

# Can I use Interrupts and DMA under INtime

## Interrupt Mode

The cifX device can be used in polling or interrupt mode.

If interrupt mode should be used, IRQ resource limitations must be considered.

As **INtime®** does **not support sharing IRQ lines** with Windows® devices, the interrupt line which **INtime®** uses must be **available for exclusive use**.

Finding an exclusive IRQ often requires physically moving hardware around in the system or disabling other Windows® devices.

If you have difficulty configuring your hardware for use with **INtime®** due to IRQ resource limitations, please consult the following tenASYS manual:

- tenAsys: [INtime SDK v6 / Interrupts Shared interrupts](#)

## MSI Message Based Interrupts

Hilsche CIFX PCIeexpress cards are currently supporting only LEGACY interrupts.

## DMA Support

DMA can be used in polling and interrupt mode.