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Details

Product Status	Active
Number of LABs/CLBs	-
Number of Logic Elements/Cells	-
Total RAM Bits	-
Number of I/O	150
Number of Gates	36000
Voltage - Supply	3V ~ 3.6V, 4.5V ~ 5.5V
Mounting Type	Surface Mount
Operating Temperature	-40°C ~ 85°C (TA)
Package / Case	176-LQFP
Supplier Device Package	176-TQFP (24x24)
Purchase URL	https://www.e-xfl.com/product-detail/microchip-technology/a42mx24-1tqg176i

- The Transient Current, page 13 is new (SAR 36930).
- Package names were revised according to standards established in *Package Mechanical Drawings* (SAR 34774)

1.7 Revision 9.0

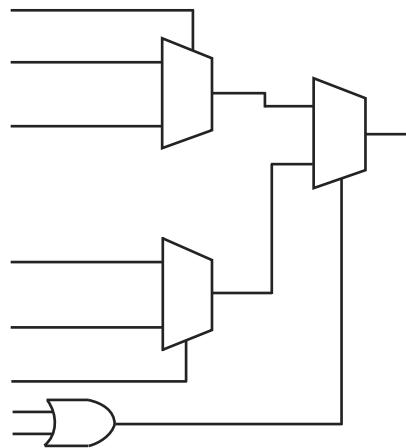
The following is a summary of the changes in revision 9.0 of this document

- In Table 20, page 23, the limits in VI were changed from -0.5 to VCCI + 0.5 to -0.5 to VCCA + 0.5
- In Table 22, page 25, V_{OH} was changed from 3.7 to 2.4 for the min in industrial and military. V_{IH} had V_{CCI} and that was changed to VCCA

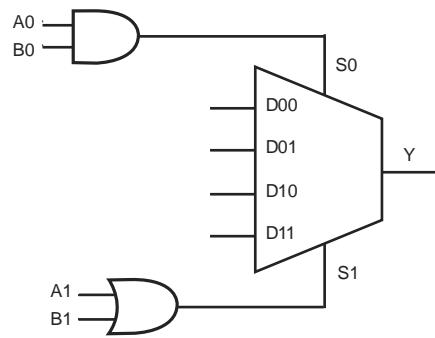
1.8 Revision 6.0

The following is a summary of the changes in revision 6.0 of this document.

- The Ease of Integration, page 1 was updated
- The Temperature Grade Offerings, page 5 is new
- The Speed Grade Offerings, page 5 is new
- The General Description, page 6 was updated
- The MultiPlex I/O Modules, page 11 was updated
- The User Security, page 12 was updated
- Table 6, page 13 was updated
- The Power Dissipation, page 14 was updated.
- The Static Power Component, page 14 was updated
- The Equivalent Capacitance, page 15 was updated
- Figure 13, page 17 was updated
- Table 10, page 18 was updated.
- Figure 14, page 18 was updated.
- Table 11, page 19 was updated.

Figure 2 • 42MX C-Module Implementation

The 42MX devices contain three types of logic modules: combinatorial (C-modules), sequential (S-modules) and decode (D-modules). The following figure illustrates the combinatorial logic module. The S-module, shown in Figure 4, page 8, implements the same combinatorial logic function as the C-module while adding a sequential element. The sequential element can be configured as either a D-flip-flop or a transparent latch. The S-module register can be bypassed so that it implements purely combinatorial logic.

Figure 3 • 42MX C-Module Implementation

f_{q2} = Average second routed array clock rate in MHz)

Table 7 • Fixed Capacitance Values for MX FPGAs (pF)

Device Type	r1 routed_Clk1	r2 routed_Clk2
A40MX02	41.4	N/A
A40MX04	68.6	N/A
A42MX09	118	118
A42MX16	165	165
A42MX24	185	185
A42MX36	220	220

3.4.6 Test Circuitry and Silicon Explorer II Probe

MX devices contain probing circuitry that provides built-in access to every node in a design, via the use of Silicon Explorer II. Silicon Explorer II is an integrated hardware and software solution that, in conjunction with the Designer software, allow users to examine any of the internal nets of the device while it is operating in a prototyping or a production system. The user can probe into an MX device without changing the placement and routing of the design and without using any additional resources. Silicon Explorer II's noninvasive method does not alter timing or loading effects, thus shortening the debug cycle and providing a true representation of the device under actual functional situations.

Silicon Explorer II samples data at 100 MHz (asynchronous) or 66 MHz (synchronous). Silicon Explorer II attaches to a PC's standard COM port, turning the PC into a fully functional 18-channel logic analyzer. Silicon Explorer II allows designers to complete the design verification process at their desks and reduces verification time from several hours per cycle to a few seconds.

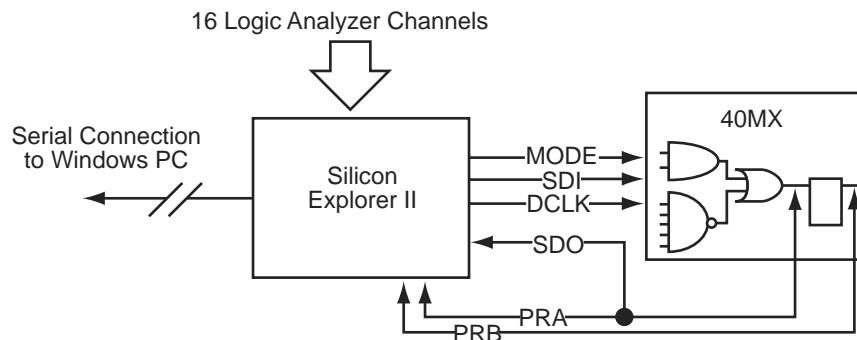
Silicon Explorer II is used to control the MODE, DCLK, SDI and SDO pins in MX devices to select the desired nets for debugging. The user simply assigns the selected internal nets in the Silicon Explorer II software to the PRA/PRB output pins for observation. Probing functionality is activated when the MODE pin is held HIGH.

Figure 12, page 16 illustrates the interconnection between Silicon Explorer II and 40MX devices, while Figure 13, page 17 illustrates the interconnection between Silicon Explorer II and 42MX devices.

To allow for probing capabilities, the security fuses must not be programmed. (See User Security, page 12 for the security fuses of 40MX and 42MX devices). Table 8, page 17 summarizes the possible device configurations for probing.

PRA and PRB pins are dual-purpose pins. When the "Reserve Probe Pin" is checked in the Designer software, PRA and PRB pins are reserved as dedicated outputs for probing. If PRA and PRB pins are required as user I/Os to achieve successful layout and "Reserve Probe Pin" is checked, the layout tool will override the option and place user I/Os on PRA and PRB pins.

Figure 12 • Silicon Explorer II Setup with 40MX



3.8.1 3.3 V LVTTL Electrical Specifications

Table 19 • 3.3V LVTTL Electrical Specifications

Symbol	Parameter	Commercial		Commercial -F		Industrial		Military		Units
		Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	
VOH ¹	IOH = -4 mA	2.15		2.15		2.4		2.4		V
VOL ¹	IOL = 6 mA		0.4		0.4		0.48		0.48	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)		2.0	VCCI + 0.3	2.0	VCCI + 0.3	2.0	VCCI + 0.3	2.0	VCCI + 0.3	V
IIL			-10		-10		-10		-10	µA
IIH			-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 ²	A40MX02, A40MX04	3		25		10		25		mA
	A42MX09	5		25		25		25		mA
	A42MX16	6		25		25		25		mA
	A42MX24, A42MX36	15		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>IB/S model</i> (http://www.microsemi.com/soc/techdocs/models/ibis.html)									

1. Only one output tested at a time. VCC/VCCI = min.
2. All outputs unloaded. All inputs = VCC/VCCI or GND.

3.9 Mixed 5.0 V / 3.3 V Operating Conditions (for 42MX Devices Only)

Table 20 • Absolute Maximum Ratings*

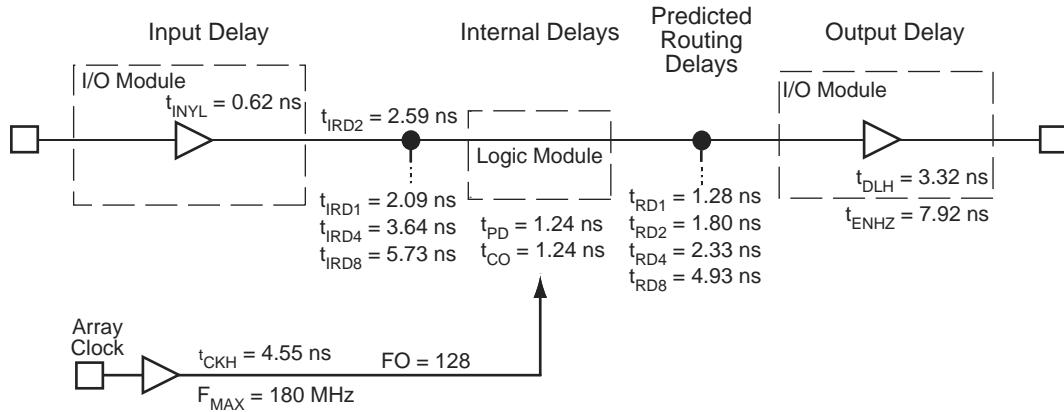
Symbol	Parameter	Limits	Units
VCCI	DC Supply Voltage for I/Os	-0.5 to +7.0	V
VCCA	DC Supply Voltage for Array	-0.5 to +7.0	V
VI	Input Voltage	-0.5 to VCCA + 0.5	V
VO	Output Voltage	-0.5 to VCCI + 0.5	V
t _{STG}	Storage Temperature	-65 to +150	°C

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

3.10 Timing Models

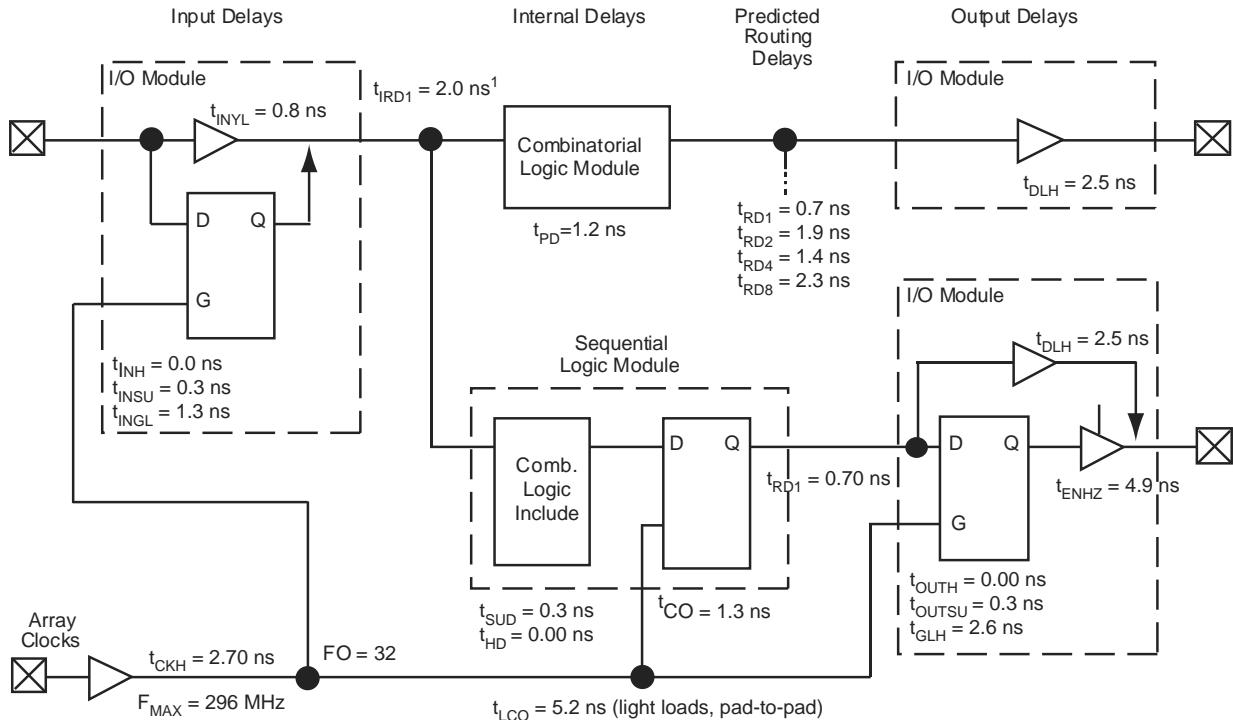
The following figures show various timing models.

Figure 17 • 40MX Timing Model*



Note: Values are shown for 40MX –3 speed devices at 5.0 V worst-case commercial conditions.

Figure 18 • 42MX Timing Model



Note: 1. Input module predicted routing delay

Note: 2. Values are shown for A42MX09 –3 at 5.0 V worst-case commercial conditions.

Table 36 • A40MX04 Timing Characteristics (Nominal 5.0 V Operation) (continued)(Worst-Case Commercial Conditions, VCC = 4.75 V, TJ = 70°C)

		-3 Speed		-2 Speed		-1 Speed		Std Speed		-F Speed		
Parameter / Description		Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Units
t _{HENA}	Flip-Flop (Latch) Enable Hold	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	ns	
t _{WCLKA}	Flip-Flop (Latch) Clock Active Pulse Width	3.3	3.8	4.3	5.0	5.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	ns	
t _{WASYN}	Flip-Flop (Latch) Asynchronous Pulse Width	3.3	3.8	4.3	5.0	5.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	ns	
t _A	Flip-Flop Clock Input Period	4.8	5.6	6.3	7.5	7.5	10.4	10.4	10.4	10.4	ns	
f _{MAX}	Flip-Flop (Latch) Clock Frequency (FO = 128)		181	167	154	134	80	80	80	80	MHz	
Input Module Propagation Delays												
t _{INYH}	Pad-to-Y HIGH		0.7	0.8	0.9	1.1	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	ns	
t _{INYL}	Pad-to-Y LOW		0.6	0.7	0.8	1.0	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	ns	
Input Module Predicted Routing Delays¹												
t _{IRD1}	FO = 1 Routing Delay		2.1	2.4	2.2	3.2	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	ns	
t _{IRD2}	FO = 2 Routing Delay		2.6	3.0	3.4	4.0	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6	ns	
t _{IRD3}	FO = 3 Routing Delay		3.1	3.6	4.1	4.8	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	ns	
t _{IRD4}	FO = 4 Routing Delay		3.6	4.2	4.8	5.6	7.8	7.8	7.8	7.8	ns	
t _{IRD8}	FO = 8 Routing Delay		5.7	6.6	7.5	8.8	12.4	12.4	12.4	12.4	ns	
Global Clock Network												
t _{CKH}	Input Low to HIGH	FO = 16	4.6	5.3	6.0	7.0	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.8	ns	
		FO = 128	4.6	5.3	6.0	7.0	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.8	ns	
t _{CKL}	Input High to LOW	FO = 16	4.8	5.6	6.3	7.4	10.4	10.4	10.4	10.4	ns	
		FO = 128	4.8	5.6	6.3	7.4	10.4	10.4	10.4	10.4	ns	
t _{PWH}	Minimum Pulse Width HIGH	FO = 16	2.2	2.6	2.9	3.4	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.8	ns	
		FO = 128	2.4	2.7	3.1	3.6	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	ns	
t _{PWL}	Minimum Pulse Width LOW	FO = 16	2.2	2.6	2.9	3.4	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.8	ns	
		FO = 128	2.4	2.7	3.01	3.6	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	ns	
t _{CKSW}	Maximum Skew	FO = 16	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	ns	
		FO = 128	0.5	0.6	0.7	0.8	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.2	ns	
t _P	Minimum Period	FO = 16	4.7	5.4	6.1	7.2	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	ns	
		FO = 128	4.8	5.6	6.3	7.5	10.4	10.4	10.4	10.4	ns	
f _{MAX}	Maximum Frequency	FO = 16	188	175	160	139	83	83	83	83	MHz	
		FO = 128	181	168	154	134	80	80	80	80	ns	
TTL Output Module Timing⁴												
t _{DLH}	Data-to-Pad HIGH		3.3	3.8	4.3	5.1	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.2	ns	
t _{DHL}	Data-to-Pad LOW		4.0	4.6	5.2	6.1	8.6	8.6	8.6	8.6	ns	
t _{ENZH}	Enable Pad Z to HIGH		3.7	4.3	4.9	5.8	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0	ns	
t _{ENZL}	Enable Pad Z to LOW		4.7	5.4	6.1	7.2	10.1	10.1	10.1	10.1	ns	
t _{ENHZ}	Enable Pad HIGH to Z		7.9	9.1	10.4	12.2	17.1	17.1	17.1	17.1	ns	

Table 36 • A40MX04 Timing Characteristics (Nominal 5.0 V Operation) (continued)(Worst-Case Commercial Conditions, VCC = 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.	
t _{ENLZ}	Enable Pad LOW to Z	5.9	6.8	7.7	9.0	12.6	ns				
d _{TLH}	Delta LOW to HIGH	0.02	0.02	0.03	0.03	0.04	ns/pF				
d _{THL}	Delta HIGH to LOW	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.04	0.06	ns/pF				

Table 40 • A42MX16 Timing Characteristics (Nominal 5.0 V Operation) (continued)(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.	
CMOS Output Module Timing⁵											
t _{DLH}	Data-to-Pad HIGH	3.2	3.6	4.0	4.7	6.6	ns				
t _{DHL}	Data-to-Pad LOW	2.5	2.7	3.1	3.6	5.1	ns				
t _{ENZH}	Enable Pad Z to HIGH	2.7	3.0	3.4	4.0	5.6	ns				
t _{ENZL}	Enable Pad Z to LOW	3.0	3.3	3.8	4.4	6.2	ns				
t _{ENHZ}	Enable Pad HIGH to Z	5.4	6.0	6.8	8.0	11.2	ns				
t _{ENLZ}	Enable Pad LOW to Z	5.0	5.6	6.3	7.4	10.4	ns				
t _{GLH}	G-to-Pad HIGH	5.1	5.6	6.4	7.5	10.5	ns				
t _{GHL}	G-to-Pad LOW	5.1	5.6	6.4	7.5	10.5	ns				
t _{LCO}	I/O Latch Clock-to-Out (Pad-to-Pad), 64 Clock Loading	5.7	6.3	7.1	8.4	11.9	ns				
t _{ACO}	Array Clock-to-Out (Pad-to-Pad), 64 Clock Loading	8.0	8.9	10.1	11.9	16.7	ns				
d _{T LH}	Capacitive Loading, LOW to HIGH	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.04	0.06	ns/pF				

1. For dual-module macros, use $t_{PD1} + t_{RD1} + t_{PDn}$, $t_{CO} + t_{RD1} + t_{PDn}$, or $t_{PD1} + t_{RD1} + t_{SUD}$, point and position whichever is appropriate.
2. Routing delays are for typical designs across worst-case operating conditions. These parameters should be used for estimating device performance. Post-route timing analysis or simulation is required to determine actual performance.
3. Data applies to macros based on the S-module. Timing parameters for sequential macros constructed from C-modules can be obtained from the Timer utility.
4. Set-up and hold timing parameters for the input buffer latch are defined with respect to the PAD and the D input. External setup/hold timing parameters must account for delay from an external PAD signal to the G inputs. Delay from an external PAD signal to the G input subtracts (adds) to the internal setup (hold) time.
5. Delays based on 35 pF loading

Table 41 • A42MX16 Timing Characteristics (Nominal 3.3 V Operation) (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.	
Logic Module Propagation Delays¹											
t _{PD1}	Single Module	1.9	2.1	2.4	2.8	4.0	ns				
t _{CO}	Sequential Clock-to-Q	2.0	2.2	2.5	3.0	4.2	ns				
t _{GO}	Latch G-to-Q	1.9	2.1	2.4	2.8	4.0	ns				
t _{RS}	Flip-Flop (Latch) Reset-to-Q	2.2	2.4	2.8	3.3	4.6	ns				
Logic Module Predicted Routing Delays²											
t _{RD1}	FO = 1 Routing Delay	1.1	1.2	1.4	1.6	2.3	ns				
t _{RD2}	FO = 2 Routing Delay	1.5	1.6	1.8	2.1	3.0	ns				
t _{RD3}	FO = 3 Routing Delay	1.8	2.0	2.3	2.7	3.8	ns				
t _{RD4}	FO = 4 Routing Delay	2.2	2.4	2.7	3.2	4.5	ns				
t _{RD8}	FO = 8 Routing Delay	3.6	4.0	4.5	5.3	7.5	ns				

Table 41 • A42MX16 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 _{ACO}	Array Clock-to-Out (Pad-to-Pad),64 Clock Loading		11.3		12.5		14.2		16.7		23.3 ns
d _{TLH}	Capacitive Loading, LOW to HIGH		0.04		0.04		0.05		0.06		0.08 ns/pF
d _{THL}	Capacitive Loading, HIGH to LOW		0.05		0.05		0.06		0.07		0.10 ns/pF

1. For dual-module macros use tPD1 + tRD1 + taped, to + tRD1 + taped, or tPD1 + tRD1 + tusk, whichever is appropriate.
2. Routing delays are for typical designs across worst-case operating conditions. These parameters should be used for estimating device performance. Post-route timing analysis or simulation is required to determine actual performance.
3. Data applies to macros based on the S-module. Timing parameters for sequential macros constructed from C-modules can be obtained from the Timer utility.
4. Set-up and hold timing parameters for the input buffer latch are defined with respect to the PAD and the D input. External setup/hold timing parameters must account for delay from an external PAD signal to the G inputs. Delay from an external PAD signal to the G input subtracts (adds) to the internal setup (hold) time.
5. Delays based on 35 pF loading.

Table 42 • A42MX24 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.	
Logic Module Combinatorial Functions¹											
t _{PD}	Internal Array Module Delay		1.2		1.3		1.5		1.8		2.5 ns
t _{PDD}	Internal Decode Module Delay		1.4		1.6		1.8		2.1		3.0 ns
Logic Module Predicted Routing Delays²											
t _{RD1}	FO = 1 Routing Delay		0.8		0.9		1.0		1.2		1.7 ns
t _{RD2}	FO = 2 Routing Delay		1.0		1.2		1.3		1.5		2.1 ns
t _{RD3}	FO = 3 Routing Delay		1.3		1.4		1.6		1.9		2.6 ns
t _{RD4}	FO = 4 Routing Delay		1.5		1.7		1.9		2.2		3.1 ns
t _{RD5}	FO = 8 Routing Delay		2.4		2.7		3.0		3.6		5.0 ns
Logic Module Sequential Timing^{3, 4}											
t _{CO}	Flip-Flop Clock-to-Output		1.3		1.4		1.6		1.9		2.7 ns
t _{GO}	Latch Gate-to-Output		1.2		1.3		1.5		1.8		2.5 ns
t _{SUD}	Flip-Flop (Latch) Set-Up Time	0.3		0.4		0.4		0.5		0.7	ns
t _{HD}	Flip-Flop (Latch) Hold Time	0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0	ns
t _{RO}	Flip-Flop (Latch) Reset-to-Output		1.4		1.6		1.8		2.1		2.9 ns
t _{SUENA}	Flip-Flop (Latch) Enable Set-Up	0.4		0.5		0.5		0.6		0.8	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		3.3		3.7		4.2		4.9		6.9 ns
t _{WASYN}	Flip-Flop (Latch) Asynchronous Pulse Width		4.4		4.8		5.3		6.5		9.0 ns

Table 42 • A42MX24 Timing Characteristics (Nominal 5.0 V Operation) (continued)(Worst-Case Commercial Conditions, $V_{CCA} = 4.75$ V, $T_J = 70^\circ\text{C}$)

Parameter / Description		-3 Speed		-2 Speed		-1 Speed		Std Speed		-F Speed	
		Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.
Input Module Predicted Routing Delays²											
t_{IRD1}	FO = 1 Routing Delay		1.8		2.0		2.3		2.7		3.8 ns
t_{IRD2}	FO = 2 Routing Delay		2.1		2.3		2.6		3.1		4.3 ns
t_{IRD3}	FO = 3 Routing Delay		2.3		2.5		2.9		3.4		4.8 ns
t_{IRD4}	FO = 4 Routing Delay		2.5		2.8		3.2		3.7		5.2 ns
t_{IRD8}	FO = 8 Routing Delay		3.4		3.8		4.3		5.1		7.1 ns
Global Clock Network											
t_{CKH}	Input LOW to HIGH	FO = 32	2.6		2.9		3.3		3.9		5.4 ns
		FO = 486	2.9		3.2		3.6		4.3		5.9 ns
t_{CKL}	Input HIGH to LOW	FO = 32	3.7		4.1		4.6		5.4		7.6 ns
		FO = 486	4.3		4.7		5.4		6.3		8.8 ns
t_{PWH}	Minimum Pulse Width HIGH	FO = 32	2.2		2.4		2.7		3.2		4.5 ns
		FO = 486	2.4		2.6		3.0		3.5		4.9 ns
t_{PWL}	Minimum Pulse Width LOW	FO = 32	2.2		2.4		2.7		3.2		4.5 ns
		FO = 486	2.4		2.6		3.0		3.5		4.9 ns
t_{CKSW}	Maximum Skew	FO = 32	0.5		0.6		0.7		0.8		1.1 ns
		FO = 486	0.5		0.6		0.7		0.8		1.1 ns
t_{SUEXT}	Input Latch External Set-Up	FO = 32	0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		ns
		FO = 486	0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		ns
t_{HEXT}	Input Latch External Hold	FO = 32	2.8		3.1		3.5		4.1		5.7 ns
		FO = 486	3.3		3.7		4.2		4.9		6.9 ns
t_P	Minimum Period ($1/f_{MAX}$)	FO = 32	4.7		5.2		5.7		6.5		10.9 ns
		FO = 486	5.1		5.7		6.2		7.1		11.9 ns

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				

Input, output, tristate or bidirectional buffer. Input and output levels are compatible with standard TTL and CMOS specifications. Unused I/Os pins are configured by the Designer software as shown in Table 46, page 84.

Table 46 • Configuration of Unused I/Os

Device	Configuration
A40MX02, A40MX04	Pulled LOW
A42MX09, A42MX16	Pulled LOW
A42MX24, A42MX36	Tristated

In all cases, it is recommended to tie all unused MX I/O pins to LOW on the board. This applies to all dual-purpose pins when configured as I/Os as well.

LP, Low Power Mode

Controls the low power mode of all 42MX devices. The device is placed in the low power mode by connecting the LP pin to logic HIGH. In low power mode, all I/Os are tristated, all input buffers are turned OFF, and the core of the device is turned OFF. To exit the low power mode, the LP pin must be set LOW. The device enters the low power mode 800 ns after the LP pin is driven to a logic HIGH. It will resume normal operation in 200 μ s after the LP pin is driven to a logic LOW.

MODE, Mode

Controls the use of multifunction pins (DCLK, PRA, PRB, SDI, TDO). The MODE pin is held HIGH to provide verification capability. The MODE pin should be terminated to GND through a 10k Ω resistor so that the MODE pin can be pulled HIGH when required.

NC, No Connection

This pin is not connected to circuitry within the device. These pins can be driven to any voltage or can be left floating with no effect on the operation of the device.

PRA, I/O

PRB, I/OProbe A/B

The Probe pin is used to output data from any user-defined design node within the device. Each diagnostic pin can be used in conjunction with the other probe pin to allow real-time diagnostic output of any signal path within the device. The Probe pin can be used as a user-defined I/O when verification has been completed. The pin's probe capabilities can be permanently disabled to protect programmed design confidentiality. The Probe pin is accessible when the MODE pin is HIGH. This pin functions as an I/O when the MODE pin is LOW.

QCLKA/B/C/D, I/O Quadrant Clock

Quadrant clock inputs for A42MX36 devices. When not used as a register control signal, these pins can function as user I/Os.

SDI, I/OSerial Data Input

Serial data input for diagnostic probe and device programming. SDI is active when the MODE pin is HIGH. This pin functions as an I/O when the MODE pin is LOW.

SDO, I/OSerial Data Output

Serial data output for diagnostic probe and device programming. SDO is active when the MODE pin is HIGH. This pin functions as an I/O when the MODE pin is LOW. SDO is available for 42MX devices only.

When Silicon Explorer II is being used, SDO will act as an output while the "checksum" command is run. It will return to user I/O when "checksum" is complete.

TCK, I/O Test Clock

Table 50 • PQ 100

PQ100				
Pin Number	A40MX02 Function	A40MX04 Function	A42MX09 Function	A42MX16 Function
93	VCC	VCC	I/O	I/O
94	VCC	VCC	PRB, I/O	PRB, I/O
95	NC	I/O	I/O	I/O
96	NC	I/O	GND	GND
97	NC	I/O	I/O	I/O
98	SDI, I/O	SDI, I/O	I/O	I/O
99	DCLK, I/O	DCLK, I/O	I/O	I/O
100	PRA, I/O	PRA, I/O	I/O	I/O

Figure 42 • PQ144

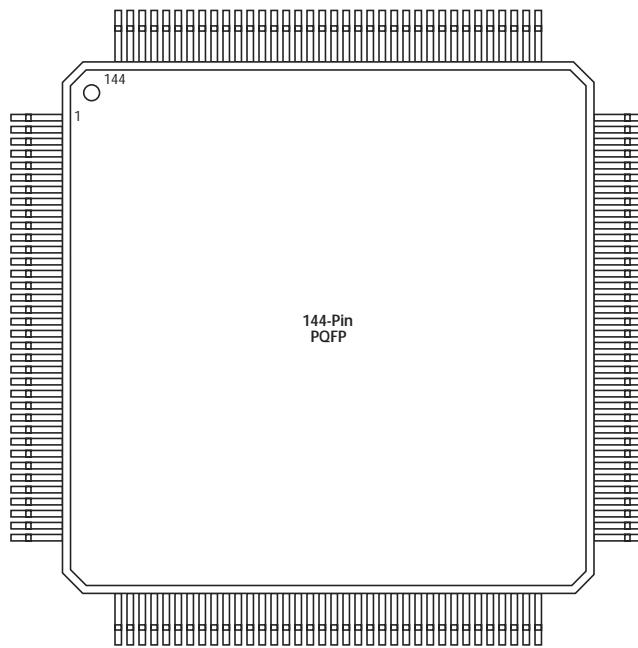
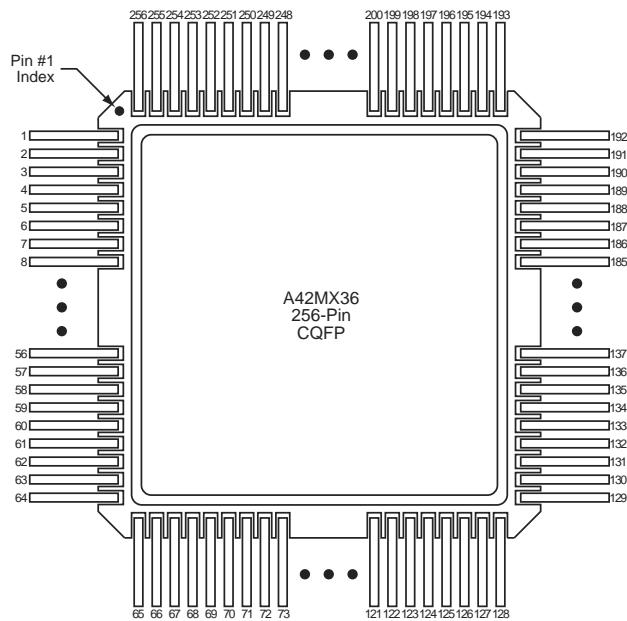


Table 51 • PQ144

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

Table 57 • TQ176

TQ176	Pin Number	A42MX09 Function	A42MX16 Function	A42MX24 Function
84		I/O	I/O	WD, I/O
85		I/O	I/O	WD, I/O
86		NC	I/O	I/O
87		SDO, I/O	SDO, I/O	SDO, TDO, I/O
88		I/O	I/O	I/O
89		GND	GND	GND
90		I/O	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
95		I/O	I/O	I/O
96		NC	I/O	I/O
97		NC	I/O	I/O
98		I/O	I/O	I/O
99		I/O	I/O	I/O
100		I/O	I/O	I/O
101		NC	NC	I/O
102		I/O	I/O	I/O
103		NC	I/O	I/O
104		I/O	I/O	I/O
105		I/O	I/O	I/O
106		GND	GND	GND
107		NC	I/O	I/O
108		NC	I/O	TCK, I/O
109		LP	LP	LP
110		VCCA	VCCA	VCCA
111		GND	GND	GND
112		VCCI	VCCI	VCCI
113		VCCA	VCCA	VCCA
114		NC	I/O	I/O
115		NC	I/O	I/O
116		NC	VCCA	VCCA
117		I/O	I/O	I/O
118		I/O	I/O	I/O
119		I/O	I/O	I/O
120		I/O	I/O	I/O

Figure 50 • CQ256**Table 59 • CQ256**

CQ256	
Pin Number	A42MX36 Function
1	NC
2	GND
3	I/O
4	I/O
5	I/O
6	I/O
7	I/O
8	I/O
9	I/O
10	GND
11	I/O
12	I/O
13	I/O
14	I/O
15	I/O
16	I/O
17	I/O
18	I/O
19	I/O
20	I/O
21	I/O

Table 60 • BG272

BG272	
Pin Number	A42MX36 Function
M10	GND
M11	GND
M12	GND
M17	I/O
M18	I/O
M19	I/O
M20	I/O
N1	I/O
N2	I/O
N3	I/O
N4	VCCI
N17	VCCI
N18	I/O
N19	I/O
N20	I/O
P1	I/O
P2	I/O
P3	I/O
P4	VCCA
P17	I/O
P18	I/O
P19	I/O
P20	I/O
R1	I/O
R2	I/O
R3	I/O
R4	VCCI
R17	VCCI
R18	I/O
R19	I/O
R20	I/O
T1	I/O
T2	I/O
T3	I/O
T4	I/O
T17	VCCA
T18	I/O

Table 60 • BG272

BG272	
Pin Number	A42MX36 Function
V16	I/O
V17	I/O
V18	SDO, TDO, I/O
V19	I/O
V20	I/O
W1	GND
W2	GND
W3	I/O
W4	TMS, I/O
W5	I/O
W6	I/O
W7	I/O
W8	WD, I/O
W9	WD, I/O
W10	I/O
W11	I/O
W12	I/O
W13	WD, I/O
W14	I/O
W15	I/O
W16	WD, I/O
W17	I/O
W18	WD, I/O
W19	GND
W20	GND
Y1	GND
Y2	GND
Y3	I/O
Y4	TDI, I/O
Y5	WD, I/O
Y6	I/O
Y7	QCLKA, I/O
Y8	I/O
Y9	I/O
Y10	I/O
Y11	I/O
Y12	I/O

Table 61 • PG132

PG132	
Pin Number	A42MX09 Function
F2	I/O
F1	I/O
G1	I/O
G4	VSV
H1	I/O
H2	I/O
H3	I/O
H4	I/O
J1	I/O
K1	I/O
L1	I/O
K2	I/O
M1	I/O
K3	I/O
L2	I/O
N1	I/O
L3	BININ
M2	BINOUT
N2	I/O
M3	I/O
L4	I/O
N3	I/O
M4	I/O
N4	I/O
M5	I/O
K6	I/O
N5	I/O
N6	I/O
L6	I/O
M6	I/O
M7	I/O
N7	I/O
N8	I/O
M8	I/O
L8	I/O
K8	I/O
N9	I/O

Table 62 • CQ172

21	I/O
22	GND
23	VCCI
24	VSV
25	I/O
26	I/O
27	VCC
28	I/O
29	I/O
30	I/O
31	I/O
32	GND
33	I/O
34	I/O
35	I/O
36	I/O
37	GND
38	I/O
39	I/O
40	I/O
41	I/O
42	I/O
43	I/O
44	BININ
45	BINOUT
46	I/O
47	I/O
48	I/O
49	I/O
50	VCCI
51	I/O
52	I/O
53	I/O
54	I/O
55	GND
56	I/O
57	I/O
58	I/O
59	I/O