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Embedded - FPGAs, or Field Programmable Gate Arrays, are advanced integrated circuits that offer unparalleled flexibility and performance for digital systems. Unlike traditional fixed-function logic devices, FPGAs can be programmed and reprogrammed to execute a wide array of logical operations, enabling customized functionality tailored to specific applications. This reprogrammability allows developers to iterate designs quickly and implement complex functions without the need for custom hardware.

Applications of Embedded - FPGAs

The versatility of Embedded - FPGAs makes them indispensable in numerous fields. In telecommunications,

Details

Product Status	Active
Number of LABs/CLBs	1452
Number of Logic Elements/Cells	-
Total RAM Bits	-
Number of I/O	81
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	100-TQFP
Supplier Device Package	100-VQFP (14x14)
Purchase URL	https://www.e-xfl.com/product-detail/microchip-technology/a54sx16p-2vqg100

The R-cell contains a flip-flop featuring asynchronous clear, asynchronous preset, and clock enable (using the S0 and S1 lines) control signals (Figure 1-2). The R-cell registers feature programmable clock polarity selectable on a register-by-register basis. This provides additional

flexibility while allowing mapping of synthesized functions into the SX FPGA. The clock source for the R-cell can be chosen from either the hardwired clock or the routed clock.

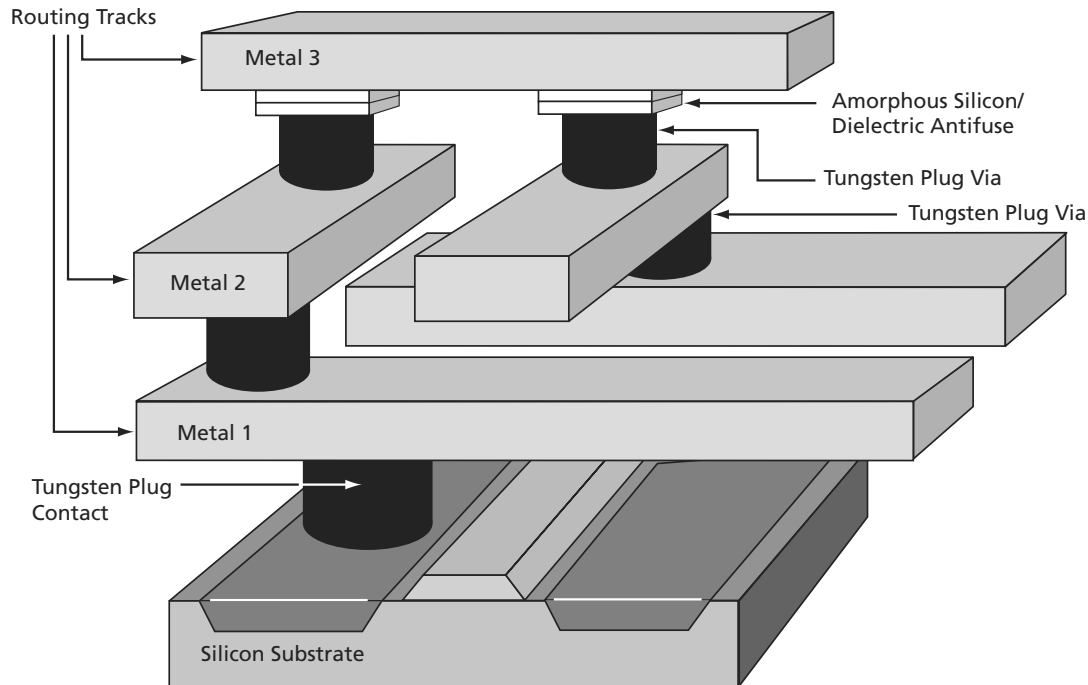


Figure 1-1 • SX Family Interconnect Elements

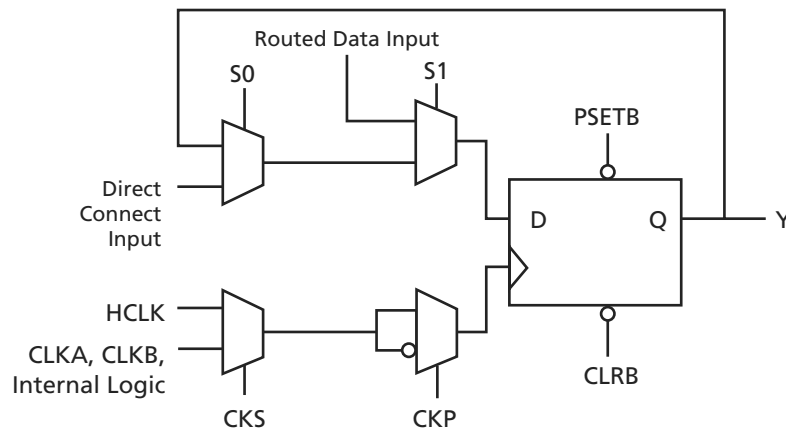


Figure 1-2 • R-Cell

The C-cell implements a range of combinatorial functions up to 5-inputs (Figure 1-3 on page 1-3). Inclusion of the DB input and its associated inverter function dramatically increases the number of combinatorial functions that can be implemented in a single module from 800 options in previous architectures to more than 4,000 in the SX architecture. An example of the improved flexibility

enabled by the inversion capability is the ability to integrate a 3-input exclusive-OR function into a single C-cell. This facilitates construction of 9-bit parity-tree functions with 2 ns propagation delays. At the same time, the C-cell structure is extremely synthesis friendly, simplifying the overall design and reducing synthesis time.

Boundary Scan Testing (BST)

All SX devices are IEEE 1149.1 compliant. SX devices offer superior diagnostic and testing capabilities by providing Boundary Scan Testing (BST) and probing capabilities. These functions are controlled through the special test pins in conjunction with the program fuse. The functionality of each pin is described in Table 1-2. In the dedicated test mode, TCK, TDI, and TDO are dedicated pins and cannot be used as regular I/Os. In flexible mode, TMS should be set HIGH through a pull-up resistor of 10 k Ω . TMS can be pulled LOW to initiate the test sequence.

The program fuse determines whether the device is in dedicated or flexible mode. The default (fuse not blown) is flexible mode.

Table 1-2 • Boundary Scan Pin Functionality

Program Fuse Blown (Dedicated Test Mode)	Program Fuse Not Blown (Flexible Mode)
TCK, TDI, TDO are dedicated BST pins.	TCK, TDI, TDO are flexible and may be used as I/Os.
No need for pull-up resistor for TMS	Use a pull-up resistor of 10 k Ω on TMS.

Dedicated Test Mode

In Dedicated mode, all JTAG pins are reserved for BST; designers cannot use them as regular I/Os. An internal pull-up resistor is automatically enabled on both TMS and TDI pins, and the TMS pin will function as defined in the IEEE 1149.1 (JTAG) specification.

To select Dedicated mode, users need to reserve the JTAG pins in Actel's Designer software by checking the "Reserve JTAG" box in "Device Selection Wizard" (Figure 1-7). JTAG pins comply with LVTTTL/TTL I/O specification regardless of whether they are used as a user I/O or a JTAG I/O. Refer to the Table 1-5 on page 1-8 for detailed specifications.

Development Tool Support

The SX family of FPGAs is fully supported by both the Actel Libero® Integrated Design Environment (IDE) and Designer FPGA Development software. Actel Libero IDE is a design management environment, seamlessly integrating design tools while guiding the user through the design flow, managing all design and log files, and passing necessary design data among tools. Libero IDE allows users to integrate both schematic and HDL synthesis into a single flow and verify the entire design in a single environment. Libero IDE includes Synplify® for Actel from Synplicity®, ViewDraw® for Actel from Mentor Graphics®, ModelSim® HDL Simulator from Mentor Graphics, WaveFormer Lite™ from SynaptiCAD™, and Designer software from Actel. Refer to the Libero IDE flow diagram (located on the Actel website) for more information.

Actel Designer software is a place-and-route tool and provides a comprehensive suite of backend support tools for FPGA development. The Designer software includes timing-driven place-and-route, and a world-class integrated static timing analyzer and constraints editor. With the Designer software, a user can select and lock package pins while only minimally impacting the results of place-and-route. Additionally, the back-annotation flow is compatible with all the major simulators, and the simulation results can be cross-probed with Silicon Explorer II, Actel integrated verification and logic analysis tool. Another tool included in the Designer software is the SmartGen core generator, which easily creates popular and commonly used logic functions for implementation into your schematic or HDL design. Actel Designer software is compatible with the most popular FPGA design entry and verification tools from companies such as Mentor Graphics, Synplicity, Synopsys®, and Cadence® Design Systems. The Designer software is available for both the Windows® and UNIX® operating systems.

Probe Circuit Control Pins

The Silicon Explorer II tool uses the boundary scan ports (TDI, TCK, TMS, and TDO) to select the desired nets for verification. The selected internal nets are assigned to the PRA/PRB pins for observation. Figure 1-8 on page 1-7 illustrates the interconnection between Silicon Explorer II and the FPGA to perform in-circuit verification.

Design Considerations

The TDI, TCK, TDO, PRA, and PRB pins should not be used as input or bidirectional ports. Because these pins are active during probing, critical signals input through these pins are not available while probing. In addition, the Security Fuse should not be programmed because doing so disables the Probe Circuitry.

Figure 1-7 • Device Selection Wizard

A54SX16P AC Specifications for (PCI Operation)

Table 1-7 • A54SX16P AC Specifications for (PCI Operation)

Symbol	Parameter	Condition	Min.	Max.	Units
$I_{OH(AC)}$	Switching Current High	$0 < V_{OUT} \leq 1.4^1$	-44		mA
		$1.4 \leq V_{OUT} < 2.4^1, ^2$	$-44 + (V_{OUT} - 1.4)/0.024$		mA
		$3.1 < V_{OUT} < V_{CC}^{1, ^3}$		EQ 1-1 on page 1-11	
	(Test Point)	$V_{OUT} = 3.1^3$		-142	mA
$I_{OL(AC)}$	Switching Current High	$V_{OUT} \geq 2.2^1$	95		mA
		$2.2 > V_{OUT} > 0.55^1$	$V_{OUT}/0.023$		
		$0.71 > V_{OUT} > 0^{1, ^3}$		EQ 1-2 on page 1-11	mA
	(Test Point)	$V_{OUT} = 0.71^3$		206	mA
I_{CL}	Low Clamp Current	$-5 < V_{IN} \leq -1$	$-25 + (V_{IN} + 1)/0.015$		mA
$slew_R$	Output Rise Slew Rate	0.4 V to 2.4 V load ⁴	1	5	V/ns
$slew_F$	Output Fall Slew Rate	2.4 V to 0.4 V load ⁴	1	5	V/ns

Notes:

1. Refer to the *V_I* curves in Figure 1-9 on page 1-11. Switching current characteristics for REQ# and GNT# are permitted to be one half of that specified here; i.e., half-size output drivers may be used on these signals. This specification does not apply to CLK and RST#, which are system outputs. "Switching Current High" specifications are not relevant to SERR#, INTA#, INTB#, INTC#, and INTD#, which are open drain outputs.
2. Note that this segment of the minimum current curve is drawn from the AC drive point directly to the DC drive point rather than toward the voltage rail (as is done in the pull-down curve). This difference is intended to allow for an optional N-channel pull-up.
3. Maximum current requirements must be met as drivers pull beyond the last step voltage. Equations defining these maxima (A and B) are provided with the respective diagrams in Figure 1-9 on page 1-11. The equation defined maxima should be met by design. In order to facilitate component testing, a maximum current test point is defined for each side of the output driver.
4. This parameter is to be interpreted as the cumulative edge rate across the specified range, rather than the instantaneous rate at any point within the transition range. The specified load (diagram below) is optional; i.e., the designer may elect to meet this parameter with an unloaded output per revision 2.0 of the PCI Local Bus Specification. However, adherence to both maximum and minimum parameters is now required (the maximum is no longer simply a guideline). Since adherence to the maximum slew rate was not required prior to revision 2.1 of the specification, there may be components in the market for some time that have faster edge rates; therefore, motherboard designers must bear in mind that rise and fall times faster than this specification could occur, and should ensure that signal integrity modeling accounts for this. Rise slew rate does not apply to open drain outputs.

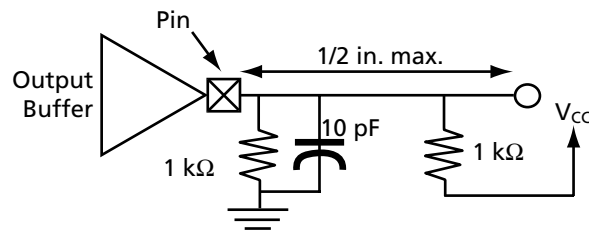


Figure 1-9 shows the 5.0 V PCI V/I curve and the minimum and maximum PCI drive characteristics of the A54SX16P device.

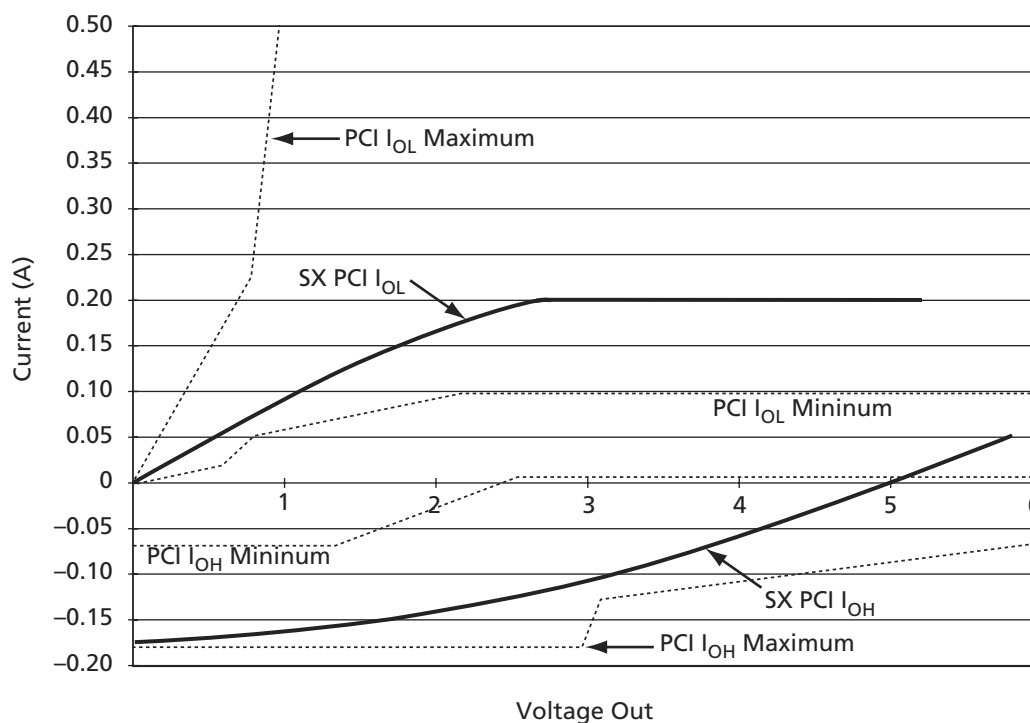


Figure 1-9 • **5.0 V PCI Curve for A54SX16P Device**

$$I_{OH} = 11.9 \times (V_{OUT} - 5.25) \times (V_{OUT} + 2.45)$$

for $V_{CC} > V_{OUT} > 3.1$ V

EQ 1-1

$$I_{OL} = 78.5 \times V_{OUT} \times (4.4 - V_{OUT})$$

for 0 V $< V_{OUT} < 0.71$ V

EQ 1-2

A54SX16P AC Specifications (3.3 V PCI Operation)

Table 1-9 • A54SX16P AC Specifications (3.3 V PCI Operation)

Symbol	Parameter	Condition	Min.	Max.	Units
$I_{OH(AC)}$	Switching Current High	$0 < V_{OUT} \leq 0.3V_{CC}^1$			mA
		$0.3V_{CC} \leq V_{OUT} < 0.9V_{CC}^1$	$-12V_{CC}$		mA
		$0.7V_{CC} < V_{OUT} < V_{CC}^{1,2}$	$-17.1 + (V_{CC} - V_{OUT})$	EQ 1-3 on page 1-14	
	(Test Point)	$V_{OUT} = 0.7V_{CC}^2$		$-32V_{CC}$	mA
$I_{OL(AC)}$	Switching Current High	$V_{CC} > V_{OUT} \geq 0.6V_{CC}^1$			mA
		$0.6V_{CC} > V_{OUT} > 0.1V_{CC}^1$	$16V_{CC}$		mA
		$0.18V_{CC} > V_{OUT} > 0^{1,2}$	$26.7V_{OUT}$	EQ 1-4 on page 1-14	mA
	(Test Point)	$V_{OUT} = 0.18V_{CC}^2$		$38V_{CC}$	
I_{CL}	Low Clamp Current	$-3 < V_{IN} \leq -1$	$-25 + (V_{IN} + 1)/0.015$		mA
I_{CH}	High Clamp Current	$-3 < V_{IN} \leq -1$	$25 + (V_{IN} - V_{OUT} - 1)/0.015$		mA
$slew_R$	Output Rise Slew Rate ³	0.2V _{CC} to 0.6V _{CC} load	1	4	V/ns
$slew_F$	Output Fall Slew Rate ³	0.6V _{CC} to 0.2V _{CC} load	1	4	V/ns

Notes:

1. Refer to the V/I curves in Figure 1-10 on page 1-14. Switching current characteristics for REQ# and GNT# are permitted to be one half of that specified here; i.e., half size output drivers may be used on these signals. This specification does not apply to CLK and RST# which are system outputs. "Switching Current High" specification are not relevant to SERR#, INTA#, INTB#, INTC#, and INTD# which are open drain outputs.
2. Maximum current requirements must be met as drivers pull beyond the last step voltage. Equations defining these maximums (C and D) are provided with the respective diagrams in Figure 1-10 on page 1-14. The equation defined maxima should be met by design. In order to facilitate component testing, a maximum current test point is defined for each side of the output driver.
3. This parameter is to be interpreted as the cumulative edge rate across the specified range, rather than the instantaneous rate at any point within the transition range. The specified load (diagram below) is optional; i.e., the designer may elect to meet this parameter with an unloaded output per the latest revision of the PCI Local Bus Specification. However, adherence to both maximum and minimum parameters is required (the maximum is no longer simply a guideline). Rise slew rate does not apply to open drain outputs.

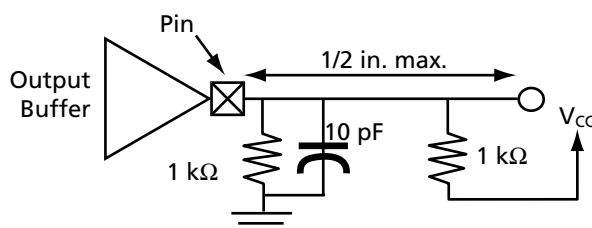


Table 1-13 shows capacitance values for various devices.

Table 1-13 • Capacitance Values for Devices

	A545X08	A545X16	A545X16P	A545X32
C_{EQM} (pF)	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0
C_{EQI} (pF)	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.4
C_{EQO} (pF)	4.7	4.7	4.7	4.7
C_{EQCR} (pF)	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6
C_{EQHV}	0.615	0.615	0.615	0.615
C_{EQHF}	60	96	96	140
r_1 (pF)	87	138	138	171
r_2 (pF)	87	138	138	171

Table 1-14 • Power Consumption Guidelines

Description	Power Consumption Guideline
Logic Modules (m)	20% of modules
Inputs Switching (n)	# inputs/4
Outputs Switching (p)	# outputs/4
First Routed Array Clock Loads (q_1)	20% of register cells
Second Routed Array Clock Loads (q_2)	20% of register cells
Load Capacitance (C_L)	35 pF
Average Logic Module Switching Rate (f_m)	$f/10$
Average Input Switching Rate (f_n)	$f/5$
Average Output Switching Rate (f_p)	$f/10$
Average First Routed Array Clock Rate (f_{q1})	$f/2$
Average Second Routed Array Clock Rate (f_{q2})	$f/2$
Average Dedicated Array Clock Rate (f_{s1})	f
Dedicated Clock Array Clock Loads (s_1)	20% of regular modules

Follow the steps below to estimate power consumption. The values provided for the sample calculation below are for the shift register design above. This method for estimating power consumption is conservative and the actual power consumption of your design may be less than the estimated power consumption.

The total power dissipation for the SX family is the sum of the AC power dissipation and the DC power dissipation.

$$P_{\text{Total}} = P_{\text{AC}} \text{ (dynamic power)} + P_{\text{DC}} \text{ (static power)}$$

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Guidelines for Calculating Power Consumption

The power consumption guidelines are meant to represent worst-case scenarios so that they can be generally used to predict the upper limits of power dissipation. These guidelines are shown in Table 1-14.

Sample Power Calculation

One of the designs used to characterize the SX family was a 528 bit serial-in, serial-out shift register. The design utilized 100 percent of the dedicated flip-flops of an A545X16P device. A pattern of 0101... was clocked into the device at frequencies ranging from 1 MHz to 200 MHz. Shifting in a series of 0101... caused 50 percent of the flip-flops to toggle from low to high at every clock cycle.

AC Power Dissipation

$$P_{\text{AC}} = P_{\text{Module}} + P_{\text{RCLKA Net}} + P_{\text{RCLKB Net}} + P_{\text{HCLK Net}} + P_{\text{Output Buffer}} + P_{\text{Input Buffer}}$$

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$$P_{\text{AC}} = V_{\text{CCA}}^2 \times [(m \times C_{\text{EQM}} \times f_m)_{\text{Module}} + (n \times C_{\text{EQI}} \times f_n)_{\text{Input Buffer}} + (p \times (C_{\text{EQO}} + C_L) \times f_p)_{\text{Output Buffer}} + (0.5 (q_1 \times C_{\text{EQCR}} \times f_{q1}) + (r_1 \times f_{q1}))_{\text{RCLKA}} + (0.5 (q_2 \times C_{\text{EQCR}} \times f_{q2}) + (r_2 \times f_{q2}))_{\text{RCLKB}} + (0.5 (s_1 \times C_{\text{EQHV}} \times f_{s1}) + (C_{\text{EQHF}} \times f_{s1}))_{\text{HCLK}}]$$

EQ 1-11

Step 1: Define Terms Used in Formula

Module	V_{CCA}	3.3
Number of logic modules switching at f_m (Used 50%)	m	264
Average logic modules switching rate f_m (MHz) (Guidelines: $f/10$)	f_m	20
Module capacitance C_{EQM} (pF)	C_{EQM}	4.0
Input Buffer		
Number of input buffers switching at f_n	n	1
Average input switching rate f_n (MHz) (Guidelines: $f/5$)	f_n	40
Input buffer capacitance C_{EQI} (pF)	C_{EQI}	3.4
Output Buffer		
Number of output buffers switching at f_p	p	1
Average output buffers switching rate f_p (MHz) (Guidelines: $f/10$)	f_p	20
Output buffers buffer capacitance C_{EQO} (pF)	C_{EQO}	4.7
Output Load capacitance C_L (pF)	C_L	35
RCLKA		
Number of Clock loads q_1	q_1	528
Capacitance of routed array clock (pF)	C_{EQCR}	1.6
Average clock rate (MHz)	f_{q1}	200
Fixed capacitance (pF)	r_1	138
RCLKB		
Number of Clock loads q_2	q_2	0
Capacitance of routed array clock (pF)	C_{EQCR}	1.6
Average clock rate (MHz)	f_{q2}	0
Fixed capacitance (pF)	r_2	138
HCLK		
Number of Clock loads	s_1	0
Variable capacitance of dedicated array clock (pF)	C_{EQHV}	0.61 5
Fixed capacitance of dedicated array clock (pF)	C_{EQHF}	96
Average clock rate (MHz)	f_{s1}	0

Step 2: Calculate Dynamic Power Consumption

$V_{CCA} \times V_{CCA}$	10.89
$m \times f_m \times C_{EQM}$	0.02112
$n \times f_n \times C_{EQI}$	0.000136
$p \times f_p \times (C_{EQO} + C_L)$	0.000794
$0.5 (q_1 \times C_{EQCR} \times f_{q1}) + (r_1 \times f_{q1})$	0.11208
$0.5 (q_2 \times C_{EQCR} \times f_{q2}) + (r_2 \times f_{q2})$	0
$0.5 (s_1 \times C_{EQHV} \times f_{s1}) + (C_{EQHF} \times f_{s1})$	0
$P_{AC} = 1.461 \text{ W}$	

Step 3: Calculate DC Power Dissipation**DC Power Dissipation**

$$P_{DC} = (I_{\text{standby}}) \times V_{CCA} + (I_{\text{standby}}) \times V_{CCR} + (I_{\text{standby}}) \times V_{CCI} + X \times V_{OL} \times I_{OL} + Y(V_{CCI} - V_{OH}) \times V_{OH}$$

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For a rough estimate of DC Power Dissipation, only use $P_{DC} = (I_{\text{standby}}) \times V_{CCA}$. The rest of the formula provides a very small number that can be considered negligible.

$$P_{DC} = (I_{\text{standby}}) \times V_{CCA}$$

$$P_{DC} = .55 \text{ mA} \times 3.3 \text{ V}$$

$$P_{DC} = 0.001815 \text{ W}$$

Step 4: Calculate Total Power Consumption

$$P_{\text{Total}} = P_{AC} + P_{DC}$$

$$P_{\text{Total}} = 1.461 + 0.001815$$

$$P_{\text{Total}} = 1.4628 \text{ W}$$

Step 5: Compare Estimated Power Consumption against Characterized Power Consumption

The estimated total power consumption for this design is 1.46 W. The characterized power consumption for this design at 200 MHz is 1.0164 W.

Figure 1-11 shows the characterized power dissipation numbers for the shift register design using frequencies ranging from 1 MHz to 200 MHz.

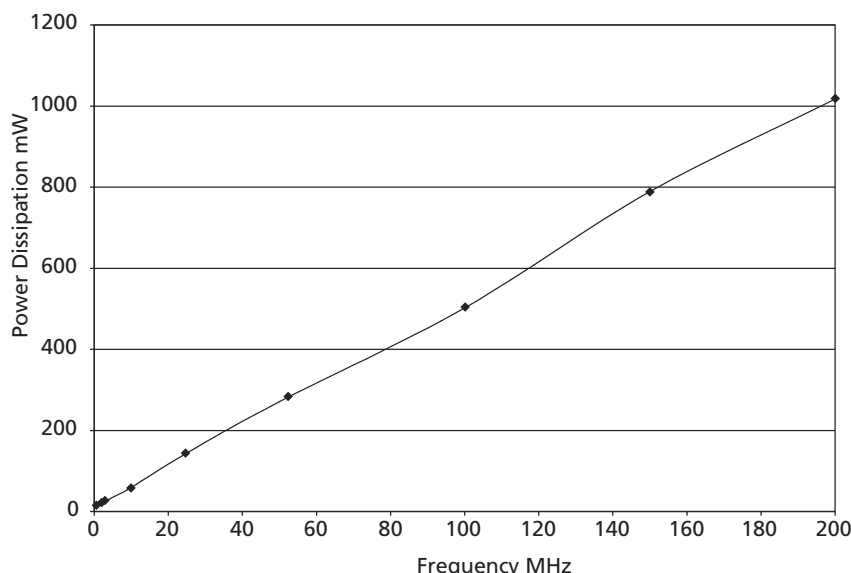


Figure 1-11 • Power Dissipation

Junction Temperature (T_j)

The temperature that you select in Designer Series software is the junction temperature, not ambient temperature. This is an important distinction because the heat generated from dynamic power consumption is usually hotter than the ambient temperature. Use the equation below to calculate junction temperature.

$$\text{Junction Temperature} = \Delta T + T_a$$

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Where:

T_a = Ambient Temperature

ΔT = Temperature gradient between junction (silicon) and ambient

$$\Delta T = \theta_{ja} \times P$$

P = Power calculated from Estimating Power Consumption section

θ_{ja} = Junction to ambient of package. θ_{ja} numbers are located in the "Package Thermal Characteristics" section.

Package Thermal Characteristics

The device junction to case thermal characteristic is θ_{jc} , and the junction to ambient air characteristic is θ_{ja} . The thermal characteristics for θ_{ja} are shown with two different air flow rates.

The maximum junction temperature is 150 °C.

A sample calculation of the absolute maximum power dissipation allowed for a TQFP 176-pin package at commercial temperature and still air is as follows:

$$\text{Maximum Power Allowed} = \frac{\text{Max. junction temp. (°C)} - \text{Max. ambient temp. (°C)}}{\theta_{ja} \text{ (°C/W)}} = \frac{150^\circ\text{C} - 70^\circ\text{C}}{28^\circ\text{C/W}} = 2.86 \text{ W}$$

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The diagram illustrates the timing of a 2-stage pipeline. It is divided into three main sections: Input Delays, Internal Delays, and Output Delays.

- Input Delays:** The input signal passes through an I/O Module with a delay $t_{IN1} = 1.5 \text{ ns}$. The signal then splits into two paths: one to the first Register Cell and another to the Combinatorial Cell. The delay from the input to the first Register Cell is $t_{IRD1} = 0.6 \text{ ns}$.
- Internal Delays:**
 - The first Register Cell has a setup delay $t_{SUD} = 0.5 \text{ ns}$ and a hold delay $t_{HD} = 0.0 \text{ ns}$. Its output delay is $t_{RCD} = 0.8 \text{ ns}$.
 - The Combinatorial Cell has a propagation delay $t_{PD} = 0.6 \text{ ns}$.
 - The second Register Cell has a setup delay $t_{SUD} = 0.5 \text{ ns}$ and a hold delay $t_{HD} = 0.0 \text{ ns}$. Its output delay is $t_{RCD} = 0.8 \text{ ns}$.
 - The delay from the output of the first Register Cell to the input of the second Register Cell is $t_{RD1} = 0.3 \text{ ns}$.
 - The delay from the output of the second Register Cell to the input of the Combinatorial Cell is $t_{RD2} = 0.3 \text{ ns}$.
 - The delay from the output of the Combinatorial Cell to the input of the second Register Cell is $t_{RD3} = 1.0 \text{ ns}$.
 - The delay from the output of the second Register Cell to the input of the Combinatorial Cell is $t_{RD4} = 1.9 \text{ ns}$.
- Output Delays:** The output signal passes through an I/O Module with a delay $t_{DHL} = 1.6 \text{ ns}$. The delay from the output of the second Register Cell to the output of the I/O Module is $t_{DLH} = 1.6 \text{ ns}$. The delay from the output of the second Register Cell to the output of the I/O Module is $t_{ENZH} = 2.3 \text{ ns}$.

The diagram also shows the clocking of the pipeline. The Routed Clock has a delay $t_{RCKH} = 1.5 \text{ ns}$ (100% Load) and a maximum frequency $F_{MAX} = 250 \text{ MHz}$. The Hardwired Clock has a delay $t_{HCKH} = 1.0 \text{ ns}$ and a maximum frequency $F_{HMAX} = 320 \text{ MHz}$.

Figure 1-12 • SX Timing Model

Routed Clock

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Clock-to-Out (Pin-to-Pin)

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Table 1-19 • A54SX16P Timing Characteristics (Continued)

(Worst-Case Commercial Conditions, $V_{CCR} = 4.75\text{ V}$, $V_{CCA}, V_{CCI} = 3.0\text{ V}$, $T_J = 70^\circ\text{C}$)

Parameter	Description	'-3' Speed		'-2' Speed		'-1' Speed		'Std' Speed		Units
		Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	
TTL/PCI Output Module Timing										
t _{DLH}	Data-to-Pad LOW to HIGH	1.5		1.7		2.0		2.3		ns
t _{DHL}	Data-to-Pad HIGH to LOW	1.9		2.2		2.4		2.9		ns
t _{ENZL}	Enable-to-Pad, Z to L	2.3		2.6		3.0		3.5		ns
t _{ENZH}	Enable-to-Pad, Z to H	1.5		1.7		1.9		2.3		ns
t _{ENLZ}	Enable-to-Pad, L to Z	2.7		3.1		3.5		4.1		ns
t _{ENHZ}	Enable-to-Pad, H to Z	2.9		3.3		3.7		4.4		ns
PCI Output Module Timing ³										
t _{DLH}	Data-to-Pad LOW to HIGH	1.8		2.0		2.3		2.7		ns
t _{DHL}	Data-to-Pad HIGH to LOW	1.7		2.0		2.2		2.6		ns
t _{ENZL}	Enable-to-Pad, Z to L	0.8		1.0		1.1		1.3		ns
t _{ENZH}	Enable-to-Pad, Z to H	1.2		1.2		1.5		1.8		ns
t _{ENLZ}	Enable-to-Pad, L to Z	1.0		1.1		1.3		1.5		ns
t _{ENHZ}	Enable-to-Pad, H to Z	1.1		1.3		1.5		1.7		ns
TTL Output Module Timing										
t _{DLH}	Data-to-Pad LOW to HIGH	2.1		2.5		2.8		3.3		ns
t _{DHL}	Data-to-Pad HIGH to LOW	2.0		2.3		2.6		3.1		ns
t _{ENZL}	Enable-to-Pad, Z to L	2.5		2.9		3.2		3.8		ns
t _{ENZH}	Enable-to-Pad, Z to H	3.0		3.5		3.9		4.6		ns
t _{ENLZ}	Enable-to-Pad, L to Z	2.3		2.7		3.1		3.6		ns
t _{ENHZ}	Enable-to-Pad, H to Z	2.9		3.3		3.7		4.4		ns

Note:

1. For dual-module macros, use $t_{PD} + t_{RD1} + t_{PDn}$, $t_{RCO} + t_{RD1} + t_{PDn}$, or $t_{PD1} + t_{RD1} + t_{SUD}$, 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 worst-case performance. Post-route timing is based on actual routing delay measurements performed on the device prior to shipment.
3. Delays based on 10 pF loading.

Pin Description

CLKA/B Clock A and B

These pins are 3.3 V / 5.0 V PCI/TTL clock inputs for clock distribution networks. The clock input is buffered prior to clocking the R-cells. If not used, this pin must be set LOW or HIGH on the board. It must not be left floating. (For A54SX72A, these clocks can be configured as bidirectional.)

GND Ground

LOW supply voltage.

HCLK Dedicated (hardwired) Array Clock

This pin is the 3.3 V / 5.0 V PCI/TTL clock input for sequential modules. This input is directly wired to each R-cell and offers clock speeds independent of the number of R-cells being driven. If not used, this pin must be set LOW or HIGH on the board. It must not be left floating.

I/O Input/Output

The I/O pin functions as an input, output, tristate, or bidirectional buffer. Based on certain configurations, input and output levels are compatible with standard TTL, LVTTTL, 3.3 V PCI or 5.0 V PCI specifications. Unused I/O pins are automatically tristated by the Designer Series software.

NC No Connection

This pin is not connected to circuitry within the device.

PRA, I/O Probe A

The Probe A pin is used to output data from any user-defined design node within the device. This independent diagnostic pin can be used in conjunction with the Probe B pin to allow real-time diagnostic output of any signal path within the device. The Probe A 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.

PRB, I/O Probe B

The Probe B pin is used to output data from any node within the device. This diagnostic pin can be used in conjunction with the Probe A pin to allow real-time diagnostic output of any signal path within the device. The Probe B 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.

TCK Test Clock

Test clock input for diagnostic probe and device programming. In flexible mode, TCK becomes active when the TMS pin is set LOW (refer to Table 1-2 on page 1-6). This pin functions as an I/O when the boundary scan state machine reaches the "logic reset" state.

TDI Test Data Input

Serial input for boundary scan testing and diagnostic probe. In flexible mode, TDI is active when the TMS pin is set LOW (refer to Table 1-2 on page 1-6). This pin functions as an I/O when the boundary scan state machine reaches the "logic reset" state.

TDO Test Data Output

Serial output for boundary scan testing. In flexible mode, TDO is active when the TMS pin is set LOW (refer to Table 1-2 on page 1-6). This pin functions as an I/O when the boundary scan state machine reaches the "logic reset" state.

TMS Test 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 (refer to Table 1-2 on page 1-6). 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.

V_{CCI} Supply Voltage

Supply voltage for I/Os. See Table 1-1 on page 1-5.

V_{CCA} Supply Voltage

Supply voltage for Array. See Table 1-1 on page 1-5.

V_{CCR} Supply Voltage

Supply voltage for input tolerance (required for internal biasing). See Table 1-1 on page 1-5.

Package Pin Assignments

84-Pin PLCC

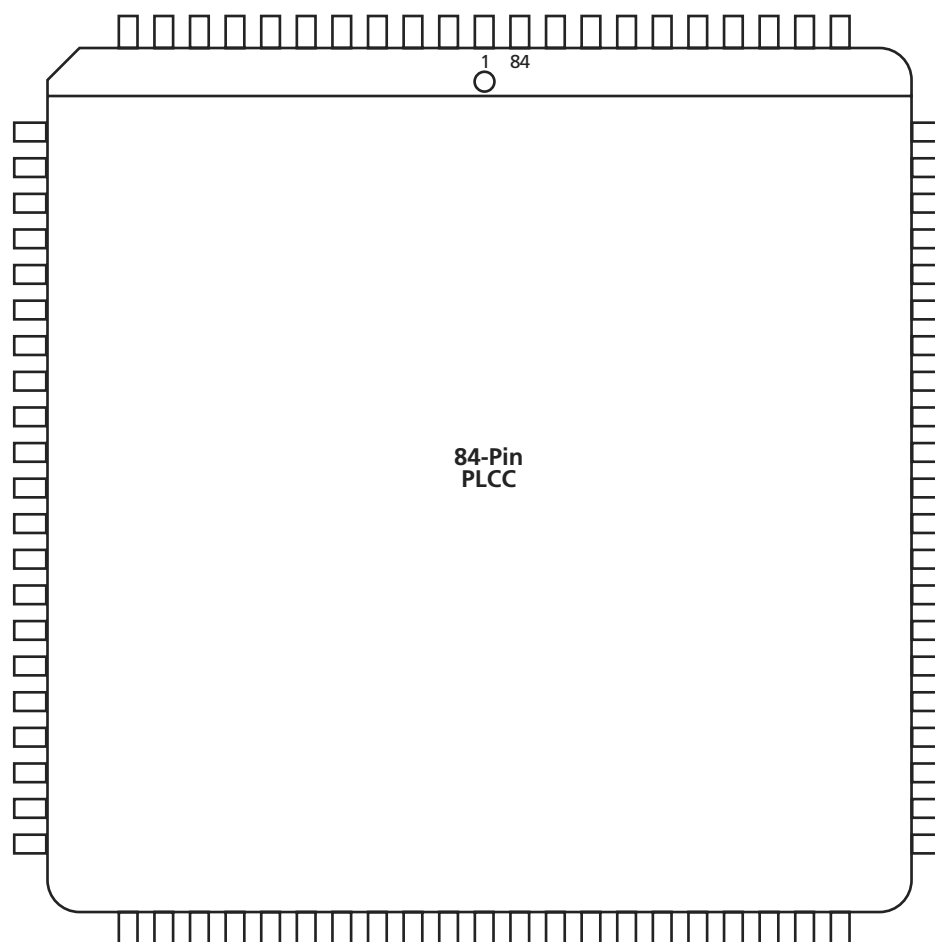


Figure 2-1 • 84-Pin PLCC (Top View)

Note

For Package Manufacturing and Environmental information, visit the Package Resource center at <http://www.actel.com/products/rescenter/package/index.html>.

208-Pin PQFP

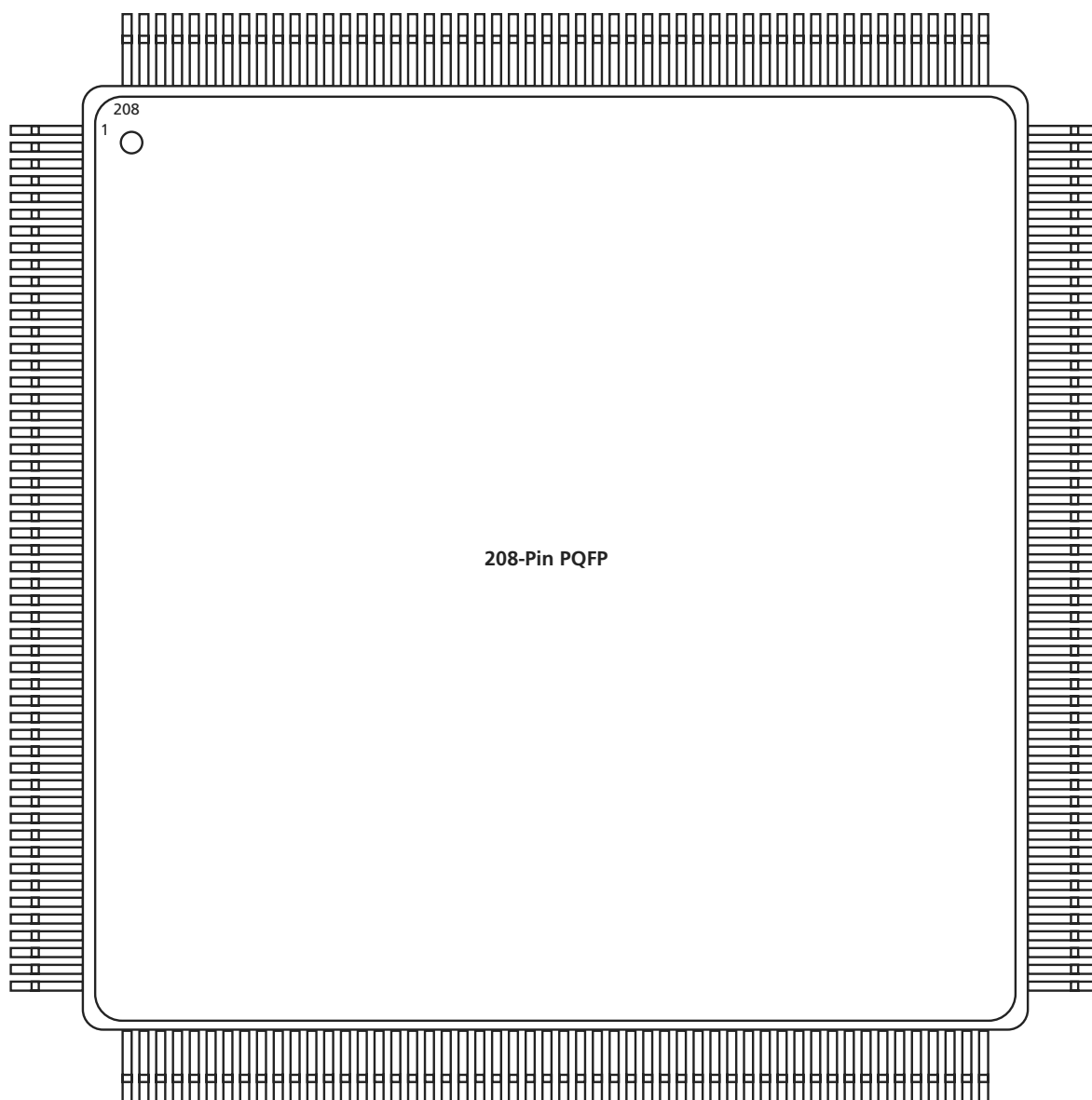


Figure 2-2 • 208-Pin PQFP (Top View)

Note

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208-Pin PQFP			
Pin Number	A54SX08 Function	A54SX16, A54SX16P Function	A54SX32 Function
1	GND	GND	GND
2	TDI, I/O	TDI, I/O	TDI, I/O
3	I/O	I/O	I/O
4	NC	I/O	I/O
5	I/O	I/O	I/O
6	NC	I/O	I/O
7	I/O	I/O	I/O
8	I/O	I/O	I/O
9	I/O	I/O	I/O
10	I/O	I/O	I/O
11	TMS	TMS	TMS
12	V _{CCI}	V _{CCI}	V _{CCI}
13	I/O	I/O	I/O
14	NC	I/O	I/O
15	I/O	I/O	I/O
16	I/O	I/O	I/O
17	NC	I/O	I/O
18	I/O	I/O	I/O
19	I/O	I/O	I/O
20	NC	I/O	I/O
21	I/O	I/O	I/O
22	I/O	I/O	I/O
23	NC	I/O	I/O
24	I/O	I/O	I/O
25	V _{CCR}	V _{CCR}	V _{CCR}
26	GND	GND	GND
27	V _{CCA}	V _{CCA}	V _{CCA}
28	GND	GND	GND
29	I/O	I/O	I/O
30	I/O	I/O	I/O
31	NC	I/O	I/O
32	I/O	I/O	I/O
33	I/O	I/O	I/O
34	I/O	I/O	I/O
35	NC	I/O	I/O
36	I/O	I/O	I/O

208-Pin PQFP			
Pin Number	A54SX08 Function	A54SX16, A54SX16P Function	A54SX32 Function
37	I/O	I/O	I/O
38	I/O	I/O	I/O
39	NC	I/O	I/O
40	V _{CCI}	V _{CCI}	V _{CCI}
41	V _{CCA}	V _{CCA}	V _{CCA}
42	I/O	I/O	I/O
43	I/O	I/O	I/O
44	I/O	I/O	I/O
45	I/O	I/O	I/O
46	I/O	I/O	I/O
47	I/O	I/O	I/O
48	NC	I/O	I/O
49	I/O	I/O	I/O
50	NC	I/O	I/O
51	I/O	I/O	I/O
52	GND	GND	GND
53	I/O	I/O	I/O
54	I/O	I/O	I/O
55	I/O	I/O	I/O
56	I/O	I/O	I/O
57	I/O	I/O	I/O
58	I/O	I/O	I/O
59	I/O	I/O	I/O
60	V _{CCI}	V _{CCI}	V _{CCI}
61	NC	I/O	I/O
62	I/O	I/O	I/O
63	I/O	I/O	I/O
64	NC	I/O	I/O
65*	I/O	I/O	NC*
66	I/O	I/O	I/O
67	NC	I/O	I/O
68	I/O	I/O	I/O
69	I/O	I/O	I/O
70	NC	I/O	I/O
71	I/O	I/O	I/O
72	I/O	I/O	I/O

Note: * Note that Pin 65 in the A54SX32—PQ208 is a no connect (NC).

176-Pin TQFP			
Pin Number	A54SX08 Function	A54SX16, A54SX16P Function	A54SX32 Function
69	HCLK	HCLK	HCLK
70	I/O	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	I/O	I/O	I/O
76	I/O	I/O	I/O
77	I/O	I/O	I/O
78	I/O	I/O	I/O
79	NC	I/O	I/O
80	I/O	I/O	I/O
81	NC	I/O	I/O
82	V _{CCI}	V _{CCI}	V _{CCI}
83	I/O	I/O	I/O
84	I/O	I/O	I/O
85	I/O	I/O	I/O
86	I/O	I/O	I/O
87	TDO, I/O	TDO, I/O	TDO, I/O
88	I/O	I/O	I/O
89	GND	GND	GND
90	NC	I/O	I/O
91	NC	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	I/O	I/O	I/O
97	I/O	I/O	I/O
98	V _{CCA}	V _{CCA}	V _{CCA}
99	V _{CCI}	V _{CCI}	V _{CCI}
100	I/O	I/O	I/O
101	I/O	I/O	I/O
102	I/O	I/O	I/O

176-Pin TQFP			
Pin Number	A54SX08 Function	A54SX16, A54SX16P Function	A54SX32 Function
103	I/O	I/O	I/O
104	I/O	I/O	I/O
105	I/O	I/O	I/O
106	I/O	I/O	I/O
107	I/O	I/O	I/O
108	GND	GND	GND
109	V _{CCA}	V _{CCA}	V _{CCA}
110	GND	GND	GND
111	I/O	I/O	I/O
112	I/O	I/O	I/O
113	I/O	I/O	I/O
114	I/O	I/O	I/O
115	I/O	I/O	I/O
116	I/O	I/O	I/O
117	I/O	I/O	I/O
118	NC	I/O	I/O
119	I/O	I/O	I/O
120	NC	I/O	I/O
121	NC	I/O	I/O
122	V _{CCA}	V _{CCA}	V _{CCA}
123	GND	GND	GND
124	V _{CCI}	V _{CCI}	V _{CCI}
125	I/O	I/O	I/O
126	I/O	I/O	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	NC	I/O	I/O
132	NC	I/O	I/O
133	GND	GND	GND
134	I/O	I/O	I/O
135	I/O	I/O	I/O
136	I/O	I/O	I/O

313-Pin PBGA	
Pin Number	A54SX32 Function
A1	GND
A3	NC
A5	I/O
A7	I/O
A9	I/O
A11	I/O
A13	V _{CCR}
A15	I/O
A17	I/O
A19	I/O
A21	I/O
A23	NC
A25	GND
AA1	I/O
AA3	I/O
AA5	NC
AA7	I/O
AA9	NC
AA11	I/O
AA13	I/O
AA15	I/O
AA17	I/O
AA19	I/O
AA21	I/O
AA23	NC
AA25	I/O
AB2	NC
AB4	NC
AB6	I/O
AB8	I/O
AB10	I/O
AB12	I/O
AB14	I/O
AB16	I/O
AB18	V _{CCI}
AB20	NC
AB22	I/O
AB24	I/O
AC1	I/O
AC3	I/O

313-Pin PBGA	
Pin Number	A54SX32 Function
AC5	I/O
AC7	I/O
AC9	I/O
AC11	I/O
AC13	V _{CCR}
AC15	I/O
AC17	I/O
AC19	I/O
AC21	I/O
AC23	I/O
AC25	NC
AD2	GND
AD4	I/O
AD6	V _{CCI}
AD8	I/O
AD10	I/O
AD12	PRB, I/O
AD14	I/O
AD16	I/O
AD18	I/O
AD20	I/O
AD22	NC
AD24	I/O
AE1	NC
AE3	I/O
AE5	I/O
AE7	I/O
AE9	I/O
AE11	I/O
AE13	V _{CCA}
AE15	I/O
AE17	I/O
AE19	I/O
AE21	I/O
AE23	TDO, I/O
AE25	GND
B2	TCK, I/O
B4	I/O
B6	I/O
B8	I/O

313-Pin PBGA	
Pin Number	A54SX32 Function
B10	I/O
B12	I/O
B14	I/O
B16	I/O
B18	I/O
B20	I/O
B22	I/O
B24	I/O
C1	TDI, I/O
C3	I/O
C5	NC
C7	I/O
C9	I/O
C11	I/O
C13	V _{CCI}
C15	I/O
C17	I/O
C19	V _{CCI}
C21	I/O
C23	I/O
C25	NC
D2	I/O
D4	NC
D6	I/O
D8	I/O
D10	I/O
D12	I/O
D14	I/O
D16	I/O
D18	I/O
D20	I/O
D22	I/O
D24	NC
E1	I/O
E3	NC
E5	I/O
E7	I/O
E9	I/O
E11	I/O
E13	V _{CCA}

313-Pin PBGA	
Pin Number	A54SX32 Function
E15	I/O
E17	I/O
E19	I/O
E21	I/O
E23	I/O
E25	I/O
F2	I/O
F4	I/O
F6	NC
F8	I/O
F10	NC
F12	I/O
F14	I/O
F16	NC
F18	I/O
F20	I/O
F22	I/O
F24	I/O
G1	I/O
G3	TMS
G5	I/O
G7	I/O
G9	V _{CCI}
G11	I/O
G13	CLKB
G15	I/O
G17	I/O
G19	I/O
G21	I/O
G23	I/O
G25	I/O
H2	I/O
H4	I/O
H6	I/O
H8	I/O
H10	I/O
H12	PRA, I/O
H14	I/O
H16	I/O
H18	NC

313-Pin PBGA		313-Pin PBGA		313-Pin PBGA		313-Pin PBGA	
Pin Number	A54SX32 Function	Pin Number	A54SX32 Function	Pin Number	A54SX32 Function	Pin Number	A54SX32 Function
H20	I/O	L25	I/O	R5	I/O	V10	I/O
H22	V _{CCI}	M2	I/O	R7	I/O	V12	I/O
H24	I/O	M4	I/O	R9	I/O	V14	I/O
J1	I/O	M6	I/O	R11	I/O	V16	NC
J3	I/O	M8	I/O	R13	GND	V18	I/O
J5	I/O	M10	I/O	R15	I/O	V20	I/O
J7	NC	M12	GND	R17	I/O	V22	V _{CCA}
J9	I/O	M14	GND	R19	I/O	V24	V _{CCI}
J11	I/O	M16	V _{CCI}	R21	I/O	W1	I/O
J13	CLKA	M18	I/O	R23	I/O	W3	I/O
J15	I/O	M20	I/O	R25	I/O	W5	I/O
J17	I/O	M22	I/O	T2	I/O	W7	NC
J19	I/O	M24	I/O	T4	I/O	W9	I/O
J21	GND	N1	I/O	T6	I/O	W11	I/O
J23	I/O	N3	V _{CCA}	T8	I/O	W13	V _{CCI}
J25	I/O	N5	V _{CCR}	T10	I/O	W15	I/O
K2	I/O	N7	I/O	T12	I/O	W17	I/O
K4	I/O	N9	V _{CCI}	T14	HCLK	W19	I/O
K6	I/O	N11	GND	T16	I/O	W21	I/O
K8	V _{CCI}	N13	GND	T18	I/O	W23	I/O
K10	I/O	N15	GND	T20	I/O	W25	I/O
K12	I/O	N17	I/O	T22	I/O	Y2	I/O
K14	I/O	N19	I/O	T24	I/O	Y4	I/O
K16	I/O	N21	I/O	U1	I/O	Y6	I/O
K18	I/O	N23	V _{CCR}	U3	I/O	Y8	I/O
K20	V _{CCA}	N25	V _{CCA}	U5	V _{CCI}	Y10	I/O
K22	I/O	P2	I/O	U7	I/O	Y12	I/O
K24	I/O	P4	I/O	U9	I/O	Y14	I/O
L1	I/O	P6	I/O	U11	I/O	Y16	I/O
L3	I/O	P8	I/O	U13	I/O	Y18	I/O
L5	I/O	P10	I/O	U15	I/O	Y20	NC
L7	I/O	P12	GND	U17	I/O	Y22	I/O
L9	I/O	P14	GND	U19	I/O	Y24	NC
L11	I/O	P16	I/O	U21	I/O		
L13	GND	P18	I/O	U23	I/O		
L15	I/O	P20	NC	U25	I/O		
L17	I/O	P22	I/O	V2	V _{CCA}		
L19	I/O	P24	I/O	V4	I/O		
L21	I/O	R1	I/O	V6	I/O		
L23	I/O	R3	I/O	V8	I/O		

144-Pin FBGA		144-Pin FBGA		144-Pin FBGA		144-Pin FBGA	
Pin Number	A54SX08 Function	Pin Number	A54SX08 Function	Pin Number	A54SX08 Function	Pin Number	A54SX08 Function
A1	I/O	D1	I/O	G1	I/O	K1	I/O
A2	I/O	D2	V _{CCI}	G2	GND	K2	I/O
A3	I/O	D3	TDI, I/O	G3	I/O	K3	I/O
A4	I/O	D4	I/O	G4	I/O	K4	I/O
A5	V _{CCA}	D5	I/O	G5	GND	K5	I/O
A6	GND	D6	I/O	G6	GND	K6	I/O
A7	CLKA	D7	I/O	G7	GND	K7	GND
A8	I/O	D8	I/O	G8	V _{CCI}	K8	I/O
A9	I/O	D9	I/O	G9	I/O	K9	I/O
A10	I/O	D10	I/O	G10	I/O	K10	GND
A11	I/O	D11	I/O	G11	I/O	K11	I/O
A12	I/O	D12	I/O	G12	I/O	K12	I/O
B1	I/O	E1	I/O	H1	I/O	L1	GND
B2	GND	E2	I/O	H2	I/O	L2	I/O
B3	I/O	E3	I/O	H3	I/O	L3	I/O
B4	I/O	E4	I/O	H4	I/O	L4	I/O
B5	I/O	E5	TMS	H5	V _{CCA}	L5	I/O
B6	I/O	E6	V _{CCI}	H6	V _{CCA}	L6	I/O
B7	CLKB	E7	V _{CCI}	H7	V _{CCI}	L7	HCLK
B8	I/O	E8	V _{CCI}	H8	V _{CCI}	L8	I/O
B9	I/O	E9	V _{CCA}	H9	V _{CCA}	L9	I/O
B10	I/O	E10	I/O	H10	I/O	L10	I/O
B11	GND	E11	GND	H11	I/O	L11	I/O
B12	I/O	E12	I/O	H12	V _{CCR}	L12	I/O
C1	I/O	F1	I/O	J1	I/O	M1	I/O
C2	I/O	F2	I/O	J2	I/O	M2	I/O
C3	TCK, I/O	F3	V _{CCR}	J3	I/O	M3	I/O
C4	I/O	F4	I/O	J4	I/O	M4	I/O
C5	I/O	F5	GND	J5	I/O	M5	I/O
C6	PRA, I/O	F6	GND	J6	PRB, I/O	M6	I/O
C7	I/O	F7	GND	J7	I/O	M7	V _{CCA}
C8	I/O	F8	V _{CCI}	J8	I/O	M8	I/O
C9	I/O	F9	I/O	J9	I/O	M9	I/O
C10	I/O	F10	GND	J10	I/O	M10	I/O
C11	I/O	F11	I/O	J11	I/O	M11	TDO, I/O
C12	I/O	F12	I/O	J12	V _{CCA}	M12	I/O