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Number of LABs/CLBs	17110
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Number of Gates	-
Voltage - Supply	1.07V ~ 1.13V
Mounting Type	Surface Mount
Operating Temperature	0°C ~ 85°C (TJ)
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Symbol	Description	Condition	Minimum[1]	Typical	Maximum[1]	Unit
V_{CC}	Core voltage power supply	–C4, –I5, –C5, –C6	1.07	1.1	1.13	V
		–I3	1.12	1.15	1.18	V
V_{CCP}	Periphery circuitry, PCIe hard IP block, and transceiver PCS power supply	–C4, –I5, –C5, –C6	1.07	1.1	1.13	V
		–I3	1.12	1.15	1.18	V
V_{CCPGM}	Configuration pins power supply	3.3 V	3.135	3.3	3.465	V
		3.0 V	2.85	3.0	3.15	V
		2.5 V	2.375	2.5	2.625	V
		1.8 V	1.71	1.8	1.89	V
V_{CC_AUX}	Auxiliary supply	—	2.375	2.5	2.625	V
V_{CCBAT}[2]	Battery back-up power supply (For design security volatile key register)	—	1.2	—	3.0	V
V_{CCPD}[3]	I/O pre-driver power supply	3.3 V	3.135	3.3	3.465	V
		3.0 V	2.85	3.0	3.15	V
		2.5 V	2.375	2.5	2.625	V

(1) The power supply value describes the budget for the DC (static) power supply tolerance and does not include the dynamic tolerance requirements. Refer to the PDN tool for the additional budget for the dynamic tolerance requirements.
(2) If you do not use the design security feature in Arria V devices, connect V_{CCBAT} to a 1.5-V, 2.5-V, or 3.0-V power supply. Arria V power-on reset (POR) circuitry monitors V_{CCBAT}. Arria V devices do not exit POR if V_{CCBAT} is not powered up.
(3) V_{CCPD} must be 2.5 V when V_{CCIO} is 2.5, 1.8, 1.5, 1.35, 1.25, or 1.2 V. V_{CCPD} must be 3.0 V when V_{CCIO} is 3.0 V. V_{CCPD} must be 3.3 V when V_{CCIO} is 3.3 V.

Transceiver Power Supply Operating Conditions

Table 1-4: Transceiver Power Supply Operating Conditions for Arria V Devices

Symbol	Description	Minimum[5]	Typical	Maximum[5]	Unit
V_{CCA_GXBL}	Transceiver high voltage power (left side)	2.375	2.500	2.625	V
V_{CCA_GXBR}	Transceiver high voltage power (right side)				
V_{CCR_GXBL}	GX and SX speed grades—receiver power (left side)	1.08/1.12	1.1/1.15[6]	1.14/1.18	V
V_{CCR_GXBR}	GX and SX speed grades—receiver power (right side)				
V_{CCR_GXBL}	GT and ST speed grades—receiver power (left side)	1.17	1.20	1.23	V
V_{CCR_GXBR}	GT and ST speed grades—receiver power (right side)				
V_{CCT_GXBL}	GX and SX speed grades—transmitter power (left side)	1.08/1.12	1.1/1.15[6]	1.14/1.18	V
V_{CCT_GXBR}	GX and SX speed grades—transmitter power (right side)				
V_{CCT_GXBL}	GT and ST speed grades—transmitter power (left side)	1.17	1.20	1.23	V
V_{CCT_GXBR}	GT and ST speed grades—transmitter power (right side)				
V_{CCH_GXBL}	Transmitter output buffer power (left side)	1.425	1.500	1.575	V
V_{CCH_GXBR}	Transmitter output buffer power (right side)				

(5) The power supply value describes the budget for the DC (static) power supply tolerance and does not include the dynamic tolerance requirements. Refer to the PDN tool for the additional budget for the dynamic tolerance requirements.

(6) For data rate <=3.2 Gbps, connect $V_{CCR\_GXBL/R}$, $V_{CCT\_GXBL/R}$, or $V_{CCL\_GXBL/R}$ to either 1.1-V or 1.15-V power supply. For data rate >3.2 Gbps, connect $V_{CCR\_GXBL/R}$, $V_{CCT\_GXBL/R}$, or $V_{CCL\_GXBL/R}$ to a 1.15-V power supply. For details, refer to the Arria V GT, GX, ST, and SX Device Family Pin Connection Guidelines.

Symbol	Description	Condition	Minimum[7]	Typical	Maximum[7]	Unit
$V_{CC\_AUX\_SHARED}$	HPS auxiliary power supply	—	2.375	2.5	2.625	V

Related Information

Recommended Operating Conditions on page 1-4
Provides the steady-state voltage values for the FPGA portion of the device.

DC Characteristics

Supply Current and Power Consumption

Altera offers two ways to estimate power for your design—the Excel-based Early Power Estimator (EPE) and the Quartus® Prime PowerPlay Power Analyzer feature.

Use the Excel-based EPE before you start your design to estimate the supply current for your design. The EPE provides a magnitude estimate of the device power because these currents vary greatly with the resources you use.

The Quartus Prime PowerPlay Power Analyzer provides better quality estimates based on the specifics of the design after you complete place-and-route. The PowerPlay Power Analyzer can apply a combination of user-entered, simulation-derived, and estimated signal activities that, when combined with detailed circuit models, yields very accurate power estimates.

Related Information

- **PowerPlay Early Power Estimator User Guide**
  Provides more information about power estimation tools.
- **PowerPlay Power Analysis chapter, Quartus Prime Handbook**
  Provides more information about power estimation tools.

[7] The power supply value describes the budget for the DC (static) power supply tolerance and does not include the dynamic tolerance requirements. Refer to the PDN tool for the additional budget for the dynamic tolerance requirements.

Parameter	Symbol	Condition	V_{CCIO} (V)												Unit
			1.2		1.5		1.8		2.5		3.0		3.3		
			Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	
Bus-hold trip point	V_{TRIP}	—	0.3	0.9	0.375	1.125	0.68	1.07	0.7	1.7	0.8	2	0.8	2	V

OCT Calibration Accuracy Specifications

If you enable on-chip termination (OCT) calibration, calibration is automatically performed at power up for I/Os connected to the calibration block.

Table 1-8: OCT Calibration Accuracy Specifications for Arria V Devices

Calibration accuracy for the calibrated on-chip series termination (R_S OCT) and on-chip parallel termination (R_T OCT) are applicable at the moment of calibration. When process, voltage, and temperature (PVT) conditions change after calibration, the tolerance may change.

Symbol	Description	Condition (V)	Calibration Accuracy			Unit
			–I3, –C4	–I5, –C5	–C6	
25-Ω R_S	Internal series termination with calibration (25-Ω setting)	V_{CCIO} = 3.0, 2.5, 1.8, 1.5, 1.2	±15	±15	±15	%
50-Ω R_S	Internal series termination with calibration (50-Ω setting)	V_{CCIO} = 3.0, 2.5, 1.8, 1.5, 1.2	±15	±15	±15	%
34-Ω and 40-Ω R_S	Internal series termination with calibration (34-Ω and 40-Ω setting)	V_{CCIO} = 1.5, 1.35, 1.25, 1.2	±15	±15	±15	%
48-Ω, 60-Ω, and 80-Ω R_S	Internal series termination with calibration (48-Ω, 60-Ω, and 80-Ω setting)	V_{CCIO} = 1.2	±15	±15	±15	%
50-Ω R_T	Internal parallel termination with calibration (50-Ω setting)	V_{CCIO} = 2.5, 1.8, 1.5, 1.2	–10 to +40	–10 to +40	–10 to +40	%
20-Ω, 30-Ω, 40-Ω,60-Ω, and 120-Ω R_T	Internal parallel termination with calibration (20-Ω, 30-Ω, 40-Ω, 60-Ω, and 120-Ω setting)	V_{CCIO} = 1.5, 1.35, 1.25	–10 to +40	–10 to +40	–10 to +40	%

Typical TX V_{OD} Setting for Arria V Transceiver Channels with termination of 100 Ω

Table 1-32: Typical TX V_{OD} Setting for Arria V Transceiver Channels with termination of 100 Ω

Symbol	V_{OD} Setting[58]	V_{OD} Value (mV)	V_{OD} Setting[58]	V_{OD} Value (mV)
V_{OD} differential peak-to-peak typical	6[59]	120	34	680
	7[59]	140	35	700
	8[59]	160	36	720
	9	180	37	740
	10	200	38	760
	11	220	39	780
	12	240	40	800
	13	260	41	820
	14	280	42	840
	15	300	43	860
	16	320	44	880
	17	340	45	900
	18	360	46	920
	19	380	47	940
	20	400	48	960
	21	420	49	980
	22	440	50	1000
	23	460	51	1020
	24	480	52	1040

[58] Convert these values to their binary equivalent form if you are using the dynamic reconfiguration mode for PMA analog controls.
[59] Only valid for data rates ≤ 5 Gbps.

Symbol	Parameter	Condition	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
f_{IN}	Input clock frequency	–3 speed grade	5	—	800[61]	MHz
		–4 speed grade	5	—	800[61]	MHz
		–5 speed grade	5	—	750[61]	MHz
		–6 speed grade	5	—	625[61]	MHz
f_{INPFD}	Integer input clock frequency to the phase frequency detector (PFD)	—	5	—	325	MHz
f_{FINPFD}	Fractional input clock frequency to the PFD	—	50	—	160	MHz
f_{VCO}[62]	PLL voltage-controlled oscillator (VCO) operating range	–3 speed grade	600	—	1600	MHz
		–4 speed grade	600	—	1600	MHz
		–5 speed grade	600	—	1600	MHz
		–6 speed grade	600	—	1300	MHz
$t_{EINDUTY}$	Input clock or external feedback clock input duty cycle	—	40	—	60	%
f_{OUT}	Output frequency for internal global or regional clock	–3 speed grade	—	—	500[63]	MHz
		–4 speed grade	—	—	500[63]	MHz
		–5 speed grade	—	—	500[63]	MHz
		–6 speed grade	—	—	400[63]	MHz

(61) This specification is limited in the Quartus Prime software by the I/O maximum frequency. The maximum I/O frequency is different for each I/O standard.

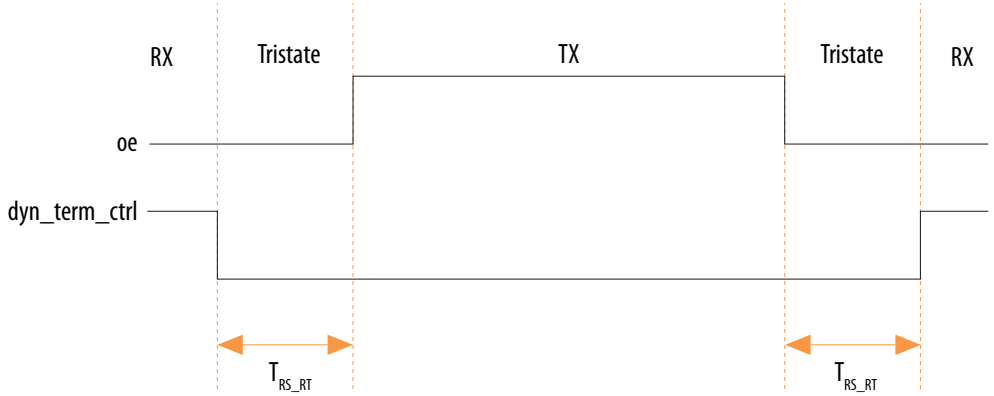
(62) The VCO frequency reported by the Quartus Prime software takes into consideration the VCO post-scale counter K value. Therefore, if the counter K has a value of 2, the frequency reported can be lower than the f_{VCO} specification.

(63) This specification is limited by the lower of the two: I/O f_{MAX} or F_{OUT} of the PLL.

Symbol	Condition	–I3, –C4			–I5, –C5			–C6			Unit
		Min	Typ	Max	Min	Typ	Max	Min	Typ	Max	
$t_{x\ Jitter}$ -Emulated Differential I/O Standards with Three External Output Resistor Network	Total Jitter for Data Rate 600 Mbps – 1.25 Gbps	—	—	260	—	—	300	—	—	350	ps
	Total Jitter for Data Rate < 600 Mbps	—	—	0.16	—	—	0.18	—	—	0.21	UI
$t_{x\ Jitter}$ -Emulated Differential I/O Standards with One External Output Resistor Network	—	—	—	0.15	—	—	0.15	—	—	0.15	UI
t_{DUTY}	TX output clock duty cycle for both True and Emulated Differential I/O Standards	45	50	55	45	50	55	45	50	55	%
t_{RISE} and t_{FALL}	True Differential I/O Standards[82]	—	—	160	—	—	180	—	—	200	ps
	Emulated Differential I/O Standards with Three External Output Resistor Network	—	—	250	—	—	250	—	—	300	ps
	Emulated Differential I/O Standards with One External Output Resistor Network	—	—	500	—	—	500	—	—	500	ps

(82) This applies to default pre-emphasis and V_{OD} settings only.

Figure 1-7: Timing Diagram for oe and dyn_term_ctrl Signals



Duty Cycle Distortion (DCD) Specifications

Table 1-47: Worst-Case DCD on Arria V I/O Pins

The output DCD cycle only applies to the I/O buffer. It does not cover the system DCD.

Symbol	–I3, –C4		–C5, –I5		–C6		Unit
	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	
Output Duty Cycle	45	55	45	55	45	55	%

HPS Specifications

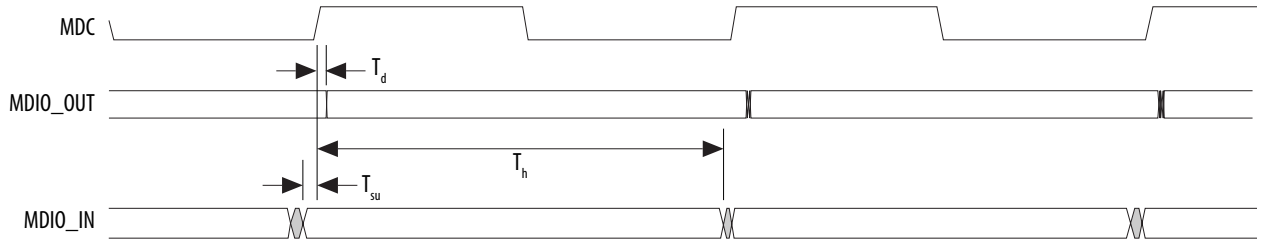
This section provides HPS specifications and timing for Arria V devices.

For HPS reset, the minimum reset pulse widths for the HPS cold and warm reset signals (HPS_nRST and HPS_nPOR) are six clock cycles of HPS_CLK1.

Symbol	Description	Min	Max	Unit
T_h	SPI MISO hold time	1	—	ns
$T_{dutycycle}$	SPI_CLK duty cycle	45	55	%
$T_{dssfrst}$	Output delay SPI_SS valid before first clock edge	8	—	ns
T_{dsslst}	Output delay SPI_SS valid after last clock edge	8	—	ns
T_{dio}	Master-out slave-in (MOSI) output delay	–1	1	ns

(86) This value is based on `rx_sample_dly` = 1 and `spi_m_clk` = 120 MHz. `spi_m_clk` is the internal clock that is used by SPI Master to derive it's `SCLK_OUT`. These timings are based on `rx_sample_dly` of 1. This delay can be adjusted as needed to accommodate slower response times from the slave. Note that a delay of 0 is not allowed. The setup time can be used as a reference starting point. It is very crucial to do a calibration to get the correct `rx_sample_dly` value because each SPI slave device may have different output delay and each application board may have different path delay. For more information about `rx_sample_delay`, refer to the SPI Controller chapter in the Hard Processor System Technical Reference Manual.

Figure 1-15: MDIO Timing Diagram



I²C Timing Characteristics

Table 1-59: I²C Timing Requirements for Arria V Devices

Symbol	Description	Standard Mode		Fast Mode		Unit
		Min	Max	Min	Max	
T_{clk}	Serial clock (SCL) clock period	10	—	2.5	—	µs
$T_{clkhigh}$	SCL high time	4.7	—	0.6	—	µs
T_{clklow}	SCL low time	4	—	1.3	—	µs
T_s	Setup time for serial data line (SDA) data to SCL	0.25	—	0.1	—	µs
T_h	Hold time for SCL to SDA data	0	3.45	0	0.9	µs
T_d	SCL to SDA output data delay	—	0.2	—	0.2	µs
T_{su_start}	Setup time for a repeated start condition	4.7	—	0.6	—	µs
T_{hd_start}	Hold time for a repeated start condition	4	—	0.6	—	µs
T_{su_stop}	Setup time for a stop condition	4	—	0.6	—	µs

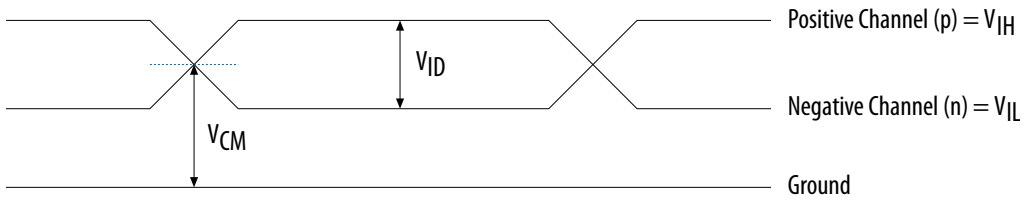
Symbol	Parameter	Typical	Unit
D_{OUTBUF}	Rising and/or falling edge delay	0 (default)	ps
		50	ps
		100	ps
		150	ps

Glossary

Table 1-78: Glossary

Term	Definition
Differential I/O standards	Receiver Input Waveforms

Single-Ended Waveform



Differential Waveform

Term	Definition
t_{FALL}	Signal high-to-low transition time (80–20%)
t_{INCCJ}	Cycle-to-cycle jitter tolerance on the PLL clock input
t_{OUTPJ_IO}	Period jitter on the GPIO driven by a PLL
t_{OUTPJ_DC}	Period jitter on the dedicated clock output driven by a PLL
t_{RISE}	Signal low-to-high transition time (20–80%)
Timing Unit Interval (TUI)	The timing budget allowed for skew, propagation delays, and the data sampling window. (TUI = 1/ (Receiver Input Clock Frequency Multiplication Factor) = t_C/w)
$V_{CM(DC)}$	DC common mode input voltage.
V_{ICM}	Input common mode voltage—The common mode of the differential signal at the receiver.
V_{ID}	Input differential voltage swing—The difference in voltage between the positive and complementary conductors of a differential transmission at the receiver.
$V_{DIF(AC)}$	AC differential input voltage—Minimum AC input differential voltage required for switching.
$V_{DIF(DC)}$	DC differential input voltage— Minimum DC input differential voltage required for switching.
V_{IH}	Voltage input high—The minimum positive voltage applied to the input which is accepted by the device as a logic high.
$V_{IH(AC)}$	High-level AC input voltage
$V_{IH(DC)}$	High-level DC input voltage
V_{IL}	Voltage input low—The maximum positive voltage applied to the input which is accepted by the device as a logic low.
$V_{IL(AC)}$	Low-level AC input voltage
$V_{IL(DC)}$	Low-level DC input voltage
V_{OCM}	Output common mode voltage—The common mode of the differential signal at the transmitter.
V_{OD}	Output differential voltage swing—The difference in voltage between the positive and complementary conductors of a differential transmission line at the transmitter.
V_{SWING}	Differential input voltage
V_X	Input differential cross point voltage

Symbol	Description	Condition	Minimum[114]	Typical	Maximum [114]	Unit
V_I	DC input voltage	—	–0.5	—	3.6	V
V_O	Output voltage	—	0	—	V_{CCIO}	V
T_J	Operating junction temperature	Commercial	0	—	85	°C
		Industrial	–40	—	100	°C
t_{RAMP}	Power supply ramp time	Standard POR	200 µs	—	100 ms	—
		Fast POR	200 µs	—	4 ms	—

Recommended Transceiver Power Supply Operating Conditions

Table 2-6: Recommended Transceiver Power Supply Operating Conditions for Arria V GZ Devices

Symbol	Description	Minimum [118]	Typical	Maximum[118]	Unit
V_{CCA_GXBL} [119], [120]	Transceiver channel PLL power supply (left side)	2.85	3.0	3.15	V
		2.375	2.5	2.625	
V_{CCA_GXBR} [119], [120]	Transceiver channel PLL power supply (right side)	2.85	3.0	3.15	V
		2.375	2.5	2.625	
V_{CCHIP_L}	Transceiver hard IP power supply (left side)	0.82	0.85	0.88	V
V_{CCHSSI_L}	Transceiver PCS power supply (left side)	0.82	0.85	0.88	V
V_{CCHSSI_R}	Transceiver PCS power supply (right side)	0.82	0.85	0.88	V

(114) The power supply value describes the budget for the DC (static) power supply tolerance and does not include the dynamic tolerance requirements. Refer to the PDN tool for the additional budget for the dynamic tolerance requirements.

(118) This value describes the budget for the DC (static) power supply tolerance and does not include the dynamic tolerance requirements. Refer to the PDN tool for the additional budget for the dynamic tolerance requirements.

(119) This supply must be connected to 3.0 V if the CMU PLL, receiver CDR, or both, are configured at a base data rate > 6.5 Gbps. Up to 6.5 Gbps, you can connect this supply to either 3.0 V or 2.5 V.

(120) When using ATX PLLs, the supply must be 3.0 V.

Transceiver Power Supply Requirements

Table 2-7: Transceiver Power Supply Voltage Requirements for Arria V GZ Devices

Conditions	VCCR_GXB and VCCT_GXB (122)	VCCA_GXB	VCCH_GXB	Unit
If BOTH of the following conditions are true: • Data rate > 10.3 Gbps. • DFE is used.	1.05	3.0	1.5	V
If ANY of the following conditions are true (123) : • ATX PLL is used. • Data rate > 6.5Gbps. • DFE (data rate ≤ 10.3 Gbps), AEQ, or EyeQ feature is used.	1.0			
If ALL of the following conditions are true: • ATX PLL is not used. • Data rate ≤ 6.5Gbps. • DFE, AEQ, and EyeQ are not used.	0.85	2.5		

DC Characteristics

Supply Current

Standby current is the current drawn from the respective power rails used for power budgeting.

Use the Excel-based Early Power Estimator (EPE) to get supply current estimates for your design because these currents vary greatly with the resources you use.

(122) If the VCCR_GXB and VCCT_GXB supplies are set to 1.0 V or 1.05 V, they cannot be shared with the VCC core supply. If the VCCR_GXB and VCCT_GXB are set to 0.85 V, they can be shared with the VCC core supply.

(123) Choose this power supply voltage requirement option if you plan to upgrade your design later with any of the listed conditions.

Hot Socketing

Table 2-14: Hot Socketing Specifications for Arria V GZ Devices

Symbol	Description	Maximum
$I_{IOPIN\ (DC)}$	DC current per I/O pin	300 µA
$I_{IOPIN\ (AC)}$	AC current per I/O pin	8 mA (124)
$I_{XCVR\text{-}TX\ (DC)}$	DC current per transceiver transmitter pin	100 mA
$I_{XCVR\text{-}RX\ (DC)}$	DC current per transceiver receiver pin	50 mA

Internal Weak Pull-Up Resistor

Table 2-15: Internal Weak Pull-Up Resistor for Arria V GZ Devices

All I/O pins have an option to enable the weak pull-up resistor except the configuration, test, and JTAG pins. The internal weak pull-down feature is only available for the JTAG TCK pin. The typical value for this internal weak pull-down resistor is approximately 25 kΩ .

Symbol	Description	V_{CCIO} Conditions (V) (125)	Value (126)	Unit
R_{PU}	Value of the I/O pin pull-up resistor before and during configuration, as well as user mode if you enable the programmable pull-up resistor option.	3.0 ±5%	25	k Ω
		2.5 ±5%	25	k Ω
		1.8 ±5%	25	k Ω
		1.5 ±5%	25	kΩ
		1.35 ±5%	25	k Ω
		1.25 ±5%	25	k Ω
		1.2 ±5%	25	k Ω

(124) The I/O ramp rate is 10 ns or more. For ramp rates faster than 10 ns, $|I_{IOPIN}| = C\ dv/dt$, in which C is the I/O pin capacitance and dv/dt is the slew rate.
(125) The pin pull-up resistance values may be lower if an external source drives the pin higher than V_{CCIO}.
(126) These specifications are valid with a ±10% tolerance to cover changes over PVT.

Symbol/Description	Conditions	Transceiver Speed Grade 2			Transceiver Speed Grade 3			Unit
		Min	Typ	Max	Min	Typ	Max	
Rise time	Measure at ±60 mV of differential signal (138)	—	—	400	—	—	400	ps
Fall time	Measure at ±60 mV of differential signal (138)	—	—	400	—	—	400	
Duty cycle	—	45	—	55	45	—	55	%
Spread-spectrum modulating clock frequency	PCI Express ®(PCIe)	30	—	33	30	—	33	kHz
Spread-spectrum downspread	PCIe	—	0 to –0.5	—	—	0 to –0.5	—	%
On-chip termination resistors	—	—	100	—	—	100	—	Ω
Absolute V_{MAX}	Dedicated reference clock pin	—	—	1.6	—	—	1.6	V
	RX reference clock pin	—	—	1.2	—	—	1.2	
Absolute V_{MIN}	—	–0.4	—	—	–0.4	—	—	V
Peak-to-peak differential input voltage	—	200	—	1600	200	—	1600	mV
V_{ICM} (AC coupled)	Dedicated reference clock pin	1000/900/850 (139)			1000/900/850 (139)			mV
	RX reference clock pin	1.0/0.9/0.85 (140)			1.0/0.9/0.85(140)			mV
V_{ICM} (DC coupled)	HCSL I/O standard for PCIe reference clock	250	—	550	250	—	550	mV

(138) REFCLK performance requires to meet transmitter REFCLK phase noise specification.
(139) The reference clock common mode voltage is equal to the V_{CCR_GXB} power supply level.
(140) This supply follows VCCR_GXB

Clock Network	ATX PLL			CMU PLL [161]			fPLL		
	Non-bonded Mode (Gbps)	Bonded Mode (Gbps)	Channel Span	Non-bonded Mode (Gbps)	Bonded Mode (Gbps)	Channel Span	Non-bonded Mode (Gbps)	Bonded Mode (Gbps)	Channel Span
xN (PCIe)	—	8.0	8	—	5.0	8	—	—	—
xN (Native PHY IP)	8.0	8.0	Up to 13 channels above and below PLL	7.99	7.99	Up to 13 channels above and below PLL	3.125	3.125	Up to 13 channels above and below PLL
	—	8.01 to 9.8304	Up to 7 channels above and below PLL						

Standard PCS Data Rate

Table 2-30: Standard PCS Approximate Maximum Date Rate (Gbps) for Arria V GZ Devices

The maximum data rate is also constrained by the transceiver speed grade. Refer to the "Commercial and Industrial Speed Grade Offering for Arria V GZ Devices" table for the transceiver speed grade.

Mode [164]	Transceiver Speed Grade	PMA Width	20	20	16	16	10	10	8	8
		PCS/Core Width	40	20	32	16	20	10	16	8
FIFO	2	C3, I3L core speed grade	9.9	9	7.84	7.2	5.3	4.7	4.24	3.76
	3	C4, I4 core speed grade	8.8	8.2	7.2	6.56	4.8	4.3	3.84	3.44

[161] ATX PLL is recommended at 8 Gbps and above data rates for improved jitter performance.

[164] The Phase Compensation FIFO can be configured in FIFO mode or register mode. In the FIFO mode, the pointers are not fixed, and the latency can vary. In the register mode the pointers are fixed for low latency.

Core Performance Specifications

Clock Tree Specifications

Table 2-33: Clock Tree Performance for Arria V GZ Devices

Symbol	Performance		Unit
	C3, I3L	C4, I4	
Global and Regional Clock	650	580	MHz
Periphery Clock	500	500	MHz

PLL Specifications

Table 2-34: PLL Specifications for Arria V GZ Devices

Symbol	Parameter	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
f_{IN} (167)	Input clock frequency (C3, I3L speed grade)	5	—	800	MHz
	Input clock frequency (C4, I4 speed grade)	5	—	650	MHz
f_{INPFD}	Input frequency to the PFD	5	—	325	MHz
f_{FINPFD}	Fractional Input clock frequency to the PFD	50	—	160	MHz
f_{VCO} (168)	PLL VCO operating range (C3, I3L speed grade)	600	—	1600	MHz
	PLL VCO operating range (C4, I4 speed grade)	600	—	1300	MHz
$t_{EINDUTY}$	Input clock or external feedback clock input duty cycle	40	—	60	%

(167) This specification is limited in the Quartus II software by the I/O maximum frequency. The maximum I/O frequency is different for each I/O standard.

(168) The VCO frequency reported by the Quartus II software in the **PLL Usage Summary** section of the compilation report takes into consideration the VCO post-scale counter K value. Therefore, if the counter K has a value of 2, the frequency reported can be lower than the f_{VCO} specification.

Symbol	Conditions	C3, I3L			C4, I4			Unit
		Min	Typ	Max	Min	Typ	Max	
f_{HSCLK_in} (input clock frequency) True Differential I/O Standards (179)	Clock boost factor W = 1 to 40 (180)	5	—	625	5	—	525	MHz
f_{HSCLK_in} (input clock frequency) Single Ended I/O Standards	Clock boost factor W = 1 to 40 (180)	5	—	625	5	—	525	MHz
f_{HSCLK_in} (input clock frequency) Single Ended I/O Standards	Clock boost factor W = 1 to 40 (180)	5	—	420	5	—	420	MHz
f_{HSCLK_OUT} (output clock frequency)	—	5	—	625 (181)	5	—	525 (181)	MHz

Transmitter High-Speed I/O Specifications

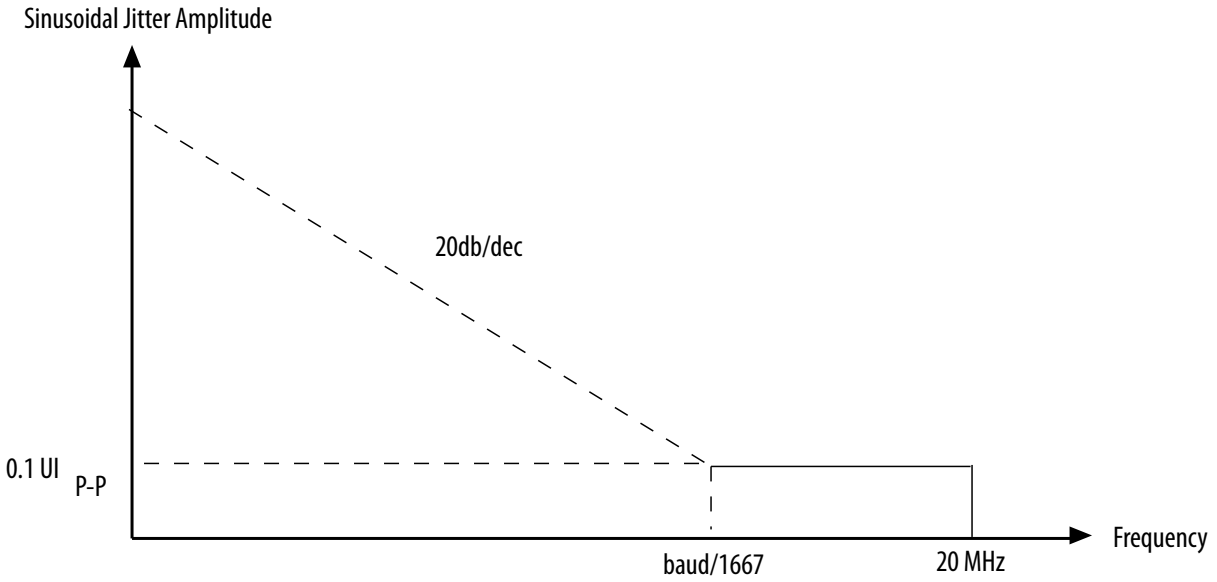
Table 2-40: Transmitter High-Speed I/O Specifications for Arria V GZ Devices

When J = 3 to 10, use the serializer/deserializer (SERDES) block.

When J = 1 or 2, bypass the SERDES block.

(179) This only applies to DPA and soft-CDR modes.
(180) Clock Boost Factor (W) is the ratio between the input data rate to the input clock rate.
(181) This is achieved by using the LVDS clock network.

Figure 2-5: LVDS Soft-CDR/DPA Sinusoidal Jitter Tolerance Specification for a Data Rate < 1.25 Gbps



Non DPA Mode High-Speed I/O Specifications

Table 2-46: High-Speed I/O Specifications for Arria V GZ Devices

When J = 3 to 10, use the serializer/deserializer (SERDES) block.

When J = 1 or 2, bypass the SERDES block.

Symbol	Conditions	C3, I3L			C4, I4			Unit
		Min	Typ	Max	Min	Typ	Max	
Sampling Window	—	—	—	300	—	—	300	ps