# MSP430 Family Architecture

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### **Technology**

- Ultra low power
  - The MSP430 platform of ultra-low-power 16-bit RISC mixed-signal processors
    - 0.1 µA RAM retention
    - 0.8 µA real-time clock mode
    - 250 µA/MIPS active
  - MSP430x5xx new Flash-based family featuring the lowest power consumption

    - up to 25 MIPS with 1.8 to 3.6V operation starting at 12 MIPS
       New features include an innovative Power Management Module for optimizing power consumption, an internally controlled voltage regulator, and 2x more memory than previous devices.
- Low power & high performance

  TMS320C550x DSPs Industry's lowest power fixed-point DSP

  - Large on-chip memory
     optimized FFT co-processor for faster, cost- and energy-efficient performance
  - One-half the power consumption of existing TMS320C55x<sup>™</sup> DSPs
    - 6.8 µW\* in deep sleep mode (all peripheral clocks off)
       18/46 mW at 60/100 MHz

    - Applications: medical monitoring, noise cancellation headphones and portable audio/music recording

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### MSP430 Family

#### MSP430x1xx

- 1.8V to 3.6V operation
- up to 60kB
- 8MIPs with Basic Clock
- from a simple low power controller with a comparator, to complete systems on a chip including high-performance data converters, interfaces and multiplier.

### MSP430F2xx

- up to 16 MHz
- an integrated ±1% on-chip very lowpower oscillator,
- software-selectable, internal pullup/pull-down resistors
- increased number of analog inputs to the increased number of analog inputs the in-system programmable Flash has also been improved with smaller 64-byte segments and a lower 2.2-V programming voltage Available in low-pin count options.

#### MSP430x4xx

- up to 120kB/ Flash/ ROM 8MIPS with FLL + SVS
   an integrated LCD controller.
- an integrated LCD controller
- Several devices offer application-based peripherals to provide single-chip solutions for flow and electricity

- MSP430x5xx 12-25 MIPS with 1.8 to 3.6V
  - an innovative Power Management Module for optimizing power consumption
  - an internally controlled voltage regulator
- 2x more memory than previous devices.

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# Introduction

- ☐ The Texas Instruments MSP430 series is an ultralow-power microcontroller family consisting of several devices featuring different sets of modules targeted to various applications. The microcontroller is designed to be battery operated for use in extended-time applications.
- ☐ Typical applications include embedded and sensor systems. Integrated timers make the configurations ideal for industrial control applications such as ripple counters, digital motor control, EE-meters, hand-held meters, etc. The hardware multiplier enhances the performance and offers a broad code and hardware-compatible family solution.

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### TI MSP430x1xx family features

- Ultralow-power architecture:
- 0.1– 400  $\mu A$  nominal operating current @1 MHz
- 1.8 3.6 V operation (2.5–5.5 V for C11x, P11x, and E11x devices)
- 6 μs wake-up from standby mode
- · Extensive interrupt capability relieves need for polling
- ☐ Flexible and powerful processing capabilities:
- Seven source-address modes
- Four destination-address modes
- Only 27 core instructions
- · Prioritized, nested interrupts
- · No interrupt or subroutine level limits
- · Large register file
- Ram execution capability
- Efficient table processing
- Fast hex-to-decimal conversion

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### TI MSP430x1xx family features #2

- ☐ Extensive, memory-mapped peripheral set including:
- Integrated 12-bit A/D converter
- Integrated precision comparator
- Multiple timers and PWM capability
- Slope A/D conversion (all devices)
- Integrated USART(s)
- Watchdog Timer
- Multiple I/O with extensive interrupt capability
- · Integrated programmable oscillator
- 32-kHz crystal oscillator (all devices)
- 450-kHz 8-MHz crystal oscillator (selected devices)
- $\hfill \square$  Powerful, easy-to-use development tools including:
- Simulator (including peripheral and interrupt simulation)
- C compiler / Assembler / Linker
- Emulators
- Flash emulator kit
- Evaluation kits
- Device programmer
- Application notes
- Example code

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### TI MSP430x1xx family features #3

- ☐ Versatile ultralow-power device options including:
- Masked ROM
- OTP (in-system programmable)
- Flash (in-system programmable)
- EPROM (UV-erasable, in-system programmable)
- -40°C to +85°C operating temperature range
- Up to 64K addressing space
- Memory mixes to support all types of applications

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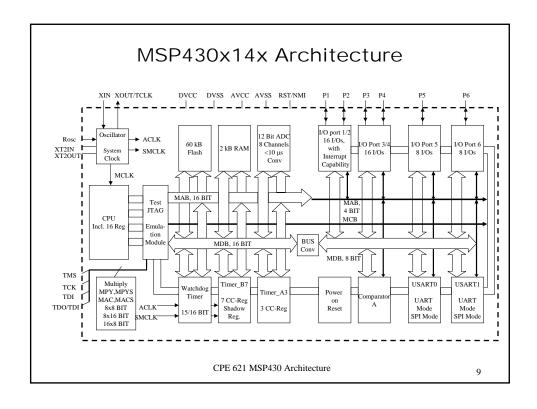
### TI MSP430x1xx family peripherals

- ☐ Basic Clock System (on-chip DCO + one or two crystal oscillators)
- ☐ Watchdog Timer/General Purpose Timer
- ☐ Timer\_A3 (16-bit timer with 3 capture/compare registers and PWM output)
- ☐ Timer\_B7 (16-bit timer with 7 capture/compare registers and PWM output)
- ☐ 48 I/O pins
  - ☐ I/O Port 1, 2 (8 I/O's each, all with interrupt)
  - ☐ I/O Port 3, 4, 5, 6 (8 I/O's each)
- ☐ Comparator\_A (precision analog comparator, ideal for slope A/D conversion)
- ☐ ADC12 (12-bit A/D)
- ☐ USART0
- ☐ USART1
- □ Hardware Multiplier

### **Family members**

- ☐ MSP430F147 32KB +256B Flash, 1KB RAM
- ☐ MSP430F148 48KB +256B Flash, 2KB RAM
- ☐ MSP430F149 60KB +256B Flash, 2KB RAM

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### MSP430 CPU

- 16-bit RISC like CPU
  - 1-5 cycles / instruction
  - Hardware multiplier
- 16 registers
- · special registers
  - PC (Program Counter)
  - SP (Stack Pointer)
  - SR (Status Register)
  - CRx (Constant Generator)
- Orthogonal design
  - all registers accessed by the complete instruction set
  - 7 addressing modes
  - 51 (27) instructions

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# MSP430 Memory

- Program memory
  - 16-bit memory access (MDB)
  - as many MAB bits as necessary
    - modules for reduced power consumption
  - data constants
- Data memory
  - 8/16 bit memory access
  - program can be loaded and executed from RAM
- Special Function Registers

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# New Family Members F1611

- Low Supply Voltage Range 1.8 V to 3.6 V
- Ultralow-Power Consumption: Active Mode: 330 μA at 1 MHz, 2.2 V, Standby Mode: 1.1 μA, Off Mode (RAM Retention): 0.2 μA
- Wake-Up From Standby Mode in less than 6 μs
- 16-Bit RISC Architecture, 125-ns Instruction Cycle Time
- Three-Channel Internal DMA
- 12-Bit A/D Converter With Internal Reference, Sample-and-Hold and Autoscan Feature
- Dual 12-Bit D/A Converters With Synchronization
- 16-Bit Timer\_A With Three Capture/Compare Registers
- 16-Bit Timer\_B With Three or Seven Capture/Compare-With-Shadow Registers
- On-Chip Comparator
- Serial Communication Interface (USART0), Functions as Asynchronous UART or Synchronous SPI or I2C<sup>™</sup> Interface
- Serial Communication Interface (USART1), Functions as Asynchronous UART or Synchronous SPI Interface
- Supply Voltage Supervisor/Monitor With Programmable Level Detection, Brownout Detector
- MSP430F1611: 48KB+256B Flash Memory, 10KB RAM
- Available in 64-Pin Quad Flat Pack (QFP) and 64-pin QFN (see Available Options)

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# New Family Members F2013

- Low Supply Voltage Range 1.8 V to 3.6 V
- Ultralow-Power Consumption, Active Mode: 220 μA at 1 MHz, 2.2 V, Standby Mode: 0.5 μA, Off Mode (RAM Retention): 0.1 μA
- Ultrafast Wake-Up From Standby Mode in Less Than 1 μs
- 16-Bit RISC Architecture, 62.5 ns Instruction Cycle Time
- Internal Frequencies up to 16MHz with 4 Calibrated Frequencies to ±1%
- Internal Very Low Power LF oscillator
- 32-kHz Crystal, External Digital Clock Source
- 16-Bit Timer\_A With Two Capture/Compare Registers
- On-Chip Comparator for Analog Signal Compare Function or Slope A/D (MSP430x20x1 only)
- 10-Bit, 200-ksps A/D Converter with Internal Reference, Sample-and-Hold, and Autoscan. (MSP430x20x2 only)
- 16-Bit Sigma-Delta A/D Converter with Differential PGA Inputs and Internal Reference (MSP430x20x3 only)
- Universal Serial Interface (USI), supporting SPI and I2C (MSP430x20x2 and MSP430x20x3 only)
- Brownout Detector
- Serial Onboard Programming, No External Programming Voltage Needed Programmable Code Protection by Security Fuse
- MSP430F2013: 2KB + 256B Flash Memory 128B RAM
- Available in a 14-Pin Plastic Small-Outline Thin Package (TSSOP), 14-Pin Plastic Dual Inline Package (PDIP) and 16-Pin QFN

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# New Family Members F5529

- Low Supply-Voltage Range: 1.8 V to 3.6 V
- Ultralow Power Consumption
  - Active Mode (AM): 200 µA/MHz (Typ)
  - Standby Mode (LPM3 RTC Mode): 2.5 μ:A (Typ)
  - Off Mode (LPM4 RAM Retention): 1.5 μA (Typ)
  - Shutdown Mode (LPM5): 0.2 μA (Typ)
- Wake-Up From Standby Mode in Less Than 5 μs
- 16-Bit RISC Architecture, Extended Memory, up to 25-MHz System Clock
- Flexible Power Management System
  - Fully Integrated LDO With Programmable Regulated Core Supply Voltage
  - Supply Voltage Supervision, Monitoring, and Brownout
- Unified Clock System
  - FLL Control Loop for Frequency Stabilization
  - Low Power/Low Frequency Internal Clock Source (VLO)
  - Low Frequency Trimmed Internal Reference Source (REFO)
  - 32-kHz Watch Crystals (XT1)
  - High-Frequency Crystals up to 32 MHz (XT2)
- Timers
  - 16-Bit Timer TA0(5 CCR,), TA1&TA2 (3 CCR) TB0 (7 CCR)
- Two Universal Serial Communication Interfaces
- Enhanced UART supporting & Auto-Baudrate Detection
- · Synchronous SPI, I2C
- Comparator
- Three Channel Internal DMA

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### **MSP430** Typical Applications

### **Handheld Measurement**

- Air Flow measurement
- Alcohol meter
- Barometer
- Data loggers
- Emission/Gas analyser
- Humidity measurement
- Temperature measurement
- Weight scales

### **Medical Instruments**

- Blood pressure meter
- Blood sugar meter
- Breath measurement
- EKG system

### **Utility Metering**

- Gas Meter
- Water Meter
- Heat Volume Counter
- Heat Cost Allocation
- Electricity Meter
- Meter reading system (RF)

### Sports equipment

- Altimeter
- Bike computer
- Diving watches

### **Security**

- Glass break sensors
- Door control
- Smoke/fire/gas detectors

### **Home environment**

- · Air conditioning
- Control unit
- ThermostatBoiler control
- Shutter control
- Irrigation system
- White goods
- (Washing machine,..)

#### Misc

- Smart card reader
- Taxi meter
- Smart Batteries

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### MSP430 Development Environment

- IAR Embedded Workbench
  - Full version
  - Baseline version (preferred)
  - Kickstart
- mspgcc
  - GCC compiler, no limitation
- TinyOS (Moteiv)
  - GCC comiler/UNIX/Cygwin
- Texas Instrument website, local documents
  - C:\ti\msp430\
  - CPE621 web site

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# MSP430 Embedded Workbench

- MSP430 documents
  - http://www.ece.uah.edu/~jovanov/msp430/msp430.html
- Documentation(local disk) \ia
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- ew430.pdf
  - Windows Workbench Interface Guide
- cw430.pdf
  - C-Spy User's Guide
- a430.pdf
  - MSP430 Assembler, Linker and Librarian Programmer's guide
- cs430r.pdf
  - C-Spy ROM-Monitor Supplement

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## Documentation etc.

- MSP430 documents
  - http://www.ece.uah.edu/~jovanov/msp430/
  - http://www.ti.com/sc/docs/products/micro/msp430/msp430.htm
  - C:\Docs
- User manuals & Datasheet
- Development tools (eZ430)
  - http://www.ti.com/corp/docs/landing/mcu/index.htm?DCMP=MSP430&HQS=Too ls+OT+ez430

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