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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	Active
Architecture	MCU, FPGA
Core Processor	Quad ARM® Cortex®-A53 MPCore™ with CoreSight™
Flash Size	-
RAM Size	256KB
Peripherals	DMA, WDT
Connectivity	EBI/EMI, Ethernet, I <sup>2</sup> C, MMC/SD/SDIO, SPI, UART/USART, USB OTG
Speed	1.5GHz
Primary Attributes	FPGA - 2500K Logic Elements
Operating Temperature	0°C ~ 100°C (TJ)
Package / Case	2912-BBGA, FCBGA
Supplier Device Package	2912-FBGA, FC (55x55)
Purchase URL	<a href="https://www.e-xfl.com/product-detail/intel/1sx250lh2f55e1vg">https://www.e-xfl.com/product-detail/intel/1sx250lh2f55e1vg</a>



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- Dedicated secure device manager (SDM) for:
  - Enhanced device configuration and security
  - AES-256, SHA-256/384 and ECDSA-256/384 encrypt/decrypt accelerators and authentication
  - Multi-factor authentication
  - Physically Unclonable Function (PUF) service and software programmable device configuration capability
- Comprehensive set of advanced power saving features delivering up to 70% lower power compared to previous generation high-performance FPGAs
- Non-destructive register state readback and writeback, to support ASIC prototyping and other applications

With these capabilities, Intel Stratix 10 FPGAs and SoCs are ideally suited for the most demanding applications in diverse markets such as:

- **Compute and Storage**—for custom servers, cloud computing and data center acceleration
- **Networking**—for Terabit, 400G and multi-100G bridging, aggregation, packet processing and traffic management
- **Optical Transport Networks**—for OTU4, 2xOTU4, 4xOTU4
- **Broadcast**—for high-end studio distribution, headend encoding/decoding, edge quadrature amplitude modulation (QAM)
- **Military**—for radar, electronic warfare, and secure communications
- **Medical**—for diagnostic scanners and diagnostic imaging
- **Test and Measurement**—for protocol and application testers
- **Wireless**—for next-generation 5G networks
- **ASIC Prototyping**—for designs that require the largest monolithic FPGA fabric with the highest I/O count

## 1.1. Intel Stratix 10 Family Variants

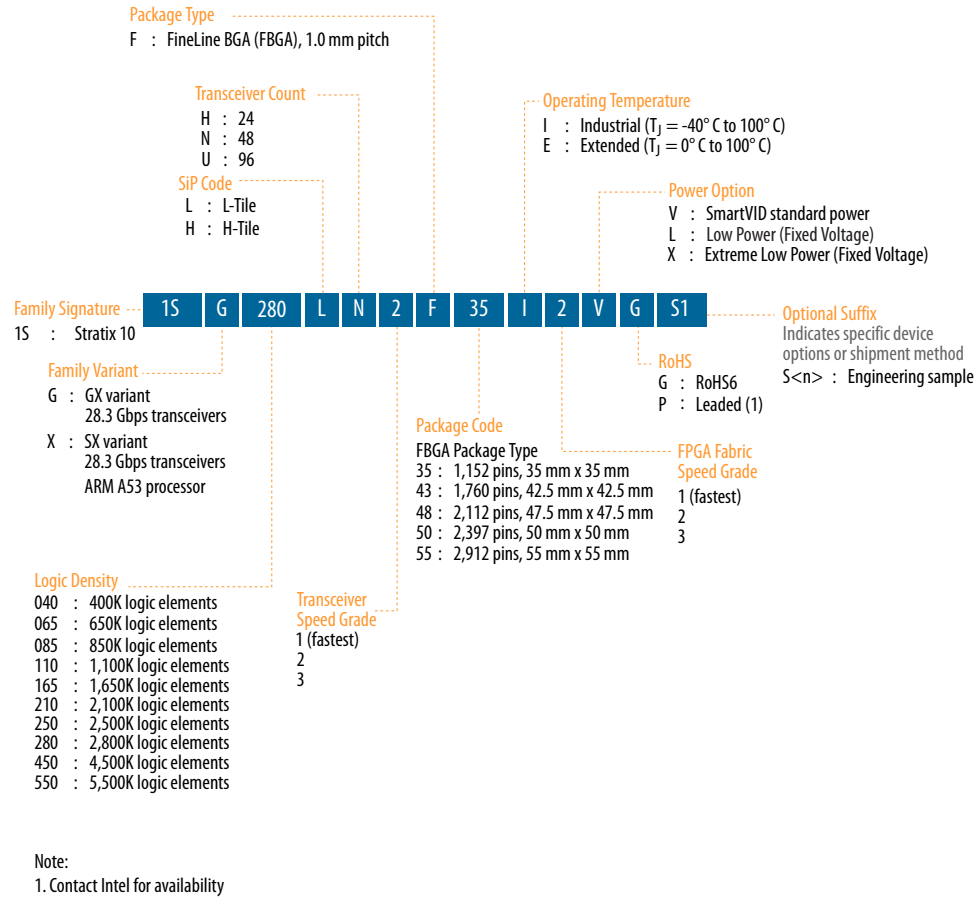
Intel Stratix 10 devices are available in FPGA (GX) and SoC (SX) variants.

- **Intel Stratix 10 GX** devices deliver up to 1 GHz core fabric performance and contain up to 5.5 million LEs in a monolithic fabric. They also feature up to 96 general purpose transceivers on separate transceiver tiles, and 2666 Mbps DDR4 external memory interface performance. The transceivers are capable of up to 28.3 Gbps short reach and across the backplane. These devices are optimized for FPGA applications that require the highest transceiver bandwidth and core fabric performance, with the power efficiency of Intel's industry-leading 14-nm Tri-Gate process technology.
- **Intel Stratix 10 SX** devices have a feature set that is identical to Intel Stratix 10 GX devices, with the addition of an embedded quad-core 64-bit ARM Cortex A53 hard processor system.



### 1.1.1. Available Options

**Figure 1. Sample Ordering Code and Available Options for Intel Stratix 10 Devices**



## 1.2. Innovations in Intel Stratix 10 FPGAs and SoCs

Intel Stratix 10 FPGAs and SoCs deliver many significant improvements over the previous generation high-performance Stratix V FPGAs.

**Table 1. Key Features of Intel Stratix 10 Devices Compared to Stratix V Devices**

Feature	Stratix V FPGAs	Intel Stratix 10 FPGAs and SoCs
<b>Process technology</b>	28-nm TSMC (planar transistor)	14 nm Intel Tri-Gate (FinFET)
<b>Hard processor core</b>	None	Quad-core 64-bit ARM Cortex-A53 (SoC only)
<b>Core architecture</b>	Conventional core architecture with conventional interconnect	HyperFlex core architecture with Hyper-Registers in the interconnect
<b>Core performance</b>	500 MHz	1 GHz
<b>Power dissipation</b>	1x	As low as 0.3x
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Feature	Stratix V FPGAs	Intel Stratix 10 FPGAs and SoCs
<b>Logic density</b>	952 KLE (monolithic)	5,500 KLE (monolithic)
<b>Embedded memory (M20K)</b>	52 Mbits	229 Mbits
<b>18x19 multipliers</b>	3,926 <i>Note:</i> Multiplier is 18x18 in Stratix V devices.	11,520 <i>Note:</i> Multiplier is 18x19 in Intel Stratix 10 devices.
<b>Floating point DSP capability</b>	Up to 1 TFLOP, requires soft floating point adder and multiplier	Up to 10 TFLOPS, hard IEEE 754 compliant single precision floating point adder and multiplier
<b>Maximum transceivers</b>	66	96
<b>Maximum transceiver data rate (chip-to-chip)</b>	28.05 Gbps	28.3 Gbps L-Tile 28.3 Gbps H-Tile
<b>Maximum transceiver data rate (backplane)</b>	12.5 Gbps	12.5 Gbps L-Tile 28.3 Gbps H-Tile
<b>Hard memory controller</b>	None	DDR4 @ 1333 MHz/2666 Mbps DDR3 @ 1067 MHz/2133 Mbps
<b>Hard protocol IP</b>	PCIe Gen3 x8 (up to 4 instances)	PCIe Gen3 x16 (up to 4 instances) SR-IOV (4 physical functions / 2k virtual functions) on H-Tile devices 10GBASE-KR/40GBASE-KR4 FEC
<b>Core clocking and PLLs</b>	Global, quadrant and regional clocks supported by fractional-synthesis fPLLs	Programmable clock tree synthesis supported by fractional synthesis fPLLs and integer IO PLLs
<b>Register state readback and writeback</b>	Not available	Non-destructive register state readback and writeback for ASIC prototyping and other applications

These innovations result in the following improvements:

- **Improved Core Logic Performance:** The HyperFlex core architecture combined with Intel's 14-nm Tri-Gate technology allows Intel Stratix 10 devices to achieve 2X the core performance compared to the previous generation
- **Lower Power:** Intel Stratix 10 devices use up to 70% lower power compared to the previous generation, enabled by 14-nm Intel Tri-Gate technology, the HyperFlex core architecture, and optional power saving features built into the architecture
- **Higher Density:** Intel Stratix 10 devices offer over five times the level of integration, with up to 5,500K logic elements (LEs) in a monolithic fabric, over 229 Mbits of embedded memory blocks (M20K), and 11,520 18x19 multipliers
- **Embedded Processing:** Intel Stratix 10 SoCs feature a Quad-Core 64-bit ARM Cortex-A53 processor optimized for power efficiency and software compatible with previous generation Arria and Cyclone SoC devices
- **Improved Transceiver Performance:** With up to 96 transceiver channels implemented in heterogeneous 3D SiP transceiver tiles, Intel Stratix 10 GX and SX devices support data rates up to 28.3 Gbps chip-to-chip and 28.3 Gbps across the backplane with signal conditioning circuits capable of equalizing over 30 dB of system loss
- **Improved DSP Performance:** The variable precision DSP block in Intel Stratix 10 devices features hard fixed and floating point capability, with up to 10 TeraFLOPS IEEE754 single-precision floating point performance



Feature	Description
Power management	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>SmartVID controlled core voltage, standard power devices</li> <li>0.85-V fixed core voltage, low static power devices available</li> <li>Intel Quartus® Prime Pro Edition integrated power analysis</li> </ul>
High performance monolithic core fabric	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>HyperFlex core architecture with Hyper-Registers throughout the interconnect routing and at the inputs of all functional blocks</li> <li>Monolithic fabric minimizes compile times and increases logic utilization</li> <li>Enhanced adaptive logic module (ALM)</li> <li>Improved multi-track routing architecture reduces congestion and improves compile times</li> <li>Hierarchical core clocking architecture with programmable clock tree synthesis</li> <li>Fine-grained partial reconfiguration</li> </ul>
Internal memory blocks	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>M20K—20-Kbit with hard ECC support</li> <li>MLAB—640-bit distributed LUTRAM</li> </ul>
Variable precision DSP blocks	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>IEEE 754-compliant hard single-precision floating point capability</li> <li>Supports signal processing with precision ranging from 18x19 up to 54x54</li> <li>Native 27x27 and 18x19 multiply modes</li> <li>64-bit accumulator and cascade for systolic FIRs</li> <li>Internal coefficient memory banks</li> <li>Pre-adder/subtractor improves efficiency</li> <li>Additional pipeline register increases performance and reduces power</li> </ul>
Phase locked loops (PLL)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Fractional synthesis PLLs (fPLL) support both fractional and integer modes</li> <li>Fractional mode with third-order delta-sigma modulation</li> <li>Precision frequency synthesis</li> <li>Integer PLLs adjacent to general purpose I/Os, support external memory, and LVDS interfaces, clock delay compensation, zero delay buffering</li> </ul>
Core clock networks	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1 GHz fabric clocking</li> <li>667 MHz external memory interface clocking, supports 2666 Mbps DDR4 interface</li> <li>800 MHz LVDS interface clocking, supports 1600 Mbps LVDS interface</li> <li>Programmable clock tree synthesis, backwards compatible with global, regional and peripheral clock networks</li> <li>Clocks only synthesized where needed, to minimize dynamic power</li> </ul>
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Feature	Description
Configuration	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Dedicated Secure Device Manager</li><li>• Software programmable device configuration</li><li>• Serial and parallel flash interface</li><li>• Configuration via protocol (CvP) using PCI Express Gen1/Gen2/Gen3</li><li>• Fine-grained partial reconfiguration of core fabric</li><li>• Dynamic reconfiguration of transceivers and PLLs</li><li>• Comprehensive set of security features including AES-256, SHA-256/384, and ECDSA-256/384 accelerators, and multi-factor authentication</li><li>• Physically Unclonable Function (PUF) service</li></ul>
Packaging	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Intel Embedded Multi-die Interconnect Bridge (EMIB) packaging technology</li><li>• Multiple devices with identical package footprints allows seamless migration across different device densities</li><li>• 1.0 mm ball-pitch FBGA packaging</li><li>• Lead and lead-free package options</li></ul>
Software and tools	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Intel Quartus Prime Pro Edition design suite with new compiler and Hyper-Aware design flow</li><li>• Fast Forward compiler to allow HyperFlex architecture performance exploration</li><li>• Transceiver toolkit</li><li>• Platform designer integration tool</li><li>• DSP Builder advanced blockset</li><li>• OpenCL™ support</li><li>• SoC Embedded Design Suite (EDS)</li></ul>

Table 3. Intel Stratix 10 SoC Specific Device Features

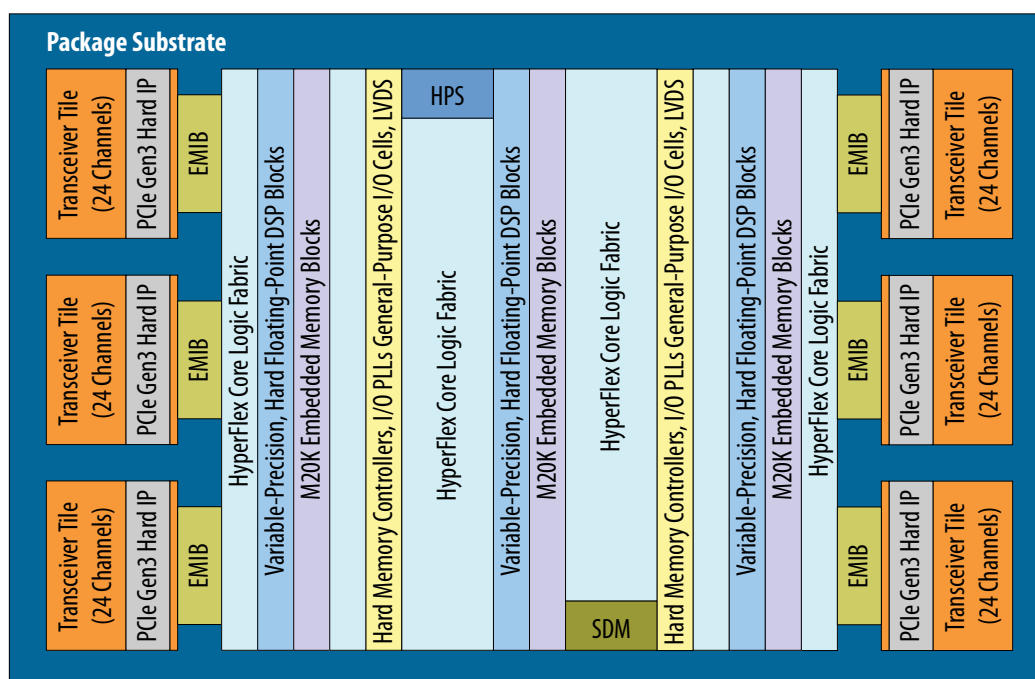
SoC Subsystem	Feature	Description
<b>Hard Processor System</b>	Multi-processor unit (MPU) core	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Quad-core ARM Cortex-A53 MPCore processor with ARM CoreSight debug and trace technology</li><li>• Scalar floating-point unit supporting single and double precision</li><li>• ARM NEON media processing engine for each processor</li></ul>
	System Controllers	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• System Memory Management Unit (SMMU)</li><li>• Cache Coherency Unit (CCU)</li></ul>
	Layer 1 Cache	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 32 KB L1 instruction cache with parity</li><li>• 32 KB L1 data cache with ECC</li></ul>
	Layer 2 Cache	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 1 MB Shared L2 Cache with ECC</li></ul>
	On-Chip Memory	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 256 KB On-Chip RAM</li></ul>
	Direct memory access (DMA) controller	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 8-Channel DMA</li></ul>
	Ethernet media access controller (EMAC)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Three 10/100/1000 EMAC with integrated DMA</li></ul>
	USB On-The-Go controller (OTG)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 2 USB OTG with integrated DMA</li></ul>
	UART controller	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 2 UART 16550 compatible</li></ul>
	Serial Peripheral Interface (SPI) controller	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 4 SPI</li></ul>
	I <sup>2</sup> C controller	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 5 I<sup>2</sup>C controllers</li></ul>
	SD/SDIO/MMC controller	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 1 eMMC version 4.5 with DMA and CE-ATA support</li><li>• SD, including eSD, version 3.0</li><li>• SDIO, including eSDIO, version 3.0</li><li>• CE-ATA - version 1.1</li></ul>
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SoC Subsystem	Feature	Description
	NAND flash controller	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1 ONFI 1.0, 8- and 16-bit support</li> </ul>
	General-purpose I/O (GPIO)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Maximum of 48 software programmable GPIO</li> </ul>
	Timers	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>4 general-purpose timers</li> <li>4 watchdog timers</li> </ul>
<b>Secure Device Manager</b>	Security	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Secure boot</li> <li>Advanced Encryption Standard (AES) and authentication (SHA/ECDSA)</li> </ul>
<b>External Memory Interface</b>	External Memory Interface	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Hard Memory Controller with DDR4 and DDR3, and LPDDR3</li> </ul>

## 1.4. Intel Stratix 10 Block Diagram

Figure 2. Intel Stratix 10 FPGA and SoC Architecture Block Diagram



HPS: Quad ARM Cortex-A53 Hard Processor System

SDM: Secure Device Manager

EMIB: Embedded Multi-Die Interconnect Bridge

## 1.5. Intel Stratix 10 FPGA and SoC Family Plan

(1) The number of 27x27 multipliers is one-half the number of 18x19 multipliers.





**Table 4. Intel Stratix 10 GX/SX FPGA and SoC Family Plan—FPGA Core (part 1)**

Intel Stratix 10 GX/SX Device Name	Logic Elements (KLE)	M20K Blocks	M20K Mbits	MLAB Counts	MLAB Mbits	18x19 Multipliers <sup>(1)</sup>
GX 400/ SX 400	378	1,537	30	3,204	2	1,296
GX 650/ SX 650	612	2,489	49	5,184	3	2,304
GX 850/ SX 850	841	3,477	68	7,124	4	4,032
GX 1100/ SX 1100	1,092	4,401	86	9,540	6	5,040
GX 1650/ SX 1650	1,624	5,851	114	13,764	8	6,290
GX 2100/ SX 2100	2,005	6,501	127	17,316	11	7,488
GX 2500/ SX 2500	2,422	9,963	195	20,529	13	10,022
GX 2800/ SX 2800	2,753	11,721	229	23,796	15	11,520
GX 4500/ SX 4500	4,463	7,033	137	37,821	23	3,960
GX 5500/ SX 5500	5,510	7,033	137	47,700	29	3,960

**Table 5. Intel Stratix 10 GX/SX FPGA and SoC Family Plan—Interconnects, PLLs and Hard IP (part 2)**

Intel Stratix 10 GX/SX Device Name	Interconnects		PLLs		Hard IP
	Maximum GPIOs	Maximum XCVR	fPLLs	I/O PLLs	PCIe Hard IP Blocks
GX 400/ SX 400	392	24	8	8	1
GX 650/ SX 650	400	48	16	8	2
GX 850/ SX 850	736	48	16	15	2
GX 1100/ SX 1100	736	48	16	15	2
GX 1650/ SX 1650	704	96	32	14	4
GX 2100/ SX 2100	704	96	32	14	4
GX 2500/ SX 2500	1160	96	32	24	4
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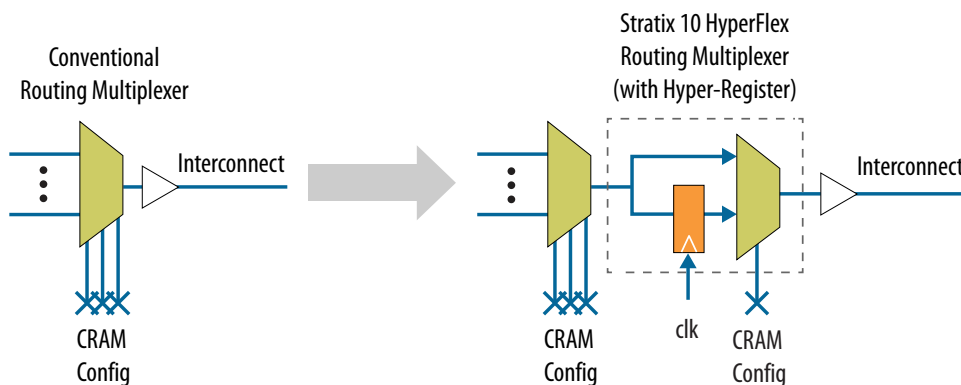
## 1.6. HyperFlex Core Architecture

Intel Stratix 10 FPGAs and SoCs are based on a monolithic core fabric featuring the new HyperFlex core architecture. The HyperFlex core architecture delivers 2X the clock frequency performance and up to 70% lower power compared to previous generation high-end FPGAs. Along with this performance breakthrough, the HyperFlex core architecture delivers a number of advantages including:

- **Higher Throughput**—Leverages 2X core clock frequency performance to obtain throughput breakthroughs
- **Improved Power Efficiency**—Uses reduced IP size, enabled by HyperFlex, to consolidate designs which previously spanned multiple devices into a single device, thereby reducing power by up to 70% versus previous generation devices
- **Greater Design Functionality**—Uses faster clock frequency to reduce bus widths and reduce IP size, freeing up additional FPGA resources to add greater functionality
- **Increased Designer Productivity**—Boosts performance with less routing congestion and fewer design iterations using Hyper-Aware design tools, obtaining greater timing margin for more rapid timing closure

In addition to the traditional user registers found in the Adaptive Logic Modules (ALM), the HyperFlex core architecture introduces additional bypassable registers everywhere throughout the fabric of the FPGA. These additional registers, called Hyper-Registers are available on every interconnect routing segment and at the inputs of all functional blocks.

Figure 3. Bypassable Hyper-Register

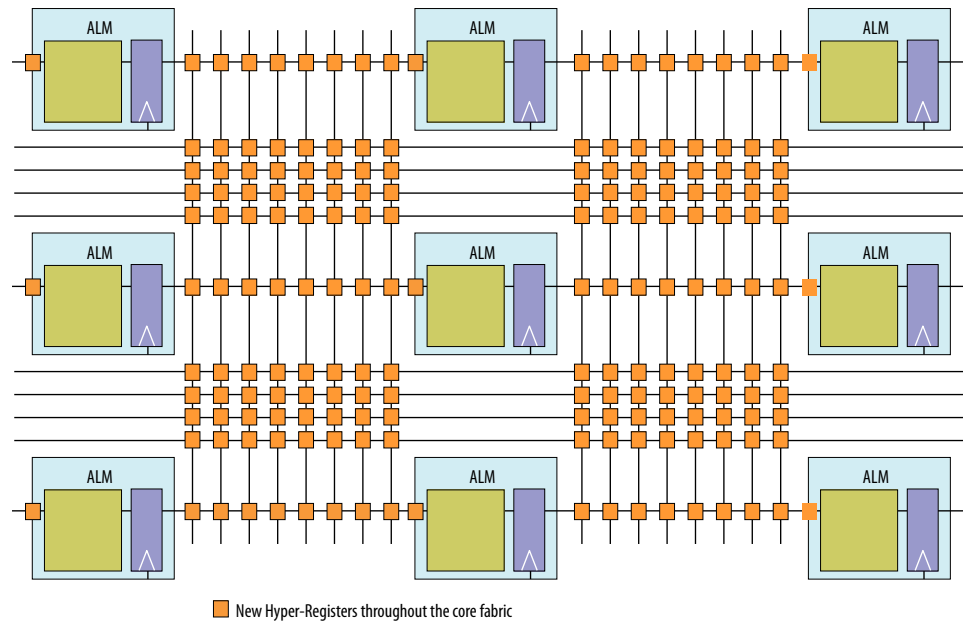


The Hyper-Registers enable the following key design techniques to achieve the 2X core performance increases:

- Fine grain Hyper-Retiming to eliminate critical paths
- Zero latency Hyper-Pipelining to eliminate routing delays
- Flexible Hyper-Optimization for best-in-class performance

By implementing these techniques in your design, the Hyper-Aware design tools automatically make use of the Hyper-Registers to achieve maximum core clock frequency.

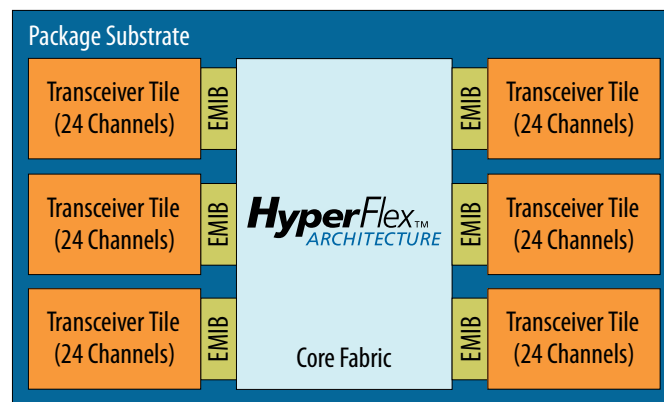
**Figure 4. HyperFlex Core Architecture**



## 1.7. Heterogeneous 3D SiP Transceiver Tiles

Intel Stratix 10 FPGAs and SoCs feature power efficient, high bandwidth, low latency transceivers. The transceivers are implemented on heterogeneous 3D System-in-Package (SiP) transceiver tiles, each containing 24 full-duplex transceiver channels. In addition to providing a high-performance transceiver solution to meet current connectivity needs, this allows for future flexibility and scalability as data rates, modulation schemes, and protocol IPs evolve.

**Figure 5. Monolithic Core Fabric and Heterogeneous 3D SiP Transceiver Tiles**





Within each transceiver tile, the transceivers are arranged in four banks of six PMA-PCS groups. A wide variety of bonded and non-bonded data rate configurations are possible within each bank, and within each tile, using a highly configurable clock distribution network.

### 1.8.1. PMA Features

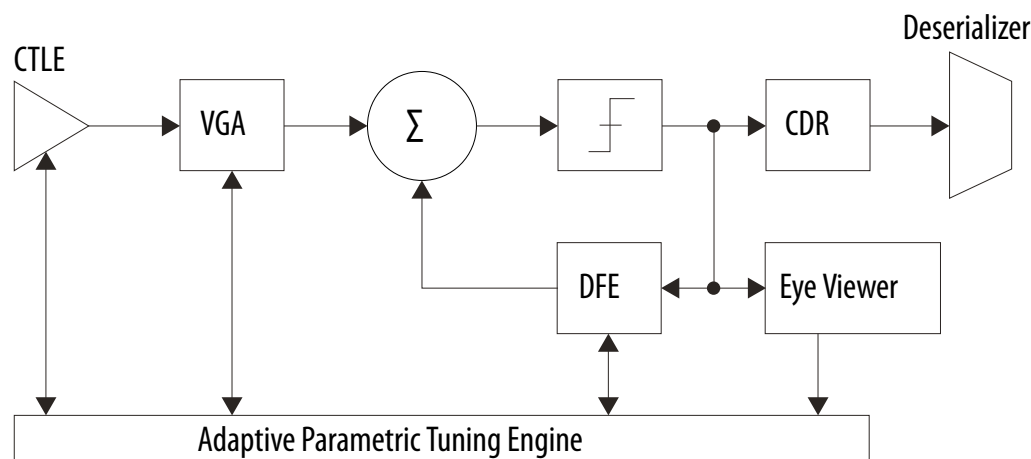
PMA channels are comprised of transmitter (TX), receiver (RX), and high speed clocking resources.

Intel Stratix 10 device features provide exceptional signal integrity at data rates up to 28.3 Gbps. Clocking options include ultra-low jitter LC tank-based (ATX) PLLs with optional fractional synthesis capability, channel PLLs operating as clock multiplier units (CMUs), and fractional synthesis PLLs (fPLLs).

- **ATX PLL**—can be configured in integer mode, or optionally, in a new fractional synthesis mode. Each ATX PLL spans the full frequency range of the supported data rate range providing a stable, flexible clock source with the lowest jitter.
- **CMU PLL**—when not being used as a transceiver, select PMA channels can be configured as channel PLLs operating as CMUs to provide an additional master clock source within the transceiver bank.
- **fPLL**—In addition, dedicated fPLLs are available with precision frequency synthesis capabilities. fPLLs can be used to synthesize multiple clock frequencies from a single reference clock source and replace multiple reference oscillators for multi-protocol and multi-rate applications.

On the receiver side, each PMA has an independent channel PLL that allows analog tracking for clock-data recovery. Each PMA also has advanced equalization circuits that compensate for transmission losses across a wide frequency spectrum.

- **Variable Gain Amplifier (VGA)**—to optimize the receiver's dynamic range
- **Continuous Time Linear Equalizer (CTLE)**—to compensate for channel losses with lowest power dissipation
- **Decision Feedback Equalizer (DFE)**—to provide additional equalization capability on backplanes even in the presence of crosstalk and reflections
- **On-Die Instrumentation (ODI)**—to provide on-chip eye monitoring capabilities (Eye Viewer). This capability helps to optimize link equalization parameters during board bring-up and supports in-system link diagnostics and equalization margin testing

**Figure 7. Intel Stratix 10 Receiver Block Features**

All link equalization parameters feature automatic adaptation using the new Advanced Digital Adaptive Parametric Tuning (ADAPT) circuit. This circuit is used to dynamically set DFE tap weights, adjust CTLE parameters, and optimize VGA gain and threshold voltage. Finally, optimal and consistent signal integrity is ensured by using the new hardened Precision Signal Integrity Calibration Engine (PreSICE) to automatically calibrate all transceiver circuit blocks on power-up. This gives the most link margin and ensures robust, reliable, and error-free operation.

**Table 8. Transceiver PMA Features**

Feature	Capability
Chip-to-Chip Data Rates	1 Gbps <sup>(8)</sup> to 28.3 Gbps (Intel Stratix 10 GX/SX devices)
Backplane Support	Drive backplanes at data rates up to 28.3 Gbps, including 10GBASE-KR compliance
Optical Module Support	SFP+/SFP, XFP, CXP, QSFP/QSFP28, QSFPDD, CFP/CFP2/CFP4
Cable Driving Support	SFP+ Direct Attach, PCI Express over cable, eSATA
Transmit Pre-Emphasis	5-tap transmit pre-emphasis and de-emphasis to compensate for system channel loss
Continuous Time Linear Equalizer (CTLE)	Dual mode, high-gain, and high-data rate, linear receive equalization to compensate for system channel loss
Decision Feedback Equalizer (DFE)	15 fixed tap DFE to equalize backplane channel loss in the presence of crosstalk and noisy environments
Advanced Digital Adaptive Parametric Tuning (ADAPT)	Fully digital adaptation engine to automatically adjust all link equalization parameters—including CTLE, DFE, and VGA blocks—that provide optimal link margin without intervention from user logic
Precision Signal Integrity Calibration Engine (PreSICE)	Hardened calibration controller to quickly calibrate all transceiver control parameters on power-up, which provides the optimal signal integrity and jitter performance
ATX Transmit PLLs	Low jitter ATX (inductor-capacitor) transmit PLLs with continuous tuning range to cover a wide range of standard and proprietary protocols, with optional fractional frequency synthesis capability
Fractional PLLs	On-chip fractional frequency synthesizers to replace on-board crystal oscillators and reduce system cost

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<sup>(8)</sup> Stratix 10 transceivers can support data rates below 1 Gbps with over sampling.



PCS Protocol Support	Data Rate (Gbps)	Transmitter Data Path	Receiver Data Path
Enhanced PCS	2.5 to 17.4	FIFO, channel bonding, bit-slipper, and gear box	FIFO, block sync, bit-slipper, and gear box
10GBASE-R	10.3125	FIFO, 64B/66B encoder, scrambler, FEC, and gear box	FIFO, 64B/66B decoder, descrambler, block sync, FEC, and gear box
Interlaken	4.9 to 17.4	FIFO, channel bonding, frame generator, CRC-32 generator, scrambler, disparity generator, bit-slipper, and gear box	FIFO, CRC-32 checker, frame sync, descrambler, disparity checker, block sync, and gear box
SFI-S/SFI-5.2	11.3	FIFO, channel bonding, bit-slipper, and gear box	FIFO, bit-slipper, and gear box
IEEE 1588	1.25 to 10.3125	FIFO (fixed latency), 64B/66B encoder, scrambler, and gear box	FIFO (fixed latency), 64B/66B decoder, descrambler, block sync, and gear box
SDI	up to 12.5	FIFO and gear box	FIFO, bit-slipper, and gear box
GigE	1.25	Same as Standard PCS plus GigE state machine	Same as Standard PCS plus GigE state machine
PCS Direct	up to 28.3	Custom	Custom

### Related Information

[Intel Stratix 10 L- and H-Tile Transceiver PHY User Guide](#)

## 1.9. PCI Express Gen1/Gen2/Gen3 Hard IP

Intel Stratix 10 devices contain embedded PCI Express hard IP designed for performance, ease-of-use, increased functionality, and designer productivity.

The PCI Express hard IP consists of the PHY, Data Link, and Transaction layers. It also supports PCI Express Gen1/Gen2/Gen3 end point and root port, in x1/x2/x4/x8/x16 lane configurations. The PCI Express hard IP is capable of operating independently from the core logic (autonomous mode). This feature allows the PCI Express link to power up and complete link training in less than 100 ms, while the rest of the device is still in the process of being configured. The hard IP also provides added functionality, which makes it easier to support emerging features such as Single Root I/O Virtualization (SR-IOV) and optional protocol extensions.

The PCI Express hard IP has improved end-to-end data path protection using Error Checking and Correction (ECC). In addition, the hard IP supports configuration of the device via protocol (CvP) across the PCI Express bus at Gen1/Gen2/Gen3 rates.

## 1.10. Interlaken PCS Hard IP

Intel Stratix 10 devices have integrated Interlaken PCS hard IP supporting rates up to 17.4 Gbps per lane.

The Interlaken PCS hard IP is based on the proven functionality of the PCS developed for Intel's previous generation FPGAs, which has demonstrated interoperability with Interlaken ASSP vendors and third-party IP suppliers. The Interlaken PCS hard IP is present in every transceiver channel in Intel Stratix 10 devices.

### 1.11. 10G Ethernet Hard IP

Intel Stratix 10 devices include IEEE 802.3 10-Gbps Ethernet (10GbE) compliant 10GBASE-R PCS and PMA hard IP. The scalable 10GbE hard IP supports multiple independent 10GbE ports while using a single PLL for all the 10GBASE-R PCS instantiations, which saves on core logic resources and clock networks.

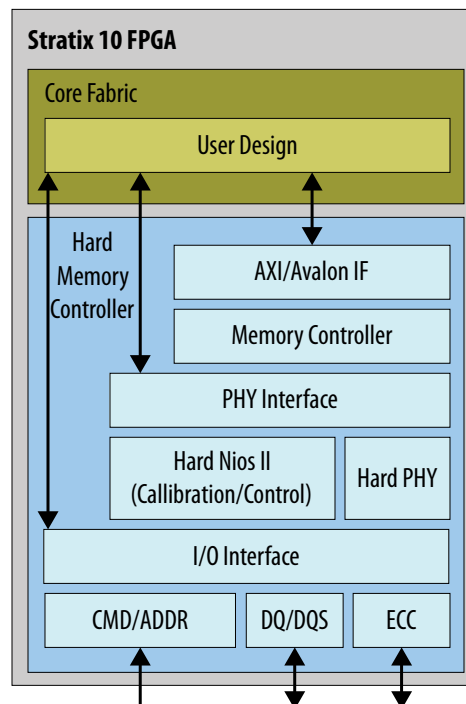
The integrated serial transceivers simplify multi-port 10GbE systems compared to 10 GbE Attachment Unit Interface (XAUI) interfaces that require an external XAUI-to-10G PHY. Furthermore, the integrated transceivers incorporate signal conditioning circuits, which enable direct connection to standard 10G XFP and SFP+ pluggable optical modules. The transceivers also support backplane Ethernet applications and include a hard 10GBASE-KR/40GBASE-KR4 Forward Error Correction (FEC) circuit that can be used for both 10G and 40G applications. The integrated 10G Ethernet hard IP and 10G transceivers save external PHY cost, board space and system power. The 10G Ethernet PCS hard IP and 10GBASE-KR FEC are present in every transceiver channel.

### 1.12. External Memory and General Purpose I/O

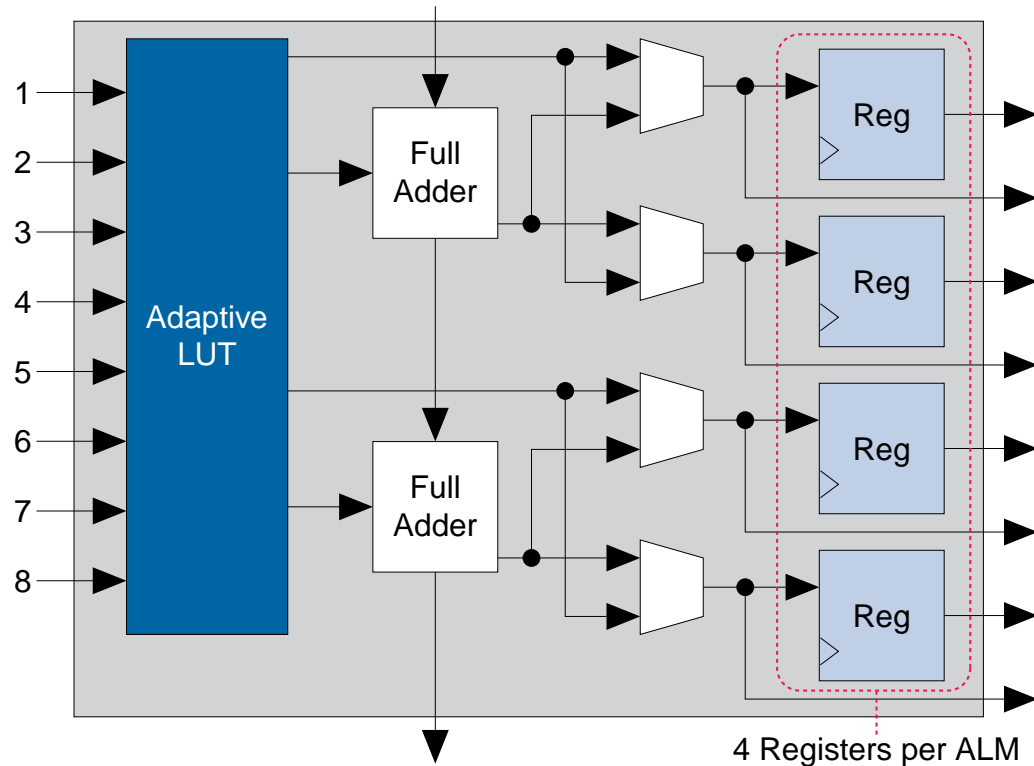
Intel Stratix 10 devices offer substantial external memory bandwidth, with up to ten 72-bit wide DDR4 memory interfaces running at up to 2666 Mbps.

This bandwidth is provided along with the ease of design, lower power, and resource efficiencies of hardened high-performance memory controllers. The external memory interfaces can be configured up to a maximum width of 144 bits when using either hard or soft memory controllers.

**Figure 8. Hard Memory Controller**



**Figure 9. Intel Stratix 10 FPGA and SoC ALM Block Diagram**



Key features and capabilities of the ALM include:

- High register count with 4 registers per 8-input fracturable LUT, operating in conjunction with the new HyperFlex architecture, enables Intel Stratix 10 devices to maximize core performance at very high core logic utilization
- Implements select 7-input logic functions, all 6-input logic functions, and two independent functions consisting of smaller LUT sizes (such as two independent 4-input LUTs) to optimize core logic utilization

The Intel Quartus Prime software leverages the ALM logic structure to deliver the highest performance, optimal logic utilization, and lowest compile times. The Intel Quartus Prime software simplifies design reuse as it automatically maps legacy designs into the Intel Stratix 10 ALM architecture.

## 1.14. Core Clocking

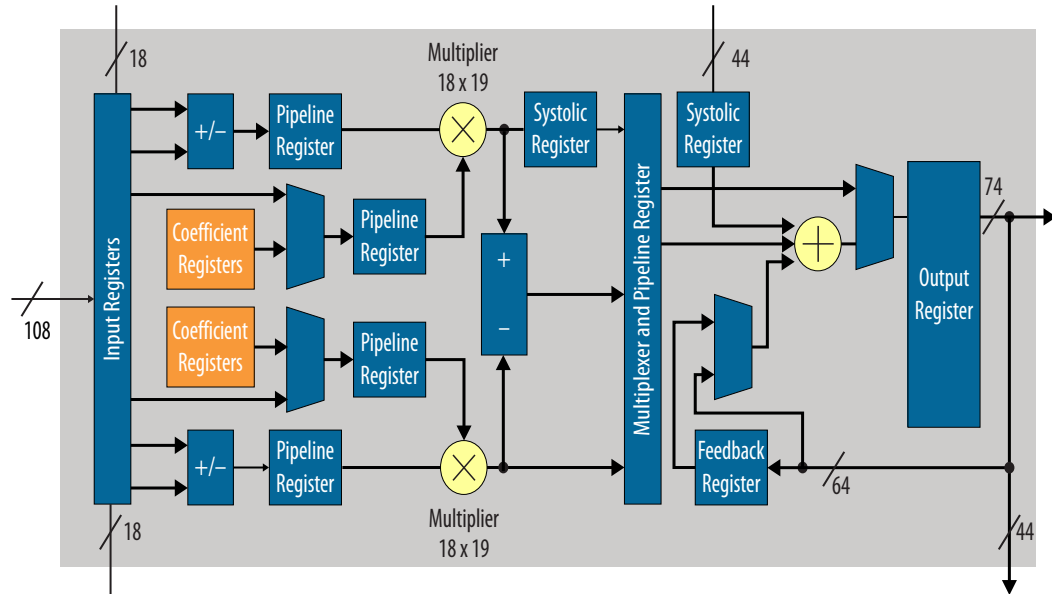
Core clocking in Intel Stratix 10 devices makes use of programmable clock tree synthesis.

This technique uses dedicated clock tree routing and switching circuits, and allows the Intel Quartus Prime software to create the exact clock trees required for your design. Clock tree synthesis minimizes clock tree insertion delay, reduces dynamic power dissipation in the clock tree and allows greater clocking flexibility in the core while still maintaining backwards compatibility with legacy global and regional clocking schemes.

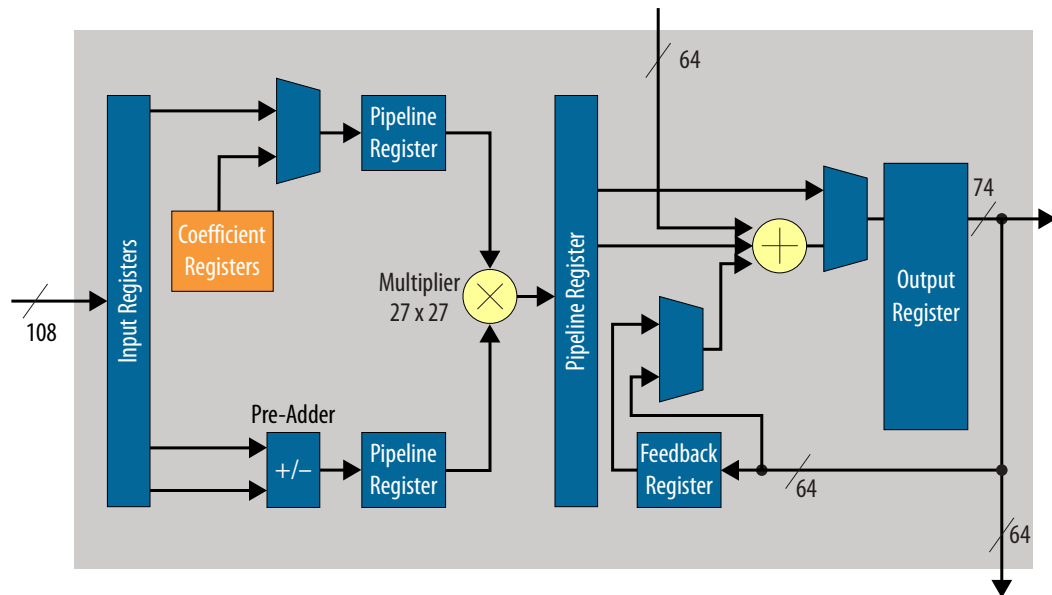


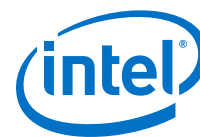
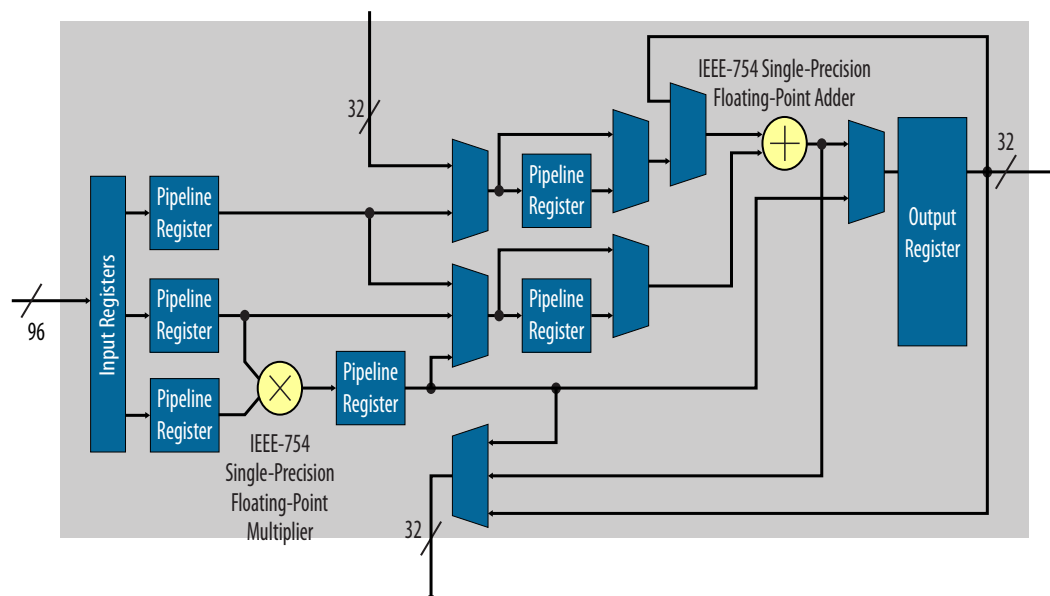
The DSP blocks can be configured to support signal processing with precision ranging from 18x19 up to 54x54. A pipeline register has been added to increase the maximum operating frequency of the DSP block and reduce power consumption.

**Figure 10. DSP Block: Standard Precision Fixed Point Mode**



**Figure 11. DSP Block: High Precision Fixed Point Mode**



**Figure 12. DSP Block: Single Precision Floating Point Mode**

Each DSP block can be independently configured at compile time as either dual 18x19 or a single 27x27 multiply accumulate. With a dedicated 64-bit cascade bus, multiple variable precision DSP blocks can be cascaded to implement even higher precision DSP functions efficiently.

In floating point mode, each DSP block provides one single precision floating point multiplier and adder. Floating point additions, multiplications, mult-adds and mult-accumulates are supported.

The following table shows how different precisions are accommodated within a DSP block, or by utilizing multiple blocks.

**Table 12. Variable Precision DSP Block Configurations**

Multiplier Size	DSP Block Resources	Expected Usage
18x19 bits	1/2 of Variable Precision DSP Block	Medium precision fixed point
27x27 bits	1 Variable Precision DSP Block	High precision fixed point
19x36 bits	1 Variable Precision DSP Block with external adder	Fixed point FFTs
36x36 bits	2 Variable Precision DSP Blocks with external adder	Very high precision fixed point
54x54 bits	4 Variable Precision DSP Blocks with external adder	Double Precision floating point
Single Precision floating point	1 Single Precision floating point adder, 1 Single Precision floating point multiplier	Floating point



Feature	Description
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Superscalar, variable length, out-of-order pipeline with dynamic branch prediction</li> <li>Improved ARM NEON™ media processing engine</li> <li>Single- and double-precision floating-point unit</li> <li>CoreSight™ debug and trace technology</li> </ul>
System Memory Management Unit	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Enables a unified memory model and extends hardware virtualization into peripherals implemented in the FPGA fabric</li> </ul>
Cache Coherency unit	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Changes in shared data stored in cache are propagated throughout the system providing bi-directional coherency for co-processing elements.</li> </ul>
Cache	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>L1 Cache <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>32 KB of instruction cache w/ parity check</li> <li>32 KB of L1 data cache w /ECC</li> <li>Parity checking</li> </ul> </li> <li>L2 Cache <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1MB shared</li> <li>8-way set associative</li> <li>SEU Protection with parity on TAG ram and ECC on data RAM</li> <li>Cache lockdown support</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
On-Chip Memory	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>256 KB of scratch on-chip RAM</li> </ul>
External SDRAM and Flash Memory Interfaces for HPS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Hard memory controller with support for DDR4, DDR3, LPDDR3 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>40-bit (32-bit + 8-bit ECC) with select packages supporting 72-bit (64-bit + 8-bit ECC)</li> <li>Support for up to 2666 Mbps DDR4 and 2166 Mbps DDR3 frequencies</li> <li>Error correction code (ECC) support including calculation, error correction, write-back correction, and error counters</li> <li>Software Configurable Priority Scheduling on individual SDRAM bursts</li> <li>Fully programmable timing parameter support for all JEDEC-specified timing parameters</li> <li>Multiport front-end (MPFE) scheduler interface to the hard memory controller, which supports the AXI® Quality of Service (QoS) for interface to the FPGA fabric</li> </ul> </li> <li>NAND flash controller <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>ONFI 1.0</li> <li>Integrated descriptor based with DMA</li> <li>Programmable hardware ECC support</li> <li>Support for 8- and 16-bit Flash devices</li> </ul> </li> <li>Secure Digital SD/SDIO/MMC controller <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>eMMC 4.5</li> <li>Integrated descriptor based DMA</li> <li>CE-ATA digital commands supported</li> <li>50 MHz operating frequency</li> </ul> </li> <li>Direct memory access (DMA) controller <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>8-channel</li> <li>Supports up to 32 peripheral handshake interface</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

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Feature	Description
Communication Interface Controllers	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Three 10/100/1000 Ethernet media access controls (MAC) with integrated DMA               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Supports RGMII and RMII external PHY Interfaces</li> <li>Option to support other PHY interfaces through FPGA logic                   <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>GMII</li> <li>MII</li> <li>RMII (requires MII to RMII adapter)</li> <li>RGMII (requires GMII to RGMII adapter)</li> <li>SGMII (requires GMII to SGMII adapter)</li> </ul> </li> <li>Supports IEEE 1588-2002 and IEEE 1588-2008 standards for precision networked clock synchronization</li> <li>Supports IEEE 802.1Q VLAN tag detection for reception frames</li> <li>Supports Ethernet AVB standard</li> </ul> </li> <li>Two USB On-the-Go (OTG) controllers with DMA               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Dual-Role Device (device and host functions)                   <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>High-speed (480 Mbps)</li> <li>Full-speed (12 Mbps)</li> <li>Low-speed (1.5 Mbps)</li> <li>Supports USB 1.1 (full-speed and low-speed)</li> </ul> </li> <li>Integrated descriptor-based scatter-gather DMA</li> <li>Support for external ULPI PHY</li> <li>Up to 16 bidirectional endpoints, including control endpoint</li> <li>Up to 16 host channels</li> <li>Supports generic root hub</li> <li>Configurable to OTG 1.3 and OTG 2.0 modes</li> </ul> </li> <li>Five I<sup>2</sup>C controllers (three can be used by EMAC for MIO to external PHY)               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Support both 100Kbps and 400Kbps modes</li> <li>Support both 7-bit and 10-bit addressing modes</li> <li>Support Master and Slave operating mode</li> </ul> </li> <li>Two UART 16550 compatible               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Programmable baud rate up to 115.2Kbaud</li> </ul> </li> <li>Four serial peripheral interfaces (SPI) (2 Master, 2 Slaves)               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Full and Half duplex</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
Timers and I/O	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Timers               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>4 general-purpose timers</li> <li>4 watchdog timers</li> </ul> </li> <li>48 HPS direct I/O allow HPS peripherals to connect directly to I/O</li> <li>Up to three IO48 banks may be assigned to HPS for HPS DDR access</li> </ul>
Interconnect to Logic Core	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>FPGA-to-HPS Bridge               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Allows IP bus masters in the FPGA fabric to access to HPS bus slaves</li> <li>Configurable 32-, 64-, or 128-bit AMBA AXI interface</li> </ul> </li> <li>HPS-to-FPGA Bridge               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Allows HPS bus masters to access bus slaves in FPGA fabric</li> <li>Configurable 32-, 64-, or 128-bit AMBA AXI interface allows high-bandwidth HPS master transactions to FPGA fabric</li> </ul> </li> <li>HPS-to-SDM and SDM-to-HPS Bridges               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Allows the HPS to reach the SDM block and the SDM to bootstrap the HPS</li> </ul> </li> <li>Light Weight HPS-to-FPGA Bridge               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Light weight 32-bit AXI interface suitable for low-latency register accesses from HPS to soft peripherals in FPGA fabric</li> </ul> </li> <li>FPGA-to-HPS SDRAM Bridge               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Up to three AMBA AXI interfaces supporting 32, 64, or 128-bit data paths</li> </ul> </li> </ul>



powered up and active within the 100 ms time allowed by the PCI Express specification. Intel Stratix 10 devices also support partial reconfiguration across the PCI Express bus which reduces system down time by keeping the PCI Express link active while the device is being reconfigured.

### 1.23. Partial and Dynamic Reconfiguration

Partial reconfiguration allows you to reconfigure part of the FPGA while other sections continue running. This capability is required in systems where uptime is critical, because it allows you to make updates or adjust functionality without disrupting services.

In addition to lowering power and cost, partial reconfiguration also increases the effective logic density by removing the necessity to place in the FPGA those functions that do not operate simultaneously. Instead, these functions can be stored in external memory and loaded as needed. This reduces the size of the required FPGA by allowing multiple applications on a single FPGA, saving board space and reducing power. The partial reconfiguration process is built on top of the proven incremental compile design flow in the Intel Quartus Prime design software

Dynamic reconfiguration in Intel Stratix 10 devices allows transceiver data rates, protocols and analog settings to be changed dynamically on a channel-by-channel basis while maintaining data transfer on adjacent transceiver channels. Dynamic reconfiguration is ideal for applications that require on-the-fly multiprotocol or multi-rate support. Both the PMA and PCS blocks within the transceiver can be reconfigured using this technique. Dynamic reconfiguration of the transceivers can be used in conjunction with partial reconfiguration of the FPGA to enable partial reconfiguration of both core and transceivers simultaneously.

### 1.24. Fast Forward Compile

The innovative Fast Forward Compile feature in the Intel Quartus Prime software identifies performance bottlenecks in your design and provides detailed, step-by-step performance improvement recommendations that you can then implement. The Compiler reports estimates of the maximum operating frequency that can be achieved by applying the recommendations. As part of the new Hyper-Aware design flow, Fast Forward Compile maximizes the performance of your Intel Stratix 10 design and achieves rapid timing closure.

Previously, this type of optimization required multiple time-consuming design iterations, including full design re-compilation to determine the effectiveness of the changes. Fast Forward Compile enables you to make better decisions about where to focus your optimization efforts, and how to increase your design performance and throughput. This technique removes much of the guesswork of performance exploration, resulting in fewer design iterations and as much as 2X core performance gains for Intel Stratix 10 designs.

### 1.25. Single Event Upset (SEU) Error Detection and Correction

Intel Stratix 10 FPGAs and SoCs offer robust SEU error detection and correction circuitry. The detection and correction circuitry includes protection for Configuration RAM (CRAM) programming bits and user memories. The CRAM is protected by a continuously running parity checker circuit with integrated ECC that automatically corrects one or two bit errors and detects higher order multibit errors.