



DS80C390

Dual CAN High-Speed Microprocessor

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REVISION B4 ERRATA

The errata listed below describe situations where DS80C390 revision B4 components perform differently than expected or differently than described in the data sheet. Dallas Semiconductor intends to correct these errata in subsequent die revisions.

This errata sheet only applies to DS80C390 revision B4 components. Revision B4 components are branded on the topside of the package with a six-digit code in the form yywwB4, where yy and ww are two-digit numbers representing the year and workweek of manufacture, respectively. To obtain an errata sheet on another DS80C390 die revision, visit the website at www.maxim-ic.com/errata.

1. CURRENT CONSUMPTION EXCEEDS SPECIFICATIONS

Description:

Current consumption can exceed the data sheet specifications. Listed below is the maximum current consumption in various operating modes.

I_{CC} at 40MHz: 160mA

I_{IDLE} at 40MHz: 100mA

I_{STOP} : Due to specification variations, this parameter is not tested and is not recommended for critical applications. Please contact the factory for more information.

I_{SPBG} : Due to specification variations, this parameter is not tested and is not recommended for critical applications. Please contact the factory for more information.

Work Around:

None

2. I_{TL} EXCEEDS SPECIFICATIONS

Description:

I_{TL} maximum can be as high as $-700\mu A$.

Work Around:

None

3. R_{RST} EXCEEDS SPECIFICATIONS

Description:

R_{RST} maximum can be as high as $300k\Omega$.

Work Around:

None

4. RESTRICTIONS ON ACALL OR LCALL INSTRUCTION IN 24-BIT CONTIGUOUS MODE

Description:

While operating in the 24-bit contiguous addressing mode, the execution of an ACALL or LCALL instruction when the return address is located within 4 bytes of a 64kB address boundary can result in incorrect data being pushed onto the stack.

Work Around:

Ensure that the return addresses are not located within 4 bytes of a 64kB page boundary.

5. INTERRUPT WHILE SETTING IDLE BIT CAN CORRUPT OPERATION

Description:

Device operation may be corrupted if an interrupt occurs during the execution of the instruction that sets the idle bit (PCON.0). Interrupts that are enabled and acknowledged after the idle state has been entered are handled normally and cause an exit from the idle state.

Work Around:

Software can be used to detect which interrupts are imminent and to put off entering the idle state until the interrupt. The detection technique is specific to the type of interrupts that are used/enabled in the application:

Serial Port: If a serial port interrupt is enabled, poll the least significant nibble of the Status (C5h) SFR. If all 4 bits are clear, then no serial port transmit or receive operation is in progress and the idle bit can be safely set. If any of the 4 bits are set, loop until clear.

Timer 0, 1, or 2: Read the timer value, and, if close to its rollover value, delay until the timer has rolled over.

CAN0/1 and CAN Bus Activity Interrupts: Under certain circumstances it is possible to have CAN interrupts enabled and use the idle feature at the same time. This can be accomplished by polling the CAN bus active bits (CAN0BA and/or CAN1BA) to confirm if CAN activity, which might generate an interrupt, is ongoing. If both bits are clear, then no CAN operation is in progress and the idle bit can be safely set. Note that this scheme may not work in some networks because of the high rate of CAN activity.

Watchdog Timer: Reset the watchdog timer before entering idle mode.

Power-Fail Interrupt: No work around. Do not use the power-fail interrupt if the idle mode is also used.

External Interrupts: By their nature, external interrupts are asynchronous and very difficult to predict. By careful examination of the application it is possible to find windows of time during which the idle mode can be safely invoked without fear of an external interrupt occurring at the same time. In this way, it may be possible to use external interrupts and the idle mode in the same application.

6. INT0 AND INT1 PINS REQUIRE SYNCHRONIZED INPUT

Description:

The input pins of INT0 and INT1 can fail to detect transitions in edge mode if the transitions occur at specific times during the sampling process. This situation does not occur with interrupt signals that are synchronized to processor operation.

Work Around:

Qualify the input on the previously mentioned signals so that they do not transition during the sampling window. This can be easily done by gating the input signal with a D-type flip-flop using the falling edge of ALE as a clocking signal.

7. UPDATE OF CAN INTRQ, DTUP BITS BLOCKED BY SIMULTANEOUS SOFTWARE WRITE

Description:

Under the following conditions, the INTRQ and DTUP bits for a message center can fail to be updated by an incoming message:

- 1) An incoming message has been received in a message center,
- 2) The internal CAN hardware sets the INTRQ bit of that message center, and
- 3) Software simultaneously clears the INTRQ bit of any other message center in the same CAN module.

There is no direct way to detect this condition because of the invisibility of the internal CAN hardware operations and the asynchronous nature of CAN communications.

Work Around:

Although the INTRQ and DTUP bits are not set, CAN receive message-stored register (CxRMS0 and CxRMS1) and the CAN transmit message-acknowledgment register (CxTMA0 and CxTMA1) bits are still updated to show activity associated with the corresponding message center. After clearing any INTRQ bit, interrogate the CxRMS0, CxRMS1, CxTMA0, and CxTMA1 registers. Indication of activity in those registers points to either a missed setting of the INTRQ or new activity in another message center. In either case, service the message centers as appropriate.

8. UPDATE OF CAN MTRQ BIT BLOCKED BY SIMULTANEOUS SOFTWARE WRITE

Description:

Under the following conditions, the MTRQ bit for a message center can fail to be updated by the CAN hardware. This can cause multiple transmissions of a message until the condition is cleared.

- 1) The internal CAN hardware attempts to modify the MTRQ bit of a particular message center, either to signal that a message has been transmitted, or is transmitting in response to a remote frame request.
- 2) Software simultaneously modifies the MTRQ bit of any other message center in the same CAN module.

The effect of this condition depends on the use of the MTRQ bit:

- 1) If hardware attempted to clear the MTRQ bit to signal that a message has been successfully transmitted, the MTRQ bit is not cleared. As a result, the message is resent until the condition clears, at which time the MTRQ bit will be cleared.
- 2) If hardware attempted to set the MTRQ bit in response to a remote frame request, then the remote frame request is received but the MTRQ bit is not automatically set.

There is no direct way to detect this condition because of the invisibility of the internal CAN hardware operations and the asynchronous nature of CAN communications.

Work Around:

The work around depends on the use of the MTRQ bit:

- 1) *The MTRQ bit is being used to signal that a message has been successfully transmitted:*
Ensure that the system level software can tolerate multiple resends of the same message. Alternatively, a polling routine can be used to wait until all MTRQ bits of all message centers are 0. When all MTRQ bits of all message centers are 0, there is no pending CAN activity that could simultaneously write to the MTRQ bit while software sets it to initiate a transmission.
- 2) *The MTRQ bit is being used to in conjunction with a remote frame request:*
As a result of this erratum, the automatic frame request reply feature cannot be supported. Use the nonautomatic frame-request reply feature.

9. READS OF C0RMSX OR C0TMAX CAN UNINTENTIONALLY AFFECT OTHER SFRs

Description:

Reads of the CAN 0 transmit message-acknowledgement registers or the CAN 0 receive message-stored registers can unintentionally clear the corresponding SFR in the CAN 1 module. For example, reading C0RMS0 clears C1RMS0. Affected registers include C0RMS0, C0RMS1, C0TMA0, C0TMA1, C1RMS0, C1RMS1, C1TMA0, and C1TMA1.

Work Around:

When reading one of the above CAN 0 SFRs, first read and store the corresponding CAN 1 SFR to preserve its contents. For example, if software desires to read C0RMS0, first read the C1RMS0 and store off the contents to a dedicated shadow memory location. Then read C0RMS0 normally. When it is desired to read C1RMS0, read it and logically OR its contents with the shadow register. This workaround requires 4 bytes of memory to shadow the contents of the C1RMS0, C1RMS1, C1TMA0, and C1TMA1 registers.

The software examples below use direct RAM to shadow the SFRs. One example routine is shown for reading affected SFRs associated with CAN 0, another routine for reading affected SFRs associated with CAN 1.

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; Reading C0TMAx or C0RMSx. This example reads C0TMA0
MOV R0, #C1TMA0_addr ; Point to shadow location for C1TMA0.
MOV @R0, C1TMA0      ; Copy C1TMA0 to shadow location.
MOV A, C0TMA0        ; Read C0TMA0.

; Reading C1TMAx or C1RMSx. This example reads C1TMA0
MOV R0, #C1TMA0_addr ; Point to shadow location for C1TMA0.
MOV A, C1TMA0        ; Get current value of C1TMA0.
ORL A, @R0           ; ORL with prev value stored in shadow loc.
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10. FIRST CODE FETCH FOLLOWING RESET CAN EXHIBIT DIFFERENT TIMING

Description:

The first code fetch following a reset occurs early. This could result in incorrect program execution.

Work Around:

The work around depends on whether multiplexed or nonmultiplexed addressing is used.

Multiplexed: The first instruction of the program, located at 000000h, must be an NOP (00h). Because the reset vector is only 3 bytes long, the next instruction must be an SJMP to another location where an LJMP redirects program flow to the start of the main program. The combination of the address bus and op code being all 0s ensures that the NOP and subsequent instructions are executed correctly.

Nonmultiplexed: Assume that for the first cycle following a reset the t_{MCS} factor is $3 t_{CLCL}$.

11. RESTRICTIONS ON DIV AB INSTRUCTION

Description:

The DIV AB instruction may return erroneous results if the following instructions access the A register immediately before the DIV AB instruction. Affected are:

RL A	MOVX A, @Ri
RLC A	MOVX A, @DPTR
RR A	XCH A, Rn
RRC A	XCH A, direct
SWAP A	XCH A, @Ri
MOVC A, @A+DPTR	XCHD A, @Ri
MOVC A, @A+PC	

Work Around:

It is common programming practice to load both the A and B registers right before executing the DIV AB. Shown are correct and incorrect examples. These examples show the MOV A,#data instruction, but apply to any of the above instructions that write to the A register.

MOV B, #data	MOV A, #data	MOV B, #data
MOV A, #data	MOV B, #data	MOV A, #data
DIV AB ; *INCORRECT*	DIV AB ; CORRECT	NOP
		DIV AB ; CORRECT

12. CAN AUTOBAUD MODE RXS BIT FUNCTION CLARIFIED

Description:

When either CAN is operating in autobaud mode, the RXS bit in the CxS SFR will only be set upon reception of a valid (i.e., no bus errors) identifier that matches one or more of the message IDs programmed into the CAN module. The documentation implies that the RXS bit should be set if a valid identifier is received, even if the identifier did not match any of the message IDs programmed into the CAN module.

Work Around:

If it is desired to use the autobaud mode to monitor bus activity and set RXS when any message is successfully received, the user should enable a message center to receive messages with any ID. Upon exit from autobaud mode, this message center can be reconfigured for other uses.