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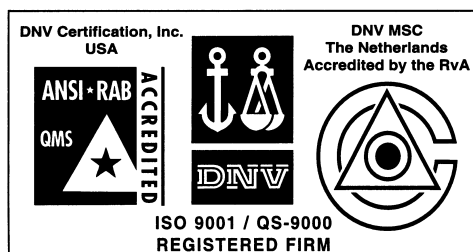
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28/40/44-Pin Enhanced Flash Microcontrollers

Devices Included in this Data Sheet:

- PIC16F873A
- PIC16F874A
- PIC16F876A
- PIC16F877A

High-Performance RISC CPU:

- Only 35 single-word instructions to learn
- All single-cycle instructions except for program branches, which are two-cycle
- Operating speed: DC – 20 MHz clock input
DC – 200 ns instruction cycle
- Up to 8K x 14 words of Flash Program Memory,
Up to 368 x 8 bytes of Data Memory (RAM),
Up to 256 x 8 bytes of EEPROM Data Memory
- Pinout compatible to other 28-pin or 40/44-pin
PIC16CXXX and PIC16FXXX microcontrollers

Peripheral Features:

- Timer0: 8-bit timer/counter with 8-bit prescaler
- Timer1: 16-bit timer/counter with prescaler,
can be incremented during Sleep via external
crystal/clock
- Timer2: 8-bit timer/counter with 8-bit period
register, prescaler and postscaler
- Two Capture, Compare, PWM modules
 - Capture is 16-bit, max. resolution is 12.5 ns
 - Compare is 16-bit, max. resolution is 200 ns
 - PWM max. resolution is 10-bit
- Synchronous Serial Port (SSP) with SPI™
(Master mode) and I²C™ (Master/Slave)
- Universal Synchronous Asynchronous Receiver
Transmitter (USART/SCI) with 9-bit address
detection
- Parallel Slave Port (PSP) – 8 bits wide with
external $\overline{RD}$, $\overline{WR}$ and $\overline{CS}$ controls (40/44-pin only)
- Brown-out detection circuitry for
Brown-out Reset (BOR)

Analog Features:

- 10-bit, up to 8-channel Analog-to-Digital
Converter (A/D)
- Brown-out Reset (BOR)
- Analog Comparator module with:
 - Two analog comparators
 - Programmable on-chip voltage reference
(VREF) module
 - Programmable input multiplexing from device
inputs and internal voltage reference
 - Comparator outputs are externally accessible

Special Microcontroller Features:

- 100,000 erase/write cycle Enhanced Flash
program memory typical
- 1,000,000 erase/write cycle Data EEPROM
memory typical
- Data EEPROM Retention > 40 years
- Self-reprogrammable under software control
- In-Circuit Serial Programming™ (ICSP™)
via two pins
- Single-supply 5V In-Circuit Serial Programming
- Watchdog Timer (WDT) with its own on-chip RC
oscillator for reliable operation
- Programmable code protection
- Power saving Sleep mode
- Selectable oscillator options
- In-Circuit Debug (ICD) via two pins

CMOS Technology:

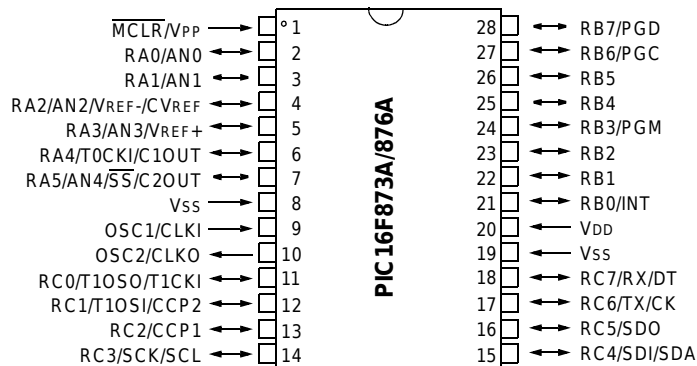
- Low-power, high-speed Flash/EEPROM
technology
- Fully static design
- Wide operating voltage range (2.0V to 5.5V)
- Commercial and Industrial temperature ranges
- Low-power consumption

Device	Program Memory		Data SRAM (Bytes)	EEPROM (Bytes)	I/O	10-bit A/D (ch)	CCP (PWM)	MSSP		USART	Timers 8/16-bit	Comparators
	Bytes	# Single Word Instructions						SPI	Master I²C			
PIC16F873A	7.2K	4096	192	128	22	5	2	Yes	Yes	Yes	2/1	2
PIC16F874A	7.2K	4096	192	128	33	8	2	Yes	Yes	Yes	2/1	2
PIC16F876A	14.3K	8192	368	256	22	5	2	Yes	Yes	Yes	2/1	2
PIC16F877A	14.3K	8192	368	256	33	8	2	Yes	Yes	Yes	2/1	2

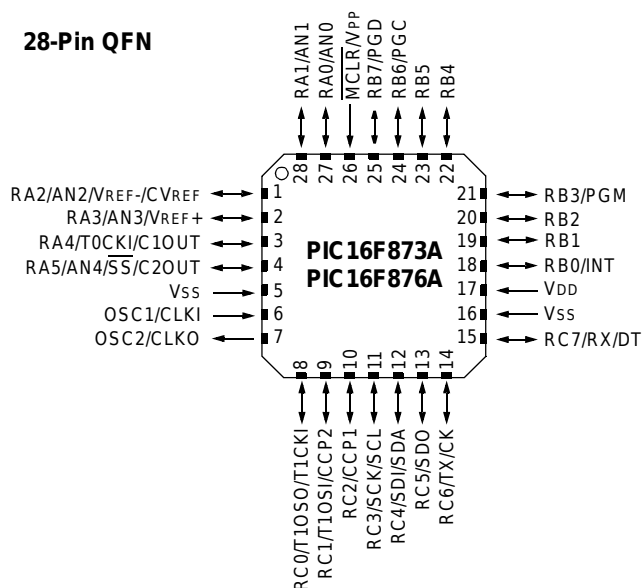
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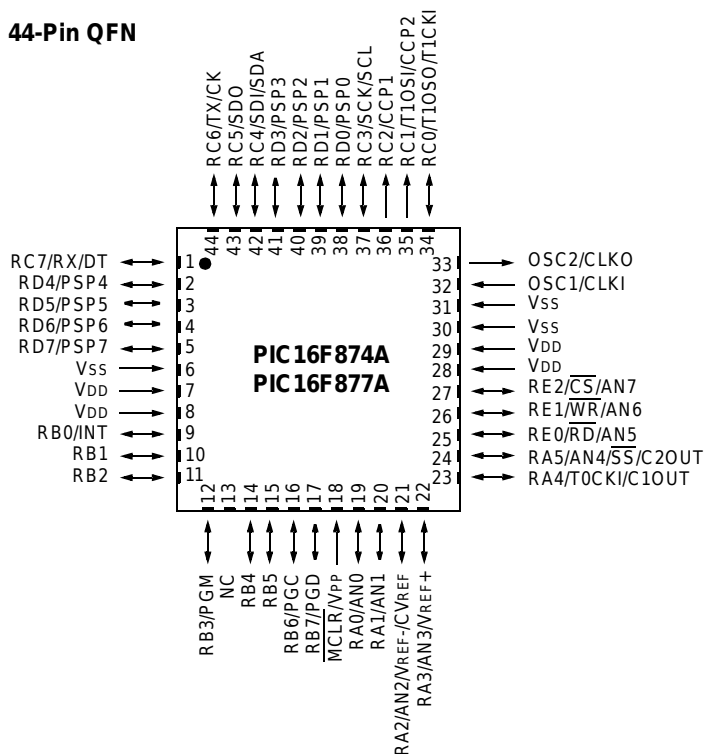
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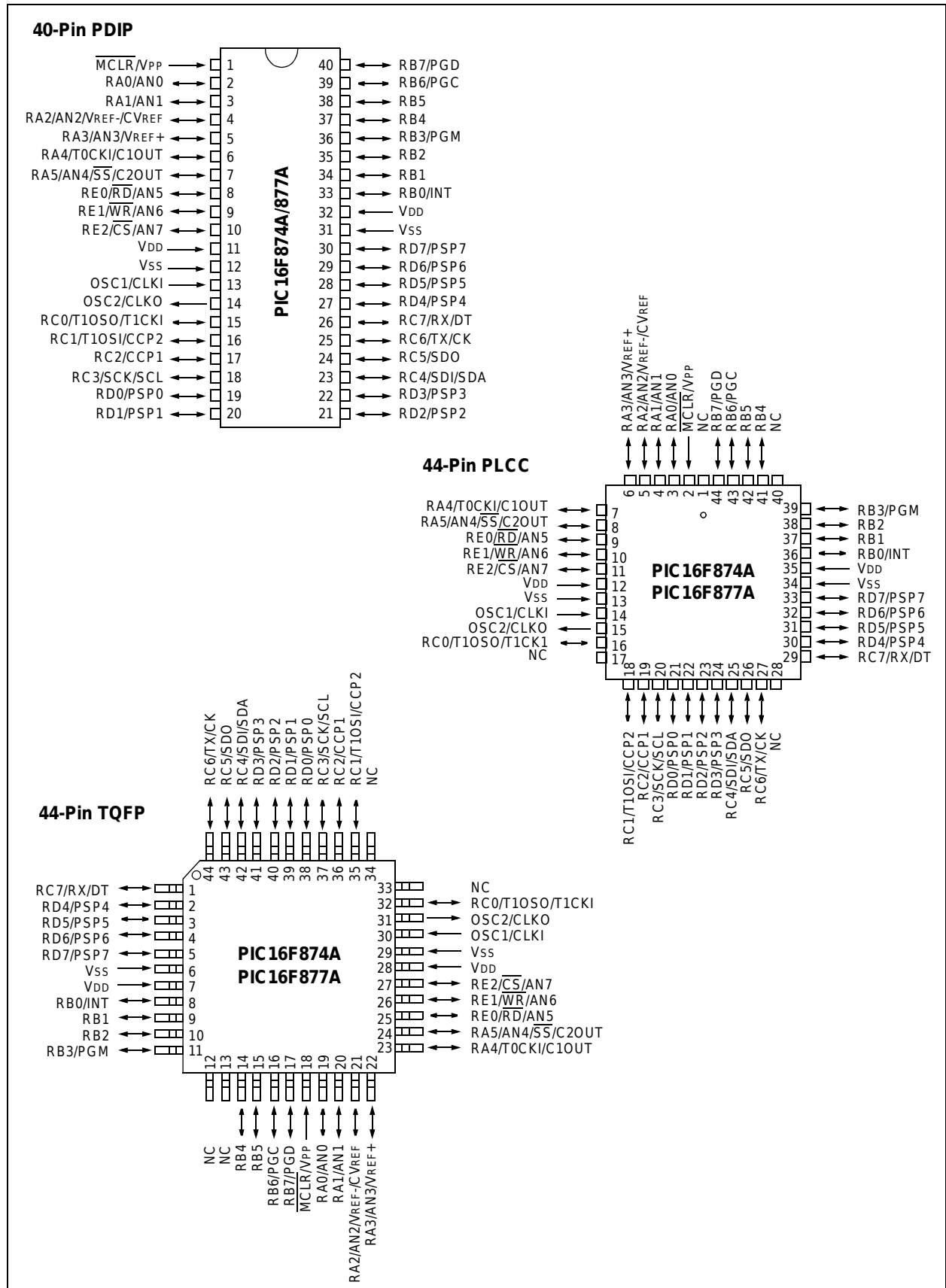
28-Pin QFN



44-Pin QFN



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1.0 DEVICE OVERVIEW

This document contains device specific information about the following devices:

- PIC16F873A
- PIC16F874A
- PIC16F876A
- PIC16F877A

PIC16F873A/876A devices are available only in 28-pin packages, while PIC16F874A/877A devices are available in 40-pin and 44-pin packages. All devices in the PIC16F87XA family share common architecture with the following differences:

- The PIC16F873A and PIC16F874A have one-half of the total on-chip memory of the PIC16F876A and PIC16F877A
- The 28-pin devices have three I/O ports, while the 40/44-pin devices have five
- The 28-pin devices have fourteen interrupts, while the 40/44-pin devices have fifteen
- The 28-pin devices have five A/D input channels, while the 40/44-pin devices have eight
- The Parallel Slave Port is implemented only on the 40/44-pin devices

The available features are summarized in Table 1-1. Block diagrams of the PIC16F873A/876A and PIC16F874A/877A devices are provided in Figure 1-1 and Figure 1-2, respectively. The pinouts for these device families are listed in Table 1-2 and Table 1-3.

Additional information may be found in the PICmicro® Mid-Range Reference Manual (DS33023), which may be obtained from your local Microchip Sales Representative or downloaded from the Microchip web site. The Reference Manual should be considered a complementary document to this data sheet and is highly recommended reading for a better understanding of the device architecture and operation of the peripheral modules.

TABLE 1-1: PIC16F87XA DEVICE FEATURES

Key Features	PIC16F873A	PIC16F874A	PIC16F876A	PIC16F877A
Operating Frequency	DC - 20 MHz	DC - 20 MHz	DC - 20 MHz	DC - 20 MHz
Resets (and Delays)	POR, BOR (PWRT, OST)	POR, BOR (PWRT, OST)	POR, BOR (PWRT, OST)	POR, BOR (PWRT, OST)
Flash Program Memory (14-bit words)	4K	4K	8K	8K
Data Memory (bytes)	192	192	368	368
EEPROM Data Memory (bytes)	128	128	256	256
Interrupts	14	15	14	15
I/O Ports	Ports A, B, C	Ports A, B, C, D, E	Ports A, B, C	Ports A, B, C, D, E
Timers	3	3	3	3
Capture/Compare/PWM modules	2	2	2	2
Serial Communications	MSSP, USART	MSSP, USART	MSSP, USART	MSSP, USART
Parallel Communications	—	PSP	—	PSP
10-bit Analog-to-Digital Module	5 input channels	8 input channels	5 input channels	8 input channels
Analog Comparators	2	2	2	2
Instruction Set	35 Instructions	35 Instructions	35 Instructions	35 Instructions
Packages	28-pin PDIP 28-pin SOIC 28-pin SSOP 28-pin QFN	40-pin PDIP 44-pin PLCC 44-pin TQFP 44-pin QFN	28-pin PDIP 28-pin SOIC 28-pin SSOP 28-pin QFN	40-pin PDIP 44-pin PLCC 44-pin TQFP 44-pin QFN

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FIGURE 1-1: PIC16F873A/876A BLOCK DIAGRAM

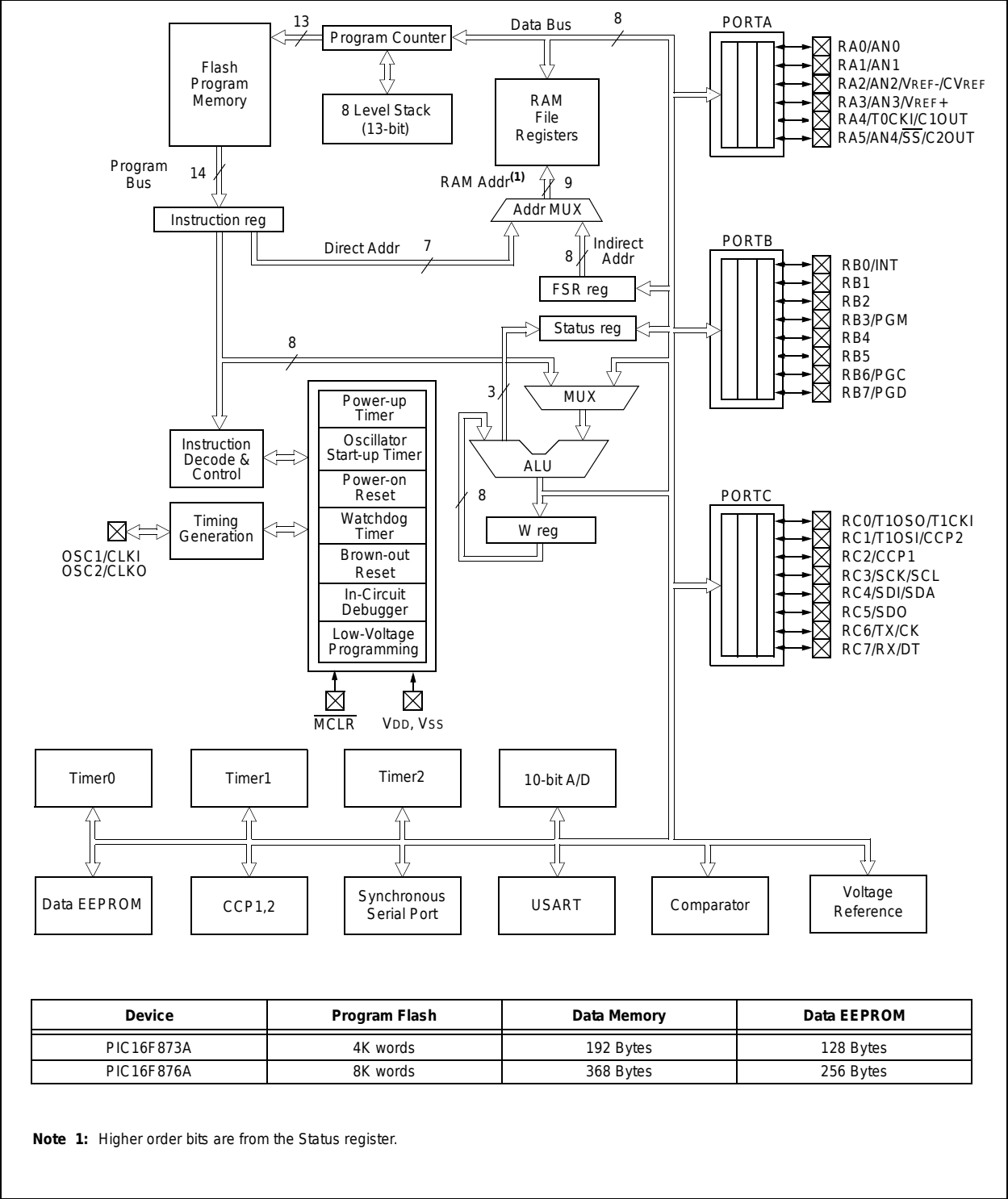
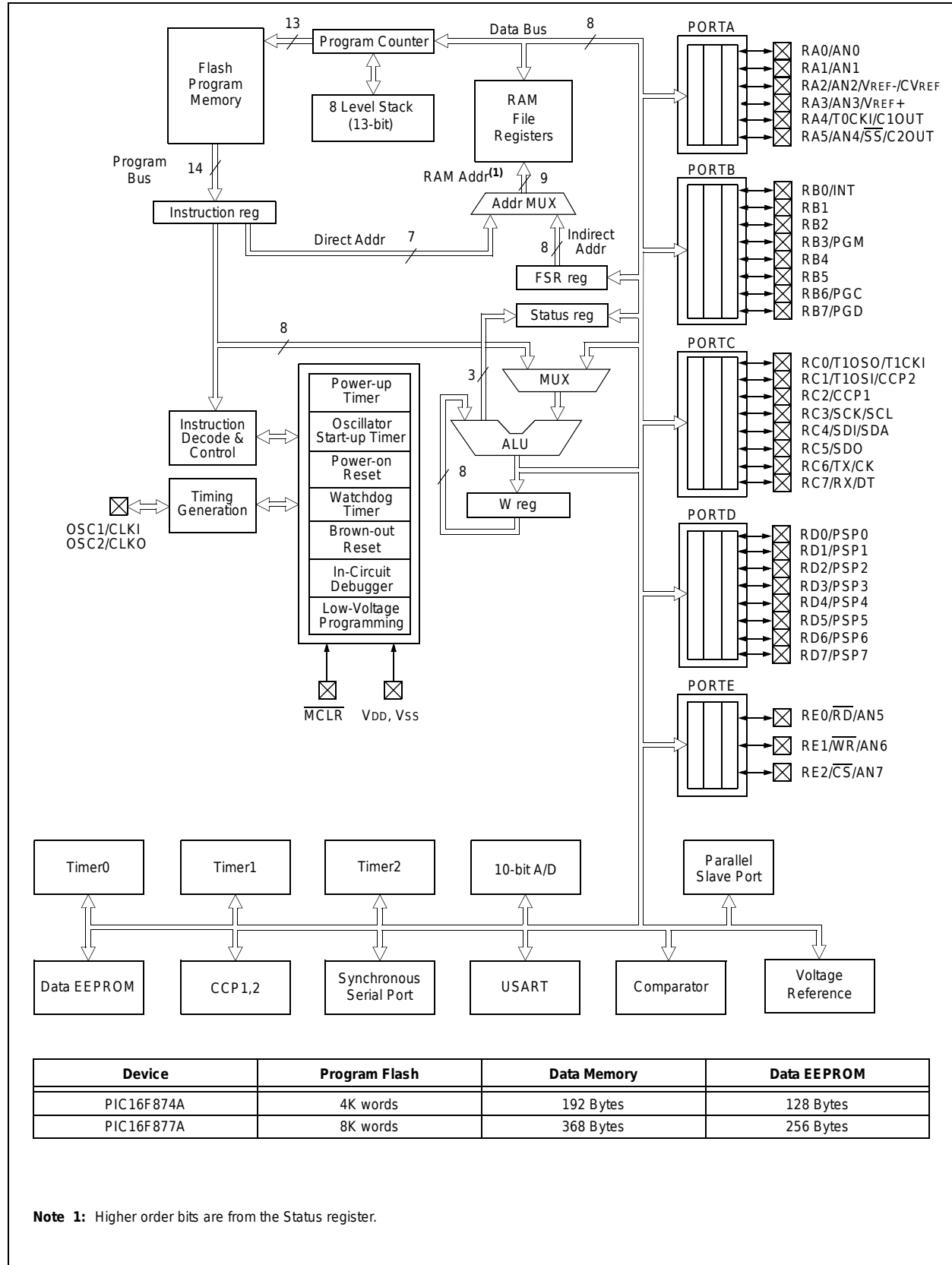


FIGURE 1-2: PIC16F874A/877A BLOCK DIAGRAM



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TABLE 1-2: PIC16F873A/876A PINOUT DESCRIPTION

Pin Name	PDIP, SOIC, SSOP Pin#	QFN Pin#	I/O/P Type	Buffer Type	Description
OSC1/CLKI OSC1 CLKI	9	6	I I	ST/CMOS ⁽³⁾	Oscillator crystal or external clock input. Oscillator crystal input or external clock source input. ST buffer when configured in RC mode; otherwise CMOS. External clock source input. Always associated with pin function OSC1 (see OSC1/CLKI, OSC2/CLKO pins).
OSC2/CLKO OSC2 CLKO	10	7	O O	—	Oscillator crystal or clock output. Oscillator crystal output. Connects to crystal or resonator in Crystal Oscillator mode. In RC mode, OSC2 pin outputs CLK0, which has 1/4 the frequency of OSC1 and denotes the instruction cycle rate.
MCLR/VPP MCLR VPP	1	26	I P	ST	Master Clear (input) or programming voltage (output). Master Clear (Reset) input. This pin is an active low Reset to the device. Programming voltage input.
RA0/AN0 RA0 AN0	2	27	I/O I	TTL	PORTA is a bidirectional I/O port. Digital I/O. Analog input 0. Digital I/O. Analog input 1. Digital I/O. Analog input 2. A/D reference voltage (Low) input. Comparator VREF output. Digital I/O. Analog input 3. A/D reference voltage (High) input. Digital I/O – Open-drain when configured as output. Timer0 external clock input. Comparator 1 output. Digital I/O. Analog input 4. SPI slave select input. Comparator 2 output.
RA1/AN1 RA1 AN1	3	28	I/O I	TTL	
RA2/AN2/VREF-/ CVREF RA2 AN2 VREF- CVREF	4	1	I/O I I O	TTL	
RA3/AN3/VREF+ RA3 AN3 VREF+	5	2	I/O I I	TTL	
RA4/T0CKI/C1OUT RA4 T0CKI C1OUT	6	3	I/O I O	ST	
RA5/AN4/ $\overline{SS}$ /C2OUT RA5 AN4 $\overline{SS}$ C2OUT	7	4	I/O I I O	TTL	

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- Note 1:** This buffer is a Schmitt Trigger input when configured as the external interrupt.
Note 2: This buffer is a Schmitt Trigger input when used in Serial Programming mode.
Note 3: This buffer is a Schmitt Trigger input when configured in RC Oscillator mode and a CMOS input otherwise.

TABLE 1-2: PIC16F873A/876A PINOUT DESCRIPTION (CONTINUED)

Pin Name	PDIP, SOIC, SSOP Pin#	QFN Pin#	I/O/P Type	Buffer Type	Description
RB0/INT RB0 INT	21	18	I/O I	TTL/ST ⁽¹⁾	PORTB is a bidirectional I/O port. PORTB can be software programmed for internal weak pull-ups on all inputs. Digital I/O. External interrupt.
RB1	22	19	I/O	TTL	Digital I/O.
RB2	23	20	I/O	TTL	Digital I/O.
RB3/PGM RB3 PGM	24	21	I/O I	TTL	Digital I/O. Low-voltage (single-supply) ICSP programming enable pin.
RB4	25	22	I/O	TTL	Digital I/O.
RB5	26	23	I/O	TTL	Digital I/O.
RB6/PGC RB6 PGC	27	24	I/O I	TTL/ST ⁽²⁾	Digital I/O. In-circuit debugger and ICSP programming clock.
RB7/PGD RB7 PGD	28	25	I/O I/O	TTL/ST ⁽²⁾	Digital I/O. In-circuit debugger and ICSP programming data.
RC0/T1OSO/T1CKI RC0 T1OSO T1CKI	11	8	I/O O I	ST	PORTC is a bidirectional I/O port. Digital I/O. Timer1 oscillator output. Timer1 external clock input.
RC1/T1OSI/CCP2 RC1 T1OSI CCP2	12	9	I/O I I/O	ST	Digital I/O. Timer1 oscillator input. Capture2 input, Compare2 output, PWM2 output.
RC2/CCP1 RC2 CCP1	13	10	I/O I/O	ST	Digital I/O. Capture1 input, Compare1 output, PWM1 output.
RC3/SCK/SCL RC3 SCK SCL	14	11	I/O I/O I/O	ST	Digital I/O. Synchronous serial clock input/output for SPI mode. Synchronous serial clock input/output for I ² C mode.
RC4/SDI/SDA RC4 SDI SDA	15	12	I/O I I/O	ST	Digital I/O. SPI data in. I ² C data I/O.
RC5/SDO RC5 SDO	16	13	I/O O	ST	Digital I/O. SPI data out.
RC6/TX/CK RC6 TX CK	17	14	I/O O I/O	ST	Digital I/O. USART asynchronous transmit. USART1 synchronous clock.
RC7/RX/DT RC7 RX DT	18	15	I/O I I/O	ST	Digital I/O. USART asynchronous receive. USART synchronous data.
VSS	8, 19	5, 6	P	—	Ground reference for logic and I/O pins.
VDD	20	17	P	—	Positive supply for logic and I/O pins.

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TABLE 1-3: PIC16F874A/877A PINOUT DESCRIPTION

Pin Name	PDIP Pin#	PLCC Pin#	TQFP Pin#	QFN Pin#	I/O/P Type	Buffer Type	Description
OSC1/CLKI OSC1 CLKI	13	14	30	32	I I	ST/CMOS ⁽⁴⁾	Oscillator crystal or external clock input. Oscillator crystal input or external clock source input. ST buffer when configured in RC mode; otherwise CMOS. External clock source input. Always associated with pin function OSC1 (see OSC1/CLKI, OSC2/CLKO pins).
OSC2/CLKO OSC2 CLKO	14	15	31	33	O O	—	Oscillator crystal or clock output. Oscillator crystal output. Connects to crystal or resonator in Crystal Oscillator mode. In RC mode, OSC2 pin outputs CLKO, which has 1/4 the frequency of OSC1 and denotes the instruction cycle rate.
MCLR/VPP MCLR VPP	1	2	18	18	I P	ST	Master Clear (input) or programming voltage (output). Master Clear (Reset) input. This pin is an active low Reset to the device. Programming voltage input.
RA0/AN0 RA0 AN0 RA1/AN1 RA1 AN1 RA2/AN2/VREF-/CVREF RA2 AN2 VREF- CVREF RA3/AN3/VREF+ RA3 AN3 VREF+ RA4/T0CKI/C1OUT RA4 T0CKI C1OUT RA5/AN4/SS/C2OUT RA5 AN4 SS C2OUT	2 3 4 5 6 7	3 4 5 6 7 8	19 20 21 22 23 24	19 20 21 22 23 24	I/O I I/O I I/O I I O I/O I I O	TTL TTL TTL TTL ST TTL	PORTA is a bidirectional I/O port. Digital I/O. Analog input 0. Digital I/O. Analog input 1. Digital I/O. Analog input 2. A/D reference voltage (Low) input. Comparator VREF output. Digital I/O. Analog input 3. A/D reference voltage (High) input. Digital I/O – Open-drain when configured as output. Timer0 external clock input. Comparator 1 output. Digital I/O. Analog input 4. SPI slave select input. Comparator 2 output.

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Pin Name	PDIP Pin#	PLCC Pin#	TQFP Pin#	QFN Pin#	I/O/P Type	Buffer Type	Description
RB0/INT RB0 INT	33	36	8	9	I/O I	TTL/ST ⁽¹⁾	PORTB is a bidirectional I/O port. PORTB can be software programmed for internal weak pull-up on all inputs. Digital I/O. External interrupt.
RB1	34	37	9	10	I/O	TTL	Digital I/O.
RB2	35	38	10	11	I/O	TTL	Digital I/O.
RB3/PGM RB3 PGM	36	39	11	12	I/O I	TTL	Digital I/O. Low-voltage ICSP programming enable pin.
RB4	37	41	14	14	I/O	TTL	Digital I/O.
RB5	38	42	15	15	I/O	TTL	Digital I/O.
RB6/PGC RB6 PGC	39	43	16	16	I/O I	TTL/ST ⁽²⁾	Digital I/O. In-circuit debugger and ICSP programming clock.
RB7/PGD RB7 PGD	40	44	17	17	I/O I/O	TTL/ST ⁽²⁾	Digital I/O. In-circuit debugger and ICSP programming data.

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RC0/T1OSO/T1CKI RC0 T1OSO T1CKI	15	16	32	34	I/O O I	ST	PORTC is a bidirectional I/O port. Digital I/O. Timer1 oscillator output. Timer1 external clock input.
RC1/T1OSI/CCP2 RC1 T1OSI CCP2	16	18	35	35	I/O I I/O	ST	Digital I/O. Timer1 oscillator input. Capture2 input, Compare2 output, PWM2 output.
RC2/CCP1 RC2 CCP1	17	19	36	36	I/O I/O	ST	Digital I/O. Capture1 input, Compare1 output, PWM1 output.
RC3/SCK/SCL RC3 SCK SCL	18	20	37	37	I/O I/O I/O	ST	Digital I/O. Synchronous serial clock input/output for SPI mode. Synchronous serial clock input/output for I ² C mode.
RC4/SDI/SDA RC4 SDI SDA	23	25	42	42	I/O I I/O	ST	Digital I/O. SPI data in. I ² C data I/O.
RC5/SDO RC5 SDO	24	26	43	43	I/O O	ST	Digital I/O. SPI data out.
RC6/TX/CK RC6 TX CK	25	27	44	44	I/O O I/O	ST	Digital I/O. USART asynchronous transmit. USART1 synchronous clock.
RC7/RX/DT RC7 RX DT	26	29	1	1	I/O I I/O	ST	Digital I/O. USART asynchronous receive. USART synchronous data.

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