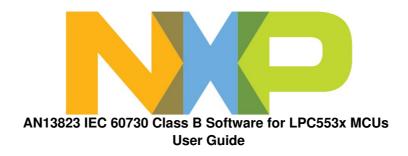




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Keywords	LPC553x, AN13823, IEC 60730, LPC5536-EVK, IEC60730B
Abstract	The main purpose of this application note is to accelerate customer software development and c ertification processes for products based on LPC553x MCUs.

Introduction

The IEC 60730 safety standard defines the test and diagnostic methods that ensure the safe operation of embedded control hardware and software for household appliances.

To achieve functional safety, it is necessary to remove all risk of hazards that system malfunction may cause.

The IEC 60730 standard classifies the applicable equipment into three categories:

- · Class A: Not intended to be relied upon for the safety of the equipment
- Class B: To prevent unsafe operation of the controlled equipment
- · Class C: To prevent special hazards

NXP provides IEC 60730 safety Class B library to help manufacturers of automatic controls in the large appliance market meet the IEC 60730 class B regulation. The library supports the IAR, Keil, and MCUXpresso IDEs. You can integrate NXP safety library binary into your application software. For easier development of the IEC60730B application, the library also provides an example project. This example is distributed through the IEC 60730 Safety Standard for Household Appliances on nxp.com website.



The main purpose of this application note is to accelerate customer software development and certification processes for products based on LPC553x MCUs.

NXP IEC 60730 Class B library overview

The safety library includes core-dependent part and peripheral-dependent part self-tests as listed below:

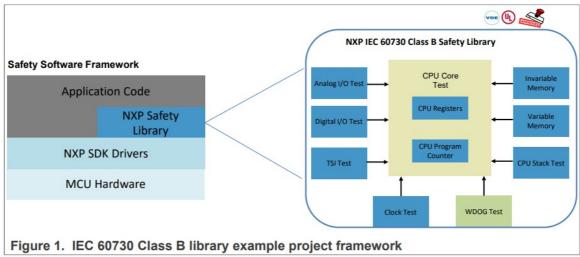
- · Core-dependent part
 - CPU registers test
 - CPU program counter test
 - Variable memory test
 - Invariable memory test
 - Stack test
- · Peripheral-dependent part
 - Clock test
 - Digital input/output test
 - Analog input/output test
 - Watchdog test

Table 1. Compliance with IEC 60730 Class B standards

	NXP IEC 60730 Class B Library	IEC 60730	
component	Method	Items	Applied
CPU registe	The CPU register test procedure tests all of the CM33 C PU registers for the stuck-at condition.	1.1 Register	H.2.16.6
Program co unter	The CPU program counter test procedure tests the CPU program counter register for the stuck-at condition. The program counter register test can be performed once af ter the MCU reset and also during runtime. Force the CPU (program flow) to access the corresponding address that is testing the pattern to verify the program counter functionality.	1.3 Program counter	H.2.16.6
Clock	The clock test procedure tests the oscillators of the processor for the wrong frequency. The clock test principle is based on the comparison of two independent clock so urces. If the test routine detects a change in the frequency ratio between the clock sources, a failure error code is returned.	3.Clock	NA
Invariable m emory	The invariable memory test is to check whether there is a change in the memory content (on-chip Flash) during the application execution. Several checksum methods (for example, CRC16) can be used for this purpose.	4.1 Invariable memory	H.2.19.3.1
Variable me mory test	Checks the on-chip RAM for DC faults. The March C and March X schemes are used as control mechanisms.	4.2 Variable memory	H.2.19.6
Digital input/ output test	The DIO test functions are designed to check the digital input and output functionality and short circuit condition s between the tested pin and the supply voltage, ground, or optional adjacent pin.	7.1 Digital I/O	H.2.18.13
Analog Inpu t/ Output (I/ 0) test	The test checks the analog input interface and three ref erence values: reference high, reference low, and band gap voltage. The analog input test is based on a conver sion of three analog inputs with known voltage values a nd it checks if the converted values fit into the specified limits. Normally, the limits should be roughly 10 % aroun d the desired reference values.	7.2 Analog I/O	H.2.18.13

NXP IEC 60730 Class B library example project

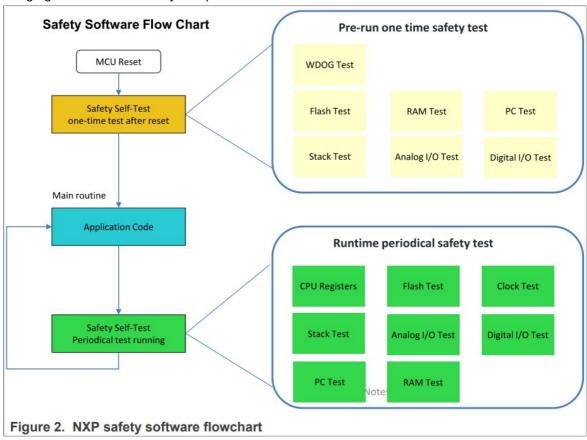
For easier development of the IEC60730B application, the library provides an example project framework, built upon a dedicated LPC553x evaluation board <u>Sign in to NXP.com | NXP Semiconductors</u> (LPC5536-EVK). You must configure the correct library settings for the actual project.



3.1 Integration of the safety library into the user application

The safety example project routines are divided into two main processes: pre-run one time safety test and runtime periodical safety test.

The following figure shows the safety test processes.



To integrate NXP safety library, perform the following steps:

- 1. Download the safety example project from nxp.com
- 2. Hardware setting considering the peripherals used for the safety self-test
- 3. Configure the safety library according to the actual hardware design
- 4. Turn on the safety test functions one by one in safety_config.h
 - For debugging, it is better to turn the flash test and watchdog OFF first
 - Take care of the interrupts, as some of the safety tests cannot be interrupted
- 5. Develop the application code based on the safety example project framework

LPC553x safety library example project in practice

4.1 Hardware block diagram

The following modules are used for safety self-test by default as shown in the figure below:

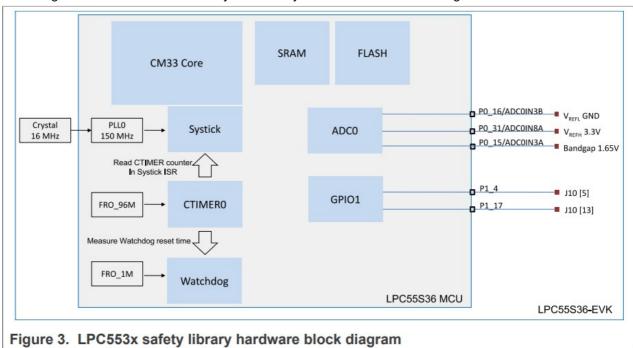


Table 2. MCU module for safety self-test

Safety library test item	MCU module
CPU test	LPC5536 CM33 Core
Clock test	Systick CTIMER0
Watchdog test	Watchdog CTIMER0
Variable memory test	SRAM
Invariable memory test	Flash
Digital I/O test	GPIO1
Analog I/O test	ADC0

4.2 CPU test

4.2.1 CPU registers test description

The CPU register test procedure tests all of the CM33 CPU registers for the stuckat condition (except for the program counter register). The program counter test is implemented as a standalone safety routine. This set of tests includes the test of the following registers:

- General-purpose registers:
 - R0-R12
- Stack pointer registers:
 - MSP + MSPLIM (secure / non-secure)
 - PSP + PSPLIM (secure / non-secure)
- Special registers:
 - APSR
 - CONTROL (secure / non-secure)

- PRIMASK (secure / non-secure)
- FAULTMASK (secure / non-secure)
- BASEPRI (secure / non-secure)
- · Link register:
 - LR
- · FPU registers:
 - FPSCR
 - -S0 S31

There is a set of tests that are performed once after the MCU is reset and also during runtime. You can reuse the default settings of LPC553x safety library example project, however, you must pay attention to the interrupt as some of CPU register tests cannot be interrupted.

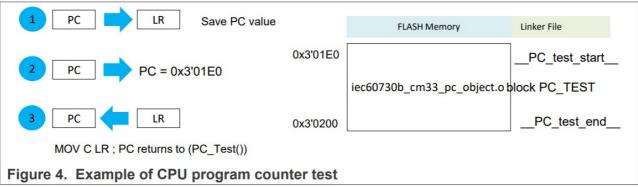
- · Pre-run one time safety test
 - SafetyCpuAfterResetTest /* Interrupts must be disabled for a while */
 - FS_CM33_CPU_Register
 - FS_CM33_CPU_NonStackedRegister
 - FS CM33 CPU SPmain S
 - FS_CM33_CPU_SPmain_Limit_S
 - FS_CM33_CPU_SPprocess_S
 - FS CM33 CPU SPprocess Limit S
 - FS_CM33_CPU_Primask_S
 - FS FAIL CPU PRIMASK
 - FS CM33 CPU Special8PriorityLevels S
 - FS_CM33_CPU_Control
 - FS CM33 CPU Float1
 - FS_CM33_CPU_Float2
- · Runtime periodical safety test
 - SafetyCpuBackgroundTest /* Interruptible CPU registers test */
 - FS CM33 CPU Register
 - FS_CM33_CPU_NonStackedRegister
 - FS_CM33_CPU_Control /* Interrupts must be disabled for a while */
 - FS_CM33_CPU_SPprocess_S /* Interrupts must be disabled for a while */

4.3 CPU program counter test

4.3.1 CPU program counter test description

The CPU program counter register test procedure tests the CPU program counter register for the stuck-at condition. Contrary to the other CPU registers, the program counter cannot be simply filled with a test pattern. It is necessary to force the CPU (program flow) to access the corresponding address that is testing the pattern to verify the program counter functionality.

Note that the program counter test cannot be interrupted.



The program counter register test can be performed once after the MCU is reset and also during runtime.

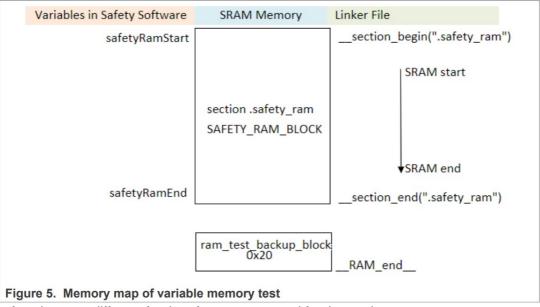
- · Pre-run one time safety test
 - SafetyPcTest
 - FS_CM33_PC_Test
- Runtime periodical safety test
 - SafetyIsrFunction > SafetyPcTest
 - FS_CM33_PC_Test

4.4 Variable memory test

4.4.1 Variable memory test description

The variable memory test for supported devices checks the on-chip RAM for DC faults.

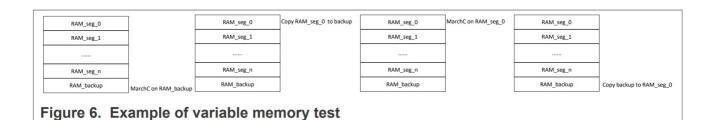
The application stack area can also be tested. The March C and March X schemes are used as control mechanisms.



The handling functions are different for the after-reset test and for the runtime test.

The after-reset test is done by the FS_CM33_RAM_AfterReset () function. This function is called once after the reset, when the execution time is not critical. Reserve free memory space for the backup area. The block size parameter cannot be larger than the size of the backup area. The function first checks the backup area, then the loop begins. Blocks of memory are copied to the backup area and their locations are checked by the respective March test. The data is copied back to the original memory area and the actual address with the block size is updated. This is repeated until the last block of memory is tested. If a DC fault is detected, the function returns a failure pattern.

The runtime test is done by the FS_CM33_RAM_Runtime () function. To save time, it only tests one segment (defined by RAM_TEST_BLOCK_SIZE) of SRAM on time. While the after-reset test checks the whole block of safety-related RAM space. In LPC553x safety library example project, RAM_TEST_BLOCK_SIZE is configured to 0x4, it means that 32 bytes of RAM will be tested in one runtime RAM test routine.



- Pre-run one time safety test
 - SafetyRamAfterResetTest /* Test the whole RAM space of the section ".safety_ram" before running the main routine. */
 - FS_CM33_RAM_AfterReset
- · Runtime periodical safety test
 - SafetyIsrFunction(&g_sSafetyCommon, &g_sSafetyRamTest, &g_sSafetyRamStackTest) /* executed in Systick ISR, cannot be interrupted */
 - FS CM33 RAM Runtime

4.4.2 Variable memory test configuration

The configuration of the variable memory test in <Safety_config.h>:

```
#define RAM_TEST_BLOCK_SIZE 0x4 /* size of block for runtime testing */
#if defined(__IAR_SYSTEMS_ICC__) || (defined(__GNUC__) && (__ARMCC_VERSION >= 6010050)) /* IAR + KEIL */
#define RAM_TEST_BACKUP_SIZE 0x20 /* must fit with the setup from linker configuration file */
The configuration of safety RAM block is in <lpcxpresso55s36_safety.icf>:
define block SAFETY_RAM_BLOCK with alignment = 8
{section .safety_ram };
```

place in RAM_region {block SAFETY_RAM_BLOCK};

Note that only the .safety_ram is covered by the variable memory test. Add the variables into the .safety_ram section manually, as shown below in main.c.

```
#if defined(__IAR_SYSTEMS_ICC__) /* IAR */
    #pragma section = ".safety_ram"
    #pragma section = ".pctest"

safety_common_t g_sSafetyCommon @ ".safety_ram";
    wd_test_t g_sSafetyWdTest @ ".safety_ram";
    fs_flash_runtime_test_parameters_t g_sFlashCrc @ ".safety_ram";
    fs_flash_configuration_parameters_t g_sFlashConfig @ ".safety_ram";
    fs_ram_test_t g_sSafetyRamTest @ ".safety_ram";
    fs_ram_test_t g_sSafetyRamStackTest @ ".safety_ram";
    fs_clock_test_t g_sSafetyClockTest @ ".safety_ram";
```

4.5 Invariable memory test

4.5.1 Invariable memory test description

The invariable memory on the LPC5536 MCU is the on-chip flash. The principle of the invariable memory test is to check whether there is a change in the memory content during the application execution. Several checksum methods can be used for this purpose. The checksum is an algorithm that calculates a signature of the data placed in the tested memory. The signature of this memory block is then periodically calculated and compared with the original signature.

The signature for the assigned memory is calculated in the linking phase of an application. The signature must be saved into the invariable memory, but in a different area than the one that the checksum is calculated for. In runtime and after the reset, the same algorithm must be implemented in the application to calculate the checksum. The results are compared. If they are not equal, a safety error state occurs.

When implemented after the reset or when there is no restriction on the execution time, the function call can be as follows.

• Pre-run one time safety test

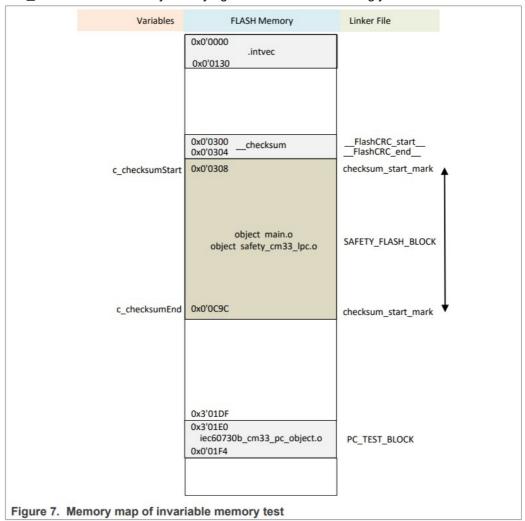
- SafetyFlashAfterResetTest
- FS_FLASH_C_HW16_K /* calculate CRC of the whole Flash */

In the application runtime and with limited time for execution, the CRC is computed in a sequence. It means that the input parameters have different meanings in comparison with the calling after reset. The implementation example is as follows:

- Runtime periodical safety test
- SafetyFlashRuntimeTest
- FS_FLASH_C_HW16_K /* calculate CRC block by block */
- SafetyFlashTestHandling /* compare CRC when all Flash blocks are calculated. */

4.5.2 Invariable memory test configuration

In LPC553x safety library example project, the flash allocation is shown below as specified in the Linker file clpcxpresso55s36_safety.icf>. The object files <main.o> and <safety_cm33_lpc.o> are placed in the safety flash block which is checked by the invariable memory test. You can put more object files into SAFETY FLASH BLOCK Flash area by modifying the Linker file accordingly.



There are two checksums to be compared during the MCU runtime to verify whether the contents of the given flash space have been modified:

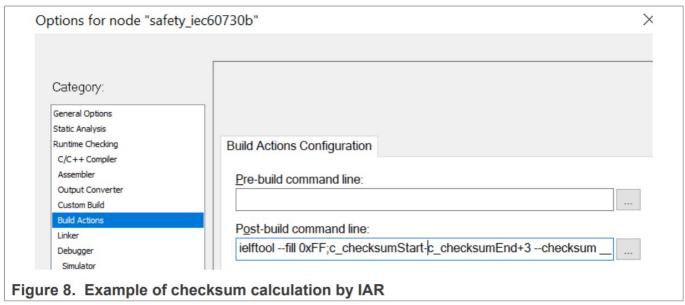
- Checksum calculated by Linker at Compiling/Linking
- · Checksum calculated by MCU at runtime

Definition of the location to place the checksum result (pre-calculated by the linker tools) is in <lpcxpresso55s36_safety.icf>: define symbol __FlashCRC_start__ = 0x0300; /* for placing a checksum */

define symbol __FlashCRC_end__ = 0x030F; /* for placing a checksum */
define region CRC_region = mem: [from __FlashCRC_start__ to __FlashCRC_end__];

define block CHECKSUM with alignment = 8 {section. checksum}; place in CRC region { block CHECKSUM};

Take IAR IDE, for example, in the project option setting > Build Actions > Post-build command line.



Command line:

ielftool –fill 0xFF;c_checksumStart-c_checksumEnd+3 –checksum __checksum:2,crc16,0x0;c_checksumStart-c_checksumEnd+3 –verbose "\$TARGET_PATH\$" "\$TARGET_PATH\$"

The linker calculates the original checksum of the flash addressing from _checksumStart to c_checksumEnd, then places the checksum result into _checksum, which is in block CHECKSUM defined by the Linker file.

Definition of the specified flash space to be checked is in lpcxpresso55s36 safety.icf>:

define block SAFETY_FLASH_BLOCK with alignment = 8, fixed order { readonly section checksum_start_mark, section .text object main.o, section .text object safety_cm33_lpc.o, section .rodata object safety_cm33_lpc.o, readonly section checksum end mark };

place in ROM_region { block SAFETY_FLASH_BLOCK};

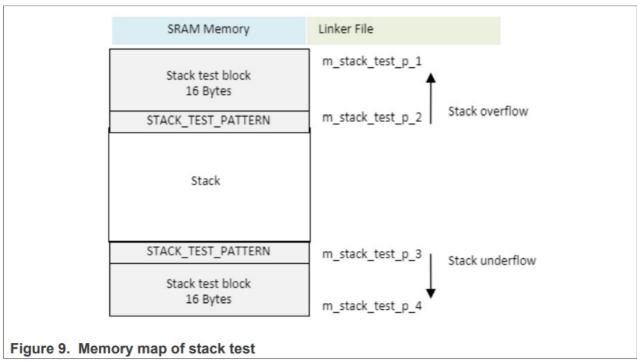
4.6 Stack test

4.6.1 Stack test description

The stack test is an additional test, not directly specified in the IEC60730 annex H table.

This test routine is used to test the overflow and underflow conditions of the application stack. The testing of the stuck-at faults in the memory area occupied by the stack is covered by the variable memory test. The overflow or underflow of the stack can occur if the stack is incorrectly controlled or by defining the "too-low" stack area for the given application.

The principle of the test is to fill the area below and above the stack with a known pattern. These areas must be defined in the linker configuration file, together with the stack. The initialization function then fills these areas with your pattern. The pattern must have a value that does not appear elsewhere in the application. The purpose is to check if the exact pattern is still written in these areas. If it is not, it is a sign of incorrect stack behavior. If this occurs, then the FAIL return value from the test function must be processed as a safety error.



The test is performed after the reset and during the application runtime in the same way.

- · Pre-run one time safety test
 - SafetyStackTestInit
 - FS CM33 STACK Init /* write STACK TEST PATTERN (0x77777777) to STACK TEST BLOCK */
 - SafetyStackTest
 - FS_CM33_STACK_Test /* check the contents of STACK_TEST_BLOCK, failed if the value is not equal to STACK TEST_PATTERN (0x7777777).
- · Runtime periodical safety test
 - SafetyStackTest
 - FS CM33 STACK Init /* write STACK TEST PATTERN (0x77777777) to STACK TEST BLOCK */
 - SafetyStackTest
 - FS_CM33_STACK_Test /* check the contents of STACK_TEST_BLOCK, fails if the value is not equal to STACK TEST_PATTERN (0x77777777)

4.6.2 Stack test configuration

The configuration of the stack test is in <Safety config.h> and the linker file <lpcxpresso55s36 safety.icf>

```
#if defined(__IAR_SYSTEMS_ICC__) || (defined(__GNUC__) && (__ARMCC_VERSION >= 6010050)) /* IAR + KEIL */
#define RAM_TEST_BACKUP_SIZE 0x20 /* must fit with the setup from linker configuration file */
#define STACK_TEST_BLOCK_SIZE 0x10 /* must fit with the setup from linker configuration file */
#endif

#define STACK_TEST_PATTERN 0x7777777

define exported symbol m_stack_test_p_4 = m_safety_error_code - 0x4;
define exported symbol m_stack_test_p_3 = m_stack_test_p_4 - stack_test_block_size + 0x4;
define exported symbol __BOOT_STACK_ADDRESS = m_stack_test_p_3 - 0x4;
define exported symbol m_stack_test_p_2 = __BOOT_STACK_ADDRESS - __size_cstack__;
define exported symbol m_stack_test_p_1 = m_stack_test_p_2 - stack_test_block_size + 0x4;
```

4.7 Clock test

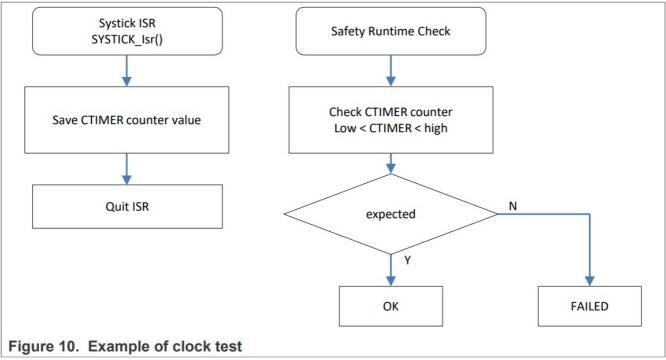
4.7.1 Clock test description

The clock test principle is based on the comparison of two independent clock sources.

In LPC553x safety library example project, CTIMER0 and Systick on MCU LPC5536 are used as two independent clocks for the safety clock test, they do not depend on the LPC5536-EVK hardware board.

The clock test routine is executed in the runtime periodical safety test only.

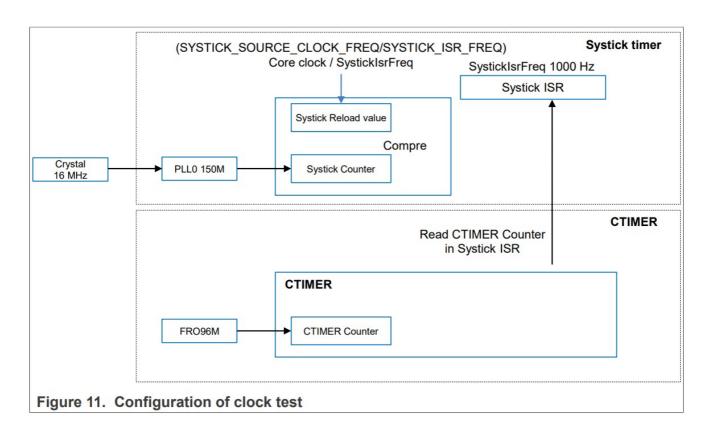
- · Pre-run one time safety test
 - No clock test
- Runtime periodical safety test
 - SafetyClockTestCheck
 - SafetyClockTestIsr



4.7.2 Clock test configuration

As two independent clocks are required for the clock test in LPC553x safety library example project:

- SYSTICK timer is sourced from PLL0 150 M (sourced from the external 16 MHz crystal)
- CTIMER0 timer is sourced from the internal FRO_96M



The detailed configurations of the Systick and CTIMER0 are shown below:

- Systick config: SystickISR Freq = 1000 Hz, by setting 150,000 reload value under 150 MHz core clock
- CTIMER config: CTIMER_Freq = 96 MHz, sourced from 96 MHz FRO_96M clock
- Expected CTIMER counter should be CTIMER _Freq/SystickISR_Freq = 96 MHz / 1000 = 96,000
- . In each Systick interrupt ISR, save the CTIMER counter value

• In runtime while (1) loop, check: (96,000 – 20 %) < CTIMER expect counter < (96,000 + 20 %)

The configuration of the clock test is in Safety config.h.

According to the actual application, you can change the CTIMER instance for the safety clock test by configuring REF_TIMER_USED macro. Also, you must configure REF_TIMER_CLOCK_FREQUENCY according to the actual clock frequency.

4.8 Digital I/O test

4.8.1 Digital I/O test description

In LPC553x safety library example project, GPIO P1_4 and P1_17 on LPC5536-EVK are selected for the safety digital I/O test, these two pins are connected to J10 header on LPC553x EVK board.

The digital I/O test routines are divided into two main processes: pre-run one time safety test and runtime periodical safety test

- Pre-run one time safety test
 - SafetyDigitalOutputTest
 - SafetyDigitaIInputOutput ShortSupplyTest
 - SafetyDigitalInputOutput ShortAdjTest
- · Runtime periodical safety test
 - SafetyDigitalOutputTest
 - SafetyDigitalInputOutput ShortSupplyTest

4.8.2 Digital I/O test configuration

The configuration of the digital I/O test is in safety test items.c.

```
fs_dio_test_lpc_t dio_safety_test_item 0 =
                                                       /* P1 4 */
    {.iocon_mode_shift = IOCON_PIO_MODE_SHIFT,
                                                       /*Device depend*/
    .pinNum
                                                       /*Position in DIR registor*/
                     = 4,
    .gpio_clkc_shift = SYSCON_AHBCLKCTRL0_GPIO1_SHIFT};
                                                       /* P1_17 */
fs_dio_test_lpc_t dio_safety_test_item_1 =
                                                      /* Device depend */
    {.iocon_mode_shift = IOCON_PIO_MODE_SHIFT,
    .pPort_byte = (uint8_t *)&(GPIO->B[1][17]),
.pPort_dir = (uint32_t *)&(GPIO->DIR[1]),
                                                     /*adress of byte register in GPIO*/
/* asress of dir1 register*/
                    = (uint32_t *)&(IOCON->PIO[1][17]), /* Adress of concrete IOCON register*/
    .pPort_Iocon
                     = 17, /*Position in DIR registor*/
    .gpio_clkc_shift = SYSCON_AHBCLKCTRL0_GPIO1_SHIFT};
/* NULL terminated array of pointers to dio_test_t items for safety DIO test */
fs_dio_test_lpc_t *dio_safety_test_items[] = {&dio_safety_test_item_0, &dio_safety_test_item_1, NULL};
```

The execution of the digital I/O tests must be adapted to the final application. Be careful with the hardware connections and design. You can change the GPIO for the safety

digital I/O test by configuring dio_safety_test_items[] in safety_test_items.c. In most cases, the tested (and sometimes also auxiliary) pin must be reconfigured during the application run. It is recommended to use the unused pins for the digital I/O test.

4.9 Analog I/O test

4.9.1 Analog I/O test description

In LPC553x safety library example project, P0_16/ADC0IN3B, P0_31/ADC0IN8A, and P0_15/ADC0IN3A on LPC5536-EVK are selected for the safety analog I/O test, because the ADC module on MCU LPC5536 does not allow to connect the VREFH, VREFL internally to the ADC input. It is necessary for the user to connect these signals (for the analog I/O test) with flying wires as shown below.

- GND connected to P0 16/ADC0IN3B (J9-5) for ADC VREFL Test
- 3.3 V connected to P0 31/ADC0IN8A (J9-31) for ADC VREFH Test
- 1.65 V connected to P0 15/ADC0IN3A (J9-1) for ADC Bandgap Test

The analog I/O test routines are divided into two main processes:

- · Pre-run one time safety test
 - SafetyAnalogTest
- Runtime periodical safety test
 - SafetyAnalogTest

4.9.2 Analog I/O test configuration

The execution of the analog I/O tests must be adapted to the final application. Be careful with the hardware connections and design. You can change the ADC channels for the safety analog I/O test by configuring FS CFG AIO CHANNELS INIT and

FS CFG AIO CHANNELS SIDE INIT in safety config.h.

- FS_CFG_AIO_CHANNELS_INIT indicates ADC channel number.
- FS CFG AIO CHANNELS SIDE INIT indicates ADC channel side.

As shown in the above figure:

- · First element corresponds to ADC VREFL test
- Second element corresponds to ADC VREFH test
- · Third element corresponds to ADC Bandgap test

For example, "3" in FS_CFG_AIO_CHANNELS_INIT and "1" in

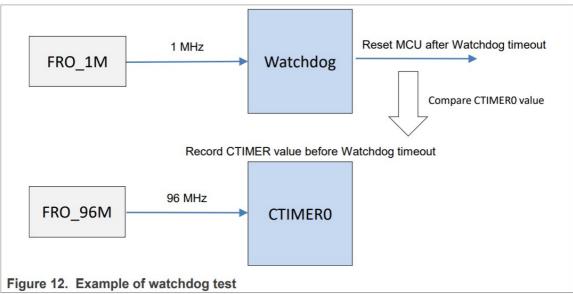
FS_CFG_AIO_CHANNELS_SIDE_INIT indicates that ADC0 channel 3 side B is selected for ADC VREFL test.

4.10 Watchdog test

4.10.1 Watchdog test description

The watchdog test is not directly specified in the IEC60730 – annex H table, however, it partially fulfills the safety requirements according to IEC 60730-1, IEC 60335, UL 60730, and UL 1998 standards.

The watchdog test provides the testing of the watchdog timer functionality. The test is run only once after the reset. The test causes the WDOG reset and compares the preset time for the WDOG reset to the real time.



In LPC553x safety library example project, the watchdog is tested using the following steps:

- 1. After reset, enable watchdog and stop refreshing on purpose to trigger watchdog reset MCU.
- 2. Enable CTIMER0 to measure how long it takes for the watchdog timeout and reset.
- 3. After watchdog reset, confirm that this reset is caused by watchdog by checking PMC->AOREG1 register.
- 4. Read CTIMER0 to get the exact time of watchdog timeout and reset.

Revision history

The table below summarizes the revisions to this document.

Table 3. Revision history

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0	4-Jan-23	Initial public release

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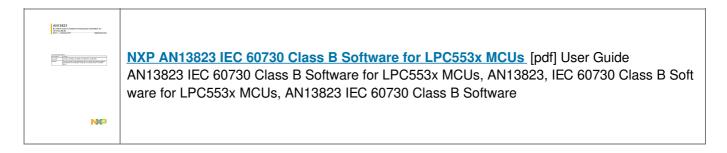
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