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# About This Handbook

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This document describes the function and operation of Virtex-II Pro devices and also includes information on FPGA configuration techniques and PCB design considerations. For Virtex-II Pro device specifications, refer to the Virtex-II Pro Data Sheet modules in Part I of this handbook:

- [Virtex-II Pro™ Platform FPGAs: Introduction and Overview \(Module 1\)](#)
- [Virtex-II Pro™ Platform FPGAs: Functional Description \(Module 2\)](#)
- [Virtex-II Pro™ Platform FPGAs: DC and Switching Characteristics \(Module 3\)](#)

For details on the following topics, see the Virtex-II Pro *Platform FPGA User Guide* in Part II of this handbook:

- [Chapter 1: Timing Models](#)
- [Chapter 2: Design Considerations](#)
- [Chapter 3: Configuration](#)
- [Chapter 4: PCB Design Considerations](#)
- [Appendix A: BitGen and PROMGen Switches and Options](#)
- [Appendix B: XC18V00 Series PROMs](#)

The Data Sheet in Part I, together with Chapter 2 in Part II, provide an overview of the RocketIO multi-gigabit transceiver and PowerPC 405 processor. For details, the following documents, available at [www.xilinx.com/virtex2pro](http://www.xilinx.com/virtex2pro), offer in-depth technical design information:

- *RocketIO Transceiver User Guide*
- *PPC405 User Manual*
- *Processor Block Manual*

## Additional Resources

Resource	Description/URL
Handbook	This site contains the latest versions of the Virtex-II Pro <i>Platform FPGA User Guide</i> and Virtex-II Pro <i>Platform FPGA Data Sheet</i> : <a href="http://www.xilinx.com/publications/products/v2pro/handbook/">http://www.xilinx.com/publications/products/v2pro/handbook/</a>
Application Notes	This site contains device-specific design techniques and approaches: <a href="http://www.xilinx.com/apps/appsweb.htm">http://www.xilinx.com/apps/appsweb.htm</a>
Xcell Journals	This site contains quarterly journals for Xilinx programmable logic users: <a href="http://www.xilinx.com/xcell/xcell.htm">http://www.xilinx.com/xcell/xcell.htm</a>

Resource	Description/URL
Tech Tips	See this site for the latest news, design tips, and patch information on the Xilinx design environment: <a href="http://www.xilinx.com/support/techsup/journals/index.htm">http://www.xilinx.com/support/techsup/journals/index.htm</a>
Data Book	<i>The Programmable Logic Data Book</i> describes device-specific information on Xilinx device characteristics, including readback, boundary scan, configuration, length count, and debugging: <a href="http://www.xilinx.com/partinfo/databook.htm">http://www.xilinx.com/partinfo/databook.htm</a>
Answers Database	This database provides a current listing of solution records for Xilinx software tools. Search this database using the search function at: <a href="http://www.xilinx.com/support/searchtd.htm">http://www.xilinx.com/support/searchtd.htm</a>

## Typographical Conventions

The following typographical conventions are used in this manual:

- **Red text** indicates a cross-reference to information within the document set you are currently reading. Click the red text to go to the referenced item. To return to the original page, right-click anywhere on the current page and select **Back**.
- **Blue-underlined text** indicates a link to a Web page. Click blue-underlined text to browse the specified Web site.
- The **Courier** (monospaced) typeface indicates prompts or program outputs displayed by the system:  

```
speed grade: 5
```
- The **Courier bold** typeface indicates literal commands that you enter in a syntactical statement. However, braces “{ }” in **Courier bold** are *not* literal, and square brackets “[ ]” in **Courier bold** are literal only in the case of bus specifications, such as **bus [7:0]**.  

```
rpt_del_net=
```

**Courier bold** also indicates menu command sequences:  

```
File → Open
```

**Courier bold** also indicates filenames, file extensions, and/or file system paths:  

```
... delete testfile.s ...
```

```
... and all *.p files ...
```

```
... in the \web\docs\source\ folder ...
```
- **Bold** in the normal body text typeface indicates names of graphical user interface (GUI) items.  

```
... mark the Use All Search Terms checkbox and click OK ...
```
- *Italic* denotes the following items:
  - Inside angle brackets “< >”, variables in command strings that are substituted with user-defined values:  

```
edif2ngd <design_name>
```
  - References to other documents:  

```
See the Libraries Guide for more information.
```
  - Emphasis in text:  

```
If a wire is drawn so that it overlaps the pin of a symbol, the two nets are not connected.
```

- Square brackets “[ ]” indicate an optional entry or parameter. The brackets are not typed when entering the parameter in the command string. However, in bus specifications, such as **bus [7:0]**, they are required.

```
edif2ngd [<option_name>] <design_name>
```

- Braces “{ }” enclose a list of items from which you must choose one or more; a vertical bar “|” separates items in a list of choices:

```
lowpwr = {on|off}
```

- A vertical ellipsis indicates repetitive material that has been omitted.

```
IOB #1: Name = QOUT'
IOB #2: Name = CLKIN'
.
.
.
```

- A horizontal ellipsis “...” indicates that an item can be repeated one or more times.

```
allow block <block_name> <loc1> <loc2> ... <locn>;
```



# *Introduction to the Virtex-II Pro™ FPGA Family*

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## **The Next Logical Revolution**

The Virtex-II Pro Platform FPGA solution is the most technically sophisticated silicon and software product development in the history of the programmable logic industry. The goal was to revolutionize system architecture "from the ground up." To achieve that objective, the best circuit engineers and system architects from IBM, Mindspeed, and Xilinx co-developed the world's most advanced Platform FPGA silicon product. Leading teams from top embedded systems companies worked together with Xilinx software teams to develop the systems software and IP solutions that enabled this new system architecture paradigm. The result is the first Platform FPGA solution capable of implementing high performance system-on-a-chip designs previously the exclusive domain of custom ASICs, yet with the flexibility and low development cost of programmable logic. The Virtex-II Pro family marks the first paradigm change from programmable logic to programmable systems, with profound implications for leading-edge system architectures in networking applications, deeply embedded systems, and digital signal processing systems. It allows custom user-defined system architectures to be synthesized, next-generation connectivity standards to be seamlessly bridged, and complex hardware and software systems to be co-developed rapidly with in-system debug at system speeds. Together, these capabilities usher in the next programmable logic revolution.

## **Built for Bandwidth**

The Virtex-II Pro family consists of ten members, each with four to twenty-four RocketIO™ multi-gigabit transceivers based on the Mindspeed SkyRail™ technology. Each Xilinx RocketIO transceiver block contains a complete set of user-configurable supporting circuitry that address real-life, system-level challenges. These include standard 8B/10B encode/decode, programmable signal integrity adjustments for varying PCB trace lengths and materials, support for synchronization of multiple channels, and programmable support for channel control commands. In addition, the RocketIO blocks are the first FPGA-embedded transceivers to reach a baud rate of 3.125 Gb/s. Four RocketIO transceivers, employing 16 PCB traces, can be used to support a full-duplex 10 Gb/s channel by way of the RocketIO channel-bonding feature. This is equivalent to 256 traces of typical LVTTTL buses, or 68 traces of a high-speed, source-synchronous parallel LVDS bus. It allows a PCB trace reduction of up to 16X over conventional parallel buses, resulting in significant reductions in PCB complexity and EMI system noise. The RocketIO technology fulfills higher bandwidth system requirements than currently possible, with cost savings coming from faster time-to-market, reduced printed circuit board (PCB) complexity, and lower component count.

The Virtex-II Pro members also incorporate small yet powerful IBM® PowerPC™ processor cores. Each of the larger Virtex-II Pro devices incorporates one to four

PowerPC 405 processor cores, each capable of more than 300 MHz clock frequency and 420 Dhrystone MIPS. While the processor cores occupy a small area of the die, they provide tremendous system flexibility where they are used. The PowerPC 405 cores are fully embedded within the FPGA fabric, where all processor nodes are controlled by the FPGA routing resources. This provides the utmost architectural capability, where complex applications may be efficiently divided between high-speed logic implementation and high-flexibility software implementations. For example, a packet processing application using only the FPGA logic today for high-speed packet routing may be augmented to include a slave high-performance processor for exception handling or in-system statistics monitoring. In contrast, using a separate processor externally requires hundreds of additional interface pins, which degrades system performance and significantly increases FPGA I/O requirements and overall board costs.

The Virtex-II Pro products are based on the most advanced FPGA fabric available: the Virtex-II architecture with IP-Immersion™ technology, which was developed to offer significant improvements in engineering productivity, silicon efficiency, and system flexibility. Unique features common in the Virtex-II Series—consisting of the Virtex-II and Virtex-II Pro families—include powerful SystemIO™ system connectivity solutions, digitally controlled impedance (DCI) technology, comprehensive clocking solutions, high-speed Active Interconnect™ routing architecture, and bitstream encryption. These features together constitute the most complete Platform FPGA solution available, optimized for high performance system-level applications. The upward compatibility of the Virtex Series of products ensures benefits in engineering productivity, performance, design longevity, and continuing cost reduction.

## Legacy of Leadership

Each of the Virtex families of FPGAs has been the most successful programmable product family in its class, starting with the introduction of the original Virtex family in 1998. The Virtex and Virtex-E families were recognized by the industry as the highest technology products available when they were first introduced. The Virtex-II family, which again achieved technology leadership in density, performance, and features, ushered in the era of Platform FPGAs—programmable devices with the system-level capability and performance to implement systems functionality. The Virtex-II Pro family continues the tradition of technology leadership as the most sophisticated Platform FPGA yet, again breaking the technology barrier for the benefit of leading-edge system architects.

The Virtex-II Pro family is the first FPGA family to incorporate both serial transceiver technology and a hard processor core within a general-purpose FPGA device. This is significant for new high-bandwidth embedded processing applications such as packet processing, where both high device I/O bandwidth and high performance processor cores are needed together.

The Virtex-II Pro devices are the *industry's first FPGAs in a 0.13-micron process*. The IBM nine-layer metal, all-copper, low-k process technology is among the most advanced in the semiconductor industry. The combination of advanced Active Interconnect™ architecture and advanced process technology makes the Virtex-II Pro family the highest performance FPGA in the world.

The RocketIO multi-gigabit transceiver (MGT), based on industry-leading SkyRail™ technology, is the highest performance, most complete embedded serial transceiver available. It is user-configurable for up to 3.125 Gb/s baud rate per channel, which is over twice the performance of other embedded transceivers at 1.25 Gb/s. Each RocketIO transceiver provides a complete set of common functionality available in standard SerDes transceivers. In contrast, "programmable ASSP" products with clock/data recovery (CDR) provide only the most basic transceiver capability.

The IBM PowerPC 405 processor core used in the Virtex-II Pro family is the highest performance embedded core available in FPGAs. The PowerPC architecture is used in



many markets including communications, industrial control, test and measurement systems, and other performance-oriented markets. It is currently the most popular processor architecture in embedded applications.

## Packets Everywhere

The Virtex-II Pro family provides a powerful new paradigm for network processing where low latency is required, such as storage area networks, wireless infrastructure, and voice-over-IP networks. The digital convergence phenomenon drives the need for packet routing based on type and priority. For example, live voice and video data packets require significantly lower latency than data file packets. New data networking applications must now handle higher bandwidth traffic as well as more complex types of prioritized packets. In many cases, Virtex-II Pro devices can offer higher overall performance than other solutions, including specialized network processors (NPs). Using the Virtex-II Pro architecture, the most common packets may be quickly read and routed using FPGA logic, without incurring the lengthy software run-time needed by NPs. The FPGA logic interrupts the PowerPC processor core only when processor instructions are needed for special packet types. For example, packets may be stored into a 16 KB dual-port memory area accessible by both the FPGA logic and the PowerPC 405 on-chip memory (OCM) port, allowing rapid change of control and packet disposition. By using the FPGA logic to process the most common packet types while the processor core handles the more specialized ones as a slave to the logic, the Virtex-II Pro architecture can provide higher overall performance than NPs, as well as more sophisticated processing capabilities than FPGA logic alone.

## Bridge, Anyone?

Powerful protocol bridges for tying together disparate data stream formats are well-suited for the Virtex-II Pro solution. New interface standards and protocols include 3GIO, Infiniband, Gigabit Ethernet, XAUI/10 Gigabit Ethernet, RapidIO, and HyperTransport. These must interface seamlessly to one another, as well as to other standards such as PCI, Fibre Channel, POS Phy Level 4, Flexbus 4, and others. This presents a significant challenge to system developers because of changing standards, scarcity of off-the-shelf interface components, and the inflexibility of available solutions. System designers have had to assemble their own blend of FPGAs, discrete physical transceivers, and discrete communications processors to solve their complex system challenges. Even newer "programmable ASSPs" (application-specific standard products) with built-in serial transceivers fall short, because they frequently require companion FPGAs to supplement their logic capacity. The Virtex-II Pro solution, using the powerful Xilinx SystemIO™ capability to fully integrate silicon, software, and IP capabilities, provides the most flexible pre-engineered protocol bridge solutions available for fast time-to-market and low development cost.

## Simplifying Complexity

The Virtex-II Pro solution offers a powerful paradigm for complex embedded systems found in signal processing, industrial control, image processing, networking, communications, and aeronautic applications. For the first time, complex embedded systems traditionally involving sophisticated hardware and software may be developed concurrently, emulated in actual hardware at speed, debugged in-system, and re-architected for performance within weeks, rather than months or years. In addition, full systems can be remotely upgraded as easily as software-only upgrades are performed today, using Compact Flash, CDROM, Internet, wireless transmission, or other flexible means. Hardware design is simplified using powerful development software and a large soft IP library to assemble logic- and processor-based platforms. Software development

may be started earlier using the actual device in preconfigured sample platforms, without waiting for the new system board to be developed. In many cases, higher density Virtex-II Pro components may be used for early system development, whereby extra resources (including additional PowerPC processor cores) may be used to easily emulate board-level components yet to be developed. This flexibility, obviously unavailable in custom ASICs or ASSPs, allows systems to be emulated at speed, rather than simulated using software simulators at 100 or 1000 times slower. In-system debugging is further enhanced by the Xilinx ChipScope Pro tool, which provides comprehensive logic analysis—from probing internal nodes to full bus analysis with bus protocol adherence checks using an external logic analyzer via the IEEE 1149.1 (JTAG) test access port. Using ChipScope Pro can result in orders of magnitude of improvement in engineering productivity.

Complex systems can be optimally repartitioned between FPGA logic and processor cores, allowing a continuum of possible trade-offs between the speed of logic and the flexibility of software code. For example, a first implementation of an echo cancellation algorithm might be all-software in compiled C code running on a PowerPC core, in order to allow the system software development to start. As the system is further optimized, part of the DSP algorithm could be retargeted using Matlab Simulink into FPGA logic to achieve a significantly faster but functionally identical system for production release. In another example, an encryption application might implement the Diffie-Hellman key exchange algorithm, whereby exponentiation and message management could be optimally partitioned into FPGA logic and an embedded processor, respectively. In this way, the programmable systems paradigm offers tremendous flexibility to allow system designers and architects to optimize the trade-offs in development time, system performance, and system costs.

It is significant that the embedded systems enabled by Virtex-II Pro solutions are "all-soft," in that both logic and software code are controlled by a soft data file. Because of this, the low cost of design maintenance and degree of design reuse is greatly enhanced. Whole system upgrades, including both hardware and software, can now be accomplished with one unified soft file using System ACE™ configuration solutions, offering the same low cost and ease of use as software-only upgrades.

## Time Is Money

The Virtex-II Series, comprising both the Virtex-II and Virtex-II Pro families, offers significantly faster time-to-market and lower development costs than ASICs. Compared to a full-custom ASIC, the Virtex-II Pro solution eliminates the need for exhaustive verification during development, and allows hardware-software debug at system speeds rather than at slow software simulation speeds. In addition, the Virtex-II Pro features of signal integrity, pre-engineered clocking capabilities, and an abundance of soft IP cores, significantly reduce development time.

The Virtex-II Series offers significantly lower development costs than ASICs, due to lower tool costs, lower third-party IP costs, and absence of NRE costs. The Virtex-II Series also increases engineering productivity by accelerating hardware availability for software development and increasing software debug speed. In addition, the availability of powerful development tools enables straightforward retargeting of other embedded processors into the PowerPC platform. Compared to other processor architectures, the PowerPC 405 core in most cases allows higher performance and more powerful capabilities, and thus can be used to accelerate preproduction of performance-sensitive applications.

## Flexibility Is Money

The flexibility inherent in the Virtex-II Series allows system architects to fine-tune their architectural partitioning after the initial prototype is developed. That is, each subsystem function can be freely implemented as hardware only, software only, or any combination within the hardware-software continuum, depending on the trade-off between performance and complexity. For example, a wireless infrastructure system might initially implement a rake filter function in hardware, and then change to a firmware implementation as more software control is necessary during later development. This repartitioning would be impossible in custom ASICs without significant time and cost penalties.

The Virtex-II Series offers significantly more flexibility than fixed chip sets and ASSPs, allowing end user product differentiation and future-proofing. For a design requirement that can generally be met either by ASSPs or by Virtex-II Platform FPGAs, the initial design investment for an FPGA implementation may be higher. However, the advantages for Platform FPGA implementations include customizing of functionality, ease of design reuse, ability to fix design bugs, differentiation of user end products, and ownership and control of the entire system. These are important advantages in highly competitive markets where ASSPs have standing errata lists and unpredictable future availability. In contrast, properly developed Platform FPGA designs are soft designs that may be readily maintained and reused as needed. Therefore, FPGA methodologies can provide system manufacturers with greater competitive advantage in the short term, and greater ownership and control over their products in the long term.

## Not Being Discrete

Many high-bandwidth systems today use large FPGAs together with discrete SerDes transceivers, discrete communications processors, or other discrete components. The Virtex-II Pro family can eliminate the need for many of these external components, enhancing time-to-market and performance, even providing system cost benefits in many cases. Multi-chip solutions using FPGAs typically require over a hundred I/O pins to interface to each discrete quad 3.125 Gb/s SerDes transceiver or discrete microprocessor. The result is increased PCB complexity to accommodate the hundreds of traces, reduced system performance due to on-chip/off-chip connections, and higher overall system costs. In some cases, the increased FPGA pin-count requirement may force a higher-density FPGA to be used, again increasing the overall cost. In these cases, the Virtex-II Pro devices can integrate the discrete components to achieve faster system development, higher system performance, and lower costs.





# *Part I: Virtex-II Pro Data Sheet*

This section contains the Virtex-II Pro Platform FPGA Advance Product Specification (Data Sheet DS083). The latest version of this publication is available online at [http://www.xilinx.com/publications/products/v2pro/ds\\_pdf/ds083.htm](http://www.xilinx.com/publications/products/v2pro/ds_pdf/ds083.htm).



## Summary of Virtex-II Pro Features

- High-Performance Platform FPGA Solution, Including
  - Up to twenty-four RocketIO™ embedded multi-gigabit transceivers
  - Up to four IBM® PowerPC® RISC processor blocks
- Based on Virtex™-II Platform FPGA Technology
  - Flexible logic resources
  - SRAM-based in-system configuration
  - Active Interconnect technology
  - SelectRAM™+ memory hierarchy
  - Dedicated 18-bit x 18-bit multiplier blocks
  - High-performance clock management circuitry
  - SelectI/O™-Ultra technology
  - XCITE Digitally Controlled Impedance (DCI) I/O

Virtex-II Pro family members and resources are shown in **Table 1**.

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Table 1: Virtex-II Pro FPGA Family Members

Device	RocketIO Transceiver Blocks	PowerPC Processor Blocks	Logic Cells <sup>(1)</sup>	CLB (1 = 4 slices = max 128 bits)		18 X 18 Bit Multiplier Blocks	Block SelectRAM+		DCMs	Maximum User I/O Pads
				Slices	Max Distr RAM (Kb)		18 Kb Blocks	Max Block RAM (Kb)		
XC2VP2	4	0	3,168	1,408	44	12	12	216	4	204
XC2VP4	4	1	6,768	3,008	94	28	28	504	4	348
XC2VP7	8	1	11,088	4,928	154	44	44	792	4	396
XC2VP20	8	2	20,880	9,280	290	88	88	1,584	8	564
XC2VP30	8	2	30,816	13,696	428	136	136	2,448	8	644
XC2VP40	0 <sup>(2)</sup> or 12	2	43,632	19,392	606	192	192	3,456	8	804
XC2VP50	0 <sup>(2)</sup> or 16	2	53,136	23,616	738	232	232	4,176	8	852
XC2VP70	16 or 20	2	74,448	33,088	1,034	328	328	5,904	8	996
XC2VP100	0 <sup>(2)</sup> or 20	2	99,216	44,096	1,378	444	444	7,992	12	1,164
XC2VP125	0 <sup>(2)</sup> , 20, or 24	4	125,136	55,616	1,738	556	556	10,008	12	1,200

### Notes:

- Logic Cell = (1) 4-input LUT + (1)FF + Carry Logic
- These devices can be ordered in a configuration without RocketIO transceivers. See **Table 3** for package configurations.

## RocketIO Transceiver Features

- Full-Duplex Serial Transceiver (SERDES) Capable of Baud Rates from 622 Mb/s to 3.125 Gb/s
- 120 Gb/s Duplex Data Rate (24 Channels)
- Monolithic Clock Synthesis and Clock Recovery (CDR)
- Fibre Channel, Gigabit Ethernet, 10 Gb Attachment Unit Interface (XAUI), and Infiniband-Compliant Transceivers
- 8-, 16-, or 32-bit Selectable Internal FPGA Interface
- 8B/10B Encoder and Decoder (optional)
- 50Ω /75Ω on-chip Selectable Transmit and Receive Terminations
- Programmable Comma Detection
- Channel Bonding Support (from 2 to 24 Channels)
- Rate Matching via Insertion/Deletion Characters
- Four Levels of Selectable Pre-Emphasis
- Five Levels of Output Differential Voltage
- Per-Channel Internal Loopback Modes
- 2.5V Transceiver Supply Voltage

## PowerPC RISC Block Features

- Embedded 300+ MHz Harvard Architecture Block
- Low Power Consumption: 0.9 mW/MHz
- Five-Stage Data Path Pipeline
- Hardware Multiply/Divide Unit
- Thirty-Two 32-bit General Purpose Registers
- 16 KB Two-Way Set-Associative Instruction Cache
- 16 KB Two-Way Set-Associative Data Cache
- Memory Management Unit (MMU)
  - 64-entry unified Translation Look-aside Buffers (TLB)
  - Variable page sizes (1 KB to 16 MB)
- Dedicated On-Chip Memory (OCM) Interface
- Supports IBM CoreConnect™ Bus Architecture
- Debug and Trace Support
- Timer Facilities

## Virtex-II Pro Platform FPGA Technology

- SelectRAM+ Memory Hierarchy
  - Up to 10 Mb of True Dual-Port RAM in 18 Kb block SelectRAM+ resources
  - Up to 1,738 Kb of distributed SelectRAM+ resources
  - High-performance interfaces to external memory
- Arithmetic Functions
  - Dedicated 18-bit x 18-bit multiplier blocks
  - Fast look-ahead carry logic chains
- Flexible Logic Resources
  - Up to 111,232 internal registers/latches with Clock Enable
  - Up to 111,232 look-up tables (LUTs) or cascadable variable (1 to 16 bits) shift registers
  - Wide multiplexers and wide-input function support
  - Horizontal cascade chain and Sum-of-Products support
  - Internal 3-state busing
- High-Performance Clock Management Circuitry
  - Up to twelve Digital Clock Manager (DCM) modules
    - Precise clock de-skew
    - Flexible frequency synthesis
    - High-resolution phase shifting
  - 16 global clock multiplexer buffers in all parts
- Active Interconnect Technology
  - Fourth-generation segmented routing structure
  - Fast, predictable routing delay, independent of fanout
  - Deep sub-micron noise immunity benefits
- SelectIO™-Ultra Technology
  - Up to 1,200 user I/Os
  - Nineteen single-ended standards and six differential standards

- Programmable LVCMOS sink/source current (2 mA to 24 mA) per I/O
- XCITE Digitally Controlled Impedance (DCI) I/O
- PCI support <sup>(1)</sup>
- Differential signaling
  - 840 Mb/s Low-Voltage Differential Signaling I/O (LVDS) with current mode drivers
  - Bus LVDS I/O
  - HyperTransport (LDT) I/O with current driver buffers
  - Built-in DDR input and output registers
- Proprietary high-performance SelectLink technology for communications between Xilinx devices
  - High-bandwidth data path
  - Double Data Rate (DDR) link
  - Web-based HDL generation methodology
- SRAM-Based In-System Configuration
  - Fast SelectMAP™ configuration
  - Triple Data Encryption Standard (DES) security option (bitstream encryption)
  - IEEE 1532 support
  - Partial reconfiguration
  - Unlimited reprogrammability
  - Readback capability
- Supported by Xilinx Foundation™ and Alliance Series™ Development Systems
  - Integrated VHDL and Verilog design flows
  - ChipScope™ Integrated Logic Analyzer
- 0.13 μm Nine-Layer Copper Process with 90 nm High-Speed Transistors
- 1.5V (V<sub>CCINT</sub>) core power supply, dedicated 2.5V V<sub>CCAUX</sub> auxiliary and V<sub>CCO</sub> I/O power supplies
- IEEE 1149.1 Compatible Boundary-Scan Logic Support
- Flip-Chip and Wire-Bond Ball Grid Array (BGA) Packages in Standard 1.00 mm Pitch
- Each Device 100% Factory Tested

## General Description

The Virtex-II Pro family contains platform FPGAs for designs that are based on IP cores and customized modules. The family incorporates multi-gigabit transceivers and PowerPC CPU blocks in Virtex-II Pro Series FPGA architecture. It empowers complete solutions for telecommunication, wireless, networking, video, and DSP applications.

The leading-edge 0.13 μm CMOS nine-layer copper process and Virtex-II Pro architecture are optimized for high performance designs in a wide range of densities. Combining a wide variety of flexible features and IP cores, the Virtex-II Pro family enhances programmable logic design capabilities and is a powerful alternative to mask-programmed gate arrays.

1. Refer to [XAPP646](#) and [XAPP653](#) for more information.



## Architecture

### Virtex-II Pro Array Overview

Virtex-II Pro devices are user-programmable gate arrays with various configurable elements and embedded blocks optimized for high-density and high-performance system designs. Virtex-II Pro devices implement the following functionality:

- Embedded high-speed serial transceivers enable data bit rate up to 3.125 Gb/s per channel.
- Embedded IBM PowerPC 405 RISC processor blocks provide performance of 300+ MHz.
- SelectIO-Ultra blocks provide the interface between package pins and the internal configurable logic. Most popular and leading-edge I/O standards are supported by the programmable IOBs.
- Configurable Logic Blocks (CLBs) provide functional elements for combinatorial and synchronous logic, including basic storage elements. BUFTs (3-state buffers) associated with each CLB element drive dedicated segmentable horizontal routing resources.
- Block SelectRAM+ memory modules provide large 18 Kb storage elements of True Dual-Port RAM.
- Embedded multiplier blocks are 18-bit x 18-bit dedicated multipliers.
- Digital Clock Manager (DCM) blocks provide self-calibrating, fully digital solutions for clock distribution delay compensation, clock multiplication and division, and coarse- and fine-grained clock phase shifting.

A new generation of programmable routing resources called Active Interconnect Technology interconnects all of these elements. The general routing matrix (GRM) is an array of routing switches. Each programmable element is tied to a switch matrix, allowing multiple connections to the general routing matrix. The overall programmable interconnection is hierarchical and designed to support high-speed designs.

All programmable elements, including the routing resources, are controlled by values stored in static memory cells. These values are loaded in the memory cells during configuration and can be reloaded to change the functions of the programmable elements.

### Virtex-II Pro Features

This section briefly describes Virtex-II Pro features. For more details, refer to [Virtex-II Pro™ Platform FPGAs: Functional Description \(Module 2\)](#).

#### RocketIO Multi-Gigabit Transceivers

The RocketIO Multi-Gigabit Transceiver, based on Mindspeed's SkyRail technology, is a flexible parallel-to-serial and serial-to-parallel embedded transceiver used for high-bandwidth interconnection between buses, backplanes, or other subsystems.

Multiple user instantiations in an FPGA are possible, providing up to 120 Gb/s of full-duplex raw data transfer. Each channel can be operated at a maximum data transfer rate of 3.125 Gb/s.

Each RocketIO transceiver implements:

- Serializer and deserializer (SERDES)
- Monolithic clock synthesis and clock recovery (CDR)
- Fibre Channel, Gigabit Ethernet, XAUI, and Infiniband compliant transceivers
- 8-, 16-, or 32-bit selectable FPGA interface
- 8B/10B encoder and decoder with bypassing option on each channel
- Channel bonding support (2 to 24 channels)
  - Elastic buffers for inter-chip deskewing and channel-to-channel alignment
- Receiver clock recovery tolerance of up to 75 non-transitioning bits
- 50Ω / 75Ω on-chip selectable transmit and receive terminations
- Programmable comma detection
- Rate matching via insertion/deletion characters
- Automatic lock-to-reference function
- Optional transmit and receive data inversion
- Four levels of pre-emphasis support
- Per-channel serial and parallel transmitter-to-receiver internal loopback modes
- Cyclic Redundancy Check (CRC) support

#### PowerPC 405 Processor Block

The PPC405 RISC CPU can execute instructions at a sustained rate of one instruction per cycle. On-chip instruction and data cache reduce design complexity and improve system throughput.

The PPC405 features include:

- PowerPC RISC CPU
  - Implements the PowerPC User Instruction Set Architecture (UIA) and extensions for embedded applications
  - Thirty-two 32-bit general purpose registers (GPRs)
  - Static branch prediction
  - Five-stage pipeline with single-cycle execution of most instructions, including loads/stores
  - Unaligned and aligned load/store support to cache, main memory, and on-chip memory
  - Hardware multiply/divide for faster integer arithmetic (4-cycle multiply, 35-cycle divide)
  - Enhanced string and multiple-word handling
  - Big/little endian operation support
- Storage Control
  - Separate instruction and data cache units, both two-way set-associative and non-blocking

- Eight words (32 bytes) per cache line
- 16 KB array Instruction Cache Unit (ICU), 16 KB array Data Cache Unit (DCU)
- Operand forwarding during instruction cache line fill
- Copy-back or write-through DCU strategy
- Doubleword instruction fetch from cache improves branch latency
- Virtual mode memory management unit (MMU)
  - Translation of the 4 GB logical address space into physical addresses
  - Software control of page replacement strategy
  - Supports multiple simultaneous page sizes ranging from 1 KB to 16 MB
- OCM controllers provide dedicated interfaces between Block SelectRAM+ memory and processor block instruction and data paths for high-speed access
- PowerPC timer facilities
  - 64-bit time base
  - Programmable interval timer (PIT)
  - Fixed interval timer (FIT)
  - Watchdog timer (WDT)
- Debug Support
  - Internal debug mode
  - External debug mode
  - Debug Wait mode
  - Real Time Trace debug mode
  - Enhanced debug support with logical operators
  - Instruction trace and trace-back support
  - Forward or backward trace
- Two hardware interrupt levels support
- Advanced power management support

### Input/Output Blocks (IOBs)

IOBs are programmable and can be categorized as follows:

- Input block with an optional single data rate (SDR) or double data rate (DDR) register
- Output block with an optional SDR or DDR register and an optional 3-state buffer to be driven directly or through an SDR or DDR register
- Bidirectional block (any combination of input and output configurations)

These registers are either edge-triggered D-type flip-flops or level-sensitive latches.

IOBs support the following single-ended I/O standards:

- LVCMOS (2.5V, 1.8V, and 1.5V)
- PCI (33 and 66 MHz)
- GTL and GTLP
- HSTL (1.5V and 1.8V, Class I, II, III, and IV)
- SSTL (1.8V and 2.5V, Class I and II)

The DCI I/O feature automatically provides on-chip termination for each single-ended I/O standard.

The IOB elements also support the following differential signaling I/O standards:

- LVDS and Extended LVDS (2.5V)
- BLVDS (Bus LVDS)
- ULVDS
- LDT
- LVPECL (2.5V)

Two adjacent pads are used for each differential pair. Two or four IOB blocks connect to one switch matrix to access the routing resources.

### Configurable Logic Blocks (CLBs)

CLB resources include four slices and two 3-state buffers. Each slice is equivalent and contains:

- Two function generators (F & G)
- Two storage elements
- Arithmetic logic gates
- Large multiplexers
- Wide function capability
- Fast carry look-ahead chain
- Horizontal cascade chain (OR gate)

The function generators F & G are configurable as 4-input look-up tables (LUTs), as 16-bit shift registers, or as 16-bit distributed SelectRAM+ memory.

In addition, the two storage elements are either edge-triggered D-type flip-flops or level-sensitive latches.

Each CLB has internal fast interconnect and connects to a switch matrix to access general routing resources.

### Block SelectRAM+ Memory

The block SelectRAM+ memory resources are 18 Kb of True Dual-Port RAM, programmable from 16K x 1 bit to 512 x 36 bit, in various depth and width configurations. Each port is totally synchronous and independent, offering three "read-during-write" modes. Block SelectRAM+ memory is cascadable to implement large embedded storage blocks. Supported memory configurations for dual-port and single-port modes are shown in [Table 2](#).

**Table 2: Dual-Port and Single-Port Configurations**

16K x 1 bit	4K x 4 bits	1K x 18 bits
8K x 2 bits	2K x 9 bits	512 x 36 bits

### 18 X 18 Bit Multipliers

A multiplier block is associated with each SelectRAM+ memory block. The multiplier block is a dedicated 18 x 18-bit 2s complement signed multiplier, and is optimized for operations based on the block SelectRAM+ content on one port. The 18 x 18 multiplier can be used independently of the block SelectRAM+ resource. Read/multiply/accumulate operations and DSP filter structures are extremely efficient.

Both the SelectRAM+ memory and the multiplier resource are connected to four switch matrices to access the general routing resources.

### Global Clocking

The DCM and global clock multiplexer buffers provide a complete solution for designing high-speed clock schemes.

Up to eight DCM blocks are available. To generate deskewed internal or external clocks, each DCM can be used to eliminate clock distribution delay. The DCM also provides 90-, 180-, and 270-degree phase-shifted versions of its output clocks. Fine-grained phase shifting offers high-resolution phase adjustments in increments of  $1/256$  of the clock period. Very flexible frequency synthesis provides a clock output frequency equal to a fractional or integer multiple of the input clock frequency. For exact timing parameters, see [Virtex-II Pro™ Platform FPGAs: DC and Switching Characteristics](#).

Virtex-II Pro devices have 16 global clock MUX buffers, with up to eight clock nets per quadrant. Each clock MUX buffer can select one of the two clock inputs and switch glitch-free from one clock to the other. Each DCM can send up to four of its clock outputs to global clock buffers on the same edge. Any global clock pin can drive any DCM on the same edge.

### Routing Resources

The IOB, CLB, block SelectRAM+, multiplier, and DCM elements all use the same interconnect scheme and the same access to the global routing matrix. Timing models are shared, greatly improving the predictability of the performance of high-speed designs.

There are a total of 16 global clock lines, with eight available per quadrant. In addition, 24 vertical and horizontal long lines per row or column, as well as massive secondary and local routing resources, provide fast interconnect. Virtex-II Pro buffered interconnects are relatively unaffected by net fanout, and the interconnect layout is designed to minimize crosstalk.

Horizontal and vertical routing resources for each row or column include:

- 24 long lines
- 120 hex lines
- 40 double lines
- 16 direct connect lines (total in all four directions)

### Boundary Scan

Boundary-scan instructions and associated data registers support a standard methodology for accessing and configuring Virtex-II Pro devices, complying with IEEE standards 1149.1 and 1532. A system mode and a test mode are implemented. In system mode, a Virtex-II Pro device will continue to function while executing non-test boundary-scan instructions. In test mode, boundary-scan test instructions control the I/O pins for testing purposes. The Virtex-II Pro Test Access Port (TAP) supports BYPASS, PRELOAD, SAMPLE, IDCODE, and USERCODE non-test instructions. The EXTEST, INTEST, and HIGHZ test instructions are also supported.

### Configuration

Virtex-II Pro devices are configured by loading the bitstream into internal configuration memory using one of the following modes:

- Slave-serial mode
- Master-serial mode
- Slave SelectMAP mode
- Master SelectMAP mode
- Boundary-Scan mode (IEEE 1532)

A Data Encryption Standard (DES) decryptor is available on-chip to secure the bitstreams. One or two triple-DES key sets can be used to optionally encrypt the configuration data.

The Xilinx System Advanced Configuration Environment (System ACE) family offers high-capacity and flexible solution for FPGA configuration as well as program/data storage for the processor. See [DS080](#), *System ACE CompactFlash Solution* for more information.

### Readback and Integrated Logic Analyzer

Configuration data stored in Virtex-II Pro configuration memory can be read back for verification. Along with the configuration data, the contents of all flip-flops/latches, distributed SelectRAM+, and block SelectRAM+ memory resources can be read back. This capability is useful for real-time debugging.

The Xilinx ChipScope Integrated Logic Analyzer (ILA) cores and Integrated Bus Analyzer (IBA) cores, along with the ChipScope Pro Analyzer software, provide a complete solution for accessing and verifying user designs within Virtex-II Pro devices.

## IP Core and Reference Support

Intellectual Property is part of the Platform FPGA solution. In addition to the existing FPGA fabric cores, the list below shows some of the currently available hardware and software intellectual properties specially developed for Virtex-II Pro by Xilinx. Each IP core is modular, portable, Real-Time Operating System (RTOS) independent, and CoreConnect compatible for ease of design migration. Refer to [www.xilinx.com](http://www.xilinx.com) for the latest and most complete list of cores.

### Hardware Cores

- Bus Infrastructure cores (arbiters, bridges, and more)
- Memory cores (DDR, Flash, and more)
- Peripheral cores (UART, IIC, and more)
- Networking cores (ATM, Ethernet, and more)

### Software Cores

- Boot code
- Test code
- Device drivers
- Protocol stacks
- RTOS integration
- Customized board support package

## Virtex-II Pro Device/Package Combinations and Maximum I/Os

Offerings include ball grid array (BGA) packages with 1.0 mm pitch. In addition to traditional wire-bond interconnects, flip-chip interconnect is used in some of the BGA offerings. The use of flip-chip interconnect offers more I/Os than are possible in wire-bond versions of the similar packages. Flip-chip construction offers the combination of high pin count and excellent power dissipation.

The Virtex-II Pro device/package combination table (Table 3) details the maximum number of I/Os for each device and package using wire-bond or flip-chip technology.

- FG denotes Wirebond fine-pitch BGA (1.00 mm pitch).
- FF denotes FlipChip fine-pitch BGA (1.00 mm pitch).

The FF1148 and FF1696 packages have no RocketIO transceivers bonded out. Extra SelectIO-Ultra resources occupy available pins in these packages, resulting in a higher user I/O count. FF1148 and FF1696 packages are available for the XC2VP40, XC2VP50, XC2VP100, and XC2VP125 devices only.

**Table 3: Virtex-II Pro Device/Package Combinations and Maximum Number of Available I/Os (Advance Information)**

Pkg	Pitch (mm)	Size (mm)	Available User I/Os / Available RocketIO Transceivers									
			XC2VP2	XC2VP4	XC2VP7	XC2VP20	XC2VP30	XC2VP40	XC2VP50	XC2VP70	XC2VP100	XC2VP125
FG256	1.00	17 x 17	140 / 4	140 / 4								
FG456	1.00	23 x 23	156 / 4	248 / 4	248 / 8							
FF672	1.00	27 x 27	204 / 4	348 / 4	396 / 8							
FF896	1.00	31 x 31			396 / 8	556 / 8	556 / 8					
FF1152	1.00	35 x 35				564 / 8	644 / 8	692 / 12	692 / 16			
FF1148	1.00	35 x 35						804 / 0 <sup>(1)</sup>	812 / 0 <sup>(1)</sup>			
FF1517	1.00	40 x 40						804 / 12	852 / 16	964 / 16		
FF1704	1.00	42.5 x 42.5								996 / 20	1,040 / 20	1,040 / 20
FF1696	1.00	42.5 x 42.5									1,164 / 0 <sup>(1)</sup>	1,200 / 0 <sup>(1)</sup>

#### Notes:

1. The RocketIO transceivers in devices in the FF1148 and FF1696 packages are not bonded out to the package pins.
2. Consult Xilinx for package options supporting 24 RocketIO transceivers.

## Maximum Performance

Maximum RocketIO transceiver and PowerPC processor block performance varies, depending on the package style and speed grade. See [Table 4](#) for details. [Virtex-II Pro™ Platform FPGAs: DC and Switching Characteristics \(Module 3\)](#) contains the rest of the FPGA fabric performance parameters.

Table 4: Maximum RocketIO Transceiver and Processor Block Performance

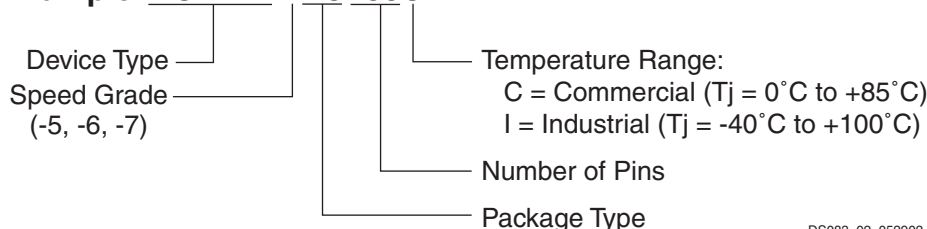
	Speed Grade			Units
	-7	-6	-5	
RocketIO Transceiver Wirebond (FG)	2.5	2.5	2.0	Gb/s
RocketIO Transceiver FlipChip (FF)	3.125	3.125	2.0	Gb/s
PowerPC Processor Block	400	350	300	MHz

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## Virtex-II Pro Ordering Information

Virtex-II Pro ordering information is shown in [Figure 1](#).

### Example: XC2VP7-7FG456C



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Figure 1: Virtex-II Pro Ordering Information

## Revision History

This section records the change history for this module of the data sheet.

Date	Version	Revision
01/31/02	1.0	Initial Xilinx release.
06/13/02	2.0	New Virtex-II Pro family members. New timing parameters per speedsfile <b>v1.62</b> .
09/03/02	2.1	Updates to <a href="#">Table 1</a> and <a href="#">Table 3</a> . Processor Block information added to <a href="#">Table 4</a> .
09/27/02	2.2	In <a href="#">Table 1</a> , corrected max number of XC2VP30 I/Os to 644.

## Virtex-II Pro Data Sheet Modules

The Virtex-II Pro Data Sheet contains the following modules:

- Virtex-II Pro Platform FPGAs: Introduction and Overview (Module 1)**
- Virtex-II Pro™ Platform FPGAs: Functional Description (Module 2)**
- Virtex-II Pro™ Platform FPGAs: DC and Switching Characteristics (Module 3)**
- Virtex-II Pro Platform FPGAs: Pinout Information (Module 4)**





## Virtex-II Pro Array Functional Description

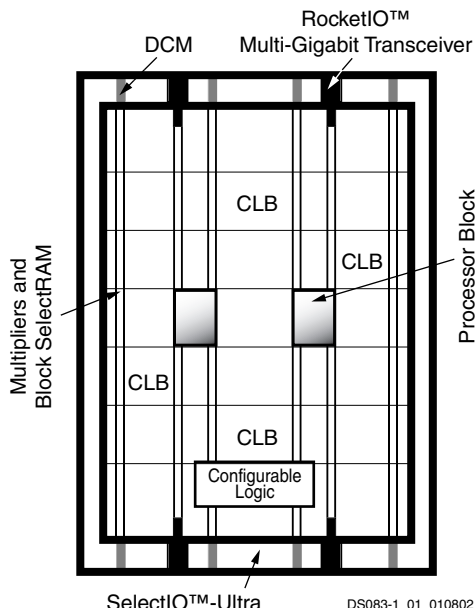


Figure 1: Virtex-II Pro Generic Architecture Overview

This module describes the following Virtex-II Pro functional components, as shown in Figure 1:

- Embedded RocketIO™ Multi-Gigabit Transceiver (MGT)
- Processor block containing embedded IBM® PowerPC™ 405 RISC CPU (PPC405) core and integration circuitry.
- FPGA fabric based on Virtex-II architecture.

For a description of PPC405 embedded core programming models and internal core operations, refer to the [PPC405 User Manual](#) and the [PPC405 Processor Block Manual](#). For detailed RocketIO transceiver digital/analog design considerations, refer to the [RocketIO Transceiver User Guide](#).

All of the documents above, as well as a complete listing and description of Xilinx-developed Intellectual Property cores for Virtex-II Pro, are available on the Xilinx website at [www.xilinx.com/virtex2pro](http://www.xilinx.com/virtex2pro).

### Virtex-II Pro Compared to Virtex-II Devices

Virtex-II Pro devices are built on the Virtex-II FPGA architecture. Most FPGA features are identical to Virtex-II devices. Differences are described below:

- The Virtex-II Pro FPGA family is the first to incorporate embedded PPC405 cores and RocketIO MGTs.
- $V_{CCAUX}$ , the auxiliary supply voltage, is 2.5V instead of 3.3V as for Virtex-II devices. Advanced processing at 0.13  $\mu$ m has resulted in a smaller die, faster speed, and lower power consumption.
- Virtex-II Pro devices are neither bitstream-compatible nor pin-compatible with Virtex-II devices. However, Virtex-II designs can be compiled into Virtex-II Pro devices.
- All banks support 2.5V (and below) I/O standards. LVDCI\_33, PCI33\_3 and PCI66\_3 are supported in designated 3.3V I/O banks only. (Refer to the [Virtex-II Pro User Guide](#) for more information on 3.3V I/O support.)

## Functional Description: RocketIO Multi-Gigabit Transceiver (MGT)

This section summarizes the features of the RocketIO multi-gigabit transceiver. For an in-depth discussion of the RocketIO MGT, including digital and analog design considerations, refer to the [RocketIO Transceiver User Guide](#).

### Overview

The embedded RocketIO multi-gigabit transceiver is based on Mindspeed's SkyRail™ technology. Up to twenty-four transceivers are available. The transceiver is designed to operate at any baud rate in the range of 622 Mb/s to 3.125 Gb/s per channel. This includes specific baud rates used by various standards as listed in Table 1.

Table 1: Protocols Supported by the RocketIO Transceiver

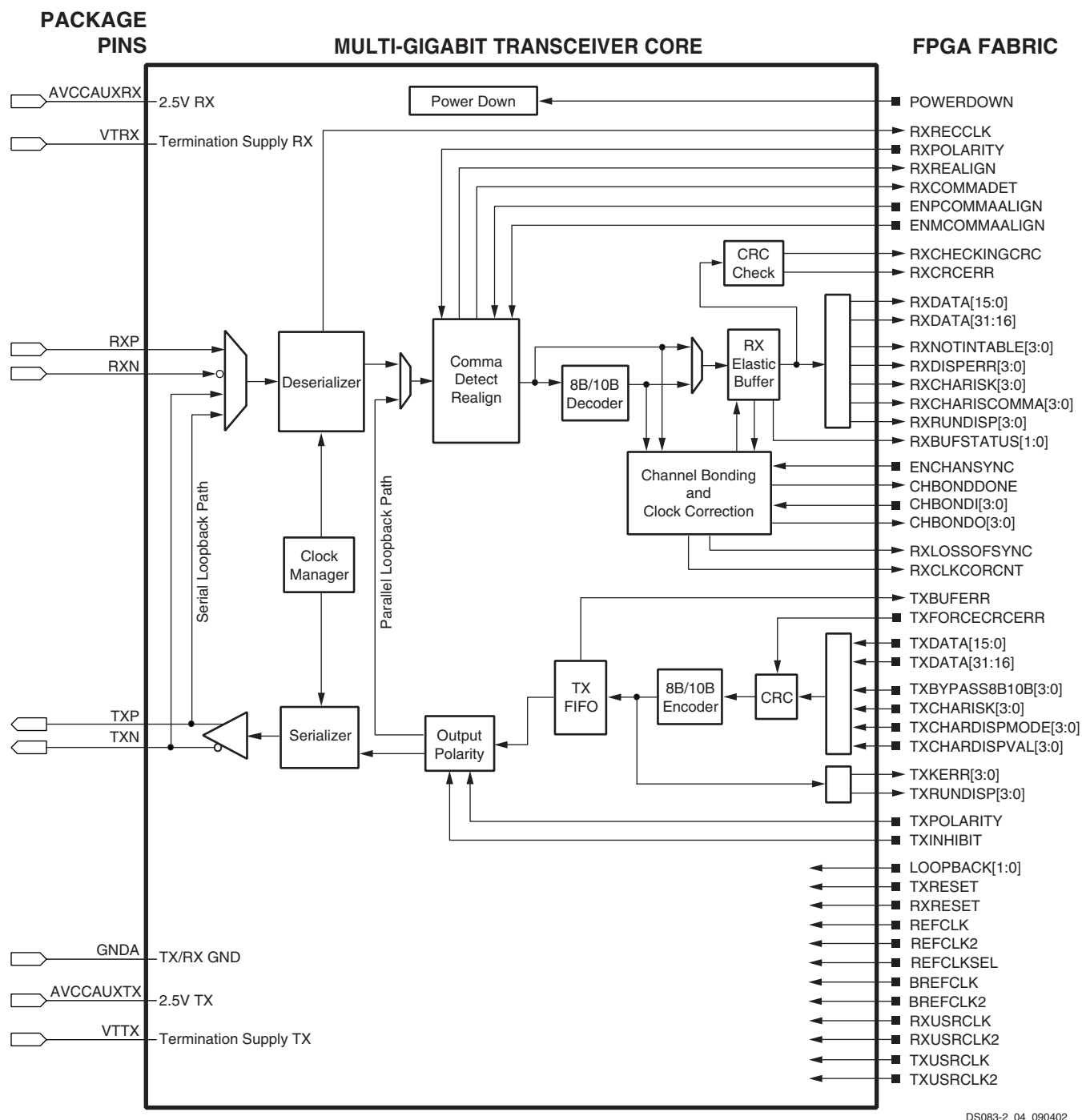
Protocol	Channels (Lanes)	I/O Baud Rate (Gb/s)	Internal Clock Rate (REFCLK) (MHz)
Fibre Channel	1	1.06	53
		2.12	106
Gigabit Ethernet	1	1.25	62.5
10Gbit Ethernet	4	3.125	156.25
Infiniband	1, 4, 12	2.5	125
Aurora	1, 2, 3, 4, ...	0.840 – 3.125	42.00 – 156.25
Custom Protocol	1, 2, 3, 4, ...	up to 3.125	up to 156.25

The serial bit rate need not be configured in the transceiver, as the operating frequency is implied by the received data and reference clock applied.

The RocketIO transceiver consists of the Physical Media Attachment (PMA) and Physical Coding Sublayer (PCS). The PMA contains the serializer and deserializer. The PCS contains the bypassable 8B/10B encoder/ decoder, elastic

buffers, and Cyclic Redundancy Check (CRC) units. The encoder and decoder handle the 8B/10B coding scheme. The elastic buffers support the clock correction (rate matching) and channel bonding features. The CRC units perform CRC generation and checking.

Figure 2 shows a high-level block diagram of the RocketIO transceiver and its FPGA interface signals.



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Figure 2: RocketIO Transceiver Block Diagram



## Clock Synthesizer

Synchronous serial data reception is facilitated by a clock/data recovery circuit. This circuit uses a fully monolithic Phase Lock Loop (PLL), which does not require any external components. The clock/data recovery circuit extracts both phase and frequency from the incoming data stream. The recovered clock is presented on output RXRECCLK at 1/20 of the serial received data rate.

The gigabit transceiver multiplies the reference frequency provided on the reference clock input (REFCLK) by 20. The multiplication of the clock is achieved by using a fully monolithic PLL that does not require any external components.

No fixed phase relationship is assumed between REFCLK, RXRECCLK, and/or any other clock that is not tied to either of these clocks. When the 4-byte or 1-byte receiver data path is used, RXUSRCLK and RXUSRCLK2 have different frequencies, and each edge of the slower clock is aligned to a falling edge of the faster clock. The same relationships apply to TXUSRCLK and TXUSRCLK2.

## Clock and Data Recovery

The clock/data recovery (CDR) circuits will lock to the reference clock automatically if the data is not present. For proper operation, the frequency of the reference clock must be within  $\pm 100$  ppm of the nominal frequency.

It is critical to keep power supply noise low in order to minimize common and differential noise modes into the clock/data recovery circuitry. Refer to the [RocketIO Transceiver User Guide](#) for more details.

## Transmitter

### FPGA Transmit Interface

The FPGA can send either one, two, or four characters of data to the transmitter. Each character can be either 8 bits or 10 bits wide. If 8-bit data is applied, the additional inputs become control signals for the 8B/10B encoder. When the 8B/10B encoder is bypassed, the 10-bit character order is generated as follows:

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TXCHARDISPMODE[0]      (first bit transmitted)
TXCHARDISPVAL[0]
TXDATA[7:0]             (last bit transmitted is TXDATA[0])
```

### 8B/10B Encoder

A bypassable 8B/10B encoder is included. The encoder uses the same 256 data characters and 12 control characters that are used for Gigabit Ethernet, Fibre Channel, and InfiniBand.

The encoder accepts 8 bits of data along with a K-character signal for a total of 9 bits per character applied, and generates a 10 bit character for transmission. If the K-character signal is High, the data is encoded into one of the twelve possible K-characters available in the 8B/10B code. If the K-character input is Low, the 8 bits are encoded

as standard data. If the K-character input is High, and a user applies other than one of the twelve possible combinations, TXKERR indicates the error.

### Disparity Control

The 8B/10B encoder is initialized with a negative running disparity. Unique control allows forcing the current running disparity state.

TXRUNDISP signals its current running disparity. This may be useful in those cases where there is a need to manipulate the initial running disparity value.

Bits TXCHARDISPMODE and TXCHARDISPVAL control the generation of running disparity before each byte.

For example, the transceiver can generate the sequence

```
K28.5+ K28.5+ K28.5- K28.5-
or
```

```
K28.5- K28.5- K28.5+ K28.5+
```

by specifying inverted running disparity for the second and fourth bytes.

### Transmit FIFO

Proper operation of the circuit is only possible if the FPGA clock (TXUSRCLK) is frequency-locked to the reference clock (REFCLK). Phase variations up to one clock cycle are allowable. The FIFO has a depth of four. Overflow or underflow conditions are detected and signaled at the interface. Bypassing of this FIFO is programmable.

### Serializer

The multi-gigabit transceiver multiplies the reference frequency provided on the reference clock input (REFCLK) by 20. Clock multiplication is achieved by using a fully monolithic PLL requiring no external components. Data is converted from parallel to serial format and transmitted on the TXP and TXN differential outputs. Bit 0 is transmitted first and bit 19 is transmitted last.

The electrical connection of TXP and TXN can be interchanged through configuration. This option can be controlled by an input (TXPOLARITY) at the FPGA transmitter interface. This facilitates recovery from situations where printed circuit board traces have been reversed.

### Transmit Termination

On-chip termination is provided at the transmitter, eliminating the need for external termination. Programmable options exist for 50Ω (default) and 75Ω termination.

### Pre-Emphasis Circuit and Swing Control

Four selectable levels of pre-emphasis (10% [default], 20%, 25%, and 33%) are available. Optimizing this setting allows the transceiver to drive up to 20 inches of FR4 at the maximum baud rate.

The programmable output swing control can adjust the differential output level between 400 mV and 800 mV in four increments of 100 mV.

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## Receiver

### Deserializer

The RocketIO transceiver accepts serial differential data on its RXP and RXN inputs. The clock/data recovery circuit extracts the clock and retimes incoming data to this clock. It uses a fully monolithic PLL requiring no external components. The clock/data recovery circuitry extracts both phase and frequency from the incoming data stream. The recovered clock is presented on output RXRECCLK at 1/20 of the received serial data rate.

The receiver is capable of handling either transition-rich 8B/10B streams or scrambled streams, and can withstand a string of up to 75 non-transitioning bits without an error.

Word alignment is dependent on the state of comma detect bits. If comma detect is enabled, the transceiver recognizes up to two 10-bit preprogrammed characters. Upon detection of the character or characters, the comma detect output is driven high and the data is synchronously aligned. If a comma is detected and the data is aligned, no further alignment alteration takes place. If a comma is received and realignment is necessary, the data is realigned and an indication is given at the receiver interface. The realignment indicator is a distinct output.

The transceiver continuously monitors the data for the presence of the 10-bit character(s). Upon each occurrence of a 10-bit character, the data is checked for word alignment. If comma detect is disabled, the data is not aligned to any particular pattern. The programmable option allows a user to align data on comma+, comma–, both, or a unique user-defined and programmed sequence.

The receiver can be configured to reverse the RXP and RXN inputs. This can be useful in the event that printed circuit board traces have been reversed.

### Receiver Termination

On-chip termination is provided at the receiver, eliminating the need for external termination. The receiver includes programmable on-chip termination circuitry for 50Ω (default) or 75Ω impedance.

### 8B/10B Decoder

An optional 8B/10B decoder is included. A programmable option allows the decoder to be bypassed. When the 8B/10B decoder is bypassed, the 10-bit character order is, for example,

```
RXCHARISK[0]           (first bit received)
RXRUNDISP[0]
RXDATA[7:0]             (last bit received is RXDATA[0])
```

The decoder uses the same table that is used for Gigabit Ethernet, Fibre Channel, and InfiniBand. In addition to decoding all data and K-characters, the decoder has several extra features. The decoder separately detects both “disparity errors” and “out-of-band” errors. A disparity error is the reception of 10-bit character that exists within the

8B/10B table but has an incorrect disparity. An out-of-band error is the reception of a 10-bit character that does not exist within the 8B/10B table. It is possible to obtain an out-of-band error without having a disparity error. The proper disparity is always computed for both legal and illegal characters. The current running disparity is available at the RXRUNDISP signal.

The 8B/10B decoder performs a unique operation if out-of-band data is detected. If out-of-band data is detected, the decoder signals the error and passes the illegal 10-bits through and places them on the outputs. This can be used for debugging purposes if desired.

The decoder also signals the reception of one of the 12 valid K-characters. In addition, a programmable comma detect is included. The comma detect signal registers a comma on the receipt of any comma+, comma–, or both. Since the comma is defined as a 7-bit character, this includes several out-of-band characters. Another option allows the decoder to detect only the three defined commas (K28.1, K28.5, and K28.7) as comma+, comma–, or both. In total, there are six possible options, three for valid commas and three for “any comma.”

Note that all bytes (1, 2, or 4) at the RX FPGA interface each have their own individual 8B/10B indicators (K-character, disparity error, out-of-band error, current running disparity, and comma detect).

### Loopback

In order to facilitate testing without having the need to either apply patterns or measure data at GHz rates, two programmable loop-back features are available.

One option, serial loopback, places the gigabit transceiver into a state where transmit data is directly fed back to the receiver. An important point to note is that the feedback path is at the output pads of the transmitter. This tests the entirety of the transmitter and receiver.

The second option, parallel loopback, checks the digital circuitry. When parallel loopback is enabled, the serial loopback path is disabled. However, the transmitter outputs remain active, and data can be transmitted. If TXINHIBIT is asserted, TXP is forced to 0 until TXINHIBIT is de-asserted.

### Elastic and Transmitter Buffers

Both the transmitter and the receiver include buffers (FIFOs) in the datapath. This section gives the reasons for including the buffers and outlines their operation.

### Receiver Buffer

The receiver buffer is required for two reasons:

- *Clock correction* to accommodate the slight difference in frequency between the recovered clock RXRECCLK and the internal FPGA user clock RXUSRCLK
- *Channel bonding* to allow realignment of the input stream to ensure proper alignment of data being read through multiple transceivers

The receiver uses an *elastic buffer*, where "elastic" refers to the ability to modify the read pointer for clock correction and channel bonding.

### Clock Correction

Clock RXRECCLK (the recovered clock) reflects the data rate of the incoming data. Clock RXUSRCLK defines the rate at which the FPGA fabric consumes the data. Ideally, these rates are identical. However, since the clocks typically have different sources, one of the clocks will be faster than the other. The receiver buffer accommodates this difference between the clock rates. See Figure 3.

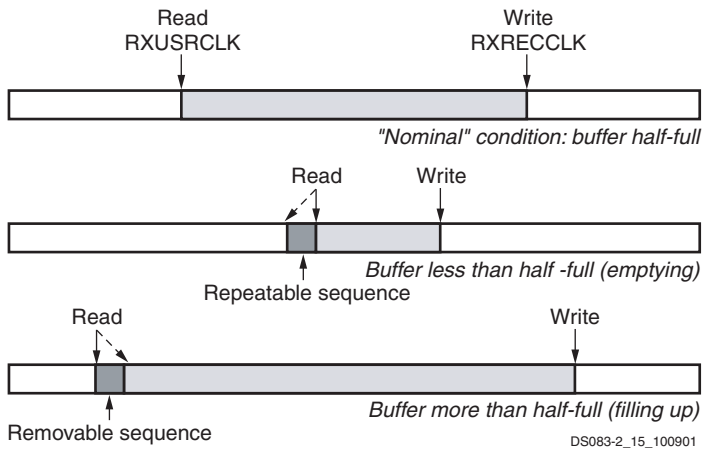


Figure 3: Clock Correction in Receiver

Nominally, the buffer is always half full. This is shown in the top buffer, Figure 3, where the shaded area represents buffered data not yet read. Received data is inserted via the write pointer under control of RXRECCLK. The FPGA fabric reads data via the read pointer under control of RXUSRCLK. The half full/half empty condition of the buffer gives a cushion for the differing clock rates. This operation continues indefinitely, regardless of whether or not "meaningful" data is being received. When there is no meaningful data to be received, the incoming data will consist of IDLE characters or other padding.

If RXUSRCLK is faster than RXRECCLK, the buffer becomes more empty over time. The clock correction logic corrects for this by decrementing the read pointer to reread a repeatable byte sequence. This is shown in the middle buffer, Figure 3, where the solid read pointer decrements to the value represented by the dashed pointer. By decrementing the read pointer instead of incrementing it in the usual fashion, the buffer is partially refilled. The transceiver design will repeat a single repeatable byte sequence when necessary to refill a buffer. If the byte sequence length is greater than one, and if attribute CLK\_COR\_REPEAT\_WAIT is 0, then the transceiver may repeat the same sequence multiple times until the buffer is refilled to the desired extent.

Similarly, if RXUSRCLK is slower than RXRECCLK, the buffer will fill up over time. The clock correction logic corrects for this by incrementing the read pointer to skip over a

removable byte sequence that need not appear in the final FPGA fabric byte stream. This is shown in the bottom buffer, Figure 3, where the solid read pointer increments to the value represented by the dashed pointer. This accelerates the emptying of the buffer, preventing its overflow. The transceiver design will skip a single byte sequence when necessary to partially empty a buffer. If attribute CLK\_COR\_REPEAT\_WAIT is 0, the transceiver may also skip two consecutive removable byte sequences in one step to further empty the buffer when necessary.

These operations require the clock correction logic to recognize a byte sequence that can be freely repeated or omitted in the incoming data stream. This sequence is generally an IDLE sequence, or other sequence comprised of special values that occur in the gaps separating packets of meaningful data. These gaps are required to occur sufficiently often to facilitate the timely execution of clock correction.

### Channel Bonding

Some gigabit I/O standards such as Infiniband specify the use of multiple transceivers in parallel for even higher data rates. Words of data are split into bytes, with each byte sent over a separate channel (transceiver). See Figure 4.

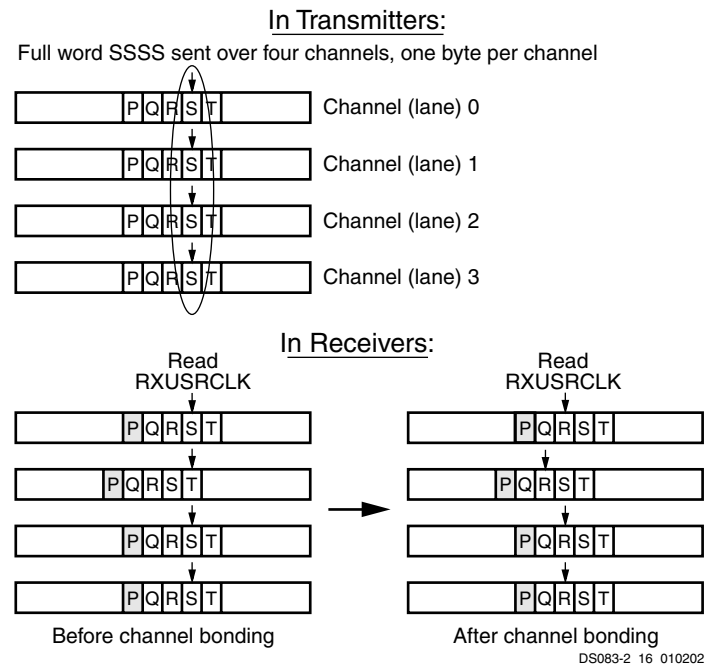


Figure 4: Channel Bonding (Alignment)

The top half of the figure shows the transmission of words split across four transceivers (channels or lanes). PPPP, QQQQ, RRRR, SSSS, and TTTT represent words sent over the four channels.

The bottom-left portion of Figure 4 shows the initial situation in the FPGA's receivers at the other end of the four channels. Due to variations in transmission delay—especially if the channels are routed through repeaters—the FPGA fabric might not correctly assemble the bytes into complete

words. The bottom-left illustration shows the incorrect assembly of data words PQPP, QRQQ, RSRR, and so forth.

To support correction of this misalignment, the data stream includes special byte sequences that define corresponding points in the several channels. In the bottom half of [Figure 4](#), the shaded "P" bytes represent these special characters. Each receiver recognizes the "P" channel bonding character, and remembers its location in the buffer. At some point, one transceiver designated as the master instructs all the transceivers to align to the channel bonding character "P" (or to some location relative to the channel bonding character).

After this operation, words transmitted to the FPGA fabric are properly aligned: RRRR, SSSS, TTTT, and so forth, as shown in the bottom-right portion of [Figure 4](#). To ensure that the channels remain properly aligned following the channel bonding operation, the master transceiver must also control the clock correction operations described in the previous section for all channel-bonded transceivers.

### Transmitter Buffer

The transmitter's buffer write pointer (TXUSRCLK) is frequency-locked to its read pointer (REFCLK). Therefore, clock correction and channel bonding are not required. The purpose of the transmitter's buffer is to accommodate a phase difference between TXUSRCLK and REFCLK. A simple FIFO suffices for this purpose. A FIFO depth of four will permit reliable operation with simple detection of overflow or underflow, which could occur if the clocks are not frequency-locked.

### CRC

The RocketIO transceiver CRC logic supports the 32-bit invariant CRC calculation used by Infiniband, FibreChannel, and Gigabit Ethernet.

On the transmitter side, the CRC logic recognizes where the CRC bytes should be inserted and replaces four placeholder bytes at the tail of a data packet with the computed CRC. For Gigabit Ethernet and FibreChannel, transmitter CRC may adjust certain trailing bytes to generate the required running disparity at the end of the packet.

On the receiver side, the CRC logic verifies the received CRC value, supporting the same standards as above.

The CRC logic also supports a user mode, with a simple data packet structure beginning and ending with user-defined SOP and EOP characters.

### Configuration

This section outlines functions that can be selected or controlled by configuration. Xilinx implementation software supports 16 transceiver primitives, as shown in [Table 2](#).

Each of the primitives in [Table 2](#) defines default values for the configuration attributes, allowing some number of them to be modified by the user. Refer to the [RocketIO Transceiver User Guide](#) for more details.

**Table 2: Supported RocketIO Transceiver Protocol Primitives**

GT_CUSTOM	Fully customizable by user
GT_FIBRE_CHAN_1	Fibre Channel, 1-byte data path
GT_FIBRE_CHAN_2	Fibre Channel, 2-byte data path
GT_FIBRE_CHAN_4	Fibre Channel, 4-byte data path
GT_ETHERNET_1	Gigabit Ethernet, 1-byte data path
GT_ETHERNET_2	Gigabit Ethernet, 2-byte data path
GT_ETHERNET_4	Gigabit Ethernet, 4-byte data path
GT_XAUI_1	10-gigabit Ethernet, 1-byte data path
GT_XAUI_2	10-gigabit Ethernet, 2-byte data path
GT_XAUI_4	10-gigabit Ethernet, 4-byte data path
GT_INFINIBAND_1	Infiniband, 1-byte data path
GT_INFINIBAND_2	Infiniband, 2-byte data path
GT_INFINIBAND_4	Infiniband, 4-byte data path
GT_AURORA_1 <sup>(1)</sup>	1-byte data path
GT_AURORA_2 <sup>(1)</sup>	2-byte data path
GT_AURORA_4 <sup>(1)</sup>	4-byte data path

#### Notes:

- For more information on the Aurora protocol, visit <http://www.xilinx.com>.

### Reset

The receiver and transmitter have their own synchronous reset inputs. The transmitter reset recenters the transmission FIFO, and resets all transmitter registers and the 8B/10B decoder. The receiver reset recenters the receiver elastic buffer, and resets all receiver registers and the 8B/10B encoder. Neither reset has any effect on the PLLs.

### Power

All RocketIO transceivers in the FPGA, whether instantiated in the design or not, must be connected to power and ground. Unused transceivers can be powered by any 2.5V source, and passive filtering is not required.

#### Power Down

The Power Down module is controlled by the transceiver's POWERDOWN input pin. The Power Down pin on the FPGA package has no effect on the transceiver.

#### Power Sequencing

Although applying power in a random order does not damage the device, it is recommended to apply power in the following sequence to minimize power-on current:

- Apply FPGA fabric power supplies ( $V_{CCINT}$  and  $V_{CCAUX}$ ) in any order.
- Apply AVCCAUXRX.
- Apply AVCCAUTX,  $V_{TTX}$ , and  $V_{TRX}$  in any order.

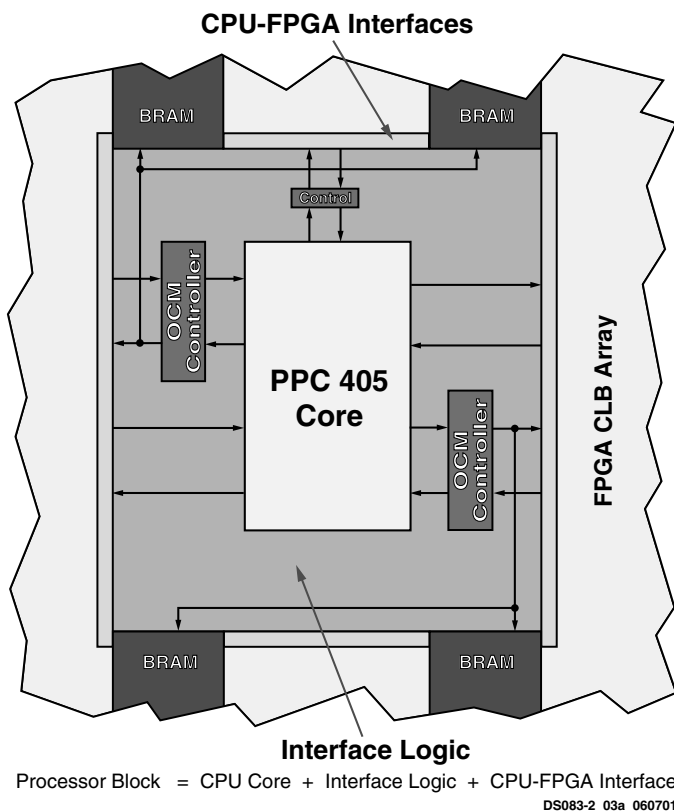


## Functional Description: Processor Block

This section briefly describes the interfaces and components of the Processor Block. The subsequent section, **Functional Description: Embedded PowerPC 405 Core** beginning on [page 36](#), offers a summary of major PPC405 core features. For an in-depth discussion on both the Processor Block and PPC405, see [PPC405 User Manual](#) and [PPC405 Processor Block Manual](#), available at <http://www.xilinx.com>.

### Processor Block Overview

**Figure 5** shows the internal architecture of the Processor Block.



**Figure 5: Processor Block Architecture**

Within the Virtex-II Pro Processor Block, there are four components:

- Embedded IBM PowerPC 405-D5 RISC CPU core
- On-Chip Memory (OCM) controllers and interfaces
- Clock/control interface logic
- CPU-FPGA Interfaces

### Embedded PowerPC 405 RISC Core

The PowerPC 405D5 core is a 0.13  $\mu\text{m}$  implementation of the IBM PowerPC 405D4 core. The advanced process technology enables the embedded PowerPC 405 (PPC405) core to operate at 300+ MHz while maintaining low power

consumption. Specially designed interface logic integrates the core with the surrounding CLBs, block RAMs, and general routing resources. Up to four Processor Blocks can be available in a single Virtex-II Pro device.

The embedded PPC405 core implements the PowerPC User Instruction Set Architecture (UISA), user-level registers, programming model, data types, and addressing modes for 32-bit fixed-point operations. 64-bit operations, auxiliary processor operations, and floating-point operations are trapped and can be emulated in software.

Most of the PPC405 core features are compatible with the specifications for the PowerPC Virtual Environment Architecture (VEA) and Operating Environment Architecture (OEA). They also provide a number of optimizations and extensions to the lower layers of the PowerPC Architecture. The full architecture of the PPC405 is defined by the PowerPC Embedded Environment and PowerPC UISA documentation, available from IBM.

### On-Chip Memory (OCM) Controllers

#### Introduction

The OCM controllers serve as dedicated interfaces between the block RAMs in the FPGA fabric (see [18 Kb Block SelectRAM+ Resources](#), [page 58](#)) and OCM signals available on the embedded PPC405 core. The OCM signals on the PPC405 core are designed to provide very quick access to a fixed amount of instruction and data memory space. The OCM controller provides an interface to both the 64-bit Instruction-Side Block RAM (ISBRAM) and the 32-bit Data-Side Block RAM (DSBRAM). The designer can choose to implement:

- ISBRAM only
- DSBRAM only
- Both ISBRAM and DSBRAM
- No ISBRAM and no DSBRAM

One of OCM's primary advantages is that it guarantees a fixed latency of execution for a higher level of determinism. Additionally, it reduces cache pollution and thrashing, since the cache remains available for caching code from other memory resources.

Typical applications for DSOCM include scratch-pad memory, as well as use of the dual-port feature of block RAM to enable bidirectional data transfer between processor and FPGA. Typical applications for ISOCM include storage of interrupt service routines.

### Functional Features

#### Common Features

- Separate Instruction and Data memory interface between processor core and BRAMs in FPGA
- Dedicated interface to Device Control Register (DCR) bus for ISOCM and DSOCM

- Single-cycle and multi-cycle mode option for I-side and D-side interfaces
- Single cycle = one CPU clock cycle; multi-cycle = minimum of two and maximum of eight CPU clock cycles
- FPGA configurable DCR addresses within DSOCM and ISOCM.
- Independent 16 MB logical memory space available within PPC405 memory map for each of the DSOCM and ISOCM. The number of block RAMs in the device might limit the maximum amount of OCM supported.
- Maximum of 64K and 128K bytes addressable from DSOCM and ISOCM interfaces, respectively, using address outputs from OCM directly without additional decoding logic.

#### Data-Side OCM (DSOCM)

- 32-bit Data Read bus and 32-bit Data Write bus
- Byte write access to DSBRAM support
- Second port of dual port DSBRAM is available to read/write from an FPGA interface
- 22-bit address to DSBRAM port
- 8-bit DCR Registers: DSCNTL, DSARC
- Three alternatives to write into DSBRAM: BRAM initialization, CPU, FPGA H/W using second port

#### Instruction-Side OCM (ISOCM)

The ISOCM interface contains a 64-bit read only port, for instruction fetches, and a 32-bit write only port, to initialize or test the ISBRAM. When implementing the read only port, the user must deassert the write port inputs. The preferred method of initializing the ISBRAM is through the configuration bitstream.

- 64-bit Data Read Only bus (two instructions per cycle)
- 32-bit Data Write Only bus (through DCR)
- Separate 21-bit address to ISBRAM
- 8-bit DCR Registers: ISCNTL, ISARC
- 32-bit DCR Registers: ISINIT, ISFILL
- Two alternatives to write into ISBRAM: BRAM initialization, DCR and write instruction

### Clock/Control Interface Logic

The clock/control interface logic provides proper initialization and connections for PPC405 clock/power management, resets, PLB cycle control, and OCM interfaces. It also couples user signals between the FPGA fabric and the embedded PPC405 CPU core.

The processor clock connectivity is similar to CLB clock pins. It can connect either to global clock nets or general routing resources. Therefore the processor clock source can come from DCM, CLB, or user package pin.

### CPU-FPGA Interfaces

All Processor Block user pins link up with the general FPGA routing resources through the CPU-FPGA interface. Therefore processor signals have the same routability as other non-Processor Block user signals. Longlines and hex lines travel across the Processor Block both vertically and horizontally, allowing signals to route through the Processor Block.

#### Processor Local Bus (PLB) Interfaces

The PPC405 core accesses high-speed system resources through PLB interfaces on the instruction and data cache controllers. The PLB interfaces provide separate 32-bit address/64-bit data buses for the instruction and data sides.

The cache controllers are both PLB masters. PLB arbiters are implemented in the FPGA fabric and are available as soft IP cores.

#### Device Control Register (DCR) Bus Interface

The device control register (DCR) bus has 10 bits of address space for components external to the PPC405 core. Using the DCR bus to manage status and configuration registers reduces PLB traffic and improves system integrity. System resources on the DCR bus are protected or isolated from wayward code since the DCR bus is not part of the system memory map.

#### On-Chip Memory (OCM) Interfaces

Access to optional, user-configurable direct-mapped memory is through the OCM interfaces. The OCM interfaces can have the same access time as a cache hit, depending on the CPU clock frequency and block RAM size. OCM may be attached to the PPC405 core through the instruction OCM interface and/or the data OCM interface.

Instruction side OCM is often used to hold critical code such as an interrupt handler that requires guaranteed low-latency deterministic access. Data side OCM offers the same fixed low-latency access and is used to hold critical data such as filter coefficients for a DSP application or packets for fast processing. Refer to [On-Chip Memory \(OCM\) Controllers, page 33](#), for more information.

#### External Interrupt Controller (EIC) Interface

Two level-sensitive user interrupt pins (critical and non-critical) are available. They can be either driven by user defined logic or Xilinx soft interrupt controller IP core outside the Processor Block.

#### Clock/Power Management (CPM) Interface

The CPM interface supports several methods of clock distribution and power management. Three modes of operation that reduce power consumption below the normal operational level are available.

## Reset Interface

There are three user reset input pins (core, chip, and system) and three user reset output pins for different levels of reset, if required.

## Debug Interface

Debugging interfaces on the embedded PPC405 core, consisting of the JTAG and Trace ports, offer access to resources internal to the core and assist in software development. The JTAG port provides basic JTAG chip testing functionality as well as the ability for external debug tools to gain control of the processor for debug purposes. The Trace port furnishes programmers with a mechanism for acquiring instruction execution traces.

The JTAG port complies with IEEE Std 1149.1, which defines a test access port (TAP) and boundary scan architecture. Extensions to the JTAG interface provide debuggers with processor control that includes stopping, starting, and stepping the PPC405 core. These extensions are compliant with the IEEE 1149.1 specifications for vendor-specific extensions.

The Trace port provides instruction execution trace information to an external trace tool. The PPC405 core is capable of back trace and forward trace. Back trace is the tracing of instructions prior to a debug event while forward trace is the tracing of instructions after a debug event.

The processor JTAG port and the FPGA JTAG port can be accessed independently, or the two can be programmatically linked together and accessed via the dedicated FPGA JTAG pins.

## CoreConnect™ Bus Architecture

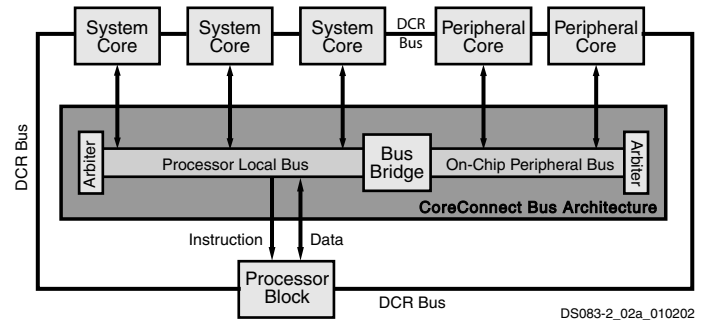


Figure 6: CoreConnect Block Diagram

The Processor Block is compatible with the CoreConnect™ bus architecture. Any CoreConnect compliant cores including Xilinx soft IP can integrate with the Processor Block through this high-performance bus architecture implemented on FPGA fabric.

The CoreConnect architecture provides three buses for interconnecting Processor Blocks, Xilinx soft IP, third party IP, and custom logic, as shown in Figure 6:

- Processor Local Bus (PLB)
- On-Chip Peripheral Bus (OPB)
- Device Control Register (DCR) bus

High-performance peripherals connect to the high-bandwidth, low-latency PLB. Slower peripheral cores connect to the OPB, which reduces traffic on the PLB, resulting in greater overall system performance.

For more information, refer to:

[http://www-3.ibm.com/chips/techlib/techlib.nfs/productfamilies/CoreConnect\\_Bus\\_Architecture/](http://www-3.ibm.com/chips/techlib/techlib.nfs/productfamilies/CoreConnect_Bus_Architecture/)

## Functional Description: Embedded PowerPC 405 Core

This section offers a brief overview of the various functional blocks shown in Figure 7.

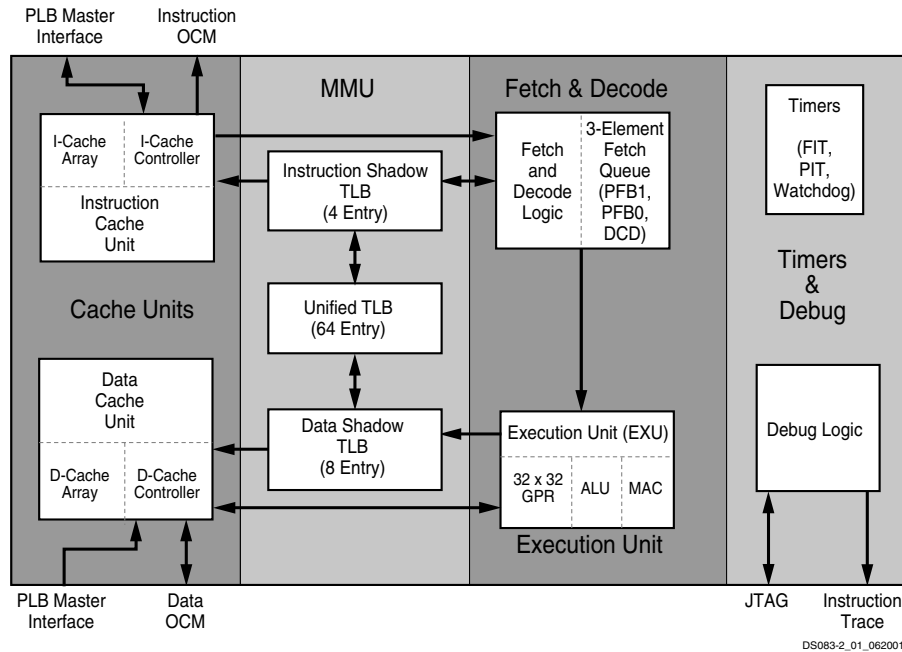


Figure 7: Embedded PPC405 Core Block Diagram

### Embedded PPC405 Core

The embedded PPC405 core is a 32-bit Harvard architecture processor. Figure 7 illustrates its functional blocks:

- Cache units
- Memory Management unit
- Fetch Decode unit
- Execution unit
- Timers
- Debug logic unit

It operates on instructions in a five stage pipeline consisting of a fetch, decode, execute, write-back, and load write-back stage. Most instructions execute in a single cycle, including loads and stores.

### Instruction and Data Cache

The embedded PPC405 core provides an instruction cache unit (ICU) and a data cache unit (DCU) that allow concurrent accesses and minimize pipeline stalls. The instruction and data cache array are 16 KB each. Both cache units are two-way set associative. Each way is organized into 256 lines of 32 bytes (eight words). The instruction set provides a rich assortment of cache control instructions, including instructions to read tag information and data arrays.

The PPC405 core accesses external memory through the instruction (ICU) and data cache units (DCU). The cache units each include a 64-bit PLB master interface, cache arrays, and a cache controller. The ICU and DCU handle cache misses as requests over the PLB to another PLB

device such as an external bus interface unit. Cache hits are handled as single cycle memory accesses to the instruction and data caches.

#### Instruction Cache Unit (ICU)

The ICU provides one or two instructions per cycle to the instruction queue over a 64-bit bus. A line buffer (built into the output of the array for manufacturing test) enables the ICU to be accessed only once for every four instructions, to reduce power consumption by the array.

The ICU can forward any or all of the four or eight words of a line fill to the EXU to minimize pipeline stalls caused by cache misses. The ICU aborts speculative fetches abandoned by the EXU, eliminating unnecessary line fills and enabling the ICU to handle the next EXU fetch. Aborting abandoned requests also eliminates unnecessary external bus activity, thereby increasing external bus utilization.

#### Data Cache Unit (DCU)

The DCU transfers one, two, three, four, or eight bytes per cycle, depending on the number of byte enables presented by the CPU. The DCU contains a single-element command and store data queue to reduce pipeline stalls; this queue enables the DCU to independently process load/store and cache control instructions. Dynamic PLB request prioritization reduces pipeline stalls even further. When the DCU is busy with a low-priority request while a subsequent storage operation requested by the CPU is stalled; the DCU automatically increases the priority of the current request to the PLB.



The DCU provides additional features that allow the programmer to tailor its performance for a given application. The DCU can function in write-back or write-through mode, as controlled by the Data Cache Write-through Register (DCWR) or the Translation Look-aside Buffer (TLB); the cache controller can be tuned for a balance of performance and memory coherency. Write-on-allocate, controlled by the store word on allocate (SWOA) field of the Core Configuration Register 0 (CCR0), can inhibit line fills caused by store misses, to further reduce potential pipeline stalls and unwanted external bus traffic.

## Fetch and Decode Logic

The fetch/decode logic maintains a steady flow of instructions to the execution unit by placing up to two instructions in the fetch queue. The fetch queue consists of three buffers: pre-fetch buffer 1 (PFB1), pre-fetch buffer 0 (PFB0), and decode (DCD). The fetch logic ensures that instructions proceed directly to decode when the queue is empty.

Static branch prediction as implemented on the PPC405 core takes advantage of some standard statistical properties of code. Branches with negative address displacement are by default assumed taken. Branches that do not test the condition or count registers are also predicted as taken. The PPC405 core bases branch prediction upon these default conditions when a branch is not resolved and speculatively fetches along the predicted path. The default prediction can be overridden by software at assembly or compile time.

Branches are examined in the decode and pre-fetch buffer 0 fetch queue stages. Two branch instructions can be handled simultaneously. If the branch in decode is not taken, the fetch logic fetches along the predicted path of the branch instruction in pre-fetch buffer 0. If the branch in decode is taken, the fetch logic ignores the branch instruction in pre-fetch buffer 0.

## Execution Unit

The embedded PPC405 core has a single issue execution unit (EXU) containing the register file, arithmetic logic unit (ALU), and the multiply-accumulate (MAC) unit. The execution unit performs all 32-bit PowerPC integer instructions in hardware.

The register file is comprised of thirty-two 32-bit general purpose registers (GPR), which are accessed with three read ports and two write ports. During the decode stage, data is read out of the GPRs and fed to the execution unit. Likewise, during the write-back stage, results are written to the GPR. The use of the five ports on the register file enables either a load or a store operation to execute in parallel with an ALU operation.

## Memory Management Unit (MMU)

The embedded PPC405 core has a 4 GB address space, which is presented as a flat address space.

The MMU provides address translation, protection functions, and storage attribute control for embedded applications. The MMU supports demand-paged virtual memory and other management schemes that require precise control of logical-to-physical address mapping and flexible memory protection. Working with appropriate system-level software, the MMU provides the following functions:

- Translation of the 4 GB effective address space into physical addresses
- Independent enabling of instruction and data translation/protection
- Page-level access control using the translation mechanism
- Software control of page replacement strategy
- Additional control over protection using zones
- Storage attributes for cache policy and speculative memory access control

The MMU can be disabled under software control. If the MMU is not used, the PPC405 core provides other storage control mechanisms.

### Translation Look-Aside Buffer (TLB)

The Translation Look-Aside Buffer (TLB) is the hardware resource that controls translation and protection. It consists of 64 entries, each specifying a page to be translated. The TLB is fully associative; a given page entry can be placed anywhere in the TLB. The translation function of the MMU occurs pre-cache. Cache tags and indexing use physical addresses.

Software manages the establishment and replacement of TLB entries. This gives system software significant flexibility in implementing a custom page replacement strategy. For example, to reduce TLB thrashing or translation delays, software can reserve several TLB entries in the TLB for globally accessible static mappings. The instruction set provides several instructions used to manage TLB entries. These instructions are privileged and require the software to be executing in supervisor state. Additional TLB instructions are provided to move TLB entry fields to and from GPRs.

The MMU divides logical storage into pages. Eight page sizes (1 KB, 4 KB, 16 KB, 64 KB, 256 KB, 1 MB, 4 MB, and 16 MB) are simultaneously supported, such that, at any given time, the TLB can contain entries for any combination of page sizes. In order for a logical to physical translation to exist, a valid entry for the page containing the logical address must be in the TLB. Addresses for which no TLB entry exists cause TLB-Miss exceptions.

To improve performance, four instruction-side and eight data-side TLB entries are kept in shadow arrays. The shadow arrays allow single-cycle address translation and also help to avoid TLB contention between load/store and instruction fetch operations. Hardware manages the

replacement and invalidation of shadow-TLB entries; no system software action is required.

### Memory Protection

When address translation is enabled, the translation mechanism provides a basic level of protection.

The Zone Protection Register (ZPR) enables the system software to override the TLB access controls. For example, the ZPR provides a way to deny read access to application programs. The ZPR can be used to classify storage by type; access by type can be changed without manipulating individual TLB entries.

The PowerPC Architecture provides WIU0GE (write-back / write-through, cacheability, user-defined 0, guarded, endian) storage attributes that control memory accesses, using bits in the TLB or, when address translation is disabled, storage attribute control registers.

When address translation is enabled, storage attribute control bits in the TLB control the storage attributes associated with the current page. When address translation is disabled, bits in each storage attribute control register control the storage attributes associated with storage regions. Each storage attribute control register contains 32 fields. Each field sets the associated storage attribute for a 128 MB memory region.

### Timers

The embedded PPC405 core contains a 64-bit time base and three timers, as shown in **Figure 8**:

- Programmable Interval Timer (PIT)
- Fixed Interval Timer (FIT)
- Watchdog Timer (WDT)

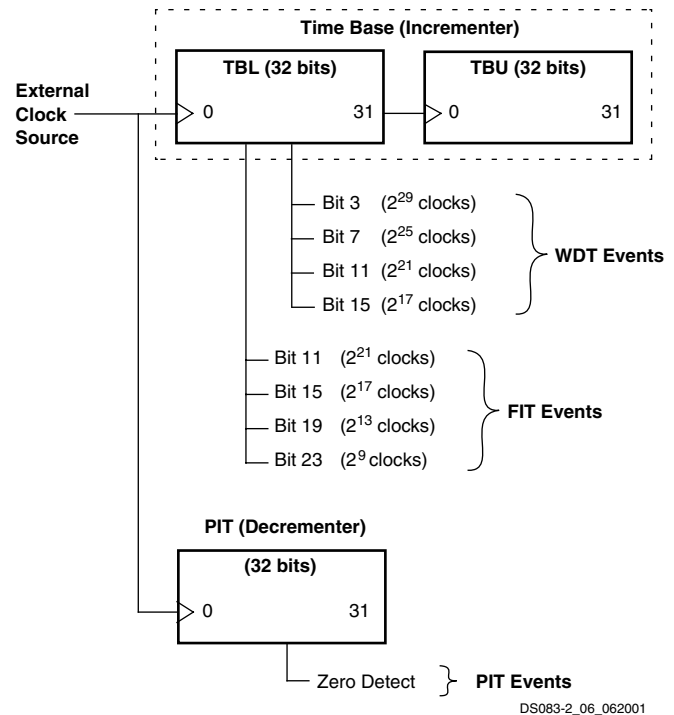
The time base counter increments either by an internal signal equal to the CPU clock rate or by a separate external timer clock signal. No interrupts are generated when the time base rolls over. The three timers are synchronous with the time base.

The PIT is a 32-bit register that decrements at the same rate as the time base is incremented. The user loads the PIT register with a value to create the desired delay. When the register reaches zero, the timer stops decrementing and generates a PIT interrupt. Optionally, the PIT can be programmed to auto-reload the last value written to the PIT register, after which the PIT continues to decrement.

The FIT generates periodic interrupts based on one of four selectable bits in the time base. When the selected bit changes from 0 to 1, the PPC405 core generates a FIT interrupt.

The WDT provides a periodic critical-class interrupt based on a selected bit in the time base. This interrupt can be used for system error recovery in the event of software or system lockups. Users may select one of four time periods for the interval and the type of reset generated if the WDT expires

twice without an intervening clear from software. If enabled, the watchdog timer generates a reset unless an exception handler updates the WDT status bit before the timer has completed two of the selected timer intervals.



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**Figure 8: Relationship of Timer Facilities to Base Clock**

### Interrupts

The PPC405 provides an interface to an interrupt controller that is logically outside the PPC405 core. This controller combines the asynchronous interrupt inputs and presents them to the embedded core as a single interrupt signal. The sources of asynchronous interrupts are external signals, the JTAG/debug unit, and any implemented peripherals.

### Debug Logic

All architected resources on the embedded PPC405 core can be accessed through the debug logic. Upon a debug event, the PPC405 core provides debug information to an external debug tool. Three different types of tools are supported depending on the debug mode: ROM monitors, JTAG debuggers, and instruction trace tools.

In internal debug mode, a debug event enables exception-handling software at a dedicated interrupt vector to take over the CPU core and communicate with a debug tool. The debug tool has read-write access to all registers and can set hardware or software breakpoints. ROM monitors typically use the internal debug mode.

In external debug mode, the CPU core enters stop state (stops instruction execution) when a debug event occurs. This mode offers a debug tool read-write access to all registers in the PPC405 core. Once the CPU core is in stop state,

the debug tool can start the CPU core, step an instruction, freeze the timers, or set hardware or software break points. In addition to CPU core control, the debug logic is capable of writing instructions into the instruction cache, eliminating the need for external memory during initial board bring-up. Communication to a debug tool using external debug mode is through the JTAG port.

Debug wait mode offers the same functionality as external debug mode with one exception. In debug wait mode, the CPU core goes into wait state instead of stop state after a debug event. Wait state is identical to stop state until an interrupt occurs. In wait state, the PPC405 core can vector to an exception handler, service an interrupt and return to wait state. This mode is particularly useful when debugging real time control systems.

Real-time trace debug mode is always enabled. The debug logic continuously broadcasts instruction trace information to the trace port. When a debug event occurs, the debug

logic signals an external debug tool to save instruction trace information before and after the event. The number of instructions traced depends on the trace tool.

Debug events signal the debug logic to stop the CPU core, put the CPU core in debug wait state, cause a debug exception or save instruction trace information.

## Big Endian and Little Endian Support

The embedded PPC405 core supports big endian or little endian byte ordering for instructions stored in external memory. Since the PowerPC architecture is big endian internally, the ICU rearranges the instructions stored as little endian into the big endian format. Therefore, the instruction cache always contains instructions in big endian format so that the byte ordering is correct for the execution unit. This feature allows the 405 core to be used in systems designed to function in a little endian environment.

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## Functional Description: FPGA

### Input/Output Blocks (IOBs)

Virtex-II Pro I/O blocks (IOBs) are provided in groups of two or four on the perimeter of each device. Each IOB can be used as input and/or output for single-ended I/Os. Two IOBs can be used as a differential pair. A differential pair is always connected to the same switch matrix, as shown in **Figure 9**. IOB blocks are designed for high-performance I/O, supporting 19 single-ended standards, as well as differential signaling with LVDS, LDT, bus LVDS, and LVPECL.

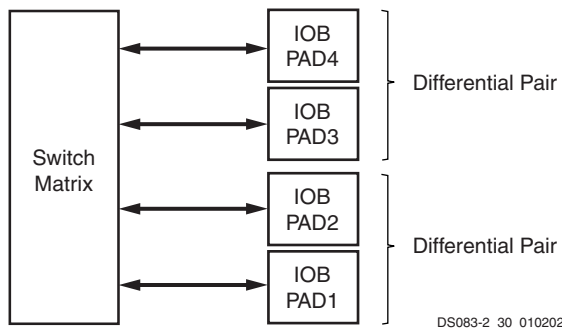


Figure 9: Virtex-II Pro Input/Output Tile

Note: Differential I/Os must use the same clock.

### Supported I/O Standards

Virtex-II Pro IOB blocks feature SelectIO™-Ultra inputs and outputs that support a wide variety of I/O signaling standards. In addition to the internal supply voltage ( $V_{CCINT} = 1.5V$ ), output driver supply voltage ( $V_{CCO}$ ) is dependent on the I/O standard (see **Table 3** and **Table 4**). An auxiliary supply volt-

age ( $V_{CCAUX} = 2.5V$ ) is required, regardless of the I/O standard used. For exact supply voltage absolute maximum ratings, see **Virtex-II Pro™ Platform FPGAs: DC and Switching Characteristics (Module 3)**.

Table 3: Supported Single-Ended I/O Standards

I/O Standard	Output $V_{CCO}$	Input $V_{CCO}$	Input $V_{REF}$	Board Termination Voltage ( $V_{TT}$ )
LVC MOS25	2.5	2.5	N/A	N/A
LVC MOS18	1.8	1.8	N/A	N/A
LVC MOS15	1.5	1.5	N/A	N/A
PCI33_3	3.3	3.3	N/A	N/A
PCI66_3	3.3	3.3	N/A	N/A
GTL	Note (1)	Note (1)	0.8	1.2
GTLP	Note (1)	Note (1)	1.0	1.5
HSTL_I	1.5	N/A	0.75	0.75
HSTL_II	1.5	N/A	0.75	0.75
HSTL_III	1.5	N/A	0.9	1.5
HSTL_IV	1.5	N/A	0.9	1.5
HSTL_I_18	1.8	N/A	0.9	0.9
HSTL_II_18	1.8	N/A	0.9	0.9
HSTL_III_18	1.8	N/A	1.08	1.8
HSTL_IV_18	1.8	N/A	1.08	1.8
SSTL2_I	2.5	N/A	1.25	1.25
SSTL2_II	2.5	N/A	1.25	1.25
SSTL18_I (2)	1.8	N/A	0.9	0.9

Table 3: Supported Single-Ended I/O Standards

I/O Standard	Output V <sub>CCO</sub>	Input V <sub>CCO</sub>	Input V <sub>REF</sub>	Board Termination Voltage (V <sub>TT</sub> )
SSTL18_II	1.8	N/A	0.9	0.9

**Notes:**

1. V<sub>CCO</sub> of GTL or GTLP should not be lower than the termination voltage or the voltage seen at the I/O pad.
2. SSTL18\_I is not a JEDEC-supported standard.

Table 4: Supported Differential Signal I/O Standards

I/O Standard	Output V <sub>CCO</sub>	Input V <sub>CCO</sub>	Input V <sub>REF</sub>	Output V <sub>OD</sub>
LDT_25	2.5	N/A	N/A	0.500 – 0.740
LVDS_25 <sup>(1)</sup>	2.5	N/A	N/A	0.250 – 0.400
LVDS_25 <sup>(1)</sup>	2.5	N/A	N/A	0.330 – 0.700
BLVDS_25	2.5	N/A	N/A	0.250 – 0.450
ULVDS_25	2.5	N/A	N/A	0.500 – 0.740
LVPECL_25	2.5	N/A	N/A	0.345 – 1.185

**Notes:**

1. LVDCI\_XX is LVCMOS output controlled impedance buffers, matching all or half of the reference resistors.

All of the user IOBs have fixed-clamp diodes to V<sub>CCO</sub> and to ground. The IOBs are not compatible or compliant with 5V I/O standards (not 5V-tolerant). The IOBs support 3.3V I/O standards such as PCI33/66, LVTTTL, and LVCMOS\_33. See [XAPP659](#) for implementation guidelines.

Table 5: Supported DCI I/O Standards

I/O Standard	Output V <sub>CCO</sub>	Input V <sub>CCO</sub>	Input V <sub>REF</sub>	Termination Type
LVDCI_33 <sup>(1), (2)</sup>	3.3	3.3	N/A	Series
LVDCI_25	2.5	2.5	N/A	Series
LVDCI_DV2_25	2.5	2.5	N/A	Series
LVDCI_18	1.8	1.8	N/A	Series
LVDCI_DV2_18	1.8	1.8	N/A	Series
LVDCI_15	1.5	1.5	N/A	Series
LVDCI_DV2_15	1.5	1.5	N/A	Series
GTL_DCI	1.2	1.2	0.8	Single
GTLP_DCI	1.5	1.5	1.0	Single
HSTL_I_DCI	1.5	1.5	0.75	Split
HSTL_II_DCI	1.5	1.5	0.75	Split
HSTL_III_DCI	1.5	1.5	0.9	Single
HSTL_IV_DCI	1.5	1.5	0.9	Single
HSTL_I_DCI_18	1.8	1.8	0.9	Split
HSTL_II_DCI_18	1.8	1.8	0.9	Split
HSTL_III_DCI_18	1.8	1.8	1.08	Single
HSTL_IV_DCI_18	1.8	1.8	1.08	Single
SSTL2_I_DCI <sup>(3)</sup>	2.5	2.5	1.25	Split

Table 5: Supported DCI I/O Standards (Continued)

I/O Standard	Output V <sub>CCO</sub>	Input V <sub>CCO</sub>	Input V <sub>REF</sub>	Termination Type
SSTL2_II_DCI <sup>(3)</sup>	2.5	2.5	1.25	Split
SSTL18_I <sup>(4)</sup>	1.8	1.8	0.9	Split
SSTL18_II	1.8	1.8	0.9	Split
LVDS_25_DCI	N/A	2.5	N/A	Split
LVDS_25_DCI	N/A	2.5	N/A	Split

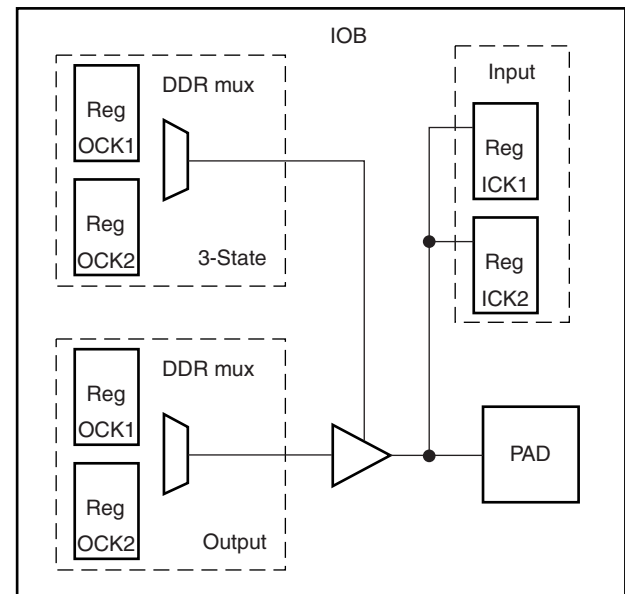
**Notes:**

1. LVDCI\_XX is LVCMOS output controlled impedance buffers, matching all or half of the reference resistors.
2. The LVDCI\_33 standard is compatible with LVTTTL and LVCMOS. See [XAPP659](#) for more details.
3. These are SSTL compatible.
4. SSTL18\_I is not a JEDEC-supported standard.

Table 5 lists supported I/O standards with Digitally Controlled Impedance. See [Digitally Controlled Impedance \(DCI\)](#), page 46.

**Logic Resources**

IOB blocks include six storage elements, as shown in [Figure 10](#).



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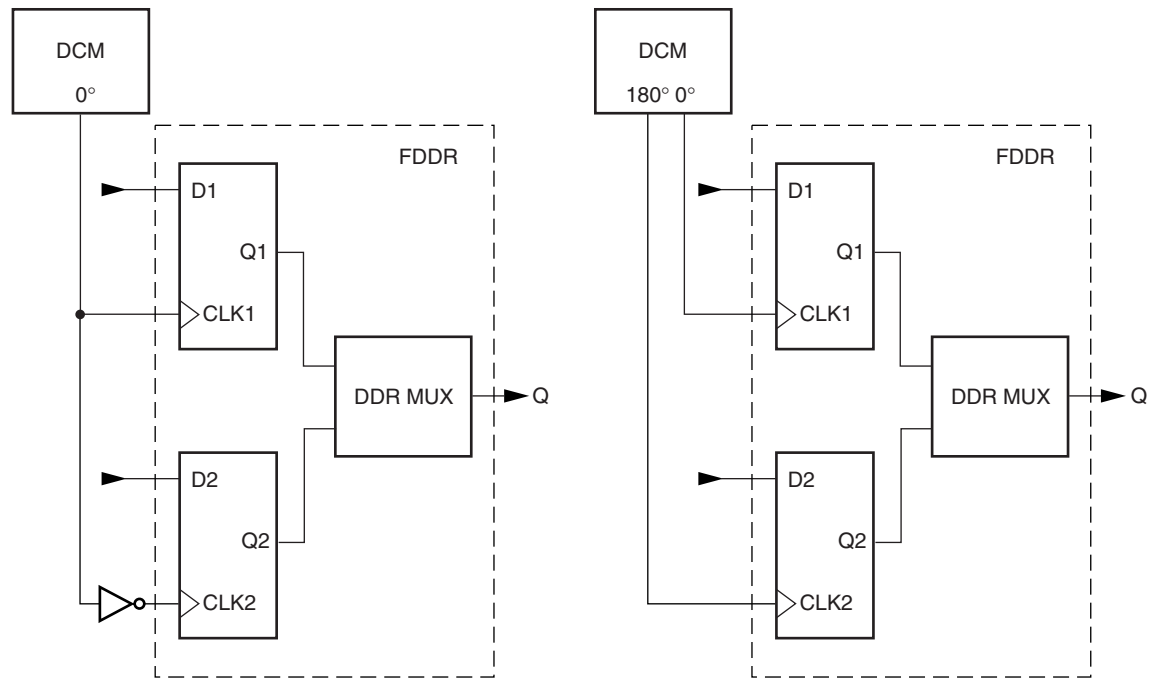
Figure 10: Virtex-II Pro IOB Block

Each storage element can be configured either as an edge-triggered D-type flip-flop or as a level-sensitive latch. On the input, output, and 3-state path, one or two DDR registers can be used.

Double data rate is directly accomplished by the two registers on each path, clocked by the rising edges (or falling edges) from two different clock nets. The two clock signals are generated by the DCM and must be 180 degrees out of phase, as shown in [Figure 11](#). There are two input, output, and 3-state data signals, each being alternately clocked out.

This DDR mechanism can be used to mirror a copy of the clock on the output. This is useful for propagating a clock along the data that has an identical delay. It is also useful for

multiple clock generation, where there is a unique clock driver for every clock load. Virtex-II Pro devices can produce many copies of a clock with very little skew.



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Figure 11: Double Data Rate Registers

Each group of two registers has a clock enable signal (ICE for the input registers, OCE for the output registers, and TCE for the 3-state registers). The clock enable signals are active High by default. If left unconnected, the clock enable for that storage element defaults to the active state.

Each IOB block has common synchronous or asynchronous set and reset (SR and REV signals).

SR forces the storage element into the state specified by the SRHIGH or SRLOW attribute. SRHIGH forces a logic 1. SRLOW forces a logic "0". When SR is used, a second input (REV) forces the storage element into the opposite state. The reset condition predominates over the set condition. The initial state after configuration or global initialization state is defined by a separate INIT0 and INIT1 attribute. By default, the SRLOW attribute forces INIT0, and the SRHIGH attribute forces INIT1.

For each storage element, the SRHIGH, SRLOW, INIT0, and INIT1 attributes are independent. Synchronous or asynchronous set / reset is consistent in an IOB block.

All the control signals have independent polarity. Any inverter placed on a control input is automatically absorbed.

Each register or latch, independent of all other registers or latches, can be configured as follows:

- No set or reset
- Synchronous set
- Synchronous reset
- Synchronous set and reset
- Asynchronous set (preset)
- Asynchronous reset (clear)
- Asynchronous set and reset (preset and clear)

The synchronous reset overrides a set, and an asynchronous clear overrides a preset.

Refer to Figure 12.



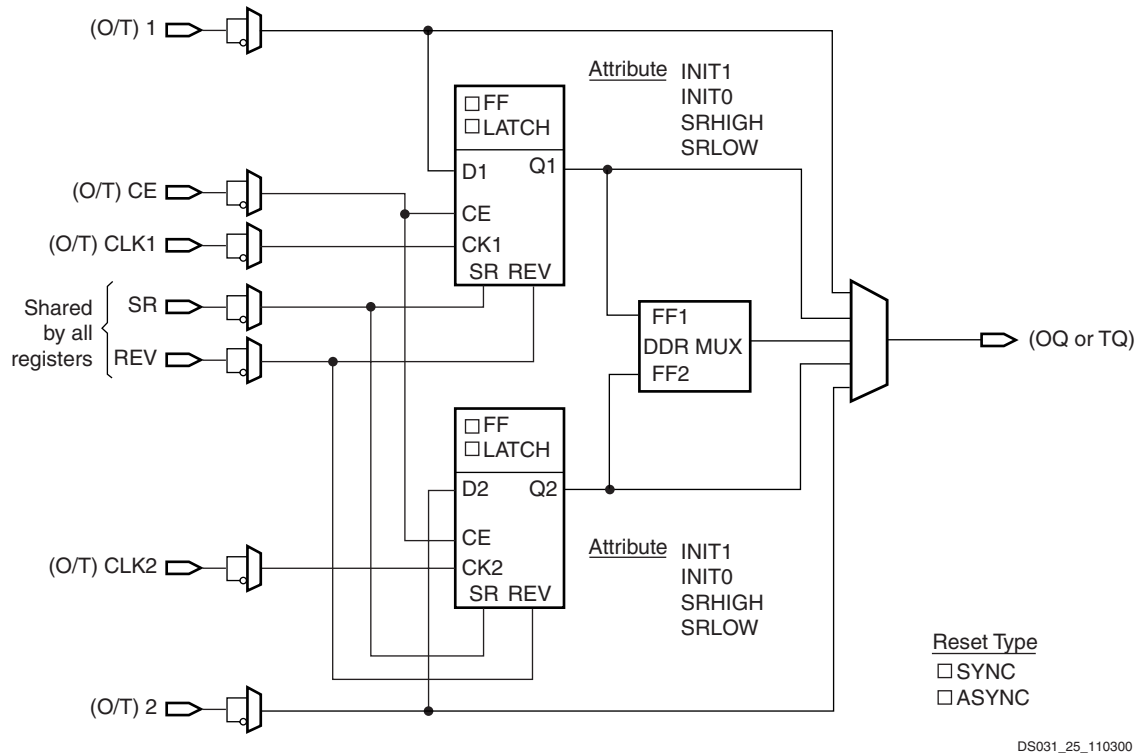


Figure 12: Register / Latch Configuration in an IOB Block

### Input/Output Individual Options

Each device pad has optional pull-up/pull-down resistors and weak-keeper circuit in the LVCMOS SelectIO-Ultra configuration, as illustrated in [Figure 13](#). Values of the optional pull-up and pull-down resistors fall within a range of 40 K $\Omega$  to 120 K $\Omega$  when  $V_{CCO} = 2.5V$  (from 2.38V to 2.63V only). The clamp diode is always present, even when power is not.

The optional weak-keeper circuit is connected to each output. When selected, the circuit monitors the voltage on the pad and weakly drives the pin High or Low. If the pin is connected to a multiple-source signal, the weak-keeper holds the signal in its last state if all drivers are disabled. Maintaining a valid logic level in this way eliminates bus chatter. An enabled pull-up or pull-down overrides the weak-keeper circuit.

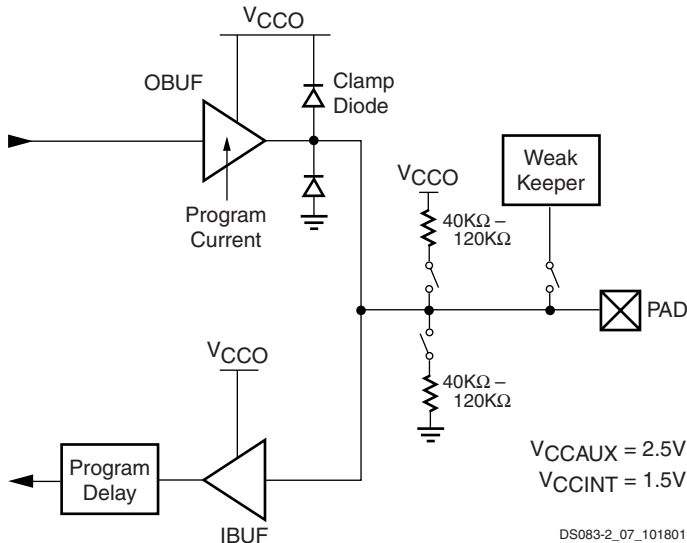


Figure 13: LVCMOS SelectIO-Ultra Standard

LVC MOS25 sinks and sources current up to 24 mA. The current is programmable (see Table 6). Drive strength and slew rate controls for each output driver minimize bus tran-

sients. For LVDCI and LVDCI\_DV2 standards, drive strength and slew rate controls are not available.

Table 6: LVC MOS Programmable Currents (Sink and Source)

SelectIO-Ultra	Programmable Current (Worst-Case Guaranteed Minimum)						
LVC MOS25	2 mA	4 mA	6 mA	8 mA	12 mA	16 mA	24 mA
LVC MOS18	2 mA	4 mA	6 mA	8 mA	12 mA	16 mA	n/a
LVC MOS15	2 mA	4 mA	6 mA	8 mA	12 mA	16 mA	n/a

Figure 14 shows the SSTL2, SSTL18, and HSTL configurations. HSTL can sink current up to 48 mA. (HSTL IV)

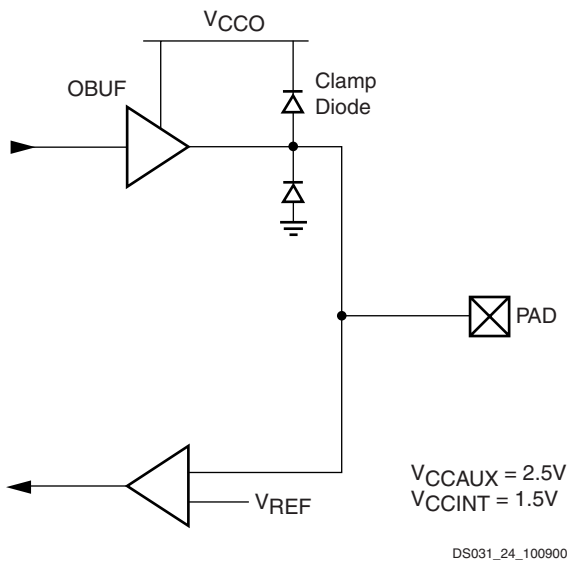


Figure 14: SSTL or HSTL SelectIO-Ultra Standards

All pads are protected against damage from electrostatic discharge (ESD) and from over-voltage transients. Virtex-II Pro uses two memory cells to control the configuration of an I/O as an input. This is to reduce the probability of an I/O configured as an input from flipping to an output when subjected to a single event upset (SEU) in space applications.

Prior to configuration, all outputs not involved in configuration are forced into their high-impedance state. The pull-down resistors and the weak-keeper circuits are inactive. The dedicated pin HSWAP\_EN controls the pull-up resistors prior to configuration. By default, HSWAP\_EN is set High, which disables the pull-up resistors on user I/O pins. When HSWAP\_EN is set Low, the pull-up resistors are activated on user I/O pins.

All Virtex-II Pro IOBs (except RocketIO transceiver pins) support IEEE 1149.1 and IEEE 1532 compatible boundary scan testing.

## Input Path

The Virtex-II Pro IOB input path routes input signals directly to internal logic and / or through an optional input flip-flop or latch, or through the DDR input registers. An optional delay element at the D-input of the storage element eliminates pad-to-pad hold time. The delay is matched to the internal clock-distribution delay of the Virtex-II Pro device, and when used, assures that the pad-to-pad hold time is zero.

Each input buffer can be configured to conform to any of the low-voltage signaling standards supported. In some of these standards the input buffer utilizes a user-supplied threshold voltage,  $V_{REF}$ . The need to supply  $V_{REF}$  imposes constraints on which standards can be used in the same bank. See I/O banking description.

## Output Path

The output path includes a 3-state output buffer that drives the output signal onto the pad. The output and / or the 3-state signal can be routed to the buffer directly from the internal logic or through an output / 3-state flip-flop or latch, or through the DDR output / 3-state registers.

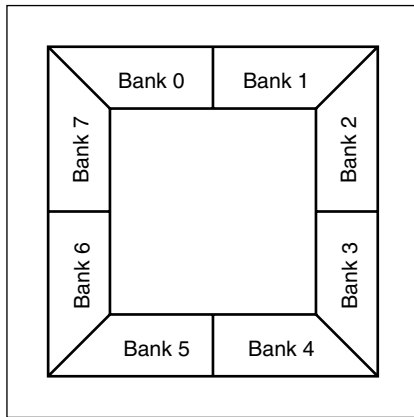
Each output driver can be individually programmed for a wide range of low-voltage signaling standards. In most signaling standards, the output High voltage depends on an externally supplied  $V_{CCO}$  voltage. The need to supply  $V_{CCO}$  imposes constraints on which standards can be used in the same bank. See I/O banking description.

## I/O Banking

Some of the I/O standards described above require  $V_{CCO}$  and  $V_{REF}$  voltages. These voltages are externally supplied and connected to device pins that serve groups of IOB blocks, called banks. Consequently, restrictions exist about which I/O standards can be combined within a given bank.

Eight I/O banks result from dividing each edge of the FPGA into two banks, as shown in Figure 15 and Figure 16. Each bank has multiple  $V_{CCO}$  pins, all of which must be connected to the same voltage. This voltage is determined by the output standards in use.

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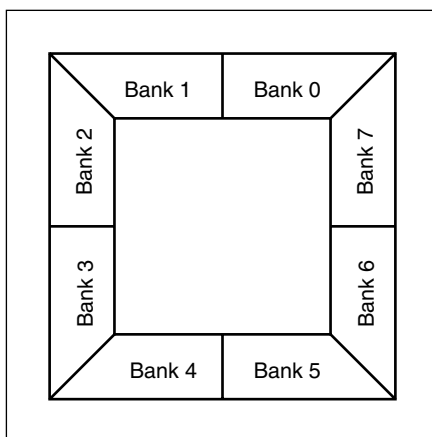


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**Figure 15: Virtex-II Pro I/O Banks: Top View for Wire-Bond Packages (CS, FG, and BG)**

Within a bank, output standards can be mixed only if they use the same  $V_{CCO}$ . Compatible standards are shown in [Table 7](#). GTL and GTLP appear under all voltages because their open-drain outputs do not depend on  $V_{CCO}$ .

Some input standards require a user-supplied threshold voltage,  $V_{REF}$ . In this case, certain user-I/O pins are automatically configured as inputs for the  $V_{REF}$  voltage. Approximately one in six of the I/O pins in the bank assume this role. [Table 8](#) lists compatible input standards.



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**Figure 16: Virtex-II Pro I/O Banks: Top View for Flip-Chip Packages (FF and BF)**

$V_{REF}$  pins within a bank are interconnected internally, and consequently only one  $V_{REF}$  voltage can be used within each bank. However, for correct operation, all  $V_{REF}$  pins in the bank must be connected to the external reference voltage source.

The  $V_{CCO}$  and the  $V_{REF}$  pins for each bank appear in the device pinout tables. Within a given package, the number of  $V_{REF}$  and  $V_{CCO}$  pins can vary depending on the size of device. In larger devices, more I/O pins convert to  $V_{REF}$  pins. Since these are always a superset of the  $V_{REF}$  pins used for smaller devices, it is possible to design a PCB that permits migration to a larger device if necessary.

**Table 7: Compatible Output Standards**

$V_{CCO}$	Compatible Standards
3.3V	PCI <sup>(1)</sup> , LVDCI_33 <sup>(2)</sup>
2.5V	SSTL2 (I & II), LVCMOS25, GTL, GTLP, LVDS_25, LVDSEXT_25, LVDS_25_DCI, LVDSEXT_25_DCI, LVDCI_25, LVDCI_DV2_25, SSTL2_DCI (I & II), LDT, ULVDS, BLVDS, LVPECL_25
1.8V	HSTL (I, II, III, & IV), HSTL_DCI (I,II, III & IV), LVCMOS18, GTL, GTLP, LVDCI_18, LVDCI_DV2_18, SSTL18_I, SSTL18_II, SSTL18_I_DCI, SSTL18_II_DCI
1.5V	HSTL (I, II, III, & IV), HSTL_DCI (I,II, III & IV), LVCMOS15, GTL, GTLP, LVDCI_15, LVDCI_DV2_15, GTLP_DCI
1.2V	GTL_DCI

**Notes:**

1. See application notes [XAPP646](#) and [XAPP653](#) for detailed information.
2. Perfect impedance matching is required for this standard.

All  $V_{REF}$  pins for the largest device anticipated must be connected to the  $V_{REF}$  voltage and not used for I/O. In smaller devices, some  $V_{CCO}$  pins used in larger devices do not connect within the package. These unconnected pins can be left unconnected externally, or, if necessary, they can be connected to the  $V_{CCO}$  voltage to permit migration to a larger device.



Table 8: Compatible Input Standards

V <sub>REF</sub>	V <sub>CCO</sub>				
	3.3V	2.5V	1.8V	1.5V	1.2V
No V <sub>REF</sub>	LVDCI_33, PCI33_3, PCI66_3, LVDS_25, LVDSEXT_25, LDT, BLVDS, ULVDS_25 <sup>2</sup>	LVC MOS25, LVDCI_25, LVDCI_DV2_25, LVDS_25, LVDSEXT_25, LVPECL_25, LVDS_25_DCI, LVDSEXT_25_DCI, LDT, BLVDS, ULVDS_25	LVC MOS18, LVDCI_18, LVDCI_DV2_18, LVDS_25, LDT, ULVDS_25	LVC MOS15, LVDCI_15, LVDCI_DV2_15, LDT, ULVDS_25	
1.5V	LVDCI_33, PCI33_3, PCI66_3, LVDS_25, LVDSEXT_25, LDT, BLVDS, ULVDS_25, SSTL3_I_DCI, SSTL3_II_DCI	LVC MOS25, LVDCI_25, LVDCI_DV2_25, LVDS_25, LVDSEXT_25, LVPECL_25, LVDS_25_DCI, LVDSEXT_25_DCI, LDT, BLVDS, ULVDS_25	LVC MOS18, LVDCI_18, LVDCI_DV2_18, LVDS_25, LDT, ULVDS_25	LVC MOS15, LVDCI_15, LVDCI_DV2_15, LDT, ULVDS_25	
1.32V	LVDCI_33, PCI33_3, PCI66_3, LVDS_25, LVDSEXT_25, LDT, BLVDS, ULVDS_25	LVC MOS25, LVDCI_25, LVDCI_DV2_25, LVDS_25, LVDSEXT_25, LVPECL_25, LVDS_25_DCI, LVDSEXT_25_DCI, LDT, BLVDS, ULVDS_25	LVC MOS18, LVDCI_18, LVDCI_DV2_18, LVDS_25, LDT, ULVDS_25	LVC MOS15, LVDCI_15, LVDCI_DV2_15, LDT, ULVDS_25	
1.25V	LVDCI_33, PCI33_3, PCI66_3, LVDS_25, LVDSEXT_25, LDT, BLVDS, ULVDS_25	LVC MOS25, LVDCI_25, LVDCI_DV2_25, LVDS_25, LVDSEXT_25, LVPECL_25, LVDS_25_DCI, LVDSEXT_25_DCI, LDT, BLVDS, ULVDS_25, SSTL2_I_DCI, SSTL2_II_DCI	LVC MOS18, LVDCI_18, LVDCI_DV2_18, LVDS_25, LDT, ULVDS_25	LVC MOS15, LVDCI_15, LVDCI_DV2_15, LDT, ULVDS_25	
	SSTL2_I, SSTL2_II	SSTL2_I, SSTL2_II			
1.0V	LVDCI_33, PCI33_3, PCI66_3, LVDS_25, LVDSEXT_25, LDT, BLVDS, ULVDS_25	LVC MOS25, LVDCI_25, LVDCI_DV2_25, LVDS_25, LVDSEXT_25, LVPECL_25, LVDS_25_DCI, LVDSEXT_25_DCI, LDT, BLVDS, ULVDS_25	LVC MOS18, LVDCI_18, LVDCI_DV2_18, LVDS_25, LDT, ULVDS_25	LVC MOS15, LVDCI_15, LVDCI_DV2_15, GTLP_DCI, LDT, ULVDS_25	
	GTLP	GTLP	GTLP	GTLP	GTLP
0.9V	LVDCI_33, PCI33_3, PCI66_3, LVDS_25, LVDSEXT_25, LDT, BLVDS, ULVDS_25	LVC MOS25, LVDCI_25, LVDCI_DV2_25, LVDS_25, LVDSEXT_25, LVPECL_25, LVDS_25_DCI, LVDSEXT_25_DCI, LDT, BLVDS, ULVDS_25	LVC MOS18, LVDCI_18, LVDCI_DV2_18, LVDS_25, LDT, ULVDS_25, SSTL18_I, SSTL18_II, SSTL18_I_DCI, SSTL18_II_DCI	LVC MOS15, LVDCI_15, LVDCI_DV2_15, LDT, ULVDS_25, SSTL18_III_DCI, HSTL_IV_DCI	
	HSTL_III, HSTL_IV	HSTL_III, HSTL_IV	HSTL_III, HSTL_IV	HSTL_III, HSTL_IV	
0.8V	LVDCI_33, PCI33_3, PCI66_3, LVDS_25, LVDSEXT_25, LDT, BLVDS, ULVDS_25	LVC MOS25, LVDCI_25, LVDCI_DV2_25, LVDS_25, LVDSEXT_25, LVPECL_25, LVDS_25_DCI, LVDSEXT_25_DCI, LDT, BLVDS, ULVDS_25	LVC MOS18, LVDCI_18, LVDCI_DV2_18, LVDS_25, LDT, ULVDS_25	LVC MOS15, LVDCI_15, LVDCI_DV2_15, LDT, ULVDS_25	GTL_DCI
	GTL	GTL	GTL	GTL	GTL
0.75V	LVDCI_33, PCI33_3, PCI66_3, LVDS_25, LVDSEXT_25, LDT, BLVDS, ULVDS_25	LVC MOS25, LVDCI_25, LVDCI_DV2_25, LVDS_25, LVDSEXT_25, LVPECL_25, LVDS_25_DCI, LVDSEXT_25_DCI, LDT, BLVDS, ULVDS_25	LVC MOS18, LVDCI_18, LVDCI_DV2_18, LVDS_25, LDT, ULVDS_25	LVC MOS15, LVDCI_15, LVDCI_DV2_15, LDT, ULVDS_25, HSTL_I_DCI, HSTL_II_DCI	
	HSTL_I, HSTL_II	HSTL_I, HSTL_II	HSTL_I, HSTL_II	HSTL_I, HSTL_II	

**Notes:**

- Inputs that are V<sub>REF</sub> controlled are completely independent of those that are V<sub>CCO</sub> controlled. Therefore, V<sub>REF</sub> controlled inputs can also be placed in banks with inputs and outputs of different voltages that are V<sub>CCO</sub> controlled.
- All non-DCI differential inputs are V<sub>CCAUX</sub> controlled. This makes them (Inputs Only) very flexible in terms of banking rules.
- It is important to ensure that the input DC levels are within V<sub>CCO</sub> + 0.5V, because all user I/Os have clamp diodes connected to V<sub>CCO</sub>.

## Digitally Controlled Impedance (DCI)

Today's chip output signals with fast edge rates require termination to prevent reflections and maintain signal integrity. High pin count packages (especially ball grid arrays) can not accommodate external termination resistors.

Virtex-II Pro XCITE DCI provides controlled impedance drivers and on-chip termination for single-ended I/Os. This eliminates the need for external resistors, and improves signal integrity. The DCI feature can be used on any IOB by selecting one of the DCI I/O standards.

When applied to inputs, DCI provides input parallel termination. When applied to outputs, DCI provides controlled impedance drivers (series termination) or output parallel termination.

DCI operates independently on each I/O bank. When a DCI I/O standard is used in a particular I/O bank, external reference resistors must be connected to two dual-function pins on the bank. These resistors, voltage reference of N transistor (VRN) and the voltage reference of P transistor (VRP) are shown in [Figure 17](#).

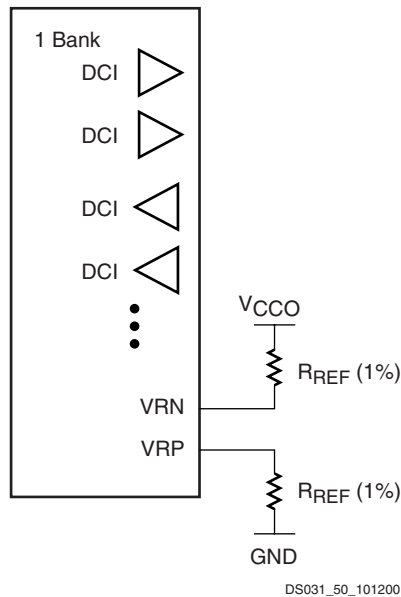


Figure 17: DCI in a Virtex-II Pro Bank

When used with a terminated I/O standard, the value of the resistors are specified by the standard (typically 50Ω). When used with a controlled impedance driver, the resistors set the output impedance of the driver within the specified range (20Ω to 100Ω). For all series and parallel terminations listed in [Table 9](#) and [Table 10](#), the reference resistors must have the same value for any given bank. One percent resistors are recommended.

The DCI system adjusts the I/O impedance to match the two external reference resistors, or half of the reference resistors, and compensates for impedance changes due to voltage and/or temperature fluctuations. The adjustment is done by turning parallel transistors in the IOB on or off.

## Controlled Impedance Drivers (Series Termination)

DCI can be used to provide a buffer with a controlled output impedance. It is desirable for this output impedance to match the transmission line impedance ( $Z_0$ ). Virtex-II Pro input buffers also support LVDCI and LVDCI\_DV2 I/O standards.

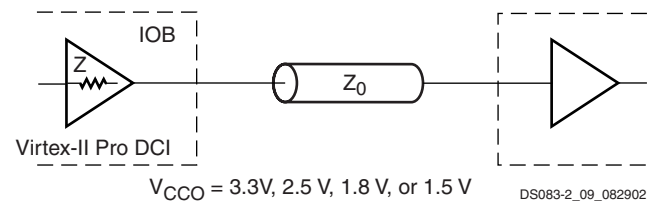


Figure 18: Internal Series Termination

Table 9: SelectIO-Ultra Controlled Impedance Buffers

V <sub>CCO</sub>	DCI	DCI Half Impedance
3.3V	LVDCI_33	N/A
2.5V	LVDCI_25	LVDCI_DV2_25
1.8V	LVDCI_18	LVDCI_DV2_18
1.5V	LVDCI_15	LVDCI_DV2_15

## Controlled Impedance Terminations (Parallel Termination)

DCI also provides on-chip termination for SSTL2, SSTL18, HSTL (Class I, II, III, or IV), LVDS\_25, LVDS\_EXT\_25, and GTL/GTLP receivers or transmitters on bidirectional lines. [Table 10](#) and [Table 11](#) list the on-chip parallel terminations available in Virtex-II Pro devices. V<sub>CCO</sub> must be set according to [Table 5](#). Note that there is a V<sub>CCO</sub> requirement for GTL\_DCI and GTLP\_DCI, due to the on-chip termination resistor.

Table 10: SelectIO-Ultra Buffers With On-Chip Parallel Termination

I/O Standard	External Termination	On-Chip Termination
SSTL2 Class I	SSTL2_I	SSTL2_I_DCI <sup>(1)</sup>
SSTL2 Class II	SSTL2_II	SSTL2_II_DCI <sup>(1)</sup>
SSTL18 Class I	SSTL18_I	SSTL18_I_DCI
SSTL18 Class II	SSTL18_II	SSTL18_II_DCI
HSTL Class I	HSTL_I	HSTL_I_DCI
	HSTL_I_18	HSTL_I_DCI_18
HSTL Class II	HSTL_II	HSTL_II_DCI
	HSTL_II_18	HSTL_II_DCI_18
HSTL Class III	HSTL_III	HSTL_III_DCI
	HSTL_III_18	HSTL_III_DCI_18
HSTL Class IV	HSTL_IV	HSTL_IV_DCI
	HSTL_IV_18	HSTL_IV_DCI_18
GTL	GTL	GTL_DCI
GTLP	GTLP	GTLP_DCI

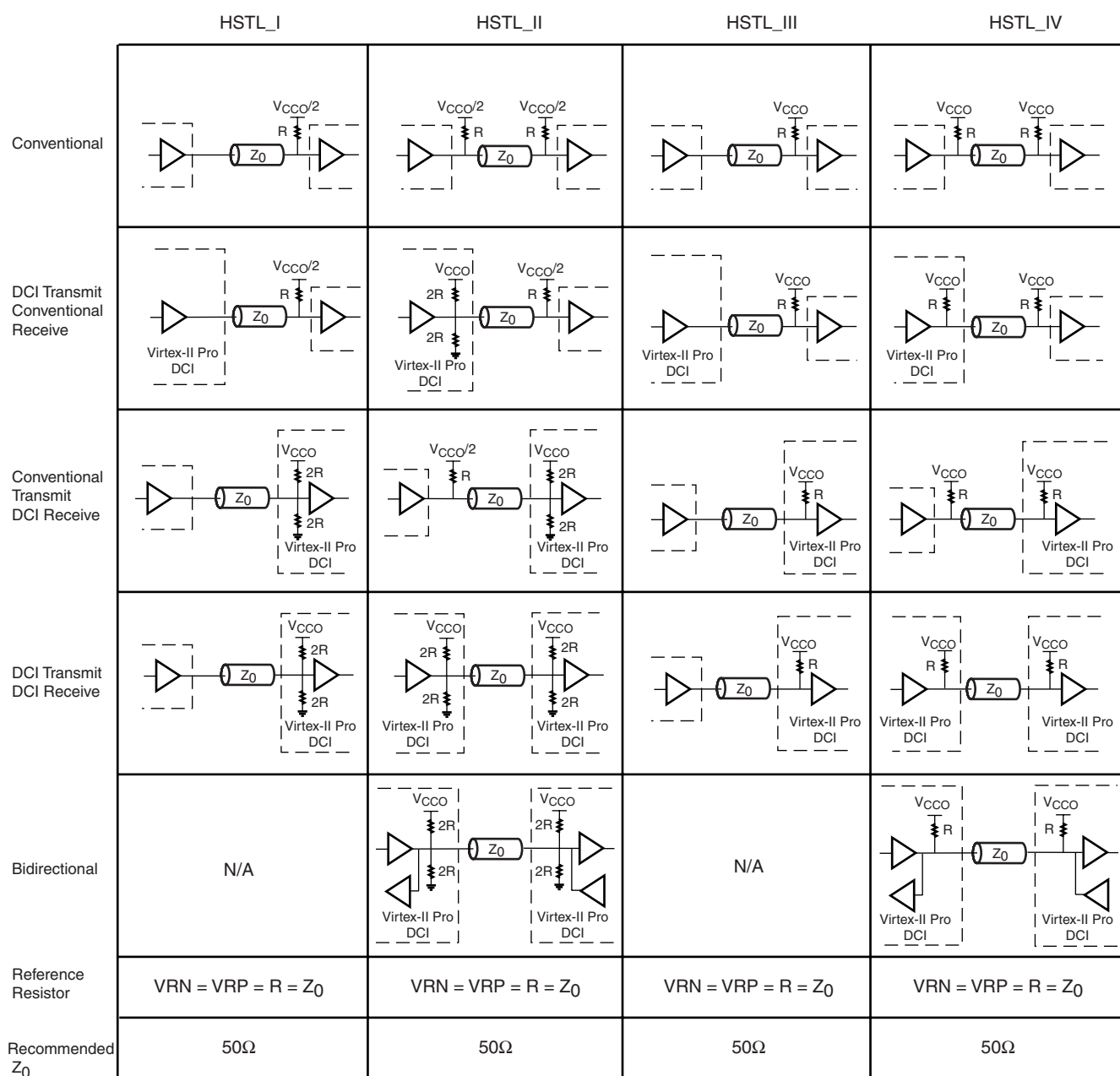
### Notes:

1. SSTL Compatible

Table 11: SelectIO-Ultra Differential Buffers With On-Chip Termination

I/O Standard	External Termination	On-Chip Termination
LVDS	LVDS_25	LVDS_25_DCI
LVDS_25	LVDS_25	LVDS_25_DCI
LVDS_25_DCI	LVDS_25	LVDS_25_DCI

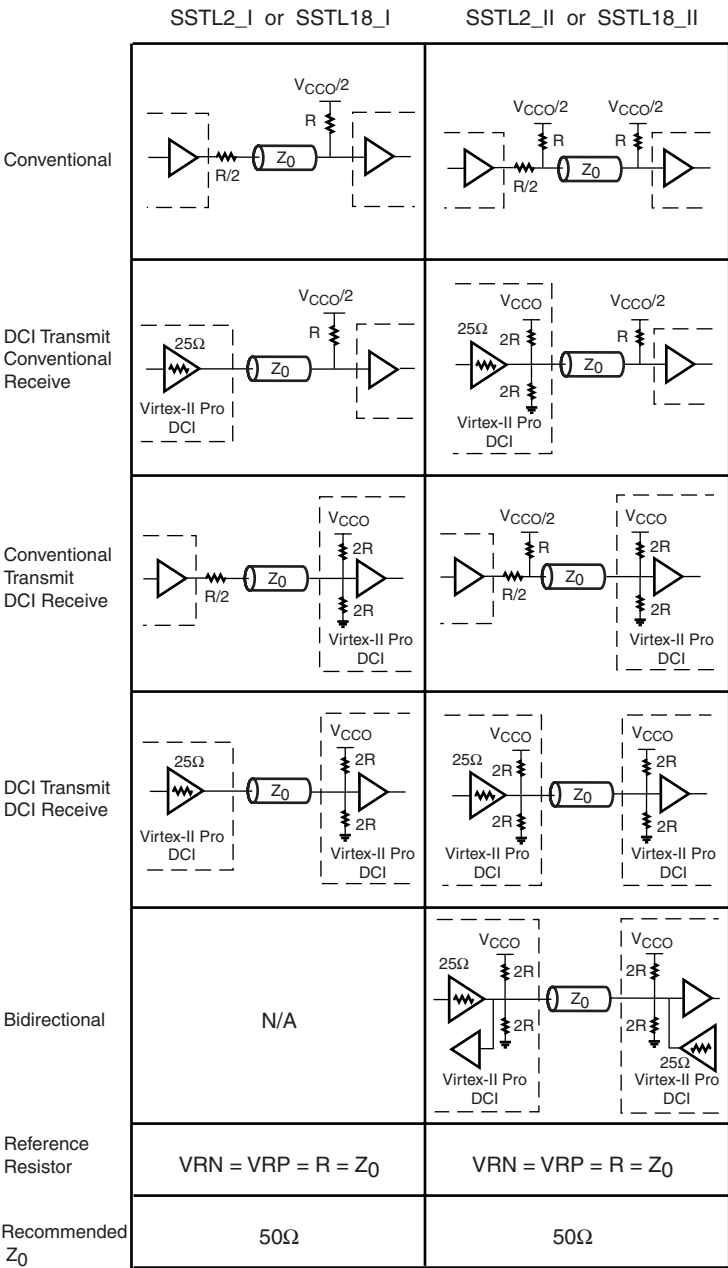
Figure 19 provides examples illustrating the use of the HSTL\_I\_DCI, HSTL\_II\_DCI, HSTL\_III\_DCI, and HSTL\_IV\_DCI I/O standards. For a complete list, see the [Virtex-II Pro User Guide](#).



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Figure 19: HSTL DCI Usage Examples

Figure 20 provides examples illustrating the use of the SSTL2\_I\_DCI, SSTL2\_II\_DCI, SSTL18\_I\_DCI, and SSTL18\_II\_DCI I/O standards. For a complete list, see the Virtex-II Pro User Guide.



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Figure 20: SSTL DCI Usage Examples

Figure 21 provides examples illustrating the use of the LVDS\_25\_DCI and LVDSEXT\_25\_DCI I/O standards. For a complete list, see the Virtex-II Pro User Guide.

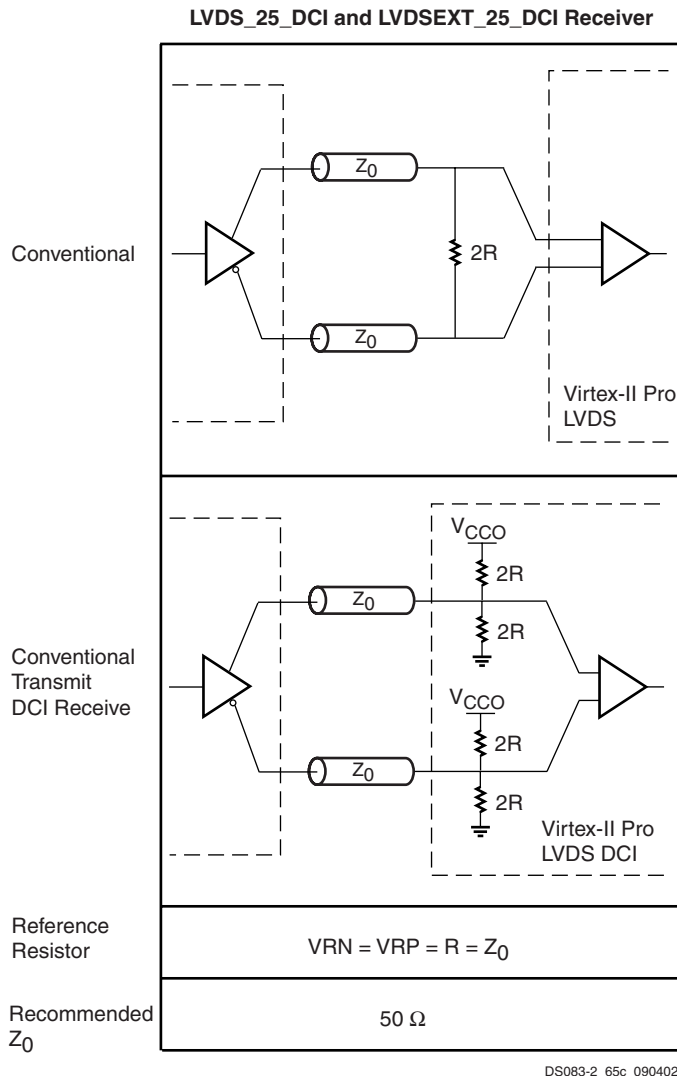


Figure 21: LVDS DCI Usage Examples

## Configurable Logic Blocks (CLBs)

The Virtex-II Pro configurable logic blocks (CLB) are organized in an array and are used to build combinatorial and synchronous logic designs. Each CLB element is tied to a switch matrix to access the general routing matrix, as shown in Figure 22.

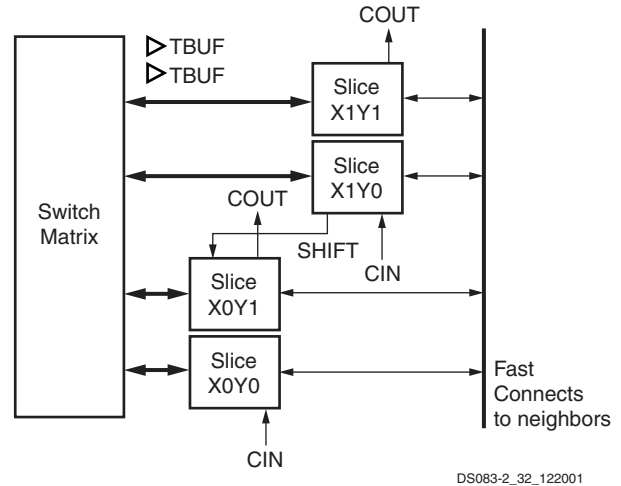


Figure 22: Virtex-II Pro CLB Element

A CLB element comprises 4 similar slices, with fast local feedback within the CLB. The four slices are split in two columns of two slices with two independent carry logic chains and one common shift chain.

### Slice Description

Each slice includes two 4-input function generators, carry logic, arithmetic logic gates, wide function multiplexers and two storage elements. As shown in Figure 23, each 4-input function generator is programmable as a 4-input LUT, 16 bits of distributed SelectRAM+ memory, or a 16-bit variable-tap shift register element.

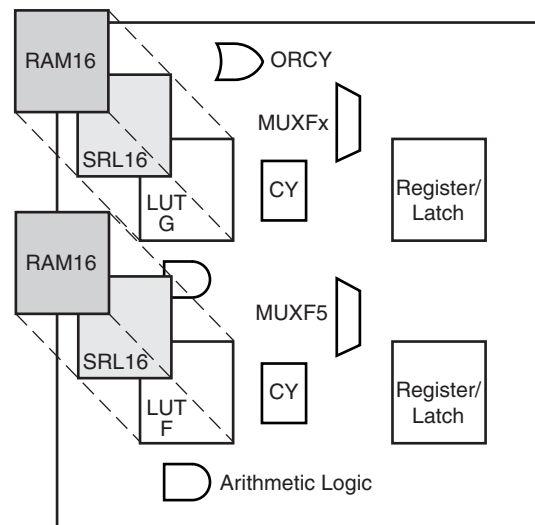
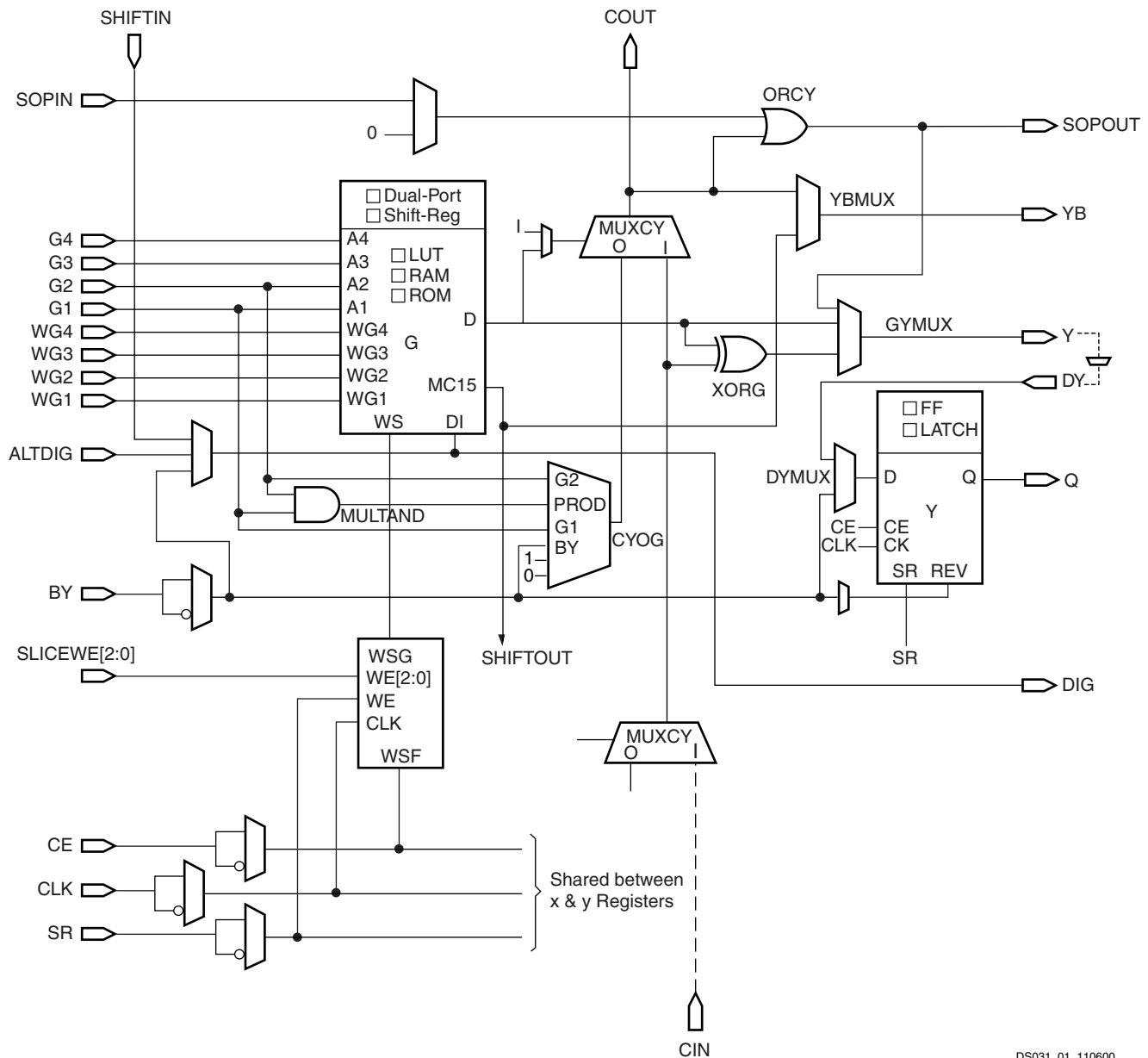


Figure 23: Virtex-II Pro Slice Configuration

The output from the function generator in each slice drives both the slice output and the D input of the storage element. **Figure 24** shows a more detailed view of a single slice.



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Figure 24: Virtex-II Pro Slice (Top Half)

## Configurations

### Look-Up Table

Virtex-II Pro function generators are implemented as 4-input look-up tables (LUTs). Four independent inputs are provided to each of the two function generators in a slice (F and G). These function generators are each capable of implementing any arbitrarily defined boolean function of four inputs. The propagation delay is therefore independent of the function implemented. Signals from the function generators can exit the slice (X or Y output), can input the XOR dedicated gate (see arithmetic logic), or input the carry-logic multiplexer (see fast look-ahead carry logic), or feed the D

input of the storage element, or go to the MUXF5 (not shown in **Figure 24**).

In addition to the basic LUTs, the Virtex-II Pro slice contains logic (MUXF5 and MUXFX multiplexers) that combines function generators to provide any function of five, six, seven, or eight inputs. The MUXFX is either MUXF6, MUXF7, or MUXF8 according to the slice considered in the CLB. Selected functions up to nine inputs (MUXF5 multiplexer) can be implemented in one slice. The MUXFX can also be a MUXF6, MUXF7, or MUXF8 multiplexer to map any function of six, seven, or eight inputs and selected wide logic functions.

## Register/Latch

The storage elements in a Virtex-II Pro slice can be configured either as edge-triggered D-type flip-flops or as level-sensitive latches. The D input can be directly driven by the X or Y output via the DX or DY input, or by the slice inputs bypassing the function generators via the BX or BY input. The clock enable signal (CE) is active High by default. If left unconnected, the clock enable for that storage element defaults to the active state.

In addition to clock (CK) and clock enable (CE) signals, each slice has set and reset signals (SR and BY slice inputs). SR forces the storage element into the state specified by the attribute SRHIGH or SRLOW. SRHIGH forces a logic 1 when SR is asserted. SRLOW forces a logic 0. When SR is used, an optional second input (BY) forces the storage element into the opposite state via the REV pin. The reset condition is predominant over the set condition. (See [Figure 25.](#))

The initial state after configuration or global initial state is defined by a separate INIT0 and INIT1 attribute. By default, setting the SRLOW attribute sets INIT0, and setting the SRHIGH attribute sets INIT1.

For each slice, set and reset can be set to be synchronous or asynchronous. Virtex-II Pro devices also have the ability to set INIT0 and INIT1 independent of SRHIGH and SRLOW.

The control signals clock (CLK), clock enable (CE) and set/reset (SR) are common to both storage elements in one slice. All of the control signals have independent polarity. Any inverter placed on a control input is automatically absorbed.

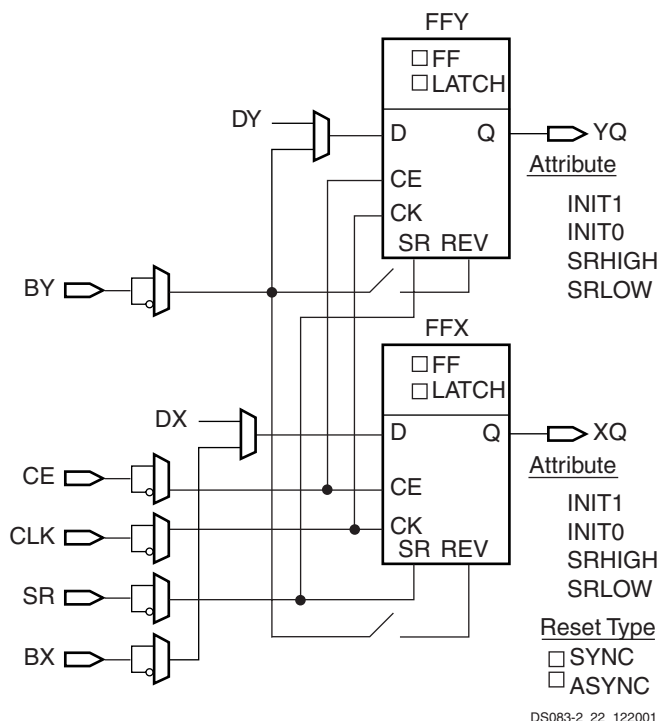


Figure 25: Register / Latch Configuration in a Slice

The set and reset functionality of a register or a latch can be configured as follows:

- No set or reset
- Synchronous set
- Synchronous reset
- Synchronous set and reset
- Asynchronous set (preset)
- Asynchronous reset (clear)
- Asynchronous set and reset (preset and clear)

The synchronous reset has precedence over a set, and an asynchronous clear has precedence over a preset.

## Distributed SelectRAM+ Memory

Each function generator (LUT) can implement a 16 x 1-bit synchronous RAM resource called a distributed SelectRAM+ element. SelectRAM+ elements are configurable within a CLB to implement the following:

- Single-Port 16 x 8-bit RAM
- Single-Port 32 x 4-bit RAM
- Single-Port 64 x 2-bit RAM
- Single-Port 128 x 1-bit RAM
- Dual-Port 16 x 4-bit RAM
- Dual-Port 32 x 2-bit RAM
- Dual-Port 64 x 1-bit RAM

Distributed SelectRAM+ memory modules are synchronous (write) resources. The combinatorial read access time is extremely fast, while the synchronous write simplifies high-speed designs. A synchronous read can be implemented with a storage element in the same slice. The distributed SelectRAM+ memory and the storage element share the same clock input. A Write Enable (WE) input is active High, and is driven by the SR input.

[Table 12](#) shows the number of LUTs (2 per slice) occupied by each distributed SelectRAM+ configuration.

Table 12: Distributed SelectRAM+ Configurations

RAM	Number of LUTs
16 x 1S	1
16 x 1D	2
32 x 1S	2
32 x 1D	4
64 x 1S	4
64 x 1D	8
128 x 1S	8

### Notes:

1. S = single-port configuration; D = dual-port configuration

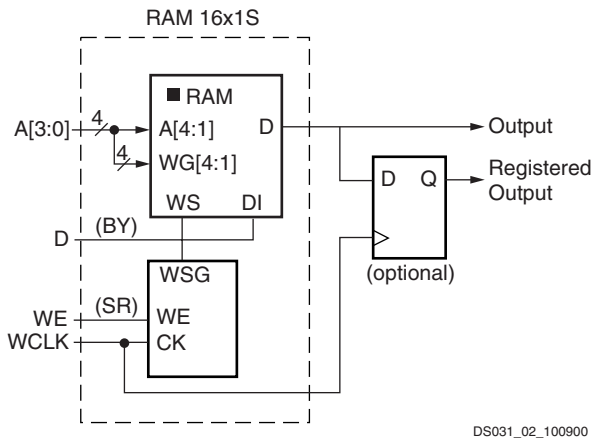


For single-port configurations, distributed SelectRAM+ memory has one address port for synchronous writes and asynchronous reads.

For dual-port configurations, distributed SelectRAM+ memory has one port for synchronous writes and asynchronous reads and another port for asynchronous reads. The function generator (LUT) has separated read address inputs (A1, A2, A3, A4) and write address inputs (WG1/WF1, WG2/WF2, WG3/WF3, WG4/WF4).

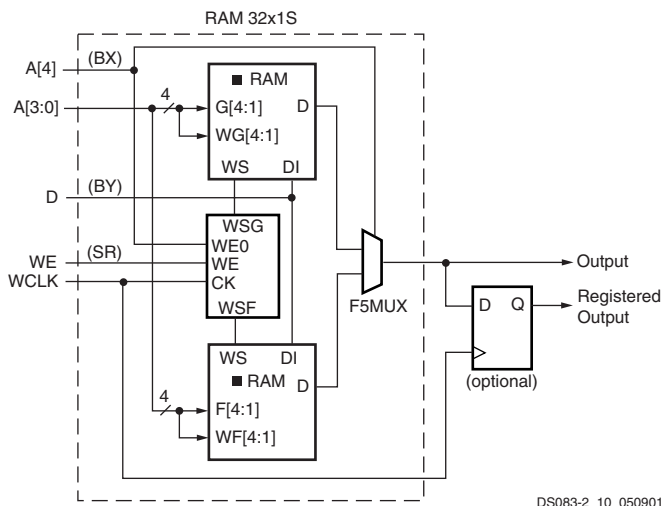
In single-port mode, read and write addresses share the same address bus. In dual-port mode, one function generator (R/W port) is connected with shared read and write addresses. The second function generator has the A inputs (read) connected to the second read-only port address and the W inputs (write) shared with the first read/write port address.

Figure 26, Figure 27, and Figure 28 illustrate various example configurations.



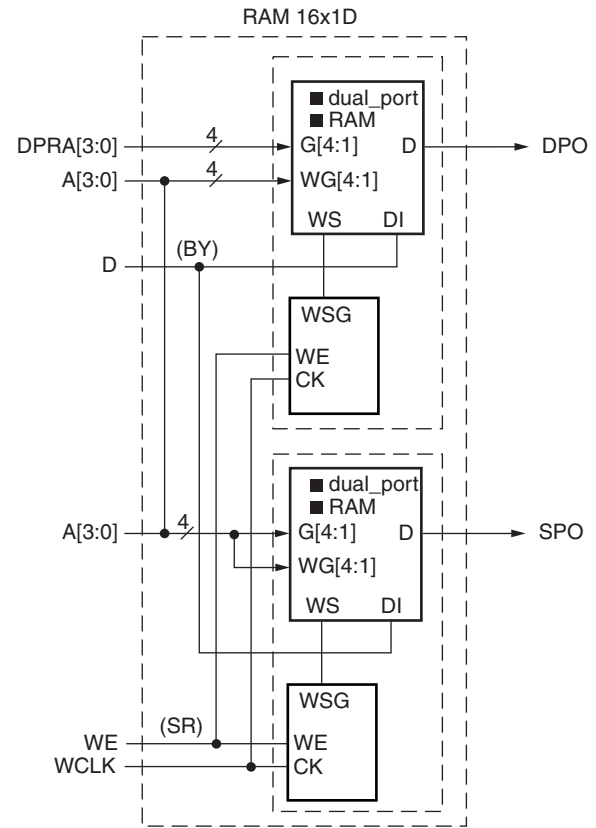
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Figure 26: Distributed SelectRAM+ (RAM16x1S)



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Figure 27: Single-Port Distributed SelectRAM+ (RAM32x1S)



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Figure 28: Dual-Port Distributed SelectRAM+ (RAM16x1D)

Similar to the RAM configuration, each function generator (LUT) can implement a 16 x 1-bit ROM. Five configurations are available: ROM16x1, ROM32x1, ROM64x1, ROM128x1, and ROM256x1. The ROM elements are cascable to implement wider or/and deeper ROM. ROM contents are loaded at configuration. Table 13 shows the number of LUTs occupied by each configuration.

Table 13: ROM Configuration

ROM	Number of LUTs
16 x 1	1
32 x 1	2
64 x 1	4
128 x 1	8 (1 CLB)
256 x 1	16 (2 CLBs)



## Shift Registers

Each function generator can also be configured as a 16-bit shift register. The write operation is synchronous with a clock input (CLK) and an optional clock enable, as shown in **Figure 29**. A dynamic read access is performed through the 4-bit address bus, A[3:0]. The configurable 16-bit shift register cannot be set or reset. The read is asynchronous; however, the storage element or flip-flop is available to implement a synchronous read. Any of the 16 bits can be read out asynchronously by varying the address. The storage element should always be used with a constant address. For example, when building an 8-bit shift register and configuring the addresses to point to the 7th bit, the 8th bit can be the flip-flop. The overall system performance is improved by using the superior clock-to-out of the flip-flops.

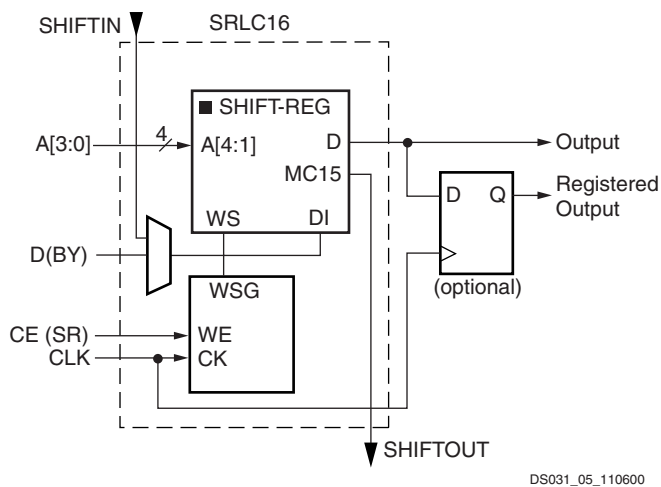


Figure 29: Shift Register Configurations

An additional dedicated connection between shift registers allows connecting the last bit of one shift register to the first bit of the next, without using the ordinary LUT output. (See **Figure 30**.) Longer shift registers can be built with dynamic access to any bit in the chain. The shift register chaining and the MUXF5, MUXF6, and MUXF7 multiplexers allow up to a 128-bit shift register with addressable access to be implemented in one CLB.

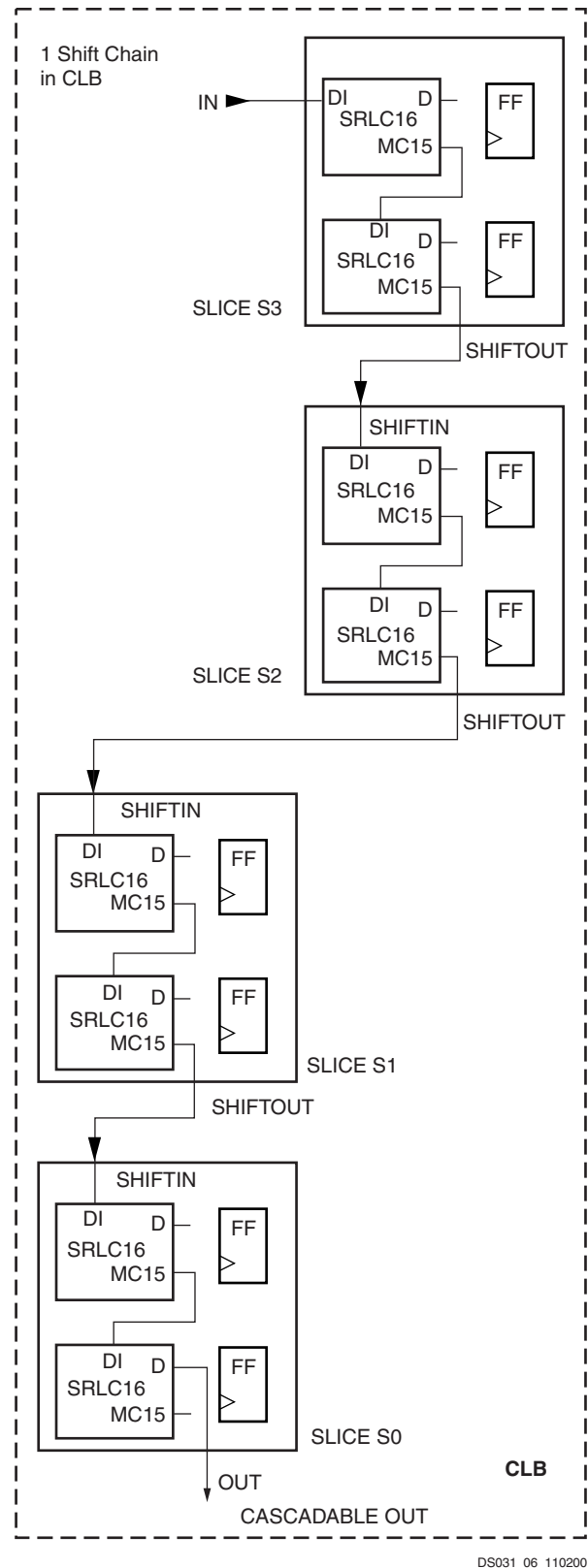


Figure 30: Cascadable Shift Register

## Multiplexers

Virtex-II Pro function generators and associated multiplexers can implement the following:

- 4:1 multiplexer in one slice
- 8:1 multiplexer in two slices
- 16:1 multiplexer in one CLB element (4 slices)
- 32:1 multiplexer in two CLB elements (8 slices)

Each Virtex-II Pro slice has one MUXF5 multiplexer and one MUXFX multiplexer. The MUXFX multiplexer implements the MUXF6, MUXF7, or MUXF8, as shown in **Figure 31**. Each CLB element has two MUXF6 multiplexers, one MUXF7 multiplexer and one MUXF8 multiplexer. Examples of multiplexers are shown in the Virtex-II Pro *User Guide*. Any LUT can implement a 2:1 multiplexer.

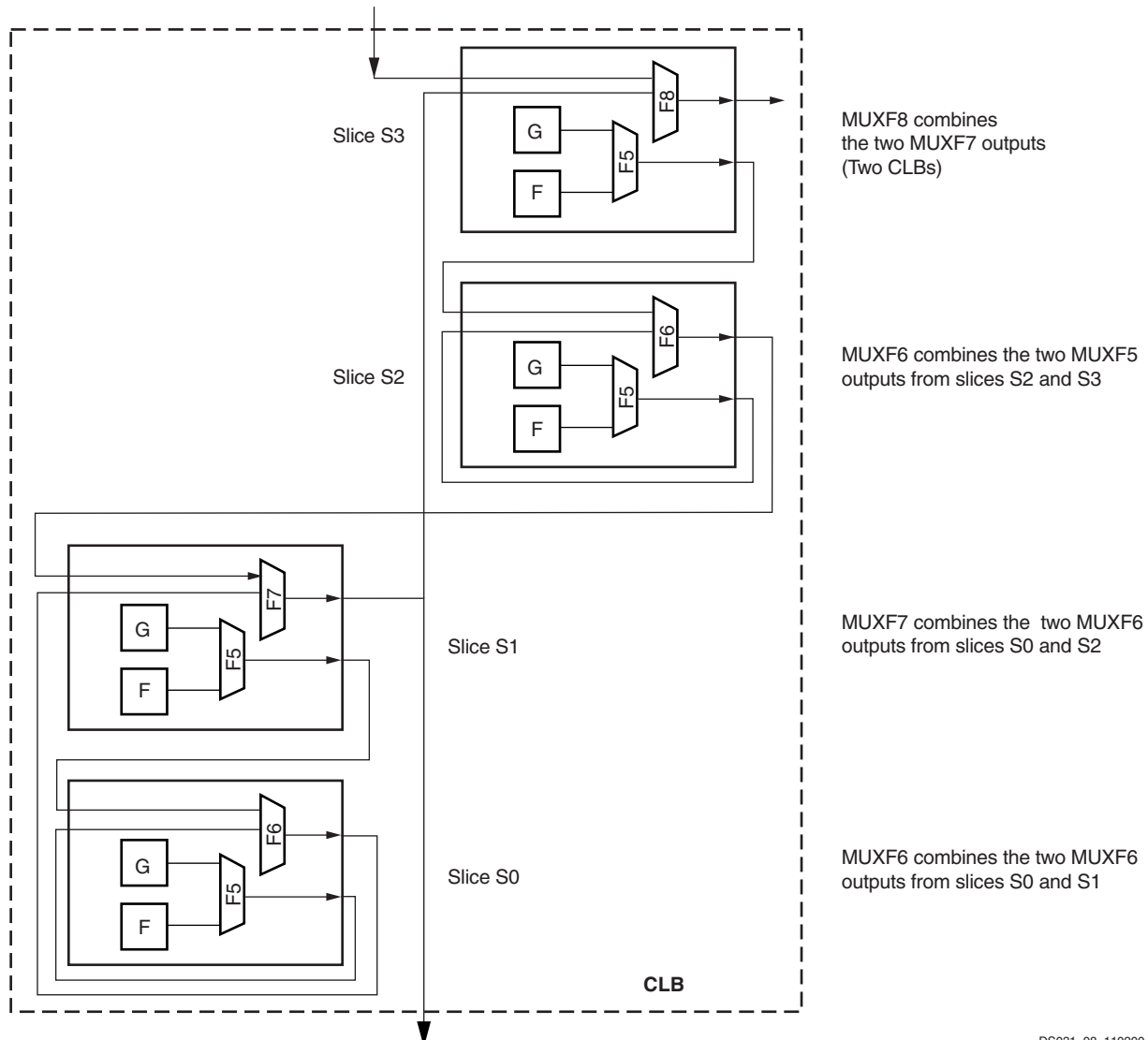


Figure 31: MUXF5 and MUXFX multiplexers

## Fast Lookahead Carry Logic

Dedicated carry logic provides fast arithmetic addition and subtraction. The Virtex-II Pro CLB has two separate carry chains, as shown in the **Figure 32**.

The height of the carry chains is two bits per slice. The carry chain in the Virtex-II Pro device is running upward. The dedicated carry path and carry multiplexer (MUXCY) can also be used to cascade function generators for implementing wide logic functions.

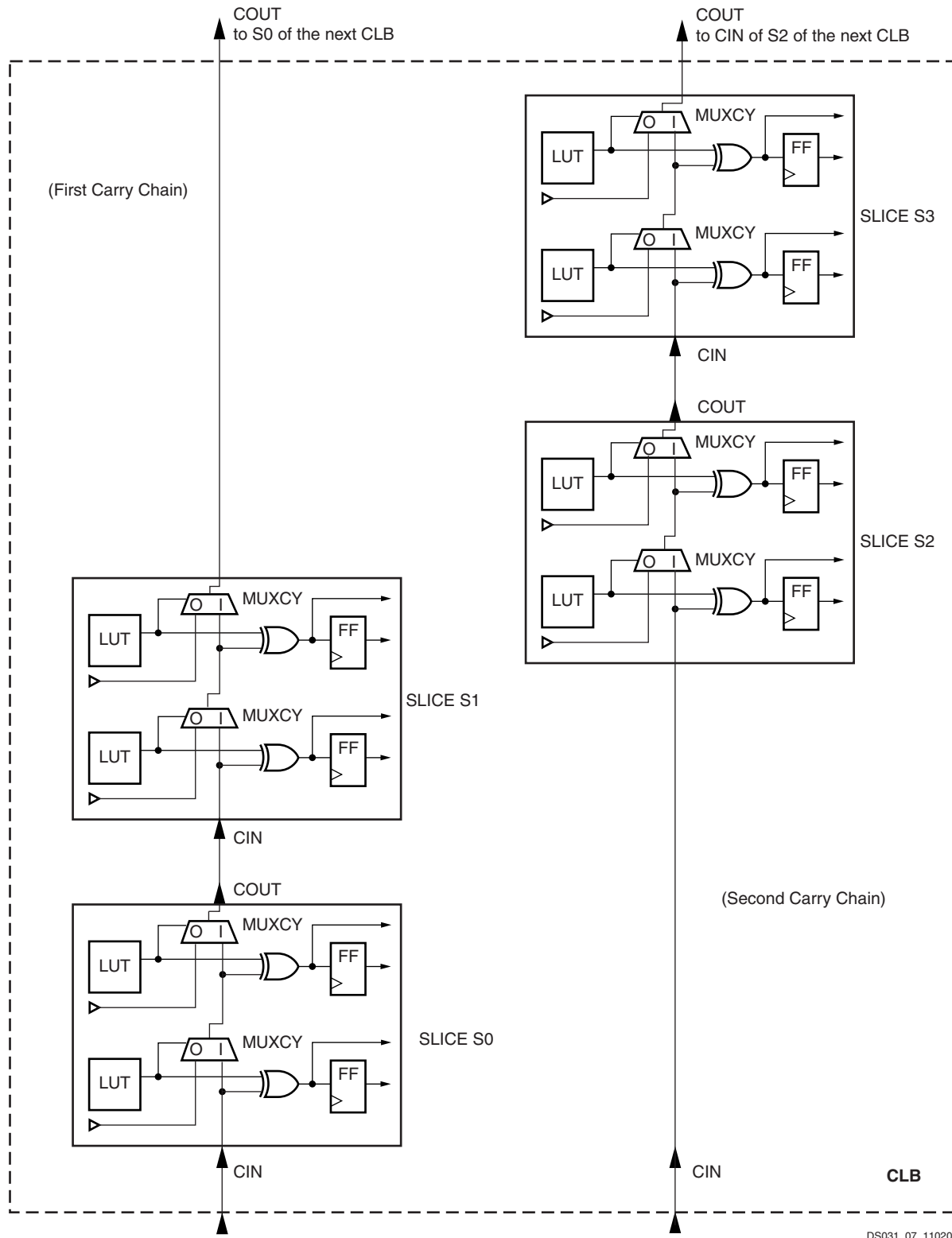


Figure 32: Fast Carry Logic Path

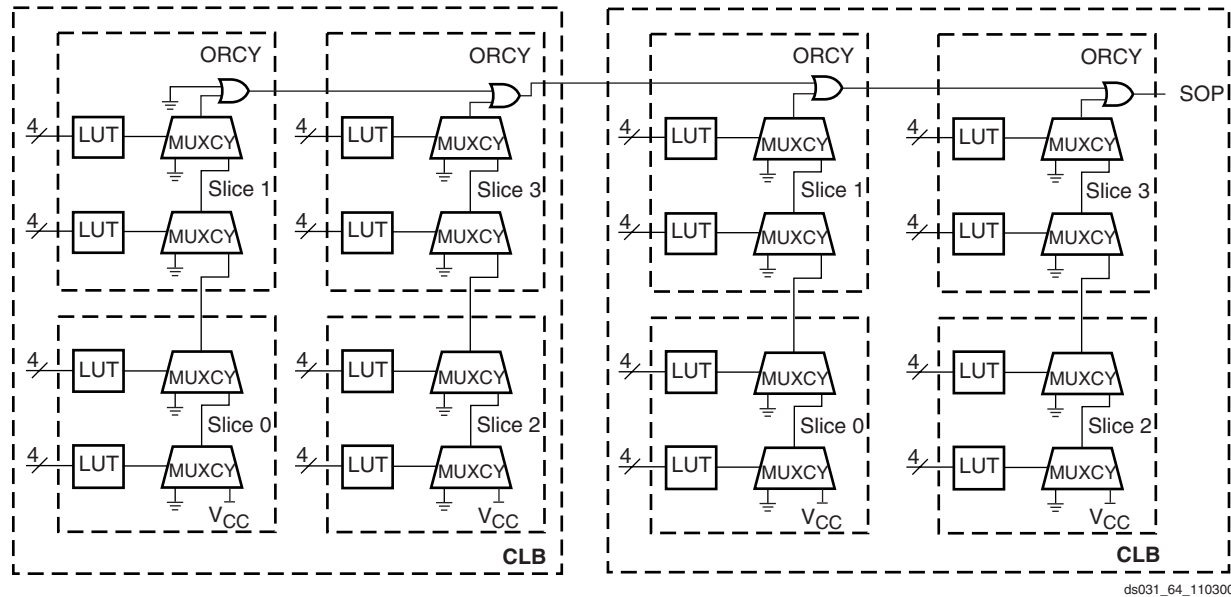
### Arithmetic Logic

The arithmetic logic includes an XOR gate that allows a 2-bit full adder to be implemented within a slice. In addition,

a dedicated AND (MULT\_AND) gate (shown in Figure 24) improves the efficiency of multiplier implementation.

Each Virtex-II Pro slice has a dedicated OR gate named ORCY, ORing together outputs from the slices carryout and the ORCY from an adjacent slice. The ORCY gate with the dedicated Sum of Products (SOP) chain are designed for

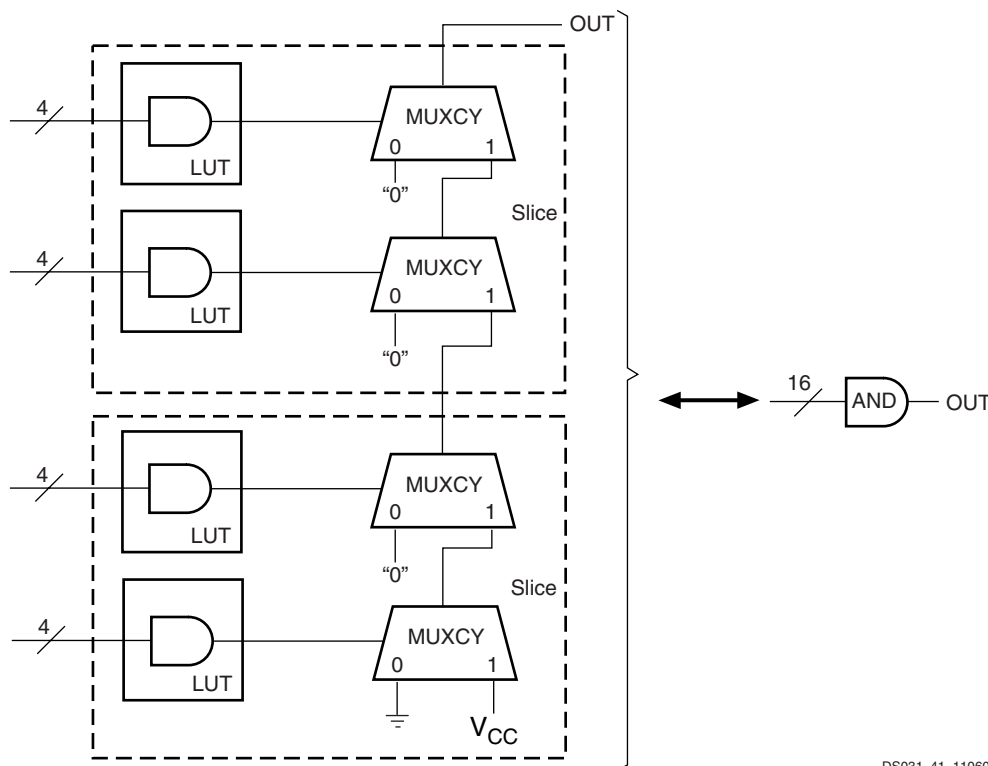
implementing large, flexible SOP chains. One input of each ORCY is connected through the fast SOP chain to the output of the previous ORCY in the same slice row. The second input is connected to the output of the top MUXCY in the same slice, as shown in [Figure 33](#).



**Figure 33: Horizontal Cascade Chain**

LUTs and MUXCYs can implement large AND gates or other combinatorial logic functions. **Figure 34** illustrates

LUT and MUXCY resources configured as a 16-input AND gate.



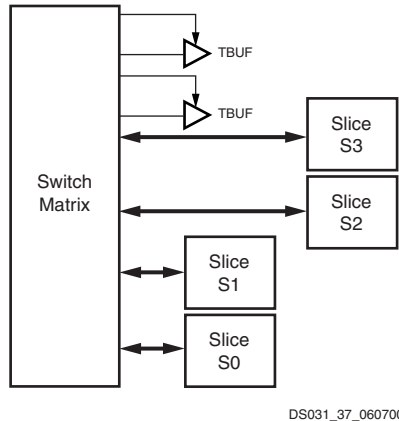
**Figure 34: Wide-Input AND Gate (16 Inputs)**

## 3-State Buffers

### Introduction

Each Virtex-II Pro CLB contains two 3-state drivers (TBUFs) that can drive on-chip buses. Each 3-state buffer has its own 3-state control pin and its own input pin.

Each of the four slices have access to the two 3-state buffers through the switch matrix, as shown in Figure 35. TBUFs in neighboring CLBs can access slice outputs by direct connects. The outputs of the 3-state buffers drive horizontal routing resources used to implement 3-state buses.



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Figure 35: Virtex-II Pro 3-State Buffers

The 3-state buffer logic is implemented using AND-OR logic rather than 3-state drivers, so that timing is more predictable and less load dependant especially with larger devices.

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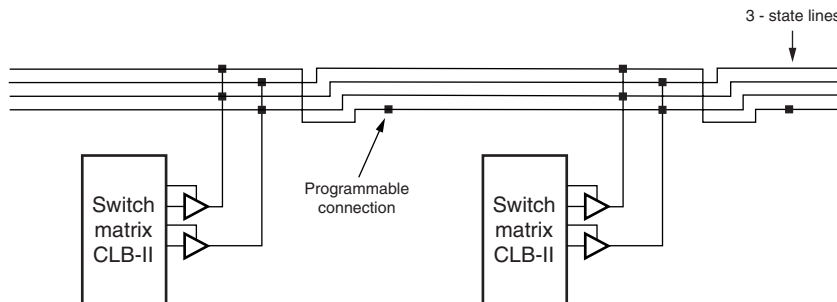
Four horizontal routing resources per CLB are provided for on-chip 3-state buses. Each 3-state buffer has access alternately to two horizontal lines, which can be partitioned as shown in Figure 36. The switch matrices corresponding to SelectRAM+ memory and multiplier or I/O blocks are skipped.

### Number of 3-State Buffers

Table 14 shows the number of 3-state buffers available in each Virtex-II Pro device. The number of 3-state buffers is twice the number of CLB elements.

Table 14: Virtex-II Pro 3-State Buffers

Device	3-State Buffers per Row	Total Number of 3-State Buffers
XC2VP2	44	704
XC2VP4	44	1,760
XC2VP7	68	2,720
XC2VP20	92	5,152
XC2VP30	92	6,848
XC2VP40	116	9,696
XC2VP50	140	11,808
XC2VP70	164	16,544
XC2VP100	188	22,048
XC2VP125	212	27,808



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Figure 36: 3-State Buffer Connection to Horizontal Lines

## CLB/Slice Configurations

Table 15 summarizes the logic resources in one CLB. All of the CLBs are identical and each CLB or slice can be imple-

mented in one of the configurations listed. Table 16 shows the available resources in all CLBs.

Table 15: Logic Resources in One CLB

Slices	LUTs	Flip-Flops	MULT_ANDs	Arithmetic & Carry-Chains	SOP Chains	Distributed SelectRAM+	Shift Registers	TBUF
4	8	8	8	2	2	128 bits	128 bits	2

Table 16: Virtex-II Pro Logic Resources Available in All CLBs

Device	CLB Array: Row x Column	Number of Slices	Number of LUTs	Max Distributed SelectRAM+ or Shift Register (bits)	Number of Flip-Flops	Number of Carry Chains <sup>(1)</sup>	Number of SOP Chains <sup>(1)</sup>
XC2VP2	16 x 22	1,408	2,816	45,056	2,816	44	32
XC2VP4	40 x 22	3,008	6,016	96,256	6,016	44	80
XC2VP7	40 x 34	4,928	9,856	157,696	9,856	68	80
XC2VP20	56 x 46	9,280	18,560	296,960	18,560	92	112
XC2VP30	80 x 46	13,696	27,392	438,272	27,392	92	160
XC2VP40	88 x 58	19,392	38,784	620,544	38,784	116	176
XC2VP50	88 x 70	23,616	47,232	755,712	47,232	140	176
XC2VP70	104 x 82	33,088	66,176	1,058,816	66,176	164	208
XC2VP100	120 x 94	44,096	88,192	1,411,072	88,192	188	240
XC2VP125	136 x 106	55,616	111,232	1,779,712	111,232	212	272

**Notes:**

1. The carry-chains and SOP chains can be split or cascaded.

## 18 Kb Block SelectRAM+ Resources

### Introduction

Virtex-II Pro devices incorporate large amounts of 18 Kb block SelectRAM+ resources. These complement the distributed SelectRAM+ resources that provide shallow RAM structures implemented in CLBs. Each Virtex-II Pro block SelectRAM+ resource is an 18 Kb true dual-port RAM with two independently clocked and independently controlled synchronous ports that access a common storage area. Both ports are functionally identical. CLK, EN, WE, and SSR polarities are defined through configuration.

Each port has the following types of inputs: Clock and Clock Enable, Write Enable, Set/Reset, and Address, as well as separate Data/parity data inputs (for write) and Data/parity data outputs (for read).

Operation is synchronous; the block SelectRAM+ behaves like a register. Control, address and data inputs must (and need only) be valid during the set-up time window prior to a rising (or falling, a configuration option) clock edge. Data outputs change as a result of the same clock edge.

### Configuration

Virtex-II Pro block SelectRAM+ supports various configurations, including single- and dual-port RAM and various

data/address aspect ratios. Supported memory configurations for single- and dual-port modes are shown in [Table 17](#).

Table 17: Dual- and Single-Port Configurations

16K x 1 bit	2K x 9 bits
8K x 2 bits	1K x 18 bits
4K x 4 bits	512 x 36 bits

### Single-Port Configuration

As a single-port RAM, the block SelectRAM+ has access to the 18 Kb memory locations in any of the 2K x 9-bit, 1K x 18-bit, or 512 x 36-bit configurations and to 16 Kb memory locations in any of the 16K x 1-bit, 8K x 2-bit, or 4K x 4-bit configurations. The advantage of the 9-bit, 18-bit and 36-bit widths is the ability to store a parity bit for each eight bits. Parity bits must be generated or checked externally in user logic. In such cases, the width is viewed as 8 + 1, 16 + 2, or 32 + 4. These extra parity bits are stored and behave exactly as the other bits, including the timing parameters. Video applications can use the 9-bit ratio of Virtex-II Pro block SelectRAM+ memory to advantage.

Each block SelectRAM+ cell is a fully synchronous memory as illustrated in [Figure 37](#). Input data bus and output data bus widths are identical.

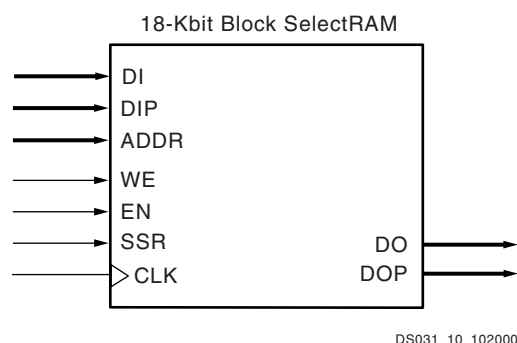


Figure 37: 18 Kb Block SelectRAM+ Memory in Single-Port Mode

## Dual-Port Configuration

As a dual-port RAM, each port of block SelectRAM+ has access to a common 18 Kb memory resource. These are fully synchronous ports with independent control signals for each port. The data widths of the two ports can be configured independently, providing built-in bus-width conversion.

Table 18 illustrates the different configurations available on ports A and B.

If both ports are configured in either 2K x 9-bit, 1K x 18-bit, or 512 x 36-bit configurations, the 18 Kb block is accessible from port A or B. If both ports are configured in either 16K x 1-bit, 8K x 2-bit, or 4K x 4-bit configurations, the 16 K-bit block is accessible from Port A or Port B. All other configurations result in one port having access to an 18 Kb memory block and the other port having access to a 16 K-bit subset of the memory block equal to 16 Kbs.

Table 18: Dual-Port Mode Configurations

Port A	16K x 1	16K x 1	16K x 1	16K x 1	16K x 1	16K x 1
Port B	16K x 1	8K x 2	4K x 4	2K x 9	1K x 18	512 x 36
Port A	8K x 2	8K x 2	8K x 2	8K x 2	8K x 2	
Port B	8K x 2	4K x 4	2K x 9	1K x 18	512 x 36	
Port A	4K x 4	4K x 4	4K x 4	4K x 4		
Port B	4K x 4	2K x 9	1K x 18	512 x 36		
Port A	2K x 9	2K x 9	2K x 9			
Port B	2K x 9	1K x 18	512 x 36			
Port A	1K x 18	1K x 18				
Port B	1K x 18	512 x 36				
Port A	512 x 36					
Port B	512 x 36					



Each block SelectRAM+ cell is a fully synchronous memory, as illustrated in **Figure 38**. The two ports have independent inputs and outputs and are independently clocked.

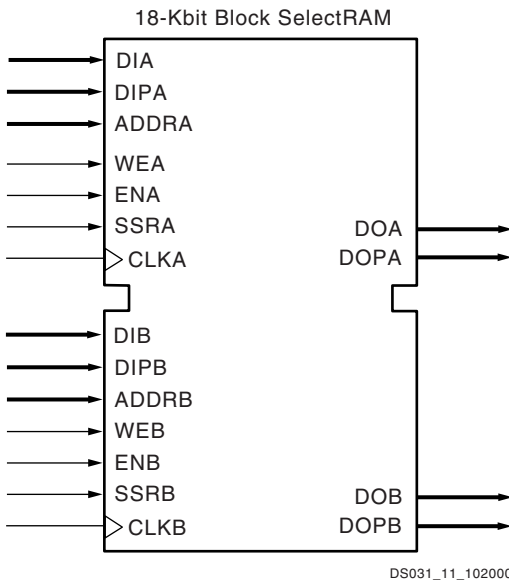


Figure 38: 18 Kb Block SelectRAM+ in Dual-Port Mode

### Port Aspect Ratios

**Table 19** shows the depth and the width aspect ratios for the 18 Kb block SelectRAM+ resource. Virtex-II Pro block SelectRAM+ also includes dedicated routing resources to provide an efficient interface with CLBs, block SelectRAM+, and multipliers.

Table 19: 18 Kb Block SelectRAM+ Port Aspect Ratio

Width	Depth	Address Bus	Data Bus	Parity Bus
1	16,384	ADDR[13:0]	DATA[0]	N/A
2	8,192	ADDR[12:0]	DATA[1:0]	N/A
4	4,096	ADDR[11:0]	DATA[3:0]	N/A
9	2,048	ADDR[10:0]	DATA[7:0]	Parity[0]
18	1,024	ADDR[9:0]	DATA[15:0]	Parity[1:0]
36	512	ADDR[8:0]	DATA[31:0]	Parity[3:0]

### Read/Write Operations

The Virtex-II Pro block SelectRAM+ read operation is fully synchronous. An address is presented, and the read operation is enabled by control signal ENA or ENB. Then, depending on clock polarity, a rising or falling clock edge causes the stored data to be loaded into output registers.

The write operation is also fully synchronous. Data and address are presented, and the write operation is enabled by control signals WEA and WEB in addition to ENA or ENB. Then, again depending on the clock input mode, a rising or falling clock edge causes the data to be loaded into the memory cell addressed.

A write operation performs a simultaneous read operation. Three different options are available, selected by configuration:

#### 1. WRITE\_FIRST

The WRITE\_FIRST option is a transparent mode. The same clock edge that writes the data input (DI) into the memory also transfers DI into the output registers DO, as shown in **Figure 39**.

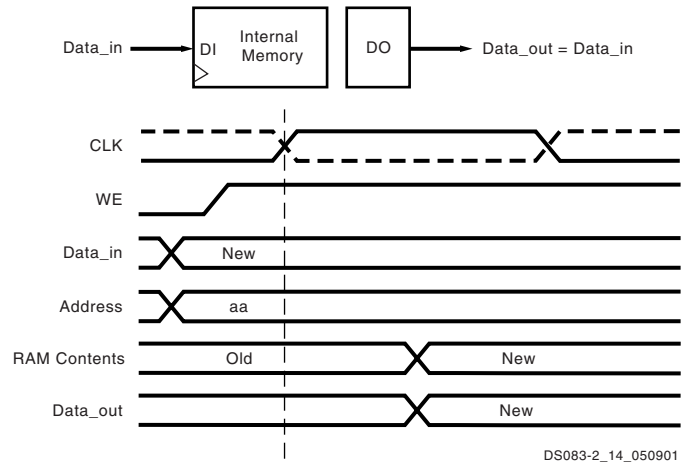


Figure 39: WRITE\_FIRST Mode

#### 2. READ\_FIRST

The READ\_FIRST option is a read-before-write mode.

The same clock edge that writes data input (DI) into the memory also transfers the prior content of the memory cell addressed into the data output registers DO, as shown in **Figure 40**.

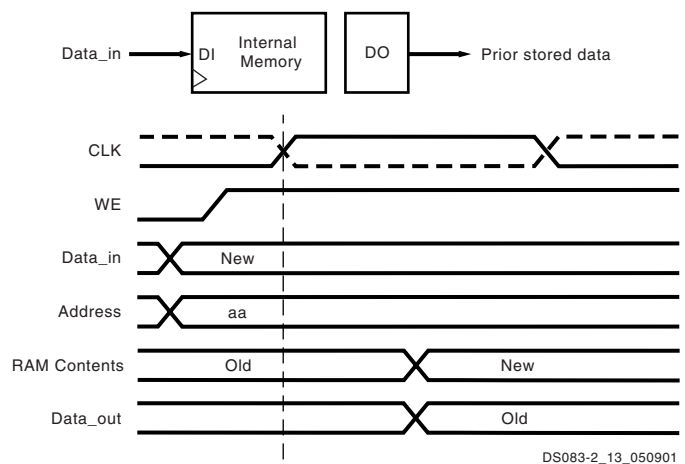


Figure 40: READ\_FIRST Mode

### 3. NO\_CHANGE

The NO\_CHANGE option maintains the content of the output registers, regardless of the write operation. The clock edge during the write mode has no effect on the content of the data output register DO. When the port is configured as NO\_CHANGE, only a read operation loads a new value in the output register DO, as shown in Figure 41.

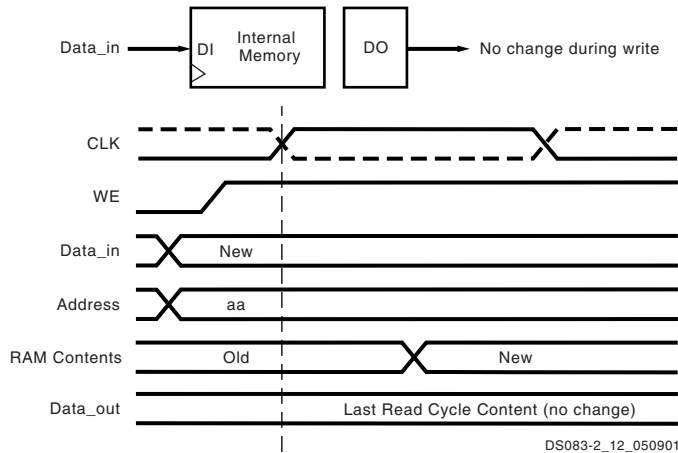


Figure 41: NO\_CHANGE Mode

#### Control Pins and Attributes

Virtex-II Pro SelectRAM+ memory has two independent ports with the control signals described in Table 20. All control inputs including the clock have an optional inversion.

Table 20: Control Functions

Control Signal	Function
CLK	Read and Write Clock
EN	Enable affects Read, Write, Set, Reset
WE	Write Enable
SSR	Set DO register to SRVAL (attribute)

Initial memory content is determined by the INIT\_x attributes. Separate attributes determine the output register value after device configuration (INIT) and SSR is asserted (SRVAL). Both attributes (INIT\_B and SRVAL) are available for each port when a block SelectRAM+ resource is configured as dual-port RAM.

#### Total Amount of SelectRAM+ Memory

Virtex-II Pro SelectRAM+ memory blocks are organized in multiple columns. The number of blocks per column depends on the row size, the number of Processor Blocks, and the number of RocketIO transceivers.

Table 21 shows the number of columns as well as the total amount of block SelectRAM+ memory available for each Virtex-II Pro device. The 18 Kb SelectRAM+ blocks are cascadable to implement deeper or wider single- or dual-port memory resources.

Table 21: Virtex-II Pro SelectRAM+ Memory Available

Device	Columns	Total SelectRAM+ Memory		
		Blocks	in Kb	in Bits
XC2VP2	4	12	216	221,184
XC2VP4	4	28	504	516,096
XC2VP7	6	44	792	811,008
XC2VP20	8	88	1,584	1,622,016
XC2VP30	8	136	2,448	2,506,752
XC2VP40	10	192	3,456	3,538,944
XC2VP50	12	232	4,176	4,276,224
XC2VP70	14	328	5,904	6,045,696
XC2VP100	16	444	7,992	8,183,808
XC2VP125	18	556	10,008	10,248,192

Figure 42 shows the layout of the block RAM columns in the XC2VP4 device.

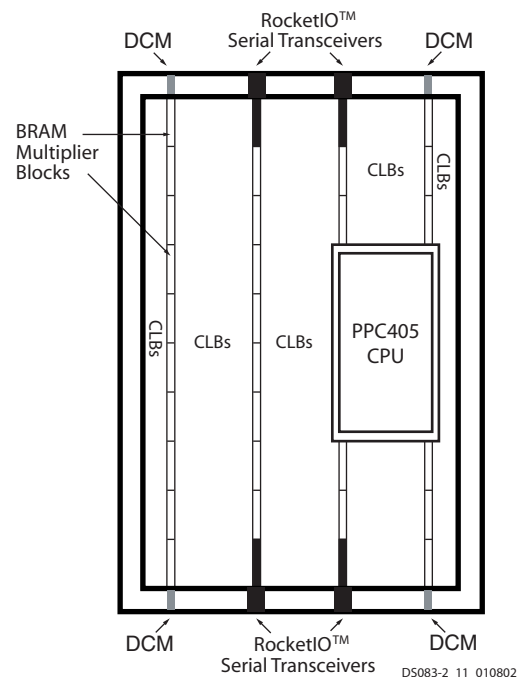


Figure 42: XC2VP4 Block RAM Column Layout

### 18-Bit x 18-Bit Multipliers

#### Introduction

A Virtex-II Pro multiplier block is an 18-bit by 18-bit 2's complement signed multiplier. Virtex-II Pro devices incorporate many embedded multiplier blocks. These multipliers can be associated with an 18 Kb block SelectRAM+ resource or can be used independently. They are optimized for high-speed operations and have a lower power consumption compared to an 18-bit x 18-bit multiplier in slices.

Each SelectRAM+ memory and multiplier block is tied to four switch matrices, as shown in Figure 43.

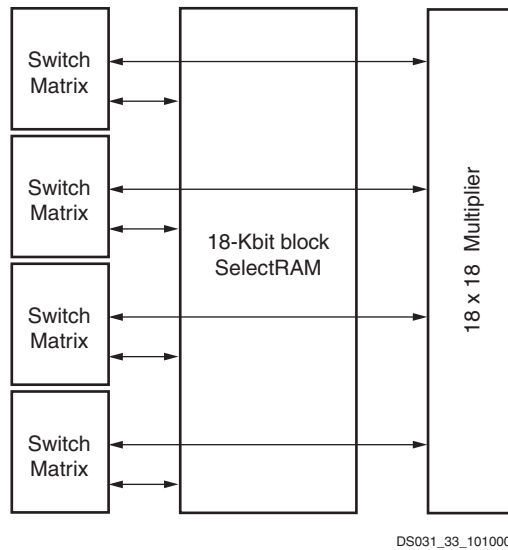


Figure 43: SelectRAM+ and Multiplier Blocks

### Association With Block SelectRAM+ Memory

The interconnect is designed to allow SelectRAM+ memory and multiplier blocks to be used at the same time, but some interconnect is shared between the SelectRAM+ and the multiplier. Thus, SelectRAM+ memory can be used only up to 18 bits wide when the multiplier is used, because the multiplier shares inputs with the upper data bits of the SelectRAM+ memory.

This sharing of the interconnect is optimized for an 18-bit-wide block SelectRAM+ resource feeding the multiplier. The use of SelectRAM+ memory and the multiplier with an accumulator in LUTs allows for implementation of a digital signal processor (DSP) multiplier-accumulator (MAC) function, which is commonly used in finite and infinite impulse response (FIR and IIR) digital filters.

### Configuration

The multiplier block is an 18-bit by 18-bit signed multiplier (2's complement). Both A and B are 18-bit-wide inputs, and the output is 36 bits. Figure 44 shows a multiplier block.

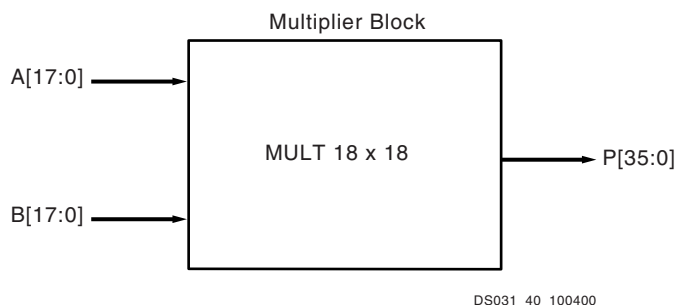


Figure 44: Multiplier Block

### Locations / Organization

Multiplier organization is identical to the 18 Kb SelectRAM+ organization, because each multiplier is associated with an 18 Kb block SelectRAM+ resource.

Table 22: Multiplier Resources

Device	Columns	Total Multipliers
XC2VP2	4	12
XC2VP4	4	28
XC2VP7	6	44
XC2VP20	8	88
XC2VP30	8	136
XC2VP40	10	192
XC2VP50	12	232
XC2VP70	14	328
XC2VP100	16	444
XC2VP125	18	556

In addition to the built-in multiplier blocks, the CLB elements have dedicated logic to implement efficient multipliers in logic. (Refer to [Configurable Logic Blocks \(CLBs\)](#), page 49).

### Global Clock Multiplexer Buffers

Virtex-II Pro devices have 16 clock input pins that can also be used as regular user I/Os. Eight clock pads center on both the top edge and the bottom edge of the device, as illustrated in Figure 45.

The global clock multiplexer buffer represents the input to dedicated low-skew clock tree distribution in Virtex-II Pro devices. Like the clock pads, eight global clock multiplexer buffers are on the top edge of the device and eight are on the bottom edge.

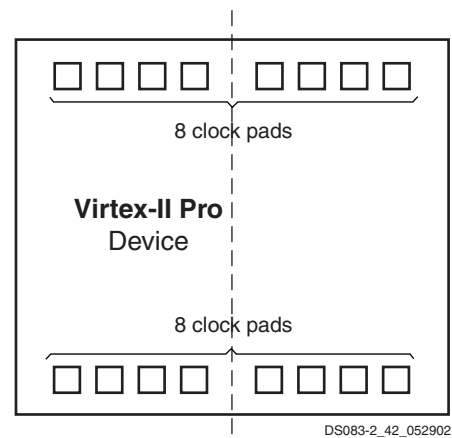
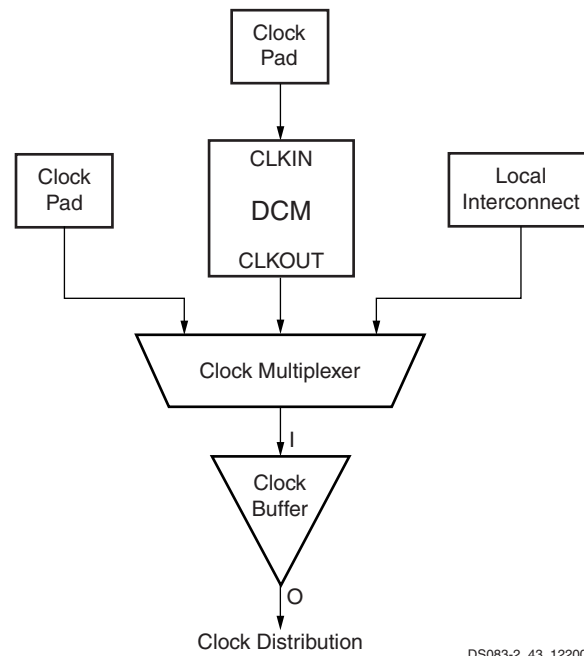


Figure 45: Virtex-II Pro Clock Pads

Each global clock multiplexer buffer can be driven either by the clock pad to distribute a clock directly to the device, or by the Digital Clock Manager (DCM), discussed in [Digital Clock Manager \(DCM\), page 65](#). Each global clock multi-

plexer buffer can also be driven by local interconnects. The DCM has clock output(s) that can be connected to global clock multiplexer buffer inputs, as shown in **Figure 46**.



**Figure 46: Virtex-II Pro Clock Multiplexer Buffer Configuration**

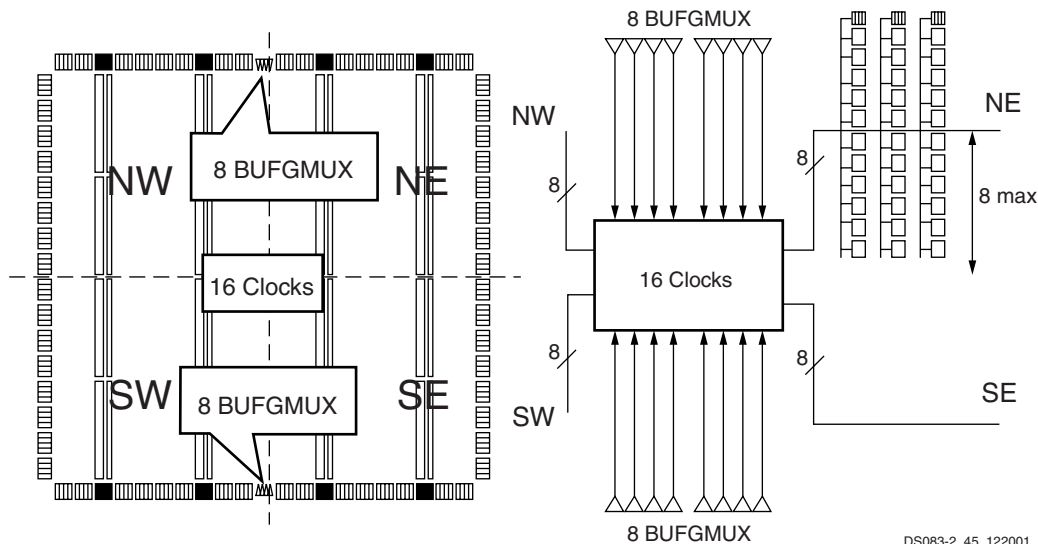
Global clock buffers are used to distribute the clock to some or all synchronous logic elements (such as registers in CLBs and IOBs, and SelectRAM+ blocks).

Eight global clocks can be used in each quadrant of the Virtex-II Pro device. Designers should consider the clock distribution detail of the device prior to pin-locking and floor-planning. (See the Virtex-II Pro *User Guide*.)

Figure 47 shows clock distribution in Virtex-II Pro devices.

In each quadrant, up to eight clocks are organized in clock rows. A clock row supports up to 16 CLB rows (eight up and eight down).

To reduce power consumption, any unused clock branches remain static.



**Figure 47: Virtex-II Pro Clock Distribution**

Global clocks are driven by dedicated clock buffers (BUFG), which can also be used to gate the clock (BUFGCE) or to multiplex between two independent clock inputs (BUFGMUX).

The most common configuration option of this element is as a buffer. A BUFG function in this (global buffer) mode, is shown in [Figure 48](#).

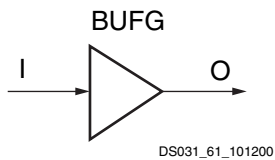


Figure 48: Virtex-II Pro BUFG Function

The Virtex-II Pro global clock buffer BUFG can also be configured as a clock enable/disable circuit ([Figure 49](#)), as well as a two-input clock multiplexer ([Figure 50](#)). A functional description of these two options is provided below. Each of them can be used in either of two modes, selected by configuration: rising clock edge or falling clock edge.

This section describes the rising clock edge option. For the opposite option, falling clock edge, just change all "rising" references to "falling" and all "High" references to "Low", except for the description of the CE and S levels. The rising clock edge option uses the BUFGCE and BUFGMUX primitives. The falling clock edge option uses the BUFGCE\_1 and BUFGMUX\_1 primitives.

### BUFGCE

If the CE input is active (High) prior to the incoming rising clock edge, this Low-to-High-to-Low clock pulse passes through the clock buffer. Any level change of CE during the incoming clock High time has no effect.

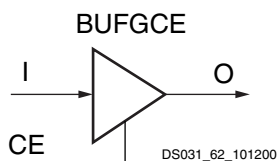


Figure 49: Virtex-II Pro BUFGCE Function

If the CE input is inactive (Low) prior to the incoming rising clock edge, the following clock pulse does not pass through the clock buffer, and the output stays Low. Any level change of CE during the incoming clock High time has no effect. CE must not change during a short setup window just prior to the rising clock edge on the BUFGCE input I. Violating this setup time requirement can result in an undefined runt pulse output.

### BUFGMUX

BUFGMUX can switch between two unrelated, even asynchronous clocks. Basically, a Low on S selects the  $I_0$  input, a High on S selects the  $I_1$  input. Switching from one clock to the other is done in such a way that the output High and Low

time is never shorter than the shortest High or Low time of either input clock. As long as the presently selected clock is High, any level change of S has no effect.

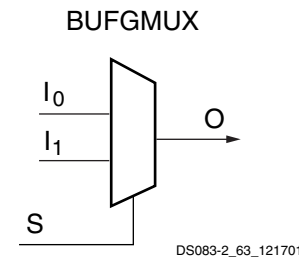


Figure 50: Virtex-II Pro BUFGMUX Function

If the presently selected clock is Low while S changes, or if it goes Low after S has changed, the output is kept Low until the other ("to-be-selected") clock has made a transition from High to Low. At that instant, the new clock starts driving the output.

The two clock inputs can be asynchronous with regard to each other, and the S input can change at any time, except for a short setup time prior to the rising edge of the presently selected clock; that is, prior to the rising edge of the BUFGMUX output O. Violating this setup time requirement can result in an undefined runt pulse output.

All Virtex-II Pro devices have 16 global clock multiplexer buffers.

[Figure 51](#) shows a switchover from CLK0 to CLK1.

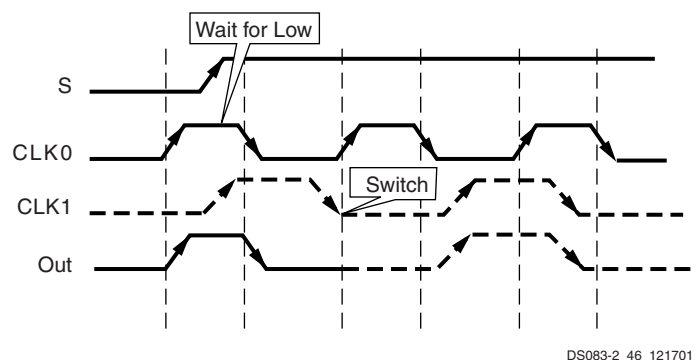


Figure 51: Clock Multiplexer Waveform Diagram

- The current clock is CLK0.
- S is activated High.
- If CLK0 is currently High, the multiplexer waits for CLK0 to go Low.
- Once CLK0 is Low, the multiplexer output stays Low until CLK1 transitions High to Low.
- When CLK1 transitions from High to Low, the output switches to CLK1.
- No glitches or short pulses can appear on the output.

## Digital Clock Manager (DCM)

The Virtex-II Pro DCM offers a wide range of powerful clock management features.

- **Clock De-skew:** The DCM generates new system clocks (either internally or externally to the FPGA), which are phase-aligned to the input clock, thus eliminating clock distribution delays.
- **Frequency Synthesis:** The DCM generates a wide range of output clock frequencies, performing very flexible clock multiplication and division.
- **Phase Shifting:** The DCM provides both coarse phase shifting and fine-grained phase shifting with dynamic phase shift control.

The DCM utilizes fully digital delay lines allowing robust high-precision control of clock phase and frequency. It also utilizes fully digital feedback systems, operating dynamically to compensate for temperature and voltage variations during operation.

Up to four of the nine DCM clock outputs can drive inputs to global clock buffers or global clock multiplexer buffers simultaneously (see Figure 52). All DCM clock outputs can simultaneously drive general routing resources, including routes to output buffers.

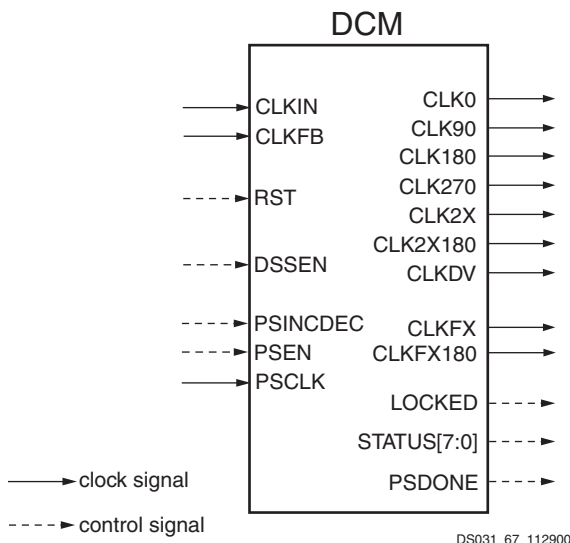


Figure 52: Digital Clock Manager

The DCM can be configured to delay the completion of the Virtex-II Pro configuration process until after the DCM has achieved lock. This guarantees that the chip does not begin operating until after the system clocks generated by the DCM have stabilized.

The DCM has the following general control signals:

- **RST input pin:** resets the entire DCM
- **LOCKED output pin:** asserted High when all enabled DCM circuits have locked.
- **STATUS output pins (active High):** shown in Table 23.

Table 23: DCM Status Pins

Status Pin	Function
0	Phase Shift Overflow
1	CLKIN Stopped
2	CLKFX Stopped
3	N/A
4	N/A
5	N/A
6	N/A
7	N/A

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### Clock De-skew

The DCM de-skews the output clocks relative to the input clock by automatically adjusting a digital delay line. Additional delay is introduced so that clock edges arrive at internal registers and block RAMs simultaneously with the clock edges arriving at the input clock pad. Alternatively, external clocks, which are also de-skewed relative to the input clock, can be generated for board-level routing. All DCM output clocks are phase-aligned to CLK0 and, therefore, are also phase-aligned to the input clock.

To achieve clock de-skew, the CLKFB input must be connected, and its source must be either CLK0 or CLK2X. Note that CLKFB must always be connected, unless only the CLKFX or CLKFX180 outputs are used and de-skew is not required.

### Frequency Synthesis

The DCM provides flexible methods for generating new clock frequencies. Each method has a different operating frequency range and different AC characteristics. The CLK2X and CLK2X180 outputs double the clock frequency. The CLKDV output creates divided output clocks with division options of 1.5, 2, 2.5, 3, 3.5, 4, 4.5, 5, 5.5, 6, 6.5, 7, 7.5, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, and 16.

The CLKFX and CLKFX180 outputs can be used to produce clocks at the following frequency:

$$\text{FREQ}_{\text{CLKFX}} = (M/D) \cdot \text{FREQ}_{\text{CLKIN}}$$

where  $M$  and  $D$  are two integers. Specifications for  $M$  and  $D$  are provided under **DCM Timing Parameters**. By default,  $M = 4$  and  $D = 1$ , which results in a clock output frequency four times faster than the clock input frequency (CLKIN).

CLK2X180 is phase shifted 180 degrees relative to CLK2X. CLKFX180 is phase shifted 180 degrees relative to CLKFX. All frequency synthesis outputs automatically have 50/50 duty cycles, with the exception of the CLKDV output when performing a non-integer divide in high-frequency mode. See Table 24 for more details.



Note that CLK2X and CLK2X180 are not available in high-frequency mode.

Table 24: CLKDV Duty Cycle for Non-integer Divides

CLKDV_DIVIDE	Duty Cycle
1.5	1/3
2.5	2/5
3.5	3/7
4.5	4/9
5.5	5/11
6.5	6/13
7.5	7/15

### Phase Shifting

The DCM provides additional control over clock skew through either coarse or fine-grained phase shifting. The CLK0, CLK90, CLK180, and CLK270 outputs are each phase shifted by ¼ of the input clock period relative to each other, providing coarse phase control. Note that CLK90 and CLK270 are not available in high-frequency mode.

Fine-phase adjustment affects all nine DCM output clocks. When activated, the phase shift between the rising edges of CLKIN and CLKFB is a specified fraction of the input clock period.

In variable mode, the PHASE\_SHIFT value can also be dynamically incremented or decremented as determined by PSINCDEC synchronously to PSCLK, when the PSEN input is active. Figure 53 illustrates the effects of fine-phase shifting. For more information on DCM features, see the *Virtex-II Pro User Guide*.

Table 25 lists fine-phase shifting control pins, when used in variable mode.

Table 25: Fine Phase Shifting Control Pins

Control Pin	Direction	Function
PSINCDEC	In	Increment or decrement
PSEN	In	Enable ± phase shift
PSCLK	In	Clock for phase shift
PSDONE	Out	Active when completed

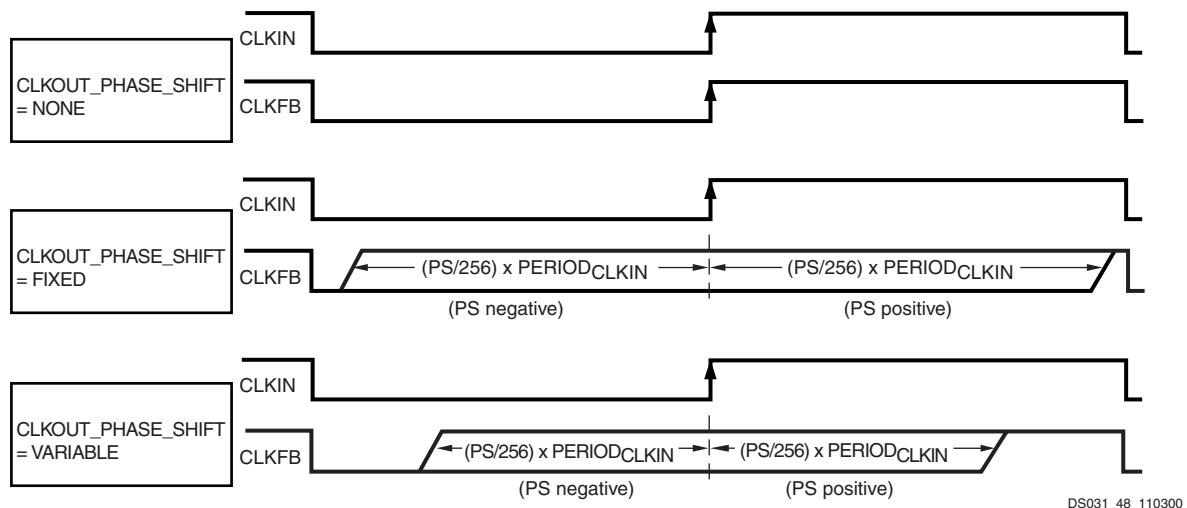


Figure 53: Fine-Phase Shifting Effects

Two separate components of the phase shift range must be understood:

- PHASE\_SHIFT attribute range
- FINE\_SHIFT\_RANGE DCM timing parameter range

The PHASE\_SHIFT attribute is the numerator in the following equation:

$$\text{Phase Shift (ns)} = (\text{PHASE\_SHIFT}/256) * \text{PERIOD}_{\text{CLKIN}}$$

The full range of this attribute is always -255 to +255, but its practical range varies with CLKIN frequency, as constrained by the FINE\_SHIFT\_RANGE component, which represents the total delay achievable by the phase shift delay line. Total

delay is a function of the number of delay taps used in the circuit. Across process, voltage, and temperature, this absolute range is guaranteed to be as specified under **DCM Timing Parameters**.

Absolute range (fixed mode) = ± FINE\_SHIFT\_RANGE

Absolute range (variable mode) = ± FINE\_SHIFT\_RANGE/2

The reason for the difference between fixed and variable modes is as follows. For variable mode to allow symmetric, dynamic sweeps from -255/256 to +255/256, the DCM sets the "zero phase skew" point as the middle of the delay line, thus dividing the total delay line range in half. In fixed mode, since the PHASE\_SHIFT value never changes after configu-



ration, the entire delay line is available for insertion into either the CLKIN or CLKFB path (to create either positive or negative skew).

Taking both of these components into consideration, the following are some usage examples:

- If  $PERIOD_{CLKIN} = 2 * FINE\_SHIFT\_RANGE$ , then  $PHASE\_SHIFT$  in fixed mode is limited to  $\pm 128$ , and in variable mode it is limited to  $\pm 64$ .
- If  $PERIOD_{CLKIN} = FINE\_SHIFT\_RANGE$ , then  $PHASE\_SHIFT$  in fixed mode is limited to  $\pm 255$ , and in variable mode it is limited to  $\pm 128$ .

Table 26: DCM Frequency Ranges

Output Clock	Low-Frequency Mode		High-Frequency Mode	
	CLKIN Input	CLK Output	CLKIN Input	CLK Output
CLK0, CLK180	CLKIN_FREQ_DLL_LF	CLKOUT_FREQ_1X_LF	CLKIN_FREQ_DLL_HF	CLKOUT_FREQ_1X_HF
CLK90, CLK270	CLKIN_FREQ_DLL_LF	CLKOUT_FREQ_1X_LF	NA	NA
CLK2X, CLK2X180	CLKIN_FREQ_DLL_LF	CLKOUT_FREQ_2X_LF	NA	NA
CLKDV	CLKIN_FREQ_DLL_LF	CLKOUT_FREQ_DV_LF	CLKIN_FREQ_DLL_HF	CLKOUT_FREQ_DV_HF
CLKFX, CLKFX180	CLKIN_FREQ_FX_LF	CLKOUT_FREQ_FX_LF	CLKIN_FREQ_FX_HF	CLKOUT_FREQ_FX_HF

CLK90, and CLK270 outputs are not available in high-frequency mode.

High or low-frequency mode is selected by an attribute.

## Routing

### DCM and MGT Locations/Organization

Virtex-II Pro DCMs and serial transceivers (MGTS) are placed on the top and bottom of each block RAM and multiplier column in some combination, as shown in Table 27. The number of DCMs and RocketIO transceivers total twice the number of block RAM columns in the device. Refer to Figure 42, page 61 for an illustration of this in the XC2VP4 device.

Place-and-route software takes advantage of this regular array to deliver optimum system performance and fast compile times. The segmented routing resources are essential to guarantee IP cores portability and to efficiently handle an incremental design flow that is based on modular implementations. Total design time is reduced due to fewer and shorter design iterations.

### Hierarchical Routing Resources

Most Virtex-II Pro signals are routed using the global routing resources, which are located in horizontal and vertical routing channels between each switch matrix.

As shown in Figure 54, page 68, Virtex-II Pro has fully buffered programmable interconnections, with a number of resources counted between any two adjacent switch matrix

- If  $PERIOD_{CLKIN} \leq 0.5 * FINE\_SHIFT\_RANGE$ , then  $PHASE\_SHIFT$  is limited to  $\pm 255$  in either mode.

### Operating Modes

The frequency ranges of DCM input and output clocks depend on the operating mode specified, either low-frequency mode or high-frequency mode, according to Table 26. For actual values, see Virtex-II Pro Switching Characteristics (Module 3). The CLK2X, CLK2X180,

rows or columns. Fanout has minimal impact on the performance of each net.

Table 27: DCM Organization

Device	Block RAM Columns	DCMs	MGTS
XC2VP2	4	4	4
XC2VP4	4	4	4
XC2VP7	6	4	8
XC2VP20	8	8	8
XC2VP30	8	8	8
XC2VP40	10	8	12
XC2VP50	12	8	16
XC2VP70	14	8	20
XC2VP100	16	12	20
XC2VP125	18	12	24

- The long lines are bidirectional wires that distribute signals across the device. Vertical and horizontal long lines span the full height and width of the device.
- The hex lines route signals to every third or sixth block away in all four directions. Organized in a staggered pattern, hex lines can only be driven from one end. Hex-line signals can be accessed either at the endpoints or at the midpoint (three blocks from the source).

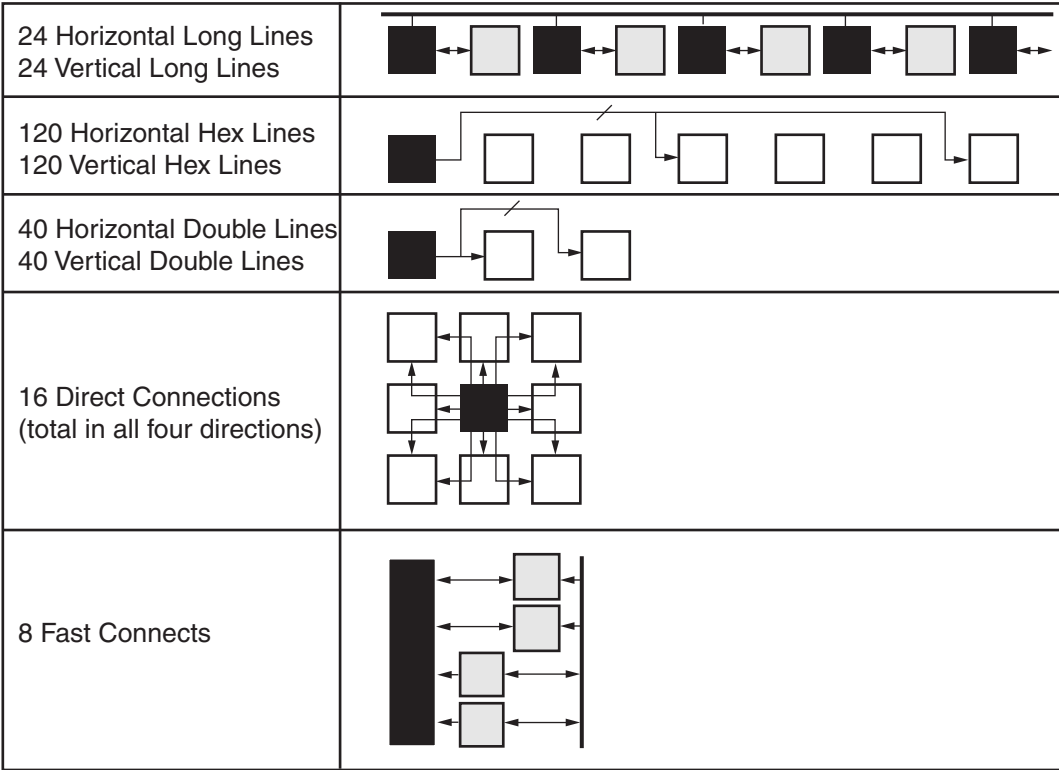
- The double lines route signals to every first or second block away in all four directions. Organized in a staggered pattern, double lines can be driven only at their endpoints. Double-line signals can be accessed either at the endpoints or at the midpoint (one block from the source).
- The direct connect lines route signals to neighboring blocks: vertically, horizontally, and diagonally.
- The fast connect lines are the internal CLB local interconnections from LUT outputs to LUT inputs.

Dedicated Routing

In addition to the global and local routing resources, dedicated signals are available.

- There are eight global clock nets per quadrant. (See [Global Clock Multiplexer Buffers, page 62.](#))

- Horizontal routing resources are provided for on-chip 3-state buses. Four partitionable bus lines are provided per CLB row, permitting multiple buses within a row. (See [3-State Buffers, page 57.](#))
- Two dedicated carry-chain resources per slice column (two per CLB column) propagate carry-chain MUXCY output signals vertically to the adjacent slice. (See [CLB/Slice Configurations, page 57.](#))
- One dedicated SOP chain per slice row (two per CLB row) propagate ORCY output logic signals horizontally to the adjacent slice. (See [Sum of Products, page 56.](#))
- One dedicated shift-chain per CLB connects the output of LUTs in shift-register mode to the input of the next LUT in shift-register mode (vertically) inside the CLB. (See [Shift Registers, page 53.](#))



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Figure 54: Hierarchical Routing Resources

Configuration

Virtex-II Pro devices are configured by loading application specific configuration data into the internal configuration memory. Configuration is carried out using a subset of the device pins, some of which are dedicated, while others can be re-used as general purpose inputs and outputs once configuration is complete.

Depending on the system design, several configuration modes are supported, selectable via mode pins. The mode pins M2, M1 and M0 are dedicated pins. An additional pin,

HSWAP\_EN is used in conjunction with the mode pins to select whether user I/O pins have pull-ups during configuration. By default, HSWAP\_EN is tied High (internal pull-up) which shuts off the pull-ups on the user I/O pins during configuration. When HSWAP\_EN is tied Low, user I/Os have pull-ups during configuration. Other dedicated pins are CCLK (the configuration clock pin), DONE, PROG\_B, and the boundary-scan pins: TDI, TDO, TMS, and TCK. Depending on the configuration mode chosen, CCLK can be an output generated by the FPGA, or an input accepting an externally generated clock. The configuration pins and

boundary scan pins are independent of the  $V_{CCO}$ . The auxiliary power supply ( $V_{CCAUX}$ ) of 2.5V is used for these pins. See [Virtex-II Pro Switching Characteristics \(Module 3\)](#).

A persist option is available which can be used to force the configuration pins to retain their configuration function even after device configuration is complete. If the persist option is not selected then the configuration pins with the exception of CCLK, PROG\_B, and DONE can be used as user I/O in normal operation. The persist option does not apply to the boundary-scan related pins. The persist feature is valuable in applications which employ partial reconfiguration or reconfiguration on the fly.

Virtex-II Pro supports the following five configuration modes:

- [Slave-Serial Mode](#)
- [Master-Serial Mode](#)
- [Slave SelectMAP Mode](#)
- [Master SelectMAP Mode](#)
- [Boundary-Scan \(JTAG, IEEE 1532\) Mode](#)

Refer to [Table 28, page 70](#).

A detailed description of configuration modes is provided in the Virtex-II Pro *User Guide*.

### **Slave-Serial Mode**

In slave-serial mode, the FPGA receives configuration data in bit-serial form from a serial PROM or other serial source of configuration data. The CCLK pin on the FPGA is an input in this mode. The serial bitstream must be setup at the DIN input pin a short time before each rising edge of the externally generated CCLK.

Multiple FPGAs can be daisy-chained for configuration from a single source. After a particular FPGA has been configured, the data for the next device is routed internally to the DOUT pin. The data on the DOUT pin changes on the rising edge of CCLK.

Slave-serial mode is selected by applying [111] to the mode pins (M2, M1, M0). A weak pull-up on the mode pins makes slave serial the default mode if the pins are left unconnected.

### **Master-Serial Mode**

In master-serial mode, the CCLK pin is an output pin. It is the Virtex-II Pro FPGA device that drives the configuration clock on the CCLK pin to a Xilinx Serial PROM which in turn feeds bit-serial data to the DIN input. The FPGA accepts this data on each rising CCLK edge. After the FPGA has been loaded, the data for the next device in a daisy-chain is presented on the DOUT pin after the rising CCLK edge.

The interface is identical to slave serial except that an internal oscillator is used to generate the configuration clock (CCLK). A wide range of frequencies can be selected for CCLK which always starts at a slow default frequency. Configuration bits then switch CCLK to a higher frequency for the remainder of the configuration.

### **Slave SelectMAP Mode**

The SelectMAP mode is the fastest configuration option. Byte-wide data is written into the Virtex-II Pro FPGA device with a BUSY flag controlling the flow of data. An external data source provides a byte stream, CCLK, an active Low Chip Select (CS\_B) signal and a Write signal (RDWR\_B). If BUSY is asserted (High) by the FPGA, the data must be held until BUSY goes Low. Data can also be read using the SelectMAP mode. If RDWR\_B is asserted, configuration data is read out of the FPGA as part of a readback operation.

After configuration, the pins of the SelectMAP port can be used as additional user I/O. Alternatively, the port can be retained to permit high-speed 8-bit readback using the persist option.

Multiple Virtex-II Pro FPGAs can be configured using the SelectMAP mode, and be made to start-up simultaneously. To configure multiple devices in this way, wire the individual CCLK, Data, RDWR\_B, and BUSY pins of all the devices in parallel. The individual devices are loaded separately by deasserting the CS\_B pin of each device in turn and writing the appropriate data.

### **Master SelectMAP Mode**

This mode is a master version of the SelectMAP mode. The device is configured byte-wide on a CCLK supplied by the Virtex-II Pro FPGA device. Timing is similar to the Slave SerialMAP mode except that CCLK is supplied by the Virtex-II Pro FPGA.

### **Boundary-Scan (JTAG, IEEE 1532) Mode**

In boundary-scan mode, dedicated pins are used for configuring the Virtex-II Pro device. The configuration is done entirely through the IEEE 1149.1 Test Access Port (TAP). Virtex-II Pro device configuration using Boundary scan is compliant with IEEE 1149.1-1993 standard and the new IEEE 1532 standard for In-System Configurable (ISC) devices. The IEEE 1532 standard is backward compliant with the IEEE 1149.1-1993 TAP and state machine. The IEEE Standard 1532 for In-System Configurable (ISC) devices is intended to be programmed, reprogrammed, or tested on the board via a physical and logical protocol. Configuration through the boundary-scan port is always available, independent of the mode selection. Selecting the boundary-scan mode simply turns off the other modes.

Table 28: Virtex-II Pro Configuration Mode Pin Settings

Configuration Mode <sup>(1)</sup>	M2	M1	M0	CCLK Direction	Data Width	Serial D <sub>OUT</sub> <sup>(2)</sup>
Master Serial	0	0	0	Out	1	Yes
Slave Serial	1	1	1	In	1	Yes
Master SelectMAP	0	1	1	Out	8	No
Slave SelectMAP	1	1	0	In	8	No
Boundary Scan	1	0	1	N/A	1	No

**Notes:**

1. The HSWAP\_EN pin controls the pullups. Setting M2, M1, and M0 selects the configuration mode, while the HSWAP\_EN pin controls whether or not the pullups are used.
2. Daisy chaining is possible only in modes where Serial D<sub>OUT</sub> is used. For example, in SelectMAP modes, the first device does NOT support daisy chaining of downstream devices.

Table 29 lists the total number of bits required to configure each device.

Table 29: Virtex-II Pro Bitstream Lengths

Device	Number of Configuration Bits
XC2VP2	1,305,440
XC2VP4	3,006,560
XC2VP7	4,485,472
XC2VP20	8,214,624
XC2VP30	11,364,608
XC2VP40	15,563,264
XC2VP50	19,021,472
XC2VP70	25,604,096
XC2VP100	33,645,312
XC2VP125	42,782,208

**Configuration Sequence**

The configuration of Virtex-II Pro devices is a three-phase process. First, the configuration memory is cleared. Next, configuration data is loaded into the memory, and finally, the logic is activated by a start-up process.

Configuration is automatically initiated on power-up unless it is delayed by the user. The INIT\_B pin can be held Low using an open-drain driver. An open-drain is required since INIT\_B is a bidirectional open-drain pin that is held Low by a Virtex-II Pro FPGA device while the configuration memory is being cleared. Extending the time that the pin is Low causes the configuration sequencer to wait. Thus, configuration is delayed by preventing entry into the phase where data is loaded.

The configuration process can also be initiated by asserting the PROG\_B pin. The end of the memory-clearing phase is signaled by the INIT\_B pin going High, and the completion

of the entire process is signaled by the DONE pin going High. The Global Set/Reset (GSR) signal is pulsed after the last frame of configuration data is written but before the start-up sequence. The GSR signal resets all flip-flops on the device.

The default start-up sequence is that one CCLK cycle after DONE goes High, the global 3-state signal (GTS) is released. This permits device outputs to turn on as necessary. One CCLK cycle later, the Global Write Enable (GWE) signal is released. This permits the internal storage elements to begin changing state in response to the logic and the user clock.

The relative timing of these events can be changed via configuration options in software. In addition, the GTS and GWE events can be made dependent on the DONE pins of multiple devices all going High, forcing the devices to start synchronously. The sequence can also be paused at any stage, until lock has been achieved on any or all DCMs, as well as DCI.

**Readback**

In this mode, configuration data from the Virtex-II Pro FPGA device can be read back. Readback is supported only in the SelectMAP (master and slave) and Boundary Scan mode.

Along with the configuration data, it is possible to read back the contents of all registers, distributed SelectRAM+, and block RAM resources. This capability is used for real-time debugging. For more detailed configuration information, see the Virtex-II Pro *User Guide*.

**Bitstream Encryption**

Virtex-II Pro devices have an on-chip decryptor using one or two sets of three keys for triple-key Data Encryption Standard (DES) operation. Xilinx software tools offer an optional encryption of the configuration data (bitstream) with a triple-key DES determined by the designer.

The keys are stored in the FPGA by JTAG instruction and retained by a battery connected to the V<sub>BATT</sub> pin, when the device is not powered. Virtex-II Pro devices can be config-

ured with the corresponding encrypted bitstream, using any of the configuration modes described previously.

A detailed description of how to use bitstream encryption is provided in the Virtex-II Pro *User Guide*. Your local FAE can also provide specific information on this feature.

### Partial Reconfiguration

Partial reconfiguration of Virtex-II Pro devices can be accomplished in either Slave SelectMAP mode or Boundary-Scan mode. Instead of resetting the chip and doing a full configuration, new data is loaded into a specified area of the chip, while the rest of the chip remains in operation.

Data is loaded on a column basis, with the smallest load unit being a configuration “frame” of the bitstream (device size dependent).

Partial reconfiguration is useful for applications that require different designs to be loaded into the same area of a chip, or that require the ability to change portions of a design without having to reset or reconfigure the entire chip.

For more information on Partial Reconfiguration in Virtex-II Pro devices, please refer to Xilinx Application Note [XAPP290](#), *Two Flows for Partial Reconfiguration*.

## Revision History

This section records the change history for this module of the data sheet.

Date	Version	Revision
01/31/02	1.0	Initial Xilinx release.
06/13/02	2.0	New Virtex-II Pro family members. New timing parameters per speedsfile <b>v1.62</b> .
09/03/02	2.1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Revised <b>Reset</b> and <b>Power</b> sections.</li> <li>Updated <b>Table 8</b>, which lists compatible input standards.</li> <li>Added <b>Figure 19</b>, <b>Figure 20</b>, and <b>Figure 21</b>, which provide examples illustrating the use of I/O standards.</li> </ul>
09/27/02	2.2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>In section <b>Overview</b>, corrected max number of MGTs from 16 to 24.</li> <li>In section <b>Input/Output Blocks (IOBs)</b>, added references to <b>XAPP659</b> regarding implementation of 3.3V I/O standards.</li> </ul>
	2.3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Correct bitstream lengths, <b>Table 29</b></li> </ul>

## Virtex-II Pro Data Sheet Modules

The Virtex-II Pro Data Sheet contains the following modules:

- **Virtex-II Pro™ Platform FPGAs: Introduction and Overview (Module 1)**
- **Virtex-II Pro Platform FPGAs: Functional Description (Module 2)**
- **Virtex-II Pro™ Platform FPGAs: DC and Switching Characteristics (Module 3)**
- **Virtex-II Pro Platform FPGAs: Pinout Information (Module 4)**





## Virtex-II Pro Electrical Characteristics

Virtex-II Pro devices are provided in -7, -6, and -5 speed grades, with -7 having the highest performance.

Virtex-II Pro DC and AC characteristics are specified for both commercial and industrial grades. Except the operating temperature range or unless otherwise noted, all the DC and AC electrical parameters are the same for a particular speed grade (that is, the timing characteristics of a -6 speed grade industrial device are the same as for a -6 speed grade

commercial device). However, only selected speed grades and/or devices might be available in the industrial range.

All supply voltage and junction temperature specifications are representative of worst-case conditions. The parameters included are common to popular designs and typical applications. Contact Xilinx for design considerations requiring more detailed information.

All specifications are subject to change without notice.

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## Virtex-II Pro DC Characteristics

**Table 1: Absolute Maximum Ratings**

Symbol	Description		Units
$V_{CCINT}$	Internal supply voltage relative to GND	–0.5 to 1.6	V
$V_{CCAUX}$	Auxiliary supply voltage relative to GND	–0.5 to 3.0	V
$V_{CCO}$	3.3V output drivers supply voltage relative to GND	–0.3 to 3.6	V
	2.5V and below output drivers supply voltage relative to GND	–0.5 to 3.0	V
$V_{BATT}$	Key memory battery backup supply	–0.5 to 3.0	V
$V_{REF}$	Input reference voltage	–0.3 to 3.6	V
$V_{IN}$	3.3V I/O input voltage relative to GND (user and dedicated I/Os)	–0.3 <sup>(2)</sup> to 3.6 <sup>(3)</sup>	V
	2.5V or below I/O input voltage relative to GND (user and dedicated I/Os)	GND – 0.5 to $V_{CCO} + 0.5$	V
$V_{TS}$	Voltage applied to 3-state 3.3V output (user and dedicated I/Os)	–0.3 <sup>(4)</sup> to 3.6 <sup>(5)</sup>	V
	Voltage applied to 3-state 2.5V or below output (user and dedicated I/Os)	GND – 0.5 to $V_{CCO} + 0.5$	V
$V_{CCAUXRX}$	Auxiliary supply voltage relative to analog ground, GNDA (RocketIO MGT pins)	–0.5 to 3.0	V
$V_{CCAUXTX}$	Auxiliary supply voltage relative to analog ground, GNDA (RocketIO MGT pins)	–0.5 to 3.0	V
$V_{TTX}$	Terminal transmit supply voltage relative to GND (RocketIO MGT pins)	–0.5 to 3.0	V
$V_{TRX}$	Terminal receive supply voltage relative to GND (RocketIO MGT pins)	–0.5 to 3.0	V
$T_{STG}$	Storage temperature (ambient)	–65 to +150	°C
$T_{SOL}$	Maximum soldering temperature	+220	°C
$T_J$	Operating junction temperature	+125 <sup>(6)</sup>	°C

### Notes:

- Stresses beyond those listed under Absolute Maximum Ratings might cause permanent damage to the device. These are stress ratings only, and functional operation of the device at these or any other conditions beyond those listed under Operating Conditions is not implied. Exposure to Absolute Maximum Ratings conditions for extended periods of time might affect device reliability.
- For 3.3V I/O standards only, I/O input pin voltage, including negative undershoot, must not fall below –0.3V, either on a continuous or transient basis (i.e., no negative undershoot is allowed). See [Table 6, page 78](#).
- I/O input pin voltage, including overshoot, must not exceed 3.6V, either on a continuous or transient basis.
- For 3.3V I/O standards only, I/O output pin voltage while in 3-state mode must not fall below –0.3V, either on a continuous or transient basis. See [Table 6, page 78](#).
- I/O output pin voltage while in 3-state mode must not exceed 3.6V, either on a continuous or transient basis.
- For 3.3V operation,  $T_J$  must be less than 100°C.



Table 2: Recommended Operating Conditions

Symbol	Description		Min	Max	Units
$V_{CCINT}$	Internal supply voltage relative to GND, $T_J = 0\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$ to $+85\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$	Commercial	1.425	1.575	V
	Internal supply voltage relative to GND, $T_J = -40\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$ to $+100\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$	Industrial	1.425	1.575	V
$V_{CCAUX}^{(1)}$	Auxiliary supply voltage relative to GND, $T_J = 0\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$ to $+85\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$	Commercial	2.375	2.625	V
	Auxiliary supply voltage relative to GND, $T_J = -40\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$ to $+100\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$	Industrial	2.375	2.625	V
$V_{CCO}^{(2)}$	3.3V supply voltage relative to GND, $T_J = 0\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$ to $+85\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$	Commercial	1.2	3.45 <sup>(4)</sup>	V
	3.3V supply voltage relative to GND, $T_J = -40\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$ to $+100\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$	Industrial	1.2	3.45 <sup>(4)</sup>	V
	2.5V and below supply voltage relative to GND, $T_J = 0\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$ to $+85\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$	Commercial	1.2	2.63	V
	2.5V and below supply voltage relative to GND, $T_J = -40\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$ to $+100\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$	Industrial	1.2	2.63	V
$V_{IN}$	3.3V supply voltage relative to GND, $T_J = 0\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$ to $+85\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$	Commercial	GND – 0.2	3.45 <sup>(4)</sup>	V
	3.3V supply voltage relative to GND, $T_J = -40\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$ to $+100\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$	Industrial	GND – 0.2	3.45 <sup>(4)</sup>	V
	2.5V and below supply voltage relative to GND, $T_J = 0\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$ to $+85\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$	Commercial	GND – 0.2	$V_{CCO} + 0.2$	V
	2.5V and below supply voltage relative to GND, $T_J = -40\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$ to $+100\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$	Industrial	GND – 0.2	$V_{CCO} + 0.2$	V
$V_{BATT}^{(3)}$	Battery voltage relative to GND, $T_J = 0\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$ to $+85\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$	Commercial	1.0	2.63	V
	Battery voltage relative to GND, $T_J = -40\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$ to $+100\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$	Industrial	1.0	2.63	V
$V_{CCAUXRX}^{(5)}$	Auxiliary supply voltage relative to GNDA	Commercial	2.375	2.625	V
$V_{CCAUTX}^{(5)}$	Auxiliary supply voltage relative to GNDA	Industrial	2.375	2.625	V
$V_{TTX}, V_{TRX}$	Terminal supply voltage relative to GND	Commercial	1.8	2.625	V
	Terminal supply voltage relative to GND	Industrial	1.8	2.625	V

**Notes:**

1. For LVDS operation,  $V_{CCAUX}$  min is 2.37V and max is 2.63V.
2. Configuration data is retained even if  $V_{CCO}$  drops to 0V.
3. If battery is not used, do not connect  $V_{BATT}$ .
4. For 3.3V operation: See Table 4 in Module 4 of the Virtex-II Pro data sheet for banking information. (Module 4 not included in this volume; see [www.xilinx.com/virtex2pro](http://www.xilinx.com/virtex2pro).) Also see Application Note [XAPP646](#) on [www.xilinx.com](http://www.xilinx.com).
5. **IMPORTANT!** All unused RocketIO transceivers in the FPGA must be connected to power and ground. If RocketIO transceivers in the FPGA are used, refer to the information on power filtering in the [RocketIO Transceiver User Guide](#). Unused transceivers can be powered by any 2.5V source, and passive filtering is not required.

Table 3: DC Characteristics Over Recommended Operating Conditions

Symbol	Description	Device	Min	Typ	Max	Units
$V_{\text{DRINT}}$	Data retention $V_{\text{CCINT}}$ voltage (below which configuration data might be lost)	All	1.25			V
$V_{\text{DRI}}$	Data retention $V_{\text{CCAUX}}$ voltage (below which configuration data might be lost)	All	2.0			V
$I_{\text{REF}}$	$V_{\text{REF}}$ current per pin	All				$\mu\text{A}$
$I_{\text{L}}$	3.3V input or output leakage current per pin	All				$\mu\text{A}$
	2.5V input or output leakage current per pin	All				$\mu\text{A}$
$C_{\text{IN}}$	Input capacitance (sample tested)	All			10	pF
$I_{\text{RPU}}$	Pad pull-up (when selected) @ $V_{\text{in}} = 0\text{V}$ , $V_{\text{CCO}} = 2.5\text{V}$ (sample tested)	All				$\mu\text{A}$
$I_{\text{RPD}}$	Pad pull-down (when selected) @ $V_{\text{in}} = 2.5\text{V}$ (sample tested)	All				$\mu\text{A}$
$I_{\text{BATT}}$	Battery supply current	All				nA
$I_{\text{CCAUTX}}$	Operating $V_{\text{CCAUTX}}$ supply current			60		mA
$I_{\text{CCAURX}}$	Operating $V_{\text{CCAURX}}$ supply current			35		mA
$I_{\text{TTX}}$	Operating $I_{\text{TTX}}$ supply current when transmitter is AC coupled			30		mA
	Operating $I_{\text{TTX}}$ supply current when transmitter is DC coupled			15		mA
$I_{\text{TRX}}$	Operating $I_{\text{TRX}}$ supply current when receiver is AC coupled					mA
	Operating $I_{\text{TRX}}$ supply current when receiver is DC coupled			15		mA
$P_{\text{CPU}}$	Power dissipation of PowerPC® 405 processor block			0.9		mW / MHz
$P_{\text{RXTX}}$	Power dissipation of RocketIO transceiver @ 3.125 Gb/s per channel			350		mW
	Power dissipation of RocketIO transceiver @ 2.5 Gb/s per channel			310		mW
	Power dissipation of RocketIO transceiver @ 1.25 Gb/s per channel			230		mW

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Table 4: Quiescent Supply Current

Symbol	Description	Device	Min	Typ	Max	Units
$I_{CCINTQ}$	Quiescent $V_{CCINT}$ supply current	XC2VP2				mA
		XC2VP4				mA
		XC2VP7				mA
		XC2VP20				mA
		XC2VP30				mA
		XC2VP40				mA
		XC2VP50				mA
		XC2VP70				mA
		XC2VP100				mA
		XC2VP125				mA
$I_{CCOQ}$	Quiescent $V_{CCO}$ supply current	XC2VP2				mA
		XC2VP4				mA
		XC2VP7				mA
		XC2VP20				mA
		XC2VP30				mA
		XC2VP40				mA
		XC2VP50				mA
		XC2VP70				mA
		XC2VP100				mA
		XC2VP125				mA
$I_{CCAUXQ}$	Quiescent $V_{CCAUX}$ supply current	XC2VP2				mA
		XC2VP4				mA
		XC2VP7				mA
		XC2VP20				mA
		XC2VP50				mA
		XC2VP40				mA
		XC2VP50				mA
		XC2VP70				mA
		XC2VP100				mA
		XC2VP125				mA

**Notes:**

1. With no output current loads, no active input pull-up resistors, all I/O pins are 3-state and floating.
2. If DCI or differential signaling is used, more accurate quiescent current estimates can be obtained by using the Power Estimator or XPOWER™.

## Power-On Power Supply Requirements

Xilinx FPGAs require a certain amount of supply current during power-on to insure proper device operation. The actual current consumed depends on the power-on ramp rate of the power supply.

The  $V_{CCINT}$  power supply must ramp on no faster than 200  $\mu$ s and no slower than 50 ms. Ramp on is defined as: 0  $V_{DC}$  to minimum supply voltages (see Table 2).

$V_{CCAUX}$  and  $V_{CCO}$  can power on at any ramp rate. Power supplies can be turned on in any sequence.  $V_{CCAUX}$  and  $V_{CCO}$  for bank 4 must be connected together to 2.5  $V_{DC}$ .  $V_{CCAUX}$  must power on before or with  $V_{CCO}$  for the current specifications to apply.

Table 5, shows the minimum current required by Virtex-II Pro devices for proper power on and configuration.

If the currents minimums shown in Table 5 are met, the device powers on properly after all three supplies have passed through their power-on reset threshold voltages.

Once initialized and configured, use the power calculator to estimate current drain on these supplies.

For more information on  $V_{CCAUX}$ ,  $V_{CCO}$ , and configuration mode, refer to Chapter 3 in the *Virtex-II Pro Platform FPGA User Guide*.

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Table 5: Power-On Current for Virtex-II Pro Devices

Symbol	Device										Units
	XC2VP2	XC2VP4	XC2VP7	XC2VP20	XC2VP30	XC2VP40	XC2VP50	XC2VP70	XC2VP100	XC2VP125	
$I_{CCINTMIN}$	500	500	500	500	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	mA
$I_{CCAUXMIN}$	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	mA
$I_{CCOMIN}$	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	mA

## General Power Supply Requirements

Proper decoupling of all FPGA power supplies is essential. Consult Xilinx [Application Note 623](#) for detailed information on power distribution system design.

$V_{CCAUX}$  powers critical resources in the FPGA. Therefore, this supply voltage is especially susceptible to power supply noise.

$V_{CCAUX}$  can share a power plane with  $V_{CCO}$ , but only if  $V_{CCO}$  does not have excessive noise. Staying within simultaneously switching output (SSO) limits is essential for

keeping power supply noise to a minimum. More information on SSO is available at [support.xilinx.com](http://support.xilinx.com) in Xilinx Answer Record 11713.

Changes in  $V_{CCAUX}$  voltage beyond 200 mV peak-to-peak should take place at a rate no faster than 10 mV per millisecond.

Recommended practices that can help reduce jitter and period distortion are described in Xilinx Answer Record 13756.

## SelectIO™-Ultra DC Input and Output Levels

Values for  $V_{IL}$  and  $V_{IH}$  are recommended input voltages. Values for  $I_{OL}$  and  $I_{OH}$  are guaranteed over the recommended operating conditions at the  $V_{OL}$  and  $V_{OH}$  test points. Only selected standards are tested. These are cho-

sen to ensure that all standards meet their specifications. The selected standards are tested at minimum  $V_{CCO}$  with the respective  $V_{OL}$  and  $V_{OH}$  voltage levels shown. Other standards are sample tested.

Table 6: DC Input and Output Levels

Input/Output Standard	$V_{IL}$		$V_{IH}$		$V_{OL}$	$V_{OH}$	$I_{OL}$	$I_{OH}$
	V, min	V, max	V, min	V, max	V, Max	V, Min	mA	mA
LVC MOS25	-0.5	0.7	1.7	$V_{CCO} + 0.4$	0.4	$V_{CCO} - 0.4$	24	-24
LVC MOS18	-0.5	20% $V_{CCO}$	70% $V_{CCO}$	$V_{CCO} + 0.4$	0.4	$V_{CCO} - 0.45$	16	-16
LVC MOS15	-0.5	20% $V_{CCO}$	70% $V_{CCO}$	$V_{CCO} + 0.4$	0.4	$V_{CCO} - 0.45$	16	-16
PCI33_3	-0.3	30% $V_{CCO}$	50% $V_{CCO}$	$V_{CCO}$	10% $V_{CCO}$	90% $V_{CCO}$		
PCI66_3	-0.3	30% $V_{CCO}$	50% $V_{CCO}$	$V_{CCO}$	10% $V_{CCO}$	90% $V_{CCO}$		
GTLP	-0.5	$V_{REF} - 0.1$	$V_{REF} + 0.1$	$V_{CCO} + 0.4$	0.6	n/a	36	n/a
GTL	-0.5	$V_{REF} - 0.05$	$V_{REF} + 0.05$	$V_{CCO} + 0.4$	0.4	n/a	40	n/a
HSTL I	-0.5	$V_{REF} - 0.1$	$V_{REF} + 0.1$	$V_{CCO} + 0.4$	0.4 <sup>(1)</sup>	$V_{CCO} - 0.4$	8 <sup>(1)</sup>	-8 <sup>(1)</sup>
HSTL II	-0.5	$V_{REF} - 0.1$	$V_{REF} + 0.1$	$V_{CCO} + 0.4$	0.4 <sup>(1)</sup>	$V_{CCO} - 0.4$	16 <sup>(1)</sup>	-16 <sup>(1)</sup>
HSTL III	-0.5	$V_{REF} - 0.1$	$V_{REF} + 0.1$	$V_{CCO} + 0.4$	0.4 <sup>(1)</sup>	$V_{CCO} - 0.4$	24 <sup>(1)</sup>	-8 <sup>(1)</sup>
HSTL IV	-0.5	$V_{REF} - 0.1$	$V_{REF} + 0.1$	$V_{CCO} + 0.4$	0.4 <sup>(1)</sup>	$V_{CCO} - 0.4$	48 <sup>(1)</sup>	-8 <sup>(1)</sup>
SSTL2 I	-0.3	$V_{REF} - 0.15$	$V_{REF} + 0.15$	$V_{CCO} + 0.3$	$V_{TT} - 0.61$	$V_{TT} + 0.61$	0.81	-0.81
SSTL2 II	-0.3	$V_{REF} - 0.15$	$V_{REF} + 0.15$	$V_{CCO} + 0.3$	$V_{TT} - 0.81$	$V_{TT} + 0.81$	16.2	-16.2
SSTL18 I	-0.3	$V_{REF} - 0.125$	$V_{REF} + 0.125$	$V_{CCO} + 0.3$	$V_{TT} - 0.61$	$V_{TT} + 0.61$	6.7	-6.7
SSTL18 II	-0.3	$V_{REF} - 0.125$	$V_{REF} + 0.125$	$V_{CCO} + 0.3$	$V_{TT} - 0.61$	$V_{TT} + 0.61$	13.4	-13.4

### Notes:

1. This applies to 1.5V and 1.8V HSTL.

## LDT DC Specifications (LDT\_25)

Table 7: LDT DC Specifications

DC Parameter	Symbol	Conditions	Min	Typ	Max	Units
Supply Voltage	$V_{CCO}$		2.38	2.5	2.63	V
Differential Output Voltage	$V_{OD}$	$R_T = 100$ ohm across Q and $\bar{Q}$ signals	500	600	700	mV
Change in $V_{OD}$ Magnitude	$\Delta V_{OD}$		-15		15	mV
Output Common Mode Voltage	$V_{OCM}$	$R_T = 100$ ohm across Q and $\bar{Q}$ signals	560	600	640	mV
Change in $V_{OS}$ Magnitude	$\Delta V_{OCM}$		-15		15	mV
Input Differential Voltage	$V_{ID}$		200	600	1000	mV
Change in $V_{ID}$ Magnitude	$\Delta V_{ID}$		-15		15	mV
Input Common Mode Voltage	$V_{ICM}$		500	600	700	mV
Change in $V_{ICM}$ Magnitude	$\Delta V_{ICM}$		-15		15	mV

## LVDS DC Specifications (LVDS\_25)

Table 8: LVDS DC Specifications

DC Parameter	Symbol	Conditions	Min	Typ	Max	Units
Supply Voltage	$V_{CCO}$		2.38	2.5	2.63	V
Output High Voltage for Q and $\bar{Q}$	$V_{OH}$	$R_T = 100\ \Omega$ across Q and $\bar{Q}$ signals			1.602	V
Output Low Voltage for Q and $\bar{Q}$	$V_{OL}$	$R_T = 100\ \Omega$ across Q and $\bar{Q}$ signals	0.898			V
Differential Output Voltage (Q – $\bar{Q}$ ), Q = High ( $\bar{Q}$ – Q), $\bar{Q}$ = High	$V_{ODIFF}$	$R_T = 100\ \Omega$ across Q and $\bar{Q}$ signals	247	350	454	mV
Output Common-Mode Voltage	$V_{OCM}$	$R_T = 100\ \Omega$ across Q and $\bar{Q}$ signals	1.125	1.2	1.375	V
Differential Input Voltage (Q – $\bar{Q}$ ), Q = High ( $\bar{Q}$ – Q), $\bar{Q}$ = High	$V_{IDIFF}$	Common-mode input voltage = 1.25V	100	350	600	mV
Input Common-Mode Voltage	$V_{ICM}$	Differential input voltage = $\pm 350$ mV	0.3	1.2	2.2	V

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## Extended LVDS DC Specifications (LVDS\_EXT\_25)

Table 9: Extended LVDS DC Specifications

DC Parameter	Symbol	Conditions	Min	Typ	Max	Units
Supply Voltage	$V_{CCO}$		2.38	2.5	2.63	V
Output High Voltage for Q and $\bar{Q}$	$V_{OH}$	$R_T = 100\ \Omega$ across Q and $\bar{Q}$ signals			1.785	V
Output Low Voltage for Q and $\bar{Q}$	$V_{OL}$	$R_T = 100\ \Omega$ across Q and $\bar{Q}$ signals	0.715			V
Differential Output Voltage (Q – $\bar{Q}$ ), Q = High ( $\bar{Q}$ – Q), $\bar{Q}$ = High	$V_{ODIFF}$	$R_T = 100\ \Omega$ across Q and $\bar{Q}$ signals	440		820	mV
Output Common-Mode Voltage	$V_{OCM}$	$R_T = 100\ \Omega$ across Q and $\bar{Q}$ signals	1.125	1.250	1.375	V
Differential Input Voltage (Q – $\bar{Q}$ ), Q = High ( $\bar{Q}$ – Q), $\bar{Q}$ = High	$V_{IDIFF}$	Common-mode input voltage = 1.25V	100		1000	mV
Input Common-Mode Voltage	$V_{ICM}$	Differential input voltage = $\pm 350$ mV	0.3	1.2	2.2	V

## LVPECL DC Specifications (LVPECL\_25)

Table 10: LVPECL DC Specifications

DC Parameter	Symbol	Conditions	Min	Typ	Max	Units
Supply Voltage	$V_{CCO}$		2.375	2.5	2.625	V
Output High Voltage for Q and $\bar{Q}$	$V_{OH}$		$V_{CCO} - 1.025$	1.545	$V_{CCO} - 0.88$	V
Output Low Voltage for Q and $\bar{Q}$	$V_{OL}$		$V_{CCO} - 1.81$	0.795	$V_{CCO} - 1.62$	V
Input High Voltage for Q and $\bar{Q}$	$V_{IH}$		$V_{CCO} - 1.035$		$V_{CCO} - 0.88$	V
Input Low Voltage for Q and $\bar{Q}$	$V_{IL}$		$V_{CCO} - 1.81$		$V_{CCO} - 1.61$	V
Differential Output Voltage (Q – $\bar{Q}$ ), Q = High ( $\bar{Q}$ – Q), $\bar{Q}$ = High	$V_{ODIFF}$		345		1185	mV
Output Common-Mode Voltage	$V_{OCM}$					V
Differential Input Voltage (Q – $\bar{Q}$ ), Q = High ( $\bar{Q}$ – Q), $\bar{Q}$ = High	$V_{IDIFF}$					mV
Input Common-Mode Voltage	$V_{ICM}$					V

### Notes:

1.  $V_{OL}/V_{OH}$  measured at rx side;  $V_{IH}/V_{IL}$  are spec. number.

## RocketIO™ Transceiver DC Input and Output Levels

Table 11: RocketIO Transceiver DC Specifications

DC Parameter	Symbol	Conditions	Min	Typ	Max	Units
Peak-to-Peak Differential Input Voltage	$DV_{IN}$		200		1000	mV
Differential Output Voltage <sup>(1,2)</sup>	$DV_{OUT}$			400		mV
				500		mV
				600		mV
				700		mV
				800		mV
Peak-to-Peak Differential Output Voltage <sup>(1,2)</sup>	$DV_{PPOUT}$			800		mV
				1000		mV
				1200		mV
				1400		mV
				1600		mV

**Notes:**

- Output swing levels are selectable using TX\_DIFF\_CTRL attribute. See the [RocketIO Transceiver](#) section in Chapter 2, or refer to the [RocketIO Transceiver User Guide](#) for details.
- Output preemphasis levels are selectable at 10% (default), 20%, 25%, and 33% using the TX\_PREEMPHASIS attribute. See the [RocketIO Transceiver](#) section in Chapter 2 or the [RocketIO Transceiver User Guide](#) for details.



## Virtex-II Pro Performance Characteristics

This section provides the performance characteristics of some common functions and designs implemented in Virtex-II Pro devices. The numbers reported here are fully characterized worst-case values. Note that these values are subject to the same guidelines as [Virtex-II Pro Switching Characteristics](#) (speed files).

**Table 12** provides pin-to-pin values (in nanoseconds) including IOB delays; that is, delay through the device from input pin to output pin. In the case of multiple inputs and outputs, the worst delay is reported.

Table 12: Pin-to-Pin Performance

Description	Pin-to-Pin (w/ I/O delays)	Units	Device Used & Speed Grade
<b>Basic Functions:</b>			
16-bit Address Decoder		ns	XC2VP7FF672-6
32-bit Address Decoder		ns	XC2VP7FF672-6
64-bit Address Decoder		ns	XC2VP7FF672-6
4:1 MUX		ns	XC2VP7FF672-6
8:1 MUX		ns	XC2VP7FF672-6
16:1 MUX		ns	XC2VP7FF672-6
32:1 MUX		ns	XC2VP7FF672-6
Combinatorial (pad to LUT to pad)		ns	XC2VP7FF672-6
<b>Memory:</b>			
<b>Block RAM</b>			
Pad to setup		ns	XC2VP7FF672-6
Clock to Pad		ns	XC2VP7FF672-6
<b>Distributed RAM</b>			
Pad to setup		ns	XC2VP7FF672-6
Clock to Pad		ns	XC2VP7FF672-6

**Table 13** shows internal (register-to-register) performance. Values are reported in MHz.

Table 13: Register-to-Register Performance

Description	Register-to-Register Performance	Units	Device Used & Speed Grade
<b>Basic Functions:</b>			
16-bit Address Decoder		MHz	XC2VP7FF672-6
32-bit Address Decoder		MHz	XC2VP7FF672-6
64-bit Address Decoder		MHz	XC2VP7FF672-6
4:1 MUX		MHz	XC2VP7FF672-6
8:1 MUX		MHz	XC2VP7FF672-6
16:1 MUX		MHz	XC2VP7FF672-6
32:1 MUX		MHz	XC2VP7FF672-6
Register to LUT to Register		MHz	XC2VP7FF672-6
8-bit Adder		MHz	XC2VP7FF672-6
16-bit Adder		MHz	XC2VP7FF672-6
64-bit Adder		MHz	XC2VP7FF672-6
64-bit Counter		MHz	XC2VP7FF672-6
64-bit Accumulator		MHz	XC2VP7FF672-6

Table 13: Register-to-Register Performance (Continued)

Description	Register-to-Register Performance	Units	Device Used & Speed Grade
Multiplier 18x18 (with Block RAM inputs)		MHz	XC2VP7FF672-6
Multiplier 18x18 (with Register inputs)		MHz	XC2VP7FF672-6
<b>Memory:</b>			
<b>Block RAM</b>			
Single-Port 4096 x 4 bits		MHz	XC2VP7FF672-6
Single-Port 2048 x 9 bits		MHz	XC2VP7FF672-6
Single-Port 1024 x 18 bits		MHz	XC2VP7FF672-6
Single-Port 512 x 36 bits		MHz	XC2VP7FF672-6
Dual-Port A:4096 x 4 bits & B:1024 x 18 bits		MHz	XC2VP7FF672-6
Dual-Port A:1024 x 18 bits & B:1024 x 18 bits		MHz	XC2VP7FF672-6
Dual-Port A:2048 x 9 bits & B: 512 x 36 bits		MHz	XC2VP7FF672-6
<b>Distributed RAM</b>			
Single-Port 32 x 8-bit		MHz	XC2VP7FF672-6
Single-Port 64 x 8-bit		MHz	XC2VP7FF672-6
Single-Port 128 x 8-bit		MHz	XC2VP7FF672-6
Dual-Port 16 x 8		MHz	XC2VP7FF672-6
Dual-Port 32 x 8		MHz	XC2VP7FF672-6
Dual-Port 64 x 8		MHz	XC2VP7FF672-6
Dual-Port 128 x 8		MHz	XC2VP7FF672-6
<b>Shift Registers</b>			
128-bit SRL		MHz	XC2VP7FF672-6
256-bit SRL		MHz	XC2VP7FF672-6
<b>FIFOs (Async. in Block RAM)</b>			
1024 x 18-bit		MHz	XC2VP7FF672-6
1024 x 18-bit		MHz	XC2VP7FF672-6
<b>FIFOs (Sync. in SRL)</b>			
128 x 8-bit		MHz	XC2VP7FF672-6
128 x 16-bit		MHz	XC2VP7FF672-6
<b>CAMs in Block RAM</b>			
32 x 9-bit		MHz	XC2VP7FF672-6
64 x 9-bit		MHz	XC2VP7FF672-6
128 x 9-bit		MHz	XC2VP7FF672-6
256 x 9-bit		MHz	XC2VP7FF672-6
<b>CAMs in SRL</b>			
32 x 16-bit		MHz	XC2VP7FF672-6
64 x 32-bit		MHz	XC2VP7FF672-6
128 x 40-bit		MHz	XC2VP7FF672-6
256 x 48-bit		MHz	XC2VP7FF672-6
1024 x 16-bit		MHz	XC2VP7FF672-6
1024 x 72-bit		MHz	XC2VP7FF672-6

## Virtex-II Pro Switching Characteristics

Switching characteristics are specified on a per-speed-grade basis and can be designated as Advance, Preliminary, or Production. Note that **Virtex-II Pro Performance Characteristics** are subject to these guidelines, as well. Each designation is defined as follows:

**Advance:** These speed files are based on simulations only and are typically available soon after device design specifications are frozen. Although speed grades with this designation are considered relatively stable and conservative, some under-reporting might still occur.

**Preliminary:** These speed files are based on complete ES (engineering sample) silicon characterization. Devices and speed grades with this designation are intended to give a better indication of the expected performance of production silicon. The probability of under-reporting delays is greatly reduced as compared to Advance data.

**Production:** These speed files are released once enough production silicon of a particular device family member has been characterized to provide full correlation between speed files and devices over numerous production lots. There is no under-reporting of delays, and customers receive formal notification of any subsequent changes. Typically, the slowest speed grades transition to Production before faster speed grades.

Since individual family members are produced at different times, the migration from one category to another depends completely on the status of the fabrication process for each device. **Table 14** correlates the current status of each Virtex-II Pro device with a corresponding speed file designation.

All specifications are always representative of worst-case supply voltage and junction temperature conditions.

**Table 14: Virtex-II Pro Device Speed Grade Designations**

Device	Speed Grade Designations		
	Advance	Preliminary	Production
XC2VP2	-7, -6, -5		
XC2VP4	-7, -6, -5		
XC2VP7	-7, -6, -5		
XC2VP20	-7, -6, -5		
XC2VP30			
XC2VP40			
XC2VP50	-7, -6, -5		
XC2VP70			
XC2VP100			
XC2VP125			

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## Testing of Switching Characteristics

All devices are 100% functionally tested. Internal timing parameters are derived from measuring internal test patterns. Listed below are representative values. For more specific, more precise, and worst-case guaranteed data, use the values reported by the static timing analyzer (TRCE in the Xilinx Development System) and back-annotate to the simulation net list. Unless otherwise noted, values apply to all Virtex-II Pro devices.

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**Table 15: Processor Clocks Absolute AC Characteristics**

	Speed Grade						
	-7		-6		-5		
Description	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	Units
CPMC405CLOCK frequency							MHz
JTAGC405TCK frequency <sup>(1)</sup>							MHz

### Notes:

1. The theoretical maximum frequency of this clock is one-half the CPMC405CLOCK. However, the achievable maximum is dependent on the system, and will be much less

Table 16: Processor Block Switching Characteristics

		Speed Grade			
Description	Symbol	-7	-6	-5	Units
Setup and Hold Relative to Clock (CPMC405CLOCK)					
Device Control Register Bus control inputs	T <sub>PCKC</sub> _DCR/T <sub>PCKC</sub> _DCR		0.56/ −0.23	0.61/−0.25	ns, min
Device Control Register Bus data inputs	T <sub>PDCK</sub> _DCR/T <sub>PCKD</sub> _DCR		0.82/ −0.02	0.91/−0.02	ns, min
Clock and Power Management control inputs	T <sub>PCKC</sub> _CPM/T <sub>PCKC</sub> _CPM		0.20/ 0.03	0.22/ 0.04	ns, min
Reset control inputs	T <sub>PCKC</sub> _RST/T <sub>PCKC</sub> _RST		0.20/0.03	0.22/ 0.04	ns, min
Debug control inputs	T <sub>PCKC</sub> _DBG/T <sub>PCKC</sub> _DBG		0.34/0.38	0.38/ 0.42	ns, min
Trace control inputs	T <sub>PCKC</sub> _TRC/T <sub>PCKC</sub> _TRC		1.73/−0.52	1.90/−0.58	ns, min
External Interrupt Controller control inputs	T <sub>PCKC</sub> _EIC/T <sub>PCKC</sub> _EIC		0.72/−0.27	0.79/−0.30	ns, min
Clock to Out					
Device Control Register Bus control outputs	T <sub>PCKCO</sub> _DCR		1.67	1.84	ns, max
Device Control Register Bus address outputs	T <sub>PCKAO</sub> _DCR		2.17	2.39	ns, max
Device Control Register Bus data outputs	T <sub>PCKDO</sub> _DCR		2.22	2.44	ns, max
Clock and Power Management control outputs	T <sub>PCKCO</sub> _CPM		1.59	1.75	ns, max
Reset control outputs	T <sub>PCKCO</sub> _RST		1.66	1.83	ns, max
Debug control outputs	T <sub>PCKCO</sub> _DBG		2.44	2.69	ns, max
Trace control outputs	T <sub>PCKCO</sub> _TRC		1.71	1.88	ns, max
Clock					
CPMC405CLOCK minimum pulse width, high	T <sub>CPWH</sub>				ns, min
CPMC405CLOCK minimum pulse width, low	T <sub>CPWL</sub>				ns, min

Table 17: Processor Block PLB Switching Characteristics

		Speed Grade			
Description	Symbol	-7	-6	-5	Units
Setup and Hold Relative to Clock (PLBCLK)					
Processor Local Bus(ICU/DCU) control inputs	T <sub>PCKK</sub> _PLB/T <sub>PCKC</sub> _PLB		1.23/0.23	1.35/ 0.25	ns, min
Processor Local Bus (ICU/DCU) data inputs	T <sub>PDCK</sub> _PLB/T <sub>PCKD</sub> _PLB		0.78/0.20	0.86/ 0.22	ns, min
Clock to Out					
Processor Local Bus(ICU/DCU) control outputs	T <sub>PCKCO</sub> _PLB		1.69	1.86	ns, max
Processor Local Bus(ICU/DCU) address bus outputs	T <sub>PCKAO</sub> _PLB		1.47	1.61	ns, max
Processor Local Bus(ICU/DCU) data bus outputs	T <sub>PCKDO</sub> _PLB		1.81	1.99	ns, max
Clock					
PLBCLK minimum pulse width, high	T <sub>PPWH</sub>				ns, min
PLBCLK minimum pulse width, low	T <sub>PPWL</sub>				ns, min

Table 18: Processor Block JTAG Switching Characteristics

		Speed Grade			
Description	Symbol	-7	-6	-5	Units
Setup and Hold Relative to Clock (JTAGC405TCK)					
JTAG control inputs	T <sub>PCKC—JTAG</sub> /T <sub>PCKC—JTAG</sub>		0.80/0.70	0.88/ 0.77	ns, min
JTAG reset input	T <sub>PCKC—JTAGRST</sub> / T <sub>PCKC—JTAGRST</sub>		0.80/0.70	0.88/ 0.77	ns, min
Clock to Out					
JTAG control outputs	T <sub>PCKCO—JTAG</sub>		1.69	1.86	ns, max
Clock					
JTAGC405TCK minimum pulse width, high	T <sub>JPWH</sub>				ns, min
JTAGC405TCK minimum pulse width, low	T <sub>JPWL</sub>				ns, min

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Table 19: PowerPC 405 Data-Side On-Chip Memory Switching Characteristics

		Speed Grade			
Description	Symbol	-7	-6	-5	Units
Setup and Hold Relative to Clock (BRAMDSOCCLK)					
Data-Side On-Chip Memory data bus inputs	T <sub>PDCK_DSOCM</sub> / T <sub>PCKD_DSOCM</sub>		0.92/1.05	1.02/ 1.15	ns, min
Clock to Out					
Data-Side On-Chip Memory control outputs	T <sub>PCKCO_DSOCM</sub>		2.63	2.90	ns, max
Data-Side On-Chip Memory address bus outputs	T <sub>PCKAO_DSOCM</sub>		3.20	3.52	ns, max
Data-Side On-Chip Memory data bus outputs	T <sub>PCKDO_DSOCM</sub>		1.13	1.25	ns, max
Clock					
BRAMDSOCCLK minimum pulse width, high	T <sub>DPWH</sub>				ns, min
BRAMDSOCCLK minimum pulse width, low	T <sub>DPWL</sub>				ns, min

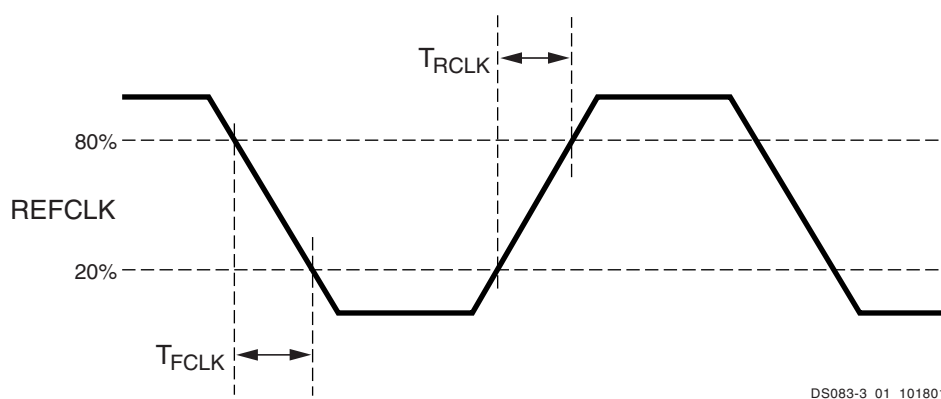
Table 20: PowerPC 405 Instruction-Side On-Chip Memory Switching Characteristics

		Speed Grade			
Description	Symbol	-7	-6	-5	Units
Setup and Hold Relative to Clock (BRAMISOCCLK)					
Instruction-Side On-Chip Memory data bus inputs	T <sub>PDCK_ISOCM</sub> / T <sub>PCKD_ISOCM</sub>		1.02/0.86	1.12/ 0.95	ns, min
Clock to Out					
Instruction-Side On-Chip Memory control outputs	T <sub>PCKCO_ISOCM</sub>		1.68	1.85	ns, max
Instruction-Side On-Chip Memory address bus outputs	T <sub>PCKAO_ISOCM</sub>		2.05	2.25	ns, max
Instruction-Side On-Chip Memory data bus outputs	T <sub>PCKDO_ISOCM</sub>		1.20	1.32	ns, max
Clock					
BRAMISOCCLK minimum pulse width, high	T <sub>IPWH</sub>				ns, min
BRAMISOCCLK minimum pulse width, low	T <sub>IPWL</sub>				ns, min

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Table 21: RocketIO Reference Clock Switching Characteristics

Description	Symbol	Conditions	All Speed Grades			Units
			Min	Typ	Max	
REFCLK frequency range	$F_{GCLK}$	Full rate operation	40		156.25	MHz
REFCLK frequency range	$F_{GCLK}$	Half rate operation	62.2		100	MHz
REFCLK frequency tolerance	$F_{GTOL}$				$\pm 100$	ppm
REFCLK rise time	$T_{RCLK}$	20% – 80%			75	ns
REFCLK fall time	$T_{FCLK}$	20% – 80%			75	ns
REFCLK duty cycle	$T_{DCREF}$		45	50	55	%
REFCLK total jitter	$T_{GJTT}$	peak-to-peak			40	ps
Clock recovery frequency acquisition time	$T_{LOCK}$			10		$\mu$ s
Clock recovery phase acquisition time	$T_{PHASE}$			960		bits



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Figure 1: Reference Clock (REFCLK) Timing Parameters

Table 22: RocketIO Receiver Switching Characteristics

Description	Symbol	Conditions	Min	Typ	Max	Units
Receive total jitter tolerance	$T_{JTOL}$				0.65	UI <sup>(1)</sup>
Receive deterministic jitter tolerance	$T_{DJTOL}$				0.41	UI
Receive latency <sup>(2)</sup>	$T_{RXLAT}$			25	42	RXUSR CLK cycles
RXUSRCLK duty cycle	$T_{RXDC}$		45	50	55	%
RXUSRCLK2 duty cycle	$T_{RX2DC}$		45	50	55	%
Bit error rate	BER				$10^{-12}$	

**Notes:**

1. UI = Unit Interval
2. Receive latency delay from RXP/RXN to RXDATA

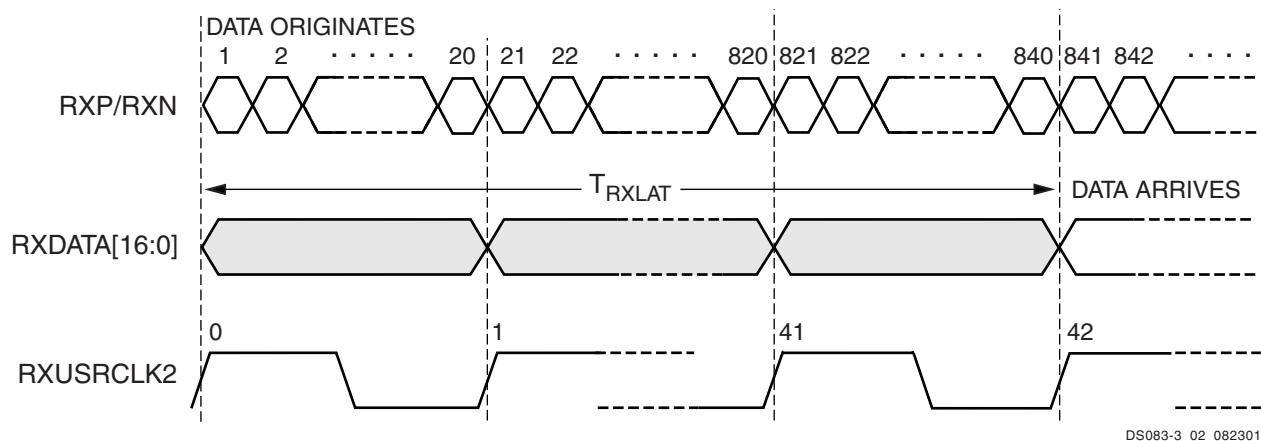


Figure 2: Receive Latency (Maximum)

Table 23: RocketIO Transmitter Switching Characteristics

Description	Symbol	Conditions	Min	Typ	Max	Units
Serial data rate, full-speed clock	$F_{GTX}$	Flipchip packages	0.800		3.125	Gb/s
		Wirebond packages	0.800		2.5	Gb/s
Serial data rate, half-speed clock		Flipchip packages	0.622		1.0	Gb/s
		Wirebond packages	0.622		1.0	Gb/s
Serial data output deterministic jitter	$T_{DJ}$				0.18	UI <sup>(1)</sup>
Serial data output random jitter	$T_{RJ}$				0.17	UI
TX rise time	$T_{RTX}$	20% – 80%		120		ps
TX fall time	$T_{FTX}$			120		ps
Transmit latency <sup>(2)</sup>	$T_{TXLAT}$	Including CRC		14	17	TXUSR CLK cycles
		Excluding CRC		8	11	
TXUSRCLK duty cycle	$T_{TXDC}$		45	50	55	%
TXUSRCLK2 duty cycle	$T_{TX2DC}$		45	50	55	%

**Notes:**

1. UI = Unit Interval
2. Transmit latency delay from TXDATA to TXP/TXN

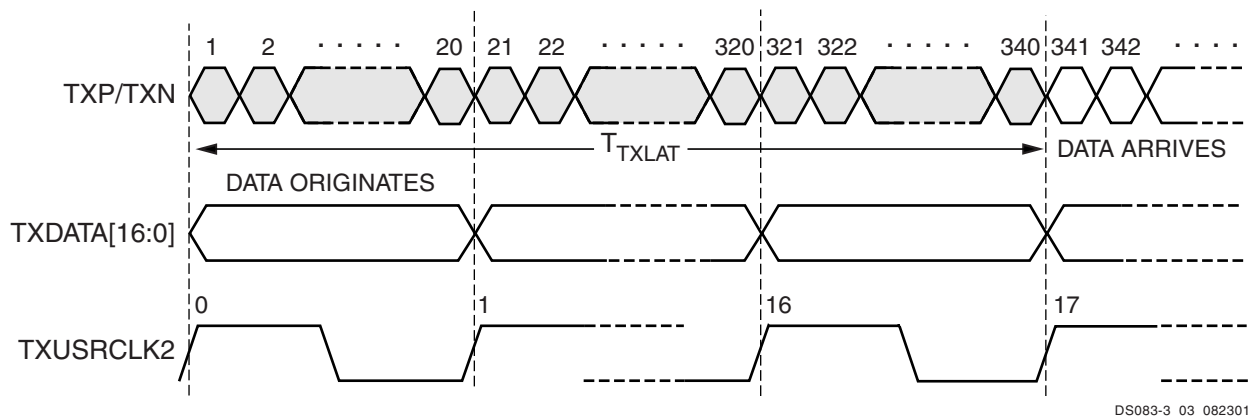


Figure 3: Transmit Latency (Maximum, Including CRC)



Table 24: RocketIO RXUSRCLK Switching Characteristics

		Speed Grade			
Description	Symbol	-7	-6	-5	Units
Setup and Hold Relative to Clock (RXUSRCLK)					
CHBONDI control inputs	T <sub>GCKK_CHBI</sub> /T <sub>GCKC_CHBI</sub>	0.00/0.12	0.00/0.12	0.00/ 0.14	ns, min
Clock to Out					
CHBONDO control outputs	T <sub>GCKCO_CHBO</sub>	0.50	0.50	0.55	ns, max
Clock					
RXUSRCLK minimum pulse width, High	T <sub>GPWH_RX</sub>	0.80	0.80	0.88	ns, min
RXUSRCLK minimum pulse width, Low	T <sub>GPWL_RX</sub>	0.40	0.40	0.44	ns, min

Table 25: RocketIO RXUSRCLK2 Switching Characteristics

		Speed Grade			
Description	Symbol	-7	-6	-5	Units
Setup and Hold Relative to Clock (RXUSRCLK2)					
RXRESET control input	T <sub>GCKK_RRST</sub> /T <sub>GCKC_RRST</sub>	0.02/0.00	0.02/0.00	0.02/0.00	ns, min
RXPOLARITY control input	T <sub>GCKK_RPOL</sub> /T <sub>GCKC_RPOL</sub>	0.02/0.00	0.02/0.00	0.02/0.00	ns, min
ENCHANSYNC control input	T <sub>GCKK_ECSY</sub> /T <sub>GCKC_ECSY</sub>	0.02/0.00	0.02/0.00	0.02/0.00	ns, min
Clock to Out					
RXNOTINTABLE status outputs	T <sub>GCKST_RNIT</sub>	0.50	0.50	0.55	ns, max
RXDISPERR status outputs	T <sub>GCKST_RDERR</sub>	0.50	0.50	0.55	ns, max
RXCHARISCOMMA status outputs	T <sub>GCKST_RCMCH</sub>	0.50	0.50	0.55	ns, max
RXREALIGN status output	T <sub>GCKST_ALIGN</sub>	0.41	0.41	0.46	ns, max
RXCOMMADET status output	T <sub>GCKST_CMDT</sub>	0.41	0.41	0.46	ns, max
RXLOSSOFSYNC status outputs	T <sub>GCKST_RLOS</sub>	0.50	0.50	0.55	ns, max
RXCLKCORCNT status outputs	T <sub>GCKST_RCCCNT</sub>	0.41	0.41	0.46	ns, max
RXBUFSTATUS status outputs	T <sub>GCKST_RBSTA</sub>	0.45	0.45	0.50	ns, max
RXCHECKINGCRC status output	T <sub>GCKST_RCCRC</sub>	0.36	0.40	0.44	ns, max
RXRCRCERR status output	T <sub>GCKST_RCRCE</sub>	0.36	0.40	0.44	ns, max
CHBONDDONE status output	T <sub>GCKST_CHBD</sub>	0.50	0.50	0.55	ns, max
RXCHARISK status outputs	T <sub>GCKST_RKCH</sub>	0.50	0.50	0.55	ns, max
RXRUNDISP status outputs	T <sub>GCKST_RRDIS</sub>	0.50	0.50	0.55	ns, max
RXDATA data outputs	T <sub>GCKDO_RDAT</sub>	0.50	0.50	0.55	ns, max
Clock					
RXUSRCLK2 minimum pulse width, High	T <sub>GPWH_RX2</sub>	0.40	0.40	0.44	ns, min
RXUSRCLK2 minimum pulse width, Low	T <sub>GPWL_RX2</sub>	0.20	0.20	0.22	ns, min

Table 26: RocketIO TXUSRCLK Switching Characteristics

		Speed Grade			
Description	Symbol	-7	-6	-5	Units
Setup and Hold Relative to Clock (TXUSRCLK2)					
CONFIGENABLE control input	T <sub>GCKK_CFGEN</sub> /T <sub>GCKC_CFGEN</sub>	0.35/0.10	0.35/0.10	0.39/ 0.11	ns, min
TXBYPASS8B10B control inputs	T <sub>GCKK_TBYP</sub> /T <sub>GCKC_TBYP</sub>	0.02/0.00	0.02/0.00	0.02/ 0.00	ns, min
TXFORCECRCERR control input	T <sub>GCKK_TCRCE</sub> /T <sub>GCKC_TCRCE</sub>	0.39/0.12	0.44/0.14	0.49/ 0.15	ns, min
TXPOLARITY control input	T <sub>GCKK_TPOL</sub> /T <sub>GCKC_TPOL</sub>	0.02/0.00	0.02/0.00	0.02/ 0.00	ns, min
TXINHIBIT control inputs	T <sub>GCKK_TINH</sub> /T <sub>GCKC_TINH</sub>	0.02/0.00	0.02/0.00	0.02/ 0.00	ns, min
LOOPBACK control inputs	T <sub>GCKK_LBK</sub> /T <sub>GCKC_LBK</sub>	0.02/0.00	0.02/0.00	0.02/ 0.00	ns, min
TXRESET control input	T <sub>GCKK_TRST</sub> /T <sub>GCKC_TRST</sub>	0.02/0.10	0.02/0.10	0.02/ 0.11	ns, min
TXCHARISK control inputs	T <sub>GCKK_TKCH</sub> /T <sub>GCKC_TKCH</sub>	0.02/0.00	0.02/0.00	0.02/ 0.00	ns, min
TXCHARDISPMODE control inputs	T <sub>GCKK_TCDM</sub> /T <sub>GCKC_TCDM</sub>	0.02/0.00	0.02/0.00	0.02/ 0.00	ns, min
TXCHARDISPVAL control inputs	T <sub>GCKK_TCDV</sub> /T <sub>GCKC_TCDV</sub>	0.02/0.00	0.02/0.00	0.02/ 0.00	ns, min
CONFIGIN data input	T <sub>GDCK_CFGIN</sub> /T <sub>GCKD_CFGIN</sub>	0.35/0.10	0.35/0.10	0.39/ 0.11	ns, min
TXDATA data inputs	T <sub>GDCK_TDAT</sub> /T <sub>GCKD_TDAT</sub>	0.02/0.00	0.02/0.00	0.02/ 0.00	ns, min
Clock to Out					
TXBUFERR status output	T <sub>GCKST_TBERR</sub>	0.54	0.54	0.60	ns, max
TXKERR status outputs	T <sub>GCKST_TKERR</sub>	0.41	0.41	0.46	ns, max
TXRUNDISP status outputs	T <sub>GCKST_TRDIS</sub>	0.41	0.41	0.46	ns, max
CONFIGOUT data output	T <sub>GCKDO_CFGOUT</sub>	0.25	0.25	0.28	ns, max
Clock					
TXUSRCLK minimum pulse width, High	T <sub>GPWH_TX</sub>	0.80	0.80	0.88	ns, min
TXUSRCLK minimum pulse width, Low	T <sub>GPWL_TX</sub>	0.40	0.40	0.44	ns, min
TXUSRCLK2 minimum pulse width, High	T <sub>GPWH_TX2</sub>	0.40	0.40	0.44	ns, min
TXUSRCLK2 minimum pulse width, Low	T <sub>GPWL_TX2</sub>	0.20	0.20	0.22	ns, min

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## IOB Input Switching Characteristics

Input delays associated with the pad are specified for LVCMOS 2.5V levels. For other standards, adjust the delays with the values shown in [IOB Input Switching Characteristics Standard Adjustments](#).

Table 27: IOB Input Switching Characteristics

			Speed Grade			
Description	Symbol	Device	-7	-6	-5	Units
Propagation Delays						
Pad to I output, no delay	T <sub>IOPI</sub>	All			0.75	ns, max
Pad to I output, with delay	T <sub>IOPID</sub>	XC2VP2			1.99	ns, max
		XC2VP4			1.99	ns, max
		XC2VP7			1.99	ns, max
		XC2VP20			2.40	ns, max
		XC2VP30				ns, max
		XC2VP40				ns, max
		XC2VP50			3.04	ns, max
		XC2VP70				ns, max
		XC2VP100				ns, max
		XC2VP125				ns, max
Propagation Delays						
Pad to output IQ via transparent latch, no delay	T <sub>IOPLI</sub>	All			0.96	ns, max
Pad to output IQ via transparent latch, with delay	T <sub>IOPLID</sub>	XC2VP2			3.76	ns, max
		XC2VP4			3.76	ns, max
		XC2VP7			3.76	ns, max
		XC2VP20			4.21	ns, max
		XC2VP30				
		XC2VP40				
		XC2VP50			5.17	ns, max
		XC2VP70				
		XC2VP100				
		XC2VP125				
Clock CLK to output IQ	T <sub>IOCKIQ</sub>	All			0.71	ns, max
Setup and Hold Times With Respect to Clock at IOB Input Register						
Pad, no delay	T <sub>IOPICK</sub> /T <sub>IOICKP</sub>	All			0.74/–0.40	ns, min

Table 27: IOB Input Switching Characteristics (Continued)

Description	Symbol	Device	Speed Grade			Units
			-7	-6	-5	
Pad, with delay	$T_{IOICKD}/T_{IOICKPD}$	XC2VP2			4.07/–2.73	ns, max
		XC2VP4			4.07/–2.73	ns, max
		XC2VP7			4.07/–2.73	ns, max
		XC2VP20			4.47/–3.01	ns, max
		XC2VP30				
		XC2VP40				
		XC2VP50			5.12/–3.46	ns, max
		XC2VP70				
		XC2VP100				
		XC2VP125				
ICE input	$T_{IOICECK}/T_{IOICKICE}$	All			0.39/ 0.01	ns, min
SR input (IFF, synchronous)	$T_{IOSRCKI}$	All			0.77	ns, min
<b>Set/Reset Delays</b>						
SR input to IQ (asynchronous)	$T_{IOSRIQ}$	All			1.58	ns, max
GSR to output IQ	$T_{GSRQ}$	All			10.00	ns, max

**Notes:**

1. Input timing for LVCMOS25 is measured at 1.25V. For other I/O standards, see Table 31.

## IOB Input Switching Characteristics Standard Adjustments

Table 28: IOB Input Switching Characteristics Standard Adjustments

			Speed Grade			
Description	Symbol	Standard	-7	-6	-5	Units
Data Input Delay Adjustments						
Standard-specific data input delay adjustments	T <sub>ILVCMOS25</sub>	LVC MOS25			0.00	ns
	T <sub>ILVCMOS18</sub>	LVC MOS18			0.26	ns
	T <sub>ILVCMOS15</sub>	LVC MOS15			0.43	ns
	T <sub>ILVDS_25</sub>	LVDS_25			0.35	ns
	T <sub>IPCI33_3</sub>	PCI, 33 MHz, 3.3V			0.15	ns
	T <sub>IPCI66_3</sub>	PCI, 66 MHz, 3.3V			0.15	ns
	T <sub>IGTL</sub>	GTL			0.68	ns
	T <sub>IGTLP</sub>	GTLP			0.66	ns
	T <sub>IHSTL_I</sub>	HSTL_I			0.72	ns
	T <sub>IHSTL_II</sub>	HSTL_II			0.69	ns
	T <sub>IHSTL_III</sub>	HSTL_III			0.70	ns
	T <sub>IHSTL_IV</sub>	HSTL_IV			0.71	ns
	T <sub>IHSTL_I_18</sub>	HSTL_I_18			0.72	ns
	T <sub>IHSTL_II_18</sub>	HSTL_II_18			0.69	ns
	T <sub>IHSTL_III_18</sub>	HSTL_III_18			0.70	ns
	T <sub>IHSTL_IV_18</sub>	HSTL_IV_18			0.71	ns
	T <sub>ISSTL2_I</sub>	SSTL2_I			0.56	ns
	T <sub>ISSTL2_II</sub>	SSTL2_II			0.65	ns
	T <sub>ILVDCI33</sub>	LVDCI_33			-0.05	ns
	T <sub>ILVDCI25</sub>	LVDCI_25			0.00	ns
	T <sub>ILVDCI18</sub>	LVDCI_18			0.08	ns
	T <sub>ILVDCI15</sub>	LVDCI_15			0.15	ns
	T <sub>ILVDCI_DV2_25</sub>	LVDCI_DV2_25			0.00	ns
	T <sub>ILVDCI_DV2_18</sub>	LVDCI_DV2_18			0.08	ns
	T <sub>ILVDCI_DV2_15</sub>	LVDCI_DV2_15			0.15	ns
	T <sub>IGTL_DCI</sub>	GTL_DCI			0.54	ns
	T <sub>IGTLP_DCI</sub>	GTLP_DCI			0.30	ns
	T <sub>IHSTL_I_DCI</sub>	HSTL_I_DCI			0.30	ns
	T <sub>IHSTL_II_DCI</sub>	HSTL_II_DCI			0.30	ns
	T <sub>IHSTL_III_DCI</sub>	HSTL_III_DCI			0.30	ns
	T <sub>IHSTL_IV_DCI</sub>	HSTL_IV_DCI			0.30	ns
	T <sub>IHSTL_I_DCI_18</sub>	HSTL_I_DCI_18			0.30	ns
	T <sub>IHSTL_II_DCI_18</sub>	HSTL_II_DCI_18			0.30	ns
	T <sub>IHSTL_III_DCI_18</sub>	HSTL_III_DCI_18			0.30	ns

Table 28: IOB Input Switching Characteristics Standard Adjustments (Continued)

Description	Symbol	Standard	Speed Grade			Units
			-7	-6	-5	
	T <sub>IHSTL_IV_DCI_18</sub>	HSTL_IV_DCI_18			0.30	ns
	T <sub>ISSTL2_I_DCI</sub>	SSTL2_I_DCI			0.19	ns
	T <sub>ISSTL2_II_DCI</sub>	SSTL2_II_DCI			0.19	ns
	T <sub>ILVDSEXT_25</sub>	LVDSEXT_25			0.35	ns
	T <sub>ILDT_25</sub>	LDT_25			0.34	ns
	T <sub>IBLVDS_25</sub>	BLVDS_25			0.00	ns
	T <sub>IULVDS_25</sub>	ULVDS_25			0.34	ns
	T <sub>ILVDS_25_DCI</sub>	LVDS_25_DCI			0.19	ns
	T <sub>ILVDSEXT_25_DCI</sub>	LVDSEXT_25_DCI			0.35	ns
	T <sub>ILVPECL_25</sub>	LVPECL_25			0.76	ns
	T <sub>ISSTL18_I</sub>	SSTL18_I			0.56	ns
	T <sub>ISSTL18_II</sub>	SSTL18_II			0.65	ns
	T <sub>ISSTL18_I_DCI</sub>	SSTL18_I_DCI			0.56	ns
	T <sub>ISSTL18_II_DCI</sub>	SSTL18_II_DCI			0.65	ns

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## IOB Output Switching Characteristics

Output delays terminating at a pad are specified for LVCMOS25 with 12 mA drive and fast slew rate. For other standards, adjust the delays with the values shown in [IOB Output Switching Characteristics Standard Adjustments](#).

Table 29: IOB Output Switching Characteristics

		Speed Grade			
Description	Symbol	-7	-6	-5	Units
Propagation Delays					
O input to Pad	T <sub>IOOP</sub>			3.42	ns, max
O input to Pad via transparent latch	T <sub>IOOLP</sub>			3.55	ns, max
3-State Delays					
T input to Pad high-impedance <sup>(2)</sup>	T <sub>IOTHZ</sub>			0.88	ns, max
T input to valid data on Pad	T <sub>IOTP</sub>			3.45	ns, max
T input to Pad high-impedance via transparent latch <sup>(2)</sup>	T <sub>IOTLPHZ</sub>			0.90	ns, max
T input to valid data on Pad via transparent latch	T <sub>IOTLPON</sub>			3.49	ns, max
GTS to Pad high-impedance <sup>(2)</sup>	T <sub>GTS</sub>			7.78	ns, max
Sequential Delays					
Clock CLK to Pad	T <sub>IOCKP</sub>			3.59	ns, max
Clock CLK to Pad high-impedance (synchronous) <sup>(2)</sup>	T <sub>IOCKHZ</sub>			1.28	ns, max
Clock CLK to valid data on Pad (synchronous)	T <sub>IOCKON</sub>			3.85	ns, max
Setup and Hold Times Before/After Clock CLK					
O input	T <sub>IOOCK</sub> /T <sub>IOCKO</sub>			0.18/ 0.12	ns, min
OCE input	T <sub>IOOCECK</sub> /T <sub>IOCKOCE</sub>			0.39/ 0.01	ns, min
SR input (OFF)	T <sub>IOSRCKO</sub> /T <sub>IOCKOSR</sub>			0.77/ 0.00	ns, min
3-State Setup Times, T input	T <sub>IOTCK</sub> /T <sub>IOCKT</sub>			0.18/ 0.12	ns, min
3-State Setup Times, TCE input	T <sub>IOTCECK</sub> /T <sub>IOCKTCE</sub>			0.39/ 0.01	ns, min
3-State Setup Times, SR input (TFF)	T <sub>IOSRCKT</sub> /T <sub>IOCKTSR</sub>			0.77/ 0.00	ns, min
Set/Reset Delays					
SR input to Pad (asynchronous)	T <sub>IOSRP</sub>			4.57	ns, max
SR input to Pad high-impedance (asynchronous) <sup>(2)</sup>	T <sub>IOSRHZ</sub>			1.93	ns, max
SR input to valid data on Pad (asynchronous)	T <sub>IOSRON</sub>			4.51	ns, max
GSR to Pad	T <sub>IOGSRQ</sub>			7.43	ns, max

### Notes:

1. A Zero "0" Hold Time listing indicates no hold time or a negative hold time. Negative values can not be guaranteed "best-case", but if a "0" is listed, there is no positive hold time.
2. The 3-state turn-off delays should not be adjusted.

## IOB Output Switching Characteristics Standard Adjustments

Output delays terminating at a pad are specified for LVCMOS25 with 12 mA drive and fast slew rate. For other standards,



adjust the delays by the values shown.

Table 30: IOB Output Switching Characteristics Standard Adjustments

Output Delay Adjustments			Speed Grade			Units
Description	Symbol	Standard	-7	-6	-5	
Standard-specific adjustments for output delays terminating at pads (based on standard capacitive load, Csl)	T <sub>OLVDS_25</sub>	LVDS			−0.77	ns
	T <sub>OLVDSEXT_25</sub>	LVDSEXT			−0.64	ns
	T <sub>OLDT_25</sub>	LDT			−0.63	ns
	T <sub>OBLVDS_25</sub>	BLVDS			0.00	ns
	T <sub>OULVDS_25</sub>	ULVDS			−0.63	ns
	T <sub>OPCI33_3</sub>	PCI, 33 MHz, 3.3V			0.28	ns
	T <sub>OPCI66_3</sub>	PCI, 66 MHz, 3.3V			0.31	ns
	T <sub>OGTL</sub>	GTL			1.01	ns
	T <sub>OGTLP</sub>	GTLP			3.38	ns
	T <sub>OHSTL_I</sub>	HSTL_I			0.01	ns
	T <sub>OHSTL_II</sub>	HSTL_II			−0.36	ns
	T <sub>OHSTL_III</sub>	HSTL_III			−0.33	ns
	T <sub>OHSTL_IV</sub>	HSTL_IV			0.89	ns
	T <sub>OHSTL_I_18</sub>	HSTL_I_18			−0.09	ns
	T <sub>OHSTL_II_18</sub>	HSTL_II_18			−0.47	ns
	T <sub>OHSTL_III_18</sub>	HSTL_III_18			−0.36	ns
	T <sub>OHSTL_IV_18</sub>	HSTL_IV_18			0.86	ns
	T <sub>OSSTL2_I</sub>	SSTL2_I			0.05	ns
	T <sub>OSSTL2_II</sub>	SSTL2_II			−0.66	ns
	T <sub>OLVCMOS25_S2</sub>	LVC MOS25, Slow, 2 mA			12.96	ns
	T <sub>OLVCMOS25_S4</sub>	4 mA			6.42	ns
	T <sub>OLVCMOS25_S6</sub>	6 mA			4.17	ns
	T <sub>OLVCMOS25_S8</sub>	8 mA			2.61	ns
	T <sub>OLVCMOS25_S12</sub>	12 mA			1.42	ns
	T <sub>OLVCMOS25_S16</sub>	16 mA			0.83	ns
	T <sub>OLVCMOS25_S24</sub>	24 mA			0.19	ns
	T <sub>OLVCMOS25_F2</sub>	LVC MOS25, Fast, 2 mA			11.84	ns
	T <sub>OLVCMOS25_F4</sub>	4 mA			4.74	ns
	T <sub>OLVCMOS25_F6</sub>	6 mA			2.85	ns
	T <sub>OLVCMOS25_F8</sub>	8 mA			1.22	ns
	T <sub>OLVCMOS25_F12</sub>	12 mA			0.00	ns
	T <sub>OLVCMOS25_F16</sub>	16 mA			−0.17	ns
	T <sub>OLVCMOS25_F24</sub>	24 mA			−0.44	ns
	T <sub>OLVCMOS18_S2</sub>	LVC MOS18, Slow, 2 mA			10.06	ns
	T <sub>OLVCMOS18_S4</sub>	4 mA			6.26	ns
	T <sub>OLVCMOS18_S6</sub>	6 mA			3.85	ns

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Table 30: IOB Output Switching Characteristics Standard Adjustments (Continued)

Output Delay Adjustments			Speed Grade			Units
Description	Symbol	Standard	-7	-6	-5	
Standard-specific adjustments for output delays terminating at pads (based on standard capacitive load, Csl)	T <sub>OLVCMOS18_S8</sub>	8 mA			3.94	ns
	T <sub>OLVCMOS18_S12</sub>	12 mA			3.16	ns
	T <sub>OLVCMOS18_S16</sub>	16 mA			1.21	ns
	T <sub>OLVCMOS18_F2</sub>	LVC MOS18, Fast, 2 mA			8.83	ns
	T <sub>OLVCMOS18_F4</sub>	4 mA			3.46	ns
	T <sub>OLVCMOS18_F6</sub>	6 mA			1.69	ns
	T <sub>OLVCMOS18_F8</sub>	8 mA			1.24	ns
	T <sub>OLVCMOS18_F12</sub>	12 mA			0.49	ns
	T <sub>OLVCMOS18_F16</sub>	16 mA			-0.03	ns
	T <sub>OLVCMOS15_S2</sub>	LVC MOS15, Slow, 2 mA			12.76	ns
	T <sub>OLVCMOS15_S4</sub>	4 mA			8.73	ns
	T <sub>OLVCMOS15_S6</sub>	6 mA			5.66	ns
	T <sub>OLVCMOS15_S8</sub>	8 mA			4.85	ns
	T <sub>OLVCMOS15_S12</sub>	12 mA			2.14	ns
	T <sub>OLVCMOS15_S16</sub>	16 mA			1.99	ns
	T <sub>OLVCMOS15_F2</sub>	LVC MOS15, Fast, 2 mA			7.84	ns
	T <sub>OLVCMOS15_F4</sub>	4 mA			4.10	ns
	T <sub>OLVCMOS15_F6</sub>	6 mA			1.34	ns
	T <sub>OLVCMOS15_F8</sub>	8 mA			2.32	ns
	T <sub>OLVCMOS15_F12</sub>	12 mA			0.12	ns
	T <sub>OLVCMOS15_F16</sub>	16 mA			0.18	ns
	T <sub>OLVDCI33</sub>	LVDCI_33			1.89	ns
	T <sub>OLVDCI25</sub>	LVDCI_25			1.72	ns
	T <sub>OLVDCI18</sub>	LVDCI_18			2.61	ns
	T <sub>OLVDCI15</sub>	LVDCI_15			3.58	ns
	T <sub>OLVDCI_DV2_25</sub>	LVDCI_DV2_25			-0.02	ns
	T <sub>OLVDCI_DV2_18</sub>	LVDCI_DV2_18			0.43	ns
	T <sub>OLVDCI_DV2_15</sub>	LVDCI_DV2_15			1.00	ns
	T <sub>OGTL_DCI</sub>	GTL_DCI			1.10	ns
	T <sub>OGTLP_DCI</sub>	GTLP_DCI			3.23	ns
	T <sub>OHSTL_I_DCI</sub>	HSTL_I_DCI			0.00	ns
	T <sub>OHSTL_II_DCI</sub>	HSTL_II_DCI			-0.22	ns
	T <sub>OHSTL_III_DCI</sub>	HSTL_III_DCI			-0.32	ns
	T <sub>OHSTL_IV_DCI</sub>	HSTL_IV_DCI			1.93	ns
	T <sub>OHSTL_I_DCI_18</sub>	HSTL_I_DCI_18			-0.13	ns
	T <sub>OHSTL_II_DCI_18</sub>	HSTL_II_DCI_18			-0.35	ns
	T <sub>OHSTL_III_DCI_18</sub>	HSTL_III_DCI_18			-0.40	ns
	T <sub>OHSTL_IV_DCI_18</sub>	HSTL_IV_DCI_18			1.30	ns

Table 30: IOB Output Switching Characteristics Standard Adjustments (Continued)

Output Delay Adjustments			Speed Grade			Units
Description	Symbol	Standard	-7	-6	-5	
Standard-specific adjustments for output delays terminating at pads (based on standard capacitive load, Csl)	$T_{OSSTL2\_I\_DCI}$	SSTL2_I_DCI			-0.15	ns
	$T_{OSSTL2\_II\_DCI}$	SSTL2_II_DCI			-0.38	ns
	$T_{OLVPECL\_25}$	LVPECL_25			0.21	ns
	$T_{OSSTL18\_I}$	SSTL18_I			0.04	ns
	$T_{OSSTL18\_II}$	SSTL18_II			-0.66	ns
	$T_{OSSTL18\_I\_DCI}$	SSTL18_I_DCI			-0.15	ns
	$T_{OSSTL18\_II\_DCI}$	SSTL18_II_DCI			-0.39	ns

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Table 31: Delay Measurement Methodology

Standard	$V_L^{(1)}$	$V_H^{(1)}$	Meas. Point	$V_{REF} (Typ)^{(2)}$
LVC MOS25	0	2.5	1.25	—
LVC MOS18	0	1.8	0.9	—
LVC MOS15	0	1.5	0.75	—
PCI33_3	Per PCI Specification			—
PCI66_3	Per PCI Specification			—
GTL	$V_{REF} - 0.2$	$V_{REF} + 0.2$	$V_{REF}$	0.80
GTLP	$V_{REF} - 0.2$	$V_{REF} + 0.2$	$V_{REF}$	1.0
HSTL Class I	$V_{REF} - 0.5$	$V_{REF} + 0.5$	$V_{REF}$	0.75
HSTL Class II	$V_{REF} - 0.5$	$V_{REF} + 0.5$	$V_{REF}$	0.75
HSTL Class III	$V_{REF} - 0.5$	$V_{REF} + 0.5$	$V_{REF}$	0.90
HSTL Class IV	$V_{REF} - 0.5$	$V_{REF} + 0.5$	$V_{REF}$	0.90
HSTL Class I (1.8V)	$V_{REF} - 0.5$	$V_{REF} + 0.5$	$V_{REF}$	1.08
HSTL Class II (1.8V)	$V_{REF} - 0.5$	$V_{REF} + 0.5$	$V_{REF}$	1.08
HSTL Class III (1.8V)	$V_{REF} - 0.5$	$V_{REF} + 0.5$	$V_{REF}$	1.08
HSTL Class IV (1.8V)	$V_{REF} - 0.5$	$V_{REF} + 0.5$	$V_{REF}$	1.08
SSTL2 I & II	$V_{REF} - 0.75$	$V_{REF} + 0.75$	$V_{REF}$	1.25
SSTL18 I & II	$V_{REF} - 0.5$	$V_{REF} + 0.5$	$V_{REF}$	0.9
LVDS_25	1.2 – 0.125	1.2 + 0.125	1.2	
LVDSEXT_25	1.2 – 0.125	1.2 + 0.125	1.2	
ULVDS_25	0.6 – 0.125	0.6 + 0.125	0.6	
LDT_25	0.6 – 0.125	0.6 + 0.125	0.6	

**Notes:**

- Input waveform switches between  $V_L$  and  $V_H$ .
- Measurements are made at  $V_{REF} (Typ)$ , Maximum, and Minimum. Worst-case values are reported.

Table 32: Standard Capacitive Loads

Standard	CsI (pF)
LVC MOS25	35
LVC MOS18	35
LVC MOS15	35
PCI 33MHZ 3.3V	10
PCI 66 MHz 3.3V	10
GTL	10
GTLP	10
HSTL Class I (1.5V and 1.8V)	10
HSTL Class II (1.5V and 1.8V)	10
HSTL Class III (1.5V and 1.8V)	10
HSTL Class IV (1.5V and 1.8V)	10
SSTL2 Class I	10
SSTL2 Class II	10
SSTL18 Class I	10
SSTL18 Class II	10

**Notes:**

1. I/O parameter measurements are made with the capacitance values shown above.
2. I/O standard measurements are reflected in the IBIS model information except where the IBIS format precludes it.
3. Use of IBIS models results in a more accurate prediction of the propagation delay:
  - a. Model the output in an IBIS simulation into the standard capacitive load.
  - b. Record the relative time to the  $V_{OH}$  or  $V_{OL}$  transition of interest.
  - c. Remove the capacitance, and model the actual PCB traces (transmission lines) and actual loads from the appropriate IBIS models for driven devices.
  - d. Record the results from the new simulation.
  - e. Compare with the capacitance simulation. The increase or decrease in delay from the capacitive load delay simulation should be added or subtracted from the value above to predict the actual delay.

## CLB Switching Characteristics

Delays originating at F/G inputs vary slightly according to the input used (see Figure 24 in Module 1 of this data sheet). The values listed below are worst-case. Precise values are provided by the timing analyzer.

Table 33: CLB Switching Characteristics

		Speed Grade			
Description	Symbol	-7	-6	-5	Units
Combinatorial Delays					
4-input function: F/G inputs to X/Y outputs	T <sub>ILO</sub>	0.29	0.33	0.37	ns, max
5-input function: F/G inputs to F5 output	T <sub>IF5</sub>	0.62	0.70	0.77	ns, max
5-input function: F/G inputs to X output	T <sub>IF5X</sub>	0.59	0.67	0.74	ns, max
FXINA or FXINB inputs to Y output via MUXFX	T <sub>IFXY</sub>	0.30	0.34	0.38	ns, max
FXINA input to FX output via MUXFX	T <sub>INAFX</sub>	0.29	0.33	0.36	ns, max
FXINB input to FX output via MUXFX	T <sub>INBFX</sub>	0.29	0.33	0.36	ns, max
SOPIN input to SOPOUT output via ORCY	T <sub>SOPSOP</sub>	0.22	0.25	0.27	ns, max
Incremental delay routing through transparent latch to XQ/YQ outputs	T <sub>IFNCTL</sub>	0.28	0.32	0.35	ns, max
Sequential Delays					
FF Clock CLK to XQ/YQ outputs	T <sub>CKO</sub>	0.32	0.36	0.40	ns, max
Latch Clock CLK to XQ/YQ outputs	T <sub>CKLO</sub>	0.58	0.66	0.73	ns, max
Setup and Hold Times Before/After Clock CLK					
BX/BY inputs	T <sub>DICK</sub> /T <sub>CKDI</sub>	0.23/–0.06	0.26/–0.07	0.29/–0.08	ns, min
DY inputs	T <sub>DYCK</sub> /T <sub>CKDY</sub>	0.01/0.09	0.01/0.11	0.01/ 0.12	ns, min
DX inputs	T <sub>DXCK</sub> /T <sub>CKDX</sub>	0.01/0.09	0.01/0.11	0.01/ 0.12	ns, min
CE input	T <sub>CECK</sub> /T <sub>CKCE</sub>	0.31/0.01	0.35/0.01	0.39/ 0.01	ns, min
SR/BY inputs (synchronous)	T <sub>RCK</sub> /T <sub>CKR</sub>	0.69/–0.01	0.79/–0.01	0.87/–0.01	ns, min
Clock CLK					
Minimum Pulse Width, High	T <sub>CH</sub>	0.37	0.42	0.46	ns, min
Minimum Pulse Width, Low	T <sub>CL</sub>	0.37	0.42	0.46	ns, min
Set/Reset					
Minimum Pulse Width, SR/BY inputs	TRPW	0.37	0.42	0.46	ns, min
Delay from SR/BY inputs to XQ/YQ outputs (asynchronous)	TRQ	1.16	1.32	1.45	ns, max
Toggle Frequency (MHz) (for export control)	FTOG	1350	1200	1050	MHz

### Notes:

1. A Zero “0” Hold Time listing indicates no hold time or a negative hold time. Negative values can not be guaranteed “best-case”, but if a “0” is listed, there is no positive hold time.

## CLB Distributed RAM Switching Characteristics

Table 34: CLB Distributed RAM Switching Characteristics

		Speed Grade			
Description	Symbol	-7	-6	-5	Units
Sequential Delays					
Clock CLK to X/Y outputs (WE active) in 16 x 1 mode	T <sub>SHCKO16</sub>	1.30	1.48	1.63	ns, max
Clock CLK to X/Y outputs (WE active) in 32 x 1 mode	T <sub>SHCKO32</sub>	1.56	1.78	1.96	ns, max
Clock CLK to F5 output	T <sub>SHCKOF5</sub>	1.56	1.78	1.96	ns, max
Setup and Hold Times Before/After Clock CLK					
BX/BY data inputs (DIN)	T <sub>DS</sub> /T <sub>DH</sub>	0.35/−0.03	0.39/−0.04	0.43/−0.04	ns, min
F/G address inputs	T <sub>AS</sub> /T <sub>AH</sub>	0.42/0.00	0.47/0.00	0.52/ 0.00	ns, min
CE input (WE)	T <sub>WES</sub> /T <sub>WEH</sub>	0.21/0.04	0.24/0.05	0.26/ 0.05	ns, min
Clock CLK					
Minimum Pulse Width, High	T <sub>WPH</sub>	0.63	0.72	0.79	ns, min
Minimum Pulse Width, Low	T <sub>WPL</sub>	0.63	0.72	0.79	ns, min
Minimum clock period to meet address write cycle time	T <sub>WC</sub>	1.25	1.44	1.58	ns, min

**Notes:**

1. A Zero “0” Hold Time listing indicates no hold time or a negative hold time. Negative values can not be guaranteed “best-case”, but if a “0” is listed, there is no positive hold time.

## CLB Shift Register Switching Characteristics

Table 35: CLB Shift Register Switching Characteristics

		Speed Grade			
Description	Symbol	-7	-6	-5	Units
Sequential Delays					
Clock CLK to X/Y outputs	T <sub>REG</sub>	2.61	2.97	3.27	ns, max
Clock CLK to X/Y outputs	T <sub>REG32</sub>	2.87	3.27	3.59	ns, max
Clock CLK to XB output via MC15 LUT output	T <sub>REGXB</sub>	2.62	2.99	3.29	ns, max
Clock CLK to YB output via MC15 LUT output	T <sub>REGYB</sub>	2.60	2.97	3.26	ns, max
Clock CLK to Shiftout	T <sub>CKSH</sub>	2.53	2.88	3.17	ns, max
Clock CLK to F5 output	T <sub>REGF5</sub>	2.86	3.27	3.59	ns, max
Setup and Hold Times Before/After Clock CLK					
BX/BY data inputs (DIN)	T <sub>SRLDS</sub> /T <sub>SRLDH</sub>	0.84/−0.15	0.96/−0.17	1.06/−0.19	ns, min
CE input (WS)	T <sub>WSS</sub> /T <sub>WSH</sub>	0.31/0.01	0.35/0.01	0.39/ 0.01	ns, min
Clock CLK					
Minimum Pulse Width, High	T <sub>SRPH</sub>	0.63	0.72	0.79	ns, min
Minimum Pulse Width, Low	T <sub>SRPL</sub>	0.63	0.72	0.79	ns, min

**Notes:**

1. A Zero “0” Hold Time listing indicates no hold time or a negative hold time. Negative values cannot be guaranteed “best-case”, but if a “0” is listed, there is no positive hold time.

## Multiplier Switching Characteristics

Table 36: Multiplier Switching Characteristics

		Speed Grade			
Description	Symbol	-7	-6	-5	Units
Propagation Delay to Output Pin					
Input to Pin35	T <sub>MULT_P35</sub>	4.04	4.66	5.14	ns, max
Input to Pin34	T <sub>MULT_P34</sub>	3.96	4.57	5.03	ns, max
Input to Pin33	T <sub>MULT_P33</sub>	3.88	4.47	4.93	ns, max
Input to Pin32	T <sub>MULT_P32</sub>	3.79	4.37	4.82	ns, max
Input to Pin31	T <sub>MULT_P31</sub>	3.71	4.28	4.71	ns, max
Input to Pin30	T <sub>MULT_P30</sub>	3.62	4.18	4.61	ns, max
Input to Pin29	T <sub>MULT_P29</sub>	3.54	4.08	4.50	ns, max
Input to Pin28	T <sub>MULT_P28</sub>	3.46	3.99	4.39	ns, max
Input to Pin27	T <sub>MULT_P27</sub>	3.37	3.89	4.28	ns, max
Input to Pin26	T <sub>MULT_P26</sub>	3.29	3.79	4.18	ns, max
Input to Pin25	T <sub>MULT_P25</sub>	3.20	3.69	4.07	ns, max
Input to Pin24	T <sub>MULT_P24</sub>	3.12	3.60	3.96	ns, max
Input to Pin23	T <sub>MULT_P23</sub>	3.04	3.50	3.86	ns, max
Input to Pin22	T <sub>MULT_P22</sub>	2.95	3.40	3.75	ns, max
Input to Pin21	T <sub>MULT_P21</sub>	2.87	3.31	3.64	ns, max
Input to Pin20	T <sub>MULT_P20</sub>	2.78	3.21	3.54	ns, max
Input to Pin19	T <sub>MULT_P19</sub>	2.70	3.11	3.43	ns, max
Input to Pin18	T <sub>MULT_P18</sub>	2.62	3.02	3.32	ns, max
Input to Pin17	T <sub>MULT_P17</sub>	2.53	2.92	3.21	ns, max
Input to Pin16	T <sub>MULT_P16</sub>	2.45	2.82	3.11	ns, max
Input to Pin15	T <sub>MULT_P15</sub>	2.36	2.72	3.00	ns, max
Input to Pin14	T <sub>MULT_P14</sub>	2.28	2.63	2.89	ns, max
Input to Pin13	T <sub>MULT_P13</sub>	2.20	2.53	2.79	ns, max
Input to Pin12	T <sub>MULT_P12</sub>	2.11	2.43	2.68	ns, max
Input to Pin11	T <sub>MULT_P11</sub>	2.03	2.34	2.57	ns, max
Input to Pin10	T <sub>MULT_P10</sub>	1.94	2.24	2.47	ns, max
Input to Pin9	T <sub>MULT_P9</sub>	1.86	2.14	2.36	ns, max
Input to Pin8	T <sub>MULT_P8</sub>	1.78	2.05	2.25	ns, max
Input to Pin7	T <sub>MULT_P7</sub>	1.69	1.95	2.14	ns, max
Input to Pin6	T <sub>MULT_P6</sub>	1.61	1.85	2.04	ns, max
Input to Pin5	T <sub>MULT_P5</sub>	1.52	1.75	1.93	ns, max
Input to Pin4	T <sub>MULT_P4</sub>	1.44	1.66	1.82	ns, max
Input to Pin3	T <sub>MULT_P3</sub>	1.36	1.56	1.72	ns, max
Input to Pin2	T <sub>MULT_P2</sub>	1.27	1.46	1.61	ns, max
Input to Pin1	T <sub>MULT_P1</sub>	1.19	1.37	1.50	ns, max
Input to Pin0	T <sub>MULT_P0</sub>	1.10	1.27	1.40	ns, max

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Table 37: Pipelined Multiplier Switching Characteristics

Description	Symbol	Speed Grade			Units
		-7	-6	-5	
Setup and Hold Times Before/After Clock					
Data Inputs	T <sub>MULIDCK</sub> /T <sub>MULCKID</sub>	2.61/0.00	3.00/0.00	3.45/ 0.00	ns, max
Clock Enable	T <sub>MULIDCK_CE</sub> /T <sub>MULCKID_CE</sub>	0.63/0.00	0.72/0.00	0.80/ 0.00	ns, max
Reset	T <sub>MULIDCK_RST</sub> /T <sub>MULCKID_RST</sub>	0.63/0.00	0.72/0.00	0.80/ 0.00	ns, max
Clock to Output Pin					
Clock to Pin35	T <sub>MULTCK_P35</sub>	2.64	3.05	3.36	ns, max
Clock to Pin34	T <sub>MULTCK_P34</sub>	2.56	2.95	3.25	ns, max
Clock to Pin33	T <sub>MULTCK_P33</sub>	2.48	2.85	3.14	ns, max
Clock to Pin32	T <sub>MULTCK_P32</sub>	2.39	2.76	3.04	ns, max
Clock to Pin31	T <sub>MULTCK_P31</sub>	2.31	2.66	2.93	ns, max
Clock to Pin30	T <sub>MULTCK_P30</sub>	2.22	2.56	2.82	ns, max
Clock to Pin29	T <sub>MULTCK_P29</sub>	2.14	2.47	2.72	ns, max
Clock to Pin28	T <sub>MULTCK_P28</sub>	2.06	2.37	2.61	ns, max
Clock to Pin27	T <sub>MULTCK_P27</sub>	1.97	2.27	2.50	ns, max
Clock to Pin26	T <sub>MULTCK_P26</sub>	1.89	2.17	2.40	ns, max
Clock to Pin25	T <sub>MULTCK_P25</sub>	1.80	2.08	2.29	ns, max
Clock to Pin24	T <sub>MULTCK_P24</sub>	1.72	1.98	2.18	ns, max
Clock to Pin23	T <sub>MULTCK_P23</sub>	1.64	1.88	2.07	ns, max
Clock to Pin22	T <sub>MULTCK_P22</sub>	1.55	1.79	1.97	ns, max
Clock to Pin21	T <sub>MULTCK_P21</sub>	1.47	1.69	1.86	ns, max
Clock to Pin20	T <sub>MULTCK_P20</sub>	1.38	1.59	1.75	ns, max
Clock to Pin19	T <sub>MULTCK_P19</sub>	1.30	1.50	1.65	ns, max
Clock to Pin18	T <sub>MULTCK_P18</sub>	1.22	1.40	1.54	ns, max
Clock to Pin17	T <sub>MULTCK_P17</sub>	1.13	1.30	1.43	ns, max
Clock to Pin16	T <sub>MULTCK_P16</sub>	1.05	1.20	1.33	ns, max
Clock to Pin15	T <sub>MULTCK_P15</sub>	0.96	1.11	1.22	ns, max
Clock to Pin14	T <sub>MULTCK_P14</sub>	0.88	1.01	1.11	ns, max
Clock to Pin13	T <sub>MULTCK_P13</sub>	0.80	0.91	1.00	ns, max
Clock to Pin12	T <sub>MULTCK_P12</sub>	0.80	0.91	1.00	ns, max
Clock to Pin11	T <sub>MULTCK_P11</sub>	0.80	0.91	1.00	ns, max
Clock to Pin10	T <sub>MULTCK_P10</sub>	0.80	0.91	1.00	ns, max
Clock to Pin9	T <sub>MULTCK_P9</sub>	0.80	0.91	1.00	ns, max
Clock to Pin8	T <sub>MULTCK_P8</sub>	0.80	0.91	1.00	ns, max
Clock to Pin7	T <sub>MULTCK_P7</sub>	0.80	0.91	1.00	ns, max
Clock to Pin6	T <sub>MULTCK_P6</sub>	0.80	0.91	1.00	ns, max
Clock to Pin5	T <sub>MULTCK_P5</sub>	0.80	0.91	1.00	ns, max
Clock to Pin4	T <sub>MULTCK_P4</sub>	0.80	0.91	1.00	ns, max
Clock to Pin3	T <sub>MULTCK_P3</sub>	0.80	0.91	1.00	ns, max
Clock to Pin2	T <sub>MULTCK_P2</sub>	0.80	0.91	1.00	ns, max
Clock to Pin1	T <sub>MULTCK_P1</sub>	0.80	0.91	1.00	ns, max
Clock to Pin0	T <sub>MULTCK_P0</sub>	0.80	0.91	1.00	ns, max

## Block SelectRAM+ Switching Characteristics

Table 38: Block SelectRAM+ Switching Characteristics

		Speed Grade			
Description	Symbol	-7	-6	-5	Units
Sequential Delays					
Clock CLK to DOUT output	T <sub>BCKO</sub>	1.80	2.06	2.26	ns, max
Setup and Hold Times Before Clock CLK					
ADDR inputs	T <sub>BACK</sub> /T <sub>BCKA</sub>	0.28/0.00	0.32/0.00	0.35/ 0.00	ns, min
DIN inputs	T <sub>BDCK</sub> /T <sub>BCKD</sub>	0.28/0.00	0.32/0.00	0.35/ 0.00	ns, min
EN input	T <sub>BECK</sub> /T <sub>BCKE</sub>	0.91/−0.44	1.04/−0.50	1.15/−0.56	ns, min
RST input	T <sub>BRCK</sub> /T <sub>BCKR</sub>	1.25/−0.68	1.44/−0.78	1.58/−0.86	ns, min
WEN input	T <sub>BWCK</sub> /T <sub>BCKW</sub>	0.55/−0.18	0.63/−0.21	0.69/−0.24	ns, min
Clock CLK					
Minimum Pulse Width, High	T <sub>BPWH</sub>	1.04	1.19	1.30	ns, min
Minimum Pulse Width, Low	T <sub>BPWL</sub>	1.04	1.19	1.30	ns, min

### Notes:

1. A Zero “0” Hold Time listing indicates no hold time or a negative hold time. Negative values can not be guaranteed “best-case”, but if a “0” is listed, there is no positive hold time.

## TBUF Switching Characteristics

Table 39: TBUF Switching Characteristics

		Speed Grade			
Description	Symbol	-7	-6	-5	Units
Combinatorial Delays					
IN input to OUT output	T <sub>IO</sub>	1.09	1.24	1.37	ns, max
TRI input to OUT output high-impedance	T <sub>OFF</sub>	0.47	0.54	0.60	ns, max
TRI input to valid data on OUT output	T <sub>ON</sub>	0.47	0.54	0.60	ns, max

Configuration Timing

Configuration Memory Clearing Parameters

Power-up timing of configuration signals is shown in Figure 4; corresponding timing characteristics are listed in Table 40.

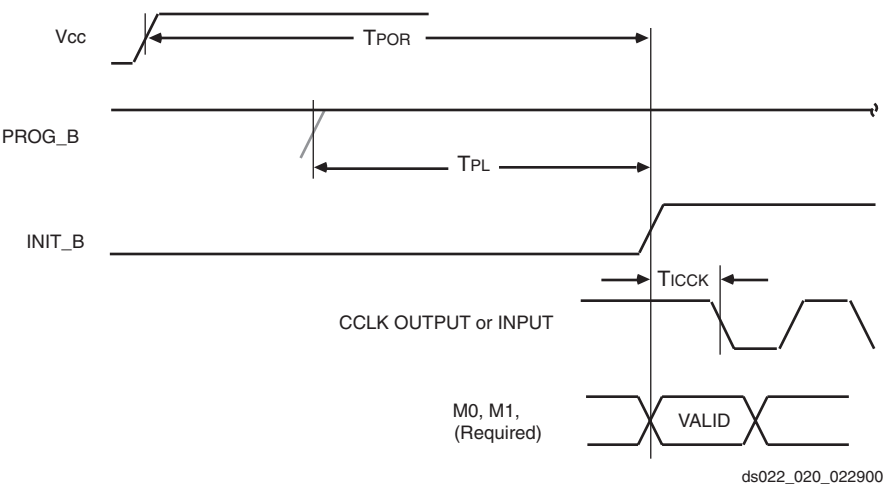


Figure 4: Power-Up Timing Configuration Signals

Table 40: Power-Up Timing Characteristics

Description	Symbol	Value	Units
Program Latency	T <sub>PL</sub>		4 μs per frame max
Power-on-Reset	T <sub>POR</sub>		ms, max
CCLK (output) Delay	T <sub>ICCK</sub>		μs, min
			μs, max
Program Pulse Width	T <sub>PROGRAM</sub>		ns, min

Master/Slave Serial Mode Parameters

For Slave configurations, a free running CCLK can be used, as shown in Figure 5.

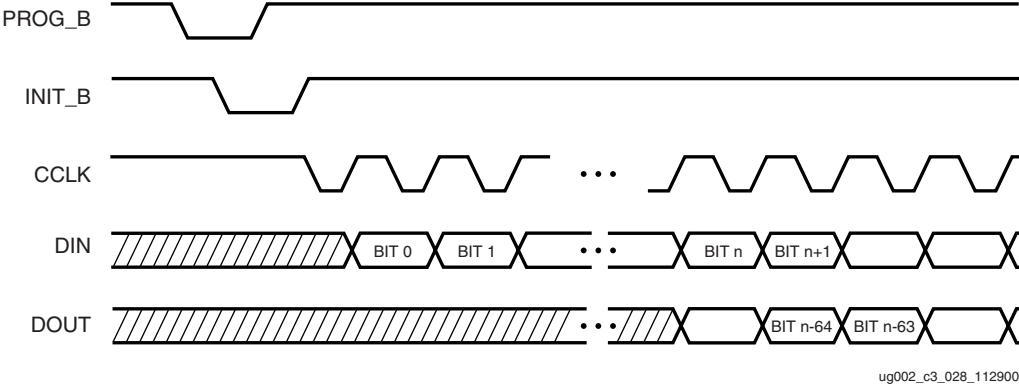


Figure 5: Serial Configuration Clocking Sequence

Table 41: Master/Slave Serial Mode Programming Switching

	Description	Symbol	Values	Units
CCLK	DIN setup/hold, slave mode	$T_{DCC}/T_{CCD}$	5.0/0.0	ns, min
	DIN setup/hold, master mode	$T_{DSCK}/T_{SCKD}$	5.0/0.0	ns, min
	DOUT	$T_{CCO}$	12.0	ns, max
	High time	$T_{CCH}$	5.0	ns, min
	Low time	$T_{CCL}$	5.0	ns, min
	Maximum Frequency	$F_{CC\_SERIAL}$	66	MHz, max
	Frequency Tolerance, master mode with respect to nominal		+45% -30%	

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### Master/Slave SelectMAP Parameters

Figure 6 is a generic diagram for data loading using SelectMAP. For other data loading diagrams, refer to *Virtex-II Pro Platform FPGA User Guide*.

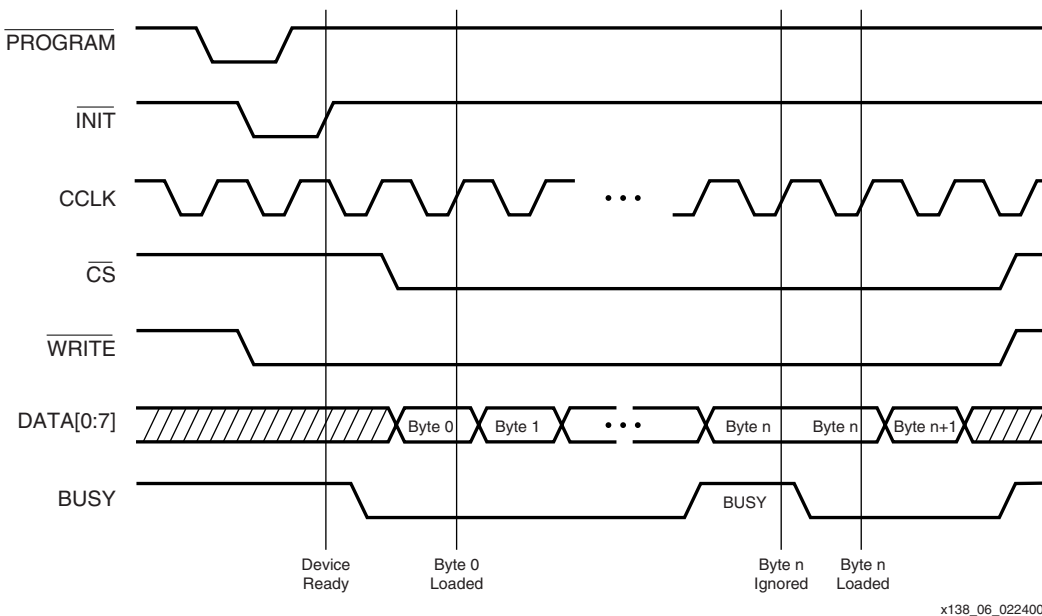


Figure 6: Data Loading in SelectMAP

Table 42: SelectMAP Write Timing Characteristics

	Description	Symbol	Value	Units
CCLK	D <sub>0-7</sub> Setup/Hold	$T_{SMDCC}/T_{SMCCD}$	5.0/0.0	ns, min
	CS_B Setup/Hold	$T_{SMCSCC}/T_{SMCCCS}$	7.0/0.0	ns, min
	RDWR_B Setup/Hold	$T_{SMCCW}/T_{SMWCC}$	7.0/0.0	ns, min
	BUSY Propagation Delay	$T_{SMCKBY}$	12.0	ns, max
	Maximum Frequency	$F_{CC\_SelectMAP}$	66	MHz, max
	Maximum Frequency with no handshake	$F_{CCNH}$	66	MHz, max

JTAG Test Access Port Switching Characteristics

Characterization data for some of the most commonly requested timing parameters shown in Figure 7 is listed in Table 43.

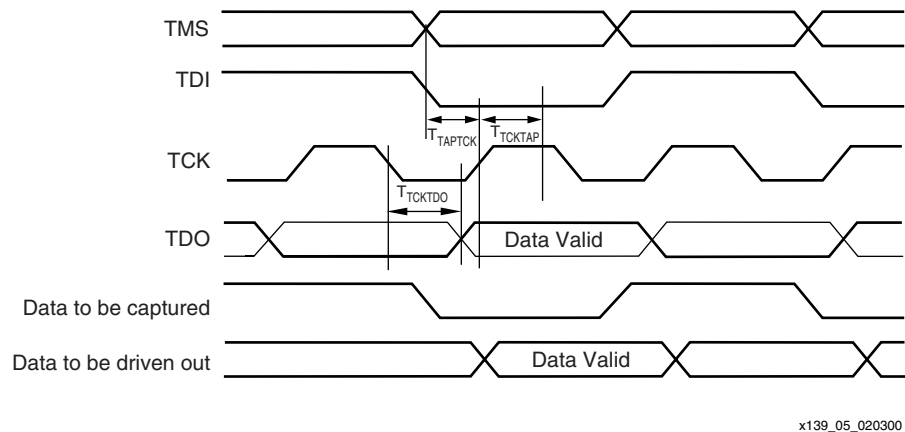


Figure 7: Virtex-II Pro Boundary Scan Port Timing Waveforms

Table 43: Boundary-Scan Port Timing Specifications

Symbol	Parameter	Value	Units
$T_{TAPTCK}$	TMS and TDI setup time before TCK	4.0	ns, min
$T_{TCKTAP}$	TMS and TDI hold times after TCK	2.0	ns, min
$T_{TCKTDO}$	TCK falling edge to TDO output valid	11.0	ns, min
$F_{TCK}$	Maximum TCK clock frequency	33.0	MHz, max

## Virtex-II Pro Pin-to-Pin Output Parameter Guidelines

All devices are 100% functionally tested. Listed below are representative values for typical pin locations and normal clock loading. Values are expressed in nanoseconds unless otherwise noted.

### Global Clock Input to Output Delay for LVCMOS25, 12 mA, Fast Slew Rate, With DCM

Table 44: Global Clock Input to Output Delay for LVCMOS25, 12 mA, Fast Slew Rate, With DCM

			Speed Grade			
Description	Symbol	Device	-7	-6	-5	Units
LVC MOS25 Global Clock Input to Output Delay using Output Flip-flop, 12 mA, Fast Slew Rate, <i>with</i> DCM.  For data <i>output</i> with different standards, adjust the delays with the values shown in <b>IOB Output Switching Characteristics Standard Adjustments, page 94.</b>						
Global Clock and OFF with DCM	T <sub>ICKOFFDCM</sub>	XC2VP2				ns
		XC2VP4				ns
		XC2VP7				ns
		XC2VP20				ns
		XC2VP30				ns
		XC2VP40				ns
		XC2VP50				ns
		XC2VP70				ns
		XC2VP100				ns
		XC2VP125				ns

#### Notes:

1. Listed above are representative values where one global clock input drives one vertical clock line in each accessible column, and where all accessible IOB and CLB flip-flops are clocked by the global clock net.
2. Output timing is measured at 50% V<sub>CC</sub> threshold with 35 pF external capacitive load. For other I/O standards and different loads, see [Table 31](#).
3. DCM output jitter is already included in the timing calculation.

## Global Clock Input to Output Delay for LVCMOS25, 12 mA, Fast Slew Rate, Without DCM

Table 45: Global Clock Input to Output Delay for LVCMOS25, 12 mA, Fast Slew Rate, Without DCM

			Speed Grade			
Description	Symbol	Device	-7	-6	-5	Units
LVC MOS25 Global Clock Input to Output Delay using Output Flip-flop, 12 mA, Fast Slew Rate, <i>without</i> DCM.  For data <i>output</i> with different standards, adjust the delays with the values shown in <b>IOB Output Switching Characteristics Standard Adjustments, page 94.</b>						
Global Clock and OFF without DCM	T <sub>ICKOF</sub>	XC2VP2				ns
		XC2VP4				ns
		XC2VP7				ns
		XC2VP20				ns
		XC2VP30				ns
		XC2VP40				ns
		XC2VP50				ns
		XC2VP70				ns
		XC2VP100				ns
		XC2VP125				ns

### Notes:

1. Listed above are representative values where one global clock input drives one vertical clock line in each accessible column, and where all accessible IOB and CLB flip-flops are clocked by the global clock net.
2. Output timing is measured at 50% V<sub>CC</sub> threshold with 35 pF external capacitive load. For other I/O standards and different loads, see [Table 31](#).
3. DCM output jitter is already included in the timing calculation.



## Virtex-II Pro Pin-to-Pin Input Parameter Guidelines

All devices are 100% functionally tested. Listed below are representative values for typical pin locations and normal clock loading. Values are expressed in nanoseconds unless otherwise noted

### Global Clock Set-Up and Hold for LVCMOS25 Standard, With DCM

Table 46: Global Clock Set-Up and Hold for LVCMOS25 Standard, With DCM

			Speed Grade			
Description	Symbol	Device	-7	-6	-5	Units
Input Setup and Hold Time Relative to Global Clock Input Signal for LVCMOS25 Standard.  For data input with different standards, adjust the setup time delay by the values shown in <a href="#">IOB Input Switching Characteristics Standard Adjustments, page 92</a> .						
No Delay Global Clock and IFF with DCM	$T_{PSDCM}/T_{PHDCM}$	XC2VP2				ns
		XC2VP4				ns
		XC2VP7				ns
		XC2VP20				ns
		XC2VP30				ns
		XC2VP40				ns
		XC2VP50				ns
		XC2VP70				ns
		XC2VP100				ns
		XC2VP125				ns

#### Notes:

1. IFF = Input Flip-Flop or Latch
2. Setup time is measured relative to the Global Clock input signal with the fastest route and the lightest load. Hold time is measured relative to the Global Clock input signal with the slowest route and heaviest load.
3. DCM output jitter is already included in the timing calculation.

## Global Clock Set-Up and Hold for LVCMOS25 Standard, *Without DCM*

Table 47: Global Clock Set-Up and Hold for LVCMOS25 Standard, *Without DCM*

			Speed Grade			
Description	Symbol	Device	-7	-6	-5	Units
Input Setup and Hold Time Relative to Global Clock Input Signal for LVCMOS25 Standard.  For data input with different standards, adjust the setup time delay by the values shown in <b>IOB Input Switching Characteristics Standard Adjustments, page 92.</b>						
Full Delay Global Clock and IFF without DCM	T <sub>PSFD</sub> /T <sub>PHFD</sub>	XC2VP2				ns
		XC2VP4				ns
		XC2VP7				ns
		XC2VP20				ns
		XC2VP30				ns
		XC2VP40				ns
		XC2VP50				ns
		XC2VP70				ns
		XC2VP100				ns
		XC2VP125				ns

### Notes:

1. IFF = Input Flip-Flop or Latch
2. Setup time is measured relative to the Global Clock input signal with the fastest route and the lightest load. Hold time is measured relative to the Global Clock input signal with the slowest route and heaviest load.
3. A Zero "0" Hold Time listing indicates no hold time or a negative hold time. Negative values can not be guaranteed "best-case", but if a "0" is listed, there is no positive hold time.

## DCM Timing Parameters

All devices are 100% functionally tested. Because of the difficulty in directly measuring many internal timing parameters, those parameters are derived from benchmark timing patterns. The following guidelines reflect worst-case values

across the recommended operating conditions. All output jitter and phase specifications are determined through statistical measurement at the package pins.

## Operating Frequency Ranges

Table 48: Operating Frequency Ranges

			Speed Grade			
Description	Symbol	Constraints	-7	-6	-5	Units
<b>Output Clocks (Low Frequency Mode)</b>						
CLK0, CLK90, CLK180, CLK270	CLKOUT_FREQ_1X_LF_MIN			24.00	24.00	MHz
	CLKOUT_FREQ_1X_LF_MAX			210.00	180.00	MHz
CLK2X, CLK2X180	CLKOUT_FREQ_2X_LF_MIN			48.00	48.00	MHz
	CLKOUT_FREQ_2X_LF_MAX			420.00	360.00	MHz
CLKDV	CLKOUT_FREQ_DV_LF_MIN			1.50	1.50	MHz
	CLKOUT_FREQ_DV_LF_MAX			140.00	120.00	MHz
CLKFX, CLKFX180	CLKOUT_FREQ_FX_LF_MIN			24.00	24.00	MHz
	CLKOUT_FREQ_FX_LF_MAX			240.00	210.00	MHz
<b>Input Clocks (Low Frequency Mode)</b>						
CLKIN (using DLL outputs) <sup>(1)</sup>	CLKIN_FREQ_DLL_LF_MIN			24.00	24.00	MHz
	CLKIN_FREQ_DLL_LF_MAX			210.00	180.00	MHz
CLKIN (using CLKFX outputs) <sup>(2)</sup>	CLKIN_FREQ_FX_LF_MIN			1.00	1.00	MHz
	CLKIN_FREQ_FX_LF_MAX			240.00	210.00	MHz
PSCLK	PSCLK_FREQ_LF_MIN			0.01	0.01	MHz
	PSCLK_FREQ_LF_MAX			420.00	360.00	MHz
<b>Output Clocks (High Frequency Mode)</b>						
CLK0, CLK180	CLKOUT_FREQ_1X_HF_MIN			48.00	48.00	MHz
	CLKOUT_FREQ_1X_HF_MAX			420.00	360.00	MHz
CLKDV	CLKOUT_FREQ_DV_HF_MIN			3.00	3.00	MHz
	CLKOUT_FREQ_DV_HF_MAX			280.00	240.00	MHz
CLKFX, CLKFX180	CLKOUT_FREQ_FX_HF_MIN			210.00	210.00	MHz
	CLKOUT_FREQ_FX_HF_MAX			320.00	270.00	MHz
<b>Input Clocks (High Frequency Mode)</b>						
CLKIN (using DLL outputs) <sup>(1)</sup>	CLKIN_FREQ_DLL_HF_MIN			48.00	48.00	MHz
	CLKIN_FREQ_DLL_HF_MAX			420.00	360.00	MHz
CLKIN (using CLKFX outputs) <sup>(2)</sup>	CLKIN_FREQ_FX_HF_MIN			50.00	50.00	MHz
	CLKIN_FREQ_FX_HF_MAX			320.00	270.00	MHz
PSCLK	PSCLK_FREQ_HF_MIN			0.01	0.01	MHz
	PSCLK_FREQ_HF_MAX			420.00	360.00	MHz

### Notes:

- “DLL outputs” is used here to describe the outputs: CLK0, CLK90, CLK180, CLK270, CLK2X, CLK2X180, and CLKDV.
- If both DLL and CLKFX outputs are used, follow the more restrictive specification.

## Input Clock Tolerances

Table 49: Input Clock Tolerances

Description	Symbol	Constraints F <sub>CLKIN</sub>	Speed Grade						Units
			−7		−6		−5		
			Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	
Input Clock Low/high Pulse Width									
PSCLK	PSCLK_PULSE	< 1MHz			25.00		25.00		ns
PSCLK and CLKIN <sup>(2)</sup>	PSCLK_PULSE and CLKIN_PULSE	1 – 10 MHz			25.00		25.00		ns
		10 – 25 MHz			10.00		10.00		ns
		25 – 50 MHz			5.00		5.00		ns
		50 – 100 MHz			3.00		3.00		ns
		100 – 150 MHz			2.40		2.40		ns
		150 – 200 MHz			2.00		2.00		ns
		200 – 250 MHz			1.80		1.80		ns
		250 – 300 MHz			1.50		1.50		ns
		300 – 350 MHz			1.30		1.30		ns
		350 – 400 MHz			1.15		1.15		ns
		> 400 MHz			1.05		1.05		ns
Input Clock Cycle-Cycle Jitter (Low Frequency Mode)									
CLKIN (using DLL outputs) <sup>(1)</sup>	CLKIN_CYC_JITT_DLL_LF				±300		±300	ps	
CLKIN (using CLKFX outputs) <sup>(2)</sup>	CLKIN_CYC_JITT_FX_LF				±300		±300	ps	
Input Clock Cycle-Cycle Jitter (High Frequency Mode)									
CLKIN (using DLL outputs) <sup>(1)</sup>	CLKIN_CYC_JITT_DLL_HF				±150		±150	ps	
CLKIN (using CLKFX outputs) <sup>(2)</sup>	CLKIN_CYC_JITT_FX_HF				±150		±150	ps	
Input Clock Period Jitter (Low Frequency Mode)									
CLKIN (using DLL outputs) <sup>(1)</sup>	CLKIN_PER_JITT_DLL_LF				±1		±1	ns	
CLKIN (using CLKFX outputs) <sup>(2)</sup>	CLKIN_PER_JITT_FX_LF				±1		±1	ns	
Input Clock Period Jitter (High Frequency Mode)									
CLKIN (using DLL outputs) <sup>(1)</sup>	CLKIN_PER_JITT_DLL_HF				±1		±1	ns	
CLKIN (using CLKFX outputs) <sup>(2)</sup>	CLKIN_PER_JITT_FX_HF				±1		±1	ns	
Feedback Clock Path Delay Variation									
CLKFB off-chip feedback	CLKFB_DELAY_VAR_EXT				±1		±1	ns	

**Notes:**

- “DLL outputs” is used here to describe the outputs: CLK0, CLK90, CLK180, CLK270, CLK2X, CLK2X180, and CLKDV.
- If both DLL and CLKFX outputs are used, follow the more restrictive specification.

## Output Clock Jitter

Table 50: Output Clock Jitter

Description	Symbol	Constraints	Speed Grade			Units
			−7	−6	−5	
Clock Synthesis Period Jitter						
CLK0	CLKOUT_PER_JITT_0			±100	±100	ps
CLK90	CLKOUT_PER_JITT_90			±150	±150	ps
CLK180	CLKOUT_PER_JITT_180			±150	±150	ps
CLK270	CLKOUT_PER_JITT_270			±150	±150	ps
CLK2X, CLK2X180	CLKOUT_PER_JITT_2X			±200	±200	ps
CLKDV (integer division)	CLKOUT_PER_JITT_DV1			±150	±150	ps
CLKDV (non-integer division)	CLKOUT_PER_JITT_DV2			±300	±300	ps
CLKFX, CLKFX180	CLKOUT_PER_JITT_FX			Note 1	Note 1	ps

### Notes:

- Values for this parameter are available on [www.xilinx.com](http://www.xilinx.com).

## Output Clock Phase Alignment

Table 51: Output Clock Phase Alignment

Description	Symbol	Constraints	Speed Grade			Units
			–7	–6	–5	
Phase Offset Between CLKIN and CLKFB						
CLKIN/CLKFB	CLKIN_CLKFB_PHASE			±50	±50	ps
Phase Offset Between Any DCM Outputs						
All CLK* outputs	CLKOUT_PHASE			±140	±140	ps
Duty Cycle Precision						
DLL outputs <sup>(1)</sup>	CLKOUT_DUTY_CYCLE_DLL			±150	±150	ps
CLKFX outputs	CLKOUT_DUTY_CYCLE_FX			±100	±100	ps

### Notes:

- "DLL outputs" is used here to describe the outputs: CLK0, CLK90, CLK180, CLK270, CLK2X, CLK2X180, and CLKDV.
- Specification also applies to PSCLK.

## Miscellaneous Timing Parameters

Table 52: Miscellaneous Timing Parameters

			Speed Grade			
Description	Symbol	Constraints $F_{CLKIN}$	-7	-6	-5	Units
<b>Time Required to Achieve LOCK</b>						
Using DLL outputs <sup>(1)</sup>	LOCK_DLL:					
	LOCK_DLL_60	> 60MHz		20.00	20.00	us
	LOCK_DLL_50_60	50 - 60 MHz		25.00	25.00	us
	LOCK_DLL_40_50	40 - 50 MHz		50.00	50.00	us
	LOCK_DLL_30_40	30 - 40 MHz		90.00	90.00	us
	LOCK_DLL_24_30	24 - 30 MHz		120.00	120.00	us
Using CLKFX outputs	LOCK_FX_MIN			10.00	10.00	ms
	LOCK_FX_MAX			10.00	10.00	ms
Additional lock time with fine phase shifting	LOCK_DLL_FINE_SHIFT			50.00	50.00	us
<b>Fine Phase Shifting</b>						
Absolute shifting range	FINE_SHIFT_RANGE			10.00	10.00	ns
<b>Delay Lines</b>						
Tap delay resolution	DCM_TAP_MIN			30.00	30.00	ps
	DCM_TAP_MAX			50.00	50.00	ps

**Notes:**

1. "DLL outputs" is used here to describe the outputs: CLK0, CLK90, CLK180, CLK270, CLK2X, CLK2X180, and CLKDV.

## Frequency Synthesis

Table 53: Frequency Synthesis

Attribute	Min	Max
CLKFX_MULTIPLY	2	32
CLKFX_DIVIDE	1	32

## Parameter Cross-Reference

Table 54: Parameter Cross-Reference

Libraries Guide	Data Sheet
DLL_CLKOUT_{MINIMAX}_LF	CLKOUT_FREQ_{1X 2X DV}_LF
DFS_CLKOUT_{MINIMAX}_LF	CLKOUT_FREQ_FX_LF
DLL_CLKIN_{MINIMAX}_LF	CLKIN_FREQ_DLL_LF
DFS_CLKIN_{MINIMAX}_LF	CLKIN_FREQ_FX_LF
DLL_CLKOUT_{MINIMAX}_HF	CLKOUT_FREQ_{1X DV}_HF
DFS_CLKOUT_{MINIMAX}_HF	CLKOUT_FREQ_FX_HF
DLL_CLKIN_{MINIMAX}_HF	CLKIN_FREQ_DLL_HF
DFS_CLKIN_{MINIMAX}_HF	CLKIN_FREQ_FX_HF

## Source-Synchronous Switching Characteristics

The parameters in this section provide the necessary values for calculating timing budgets for Virtex-II Pro source-synchronous transmitter and receiver data-valid windows.

Table 55: Duty Cycle Distortion and Clock-Tree Skew

Description	Symbol	Device	Speed Grade			Units
			–7	–6	–5	
Duty Cycle Distortion <sup>(1)</sup>	$T_{DCD\_CLK0}$	All				ps
	$T_{DCD\_CLK180}$	All				ps
Clock Tree Skew <sup>(2)</sup>	$T_{CKSKEW}$	XC2VP2				ps
		XC2VP4				ps
		XC2VP7				ps
		XC2VP20				ps
		XC2VP30				ps
		XC2VP40				ps
		XC2VP50				ps
		XC2VP70				ps
		XC2VP100				ps
		XC2VP125				ps

### Notes:

- These parameters represent the worst-case duty cycle distortion observable at the pins of the device using LVDS output buffers. For cases where other I/O standards are used, IBIS can be used to calculate any additional duty cycle distortion that might be caused by asymmetrical rise/fall times.  
 $T_{DCD\_CLK0}$  applies to cases where local (IOB) inversion is used to provide the negative-edge clock to the DDR element in the I/O.  
 $T_{DCD\_CLK180}$  applies to cases where the CLK180 output of the DCM is used to provide the negative-edge clock to the DDR element in the I/O.
- This value represents the worst-case clock-tree skew observable between sequential I/O elements. Significantly less clock-tree skew exists for I/O registers that are close to each other and fed by the same or adjacent clock-tree branches. Use the Xilinx FPGA\_Editor and Timing Analyzer tools to evaluate clock skew specific to your application.

Table 56: Package Skew

Description	Symbol	Device/Package	Value	Units
Package Skew <sup>(1)</sup>	$T_{PKGSKEW}$			ps
				ps
				ps
				ps
				ps
				ps
				ps
				ps
				ps

### Notes:

- These values represent the worst-case skew between any two balls of the package: shortest flight time to longest flight time from Pad to Ball (7.1ps per mm).
- Package trace length information is available for these device/package combinations. This information can be used to deskew the package.



Table 57: Sample Window

Description	Symbol	Device	Speed Grade			Units
			-7	-6	-5	
Sampling Error at Receiver Pins <sup>(1)</sup>	$T_{\text{SAMP}}$	XC2VP2				ps
		XC2VP4				ps
		XC2VP7				ps
		XC2VP20				ps
		XC2VP30				ps
		XC2VP40				ps
		XC2VP50				ps
		XC2VP70				ps
		XC2VP100				ps
		XC2VP125				ps

**Notes:**

- This parameter indicates the total sampling error of Virtex-II Pro DDR input registers across voltage, temperature, and process. The characterization methodology uses the DCM to capture the DDR input registers' edges of operation. These measurements include:
  - CLK0 and CLK180 DCM jitter
  - Worst-case Duty-Cycle Distortion -  $T_{\text{DCD\_CLK180}}$
  - DCM accuracy (phase offset)
  - DCM phase shift resolution.
 These measurements do not include package or clock tree skew.

Table 58: Pin-to-Pin Setup/Hold: Source-Synchronous Configuration

Description	Symbol	Device	Speed Grade			Units
			–7	–6	–5	
Data Input Set-Up and Hold Times Relative to a Forwarded Clock Input Pin, Using DCM and Global Clock Buffer. For situations where clock and data inputs conform to different standards, adjust the setup and hold values accordingly using the values shown in <b>IOB Input Switching Characteristics Standard Adjustments, page 92.</b>						
No Delay Global Clock and IFF with DCM	T <sub>xxx</sub>	XC2VP2				ns
		XC2VP4				ns
		XC2VP7				ns
		XC2VP20				ns
		XC2VP30				ns
		XC2VP40				ns
		XC2VP50				ns
		XC2VP70				ns
		XC2VP100				ns
		XC2VP125				ns

**Notes:**

- IFF = Input Flip-Flop
- The timing values were measured using the fine-phase adjustment feature of the DCM.
- The worst-case duty-cycle distortion and DCM jitter on CLK0 and CLK180 is included in these measurements.

## Source Synchronous Timing Budgets

This section describes how to use the parameters provided in the [Source-Synchronous Switching Characteristics](#) section to develop system-specific timing budgets. The following analysis provides information necessary for determining Virtex-II Pro contributions to an overall system timing analysis; no assumptions are made about the effects of Inter-Symbol Interference or PCB skew.

### Virtex-II Pro Transmitter Data-Valid Window ( $T_X$ )

$T_X$  is the minimum aggregate valid data period for a source-synchronous data bus at the pins of the device and is calculated as follows:

$$T_X = \text{Data Period} - [\text{Jitter}^{(1)} + \text{Duty Cycle Distortion}^{(2)} + \text{TCKSKEW}^{(3)} + \text{TPKGSKEW}^{(4)}]$$

#### Notes:

1. Jitter values and accumulation methodology to be provided in a future release of this document. The absolute period jitter values found in the [DCM Timing Parameters](#) section of the particular DCM output clock used to clock the IOB FF can be used for a best case analysis.
2. This value depends on the clocking methodology used. See Note1 for [Table 55](#).
3. This value represents the worst-case clock-tree skew observable between sequential I/O elements. Significantly less clock-tree skew exists for I/O registers that are close to each other and fed by the same or adjacent clock-tree branches. Use the Xilinx FPGA\_Editor and Timing Analyzer tools to evaluate clock skew specific to your application.
4. These values represent the worst-case skew between any two balls of the package: shortest flight time to longest flight time from Pad to Ball.

### Virtex-II Pro Receiver Data-Valid Window ( $R_X$ )

$R_X$  is the required minimum aggregate valid data period for a source-synchronous data bus at the pins of the device and is calculated as follows:

$$R_X = [\text{TSAMP}^{(1)} + \text{TCKSKEW}^{(2)} + \text{TPKGSKEW}^{(3)}]$$

#### Notes:

1. This parameter indicates the total sampling error of Virtex-II Pro DDR input registers across voltage, temperature, and process. The characterization methodology uses the DCM to capture the DDR input registers' edges of operation. These measurements include:
  - CLK0 and CLK180 DCM jitter in a quiet system
  - Worst-case duty-cycle distortion
  - DCM accuracy (phase offset)
  - DCM phase shift resolution.

These measurements do not include package or clock tree skew.
2. This value represents the worst-case clock-tree skew observable between sequential I/O elements. Significantly less clock-tree skew exists for I/O registers that are close to each other and fed by the same or adjacent clock-tree branches. Use the Xilinx FPGA\_Editor and Timing Analyzer tools to evaluate clock skew specific to your application.
3. These values represent the worst-case skew between any two balls of the package: shortest flight time to longest flight time from Pad to Ball.

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## Revision History

This section records the change history for this module of the data sheet.

Date	Version	Revision
01/31/02	1.0	Initial Xilinx release.
06/17/02	2.0	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Added new Virtex-II Pro family members.</li> <li>Added timing parameters from speedsfile <b>v1.62</b>.</li> <li>Added <a href="#">Table 37, Pipelined Multiplier Switching Characteristics</a>.</li> <li>Added 3.3V-vs-2.5V table entries for some parameters.</li> </ul>
09/03/02	2.1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Added <a href="#">Source-Synchronous Switching Characteristics</a> section.</li> <li>Added absolute max ratings for 3.3V-vs-2.5V parameters in <a href="#">Table 1</a>.</li> <li>Added Recommended Operating Conditions for <math>V_{IN}</math> and RocketIO transceiver footnote to <a href="#">Table 2</a>.</li> <li>Updated SSTL2 values in <a href="#">Table 6</a>. Added SSTL18 values: <a href="#">Table 6</a>, <a href="#">Table 31</a>, <a href="#">Table 32</a>.</li> <li>Added <a href="#">Table 10</a>, which contains LVPECL DC specifications.</li> </ul>
09/27/02	2.2	Added section <a href="#">General Power Supply Requirements</a> .

## Virtex-II Pro Data Sheet Modules

The Virtex-II Pro Data Sheet contains the following modules:

- **Virtex-II Pro™ Platform FPGAs: Introduction and Overview (Module 1)**
- **Virtex-II Pro™ Platform FPGAs: Functional Description (Module 2)**
- **Virtex-II Pro Platform FPGAs: DC and Switching Characteristics (Module 3)**
- **Virtex-II Pro Platform FPGAs: Pinout Information (Module 4)**

# *Part II: Virtex-II Pro User Guide*

This section contains information on how to configure and use Virtex-II Pro devices. The following topics are covered:

Chapter 1: Timing Models

Chapter 2: Design Considerations

Chapter 3: Configuration

Chapter 4: PCB Design Considerations

Appendix A: BitGen and PROMGen Switches and Options

Appendix B: XC18V00 Series PROMs



# Timing Models

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## Summary

The following topics are covered in this chapter:

- CLB / Slice Timing Models
- Block SelectRAM Timing Model
- Embedded Multiplier Timing Model
- IOB Timing Models
- Pin-to-Pin Timing Models
- Digital Clock Manager Timing Model
- Additional Timing Models in Other Publications: PPC405 Processor Block and RocketIO Transceiver

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## Introduction

Due to the large size and complexity of Virtex-II Pro FPGAs, understanding the timing associated with the various paths and functional elements has become a difficult and important problem. Although it is not necessary to understand the various timing parameters in order to implement most designs using Xilinx software, a thorough timing model can assist advanced users in analyzing critical paths or planning speed-sensitive designs.

The Timing Model chapter is broken up into sections consisting of three basic components:

- Functional Element Diagram - basic architectural schematic illustrating pins and connections.
- Timing Parameters - [Virtex-II Pro Data Sheet](#) timing parameter definitions.
- Timing Diagram - illustrates functional element timing parameters relative to each other.

This chapter was written with the Xilinx Timing Analyzer software (TRCE) in mind. All pin names, parameter names, and paths are consistent with Post Route Timing and Pre-Route Static Timing reports. Use the models in this chapter in conjunction with both the Timing Analyzer software and the section on switching characteristics in the [Virtex-II Pro Data Sheet](#). Most of the timing parameters found in the section on switching characteristics are described in this chapter.

## CLB / Slice Timing Models

The three sections below describe all timing parameters reported in the [Virtex-II Pro Data Sheet](#) that are associated with slices and Configurable Logic Blocks (CLBs). The sections correspond to their respective (switching characteristics) sections in the data sheet:

- [General Slice Timing Model and Parameters](#) (CLB Switching Characteristics)
- [Slice Distributed RAM Timing Model and Parameters](#) (CLB Distributed RAM Switching Characteristics)
- [Slice SRL Timing Model and Parameters](#) (CLB SRL Switching Characteristics)

### General Slice Timing Model and Parameters

Figure 1-1 illustrates the details of a Virtex-II Pro slice.

Note: Some elements of the Virtex-II Pro slice have been omitted for clarity. Only the elements relevant to the timing paths described in this section are shown.

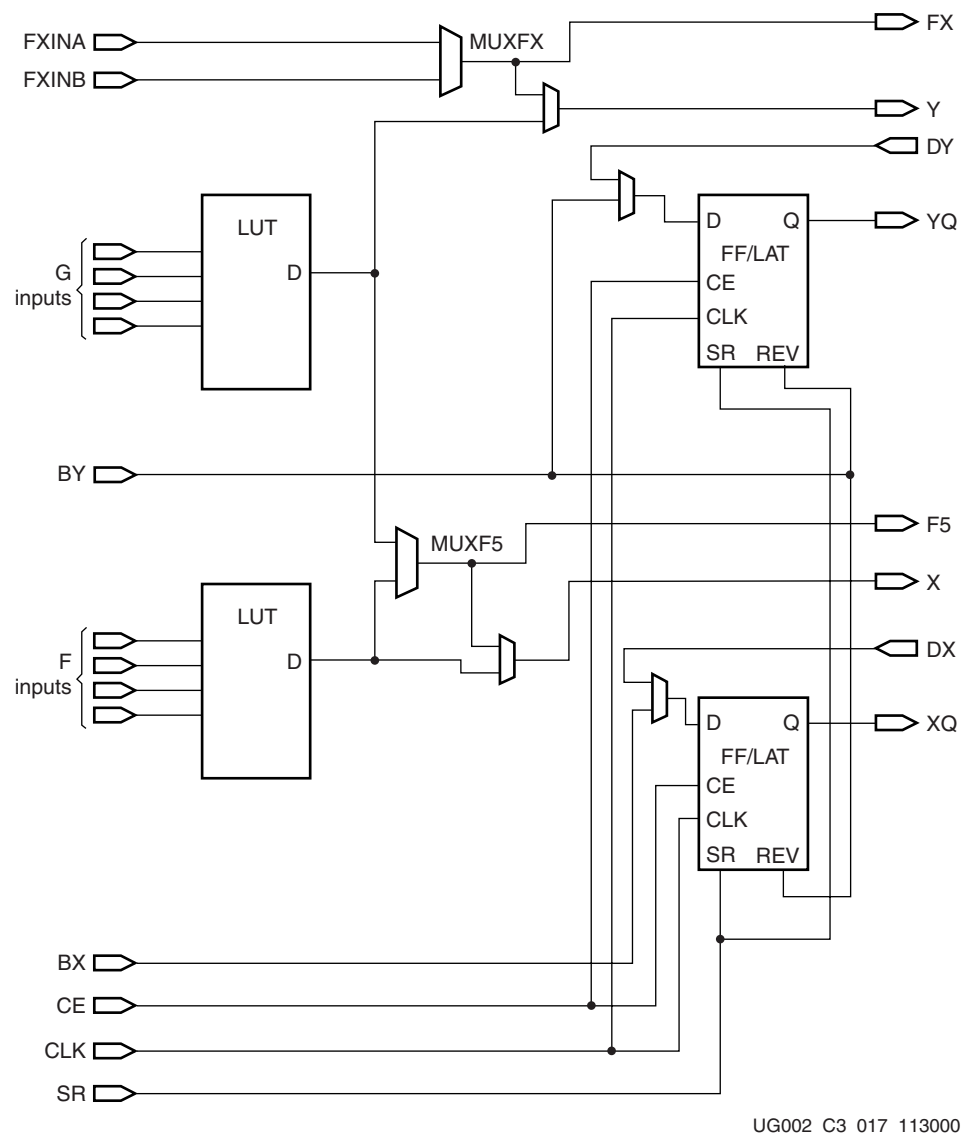


Figure 1-1: Virtex-II Pro General Slice



## Timing Parameters

Table 1-1: General Slice Timing Parameters

Parameter	Function	Control Signal	Description
<b>Combinatorial Delays</b>			
$T_{ILO}$	F/G inputs to X/Y outputs		Propagation delay from the F/G inputs of the slice, through the look-up tables (LUTs), to the X/Y outputs of the slice.
$T_{IF5}$	F/G inputs to F5 output		Propagation delay from the F/G inputs of the slice, through the LUTs and MUXF5 to the F5 output of the slice.
$T_{IF5X}$	F/G inputs to X output		Propagation delay from the F/G inputs of the slice, through the LUTs and MUXF5 to the X output of the slice.
$T_{IFXY}$	FXINA/FXINB inputs to Y output		Propagation delay from the FXINA/FXINB inputs, through MUXFX to the Y output of the slice.
$T_{IFNCTL}$	Transparent Latch input to XQ/YQ outputs		Incremental delay through a transparent latch to XQ/YQ outputs.
<b>Sequential Delays</b>			
$T_{CKO}$	FF Clock (CLK) to XQ/YQ outputs		Time after the clock that data is stable at the XQ/YQ outputs of the slice sequential elements (configured as a flip-flop).
$T_{CKLO}$	Latch Clock (CLK) to XQ/YQ outputs		Time after the clock that data is stable at the XQ/YQ outputs of the slice sequential elements (configured as a latch).
<b>Setup and Hold for Slice Sequential Elements</b>			
$T_{xxCK}$ = Setup time (before clock edge) $T_{CKxx}$ = Hold time (after clock edge)			The following descriptions are for setup times only.
$T_{DICK}/T_{CKDI}$	BX/BY inputs		Time before Clock (CLK) that data from the BX or BY inputs of the slice must be stable at the D-input of the slice sequential elements (configured as a flip-flop).
$T_{DYCK}/T_{CKDY}$	DY input		Time before Clock (CLK) that data from the DY input of the slice must be stable at the D-input of the slice sequential elements (configured as a flip-flop).
$T_{DXCK}/T_{CKDX}$	DX input		Time before Clock (CLK) that data from the DX input of the slice must be stable at the D-input of the slice sequential elements (configured as a flip-flop).
$T_{CECK}/T_{CKCE}$	CE input		Time before Clock (CLK) that the CE (Clock Enable) input of the slice must be stable at the CE-input of the slice sequential elements (configured as a flip-flop).

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Table 1-1: General Slice Timing Parameters (Continued)

Parameter	Function	Control Signal	Description
$T_{RCK}/T_{CKR}$	SR/BY inputs		Time before CLK that the SR (Set/Reset) and the BY (Rev) inputs of the slice must be stable at the SR/Rev-inputs of the slice sequential elements (configured as a flip-flop). Synchronous set/reset only.
<b>Clock CLK</b>			
$T_{CH}$			Minimum Pulse Width, High.
$T_{CL}$			Minimum Pulse Width, Low.
<b>Set/Reset</b>			
$T_{RPW}$			Minimum Pulse Width for the SR (Set/Reset) and BY (Rev) pins.
$T_{RQ}$			Propagation delay for an asynchronous Set/Reset of the slice sequential elements. From SR/BY inputs to XQ/YQ outputs.
$F_{TOG}$			Toggle Frequency - Maximum Frequency that a CLB flip-flop can be clocked: $1/(T_{CH}+T_{CL})$

## Timing Characteristics

Figure 1-2 illustrates general timing characteristics of a Virtex-II Pro slice.

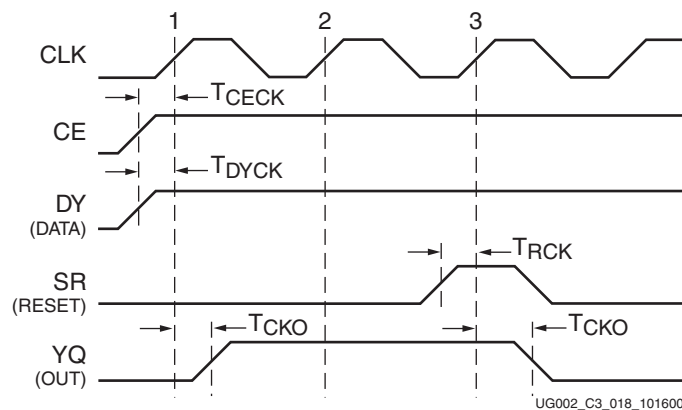


Figure 1-2: General Slice Timing Characteristics

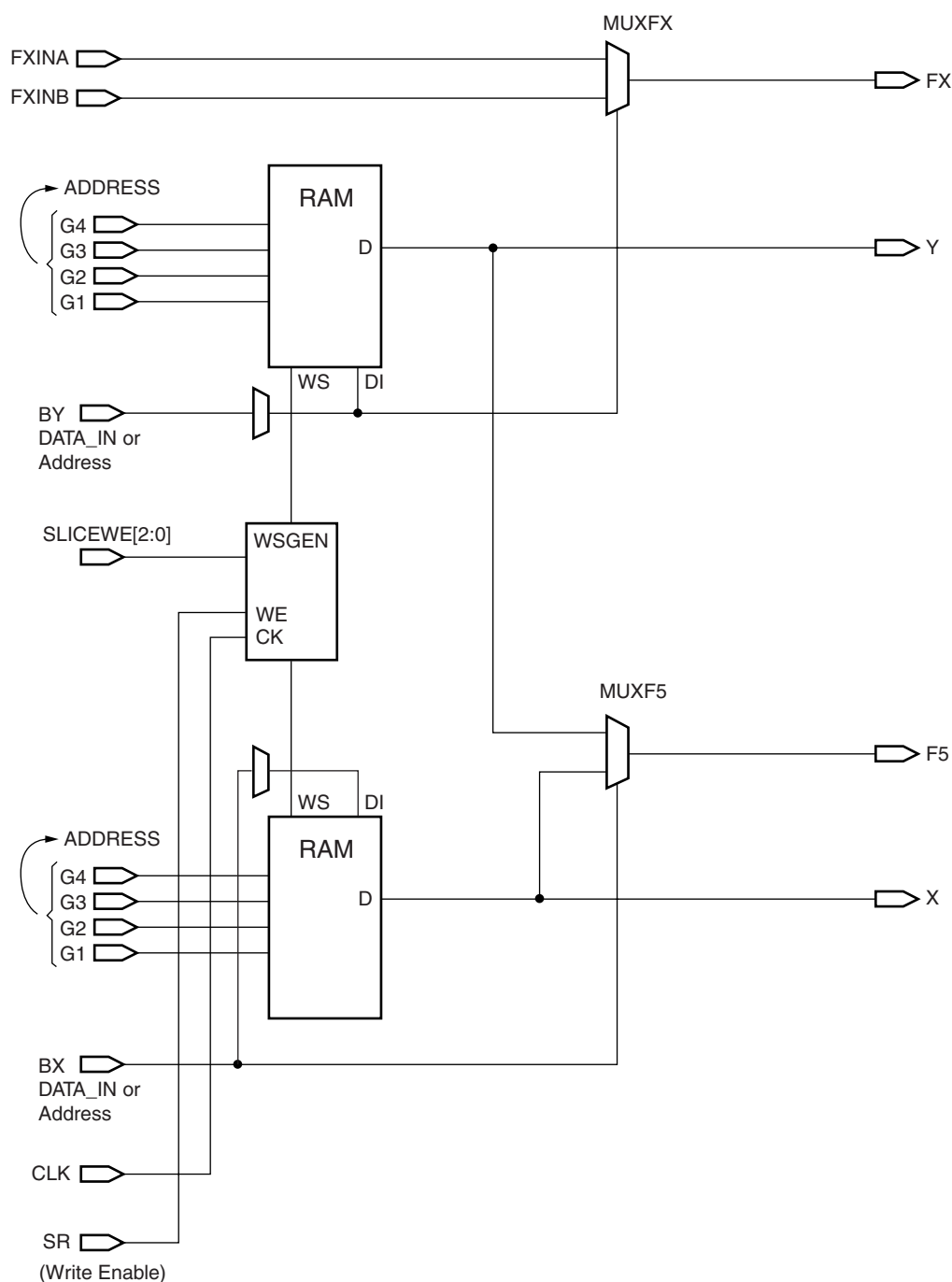
- At time  $T_{CKCK}$  before Clock Event 1, the Clock-Enable signal becomes valid-high at the CE input of the slice register.
- At time  $T_{DYCK}$  before Clock Event 1, data from the DY input becomes valid-high at the D input of the slice register and is reflected on the YQ pin at time  $T_{CKO}$  after Clock Event 1\*.
- At time  $T_{RCK}$  before Clock Event 3, the SR signal (configured as synchronous reset in this case) becomes valid-high, resetting the slice register, and this is reflected on the YQ pin at time  $T_{CKO}$  after Clock Event 3.

NOTE: In most cases software uses the DX/DY inputs to route data to the slice registers when at all possible. This is the fastest path to the slice registers and saves other slice routing resources.

## Slice Distributed RAM Timing Model and Parameters

**Figure 1-3** illustrates the details of distributed RAM implemented in a Virtex-II Pro slice.

Note: Some elements of the Virtex-II Pro slice have been omitted for clarity. Only the elements relevant to the timing paths described in this section are shown.



**Figure 1-3: Virtex-II Pro Slice Distributed RAM**

## Timing Parameters

Table 1-2: Slice Distributed RAM Timing Parameters

Parameter	Function	Control Signal	Description
<b>Sequential Delays for Slice LUT Configured as RAM (Distributed RAM)</b>			
$T_{SHCKO16}$	CLK to X/Y outputs (WE active) in 16x1 mode		Time after the Clock (CLK) of a WRITE operation that the data written to the distributed RAM (in 16x1 mode) is stable on the X/Y outputs of the slice.
$T_{SHCKO32}$	CLK to X/Y outputs (WE active) in 32x1 mode		Time after the Clock (CLK) of a WRITE operation that the data written to the distributed RAM (in 32x1 mode) is stable on the X/Y outputs of the slice.
$T_{SHCKOF5}$	CLK to F5 output (WE active)		Time after the Clock (CLK) of a WRITE operation that the data written to the distributed RAM is stable on the F5 output of the slice.
<b>Setup and Hold for Slice LUT Configured as RAM (Distributed RAM)</b>			
$T_{xS}$ = Setup time (before clock edge) $T_{xH}$ = Hold time (after clock edge)			The following descriptions are for setup times only.
$T_{DS}/T_{DH}$	BX/BY Data inputs (DI)		Time before the clock that data must be stable at the DI input of the slice LUT (configured as RAM), via the slice BX/BY inputs.
$T_{AS}/T_{AH}$	F/G Address inputs		Time before the clock that address signals must be stable at the F/G inputs of the slice LUT (configured as RAM).
$T_{WES}/T_{WEH}$	WE input (SR)		Time before the clock that the Write Enable signal must be stable at the WE input of the slice LUT (configured as RAM).
<b>Clock CLK</b>			
$T_{WPH}$			Minimum Pulse Width, High (for a Distributed RAM clock).
$T_{WPL}$			Minimum Pulse Width, Low (for a Distributed RAM clock).
$T_{WC}$			Minimum clock period to meet address write cycle time.

## Timing Characteristics

Figure 1-4 illustrates the timing characteristics of a 16-bit distributed RAM implemented in a Virtex-II Pro slice (LUT configured as RAM).

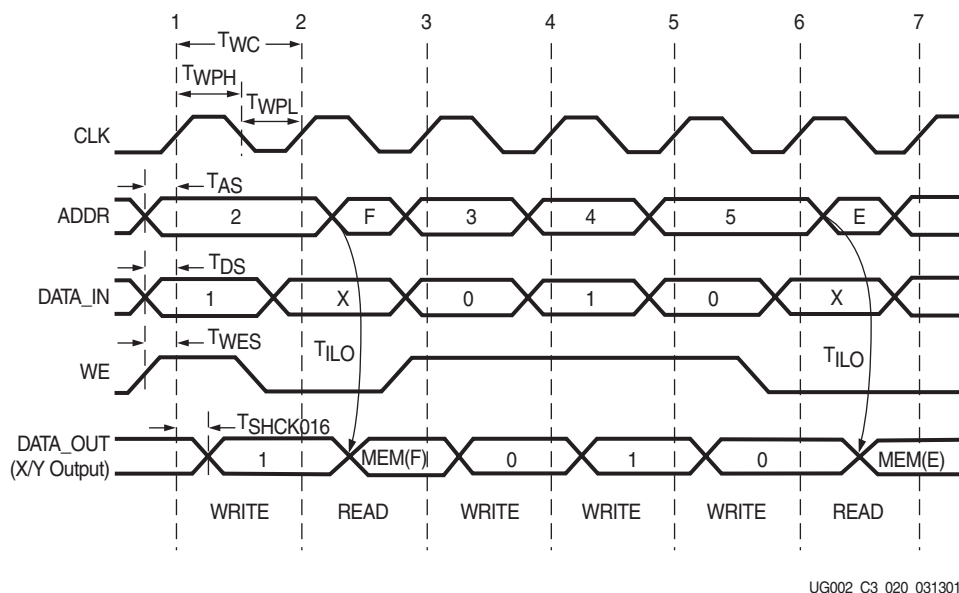


Figure 1-4: Slice Distributed RAM Timing Characteristics

### Clock Event 1: WRITE Operation

During a WRITE operation, the contents of the memory at the address on the ADDR inputs is changed. The data written to this memory location is reflected on the X/Y outputs synchronously.

- At time  $T_{WES}$  before Clock Event 1, the Write Enable signal (WE) becomes valid-high, enabling the RAM for the following WRITE operation.
- At time  $T_{AS}$  before Clock Event 1, the address (2) becomes valid at the F/G inputs of the RAM.
- At time  $T_{DS}$  before Clock Event 1, the DATA becomes valid (1) at the DI input of the RAM and is reflected on the X/Y output at time  $T_{SHCK016}$  after Clock Event 1.

### Clock Event 2: READ Operation

All READ operations are asynchronous in distributed RAM. As long as write-enable (WE) is Low, the address bus can be asserted at any time, and the contents of the RAM at that address are reflected on the X/Y outputs after a delay of length  $T_{ILO}$  (propagation delay through a LUT). Note that the Address (F) is asserted *after* Clock Event 2, and that the contents of the RAM at that location are reflected on the output after a delay of length  $T_{ILO}$ .

Figure 1-5 illustrates shift register implementation in a Virtex-II Pro slice.

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**Figure 1-5: Virtex-II Pro Slice SLR**

# Timing Parameters

Table 1-3: Slice SRL Timing Parameters

Parameter	Function	Control Signal	Description
<b>Sequential Delays for Slice LUT Configured as SRL (Select Shift Register)</b>			
$T_{REG}$	CLK to X/Y outputs		Time after the Clock (CLK) of a WRITE operation that the data written to the SRL is stable on the X/Y outputs of the slice.
$T_{CKSH}$	CLK to Shiftout		Time after the Clock (CLK) of a WRITE operation that the data written to the SRL is stable on the Shiftout or XB/YB outputs of the slice.
$T_{REGF5}$	CLK to F5 output		Time after the Clock (CLK) of a WRITE operation that the data written to the SRL is stable on the F5 output of the slice.
<b>Setup/Hold for Slice LUT Configured as SRL (Select Shift Register)</b>			
$T_{xS}$ = Setup time (before clock edge) $T_{xH}$ = Hold time (after clock edge)			The following descriptions are for setup times only.
$T_{SRLDS}/T_{SRLDH}$	BX/BY Data inputs (DI)		Time before the clock that data must be stable at the DI input of the slice LUT (configured as SRL), via the slice BX/BY inputs.
$T_{WSS}/T_{WSH}$	CE input (WE)		Time before the clock that the Write Enable signal must be stable at the WE input of the slice LUT (configured as SRL).
<b>Clock CLK</b>			
$T_{SRPH}$			Minimum Pulse Width, High (for SRL clock).
$T_{SRPL}$			Minimum Pulse Width, Low (for SRL clock).

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# Timing Characteristics

Figure 1-6 illustrates the timing characteristics of a 16-bit shift register implemented in a Virtex-II Pro slice (LUT configured as SRL).

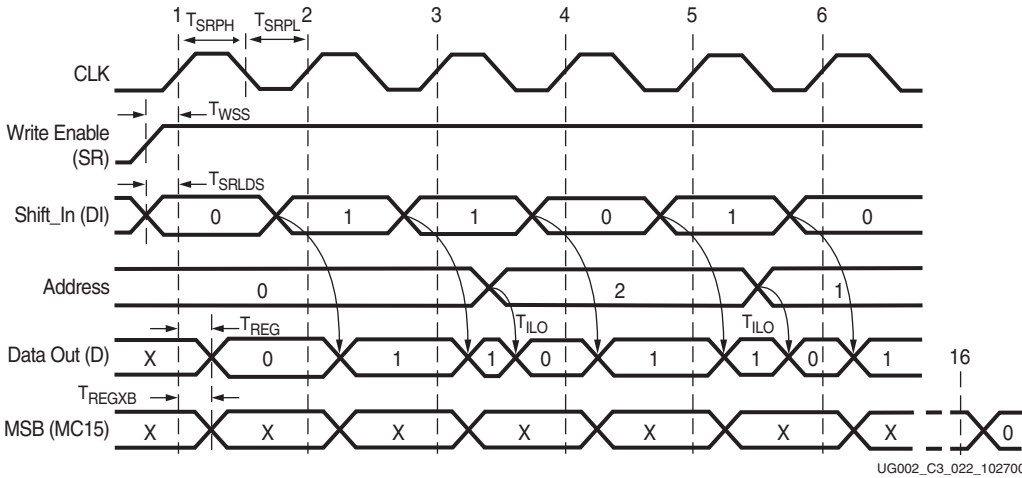


Figure 1-6: Slice SLR Timing Characteristics

### Clock Event 1: Shift\_In

During a WRITE (Shift\_In) operation, the single-bit content of the register at the address on the ADDR inputs is changed, as data is shifted through the SRL. The data written to this register is reflected on the X/Y outputs synchronously, if the address is unchanged during the clock event. If the ADDR inputs are changed during a clock event, the value of the data at the addressable output (D) is invalid.

- At time  $T_{WSS}$  before Clock Event 1, the Write Enable signal (SR) becomes valid-high, enabling the SRL for the WRITE operation that follows.
- At time  $T_{SRLDS}$  before Clock Event 1 the data becomes valid (0) at the DI input of the SRL and is reflected on the X/Y output after a delay of length  $T_{REG}$  after Clock Event 1\*.

NOTE: Since the address 0 is specified at Clock Event 1, the data on the DI input is reflected at the D output, because it is written to Register 0.

### Clock Event 2: Shift\_In

- At time  $T_{SRLDS}$  before Clock Event 2, the data becomes valid (1) at the DI input of the SRL and is reflected on the X/Y output after a delay of length  $T_{REG}$  after Clock Event 2\*.

NOTE: Since the address 0 is still specified at Clock Event 2, the data on the DI input is reflected at the D output, because it is written to Register 0.

### Clock Event 3: Shift\_In / Addressable (Asynchronous) READ

All READ operations are asynchronous. If the address is changed (between clock events), the contents of the register at that address are reflected at the addressable output (X/Y outputs) after a delay of length  $T_{ILO}$  (propagation delay through a LUT).

- At time  $T_{SRLDS}$  before Clock Event 3 the Data becomes valid (1) at the DI input of the SRL, and is reflected on the X/Y output  $T_{REG}$  time after Clock Event 3.
- Notice that the address is changed (from 0 to 2) some time after Clock Event 3. The value stored in Register 2 at this time is a 0 (in this example, this was the first data shifted in), and it is reflected on the X/Y output after a delay of length  $T_{ILO}$ .

### Clock Event 16: MSB (Most Significant Bit) Changes

- At time  $T_{REGXB}$  after Clock Event 16, the first bit shifted into the SRL becomes valid (logical 0 in this case) on the XB output of the slice via the MC15 output of the LUT (SRL).



# Block SelectRAM Timing Model

## Introduction

This section describes the timing parameters associated with the block SelectRAM (illustrated in [Figure 1-7](#)) in Virtex-II Pro FPGA devices. This section is intended to be used with the section on switching characteristics in the [Virtex-II Pro Data Sheet](#) and the Timing Analyzer (TRCE) report from Xilinx software. For specific timing parameter values, refer to the switching characteristics section in the [Virtex-II Pro Data Sheet](#).

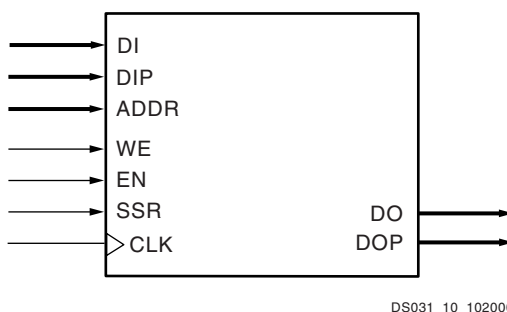


Figure 1-7: Block SelectRAM Block Diagram

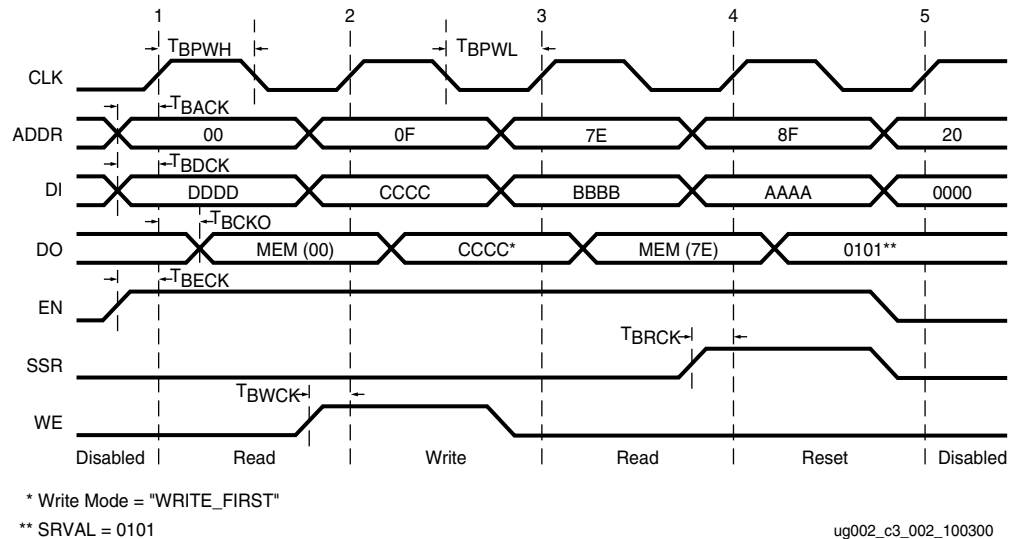
## Timing Parameters

Table 1-4: Block SelectRAM Timing Parameters

Parameter	Function	Control Signal	Description
<b>Setup and Hold Relative to Clock (CLK)</b>			
$T_{BxCK}$ = Setup time (before clock edge) $T_{BCKx}$ = Hold time (after clock edge)			The following descriptions are for setup times only.
$T_{BACK}/T_{BCKA}$	Address inputs	ADDR	Time before the clock that address signals must be stable at the ADDR inputs of the block RAM.
$T_{BDCK}/T_{BCKD}$	Data inputs	DI	Time before the clock that data must be stable at the DI inputs of the block RAM.
$T_{BECK}/T_{BCKE}$	Enable	EN	Time before the clock that the enable signal must be stable at the EN input of the block RAM.
$T_{BRCK}/T_{BCKR}$	Synchronous Set/Reset	SSR	Time before the clock that the synchronous set/reset signal must be stable at the SSR input of the block RAM.
$T_{BWCK}/T_{BCKW}$	Write Enable	WE	Time before the clock that the write enable signal must be stable at the WE input of the block RAM.
<b>Clock to Out</b>			
$T_{BCKO}$	Clock to Output	CLK to DO	Time after the clock that the output data is stable at the DO outputs of the block RAM.
<b>Clock</b>			
$T_{BPWH}$	Clock	CLK	Minimum pulse width, high.
$T_{BPWL}$	Clock	CLK	Minimum pulse width, low.

## Timing Characteristics

The timing diagram in **Figure 1-8** describes a single-port block RAM in Write-First mode. The timing for Read-First and No-Change modes are similar (see **Design Considerations**.)



**Figure 1-8: Block SelectRAM Timing Characteristics**

At time 0, the block RAM is disabled; EN (enable) is low.

### Clock Event 1

#### READ Operation:

During a read operation, the contents of the memory at the address on the ADDR inputs are unchanged.

- $T_{BACK}$  before Clock Event 1, address 00 becomes valid at the ADDR inputs of the block RAM.
- At time  $T_{BECK}$  before Clock Event 1, Enable goes High at the EN input of the block RAM, enabling the memory for the READ operation that follows.
- At time  $T_{BCKO}$  after Clock Event 1, the contents of the memory at address 00 become stable at the DO pins of the block RAM.

### Clock Event 2

#### WRITE Operation:

During a write operation, the content of the memory at the location specified by the address on the ADDR inputs is replaced by the value on the DI pins and is immediately reflected on the output latches (in WRITE-FIRST mode); EN (enable) is high.

- At time  $T_{BACK}$  before Clock Event 2, address 0F becomes valid at the ADDR inputs of the block RAM.
- At time  $T_{BDCK}$  before Clock Event 2, data CCCC becomes valid at the DI inputs of the block RAM.
- At time  $T_{BWCK}$  before Clock Event 2, Write Enable becomes valid at the WE following the block RAM.
- At time  $T_{BCKO}$  after Clock Event 2, data CCCC becomes valid at the DO outputs of the block RAM.

### Clock Event 4

#### SSR (Synchronous Set/Reset) Operation

During an SSR operation, initialization parameter value SRVAL is loaded into the output latches of the block SelectRAM. The SSR operation does NOT change the contents of the memory and is independent of the ADDR and DI inputs.

- At time  $T_{BRCK}$  before Clock Event 4, the synchronous set/reset signal becomes valid (High) at the SSR input of the block RAM.
- At time  $T_{BCKO}$  after Clock Event 4, the SRVAL 0101 becomes valid at the DO outputs of the block RAM.

### Clock Event 5

#### Disable Operation:

De-asserting the enable signal EN disables any write, read or SSR operation. The disable operation does NOT change the contents of the memory or the values of the output latches.

- At time  $T_{BECK}$  before Clock Event 5, the enable signal becomes valid (Low) at the EN input of the block RAM.
- After Clock Event 5, the data on the DO outputs of the block RAM is unchanged.

## Timing Model

Figure 1-9 illustrates the delay paths associated with the implementation of block SelectRAM. This example takes the simplest paths on and off chip (these paths can vary greatly depending on the design). This timing model demonstrates how and where the block SelectRAM timing parameters are used.

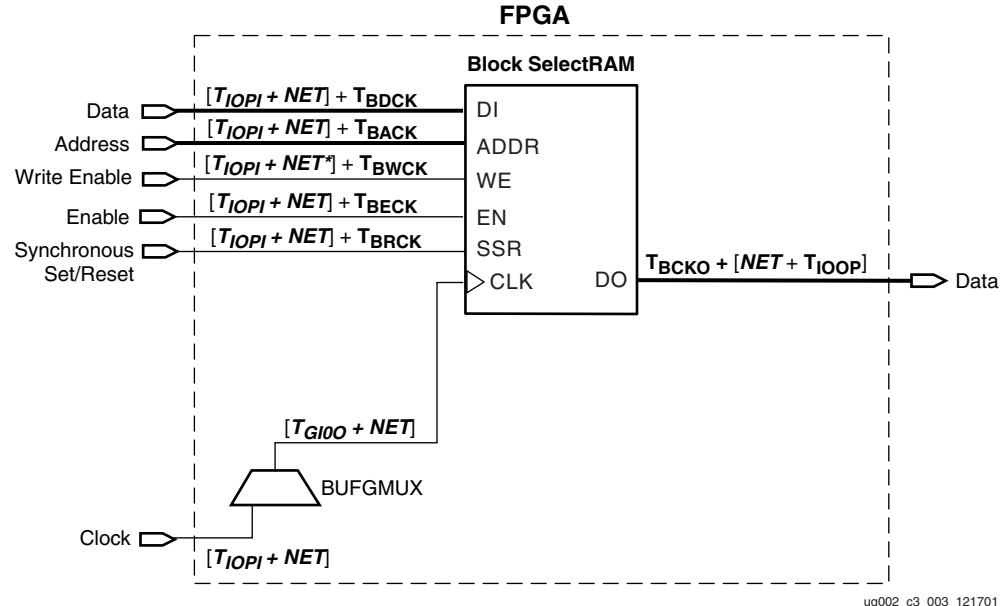


Figure 1-9: Block SelectRAM Timing Model

NET = Varying interconnect delays

$T_{IOPi}$  = Pad to I-output of IOB delay

$T_{IOOP}$  = O-input of IOB to pad delay

$T_{GI00}$  = BUFGMUX delay

## Embedded Multiplier Timing Model

### Introduction

This section explains all timing parameters associated with the use of embedded 18-bit x 18-bit multipliers in Virtex-II Pro FPGAs (see [Figure 1-10](#)). The propagation delays through the embedded multiplier differ based on the size of the multiplier function implemented. The longest delay through the multiplier is to the highest order bit output (P35). Therefore, if an 18-bit x 18-bit signed multiplier is implemented, the worst-case delay for this function is the longest delay associated with the embedded multiplier block. If smaller (LSB) multipliers are used, shorter delays can be realized.

This section is intended to be used in conjunction with the section on switching characteristics in the [Virtex-II Pro Data Sheet](#) and the Timing Analyzer (TRCE) report from Xilinx software. For specific timing parameter values, refer to the [Virtex-II Pro Data Sheet](#).

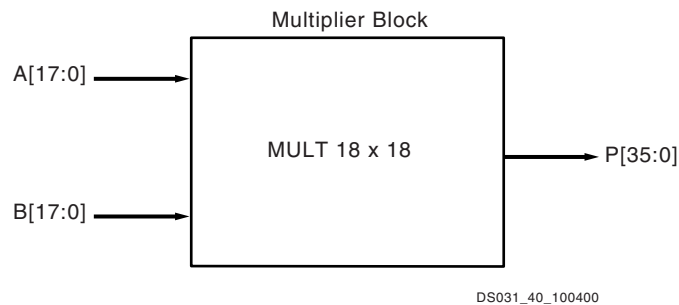


Figure 1-10: Embedded 18-bit x 18-bit Multiplier Block

### Timing Parameters

#### Propagation Delays (All Worst-Case)

[Table 1-5](#) lists the different values for the  $T_{MULT}$  timing parameter reported by the Timing Analyzer software. These values correspond to the propagation delay through the multiplier to a specific output pin of the multiplier block.

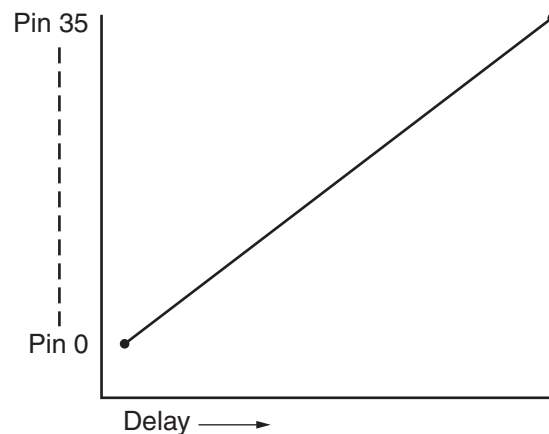
Table 1-5: Multiplier Switching Characteristics

Description	Symbol
Propagation Delay to Output Pin	
Input to Pin35	$T_{MULT}$
Input to Pin34	$T_{MULT}$
Input to Pin33	$T_{MULT}$
Input to Pin32	$T_{MULT}$
Input to Pin31	$T_{MULT}$
Input to Pin30	$T_{MULT}$
Input to Pin29	$T_{MULT}$
Input to Pin28	$T_{MULT}$
Input to Pin27	$T_{MULT}$
Input to Pin26	$T_{MULT}$
Input to Pin25	$T_{MULT}$
Input to Pin24	$T_{MULT}$
Input to Pin23	$T_{MULT}$
Input to Pin22	$T_{MULT}$

Table 1-5: Multiplier Switching Characteristics (Continued)

Description	Symbol
Input to Pin21	$T_{MULT}$
Input to Pin20	$T_{MULT}$
Input to Pin19	$T_{MULT}$
Input to Pin18	$T_{MULT}$
Input to Pin17	$T_{MULT}$
Input to Pin16	$T_{MULT}$
Input to Pin15	$T_{MULT}$
Input to Pin14	$T_{MULT}$
Input to Pin13	$T_{MULT}$
Input to Pin12	$T_{MULT}$
Input to Pin11	$T_{MULT}$
Input to Pin10	$T_{MULT}$
Input to Pin9	$T_{MULT}$
Input to Pin8	$T_{MULT}$
Input to Pin7	$T_{MULT}$
Input to Pin6	$T_{MULT}$
Input to Pin5	$T_{MULT}$
Input to Pin4	$T_{MULT}$
Input to Pin3	$T_{MULT}$
Input to Pin2	$T_{MULT}$
Input to Pin1	$T_{MULT}$
Input to Pin0	$T_{MULT}$

The shortest delay is to pin 0 and the longest delay to pin 35. Notice that the delay-to-pin ratio is essentially linear (see Figure 1-11). This implies that smaller multiply functions are faster than larger ones. This is true as long as the LSB inputs are used.

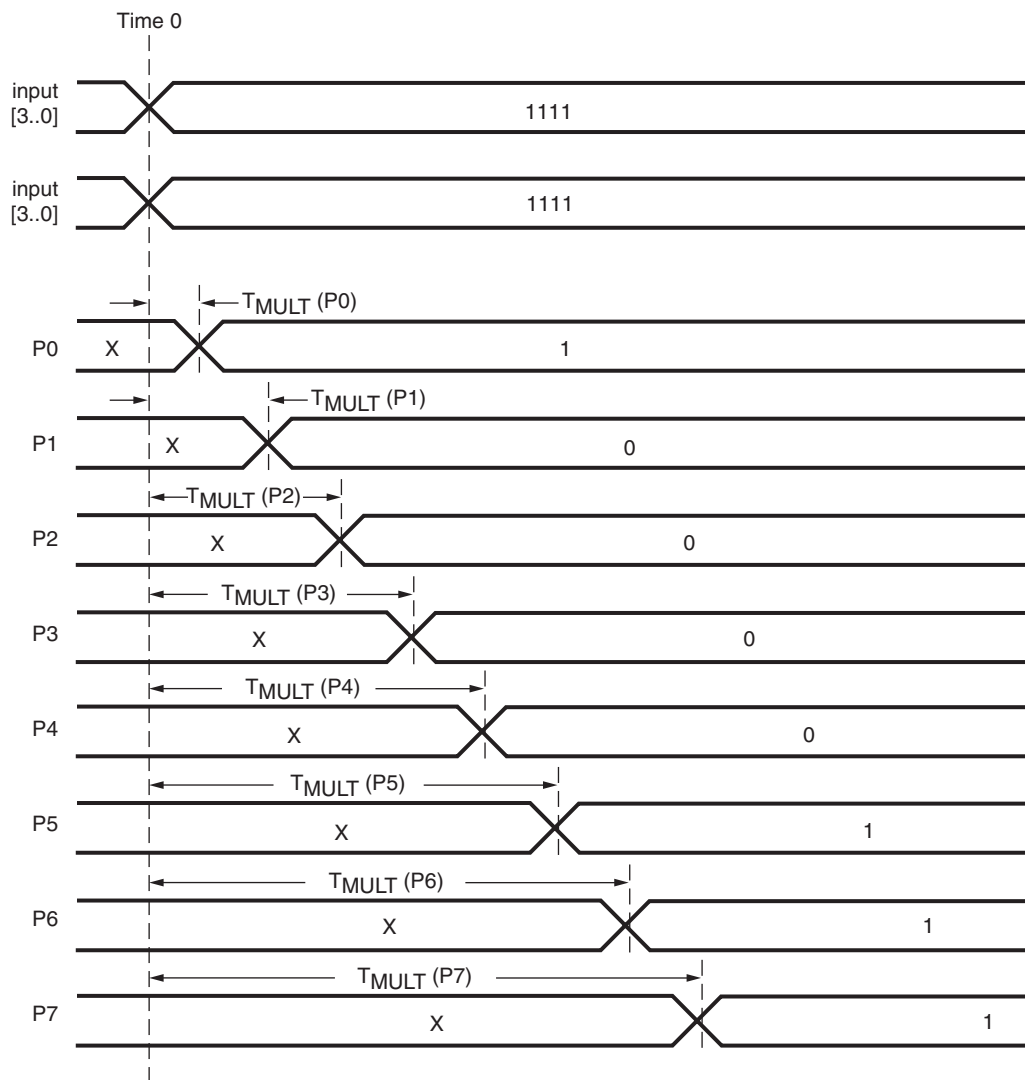


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Figure 1-11: Pin-to-Delay Ratio Curve

## Timing Characteristics

**Figure 1-12** illustrates the result (outputs) of a 4-bit x 4-bit unsigned multiply implemented in an embedded multiplier block.



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**Figure 1-12: Embedded Multiplier Block Timing Diagram**

At time 0 the two 4-bit numbers to be multiplied become valid at the A[0..3], B[0..3] inputs to the embedded multiplier. The result appears on the output pins P[0..7] in a staggered fashion. First, P0 becomes valid at time  $T_{MULT}(P0)$ , followed by each subsequent output pin, until P7 becomes valid at time  $T_{MULT}(P7)$ . In this case, the delay for this multiply function should correspond to that of Pin 7. In other words, the result is not valid until all output pins become valid.

## IOB Timing Models

The following three sections describe all timing parameters associated with the Virtex-II Pro IOB. These three sections are:

- [IOB Input Timing Model and Parameters](#)
- [IOB Output Timing Model and Parameters](#)
- [IOB 3-State Timing Model and Parameters](#)

These sections are intended to be used in conjunction with the section on switching characteristics in the [Virtex-II Pro Data Sheet](#) and the Timing Analyzer (TRCE) report from Xilinx software. For specific timing parameter values, refer to the [Virtex-II Pro Data Sheet](#).

### A Note on I/O Standard Adjustments:

The "IOB Input and Output Switching Characteristics Standard Adjustments" tables in Module 3 of the [Virtex-II Pro Data Sheet](#) are delay adders (+/-) to be added to all timing parameter values associated with the IOB and the Global Clock (see [Pin-to-Pin Timing Models](#), page 149), if an I/O standard other than LVCMOS\_25 12 mA is used.

All values specified in the [Virtex-II Pro Data Sheet](#) for the parameters covered in this section are specified for LVCMOS\_25 12 mA. If another I/O standard is used, these delays change. However, there are several exceptions. The following parameters associated with the pad going to high-impedance (3-State buffer OFF) should NOT be adjusted:

- $T_{IOTHZ}$
- $T_{IOTLPHZ}$
- $T_{GTS}$
- $T_{IOCKHZ}$
- $T_{IOSRHZ}$

## IOB Input Timing Model and Parameters

Figure 1-13 illustrates IOB inputs.

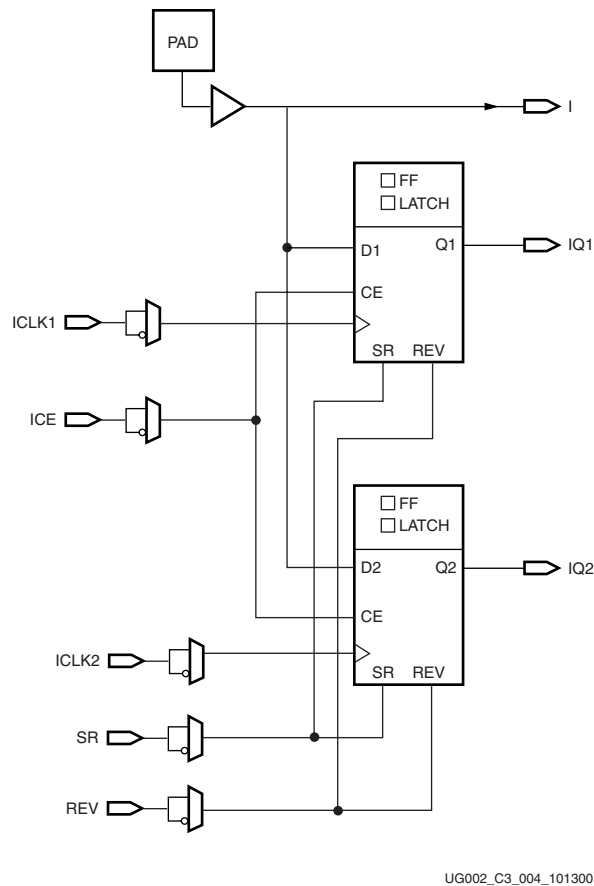


Figure 1-13: Virtex-II Pro IOB Inputs

### Timing Parameters

Table 1-6: IOB Input Timing Parameters

Parameter	Function	Control Signal	Description
<b>Propagation Delays</b>			
$T_{IOPI}$			Propagation delay from the pad to I output of the IOB with no delay adder.
$T_{IOPID}$			Propagation delay from the pad to I output of the IOB with the delay adder.
$T_{IOPLI}$			Propagation delay from the pad to IQ output of the IOB via transparent latch with no delay adder.
$T_{IOPLID}$			Propagation delay from the pad to IQ output of the IOB via transparent latch with the delay adder.



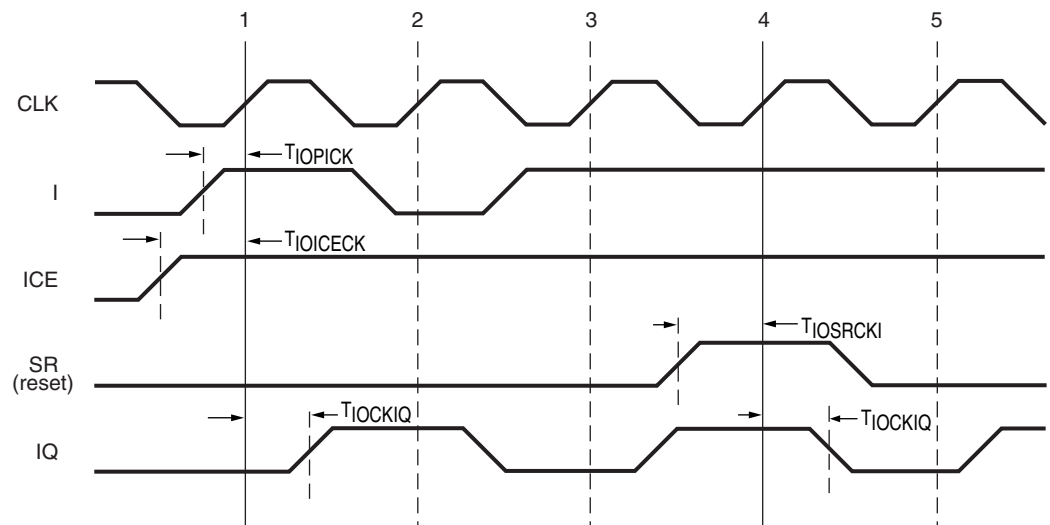
Table 1-6: IOB Input Timing Parameters

Parameter	Function	Control Signal	Description
<b>Setup and Hold With Respect to Clock at IOB Input Register</b>			
$T_{xxCK}$ = Setup time (before clock edge) $T_{xxCKxx}$ = Hold time (after clock edge)			The following descriptions are for setup times only.
$T_{IOPICK}/T_{IOICKP}$	ID input with NO delay		Time before the clock that the input signal from the pad must be stable at the ID input of the IOB Input Register, with no delay.
$T_{IOPICKD}/T_{IOICKPD}$	ID input with delay		Time before the clock that the input signal from the pad must be stable at the ID input of the IOB Input Register, with delay.
$T_{IOICECK}/T_{IOCKICE}$	ICE input		Time before the clock that the Clock Enable signal must be stable at the ICE input of the IOB Input Register.
$T_{IOSRCKI}$	SR input (IFF, synchronous)		Time before the clock that the Set/Reset signal must be stable at the SR input of the IOB Input Register.
<b>Clock to Out</b>			
$T_{IOCKIQ}$	Clock (CLK) to (IQ) output		Time after the clock that the output data is stable at the IQ output of the IOB Input Register.
<b>Set/Reset Delays</b>			
$T_{IOSRIQ}$	SR Input to IQ (asynchronous)		Time after the Set/Reset signal of the IOB is toggled that the output of the IOB input register (IQ) reflects the signal.
$T_{GSRQ}$	GSR to output IQ		Time after the Global Set/Reset is toggled that the output of the IOB input register (IQ) reflects the set or reset.

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## Timing Characteristics

Figure 1-14 illustrates IOB input register timing.



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Figure 1-14: IOB Input Register Timing Characteristics

### Clock Event 1

- At time  $T_{IOICECK}$  before Clock Event 1, the input clock enable signal becomes valid-high at the ICE input of the input register, enabling the input register for incoming data.
- At time  $T_{IOPICK}$  before Clock Event 1, the input signal becomes valid-high at the I input of the input register and is reflected on the IQ output of the input register at time  $T_{IOCKIQ}$  after Clock Event 1.

### Clock Event 4

- At time  $T_{IOSRCKI}$  before Clock Event 4, the SR signal (configured as synchronous reset in this case) becomes valid-high resetting the input register and reflected at the IQ output of the IOB at time  $T_{IOCKIQ}$  after Clock Event 4.

## Timing Characteristics, DDR

Figure 1-15 illustrates IOB DDR input register timing.

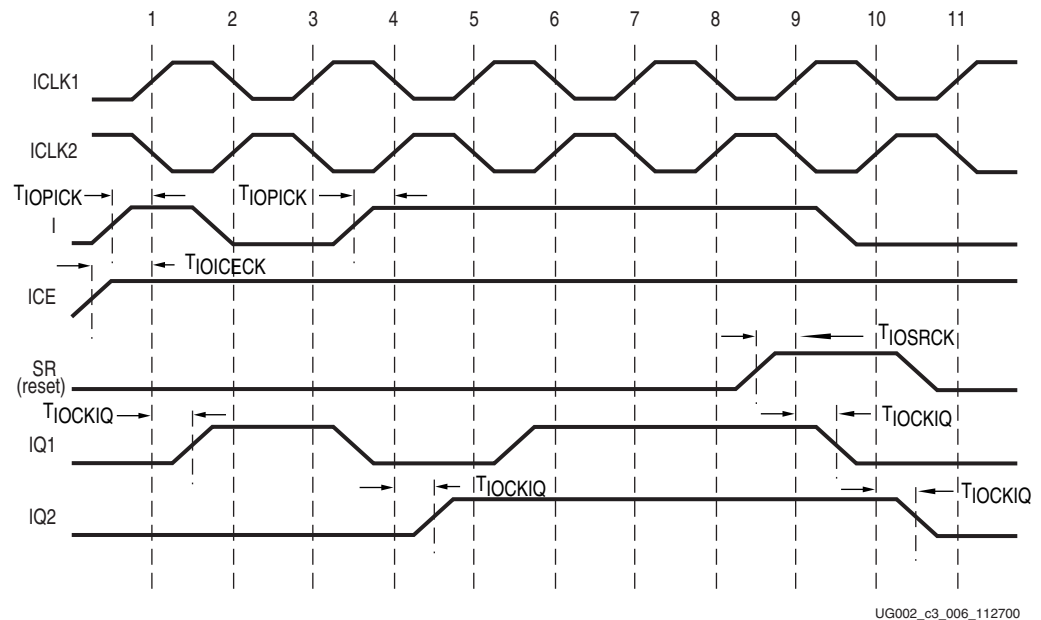


Figure 1-15: IOB DDR Input Register Timing Characteristics

### Clock Event 1

- At time  $T_{IOICECK}$  before Clock Event 1 the input clock enable signal becomes valid-high at the ICE input of both of the DDR input registers, enabling them for incoming data. Since the ICE and I signals are common to both DDR registers, care must be taken to toggle these signals between the rising edges of ICLK1 and ICLK2 as well as meeting the register setup-time relative to both clocks.
- At time  $T_{IOICK}$  before Clock Event 1 (rising edge of ICLK1) the input signal becomes valid-high at the I input of both registers and is reflected on the IQ1 output of input-register 1 at time  $T_{IOCKIQ}$  after Clock Event 1.

### Clock Event 2

At time  $T_{IOICK}$  before Clock Event 2 (rising edge of ICLK2) the input signal becomes valid-low at the I input of both registers and is reflected on the IQ2 output of input-register 2 at time  $T_{IOCKIQ}$  after Clock Event 2 (no change in this case).

### Clock Event 9

At time  $T_{IOSRCKI}$  before Clock Event 9 the SR signal (configured as synchronous reset in this case) becomes valid-high resetting input-register 1 (IQ1) at time  $T_{IOCKIQ}$  after Clock Event 9, and input-register 2 (IQ2) at time  $T_{IOCKIQ}$  after Clock Event 10.

## IOB Output Timing Model and Parameters

Figure 1-16 illustrates IOB outputs.

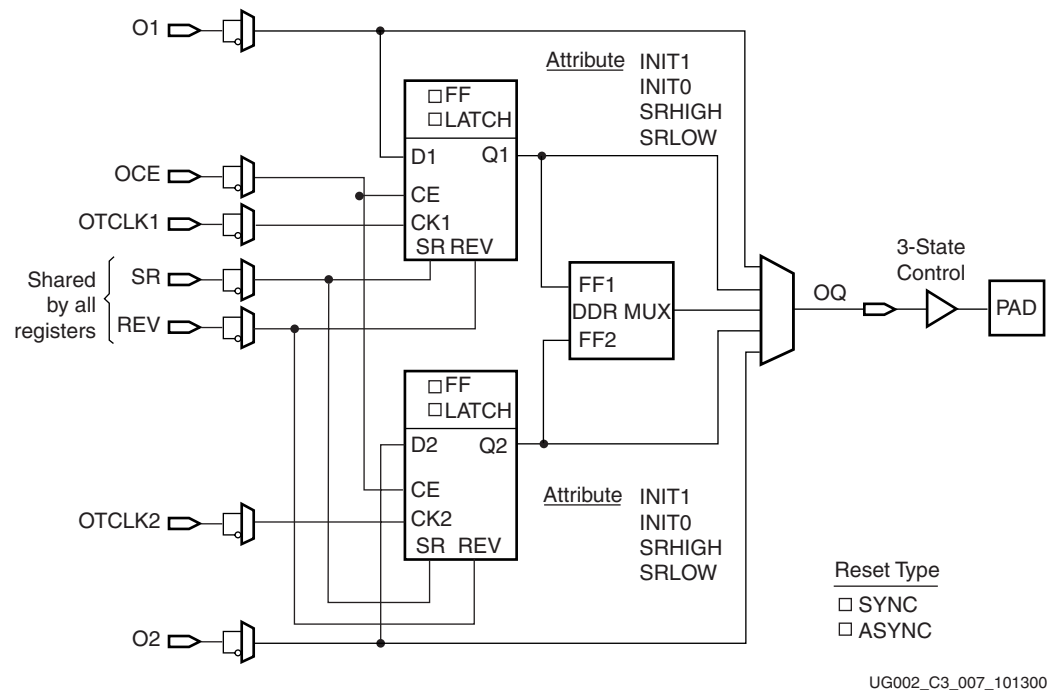


Figure 1-16: Virtex-II Pro IOB Output

### Timing Parameters

Table 1-7: IOB Output Timing Parameters

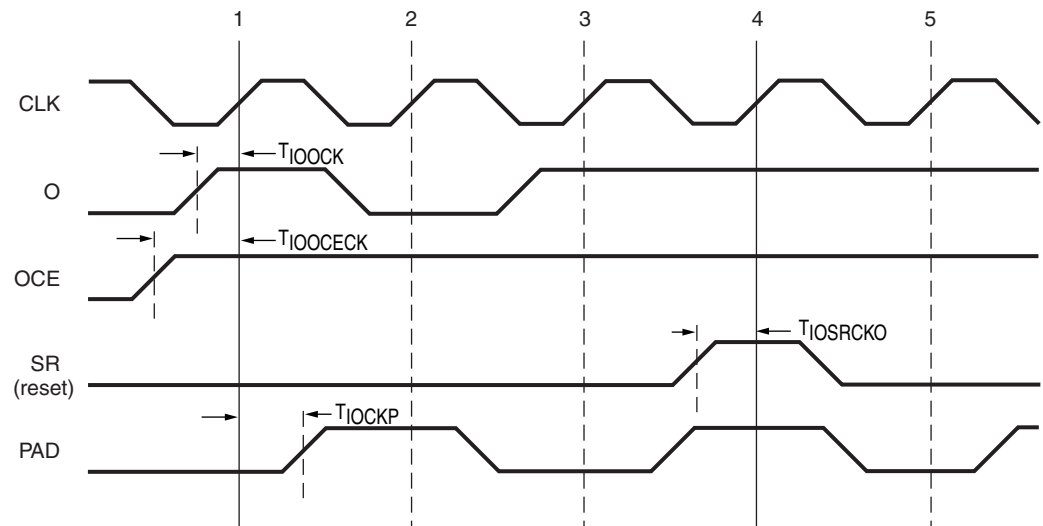
Parameter	Function	Control Signal	Description
<b>Propagation Delays</b>			
$T_{IOOP}$			Propagation delay from the O input of the IOB to the pad.
$T_{IOOLP}$			Propagation delay from the O input of the IOB to the pad via transparent latch.
<b>Setup and Hold With Respect to Clock at IOB Output Register</b>			
$T_{xxCK}$ = Setup time (before clock edge) $T_{xxCKxx}$ = Hold time (after clock edge)			The following descriptions are for setup times only.
$T_{IOOCK}/T_{IOCKO}$	O input		Time before the clock that data must be stable at the O input of the IOB Output Register.
$T_{IOOCECK}/T_{IOCKOCE}$	OCE input		Time before the clock that the Clock Enable signal must be stable at the OCE input of the IOB Output Register.
$T_{IOSRCKO}/T_{IOCKOSR}$	SR input (OFF)		Time before the clock that the Set/Reset signal must be stable at the SR input of the IOB Output Register.

Table 1-7: IOB Output Timing Parameters

Parameter	Function	Control Signal	Description
<b>Clock to Out</b>			
$T_{IOCKP}$	Clock (CLK) to pad		Time after the clock that the output data is stable at the pad.
<b>Set/Reset Delays</b>			
$T_{IOSRP}$	SR Input to pad (asynchronous)		Time after the Set/Reset input of the IOB is toggled that the pad reflects the set or reset.
$T_{IOGSRQ}$	GSR to pad		Time after the Global Set/Reset is toggled that the pad reflects the set or reset.

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Figure 1-17 illustrates IOB output register timing.



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Figure 1-17: IOB Output Register Timing Characteristics

### Clock Event 1

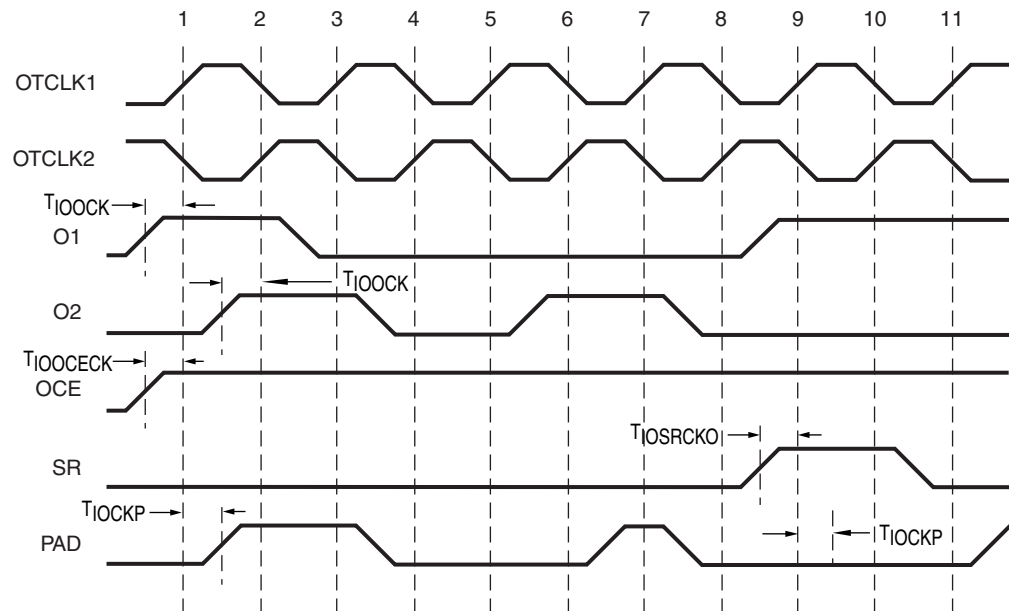
- At time  $T_{IOOCECK}$  before Clock Event 1, the output clock enable signal becomes valid-high at the OCE input of the output register, enabling the output register for incoming data.
- At time  $T_{IOCKP}$  before Clock Event 1, the output signal becomes valid-high at the O input of the output register and is reflected on the pad at time  $T_{IOCKP}$  after Clock Event 1.

### Clock Event 4

At time  $T_{IOSRCKO}$  before Clock Event 4, the SR signal (configured as synchronous reset in this case) becomes valid-high, resetting the output register and reflected on the pad at time  $T_{IOCKP}$  after Clock Event 4.

## Timing Characteristics, DDR

Figure 1-18 illustrates IOB DDR output register timing.



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Figure 1-18: IOB DDR Output Register Timing Characteristics

### Clock Event 1

- At time  $T_{IOOCECK}$  before Clock Event 1, the output clock enable signal becomes valid-high at the OCE input of both of the DDR output registers, enabling them for incoming data. Since the OCE signal is common to both DDR registers, care must be taken to toggle this signal between the rising edges of OTCLK1 and OTCLK2 as well as meeting the register setup-time relative to both clocks.
- At time  $T_{IOOCK}$  before Clock Event 1 (rising edge of OTCLK1), the output signal O1 becomes valid-high at the O1 input of output register 1 and is reflected on the pad at time  $T_{IOCKP}$  after Clock Event 1.

### Clock Event 2

At time  $T_{IOOCK}$  before Clock Event 2 (rising edge of OTCLK2), the output signal O2 becomes valid-high at the O2 input of output register 2 and is reflected on the pad at time  $T_{IOCKP}$  after Clock Event 2 (no change on the pad in this case).

### Clock Event 9

At time  $T_{IOSRCKO}$  before Clock Event 9, the SR signal (configured as synchronous reset in this case) becomes valid-high, resetting output-register 1 (reflected on the pad at time  $T_{IOCKP}$  after Clock Event 9) (no change in this case) and output-register 2 (reflected on the pad at time  $T_{IOCKP}$  after Clock Event 10) (no change in this case).

# IOB 3-State Timing Model and Parameters

Figure 1-19 illustrates IOB 3-state timing

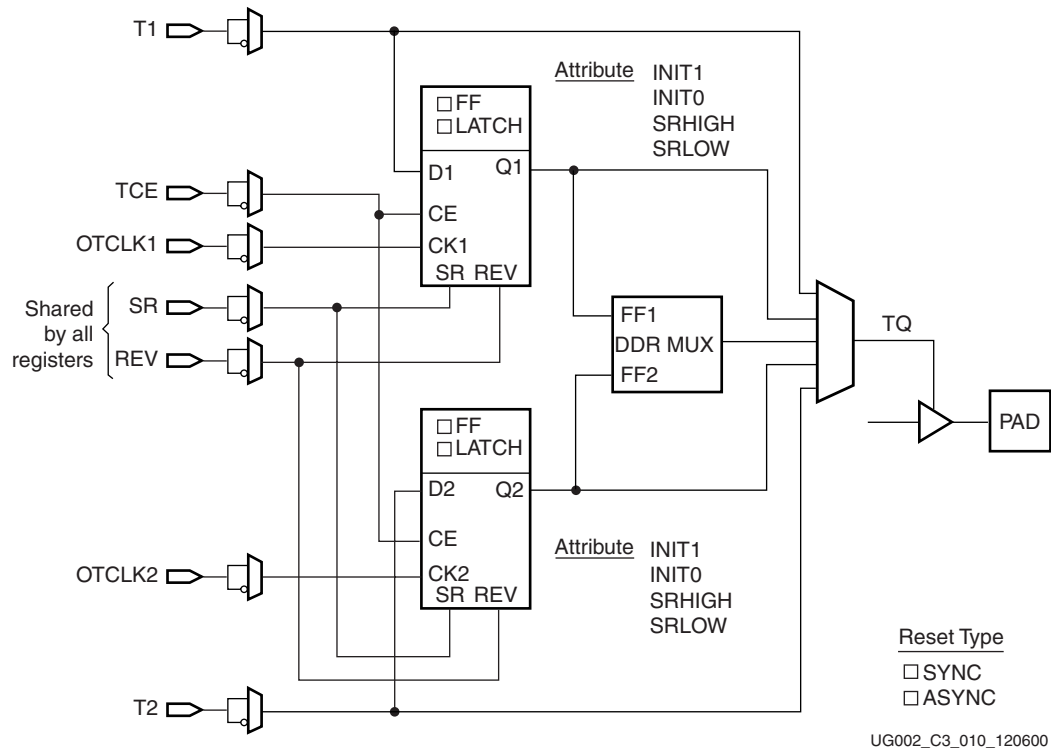


Figure 1-19: Virtex-II Pro IOB 3-State

## Timing Parameters

Table 1-8: IOB 3-State Timing Parameters

Parameter	Function	Control Signal	Description
<b>Propagation Delays</b>			
$T_{IOTHZ}$			Time after T input of the IOB is toggled that the pad goes to high-impedance.
$T_{IOTON}$			Time after the T input of the IOB is toggled that the pad goes from high-impedance to valid data.
$T_{IOTLPHZ}$			Time after the T input of the IOB via transparent latch is toggled that the pad goes to high-impedance.
$T_{IOTLPON}$			Time after the T input of the IOB via transparent latch is toggled that the pad goes from high-impedance to valid data.

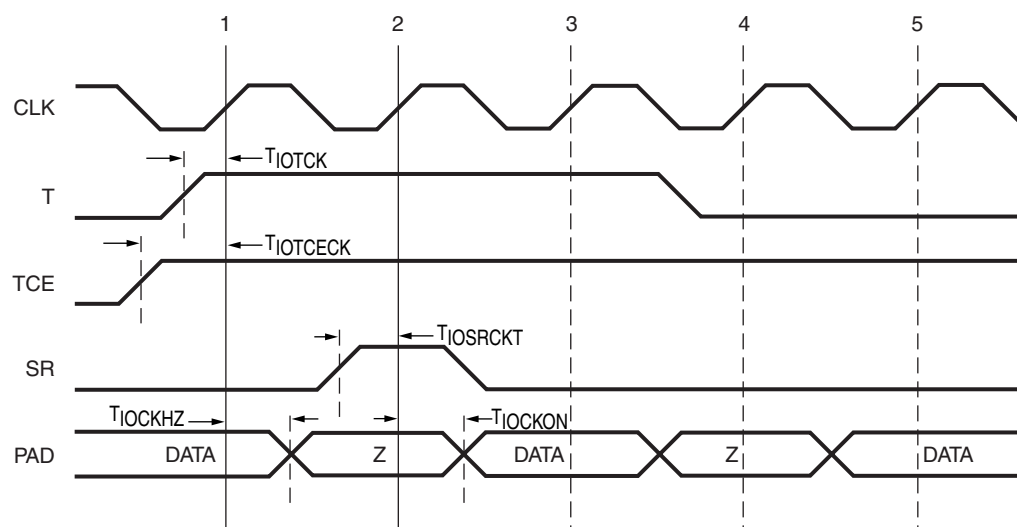
Table 1-8: IOB 3-State Timing Parameters (Continued)

Parameter	Function	Control Signal	Description
$T_{GTS}$			Time after the Global 3-state signal is asserted that the pad goes to high-impedance.
<b>Setup and Hold With Respect to Clock at IOB 3-State Register</b>			
$T_{xxCK}$ = Setup time (before clock edge) $T_{xxCKxx}$ = Hold time (after clock edge)			The following descriptions are for setup times only.
$T_{IOTCK}/T_{IOCKT}$	T input		Time before the clock that the signal must be stable at the T input of the IOB 3-state Register.
$T_{IOTCECK}/T_{IOCKTCE}$	TCE input		Time before the clock that the clock enable signal must be stable at the TCE input of the IOB 3-state Register.
$T_{IOSRCKT}/T_{IOCKTSR}$	SR input (TFF)		Time before the clock that the set/reset signal.
<b>Clock to Out</b>			
$T_{IOCKHZ}$	Clock (CLK) to pad High-Z		Time after clock that the pad goes to high-impedance.
$T_{IOCKON}$	Clock (CLK) to valid data on pad		Time after clock that the pad goes from high-impedance to valid data.
<b>Set/Reset Delays</b>			
$T_{IOSRHZ}$	SR Input to pad High-Z (asynchronous)		Time after the SR signal is toggled that the pad goes to high-impedance.
$T_{IOSRON}$	SR Input to valid data on pad (asynchronous)		Time after the SR signal is toggled that the pad goes from high-impedance to valid data.



## Timing Characteristics

Figure 1-20 illustrates IOB 3-state register timing.



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Figure 1-20: IOB 3-State Register Timing Characteristics

### Clock Event 1

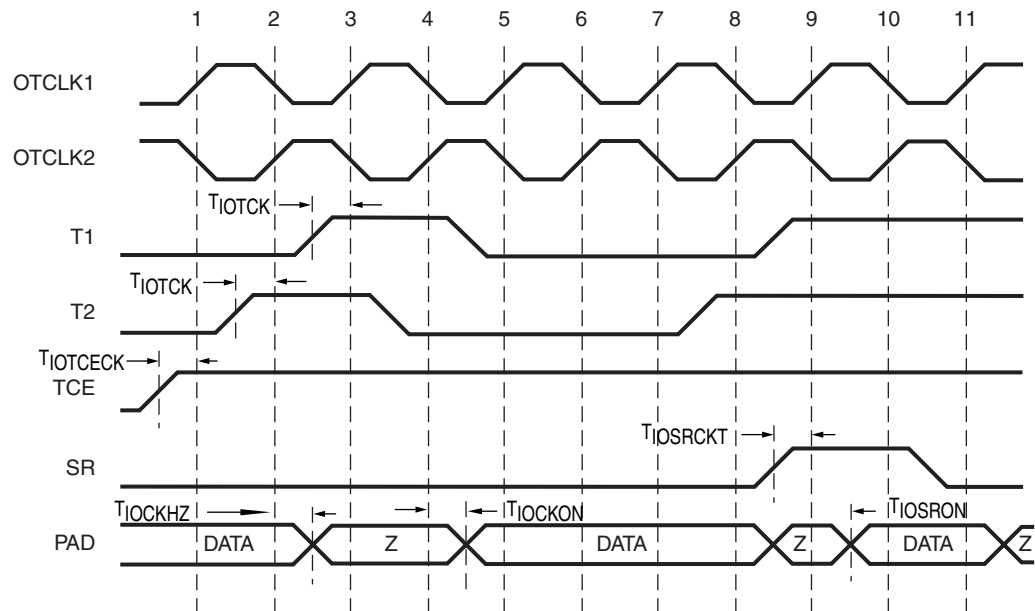
- At time  $T_{IOTCECK}$  before Clock Event 1, the 3-state clock enable signal becomes valid-high at the TCE input of the 3-state register, enabling the 3-state register for incoming data.
- At time  $T_{IOTCK}$  before Clock Event 1 the 3-state signal becomes valid-high at the T input of the 3-state register, returning the pad to high-impedance at time  $T_{IOCKHZ}$  after Clock Event 1.

### Clock Event 2

At time  $T_{IOSRCKT}$  before Clock Event 2, the SR signal (configured as synchronous reset in this case) becomes valid-high, resetting the 3-state register and returning the pad to valid data at time  $T_{IOCKON}$  after Clock Event 2.

## Timing Characteristics, DDR

Figure 1-21 illustrates IOB DDR 3-state register timing.



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Figure 1-21: IOB DDR 3-State Register Timing Characteristics

### Clock Event 1

At time  $T_{IOTCKECK}$  before Clock Event 1, the 3-state clock enable signal becomes valid-high at the TCE input of both of the DDR 3-state registers, enabling them for incoming data. Since the TCE signal is common to both DDR registers, care must be taken to toggle this signal between the rising edges of OTCLK1 and OTCLK2 as well as meeting the register setup-time relative to both clocks.

### Clock Event 2

At time  $T_{IOTCK}$  before Clock Event 2 (rising edge of OTCLK2), the 3-state signal T2 becomes valid-high at the T2 input of 3-state register 2, switching the pad to high-impedance at time  $T_{IOCKHZ}$  after Clock Event 2.

### Clock Event 3

At time  $T_{IOTCK}$  before Clock Event 3 (rising edge of OTCLK1), the 3-state signal T1 becomes valid-high at the T1 input of 3-state register 1, keeping the pad at high-impedance for another half clock cycle (half the period of OTCLK1 or 2).

### Clock Event 4

At time  $T_{IOTCK}$  before Clock Event 4 (rising edge of OTCLK2), the 3-state signal T2 becomes valid-low at the T2 input of 3-state register 2, switching the pad to valid data at time  $T_{IOCKON}$  after Clock Event 4. This is repeated for 3-state signal T1 at the following clock event (5) maintaining valid data on the pad until Clock Event 8.

### Clock Event 8

At time  $T_{IOTCK}$  before Clock Event 8 (rising edge of OTCLK2), the 3-state signal T2 becomes valid-high at the T2 input of 3-state register 2, switching the pad to high-impedance at time  $T_{IOCKHZ}$  after Clock Event 8.

### Clock Event 9

At time  $T_{IOSRCKT}$  before Clock Event 9 (rising edge of OTCLK1), the SR signal (configured as synchronous reset in this case) becomes valid-high at the SR input of 3-state Register 1, returning the pad to valid data at time  $T_{IOSRON}$  after Clock Event 9.

## Pin-to-Pin Timing Models

This section explains the delays and timing parameters associated with the use of the Global Clock network and the DCM. These delays are true pin-to-pin delays relative to the Global Clock pin and an output or input pin with or without the DCM.

This section consists of two parts:

- **Global Clock Input to Output**
- **Global Clock Setup and Hold**

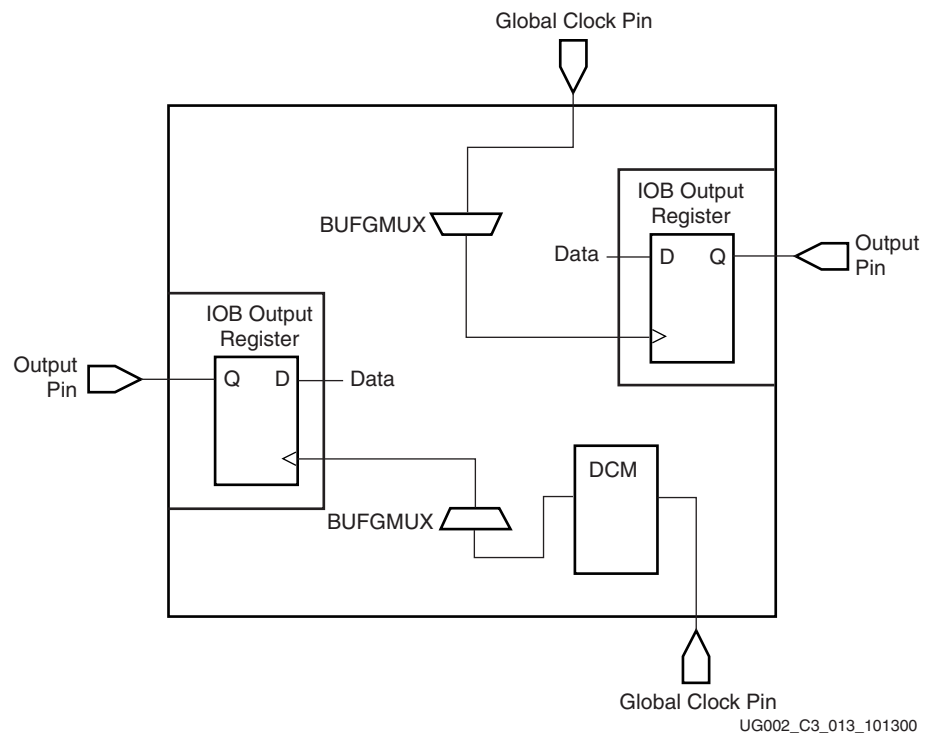
The former describes the delay from the Global Clock pin (with and without the DCM) to an output pin via an Output flip-flop. The latter describes the set-up time for an Input flip-flop from an input pin relative to the Global Clock pin (with and without the DCM).

The values reported in the switching characteristics section of the [Virtex-II Pro Data Sheet](#) are for LVCMOS\_25 12 mA I/O standards. For different I/O standards, adjust these values with those shown in the "IOB Switching Characteristics Standard Adjustments" tables.

This section is intended to be used in conjunction with the section on switching characteristics in the [Virtex-II Pro Data Sheet](#) and the Timing Analyzer (TRCE) report from Xilinx software. For specific timing parameter values, refer to the [Virtex-II Pro Data Sheet](#).

### Global Clock Input to Output

**Figure 1-22** illustrates the paths associated with the timing parameters defined in this section. Note that they differ only in their use of the DCM.



**Figure 1-22: Global Clock Input to Output Model**

## Timing Parameters

Table 1-9: Global Clock Input to Output Timing Parameters

Parameter	Description
$T_{ICKOFDLL}$	Time after the Global Clock (pin), using the DCM, that the output data from an IOB Output flip-flop is stable at the output pin.
$T_{ICKOF}$	Time after the Global Clock (pin), without the DCM, that the output data from an IOB Output flip-flop is stable at the output pin.

## Timing Characteristics

The waveforms depicted in Figure 1-23 demonstrate the relation of the Global Clock pin, the output data, and the use of the timing parameters.

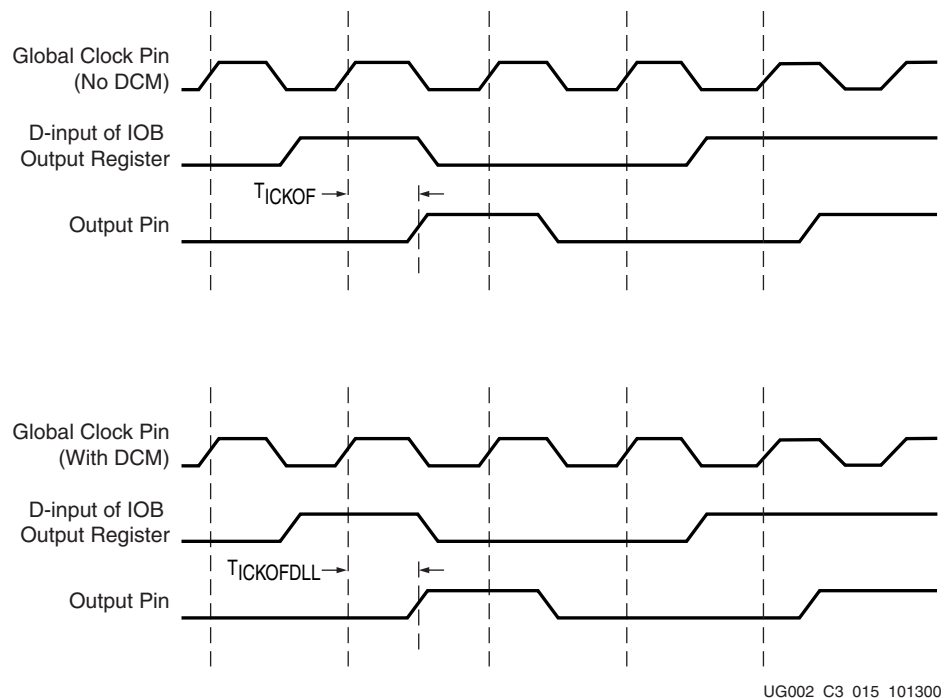
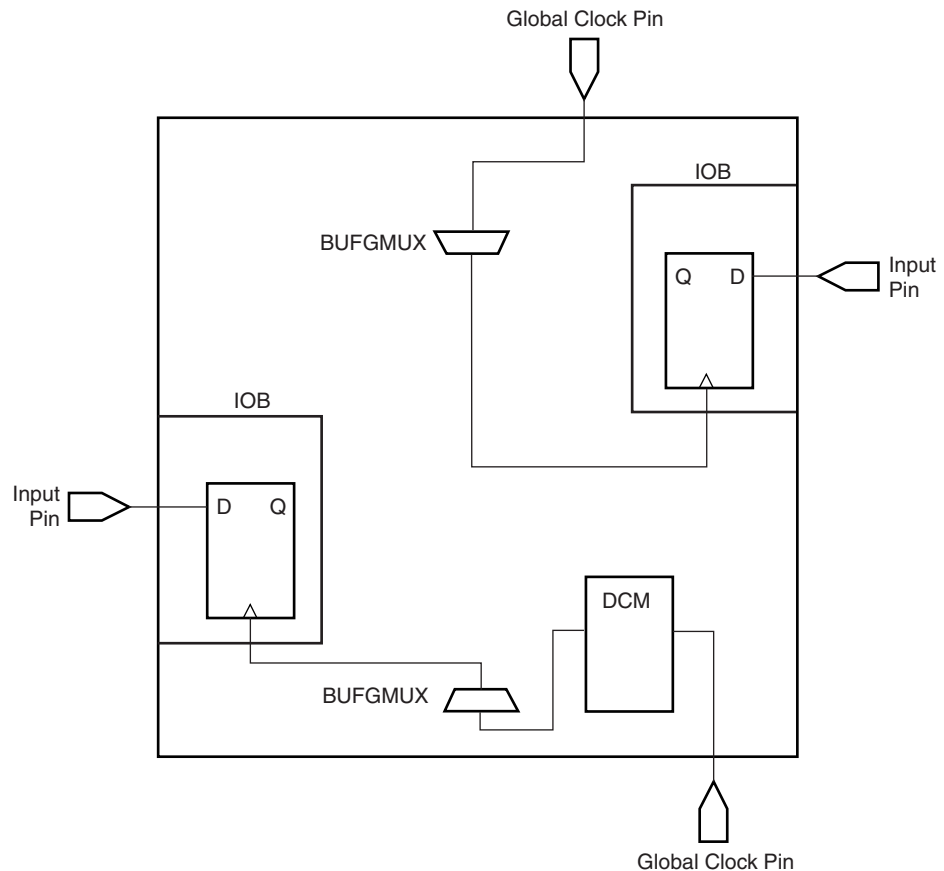


Figure 1-23: Global Clock Input to Output Timing Characteristics

## Global Clock Setup and Hold

Figure 1-24 illustrates the paths associated with the timing parameters defined in this section. Note, they differ only in their use of the DCM.



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Figure 1-24: Global Clock Setup and Hold Model

### Timing Parameters

Setup and Hold for Input Registers Relative to the Global Clock (pin):

- $T_{PSDLL} / T_{PHDLL}$  - Time before the Global Clock (pin), with DCM, that the input signal must be stable at the D-input of the IOB input register.
- $T_{PSFD} / T_{PHFD}$  - Time before the Global Clock (pin), without DCM, that the input signal must be stable at the D-input of the IOB input register.

Note:  $T_{PSFD}$  = Setup time (before clock edge) and  $T_{PHFD}$  = Hold time (after clock edge). The previous descriptions are for setup times only.

## Timing Characteristics

The waveforms depicted in [Figure 1-25](#) demonstrate the relation of the Global Clock pin, the input data, and the use of the timing parameters.

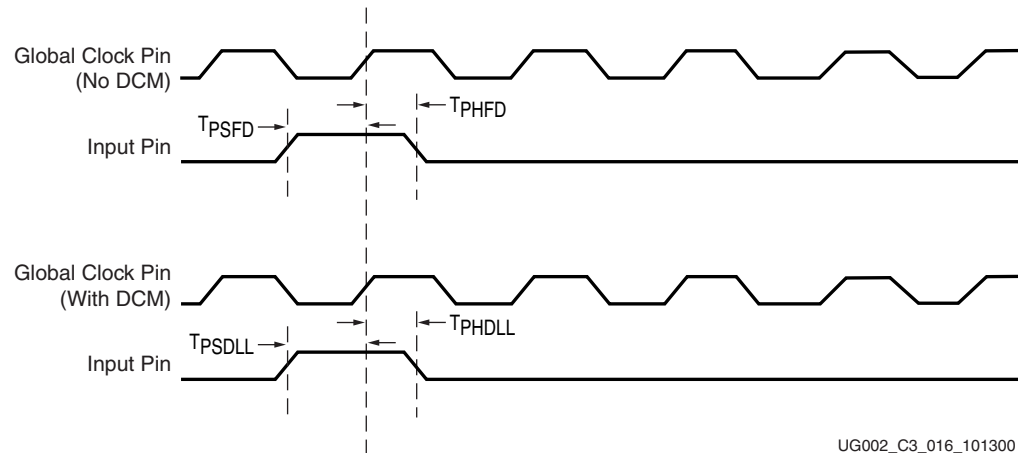


Figure 1-25: Global Clock Setup and Hold Timing Characteristics

## Digital Clock Manager Timing Model

This section describes the timing parameters associated with the Digital Clock Manager (DCM), which are reported in the [Virtex-II Pro Data Sheet](#). Note that these parameters are not used by the Timing Analyzer software in the production of timing reports; they are all measured values and are fully characterized in silicon. For specific timing parameter values, refer to the [Virtex-II Pro Data Sheet](#). This section discusses the following:

- **Operating Frequency Ranges:** The minimum and maximum frequencies supported by the DCM for all clock inputs and outputs.
- **Input Clock Tolerances:** Input clock period (pulse widths), jitter, and drift requirements for proper function of the DCM for all clock inputs.
- **Output Clock Precision:** Output clock period jitter, phase offsets, and duty cycle for all clock outputs of the DCM (worst case).
- **Miscellaneous Timing Parameters:** DCM lock times, Tap delay and shifting range.

For a detailed description of input clock tolerance, jitter, and phase offset see the waveforms at the end of this section.

## Operating Frequency Ranges

Figure 1-26 illustrates the DCM functional block and corresponding timing parameters for all clock inputs and outputs.

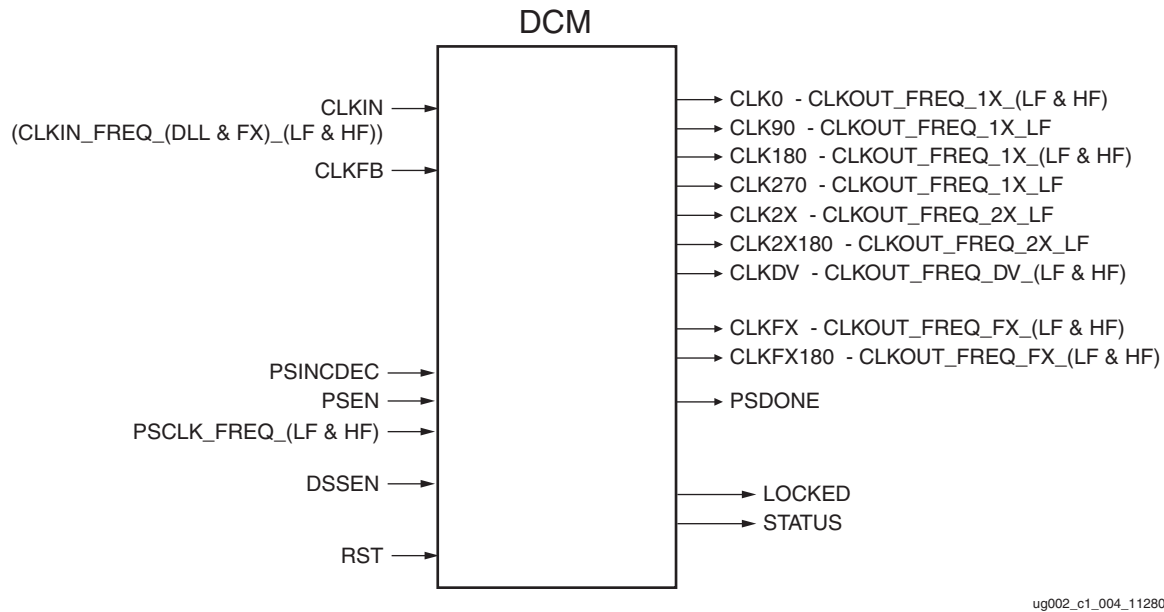


Figure 1-26: DCM Functional Block: Operating Frequency Ranges

Table 1-10: Operating Frequency Range Parameters

Parameter	Description
<b>Low Frequency Mode</b>	
CLKOUT_FREQ_1X_LF	The minimum and maximum frequency for the CLK0, CLK90, CLK180, CLK270 outputs of the DCM in low-frequency mode.
CLKOUT_FREQ_2X_LF	The minimum and maximum frequency for the CLK2X and CLK2X180 outputs of the DCM in low-frequency mode.
CLKOUT_FREQ_DV_LF	The minimum and maximum frequency for the CLKDV output of the DCM in low-frequency mode.
CLKOUT_FREQ_FX_LF	The minimum and maximum frequency for the CLKFX and CLKFX180 outputs of the DCM in low-frequency mode.
CLKIN_FREQ_DLL_LF <sup>(1)</sup>	The minimum and maximum frequency for the CLKIN input to the DCM in low-frequency mode when using the delay-locked loop (DLL) outputs.
CLKIN_FREQ_FX_LF <sup>(2)</sup>	The minimum and maximum frequency for the CLKIN input to the DCM in low-frequency mode when using the FX outputs.
PSCLK_FREQ_LF	The minimum and maximum frequency for the PSCLK input to the DCM in low-frequency mode.

Table 1-10: Operating Frequency Range Parameters (Continued)

Parameter	Description
<b>High Frequency Mode</b>	
CLKOUT_FREQ_1X_HF	The minimum and maximum frequency for the CLK0, CLK180 outputs of the DCM in high-frequency mode.
CLKOUT_FREQ_DV_HF	The minimum and maximum frequency for the CLKDV output of the DCM in high-frequency mode.
CLKOUT_FREQ_FX_HF	The minimum and maximum frequency for the CLKFX and CLKFX180 outputs of the DCM in high-frequency mode.
CLKIN_FREQ_DLL_HF	The minimum and maximum frequency for the CLKIN input to the DCM in high-frequency mode when using the DLL outputs.
CLKIN_FREQ_FX_HF	The minimum and maximum frequency for the CLKIN input to the DCM in high-frequency mode when using the FX outputs.
PSCLK_FREQ_HF	The minimum and maximum frequency for the PSCLK input to the DCM in high-frequency mode.

**Notes:**

1. Delay-locked loop (DLL) outputs include: CLK0, CLK90, CLK180, CLK270, CLK2X, CLK2X180, and CLKDV.
2. FX outputs include: CLKFX and CLKFX180

## Input Clock Tolerances

Table 1-11: Input Clock Tolerance Parameters

Parameter	Description
PSCLK_PULSE <sup>(1)</sup>	The minimum pulse width (HIGH and LOW) that the PSCLK input to the DCM can have over a range of frequencies.
CLKIN_PULSE	The minimum pulse width (HIGH and LOW) that the CLKIN input to the DCM can have over a range of frequencies. Also applies to PSCLK.
CLKFB_DELAY_VAR_EXT	The maximum allowed variation in delay (across environmental changes) of the feedback clock path when routed externally for board-level de-skew.
<b>Low Frequency Mode</b>	
CLKIN_CYC_JITT_DLL_LF	The maximum cycle-to-cycle jitter the CLKIN input to the DCM can have when using the DLL outputs in low-frequency mode.
CLKIN_CYC_JITT_FX_LF	The maximum cycle-to-cycle jitter the CLKIN input to the DCM can have when using the FX outputs in low-frequency mode.
CLKIN_PER_JITT_DLL_LF	The maximum period jitter the CLKIN input to the DCM can have when using the DLL outputs in low-frequency mode.



Table 1-11: Input Clock Tolerance Parameters (Continued)

Parameter	Description
CLKIN_PER_JITT_FX_LF	The maximum period jitter the CLKIN input to the DCM can have when using the FX outputs in low-frequency mode.
<b>High Frequency Mode</b>	
CLKIN_CYC_JITT_DLL_HF	The maximum cycle-to-cycle jitter the CLKIN input to the DCM can have when using the DLL outputs in high-frequency mode.
CLKIN_CYC_JITT_FX_HF	The maximum cycle-to-cycle jitter the CLKIN input to the DCM can have when using the FX outputs in high-frequency mode.
CLKIN_PER_JITT_DLL_HF	The maximum period jitter the CLKIN input to the DCM can have when using the DLL outputs in high-frequency mode.
CLKIN_PER_JITT_FX_HF	The maximum period jitter the CLKIN input to the DCM can have when using the FX outputs in high-frequency mode.

**Notes:**

1. The frequencies applicable to CLKIN\_PULSE range from 1 to >400 MHz. These frequencies also apply to PSCLK\_PULSE. Since PSCLK can be less than 1 MHz, the pulse width under this condition is specified for PSCLK only.

## Output Clock Precision

Table 1-12: Output Clock Precision Parameters

Parameter	Description
CLKOUT_PER_JITT_0	The maximum period jitter of the CLK0 output clock from the DCM (worst case).
CLKOUT_PER_JITT_90	The maximum period jitter of the CLK90 output clock from the DCM (worst case).
CLKOUT_PER_JITT_180	The maximum period jitter of the CLK180 output clock from the DCM (worst case).
CLKOUT_PER_JITT_270	The maximum period jitter of the CLK270 output clock from the DCM (worst case).
CLKOUT_PER_JITT_2X	The maximum period jitter of the CLK2X and CLK2X180 output clocks from the DCM (worst case).
CLKOUT_PER_JITT_DV1	The maximum period jitter of the CLKDV (integer division) output clock from the DCM (worst case).
CLKOUT_PER_JITT_DV2	The maximum period jitter of the CLKDV (non-integer division) output clock from the DCM (worst case).
CLKOUT_PER_JITT_FX	The maximum period jitter of the FX output clocks from the DCM (worst case).
CLKIN_CLKFB_PHASE	Maximum phase offset between the CLKIN and CLKFB inputs to the DCM.

Table 1-12: Output Clock Precision Parameters (Continued)

Parameter	Description
CLKOUT_PHASE	Maximum phase offset between any DCM clock outputs.
CLKOUT_DUTY_CYCLE_DLL	The duty-cycle precision for all DLL outputs.
CLKOUT_DUTY_CYCLE_FX	The duty-cycle precision for the FX outputs.

## Miscellaneous DCM Timing Parameters

Table 1-13: Miscellaneous DCM Timing Parameters

Parameter	Description
LOCK_DLL	Time required for DCM to lock over a range of clock frequencies when using the DLL outputs.
LOCK_FX	Time required for DCM to lock when using the FX outputs.
LOCK_DLL_FINE_SHIFT	Additional lock time when performing fine phase shifting.
FINE_SHIFT_RANGE	Absolute range for fine phase shifting.
DCM_TAP	Resolution of delay line.

The waveforms in Figure 1-27 demonstrate the relationship between clock tolerance, jitter, and phase.

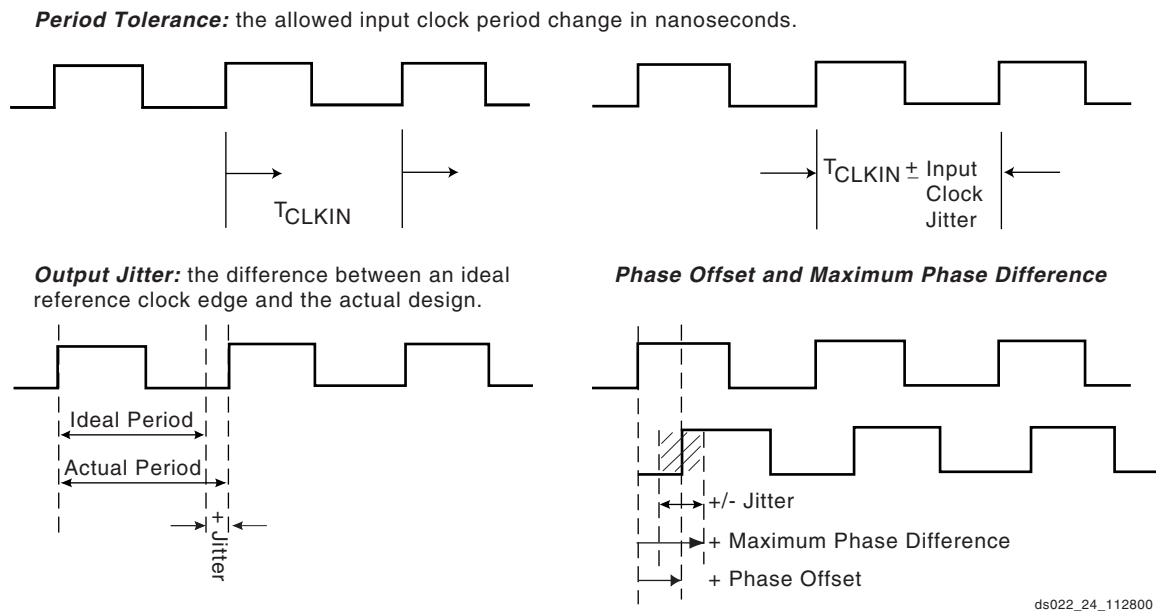


Figure 1-27: DCM Jitter, Phase, and Tolerance Timing Waveforms

Output jitter is period jitter measured on the DLL output clocks, excluding input clock jitter.

Phase offset between CLKIN and CLKFB is the worst-case fixed time difference between rising edges of CLKIN and CLKFB, excluding output jitter and input clock jitter.

Phase offset between clock outputs on the DLL is the worst-case fixed time difference between rising edges of any two DLL outputs, excluding output jitter and input clock jitter.

Maximum phase difference between CLKIN and CLKFB is the sum of output jitter and phase offset between CLKIN and CLKFB, or the greatest difference between CLKIN and CLKFB rising edges due to DLL alone (excluding input clock jitter).

Maximum phase difference between clock outputs on the DLL is the sum of output jitter and phase offset between any DLL clock outputs, or the greatest difference between any two DLL output rising edges due to DLL alone (excluding input clock jitter).

## Additional Timing Models in Other Publications: PPC405 Processor Block and RocketIO Transceiver

Due to their length and complexity, timing models for the IBM PPC405 Processor Block and the RocketIO Multi-Gigabit Transceiver are not included in this Handbook. They can be found in the publications described below, which cover in detail the operation and implementation of these Virtex-II Pro components:

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### IBM PPC405 Processor Block Timing Models

Timing models for the IBM PPC405 Processor Block can be found in the *PPC405 Processor Block Manual*, UG018. The most current version of this volume is available on the Xilinx website at [www.xilinx.com/publications/products/v2pro/handbook/](http://www.xilinx.com/publications/products/v2pro/handbook/). It is intended to be used in conjunction with Module 3 of the [Virtex-II Pro Data Sheet](#) and the Timing Analyzer (TRCE) report from Xilinx software. For specific timing parameter values, refer to the data sheet.

### RocketIO Transceiver Timing Models

Timing models for the RocketIO Transceiver can be found in the [RocketIO Transceiver User Guide](#), UG024. The most current version of this volume is available on the Xilinx website at [www.xilinx.com/publications/products/v2pro/handbook/](http://www.xilinx.com/publications/products/v2pro/handbook/).



# Design Considerations

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## Summary

This chapter covers the following topics:

- RocketIO Transceiver
- Processor Block
- Global Clock Networks
- Digital Clock Managers (DCMs)
- Block SelectRAM™ Memory
- Distributed SelectRAM Memory
- Look-Up Tables as Shift Registers (SRLs)
- Large Multiplexers
- Sum of Products (SOP) Logic
- Embedded Multipliers
- Single-Ended SelectIO™-Ultra Resources
- Digitally Controlled Impedance (DCI)
- Double-Data-Rate (DDR) I/O
- LVDS I/O
- LVPECL I/O
- Bitstream Encryption
- CORE Generator System

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## Introduction

This chapter describes how to take advantage of the many special features of Virtex-II Pro architecture to achieve maximum density and performance. In many cases, the functions described can be automatically generated using the Xilinx CORE Generator™ tool. This is noted throughout the chapter, in the following sections specifically:

- Block SelectRAM™ Memory
- Distributed SelectRAM Memory
- Look-Up Tables as Shift Registers (SRLs)
- Large Multiplexers
- Embedded Multipliers

## RocketIO Transceiver

Virtex-II Pro devices provide up to twenty-four multi-gigabit transceivers capable of various high-speed serial standards such as Gigabit Ethernet, FiberChannel, Infiniband, and XAUI. In addition, the channel-bonding feature aggregates multiple channels allowing for even higher data transfer rate.

For the most up-to-date information on RocketIO transceiver features, design examples, power considerations, and board layout suggestions, refer to the most current revision of *RocketIO Transceiver User Guide* on the Xilinx website at [www.xilinx.com/publications/products/v2pro/handbook/](http://www.xilinx.com/publications/products/v2pro/handbook/).

## Processor Block

Two additional user manuals detail the hardware and software design aspects of the processor block. The *Virtex-II Pro Processor Block Manual* provides information on input/output signals, timing relationships between signals, and the mechanisms software can use to control the interface operation. The *Virtex-II Pro PPC405 User Manual* serves as a stand-alone reference for application and system programmers of the PPC405 processor core.

For the most up-to-date information on the PPC405 processor core, refer to the current revisions of these manuals on the Xilinx website at [www.xilinx.com/publications/products/v2pro/handbook/](http://www.xilinx.com/publications/products/v2pro/handbook/).

## Global Clock Networks

### Introduction

Virtex-II Pro devices support very high frequency designs and thus require low-skew advanced clock distribution. With device density up to 10 million system gates, numerous global clocks are necessary in most designs. Therefore, to provide a uniform and portable solution (soft-IP), all Virtex-II Pro devices from XC2VP2 to XC2VP125 have 16 global clock buffers and support 16 global clock domains. Up to eight of these clocks can be used in any quadrant of the device by the synchronous logic elements (that is, registers, 18Kb block RAM, pipeline multipliers) and the IOBs. The software tools place and route these global clocks automatically.

If the design uses between 8 and 16 clocks, it must be partitioned into quadrants, with up to 8 clocks per quadrant. If more than 16 clocks are required, the backbone (24 horizontal and vertical long lines routing resources) can be used as additional clock network.

In addition to clock distribution, the 16 clock buffers are also “glitch-free” synchronous 2:1 multiplexers. These multiplexers are capable of switching between two asynchronous (or synchronous) clocks at any time. No particular phase relations between the two clocks are needed. The clock multiplexers can also be configured as a global clock buffer with a clock enable. The clock can be stopped High or Low at the clock buffer output.

### Clock Distribution Resources

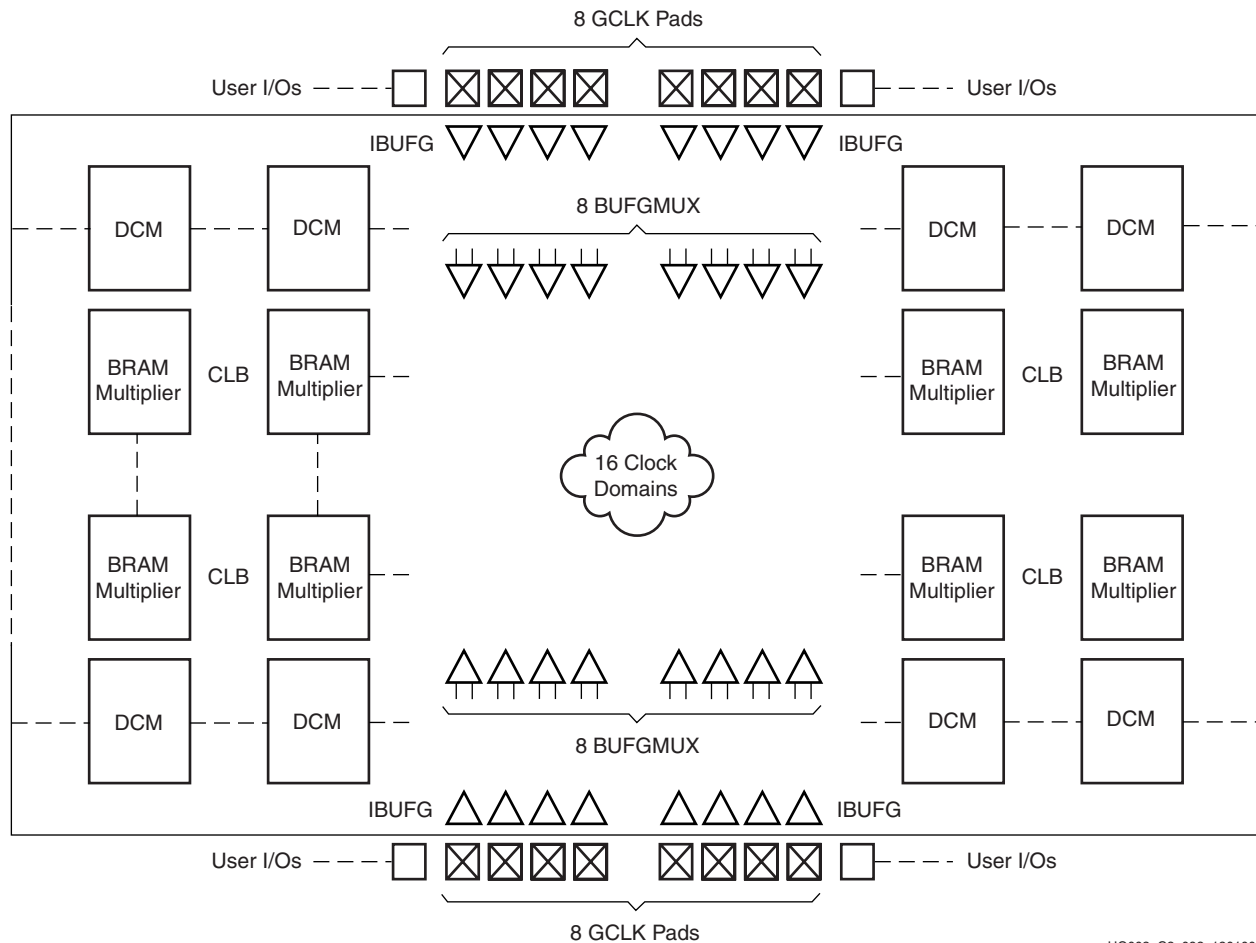
The various resources available to manage and distribute the clocks include:

- Sixteen clock pads that can be used as regular user I/Os if not used as clock inputs. The sixteen clock pads can be configured for any I/O standard, including differential standards (for example, LVDS).
- Sixteen “IBUFG” elements that represent the clock inputs in a VHDL or Verilog design.
- Eight “IBUFGDS” elements (that is, attributes LVPECL\_25, LVDS\_25, LDT\_25, or

ULVDS\_25) that represent the differential clock input pairs in a VHDL or Verilog design. Each IBUFGDS replaces two IBUFG elements.

- Four to twelve Digital Clock Managers (DCMs), depending on the device size, to de-skew and generate the clocks. For more information on DCMs, see [Digital Clock Managers \(DCMs\)](#), page 180.
- Sixteen “BUFGMUX” elements that can consist of up to sixteen global clock buffers (BUFG), global clock buffers with a clock enable (BUFGCE), or global clock multiplexers (BUFGMUX).

**Figure 2-1** illustrates the placement of these clock resources in Virtex-II Pro devices (the XC2VP30 through the XC2VP70) that have eight DCMs.



**Figure 2-1: Clock Resources in Virtex-II Pro Devices**

The simple scheme to distribute an external clock in the device is to implement a clock pad with an IBUFG input buffer connected to a BUFG global buffer, as shown in [Figure 2-2](#) and [Figure 2-3](#), page 162. The primary (GCLKP) and secondary (GCLKS) clock pads have no relationship with the P-side and N-side of differential clock inputs. In banks 0 and 1, the GCLKP corresponds to the N-side, and the GCLKS corresponds to the P-side of a differential clock input. In banks 4 and 5, this correspondence is reversed.

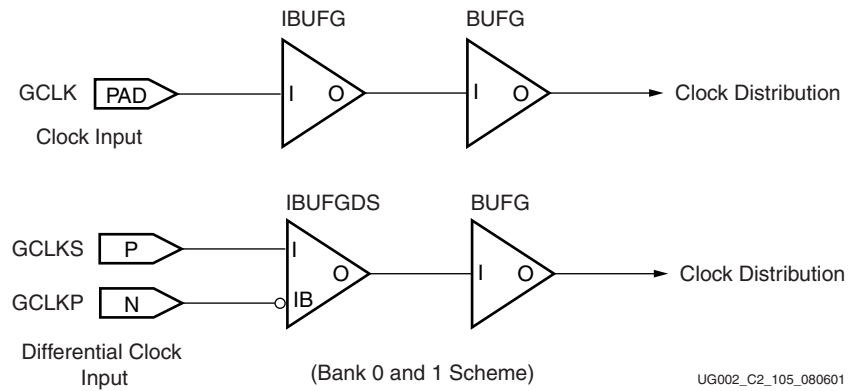


Figure 2-2: Simple Clock Distribution (Bank 0 and 1 Scheme)

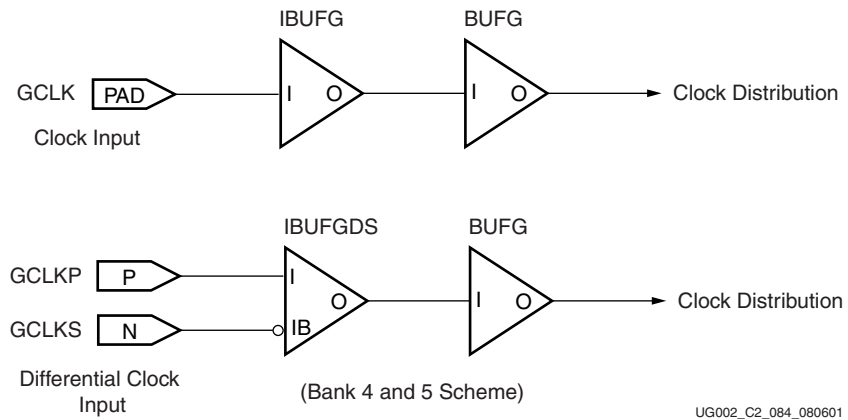


Figure 2-3: Simple Clock Distribution (Bank 4 and 5 Scheme)

Major synthesis tools automatically infer the IBUFG and BUFG when the corresponding input signal is used as a clock in the VHDL or Verilog code.

A high frequency or adapted (frequency, phase, and so forth) clock distribution with low skew is implemented by using a DCM between the output of the IBUFG and the input of the BUFG, as shown in Figure 2-4. Digital Clock Managers (DCMs), page 180 provides details about DCMs and their use.

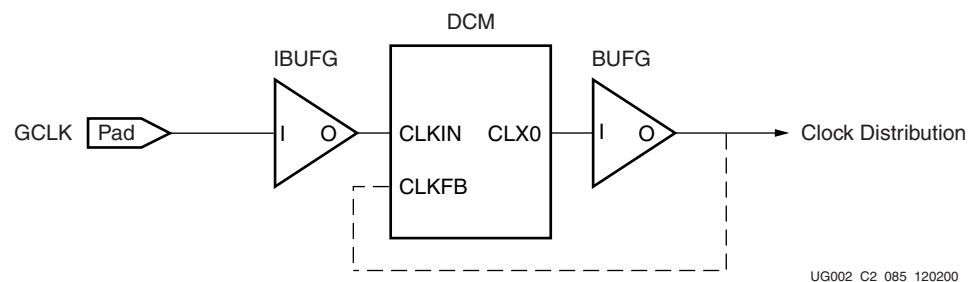


Figure 2-4: Clock Distribution with DCM

Clock distribution from internal sources is also possible with a BUFG only or with a DCM, as shown in Figure 2-5, page 163.



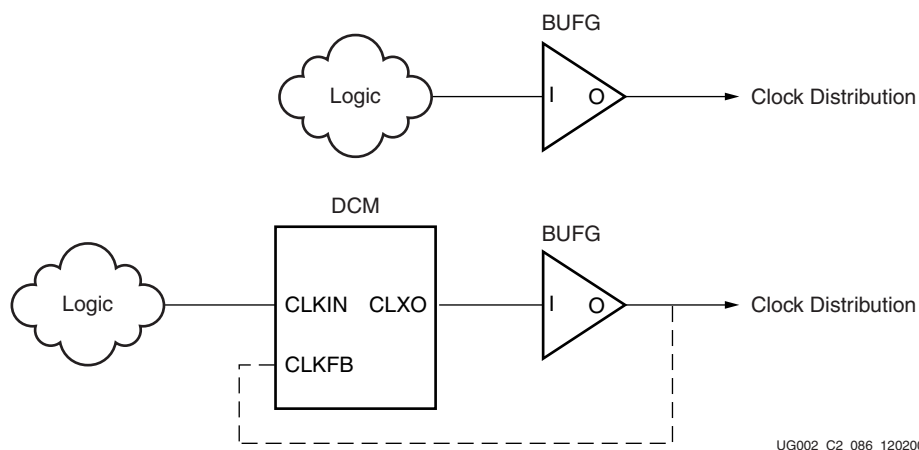


Figure 2-5: Internal Logic Driving Clock Distribution

## Global Clock Inputs

The clock buffer inputs are fed either by one of the 16 clock pads (refer to the [Virtex-II Pro Data Sheet](#)), by the outputs of the DCM, or by local interconnect. Each clock buffer can be a synchronous “glitch-free” 2:1 multiplexer with two clock inputs and one select input. Internal logic (or alternatively a regular IOB) can feed the clock inputs. Any internal or external signal can drive the select input or clock enable input.

The possible inputs driving a global clock buffer or multiplexer are summarized in [Table 2-1](#).

Table 2-1: Inputs Driving Global Clock Buffers or DCMs

Source	Destination				
	BUFG(I) or BUFGCE(I)	BUFGCE (CE)	BUFGMUX (I0 or I1)	BUFGMUX (S)	DCM (CLKIN)
External Clock via IBUFG(O)	Dedicated in same quadrant <sup>(1)</sup>	NA	Dedicated in same quadrant <sup>(1)</sup>	NA	Same edge
DCM Clock Outputs	Same edge (top or bottom) <sup>(2)</sup>	NA	Same edge (top or bottom) <sup>(2)</sup>	NA	General interconnect <sup>(3)</sup>
Internal Logic	General interconnect	General interconnect	General interconnect	General interconnect	General interconnect <sup>(3)</sup>
User I/O Pad via IBUF(O) (not IBUFG)	General interconnect	General interconnect	General interconnect	General interconnect	General interconnect <sup>(3)</sup>
BUFG(O)	NA	NA	NA	NA	Global clock net
BUFGMUX(O)	NA	NA	General interconnect	NA	Global clock net

### Notes:

1. Not all IBUFGs in the quadrant have a dedicated connection to a specific BUFG. Others would require general interconnect to be hooked up.
2. Same edge (top or bottom) enables use of dedicated routing resources.
3. Pad to DCM input skew is not compensated.

All BUFG (BUFGCE, BUFGMUX) outputs are available at the quadrant boundaries.

The output of the global clock buffer can be routed to non-clock pins.

## Primary and Secondary Global Multiplexers

Each global clock buffer is a self-synchronizing circuit called a clock multiplexer.

The 16 global clock buffers or multiplexers are divided as follows:

- Eight primary clock multiplexers
- Eight secondary clock multiplexers

No hardware difference exists between a primary and a secondary clock multiplexer.

However, some restrictions apply to primary /secondary multiplexers, because they share input connections, as well as access to a quadrant.

Each Virtex-II Pro device is divided into four quadrants: North-West, South-West, North-East, and South-East. Each quadrant has two primary and two secondary clock multiplexers. The clock multiplexers are indexed 0 to 7, with one primary and one secondary for each index, alternating on the top and on the bottom (i.e., clock multiplexer "0P" at the bottom is facing clock multiplexer "0S" at the top).

In each device, the eight top/bottom clock multiplexers are divided into four primary and four secondary, indexed 0 to 7, as shown in Figure 2-6.

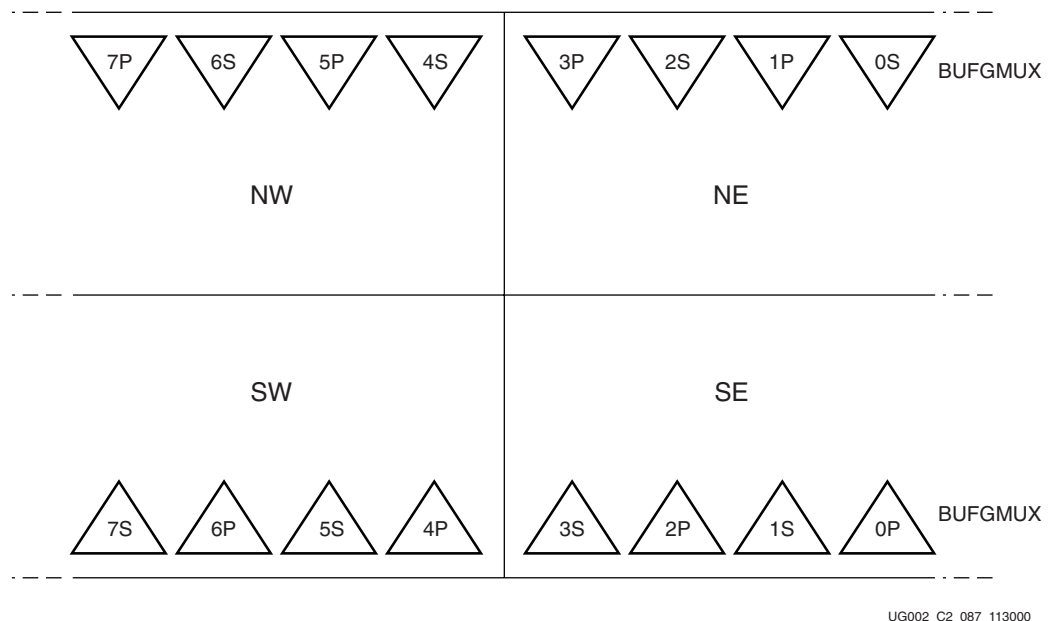
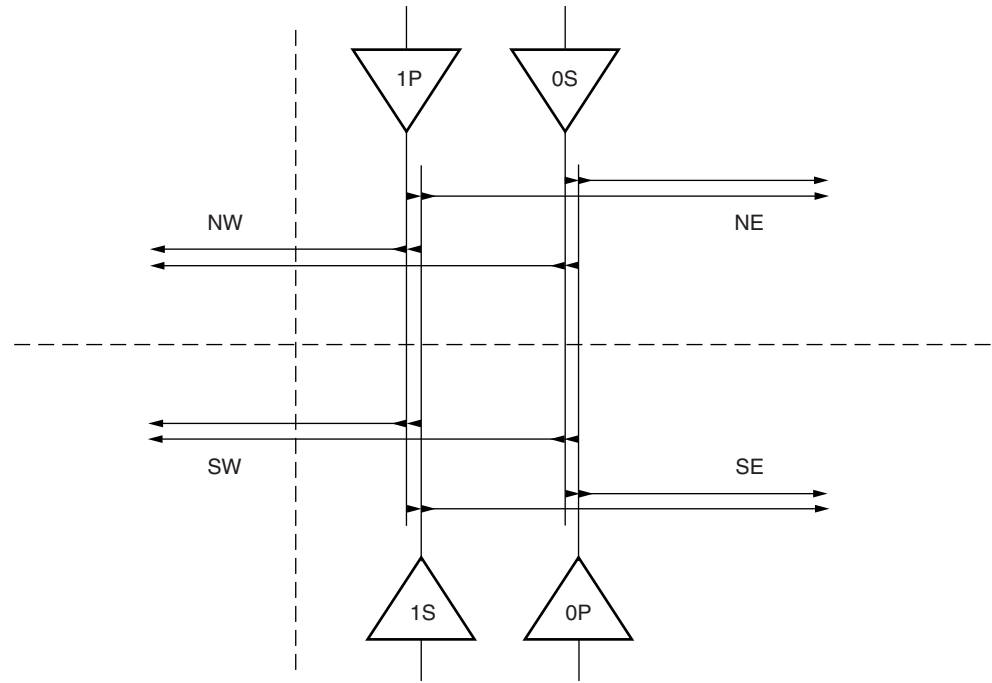


Figure 2-6: Primary and Secondary Clock Multiplexer Locations

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### Primary/Secondary: Rule 1

Considering two “facing” clock multiplexers (BUFG#P and BUFG#S), one or the other of these clock outputs can enter any quadrant of the chip to drive a clock within that quadrant, as shown in **Figure 2-7**. Note that the clock multiplexers “xP” and “xS” compete for quadrant access. For example, BUFG0P output cannot be used in the same quadrant as BUFG0S.

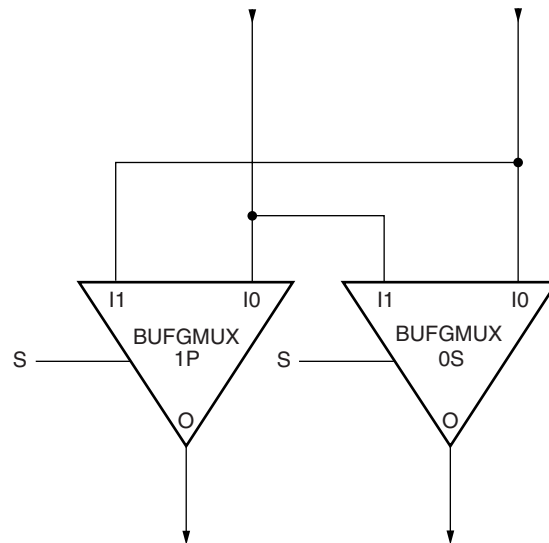


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**Figure 2-7: Facing BUFG#P and BUFG#S Connections**

## Primary/Secondary: Rule 2

In a BUFGCE or BUFGMUX configuration, shared inputs have to be considered. Any two adjacent clock multiplexers share two inputs, as shown in **Figure 2-8**. The clock multiplexer “1P” and “0S” have common I0/I1 and I1/I0 inputs.



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**Figure 2-8: Clock Multiplexer Pair Sharing Clock Multiplexer Inputs**

**Table 2-2** lists the clock multiplexer pairs in any Virtex-II Pro device. The primary multiplexer inputs I1/I0 are common with the corresponding secondary multiplexer inputs I0/I1 (i.e., Primary I1 input is common with secondary I0 input, and primary I0 input is common with secondary I1 input).

**Table 2-2: Top Clock Multiplexer Pairs**

Primary I1/I0	1P	3P	5P	7P
Secondary I0/I1	0S	2S	4S	6S

**Table 2-3: Bottom Clock Multiplexer Pairs**

Primary I1/I0	0P	2P	4P	6P
Secondary I0/I1	1S	3S	5S	7S

### Primary/Secondary Usage

For up to eight global clocks, it is safe to use the eight primary global multiplexers (1P, 3P, 5P, 7P on the top and 0P, 2P, 4P, 6P on the bottom). Because of the shared inputs, a maximum of eight independent global clock multiplexers can be used in a design, as shown in [Figure 2-9](#).

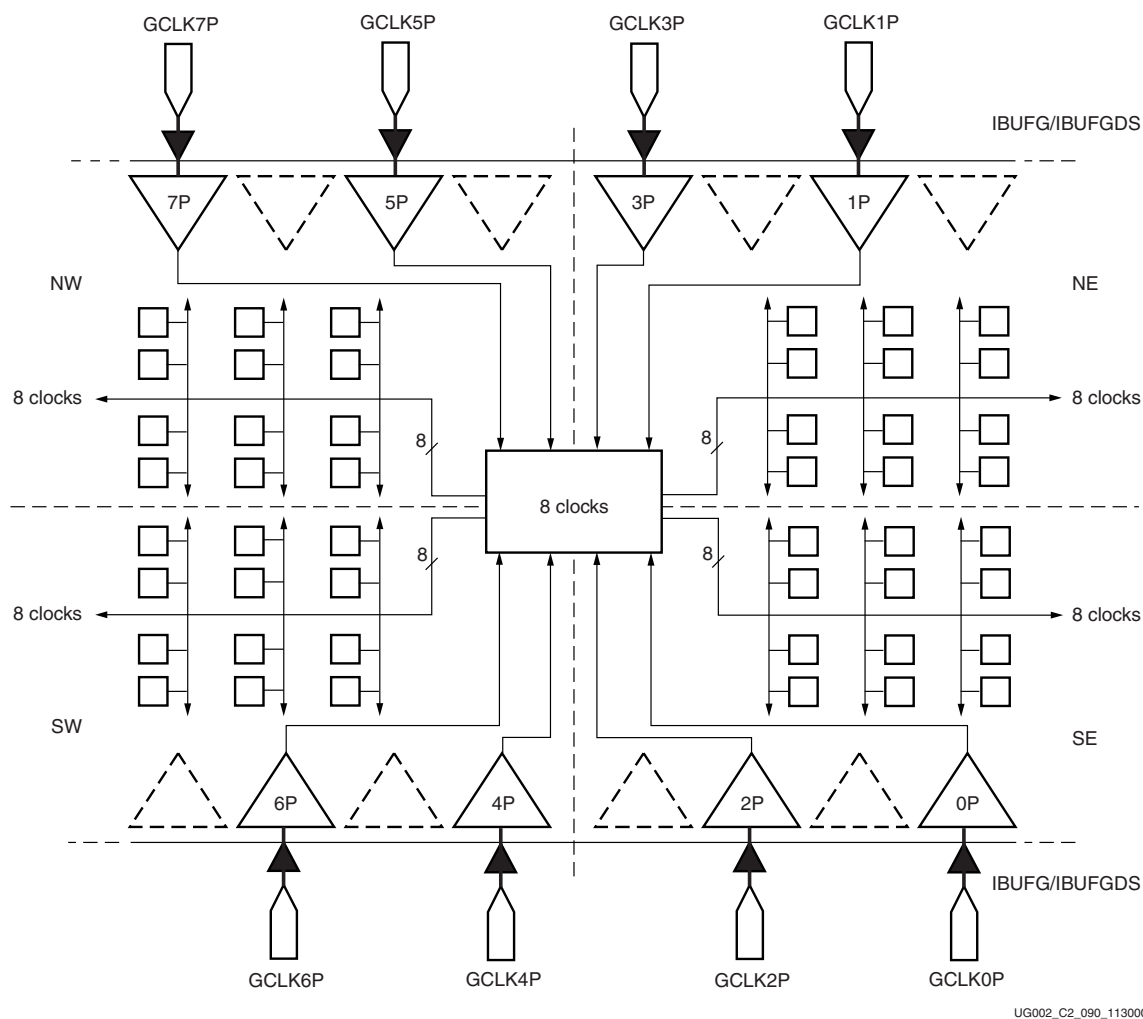


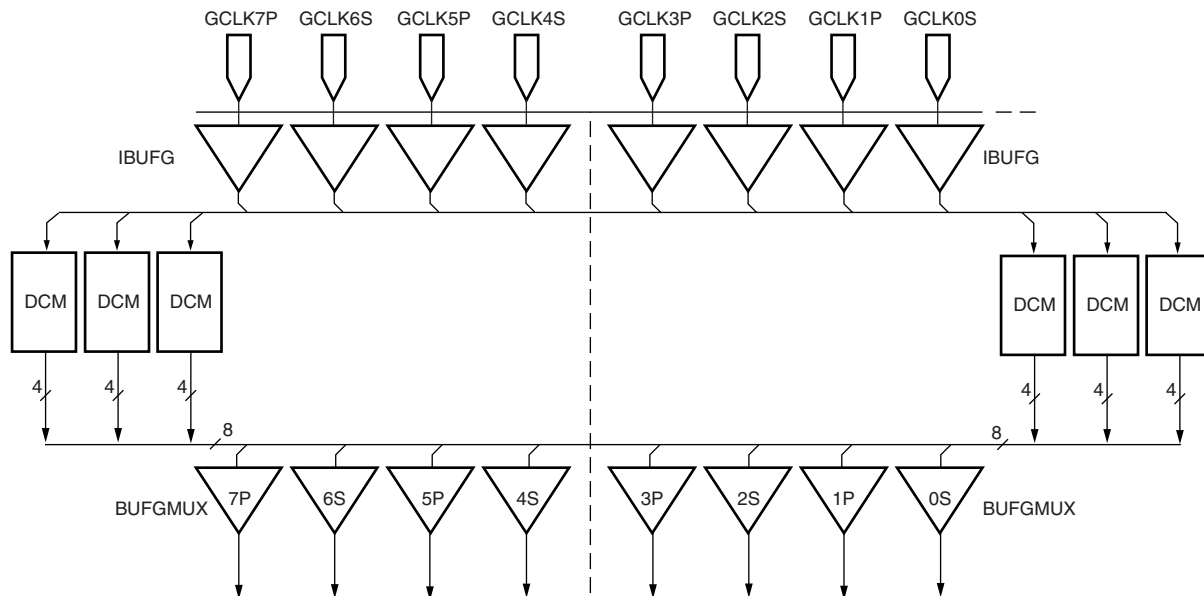
Figure 2-9: Eight Global Clocks Design

### DCM Clocks

The four clock pins (IBUFG) in a quadrant can feed all DCMs in the same edge of the device. The clock-to-out and setup times are identical for all DCMs. Up to four clock outputs per DCM can be used to drive any clock multiplexer on the same edge (top or bottom), as shown in [Figure 2-10](#).

### BUFG Exclusivity

Each DCM has a restriction on the number of BUFGs it can drive on its (top or bottom) edge. Pairs of buffers with shared dedicated routing resources exist such that only one buffer from each dedicated pair can be driven by a single DCM. The exclusive pairs for each edge are: 1:5, 2:6, 3:7, and 4:8.



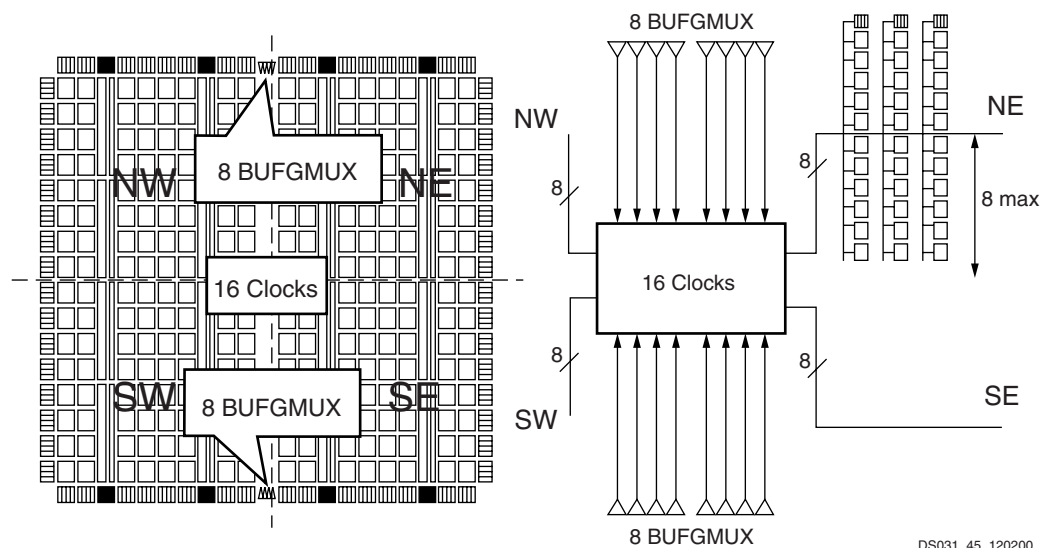
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Figure 2-10: DCM Clocks

## Clock Output

The clock distribution is based on eight clock trees per quadrant. Each clock multiplexer output is driving one global clock net. The Virtex-II Pro device has eight dedicated low-skew clock nets. The device is divided into four quadrants (NW, NE, SW and SE) with eight global clocks available per quadrant.

Eight clock buffers are in the middle of the top edge and eight are in the middle of the bottom edge. Any of these 16 clock buffer outputs can be used in any quadrant, up to a maximum of eight clocks per quadrant, as illustrated in Figure 2-11, provided there is not a primary vs. secondary conflict.



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Figure 2-11: Clock Buffer Outputs per Quadrant

Designs with more than eight clocks must be floorplanned manually or automatically, distributing the clocks in each quadrant. As an example, a design with 16 clocks can be floorplanned as shown in **Figure 2-12**.

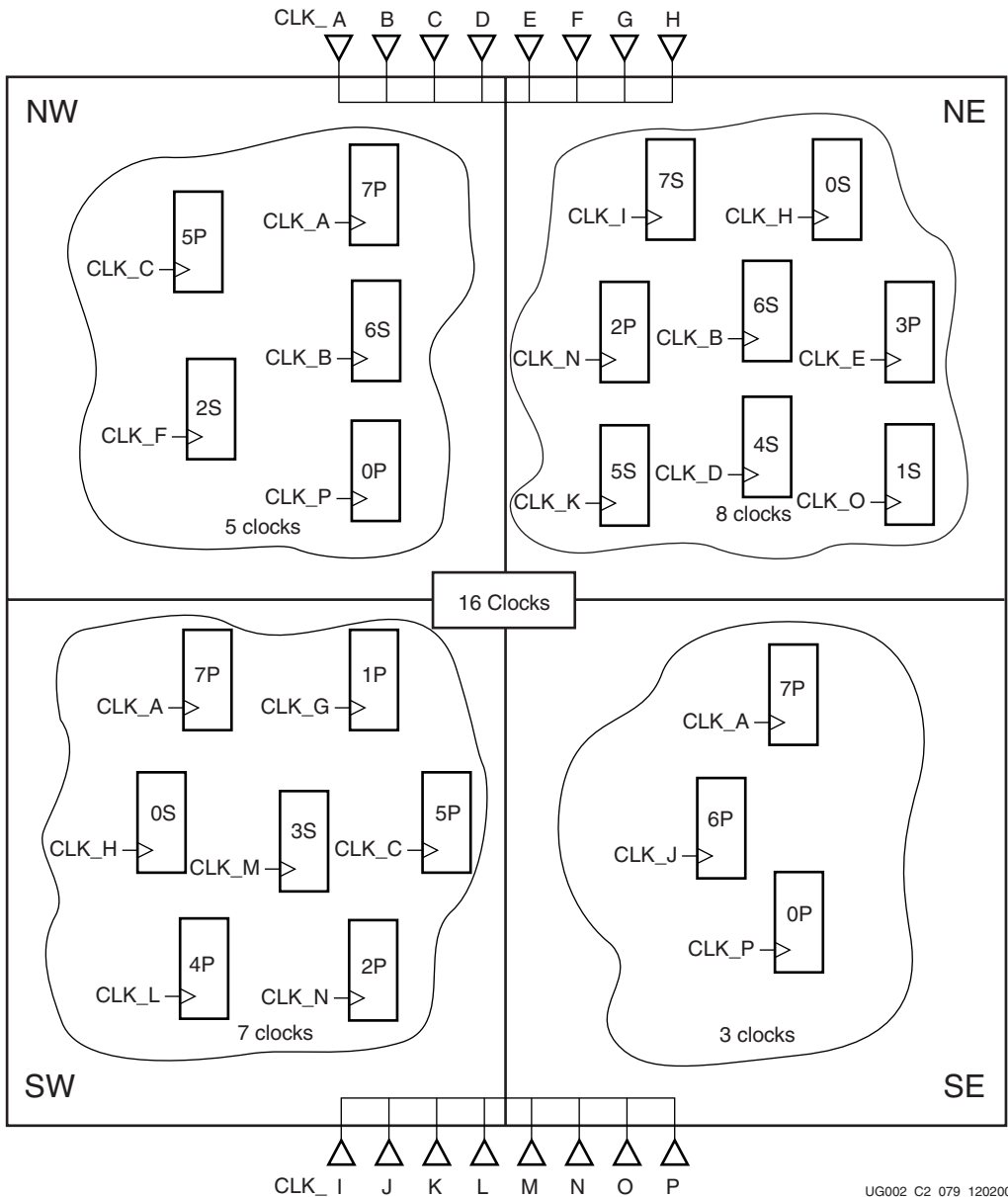


Figure 2-12: 16-Clock Floorplan

The clock nets and clock buffers in this example are associated as shown in **Table 2-4**.

Table 2-4: Clock Net Association With Clock Buffers

	CLK_A	CLK_B	CLK_C	CLK_D	CLK_E	CLK_F	CLK_G	CLK_H
Clock Net (top edge)	CLK_A	CLK_B	CLK_C	CLK_D	CLK_E	CLK_F	CLK_G	CLK_H
BUFG	7P	6S	5P	4S	3P	2S	1P	0S
Clock Net (bottom edge)	CLK_I	CLK_J	CLK_K	CLK_L	CLK_M	CLK_N	CLK_O	CLK_P
BUFG	7S	6P	5S	4P	3S	2P	1S	0P
Quadrant NW	CLK_A	CLK_B	CLK_C	–	–	CLK_F	–	CLK_P
Quadrant SW	CLK_A	–	CLK_C	CLK_L	CLK_M	CLK_N	CLK_G	CLK_H
Quadrant NE	CLK_I	CLK_B	CLK_K	CLK_D	CLK_E	CLK_N	CLK_O	CLK_H
Quadrant SE	CLK_A	CLK_J	–	–	–	–	–	CLK_P

CLK\_A is used in three quadrants, and the other clocks are used in one or two quadrants, regardless of the position of the clock buffers (multiplexers), as long as they are not competing to access the same quadrant. (That is, CLK\_A (BUFG7P) cannot be used in the same quadrant with CLK\_I (BUFG7S). Refer to **Primary/Secondary: Rule 1, page 165.**) In other words, two buffers with the same index (0 to 7) cannot be used in the same quadrant. Each register, block RAM, registered multiplier, or DDR register (IOB) can be connected to any of the eight clock nets available in a particular quadrant.

Note that if a global clock (primary buffer) is used in four quadrants, the corresponding secondary buffer is not available.

## Power Consumption

Clock trees have been designed for low skew and low-power operation. Any unused branch is disconnected, as shown in **Figure 2-13.**

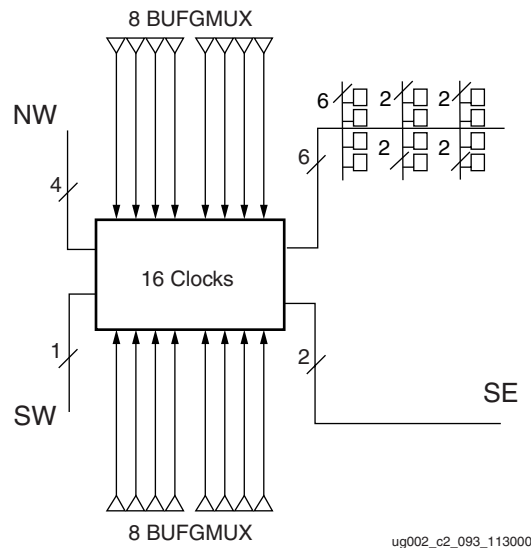


Figure 2-13: Low-Power Clock Network

Also available to reduce overall power consumption are the BUFGCE feature, for dynamically driving a clock tree only when the corresponding module is used, and the BUFGMUX feature, for switching from a high-frequency clock to a low-frequency clock. The frequency synthesizer capability of the DCM can generate the low (or high) frequency clock from a single source clock, as illustrated in **Figure 2-14.** (See **Digital Clock Managers (DCMs), page 180.**)

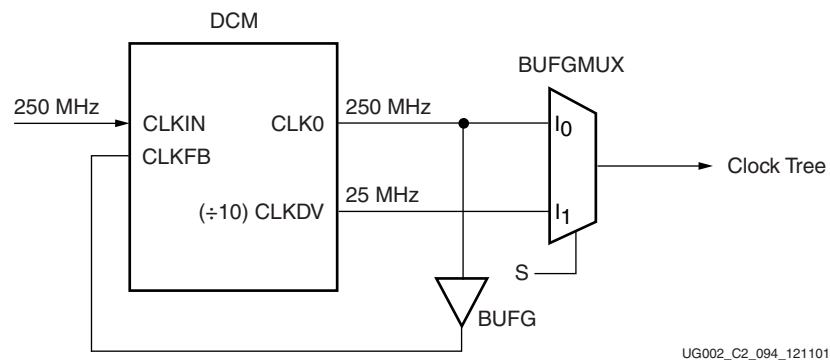


Figure 2-14: Dynamic Power Reduction Scheme



# Library Primitives and Submodules

The primitives in [Table 2-5](#) are available with the input, output, and control pins listed.

**Table 2-5: Clock Primitives**

Primitive	Input	Output	Control
IBUFG	I	O	–
IBUFGDS	I, IB	O	–
BUFG	I	O	–
BUFGMUX	I0, I1	O	S
BUFGMUX_1	I0, I1	O	S

Refer to [Single-Ended SelectIO™-Ultra Resources, page 261](#) for a list of the attributes available for IBUFG and Refer to [LVDS I/O, page 324](#) for a list of the attributes available for IBUFGDS.

The submodules in [Table 2-6](#) are available with the input, output, and control pins listed.

**Table 2-6: Clock Submodules**

Submodule	Input	Output	Control
BUFGCE	I	O	CE
BUFGCE_1	I	O	CE

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## Primitive Functions

### IBUFG

IBUFG is an input clock buffer with one clock input and one clock output.

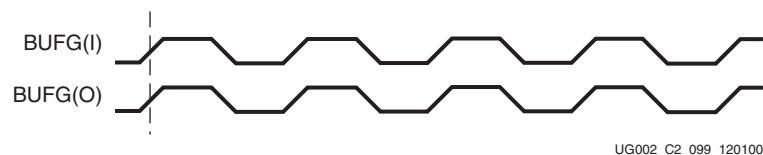
### IBUFGDS

IBUFGDS is a differential input clock buffer with two clock inputs (positive and negative polarity) and one clock output.

### BUFG

All Virtex-II Pro devices have 16 global clock buffers (each of which can be used as BUFG, BUFGMUX, or BUFGCE).

BUFG is a global clock buffer with one clock input and one clock output, driving a low-skew clock distribution network. The output follows the input, as shown in [Figure 2-15](#).



**Figure 2-15: BUFG Waveforms**

### BUFGMUX and BUFGMUX\_1

BUFGMUX (see [Figure 2-16](#)) can switch between two unrelated, even asynchronous clocks. Basically, a Low on S selects the I<sub>0</sub> input, a High on S selects the I<sub>1</sub> input. Switching from one clock to the other is done in such a way that the output High and Low time is never shorter than the shortest High or Low time of either input clock. As long as the presently selected clock is High, any level change of S has no effect. (For BUFGMUX\_1, as long as the presently selected clock is Low, any level change of S has no effect.)

BUFGMUX is the preferred circuit for rising edge clocks, while BUFGMUX\_1 is preferred for falling edge clocks.

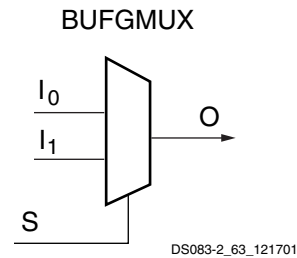


Figure 2-16: Virtex-II Pro BUFGMUX or BUFGMUX\_1 Function

### Operation of the BUFGMUX Circuit

If the presently selected clock is Low while  $S$  changes, or if it goes Low after  $S$  has changed, the output is kept Low until the other ("to-be-selected") clock has made a transition from High to Low. At that instant, the new clock starts driving the output.

The two clock inputs can be asynchronous with regard to each other, and the  $S$  input can change at any time, except for a short setup time prior to the rising edge of the presently selected clock; that is, prior to the rising edge of the BUFGMUX output  $O$ . Violating this setup time requirement can result in an undefined runt pulse output.

Figure 2-17 shows a switch-over from CLK0 to CLK1.

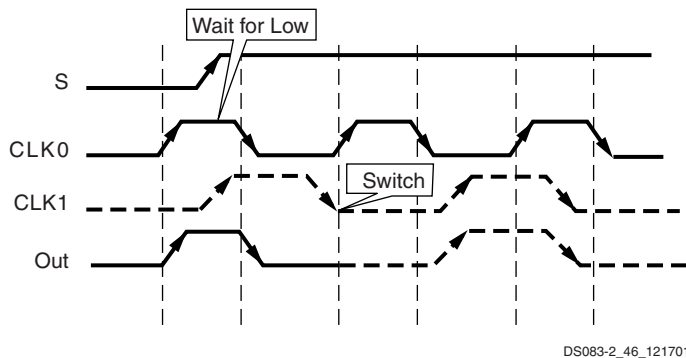


Figure 2-17: BUFGMUX Waveform Diagram

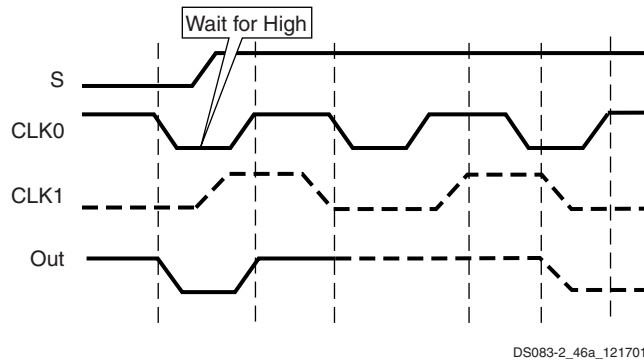
- The current clock is CLK0.
- $S$  is activated High.
- If CLK0 is currently High, the multiplexer waits for CLK0 to go Low.
- Once CLK0 is Low, the multiplexer output stays Low until CLK1 transitions High to Low.
- When CLK1 transitions from High to Low, the output switches to CLK1.
- No glitches or short pulses can appear on the output.

### Operation of the BUFGMUX\_1 Circuit

If the presently selected clock is High while  $S$  changes, or if it goes High after  $S$  has changed, the output is kept High until the other ("to-be-selected") clock has made a transition from Low to High. At that instant, the new clock starts driving the output.

The two clock inputs can be asynchronous with regard to each other, and the  $S$  input can change at any time, except for a short setup time prior to the falling edge of the presently selected clock; that is, prior to the falling edge of the BUFGMUX output  $O$ . Violating this setup time requirement can result in an undefined runt pulse output.

Figure 2-18 shows a switch-over from CLK0 to CLK1.



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Figure 2-18: BUFGMUX\_1 Waveform Diagram

- The current clock is CLK0.
- S is activated High.
- If CLK0 is currently Low, the multiplexer waits for CLK0 to go High.
- Once CLK0 is High, the multiplexer output stays High until CLK1 transitions Low to High.
- When CLK1 transitions from Low to High, the output switches to CLK1.
- No glitches or short pulses can appear on the output.

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## Submodules

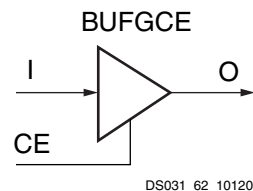
### BUFGCE and BUFGCE\_1

BUFGCE and BUFGCE\_1 are submodules based on BUFGMUX and BUFGMUX\_1, respectively. BUFGCE and BUFGCE\_1 are global clock buffers incorporating a smart enable function that avoids output glitches or runt pulses. The select signal must meet the setup time for the clock.

BUFGCE is the preferred circuit for clocking on the rising edge, while BUFGCE\_1 is preferred when clocking on the falling edge.

### Operation of the BUFGCE Circuit

If the CE input (see Figure 2-19) is active (High) prior to the incoming rising clock edge, this Low-to-High-to-Low clock pulse passes through the clock buffer. Any level change of CE during the incoming clock High time has no effect.



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Figure 2-19: Virtex-II Pro BUFGCE or BUFGCE\_1 Function

If the CE input is inactive (Low) prior to the incoming rising clock edge, the following clock pulse does not pass through the clock buffer, and the output stays Low. Any level change of CE during the incoming clock High time has no effect. CE must not change during a short setup window just prior to the rising clock edge on the BUFGCE\_1 input I. Violating this setup time requirement can result in an undefined runt pulse output.

This means the output stays Low when the clock is disabled, but it completes the clock-High pulse when the clock is being disabled, as shown in [Figure 2-20](#).

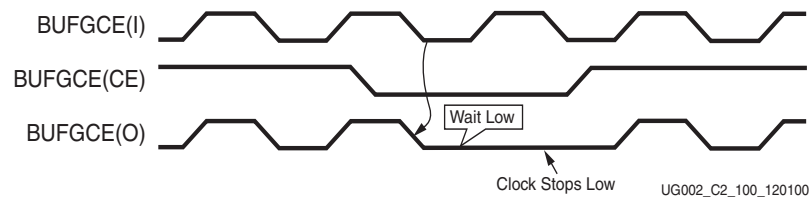


Figure 2-20: BUFGCE Waveforms

### Operation of the BUFGCE\_1 circuit

If the CE input is active (High) prior to the incoming falling clock edge, this High-to-Low-to-High clock pulse passes through the clock buffer. Any level change of CE during the incoming clock Low time has no effect.

If the CE input is inactive (Low) prior to the incoming falling clock edge, the following clock pulse does not pass through the clock buffer, and the output stays High. Any level change of CE during the incoming clock Low time has no effect. CE must not change during a short setup window just prior to the falling clock edge on the BUFGCE input I. Violating this setup time requirement can result in an undefined runt pulse output.

This means the output stays High when the clock is disabled, but it completes the clock-Low pulse when the clock is being disabled, as shown in [Figure 2-21](#).

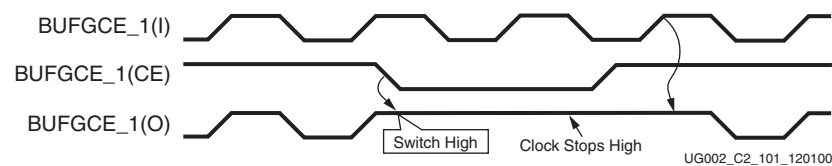


Figure 2-21: BUFGCE\_1 Waveforms

When BUFGCE (or BUFGCE\_1) is used with DCM outputs, a second BUFG can be used for clock feedback. Buffer sharing the inputs with BUFGCE is the preferred solution.

## Summary

[Table 2-7](#) shows the maximum resources available per Virtex-II Pro device.

Table 2-7: Resources per Virtex-II Pro Device (from XC2VP2 to XC2VP125)

Resource	Maximum Number
Single-ended IBUFG (pads)	16
Differential IBUFGDS (pairs)	8
BUFG (Global Clock Buffer)	16
BUFGCE (or BUFGCE_1)	8
BUFGMUX (or BUFGMUX_1)	8

## Characteristics

The following are characteristics of global clocks in Virtex-II Pro devices:

- Low-skew clock distribution.
- Synchronous “glitch-free” multiplexer that avoids runt pulses. Switching between two asynchronous clock sources is usually considered unsafe, but it is safe with the Virtex-II Pro global clock multiplexer.

- Any level change on S must meet a setup time requirement with respect to the signal on the output O (rising edge for BUFGMUX, falling edge for BUFGMUX\_1). Any level change on CE must meet a setup time requirement with respect to the signal on the Input I (rising edge for BUFGCE, falling edge for BUFGCE\_1).
- Two BUFGMUX (or BUFGMUX\_1) resources can be cascaded to create a 3 to 1 clock multiplexer.

## Location Constraints

BUFGMUX and BUFGMUX\_1 (primitives) and IBUFG (IBUFGDS) instances can have LOC properties attached to them to constrain placement. The LOC properties use the following form to constrain a clock net:

```
NET "clock_name" LOC="BUFGMUX#P/S" ;
```

Each clock pad (or IBUFG) has a direct connection with a specific global clock multiplexer (input I0). A placement that does not conform to this rule causes the software to send a warning.

If the clock pad (or IBUFG) has LOC properties attached, the DCM allows place and route software maximum flexibility, as compared to a direct connection to the global clock buffer (BUFG).

## Secondary Clock Network

If more clocks are required, the 24 horizontal and vertical long lines in Virtex-II Pro devices can be used to route additional clock nets. Skew is minimized by the place and route software, if the USELOWSKEWLINES constraint is attached to the net.

## VHDL and Verilog Instantiation

VHDL and Verilog instantiation templates are available as examples (see ["The following are templates for primitives:" on page 175](#)) for all primitives and submodules.

In VHDL, each template has a component declaration section and an architecture section. Each part of the template should be inserted within the VHDL design file. The port map of the architecture section should include the design signal names.

The following are templates for primitives:

- BUFGMUX\_INST
- BUFGMUX\_1\_INST

The following are templates for submodules:

- BUFGCE\_SUBM
- BUFGCE\_1\_SUBM

As examples, the BUFGMUX\_INST.vhd, BUFGMUX\_1\_INST.vhd, BUFGCE\_SUBM.vhd, and BUFGCE\_1\_SUBM.vhd VHDL templates are shown. In addition, the BUFGMUX\_INST.v, BUFGMUX\_1\_INST.v, BUFGCE\_1\_SUBM.v, and BUFGCE\_SUBM.v Verilog templates are shown.

### VHDL Template

```
-- Module: BUFGMUX_INST
-- Description: VHDL instantiation template
-- Global Clock Multiplexer (Switch Low)
-- Device: Virtex-II Pro Family
-----
-- Component Declarations:
--
component BUFGMUX
  port (
```

```

        I0    : in std_logic;
        I1    : in std_logic;
        S     : in std_logic;
        O     : out std_logic
    );
end component;
--
-- Architecture section:
--
-- Global Clock Buffer Instantiation
U_BUFGMUX: BUFGMUX
port map (
    I0    => , -- insert clock input used when select (S) is Low
    I1    => , -- insert clock input used when select (S) is High
    S     => , -- insert Mux-Select input
    O     =>   -- insert clock output
);
--
-----
-- Module: BUFGMUX_1_INST
-- Description: VHDL instantiation template
-- Global Clock Multiplexer (Switch High)
--
-- Device: Virtex-II Pro Family
-----
-- Component Declarations:
component BUFGMUX_1
port (
    I0    : in std_logic;
    I1    : in std_logic;
    S     : in std_logic;
    O     : out std_logic
);
end component;
--
-- Architecture section:
--
-- Global Clock Buffer Instantiation
U_BUFGMUX_1: BUFGMUX_1
port map (
    I0    => , -- insert clock input used when select (S) is Low
    I1    => , -- insert clock input used when select (S) is High
    S     => , -- insert Mux-Select input
    O     =>   -- insert clock output
);
--
-----
-- Module: BUFGCE_SUBM
-- Description: VHDL instantiation template
-- Global Clock Buffer with Clock Enable:
-- Input Clock Buffer to BUFGMUX - Clock disabled = Low
-- Device: Virtex-II Pro Family
-----
library IEEE;
use IEEE.std_logic_1164.all;
--
-- pragma translate_off
library UNISIM;
use UNISIM.VCOMPONENTS.ALL;
-- pragma translate_on
--
entity BUFGCE_SUBM is

```

```

    port (
        I: in std_logic;
        CE: in std_logic;
        O: out std_logic
    );
end BUFGCE_SUBM;
--
architecture BUFGCE_SUBM_arch of BUFGCE_SUBM is
--
-- Component Declarations:
component BUFGMUX
    port (
        I0    : in std_logic;
        I1    : in std_logic;
        S     : in std_logic;
        O     : out std_logic
    );
end component;
--
-- signal declarations
signal GND : std_logic;
signal CE_B : std_logic;
--
begin
GND <= '0';
--
CE_B <= not CE;
--
-- Global Clock Buffer Instantiation
U_BUFGMUX: BUFGMUX
    port map (
        I0    => I,
        I1    => GND,
        S     => CE_B,
        O     => O
    );
--
end BUFGCE_SUBM_arch;
-----
-- Module: BUFGCE_1_SUBM
-- Description: VHDL instantiation template
-- Global Clock Buffer with Clock Enable:
-- Input Clock Buffer to BUFGMUX_1 - Clock disabled = High
-- Device: Virtex-II Pro Family
-----
library IEEE;
use IEEE.std_logic_1164.all;
--
-- pragma translate_off
library UNISIM;
use UNISIM.VCOMPONENTS.ALL;
-- pragma translate_on
--
entity BUFGCE_1_SUBM is
    port (
        I: in std_logic;
        CE: in std_logic;
        O: out std_logic
    );
end BUFGCE_1_SUBM;
--
architecture BUFGCE_1_SUBM_arch of BUFGCE_1_SUBM is

```

```
--
-- Component Declarations:
component BUFGMUX_1
  port (
    I0    : in std_logic;
        I1    : in std_logic;
        S    : in std_logic;
        O    : out std_logic
  );
end component;
--
-- signal declarations
signal VCC : std_logic;
--
signal CE_B : std_logic;
--
begin
VCC <= '1';
--
CE_B <= not CE;
--
-- Global Clock Buffer Instantiation
U_BUFGMUX_1: BUFGMUX_1
  port map (
    I0    => I,
    I1    => VCC,
    S     => CE_B,
    O     => O
  );
--
end BUFGCE_1_SUBM_arch;
```

## Verilog Template

```
//-----
// Module:      BUFGMUX_INST
// Description: Verilog Instantiation Template
// Global Clock Multiplexer (Switch Low)
//
//
// Device: Virtex-II Pro Family
//-----
//
//BUFGMUX Instantiation
BUFGMUX  U_BUFGMUX
    (.I0(), // insert clock input used when select(S) is Low
     .I1(), // insert clock input used when select(S) is High
     .S(),  // insert Mux-Select input
     .O()   // insert clock output
    );
//-----
// Module:      BUFGMUX_1_INST
// Description: Verilog Instantiation Template
// Global Clock Multiplexer (Switch High)
//
//
// Device: Virtex-II Pro Family
//-----
//
//BUFGMUX_1 Instantiation
BUFGMUX_1  U_BUFGMUX_1
    (.I0(), // insert clock input used when select(S) is Low
```



```

        .I1(), // insert clock input used when select(S) is High
        .S(), // insert Mux-Select input
        .O() // insert clock output
    );

//-----
// Module:      BUFGCE_SUBM
// Description: Verilog Submodule
// Global Clock Buffer with Clock Enable:
// Input Clock Buffer to BUFGMUX - Clock disabled = Low
//
// Device: Virtex-II Pro Family
//-----
module BUFGCE_SUBM (I,
                    CE,
                    O);

    input  I,
           CE;

    output O;

    wire GND;

    assign GND = 1'b0;

    BUFGMUX U_BUFGMUX
        (.IO(I),
         .I1(GND),
         .S(~CE),
         .O(O)
        );

//
endmodule

//-----
// Module: BUFGCE_1_SUBM
// Description: Verilog Submodule
// Global Clock Buffer with Clock Enable:
// Input Clock Buffer to BUFGMUX_1 - Clock disabled = High
//
// Device: Virtex-II Pro Family
//-----
module BUFGCE_1_SUBM (I,
                     CE,
                     O);

    input  I,
           CE;

    output O;

    wire VCC;

    assign VCC = 1'b1;

    BUFGMUX_1 U_BUFGMUX_1
        (.IO(I),
         .I1(VCC),
         .S(~CE),
         .O(O)
        );

//
endmodule

```

# Digital Clock Managers (DCMs)

## Overview

Virtex-II Pro devices have four to twelve DCMs, and each DCM provides a wide range of powerful clock management features:

- **Clock De-skew:** The DCM contains a digitally-controlled feedback circuit (delay-locked loop) that can completely eliminate clock distribution delays. Clock de-skew works as follows:

The incoming clock drives a long chain of delay elements (individual small buffers). A wide multiplexer selects any one of these buffers as an output. A controller drives the select inputs of this multiplexer. The phase detector in this controller compares the incoming clock signal (CLKIN) against a feedback input (CLKFB), which must be another version of the same clock signal, usually from the far end of the internal clock distribution network (but it can also be from an output pin).

The phase detector steers the controller to adjust the tap selection, and thus the through-delay in the DCM, in such a way that the two inputs to the phase comparator coincide. (This is a typical servo loop.) The tap controller adds exactly the right amount of delay to the clock distribution network to give it a total delay of one full clock period. For a repetitive clock signal, this effectively eliminates the clock distribution delay completely.

- **Frequency Synthesis:** Separate outputs provide a doubled frequency (CLK2X and CLK2X180). Another output (CLKDV) provides a frequency that is a specified fraction of the input frequency ( $\div 1.5$ ,  $\div 2$ ,  $\div 2.5$ , and so forth, up to  $\div 15$  and  $\div 16$ .)

Two other outputs (CLKFX and CLKFX180) provide an output frequency that is derived from the input clock by simultaneous frequency division and multiplication. The user can specify any integer multiplier (M) and divisor (D) within the range specified in the DCM Timing Parameters section of the [Virtex-II Pro Data Sheet](#). An internal calculator figures out the appropriate tap selection, so that the output edge coincides with the input clock whenever that is mathematically possible. For example,  $M=9$  and  $D=5$ , multiply the frequency by 1.8, and the output rising edge is coincident with the input rising edge every 5 input periods = every 9 output periods.

- **Phase Shifting:** Three outputs drive the same frequency as CLK0 but are delayed by  $1/4$ ,  $1/2$ , and  $3/4$  of a clock period. An additional control optionally shifts all nine clock outputs by a fixed fraction of the clock period (defined during configuration, and described in multiples of the clock period divided by 256).

The user can also dynamically and repetitively move the phase forwards or backwards by one unit of the clock period divided by 256. Note that any such phase shift is always invoked as a specific fraction of the clock period, but is always implemented by moving delay taps with a resolution of DCM\_TAP (see DCM Timing Parameters in the [Virtex-II Pro Data Sheet](#)).

- **General Control Signals:** The RST input, when High, resets the entire DCM. The LOCKED output is High when all enabled DCM circuits have locked. The active High STATUS outputs indicate the following:
  - Phase Shift Overflow (STATUS[0])
  - CLKIN Stopped (STATUS[1])
  - CLKFX Stopped (STATUS[2])

When using DCMs it is important to observe the  $V_{CCAUX}$  recommended operating noise specification in the [Virtex-II Pro Data Sheet](#). Power distribution design details are available in Xilinx Application Note [XAPP623](#).

## Clock De-Skew

The Virtex-II Pro Digital Clock Manager (DCM) offers a fully digital, dedicated on-chip de-skew circuit providing zero propagation delay, low clock skew between output clock signals distributed throughout the device, and advanced clock domain control. These features can be used to implement several circuits that improve and simplify system level design.

Any four of the nine outputs of the DCM can be used to drive a global clock network. All DCM outputs can drive general interconnect at the same time; for example, DCM output can be used to generate board-level clocks. The well-buffered global clock distribution network minimizes clock skew caused by loading differences. By monitoring a sample of the output clock (CLK0 or CLK2X), the de-skew circuit compensates for the delay on the routing network, effectively eliminating the delay from the external input port to the individual clock loads within the device.

Figure 2-22 shows all of the inputs and outputs relevant to the DCM de-skew feature.

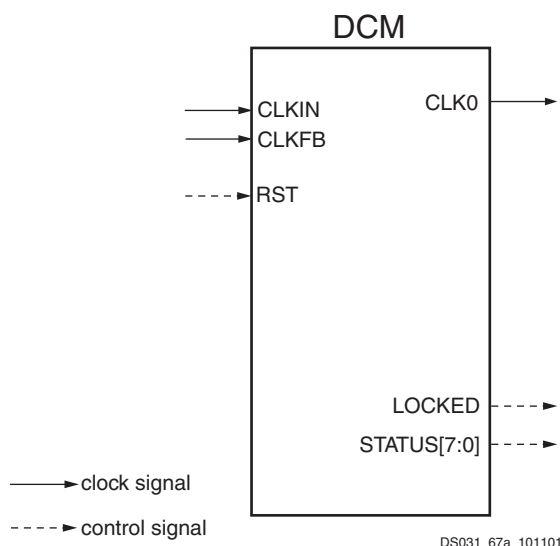


Figure 2-22: Clock De-Skew Outputs

The de-skew feature can also act as a clock mirror. By driving the CLK0 or CLK2X output off-chip and then back in again, the de-skew feature can be used to de-skew a board-level clock serving multiple devices.

By taking advantage of the de-skew circuit to remove on-chip clock delay, the designer can greatly simplify and improve system level design involving high-fanout, high-performance clocks.

### Operation

A de-skew circuit in its simplest form consists of variable delay line and control logic. The delay line produces a delayed version of the input clock (CLKIN). The clock distribution network routes the clock to all internal registers and to the clock feedback CLKFB pin. The control logic samples the input clock, as well as the feedback clock, and adjusts the delay line.

For optimum performance, the Virtex-II Pro DCM uses a discrete digital delay line, which is a series of buffer elements each with an intrinsic delay of less than DCM\_TAP (see AC characteristics in the [Virtex-II Pro Data Sheet](#)).

A de-skew circuit works by inserting delay between the input clock and the feedback clock until the two rising edges align, putting the two clocks 360 degrees out of phase, which means they are in phase. When the edges from the input clock line up with the edges from the feedback clock, the DCM achieves “lock.” The two clocks have no discernible

difference. Thus, the DCM output clock compensates for the delay in the clock distribution network, effectively removing the delay between the source clock and its loads.

## Input Clock Requirements

The clock input of the DCM can be driven either by an IBUFG, an IBUF, or a BUFGMUX. An LVDS clock can also be used as input.

The output clock signal of a DCM, essentially a delayed version of the input clock signal, reflects any instability on the input clock in the output waveform. A DCM cannot improve the input jitter. The DCM input clock requirements are specified in the [Virtex-II Pro Data Sheet](#).

Once locked, the DCM can tolerate input clock period variations of up to the value specified by CLKIN\_PER\_JITT\_DLL\_HF (at high frequencies) or CLKIN\_PER\_JITT\_DLL\_LF (at low frequencies). Larger frequency changes can cause the DCM to lose lock, which is indicated by the LOCKED output going low. The user must then reset the DCM. The cycle-to-cycle input jitter must be kept to less than CLKIN\_CYC\_JITT\_DLL\_LF in the low frequencies and CLKIN\_CYC\_JITT\_DLL\_HF for the high frequencies.

## Input Clock Changes

Changing the period of the input clock beyond the maximum drift amount requires a manual reset of the DCM. Failure to reset the DCM produces an unreliable lock signal and output clock.

It is possible to stop the input clock with little impact to the de-skew circuit. The clock should be stopped for no more than 100 ms to minimize the effect of device cooling, which would change the tap delays. The clock should be stopped during a Low phase, and when restored, must generate a full High half-period. During this time, LOCKED stays High and remains High when the clock is restored. So a High on LOCKED does not necessarily mean that a valid clock is available.

When the clock is being stopped, one to four more clock cycles are still generated as the delay line is flushed. When the clock is restarted, the output clock cycles are not generated for one to four clocks as the delay line is filled. The most common case is two or three clocks. In a similar manner, a phase shift of the input clock is also possible. The phase shift propagates to the output one to four clocks after the original shift, with no disruption to the DCM control.

## Output Clocks

Some restrictions apply regarding the connectivity of the output pins. The DCM clock outputs can each drive an OBUF, a global clock buffer BUFGMUX, or they can route directly to the clock input of a synchronous element. The DCM clock outputs can drive BUFGMUXs that are on the same edge of the device (top or bottom).

Do not use the DCM output clock signals until after activation of the LOCKED signal. Prior to the activation of the LOCKED signal, the DCM output clocks are not valid and can exhibit glitches, spikes, or other spurious movement.

## Characteristics of the De-skew Circuit

- Can eliminate clock distribution delay by effectively adding one clock period delay. Clocks are de-skewed to within CLKOUT\_PHASE, specified in the [Virtex-II Pro Data Sheet](#).
- Can be used to eliminate on-chip as well as off-chip clock delay.
- Has no restrictions on the delay in the feedback clock path.
- Requires a continuously running input clock.
- Adapts to a wide range of frequencies. However, once locked to a frequency, cannot tolerate large variations of the input frequency.
- De-skew circuit is part of the DCM, which also includes phase adjustment, frequency synthesis, and spread spectrum techniques that are described in this document.

- Does not eliminate jitter. The de-skew circuit output jitter is the sum of input jitter and some jitter value that the de-skew circuit might add.
- The completion of configuration can be delayed until after DCM locks to guarantee the system clock is established prior to initiating the device.

## Port Signals

### Source Clock Input — CLKIN

The CLKIN pin provides the user source clock (the clock signal on which the de-skew circuit operates) to the DCM. The CLKIN frequency must fall in the ranges specified in the [Virtex-II Pro Data Sheet](#). The clock input signal can be provided by one of the following:

IBUF — Input buffer

IBUFG — Global clock input buffer on the same edge of the device (top or bottom)

BUFGMUX — Internal global clock buffer

### Feedback Clock Input — CLKFB

A reference or feedback signal is required to delay-compensate the output. Connect only the CLK0 or CLK2X DCM outputs to the feedback clock input (CLKFB) pin to provide the necessary feedback to the DCM. The feedback clock input signal can be driven by an internal global clock buffer (BUFGMUX), one of the global clock input buffers (IBUFG) on the same edge of the device (top or bottom), or IBUF (the input buffer).

If an IBUFG sources the CLKFB pin, the following special rules apply:

1. An external input port must source the signal that drives the IBUFG input pin.
2. That signal must directly drive only OBUFs and nothing else.

### Reset Input — RST

When the reset pin is activated, the LOCKED signal deactivates within four source clock cycles. The RST pin, active High, must either connect to a dynamic signal or be tied to ground. For all designs that use the feedback feature of the DCM, applying a reset signal after configuration is strongly recommended for both production and ES device in order to ensure consistent locking. As the DCM delay taps reset to zero, glitches can occur on the DCM clock output pins. Activation of the RST pin can also severely affect the duty cycle of the clock output pins. Furthermore, the DCM output clocks no longer de-skew with respect to one another. For these reasons, use the reset pin only when reconfiguring the device or changing the input frequency. The reset input signal is asynchronous and should be held HIGH for at least 2 ns. It takes approximately 120  $\mu$ s for the DCM to achieve lock after a reset in the slowest frequency range. The DCM locks faster at higher frequencies. See the LOCK\_DLL timing parameter in the [Virtex-II Pro Data Sheet](#).

### Locked Output — LOCKED

In order to achieve lock, the DCM may need to sample several thousand clock cycles. After the DCM achieves lock, the LOCKED signal goes High. The DCM timing parameter section of the [Virtex-II Pro Data Sheet](#) provides estimates for locking times.

To guarantee that the system clock is established prior to the device “waking up,” the DCM can delay the completion of the device configuration process until after the DCM locks. The STARTUP\_WAIT attribute activates this feature.

Until the LOCKED signal activates, the DCM output clocks are not valid and can exhibit glitches, spikes, or other spurious movement. In particular, the CLK2X output appears as a 1x clock with a 25/75 duty cycle.

### Status - STATUS

The STATUS output is an 8-bit output, of which STATUS[1] reveals the loss of the input clock, CLKIN to the DCM.

## Attributes

The following attributes provide access to some of the Virtex-II Pro Series de-skew features, (for example, clock division and duty cycle correction).

### Frequency Mode

The de-skew feature of the DCM is achieved with a delay-locked loop (DLL). This attribute specifies either the high or low-frequency mode of the DLL. The default is low-frequency mode. In high-frequency mode, the only outputs available from the DLL are the CLK0, CLK180, CLKDV, and LOCKED. (CLK90, CLK270, CLK2X, and CLK2X180 are not available in high-frequency mode.) The frequency ranges for both frequency modes are specified in the [Virtex-II Pro Data Sheet](#). To set the DLL to high-frequency mode, attach the DLL\_FREQUENCY\_MODE=HIGH attribute in the source code or schematic.

### Feedback Input

This attribute specifies the feedback input to the DCM (CLK0, or CLK2x). CLK0 is the default feedback. When both the CLK0 and the CLK2x outputs are used internally or externally to the device, the feedback input can be either the CLK0 or CLK2x. In order to set the feedback to CLK2X, attach the CLK\_FEEDBACK=2X attribute in the source code or schematic.

### Duty Cycle Correction

The 1x clock outputs, CLK0, CLK90, CLK180, and CLK270, use the duty cycle corrected default such that they exhibit a 50/50 duty cycle. The DUTY\_CYCLE\_CORRECTION attribute (by default TRUE) controls this feature.

To deactivate the DCM duty cycle correction for the 1x clock outputs, attach the DUTY\_CYCLE\_CORRECTION=FALSE attribute in the source code or schematic. This makes the output clocks have the same duty cycle as the source clock.

### Startup Delay

The default value of the STARTUP\_WAIT attribute is FALSE. When STARTUP\_WAIT is set to TRUE, and the LCK\_cycle BitGen option is used, then the configuration startup sequence waits in the specified cycle until the DCM locks. For details, see [Chapter 3: Configuration](#) and [Appendix A: BitGen and PROMGen Switches and Options](#).

## Legacy Support

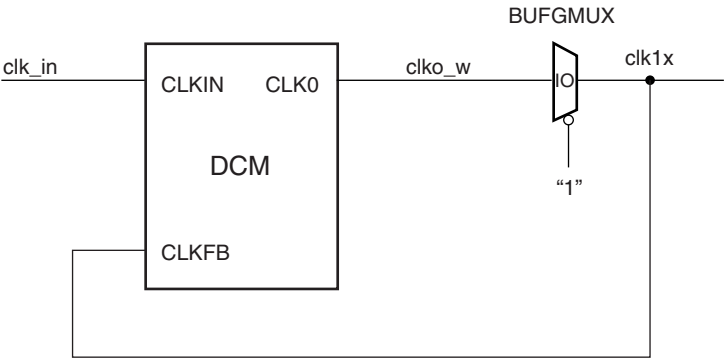
The Virtex/Virtex-E library primitives/sub modules are supported in Virtex-II Pro for legacy purposes. The following are supported primitives/submodules:

- CLKDLL
- CLKDLLE
- CLKDLLHF
- BUFGDLL

### Library Primitive

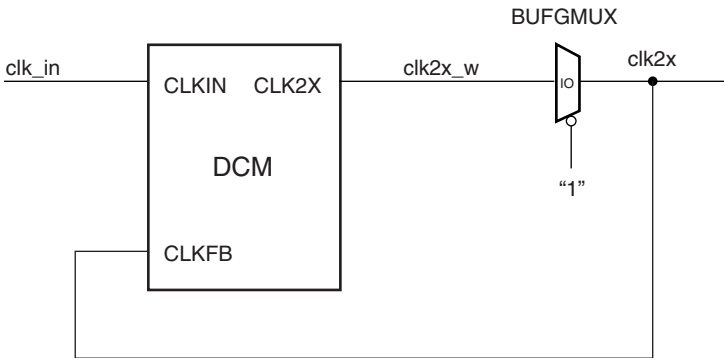
Only a single library primitive is available for the DLL, a part of the DCM. It is labeled the 'DCM' primitive.

Submodules



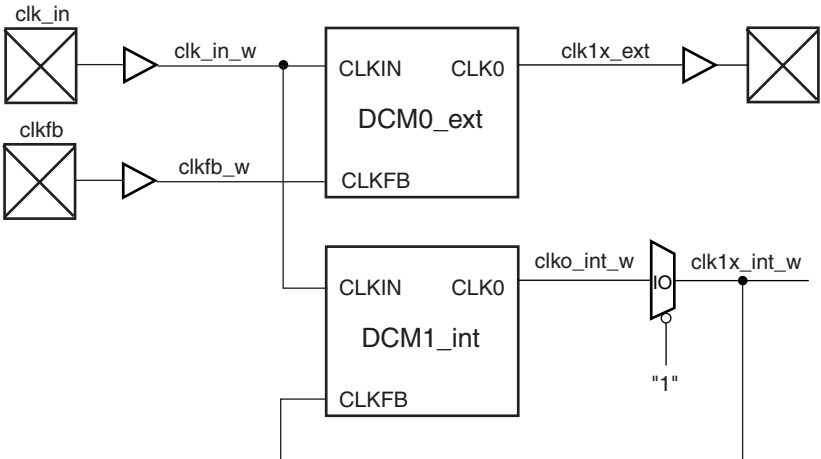
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Figure 2-23: BUFG\_CLK0\_SUBM



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Figure 2-24: BUFG\_CLK2X\_SUBM



UG002\_C2\_063\_100901

Figure 2-25: BUFG\_CLK0\_FB\_SUBM

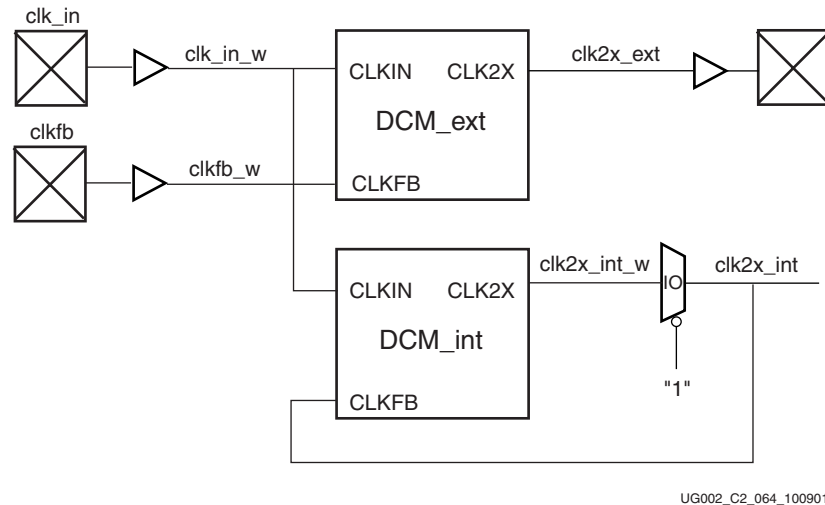


Figure 2-26: BUFG\_CLK2X\_FB\_SUBM

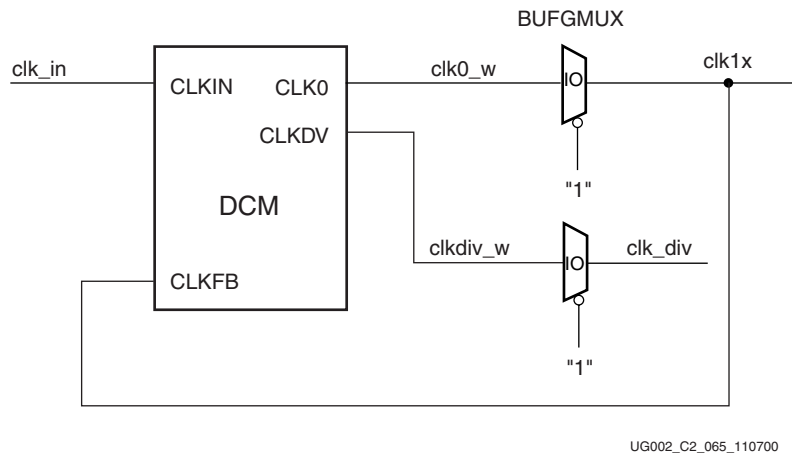


Figure 2-27: BUFG\_CLKDV\_SUBM

## Frequency Synthesis

The DCM provides several flexible methods for generating new clock frequencies. Each method has a different operating frequency range and different AC characteristics. The CLK2X and CLK2X180 outputs double the clock frequency. The CLKDV output provides divided output clocks with division options of 1.5, 2, 2.5, 3, 3.5, 4, 4.5, 5, 5.5, 6, 6.5, 7, 7.5, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, and 16.

The DCM also offers a fully digital, dedicated Frequency Synthesizer output (CLKFX) and its opposite phase (CLKFX180). The output frequency can be any function of the input clock frequency described by  $M \div D$ , where  $M$  is the multiplier (numerator) and  $D$  is the divisor (denominator).

The two counter-phase frequency synthesized outputs can drive global clock routing networks within the device. The well-buffered global clock distribution network minimizes clock skew due to differences in distance or loading. See [Figure 2-28](#).

## Operation

The DCM clock output CLKFX is any  $M/D$  product of the clock input to the DCM. Specifications for  $M$  and  $D$ , as well as input and output frequency ranges for the frequency synthesizer, are provided in the [Virtex-II Pro Data Sheet](#). The frequency synthesizer



output is phase aligned to the clock output, CLK0, only if feedback is provided to the CLKFB input of the DCM.

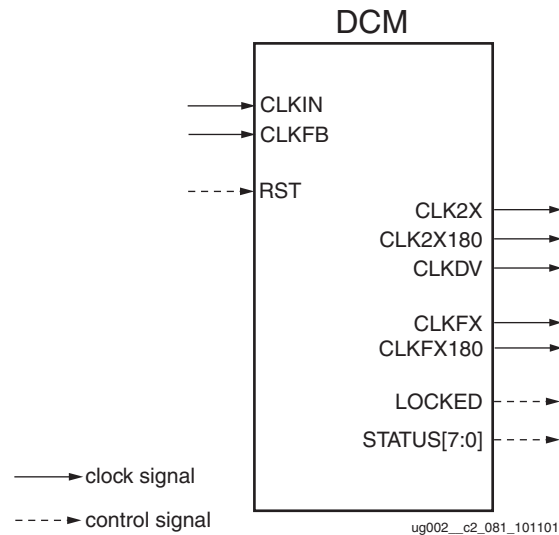


Figure 2-28: Frequency Synthesis Outputs

The internal operation of the frequency synthesizer is complex and beyond the scope of this document. The frequency synthesizer multiplies the incoming frequencies by the pre-calculated quotient M/D and generates the correct output frequencies as long as it is within the range specified in the [Virtex-II Pro Data Sheet](#).

For example, assume input frequency = 50 MHz, M = 25, and D = 8 (note that M and D values have no common factors and hence cannot be reduced). The output frequency is correctly 156.25 MHz, although  $25 \times 50 \text{ MHz} = 1.25 \text{ GHz}$  and  $50 \text{ MHz} / 8 = 6.25 \text{ MHz}$ , and both of these values are far outside the range of the input frequency.

## Frequency Synthesizer Characteristics

- The frequency synthesizer provides an output frequency equal to the input frequency multiplied by M and divided by D.
- The outputs CLKFX and CLKFX180 always have a 50/50 duty-cycle.
- Smaller M and D values achieve faster lock times. The user should divide M and D by the largest common factor.
- The outputs are phase aligned with CLK0 when CLKFB is connected.

## Port Signals

### Source Clock Input — CLKIN

The CLKIN pin provides the user source clock to the DCM. The CLKIN frequency must fall in the ranges specified in the [Virtex-II Pro Data Sheet](#). The clock input signal can be provided by one of the following:

- IBUF — Input buffer
- IBUFG — Global clock input buffer
- BUFGMUX — Internal global clock buffer

### 2x Clock Output — CLK2X

The CLK2X output provides a frequency-doubled clock with an automatic 50/50 duty-cycle correction. This output is not available in high-frequency mode.

Until the DCM has achieved lock, the CLK2X output appears as a 1x version of the input clock with a 25/75 duty cycle. This behavior allows the DCM to lock on the correct edge with respect to source clock.

### Clock Divide Output — CLKDV

The clock divide output pin CLKDV provides a lower frequency version of the source clock. The CLKDV\_DIVIDE property controls CLKDV such that the source clock is divided by N where N is either 1.5, 2, 2.5, 3, 3.5, 4, 4.5, 5, 5.5, 6, 6.5, 7, 7.5, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, or 16.

This feature provides automatic duty cycle correction such that the CLKDV output pin has a 50/50 duty cycle always in low-frequency mode, as well as for all integer values of the division factor N in high-frequency mode.

### Frequency Synthesized Clock Output - CLKFX

The CLKFX output provides a frequency-synthesized clock ( $M/D * CLKIN$ ) with a 50/50 duty cycle. For the CLKFX output to be phase-aligned with CLKIN, the clock feedback (CLK0) must be provided at the CLKFB input. With M and D adjusted such that they have no common factor, the alignment occurs only once every D input clock cycles.

### Frequency Synthesized Clock Output 180° Phase Shifted - CLKFX180

The CLKFX180 output is a 180° phase shifted version of the CLKFX clock output, also with a 50/50 duty cycle.

### Locked Output — LOCKED

The LOCKED signal is activated after the DCM has achieved the parameter values set by the user parameters. To guarantee that the system clock is established prior to the device “waking up,” the DCM can delay the completion of the device configuration process until after the DCM locks. The STARTUP\_WAIT attribute activates this feature. Until the LOCKED signal activates, the DCM output clocks are not valid and can exhibit glitches, spikes, or other spurious signals.

### Reset Input — RST

When the reset pin activates, the LOCKED signal deactivates within four source clock cycles. The M and D values at configuration are maintained after the reset. The RST pin, active High, must either connect to a dynamic signal or be tied to ground. Activation of the RST pin can also severely affect the duty cycle of the clock output pins. For this reason, activate the reset pin only when reconfiguring the device or changing the input frequency. The reset input signal is asynchronous and should be held High for at least 2 ns.

### Status - STATUS

The STATUS output is an 8-bit output:

- STATUS[1] indicates the loss of the input clock, CLKIN, only when CLKFB is connected.
- STATUS[2] indicates loss of CLKFX and CLKFX180 even though LOCKED might still be High. Note that this “CLKFX stopped” status functions only when CLKIN is present.

## Attributes

The following attributes provide access to some of the Virtex-II Pro Series frequency synthesis features, (for example, clock multiplication, clock division).

### Clock Divide

The CLKDV\_DIVIDE attribute specifies how the signal on the CLKDV pin is frequency divided with respect to the CLK0 pin. The values allowed for this attribute are 1.5, 2, 2.5, 3, 3.5, 4, 4.5, 5, 5.5, 6, 6.5, 7, 7.5, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, or 16; the default value is 2.

## Frequency Mode for Frequency Synthesis

This attribute specifies either the high or low-frequency mode of the frequency synthesizer. The default is low-frequency mode. The frequency ranges for both frequency modes are specified in the [Virtex-II Pro Data Sheet](#).

To set the frequency synthesizer to high-frequency mode, attach the `DFS_FREQUENCY_MODE=HIGH` attribute in the source code or schematic.

## Multiply/Divide Attribute

The M and D values can be set using the `CLKFX_MULTIPLY` and the `CLKFX_DIVIDE` attributes. The default settings are M = 4 and D = 1.

## Startup Delay

The default value of the `STARTUP_WAIT` attribute is FALSE. When `STARTUP_WAIT` is set to TRUE, and the LCK\_cycle BitGen option is used, then the configuration startup sequence waits in the specified cycle until the DCM locks. For details, see [Chapter 3: Configuration](#) and [Appendix A: BitGen and PROMGen Switches and Options](#).

## Submodules

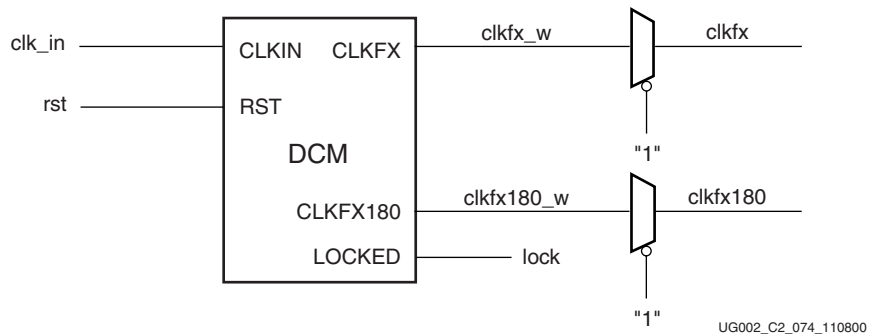


Figure 2-29: BUFG\_DFS\_SUBM

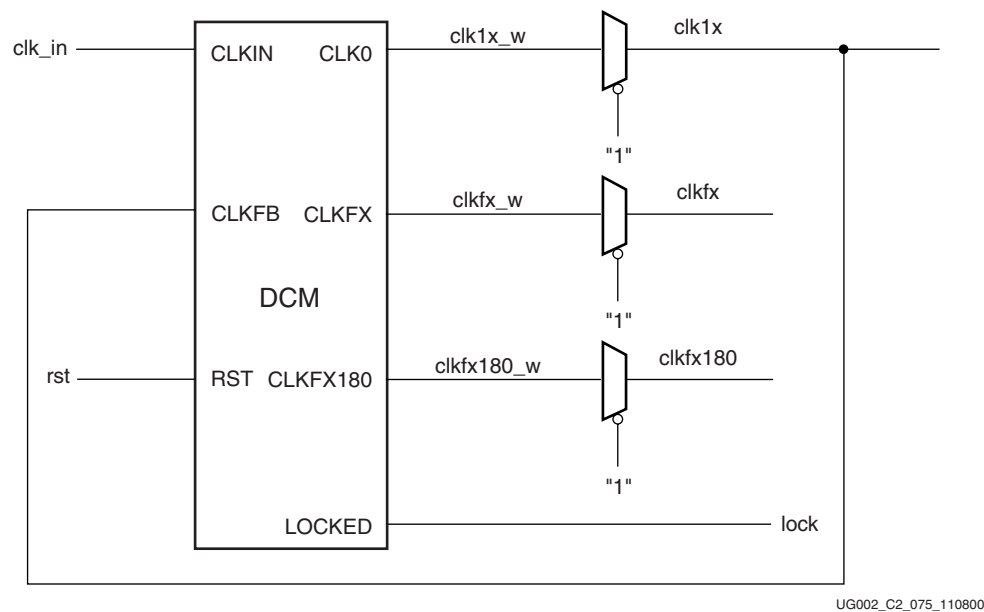


Figure 2-30: BUFG\_DFS\_FB\_SUBM

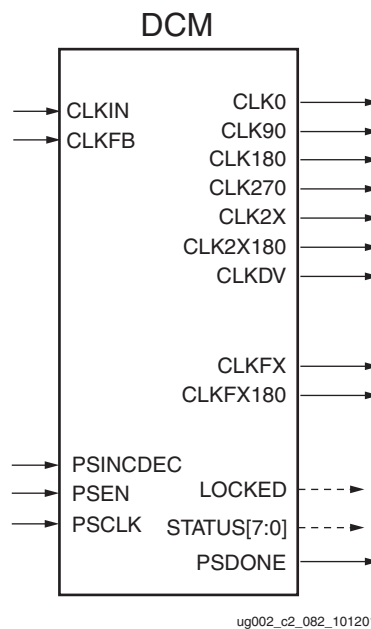
## Phase Shifting

The DCM can also provide coarse and fine-grained phase shifting. The CLK0, CLK90, CLK180, and CLK270 outputs are each phase shifted by  $\frac{1}{4}$  of the input clock period relative to each other, providing coarse phase control. Note that CLK90 and CLK270 are not available in high-frequency mode.

### Operation

Figure 2-31 shows a block diagram of the DCM and all of the outputs affected by the circuitry of the phase shift feature.

Figure 2-31

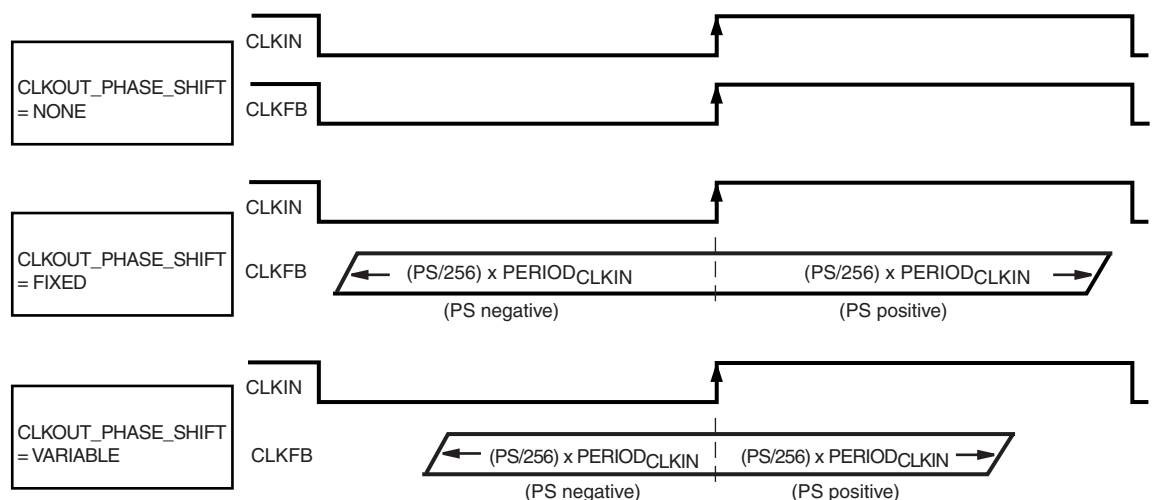


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Figure 2-31: Phase Shift Outputs

Fine-phase adjustment affects all nine DCM output clocks. When activated, the phase shift between the rising edges of CLKIN and CLKFB is a specified fraction of the input clock period.

In variable mode, the PHASE\_SHIFT value can also be dynamically incremented or decremented as determined by PSINCDEC synchronously to PSCLK, when the PSEN input is active. Figure 2-32 illustrates the effects of fine-phase shifting.



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Figure 2-32: Phase Shift Effects

Two separate components of the phase shift range must be understood:

- PHASE\_SHIFT attribute range
- FINE\_SHIFT\_RANGE DCM timing parameter range

The PHASE\_SHIFT attribute is the numerator in the following equation:

$$\text{Phase Shift (ns)} = (\text{PHASE\_SHIFT}/256) * \text{PERIOD}_{\text{CLKIN}}$$

The full range of this attribute is always -255 to +255, but its practical range varies with CLKIN frequency, as constrained by the FINE\_SHIFT\_RANGE component, which represents the total delay achievable by the phase shift delay line. Total delay is a function of the number of delay taps used in the circuit. Across process, voltage, and temperature, this absolute range is guaranteed to be as specified in the DCM Timing Parameters section of the [Virtex-II Pro Data Sheet](#).

Absolute range (fixed mode) =  $\pm$  FINE\_SHIFT\_RANGE

Absolute range (variable mode) =  $\pm$  FINE\_SHIFT\_RANGE/2

The reason for the difference between fixed and variable modes is as follows. For variable mode to allow symmetric, dynamic sweeps from -255/256 to +255/256, the DCM sets the "zero phase skew" point as the middle of the delay line, thus dividing the total delay line range in half. In fixed mode, since the PHASE\_SHIFT value never changes after configuration, the entire delay line is available for insertion into either the CLKIN or CLKFB path (to create either positive or negative skew).

Taking both of these components into consideration, the following are some usage examples:

- If  $\text{PERIOD}_{\text{CLKIN}} = \text{two times FINE\_SHIFT\_RANGE}$ , then PHASE\_SHIFT in fixed mode is limited to  $\pm 128$ , and in variable mode it is limited to  $\pm 64$ .
- If  $\text{PERIOD}_{\text{CLKIN}} = \text{FINE\_SHIFT\_RANGE}$ , then PHASE\_SHIFT in fixed mode is limited to  $\pm 255$ , and in variable mode it is limited to  $\pm 128$ .
- If  $\text{PERIOD}_{\text{CLKIN}} \leq \text{half of the FINE\_SHIFT\_RANGE}$ , then PHASE\_SHIFT is limited to  $\pm 255$  in either mode.

In variable mode, the phase factor can be changed by activating PSEN for one period of PSCLK. Increments or decrements to the phase factor can be made by setting the PSINCDEC pin to a High or Low, respectively. When the de-skew circuit has completed an increment or decrement operation, the signal PSDONE goes High for a single PSCLK cycle. This indicates to the user that the next change may be made.

The user interface and the physical implementation are different. The user interface describes the phase shift as a fraction of the clock period ( $N/256$ ). The physical implementation adds the appropriate number of buffer stages (each DCM\_TAP) to the clock delay. The DCM\_TAP granularity limits the phase resolution at higher clock frequencies.

## Phase Shift Characteristics

- Offers fine-phase adjustment with a resolution of  $\pm 1/256$  of the clock period (or  $\pm$  one DCM\_TAP, whichever is greater) by configuration and also dynamically under user control.
- The phase shift settings affect all nine DCM outputs.
- $V_{CC}$  and temperature do not affect the phase shift.

## Port Signals

### 1x Clock Outputs — CLK[0|90|180|270]

The 1x clock output pin CLK0 represents a delay-compensated version of the source clock (CLKIN) signal. In low-frequency mode, the DCM provides three phase-shifted versions of the CLK0 signal (CLK90, CLK180, and CLK270), whereas in high-frequency mode, only the 180 phase-shifted version is provided. All four (including CLK0) of the phase shifted outputs can be used simultaneously in low-frequency mode. The relationship between phase shift and the corresponding period shift appears in Table 2-8. The timing diagrams in Figure 2-33 illustrate the DLL clock output characteristics.

Table 2-8: Relationship of Phase-Shifted Output Clock to Period Shift

Phase (degrees)	% Period Shift
0	0%
90	25%
180	50%
270	75%

By default, the DCM provides a 50/50 duty cycle correction on all 1x clock outputs. The DUTY\_CYCLE\_CORRECTION attribute (TRUE by default), controls this feature. Attach the DUTY\_CYCLE\_CORRECTION=FALSE property to the DCM symbol in order to deactivate the DCM duty cycle correction. With duty cycle correction deactivated, the output clocks have the same duty cycle as the source clock.

The DCM clock outputs can drive an OBUF, a BUFGMUX, or they can route directly to the clock input of a synchronous element.

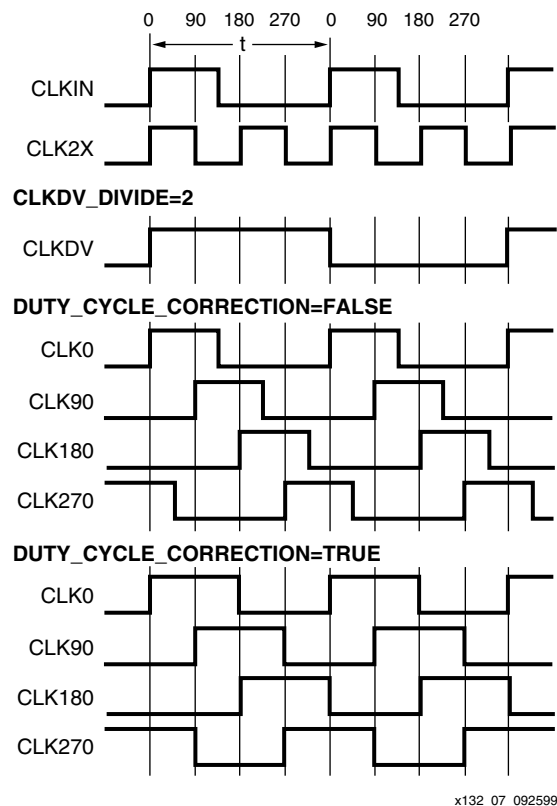


Figure 2-33: DLL Output Characteristics

### Source Clock Input — CLKIN

The CLKIN pin provides the user source clock to the DCM. The CLKIN frequency must fall in the ranges specified in the [Virtex-II Pro Data Sheet](#). The clock input signal can be provided by one of the following:

- IBUF — Input buffer
- IBUFG — Global clock input buffer
- BUFGMUX — Internal global clock buffer

### Feedback Clock Input — CLKFB

A DCM requires a reference or feedback signal to provide delay-compensated output. Connect only the CLK0 or CLK2X DCM outputs to the feedback clock input (CLKFB) pin to provide the necessary feedback to the DCM. The feedback clock input signal can be driven by an internal global clock buffer (BUFGMUX), one of the global clock input buffers (IBUFG) on the same edge of the device (top or bottom), or IBUF (the input buffer.)

If an IBUFG sources the CLKFB pin, the following special rules apply:

1. An external input port must source the signal that drives the IBUFG input pin.
2. That signal must directly drive only OBUFs and nothing else.

### Phase Shift Clock - PSCLK

The PSCLK input can be sourced by the CLKIN signal to the DCM, or it can be a lower or higher frequency signal provided from any clock source (external or internal). The frequency range of PSCLK is defined by PSCLK\_FREQ\_LF/HF (see the [Virtex-II Pro Data Sheet](#)). This input has to be tied to ground when the CLKOUT\_PHASE\_SHIFT attribute is set to NONE or FIXED.

### Phase Shift Increment/Decrement - PSINCDEC

The PSINCDEC signal is synchronous to PSCLK and is used to increment or decrement the phase shift factor. In order to increment or decrement the phase shift by 1/256 of clock period, the PSINCDEC signal must be High for increment or Low for decrement. This input has to be tied to ground when the CLKOUT\_PHASE\_SHIFT attribute is set to NONE or FIXED.

### Phase Shift Enable - PSEN

To initiate a variable phase-shift operation, the PSEN input must be activated for one period of PSCLK. The phase change becomes effective after up to 100 CLKIN pulse cycles plus three PSCLK cycles, and is indicated by a High pulse on PSDONE. During the phase transition there are no sporadic changes or glitches on any output. PSEN must be tied to ground when the CLKOUT\_PHASE\_SHIFT attribute is set to NONE or FIXED.

### Reset Input — RST

When the reset pin is activated, the LOCKED signal deactivates within four source clock cycles. After reset, the phase shift value is set to its value at configuration in both the fixed and variable modes. The RST pin, active High, must either connect to a dynamic signal or be tied to ground. Activation of the RST pin can also severely affect the duty cycle of the clock output pins. For this reason, activate the reset pin only when reconfiguring the device or changing the input frequency. The reset input signal is asynchronous and should be held High for at least 2 ns.

### Locked Output — LOCKED

The LOCKED signal activates after the DCM has achieved lock. To guarantee that the system clock is established prior to the device “waking up,” the DCM can delay the completion of the device configuration process until after the DCM locks. The STARTUP\_WAIT attribute activates this feature. Until the LOCKED signal activates, the DCM output clocks are not valid and can exhibit glitches, spikes, or other spurious movement. For details, see [Chapter 3: Configuration](#).

## Phase Shift DONE - PSDONE

The PSDONE signal is synchronous to PSCLK and it indicates, by pulsing High for one period of PSCLK, that the requested phase shift was achieved. This signal also indicates to the user that a new change to the phase shift numerator can be made. This output signal is not valid if the phase shift feature is not being used or is in FIXED mode.

## Status - STATUS

STATUS[0] indicates the overflow of the phase shift numerator and that the absolute delay range of the phase shift delay line is exceeded.

## Attributes

The following attributes provide access to the Virtex-II Pro fine-phase adjustment capability.

### Clock Out Phase Shift

The CLKOUT\_PHASE\_SHIFT attribute controls the use of the PHASE\_SHIFT value. It can be set to NONE, FIXED, or VARIABLE.

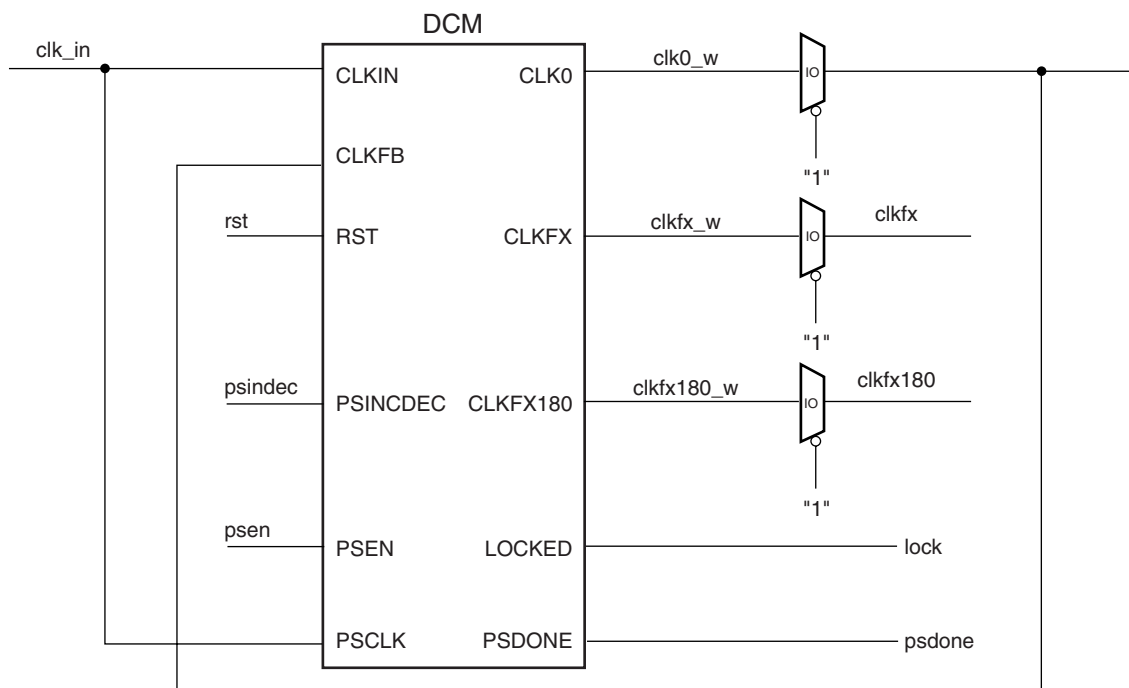
By default, this attribute is set to NONE, indicating that the phase shift feature is not being used. If the attribute is set to either FIXED or NONE, then the PSEN, PSINCDEC, and the PSCLK inputs must be tied to ground. When the attribute is set to FIXED, a positive PHASE\_SHIFT value must be used. If a negative phase shift is required, one of the workarounds described in [Solution Record 13349](#) can be used. When the attribute is set to NONE, the PHASE\_SHIFT value has no effect on the DCM outputs.

The effects of the CLKOUT\_PHASE\_SHIFT attribute are shown in [Figure 2-32](#).

### PHASE\_SHIFT

This attribute specifies the phase shift numerator as any value from -255 to 255.

## Submodules



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Figure 2-34: BUFG\_PHASE\_CLKFX\_FB\_SUBM



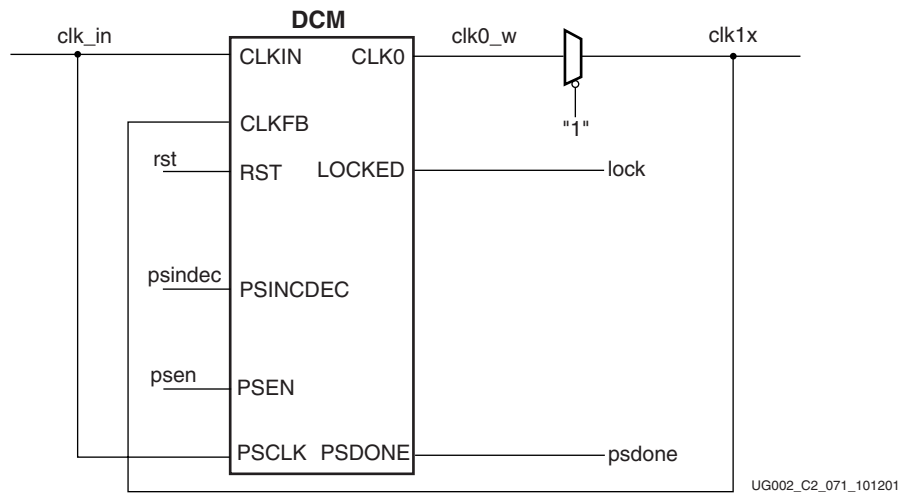


Figure 2-35: BUFG\_PHASE\_CLK0\_SUBM

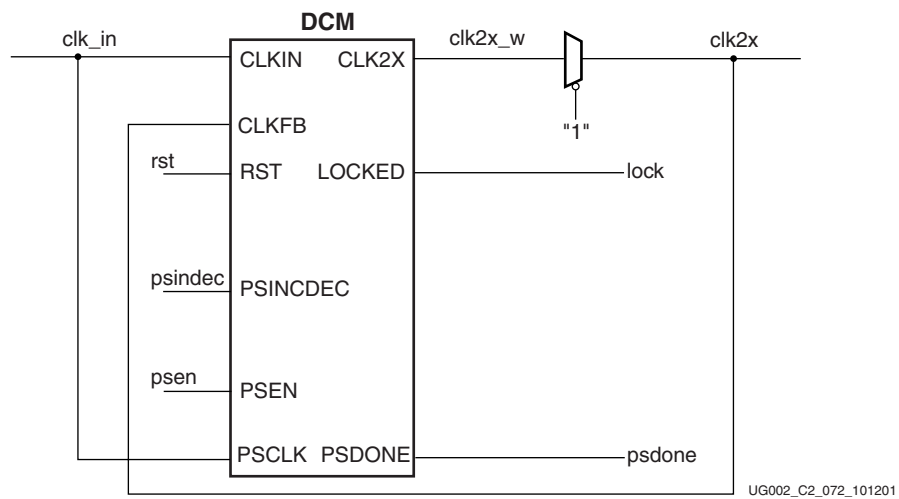


Figure 2-36: BUFG\_PHASE\_CLK2X\_SUBM

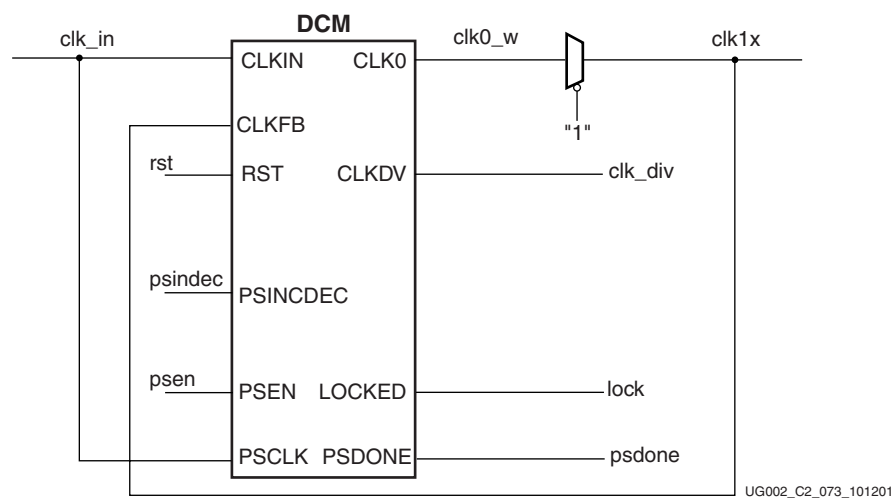


Figure 2-37: BUFG\_PHASE\_CLKDV\_SUBM

## VHDL and Verilog Instantiation

VHDL and Verilog instantiation templates are available as examples (see "VHDL and Verilog Templates" on page 196) for all submodules.

In VHDL, each template has a component declaration section and an architecture section. Each part of the template should be inserted within the VHDL design file. The port map of the architecture section should include the design signal names.

### VHDL and Verilog Templates

The following submodules described in this section are available:

- BUFG\_CLK0\_SUBM
- BUFG\_CLK2X\_SUBM
- BUFG\_CLK0\_FB\_SUBM
- BUFG\_CLK2X\_FB\_SUBM
- BUFG\_CLKDV\_SUBM
- BUFG\_DFS\_SUBM
- BUFG\_DFS\_FB\_SUBM
- BUFG\_PHASE\_CLKFX\_FB\_SUBM
- BUFG\_PHASE\_CLK0\_SUBM
- BUFG\_PHASE\_CLK2X\_SUBM
- BUFG\_PHASE\_CLKDV\_SUBM

The corresponding submodules must be synthesized with the design. The BUFG\_CLK0\_SUBM submodule is provided in VHDL and Verilog as an example.

### VHDL Template

```
-- Module: BUFG_CLK0_SUBM
-- Description: VHDL submodule
-- DCM with CLK0 deskew
-- Device: Virtex-II Pro Family
-----
library IEEE;
use IEEE.std_logic_1164.all;
--
-- pragma translate_off
library UNISIM;
use UNISIM.VCOMPONENTS.ALL;
-- pragma translate_on
--
entity BUFG_CLK0_SUBM is
    port (
        CLK_IN : in std_logic;
        RST     : in std_logic;
        CLK1X   : out std_logic;
        LOCK    : out std_logic
    );
end BUFG_CLK0_SUBM;
--
architecture BUFG_CLK0_SUBM_arch of BUFG_CLK0_SUBM is
    -- Components Declarations:
    component BUFG
        port (
            I : in std_logic;
            O : out std_logic
        );
    end component;
    component DCM
```

```

-- pragma translate_off
generic (
    DLL_FREQUENCY_MODE : string := "LOW";
    DUTY_CYCLE_CORRECTION : boolean := TRUE;
    STARTUP_WAIT : boolean := FALSE
);
-- pragma translate_on
port ( CLKIN      : in  std_logic;
        CLKFB      : in  std_logic;
        DSSEN      : in  std_logic;
        PSINCDEC    : in  std_logic;
        PSEN       : in  std_logic;
        PSCLK      : in  std_logic;
        RST        : in  std_logic;
        CLK0       : out std_logic;
        CLK90      : out std_logic;
        CLK180     : out std_logic;
        CLK270     : out std_logic;
        CLK2X      : out std_logic;
        CLK2X180   : out std_logic;
        CLKDV      : out std_logic;
        CLKFX      : out std_logic;
        CLKFX180   : out std_logic;
        LOCKED     : out std_logic;
        PSDONE     : out std_logic;
        STATUS     : out std_logic_vector(7 downto 0)
    );
end component;
-- Attributes
attribute DLL_FREQUENCY_MODE : string;
attribute DUTY_CYCLE_CORRECTION : string;
attribute STARTUP_WAIT : string;
attribute DLL_FREQUENCY_MODE of U_DCM: label is "LOW";
attribute DUTY_CYCLE_CORRECTION of U_DCM: label is "TRUE";
attribute STARTUP_WAIT of U_DCM: label is "FALSE";
-- Signal Declarations:
signal GND : std_logic;
signal CLK0_W: std_logic;
signal CLK1X_W: std_logic;
begin
GND <= '0';
CLK1X <= CLK1X_W;
-- DCM Instantiation
U_DCM: DCM
    port map (
        CLKIN => CLK_IN,
        CLKFB => CLK1X_W,
        DSSEN => GND,
        PSINCDEC => GND,
        PSEN => GND,
        PSCLK => GND,
        RST => RST,
        CLK0 => CLK0_W,
        LOCKED => LOCK
    );
-- BUFG Instantiation
U_BUFG: BUFG
    port map (
        I => CLK0_W,
        O => CLK1X_W
    );
end BUFG_CLK0_SUBM_arch;

```

## Verilog Template

```
// Module:      BUFG_CLK0_SUBM
// Description: Verilog Submodule
// DCM with CLK0 deskew
//
// Device: Virtex-II Pro Family
//-----

module BUFG_CLK0_SUBM (
    CLK_IN,
    RST,
    CLK1X,
    LOCK
);

    input CLK_IN;
    input RST;

    output CLK1X;
    output LOCK;

    wire CLK0_W;
    wire GND;

    assign GND = 1'b0;

//BUFG Instantiation
//
BUFG U_BUFG
    (.I(CLK0_W),
     .O(CLK1X)
    );

// Attributes for functional simulation//
// synopsys translate_off
    defparam U_DCM.DLL_FREQUENCY_MODE = "LOW";
    defparam U_DCM.DUTY_CYCLE_CORRECTION = "TRUE";
    defparam U_DCM.STARTUP_WAIT = "FALSE";
// synopsys translate_on

// Instantiate the DCM primitive//
DCM U_DCM (
    .CLKFB(CLK1X),
    .CLKIN(CLK_IN),
    .DSSEN(GND),
    .PSCLK(GND),
    .PSEN(GND),
    .PSINCDEC(GND),
    .RST(RST),
    .CLK0(CLK0_W),
    .LOCKED(LOCK)
);

// synthesis attribute declarations
/* synopsys attribute

DLL_FREQUENCY_MODE "LOW"
DUTY_CYCLE_CORRECTION "TRUE"
STARTUP_WAIT "FALSE"
*/
endmodule
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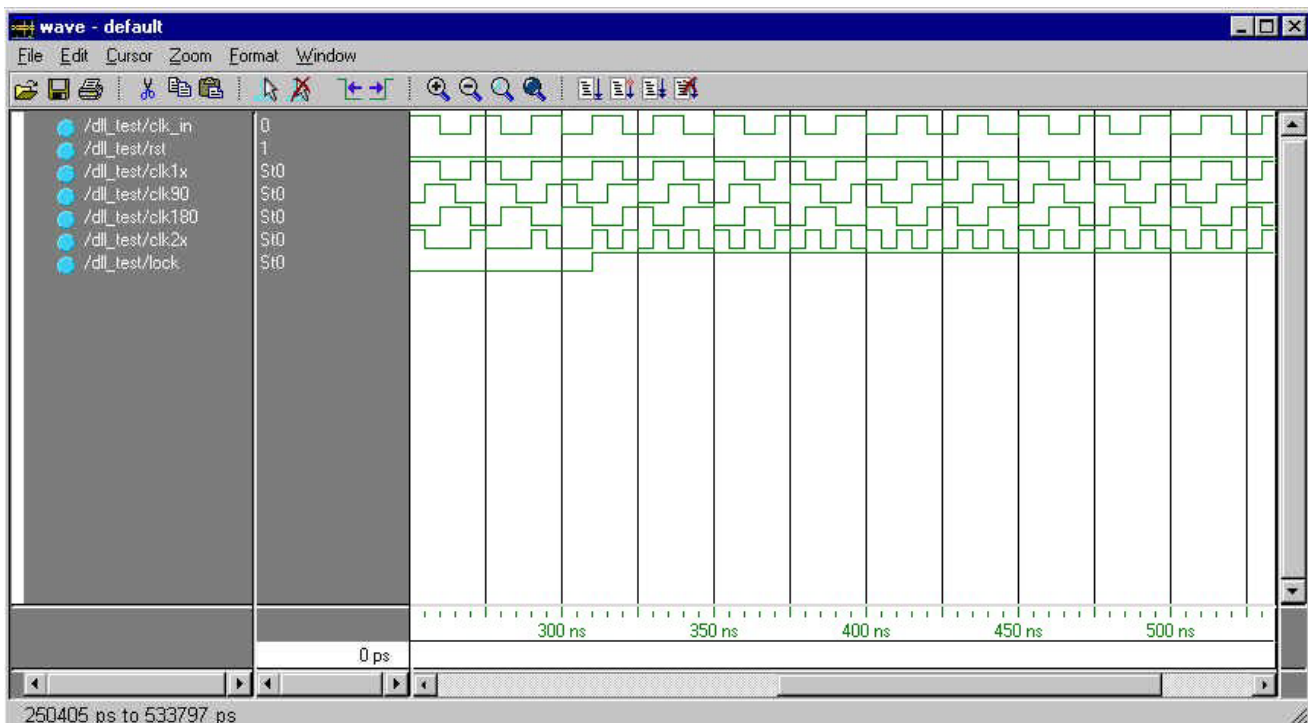
## DCM Waveforms

The DCM waveforms shown below are the results of functional simulation using Model Technology's ModelSim EE/Plus 5.3a\_p1 simulator. Note that the time scale for these simulations were set to 1ns/1ps. It is important to set the unused inputs of the DCM to logic 0 and to set the attribute values to the correct data types. For example, the PHASE\_SHIFT, CLKFX\_DIVIDE, and CLKFX\_MULTIPLY attributes are integers and should be set to values as shown.

```
defparam U_DCM.DFS_FREQUENCY_MODE = "LOW";
defparam U_DCM.CLKFX_DIVIDE = 1; (this value's range is specified under
Frequency Synthesis in the Virtex-II Pro Data Sheet)
defparam U_DCM.CLKFX_MULTIPLY = 4; (this value's range is specified
under Frequency Synthesis in the Virtex-II Pro Data Sheet)
defparam U_DCM.CLKOUT_PHASE_SHIFT = "FIXED";
defparam U_DCM.PHASE_SHIFT = 150; (Any value from 1 to 255)
defparam U_DCM.STARTUP_WAIT = "FALSE";
```

The input clock, 'clk\_in' (CLKIN input of DCM) in all these waveforms is 50 MHz. The DCM\_DLL waveforms in [Figure 2-38](#) shows four DCM outputs, namely, clk1x (CLK0 output of DCM), clk2x (CLK2X output of DCM), clk90 (CLK90 output of DCM), and clk180 (CLK180 output of DCM).

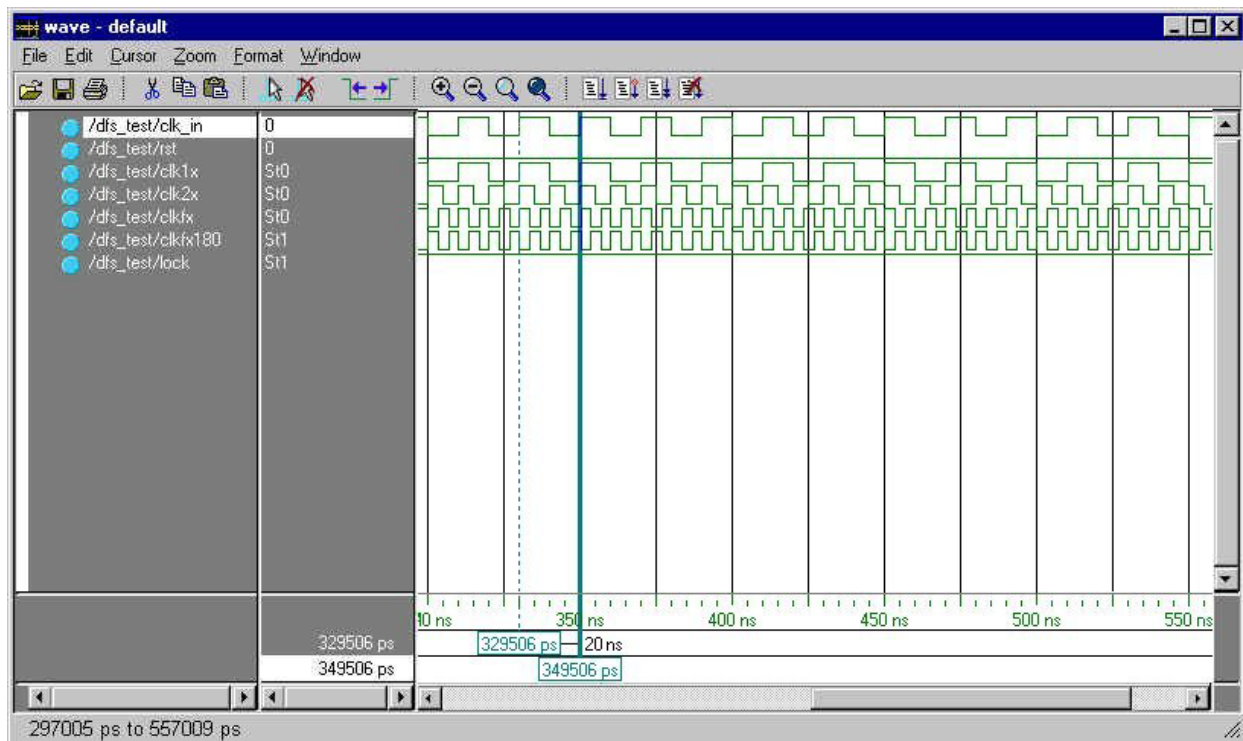
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Figure 2-38: DCM\_DLL Waveforms

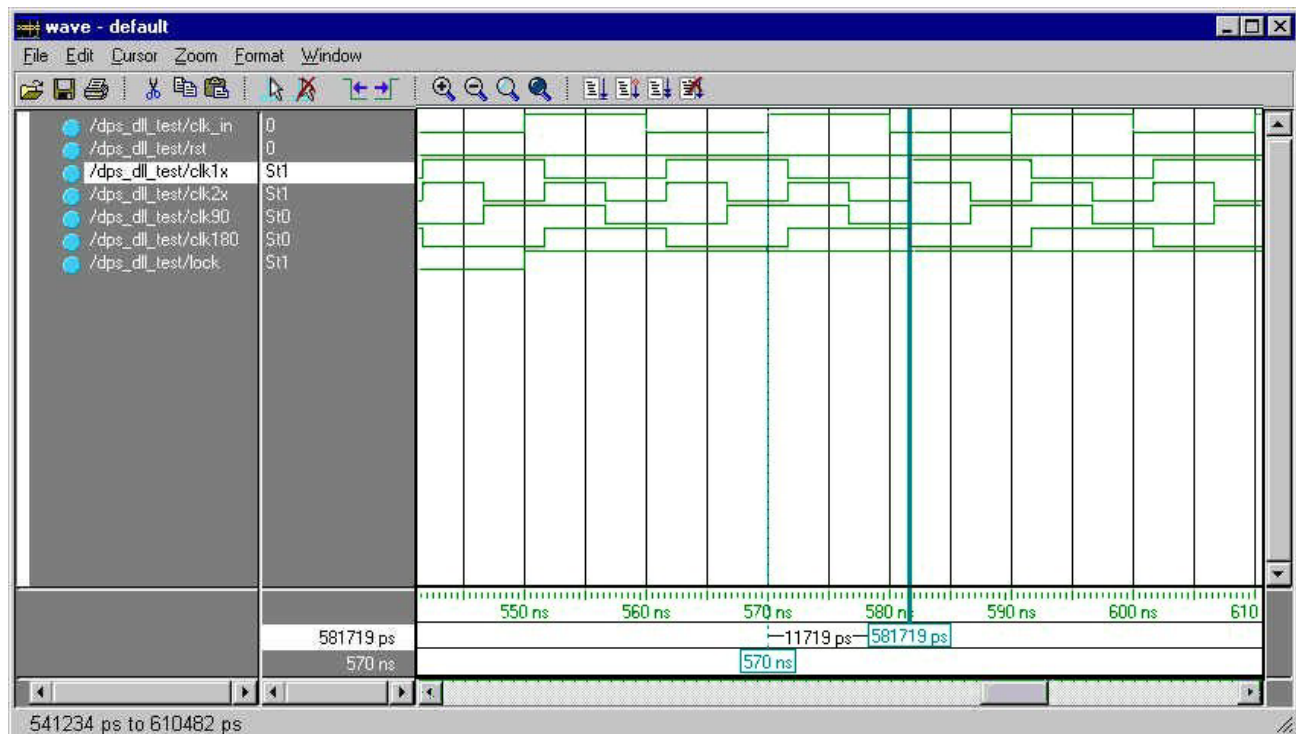
The DCM\_DFS Waveforms in [Figure 2-39](#) shows four DCM outputs namely, clk1x (CLK0 output of DCM), clk2x (CLK2X output of DCM), clkfx (CLKFX output of DCM), and clkfx180 (CLKFX180 output of DCM). In this case the attributes, CLKFX\_DIVIDE = 1, and the CLKFX\_MULTIPLY = 3.



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Figure 2-39: DCM\_DFS Waveforms

The DCM\_DPS waveforms in Figure 2-40 shows four DCM outputs, namely, clk1x (CLK0 output of DCM), clk2x (CLK2X output of DCM), clk90 (CLK90 output of DCM), and clk180 (CLK180 output of DCM). In this case, the attribute PHASE\_SHIFT = 150 which translates to a phase shift of  $(150 \times 20 \text{ ns}) / 256 = 11.719 \text{ ns}$ , where 20 ns is the clock period.



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Figure 2-40: DCM\_DPS Waveforms

The DCM\_DPS\_DFS waveforms in **Figure 2-41** shows four DCM outputs namely, clk1x (CLK0 output of DCM), clk90 (CLK90 output of DCM), clkfx (CLKFX output of DCM), and clkfx180 (CLKFX180 output of DCM). In this case, the attributes, CLKFX\_DIVIDE = 1, and the CLKFX\_MULTIPLY = 4. The attribute, PHASE\_SHIFT = 150 which translates to a phase shift of  $(150 \times 20 \text{ ns})/256 = 11.719 \text{ ns}$ , where 20 ns is the clock period.

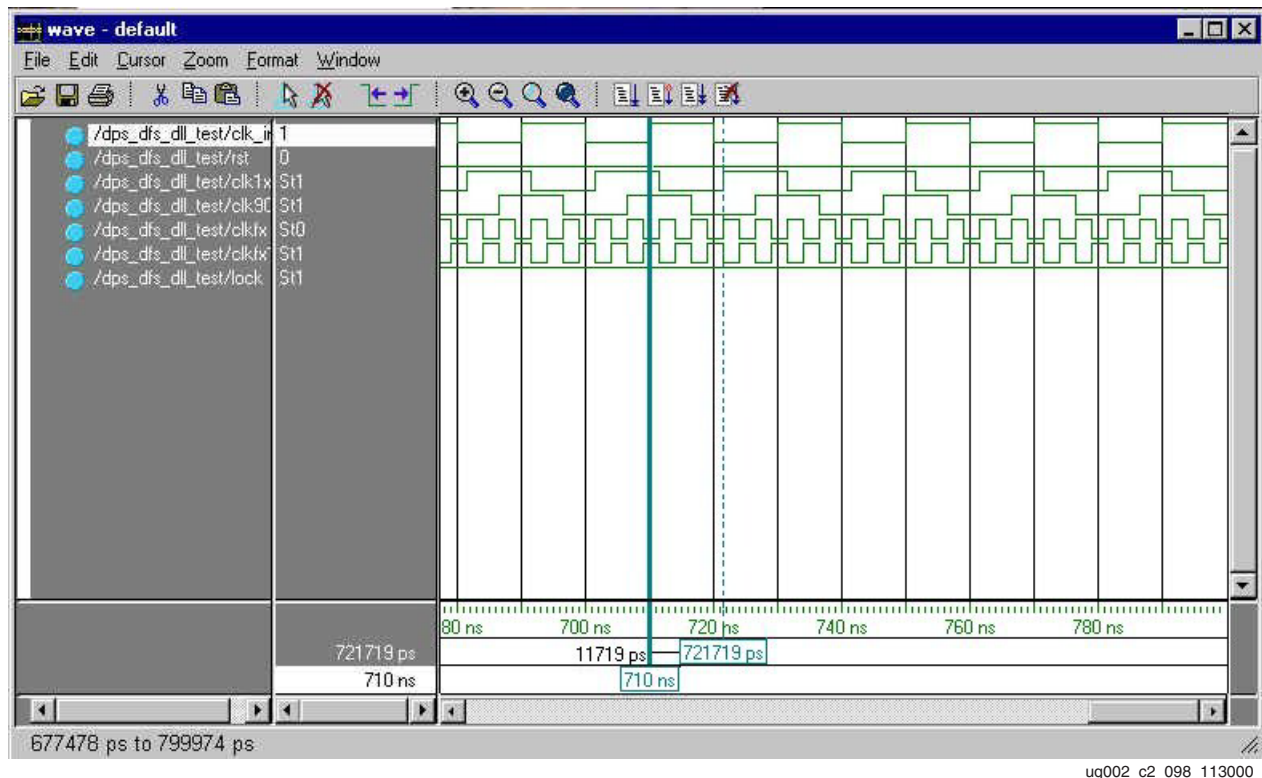


Figure 2-41: DCM\_DPS\_DFS Waveforms

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## Block SelectRAM™ Memory

### Introduction

In addition to distributed SelectRAM memory, Virtex-II Pro devices feature a large number of 18 Kb block SelectRAM memories. The block SelectRAM memory is a True Dual-Port™ RAM, offering fast, discrete, and large blocks of memory in the device. The memory is organized in columns, and the total amount of block SelectRAM memory depends on the size of the Virtex-II Pro device. The 18 Kb blocks are cascadable to enable a deeper and wider memory implementation, with a minimal timing penalty incurred through specialized routing resources.

Embedded dual- or single-port RAM modules, ROM modules, synchronous FIFOs, and data width converters are easily implemented using the Xilinx CORE Generator "Block Memory" modules. Asynchronous FIFOs can be generated using the CORE Generator Asynchronous FIFO and "Block Memory" module. Starting with IP Update #3, the designer can also generate synchronous FIFOs using Block Memory.

### Synchronous Dual-Port and Single-Port RAM

#### Data Flow

The 18Kb block SelectRAM dual-port memory consists of an 18 Kb storage area and two completely independent access ports, A and B. The structure is fully symmetrical, and both ports are interchangeable.



Data can be written to either port and can be read from the same or the other port. Each port is synchronous, with its own clock, clock enable, and write enable. Note that the read operation is also synchronous and requires a clock edge.

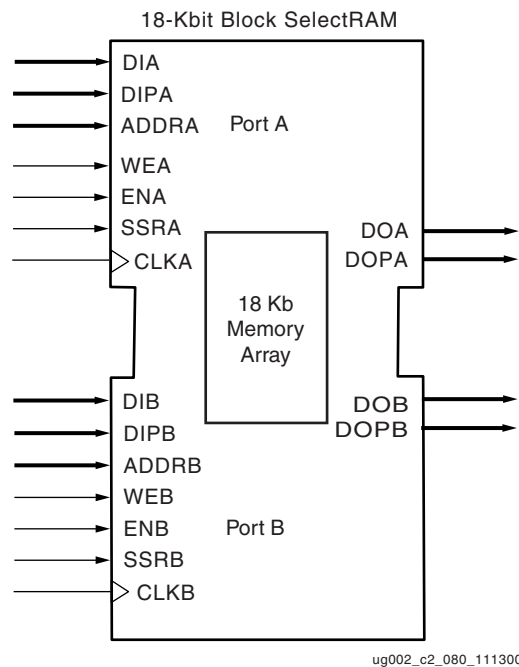


Figure 2-42: Dual-Port Data Flows

As described below, there are three options for the behavior of the data output during a write operation on its port. There is no dedicated monitor to arbitrate the result of identical addresses on both ports. It is up to the user to time the two clocks appropriately. However, conflicting simultaneous writes to the same location never cause any physical damage.

## Operating Modes

To maximize utilization of the True Dual-Port memory at each clock edge, the block SelectRAM memory supports three different write modes for each port. The “read during write” mode offers the flexibility of using the data output bus during a write operation on the same port. Output behavior is determined by the configuration. This choice increases the efficiency of block SelectRAM memory at each clock cycle and allows designs that use maximum bandwidth.

## Read Operation

The read operation uses one clock edge. The read address is registered on the read port, and the stored data is loaded into the output latches after the RAM access interval passes.

## Write Operations

A write operation is a single clock-edge operation. The write address is registered on the write port, and the data input is stored in memory.

Three different modes are used to determine data available on the output latches after a write clock edge.



**WRITE\_FIRST or Transparent Mode (Default)**

In WRITE\_FIRST mode, the input data is simultaneously written into memory and stored in the data output (transparent write), as shown in Figure 2-43.

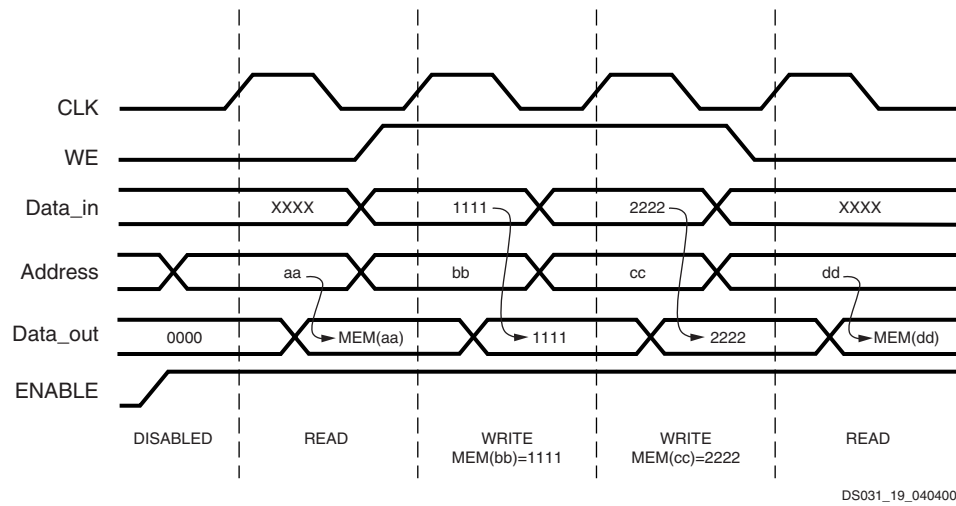


Figure 2-43: **WRITE\_FIRST Mode Waveforms**

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**READ\_FIRST or Read-Before-Write Mode**

In READ\_FIRST mode, data previously stored at the write address appears on the output latches, while the input data is being stored in memory (read before write). See Figure 2-44.

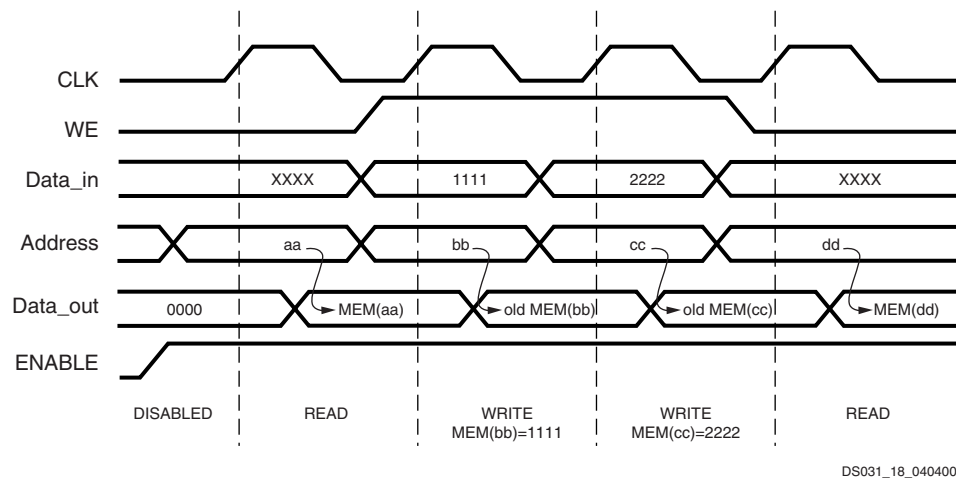


Figure 2-44: **READ\_FIRST Mode Waveforms**

## NO\_CHANGE Mode

In NO\_CHANGE mode, the output latches remain unchanged during a write operation. As shown in Figure 2-45, data output is still the last read data and is unaffected by a write operation on the same port.

Mode selection is set by configuration. One of these three modes is set individually for each port by an attribute. The default mode is WRITE\_FIRST.

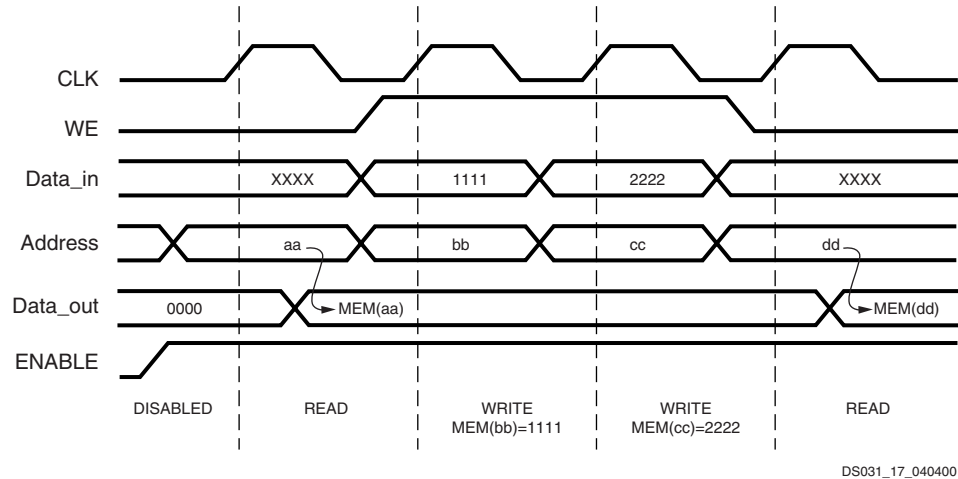


Figure 2-45: NO\_CHANGE Mode Waveforms

## Conflict Resolution

Virtex-II Pro block SelectRAM memory is a True Dual-Port RAM that allows both ports to simultaneously access the same memory cell. When one port writes to a given memory cell, the other port must not address that memory cell (for a write or a read) within the clock-to-clock setup window. Figure 2-46 describes this asynchronous operation.

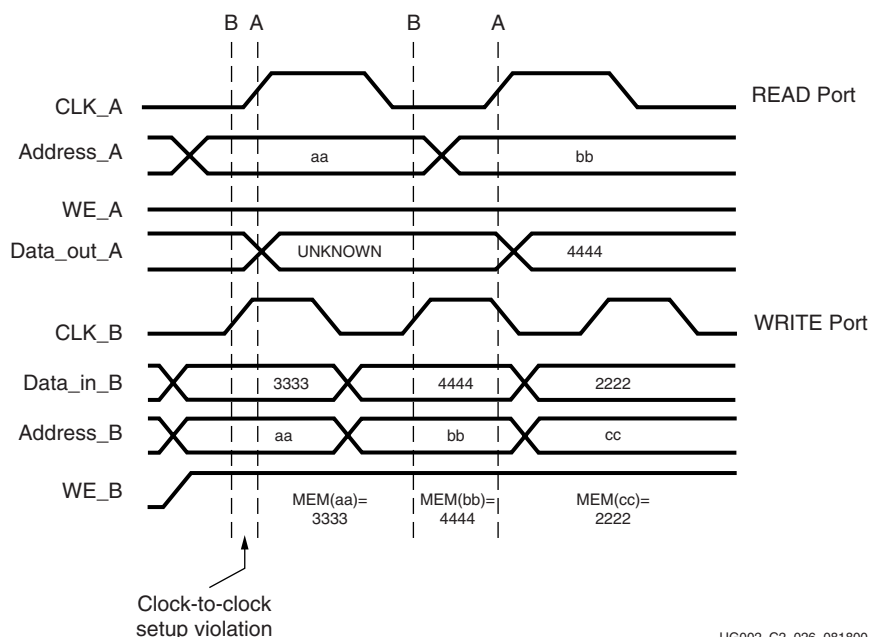


Figure 2-46: READ-WRITE Conditions

If port A and port B are configured with different widths, only the overlapping bits are invalid when conflicts occur.

### Asynchronous Clocks

The first CLK\_A clock edge violates the clock-to-clock setup parameter, because it occurs too soon after the last CLK\_B clock edge. The write operation on port B is valid, and the read operation on port A is invalid.

At the second rising edge of the CLK\_B pin, the write operation is valid. The memory location (bb) contains 4444. The second rising edge of CLK\_A reads the new data at the same location (bb), which now contains 4444.

The clock-to-clock setup timing parameter is specified together with other block SelectRAM switching characteristics in the [Virtex-II Pro Data Sheet](#).

### Synchronous Clocks

When both clocks are synchronous or identical, the result of simultaneous accesses from both ports to the same memory cell is best described in words:

- If both ports read simultaneously from the same memory cell:  
Both Data\_out ports will have the same data.
- If both ports write simultaneously into the same memory cell:  
The data stored in that cell becomes invalid (unless both ports write identical data).
- If one port writes and the other one reads from the same memory cell:  
The write operation succeeds, and the write port's Data\_out behaves as determined by the read output mode (write\_first, read\_first, or no\_change).

If the write port is in read\_first mode, the read port's Data\_out represents the previous content of the memory cell. If the write port is in write\_first mode or in no\_change mode, the read port's Data\_out becomes invalid. Obviously, the read port's mode setting does not affect this operation.

## Characteristics

- A write operation requires only one clock edge.
- A read operation requires only one clock edge.
- All inputs are registered with the port clock and have a setup-to-clock timing specification.
- All outputs have a read-through function or one of three read-during-write functions, depending on the state of the WE pin. The outputs relative to the port clock are available after the clock-to-out timing interval.
- Block SelectRAM cells are true synchronous RAM memories and do not have a combinatorial path from the address to the output.
- The ports are completely independent of each other (that is, clocking, control, address, read/write functions, initialization, and data width) without arbitration.
- Output ports are latched with a self-timed circuit, guaranteeing glitch-free reads. The state of the output port does not change until the port executes another read or write operation.
- Data input and output signals are always buses; that is, in a 1-bit width configuration, the data input signal is DI[0] and the data output signal is DO[0].

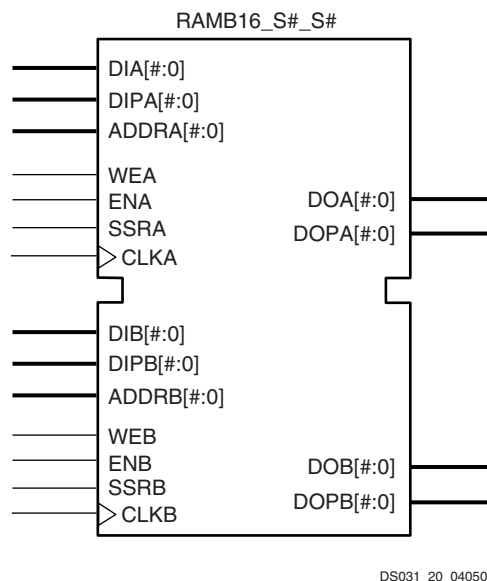
## Library Primitives

The input and output data buses are represented by two buses for 9-bit width (8+1), 18-bit width (16+2), and 36-bit width (32+4) configurations. The ninth bit associated with each byte can store parity or error correction bits. No specific function is performed on this bit.

The separate bus for parity bits facilitates some designs. However, other designs safely use a 9-bit, 18-bit, or 36-bit bus by merging the regular data bus with the parity bus.

Read/write and storage operations are identical for all bits, including the parity bits.

Figure 2-47 shows the generic dual-port block RAM primitive. DIA, DIPB, ADDRA, DOA, DOPA, and the corresponding signals on port B are buses.



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Figure 2-47: Dual-Port Block RAM Primitive

Table 2-9 lists the available dual-port primitives for synthesis and simulation.

Table 2-9: Dual-Port Block RAM Primitives

Primitive	Port A Width	Port B Width
RAMB16_S1_S1	1	1
RAMB16_S1_S2		2
RAMB16_S1_S4		4
RAMB16_S1_S9		(8+1)
RAMB16_S1_S18		(16+2)
RAMB16_S1_S36		(32+4)
RAMB16_S2_S2	2	2
RAMB16_S2_S4		4
RAMB16_S2_S9		(8+1)
RAMB16_S2_S18		(16+2)
RAMB16_S2_S36		(32+4)
RAMB16_S4_S4	4	4
RAMB16_S4_S9		(8+1)
RAMB16_S4_S18		(16+2)
RAMB16_S4_S36		(32+4)
RAMB16_S9_S9	(8+1)	(8+1)
RAMB16_S9_S18		(16+2)
RAMB16_S9_S36		(32+4)
RAMB16_S18_S18	(16+2)	(16+2)
RAMB16_S18_S36		(32+4)
RAMB16_S36_S36	(32+4)	(32+4)

Figure 2-48 shows the generic single-port block RAM primitive. DI, DIP, ADDR, DO, and DOP are buses.

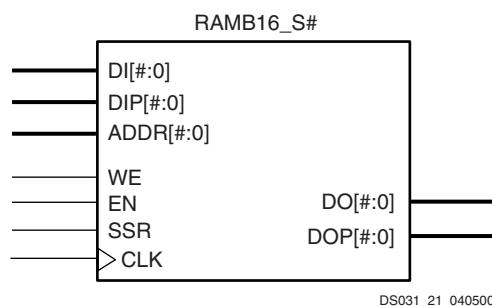


Figure 2-48: Single-Port Block RAM Primitive

Table 2-10 lists all of the available single-port primitives for synthesis and simulation.

Table 2-10: Single-Port Block RAM Primitives

Primitive	Port Width
RAMB16_S1	1
RAMB16_S2	2
RAMB16_S4	4
RAMB16_S9	(8+1)
RAMB16_S18	(16+2)
RAMB16_S36	(32+4)

## VHDL and Verilog Instantiation

VHDL and Verilog instantiation templates are available as examples ([see "VHDL and Verilog Templates" on page 212](#)).

In VHDL, each template has a component declaration section and an architecture section. Each part of the template should be inserted within the VHDL design file. The port map of the architecture section should include the design signal names.

The SelectRAM\_Ax templates (with x = 1, 2, 4, 9, 18, or 36) are single-port modules and instantiate the corresponding RAMB16\_Sx module.

SelectRAM\_Ax\_By templates (with x = 1, 2, 4, 9, 18, or 36 and y = 1, 2, 4, 9, 18, or 36) are dual-port modules and instantiate the corresponding RAMB16\_Sx\_Sy module.

## Port Signals

Each block SelectRAM port operates independently of the other while accessing the same set of 18K-bit memory cells.

### Clock - CLK[AIB]

Each port is fully synchronous with independent clock pins. All port input pins have setup time referenced to the port CLK pin. The data bus has a clock-to-out time referenced to the CLK pin. Clock polarity is configurable (rising edge by default).

### Enable - EN[AIB]

The enable pin affects the read, write, and set/reset functionality of the port. Ports with an inactive enable pin keep the output pins in the previous state and do not write data to the memory cells. Enable polarity is configurable (active High by default).

### Write Enable - WE[AIB]

Both EN and WE are active when the contents of the data input bus is written to memory at the address pointed to by the address bus. The output latches are loaded or not loaded according to the write configuration (WRITE\_FIRST, READ\_FIRST, NO\_CHANGE). When inactive, a read operation occurs, and the contents of the memory cells referenced by the address bus reflect on the data-out bus, regardless of the write mode attribute. Write enable polarity is configurable (active High by default).

### Set/Reset - SSR[AIB]

The SSR pin forces the data output latches to contain the value "SRVAL" ([see "Attributes" on page 210](#)). The data output latches are synchronously asserted to 0 or 1, including the parity bit. In a 36-bit width configuration, each port has an independent SRVAL[A | B] attribute of 36 bits. This operation does not affect RAM memory cells and does not disturb write operations on the other port. Like the read and write operation, the set/reset function is active only when the enable pin of the port is active. Set/reset polarity is configurable (active High by default).

### Address Bus - ADDR[AIB]<#:0>

The address bus selects the memory cells for read or write. The width of the port determines the required address bus width, as shown in [Table 2-11](#).

Table 2-11: Port Aspect Ratio

Port Data Width	Depth	ADDR Bus	DI Bus / DO Bus	DIP Bus / DOP Bus
1	16,384	<13:0>	<0>	NA
2	8,192	<12:0>	<1:0>	NA
4	4,096	<11:0>	<3:0>	NA
9	2,048	<10:0>	<7:0>	<0>
18	1,024	<9:0>	<15:0>	<1:0>
36	512	<8:0>	<31:0>	<3:0>

### Data-In Buses - DI[AIB]<#:0> & DIP[AIB]<#:0>

Data-in buses provide the new data value to be written into RAM. The regular data-in bus (DI) and the parity data-in bus (when available) have a total width equal to the port width. For example the 36-bit port data width is represented by DI<31:0> and DIP<3:0>, as shown in [Table 2-11](#).

### Data-Out Buses - DO[AIB]<#:0> & DOP[AIB]<#:0>

Data-out buses reflect the contents of memory cells referenced by the address bus at the last active clock edge during a read operation. During a write operation (WRITE\_FIRST or READ\_FIRST configuration), the data-out buses reflect either the data-in buses or the stored value before write. During a write operation in NO\_CHANGE mode, data-out buses are not affected. The regular data-out bus (DO) and the parity data-out bus (DOP) (when available) have a total width equal to the port width, as shown in [Table 2-11](#).

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### Inverting Control Pins

For each port, the four control pins (CLK, EN, WE, and SSR) each have an individual inversion option. Any control signal can be configured as active High or Low, and the clock can be active on a rising or falling edge (active High on rising edge by default) without requiring other logic resources.

### Unused Inputs

Non-connected Data and/or address inputs should be connected to logic “1”.

### GSR

The global set/reset (GSR) signal of a Virtex-II Pro device is an asynchronous global signal that is active at the end of device configuration. The GSR can also restore the initial Virtex-II Pro state at any time. The GSR signal initializes the output latches to the INIT, or to the INIT\_A and INIT\_B value (see ["Attributes" on page 210](#)). A GSR signal has no impact on internal memory contents. Because it is a global signal, the GSR has no input pin at the functional level (block SelectRAM primitive).

## Address Mapping

Each port accesses the same set of 18,432 memory cells using an addressing scheme dependent on the width of the port. The physical RAM locations addressed for a particular width are determined using the following formula (of interest only when the two ports use different aspect ratios):

$$\text{END} = ((\text{ADDR} + 1) * \text{Width}) - 1 \quad \text{START} = \text{ADDR} * \text{Width}$$

[Table 2-12](#) shows low-order address mapping for each port width.

Table 2-12: Port Address Mapping

Port Width	Parity Locations	Data Locations																			
1	N.A.	31	30	29	28	27	26	25	24	23	22	21	20	19	18	17	16	15	14	13	12
2		15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0				
4		7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0												
8 + 1	3	2	1	0	3	2	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	1
16 + 2	1	0			1	0			1	0			1	0			1	0			1
32 + 4	0																				

## Attributes

### Content Initialization - INIT\_xx

INIT\_xx attributes define the initial memory contents. By default block SelectRAM memory is initialized with all zeros during the device configuration sequence. The 64 initialization attributes from INIT\_00 through INIT\_3F represent the regular memory contents. Each INIT\_xx is a 64-digit hex-encoded bit vector. The memory contents can be partially initialized and are automatically completed with zeros.

The following formula is used for determining the bit positions for each INIT\_xx attribute. Given yy = conversion hex-encoded to decimal (xx), INIT\_xx corresponds to the memory cells as follows:

- from [(yy + 1) \* 256] - 1
- to (yy) \* 256

For example, for the attribute INIT\_1F, the conversion is as follows:

- yy = conversion hex-encoded to decimal X"1F" = 31
- from [(31+1) \* 256] - 1 = 8191
- to 31 \* 256 = 7936

More examples are given in [Table 2-13](#).

Table 2-13: Block SelectRAM Initialization Attributes

Attribute	Memory Cell	
	from	to
INIT_00	255	0
INIT_01	511	256
INIT_02	767	512
...	...	...
INIT_0E	3839	3584
INIT_0F	4095	3840
INIT_10	4351	4096
...	...	...
INIT_1F	8191	7936
INIT_20	8447	8192
...	...	...
INIT_2F	12287	12032
INIT_30	12543	12288
..	...	...
INIT_3F	16383	16128



## Content Initialization - INITP\_xx

INITP\_xx attributes define the initial contents of the memory cells corresponding to DIP/DOP buses (parity bits). By default these memory cells are also initialized to all zeros. The eight initialization attributes from INITP\_00 through INITP\_07 represent the memory contents of parity bits. Each INITP\_xx is a 64-digit hex-encoded bit vector and behaves like a regular INIT\_xx attribute. The same formula can be used to calculate the bit positions initialized by a particular INITP\_xx attribute.

## Output Latches Initialization - INIT (INIT\_A & INIT\_B)

The INIT (single-port) or INIT\_A and INIT\_B (dual-port) attributes define the output latches values after configuration. The width of the INIT (INIT\_A & INIT\_B) attribute is the port width, as shown in [Table 2-14](#). These attributes are hex-encoded bit vectors and the default value is 0.

## Output Latches Synchronous Set/Reset - SRVAL (SRVAL\_A & SRVAL\_B)

The SRVAL (single-port) or SRVAL\_A and SRVAL\_B (dual-port) attributes define output latch values when the SSR input is asserted. The width of the SRVAL (SRVAL\_A and SRVAL\_B) attribute is the port width, as shown in [Table 2-14](#). These attributes are hex-encoded bit vectors and the default value is 0.

**Table 2-14: Port Width Values**

Port Data Width	DOP Bus	DO Bus	INIT / SRVAL
1	NA	<0>	1
2	NA	<1:0>	2
4	NA	<3:0>	4
9	<0>	<7:0>	(1+8) = 9
18	<1:0>	<15:0>	(2+16) = 18
36	<3:0>	<31:0>	(4 + 32) = 36

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## Initialization in VHDL or Verilog Codes

Block SelectRAM memory structures can be initialized in VHDL or Verilog code for both synthesis and simulation. For synthesis, the attributes are attached to the block SelectRAM instantiation and are copied in the EDIF output file to be compiled by Xilinx Alliance Series™ tools. The VHDL code simulation uses a generic parameter to pass the attributes. The Verilog code simulation uses a defparam parameter to pass the attributes. The XC2V\_RAMB\_1\_PORT block SelectRAM instantiation code examples (in VHDL and Verilog) illustrate these techniques ([see "VHDL and Verilog Templates" on page 212](#)).

## Location Constraints

Block SelectRAM instances can have LOC properties attached to them to constrain placement. Block SelectRAM placement locations differ from the convention used for naming CLB locations, allowing LOC properties to transfer easily from array to array.

The LOC properties use the following form:

LOC = RAMB16\_X#Y#

The RAMB16\_X0Y0 is the bottom-left block SelectRAM location on the device.

## Applications

### Creating Larger RAM Structures

Block SelectRAM columns have specialized routing to allow cascading blocks with minimal routing delays. Wider or deeper RAM structures are achieved with a smaller timing penalty than is encountered when using normal routing resources.

The CORE Generator program offers the designer a painless way to generate wider and deeper memory structures using multiple block SelectRAM instances. This program outputs VHDL or Verilog instantiation templates and simulation models, along with an EDIF file for inclusion in a design.

### Multiple RAM Organizations

The flexibility of block SelectRAM memories allows designs with various types of RAM in addition to regular configurations. Application notes at [www.xilinx.com](http://www.xilinx.com) describe some of these designs, with VHDL and Verilog reference designs included.

Virtex-II Pro block SelectRAM can be used as follows:

- Two independent single-port RAM resources
- One 72-bit single-port RAM resource
- One triple-port (1 Read/Write and 2 Read ports) RAM resource

Application notes with VHDL and Verilog reference designs at [www.xilinx.com](http://www.xilinx.com) also describe other implementations using block SelectRAM memory, such as:

- [XAPP258](#), *FIFOs Using Virtex-II Block RAM*
- [XAPP260](#), *Using Virtex-II Block RAM for High Performance Read/Write CAMs*

## VHDL and Verilog Templates

VHDL and Verilog templates are available for all single-port and dual-port primitives. The A and B numbers indicate the width of the ports.

The following are single-port templates:

- SelectRAM\_A1
- SelectRAM\_A2
- SelectRAM\_A4
- SelectRAM\_A9
- SelectRAM\_A18
- SelectRAM\_A36

The following are dual-port templates:

- SelectRAM\_A1\_B1
- SelectRAM\_A1\_B2
- SelectRAM\_A1\_B4
- SelectRAM\_A1\_B9
- SelectRAM\_A1\_B18
- SelectRAM\_A1\_B36
- SelectRAM\_A2\_B2
- SelectRAM\_A2\_B4
- SelectRAM\_A2\_B9
- SelectRAM\_A2\_B18
- SelectRAM\_A2\_B36
- SelectRAM\_A4\_B4

- SelectRAM\_A4\_B9
- SelectRAM\_A4\_B18
- SelectRAM\_A4\_B36
- SelectRAM\_A9\_B9
- SelectRAM\_A9\_B18
- SelectRAM\_A9\_B36
- SelectRAM\_A18\_B18
- SelectRAM\_A18\_B36
- SelectRAM\_A36\_B36

## VHDL Template

As an example, the `XC2V_RAMB_1_PORT.vhd` file uses the SelectRAM\_A36 template:

```
-- Module: XC2V_RAMB_1_PORT
-- Description: 18Kb Block SelectRAM example
-- Single Port 512 x 36 bits
-- Use template "SelectRAM_A36.vhd"
--
-- Device: Virtex-II Pro Family
-----
library IEEE;
use IEEE.std_logic_1164.all;
--
-- Syntax for Synopsys FPGA Express
-- pragma translate_off
library UNISIM;
use UNISIM.VCOMPONENTS.ALL;
-- pragma translate_on
--
entity XC2V_RAMB_1_PORT is
    port (
        DATA_IN : in std_logic_vector (35 downto 0);
        ADDRESS  : in std_logic_vector (8 downto 0);
        ENABLE   : in std_logic;
        WRITE_EN : in std_logic;
        SET_RESET : in std_logic;
        CLK      : in std_logic;
        DATA_OUT : out std_logic_vector (35 downto 0)
    );
end XC2V_RAMB_1_PORT;
--
architecture XC2V_RAMB_1_PORT_arch of XC2V_RAMB_1_PORT is
    --
    -- Components Declarations:
    --
    component BUFG
        port (
            I : in std_logic;
            O : out std_logic
        );
    end component;
    --
    -- Syntax for Synopsys FPGA Express
    component RAMB16_S36
        -- pragma translate_off
        generic (
            -- "Read during Write" attribute for functional simulation
            WRITE_MODE : string := "READ_FIRST" ; -- WRITE_FIRST(default)/
            READ_FIRST/ NO_CHANGE
        )
    end component;
end XC2V_RAMB_1_PORT_arch;
```

```
-- Output value after configuration
INIT : bit_vector(35 downto 0) := X"000000000";
-- Output value if SSR active
SRVAL : bit_vector(35 downto 0) := X"012345678";
-- Plus bits initial content
INITP_00 : bit_vector(255 downto 0) :=
X"0000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000FEDCBA9876543210";
INITP_01 : bit_vector(255 downto 0) :=
X"0000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000";
INITP_02 : bit_vector(255 downto 0) :=
X"0000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000";
INITP_03 : bit_vector(255 downto 0) :=
X"0000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000";
INITP_04 : bit_vector(255 downto 0) :=
X"0000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000";
INITP_05 : bit_vector(255 downto 0) :=
X"0000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000";
INITP_06 : bit_vector(255 downto 0) :=
X"0000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000";
INITP_07 : bit_vector(255 downto 0) :=
X"0000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000";
-- Regular bits initial content
INIT_00 : bit_vector(255 downto 0) :=
X"0000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000FEDCBA9876543210";
INIT_01 : bit_vector(255 downto 0) :=
X"0000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000";
INIT_02 : bit_vector(255 downto 0) :=
X"0000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000";
... (cut)
INIT_3E : bit_vector(255 downto 0) :=
X"0000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000";
INIT_3F : bit_vector(255 downto 0) :=
X"0000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000";
);
-- pragma translate_on
port (
    DI      : in std_logic_vector (31 downto 0);
    DIP     : in std_logic_vector (3 downto 0);
    ADDR    : in std_logic_vector (8 downto 0);
    EN      : in STD_LOGIC;
    WE      : in STD_LOGIC;
    SSR     : in STD_LOGIC;
    CLK     : in STD_LOGIC;
    DO      : out std_logic_vector (31 downto 0);
    DOP     : out std_logic_vector (3 downto 0)
);
end component;
--
-- Attribute Declarations:
attribute WRITE_MODE : string;
attribute INIT: string;
attribute SRVAL: string;
--
attribute INITP_00: string;
attribute INITP_01: string;
attribute INITP_02: string;
attribute INITP_03: string;
attribute INITP_04: string;
attribute INITP_05: string;
attribute INITP_06: string;
attribute INITP_07: string;
```

[illegible]

```

    );
--
-- Use of the free inverter on SSR pin
INV_SET_RESET <= NOT SET_RESET;

-- Block SelectRAM Instantiation
U_RAMB16_S36: RAMB16_S36
    port map (
        DI      => DATA_IN (31 downto 0), -- insert 32 bits data-in bus
        (<31 downto 0>)
        DIP      => DATA_IN (35 downto 32), -- insert 4 bits parity data-
in bus (or <35 downto 32>)
        ADDR     => ADDRESS (8 downto 0), -- insert 9 bits address bus
        EN        => ENABLE, -- insert enable signal
        WE        => WRITE_EN, -- insert write enable signal
        SSR       => INV_SET_RESET, -- insert set/reset signal
        CLK       => CLK_BUFG, -- insert clock signal
        DO        => DATA_OUT (31 downto 0), -- insert 32 bits data-out bus
        (<31 downto 0>)
        DOP       => DATA_OUT (35 downto 32) -- insert 4 bits parity data-
out bus (or <35 downto 32>)
    );
--
end XC2V_RAMB_1_PORT_arch;
-----

```

## Verilog Template

```

// Module: XC2V_RAMB_1_PORT
// Description: 18Kb Block SelectRAM-II example
// Single Port 512 x 36 bits
// Use template "SelectRAM_A36.v"
//
// Device: Virtex-II Pro Family
//-----

module XC2V_RAMB_1_PORT (CLK, SET_RESET, ENABLE, WRITE_EN, ADDRESS,
DATA_IN, DATA_OUT);

input CLK, SET_RESET, ENABLE, WRITE_EN;
input [35:0] DATA_IN;
input [8:0] ADDRESS;
output [35:0] DATA_OUT;

wire CLK_BUFG, INV_SET_RESET;

//Use of the free inverter on SSR pin
assign INV_SET_RESET = ~SET_RESET;

// initialize block ram for simulation
// synopsys translate_off
defparam
    // "Read during Write" attribute for functional simulation
    U_RAMB16_S36.WRITE_MODE = "READ_FIRST", //WRITE_FIRST(default)/
READ_FIRST/ NO_CHANGE
    //Output value after configuration
    U_RAMB16_S36.INIT = 36'h000000000,
    //Output value if SSR active
    U_RAMB16_S36.SRVAL = 36'h012345678,

```

[illegible]

```

        INITP_04
        "0000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000"
        INITP_05
        "0000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000"
        INITP_06
        "0000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000"
        INITP_07
        "0000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000"

        INIT_00
        "0123456789ABCDEF00000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000"
        INIT_01
        "0000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000"
        INIT_02
        "0000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000"
        ...<cut>
        INIT_3E
        "0000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000"
        INIT_3F
        "0000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000"
        */

endmodule

```

## Distributed SelectRAM Memory

### Introduction

In addition to 18Kb SelectRAM blocks, Virtex-II Pro devices feature distributed SelectRAM modules. Each function generator or LUT of a CLB resource can implement a 16 x 1-bit synchronous RAM resource. Distributed SelectRAM memory writes synchronously and reads asynchronously. However, a synchronous read can be implemented using the register that is available in the same slice. This 16 x 1-bit RAM is cascadable for a deeper and/or wider memory implementation, with a minimal timing penalty incurred through specialized logic resources.

Distributed SelectRAM modules up to a size of 128 x 1 are available as primitives. Two 16 x 1 RAM resources can be combined to form a dual-port 16 x 1 RAM with one dedicated read/write port and a second read-only port. One port writes into both 16 x 1 RAMs simultaneously, but the second port reads independently.

This section provides generic VHDL and Verilog reference code examples implementing *n*-bit-wide single-port and dual-port distributed SelectRAM memory.

Distributed SelectRAM memory enables many high-speed applications that require relatively small embedded RAM blocks, such as FIFOs, which are close to the logic that uses them.

Virtex-II Pro Distributed SelectRAM memories can be generated using the CORE Generator Distributed Memory module (V2.0 or later). The user can also generate Distributed RAM-based Asynchronous and Synchronous FIFOs using the CORE Generator.

### Single-Port and Dual-Port RAM

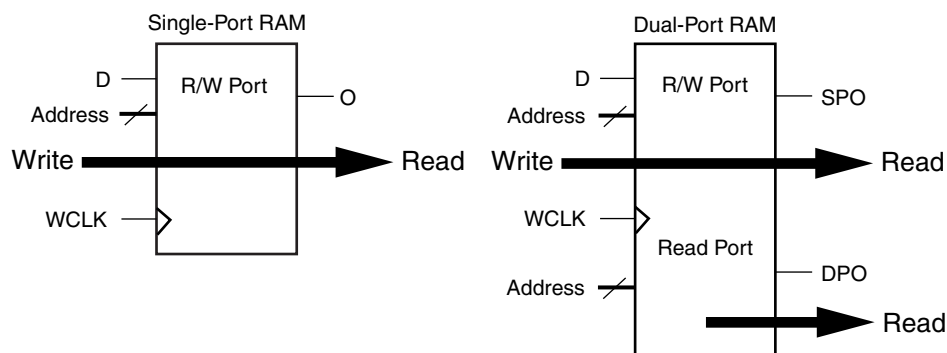
#### Data Flow

Distributed SelectRAM memory supports the following:

- Single-port RAM with synchronous write and asynchronous read
- Dual-port RAM with one synchronous write and two asynchronous read ports



As illustrated in the [Figure 2-49](#), the dual port has one read/write port and an independent read port.



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**Figure 2-49: Single-Port and Dual-Port Distributed SelectRAM**

Any read/write operation can occur simultaneously with and independently of a read operation on the other port.

## Write Operations

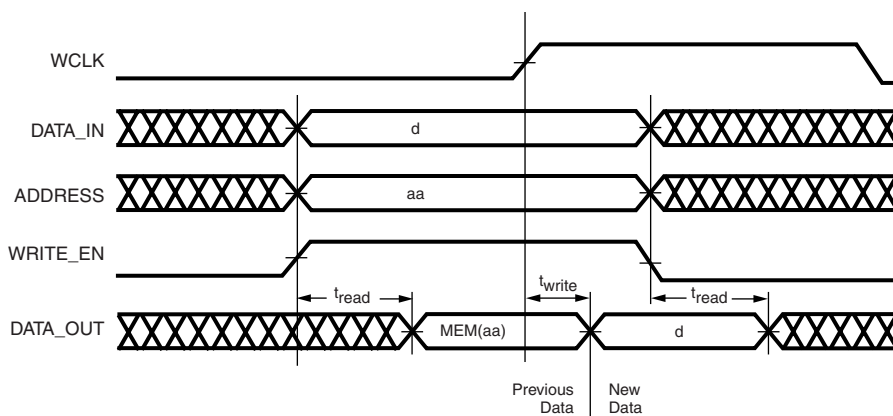
The write operation is a single clock-edge operation, with a write enable that is active High by default. When the write enable is Low, no data is written into the RAM. When the write enable is High, the clock edge latches the write address and writes the data on D into the RAM.

## Read Operation

The read operation is a combinatorial operation. The address port (single or dual port) is asynchronous with an access time equivalent to the logic delay.

## Read During Write

When new data is synchronously written, the output reflects the data in the memory cell addressed (transparent mode). The timing diagram in [Figure 2-50](#) illustrates a write operation, with the previous data read on the output port, before the clock edge and then the new data.



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**Figure 2-50: Write Timing Diagram**

## Characteristics

- A write operation requires only one clock edge.
- A read operation requires only the logic access time.
- Outputs are asynchronous and dependent only on the logic delay.
- Data and address inputs are latched with the write clock and have a setup-to-clock timing specification. There is no hold time requirement.
- For dual-port RAM, one address is the write and read address, the other address is an independent read address.

## Library Primitives

Seven library primitives from 16 x 1-bit to 128 x 1-bit are available. Four primitives are single-port RAM and three primitives are True Dual-Port RAM, as shown in Table 2-15.

Table 2-15: Single-Port and Dual-Port Distributed SelectRAM

Primitive	RAM Size	Type	Address Inputs
RAM16X1S	16 bits	single-port	A3, A2, A1, A0
RAM32X1S	32 bits	single-port	A4, A3, A2, A1, A0
RAM64X1S	64 bits	single-port	A5, A4, A3, A2, A1, A0
RAM128X1S	128 bits	single-port	A6, A5, A4, A3, A2, A1, A0
RAM16X1D	16 bits	dual-port	A3, A2, A1, A0
RAM32X1D	32 bits	dual-port	A4, A3, A2, A1, A0
RAM64X1D	64 bits	dual-port	A5, A4, A3, A2, A1, A0

The input and output data are 1-bit wide. However, several distributed SelectRAM memories can be used to implement wide memory blocks.

Figure 2-51 shows generic single-port and dual-port distributed SelectRAM primitives. The A and DPRA signals are address buses.

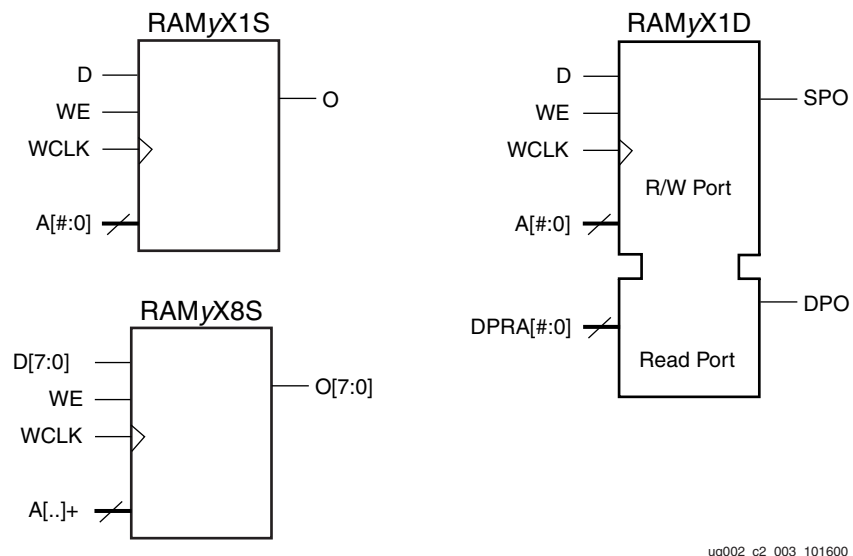


Figure 2-51: Single-Port and Dual-Port Distributed SelectRAM Primitive

As shown in [Table 2-16](#), wider library primitives are available for 2-bit, 4-bit, and 8-bit RAM.

**Table 2-16: Wider Library Primitives**

Primitive	RAM Size	Data Inputs	Address Inputs	Data Outputs
RAM16x2S	16 x 2-bit	D1, D0	A3, A2, A1, A0	O1, O0
RAM32X2S	32 x 2-bit	D1, D0	A4, A3, A2, A1, A0	O1, O0
RAM64X2S	64 x 2-bit	D1, D0	A5, A4, A3, A2, A1, A0	O1, O0
RAM16X4S	16 x 4-bit	D3, D2, D1, D0	A3, A2, A1, A0	O3, O2, O1, O0
RAM32X4S	32 x 4-bit	D3, D2, D1, D0	A4,A3, A2, A1, A0	O3, O2, O1, O0
RAM16X8S	16 x 8-bit	D <7:0>	A3, A2, A1, A0	O <7:0>
RAM32X8S	32 x 8-bit	D <7:0>	A4,A3, A2, A1, A0	O <7:0>

## VHDL and Verilog Instantiation

VHDL and Verilog instantiations templates are available as examples (see "[VHDL and Verilog Templates](#)" on page 225).

In VHDL, each template has a component declaration section and an architecture section. Each part of the template should be inserted within the VHDL design file. The port map of the architecture section should include the design signal names.

The SelectRAM\_xS templates (with  $x = 16, 32, 64$ , or  $128$ ) are single-port modules and instantiate the corresponding RAMxX1S primitive.

SelectRAM\_xD templates (with  $x = 16, 32$ , or  $64$ ) are dual-port modules and instantiate the corresponding RAMxX1D primitive.

## Ports Signals

Each distributed SelectRAM port operates independently of the other while reading the same set of memory cells.

### Clock - WCLK

The clock is used for the synchronous write. The data and the address input pins have setup time referenced to the WCLK pin.

### Enable - WE

The enable pin affects the write functionality of the port. An inactive Write Enable prevents any writing to memory cells. An active Write Enable causes the clock edge to write the data input signal to the memory location pointed to by the address inputs.

### Address - A0, A1, A2, A3 (A4, A5, A6)

The address inputs select the memory cells for read or write. The width of the port determines the required address inputs. Note that the address inputs are not a bus in VHDL or Verilog instantiations.

### Data In - D

The data input provides the new data value to be written into the RAM.

### Data Out - O, SPO, and DPO

The data out O (Single-Port or SPO) and DPO (Dual-Port) reflects the contents of the memory cells referenced by the address inputs. Following an active write clock edge, the data out (O or SPO) reflects the newly written data.

### Inverting Control Pins

The two control pins (WCLK and WE) each have an individual inversion option. Any control signal, including the clock, can be active at 0 (negative edge for the clock) or at 1 (positive edge for the clock) without requiring other logic resources.

### GSR

The global set/reset (GSR) signal does not affect distributed SelectRAM modules.

## Attributes

### Content Initialization - INIT

With the INIT attributes, users can define the initial memory contents after configuration. By default distributed SelectRAM memory is initialized with all zeros during the device configuration sequence. The initialization attribute INIT represents the specified memory contents. Each INIT is a hex-encoded bit vector. Table 2-17 shows the length of the INIT attribute for each primitive.

Table 2-17: INIT Attributes Length

Primitive	Template	INIT Attribute Length
RAM16X1S	SelectRAM_16S	4 digits
RAM32X1S	SelectRAM_32S	8 digits
RAM64X1S	SelectRAM_64S	16 digits
RAM128X1S	SelectRAM_128S	32 digits
RAM16X1D	SelectRAM_16S	4 digits
RAM32X1D	SelectRAM_32S	8 digits
RAM64X1D	SelectRAM_64S	16 digits

## Initialization in VHDL or Verilog Codes

Distributed SelectRAM memory structures can be initialized in VHDL or Verilog code for both synthesis and simulation. For synthesis, the attributes are attached to the distributed SelectRAM instantiation and are copied in the EDIF output file to be compiled by Xilinx Alliance Series™ tools. The VHDL code simulation uses a `generic` parameter to pass the attributes. The Verilog code simulation uses a `defparam` parameter to pass the attributes. The distributed SelectRAM instantiation templates (in VHDL and Verilog) illustrate these techniques (see "VHDL and Verilog Templates" on page 225).

## Location Constraints

The CLB has four slices S0, S1, S2 and S3. As an example, in the bottom left CLB, the slices have the coordinates shown below:

Slice S3	Slice S2	Slice S1	Slice S0
X1Y1	X1Y0	X0Y1	X0Y0

Distributed SelectRAM instances can have LOC properties attached to them to constrain placement. The RAM16X1S primitive fits in any LUT of slices S0 or S1.

For example, the instance `U_RAM16` is placed in slice X0Y0 with the following LOC properties:

```
INST "U_RAM16" LOC = "SLICE_X0Y0";
```

The RAM16X1D primitive occupies half of two slices, as shown in Figure 2-52. The first slice (output SPO) implements the read/write port with the same address `A[3:0]` for read and write. The second slice implements the second read port with the address `DPRA[3:0]` and is written simultaneously with the first slice to the address `A[3:0]`.

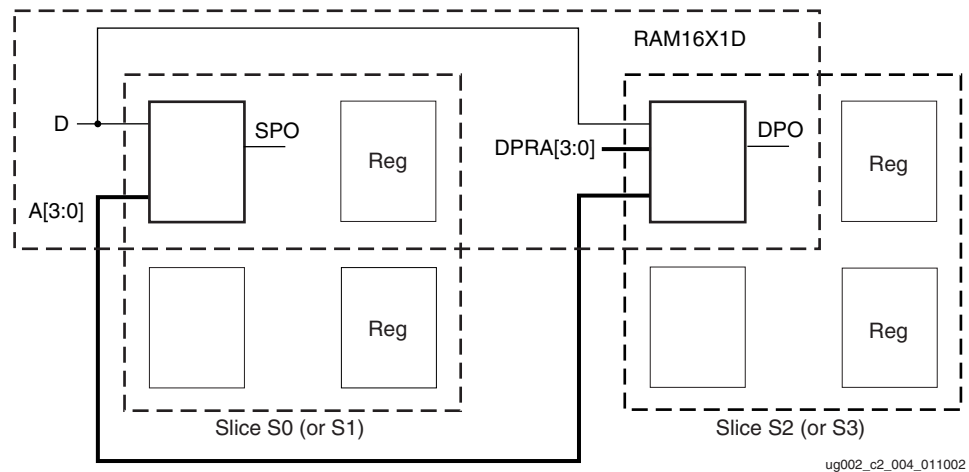


Figure 2-52: RAM16X1D Placement

In the same CLB module, the dual-port RAM16X1D either occupies half of slices S0 (X0Y0) and S2 (X1Y0), or half of slices S1 (X0Y1) and S3 (X1Y1).

If a dual-port 16 x 2-bit module is built, the two RAM16X1D primitives occupy two slices, as long as they share the same clock and write enable, as illustrated in Figure 2-53.

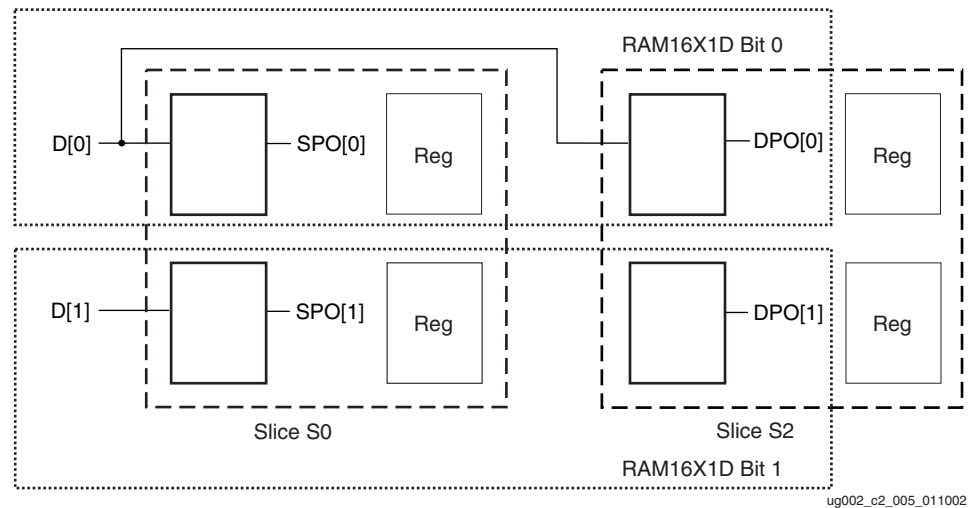


Figure 2-53: Two RAM16X1D Placement

A RAM32X1S primitive fits in one slice, as shown in Figure 2-54.

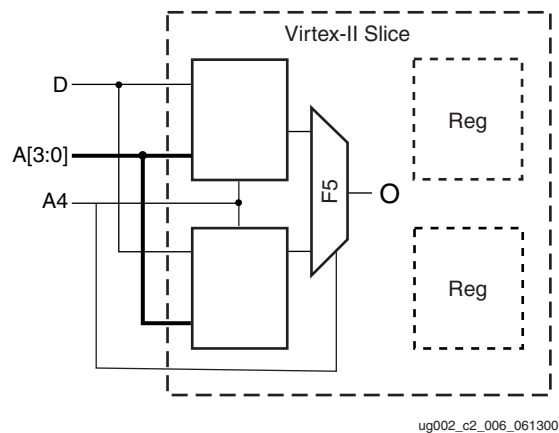


Figure 2-54: RAM32X1S Placement

Following the same rules, a RAM32X1D primitive fits in two slices, with one slice implementing the read/write port and the second slice implementing the second read port.

The RAM64X1S primitive occupies two slices and the RAM64X1D primitive occupies four slices (one CLB element), with two slices implementing the read/write port and two other slices implementing the second read port. The RAM64X1S read path is built on the MUXF5 and MUXF6 multiplexers.

The RAM128X1S primitive occupies four slices, equivalent to one CLB element.

Distributed SelectRAM placement locations use the slice location naming convention, allowing LOC properties to transfer easily from array to array.

## Applications

### Creating Larger RAM Structures

The memory compiler program generates wider and/or deeper memory structures using distributed SelectRAM instances. Along with an EDIF file for inclusion in a design, this program produces VHDL and Verilog instantiation templates and simulation models.

**Table 2-18** shows the generic VHDL and Verilog distributed SelectRAM examples provided to implement  $n$ -bit-wide memories.

**Table 2-18: VHDL and Verilog Submodules**

Submodules	Primitive	Size	Type
XC2V_RAM16XN_S_SUBM	RAM16X1S	16 words x $n$ -bit	single-port
XC2V_RAM32XN_S_SUBM	RAM32X1S	32 words x $n$ -bit	single-port
XC2V_RAM64XN_S_SUBM	RAM64X1S	64 words x $n$ -bit	single-port
XC2V_RAM128XN_S_SUBM	RAM128X1S	128 words x $n$ -bit	single-port
XC2V_RAM16XN_D_SUBM	RAM16X1D	16 words x $n$ -bit	dual-port
XC2V_RAM32XN_D_SUBM	RAM32X1D	32 words x $n$ -bit	dual-port
XC2V_RAM64XN_D_SUBM	RAM64X1D	64 words x $n$ -bit	dual-port

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By using the read/write port for the write address and the second read port for the read address, a FIFO that can read and write simultaneously is easily generated. Simultaneous access doubles the effective throughput of the memory.

### VHDL and Verilog Templates

VHDL and Verilog templates are available for all single-port and dual-port primitives. The number in each template indicates the number of bits (for example, SelectRAM\_16S is the template for the 16 x 1-bit RAM); S indicates single-port, and D indicates dual-port.

In VHDL, each template has a component declaration section and an architecture section. Each part of the template should be inserted within the VHDL design file. The port map of the architecture section should include the design signal names.

The following are single-port templates:

- SelectRAM\_16S
- SelectRAM\_32S
- SelectRAM\_64S
- SelectRAM\_128S

The following are dual-port templates:

- SelectRAM\_16D
- SelectRAM\_32D
- SelectRAM\_64D

Templates for the SelectRAM\_16S module are provided in VHDL and Verilog code as examples.

## VHDL Template

```
--
-- Module: SelectRAM_16S
--
-- Description: VHDL instantiation template
--              Distributed SelectRAM
--              Single Port 16 x 1
--              can be used also for RAM16X1S_1
--
-- Device: Virtex-II Pro Family
--
-----
--
-- Components Declarations:
--
component RAM16X1S
-- pragma translate_off
  generic (
-- RAM initialization ("0" by default) for functional simulation:
    INIT : bit_vector := X"0000"
  );
-- pragma translate_on
  port (
    D      : in std_logic;
    WE      : in std_logic;
    WCLK    : in std_logic;
    A0      : in std_logic;
    A1      : in std_logic;
    A2      : in std_logic;
    A3      : in std_logic;
    O       : out std_logic
  );
end component;
--
-----
--
-- Architecture section:
--
-- Attributes for RAM initialization ("0" by default):
attribute INIT: string;
--
attribute INIT of U_RAM16X1S: label is "0000";
--
-- Distributed SelectRAM Instantiation
U_RAM16X1S: RAM16X1S
  port map (
    D      => , -- insert input signal
    WE      => , -- insert Write Enable signal
    WCLK    => , -- insert Write Clock signal
    A0      => , -- insert Address 0 signal
    A1      => , -- insert Address 1 signal
    A2      => , -- insert Address 2 signal
    A3      => , -- insert Address 3 signal
    O       => -- insert output signal
  );
--
-----
```



## Verilog Template

```
//
// Module: SelectRAM_16S
//
// Description: Verilog instantiation template
//              Distributed SelectRAM
//              Single Port 16 x 1
//              can be used also for RAM16X1S_1
//
// Device: Virtex-II Pro Family
//
//-----
//
//
// Syntax for Synopsys FPGA Express
// synopsys translate_off

defparam

    //RAM initialization ("0" by default) for functional simulation:
    U_RAM16X1S.INIT = 16'h0000;
// synopsys translate_on

//Distributed SelectRAM Instantiation
RAM16X1S U_RAM16X1S ( .D(),          // insert input signal
                      .WE(),          // insert Write Enable signal
                      .WCLK(),        // insert Write Clock signal
                      .A0(),          // insert Address 0 signal
                      .A1(),          // insert Address 1 signal
                      .A2(),          // insert Address 2 signal
                      .A3(),          // insert Address 3 signal
                      .O(),           // insert output signal
                      );

// synthesis attribute declarations
/* synopsys attribute

INIT "0000"
*/
```

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## Look-Up Tables as Shift Registers (SRLs)

### Introduction

Virtex-II Pro can configure any look-up table (LUT) as a 16-bit shift register without using the flip-flops available in each slice. Shift-in operations are synchronous with the clock, and output length is dynamically selectable. A separate dedicated output allows the cascading of any number of 16-bit shift registers to create whatever size shift register is needed. Each CLB resource can be configured using the 8 LUTs as a 128-bit shift register.

This section provides generic VHDL and Verilog submodules and reference code examples for implementing from 16-bit up to 128-bit shift registers. These submodules are built from 16-bit shift-register primitives and from dedicated MUXF5, MUXF6, MUXF7, and MUXF8 multiplexers.

These shift registers enable the development of efficient designs for applications that require delay or latency compensation. Shift registers are also useful in synchronous FIFO and content-addressable memory (CAM) designs. To quickly generate a Virtex-II Pro shift

register without using flip-flops (i.e., using the SRL16 element(s)), use the CORE Generator RAM-based Shift Register module.

## Shift Register Operations

### Data Flow

Each shift register (SRL16 primitive) supports:

- Synchronous shift-in
- Asynchronous 1-bit output when the address is changed dynamically
- Synchronous shift-out when the address is fixed

In addition, cascadable shift registers (SRLC16) support synchronous shift-out output of the last (16th) bit. This output has a dedicated connection to the input of the next SRLC16 inside the CLB resource. Two primitives are illustrated in [Figure 2-55](#).

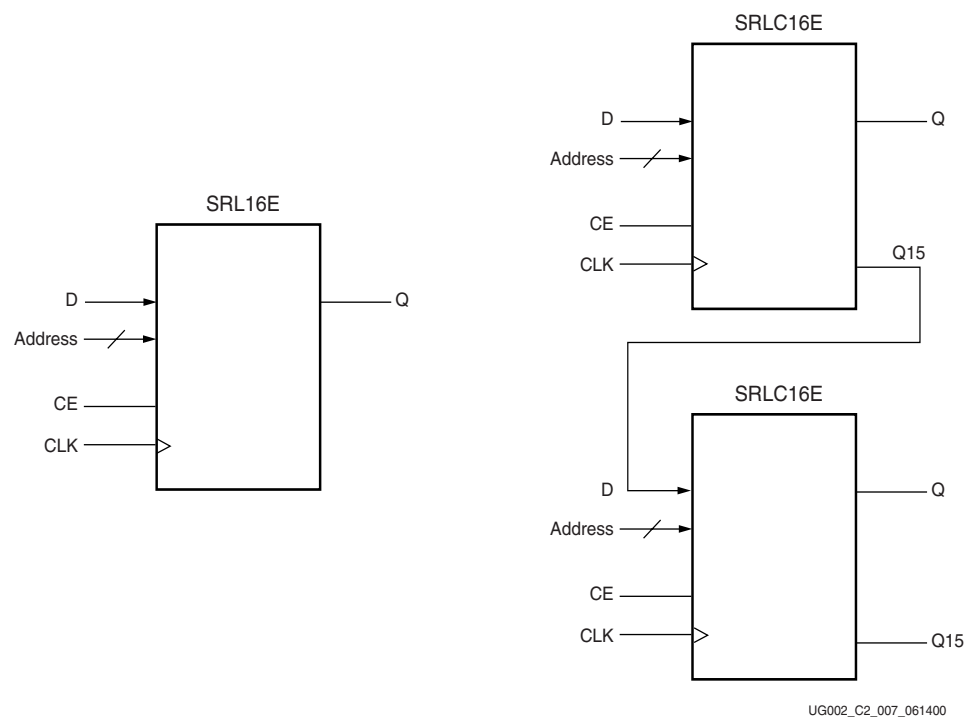


Figure 2-55: Shift Register and Cascadable Shift Register

### Shift Operation

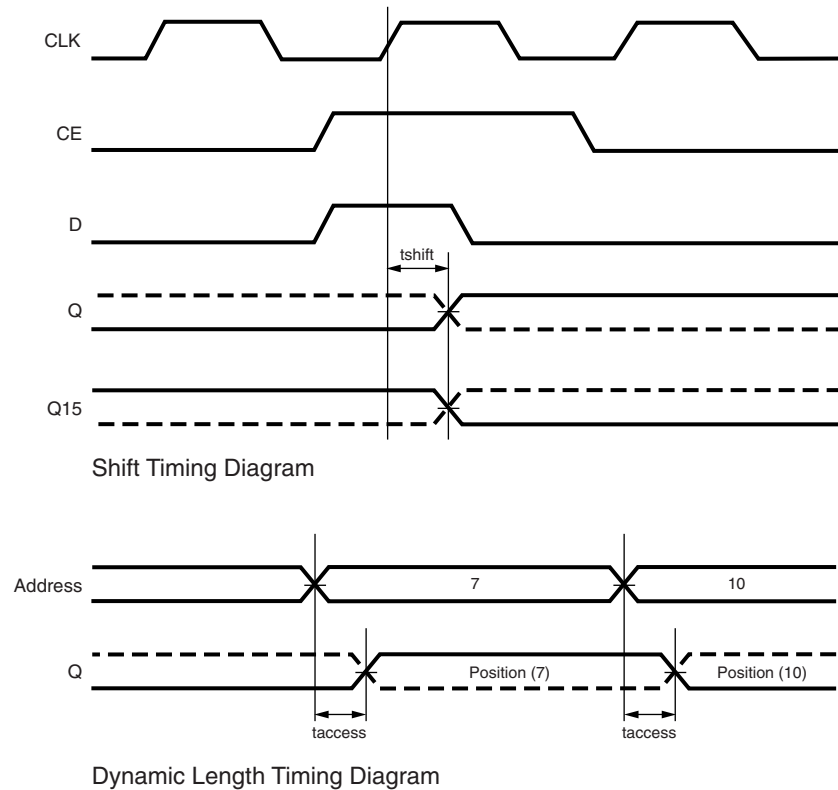
The shift operation is a single clock-edge operation, with an active High clock enable feature. When enable is High, the input (D) is loaded into the first bit of the shift register, and each bit is shifted to the next highest bit position. In a cascadable shift register configuration (such as SRLC16), the last bit is shifted out on the Q15 output.

The bit selected by the 4-bit address appears on the Q output.

### Dynamic Read Operation

The Q output is determined by the 4-bit address. Each time a new address is applied to the 4-input address pins, the new bit position value is available on the Q output after the time delay to access the LUT. This operation is asynchronous and independent of the clock and clock enable signals.

Figure 2-56 illustrates the shift and dynamic read operations.



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Figure 2-56: Shift- and Dynamic-Length Timing Diagrams

## Static Read Operation

If the 4-bit address is fixed, the Q output always uses the same bit position. This mode implements any shift register length up to 16 bits in one LUT. Shift register length is  $(N+1)$  where N is the input address.

The Q output changes synchronously with each shift operation. The previous bit is shifted to the next position and appears on the Q output.

## Characteristics

- A shift operation requires one clock edge.
- Dynamic-length read operations are asynchronous (Q output).
- Static-length read operations are synchronous (Q output).
- The data input has a setup-to-clock timing specification.
- In a cascaded configuration, the Q15 output always contains the last bit value.
- The Q15 output changes synchronously after each shift operation.

## Library Primitives and Submodules

Eight library primitives are available that offer optional clock enable (CE), inverted clock ( $\overline{\text{CLK}}$ ) and cascaded output (Q15) combinations.

Table 2-19 lists all of the available primitives for synthesis and simulation.

Table 2-19: Shift Register Primitives

Primitive	Length	Control	Address Inputs	Output
SRL16	16 bits	CLK	A3,A2,A1,A0	Q
SRL16E	16 bits	CLK, CE	A3,A2,A1,A0	Q
SRL16_1	16 bits	$\overline{\text{CLK}}$	A3,A2,A1,A0	Q
SRL16E_1	16 bits	$\overline{\text{CLK}}$ , CE	A3,A2,A1,A0	Q
SRLC16	16 bits	CLK	A3,A2,A1,A0	Q, Q15
SRLC16E	16 bits	CLK, CE	A3,A2,A1,A0	Q, Q15
SRLC16_1	16 bits	$\overline{\text{CLK}}$	A3,A2,A1,A0	Q, Q15
SRLC16E_1	16 bits	$\overline{\text{CLK}}$ , CE	A3,A2,A1,A0	Q, Q15

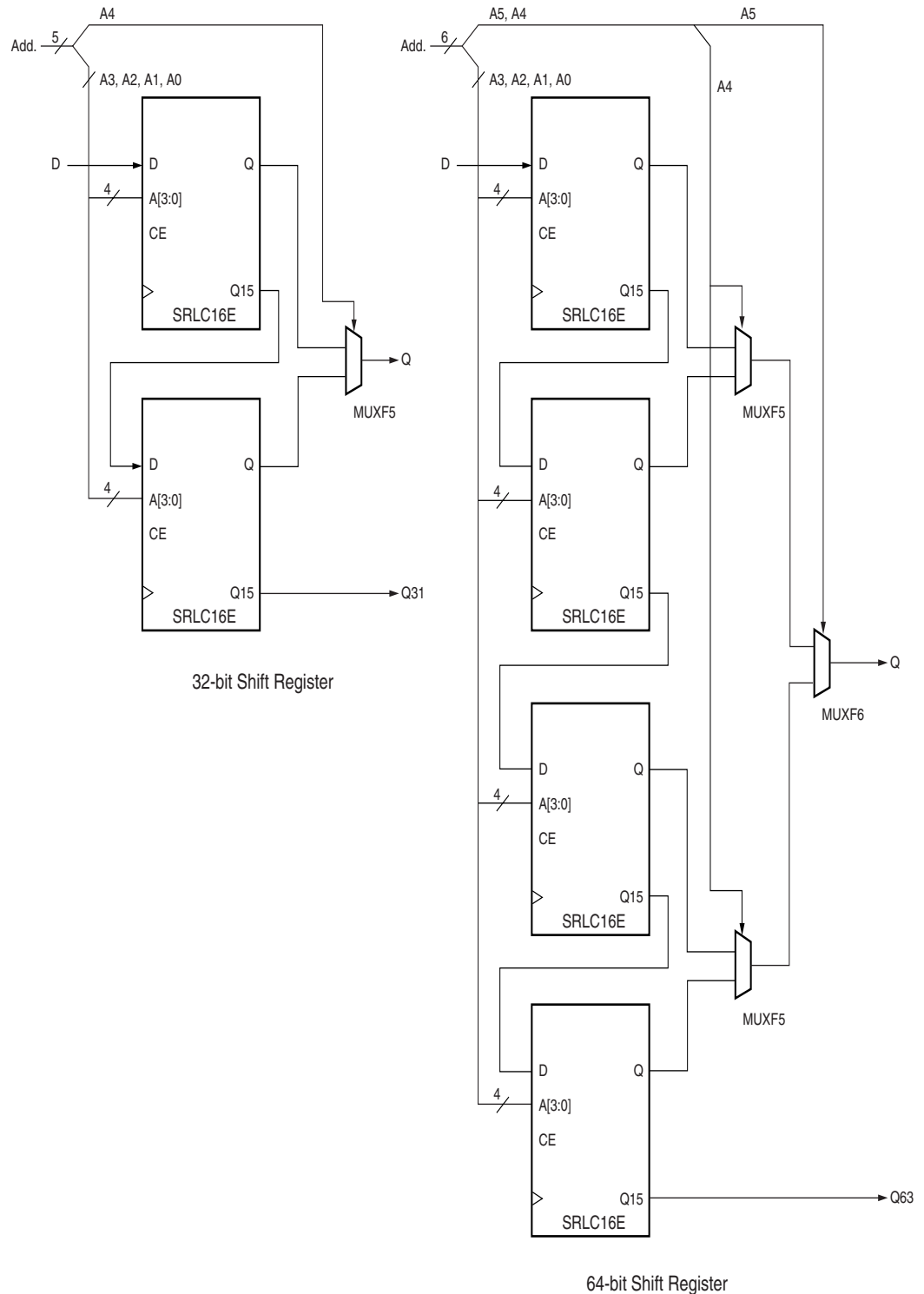
In addition to the 16-bit primitives, three submodules that implement 32-bit, 64-bit, and 128-bit cascadable shift registers are provided in VHDL and Verilog code. Table 2-20 lists available submodules.

Table 2-20: Shift Register Submodules

Submodule	Length	Control	Address Inputs	Output
SRLC32E_SUBM	32 bits	CLK, CE	A4,A3,A2,A1,A0	Q, Q31
SRLC64E_SUBM	64 bits	CLK, CE	A5, A4, A3,A2,A1,A0	Q, Q63
SRLC128E_SUBM	128 bits	CLK, CE	A6, A5, A4, A3,A2,A1,A0	Q, Q127

The submodules are based on SRLC16E primitives, which are associated with dedicated multiplexers (MUXF5, MUXF6, and so forth). This implementation allows a fast static- and dynamic-length mode, even for very large shift registers.

Figure 2-57 represents the cascadable shift registers (32-bit and 64-bit) implemented by the submodules in Table 2-20.



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**Figure 2-57: Shift-Register Submodules (32-bit, 64-bit)**

A 128-bit shift register is built on the same scheme and uses MUXF7 (address input A6). All clock enable (CE) and clock (CLK) inputs are connected to one global clock enable and one clock signal per submodule. If a global static- or dynamic-length mode is not required, the SRLC16E primitive can be cascaded without multiplexers.

## Initialization in VHDL and Verilog Code

A shift register can be initialized in VHDL or Verilog code for both synthesis and simulation. For synthesis, the attribute is attached to the 16-bit shift register instantiation and is copied in the EDIF output file to be compiled by Xilinx Alliance Series tools. The VHDL code simulation uses a `generic` parameter to pass the attributes. The Verilog code simulation uses a `defparam` parameter to pass the attributes.

The V2\_SRL16E shift register instantiation code examples (in VHDL and Verilog) illustrate these techniques (see "[VHDL and Verilog Templates](#)" on page 236). V2\_SRL16E.vhd and .v files are not a part of the documentation.

## Port Signals

### Clock - CLK

Either the rising edge or the falling edge of the clock is used for the synchronous shift-in. The data and clock enable input pins have set-up times referenced to the chosen edge of CLK.

### Data In - D

The data input provides new data (one bit) to be shifted into the shift register.

### Clock Enable - CE (optional)

The clock enable pin affects shift functionality. An inactive clock enable pin does not shift data into the shift register and does not write new data. Activating the clock enable allows the data in (D) to be written to the first location and all data to be shifted by one location. When available, new data appears on output pins (Q) and the cascadable output pin (Q15).

### Address - A0, A1, A2, A3

Address inputs select the bit (range 0 to 15) to be read. The  $n^{\text{th}}$  bit is available on the output pin (Q). Address inputs have no effect on the cascadable output pin (Q15), which is always the last bit of the shift register (bit 15).

### Data Out - Q

The data output Q provides the data value (1 bit) selected by the address inputs.

### Data Out - Q15 (optional)

The data output Q15 provides the last bit value of the 16-bit shift register. New data becomes available after each shift-in operation.

### Inverting Control Pins

The two control pins (CLK, CE) have an individual inversion option. The default is the rising clock edge and active High clock enable.

### GSR

The global set/reset (GSR) signal has no impact on shift registers.

## Attributes

### Content Initialization - INIT

The INIT attribute defines the initial shift register contents. The INIT attribute is a hex-encoded bit vector with four digits (0000). The left-most hexadecimal digit is the most significant bit. By default the shift register is initialized with all zeros during the device configuration sequence, but any other configuration value can be specified.

## Location Constraints

Each CLB resource has four slices: S0, S1, S2, and S3. As an example, in the bottom left CLB resource, each slice has the coordinates shown in [Table 2-21](#).

**Table 2-21: Slice Coordinates in the Bottom-Left CLB Resource**

Slice S3	Slice S2	Slice S1	Slice S0
X1Y1	X1Y0	X0Y1	X0Y0

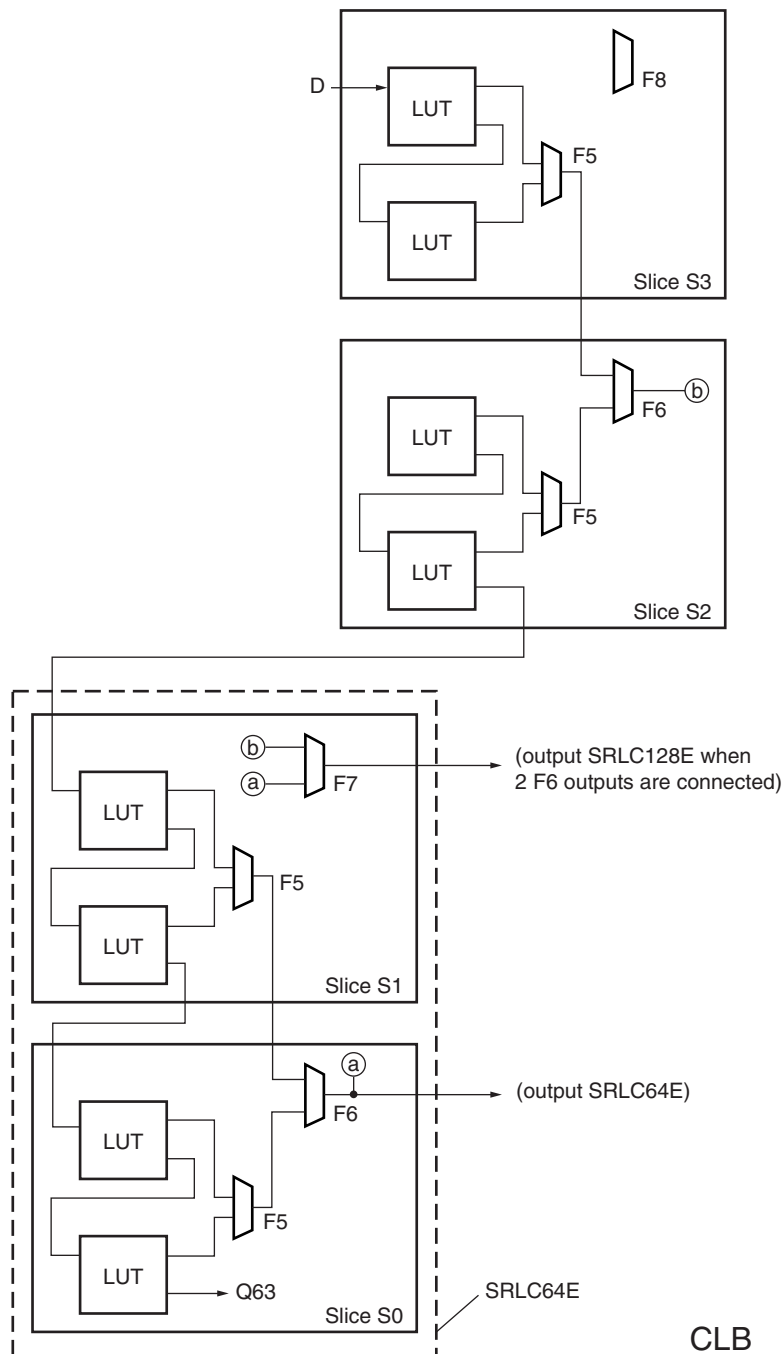
To constrain placement, shift register instances can have LOC properties attached to them. Each 16-bit shift register fits in one LUT.

A 32-bit shift register in static or dynamic address mode fits in one slice (two LUTs and one MUXF5). This shift register can be placed in any slice.

A 64-bit shift register in static or dynamic address mode fits in two slices. These slices are either S0 and S1, or S2 and S3. [Figure 2-58](#) illustrates the position of the four slices in a CLB resource.

The dedicated CLB shift chain runs from the top slice to the bottom slice. The data input pin must either be in slice S1 or in S3. The address selected as the output pin (Q) is the MUXF6 output.

A 128-bit shift register in static or dynamic address mode fits in a four-slice CLB resource. The data input pin has to be in slice S3. The address selected as the output pin (Q) is the MUXF7 output.



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Figure 2-58: Shift Register Placement

## Fully Synchronous Shift Registers

All shift-register primitives and submodules do not use the register(s) available in the same slice(s). To implement a fully synchronous read and write shift register, output pin Q must be connected to a flip-flop. Both the shift register and the flip-flop share the same clock, as shown in Figure 2-59.



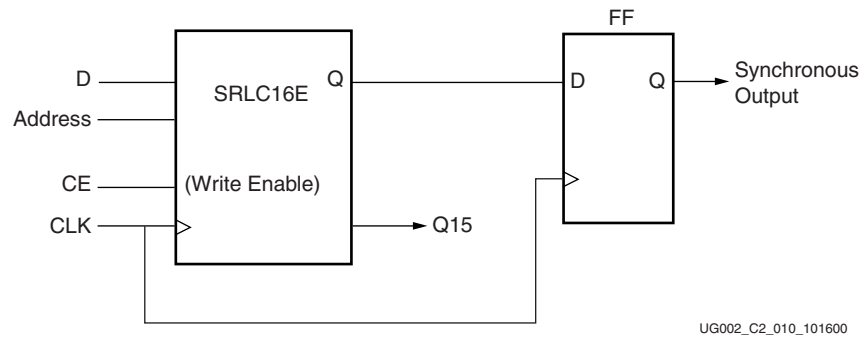


Figure 2-59: Fully Synchronous Shift Register

This configuration provides a better timing solution and simplifies the design. Because the flip-flop must be considered to be the last register in the shift-register chain, the static or dynamic address should point to the desired length minus one. If needed, the cascaded output can also be registered in a flip-flop.

## Static-Length Shift Registers

The cascaded 16-bit shift register implements any static length mode shift register without the dedicated multiplexers (MUXF5, MUXF6,...). Figure 2-60 illustrates a 40-bit shift register. Only the last SRLC16E primitive needs to have its address inputs tied to "0111". Alternatively, shift register length can be limited to 39 bits (address tied to "0110") and a flip-flop can be used as the last register. (In an SRLC16E primitive, the shift register length is the address input + 1.)

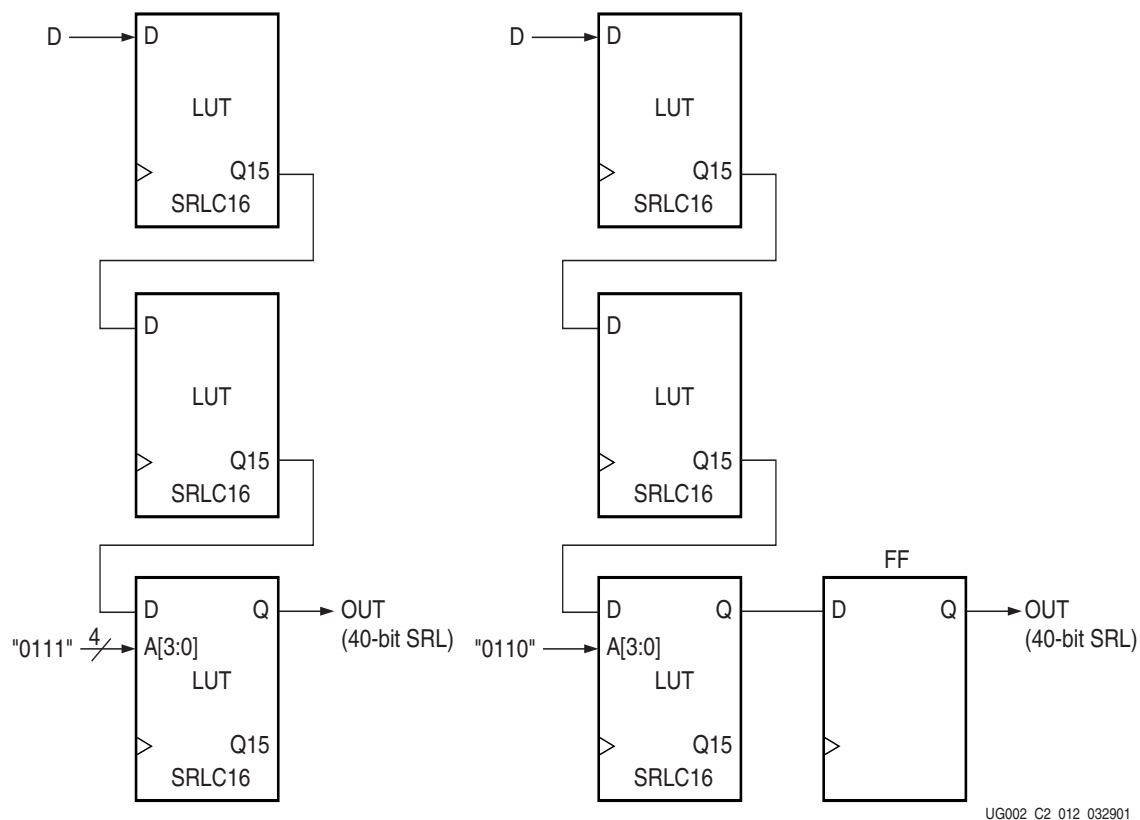


Figure 2-60: 40-bit Static-Length Shift Register

## VHDL and Verilog Instantiation

VHDL and Verilog instantiation templates are available for all primitives and submodules.

In VHDL, each template has a component declaration section and an architecture section. Each part of the template should be inserted within the VHDL design file. The port map of the architecture section should include the design signal names.

The ShiftRegister\_C\_x (with x = 16, 32, 64, 128, or 256) templates are cascadable modules and instantiate the corresponding SRLCxE primitive (16) or submodule (32, 64, 128, or 256).

The ShiftRegister\_16 template can be used to instantiate an SRL16 primitive.

## VHDL and Verilog Templates

In template names, the number indicates the number of bits (for example, SHIFT\_REGISTER\_16 is the template for the 16-bit shift register) and the "C" extension means the template is cascadable.

The following are templates for primitives:

- SHIFT\_REGISTER\_16
- SHIFT\_REGISTER\_16\_C

The following are templates for submodules:

- SHIFT\_REGISTER\_32\_C (submodule: SRLC32E\_SUBM)
- SHIFT\_REGISTER\_64\_C (submodule: SRLC64E\_SUBM)
- SHIFT\_REGISTER\_128\_C (submodule: SRLC128E\_SUBM)

The corresponding submodules have to be synthesized with the design.

Templates for the SHIFT\_REGISTER\_16\_C module are provided in VHDL and Verilog code as an example.

### VHDL Template:

```
-- Module: SHIFT_REGISTER_C_16
-- Description: VHDL instantiation template
-- CASCADABLE 16-bit shift register with enable (SRLC16E)
-- Device: Virtex-II Pro Family
-----
-- Components Declarations:
--
component SRLC16E
-- pragma translate_off
generic (
-- Shift Register initialization ("0" by default) for functional
simulation:
INIT : bit_vector := X"0000"
);
-- pragma translate_on
port (
D : in std_logic;
CE : in std_logic;
CLK : in std_logic;
A0 : in std_logic;
A1 : in std_logic;
A2 : in std_logic;
A3 : in std_logic;
Q : out std_logic;
Q15 : out std_logic
);
end component;
-- Architecture Section:
```

```
--
-- Attributes for Shift Register initialization ("0" by default):
attribute INIT: string;
--
attribute INIT of U_SRLC16E: label is "0000";
--
-- ShiftRegister Instantiation
U_SRLC16E: SRLC16E
  port map (
    D      => , -- insert input signal
    CE     => , -- insert Clock Enable signal (optional)
    CLK    => , -- insert Clock signal
    A0     => , -- insert Address 0 signal
    A1     => , -- insert Address 1 signal
    A2     => , -- insert Address 2 signal
    A3     => , -- insert Address 3 signal
    Q      => , -- insert output signal
    Q15    =>   -- insert cascadable output signal
  );
```

### Verilog Template:

```
// Module: SHIFT_REGISTER_16
// Description: Verilog instantiation template
// Cascadable 16-bit Shift Register with Clock Enable (SRLC16E)
// Device: Virtex-II Pro Family
//-----
// Syntax for Synopsys FPGA Express
// synopsys translate_off

defparam

//Shift Register initialization ("0" by default) for functional
simulation:
  U_SRLC16E.INIT = 16'h0000;
// synopsys translate_on

//SelectShiftRegister-II Instantiation
SRLC16E U_SRLC16E ( .D(),
                    .A0(),
                    .A1(),
                    .A2(),
                    .A3(),
                    .CLK(),
                    .CE(),
                    .Q(),
                    .Q15()
                  );

// synthesis attribute declarations
/* synopsys attribute
INIT "0000"
*/
```

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## Large Multiplexers

### Introduction

Virtex-II Pro slices contain dedicated two-input multiplexers (one MUXF5 and one MUXFX per slice). These multiplexers combine the 4-input LUT outputs or the outputs of

other multiplexers. Using the multiplexers MUXF5, MUXF6, MUXF7 and MUXF8 allows to combine 2, 4, 8 and 16 LUTs. Specific routing resources are associated with these 2-input multiplexers to guarantee a fast implementation of any combinatorial function built upon LUTs and MUXFX.

The combination of the LUTs and the MUXFX offers an unique solution to the design of wide-input functions. This section illustrates the implementation of large multiplexers up to 32:1. Any Virtex-II Pro slice can implement a 4:1 multiplexer, any CLB can implement a 16:1 multiplexer, and 2 CLBs can implement a 32:1 multiplexer. Such multiplexers are just one example of wide-input combinatorial function taking advantage of the MUXFX feature. Many other logic functions can be mapped in the LUT and MUXFX features.

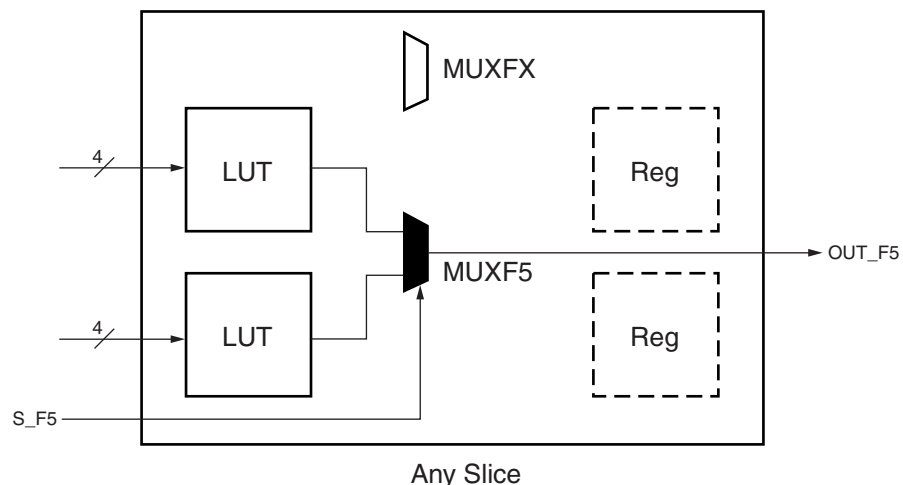
This section provides generic VHDL and Verilog reference code implementing multiplexers. These submodules are built from LUTs and the dedicated MUXF5, MUXF6, MUXF7, and MUXF8 multiplexers. To automatically generate large multiplexers using these dedicated elements, use the CORE Generator Bit Multiplexer and Bus Multiplexer modules.

For applications like comparators, encoder-decoders or “case” statement in VHDL or Verilog, these resources offer an optimal solution.

## Virtex-II Pro CLB Resources

### Slice Multiplexers

Each Virtex-II Pro slice has a MUXF5 to combine the outputs of the 2 LUTs and an extra MUXFX. **Figure 2-61** illustrates a combinatorial function with up to 9 inputs in one slice.

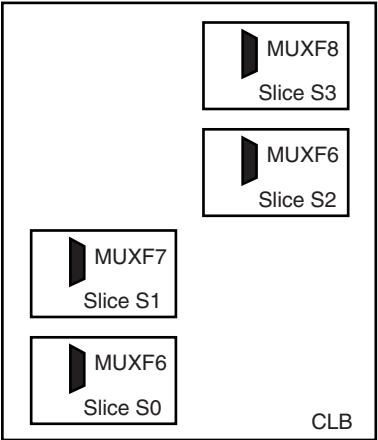


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Figure 2-61: LUTs and MUXF5 in a Slice

Each Virtex-II Pro CLB contains 4 slices. The second MUXFX implements a MUXF6, MUXF7 or MUXF8 according to the position of the slice in the CLB. These MUXFX are designed to allow LUTs combination up to 16 LUTs in two adjacent CLBs.

Figure 2-62 shows the relative position of the slices in the CLB.

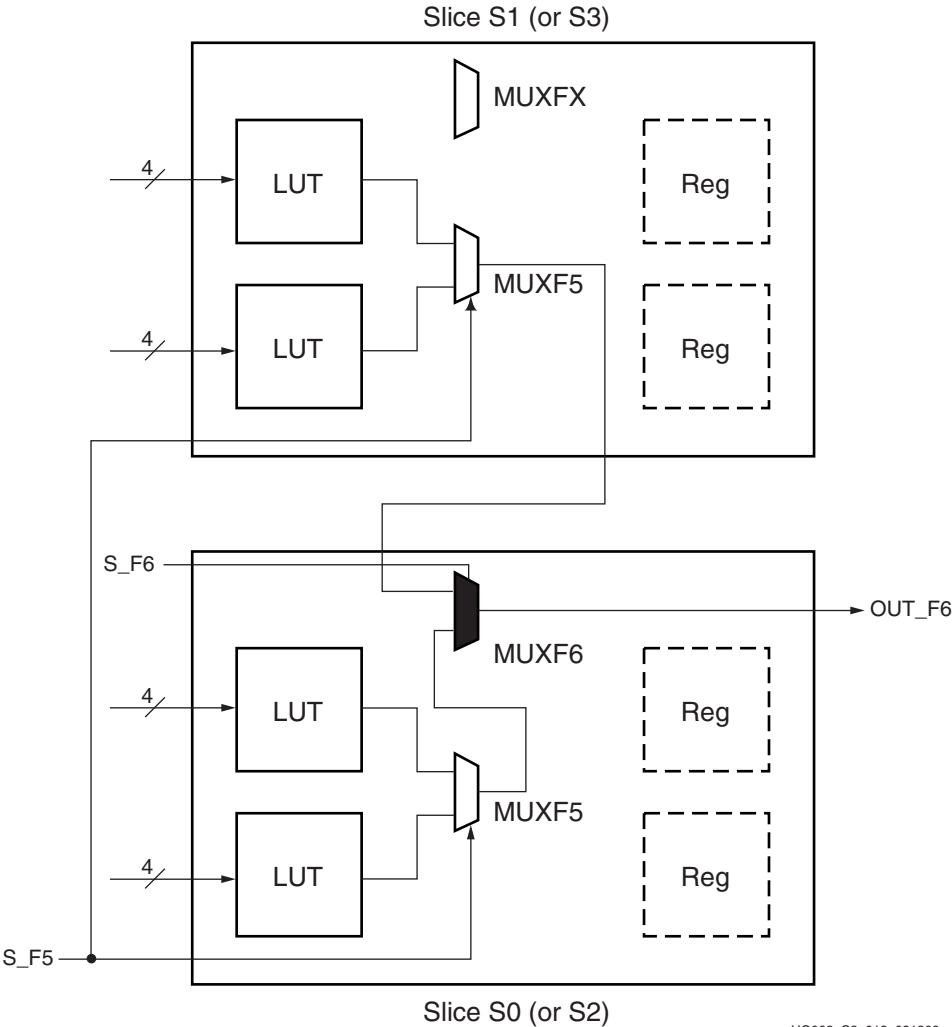


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Figure 2-62: Slice Positions in a CLB

Slices S0 and S2 have a MUXF6, designed to combine the outputs of two MUXF5 resources. Figure 2-63 illustrates a combinatorial function up to 18 inputs in the slices S0 and S1, or in the slices S2 and S3.

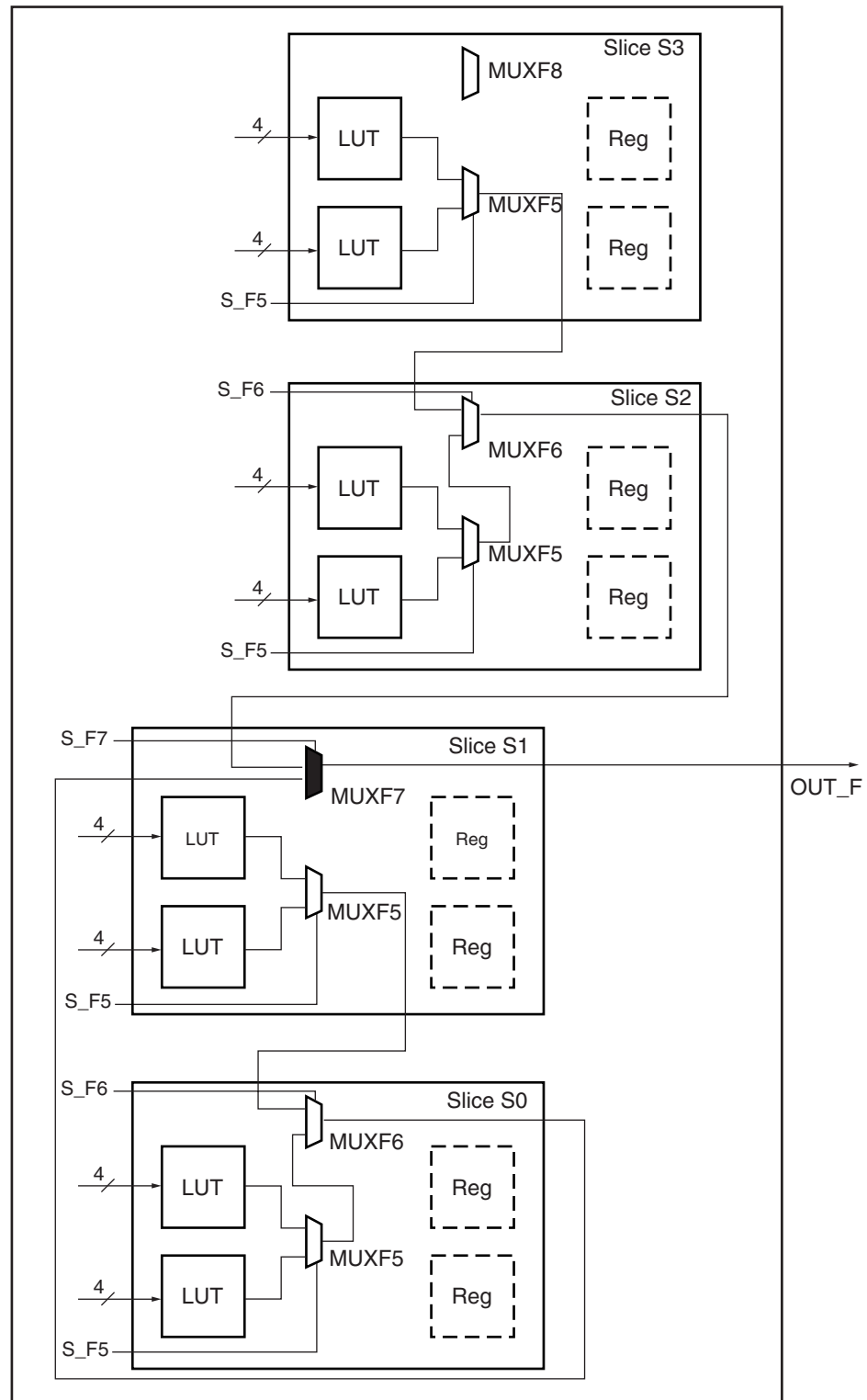
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Figure 2-63: LUTs and (MUXF5 and MUXF6) in Two Slices

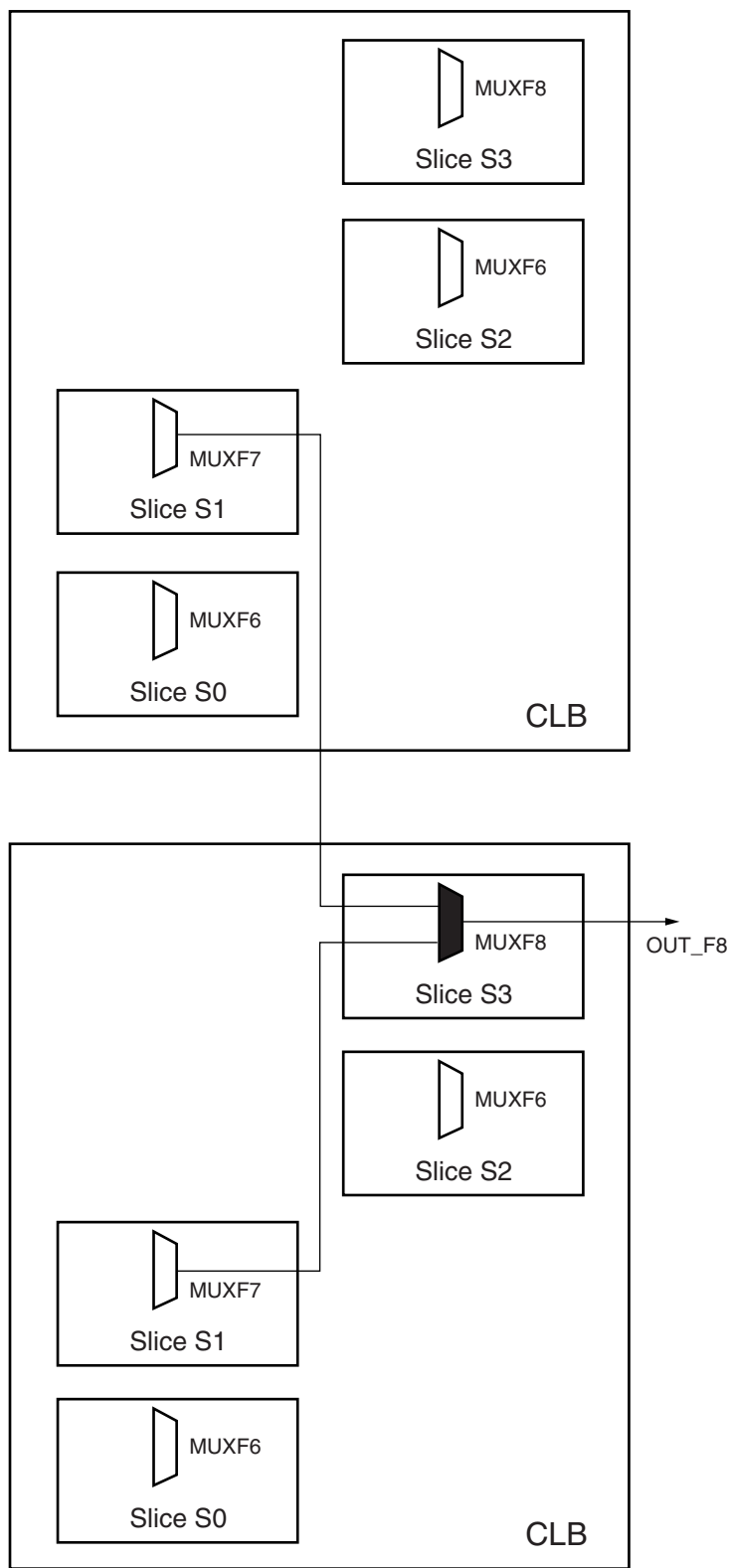
The slice S1 has a MUXF7, designed to combine the outputs of two MUXF6. Figure 2-64 illustrates a combinatorial function up to 35 inputs in a Virtex-II Pro CLB.



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Figure 2-64: LUTs and (MUXF5, MUXF6, and MUXF7) in One CLB

The slice S3 of each CLB has a MUXF8. combinatorial functions of up to 68 inputs fit in two CLBs as shown in **Figure 2-65**. The outputs of two MUXF7 are combined through dedicated routing resources between two adjacent CLBs in a column.

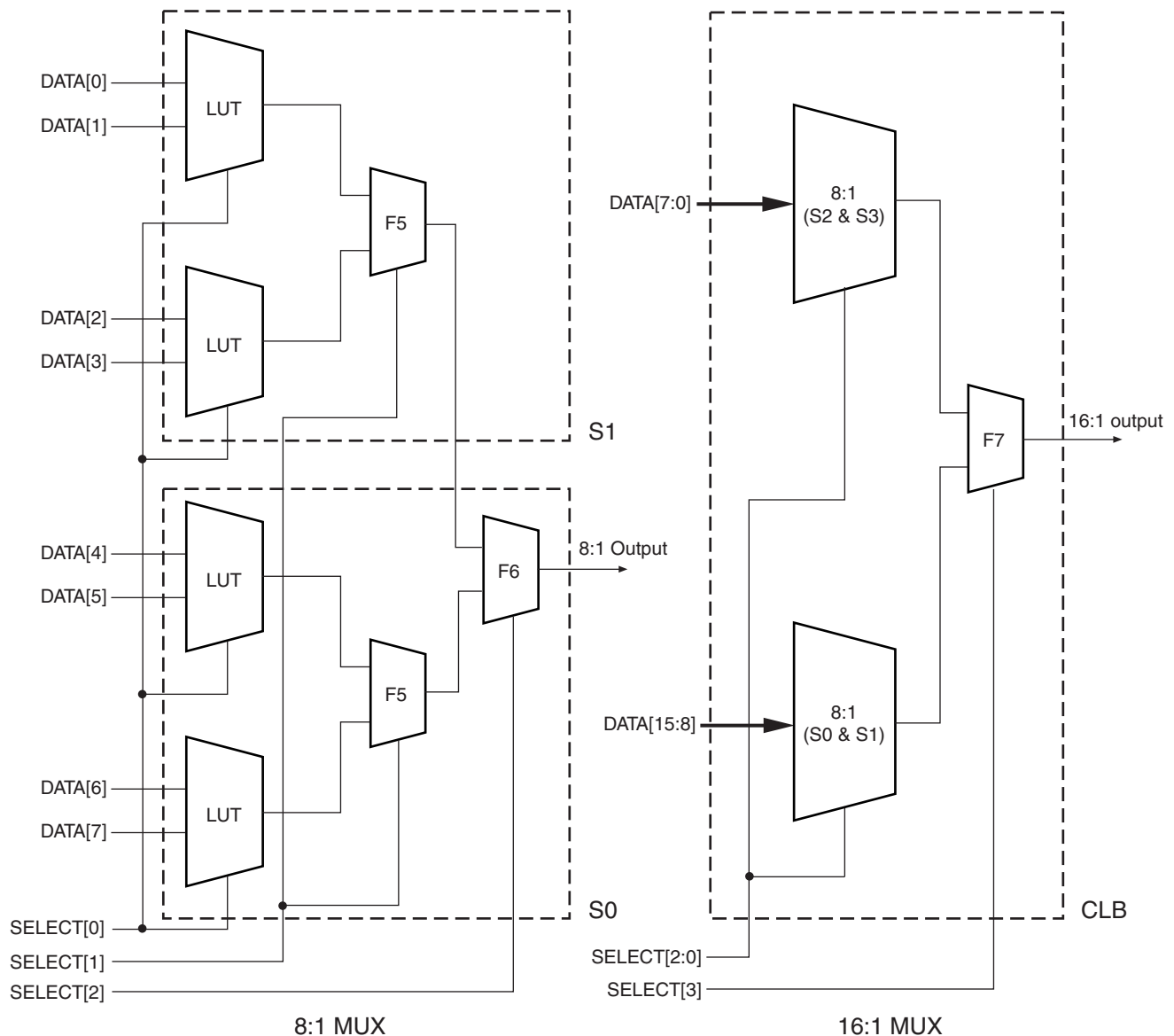


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**Figure 2-65: MUXF8 Combining Two Adjacent CLBs**

## Wide-Input Multiplexers

Each LUT can implement a 2:1 multiplexer. In each slice, the MUXF5 and two LUTs can implement a 4:1 multiplexer. As shown in Figure 2-66, the MUXF6 and two slices can implement a 8:1 multiplexer. The MUXF7 and the four slices of any CLB can implement a 16:1 and the MUXF8 and two CLBs can implement a 32:1 multiplexer.



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Figure 2-66: 8:1 and 16:1 Multiplexers

## Characteristics

- Implementation in one level of logic (LUT) and dedicated MUXFX
- Full combinatorial path



## Library Primitives and Submodules

Four library primitives are available that offer access to the dedicated MUXFX in each slice. In the example shown in [Table 2-22](#), MUXF7 is available only in slice S1.

**Table 2-22: MUXFX Resources**

Primitive	Slice	Control	Input	Output
MUXF5	S0, S1, S2, S3	S	I0, I1	O
MUXF6	S0, S2	S	I0, I1	O
MUXF7	S1	S	I0, I1	O
MUXF8	S3	S	I0, I1	O

In addition to the primitives, five submodules that implement multiplexers from 2:1 to 32:1 are provided in VHDL and Verilog code. Synthesis tools can automatically infer the above primitives (MUXF5, MUXF6, MUXF7, and MUXF8); however, the submodules described in this section used instantiation of the new MUXFX to guarantee an optimized result.

[Table 2-23](#) lists available submodules:

**Table 2-23: Available Submodules**

Submodule	Multiplexer	Control	Input	Output
MUX_2_1_SUBM	2:1	SELECT_I	DATA_I[1:0]	DATA_O
MUX_4_1_SUBM	4:1	SELECT_I[1:0]	DATA_I[3:0]	DATA_O
MUX_8_1_SUBM	8:1	SELECT_I[2:0]	DATA_I[8:0]	DATA_O
MUX_16_1_SUBM	16:1	SELECT_I[3:0]	DATA_I[15:0]	DATA_O
MUX_32_1_SUBM	32:1	SELECT_I[4:0]	DATA_I[31:0]	DATA_O

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## Port Signals

### Data In - DATA\_I

The data input provides the data to be selected by the SELECT\_I signal(s).

### Control In - SELECT\_I

The select input signal or bus determines the DATA\_I signal to be connected to the output DATA\_O. For example, the MUX\_4\_1\_SUBM multiplexer has a 2-bit SELECT\_I bus and a 4-bit DATA\_I bus. [Table 2-24](#) shows the DATA\_I selected for each SELECT\_I value.

**Table 2-24: Selected Inputs**

SELECT_I[1:0]	DATA_O
0 0	DATA_I[0]
0 1	DATA_I[1]
1 0	DATA_I[2]
1 1	DATA_I[3]

### Data Out - DATA\_O

The data output O provides the data value (1 bit) selected by the control inputs.

## Applications

Multiplexers are used in various applications. These are often inferred by synthesis tools when a “case” statement is used (see the example below). Comparators, encoder-decoders and wide-input combinatorial functions are optimized when they are based on one level of LUTs and dedicated MUXFX resources of the Virtex-II Pro CLBs.

## VHDL and Verilog Instantiation

The primitives (MUXF5, MUXF6, and so forth) can be instantiated in VHDL or Verilog code, to design wide-input functions.

The submodules (MUX\_2\_1\_SUBM, MUX\_4\_1\_SUBM, and so forth) can be instantiated in VHDL or Verilog code to implement multiplexers. However the corresponding submodule must be added to the design directory as hierarchical submodule. For example, if a module is using the MUX\_16\_1\_SUBM, the MUX\_16\_1\_SUBM.vhd file (VHDL code) or MUX\_16\_1\_SUBM.v file (Verilog code) must be compiled with the design source code. The submodule code can also be “cut and pasted” into the designer source code.

## VHDL and Verilog Submodules

VHDL and Verilog submodules are available to implement multiplexers up to 32:1. They illustrate how to design with the MUXFX resources. When synthesis infers the corresponding MUXFX resource(s), the VHDL or Verilog code is behavioral code (“case” statement). Otherwise, the equivalent “case” statement is provided in comments and the correct MUXFX are instantiated. However, most synthesis tools support the inference of all of the MUXFX. The following examples can be used as guidelines for designing other wide-input functions.

The following submodules are available:

- MUX\_2\_1\_SUBM (behavioral code)
- MUX\_4\_1\_SUBM
- MUX\_8\_1\_SUBM
- MUX\_16\_1\_SUBM
- MUX\_32\_1\_SUBM

The corresponding submodules have to be synthesized with the design

The submodule MUX\_16\_1\_SUBM in VHDL and Verilog are provided as example.

### VHDL Template

```
-- Module: MUX_16_1_SUBM
-- Description: Multiplexer 16:1
--
-- Device: Virtex-II Pro Family
-----
library IEEE;
use IEEE.std_logic_1164.all;

-- Syntax for Synopsys FPGA Express
-- pragma translate_off
library UNISIM;
use UNISIM.VCOMPONENTS.ALL;
-- pragma translate_on

entity MUX_16_1_SUBM is
    port (
        DATA_I: in std_logic_vector (15 downto 0);
        SELECT_I: in std_logic_vector (3 downto 0);
        DATA_O: out std_logic
    );
```

```

end MUX_16_1_SUBM;

architecture MUX_16_1_SUBM_arch of MUX_16_1_SUBM is
-- Component Declarations:
component MUXF7
    port (
        I0: in std_logic;
        I1: in std_logic;
        S: in std_logic;
        O: out std_logic
    );
end component;
--
-- Signal Declarations:
signal DATA_MSB : std_logic;
signal DATA_LSB : std_logic;
--
begin
--
-- If synthesis tools support MUXF7 :
--SELECT_PROCESS: process (SELECT_I, DATA_I)
--begin
--case SELECT_I is
--    when "0000" => DATA_O <= DATA_I (0);
--    when "0001" => DATA_O <= DATA_I (1);
--    when "0010" => DATA_O <= DATA_I (2);
--    when "0011" => DATA_O <= DATA_I (3);
--    when "0100" => DATA_O <= DATA_I (4);
--    when "0101" => DATA_O <= DATA_I (5);
--    when "0110" => DATA_O <= DATA_I (6);
--    when "0111" => DATA_O <= DATA_I (7);
--    when "1000" => DATA_O <= DATA_I (8);
--    when "1001" => DATA_O <= DATA_I (9);
--    when "1010" => DATA_O <= DATA_I (10);
--    when "1011" => DATA_O <= DATA_I (11);
--    when "1100" => DATA_O <= DATA_I (12);
--    when "1101" => DATA_O <= DATA_I (13);
--    when "1110" => DATA_O <= DATA_I (14);
--    when "1111" => DATA_O <= DATA_I (15);
--    when others => DATA_O <= 'X';
--end case;
--end process SELECT_PROCESS;
--
-- If synthesis tools DO NOT support MUXF7 :
SELECT_PROCESS_LSB: process (SELECT_I, DATA_I)
begin
    case SELECT_I (2 downto 0) is
        when "000" => DATA_LSB <= DATA_I (0);
        when "001" => DATA_LSB <= DATA_I (1);
        when "010" => DATA_LSB <= DATA_I (2);
        when "011" => DATA_LSB <= DATA_I (3);
        when "100" => DATA_LSB <= DATA_I (4);
        when "101" => DATA_LSB <= DATA_I (5);
        when "110" => DATA_LSB <= DATA_I (6);
        when "111" => DATA_LSB <= DATA_I (7);
        when others => DATA_LSB <= 'X';
    end case;
end process SELECT_PROCESS_LSB;
--
SELECT_PROCESS_MSB: process (SELECT_I, DATA_I)
begin
    case SELECT_I (2 downto 0) is

```

```

        when "000" => DATA_MSB <= DATA_I (8);
        when "001" => DATA_MSB <= DATA_I (9);
        when "010" => DATA_MSB <= DATA_I (10);
        when "011" => DATA_MSB <= DATA_I (11);
        when "100" => DATA_MSB <= DATA_I (12);
        when "101" => DATA_MSB <= DATA_I (13);
        when "110" => DATA_MSB <= DATA_I (14);
        when "111" => DATA_MSB <= DATA_I (15);
        when others => DATA_MSB <= 'X';
    end case;
end process SELECT_PROCESS_MSB;
--
-- MUXF7 instantiation
U_MUXF7: MUXF7
    port map (
        I0 => DATA_LSB,
        I1 => DATA_MSB,
        S  => SELECT_I (3),
        O  => DATA_O
    );
--
end MUX_16_1_SUBM_arch;
--

```

### Verilog Template

```

// Module: MUX_16_1_SUBM
//
// Description: Multiplexer 16:1
// Device: Virtex-II Pro Family
//-----
//
module MUX_16_1_SUBM (DATA_I, SELECT_I, DATA_O);

    input [15:0]DATA_I;
    input [3:0]SELECT_I;

    output DATA_O;

    wire [2:0]SELECT;

    reg DATA_LSB;
    reg DATA_MSB;

    assign SELECT[2:0] = SELECT_I[2:0];

    /*
    //If synthesis tools supports MUXF7 :
    always @ (DATA_I or SELECT_I)

        case (SELECT_I)
            4'b0000 : DATA_O <= DATA_I [0];
            4'b0001 : DATA_O <= DATA_I [1];
            4'b0010 : DATA_O <= DATA_I [2];
            4'b0011 : DATA_O <= DATA_I [3];
            4'b0100 : DATA_O <= DATA_I [4];
            4'b0101 : DATA_O <= DATA_I [5];
            4'b0110 : DATA_O <= DATA_I [6];
            4'b0111 : DATA_O <= DATA_I [7];
            4'b1000 : DATA_O <= DATA_I [8];
            4'b1001 : DATA_O <= DATA_I [9];
            4'b1010 : DATA_O <= DATA_I [10];
            4'b1011 : DATA_O <= DATA_I [11];

```

```

4'b1100 : DATA_O <= DATA_I[12];
4'b1101 : DATA_O <= DATA_I[13];
4'b1110 : DATA_O <= DATA_I[14];
4'b1111 : DATA_O <= DATA_I[15];
default : DATA_O <= 1'bx;
    endcase
*/

always @ (SELECT or DATA_I)

    case (SELECT)
3'b000 : DATA_LSB <= DATA_I[0];
3'b001 : DATA_LSB <= DATA_I[1];
3'b010 : DATA_LSB <= DATA_I[2];
3'b011 : DATA_LSB <= DATA_I[3];
3'b100 : DATA_LSB <= DATA_I[4];
3'b101 : DATA_LSB <= DATA_I[5];
3'b110 : DATA_LSB <= DATA_I[6];
3'b111 : DATA_LSB <= DATA_I[7];
default : DATA_LSB <= 1'bx;
    endcase

always @ (SELECT or DATA_I)

    case (SELECT)
3'b000 : DATA_MSB <= DATA_I[8];
3'b001 : DATA_MSB <= DATA_I[9];
3'b010 : DATA_MSB <= DATA_I[10];
3'b011 : DATA_MSB <= DATA_I[11];
3'b100 : DATA_MSB <= DATA_I[12];
3'b101 : DATA_MSB <= DATA_I[13];
3'b110 : DATA_MSB <= DATA_I[14];
3'b111 : DATA_MSB <= DATA_I[15];
default : DATA_MSB <= 1'bx;
    endcase

// MUXF7 instantiation

MUXF7 U_MUXF7    (.IO(DATA_LSB),
    .I1(DATA_MSB),
    .S(SELECT_I[3]),
    .O(DATA_O)
    );
endmodule

//
*/

```

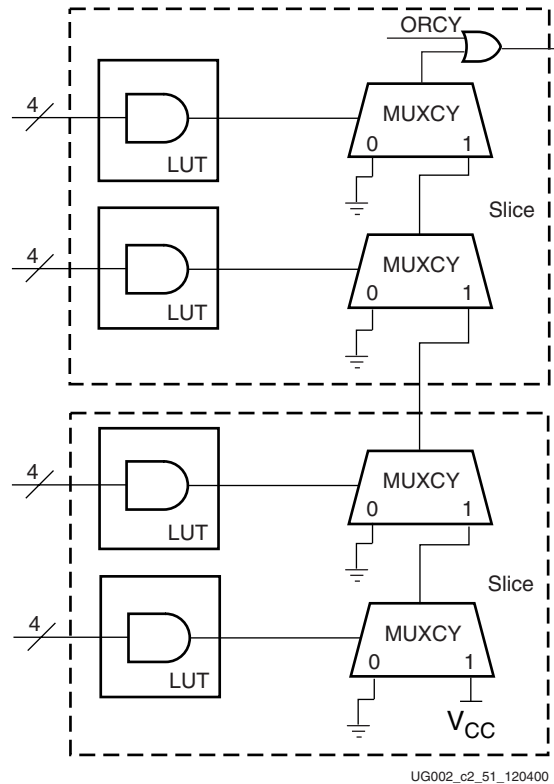
## Sum of Products (SOP) Logic

### Introduction

Virtex-II Pro slices contain a dedicated two-input multiplexer (MUXCY) and a two-input OR gate (ORCY) to perform operations involving wide AND and OR gates. These combine the four-input LUT outputs. These gates can be cascaded in a chain to provide the wide AND functionality across slices. The output from the cascaded AND gates can then be combined with the dedicated ORCY to produce the Sum of Products (SOP).

## Virtex-II Pro CLB Resources

Each Virtex-II Pro slice has a MUXCY, which uses the output from the LUTs as a SELECT signal. Depending on the width of data desired, several slices can be used to provide the SOP output. **Figure 2-67** illustrates the logic involved in designing a 16-input AND gate. It utilizes the 4-input LUT to provide the necessary SELECT signal for the MUXCY. Only when all of the input signals are High, can the  $V_{CC}$  at the bottom reach the output. This use of carry logic helps to perform AND functions at high speed and saves logic resources.



**Figure 2-67: Implementing a 16-bit Wide AND Gate Using MUXCY & ORCY**

The output from the chain of AND gates is passed as one of the inputs of the dedicated OR gate, ORCY. To calculate the SOP, these AND chains can be cascaded vertically across several CLBs, depending on the width of the input data. **Figure 2-68** illustrates how the AND outputs are then passed in through the ORCY gates in a horizontal cascade, the sum of which is the Sum of Products.

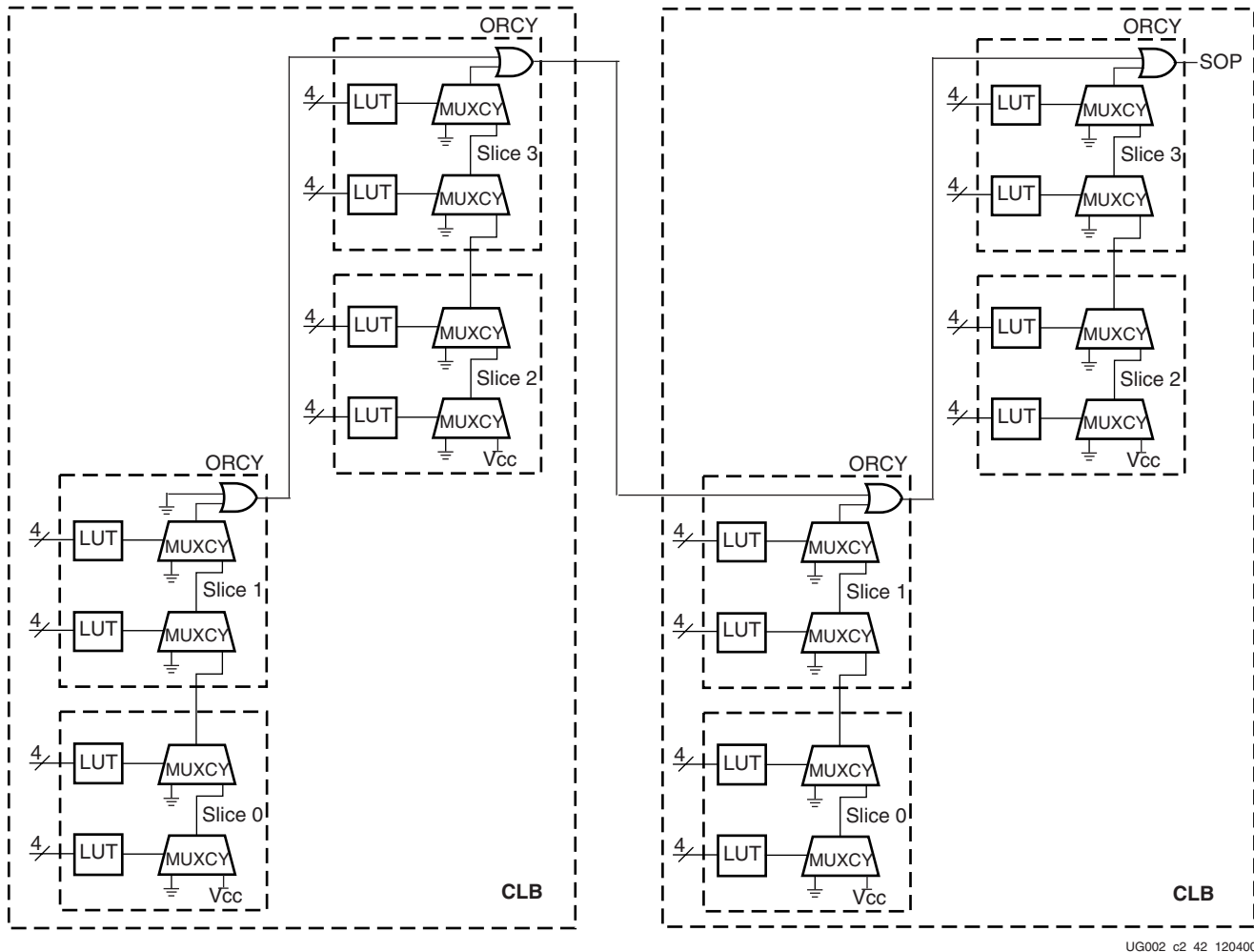


Figure 2-68: 64-bit Input SOP Design

## VHDL Parameters

### AND\_WIDTH Parameter

The width of each AND gate used in the cascade.

### PROD\_TERM Parameter

The number of AND gates used along each vertical cascade.

### AND\_IN Parameter

Data input to the AND gates. The total width of data is calculated from the product of AND\_WIDTH and PROD\_TERM

### SOP\_OUT Parameter

The Sum of Products (SOP) output data from the cascade chain.

## Applications

These logic gates can be used in various applications involving very wide AND gates and Sum of Products (SOP) functions.

## VHDL and Verilog Instantiation

To implement wide-input AND functions, MUXCY and ORCY primitives can be instantiated in VHDL or Verilog code. The submodule code provided can be used to implement wide-input AND gates for any width of input data.

### VHDL and Verilog Submodules

VHDL and Verilog submodules are available to implement the cascade chain of wide-input AND gates and OR gates to calculate the Sum of Products (SOP). The VHDL module provided uses a generic case, where the width of data and the product terms can be specified in the case. The Verilog module provides a 64-bit input example, using four wide AND chains, each of which handle 16 bits of data.

### VHDL Templates

```
-- Module : AND_CHAIN
-- Description : 16 input AND gate
--
-- Device : Virtex-II Pro Family
-----
library IEEE;
use IEEE.std_logic_1164.all;
--library UNISIM;
--use UNISIM.VCOMPONENTS.ALL;

entity AND_CHAIN is
generic (
    input_width : integer); --must be a 4x value
port (
    data_in : in std_logic_vector( input_width-1 downto 0);
    carry_in : in std_logic;
    out_andor_chain : out std_logic);
end AND_CHAIN;

architecture AND_CHAIN_arch of AND_CHAIN is

component ORCY
    port( i : std_logic;
          ci : in std_logic;
          o : out std_logic);
end component;

component AND_LOGIC
    port( sel_data : in std_logic_vector(3 downto 0);
          data_cin : in std_logic;
          data_out : out std_logic);
end component;

signal VCC, GND : std_logic;
signal cout : std_logic_vector(input_width/4 downto 0);
signal out_and_chain : std_logic;

begin

VCC <= '1';
GND <= '0';

--initialization of first input for MUXCY
cout(0) <= VCC;

and_chain_x : for i in (input_width/4) - 1 downto 0 generate
```



```

        AND_LOGIC_inst : AND_LOGIC
            port map (
                sel_data => data_in((4 * i + 3) downto (4 * i)),
                data_cin => cout(i),
                data_out => cout(i + 1));
    end generate;

    out_and_chain <= cout(input_width/4);

    orcy_inst : ORCY
        port map( i => out_and_chain,
            ci => carry_in,
            o => out_andor_chain);

    end AND_CHAIN_arch;

-----
-- Module AND_LOGIC
-- Description : 4-input AND gate
--
-- Device : Virtex-II Pro Family
-----

library IEEE;
use IEEE.std_logic_1164.all;
--library UNISIM;
--use UNISIM.VCOMPONENTS.ALL;

entity AND_LOGIC is
    port(
        sel_data : in std_logic_vector(3 downto 0); -- data for select
        signal for MUXCY from LUT
        data_cin : in std_logic; -- result from previous stage
        data_out : out std_logic);
    end AND_LOGIC;

architecture AND_LOGIC_arch of AND_LOGIC is

    component MUXCY
        port(
            DI : in std_logic;
            CI : in std_logic;
            s : in std_logic;
            o : out std_logic);
    end component;

    signal GND : std_logic;
    signal sel:std_logic;

    begin

        GND <= '0';
        sel <= sel_data(0) and sel_data(1) and sel_data(2) and sel_data(3);

        --Wide AND gate using MUXCY
        MUX : MUXCY
            port map (
                DI => GND,
                CI => data_cin,
                s => sel,
                o => data_out);

    end AND_LOGIC_arch;

```

```

-----
-- Module : SOP_SUBM
-- Description : Implementing SOP using MUXCY and ORCY
--
-- Device : Virtex-II Pro Family
-----

library ieee;
use ieee.std_logic_1164.all;
--library UNISIM;
--use UNISIM.VCOMPONENTS.ALL;

entity SOP_SUBM is
    generic(
        and_width : integer :=16 ;
        prod_term : integer := 4 );
    port(
        and_in : in std_logic_vector(and_width * prod_term - 1 downto 0);
        sop_out : out std_logic);
end SOP_SUBM;

architecture SOP_SUBM_arch of SOP_SUBM is

    component AND_CHAIN
        generic (
            input_width : integer); --must be a 4x value
        port (
            data_in : in std_logic_vector( input_width-1 downto 0);
            carry_in : in std_logic;
            out_andor_chain : out std_logic);
    end component;

    signal VCC, GND : std_logic;
    signal carry : std_logic_vector(prod_term downto 0);

    begin

        VCC <= '1';
        GND <= '0';

        carry(0) <= GND;
        andor_inst : for i in 0 to (prod_term - 1) generate
            and_chainx : AND_CHAIN
                generic map(
                    input_width => and_width)
                port map(
                    data_in => and_in((and_width * i + (and_width -1)) downto
                    (and_width * i)),
                    carry_in => carry(i),
                    out_andor_chain => carry(i + 1));
        end generate;
        sop_out <= carry(prod_term);

    end SOP_SUBM_arch;

```

## Verilog Templates

```
// Module : AND_CHAIN
// Description : 16 input AND gate
//
// Device : Virtex-II Family
//-----
module AND_CHAIN(data_in, carry_in, out_andor_chain);
input [15:0] data_in;
input carry_in;
output out_andor_chain;
wire VCC = 1'b1;
wire out_and_chain;
wire dat_out1, data_out2, data_out3;
AND_LOGIC_OR u4(.sel_data(data_in[15:12]), .data_cin(data_out3),
.carry_in(carry_in), .data_out(out_andor_chain));

AND_LOGIC u3(.sel_data(data_in[11:8]), .data_cin(data_out2),
.data_out(data_out3));
AND_LOGIC u2(.sel_data(data_in[7:4]), .data_cin(data_out1),
.data_out(data_out2));
AND_LOGIC u1(.sel_data(data_in[3:0]), .data_cin(VCC),
.data_out(data_out1));
endmodule

//-----
// Module AND_LOGIC
// Description : 4-input AND gate
//
// Device : Virtex-II Family
//-----
// Module : init_and
//
module AND_LOGIC(sel_data, data_cin, data_out);
input[3:0] sel_data;
input data_cin;
output data_out;
wire GND = 1'b0;
wire VCC = 1'b1;
wire and_out;
assign and_out = sel_data[3] & sel_data[2] & sel_data[1] & sel_data[0];
MUXCY muxcy_inst (.DI(GND), .CI(data_cin), .S(and_out), .O(data_out));
endmodule

// Module AND_LOGIC + ORCY
module AND_LOGIC_OR(sel_data, data_cin, carry_in, data_out);
input[3:0] sel_data;
input data_cin;
input carry_in;
output data_out;
wire data_mux_out;
wire GND = 1'b0;
wire VCC = 1'b1;
wire and_out;
assign and_out = sel_data[3] & sel_data[2] & sel_data[1] & sel_data[0];
MUXCY muxcy_inst (.DI(GND), .CI(data_cin), .S(and_out),
.O(data_mux_out)) /* synthesis RLOC="x0y0" */;
ORCY u5(.I(carry_in), .CI(data_mux_out), .O(data_out)) /* synthesis
RLOC="x0y0" */;
endmodule
```

```
//-----
// Module : SOP_SUBM
// Description : Implementing SOP using MUXCY and ORCY
//
// Device : Virtex-II Family
//-----
module SOP_SUBM(and_in, sop_out);
input [63:0] and_in;
output sop_out;
wire out_andor_chain1, out_andor_chain2, out_andor_chain3;
wire GND = 1'b0;
AND_CHAIN u4(.data_in(and_in[63:48]), .carry_in(out_andor_chain3),
.out_andor_chain(sop_out));
AND_CHAIN u3(.data_in(and_in[47:32]), .carry_in(out_andor_chain2),
.out_andor_chain(out_andor_chain3));
AND_CHAIN u2(.data_in(and_in[31:16]), .carry_in(out_andor_chain1),
.out_andor_chain(out_andor_chain2));
AND_CHAIN u1(.data_in(and_in[15:0]), .carry_in(GND),
.out_andor_chain(out_andor_chain1));
endmodule
```

## Embedded Multipliers

### Introduction

Virtex-II Pro devices feature a large number of embedded 18-bit X 18-bit two's-complement embedded multipliers. The embedded multipliers offer fast, efficient means to create 18-bit signed by 18-bit signed multiplication products. The multiplier blocks share routing resources with the Block SelectRAM memory, allowing for increased efficiency for many applications. Cascading of multipliers can be implemented with additional logic resources in local Virtex-II Pro slices.

Applications such as signed-signed, signed-unsigned, and unsigned-unsigned multiplication, logical, arithmetic, and barrel shifters, two's-complement and magnitude return are easily implemented.

Using the CORE Generator, the designer can quickly generate multipliers that make use of the embedded 18-bit x 18-bit two's-complement multipliers (V2.0 or later) of the Multiplier core for Virtex-II Pro devices.

### Two's-Complement Signed Multiplier

#### Data Flow

Each embedded multiplier block (MULT18X18 primitive) supports two independent dynamic data input ports: 18-bit signed or 17-bit unsigned. The MULT18X18 primitive is illustrated in [Figure 2-69](#).

In addition, efficient cascading of multipliers up to 35-bit X 35-bit signed can be accomplished by using 4 embedded multipliers, one 36-bit adder, and one 53-bit adder. See [Figure 2-70](#).

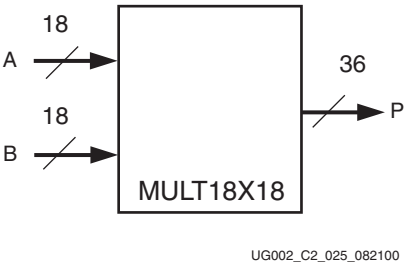


Figure 2-69: Embedded Multiplier

Library Primitives and Submodules

One library primitive (MULT18X18) is available. [Table 2-25](#) lists the attributes of this primitive.

Table 2-25: Embedded Multiplier Primitive

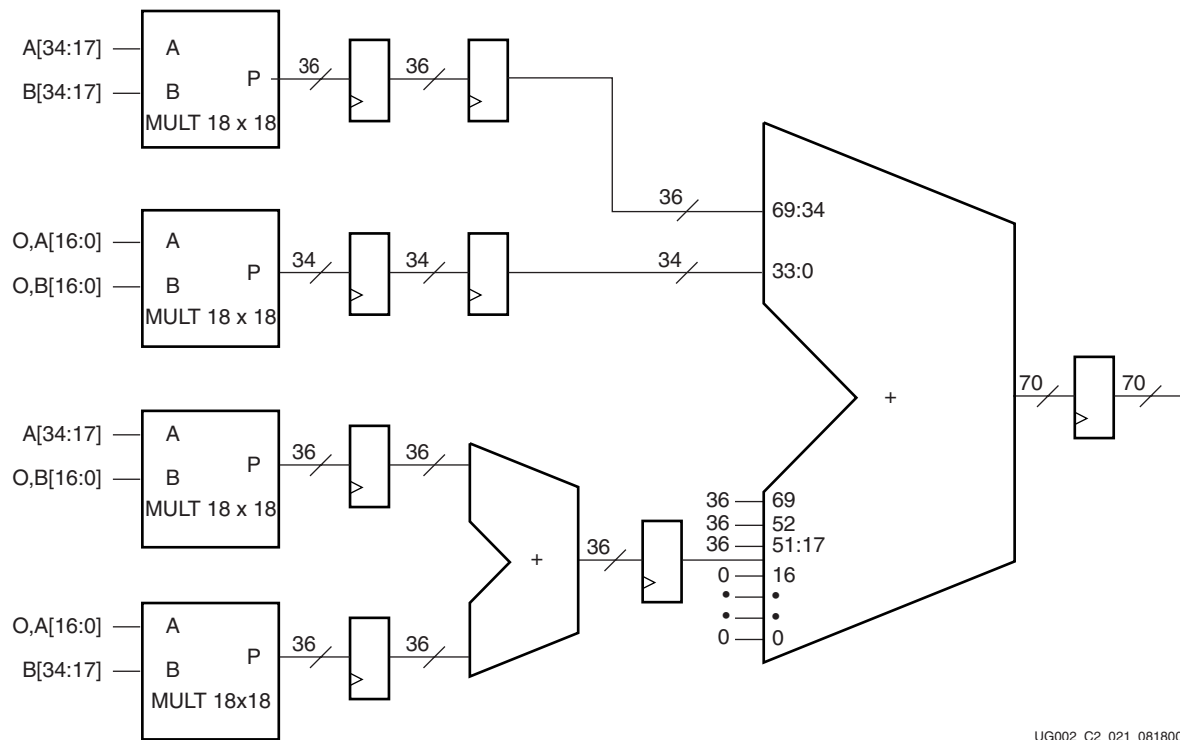
Primitive	A width	B width	P width	Signed/Unsigned
MULT18X18	18	18	36	Signed (2's complement)

In addition to the primitive, 15 submodules that implement various widths of signed and unsigned multipliers and two's-complement return functions are provided in VHDL and Verilog code. Multipliers using cascaded MULT18X18 primitives are included with registers between stages causing three cycles of latency. Multipliers that make use of the embedded Virtex-II Pro 18-bit by 18-bit two's complement multipliers can be easily generated using V2.0 of the CORE Generator Multiplier module. Table 2-26 lists cascaded multiplier submodules.

Table 2-26: Embedded Multiplier Submodules - Cascaded MULT18X18

Submodule	A Width	B Width	P Width	Signed/Unsigned
MULT35X35_S	35	35	70	Signed
MULT34X34_U	34	34	68	Unsigned

Figure 2-70 represents the cascaded scheme used to implement a 35-bit by 35-bit signed multiplier utilizing four embedded multipliers and two adders.



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Figure 2-70: MULT35X35\_S Submodule

The fixed adder is 53 bits wide (17 LSBs are always 0 on one input).

The 34-bit by 34-bit unsigned submodule is constructed in a similar manner with the most significant bit on each operand being tied to logic low.

Table 2-26 lists multipliers and two's-complement return functions that utilize one MULT18X18 primitive and are not registered.

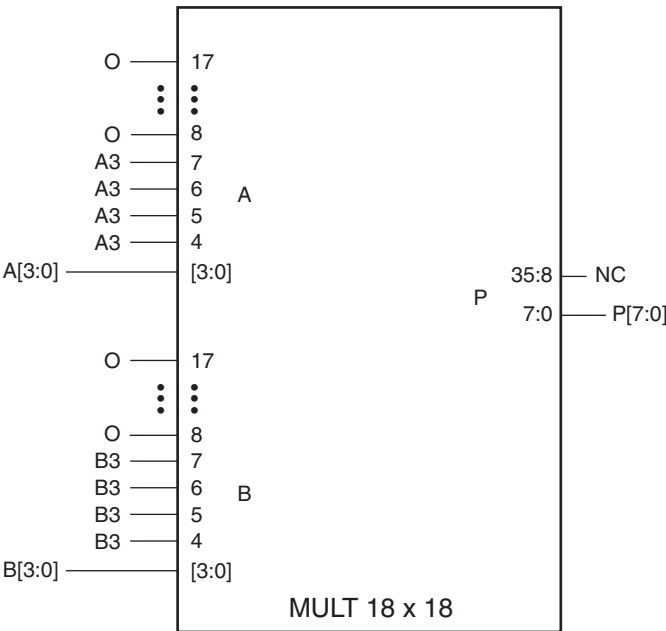
Table 2-27: Embedded Multiplier Submodules - Single MULT18X18

Submodule	A width	B width	P width	Signed/Unsigned
MULT17X17_U	17	17	34	Unsigned
MULT8X8_S	8	8	16	Signed
MULT8X8_U	8	8	16	Unsigned
MULT4X4_S	4	4	8	Signed
MULT4X4_U	4	4	8	Unsigned
MULT_6X6S_5X5U	6 5	6 5	12 10	Signed Unsigned
MULT_5X5S_6X6U	5 6	5 6	10 12	Signed Unsigned
MULT_5X5U_5X5U	5 5	5 5	10 10	Unsigned Unsigned
MULT_4X4S_7X7U	4 7	4 7	8 14	Signed Unsigned
MULT_4X4S_3X3S	4 3	4 3	8 6	Signed Signed
TWOS_CMP18	18	-	18	-
TWOS_CMP9	9	-	9	-
MAGNTD_18	18	-	17	-

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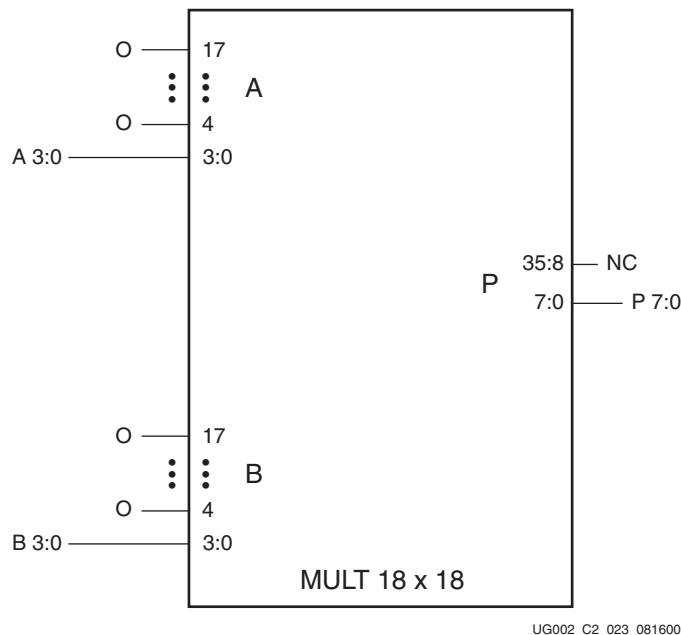
Multipliers of form MULT\_aXaS\_bXbU use one embedded multiplier to implement two multipliers with separate outputs. The submodules listed above use optimized pin assignments to achieve shortest possible through-delay.

Figure 2-71 and Figure 2-72 represent 4-bit by 4-bit signed multiplier and 4-bit by 4-bit unsigned multiplier implementations, respectively.



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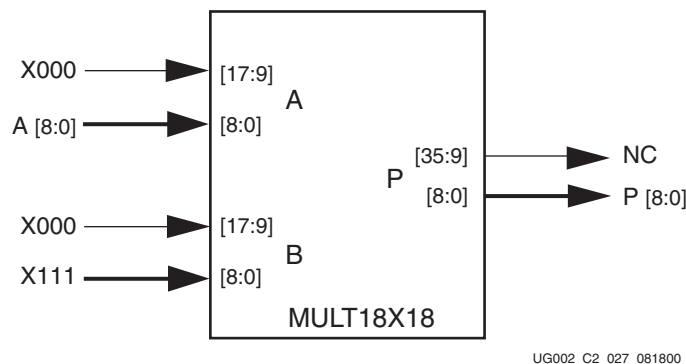
Figure 2-71: MULT4X4\_S Submodule



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Figure 2-72: MULT4X4\_U Submodule

Submodule MAGNTD\_18 performs a magnitude return (i.e., absolute value) of a two's-complement number. An incoming negative number returns with a positive number, while an incoming positive number remains unchanged. Submodules TWOS\_CMP18 and TWOS\_CMP9 perform a two's-complement return function. The incoming number in two's-complement form (either signed or unsigned) is complemented when the DO\_COMP pin is asserted High. Additional slice logic can be used with these submodules to efficiently convert sign-magnitude to two's-complement or vice-versa. Figure 2-73 shows the connections to a MULT18X18 to create the submodule TWOS\_CMP9.



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Figure 2-73: TWOS\_CMP9 Submodule

## Two Multipliers in a Single Primitive

Two multipliers can be implemented in a single primitive. For simplified illustration purposes, an assumption of two squares being implemented in the same MULT18X18 primitive is used. The following equation shows the form of the multiplication.

**Two Multipliers per Primitive:**

$$(X * 2^n + Y)(X * 2^n + Y) = (X^2 * 2^{2n}) + (Y^2) + (XY * 2^{n+1})$$

$(X * 2^n)$  is the input X appearing on the MSBs while Y appears on the LSBs to form the value  $(X * 2^n + Y)$ . Two multipliers can coexist in one MULT18X18 primitive, if the conditions in the following inequalities are met when neither X nor Y are 0.



### Inequality Conditions for Two Multipliers per Primitive:

$$(X^2 * 2^{2n})_{\min} > (XY * 2^{n+1})_{\max}, (XY * 2^{n+1})_{\min} > (Y^2)_{\max}$$

For values 0 on X or Y, the equation becomes:

$$X^2 * 2^{2n} \{Y=0\}$$

$$Y^2 \{X=0\}$$

$$0 \{X=0, Y=0\}$$

Figure 2-74 represents the MULT\_6X6S\_5X5U submodule.

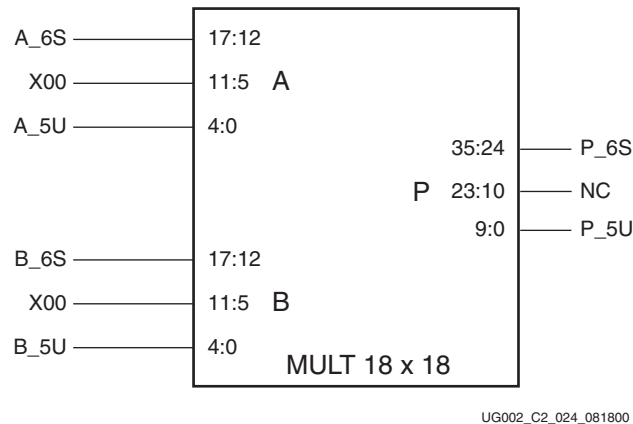


Figure 2-74: MULT\_6X6S\_5X5U -- Connections to a MULT18X18 Primitive

Table 2-28 shows values for X and Y where these conditions are met.

Table 2-28: Two Multipliers per MULT18X18 Allowable Sizes

X * X		Y * Y	
Signed Size	Unsigned Size	Signed Size	Unsigned Size
7 X 7	6 X 6	-	4 X 4
6 X 6	5 X 5	-	5 X 5
5 X 5	4 X 4	3 X 3	6 X 6
4 X 4	3 X 3	3 X 3	7 X 7
3 X 3	2 X 2	4 X 4	8 X 8

## VHDL and Verilog Instantiation

VHDL and Verilog instantiation templates are available as examples of primitives and submodules (see [VHDL and Verilog Templates, page 260](#)).

In VHDL, each template has a component declaration section and an architecture section. Each part of the template should be inserted within the VHDL design file. The port map of the architecture section should include the design signals names.

## Port Signals

### Data In - A

The data input provides new data (up to 18 bits) to be used as one of the multiplication operands.

### Data In - B

The data input provides new data (up to 18 bits) to be used as one of the multiplication operands.

## Data Out - P

The data output bus P provides the data value (up to 36 bits) of two's-complement multiplication for operands A and B.

## Location Constraints

Each embedded multiplier has location coordinates of the form XrowYcolumn. To constrain placement, multiplier instances can have LOC properties attached to them to constrain placement. MULT18X18 embedded multiplier instances can have LOC properties attached to them to constrain placement. MULT18X18 placement locations differ from the convention used for naming CLB locations, allowing LOC properties to transfer easily from array to array.

The LOC properties use the following form:

LOC = MULT18X18\_X#Y#

For example, MULT18X18\_X0Y0 is the bottom-left MULT18X18 location on the device.

## VHDL and Verilog Templates

VHDL and Verilog templates are available for the primitive and submodules.

The following is a template for the primitive:

- SIGNED\_MULT\_18X18 (primitive: MULT18X18)

The following are templates for submodules:

- SIGNED\_MULT\_35X35 (submodule: MULT35X35\_S)
- UNSIGNED\_MULT\_34X34 (submodule: MULT34X34\_U)
- UNSIGNED\_MULT\_17X17 (submodule: MULT17X17\_U)
- SIGNED\_MULT\_8X8 (submodule: MULT8X8\_S)
- UNSIGNED\_MULT\_8X8 (submodule: MULT8X8\_U)
- SIGNED\_MULT\_4X4 (submodule: MULT4X4\_S)
- UNSIGNED\_MULT\_4X4 (submodule: MULT4X4\_U)
- DUAL\_MULT\_6X6S\_5X5U (submodule: MULT\_6X6S\_5X5U)
- DUAL\_MULT\_5X5S\_6X6U (submodule: MULT\_5X5S\_6X6U)
- DUAL\_MULT\_5X5U\_5X5U (submodule: MULT\_5X5U\_5X5U)
- DUAL\_MULT\_4X4S\_7X7U (submodule: MULT\_4X4S\_7X7U)
- DUAL\_MULT\_4X4S\_3X3S (submodule: MULT\_4X4S\_3X3S)
- TWOS\_COMPLEMENTER\_18BIT (submodule: TWOS\_CMP18)
- TWOS\_COMPLEMENTER\_9BIT (submodule: TWOS\_CMP9)
- MAGNITUDE\_18BIT (submodule: MAGNTD\_18)

The corresponding submodules have to be synthesized with the design.

Templates for the SIGNED\_MULT\_18X18 module are provided in VHDL and Verilog code as an example.

## VHDL Template:

```
-- Module: SIGNED_MULT_18X18
-- Description: VHDL instantiation template
-- 18-bit X 18-bit embedded signed multiplier (asynchronous)
--
-- Device: Virtex-II Pro Family
-----
-- Components Declarations
component MULT18X18
  port(
    A : in std_logic_vector (17 downto 0);
    B : in std_logic_vector (17 downto 0);
    P : out std_logic_vector (35 downto 0)
  );
end component;
--
-- Architecture Section
--
U_MULT18X18 : MULT18X18
  port map (
    A => , -- insert input signal #1
    B => , -- insert input signal #2
    P =>   -- insert output signal
  );
```

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## Verilog Template:

```
// Module: SIGNED_MULT_18X18
// Description: Verilog instantiation template
// 18-bit X 18-bit embedded signed multiplier (asynchronous)
//
// Device: Virtex-II Pro Family
//-----
// Instantiation Section
//
MULT18X18 U_MULT18X18
(
  .A () , // insert input signal #1
  .B () , // insert input signal #2
  .P ()   // insert output signal
);
```

# Single-Ended SelectIO™-Ultra Resources

## Summary

The Virtex-II Pro FPGA Series includes a highly configurable, high-performance single-ended SelectIO-Ultra resource that supports a wide variety of I/O standards. The SelectIO-Ultra resource includes a robust set of features, including programmable control of output drive strength, slew rate, and input delay and hold time. Taking advantage of the flexibility of SelectIO-Ultra features and the design considerations described in this document can improve and simplify system-level design.

## Introduction

As FPGAs continue to grow in size and capacity, the larger and more complex systems designed for them demand an increased variety of I/O standards. Furthermore, as system clock speeds continue to increase, the need for high-performance I/O becomes more

important. Chip-to-chip delays have an increasingly substantial impact on overall system speed. The task of achieving the desired system performance is becoming more difficult with the proliferation of low-voltage I/O standards. SelectIO-Ultra resolves this potential problem by providing a highly configurable, high-performance alternative to I/O resources used in more conventional programmable devices.

Virtex-II Pro SelectIO-Ultra blocks can support up to 19 single-ended I/O standards. Supporting such a variety of I/O standards allows support for a wide variety of applications.

Each Input/Output Block (IOB) includes six registers, two each from the input, output, and 3-state signals within the IOB. These registers are optionally configured as either a D-type flip-flop or as a level-sensitive latch. The purpose of having six registers is to allow designers to design double-data-rate (DDR) logic in the I/O blocks. Each pair of the flip-flop (FF) has different clocks so that the flip-flops can be driven by two clocks with a 180-degree phase shift to achieve DDR. All I/O flip-flops still share the same reset/preset line.

The input buffer has an optional delay element used to guarantee a zero hold time requirement for input signals registered within the IOB.

Virtex-II Pro SelectIO-Ultra features also provide dedicated resources for input reference voltage ( $V_{REF}$ ) and input output source voltage ( $V_{CCO}$ ), along with a convenient banking system that simplifies board design. Virtex-II Pro inputs and outputs are powered from  $V_{CCO}$ . Differential amplifier inputs, such as GTL and SSTL, are powered from  $V_{REF}$ .

## Fundamentals

Modern bus applications, pioneered by the largest and most influential components in the digital electronics industry, are commonly introduced with a new I/O standard tailored specifically to the needs of that application. The bus I/O standards provide specifications to other vendors who create products designed to interface with these applications. Each standard often has its own specifications for current, voltage, I/O buffering, and termination techniques.

The ability to provide the flexibility and time-to-market advantages of programmable logic is increasingly dependent on the capability of the programmable logic device to support an ever increasing variety of I/O standards.

SelectIO-Ultra resources feature highly configurable input and output buffers that provide support for a wide variety of I/O standards. An input buffer can be configured as either a simple buffer or as a differential amplifier input. An output buffer can be configured as either a Push-Pull output or as an Open Drain output. Table 2-29 illustrates all of the supported single-ended I/O standards in Virtex-II Pro devices. Each buffer type can support a variety of current and voltage requirements.

**Table 2-29: Supported Single-Ended I/O Standards**

I/O Standard	Output Source Voltage ( $V_{CCO}$ )	Input Source Voltage ( $V_{CCO}$ )	Input Reference Voltage ( $V_{REF}$ )	Board Termination Voltage ( $V_{TT}$ )
LVC MOS15	1.5	1.5	N/A	N/A
LVC MOS18	1.8	1.8	N/A	N/A
LVC MOS25	2.5	2.5	N/A	N/A
PCI33_3	3.3	3.3	N/A	N/A
PCI66_3	3.3	3.3	N/A	N/A
GTL	Note (1)	N/A	0.80	1.2
GTLP	Note (1)	N/A	1.0	1.5
HSTL_I	1.5	N/A	0.75	0.75
HSTL_II	1.5	N/A	0.75	0.75

Table 2-29: Supported Single-Ended I/O Standards (Continued)

I/O Standard	Output Source Voltage ( $V_{CCO}$ )	Input Source Voltage ( $V_{CCO}$ )	Input Reference Voltage ( $V_{REF}$ )	Board Termination Voltage ( $V_{TT}$ )
HSTL_III	1.5	N/A	0.9	1.5
HSTL_IV	1.5	N/A	0.9	1.5
HSTL_I_18	1.8	N/A	0.9	0.9
HSTL_II_18	1.8	N/A	0.9	0.9
HSTL_III_18	1.8	N/A	1.08	1.8
HSTL_IV_18	1.8	N/A	1.08	1.8
SSTL2_I	2.5	N/A	1.25	1.25
SSTL2_II	2.5	N/A	1.25	1.25
SSTL18_I <sup>(2)</sup>	1.8	N/A	0.9	0.9
SSTL18_II	1.8	N/A	0.9	0.9

**Notes:**

- $V_{CCO}$  of GTL or GTLP should not be lower than the termination voltage or the voltage seen at the I/O pad.
- SSTL18\_I is not a JEDEC-supported standard.

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## Overview of Supported I/O Standards

This section provides a brief overview of I/O standards supported by all Virtex-II Pro devices.

While most I/O standards specify a range of allowed voltages, this document records typical voltage values only. Detailed information on each specification can be found on the Electronic Industry Alliance JEDEC website at:

<http://www.jedec.org>

### LVC MOS25 - 2.5-Volt Low-Voltage CMOS

This standard is an extension of the LVC MOS standard (JESD 8.-5). It is used in general purpose 2.5 volts or lower applications. This standard requires a 2.5V input /output source voltage ( $V_{CCO}$ ), but does not require the use of a reference voltage ( $V_{REF}$ ) or a board termination voltage ( $V_{TT}$ ).

### LVC MOS18 - 1.8-Volt Low-Voltage CMOS

This standard is an extension of the LVC MOS standard. It is used in general purpose 1.8V applications. The use of a reference voltage ( $V_{REF}$ ) or board termination voltage ( $V_{TT}$ ) is not required.

### LVC MOS15 - 1.5-Volt Low-Voltage CMOS

This standard is an extension of the LVC MOS standard. It is used in general purpose 1.5V applications. The use of a reference voltage ( $V_{REF}$ ) or a board termination voltage ( $V_{TT}$ ) is not required.

### PCI - Peripheral Component Interface

The PCI standard specifies support for 33 MHz and 66 MHz PCI bus applications. It uses a LVC MOS input buffer and a Push-Pull output buffer. This standard does not require the use of a reference voltage ( $V_{REF}$ ) or a board termination voltage ( $V_{TT}$ ). However, it does require 3.3V input/output source voltage ( $V_{CCO}$ ).

## GTL - Gunning Transceiver Logic Terminated

The GTL standard is a high-speed bus standard (JESD8.3) invented by Xerox. Xilinx has implemented the terminated variation for this standard. This standard requires a differential amplifier input buffer and an open Drain output buffer.

## GTLP - Gunning Transceiver Logic Plus

The Gunning Transceiver Logic Plus, or GTLP standard is a high-speed bus standard (JESD8.3) first used by the Pentium Pro Processor.

## HSTL - High-speed Transceiver Logic

The high-speed Transceiver Logic, or HSTL standard is a general purpose high-speed, 1.5V bus standard sponsored by IBM (EIA/JESD8-6). This standard has four variations or classes. Virtex-II Pro SelectIO-Ultra supports all four Classes. This standard requires a Differential Amplifier input buffer and a Push-pull output buffer.

## SSTL2 - Stub Series Terminated Logic for 2.5V

The Stub Series Terminated Logic for 2.5V, or SSTL2 standard is a general purpose 2.5V memory bus standard also sponsored by Hitachi and IBM (JESD8-8). This standard has two classes, I and II. Virtex-II Pro SelectIO-Ultra supports both classes for the SSTL2 standard. This standard requires a Differential Amplifier input buffer and a Push-Pull output buffer.

## SSTL18 - Stub Series Terminated Logic for 1.8V

The Stub Series Terminated Logic for 1.8V, or SSTL18 is a general purpose 1.8V memory bus standard. Similar to SSTL2, it has two classes, I and II. (Only Class II is supported by JESD8-15.) Virtex-II Pro SelectIO-Ultra supports both classes for the SSTL18 standard. This standard requires a Differential Amplifier input buffer and a Push-Pull output buffer.

## 3.3V I/O Support

### LVTTL and LVCMOS Support

Using the Xilinx Digitally-Controlled Impedance (DCI) feature, Virtex-II Pro I/Os can interface nominally with LVTTL and LVCMOS I/Os, as long as requirements 1 through 3 below are complied with. In addition, such I/Os must meet all applicable LVDCI requirements as described in [Digitally Controlled Impedance \(DCI\)](#), page 294. For more details on designing 3.3V I/Os, refer to [XAPP659](#).

1. Use only designated 3.3V I/O banks. See [Table 4-1](#), page 410, for the location of these banks. I/Os in these banks operating at 3.3V have the same reliability as other regular I/Os.
2. Use the Low-Voltage Digitally Controlled Impedance (LVDCI\_33) standard. The LVDCI\_33 feature can ensure perfect impedance matching at the output pins. This will eliminate over- and undershoot that could exceed the absolute maximum specifications of the I/Os.
3. LVDCI\_33 does not have input termination. It is necessary to add source resistors near the external LVTTL or LVCMOS drivers that are feeding LVDCI inputs. The combined

impedance of resistor  $R_0$  and the driver must match the impedance of board traces. [Figure 2-75](#) illustrates the requirement.

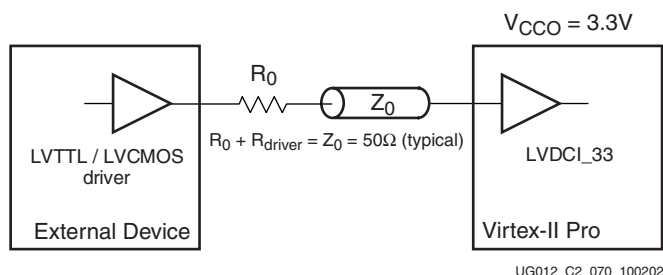


Figure 2-75: Source Resistor for LVDCI\_33 Input

LVDCI\_33 inputs work exactly the same as LVCMOS33 inputs. No VRN/VRP is required if the bank is used for LVDCI input only. If LVDCI outputs are used, the VRN/VRP must be connected to appropriate resistors that match the impedance of the transmission line. JTAG pins are 3.3V-tolerant, even though VCCAUX is 2.5V.

## PCI Support

The supported PCI I/O standards are PCI33\_3 and PCI66\_3. For further information on interfacing a Virtex-II Pro device to a PCI bus, please see the following Xilinx application notes:

- [XAPP646](#), *Connecting Virtex-II Devices to a 3.3V/5V PCI Bus*
- [XAPP653](#), *Virtex-II Pro 3.3V PCI Reference Design*

**NOTE:** The information contained in *both* these application notes must be taken into account when implementing PCI33\_3 or PCI66\_3.

## Library Symbols

The Xilinx library includes an extensive list of symbols designed to provide support for the variety of SelectIO-Ultra features. Most of these symbols represent variations of the five generic SelectIO-Ultra symbols.

- IBUF (input buffer)
- IBUFG (clock input buffer)
- OBUF (output buffer)
- OBUFT (3-state output buffer)
- IOBUF (input/output buffer)

### IBUF

Signals used as inputs to a Virtex-II Pro device must source an input buffer (IBUF) via an external input port. The generic Virtex-II Pro IBUF symbol is shown in [Figure 2-76](#). The extension to the base name defines which I/O standard the IBUF uses. The assumed standard is LVCMOS when the generic IBUF has no specified extension.

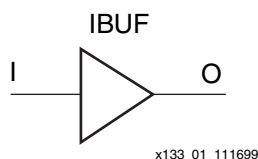


Figure 2-76: Input Buffer (IBUF) Symbols

Table 2-30 details variations of the IBUF symbol for single-ended Virtex-II Pro I/O standards:

Table 2-30: Variations of the IBUF Symbol

IBUF	IBUF_HSTL_II
IBUF_LVCMOS15	IBUF_HSTL_III
IBUF_LVCMOS18	IBUF_HSTL_IV
IBUF_LVCMOS25	IBUF_SSTL2_I
IBUF_GTL	IBUF_SSTL2_II
IBUF_GTLP	IBUF_PCI33_3
IBUF_HSTL_I	IBUF_PCI66_3

When the IBUF symbol supports an I/O standard that requires a differential amplifier input, the IBUF is automatically configured as a differential amplifier input buffer. The low-voltage I/O standards with a differential amplifier input require an external reference voltage input  $V_{REF}$ .

The voltage reference signal is “banked” within the Virtex-II Pro device on a half-edge basis, such that for all packages there are eight independent  $V_{REF}$  banks internally. For a representation of the Virtex-II Pro I/O banks, see Figure 2-78. Within each bank approximately one of every six I/O pins is automatically configured as a  $V_{REF}$  input. After placing a differential amplifier input signal within a given  $V_{REF}$  bank, the same external source must drive all I/O pins configured as a  $V_{REF}$  input.

IBUF placement restrictions require that any differential amplifier input signals within a bank be of the same standard. How to specify a specific location for the IBUF via the LOC property is described below. Table 2-31 summarizes compatibility requirements of Virtex-II Pro input standards.

An optional delay element in the input data path is associated with each IBUF. When the IBUF drives a flip-flop within the IOB, the delay element is activated by default to ensure a zero hold-time requirement at the device input pin. The IOBDELAY = NONE property overrides this default, reducing the input set-up time, but risking a hold-time requirement.

When the IBUF does not drive a flip-flop within the IOB, the delay element is deactivated by default to provide a shorter input set-up time. To delay the input signal, activate the delay element with the IOBDELAY = BOTH property.

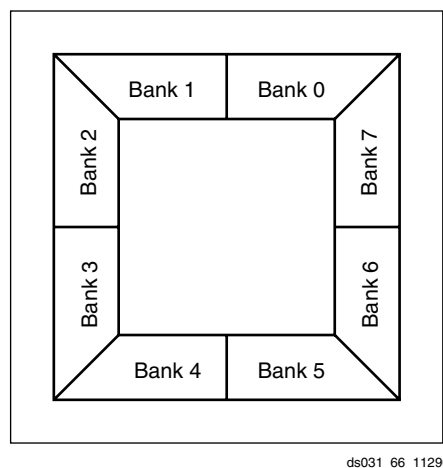
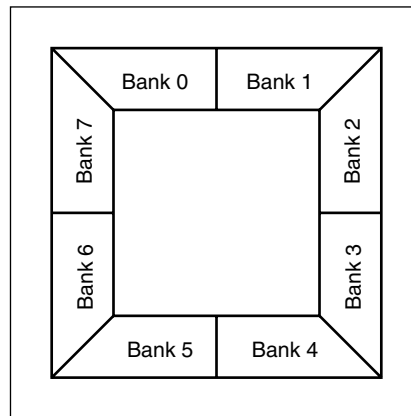


Figure 2-77: Virtex-II Pro I/O Banks: Top View for Flip-Chip Packages (FF)





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Figure 2-78: Virtex-II Pro I/O Banks: Top View for Wire-Bond Package (FG)

Table 2-31: Xilinx Input Standard Compatibility Requirements

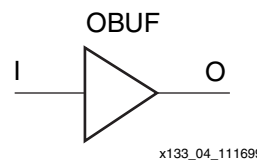
Rule 1	Standards with the same $V_{CCO}$ and $V_{REF}$ can be placed within the same bank.
Rule 2	Standards that don't require a $V_{REF}$ can be placed within the same bank with the standards that have the same $V_{CCO}$ values

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Each bank has its own  $V_{CCO}$  and  $V_{REF}$  voltage. Details on compatible input standards for each  $V_{CCO}$  /  $V_{REF}$  voltage combination are available in the [Virtex-II Pro Data Sheet](#).

## OBUF

An OBUF must drive outputs through an external output port. Figure 2-79 shows the generic output buffer (OBUF) symbol.



x133\_04\_111699

Figure 2-79: Virtex-II Pro Output Buffer (OBUF) Symbol

The extension to the base name defines which I/O standard the OBUF uses. With no extension specified for the generic OBUF symbol, the assumed standard is slew rate limited LVCMOS25 with 12mA drive strength.

The LVCMOS OBUFs can additionally support one of two slew rate modes to minimize bus transients. By default, the slew rate for each output buffer is reduced to minimize power bus transients, when switching non-critical signals.

LVCMOS output buffers have selectable drive strengths. The format for these OBUF symbol names is as follows:

OBUF\_<slew\_rate>\_<drive\_strength>

<slew\_rate> is either F (fast) or S (slow) and <drive\_strength> is specified in milliamperes. For LVCMOS25, the supported drive strengths are 2, 4, 6, 8, 12, 16, and 24. For LVCMOS15 and LVCMOS18, the supported drive strengths are 2, 4, 6, 8, 12, and 16.

Table 2-32 details variations of the OBUF symbol.

Table 2-32: Variations of the OBUF Symbol

OBUF	OBUF_LVCMOS15_F_4	OBUF_LVCMOS25_S_12
OBUF_S_2	OBUF_LVCMOS15_F_6	OBUF_LVCMOS25_S_16
OBUF_S_4	OBUF_LVCMOS15_F_8	OBUF_LVCMOS25_S_24
OBUF_S_6	OBUF_LVCMOS15_F_12	OBUF_LVCMOS25_F_2
OBUF_S_8	OBUF_LVCMOS15_F_16	OBUF_LVCMOS25_F_4
OBUF_S_12	OBUF_LVCMOS18	OBUF_LVCMOS25_F_6
OBUF_S_16	OBUF_LVCMOS18_S_2	OBUF_LVCMOS25_F_8
OBUF_S_24	OBUF_LVCMOS18_S_4	OBUF_LVCMOS25_F_12
OBUF_F_2	OBUF_LVCMOS18_S_6	OBUF_LVCMOS25_F_16
OBUF_F_4	OBUF_LVCMOS18_S_8	OBUF_LVCMOS25_F_24
OBUF_F_6	OBUF_LVCMOS18_S_12	OBUF_PCI33_3
OBUF_F_8	OBUF_LVCMOS18_S_16	OBUF_PCI66-3
OBUF_F_12	OBUF_LVCMOS18_F_2	OBUF_GTL
OBUF_F_16	OBUF_LVCMOS18_F_4	OBUF_GTLP
OBUF_F_24	OBUF_LVCMOS18_F_6	OBUF_HSTL_I
OBUF_LVCMOS15	OBUF_LVCMOS18_F_8	OBUF_HSTL_II
OBUF_LVCMOS15_S_2	OBUF_LVCMOS18_F_12	OBUF_HSTL_III
OBUF_LVCMOS15_S_4	OBUF_LVCMOS18_F_16	OBUF_HSTL_IV
OBUF_LVCMOS15_S_6	OBUF_LVCMOS25	OBUF_SSTL18_I
OBUF_LVCMOS15_S_8	OBUF_LVCMOS25_S_2	OBUF_SSTL18_II
OBUF_LVCMOS15_S_12	OBUF_LVCMOS25_S_4	OBUF_SSTL2_I
OBUF_LVCMOS15_S_16	OBUF_LVCMOS25_S_6	OBUF_SSTL2_II
OBUF_LVCMOS15_F_2	OBUF_LVCMOS25_S_8	

OBUF placement restrictions require that within a given  $V_{CCO}$  bank each OBUF share the same output source drive voltage. Input buffers with the same  $V_{CCO}$  and output buffers that do not require  $V_{CCO}$  can be placed within any  $V_{CCO}$  bank. Table 2-33 summarizes Virtex-II Pro output compatibility requirements. The LOC property can specify a location for the OBUF.

Table 2-33: Output Standards Compatibility Requirements

Rule 1	Only outputs with standards which share compatible $V_{CCO}$ can be used within the same bank.
Rule 2	There are no placement restrictions for outputs with standards that do not require a $V_{CCO}$

Each bank has its own  $V_{CCO}$  voltage. Details on compatible output standards for each  $V_{CCO}$  voltage combination are available in the [Virtex-II Pro Data Sheet](#).

## OBUFT

The generic 3-state output buffer OBUFT, shown in [Figure 2-80](#), typically implements 3-state outputs or bidirectional I/O.

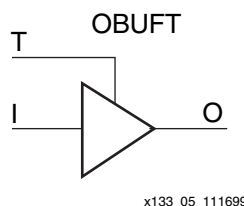


Figure 2-80: 3-State Output Buffer Symbol (OBUFT)

The extension to the base name defines which I/O standard OBUFT uses. With no extension specified for the generic OBUFT symbol, the assumed standard is slew rate limited LVC MOS with 12mA drive strength.

The LVC MOS OBUFT additionally can support one of two slew rate modes to minimize bus transients. By default, the slew rate for each output buffer is reduced to minimize power bus transients, when switching non-critical signals.

LVC MOS 3-state buffers have selectable drive strengths. The format for these OBUFT symbol names is as follows:

OBUFT\_<slew\_rate>\_<drive\_strength>

<slew\_rate> is either F(fast) or S(slow) and <drive\_strength> is specified in milliamperes. For LVC MOS25, the supported drive strengths are 2, 4, 6, 8, 12, 16, and 24. For LVC MOS15 and LVC MOS18, the supported drive strengths are 2, 4, 6, 8, 12, and 16.

[Table 2-34](#) details variations of the OBUFT symbol.

Table 2-34: Variations of the OBUFT Symbol

OBUFT	OBUFT_LVC MOS15_F_2	OBUFT_LVC MOS25_S_6
OBUFT_S_2	OBUFT_LVC MOS15_F_4	OBUFT_LVC MOS25_S_8
OBUFT_S_4	OBUFT_LVC MOS15_F_6	OBUFT_LVC MOS25_S_12
OBUFT_S_6	OBUFT_LVC MOS15_F_8	OBUFT_LVC MOS25_S_16
OBUFT_S_8	OBUFT_LVC MOS15_F_12	OBUFT_LVC MOS25_S_24
OBUFT_S_12	OBUFT_LVC MOS15_F_16	OBUFT_LVC MOS25_F_2
OBUFT_S_16	OBUFT_LVC MOS18	OBUFT_LVC MOS25_F_4
OBUFT_S_24	OBUFT_LVC MOS18_S_2	OBUFT_LVC MOS25_F_6
OBUFT_F_2	OBUFT_LVC MOS18_S_4	OBUFT_LVC MOS25_F_8
OBUFT_F_4	OBUFT_LVC MOS18_S_6	OBUFT_LVC MOS25_F_12
OBUFT_F_6	OBUFT_LVC MOS18_S_8	OBUFT_LVC MOS25_F_16
OBUFT_F_8	OBUFT_LVC MOS18_S_12	OBUFT_LVC MOS25_F_24
OBUFT_F_12	OBUFT_LVC MOS18_S_16	OBUFT_PCI33_3
OBUFT_F_16	OBUFT_LVC MOS18_F_2	OBUFT_PCI66-3
OBUFT_F_24	OBUFT_LVC MOS18_F_4	OBUFT_GTL
OBUFT_LVC MOS15	OBUFT_LVC MOS18_F_6	OBUFT_GTL P
OBUFT_LVC MOS15_S_2	OBUFT_LVC MOS18_F_8	OBUFT_HSTL_I
OBUFT_LVC MOS15_S_4	OBUFT_LVC MOS18_F_12	OBUFT_HSTL_II

Table 2-34: Variations of the OBUFT Symbol (Continued)

OBUFT_LVCMOS15_S_6	OBUFT_LVCMOS18_F_16	OBUFT_HSTL_III
OBUFT_LVCMOS15_S_8	OBUFT_LVCMOS25	OBUFT_HSTL_IV
OBUFT_LVCMOS15_S_12	OBUFT_LVCMOS25_S_2	OBUFT_SSTL2_I
OBUFT_LVCMOS15_S_16	OBUFT_LVCMOS25_S_4	OBUFT_SSTL2_II

OBUFT placement restrictions require that within a given  $V_{CCO}$  bank each OBUFT share the same output source drive voltage. Input buffers with the same  $V_{CCO}$  and output buffers that do not require  $V_{CCO}$  can be placed within any  $V_{CCO}$  bank. The LOC property can specify a location for the OBUFT.

3-state output buffers and bidirectional buffers can have either a weak pull-up resistor, a weak pull-down resistor, or a weak “keeper” circuit. Control this feature by adding the appropriate symbol to the output net of the OBUFT (PULLUP, PULLDOWN, or KEEPER).

The weak “keeper” circuit requires the input buffer within the IOB to sample the I/O signal. Thus, OBUFTs programmed for an I/O standard that requires a  $V_{REF}$  have automatic placement of a  $V_{REF}$  in the bank with an OBUFT configured with a weak “keeper” typically implement a bidirectional I/O. In this case, the IBUF (and the corresponding  $V_{REF}$ ) are placed explicitly.

## IOBUF

Use the IOBUF symbol for bidirectional signals that require both an input buffer and a 3-state output buffer with an active High 3-state pin. Figure 2-81 shows the generic input/output IOBUF buffer.

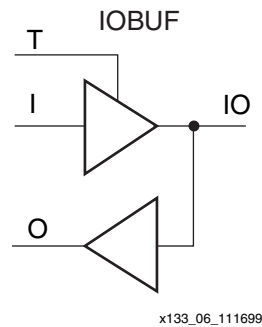


Figure 2-81: Input/Output Buffer Symbol (IOBUF)

The extension to the base name defines which I/O standard the IOBUF uses. With no extension specified for the generic IOBUF symbol, the assumed standard is LVCMOS input buffer and slew rate limited LVCMOS with 12mA drive strength for the output buffer.

The LVCMOS IOBUF can additionally support one of two slew rate modes to minimize bus transients. By default, the slew rate for each output buffer is reduced to minimize power bus transients, when switching non-critical signals.

LVCMOS output buffers have selectable drive strengths. The format for these IOBUF symbol names is as follows:

IOBUF\_<slew\_rate>\_<drive\_strength>

<slew\_rate> is either F (fast) or S (slow) and <drive\_strength> is specified in milliamperes. For LVCMOS25, the supported drive strengths are 2, 4, 6, 8, 12, 16, and 24. For LVCMOS15

and LVCMOS18, the supported drive strengths are 2, 4, 6, 8, 12, and 16. [Table 2-35](#) details variations of the IOBUF symbol.

**Table 2-35: Variations of the IOBUF Symbol**

IOBUF	IOBUF_LVCMOS15_F_4	IOBUF_LVCMOS25_S_12
IOBUF_S_2	IOBUF_LVCMOS15_F_6	IOBUF_LVCMOS25_S_16
IOBUF_S_4	IOBUF_LVCMOS15_F_8	IOBUF_LVCMOS25_S_24
IOBUF_S_6	IOBUF_LVCMOS15_F_12	IOBUF_LVCMOS25_F_2
IOBUF_S_8	IOBUF_LVCMOS15_F_16	IOBUF_LVCMOS25_F_4
IOBUF_S_12	IOBUF_LVCMOS18	IOBUF_LVCMOS25_F_6
IOBUF_S_16	IOBUF_LVCMOS18_S_2	IOBUF_LVCMOS25_F_8
IOBUF_S_24	IOBUF_LVCMOS18_S_4	IOBUF_LVCMOS25_F_12
IOBUF_F_2	IOBUF_LVCMOS18_S_6	IOBUF_LVCMOS25_F_16
IOBUF_F_4	IOBUF_LVCMOS18_S_8	IOBUF_LVCMOS25_F_24
IOBUF_F_6	IOBUF_LVCMOS18_S_12	IOBUF_PCI33_3
IOBUF_F_8	IOBUF_LVCMOS18_S_16	IOBUF_PCI66-3
IOBUF_F_12	IOBUF_LVCMOS18_F_2	IOBUF_GTL
IOBUF_F_16	IOBUF_LVCMOS18_F_4	IOBUF_GTLP
IOBUF_F_24	IOBUF_LVCMOS18_F_6	IOBUF_HSTL_I
IOBUF_LVCMOS15	IOBUF_LVCMOS18_F_8	IOBUF_HSTL_II
IOBUF_LVCMOS15_S_2	IOBUF_LVCMOS18_F_12	IOBUF_HSTL_III
IOBUF_LVCMOS15_S_4	IOBUF_LVCMOS18_F_16	IOBUF_HSTL_IV
IOBUF_LVCMOS15_S_6	IOBUF_LVCMOS25	IOBUF_SSTL18_I
IOBUF_LVCMOS15_S_8	IOBUF_LVCMOS25_S_2	IOBUF_SSTL18_II
IOBUF_LVCMOS15_S_12	IOBUF_LVCMOS25_S_4	IOBUF_SSTL2_I
IOBUF_LVCMOS15_S_16	IOBUF_LVCMOS25_S_6	IOBUF_SSTL2_II
IOBUF_LVCMOS15_F_2	IOBUF_LVCMOS25_S_8	

When the IOBUF symbol supports an I/O standard that requires a differential amplifier input, IOBUF is automatically configured as a differential amplifier input buffer. Low-voltage I/O standards with a differential amplifier input require an external reference voltage input  $V_{REF}$ .

The voltage reference signal is “banked” within the Virtex-II Pro device on a half-edge basis, such that for all packages there are eight independent  $V_{REF}$  banks internally. For a representation of the Virtex-II Pro I/O banks, see [Figure 2-78](#). Within each bank approximately one of every twelve I/O pins is automatically configured as a  $V_{REF}$  input. After placing a differential amplifier input signal within a given  $V_{REF}$  bank, the same external source must drive all I/O pins configured as a  $V_{REF}$  input.

IOBUF placement restrictions require any differential amplifier input signals within a bank be of the same standard.

Additional restrictions on Virtex-II Pro SelectIO-Ultra IOBUF placement require that within a given  $V_{CCO}$  bank each IOBUF share the same output source drive voltage. Input buffers with the same  $V_{CCO}$  and output buffers that do not require  $V_{CCO}$  can be placed within any  $V_{CCO}$  bank. The LOC property can specify a location for the IOBUF.

An optional delay element is associated with the input path in each IOBUF. When the IOBUF drives an input flip-flop within the IOB, the delay element is activated by default to ensure the zero hold-time requirement. Override this default with the IOBDELAY = NONE property.

In the case when the IOBUF does not drive an input flip-flop within the IOB, the delay element is deactivated by default to provide higher performance. To delay the input signal, activate the delay element with the IOBDELAY = BOTH property.

3-state output buffers and bidirectional buffers can have a weak pull-up resistor, a weak pull-down resistor, or a weak “keeper” circuit. Control this feature by adding the appropriate symbol to the output net of the IOBUF (PULLUP, PULLDOWN, or KEEPER).

## SelectIO-Ultra Properties

Access to some SelectIO-Ultra features (for example, location constraints, input delay, output drive strength, and slew rate) is available through properties associated with these features.

### Input Delay Properties

An optional delay element is associated with the input path in each IBUF. When the IBUF drives an input flip-flop within the IOB, the delay element activates by default to ensure the zero hold-time requirement. Override this default with the IOBDELAY = NONE property.

In the case when the IBUF does not drive an input flip-flop within the IOB, the delay element is deactivated by default to provide higher performance. To delay the input signal, activate the delay element with the IOBDELAY = BOTH property.

### IOB Flip-Flop/Latch Properties

The Virtex-II Pro Series I/O block (IOB) includes two optional registers on the input path, two optional registers on the output path, and two optional registers on the 3-state control pin. The design implementation software automatically takes advantage of these registers when the following option for the MAP program is specified.

```
Map -pr b <filename>
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Alternatively, the IOB = TRUE property can be placed on a register to force the mapper to place the register in an IOB.

The two registers for each path makes designing double-data-rate (DDR) logic much simpler. Each pair of the registers has separate clock inputs, which can be driven by either the positive edge or the negative edge of the clock. Users can use both edges of the clocks to clock data in and out from the IOB. For details on DDR, see [Double-Data-Rate \(DDR\) I/O, page 310](#).

### Location Constraints

Specify the location of each SelectIO-Ultra symbol with the location constraint LOC attached to the SelectIO-Ultra symbol. The external port identifier indicates the value of the location constrain. The format of the port identifier depends on the package chosen for the specified design.

The LOC properties use the following form:

- LOC=A42;
- LOC=P37;

### Output Slew Rate Property

As mentioned above, a variety of symbol names provide the option of choosing the desired slew rate for the output buffers. In the case of the LVCMOS output buffers (OBUF, OBUFT, and IOBUF), slew rate control can be alternatively programmed with the

SLEW = property. By the default, the slew rate for each output buffer is reduced to minimize power bus transients when switching non-critical signals. The SLEW = property has one of the two following values:

- SLEW = SLOW
- SLEW = FAST

## Output Drive Strength Property

The desired output drive strength can be additionally specified by choosing the appropriate library symbol. The Xilinx library also provides an alternative method for specifying this feature. For the LVC MOS output buffers (OBUF, OBUFT, and IOBUF), the desired drive strength can be specified with the DRIVE = property. This property could have one of the following values:

- DRIVE = 2
- DRIVE = 4
- DRIVE = 6
- DRIVE = 8
- DRIVE = 12
- DRIVE = 16
- DRIVE = 24

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## Design Considerations

### Reference Voltage ( $V_{REF}$ ) Pins

Low-voltage I/O standards with a differential amplifier input buffer require an input reference voltage ( $V_{REF}$ ). Provide the  $V_{REF}$  as an external signal to the device.

The voltage reference signal is “banked” within the Virtex-II Pro device on a half-edge basis such that for all packages there are eight independent  $V_{REF}$  banks internally. See [Figure 2-78](#) for a representation of the Virtex-II Pro I/O banks. Within each bank approximately one of every twelve I/O pins is automatically configured as a  $V_{REF}$  input. After placing a differential amplifier input signal within a given  $V_{REF}$  bank, the same external source must drive all I/O pins configured as a  $V_{REF}$  input.

Within each  $V_{REF}$  bank, any input buffers that require a  $V_{REF}$  signal must be of the same type. Output buffers that have the same  $V_{CCO}$  values as the input buffers can be placed within the same  $V_{REF}$  bank.

### Output Drive Source Voltage ( $V_{CCO}$ ) Pins

Many of the low-voltage I/O standards supported by SelectIO-Ultra devices require a different output drive source voltage ( $V_{CCO}$ ). As a result each device can often have to support multiple output drive source voltages.

Output buffers within a given  $V_{CCO}$  bank must share the same output drive source voltage. Input buffers for LVC MOS15, LVC MOS18, LVC MOS25, PCI33\_3, and PCI66\_3 use the  $V_{CCO}$  voltage for input  $V_{CCO}$  voltage.

### Transmission Line Effects

The delay of an electrical signal along a wire is dominated by the rise and fall times when the signal travels a short distance. Transmission line delays vary with inductance and capacitance. But a well-designed board can experience delays of approximately 180ps per inch. Transmission line effects, or reflections, typically start at 1.5" for fast (1.5ns) rise and fall times. Poor (or non-existent) termination or changes in the transmission line impedance cause these reflections and can cause additional delay in longer traces. As a



system speeds continue to increase, the effect of I/O delays can become a limiting factor and therefore transmission line termination becomes increasingly more important.

## Termination Techniques

A variety of termination techniques reduce the impact of transmission line effects.

The following are output termination techniques:

- None
- Series
- Parallel (Shunt)
- Series and Parallel (Series-Shunt)

The following are input termination techniques:

- None
- Parallel (Shunt)

These termination techniques can be applied in any combination. A generic example of each combination of termination methods appears in [Figure 2-82](#).

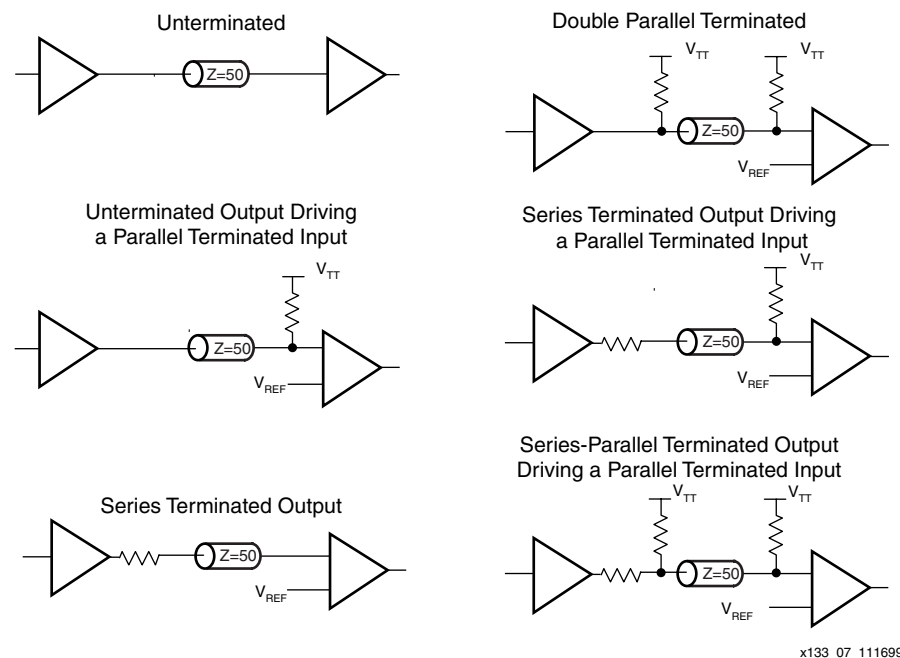


Figure 2-82: Overview of Standard Input and Output Termination Methods

## Simultaneous Switching Guidelines

Ground bounce can occur with high-speed digital ICs when multiple outputs change states simultaneously, causing undesired transient behavior on an output or in the internal logic. This is also referred to as the Simultaneous Switching Output (SSO) problem.

Ground bounce is primarily due to current changes in the combined inductance of ground pins, bond wires, and group metallization. The IC internal ground level deviates from the external system ground level for a short duration (a few nanoseconds) after multiple outputs change state simultaneously.

Ground bounce affects stable low outputs and all inputs because they interpret the incoming signal by comparing it to the internal ground. If the ground bounce amplitude exceeds the actual instantaneous noise margin, then a non-changing input can be interpreted as changing. [Table 2-36](#) provides the guidelines for the maximum number of simultaneously switching outputs allowed per output power/ground pair to avoid the effects of ground bounce. (See [Note 1](#) at the end of the table for qualifications.) Refer to



Table 2-37 for the number of effective output power/ground pairs for each Virtex-II Pro device and package combination.

#### Note on LVDCI Drivers

Table 2-36 shows LVDCI guidelines only for 50Ω impedance. For higher reference resistor (RR) values, less drive strength is needed, and the SSO limit increases linearly. To calculate the SSO limit for an LVDCI driver with different reference resistors, the following formula is used:

$$\text{New SSO Limit} = \frac{\text{New RR Value}}{50\Omega} \times \text{SSO Limit for } 50\Omega$$

*Example:*

If using the LVDCI\_18 driver with 65Ω reference resistors, the LVDCI\_18 SSO limit for 50Ω impedance is first taken from the table. The SSO limit for LVDCI\_18 at 50Ω is 11 per power/ground pin pair. Therefore, the SSO limit for LVDCI\_18 at 65Ω is  $(65\Omega / 50\Omega) \times 11 = 14$  per power/ground pin pair.

**Table 2-36: Guidelines for Maximum Number of Simultaneously Switching Outputs per Power/Ground Pair<sup>(1)</sup>**

Standard	Package: FG, FF
LVDCI_15 (50Ω impedance)	10
LVDCI_DV2_15 (25Ω impedance)	5
LVC MOS15_2_slow	51
LVC MOS15_4_slow	31
LVC MOS15_6_slow	22
LVC MOS15_8_slow	17
LVC MOS15_12_slow	11
LVC MOS15_16_slow	8
LVC MOS15_2_fast	30
LVC MOS15_4_fast	18
LVC MOS15_6_fast	13
LVC MOS15_8_fast	10
LVC MOS15_12_fast	8
LVC MOS15_16_fast	6
LVDCI_18 (50Ω impedance)	11
LVDCI_DV2_18 (25Ω impedance)	5
LVC MOS18_2_slow	58
LVC MOS18_4_slow	35
LVC MOS18_6_slow	25
LVC MOS18_8_slow	19
LVC MOS18_12_slow	13
LVC MOS18_16_slow	10

**Table 2-36: Guidelines for Maximum Number of Simultaneously Switching Outputs per Power/Ground Pair<sup>(1)</sup> (Continued)**

Standard	Package: FG, FF
LVC MOS18_2_fast	34
LVC MOS18_4_fast	20
LVC MOS18_6_fast	15
LVC MOS18_8_fast	11
LVC MOS18_12_fast	9
LVC MOS18_16_fast	7
LVDCI_25 50Ω impedance	13
LVDCI_DV2_25 25Ω impedance	6
LVC MOS25_2_slow	68
LVC MOS25_4_slow	41
LVC MOS25_6_slow	29
LVC MOS25_8_slow	22
LVC MOS25_12_slow	15
LVC MOS25_16_slow	11
LVC MOS25_24_slow	7
LVC MOS25_2_fast	40
LVC MOS25_4_fast	24
LVC MOS25_6_fast	17
LVC MOS25_8_fast	13
LVC MOS25_12_fast	10
LVC MOS25_16_fast	8
LVC MOS25_24_fast	5
LVDCI_33 (50Ω impedance)	13
LVDCI_DV2_33 (25Ω impedance)	6
PCI33/66/X	8
GTL	4
GTL_DCI	3
GTLP	4
GTLP_DCI	3
HSTLI	20
HSTLI_DCI	20
HSTLII	10
HSTLII_DCI	7

**Table 2-36: Guidelines for Maximum Number of Simultaneously Switching Outputs per Power/Ground Pair<sup>(1)</sup> (Continued)**

Standard	Package: FG, FF
HSTLIII	8
HSTLIII_DCI	8
HSTLIV	4
HSTLIV_DCI	4
SSTL18_I	20
SSTL18_I_DCI	20
SSTL18_II	10
SSTL18_II_DCI	6
SSTL2_I	15
SSTL2_I_DCI	15
SSTL2_II	10
SSTL2_II_DCI	5

**Notes:**

1. The maximum number of simultaneously switching outputs per power/ground pair may be less than the number given in this table if the external bypass capacitor solution has a high series inductance. This table presumes the use of ultra-low inductance bypass capacitors. Refer to [VCC Decoupling](#), page 500.

Since some of the ground pins are shared inside the package, the effective power/ground pairs per bank may be fewer than the physical power/ground pair pins. The following tables show the number of equivalent power/ground pairs.

[Table 2-37](#) shows the number of pairs in banks 0, 1, 4, and 5 (top and bottom edges of the die), while [Table 2-38](#) shows the numbers in banks 2, 3, 6, and 7. This is because MGTs reside on the top and bottom edge only.

**Table 2-37: Virtex-II Pro Equivalent Power/Ground Pairs per Bank, Top/Bottom**

Package	For Banks 0, 1, 4, and 5 (Top/Bottom Sides):									
	2VP2	2VP4	2VP7	2VP20	2VP30	2VP40	2VP50	2VP70	2VP100	2VP125
FG256	2	2								
FG456	3	3	3							
FG672	4	4	6							
FF896			6	9	9					
FF1152				9	9	11	11			
FF1148						11	11			
FF1517						11	13	15		
FF1704								15	16	16
FF1696									16	16

Table 2-38: Virtex-II Pro Equivalent Power/Ground Pairs per Bank, Left/Right

Package	For Banks 2, 3, 6, and 7 (Left/Right Sides):									
	2VP2	2VP4	2VP7	2VP20	2VP30	2VP40	2VP50	2VP70	2VP100	2VP125
FG256	2	2								
FG456	2	4	4							
FG672	3	6	6							
FF896			9	11	11					
FF1152				11	11	11	11			
FF1148						12	12			
FF1517						15	15	15		
FF1704								16	16	16
FF1696									16	16

## Application Example

Creating a design with the SelectIO-Ultra feature requires either assignment of the IOSTANDARD attribute in the constraint file or instantiation of the desired library symbol within the design code.

To enter the IOSTANDARD attribute in the constraint file (UCF file), the following syntax can be used:

```
NET <pad net name> IOSTANDARD=<the name of the standard>
```

For example, to enter LVCMOS25 standard, use

```
NET <pad net name> IOSTANDARD=LVCMOS25;
```

To instantiate a library symbol in the HDL code, use the proper input or output buffer name, and follow the standard syntax of instantiation.

For example, to instantiate a GTL input buffer in VHDL, the following syntax can be used:

```
GTL_buffer : IBUF_GTL port map (I=>data_in, O=>data_gtl_in);
```

At the board level, designers need to know the termination techniques required for each I/O standard.

This section describes some common application examples illustrating the termination techniques recommended by each of the single-ended standard supported by the SelectIO-Ultra features.

## Termination Example

Circuit examples involving typical termination techniques for each of the SelectIO-Ultra standards follow. For a full range of accepted values for the DC voltage specifications for each standard, refer to the table associated with each figure.

The resistors used in each termination technique example and the transmission lines depicted represent board level components and are not meant to represent components on the device.

# GTL

A sample circuit illustrating a valid termination technique for GTL is shown in [Figure 2-83](#).

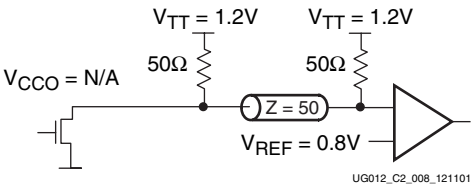


Figure 2-83: GTL Terminated

[Table 2-39](#) lists DC voltage specifications.

Table 2-39: GTL Voltage Specifications

Parameter	Min	Typ	Max
$V_{CCO}$	-	N/A	-
$V_{REF} = N \times V_{TT}^{(1)}$	0.74	0.8	0.86
$V_{TT}$	1.14	1.2	1.26
$V_{IH} \geq V_{REF} + 0.05$	0.79	0.85	-
$V_{IL} \leq V_{REF} - 0.05$	-	0.75	0.81
$V_{OH}$	-	-	-
$V_{OL}$	-	0.2	0.4
$I_{OH}$ at $V_{OH}$ (mA)	-	-	-
$I_{OL}$ at $V_{OL}$ (mA) at 0.4V	32	-	-
$I_{OL}$ at $V_{OL}$ (mA) at 0.2V	-	-	40

**Notes:**

1. N must be greater than or equal to 0.653 and less than or equal to 0.68.

## GTL +

Figure 2-84 shows a sample circuit illustrating a valid termination technique for GTLP.

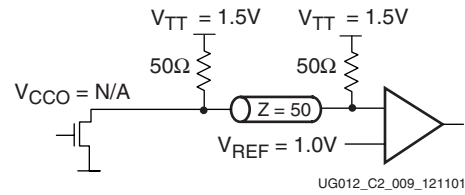


Figure 2-84: GTLP Terminated

Table 2-40 lists DC voltage specifications.

Table 2-40: GTLP Voltage Specifications

Parameter	Min	Typ	Max
$V_{CCO}$	-	-	-
$V_{REF} = N \times V_{TT}^{(1)}$	0.88	1.0	1.12
$V_{TT}$	1.35	1.5	1.65
$V_{IH} \geq V_{REF} + 0.1$	0.98	1.1	-
$V_{IL} \leq V_{REF} - 0.1$	-	0.9	1.02
$V_{OH}$	-	-	-
$V_{OL}$	0.3	0.45	0.6
$I_{OH}$ at $V_{OH}$ (mA)	-	-	-
$I_{OL}$ at $V_{OL}$ (mA) at 0.6V	36	-	-
$I_{OL}$ at $V_{OL}$ (mA) at 0.3V	-	-	48

### Notes:

1.  $N$  must be greater than or equal to 0.653 and less than or equal to 0.68.

# HSTL Class I

Figure 2-85 shows a sample circuit illustrating a valid termination technique for HSTL\_I.

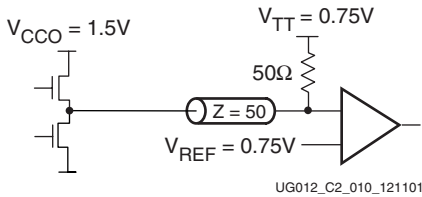


Figure 2-85: Terminated HSTL Class I

Table 2-41 lists DC voltage specifications.

Table 2-41: HSTL Class I Voltage Specification

Parameter	MIN	TYP	MAX
$V_{CCO}$	1.40	1.50	1.60
$V_{REF}$	0.68	0.75	0.90
$V_{TT}$	-	$V_{CCO} \times 0.5$	-
$V_{IH}$	$V_{REF} + 0.1$	-	-
$V_{IL}$	-	-	$V_{REF} - 0.1$
$V_{OH}$	$V_{CCO} - 0.4$	-	-
$V_{OL}$	-	-	0.4
$I_{OH}$ at $V_{OH}$ (mA)	-8	-	-
$I_{OL}$ at $V_{OL}$ (mA)	8	-	-

## HSTL Class II

Figure 2-86 shows a sample circuit illustrating a valid termination technique for HSTL\_II.

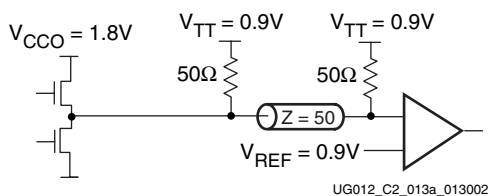


Figure 2-86: Terminated HSTL Class II

Table 2-42 lists DC voltage specifications.

Table 2-42: HSTL Class II Voltage Specification

Parameter	MIN	TYP	MAX
$V_{CCO}$	1.40	1.50	1.60
$V_{REF}^{(1)}$	-	0.75	-
$V_{TT}$	-	$V_{CCO} \times 0.5$	-
$V_{IH}$	$V_{REF} + 0.1$	-	-
$V_{IL}$	-	-	$V_{REF} - 0.1$
$V_{OH}$	$V_{CCO} - 0.4$	-	-
$V_{OL}$	-	-	0.4
$I_{OH}$ at $V_{OH}$ (mA)	-16	-	-
$I_{OL}$ at $V_{OL}$ (mA)	16	-	-

**Notes:**

- Per EIA/JESD8-6, "The value of  $V_{REF}$  is to be selected by the user to provide optimum noise margin in the use conditions specified by the user."



# HSTL Class III

Figure 2-87 shows a sample circuit illustrating a valid termination technique for HSTL\_III.

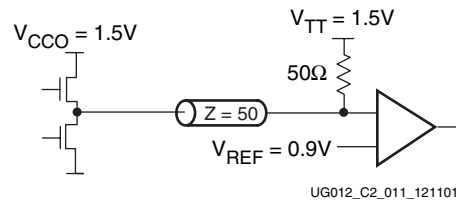


Figure 2-87: Terminated HSTL Class III

Table 2-43 lists DC voltage specifications.

Table 2-43: HSTL Class III Voltage Specification

Parameter	MIN	TYP	MAX
$V_{CCO}$	1.40	1.50	1.60
$V_{REF}^{(1)}$	-	0.90	-
$V_{TT}$	-	$V_{CCO}$	-
$V_{IH}$	$V_{REF} + 0.1$	-	-
$V_{IL}$	-	-	$V_{REF} - 0.1$
$V_{OH}$	$V_{CCO} - 0.4$	-	-
$V_{OL}$	-	-	0.4
$I_{OH}$ at $V_{OH}$ (mA)	-8	-	-
$I_{OL}$ at $V_{OL}$ (mA)	24	-	-

**Notes:**

1. Per EIA/JESD8-6, "The value of  $V_{REF}$  is to be selected by the user to provide optimum noise margin in the use conditions specified by the user."

## HSTL Class IV

Figure 2-88 shows a sample circuit illustrating a valid termination technique for HSTL\_IV.

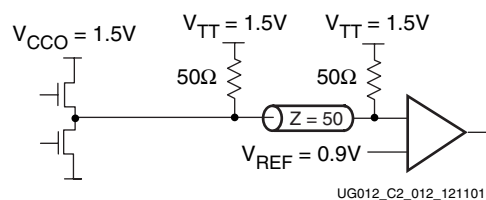


Figure 2-88: Terminated HSTL Class IV

Table 2-44 lists DC voltage specifications.

Table 2-44: HSTL Class IV Voltage Specification

Parameter	MIN	TYP	MAX
$V_{CCO}$	1.40	1.50	1.60
$V_{REF}$	-	0.90	-
$V_{TT}$	-	$V_{CCO}$	-
$V_{IH}$	$V_{REF} + 0.1$	-	-
$V_{IL}$	-	-	$V_{REF} - 0.1$
$V_{OH}$	$V_{CCO} - 0.4$	-	-
$V_{OL}$	-	-	0.4
$I_{OH}$ at $V_{OH}$ (mA)	-8	-	-
$I_{OL}$ at $V_{OL}$ (mA)	48	-	-

**Notes:**

1. Per EIA/JESD8-6, "The value of  $V_{REF}$  is to be selected by the user to provide optimum noise margin in the use conditions specified by the user.

## HSTL Class I (1.8V)

Figure 2-89 shows a sample circuit illustrating a valid termination technique for HSTL\_I.

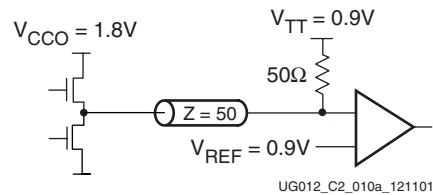


Figure 2-89: Terminated HSTL Class I (1.8V)

Table 2-45 lists DC voltage specifications.

Table 2-45: HSTL Class I (1.8V) Voltage Specification

Parameter	MIN	TYP	MAX
$V_{CCO}$	1.7	1.8	1.9
$V_{REF}$	0.8	0.9	1.1
$V_{TT}$	-	$V_{CCO} \times 0.5$	-
$V_{IH}$	$V_{REF} + 0.1$	-	-
$V_{IL}$	-	-	$V_{REF} - 0.1$
$V_{OH}$	$V_{CCO} - 0.4$	-	-
$V_{OL}$	-	-	0.4
$I_{OH}$ at $V_{OH}$ (mA)	-8	-	-
$I_{OL}$ at $V_{OL}$ (mA)	8	-	-

## HSTL Class II (1.8V)

Figure 2-90 shows a sample circuit illustrating a valid termination technique for HSTL\_II.

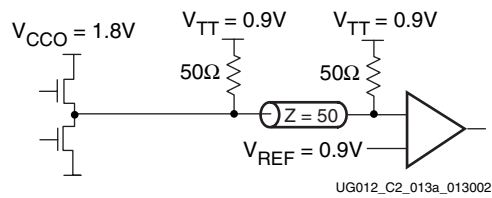


Figure 2-90: Terminated HSTL Class II (1.8V)

Table 2-46 lists DC voltage specifications.

Table 2-46: HSTL Class II (1.8V) Voltage Specification

Parameter	MIN	TYP	MAX
$V_{CCO}$	1.7	1.8	1.9
$V_{REF}^{(1)}$	-	0.9	-
$V_{TT}$	-	$V_{CCO} \times 0.5$	-
$V_{IH}$	$V_{REF} + 0.1$	-	-
$V_{IL}$	-	-	$V_{REF} - 0.1$
$V_{OH}$	$V_{CCO} - 0.4$	-	-
$V_{OL}$	-	-	0.4
$I_{OH}$ at $V_{OH}$ (mA)	-16	-	-
$I_{OL}$ at $V_{OL}$ (mA)	16	-	-

**Notes:**

- Per EIA/JESD8-6, "The value of  $V_{REF}$  is to be selected by the user to provide optimum noise margin in the use conditions specified by the user."

### HSTL Class III (1.8V)

Figure 2-91 shows a sample circuit illustrating a valid termination technique for HSTL\_III.

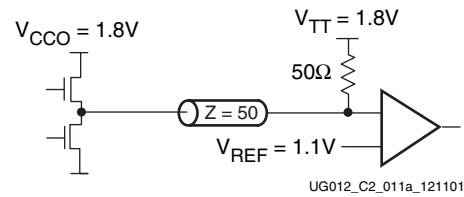


Figure 2-91: Terminated HSTL Class III (1.8V)

Table 2-47 lists DC voltage specifications.

Table 2-47: HSTL Class III (1.8V) Voltage Specification

Parameter	MIN	TYP	MAX
$V_{CCO}$	1.7	1.8	1.9
$V_{REF}^{(1)}$	-	1.1	-
$V_{TT}$	-	$V_{CCO}$	-
$V_{IH}$	$V_{REF} + 0.1$	-	-
$V_{IL}$	-	-	$V_{REF} - 0.1$
$V_{OH}$	$V_{CCO} - 0.4$	-	-
$V_{OL}$	-	-	0.4
$I_{OH}$ at $V_{OH}$ (mA)	-8	-	-
$I_{OL}$ at $V_{OL}$ (mA)	24	-	-

**Notes:**

1. Per EIA/JESD8-6, "The value of  $V_{REF}$  is to be selected by the user to provide optimum noise margin in the use conditions specified by the user."

## HSTL Class IV (1.8V)

Figure 2-92 shows a sample circuit illustrating a valid termination technique for HSTL\_IV.

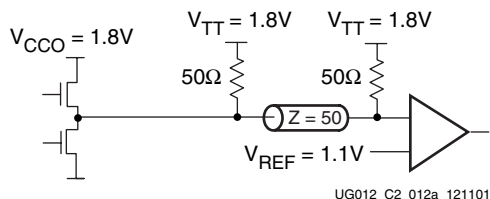


Figure 2-92: Terminated HSTL Class IV (1.8V)

Table 2-48 lists DC voltage specifications.

Table 2-48: HSTL Class IV (1.8V) Voltage Specification

Parameter	MIN	TYP	MAX
$V_{CCO}$	1.7	1.8	1.9
$V_{REF}$	-	1.1	-
$V_{TT}$	-	$V_{CCO}$	-
$V_{IH}$	$V_{REF} + 0.1$	-	-
$V_{IL}$	-	-	$V_{REF} - 0.1$
$V_{OH}$	$V_{CCO} - 0.4$	-	-
$V_{OL}$	-	-	0.4
$I_{OH}$ at $V_{OH}$ (mA)	-8	-	-
$I_{OL}$ at $V_{OL}$ (mA)	48	-	-

**Notes:**

- Per EIA/JESD8-6, "The value of  $V_{REF}$  is to be selected by the user to provide optimum noise margin in the use conditions specified by the user.

# SSTL2\_I

Figure 2-93 shows a sample circuit illustrating a valid termination technique for SSTL2\_I.

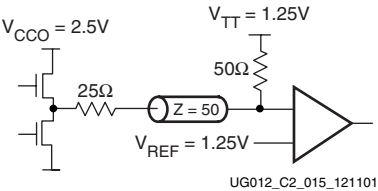


Figure 2-93: Terminated SSTL2\_I

Table 2-49 lists DC voltage specifications.

Table 2-49: SSTL2\_I Voltage Specifications

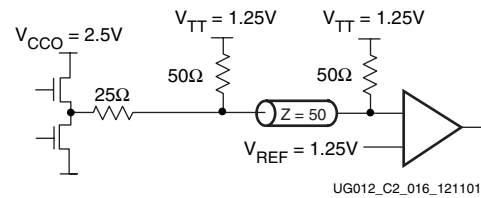
Parameter	Min	Typ	Max
$V_{CCO}$	2.3	2.5	2.7
$V_{REF} = 0.5 \times V_{CCO}$	1.13	1.25	1.38
$V_{TT} = V_{REF} + N^{(1)}$	1.11	1.25	1.39
$V_{IH} \geq V_{REF} + 0.18$	1.3	1.43	3.0 <sup>(2)</sup>
$V_{IL} \leq V_{REF} - 0.18$	-0.3 <sup>(3)</sup>	1.07	1.2
$V_{OH} \geq V_{REF} + 0.61^{(4)}$	1.74	1.84	1.99
$V_{OL} \leq V_{REF} - 0.61^{(4)}$	0.52	0.66	0.77
$I_{OH}$ at $V_{OH}$ (mA)	-8.1	-	-
$I_{OL}$ at $V_{OL}$ (mA)	8.1	-	-

**Notes:**

1. N must be greater than or equal to -0.04 and less than or equal to 0.04.
2.  $V_{IH}$  maximum is  $V_{CCO} + 0.3$ .
3.  $V_{IL}$  minimum does not conform to the formula.
4.  $V_{OH}$  and  $V_{OL}$  will be different for SSTL2\_I\_DCI, because it uses a controlled-impedance driver.

## SSTL2\_II

Figure 2-94 shows a sample circuit illustrating a valid termination technique for SSTL2\_II.



*Figure 2-94: Terminated SSTL2\_II*

Table 2-50 lists DC voltage specifications.

**Table 2-50: SSTL2\_II Voltage Specifications**

Parameter	Min	Typ	Max
V <sub>CCO</sub>	2.3	2.5	2.7
V <sub>REF</sub> = 0.5 × V <sub>CCO</sub>	1.13	1.25	1.38
V <sub>TT</sub> = V <sub>REF</sub> + N <sup>(1)</sup>	1.11	1.25	1.42
V <sub>IH</sub> ≥ V <sub>REF</sub> + 0.15	1.30	1.43	3.0 <sup>(2)</sup>
V <sub>IL</sub> ≤ V <sub>REF</sub> − 0.15	−0.3 <sup>(3)</sup>	1.07	1.2
V <sub>OH</sub> ≥ V <sub>REF</sub> + 0.8 <sup>(4)</sup>	1.93	2.06	-
V <sub>OL</sub> ≤ V <sub>REF</sub> − 0.8 <sup>(4)</sup>	-	0.44	0.55
I <sub>OH</sub> at V <sub>OH</sub> (mA)	−16.2	-	-
I <sub>OL</sub> at V <sub>OL</sub> (mA)	16.2	-	-

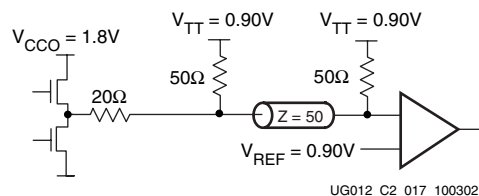
**Notes:**

1. N must be greater than or equal to  $-0.04$  and less than or equal to  $0.04$ .
2.  $V_{IH}$  maximum is  $V_{CCO} + 0.3$ .
3.  $V_{IL}$  minimum does not conform to the formula.
4.  $V_{OH}$  and  $V_{OL}$  will be different for SSTL2\_I/O\_DCI, because it uses a controlled-impedance driver.



## SSTL18\_II

Figure 2-95 shows a sample circuit illustrating a valid termination technique for SSTL18\_II.



**Figure 2-95: Terminated SSTL18\_II**

Table 2-51 lists DC voltage specifications.

**Table 2-51: SSTL18\_II Voltage Specifications (JEDEC8-15)**

Parameter	Min	Typ	Max
$V_{CCO}$	1.7	1.8	1.9
$V_{REF} = 0.5 \times V_{CCO}$	0.833	0.9	0.969
$V_{TT} = V_{REF} + N^{(1)}$	0.793	0.9	1.009
$V_{IH} \geq V_{REF} + 0.15$	0.958		2.2
$V_{IL} \leq V_{REF} - 0.15$	-0.3		0.844
$V_{OH} \geq V_{REF} + 0.8^{(4)}$	1.396		
$V_{OL} \leq V_{REF} - 0.8^{(4)}$			0.406
$I_{OH}$ at $V_{OH}$ (mA)	-13.4		
$I_{OL}$ at $V_{OL}$ (mA)	13.4		

## PCI33\_3 and PCI66\_3

Table 2-52 lists DC voltage specifications.

Table 2-52: PCI33\_3 and PCI66\_3 Voltage Specifications

Parameter	Min	Typ	Max
$V_{CCO}$	3.0	3.3	3.5
$V_{REF}$	-	-	-
$V_{TT}$	-	-	-
$V_{IH} = 0.5 \times V_{CCO}$	1.5	1.65	$V_{CCO} + 0.5$
$V_{IL} = 0.3 \times V_{CCO}$	-0.5	0.99	1.08
$V_{OH} = 0.9 \times V_{CCO}$	2.7	-	-
$V_{OL} = 0.1 \times V_{CCO}$	-	-	0.36
$I_{OH}$ at $V_{OH}$ (mA)	(Note 1)	-	-
$I_{OL}$ at $V_{OL}$ (mA)	(Note 1)	-	-

**Notes:**

1. Tested according to the relevant specification.

## LVC MOS15

Table 2-53 lists DC voltage specifications.

Table 2-53: LVC MOS15 Voltage Specifications

Parameter	Min	Typ	Max
$V_{CCO}$	-	1.5	-
$V_{REF}$	-	-	-
$V_{TT}$	-	-	-
$V_{IH} = 0.7 \times V_{CCO}$	1.05	-	1.65
$V_{IL} = 0.2 \times V_{CCO}$	-0.5	-	0.3
$V_{OH} = V_{CCO} - 0.45$	-	1.05	-
$V_{OL}$	-	-	0.4
$I_{OH}$ at $V_{OH}$ (mA)	-16	-	-
$I_{OL}$ at $V_{OL}$ (mA)	16	-	-

## LVC MOS18

Table 2-54 lists DC voltage specifications.

Table 2-54: LVC MOS18 Voltage Specifications

Parameter	Min	Typ	Max
$V_{CCO}$	1.7	1.8	1.9
$V_{REF}$	-	-	-
$V_{TT}$	-	-	-
$V_{IH} = 0.7 \times V_{CCO}$	1.19	-	1.95
$V_{IL} = 0.2 \times V_{CCO}$	-0.5	-	0.4
$V_{OH} = V_{CCO} - 0.4$	1.3	-	-
$V_{OL}$	-	-	0.4
$I_{OH}$ at $V_{OH}$ (mA)	-16	-	-
$I_{OL}$ at $V_{OL}$ (mA)	16	-	-

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## LVC MOS25

Table 2-55 lists DC voltage specifications.

Table 2-55: LVC MOS25 Voltage Specifications

Parameter	Min	Typ	Max
$V_{CCO}$	2.3	2.5	2.7
$V_{REF}$	-	-	-
$V_{TT}$	-	-	-
$V_{IH}$	1.7	-	2.7
$V_{IL}$	-0.5	-	0.7
$V_{OH}$	1.9	-	-
$V_{OL}$	-	-	0.4
$I_{OH}$ at $V_{OH}$ (mA)	-24	-	-
$I_{OL}$ at $V_{OL}$ (mA)	24	-	-

## Digitally Controlled Impedance (DCI)

### Introduction

As FPGAs get bigger and system clock speeds get faster, PC board design and manufacturing becomes more difficult. With ever faster edge rates, maintaining signal integrity becomes a critical issue. Designers must make sure that most PC board traces are terminated properly to avoid reflections or ringing.

To terminate a trace, resistors are traditionally added to make the output and/or input match the impedance of the receiver or driver to the impedance of the trace. However, due to the increase in device I/O counts, adding resistors close to the device pins increases the board area and component count, and in some cases might even be physically impossible. To address these issues and to achieve better signal integrity, Xilinx developed a new I/O technology for the Virtex-II and Virtex-II Pro device families, Digitally Controlled Impedance (DCI).

DCI adjusts the output impedance or input termination to accurately match the characteristic impedance of the transmission line. DCI actively adjusts the impedance of the I/O to equal an external reference resistance. This compensates for changes in I/O impedance due to process variation. It also continuously adjusts the impedance of the I/O to compensate for variations of temperature and supply voltage fluctuations.

In the case of controlled impedance drivers, DCI controls the driver impedance to match two reference resistors, or optionally, to match half the value of these reference resistors. DCI eliminates the need for external series termination resistors.

DCI provides the parallel or series termination for transmitters or receivers. This eliminates the need for termination resistors on the board, reduces board routing difficulties and component count, and improves signal integrity by eliminating stub reflection. Stub reflection occurs when termination resistors are located too far from the end of the transmission line. With DCI, the termination resistors are as close as possible to the output driver or the input buffer, thus, eliminating stub reflections.

### Xilinx DCI

DCI uses two multi-purpose reference pins in each bank to control the impedance of the driver or the parallel termination value for all of the I/Os of that bank. The N reference pin (VRN) must be pulled up to  $V_{CCO}$  by a reference resistor, and the P reference pin (VRP) must be pulled down to ground by another reference resistor. The value of each reference resistor should be equal to the characteristic impedance of the PC board traces, or should be twice that value (configuration option).

When a DCI I/O standard is used on a particular bank, the two multi-purpose reference pins cannot be used as regular I/Os. However, if DCI I/O standards are not used in the bank, these pins are available as regular I/O pins. Check the Virtex-II Pro pinout for detailed pin descriptions.

DCI adjusts the impedance of the I/O by selectively turning transistors in the I/Os on or off. The impedance is adjusted to match the external reference resistors. The impedance adjustment process has two phases. The first phase, which compensates for process variations, is done during the device startup sequence. The second phase, which maintains the impedance in response to temperature and supply voltage changes, begins immediately after the first phase and continues indefinitely, even while the part is operating. By default, the DONE pin does not go High until the first phase of the impedance adjustment process has completed.

If users do not wish to have the second phase enabled, they should use the FreezeDCI option in BitGen. If FreezeDCI is used, Phase One is the only impedance adjustment.

For controlled impedance output drivers, the impedance can be adjusted either to match the reference resistors or half the resistance of the reference resistors. For on-chip termination, the termination is always adjusted to match the reference resistors.

DCI can configure output drivers to be the following types:

1. Controlled Impedance Driver (Source Termination)
2. Controlled Impedance Driver with Half Impedance (Source Termination)

It can also configure inputs to have the following types of on-chip terminations:

1. Input termination to  $V_{CCO}$  (Single Termination)
2. Input termination to  $V_{CCO}/2$  (Split Termination, Thevenin equivalent)

For bidirectional operation, both ends of the line can be DCI-terminated permanently:

1. Driver with termination to  $V_{CCO}$  (Single Termination)
2. Driver with termination to  $V_{CCO}/2$  (Split Termination, Thevenin equivalent)

Alternatively, bidirectional point-to-point lines can use controlled-impedance drivers (with 3-state buffers) on both ends.

## Controlled Impedance Driver (Source Termination)

Some I/O standards, such as LVCMOS, must have a drive impedance that matches the characteristic impedance of the driven line. DCI can provide controlled impedance output drivers that eliminate reflections without an external source termination. The impedance is set by the external reference resistors, whose resistance should be equal to the trace impedance.

The DCI I/O standards that support Controlled Impedance Driver are: LVDCI\_15, LVDCI\_18, LVDCI\_25, and LVDCI\_33. Figure 2-96 illustrates a controlled impedance driver inside Virtex-II Pro device.

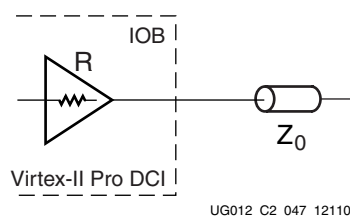


Figure 2-96: Controlled Impedance Driver

## Controlled Impedance Driver with Half Impedance (Source Termination)

DCI can also provide drivers with one half of the impedance of the reference resistors. The DCI I/O standards that support controlled impedance driver with half-impedance are LVDCI\_DV2\_15, LVDCI\_DV2\_18, and LVDCI\_DV2\_25.

Figure 2-97 illustrates a controlled driver with half impedance inside a Virtex-II Pro device. Note that reference resistors  $R$  must be  $2 \cdot Z_0$  in order to match an impedance of  $Z_0$ .

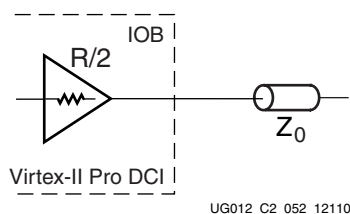


Figure 2-97: Controlled Impedance Driver with Half Impedance

## Input Termination to $V_{CCO}$ (Single Termination)

Some I/O standards, such as HSTL Class III, IV, etc., require an input termination to  $V_{CCO}$ . See Figure 2-98.

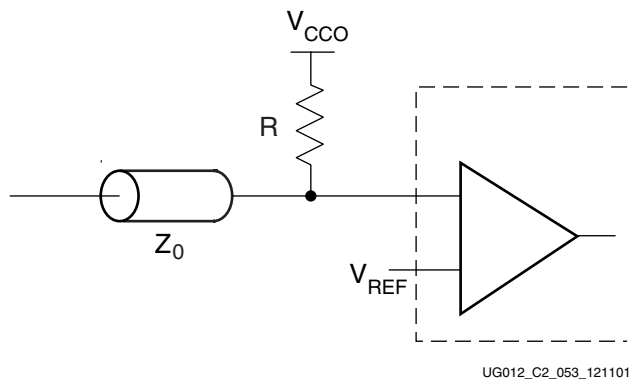


Figure 2-98: Input Termination to  $V_{CCO}$  without DCI

DCI can provide this termination to  $V_{CCO}$  using single termination. The termination resistance is set by the reference resistors. For GTL and HSTL standards, they should be controlled by 50-ohm reference resistors. The DCI I/O standards that support single termination are: GTL\_DCI, GTLP\_DCI, HSTL\_III\_DCI, HSTL\_III\_DCI\_18, HSTL\_IV\_DCI, and HSTL\_IV\_DCI\_18.

Figure 2-99 illustrates single termination inside a Virtex-II Pro device.

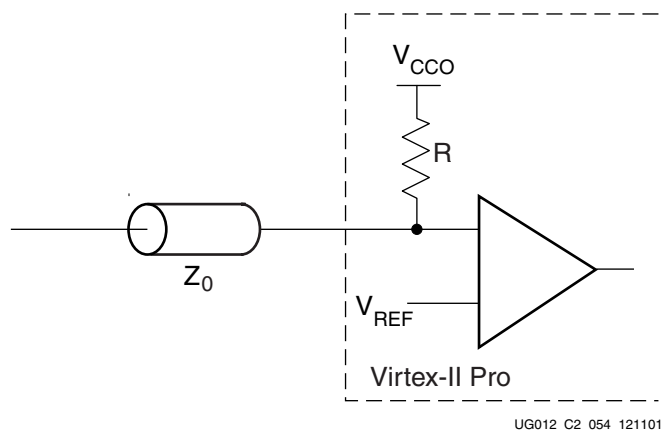
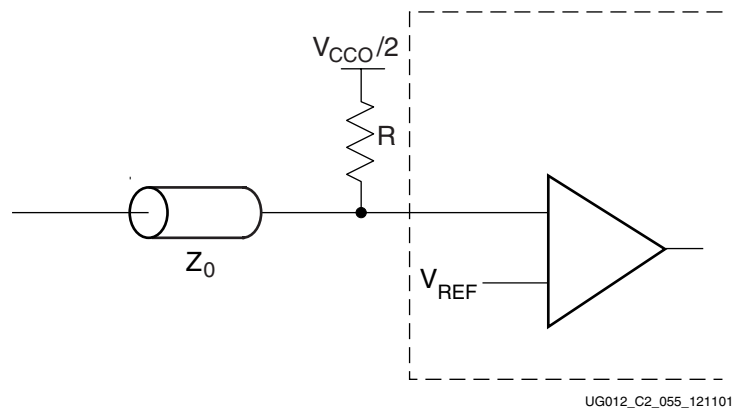


Figure 2-99: Input Termination Using DCI Single Termination

## Input Termination to $V_{CCO}/2$ (Split Termination)

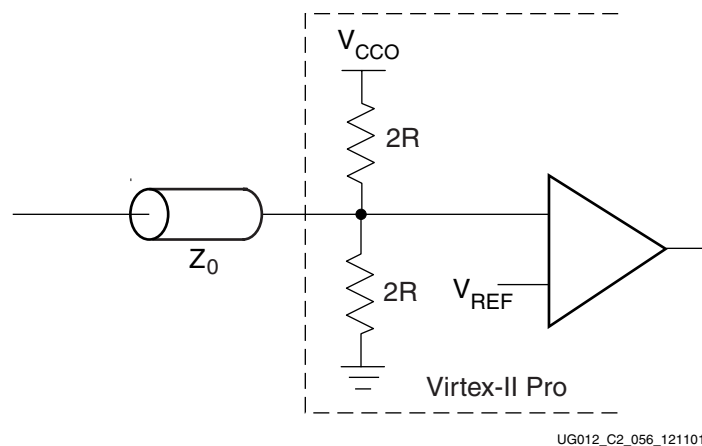
Some I/O standards, such as HSTL Class I and II, require an input termination voltage of  $V_{CCO}/2$ . See [Figure 2-100](#).



**Figure 2-100: Input Termination to  $V_{CCO}/2$  without DCI**

This is equivalent to having a split termination composed of two resistors. One terminates to  $V_{CCO}$ , the other to ground. The resistor values are  $2R$ . DCI provides termination to  $V_{CCO}/2$  using split termination. The termination resistance is set by the external reference resistors, i.e., the resistors to  $V_{CC}$  and ground are each twice the reference resistor value. If users are planning to use HSTL or SSTL standards, the reference resistors should be 50-ohms. The DCI I/O standards that support split termination are: HSTL\_I\_DCI, HSTL\_I\_DCI\_18, HSTL\_II\_DCI, HSTL\_II\_DCI\_18, SSTL2\_I\_DCI, and SSTL2\_II\_DCI.

[Figure 2-101](#) illustrates split termination inside a Virtex-II Pro device.

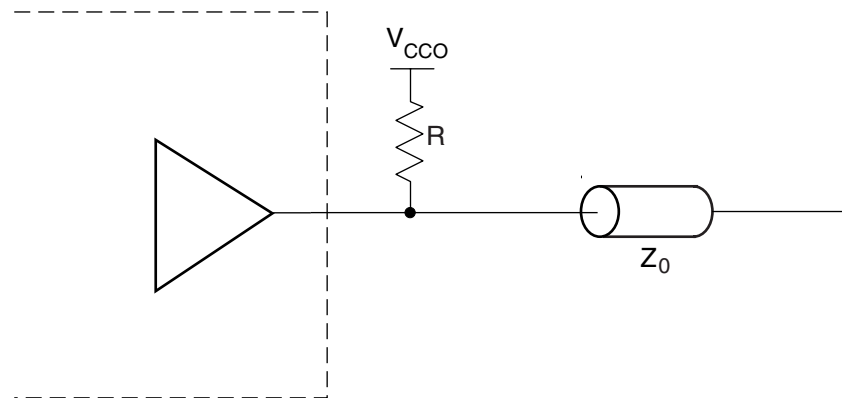


**Figure 2-101: Input Termination to  $V_{CCO}/2$  Using DCI Split Termination**

## Driver with Termination to $V_{CCO}$ (Single Termination)

Some I/O standards, such as HSTL Class IV, require an output termination to  $V_{CCO}$ .

Figure 2-102 illustrates the output termination to  $V_{CCO}$ .

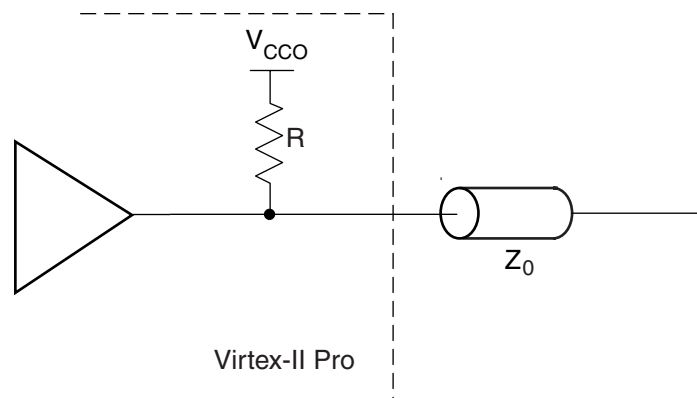


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Figure 2-102: Driver with Termination to  $V_{CCO}$  without DCI

DCI can provide this termination to  $V_{CCO}$  using single termination. In this case, DCI only controls the impedance of the termination, but not the driver. If users are planning to use GTL or HSTL standards, the external reference resistors should be 50-ohms. The DCI I/O standards that support a driver with single termination are: GTL\_DCI, GTLP\_DCI, HSTL\_IV\_DCI, and HSTL\_IV\_DCI\_18.

Figure 2-103 illustrates a driver with single termination inside a Virtex-II Pro device



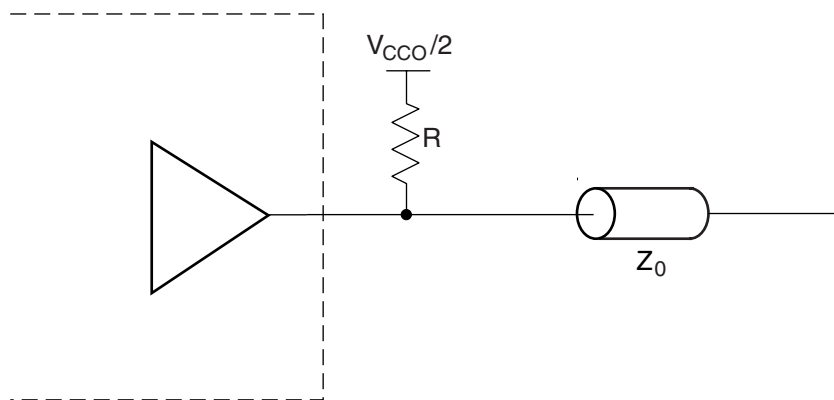
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Figure 2-103: Driver with Termination to  $V_{CCO}$  Using DCI Single Termination



## Driver with Termination to $V_{CCO}/2$ (Split Termination)

Some I/O standards, such as HSTL Class II, require an output termination to  $V_{CCO}/2$ . See [Figure 2-104](#).

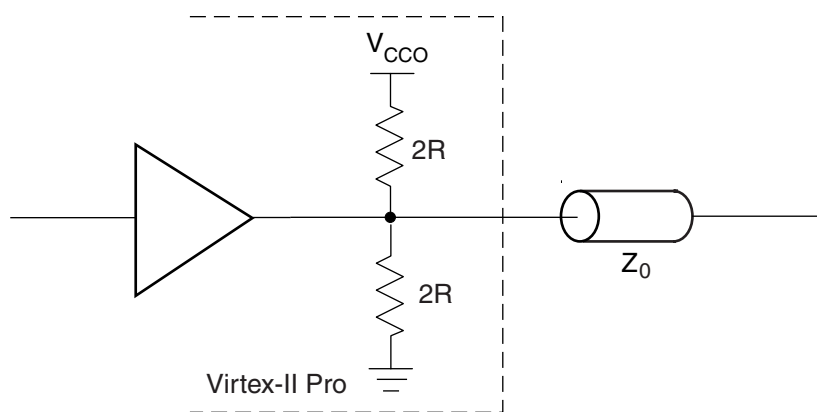


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**Figure 2-104: Driver with Termination to  $V_{CCO}/2$  without DCI**

DCI can provide this termination to  $V_{CCO}/2$  using split termination. It only controls the impedance of the termination, but not the driver. For HSTL or SSTL standards, the external reference resistors should be 50-ohms. The DCI I/O standards that support a Driver with split termination are: HSTL\_II\_DCI, HSTL\_II\_DCI\_18, and SSTL2\_II\_DCI.

[Figure 2-105](#) illustrates a driver with split termination inside a Virtex-II Pro device.



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**Figure 2-105: Driver with Termination to  $V_{CCO}/2$  Using DCI Split Termination**

## Software Support

This section lists the valid DCI I/O buffer library components and describes how to use DCI in the Xilinx software.

### DCI I/O Buffer Library Components

The DCI input buffer library components, including global clock buffer, are the following:

- IBUFGDS\_LVDSEXT\_25\_DCI
- IBUFGDS\_LVDS\_25\_DCI
- IBUFDS\_LVDSEXT\_25\_DCI
- IBUFDS\_LVDS\_25\_DCI
- IBUFG\_GTLP\_DCI
- IBUFG\_GTL\_DCI
- IBUFG\_HSTL\_I\_DCI
- IBUFG\_HSTL\_II\_DCI
- IBUFG\_HSTL\_III\_DCI
- IBUFG\_HSTL\_IV\_DCI
- IBUFG\_HSTL\_I\_DCI\_18
- IBUFG\_HSTL\_II\_DCI\_18
- IBUFG\_HSTL\_III\_DCI\_18
- IBUFG\_HSTL\_IV\_DCI\_18
- IBUFG\_LVDCI\_15
- IBUFG\_LVDCI\_18
- IBUFG\_LVDCI\_25
- IBUFG\_LVDCI\_33
- IBUFG\_LVDCI\_DV2\_15
- IBUFG\_LVDCI\_DV2\_18
- IBUFG\_LVDCI\_DV2\_25
- IBUFG\_SSTL2\_I\_DCI
- IBUFG\_SSTL2\_II\_DCI
- IBUF\_GTLP\_DCI
- IBUF\_GTL\_DCI
- IBUF\_HSTL\_I\_DCI
- IBUF\_HSTL\_II\_DCI
- IBUF\_HSTL\_III\_DCI
- IBUF\_HSTL\_IV\_DCI
- IBUF\_LVDCI\_15
- IBUF\_LVDCI\_18
- IBUF\_LVDCI\_25
- IBUF\_LVDCI\_33
- IBUF\_LVDCI\_DV2\_15
- IBUF\_LVDCI\_DV2\_18
- IBUF\_LVDCI\_DV2\_25

- IBUF\_SSTL2\_I\_DCI
- IBUF\_SSTL2\_II\_DCI

The following are DCI output buffer library components:

- OBUF\_GTLP\_DCI
- OBUF\_GTL\_DCI
- OBUF\_HSTL\_I\_DCI
- OBUF\_HSTL\_II\_DCI
- OBUF\_HSTL\_III\_DCI
- OBUF\_HSTL\_IV\_DCI
- OBUF\_HSTL\_I\_DCI\_18
- OBUF\_HSTL\_II\_DCI\_18
- OBUF\_HSTL\_III\_DCI\_18
- OBUF\_HSTL\_IV\_DCI\_18
- OBUF\_LVDCI\_15
- OBUF\_LVDCI\_18
- OBUF\_LVDCI\_25
- OBUF\_LVDCI\_33
- OBUF\_LVDCI\_DV2\_15
- OBUF\_LVDCI\_DV2\_18
- OBUF\_LVDCI\_DV2\_25
- OBUF\_SSTL2\_I\_DCI
- OBUF\_SSTL2\_II\_DCI

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The following are DCI 3-state output buffer library components:

- OBUFT\_GTLP\_DCI
- OBUFT\_GTL\_DCI
- OBUFT\_HSTL\_I\_DCI
- OBUFT\_HSTL\_II\_DCI
- OBUFT\_HSTL\_III\_DCI
- OBUFT\_HSTL\_IV\_DCI
- OBUFT\_HSTL\_I\_DCI\_18
- OBUFT\_HSTL\_II\_DCI\_18
- OBUFT\_HSTL\_III\_DCI\_18
- OBUFT\_HSTL\_IV\_DCI\_18
- OBUFT\_LVDCI\_15
- OBUFT\_LVDCI\_18
- OBUFT\_LVDCI\_25
- OBUFT\_LVDCI\_33
- OBUFT\_LVDCI\_DV2\_15

- OBUFT\_LVDCI\_DV2\_18
- OBUFT\_LVDCI\_DV2\_25
- OBUFT\_SSTL2\_I\_DCI
- OBUFT\_SSTL2\_II\_DCI

The following are DCI I/O buffer library components:

- IOBUF\_GTLP\_DCI
- IOBUF\_GTL\_DCI
- IOBUF\_HSTL\_II\_DCI
- IOBUF\_HSTL\_IV\_DCI
- IOBUF\_SSTL2\_II\_DCI
- IOBUF\_HSTL\_II\_DCI\_18
- IOBUF\_HSTL\_IV\_DCI\_18
- IOBUF\_LVDCI\_15
- IOBUF\_LVDCI\_18
- IOBUF\_LVDCI\_25
- IOBUF\_LVDCI\_33
- IOBUF\_LVDCI\_DV2\_15
- IOBUF\_LVDCI\_DV2\_18
- IOBUF\_LVDCI\_DV2\_25

## How to Use DCI in the Software

There are two ways for users to use DCI for Virtex-II Pro devices:

1. Use the IOSTANDARD attribute in the constraint file.
2. Instantiate DCI input or output buffers in the HDL code.

## IOSTANDARD Attribute

The IOSTANDARD attribute can be entered through the NCF or UCF file. The syntax is as follows:

```
NET <net name> IOSTANDARD = LVDCI_25;
```

Where <net name> is the name between the IPAD and IBUF or OPAD or OBUF. For HDL designs, this name is the same as the port name.

The following are valid DCI attributes for output drivers:

- LVDCI\_15
- LVDCI\_18
- LVDCI\_25
- LVDCI\_33
- LVDCI\_DV2\_15
- LVDCI\_DV2\_18
- LVDCI\_DV2\_25

The following are valid DCI attributes for terminations:

- GTL\_DCI
- GTLP\_DCI

- HSTL\_I\_DCI
- HSTL\_II\_DCI
- HSTL\_III\_DCI
- HSTL\_IV\_DCI
- HSTL\_I\_DCI\_18
- HSTL\_II\_DCI\_18
- HSTL\_III\_DCI\_18
- HSTL\_IV\_DCI\_18
- SSTL2\_I\_DCI
- SSTL2\_II\_DCI

## VHDL Example

Instantiating DCI input and output buffers is the same as instantiating any other I/O buffers. Users must make sure that the correct I/O buffer names are used and follow the standard syntax of instantiation.

For example, to instantiate a HSTL Class I output DCI buffer, the following syntax can be used:

HSTL\_DCI\_buffer: OBUF\_HSTL\_I\_DCI port map (I=>data\_out, O=>data\_out\_DCI);

Below is an example VHDL code that instantiates four 2.5V LVDCI drivers and four HSTL Class I outputs.

```
-- Module: DCI_TEST
--
-- Description: VHDL example for DCI SelectIO-Ultra
-- Device: Virtex-II Pro Family
-----
library ieee;
use ieee.std_logic_1164.all;
use ieee.std_logic_unsigned.all;

entity dci_test is
port (clk, reset, ce, control : in std_logic;
      A, B : in std_logic_vector (3 downto 0);
      Dout : out std_logic_vector (3 downto 0);
      muxout : out std_logic_vector (3 downto 0));
end dci_test;

architecture dci_arch of dci_test is

--DCI output buffer component declaration
component OBUF_LVDCI_25 port (I : in std_logic; O : out std_logic);
end component;
attribute syn_black_box : boolean;
attribute black_box_pad_pin : string;
attribute syn_black_box of OBUF_LVDCI_25 : component is true;
attribute black_box_pad_pin of OBUF_LVDCI_25 : component is "O";

--HSTL Class I DCI output buffer component declaration
component OBUF_HSTL_I_DCI port (I : in std_logic; O: out std_logic);
end component;
attribute syn_black_box of OBUF_HSTL_I_DCI : component is true;
attribute black_box_pad_pin of OBUF_HSTL_I_DCI : component is "O";

signal muxout_int : std_logic_vector (3 downto 0);
signal dout_int : std_logic_vector (3 downto 0);
```

```

begin

process (clk, reset)
begin
    if (reset = '1') then
        dout_int<="0000";
    elsif (clk'event and clk='1') then
        dout_int<=dout_int+1;
    end if;
end process;

process (controls, A, B, DOUT_INT)
begin
    if (control='1') then
        muxout_int<=A and B;
    else
        muxout_int<=Dout_int;
    end if;
end process;

U0 : OBUF_LVDCI_25 port map(
    I=>dout_int(0),
    O=>dout(0));

U1 : OBUF_LVDCI_25 port map(
    I=>dout_int(1),
    O=>dout(1));
U2 : OBUF_LVDCI_25 port map(
    I=>dout_int(2),
    O=>dout(2));
U3 : OBUF_LVDCI_25 port map(
    I=>dout_int(3),
    O=>dout(3));

K0 : OBUF_HSTL_I_DCI port map(
    I=>muxout_int(0),
    O=>muxout(0));

K1 : OBUF_HSTL_I_DCI port map(
    I=>muxout_int(1),
    O=>muxout(1));
K2 : OBUF_HSTL_I_DCI port map(
    I=>muxout_int(2),
    O=>muxout(2));
K3 : OBUF_HSTL_I_DCI port map(
    I=>muxout_int(3),
    O=>muxout(3));

end dci_arch;

```

## DCI in Virtex-II Pro Hardware

DCI works with single-ended I/O standards and the 2.5V LVDS I/O standard. DCI supports the following Virtex-II Pro standards:

LVDCI, LVDCI\_DV2, GTL\_DCI, GTLP\_DCI, HSTL\_I\_DCI, HSTL\_II\_DCI, HSTL\_III\_DCI, HSTL\_IV\_DCI, HSTL\_I\_DCI\_18, HSTL\_II\_DCI\_18, HSTL\_III\_DCI\_18, HSTL\_IV\_DCI\_18, SSTL2\_I\_DCI, SSTL2\_II\_DCI, LVDS\_25, and LVDS\_25.

To correctly use DCI in a Virtex-II Pro device, users must follow the following rules:

1. Virtex-II Pro I/Os can support 3.3V LVTTTL and LVCMOS using LVDCI. Refer to [3.3V I/O Support, page 264](#), for details.
2.  $V_{CCO}$  pins must be connected to the appropriate  $V_{CCO}$  voltage based on the IOSTANDARDS in that bank.
3. Correct DCI I/O buffers must be used in the software either by using IOSTANDARD attributes or instantiations in the HDL code.
4. External reference resistors must be connected to multipurpose pins (VRN and VRP) in the bank. These two multipurpose pins cannot be used as regular user I/Os. Refer to the Virtex-II Pro pinouts for the specific pin locations. Pin VRN must be pulled up to  $V_{CCO}$  by its reference resistor. Pin VRP must be pulled down to ground by its reference resistor.
5. The value of the external reference resistors should be selected to give the desired output impedance. If using GTL\_DCI, HSTL\_DCI, or SSTL\_DCI I/O standards, then they should be 50 ohms.
6. The values of the reference resistors must be within the supported range ( $20\Omega - 100\Omega$ ).
7. Follow the DCI I/O banking rules.

The DCI I/O banking rules are the following:

1.  $V_{REF}$  must be compatible for all of the inputs in the same bank.
2.  $V_{CCO}$  must be compatible for all of the inputs and outputs in the same bank.
3. No more than one DCI I/O standard using Single Termination type is allowed per bank.
4. No more than one DCI I/O standard using Split Termination type is allowed per bank.
5. Single Termination and Split Termination, Controlled Impedance Driver, and Controlled Impedance Driver with Half Impedance can co-exist in the same bank.

The behavior of DCI 3-state outputs is as follows:

If a LVDCI or LVDCI\_DV2 driver is in 3-state, the driver is 3-stated. If a Driver with Single or Split Termination is in 3-state, the driver is 3-stated but the termination resistor remains.

The following section lists any special care actions that must be taken for each DCI I/O standard.

## LVDCI\_15, LVDCI\_18, LVDCI\_25, LVDCI\_33

Using these buffers configures the outputs as controlled impedance drivers. The number extension at the end indicates the  $V_{CCO}$  voltage that should be used. For example, 15 means  $V_{CCO}=1.5V$ , etc. There is no slew rate control or drive strength settings for LVDCI drivers.

### LVDCI Support for 3.3V I/O Standards

Virtex-II Pro I/Os can support 3.3V LVTTTL and LVCMOS using LVDCI\_33. Refer to [3.3V I/O Support, page 264](#), for the details.

## LVDCI\_DV2\_15, LVDCI\_DV2\_18, LVDCI\_DV2\_25

Using these buffers configures the outputs as controlled drivers with half impedance. The number extension at the end indicates the  $V_{CCO}$  voltage that should be used. For example, 15 means  $V_{CCO}=1.5V$ , etc. There is no slew rate control or drive strength settings for LVDCI\_DV2 drivers.

## GTL\_DCI

GTL does not require a  $V_{CCO}$  voltage. However, for GTL\_DCI,  $V_{CCO}$  must be connected to 1.2V. GTL\_DCI provides single termination to  $V_{CCO}$  for inputs or outputs.

## GTLP\_DCI

GTLP does not require a  $V_{CCO}$  voltage. However, for GTLP\_DCI,  $V_{CCO}$  must be connected to 1.5V. GTLP\_DCI provides single termination to  $V_{CCO}$  for inputs or outputs.

## HSTL\_I\_DCI, HSTL\_III\_DCI, HSTL\_I\_DCI\_18, HSTL\_III\_DCI\_18

HSTL\_I\_DCI provides split termination to  $V_{CCO}/2$  for inputs. HSTL\_III\_DCI provides single termination to  $V_{CCO}$  for inputs.

## HSTL\_II\_DCI, HSTL\_IV\_DCI, HSTL\_II\_DCI\_18, HSTL\_IV\_DCI\_18

HSTL\_II\_DCI provides split termination to  $V_{CCO}/2$  for inputs or outputs. HSTL\_IV\_DCI provides single termination to  $V_{CCO}$  for inputs or outputs.

## SSTL2\_I\_DCI, SSTL2\_II\_DCI

SSTL2\_I\_DCI and SSTL2\_II\_DCI provide split termination to  $V_{CCO}/2$  for inputs. These I/O standards provide SSTL compatibility. Note that SSTL2\_I\_DCI and SSTL2\_II\_DCI have  $V_{OH}$  and  $V_{OL}$  levels that are different than non-DCI SSTL2\_I and SSTL2\_II levels.

## LVDS\_25\_DCI, LVDSEXT\_25\_DCI

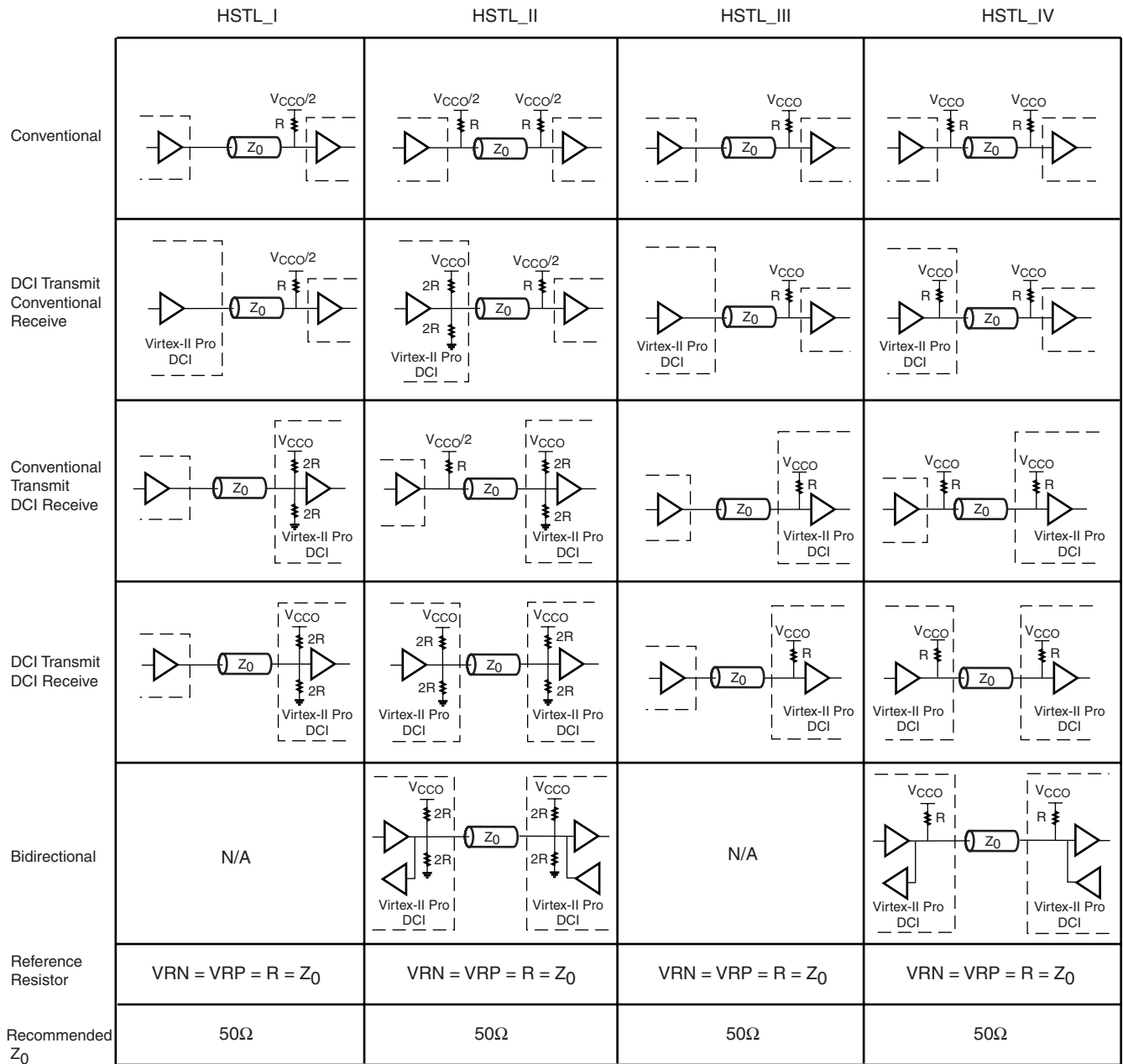
LVDS\_25\_DCI and LVDSEXT\_25\_DCI provide split termination for the P and N inputs only. VRP and VRN should connect to 50 $\Omega$  resistors.

Equivalently, it provides 100 $\Omega$  differential impedance between the LVDS inputs.

## DCI Usage Examples

- **Figure 2-106, page 307**, provides examples illustrating the use of the HSTL\_I\_DCI, HSTL\_II\_DCI, HSTL\_III\_DCI, and HSTL\_IV\_DCI I/O standards.
- **Figure 2-107, page 308**, provides examples illustrating the use of the SSTL2\_I\_DCI and SSTL2\_II\_DCI I/O standards.
- **Figure 2-108, page 309**, provides examples illustrating the use of the LVDS\_25\_DCI and LVDSEXT\_25\_DCI I/O standards.

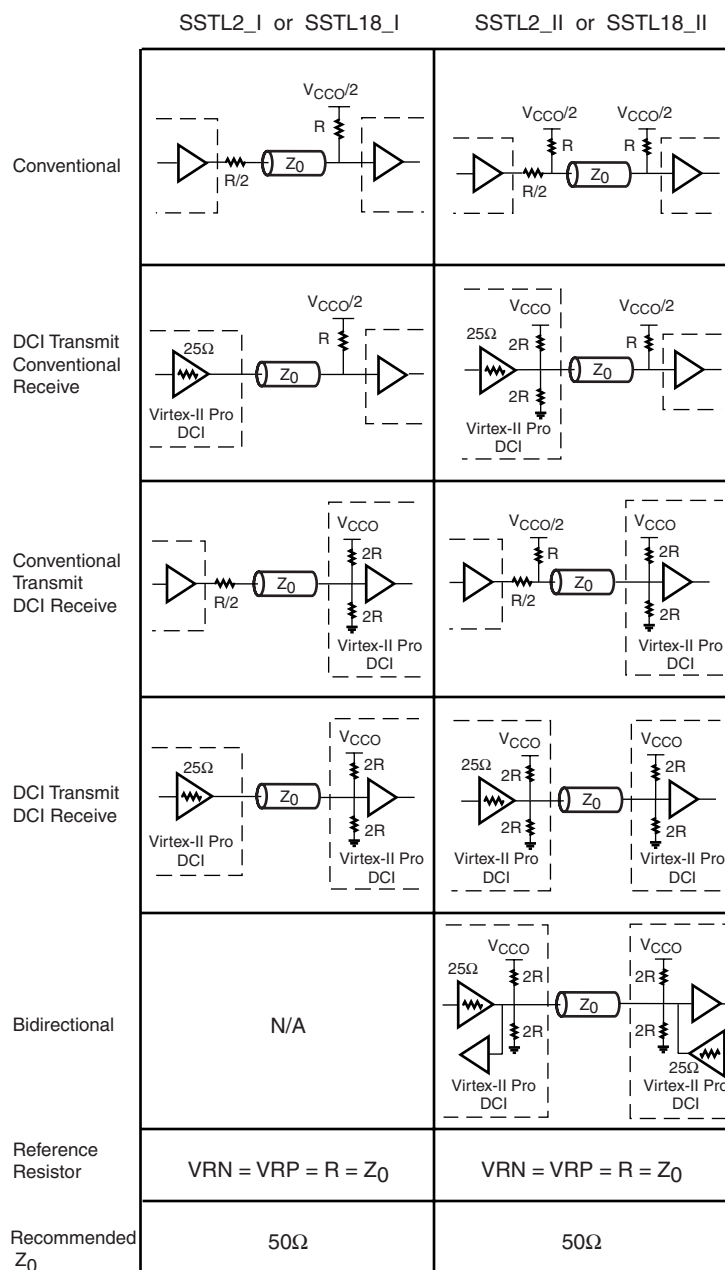




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Figure 2-106: HSTL DCI Usage Examples



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Figure 2-107: SSTL DCI Usage Examples

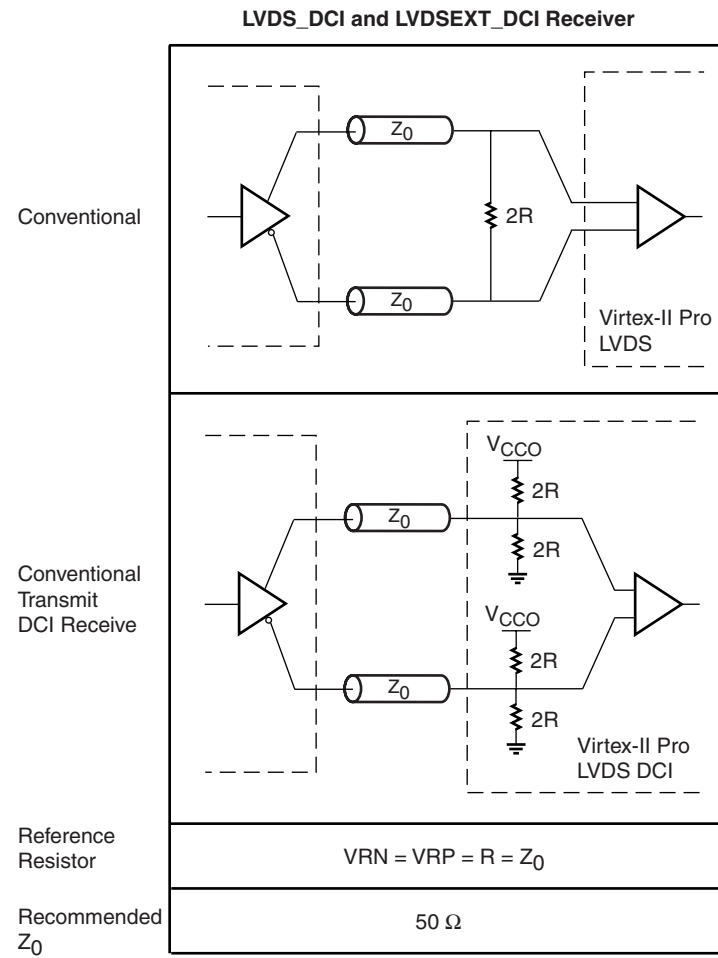


Figure 2-108: LVDS DCI Usage Examples

## Double-Data-Rate (DDR) I/O

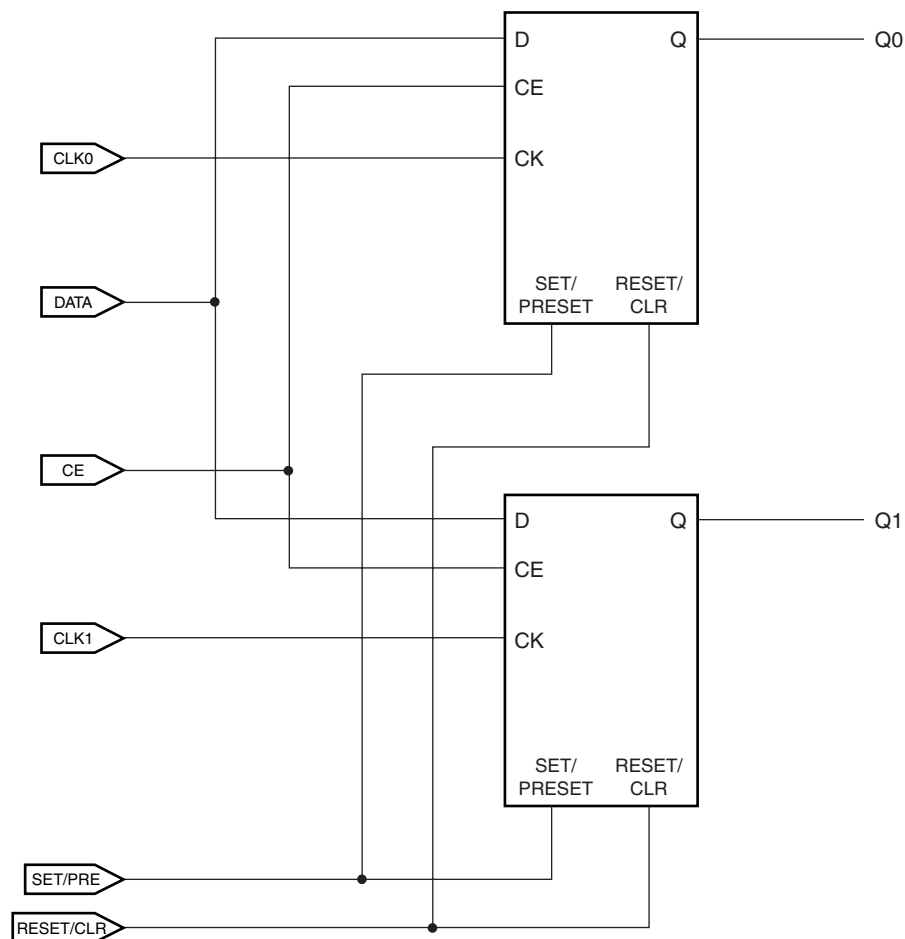
### Introduction

Virtex-II Pro devices have dedicated registers in a single IOB to implement input, output, and output with 3-state control Double-Data-Rate (DDR) registers. Input and output DDR is accomplished with the use of two registers in the IOB. A single clock triggers one register on a Low to High transition and a second register on a High to Low transition. Output DDR with 3-state requires the use of four registers in the IOB clocked in a similar fashion. Since the introduction of DLLs, Xilinx devices can generate low-skew clock signals that are 180 degrees out of phase, with a 50/50 duty cycle. These clocks reach the DDR registers in the IOB via dedicated routing resources.

### Data Flow

#### Input DDR

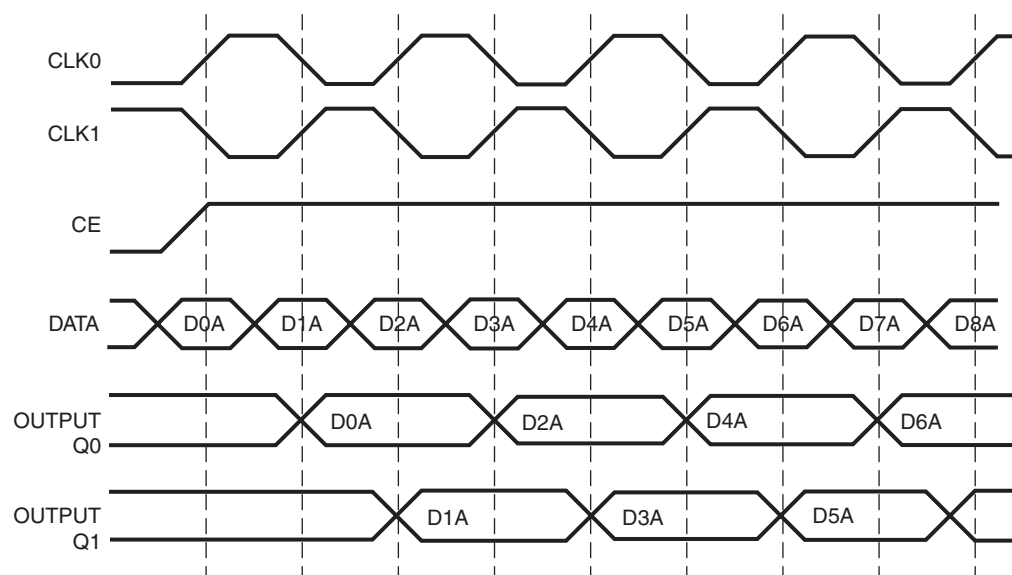
Input DDR is accomplished via a single input signal driving two registers in the IOB. Both registers are clocked on the rising edge of their respective clocks. With proper clock forwarding, alternating bits from the input signal are clocked in on the rising edge of the two clocks, which are 180 degrees out of phase. Figure 2-109 depicts the input DDR registers and the signals involved.



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Figure 2-109: Input DDR

CLK0 and CLK1 are 180 degrees out of phase. Both registers share the SET/PRE and RESET/CLR lines. As shown in [Figure 2-110](#), alternating bits on the DATA line are clocked in via Q0 and Q1 while CE is High. The clocks are shifted out of phase by the DCM (CLK0 and CLK180 outputs) or by the inverter available on the CLK1 clock input.



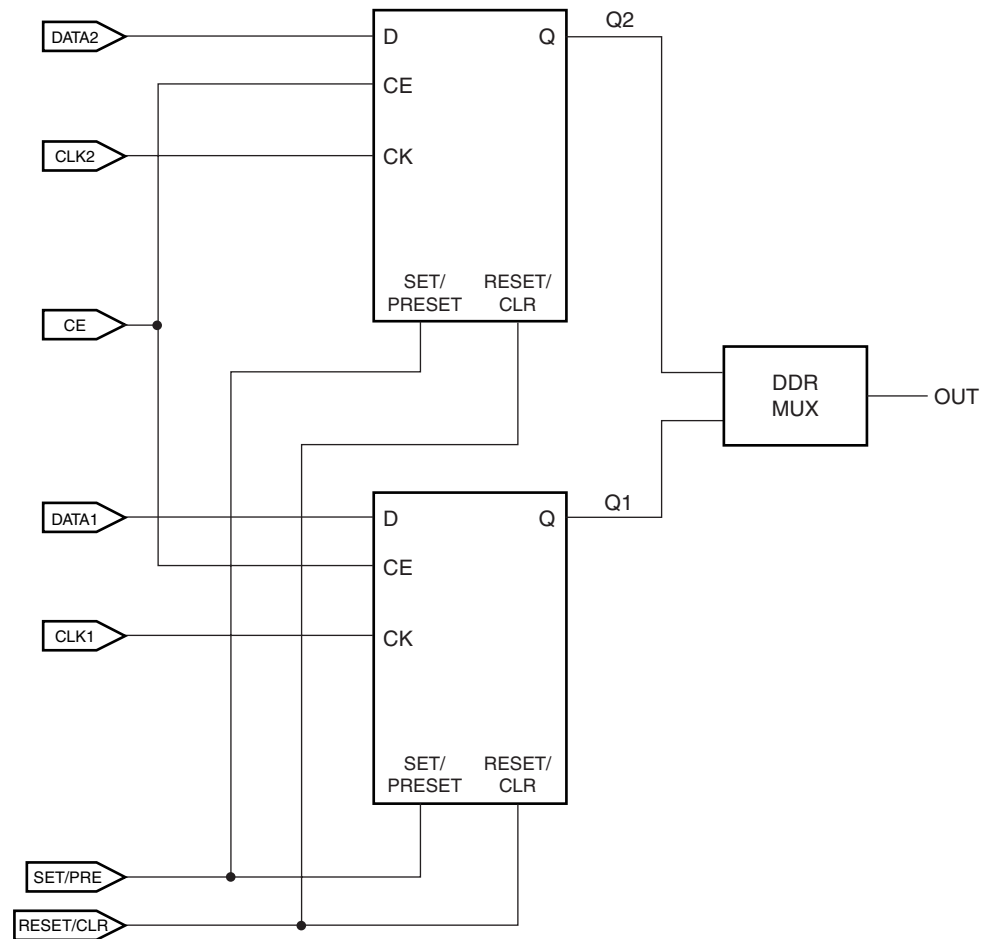
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Figure 2-110: Input DDR Timing Diagram

## Output DDR

Output DDR registers are used to clock output from the chip at twice the throughput of a single rising-edge clocking scheme. Clocking for output DDR is the same as input DDR. The clocks driving both registers are 180 degrees out of phase. The DDR MUX selects the register outputs. The output consists of alternating bits from DATA\_1 and DATA\_2.

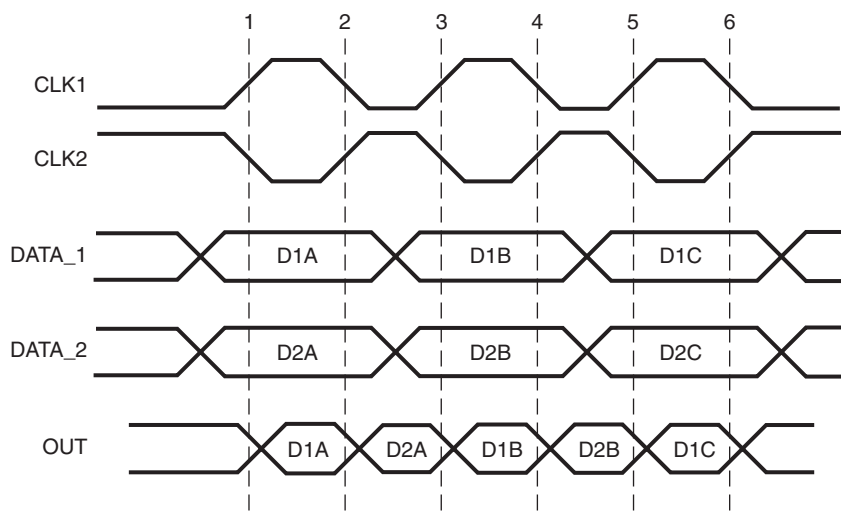
Figure 2-111 depicts the output DDR registers and the signals involved.



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Figure 2-111: Output DDR

Both registers share the SET/PRE and RESET/CLR line. Both registers share the CE line which must be High for outputs to be seen on Q1 and Q2. **Figure 2-112** shows the data flow for the output DDR registers.



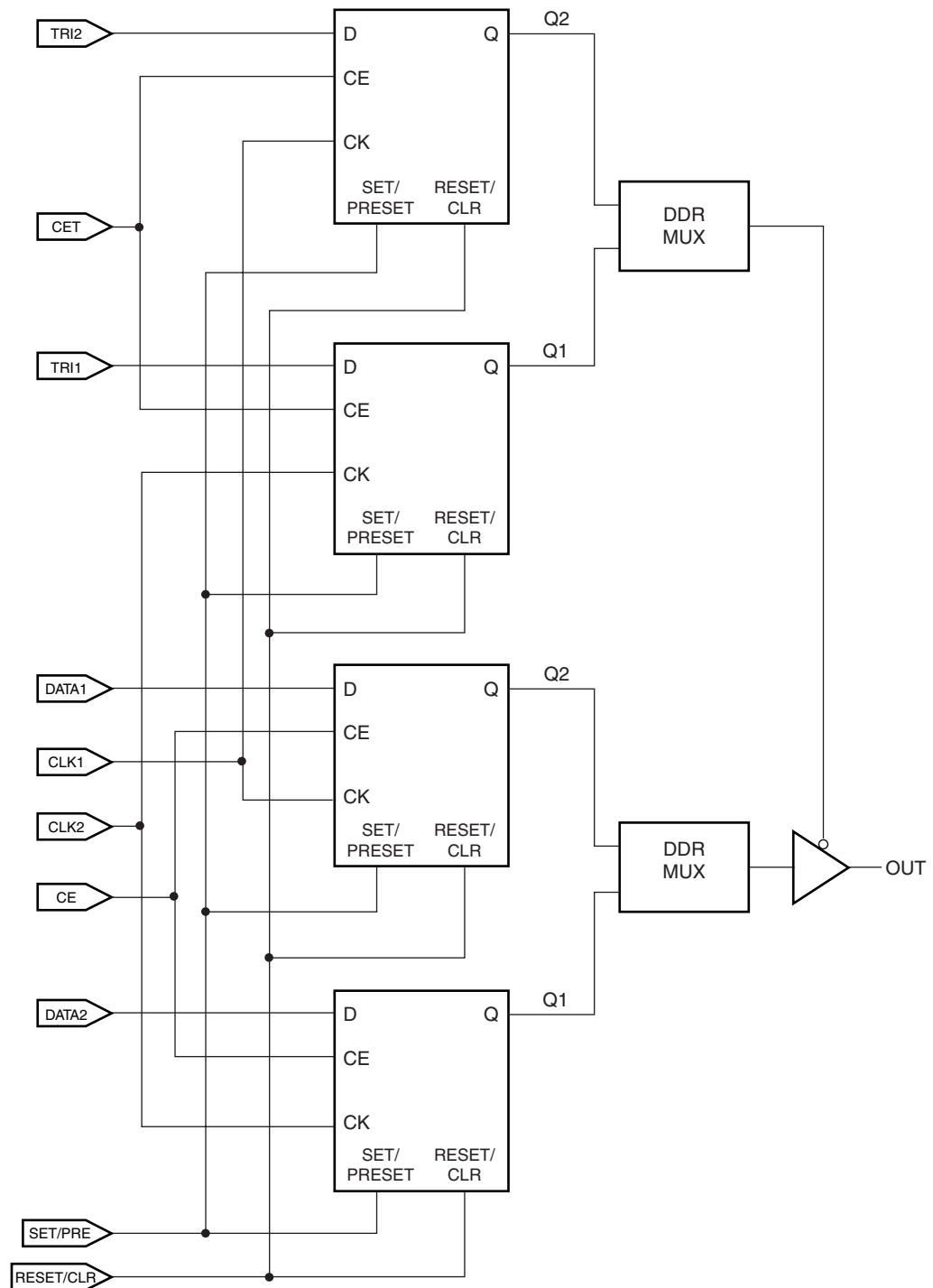
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Figure 2-112: Output DDR Timing Diagram

## Output DDR With 3-State Control

The 3-state control allows the output to have one of two values, either the output from the DDR MUX or high impedance.

The Enable signal is driven by a second DDR MUX (Figure 2-113). This application requires the instantiation of two output DDR primitives.



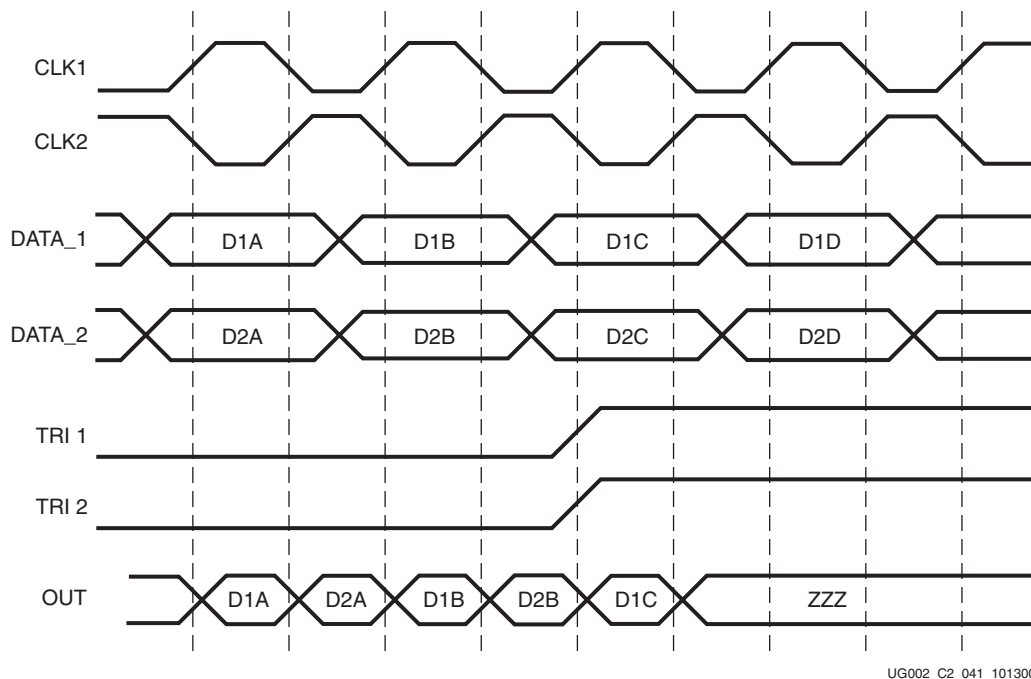
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Figure 2-113: Output DDR With 3-State Control



All four registers share the SET/PRESET and RESET/CLEAR lines. Two registers are required to accomplish the DDR task and two registers are required for the 3-state control. There are two Clock Enable signals, one for output DDRs performing the DDR function and another for the output DDRs performing the 3-state control function. Two 180 degree out of phase clocks are used. CLK1 clocks one of the DDR registers and a 3-state register. CLK2 clocks the other DDR register and the other 3-state register.

The DDR registers and 3-state registers are associated by the clock that is driving them. Therefore, the DDR register that is clocked by CLK1 is associated to the 3-state register being clocked by CLK1. The remaining two registers are associated by CLK2. If both 3-state registers are driving a logic High, the output sees a high impedance. If both 3-state registers are driving a logic Low, the output sees the values from the DDR MUX see [Figure 2-114](#)).



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**Figure 2-114: Timing Diagram for Output DDR With 3-State Control**

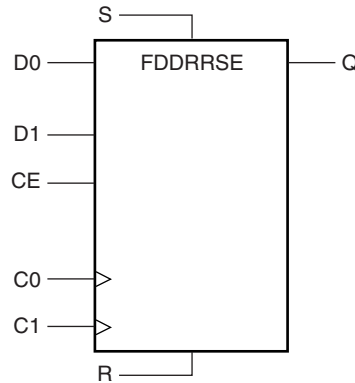
When the 3-state registers are not driving the same logic value, the 3-state register being clocked by CLK1 is called TREG1. The other 3-state register TREG2 is clocked by CLK2. Similarly, the DDR register being clocked by CLK1 is called DREG1, and the other DDR register DREG2 is clocked by CLK2. If TREG1 is driving a logic High and TREG2 is driving a logic Low, the output sees a high impedance when CLK1 is High and the value out of DREG2 when CLK2 is High. If TREG2 is driving a logic High and TREG1 is driving a logic Low, the output sees a high impedance when CLK2 is High and the value out of DREG1 when CLK1 is High.

## Characteristics

- All registers in an IOB share the same SET/PRE and RESET/CLR lines.
- The 3-State and Output DDR registers have common clocks (OTCLK1 & OTCLK2).
- All signals can be inverted (with no added delay) inside the IOB.
- DDR MUXing is handled automatically within the IOB. There is no manual control of the MUX-select. This control is generated from the clock.
- When several clocks are used, and when using DDR registers, the floorplan of a design should take into account that the input clock to an IOB is shared with a pair of IOBs.

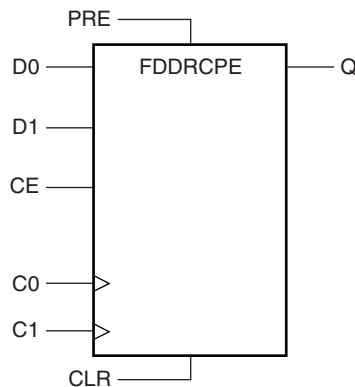
## Library Primitives

Input DDR registers are inferred, and dedicated output DDR registers have been provided as primitives for Virtex-II Pro designs. Input DDR registers consist of two inferred registers that clock in a single data line on each edge. Generating 3-state output with DDR registers is as simple as instantiating a primitive.



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Figure 2-115: **FDDRSE Symbol: DDR Flip-Flop With Clock Enable and Synchronous Reset and Set**



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Figure 2-116: **FDDRCPE Symbol: DDR Flip-Flop With Clock Enable and Asynchronous PRESET and CLR**

## VHDL and Verilog Instantiation

Examples are available in [VHDL and Verilog Templates](#), page 318.

In VHDL, each template has a component declaration section and an architecture section. Each part of the template should be inserted within the VHDL design file. The port map of the architecture section should include the design signal names.

Constraints file syntax is provided where input registers need to be used. These settings force the input DDR registers into the IOB. The output registers should be instantiated and do not require any constraints file syntax to be pushed into the IOB.

## Port Signals

### FDDRRSE

#### Data inputs - D0 and D1

D0 and D1 are the data inputs into the DDR flip-flop. Data on the D0 input is loaded into the flip-flop when R and S are Low and CE is High during a Low-to-High C0 clock transition. Data on the D1 input is loaded into the flip-flop when R and S are Low and CE is High during a Low-to-High C1 clock transition.

#### Clock Enable - CE

The enable pin affects the loading of data into the DDR flip-flop. When Low, new data is not loaded into the flip-flop. CE must be High to load new data into the flip-flop.

#### Clocks - C0 and C1

These two clocks are phase shifted 180 degrees (via the DLL) and allow selection of two separate data inputs (D0 and D1).

#### Synchronous Set - S and Synchronous Reset - R

The Reset (R) input, when High, overrides all other inputs and resets the output Low during any Low-to-High clock transition (C0 or C1). Reset has precedence over Set. When the Set (S) input is High and R is Low, the flip-flop is set, output High, during a Low-to-High clock transition (C0 or C1).

#### Data Output - Q

When power is applied, the flip-flop is asynchronously cleared and the output is Low.

During normal operation, The value of Q is either D0 or D1. The Data Inputs description above states how the value of Q is chosen.

### FDDRCPE

#### Data inputs - D0 and D1

D0 and D1 are the data inputs into the DDR flip-flop. Data on the D0 input is loaded into the flip-flop when PRE and CLR are Low and CE is High during a Low-to-High C0 clock transition. Data on the D1 input is loaded into the flip-flop when PRE and CLR are Low and CE is High during a Low-to-High C1 clock transition.

#### Clock Enable - CE

The enable pin affects the loading of data into the DDR flip-flop. When Low, clock transitions are ignored and new data is not loaded into the flip-flop. CE must be High to load new data into the flip-flop.

#### Clocks - C0 and C1

These two clocks are phase shifted 180 degrees (via the DLL) and allow selection of two separate data inputs (D0 and D1).

#### Asynchronous Preset - PRE and Asynchronous Clear - CLR

The Preset (PRE) input, when High, sets the Q output High. When the Clear (CLR) input is High, the output is reset to Low.

#### Data Output - Q

When power is applied, the flip-flop is asynchronously cleared and the output is Low.

During normal operation, The value of Q is either D0 or D1. The Data Inputs description above states how the value of Q is chosen.

## Initialization in VHDL or Verilog

Output DDR primitives can be initialized in VHDL or Verilog code for both synthesis and simulation. For synthesis, the attributes are attached to the output DDR instantiation and are copied in the EDIF output file to be compiled by Xilinx tools. The VHDL code simulation uses a generic parameter to pass the attributes. The Verilog code simulation uses the `defparam` parameter to pass the attributes.

The DDR code examples (in VHDL and Verilog) illustrate the following techniques.

## Location Constraints

DDR instances can have LOC properties attached to them to constrain pin placement.

The LOC constraint uses the following form.

```
NET <net_name> LOC=A8;
```

Where "A8" is a valid I/O pin location.

## Applications

### DDR SDRAM

The DDR SDRAM is an enhancement to the Synchronous DRAM by effectively doubling the data throughput of the memory device. Commands are registered at every positive clock edge. Input data is registered on both edges of the data strobe, and output data is referenced to both edges of the data strobe, as well as both edges of the clock.

### Clock Forwarding

DDR can be used to forward a copy of the clock on the output. This can be useful for propagating a clock along with double-data-rate data that has an identical delay. It is also useful for multiple clock generation, where there is a unique clock driver for every clock load.

## VHDL and Verilog Templates

VHDL and Verilog templates are available for output, output with 3-state enable, and input DDR registers.

### Input DDR

To implement an Input DDR application, paste the following template in your code.

#### DDR\_input.vhd

```
library IEEE;
use IEEE.STD_LOGIC_1164.ALL;

entity DDR_Input is

    Port (
        clk : in std_logic;
        d   : in std_logic;
        rst : in std_logic;
        q1  : out std_logic;
        q2  : out std_logic
    );

end DDR_Input;

--Describe input DDR registers (behaviorally) to be inferred

architecture behavioral of DDR_Input is
```

```

begin

q1reg : process (clk, d, rst)

begin
    if rst='1' then --asynchronous reset, active high
        q1 <= '0';
    elsif clk'event and clk='1' then --Clock event - posedge
        q1 <= d;

    end if;
end process;

q2reg : process (clk, d, rst)

begin
    if rst='1' then --asynchronous reset, active high
        q2 <= '0';
    elsif clk'event and clk='0' then --Clock event - negedge
        q2 <= d;
    end if;
end process;

end behavioral;

-- NOTE: You must include the following constraints in the .ucf
-- file when running back-end tools,
-- in order to ensure that IOB DDR registers are used:
--
-- INST "q2_reg" IOB=TRUE;
-- INST "q1_reg" IOB=TRUE;
--
-- Depending on the synthesis tools you use, it may be required to
-- check the edif file for modifications to
-- original net names...in this case, Synopsys changed the
-- names: q1 and q2 to q1_reg and q2_reg

```

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### DDR\_input.v

```

module DDR_Input (data_in , q1, q2, clk, rst);

input data_in, clk, rst;
output q1, q2;
reg q1, q2;

//Describe input DDR registers (behaviorally) to be inferred

always @ (posedge clk or posedge rst) //rising-edge DDR reg. and
asynchronous reset

begin
    if (rst)
        q1 = 1'b0;
    else
        q1 = data_in;
    end

always @ (negedge clk or posedge rst) //falling-edge DDR reg. and
asynchronous reset

```

```
begin
    if (rst)
        q2 = 1'b0;
    else
        q2 = data_in;
    end

    assign data_out = q1 & q2;

endmodule

/* NOTE: You must include the following constraints in the .ucf file
when running back-end tools, \
in order to ensure that IOB DDR registers are used:

INST "q2_reg" IOB=TRUE;
INST "q1_reg" IOB=TRUE;

Depending on the synthesis tools you use, it may be required to check
the edif file for modifications to
original net names...in this case, Synopsys changed the names: q1 and q2
to q1_reg and q2_reg

*/
```

## Output DDR

To implement an Output DDR application, paste the following template in your code.

### DDR\_out.vhd

```
library IEEE;
use IEEE.STD_LOGIC_1164.ALL;
-- pragma translate_off
LIBRARY UNISIM;
use UNISIM.VCOMPONENTS.ALL;
--pragma translate_on

entity DDR_Output is
    Port(
        clk : in std_logic; --clk and clk180 can be outputs from the DCM or
        clk180 : in std_logic; --logical inverse of clk (the inverter is
        located in the IOB and will be inferred.
        d0 : in std_logic; --data in to fddr
        d1 : in std_logic; --data in to fddr
        ce : in std_logic; --clock enable
        rst : in std_logic; --reset
        set : in std_logic; --set
        q : out std_logic --DDR output
    );

end DDR_Output;

architecture behavioral of DDR_Output is

    component FDDRRSE
        port(
            Q : out std_logic;
            D0 : in std_logic;
```

```

        D1 : in std_logic;
        C0 : in std_logic;
        C1 : in std_logic;
        CE : in std_logic;
        R  : in std_logic;
        S  : in std_logic
    );
end component;

```

```
begin
```

```

U0: FDDRSE
    port map (
        Q => q,
        D0 => d0,
        D1 => d1,
        C0 => clk,
        C1 => clk180,
        CE => ce,
        R => rst,
        S => set
    );

```

```
end behavioral;
```

## DDR\_out.v

```

module DDR_Output (d0 , d1, q, clk, clk180, rst, set, ce);

input d0, d1, clk, clk180, rst, set, ce;
output q;

//Synchronous Output DDR primitive instantiation

FDDRSE U1 ( .D0(d0),
            .D1(d1),
            .C0(clk),
            .C1(clk180),
            .CE(ce),
            .R(rst),
            .S(set),
            .Q(q)
          );
endmodule

```

## Output DDR With 3-State Enable

To implement an Output DDR with 3-state Enable, paste the following template in your code:

### DDR\_3state.vhd

```

library IEEE;
use IEEE.STD_LOGIC_1164.ALL;
-- pragma translate_off
LIBRARY UNISIM;
use UNISIM.VCOMPONENTS.ALL;
--pragma translate_on

entity DDR_3state is
    Port (

```

```

        clk : in std_logic; --clk and clk180 can be outputs from the DCM or
        clk180 can be the
        clk180 : in std_logic; --logical inverse of clk (the inverter is
        located in the IOB and will be inferred.
        d0 : in std_logic; --data in to fddr
        d1 : in std_logic; --data in to fddr
        ce : in std_logic; --clock enable
        set : in std_logic; --set
        rst : in std_logic; --reset
        en0 : in std_logic; --enable signal
        en1 : in std_logic; --enable signal
        data_out : out std_logic --data seen at pad
    );

end DDR_3state;

architecture behavioral of DDR_3state is

    signal ddr_out, tri : std_logic;

    component FDDRRSE
        port (
            Q : out std_logic;
            D0 : in std_logic;
            D1 : in std_logic;
            C0 : in std_logic;
            C1 : in std_logic;
            CE : in std_logic;
            R : in std_logic;
            S : in std_logic
        );
    end component;

begin

    --Instantiate Ouput DDR registers
    U0: FDDRRSE port map(Q => tri,
        D0 => en0,
        D1 => en1,
        C0 => clk,
        C1 => clk180,
        CE => ce,
        R => rst,
        S => set
    );

    --Instantiate three-state DDR registers
    U1: FDDRRSE port map( Q => ddr_out,
        D0 => d0,
        D1 => d1,
        C0 => clk,
        C1 => clk180,
        CE => ce,
        R => rst,
        S => set
    );

    --infeer the 3-State buffer
    process(tri, ddr_out)
    begin
        if tri = '1' then

```



```

        data_out <= 'Z';
    elsif tri = '0' then
        data_out <= ddr_out;
    end if;
end process;

```

```
end behavioral;
```

### DDR\_3state.v

```

module DDR_3state (d0 , d1, data_out, en_0, en_1, clk, clk180, rst, set,
ce);

input d0, d1, clk, clk180, rst, set, ce, en_0, en_1;

output data_out;
reg data_out;

wire q, q_tri;

//Synchronous Output DDR primitive instantiation

FDDRSE U1 ( .D0(d0),
            .D1(d1),
            .C0(clk),
            .C1(clk180),
            .CE(ce),
            .R(rst),
            .S(set),
            .Q(q)
            );

//Synchronous 3-State DDR primitive instantiation

FDDRSE U2 ( .D0(en_0),
            .D1(en_1),
            .C0(clk),
            .C1(clk180),
            .CE(ce),
            .R(rst),
            .S(set),
            .Q(q_tri)
            );

//3-State buffer description

always @ (q_tri or q)
begin
    if (q_tri)
        data_out = 1'bz;
    else
        data_out = q;
    end
end

endmodule

```

## LVDS I/O

### Introduction

Low Voltage Differential Signaling (LVDS) is a very popular and powerful high-speed interface in many system applications. Virtex-II Pro I/Os are designed to comply with the EIA/TIA electrical specifications for LVDS to make system and board design easier. With the addition of an LVDS current-mode driver in the IOBs, which eliminates the need for external source termination in point-to-point applications, and with the choice of an extended mode, Virtex-II Pro devices provide the most flexible solution for doing an LVDS design in an FPGA.

**Table 2-56** lists all LVDS primitives that are available for Virtex-II Pro devices.

**Table 2-56: Available Virtex-II Pro LVDS Primitives**

Input	Output	3-State	Clock	Bi-Directional
IBUF_LVDS	OBUF_LVDS	OBUFT_LVDS	IBUFG_LVDS	IOBUF_LVDS
IBUFDS_LVDS_25	OBUFDS_LVDS_25	OBUFTDS_LVDS_25	IBUFGDS_LVDS_25	
IBUFDS_LVDSEXT_25	OBUFDS_LVDSEXT_25	OBUFTDS_LVDSEXT_25	IBUFGDS_LVDSEXT_25	
IBUFDS_LVDS_25_DCI			IBUFGDS_LVDS_25_DCI	
IBUFDS_LVDSEXT_25_DCI			IBUFGDS_LVDSEXT_25_DCI	

The primitives in **bold** type are pre-existing LVDS primitives used in Virtex-E and earlier designs. They are not current-mode drivers and are still required for BLVDS (Bus LVDS) applications.

\*DS\_LVDS\_25 = 2.5V V<sub>CCO</sub> LVDS Buffer

There are no differences in the AC characteristics of any LVDS I/O. These choices now provide more flexibility for mixed-I/O banking rules: for example, an LVCMOS I/O can coexist with the 2.5V LVDS buffer in the same bank.

\*DS\_LVDSEXT\* = Extended mode LVDS buffer

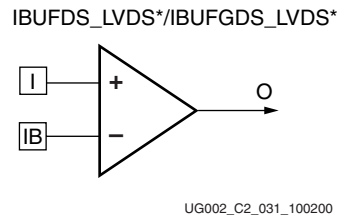
This buffer provides a higher drive capability and voltage swing (350 - 750 mV), which makes it ideal for long-distance or cable LVDS links. The output AC characteristics of this LVDS Extended Mode driver are not within the EIA/TIA specifications. This LVDS Extended Mode driver is intended for situations that require higher drive capabilities in order to produce an LVDS signal that is within EIA/TIA specification at the receiver.

### Creating an LVDS Input/Clock Buffer

**Figure 2-117** illustrates the LVDS input and clock buffer primitives shown in **Table 2-57**. The pin names used are the same as those used in the HDL library primitives.

**Table 2-57: LVDS Input and Clock Buffer Primitives**

LVDS Inputs	LVDS Clocks
IBUFDS_LVDS_25	IBUFGDS_LVDS_25
IBUFDS_LVDSEXT_25	IBUFGDS_LVDSEXT_25
IBUFDS_LVDS_25_DCI	IBUFGDS_LVDS_25_DCI
IBUFDS_LVDSEXT_25_DCI	IBUFGDS_LVDSEXT_25_DCI



**Figure 2-117: LVDS Input and Clock Primitives**

To create an LVDS input, instantiate the desired mode (2.5V or Extended) LVDS input buffer. Notice that the P and N channels are included in the primitive (I = P, IB = N). Software automatically uses the appropriate pin from an adjacent IOB for the N channel. The same applies to LVDS clocks: Use IBUFGDS\_LVDS\*

## LVDS Input HDL Examples

### VHDL Instantiation

```
U1: IBUFDS_LVDS_25
  port map (
    I => data_in_P,
    IB => data_in_N,
    O => data_in
  );
```

### Verilog Instantiation

```
IBUFDS_LVDS_25 U1 ( .I(data_in_P),
  .IB(data_in_N),
  .O(data_in)
);
```

## Port Signals

I = P-channel data input to the LVDS input buffer

IB = N-channel data input to the LVDS input buffer

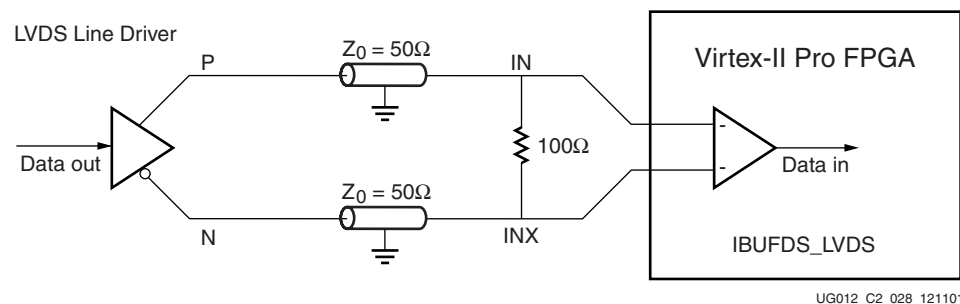
O = Non-differential input data from LVDS input buffer

## Location Constraints

```
NET "data_in_P" LOC= "NS";
```

## LVDS Receiver Termination

All LVDS receivers require standard termination. **Figure 2-118** is an example of a typical termination for an LVDS receiver on a board with 50Ω transmission lines.



**Figure 2-118: LVDS Receiver Termination**

## Creating an LVDS Output Buffer

Figure 2-119 illustrates the LVDS output buffer primitives:

- OBUFDS\_LVDS\_25
- OBUFDS\_LVDSEXT\_25

The pin names used are the same as those used in the HDL library primitives.

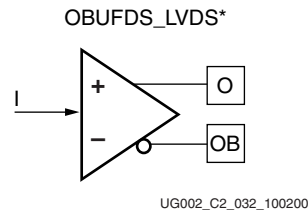


Figure 2-119: LVDS Output Buffer Primitives

To create an LVDS output, instantiate the desired mode (2.5 or Extended) LVDS output buffer. Notice that the P and N channels are included in the primitive (O = P, OB = N). Software automatically uses the appropriate pin from an adjacent IOB for the N channel.

## LVDS Output HDL Examples

### VHDL Instantiation

```
U1: OBUFDS_LVDS_25
  port map (
    I => data_out,
    O => data_out_P,
    OB => data_out_N
  );
```

### Verilog Instantiation

```
OBUFDS_LVDS_25 U1 ( .I(data_out),
                    .O(data_out_P),
                    .OB(data_out_N)
                  );
```

## Port Signals

I = data input to the LVDS input buffer

O = P-channel data output

OB = N-channel data output

## Location Constraints

```
NET "data_out_P" LOC= "NS";
```

## LVDS Transmitter Termination

The Virtex-II Pro LVDS transmitter does not require any termination. Table 2-56 lists primitives that correspond to the Virtex-II Pro LVDS current-mode drivers. Virtex-II Pro LVDS current-mode drivers are a true current source and produce the proper (EIA/TIA

compliant) LVDS signal. **Figure 2-120** illustrates a Virtex-II Pro LVDS transmitter on a board with 50Ω transmission lines.

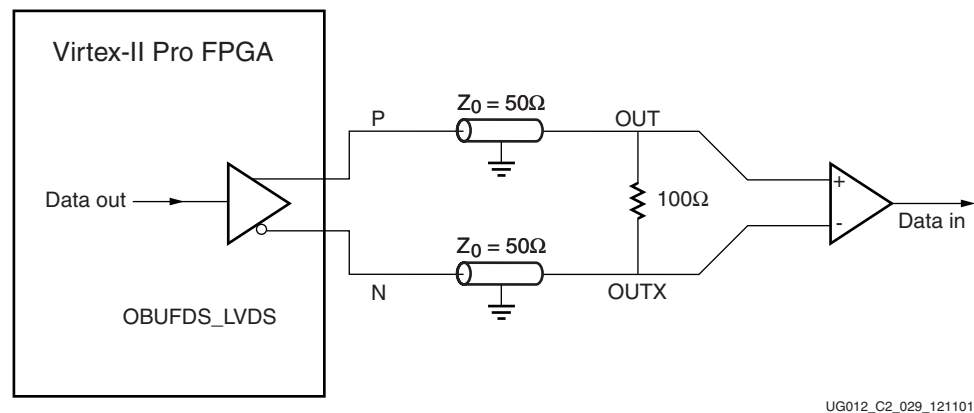


Figure 2-120: LVDS Transmitter Termination

## Creating an LVDS Output 3-State Buffer

**Figure 2-121** illustrates the LVDS 3-state buffer primitives:

- OBUFTDS\_LVDS\_25
- OBUFTDS\_LVDSEXT\_25

The pin names used are the same as those used in the HDL library primitives.

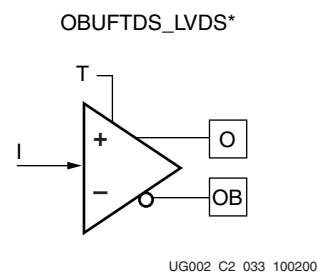


Figure 2-121: LVDS 3-State Primitives

To create an LVDS 3-State output, instantiate the desired mode (2.5V, or Extended) LVDS 3-state buffer. Notice that the P and N channels are included in the primitive (O = P, OB = N). Software automatically uses the appropriate pin from an adjacent IOB for the N channel.

## LVDS 3-State HDL Example

### VHDL Instantiation

```
U1: OBUFTDS_LVDS_25
  port map (
    I => data_out,
    T => tri,
    O => data_out_P,
    OB => data_out_N
  );
```

### Verilog Instantiation

```
OBUFTDS_LVDS_25 U1 ( .I(data_out),
  .T(tri),
```

```
.O(data_out_P),
.OB(data_out_N)
);
```

## Port Signals

I = data input to the 3-state output buffer

T = 3-State control signal

O = P-channel data output

OB = N-channel data output

## Location Constraints

```
NET "data_out_P" LOC = "NS";
```

## LVDS 3-State Termination

The Virtex-II Pro LVDS 3-state buffer does not require any termination. [Table 2-56](#) lists primitives that correspond to Virtex-II Pro LVDS current-mode drivers. These drivers are a true current source, and they produce the proper (EIA/TIA compliant) LVDS signal. [Figure 2-122](#) illustrates a simple redundant point-to-point LVDS solution with two LVDS 3-state transmitters sharing a bus with one LVDS receiver and the required termination for the circuit.

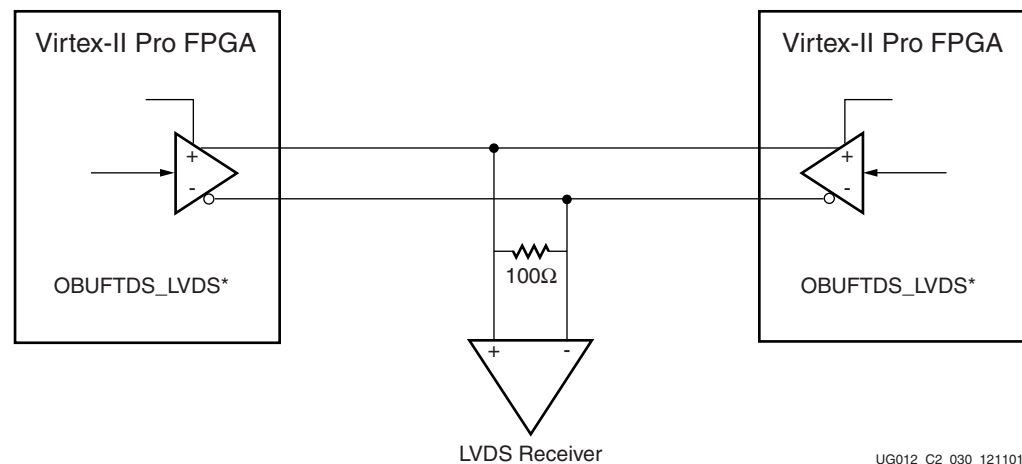


Figure 2-122: LVDS 3-State Termination

## Creating a Bidirectional LVDS Buffer

Since LVDS is intended for point-to-point applications, BLVDS (Bus-LVDS) is not an EIA/TIA standard implementation and requires careful adaptation of I/O and PCB layout design rules. The primitive supplied in the software library for bi-directional LVDS does not use the Virtex-II Pro LVDS current-mode driver. Therefore, source termination is required. Refer to [XAPP243](#) for examples of BLVDS termination.

The following are VHDL and Verilog instantiation examples of Virtex-II Pro BLVDS primitives.

## VHDL Instantiation

```
blvds_io: IOBUFDS_BLVDS_25
port map (
    I => data_out,
    O => data_in,
    T => tri,
    IO => data_IO_P,
    IOB => data_IO_N
);
```

## Verilog Instantiation

```
IOBUFDS_BLVDS_25  blvds_io  ( .I(data_out),
                               .O(data_in),
                               .T(tri),
                               .IO(data_IO_P),
                               .IOB(data_IO_N)
                             );
```

## Port Signals

I = data output: internal logic to LVDS I/O buffer  
 T = 3-State control to LVDS I/O buffer  
 IO = P-channel data I/O to or from BLVDS pins  
 IOB = N-channel data I/O to or from BLVDS pins  
 O = Data input: off-chip data to LVDS I/O buffer

## Location Constraints

Only the P or N channel must be constrained. Software automatically places the corresponding channel of the pair on the appropriate pin.

## LDT

Lightning Data Transport (LDT) is a high speed interface and protocol introduced by Advanced Micro Devices. LDT is a differential signaling based interface that is very similar to LVDS. Virtex-II Pro IOBs are equipped with LDT buffers. These buffers also have corresponding software primitives as follows:

```
IBUFDS_LDT_25
IBUFGDS_LDT_25
OBUFDS_LDT_25
OBUFTDS_LDT_25
```

## LDT Implementation

LDT implementation is the same as LVDS with DDR, so follow all of the rules and guidelines set forth earlier in this chapter for LVDS-DDR, and replace the LVDS buffer with the corresponding LDT buffer. For more information on Virtex-II Pro LDT electrical specification, refer to the [Virtex-II Pro Data Sheet](#).

# LVPECL I/O

## Introduction

Low Voltage Positive Emitter-Coupled Logic (LVPECL) is a very popular and powerful high-speed interface in many system applications. Virtex-II Pro I/Os are designed to comply with the EIA/TIA electrical specifications for 2.5V LVPECL to make system and board design easier.

Table 2-58 lists all LVPECL primitives that are available for Virtex-II Pro devices.

Table 2-58: Available Virtex-II Pro LVPECL Primitives

Input	Output	3-State	Clock	Bi-Directional
IBUFDS_LVPECL_25	OBUFDS_LVPECL_25	OBUFTDS_LVPECL_25	IBUFGDS_LVPECL_25	

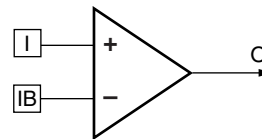
## Creating an LVPECL Input/Clock Buffer

Figure 2-117 illustrates the LVPECL input and clock buffer primitives shown in Table 2-57. The pin names used are the same as those used in the HDL library primitives.

Table 2-59: LVPECL Input and Clock Buffer Primitives

LVPECL Inputs	LVPECL Clocks
IBUFDS_LVPECL_25	IBUFGDS_LVPECL_25

IBUFDS\_LVPECL\*/IBUFGDS\_LVPECL\*



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Figure 2-123: LVPECL Input and Clock Primitives

To create an LVPECL input, instantiate the desired mode (2.5V or Extended) LVPECL input buffer. Notice that the P and N channels are included in the primitive (I = P, IB = N). Software automatically uses the appropriate pin from an adjacent IOB for the N channel. The same applies to LVPECL clocks: Use IBUFGDS\_LVPECL\*.

## LVPECL Input HDL Examples

### VHDL Instantiation

```

U1: IBUFDS_LVPECL_25
  port map (
    I => data_in_P,
    IB => data_in_N,
    O => data_in
  );

```

### Verilog Instantiation

```

IBUFDS_LVPECL_25 U1 ( .I(data_in_P),
                      .IB(data_in_N),
                      .O(data_in)
                    );

```



## Port Signals

I = P-channel data input to the LVDS input buffer

IB = N-channel data input to the LVDS input buffer

O = Non-differential input data from LVDS input buffer

## Location Constraints

```
NET "data_in_P" LOC= "NS";
```

## LVPECL Receiver Termination

All LVPECL receivers require standard termination. [Figure 2-124](#) is an example of a typical termination for an LVPECL receiver on a board with 50Ω transmission lines.

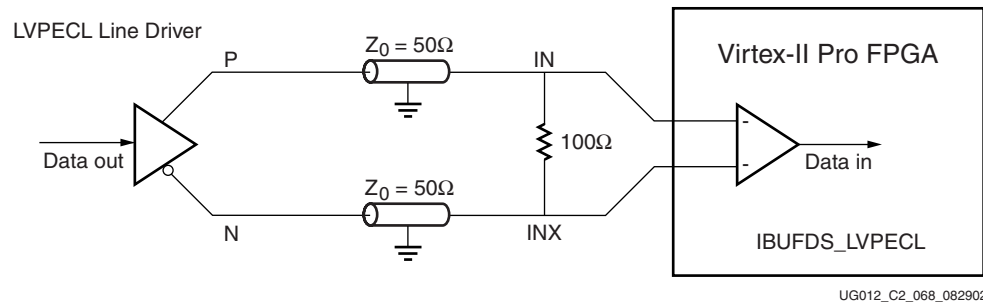


Figure 2-124: LVPECL Receiver Termination

## Creating an LVPECL Output Buffer

[Figure 2-125](#) illustrates the LVDS output buffer primitives:

- OBUFDS\_LVPECL\_25
- OBUFTDS\_LVPECL\_25

The pin names used are the same as those used in the HDL library primitives.

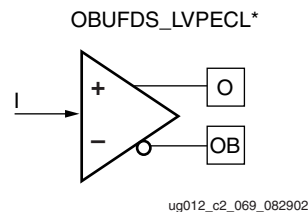


Figure 2-125: LVPECL Output Buffer Primitives

To create an LVPECL output, instantiate the desired mode LVPECL output buffer. Notice that the P and N channels are included in the primitive (O = P, OB = N). Software automatically uses the appropriate pin from an adjacent IOB for the N channel.

## LVPECL Output HDL Examples

### VHDL Instantiation

```
U1: OBUFDS_LVPECL_25
  port map (
    I => data_out,
    O => data_out_P,
    OB => data_out_N
  );
```

## Verilog Instantiation

```

OBUFDS_LVPECL_25U1 ( .I(data_out),
                      .O(data_out_P),
                      .OB(data_out_N)
                    );

```

## Port Signals

I = data input to the LVPECL input buffer

O = P-channel data output

OB = N-channel data output

## Location Constraints

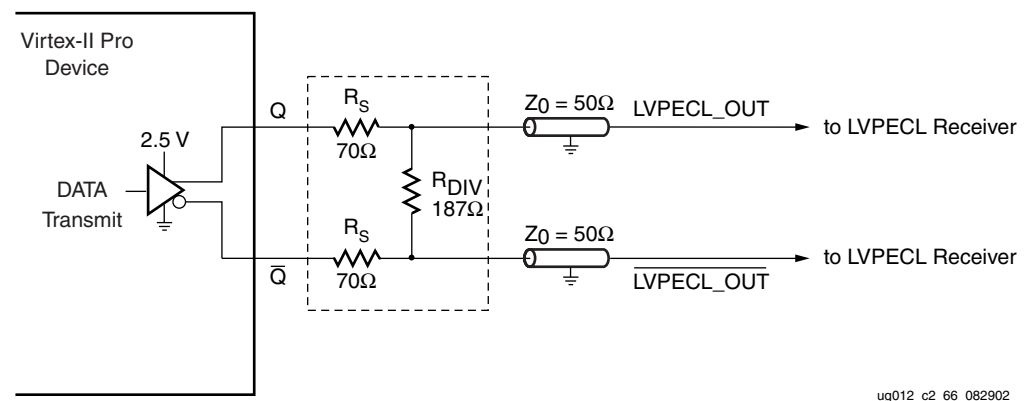
```

NET "data_out_P" LOC= "NS";

```

## LVPECL Transmitter Termination

The Virtex-II Pro LVPECL transmitter does not require any termination. Table 2-58 lists primitives that correspond to the Virtex-II Pro LVPECL drivers. Figure 2-126 illustrates a Virtex-II Pro LVPECL transmitter on a board with 50Ω transmission lines.



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Figure 2-126: LVPECL Transmitter Termination

## Bitstream Encryption

Virtex-II Pro devices have an on-chip decryptor that can be enabled to make the configuration bitstream (and thus the whole logic design) secure. The user can encrypt the bitstream in the Xilinx software, and the Virtex-II Pro chip then performs the reverse operation, decrypting the incoming bitstream, and internally recreating the intended configuration.

This method provides a very high degree of design security. Without knowledge of the encryption/decryption key or keys, potential pirates cannot use the externally intercepted bitstream to analyze, or even to clone the design. System manufacturers can be sure that their Virtex-II Pro implemented designs cannot be copied and reverse engineered. Also, IP Virtex-II Pro chips that contain the correct decryption key.

The Virtex-II Pro devices store the internal decryption keys in a few hundred bits of dedicated RAM, backed up by a small externally connected battery. At <100 nA load, the endurance of the battery is only limited by its shelf life.

The method used to encrypt the data is Data Encryption Standard (DES). This is an official standard supported by the National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST) and the

U. S. Department of Commerce. DES is a symmetric encryption standard that utilizes a 56-bit key. Because of the increased sophistication and speed of today's computing hardware, single DES is no longer considered to be secure. However, the Triple Data Encryption Algorithm (TDEA), otherwise known as triple DES, is authorized for use by U. S. federal organizations to protect sensitive data and is used by many financial institutions to protect their transactions. Triple DES has yet to be cracked. Both DES and triple DES are available in Virtex-II Pro devices.

## What DES Is

DES and triple DES are symmetric encryption algorithms. This means that the key to encrypt and the key to decrypt are the same. The security of the data is kept by keeping the key secret. This contrasts to a public key system, like RSA or PGP. One thing to note is that Virtex-II Pro devices use DES in Cipher Block Chaining mode. This means that each block is combined with the previous encrypted block for added security. DES uses a single 56-bit key to encrypt 64-bit blocks one at a time.

## How Triple DES is Different

Triple DES uses three keys (known as a key bundle or key set), and the encryption algorithm is repeated for each of those keys. If  $E_K(I)$  and  $D_K(I)$  denote the encryption and decryption of a data block  $I$  using key  $K$ , the Triple DES encryption algorithm is as follows (known as E-D-E):

$$\text{Output}_{\text{encrypted}} = E_{K3}(D_{K2}(E_{K1}(I)))$$

And the decryption algorithm is as follows (known as D-E-D):

$$\text{Output}_{\text{decrypted}} = D_{K1}(E_{K2}(D_{K3}(I)))$$

$K_1 = K_2 = K_3$  gives the same result as single DES.

For a detailed description of the DES standard, refer to:

<http://www.itl.nist.gov/fipspubs/fip46-2.htm>

For a popular description of the origin and the basic concept of DES and many other older and newer encryption schemes, see the recent best-seller:

*The Code Book* by Simon Singh, Doubleday 1999, ISBN 0-385-49531-5

## Classification and Export Considerations

Virtex-II Pro FPGAs have been classified by the U. S. Department of Commerce as an FPLD (3A001.a.7), which is the same classification as current FPGAs. Only the decryptor is on-chip and can only be used to decrypt an incoming bitstream, so the classification has not changed and no new paperwork is required. The software has been classified under ECCN#:5D002 and can be exported globally under license exception ENC. No changes to current export practices are necessary.

## Creating Keys

For Virtex-II Pro, DES or triple DES (TDEA) can be used. DES uses a single 56-bit key, where triple-DES always uses three such keys. All of the keys can be chosen by the BitGen program at random, or can be explicitly specified by the user.

Virtex-II Pro devices can have six separate keys programmed into the device. A particular Virtex-II Pro device can store two sets of triple-DES keys and can thus accept alternate bitstreams from two competing IP vendors, without providing access to each other's design. However, all of the keys must be programmed at once.

An encrypted bitstream is created by the BitGen program. Keys and key options can be chosen in two ways: by command-line arguments to BitGen, or by specifying a KeyFile

(with the `-g KeyFile` command-line option). The BitGen options relevant to encryption are listed in [Table 2-60](#).

**Table 2-60: BitGen Encryption Options**

Option	Description	Values (default first where appropriate)
Encrypt	Whether to encrypt the bitstream	No, Yes
Key0	DES Key 0	pick, <i>&lt;hex string&gt;</i>
Key1	DES Key 1	pick, <i>&lt;hex string&gt;</i>
Key2	DES Key 2	pick, <i>&lt;hex string&gt;</i>
Key3	DES Key 3	pick, <i>&lt;hex string&gt;</i>
Key4	DES Key 4	pick, <i>&lt;hex string&gt;</i>
Key5	DES Key 5	pick, <i>&lt;hex string&gt;</i>
KeyFile	Location of separate key definition file	<i>&lt;string&gt;</i>
Keyseq0	Set the key sequence for key 0 (S = single, F = first, M = middle, L = last)	S,F,M,L
Keyseq1	Set the key sequence for key 1	S,F,M,L
Keyseq2	Set the key sequence for key 2	S,F,M,L
Keyseq3	Set the key sequence for key 3	S,F,M,L
Keyseq4	Set the key sequence for key 4	S,F,M,L
Keyseq5	Set the key sequence for key 5	S,F,M,L
StartKey	Key number to start decryption	0,3
StartCBC	Constant Block Chaining start value	pick, <i>&lt;string&gt;</i>

The key sequence (Keyseq) is set to S for single key encryption, F for first key in multi-key encryption, M for middle key in multi-key encryption, and L for last key in multi-key encryption. When the KeyFile option is specified, BitGen looks in that file for all other DES key options listed above. An example for the input KeyFile using triple DES is:

```
# Comment for key file
Key 0 0x9ac28eb2d83b;
Key 1 pick;
Key 2 string for my key;
Key 3 0x00000000000000;
Key 4 8774eb3ebb4f84;
Keyseq 0 F;
Keyseq 1 M;
Keyseq 2 L;
Keyseq 3 F;
Keyseq 4 M;
Keyseq 5 L;
Key StartCBC 503f2f655b1b2f82;
StartKey 0;
```

Every key is given in the output key file, with unused key locations set to "0x0000000000000000." The proper key sequence prefix is added for all used keys. The prefix is preserved for unused keys, if the user specified a value. The output key file has the same base file name as the .bit file, but with a .nky file extension.

The command line equivalent of the input key file above is as follows:

```
bitgen -g Encrypt:Yes -g Key0: 0x9ac28eb2d83b -g Key1:pick -g Key2:"
string for my key" -g Key3:0x0000000000000000 -g Key4:8774eb3ebb4f84 -g
Keyseq0:F, -g Keyseq1:M, -gKeyseq2:L -g Keyseq3:F -g Keyseq4:M -g
Keyseq5:L -g StartCBC:503f2f655b1b2f82 -g StartKey:0 myinput.ncd
```

If the key file is used, the command line is as follows:

```
Bitgen -g Encrypt:Yes -g KeyFile: mykeyfile myinput.ncd
```

The output key file from either of the above inputs looks something like this:

```
Device 2v40CS144;
Key 0 0x9ac28eb2d83b;
Key 1 0xdb1adb5f08b972;
Key 2 0x5452032773c286;
Key 3 0x0000000000000000;
Key 4 0x8774eb3ebb4f84;
Key 5 0x0000000000000000;
Keyseq 0 F;
Keyseq 1 M;
Keyseq 2 L;
Keyseq 3 F;
Keyseq 4 M;
Keyseq 5 L;
Key StartCBC 0x503f2f655b1b2f82;
StartKey 0;
```

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In the case of the string for Key2, if the keyvalue is a character string, BitGen encodes the string into a 56-bit hex string. The same character string gives the same 56-bit hex string every time. This enables passwords or phrases to be used instead of hex strings.

The above keys are all specified as 64 bits each. The first 8 bits are used by Xilinx as header information and the following 56 bits as the key. BitGen accepts 64 bit keys, but automatically overrides the header, if necessary.

Because of security issues, the **-g Compress** option cannot be used with bitstream encryption. Also, partial reconfiguration is not allowed.

## Loading Keys

DES keys can only be loaded through JTAG. The iMPACT™ tools have the capability to take a .nky file and program the device with the keys. In order to program the keys, a “key-access mode” is entered. When this mode is entered, all of the FPGA memory, including the keys and configuration data, is cleared. Once the keys are programmed, they cannot be reprogrammed without clearing the entire device. This “key access mode” is completely transparent to most users.

Keys are programmed using the ISC\_PROGRAM instruction, as detailed in the JTAG 1532 specification. SVF generation is also supported, if keys are to be programmed using a different method, such as a microprocessor or JTAG test software.

## Loading Encrypted Bitstreams

Once the device has been programmed with the correct keys, the device can be configured with an encrypted bitstream. Non-encrypted bitstreams may also be used to configure the device, and the stored keys are ignored. The method of configuration is not at all affected by encryption. Any of the modes may be used, and the signaling does not change (see [Chapter 3: Configuration](#)). However, *all* bitstreams must configure the entire device, since partial reconfiguration is not permitted.

Once the device has been configured with an encrypted bitstream, it cannot be reconfigured without toggling the PROG pin, cycling power, or performing the JTAG JSTART instruction. All of these events fully clear the configuration memory, but none of these events reset the keys as long as  $V_{BATT}$  or  $V_{CCAUX}$  are maintained.

## $V_{BATT}$

$V_{BATT}$  is a separate battery voltage to allow the keys to remain programmed in the Virtex-II Pro device.  $V_{BATT}$  draws very little current (on the order of nA) to keep the keys programmed. A small watch battery is suitable (refer to  $V_{BATT}$  DC Characteristics in the [Virtex-II Pro Data Sheet](#) and the battery's specifications to estimate its lifetime).

While the auxiliary voltage ( $V_{CCAUX}$ ) is applied,  $V_{BATT}$  does not draw any current, and the battery can be removed or exchanged.

# CORE Generator System

## Introduction

This section on the Xilinx CORE Generator™ System and the Xilinx Intellectual Property (IP) Core offerings is provided as an overview of products that facilitate the Virtex-II Pro design process. For more detailed and complete information, consult the *CORE Generator Guide*, which can be accessed online in the Xilinx software installation, as well as at the <http://toolbox.xilinx.com/docsan/xilinx4/manuals.htm> site under the “Design Entry Tools” heading.

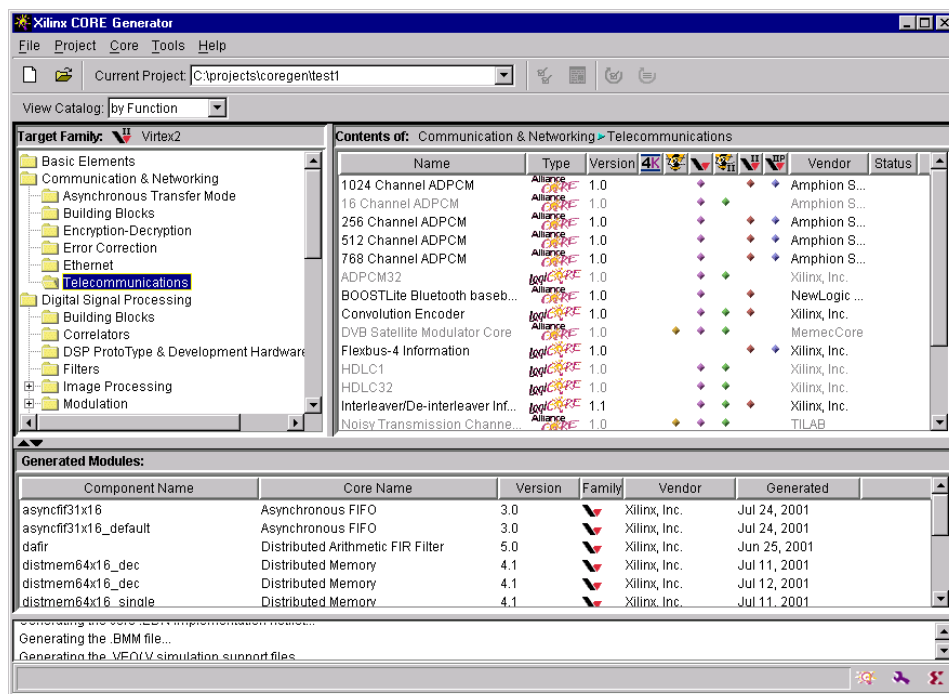
## The CORE Generator System

The Xilinx CORE Generator System is the cataloging, customization, and delivery vehicle for IP cores targeted to Xilinx FPGAs. This tool is included with all Xilinx ISE BaseX, ISE Foundation, and ISE Alliance Series software packages. The CORE Generator provides centralized access to a catalog of ready-made IP functions ranging in complexity from simple arithmetic operators, such as adders, accumulators, and multipliers, to system-level building blocks, such as filters, transforms, and memories. Cores can be displayed alphabetically, by function, by vendor, or by type. Each core comes with its own data sheet, which documents the core's functionality in detail.

The CORE Generator User Interface (see [Figure 2-127](#)) has direct links to key Xilinx web support pages, such as the Xilinx IP Center website ([www.xilinx.com/ipcenter](http://www.xilinx.com/ipcenter)) and Xilinx Technical Support, making it very easy to access the latest Virtex-II Pro IP releases and get helpful, up-to-date specifications and information on technical issues. Links to partner IP providers are also built into the informational GUIs for the various partner-supplied AllianceCORE products described under [AllianceCORE Program, page 341](#).

The use of CORE Generator IP cores in Virtex-II Pro designs enables designers to shorten design time, and it also helps them realize high levels of performance and area efficiency

without any special knowledge of the Virtex-II Pro architecture. The IP cores achieve these high levels of performance and logic density by using Xilinx Smart-IP™ technology.



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Figure 2-127: Core Generator User Interface

## Smart-IP Technology

Smart-IP technology leverages Xilinx FPGA architectural features, such as look-up tables (LUTs), distributed RAM, segmented routing and floorplanning information, as well as relative location constraints and expert logic mapping to optimize the performance of every core instance in a given Xilinx FPGA design. In the context of Virtex-II Pro cores, Smart-IP technology includes the use of the special high-performance Virtex-II Pro architectural features, such as embedded 18x18 multipliers, block memory, shift register look-up tables (SRL16's), and special wide mux elements.

Smart-IP technology delivers:

- Physical layouts optimized for high performance
- Predictable high performance and efficient resource utilization
- Reduced power requirements through compact design and interconnect minimization
- Performance independent of device size
- Ability to use multiple cores without deterioration of performance
- Reduced compile time over competing architectures



## CORE Generator Design Flow

A block diagram of the CORE Generator design flow is shown in [Figure 2-128](#).

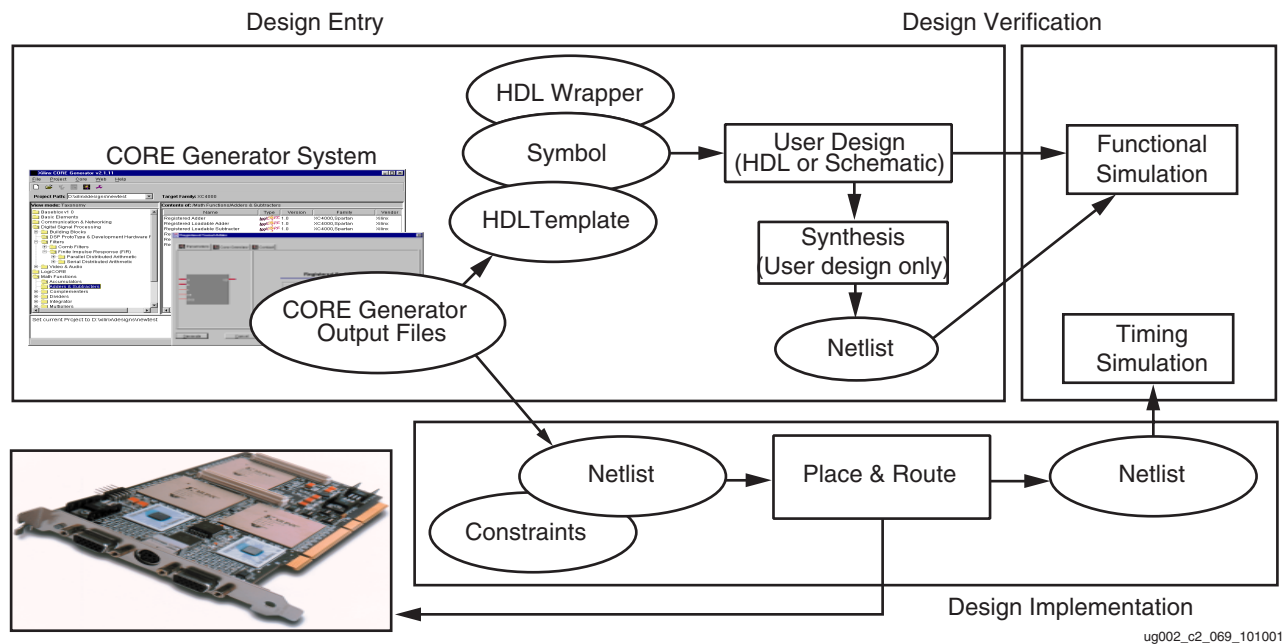


Figure 2-128: CORE Generator Design Flow

**Note:**

1. The outputs produced by the CORE Generator consist of an implementation Netlist and optional schematic symbol, HDL template files, and HDL simulation model wrapper files.

## Core Types

### Parameterized Cores

The CORE Generator System supplies a wide assortment of parameterized IP cores that can be customized to meet specific Virtex-II Pro design needs and size constraints. See [Figure 2-129](#). For each parameterized core, the CORE Generator System supplies:

- A customized EDIF implementation netlist (.EDN)
- A parameterized Verilog or VHDL behavioral simulation model (.V, .VHD) and corresponding wrapper file (also .V, .VHD)
- Verilog or VHDL templates (.VEO, .VHO)
- An ISE Foundation or Viewlogic® schematic symbol

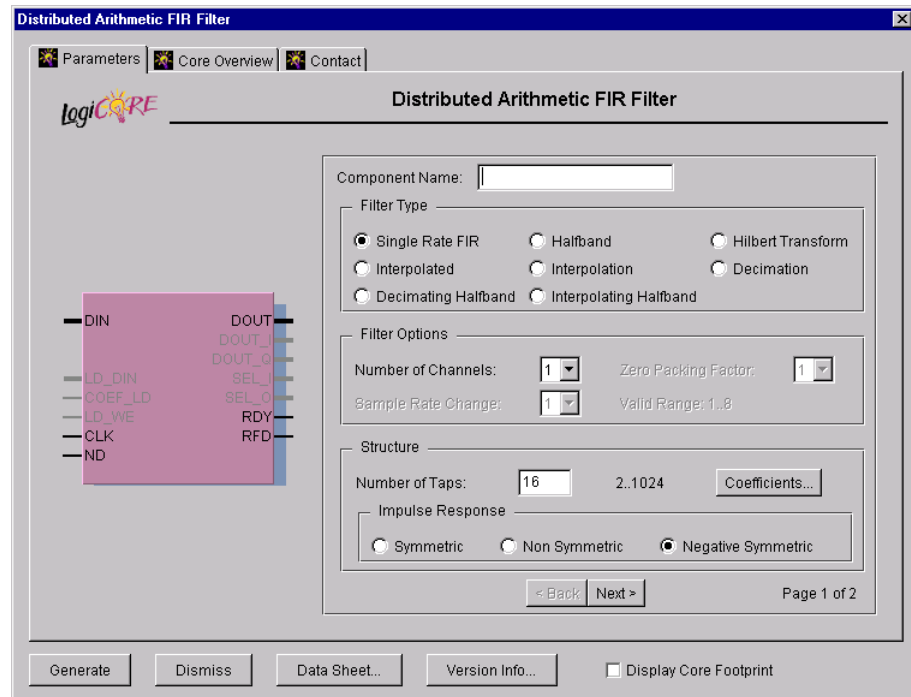
The EDIF implementation netlist is used by the Xilinx tools to implement the core. The other design files generated depend on the Design Entry settings specified (target CAE vendor, and design flow type -- schematic or HDL). Schematic symbol files are generated when a schematic design flow is specified for the project.

Parameterized HDL simulation models are provided in two separate HDL simulation libraries, one for Verilog functional simulation support, and the other for VHDL functional simulation support. The libraries, which are included as part of the Xilinx installation, are in the following locations:

\$XILINX/verilog/src/XilinxCoreLib

\$XILINX/vhdl/src/XilinxCoreLib





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**Figure 2-129: Core Customization Window for a Parameterized Core**

If using a compiled simulator, these libraries must be precompiled before performing a functional simulation of the cores. An `analyze_order` file describing the required compile order of these models is included with each XilinxCoreLib library, one for Verilog (`verilog_analyze_order`) and one for VHDL (`vhdl_analyze_order`).

For an HDL design flow, Verilog and VHDL templates (`.VEO` and `.VHO` files) are also provided to facilitate the integration of the core into the design for the purposes of functional simulation, synthesis, and implementation. The Verilog (`.V`) and VHDL (`.VHD`) wrapper files are also generated. The wrapper files for a particular core are compiled like normal simulation models. They convey custom parameter values to the corresponding generic, parameterized behavioral model for that core in the XilinxCoreLib library. The custom parameter values are used to tailor the behavior of the customized core.

The following is a sample VHO template:

```
component adder8
port (
  a: IN std_logic_VECTOR(7 downto 0);
  b: IN std_logic_VECTOR(7 downto 0);
  c: IN std_logic;
  ce: IN std_logic;
  ci: IN std_logic;
  clr: IN std_logic;
  s: OUT std_logic_VECTOR(8 downto 0));
end component;

-- Synplicity black box declaration
attribute black_box : boolean;
attribute black_box of test: component is true;

-- COMP_TAG_END ----- End COMPONENT Declaration -----

-- The following code must appear in the VHDL architecture
-- body. Substitute your own instance name and net names.
```

```

----- Begin Cut here for INSTANTIATION Template ----- INST_TAG
your_instance_name : adder8
    port map (
        a => a,
        b => b,
        c => c,
        ce => ce,
        ci => ci,
        clr => clr,
        s => s);

-- INST_TAG_END ----- End INSTANTIATION Template -----
-- You must compile the wrapper file test.vhd when simulating
-- the core, test. When compiling the wrapper file, be sure to
-- reference the XilinxCoreLib VHDL simulation library. For detailed
-- instructions, please refer to the "Core Generator Guide".

```

## Fixed Netlist Cores

The other type of Virtex-II Pro core provided by the CORE Generator is the fixed netlist core. These are preset, non-parameterized designs that are shipped with the following:

- A fixed EDIF implementation netlist (as opposed to one that is customized on the fly)
- .VEO and .VHO templates
- Non-parameterized .V and .VHD behavioral simulation models
- Schematic symbol support

Examples include the fixed netlist Xilinx FFTs and most AllianceCORE products.

Since the HDL behavioral models for fixed netlist cores are not parameterized, the corresponding .VEO and .VHO template files are correspondingly simple. They do not need to pass customizing parameter values to a library behavioral model.

## Xilinx IP Solutions and the IP Center

The CORE Generator works in conjunction with the Xilinx IP Center on the world wide web to provide the latest IP and software upgrades. To make the most of this resource, Xilinx highly recommends that whenever starting a design, first do a quick search of the Xilinx IP Center ([www.xilinx.com/ipcenter](http://www.xilinx.com/ipcenter)) to see whether a ready-made core solution is already available.

A complete catalog of Xilinx cores and IP tools resides on the IP Center, including:

- LogiCORE Products
- AllianceCORE Products
- Reference Designs
- XPERTS Partner Consultants
- Design Reuse Tools

When installing the CORE Generator software, the designer gains immediate access to dozens of cores supplied by the LogiCORE Program. In addition, data sheets are available for all AllianceCORE products, and additional, separately licensed, advanced function LogiCORE products are also available. New and updated Virtex-II Pro IP for the CORE Generator can be downloaded from the IP Center and added to the CORE Generator catalog.

## LogiCORE Program

LogiCORE products are designed, sold, licensed, and supported by Xilinx. LogiCORE products include a wide selection of generic, parameterized functions, such as muxes, adders, multipliers, and memory cores which are bundled with the Xilinx CORE Generator

software at no additional cost to licensed software customers. System-level cores, such as PCI, Reed-Solomon, ADPCM, HDLC, POS-PHY, and Color Space Converters are also available as optional, separately licensed products. Probably, the most common application of the CORE Generator is to use it to quickly generate Virtex-II Pro block and distributed memories. A more detailed listing of available Virtex-II Pro LogiCORE products is available in [Table 2-61](#) and on the Xilinx IP Center website ([www.xilinx.com/ipcenter](http://www.xilinx.com/ipcenter)).

Types of IP currently offered by the Xilinx LogiCORE program include:

- Basic Elements: logic gates, registers, multiplexers, adders, multipliers
- Communications and Networking: ADPCM modules, HDLC controllers, ATM building blocks, forward error correction modules, and POS-PHY Interfaces
- DSP and Video Image Processing: cores ranging from small building blocks (e.g., Time Skew Buffers) to larger system-level functions (e.g., FIR Filters and FFTs)
- System Logic: accumulators, adders, subtracters, complementers, multipliers, integrators, pipelined delay elements, single and dual-port distributed and block RAM, ROM, and synchronous and asynchronous FIFOs
- Standard Bus Interfaces: PCI 64/66 (64-bit, 66 MHz), 64/33 (64-bit, 33 MHz), and 32/33 (32-bit, 33 MHz) Interfaces

## AllianceCORE Program

The AllianceCORE program is a cooperative effort between Xilinx and third-party IP developers to provide additional system-level IP cores optimized for Xilinx FPGAs. To ensure a high level of quality, AllianceCORE products are implemented and verified in a Xilinx device as part of the certification process.

Xilinx develops relationships with AllianceCORE partners who can complement the Xilinx LogiCORE product offering. Where Xilinx does not offer a LogiCORE for a particular function, Xilinx partners with an AllianceCORE partner to offer that function. A large percentage of Xilinx AllianceCORE partners focus on data and telecommunication applications, as well as processor and processor peripheral designs.

Together, Xilinx and the AllianceCORE partners are able to provide an extensive library of cores to accelerate the design process. AllianceCORE products include customizable cores which can be configured to exact needs, as well as fixed netlist cores targeted toward specific applications. In many cases, partners can provide cores customized to meet the specific design needs if the primary offerings do not fit the requirements. Additionally, source code versions of the cores are often available from the partners at additional cost for those who need maximum flexibility.

The library of Xilinx and AllianceCORE IP cores allows designers to leverage the expertise of experienced designers who are well-versed in optimizing designs for Virtex-II Pro and other Xilinx architectures. This enables designers to obtain high performance and density in the target Virtex-II Pro device with a faster time to market.

## Reference Designs

Xilinx offers two types of reference designs; application notes (XAPPs) developed by Xilinx, and reference designs developed through the Xilinx Reference Design Alliance Program. Both types are extremely valuable to customers looking for guidance when designing systems. Reference designs can often be used as starting points for implementing a broad spectrum of functions in Xilinx programmable logic.

Application notes developed by Xilinx usually include supporting design files. They are supplied free of charge, without technical support or warranty. To see currently available reference designs, visit the [www.xilinx.com/products/logicore/refdes.htm](http://www.xilinx.com/products/logicore/refdes.htm) website.

Reference designs developed through the Xilinx Reference Design Alliance Program are developed, owned, and controlled by the partners in the program. The goal of the program

is to form strategic engineering and marketing partnerships with other semiconductor manufacturers and design houses so as to assist in the development of high quality, multicomponent reference designs that incorporate Xilinx devices and demonstrate how they can operate at the system level with other specialized and general purpose semiconductors.

The reference designs in the Xilinx Reference Design Alliance Program are fully functional and applicable to a wide variety of digital electronic systems, including those used for networking, communications, video imaging, and DSP applications. Visit the [www.xilinx.com/company/reference\\_design/referencepartners.htm](http://www.xilinx.com/company/reference_design/referencepartners.htm) website to see a list of designs currently available through this program.

## XPERTS Program

Xilinx established the XPERTS Program to provide customers with access to a worldwide network of certified design consultants proficient with Xilinx Platform FPGAs, software, and IP core integration. All XPERT members are certified and have extensive expertise and experience with Xilinx technology in various vertical applications, such as communications and networking, DSP, video and image processing, system I/O interfaces, and home networking.

XPERTS partners are an integral part of Xilinx strategy to provide customers with cost-efficient design solutions, while accelerating time to market. For more information on Xilinx XPERTS Program, visit the [www.xilinx.com/company/consultants/index.htm](http://www.xilinx.com/company/consultants/index.htm) website.

## Design Reuse Tools

To facilitate the archiving and sharing of IP created by different individuals and workgroups within a company, Xilinx offers the IP Capture Tool. The IP Capture Tool helps to package design modules created by individual engineers in a standardized format so that they can be cataloged and distributed using the Xilinx CORE Generator. A core can take the form of synthesizable VHDL or Verilog code, or a fixed function netlist. Once it is packaged by the IP Capture Tool and installed into the CORE Generator, the “captured” core can be shared with other designers within a company through an internal network. The IP Capture Tool is supplied as a separate utility through the Xilinx IP Center. For more information, see the [www.xilinx.com/ipcenter/designreuse/ipic.htm](http://www.xilinx.com/ipcenter/designreuse/ipic.htm) website.

## CORE Generator Summary

The CORE Generator delivers a complete catalog of IP including behavioral models, synthesis templates, and netlists with performance guaranteed by Xilinx Smart-IP technology. It is a repository for LogiCORE products from Xilinx, AllianceCORE products from Xilinx partners, and it supports Design Reuse for internally developed IP. In addition, LogiCORE products are continuously updated to add support for new Xilinx architectures, such as Virtex-II Pro. The most current IP updates are available from the Xilinx IP Center.

Utilizing the CORE Generator library of parameterizable cores, designed by Xilinx for Xilinx FPGAs, the designer can enjoy the advantages of design reuse, including faster time to market and lower cost solutions. For more information, visit the Xilinx IP Center [www.xilinx.com/ipcenter](http://www.xilinx.com/ipcenter) website.

## Virtex-II Pro IP Cores Support

**Table 2-61** provides a partial listing of cores available for Virtex-II Pro designs. For a complete catalog of Virtex-II Pro IP, visit the Xilinx IP Center [www.xilinx.com/ipcenter](http://www.xilinx.com/ipcenter) website.

Table 2-61: Virtex-II Pro IP Cores Support

Function	Vendor Name	IP Type	Key Features	Application Examples
<b>Software-Only IP:</b>				
Memory Tests utility	Xilinx	LogiCORE	Used to test Memory Interfaces	
VxWorks Integration / RTOS Adaptation Layer	Xilinx	LogiCORE	Delivered with each peripheral with the Device Driver	
Board Support Package (BSP)	Xilinx	LogiCORE	BSP for the Xilinx development board including PPC405 boot code	
Chip Support Package (CSP)	Xilinx	LogiCORE	Configurable BSP – Delivered through Platform Generator	
<b>Bus Infrastructure:</b>				
OPB Arbiter	Xilinx	LogiCORE	Device driver included	
PLB Arbiter	Xilinx	LogiCORE	Device driver included	
PLB-OPB Bridge	Xilinx	LogiCORE	Device driver included	
OPB-PLB Bridge	Xilinx	LogiCORE	Device driver included	
<b>OPB IPIF Modules:</b>				
IPIF-Slave Attachment	Xilinx	LogiCORE	Device driver included	
IPIF-Master Attachment	Xilinx	LogiCORE	Device driver included	
IPIF-Address Decode	Xilinx	LogiCORE	Device driver included	
IPIF-Interrupt Control	Xilinx	LogiCORE	Device driver included	
IPIF-Read Packet FIFOs	Xilinx	LogiCORE	Device driver included	
IPIF-Write Packet FIFOs	Xilinx	LogiCORE	Device driver included	
IPIF-DMA	Xilinx	LogiCORE	Device driver included	
IPIF-Scatter Gather	Xilinx	LogiCORE	Device driver included	
<b>Memory Interfaces:</b>				
PLB External Memory Controller	Xilinx	LogiCORE	SRAM & FLASH interface including Flash device driver	
OPB External Memory Controller	Xilinx	LogiCORE	SRAM & FLASH interface including Flash device driver	
PLB DDR Controller	Xilinx	LogiCORE	DDR Memory Controller	
OPB BRAM Controller	Xilinx	LogiCORE	OPB BRAM Controller	
OPB ZBT Controller	Xilinx	LogiCORE	ZBT Memory Controller	
<b>Peripherals:</b>				
Interrupt Controller	Xilinx	LogiCORE	Device driver included	
UART-16550	Xilinx	LogiCORE	Device driver included	
UART-16450	Xilinx	LogiCORE	Device driver included	

Table 2-61: Virtex-II Pro IP Cores Support (Continued)

Function	Vendor Name	IP Type	Key Features	Application Examples
IIC Master & Slave	Xilinx	LogiCORE	Device driver included	
SPI Master & Slave	Xilinx	LogiCORE	Device driver included	
Ethernet 10/100 MAC	Xilinx	LogiCORE	Device driver included	
ATM Utopia Level 2 Slave	Xilinx	LogiCORE	Device driver included	
TimeBase/Watch Dog Timer	Xilinx	LogiCORE	Device driver included	
Timer/Counter	Xilinx	LogiCORE	Device driver included	
UART - Lite	Xilinx	LogiCORE	Device driver included	
GPIO	Xilinx	LogiCORE	Device driver included	
<b>Basic Elements:</b>				
BUFE-based Multiplexer Slice	Xilinx	LogiCORE	1-256 bits wide	
BUFT-based Multiplexer Slice	Xilinx	LogiCORE	1-256 bits wide	
Binary Counter	Xilinx	LogiCORE	2-256 bits output width	
Binary Decoder	Xilinx	LogiCORE	2-256 bits output width	
Bit Bus Gate	Xilinx	LogiCORE	1-256 bits wide	
Bit Gate	Xilinx	LogiCORE	1-256 bits wide	
Bit Multiplexer	Xilinx	LogiCORE	1-256 bits wide	
Bus Gate	Xilinx	LogiCORE	1-256 bits wide	
Bus Multiplexer	Xilinx	LogiCORE	IO widths up to 256 bits	
Comparator	Xilinx	LogiCORE	1-256 bits wide	
FD-based Parallel Register	Xilinx	LogiCORE	1-256 bits wide	
FD-based Shift Register	Xilinx	LogiCORE	1-64 bits wide	
LD-based Parallel Latch	Xilinx	LogiCORE	1-256 bits wide	
RAM-based Shift Register	Xilinx	LogiCORE	1-256 bits wide, 1024 words deep	
<b>Communication &amp; Networking:</b>				
3G FEC Package	Xilinx	LogiCORE	Viterbi Decoder, Turbo Codec, Convolutional Enc	3G Wireless Infrastructure
3GPP Compliant Turbo Convolutional Decoder	Xilinx	LogiCORE	3GPP specs, 2 Mb/s, BER=10 <sup>-6</sup> for 1.5dB SNR	3G Wireless Infrastructure
3GPP Compliant Turbo Convolutional Encoder	Xilinx	LogiCORE	Compliant w/ 3GPP, puncturing	3G Wireless Infrastructure
3GPP Turbo Decoder	SysOnChip	AllianceCORE	3GPP/UMTS compliant, IMT-2000, 2Mb/s data	Error correction, wireless
8b/10b Decoder	Xilinx	LogiCORE	Industry std 8b/10b en/decode for serial data transmission	Physical layer of Fiber Channel
8b/10b Encoder	Xilinx	LogiCORE	Industry std 8b/10b en/decode for serial data transmission	Physical layer of Fiber Channel
ADPCM 1024 Channel	Amphion	AllianceCORE	G.721, 723, 726, 726a, 727, 727a, u-law, a-law	DECT, VOIP, cordless telephony

Table 2-61: Virtex-II Pro IP Cores Support (Continued)

Function	Vendor Name	IP Type	Key Features	Application Examples
ADPCM 256 Channel	Amphion	AllianceCORE	G.721, 723, 726, 726a, 727, 727a, u-law, a-law	DECT, VOIP, cordless telephony
ADPCM 512 Channel	Amphion	AllianceCORE		
ADPCM 768 Channel	Amphion	AllianceCORE	G.721, 723, 726, 726a, 727, 727a, u-law, a-law	DECT, VOIP, cordless telephony
ADPCM Speech Codec, 32 Channel (DO-DI-ADPCM32)	Xilinx	LogiCORE	G.726, G.727, 32 duplex channels	DECT, VOIP, Wireless local loop, DSLAM, PBX
ADPCM Speech Codec, 64 Channel (DO-DI-ADPCM64)	Xilinx	LogiCORE	G.726, G.727, 64 duplex channels	DECT, VOIP, wireless local loop, DSLAM, PBX
BOOST LITE Bluetooth Base-band Processor	NewLogic	AllianceCORE	Compliant to Bluetooth v1.1, BQB qualified software for L2CAP, LHP, HC1, voice support	Bluetooth applications
BOOST Lite Bluetooth Base-band Processor	NewLogic	AllianceCORE	Compliant to Bluetooth v1.1, BQB qualified software for L2CAP, LHP, HC1, voice support	Bluetooth applications
Convolutional Encoder	Xilinx	LogiCORE	k from 3 to 9, puncturing from 2/3 to 12/13	3G base stations, broadcast, wireless LAN, cable modem, xDSL, satellite com, uwave
DVB-RCS Turbo Decoder	iCODING	AllianceCORE	DVB-RCS compliant, 9 Mb/s data rate, switchable code rates and frame sizes	Error correction, wireless, DVB, Satellite data link
Flexbus 4 Interface Core, 16-Channel (DO-DI-FLX4C16)	Xilinx	LogiCORE		Line card: terabit routers & optical switches
Flexbus 4 Interface Core, 4-Channel (DO-DI-FLX4C4)	Xilinx	LogiCORE		Line card: terabit routers & optical switches
Flexbus 4 Interface Core, 1-Channel (DO-DI-FLX4C1)	Xilinx	LogiCORE		Line card: terabit routers & optical switches
HDLC Controller Core, 32 Channels	Xilinx	LogiCORE	32 full duplex, CRC-16/32, 8/16-bit address insertion/deletion	X.25, POS, cable modems, frame relay switches, video conferencing over ISDN
HDLC Controller Core, Single Channel	Xilinx	LogiCORE	16/32-bit frame seq, 8/16-bit addr insert/delete, flag/zerop insert/detect	X.25, POS, cable modems, frame relay switches, video conf. over ISDN
Interleaver/De-interleaver	Xilinx	LogiCORE	Convolutional, width up to 256 bits, 256 branches	Broadcast, wireless LAN, cable modem, xDSL, satellite com, uwave nets, digital TV
PE-MACMII Dual Speed 10/100 Mb/s Ethernet MAC	Alcatel	AllianceCORE	802.3 compliant, Supports single & multimode fiber optic devices, M11 interfaces, RMON and Etherstate statistics	Networking, Broadband, NIC, SOHO, Home networking, storage, routers, switches, printers
POS-PHY Level 3 Link Layer Interface Core, 48 Channel (DO-DI-POSL3LINK48A)	Xilinx	LogiCORE		



Table 2-61: Virtex-II Pro IP Cores Support (Continued)

Function	Vendor Name	IP Type	Key Features	Application Examples
POS-PHY L3 Link Layer Interface, 16-Ch (DO-DI-POSL3LINK16)	Xilinx	LogiCORE		Line card: terabit routers & optical switches
POS-PHY L3 Link Layer Interface, 4-Ch (DO-DI-POSL3LINK4)	Xilinx	LogiCORE		Line card: terabit routers & optical switches
POS-PHY L3 Link Layer Interface, 2-Ch (DO-DI-POSL3LINK2)	Xilinx	LogiCORE		Line card: terabit routers & optical switches
POS-PHY L3 Link Layer Interface, Single Channel	Xilinx	LogiCORE		
POS-PHY L4 Multi-Channel Interface (DO-DI-POSL4MC)	Xilinx	LogiCORE		
Reed-Solomon Decoder	Xilinx	LogiCORE	Std or custom coding, 3-12 bit symbol width, up to 4095 symbols	Broadcast, wireless LAN, digital TV, cable modem, xDSL, satellite com, uwave nets
Reed-Solomon Decoder	TILAB	AllianceCORE	parameterizable, RTL available	Error correction, wireless, DSL
Reed-Solomon Encoder	Xilinx	LogiCORE	Std or cust coding, 3-12 bit width, up to 4095 symbols with 256 check symb.	Broadcast, wireless LAN, digital TV, cable modem, xDSL, satellite com, uwave nets
SDLC Controller	CAST	AllianceCORE	Like Intel 8XC152 Global Serial Channel, Serial Comm., HDLC apps, telecom	Embedded systems, professional audio, video
SPEEDROUTER Network Processor	IP	AllianceCORE	Solution requires SPEEDAnalyzer ASIC, 2.5 Gb/s fdx wire speed; net processor (NPV)	Networking, edge and access, Switches and routers
Turbo Decoder - 3GPP	SysOnChip	AllianceCORE	3GPP/UMTS compliant, 2 Mb/s data rate	Error correction, wireless
Turbo Encoder	TILAB	AllianceCORE	3GPP/UMTS compliant, upto 4 interleaver laws	Error correction, wireless
TURBO_DEC Turbo Decoder	TILAB	AllianceCORE	3GPP/UMTS compliant, >2 Mb/s data rate	Error correction, wireless
Viterbi Decoder	Xilinx	LogiCORE	Puncturing, serial & parallel architecture,	3G base stations, broadcast, wireless LAN, cable modem, xDSL, satellite com, uwave
Viterbi Decoder, IEEE 802-compatible	Xilinx	LogiCORE	Constraint length(k)=7, G0=171, G1=133	L/MMDS, cable modem, broadcast equip, wireless LAN, xDSL, sat com, uwave nets
<b>Digital Signal Processing:</b>				
1024-Point Complex FFT IFFT for Virtex-II	Xilinx	LogiCORE	16 bit complex data, 2's comp, forward and inverse transform	



Table 2-61: Virtex-II Pro IP Cores Support (Continued)

Function	Vendor Name	IP Type	Key Features	Application Examples
16-Point Complex FFT IFFT for Virtex-II	Xilinx	LogiCORE	16 bit complex data, 2's comp, forward and inverse transform	
256-Point Complex FFT IFFT for Virtex-II	Xilinx	LogiCORE	16 bit complex data, 2's comp, forward and inverse transform	
32 Point Complex FFT/IFFT	Xilinx	LogiCORE		
64-Point Complex FFT IFFT for Virtex-II	Xilinx	LogiCORE	16 bit complex data, 2's comp, forward and inverse transform	
Bit Correlator	Xilinx	LogiCORE	4096 taps, serial/parallel input, 4096 bits width	
Cascaded Integrator Comb (CIC)	Xilinx	LogiCORE	32 bits data width, rate change from 8 to 16384	
Direct Digital Synthesizer	Xilinx	LogiCORE	8-65K samples, 32-bits output precision, phase dithering/offset	
Distributed Arithmetic FIR Filter	Xilinx	LogiCORE	32-bit input/coeff width, 1024 taps, 1-8 chan, polyphase, online coeff reload	
GVA-300 Virtex-II DSP Hardware Accelerator	GV	AllianceCORE	2 Virtex-II, Spartan-II FPGAs, 1 CPLD, Matlab I/F	DSP prototyping
LFSR, Linear Feedback Shift Register	Xilinx	LogiCORE	168 input widths, SRL16/register implementation	
<b>Math Functions:</b>				
Accumulator	Xilinx	LogiCORE	1-256s bit wide	
Adder Subtractor	Xilinx	LogiCORE	1-256s bit wide	
DFP2INT Floating Point to Integer Converter	Digital	AllianceCORE	Full IEEE-754 compliance, 4 pipelines, Single precision real format support	DSP, Math, Arithmetic apps
DFPADD Floating Point Adder	Digital	AllianceCORE	Full IEEE-754 compliance, 4 pipelines, Single precision real format support	DSP, Math, Arithmetic apps
DFPCOMP Floating Point Comparator	Digital	AllianceCORE	Full IEEE-754 compliance, 4 pipelines, Single precision real format support	DSP, Math, Arithmetic apps
DFPDIV Floating Point Divider	Digital	AllianceCORE	Full IEEE-754 compliance, 15 pipelines, Single precision real format support	DSP, Math, Arithmetic apps
DFPMUL Floating Point Multiplier	Digital	AllianceCORE	Full IEEE-754 compliance, 7 pipelines, 32x32 mult, Single precision real format support	DSP, Math, Arithmetic apps

Table 2-61: Virtex-II Pro IP Cores Support (Continued)

Function	Vendor Name	IP Type	Key Features	Application Examples
DFPSQRT Floating Point Square Root	Digital	AllianceCORE	Full IEEE-754 compliance, 4 pipelines, Single precision real format support	DSP, Math, Arithmetic apps
DINT2FP Integer to Floating Point Converter	Digital	AllianceCORE	Full IEEE-754 compliance, double word input, 2 pipelines, Single precision real output	DSP, Math, Arithmetic apps
Multiply Accumulator (MAC)	Xilinx	LogiCORE	Input width up to 32 bits, 65-bit accumulator, truncation rounding	
Multiply Generator	Xilinx	LogiCORE	64-bit input data width, constant, reloadable or variable inputs, parallel/sequential implementation	
Pipelined Divider	Xilinx	LogiCORE	32-bit input data width, multiple clock per output	
Sine Cosine Look Up Table	Xilinx	LogiCORE	3-10 bit in, 4-32 bit out, distributed/block ROM	
Twos Complementer	Xilinx	LogiCORE	Input width up to 256 bits	
<b>Memories &amp; Storage Elements:</b>				
Asynchronous FIFO	Xilinx	LogiCORE	1-256 bits, 15-65535 words, DRAM or BRAM, independent I/O clock domains	
Content Addressable Memory (CAM)	Xilinx	LogiCORE	1-512 bits, 2-10K words, SRL16	
Distributed Memory	Xilinx	LogiCORE	1-1024 bit, 16-65536 word, RAM/ROM/SRL16, opt output regs and pipelining	
Dual-Port Block Memory	Xilinx	LogiCORE	1-256 bits, 2-13K words	
Single-Port Block Memory	Xilinx	LogiCORE	1-256 bits, 2-128K words	
Synchronous FIFO	Xilinx	LogiCORE	1-256 bits, 16-256 words, distributed/block RAM	
<b>Microprocessors, Controllers &amp; Peripherals:</b>				
10/100 Ethernet MAC	Xilinx	LogiCORE	Interfaces through OPB to MicroBlaze™	Networking, comm., processor applications
AX1610 16-bit RISC Processor	Loarant	AllianceCORE	44 opcode, 64-K word data, program, Harvard arch.	Control functions, State mach, Coprocessor
C165X MicroController	CAST	AllianceCORE	Microchip 16C5X PIC like	Embedded systems, telecom
C68000 Microprocessor	CAST	AllianceCORE	MC68000 Compatible	Embedded systems, pro audio, video
CPU FPGA (Virtex-II) MicroEngine Cards	NMI	AllianceCORE	Hitachi SH-3 CPU	Embedded systems
CZ80CPU Microprocessor	CAST	AllianceCORE	Zilog Z80 compatible, 8-bit processor	Embedded systems, Communications

Table 2-61: Virtex-II Pro IP Cores Support (Continued)

Function	Vendor Name	IP Type	Key Features	Application Examples
DDR SDRAM Controller Core	Memec-Core	AllianceCORE	DDR SDRAM burst length support for 2,4,8 per access, supports data 16,32, 64, 72.	Digital video, embedded computing , networking
DFPIC125X Fast RISC Micro-Controller	Digital	AllianceCORE	PIC 12c4x like, 2X faster, 12-bit wide instruction set, 33 instructions	Embedded systems, telecom, audio and video
DFPIC1655X Fast RISC Micro-Controller	Digital	AllianceCORE	S/W compatible with PIC16C55X, 14-bit instruction set, 35 instructions	Embedded systems, telecom, audio and video
DFPIC165X Fast RISC Micro-Controller	Digital	AllianceCORE	PIC 12c4x like, 2X faster, 12-bit wide instruction set, 33 instructions	Embedded systems, telecom, audio and video
DI2CM I2C Bus Controller Master	Digital	AllianceCORE	I2C-like, multi master, fast/std. modes	Embedded systems
DI2CM I2C Bus Controller Slave	Digital	AllianceCORE	I2C-like, Slave	Embedded
DI2CSB I2C Bus Controller Slave Base	Digital	AllianceCORE	I2C-like, Slave	Embedded Systems
DR8051 RISC MicroController	Digital	AllianceCORE	80C31 instruction set, RISC architecture 6.7X faster than standard 8051	Embedded systems, telecom, video
DR8051BASE RISC MicroController	Digital	AllianceCORE	80C31 instruction set, high speed multiplier, RISC architecture 6.7X faster than standard 8051	Embedded systems, telecom, video
DR8052EX RISC MicroController	Digital	AllianceCORE	80C31 instruction set, high speed mult/div ,RISC 6.7X faster than standard 8051	Embedded systems, telecom, video
e8254 Programmable Interval Timer/Counter	einfochips	AllianceCORE	Three 8-bit parallel ports, 24 programmable IO lines, 8-bit bidi data bus	Processor, I/O interface
e8255 Peripheral Interface	einfochips	AllianceCORE	Three 8-bit parallel ports, 24 programmable IO lines, 8-bit bidi data bus	Processor, I/O interface
Flip805x-PS Microprocessor	Dolphin	AllianceCORE	Avg 8X faster & code compatible v. legacy 8051, verification bus monitor, SFR IF, DSP focused	DSP, Telecom, industrial, high speed control
IIC Master and Slave	Xilinx	LogiCORE	Interfaces through OPB to MicroBlaze™	Networking, com, processor applic
LavaCORE Configurable Java Processor Core	Derivation	AllianceCORE	32b data/address optional DES	Internet appliance, industrial control
LavaCORE Configurable Java Processor Core	Derivation	AllianceCORE	32b data/address optional DES	Internet appliance, industrial control
Lightfoot 32-bit Java Processor Core	Digital	AllianceCORE	32bit data, 24 bit address, 3 Stage pipeline, Java/C dev. tools	Internet appliance, industrial control, HAVi multimedia, set top boxes

Table 2-61: Virtex-II Pro IP Cores Support (Continued)

Function	Vendor Name	IP Type	Key Features	Application Examples
MicroBlaze™ Soft RISC Processor	Xilinx	LogiCORE	Soft RISC Processor, small footprint	Networking, communications
OPB Arbiter	Xilinx	LogiCORE	Bundled in the MicroBlaze Development Kit	Processor applications
OPB GPIO	Xilinx	LogiCORE	Bundled in the MicroBlaze Development Kit	Processor applications
OPB Interrupt Controller	Xilinx	LogiCORE	Bundled in the MicroBlaze Development Kit	Processor applications
OPB Memory Interface (Flash, SRAM)	Xilinx	LogiCORE	Bundled in the MicroBlaze Development Kit	Processor applications
OPB Timer/Counter	Xilinx	LogiCORE	Bundled in the MicroBlaze Development Kit	Processor applications
OPB UART (16450, 16550)	Xilinx	LogiCORE	Interfaces through OPB to MicroBlaze	Processor applications
OPB UART Lite	Xilinx	LogiCORE	Bundled in the MicroBlaze Development Kit	Processor applications
OPB WDT	Xilinx	LogiCORE	Bundled in the MicroBlaze Development Kit	Processor applications
PF3100 PC/104-Plus Reconfigurable Module	Derivation	AllianceCORE	PC/104 & PC/104+ development board	Internet appliance, industrial control
SPI	Xilinx	LogiCORE	Interfaces through OPB to MicroBlaze	Networking, communications, processor applications
XF-UART Asynchronous Communications Core	Memecore	AllianceCORE	UART and baud rate generator	Serial data communication
<b>Standard Bus Interfaces:</b>				
PCI32 Virtex Interface Design Kit (DO-DI-PCI32-DKT)	Xilinx	LogiCORE	Includes PCI32 board, drive development kit, and customer education 3-day training class	
PCI32 Virtex Interface, IP Only (DO-DI-PCI32-IP)	Xilinx	LogiCORE	v2.2 comp, assured PCI timing, 3.3/5-V, 0-waitstate, CPCI hot swap friendly	PC add-in boards, CPCI, Embedded
PCI64 & PCI32, IP Only (DO-DI-PCI-AL)	Xilinx	LogiCORE	v2.2 comp, assured PCI timing, 3.3/5-V, 0-waitstate, CPCI hot swap friendly	PC boards, CPCI, Embedded, hiperf video, gb ethernet
PCI64 Virtex Interface Design Kit (DO-DI-PCI64-DKT)	Xilinx	LogiCORE	v2.2 comp, assured PCI timing, 3.3/5-V, 0-waitstate, CPCI hot swap friendly	PC boards, CPCI, Embedded, hiperf video, gb ethernet
PCI64 Virtex Interface, IP Only (DO-DI-PCI64-IP)	Xilinx	LogiCORE	v2.2 comp, assured PCI timing, 3.3/5-V, 0-waitstate, CPCI hot swap friendly	PC boards, CPCI, Embedded, hiperf video, gb ethernet
RapidIO 8-bit port LP-LVDS Phy Layer (DO-DI-RIO8-PHY)	Xilinx	LogiCORE	RapidIO Interconnect v1.1 compliant, verified with Motorola's RapidIO bus functional model v1.4	Routers, switches, backplane, control plane, data path, embedded sys, high speed interface to memory and encryption engines, high end video

Table 2-61: Virtex-II Pro IP Cores Support (Continued)

Function	Vendor Name	IP Type	Key Features	Application Examples
USB 1.1 Device Controller	Memec-Core	AllianceCORE	Compliant with USB1.1 spec., Supports VCI bus, Performs CRC, Supports 1.5 Mb/s & 12 Mb/s	Scanners, Printers, Handhelds, Mass Storage
<b>Video &amp; Image Processing:</b>				
1-D Discrete Cosine Transform	Xilinx	LogiCORE	8-24 bits for coeff & input, 8-64 pts	
2-D DCT/IDCT Forward/Inverse Discrete Cosine Transform	Xilinx	LogiCORE		image, video phone, color laser printers
FASTJPEG_BW Decoder	BARCO-SILEX	AllianceCORE	Conforms to ISO/IEC Baseline 10918-1, Gray-Scale	Video editing, digital camera, scanners
FASTJPEG_C Decoder	BARCO-SILEX	AllianceCORE	Conforms to ISO/IEC Baseline 10918-1, color, multi-scan, Gray-Scale	Video editing, digital camera, scanners



# Configuration

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## Summary

This chapter covers the following topics:

- Introduction
- Configuration Solutions
- Master Serial Programming Mode
- Slave Serial Programming Mode
- Master SelectMAP Programming Mode
- Slave SelectMAP Programming Mode
- JTAG/ Boundary Scan Programming Mode
  - Boundary-Scan for Virtex-II Pro Devices Using IEEE Standard 1149.1
  - Boundary-Scan for Virtex-II Pro Devices Using IEEE Standard 1532
- Configuration Details
- Readback

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## Introduction

Virtex-II Pro devices are configured by loading application-specific configuration data into internal memory. Configuration is carried out using a subset of the device pins, some of which are dedicated, while others can be reused as general-purpose inputs and outputs after configuration is complete.

Depending on the system design, several configuration modes are selectable via mode pins. The mode pins M2, M1, and M0 are dedicated pins. An additional pin, HSWAP\_EN, is used in conjunction with the mode pins to select whether user I/O pins have pull-up resistors during configuration. By default, HSWAP\_EN is tied High (internal pull-up resistor), which shuts off pull-up resistors on the user I/O pins during configuration. When HSWAP\_EN is tied Low, the pull-up resistors are on and therefore, the user I/Os have pull-up resistors during configuration.

Other dedicated pins are:

- CCLK - the configuration clock pin
- DONE - configuration status pin
- TDI, TDO, TMS, TCK - boundary-scan pins
- PROG\_B - configuration reset pin

Depending on the configuration mode selected, CCLK can be an output generated by the Virtex-II Pro FPGA or an input accepting externally generated clock data. For correct operation, these pins require a  $V_{CCAUX}$  of 2.5V to permit LVCMOS operations.

All dual-function configuration pins are contained in banks 4 and 5. Bank 4 contains pins used in serial configuration modes, and banks 4 and 5 contain pins used for SelectMAP modes.

A persist option is available, which can be used to force pins to retain their configuration function even after device configuration is complete. If the persist option is not selected, then the configuration pins with the exception of CCLK, PROG\_B, and DONE can be used for user I/O in normal operation. The persist option does not apply to boundary-scan related pins. The persist feature is valuable in applications that employ partial reconfiguration, dynamic reconfiguration, or readback.

## Configuration Modes

Virtex-II Pro supports the following configuration modes:

- Master-Serial
- Slave-Serial (default)
- Master SelectMAP
- Slave SelectMAP
- Boundary-Scan (IEEE 1532 and IEEE 1149)

Table 3-1 shows Virtex-II Pro configuration mode pin settings.

Table 3-1: Virtex-II Pro Configuration Mode Pin Settings

Configuration Mode <sup>1</sup>	M2	M1	M0	CCLK Direction	Data Width	Serial Dout <sup>2</sup>
Master Serial	0	0	0	Out	1	Yes
Slave Serial	1	1	1	In	1	Yes
Master SelectMAP	0	1	1	Out	8	No
Slave SelectMAP	1	1	0	In	8	No
Boundary Scan	1	0	1	N/A	1	No

### Notes:

1. The HSWAP\_EN pin controls the pullups. Setting M2, M1, and M0 selects the configuration mode, while the HSWAP\_EN pin controls whether or not the pullups are used.
2. Daisy chaining is possible only in modes where Serial Dout is used. For example, in SelectMAP modes, the first device does NOT support daisy chaining of downstream devices.

Table 3-2 lists the total number of bits required to configure each device:

Table 3-2: Virtex-II Pro Bitstream Lengths

Device	Total Number of Configuration Bits	Device	Total Number of Configuration Bits
XC2VP2	1,305,440	XC2VP40	15,868,256
XC2VP4	3,006,560	XC2VP50	19,021,408
XC2VP7	4,485,472	XC2VP70	26,099,040
XC2VP20	8,214,624	XC2VP100	34,292,832
XC2VP30	11,589,984	XC2VP125	43,602,784

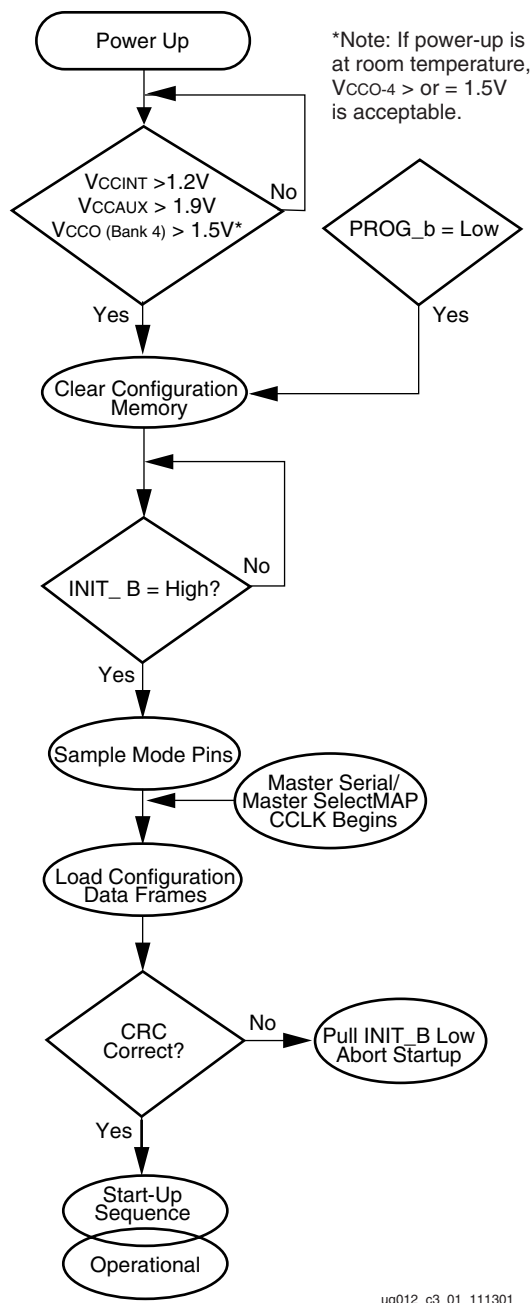


## Configuration Process and Flow

The configuration process involves loading the configuration bitstream into the FPGA using the selected mode. There are four major phases in the configuration process:

- Clearing Configuration Memory
- Initialization
- Loading Configuration Data
- Device Startup

Figure 3-1 illustrates the configuration process flow.



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Figure 3-1: Configuration Process

## Power Up

The  $V_{CCINT}$  power pins must be supplied with a 1.5V source. (Refer to the [Virtex-II Pro Data Sheet](#) for DC characteristics.) The IOB voltage input for Bank 4 ( $V_{CCO_4}$ ) and the auxiliary voltage input ( $V_{CCAUX}$ ) are also used as a logic input to the Power-On-Reset (POR) circuitry. Even if this bank is not being used,  $V_{CCO_4}$  must be connected to a 1.5V or greater source.

## Clearing Configuration Memory

In the memory clear phase, non-configuration I/O pins are 3-stated with optional pull-up resistors. The INIT\_B and DONE pins are driven Low by the FPGA, and the memory is cleared. After PROG\_B transitions High, memory is cleared twice and initialization can begin.

The INIT\_B pin transitions High when the clearing of configuration memory is complete. A logic Low on the PROG\_B input resets the configuration logic and holds the FPGA in the clear configuration memory state. When PROG\_B is released, the FPGA continues to hold INIT\_B Low until it has completed clearing all of the configuration memory. The minimum Low pulse time for PROG\_B is defined by the  $T_{PROGRAM}$  timing parameter. There is no maximum value. The power-up timing of configuration signals is shown in [Figure 3-2](#) and the corresponding timing characteristics are listed in [Table 3-3](#).

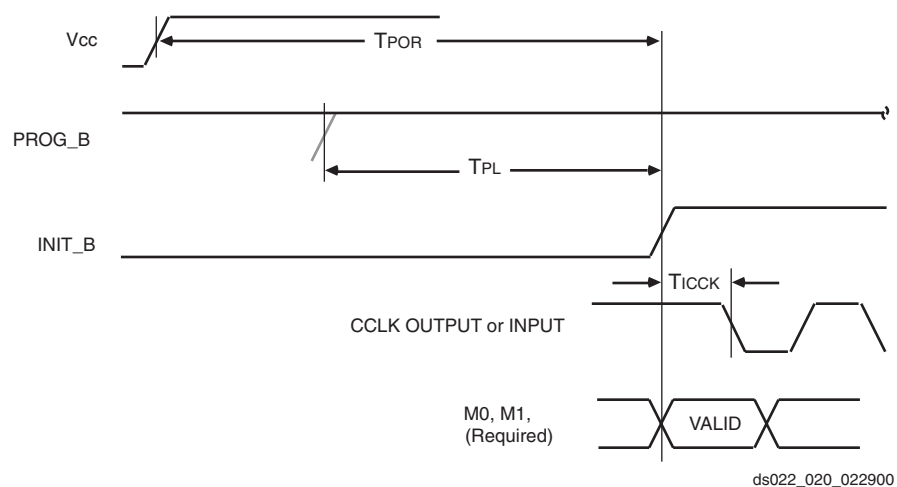


Figure 3-2: Power-Up Timing Configuration Signals

Table 3-3: Power-Up Timing Characteristics

Description	Symbol	Value	Units
Program Latency	$T_{PL}$		4 $\mu$ s per frame max
Power-on-Reset	$T_{POR}$		ms, max
CCLK (output) Delay	$T_{ICCK}$		$\mu$ s, min
			$\mu$ s, max
Program Pulse Width	$T_{PROGRAM}$		ns, min

## Initialization

For the initialization phase, the INIT\_B pin is released, the mode pins are sampled, the appropriate pins become active, and the configuration process begins. It is possible to delay configuration by externally holding INIT\_B Low.

## Delaying Configuration

The INIT\_B pin can also be held Low externally to delay configuration of the FPGA. The FPGA samples its mode pins on the rising edge of INIT\_B. After INIT\_B transitions to High, configuration can begin. No additional time-out or waiting periods are required, but configuration does not need to commence immediately after the transition of INIT\_B. The configuration logic does not begin processing data until the synchronization word from the bitstream is loaded.

## Loading Configuration Data

Once configuration begins, the target FPGA starts to receive data frames. Cyclic Redundancy Checking (CRC) is performed before and after the last data frame. CRC is also automatically checked after each block write to an internal data register (FDRI). If the CRC checks prove valid, the device start-up phase can begin.

If the CRC values do not match, INIT\_B is asserted Low to indicate that a CRC error has occurred, startup is aborted, and the FPGA does not become active.

To reconfigure the device, the PROG\_B pin should be asserted to reset the configuration logic. Recycling power also resets the FPGA for configuration. For more information on CRC calculation, see "[Cyclic Redundancy Checking Algorithm](#)" on page 403.

The details of loading configuration data in each of the five modes are discussed in the following sections:

- [Master Serial Programming Mode, page 368](#)
- [Master SelectMAP Programming Mode, page 371](#)
- [Slave Serial Programming Mode, page 369](#)
- [Slave SelectMAP Programming Mode, page 373](#)
- [JTAG/ Boundary Scan Programming Mode, page 377](#)

## Device Startup

Device startup is a transition phase from the configuration mode to normal programmed device operation. Although the order of the start-up events are user programmable via software, the default sequence of events is as follows:

Upon completion of the start-up sequence, the target FPGA is operational.

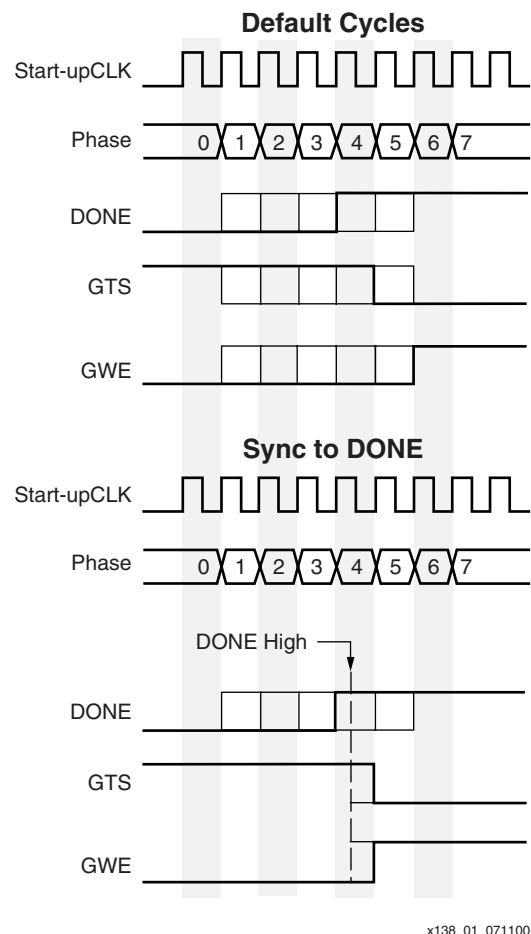
The Start-Up Sequencer is an 8-phase sequential state machine that counts from phase 0 to phase 7. (See [Figure 3-3](#).)

The Start-Up Sequencer performs the following tasks:

- Release the DONE pin.
- Negate GTS, activating all of the I/Os.
- Assert GWE, allowing all RAMs and flip-flops to change state.
- Assert EOS. The End-Of-Start-Up flag is always set in phase 7. This is an internal flag that is not user accessible.

BitGen options control the order of the Start-Up Sequence. The default Start-Up Sequence is the bold line in [Figure 3-3](#). The Start-Up Sequence can also be stalled at any phase until either DONE has been externally forced High, or a specified DCM or DCI has established LOCK. For details, see [Appendix A, “BitGen and PROMGen Switches and Options.”](#)

At the cycle selected for the DONE to be released, the sequencer always waits in that state until the DONE is externally released. However, this does not delay the GTS or GWE if they are selected to be released prior to DONE. Therefore, DONE is selected first in the sequence for default settings.



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Figure 3-3: Default Start-Up Sequence

## Configuration Pins

Certain pins in the FPGA are designated for configuration and are listed in [Table 3-4](#). Some pins are dedicated to the configuration function and others are dual-function pins that can be user I/O after configuration.

**Table 3-4: Configuration Pins**

Name	Direction	Driver Type	Description
<b>Dedicated Pins</b>			
CCLK	Input/Output	Active	Configuration clock. Output in Master mode.
PROG_B	Input		Asynchronous reset to configuration logic.
DONE	Input/Output	Active/ Open-Drain	Configuration status and start-up control.
M2, M1, M0	Input		Configuration mode selection.
HSWAP_EN	Input		I/O pullups during configuration.
TMS	Input		Boundary Scan Mode Select.
TCK	Input		Boundary Scan Clock.
TDI	Input		Boundary Scan Data Input.
TDO	Output	Open-Drain	Boundary Scan Data Output.
<b>Dual Function Pins</b>			
DIN (D0)	Input/Output	Active Bidirectional	Serial configuration data input/SelectMAP readback data output.
D1:D7	Input/Output	Active Bidirectional	SelectMAP configuration data input, readback data output.
CS_B	Input		Chip Select (SelectMAP mode only).
RDWR_B	Input		Active Low write select, read select (SelectMAP mode only).
BUSY/DOUT	Output	Active	Serial configuration data output for serial daisy chains (active).
INIT_B	Input/Output	Open-Drain	Delay configuration, indicate configuration error.

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## Mixed Voltage Environments

Virtex-II Pro devices have separate voltage sources.  $V_{CCINT}$  (1.5V) powers the internal circuitry.  $V_{CCAUX}$  (2.5V) powers the input buffers and auxiliary circuitry.  $V_{CCO}$  (1.5V, 1.8V, 2.5V, or 3.3V) powers the IOB circuitry. SelectIO™-Ultra is separated into eight banks of I/O groups. Each bank can be configured with one of several I/O standards. Refer to the [Design Considerations](#) section for I/O banking rules and available I/O standards. Before and during configuration, all I/O banks are set for the LVCMOS standard, which requires an output voltage ( $V_{CCO}$ ) of 2.5V for normal operation.

Table 3-5: Configuration Modes and V<sub>CCO</sub> Voltages

Configuration Mode	Pins Used	V <sub>CCO_4</sub>	V <sub>CCO_5</sub>
JTAG	Dedicated Pins	not a concern	not a concern
Serial	Dedicated Pins plus DOUT, DIN, and INIT	2.5V	not a concern
SelectMAP	Dedicated Pins plus dual-function pins	2.5V	2.5V

All dedicated configuration pins are powered by V<sub>CCAUX</sub>. All dual-function configuration pins are located within banks 4 and 5. As described under **Configuration Process and Flow**, the V<sub>CCO\_4</sub> input voltage is used as a logic input to the power-on-reset (POR) circuitry.

For JTAG configuration mode, JTAG inputs are independent of V<sub>CCO</sub> and work between 2.5V and 3.3V TTL levels (V<sub>IL</sub> max = .8V, V<sub>IH</sub> min = 2.0V). The JTAG input pins are 3.3V tolerant. The JTAG output (TDO) is an open-drain output and must be pulled up to the appropriate voltage level (typically 3.3V) through an external resistor. The value of the external pullup resistor depends on the capacitive loading on the TDO pin and the operating frequency, but it should not be less than 200Ω. The optimal TDO pullup value can be determined through IBIS simulation.

For serial configuration mode, V<sub>CCO\_4</sub> pins require a 2.5V supply for output configuration pins to operate normally. In serial mode, all of the configuration pins are in bank 4.

For SelectMAP configuration mode, V<sub>CCO\_4</sub> and V<sub>CCO\_5</sub> pins require a 2.5V supply for output configuration pins to operate normally. In SelectMAP mode, all of the configuration pins are in banks 4 and 5.

If the Virtex-II Pro device is being configured in serial or SelectMAP mode, and banks 4 and 5 are being configured for an I/O standard that requires a V<sub>CCO</sub> other than 2.5V, then V<sub>CCO\_4</sub> and V<sub>CCO\_5</sub> (SelectMAP only) must be switched from 2.5V and used during configuration at the same voltage required after configuration. If readback is performed using SelectMAP mode after configuration, then V<sub>CCO\_4</sub> and V<sub>CCO\_5</sub> require a 2.5V supply after configuration, as well.

## Configuration Solutions

Several configuration solutions are available to support Virtex-II Pro devices, each targeted to specific application requirements. Guidance and support (application notes, reference designs, and so forth) is also available for designers looking to develop and implement their own configuration solution for Virtex FPGAs.

### System Advanced Configuration Environment (System ACE™) Series

The System ACE series of configuration solutions offers a system-level configuration manager for designers using multiple FPGAs or FPGAs requiring multiple bitstreams. This solution combines standard industry Flash storage with Xilinx-designed configuration control. Features common to the entire System ACE family include:

- Support for multiple bitstreams
- Built-in support for embedded processors in FPGAs
- Support for reconfiguring, updating, or debugging systems over a network
- Built-in system interface
- Scalability (density) and reusability (across many designs)

- Centralization of configuration control for reduced board space and simpler debugging
- Use of excess storage capacity for non-configuration, system storage

## System ACE CF

System ACE CF (CompactFlash™) solution combines a standard CompactFlash Association (CFA) Type-I or Type-II memory module (CompactFlash or 1" disk drive) with a Xilinx-designed ACE Controller™ configuration control chip. See [Figure 3-4](#).

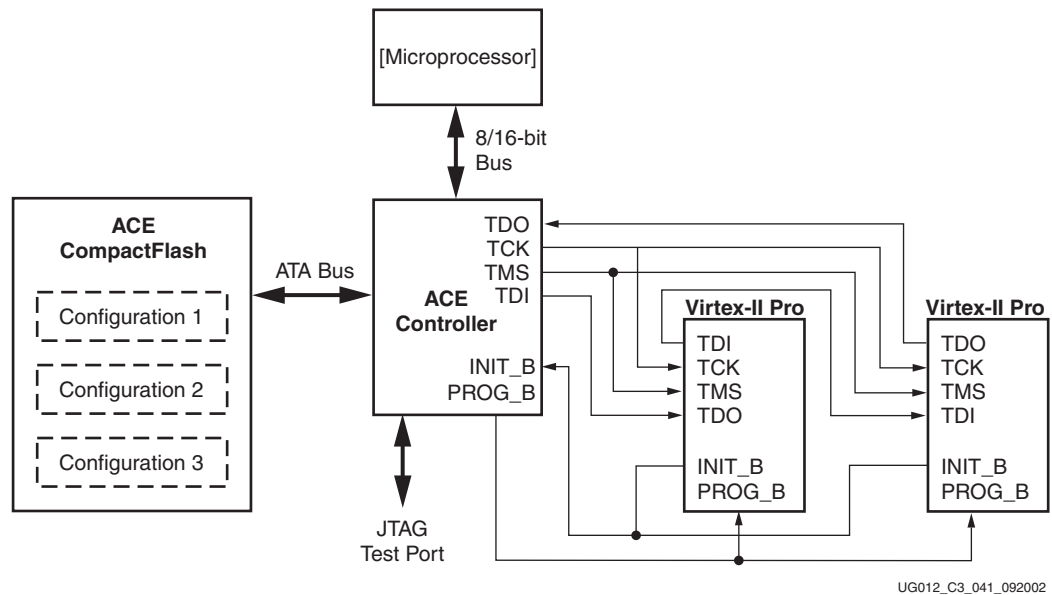


Figure 3-4: System ACE CompactFlash and Controller

The CompactFlash card stores an unlimited number of bitstreams and ranges in density from 128 Mb to 3 Gb. This card is capable of storing one large bitstream or several smaller bitstreams. If several bitstreams are used, the system can be set up so that individual bitstreams are callable as needed, allowing for dynamic reconfiguration of the Virtex-II Pro device and other Xilinx FPGAs in the JTAG chain.

The ACE Controller drives bits through the FPGA JTAG chain and has three other ports:

- A port for interfacing with a microprocessor, a network, or a MultiLINX cable
- A port for interfacing with the CompactFlash card
- A port that provides access to the FPGA JTAG chain for FPGA testing or configuration via automatic test equipment or via desktop or third-party programmers

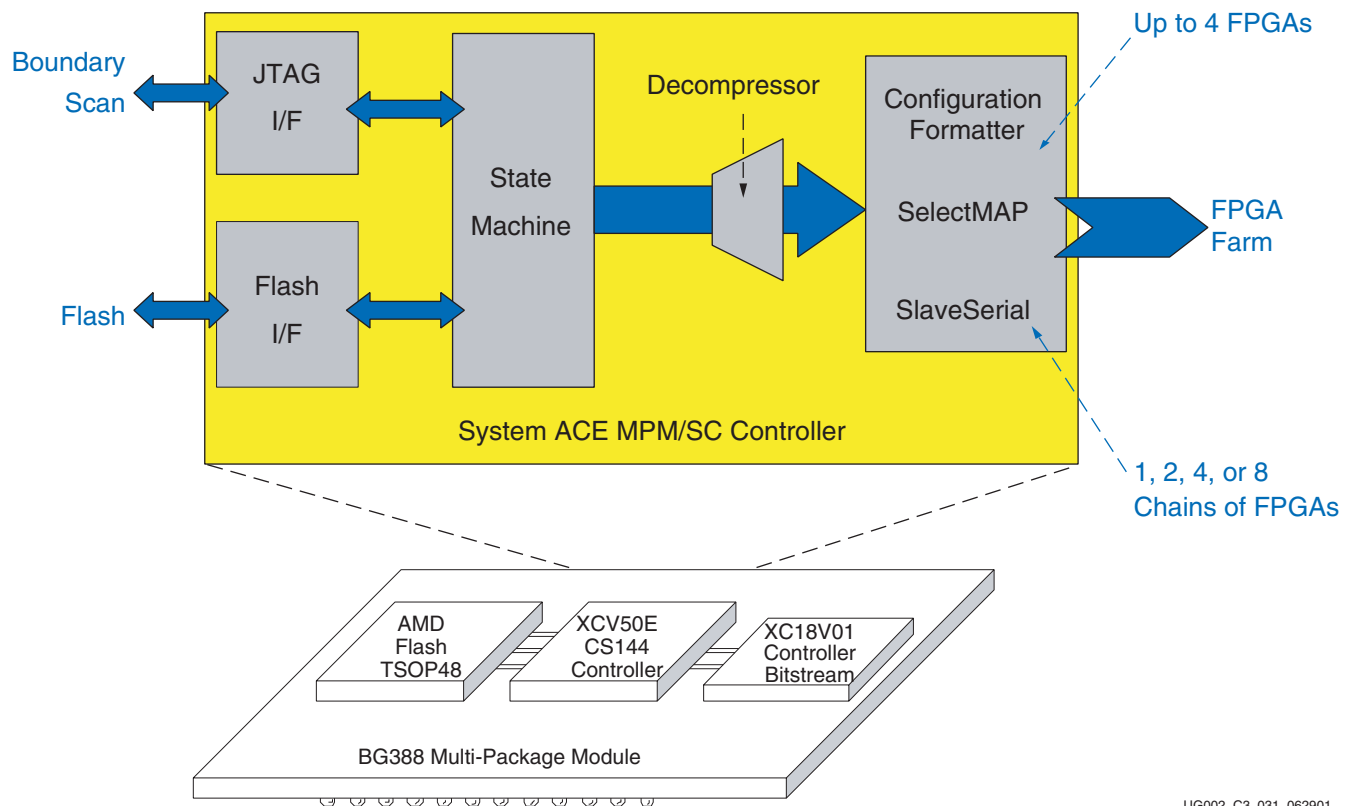
For further information on any System ACE product, visit the [www.xilinx.com/systemace](http://www.xilinx.com/systemace) website.

## System ACE Multi-Package Module (MPM)

System ACE MPM is a multi-package module consisting of a packaged standard Flash from AMD, a packaged FPGA, and a packaged configuration PROM, all in a 388-pin BGA package. The Flash stores configuration and other data, while the FPGA acts as an advanced configuration controller and is configured by the PROM. This solution provides high density and high-speed configuration capability in a single package, helping to simplify the design and manufacturing process. It is available in 16 Mb, 32 Mb, and 64 Mb densities.

## System ACE Soft Controller (SC)

System ACE SC is a downloadable version of the configuration controller found in System ACE MPM; versions are provided that support various standard Flash interfaces. System ACE SC provides all of the features of System MPM without the Single Package. It allows designers to use the Flash memory already in their system to store configuration data. The System ACE SC controller is available free of charge in the form of a PROM file that can be downloaded from the System ACE website. This pre-engineered solution is implemented by connecting up to four Flash chips on a board to an FPGA that will be used as a configuration controller and then downloading the controller file into a PROM. **Figure 3-5** describes the controller for both System ACE MPM and System ACE SC.



**Figure 3-5: System ACE MPM/SC Controller**

System ACE MPM and System ACE SC have these unique features:

- High speed configuration up to 154 Mb/s
- Support for both SelectMAP (8-bit) (see **Figure 3-6**) and Slave Serial (1-bit) (see **Figure 3-7**) configuration
- Configuration of multiple FPGAs in parallel
- Bitstream compression for increased storage capability
- Storage of up to 8 different bitstreams



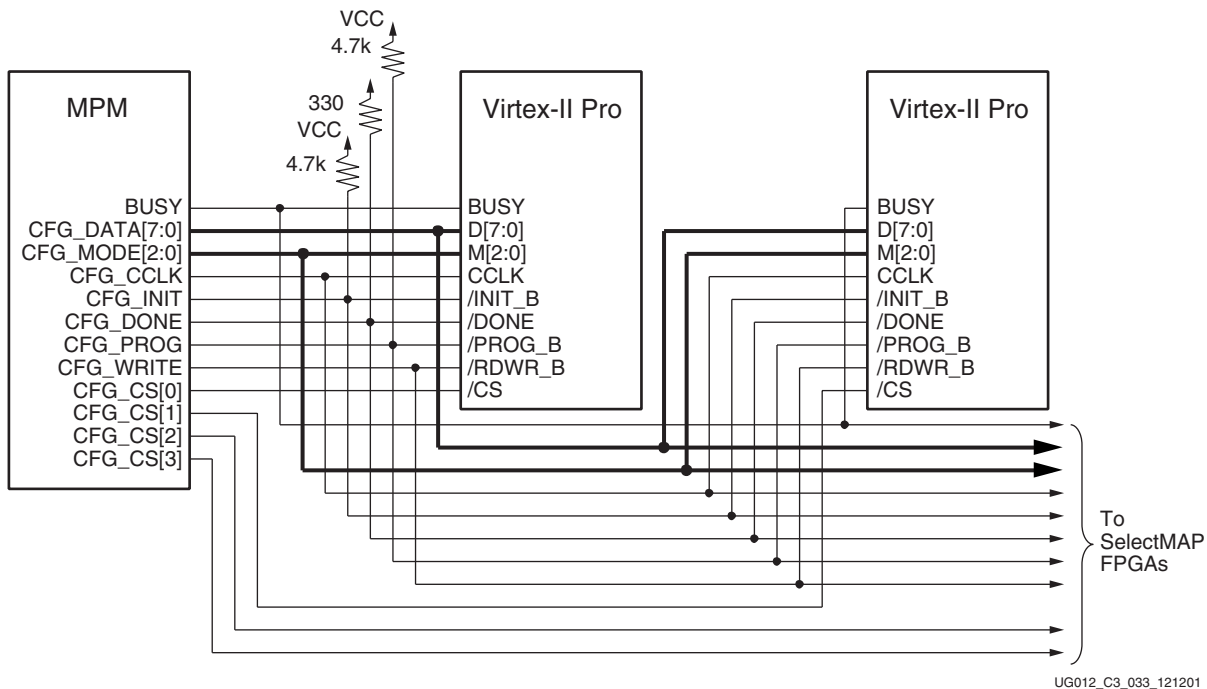


Figure 3-6: SelectMAP (8-bit) Configuration

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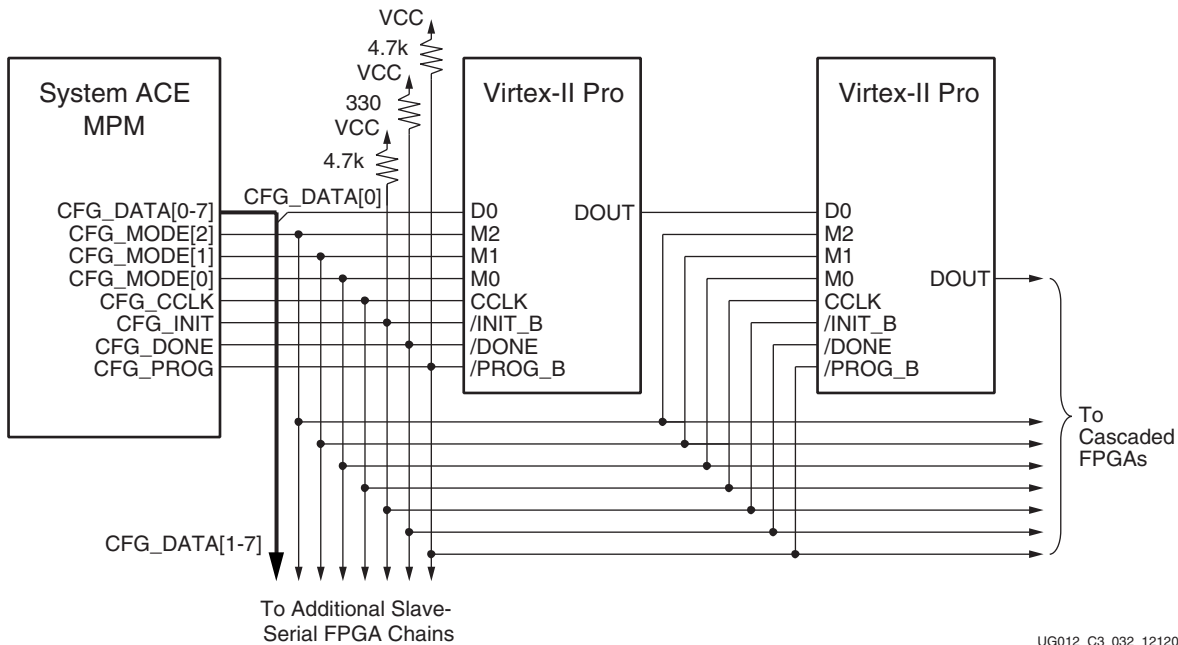


Figure 3-7: Slave Serial (1-bit) Configuration

## Configuration PROMs

### Using XC18V00 PROMs

The XC18V00 family of Flash in-system programmable (ISP) configuration PROMs offers the flexibility of re-programmability and multiple package offerings, combined with both serial and SelectMAP FPGA configurability. This family is JTAG programmable and ranges in density from 256 Kb to 4 Mb; these PROMs can also be cascaded to support larger bitstreams.

The 18V00 family offers data throughput rates of up to 264 Mb/s. It is also capable of triggering FPGA reconfiguration via a JTAG command. The parts can be JTAG programmed via cable, HW-130, or standard third party programmers. The XC18V00 PROMs are available in SO20, PC20, VQ44, and PC44 packages. Refer to [Appendix B, XC18V00 Series PROMs](#) for the latest version of the XC18V00 PROMs data sheet and package diagrams for the entire PROM family. See [Table 3-6](#) to determine which PROMs go with which Virtex-II Pro FPGAs.

### Using XC17V00 PROMs

The XC17V00 family of one-time programmable (OTP) PROMs provides a proven, low-cost, compact, and pre-engineered configuration solution. Ranging from 1 Mb to 16 Mb, this family is also the PROM density leader; it can also be daisy-chained to support larger bitstreams. This family supports serial configuration of Virtex-II Pro FPGAs; in addition, the XC17V08 and XC17V16 support SelectMAP configuration modes.

The XC17V00 family can be used for stabilized designs that are in a high-volume production flow and/or for designs requiring a low-cost solution. XC17V00 PROMs can be programmed either by using the HW-130 or by using a variety of third-party programmers. The XC17V00 PROMs are available in VO8, SO20, PC20, VQ44, and PC44 packages. Data sheets for PROMs are available at [www.xilinx.com](http://www.xilinx.com). See [Table 3-6](#) to determine which PROMs go with which Virtex-II Pro FPGAs and see [Appendix B, XC18V00 Series PROMs](#) for package diagrams.

## Flash PROMs With a CPLD Configuration Controller

Some designers prefer to leverage existing Flash memory in their system to store the configuration bitstreams. A small CPLD-based configuration controller can provide the mechanism to access the bitstreams in the FLASH and deliver them quickly to Virtex-II Pro devices. The following application notes describe the details for a serial or SelectMAP configuration architecture using FLASH memories and CPLDs:

- [XAPP079](#), *Configuring Xilinx FPGAs Using an XC9500 CPLD and Parallel PROM* ([www.xilinx.com/apps/xappsumm.htm#xapp079](http://www.xilinx.com/apps/xappsumm.htm#xapp079)) describes an architecture that configures a chain of Virtex-II Pro devices using Master-Serial mode. See [Figure 3-8](#) for an example of FPGA configuration using a CPLD and a parallel PROM.

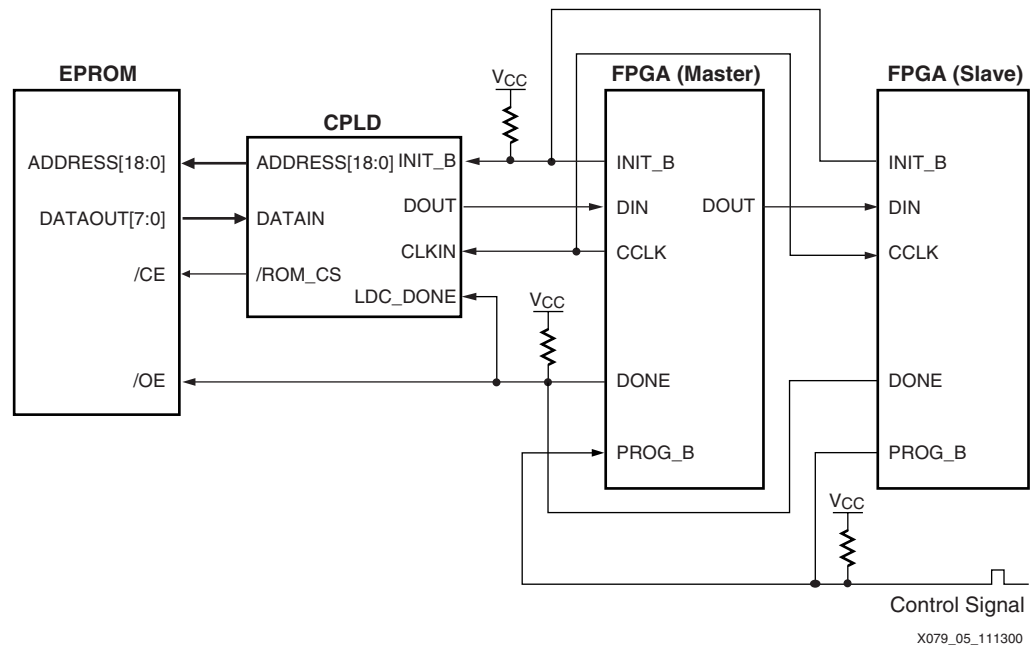


Figure 3-8: Configuring Virtex-II Pro Devices Using a CPLD and Parallel PROM

- [XAPP137](#), *Configuring Virtex FPGAs From Parallel EPROMs With a CPLD* ([www.xilinx.com/apps/xappsumm.htm#xapp137](http://www.xilinx.com/apps/xappsumm.htm#xapp137)) describes an architecture that configures one or more Virtex-II Pro devices using the Slave SelectMAP mode. See [Figure 3-9](#) for an example of FPGA configuration using a CPLD and a parallel EPROM.

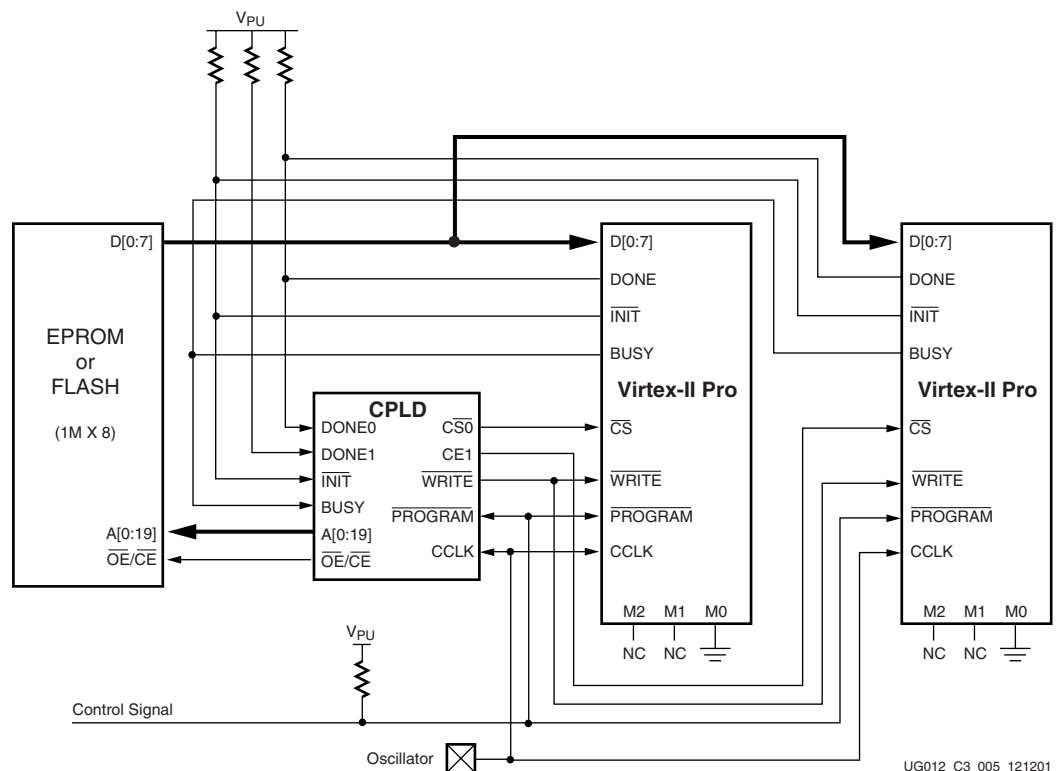


Figure 3-9: Configuring Virtex-II Pro Devices from Parallel EPROMs

## Embedded Solutions

### Using an Embedded Microcontroller

[XAPP058](#), *Xilinx In-System Programming Using an Embedded Microcontroller* ([www.xilinx.com/apps/xappsumm.htm#xapp058](http://www.xilinx.com/apps/xappsumm.htm#xapp058)) describes a compact and robust process that (re)configures Virtex-II Pro devices directly from a microprocessor through the JTAG test port of the Virtex-II Pro device. The process additionally supports (re)configuration of XC18V00 ISP PROMs and CPLDs that reside on the JTAG scan chain. Portable, reference C-code is provided with the application note for rapid implementation.

### Using IEEE Standard 1532

Systems that implement an IEEE Standard 1532 player can configure Virtex-II Pro devices. Users will require a 1532 BSDL file and a 1532 configuration data file. 1532 BSDL files for Xilinx devices and information on the Xilinx JDRIVE 1532 configuration engine are available here:

[http://www.support.xilinx.com/xlnx/xil\\_prodcat\\_landingpage.jsp?title=Configuration+Solutions](http://www.support.xilinx.com/xlnx/xil_prodcat_landingpage.jsp?title=Configuration+Solutions)

Choose the **JDrive Engine** entry from the selection menu on the left of the page.

## PROM and System ACE Selection Guide

Use [Table 3-6](#) to determine which PROM or System ACE device goes with which Virtex-II Pro FPGA.

Table 3-6: PROM and System ACE Solutions for Virtex-II Pro Devices

		PROM Solution		System ACE Solution	
Virtex-II Pro Device	Bitstream Length (bits)	One-Time Programmable (OTP)	In-System Programmable (ISP)	Multi-Package Module (MPM)	CompactFlash (CF) <sup>(1)</sup>
XCV2VP2	1,305,504	XC17V01	XC18V02	<i>PROM solution only</i>	
XCV2VP4	3,006,624	XC17V04	XC18V04	XCCACEM16	XCCACE128
XCV2VP7	4,485,536	XC17V08	XC18V02 + XC18V04	XCCACEM16	XCCACE128
XCV2VP20	8,214,688	XC17V08	2 x XC18V04	XCCACEM16	XCCACE128
XCV2VP30	11,364,608	XC17V08 + XC17V04	3 x XC18V04	XCCACEM16	XCCACE128
XCV2VP40	15,563,264	XC17V16	4 x XC18V04	XCCACEM16	XCCACE128
XCV2VP50	19,021,472	<i>System ACE solution only</i>		XCCACEM32	XCCACE128
XCV2VP70	25,604,096	<i>System ACE solution only</i>		XCCACEM32	XCCACE128
XCV2VP100	33,645,312	<i>System ACE solution only</i>		XCCACEM64	XCCACE128
XCV2VP125	42,782,208	<i>System ACE solution only</i>		XCCACEM64	XCCACE128

#### Notes:

- Requires XCCACE-TQ144 CompactFlash Controller

## Software Support and Data Files

This section provides information on Xilinx device programming software and configuration-related data files.

### iMPACT

To program Virtex-II Pro and other Xilinx devices with a personal computer, Xilinx provides iMPACT as a part of the ISE software package. A free version of iMPACT is also available through the WebPACK software suite. More information on WebPACK is available at:

[http://www.support.xilinx.com/xlnx/xil\\_prodcats/landingpage.jsp?title=ISE+WebPack](http://www.support.xilinx.com/xlnx/xil_prodcats/landingpage.jsp?title=ISE+WebPack)

### Programming Cables

iMPACT supports several Xilinx programming cables that are compatible with Virtex-II Pro devices, including the Parallel-Cable III, Parallel-Cable IV, and MultiLINX cables. For more information on these cables, or to order programming cables online, please visit:

[http://www.support.xilinx.com/xlnx/xil\\_prodcats/product.jsp?title=csd\\_cables](http://www.support.xilinx.com/xlnx/xil_prodcats/product.jsp?title=csd_cables)

### Boundary Scan Interconnect Testing for Virtex-II Pro Devices

Virtex-II Pro supports the EXTEST, INTEST, and SAMPLE/PRELOAD instructions that are required for Boundary Scan interconnect tests. Xilinx does not provide direct support for Boundary Scan software, although several third party suppliers offer Boundary Scan test equipment that is compatible with Virtex-II Pro. A list of third-parties offering Boundary Scan test equipment is available at:

[http://www.support.xilinx.com/xlnx/xil\\_prodcats/landingpage.jsp?title=Configuration+Solutions](http://www.support.xilinx.com/xlnx/xil_prodcats/landingpage.jsp?title=Configuration+Solutions)

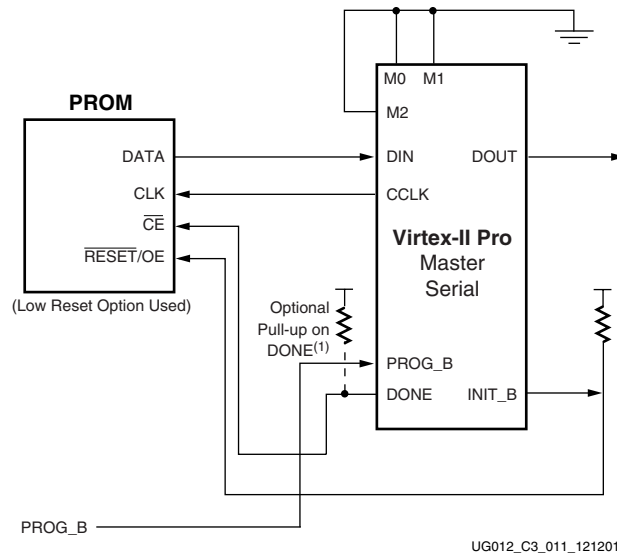
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## Master Serial Programming Mode

In serial configuration mode, the FPGA is configured by loading one bit per CCLK cycle. In Master Serial mode, the FPGA drives the CCLK pin. In Slave Serial mode, the FPGA's CCLK pin is driven by an external source. In both serial configuration modes, the MSB of each data byte is always written to the DIN pin first.

The Master Serial mode is designed so the FPGA can be configured from a Serial PROM, [Figure 3-10](#). The speed of the CCLK is selectable by BitGen options, see [Appendix A, “BitGen and PROMGen Switches and Options.”](#) Be sure to select a CCLK speed supported by the PROM.

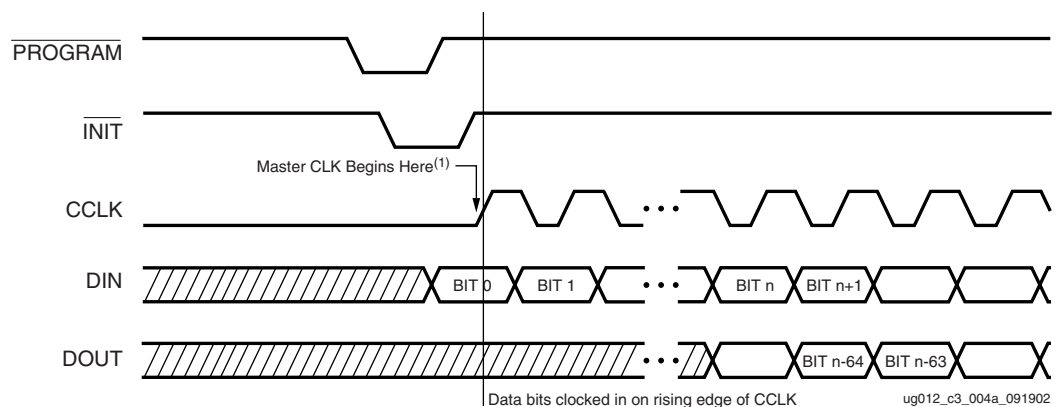
Figure 3-10 shows a Master Serial FPGA configuring from a PROM.



**Figure 3-10: Master Serial Mode Circuit Diagram**

**Notes:**

1. If the Virtex-II Pro device has not selected the DriveDONE option, then an external pull-up resistor of  $330\Omega$  should be added to the DONE pin. This pull-up resistor is not needed if DriveDONE = Yes.



**Figure 3-11: Master Serial Configuration Clocking Sequence**

**Notes:**

1. For Master configurations, the CCLK does not transition until after initialization as indicated by the arrow.

## Slave Serial Programming Mode

In serial configuration mode, the FPGA is configured by loading one bit per CCLK cycle. In Slave Serial mode, the FPGAs CCLK pin is driven by an external source. In both serial configuration modes, the MSB of each data byte is always written to the DIN pin first.

The Slave Serial configuration mode allows for FPGAs to be configured from other logic devices, such as microprocessors, or in a daisy-chain fashion. **Figure 3-12** shows a Master Serial FPGA configuring from a PROM with a Slave Serial FPGA in a daisy chain with the Master.

### Daisy-Chain Configuration

Virtex-II Pro FPGAs can be used in a daisy-chain configuration only with XC4000X, SpartanXL, Spartan-II, or other Virtex FPGAs. For serial daisy chains consisting of both XC4000X and Virtex devices, Xilinx recommends that all Virtex-E/Virtex-II/Virtex-II Pro devices be grouped at the beginning of the serial daisy chain, with the XC4000X/Spartan devices following. For a serial daisy chain consisting only of Spartan-II/E and Virtex/E/II/II Pro devices, there are no restrictions on the order of the devices in the chain. However, there are restrictions on the total number of bits that an FPGA can pass to the downstream FPGAs in the daisy chain. For the limits of each FPGA family, see **Solution Record 8985** on the Xilinx Support webpage at:

[http://support.xilinx.com/xlnx/xil\\_ans\\_display.jsp?iLanguageID=1&iCountryID=1&getPagePath=8985](http://support.xilinx.com/xlnx/xil_ans_display.jsp?iLanguageID=1&iCountryID=1&getPagePath=8985)

If a Virtex-II Pro FPGA is placed as the Master and a non-Virtex-II Pro FPGA is placed as a slave, select a configuration CCLK speed supported by *all* devices in the chain.

The separate bitstreams for the FPGAs in a daisy chain must be combined into a single PROM file, by using either iMPACT or the PROMGen utility (see **Appendix A, "BitGen and PROMGen Switches and Options"**). Separate .bit files cannot be simply concatenated together to form a daisy-chain bitstream.

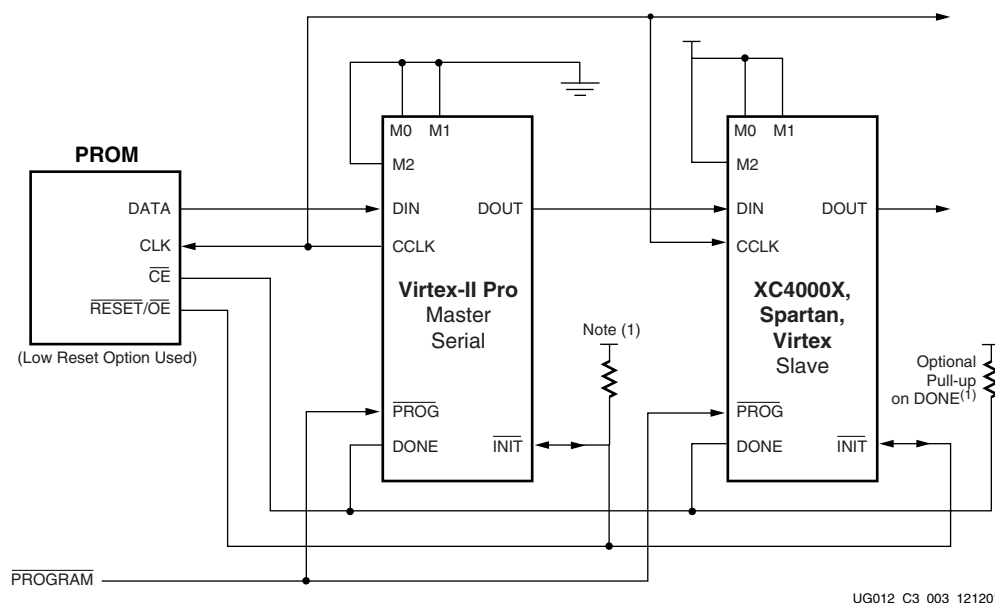


Figure 3-12: Master/Slave Serial Mode Circuit Diagram

#### Notes:

1. If none of the devices have been selected to DriveDONE, then an external pull-up resistor of 330Ω should be added to the common DONE line. This pull-up resistor is not needed if DriveDONE = Yes. If used, DriveDONE should be selected only for the last device in the configuration chain.

The first device in the chain is the first to be configured. No data is passed onto the DOUT pin until all the data frames, start-up command, and CRC check have been loaded. CRC checks only include the data for the current device, not for any others in the chain. After finishing the first stream, data for the next device is loaded. The data for the downstream device appears on DOUT typically about 80 CCLK cycles after being loaded into DIN. This is due to internal packet processing. Each daisy-chained bitstream carries its own synchronization word. Nothing of the first bitstream is passed to the next device in the chain other than the daisy-chained configuration data.

The DONE\_cycle must be set before GTS, or during the same cycle to guarantee each Virtex-II Pro device to move to the operation state when all the DONE pins have been released. When daisy-chaining multiple devices, either set the last device in the chain to DriveDONE, or add external pull-up resistors to counteract the combined capacitive loading on DONE. If non-Virtex devices are included in the daisy chain, it is important to set their bitstreams to SyncToDONE with BitGen options. For more information on Virtex BitGen options, see [Appendix A, "BitGen and PROMGen Switches and Options."](#)

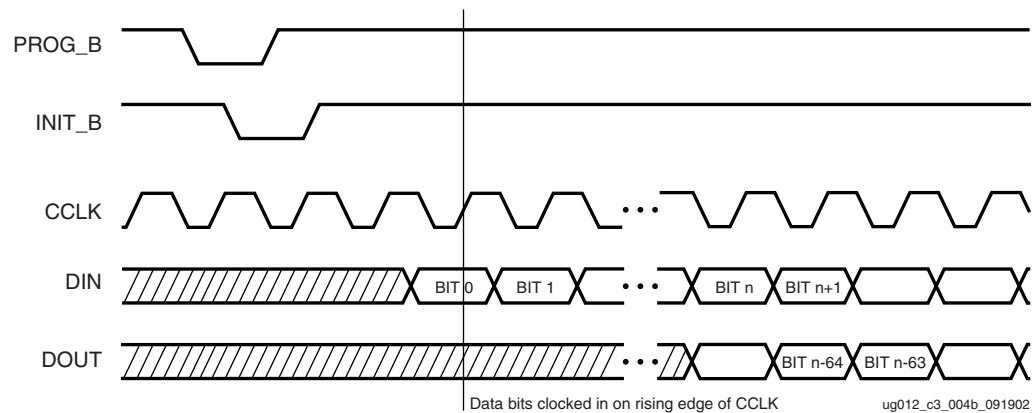


Figure 3-13: Serial Configuration Clocking Sequence

#### Notes:

- For Slave configurations, a free running CCLK can be used, as shown in [Figure 3-13](#).

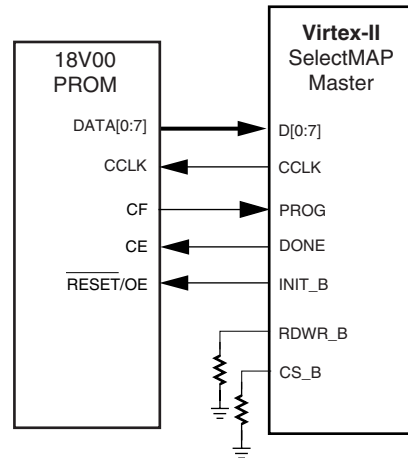
Table 3-7: Master/Slave Serial Mode Programming Switching

	Description	Symbol	Values	Units
CCLK	DIN setup/hold, slave mode	$T_{DCC}/T_{CCD}$	5.0/0.0	ns, min
	DIN setup/hold, master mode	$T_{DSCK}/T_{SCKD}$	5.0/0.0	ns, min
	DOUT	$T_{CCO}$	12.0	ns, max
	High time	$T_{CCH}$	5.0	ns, min
	Low time	$T_{CCL}$	5.0	ns, min
	Maximum Frequency	$F_{CC\_SERIAL}$	66	MHz, max
	Frequency Tolerance, master mode with respect to nominal		+45% -30%	



## Master SelectMAP Programming Mode

The SelectMAP mode provides an 8-bit bidirectional data bus interface to the Virtex-II Pro configuration logic that can be used for both configuration and readback. Virtex-II Pro devices can not be serially daisy-chained when the SelectMAP interface is used. However, they can be connected in a parallel-chain as shown in [Figure 3-16](#). The DATA pins (D0:D7), CCLK, RDWR\_B, BUSY, PROG\_B, DONE, and INIT\_B can be connected in common between all of the devices. CS\_B inputs should be kept separate so each device can be accessed individually. If all devices are to be configured with the same bitstream, readback is not being used, and CCLK is less than  $F_{CC\_SelectMAP}$ , the CS\_B pins can be connected to a common line so the devices are configured simultaneously.



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Figure 3-14: Virtex-II Pro Device Interfaced With an 18V00 PROM

### Notes:

1. If none of the Virtex-II Pro devices have been selected to DriveDONE, add an external 330  $\Omega$  pull-up resistor to the common DONE line. This pull-up resistor is not needed if DriveDONE is selected. If used, DriveDONE should be selected only for the last device in the configuration chain.

The following pins are involved in Master SelectMAP configuration mode:

### DATA Pins (D[0:7])

The D0 through D7 pins function as a bidirectional data bus in the SelectMAP mode. Configuration data is written to the bus, and readback data is read from the bus. The bus direction is controlled by the RDWR\_B signal. <Link>See “Configuration Details” on page 394. The D0 pin is considered the MSB of each byte.

### RDWR\_B

When asserted Low, the RDWR\_B signal indicates that data is being written to the data bus. When High, the RDWR\_B signal indicates that data is being read from the data bus.

### CS\_B

The Chip Select input (CS\_B) enables the SelectMAP data bus. To write or read data onto or from the bus, the CS\_B signal must be asserted Low. When CS\_B is High, Virtex-II Pro devices do not drive onto or read from the bus.

## CCLK

The CCLK pin is a clock output in the Master SelectMAP interface. It synchronizes all loading and reading of the data bus for configuration and readback. The CCLK pin is driven by the FPGA.

## Data Loading

To load data in the Master SelectMAP mode, a data byte is loaded on every rising CCLK edge as shown in [Figure 3-15](#). If the CCLK frequency is less than  $F_{CC\_SelectMAP}$ , this can be done without handshaking. For frequencies above  $F_{CC\_SelectMAP}$ , the BUSY signal must be monitored. If BUSY is High, the current byte must be reloaded when BUSY is Low.

The first byte can be loaded on the first rising CCLK edge that INIT\_B is High, and when both CS\_B and RDWR\_B are asserted Low. CS\_B and RDWR\_B can be asserted anytime before or after INIT\_B has gone High. However, the SelectMAP interface is not active until after INIT\_B has gone High. The order of CS\_B and RDWR\_B does not matter, but RDWR\_B must be asserted throughout configuration. If RDWR\_B is de-asserted before all data has been loaded, the FPGA aborts the operation. To complete configuration, the FPGA must be reset by PROG\_B and reconfigured with the entire stream. For applications that need to de-assert RDWR\_B between bytes, see ["Controlled CCLK" on page 376](#).

Extra processing time is needed when the bitstream is encrypted. Because of this, BUSY handshaking is required for encrypted bitstreams at a lower speed than for non-encrypted bitstreams. The maximum speed at which a Virtex-II/Virtex-II Pro device can be configured via SelectMAP without BUSY handshaking is 5 MHz.

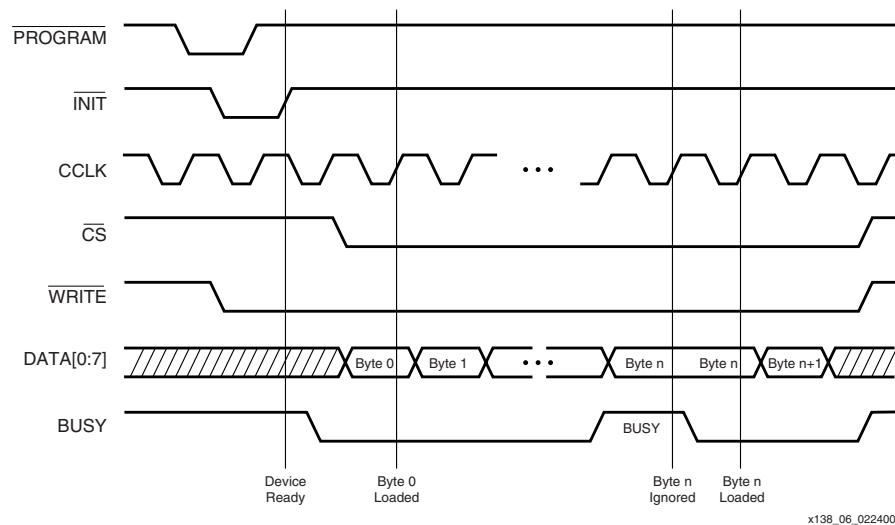


Figure 3-15: Data Loading in SelectMAP

## Slave SelectMAP Programming Mode

The SelectMAP mode provides an 8-bit bidirectional data bus interface to the Virtex-II Pro configuration logic that can be used for both configuration and readback. Virtex-II Pro devices can not be serially daisy-chained when the SelectMAP interface is used. However, they can be connected in a parallel-chain as shown in [Figure 3-16](#). The DATA pins (D0:D7), CCLK, RDWR\_B, BUSY, PROG\_B, DONE, and INIT\_B can be connected in common between all of the devices. CS\_B inputs should be kept separate so each device can be accessed individually. If all devices are to be configured with the same bitstream, readback is not being used, and CCLK is less than  $F_{CC\_SelectMAP}$ , the CS\_B pins can be connected to a common line so the devices are configured simultaneously.

Although [Figure 3-16](#) does not show a control module for the SelectMAP interface, the SelectMAP interface is typically driven by a processor, micro controller, or some other logic device such as an FPGA or a CPLD.

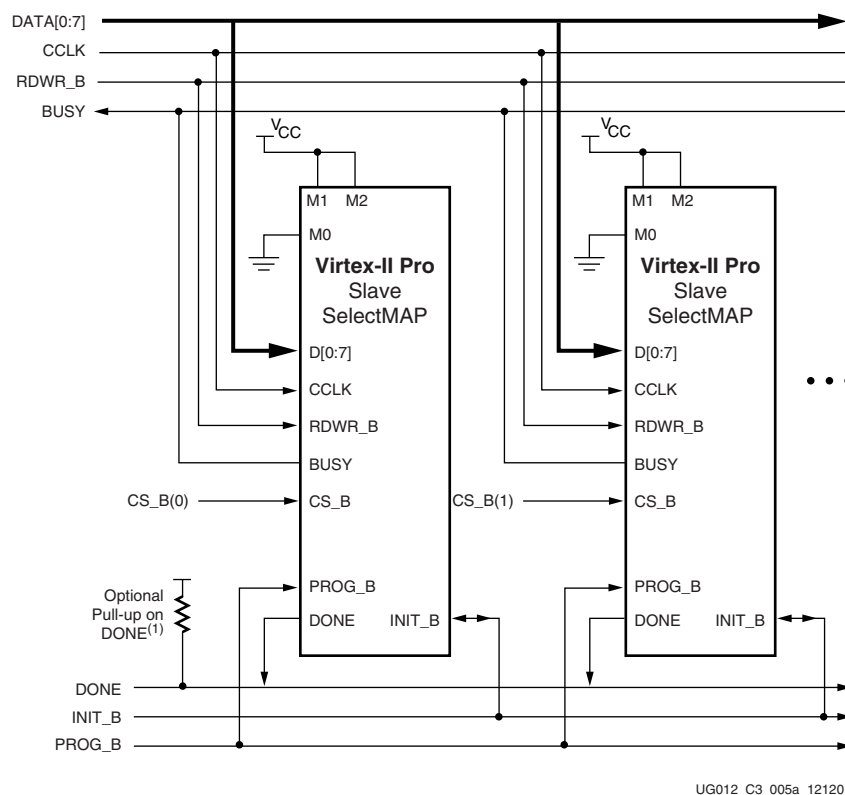


Figure 3-16: Slave SelectMAP Mode Circuit Diagram

### Notes:

1. If none of the Virtex-II Pro devices have been selected to DriveDONE, add an external 330  $\Omega$  pull-up resistor to the common DONE line. This pull-up resistor is not needed if DriveDONE = Yes. If used, DriveDONE should be selected only for the last device in the configuration chain.

The following pins are involved in Slave SelectMAP configuration mode:

### DATA Pins (D[0:7])

The D0 through D7 pins function as a bidirectional data bus in the SelectMAP mode. Configuration data is written to the bus, and readback data is read from the bus. The bus direction is controlled by the RDWR\_B signal. <Link>See "Configuration Details" on page 394.. The D0 pin is considered the MSB of each byte.

## RDWR\_B

When asserted Low, the RDWR\_B signal indicates that data is being written to the data bus. When asserted High, the RDWR\_B signal indicates that data is being read from the data bus.

## CS\_B

The Chip Select input (CS\_B) enables the SelectMAP data bus. To write or read data onto or from the bus, the CS\_B signal must be asserted Low. When CS\_B is High, Virtex-II Pro devices do not drive onto or read from the bus.

## BUSY

When CS\_B is asserted, the BUSY output indicates when the FPGA can accept another byte. If BUSY is Low, the FPGA reads the data bus on the next rising CCLK edge where both CS\_B and RDWR\_B are asserted Low. If BUSY is High, the current byte is ignored and must be reloaded on the next rising CCLK edge when BUSY is Low. When CS\_B is *not* asserted, BUSY is 3-stated.

BUSY is only necessary for CCLK frequencies above  $F_{CC\_SelectMAP}$ . For frequencies at or below  $F_{CC\_SelectMAP}$ , BUSY is ignored, see "Data Loading" on page 372. For parallel chains, as shown in Figure 3-16, where the same bitstream is to be loaded into multiple devices simultaneously, BUSY should not be used. Thus, the maximum CCLK frequency for such an application must be less than  $F_{CC\_SelectMAP}$ .

## CCLK

Unlike the Master SelectMAP mode of configuration, the CCLK pin is an input in the Slave SelectMAP mode interface. The CCLK signal synchronizes all loading and reading of the data bus for configuration and readback. Additionally, the CCLK drives internal configuration circuitry. The CCLK can be driven either by a free running oscillator or an externally-generated signal.

Several scenarios exist when configuring the FPGA in SelectMAP mode, depending on the source of CCLK.

### Free-Running CCLK

A free-running oscillator can be used to drive Virtex-II Pro CCLK pins. For applications that can provide a continuous stream of configuration data, refer to the timing diagram discussed in Data Loading, page 372. For applications that cannot provide a continuous data stream, missing the clock edges, refer to the timing diagram discussed in Non-Contiguous Data Strobe, page 375. An alternative to a free-running CCLK is discussed in Controlled CCLK, page 376.

### Express-Style Loading

In express-style loading, a data byte is loaded on every rising CCLK edge as shown in Figure 3-17. If the CCLK frequency is less than  $F_{CC\_SelectMAP}$ , this can be done without handshaking. For frequencies above  $F_{CC\_SelectMAP}$ , the BUSY signal must be monitored. If BUSY is High, the current byte must be reloaded when BUSY is Low.

The first byte can be loaded on the first rising CCLK edge that INIT\_B is High, and when both CS\_B and RDWR\_B are asserted Low. CS\_B and RDWR\_B can be asserted anytime before or after INIT\_B has gone High. However, the SelectMAP interface is not active until after INIT\_B has gone High. The order of CS\_B and RDWR\_B does not matter, but RDWR\_B must be asserted throughout configuration. If RDWR\_B is de-asserted before all data has been loaded, the FPGA aborts the operation. To complete configuration, the FPGA must be reset by PROG\_B and reconfigured with the entire stream.

For applications that need to de-assert RDWR\_B between bytes, see ["Controlled CCLK"](#) on page 376.

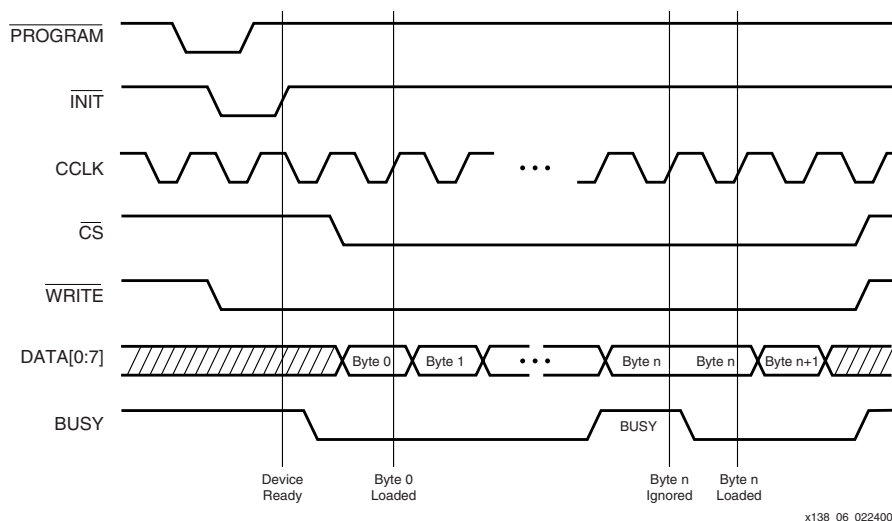


Figure 3-17: “Express Style” Continuous Data Loading in SelectMAP

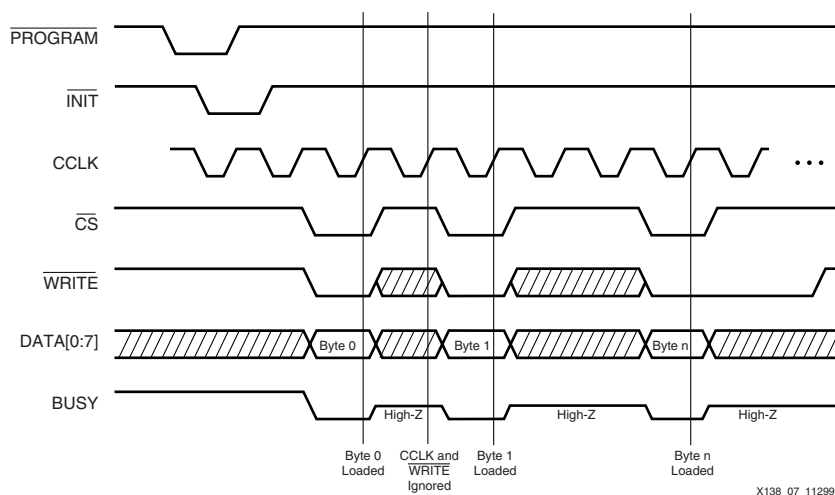


Figure 3-18: Separating Data Loads by Multiple CCLK Cycles Using CS\_B

### Non-Contiguous Data Strobe

In applications where multiple clock cycles might be required to access the configuration data before each byte can be loaded into the SelectMAP interface, data might not be ready for each consecutive CCLK edge. In such a case, the CS\_B signal can be de-asserted until the next data byte is valid on the DATA[0:7] pins. This is demonstrated in [Figure 3-18](#). While CS\_B is High, the SelectMAP interface does not expect any data and ignores all CCLK transitions. However, RDWR\_B must continue to be asserted while CS\_B is asserted. If RDWR\_B is High during a positive CCLK transition while CS\_B is asserted, the FPGA aborts the operation. For applications that need to de-assert the RDWR\_B signal without de-asserting CS\_B, see [“Controlled CCLK”](#).

## Controlled CCLK

Some applications require that RDWR\_B be de-asserted between the loading of configuration data bytes asynchronously from the CS\_B. Typically, this would be due to the RDWR\_B signal being a common connection to other devices on the board, such as memory storage elements. In such a case, driving CCLK as a controlled signal instead of a free-running oscillator makes this type of operation possible. In **Figure 3-19**, the CCLK, CS\_B, and RDWR\_B are asserted Low while a data byte becomes active. Once the CCLK has gone High, the data is loaded. RDWR\_B can be de-asserted and re-asserted as many times as necessary, just as long as it is Low before the next rising CCLK edge.

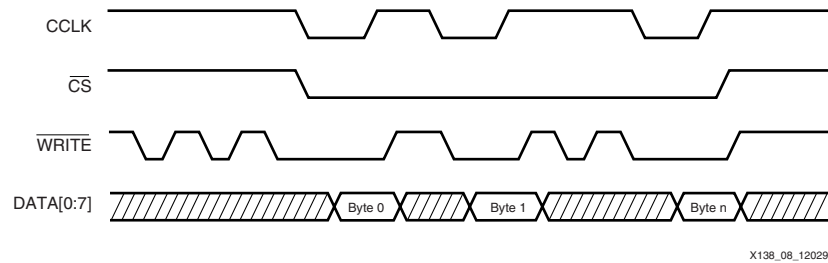


Figure 3-19: Controlling CCLK for RDWR\_B De-Assertion

Table 3-8: SelectMAP Write Timing Characteristics

	Description	Symbol	Value	Units
CCLK	D <sub>0-7</sub> Setup/Hold	T <sub>SMDC</sub> C/T <sub>SMCC</sub> D	5.0/0.0	ns, min
	CS_B Setup/Hold	T <sub>SMCSC</sub> C/T <sub>SMCC</sub> CS	7.0/0.0	ns, min
	RDWR_B Setup/Hold	T <sub>SMCC</sub> W/T <sub>SMW</sub> CC	7.0/0.0	ns, min
	BUSY Propagation Delay	T <sub>SMCK</sub> BY	12.0	ns, max
	Maximum Frequency	F <sub>CC</sub> _SelectMAP	66	MHz, max
	Maximum Frequency with no handshake	F <sub>CC</sub> NH	50	MHz, max

# JTAG/ Boundary Scan Programming Mode

## Introduction

Virtex-II Pro devices support the new IEEE 1532 standard for In-System Configuration (ISC), based on the IEEE 1149.1 standard. The IEEE 1149.1 Test Access Port and Boundary-Scan Architecture is commonly referred to as JTAG. JTAG is an acronym for the Joint Test Action Group, the technical subcommittee initially responsible for developing the standard. This standard provides a means to assure the integrity of individual components and the interconnections between them at the board level. With increasingly dense multi-layer PC boards, and more sophisticated surface mounting techniques, boundary-scan testing is becoming widely used as an important debugging standard.

Devices containing boundary-scan logic can send data out on I/O pins in order to test connections between devices at the board level. The circuitry can also be used to send signals internally to test the device specific behavior. These tests are commonly used to detect opens and shorts at both the board and device level.

In addition to testing, boundary-scan offers the flexibility for a device to have its own set of user-defined instructions. The added common vendor specific instructions, such as configure and verify, have increased the popularity of boundary-scan testing and functionality.

## Boundary-Scan for Virtex-II Pro Devices Using IEEE Standard 1149.1

The Virtex-II Pro family is fully compliant with the IEEE Standard 1149.1 Test Access Port and Boundary-Scan Architecture. The architecture includes all mandatory elements defined in the IEEE 1149.1 Standard. These elements include the Test Access Port (TAP), the TAP controller, the instruction register, the instruction decoder, the boundary-scan register, and the bypass register. The Virtex-II Pro family also supports some optional instructions; the 32-bit identification register, and a configuration register in full compliance with the standard. Outlined in the following sections are the details of the JTAG architecture for Virtex-II Pro devices.

### Test Access Port

The Virtex-II Pro TAP contains four mandatory dedicated pins as specified by the protocol (Table 3-9).

**Table 3-9: Virtex-II Pro TAP Controller Pins**

Pin	Description
TDI	Test Data In
TDO	Test Data Out
TMS	Test Mode Select
TCK	Test Clock

There are three input pins and one output pin to control the 1149.1 boundary-scan TAP controller. There are optional control pins, such as  $\overline{\text{TRST}}$  (Test Reset) and enable pins, which might be found on devices from other manufacturers. It is important to be aware of these optional signals when interfacing Xilinx devices with parts from different vendors, because they might need to be driven.

The TAP controller is a 16-state state machine shown in Figure 3-20. The four mandatory TAP pins are outlined below.

- **TMS** - This pin determines the sequence of states through the TAP controller on the rising edge of TCK. TMS has an internal resistive pull-up to provide a logic High if the pin is not driven.

- **TCK** - This pin is the JTAG test clock. It sequences the TAP controller and the JTAG registers in the Virtex-II Pro devices.
- **TDI** - This pin is the serial input to all JTAG instruction and data registers. The state of the TAP controller and the current instruction held in the instruction register determine which register is fed by the TDI pin for a specific operation. TDI has an internal resistive pull-up to provide a logic High to the system if the pin is not driven. TDI is applied into the JTAG registers on the rising edge of TCK.
- **TDO** - This pin is the serial output for all JTAG instruction and data registers. The state of the TAP controller and the current instruction held in the instruction register determine which register (instruction or data) feeds TDO for a specific operation. TDO changes state on the falling edge of TCK and is only active during the shifting of instructions or data through the device. This pin is 3-stated at all other times.

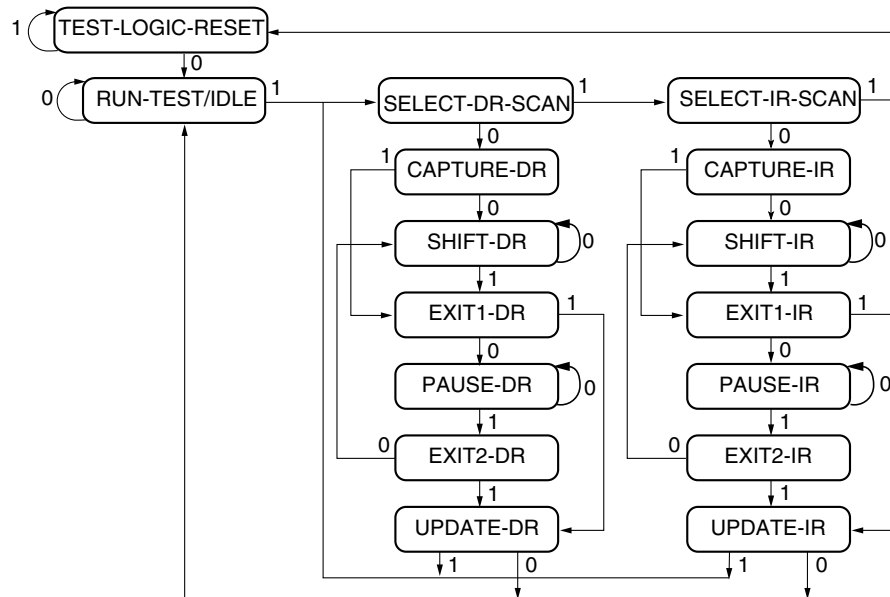
#### Notes:

As specified by the IEEE Standard, the TMS and TDI pins all have internal pull-up resistors. These internal pull-up resistors of 50-150 k $\Omega$  are active, regardless of the mode selected.

For JTAG configuration mode, JTAG inputs are independent of  $V_{CCO}$  and work between 2.5V and 3.3V TTL levels ( $V_{IL}$  max = .8V,  $V_{IH}$  min = 2.0V). The JTAG input pins are 3.3V tolerant. The JTAG output (TDO) is an open-drain output and must be pulled up to the appropriate voltage level (typically 3.3V) through an external resistor. The value of the external pullup resistor depends on the capacitive loading on the TDO pin and the operating frequency, but it should not be less than 200 $\Omega$ . The optimal TDO pullup value can be determined through IBIS simulation.

### TAP Controller

**Figure 3-20** diagrams a 16-state finite state machine. The four TAP pins control how data is scanned into the various registers. The state of the TMS pin at the rising edge of TCK determines the sequence of state transitions. There are two main sequences, one for shifting data into the data register and the other for shifting an instruction into the instruction register.



NOTE: The value shown adjacent to each state transition in this figure represents the signal present at TMS at the time of a rising edge at TCK.

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**Figure 3-20: State Diagram for the TAP Controller**



## Boundary-Scan Instruction Set

To determine the operation to be invoked, an instruction is loaded into the Instruction Register (IR). The length of the IR is device size specific. The IR is 10 bits wide on the XC2VP2, XC2VP4, and XC2VP7; 14 bits wide on the XC2VP20, XC2VP30, XC2VP40, XC2VP50, XC2VP70, and XC2VP100; and 22 bits wide on the XC2VP125. The bottom six bits of the instruction codes are the same for all devices sizes, to support the new IEEE Standard 1532 for In-System Configurable (ISC) devices. The additional IR bits for each instruction are 1's. **Table 3-10** lists the available instructions for Virtex-II Pro devices.

**Table 3-10: Virtex-II Pro Boundary Scan Instructions for XC2VP2 through XC2VP7**

Boundary Scan Command	Binary Code (9:0)	Description
EXTEST	1111000000	Enables boundary-scan EXTEST operation
SAMPLE	1111000001	Enables boundary-scan SAMPLE operation
USER1	1111000010	Access user-defined register 1
USER2	1111000011	Access user-defined register 2
CFG_OUT	1111000100	Access the configuration bus for readback
CFG_IN	1111000101	Access the configuration bus for configuration
INTEST	1111000111	Enables boundary-scan INTEST operation
USERCODE	1111001000	Enables shifting out user code
IDCODE	1111001001	Enables shifting out of ID code
HIGHZ	1111001010	3-states output pins while enabling the bypass register
JSTART	1111001100	Clocks the start-up sequence when StartClk is TCK
JSHUTDOWN	1111001101	Clocks the shutdown sequence
BYPASS	1111111111	Enables BYPASS
JPROG_B	1111001011	Equivalent to and has the same affect as PROG_B
RESERVED	All other codes	Xilinx reserved instructions

The mandatory IEEE 1149.1 commands are supported in Virtex-II Pro devices, as well as several Xilinx vendor-specific commands. Virtex-II Pro devices have a powerful command set. The EXTEST, INTEST, SAMPLE/PRELOAD, BYPASS, IDCODE, USERCODE, and HIGHZ instructions are all included. The TAP also supports two internal user-defined registers (USER1 and USER2) and configuration/readback of the device. The Virtex-II Pro boundary-scan operations are independent of mode selection. The boundary-scan mode in Virtex-II Pro devices overrides other mode selections. For this reason, boundary-scan instructions using the boundary-scan register (SAMPLE/PRELOAD, INTEST, EXTEST) must not be performed during configuration. All instructions except USER1 and USER2 are available before a Virtex-II Pro device is configured. After configuration, all instructions are available.

JSTART and JSHUTDOWN are instructions specific to the Virtex-II Pro architecture and configuration flow. As described in **Table 3-10**, the JSTART and JSHUTDOWN instructions clock the startup sequence when the appropriate bitgen option is selected. The instruction does not work correctly without the correct bitgen option selected.

```
bitgen -g startupclk:jtagclk designName.ncd
```

For details on the standard boundary-scan instructions EXTEST, INTEST, and BYPASS, refer to the IEEE Standard. The user-defined registers (USER1/USER2) are described in [USER1, USER2 Registers, page 383](#).

## Boundary-Scan Architecture

Virtex-II Pro device registers include all registers required by the IEEE 1149.1 Standard. In addition to the standard registers, the family contains optional registers for simplified testing and verification ([Table 3-11](#)).

**Table 3-11: Virtex-II Pro JTAG Registers**

Register Name	Register Length	Description
Instruction register	Device specific	Holds current instruction OPCODE and captures internal device status.
Boundary scan register	3 bits per I/O	Controls and observes input, output, and output enable.
Bypass register	1 bit	Device bypass.
Identification register	32 bits	Captures device ID.
JTAG configuration register	64 bits	Allows access to the configuration bus when using the CFG_IN or CFG_OUT instructions.
USERCODE register	32 bits	Captures user-programmable code

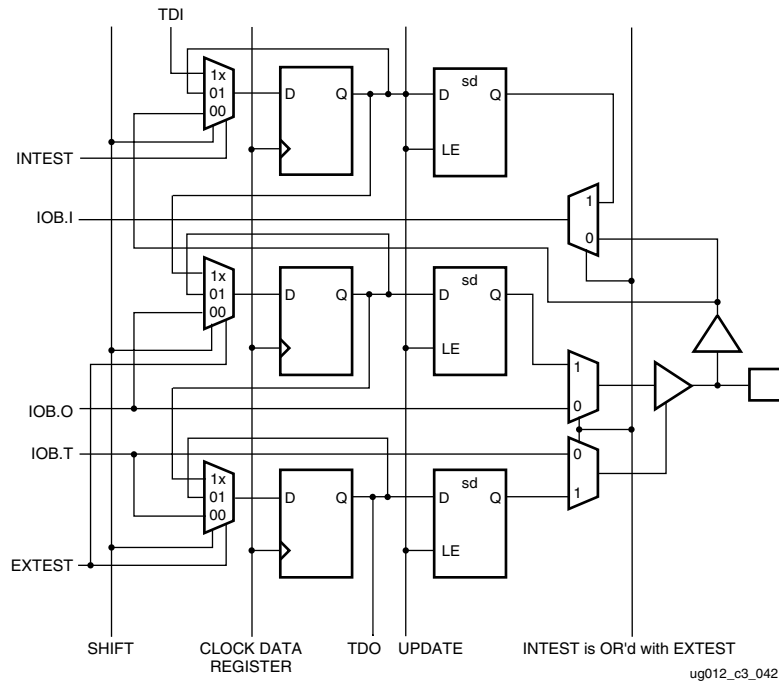
## Boundary-Scan Register

The test primary data register is the boundary-scan register. Boundary-scan operation is independent of individual IOB configurations. Each IOB, bonded or un-bonded, starts as bidirectional with 3-state control. Later, it can be configured to be an input, output, or 3-state only. Therefore, three data register bits are provided per IOB ([Figure 3-21](#)).

When conducting a data register (DR) operation, the DR captures data in a parallel fashion during the CAPTURE-DR state. The data is then shifted out and replaced by new data during the SHIFT-DR state. For each bit of the DR, an update latch is used to hold the input data stable during the next SHIFT-DR state. The data is then latched during the UPDATE-DR state when TCK is Low.

The update latch is opened each time the TAP Controller enters the UPDATE-DR state. Care is necessary when exercising an INTEST or EXTEST to ensure that the proper data has been latched before exercising the command. This is typically accomplished by using the SAMPLE/PRELOAD instruction.

Consider internal pull-up and pull-down resistors when developing test vectors for testing opens and shorts. The boundary-scan mode determines if the IOB has a pull-up resistor. [Figure 3-21](#) is a representation of Virtex-II Pro Boundary-Scan Architecture.



**Figure 3-21: Virtex Series Boundary Scan Logic**

## Bit Sequence

The order in each non-IAP IOB is described in this section. The input is first, then the output, and finally the 3-state IOB control. The 3-state IOB control is closest to the TDO. The input-only pins contribute only the input bit to the boundary-scan I/O data register. The bit sequence of the device is obtainable from the “Boundary-Scan Description Language Files” (BSDL files) for the Virtex family. These files can be obtained from the Xilinx software download area. The bit sequence is independent of the design. It always has the same bit order and the same number of bits.

## Bypass Register

The other standard data register is the single flip-flop BYPASS register. It passes data serially from the TDI pin to the TDO pin during a bypass instruction. This register is initialized to zero when the TAP controller is in the CAPTURE-DR state.

## Instruction Register

The instruction register loads the OPCODE necessary for the Virtex-II Pro boundary-scan instruction set. This register loads the current OPCODE and captures internal device status. The width of this register is device size specific.

## Configuration Register (Boundary-Scan)

The configuration register is a 64-bit register. This register allows access to the configuration bus and readback operations.

## Identification Register

Virtex devices have a 32-bit identification register, commonly referred to as the IDCODE register. This register is based upon IEEE Standard 1149.1 and allows easy identification of the part being tested or programmed via boundary scan.

## Virtex-II Pro Identification Register

The Virtex-II Pro JTAG ID Code register has the following format.

```

3322 2222222 211111111 110000000000
1098 7654321 098765432 109876543210
vvvv:ffffff:aaaaaaaa:cccccccccc1

```

bit positions (00 to 31)

where

v is the revision code

f is the 7-bit family code, 0001001 for Virtex-II Pro

a is the number of array rows plus columns in the part, expressed in 9 bits:

XC2VP2 rows + columns	=	16 + 22	=	38	=	0x026
XC2VP4 rows + columns	=	40 + 22	=	62	=	0x03E
XC2VP7 rows + columns	=	40 + 34	=	74	=	0x04A
XC2VP20 rows + columns	=	56 + 46	=	102	=	0x066
XC2VP30 rows + columns	=	80 + 46	=	126	=	0x07E
XC2VP40 rows + columns	=	88 + 58	=	146	=	0x092
XC2VP50 rows + columns	=	88 + 70	=	158	=	0x09E
XC2VP70 rows + columns	=	104 + 82	=	186	=	0x0BA
XC2VP100 rows + columns	=	120 + 94	=	214	=	0x0D6
XC2VP125 rows + columns	=	136 + 106	=	242	=	0x0F2

c is the company code = 00001001001. Since the last bit of the JTAG IDCODE is always one, the last three hex digits appear as 0x093.

Examples of how the binary digits translate into hex codes appear in Table 3-12.

Table 3-12: Example JTAG IDCODE Concatenation

		vvvv	ffff	fffa	aaaa	aaaa	cccc	cccc	ccc1
XC2VP7	bin	<vvvv>	0001	0010	0100	1010	0000	1001	0011
	hex	<v>	1	2	4	A	0	9	3
XC2VP40	bin	<vvvv>	0001	0010	1001	0010	0000	1001	0011
	hex	<v>	1	2	9	2	0	9	3
XC2VP100	bin	<vvvv>	0001	0010	1101	0110	0000	1001	0011
	hex	<v>	1	2	D	6	0	9	3

ID Codes assigned to Virtex-II Pro FPGAs are shown in [Table 3-13](#).

**Table 3-13: Virtex-II Pro Device ID Codes**

FPGA	IDCODE <sup>(1)</sup>	FPGA	IDCODE
XC2VP2	<v>1226093	XC2VP40	<v>1292093
XC2VP4	<v>123E093	XC2VP50	<v>129E093
XC2VP7	<v>124A093	XC2VP70	<v>12BA093
XC2VP20	<v>1266093	XC2VP100	<v>12D6093
XC2VP30	<v>127E093	XC2VP125	<v>12F2093

**Notes:**

1. The <v> in the IDCODE stands for the device's revision code (in hex).

## USERCODE Register

USERCODE is supported in the Virtex family as well. This register allows a user to specify a design-specific identification code. The USERCODE can be programmed into the device and read back for verification at a later time. The USERCODE is embedded into the bitstream during bitstream generation (bitgen -g UserID option) and is valid only after configuration.

## USER1, USER2 Registers

The USER1 and USER2 registers are only valid after configuration. These two registers must be defined by the user within the design. These registers can be accessed after they are defined by the TAP pins.

The BSCAN\_VIRTEX2 library macro is required when creating these registers. This symbol is only required for driving internal scan chains (USER1 and USER2). The BSCAN\_VIRTEX2 macro provides two user pins (SEL1 and SEL2) for determining usage of USER1 or USER2 instructions respectively. For these instructions, two corresponding pins (TDO1 and TDO2) allow user scan data to be shifted out of TDO. In addition, there are individual clock pins (DRCK1 and DRCK2) for each user register. There is a common input pin (TDI) and shared output pins that represent the state of the TAP controller (RESET, SHIFT, and UPDATE). Unlike earlier FPGA families that required the BSCAN macro to dedicate TAP pins for boundary scan, Virtex-II Pro TAP pins are dedicated and do not require the BSCAN\_VIRTEX2 macro for normal boundary-scan instructions or operations.

Note that these are user-defined registers. The example ([Figure 3-22](#)) is one of many implementations. For HDL, the BSCAN\_VIRTEX2 macro needs to be instantiated in the design.

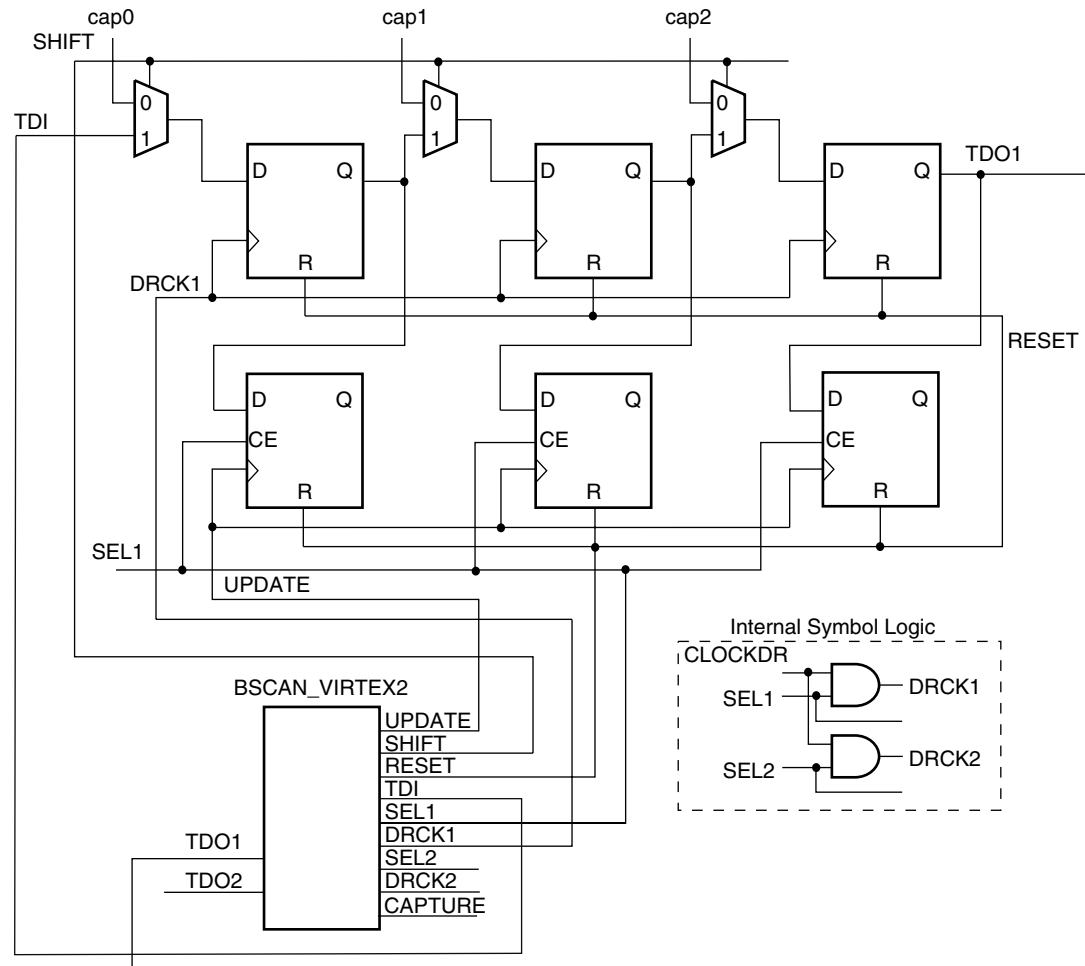
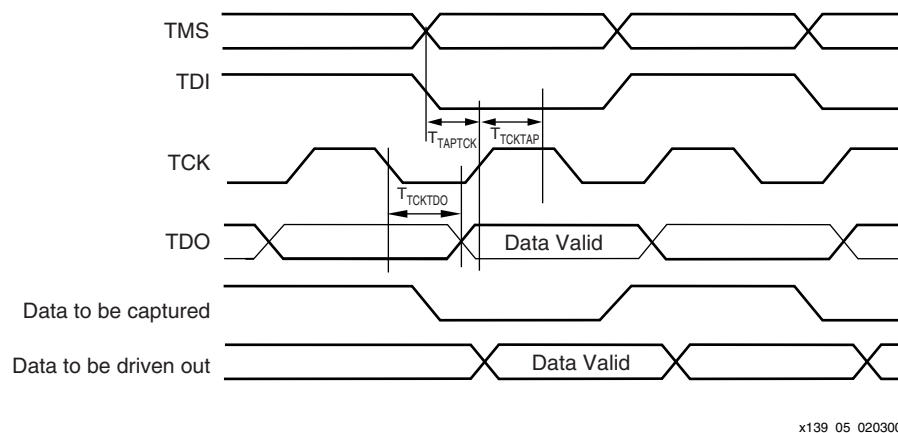


Figure 3-22: BSCAN\_VIRTEX2 (Example Usage)

## Using Boundary Scan in Virtex-II Pro Devices

Characterization data for some of the most commonly requested timing parameters shown in Figure 3-23 is listed in Table 3-14.



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Figure 3-23: Virtex-II Pro Boundary Scan Port Timing Waveforms

Table 3-14: Boundary-Scan Port Timing Specifications

Symbol	Parameter	Value	Units
$T_{TAPTCK}$	TMS and TDI setup time before TCK	4.0	ns, min
$T_{TCKTAP}$	TMS and TDI hold times after TCK	2.0	ns, min
$T_{TCKTDO}$	TCK falling edge to TDO output valid	11.0	ns, min
$F_{TCK}$	Maximum TCK clock frequency	33.0	MHz, max

For further information on the Startup sequence, bitstream, and internal configuration registers referenced here, refer to [Readback, page 404](#).

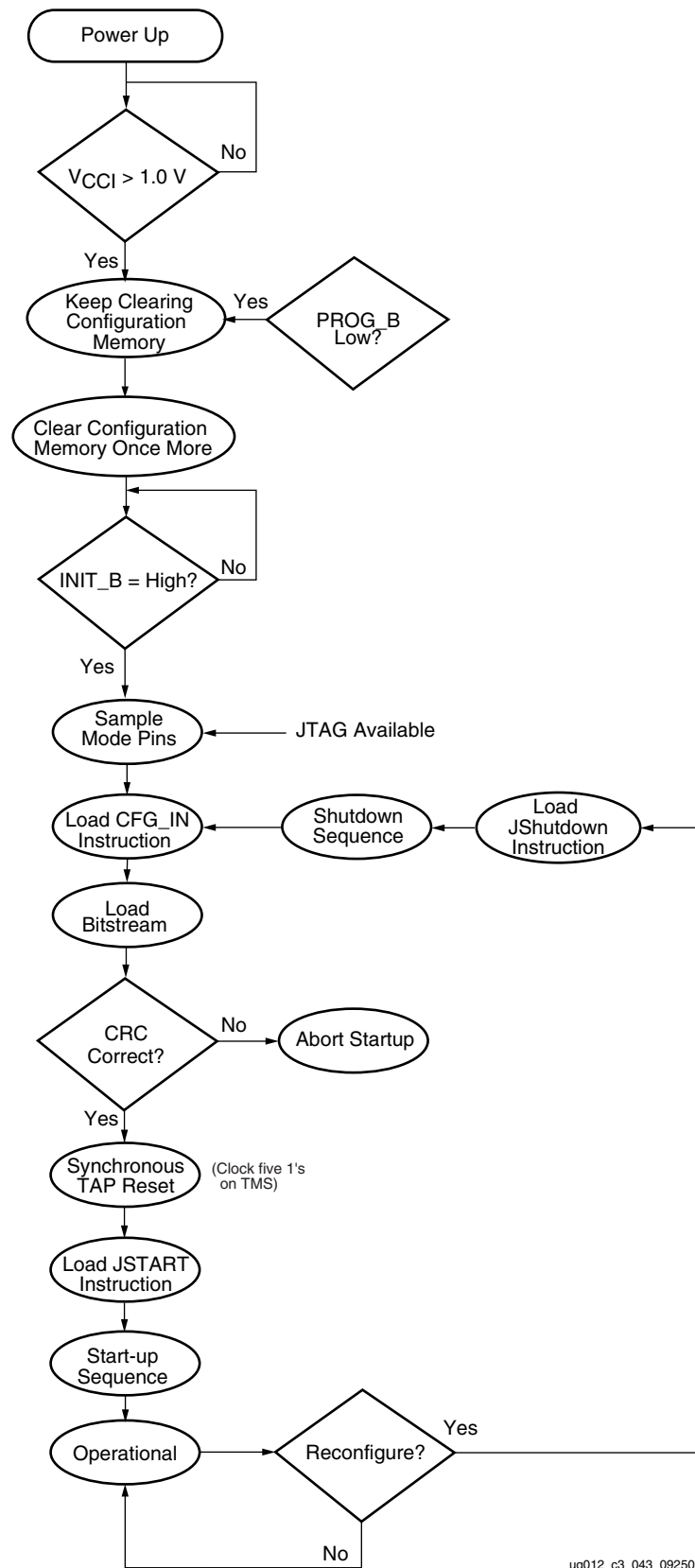
## Configuring Through Boundary-Scan

One of the most common boundary-scan vendor-specific instructions is the configure instruction. An individual Virtex-II Pro device is configured via JTAG on power-up using TAP. If the Virtex-II Pro device is configured on power-up, it is advisable to tie the mode pins to the boundary-scan configuration mode settings; 101 (M2 = 1, M1 = 0, M0 = 1).

Configuration flow for Virtex-II Pro device configuration with JTAG is shown in [Figure 3-24](#). The sections that follow describe how the Virtex-II Pro device can be configured as a single device via boundary-scan or as part of a multiple-device scan chain.

A configured device can be reconfigured by toggling the TAP and entering a CFG\_IN instruction after pulsing the PROG\_B pin or issuing the shut-down sequence. (Refer to [Power Up, page 356](#)). For additional details on power-up or the start-up sequence in Virtex-II Pro devices, see [Device Startup, page 358](#).

Customers who wish to implement the Virtex-II Pro JTAG COnfiguration algorithm are encouraged to use the SVF-based flow provided in Xilinx Application Note [XAPP058](#).



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Figure 3-24: Device Configuration Flow Diagram



### Single Device Configuration

Configure a Virtex-II Pro part as a single device via boundary-scan operations as follows. Ensure that the bitstream is generated with the JTAG clock option.

```
bitgen -g startupclk:jtagclk designName.ncd
```

Also, when using iMPACT software, verify that the most current version is being used.

Table 3-15 describes the TAP controller commands required to configure a Virtex-II Pro device. Refer to Figure 3-20 for TAP controller states. These TAP controller commands are issued automatically if configuring the part with the iMPACT software.

**Table 3-15: Single Device Configuration Sequence**

TAP Controller Step and Description		Set & Hold		# of Clocks
		TDI	TMS	TCK
1.	On power-up, place a logic “one” on the TMS and clock the TCK five times. This ensures starting in the TLR (Test-Logic-Reset) state.	X	1	5
2.	Move into the RTI state.	X	0	1
3.	Move into the SELECT-IR state.	X	1	2
4.	Enter the SHIFT-IR state.	X	0	2
5.	Start loading the CFG_IN instruction, LSB first: XC2VP2 → XC2VP7: XC2VP20 → XC2VP100: XC2VP125:	111_000101 111_1111_000101 111_1111_1111_1111_000101	0 0 0	9 13 21
6.	Load the MSB of CFG_IN instruction when exiting SHIFT-IR, as defined in the IEEE standard.	1	1	1
7.	Enter the SELECT-DR state.	X	1	2
8.	Enter the SHIFT-DR state.	X	0	2
9.	Shift in the Virtex-II Pro bitstream. Bit <sub>n</sub> (MSB) is the first bit in the bitstream <sup>(1)</sup> .	bit <sub>1</sub> ... bit <sub>n</sub>	0	(bits in bitstream) - 1
10.	Shift in the last bit of the bitstream. Bit <sub>0</sub> (LSB) shifts on the transition to EXIT1-DR.	bit <sub>0</sub>	1	1
11.	Enter UPDATE-DR state.	X	1	1
12.	Reset TAP by clocking five 1's on TMS	X	1	5
13.	Enter the SELECT-IR state.	X	1	2
14.	Move to the SHIFT-IR state.	X	0	2
15.	Start loading the JSTART instruction. The JSTART instruction initializes the startup sequence.	01100	0	5
16.	Load the last bit of the JSTART instruction.	0	1	1
17.	Move to the UPDATE-IR state.	X	1	1

Table 3-15: Single Device Configuration Sequence (Continued)

TAP Controller Step and Description		Set & Hold		# of Clocks
		TDI	TMS	TCK
18.	Move to RTI and clock the STARTUP sequence by applying a minimum of 12 clock cycles to the TCK.	X	0	≥12
19.	Move to the TLR state. The device is now functional.	X	1	3

**Notes:**

1. In the Configuration Register, data is shifted in from the right (TDI) to the left (TDO).

### Multiple Device Configuration

It is possible to configure multiple Virtex-II Pro devices in a chain. The devices in the JTAG chain are configured one at a time. The multiple device configuration steps can be applied to any size chain. Ensure the bitstream is generated with the JTAG clock option.

```
bitgen -g startupclk:jtagclk designName.ncd
```

Refer to the State Diagram in Figure 3-20 for the following TAP controller steps.

1. On power-up, place a logic “one” on the TMS and clock the TCK five times. This ensures starting in the TLR (Test-Logic-Reset) state.
2. Load the CFG\_IN instruction into the target device (and BYPASS in all other devices). Go through RTI (RUN-TEST/IDLE).
3. Load in the configuration bitstream per step 7 through step 11 in Table 3-15.
4. Repeat step 2 and step 3 for each device.
5. Reset all TAPs by clocking five 1’s on TMS.
6. Load the JSTART command into all devices.
7. Go to RTI and clock TCK 12 times.

All devices are active at this point.

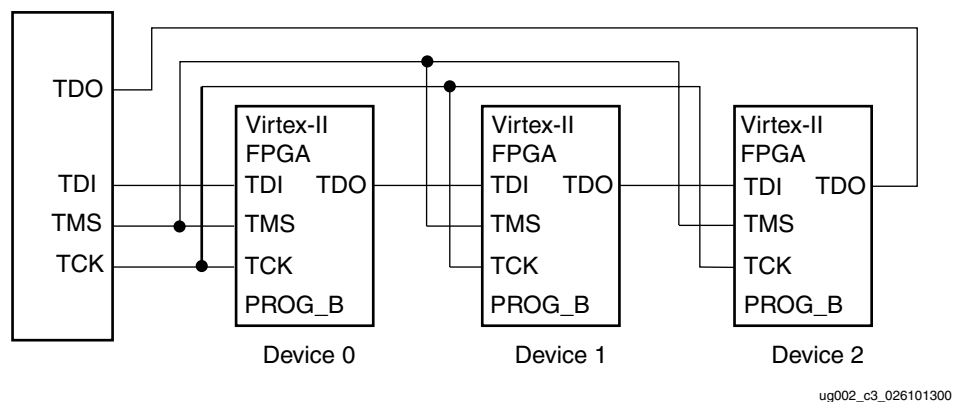


Figure 3-25: Boundary Scan Chain of Devices

**Notes:**

1. PROG\_B pin should be deasserted during JTAG operation.

## Reconfiguring Through Boundary Scan

The ability of Virtex-II Pro devices to perform partial reconfiguration is the reason that the configuration memory is not cleared when reconfiguring the device. When reconfiguring a chain of devices, refer to step 3 in [Table 3-15](#). There are two methods to reconfigure Virtex-II Pro devices without possible internal contention. The first method is to pulse the PROG\_B pin which resets the internal configuration memory. The alternate method is to perform a shutdown sequence, placing the device in a safe state. The following shutdown sequence includes using internal registers. (For details on internal registers, refer to [Readback, page 404](#).)

1. Load the CFG\_IN instruction.
2. In SHIFT-DR state, load the synchronization word followed by the Reset CRC Register (RCRC) command.

```
1111 1111 1111 1111 1111 1111 1111 1111-> Dummy word
1010 1010 1001 1001 0101 0101 0110 0110-> Synchronization word
0011 0000 0000 0000 1000 0000 0000 0001-> Header: Write to CMD register
0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0111-> RCRC command
0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000-> flush pipe
0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000-> flush pipe
```

3. Load JSHUTDOWN.
4. Go to RTI and clock TCK at least 12 times to clock the shutdown sequence.
5. Proceed to SHIFT-IR state and load the CFG\_IN instruction again.
6. Go to SHIFT-DR state and load the configuration bits. Make sure the configuration bits contain AGHIGH command, which asserts the global signal GHIGH\_B. This prevents contention while writing configuration data.

```
0011 0000 0000 0000 1000 0000 0000 0001-> Header: Write to CMD
0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 1000-> AGHIGH command asserts
                                           GHIGH_B
```

7. When all configuration bits have been loaded, reset the TAP by clocking five 1's on TMS.
8. Go to SHIFT-IR state and load the JSTART instruction.
9. Go to RTI and clock TCK at least 12 times to clock the startup sequence.
10. Go to TLR state to complete the reconfiguration process.

## Debugging Configuration

To verify successful configuration, there are several options. Some of the most helpful verification steps include using TAP pins and the readback command. Using the Virtex-II Pro TAP controller and status pins is discussed first.

When using TAP controller pins, TDO is driven only in the SHIFT-DR and SHIFT-IR state. If the output of the TDO can be changed via an external pull-up resistor, the TAP is not in SHIFT-IR or SHIFT-DR. If the TAP can be controlled precisely, use this to test the application.

In JTAG configuration, the status pin (DONE) functions the same as in the other configuration modes. The DONE pin can be monitored to determine if a bitstream has been completely loaded into the device. If DONE is Low, the entire bitstream has not been sent or the start-up sequence is not finished. If DONE is High, the entire bitstream has been received correctly. The INIT\_B pin functions similar to a normal INIT\_B but does not indicate a configuration error in boundary-scan configuration.

In addition to external pin monitoring, an internal test can be conducted. The second method includes the following steps to capture the internal device status register contents:

1. Move the TAP to TLR state.
2. Go to SHIFT-IR state and load in the CFG\_IN instruction.
3. Go to SHIFT-DR state and shift in the following 64-bit pattern with the MSB (left-most bit), shifted in first.

```

1111 1111 1111 1111 1111 1111 1111 1111-> Dummy word
1010 1010 1001 1001 0101 0101 0110 0110-> Synchronization word
0010 1000 0000 0000 1110 0000 0000 0010-> Read STATUS Register 1)
0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000-> flush pipe
0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000-> flush pipe
0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000-> flush pipe

```

**Notes:**

1. Since the JTAG readback shift register is 64-bit long, two 32-bit words are needed to fill the shift register.
4. After shifting in the pattern, load the CFG\_OUT instruction in the SHIFT-IR state.
5. Move to SHIFT-DR state and clock TCK 32 times while reading TDO. The data seen on TDO is the content of the status register. The last bit out is a one if a CRC error occurred. If successful, it should read as follows.

```

0000 0000 0000 0000 0001 1MMM 1110 111011,2)

```

**Notes:**

1. MMM is the mode pins value.
2. Assuming that the device is in normal operation mode.

Since the read status activity causes the `crc_error` status to be asserted, it is important to clear the `crc_error` status to ensure normal device operation. This can be done by writing the precalculated CRC value to the CRC register or writing an RCRC command.

6. Go to SHIFT-IR state and load the CFG\_IN instruction again.
7. Move to SHIFT-DR state and shift in the following bit pattern:

```

0011 0000 0000 0000 1000 0000 0000 0001-> Header: Write to CMD register
0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0111-> RCRC command
0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000-> flush pipe
0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000-> flush pipe

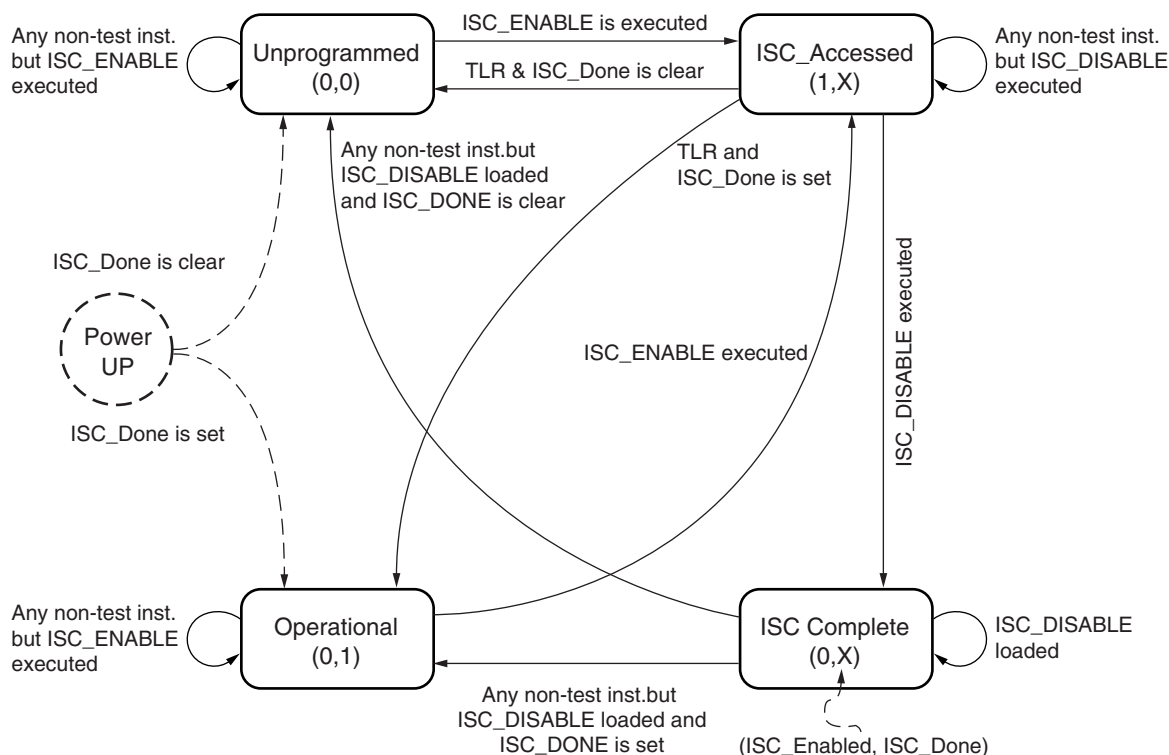
```

8. Put the TAP in TLR state when finished.

The device status register also gives the status of the DONE and INIT\_B signals. For information on the status register, refer to [Figure 3-30](#).

## Boundary-Scan for Virtex-II Pro Devices Using IEEE Standard 1532

## ISC Modal States



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Figure 3-26: ISC Modal States

Once the device is powered up, it goes to an Unprogrammed state. The I/Os are all either 3-stated or pulled up. When ISC\_ENABLE is successfully executed, the ISC\_Enabled signal is asserted, and the device moves to ISC\_Accessed state. When the device moves to ISC\_Accessed state from Operational state, the shutdown sequence is executed. The I/Os are all either 3-stated or pulled up.

The StartUp sequence is executed when in the ISC\_Accessed state. At the end of the StartUp Sequence, ISC\_Enabled is cleared and the device moves to ISC\_Complete. The minimum clock cycle requirement is the number of clock cycles required to complete the StartUp sequence. At the completion of the minimum required clock cycles, ISC\_Enabled is deasserted.

Whether the StartUp sequence is successful or not is determined by CRC or configuration error status from the configuration processor. If the startup is completed, ISC\_Done is asserted; otherwise, ISC\_Done stays Low. The I/Os are either 3-stated or pulled up.

When ISC\_Done is set in ISC\_Complete state, the device moves to the Operational state. Otherwise, if ISC\_Done is clear, the device moves to an Unprogrammed state. However, if the TAP controller goes to TLR state while the device is in ISC\_Accessed state and if ISC\_Done is set, then the device moves to the Operational state. However, the I/O is not active yet because the Startup sequence has not been performed. The Startup sequence has to be performed in the Operational state to bring the I/O active.

## Clocking Startup and Shutdown Sequence (JTAG Version)

There are three clock sources for Startup and Shutdown sequence, CCLK, UserCLK, and JTAGCLK. Clock selection is set by bitgen. The Startup sequence is executed in ISC\_Accessed state. When it is clocked by JTAGCLK, the Startup sequence receives the JTAGCLK in TAP Run/Test Idle state while ISC\_DISABLE is the current JTAG instruction. The number of clock cycles in Run/Test Idle state for successful completion of ISC\_DISABLE is determined by the number of clock cycles needed to complete the Startup sequence.

When UserCLK or CCLK is used to clock the Startup sequence, the user should know how many JTAGCLK cycles should be spent in Run/Test Idle to successfully complete the Startup sequence.

The Shutdown sequence is executed when the device transitions from an Operational to ISC\_Accessed state. Shutdown is done while executing the ISC\_ENABLE instruction. When the Shutdown sequence is clocked using JTAGCLK, the clock is supplied in the Run/Test Idle state of the ISC\_ENABLE instruction. The number of clock cycles in Run/Test Idle is determined by the number of clock cycles needed to complete the Shutdown sequence.

When the Shutdown sequence is clocked by CCLK or UserCLK, the user is responsible for knowing how many JTAGCLK cycles in Run/Test Idle are needed to complete the Shutdown sequence.

**Notes:**

1. It has been decided that when configuring the device through JTAG, the startup and shutdown clock should come from TCK, regardless of the selection in bitgen.
2. In IEEE 1532 configuration mode, Startup and Shutdown clock source is always TCK.

## Configuration Flows Using JTAG

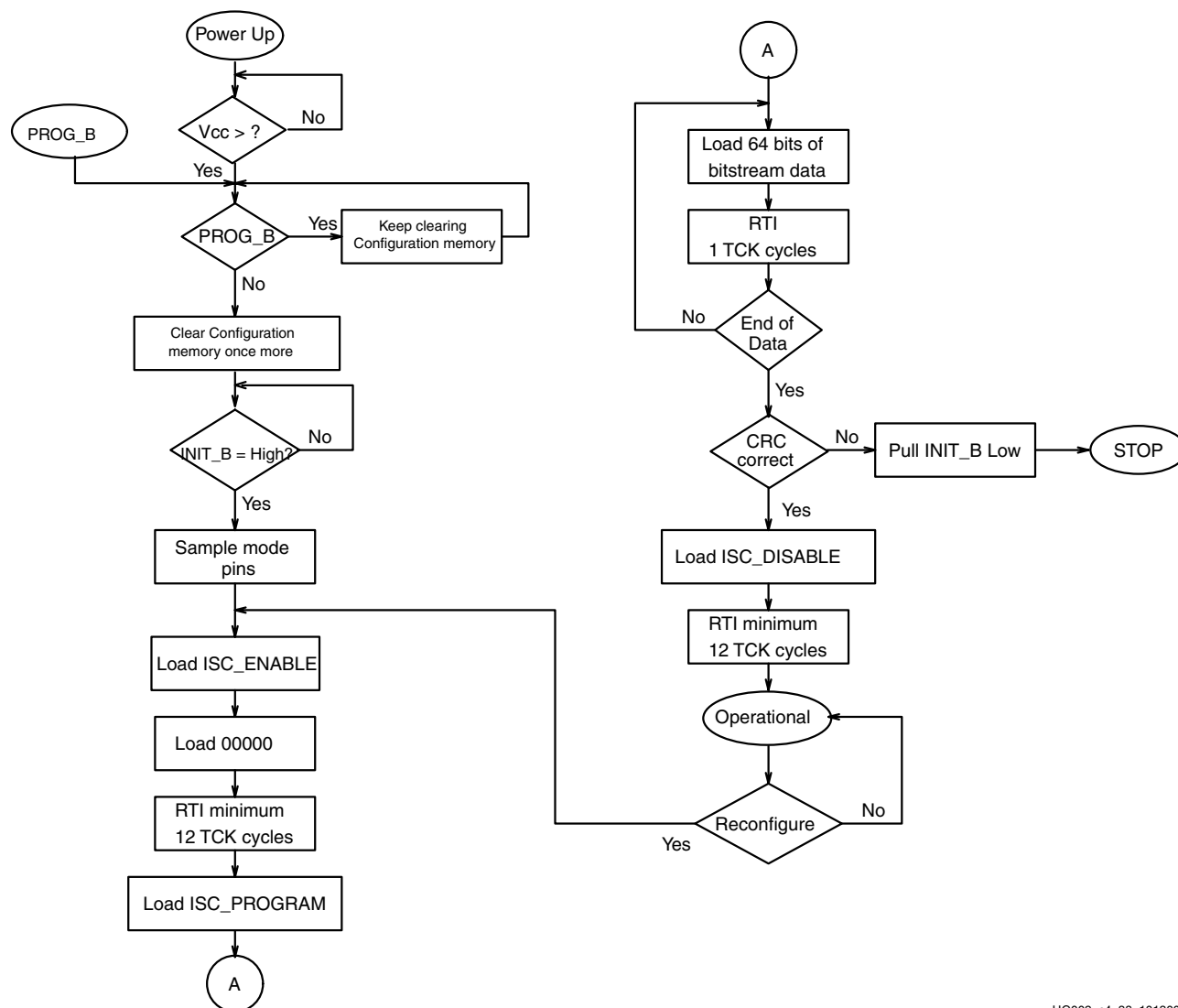


Figure 3-27: IEEE 1532 Configuration Flow

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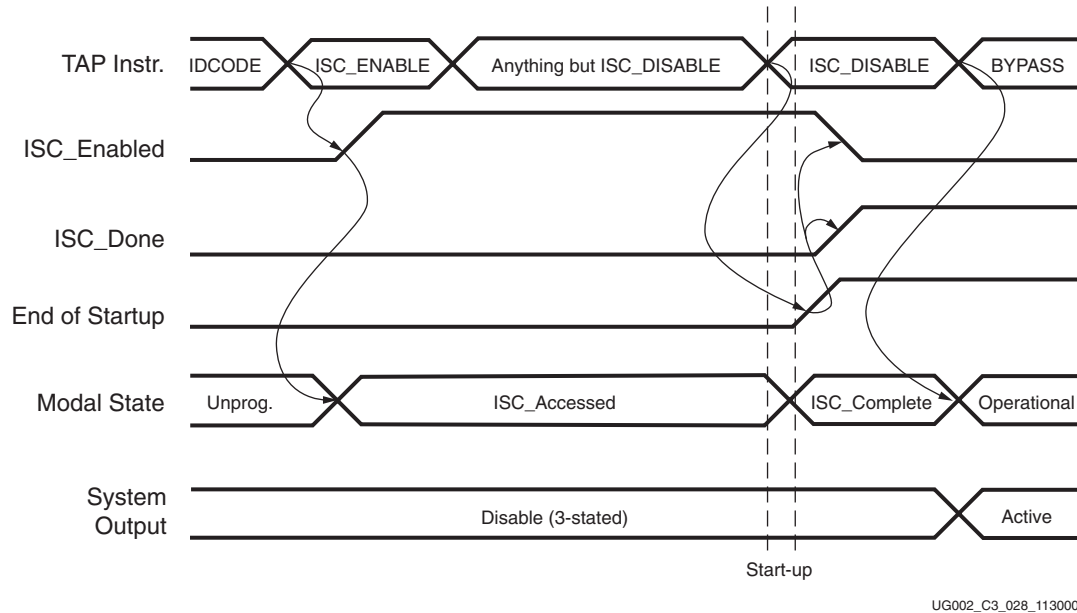


Figure 3-28: Signal Diagram for Successful First Time ISC Configuration

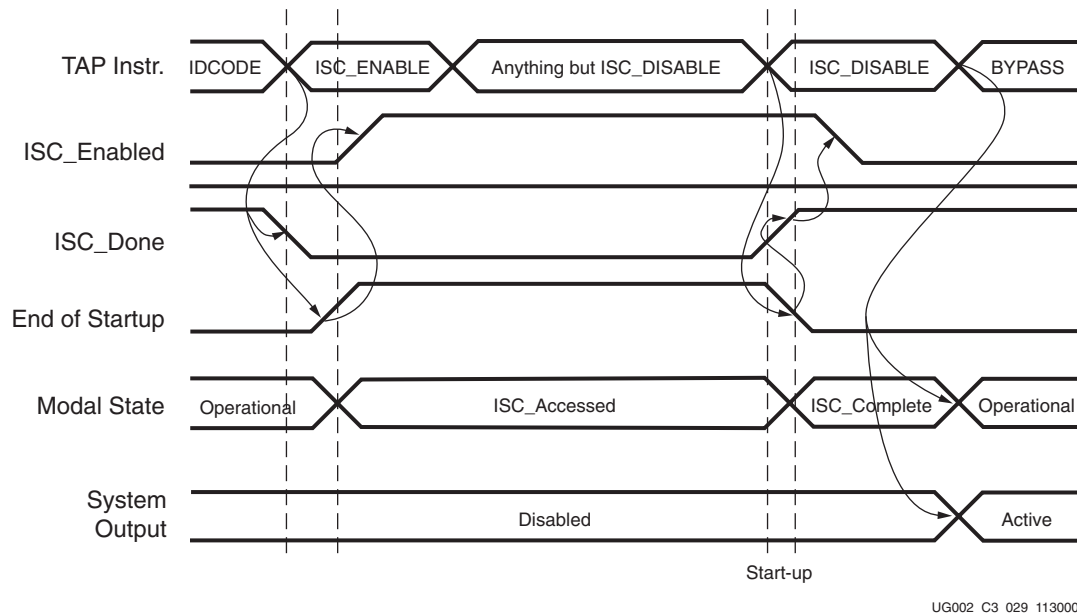


Figure 3-29: Signal Diagram for Successful ISC Partial and Full Reconfiguration

## Configuration Details

This section provides a bit-level understanding of the configuration stream. For the purpose of debugging, designing embedded readback operations, or otherwise complex styles of configuring multiple FPGAs, the Virtex-II bitstream, internal configuration logic, and internal processing of configuration data are described here.



## Data Frames

The internal configuration memory is partitioned into segments called “Frames.” The portions of the bitstream that actually get written to the configuration memory are “Data Frames.” The number and size of frames varies with device size as shown in [Table 3-16](#). The total number of configuration bits for a particular device is calculated by multiplying the number of frames by the number of bits per frame, and then adding the total number of bits needed to perform the configuration register writes shown in [Table 3-22](#).

**Table 3-16: Virtex-II Pro Configuration Data Frames and Programming Times**

Device	No. of Frames	Frame Length in Bits	Configuration Bits	Total No. of Bits (including Header)	Approx. SelectMAP Download Time (50 MHz) ms	Approx. Serial Download Time (50 MHz) ms	Approx. JTAG Download Time (33 MHz) ms
XC2VP2	884	1,472	1,301,248	1,305,440	3.26	26.11	39.56
XC2VP4	884	3,392	2,998,528	3,006,560	7.52	60.13	91.11
XC2VP7	1,320	3,392	4,477,440	4,485,472	11.21	89.71	135.92
XC2VP20	1,756	4,672	8,204,032	8,214,624	20.54	164.29	248.93
XC2VP30	1,756	6,592	11,575,552	11,589,984	28.97	231.80	351.21
XC2VP40	2,192	7,232	15,852,544	15,868,256	39.67	317.37	480.86
XC2VP50	2,628	7,232	19,005,696	19,021,408	47.55	380.43	576.41
XC2VP70	3,064	8,512	26,080,768	26,099,040	65.24	521.98	790.88
XC2VP100	3,500	9,792	34,272,000	34,292,832	85.73	685.86	1,039.18
XC2VP125	3,936	11,072	43,579,392	43,602,784	109.00	872.06	1,321.30

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## Configuration Registers

The Virtex-II Pro configuration logic was designed so that an external source can have complete control over all configuration functions by accessing and loading addressed internal configuration registers over a common configuration bus. The internal configuration registers that are used for configuration and readback are listed in [Table 3-17](#). All configuration data, except the synchronization word and dummy words, is written to internal configuration registers.

**Table 3-17: Internal Configuration Registers**

Symbol	Register Name	Address
CRC	CRC Register	00000
FAR	Frame Address Register	00001
FDRI	Frame Data Input Register (Write Configuration Data)	00010
FDRO	Frame Data Output Register (Readback Configuration Data)	00011
CMD	Command Register	00100
CTL	Control Register	00101
MASK	Masking Register for CTL	00110
STAT	Status Register	00111
LOUT	Legacy Output Register (DOUT for daisy chain)	01000
COR	Configuration Option Register	01001

Table 3-17: Internal Configuration Registers (Continued)

Symbol	Register Name	Address
MFWR	Multiple Frame Write	01010
FLR	Frame Length Register	01011
IDCODE	Product ID Code Register	01110

### Command Register (CMD)

Commands shown in Table 3-18 are executed by loading the binary code into the CMD register.

Table 3-18: CMD Register Commands

Symbol	Command	Binary Code
WCFG	Write Configuration Data	0001
MFWR	Multi-Frame Write	0010
DGHIGH	De-asserts GHIGH	0011
RCFG	Read Configuration Data	0100
START	Begin STARTUP Sequence	0101
RCAP	Reset CAPTURE (after Single-Shot Capture)	0110
RCRC	Reset CRC Register	0111
AGHIGH	Assert GHIGH	1000
SWITCH	Switch CCLK Frequency	1001
GRESTORE	Pulse GRESTORE Signal	1010
SHUTDOWN	Begin SHUTDOWN Sequence	1011
GCAPTURE	Pulse GCAPTURE Signal (one shot)	1100
DESYNCH	Forces realignment to 32 bits	1101

### Frame Length Register (FLR)

The FLR is used to indicate the frame size to the internal configuration logic. This allows the internal configuration logic to be identical for all Virtex-II Pro devices. The value loaded into this register is the number of actual configuration words that get loaded into the configuration memory frames.

### Configuration Option Register (COR)

The COR is loaded with the user selected options from bitstream generation. See Appendix A, “BitGen and PROMGen Switches and Options.”.

Table 3-19: Configuration Option Register

Name	Description	Bits
CRC_BYPASS	Does not check against updated CRC value.	29
SHUT_RST_DCI	DCI resets if SHUTDOWN and AGHIGH are performed.	27
SHUT_RST_DCM	DCM resets if SHUTDOWN and AGHIGH are performed.	26
DONE_PIPE	Add pipeline stage to DONEIN.	25
DRIVE_DONE	DONE pin is an active driver, not open drain.	24
SINGLE	Readback capture is one shot.	23

Table 3-19: Configuration Option Register (Continued)

Name	Description	Bits
OSCFSEL	Select CCLK frequency in Master Serial Mode.	22:17
SSCLKSRC	Select STARTUP block clock source.	16:15
DONE_CYCLE	Startup cycle when DONE is asserted/de-asserted.	14:12
MATCH_CYCLE	Stall in this Startup cycle until DCI match signals are asserted.	11:9
LOCK_CYCLE	Stall in this Startup cycle until DCM signals are asserted.	8:6
GTS_CYCLE	Startup cycle when GTS_CFG_B is de-asserted.	5:3
GWE_CYCLE	Startup cycle when GWE is asserted.	2:0

### Control Register (CTL)

The CTL controls internal functions such as *Security* and *Port Persistence*.

Table 3-20: Control Register

Name	Description	Bits
SBITS	Security level.	4:5
PERSIST	Configuration ports remain after configuration.	3
Reserved	For internal use.	2:1
GTS_USR_B	Active Low global 3-state I/Os. Turns off pullups if GTS_CFG_B is also asserted.	0

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### Mask Register (MASK)

The MASK is a safety mechanism that controls which bits of the CTL register can be reloaded. Prior to loading new data into the CTL register, each bit must be independently enabled by its corresponding bit in the MASK register. Any CTL bit not selected by the MASK register is ignored when reloading the CTL register.

### Frame Address Register (FAR)

The FAR sets the starting frame address for the next configuration data input write cycle.

### Frame Data Register Input (FDRI)

The FDRI is the input stage for configuration data frames to be stored in the configuration memory. Starting with the frame address specified in the FAR, the FDRI writes its contents to the configuration memory frames. The FDRI automatically increments the frame address after writing each frame for the number of frames specified in the FDRI write command. This is detailed in the next section.

### CRC Register (CRC)

The CRC is loaded with a CRC value that is embedded in the bitstream and compared against an internally calculated CRC value. Resetting the CRC register and circuitry is controlled by the CMD register.

### Frame Data Register Output (FDRO)

FDRO is an output stage for reading frame data from the configuration memory during readback. This works the same as the FDRI but with data flowing in the other direction.

### Legacy Data Output Register (LOUT)

LOUT is pipeline data to be sent out the DOUT pin for serially daisy-chained configuration data output.

## Status Register (STAT)

The STAT register contains bits that indicate the state of the device. Such bits include the status of error pins, global signals, the DCM, and DCI. This register is read-only and can be read using the JTAG or SelectMAP port for debugging purposes.

								RESERVED	RESERVED	ID_ERROR	DONE	INIT_B	MODE				GHIGH_B	GWE	GTS_CFG_B	IN_ERROR	DCI_MATCH	DCM_LOCK	RESERVED	CRC_ERROR							
31	30	29	28	27	26	25	24	23	22	21	20	19	18	17	16	15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x

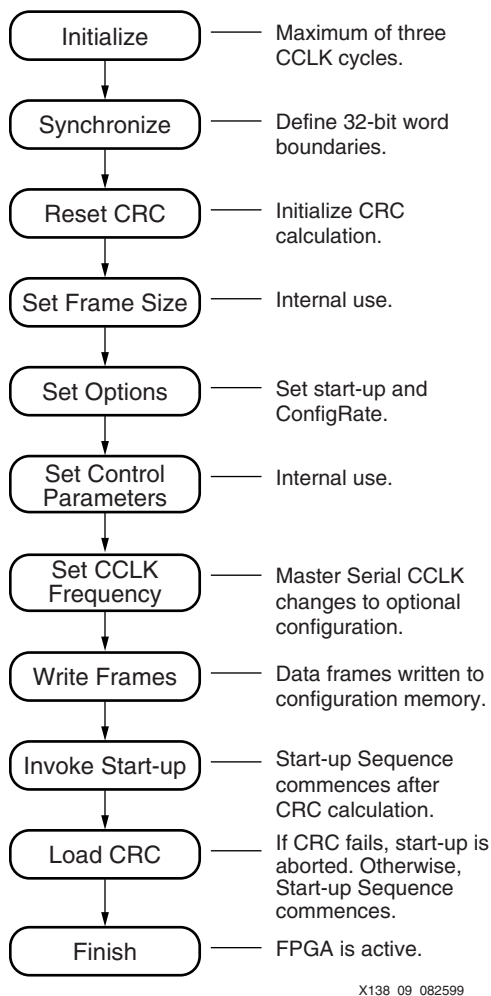
Figure 3-30: Status Register Fields

Table 3-21: Status Register

Name	Description	Bit Location
ID_ERROR	IDCODE not validated while trying to write FDRI	13
DONE	DONEIN input form DONE pin	12
INIT_B	Value of CFG_RDY (INIT_B)	11
MODE	Value or MODE pins (M2, M1, M0)	10:8
GHIGH_B	Status of GHIGH	7
GWE	Status of GWE	6
GTS_CFG_B	Status of GTS_CFG_B	5
IN_ERROR	Legacy input error	4
DCI_MATCH	DCI matched	3
DCM_LOCK	DCM matched	2
Reserved	For internal use	1
CRC_ERROR	CRC error	0

## Configuration Data Processing Flow

The complete (standard) reconfiguration of a Virtex-II device follows the internal flow shown in **Figure 3-31**. All associated configuration commands are listed in **Table 3-22**.



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**Figure 3-31: Internal Configuration Processing Flow**

Table 3-22: Configuration Register Writes

Type	Number of 32-bit Words
<b>Command Set 1</b>	
Dummy words	1
Synchronization word	1
Write CMD (RCRC)	2
Write FLR	2
Write COR	2
Write ID	2
Write MASK	2
Write CMD (SWITCH)	2
<b>Command Set 2</b>	
Write FAR	2
Write CMD (WCFG)	2
Write FDRI	part size dependent
Write CMD (DGHIGH)	2
<b>Command Set 3</b>	
Write COR	2
Write CMD (START)	2
Write CTL	2
Write CRC	2
Write CMD (DESYNCH)	
Dummy words	4
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>40</b>

The first command set prepares the internal configuration logic for the loading of the data frames. The internal configuration logic is first initialized with several CCLK cycles represented by dummy words, then it is synchronized to recognize the 32-bit word boundaries by the synchronization word. The CRC register and circuitry must then be reset by writing the RCRC command to the CMD register. The frame length size for the device being configured is then loaded into the FLR register. The configuration options are loaded into the COR. The CCLK frequency selected is specified in the COR; however, to switch to that frequency the SWITCH command must be loaded into the CMD register. The ID register is written to ensure that the correct bitstream is being used. Now the data frames can be loaded.

The second command set loads the configuration data frames. First, a WCFG (Write Configuration) command is loaded into the CMD register activating the circuitry that writes the data loaded into the FDRI into the configuration memory cells. To load a set of data frames, the starting address for the first frame is first loaded to the FAR, followed by a write command, and then by the data frames to the FDRI. The FDRI write command also specifies the amount of data that is to follow in terms of the number of 32-bit words that comprise the data frames being written. When all but the last frame has been loaded, an initial CRC checksum is loaded into the CRC register. The De-assert GHIGH (DGHIGH) is loaded into the CMD register.

The third command set initializes the Start-Up Sequence and finishes CRC checking. After all the data frames have been loaded, the START command is loaded into the CMD register, followed by any internal control data to CTL, the final CRC value into the CRC register, and the DESYNCH command to the CMD register. The four dummy words at the end are flushed through the system to provide the finishing CCLK cycles to activate the FPGA.

### Standard Bitstream

Virtex-II Pro devices have the ability to be only partially re-configured or read back. The standard bitstream, currently generated by BitGen, follows the format shown in [Table 3-23](#), [Table 3-24](#), and [Table 3-25](#). This format assumes D0 is considered the MSB. It is divided into three tables to follow the three command sets described in the previous subsection.

[Table 3-23](#) shows the first set of commands in the bitstream that prepare the configuration logic for rewriting the memory frames. All commands are described as 32-bit words, since configuration data is internally processed from a common 32-bit bus.

**Table 3-23: Bitstream Header and Configuration Options**

Data Type
Dummy word
Synchronization word
<b>Packet Header:</b> Write to CMD register
<b>Packet Data:</b> RCRC
<b>Packet Header:</b> Write to FLR register
<b>Packet Data:</b> Frame Length
<b>Packet Header:</b> Write to COR
<b>Packet Data:</b> Configuration options (user defined)
<b>Packet Header:</b> Write to ID register
<b>Packet Data:</b> IDCODE
<b>Packet Header:</b> Write to CMD register
<b>Packet Data:</b> SWITCH
<b>Packet Header:</b> Write to CMD register
<b>Packet Data:</b> WCFG

From [Table 3-23](#), the first dummy word pads the front of the bitstream to provide the clock cycles necessary for initialization of the configuration logic. No actual processing takes place until the synchronization word is loaded. Since the Virtex-II Pro configuration logic processes data as 32-bit words, but can be configured from a serial or 8-bit source, the synchronization word is used to define the 32-bit word boundaries. That is, the first bit after the synchronization word is the first bit of the next 32-bit word, and so on.

After synchronization, all data (register writes and frame data) are encapsulated in *packets*. There are two kinds of packets, Header and Data. A header packet has two types: Type 1 and Type 2. Type 1 Packet Headers are used for register writes. A combination of Type 1 and Type Packet Headers are used for frame data writes. A Type 1 Packet Header, shown in [Figure 3-32](#), is always a single 32-bit word that describes the header type, whether it is a read/write function to a specific configuration register address (see [Table 3-17](#)) as the destination, and how many 32-bit words are in the following Packet Data portion. A Type 1 Packet Data portion can contain anywhere from 0 to 2,047 32-bit data words.

Packet Header	Type	Operation (Write/Read)	Register Address (Destination)	Byte Address	Word Count (32-bit Words)
Bits[31:0]	31:29	28:27	26:13	12:11	10:0
Type 1	001	10 / 01	XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX	XX	XXXXXXXXXXXX

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Figure 3-32: Type 1 Packet Header

Packet Header	Type	Operation (Write/Read)	Word Count (32-bit Words)
Bits[31:0]	31:29	28:27	26:0
Type 2	010	10 / 01	XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX

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Figure 3-33: Type 2 Packet Header

The first packet header in Table 3-23 is a Type 1 packet header that specifies writing one data word to the CMD register. The following packet data is a data word specifying a reset of the CRC register (compare the data field of Table 3-23 to the binary codes of Table 3-18).

The second packet header in Table 3-23 loads the frame size into the FLR.

The third packet header loads the configuration options into the COR register. The binary description of this register is not documented. Following this is a similar write of the SWITCH command to the CMD register which selects the CCLK frequency specified in the COR. Finally, the WCFG command is loaded into the CMD register so that the loading of frame data can commence.

The fourth packet header writes to the ID register. This ensures the correct bitstream for the correct Virtex-II Pro family member.

Table 3-24 shows the packets that load all of the data frames, starting with a Type 1 packet header to load the starting frame address, which is always 0h.

Table 3-24: Bitstream Data Frames and CRC Sequence

Data Type
Packet Header: Write to FAR register
Packet Data: Starting frame address
Packet Header: Write to FDRI
Packet Header Type 2: Data words
Packet Data: Configuration data frames in 32-bit words. Total number of words specified in Type 2 Packet Header
Packet Data: CRC value
Packet Header: Write to CMD register
Packet Data: GRESTORE
Packet Header: Write to CMD register
Packet Data: DGHIGH
Packet Header: NO OP
Packet Data: one frame of NO OP

The loading of data frames requires a combination of Type 1 and Type 2 packet headers. Type 2 packet headers must always be preceded by a Type 1 packet header. The Type 2 packet data can be up to 67,108,863 data words in size.



The Type 2 packet header, shown in [Figure 3-33](#), differs slightly from a Type 1 packet header in that there is no Register Address or Byte Address fields.

To write a set of data frames to the configuration memory, after the starting frame address has been loaded into the FAR, a Type 1 packet header issues a write command to the FDRI, followed by a Type 2 packet *header* specifying the number of data words to be loaded, and then followed by the actual frame data as Type 2 packet *data*. Writing data frames might require a Type 1/Type 2 packet header combination, or a Type 1 only. This depends on the amount of data being written.

[Table 3-25](#) shows the packets needed to issue the start-up operations and load the final CRC check. The FPGA does not go active until after the final CRC is loaded. The number of clock cycles required to complete the start-up sequence depends on the BitGen options selected. Completion of the configuration process requires 8 to 16 clock cycles after the DESYNCH command. The DESYNCH command forces realignment to 32-bit boundaries and, therefore, a synchronization word is needed.

**Table 3-25: Bitstream Final CRC and Start-Up Sequence**

Data Type
<b>Packet Header:</b> Write to CMD register
<b>Packet Data:</b> START
<b>Packet Header:</b> Write to MASK
<b>Packet Data:</b> CTL mask
<b>Packet Header:</b> Write to CTL
<b>Packet Data:</b> Control commands
<b>Packet Header:</b> Write to CRC
<b>Packet Data:</b> CRC value
<b>Packet Header:</b> Write to CMD
<b>Packet Data:</b> DESYNCH command
Dummy word
Dummy word
Dummy word
Dummy word

Typically, DONE is released within the first seven CCLK cycles after the final CRC value is loaded, but the rest of the dummy data at the end of the stream should continue to be loaded. The FPGA needs the additional clock cycles to finish internal processing, but this is not a concern when a free-running oscillator is used for CCLK. In serial mode, this requires only 16 bits (two bytes), but in SelectMAP mode, this requires 16 bytes of dummy words at the end of the bitstream. Since the intended configuration mode to be used is unknown by Bitgen, four 32-bit dummy words (16 bytes) are always placed at the end of the bitstream.

### Cyclic Redundancy Checking Algorithm

Virtex-II Pro configuration uses a standard 16-bit CRC checksum algorithm to verify bitstream integrity during configuration. The 16-bit CRC polynomial is shown below.

$$\text{CRC-16} = X^{16} + X^{15} + X^2 + 1$$

The algorithm is implemented by shifting the data stream into a 16-bit shift register, shown in [Figure 3-34](#). Register Bit(0) receives an XOR of the incoming data and the output of Bit(15). Bit(2) receives an XOR of the input to Bit(0) and the output of Bit(1). Bit(15) receives an XOR of the input to Bit(0) and the output of Bit(14).

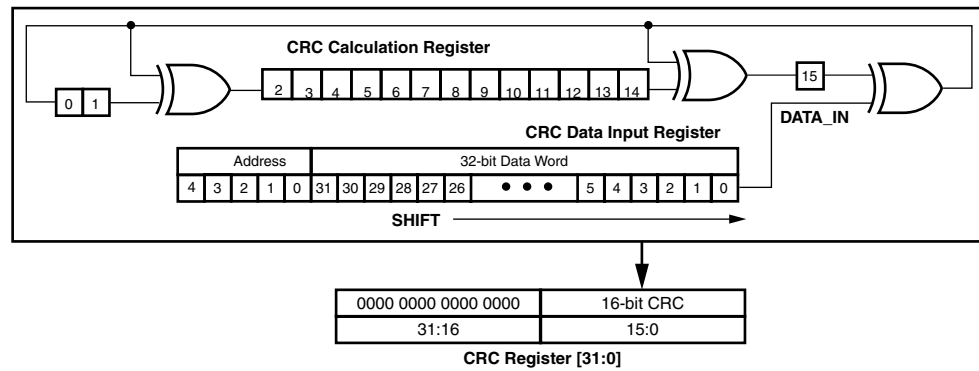


Figure 3-34: Serial 16-bit CRC Circuitry

A CRC Reset resets all the CRC registers to zero. As data is shifted into the CRC circuitry, a CRC calculation accumulates in the registers. When the CRC value is loaded into the CRC calculation register, the ending CRC checksum is loaded into the CRC Register. The value loaded into the CRC Register should be zero; otherwise, the configuration failed CRC check.

Not all of the configuration stream is loaded into the CRC circuitry. Only data that is written to one of the registers shown in Table 3-22 is included. For each 32-bit word that is written to one of the registers (Table 3-22), the address code for the register and the 32-bit data word is shifted LSB first into the CRC calculation circuitry, see Figure 3-34. When multiple 32-bit words are written to the same register, the same address is loaded after each word. All other data in the configuration stream is ignored and does not affect the CRC checksum.

This description is a model that can be used to generate an identical CRC value. The actual circuitry in the device is a slightly more complex Parallel CRC circuit that produces the same result.

## Readback

Readback is the process of reading all the data in the internal configuration memory. This can be used to verify that the current configuration data is correct and to read the current state of all internal CLB and IOB registers as well as the current LUT RAM and block RAM values.

Readback is only available through the SelectMAP and Boundary Scan interfaces. This discussion covers the use of the SelectMAP interface for performing readback. For information on using the Boundary Scan interface for readback see "Readback When Using Boundary Scan" on page 405.

## Readback Verification and Capture

Readback verification is used to verify the validity of the stored configuration data. This is most commonly used in space-based applications where exposure to radiation might alter the data stored in the configuration memory cells.

Readback capture is used to list the states of all the internal flip-flops. This can be used for hardware debugging and functional verification. When Capture is initiated, the internal register states are loaded into unused spaces in the configuration memory which can be extracted after a readback of the configuration memory.

While both *Verify* and *Capture* can be performed in one readback, each require slightly different preparation and post processing.

## Preparing for Readback in Design Entry

If only a readback verification is to be performed, there are no additional steps at the time of design entry. However, if readback capture is to be used, the Virtex-II Pro library primitive `CAPTURE_VIRTEX2` must be instantiated in the user design as shown in [Figure 3-35](#).

The `CAPTURE_VIRTEX2` component is used in the FPGA design to control when the logic states of all the registers are captured into configuration memory. The `CLK` pin can be driven by any clock source that would synchronize Capture to the changing logic states of the registers. The `CAP` pin is an enable control. When `CAP` is asserted, the register states are captured in memory on the next `CLK` rising edge.

Capture can be performed in two ways: single-shot or continuous. In continuous capture, the `CAP` line is held High until the desired capture event occurs causing `CAP` to go Low. See [Figure 3-35](#). Continuous capture does not require a readback operation to reset the `CAPTURE` block. In single-shot capture, the `CAP` line is pulsed once, and subsequent pulses are ignored until a readback operation has been performed. Captured data is read using the same process as a normal readback.

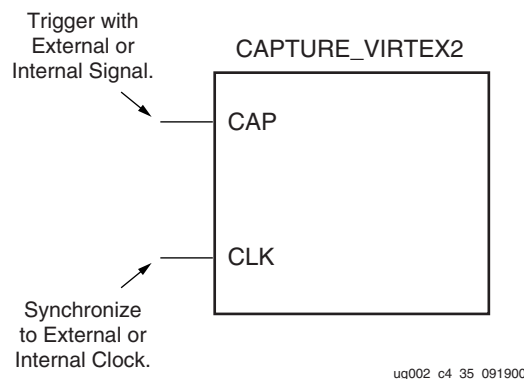


Figure 3-35: Readback `CAPTURE_VIRTEX2` Library Primitive

## Enabling Readback in the Software

Since readback is performed through the SelectMAP interface after configuration, the configuration ports must continue to be active by setting the persistence switch in BitGen. Additionally, a readback bit file, which contains the commands to execute a readback and a bitmap for data verification, can optionally be generated by setting the readback option in BitGen. An example of the BitGen command line is shown below.

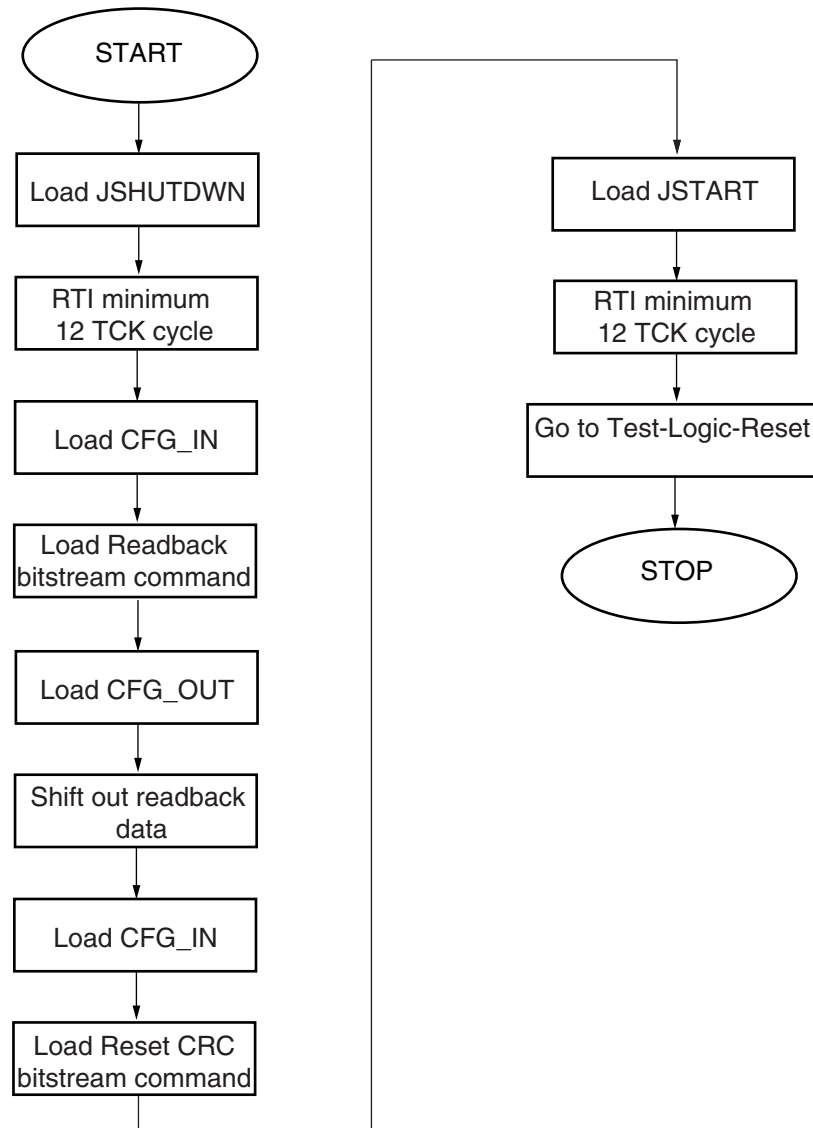
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bitgen -w -l -m -g readback -g persist:yes...
```

The **-w** option overwrites existing output. The **-l** option generates a *Logic Allocation* file. The **-m** option generates a *Mask* file. The **-g readback** option generates a *readback bit* file, and the **-g persist:yes** option keeps the SelectMAP interface active after configuration. For more information on BitGen options, see [Appendix A, “BitGen and PROMGen Switches and Options.”](#)

## Readback When Using Boundary Scan

### Regular Readback Flow

It is highly recommended to perform shutdown before reading back bitstream to ensure normal operation. The Shutdown Sequence can be executed by loading the JSHUTDOWN instruction and spending at least 12 TCK cycles in RTI TAP controller state. CRC\_ERROR status and configuration error (CFGERR) must be cleared after readback by issuing Reset CRC bitstream command or writing the correct CRC value to CRC register.

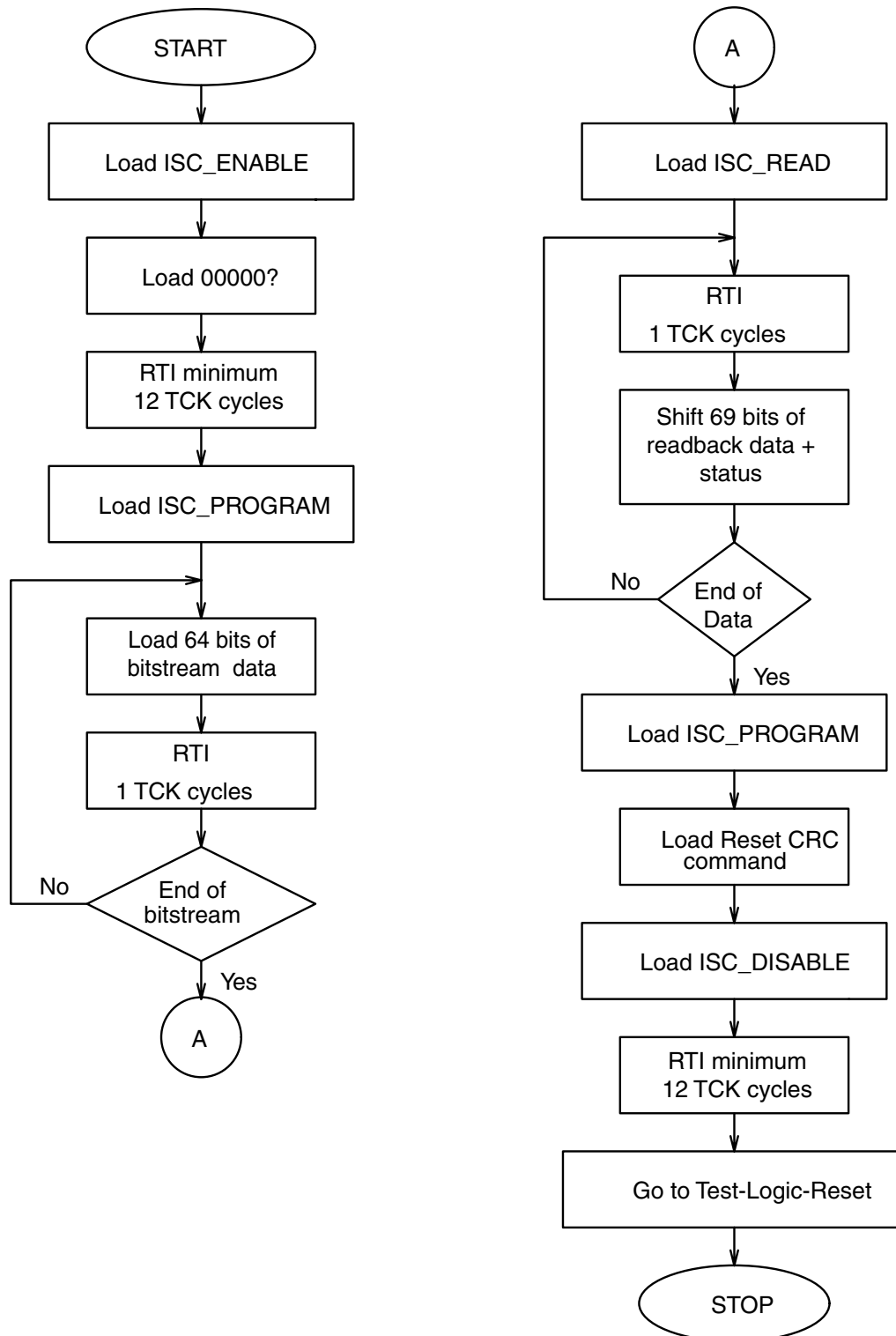


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Figure 3-36: Regular Readback Flow

## IEEE 1532 Readback Flow

In IEEE 1532 readback mode, full chip shutdown is performed when ISC\_ENABLE is executed. At the end of readback, CRC Error status must be cleared by issuing Reset CRC command or writing the correct CRC value to CRC register. ISC\_DISABLE cannot be executed correctly unless the CRC error status is cleared.



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Figure 3-37: IEEE 1532 Readback Flow

## Using ChipScope Pro

The ChipScope Pro on-chip verification tool is sold separately through an authorized Xilinx distributor or over the Xilinx web site. This program uses a combination of PC software and instantiated soft cores to capture states of internal signals. Communication is accomplished via the JTAG USER1 or USER2 scan chain using a Xilinx communication cable. The initial release of ChipScope Pro supports only Virtex-II and Virtex-II Pro devices and allows for internal debug of any internal user logic. ChipScope Pro also allows direct, on-chip debug of the CoreConnect bus in Virtex-II Pro devices.

ChipScope Pro supports a high speed USB interface between a host computer and the Virtex-II Pro device using the Xilinx MultiLINX cable on Windows 98/2000 platforms and the RS232 connection using the Xilinx JTAG cable on Windows 98/2000/NT platforms. Solaris 2.7 and 2.8 support is available for core generation and core insertion only. More details are available on the [www.xilinx.com/chipscope](http://www.xilinx.com/chipscope) web site.

## PCB Design Considerations

### Summary

This chapter covers the following topics:

- Pinout Information
- Pinout Diagrams
- Package Specifications
- Flip-Chip Packages
- Thermal Data
- Printed Circuit Board Considerations
- Board Routability Guidelines
- XPower
- IBIS Models
- BSDL and Boundary Scan Models

### Pinout Information

#### Introduction

This section describes the pinouts for Virtex-II Pro devices in the following packages:

- FG256 and FG456: wire-bond fine-pitch BGA of 1.00 mm pitch
- FF672, FF896, FF1152, FF1148, FF1517, FF1704, and FF1696: flip-chip fine-pitch BGA of 1.00 mm pitch

All of the devices supported in a particular package are pinout compatible and are listed in the same table (one table per package). Pins that are not available for the smaller devices are listed in the "No Connects" column.

Each device is split into eight I/O banks to allow for flexibility in the choice of I/O standards (see the [Virtex-II Pro Data Sheet](#)). Global pins, including JTAG, configuration, and power/ground pins, are listed at the end of each table. [Table 4-2](#) provides definitions for all pin types.

The FG256 pinout ([Table 4-3, page 413](#)) is included as an example. All Virtex-II Pro pinout tables are available on the distribution CD-ROM, or on the web (at <http://www.xilinx.com>).

[Table 4-1](#) shows the number of 3.3V SelectI/Os in each bank and the total for each device/package combination.

Table 4-1: 3.3V SelectIO™-Ultra Banks

Virtex-II Pro Device	Package	Bank0	Bank1	Bank2	Bank3	Bank4	Bank5	Bank6	Bank7	Total 3.3V I/O
2VP2	FG256		17	18	18					53
	FG456		21	18	18					57
	FF672		27	24	24					75
2VP4	FG256		17	17	17					51
	FG456		21	40	42					103
	FF672		27	60	60					147
2VP7	FG456		21	40	42					103
	FF672		39	60	60					159
	FF896		39	60	60					159
2VP20	FF896		55	84						139
	FF1152	57	57							114
2VP30	FF896		55	84						139
	FF1152	57	57							114
2VP40	FF1152	69	69							138
	FF1148	69	69							138
	FF1517	69	69							138
2VP50	FF1152	69	69							138
	FF1148	71	71							142
	FF1517	81	81							162
2VP70	FF1517	93	93							186
	FF1704	93	93							186
2VP100	FF1704		104							104
	FF1696		111							111
2VP125	FF1704		104							104
	FF1696		119							119



## Pin Definitions

Table 4-2 provides a description of each pin type listed in Virtex-II Pro pinout tables.

Table 4-2: Virtex-II Pro Pin Definitions

Pin Name	Direction	Description
<b>User I/O Pins</b>		
IO_LXXY_#	Input/Output	<p>All user I/O pins are capable of differential signalling and can implement LVDS, ULVDS, BLVDS, LVPECL, or LDT pairs. Each user I/O is labeled "IO_LXXY_#", where:</p> <p><b>IO</b> indicates a user I/O pin.</p> <p><b>LXXY</b> indicates a differential pair, with <b>XX</b> a unique pair in the bank and <b>Y = P/N</b> for the positive and negative sides of the differential pair.</p> <p><b>#</b> indicates the bank number (0 through 7)</p>
<b>Dual-Function Pins</b>		
IO_LXXY_#/ZZZ		<p>The dual-function pins are labelled "IO_LXXY_#/ZZZ", where <b>ZZZ</b> can be one of the following pins:</p> <p>Per Bank - <b>VRP</b>, <b>VRN</b>, or <b>VREF</b></p> <p>Globally - <b>GCLKX(S/P)</b>, <b>BUSY/DOUT</b>, <b>INIT_B</b>, <b>DIN/D0 – D7</b>, <b>RDWR_B</b>, or <b>CS_B</b></p>
<b>With /ZZZ:</b>		
DIN / D0, D1, D2, D3, D4, D5, D6, D7	Input/Output	<p>In SelectMAP mode, D0 through D7 are configuration data pins. These pins become user I/Os after configuration, unless the SelectMAP port is retained.</p> <p>In bit-serial modes, DIN (D0) is the single-data input. This pin becomes a user I/O after configuration.</p>
CS_B	Input	In SelectMAP mode, this is the active-low Chip Select signal. The pin becomes a user I/O after configuration, unless the SelectMAP port is retained.
RDWR_B	Input	In SelectMAP mode, this is the active-low Write Enable signal. The pin becomes a user I/O after configuration, unless the SelectMAP port is retained.
BUSY/DOUT	Output	<p>In SelectMAP mode, BUSY controls the rate at which configuration data is loaded. The pin becomes a user I/O after configuration, unless the SelectMAP port is retained.</p> <p>In bit-serial modes, DOUT provides preamble and configuration data to downstream devices in a daisy-chain. The pin becomes a user I/O after configuration.</p>
INIT_B	Bidirectional (open-drain)	When Low, this pin indicates that the configuration memory is being cleared. When held Low, the start of configuration is delayed. During configuration, a Low on this output indicates that a configuration data error has occurred. The pin becomes a user I/O after configuration.
GCLKx (S/P)	Input	These are clock input pins that connect to Global Clock Buffers. These pins become regular user I/Os when not needed for clocks.
VRP	Input	This pin is for the DCI voltage reference resistor of P transistor (per bank, to be pulled low with reference resistor).

Table 4-2: Virtex-II Pro Pin Definitions (Continued)

Pin Name	Direction	Description
VRN	Input	This pin is for the DCI voltage reference resistor of N transistor (per bank, to be pulled low with reference resistor).
ALT_VRP	Input	This is the alternative pin for the DCI voltage reference resistor of P transistor.
ALT_VRN	Input	This is the alternative pin for the DCI voltage reference resistor of N transistor.
V <sub>REF</sub>	Input	These are input threshold voltage pins. They become user I/Os when an external threshold voltage is not needed (per bank).
<b>Dedicated Pins</b> <sup>(1)</sup>		
CCLK	Input/Output	Configuration clock. Output in Master mode or Input in Slave mode.
PROG_B	Input	Active Low asynchronous reset to configuration logic. This pin has a permanent weak pull-up resistor.
DONE	Input/Output	DONE is a bidirectional signal with an optional internal pull-up resistor. As an output, this pin indicates completion of the configuration process. As an input, a Low level on DONE can be configured to delay the start-up sequence.
M2, M1, M0	Input	Configuration mode selection.
HSWAP_EN	Input	Enable I/O pullups during configuration.
TCK	Input	Boundary Scan Clock.
TDI	Input	Boundary Scan Data Input.
TDO	Output (open-drain)	Boundary Scan Data Output.
TMS	Input	Boundary Scan Mode Select.
PWRDWN_B	Input	Power down pin.
<b>Other Pins</b>		
DXN, DXP	N/A	Temperature-sensing diode pins (Anode: DXP, Cathode: DXN).
V <sub>BATT</sub>	Input	Decryptor key memory backup supply. (Do not connect if battery is not used.)
RSVD	N/A	Reserved pin - do not connect.
V <sub>CCO</sub>	Input	Power-supply pins for the output drivers (per bank).
V <sub>CCAUX</sub>	Input	Power-supply pins for auxiliary circuits.
V <sub>CCINT</sub>	Input	Power-supply pins for the internal core logic.
GND	Input	Ground.
AVCCAUXRX#	Input	Analog power supply for receive circuitry of the multi gigabit transceiver (2.5V).
AVCCAUTX#	Input	Analog power supply for transmit circuitry of the multi gigabit transceiver (2.5V).

Table 4-2: Virtex-II Pro Pin Definitions (Continued)

Pin Name	Direction	Description
VTRXPAD#	Input	Receive termination supply for the multi gigabit transceiver (1.8V to 2.8V).
VTTXPAD#	Input	Transmit termination supply for the multi gigabit transceiver (1.8V to 2.8V).
GND#	Input	Ground for the analog circuitry of the multi gigabit transceiver.
RXPPAD#	Output	Positive differential receive port of the multi gigabit transceiver.
RXNPAD#	Output	Negative differential receive port of the multi gigabit transceiver.
TXPPAD#	Input	Positive differential transmit port of the multi gigabit transceiver.
TXNPAD#	Input	Negative differential transmit port of the multi gigabit transceiver.

**Notes:**

1. All dedicated pins (JTAG and configuration) are powered by  $V_{CCAUX}$  (independent of the bank  $V_{CCO}$  voltage).

## FG256 Fine-Pitch BGA Package

As shown in Table 4-3, XC2VP2 and XC2VP4 Virtex-II Pro devices are available in the FG256 fine-pitch BGA package. The pins in each of these devices are identical.

The FG256 pinout information (Table 4-3) is included as an example. All Virtex-II Pro pinout tables are available on the distribution CD-ROM, or on the web (at [www.xilinx.com](http://www.xilinx.com)).

Table 4-3: FG256 — XC2VP2 and XC2VP4

Bank	Pin Description	Pin Number
0	IO_L01N_0/VRP_0	C2
0	IO_L01P_0/VRN_0	C3
0	IO_L02N_0	B3
0	IO_L02P_0	C4
0	IO_L03N_0	A2
0	IO_L03P_0/VREF_0	A3
0	IO_L06N_0	D5
0	IO_L06P_0	C5
0	IO_L07P_0	D6
0	IO_L09N_0	E6
0	IO_L09P_0/VREF_0	E7
0	IO_L69N_0	D7
0	IO_L69P_0/VREF_0	C7
0	IO_L74N_0/GCLK7P	D8
0	IO_L74P_0/GCLK6S	C8
0	IO_L75N_0/GCLK5P	B8
0	IO_L75P_0/GCLK4S	A8

Table 4-3: FG256 — XC2VP2 and XC2VP4 (Continued)

Bank	Pin Description	Pin Number
1	IO_L75N_1/GCLK3P	A9
1	IO_L75P_1/GCLK2S	B9
1	IO_L74N_1/GCLK1P	C9
1	IO_L74P_1/GCLK0S	D9
1	IO_L69N_1/VREF_1	C10
1	IO_L69P_1	D10
1	IO_L09N_1/VREF_1	E10
1	IO_L09P_1	E11
1	IO_L07N_1	D11
1	IO_L06N_1	C12
1	IO_L06P_1	D12
1	IO_L03N_1/VREF_1	A14
1	IO_L03P_1	A15
1	IO_L02N_1	C13
1	IO_L02P_1	B14
1	IO_L01N_1/VRP_1	C14
1	IO_L01P_1/VRN_1	C15
2	IO_L01N_2/VRP_2	E14
2	IO_L01P_2/VRN_2	E15
2	IO_L02N_2	E13
2	IO_L02P_2	F12
2	IO_L03N_2	F13
2	IO_L03P_2	F14
2	IO_L04N_2/VREF_2	F15
2	IO_L04P_2	F16
2	IO_L06N_2	G13
2	IO_L06P_2	G14
2	IO_L85N_2	G15
2	IO_L85P_2	G16
2	IO_L86N_2	G12
2	IO_L86P_2	H13
2	IO_L88N_2/VREF_2	H14
2	IO_L88P_2	H15
2	IO_L90N_2	H16
2	IO_L90P_2	J16

Table 4-3: FG256 — XC2VP2 and XC2VP4 (Continued)

Bank	Pin Description	Pin Number
3	IO_L90N_3	J15
3	IO_L90P_3	J14
3	IO_L89N_3	J13
3	IO_L89P_3	K12
3	IO_L87N_3/VREF_3	K16
3	IO_L87P_3	K15
3	IO_L85N_3	K14
3	IO_L85P_3	K13
3	IO_L06N_3	L16
3	IO_L06P_3	L15
3	IO_L05N_3	L14
3	IO_L05P_3	L13
3	IO_L03N_3/VREF_3	L12
3	IO_L03P_3	M13
3	IO_L02N_3	M16
3	IO_L02P_3	N16
3	IO_L01N_3/VRP_3	M15
3	IO_L01P_3/VRN_3	M14
4	IO_L01N_4/DOUT	P15
4	IO_L01P_4/INIT_B	P14
4	IO_L02N_4/D0	R14
4	IO_L02P_4/D1	P13
4	IO_L03N_4/D2	T15
4	IO_L03P_4/D3	T14
4	IO_L06N_4/VRP_4	N12
4	IO_L06P_4/VRN_4	P12
4	IO_L07P_4/VREF_4	N11
4	IO_L09N_4	M11
4	IO_L09P_4/VREF_4	M10
4	IO_L69N_4	N10
4	IO_L69P_4/VREF_4	P10
4	IO_L74N_4/GCLK3S	N9
4	IO_L74P_4/GCLK2P	P9
4	IO_L75N_4/GCLK1S	R9

Table 4-3: FG256 — XC2VP2 and XC2VP4 (Continued)

Bank	Pin Description	Pin Number
4	IO_L75P_4/GCLK0P	T9
5	IO_L75N_5/GCLK7S	T8
5	IO_L75P_5/GCLK6P	R8
5	IO_L74N_5/GCLK5S	P8
5	IO_L74P_5/GCLK4P	N8
5	IO_L69N_5/VREF_5	P7
5	IO_L69P_5	N7
5	IO_L09N_5/VREF_5	M7
5	IO_L09P_5	M6
5	IO_L07N_5/VREF_5	N6
5	IO_L06N_5/VRP_5	P5
5	IO_L06P_5/VRN_5	N5
5	IO_L03N_5/D4	T3
5	IO_L03P_5/D5	T2
5	IO_L02N_5/D6	P4
5	IO_L02P_5/D7	R3
5	IO_L01N_5/RDWR_B	P3
5	IO_L01P_5/CS_B	P2
6	IO_L01P_6/VRN_6	M3
6	IO_L01N_6/VRP_6	M2
6	IO_L02P_6	N1
6	IO_L02N_6	M1
6	IO_L03P_6	M4
6	IO_L03N_6/VREF_6	L5
6	IO_L05P_6	L4
6	IO_L05N_6	L3
6	IO_L06P_6	L2
6	IO_L06N_6	L1
6	IO_L85P_6	K4
6	IO_L85N_6	K3
6	IO_L87P_6	K2
6	IO_L87N_6/VREF_6	K1
6	IO_L89P_6	K5
6	IO_L89N_6	J4

Table 4-3: FG256 — XC2VP2 and XC2VP4 (Continued)

Bank	Pin Description	Pin Number
6	IO_L90P_6	J3
6	IO_L90N_6	J2
7	IO_L90P_7	J1
7	IO_L90N_7	H1
7	IO_L88P_7	H2
7	IO_L88N_7/VREF_7	H3
7	IO_L86P_7	H4
7	IO_L86N_7	G5
7	IO_L85P_7	G1
7	IO_L85N_7	G2
7	IO_L06P_7	G3
7	IO_L06N_7	G4
7	IO_L04P_7	F1
7	IO_L04N_7/VREF_7	F2
7	IO_L03P_7	F3
7	IO_L03N_7	F4
7	IO_L02P_7	F5
7	IO_L02N_7	E4
7	IO_L01P_7/VRN_7	E2
7	IO_L01N_7/VRP_7	E3
0	VCCO_0	F8
0	VCCO_0	F7
0	VCCO_0	E8
1	VCCO_1	F9
1	VCCO_1	F10
1	VCCO_1	E9
2	VCCO_2	H12
2	VCCO_2	H11
2	VCCO_2	G11
3	VCCO_3	K11
3	VCCO_3	J12
3	VCCO_3	J11
4	VCCO_4	M9
4	VCCO_4	L9

Table 4-3: FG256 — XC2VP2 and XC2VP4 (Continued)

Bank	Pin Description	Pin Number
4	VCCO_4	L10
5	VCCO_5	M8
5	VCCO_5	L8
5	VCCO_5	L7
6	VCCO_6	K6
6	VCCO_6	J6
6	VCCO_6	J5
7	VCCO_7	H6
7	VCCO_7	H5
7	VCCO_7	G6
N/A	CCLK	N15
N/A	PROG_B	D1
N/A	DONE	P16
N/A	M0	N3
N/A	M1	N2
N/A	M2	P1
N/A	TCK	D16
N/A	TDI	E1
N/A	TDO	E16
N/A	TMS	C16
N/A	PWRDWN_B	N14
N/A	HSWAP_EN	C1
N/A	RSVD	D14
N/A	VBATT	D15
N/A	DXP	D2
N/A	DXN	D3
N/A	AVCCAUTX6	B5
N/A	VTTXPAD6	B4
N/A	TXNPAD6	A4
N/A	TXPPAD6	A5
N/A	GNDA6	C6
N/A	GNDA6	C6
N/A	RXPPAD6	A6
N/A	RXNPAD6	A7
N/A	VTRXPAD6	B6



Table 4-3: FG256 — XC2VP2 and XC2VP4 (Continued)

Bank	Pin Description	Pin Number
N/A	AVCCAUXRX6	B7
N/A	AVCCAUTX7	B11
N/A	VTTXPAD7	B10
N/A	TXNPAD7	A10
N/A	TXPPAD7	A11
N/A	GNDA7	C11
N/A	GNDA7	C11
N/A	RXPPAD7	A12
N/A	RXNPAD7	A13
N/A	VTRXPAD7	B12
N/A	AVCCAUXRX7	B13
N/A	AVCCAUXRX18	R13
N/A	VTRXPAD18	R12
N/A	RXNPAD18	T13
N/A	RXPPAD18	T12
N/A	GNDA18	P11
N/A	GNDA18	P11
N/A	TXPPAD18	T11
N/A	TXNPAD18	T10
N/A	VTTXPAD18	R10
N/A	AVCCAUTX18	R11
N/A	AVCCAUXRX19	R7
N/A	VTRXPAD19	R6
N/A	RXNPAD19	T7
N/A	RXPPAD19	T6
N/A	GNDA19	P6
N/A	GNDA19	P6
N/A	TXPPAD19	T5
N/A	TXNPAD19	T4
N/A	VTTXPAD19	R4
N/A	AVCCAUTX19	R5
N/A	VCCINT	N4
N/A	VCCINT	N13
N/A	VCCINT	M5
N/A	VCCINT	M12

Table 4-3: FG256 — XC2VP2 and XC2VP4 (Continued)

Bank	Pin Description	Pin Number
N/A	VCCINT	E5
N/A	VCCINT	E12
N/A	VCCINT	D4
N/A	VCCINT	D13
N/A	VCCAUX	R16
N/A	VCCAUX	R1
N/A	VCCAUX	B16
N/A	VCCAUX	B1
N/A	GND	T16
N/A	GND	T1
N/A	GND	R2
N/A	GND	R15
N/A	GND	L6
N/A	GND	L11
N/A	GND	K9
N/A	GND	K8
N/A	GND	K7
N/A	GND	K10
N/A	GND	J9
N/A	GND	J8
N/A	GND	J7
N/A	GND	J10
N/A	GND	H9
N/A	GND	H8
N/A	GND	H7
N/A	GND	H10
N/A	GND	G9
N/A	GND	G8
N/A	GND	G7
N/A	GND	G10
N/A	GND	F6
N/A	GND	F11
N/A	GND	B2
N/A	GND	B15
N/A	GND	A16
N/A	GND	A1

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# FG256 Fine-Pitch BGA Pinout Diagrams

## FG256 Composite Pinout Diagram (XC2VP2, XC2VP4)

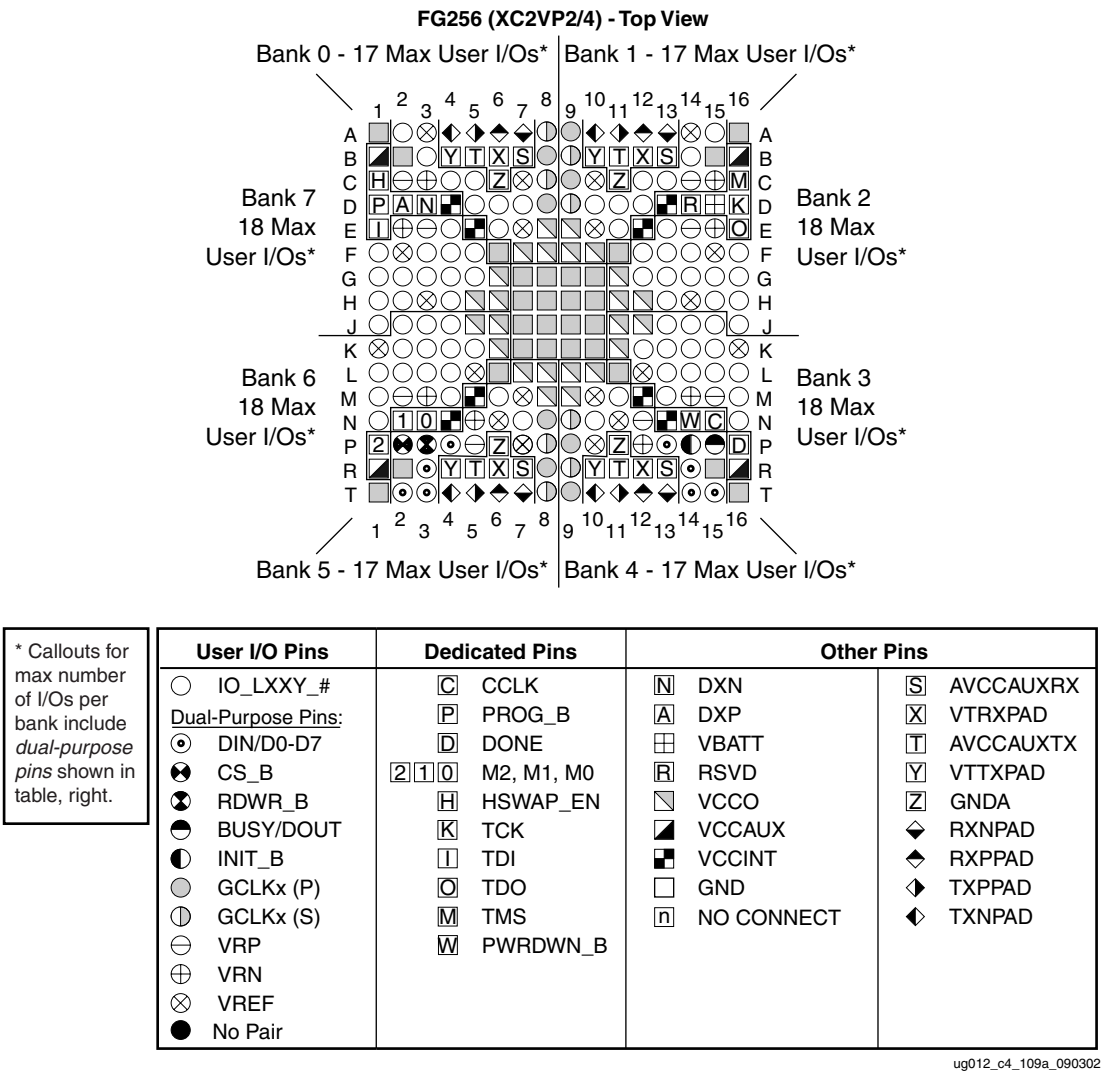
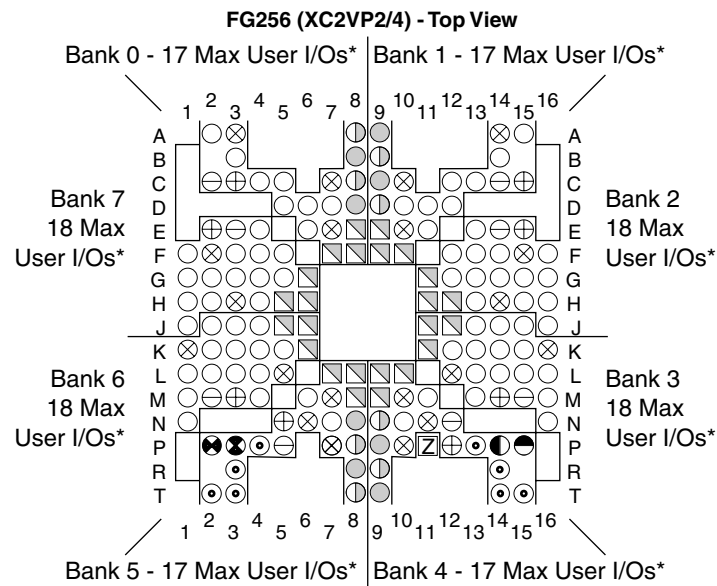


Figure 4-1: FG256 Composite Pinout Diagram (XC2VP2, XC2VP4)

## FG256 Banked Pins (XC2VP2, XC2VP4)



\* Callouts for max number of I/Os per bank include *dual-purpose pins* shown in table, right.

User I/O Pins	Dedicated Pins	Other Pins	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ IO_LXXY_#</li> <li><u>Dual-Purpose Pins:</u></li> <li>⊙ DIN/D0-D7</li> <li>⊗ CS_B</li> <li>⊖ RDWR_B</li> <li>⊕ BUSY/DOUT</li> <li>⊖ INIT_B</li> <li>⊕ GCLKx (P)</li> <li>⊖ GCLKx (S)</li> <li>⊖ VRP</li> <li>⊕ VRN</li> <li>⊗ VREF</li> <li>● No Pair</li> </ul>		<div style="display: flex; align-items: center;"> <div style="width: 10px; height: 10px; background-color: black; margin-right: 5px;"></div> VCCO </div> <div style="display: flex; align-items: center; margin-top: 10px;"> <div style="width: 10px; height: 10px; border: 1px solid black; margin-right: 5px;"></div> NO CONNECT </div>	

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Figure 4-2: FG256 Banked Pins (XC2VP2, XC2VP4)



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FG456 Fine-Pitch BGA Pinout Diagrams

FG456 Composite Pinout Diagram (XC2VP7)

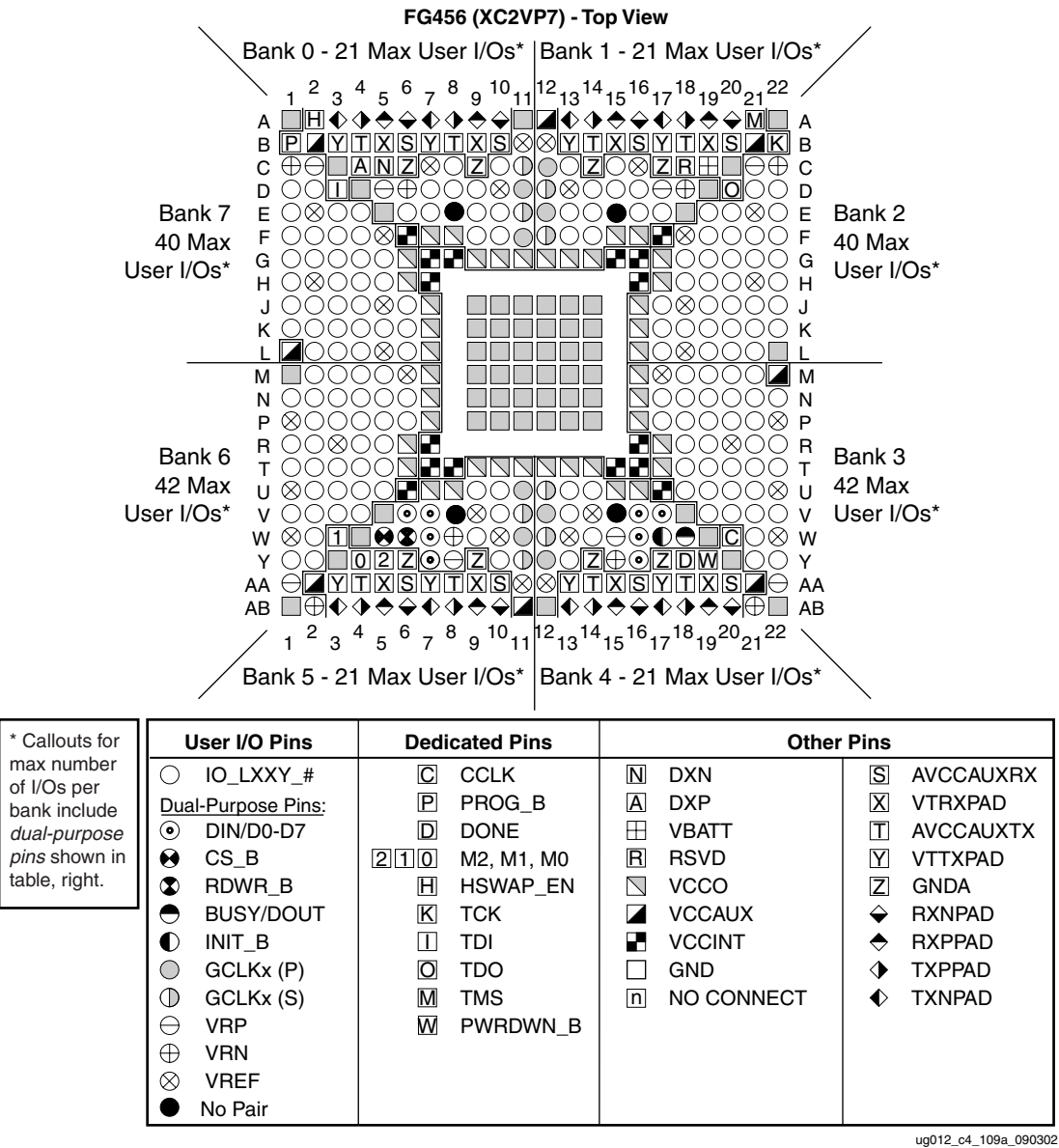
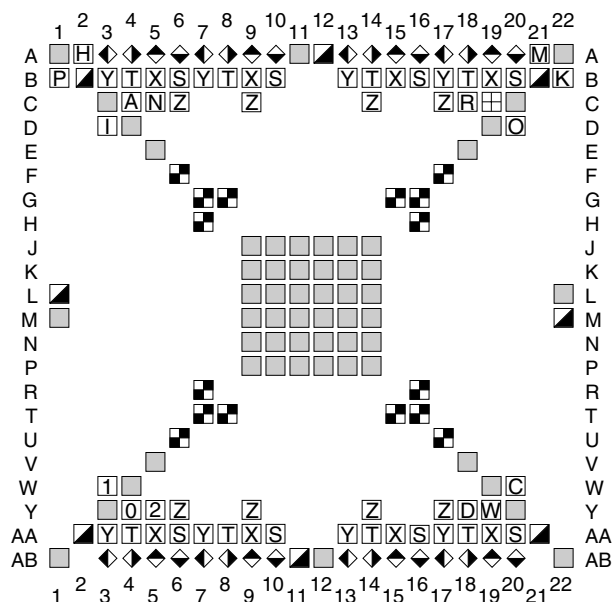


Figure 4-4: FG456 Composite Pinout Diagram (XC2VP7)

# FG456 Dedicated/Other Pins (XC2VP7)

FG456 (XC2VP7) - Top View



Dedicated Pins		Other Pins	
CCLK		DXN	AVCCAUXRX
PROG_B		DXP	VTRXPAD
DONE		VBATT	AVCCAUTX
M2, M1, M0		RSVD	VTTXPAD
HSWAP_EN		VCCAUX	GNDA
TCK		VCCINT	RXNPAD
TDI		GND	RXPPAD
TDO		NO CONNECT	TXPPAD
TMS			TXNPAD
PWRDWN_B			

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Figure 4-5: FG456 Dedicated/Other Pins (XC2VP7)

FG456 Composite Pinout Diagram (XC2VP4)

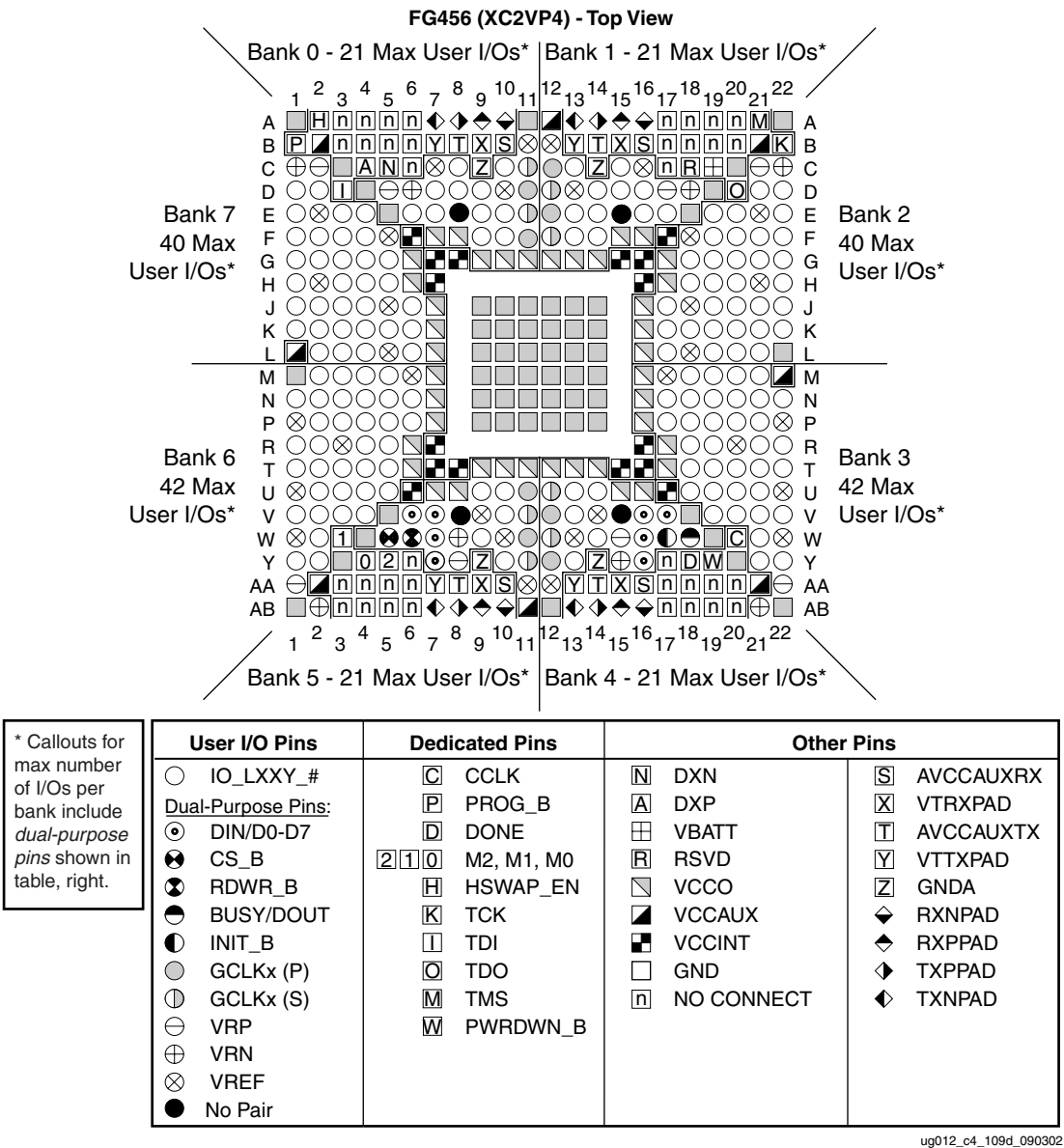


Figure 4-6: FG456 Composite Pinout Diagram (XC2VP4)

## FG456 Banked Pins (XC2VP4, XC2VP7)

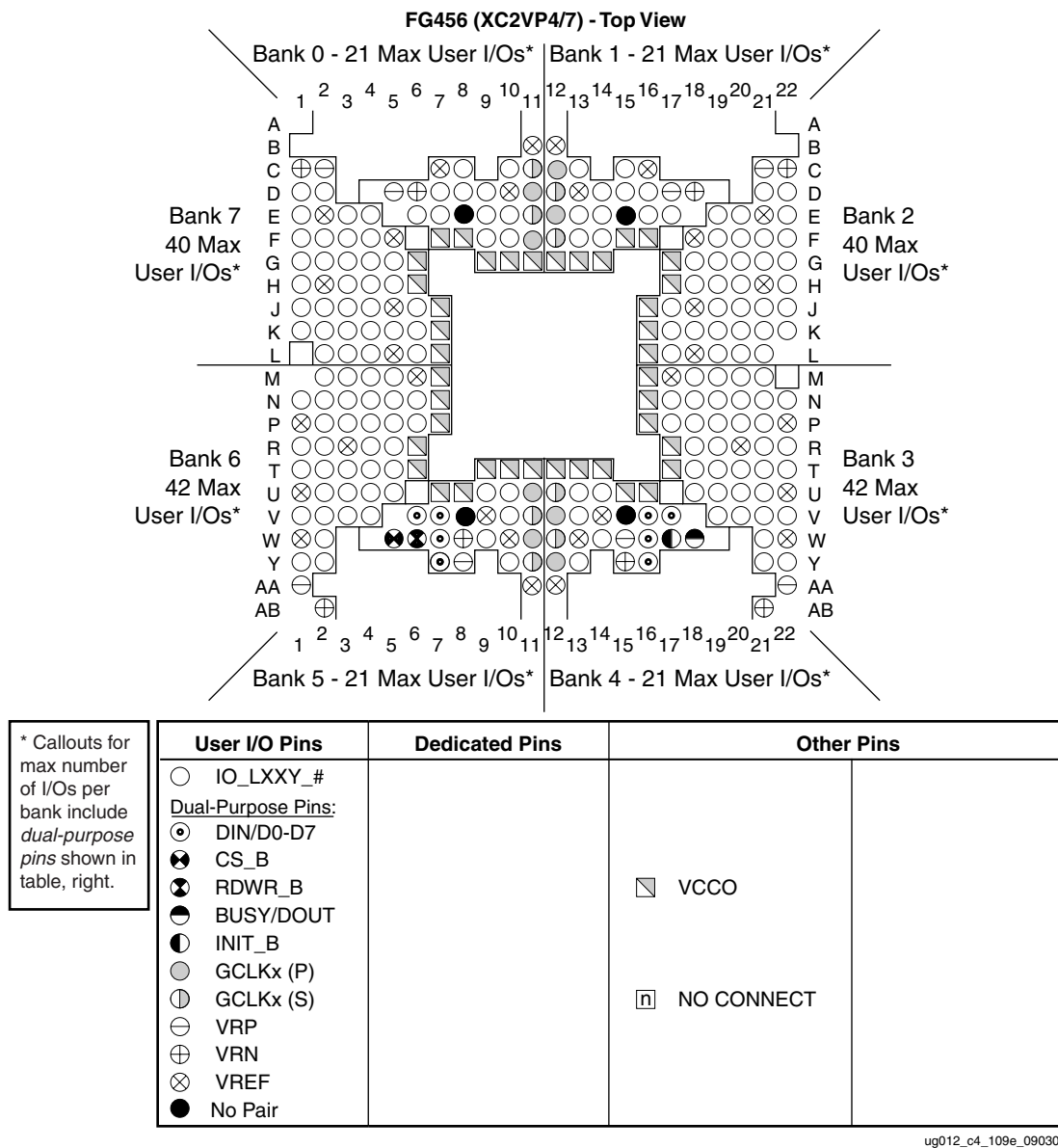


Figure 4-7: FG456 Banked Pins (XC2VP4, XC2VP7)

# FG456 Composite Pinout Diagram (XC2VP2)

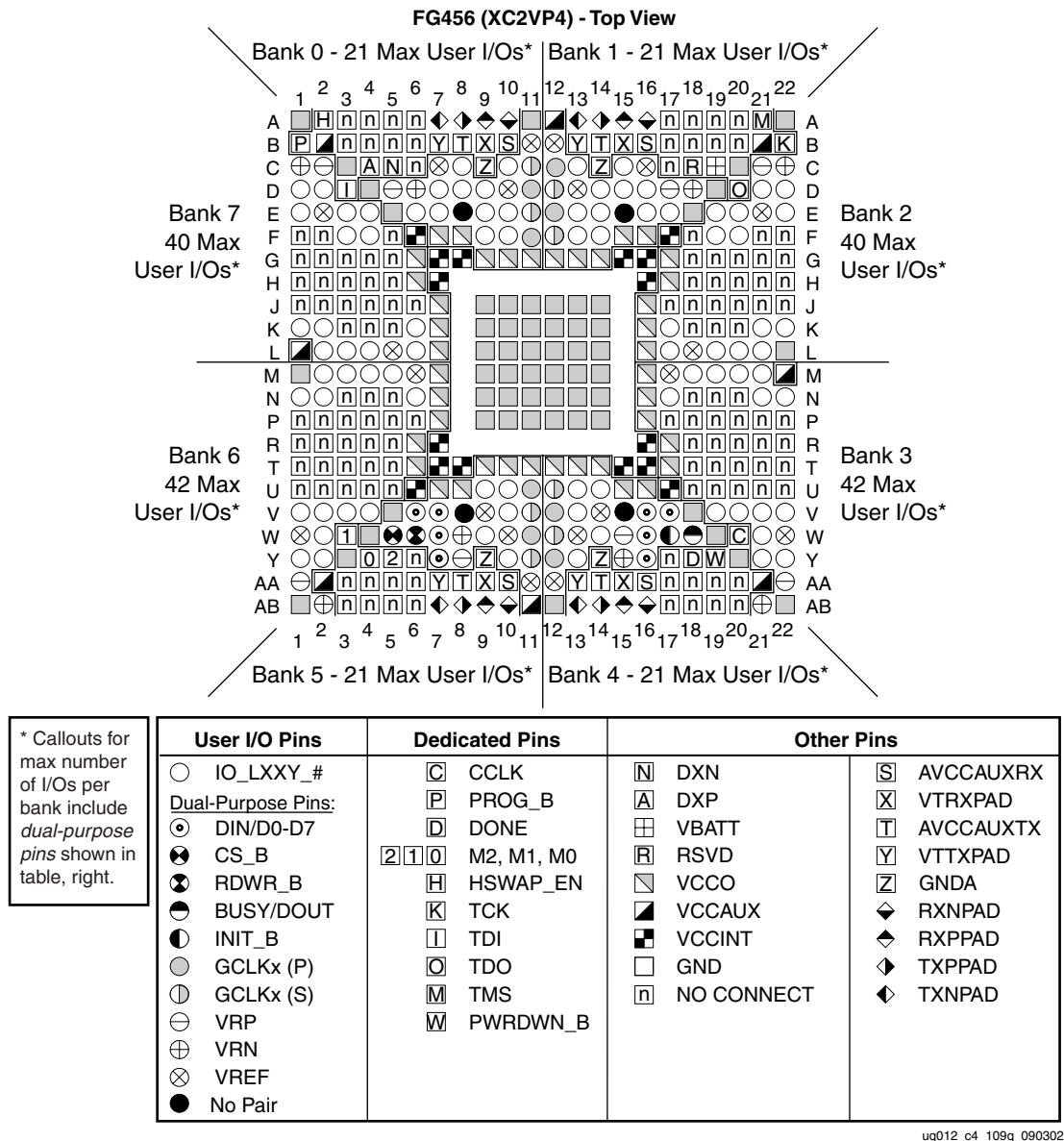


Figure 4-8: FG456 Composite Pinout Diagram (XC2VP2)

# FG456 Banked Pins (XC2VP2)

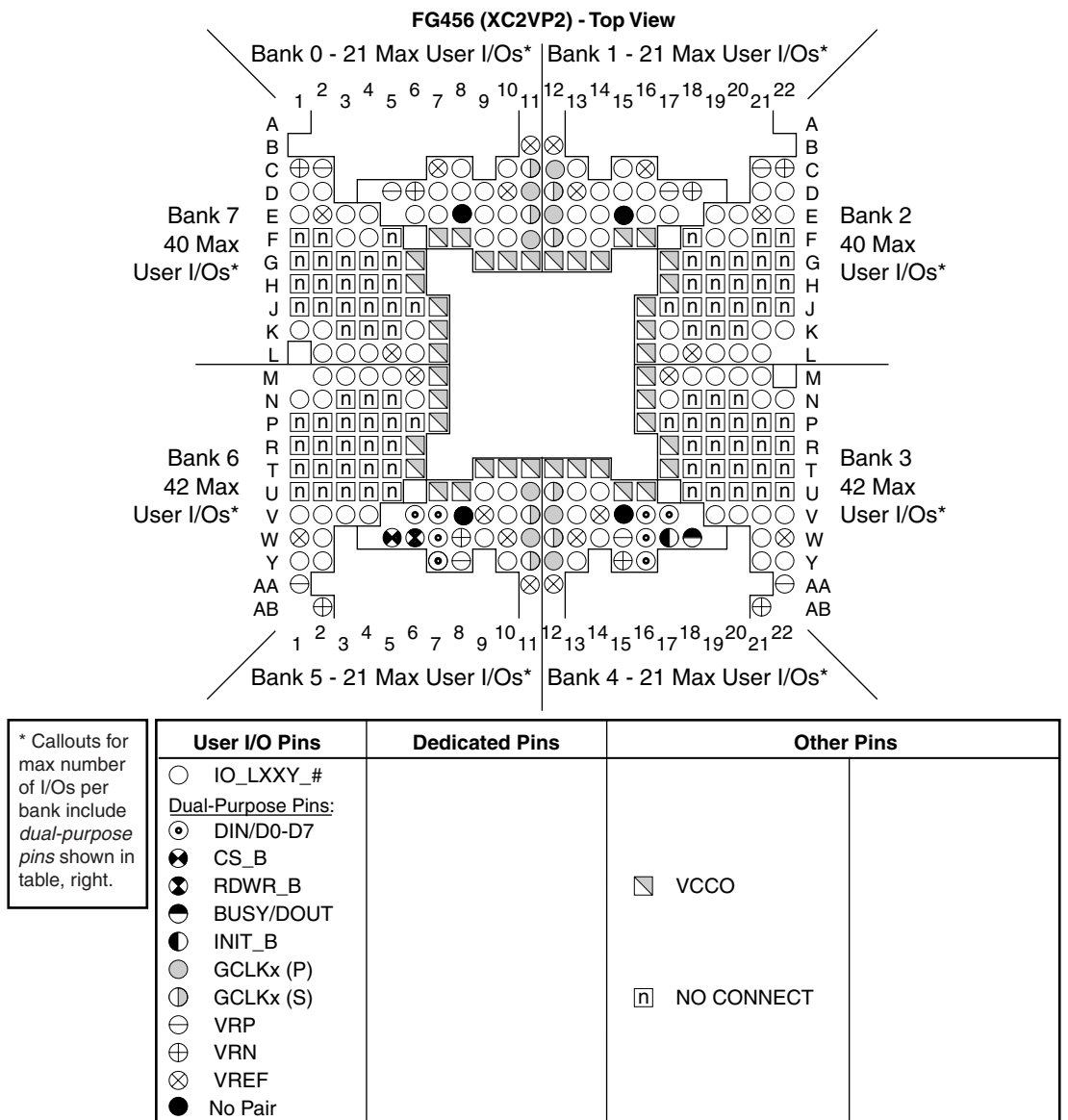
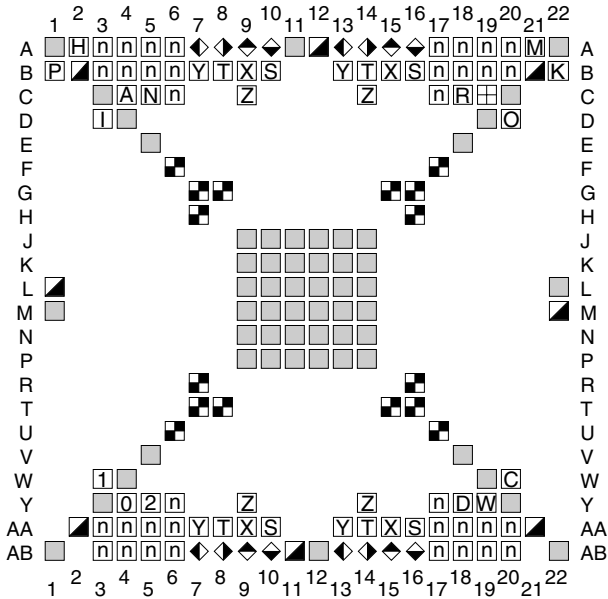


Figure 4-9: FG456 Banked Pins (XC2VP2)

# FG456 Dedicated/Other Pins (XC2VP2, XC2VP4)

FG456 (XC2VP2/4) - Top View



Dedicated Pins		Other Pins	
CCLK		DXN	AVCCAUXRX
PROG_B		DXP	VTRXPAD
DONE		VBATT	AVCCAUXTX
M2, M1, M0		RSVD	VTTXPAD
HSWAP_EN			GNDA
TCK		VCCAUX	RXNPAD
TDI		VCCINT	RXPPAD
TDO		GND	TXPPAD
TMS		NO CONNECT	TXNPAD
PWRDWN_B			

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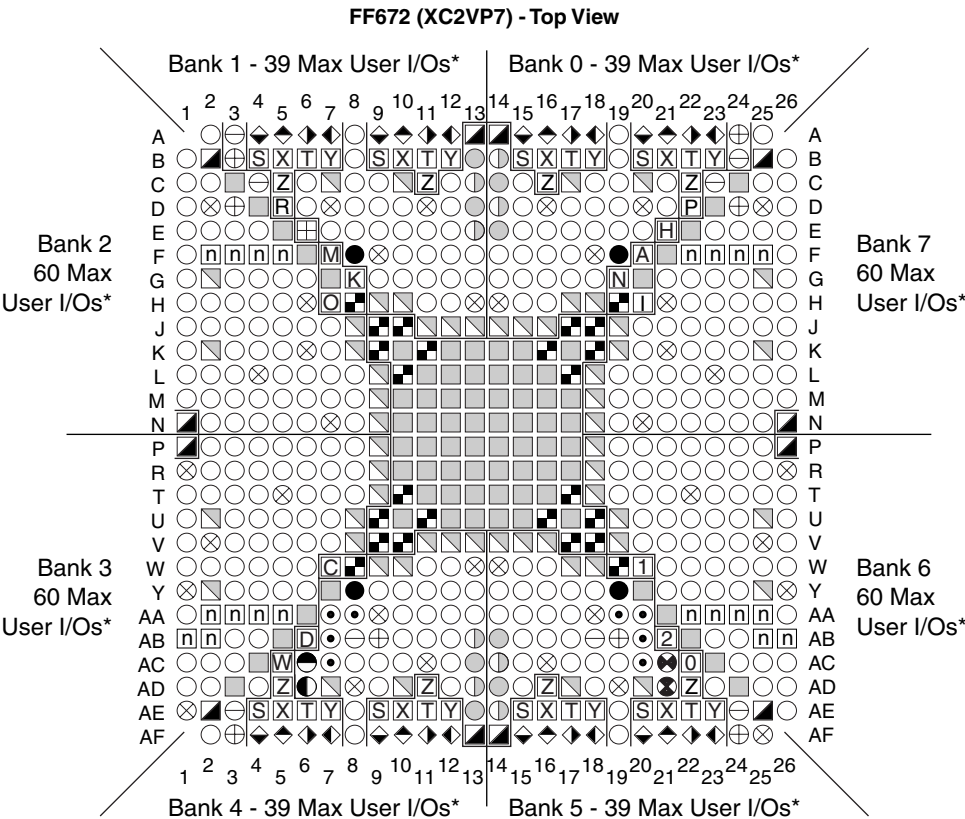
Figure 4-10: FG456 Dedicated/Other Pins (XC2VP2, XC2VP4)

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# FF672 Flip-Chip Fine-Pitch BGA Pinout Diagrams

## FF672 Composite Pinout Diagram (XC2VP7)

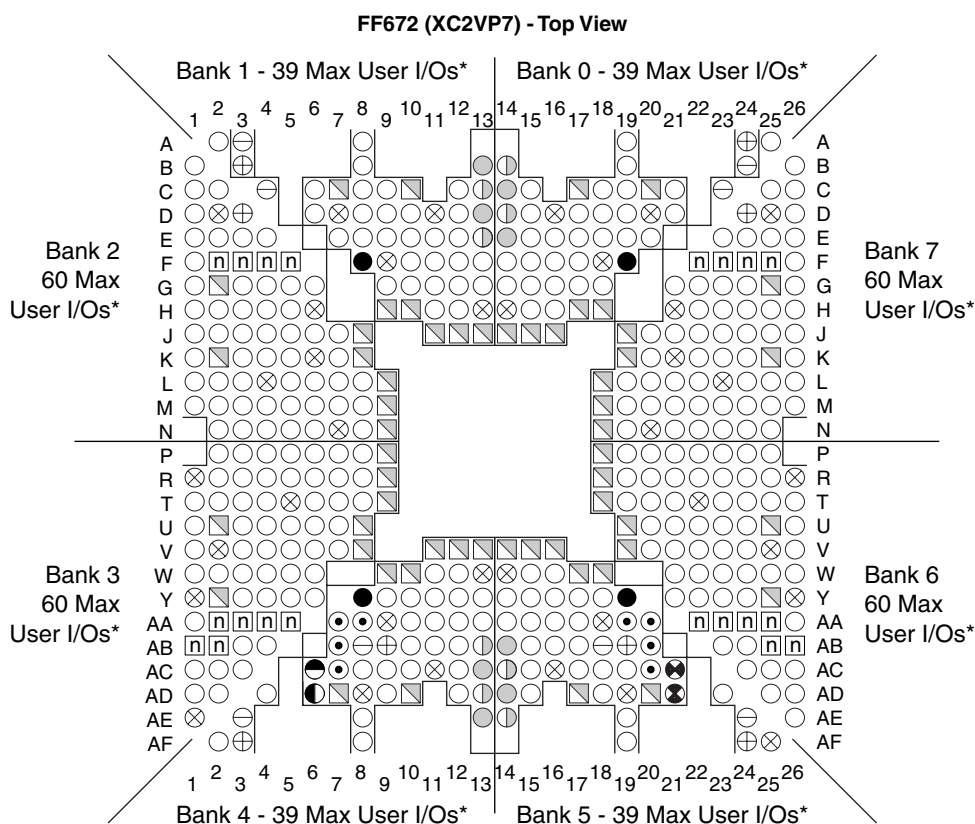


User I/O Pins	Dedicated Pins	Other Pins	
○ IO_LXXY_#	□ CCLK	□ DXN	□ AVCCAUXRX
○ Dual-Purpose Pins:	□ PROG_B	□ DXP	□ VTRXPAD
○ DIN/D0-D7	□ DONE	□ VBATT	□ AVCCAUXTX
⊗ CS_B	2 1 0 M2, M1, M0	□ RSVD	□ VTTXPAD
⊗ RDWR_B	□ HSWAP_EN	□ VCCO	□ GNDA
⊗ BUSY/DOUT	□ TCK	□ VCCAUX	⬠ RXNPAD
⊗ INIT_B	□ TDI	□ VCCINT	⬠ RXPPAD
⊗ GCLKx (P)	□ TDO	□ GND	⬠ TXPPAD
⊗ GCLKx (S)	□ TMS	□ NO CONNECT	⬠ TXNPAD
⊗ VRP	□ PWRDWN_B		
⊗ VRN			
⊗ VREF			
● No Pair			

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Figure 4-11: FF672 Flip-Chip Fine-Pitch BGA Composite Pinout Diagram

## FF672 Banked Pins (XC2VP7)



\* Callouts for max number of I/Os per bank include *dual-purpose pins* shown in table, right.

User I/O Pins	Dedicated Pins	Other Pins	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ IO_LXXY_#</li> <li><b>Dual-Purpose Pins:</b></li> <li>⊙ DIN/D0-D7</li> <li>⊗ CS_B</li> <li>⊗ RDWR_B</li> <li>⊙ BUSY/DOUT</li> <li>● INIT_B</li> <li>● GCLKx (P)</li> <li>⊙ GCLKx (S)</li> <li>⊕ VRP</li> <li>⊕ VRN</li> <li>⊗ VREF</li> <li>● No Pair</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▣ VCCO</li> <li>▣ NO CONNECT</li> </ul>	

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Figure 4-12: FF672 Banked Pins (XC2VP7)

FF672 Dedicated/Other Pins (XC2VP7)

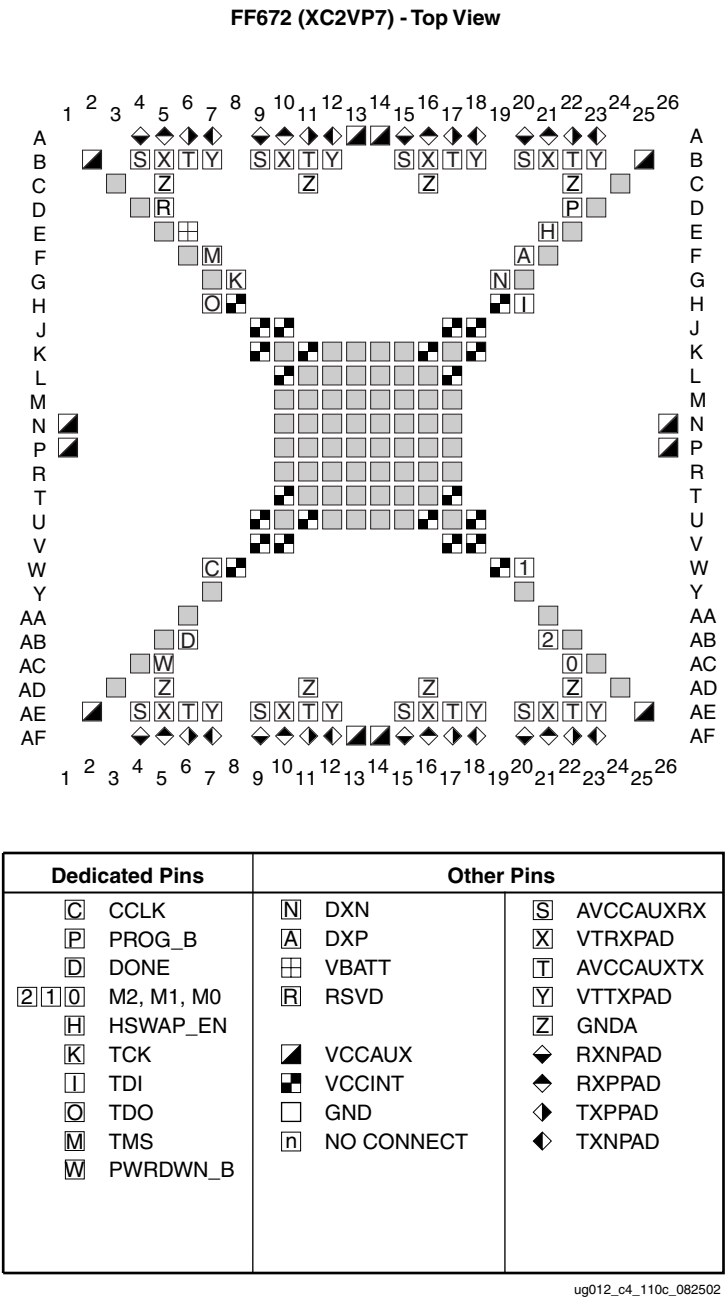
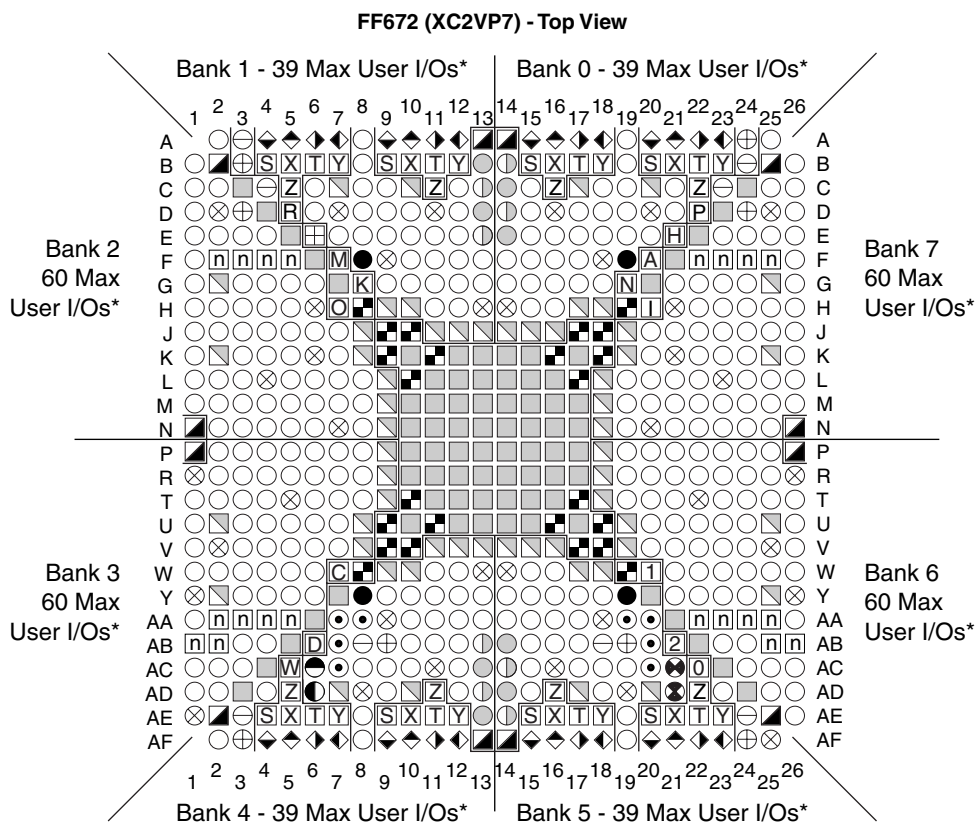


Figure 4-13: FF672 Dedicated Pins Diagram

## FF672 Composite Pinout Diagram (XC2VP4)

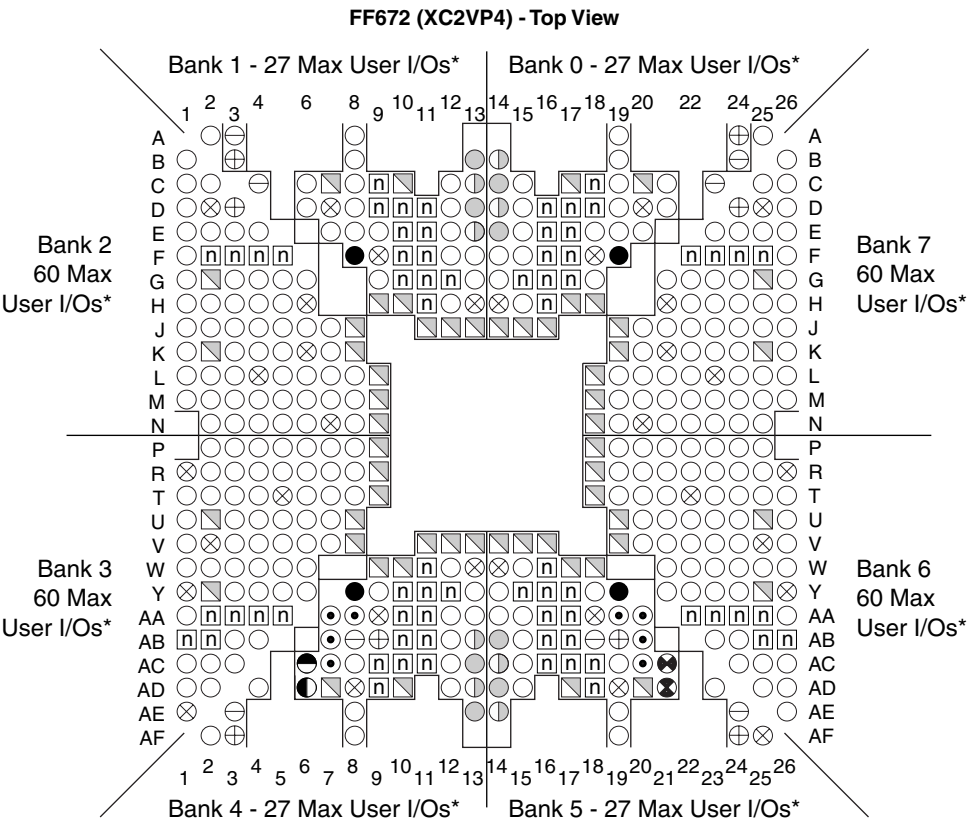


* Callouts for max number of I/Os per bank include dual-purpose pins shown in table, right.	User I/O Pins	Dedicated Pins	Other Pins	
	○ IO_LXXY_# Dual-Purpose Pins: ⊕ DIN/D0-D7 ⊗ CS_B ⊗ RDWR_B ⊗ BUSY/DOUT ⊗ INIT_B ⊗ GCLKx (P) ⊗ GCLKx (S) ⊕ VRP ⊕ VRN ⊗ VREF ● No Pair	⊗ CCLK ⊗ PROG_B ⊗ DONE ⊗ M2, M1, M0 ⊗ HSWAP_EN ⊗ TCK ⊗ TDI ⊗ TDO ⊗ TMS ⊗ PWRDWN_B	⊗ DXN ⊗ DXP ⊗ VBATT ⊗ RSVD ⊗ VCCO ⊗ VCCAUX ⊗ VCCINT ⊗ GND ⊗ NO CONNECT	⊗ AVCCAUXRX ⊗ VTRXPAD ⊗ AVCCAUXTX ⊗ VTTXPAD ⊗ GNDA ⊗ RXNPAD ⊗ RXPPAD ⊗ TXPPAD ⊗ TXNPAD

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Figure 4-14: FF672 Composite Pinout Diagram (XC2VP4)

FF672 Banked Pins (XC2VP4)

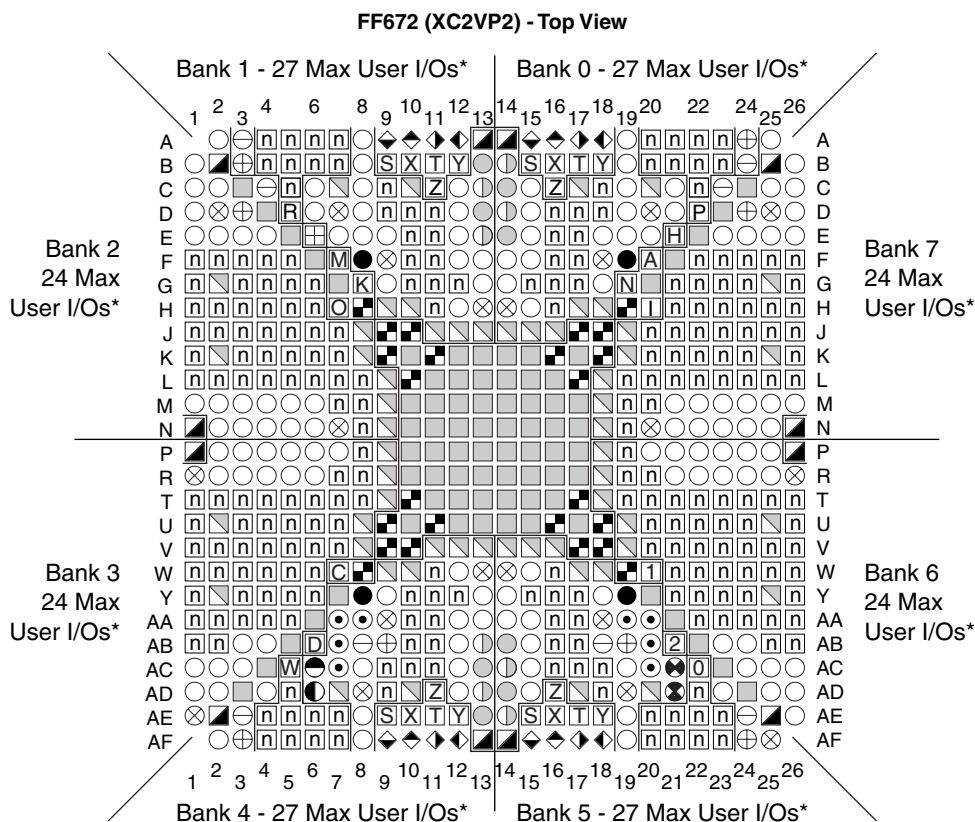


* Callouts for max number of I/Os per bank include <i>dual-purpose pins</i> shown in table, right.	User I/O Pins	Dedicated Pins	Other Pins	
	<div><div>○</div>IO_LXXY_#</div> <div>Dual-Purpose Pins:</div> <div><div>⦿</div>DIN/D0-D7</div> <div><div>⊗</div>CS_B</div> <div><div>⊗</div>RDWR_B</div> <div><div>●</div>BUSY/DOUT</div> <div><div>◐</div>INIT_B</div> <div><div>●</div>GCLKx (P)</div> <div><div>◐</div>GCLKx (S)</div> <div><div>⊖</div>VRP</div> <div><div>⊕</div>VRN</div> <div><div>⊗</div>VREF</div> <div><div>●</div>No Pair</div>		<div><div>◻</div>VCCO</div> <div><div>◻</div>NO CONNECT</div>	

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Figure 4-15: FF672 Banked Pins (XC2VP4)

## FF672 Composite Pinout Diagram (XC2VP2)

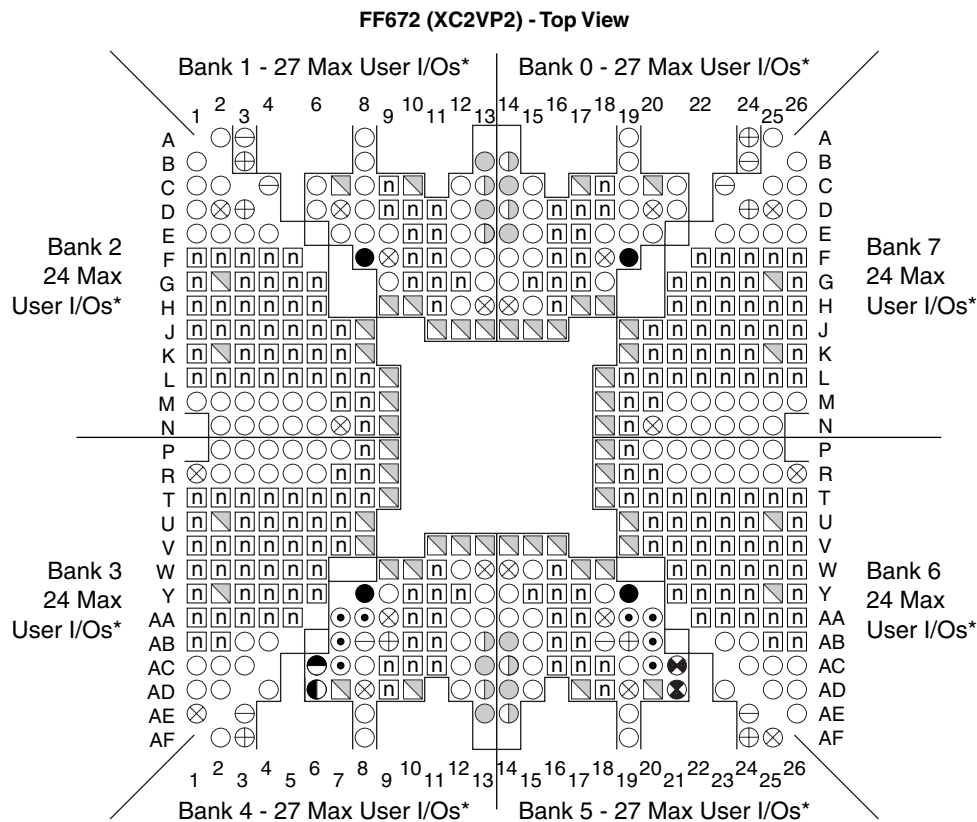


* Callouts for max number of I/Os per bank include dual-purpose pins shown in table, right.	User I/O Pins	Dedicated Pins	Other Pins	
	○ IO_LXXY_# <u>Dual-Purpose Pins:</u> ⊙ DIN/D0-D7 ⊗ CS_B ⊗ RDWR_B ⊙ BUSY/DOUT ⊙ INIT_B ⊙ GCLKx (P) ⊙ GCLKx (S) ⊖ VRP ⊕ VRN ⊗ VREF ● No Pair	□ CCLK □ PROG_B □ DONE [2][1][0] M2, M1, M0 □ HSWAP_EN □ TCK □ TDI □ TDO □ TMS □ PWRDWN_B	□ DXN □ DXP □ VBATT □ RSVD □ VCCO □ VCCAUX □ VCCINT □ GND □ NO CONNECT	□ AVCCAUXRX □ VTRXPAD □ AVCCAUXTX □ VTTXPAD □ GNDA □ RXNPAD □ RXPPAD □ TXPPAD □ TXNPAD

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Figure 4-16: FF672 Composite Pinout Diagram (XC2VP2)

FF672 Banked Pins (XC2VP2)



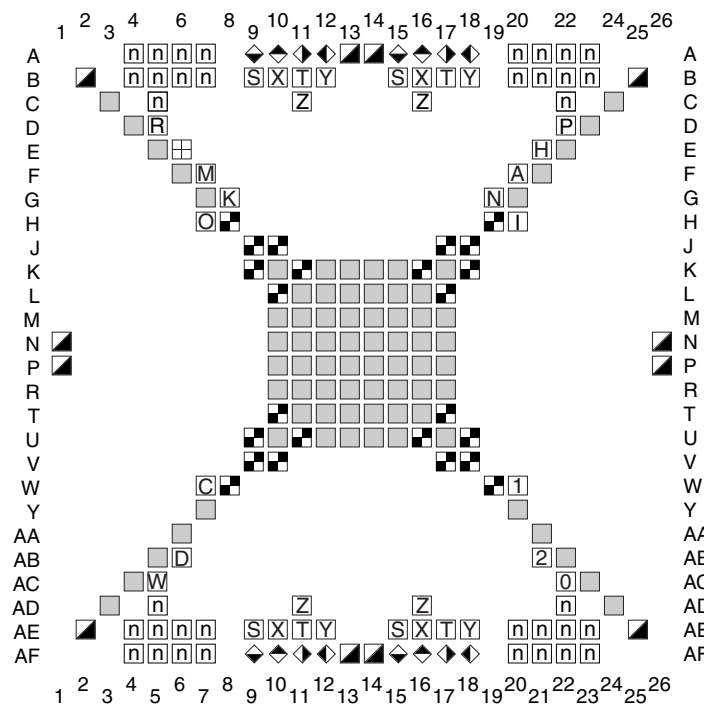
* Callouts for max number of I/Os per bank include <i>dual-purpose pins</i> shown in table, right.	User I/O Pins	Dedicated Pins	Other Pins	
	<div><div>○</div>IO_LXXY_#</div> <div>Dual-Purpose Pins:</div> <div><div>⦿</div>DIN/D0-D7</div> <div><div>⊗</div>CS_B</div> <div><div>⊗</div>RDWR_B</div> <div><div>⦿</div>BUSY/DOUT</div> <div><div>◐</div>INIT_B</div> <div><div>◑</div>GCLKx (P)</div> <div><div>◑</div>GCLKx (S)</div> <div><div>⊖</div>VRP</div> <div><div>⊕</div>VRN</div> <div><div>⊗</div>VREF</div> <div><div>●</div>No Pair</div>		<div><div>◻</div>VCCO</div> <div><div>◻n</div>NO CONNECT</div>	

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Figure 4-17: FF672 Banked Pins (XC2VP2)

## FF672 Dedicated/Other Pins (XC2VP2, XC2VP4)

FF672 (XC2VP2/4) - Top View



Dedicated Pins		Other Pins	
	CCLK		DXN
	PROG_B		DXP
	DONE		VBATT
	M2, M1, M0		RSVD
	HSWAP_EN		VCCAUX
	TCK		VCCINT
	TDI		GND
	TDO		NO CONNECT
	TMS		
	PWRDWN_B		
			AVCCAUXRX
			VTRXPAD
			AVCCAUTX
			VTTXPAD
			GNDA
			RXNPAD
			RXPPAD
			TXPPAD
			TXNPAD

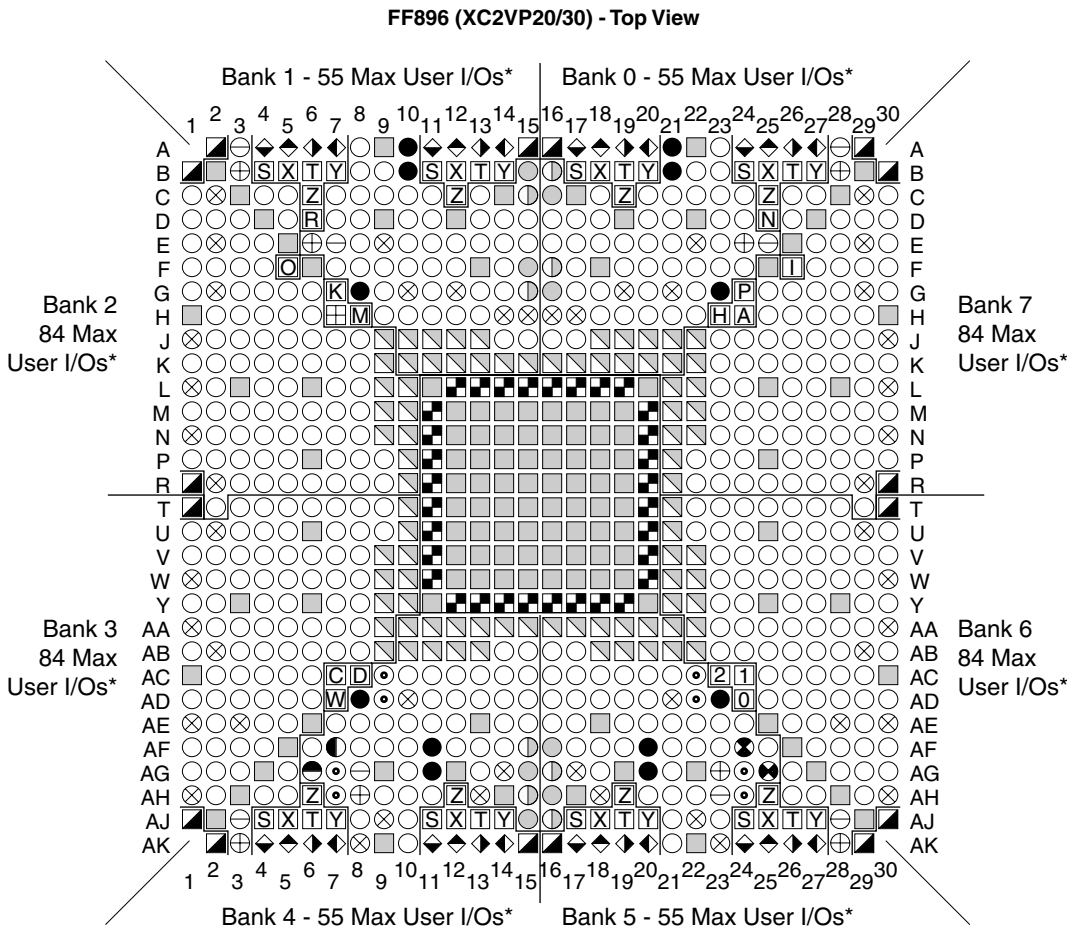
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Figure 4-18: FF672 Dedicated/Other Pins (XC2VP2)



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FF896 Composite Pinout Diagram (XC2VP20, XC2VP30)

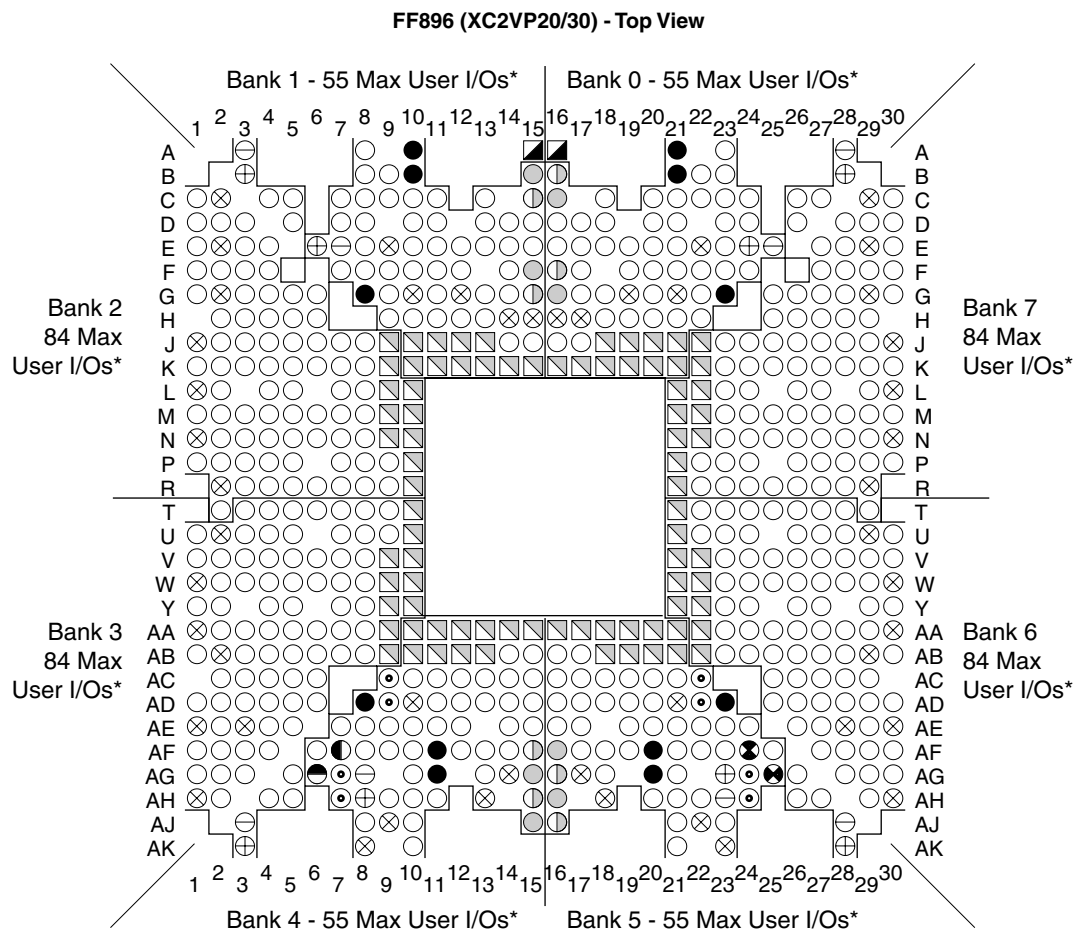


* Callouts for max number of I/Os per bank include dual-purpose pins shown in table, right.	User I/O Pins	Dedicated Pins	Other Pins	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>IO_LXXY_#</li><li>Dual-Purpose Pins:</li><li>DIN/D0-D7</li><li>CS_B</li><li>RDWR_B</li><li>BUSY/DOUT</li><li>INIT_B</li><li>GCLKx (P)</li><li>GCLKx (S)</li><li>VRP</li><li>VRN</li><li>VREF</li><li>No Pair</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>CCLK</li><li>PROG_B</li><li>DONE</li><li>M2, M1, M0</li><li>HSWAP_EN</li><li>TCK</li><li>TDI</li><li>TDO</li><li>TMS</li><li>PWRDWN_B</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>DXN</li><li>DXP</li><li>VBATT</li><li>RSVD</li><li>VCCO</li><li>VCCAUX</li><li>VCCINT</li><li>GND</li><li>NO CONNECT</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>AVCCAUXRX</li><li>VTRXPAD</li><li>AVCCAUXTX</li><li>VTTXPAD</li><li>GNDA</li><li>RXNPAD</li><li>RXPPAD</li><li>TXPPAD</li><li>TXNPAD</li></ul>

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Figure 4-19: FF896 Composite Pinout Diagram (XC2VP20, XC2VP30)

## FF896 Banked Pins (XC2VP20, XC2VP30)

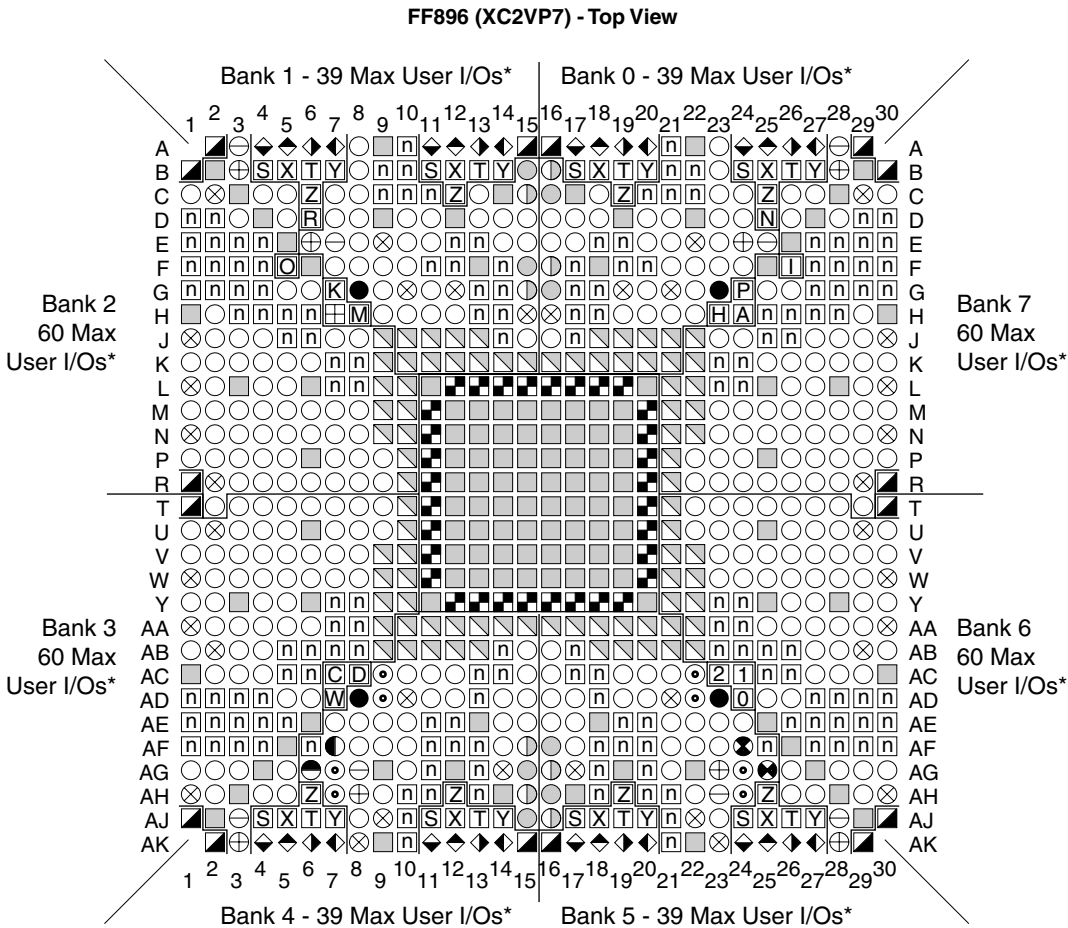


* Callouts for max number of I/Os per bank include dual-purpose pins shown in table, right.	User I/O Pins	Dedicated Pins	Other Pins	
	<p>○ IO_LXXY_#</p> <p><u>Dual-Purpose Pins:</u></p> <p>⊙ DIN/D0-D7</p> <p>⊗ CS_B</p> <p>⊗ RDWR_B</p> <p>⊗ BUSY/DOUT</p> <p>⊗ INIT_B</p> <p>⊗ GCLKx (P)</p> <p>⊗ GCLKx (S)</p> <p>⊗ VRP</p> <p>⊗ VRN</p> <p>⊗ VREF</p> <p>● No Pair</p>		<p>⊗ VCCO</p> <p>⊗ NO CONNECT</p>	

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Figure 4-20: FF896 Banked Pins (XC2VP20, XC2VP30)

FF896 Composite Pinout Diagram (XC2VP7)



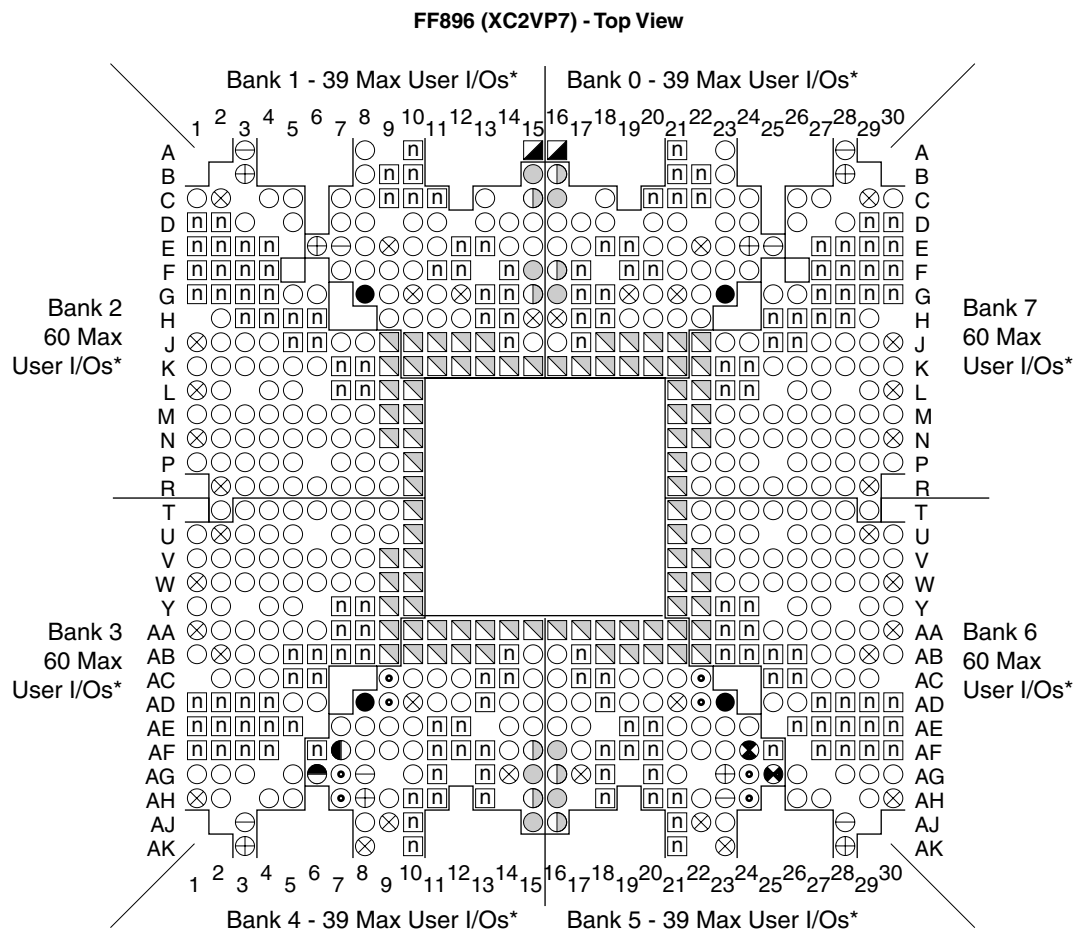
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<p>* Callouts for max number of I/Os per bank include dual-purpose pins shown in table, right.</p>	User I/O Pins	Dedicated Pins	Other Pins	
	○ IO_LXXY_#	□ CCLK	□ DXN	□ AVCCAUXRX
	Dual-Purpose Pins:		□ DXP	□ VTRXPAD
	⊙ DIN/D0-D7	□ DONE	□ VBATT	□ AVCCAUXTX
	⊙ CS_B	210 M2, M1, M0	□ RSVD	□ VTTXPAD
	⊙ RDWR_B	□ HSWAP_EN	□ VCCO	□ GNDA
	⊙ BUSY/DOUT	□ TCK	□ VCCAUX	⬢ RXNPAD
	⊙ INIT_B	□ TDI	⬢ VCCINT	⬢ RXPPAD
	⊙ GCLKx (P)	□ TDO	□ GND	⬢ TXPPAD
	⊙ GCLKx (S)	□ TMS	□ NO CONNECT	⬢ TXNPAD
	⊙ VRP	□ PWRDWN_B		
	⊕ VRN			
	⊗ VREF			
	● No Pair			

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Figure 4-21: FF896 Composite Pinout Diagram (XC2VP7)

## FF896 Banked Pins (XC2VP7)

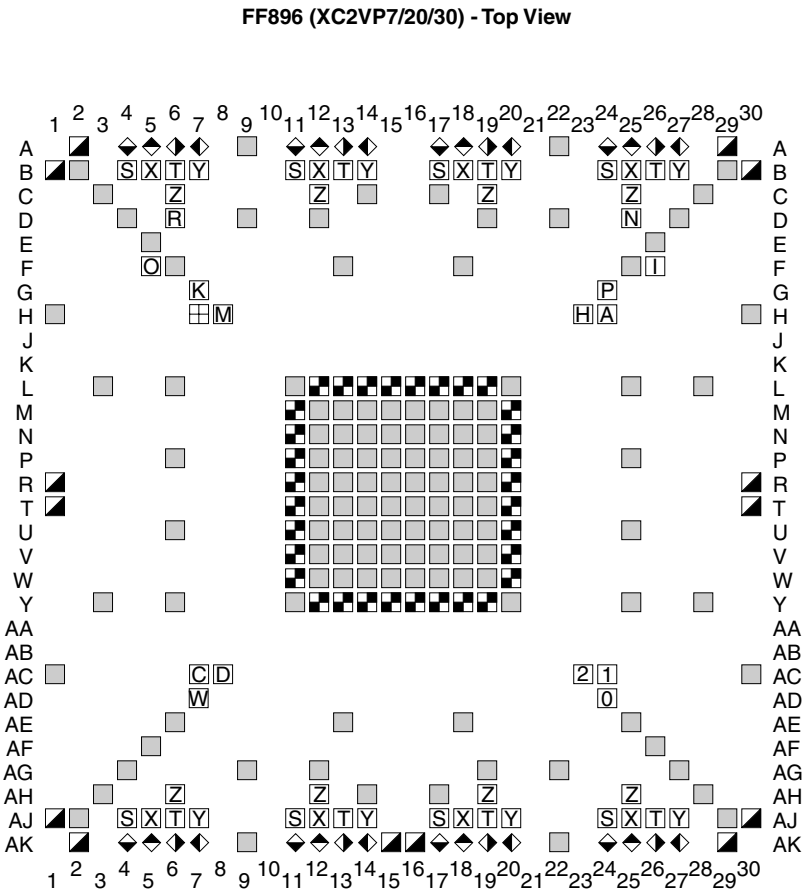


User I/O Pins	Dedicated Pins	Other Pins	
<p>* Callouts for max number of I/Os per bank include <i>dual-purpose pins</i> shown in table, right.</p> <p>○ IO_LXXY_#</p> <p>Dual-Purpose Pins:</p> <p>⊙ DIN/D0-D7</p> <p>⊗ CS_B</p> <p>⊗ RDWR_B</p> <p>● BUSY/DOUT</p> <p>● INIT_B</p> <p>● GCLKx (P)</p> <p>⊙ GCLKx (S)</p> <p>⊖ VRP</p> <p>⊕ VRN</p> <p>⊗ VREF</p> <p>● No Pair</p>		<p>⊖ VCCO</p> <p>⊖ NO CONNECT</p>	

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Figure 4-22: FF896 Banked Pins (XC2VP7)

# FF896 Dedicated/Other Pins (XC2VP7, XC2VP20, XC2VP30)



Dedicated Pins		Other Pins	
	CCLK		DXN
	PROG_B		DXP
	DONE		VBATT
	M2, M1, M0		RSVD
	HSWAP_EN		VCCAUX
	TCK		VCCINT
	TDI		GND
	TDO		NO CONNECT
	TMS		AVCCAUXRX
	PWRDWN_B		VTRXPAD
			AVCCAUXTX
			VTTXPAD
			GNDA
			RXNPAD
			RXPPAD
			TXPPAD
			TXNPAD

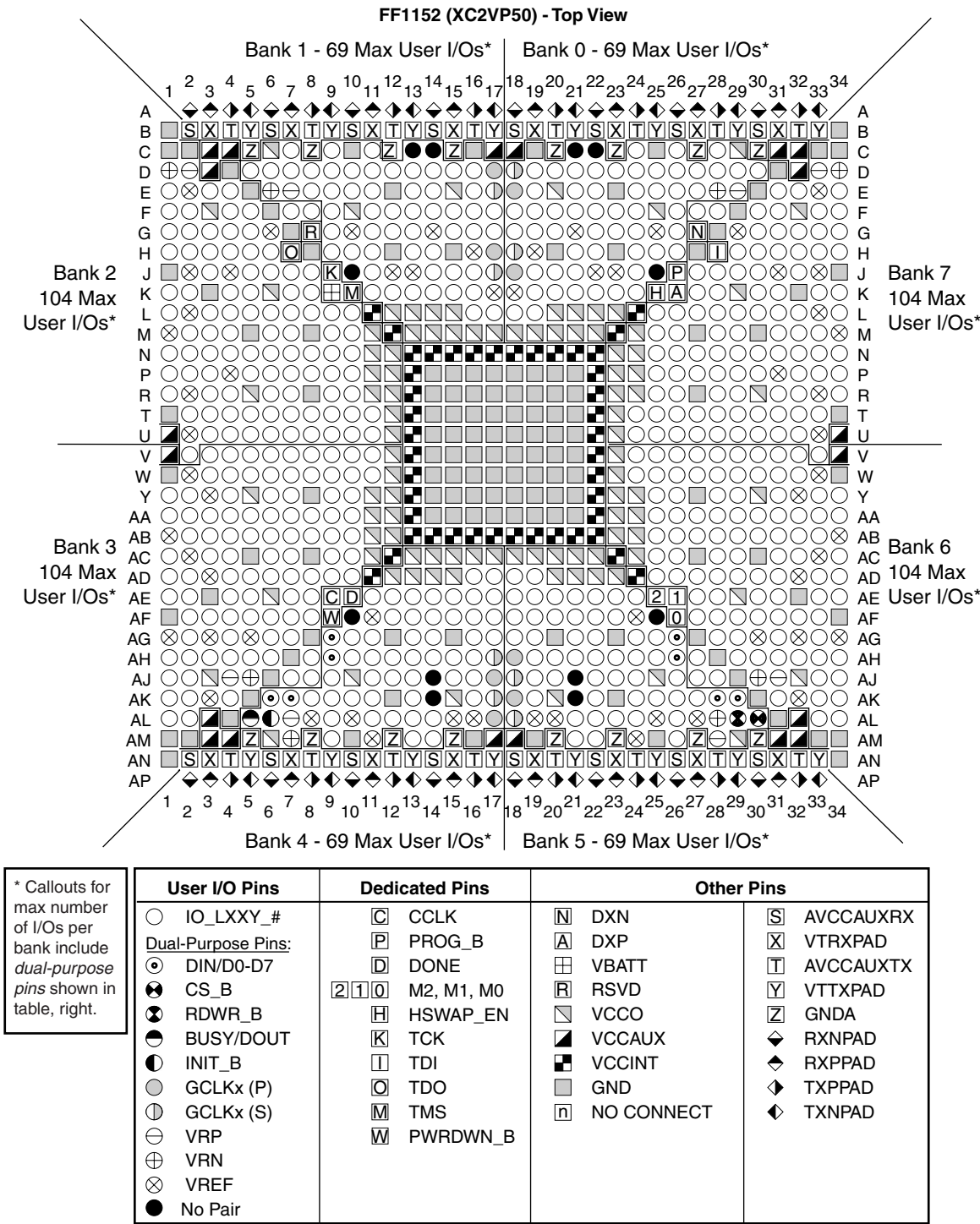
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Figure 4-23: FF896 Dedicated/Other Pins (XC2VP7, XC2VP20, XC2VP30)

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FF1152 Composite Pinout Diagram (XC2VP50)

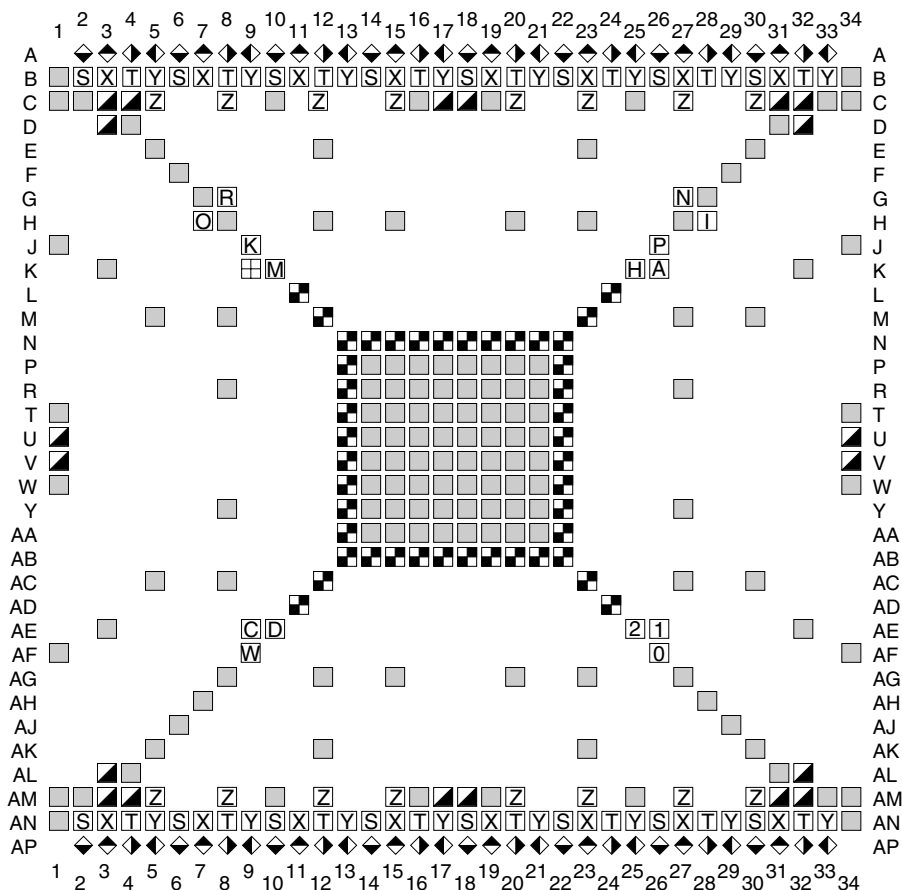





























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Figure 4-24: FF1152 Composite Pinout Diagram (XC2VP50)

## FF1152 Dedicated/Other Pins (XC2VP50)

FF1152 (XC2VP50) - Top View



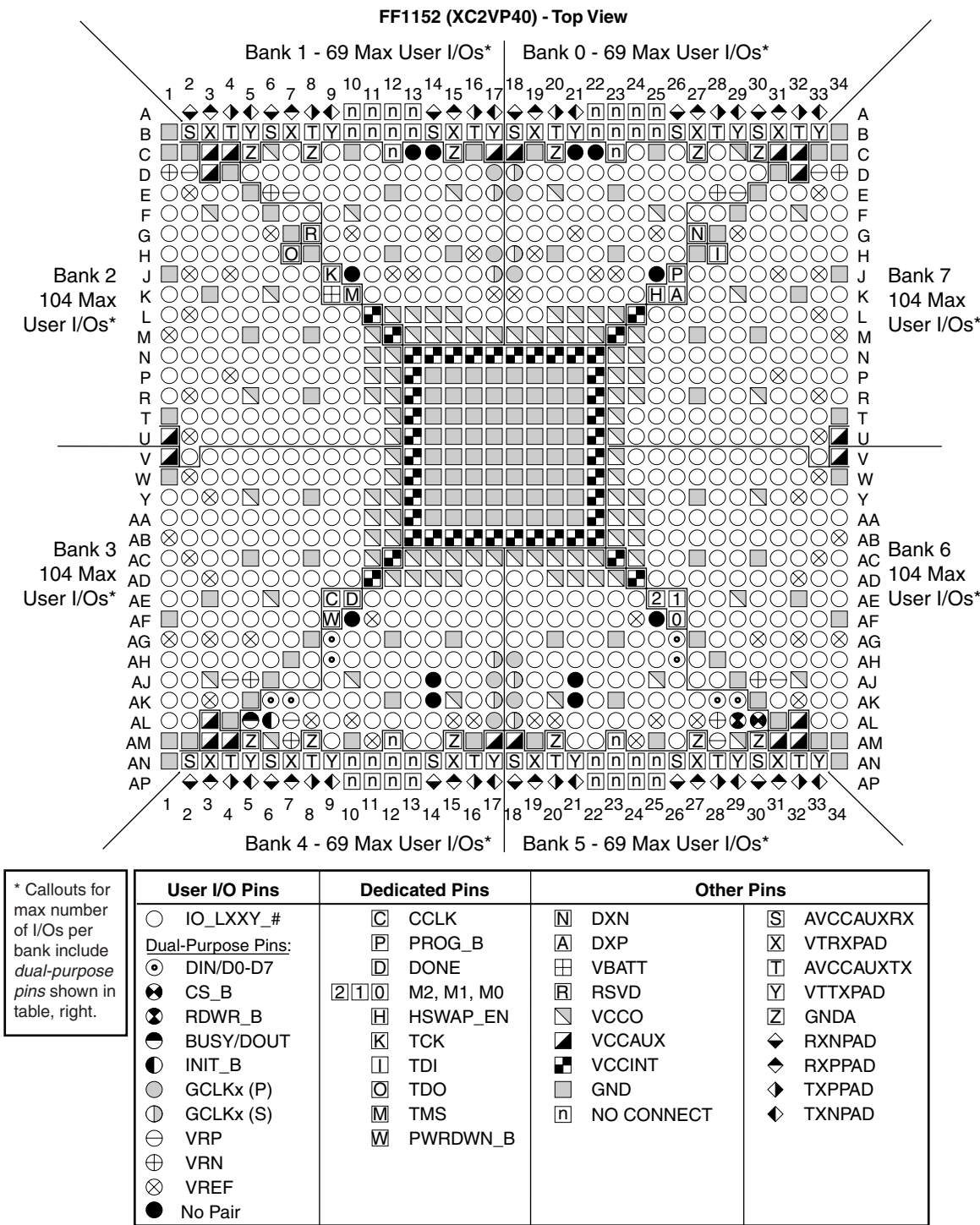
Dedicated Pins		Other Pins			
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	PROG_B		DXP		VTRXPAD
	DONE		VBATT		AVCCAUXTX
	M2, M1, M0		RSVD		VTTXPAD
	HSWAP_EN		VCCAUX		GNDA
	TCK		VCCINT		RXNPAD
	TDI		GND		RXPPAD
	TDO		NO CONNECT		TXPPAD
	TMS				TXNPAD
	PWRDWN_B				

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Figure 4-25: FF1152 Dedicated/Other Pins (XC2VP50)



FF1152 Composite Pinout Diagram (XC2VP40)



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Figure 4-26: FF1152 Composite Pinout Diagram (XC2VP40)

## FF1152 Banked Pins (XC2VP40, XC2VP50)

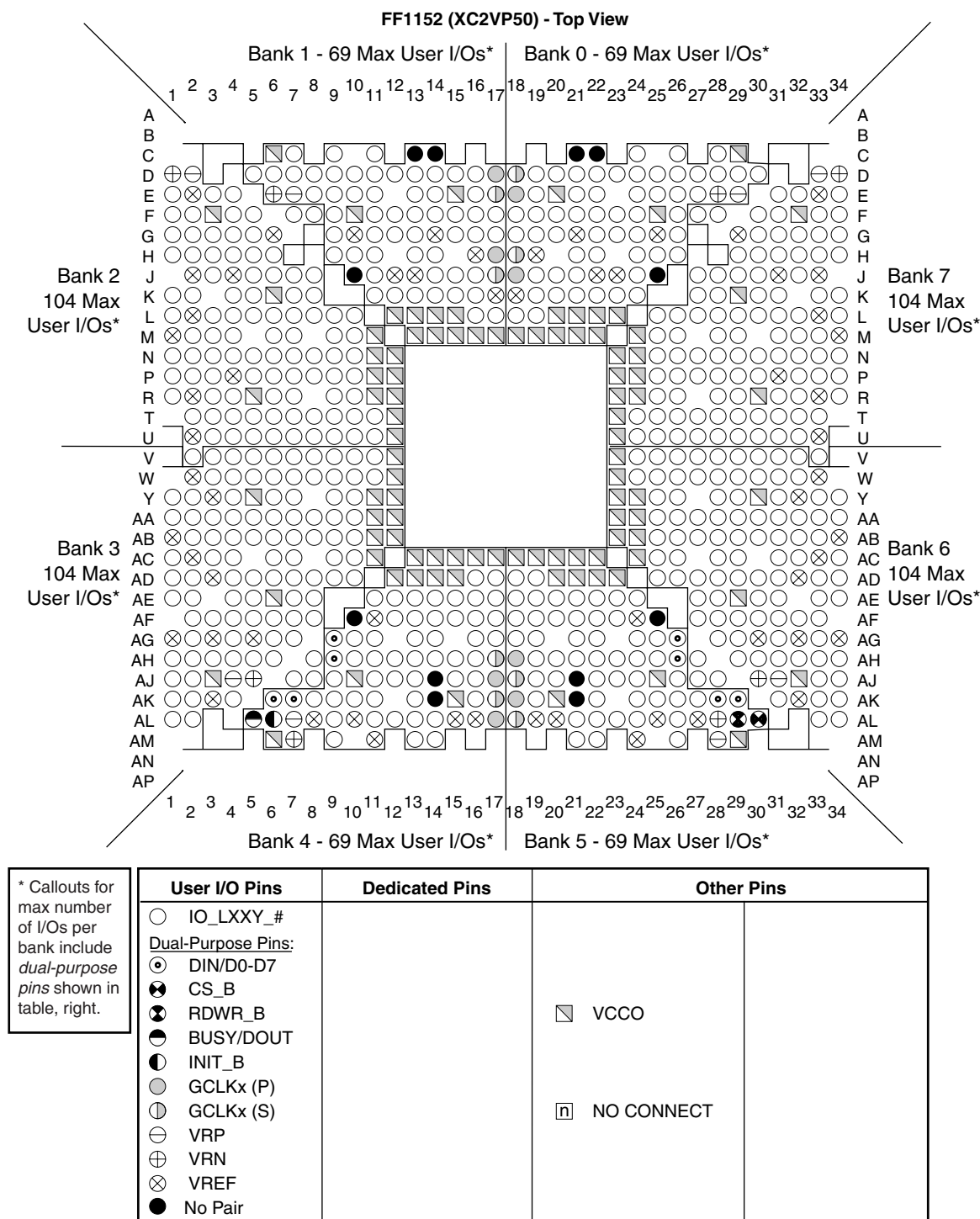
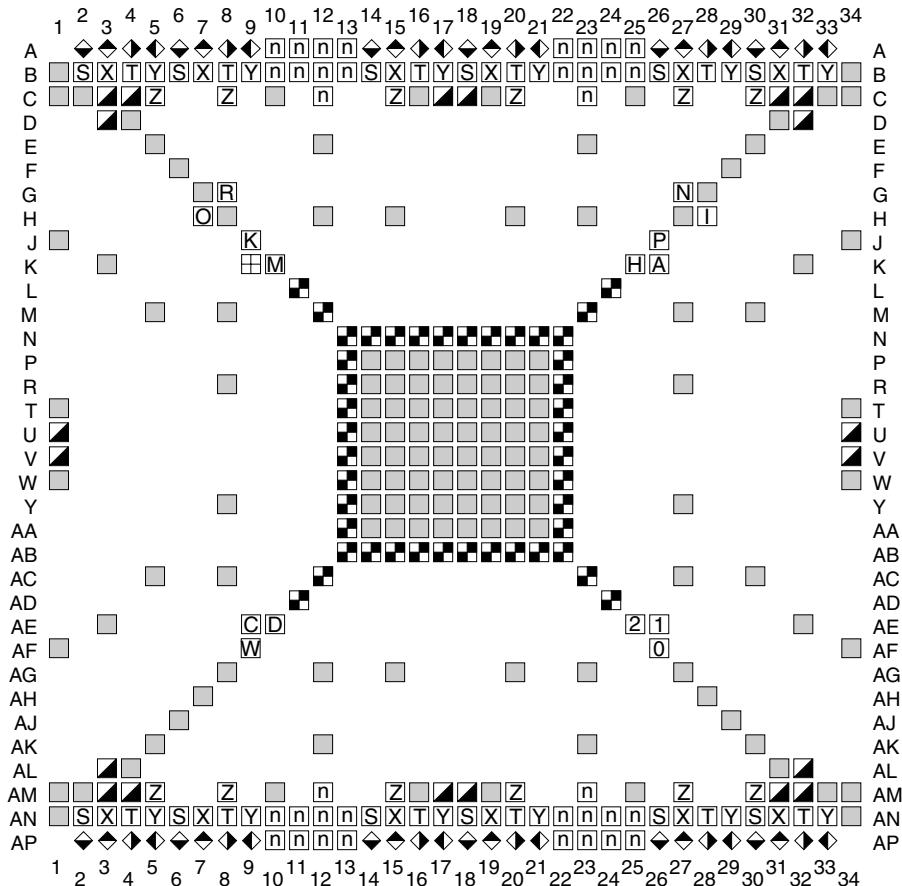


Figure 4-27: FF1152 Banked Pins (XC2VP40, XC2VP50)

# FF1152 Dedicated/Other Pins (XC2VP40)

FF1152 (XC2VP40) - Top View

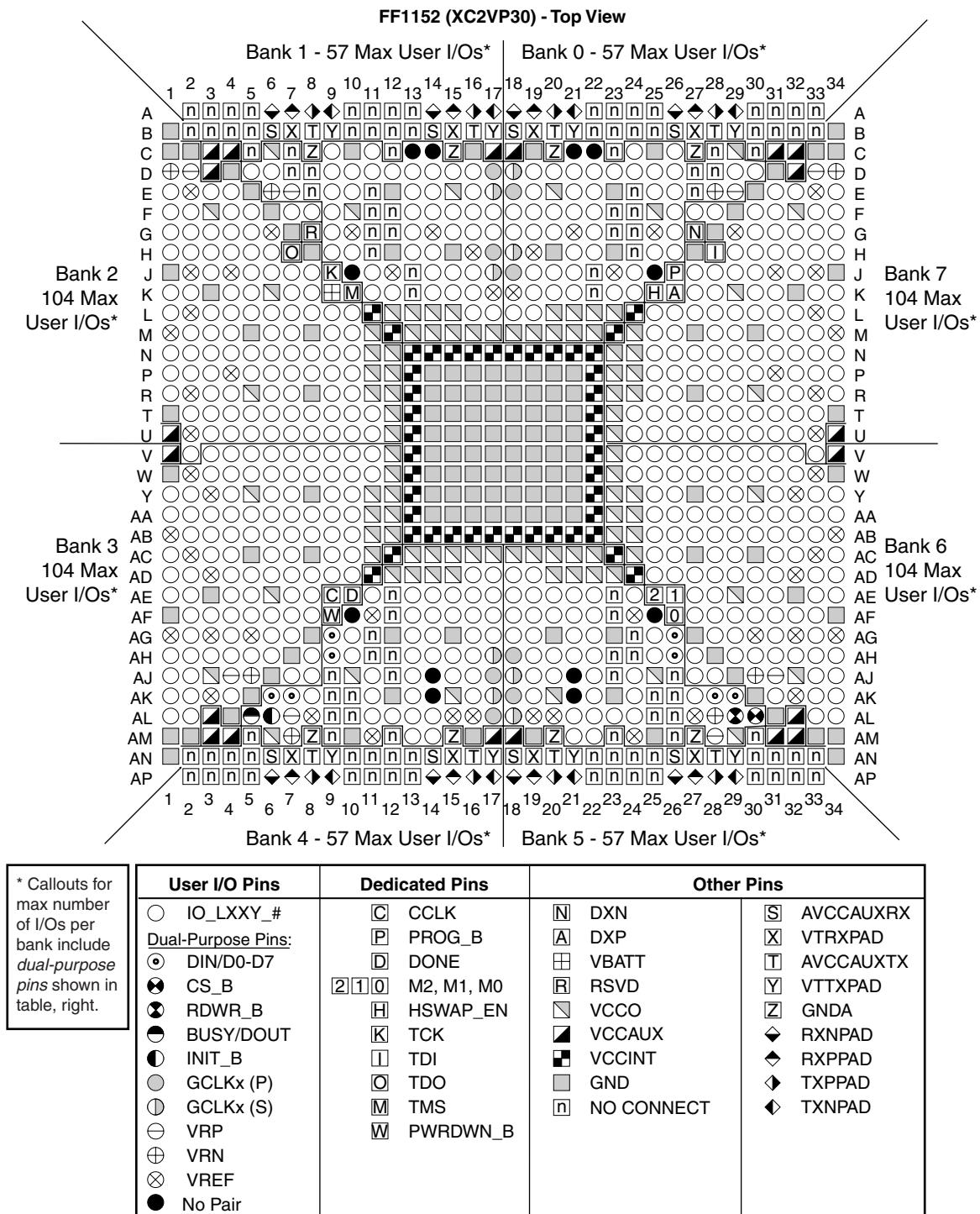


Dedicated Pins		Other Pins	
C	CCLK	N	DXN
P	PROG_B	A	DXP
D	DONE	VBATT	VBATT
[2][1][0]	M2, M1, M0	R	RSVD
H	HSWAP_EN	VCCAUX	VCCAUX
K	TCK	VCCINT	VCCINT
I	TDI	GND	GND
O	TDO	n	NO CONNECT
M	TMS	S	AVCCAUXRX
W	PWRDWN_B	X	VTRXPAD
		T	AVCCAUTX
		Y	VTTXPAD
		Z	GNDA
		RXNPAD	RXNPAD
		RXPPAD	RXPPAD
		TXPPAD	TXPPAD
		TXNPAD	TXNPAD

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Figure 4-28: FF1152 Dedicated/Other Pins (XC2VP40)

# FF1152 Composite Pinout Diagram (XC2VP30)



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Figure 4-29: FF1152 Composite Pinout Diagram (XC2VP30)

FF1152 Banked Pins (XC2VP30)

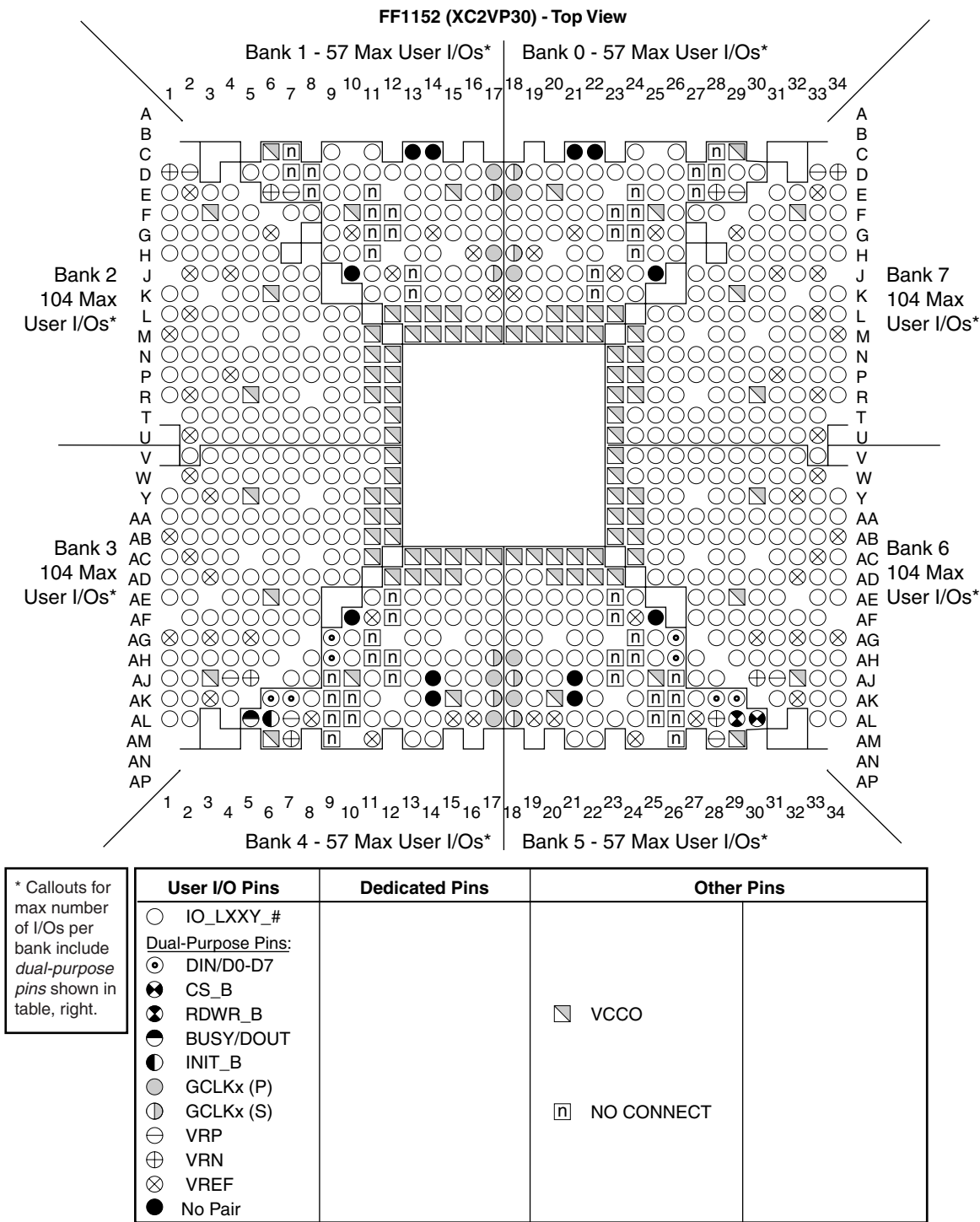
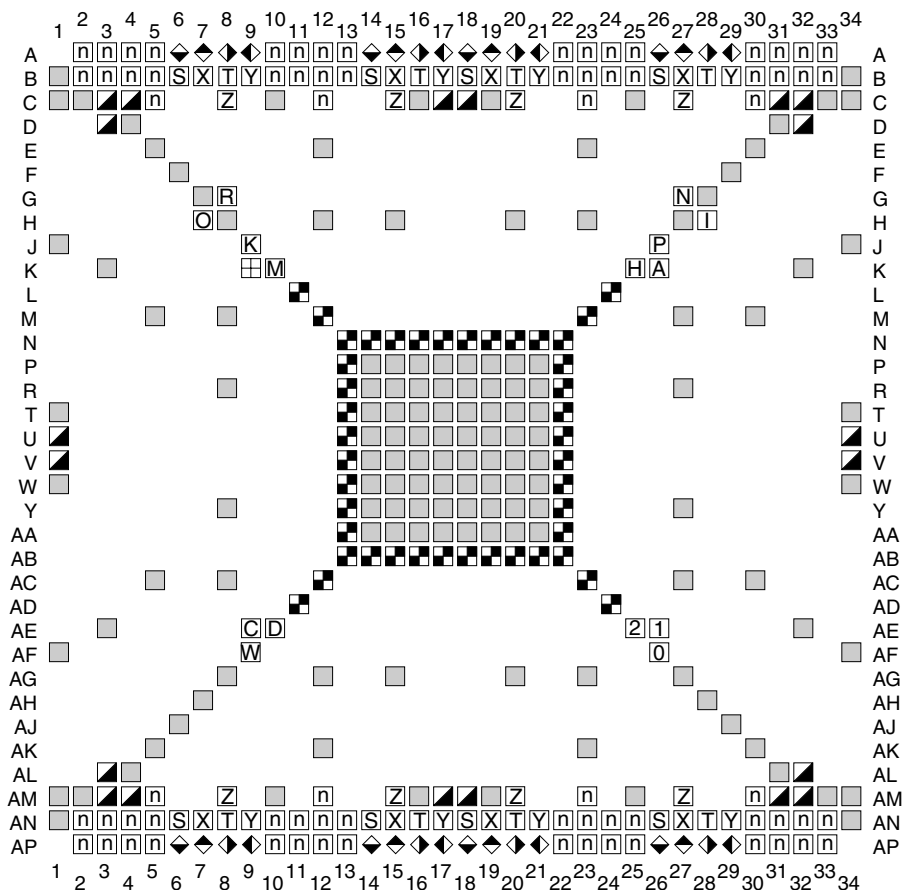





























Figure 4-30: FF1152 Banked Pins (XC2VP30)

## FF1152 Dedicated/Other Pins (XC2VP30)

FF1152 (XC2VP30) - Top View

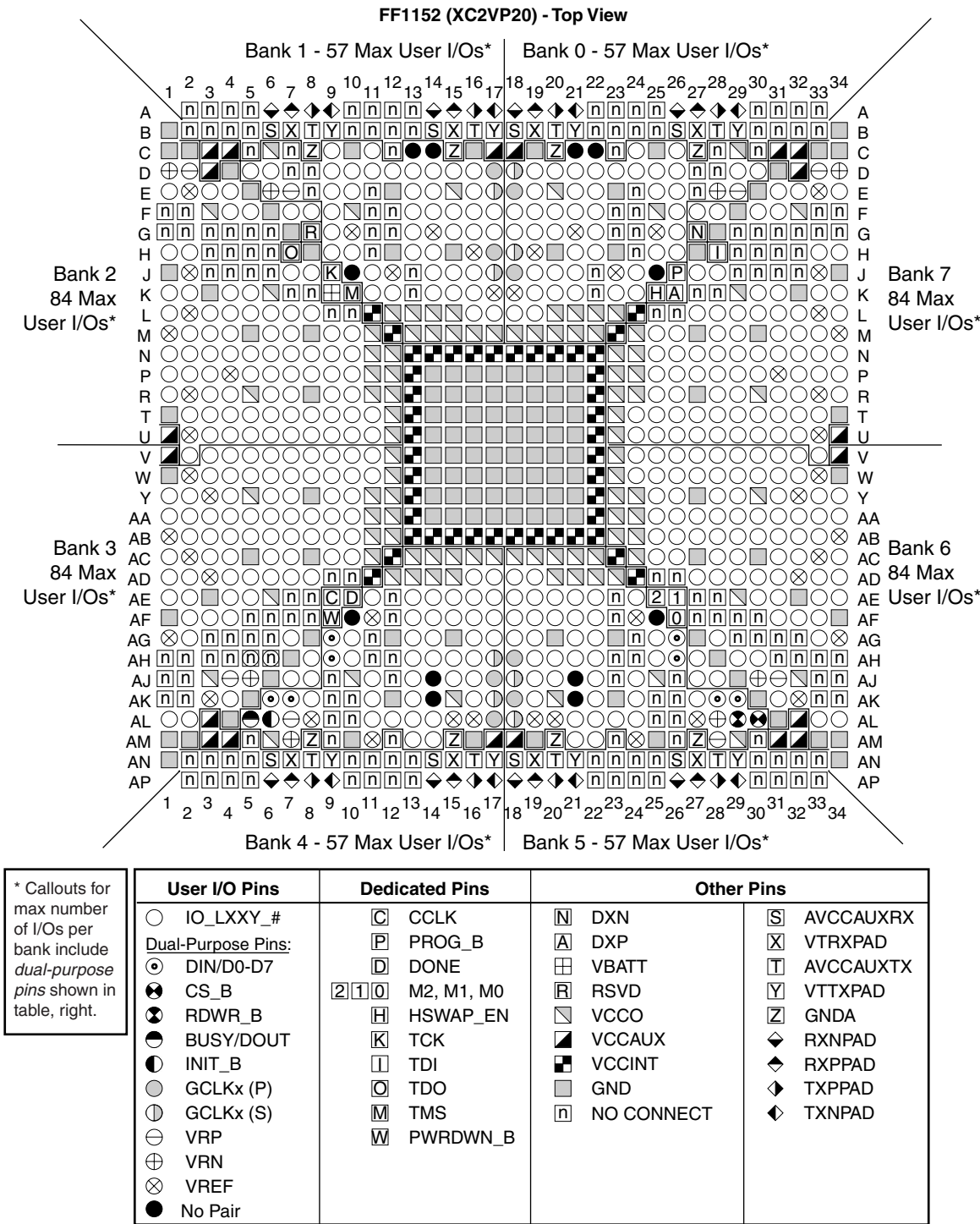


Dedicated Pins		Other Pins			
	CCLK		DXN		AVCCAUXRX
	PROG_B		DXP		VTRXPAD
	DONE		VBATT		AVCCAUXTX
	M2, M1, M0		RSVD		VTTXPAD
	HSWAP_EN		VCCAUX		GNDA
	TCK		VCCINT		RXNPAD
	TDI		GND		RXPPAD
	TDO		NO CONNECT		TXPPAD
	TMS				TXNPAD
	PWRDWN_B				

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Figure 4-31: FF1152 Dedicated/Other Pins (XC2VP30)

FF1152 Composite Pinout Diagram (XC2VP20)



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Figure 4-32: FF1152 Composite Pinout Diagram (XC2VP20)



## FF1152 Banked Pins (XC2VP20)

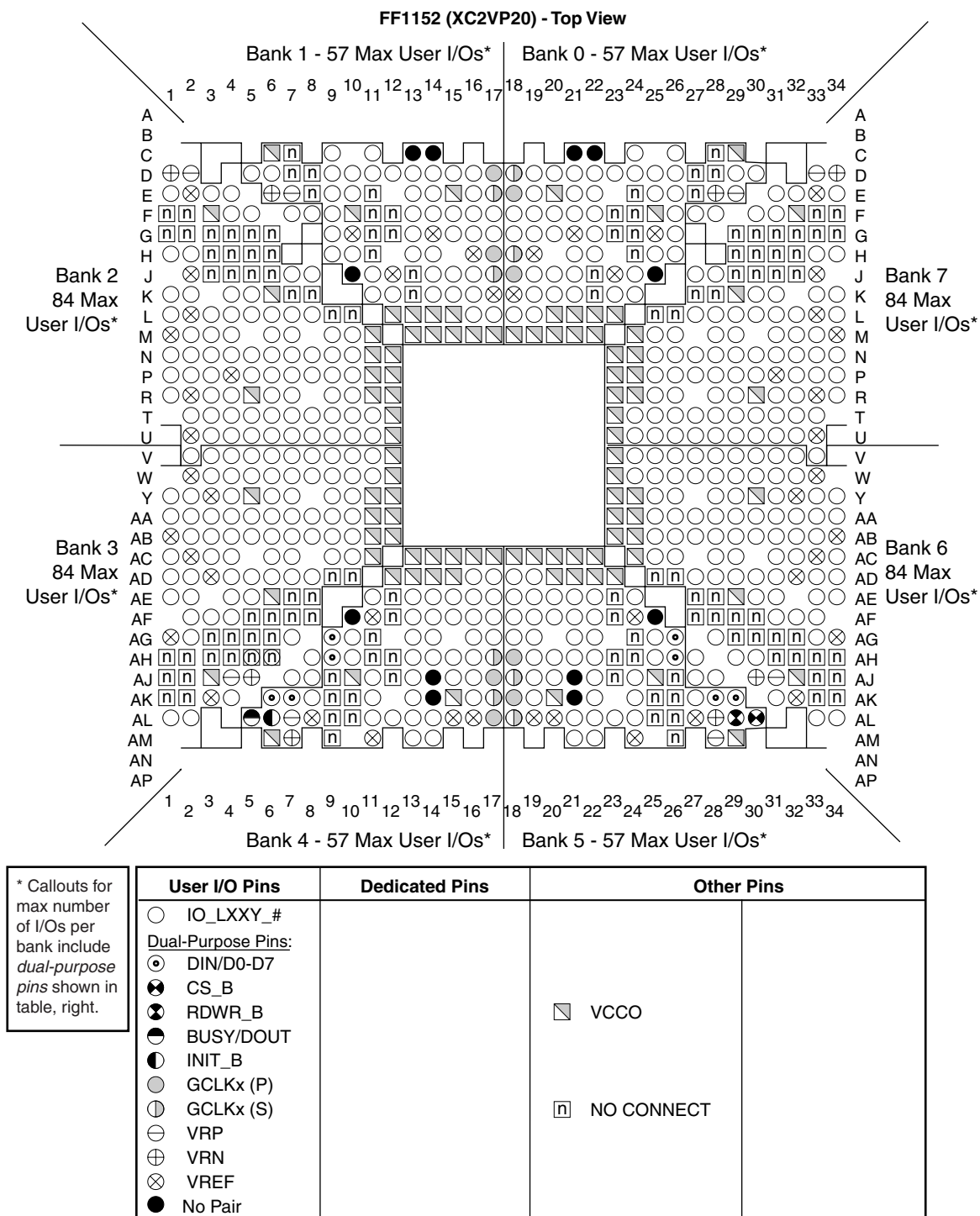
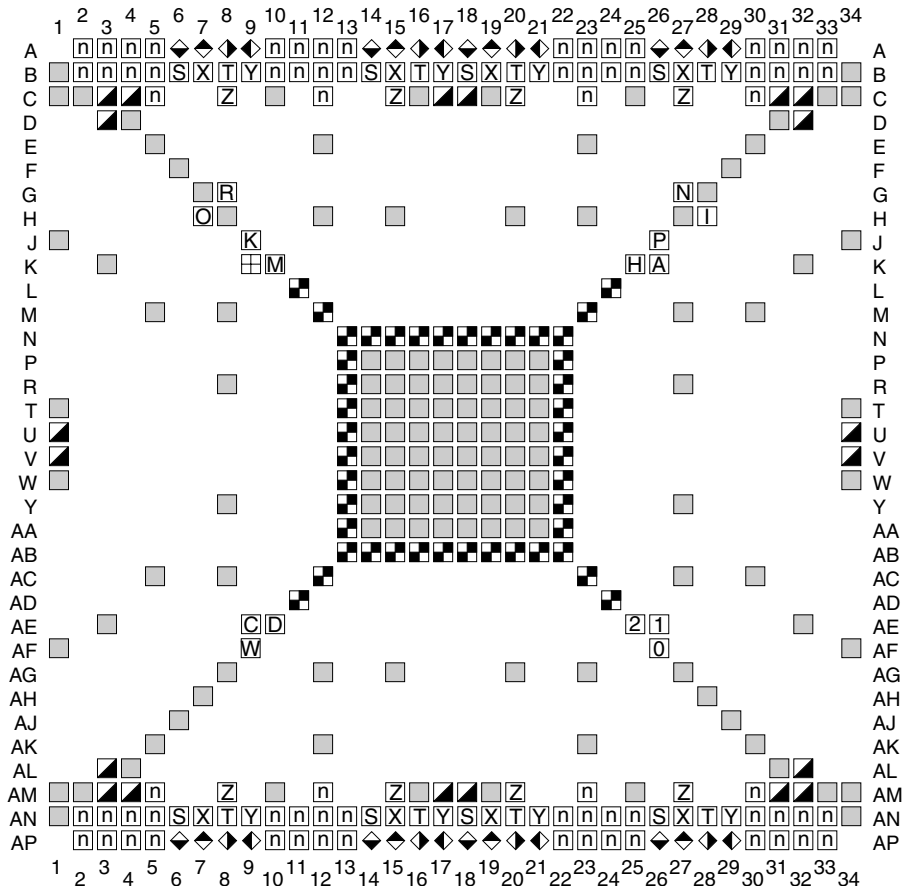


Figure 4-33: FF1152 Banked Pins (XC2VP20)



# FF1152 Dedicated/Other Pins (XC2VP20)

FF1152 (XC2VP20) - Top View



Dedicated Pins		Other Pins	
C	CCLK	N	DXN
P	PROG_B	A	DXP
D	DONE	VBATT	VBATT
[2][1][0]	M2, M1, M0	R	RSVD
H	HSWAP_EN	VCCAUX	VCCAUX
K	TCK	VCCINT	VCCINT
I	TDI	GND	GND
O	TDO	NO CONNECT	NO CONNECT
M	TMS		
W	PWRDWN_B	S	AVCCAUXRX
		X	VTRXPAD
		T	AVCCAUTX
		Y	VTTXPAD
		Z	GNDA
		RXNPAD	RXNPAD
		RXPPAD	RXPPAD
		TXPPAD	TXPPAD
		TXNPAD	TXNPAD

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Figure 4-34: FF1152 Dedicated/Other Pins (XC2VP20)

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FF1148 Composite Pinout Diagram (XC2VP50)

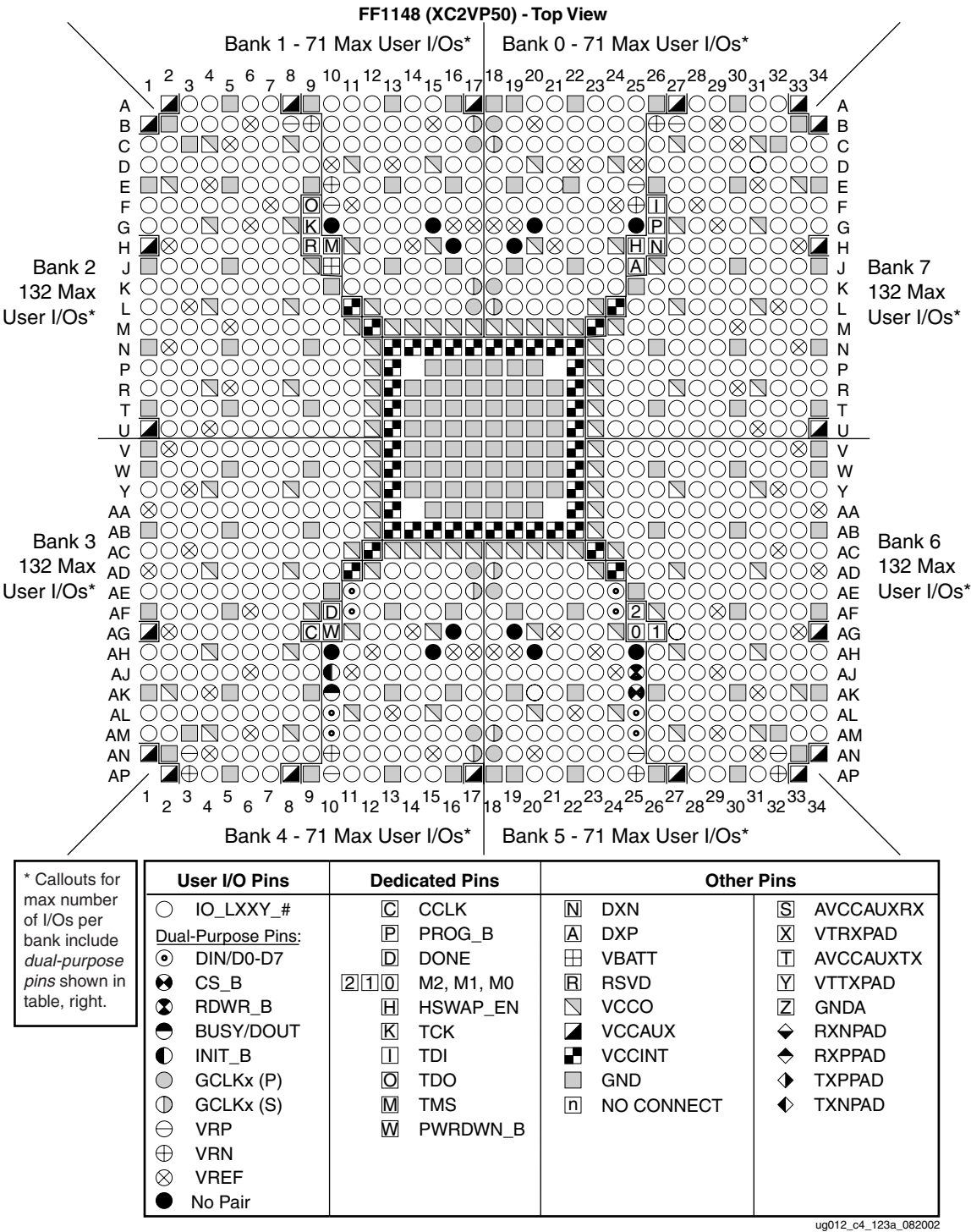


Figure 4-35: FF1148 Composite Pinout Diagram (XC2VP50)

## FF1148 Banked Pins (XC2VP50)

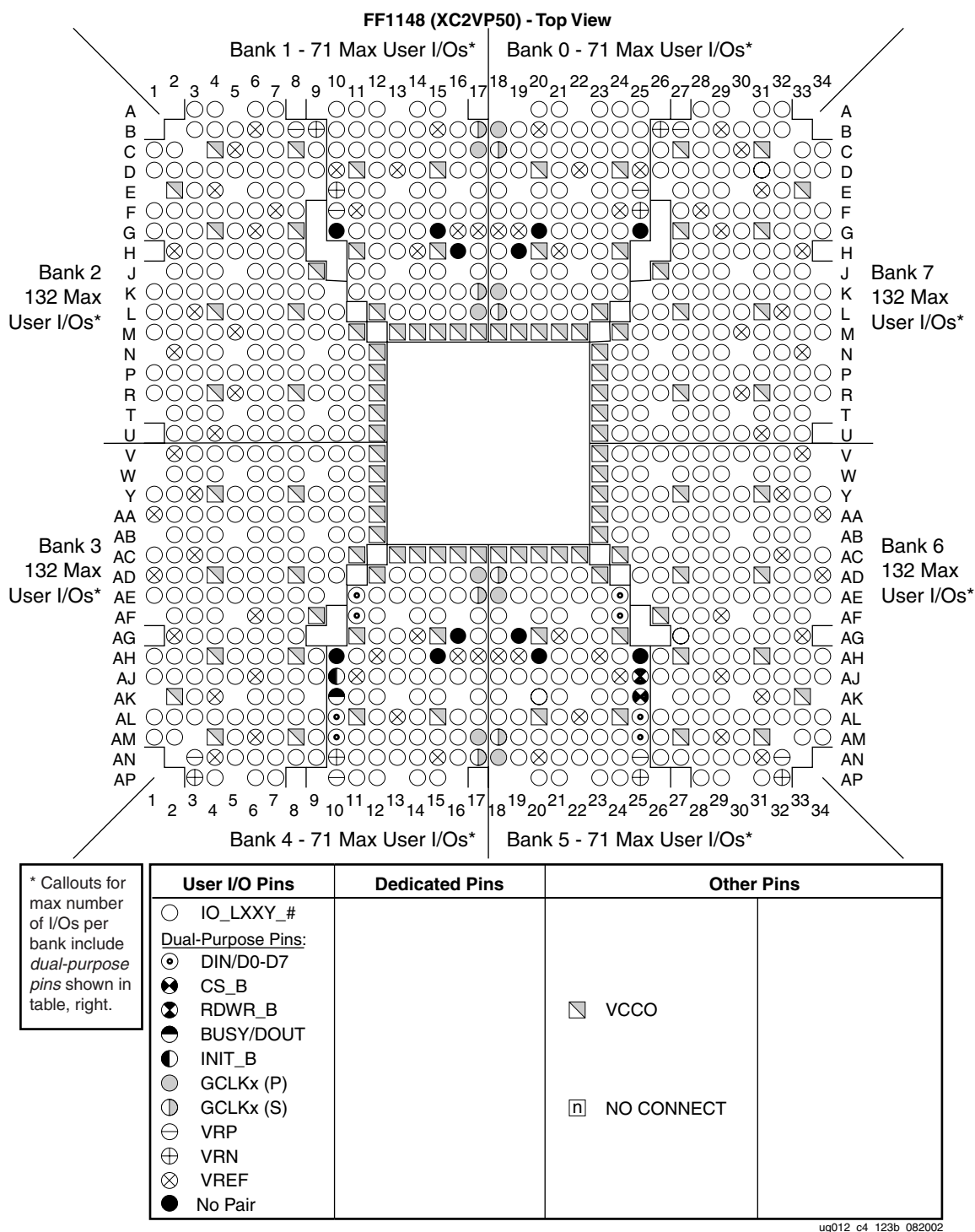


Figure 4-36: FF1148 Banked Pins (XC2VP50)

FF1148 Composite Pinout Diagram (XC2VP40)

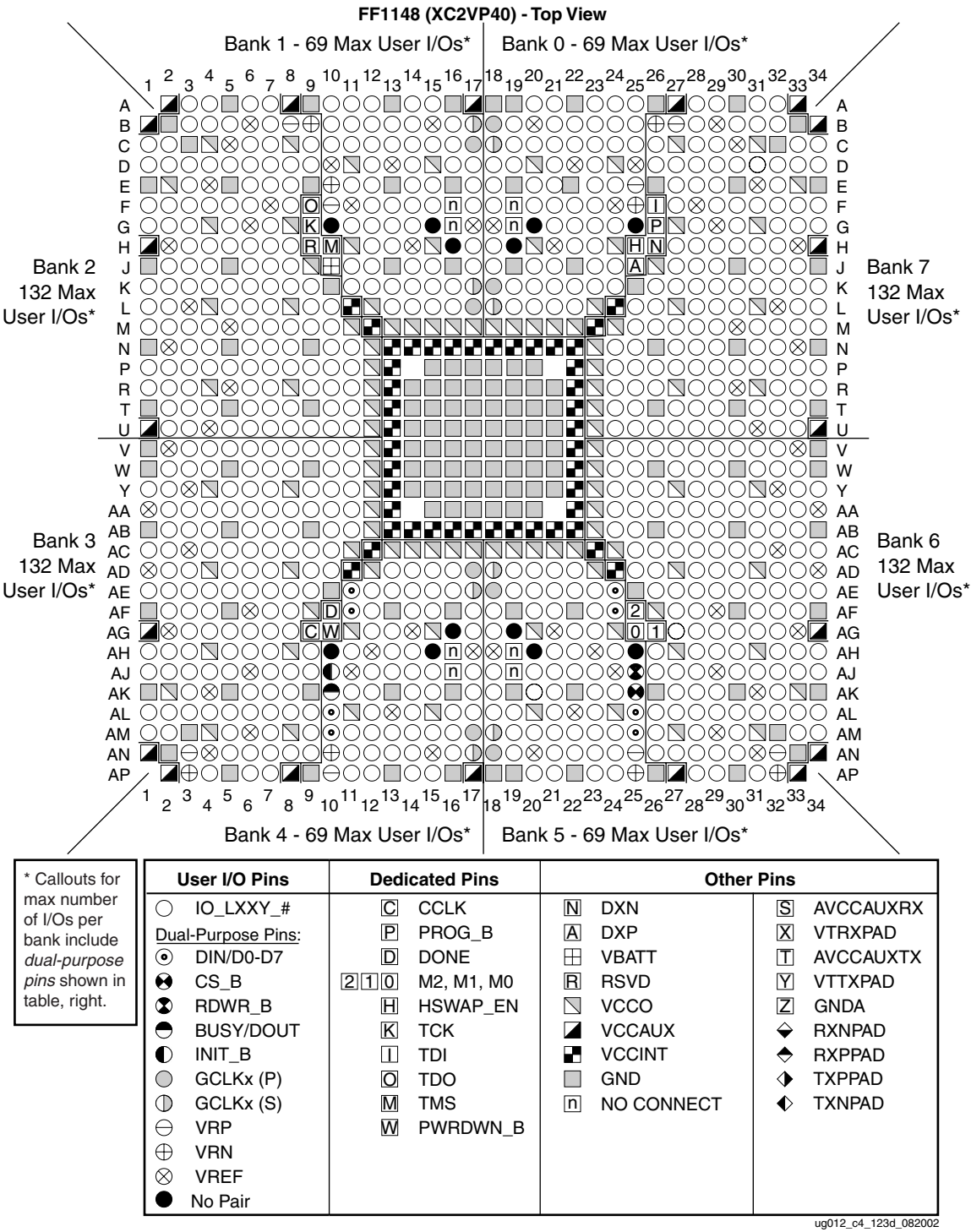


Figure 4-37: FF1148 Composite Pinout Diagram (XC2VP40)

## FF1148 Banked Pins (XC2VP40)

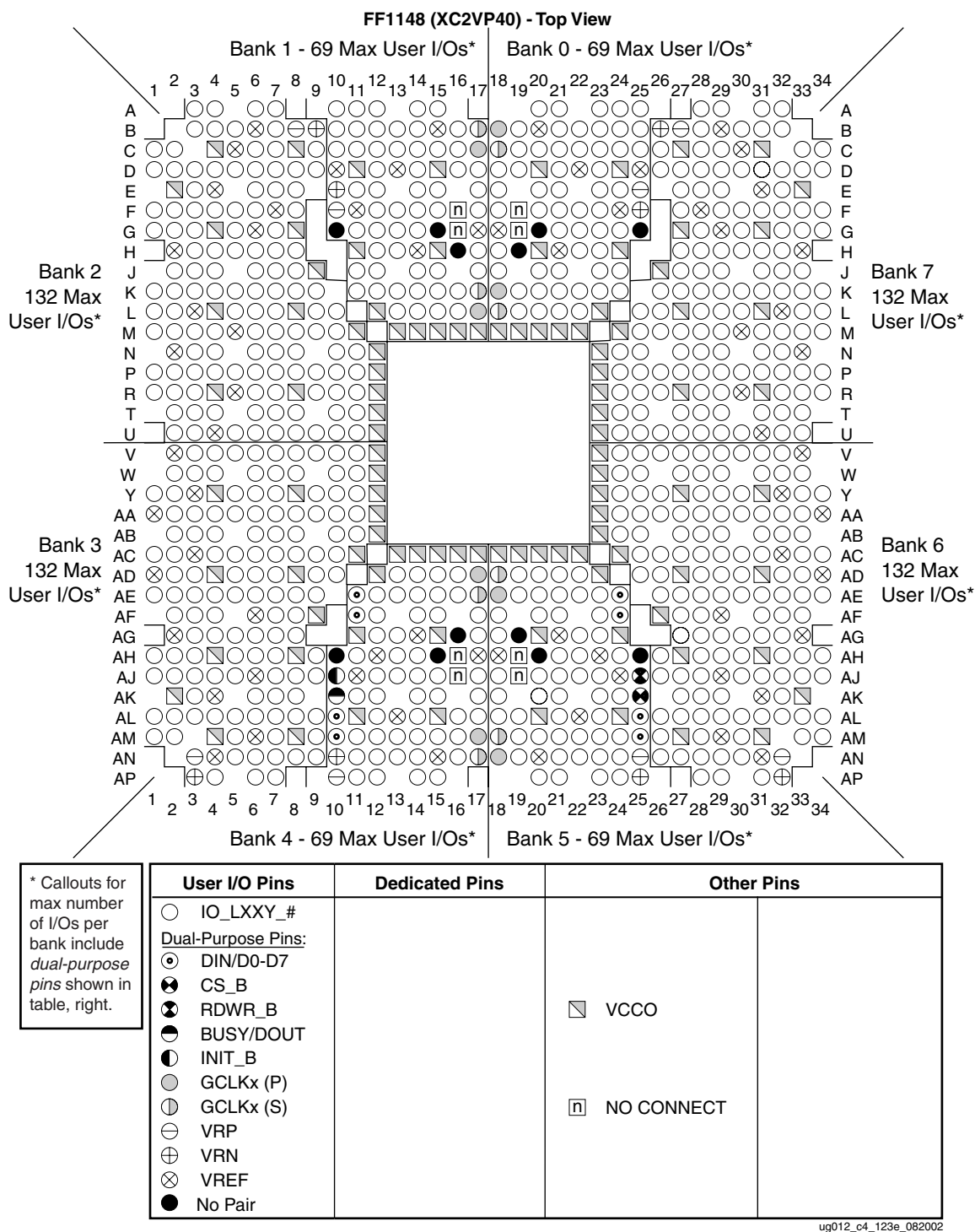
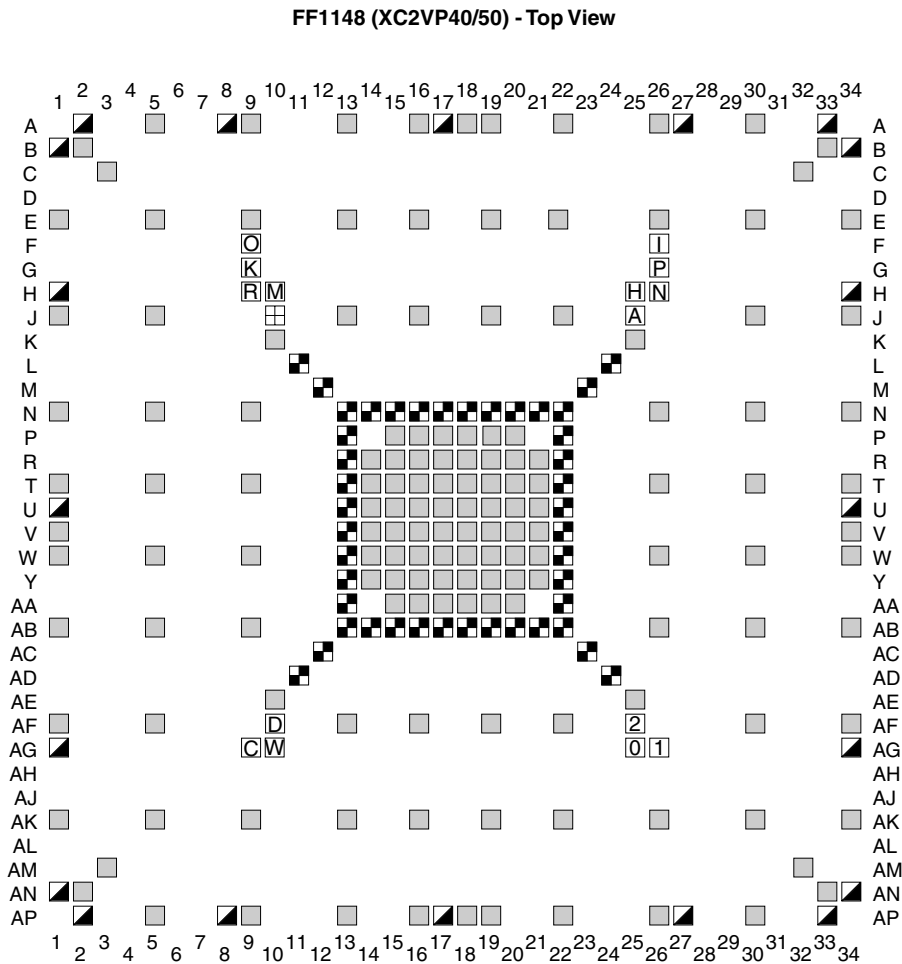


Figure 4-38: FF1148 Banked Pins (XC2VP40)

# FF1148 Dedicated/Other Pins (XC2VP40, XC2VP50)



Dedicated Pins		Other Pins	
	CCLK		DXN
	PROG_B		DXP
	DONE		VBATT
	M2, M1, M0		RSVD
	HSWAP_EN		VCCAUX
	TCK		VCCINT
	TDI		GND
	TDO		NO CONNECT
	TMS		
	PWRDWN_B		
			AVCCAUXRX
			VTRXPAD
			AVCCAUXTX
			VTTXPAD
			GNDA
			RXNPAD
			RXPPAD
			TXPPAD
			TXNPAD

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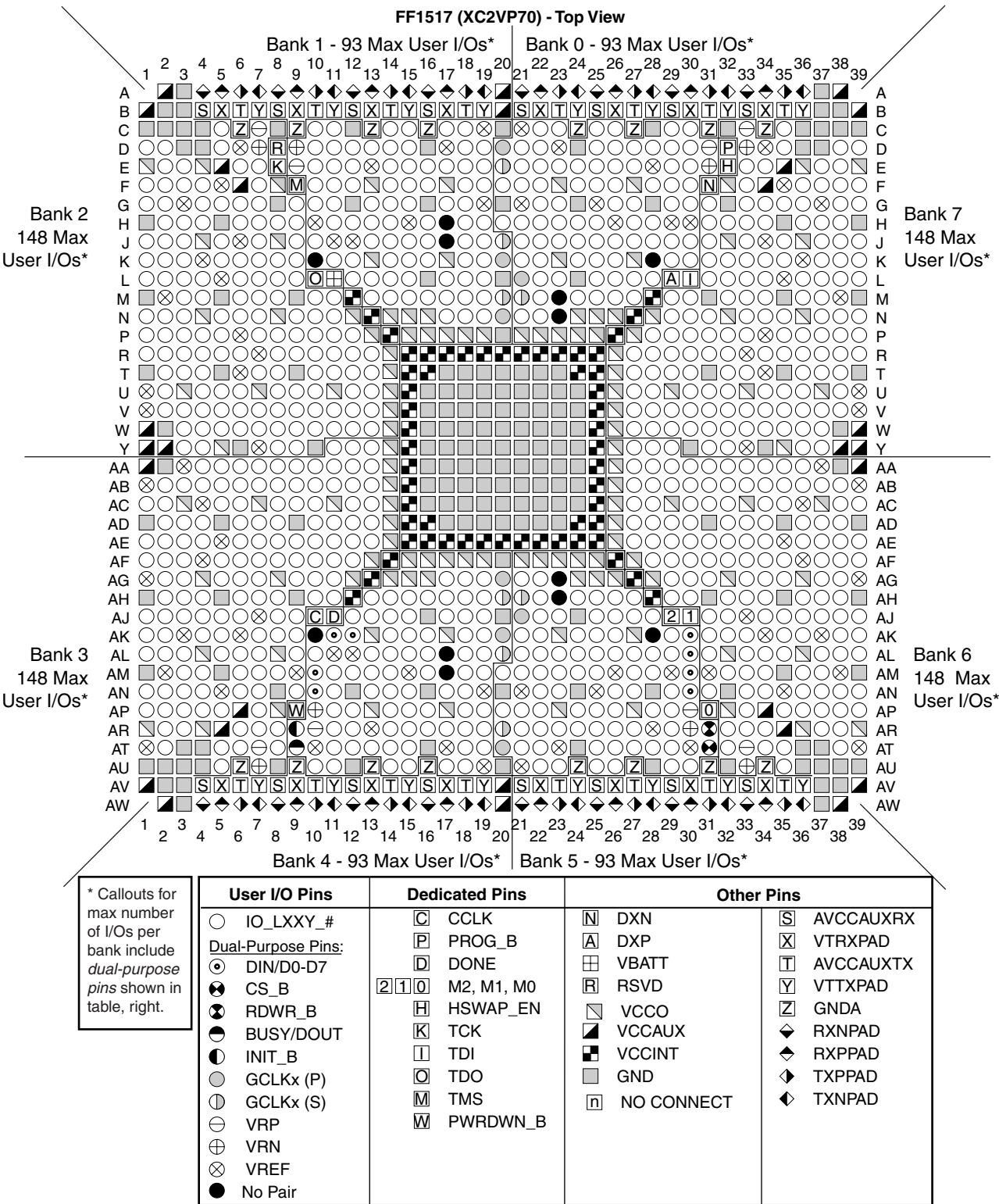
Figure 4-39: FF1148 Dedicated/Other Pins (XC2VP40, XC2VP50)

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FF1517 Composite Pinout Diagram (XC2VP70)



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Figure 4-40: FF1517 Composite Pinout Diagram (XC2VP70)

## FF1517 Banked Pins (XC2VP70)

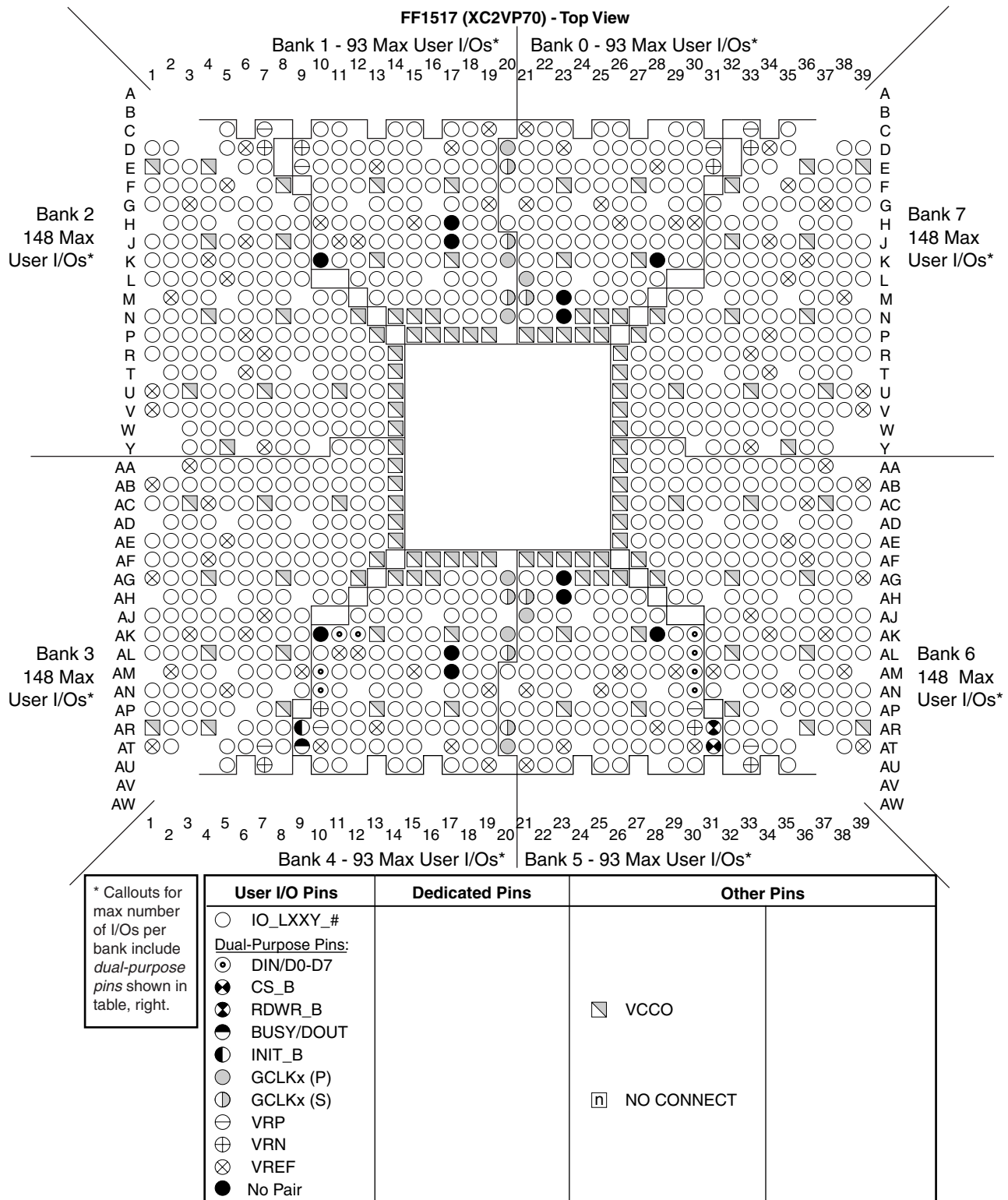
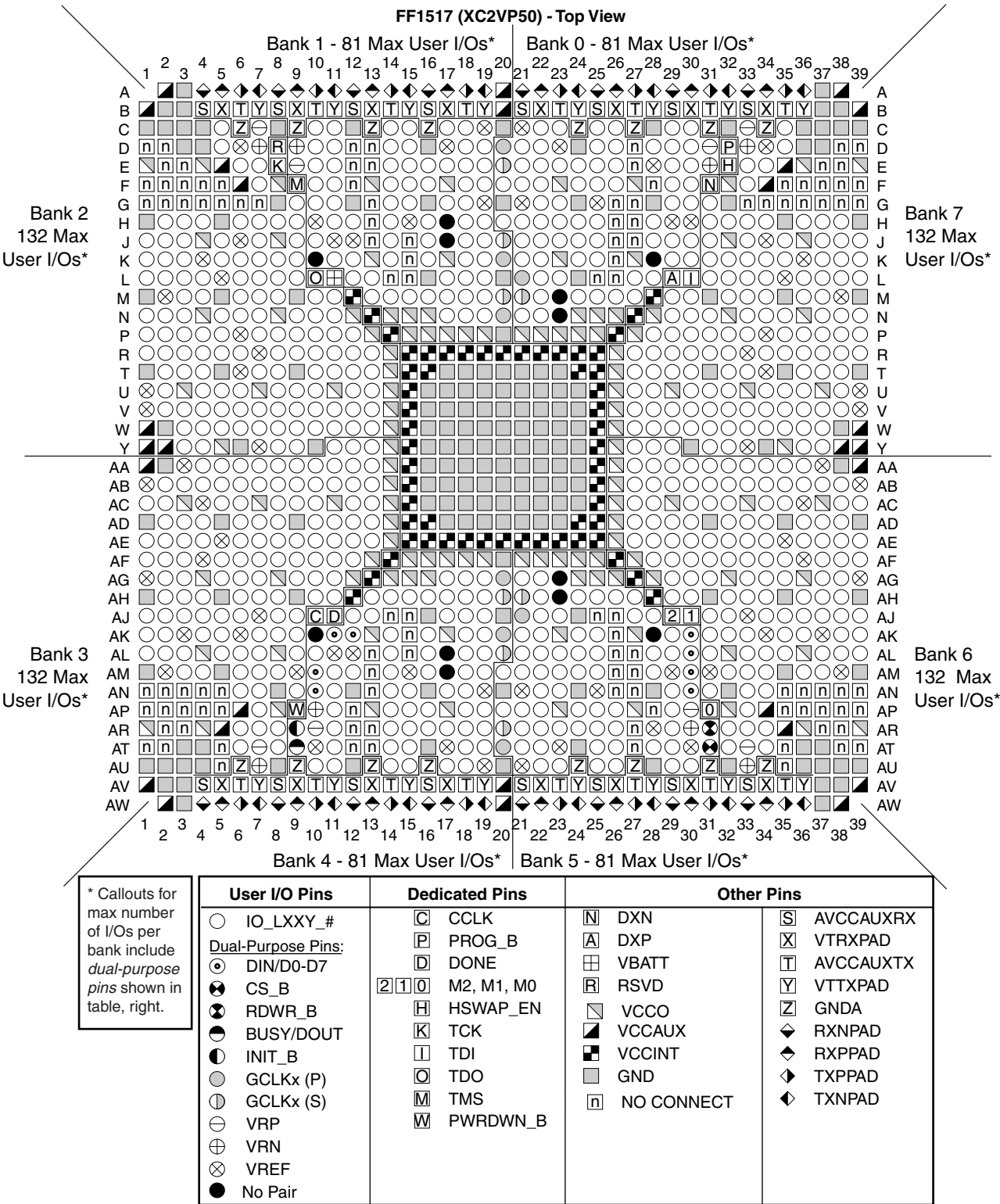


Figure 4-41: FF1517 Banked Pins (XC2VP70)

FF1517 Composite Pinout Diagram (XC2VP50)



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Figure 4-42: FF1517 Composite Pinout Diagram (XC2VP50)

## FF1517 Banked Pins (XC2VP50)

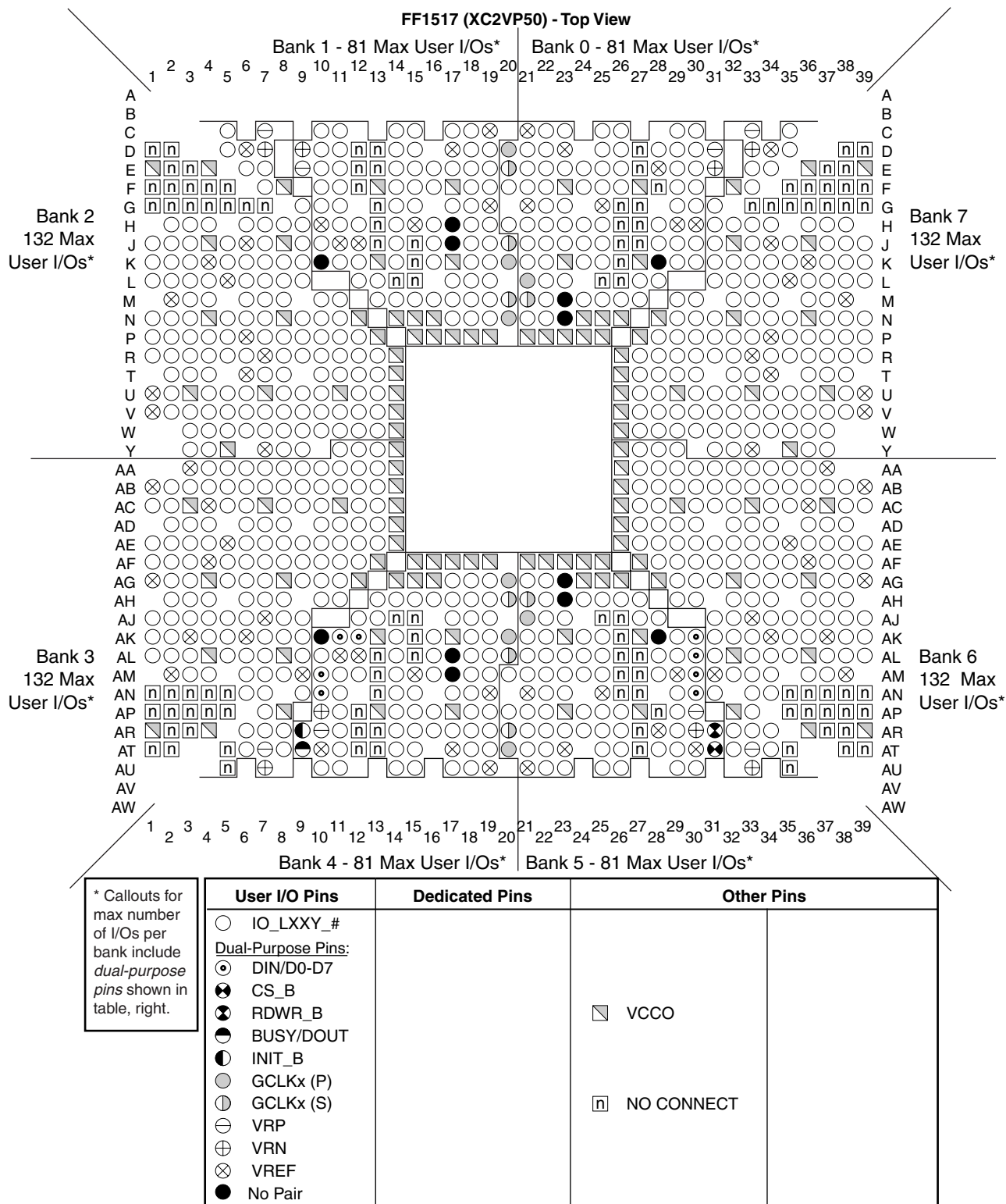
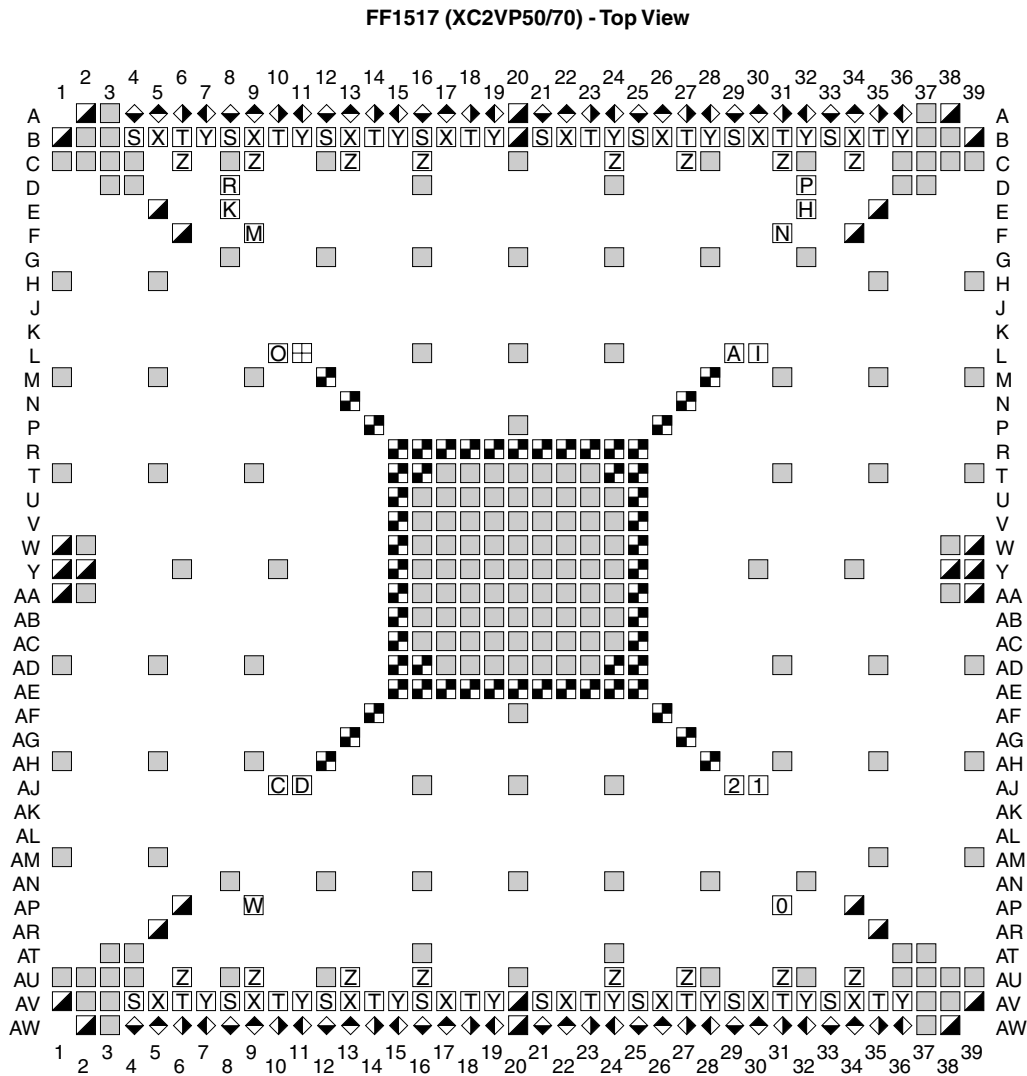


Figure 4-43: FF1517 Banked Pins (XC2VP50)

FF1517 Dedicated/Other Pins (XC2VP50, XC2VP70)



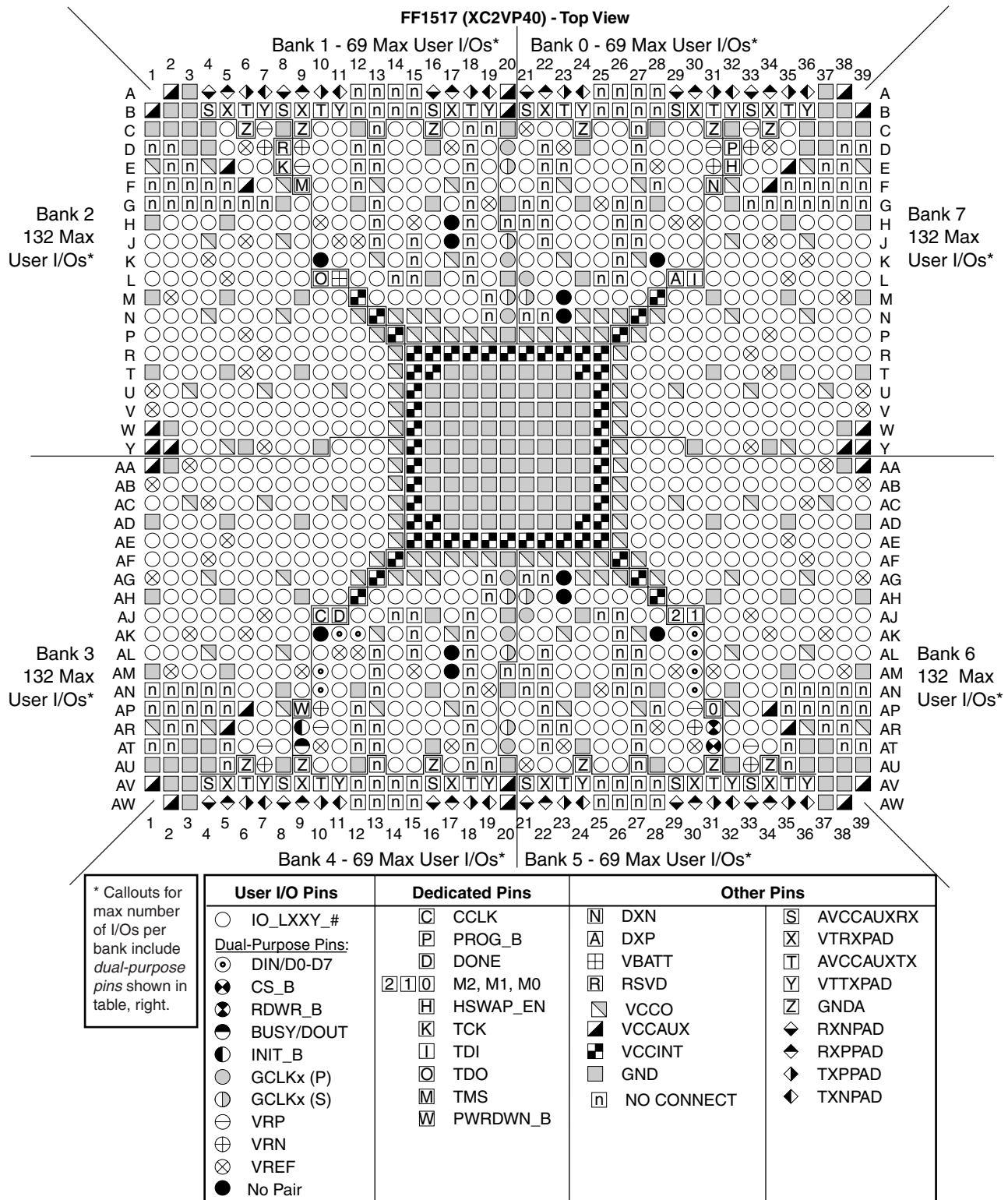
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PROG_B		DXP	VTRXPAD
DONE		VBATT	AVCCAUXTX
M2, M1, M0		RSVD	VTTXPAD
HSWAP_EN		VCCAUX	GNDA
TCK		VCCINT	RXNPAD
TDI		GND	RXPPAD
TDO		NO CONNECT	TXPPAD
TMS			TXNPAD
PWRDWN_B			

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Figure 4-44: FF1517 Dedicated/Other Pins (XC2VP50, XC2VP70)



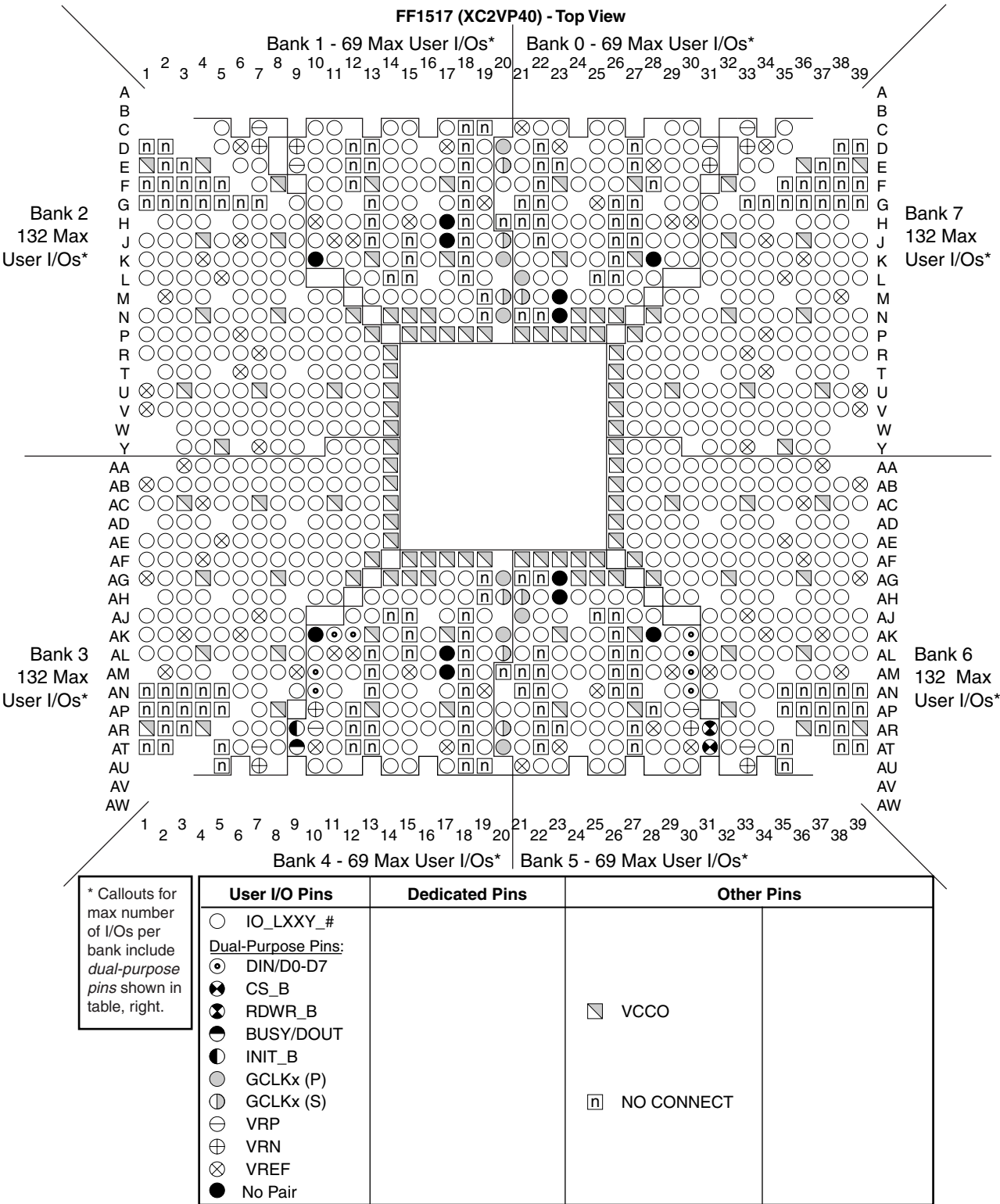
# FF1517 Composite Pinout Diagram (XC2VP40)



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Figure 4-45: FF1517 Composite Pinout Diagram (XC2VP40)

FF1517 Banked Pins (XC2VP40)

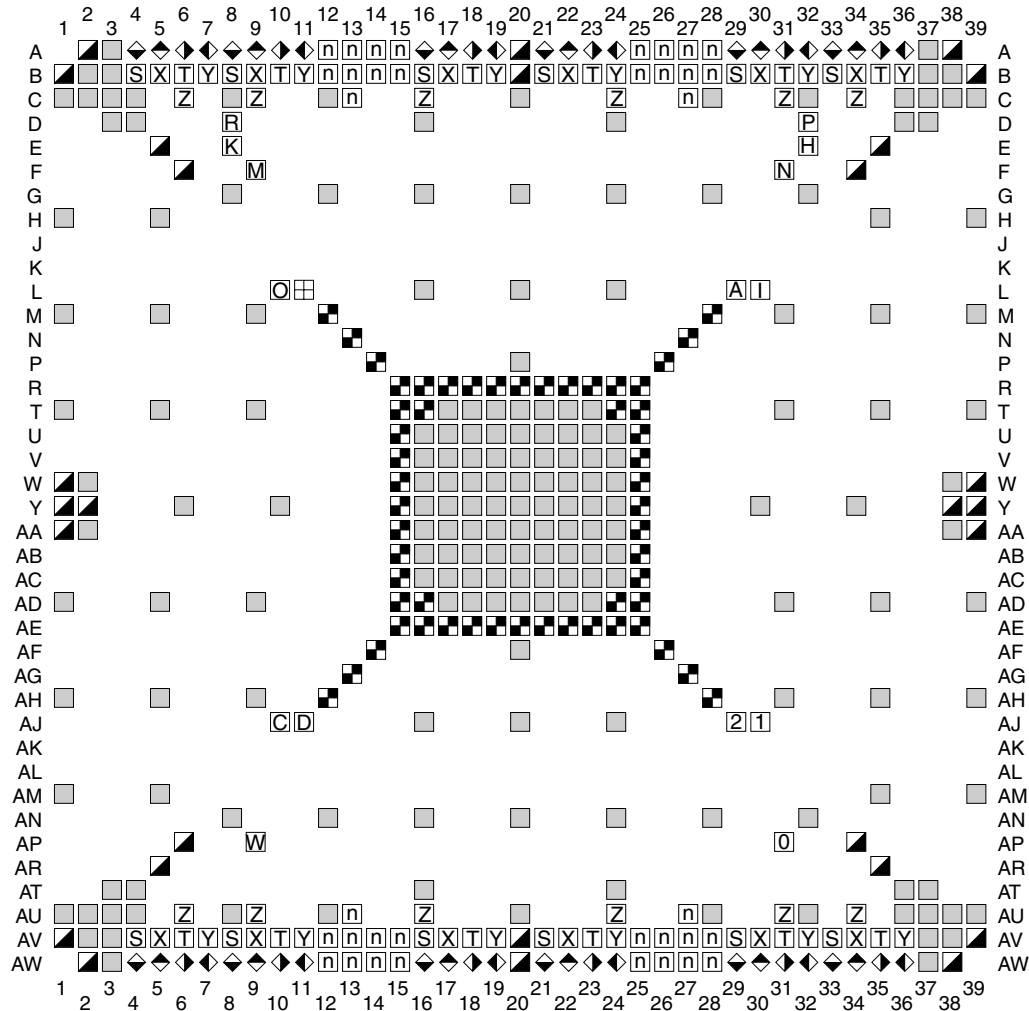





























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Figure 4-46: FF1517 Banked Pins (XC2VP40)

## FF1517 Dedicated/Other Pins (XC2VP40)

FF1517 (XC2VP40) - Top View



Dedicated Pins		Other Pins			
	CCLK		DXN		AVCCAUXRX
	PROG_B		DXP		VTRXPAD
	DONE		VBATT		AVCCAUXTX
	M2, M1, M0		RSVD		VTTXPAD
	HSWAP_EN				GNDA
	TCK		VCCAUX		RXNPAD
	TDI		VCCINT		RXPPAD
	TDO		GND		TXPPAD
	TMS		NO CONNECT		TXNPAD
	PWRDWN_B				

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Figure 4-47: FF1517 Dedicated/Other Pins (XC2VP40)



FF1704 Flip-Chip Fine-Pitch BGA Pinout Diagrams

FF1704 Composite Pinout Diagram (XC2VP100, XC2VP125)

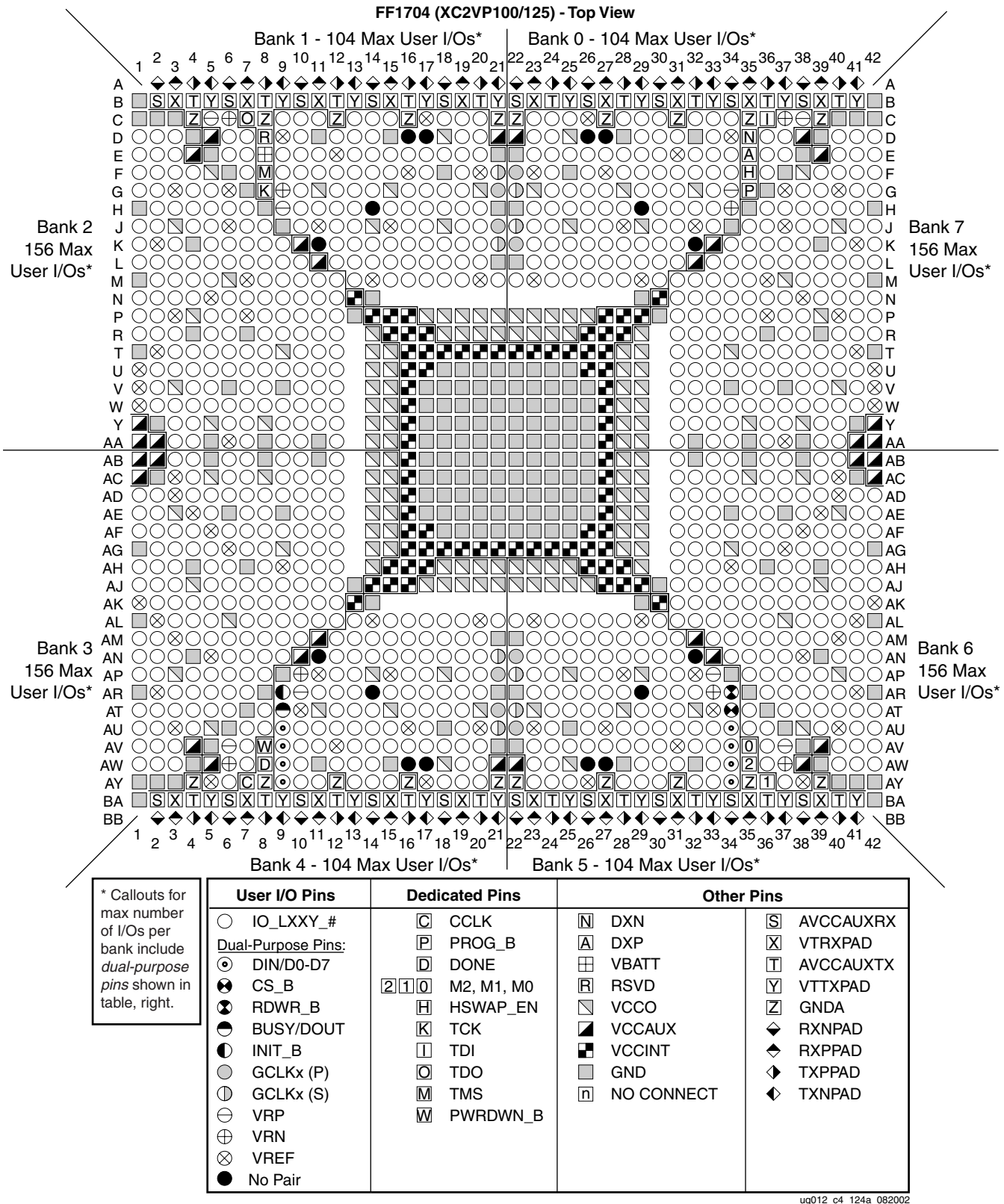


Figure 4-48: FF1704 Composite Pinout Diagram (XC2VP100, XC2VP125)

## FF1704 Banked Pins (XC2VP100, XC2VP125)

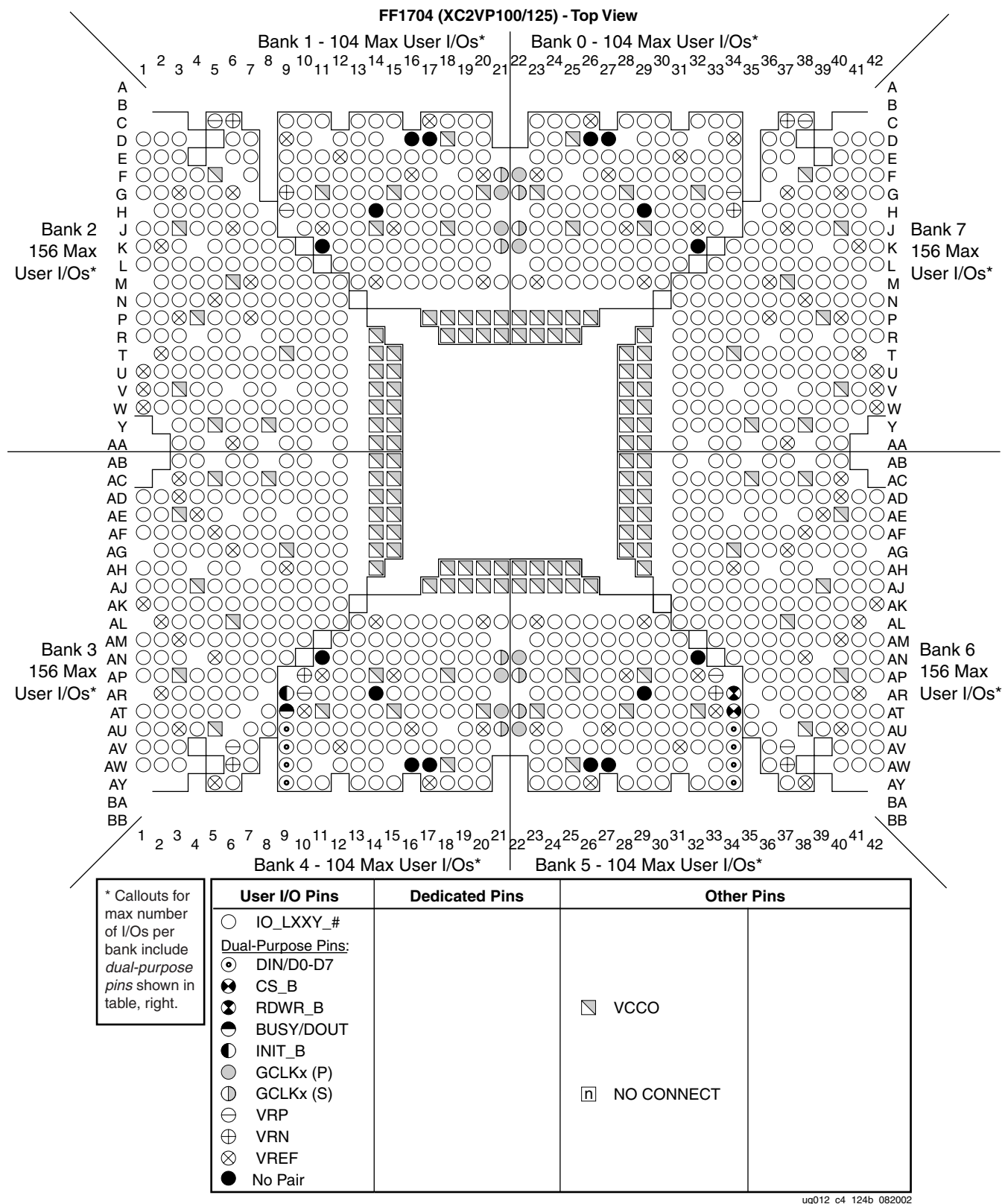


Figure 4-49: FF1704 Banked Pins (XC2VP100, XC2VP125)

FF1704 Composite Pinout Diagram (XC2VP70)

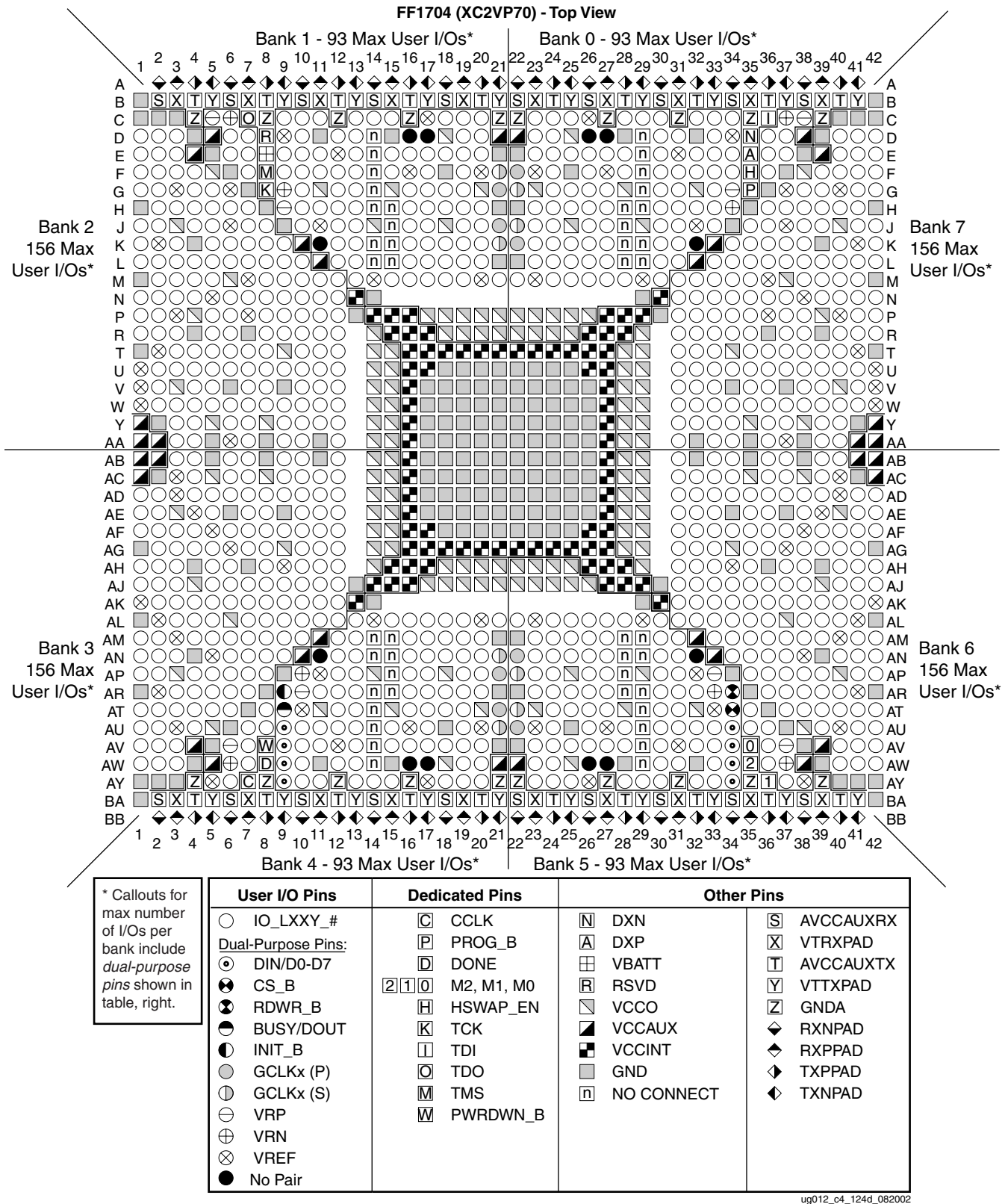


Figure 4-50: FF1704 Composite Pinout Diagram (XC2VP70)

## FF1704 Banked Pins (XC2VP70)

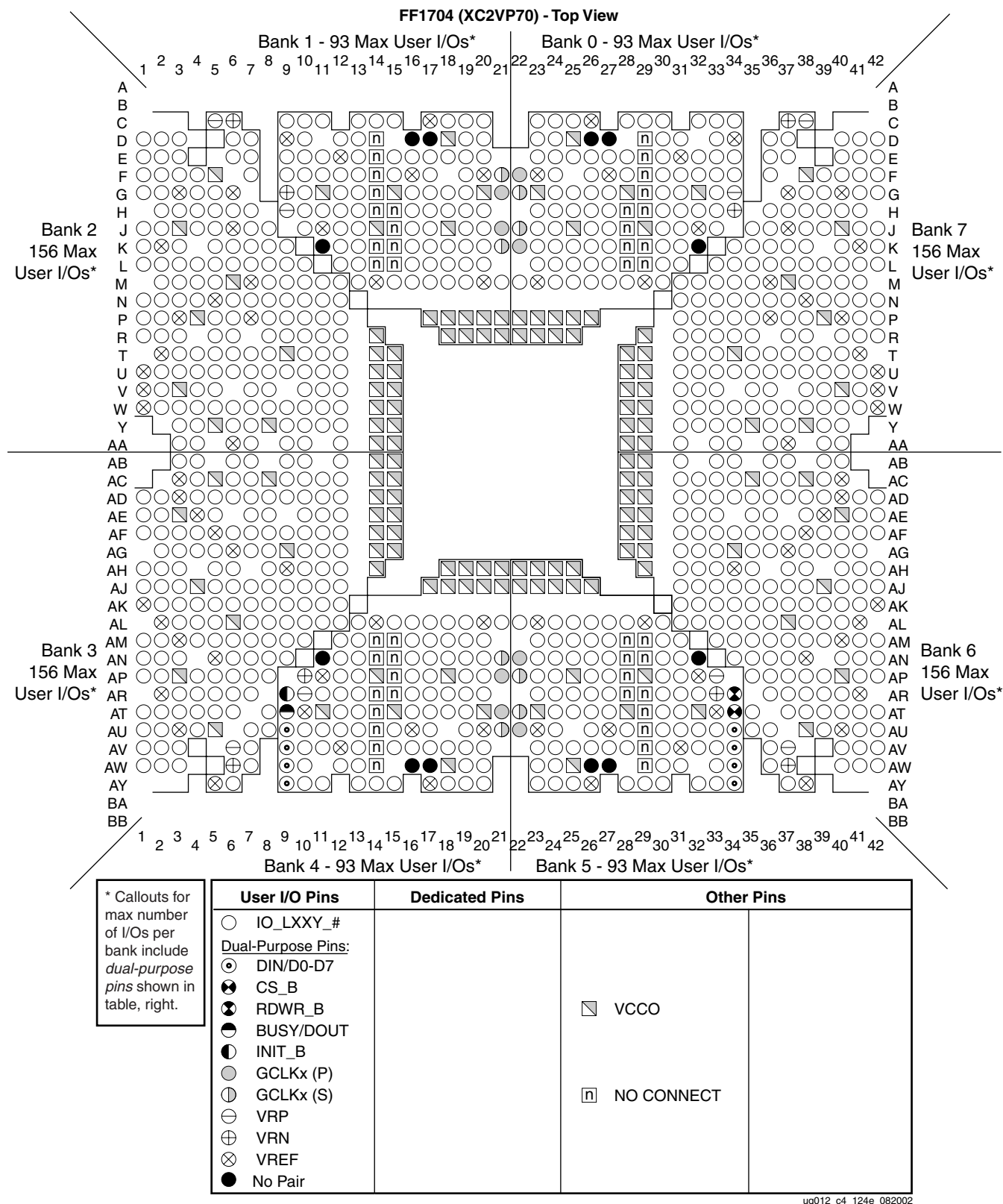
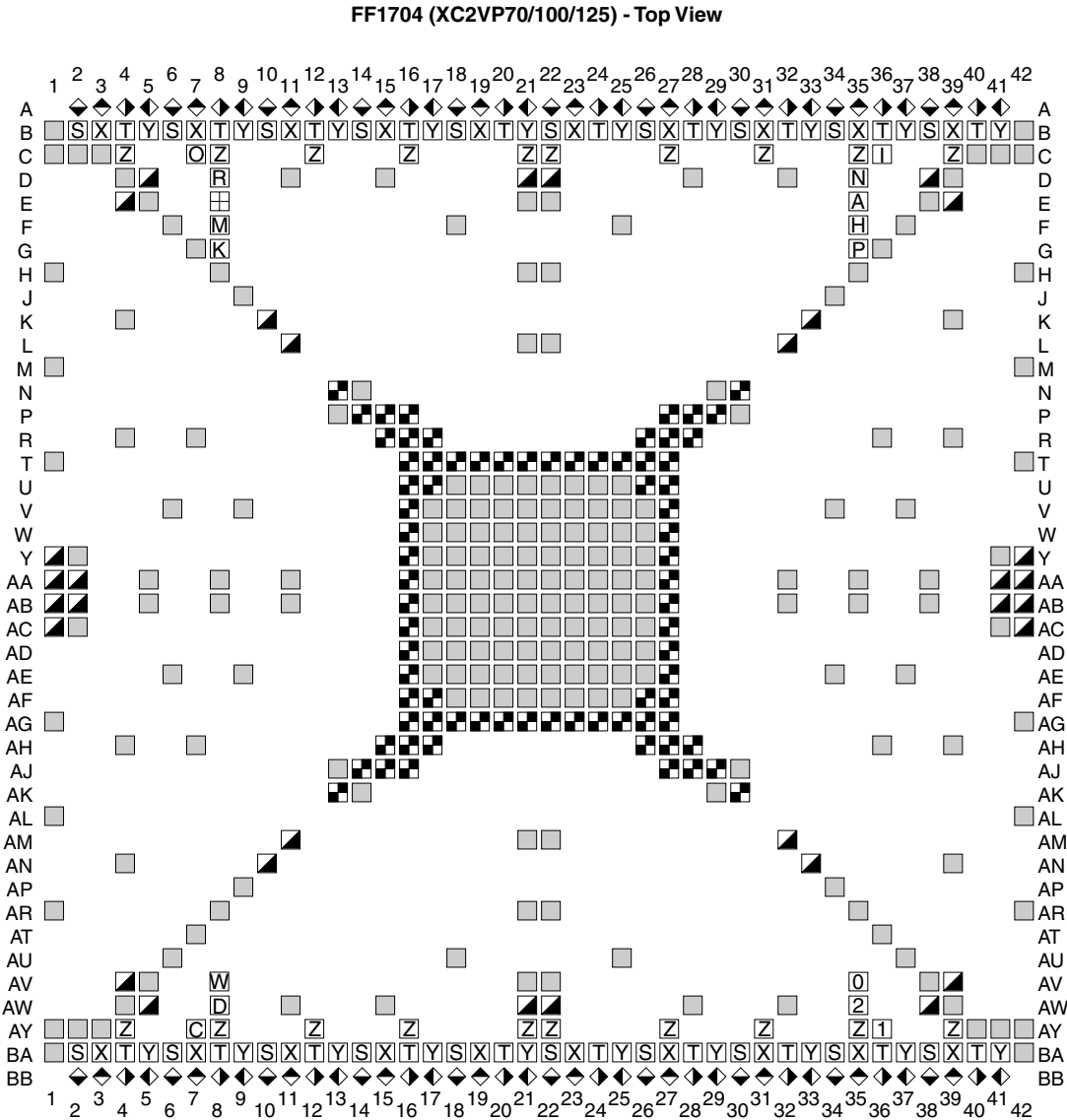


Figure 4-51: FF1704 Banked Pins (XC2VP70)

FF1704 Dedicated/Other Pins (XC2VP70, XC2VP100, XC2VP125)



Dedicated Pins		Other Pins	
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PROG_B		DXP	VTRXPAD
DONE		VBATT	AVCCAUXTX
M2, M1, M0		RSVD	VTTXPAD
HSWAP_EN		VCCAUX	GNDA
TCK		VCCINT	RXNPAD
TDI		GND	RXPPAD
TDO		NO CONNECT	TXPPAD
TMS			TXNPAD
PWRDWN_B			

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Figure 4-52: FF1704 Dedicated/Other Pins (XC2VP70, XC2VP100, XC2VP125)

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FF1696 Flip-Chip Fine-Pitch BGA Pinout Diagrams

FF1696 Composite Pinout Diagram (XC2VP125)

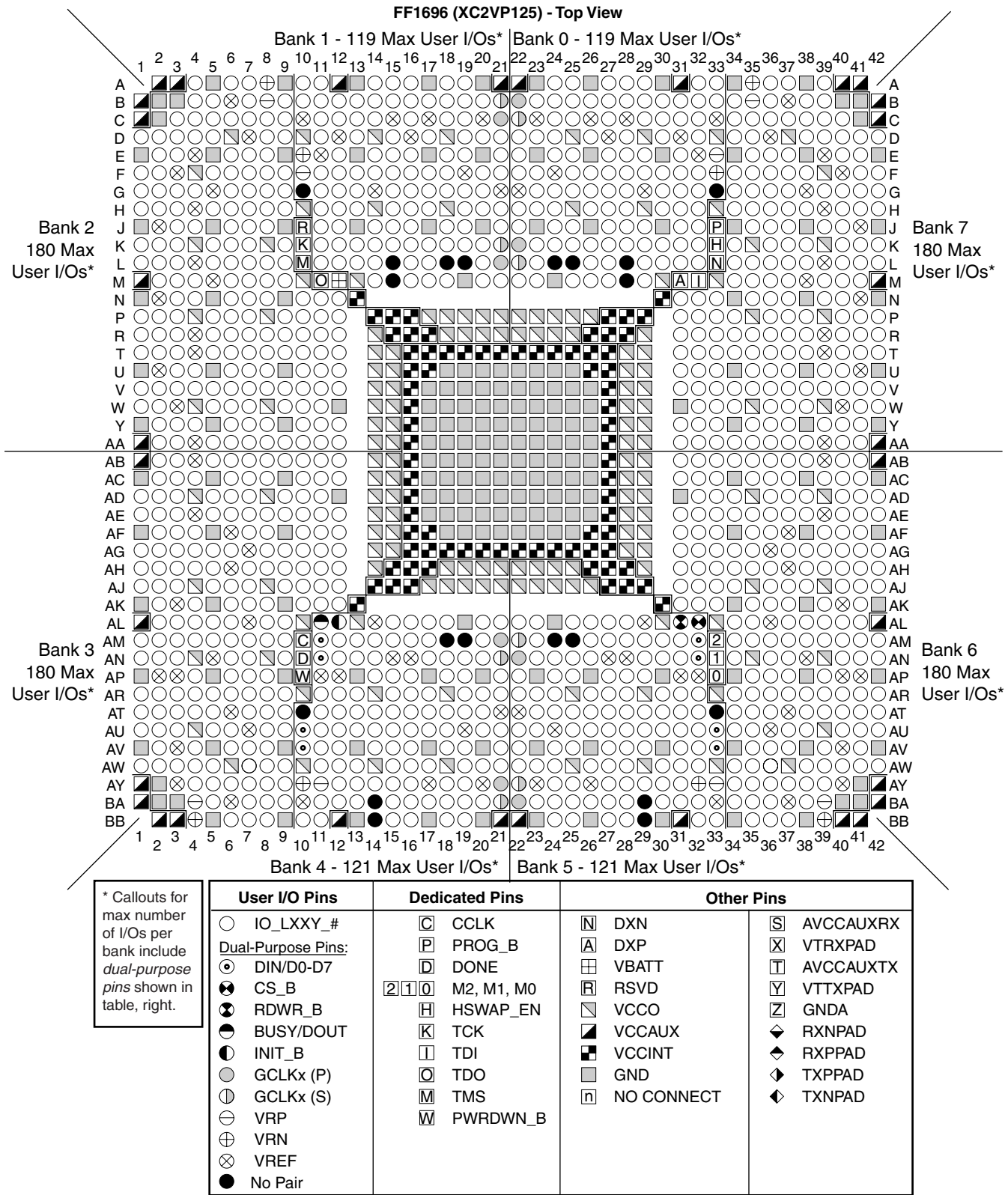


Figure 4-53: FF1696 Composite Pinout Diagram (XC2VP125)

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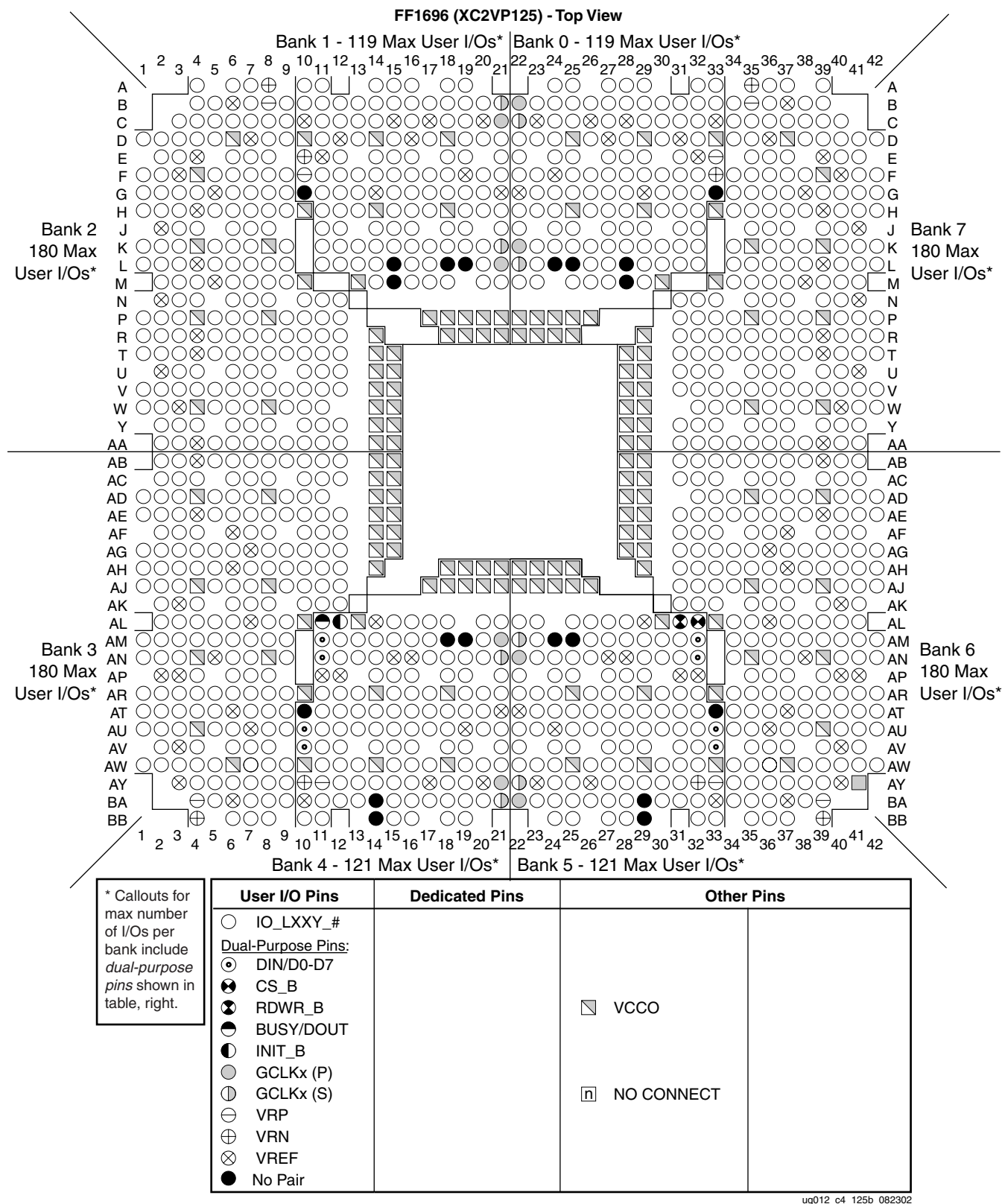


Figure 4-54: FF1696 Banked Pins (XC2VP125)



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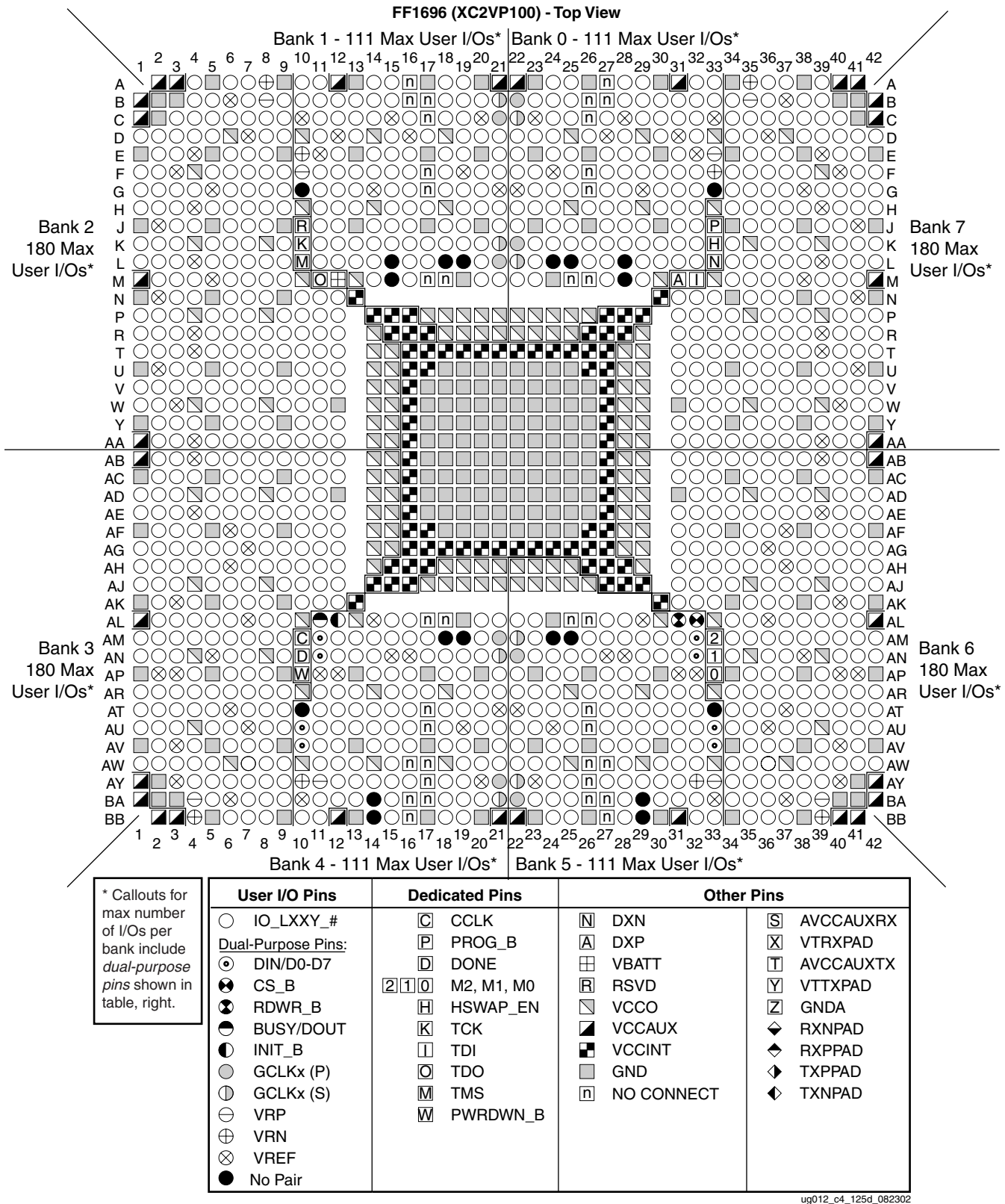


Figure 4-55: FF1696 Composite Pinout Diagram (XC2VP100)

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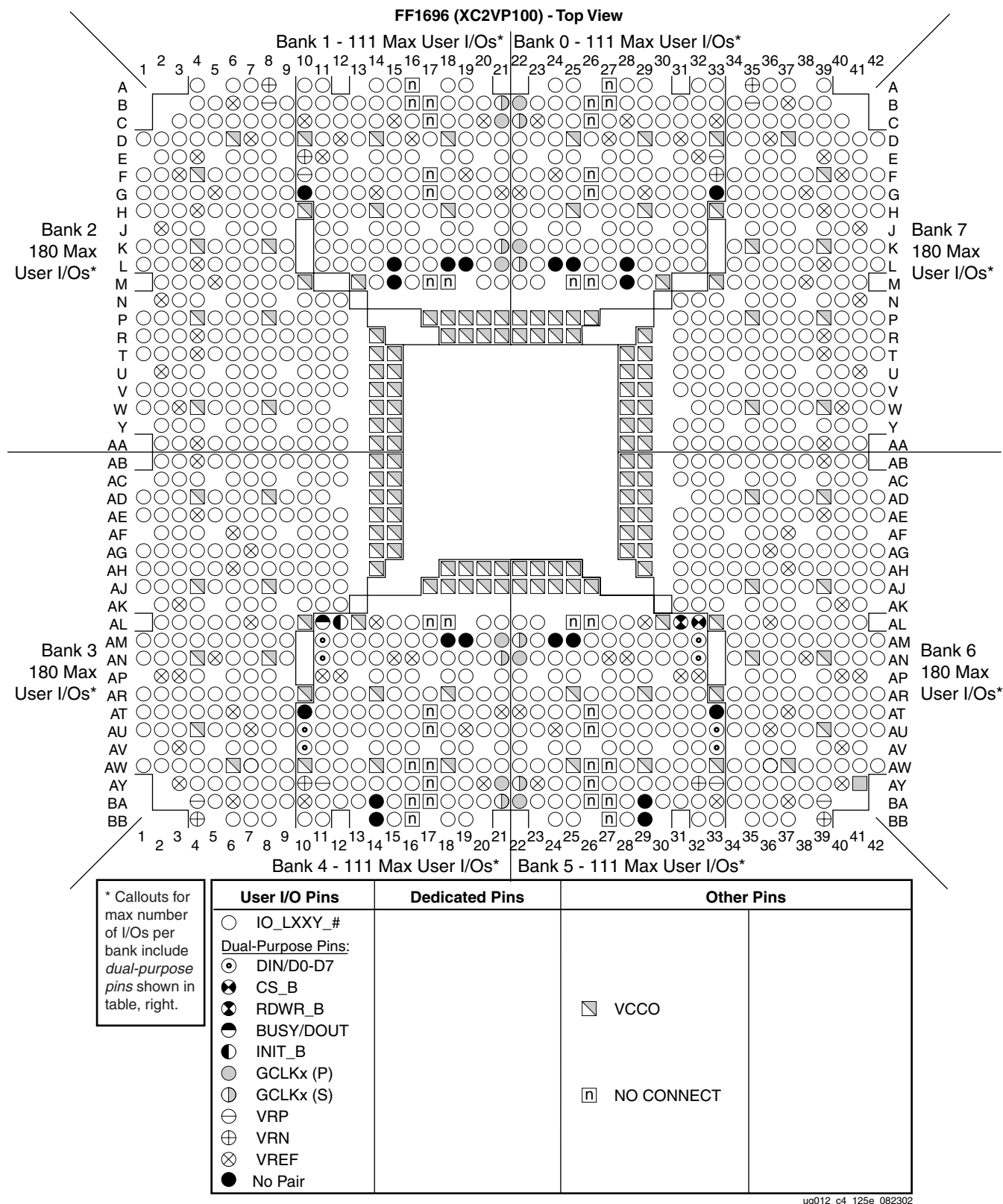
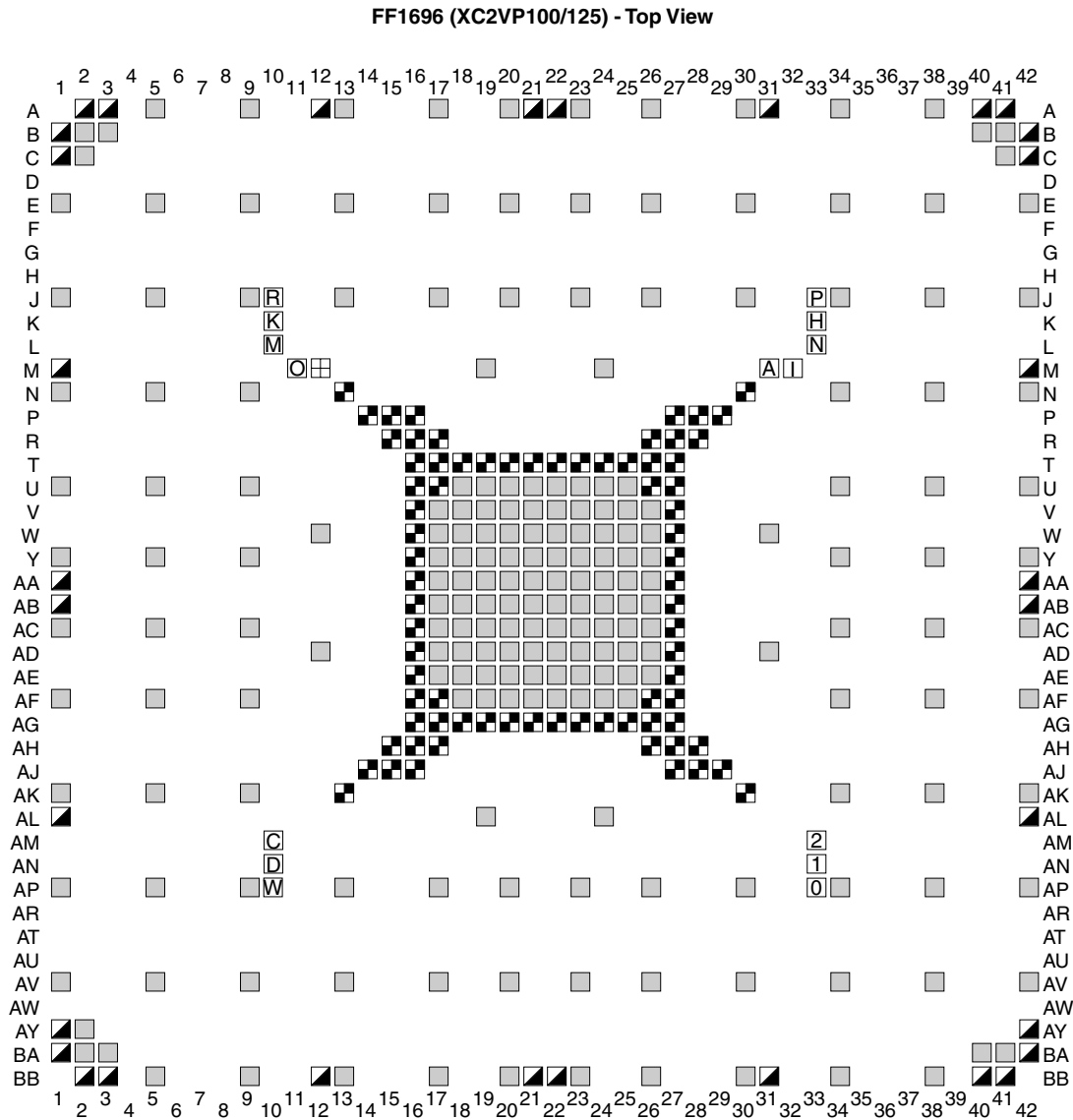


Figure 4-56: FF1696 Banked Pins (XC2VP100)

# FF1696 Dedicated/Other Pins (XC2VP100, XC2VP125)



Dedicated Pins		Other Pins	
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PROG_B		DXP	VTRXPAD
DONE		VBATT	AVCCAUTX
M2, M1, M0		RSVD	VTTXPA
HSWAP_EN		VCCAUX	GNDA
TCK		VCCINT	RXNPAD
TDI		GND	RXPPAD
TDO		NO CONNECT	TXPPAD
TMS			TXNPAD
PWRDWN_B			

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Figure 4-57: FF1696 Dedicated/Other Pins (XC2VP100, XC2VP125)

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## Package Specifications

This section contains specifications for the following Virtex-II Pro packages:

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# FG256 Fine-Pitch BGA Package (1.00 mm Pitch)

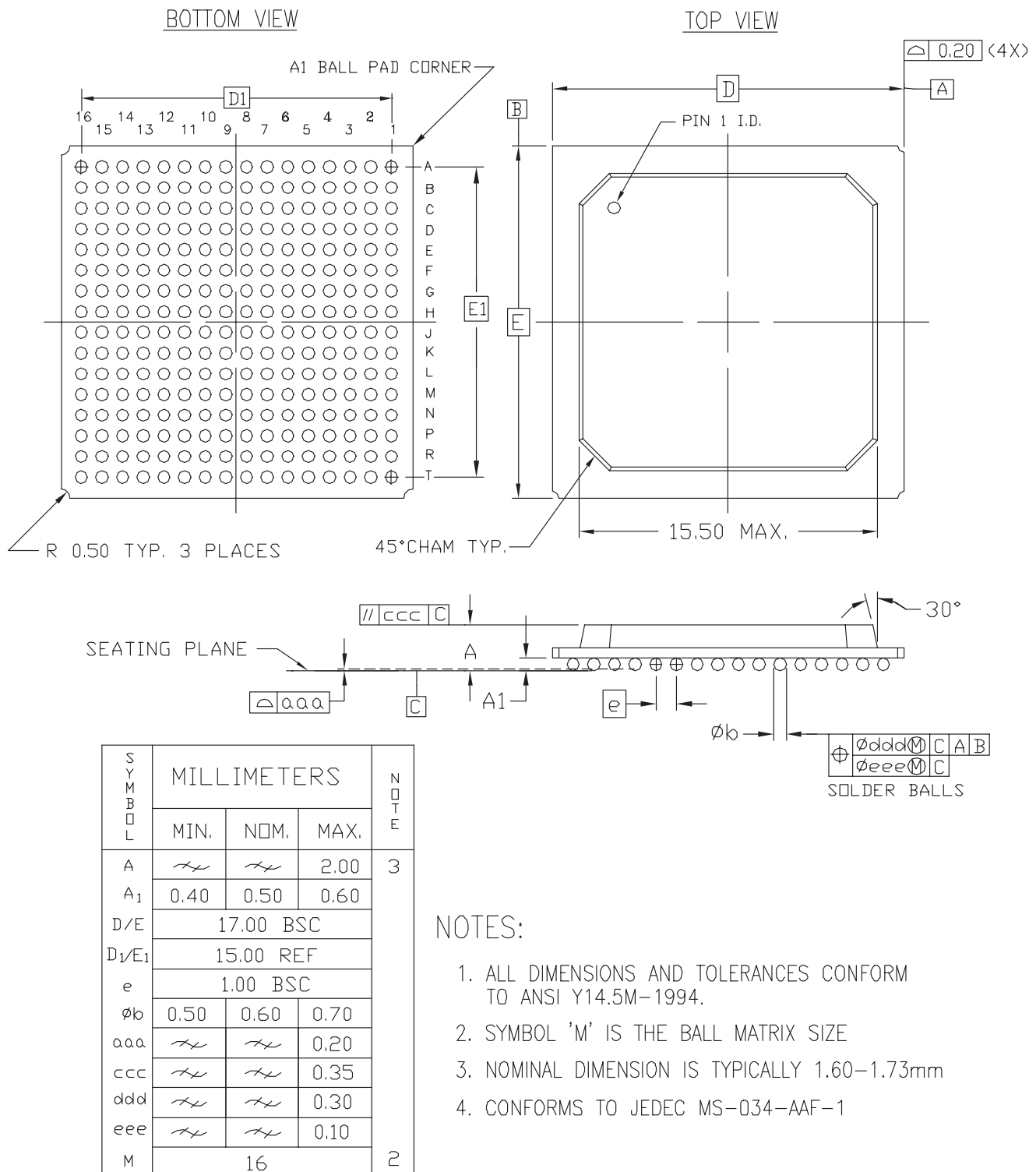


Figure 4-58: FG256 Fine-Pitch BGA Package

# FG456 Fine-Pitch BGA Package (1.00 mm Pitch)

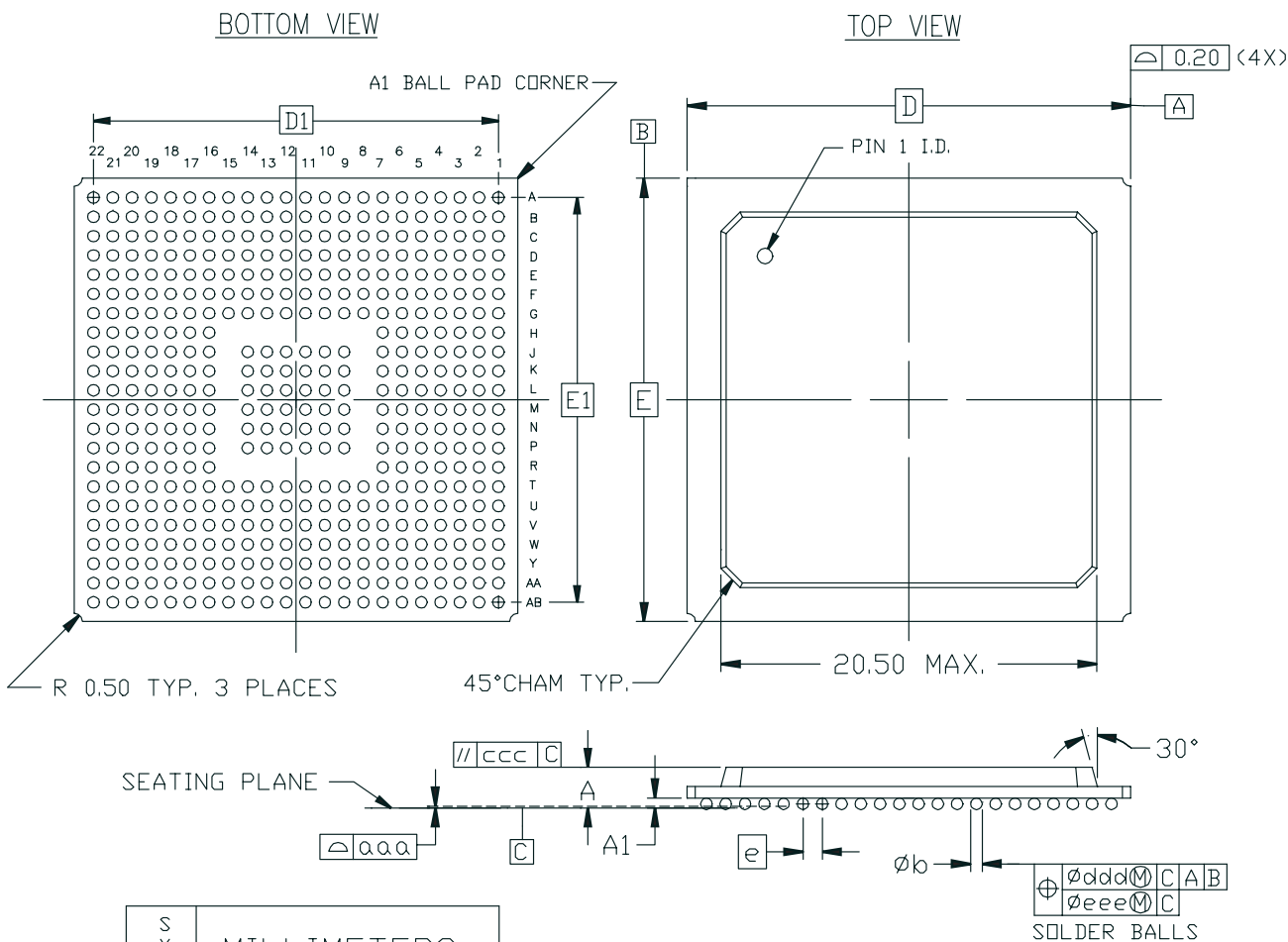


Figure 4-59: FG456 Fine-Pitch BGA Package

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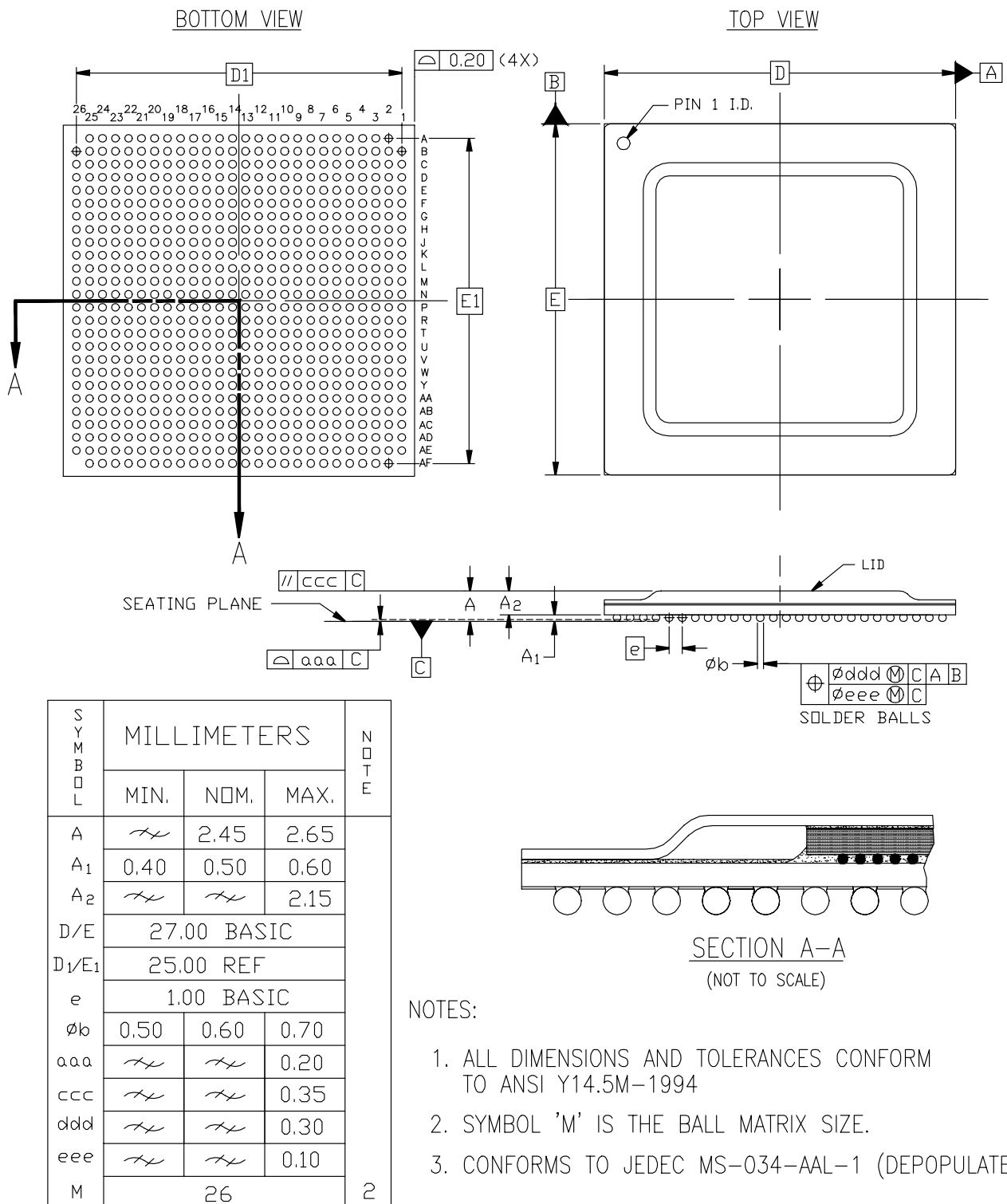


Figure 4-60: FF672 Flip-Chip Fine-Pitch BGA Package



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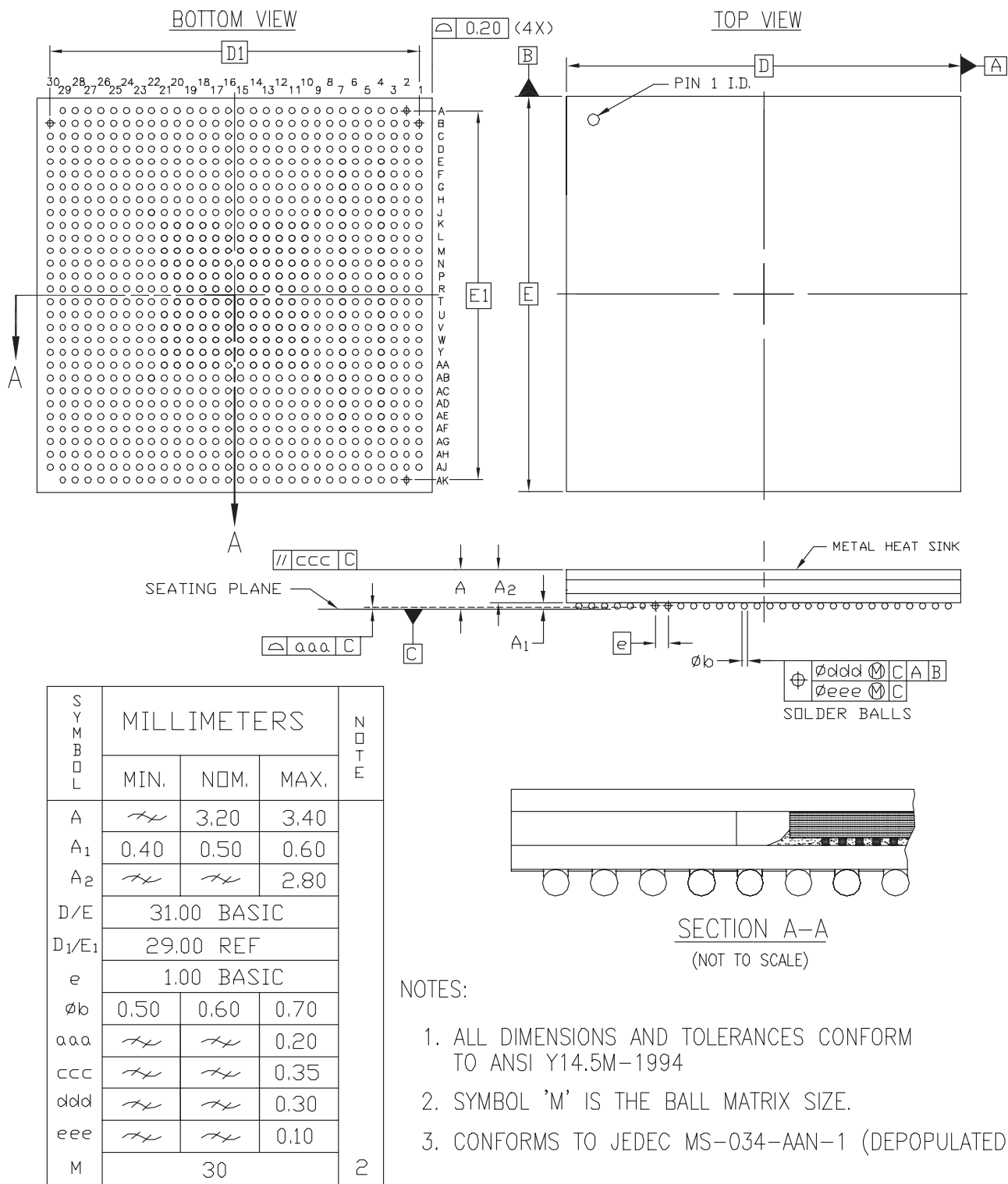


Figure 4-61: FF896 Flip-Chip Fine-Pitch BGA Package

# FF1152 Flip-Chip Fine-Pitch BGA Package (1.00 mm Pitch)

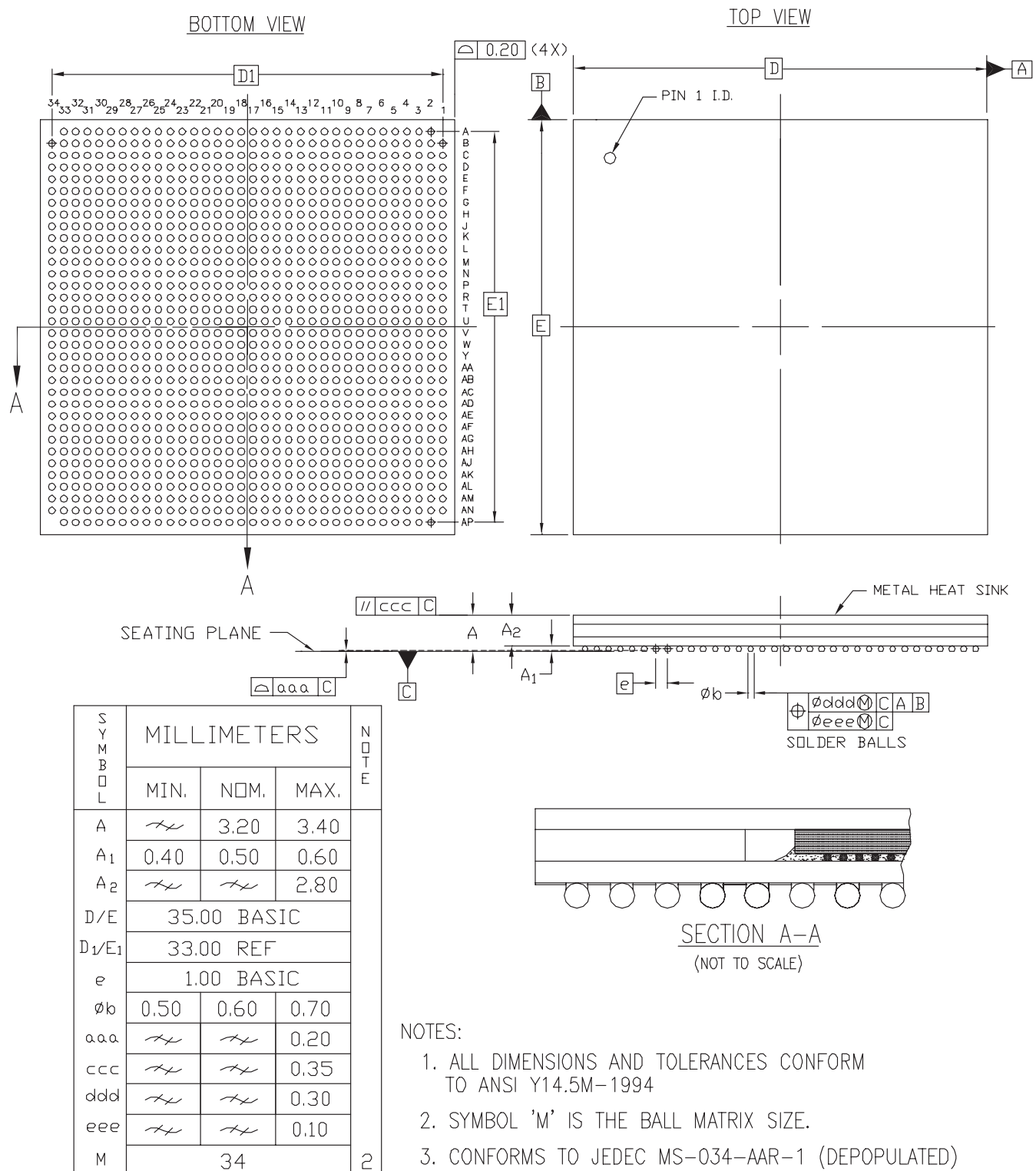


Figure 4-62: FF1152 Flip-Chip Fine-Pitch BGA Package

# FF1148 Flip-Chip Fine-Pitch BGA Package (1.00 mm Pitch)

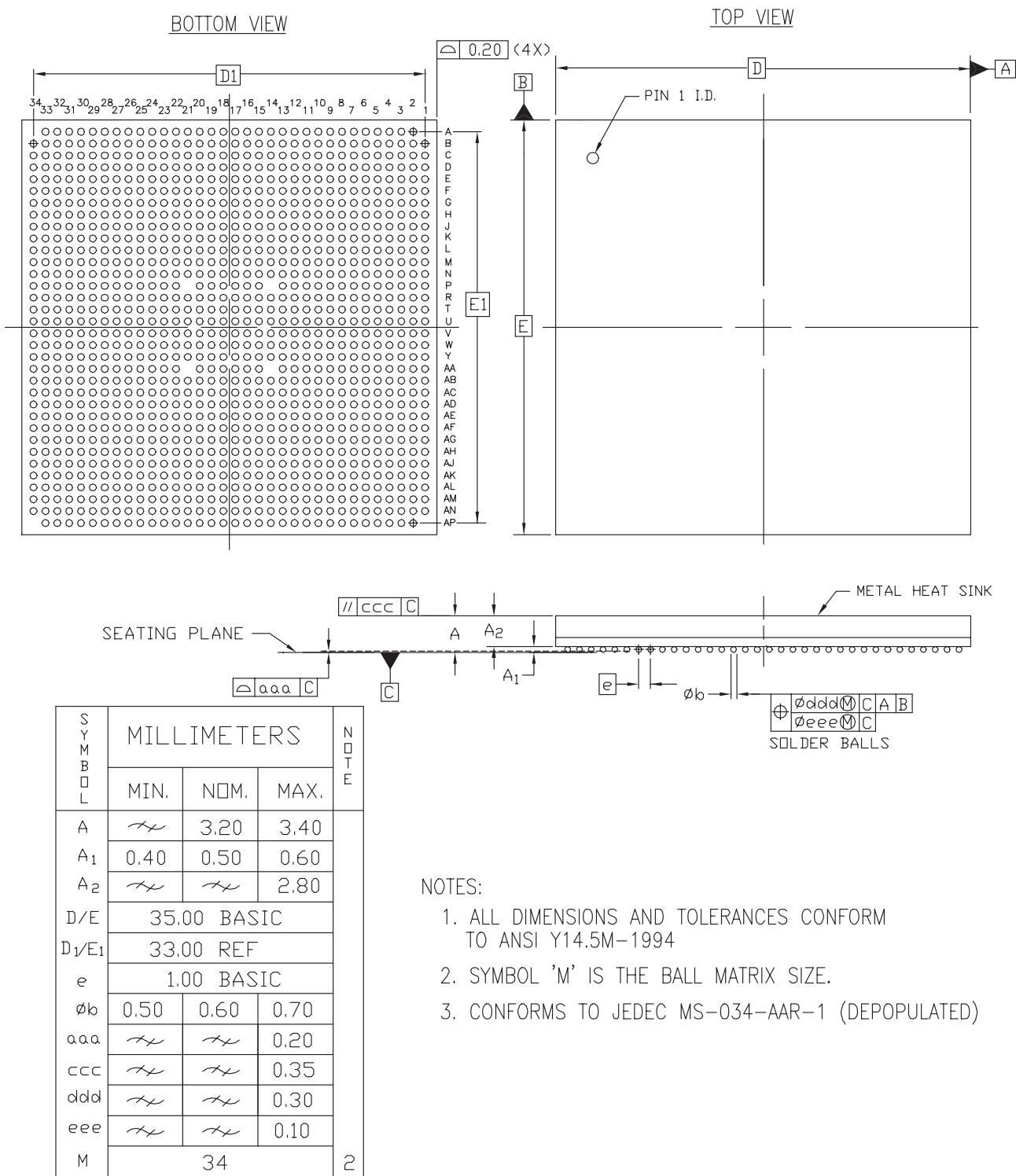


Figure 4-63: FF1148 Flip-Chip Fine-Pitch BGA Package

# FF1517 Flip-Chip Fine-Pitch BGA Package (1.00 mm Pitch)

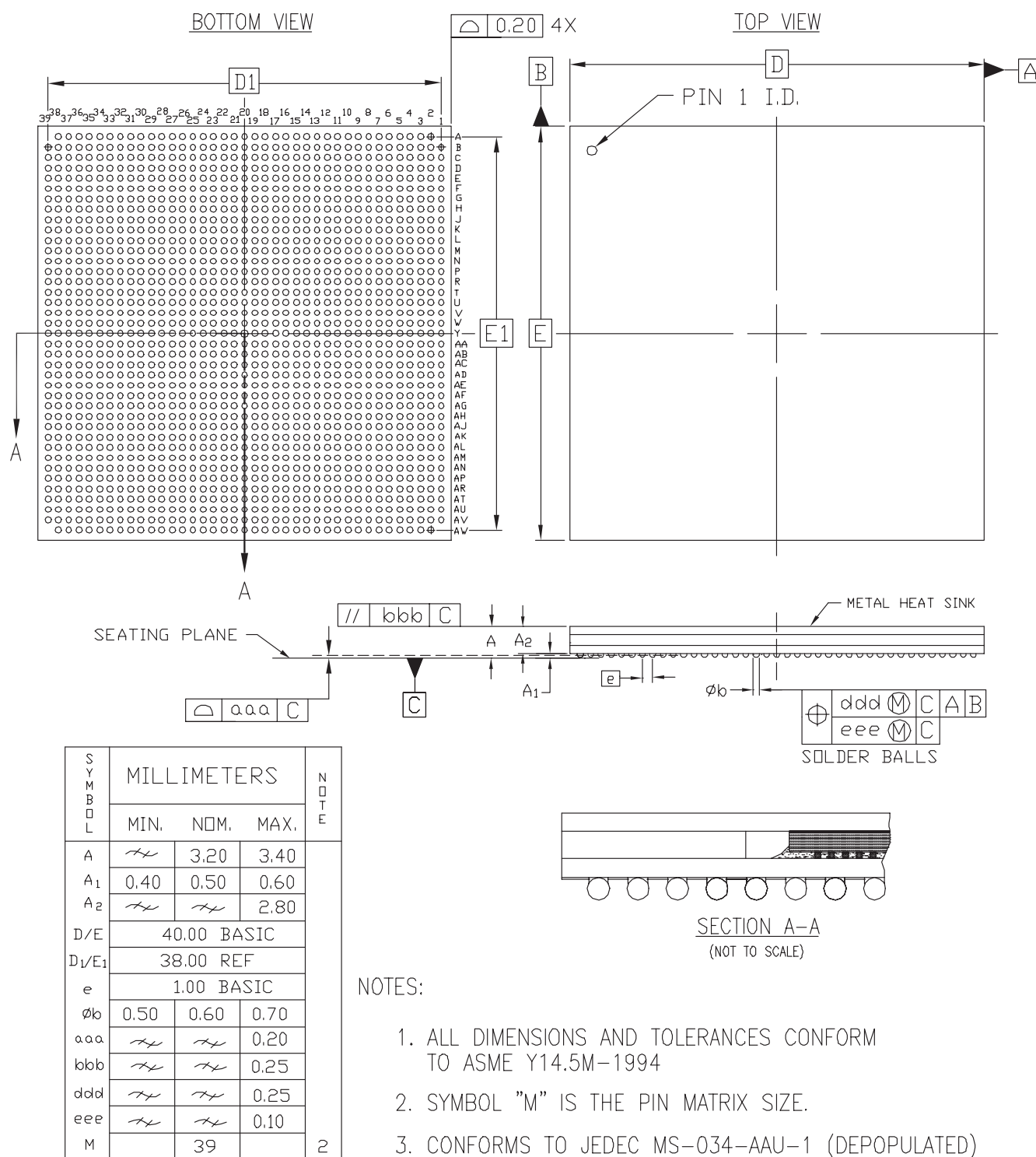


Figure 4-64: FF1517 Flip-Chip Fine-Pitch BGA Package

# FF1704 Flip-Chip Fine-Pitch BGA Package (1.00 mm Pitch)

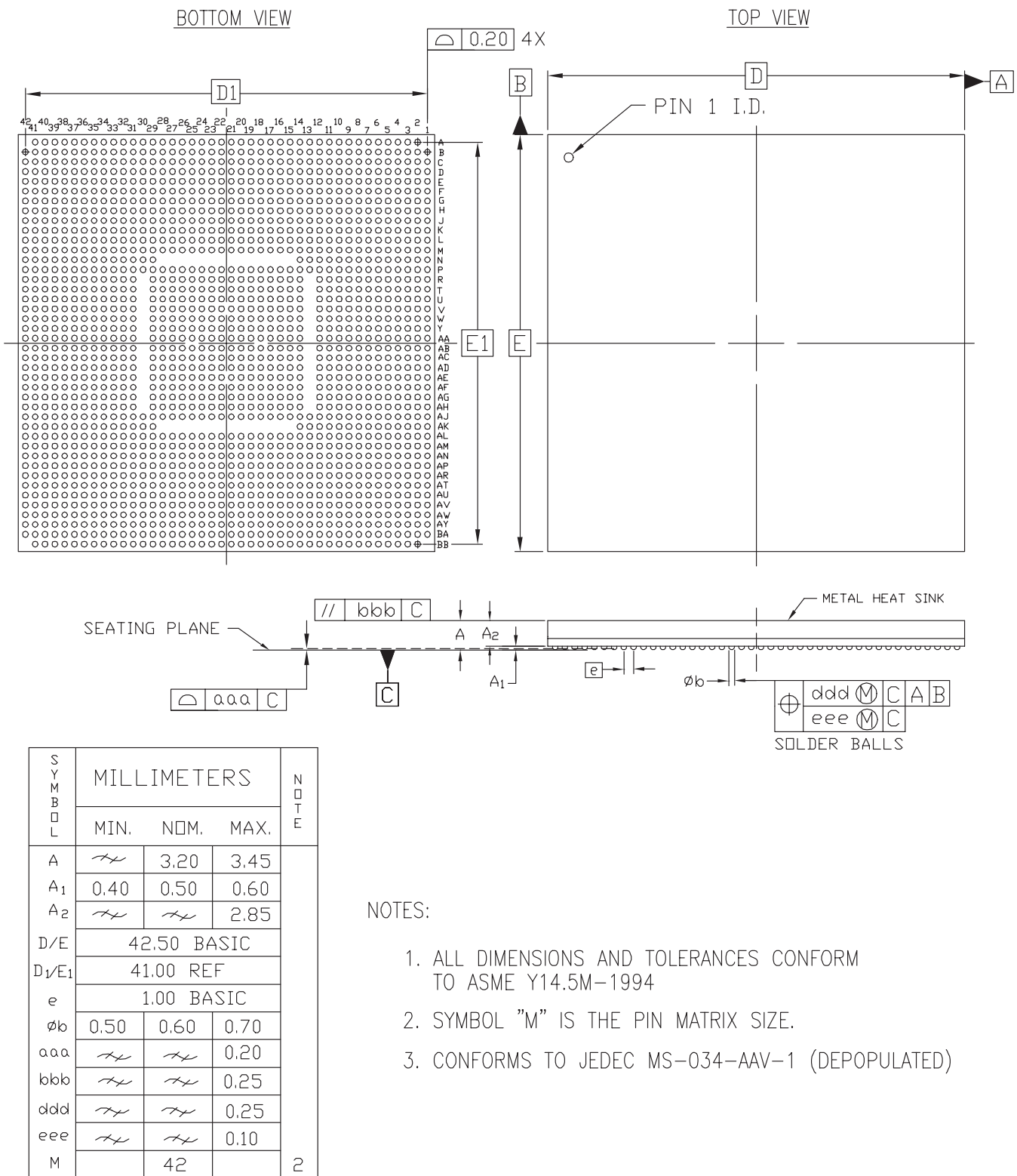


Figure 4-65: FF1704 Flip-Chip Fine-Pitch BGA Package

# FF1696 Flip-Chip Fine-Pitch BGA Package (1.00 mm Pitch)

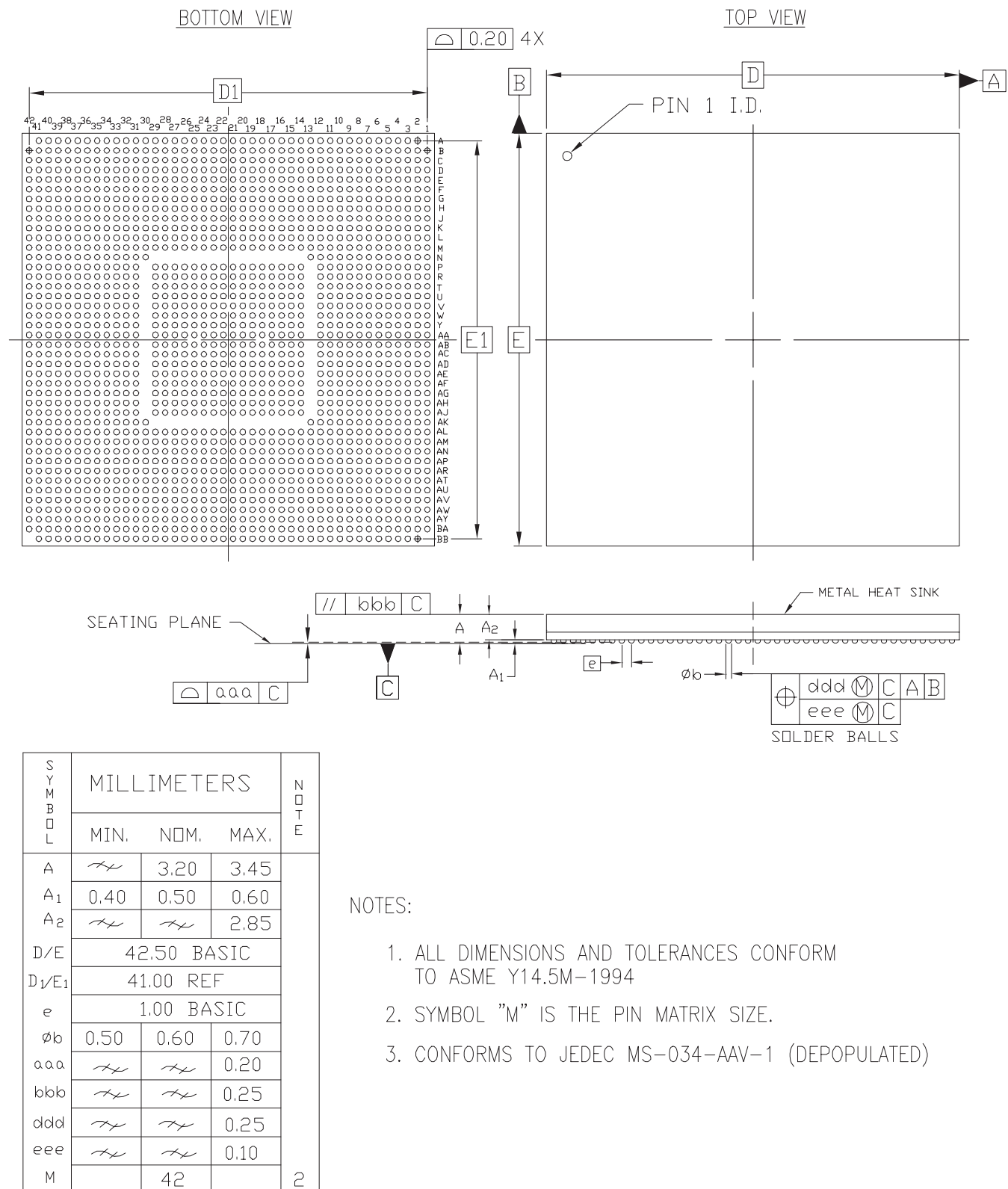


Figure 4-66: FF1696 Flip-Chip Fine-Pitch BGA Package

## Flip-Chip Packages

As silicon devices become more integrated with smaller feature sizes as well as increased functionality and performance, packaging technology is also evolving to take advantage of these silicon advancements. Flip-chip packaging is the latest packaging option introduced by Xilinx to meet the demand for high I/O count and high performance required by today's advanced applications.

Flip-chip packaging interconnect technology replaces peripheral bond pads of traditional wire-bond interconnect technology with area array interconnect at the die/substrate interface.

The area array pads contain wettable metallization for solders (either eutectic or high-lead), where a controlled amount of solder is deposited either by plating or screen-printing. These parts are then reflowed to yield bumped dies with relatively uniform solder bumps spread over the surface of the device. Unlike traditional packaging in which the die is attached to the substrate face up and the connection is made by using wire, the bumped die in a flip-chip package is flipped over and placed face down, with the conductive bumps connecting directly to the matching metal pads on the ceramic or organic laminate substrate. The solder material at molten stage is self-aligning and produces good joints even if the chip is placed offset on the substrate.

Flip-chip packages are assembled on high-density, multi-layer ceramic or organic laminate substrates. Since flip-chip bump pads are in area array configuration, very fine lines and geometry on the substrates are required to be able to successfully route the signals from the die to the periphery of the substrates. Multi-layer build-up structures offer this layout flexibility on flip-chip packages, and they provide improvements in power distribution and signal transmission characteristics.

### Advantages of Flip-Chip Technology

Flip-chip interconnections in combination with the advanced multi-layer laminated substrates provide superior performance over traditional wire-bond packaging. Benefits include:

- Easy access to core power/ground and shorter interconnects, resulting in better electrical performance
- Better noise control since the inductance of flip-chip interconnect is lower
- Excellent thermal performance due to direct heatsinking to backside of the die
- Higher I/O density since bond pads are in area array format
- Smaller size



# Thermal Data

## Thermal Considerations

The Virtex-II Pro device is a feature-rich FPGA product based on the high-performance Virtex-II architecture. The product incorporates numerous features such as multiple RocketIO™ Multi-Gigabit Transceivers (MGTs), one or more embedded IBM PowerPC processors, high-speed SelectIO™ technology supporting a variety of I/O standards, on-board digitally controlled impedance (DCI) technology, and much more. In fully configured designs that engage all these features at high clock rates, power consumption can add up quickly.

Unlike the features of ASICs or even of microprocessors, the combination of Virtex-II Pro features that will be utilized in an application are not known ahead of time. Therefore, as in previous FPGA devices, it remains challenging to predict the power requirements and resulting thermal management needs of a Virtex-II Pro device in a given package. These devices, therefore, do not come with a preset thermal solution. The end user's conditions will determine what solutions will be most appropriate. In consideration of the high heat-generating potential of the Virtex-II Pro devices, package offerings are tailored to include medium and high power capable options that allow external thermal management to meet the application's requirements.

Table 4-4 shows thermal resistance parameters for Virtex-II Pro packages. Estimated power consumption capability is given, as well. These values were derived using some typical thermal management assumptions as stated in the table. Table 4-4 provides only an example, and is not intended as a maximum power dissipation specification.

Table 4-4: Thermal Data for Virtex-II Pro Packages

Package	Lead Pitch (mm)	Junction-to-Ambient Theta-JA Range, in Air (°C/Watt)	Junction-to-Case Theta-JC Range, Cold Plate (°C/Watt)	Junction-to-Board Psi-JB ("Theta-JB") Typical (°C/Watt)	Max Power, Bare Pkg (Watts) T <sub>A</sub> = 50 °C T <sub>JMAX</sub> = 100 °C	Power With Heatsink (Watts) Theta-SA = 1.5 °C/Watt Theta-CS = 0.1 °C/Watt T <sub>A</sub> = 50° C, T <sub>J</sub> = 100° C
FG256, 2-4L PCB, 17x17	1.0	24 - 28	3.0 - 5.0	14.0	1.7	N/A <sup>(1)</sup>
FG456, 4L PCB, 23x23	1.0	18 - 22	2.0 - 2.5	10.0	2.5	N/A <sup>(1)</sup>
FF672, 27x27 Flip-Chip	1.0	14 -16	1.5	6.5	3.3	16
FF896, 31x31 Flip-Chip	1.0	10 - 12	1.1	3.7	4.5	21
FF1152, 35x35 Flip-Chip	1.0	10 - 12	1.1	3.7	4.5	21
FF1148, 35x35 Flip-Chip	1.0	10 - 12	1.1	3.7	4.5	21
FF1517, 40x40 Flip-Chip	1.0	10 - 12	1.1	3.7	4.5	21
FF1704, 42.5x42.5 Flip-Chip	1.0	10 - 12	1.1	3.7	4.5	21
FF1696, 42.5x42.5 Flip-Chip	1.0	10 - 12	1.1	3.7	4.5	21
θ <sub>JA</sub> (Theta-JA): Thermal resistance, junction-to-ambient (Xilinx-supplied) θ <sub>JC</sub> (Theta-JC): Thermal resistance, junction-to-case (use with ratio of heat through the top) Ψ <sub>JB</sub> (Psi-JB, or "Theta-JB"): Thermal resistance in still air, junction-to-board θ <sub>SA</sub> (Theta-SA): Thermal resistance, heatsink (manufacturer-supplied) θ <sub>CS</sub> (Theta-CS): Thermal resistance, heatsink adhesive (manufacturer-supplied)						

### Notes:

1. The heat sink used in this example is not mechanically compatible with the FG256 and FG456 packages.

Virtex-II Pro packages can be grouped into three broad performance categories: low, medium, and high, based on their power handling capabilities. All of the packages can use external thermal enhancements, which can range from simple airflow to schemes that can include passive as well as active heatsinks. This is particularly true for high-performance



flip-chip packages where system designers have the option to further enhance the packages to handle in excess of 20 watts, with arrangements that take system physical constraints into consideration. [Table 4-5](#) shows simple but incremental power management schemes that can be brought to bear on flip-chip packages.

**Table 4-5: Virtex-II Pro Flip-Chip Thermal Management**

Power	Technique	Description
Low End (1 - 6 watts)	Bare package with moderate air 8 - 12 °C/Watt	Bare package. Package can be used with moderate airflow within a system.
Mid Range (4 - 10 watts)	Passive heatsink with air 5 - 10 °C/Watt	Package is used with various forms of passive heatsinks and heat spreader techniques.
High End (8 - 25 watts)	Active heatsink 2 - 3 °C/Watt or better	Package is used with active heatsinks, TEC, and board-level heat spreader techniques

## Thermal Management Options

The following are thermal management options to consider:

- For moderate power dissipation (2 to 6 watts), the use of passive heatsinks and heatspreaders attached with thermally conductive double-sided tapes or retainers can offer quick thermal solutions.
- The use of lightweight finned external passive heatsinks can be effective for dissipating up to 10 watts. The more efficient external heatsinks tend to be tall and heavy. To help protect component joints from bulky heatsink-induced stresses, the use of spring loaded pins or clips that transfer the mounting stress to a circuit board is advisable. The diagonals of some of these heatsinks can be designed with extensions to allow direct connections to the board.
- Flip-chip packages: All flip-chip packages are thermally enhanced BGAs with die facing down. They are offered with exposed metal heatsink at the top. These high-end thermal packages lend themselves to the application of external heatsinks (passive or active) for further heat removal efficiency. Again, precaution should be taken to prevent component damage when a bulky heatsink is attached.
- Active heatsinks can include a simple heatsink incorporating a mini fan or even a Peltier Thermoelectric Cooler (TECs) with a fan to blow away any heat generated. Any considerations to apply TEC in heat management should require consultation with experts in using the device, since these devices can be reversed and cause damage to the components. Also, condensation can be an issue.
- Outside the package itself, the board on which the package sits can have a significant impact on thermal performance. Board designs can be implemented to take advantage of a board's ability to spread heat. The effect of the board is dependent on its size and how it conducts heat. Board size, the level of copper traces on it, and the number of buried copper planes all lower the junction-to-ambient thermal resistance for packages mounted on the board.

The junction-to-board thermal resistance for Virtex-II Pro packages are given in [Table 4-4](#). A standard JEDEC type board was used for obtaining the data. Users need to be aware that a direct heat path to the board from a component also exposes the component to the effect of other heat sources - particularly if the board is not cooled effectively. An otherwise cooler component might be heated by other heat contributing components on the board.

# Printed Circuit Board Considerations

## Layout Considerations

The PC board is no longer just a means to hold ICs in place. At today's high clock rates and fast signal transitions, the PC board performs a vital function in feeding stable supply voltages to the IC and in maintaining signal integrity between devices.

### $V_{CC}$ and Ground Planes

Since CMOS power consumption is dynamic, it is a non-trivial task to assure stable supply voltages at the device pins and to minimize ground differentials. A multi-layer PC board is a must, with four layers for the simplest circuits, 6 to 12 layers for typical boards. Ground and  $V_{CC}$  must each be distributed in complete layers with few holes. Slots in these layers would cause an unacceptable inductive voltage drop, when the supply current changes at a rate of 1 A/ns, or even faster. Besides an uninterrupted ground plane, Virtex-II Pro devices require one plane for  $V_{CCINT}$  (1.5V) plus one plane for  $V_{CCAUX}$  (2.5V).  $V_{CCO}$  can be distributed on wide sections of split plane layers. Note that signal traces on adjacent layers should not be routed across these plane splits.

Beyond low resistance and inductance, ground and  $V_{CC}$  planes combined can also provide a small degree of  $V_{CC}$  decoupling. The capacitance between two planes is  $\sim 180$  pF/inch<sup>2</sup> or  $\sim 28$  pF/cm<sup>2</sup>, assuming 5mil (0.125 mm) spacing with FR4 epoxy.

### $V_{CC}$ Decoupling

Fast changing  $I_{CC}$  transitions must be supplied by local decoupling capacitors, placed very closely to the  $V_{CC}$  device pins or balls. These capacitors must have sufficient capacitance to supply  $I_{CC}$  for a few nanoseconds, and must have low intrinsic resistance and inductance. X7R or NPO ceramic surface-mounted capacitors of 0.01 to 0.1  $\mu$ F, one per  $V_{CC}$  device pin, are appropriate. 0.1  $\mu$ F can supply 1A for 2 ns with a 20 mV voltage droop.

$$1A \cdot 2 \text{ ns} = 2 \text{ nanocoulomb} = 100 \text{ nF} \cdot 0.02V$$

Low impedance at >100 MHz is important. Some capacitance variation with temperature is acceptable. A series of values of decoupling capacitors are needed in order to supply transient current to the device over all frequency ranges. The highest frequency capacitors should be in the range of 300 pF to 1 nF. The smallest capacitors are the first-line source for  $I_{CC}$ , and they must be placed very close to the  $V_{CC}$  pins. An inch of copper plane represents an inductance of several nanohenries, defeating the purpose of the decoupling capacitor. Therefore, the highest frequency (smallest value) capacitors should be mounted within 0.4 inches (1 cm) of the  $V_{CC}$  and ground pin pair that it is decoupling. On large full-array BGA packages like the FF1152 and FF1517, following the decoupling guidelines presents implementation challenges. Note that the power and ground balls on these packages are grouped in banks. A subset of the initial line of high-frequency decoupling capacitors should be mounted directly opposite the component on the reverse side of the board and within the apparent boundary of the component. At least one and typically two 0.1  $\mu$ F chipcaps per bank should be used. The balance of the high-frequency bypass requirements can be implemented outside the periphery on these full-array packages. Backing up this local decoupling is one tantalum capacitor of 10  $\mu$ F to 100  $\mu$ F, able to supply multiple amperes for about 100 ns.

Finally, each board needs a power-supply decoupling electrolytic capacitor of 1000  $\mu$ F to 10,000  $\mu$ F, able to supply even more current for a portion of the supply switching period. As described below, larger capacitors inevitably have higher series resistance and inductance, which is the reason for the above-mentioned hierarchy of supply decoupling. As a general rule, multiple capacitors in parallel always offer lower resistance and inductance than any single capacitor.

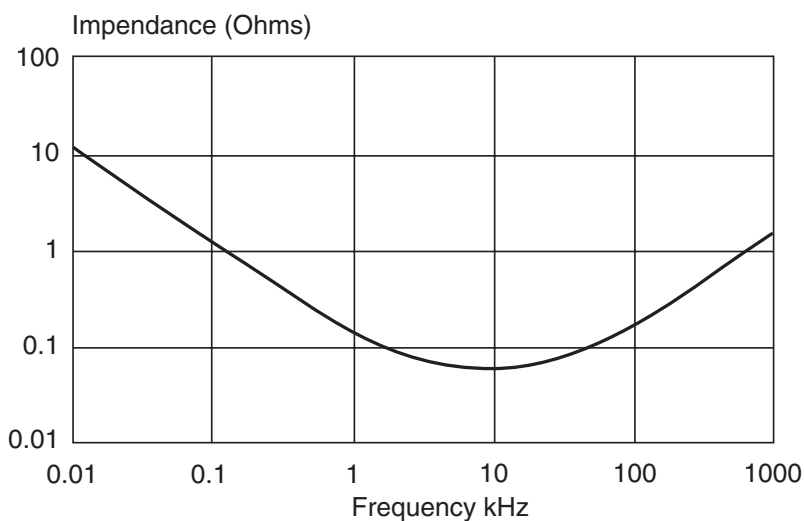
Bypass capacitors must have vias (at least two per pad) abutting the pads, or vias in the pads, to provide the lowest inductance connection.

## Decoupling Capacitors

The ideal decoupling capacitor would present a short circuit to ground for all AC signals. A real capacitor combines a given amount of capacitance with unavoidable parasitics, a small series resistance, and inductance. At low frequencies, the composite impedance is capacitive: that is, it decreases with increasing frequency. At high frequencies, it is inductive and increases with frequency, making the decoupling ineffective. In between, there is the LC resonant frequency, where the capacitor looks like a small resistor. This is the range where it is most effective.

Different technologies provide different trade-offs between desirable features like small size and high capacitance, and undesirable features like series resistance and inductance. Electrolytic and tantalum capacitors offer the largest capacitance in a given physical size, but also have the highest inductance. This makes them useful for decoupling low frequencies and storing large amounts of charge, but useless for high frequency decoupling. Surface-mount ceramic capacitors, on the other hand, offer the lowest inductance and the best high-frequency performance, but offer only a small amount of capacitance, usually less than a microfarad.

Figure 4-67 shows the frequency-dependent impedance and resistance of a typical electrolytic capacitor of 1500  $\mu\text{F}$ , while Figure 4-68 and Figure 4-69 show the equivalent data for ceramic bypass capacitors of 33,000 pF and 3,300 pF, respectively. Note that the resonant frequency for the small ceramic bypass capacitor at 100 MHz is 10,000 times higher than the resonance frequency of the large electrolytic capacitor at 10 KHz. For more technical information on decoupling capacitors, see the manufacturers' websites.



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Figure 4-67: 1500  $\mu\text{F}$  Electrolytic Capacitor Frequency Response Curve

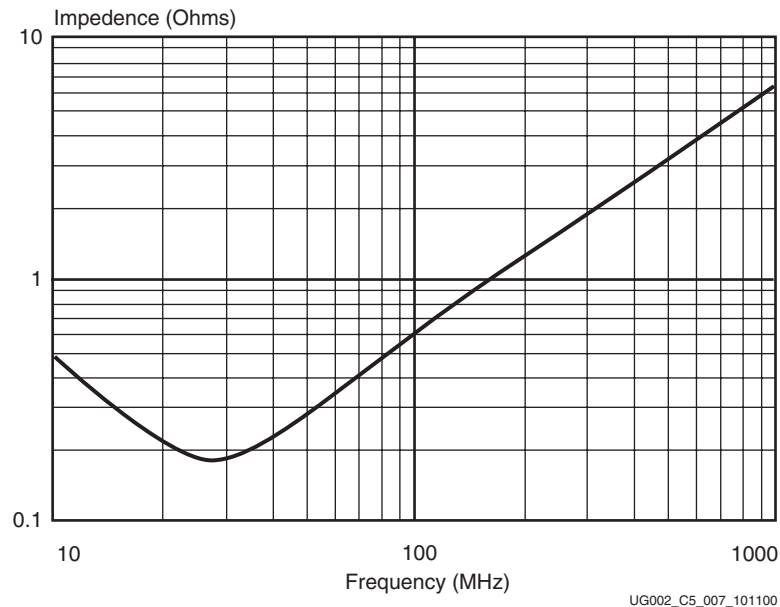


Figure 4-68: 33000 pF X7R Component Frequency Response Curve

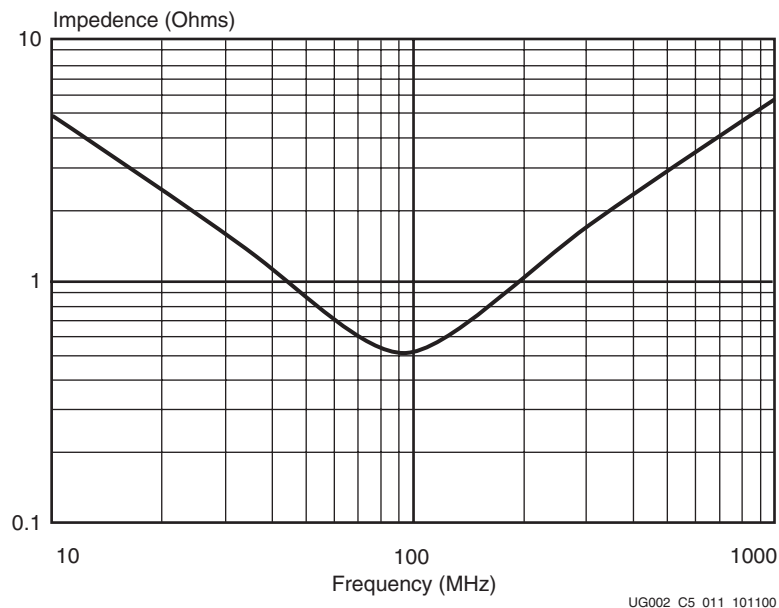


Figure 4-69: 3300 pF X7R Component Frequency Response Curve

## Transmission Line Reflections and Terminations

A PC board trace must be analyzed as a transmission line. Its series resistance and parallel conductance can generally be ignored, but series inductance and parallel capacitance per unit length are important parameters. Any signal transition (rising or falling edge) travels along the trace at a speed determined by the incremental inductance and capacitance.

For an outer-layer trace (air on one side), the propagation delay is 140 ps/inch, or 55 ps/cm. For an inner-layer trace (FR4 with  $\epsilon=4.5$  on both sides), the propagation delay is 180 ps/inch, or 70 ps/cm.

The voltage-to-current ratio at any point along the transmission line is called the characteristic impedance  $Z_0$ . A field solver, which is available in most signal integrity simulation software, may be used to determine the impedance of a given trace geometry.

As a first order approximation, it is determined by  $w/d$ , the ratio of trace width  $w$  to the distance  $d$  above the ground or  $V_{CC}$  plane.

For an outer layer trace (microstrip),

$Z_0=50\Omega$  when  $w = 2d$  (e.g.,  $w = 12$  mil,  $d = 6$  mil),

$Z_0=75\Omega$  when  $w = d$  (e.g., both 6 mil = 0.15 mm).

For an inner layer trace between two ground or  $V_{CC}$  planes (stripline),

$Z_0=50\Omega$  when  $w = 0.6 \cdot d$  (e.g.,  $w = 5$  mil,  $d = 8$  mil),

$Z_0=75\Omega$  when  $w = 0.25 \cdot d$  (impractical).

Most signal traces fall into the range of 40 to 80  $\Omega$ .

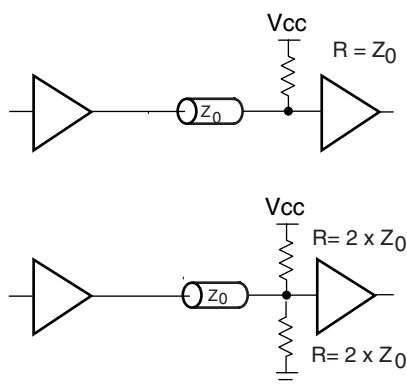
A slow transition treats a short narrow trace as a lumped capacitance of about 2 pF/inch (0.8 pF/cm). However, if the trace is so long or the signal transition so fast that the potential echo from the far end arrives after the end of the transition, then the trace must be analyzed as a transmission line.

In this case, the driver sees the trace not as a lumped capacitance, but rather as a pure resistance of  $Z_0$ . The signal transition then travels along the trace at the speed mentioned above. At any trace-impedance discontinuity all or part of the signal is reflected back to the origin. If the far end is resistively terminated with  $R=Z_0$ , then there is no reflection. If, however, the end is open, or loaded with only a CMOS input, then the transition doubles in amplitude, and this new wave travels back to the driver, where it may be reflected again, resulting in ringing. Such ringing has a serious impact on signal integrity, reduces noise margins, and can lead to malfunction, especially if an asynchronous signal or a clock signal crosses the input threshold voltage unpredictably. Two alternate ways to avoid reflections and ensure signal integrity are parallel termination and series termination.

### Parallel Termination

Reflections from the far end of the transmission line are avoided if the far end is loaded with a resistor equal to  $Z_0$ . A popular variation uses two resistors, one to  $V_{CC}$ , one to ground, as the Thevenin equivalent of  $Z_0$ . This reduces the load current for one signal level, while increasing it for the other. Parallel termination inherently has some dc power consumption. DCI on-chip termination may be used to realize parallel termination schemes.

See [Figure 4-70](#).



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Figure 4-70: Parallel Termination

## Series Termination

While parallel termination eliminates reflections, series termination relies on the reflection from the far end to achieve a full-amplitude signal. For series termination, the driver impedance is adjusted to equal  $Z_0$ , thus driving a half-amplitude signal onto the transmission line. At the unterminated far end, the reflection creates a full-amplitude signal, which then travels back to the driver where it is absorbed, since the output impedance equals  $Z_0$ . See Figure 4-71.

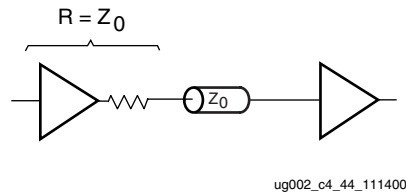


Figure 4-71: Series Termination

Series termination dissipates no dc power, but the half-amplitude round-trip delay signal means that there must be no additional loads along the line. Series termination is ideal (and only meaningful) for single-source-single-destination interconnects. DCI on-chip termination may be used to realize series termination schemes through the use of controlled impedance drivers.

## DCI On-Chip Termination

Virtex-II Pro devices offer digitally controlled output impedance drivers and digitally-controlled input termination, thus eliminating the need for any external termination resistors. This feature is extremely valuable with high pin-count, high density packages.

These PC board considerations apply to all modern systems with fast current and voltage transitions, irrespective of the actual clock frequency. The designer of relatively slow systems is more likely caught off-guard by the inherent speed of modern CMOS ICs, where  $di/dt$  is measured in A/ns,  $dV/dt$  is measured in V/ns, and input flip-flops can react to 1 ns pulses, that are invisible on mid-range oscilloscopes. Powerful tools like HyperLynx and other signal integrity analysis tools can be used to analyze signal integrity on the PC board and can often be amortized by one eliminated board respin.

## JTAG Configuration and Test Signals

Poor signal integrity and limitations of devices in a JTAG scan chain can reduce the maximum JTAG test clock (TCK) rate and reliability of JTAG-based configuration and test procedures. The JTAG TCK and test mode (TMS) signals must be buffered, distributed, and routed with the same care as any clock signal especially for long JTAG scan chains. The devices in a JTAG scan chain should be ordered such that the connections from the TDO of one device to the TDI of the next device are minimized. When high-speed JTAG-based configuration for the Virtex-II Pro devices is required, devices with lower-specified maximum TCK rates should be placed in a separate JTAG scan chain.

## Crosstalk

Crosstalk can happen when two signals are routed closely together. Current through one of the traces creates a magnetic field that induces current on the neighboring trace, or the voltage on the trace couples capacitively to its neighbor. Crosstalk can be accurately modeled with signal integrity software. Two easy-to-remember rules of thumb are:

- Crosstalk falls off with the square of increasing distance between the traces.
- Crosstalk also falls off with the square of decreasing distance to a ground plane.

$$\text{Peak Crosstalk Voltage} = \frac{\Delta V}{1 + (D/H)^2}$$

where

$\Delta V$  is the voltage swing

$D$  is the distance between traces (center to center)

$H$  is the spacing above the ground plane

**Example:**

3.3V swing, and two stripline traces 5 mils apart and 5 mils above the ground plane.

$$\text{Peak Crosstalk Voltage} = (3.3V)/(1 + (0.005/0.005)^2) = 1.65V$$

This can cause a false transition on the neighboring trace. Separating the trace by an additional 5 mils is significantly better:

$$\text{Peak Crosstalk Voltage} = (3.3V)/(1 + (0.01/0.005)^2) = 0.66V$$

#### Decoupling of $V_{REF}$ Pins

$V_{REF}$  pins must each have a bypass capacitor to insure that no noise is coupled onto the reference. Signal traces must be kept at least three spaces from the reference trace on either side to prevent crosstalk coupling.

### Signal Routing to and from Package Pins

Signal escaping (traces leaving the pin/ball area) can be quite difficult for the large FG and flip-chip packages. The number of signal layers required to escape all the pins depends on the PCB design rules. The thinner the traces, the more signals per layer can be routed, and the fewer layers are needed. The thinner traces have higher characteristic impedance, so choose an impedance plan that makes sense, and then be consistent. Traces from  $40\Omega$  to  $80\Omega$  are common.

If only one signal can be escaped between two pads, only two rows of pins can be escaped per layer. For FG packages (1.0mm pitch) one signal of width 5 mils (0.13mm) can be escaped between two pads, assuming a space constraint equal to the trace width. For a discussion of signal routing specific to Virtex-II Pro devices, see [www.xilinx.com](http://www.xilinx.com) for currently available application notes.

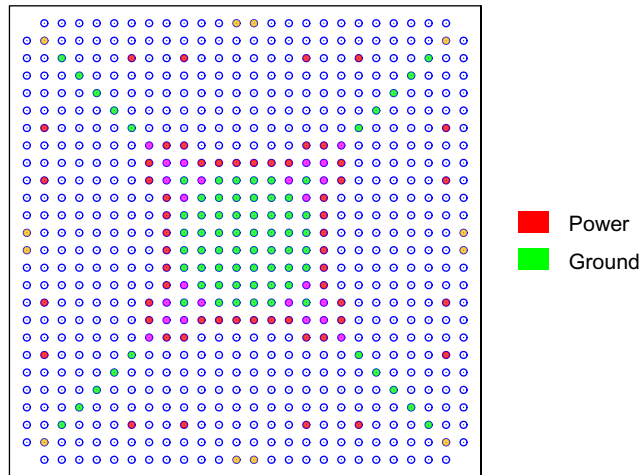
As packages are able to handle more I/Os with a minimum increase in size, the signal integrity of those signals must be considered, regardless of clock frequency. Especially with the largest packages, precise PCB layer stackup is required. Parameters such as board material, trace width, pad type, and stackup must be defined based on simulation, and the fabrication drawings must be marked "Precise Layer Stackup," and the stackup must be specified. A number of board-level signal integrity simulators exist. Careful attention to PCB design rules creates a robust design with low EMI and high signal reliability.



## Board Routability Guidelines

### Board-Level BGA Routing Challenges

Xilinx ball grid array (BGA) wire-bond and flip-chip packages contain a matrix of solder balls (see [Figure 4-72](#)). These packages are made of multilayer BT substrates. Signal balls are in a perimeter format. Power and ground pins are grouped together appropriately.



*Figure 4-72: Fine-Pitch BGA Pin Assignments*

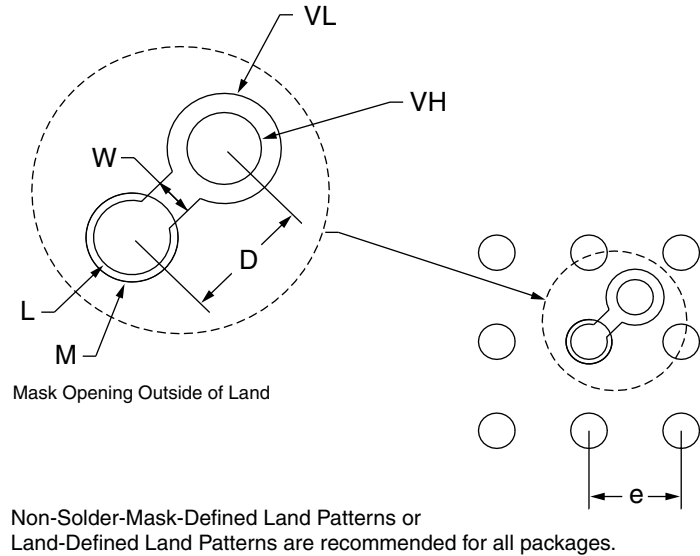
The number of layers required for effective routing of these packages is dictated by the layout of balls in each package. If several other technologies and components are already present on the board, the system cost is factored with every added board layer. The intent of a board designer is to optimize the number of layers required to route these packages, considering both cost and performance. This section provides guidelines for minimizing required board layers for routing BGA products using standard PCB technologies (5 mil wide lines and spaces or 6 mil wide lines and spaces).

For high performance and other system needs, designers can use premium technologies with finer lines/spaces on the board. The pin assignment and pin grouping scheme in BGA packages enables efficient routing of the board with an optimum number of required board layers.



# Board Routing Strategy

The diameter of a land pad on the component side is provided by Xilinx. This information is required prior to the start of board layout when designing the board pads to match component-side land geometry. Typical values for these land pads are described in [Figure 4-73](#) and summarized in [Table 4-6](#).



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Figure 4-73: Suggested Board Layout of Soldered Pads for BGA Packages

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Table 4-6: Summary of Typical Land Pad Values (mm)

Land Pad Characteristics	FG256	FG456	FF672	FF896	FF1152	FF1148	FF1517	FF1704	FF1696
Component Land Pad Diameter (SMD) <sup>(4)</sup>	0.45	0.45	0.48	0.48	0.48	0.48	0.48	0.48	0.48
Solder Land (L) Diameter	0.40	0.40	0.45	0.45	0.45	0.45	0.45	0.45	0.45
Opening in Solder Mask (M) Diameter	0.50	0.50	0.55	0.55	0.55	0.55	0.55	0.55	0.55
Solder (Ball) Land Pitch (e)	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
Line Width Between Via and Land (w)	0.130	0.130	0.130	0.130	0.130	0.130	0.130	0.130	0.130
Distance Between Via and Land (D)	0.70	0.70	0.70	0.70	0.70	0.70	0.70	0.70	0.70
Via Land (VL) Diameter	0.61	0.61	0.61	0.61	0.61	0.61	0.61	0.61	0.61
Through Hole (VH), Diameter	0.300	0.300	0.300	0.300	0.300	0.300	0.300	0.300	0.300
Pad Array	Full	Full	Full	Full	Full	Full	Full	Full	Full
Matrix or External Row	16 x 16	22 x 22	26 x 26	30 x 30	34 x 34	34 x 34	39 x 39	42 x 42	42 x 42
Periphery Rows	-	7 <sup>(3)</sup>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

**Notes:**

1. Dimensions in millimeters.
2. 3 x 3 matrix for illustration only, one land pad shown with via connection.
3. FG456 package has solder balls in the center in addition to the periphery rows of balls.
4. Component land pad diameter refers to the pad opening on the component side (solder-mask defined).

For Xilinx BGA packages, NSMD (Non Solder Mask Defined) pads on the board are suggested. This allows a clearance between the land metal (diameter L) and the solder mask opening (diameter M) as shown in [Figure 4-73](#). The space between the NSMD pad and the solder mask, and the actual signal trace widths depends on the capability of the PCB vendor. The cost of the PCB is higher when the line width and spaces are smaller.

Selection of the pad types and pad sizes determines the available space between adjacent balls for signal escape. Based on PCB capability, the number of lines that can share the available space is described in [Figure 4-74](#). Based on geometrical considerations, if one signal escapes between adjacent balls, then two signal rows can be routed on a single metal layer. This is illustrated in [Figure 4-74](#), as routing with one line/channel, either at 6 mil lines and spaces or 5 mil lines and spaces. The blocked nature of multi-gigabit transceiver (MGT) at the top edge prevents a direct implementation of one line/channel arrangement in layer 1. Using this suggested routing scheme, a minimum of eight PCB layers are required to route up to 10 signal rows in a package.

These Virtex-II Pro BGA packages may incorporate up to 16 MGT channels per package. The balls that make up these channels are grouped within the two outer rows of top and bottom edges. This outer row arrangement allows easy escape and pairing of signals. Accommodation of any filtering schemes off the chip can be accomplished in close proximity as well.

A slightly lower trace width than that employed on the top and bottom external or exposed traces can be used by the inner signal rows routed in internal layers. Depending on the signal being handled, the practice of "necking down" a trace in the critical space between the BGA balls is allowable. Changes in width over very short distances can cause small impedance changes. Validate these issues with the board vendor and signal integrity engineers responsible for design. It is also suggested to implement the MGT signals in stripline arrangement.

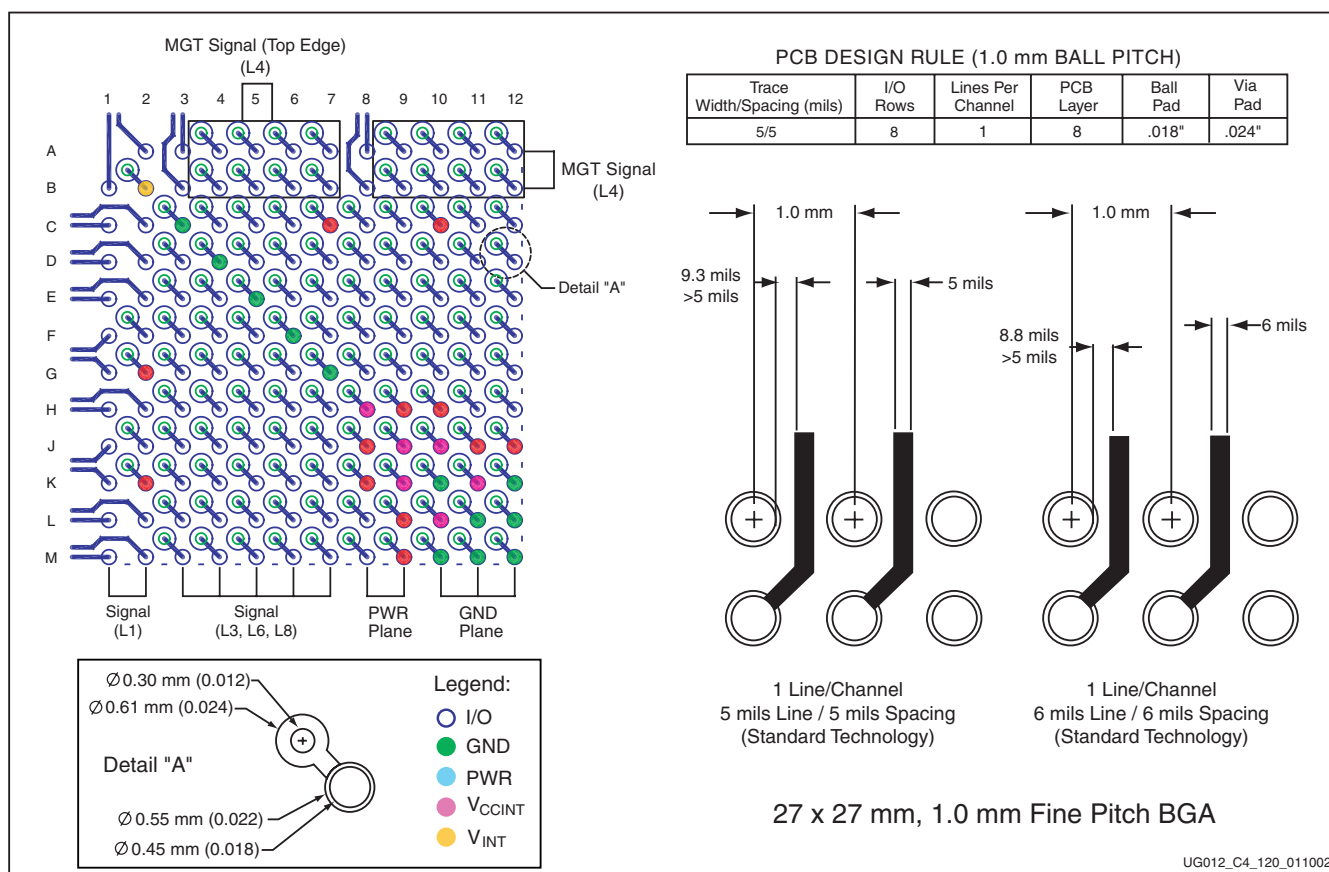


Figure 4-74: FF672 PC Board Layout/Land Pattern

Figure 4-74 describes a board-level layout strategy for a Xilinx 1.0 mm pitch FF672 package, which incorporates four MGT channels at the top edge. Detail A in Figure 4-74 describes the opening geometry for the land pad and the solder mask. Routing with 5 mil lines/trace allows one signal per channel (between the balls). For successful routing, eight-row-deep signal traces require six to eight PCB layers. Figure 4-75 shows the suggested schematic of layers for the eight-layer routing scheme. By using a premium board technology such as Microvia Technology—allowing up to 4 mil lines and spaces—efficient routing with a reduced number of board layers is made possible. A grouping scheme for power, ground, control, and I/O pins may also enable efficient routing.

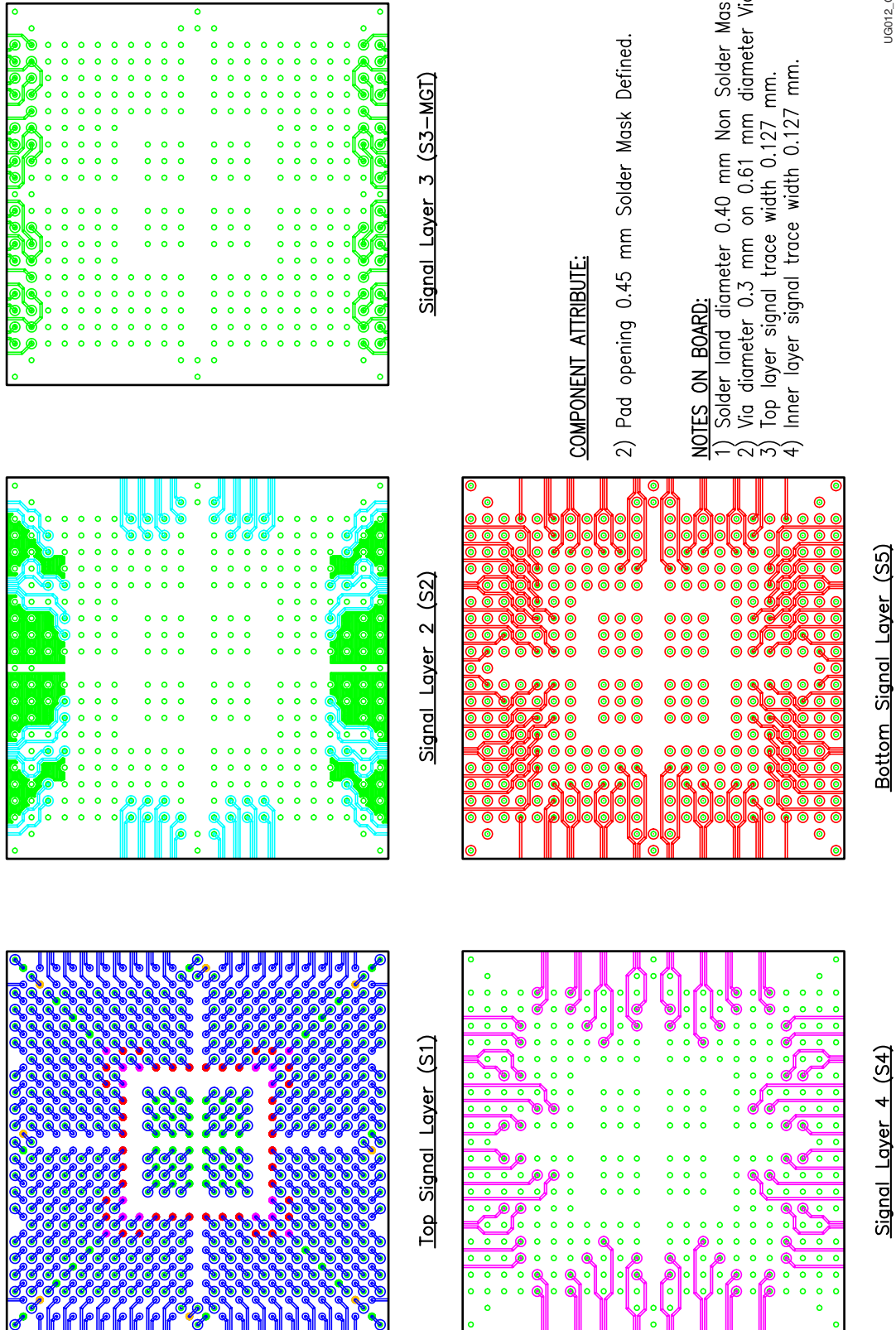
Signal (S1)	L - 1
Power/Gnd	L - 2
Signal (S2)	L - 3
Signal (S3 – MGT)	L - 4
Power/Gnd	L - 5
Signal (S4)	L - 6
Power/Gnd	L - 7
Signal (S5)	L - 8

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Figure 4-75: Eight-Layer Routing Scheme

Figure 4-76 and Figure 4-77 show examples of suggested layer-by-layer board escape routing strategy used to implement MGT and LVDS pairs for two of the Virtex-II Pro packages, the wire-bond FG456 and the flip-chip FF672. Complete suggested layer-by-layer board escape routing for each Virtex-II Pro package can be found in the Virtex-II Pro section of the [www.xilinx.com](http://www.xilinx.com) website. These drawings assume a standard PCB technology of 5 mil wide lines and spaces. More details are contained in [XAPP157](#), which is available on the web at [www.xilinx.com/apps/xappsumm.htm#xapp157](http://www.xilinx.com/apps/xappsumm.htm#xapp157), as is a full-color (PDF) version of this document.

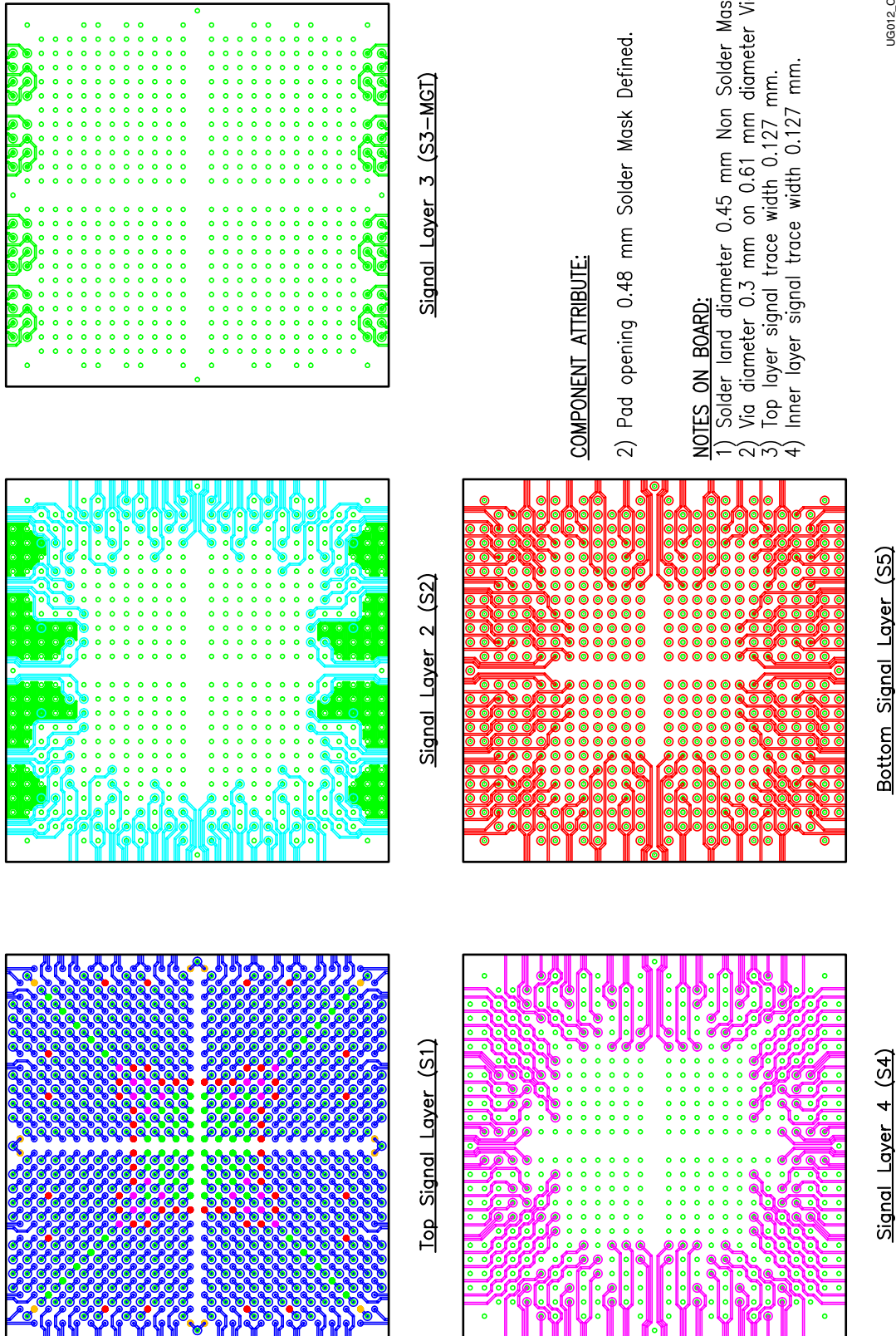
FG456—ROUTING WITH LVDS PAIR



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Figure 4-76: FG456 Routing with LVDS Pairs

FF672—ROUTING WITH LVDS PAIR



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Figure 4-77: FF672 Routing with LVDS Pairs

## XPower

XPower is the first graphic power-analysis software available for programmable logic design. Earlier than ever in the design flow you can analyze total device power, power per net, routed, or partially routed or unrouted designs. You can also receive graphical or ASCII-based reports, all driven from a comprehensive graphic interface, or use a command-line driven batch-mode execution.

XPower supports Virtex-II Pro and Virtex-II advanced FPGA devices and the XPLA3 family of CPLD devices, offering the broadest device support available in programmable power estimation.

XPower also supports the importing of simulation data from ModelSim™ VCD files, greatly reducing the time spent setting up net activity, and increasing overall estimation accuracy.

XPower uses device knowledge and design data to project device power and by-net power utilization. This is a significant advance from the static estimation pages most logic providers offer their customers, and it is a leap forward in providing logic designers with accurate power dissipation information.

Features include:

- Support for Virtex-II Pro, Virtex-II, Virtex-E, Virtex, and Spartan-II FPGAs in ISE 4.1i
- XPLA3 device support through ISE WebPACK 4.1i
- VCD simulation file import for ModelSim™
- Windows 98 and NT, Windows ME and Windows 2000, and Solaris support
- Graphic and/or ASCII report formats
- Menu-driven or batch-mode execution
- Device data read directly from Xilinx layout files
- Save and recall setup data
- Recognize small voltage variations on VCC

More details are available under the Xpower link on the [www.xilinx.com](http://www.xilinx.com) website.

## IBIS Models

The need for higher system performance leads to faster output transitions. Signals with fast transitions cannot be considered purely digital. It is therefore important to understand their analog behavior by signal integrity analysis.

To simulate the signal integrity of printed circuit boards (PCB) accurately and solve design problems before the PCB is fabricated, models of the I/O characteristics are required. SPICE models were traditionally used for this purpose, however, a manufacturer's SPICE models contain proprietary circuit-level information. Therefore, there was a need for a model type which does not give details of the circuit topology, or process parameters. One such standard is the I/O Buffer Information Specification (IBIS) format originally suggested by Intel.

In the early 1990's, the IBIS Open Forum was formed and the first IBIS specification was written to promote tool independent I/O models for system signal integrity analysis. IBIS is now the ANSI/EIA-656 and IEC 62014-1 standard. IBIS accurately describes the signal behavior of the interconnections without disclosing the actual technology and circuitry used to implement the I/O. The standard is basically a black-box approach to protect proprietary information.



## Using IBIS Models

IBIS models can be used by designers for system-level analysis of signal integrity issues, such as ringing, ground bounce, cross talk, and predicting RFI/EMI. Complete designs can be simulated and evaluated before going through the expensive and time consuming process of producing prototype PCBs. This type of pre-layout simulation can considerably reduce the development cost and time to market, while increasing the reliability of the I/O operation.

IBIS models consist of look-up tables that predict the I/V characteristics and  $dV/dt$  of integrated circuit inputs and outputs when combined with PCB traces, cables and passive components. The data is extracted for the typical case, minimum case (weak transistors, low VCC, hot temperatures) and maximum case (strong transistors, high VCC, cold temperatures).

IBIS models have a limitation in that they do not contain internal delays. IBIS models contain package parasitic information for simulation of ground bounce. However, not all simulators are able to use this data to simulate ground bounce. Simulation results may not agree with measurement results due to package, die, PCB trace and ground plane modeling inaccuracies. Similarly, because simultaneous switching outputs (SSOs) are also difficult to model, only a first approximation is provided to the designer.

## IBIS Generation

IBIS models are generated either from SPICE simulations or from actual device measurements. A SPICE netlist of the I/O buffer is required to produce V/I and  $dV/dt$  simulation curve data. The SPICE simulation data is then converted to an IBIS format/syntax file.

IBIS models that are derived from measurement data do not have process corner information, unlike IBIS models that are derived from SPICE simulation data. It is only practical to measure a few parts, and it is therefore impossible to represent the extremes of production by such a method.

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## Advantages of IBIS

Using IBIS models has a great advantage to the user in that simulation speed is significantly increased over SPICE, while accuracy is only slightly decreased. Non-convergence, which can be a problem with SPICE models and simulators, is eliminated in IBIS simulation. Virtually all EDA vendors presently support IBIS models and ease of use of these IBIS simulators is generally very good. IBIS models for most devices are freely available over the Internet, making it easy to simulate several different manufacturers devices on the same board.

## IBIS File Structure

An IBIS file contains two sections, the header and the model data for each component. One IBIS file can describe several devices. The following is the contents list in a typical IBIS file:

- IBIS Version
- File Name
- File Revision
- Component
- Package R/L/C
- Pin name, model, R/L/C
- Model (i.e., 3-state)
- Temperature Range (typical, minimum, and maximum)

- Voltage Range (typical, minimum, and maximum)
- Pull-Up Reference
- Pull-Down Reference
- Power Clamp Reference
- Ground Clamp Reference
- I/V Tables for:
  - Pull-Up
  - Pull-Down
  - Power Clamp
  - Ground Clamp
- Rise and Fall  $dV/dt$  for minimum, typical, and maximum conditions (driving 50Ω)
- Package Model (optional) `<package_number>.pkg` with RLC sections.

## IBIS I/V and $dV/dt$ Curves

A digital buffer can be measured in receive (3-state) mode and drive mode. IBIS I/V curves are based on the data of both these modes. The transition between modes is achieved by phasing in/out the difference between the driver and the receiver models, while keeping the receiver model constantly in the circuit.

The I/V curve range required by the IBIS specification is  $-V_{CC}$  to  $(2 \times V_{CC})$ . This wide voltage range exists because the theoretical maximum overshoot due to a full reflection is twice the signal swing. The ground clamp I/V curve must be specified over the range  $-V_{CC}$  to  $V_{CC}$ , and the power clamp I/V curve must be specified from  $V_{CC}$  to  $(2 \times V_{CC})$ .

The three supported conditions for the IBIS buffer models are typical values (required), minimum values (optional), and maximum values (optional). For CMOS buffers, the minimum condition is defined as high temperature and low supply voltage, and the maximum condition is defined as low temperature and high supply voltage.

An IBIS model of a digital buffer has four I/V curves:

- The pull-down I/V curve contains the mode data for the driver driving low. The origin of the curve is at 0V for CMOS buffers.
- The pull-up I/V curve contains the mode data for the driver driving high. The origin of the curve is at the supply voltage ( $V_{CC}$  or  $V_{DD}$ ).
- The ground clamp I/V curve contains receive (3-state) mode data, with the origin of the curve at 0V for CMOS buffers.
- The power clamp I/V curve contains receive (3-state) mode data, with the origin of the curve at the supply voltage ( $V_{CC}$  or  $V_{DD}$ ). For 3.3V buffers that are 5V tolerant, the power clamp is referenced to 5V while the pull-up is referenced to 3.3V.

## Ramp and $dV/dt$ Curves

The Ramp keyword contains information on how fast the pull-up and pull-down transistors turn on/off. The  $dV/dt$  curves give the same information, while including the effects of die capacitance ( $C_{comp}$ ).  $C_{comp}$  is the total die capacitance as seen at the die pad, excluding the package capacitance.

$dV/dt$  curves describe the transient characteristics of a buffer more accurately than ramps. A minimum of four  $dV/dt$  curves are required to describe a CMOS buffer: pull-down ON, pull-up OFF, pull-down OFF, and pull-up ON.  $dV/dt$  curves incorporate the clock-to-out delay, and the length of the  $dV/dt$  curve corresponds to the clock speed at which the buffer is used. Each  $dV/dt$  curve has  $t = 0$ , where the pulse crosses the input threshold.



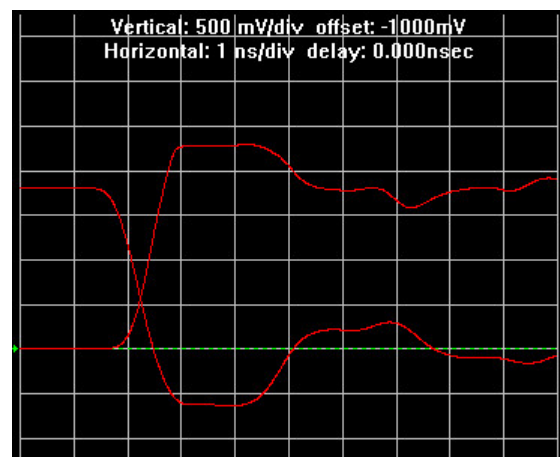
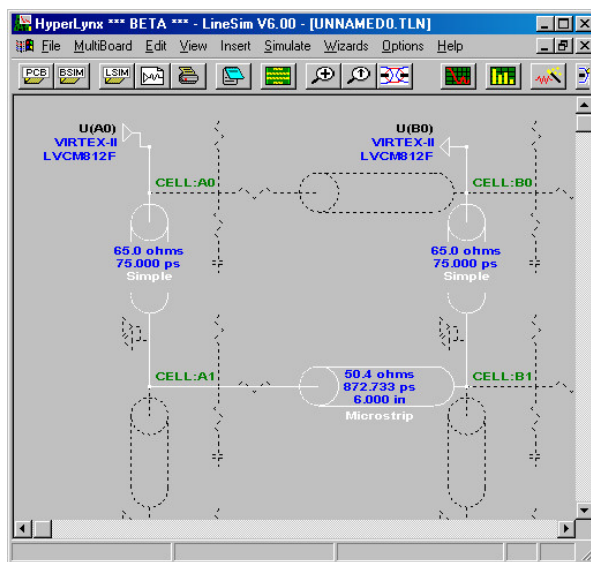
## Xilinx IBIS Package Parasitic Modelling

Xilinx IBIS modeling previously used a simple RCL model for the pin and bond wire parasitics. Due to the fast rise and fall times of many of the supported I/O standards, it was deemed necessary to improve the package parasitic modeling. The latest IBIS 3.2 specification has a complex parasitic package model, which incorporates a transmission line and lumped RCL model. Unfortunately, IBIS 3.2 is still not widely supported by simulators.

For these reasons, **the old lumped package parasitic parameters have been removed from the latest models, and the user should now manually add an external transmission line.** A 65Ω ideal transmission line, with the delay set at 25 ps to 100 ps, is recommended. This works in conjunction with a revised lumped model (included inside the IBIS model). For critical applications, both extremes (25 ps and 100 ps) should be checked. However, for most I/O applications this difference is very small.

## IBIS Simulations

The circuit shown in [Figure 4-78](#) models a Virtex-II Pro LVCMOS\_18F driver and receiver, connected by a 6-inch 50Ω circuit board trace. The rise and fall simulation results show that there is a large amount of overshoot and undershoot, which is actually limited by the IOB clamp diodes.



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Figure 4-78: Unterminated Example

By adding a series termination resistor to the driver output, the overshoot and undershoot can be effectively controlled. The simulation results in [Figure 4-79](#) show that by adding a 25Ω termination there is minimal overshoot and undershoot.

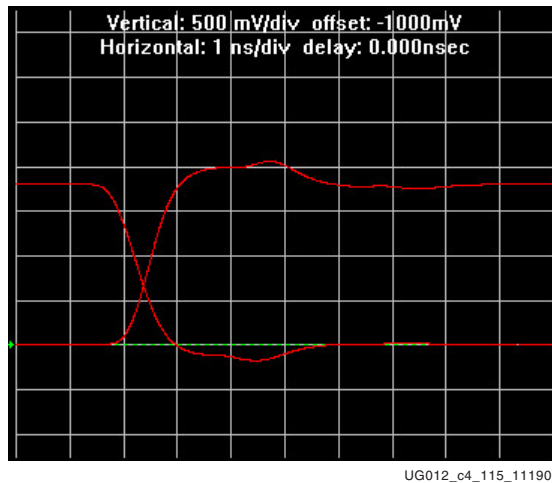


Figure 4-79: Series Termination Example

An alternative is to use a DCI source impedance controlled driver. The results shown in [Figure 4-80](#) show the waveforms from an LVDCI\_18 driver, which has virtually no overshoot or undershoot.

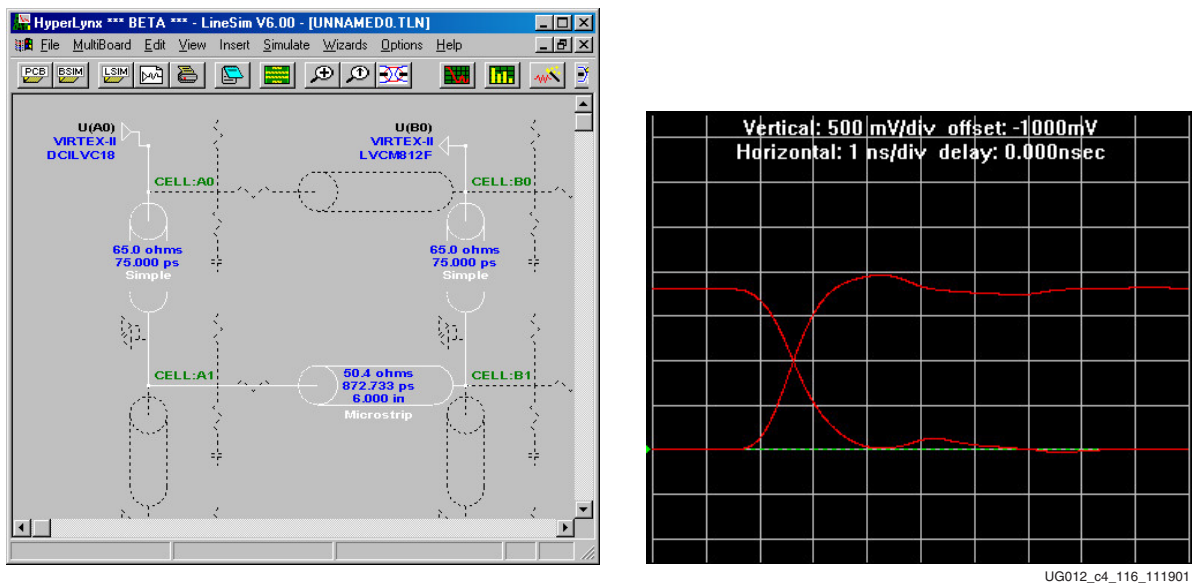


Figure 4-80: DCI Driver Example

## IBIS Simulators

Several different IBIS simulators are available today, and each simulator provides different results. An overshoot or undershoot of  $\pm 10\%$  of the measured result is tolerable. Differences between the model and measurements occur because not all parameters are modeled. Simulators for IBIS models are provided by Cadence, Avanti Corporation, Hyperlynx, Mentor, Microsim, Intusoft, Veribest, and Viewlogic.

## Xilinx IBIS Advantages

Xilinx provides preliminary IBIS files before working silicon has been verified (before tape out), as well as updated versions of IBIS files after the ICs are verified. Preliminary IBIS files are generated from SPICE models before working silicon has been verified. After the IC (device) is verified, appropriate changes are made to the existing IBIS files. These IBIS files are available at the following web site:

[http://www.xilinx.com/support/sw\\_ibis.htm](http://www.xilinx.com/support/sw_ibis.htm)

## ANSI/EIA IBIS Official Website

<http://www.eigroup.org/ibis/ibis.htm>

## BSDL and Boundary Scan Models

Boundary scan is a technique that is used to improve the testability of ICs. With Virtex-II Pro devices, registers are placed on I/Os that are connected together as a long shift register. Each register can be used to either save or force the state of the I/O. There are additional registers for accessing test modes.

The most common application for boundary scan is testing for continuity of the IC to the board. Some packages make visual inspection of solder joints impossible, e.g. BGA. The large number of I/Os available requires the use of such packages, and also increases the importance of testing. A large number of I/Os also means a long scan chain.

Test software is available to support testing with boundary scan. The software requires a description of the boundary scan implementation of the IC. The IEEE 1149.1 specification provides a language description for Boundary Scan Description Language (BSDL). Boundary scan test software accepts BSDL descriptions.

The IEEE 1149.1 spec also defines a 4 to 5 pin interface known as the JTAG interface. IEEE 1532 is a capability extension of IEEE 1149.1.

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## BSDL Files

Preliminary BSDL files are provided from the IC Design Process. Final BSDL files have been verified by an external third party test and verification vendor. **Table 4-7** lists the Virtex-II Pro BSDL file names.

**Table 4-7: Virtex-II Pro BSDL File Names**

XC2VP2_FG256.BSD	XC2VP20_FF896.BSD	XC2VP50_FF1517.BSD
XC2VP2_FG456.BSD	XC2VP20_FF1152.BSD	XC2VP70_FF1517.BSD
XC2VP2_FF672.BSD	XC2VP30_FF896.BSD	XC2VP70_FF1704.BSD
XC2VP4_FG256.BSD	XC2VP30_FF1152.BSD	XC2VP100_FF1704.BSD
XC2VP4_FG456.BSD	XC2VP40_FF1152.BSD	XC2VP100_FF1696.BSD
XC2VP4_FF672.BSD	XC2VP40_FF1148.BSD	XC2VP125_FF1704.BSD
XC2VP7_FG456.BSD	XC2VP40_FF1517.BSD	XC2VP125_FF1696.BSD
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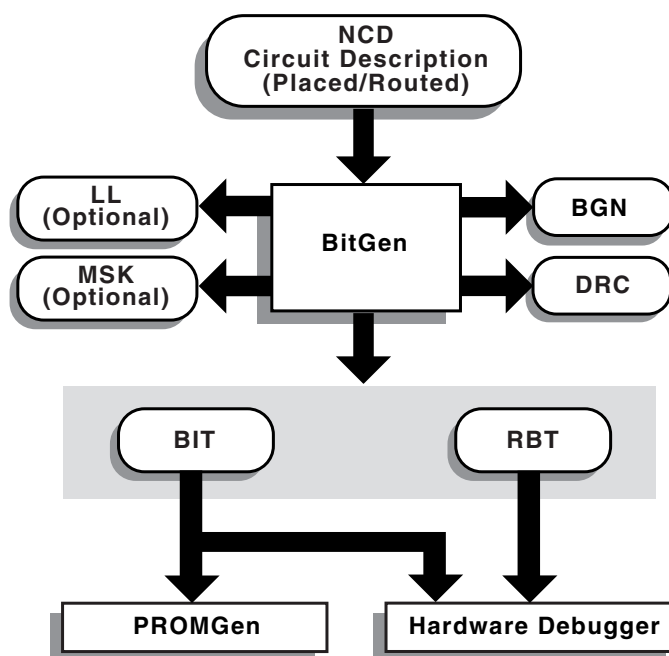


## BitGen and PROMGen Switches and Options

### Using BitGen

BitGen produces a bitstream for Xilinx device configuration. After the design has been completely routed, it is necessary to configure the device so that it can execute the desired function. The Xilinx bitstream necessary to configure the device is generated with BitGen. BitGen takes a fully routed NCD (Circuit Description) file as its input and produces a configuration bitstream—a binary file with a .bit extension.

The BIT file contains all of the configuration information from the NCD file defining the internal logic and interconnections of the FPGA, plus device-specific information from other files associated with the target device. The binary data in the BIT file can then be downloaded into the FPGA memory cells, or it can be used to create a PROM file (see [Figure A-1](#)).



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Figure A-1: BitGen

## BitGen Syntax

The following syntax creates a bitstream from your NCD file.

```
bitgen [options] infile[.ncd] [outfile] [pcf_file]
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*options* is one or more of the options listed in [BitGen Options, page 521](#).

*Infile* is the name of the NCD design for which you want to create the bitstream. You can specify only one design file, and it must be the first file specified on the command line.

You do not have to use an extension. If you do not, **.ncd** is assumed. If you do use an extension, it must be **.ncd**.

*Outfile* is the name of the output file. If you do not specify an output file name, BitGen creates one in the same directory as the input file. If you specify **-l** on the command line, the extension is **.ll** (see **-l** command line option). If you specify **-m** (see **-m** command line option), the extension is **.msk**. If you specify **-b**, the extension is **.rbt**. Otherwise the extension is **.bit**. If you do not specify an extension, BitGen appends one according to the aforementioned rules. If you do include an extension, it must also conform to the rules.

*Pcf\_file* is the name of a physical constraints (PCF) file. BitGen uses this file to determine which nets in the design are critical for tiedown, which is not available for Virtex families. BitGen automatically reads the **.pcf** file by default. If the physical constraints file is the second file specified on the command line, it must have a **.pcf** extension. If it is the third file specified, the extension is optional; **.pcf** is assumed. If a **.pcf** file name is specified, it must exist, otherwise the input design name with a **.pcf** extension is read if that file exists.

A report file containing all BitGen's output is automatically created under the same directory as the output file. The report file has the same root name as the output file with a **.bgn** extension.

## BitGen Files

This section describes input files that BitGen requires and output files that BitGen generates.

### Input Files

Input to BitGen consists of the following files.

- NCD file—a physical description of the design mapped, placed and routed in the target device. The NCD file must be fully routed.
- PCF—an optional user-modifiable ASCII Physical Constraints File. If you specify a PCF file on the BitGen command line, BitGen uses this file to determine which nets in the design are critical for tiedown (not used for Virtex families).

### Output Files

Output from BitGen consists of the following files.

- BIT file—a binary file with a **.bit** extension. The BIT file contains all of the configuration information from the NCD file defining the internal logic and interconnections of the FPGA, plus device-specific information from other files associated with the target device. The binary data in the BIT file can then be downloaded into the FPGA memory cells, or it can be used to create a PROM file (see [Using PROMGen, page 525](#)).
- RBT file—an optional “rawbits” file with an **.rbt** extension. The rawbits file is ASCII ones and zeros representing the data in the bitstream file. If you enter a **-b** option on the BitGen command line, an RBT file is produced in addition to the binary BIT file (see [-b \(Create Rawbits File\), page 521](#)).
- LL file—an optional ASCII logic allocation file with a **.ll** extension. The logic allocation file indicates the bitstream position of latches, flip-flops, and IOB inputs and outputs. A **.ll** file is produced if you enter a **-l** option on the BitGen command line ([-l \(Create a](#)

[Logic Allocation File](#)), page 525).

- MSK file—an optional mask file with an .msk extension. This file is used to compare relevant bit locations for executing a readback of configuration data contained in an operating FPGA. A MSK file is produced if you enter a -m option on the BitGen command line (see [-m \(Generate a Mask File\)](#), page 525).
- BGN file—a report file containing information about the BitGen run.
- DRC file—a Design Rule Check (DRC) file for the design. A DRC runs and the DRC file is produced unless you enter a -d option on the BitGen command line (see [-d \(Do Not Run DRC\)](#), page 521).

## BitGen Options

Following is a description of command line options and how they affect BitGen behavior.

### -b (Create Rawbits File)

Create a “rawbits” (*file\_name.rbt*) file. The rawbits file consists of ASCII ones and zeros representing the data in the bitstream file.

If you are using a microprocessor to configure a single FPGA, you can include the rawbits file in the source code as a text file to represent the configuration data. The sequence of characters in the rawbits file is the same as the sequence of bits written into the FPGA.

### -d (Do Not Run DRC)

Do not run DRC (Design Rule Check). Without the -d option, BitGen runs a DRC and saves the DRC results in two output files: the BitGen report file (*file\_name.bgn*) and the DRC file (*file\_name.drc*). If you enter the -d option, no DRC information appears in the report file and no DRC file is produced.

Running DRC before a bitstream is produced detects any errors that could cause the FPGA to malfunction. If DRC does not detect any errors, BitGen produces a bitstream file (unless you use the -j option described in the [-j \(No BIT File\)](#), page 525).

### -f (Execute Commands File)

**-f** *command\_file*

The -f option executes the command line arguments in the specified *command\_file*.

### -g (Set Configuration)

**-g** *option:setting*

The -g option specifies the startup timing and other bitstream options for Xilinx FPGAs. The settings for the -g option depend on the design’s architecture. These options have the following syntax.

#### Compress

Enable bitstream compression using multiple frame writes (MFW).

#### Readback

This allows the user to perform Readback by the creating the necessary bitstream (.rbt file).

#### CRC

Virtex-II allows the user to enable or disable the CRC checking. If CRC checking is disabled, a CBC (Constant Bit Check) is used instead.

Settings: Enable, Disable

Default: Enable

### DebugBitstream

This option creates a modified bitstream which loads each frame individually, and places an LOUT write after each, for debugging purposes. This option should be used only in Master or Slave Serial downloads.

Settings: Yes, No

Default: No

### ConfigRate

Virtex-II devices use an internal oscillator to generate CCLK when configuring in Master SelectMAP or Master Serial modes. This option sets the CCLK rate in MHz.

Settings: 4,5,6,7,8,10,13,15,20,26,30,34,41,45,51,55,60,130

Default: 4

### StartupClk

The last few cycles of configuration is called the startup sequence. The startup sequence can be clocked by CCLK signal, a User clock (connected to the STARTUP block), or TCK (the JTAG clock).

Settings: CCLK, UserClk, JTAGClk

Default: CCLK

### PowerdownStatus

This options allows the user to choose whether the DONE pin is used as the PowerDown pin after configuration.

Settings: Enable, Disable

Default: Enable

### DCMShutdown

If the DCMShutdown option is enabled, the DCM resets if the SHUTDOWN and AGHIGH commands are performed.

Settings: Enable, Disable

Default: Disable

### CclkPin

This option selects an internal pullup on the CCLK pin.

Settings: Pullnone, Pullup

Default: Pullup

### DonePin

This option selects an internal pullup on the DONE pin.

Settings: Pullnone, Pullup

Default: Pullup

### MOPin

This option selects an internal pullup or pulldown on the M0 (Mode 0) pin.

Settings: Pullnone, Pullup, Pulldown

Default: Pullup

### M1Pin

This option selects an internal pullup or pulldown on the M1 (Mode 1) pin.

Settings: Pullnone, Pullup, Pulldown

Default: Pullup



**M2Pin**

This option selects an internal pullup or pulldown on the M2 (Mode 2) pin.

Settings: Pullnone, Pullup, Pulldown

Default: Pullup

**ProgPin**

This options selects an internal pullup on the PROGRAM pin.

Settings: Pullnone, Pullup

Default: Pullup

**TckPin**

This option selects an internal pullup or pulldown on the TCK (JTAG Clock) pin.

Settings: Pullnone, Pullup, Pulldown

Default: Pullup

**TdiPin**

This option selects an internal pullup or pulldown on the TDI (JTAG Input) pin.

Settings: Pullnone, Pullup, Pulldown

Default: Pullup

**TdoPin**

This option selects an internal pullup or pulldown on the TDO (JTAG Output) pin.

Settings: Pullnone, Pullup, Pulldown

Default: Pullup

**TmsPin**

This option selects an internal pullup or pulldown on the TMS (JTAG Mode Select) pin.

Settings: Pullnone, Pullup, Pulldown

Default: Pullup

**UnusedPin**

This option selects an internal pullup or pulldown on all unused I/Os.

Settings: Pullnone, Pullup, Pulldown

Default: Pulldown

**GWE\_cycle**

Selects the startup phase that asserts the internal write enable to flip-flops, LUT RAMs, shift registers, and BRAMs. Before the startup phase both BRAM writing and reading are disabled. The Done setting asserts GWE when the DoneIn signal is high. DoneIn is either the value of the DONE pin or a delayed version if DonePipe=Yes. The Keep setting is used to keep the current value of the GWE signal.

Settings: 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, Done, Keep

Default: 6

**GTS\_cycle**

Selects the startup phase that releases the internal 3-state control to the I/O buffers. The Done setting releases GTSA when the DoneIn signal is high. DoneIn is either the value of the DONE pin or a delayed version if DonePipe=Yes. The Keep setting is used to keep the current value of the GTS signal.

Settings: 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, Done, Keep

Default: 5

### LCK\_cycle

Selects the startup phase to wait until DCM locks are asserted.

Settings: 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, NoWait

Default: NoWait

### MATCH\_cycle

Selects the startup phase to wait until DCI locks are asserted.

Settings: 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, NoWait, Auto

Default: Auto

### DONE\_cycle

Selects the startup phase that activates the FPGA DONE signal. DONE is delayed when DonePipe=Yes.

Settings: 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6

Default: 4

### Persist

This option is needed for Readback and Partial Reconfiguration using the configuration pins. If Persist=Yes, all the configuration pins used retain their function. Which configuration pins are persisted is determined by the mode pin settings. If a serial mode is chosen, the persisted pins would be  $\overline{\text{INIT}}$ , DOUT, and DIN. If a SelectMAP mode is chosen, the persisted pins would be  $\overline{\text{INIT}}$ , BUSY, D0-D7,  $\overline{\text{CS}}$ , and  $\overline{\text{WRITE}}$ .

Settings: Yes, No

Default: No

### DriveDone

This option actively drives the DONE pin high as opposed to an open-drain driver. Take care when setting DriveDone=Yes in daisy-chain applications.

Settings: Yes, No

Default: No

### DonePipe

This option is intended for use with FPGAs being set up in a high-speed daisy-chain configuration. When set to Yes, the FPGA waits on the DONE pin, and waits for the first StartupClk edge before moving to the Done state.

Settings: Yes, No

Default: No

### Security

This options selects the level of bitstream security. Selecting Level 1 disables Readback, and selecting Level 2 disables Readback and reconfiguration.

Settings: Level1, Level2, None

Default: None

### UserID

The user can enter up to an 8-digit hexadecimal code (32-bit value) in the UserID register. You can use the register to identify implementation or design revisions.

Settings: <any 8-digit hex string>

Default: 0xFFFFFFFF

## -h or -help (Command Usage)

### -h *architecture*

Displays a usage message for BitGen. The usage message displays all available options for BitGen operating on the specified *architecture*.

## -j (No BIT File)

Do not create a bitstream file (.bit file). This option is generally used when you want to generate a report without producing a bitstream. For example, if you wanted to run DRC without producing a bitstream file, you would use the -j option.

Note: The .msk or .rbt files might still be created.

## -l (Create a Logic Allocation File)

This option creates an ASCII logic allocation file (*design.ll*) for the selected design. The logic allocation file indicates the bitstream position of latches, flip-flops, and IOB inputs and outputs.

In some applications, you may want to observe the contents of the FPGA internal registers at different times. The file created by the -l option helps you identify which bits in the current bitstream represent outputs of flip-flops and latches. Bits are referenced by frame and bit number within the frame.

The Hardware Debugger uses the **design.ll** file to locate signal values inside a readback bitstream.

## -m (Generate a Mask File)

Creates a mask file. This file is used to compare relevant bit locations for executing a readback of configuration data contained in an operating FPGA.

## -w (Overwrite Existing Output File)

Enables you to overwrite an existing BIT, LL, MSK, or RBT output file.

# Using PROMGen

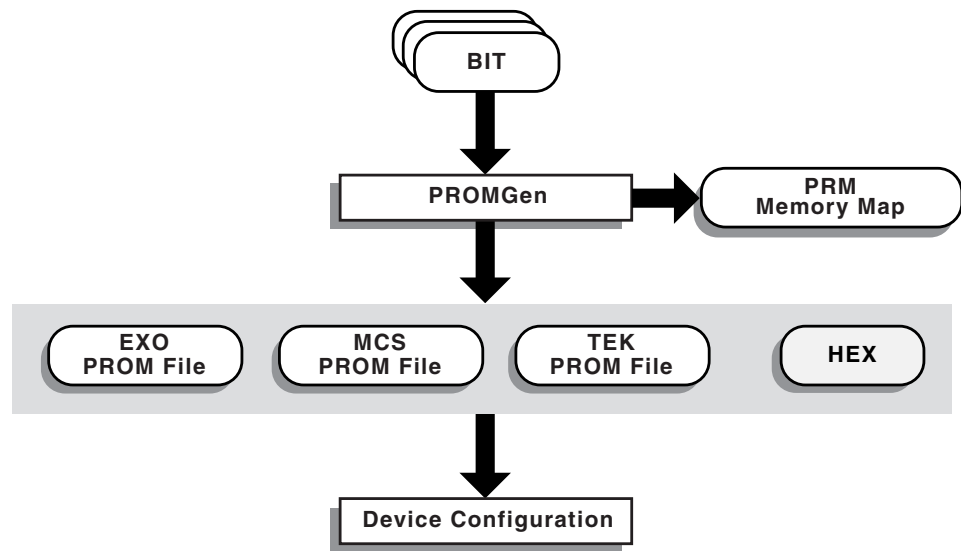
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The PROMGen program is compatible with the following families.

- Virtex/Virtex-E/Virtex-II/Virtex-II Pro

PROMGen formats a BitGen-generated configuration bitstream (BIT) file into a PROM format file (Figure A-2).

The PROM file contains configuration data for the FPGA device. PROMGen converts a BIT file into one of three PROM formats: MCS-86 (Intel), EXORMAX (Motorola), or TEKHEX (Tektronix). It can also generate a Hex file format.



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Figure A-2: PROMGen

There are two functionally equivalent versions of PROMGen. There is a stand-alone version you can access from an operating system prompt. You can also access an interactive version, called the PROM File Formatter, from inside the Design Manager for Alliance or the Project Manager in Foundation. This chapter describes the stand-alone version; the interactive version is described in the *PROM File Formatter Guide*.

You can also use PROMGen to concatenate bitstream files to daisy-chain FPGAs.

Note: If the destination PROM is one of the Xilinx Serial PROMs, you are using a Xilinx PROM Programmer, and the FPGAs are not being daisy-chained, it is not necessary to make a PROM file. See the *Hardware User Guide* for more information about daisy-chained designs.

## PROMGen Syntax

Use the following syntax to start PROMGen from the operating system prompt:

```
promgen [options]
```

*Options* can be any number of the options listed in [PROMGen Options, page 527](#). Separate multiple options with spaces.

## PROMGen Files

This section describes the PROMGen input and output files.

### Input Files

The input to PROMGEN consists of BIT files— one or more bitstream files. BIT files contain configuration data for an FPGA design.

### Output Files

Output from PROMGEN consists of the following files.

- PROM files—The file or files containing the PROM configuration information. Depending on the PROM file format used by the PROM programmer, you can output a TEK, MCS, or EXO file. If you are using a microprocessor to configure your devices, you can output a HEX file, containing a hexadecimal representation of the bitstream.
- PRM file—The PRM file is a PROM image file. It contains a memory map of the

output PROM file. The file has a **.prm** extension.

## Bit Swapping in PROM Files

PROMGen produces a PROM file in which the bits within a byte are swapped compared to the bits in the input BIT file. Bit swapping (also called “bit mirroring”) reverses the bits within each byte, as shown in [Figure A-3](#).

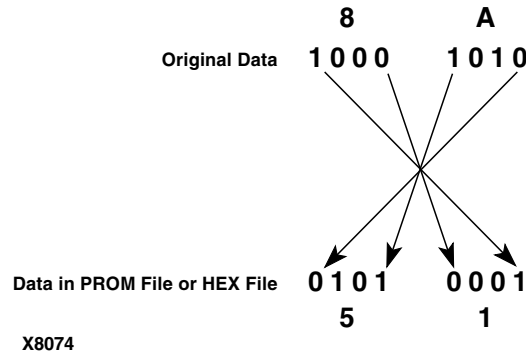


Figure A-3: Bit Swapping

In a bitstream contained in a BIT file, the Least Significant Bit (LSB) is always on the left side of a byte. But when a PROM programmer or a microprocessor reads a data byte, it identifies the LSB on the right side of the byte. In order for the PROM programmer or microprocessor to read the bitstream correctly, the bits in each byte must first be swapped so they are read in the correct order.

In this release of the Xilinx Development System, the bits are swapped for all of the PROM formats: MCS, EXO, and TEK. For a HEX file output, bit swapping is on by default, but it can be turned off by entering a **-b** PROMGen option that is available only for HEX file format.

## PROMGen Options

This section describes the options that are available for the PROMGen command.

### -b (Disable Bit Swapping—HEX Format Only)

This option only applies if the **-p** option specifies a HEX file for the output of PROMGen. By default (no **-b** option), bits in the HEX file are swapped compared to bits in the input BIT files. If you enter a **-b** option, the bits are not swapped. Bit swapping is described in [Bit Swapping in PROM Files, page 527](#).

### -c (Checksum)

```
promgen -c
```

The **-c** option generates a checksum value appearing in the **.prm** file. This value should match the checksum in the prom programmer. Use this option to verify that correct data was programmed into the prom.

### -d (Load Downward)

```
promgen -d hexaddress0 filename filename...
```

This option loads one or more BIT files from the starting address in a downward direction. Specifying several files after this option causes the files to be concatenated in a daisy-chain. You can specify multiple **-d** options to load files at different addresses. You must specify this option immediately before the input bitstream file.

The multiple file syntax is as follows:

```
promgen -d hexaddress0 filename filename...
```

The multiple **-d** options syntax is as follows:

```
promgen -d hexaddress1 filename -d hexaddress2 filename...
```

### -f (Execute Commands File)

```
-f command_file
```

The **-f** option executes the command line arguments in the specified *command\_file*.

### -help (Command Help)

This option displays help that describes the PROMGen options.

### -l option (Disable Length Count)

```
promgen -l
```

The **-l** option disables the length counter in the FPGA bitstream. It is valid only for 4000EX, 4000XL, 4000XLA, 4000XV, and SpartanXL Devices. Use this option when chaining together bitstreams exceeding the 24 bit limit imposed by the length counter.

### -n (Add BIT Files)

```
-n file1[.bit] file2[.bit]...
```

This option loads one or more BIT files up or down from the next available address following the previous load. The first **-n** option *must* follow a **-u** or **-d** option because **-n** does not establish a direction. Files specified with this option are not daisy-chained to previous files. Files are loaded in the direction established by the nearest prior **-u**, **-d**, or **-n** option.

The following syntax shows how to specify multiple files. When you specify multiple files, PROMGen daisy-chains the files.

```
promgen -d hexaddress file0 -n file1 file2...
```

The following syntax when using multiple **-n** options prevents the files from being daisy-chained:

```
promgen -d hexaddress file0 -n file1 -n file2...
```

### -o (Output File Name)

```
-o file1[.ext] file2[.ext]...
```

This option specifies the output file name of a PROM if it is different from the default. If you do not specify an output file name, the PROM file has the same name as the first BIT file loaded.

*ext* is the extension for the applicable PROM format.

Multiple file names may be specified to split the information into multiple files. If only one name is supplied for split PROM files (by you or by default), the output PROM files are named *file\_#.ext*, where *file* is the base name, *#* is 0, 1, etc., and *ext* is the extension for the applicable PROM format.

```
promgen -d hexaddress file0 -o filename
```

### -p (PROM Format)

```
-p {mcs | exo | tek | hex}
```

This option sets the PROM format to one of the following: MCS (Intel MCS86), EXO (Motorola EXORMAX), TEK (Tektronix TEKHEX). The option may also produce a HEX file, which is a hexadecimal representation of the configuration bitstream used for microprocessor downloads. If specified, the **-p** option must precede any **-u**, **-d**, or **-n** options. The default format is MCS.

## -r (Load PROM File)

`-r promfile`

This option reads an existing PROM file as input instead of a BIT file. All of the PROMGen output options may be used, so the -r option can be used for splitting an existing PROM file into multiple PROM files or for converting an existing PROM file to another format.

## -s (PROM Size)

`-s promsize1 promsize2...`

This option sets the PROM size in kilobytes. The PROM size must be a power of 2. The default value is 64 kilobytes. The -s option must precede any -u, -d, or -n options.

Multiple *promsize* entries for the -s option indicates the PROM will be split into multiple PROM files.

Note: PROMGen PROM sizes are specified in bytes. *The Programmable Logic Data Book* specifies PROM sizes in bits for Xilinx serial PROMs (see -x option).

## -u (Load Upward)

`-u hexaddress0 filename1 filename2...`

This option loads one or more BIT files from the starting address in an upward direction. When you specify several files after this option, PROMGen concatenates the files in a daisy-chain. You can load files at different addresses by specifying multiple -u options.

This option must be specified immediately before the input bitstream file.

## -x (Specify Xilinx PROM)

`-x xilinx_prom1 xilinx_prom2...`

The -x option specifies one or more Xilinx serial PROMs for which the PROM files are targeted. Use this option instead of the -s option if you know the Xilinx PROMs to use.

Multiple *xilinx\_prom* entries for the -x option indicates the PROM will be split into multiple PROM files.

## Examples

To load the file test.bit up from address 0x0000 in MCS format, enter the following information at the command line.

```
promgen -u 0 test
```

To daisy-chain the files test1.bit and test2.bit up from address 0x0000 and the files test3.bit and test4.bit from address 0x4000 while using a 32K PROM and the Motorola EXORmax format, enter the following information at the command line.

```
promgen -s 32 -p exo -u 00 test1 test2 -u 4000 test3 test4
```

To load the file test.bit into the PROM programmer in a downward direction starting at address 0x400, using a Xilinx XC1718D PROM, enter the following information at the command line.

```
promgen -x xc1718d -d 0x400 test
```

To specify a PROM file name that is different from the default file name enter the following information at the command line.

```
promgen options filename -o newfilename
```





## ***XC18V00 Series PROMs***

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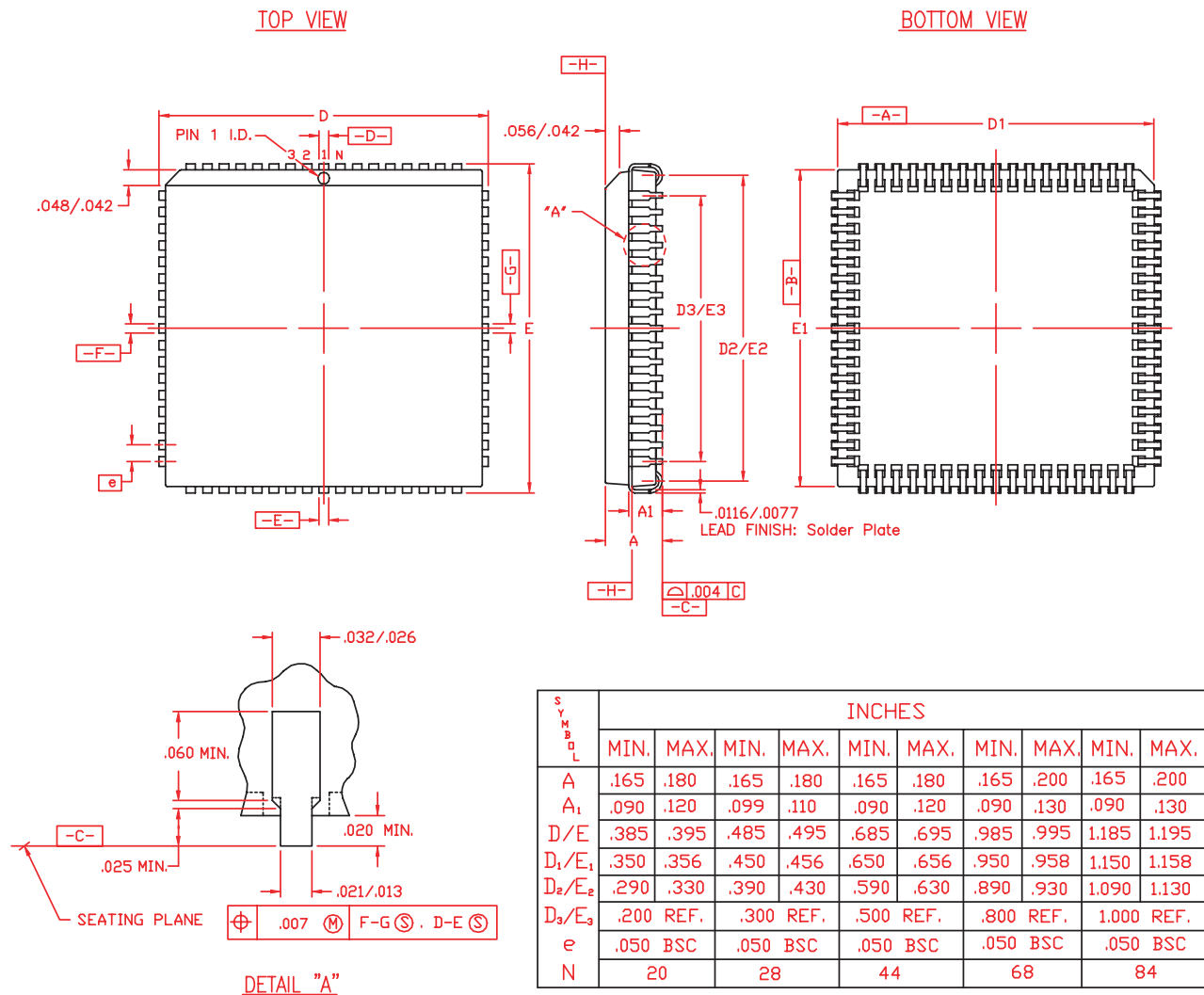
This appendix contains package specifications for the XC18V00 Series of In-System Programmable Configuration PROMs, as well as the XC18V00 Series product specification (DS026). The latest version of this information is available online (at [www.xilinx.com](http://www.xilinx.com)).

### **PROM Package Specifications**

This section contains specifications for the following Virtex-II packages:

- [PC20-84 Specification](#)
- [SO20 Specification](#)
- [VQ44 Specification](#)

# PC20-84 Specification



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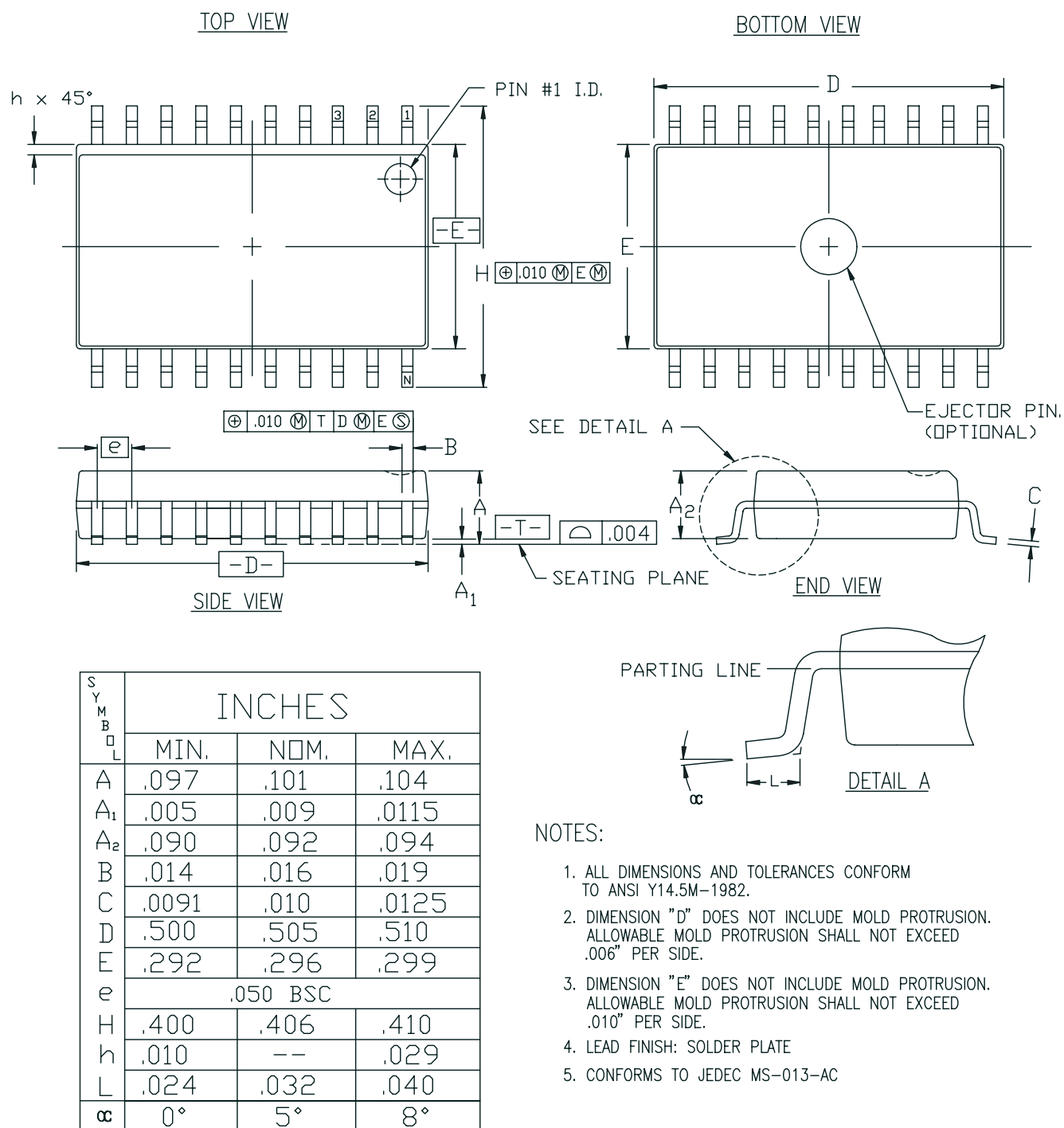
1. ALL DIMENSIONS AND TOLERANCES CONFORM TO ANSI Y14.5M-1982.
2. DIMENSIONS 'D1' AND 'E1' DO NOT INCLUDE MOLD FLASH OR PROTRUSIONS. MOLD FLASH OR PROTRUSIONS SHALL NOT EXCEED .010 PER SIDE.
3. 'N' IS NUMBER OF TERMINALS.
4. CONFORM TO JEDEC MO-047
5. TOP OF PACKAGE MAY BE SMALLER THAN BOTTOM BY .010".

20, 28, 44, 68 and 84—PIN PLCC (PC20 THRU PC84)

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Figure B-1: PC20-84 Specification

## SO20 Specification

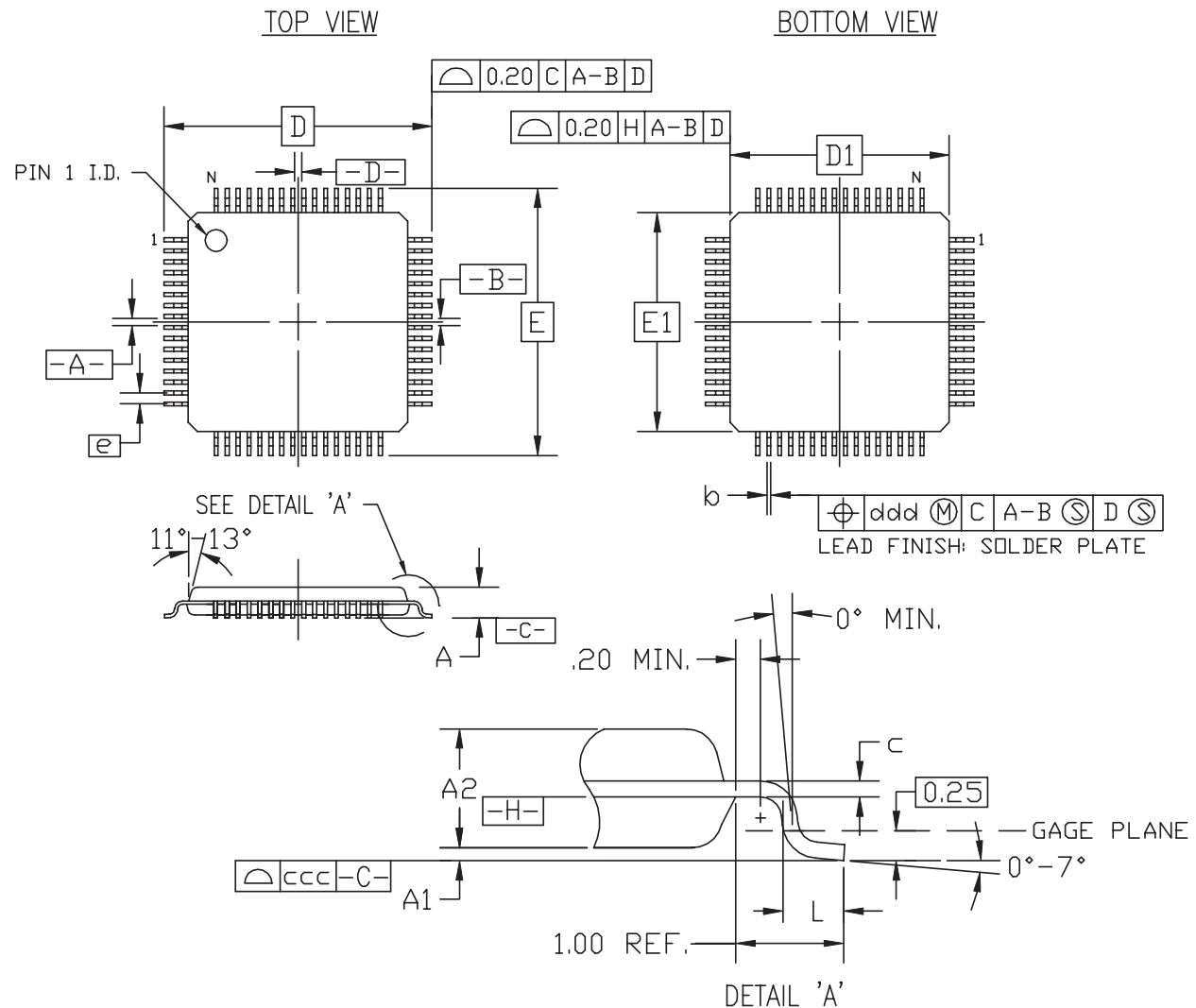


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Figure B-2: SO20 Specification

# VQ44 Specification



SYMBOL	VQ44			VQ64			VQ100		
	MILLIMETERS			MILLIMETERS			MILLIMETERS		
A	MIN.	NOM.	MAX.	MIN.	NOM.	MAX.	MIN.	NOM.	MAX.
A <sub>1</sub>	0.05	0.10	0.15	0.05	0.10	0.15	0.05	0.10	0.15
A <sub>2</sub>	0.95	1.00	1.05	0.95	1.00	1.05	0.95	1.00	1.05
D/E	12.00 BSC.			12.00 BSC.			16.00 BSC.		
D <sub>1</sub> /E <sub>1</sub>	10.00 BSC.			10.00 BSC.			14.00 BSC.		
b	0.30	0.37	0.45	0.17	0.22	0.27	0.17	0.22	0.27
c	0.09	0.10	0.20	0.09	0.10	0.20	0.09	0.10	0.20
e	0.80 BSC.			0.50 BSC.			0.50 BSC.		
L	0.45	0.60	0.75	0.45	0.60	0.75	0.45	0.60	0.75
ccc	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.08
ddd	0.20	0.20	0.20	0.20	0.20	0.20	0.20	0.20	0.20
N	44			64			100		
REF.	JEDEC MS-026-ACB			JEDEC MS-026-ACD			JEDEC MS-026-AED		

## NOTES:

1. ALL DIMENSIONS AND TOLERANCES CONFORM TO ANSI Y14.5M-1982.
2. DIMENSIONS D1 AND E1 DO NOT INCLUDE MOLD PROTRUSION. ALLOWABLE MOLD PROTRUSION SHALL NOT EXCEED 0.25mm PER SIDE.
3. THE TOP OF PACKAGE MAY BE SMALLER THAN THE BOTTOM OF PACKAGE BY 0.15mm.

44, 64, 100-PIN PLASTIC VERY THIN QFP (VQ44, VQ64, VQ100)

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Figure B-3: VQ44 Specification

## Features

- In-system programmable 3.3V PROMs for configuration of Xilinx FPGAs
  - Endurance of 20,000 program/erase cycles
  - Program/erase over full commercial/industrial voltage and temperature range
- IEEE Std 1149.1 boundary-scan (JTAG) support
- Simple interface to the FPGA
- Cascadable for storing longer or multiple bitstreams
- Low-power advanced CMOS FLASH process
- Dual configuration modes
  - Serial Slow/Fast configuration (up to 33 MHz)
  - Parallel (up to 264 Mb/s at 33 MHz)
- 5V tolerant I/O pins accept 5V, 3.3V and 2.5V signals
- 3.3V or 2.5V output capability
- Available in PC20, SO20, PC44 and VQ44 packages
- Design support using the Xilinx Alliance and Foundation series software packages.
- JTAG command initiation of standard FPGA configuration

## Description

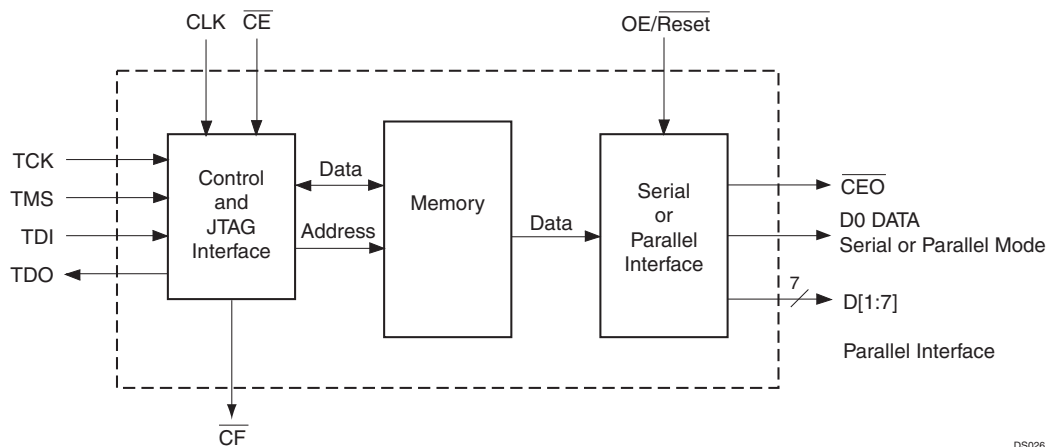
Xilinx introduces the XC18V00 series of in-system programmable configuration PROMs (Figure 1). Initial devices in this 3.3V family are a 4-megabit, a 2-megabit, a 1-megabit, a 512-Kbit, and a 256-Kbit PROM that provide an easy-to-use, cost-effective method for re-programming and storing large Xilinx FPGA or CPLD configuration bitstreams.

When the FPGA is in Master Serial mode, it generates a configuration clock that drives the PROM. A short access time after  $\overline{CE}$  and OE are enabled, data is available on the PROM DATA (D0) pin that is connected to the FPGA D<sub>IN</sub> pin. New data is available a short access time after each rising clock edge. The FPGA generates the appropriate number of clock pulses to complete the configuration. When the FPGA is in Slave Serial mode, the PROM and the FPGA are clocked by an external clock.

When the FPGA is in Master-SelectMAP mode, the FPGA generates a configuration clock that drives the PROM. When the FPGA is in Slave-Parallel or Slave-SelectMAP Mode, an external oscillator generates the configuration clock that drives the PROM and the FPGA. After  $\overline{CE}$  and OE are enabled, data is available on the PROMs DATA (D0-D7) pins. New data is available a short access time after each rising clock edge. The data is clocked into the FPGA on the following rising edge of the CCLK. Neither Slave-Parallel nor SelectMAP utilize a Length Count, so a free-running oscillator can be used in the Slave-Parallel or Slave-SelectMAP modes.

Multiple devices can be concatenated by using the  $\overline{CEO}$  output to drive the  $\overline{CE}$  input of the following device. The clock inputs and the DATA outputs of all PROMs in this chain are interconnected. All devices are compatible and can be cascaded with other members of the family or with the XC17V00 one-time programmable Serial PROM family.

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## Pinout and Pin Description

Pins not listed are "no connects."

Table 1: Pin Names and Descriptions

Pin Name	Boundary Scan Order	Function	Pin Description	44-pin VQFP	44-pin PLCC	20-pin SOIC and PLCC
D0	4	DATA OUT	D0 is the DATA output pin to provide data for configuring an FPGA in serial mode.	40	2	1
	3	OUTPUT ENABLE				
D1	6	DATA OUT	D0-D7 are the output pins to provide parallel data for configuring a Xilinx FPGA in Slave-Parallel/SelectMap mode.	29	35	16
	5	OUTPUT ENABLE				
D2	2	DATA OUT		42	4	2
	1	OUTPUT ENABLE				
D3	8	DATA OUT		27	33	15
	7	OUTPUT ENABLE				
D4	24	DATA OUT		9	15	7 <sup>(1)</sup>
	23	OUTPUT ENABLE				
D5	10	DATA OUT		25	31	14
	9	OUTPUT ENABLE				
D6	17	DATA OUT		14	20	9
	16	OUTPUT ENABLE				
D7	14	DATA OUT		19	25	12
	13	OUTPUT ENABLE				

Table 1: Pin Names and Descriptions (Continued)

Pin Name	Boundary Scan Order	Function	Pin Description	44-pin VQFP	44-pin PLCC	20-pin SOIC and PLCC
CLK	0	DATA IN	Each rising edge on the CLK input increments the internal address counter if both $\overline{CE}$ is Low and OE/ $\overline{RESET}$ is High.	43	5	3
OE/ $\overline{RESET}$	20	DATA IN	When Low, this input holds the address counter reset and the DATA output is in a high-impedance state. This is a bidirectional open-drain pin that is held Low while the PROM is reset. Polarity is NOT programmable.	13	19	8
	19	DATA OUT				
	18	OUTPUT ENABLE				
$\overline{CE}$	15	DATA IN	When $\overline{CE}$ is High, the device is put into low-power standby mode, the address counter is reset, and the DATA pins are put in a high-impedance state.	15	21	10
$\overline{CF}$	22	DATA OUT	Allows JTAG CONFIG instruction to initiate FPGA configuration without powering down FPGA. This is an open-drain output that is pulsed Low by the JTAG CONFIG command.	10	16	7 <sup>(1)</sup>
	21	OUTPUT ENABLE				
$\overline{CEO}$	12	DATA OUT	Chip Enable Output ( $\overline{CEO}$ ) is connected to the $\overline{CE}$ input of the next PROM in the chain. This output is Low when $\overline{CE}$ is Low and OE/ $\overline{RESET}$ input is High, AND the internal address counter has been incremented beyond its Terminal Count (TC) value. $\overline{CEO}$ returns to High when OE/ $\overline{RESET}$ goes Low or $\overline{CE}$ goes High.	21	27	13
	11	OUTPUT ENABLE				
GND			GND is the ground connection.	6, 18, 28 & 41	3, 12, 24 & 34	11
TMS		MODE SELECT	The state of TMS on the rising edge of TCK determines the state transitions at the Test Access Port (TAP) controller. TMS has an internal 50K ohm resistive pull-up on it to provide a logic "1" to the device if the pin is not driven.	5	11	5
TCK		CLOCK	This pin is the JTAG test clock. It sequences the TAP controller and all the JTAG test and programming electronics.	7	13	6
TDI		DATA IN	This pin is the serial input to all JTAG instruction and data registers. TDI has an internal 50K ohm resistive pull-up on it to provide a logic "1" to the system if the pin is not driven.	3	9	4
TDO		DATA OUT	This pin is the serial output for all JTAG instruction and data registers. TDO has an internal 50K ohm resistive pull-up on it to provide a logic "1" to the system if the pin is not driven.	31	37	17
V <sub>CC</sub>			Positive 3.3V supply voltage for internal logic and input buffers.	17, 35 & 38	23, 41 & 44	18 & 20

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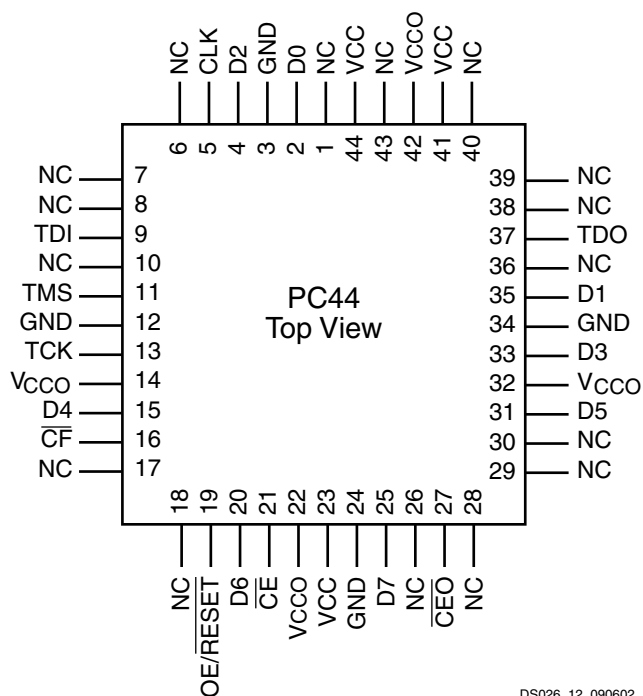
Table 1: Pin Names and Descriptions (Continued)

Pin Name	Boundary Scan Order	Function	Pin Description	44-pin VQFP	44-pin PLCC	20-pin SOIC and PLCC
V <sub>CCO</sub>			Positive 3.3V or 2.5V supply voltage connected to the output voltage drivers.	8, 16, 26 & 36	14, 22, 32 & 42	19
NC			No connects.	1, 2, 4, 11, 12, 20, 22, 23, 24, 30, 32, 33, 34, 37, 39, 44	1, 6, 7, 8, 10, 17, 18, 26, 28, 29, 30, 36, 38, 39, 40, 43	

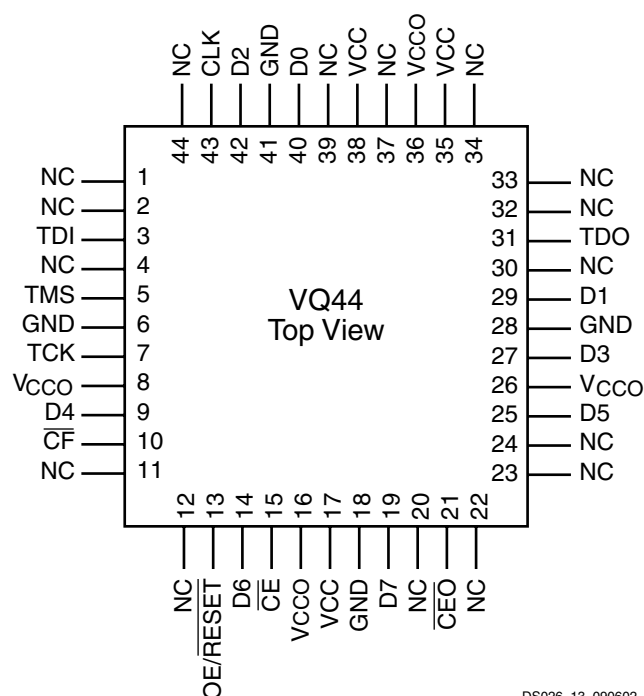
**Notes:**

- By default, pin 7 is the D4 pin in the 20-pin packages. However, CF --> D4 programming option can be set to override the default and route the CF function to pin 7 in the Serial mode.

## Pinout Diagrams

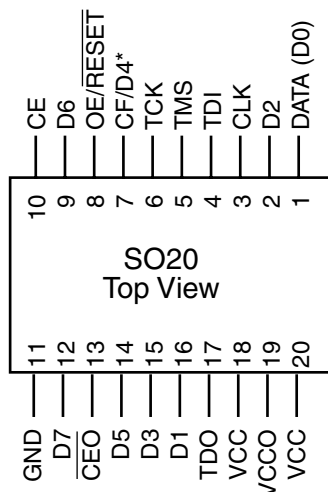


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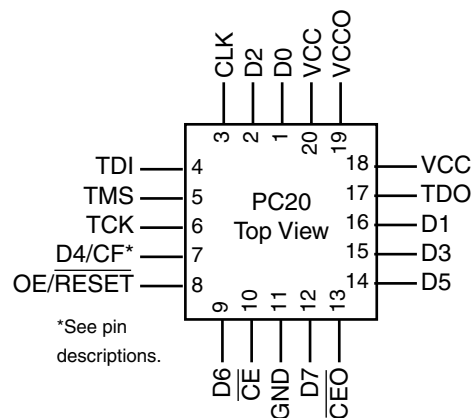
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## Xilinx FPGAs and Compatible PROMs

Table 2 provides a list of Xilinx FPGAs and compatible PROMs.

Table 2: Xilinx FPGAs and Compatible PROMs

Device	Configuration Bits	XC18V00 Solution
XC2VP2	1,305,440	XC18V02
XC2VP4	3,006,560	XC18V04
XC2VP7	4,485,472	XC18V04 + XC18V512
XC2VP20	8,214,624	2 of XC18V04
XC2VP30	11,364,608	3 of XC18V04
XC2VP40	15,563,264	4 of XC18V04
XC2VP50	19,021,472	5 of XC18V04
XC2VP70	25,604,096	6 of XC18V04 + XC18V512
XC2VP100	33,645,312	8 of XC18V04 + XC18V256
XC2VP125	42,782,208	10 of XC18V04 + XC18V01
XC2V40	360,096	XC18V512
XC2V80	635,296	XC18V01
XC2V250	1,697,184	XC18V02
XC2V500	2,761,888	XC18V04
XC2V1000	4,082,592	XC18V04
XC2V1500	5,659,296	XC18V04 + XC18V02

Table 2: Xilinx FPGAs and Compatible PROMs

Device	Configuration Bits	XC18V00 Solution
XC2V2000	7,492,000	2 of XC18V04
XC2V3000	10,494,368	3 of XC18V04
XC2V4000	15,659,936	4 of XC18V04
XC2V6000	21,849,504	5 of XC18V04 + XC18V02
XC2V8000	29,063,072	7 of XC18V04
XCV50	559,200	XC18V01
XCV100	781,216	XC18V01
XCV150	1,040,096	XC18V01
XCV200	1,335,840	XC18V02
XCV300	1,751,808	XC18V02
XCV400	2,546,048	XC18V04
XCV600	3,607,968	XC18V04
XCV800	4,715,616	XC18V04 + XC18V512
XCV1000	6,127,744	XC18V04 + XC18V02
XCV50E	630,048	XC18V01
XCV100E	863,840	XC18V01
XCV200E	1,442,016	XC18V02
XCV300E	1,875,648	XC18V02
XCV400E	2,693,440	XC18V04

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Table 2: Xilinx FPGAs and Compatible PROMs

Device	Configuration Bits	XC18V00 Solution
XCV405E	3,430,400	XC18V04
XCV600E	3,961,632	XC18V04
XCV812E	6,519,648	2 of XC18V04
XCV1000E	6,587,520	2 of XC18V04
XCV1600E	8,308,992	2 of XC18V04
XCV2000E	10,159,648	3 of XC18V04
XCV2600E	12,922,336	4 of XC18V04
XCV3200E	16,283,712	4 of XC18V04
XC2S15	197,696	XC18V256
XC2S30	336,768	XC18V512
XC2S50	559,200	XC18V01
XC2S100	781,216	XC18V01
XC2S150	1,040,096	XC18V01
XC2S200	1,335,840	XC18V02
XC2S50E	630,048	XC18V01
XC2S100E	863,840	XC18V01
XC2S150E	1,134,496	XC18V02
XC2S200E	1,442,016	XC18V02
XC2S300E	1,875,648	XC18V02

## Capacity

Devices	Configuration Bits
XC18V04	4,194,304
XC18V02	2,097,152
XC18V01	1,048,576
XC18V512	524,288
XC18V256	262,144

## In-System Programming

In-System Programmable PROMs can be programmed individually, or two or more can be daisy-chained together and programmed in-system via the standard 4-pin JTAG protocol as shown in [Figure 2](#). In-system programming offers

quick and efficient design iterations and eliminates unnecessary package handling or socketing of devices. The Xilinx development system provides the programming data sequence using either Xilinx iMPACT software and a download cable, a third-party JTAG development system, a JTAG-compatible board tester, or a simple microprocessor interface that emulates the JTAG instruction sequence. The iMPACT software also outputs serial vector format (SVF) files for use with any tools that accept SVF format and with automatic test equipment.

All outputs are held in a high-impedance state or held at clamp levels during in-system programming.

## OE/RESET

The ISP programming algorithm requires issuance of a reset that causes OE to go Low.

## External Programming

Xilinx reprogrammable PROMs can also be programmed by the Xilinx HW-130 or a third-party device programmer. This provides the added flexibility of using pre-programmed devices with an in-system programmable option for future enhancements and design changes.

## Reliability and Endurance

Xilinx in-system programmable products provide a guaranteed endurance level of 20,000 in-system program/erase cycles and a minimum data retention of 20 years. Each device meets all functional, performance, and data retention specifications within this endurance limit.

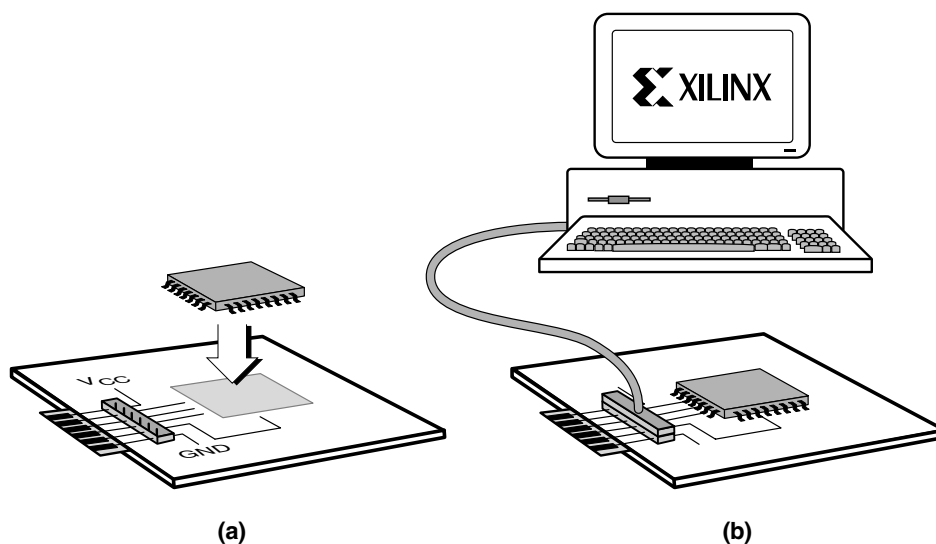
## Design Security

The Xilinx in-system programmable PROM devices incorporate advanced data security features to fully protect the programming data against unauthorized reading via JTAG. [Table 3](#) shows the security setting available.

The read security bit can be set by the user to prevent the internal programming pattern from being read or copied via JTAG. When set, it allows device erase. Erasing the entire device is the only way to reset the read security bit.

Table 3: Data Security Options

Default = Reset	Set
Read Allowed Program/Erase Allowed Verify Allowed	Read Inhibited via JTAG Program/Erase Allowed Verify Inhibited



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Figure 2: In-System Programming Operation (a) Solder Device to PCB and (b) Program Using Download Cable

## IEEE 1149.1 Boundary-Scan (JTAG)

The XC18V00 family is fully compliant with the IEEE Std. 1149.1 Boundary-Scan, also known as JTAG. A Test Access Port (TAP) and registers are provided to support all required boundary scan instructions, as well as many of the optional instructions specified by IEEE Std. 1149.1. In addition, the JTAG interface is used to implement in-system programming (ISP) to facilitate configuration, erasure, and verification operations on the XC18V00 device.

Table 4 lists the required and optional boundary-scan instructions supported in the XC18V00. Refer to the IEEE Std. 1149.1 specification for a complete description of boundary-scan architecture and the required and optional instructions.

## Instruction Register

The Instruction Register (IR) for the XC18V00 is eight bits wide and is connected between TDI and TDO during an instruction scan sequence. In preparation for an instruction scan sequence, the instruction register is parallel loaded with a fixed instruction capture pattern. This pattern is shifted out onto TDO (LSB first), while an instruction is shifted into the instruction register from TDI. The detailed composition of the instruction capture pattern is illustrated in Figure 3.

The ISP Status field, IR(4), contains logic “1” if the device is currently in ISP mode; otherwise, it contains logic “0”. The Security field, IR(3), contains logic “1” if the device has been programmed with the security option turned on; otherwise, it contains logic “0”.

Table 4: Boundary Scan Instructions

Boundary-Scan Command	Binary Code [7:0]	Description
<b>Required Instructions</b>		
BYPASS	11111111	Enables BYPASS
SAMPLE/PRELOAD	00000001	Enables boundary-scan SAMPLE/PRELOAD operation
EXTEST	00000000	Enables boundary-scan EXTEST operation
<b>Optional Instructions</b>		
CLAMP	11111010	Enables boundary-scan CLAMP operation
HIGHZ	11111100	all outputs in high-impedance state simultaneously
IDCODE	11111110	Enables shifting out 32-bit IDCODE
USERCODE	11111101	Enables shifting out 32-bit USERCODE
<b>XC18V00 Specific Instructions</b>		
CONFIG	11101110	Initiates FPGA configuration by pulsing $\overline{CF}$ pin Low

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	IR[7:5]	IR[4]	IR[3]	IR[2]	IR[1:0]	
TDI->	0 0 0	ISP Status	Security	0	0 1	->TDO

**Notes:**

1. IR(1:0) = 01 is specified by IEEE Std. 1149.1

**Figure 3: Instruction Register Values Loaded into IR as Part of an Instruction Scan Sequence**

## Boundary Scan Register

The boundary-scan register is used to control and observe the state of the device pins during the EXTEST, SAMPLE/PRELOAD, and CLAMP instructions. Each output pin on the XC18V00 has two register stages that contribute to the boundary-scan register, while each input pin only has one register stage.

For each output pin, the register stage nearest to TDI controls and observes the output state, and the second stage closest to TDO controls and observes the High-Z enable state of the pin.

For each input pin, the register stage controls and observes the input state of the pin.

## Identification Registers

The IDCODE is a fixed, vendor-assigned value that is used to electrically identify the manufacturer and type of the device being addressed. The IDCODE register is 32 bits wide. The IDCODE register can be shifted out for examination by using the IDCODE instruction. The IDCODE is available to any other system component via JTAG.

The IDCODE register has the following binary format:

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vvvv:ffff:ffff:aaaa:aaaa:cccc:cccc:ccc1
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where

v = the die version number

f = the family code (50h for XC18V00 family)

a = the ISP PROM product ID (26h for the XC18V04)

c = the company code (49h for Xilinx)

**Note:** The LSB of the IDCODE register is always read as logic “1” as defined by IEEE Std. 1149.1.

Table 5 lists the IDCODE register values for the XC18V00 devices.

**Table 5: IDCODES Assigned to XC18V00 Devices**

ISP-PROM	IDCODE
XC18V01	05024093h
XC18V02	05025093h
XC18V04	05026093h
XC18V256	05022093h
XC18V512	05023093h

The USERCODE instruction gives access to a 32-bit user programmable scratch pad typically used to supply information about the device’s programmed contents. By using the USERCODE instruction, a user-programmable identification code can be shifted out for examination. This code is loaded into the USERCODE register during programming of the XC18V00 device. If the device is blank or was not loaded during programming, the USERCODE register contains FFFFFFFFh.

## XC18V00 TAP Characteristics

The XC18V00 family performs both in-system programming and IEEE 1149.1 boundary-scan (JTAG) testing via a single 4-wire Test Access Port (TAP). This simplifies system designs and allows standard Automatic Test Equipment to perform both functions. The AC characteristics of the XC18V00 TAP are described as follows.

## TAP Timing

Figure 4 shows the timing relationships of the TAP signals. These TAP timing characteristics are identical for both boundary-scan and ISP operations.

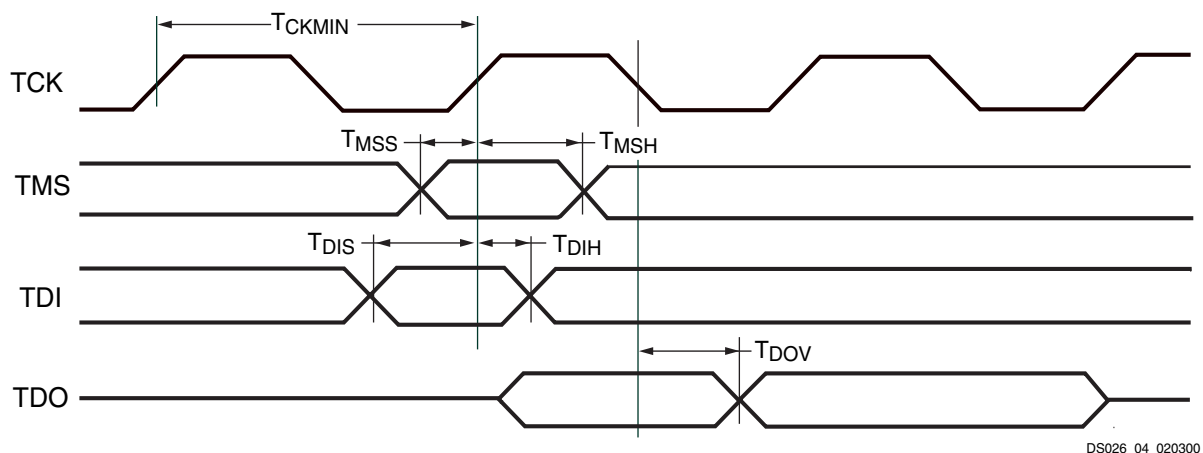


Figure 4: Test Access Port Timing

## TAP AC Parameters

Table 6 shows the timing parameters for the TAP waveforms shown in Figure 4

Table 6: Test Access Port Timing Parameters

Symbol	Parameter	Min	Max	Units
$T_{CKMIN1}$	TCK minimum clock period	100	-	ns
$T_{CKMIN2}$	TCK minimum clock period, Bypass Mode	50	-	ns
$T_{MSS}$	TMS setup time	10	-	ns
$T_{MSH}$	TMS hold time	25	-	ns
$T_{DIS}$	TDI setup time	10	-	ns
$T_{DIH}$	TDI hold time	25	-	ns
$T_{DOV}$	TDO valid delay	-	25	ns

## Connecting Configuration PROMs

Connecting the FPGA device with the configuration PROM (see Figure 5 and Figure 6).

- The DATA output(s) of the PROM(s) drives the  $D_{IN}$  input of the lead FPGA device.
- The Master FPGA CCLK output drives the CLK input(s) of the PROM(s) (in Master-Serial and Master-SelectMAP modes only).
- The  $\overline{CE}$  output of a PROM drives the  $\overline{CE}$  input of the next PROM in a daisy chain (if any).
- The  $\overline{OE}/\overline{RESET}$  pins of all PROMs are connected to the  $\overline{INIT}$  pins of all FPGA devices. This connection assures that the PROM address counter is reset before the start of any (re)configuration, even when a reconfiguration is initiated by a  $V_{CC}$  glitch.

- The PROM  $\overline{CE}$  input can be driven from the DONE pin. The  $\overline{CE}$  input of the first (or only) PROM can be driven by the DONE output of all target FPGA devices, provided that DONE is not permanently grounded.  $\overline{CE}$  can also be permanently tied Low, but this keeps the DATA output active and causes an unnecessary supply current of 10 mA maximum.
- Slave-Parallel/SelectMap mode is similar to slave serial mode. The DATA is clocked out of the PROM one byte per CCLK instead of one bit per CCLK cycle. See FPGA data sheets for special configuration requirements.

## Initiating FPGA Configuration

The XC18V00 devices incorporate a pin named  $\overline{CF}$  that is controllable through the JTAG CONFIG instruction. Executing the CONFIG instruction through JTAG pulses the  $\overline{CF}$  low for 300-500 ns, which resets the FPGA and initiates configuration.

The  $\overline{CF}$  pin must be connected to the  $\overline{PROGRAM}$  pin on the FPGA(s) to use this feature.

The iMPACT software can also issue a JTAG CONFIG command to initiate FPGA configuration through the “Load FPGA” setting.

The 20-pin packages do not have a dedicated  $\overline{CF}$  pin. For 20-pin packages, the CF --> D4 setting can be used to route the  $\overline{CF}$  pin function to pin 7 only if the parallel output mode is *not* used.

## Selecting Configuration Modes

The XC18V00 accommodates serial and parallel methods of configuration. The configuration modes are selectable through a user control register in the XC18V00 device. This control register is accessible through JTAG, and is set using the “Parallel mode” setting on the Xilinx iMPACT software. Serial output is the default configuration mode.

## Master Serial Mode Summary

The I/O and logic functions of the Configurable Logic Block (CLB) and their associated interconnections are established by a configuration program. The program is loaded either automatically upon power up, or on command, depending on the state of the three FPGA mode pins. In Master Serial mode, the FPGA automatically loads the configuration program from an external memory. Xilinx PROMs are designed to accommodate the Master Serial mode.

Upon power-up or reconfiguration, an FPGA enters the Master Serial mode whenever all three of the FPGA mode-select pins are Low ( $M0=0$ ,  $M1=0$ ,  $M2=0$ ). Data is read from the PROM sequentially on a single data line. Synchronization is

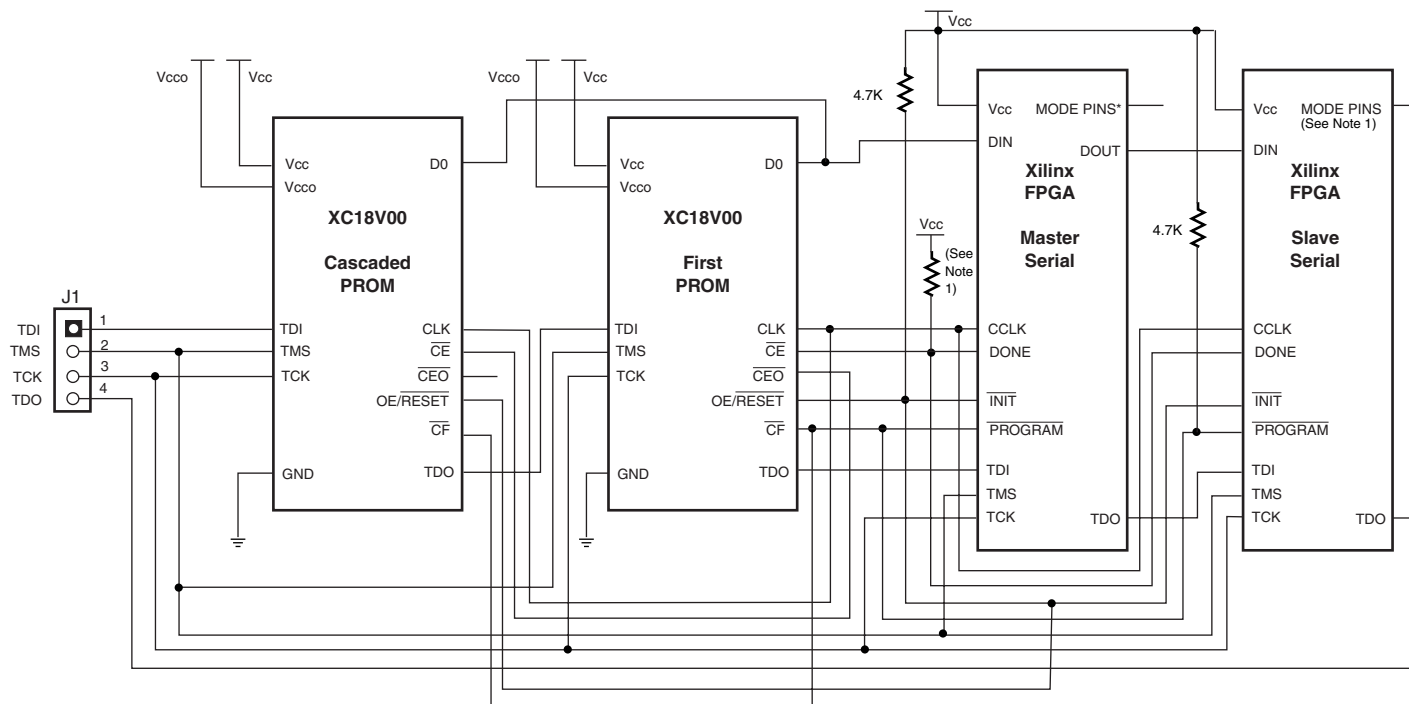
provided by the rising edge of the temporary signal CCLK, which is generated by the FPGA during configuration.

Master Serial Mode provides a simple configuration interface. Only a serial data line, a clock line, and two control lines are required to configure an FPGA. Data from the PROM is read sequentially, accessed via the internal address and bit counters which are incremented on every valid rising edge of CCLK. If the user-programmable, dual-function  $D_{IN}$  pin on the FPGA is used only for configuration, it must still be held at a defined level during normal operation. The Xilinx FPGA families take care of this automatically with an on-chip pull-up resistor.

## Cascading Configuration PROMs

For multiple FPGAs configured as a serial daisy-chain, or a single FPGA requiring larger configuration memories in a serial or SelectMAP configuration mode, cascaded PROMs provide additional memory (Figure 5). Multiple XC18V00 devices can be concatenated by using the  $\overline{CEO}$  output to drive the  $\overline{CE}$  input of the downstream device. The clock inputs and the data outputs of all XC18V00 devices in the chain are interconnected. After the last data from the first PROM is read, the next clock signal to the PROM asserts its  $\overline{CEO}$  output Low and drives its DATA line to a high-impedance state. The second PROM recognizes the Low level on its  $\overline{CE}$  input and enables its DATA output. See Figure 7.

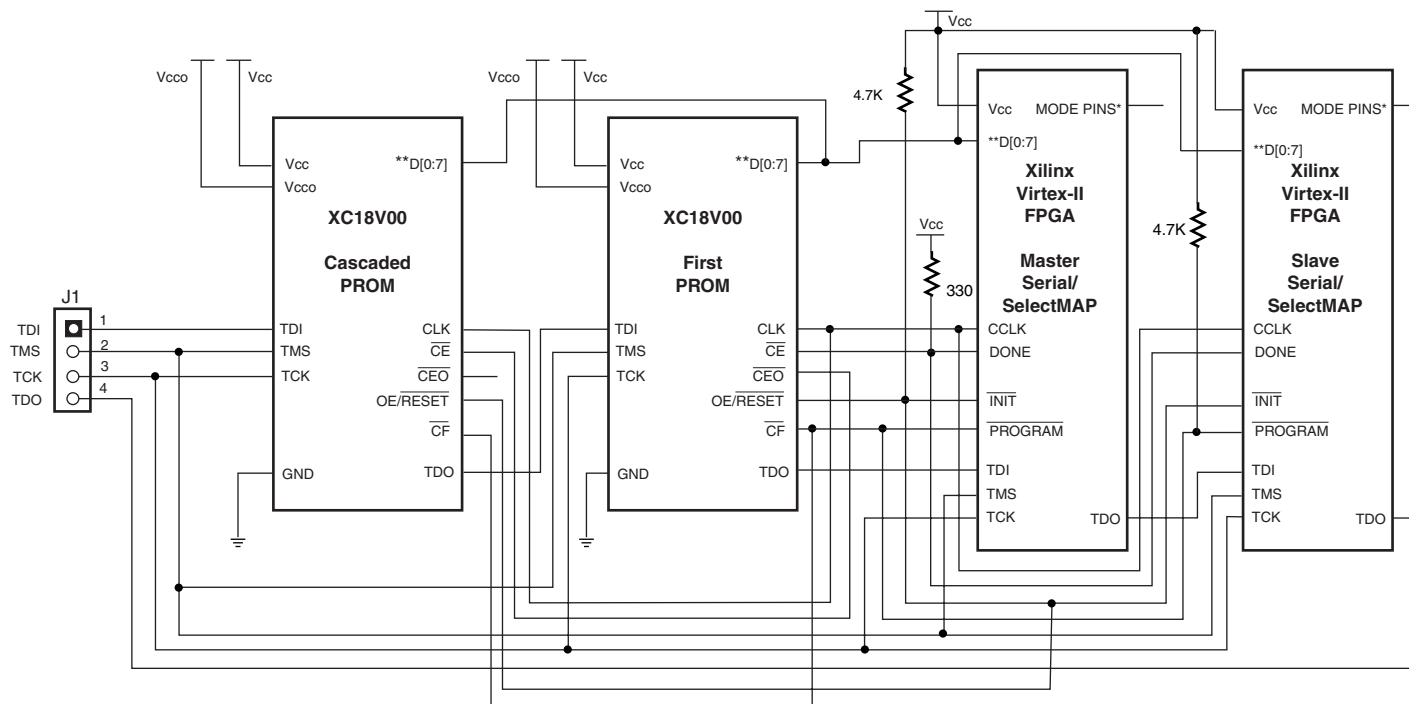
After configuration is complete, address counters of all cascaded PROMs are reset if the PROM OE/RESET pin goes Low or  $\overline{CE}$  goes High.



(1) For Mode pin connections and DONE pin pullup value, refer to appropriate FPGA data sheet.

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Figure 5: Configuring Multiple Devices in Master/Slave Serial Mode

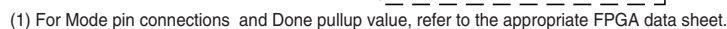


\* For Mode pin connections, refer to appropriate FPGA data sheet.  
\*\*Master/Slave Serial Mode does not require D[1:7].

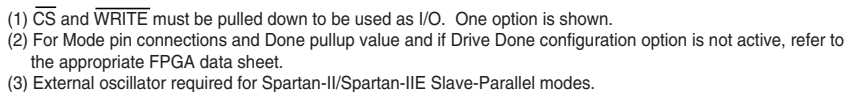
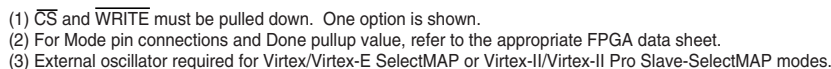
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Figure 6: Configuring Multiple Virtex-II Devices with Identical Patterns in Master/Slave or Serial/SelectMAP Modes





### (a) Master Serial Mode



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## Reset Activation

On power up, OE/RESET is held low until the XC18V00 is active (1 ms). OE/RESET is connected to an external resistor to pull OE/RESET HIGH releasing the FPGA INIT and allowing configuration to begin. If the power drops below 2.0V, the PROM resets. OE/RESET polarity is *not* programmable. See Figure 8 for power-up requirements.

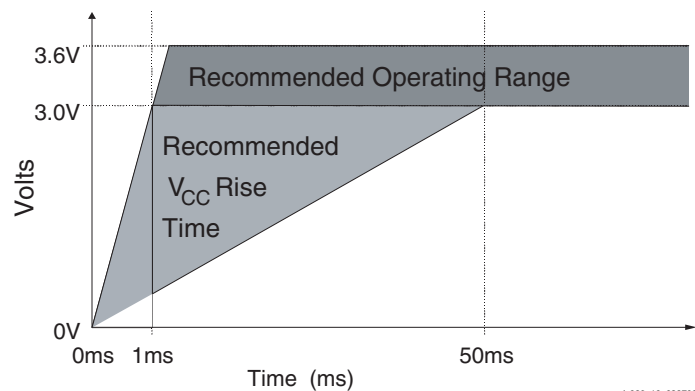


Figure 8: VCC Power-Up Requirements

## Standby Mode

The PROM enters a low-power standby mode whenever CE is asserted High. The address is reset. The output remains in a high-impedance state regardless of the state of the OE input. JTAG pins TMS, TDI and TDO can be in a high-impedance state or High.

## 5V Tolerant I/Os

The I/Os on each re-programmable PROM are fully 5V tolerant even through the core power supply is 3.3V. This allows 5V CMOS signals to connect directly to the PROM inputs without damage. In addition, the 3.3V VCC power supply can be applied before or after 5V signals are applied to the I/Os. In mixed 5V/3.3V/2.5V systems, the user pins, the core power supply (VCC), and the output power supply (VCCO) can have power applied in any order. This makes the PROM devices immune to power supply sequencing issues.

## Customer Control Bits

The XC18V00 PROMs have various control bits accessible by the customer. These can be set after the array has been programmed using "Skip User Array" in Xilinx iMPACT software. See Table 7.

Table 7: Truth Table for PROM Control Inputs

Control Inputs		Internal Address	Outputs		
OE/RESET	CE		DATA	CEO	Icc
High	Low	If address $\leq$ TC <sup>(1)</sup> : increment If address $>$ TC <sup>(1)</sup> : don't change	Active High-Z	High Low	Active Reduced
Low	Low	Held reset	High-Z	High	Active
High	High	Held reset	High-Z	High	Standby
Low	High	Held reset	High-Z	High	Standby

### Notes:

1. TC = Terminal Count = highest address value. TC + 1 = address 0.

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## Absolute Maximum Ratings<sup>(1,2)</sup>

Symbol	Description	Value	Units
$V_{CC}$	Supply voltage relative to GND	–0.5 to +4.0	V
$V_{IN}$	Input voltage with respect to GND	–0.5 to +5.5	V
$V_{TS}$	Voltage applied to High-Z output	–0.5 to +5.5	V
$T_{STG}$	Storage temperature (ambient)	–65 to +150	°C
$T_{SOL}$	Maximum soldering temperature (10s @ 1/16 in.)	+260	°C
$T_J$	Junction temperature	+150	°C

### Notes:

- Maximum DC undershoot below GND must be limited to either 0.5V or 10 mA, whichever is easier to achieve. During transitions, the device pins can undershoot to –2.0V or overshoot to +7.0V, provided this over- or undershoot lasts less than 10 ns and with the forcing current being limited to 200 mA.
- Stresses beyond those listed under Absolute Maximum Ratings might cause permanent damage to the device. These are stress ratings only, and functional operation of the device at these or any other conditions beyond those listed under Operating Conditions is not implied. Exposure to Absolute Maximum Ratings conditions for extended periods of time might affect device reliability.

## Recommended Operating Conditions

Symbol	Parameter		Min	Max	Units
$V_{CCINT}$	Internal voltage supply ( $T_A = 0^{\circ}\text{C}$ to $+70^{\circ}\text{C}$ )	Commercial	3.0	3.6	V
	Internal voltage supply ( $T_A = -40^{\circ}\text{C}$ to $+85^{\circ}\text{C}$ )	Industrial	3.0	3.6	V
$V_{CCO}$	Supply voltage for output drivers for 3.3V operation		3.0	3.6	V
	Supply voltage for output drivers for 2.5V operation		2.3	2.7	V
$V_{IL}$	Low-level input voltage		0	0.8	V
$V_{IH}$	High-level input voltage		2.0	5.5	V
$V_O$	Output voltage		0	$V_{CCO}$	V
$T_{VCC}$	$V_{CC}$ rise time from 0V to nominal voltage <sup>(1)</sup>		1	50	ms

### Notes:

- At power up, the device requires the  $V_{CC}$  power supply to monotonically rise from 0V to nominal voltage within the specified  $V_{CC}$  rise time. If the power supply cannot meet this requirement, then the device might not perform power-on-reset properly. See [Figure 8](#).

## Quality and Reliability Characteristics

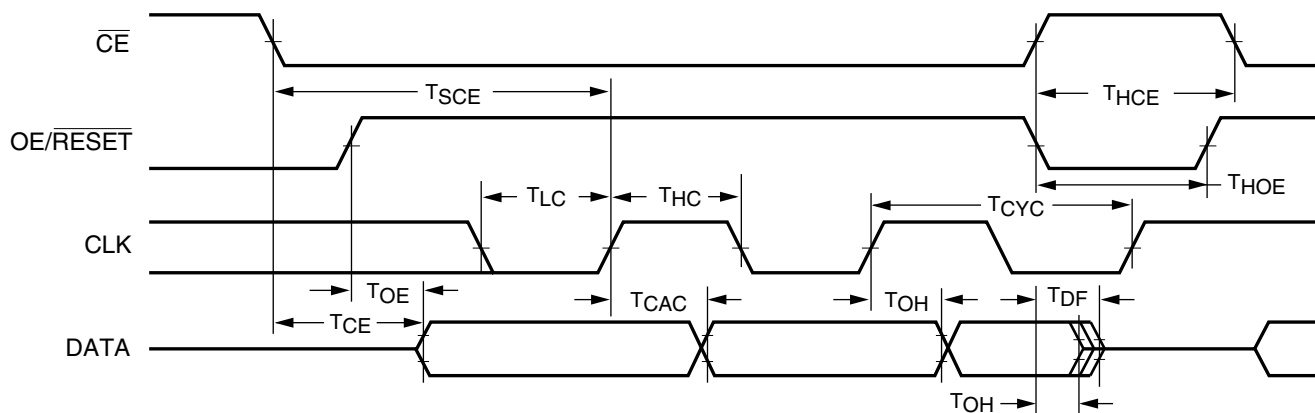
Symbol	Description	Min	Max	Units
$T_{DR}$	Data retention	20	-	Years
$N_{PE}$	Program/erase cycles (Endurance)	20,000	-	Cycles
$V_{ESD}$	Electrostatic discharge (ESD)	2,000	-	Volts

## DC Characteristics Over Operating Conditions

Symbol	Parameter	Test Conditions	Min	Max	Units
$V_{OH}$	High-level output voltage for 3.3V outputs	$I_{OH} = -4\text{ mA}$	2.4	-	V
	High-level output voltage for 2.5V outputs	$I_{OH} = -500\text{ }\mu\text{A}$	90% $V_{CCO}$	-	V

Symbol	Parameter	Test Conditions	Min	Max	Units
$V_{OL}$	Low-level output voltage for 3.3V outputs	$I_{OL} = 8 \text{ mA}$	-	0.4	V
	Low-level output voltage for 2.5V outputs	$I_{OL} = 500 \mu\text{A}$	-	0.4	V
$I_{CC}$	Supply current, active mode	25 MHz	-	25	mA
$I_{CCS}$	Supply current, standby mode		-	10	mA
$I_{ILJ}$	JTAG pins TMS, TDI, and TDO	$V_{CC} = \text{MAX}$ $V_{IN} = \text{GND}$	-100	-	$\mu\text{A}$
$I_{IL}$	Input leakage current	$V_{CC} = \text{Max}$ $V_{IN} = \text{GND or } V_{CC}$	-10	10	$\mu\text{A}$
$I_{IH}$	Input and output High-Z leakage current	$V_{CC} = \text{Max}$ $V_{IN} = \text{GND or } V_{CC}$	-10	10	$\mu\text{A}$
$C_{IN}$ and $C_{OUT}$	Input and output capacitance	$V_{IN} = \text{GND}$ $f = 1.0 \text{ MHz}$	-	10	pF

## AC Characteristics Over Operating Conditions for XC18V04 and XC18V02



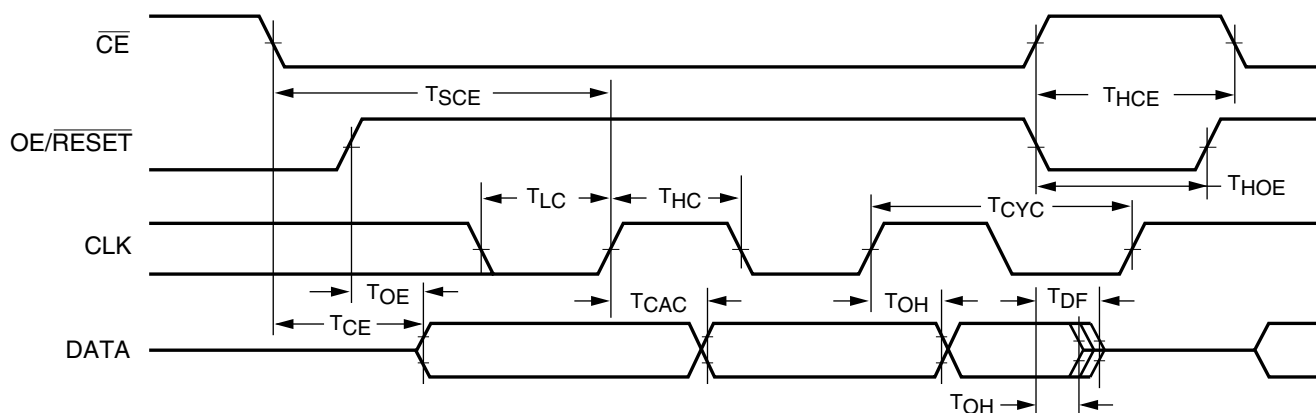
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Symbol	Description	Min	Max	Units
$T_{OE}$	$OE/\overline{RESET}$ to data delay	-	10	ns
$T_{CE}$	$\overline{CE}$ to data delay	-	20	ns
$T_{CAC}$	CLK to data delay	-	20	ns
$T_{OH}$	Data hold from $\overline{CE}$ , $OE/\overline{RESET}$ , or CLK	0	-	ns
$T_{DF}$	$\overline{CE}$ or $OE/\overline{RESET}$ to data float delay <sup>(2)</sup>	-	25	ns
$T_{CYC}$	Clock periods	50	-	ns
$T_{LC}$	CLK Low time <sup>(3)</sup>	10	-	ns
$T_{HC}$	CLK High time <sup>(3)</sup>	10	-	ns
$T_{SCE}$	$\overline{CE}$ setup time to CLK (guarantees proper counting) <sup>(3)</sup>	25	-	ns
$T_{HCE}$	$\overline{CE}$ High time (guarantees counters are reset)	20	-	ns
$T_{HOE}$	$OE/\overline{RESET}$ hold time (guarantees counters are reset)	25	-	ns

### Notes:

1. AC test load = 50 pF.
2. Float delays are measured with 5 pF AC loads. Transition is measured at  $\pm 200$  mV from steady state active levels.
3. Guaranteed by design, not tested.
4. All AC parameters are measured with  $V_{IL} = 0.0V$  and  $V_{IH} = 3.0V$ .
5. If  $T_{HCE}$  High < 2  $\mu s$ ,  $T_{CE} = 2 \mu s$ .
6. If  $T_{HCE}$  Low < 2  $\mu s$ ,  $T_{OE} = 2 \mu s$ .

## AC Characteristics Over Operating Conditions for XC18V01, XC18V512, and XC18V256



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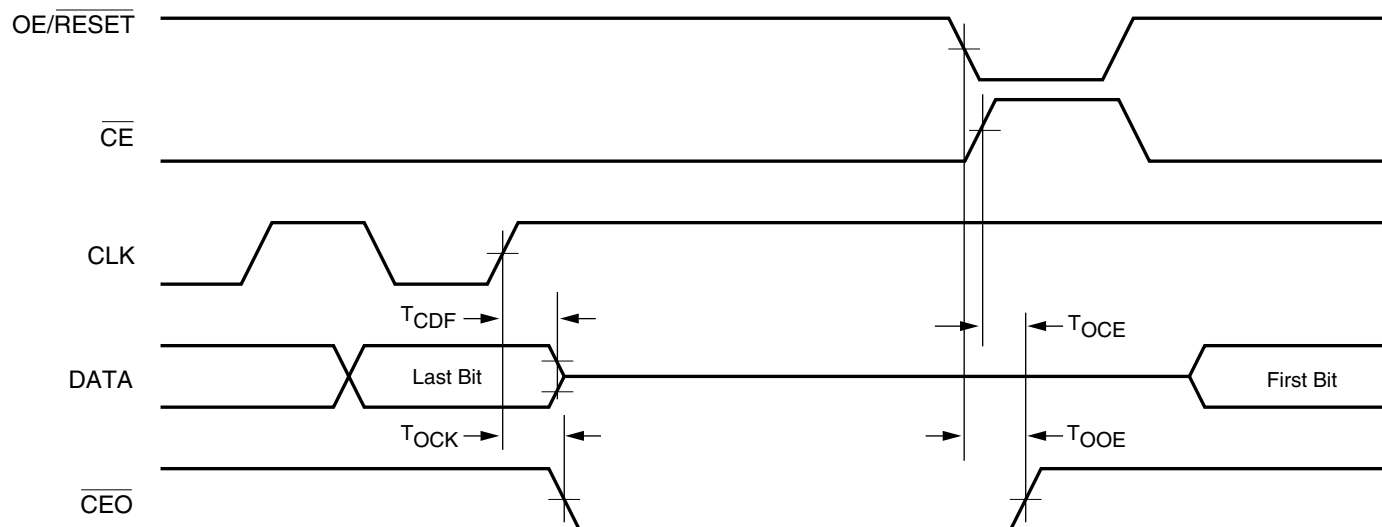
Symbol	Description	Min	Max	Units
$T_{OE}$	OE/ $\overline{RESET}$ to data delay	-	10	ns
$T_{CE}$	$\overline{CE}$ to data delay	-	15	ns
$T_{CAC}$	CLK to data delay	-	15	ns
$T_{OH}$	Data hold from $\overline{CE}$ , OE/ $\overline{RESET}$ , or CLK	0	-	ns
$T_{DF}$	$\overline{CE}$ or OE/ $\overline{RESET}$ to data float delay <sup>(2)</sup>	-	25	ns
$T_{CYC}$	Clock periods	30	-	ns
$T_{LC}$	CLK Low time <sup>(3)</sup>	10	-	ns
$T_{HC}$	CLK High time <sup>(3)</sup>	10	-	ns
$T_{SCE}$	$\overline{CE}$ setup time to CLK (guarantees proper counting) <sup>(3)</sup>	20	-	ns
$T_{HCE}$	$\overline{CE}$ High time (guarantees counters are reset)	20	-	ns
$T_{HOE}$	OE/ $\overline{RESET}$ hold time (guarantees counters are reset)	20	-	ns

### Notes:

- AC test load = 50 pF.
- Float delays are measured with 5 pF AC loads. Transition is measured at  $\pm 200$  mV from steady state active levels.
- Guaranteed by design, not tested.
- All AC parameters are measured with  $V_{IL} = 0.0V$  and  $V_{IH} = 3.0V$ .
- If  $T_{HCE}$  High < 2  $\mu s$ ,  $T_{CE} = 2 \mu s$ .
- If  $T_{HOE}$  High < 2  $\mu s$ ,  $T_{OE} = 2 \mu s$ .

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## AC Characteristics Over Operating Conditions When Cascading for XC18V04 and XC18V02



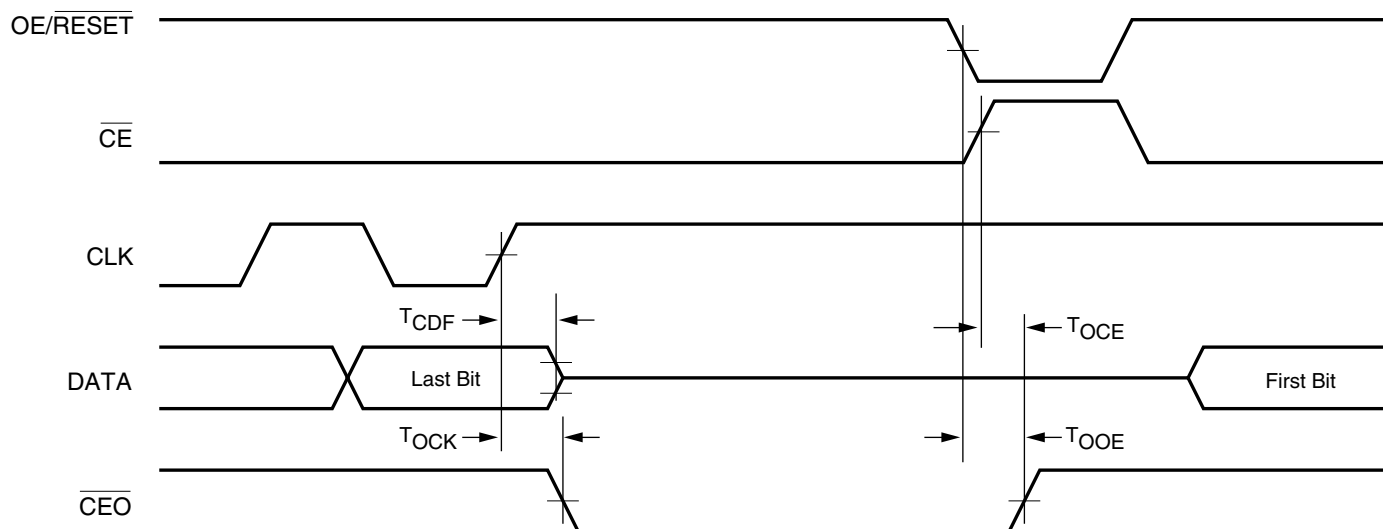
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Symbol	Description	Min	Max	Units
$T_{CDF}$	CLK to data float delay <sup>(2,3)</sup>	-	25	ns
$T_{OCK}$	CLK to $\overline{CEO}$ delay <sup>(3)</sup>	-	20	ns
$T_{OCE}$	CE to $\overline{CEO}$ delay <sup>(3)</sup>	-	20	ns
$T_{OOE}$	OE/RESET to $\overline{CEO}$ delay <sup>(3)</sup>	-	20	ns

### Notes:

1. AC test load = 50 pF.
2. Float delays are measured with 5 pF AC loads. Transition is measured at  $\pm 200$  mV from steady state active levels.
3. Guaranteed by design, not tested.
4. All AC parameters are measured with  $V_{IL} = 0.0V$  and  $V_{IH} = 3.0V$ .

## AC Characteristics Over Operating Conditions When Cascading for XC18V01, XC18V512, and XC18V256



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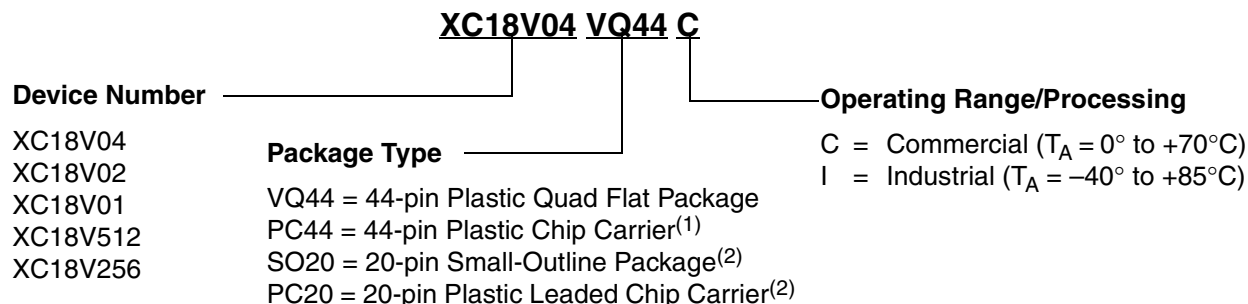
Symbol	Description	Min	Max	Units
$T_{CDF}$	CLK to data float delay <sup>(2,3)</sup>	-	25	ns
$T_{OCK}$	CLK to $\overline{CEO}$ delay <sup>(3)</sup>	-	20	ns
$T_{OCE}$	CE to $\overline{CEO}$ delay <sup>(3)</sup>	-	20	ns
$T_{OOE}$	OE/RESET to $\overline{CEO}$ delay <sup>(3)</sup>	-	20	ns

### Notes:

1. AC test load = 50 pF.
2. Float delays are measured with 5 pF AC loads. Transition is measured at  $\pm 200$  mV from steady state active levels.
3. Guaranteed by design, not tested.
4. All AC parameters are measured with  $V_{IL} = 0.0V$  and  $V_{IH} = 3.0V$ .

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## Ordering Information



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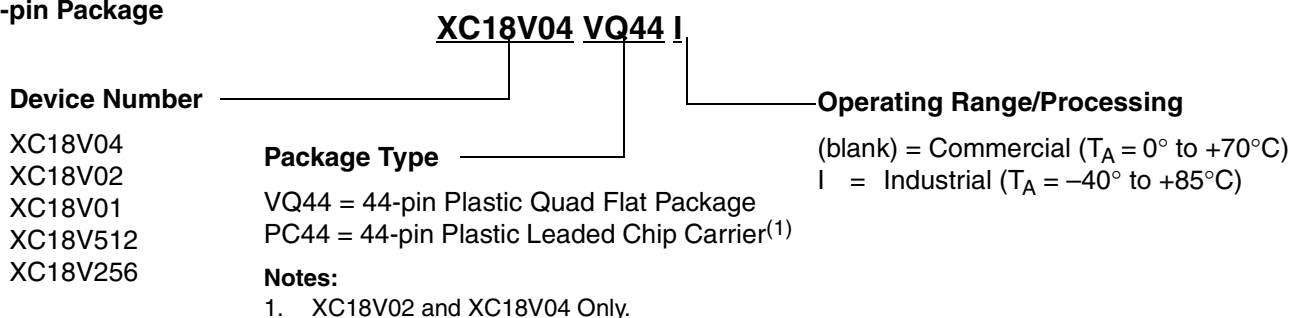
1. XC18V04 and XC18V02 only.
2. XC18V01, XC18V512, and XC18V256 only.

## Valid Ordering Combinations

XC18V04VQ44C	XC18V02VQ44C	XC18V01VQ44C	XC18V512VQ44C	XC18V256VQ44C
XC18V04PC44C	XC18V02PC44C	XC18V01PC20C	XC18V512PC20C	XC18V256PC20C
		XC18V01SO20C	XC18V512SO20C	XC18V256SO20C
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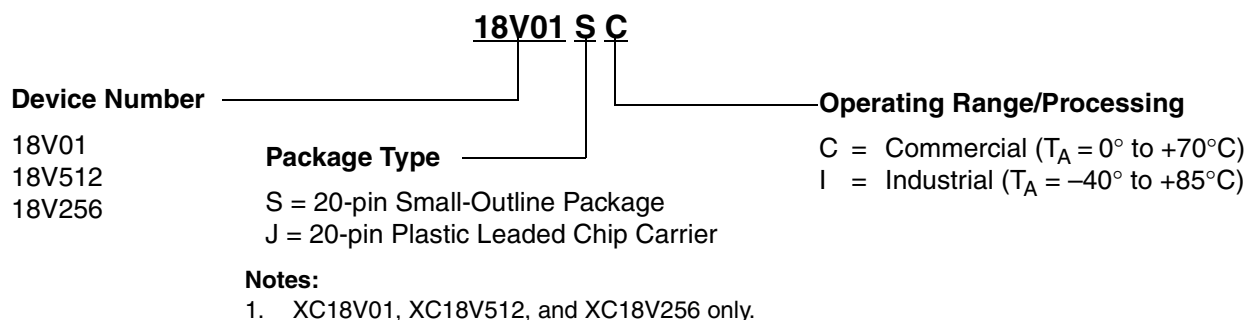
## Marking Information

### 44-pin Package



### 20-pin Package<sup>(1)</sup>

Due to the small size of the commercial serial PROM packages, the complete ordering part number cannot be marked on the package. The XC prefix is deleted and the package code is simplified. Device marking is as follows:





## Revision History

The following table shows the revision history for this document.

Date	Version	Revision
2/9/99	1.0	First publication of this early access specification
8/23/99	1.1	Edited text, changed marking, added $\overline{CF}$ and parallel load
9/1/99	1.2	Corrected JTAG order, Security and Endurance data.
9/16/99	1.3	Corrected SelectMAP diagram, control inputs, reset polarity. Added JTAG and $\overline{CF}$ description, 256 Kbit and 128 Kbit devices.
01/20/00	2.0	Added Q44 Package, changed XC18xx to XC18Vxx
02/18/00	2.1	Updated JTAG configuration, AC and DC characteristics
04/04/00	2.2	Removed stand alone resistor on INIT pin in Figure 5. Added Virtex-E and EM parts to FPGA table.
06/29/00	2.3	Removed XC18V128 and updated format. Added AC characteristics for XC18V01, XC18V512, and XC18V256 densities.
11/13/00	2.4	Features: changed 264 MHz to 264 Mb/s at 33 MHz; AC Spec.: $T_{SCE}$ units to ns, $T_{HCE}$ CE High time units to $\mu$ s. Removed Standby Mode statement: "The lower power standby modes available on some XC18V00 devices are set by the user in the programming software". Changed 10,000 cycles endurance to 20,000 cycles.
01/15/01	2.5	Updated Figures 5 and 6, added 4.7 resistors. Identification registers: changes ISP PROM product ID from 06h to 26h.
04/04/01	2.6	Updated Figure 6, Virtex SelectMAP mode; added XC2V products to Compatible PROM table; changed Endurance from 10,000 cycles, 10 years to 20,000, 20 years;
04/30/01	2.7	Updated Figure 6: removed Virtex-E in Note 2, fixed SelectMAP mode connections. Under AC Characteristics Over Operating Conditions for XC18V04 and XC18V02, changed $T_{SCE}$ from 25 ms to 25 ns.
06/11/01	2.8	AC Characteristics Over Operating Conditions for XC18V01, XC18V512, and XC18V256. Changed Min values for $T_{SCE}$ from 20 ms to 20 ns and for $T_{HCE}$ from 2 ms to 2 $\mu$ s.
09/28/01	2.9	Changed the boundary scan order for the CEO pin in Table 1, updated the configuration bits values in the table under Xilinx FPGAs and Compatible PROMs, and added information to the Recommended Operating Conditions table.
11/12/01	3.0	Updated for Spartan-IIe FPGA family.
12/06/01	3.1	Changed Figure 7(c).
02/27/02	3.2	Updated Table 2 and Figure 6 for the Virtex-II Pro family of devices.
03/15/02	3.3	Updated Xilinx software and modified Figure 6 and Figure 7.
03/27/02	3.4	Made changes to pages 1-3, 5, 7-11, 13, 14, and 18. Added new Figure 8 and Figure 9.
06/14/02	3.5	Made additions and changes to Table 2.
07/24/02	3.6	Changed last bullet under Connecting Configuration PROMs, page 543.
09/06/02	3.7	Multiple minor changes throughout, plus the addition of Pinout Diagrams, page 538 and the deletion of Figure 9.

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# Glossary

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## AC Coupling

Method of interfacing drivers and receivers through a series capacitor. Often used when the differential swing between drivers and receivers is compatible, but common mode voltages of driver and receiver are not. Requires that a minimum data frequency be established based on the RC time constant, necessitating a run length limit.

## Addressing Modes

Techniques used by software or hardware in calculating an address.

## ALU (Arithmetic and Logic Unit)

The part of a processor that performs integer addition, subtraction, multiplication, division and other Boolean logic instructions.

## AQL (Acceptable Quality Level)

The relative number of devices, expressed in parts-per-million (ppm), that might not meet specification or might be defective. Typical values are around 10 ppm.

## ASIC (Application-Specific Integrated Circuit)

An integrated circuit designed to perform a particular function by defining the interconnection of a set of basic circuit building blocks drawn from a library provided by the circuit manufacturer.

## Assembler

A software development tool that translates assembly language programs into machine instructions that the processor can decode and execute.

## Assembly Language

A human-readable form of a processor's instruction set. Most processor-specific functions are written in assembly language.

## Asynchronous

Logic that is not synchronized by a clock. Asynchronous designs can be faster than synchronous ones, but are more sensitive to parametric changes, and are thus less robust.

## ATM (Asynchronous Transfer Mode)

A very-high-speed (megahertz to gigahertz) connection-oriented bit-serial protocol for transmitting data and real-time voice and video in fixed-length packets (48-byte payload, 5-byte header).

## Attenuation

Reduction in amplitude of a signal.

## Back Annotation

Automatically attaching timing values to the entered design format after the design has been placed and routed in a field-programmable gate array (FPGA).

## BER (Bit Error Rate)

A measurement of the number of errors detected at a receiver in a given length of time, sometimes specified as a percentage of received bits; sometimes specified in exponential form (10E-8 to indicate 1 bit error in 10E-8 bits).

## BERT (Bit Error Rate Test, Bit Error Rate Tester)

A test or an instrument used to determine the Bit Error Rate (BER) of a device or system under test. It is generally made up of a test pattern generator, receiver, and analyzer.

## Big Endian

A representation of a multi-byte value that has the most significant byte of any multi-byte data field stored at the lowest memory address. Also see *Little Endian*.

## BIST (Built-In Self Test)

The technique of designing circuits with additional logic that can be used to test proper operation of the primary (functional) logic.

## Bitstream

The bitstream is a binary representation of an implemented FPGA design. The bitstream is generated by Xilinx bit generation tools (BitGen and Makebits) and is denoted with the **.bit** extension. For information on creating BIT files, refer to the *Hardware Debugger Reference/User Guide*.

## Block RAM

An 18 Kb block of random access memory (RAM) inside the Virtex-II Pro device. Dual-port and synchronous operation are desirable.

## Block SelectRAM

Fully-synchronous, dual-port memories in the Virtex-II Pro FPGAs. Each of these memories contain 18 x 1024 (18,432) bits. The organization of each memory is configurable. Block SelectRAM resources complement smaller, distributed, LUT-based SelectRAM resources.

## Book "E"

A Motorola and IBM jointly written architectural definition and instruction set for embedded PowerPC implementations.

## Boot ROMs

The program used to bring up a computer or system that is stored in Read Only Memory

## Boundary Scan Interface

One of the configuration interfaces on the Virtex device. This is a bit-serial interface. The Boundary Scan interface is also known as the JTAG port. Also see *SelectMAP Interface*.

## Breakpoint

A location in a program at which execution is to be stopped and control of the processor switched to the debugger. Mechanisms for creating and removing breakpoints are provided by most debugging tools.

## BSP (Board Support Package)

The purpose of the BSP is to isolate the user design from hardware making it easier to write new applications and to port applications from other environments.

BSP consists of a set of software modules that offer interface to peripheral devices and low-level processor core functions for user software or C library. For example, these functions include hardware initialization, boot monitor access, drivers for all the available resources and features on board.

## Cache

A small block of high-speed memory located between the processor and main memory. Cache stores frequently used data and instructions. Cache improves system performance by reducing the need to access the system's slower main memory.

## Cache Block

See *Cache Line*.

## Cache Line

A portion of a cache array that contains a copy of contiguous system-memory addresses. Cache lines in PPC405 are 32 bytes long and aligned on a 32 byte address.

## Cache Set

See *Congruence Class*.

## Capture Data

The flip-flop and pad data saved from the logic cells and I/O blocks into the bitstream for readback. Use the CAPTURE\_VIRTEX primitive in your HDL code to specify the trigger and clock for the capture operation.

## CCLK (Configuration Clock)

During configuration, the configuration clock (CCLK) is an output in Master modes or in the Asynchronous Peripheral mode but is an input in Slave, Synchronous Peripheral, Express, and SelectMAP/Slave Serial modes. After configuration, CCLK has a weak pull-up and can be selected as the readback clock.

## CDR (Clock/Data Recovery)

Feature of most high-speed serial transceivers. At the receiver, a clock is generated based on the timing of data transitions. In this way, a clock signal is derived from the data.

## Channel Bonding

Feature of multi-channel high-speed transceivers. Allows multiple channels to be sued together, offering a greater aggregate bandwidth.

## Chirp

Bit sequence which is transmitted by a high-speed transceiver when it is not in use. The chirp is usually a repeating pattern of IDLE characters. The purpose of the chirp is to keep clock recovery circuits aligned and active while the link is not transmitting data.

## CISC (Complex Instruction Set Computer)

The architecture of a processor family. CISC processors generally feature variable-length instructions, multiple addressing formats, and contain only a small number of general-purpose registers. Intel's 80x86 family is the quintessential example of CISC.

## CLB (Configurable Logic Block)

Xilinx-specific name for a block of logic surrounded by routing resources. The functional elements for constructing logic circuits. The Virtex-II Pro CLB is made up of four slices, and each slice contains two Logic Cells.

## CML (Current Mode Logic)

A differential I/O standard used in high-speed serial channels. Voltage swing is typically from 450 mV to 1200 mV.

## Coherency

Coherency describes the ordering of reads from and writes to a single memory location. A memory system is coherent when the value read from a memory address is always the last value written to the address. In a system where all devices read and write from a single, shared system memory, memory is always coherent.

## Comma

A comma is a “K” character used by the transceiver to align the serial data on a byte/half-word boundary (depending on the protocol used), so that the serial data is correctly decoded into parallel data.

## Common Mode

The DC component of a signal. In differential channels, it is the average voltage of the differential pair.

## Compiler

Software that converts a higher-language description into a lower-level representation. For FPGAs, the complete partition, place, and process.

## Configuration Bitstream

Configuration commands with configuration data.

## Configuration Commands

Instructions for the Virtex-II Pro device. There are two classes of Configuration Command — Major and Minor. The Major Commands read and write data to configuration registers

in the Virtex-II Pro device. The Minor commands instruct the Virtex-II Pro configuration logic to perform specific functions.

## Configuration Data

Bits that directly define the state of programmable logic. These are written to a Virtex-II Pro device in a configuration bitstream, and read as readback data from a Virtex-II Pro device.

## Configuration File

The internally stored file that controls the FPGA so that it performs the desired logic function. Also, the act of loading an FPGA with that file. That is, the process of programming Xilinx SRAM-based FPGAs with a bitstream.

## Configuration Frame

The configuration bits in a Virtex-II Pro device are organized in columns. A column of CLBs with the I/O blocks above and below the CLBs contain 48 frames of configuration bits. The smallest number of bits that can be read or written through the configuration interfaces is one frame.

## Configuration Interface

A logical interface on the Virtex-II Pro device through which configuration commands and data can be read and written. A interface consists of one or more physical device pins.

## Configuration Readback

The operation of reading configuration data (also known as readback data) from a Virtex-II Pro device.

## Congruence Class

A collection of cache lines with the same index.

## Constraints

Performance requirements imposed on the design, usually in the form of maximum allowable delay, or the required operating frequency.

## Context Switch

The process of switching from one task to another in a multitasking operating system. A context switch involves saving the context of the running task and restoring the previously-saved context of the other.

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## CoreConnect™ Bus Architecture

An interconnection internal bus developed by IBM. It eases the integration and reuse of processor, system, and peripheral cores. Elements of CoreConnect architecture include the processor local bus (PLB), the on-chip peripheral bus (OPB), a bus bridge, and a device control register (DCR) bus.

## Cross Compiler

A compiler that runs on a particular processor architecture and produces code for a different architecture.

## Crosstalk

Undesirable signal coupling from noisy aggressor nets to victim nets. May be eliminated by increasing the spacing between the nets or reducing signal amplitude of the aggressor net.

## $\overline{CS}$ Pin

The  $\overline{CS}$  pin is the Chip Enable pin for Virtex-II Pro devices. It is used only in SelectMAP mode. When  $\overline{CS}$  is asserted (Low) the device examines data on the Data bus. When  $\overline{CS}$  is de-asserted (High), all CCLK transitions are ignored.

## DataFrame

A DataFrame is a block of configuration data. A configuration bit-stream contains many such frames, each with a start bit and stop bits. Also see *Configuration Frame*.

## DC Balanced

A channel is said to be DC Balanced if it has an equal number of 1's and 0's transmitted across it. Encoding schemes like 8B10B are designed to ensure this.

## DC Coupling

Method of interfacing drivers and receivers without the use of series capacitors. A direct connection (through PCB trace) from driver to receiver.

## DCR (Device Control Register)

A CoreConnect bus. DCR is designed to transfer data between the CPU's general purpose registers (GPRs) and the DCR slave logic's device control registers (DCRs).

## Debug Monitor

A piece of embedded software that has been designed specifically for use as a debugging tool. It usually resides in ROM and communicates with a debugger via a serial port or network connection. The debug monitor provides a set of primitive commands to view and modify memory locations and registers, create and remove breakpoints, and execute your program. The debugger combines these primitives to fulfill higher-level requests like program download and single-step.

## Debugger

A software development tool used to test and debug embedded software. The debugger runs on a host computer and connects to the target through a serial port or network connection. Using a debugger you can download software to the target for immediate execution. You can also set breakpoints and examine the contents of specific memory locations and registers.

## Deterministic Jitter

The component of jitter attributable to the data pattern in the channel. Different digital patterns have different spectral contents. These differing spectral contents give rise to varying amounts of signal jitter.

## Device Pin

One of the electrical connections on the package containing the Virtex-II Pro device.



## Dhrystone MIPS

Dhrystone is a benchmark program for testing a system's integer performance. The objective is to compare the performance of a machine against the performance of a reference machine. The industry has adopted the VAX 11/780 as the reference 1 MIPS (Million Instruction Per Second) machine.

## Differential Signaling

A signaling scheme which uses two complementary signals to transmit data. Differential signaling offers faster data rates at reduced signal swing with higher signal-to-noise ratio.

## DIN Pin

During serial configuration, the DIN pin is the serial configuration data input receiving data on the rising edge of CCLK. During parallel configuration, DIN is the D0 input. After configuration, DIN is a user-programmable I/O pin.

## Dirty Bit

A bit in a memory cache or virtual memory page that has been modified by the CPU but not yet written back to storage.

## Dispersion

"Smearing" of a signal or waveform as a result of transmission through a non-ideal transmission line. Through a non-ideal medium, signals travel at different velocities according to their frequency. Dispersion of the signal is the result. All cables and PCB transmission lines are non-ideal.

## DONE Pin

The DONE pin on a Xilinx FPGA is a bidirectional signal with an optional internal pull-up resistor. As an output, it indicates the completion of the configuration process. As an input, a low level on DONE can be configured to delay the global logic initialization and the enabling of outputs.

## Double Word

Eight bytes or 64 bits.

## DOUT Pin

During configuration in any mode except Express and SelectMAP, the DOUT pin is the serial configuration data output that can drive the DIN pin of daisy-chained slave FPGAs. DOUT data changes on the rising edge of CCLK, one-and-a-half CCLK periods after it is received at the DIN pin (in Master Serial Mode only).

## DOUT/BUSY Pin

For Virtex-II Pro devices, the DOUT/BUSY pin has a dual purpose, depending on device mode. When the device is in Serial mode, this pin functions as DOUT. When the device is in SelectMAP/Slave Parallel mode, this pin functions as a handshaking signal. If BUSY is asserted (High) on a rising edge of CCLK, the data is not seen on the data bus, and should be held until the data is accepted.

## DRAM (Dynamic Random Access Memory)

A low-cost read-write memory where data is stored on capacitors and must be refreshed periodically. DRAMs are usually addressed by a sequence of two addresses, row address,

and column address, which makes them slower and more difficult to use than SRAMs. Also see **SRAM**.

## DSL (Digital Subscriber Line)

Sometimes referred to as a "last-mile technology" because it is used only for connections from a telephone switching station to a home or office, not between switching stations. DSL uses sophisticated modulation schemes to pack data onto POTS (ordinary analog telephone) wires. Downstream data rates of up to 32 Mb/s can be achieved. The physical distance between the subscriber and the switching station must be kept short, however, to attain the higher speeds.

## DSOCM (Data-Side On Chip Memory)

See **OCM (On-Chip Memory)**.

## DSP (Digital Signal Processing)

The manipulation of analog data that has been sampled and converted into a digital representation. Examples are filtering, convolution, Fast-Fourier-Transform, and so on.

## EDIF (Electronic Data Interchange Format)

Industry standard for specifying a logic design in text (ASCII) form.

## EEMBC (Embedded Microprocessor Benchmark Consortium)

It develops and certifies real-world benchmarks and benchmark scores to help designers select embedded processors.

## Effective Address

The un-translated memory address as seen by a program.

## Emulator

Short for **ICE (In-Circuit Emulator)**.

## Endianness

See **Big Endian** and **Little Endian**.

## Equalization

Amplification or attenuation of certain frequency components of a signal. Used to counteract the effects of a non-ideal transmission medium.

## ESD (Electrostatic Discharge)

High-voltage discharge can rupture the input transistor gate oxide. ESD-protection diodes divert the current to the supply leads.

## Exception

An abnormal event or condition that requires the processor's attention. They can be caused by instruction execution or an external device. The processor records the occurrence of an exception and they often cause an interrupt to occur.

## Eye Diagram

An eye diagram of a signal overlays the signal's waveform over many cycles. Each cycle's waveform is aligned to a common timing reference, typically a clock. An eye diagram provides a visual indication of the voltage and timing uncertainty associated with the signal. It can be generated by synchronizing an oscilloscope to a timing reference.

The vertical thickness of the line bunches in an eye diagram indicate the magnitude of AC voltage noise, whereas the horizontal thickness of the bunches where they cross over is an indication of the AC timing noise or jitter. Fixed DC voltage and timing offsets are indicated by the position of the eye on the screen.

## Eye Mask

The size of the eye opening in the center of an eye diagram indicates the amount of voltage and timing margin available to sample this signal. Thus, for a particular electrical interface, a fixed reticule or window could be placed over the eye diagram showing how the actual signal compares to minimum criteria window, known as the eye mask. If a margin rectangle with width equal to the required timing margin and height equal to the required voltage margin fits into the opening, then the signal has adequate margins. Voltage margin can often be traded off for timing margin.

## Fall Time

The time it takes for a waveform to transition from the high logic state to the low logic state. Fall time is usually measured from 90% of the total signal swing to 10% of the signal swing.

## FIFO (First-In First-Out)

FIFO memory where data is stored in the incoming sequence and is read out in the same sequence. Input and output can be asynchronous to each other. A FIFO needs no external addresses, although all modern FIFOs are implemented internally with RAMs driven by circular read and write counters.

## FIT (Failure In Time)

Describes the number of device failures statistically expected for a certain number of device-hours. Expressed as failures per one billion ( $10^9$ ) device hours. Device temperature must be specified. Mean time between failure (MTBF) can be calculated from FIT. 10 FITs are good; 100 FITs are bad.

## FIT (Fixed Interval Timer)

One of several user-accessible timers available in the Virtex-II Pro FPGA's PowerPC 405 core. The FIT provides timer interrupts having a repeatable period. The FIT is functionally similar to an auto-reload Programmable Interval Timer (PIT), except that only a smaller fixed selection of interrupt periods is available.

## Flash

Non-volatile programmable technology, and alternative to electrically-erasable programmable read-only memory (EEPROM) technology. The memory content can be erased by an electrical signal. This allows in-system programmability and eliminates the need for ultraviolet light and quartz windows in the package.

## Flip-Flop

Single-bit storage cell that samples its data input at the active (rising or falling) clock edge, and then presents the new state on its Q output after that clock edge, holding it there until after the next active clock edge.

## Flush

A cache or TLB operation that involves writing back a modified entry to memory, followed by an invalidation of the entry.

## FPGA (Field Programmable Gate Array)

An integrated circuit that contains configurable (programmable) logic blocks and configurable interconnect between these blocks. Xilinx FPGAs are SRAM-based programmable logic devices (PLDs).

## FPU (Floating Point Unit)

Floating-point operations include any operations that involve fractional numbers.

## Frame

See *Configuration Frame*.

## Function Generator

Also called a look-up table (LUT), with N inputs and one output. Can implement any logic function of its N inputs. N can be between 3 and 6; 4-input function generators are most popular.

## Gate

Smallest logic element with several inputs and one output. The AND gate output is High when all inputs are High. The OR gate output is High when at least one input is High. The NAND gate output is Low when all inputs are High. A 2-input NAND gate is used as the measurement unit for gate array complexity.

## Gate Array

An ASIC where transistors are predefined, and only the interconnect pattern is customized for the individual application.

## GNU

A recursive acronym “GNU Not Unix” (pronounced “guh-NEW”). The Free Software Foundation’s GNU project was launched in 1984 to develop a complete Unix-like operating system that is freely distributed.

## GUI (Graphical User Interface )

The way of representing the computer output on the screen as graphics, pictures, icons, and windows. Pioneered by Xerox and the Apple Macintosh, now universally adopted, e.g., by Windows95 and others.

## Halfword

Two bytes, or 16 bits.

## HardWire

Xilinx name for a low-cost derivative of an FPGA, where the configuration is fixed, but functionality and footprint are identical with the original FPGA-based design.

## Harvard Architecture

Harvard architecture has separate data bus and an instruction bus. This allows instruction and data access in parallel making faster execution than a Von-Neuman architecture possible. PPC405 core is built on Harvard architecture.

## HDC Pin

The High during configuration (HDC) pin is driven High until the I/Os become active in the Startup sequence. It is available as a control output indicating that configuration is not yet complete. After configuration, HDC is a user-programmable I/O pin.

## HDL (Hardware Description Language)

A kind of language used for the conceptual design of integrated circuits. Examples are VHDL and Verilog.

## Hierarchical Design

Design description in multiple layers, from the highest (overview) to the lowest (circuit details). An alternative is flat design, where everything is described at the same level of detail.

## Hit

An indication that requested information exists in the accessed cache array, the associated fill buffer, or on the corresponding OCM interface.

## HyperTransport™

A high-performance bus solution developed by Advanced Micro Devices and several partners to break the I/O bottleneck in 32- and 64-bit systems. HyperTransport provides a scalable architecture that provides better than an order of magnitude increase in bus transaction throughput over existing I/O bus architectures such as PCI, PCI-X and AGP. Formerly called Lightning Data Transport (LDT).

## ICE (In-Circuit Emulator)

A debugging tool that takes the place of (emulates) the processor on the target board. Emulators frequently incorporate a special "bond-out" version of the target processor that allows the user to observe and record its internal state as the program is executing.

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## Idle Pattern

A data sequence transmitted by a high-speed transceiver as a placeholder or for link maintenance. The particular sequence of an IDLE pattern is determined by the communication protocol, and is usually a control character like K28.5.

## Impedance (Characteristic Impedance)

Electrical characteristic of a transmission line, derived from the capacitance and inductance per unit length.

## Index Register

A special purpose register used by a processor when performing indexed addressing. The value in the index register is usually the reference location to which a displacement will be added.

## $\overline{\text{INIT}}$ Pin

The  $\overline{\text{INIT}}$  pin is a quadruple function signal. Before and during configuration,  $\overline{\text{INIT}}$  is a bidirectional signal. A 1 - 10 k $\Omega$  external pull-up resistor is recommended. As an active-Low open-drain output,  $\overline{\text{INIT}}$  is held Low during power stabilization and internal clearing of the configuration memory. As an active-Low input, it can be used to hold the FPGA in the internal WAIT state before the start of configuration. During configuration, a Low on this output indicates that a configuration data error has occurred. After the I/O become active in the Startup sequence,  $\overline{\text{INIT}}$  becomes a user-programmable I/O.

## Instruction Set

Is referred to the set of instructions that the microprocessor can execute. The instruction set specifies the types of instructions (such as load/store, integer arithmetic, and branch instructions), the specific instructions, and the encoding used for the instructions. The instruction set definition also specifies the addressing modes used for accessing memory.

## Interrupt Latency

The amount of time between the assertion of an interrupt and the start of the associated interrupt service routine.

## Interrupt Service Routine

A section of code written to handle the tasks associated with an interrupt request.

## Interrupt Vector

A special code that identifies the circuit requesting an interrupt.

## IP (Intellectual Property)

In the legal sense, patents, copyrights, and trade secrets. In integrated circuits (ICs), predefined large functions, called "cores," that help the user complete a large design faster.

## ISA (Instruction Set Architecture)

A term referring to a family of microprocessors with similar basic design, for example the PowerPC architecture includes Motorola's PowerQUICC, PPC7440, 7410, IBM's PPC 405, 440, and Xilinx Virtex-II Pro.

## ISI (Inter-Symbol Interference)

A form of data corruption or noise due to the effect that data has on data-dependent channel characteristics.

## ISOCM (Instruction-Side On Chip Memory)

See *OCM (On-Chip Memory)*.

## Jitter

The jitter of a periodic signal is the delay between the expected transition of the signal and the actual transition. Jitter is a zero mean random variable. When worst case analysis is undertaken the maximum value of this random variable is used.

## Jitter Tolerance

Jitter tolerance is defined as the peak-to-peak amplitude of sinusoidal jitter applied on the input that causes a predefined, acceptable loss at the output. For example jitter applied to the input of an OC-N equipment interface that causes an equivalent 1dB optical power penalty.

## Jitter Transfer

Jitter transfer is defined as the ratio of jitter on the output of a device to the jitter applied on the input of the device, versus frequency. Jitter transfer is important in applications where the system is utilized in a loop-timed mode, where the recovered clock is used as the source of the transmit clock.

## JTAG (Joint Test Action Group)

Earlier name for IEEE 1149.1 boundary scan, a method for testing boards and integrated circuits. Also see *Parallel Cable IV*.

## Kernel

An essential part of any multitasking operating system software which controls how the rest of the system can operate. The kernel is to software what the CPU is to hardware.

## LAN (Local Area Network)

A computer network that spans a relatively small area. Most LANs are confined to a single building or group of buildings. However, one LAN can be connected to other LANs over any distance via telephone lines and radio waves. A system of LANs connected in this way is called a *WAN (Wide Area Network)*.

## Latency

The time between when something happens and when its response is generated. This is often critical in real-time applications

## LC (Logic Cell)

Metric for FPGA density. The basic building block of the Virtex-II Pro CLB. An LC includes a 4-input function generator, carry logic, and a storage element.

## LDC Pin

Low during configuration (LDC) is driven Low until the I/Os become active in the Startup sequence. It is available as a control output indicating that configuration isn't complete. After configuration, LDC is a user-programmable I/O pin.

## LDT (Lightning Data Transport)

See *HyperTransport™*.

## Linker

A software development tool that accepts one or more object files as input and outputs a relocatable program. The linker is thus run after all of the source files have been compiled or assembled.

## Little Endian

A representation of a multi-byte value that has the least significant byte of any multi-byte data field stored at the lowest memory address. Also see *Big Endian*.

## LogiBLOX

Library of logic modules, often with user-definable parameters, like data width. Similar to LPM.

## Logical Address

Synonym for effective address.

## Loopback

Path in a high-speed transceiver which connects the output to the input, on either the PMA or PCS side, for testing purposes.

## LPM (Library of Parametrized Modules)

Library of logic modules, often with user-definable parameters, like data width. Similar to LogiBLOX.

## LUT (Look-Up Table)

Also called a function generator with N inputs and one output. Can implement any logic function of its N inputs. N is between 3 and 6; most popular are 4-input LUTs.

## LUT SelectRAM

Shallow RAM structure implemented in CLB look-up tables (LUTs). Also see *Block SelectRAM*.

## LVDS (Low Voltage Differential Signaling)

A differential I/O standard commonly used for high-speed, low-swing signals.

## Machine Language

A computer language that is directly executable by a computer without the need for translation by a compiler or an assembler. Although the computer works on binary patterns, the program can usually be entered in octal or hexadecimal.

## MAN (Metropolitan Area Network)

A data network designed for a town or city. In terms of geographic breadth, a MAN is larger than a *LAN (Local Area Network)*, but smaller than a *WAN (Wide Area Network)*.

## Mapping

Process of assigning portions of the logic design to the physical chip resources (CLBs). With FPGAs, mapping is more demanding and more important a process than with gate arrays. Also see *Synthesis*.



## Masking

A process in which an operation can be performed on a single bit.

## Memory Map

Documentation that lists or shows the function of each location in memory.

## Memory-Mapped I/O

A system of I/O in which each I/O location is treated as if it were memory.

## MicroBlaze

A 32-bit soft processor developed by Xilinx

## Miss

An indication that requested information does not exist in the accessed cache array, the associated fill buffer, or on the corresponding OCM interface.

## MMU (Memory Management Unit)

Performs address translation (logical to physical) and protection functions. The MMU divides logical storage into pages.

## Mnemonic

A easy to remember string representing a processor instruction. For example, EIEIO is the mnemonic of the PPC405 instruction 'Enforce In Order Execution of I/O'.

## MTBF (Mean Time Between Failures)

The statistically relevant up-time between equipment failures. Also see *FIT (Failure In Time)*.

## Multilevel Signaling

System where multiple logic levels are utilized instead of just two (high and low). This enables the transmission of multiple bits in a single waveform.

See <http://www.signalintegrity.com/Pubs/misc/mls.htm>.

## MultiLINX Cable

The MultiLINX cable provides many complex functions and can be loaded with new firmware as it becomes available. It can be connected to the host computer in two ways: via a Serial port or a USB port. The MultiLINX cable is supported by the Hardware Debugger software for Slave Serial and SelectMAP/Slave Parallel programming (as appropriate), as well as readback/verify. It is also supported by the iMPACT software for JTAG programming of both CPLDs and FPGAs.

## Multiprocessing

The use of more than one processor in a single computer system. So-called "multiprocessor systems" usually have a common memory space through which the processors can communicate and share data. In addition, some multiprocessor systems support parallel processing.

## Netlist

Textual description of logic and interconnects. Also see *XNF File* and *EDIF (Electronic Data Interchange Format)*.

## Non-maskable Interrupt (NMI)

An interrupt that cannot be turned off.

## NRE (Non-Recurring Engineering) Charges

Start-up cost for the creation of an ASIC, gate array, or HardWire. Pays for layout, masks, and test development. FPGAs and CPLD do not require NRE.

## Object Code

The form of software after it has been translated (compiled) from the source code format a programmer writes into the machine format a microprocessor can understand. A set of processor-readable opcodes and data. The output of compilers, assemblers, linkers, and locators are files containing object code.

## OCM (On-Chip Memory)

Interface that supports the attachment of additional memory to the instruction and data caches, and that can be accessed at performance levels matching the cache arrays.

## On-Chip Debugger

It can be considered as advanced on-chip debug monitor. It usually allows code download, memory/resource access, single stepping, reset, status, etc.

## OPB (On-chip Peripheral Bus)

A CoreConnect bus. OPB is architected to alleviate system performance bottlenecks by reducing capacitive loading on the Processor Local Bus (PLB). OPB is designed to support lower-performance/speed peripherals such as IIC, UART, GPIO, USB, External Bus Controller, etc

## Optimization

Design change to improve performance. Also see *Synthesis*.

## Overshoot

Phenomenon where a signal rises to a level greater than its steady-state voltage before settling to its steady-state voltage.

## Pad

Pad bits are extra bits used to make the total number of bits in a frame an integral multiple of 32, the number of bits in a configuration word. A pad word is an extra word used at the end of a configuration frame for pipelining. A pad frame is an extra configuration frame used at the beginning of a configuration readback and at the end of a configuration write for pipelining.

## Parallel Cable IV

Xilinx Parallel Cable IV (PC IV) is a high-speed download cable that configures or programs all Xilinx FPGA, CPLD, ISP PROM, and System ACE MPM devices. The cable

takes advantage of the IEEE 1284 ECP protocol and Xilinx iMPACT software to increase download speeds over eight times faster than existing solutions.

## Partitioning

In FPGAs, the process of dividing the logic into subfunctions that can later be placed into individual CLBs. Partitioning precedes placement.

## PCMCIA

Personal Computer Memory Card Interface Association. Physical and electrical standard for small plug-in boards for portable computers.

## PCS (Physical Coding Sublayer)

Part of the physical layer of the ISO/OSI reference stack model for Gigabit Ethernet. The PCS encodes 8-bit data octets into 10-bit code groups, which it passes down to the **PMA (Physical Media Attachment)**. In reverse direction, it also decodes 10-bit code groups passed up from the PMA.

## Peak-to-Peak

In the case of peak-to-peak voltage, a measure of a signal's total amplitude. In the case of peak-to-peak jitter, a measure of the extremes of excursion of the bit transition times.

## PECL (Positive Emitter-Coupled Logic)

A differential I/O standard based on the ECL standard, but which operates with a positive supply voltage. (ECL uses a negative supply voltage.) PECL is used in clocking and high-speed data applications.

## Peripheral Component Interface (PCI)

Synchronous bus standard characterized by short range, light loading, low cost, and high performance. 66 MHz PCI can support data byte transfers up to 528 megabytes per second (MB/s) on 64 parallel data lines.

## Physical Address

The actual address that is placed on the address bus when accessing a physically implemented memory location or register. This address can be translated from the effective address. When address translation is not used, this address is equal to the effective address.

## Pin-Locking

Rigidly defining and maintaining the functionality and timing requirements of device pins while the internal logic is still being designed or modified. Pin-locking has become important, since circuit board fabrication times are longer than PLD design implementation times.

## PIP (Programmable Interconnect Point)

In Xilinx FPGAs, a point where two signal lines can be connected, as determined by the device configuration.

## Placement

In FPGAs, the process of assigning specific parts of the design to specific locations (CLBs) on the chip. Usually done automatically. Also see **Partitioning**.

## PLB (Processor Local Bus)

A CoreConnect bus. PLB interconnects high-bandwidth devices such as processor cores, external memory interfaces, PCI, and DMA controllers. PLB offers 64- and 128-bit implementations

## PLD (Programmable Logic Device)

Generic name for all programmable logic: PALs, CPLDs, and FPGAs.

## PLL (Phase-Locked Loop)

An electronic circuit that controls an oscillator so that it maintains a constant phase angle relative to a reference signal.

## PMA (Physical Media Attachment)

Part of the physical layer of the ISO/OSI reference stack model for Gigabit Ethernet. Serializes code-grouped data passed to it from the **PCS (Physical Coding Sublayer)**, and deserializes data to be passed up to the PCS.

## Polling

A process in which the status of devices attached to a bus system is periodically sampled.

## PowerPC

A RISC-based computer architecture developed jointly by IBM, Apple Computer, and Motorola corporation. The name PowerPC is derived from IBM's name for the POWER (Performance Optimization With Enhanced RISC) architecture.

## PRBS (Pseudo-Random Bit Sequence)

A pattern that appears to be random, but is actually a predictable and repeatable sequence with a very long interval (i.e., billions of bits before repeating), depending on the pattern.

## Preamble

The Preamble is a 4-bit binary sentinel ("0010"b) used to indicate the beginning of the LengthCount in the Header portion of the bitstream. At the beginning of configuration, FPGAs ignore all data prior to the preamble but counts the number of data bits preceding the preamble, and the LengthCount counter increments for every rising CCLK edge, even the ones proceeding the preamble.

## Pre-emphasis

Pre-emphasis is magnitude boosting of high frequency spectral components before launching the signal (wave) onto the Transmission Line. Transmission Lines embedded in most standard PCB materials (FR4, Rogers 43xx, Nelco and Rogers) suffer varying degrees of dispersion and loss in the 1 gigahertz spectrum. This is mostly due to conductance losses (leakage from the copper trace to any other conducting structure) and Skin Effect. Dispersion is a phenomenon whereby spectral components travel at different velocities. The waveform looks smeared when it arrives at the receiver.

Both of these "characteristics" play into a diminished and poorly received signal. By boosting the high freq. spectral components, the magnitude of these components can be diminished as the wave travels through the Transmission Line, but since it starts out larger than the lower frequency components, the composite signal arrives at the receiver looking the way it was intended.

Pre-emphasis is done by simply increasing the maximum amplitude of the signal for one bit period. If the signal is 1 bit in duration, the amplitude is allowed to rise to a value which is some percentage greater in magnitude. At this point, if the signal is to stay at the same logic state, the driver sends a decreased magnitude signal, or nominal logic level. Every time a transition occurs, the greater magnitude level is used. For all times after this that the same level is to be transmitted, the nominal magnitude is used.

## Priority

the level of importance of an event. Most often, interrupts are assigned priorities.

## Privileged (or Supervisor) Mode

Privileged mode allows programs to access all registers and execute all instructions supported by the processor. Normally, the operating system and low-level device drivers operate in this mode.

## Program Counter

A register that places addresses on the bus to retrieve information stored within a program.

## PROGRAM Pin

The PROGRAM pin is an active-Low input that forces clearing of the FPGA configuration memory and is used to initiate a configuration cycle. While PROGRAM is held Low, the FPGA drives INIT Low and continues to clear the configuration memory. When PROGRAM goes High, the FPGA finishes the current clear cycle, executes another complete clear cycle, goes into a WAIT state, and releases INIT.

## Random Jitter

Jitter caused by Power Supply noise, temperature variations and crosstalk.

## Readback

Initiating a readback causes the configuration memory to become accessible to be serially clocked out and read from the device, or (byte-wide in SelectMAP/Slave Parallel modes). The configuration memory contains the configuration data, facilitating a Read-Verification of the data. The configuration memory can also contain the CLB output logic states facilitating a Read-Capture of the internal logic states. Read-Verification and Read-Capture are used by the Hardware Debugger for hardware verification. For information on the readback specification and timing, refer to *The Programmable Logic Data Book*. For information on using the readback component in a design, refer to the *Libraries Guide*. For information on enabling the readback function in the Implementation Software, refer to the *Development System Reference Guide*. For information on using the Hardware Debugger refer to the *Hardware Debugger Reference/User Guide*. For information on connecting the XChecker cable for readback, refer to the *Hardware Users Guide*.

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## Readback Data

Configuration data read from a Virtex-II Pro device. The data is organized as configuration frames.

## Real Address

Synonym for physical address.

## Real Mode

In real mode, programs address physical memory directly.

## Register

A memory location that is part of a processor or an I/O device. In other words, it's not normal memory. Generally, each bit or set of bits within the register controls some behavior of the larger device.

## Relative Addressing

An addressing mode that calculates a new address based on the position of an instruction within a program.

## Ringing

Common name for the characteristic waveform seen when a transmission line ends at a high impedance discontinuity. The signal first overshoots the target voltage, then sags below, then overshoots again—and continues this oscillating pattern with decreasing swing amplitude until finally settling at the target voltage.

## RISC (Reduced Instruction Set Computer)

A type of microprocessor architecture that runs very fast by simplifying the number of its commands. PPC405 is a RISC microprocessor

## Rise Time

The time it takes for a signal to rise from 10% of its total logic swing to 90% of its total logic swing.

## ROM Emulator

A debugging tool that takes the place of-or emulates-the ROM on the target board. A ROM emulator acts very much like a debug monitor, except that it includes its own serial or network connection to the host.

## ROM Monitor

A piece of debugging code which usually communicates via a serial connection to a host computer or terminal. Also see *Debug Monitor*.

## Routing

The interconnection or the process of creating the desired interconnection of logic cells to make them perform the desired function. Routing follows after partitioning and placement.

## RTOS (Real Time Operating System)

Also called *real-time multitasking kernel*. Software which ensures that time critical events are processed simultaneously and efficiently within a predictable response time. In general, the use of an RTOS simplifies the design process of a system by allowing the application to be divided into multiple independent tasks.

## SAN (Storage Area Network)

A high-speed subnetwork of shared storage devices. A storage device is a machine that contains nothing but a disk or disks for storing data. A SAN's architecture works in a way that makes all storage devices available to all servers on a *LAN (Local Area Network)* or *WAN (Wide Area Network)*.

## Schematic

Graphic representation of a logic design in the form of interconnected gates, flip-flops, and larger blocks. Older and more visually intuitive alternative to the increasingly more popular equation-based or high-level language textual description of a logic design.

## SelectMAP Interface

One of the configuration interfaces on the Virtex-II Pro device. This is a byte-serial interface. The pins in the SelectMAP interface can be used as user I/O after configuration has been completed or remain configured as a configuration interface.

## SelectRAM

Xilinx-specific name for RAM implemented in CLBs.

## SERDES (Serializer/Deserializer)

A common name for a high-speed transceiver that performs both parallel-to-serial and serial-to-parallel conversion.

## Simulation

Computer modeling of logic and (sometimes) timing behavior of logic driven by simulation inputs (stimuli or vectors).

## Single-Ended

Method of signaling which, unlike differential signaling, only transmits signals over one net.

## Skin Effect Loss

Electrical loss in a non-ideal medium due to skin effect. Skin effect is the tendency for high-frequency signal components to travel close to the surface of the medium.

## Slice

A subdivision of the Virtex-II Pro CLB. There are four vertical slices in each Virtex-II Pro CLB. Each slice contains two Logic Cells.

## SNR (Signal-to-Noise Ratio)

A measure of signal strength relative to background noise. The ratio is usually measured in decibels (dB). If the incoming signal strength in microvolts is  $V_S$ , and the noise level, also in microvolts, is  $V_N$ , then the signal-to-noise ratio, SNR, in decibels, is given by the formula:

$$\text{SNR} = 20 \log_{10} (V_S / V_N)$$

## Soft IP

A synthesizable Intellectual Property which can be readily incorporated into an FPGA. Soft IP solves many of the time-to-market issues and also can simplify verification if a proper test bench is included.

## Software Interrupt

An interruption of a program that is initiated by a software instruction. Software interrupts are commonly used to implement breakpoints and operating system entry points. Unlike true interrupts, they occur synchronously with respect to program execution.

## SONET (Synchronous Optical NETwork)

A standard for connecting fiber-optic transmission systems. SONET was proposed by Bellcore in the mid-1980s and is now an ANSI standard.

## SPECint95 and SPECfp95

Acronym for Standard Performance Evaluation Corporation, a nonprofit corporation set up by many computer and microprocessor vendors to create a standard set of benchmark tests. The most widely used set of tests, known as SPEC95, results in two sets of measurements, one for integer operations (SPECint95) and one for floating-point operations (SPECfp95). The SPEC95 benchmark tests are also called CPU95 tests.

## SRAM

Static random access memory. Read-Write memory with data stored in latches. Faster than DRAM and with simpler timing requirements, but smaller in size and about four times more expensive than DRAM of the same capacity.

## Stack

An area of memory used to implement a data structure that follows the last in, first out method of access. The stack is usually used by the processor to keep track of subroutine calls and returns.

## Stack Pointer

A special purpose register that tracks the location of the last entry in the stack.

## Static Timing

Detailed description of on-chip logic and interconnect delays.

## Submicron

The smallest feature size is usually expressed in microns ( $\mu$  = one millionth of a meter, or a thousandth of a millimeter). The state of the art is moving from  $0.35\mu$  to  $0.25\mu$ , and soon may reach  $0.18\mu$ . For comparison purposes, the wavelength of visible light is  $0.4\mu$  to  $0.8\mu$ . One thousandth of an inch, or 1 mil, is  $25.4\mu$ .

## Sync Word

A 32-bit word with a value that is used to synchronize the configuration logic.

## Synchronous

Circuitry that changes state only in response to a common clock, as opposed to asynchronous circuitry that responds to a multitude of derived signals. Synchronous circuits are easier to design, debug, modify, and better tolerate parameter changes and speed upgrades than asynchronous circuits.

## Synthesis

Optimization process of adapting a logic design to the logic resources available on the chip, like look-up tables, Longline, and dedicated carry. Synthesis precedes mapping.



## TBUFs

Buffers with a 3-state option, where the output can be made inactive. Used for multiplexing different data sources onto a common bus. The pulldown-only option can use the bus as a “wired AND” function.

## Termination

Usually implemented with passive components, termination is used to interface drivers, receivers, and traces that have differing impedance values. Typically, device drivers and receivers do not match the impedance of the PCB trace that connects them. Termination resistors are employed to match the impedances of these components, maximizing signal transmission and reducing noise.

## Timing

Relating to delays, performance, or speed.

## Timing Driven

A design or layout method that takes performance requirements into consideration.

## TLB (Translation Lookaside Buffer)

TLB is part of an MMU. It has a table used in a virtual memory system keeping track of the physical address page number associated with each virtual address page number. A TLB is used in conjunction with a cache whose tags are based on virtual addresses.

## Trace

A PPC405 feature which supports tracing of the instruction stream being executed out of the instruction cache in real time.

## Trap

1. A program interrupt, usually an interrupt caused by some exceptional situation in the user program. In most cases, the OS performs some action, then returns control to the program.
2. Internally generated exceptions that deal with such instances as arithmetic overflow, divide by zero, and bound check failure.

## UART (Universal Asynchronous Receiver/Transmitter)

An 8-bit parallel-to-serial and serial-to-parallel converter, combined with parity and start-detect circuitry, and sometimes even FIFO buffers. Used widely in asynchronous serial communications interfaces, such as modems.

## UI (Unit Interval)

Unit of time corresponding to one bit period. A unit interval is the time it takes to send one bit.

## USB (Universal Serial Bus)

A low-cost, low-speed, self-clocking bit-serial bus (1.5 MHz and 12 MHz) using four wires ( $V_{CC}$ , ground, differential data) to daisy-chain up to 128 devices.

## User Mode

User mode restricts access to some registers and instructions. Normally, application programs operate in this mode.

## Virtual Address

An intermediate address used to translate an effective address into a physical address. It consists of a process ID and the effective address. It is only used when address translation is enabled.

## Virtual Mode

In virtual mode, programs address virtual memory and virtual-memory addresses are translated by the processor into physical-memory addresses. This allows programs to access much larger address spaces than might be implemented in the system.

## VME

Older bus standard, popular with MC68000-based industrial computers.

## Von-Neuman Architecture

Von-Neuman architecture has a shared bus for instruction and data access. Therefore simultaneous instruction and data transfer is not possible.

## WAN (Wide Area Network)

A computer network that spans a relatively large geographical area. Typically, a WAN consists of two or more local-area networks (LANs).

## Watchdog Timer

A hardware timer that is periodically reset by software. If the software crashes or hangs, the watchdog timer will expire, and the entire system will be reset automatically.

## WDM (Wavelength Division Multiplexing)

A type of multiplexing developed for use on optical fiber. WDM modulates each of several data streams onto a different part of the light spectrum.

## Word

Four bytes, or 32 bits.

## Write Back

A Cache write policy in which data written into the cache by the CPU is not written into main memory until that data line in the cache is to be replaced.

## $\overline{\text{WRITE}}$ Pin

The  $\overline{\text{WRITE}}$  pin is an input to Virtex-II Pro devices in the SelectMAP/Slave Parallel mode, indicating to the device which direction data is flowing on the Data bus. When  $\overline{\text{WRITE}}$  is asserted (Low), data is entering the device (configuration). When  $\overline{\text{WRITE}}$  is de-asserted (High), data is leaving the device (readback). If  $\overline{\text{WRITE}}$  changes state when the device isn't expecting it, an abort occurs. For more information on the  $\overline{\text{WRITE}}$  pin, refer to *The Programmable Logic Data Book*, and in this Handbook, [Design Considerations, page 159](#).

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## Write Through

A Cache write policy. A technique for writing data from the CPU simultaneously into the cache and into main memory to assure coherency

## XChecker Cable

The Xilinx XChecker Cable (model DLC4) is a serial download cable. The XChecker uses a serial 9-pin interface to the communication port of a host computer and two 8-pin headers for flying-wire connectors to a target board. The XChecker cable is supported by the Hardware Debugger software for performing Slave Serial configuration and readback of FPGAs. The XChecker cable is also supported by the iMPACT software for performing Slave Serial and Boundary Scan configuration of FPGAs, and Boundary Scan programming of CPLDs. For more information on using the XChecker cable refer to the *Hardware Users Guide* and the *Hardware Debugger Reference/Users Guide*.

## XNF File

Xilinx-proprietary description format for a logic design. Alternative is EDIF.



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