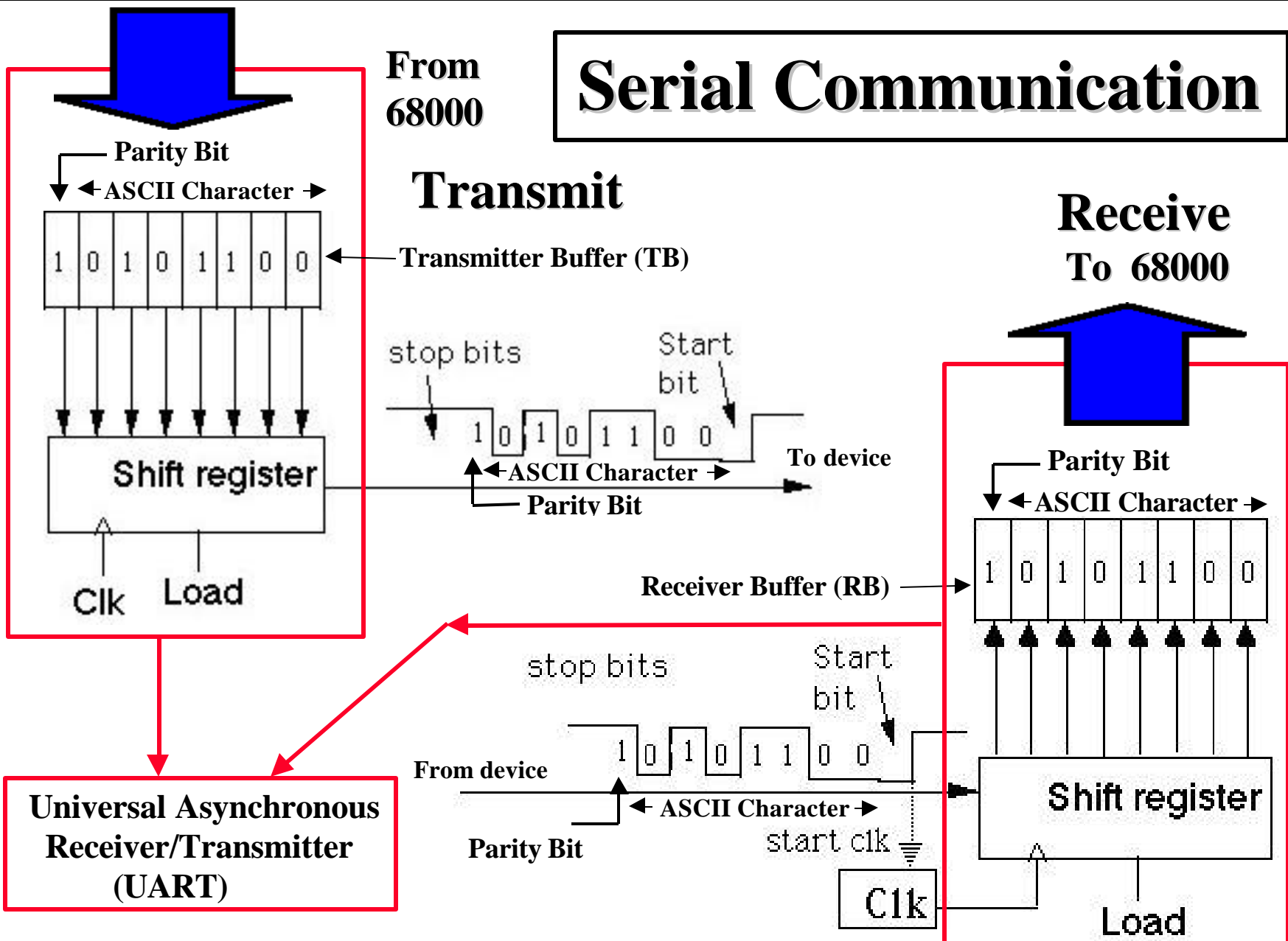


# Serial Communication

From  
68000

## Transmit

## Receive To 68000



**Universal Asynchronous  
Receiver/Transmitter  
(UART)**

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# ASCII Code Table

HEX	DEC	CHR	Ctrl	HEX	DEC	CHR	HEX	DEC	CHR	HEX	DEC	CHR
00	0	NUL	^@	20	32	SP	40	64	@	60	96	`
01	1	SOH	^A	21	33	!	41	65	A	61	97	a
02	2	STX	^B	22	34	”	42	66	B	62	98	b
03	3	ETX	^C	23	35	#	43	67	C	63	99	c
04	4	EOT	^D	24	36	\$	44	68	D	64	100	d
05	5	ENQ	^E	25	37	%	45	69	E	65	101	e
06	6	ACK	^F	26	38	&	46	70	F	66	102	f
07	7	BEL	^G	27	39	'	47	71	G	67	103	g
08	8	BS	^H	28	40	(	48	72	H	68	104	h
09	9	HT	^I	29	41	)	49	73	I	69	105	I
0A	10	LF	^J	2A	42	*	4A	74	J	6A	106	j
0B	11	VT	^K	2B	43	+	4B	75	K	6B	107	k
0C	12	FF	^L	2C	44	,	4C	76	L	6C	108	l
0D	13	CR	^M	2D	45	-	4D	77	M	6D	109	m
0E	14	SO	^N	2E	46	.	4E	78	N	6E	100	n
0F	15	SI	^O	2F	47	/	4F	79	O	6F	111	o
10	16	DLE	^P	30	48	0	50	80	P	70	112	p
11	17	DC1	^Q	31	49	1	51	81	Q	71	113	q
12	18	DC2	^R	32	50	2	52	82	R	72	114	r
13	19	DC3	^S	33	51	3	53	83	S	73	115	s
14	20	DC4	^T	34	52	4	54	84	T	74	116	t
15	21	NAK	^U	35	53	5	55	85	U	75	117	u
16	22	SYN	^V	36	54	6	56	86	V	76	118	v
17	23	ETB	^W	37	55	7	57	87	W	77	119	w
18	24	CAN	^X	38	56	8	58	88	X	78	120	x
19	25	EM	^Y	39	57	9	59	89	Y	79	121	y
1A	26	SUB	^Z	3A	58	:	5A	90	Z	7A	122	z
1B	27	ESC		3B	59	;	5B	91	[	7B	123	{
1C	28	FS		3C	60	<	5C	92	\	7C	124	
1D	29	GS		3D	61	=	5D	93	]	7D	125	}
1E	30	RS		3E	62	>	5E	94	^	7E	126	~
1F	31	US		3F	63	?	5F	95	_	7F	127	DEL

# Full-Duplex Serial Communication Lines

- **External Receiver Lines:**

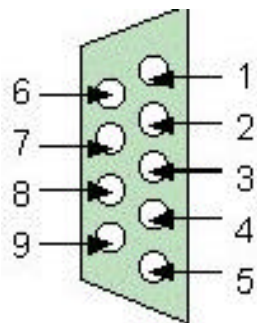
- **RxRTS\*** Low if local device can receive a character (connected to remote CTS\*)
- **RxD** Actual serial data received from remote device on this line.

- **Transmitter Lines:**

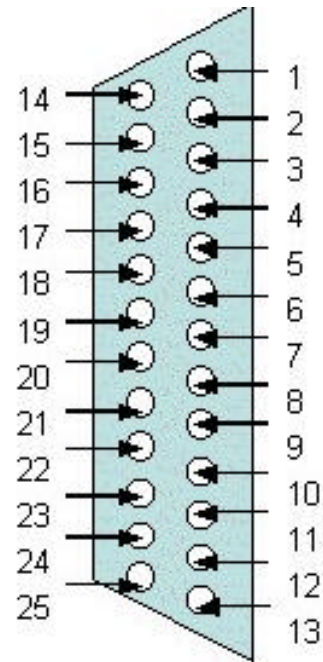
- **TxRTS** Request To Send: indicates local device is ready to transmit a character
- **TxD** Actual serial data transmitted to remote device on this line
- **CTS\*** Cleared To Send: Low indicates remote device ready to receive a character (connected to remote RxRTS)

# RS232C Serial Data Interface

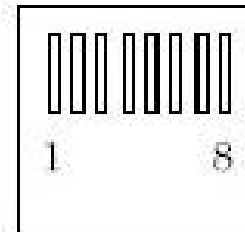
- RS232C is the most commonly used serial data interface in the computer industry.
- The following diagrams and table give the pinout details for the four most commonly used physical serial data connectors:



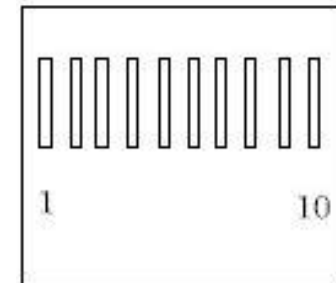
DB9



DB25



RJ45



RJ46

# RS232C Serial Connectors Pinout

DB9	DB25	RJ45	RJ46	Signal	Usual Source
1	8	1	2	CD - Carrier Detect	MODEM
2	3	2	3	RxD - Receive Data	MODEM
3	2	3	4	TxD - Transmit Data	TERMINAL
4	20	4	5	DTR - Data Term'l Ready	TERMINAL
5	7	5	6	Signal Ground	
6	6	6	7	DSR - Data Set Ready	MODEM
7	4	7	8	RTS - Ready to Send	TERMINAL
8	5	8	9	CTS - Clear to Send	MODEM
9	22	9	10	RI - Ring Indication	MODEM
	1		1	Earth/Frame Ground	

Connector Pin #

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# **Motorola 68681 Dual UART (DUART)**

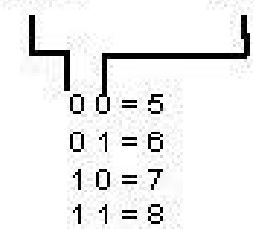
**The Motorola 68681 Dual Universal Asynchronous Receiver/Transmitter (DUART) has the following features:**

- **Two, independent, full-duplex asynchronous serial Receiver/Transmitter ports: A, B**
- **16, 8-bit registers for data buffering , control and status information.**
- **Each Receiver has a 4-byte buffer to hold incoming data.**
- **Independently programmable baud rate (bits per second) for each Receiver and Transmitter:**
  - **18 Fixed rates: 50 to 38400 baud**
- **Programmable data format allowing five to eight data bits.**
- **Programmable channel modes:**
  - **Normal (full-duplex).**
  - **Automatic echo.**
- **Versatile interrupt system:**
  - **Single interrupt output with four maskable interrupting conditions.**
  - **Interrupt vector output on interrupt acknowledge (IACK).**

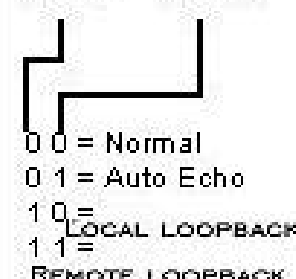
# 68681 DUART Registers

Decimal Offset from DUART Base Address	Read	Write
0	Mode Register Port A (MR1A, MR2A)	Mode Register Port A (MR1A, MR2A)
2	Status Register Port A (SRA)	Clock Select Register Port A (CSRA)
4	Do not access	Command Register Port A (CRA)
6	Receiver Buffer Port A (RBA)	Transmitter Buffer Port A (TBA)
8	Input Port Change Register (IPCR)	Auxiliary Control Register (ACR)
10	Interrupt Status Register (ISR)	Interrupt Mask Register (IMR)
12	Current MSB of Counter (CUR)	Counter/Timer Upper Byte (CTUR)
14	Current LSB of Counter (CUL)	Counter/Timer Lower Byte (CTUL)
16	Mode Register Port B (MR1B,MR2B)	Mode Register Port B (MR1B,MR2B)
18	Status Register Port B (SRB)	Clock Select Register Port B (CSRB)
20	Do not access	Command Register Port B (CRB)
22	Receiver Buffer Port B (RBB)	Transmitter Buffer Port B (TBB)
24	Interrupt Vector Register (IVR)	Interrupt Vector Register (IVR)
26	Input Port (Unlatched)	Output Port Configuration (OPCR)
28	Start Counter Command	Output Port Bit Set
30	Stop Counter Command	Output Port Bit Clear

## Port A Mode Register 1 (MR1A) and Port B Mode Register 1 (MR1B)

Rx RTS CONTROL	Rx IRQ Select	ERROR MODE	PARITY MODE	PARITY TYPE	Bits-per-character
Bit 7  0 = DISABLE 1 = ENABLE	Bit 6  0 = RxDY 1 = FFULL	Bit 5  0 = CHAR 1 = BLOCK	Bit 4 Bit 3  00 = WITH PARITY 10 = NO PARITY	Bit 2 WITH PARITY 0 = EVEN 1 = ODD	Bit 1 Bit 0  

## Port A Mode Register 2 (MR2A) and Port B Mode Register 2 (MR2B)

Port Mode	Tx RTS CONTROL	CTS ENABE TRANSMITTER	Stop Bit Length			
Bit 7 Bit 6  	Bit 5  0 = DISABLE 1 = ENABLE	Bit 4  0 = DISABLE 1 = ENABLE	Bit 3 Bit 2 Bit 1 Bit 0  0 1 1 1      1 bit 1 1 1 1      2 bits			



## Clock-Select Register A (CSRA) and Clock-Select Register B (CSRB)

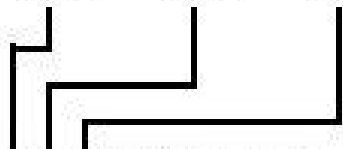


Receiver-Clock Select				Transmitter-Clock Select			
Bit 7	Bit 6	Bit 5	Bit 4	Bit 3	Bit 2	Bit 1	Bit 0
				Set 1		Set 2	
				ACR Bit 7 = 0		ACR Bit 7 = 1	
0 0 0 0	50	75		0 0 0 0	50	75	
0 0 0 1	110	110		0 0 0 1	110	110	
0 0 1 0	134.5	134.5		0 0 1 0	134.5	134.5	
0 0 1 1	200	150		0 0 1 1	200	150	
0 1 0 0	300	300		0 1 0 0	300	300	
0 1 0 1	600	600		0 1 0 1	600	600	
0 1 1 0	1200	1200		0 1 1 0	1200	1200	
0 1 1 1	1050	2000		0 1 1 1	1050	2000	
1 0 0 0	2400	2400		1 0 0 0	2400	2400	
1 0 0 1	4800	4800		1 0 0 1	4800	4800	
1 0 1 0	7200	1800		1 0 1 0	7200	1800	
1 0 1 1	9600	9600		1 0 1 1	9600	9600	
1 1 0 0	38400	19200		1 1 0 0	38400	19200	
1 1 0 1	N/A	N/A		1 1 0 1	N/A	N/A	
1 1 1 0	N/A	N/A		1 1 1 0	N/A	N/A	
1 1 1 1	N/A	N/A		1 1 1 1	N/A	N/A	

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## DUART+4

## DUART+20

### Port A Command Register (CRA) and Port B Command Register (CRB)

N/A	Misc Commands	Transmitter	Receiver
Bit 7	Bit 6 Bit 5 Bit 4  0 0 0 = No Command 0 0 1 = Reset MR Pointer 0 1 0 = Reset Receiver 0 1 1 = Reset Transmitter 1 0 0 = Reset Error Status 1 0 1 = N/A 1 1 0 = N/A 1 1 1 = N/A	Bit 3 Bit 2  0 0 = No Action 0 1 = Transmitter Enabled 1 0 = Transmitter Disabled 1 1 = N/A	Bit 1 Bit 0  0 0 = No Action 0 1 = Receiver Enabled 1 0 = Receiver Disabled 1 1 = N/A

## DUART+2

## DUART+18

### Port A Status Register (SRA) and Port B Status Register (SRB)

RECEIVED BREAK	FRAMING ERROR	PARITY ERROR	OVERRUN ERROR	TxE <sub>MT</sub>	TxR <sub>DY</sub>	FFULL	RxR <sub>DY</sub>
Bit 7	Bit 6	Bit 5	Bit 4	Bit 3	Bit 2	Bit 1	Bit 0
0 = No 1 = Yes	0 = No 1 = Yes	0 = No 1 = Yes	0 = No 1 = Yes	0 = No 1 = Yes	0 = No 1 = Yes	0 = No 1 = Yes	0 = No 1 = Yes

### Auxiliary Control Register (ACR)

## DUART+8

Baud Rate Set	COUNTER/TIMER MODE AND SOURCE			DELTA IP <sub>3</sub> I <sub>RO</sub>	DELTA IP <sub>2</sub> I <sub>RO</sub>	DELTA IP <sub>1</sub> I <sub>RO</sub>	DELTA IP <sub>0</sub> I <sub>RO</sub>
Bit 7	Bit 6	Bit 5	Bit 4	Bit 3	Bit 2	Bit 1	Bit 0
0 = Set One 1 = Set Two	000 COUNTER MODE CLK ON IP2 011 COUNTER MODE INTERNAL CLK 100 TIMER MODE EXT CLK ON IP2 110 TIMER MODE INTERNAL CLK				0 = DISABLE 1 = ENABLE		

# Interrupt Vector Register (IVR)

**DUART+24**

**Interrupt vector number: Bit7 - Bit0**

## Interrupt Status Register (ISR)

**DUART+10 (read)**

INPUT PORT CHANGE	DELTA BREAK B	RxRDYB FFULLB	COUNTER/ TIMER	TxRDYB	DELTA BREAK A	RxRDYA FFULLA	TxRDYA
Bit 7	Bit 6	Bit 5	Bit 4	Bit 3	Bit 2	Bit 1	Bit 0
0 = No 1 = Yes	0 = No 1 = Yes	0 = No 1 = Yes	0 = No 1 = Yes	0 = No 1 = Yes	0 = No 1 = Yes	0 = No 1 = Yes	0 = No 1 = Yes

## Interrupt Mask Register (IMR)

**DUART+10 (write)**

INPUT PORT CHANGE	DELTA BREAK B	RxRDYB FFULLB	COUNTER/ TIMER	TxRDYB	DELTA BREAK A	RxRDYA FFULLA	TxRDYA
Bit 7	Bit 6	Bit 5	Bit 4	Bit 3	Bit 2	Bit 1	Bit 0
0 = Masked 1 = Pass	0 = Masked 1 = Pass	0 = Masked 1 = Pass	0 = Masked 1 = Pass	0 = Masked 1 = Pass	0 = Masked 1 = Pass	0 = Masked 1 = Pass	0 = Masked 1 = Pass

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# 68681 DUART Registers Address Equates

<b>DUART</b>	<b>EQU</b>	<b>\$0FF800</b>	<b>Base Address of DUART</b>
<b>MRA</b>	<b>EQU</b>	<b>DUART+0</b>	<b>Mode Register Port A</b>
<b>SRA</b>	<b>EQU</b>	<b>DUART+2</b>	<b>Status Register Port A (read only).</b>
<b>CSRA</b>	<b>EQU</b>	<b>DUART+2</b>	<b>Clock Select Register Port A (write only)</b>
<b>CRA</b>	<b>EQU</b>	<b>DUART+4</b>	<b>Commands Register Port A (write only)</b>
<b>RBA</b>	<b>EQU</b>	<b>DUART+6</b>	<b>Receiver Buffer Port A (read only)</b>
<b>TBA</b>	<b>EQU</b>	<b>DUART+6</b>	<b>Transmitter Buffer Port A (write only)</b>
<b>ACR</b>	<b>EQU</b>	<b>DUART+8</b>	<b>Auxiliary Control Register</b>
<b>ISR</b>	<b>EQU</b>	<b>DUART+10</b>	<b>Interrupt Status Register (read only)</b>
<b>IMR</b>	<b>EQU</b>	<b>DUART+10</b>	<b>Interrupt Mask Register (write only)</b>
<b>MRB</b>	<b>EQU</b>	<b>DUART+16</b>	<b>Mode Register Port B</b>
<b>SRB</b>	<b>EQU</b>	<b>DUART+18</b>	<b>Status Register Port B (read only).</b>
<b>CSRB</b>	<b>EQU</b>	<b>DUART+18</b>	<b>Clock Select Register Port B (write only)</b>
<b>CRB</b>	<b>EQU</b>	<b>DUART+20</b>	<b>Commands Register Port B (write only)</b>
<b>RBB</b>	<b>EQU</b>	<b>DUART+22</b>	<b>Receiver Buffer Port B (read only)</b>
<b>TBB</b>	<b>EQU</b>	<b>DUART+22</b>	<b>Transmitter Buffer Port B (write only)</b>
<b>IVR</b>	<b>EQU</b>	<b>DUART+24</b>	<b>Interrupt Vector Register</b>

# Polled I/O Example Using Port A of DUART

- Subroutine INITIAL, initializes port A of DUART to send and receive.
- Subroutine GET\_CHAR inputs one character from port A to register D2 when port A receiver is ready with a character using busy-waiting
- Subroutine PUT\_CHAR outputs one character to Port A transmitter from register D0 when port A transmitter is ready.

## \* DUART reset if needed

INITIAL	MOVE.B	#\$30,CRA	Reset Port A transmitter
	MOVE.B	#\$20,CRA	Reset Port A receiver
	MOVE.B	#\$10,CRA	Reset Port A MR (mode register) pointer
* Select baud rate, data format, and operating modes in ACR, MR1A, MR2A			
	MOVE.B	#\$80,ACR	Select baud rate set 2
	MOVE.B	#\$BB,CSRA	Set both Rx, Tx speeds to 9600 baud
	MOVE.B	#\$93,MRA	Set port A to 8 bit character, no parity
* Enable RxRTS output using MR1A			
	MOVE.B	#\$37,MRA	Select normal operating mode
* TxRTS, TxCTS, one stop bit using MR2A			
	MOVE.B	#\$05,CRA	Enable Port A transmitter and receiver
	RTS		

# Subroutines: GET\_CHAR, PUT\_CHAR

- \* Subroutine GET\_CHAR inputs a single character from port A receiver into register D2 when port A receiver is ready using polling.

```
GET_CHAR  NOP
IN_POLL   MOVE.B   SRA,D1           Read port A status register SRA
          BTST     #0,D1           Test receiver ready bit RxRDY
          BEQ      IN_POLL         Wait until character is received
          MOVE.B   RBA,D2         Read character received into D2
          RTS
```

- \* Subroutine PUT\_CHAR outputs a single character from register D2 to port A transmitter when Port A transmitter is ready using polling.

```
PUT_CHAR  NOP
OUT_POLL  MOVE.B   SRA,D1           Read port A status register SRA
          BTST     #2,D1           Test transmitter ready bit TxRDY
          BEQ      OUT_POLL        Wait until transmitter A is ready
          MOVE.B   D0,TBA         Transmit character to port A
          RTS
```

# Interrupt-Driven 68681 Terminal

## Character Input & Echo I/O Example

- A data terminal is connected to port A of the 68681 (receiver & transmitter).
- An interrupt should be generated every time a character is entered using the terminal keyboard.
- An interrupt service routine (ISR) for this interrupt should:
  - Store the character obtained from the terminal (using port A receiver) in a character buffer in memory at the address pointed to by A1
  - Echo the character to the terminal's screen (using transmitter of port A).
- The two routines needed: initialization subroutine A\_INIT, and ISR, A\_ISR
  - A\_INIT
    - Point A1 to initial memory character buffer
    - Initializes Port A of 68681 to send and receive with interrupts enabled when a character is received.
    - Initialize Interrupt Vector Register and exception table entry
  - A\_ISR
    - Store character in memory buffer
    - Wait until transmitter of port A is ready, then echo character to screen.



# Interrupt-Driven 68681 I/O: A\_INIT

<b>A_VEC</b>	<b>EQU</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>Vector number for DUART interrupt</b>
<b>VEC_ADD</b>	<b>EQU</b>	<b>A_VEC*4</b>	<b>Interrupt vector table address</b>
<b>IMRM</b>	<b>EQU</b>	<b>%00000010</b>	

**\* Initialization routine, DUART assumed to have been reset else where**

	<b>ORG</b>	<b>\$1000</b>	
<b>A_INIT</b>	<b>LEA</b>	<b>BUFFER,A1</b>	<b>Initialize character buffer pointer</b>
	<b>LEA</b>	<b>A_ISR,A0</b>	
	<b>MOVE.L</b>	<b>A0, VEC_ADD</b>	<b>Initialize exception vector table entry</b>

**\* Initialize port A of DUART**

	<b>MOVE.B</b>	<b>#\$13,MRA</b>	<b>Initialize MR1A</b>
	<b>MOVE.B</b>	<b>#\$07,MRA</b>	<b>Initialize MR2A</b>
	<b>MOVE.B</b>	<b>#\$BB,CSRA</b>	<b>Initialize CSRA</b>
	<b>MOVE.B</b>	<b>#\$05,CRA</b>	<b>Initialize CRA</b>
	<b>MOVE.B</b>	<b>#\$70,ACR</b>	<b>Initialize ACR</b>
	<b>MOVE.B</b>	<b>#A_VEC,IVR</b>	<b>Load interrupt vector in IVR</b>
	<b>MOVE.B</b>	<b>#IMRM, IMR</b>	<b>Initialize interrupt mask IMR</b>

**RTS**

**ORG \$1500**

<b>BUFFER</b>	<b>DS.B</b>	<b>256</b>	
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# Interrupt-Driven 68681 I/O: A\_ISR

\* Interrupt service routine A\_ISR:

\* Make sure a character is actually available in receive buffer A, RBA, otherwise return

\* If a received character is found:

read RBA and store in memory character buffer.

\* then wait until transmitter of port A is ready to transmit then:

\* echo the character just received to TBA

	<b>ORG</b>	<b>\$1200</b>	
<b>A_ISR</b>	<b>MOVE.B</b>	<b>ISR,D0</b>	
	<b>BTST.B</b>	<b>#1,D0</b>	<b>Verify a character is available in RBA</b>
	<b>BEQ</b>	<b>DONE</b>	<b>If none return from interrupt</b>
	<b>MOVE.B</b>	<b>RBA,D1</b>	<b>Get character in D1</b>
	<b>MOVE.B</b>	<b>D1,(A1)+</b>	<b>Put character in memory buffer</b>
<b>ECHO_W</b>	<b>MOVE.B</b>	<b>SRA,D2</b>	<b>Read port A status register SRA</b>
	<b>BTST</b>	<b>#2,D2</b>	<b>Test transmitter ready bit TxRDY</b>
	<b>BEQ</b>	<b>ECHO</b>	<b>If not ready wait</b>
	<b>MOVE.B</b>	<b>D1,TBA</b>	<b>Echo character on screen</b>
<b>DONE</b>	<b>RTE</b>		