Chapter 3

8051/8031 Family Architecture

Lesson 2

8051 Family MCUs Memory

Internal and External Memory

Internal memory

- 8-bit address Internal RAM Memory
- 16-bit address Internal ROM Program memory
- SFRs are separate and have 8-bit address each in separate space from internal RAM

External memory

- 16-bit address Data Memory
- 16-bit address Program memory

Internal Memory Harvard Architecture Internal Program EA Memory (4kB) addresses used when EA = 1

Internal Data Memory

- •128 B 8051
- •256 B 8052

External Data Memory Architecture

8051 special feature



64 kB separate address spaces for data memory

Internal/External Program Memory Architecture

Program Memory Architecture

Address

Internal ROM

For address 0000H-0FFFH and EA = 1 (External disable)

Address

External ROM

For address 0000H-0FFFH

when $\overline{EA} = 0$ (External Enable)

Program, constants and stored tables
Memory

Address

External ROM

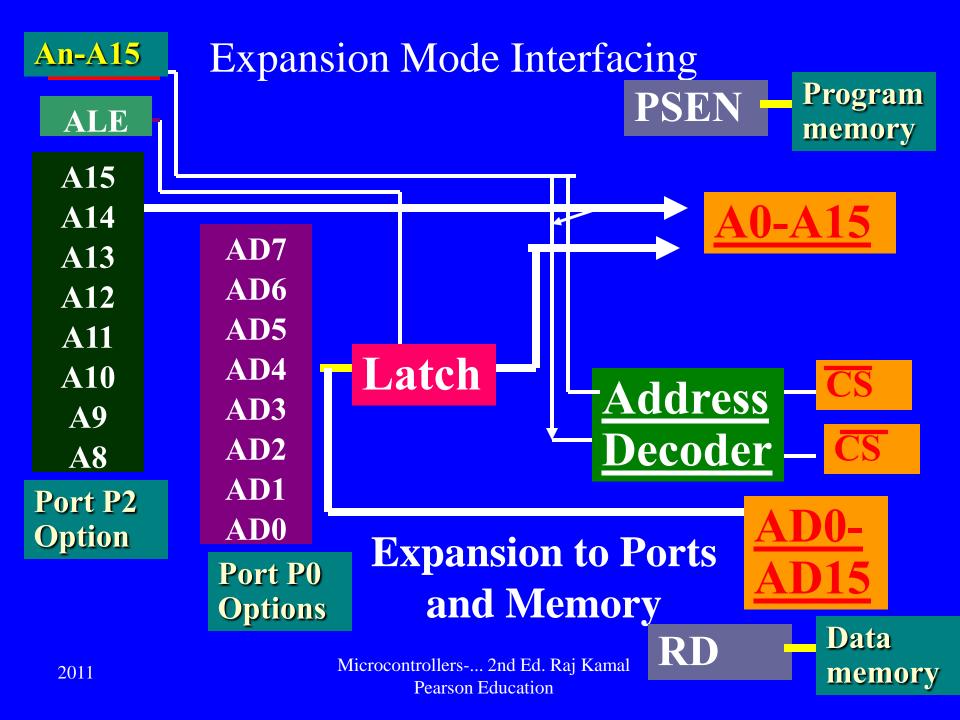
For address 1000H-FFFFH and

$$EA = 0 \text{ or } 1$$

Expansion to external memory and ports

Expanded Mode used for interfacing

- External Data Memory and Ports and
- External Program memory



On-Chip/Off-Chip Memory Addresses

SFRs 80H-FFH

- Used for IO and internal devices
 Control and Status
- CPU Registers
- Not the part of Internal RAM

On-Chip SFR and Memory Addresses 8051/52 P0,..., P3

Address Space 80H-FFH IO and internal Devices SFRs

System SFRs

P0,..., P3, SBUF, SCON, TCON, TMOD, TL0,TH0, TH1,TL1

A, B, DPTR, PCON, PSW, SP, IE, IP

Memory Access by Direct Address

80H-FFH

IO and internal devices Control and Status Registers

SP and DPTR, IP,IE,...

00H-7FH

Internal RAM

8-bit addresses 00H to FFH

Memory Access by Indirect

Address

80H-FFH

Additional Internal RAM 8052

00H-7FH

Internal RAM 8051

8-bit addresses 00H to FFH

On-Chip Memory Architecture Internal Data Memory RAM

8051

Byte Address

30H-7FH

Internal RAM 30H-7FH

20H-2FH

Internal RAM 20H-2FH

18H-1FH

10H-17H

08H-0FH

00H-07H

Register Bank 3

Register Bank 2

Register Bank 1

Register Bank 0

Each bit also addressable Bit addresses 8-bit each 00H -7FH

Data Memory

Internal RAM as the Register Banks

Register Banks of 8 registers each

- Each Byte at the register Ri (R0 orR1) in a register-bank can be used as pointer to an 8-bit indirect addressing
- Each Byte at the register R0, .., R7 (Rn) can be used for a variable with 3 bits in instruction defining n and RS0 and RS1 at PSW defining the bank 0, 1, 2, or 3.

Off-Chip Memory Addresses

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0000H-FFFFH **External RAM Data Memory**

0000H-FFFFH **External ROM Program**

Memory when $\overline{EA} = 0$

1000H-FFFFH **External ROM Program**

Memory when EA = 0 or 1

External RAM in 8051

0000H-00FFH →

01FFH-FFFFH page0 external RAM, indirect addressable by R0 or R1 or by indirect 16-bit address

Indirect 16-bit address

Off-Chip Data Memory Architecture

Program Memory Architecture

0000H-0002H -

Initial 3-byte instruction for branch

0003H-0032H, 0053H-

005BH

ISRs of maximum 8 bytes each

005CH-FFFFH User Program, constants, stored tables

ROM in 8051

On-Chip/Off-Chip Memory Addresses in extended 8051

Extended 8051

External ROM

RICHRICH

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External

ROM

RRRRE

010000H

1000H

FFFFFFH

010000H

RECEIPT

1000H

Internal ROM

0000H-0FFFH

ECODE

External RAM

External RAM

Internal RAM

SFR

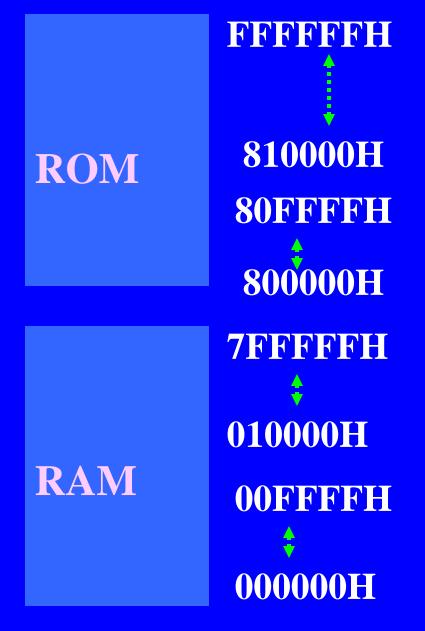
00H-7FH

80H-FFH

Extended XDATA

Philips 8051MX

Unified Internal and External Addresses
Princeton
Architecture



Philips 8051MX

External ROM

External

ROM

REFERENCE

810000H

80FFFFH

800000H

7FFF00H

010000H

OOFFFFH

000000H

Internal ROM

0000H-0FFFH

ECODE

Extended XDATA

External

RAM

SFR

7FFF80H

7REF7EH

700000

External RAM

Internal RAM

7FFF00H

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Summary

We learnt

SFRs and memory

- SFRs
- Internal RAM with bit addressable RAM and four register banks
- External RAM Harvard Architecture
- Internal Program Memory Harvard Architecture
- External Program Memory Harvard Architecture

We learnt

memory

- Extended Memory in Extended 8051 version
- Unified Memory space in 8051MX