# Configuration

Configuration is the process of loading design-specific programming data into one or more FPGAs to define the functional operation of the internal blocks and their interconnections. This is somewhat like loading the command registers of a programmable peripheral chip. XC4000 Series devices use several hundred bits of configuration data per CLB and its associated interconnects. Each configuration bit defines the state of a static memory cell that controls either a function look-up table bit, a multiplexer input, or an interconnect pass transistor. The XACT*step* development system translates the design into a netlist file. It automatically partitions, places and routes the logic and generates the configuration data in PROM format.

# **Special Purpose Pins**

Three configuration mode pins (M2, M1, M0) are sampled prior to configuration to determine the configuration mode. After configuration, these pins can be used as auxiliary connections. M2 and M0 can be used as inputs, and M1 can be used as an output. The XACT*step* development system does not use these resources unless they are explicitly specified in the design entry. This is done by placing a special pad symbol called MD2, MD1, or MD0 instead of the input or output pad symbol.

In XC4000 Series devices, the mode pins have weak pullup resistors during configuration. With all three mode pins High, Slave Serial mode is selected, which is the most popular configuration mode. Therefore, for the most common configuration mode, the mode pins can be left unconnected. (Note, however, that the internal pull-up resistor value can be as high as 100 k $\Omega$ .) After configuration, these pins can individually have weak pull-up or pull-down resistors, as specified in the design. A pull-down resistor value of 4.7 k $\Omega$  is recommended.

These pins are located in the lower left chip corner and are near the readback nets. This location allows convenient routing if compatibility with the XC2000 and XC3000 family conventions of M0/RT, M1/RD is desired.

# **Configuration Modes**

XC4000E devices have six configuration modes. XC4000X devices have the same six modes, plus an additional configuration mode. These modes are selected by a 3-bit input code applied to the M2, M1, and M0 inputs. There are three self-loading Master modes, two Peripheral modes, and a Serial Slave mode, which is used primarily for daisy-chained devices. The coding for mode selection is shown in Table 2.

Mode	M2	M1	MO	CCLK	Data
Master Serial	0	0	0	output	Bit-Serial
Slave Serial	1	1	1	input	Bit-Serial
Master	1	0	0	output	Byte-Wide,
Parallel Up					increment
					from 00000
Master	1	1	0	output	Byte-Wide,
Parallel Down					decrement
					from 3FFFF
Peripheral	0	1	1	input	Byte-Wide
Synchronous*					
Peripheral	1	0	1	output	Byte-Wide
Asynchronous					
Reserved	0	1	0	—	—
Reserved	0	0	1	—	—

#### Table 2: Configuration Modes

Note: \* Peripheral Synchronous can be considered bytewide Slave Parallel

A detailed description of each configuration mode, with timing information, is included later in this data sheet. During configuration, some of the I/O pins are used temporarily for the configuration process. All pins used during configuration are shown in Table 6 on page 4-58.

## Master Modes

The three Master modes use an internal oscillator to generate a Configuration Clock (CCLK) for driving potential slave devices. They also generate address and timing for external PROM(s) containing the configuration data.

Master Parallel (Up or Down) modes generate the CCLK signal and PROM addresses and receive byte parallel data. The data is internally serialized into the FPGA data-frame format. The up and down selection generates starting addresses at either zero or 3FFFF (3FFFFF when 22 address lines are used), for compatibility with different microprocessor addressing conventions. The Master Serial mode generates CCLK and receives the configuration data in serial form from a Xilinx serial-configuration PROM.

CCLK speed is selectable as either 1 MHz (default) or 8 MHz. Configuration always starts at the default slow frequency, then can switch to the higher frequency during the first frame. Frequency tolerance is -50% to +25%.

## Additional Address lines in XC4000 devices

The XC4000X devices have additional address lines (A18-A21) allowing the additional address space required to daisy-chain several large devices.

The extra address lines are programmable in XC4000EX devices. By default these address lines are not activated. In the default mode, the devices are compatible with existing XC4000 and XC4000E products. If desired, the extra address lines can be used by specifying the address lines option in bitgen as 22 (bitgen -g AddressLines:22). The lines (A18-A21) are driven when a master device detects, via the bitstream, that it should be using all 22 address lines. Because these pins will initially be pulled high by internal pull-ups, designers using Master Parallel Up mode should use external pull down resistors on pins A18-A21. If Master Parallel Down mode is used external resistors are not necessary.

All 22 address lines are always active in Master Parallel modes with XC4000XL devices. The additional address lines behave identically to the lower order address lines. If the Address Lines option in bitgen is set to 18, it will be ignored by the XC4000XL device.

The additional address lines (A18-A21) are not available in the PC84 package.

#### Peripheral Modes

The two Peripheral modes accept byte-wide data from a bus. A RDY/BUSY status is available as a handshake signal. In Asynchronous Peripheral mode, the internal oscillator generates a CCLK burst signal that serializes the bytewide data. CCLK can also drive slave devices. In the synchronous mode, an externally supplied clock input to CCLK serializes the data.

## Slave Serial Mode

In Slave Serial mode, the FPGA receives serial configuration data on the rising edge of CCLK and, after loading its configuration, passes additional data out, resynchronized on the next falling edge of CCLK.

Multiple slave devices with identical configurations can be wired with parallel DIN inputs. In this way, multiple devices can be configured simultaneously.

#### Serial Daisy Chain

Multiple devices with different configurations can be connected together in a "daisy chain," and a single combined bitstream used to configure the chain of slave devices.

To configure a daisy chain of devices, wire the CCLK pins of all devices in parallel, as shown in Figure 9 on page 4-60. Connect the DOUT of each device to the DIN of the next. The lead or master FPGA and following slaves each passes resynchronized configuration data coming from a single source. The header data, including the length count, is passed through and is captured by each FPGA when it recognizes the 0010 preamble. Following the length-count data, each FPGA outputs a High on DOUT until it has received its required number of data frames.

After an FPGA has received its configuration data, it passes on any additional frame start bits and configuration data on DOUT. When the total number of configuration clocks applied after memory initialization equals the value of the 24-bit length count, the FPGAs begin the start-up sequence and become operational together. FPGA I/O are normally released two CCLK cycles after the last configuration bit is received. Figure 5 on page 4-54 shows the start-up timing for an XC4000 Series device.

The daisy-chained bitstream is not simply a concatenation of the individual bitstreams. The PROM file formatter must be used to combine the bitstreams for a daisy-chained configuration.

#### **Multi-Family Daisy Chain**

All Xilinx FPGAs of the XC2000, XC3000, and XC4000 Series use a compatible bitstream format and can, therefore, be connected in a daisy chain in an arbitrary sequence. There is, however, one limitation. The lead device must belong to the highest family in the chain. If the chain contains XC4000 Series devices, the master normally cannot be an XC2000 or XC3000 device.

The reason for this rule is shown in Figure 5 on page 4-54. Since all devices in the chain store the same length count value and generate or receive one common sequence of CCLK pulses, they all recognize length-count match on the same CCLK edge, as indicated on the left edge of Figure 5. The master device then generates additional CCLK pulses until it reaches its finish point F. The different families generate or require different numbers of additional CCLK pulses until they reach F. Not reaching F means that the device does not really finish its configuration, although DONE may have gone High, the outputs became active, and the internal reset was released. For the XC4000 Series device, not reaching F means that readback cannot be ini-

tiated and most boundary scan instructions cannot be used.

The user has some control over the relative timing of these events and can, therefore, make sure that they occur at the proper time and the finish point F is reached. Timing is controlled using options in the bitstream generation software.

#### XC3000 Master with an XC4000 Series Slave

Some designers want to use an inexpensive lead device in peripheral mode and have the more precious I/O pins of the XC4000 Series devices all available for user I/O. Figure 2 provides a solution for that case.

This solution requires one CLB, one IOB and pin, and an internal oscillator with a frequency of up to 5 MHz as a clock source. The XC3000 master device must be configured with late Internal Reset, which is the default option.

One CLB and one IOB in the lead XC3000-family device are used to generate the additional CCLK pulse required by the XC4000 Series devices. When the lead device removes the internal RESET signal, the 2-bit shift register responds to its clock input and generates an active Low output signal for the duration of the subsequent clock period. An external connection between this output and CCLK thus creates the extra CCLK pulse.



Figure 2: CCLK Generation for XC3000 Master Driving an XC4000 Series Slave

# Setting CCLK Frequency

For Master modes, CCLK can be generated in either of two frequencies. In the default slow mode, the frequency ranges from 0.5 MHz to 1.25 MHz for XC4000E and XC4000EX devices and from 0.6 MHz to 1.8 MHz for XC4000XL devices. In fast CCLK mode, the frequency ranges from 4 MHz to 10 MHz for XC4000EX devices and from 5 MHz to 15 MHz for XC4000XL devices. The frequency is selected by an option when running the bitstream generation software. If an XC4000 Series Master is driving an XC3000- or XC2000-family slave, slow CCLK mode must be used. In addition, an XC4000XL device driving a XC4000E or XC4000EX should use slow mode. Slow mode is the default.

Table 3: XC4000 Series	<b>Data Stream Formats</b>
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Data Type	All Other Modes (D0)
Fill Byte	11111111b
Preamble Code	0010b
Length Count	COUNT(23:0)
Fill Bits	1111b
Start Field	0b
Data Frame	DATA(n-1:0)
CRC or Constant	xxxx (CRC)
Field Check	or 0110b
Extend Write Cycle	—
Postamble	01111111b
Start-Up Bytes	xxh

#### LEGEND:

Unshaded	Once per bitstream
Light	Once per data frame
Dark	Once per device

# **Data Stream Format**

The data stream ("bitstream") format is identical for all configuration modes.

The data stream formats are shown in Table 3. Bit-serial data is read from left to right, and byte-parallel data is effectively assembled from this serial bitstream, with the first bit in each byte assigned to D0.

The configuration data stream begins with a string of eight ones, a preamble code, followed by a 24-bit length count and a separator field of ones. This header is followed by the actual configuration data in frames. The length and number of frames depends on the device type (see Table 4 and Table 5). Each frame begins with a start field and ends with an error check. A postamble code is required to signal the end of data for a single device. In all cases, additional start-up bytes of data are required to provide four clocks for the startup sequence at the end of configuration. Long daisy chains require additional startup bytes to shift the last data through the chain. All startup bytes are don't-cares; these bytes are not included in bitstreams created by the Xilinx software.

A selection of CRC or non-CRC error checking is allowed by the bitstream generation software. The non-CRC error checking tests for a designated end-of-frame field for each frame. For CRC error checking, the software calculates a running CRC and inserts a unique four-bit partial check at the end of each frame. The 11-bit CRC check of the last frame of an FPGA includes the last seven data bits.

Detection of an error results in the suspension of data loading and the pulling down of the  $\overline{\text{INIT}}$  pin. In Master modes, CCLK and address signals continue to operate externally. The user must detect  $\overline{\text{INIT}}$  and initialize a new configuration by pulsing the  $\overline{\text{PROGRAM}}$  pin Low or cycling Vcc.

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Device	XC4003E	XC4005E	XC4006E	XC4008E	XC4010E	XC4013E	XC4020E	XC4025E
Max Logic Gates	3,000	5,000	6,000	8,000	10,000	13,000	20,000	25,000
CLBs	100	196	256	324	400	576	784	1,024
(Row x Col.)	(10 x 10)	(14 x 14)	(16 x 16)	(18 x 18)	(20 x 20)	(24 x 24)	(28 x 28)	(32 x 32)
IOBs	80	112	128	144	160	192	224	256
Flip-Flops	360	616	768	936	1,120	1,536	2,016	2,560
Bits per Frame	126	166	186	206	226	266	306	346
Frames	428	572	644	716	788	932	1,076	1,220
Program Data	53,936	94,960	119,792	147,504	178,096	247,920	329,264	422,128
PROM Size (bits)	53,984	95,008	119,840	147,552	178,144	247,968	329,312	422,176
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#### Table 4: XC4000E Program Data

Notes: 1. Bits per Frame = (10 x number of rows) + 7 for the top + 13 for the bottom + 1 + 1 start bit + 4 error check bits Number of Frames = (36 x number of columns) + 26 for the left edge + 41 for the right edge + 1 Program Data = (Bits per Frame x Number of Frames) + 8 postamble bits PROM Size = Program Data + 40 (header) + 8

2. The user can add more "one" bits as leading dummy bits in the header, or, if CRC = off, as trailing dummy bits at the end of any frame, following the four error check bits. However, the Length Count value must be adjusted for all such extra "one" bits, even for extra leading ones at the beginning of the header.

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Device	XC4005	XC4010	XC4013	XC4020	XC4028	XC40
Max Logic Gates	5,000	10,000	13,000	20,000	28,000	36,00
CLBs	196	400	576	784	1,024	1,29

#### Table 5: XC4000EX/XL Program Data

Device	XC4005	XC4010	XC4013	XC4020	XC4028	XC4036	XC4044	XC4052	XC4062	XC4085
Max Logic Gates	5,000	10,000	13,000	20,000	28,000	36,000	44,000	52,000	62,000	85,000
CLBs	196	400	576	784	1,024	1,296	1,600	1,936	2,304	3,136
(Row x Column)	(14 x 14)	(20 x 20)	(24 x 24)	(28 x 28)	(32 x 32)	(36 x 36)	(40 x 40)	(44 x 44)	(48 x 48)	(56 x 56)
IOBs	112	160	192	224	256	288	320	352	384	448
Flip-Flops	616	1,120	1,536	2,016	2,560	3,168	3,840	4,576	5,376	7,168
Bits per Frame	205	277	325	373	421	469	517	565	613	709
Frames	741	1,023	1,211	1,399	1,587	1,775	1,963	2,151	2,339	2,715
Program Data	151,910	283,376	393,580	521,832	668,132	832,480	1,014,876	1,215,320	1,433,812	1,924,940
PROM Size (bits)	151,960	283,424	393,632	521,880	668,184	832,528	1,014,928	1,215,368	1,433,864	1,924,992

Notes: 1. Bits per frame = (12 x number of rows) + 8 for the top + 16 for the bottom + 8 + 1 start bit + 4 error check bits. Frames = (47 x number of columns) + 27 for the left edge + 52 for the right edge + 4.

Program data = (bits per frame x number of frames) + 5 postamble bits.

PROM size = (program data + 40 header bits + 8 start bits) rounded up to the nearest byte.

2. The user can add more "one" bits as leading dummy bits in the header, or, if CRC = off, as trailing dummy bits at the end of any frame, following the four error check bits. However, the Length Count value must be adjusted for all such extra "one" bits, even for extra leading "ones" at the beginning of the header.t

# Cyclic Redundancy Check (CRC) for Configuration and Readback

The Cyclic Redundancy Check is a method of error detection in data transmission applications. Generally, the transmitting system performs a calculation on the serial bitstream. The result of this calculation is tagged onto the data stream as additional check bits. The receiving system performs an identical calculation on the bitstream and compares the result with the received checksum.

Each data frame of the configuration bitstream has four error bits at the end, as shown in Table 3. If a frame data error is detected during the loading of the FPGA, the configuration process with a potentially corrupted bitstream is terminated. The FPGA pulls the INIT pin Low and goes into a Wait state.

During Readback, 11 bits of the 16-bit checksum are added to the end of the Readback data stream. The checksum is computed using the CRC-16 CCITT polynomial, as shown in Figure 3. The checksum consists of the 11 most significant bits of the 16-bit code. A change in the checksum indicates a change in the Readback bitstream. A comparison to a previous checksum is meaningful only if the readback data is independent of the current device state. CLB outputs should not be included (Read Capture option not used), and if RAM is present, the RAM content must be unchanged.

Statistically, one error out of 2048 might go undetected.

## **Configuration Sequence**

There are four major steps in the XC4000 Series power-up configuration sequence.

- Configuration Memory Clear
- Initialization
- Configuration
- Start-Up

The full process is illustrated in Figure 4.

#### **Configuration Memory Clear**

When power is first applied or is reapplied to an FPGA, an internal circuit forces initialization of the configuration logic. When Vcc reaches an operational level, and the circuit passes the write and read test of a sample pair of configuration bits, a time delay is started. This time delay is nominally 16 ms, and up to 10% longer in the low-voltage devices. The delay is four times as long when in Master Modes (M0 Low), to allow ample time for all slaves to reach a stable Vcc. When all INIT pins are tied together, as recommended, the longest delay takes precedence. Therefore, devices with different time delays can easily be mixed and matched in a daisy chain.

This delay is applied only on power-up. It is not applied when reconfiguring an FPGA by pulsing the PROGRAM pin



Figure 3: Circuit for Generating CRC-16



Figure 4: Power-up Configuration Sequence

Low. During this time delay, or as long as the PROGRAM input is asserted, the configuration logic is held in a Configuration Memory Clear state. The configuration-memory frames are consecutively initialized, using the internal oscillator.

At the end of each complete pass through the frame addressing, the power-on time-out delay circuitry and the level of the  $\overrightarrow{PROGRAM}$  pin are tested. If neither is asserted, the logic initiates one additional clearing of the configuration frames and then tests the  $\overrightarrow{INIT}$  input.

#### Initialization

During initialization and configuration, user pins HDC,  $\overline{\text{LDC}}$ ,  $\overline{\text{INIT}}$  and DONE provide status outputs for the system interface. The outputs  $\overline{\text{LDC}}$ ,  $\overline{\text{INIT}}$  and DONE are held Low and HDC is held High starting at the initial application of power.

The open drain  $\overline{\text{INIT}}$  pin is released after the final initialization pass through the frame addresses. There is a deliberate delay of 50 to 250 µs (up to 10% longer for low-voltage devices) before a Master-mode device recognizes an inactive  $\overline{\text{INIT}}$ . Two internal clocks after the  $\overline{\text{INIT}}$  pin is recognized as High, the FPGA samples the three mode lines to determine the configuration mode. The appropriate interface lines become active and the configuration preamble and data can be loaded.Configuration

The 0010 preamble code indicates that the following 24 bits represent the length count. The length count is the total number of configuration clocks needed to load the complete configuration data. (Four additional configuration clocks are required to complete the configuration process, as discussed below.) After the preamble and the length count have been passed through to all devices in the daisy chain, DOUT is held High to prevent frame start bits from reaching any daisy-chained devices.

A specific configuration bit, early in the first frame of a master device, controls the configuration-clock rate and can increase it by a factor of eight. Therefore, if a fast configuration clock is selected by the bitstream, the slower clock rate is used until this configuration bit is detected.

Each frame has a start field followed by the frame-configuration data bits and a frame error field. If a frame data error is detected, the FPGA halts loading, and signals the error by pulling the open-drain INIT pin Low. After all configuration frames have been loaded into an FPGA, DOUT again follows the input data so that the remaining data is passed on to the next device.

## **Delaying Configuration After Power-Up**

There are two methods of delaying configuration after power-up: put a logic Low on the PROGRAM input, or pull the bidirectional INIT pin Low, using an open-collector (open-drain) driver. (See Figure 4 on page 4-51.)

A Low on the **PROGRAM** input is the more radical approach, and is recommended when the power-supply

rise time is excessive or poorly defined. As long as PRO-GRAM is Low, the FPGA keeps clearing its configuration memory. When PROGRAM goes High, the configuration memory is cleared one more time, followed by the beginning of configuration, provided the INIT input is not externally held Low. Note that a Low on the PROGRAM input automatically forces a Low on the INIT output. The XC4000 Series PROGRAM pin has a permanent weak pull-up.

Using an open-collector or open-drain driver to hold  $\overline{\text{INIT}}$ Low before the beginning of configuration causes the FPGA to wait after completing the configuration memory clear operation. When  $\overline{\text{INIT}}$  is no longer held Low externally, the device determines its configuration mode by capturing its mode pins, and is ready to start the configuration process. A master device waits up to an additional 250 µs to make sure that any slaves in the optional daisy chain have seen that  $\overline{\text{INIT}}$  is High.

## Start-Up

Start-up is the transition from the configuration process to the intended user operation. This transition involves a change from one clock source to another, and a change from interfacing parallel or serial configuration data where most outputs are 3-stated, to normal operation with I/O pins active in the user-system. Start-up must make sure that the user-logic 'wakes up' gracefully, that the outputs become active without causing contention with the configuration signals, and that the internal flip-flops are released from the global Reset or Set at the right time.

Figure 5 describes start-up timing for the three Xilinx families in detail. The configuration modes can use any of the four timing sequences.

To access the internal start-up signals, place the STARTUP library symbol.

#### Start-up Timing

Different FPGA families have different start-up sequences.

The XC2000 family goes through a fixed sequence. DONE goes High and the internal global Reset is de-activated one CCLK period after the I/O become active.

The XC3000A family offers some flexibility. DONE can be programmed to go High one CCLK period before or after the I/O become active. Independent of DONE, the internal global Reset is de-activated one CCLK period before or after the I/O become active.

The XC4000 Series offers additional flexibility. The three events — DONE going High, the internal Set/Reset being de-activated, and the user I/O going active — can all occur in any arbitrary sequence. Each of them can occur one CCLK period before or after, or simultaneous with, any of the others. This relative timing is selected by means of software options in the bitstream generation software.

The default option, and the most practical one, is for DONE to go High first, disconnecting the configuration data source and avoiding any contention when the I/Os become active one clock later. Reset/Set is then released another clock period later to make sure that user-operation starts from stable internal conditions. This is the most common sequence, shown with heavy lines in Figure 5, but the designer can modify it to meet particular requirements.

Normally, the start-up sequence is controlled by the internal device oscillator output (CCLK), which is asynchronous to the system clock.

XC4000 Series offers another start-up clocking option, UCLK\_NOSYNC. The three events described above need not be triggered by CCLK. They can, as a configuration option, be triggered by a user clock. This means that the device can wake up in synchronism with the user system.

When the UCLK\_SYNC option is enabled, the user can externally hold the open-drain DONE output Low, and thus stall all further progress in the start-up sequence until DONE is released and has gone High. This option can be used to force synchronization of several FPGAs to a common user clock, or to guarantee that all devices are successfully configured before any I/Os go active.

If either of these two options is selected, and no user clock is specified in the design or attached to the device, the chip could reach a point where the configuration of the device is complete and the Done pin is asserted, but the outputs do not become active. The solution is either to recreate the bitstream specifying the start-up clock as CCLK, or to supply the appropriate user clock.

#### Start-up Sequence

The Start-up sequence begins when the configuration memory is full, and the total number of configuration clocks

received since  $\overline{\text{INIT}}$  went High equals the loaded value of the length count.

The next rising clock edge sets a flip-flop Q0, shown in Figure 6. Q0 is the leading bit of a 5-bit shift register. The outputs of this register can be programmed to control three events.

- The release of the open-drain DONE output
- The change of configuration-related pins to the user function, activating all IOBs.
- The termination of the global Set/Reset initialization of all CLB and IOB storage elements.

The DONE pin can also be wire-ANDed with DONE pins of other FPGAs or with other external signals, and can then be used as input to bit Q3 of the start-up register. This is called "Start-up Timing Synchronous to Done In" and is selected by either CCLK\_SYNC or UCLK\_SYNC.

When DONE is not used as an input, the operation is called "Start-up Timing Not Synchronous to DONE In," and is selected by either CCLK\_NOSYNC or UCLK\_NOSYNC.

As a configuration option, the start-up control register beyond Q0 can be clocked either by subsequent CCLK pulses or from an on-chip user net called STARTUP.CLK. These signals can be accessed by placing the STARTUP library symbol.

#### Start-up from CCLK

If CCLK is used to drive the start-up, Q0 through Q3 provide the timing. Heavy lines in Figure 5 show the default timing, which is compatible with XC2000 and XC3000 devices using early DONE and late Reset. The thin lines indicate all other possible timing options.



F = Finished, no more configuration clocks needed Daisy-chain lead device must have latest F

Heavy lines describe default timing

Figure 5: Start-up Timing

#### Start-up from a User Clock (STARTUP.CLK)

When, instead of CCLK, a user-supplied start-up clock is selected, Q1 is used to bridge the unknown phase relationship between CCLK and the user clock. This arbitration causes an unavoidable one-cycle uncertainty in the timing of the rest of the start-up sequence.

#### DONE Goes High to Signal End of Configuration

XC4000 Series devices read the expected length count from the bitstream and store it in an internal register. The length count varies according to the number of devices and the composition of the daisy chain. Each device also counts the number of CCLKs during configuration.

Two conditions have to be met in order for the DONE pin to go high:

- the chip's internal memory must be full, and
- the configuration length count must be met, exactly.

This is important because the counter that determines when the length count is met begins with the very first CCLK, not the first one after the preamble.

Therefore, if a stray bit is inserted before the preamble, or the data source is not ready at the time of the first CCLK, the internal counter that holds the number of CCLKs will be one ahead of the actual number of data bits read. At the end of configuration, the configuration memory will be full, but the number of bits in the internal counter will not match the expected length count.

As a consequence, a Master mode device will continue to send out CCLKs until the internal counter turns over to zero, and then reaches the correct length count a second time. This will take several seconds  $[2^{24} * CCLK \text{ period}]$  — which is sometimes interpreted as the device not configuring at all.

If it is not possible to have the data ready at the time of the first CCLK, the problem can be avoided by increasing the number in the length count by the appropriate value. The *XACT User Guide* includes detailed information about manually altering the length count.

Note that DONE is an open-drain output and does not go High unless an internal pull-up is activated or an external pull-up is attached. The internal pull-up is activated as the default by the bitstream generation software.

#### Release of User I/O After DONE Goes High

By default, the user I/O are released one CCLK cycle after the DONE pin goes High. If CCLK is not clocked after DONE goes High, the outputs remain in their initial state — 3-stated, with a 50 k $\Omega$  - 100 k $\Omega$  pull-up. The delay from DONE High to active user I/O is controlled by an option to the bitstream generation software.

#### Release of Global Set/Reset After DONE Goes High

By default, Global Set/Reset (GSR) is released two CCLK cycles after the DONE pin goes High. If CCLK is not clocked twice after DONE goes High, all flip-flops are held in their initial set or reset state. The delay from DONE High to GSR inactive is controlled by an option to the bitstream generation software.

#### Configuration Complete After DONE Goes High

Three full CCLK cycles are required after the DONE pin goes High, as shown in Figure 5 on page 4-54. If CCLK is not clocked three times after DONE goes High, readback cannot be initiated and most boundary scan instructions cannot be used.

# Configuration Through the Boundary Scan Pins

XC4000 Series devices can be configured through the boundary scan pins. The basic procedure is as follows:

- Power up the FPGA with INIT held Low (or drive the PROGRAM pin Low for more than 300 ns followed by a High while holding INIT Low). Holding INIT Low allows enough time to issue the CONFIG command to the FPGA. The pin can be used as I/O after configuration if a resistor is used to hold INIT Low.
- · Issue the CONFIG command to the TMS input
- Wait for INIT to go High
- Sequence the boundary scan Test Access Port to the SHIFT-DR state
- Toggle TCK to clock data into TDI pin.

The user must account for all TCK clock cycles after INIT goes High, as all of these cycles affect the Length Count compare.

For more detailed information, refer to the Xilinx application note XAPP017, "*Boundary Scan in XC4000 Devices.*" This application note also applies to XC4000E and XC4000X devices.



Figure 6: Start-up Logic

# Readback

The user can read back the content of configuration memory and the level of certain internal nodes without interfering with the normal operation of the device.

Readback not only reports the downloaded configuration bits, but can also include the present state of the device, represented by the content of all flip-flops and latches in CLBs and IOBs, as well as the content of function generators used as RAMs.

Note that in XC4000 Series devices, configuration data is *not* inverted with respect to configuration as it is in XC2000 and XC3000 families.

XC4000 Series Readback does not use any dedicated pins, but uses four internal nets (RDBK.TRIG, RDBK.DATA, RDBK.RIP and RDBK.CLK) that can be routed to any IOB. To access the internal Readback signals, place the READ- BACK library symbol and attach the appropriate pad symbols, as shown in Figure 7.

After Readback has been initiated by a Low-to-High transition on RDBK.TRIG, the RDBK.RIP (Read In Progress) output goes High on the next rising edge of RDBK.CLK. Subsequent rising edges of this clock shift out Readback data on the RDBK.DATA net.

Readback data does not include the preamble, but starts with five dummy bits (all High) followed by the Start bit (Low) of the first frame. The first two data bits of the first frame are always High.

Each frame ends with four error check bits. They are read back as High. The last seven bits of the last frame are also read back as High. An additional Start bit (Low) and an 11-bit Cyclic Redundancy Check (CRC) signature follow, before RDBK.RIP returns Low.



Figure 7: Readback Schematic Example

## **Readback Options**

Readback options are: Read Capture, Read Abort, and Clock Select. They are set with the bitstream generation software.

## Read Capture

When the Read Capture option is selected, the readback data stream includes sampled values of CLB and IOB signals. The rising edge of RDBK.TRIG latches the inverted values of the four CLB outputs, the IOB output flip-flops and the input signals I1 and I2. Note that while the bits describing configuration (interconnect, function generators, and RAM content) are *not* inverted, the CLB and IOB output signals *are* inverted.

When the Read Capture option is not selected, the values of the capture bits reflect the configuration data originally written to those memory locations.

If the RAM capability of the CLBs is used, RAM data are available in readback, since they directly overwrite the F and G function-table configuration of the CLB.

RDBK.TRIG is located in the lower-left corner of the device, as shown in Figure 8.

## Read Abort

When the Read Abort option is selected, a High-to-Low transition on RDBK.TRIG terminates the readback operation and prepares the logic to accept another trigger.

After an aborted readback, additional clocks (up to one readback clock per configuration frame) may be required to re-initialize the control logic. The status of readback is indicated by the output control net RDBK.RIP. RDBK.RIP is High whenever a readback is in progress.

## **Clock Select**

CCLK is the default clock. However, the user can insert another clock on RDBK.CLK. Readback control and data are clocked on rising edges of RDBK.CLK. If readback must be inhibited for security reasons, the readback control nets are simply not connected.

RDBK.CLK is located in the lower right chip corner, as shown in Figure 8.



Figure 8: READBACK Symbol in Graphical Editor

# Violating the Maximum High and Low Time Specification for the Readback Clock

The readback clock has a maximum High and Low time specification. In some cases, this specification cannot be met. For example, if a processor is controlling readback, an interrupt may force it to stop in the middle of a readback. This necessitates stopping the clock, and thus violating the specification.

The specification is mandatory only on clocking data at the end of a frame prior to the next start bit. The transfer mechanism will load the data to a shift register during the last six clock cycles of the frame, prior to the start bit of the following frame. This loading process is dynamic, and is the source of the maximum High and Low time requirements.

Therefore, the specification only applies to the six clock cycles prior to and including any start bit, including the clocks before the first start bit in the readback data stream. At other times, the frame data is already in the register and the register is not dynamic. Thus, it can be shifted out just like a regular shift register.

The user must precisely calculate the location of the readback data relative to the frame. The system must keep track of the position within a data frame, and disable interrupts before frame boundaries. Frame lengths and data formats are listed in Table 3, Table 4 and Table 5.

# Readback with the XChecker Cable

The XChecker Universal Download/Readback Cable and Logic Probe uses the readback feature for bitstream verification. It can also display selected internal signals on the PC or workstation screen, functioning as a low-cost in-circuit emulator.

SLAVE SERIAL <1:1:1>	MASTER SERIAL <0:0:0>	SYNCH. PERIPHERAL <0:1:1>	ASYNCH. PERIPHERAL <1:0:1>	MASTER PARALLEL DOWN <1:1:0>	MASTER PARALLEL UP <1:0:0>	USER OPERATION
M2(HIGH) (I)	M2(LOW) (I)	M2(LOW) (I)	M2(HIGH) (I)	M2(HIGH) (I)	M2(HIGH) (I)	(I)
M1(HIGH) (I)	M1(LOW) (I)	M1(HIGH) (I)	M1(LOW) (I)	M1(HIGH) (I)	M1(LOW) (I)	(O)
M0(HIGH) (I)	M0(LOW) (I)	M0(HIGH) (I)	M0(HIGH) (I)	M0(LOW) (I)	M0(LOW) (I)	(I)
HDC (HIGH)	HDC (HIGH)	HDC (HIGH)	HDC (HIGH)	HDC (HIGH)	HDC (HIGH)	I/O
LDC (LOW)	LDC (LOW)	LDC (LOW)	LDC (LOW)	LDC (LOW)	LDC (LOW)	I/O
INIT	INIT	INIT	INIT	INIT	INIT	I/O
DONE	DONE	DONE	DONE	DONE	DONE	DONE
PROGRAM (I)	PROGRAM (I)	PROGRAM (I)	PROGRAM (I)	PROGRAM (I)	PROGRAM (I)	PROGRAM
CCLK (I)	CCLK (O)	CCLK (I)	CCLK (O)	CCLK (O)	CCLK (O)	CCLK (I)
		RDY/BUSY (O)	RDY/BUSY (O)	RCLK (O)	RCLK (O)	I/O
			RS (I)			I/O
			CS0 (I)			I/O
		DATA 7 (I)	DATA 7 (I)	DATA 7 (I)	DATA 7 (I)	I/O
		DATA 6 (I)	DATA 6 (I)	DATA 6 (I)	DATA 6 (I)	I/O
		DATA 5 (I)	DATA 5 (I)	DATA 5 (I)	DATA 5 (I)	I/O
		DATA 4 (I)	DATA 4 (I)	DATA 4 (I)	DATA 4 (I)	I/O
		DATA 3 (I)	DATA 3 (I)	DATA 3 (I)	DATA 3 (I)	I/O
		DATA 2 (I)	DATA 2 (I)	DATA 2 (I)	DATA 2 (I)	I/O
		DATA 1 (I)	DATA 1 (I)	DATA 1 (I)	DATA 1 (I)	I/O
DIN (I)	DIN (I)	DATA 0 (I)	DATA 0 (I)	DATA 0 (I)	DATA 0 (I)	I/O
DOUT	DOUT	DOUT	DOUT	DOUT	DOUT	SGCK4-GCK5-I/O
TDI	TDI	TDI	TDI	TDI	TDI	TDI-I/O
ТСК	ТСК	ТСК	ТСК	TCK	TCK	TCK-I/O
TMS	TMS	TMS	TMS	TMS	TMS	TMS-I/O
TDO	TDO	TDO	TDO	TDO	TDO	TDO-(O)
		•	WS (I)	A0	A0	I/O
				A1	A1	PGCK4-GCK6-I/O
			CS1	A2	A2	I/O
				A3	A3	I/O
				A4	A4	I/O
				A5	A5	I/O
				A6	A6	I/O
				A7	A7	I/O
				A8	A8	I/O
				A9	A9	I/O
				A10	A10	I/O
				A11	A11	I/O
				A12	A12	I/O
				A13	A13	I/O
				A14	A14	I/O
				A15	A15	SGCK1-GCK7-I/O
				A16	A16	PGCK1-GCK8-I/O
				A17	A17	I/O
				A18*	A18*	I/O
				A19*	A19*	I/O
				A20*	A20*	I/O
				A21*	A21*	I/O
						ALL OTHERS

#### **Table 6: Pin Functions During Configuration**

\* XC4000X only Notes

1. A shaded table cell represents a 50 k $\Omega$  - 100 k $\Omega$  pull-up before and during configuration. 2. (I) represents an input; (O) represents an output. 3. INIT is an open-drain output during configuration.

# XC4000E/EX/XL Program Readback Switching Characteristic Guidelines

Testing of the switching parameters is modeled after testing methods specified by MIL-M-38510/605. All devices are 100% functionally tested. Internal timing parameters are not measured directly. They are derived from benchmark timing patterns that are taken at device introduction, prior to any process improvements.

The following guidelines reflect worst-case values over the recommended operating conditions.



#### E/EX

	Description		Symbol	Min	Max	Units
rdbk.TRIG	rdbk.TRIG setup to initiate and abort Readback	1	T <sub>RTRC</sub>	200	-	ns
	rdbk.TRIG hold to initiate and abort Readback	2	T <sub>RCRT</sub>	50	-	ns
rdclk.1	rdbk.DATA delay	7	T <sub>RCRD</sub>	-	250	ns
	rdbk.RIP delay	6	T <sub>RCRR</sub>	-	250	ns
	High time	5	T <sub>RCH</sub>	250	500	ns
	Low time	4	T <sub>RCL</sub>	250	500	ns

Note 1: Timing parameters apply to all speed grades.

Note 2: If rdbk.TRIG is High prior to Finished, Finished will trigger the first Readback.

#### XL

	Description	5	Symbol	Min	Max	Units
rdbk.TRIG	rdbk.TRIG setup to initiate and abort Readback	1	T <sub>RTRC</sub>	200	-	ns
	rdbk.TRIG hold to initiate and abort Readback	2	T <sub>RCRT</sub>	50	-	ns
rdclk.1	rdbk.DATA delay	7	T <sub>RCRD</sub>	-	250	ns
	rdbk.RIP delay	6	T <sub>RCRR</sub>	-	250	ns
	High time	5	T <sub>RCH</sub>	250	500	ns
	Low time	4	T <sub>RCL</sub>	250	500	ns

Note 1: Timing parameters apply to all speed grades.

Note 2: If rdbk.TRIG is High prior to Finished, Finished will trigger the first Readback.

# **Configuration Timing**

The seven configuration modes are discussed in detail in this section. Timing specifications are included.

#### Slave Serial Mode

In Slave Serial mode, an external signal drives the CCLK input of the FPGA. The serial configuration bitstream must be available at the DIN input of the lead FPGA a short setup time before each rising CCLK edge.

The lead FPGA then presents the preamble data—and all data that overflows the lead device—on its DOUT pin.

There is an internal delay of 0.5 CCLK periods, which means that DOUT changes on the falling CCLK edge, and the next FPGA in the daisy chain accepts data on the subsequent rising CCLK edge.

Figure 9 shows a full master/slave system. An XC4000 Series device in Slave Serial mode should be connected as shown in the third device from the left.

Slave Serial mode is selected by a <111> on the mode pins (M2, M1, M0). Slave Serial is the default mode if the mode pins are left unconnected, as they have weak pull-up resistors during configuration.



Figure 9: Master/Slave Serial Mode Circuit Diagram



	Description	5	Symbol	Min	Max	Units
	DIN setup	1	T <sub>DCC</sub>	20		ns
	DIN hold	2	T <sub>CCD</sub>	0		ns
CCLK	DIN to DOUT	3	T <sub>CCO</sub>		30	ns
COLK	High time	4	T <sub>CCH</sub>	45		ns
	Low time	5	T <sub>CCL</sub>	45		ns
	Frequency		$F_{CC}$		10	MHz

Note: Configuration must be delayed until the INIT pins of all daisy-chained FPGAs are High.

Figure 10: Slave Serial Mode Programming Switching Characteristics

## **Master Serial Mode**

In Master Serial mode, the CCLK output of the lead FPGA drives a Xilinx Serial PROM that feeds the FPGA DIN input. Each rising edge of the CCLK output increments the Serial PROM internal address counter. The next data bit is put on the SPROM data output, connected to the FPGA DIN pin. The lead FPGA accepts this data on the subsequent rising CCLK edge.

The lead FPGA then presents the preamble data—and all data that overflows the lead device—on its DOUT pin. There is an internal pipeline delay of 1.5 CCLK periods, which means that DOUT changes on the falling CCLK edge, and the next FPGA in the daisy chain accepts data on the subsequent rising CCLK edge.

In the bitstream generation software, the user can specify Fast ConfigRate, which, starting several bits into the first

frame, increases the CCLK frequency by a factor of eight. For actual timing values please refer to "Configuration Switching Characteristics" on page 4-68. Be sure that the serial PROM and slaves are fast enough to support this data rate. XC2000, XC3000/A, and XC3100A devices do not support the Fast ConfigRate option.

The SPROM CE input can be driven from either  $\overline{\text{LDC}}$  or DONE. Using  $\overline{\text{LDC}}$  avoids potential contention on the DIN pin, if this pin is configured as user-I/O, but  $\overline{\text{LDC}}$  is then restricted to be a permanently High user output after configuration. Using DONE can also avoid contention on DIN, provided the early DONE option is invoked.

Figure 9 on page 4-60 shows a full master/slave system. The leftmost device is in Master Serial mode.

Master Serial mode is selected by a <000> on the mode pins (M2, M1, M0).



	Description		Symbol	Min	Max	Units
ССІК	DIN setup	1	T <sub>DSCK</sub>	20		ns
COLK	DIN hold	2	T <sub>CKDS</sub>	0		ns

Notes: 1. At power-up, Vcc must rise from 2.0 V to Vcc min in less than 25 ms, otherwise delay configuration by pulling PROGRAM Low until Vcc is valid.

2. Master Serial mode timing is based on testing in slave mode.

#### Figure 11: Master Serial Mode Programming Switching Characteristics

## **Master Parallel Modes**

In the two Master Parallel modes, the lead FPGA directly addresses an industry-standard byte-wide EPROM, and accepts eight data bits just before incrementing or decrementing the address outputs.

The eight data bits are serialized in the lead FPGA, which then presents the preamble data—and all data that overflows the lead device—on its DOUT pin. There is an internal delay of 1.5 CCLK periods, after the rising CCLK edge that accepts a byte of data (and also changes the EPROM address) until the falling CCLK edge that makes the LSB (D0) of this byte appear at DOUT. This means that DOUT changes on the falling CCLK edge, and the next FPGA in the daisy chain accepts data on the subsequent rising CCLK edge.

The PROM address pins can be incremented or decremented, depending on the mode pin settings. This option allows the FPGA to share the PROM with a wide variety of microprocessors and microcontrollers. Some processors must boot from the bottom of memory (all zeros) while others must boot from the top. The FPGA is flexible and can load its configuration bitstream from either end of the memory.

Master Parallel Up mode is selected by a <100> on the mode pins (M2, M1, M0). The EPROM addresses start at 00000 and increment.

Master Parallel Down mode is selected by a <110> on the mode pins. The EPROM addresses start at 3FFFF and decrement.

#### Additional Address lines in XC4000 devices

The XC4000X devices have additional address lines (A18-A21) allowing the additional address space required to daisy-chain several large devices.

The extra address lines are programmable in XC4000EX devices. By default these address lines are not activated. In the default mode, the devices are compatible with existing XC4000 and XC4000E products. If desired, the extra address lines can be used by specifying the address lines option in bitgen as 22 (bitgen -g AddressLines:22). The lines (A18-A21) are driven when a master device detects, via the bitstream, that it should be using all 22 address lines. Because these pins will initially be pulled high by internal pull-ups, designers using Master Parallel Up mode should use external pull down resistors on pins A18-A21. If Master Parallel Down mode is used external resistors are not necessary.

All 22 address lines are always active in Master Parallel modes with XC4000XL devices. The additional address lines behave identically to the lower order address lines. If the Address Lines option in bitgen is set to 18, it will be ignored by the XC4000XL device.

The additional address lines (A18-A21) are not available in the PC84 package.



Figure 12: Master Parallel Mode Circuit Diagram



	Description		Symbol	Min	Max	Units
RCLK	Delay to Address valid	1	T <sub>RAC</sub>	0	200	ns
	Data setup time	2	T <sub>DRC</sub>	60		ns
	Data hold time	3	T <sub>RCD</sub>	0		ns

Notes: 1. At power-up, Vcc must rise from 2.0 V to Vcc min in less than 25 ms, otherwise delay configuration by pulling PROGRAM Low until Vcc is valid.

2. The first Data byte is loaded and CCLK starts at the end of the first RCLK active cycle (rising edge).

This timing diagram shows that the EPROM requirements are extremely relaxed. EPROM access time can be longer than 500 ns. EPROM data output has no hold-time requirements.

#### Figure 13: Master Parallel Mode Programming Switching Characteristics

## Synchronous Peripheral Mode

Synchronous Peripheral mode can also be considered Slave Parallel mode. An external signal drives the CCLK input(s) of the FPGA(s). The first byte of parallel configuration data must be available at the Data inputs of the lead FPGA a short setup time before the rising CCLK edge. Subsequent data bytes are clocked in on every eighth consecutive rising CCLK edge.

The same CCLK edge that accepts data, also causes the RDY/BUSY output to go High for one CCLK period. The pin name is a misnomer. In Synchronous Peripheral mode it is really an ACKNOWLEDGE signal. Synchronous operation does not require this response, but it is a meaningful signal for test purposes. Note that RDY/BUSY is pulled High with a high-impedance pullup prior to INIT going High.

The lead FPGA serializes the data and presents the preamble data (and all data that overflows the lead device) on its DOUT pin. There is an internal delay of 1.5 CCLK periods, which means that DOUT changes on the falling CCLK edge, and the next FPGA in the daisy chain accepts data on the subsequent rising CCLK edge.

In order to complete the serial shift operation, 10 additional CCLK rising edges are required after the last data byte has been loaded, plus one more CCLK cycle for each daisy-chained device.

Synchronous Peripheral mode is selected by a <011> on the mode pins (M2, M1, M0).



Figure 14: Synchronous Peripheral Mode Circuit Diagram



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	Description	Symbol	Min	Max	Units
CCLK	INIT (High) setup time	T <sub>IC</sub>	5		μs
	D0 - D7 setup time	T <sub>DC</sub>	60		ns
	D0 - D7 hold time	T <sub>CD</sub>	0		ns
	CCLK High time	Т <sub>ССН</sub>	50		ns
	CCLK Low time	T <sub>CCL</sub>	60		ns
	CCLK Frequency	F <sub>CC</sub>		8	MHz

Notes: 1. Peripheral Synchronous mode can be considered Slave Parallel mode. An external CCLK provides timing, clocking in the **first** data byte on the **second** rising edge of CCLK after INIT goes High. Subsequent data bytes are clocked in on every eighth consecutive rising edge of CCLK.

 The RDY/BUSY line goes High for one CCLK period after data has been clocked in, although synchronous operation does not require such a response.

3. The pin name RDY/BUSY is a misnomer. In Synchronous Peripheral mode this is really an ACKNOWLEDGE signal.

4. Note that data starts to shift out serially on the DOUT pin 0.5 CCLK periods after it was loaded in parallel. Therefore, additional CCLK pulses are clearly required after the last byte has been loaded.

Figure 15: Synchronous Peripheral Mode Programming Switching Characteristics

# Asynchronous Peripheral Mode

#### Write to FPGA

Asynchronous Peripheral mode uses the trailing edge of the logic AND condition of  $\overline{WS}$  and  $\overline{CS0}$  being Low and  $\overline{RS}$ and CS1 being High to accept byte-wide data from a microprocessor bus. In the lead FPGA, this data is loaded into a double-buffered UART-like parallel-to-serial converter and is serially shifted into the internal logic.

The lead FPGA presents the preamble data (and all data that overflows the lead device) on its DOUT pin. The RDY/ BUSY output from the lead FPGA acts as a handshake signal to the microprocessor. RDY/BUSY goes Low when a byte has been received, and goes High again when the byte-wide input buffer has transferred its information into the shift register, and the buffer is ready to receive new data. A new write may be started immediately, as soon as the RDY/BUSY output has gone Low, acknowledging receipt of the previous data. Write may not be terminated until RDY/BUSY is High again for one CCLK period. Note that RDY/BUSY is pulled High with a high-impedance pull-up prior to INIT going High.

The length of the  $\overline{\text{BUSY}}$  signal depends on the activity in the UART. If the shift register was empty when the new byte was received, the  $\overline{\text{BUSY}}$  signal lasts for only two CCLK periods. If the shift register was still full when the new byte was received, the  $\overline{\text{BUSY}}$  signal can be as long as nine CCLK periods.

Note that after the last byte has been entered, only seven of its bits are shifted out. CCLK remains High with DOUT equal to bit 6 (the next-to-last bit) of the last byte entered.

The READY/BUSY handshake can be ignored if the delay from any one Write to the end of the next Write is guaranteed to be longer than 10 CCLK periods.

#### Status Read

The logic AND condition of the  $\overline{CS0}$ , CS1and  $\overline{RS}$  inputs puts the device status on the Data bus.

- D7 High indicates Ready
- D7 Low indicates Busy
- D0 through D6 go unconditionally High

It is mandatory that the whole start-up sequence be started and completed by one byte-wide input. Otherwise, the pins used as Write Strobe or Chip Enable might become active outputs and interfere with the final byte transfer. If this transfer does not occur, the start-up sequence is not completed all the way to the finish (point F in Figure 5 on page 4-54).

In this case, at worst, the internal reset is not released. At best, Readback and Boundary Scan are inhibited. The length-count value, as generated by the XACT*step* software, ensures that these problems never occur.

Although RDY/ $\overline{BUSY}$  is brought out as a separate signal, microprocessors can more easily read this information on one of the data lines. For this purpose, D7 represents the RDY/ $\overline{BUSY}$  status when  $\overline{RS}$  is Low,  $\overline{WS}$  is High, and the two chip select lines are both active.

Asynchronous Peripheral mode is selected by a <101> on the mode pins (M2, M1, M0).



Figure 16: Asynchronous Peripheral Mode Circuit Diagram

# **XILINX**



	Description		Symbol	Min	Max	Units
Write	Effective Write time (CS0, WS=Low; RS, CS1=High)	1	T <sub>CA</sub>	100		ns
	DIN setup time	2	T <sub>DC</sub>	60		ns
	DIN hold time	3	T <sub>CD</sub>	0		ns
RDY	RDY/BUSY delay after end of Write or Read	4	T <sub>WTRB</sub>		60	ns
	RDY/BUSY active after beginning of Read	7			60	ns
	RDY/BUSY Low output (Note 4)	6	T <sub>BUSY</sub>	2	9	CCLK periods

Notes: 1. Configuration must be delayed until the INIT pins of all daisy-chained FPGAs are High.

2. The time from the end of WS to CCLK cycle for the new byte of data depends on the completion of previous byte processing and the phase of the internal timing generator for CCLK.

3. CCLK and DOUT timing is tested in slave mode.

4. T<sub>BUSY</sub> indicates that the double-buffered parallel-to-serial converter is not yet ready to receive new data. The shortest T<sub>BUSY</sub> occurs when a byte is loaded into an empty parallel-to-serial converter. The longest T<sub>BUSY</sub> occurs when a new word is loaded into the input register before the second-level buffer has started shifting out data.

This timing diagram shows very relaxed requirements. Data need not be held beyond the rising edge of  $\overline{WS}$ . RDY/BUSY will go active within 60 ns after the end of  $\overline{WS}$ . A new write may be asserted immediately after RDY/BUSY goes Low, but write may not be terminated until RDY/BUSY has been High for one CCLK period.

#### Figure 17: Asynchronous Peripheral Mode Programming Switching Characteristics

# **Configuration Switching Characteristics**



# Master Modes (XC4000E/EX)

Description		Symbol	Min	Max	Units
	M0 = High	T <sub>POR</sub>	10	40	ms
Power-On Reset M0 = Low		T <sub>POR</sub>	40	130	ms
Program Latency		T <sub>PI</sub>	1	4	μs per CLB column
CCLK (output) Delay		Т <sub>ІССК</sub>	40	250	μs
CCLK (output) Period, slow		T <sub>CCLK</sub>	640	2000	ns
CCLK (output) Period, fast		T <sub>CCLK</sub>	80	250	ns

# Master Modes (XC4000XL)

Description	Symbol	Min	Max	Units	
	M0 = High	T <sub>POR</sub>	10	40	ms
Power-On Reset	M0 = Low	T <sub>POR</sub>	40	130	ms
Program Latency		T <sub>PI</sub>	1	4	μs per
					CLB column
CCLK (output) Delay		Т <sub>ІССК</sub>	40	250	μs
CCLK (output) Period, slow		T <sub>CCLK</sub>	540	1600	ns
CCLK (output) Period, fast		T <sub>CCLK</sub>	67	200	ns

# Slave and Peripheral Modes(All)

Description	Symbol	Min	Max	Units
Power-On Reset	T <sub>POR</sub>	10	33	ms
Program Latency	T <sub>PI</sub>	1	4	μs per CLB column
CCLK (input) Delay (required)	T <sub>ICCK</sub>	4		μs
CCLK (input) Period (required)	T <sub>CCLK</sub>	100		ns



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