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Embedded - System On Chip (SoC): The Heart of Modern Embedded Systems

Embedded - System On Chip (SoC) refers to an integrated circuit that consolidates all the essential components of a computer system into a single chip. This includes a microprocessor, memory, and other peripherals, all packed into one compact and efficient package. SoCs are designed to provide a complete computing solution, optimizing both space and power consumption, making them ideal for a wide range of embedded applications.

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	Active
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, I ² C, MMC/SD/SDIO, SPI, UART/USART, USB OTG
Speed	500MHz, 600MHz, 1.2GHz
Primary Attributes	Zynq@UltraScale+™ FPGA, 256K+ Logic Cells
Operating Temperature	-40°C ~ 100°C (Tj)
Package / Case	784-BFBGA, FCBGA
Supplier Device Package	784-FCBGA (23x23)
Purchase URL	https://www.e-xfl.com/product-detail/xilinx/xczu5ev-l1sfvc784i

Programmable Logic (PL)

Configurable Logic Blocks (CLB)

- Look-up tables (LUT)
- Flip-flops
- Cascadable adders

36Kb Block RAM

- True dual-port
- Up to 72 bits wide
- Configurable as dual 18Kb

UltraRAM

- 288Kb dual-port
- 72 bits wide
- Error checking and correction

DSP Blocks

- 27 x 18 signed multiply
- 48-bit adder/accumulator
- 27-bit pre-adder

Programmable I/O Blocks

- Supports LVCMOS, LVDS, and SSTL
- 1.0V to 3.3V I/O
- Programmable I/O delay and SerDes

JTAG Boundary-Scan

- IEEE Std 1149.1 Compatible Test Interface

PCI Express

- Supports Root complex and End Point configurations
- Supports up to Gen4 speeds
- Up to five integrated blocks in select devices

100G Ethernet MAC/PCS

- IEEE Std 802.3 compliant
- CAUI-10 (10x 10.3125Gb/s) or CAUI-4 (4x 25.78125Gb/s)
- RSFEC (IEEE Std 802.3bj) in CAUI-4 configuration
- Up to four integrated blocks in select devices

Interlaken

- Interlaken spec 1.2 compliant
- 64/67 encoding
- 12 x 12.5Gb/s or 6 x 25Gb/s
- Up to four integrated blocks in select devices

Video Encoder/Decoder (VCU)

- Available in EV devices
- Accessible from either PS or PL
- Simultaneous encode and decode
- H.264 and H.265 support

System Monitor in PL

- On-chip voltage and temperature sensing
- 10-bit 200KSPS ADC with up to 17 external inputs

Feature Summary

Table 1: Zynq UltraScale+ MPSoC: CG Device Feature Summary

	ZU2CG	ZU3CG	ZU4CG	ZU5CG	ZU6CG	ZU7CG	ZU9CG
Application Processing Unit	Dual-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						
System Logic Cells	103,320	154,350	192,150	256,200	469,446	504,000	599,550
CLB Flip-Flops	94,464	141,120	175,680	234,240	429,208	460,800	548,160
CLB LUTs	47,232	70,560	87,840	117,120	214,604	230,400	274,080
Distributed RAM (Mb)	1.2	1.8	2.6	3.5	6.9	6.2	8.8
Block RAM Blocks	150	216	128	144	714	312	912
Block RAM (Mb)	5.3	7.6	4.5	5.1	25.1	11.0	32.1
UltraRAM Blocks	0	0	48	64	0	96	0
UltraRAM (Mb)	0	0	14.0	18.0	0	27.0	0
DSP Slices	240	360	728	1,248	1,973	1,728	2,520
CMTs	3	3	4	4	4	8	4
Max. HP I/O ⁽¹⁾	156	156	156	156	208	416	208
Max. HD I/O ⁽²⁾	96	96	96	96	120	48	120
System Monitor	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
GTH Transceiver 16.3Gb/s ⁽³⁾	0	0	16	16	24	24	24
GTY Transceivers 32.75Gb/s	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Transceiver Fractional PLLs	0	0	8	8	12	12	12
PCIe Gen3 x16 and Gen4 x8	0	0	2	2	0	2	0
150G Interlaken	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
100G Ethernet w/ RS-FEC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

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 2](#).

Table 2: Zynq UltraScale+ MPSoC: CG Device-Package Combinations and Maximum I/Os

Package (1)(2)(3)(4)(5)	Package Dimensions (mm)	ZU2CG	ZU3CG	ZU4CG	ZU5CG	ZU6CG	ZU7CG	ZU9CG
		HD, HP GTH, GTY	HD, HP GTH, GTY	HD, HP GTH, GTY	HD, HP GTH, GTY	HD, HP GTH, GTY	HD, HP GTH, GTY	HD, HP GTH, GTY
SBVA484 ⁽⁶⁾	19x19	24, 58 0, 0	24, 58 0, 0					
SFVA625	21x21	24, 156 0, 0	24, 156 0, 0					
SFVC784 ⁽⁷⁾	23x23	96, 156 0, 0	96, 156 0, 0	96, 156 4, 0	96, 156 4, 0			
FBVB900	31x31			48, 156 16, 0	48, 156 16, 0		48, 156 16, 0	
FFVC900	31x31					48, 156 16, 0		48, 156 16, 0
FFVB1156	35x35					120, 208 24, 0		120, 208 24, 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. SB/SF packages have 0.8mm ball pitch.
3. All device package combinations bond out 4 PS-GTR transceivers.
4. All device package combinations bond out 214 PS I/O except ZU2CG and ZU3CG in the SBVA484 and SFVA625 packages, which bond out 170 PS I/Os.
5. Packages with the same last letter and number sequence, e.g., A484, are footprint compatible with all other UltraScale devices with the same sequence. The footprint compatible devices within this family are outlined.
6. All 58 HP I/O pins are powered by the same V_{CCO} supply.
7. GTH transceivers in the SFVC784 package support data rates up to 12.5Gb/s.

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.
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Table 4: Zynq UltraScale+ MPSoC: EG Device-Package Combinations and Maximum I/Os

Package (1)(2)(3)(4)(5)	Package Dimensions (mm)	ZU2EG	ZU3EG	ZU4EG	ZU5EG	ZU6EG	ZU7EG	ZU9EG	ZU11EG	ZU15EG	ZU17EG	ZU19EG
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SBVA484(6)	19x19	24, 58 0, 0	24, 58 0, 0									
SFVA625	21x21	24, 156 0, 0	24, 156 0, 0									
SFVC784(7)	23x23	96, 156 0, 0	96, 156 0, 0	96, 156 4, 0	96, 156 4, 0							
FBVB900	31x31			48, 156 16, 0	48, 156 16, 0		48, 156 16, 0					
FFVC900	31x31					48, 156 16, 0		48, 156 16, 0		48, 156 16, 0		
FFVB1156	35x35					120, 208 24, 0		120, 208 24, 0		120, 208 24, 0		
FFVC1156	35x35						48, 312 20, 0		48, 312 20, 0			
FFVB1517	40x40								72, 416 16, 0		72, 572 16, 0	72, 572 16, 0
FFVF1517	40x40						48, 416 24, 0		48, 416 32, 0			
FFVC1760	42.5x42.5								96, 416 32, 16		96, 416 32, 16	96, 416 32, 16
FFVD1760	42.5x42.5										48, 260 44, 28	48, 260 44, 28
FFVE1924	45x45										96, 572 44, 0	96, 572 44, 0

Notes:

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2. FB/FF packages have 1.0mm ball pitch. SB/SF packages have 0.8mm ball pitch.
3. All device package combinations bond out 4 PS-GTR transceivers.
4. All device package combinations bond out 214 PS I/O except ZU2EG and ZU3EG in the SBVA484 and SFVA625 packages, which bond out 170 PS I/Os.
5. Packages with the same last letter and number sequence, e.g., A484, are footprint compatible with all other UltraScale devices with the same sequence. The footprint compatible devices within this family are outlined.
6. All 58 HP I/O pins are powered by the same V_{CC0} supply.
7. GTH transceivers in the SFVC784 package support data rates up to 12.5Gb/s.

Table 5: Zynq UltraScale+ MPSoC: EV Device Feature Summary

	ZU4EV	ZU5EV	ZU7EV
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		
Video Codec	1	1	1
System Logic Cells	192,150	256,200	504,000
CLB Flip-Flops	175,680	234,240	460,800
CLB LUTs	87,840	117,120	230,400
Distributed RAM (Mb)	2.6	3.5	6.2
Block RAM Blocks	128	144	312
Block RAM (Mb)	4.5	5.1	11.0
UltraRAM Blocks	48	64	96
UltraRAM (Mb)	14.0	18.0	27.0
DSP Slices	728	1,248	1,728
CMTs	4	4	8
Max. HP I/O ⁽¹⁾	156	156	416
Max. HD I/O ⁽²⁾	96	96	48
System Monitor	2	2	2
GTH Transceiver 16.3Gb/s ⁽³⁾	16	16	24
GTY Transceivers 32.75Gb/s	0	0	0
Transceiver Fractional PLLs	8	8	12
PCIe Gen3 x16 and Gen4 x8	2	2	2
150G Interlaken	0	0	0
100G Ethernet w/ RS-FEC	0	0	0

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 6](#).

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

Package (1)(2)(3)(4)	Package Dimensions (mm)	ZU4EV	ZU5EV	ZU7EV
		HD, HP GTH, GTY	HD, HP GTH, GTY	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:

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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

Real-Time Processing Unit (RPU)

- Dual-core ARM Cortex-R5 MPCores. Features associated with each core include:
 - ARM v7-R Architecture (32-bit)
 - Operating target frequency: Up to 600MHz
 - A32/T32 instruction set support
 - 4-way set-associative Level 1 caches (separate instruction and data, 32KB each) with ECC support
 - Integrated Memory Protection Unit (MPU) per processor
 - 128KB Tightly Coupled Memory (TCM) with ECC support
 - TCMs can be combined to become 256KB in lockstep mode
- Ability to operate in single-processor or dual-processor modes (split and lock-step)
- Little and big endian support
- Dedicated SWDT and two Triple Timer Counters (TTC)
- CoreSight debug and trace support
 - Embedded Trace Macrocell (ETM) for instruction and trace
 - Cross trigger interface (CTI) enabling hardware breakpoints and triggers
- Optional eFUSE disable

Full-Power Domain DMA (FPD-DMA) and Low-Power Domain DMA (LPD-DMA)

- Two general-purpose DMA controllers one in the full-power domain (FPD-DMA) and one in the low-power domain (LPD-DMA)
- Eight independent channels per DMA
- Multiple transfer types:
 - Memory-to-memory
 - Memory-to-peripheral
 - Peripheral-to-memory and
 - Scatter-gather
- 8 peripheral interfaces per DMA
- TrustZone per DMA for optional secure operation

Xilinx Memory Protection Unit (XMPU)

- Region based memory protection unit
- Up to 16 regions
- Each region supports address alignment of 1MB or 4KB
- Regions can overlap; the higher region number has priority
- Each region can be independently enabled or disabled
- Each region has a start and end address

Graphics Processing Unit (GPU)

- Supports OpenGL ES 1.1 & 2.0
- Supports OpenVG 1.1
- Operating target frequency: up to 667MHz
- Single Geometry Processor and two Pixel processor
- Pixel Fill Rate: 2 Mpixel/sec/MHz
- Triangle Rate: 0.11 Mtriangles/sec/MHz
- 64KB Level 2 Cache (read-only)
- 4X and 16X Anti-aliasing Support
- ETC1 texture compression to reduce external memory bandwidth
- Extensive texture format support
 - RGBA 8888, 565, 1556
 - Mono 8, 16
 - YUV format support
- Automatic load balancing across different graphics shader engines
- 2D and 3D graphic acceleration
- Up to 4K texture input and 4K render output resolutions
- Each geometry processor and pixel processor supports 4KB page MMU
- Power island gating on each GPU engine and shared cache
- Optional eFUSE disable

Dynamic Memory Controller (DDRC)

- DDR3, DDR3L, DDR4, LPDDR3, LPDDR4
- Target data rate: Up to 2400Mb/s DDR4 operation in -1 speed grade
- 32-bit and 64-bit bus width support for DDR4, DDR3, DDR3L, or LPDDR3 memories, and 32-bit bus width support for LPDDR4 memory
- ECC support (using extra bits)
- Up to a total DRAM capacity of 32GB

- 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

High-Performance AXI Ports

The high-performance AXI4 ports provide access from the PL to DDR and high-speed interconnect in the PS. The six dedicated AXI memory ports from the PL to the PS are configurable as either 128-bit, 64-bit, or 32-bit interfaces. These interfaces connect the PL to the memory interconnect via a FIFO interface. Two of the AXI interfaces support I/O coherent access to the APU caches.

Each high-performance AXI port has these characteristics:

- Reduced latency between PL and processing system memory
- 1KB deep FIFO
- Configurable either as 128-bit, 64-bit, or 32-bit AXI interfaces
- Multiple AXI command issuing to DDR

Accelerator Coherency Port (ACP)

The Zynq UltraScale+ MPSoC accelerator coherency port (ACP) is a 64-bit AXI slave interface that provides connectivity between the APU and a potential accelerator function in the PL. The ACP directly connects the PL to the snoop control unit (SCU) of the ARM Cortex-A53 processors, enabling cache-coherent access to CPU data in the L2 cache. The ACP provides a low latency path between the PS and a PL-based accelerator when compared with a legacy cache flushing and loading scheme. The ACP only snoops access in the CPU L2 cache, providing coherency in hardware. It does not support coherency on the PL side. So this interface is ideal for a DMA or an accelerator in the PL that only requires coherency on the CPU cache memories. For example, if a MicroBlaze™ processor in the PL is attached to the ACP interface, the cache of MicroBlaze processor will not be coherent with Cortex-A53 caches.

AXI Coherency Extension (ACE)

The Zynq UltraScale+ MPSoC AXI coherency extension (ACE) is a 64-bit AXI4 slave interface that provides connectivity between the APU and a potential accelerator function in the PL. The ACE directly connects the PL to the snoop control unit (SCU) of the ARM Cortex-A53 processors, enabling cache-coherent access to Cache Coherent Interconnect (CCI). The ACE provides a low-latency path between the PS and a PL-based accelerator when compared with a legacy cache flushing and loading scheme. The ACE snoops accesses to the CCI and the PL side, thus, providing full coherency in hardware. This interface can be used to hook up a cached interface in the PL to the PS as caches on both the Cortex-A53 memories and the PL master are snooped thus providing full coherency. For example, if a MicroBlaze processor in the PL is hooked up using an ACE interface, then Cortex-A53 and MicroBlaze processor caches will be coherent with each other.

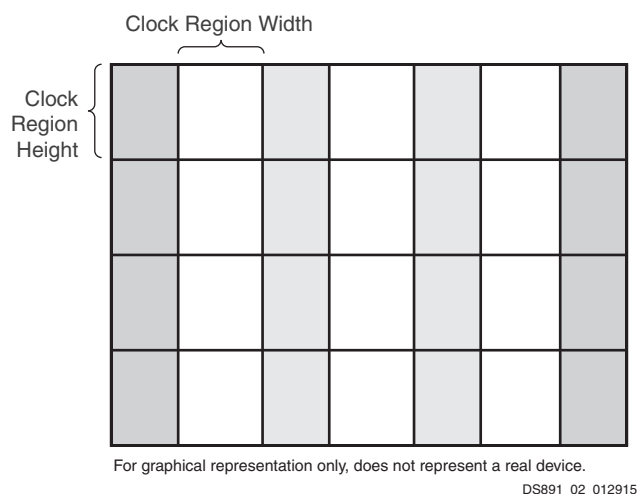


Figure 2: Column-Based Device Divided into Clock Regions

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_{CC0} 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_{CC0} 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 100 Ω 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.

3-State Digitally Controlled Impedance and Low Power I/O Features

The 3-state Digitally Controlled Impedance (T_DCI) can control the output drive impedance (series termination) or can provide parallel termination of an input signal to V_{CCO} or split (Thevenin) termination to $V_{CCO}/2$. This allows users to eliminate off-chip termination for signals using T_DCI. In addition to board space savings, the termination automatically turns off when in output mode or when 3-stated, saving considerable power compared to off-chip termination. The I/Os also have low power modes for IBUF and IDELAY to provide further power savings, especially when used to implement memory interfaces.

I/O Logic

Input and Output Delay

All inputs and outputs can be configured as either combinatorial or registered. Double data rate (DDR) is supported by all inputs and outputs. Any input or output can be individually delayed by up to 1,250ps of delay with a resolution of 5–15ps. Such delays are implemented as IDELAY and ODELAY. The number of delay steps can be set by configuration and can also be incremented or decremented while in use. The IDELAY and ODELAY can be cascaded together to double the amount of delay in a single direction.

ISERDES and OSERDES

Many applications combine high-speed, bit-serial I/O with slower parallel operation inside the device. This requires a serializer and deserializer (SerDes) inside the I/O logic. Each I/O pin possesses an IOSERDES (ISERDES and OSERDES) capable of performing serial-to-parallel or parallel-to-serial conversions with programmable widths of 2, 4, or 8 bits. These I/O logic features enable high-performance interfaces, such as Gigabit Ethernet/1000BaseX/SGMII, to be moved from the transceivers to the SelectIO interface.

High-Speed Serial Transceivers

Ultra-fast serial data transmission between devices on the same PCB, over backplanes, and across even longer distances is becoming increasingly important for scaling to 100 Gb/s and 400 Gb/s line cards. Specialized dedicated on-chip circuitry and differential I/O capable of coping with the signal integrity issues are required at these high data rates.

Three types of transceivers are used in Zynq UltraScale+ MPSoCs: GTH, GTY, and PS-GTR. All transceivers are arranged in groups of four, known as a transceiver Quad. Each serial transceiver is a combined transmitter and receiver. [Table 10](#) compares the available transceivers.

PLL

With fewer features than the MMCM, the two PLLs in a clock management tile are primarily present to provide the necessary clocks to the dedicated memory interface circuitry. The circuit at the center of the PLLs is similar to the MMCM, with PFD feeding a VCO and programmable M, D, and O counters. There are two divided outputs to the device fabric per PLL as well as one clock plus one enable signal to the memory interface circuitry.

Zynq UltraScale+ MPSoCs are equipped with five additional PLLs in the PS for independently configuring the four primary clock domains with the PS: the APU, the RPU, the DDR controller, and the I/O peripherals.

Clock Distribution

Clocks are distributed throughout Zynq UltraScale+ MPSoCs via buffers that drive a number of vertical and horizontal tracks. There are 24 horizontal clock routes per clock region and 24 vertical clock routes per clock region with 24 additional vertical clock routes adjacent to the MMCM and PLL. Within a clock region, clock signals are routed to the device logic (CLBs, etc.) via 16 gateable leaf clocks.

Several types of clock buffers are available. The BUFGCE and BUFCE_LEAF buffers provide clock gating at the global and leaf levels, respectively. BUFGCTRL provides glitchless clock muxing and gating capability. BUFGCE_DIV has clock gating capability and can divide a clock by 1 to 8. BUFG_GT performs clock division from 1 to 8 for the transceiver clocks. In MPSoCs, clocks can be transferred from the PS to the PL using dedicated buffers.

Memory Interfaces

Memory interface data rates continue to increase, driving the need for dedicated circuitry that enables high performance, reliable interfacing to current and next-generation memory technologies. Every Zynq UltraScale+ MPSoC includes dedicated physical interfaces (PHY) blocks located between the CMT and I/O columns that support implementation of high-performance PHY blocks to external memories such as DDR4, DDR3, QDRII+, and RLDRAM3. The PHY blocks in each I/O bank generate the address/control and data bus signaling protocols as well as the precision clock/data alignment required to reliably communicate with a variety of high-performance memory standards. Multiple I/O banks can be used to create wider memory interfaces.

As well as external parallel memory interfaces, Zynq UltraScale+ MPSoC can communicate to external serial memories, such as Hybrid Memory Cube (HMC), via the high-speed serial transceivers. All transceivers in the UltraScale architecture support the HMC protocol, up to 15Gb/s line rates. UltraScale architecture-based devices support the highest bandwidth HMC configuration of 64 lanes with a single device.

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.

Clock Management

The PS in Zynq UltraScale+ MPSoCs is equipped with five phase-locked loops (PLLs), providing flexibility in configuring the clock domains within the PS. There are four primary clock domains of interest within the PS. These include the APU, the RPU, the DDR controller, and the I/O peripherals (IOP). The frequencies of all of these domains can be configured independently under software control.

Power Domains

The Zynq UltraScale+ MPSoC contains four separate power domains. When they are connected to separate power supplies, they can be completely powered down independently of each other without consuming any dynamic or static power. The processing system includes:

- Full Power Domain (FPD)
- Low Power Domain (LPD)
- Battery Powered Domain (BPD)

In addition to these three Processing System power domains, the PL can also be completely powered down if connected to separate power supplies.

The Full Power Domain (FPD) consists of the following major blocks:

- Application Processing Unit (APU)
- DMA (FP-DMA)
- Graphics Processing Unit (GPU)
- Dynamic Memory Controller (DDRC)
- High-Speed I/O Peripherals

The Low Power Domain (LPD) consists of the following major blocks:

- Real-Time Processing Unit (RPU)
- DMA (LP-DMA)
- Platform Management Unit (PMU)
- Configuration Security Unit (CSU)
- Low-Speed I/O Peripherals
- Static Memory Interfaces

The Battery Power Domain (BPD) is the lowest power domain of the Zynq UltraScale+ MPSoC processing system. In this mode, all the PS is powered off except the Real-Time Clock (RTC) and battery-backed RAM (BBRAM).

Power Examples

Power for the Zynq UltraScale+ MPSoCs varies depending on the utilization of the PL resources, and the frequency of the PS and PL. To estimate power, use the Xilinx Power Estimator (XPE) at:

http://www.xilinx.com/products/design_tools/logic_design/xpe.htm

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.