








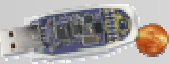




# **New technology in MSP430**

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# Agenda

- MSP430 Roadmap
- High Resolution Timer in MSP430
- 0.9V Power Supply in MSP430
- Low cost in MSP430
- Q&A

# TI is the leader in Embedded Processing

Microcontrollers			Arm-Based		DSP
16-bit MCU	32-bit Real-time	32-bit ARM	ARM+	ARM + DSP	DSP
<b>MSP430</b>	<b>C2000™</b>	<b>Stellaris Cortex™ M3</b>	<b>ARM9 Cortex A-8</b>	<b>C64x+ plus ARM9/Cortex A-8</b>	<b>C647x, C64x+, C55x</b>
Ultra-Low Power	Fixed & Floating Point	Industry Std Low Power	Industry-Std Core, High-Perf GPP	Industry-Std Core + DSP for Signal Proc.	Leadership DSP Performance
Up to 25MHz	Up to 150MHz	Up to 100MHz	Accelerators	4800 MMACs/ 1.07 DMIPS/MHz	24,000 MMACS
Flash 1KB to 256KB	Flash 32KB to 512KB	Flash 8KB to 256KB	MMU	MMU, Cache	Up to 3MB L2 Cache
Analog I/O, ADC, LCD, USB, RF	PWM, ADC, CAN, SPI, I²C	USB, ENET, ADC, PWM, HMI	USB, LCD, MMC, EMAC	VPSS, USB, EMAC, MMC	1G EMAC, SRIO, DDR2, PCI-66
Measurement, Sensing, General Purpose	Motor Control, Digital Power, Lighting	Host Control, general purpose, motor control	Linux/WinCE User Apps	Linux/Win + Video, Imaging, Multimedia	Comm, WiMAX, Industrial/ Medical Imaging
\$0.25 to \$9.00	\$1.50 to \$20.00	\$2.00 to \$8.00	\$8.00 to \$35.00	\$12.00 to \$65.00	\$4.00 to \$99.00+
					
<div>    <div>Software &amp; Dev. Tools</div>    </div>					

# MSP430 - Overview

## Ultra-low power & performance

- *Industry's Lowest Power*
- Standby <1uA; Active 160  $\mu$  A/MIPS
- Includes RTC and BOR
- Fast wake-up <1  $\mu$  s
- 4 programmable voltage levels
- Internal voltage regulator
- 8-25 MHz RISC CPU
- Industry leading code density
- Flexible clock system

## Analog Integration

- 14 to 113 pin devices
- 1-256kB Flash/ROM
- 10-/12-/16-bit ADC
- 12-bit D/A, LCD Drivers, RTC, DMA
- Comparators and Op Amps
- Supply Voltage Supervisor & BOR
- 16-bit and 8-bit timers; WDT
- I2C, SPI, UART/LIN, IrDA

## Roadmap



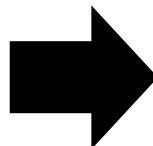
- Integrated RF on chip (CC430)
- Innovative nonvolatile memory (FRAM)
- Native sub-1 volt
- Higher memory roadmap
- 100 new devices through 4Q 2010

## Ease of Use

- Free/Low cost dev tools
- Workshops on demand
- Technical forums on [community.ti.com](http://community.ti.com)
- Reference designs and code examples
- C friendly IDE and compiler
- Embedded emulation
- 430 teaching CD with labs

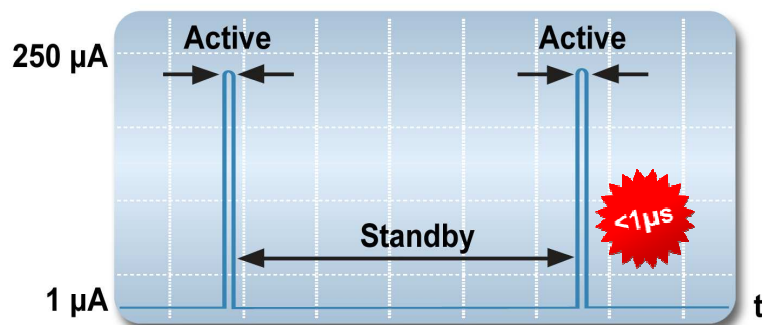
# Ultra-Low-Power is in Our DNA

- Every aspect of the MSP430 designed for ULP
- Peripherals optimized to reduce power and minimize CPU usage
- Intelligent, low power peripherals can operate independently of CPU and let the system stay in a lower power mode longer



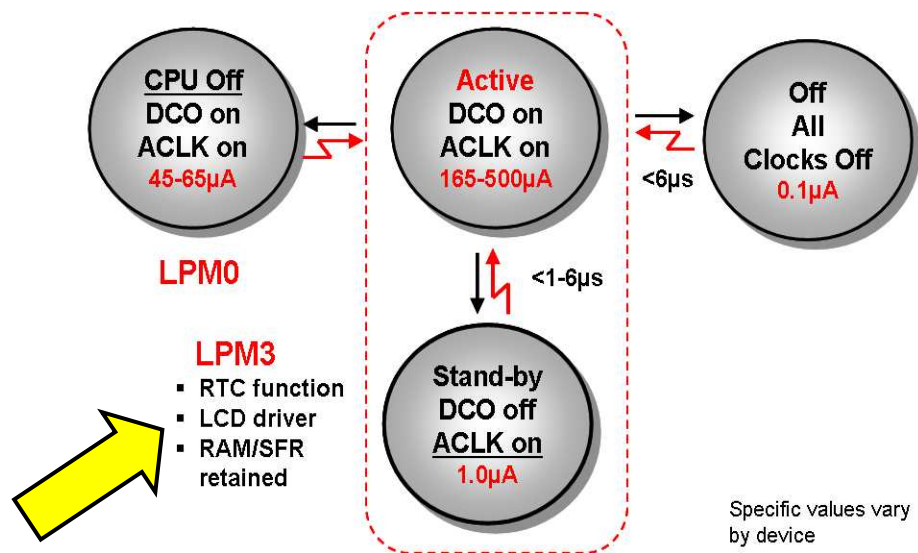
- ✓ Multiple operating modes
  - 0.1  $\mu\text{A}$  power down; 0.3  $\mu\text{A}$  standby; 165  $\mu\text{A}$  / MIPS
- ✓ Instant-on **stable** high-speed clock
- ✓ 1.8 - 3.6V **single-supply** operation
- ✓ **Zero-power** BOR
- ✓ **<50nA** pin leakage
- ✓ CPU that minimizes cycles per task
- ✓ Low-power intelligent peripherals
  - ADC that automatically transfers data
  - Timers that consume negligible power
  - 100 nA analog comparators
- ✓ Performance over required operating conditions

## Ultra-Low Power Activity Profile

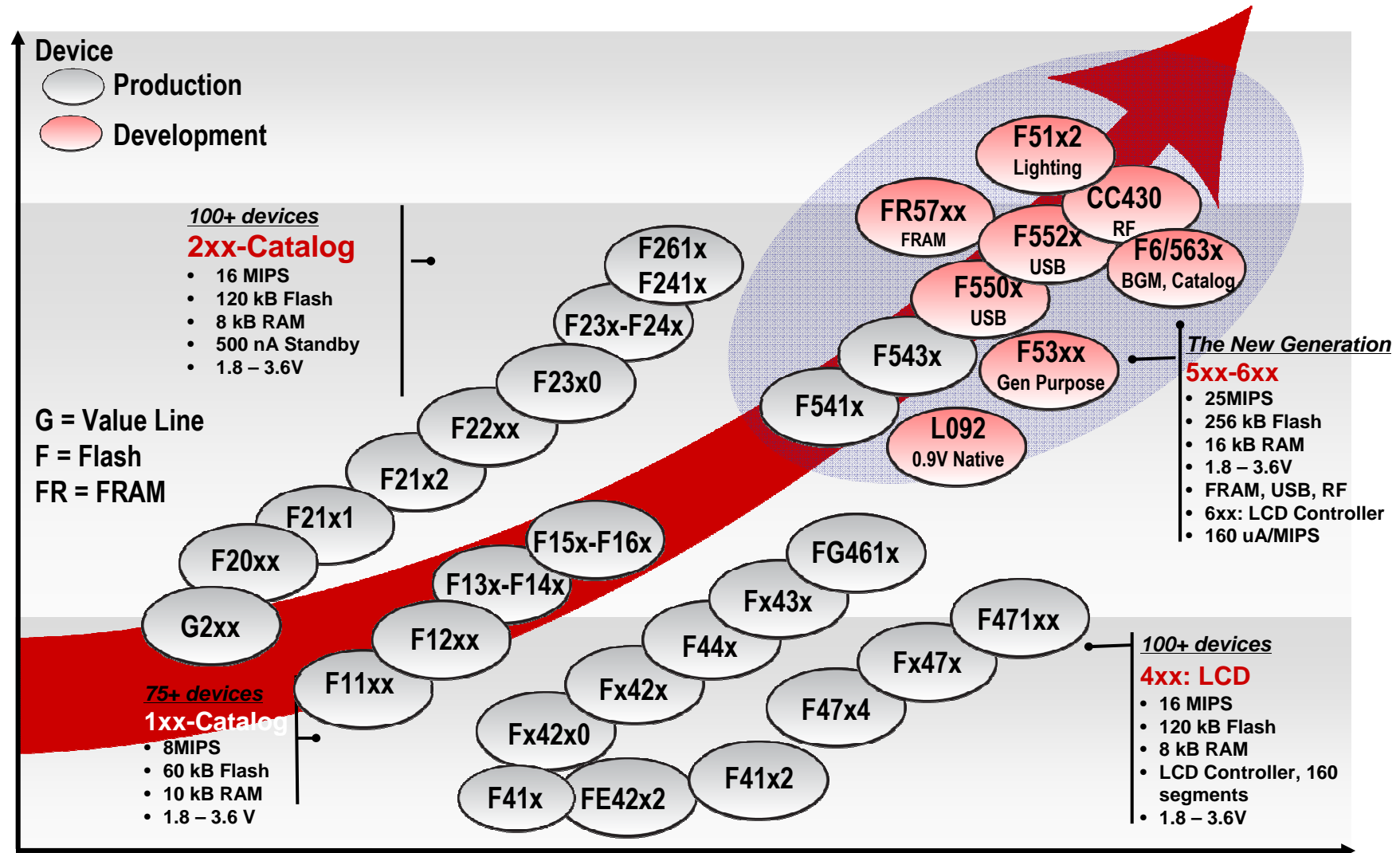


- Extended **Ultra-Low Power** standby mode
- Minimum active duty cycle
- Interrupt driven performance on-demand

## MSP430 Low Power Modes



# MSP430 Portfolio + Roadmap



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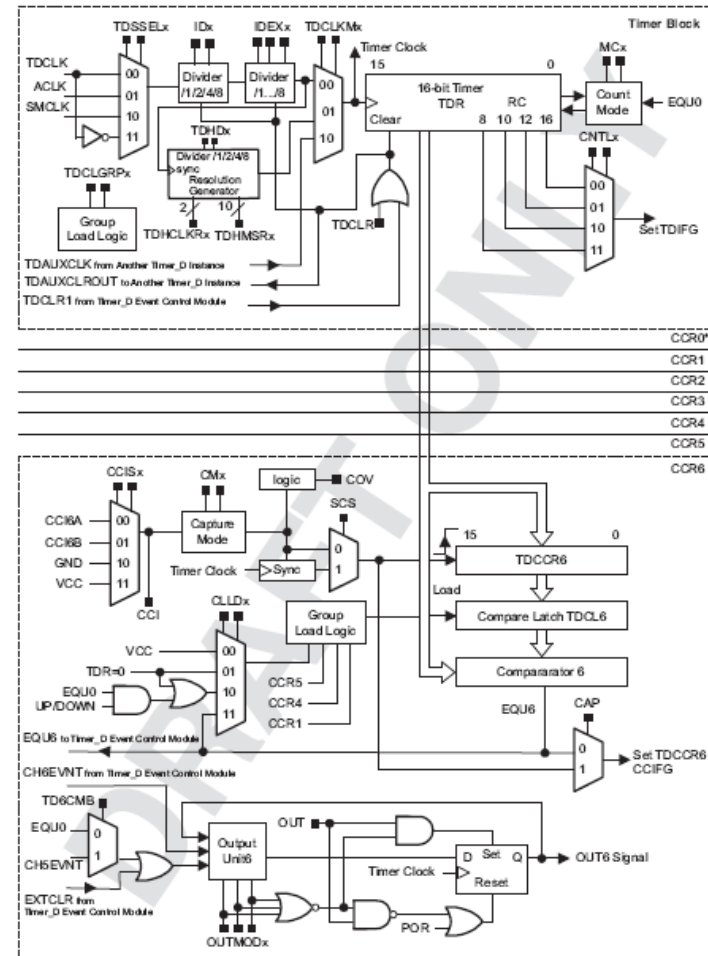
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# High Resolution Timer Overview

- 100% SW compatible to existing Timer\_B
- Max 4ns resolution @ 16 MHz input clock  
Max 5 ns resolution @ 25 MHz input clock for PWM output and Capture input
- Low-power consumption: 40  $\mu$  A/MHz resulting 500  $\mu$  A @ 25 MHz input clock
- Scalable Architecture, from “TD1” to TD7
- Multiple Timer\_D instances can be synchronized
- Fault and re-start inputs per channel
- Full PWM capability by combining 2 buffered CCR registers for one channel

## New Target Applications:

LED lighting/dimming, Simple Motor Control, Power Factor Correction, Lamp Ballast





# MSP430F51x2

Timer\_D (High resolution PWM),  
5V tolerant push/pull I/Os

## Performance

- 16-bit RISC architecture, 40ns instruction cycle time
- Ultra-Low-Power, Integrated Intelligent Peripherals and Easy-to-Use

## Features

- Power
  - Low Supply Voltage Range 1.8 V to 3.6 V
  - Ultra-low Power Consumption
    - Active Mode: 165 **(TBD)**  $\mu$ A / MHz
    - Standby Mode (LPM3 RTC Mode): 1.5 **(TBD)**  $\mu$ A
    - Off Mode (LPM4 RAM Retention) 1.0 **(TBD)**  $\mu$ A
    - Shutdown Mode (LPM5): 0.1 **(TBD)**  $\mu$ A
  - Ultrafast Wake-Up from Standby Mode in < 5  $\mu$ s
- Package
  - 38-pin DA (TSSOP); 40-pin RHA (QFN) (6mm x 6mm)

## Benefits

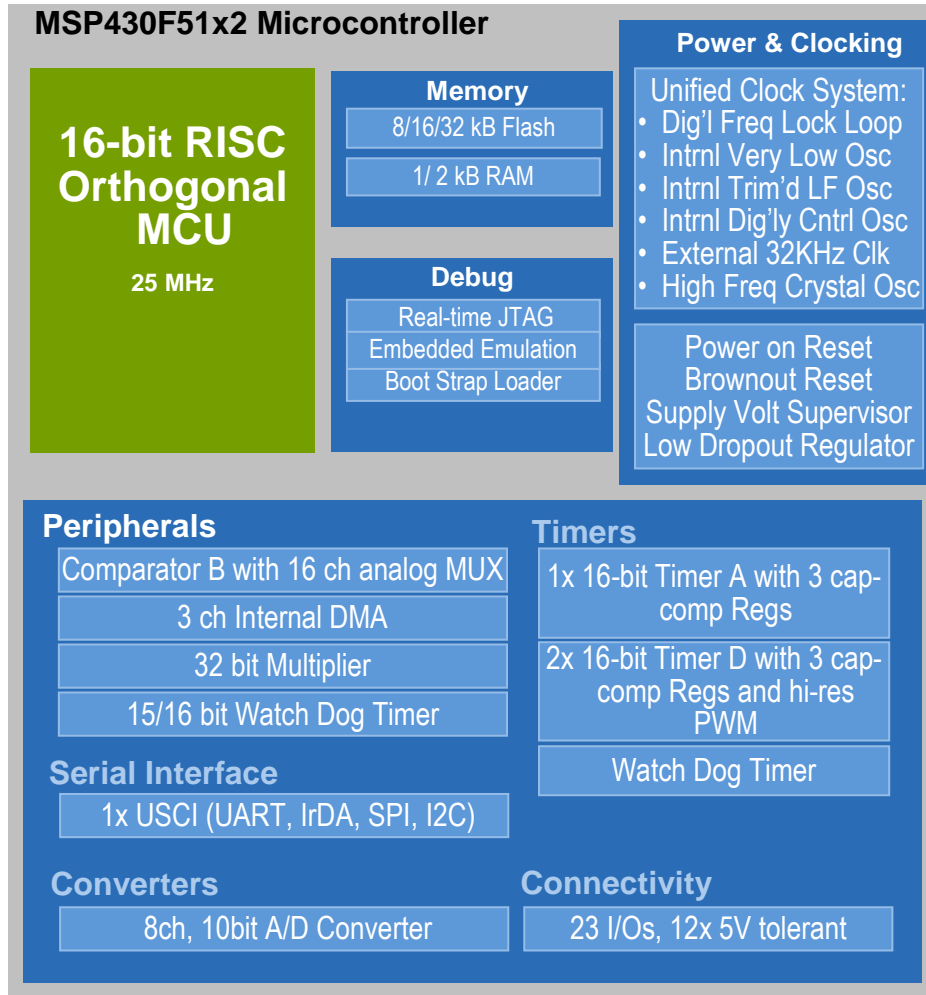
- High resolution PWM of 4ns for precise motor and LED lighting control
- Cap sense enabled by optimized comparator with 16 input analog MUX
- 5V tolerant push/pull IOs with up to 20 mA drive strength for interfacing to 5V IC, driving logic level MOSFETs or white LEDs

## Development Board and Programmer

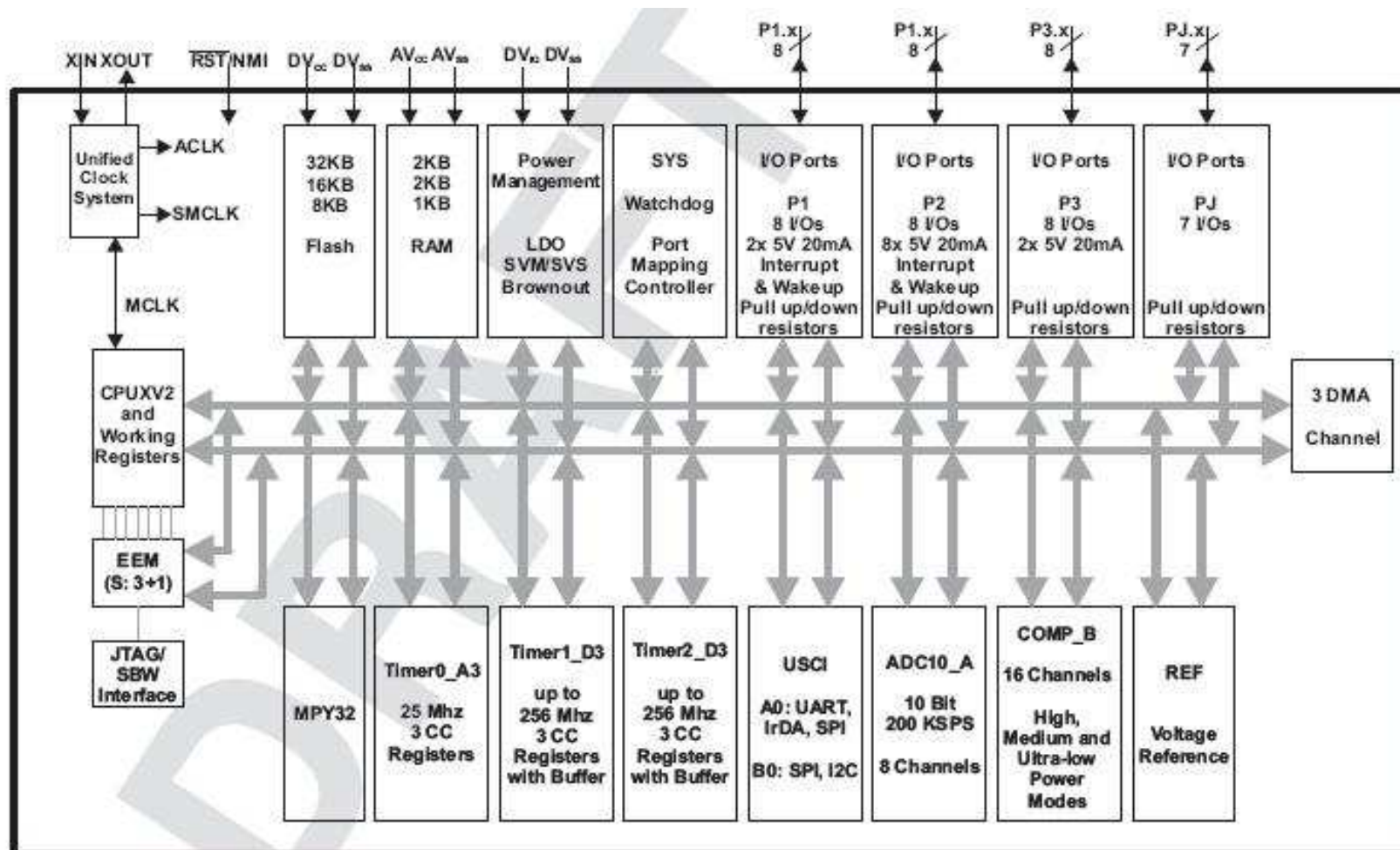
- TBD

## Applications include:

- LED backlights and incandescent replacements
- Cap Sense
- Motor Control
- UPS and Battery Chargers
- Voice synthesis

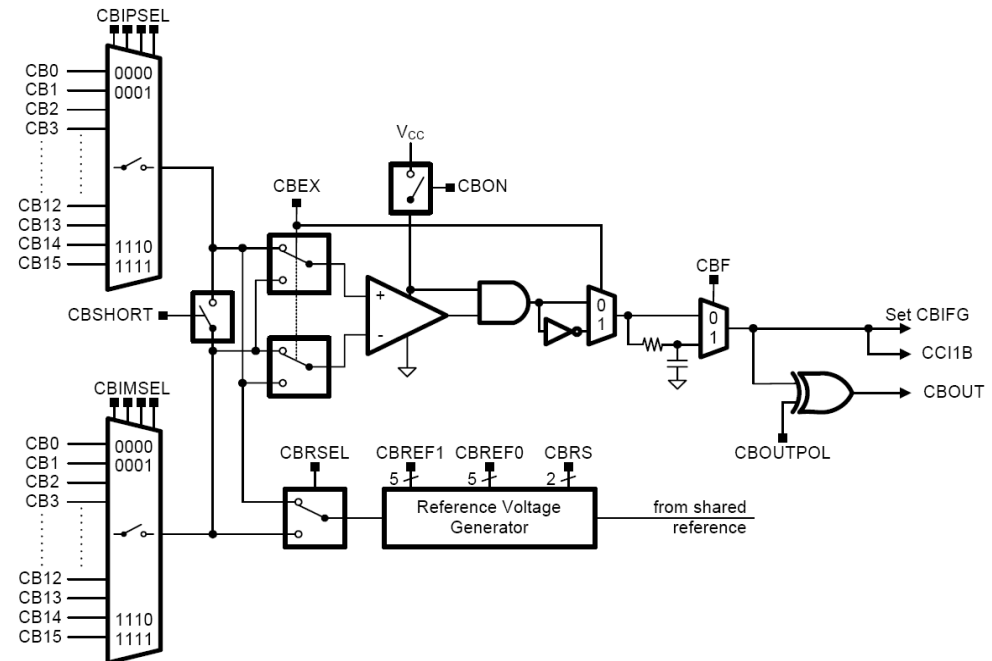


# F51x2 Block Diagram

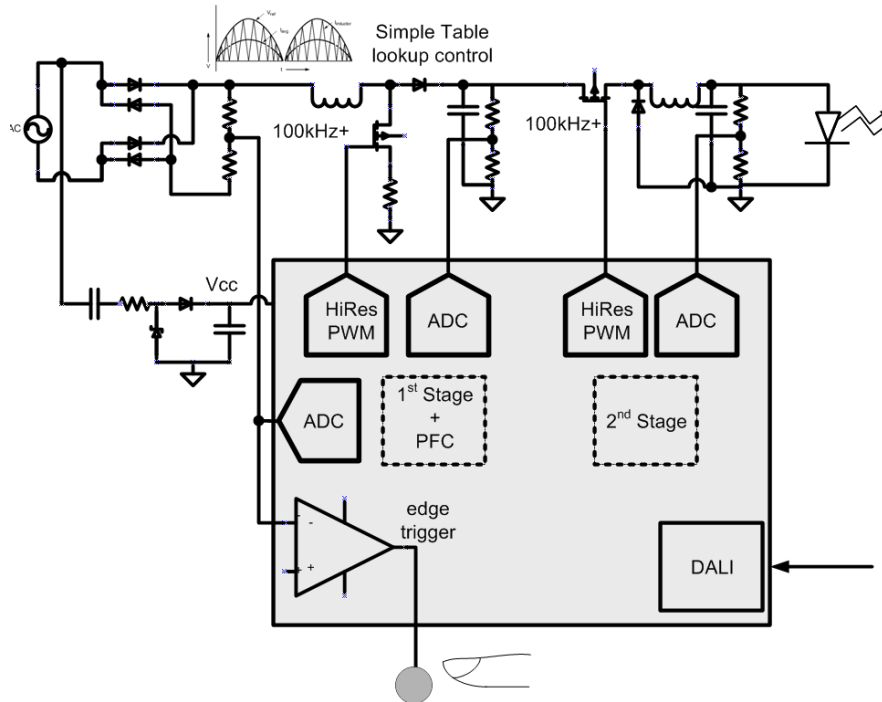


# Comp\_B Overview

- 16 input analog comparator
- Programmable hysteresis
- Optimized for relaxation oscillator cap sense



# MSP430F51x2 Application: Lighting



LED Lighting block diagram

- **Attributes**
- HI-Res PWM with 4ns resolution cycle
- 5V tolerant push-pull I/Os with 20mA drive strength

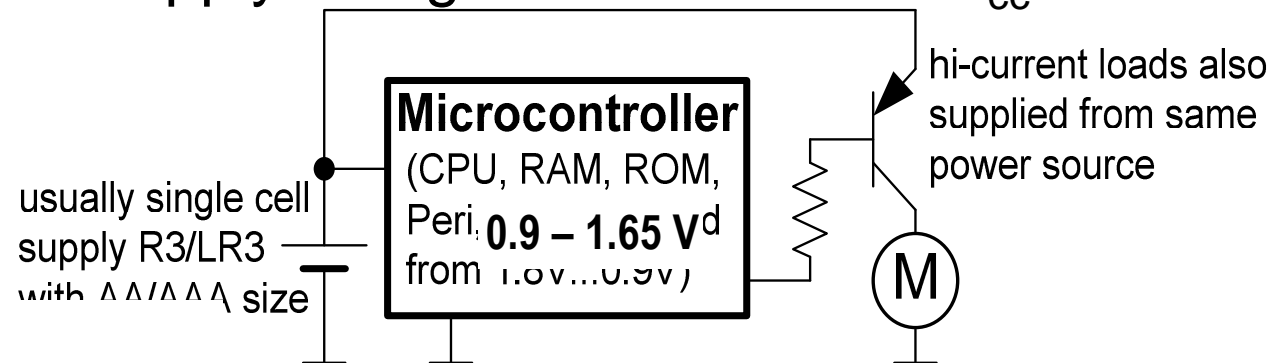
- **Benefits**
- Precise digital control for motor control, lighting, etc.
- Interface to legacy electronics
- Drives white LEDs
- Gate driver for logic-level MOSFETs

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# 0.9V Power Supply

- the device, including peripherals operates at specified  $V_{cc}$
- additional components such as charge pump are **NOT** needed to support the full  $V_{cc}$  range
- full functionality of the device is maintained within  $V_{cc}$  range
- the microcontroller and application are supplied from one common supply that goes down to min  $V_{cc}$



# MSP430[C/L]09x

Native 0.9V MSP430

## Performance

- 16-bit RISC Architecture, up to 4MHz system clock
- Ultra-Low-Power, Integrated Intelligent Peripherals and Easy-to-Use

## Features

- Power
  - Low Supply Voltage Range 0.9V to 1.65 V
  - Ultra-low Power Consumption
    - Active Mode: 500 **(TBD)**  $\mu$  A @ 1MHz (1.2V)
    - Standby Mode (LPM3 WDT Mode): <10 **(TBD)**  $\mu$  A
    - Off Mode (LPM4) 3-9 **(TBD)**  $\mu$  A
  - Ultrafast Wake-Up from Standby Mode in < 5  $\mu$  s
- Package
  - 14-pin PW (TSSOP) 5.1mm x 6.6mm

## Benefits

- Market's first 16 bit sub 1V microcontroller
  - 16-bit processing power at low voltage/cost
- Operates off of single alkaline battery for:
  - Longer battery life
  - Lower operating and system cost
  - Smaller end equipment and lower weight
- Operates down to 0.9V (EOL of standard alkaline batteries)
- Code reuse
  - MSP430 core is 100% compatible with previous MSP430 devices

## Development Board and Programmer

- TBD

## Applications include:

- Security devices (door sensors, PIR)
- Electric tooth brush, shavers etc.
- Sports applications
- Sensors (motion, pressure)

### MSP430[C/L]09x Microcontroller

**16-bit RISC  
Orthogonal  
MCU**

4 MHz

#### Memory

2KB ROM

1K/2KB RAM

#### Debug

Real-time JTAG

Embedded Emulation

Loader

#### Power & Clocking

Compact Clock System:

- Intrnl 20kHz Osc
- Intrnl 1MHz Osc
- External clk input

Power on Reset  
Brownout Reset  
Supply Volt Monitor

#### Peripherals

4 ch programmable comparator

ULV reference

Temperature sensor

#### Timers

32 bit Watchdog Timer

2x 16 bit Timer A with 3 cap-comp regs

#### Converters

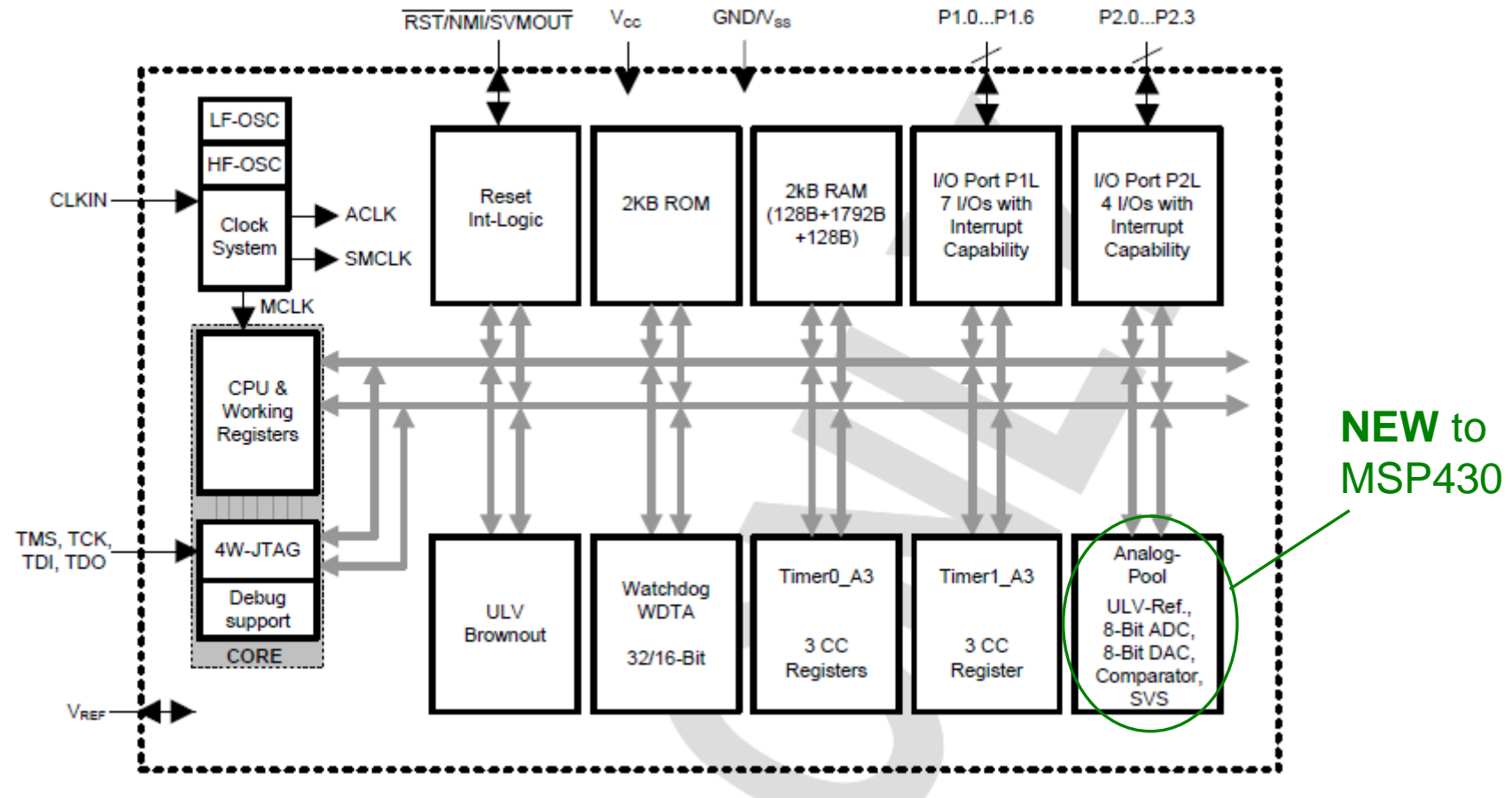
4 ch, 8 bit A/D Converter

8 bit D/A Converter

#### Connectivity

11 I/Os w/ interrupt capability

# MSP430L092 Block Diagram





# Initial Target Applications List

- General purpose low-cost MCU
- Consumer
  - Electric tooth brush, shavers, etc.
  - Toys
  - Games
- Security devices (door sensors, passive I/R)
- Sports applications
- Sensors (motion, pressure)



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# 8-bit developers no longer need to sacrifice performance, power efficiency or scalability for price



**Deliver increased features and functionality with optimized 16-bit MSP430 architecture**

- ▶ 10X more MIPS throughput
- ▶ Reduced cycles/task
- ▶ 50% greater code density

**Design products with up to 20 years of battery life through leading ultra-low power consumption**

- ▶ 10X lower power
- ▶ Smart ADC
- ▶ Sub 1 $\mu$ s wakeup

**Accelerate time to market with easy-to-use tools, free software & extensive third party support**

- ▶ 100 new MCUs as low as \$0.25
- ▶ Full compatibility across entire MSP430 platform

# 16-bit performance for enhanced accuracy and headroom for differentiation

## Safety & Security



## Lighting



## Touch pads



## Consumer Electronics



## Personal Health & Fitness



## Intelligent Sensors



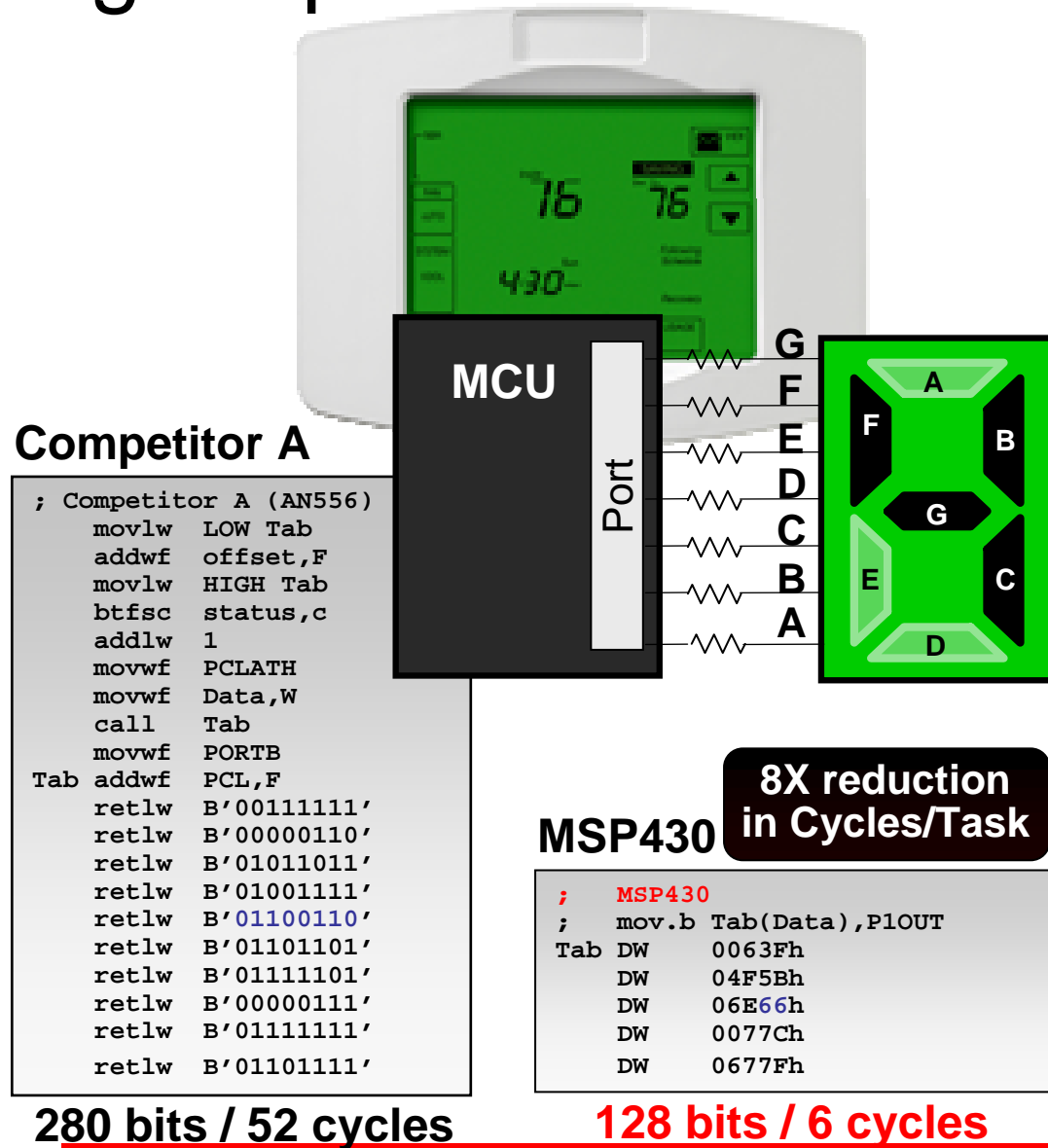
- ▶ Lower maintenance cost and longer product life
- ▶ Headroom and intelligence for new functionality
- ▶ More precise settings and faster response time

# What do I get for 25 cents?

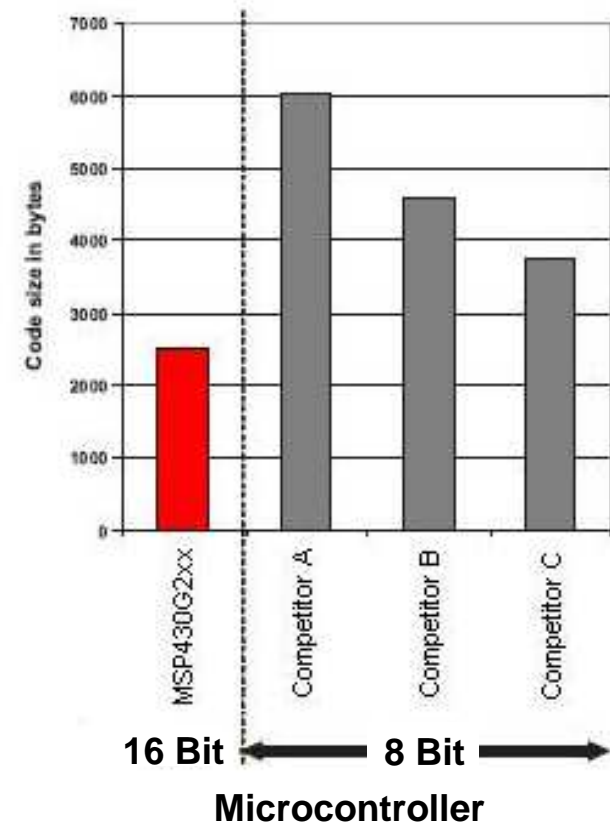


	Competitor	MSP430G20	
Flash	512B Ext 12V	512B In System	Flexible
RAM	25B	128B	Agile
Timers	8-bit counter	16-bit multifunctio	More Functionality
Emulation	0	2-pin In System	Faster Development
GPIO/ Interrupts	6 0	10 22	No Compromise
MIPS	1x 8-bit	16x 16-bit	Hi-Performance
Power	2	5	MSP430 is lower power in all modes of operation
Price	\$0.25	\$0.25	

# Higher performance and code effectiveness

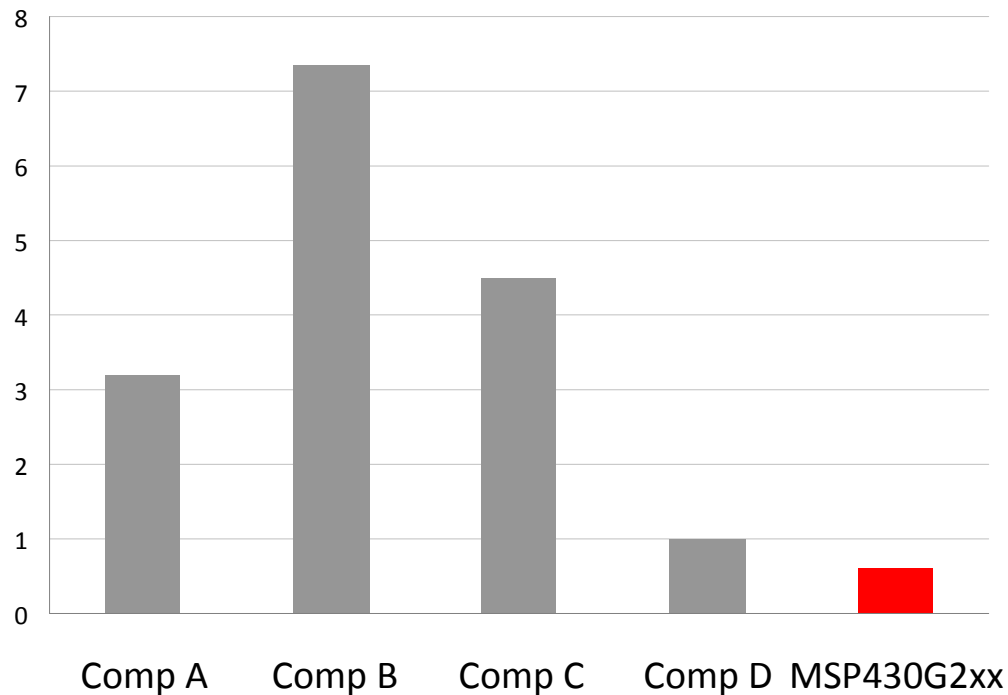


Total code size for simple math  
8-bit vs 16-bit processing



# Leading ultra-low power consumption drives longer battery life

Standby Mode comparison  
@ 3V ( $\mu\text{A}$ )



Typical battery powered applications spend 99-99.9% of their time in standby mode

**G2xx power consumption is lower than typical 8-bit MCUs; as low as (@2.2V):**

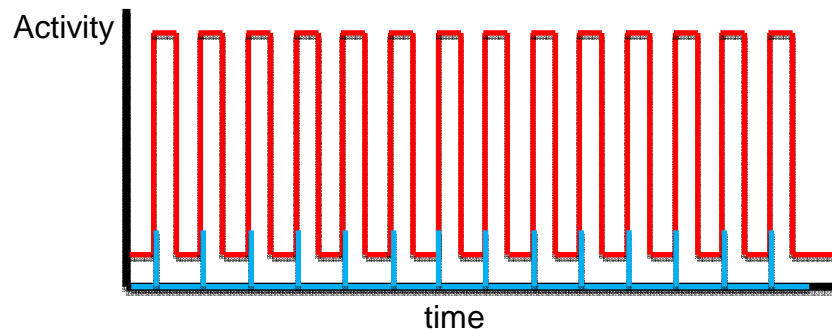
- $0.1 \mu\text{A}$  RAM retention
- $0.4 \mu\text{A}$  Standby mode (VLO)
- $0.7 \mu\text{A}$  real-time clock mode
- Ultra-Fast Wake-Up From Standby Mode in  $<1 \mu\text{s}$

**10X lower power**

# Intelligent Peripherals

## Competitor A: ADC

**The competition requires the CPU to be active for each ADC conversion and loaded data transfer.**

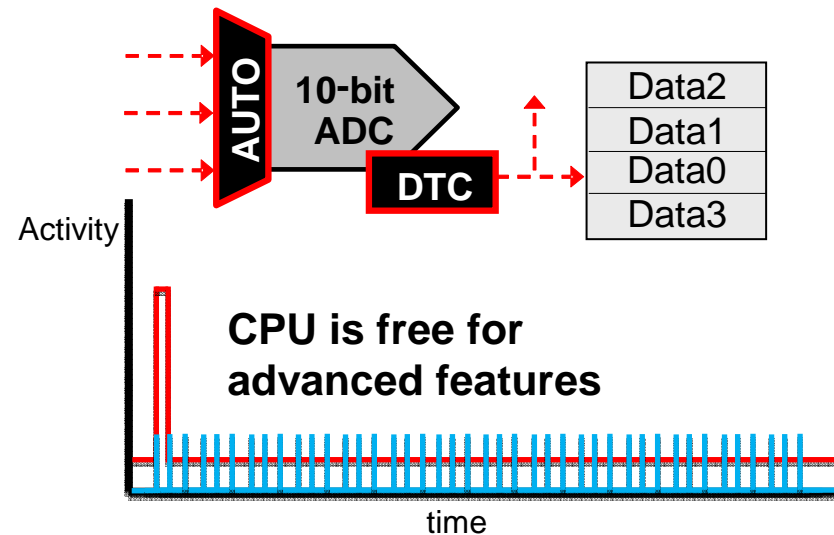


Competitor A

	movl	0x20
	movwf	0x20
	movlw	0x20
	movwf	0x20
Main	movf	0x20
	movwf	0x20
	decf	0x20
	btfs	0x20
	mov	0x20
Wait	bsf	0x20
	btfs	0x20
	goto	0x20
	movf	0x20
	movwf	0x20
	incf	0x20
	bcf	0x20
	movwf	0x20
	incf	0x20
	btfs	0x20
	goto	0x20

**Limited to 10,638  
samples/s @  
100% CPU load**

# MSP430: ADC + DTC



```
MSP430 + DTC
bis.w #CPUOFF,SR
```

**Up to 200,000  
samples/s @  
0.6% CPU load**

MSP430's ADC10 with Data Transfer Controller (DTC) can manage ADC samples throughout entire memory range – All without CPU overhead!

- Less time in Active Mode saves power
- CPU available for other more advanced tasks
- Intelligent autonomous sampling
- Deterministic behavior

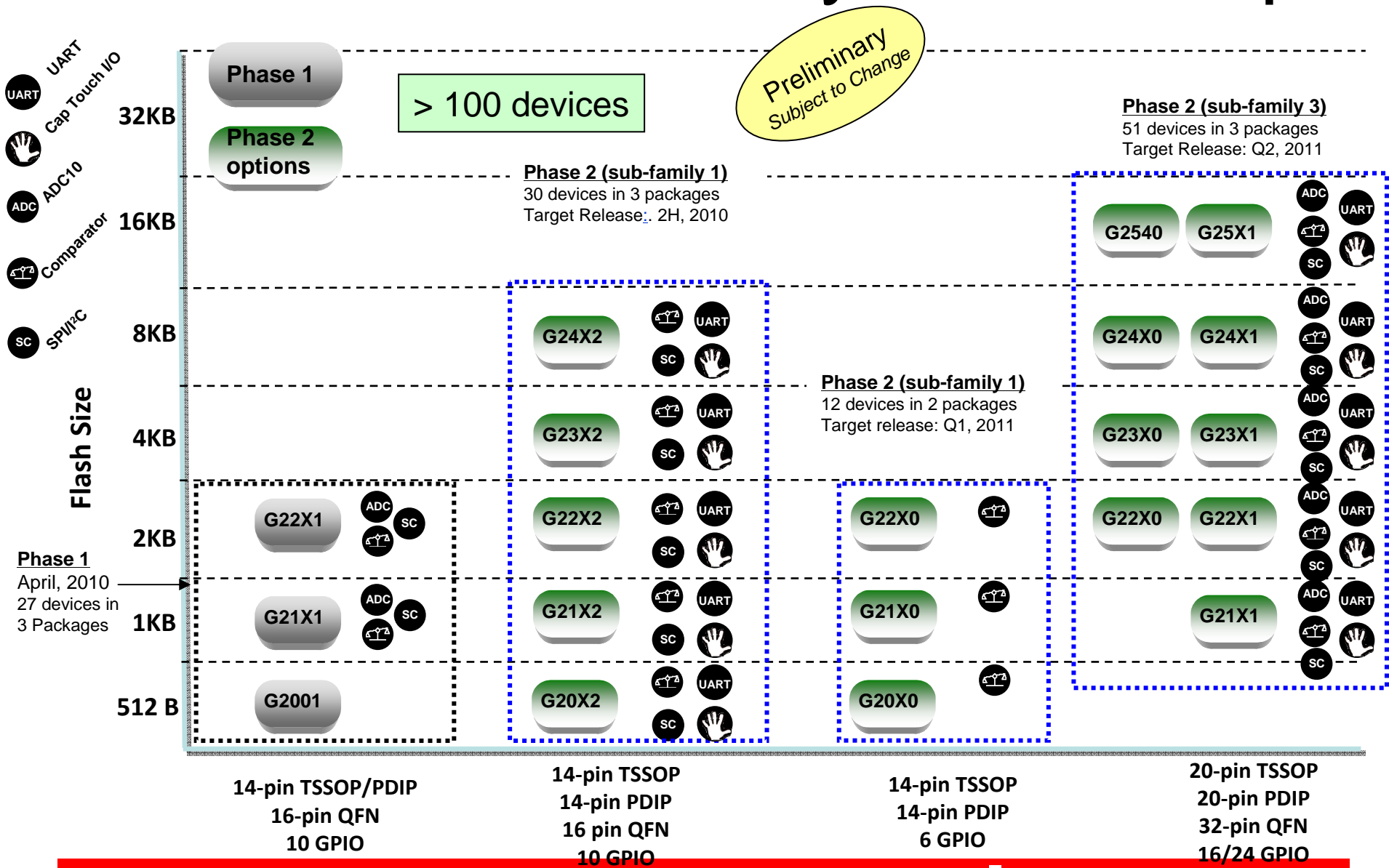


# Portfolio – Phase 1 (April 2010)

Flash-Based MSP430G2xx Value Series (V <sub>CC</sub> 1.8 to 3.6V) (See <a href="http://www.ti.com/430value">www.ti.com/430value</a> for additional information)														
Value Line Product	Closest MSP430F2xx	Program (KB)	SRAM (B)	I/O	16-Bit Timers		# CCR	Watchdog	BOR	US: I <sup>2</sup> C/SPI	Comp_A+	Temp Sensor	ADC Ch/Res	Packages
					Total	R								
MSP430G2001		0.512	128	10	1	2	✓	✓	-	-	-	-	-	PW14, N14, RSA16
MSP430G2101		1	128	10	1	2	✓	✓	-	-	-	-	-	PW14, N14, RSA16
MSP430G2121		1	128	10	1	2	✓	✓	✓	-	-	-	-	PW14, N14, RSA17
MSP430G2201		2	128	10	1	2	✓	✓	-	-	-	-	-	PW14, N14, RSA16
MSP430G2221		2	128	10	1	2	✓	✓	✓	-	-	-	-	PW14, N14, RSA16
MSP430G2111	MSP430F2001	1	128	10	1	2	✓	✓	-	✓	-	-	-	PW14, N14, RSA16
MSP430G2211	MSP430F2011	2	128	10	1	2	✓	✓	-	✓	-	-	-	PW14, N14, RSA16
MSP430G2131	MSP430F2002	1	128	10	1	2	✓	✓	✓	-	✓	8ch ADC10	8ch ADC10	PW14, N14, RSA16
MSP430G2231	MSP430F2012	2	128	10	1	2	✓	✓	✓	-	✓	8ch ADC10	8ch ADC10	PW14, N14, RSA16

Note: Add I + Package + pincount ('Packages' column) to 'Value Line Product' column to get complete part number e.g. MSP430G2001IPW14

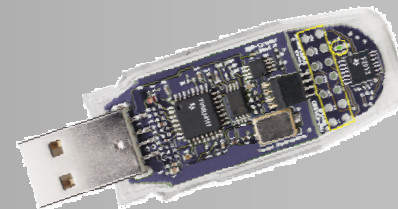
# The Value Line Family - Roadmap



# Powerful, low cost development tools

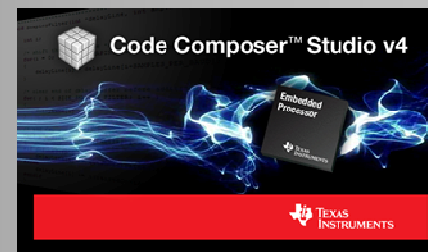
## eZ430-F2013: \$20 Development System

- Real-time, in-system emulation
- Removable target with full pin access



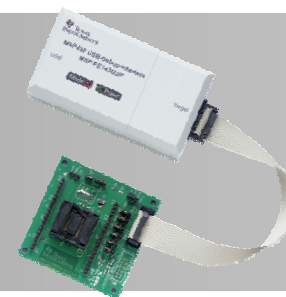
## Free, unrestricted software IDEs

- Code Composer Studio™ v4
- IAR Embedded Workbench



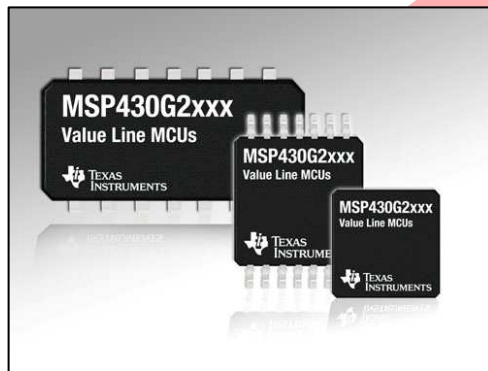
## Flash Emulation Tools

- Compatible with all MSP430 devices
- Socketed target boards available



**Your development – only \$20**

# Full compatibility across MSP430 platform allows developers to easily scale product lines



## Scalable performance options

- 8MHz - 25MHz CPU speed
- 16-bit Sigma Delta ADCs 12-bit DACs, 32x32 Multipliers, Op Amps, LCD Drivers, DMAs, and other high-performance peripherals are available throughout the MSP430 portfolio.

## Flexible memory options

- MSP430 offers between ½ kB to 256kB Flash
- 128B to 16kB RAM

## Pin counts

- MSP430 offers 22 different package options, scaling from 14 pins to 113 pins

## \$20 EVM and free software

- The ez430 development kits, starting at just \$20, offer everything you need to start developing for the MSP430
- Free, downloadable Code Composer Studio™ and IAR IDE

**Same architecture and same software  
from lowest-end to highest end MSP430**

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