



requested. One transmission set consists of 8 clock pulses during which the rising edge of each clock pulse is used to transfer data (ADCON register value) from the PIC17C4X to the PIC16C710 and the falling edge of each clock pulse is used to transfer data (ADRES register value) from the PIC16C710 to the PIC17C4X. This method results in a quick transfer of data back and forth from the two processors. This method of transfer also implies that when the master is requesting for a new A/D value from the slave, it is receiving the A/D result of the last request. The two 8-bit register values (ADCON and ADRES) are maintained in the PIC17C4X and the PIC16C710. The PIC17C4X maintains ADCON and ADRES in general purpose RAM. The PIC16C710 maintains the ADCON in general purpose RAM and the ADRES as a special function register. As seen by its name the ADRES is the register which contains the result of the A/D conversion. ADCON register on the other hand is a merger of various bits from the ADCON0 and ADCON1 special function register defined in the PIC16C710. The definitions for ADCON bits are as below:

ADCON bit #	PIC16C710 definitions	PIC16C710 bit assignments
0	PCFG0	ADCON1<0>
1	PCFG1	ADCON1<1>
2	GO/DONE	ADCON0<2>
3	CHS0	ADCON0<3>
4	CHS1	ADCON0<4>
5	Not used	Not Used
6	ADCS0	ADCON0<6>
7	ADCS1	ADCON0<7>

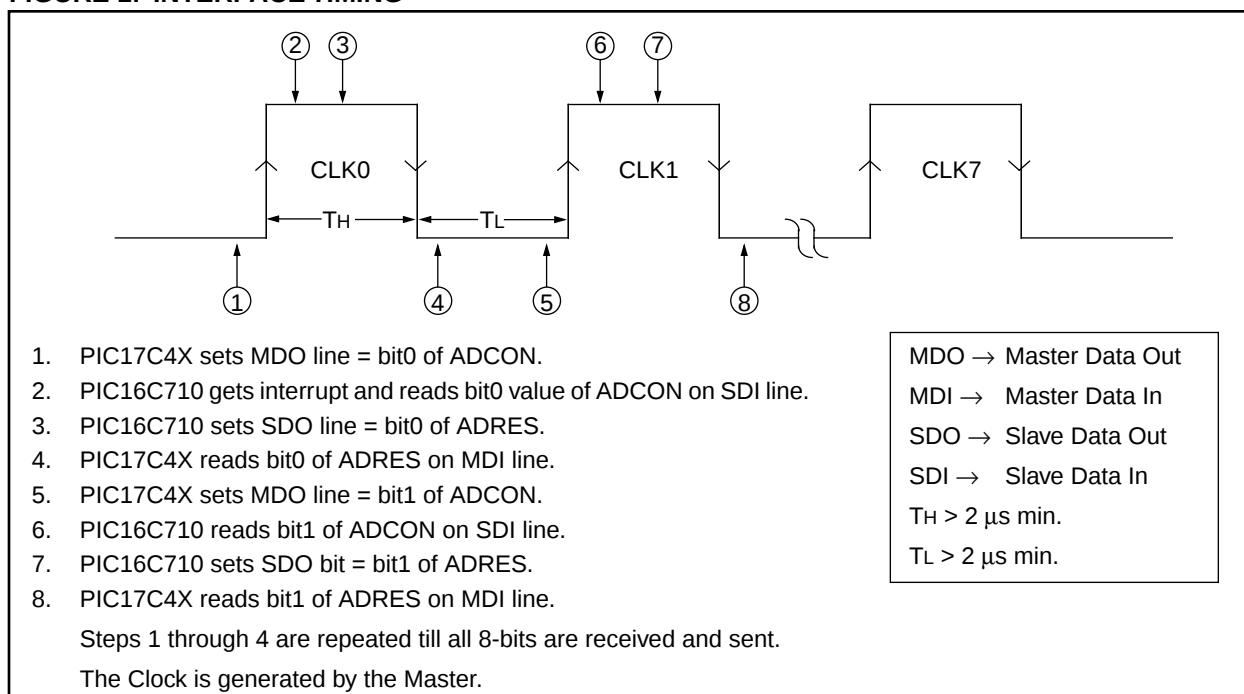
With this setup the user has full control and access to all the A/D configuration features of the PIC16C710. In the example code in Appendix A and Appendix B, the PORTA pins have been all selected as digital I/O and the A/D conversion clock is the internal RC oscillator.

A key feature of this arrangement is the simplicity of the interface. To minimize the number of I/O lines used, the master can reset the slave without having to use the slave's Master Clear (MCLR) pin. This can be accomplished by using the PIC16C710's Watchdog Timer (WDT) enabled with a time-out of 18 ms. Once the leading edge of the transfer string is initiated, the master has 8 ms in which to complete the transfer. If the transfer takes longer than the WDT time-out, the WDT will time-out and the PIC16C710 will reset. This feature allows the master to reset the slave, at any time, by initiating a transfer but not completing it before the WDT times out. With a 1:1 prescaler setting, the PIC16C710's WDT will time out between 18 ms and 40 ms.

CONCLUSION

The addition of the PIC16C710 to a PIC17C4X gives the analog input capability to the high-end microcontroller family while only sacrificing 123 words of program memory and 2 bytes of RAM. The simple program in the PIC16C710 uses only 82 words of program memory and 3 bytes of RAM. Since only four pins on the PIC16C710 are used for analog input, the rest of the microcontroller can be used as general purpose I/O if needed.

FIGURE 1: INTERFACE TIMING



PERFORMANCE

The conversion rate is the addition of the SIO transfer rate as well as acquisition time rate:

The calculation is as follows:

$$[(2 + 2) \cdot 8 + 25] \mu s = 57 \mu s \Rightarrow 17.5 \text{ kHz.}$$

FIGURE 2: FLOWCHART FOR MASTER (PIC17C4X)

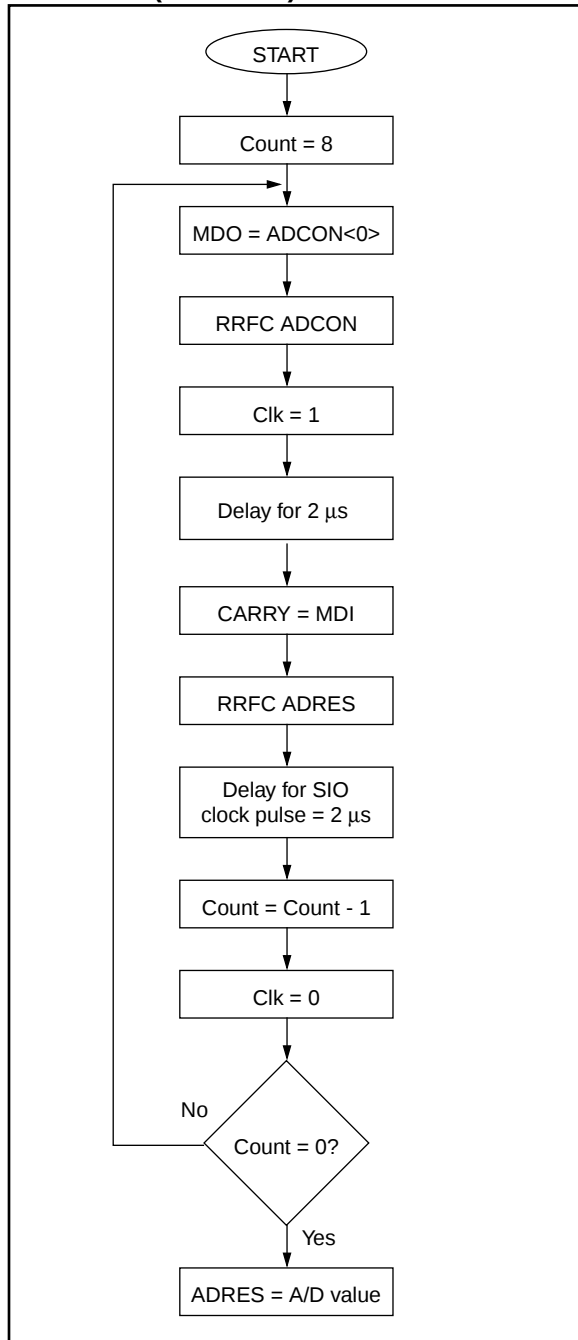
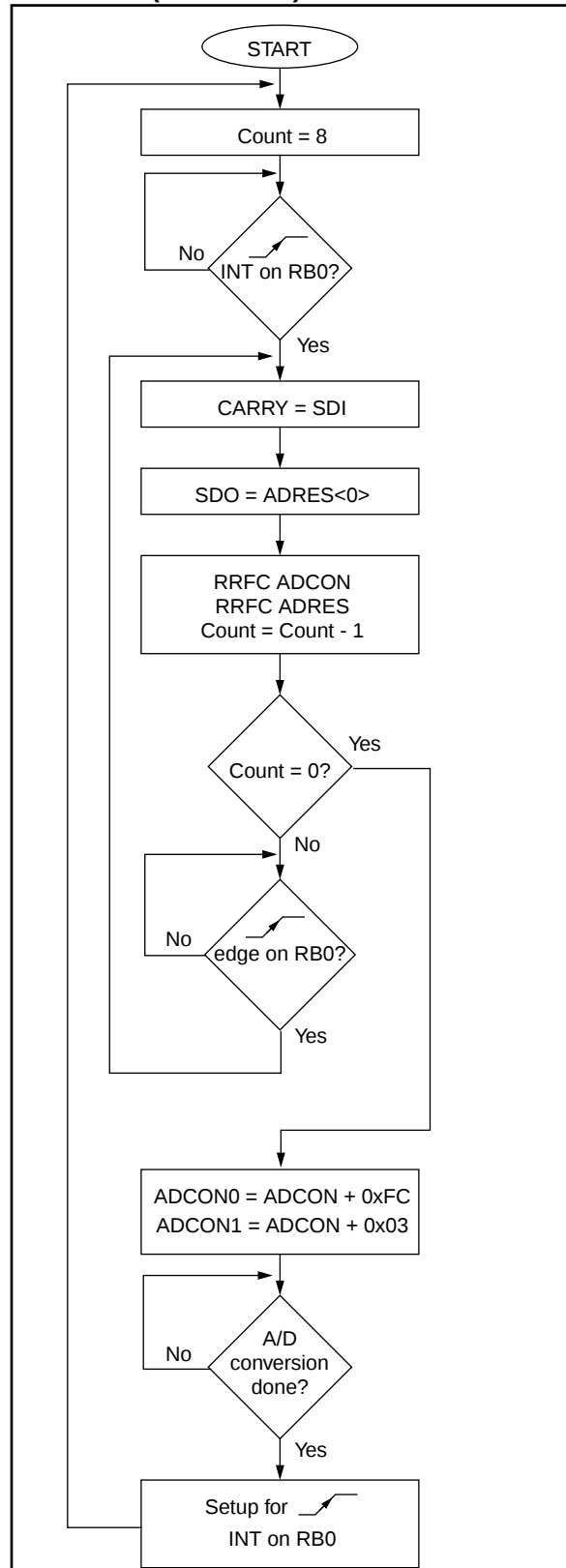


FIGURE 3: FLOWCHART FOR SLAVE (PIC16C710)



APPENDIX A: CODE FOR PIC17C4X (MASTER)

```
/* This program implements the master control of the ADC interface
with a PIC16C710 as a simple serial ADC device for use with the
PIC17C4X.
The 3 wire interface is as follows:
CLK --> RC0 output
D0  --> RC1 output
DI  --> RC2 input
The PIC17C4X will transmit an 8-bit byte to the PIC16C710
in order for it to configure registers ADCON1 and ADCON0 as follows:
Bit 0 --> PCFG0
Bit 1 --> PCFG1
BIT 2 --> Start
BIT 3 --> CHS0
BIT 4 --> CHS1
BIT 5 --> not used
BIT 6 --> ADCS0
BIT 7 --> ADCS1
The ADCON0 and ADCON1 registers are merged into one register
to help reduce the interface overhead. After all the 8 bits are
received, bits 0 and 1 are placed in ADCON1 and bits 3 to 7
are placed in ADCON0. Depending on the state of bit 2,
the A/D conversion is then started.
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```
The protocol basics are as follows:
Two registers are maintained in the PIC17C4X which are
used in the transfer:
ADCON --> ADCON1 merged with ADCON0
ADRES --> same as the AD result register
8 clock signals are used to transmit the ADRES value
and receive the next ADCON value. On the rising edge of
the clock the serial ADCON value is sent whilst on the
falling edge of the same clock the serial ADRES value
is read. In this manner an efficient transfer
rate is maintained with very little overhead to software
and more importantly rate of A/D conversion.
The PIC16C710 also maintains a replica of ADCON and ADRES
and does just the opposite of what the PIC17C4X does i.e
ADCON is received and ADRES is transmitted. The clock
master is always the PIC17C4X, the PIC16C710 is always the
slave. The transfer occurs as below:
Clock  Data IN(DI) Data OUT(DO)
-----
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```
Rising edge    N/A          RRF ADCON; C --> DO
Falling edge   read DI      N/A
```

This is repeated till all 8 bits are transmitted/received.

On receiving the 8-bit value, the ADCON1 and ADCON0 registers configured and the A/D conversion started. The result of the conversion is then stored in the ADRES register. The next transfer then sends the ADRES result out.

NOTE: The PIC17C4X has to provide enough time for sampling and for the conversion to complete.

The WDT on the PIC16C710 is enabled and used in the following manner:

The entire 8 clock and A/D conversion should be done in a max of 8 mS, which is the min. timeout period for the WDT. If this is not done the PIC16C710 will reset and wait for another 8 clocks. In this manner the master can reset the slave by toggling the clock once and waiting for 40 mS, which is the max. time for WDT with no postscaler.

```

OSC = 16Mhz; XT mode; WDT disabled; Microcontroller Mode;
*/

#include <c:\mplabc\17C44.h>
#ifndef 17C44_H
/*
PIC17C44 Standard Header File, Version 1.00
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RAM locations reserved for temporary variables: 0x1A - 0x1E
*/

#pragma option +l;
#endif

#include <c:\mplabc\delay16.h>
#pragma option +l;

00C7 #define AdconDefault 0xC7 //
0000 #define CLK      0      // PORTC bit 0 is the CLK
0001 #define DO       1      // bit 1 is Data Out
0002 #define DI       2      // bit 2 is data in
001F bits    ADCON;
0003 #define Chs0      3
0004 #define Chs1      4
0020 char    Count;
0021 char    Temp;
0022 char    ADRES;
0023 bits    Channel;      // tracks which channel is selected

0002 #define SIOClkPulse 2      // CLK pulse in uS
0028 #define MaxWdtTime 40     // WDT timeout in mS
0019 #define AdAcqTime  25     // A/D Acquisition time in uS
0064 #define DebounceTime 100  // Debounce time in mS
void InitADC(void)
{
0028 B800    MOVLB  00h      PORTB = 0;
0029 2912    CLRF   PORTB
002A B801    MOVLB  01h      PORTC = 0;
002B 2911    CLRF   PORTC
002C B800    MOVLB  00h      DDRB = 0;      // set PORTB as outputs
002D 2911    CLRF   DDRB
002E B0FC    MOVLW  Fch      DDRC = 0xFC;   // set PORTC for SPI
002F B801    MOVLB  01h
0030 0110    MOVWF  DDRC
0031 2923    CLRF   23      Channel = 0;
0032 B0C7    MOVLW  C7h      ADCON = AdconDefault;
0033 011F    MOVWF  1F
0034 0002    RETURN
}

/* The GetADC routine transmits the information on the channel to the
PIC16C710 while receiving the result of the last conversion.
The channel is selected by the value in Channel which goes from
0 to 3.
*/

char GetADC(void)
{
0035 B0C7    MOVLW  C7h      ADCON = AdconDefault; // set ADCON to default
0036 011F    MOVWF  1F
0037 9023    BTFSS  23,0      if (Channel.0)      // select channel
0038 C03A    GOTO   003Ah
0039 831F    BSF    1F,3      ADCON.Chs0 = 1;
003A 9123    BTFSS  23,1      if (Channel.1)
003B C03D    GOTO   003Dh
003C 841F    BSF    1F,4      ADCON.Chs1 = 1;

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003D 2921    CLRF    21          Temp = 0;
003E 8804    BCF     ALUSTA,0    ALUSTA.C = 0;
003F 2920    CLRF    20          for (Count = 0; Count < 8; Count++)
0040 B008    MOVLW   08h
0041 0420    SUBWF   20,W
0042 9804    BTFSC   ALUSTA,0
0043 C05E    GOTO    005Eh

                                {      // send 8 bit data
0044 191F    RRCF     1F          RRCF(ADCON);
0045 9004    BTFSS   ALUSTA,0    if (ALUSTA.C)
0046 C04A    GOTO    004Ah
                                PORTC.D0 = 1;
0047 B8F1    MOVLB   F1h
0048 8111    BSF     PORTC,1
                                else PORTC.D0 = 0;
0049 C04C    GOTO    004Ch
004A B8F1    MOVLB   F1h
004B 8911    BCF     PORTC,1
                                PORTC.CLK = 1;
004C B8F1    MOVLB   F1h
004D 8011    BSF     PORTC,0
                                Delay_Us_16MHz(SIOClkPulse);
004E B002    MOVLW   02h
004F E09C    CALL    009Ch
                                if (PORTC.DI)
0050 B8F1    MOVLB   F1h
0051 9211    BTFSS   PORTC,2
0052 C055    GOTO    0055h
                                ALUSTA.C = 1;
0053 8004    BSF     ALUSTA,0    else ALUSTA.C = 0;
0054 C056    GOTO    0056h
0055 8804    BCF     ALUSTA,0
0056 1921    RRCF     21          RRCF(Temp);
0057 B8F1    MOVLB   F1h          PORTC.CLK = 0;
0058 8811    BCF     PORTC,0
                                Delay_Us_16MHz(SIOClkPulse);
0059 B002    MOVLW   02h
005A E09C    CALL    009Ch
005B 8804    BCF     ALUSTA,0    ALUSTA.C = 0;
                                }

005C 1520    INCF     20
005D C040    GOTO    0040h
005E 6A21    MOVFP   21,WREG      return(Temp);
005F 0002    RETURN

                                }

/* The PIC16C710 has 4 channels each of which can be selected
   by simply pressing the switch connected to RA1. This increments
   the value of the Channel register from 0 to 3 and then back to 0.
   The 100 mS delay is meant as a debounce delay. */

void SampleRA1Key(void)
{
0060 B800    MOVLB   00h          if (!PORTA.1)
0061 9910    BTFSC   PORTA,1
0062 C069    GOTO    0069h
                                {
0063                                Delay_Ms_16MHz(DebounceTime);
0063 B064    MOVLW   64h
0064 E086    CALL    0086h
                                if (!PORTA.1)
0065 B800    MOVLB   00h
0066 9910    BTFSC   PORTA,1
0067 C069    GOTO    0069h
                                Channel++;
0068 1523    INCF     23
                                }
0069 B003    MOVLW   03h          if (Channel > 3)
006A 0423    SUBWF   23,W
006B 9204    BTFSS   ALUSTA,2
006C 9004    BTFSS   ALUSTA,0
006D C06F    GOTO    006Fh
                                Channel = 0;
006E 2923    CLRF    23
006F 0002    RETURN
                                }

```

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/* The entire SIO transfer from the PIC17C4X and the PIC16C710
   should be done in less time than the max. WDT timeout time. If
   in any case this does not occur, the PIC16C710 will experience a
   WDT reset. This "feature" can also be used to asyn. reset the
   slave PIC16C710 as shown below. */

void ResetADC(void)
{
    PORTC.CLK = 1;
    Delay_Us_16MHz(SIOClkPulse);
    PORTC.CLK = 0;
    Delay_Ms_16MHz(MaxWdtTime);
}

/* On startup, the PIC17C4X resets the PIC16C710 by using the WDT
   feature mentioned above. It then requests an A/D value.
   The A/D value of the channel selected by the "Channel" register.
   It is then sampled by the PIC16C710 and the result is sent back
   to the PIC17C4X and saved in ADRES. The 8-bit value is displayed
   on 8 LEDs connected to PORTB. To select another channel, simply
   press the switch connected to RA1 till the correct channel is
   selected. */

void main(void)
{
    InitADC();
    ResetADC();
    Temp = GetADC();

    while(1)
    {
        Delay_Us_16MHz(AdAcqTime);
        ADRES = GetADC();
        PORTB = ADRES;
        SamplerA1Key();
    }
    #pragma option +l;
    /*
    /*****
    void Delay_Ms_16MHz(registerw delay)
    /*
        Clock Speed = 16MHz
        Inst. Clock = 4MHz
        Inst. dur. = 0.25us */

    0000
    {
        #asm
    0086 0000        NOP
    0087 011A        MOVWF    __WImage
                    DLMS16M1
                    RADIX    DEC
    0088 B0F9        MOVLW    249
    0089 0101        MOVWF    FSR0
                    DLMS16M2
                    DLMS16M__ REPT 13
                    NOP
    ENDM

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008A 0000
008B 0000
008C 0000
008D 0000
008E 0000
008F 0000
0090 0000
0091 0000
0092 0000
0093 0000
0094 0000
0095 0000
0096 0000
0097 0117          DECFSZ   FSR0
0098 8AC0          GOTO     DLMS16M2

0099 1A17          DECFSZ   __WImage
009A 88C0          GOTO     DLMS16M1
                        #endasm
009B 0002      RETURN      }
/*****/
                        void Delay_Us_16MHz(registerw delay)
                        /*
                        Clock Freq. = 16MHz
                        Inst. Clock = 4MHz
                        Inst. dur.  = 250ns  */
0000          {
                        #asm
009C 0000          NOP
009D 011A          MOVWF    __WImage
                        DLUS16M
009E 0000          NOP
009F 171A          DECFSZ   __WImage
00A0 C09E          GOTO     DLUS16M
                        #endasm
00A1 0002      RETURN      }
/*****/
ROM USAGE MAP

0000 to 0000      0028 to 00A1
Total ROM used 007B

Errors           :    0
Warnings        :    0
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APPENDIX B: CODE FOR PIC16C710 (SLAVE)

/* This program creates a serial I/O interface with a PIC17C4X device. The basic intent of this interface is to use the PIC16C710 as a simple serial ADC device for use with the PIC17C4X. The 3 wire interface is as follows:

```
CLK --> RB0/INT
DI  --> RB1
DO  --> RB2
```

The PIC17C4X device will transmit an 8-bit word to the PIC16C710 in order for it to configure the following:

```
Bit 0 --> PCFG0
Bit 1 --> PCFG1
BIT 2 --> Start
BIT 3 --> CHS0
BIT 4 --> CHS1
BIT 5 --> not used
BIT 6 --> ADCS0
BIT 7 --> ADCS1
```

The ADCON0 and ADCON1 registers are merged into one register to help reduce the interface overhead. After all the 8 bits are received, bits 0 and 1 are placed in ADCON1 and bits 3 to 7 are placed in ADCON0. Depending on the state of the bit 2, the A/D conversion is then started.

The protocol basics are as follows:

Two registers are maintained in the PIC16C710 which are used in the transfer:

ADCON --> ADCON1 merged with ADCON0

ADRES --> same as the AD result register

8 clock signals are used to transmit the ADRES value and receive the next ADCON value. On the rising edge of the clock the serial ADCON value is read whilst on the falling edge of the same clock the serial ADRES value is transmitted. In this manner an efficient transfer rate is maintained with very little overhead to software and more importantly rate of A/D conversion.

The PIC17C4X also maintains a replica of ADCON and ADRES and does just the opposite of what the PIC16C710 does i.e ADRES is received and ADCON is transmitted. The clock master is always the PIC17C4X, the PIC16C710 is always the slave. The transfer occurs as below:

Clock Data IN(DI) Data OUT(DO)

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-----
Falling edge    N/A        RRF ADRES; C --> DO
Rising edge    read DI        N/A
```

This is repeated till all 8 bits are transmitted/received.

On receiving the 8-bit value, the ADCON1 and ADCON0 registers configured and the A/D conversion started. The result of the conversion is then stored in the ADRES register. The next transfer then sends the ADRES result out.

NOTE: The PIC17C4X has to provide for enough time for sampling and for the conversion to complete.

The WDT is enabled and used in the following manner:

The entire 8 clocks and A/D conversion should be done in a max. of 8 mS, which is the min. timeout period for the WDT. If this is not done the PIC16C710 will reset and wait for another 8 clocks. In this manner the master can reset the slave by toggling the clock once and waiting for 40 mS, which is the max. time for WDT.

```
OSC = 20Mhz; HS mode; WDT enabled; PWRT timer disabled;
*/

#include <c:\mplabc\16c710.h>
#ifndef 16C710_H
/*
PIC16C710 Standard Header File, Version 1.00
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RAM locations reserved for temporary variables: 0x0C - 0x10

*/

#pragma option +l;

#endif

#include <c:\mplabc\delay14.h>
#pragma option +l;

0000 #define CLK 0
0001 #define DI 1
0002 #define D0 2
0004 #define Received 4
0006 #define Complete 6
0011 bits ADCON;
0012 char Count;
0013 bits Flag;
0000 #define NewCommand 0

0004 #pragma vector Interrupt @ 0x0004;

/* The whole process is driven by the completion of the interrupt routine
and once the 1st clock is received, the interrupts are disabled. Because of this
there is no reason to save the W and STATUS registers during interrupts */

0004 2805 GOTO 0005h void Interrupt(void)
0005 {
0005 1283 BCF 03,5 PORTB.Complete = 0;
0006 1306 BCF 06,6
0007 108B BCF 0B,1 INTCON.INTF = 0; // clr flag
do // first int is on rising edge so read data
{
0008 1283 BCF 03,5 while(!PORTB.CLK); //make sure rising edge is present
0009 1C06 BTFSS 06,0
000A 2808 GOTO 0008h
000B 1283 BCF 03,5 if (PORTB.DI) // Read Data in
000C 1C86 BTFSS 06,1
000D 2810 GOTO 0010h
000E 1403 BSF 03,0 STATUS.C = 1;
000F 2811 GOTO 0011h else STATUS.C = 0;
0010 1003 BCF 03,0
0011 0C91 RRF 11 RRCF(ADCON); // get data in ADCON
0012 0C89 RRF 09 RRCF(ADRES); // prepare data out from ADRES
0013 1C03 BTFSS 03,0 if (STATUS.C)
0014 2817 GOTO 0017h
0015 1506 BSF 06,2 PORTB.D0 = 1; //set data out
0016 2818 GOTO 0018h else PORTB.D0 = 0;
0017 1106 BCF 06,2
0018 1283 BCF 03,5 while(PORTB.CLK); // wait for falling edge
0019 1806 BTFSC 06,0
001A 2818 GOTO 0018h
001B 1283 BCF 03,5 Count++; // increment count
001C 0A92 INCF 12
001D 3008 MOVLW 08h }while(Count < 8);
001E 0212 SUBWF 12,W
001F 1C03 BTFSS 03,0
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0020 2808    GOTO    0008h
0021 1283    BCF     03,5          Flag.NewCommand = 1;      //set flag
0022 1413    BSF     13,0
0023 120B    BCF     0B,4          INTCON.INTE = 0;
0024 1606    BSF     06,4          PORTB.Received = 1;      // set "Received" LED
0025 0009    RETFIE                }

                                void Convert(void)
                                {
0026 1283    BCF     03,5          Flag.NewCommand = 0;
0027 1013    BCF     13,0
0028 0192    CLRF    12          Count = 0;
0029 3003    MOVLW   03h          ADCON1 = ADCON & 0x03;
002A 0511    ANDWF   11,W
002B 1683    BSF     03,5
002C 0088    MOVWF   08
002D 30F8    MOVLW   F8h          ADCON0 = ADCON & 0xF8;
002E 1283    BCF     03,5
002F 0511    ANDWF   11,W
0030 0088    MOVWF   08
0031 1408    BSF     08,0          ADCON0.ADON = 1;
0032 1D11    BTFSS   11,2          if(ADCON.GO)
0033 2838    GOTO    0038h          {
0034                                {
0034 1508    BSF     08,2          ADCON0.GO = 1;
0035 1283    BCF     03,5          while (ADCON0.ADIF == 1); // wait till conv. is done
0036 1888    BTFSC   08,1
0037 2835    GOTO    0035h          }
                                }
0038 160B    BSF     0B,4          INTCON.INTE = 1;          // enable interrupts on edge
0039 1283    BCF     03,5          PORTB.Complete = 1;      // set completion LED
003A 1706    BSF     06,6
003B 1206    BCF     06,4          PORTB.Received = 0;
003C 0008    RETURN                }

                                void main(void)
                                {
003D 1283    BCF     03,5          PORTB = 0x00;
003E 0186    CLRF    06
003F 3003    MOVLW   03h          TRISB = 0x03;
0040 1683    BSF     03,5
0041 0086    MOVWF   06
0042 1283    BCF     03,5          Count = 0;
0043 0192    CLRF    12
0044 30F8    MOVLW   F8h          OPTION = OPTION & 0xF8;      // WDT = 18 mS
0045 1683    BSF     03,5
0046 0581    ANDWF   01
0047 1701    BSF     01,6          OPTION.INTEDG = 1;          // int on rising edge
0048 018B    CLRF    0B          INTCON = 0;
0049 160B    BSF     0B,4          INTCON.INTE = 1;          // enable interrupt
004A 178B    BSF     0B,7          INTCON.GIE = 1;
004B 1283    BCF     03,5          Flag.NewCommand = 0;
004C 1013    BCF     13,0

                                while (1)
                                {
004D 1283    BCF     03,5          if(Flag.NewCommand)
004E 1813    BTFSC   13,0
004F 2026    CALL    0026h          Convert();
0050 0064    CLRWD    CLRWD();
0051 284D    GOTO    004Dh          }
0052 0008    RETURN                }

0000 3000    MOVLW   00h
0001 008A    MOVWF   0A
0002 283D    GOTO    003Dh

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Total ROM used 0052

Errors : 0
Warnings : 0

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