI2C/3xUSART*	49(49)	LQFP64	2 to 3.6 V
	STM32F101RB	•	128 K	16 K	3x16-bit (12/12/12)		2xSPI/2xI2C/3xUSART*	49(49)	LQFP64	2 to 3.6 V
100	STM32F101V8	•	64 K	10 K	3x16-bit (12/12/12)		2xSPI/2xI2C/3xUSART*	80(80)	LQFP100	2 to 3.6 V
pins	STM32F101VB	•	128 K	16 K	3x16-bit (12/12/12)		2xSPI/2xI2C/3xUSART*	80(80)	LQFP100	2 to 3.6 V
48	STM32F103C6	•	32 K	10 K	3x16-bit (12/12/14)		1xSPI/1xI2C/2xUSART*/USB/CAN	32(32)	LQFP48	2 to 3.6 V
pins	STM32F103C8	•	64 K	20 K	4x16-bit (16/16/18)	counter	2xSPI/2xI2C/3xUSART*/USB/CAN	32(32)	LQFP48	2 to 3.6 V
64 pins	STM32F103R6	•	32 K	10 K	3x16-bit (12/12/14)		1xSPI/2xI2C/3xUSART*/USB/CAN	49(49)	LQFP64	2 to 3.6 V
	STM32F103R8	•	64 K	20 K	4x16-bit (16/16/18)		2xSPI/2xI2C/3xUSART*/USB/CAN	49(49)	LQFP64	2 to 3.6 V
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Applications

Industrial:

- PLC
- Inverters
- Printers, scanners
- Industrial networking

Building and security:

- Alarm systems
- Video intercom
- HVAC

Low power:

- Glucose meters
- Power meters
- Battery operated applications

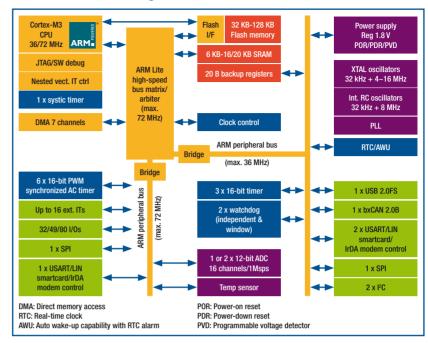
Appliances:

- Motor drive
- Application control

Consumer:

- PC peripherals, gaming
- Digital camera, GPS platforms

STM32F10x block diagram



STM32, more choice with two complete lines

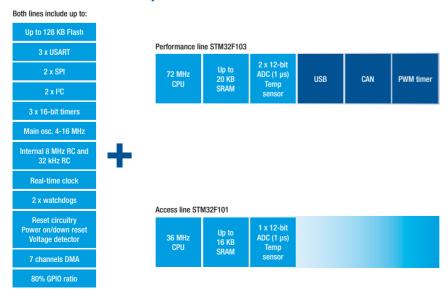
The Performance line, STM32F103, operates at 72 MHz, with more on-chip RAM and peripherals. The Access line, STM32F101, operates at 36 MHz. Both lines are pin-to-pin and software-compatible, and offer the same embedded Flash options.

The Performance line takes the 32-bit MCU world to new levels of performance and energy efficiency.

With its Cortex-M3 core at 72 MHz, it is able to perform high-end computation. Its peripheral set brings superior control and connectivity.

The Access line is the entry point of the STM32 family. It has the power of the 32-bit MCU but at a 16-bit MCU cost. Its peripheral set offers excellent connectivity and control.

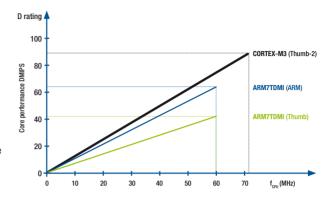
STM32F10x: two first product lines



STM32 key benefits

Leading-edge architecture with Cortex-M3 core

- Harvard architecture
- 1.25 DMIPS/MHz and 0.19 mW/MHz
- Thumb-2 instruction set brings 32-bit performance with 16-bit code density
- Single cycle multiply and hardware division
- Embedded, fast interrupt controller is now inside the core allowing:
 - Low latency down to six CPU cycles inter-interrupt
 - Six CPU cycles wake-up time from low power mode
- Up to 35% faster and up to 45% less code than ARM7TDMI®



Outstanding power efficiency

High performance does not mean high power consumption. We have taken special care to address three main energy requirements driven by the market:

- High dynamic power efficiency in running mode
- Extremely low power when the application is in standby
- Low voltage capability for direct battery operation

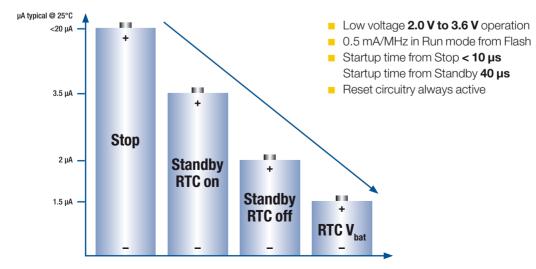
In run mode, executing from Flash at full 72 MHz CPU speed, the STM32 has a current consumption as low as 36 mA (0.5 mA/MHz). In standby mode, current consumption is as low as 2 μA typical. Finally, its 2.0 to 3.6 V power supply enables its use for battery operated applications.

The STM32 has three different low power modes and a versatile clocking scheme so that users can optimize power consumption versus performance.

The STM32 also embeds a real-time clock (RTC) running either from a 32 kHz quartz oscillator or an internal RC. The RTC has a separate power domain, with an embedded switchover to run either from a dedicated coin cell battery or from the main supply. Its typical current consumption is 1.5 μA at 3.3 V. It embeds 20 bytes for data backup.

Start-up time from low power modes is lower than 10 µs typical from stop mode, and 40 µs typical from standby mode and reset.

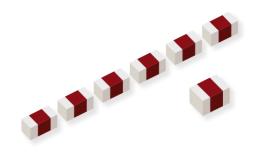
STM32F10x: Low power



High level of integration

- Built-in supervisor reduces need for external components:
 - Power-on reset, low voltage detect, brown-out detect, watchdog timer with independent clock
- One main crystal drives entire system:
 - Inexpensive 4-16 MHz crystal drives CPU, USB and all peripherals
 - Embedded PLL generates multiple frequencies
 - Optional 32 kHz crystal for RTC
- Embedded accurate 8 MHz RC can be used as main clock:
 - Factory trimmed
 - Additional low frequency RC for RTC or watchdog
- Only 7 external passive components required for base system on LQFP100 package

7 power capacitors only!



Superior and innovative peripherals

The STM32 benefits from a dual advanced peripheral bus (APB) architecture, one of which is a high-speed APB (up to CPU frequency). Peripherals have been connected on this bus to increase peripheral speed:

The need for speed	
USB	12 Mbit/s
USART	up to 4.5 Mbit/s
SPI	18 MHz master and slave
I ² C	400 kHz
GPI0	18 MHz maximum toggle
PWM timer	72 MHz clock input

Motor control

The STM32 performance line embeds timers and ADC features that are perfectly suited to three-phase brushless motor control. The advanced control PWM timer offers:

- Six outputs
- Dead-time generation
- Edge-aligned and center-aligned waveforms
- Emergency stop and synchronization capability with the dual ADC, synchronization capability with other timers
- Programmable smoke inhibit feature to protect registers against unwanted writing
- Encoder input

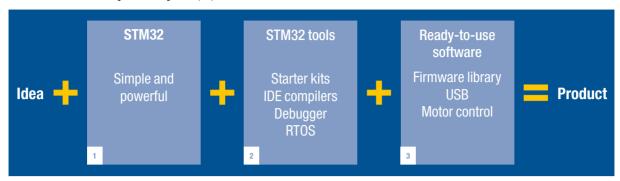
The dual ADC architecture allows dual sample and hold capability with 12-bit resolution, 1 μ s conversion time. The dual ADC is controlled by two independent sequencers with discontinuous mode, multiple trigger sources, and channel-by-channel programmable sampling time.

This dedicated set of peripherals combined with the high performance of the Cortex-M3 core allows your software to shorten the total vector control loop to typically 20 μ s (sensor mode, three-phase PMSM motor). The CPU load is below 25% at 10 kHz current sampling frequency.



STM32 easy development, fast time to market

From ideas to reality. As easy as 1, 2, 3



STM32 firmware library

The STM32 firmware library provides easy access to all features of the standard device peripherals of the STM32. This free software package provides drivers for all standard device features and peripherals from GPIO and timers to CAN, I²C, EMI, SPI, UART, ADC and more.

The fully documented and tested C source code requires only basic knowledge of C programming, is compatible with any C compiler for ARM core-based microcontrollers, and is MISRA C-compliant (latest rules).

The STM32 library shares the same API with the STR7 and STR9 libraries.

USB developer kit

The USB developer kit facilitates USB implementation in a full range of applications by providing a complete, USB-certified firmware package that allows developers to painlessly develop any flavor of USB firmware including:

- Control transfer with generic device management tasks
- Interrupt transfer with HID mouse/joystick demo
- Bulk transfer with mass storage demo
- Isochronous transfer with voice speaker/microphone demo

The kit implements DFU for firmware updates on USB, and Virtual COM (CDC class) for emulation of an RS232 interface on USB.



STM32 motor control firmware library for vector drive

Optimized and documented C firmware libraries for control of both PMSM and AC induction brushless motors in vector mode (FOC) are provided for free upon request.

These modular libraries support both types of motors in standalone mode using ST hardware. The source files are provided free of charge and are MISRA C (latest rules)-compliant, which helps for compliancy with IEC60730.

Internet support

The latest news, downloads and documentation for STM32 microcontrollers can be found at: www.st.com/stm32

Here, you will also find:

- A complete selection guide for ST microcontrollers and development tools
- Downloads of free software and documentation
- Microcontroller and application-specific online forums and FAQs

For further information about a specific third-party tool, please visit the website of the relevant third-party tool supplier.

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Development tools

ST's 32-bit STM32 microcontrollers are supported by a complete range of high-end and low-cost development tools. This extensive line includes easy-to-use starter kits, complete development tool solutions, programming tools and embedded operating systems, all tailored for STM32 ARM Cortex-M3-based MCUs.

Third-party software and tools

Users can choose from a full range of development solutions that deliver start to finish control of application development from a single environment. Solutions come with in-circuit emulators, and offer project management, source editing, application building and debugging from a single, easy-to-use graphical interface. They are available for all popular C/C++ compilers compatible with ARM cores.

IDE supplier	Contact
Hitex:	www.hitex.com
IAR:	www.iar.com
Keil:	www.keil.com
Raisonance:	www.raisonance.com
Rowley:	www.rowley.co.uk

The STM32 is already supported by a range of portable royalty-free, small-footprint operating systems to meet a variety of application constraints from low cost to high security.

RTOS supplier	RTOS
Micrium: www.micrium.com	uC/OSII
www.FreeRTOS.org	FreeRTOS
Segger: www.segger.com	emb0S
Keil: www.keil.com	ARTX-ARM
IAR: www.iar.com	PowerPac
CMX Systems: www.cmx.com	CMX-RTX

Low-cost starter kits

As for our other ARM-based microcontrollers, we are developing with our partners a set of low-cost starter kits. These are complete (evaluation board, emulator, software toolset), low-cost, out-of-the-box solutions from Hitex, IAR, Keil and Raisonance for evaluating and starting development on the STM32.

Part number	Description
Hitex STM32 starter kit	Kit includes HiTOP5 (16 K code-size limited version), GNU C/C++ compiler, debugger and USB stick with STM32 device evaluation features and integrated in-circuit debugging/programming capability
IAR KickStart kit for STM32	Kit includes IAR Embedded Workbench for ARM (EWARM – 32 K code-size limited version), J-Link (USB/JTAG) in-circuit emulator and evaluation board for STM32
Keil STM32 starter kit	Kit includes RealView Microcontroller Development Kit for ARM (16 K code-size limited version) with ARM C/C++ compiler, ULINK (USB/JTAG) in-circuit emulator and evaluation board for STM32
Raisonance REva kit for STM32	Kit includes RIDE (32 K code-size limited version) with GNU C/C++ compiler, debugger, RLink (USB/JTAG) in-circuit emulator, demonstration motherboard and daughter board for STM32

Evaluation board STM3210B-EVAL

Complete hardware evaluation platform with the STM32F103, implementing the full range of device peripherals and features. Contact your ST sales office.





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