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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	533MHz, 600MHz, 1.3GHz
Primary Attributes	Zynq®UltraScale+™ FPGA, 599K+ Logic Cells
Operating Temperature	-40°C ~ 100°C (TJ)
Package / Case	900-BBGA, FCBGA
Supplier Device Package	900-FCBGA (31x31)
Purchase URL	https://www.e-xfl.com/product-detail/xilinx/xczu9eg-2ffvc900i

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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 A	Dual-core ARM Cortex-R5 with CoreSight; Single/Double Precision Floating Point; 32KB/32KB L1 Cache, and TCM						
Embedded and External Memory	256K	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; U	SB 2.0; I2C; S	PI; 32b GPIO; Timer Counters	Real Time Cloc	k; WatchDog T	imers; Triple	
High-Speed Connectivity	4	PS-GTR; PCIe	Gen1/2; Seria	ıl ATA 3.1; Disp	olayPort 1.2a;	USB 3.0; SGMI	I	
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.
- HD = High-density I/O with support for I/O voltage from 1.2V to 3.3V.
 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

Dackago	Package	ZU2CG	ZU3CG	ZU4CG	ZU5CG	ZU6CG	ZU7CG	ZU9CG
Package (1)(2)(3)(4)(5)	Dimensions (mm)	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-co	re ARM Corte	x-A53 MPCore	e with CoreSi	ght; NEON & S	Single/Double	Precision Flo	ating Point; 3	2KB/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 Memo	ory w/ECC; Ex External C	kternal DDR4; Quad-SPI; NA	DDR3; DDR3 ND; eMMC	BL; LPDDR4; I	LPDDR3;		
General Connectivity		214 PS I/0	D; UART; CAN	l; USB 2.0; I2	C; SPI; 32b (SPIO; Real Tir	ne Clock; Wa	tchDog Timer	s; Triple Time	r Counters	
High-Speed Connectivity			4 PS	S-GTR; PCIe C	Sen1/2; Seria	I ATA 3.1; Dis	playPort 1.2a	; USB 3.0; S	GMII		
Graphic Processing Unit					ARM Mali™-	400 MP2; 64I	KB 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

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- Low power modes
 - Active/precharge power down
 - o 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 (HPO & 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
 - o INTx not recommended, but can be generated
 - Endpoint to support configurable target/slave apertures with address translation and Interrupt capability



Configuration Security Unit (CSU)

- Triple redundant Secure Processor Block (SPB) with built-in ECC
- Crypto Interface Block consisting of
 - 256-bit AES-GCM
 - o SHA-3/384
 - o 4096-bit RSA
- Key Management Unit
- Built-in DMA
- PCAP interface
- Supports ROM validation during pre-configuration stage
- Loads First Stage Boot Loader (FSBL) into OCM in either secure or non-secure boot modes
- Supports voltage, temperature, and frequency monitoring after configuration

Xilinx Peripheral Protection Unit (XPPU)

- Provides peripheral protection support
- Up to 20 masters simultaneously
- Multiple aperture sizes
- Access control for a specified set of address apertures on a per master basis
- 64KB peripheral apertures and controls access on per peripheral basis

I/O Peripherals

The IOP unit contains the data communication peripherals. Key features of the IOP include:

Triple-Speed Gigabit Ethernet

- Compatible with IEEE Std 802.3 and supports 10/100/1000Mb/s transfer rates (Full and Half duplex)
- Supports jumbo frames
- Built-in Scatter-Gather DMA capability
- Statistics counter registers for RMON/MIB
- Multiple I/O types (1.8, 2.5, 3.3V) on RGMII interface with external PHY
- GMII interface to PL to support interfaces as: TBI, SGMII, and RGMII v2.0 support
- Automatic pad and cyclic redundancy check (CRC) generation on transmitted frames
- Transmitter and Receive IP, TCP, and UDP checksum offload
- MDIO interface for physical layer management



- 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
 - Low speed clock 0-400KHz
 - Default speed 0-25MHz
 - 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

12C

- 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
 - 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



- Sleep Mode with automatic wake-up
- Snoop Mode
- 16-bit timestamping for receive messages
- Both internal generated reference clock and external reference clock input from MIO
- Guarantee clock sampling edge between 80 to 83% at 24MHz reference clock input
- Optional eFUSE disable per port

USB 2.0

- Two USB controllers (configurable as USB 2.0 or USB 3.0)
- Host, device and On-The-Go (OTG) modes
- High Speed, Full Speed, and Low Speed
- Up to 12 endpoints
- 8-bit ULPI External PHY Interface
- 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

Static Memory Interfaces

The static memory interfaces support external static memories.

- ONFI 3.1 NAND flash support with up to 24-bit ECC
- 1-bit SPI, 2-bit SPI, 4-bit SPI (Quad-SPI), or two Quad-SPI (8-bit) serial NOR flash
- 8-bit eMMC interface supporting managed NAND flash

NAND ONFI 3.1 Flash Controller

- ONFI 3.1 compliant
- Supports chip select reduction per ONFI 3.1 spec
- SLC NAND for boot/configuration and data storage
- ECC options based on SLC NAND
 - o 1, 4, or 8 bits per 512+spare bytes
 - o 24 bits per 1024+spare bytes
- Maximum throughput as follows
 - o Asynchronous mode (SDR) 24.3MB/s
 - Synchronous mode (NV-DDR) 112MB/s (for 100MHz flash clock)
- 8-bit SDR NAND interface



- 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



Interconnect

All the blocks are connected to each other and to the PL through a multi-layered ARM Advanced Microprocessor Bus Architecture (AMBA) AXI interconnect. The interconnect is non-blocking and supports multiple simultaneous master-slave transactions.

The interconnect is designed with latency sensitive masters, such as the ARM CPU, having the shortest paths to memory, and bandwidth critical masters, such as the potential PL masters, having high throughput connections to the slaves with which they need to communicate.

Traffic through the interconnect can be regulated through the Quality of Service (QoS) block in the interconnect. The QoS feature is used to regulate traffic generated by the CPU, DMA controller, and a combined entity representing the masters in the IOP.

PS Interfaces

PS interfaces include external interfaces going off-chip or signals going from PS to PL.

PS External Interfaces

The Zynq UltraScale+ MPSoC's external interfaces use dedicated pins that cannot be assigned as PL pins. These include:

- Clock, reset, boot mode, and voltage reference
- Up to 78 dedicated multiplexed I/O (MIO) pins, software-configurable to connect to any of the internal I/O peripherals and static memory controllers
- 32-bit or 64-bit DDR4/DDR3/DDR3L/LPDDR3 memories with optional ECC
- 32-bit LPDDR4 memory with optional ECC
- 4 channels (TX and RX pair) for transceivers

MIO Overview

The IOP peripherals communicate to external devices through a shared pool of up to 78 dedicated multiplexed I/O (MIO) pins. Each peripheral can be assigned one of several pre-defined groups of pins, enabling a flexible assignment of multiple devices simultaneously. Although 78 pins are not enough for simultaneous use of all the I/O peripherals, most IOP interface signals are available to the PL, allowing use of standard PL I/O pins when powered up and properly configured. Extended multiplexed I/O (EMIO) allows unmapped PS peripherals to access PL I/O.

Port mappings can appear in multiple locations. For example, there are up to 12 possible port mappings for CAN pins. The PS Configuration Wizard (PCW) tool aids in peripheral and static memory pin mapping.



Table 8: MIO Peripheral Interface Mapping

Peripheral Interface	MIO	ЕМІО
Quad-SPI NAND	Yes	No
USB2.0: 0,1	Yes: External PHY	No
SDIO 0,1	Yes	Yes
SPI: 0,1 I2C: 0,1 CAN: 0,1 GPIO	Yes CAN: External PHY GPIO: Up to 78 bits	Yes CAN: External PHY GPIO: Up to 96 bits
GigE: 0,1,2,3	RGMII v2.0: External PHY	Supports GMII, RGMII v2.0 (HSTL), RGMII v1.3, MII, SGMII, and 1000BASE-X in Programmable Logic
UART: 0,1	Simple UART: Only two pins (TX and RX)	 Full UART (TX, RX, DTR, DCD, DSR, RI, RTS, and CTS) requires either: Two Processing System (PS) pins (RX and TX) through MIO and six additional Programmable Logic (PL) pins, or Eight Programmable Logic (PL) pins
Debug Trace Ports	Yes: Up to 16 trace bits	Yes: Up to 32 trace bits
Processor JTAG	Yes	Yes

Transceiver (PS-GTR)

The four PS-GTR transceivers, which reside in the full power domain (FPD), support data rates of up to 6.0Gb/s. All the protocols cannot be pinned out at the same time. At any given time, four differential pairs can be pinned out using the transceivers. This is user programmable via the high-speed I/O multiplexer (HS-MIO).

- A Quad transceiver PS-GTR (TX/RX pair) able to support following standards simultaneously
 - o x1, x2, or x4 lane of PCIe at Gen1 (2.5Gb/s) or Gen2 (5.0Gb/s) rates
 - o 1 or 2 lanes of DisplayPort (TX only) at 1.62Gb/s, 2.7Gb/s, or 5.4Gb/s
 - o 1 or 2 SATA channels at 1.5Gb/s, 3.0Gb/s, or 6.0Gb/s
 - 1 or 2 USB3.0 channels at 5.0Gb/s
 - o 1-4 Ethernet SGMII channels at 1.25Gb/s
- Provides flexible host-programmable multiplexing function for connecting the transceiver resources to the PS masters (DisplayPort, PCIe, Serial-ATA, USB3.0, and GigE).



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.



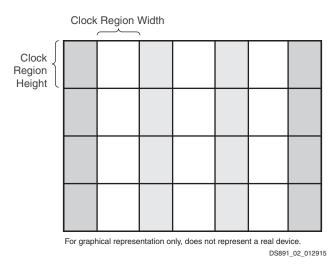


Figure 2: Column-Based Device Divided into Clock Regions

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_{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						
Туре	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 Gen2USBEthernet	BackplanePCIe Gen4HMC	100G+ OpticsChip-to-Chip25G+ BackplaneHMC				

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.



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.



Programmable Data Width

Each port can be configured as $32K \times 1$; $16K \times 2$; $8K \times 4$; $4K \times 9$ (or 8); $2K \times 18$ (or 16); $1K \times 36$ (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 $16K \times 1$ 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



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.



Revision History

The following table shows the revision history for this document:

Date	Version	Description of Revisions
02/15/2017	1.4	Updated DSP count in Table 1, Table 3, and Table 5. Updated I/O Electrical Characteristics. Updated Table 12 with -2E speed grade.
09/23/2016	1.3	Updated Table 2; Table 3; Table 4; Table 6; Graphics Processing Unit (GPU); and NAND ONFI 3.1 Flash Controller.
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