

FLEX PCI Development Kit

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Target Applications:
All PCI-based systems

Family:
FLEX® 10K

Ordering Code:
PCI-BOARD2

Vendor:



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Features

- 32-bit to 64-bit/33-MHz to 66-MHz peripheral component interconnect (PCI) development and prototyping platform
- Easy-to-use Windows-based program for design analysis and system performance measurement
- Includes a demonstration design with the pci_mt64 MegaCore™ function, an SDRAM controller, a direct memory access (DMA) controller, a first-in first-out (FIFO) buffer, and control logic
- FLEX® 10KE EPF10K100E-1 device in a 484-pin FineLine BGA™ package
- On-board features:
 - I/O prototype area for custom logic
 - DB9 connector for RS-232 serial communication
 - Standard PMC connector
 - 144-pin small outline DIMM 32-Mbyte SDRAM module
 - Voltage regulator that automatically generates 2.5 V and 3.3 V from a 5.0-V power supply
- Supports in-circuit reconfiguration with an EPC2 configuration device and a ByteBlasterMV™ download cable
- Flexible clocking options for on-board logic, including a PCI clock, an on-board crystal oscillator, or an external clock

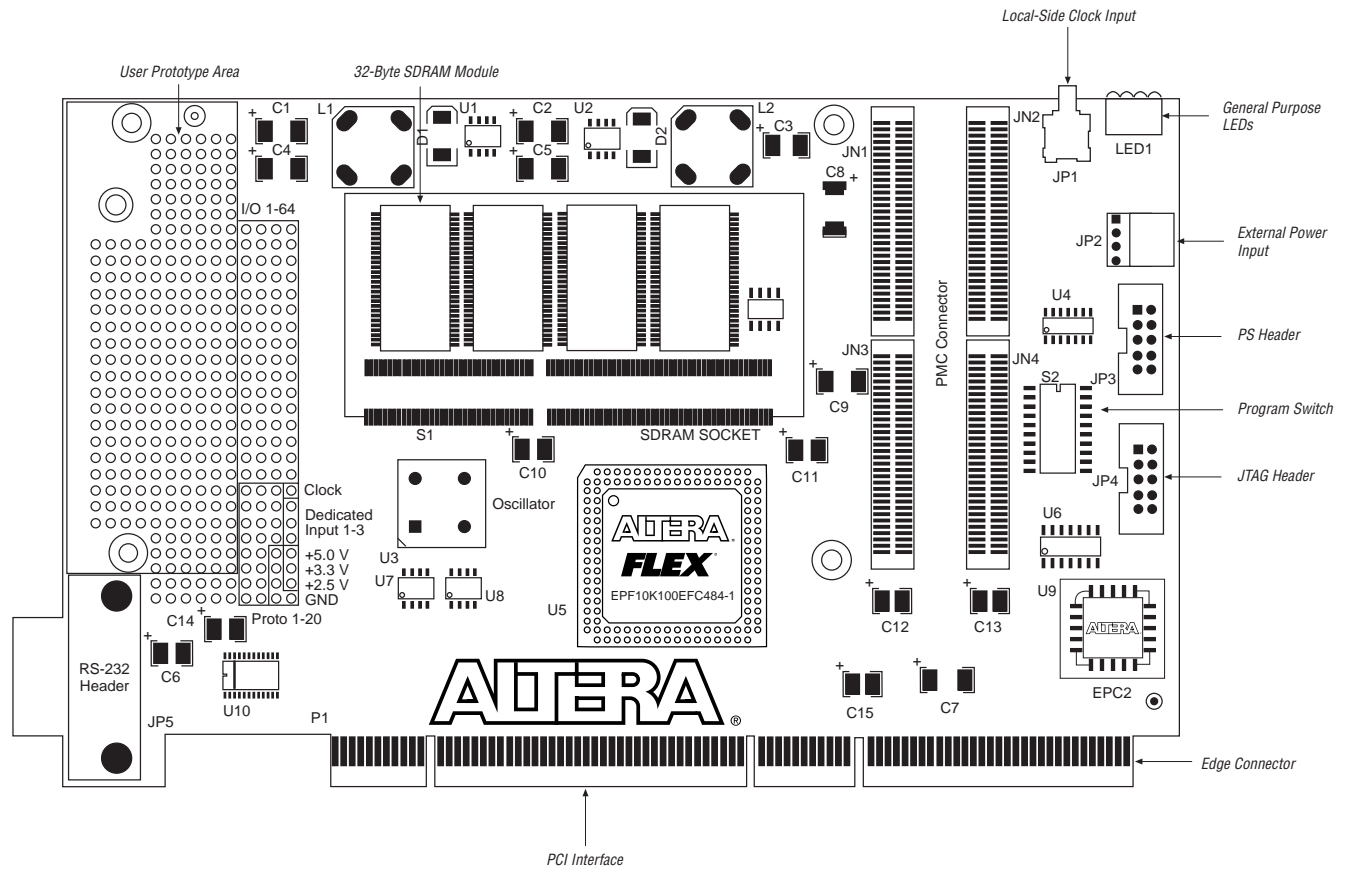
General Description

The FLEX PCI development kit is extremely versatile and can be used to prototype a variety of custom designs that use any of Altera's PCI MegaCore functions. The FLEX PCI development board includes socketed SDRAM, PMC connectors, and an RS-232 port. The board also provides a prototyping area that can implement custom off-chip logic, a flexible clock distribution network, and in-circuit configuration capability. With the Windows-based application software provided with the kit, you can easily measure data transfer speeds attained through the Altera PCI MegaCore function. Figures 1 and 2 show the FLEX PCI development board.

Figure 1. FLEX PCI Development Board



Figure 2. FLEX PCI Development Board Schematic



FLEX PCI Development Kit Deliverables

Altera provides the following items with the FLEX PCI development kit:

- FLEX PCI development board
- ByteBlasterMV parallel port download cable
- CD-ROM containing all PCI MegaCore functions, demonstration designs, and support literature
- Development board schematics are available upon request



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