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Details

Product Status	Obsolete
Number of LABs/CLBs	-
Number of Logic Elements/Cells	-
Total RAM Bits	-
Number of I/O	125
Number of Gates	24000
Voltage - Supply	3V ~ 3.6V, 4.75V ~ 5.25V
Mounting Type	Surface Mount
Operating Temperature	0°C ~ 70°C (TA)
Package / Case	160-BQFP
Supplier Device Package	160-PQFP (28x28)
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Table 1 • Product profile

Device	A40MX02	A40MX04	A42MX09	A42MX16	A42MX24	A42MX36
Maximum Flip-Flops	147	273	516	928	1,410	1,822
Clocks	1	1	2	2	2	6
User I/O (maximum)	57	69	104	140	176	202
PCI	–	–	–	–	Yes	Yes
Boundary Scan Test (BST)	–	–	–	–	Yes	Yes
Packages (by pin count)						
PLCC	44, 68	44, 68, 84	84	84	84	–
PQFP	100	100	100, 144, 160	100, 160, 208	160, 208	208, 240
VQFP	80	80	100	100	–	–
TQFP	–	–	176	176	176	–
CQFP	–	–	–	172	–	208, 256
PBGA	–	–	–	–	–	272
CPGA	–	–	132	–	–	–

Note: *Stresses beyond those listed under “Absolute Maximum Ratings” may cause permanent damage to the device. Exposure to absolute maximum rated conditions for extended periods may affect device reliability. Devices should not be operated outside the recommended operating conditions.

Table 14 • Recommended Operating Conditions

Parameter	Commercial	Industrial	Military	Units
Temperature Range*	0 to +70	–40 to +85	–55 to +125	°C
VCC (40MX)	4.75 to 5.25	4.5 to 5.5	4.5 to 5.5	V
VCCA (42MX)	4.75 to 5.25	4.5 to 5.5	4.5 to 5.5	V
VCCI (42MX)	4.75 to 5.25	4.5 to 5.5	4.5 to 5.5	V

Note: * Ambient temperature (T_A) is used for commercial and industrial grades; case temperature (T_C) is used for military grades.

3.7.1 5 V TTL Electrical Specifications

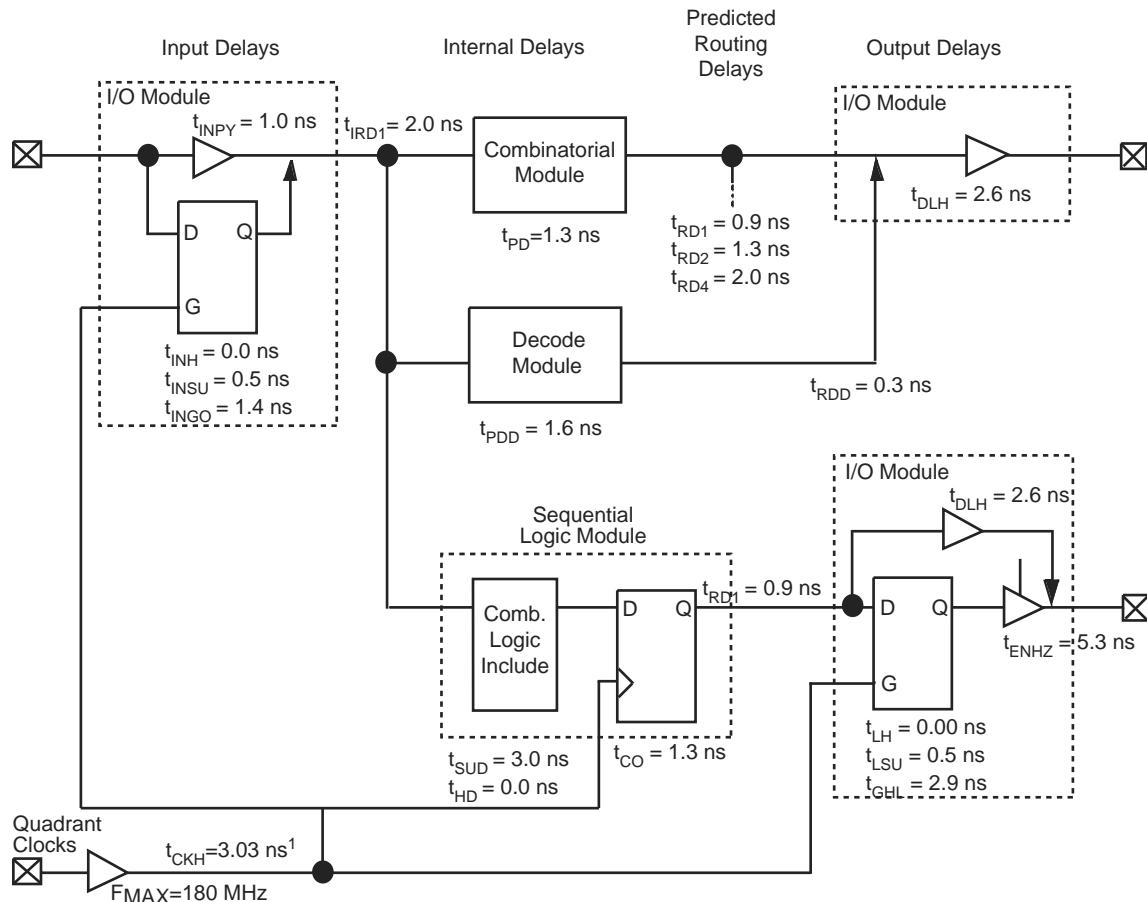
The following tables show 5 V TTL electrical specifications.

Table 15 • 5V TTL Electrical Specifications

Symbol	Parameter	Commercial		Commercial -F		Industrial		Military		Units
		Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	
VOH ¹	IOH = –10 mA	2.4		2.4						V
	IOH = –4 mA					3.7		3.7		V
VOL ¹	IOL = 10 mA	0.5		0.5						V
	IOL = 6 mA					0.4		0.4		V
VIL		–0.3	0.8	–0.3	0.8	–0.3	0.8	–0.3	0.8	V
VIH (40MX)		2.0	VCC + 0.3	2.0	VCC + 0.3	2.0	VCC + 0.3	2.0	VCC + 0.3	V
VIH (42MX) ²		2.0	VCCI + 0.3	2.0	VCCI + 0.3	2.0	VCCI + 0.3	2.0	VCCI + 0.3	V
IIL	VIN = 0.5 V	–10		–10		–10		–10		μA
IIH	VIN = 2.7 V	–10		–10		–10		–10		μA
Input Transition Time, T_R and T_F		500		500		500		500		ns
C_{IO} I/O Capacitance		10		10		10		10		pF
Standby Current, ICC^3	A40MX02, A40MX04	3		25		10		25		mA
	A42MX09	5		25		25		25		mA
	A42MX16	6		25		25		25		mA
	A42MX24, A42MX36	20		25		25		25		mA
Low power mode Standby Current	42MX devices only	0.5		ICC – 5.0		ICC – 5.0		ICC – 5.0		mA
IIO, I/O source sink current	Can be derived from the <i>IBIS model</i> (http://www.microsemi.com/soc/techdocs/models/ibis.html)									

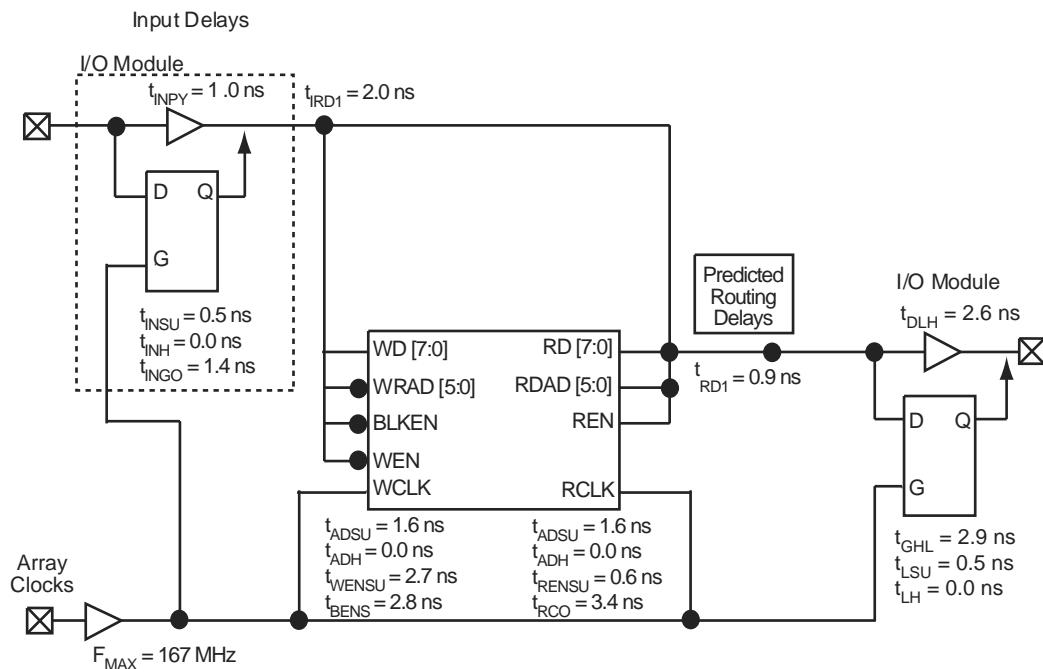
1. Only one output tested at a time. VCC/VCCI = min

2. VIH(Min) is 2.4V for A42MX36 family. This applies only to VCCI of 5V and is not applicable to VCCI of 3.3V

Figure 19 • 42MX Timing Model (Logic Functions Using Quadrant Clocks)

Note: 1. Load-dependent

Note: 2. Values are shown for A42MX36 –3 at 5.0 V worst-case commercial conditions

Figure 20 • 42MX Timing Model (SRAM Functions)

Note: Values are shown for A42MX36 –3 at 5.0 V worst-case commercial conditions.

3.10.1 Parameter Measurement

The following figures show parameter measurement details.

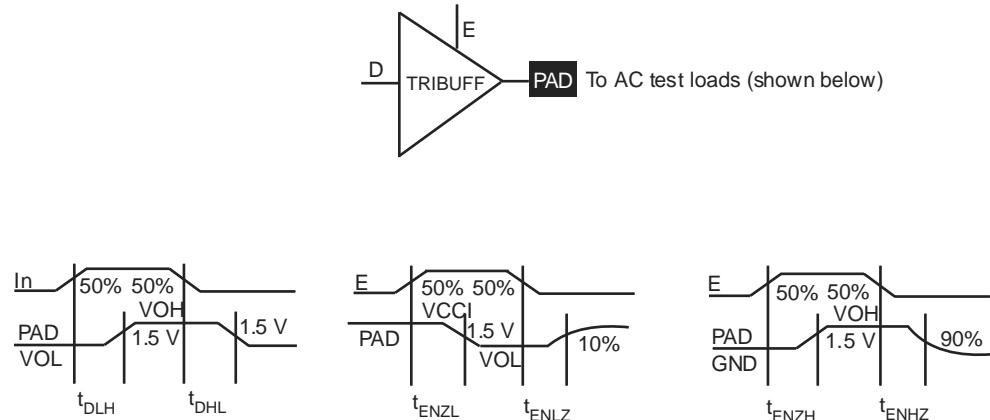
Figure 21 • Output Buffer Delays

Table 39 • A42MX09 Timing Characteristics (Nominal 3.3 V Operation) (continued)(Worst-Case Commercial Conditions, VCCA = 3.0 V, TJ = 70°C)

Parameter / Description		-3 Speed		-2 Speed		-1 Speed		Std Speed		-F Speed		Units
		Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	
t _{RD4}	FO = 4 Routing Delay			1.9		2.1		2.4		2.9		4.0 ns
t _{RD8}	FO = 8 Routing Delay			3.2		3.6		4.1		4.8		6.7 ns
Logic Module Sequential Timing^{3, 4}												
t _{SUD}	Flip-Flop (Latch) Data Input Set-Up	0.5		0.5		0.6		0.7		0.9		ns
t _{HD}	Flip-Flop (Latch) Data Input Hold	0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		ns
t _{SUENA}	Flip-Flop (Latch) Enable Set-Up	0.6		0.6		0.7		0.8		1.2		ns
t _{HENA}	Flip-Flop (Latch) Enable Hold	0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		ns
t _{WCLKA}	Flip-Flop (Latch) Clock Active Pulse Width		4.7		5.3		6.0		7.0		9.8	ns
t _{WASYN}	Flip-Flop (Latch) Asynchronous Pulse Width		6.2		6.9		7.8		9.2		12.9	ns
t _A	Flip-Flop Clock Input Period	5.0		5.6		6.2		7.1		9.9		ns
t _{INH}	Input Buffer Latch Hold	0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		ns
t _{NSU}	Input Buffer Latch Set-Up	0.3		0.3		0.3		0.4		0.6		ns
t _{OUTH}	Output Buffer Latch Hold	0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		ns
t _{OUTSU}	Output Buffer Latch Set-Up	0.3		0.3		0.3		0.4		0.6		ns
f _{MAX}	Flip-Flop (Latch) Clock Frequency		161		146		135		117		70	MHz

Table 40 • A42MX16 Timing Characteristics (Nominal 5.0 V Operation) (continued)(Worst-Case Commercial Conditions, VCCA = 4.75 V, T_J = 70°C)

Parameter / Description		-3 Speed		-2 Speed		-1 Speed		Std Speed		-F Speed		Units
		Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	
t_{PWL}	Minimum Pulse Width LOW	FO = 32	3.2	3.5	4.0	4.7	6.6	ns				
		FO = 384	3.7	4.1	4.6	5.4	7.6	ns				
t_{CKSW}	Maximum Skew	FO = 32		0.3	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.7	ns		
		FO = 384		0.3	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.7	ns		
t_{SUEXT}	Input Latch External Set-Up	FO = 32	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	ns		
		FO = 384	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	ns		
t_{HEXT}	Input Latch External Hold	FO = 32	2.8	3.1	5.5	4.1	5.7	ns				
		FO = 384	3.2	3.5	4.0	4.7	6.6	ns				
t_P	Minimum Period	FO = 32	4.2	4.67	5.1	5.8	9.7	ns				
		FO = 384	4.6	5.1	5.6	6.4	10.7	ns				
f_{MAX}	Maximum Frequency	FO = 32		237	215	198	172	103	MHz			
		FO = 384		215	195	179	156	94	MHz			

Table 44 • A42MX36 Timing Characteristics (Nominal 5.0 V Operation)(Worst-Case Commercial Conditions, VCCA = 4.75 V, TJ = 70°C)

Parameter / Description	-3 Speed		-2 Speed		-1 Speed		Std Speed		-F Speed		Units
	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	
TTL Output Module Timing⁵ (Continued)											
t _{ENLZ}	Enable Pad LOW to Z	4.9	5.5	6.2	7.3	10.2	ns				
t _{GLH}	G-to-Pad HIGH	2.9	3.3	3.7	4.4	6.1	ns				
t _{GHL}	G-to-Pad LOW	2.9	3.3	3.7	4.4	6.1	ns				
t _{LSU}	I/O Latch Output Set-Up	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.7	1.0	ns				
t _{LH}	I/O Latch Output Hold	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	ns				
t _{LCO}	I/O Latch Clock-to-Out (Pad-to-Pad) 32 I/O	5.7	6.3	7.1	8.4	11.8	ns				
t _{ACO}	Array Latch Clock-to-Out (Pad-to-Pad) 32 I/O	7.8	8.6	9.8	11.5	16.1	ns				
d _{TLH}	Capacitive Loading, LOW to HIGH	0.07	0.08	0.09	0.10	0.14	ns/pF				
d _{THL}	Capacitive Loading, HIGH to LOW	0.07	0.08	0.09	0.10	0.14	ns/pF				

Clock signal to shift the Boundary Scan Test (BST) data into the device. This pin functions as an I/O when "Reserve JTAG" is not checked in the Designer Software. BST pins are only available in A42MX24 and A42MX36 devices.

TDI, I/OTest Data In

Serial data input for BST instructions and data. Data is shifted in on the rising edge of TCK. This pin functions as an I/O when "Reserve JTAG" is not checked in the Designer Software. BST pins are only available in A42MX24 and A42MX36 devices.

TDO, I/OTest Data Out

Serial data output for BST instructions and test data. This pin functions as an I/O when "Reserve JTAG" is not checked in the Designer Software. BST pins are only available in A42MX24 and A42MX36 devices.

TMS, I/OTest Mode Select

The TMS pin controls the use of the IEEE 1149.1 Boundary Scan pins (TCK, TDI, TDO). In flexible mode when the TMS pin is set LOW, the TCK, TDI and TDO pins are boundary scan pins. Once the boundary scan pins are in test mode, they will remain in that mode until the internal boundary scan state machine reaches the "logic reset" state. At this point, the boundary scan pins will be released and will function as regular I/O pins. The "logic reset" state is reached 5 TCK cycles after the TMS pin is set HIGH. In dedicated test mode, TMS functions as specified in the IEEE 1149.1 specifications. IEEE JTAG specification recommends a 10kΩ pull-up resistor on the pin. BST pins are only available in A42MX24 and A42MX36 devices.

VCC, Supply Voltage

Input supply voltage for 40MX devices

VCCA, Supply Voltage

Supply voltage for array in 42MX devices

VCCI, Supply Voltage

Supply voltage for I/Os in 42MX devices

WD, IOWide Decode Output

When a wide decode module is used in a 42MX device this pin can be used as a dedicated output from the wide decode module. This direct connection eliminates additional interconnect delays associated with regular logic modules. To implement the direct I/O connection, connect an output buffer of any type to the output of the wide decode macro and place this output on one of the reserved WD pins.

Table 50 • PQ 100

PQ100	Pin Number	A40MX02 Function	A40MX04 Function	A42MX09 Function	A42MX16 Function
56	VCC	VCC	I/O	I/O	
57	I/O	I/O	GND	GND	
58	I/O	I/O	I/O	I/O	
59	I/O	I/O	I/O	I/O	
60	I/O	I/O	I/O	I/O	
61	I/O	I/O	I/O	I/O	
62	I/O	I/O	I/O	I/O	
63	GND	GND	I/O	I/O	
64	I/O	I/O	LP	LP	
65	I/O	I/O	VCCA	VCCA	
66	I/O	I/O	VCCI	VCCI	
67	I/O	I/O	VCCA	VCCA	
68	I/O	I/O	I/O	I/O	
69	VCC	VCC	I/O	I/O	
70	I/O	I/O	I/O	I/O	
71	I/O	I/O	I/O	I/O	
72	I/O	I/O	GND	GND	
73	I/O	I/O	I/O	I/O	
74	I/O	I/O	I/O	I/O	
75	I/O	I/O	I/O	I/O	
76	I/O	I/O	I/O	I/O	
77	NC	NC	I/O	I/O	
78	NC	NC	I/O	I/O	
79	NC	NC	SDI, I/O	SDI, I/O	
80	NC	I/O	I/O	I/O	
81	NC	I/O	I/O	I/O	
82	NC	I/O	I/O	I/O	
83	I/O	I/O	I/O	I/O	
84	I/O	I/O	GND	GND	
85	I/O	I/O	I/O	I/O	
86	GND	GND	I/O	I/O	
87	GND	GND	PRA, I/O	PRA, I/O	
88	I/O	I/O	I/O	I/O	
89	I/O	I/O	CLKA, I/O	CLKA, I/O	
90	CLK, I/O	CLK, I/O	VCCA	VCCA	
91	I/O	I/O	I/O	I/O	
92	MODE	MODE	CLKB, I/O	CLKB, I/O	

Figure 42 • PQ144

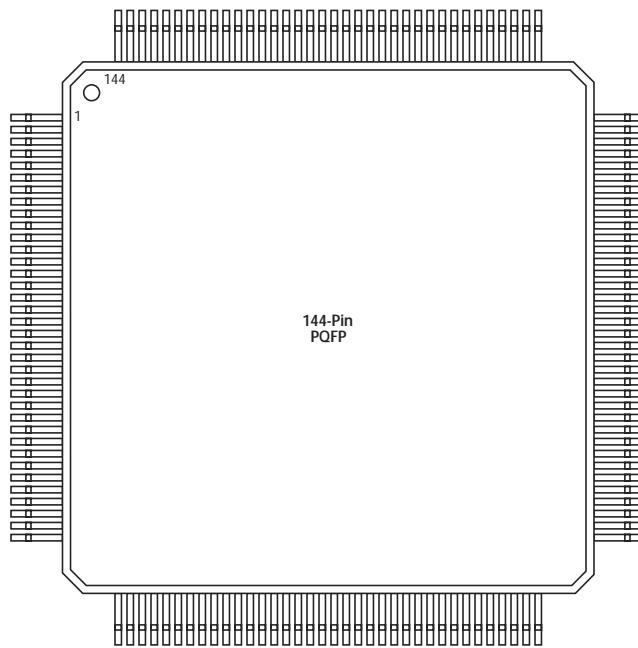


Table 51 • PQ144

PQ144	
Pin Number	A42MX09 Function
1	I/O
2	MODE
3	I/O
4	I/O
5	I/O

Table 52 • PQ160

PQ160	Pin Number	A42MX09 Function	A42MX16 Function	A42MX24 Function
	58	VCCI	VCCI	VCCI
	59	GND	GND	GND
	60	VCCA	VCCA	VCCA
	61	LP	LP	LP
	62	I/O	I/O	TCK, I/O
	63	I/O	I/O	I/O
	64	GND	GND	GND
	65	I/O	I/O	I/O
	66	I/O	I/O	I/O
	67	I/O	I/O	I/O
	68	I/O	I/O	I/O
	69	GND	GND	GND
	70	NC	I/O	I/O
	71	I/O	I/O	I/O
	72	I/O	I/O	I/O
	73	I/O	I/O	I/O
	74	I/O	I/O	I/O
	75	NC	I/O	I/O
	76	I/O	I/O	I/O
	77	NC	I/O	I/O
	78	I/O	I/O	I/O
	79	NC	I/O	I/O
	80	GND	GND	GND
	81	I/O	I/O	I/O
	82	SDO, I/O	SDO, I/O	SDO, TDO, I/O
	83	I/O	I/O	WD, I/O
	84	I/O	I/O	WD, I/O
	85	I/O	I/O	I/O
	86	NC	VCCI	VCCI
	87	I/O	I/O	I/O
	88	I/O	I/O	WD, I/O
	89	GND	GND	GND
	90	NC	I/O	I/O
	91	I/O	I/O	I/O
	92	I/O	I/O	I/O
	93	I/O	I/O	I/O
	94	I/O	I/O	I/O

Table 53 • PQ208

PQ208	Pin Number	A42MX16 Function	A42MX24 Function	A42MX36 Function
	169	I/O	WD, I/O	WD, I/O
	170	I/O	I/O	I/O
	171	NC	I/O	QCLKD, I/O
	172	I/O	I/O	I/O
	173	I/O	I/O	I/O
	174	I/O	I/O	I/O
	175	I/O	I/O	I/O
	176	I/O	WD, I/O	WD, I/O
	177	I/O	WD, I/O	WD, I/O
	178	PRA, I/O	PRA, I/O	PRA, I/O
	179	I/O	I/O	I/O
	180	CLKA, I/O	CLKA, I/O	CLKA, I/O
	181	NC	I/O	I/O
	182	NC	VCCI	VCCI
	183	VCCA	VCCA	VCCA
	184	GND	GND	GND
	185	I/O	I/O	I/O
	186	CLKB, I/O	CLKB, I/O	CLKB, I/O
	187	I/O	I/O	I/O
	188	PRB, I/O	PRB, I/O	PRB, I/O
	189	I/O	I/O	I/O
	190	I/O	WD, I/O	WD, I/O
	191	I/O	WD, I/O	WD, I/O
	192	I/O	I/O	I/O
	193	NC	I/O	I/O
	194	NC	WD, I/O	WD, I/O
	195	NC	WD, I/O	WD, I/O
	196	I/O	I/O	QCLKC, I/O
	197	NC	I/O	I/O
	198	I/O	I/O	I/O
	199	I/O	I/O	I/O
	200	I/O	I/O	I/O
	201	NC	I/O	I/O
	202	VCCI	VCCI	VCCI
	203	I/O	WD, I/O	WD, I/O
	204	I/O	WD, I/O	WD, I/O
	205	I/O	I/O	I/O

Table 55 • VQ80

VQ80		
Pin Number	A40MX02 Function	A40MX04 Function
49	I/O	I/O
50	CLK, I/O	CLK, I/O
51	I/O	I/O
52	MODE	MODE
53	VCC	VCC
54	NC	I/O
55	NC	I/O
56	NC	I/O
57	SDI, I/O	SDI, I/O
58	DCLK, I/O	DCLK, I/O
59	PRA, I/O	PRA, I/O
60	NC	NC
61	PRB, I/O	PRB, I/O
62	I/O	I/O
63	I/O	I/O
64	I/O	I/O
65	I/O	I/O
66	I/O	I/O
67	I/O	I/O
68	GND	GND
69	I/O	I/O
70	I/O	I/O
71	I/O	I/O
72	I/O	I/O
73	I/O	I/O
74	VCC	VCC
75	I/O	I/O
76	I/O	I/O
77	I/O	I/O
78	I/O	I/O
79	I/O	I/O
80	I/O	I/O

Table 57 • TQ176

TQ176	Pin Number	A42MX09 Function	A42MX16 Function	A42MX24 Function
	121	NC	NC	I/O
	122	I/O	I/O	I/O
	123	I/O	I/O	I/O
	124	NC	I/O	I/O
	125	NC	I/O	I/O
	126	NC	NC	I/O
	127	I/O	I/O	I/O
	128	I/O	I/O	I/O
	129	I/O	I/O	I/O
	130	I/O	I/O	I/O
	131	I/O	I/O	I/O
	132	I/O	I/O	I/O
	133	GND	GND	GND
	134	I/O	I/O	I/O
	135	SDI, I/O	SDI, I/O	SDI, I/O
	136	NC	I/O	I/O
	137	I/O	I/O	WD, I/O
	138	I/O	I/O	WD, I/O
	139	I/O	I/O	I/O
	140	NC	VCCI	VCCI
	141	I/O	I/O	I/O
	142	I/O	I/O	I/O
	143	NC	I/O	I/O
	144	NC	I/O	WD, I/O
	145	NC	NC	WD, I/O
	146	I/O	I/O	I/O
	147	NC	I/O	I/O
	148	I/O	I/O	I/O
	149	I/O	I/O	I/O
	150	I/O	I/O	WD, I/O
	151	NC	I/O	WD, I/O
	152	PRA, I/O	PRA, I/O	PRA, I/O
	153	I/O	I/O	I/O
	154	CLKA, I/O	CLKA, I/O	CLKA, I/O
	155	VCCA	VCCA	VCCA
	156	GND	GND	GND
	157	I/O	I/O	I/O

Table 57 • TQ176

TQ176	Pin Number	A42MX09 Function	A42MX16 Function	A42MX24 Function
158		CLKB, I/O	CLKB, I/O	CLKB, I/O
159		I/O	I/O	I/O
160		PRB, I/O	PRB, I/O	PRB, I/O
161		NC	I/O	WD, I/O
162		I/O	I/O	WD, I/O
163		I/O	I/O	I/O
164		I/O	I/O	I/O
165		NC	NC	WD, I/O
166		NC	I/O	WD, I/O
167		I/O	I/O	I/O
168		NC	I/O	I/O
169		I/O	I/O	I/O
170		NC	VCCI	VCCI
171		I/O	I/O	WD, I/O
172		I/O	I/O	WD, I/O
173		NC	I/O	I/O
174		I/O	I/O	I/O
175		DCLK, I/O	DCLK, I/O	DCLK, I/O
176		I/O	I/O	I/O

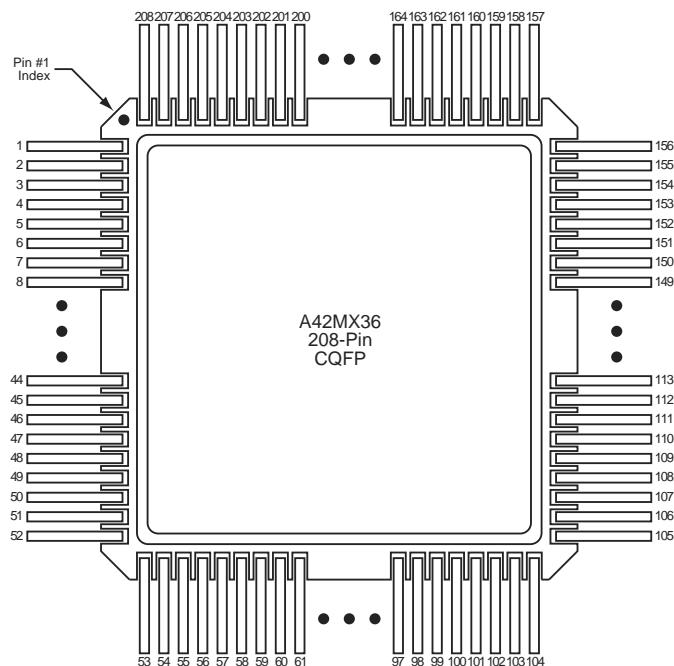
Figure 49 • CQ208

Table 58 • CQ208

CQ208	
Pin Number	A42MX36 Function
74	I/O
75	I/O
76	I/O
77	I/O
78	GND
79	VCCA
80	VCCI
81	I/O
82	I/O
83	I/O
84	I/O
85	WD, I/O
86	WD, I/O
87	I/O
88	I/O
89	I/O
90	I/O
91	QCLKB, I/O
92	I/O
93	WD, I/O
94	WD, I/O
95	I/O
96	I/O
97	I/O
98	VCCI
99	I/O
100	WD, I/O
101	WD, I/O
102	I/O
103	TDO, I/O
104	I/O
105	GND
106	VCCA
107	I/O
108	I/O
109	I/O
110	I/O

Table 58 • CQ208

CQ208	
Pin Number	A42MX36 Function
111	I/O
112	I/O
113	I/O
114	I/O
115	I/O
116	I/O
117	I/O
118	I/O
119	I/O
120	I/O
121	I/O
122	I/O
123	I/O
124	I/O
125	I/O
126	GND
127	I/O
128	TCK, I/O
129	LP
130	VCCA
131	GND
132	VCCI
133	VCCA
134	I/O
135	I/O
136	VCCA
137	I/O
138	I/O
139	I/O
140	I/O
141	I/O
142	I/O
143	I/O
144	I/O
145	I/O
146	I/O
147	I/O

Table 59 • CQ256

CQ256	
Pin Number	A42MX36 Function
207	I/O
208	I/O
209	QCLKC, I/O
210	I/O
211	WD, I/O
212	WD, I/O
213	I/O
214	I/O
215	WD, I/O
216	WD, I/O
217	I/O
218	PRB, I/O
219	I/O
220	CLKB, I/O
221	I/O
222	GND
223	GND
224	VCCA
225	VCCI
226	I/O
227	CLKA, I/O
228	I/O
229	PRA, I/O
230	I/O
231	I/O
232	WD, I/O
233	WD, I/O
234	I/O
235	I/O
236	I/O
237	I/O
238	I/O
239	I/O
240	QCLKD, I/O
241	I/O
242	WD, I/O
243	GND

Table 60 • BG272

BG272	
Pin Number	A42MX36 Function
A6	I/O
A7	WD, I/O
A8	WD, I/O
A9	I/O
A10	I/O
A11	CLKA
A12	I/O
A13	I/O
A14	I/O
A15	I/O
A16	WD, I/O
A17	I/O
A18	I/O
A19	GND
A20	GND
B1	GND
B2	GND
B3	DCLK, I/O
B4	I/O
B5	I/O
B6	I/O
B7	WD, I/O
B8	I/O
B9	PRB, I/O
B10	I/O
B11	I/O
B12	WD, I/O
B13	I/O
B14	I/O
B15	WD, I/O
B16	I/O
B17	WD, I/O
B18	I/O
B19	GND
B20	GND
C1	I/O
C2	MODE