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What are Embedded - System On Chip (SoC)?

System On Chip (SoC) integrates multiple functions of a computer or electronic system onto a single chip. Unlike traditional multi-chip solutions, SoCs combine a central

Details	
Product Status	Obsolete
Architecture	MCU, FPGA
Core Processor	Quad ARM® Cortex®-A53 MPCore™ with CoreSight™, Dual ARM®Cortex™-R5 with CoreSight™, ARM Mali™-400 MP2
Flash Size	-
RAM Size	256KB
Peripherals	DMA, WDT
Connectivity	CANbus, EBI/EMI, Ethernet, I²C, MMC/SD/SDIO, SPI, UART/USART, USB OTG
Speed	600MHz, 667MHz, 1.5GHz
Primary Attributes	Zynq®UltraScale+™ FPGA, 103K+ Logic Cells
Operating Temperature	0°C ~ 100°C (TJ)
Package / Case	484-BFBGA, FCBGA
Supplier Device Package	484-FCBGA (19x19)
Purchase URL	https://www.e-xfl.com/product-detail/xilinx/xczu2eg-3sbva484e

ARM Mali-400 Based GPU

- Supports OpenGL ES 1.1 and 2.0
- Supports OpenVG 1.1
- GPU frequency: Up to 667MHz
- Single Geometry Processor, Two Pixel Processors
- Pixel Fill Rate: 2 Mpixels/sec/MHz
- Triangle Rate: 0.11 Mtriangles/sec/MHz
- 64KB L2 Cache
- Power island gating

External Memory Interfaces

- Multi-protocol dynamic memory controller
- 32-bit or 64-bit interfaces to DDR4, DDR3, DDR3L, or LPDDR3 memories, and 32-bit interface to LPDDR4 memory
- ECC support in 64-bit and 32-bit modes
- Up to 32GB of address space using single or dual rank of 8-, 16-, or 32-bit-wide memories
- Static memory interfaces
  - eMMC4.51 Managed NAND flash support
  - ONFI3.1 NAND flash with 24-bit ECC
  - 1-bit SPI, 2-bit SPI, 4-bit SPI (Quad-SPI), or two Quad-SPI (8-bit) serial NOR flash

8-Channel DMA Controller

- Two DMA controllers of 8-channels each
- Memory-to-memory, memory-to-peripheral, peripheral-to-memory, and scatter-gather transaction support

Serial Transceivers

- Four dedicated PS-GTR receivers and transmitters supports up to 6.0Gb/s data rates
  - Supports SGMII tri-speed Ethernet, PCI Express® Gen2, Serial-ATA (SATA), USB3.0, and DisplayPort

Dedicated I/O Peripherals and Interfaces

- PCI Express — Compliant with PCIe® 2.1 base specification
  - Root complex and End Point configurations
  - x1, x2, and x4 at Gen1 or Gen2 rates
- SATA Host
  - 1.5, 3.0, and 6.0Gb/s data rates as defined by SATA Specification, revision 3.1
  - Supports up to two channels
- DisplayPort Controller
  - Up to 5.4Gb/s rate
  - Up to two TX lanes (no RX support)

- Four 10/100/1000 tri-speed Ethernet MAC peripherals with IEEE Std 802.3 and IEEE Std 1588 revision 2.0 support
  - Scatter-gather DMA capability
  - Recognition of IEEE Std 1588 rev.2 PTP frames
  - GMII, RGMII, and SGMII interfaces
  - Jumbo frames
- Two USB 3.0/2.0 Device, Host, or OTG peripherals, each supporting up to 12 endpoints
  - USB 3.0/2.0 compliant device IP core
  - Super-speed, high- speed, full-speed, and low-speed modes
  - Intel XHCI- compliant USB host
- Two full CAN 2.0B-compliant CAN bus interfaces
  - CAN 2.0-A and CAN 2.0-B and ISO 118981-1 standard compliant
- Two SD/SDIO 2.0/eMMC4.51 compliant controllers
- Two full-duplex SPI ports with three peripheral chip selects
- Two high-speed UARTs (up to 1Mb/s)
- Two master and slave I2C interfaces
- Up to 78 flexible multiplexed I/O (MIO) (up to three banks of 26 I/Os) for peripheral pin assignment
- Up to 96 EMIOs (up to three banks of 32 I/Os) connected to the PL

Interconnect

- High-bandwidth connectivity within PS and between PS and PL
- ARM AMBA® AXI4-based
- QoS support for latency and bandwidth control
- Cache Coherent Interconnect (CCI)

System Memory Management

- System Memory Management Unit (SMMU)
- Xilinx Memory Protection Unit (XMPU)

Platform Management Unit

- Power gates PS peripherals, power islands, and power domains
- Clock gates PS peripheral user firmware option

Configuration and Security Unit

- Boots PS and configures PL
- Supports secure and non-secure boot modes

System Monitor in PS

- On-chip voltage and temperature sensing

Table 3: **Zynq UltraScale+ MPSoC: EG Device Feature Summary**

	ZU2EG	ZU3EG	ZU4EG	ZU5EG	ZU6EG	ZU7EG	ZU9EG	ZU11EG	ZU15EG	ZU17EG	ZU19EG
Application Processing Unit	Quad-core ARM Cortex-A53 MPCore with CoreSight; NEON & Single/Double Precision Floating Point; 32KB/32KB L1 Cache, 1MB L2 Cache											
Real-Time Processing Unit	Dual-core ARM Cortex-R5 with CoreSight; Single/Double Precision Floating Point; 32KB/32KB L1 Cache, and TCM											
Embedded and External Memory	256KB On-Chip Memory w/ECC; External DDR4; DDR3; DDR3L; LPDDR4; LPDDR3; External Quad-SPI; NAND; eMMC											
General Connectivity	214 PS I/O; UART; CAN; USB 2.0; I2C; SPI; 32b GPIO; Real Time Clock; WatchDog Timers; Triple Timer Counters											
High-Speed Connectivity	4 PS-GTR; PCIe Gen1/2; Serial ATA 3.1; DisplayPort 1.2a; USB 3.0; SGMII											
Graphic Processing Unit	ARM Mali™-400 MP2; 64KB L2 Cache											
System Logic Cells	103,320	154,350	192,150	256,200	469,446	504,000	599,550	653,100	746,550	926,194	1,143,450
CLB Flip-Flops	94,464	141,120	175,680	234,240	429,208	460,800	548,160	597,120	682,560	846,806	1,045,440
CLB LUTs	47,232	70,560	87,840	117,120	214,604	230,400	274,080	298,560	341,280	423,403	522,720
Distributed RAM (Mb)	1.2	1.8	2.6	3.5	6.9	6.2	8.8	9.1	11.3	8.0	9.8
Block RAM Blocks	150	216	128	144	714	312	912	600	744	796	984
Block RAM (Mb)	5.3	7.6	4.5	5.1	25.1	11.0	32.1	21.1	26.2	28.0	34.6
UltraRAM Blocks	0	0	48	64	0	96	0	80	112	102	128
UltraRAM (Mb)	0	0	14.0	18.0	0	27.0	0	22.5	31.5	28.7	36.0
DSP Slices	240	360	728	1,248	1,973	1,728	2,520	2,928	3,528	1,590	1,968
CMTs	3	3	4	4	4	8	4	8	4	11	11
Max. HP I/O[1]	156	156	156	156	208	416	208	416	208	572	572
Max. HD I/O[2]	96	96	96	96	120	48	120	96	120	96	96
System Monitor	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
GTH Transceiver 16.3Gb/s[3]	0	0	16	16	24	24	24	32	24	44	44
GTY Transceivers 32.75Gb/s	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	16	0	28	28
Transceiver Fractional PLLs	0	0	8	8	12	12	12	24	12	36	36
PCIe Gen3 x16 and Gen4 x8	0	0	2	2	0	2	0	4	0	4	5
150G Interlaken	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	4
100G Ethernet w/ RS-FEC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	4

Notes:
1. HP = High-performance I/O with support for I/O voltage from 1.0V to 1.8V.
2. HD = High-density I/O with support for I/O voltage from 1.2V to 3.3V.
3. GTH transceivers in the SFVC784 package support data rates up to 12.5Gb/s. See Table 4.

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Table 6: **Zynq UltraScale+ MPSoC: EV Device-Package Combinations and Maximum I/Os**

Package (1)(2)(3)(4)	Package Dimensions (mm)	ZU4EV HD, HP GTH, GTY	ZU5EV HD, HP GTH, GTY	ZU7EV HD, HP GTH, GTY
SFVC784[5]	23x23	96, 156 4, 0	96, 156 4, 0	
FBVB900	31x31	48, 156 16, 0	48, 156 16, 0	48, 156 16, 0
FFVC1156	35x35			48, 312 20, 0
FFVF1517	40x40			48, 416 24, 0

Notes:

1. Go to Ordering Information for package designation details.
2. FB/FF packages have 1.0mm ball pitch. SF packages have 0.8mm ball pitch.
3. All device package combinations bond out 4 PS-GTR transceivers.
4. Packages with the same last letter and number sequence, e.g., C784, are footprint compatible with all other UltraScale devices with the same sequence. The footprint compatible devices within this family are outlined.
5. GTH transceivers in the SFVC784 package support data rates up to 12.5Gb/s.

Zynq UltraScale+ MPSoCs

A comprehensive device family, Zynq UltraScale+ MPSoCs offer single-chip, all programmable, heterogeneous multiprocessors that provide designers with software, hardware, interconnect, power, security, and I/O programmability. The range of devices in the Zynq UltraScale+ MPSoC family allows designers to target cost-sensitive as well as high-performance applications from a single platform using industry-standard tools. While each Zynq UltraScale+ MPSoC contains the same PS, the PL, Video hard blocks, and I/O resources vary between the devices.

Table 7: **Zynq UltraScale+ MPSoC Device Features**

	CG Devices	EG Devices	EV Devices
APU	Dual-core ARM Cortex-A53	Quad-core ARM Cortex-A53	Quad-core ARM Cortex-A53
RPU	Dual-core ARM Cortex-R5	Dual-core ARM Cortex-R5	Dual-core ARM Cortex-R5
GPU	–	Mali-400MP2	Mali-400MP2
VCU	–	–	H.264/H.265

The Zynq UltraScale+ MPSoCs are able to serve a wide range of applications including:

- Automotive: Driver assistance, driver information, and infotainment

- Wireless Communications: Support for multiple spectral bands and smart antennas

- Wired Communications: Multiple wired communications standards and context-aware network services

- Data Centers: Software Defined Networks (SDN), data pre-processing, and analytics

- Smarter Vision: Evolving video-processing algorithms, object detection, and analytics

- Connected Control/M2M: Flexible/adaptable manufacturing, factory throughput, quality, and safety

The UltraScale MPSoC architecture provides processor scalability from 32 to 64 bits with support for virtualization, the combination of soft and hard engines for real-time control, graphics/video processing, waveform and packet processing, next-generation interconnect and memory, advanced power management, and technology enhancements that deliver multi-level security, safety, and reliability. Xilinx offers a large number of soft IP for the Zynq UltraScale+ MPSoC family. Stand-alone and Linux device drivers are available for the peripherals in the PS and the PL. Xilinx's Vivado® Design Suite, SDK™, and PetaLinux development environments enable rapid product development for software, hardware, and systems engineers. The ARM-based PS also brings a broad range of third-party tools and IP providers in combination with Xilinx's existing PL ecosystem.

The Zynq UltraScale+ MPSoC family delivers unprecedented processing, I/O, and memory bandwidth in the form of an optimized mix of heterogeneous processing engines embedded in a next-generation, high-performance, on-chip interconnect with appropriate on-chip memory subsystems. The heterogeneous processing and programmable engines, which are optimized for different application tasks, enable the Zynq UltraScale+ MPSoCs to deliver the extensive performance and efficiency required to address next-generation smarter systems while retaining backwards compatibility with the original Zynq-7000 All Programmable SoC family. The UltraScale MPSoC architecture also incorporates multiple levels of security, increased safety, and advanced power management, which are critical requirements of next-generation smarter systems. Xilinx's embedded UltraFast™ design methodology fully exploits the

Processing System

Application Processing Unit (APU)

The key features of the APU include:

- 64-bit quad-core ARM Cortex-A53 MPCores. Features associated with each core include:
  - ARM v8-A Architecture
  - Operating target frequency: up to 1.5GHz
  - Single and double precision floating point:
    4 SP / 2 DP FLOPs
  - NEON Advanced SIMD support with single and double precision floating point instructions
  - A64 instruction set in 64-bit operating mode, A32/T32 instruction set in 32-bit operating mode
  - Level 1 cache (separate instruction and data, 32KB each for each Cortex-A53 CPU)
    - 2-way set-associative Instruction Cache with parity support
    - 4-way set-associative Data Cache with ECC support
  - Integrated memory management unit (MMU) per processor core
  - TrustZone for secure mode operation
  - Virtualization support
- Ability to operate in single processor, symmetric quad processor, and asymmetric quad-processor modes
- Integrated 16-way set-associative 1MB Unified Level 2 cache with ECC support
- Interrupts and Timers
  - Generic interrupt controller (GIC-400)
  - ARM generic timers (4 timers per CPU)
  - One watchdog timer (WDT)
  - One global timer
  - Two triple timers/counters (TTC)
- Little and big endian support
  - Big endian support in BE8 mode
- CoreSight debug and trace support
  - Embedded Trace Macrocell (ETM) for instruction trace
  - Cross trigger interface (CTI) enabling hardware breakpoints and triggers
- ACP interface to PL for I/O coherency and Level 2 cache allocation
- ACE interface to PL for full coherency
- Power island gating on each processor core
- Optional eFUSE disable per core

- Low power modes
  - Active/precharge power down
  - Self-refresh, including clean exit from self-refresh after a controller power cycle
- Enhanced DDR training by allowing software to measure read/write eye and make delay adjustments dynamically
- Independent performance monitors for read path and write path
- Integration of PHY Debug Access Port (DAP) into JTAG for testing

The DDR memory controller is multi-ported and enables the PS and the PL to have shared access to a common memory. The DDR controller features six AXI slave ports for this purpose:

- Two 128-bit AXI ports from the ARM Cortex-A53 CPU(s), RPU (ARM Cortex-R5 and LPD peripherals), GPU, high speed peripherals (USB3, PCIe & SATA), and High Performance Ports (HP0 & HP1) from the PL through the Cache Coherent Interconnect (CCI)
- One 64-bit port is dedicated for the ARM Cortex-R5 CPU(s)
- One 128-bit AXI port from the DisplayPort and HP2 port from the PL
- One 128-bit AXI port from HP3 and HP4 ports from the PL
- One 128-bit AXI port from General DMA and HP5 from the PL

High-Speed Connectivity Peripherals

PCIe

- Compliant with the PCI Express Base Specification 2.1
- Fully compliant with PCI Express transaction ordering rules
- Lane width: x1, x2, or x4 at Gen1 or Gen2 rates
- 1 Virtual Channel
- Full duplex PCIe port
- End Point and single PCIe link Root Port
- Root Port supports Enhanced Configuration Access Mechanism (ECAM), Cfg Transaction generation
- Root Port support for INTx, and MSI
- Endpoint support for MSI or MSI-X
  - 1 physical function, no SR-IOV
  - No relaxed or ID ordering
  - Fully configurable BARs
  - INTx not recommended, but can be generated
  - Endpoint to support configurable target/slave apertures with address translation and Interrupt capability

SATA

- Compliant with SATA 3.1 Specification
- SATA host port supports up to 2 external devices
- Compliant with Advanced Host Controller Interface ('AHCI') ver. 1.3
- 1.5Gb/s, 3.0Gb/s, and 6.0Gb/s data rates
- Power management features: supports partial and slumber modes

USB 3.0

- Two USB controllers (configurable as USB 2.0 or USB 3.0)
- Up to 5.0Gb/s data rate
- Host and Device modes
    - Super Speed, High Speed, Full Speed, and Low Speed
    - Up to 12 endpoints
    - The USB host controller registers and data structures are compliant to Intel xHCI specifications
    - 64-bit AXI master port with built-in DMA
    - Power management features: Hibernation mode

DisplayPort Controller

- 4K Display Processing with DisplayPort output
    - Maximum resolution of 4K x 2K-30 (30Hz pixel rate)
    - DisplayPort AUX channel, and Hot Plug Detect (HPD) on the output
    - RGB YCbCr, 4:2:0; 4:2:2, 4:4:4 with 6, 8, 10, and 12b/c
    - Y-only, xvYCC, RGB 4:4:4, YCbCr 4:4:4, YCbCr 4:2:2, and YCbCr 4:2:0 video format with 6,8,10 and 12-bits per color component
    - 256-color palette
    - Multiple frame buffer formats
    - 1, 2, 4, 8 bits per pixel (bpp) via a palette
    - 16, 24, 32bpp
    - Graphics formats such as RGBA8888, RGB555, etc.
- Accepts streaming video from the PL or dedicated DMA controller
- Enables Alpha blending of graphics and Chroma keying

- Audio support
  - o   A single stream carries up to 8 LPCM channels at 192kHz with 24-bit resolution
  - o   Supports compressed formats including DRA, Dolby MAT, and DTS HD
  - o   Multi-Stream Transport can extend the number of audio channels
  - o   Audio copy protection
  - o   2-channel streaming or input from the PL
  - o   Multi-channel non-streaming audio from a memory audio frame buffer
- Includes a System Time Clock (STC) compliant with ISO/IEC 13818-1
- Boot-time display using minimum resources

Platform Management Unit (PMU)

- Performs system initialization during boot
- Acts as a delegate to the application and real-time processors during sleep state
- Initiates power-up and restart after the wake-up request
- Maintains the system power state at all time
- Manages the sequence of low-level events required for power-up, power-down, reset, clock gating, and power gating of islands and domains
- Provides error management (error handling and reporting)
- Provides safety check functions (e.g., memory scrubbing)

The PMU includes the following blocks:

- Platform management processor
- Fixed ROM for boot-up of the device
- 128KB RAM with ECC for optional user/firmware code
- Local and global registers to manage power-down, power-up, reset, clock gating, and power gating requests
- Interrupt controller with 16 interrupts from other modules and the inter-processor communication interface (IPI)
- GPI and GPO interfaces to and from PS I/O and PL
- JTAG interface for PMU debug
- Optional User-Defined Firmware

- Full duplex flow control with recognition of incoming pause frames and hardware generation of transmitted pause frames
- 802.1Q VLAN tagging with recognition of incoming VLAN and priority tagged frames
- Supports IEEE Std 1588 v2

SD/SDIO 3.0 Controller

In addition to secure digital (SD) devices, this controller also supports eMMC 4.51.

- Host mode support only
- Built-in DMA
- 1/4-Bit SD Specification, version 3.0
- 1/4/8-Bit eMMC Specification, version 4.51
- Supports primary boot from SD Card and eMMC (Managed NAND)
- High speed, default speed, and low-speed support
- 1 and 4-bit data interface support
    o Low speed clock 0-400KHz
    o Default speed 0-25MHz
    o High speed clock 0-50MHz
- High speed Interface
    o SD UHS-1: 208MHz
    o eMMC HS200: 200MHz
- Memory, I/O, and SD cards
- Power control modes
- Data FIFO interface up to 512B

UART

- Programmable baud rate generator
- 6, 7, or 8 data bits
- 1, 1.5, or 2 stop bits
- Odd, even, space, mark, or no parity
- Parity, framing, and overrun error detection
- Line break generation and detection
- Automatic echo, local loopback, and remote loopback channel modes
- Modem control signals: CTS, RTS, DSR, DTR, RI, and DCD (from EMIO only)

SPI

- Full-duplex operation offers simultaneous receive and transmit

- 128B deep read and write FIFO

- Master or slave SPI mode

- Up to 3 chip select lines

- Multi-master environment

- Identifies an error condition if more than one master detected

- Selectable master clock reference

- Software can poll for status or be interrupt driven

I2C

- 128-bit buffer size

- Both normal (100kHz) and fast bus data rates (400kHz)

- Master or slave mode

- Normal or extended addressing

- I2C bus hold for slow host service

GPIO

- Up to 128 GPIO bits

  o Up to 78-bits from MIO and 96-bits from EMIO

- Each GPIO bit can be dynamically programmed as input or output

- Independent reset values for each bit of all registers

- Interrupt request generation for each GPIO signals

- Single Channel (Bit) write capability for all control registers include data output register, direction control register, and interrupt clear register

- Read back in output mode

CAN

- Conforms to the ISO 11898 -1, CAN2.0A, and CAN 2.0B standards

- Both standard (11-bit identifier) and extended (29-bit identifier) frames

- Bit rates up to 1Mb/s

- Transmit and Receive message FIFO with a depth of 64 messages

- Watermark interrupts for TXFIFO and RXFIFO

- Automatic re-transmission on errors or arbitration loss in normal mode

- Acceptance filtering of 4 acceptance filters

- 2 chip selects

- Programmable access timing

- 1.8V and 3.3V I/O

- Built-in DMA for improved performance

Quad-SPI Controller

- 4 bytes (32-bit) and 3 bytes (24-bit) address width

- Maximum SPI Clock at Master Mode at 150MHz

- Single, Dual-Parallel, and Dual-Stacked mode

- 32-bit AXI Linear Address Mapping Interface for read operation

- Up to 2 chip select signals

- Write Protection Signal

- Hold signals

- 4-bit bidirectional I/O signals

- x1/x2/x4 Read speed required

- x1 write speed required only

- 64 byte Entry FIFO depth to improve QSPI read efficiency

- Built-in DMA for improved performance

Video Encoder/Decoder (VCU)

Zynq UltraScale+ MPSoCs include a Video codec (encoder/decoder) available in the devices designated with the EV suffix. The VCU is located in the PL and can be accessed from either the PL or PS.

- Simultaneous Encode and Decode through separate cores

- H.264 high profile level 5.2 (4Kx2K-60)

- H.265 (HEVC) main, main10 profile, level 5.1, high Tier, up to 4Kx2K-60 rate

- 8 and 10 bit encoding

- 4:2:0 and 4:2:2 chroma sampling

- 8Kx4K-15 rate

- Multi-stream up to total of 4Kx2K-60 rate

- Low Latency mode

- Can share the PS DRAM or use dedicated DRAM in the PL

- Clock/power management

- OpenMax Linux drivers

HS-MIO

The function of the HS-MIO is to multiplex access from the high-speed PS peripheral to the differential pair on the PS-GTR transceiver as defined in the configuration registers. Up to 4 channels of the transceiver are available for use by the high-speed interfaces in the PS.

Table 9: **HS-MIO Peripheral Interface Mapping**

Peripheral Interface	Lane0	Lane1	Lane2	Lane3
PCIe (x1, x2 or x4)	PCIe0	PCIe1	PCIe2	PCIe3
SATA (1 or 2 channels)	SATA0	SATA1	SATA0	SATA1
DisplayPort (TX only)	DP1	DP0	DP1	DP0
USB0	USB0	USB0	USB0	–
USB1	–	–	–	USB1
SGMII0	SGMII0	–	–	–
SGMII1	–	SGMII1	–	–
SGMII2	–	–	SGMII2	–
SGMII3	–	–	–	SGMII3

PS-PL Interface

The PS-PL interface includes:

- AMBA AXI4 interfaces for primary data communication
  - o Six 128-bit/64-bit/32-bit High Performance (HP) Slave AXI interfaces from PL to PS.
    - – Four 128-bit/64-bit/32-bit HP AXI interfaces from PL to PS DDR.
    - – Two 128-bit/64-bit/32-bit high-performance coherent (HPC) ports from PL to cache coherent interconnect (CCI).
  - o Two 128-bit/64-bit/32-bit HP Master AXI interfaces from PS to PL.
  - o One 128-bit/64-bit/32-bit interface from PL to RPU in PS (PL_LPD) for low latency access to OCM.
  - o One 128-bit/64-bit/32-bit AXI interface from RPU in PS to PL (LPD_PL) for low latency access to PL.
  - o One 128-bit AXI interface (ACP port) for I/O coherent access from PL to Cortex-A53 cache memory. This interface provides coherency in hardware for Cortex-A53 cache memory.
  - o One 128-bit AXI interface (ACE Port) for Fully coherent access from PL to Cortex-A53. This interface provides coherency in hardware for Cortex-A53 cache memory and the PL.
- Clocks and resets
  - o Four PS clock outputs to the PL with start/stop control.
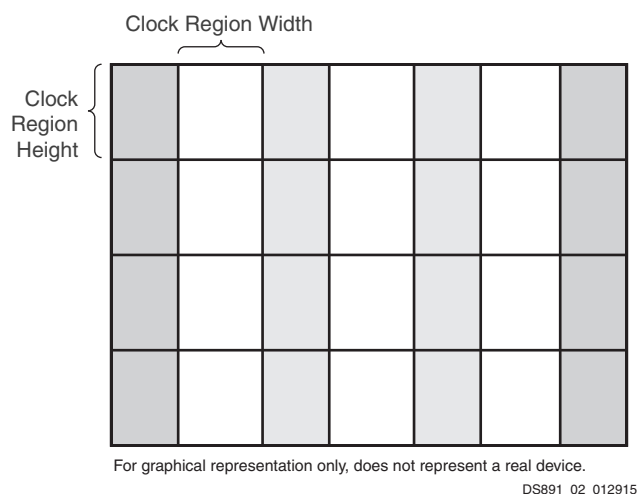 - o Four PS reset outputs to the PL.

For graphical representation only, does not represent a real device.

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Figure 2: **Column-Based Device Divided into Clock Regions**

Input/Output

All Zynq UltraScale+ MPSoCs have I/O pins for communicating to external components. In addition, in the MPSoC's PS, there are another 78 I/Os that the I/O peripherals use to communicate to external components, referred to as multiplexed I/O (MIO). If more than 78 pins are required by the I/O peripherals, the I/O pins in the PL can be used to extend the MPSoC interfacing capability, referred to as extended MIO (EMIO).

The number of I/O pins in the PL of Zynq UltraScale+ MPSoCs varies depending on device and package. Each I/O is configurable and can comply with a large number of I/O standards. The I/Os are classed as high-performance (HP), or high-density (HD). The HP I/Os are optimized for highest performance operation, from 1.0V to 1.8V. The HD I/Os are reduced-feature I/Os organized in banks of 24, providing voltage support from 1.2V to 3.3V.

All I/O pins are organized in banks, with 52 HP pins per bank or 24 HD pins per bank. Each bank has one common V_{CCO} output buffer power supply, which also powers certain input buffers. Some single-ended input buffers require an internally generated or an externally applied reference voltage (V_{REF}). V_{REF} pins can be driven directly from the PCB or internally generated using the internal V_{REF} generator circuitry present in each bank.

I/O Electrical Characteristics

Single-ended outputs use a conventional CMOS push/pull output structure driving High towards V_{CCO} or Low towards ground, and can be put into a high-Z state. The system designer can specify the slew rate and the output strength. The input is always active but is usually ignored while the output is active. Each pin can optionally have a weak pull-up or a weak pull-down resistor.

Most signal pin pairs can be configured as differential input pairs or output pairs. Differential input pin pairs can optionally be terminated with a 100Ω internal resistor. All UltraScale architecture-based devices support differential standards beyond LVDS, including RSDS, BLVDS, differential SSTL, and differential HSTL. Each of the I/Os supports memory I/O standards, such as single-ended and differential HSTL as well as single-ended and differential SSTL. The Zynq UltraScale+ family includes support for MIPI with a dedicated D-PHY in the I/O bank.

Table 10: **Transceiver Information**

	Zynq UltraScale+ MPSoCs		
Type	PS-GTR	GTH	GTY
Qty	4	0–44	0–28
Max. Data Rate	6.0Gb/s	16.3Gb/s	32.75Gb/s
Min. Data Rate	1.25Gb/s	0.5Gb/s	0.5Gb/s
Applications	• PCIe Gen2 • USB • Ethernet	• Backplane • PCIe Gen4 • HMC	• 100G+ Optics • Chip-to-Chip • 25G+ Backplane • HMC

The following information in this section pertains to the GTH and GTY only.

The serial transmitter and receiver are independent circuits that use an advanced phase-locked loop (PLL) architecture to multiply the reference frequency input by certain programmable numbers between 4 and 25 to become the bit-serial data clock. Each transceiver has a large number of user-definable features and parameters. All of these can be defined during device configuration, and many can also be modified during operation.

Transmitter

The transmitter is fundamentally a parallel-to-serial converter with a conversion ratio of 16, 20, 32, 40, 64, or 80 for the GTH and 16, 20, 32, 40, 64, 80, 128, or 160 for the GTY. This allows the designer to trade off datapath width against timing margin in high-performance designs. These transmitter outputs drive the PC board with a single-channel differential output signal. TXOUTCLK is the appropriately divided serial data clock and can be used directly to register the parallel data coming from the internal logic. The incoming parallel data is fed through an optional FIFO and has additional hardware support for the 8B/10B, 64B/66B, or 64B/67B encoding schemes to provide a sufficient number of transitions. The bit-serial output signal drives two package pins with differential signals. This output signal pair has programmable signal swing as well as programmable pre- and post-emphasis to compensate for PC board losses and other interconnect characteristics. For shorter channels, the swing can be reduced to reduce power consumption.

Receiver

The receiver is fundamentally a serial-to-parallel converter, changing the incoming bit-serial differential signal into a parallel stream of words, each 16, 20, 32, 40, 64, or 80 bits in the GTH or 16, 20, 32, 40, 64, 80, 128, or 160 for the GTY. This allows the designer to trade off internal datapath width against logic timing margin. The receiver takes the incoming differential data stream, feeds it through programmable DC automatic gain control, linear and decision feedback equalizers (to compensate for PC board, cable, optical and other interconnect characteristics), and uses the reference clock input to initiate clock recognition. There is no need for a separate clock line. The data pattern uses non-return-to-zero (NRZ) encoding and optionally ensures sufficient data transitions by using the selected encoding scheme. Parallel data is then transferred into the device logic using the RXUSRCLK clock. For short channels, the transceivers offer a special low-power mode (LPM) to reduce power consumption by approximately 30%. The receiver DC automatic gain control and linear and decision feedback equalizers can optionally "auto-adapt" to automatically learn and compensate for different interconnect characteristics. This enables even more margin for tough 10G+ and 25G+ backplanes.

Out-of-Band Signaling

The transceivers provide out-of-band (OOB) signaling, often used to send low-speed signals from the transmitter to the receiver while high-speed serial data transmission is not active. This is typically done when the link is in a powered-down state or has not yet been initialized. This benefits PCIe and SATA/SAS and QPI applications.

Integrated Interface Blocks for PCI Express Designs

The MPSoC PL includes integrated blocks for PCIe technology that can be configured as an Endpoint or Root Port, compliant to the PCI Express Base Specification Revision 3.1 for Gen3 and lower data rates and compatible with the PCI Express Base Specification Revision 4.0 (rev 0.5) for Gen4 data rates. The Root Port can be used to build the basis for a compatible Root Complex, to allow custom chip-to-chip communication via the PCI Express protocol, and to attach ASSP Endpoint devices, such as Ethernet Controllers or Fibre Channel HBAs, to the MPSoC.

This block is highly configurable to system design requirements and can operate 1, 2, 4, 8, or 16 lanes at up to 2.5Gb/s, 5.0Gb/s, 8.0Gb/s, or 16Gb/s data rates. For high-performance applications, advanced buffering techniques of the block offer a flexible maximum payload size of up to 1,024 bytes. The integrated block interfaces to the integrated high-speed transceivers for serial connectivity and to block RAMs for data buffering. Combined, these elements implement the Physical Layer, Data Link Layer, and Transaction Layer of the PCI Express protocol.

Xilinx provides a light-weight, configurable, easy-to-use LogiCORE™ IP wrapper that ties the various building blocks (the integrated block for PCIe, the transceivers, block RAM, and clocking resources) into an Endpoint or Root Port solution. The system designer has control over many configurable parameters: link width and speed, maximum payload size, MPSoC logic interface speeds, reference clock frequency, and base address register decoding and filtering.

Integrated Block for Interlaken

Some UltraScale architecture-based devices include integrated blocks for Interlaken. Interlaken is a scalable chip-to-chip interconnect protocol designed to enable transmission speeds from 10Gb/s to 150Gb/s. The Interlaken integrated block in the UltraScale architecture is compliant to revision 1.2 of the Interlaken specification with data striping and de-striping across 1 to 12 lanes. Permitted configurations are: 1 to 12 lanes at up to 12.5Gb/s and 1 to 6 lanes at up to 25.78125Gb/s, enabling flexible support for up to 150Gb/s per integrated block. With multiple Interlaken blocks, certain UltraScale architecture-based devices enable easy, reliable Interlaken switches and bridges.

Configurable Logic Block

Every Configurable Logic Block (CLB) in the UltraScale architecture contains 8 LUTs and 16 flip-flops. The LUTs can be configured as either one 6-input LUT with one output, or as two 5-input LUTs with separate outputs but common inputs. Each LUT can optionally be registered in a flip-flop. In addition to the LUTs and flip-flops, the CLB contains arithmetic carry logic and multiplexers to create wider logic functions.

Each CLB contains one slice. There are two types of slices: SLICEL and SLICEM. LUTs in the SLICEM can be configured as 64-bit RAM, as 32-bit shift registers (SRL32), or as two SRL16s. CLBs in the UltraScale architecture have increased routing and connectivity compared to CLBs in previous-generation Xilinx devices. They also have additional control signals to enable superior register packing, resulting in overall higher device utilization.

Interconnect

Various length vertical and horizontal routing resources in the UltraScale architecture that span 1, 2, 4, 5, 12, or 16 CLBs ensure that all signals can be transported from source to destination with ease, providing support for the next generation of wide data buses to be routed across even the highest capacity devices while simultaneously improving quality of results and software run time.

Block RAM

Every UltraScale architecture-based device contains a number of 36Kb block RAMs, each with two completely independent ports that share only the stored data. Each block RAM can be configured as one 36Kb RAM or two independent 18Kb RAMs. Each memory access, read or write, is controlled by the clock. Connections in every block RAM column enable signals to be cascaded between vertically adjacent block RAMs, providing an easy method to create large, fast memory arrays, and FIFOs with greatly reduced power consumption.

All inputs, data, address, clock enables, and write enables are registered. The input address is always clocked (unless address latching is turned off), retaining data until the next operation. An optional output data pipeline register allows higher clock rates at the cost of an extra cycle of latency. During a write operation, the data output can reflect either the previously stored data or the newly written data, or it can remain unchanged. Block RAM sites that remain unused in the user design are automatically powered down to reduce total power consumption. There is an additional pin on every block RAM to control the dynamic power gating feature.

Programmable Data Width

Each port can be configured as 32K × 1; 16K × 2; 8K × 4; 4K × 9 (or 8); 2K × 18 (or 16); 1K × 36 (or 32); or 512 × 72 (or 64). Whether configured as block RAM or FIFO, the two ports can have different aspect ratios without any constraints. Each block RAM can be divided into two completely independent 18Kb block RAMs that can each be configured to any aspect ratio from 16K × 1 to 512 × 36. Everything described previously for the full 36Kb block RAM also applies to each of the smaller 18Kb block RAMs. Only in simple dual-port (SDP) mode can data widths of greater than 18 bits (18Kb RAM) or 36 bits (36Kb RAM) be accessed. In this mode, one port is dedicated to read operation, the other to write operation. In SDP mode, one side (read or write) can be variable, while the other is fixed to 32/36 or 64/72. Both sides of the dual-port 36Kb RAM can be of variable width.

Error Detection and Correction

Each 64-bit-wide block RAM can generate, store, and utilize eight additional Hamming code bits and perform single-bit error correction and double-bit error detection (ECC) during the read process. The ECC logic can also be used when writing to or reading from external 64- to 72-bit-wide memories.

FIFO Controller

Each block RAM can be configured as a 36Kb FIFO or an 18Kb FIFO. The built-in FIFO controller for single-clock (synchronous) or dual-clock (asynchronous or multirate) operation increments the internal addresses and provides four handshaking flags: full, empty, programmable full, and programmable empty. The programmable flags allow the user to specify the FIFO counter values that make these flags go active. The FIFO width and depth are programmable with support for different read port and write port widths on a single FIFO. A dedicated cascade path allows for easy creation of deeper FIFOs.

UltraRAM

UltraRAM is a high-density, dual-port, synchronous memory block used in some UltraScale+ families. Both of the ports share the same clock and can address all of the 4K x 72 bits. Each port can independently read from or write to the memory array. UltraRAM supports two types of write enable schemes. The first mode is consistent with the block RAM byte write enable mode. The second mode allows gating the data and parity byte writes separately. Multiple UltraRAM blocks can be cascaded together to create larger memory arrays. UltraRAM blocks can be connected together to create larger memory arrays. Dedicated routing in the UltraRAM column enables the entire column height to be connected together. This makes UltraRAM an ideal solution for replacing external memories such as SRAM. Cascadable anywhere from 288Kb to 36Mb, UltraRAM provides the flexibility to fulfill many different memory requirements.

Error Detection and Correction

Each 64-bit-wide UltraRAM can generate, store and utilize eight additional Hamming code bits and perform single-bit error correction and double-bit error detection (ECC) during the read process.

Digital Signal Processing

DSP applications use many binary multipliers and accumulators, best implemented in dedicated DSP slices. All UltraScale architecture-based devices have many dedicated, low-power DSP slices, combining high speed with small size while retaining system design flexibility.

Each DSP slice fundamentally consists of a dedicated 27 × 18 bit twos complement multiplier and a 48-bit accumulator. The multiplier can be dynamically bypassed, and two 48-bit inputs can feed a single-instruction-multiple-data (SIMD) arithmetic unit (dual 24-bit add/subtract/accumulate or quad 12-bit add/subtract/accumulate), or a logic unit that can generate any one of ten different logic functions of the two operands.

The DSP includes an additional pre-adder, typically used in symmetrical filters. This pre-adder improves performance in densely packed designs and reduces the DSP slice count by up to 50%. The 96-bit-wide XOR function, programmable to 12, 24, 48, or 96-bit widths, enables performance improvements when implementing forward error correction and cyclic redundancy checking algorithms.

The DSP also includes a 48-bit-wide pattern detector that can be used for convergent or symmetric rounding. The pattern detector is also capable of implementing 96-bit-wide logic functions when used in conjunction with the logic unit.

The DSP slice provides extensive pipelining and extension capabilities that enhance the speed and efficiency of many applications beyond digital signal processing, such as wide dynamic bus shifters, memory address generators, wide bus multiplexers, and memory-mapped I/O register files. The accumulator can also be used as a synchronous up/down counter.

System Monitor

The System Monitor blocks in the UltraScale architecture are used to enhance the overall safety, security, and reliability of the system by monitoring the physical environment via on-chip power supply and temperature sensors.

All UltraScale architecture-based devices contain at least one System Monitor. The System Monitor in UltraScale+ devices is similar to the Kintex UltraScale and Virtex UltraScale devices but with the addition of a PMBus interface.

Zynq UltraScale+ MPSoCs contain one System Monitor in the PL and an additional block in the PS. The System Monitor in the PL has the same features as the block in UltraScale+ FPGAs. See Table 11.

Table 11: **Key System Monitor Features**

	Zynq UltraScale+ MPSoC PL	**Zynq UltraScale+ MPSoC PS**
ADC	10-bit 200kSPS	10-bit 1MSPS
Interfaces	JTAG, I2C, DRP, PMBus	APB

In FPGAs and the MPSoC PL, sensor outputs and up to 17 user-allocated external analog inputs are digitized using a 10-bit 200 kilo-sample-per-second (kSPS) ADC, and the measurements are stored in registers that can be accessed via internal FPGA (DRP), JTAG, PMBus, or I2C interfaces. The I2C interface and PMBus allow the on-chip monitoring to be easily accessed by the System Manager/Host before and after device configuration.

The System Monitor in the MPSoC PS uses a 10-bit, 1 mega-sample-per-second (MSPS) ADC to digitize the sensor inputs. The measurements are stored in registers and are accessed via the Advanced Peripheral Bus (APB) interface by the processors and the PMU in the PS.

Packaging

The UltraScale architecture-based devices are available in a variety of organic flip-chip and lidless flip-chip packages supporting different quantities of I/Os and transceivers. Maximum supported performance can depend on the style of package and its material. Always refer to the specific device data sheet for performance specifications by package type.

In flip-chip packages, the silicon device is attached to the package substrate using a high-performance flip-chip process. Decoupling capacitors are mounted on the package substrate to optimize signal integrity under simultaneous switching of outputs (SSO) conditions.

System-Level Features

Several functions span both the PS and PL and include:

- Reset Management
- Clock Management
- Power Domains
- PS Boot and Device Configuration
- Hardware and Software Debug Support

Reset Management

The reset management function provides the ability to reset the entire device or individual units within it. The PS supports these reset functions and signals:

- External and internal power-on reset signal
- Warm reset
- Watchdog timer reset
- User resets to PL
- Software, watchdog timer, or JTAG provided resets
- Security violation reset (locked down reset)

PS Boot and Device Configuration

Zynq UltraScale+ MPSoCs use a multi-stage boot process that supports both a non-secure and a secure boot. The PS is the master of the boot and configuration process. For a secure boot, the AES-GCM, SHA-3/384 decrypts and authenticates the images while the 4096-bit RSA block authenticates the image.

Upon reset, the device mode pins are read to determine the primary boot device to be used: NAND, Quad-SPI, SD, eMMC, or JTAG. JTAG can only be used as a non-secure boot source and is intended for debugging purposes. The CSU executes code out of on-chip ROM and copies the first stage boot loader (FSBL) from the boot device to the OCM.

After copying the FSBL to OCM, one of the processors, either the Cortex-A53 or Cortex-R5, executes the FSBL. Xilinx supplies example FSBLs or users can create their own. The FSBL initiates the boot of the PS and can load and configure the PL, or configuration of the PL can be deferred to a later stage. The FSBL typically loads either a user application or an optional second stage boot loader (SSBL), such as U-Boot. Users obtain example SSBL from Xilinx or a third party, or they can create their own SSBL. The SSBL continues the boot process by loading code from any of the primary boot devices or from other sources such as USB, Ethernet, etc. If the FSBL did not configure the PL, the SSBL can do so, or again, the configuration can be deferred to a later stage.

The static memory interface controller (NAND, eMMC, or Quad-SPI) is configured using default settings. To improve device configuration speed, these settings can be modified by information provided in the boot image header. The ROM boot image is not user readable or callable after boot.

Hardware and Software Debug Support

The debug system used in Zynq UltraScale+ MPSoCs is based on the ARM CoreSight architecture. It uses ARM CoreSight components including an embedded trace controller (ETC), an embedded trace Macrocell (ETM) for each Cortex-A53 and Cortex-R5 processor, and a system trace Macrocell (STM). This enables advanced debug features like event trace, debug breakpoints and triggers, cross-trigger, and debug bus dump to memory. The programmable logic can be debugged with the Xilinx Vivado Logic Analyzer.

Debug Ports

Three JTAG ports are available and can be chained together or used separately. When chained together, a single port is used for chip-level JTAG functions, ARM processor code downloads and run-time control operations, PL configuration, and PL debug with the Vivado Logic Analyzer. This enables tools such as the Xilinx Software Development Kit (SDK) and Vivado Logic Analyzer to share a single download cable from Xilinx.

When the JTAG chain is split, one port is used to directly access the ARM DAP interface. This CoreSight interface enables the use of ARM-compliant debug and software development tools such as Development Studio 5 (DS-5™). The other JTAG port can then be used by the Xilinx FPGA tools for access to the PL, including configuration bitstream downloads and PL debug with the Vivado Logic Analyzer. In this mode, users can download to and debug the PL in the same manner as a stand-alone FPGA.