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Embedded - FPGAs, or Field Programmable Gate Arrays, are advanced integrated circuits that offer unparalleled flexibility and performance for digital systems. Unlike traditional fixed-function logic devices, FPGAs can be programmed and reprogrammed to execute a wide array of logical operations, enabling customized functionality tailored to specific applications. This reprogrammability allows developers to iterate designs quickly and implement complex functions without the need for custom hardware.

Applications of Embedded - FPGAs

The versatility of Embedded - FPGAs makes them indispensable in numerous fields. In telecommunications.

Details

Product Status	Obsolete
Number of LABs/CLBs	-
Number of Logic Elements/Cells	-
Total RAM Bits	110592
Number of I/O	95
Number of Gates	600000
Voltage - Supply	1.425V ~ 1.575V
Mounting Type	Surface Mount
Operating Temperature	-40°C ~ 100°C (TJ)
Package / Case	208-BFQFP
Supplier Device Package	208-PQFP (28x28)
Purchase URL	https://www.e-xfl.com/product-detail/microsemi/m1afs600-2pq208i

Clock Conditioning Circuits

In Fusion devices, the CCCs are used to implement frequency division, frequency multiplication, phase shifting, and delay operations.

The CCCs are available in six chip locations—each of the four chip corners and the middle of the east and west chip sides.

Each CCC can implement up to three independent global buffers (with or without programmable delay), or a PLL function (programmable frequency division/multiplication, phase shift, and delays) with up to three global outputs. Unused global outputs of a PLL can be used to implement independent global buffers, up to a maximum of three global outputs for a given CCC.

A global buffer can be placed in any of the three global locations (CLKA-GLA, CLKB-GLB, and CLKC-GLC) of a given CCC.

A PLL macro uses the CLKA CCC input to drive its reference clock. It uses the GLA and, optionally, the GLB and GLC global outputs to drive the global networks. A PLL macro can also drive the YB and YC regular core outputs. The GLB (or GLC) global output cannot be reused if the YB (or YC) output is used (Figure 2-19). Refer to the "PLL Macro" section on page 2-27 for more information.

Each global buffer, as well as the PLL reference clock, can be driven from one of the following:

- 3 dedicated single-ended I/Os using a hardwired connection
- 2 dedicated differential I/Os using a hardwired connection
- The FPGA core

The CCC block is fully configurable, either via flash configuration bits set in the programming bitstream or through an asynchronous interface. This asynchronous interface is dynamically accessible from inside the Fusion device to permit changes of parameters (such as divide ratios) during device operation. To increase the versatility and flexibility of the clock conditioning system, the CCC configuration is determined either by the user during the design process, with configuration data being stored in flash memory as part of the device programming procedure, or by writing data into a dedicated shift register during normal device operation. This latter mode allows the user to dynamically reconfigure the CCC without the need for core programming. The shift register is accessed through a simple serial interface. Refer to the "UJTAG Applications in Microsemi's Low-Power Flash Devices" chapter of the *Fusion FPGA Fabric User Guide* and the "CCC and PLL Characteristics" section on page 2-28 for more information.

No-Glitch MUX (NGMUX)

Positioned downstream from the PLL/CCC blocks, the NGMUX provides a special switching sequence between two asynchronous clock domains that prevents generating any unwanted narrow clock pulses. The NGMUX is used to switch the source of a global between three different clock sources. Allowable inputs are either two PLL/CCC outputs or a PLL/CCC output and a regular net, as shown in Figure 2-24. The GLMUXCFG[1:0] configuration bits determine the source of the CLK inputs (i.e., internal signal or GLC). These are set by SmartGen during design but can also be changed by dynamically reconfiguring the PLL. The GLMUXSEL[1:0] bits control which clock source is passed through the NGMUX to the global network (GL). See Table 2-13.

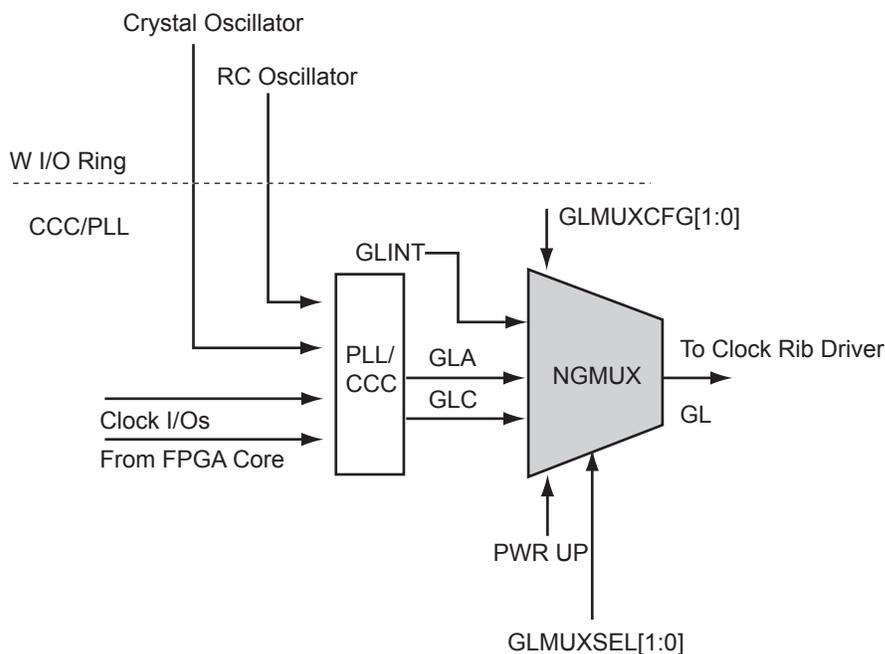


Figure 2-24 • NGMUX

Table 2-13 • NGMUX Configuration and Selection Table

GLMUXCFG[1:0]	GLMUXSEL[1:0]		Selected Input Signal	MUX Type
00	X	0	GLA	2-to-1 GLMUX
	X	1	GLC	
01	X	0	GLA	2-to-1 GLMUX
	X	1	GLINT	

ESTOP, FSTOP

ESTOP is used to stop the FIFO read counter from further counting once the FIFO is empty (i.e., the EMPTY flag goes High). A High on this signal inhibits the counting.

FSTOP is used to stop the FIFO write counter from further counting once the FIFO is full (i.e., the FULL flag goes High). A High on this signal inhibits the counting.

For more information on these signals, refer to the ["ESTOP and FSTOP Usage" section on page 2-70](#).

FULL, EMPTY

When the FIFO is full and no more data can be written, the FULL flag asserts High. The FULL flag is synchronous to WCLK to inhibit writing immediately upon detection of a full condition and to prevent overflows. Since the write address is compared to a resynchronized (and thus time-delayed) version of the read address, the FULL flag will remain asserted until two WCLK active edges after a read operation eliminates the full condition.

When the FIFO is empty and no more data can be read, the EMPTY flag asserts High. The EMPTY flag is synchronous to RCLK to inhibit reading immediately upon detection of an empty condition and to prevent underflows. Since the read address is compared to a resynchronized (and thus time-delayed) version of the write address, the EMPTY flag will remain asserted until two RCLK active edges after a write operation removes the empty condition.

For more information on these signals, refer to the ["FIFO Flag Usage Considerations" section on page 2-70](#).

AFULL, AEMPTY

These are programmable flags and will be asserted on the threshold specified by AFVAL and AEVAL, respectively.

When the number of words stored in the FIFO reaches the amount specified by AEVAL while reading, the AEMPTY output will go High. Likewise, when the number of words stored in the FIFO reaches the amount specified by AFVAL while writing, the AFULL output will go High.

AFVAL, AEVAL

The AEVAL and AFVAL pins are used to specify the almost-empty and almost-full threshold values, respectively. They are 12-bit signals. For more information on these signals, refer to ["FIFO Flag Usage Considerations" section](#).

ESTOP and FSTOP Usage

The ESTOP pin is used to stop the read counter from counting any further once the FIFO is empty (i.e., the EMPTY flag goes High). Likewise, the FSTOP pin is used to stop the write counter from counting any further once the FIFO is full (i.e., the FULL flag goes High).

The FIFO counters in the Fusion device start the count at 0, reach the maximum depth for the configuration (e.g., 511 for a 512×9 configuration), and then restart at 0. An example application for the ESTOP, where the read counter keeps counting, would be writing to the FIFO once and reading the same content over and over without doing another write.

FIFO Flag Usage Considerations

The AEVAL and AFVAL pins are used to specify the 12-bit AEMPTY and AFULL threshold values, respectively. The FIFO contains separate 12-bit write address (WADDR) and read address (RADDR) counters. WADDR is incremented every time a write operation is performed, and RADDR is incremented every time a read operation is performed. Whenever the difference between WADDR and RADDR is greater than or equal to AFVAL, the AFULL output is asserted. Likewise, whenever the difference between WADDR and RADDR is less than or equal to AEVAL, the AEMPTY output is asserted. To handle different read and write aspect ratios, AFVAL and AEVAL are expressed in terms of total data bits instead of total data words. When users specify AFVAL and AEVAL in terms of read or write words, the SmartGen tool translates them into bit addresses and configures these signals automatically. SmartGen configures the AFULL flag to assert when the write address exceeds the read address by at least a predefined value. In a 2k×8 FIFO, for example, a value of 1,500 for AFVAL means that the AFULL flag will be asserted after a write when the difference between the write address and the read address reaches 1,500 (there have been at least 1500 more writes than reads). It will stay asserted until the difference between the write and read addresses drops below 1,500.

This process results in a binary approximation of VIN. Generally, there is a fixed interval T, the sampling period, between the samples. The inverse of the sampling period is often referred to as the sampling frequency $f_s = 1 / T$. The combined effect is illustrated in Figure 2-82.

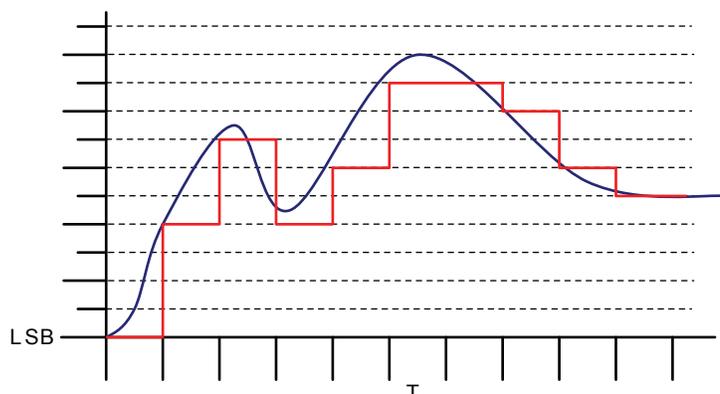


Figure 2-82 • Conversion Example

Figure 2-82 demonstrates that if the signal changes faster than the sampling rate can accommodate, or if the actual value of VIN falls between counts in the result, this information is lost during the conversion. There are several techniques that can be used to address these issues.

First, the sampling rate must be chosen to provide enough samples to adequately represent the input signal. Based on the Nyquist-Shannon Sampling Theorem, the minimum sampling rate must be at least twice the frequency of the highest frequency component in the target signal (Nyquist Frequency). For example, to recreate the frequency content of an audio signal with up to 22 KHz bandwidth, the user must sample it at a minimum of 44 ksps. However, as shown in Figure 2-82, significant post-processing of the data is required to interpolate the value of the waveform during the time between each sample.

Similarly, to re-create the amplitude variation of a signal, the signal must be sampled with adequate resolution. Continuing with the audio example, the dynamic range of the human ear (the ratio of the amplitude of the threshold of hearing to the threshold of pain) is generally accepted to be 135 dB, and the dynamic range of a typical symphony orchestra performance is around 85 dB. Most commercial recording media provide about 96 dB of dynamic range using 16-bit sample resolution. But 16-bit fidelity does not necessarily mean that you need a 16-bit ADC. As long as the input is sampled at or above the Nyquist Frequency, post-processing techniques can be used to interpolate intermediate values and reconstruct the original input signal to within desired tolerances.

If sophisticated digital signal processing (DSP) capabilities are available, the best results are obtained by implementing a reconstruction filter, which is used to interpolate many intermediate values with higher resolution than the original data. Interpolating many intermediate values increases the effective number of samples, and higher resolution increases the effective number of bits in the sample. In many cases, however, it is not cost-effective or necessary to implement such a sophisticated reconstruction algorithm. For applications that do not require extremely fine reproduction of the input signal, alternative methods can enhance digital sampling results with relatively simple post-processing. The details of such techniques are out of the scope of this chapter; refer to the *Improving ADC Results through Oversampling and Post-Processing of Data* white paper for more information.

Features Supported on Pro I/Os

Table 2-72 lists all features supported by transmitter/receiver for single-ended and differential I/Os.

Table 2-72 • Fusion Pro I/O Features

Feature	Description
Single-ended and voltage-referenced transmitter features	• Hot insertion in every mode except PCI or 5 V input tolerant (these modes use clamp diodes and do not allow hot insertion)
	• Activation of hot insertion (disabling the clamp diode) is selectable by I/Os.
	• Weak pull-up and pull-down
	• Two slew rates
	• Skew between output buffer enable/disable time: 2 ns delay (rising edge) and 0 ns delay (falling edge); see "Selectable Skew between Output Buffer Enable/Disable Time" on page 2-149 for more information
	• Five drive strengths
	• 5 V–tolerant receiver ("5 V Input Tolerance" section on page 2-144)
	• LVTTTL/LVCMOS 3.3 V outputs compatible with 5 V TTL inputs ("5 V Output Tolerance" section on page 2-148)
	• High performance (Table 2-76 on page 2-143)
Single-ended receiver features	• Schmitt trigger option
	• ESD protection
	• Programmable delay: 0 ns if bypassed, 0.625 ns with '000' setting, 6.575 ns with '111' setting, 0.85-ns intermediate delay increments (at 25°C, 1.5 V)
	• High performance (Table 2-76 on page 2-143)
	• Separate ground planes, GND/GNDQ, for input buffers only to avoid output-induced noise in the input circuitry
Voltage-referenced differential receiver features	• Programmable Delay: 0 ns if bypassed, 0.625 ns with '000' setting, 6.575 ns with '111' setting, 0.85-ns intermediate delay increments (at 25°C, 1.5 V)
	• High performance (Table 2-76 on page 2-143)
	• Separate ground planes, GND/GNDQ, for input buffers only to avoid output-induced noise in the input circuitry
CMOS-style LVDS, BLVDS, M-LVDS, or LVPECL transmitter	• Two I/Os and external resistors are used to provide a CMOS-style LVDS, BLVDS, M-LVDS, or LVPECL transmitter solution.
	• Activation of hot insertion (disabling the clamp diode) is selectable by I/Os.
	• Weak pull-up and pull-down
	• Fast slew rate
LVDS/LVPECL differential receiver features	• ESD protection
	• High performance (Table 2-76 on page 2-143)
	• Programmable delay: 0.625 ns with '000' setting, 6.575 ns with '111' setting, 0.85-ns intermediate delay increments (at 25°C, 1.5 V)
	• Separate input buffer ground and power planes to avoid output-induced noise in the input circuitry

Double Data Rate (DDR) Support

Fusion Pro I/Os support 350 MHz DDR inputs and outputs. In DDR mode, new data is present on every transition of the clock signal. Clock and data lines have identical bandwidths and signal integrity requirements, making it very efficient for implementing very high-speed systems.

DDR interfaces can be implemented using HSTL, SSTL, LVDS, and LVPECL I/O standards. In addition, high-speed DDR interfaces can be implemented using LVDS I/O.

Input Support for DDR

The basic structure to support a DDR input is shown in Figure 2-101. Three input registers are used to capture incoming data, which is presented to the core on each rising edge of the I/O register clock.

Each I/O tile on Fusion devices supports DDR inputs.

Output Support for DDR

The basic DDR output structure is shown in Figure 2-102 on page 2-140. New data is presented to the output every half clock cycle. Note: DDR macros and I/O registers do not require additional routing. The combiner automatically recognizes the DDR macro and pushes its registers to the I/O register area at the edge of the chip. The routing delay from the I/O registers to the I/O buffers is already taken into account in the DDR macro.

Refer to the application note [Using DDR for Fusion Devices](#) for more information.

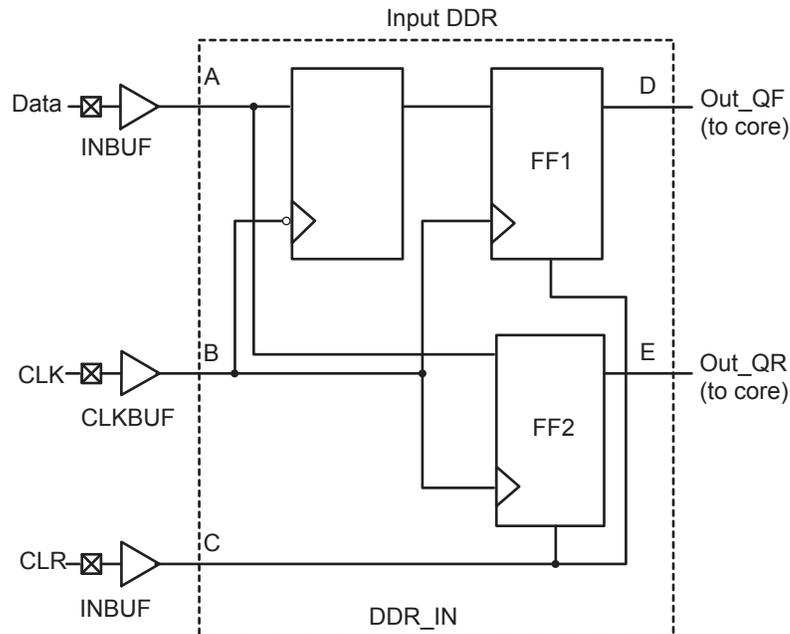


Figure 2-101 • DDR Input Register Support in Fusion Devices

5 V Input Tolerance

I/Os can support 5 V input tolerance when LVTTTL 3.3 V, LVCMOS 3.3 V, LVCMOS 2.5 V / 5 V, and LVCMOS 2.5 V configurations are used (see [Table 2-77 on page 2-147](#) for more details). There are four recommended solutions (see [Figure 2-103 to Figure 2-106 on page 2-146](#) for details of board and macro setups) to achieve 5 V receiver tolerance. All the solutions meet a common requirement of limiting the voltage at the input to 3.6 V or less. In fact, the I/O absolute maximum voltage rating is 3.6 V, and any voltage above 3.6 V may cause long-term gate oxide failures.

Solution 1

The board-level design needs to ensure that the reflected waveform at the pad does not exceed the limits provided in [Table 3-4 on page 3-4](#). This is a long-term reliability requirement.

This scheme will also work for a 3.3 V PCI / PCI-X configuration, but the internal diode should not be used for clamping, and the voltage must be limited by the two external resistors, as explained below. Relying on the diode clamping would create an excessive pad DC voltage of $3.3\text{ V} + 0.7\text{ V} = 4\text{ V}$.

The following are some examples of possible resistor values (based on a simplified simulation model with no line effects and $10\ \Omega$ transmitter output resistance, where $R_{tx_out_high} = (V_{CCI} - V_{OH}) / I_{OH}$, $R_{tx_out_low} = V_{OL} / I_{OL}$).

Example 1 (high speed, high current):

$$R_{tx_out_high} = R_{tx_out_low} = 10\ \Omega$$

$$R1 = 36\ \Omega (\pm 5\%), P(r1)_{min} = 0.069\ \Omega$$

$$R2 = 82\ \Omega (\pm 5\%), P(r2)_{min} = 0.158\ \Omega$$

$$I_{max_tx} = 5.5\text{ V} / (82 * 0.95 + 36 * 0.95 + 10) = 45.04\text{ mA}$$

$$t_{RISE} = t_{FALL} = 0.85\text{ ns at } C_{pad_load} = 10\text{ pF (includes up to 25\% safety margin)}$$

$$t_{RISE} = t_{FALL} = 4\text{ ns at } C_{pad_load} = 50\text{ pF (includes up to 25\% safety margin)}$$

Example 2 (low-medium speed, medium current):

$$R_{tx_out_high} = R_{tx_out_low} = 10\ \Omega$$

$$R1 = 220\ \Omega (\pm 5\%), P(r1)_{min} = 0.018\ \Omega$$

$$R2 = 390\ \Omega (\pm 5\%), P(r2)_{min} = 0.032\ \Omega$$

$$I_{max_tx} = 5.5\text{ V} / (220 * 0.95 + 390 * 0.95 + 10) = 9.17\text{ mA}$$

$$t_{RISE} = t_{FALL} = 4\text{ ns at } C_{pad_load} = 10\text{ pF (includes up to 25\% safety margin)}$$

$$t_{RISE} = t_{FALL} = 20\text{ ns at } C_{pad_load} = 50\text{ pF (includes up to 25\% safety margin)}$$

Other values of resistors are also allowed as long as the resistors are sized appropriately to limit the voltage at the receiving end to $2.5\text{ V} < V_{in}(rx) < 3.6\text{ V}$ when the transmitter sends a logic 1. This range of $V_{in_dc}(rx)$ must be assured for any combination of transmitter supply ($5\text{ V} \pm 0.5\text{ V}$), transmitter output resistance, and board resistor tolerances.

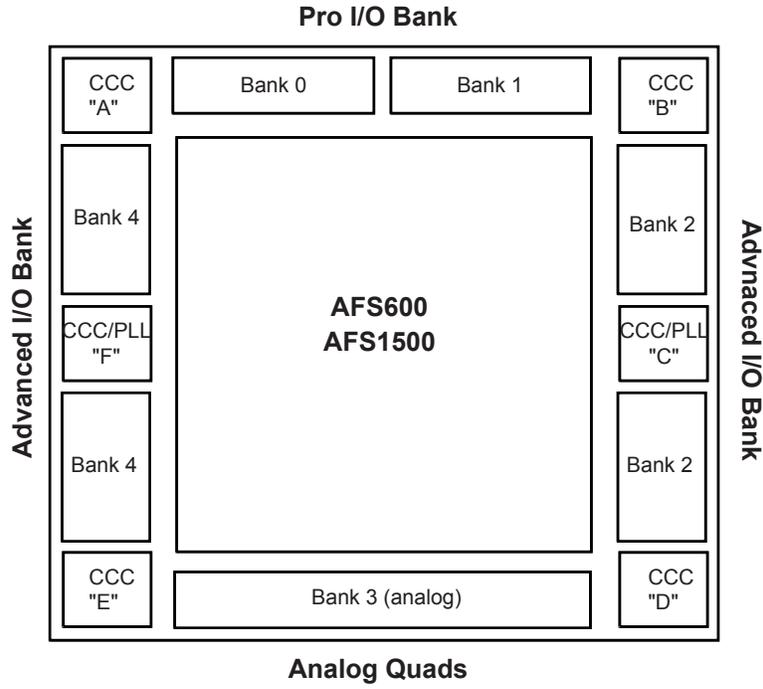


Figure 2-114 • Naming Conventions of Fusion Devices with Four I/O Banks

Table 2-114 • 2.5 V LVCMOS Low Slew
 Commercial Temperature Range Conditions: $T_J = 70^\circ\text{C}$, Worst-Case $V_{CC} = 1.425\text{ V}$,
 Worst-Case $V_{CCI} = 2.3\text{ V}$
 Applicable to Advanced I/Os

Drive Strength	Speed Grade	t_{DOUT}	t_{DP}	t_{DIN}	t_{PY}	t_{EOUT}	t_{ZL}	t_{ZH}	t_{LZ}	t_{HZ}	t_{ZLS}	t_{ZHS}	Units
4 mA	Std.	0.66	11.40	0.04	1.31	0.43	11.22	11.40	2.68	2.20	13.45	13.63	ns
	-1	0.56	9.69	0.04	1.11	0.36	9.54	9.69	2.28	1.88	11.44	11.60	ns
	-2	0.49	8.51	0.03	0.98	0.32	8.38	8.51	2.00	1.65	10.05	10.18	ns
8 mA	Std.	0.66	7.96	0.04	1.31	0.43	8.11	7.81	3.05	2.89	10.34	10.05	ns
	-1	0.56	6.77	0.04	1.11	0.36	6.90	6.65	2.59	2.46	8.80	8.55	ns
	-2	0.49	5.94	0.03	0.98	0.32	6.05	5.84	2.28	2.16	7.72	7.50	ns
12 mA	Std.	0.66	6.18	0.04	1.31	0.43	6.29	5.92	3.30	3.32	8.53	8.15	ns
	-1	0.56	5.26	0.04	1.11	0.36	5.35	5.03	2.81	2.83	7.26	6.94	ns
	-2	0.49	4.61	0.03	0.98	0.32	4.70	4.42	2.47	2.48	6.37	6.09	ns
16 mA	Std.	0.66	6.18	0.04	1.31	0.43	6.29	5.92	3.30	3.32	8.53	8.15	ns
	-1	0.56	5.26	0.04	1.11	0.36	5.35	5.03	2.81	2.83	7.26	6.94	ns
	-2	0.49	4.61	0.03	0.98	0.32	4.70	4.42	2.47	2.48	6.37	6.09	ns
24 mA	Std.	0.66	6.18	0.04	1.31	0.43	6.29	5.92	3.30	3.32	8.53	8.15	ns
	-1	0.56	5.26	0.04	1.11	0.36	5.35	5.03	2.81	2.83	7.26	6.94	ns
	-2	0.49	4.61	0.03	0.98	0.32	4.70	4.42	2.47	2.48	6.37	6.09	ns

Note: For the derating values at specific junction temperature and voltage supply levels, refer to [Table 3-7](#) on [page 3-9](#).

HSTL Class II

High-Speed Transceiver Logic is a general-purpose high-speed 1.5 V bus standard (EIA/JESD8-6). Fusion devices support Class II. This provides a differential amplifier input buffer and a push-pull output buffer.

Table 2-153 • Minimum and Maximum DC Input and Output Levels

HSTL Class II	VIL		VIH		VOL	VOH	IOL	IOH	IOSL	IOSH	IIL ¹	IIH ²
	Min. V	Max. V	Min. V	Max. V	Max. V	Min. V	mA	mA	Max. mA ³	Max. mA ³	μA ⁴	μA ⁴
15 mA ³	-0.3	VREF - 0.1	VREF + 0.1	3.6	0.4	VCCI - 0.4	15	15	55	66	10	10

Note:

1. IIL is the input leakage current per I/O pin over recommended operation conditions where $-0.3\text{ V} < V_{IN} < V_{IL}$.
2. IIH is the input leakage current per I/O pin over recommended operating conditions $V_{IH} < V_{IN} < V_{CCI}$. Input current is larger when operating outside recommended ranges.
3. Currents are measured at high temperature (100°C junction temperature) and maximum voltage.
4. Currents are measured at 85°C junction temperature.
5. Output drive strength is below JEDEC specification.

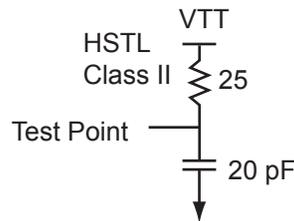


Figure 2-129 • AC Loading

Table 2-154 • AC Waveforms, Measuring Points, and Capacitive Loads

Input Low (V)	Input High (V)	Measuring Point* (V)	VREF (typ.) (V)	VTT (typ.) (V)	C _{LOAD} (pF)
VREF - 0.1	VREF + 0.1	0.75	0.75	0.75	20

Note: *Measuring point = Vtrip. See Table 2-90 on page 2-166 for a complete table of trip points.

Timing Characteristics

Table 2-155 • HSTL Class II

Commercial Temperature Range Conditions: $T_J = 70^\circ\text{C}$, Worst-Case VCC = 1.425 V, Worst-Case VCCI = 1.4 V, VREF = 0.75 V

Speed Grade	t _{DOUT}	t _{DP}	t _{DIN}	t _{PY}	t _{EOUT}	t _{ZL}	t _{ZH}	t _{LZ}	t _{HZ}	t _{ZLS}	t _{ZHS}	Units
Std.	0.66	3.02	0.04	2.12	0.43	3.08	2.71			5.32	4.95	ns
-1	0.56	2.57	0.04	1.81	0.36	2.62	2.31			4.52	4.21	ns
-2	0.49	2.26	0.03	1.59	0.32	2.30	2.03			3.97	3.70	ns

Note: For the derating values at specific junction temperature and voltage supply levels, refer to Table 3-7 on page 3-9.

XTAL2 Crystal Oscillator Circuit Input

Input to crystal oscillator circuit. Pin for connecting external crystal, ceramic resonator, RC network, or external clock input. When using an external crystal or ceramic oscillator, external capacitors are also recommended (Please refer to the crystal oscillator manufacturer for proper capacitor value).

If using external RC network or clock input, XTAL1 should be used and XTAL2 left unconnected. In the case where the Crystal Oscillator block is not used, the XTAL1 pin should be connected to GND and the XTAL2 pin should be left floating.

Security

Fusion devices have a built-in 128-bit AES decryption core. The decryption core facilitates highly secure, in-system programming of the FPGA core array fabric and the FlashROM. The FlashROM and the FPGA core fabric can be programmed independently from each other, allowing the FlashROM to be updated without the need for change to the FPGA core fabric. The AES master key is stored in on-chip nonvolatile memory (flash). The AES master key can be preloaded into parts in a security-protected programming environment (such as the Microsemi in-house programming center), and then "blank" parts can be shipped to an untrusted programming or manufacturing center for final personalization with an AES-encrypted bitstream. Late stage product changes or personalization can be implemented easily and with high level security by simply sending a STAPL file with AES-encrypted data. Highly secure remote field updates over public networks (such as the Internet) are possible by sending and programming a STAPL file with AES-encrypted data. For more information, refer to the [Fusion Security](#) application note.

128-Bit AES Decryption

The 128-bit AES standard (FIPS-197) block cipher is the National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST) replacement for DES (Data Encryption Standard FIPS46-2). AES has been designed to protect sensitive government information well into the 21st century. It replaces the aging DES, which NIST adopted in 1977 as a Federal Information Processing Standard used by federal agencies to protect sensitive, unclassified information. The 128-bit AES standard has 3.4×10^{38} possible 128-bit key variants, and it has been estimated that it would take 1,000 trillion years to crack 128-bit AES cipher text using exhaustive techniques. Keys are stored (protected with security) in Fusion devices in nonvolatile flash memory. All programming files sent to the device can be authenticated by the part prior to programming to ensure that bad programming data is not loaded into the part that may possibly damage it. All programming verification is performed on-chip, ensuring that the contents of Fusion devices remain as secure as possible.

AES decryption can also be used on the 1,024-bit FlashROM to allow for remote updates of the FlashROM contents. This allows for easy support of subscription model products and protects them with measures designed to provide the highest level of security available. See the application note [Fusion Security](#) for more details.

AES for Flash Memory

AES decryption can also be used on the flash memory blocks. This provides the best available security during update of the flash memory blocks. During runtime, the encrypted data can be clocked in via the JTAG interface. The data can be passed through the internal AES decryption engine, and the decrypted data can then be stored in the flash memory block.

Programming

Programming can be performed using various programming tools, such as Silicon Sculptor II (BP Micro Systems) or FlashPro3 (Microsemi).

The user can generate STP programming files from the Designer software and can use these files to program a device.

Fusion devices can be programmed in-system. During programming, VCCOSC is needed in order to power the internal 100 MHz oscillator. This oscillator is used as a source for the 20 MHz oscillator that is used to drive the charge pump for programming.

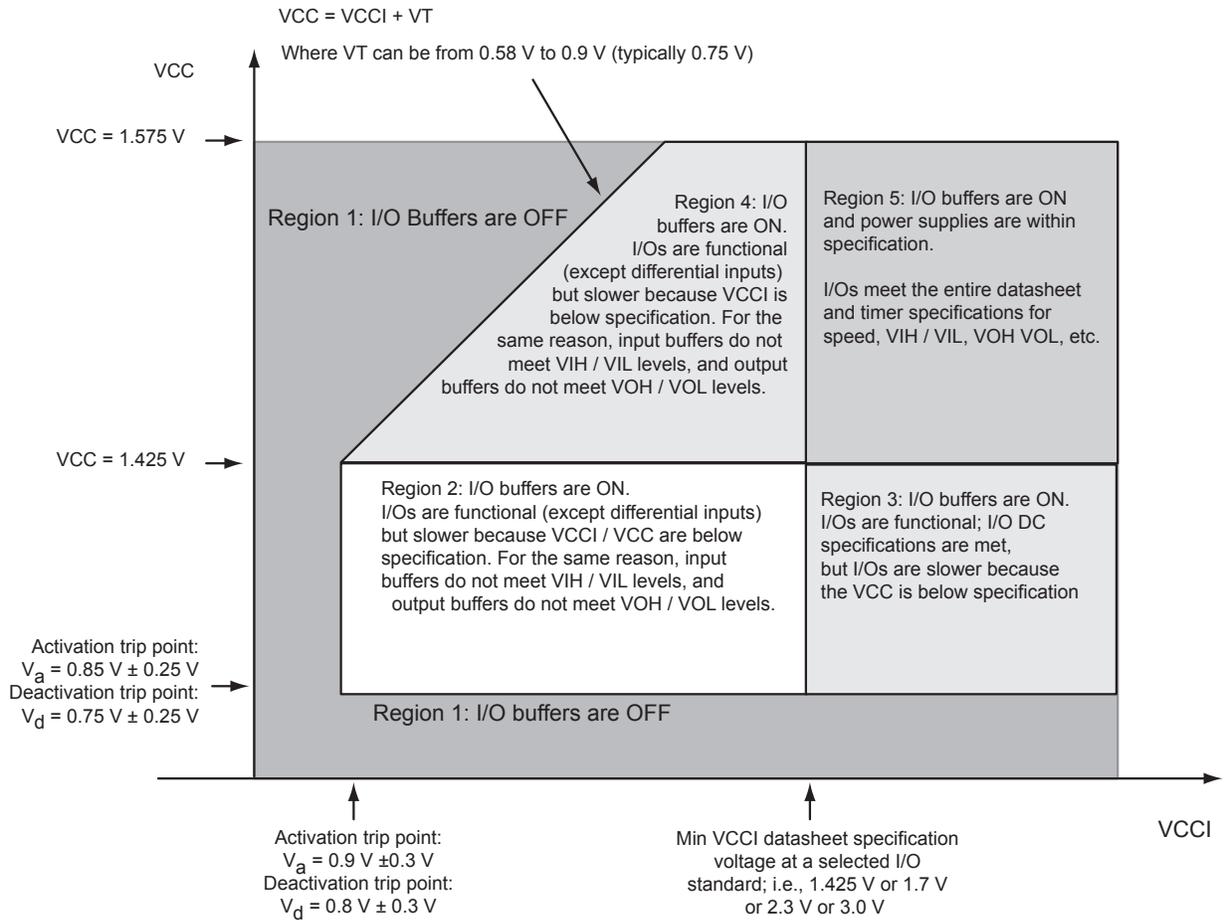


Figure 3-1 • I/O State as a Function of VCCI and VCC Voltage Levels

Thermal Characteristics

Introduction

The temperature variable in the Microsemi Designer software refers to the junction temperature, not the ambient, case, or board temperatures. This is an important distinction because dynamic and static power consumption will cause the chip's junction temperature to be higher than the ambient, case, or board temperatures. EQ 1 through EQ 3 give the relationship between thermal resistance, temperature gradient, and power.

$$\theta_{JA} = \frac{T_J - T_A}{P}$$

EQ 1

$$\theta_{JB} = \frac{T_J - T_B}{P}$$

EQ 2

$$\theta_{JC} = \frac{T_J - T_C}{P}$$

EQ 3

where

- θ_{JA} = Junction-to-air thermal resistance
- θ_{JB} = Junction-to-board thermal resistance
- θ_{JC} = Junction-to-case thermal resistance
- T_J = Junction temperature
- T_A = Ambient temperature
- T_B = Board temperature (measured 1.0 mm away from the package edge)
- T_C = Case temperature
- P = Total power dissipated by the device

Table 3-6 • Package Thermal Resistance

Product	θ_{JA}			θ_{JC}	θ_{JB}	Units
	Still Air	1.0 m/s	2.5 m/s			
AFS090-QN108	34.5	30.0	27.7	8.1	16.7	°C/W
AFS090-QN180	33.3	27.6	25.7	9.2	21.2	°C/W
AFS250-QN180	32.2	26.5	24.7	5.7	15.0	°C/W
AFS250-PQ208	42.1	38.4	37	20.5	36.3	°C/W
AFS600-PQ208	23.9	21.3	20.48	6.1	16.5	°C/W
AFS090-FG256	37.7	33.9	32.2	11.5	29.7	°C/W
AFS250-FG256	33.7	30.0	28.3	9.3	24.8	°C/W
AFS600-FG256	28.9	25.2	23.5	6.8	19.9	°C/W
AFS1500-FG256	23.3	19.6	18.0	4.3	14.2	°C/W
AFS600-FG484	21.8	18.2	16.7	7.7	16.8	°C/W
AFS1500-FG484	21.6	16.8	15.2	5.6	14.9	°C/W
AFS1500-FG676	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	°C/W

Table 3-9 • AFS600 Quiescent Supply Current Characteristics (continued)

Parameter	Description	Conditions	Temp.	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
IPP	Programming supply current	Non-programming mode, VPUMP = 3.63 V	T _J = 25°C		36	80	μA
			T _J = 85°C		36	80	μA
			T _J = 100°C		36	80	μA
		Standby mode ⁵ or Sleep mode ⁶ , VPUMP = 0 V			0	0	μA
ICCNVM	Embedded NVM current	Reset asserted, VCCNVM = 1.575 V	T _J = 25°C		22	80	μA
			T _J = 85°C		24	80	μA
			T _J = 100°C		25	80	μA
ICCPLL	1.5 V PLL quiescent current	Operational standby, VCCPLL = 1.575 V	T _J = 25°C		130	200	μA
			T _J = 85°C		130	200	μA
			T _J = 100°C		130	200	μA

Notes:

1. ICC is the 1.5 V power supplies, ICC and ICC15A.
2. ICC33A includes ICC33A, ICC33PMP, and ICCOSC.
3. ICCI includes all ICCI0, ICCI1, ICCI2, and ICCI4.
4. Operational standby is when the Fusion device is powered up, all blocks are used, no I/O is toggling, Voltage Regulator is loaded with 200 mA, VCC33PMP is ON, XTAL is ON, and ADC is ON.
5. XTAL is configured as high gain, VCC = VJTAG = VPUMP = 0 V.
6. Sleep Mode, VCC = VJTAG = VPUMP = 0 V.

Static Power Consumption of Various Internal Resources

Table 3-15 • Different Components Contributing to the Static Power Consumption in Fusion Devices

Parameter	Definition	Power Supply		Device-Specific Static Contributions				Units
				AFS1500	AFS600	AFS250	AFS090	
PDC1	Core static power contribution in operating mode	VCC	1.5 V	18	7.5	4.50	3.00	mW
PDC2	Device static power contribution in standby mode	VCC33A	3.3 V	0.66				mW
PDC3	Device static power contribution in sleep mode	VCC33A	3.3 V	0.03				mW
PDC4	NVM static power contribution	VCC	1.5 V	1.19				mW
PDC5	Analog Block static power contribution of ADC	VCC33A	3.3 V	8.25				mW
PDC6	Analog Block static power contribution per Quad	VCC33A	3.3 V	3.3				mW
PDC7	Static contribution per input pin – standard dependent contribution	VCCI	See Table 3-12 on page 3-18					
PDC8	Static contribution per input pin – standard dependent contribution	VCCI	See Table 3-13 on page 3-20					
PDC9	Static contribution for PLL	VCC	1.5 V	2.55				mW

Power Calculation Methodology

This section describes a simplified method to estimate power consumption of an application. For more accurate and detailed power estimations, use the SmartPower tool in the Libero SoC software.

The power calculation methodology described below uses the following variables:

- The number of PLLs as well as the number and the frequency of each output clock generated
- The number of combinatorial and sequential cells used in the design
- The internal clock frequencies
- The number and the standard of I/O pins used in the design
- The number of RAM blocks used in the design
- The number of NVM blocks used in the design
- The number of Analog Quads used in the design
- Toggle rates of I/O pins as well as VersaTiles—guidelines are provided in [Table 3-16 on page 3-27](#).
- Enable rates of output buffers—guidelines are provided for typical applications in [Table 3-17 on page 3-27](#).
- Read rate and write rate to the RAM—guidelines are provided for typical applications in [Table 3-17 on page 3-27](#).
- Read rate to the NVM blocks

The calculation should be repeated for each clock domain defined in the design.

FG484		
Pin Number	AFS600 Function	AFS1500 Function
A1	GND	GND
A2	VCC	NC
A3	GAA1/IO01PDB0V0	GAA1/IO01PDB0V0
A4	GAB0/IO02NDB0V0	GAB0/IO02NDB0V0
A5	GAB1/IO02PDB0V0	GAB1/IO02PDB0V0
A6	IO07NDB0V1	IO07NDB0V1
A7	IO07PDB0V1	IO07PDB0V1
A8	IO10PDB0V1	IO09PDB0V1
A9	IO14NDB0V1	IO13NDB0V2
A10	IO14PDB0V1	IO13PDB0V2
A11	IO17PDB1V0	IO24PDB1V0
A12	IO18PDB1V0	IO26PDB1V0
A13	IO19NDB1V0	IO27NDB1V1
A14	IO19PDB1V0	IO27PDB1V1
A15	IO24NDB1V1	IO35NDB1V2
A16	IO24PDB1V1	IO35PDB1V2
A17	GBC0/IO26NDB1V1	GBC0/IO40NDB1V2
A18	GBA0/IO28NDB1V1	GBA0/IO42NDB1V2
A19	IO29NDB1V1	IO43NDB1V2
A20	IO29PDB1V1	IO43PDB1V2
A21	VCC	NC
A22	GND	GND
AA1	VCC	NC
AA2	GND	GND
AA3	VCCIB4	VCCIB4
AA4	VCCIB4	VCCIB4
AA5	PCAP	PCAP
AA6	AG0	AG0
AA7	GNDA	GNDA
AA8	AG1	AG1
AA9	AG2	AG2
AA10	GNDA	GNDA
AA11	AG3	AG3
AA12	AG6	AG6
AA13	GNDA	GNDA

FG484		
Pin Number	AFS600 Function	AFS1500 Function
AA14	AG7	AG7
AA15	AG8	AG8
AA16	GNDA	GNDA
AA17	AG9	AG9
AA18	VAREF	VAREF
AA19	VCCIB2	VCCIB2
AA20	PTEM	PTEM
AA21	GND	GND
AA22	VCC	NC
AB1	GND	GND
AB2	VCC	NC
AB3	NC	IO94NSB4V0
AB4	GND	GND
AB5	VCC33N	VCC33N
AB6	AT0	AT0
AB7	ATR TN0	ATR TN0
AB8	AT1	AT1
AB9	AT2	AT2
AB10	ATR TN1	ATR TN1
AB11	AT3	AT3
AB12	AT6	AT6
AB13	ATR TN3	ATR TN3
AB14	AT7	AT7
AB15	AT8	AT8
AB16	ATR TN4	ATR TN4
AB17	AT9	AT9
AB18	VCC33A	VCC33A
AB19	GND	GND
AB20	NC	IO76NPB2V0
AB21	VCC	NC
AB22	GND	GND
B1	VCC	NC
B2	GND	GND
B3	GAA0/IO01NDB0V0	GAA0/IO01NDB0V0
B4	GND	GND

FG676	
Pin Number	AFS1500 Function
A1	NC
A2	GND
A3	NC
A4	NC
A5	GND
A6	NC
A7	NC
A8	GND
A9	IO17NDB0V2
A10	IO17PDB0V2
A11	GND
A12	IO18NDB0V2
A13	IO18PDB0V2
A14	IO20NDB0V2
A15	IO20PDB0V2
A16	GND
A17	IO21PDB0V2
A18	IO21NDB0V2
A19	GND
A20	IO39NDB1V2
A21	IO39PDB1V2
A22	GND
A23	NC
A24	NC
A25	GND
A26	NC
AA1	NC
AA2	VCCIB4
AA3	IO93PDB4V0
AA4	GND
AA5	IO93NDB4V0
AA6	GEB2/IO86PDB4V0
AA7	IO86NDB4V0
AA8	AV0
AA9	GNDA
AA10	AV1

FG676	
Pin Number	AFS1500 Function
AA11	AV2
AA12	GNDA
AA13	AV3
AA14	AV6
AA15	GNDA
AA16	AV7
AA17	AV8
AA18	GNDA
AA19	AV9
AA20	VCCIB2
AA21	IO68PPB2V0
AA22	TCK
AA23	GND
AA24	IO76PPB2V0
AA25	VCCIB2
AA26	NC
AB1	GND
AB2	NC
AB3	GEC2/IO87PDB4V0
AB4	IO87NDB4V0
AB5	GEA2/IO85PDB4V0
AB6	IO85NDB4V0
AB7	NCAP
AB8	AC0
AB9	VCC33A
AB10	AC1
AB11	AC2
AB12	VCC33A
AB13	AC3
AB14	AC6
AB15	VCC33A
AB16	AC7
AB17	AC8
AB18	VCC33A
AB19	AC9
AB20	ADCGNDREF

FG676	
Pin Number	AFS1500 Function
AB21	PTBASE
AB22	GNDNVM
AB23	VCCNVM
AB24	VPUMP
AB25	NC
AB26	GND
AC1	NC
AC2	NC
AC3	NC
AC4	GND
AC5	VCCIB4
AC6	VCCIB4
AC7	PCAP
AC8	AG0
AC9	GNDA
AC10	AG1
AC11	AG2
AC12	GNDA
AC13	AG3
AC14	AG6
AC15	GNDA
AC16	AG7
AC17	AG8
AC18	GNDA
AC19	AG9
AC20	VAREF
AC21	VCCIB2
AC22	PTM
AC23	GND
AC24	NC
AC25	NC
AC26	NC
AD1	NC
AD2	NC
AD3	GND
AD4	NC

Revision	Changes	Page
Revision 3 (continued)	The "RC Oscillator" section was revised to correct a sentence that did not differentiate accuracy for commercial and industrial temperature ranges, which is given in Table 2-9 • Electrical Characteristics of RC Oscillator (SAR 33722).	2-19
	Figure 2-57 • FIFO Read and Figure 2-58 • FIFO Write are new (SAR 34840).	2-72
	The first paragraph of the "Offset" section was removed; it was intended to be replaced by the paragraph following it (SAR 22647).	2-95
	IOL and IOH values for 3.3 V GTL+ and 2.5 V GTL+ were corrected in Table 2-86 • Summary of Maximum and Minimum DC Input and Output Levels Applicable to Commercial and Industrial Conditions (SAR 39813).	2-164
	The drive strength, IOL, and IOH for 3.3 V GTL and 2.5 V GTL were changed from 25 mA to 20 mA in the following tables (SAR 37373): Table 2-86 • Summary of Maximum and Minimum DC Input and Output Levels Applicable to Commercial and Industrial Conditions , Table 2-92 • Summary of I/O Timing Characteristics – Software Default Settings Table 2-96 • I/O Output Buffer Maximum Resistances 1 Table 2-138 • Minimum and Maximum DC Input and Output Levels Table 2-141 • Minimum and Maximum DC Input and Output Levels	2-164 2-167 2-169 2-199 2-200
	The following sentence was deleted from the "2.5 V LVCMOS" section (SAR 34800): "It uses a 5 V–tolerant input buffer and push-pull output buffer."	2-181
	Corrected the inadvertent error in maximum values for LVPECL VIH and VIL and revised them to "3.6" in Table 2-171 • Minimum and Maximum DC Input and Output Levels , making these consistent with Table 3-1 • Absolute Maximum Ratings , and Table 3-4 • Overshoot and Undershoot Limits 1 (SAR 37687).	2-211
	The maximum frequency for global clock parameter was removed from Table 2-5 • AFS1500 Global Resource Timing through Table 2-8 • AFS090 Global Resource Timing because a frequency on the global is only an indication of what the global network can do. There are other limiters such as the SRAM, I/Os, and PLL. SmartTime software should be used to determine the design frequency (SAR 36955).	2-16 to 2-17
Revision 2 (March 2012)	The phrase "without debug" was removed from the " Soft ARM Cortex-M1 Fusion Devices (M1) " section (SAR 21390).	I
	The " In-System Programming (ISP) and Security " section, " Security " section, " Flash Advantages " section, and " Security " section were revised to clarify that although no existing security measures can give an absolute guarantee, Microsemi FPGAs implement the best security available in the industry (SAR 34679).	I, 1-2, 2-228
	The Y security option and Licensed DPA Logo was added to the " Product Ordering Codes " section. The trademarked Licensed DPA Logo identifies that a product is covered by a DPA counter-measures license from Cryptography Research (SAR 34721).	III
	The " Specifying I/O States During Programming " section is new (SAR 34693).	1-9
	The following information was added before Figure 2-17 • XTLOSC Macro : In the case where the Crystal Oscillator block is not used, the XTAL1 pin should be connected to GND and the XTAL2 pin should be left floating (SAR 24119).	2-20
	Table 2-12 • Fusion CCC/PLL Specification was updated. A note was added indicating that when the CCC/PLL core is generated by Microsemi core generator software, not all delay values of the specified delay increments are available (SAR 34814).	2-28

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Advance v0.6 (continued)	The "Analog-to-Digital Converter Block" section was updated with the following statement: "All results are MSB justified in the ADC."	2-99
	The information about the ADCSTART signal was updated in the "ADC Description" section.	2-102
	Table 2-46 · Analog Channel Specifications was updated.	2-118
	Table 2-47 · ADC Characteristics in Direct Input Mode was updated.	2-121
	Table 2-51 · ACM Address Decode Table for Analog Quad was updated.	2-127
	In Table 2-53 · Analog Quad ACM Byte Assignment, the Function and Default Setting for Bit 6 in Byte 3 was updated.	2-130
	The "Introduction" section was updated to include information about digital inputs, outputs, and bbufs.	2-133
	In Table 2-69 · Fusion Pro I/O Features, the programmable delay descriptions were updated for the following features: Single-ended receiver Voltage-referenced differential receiver LVDS/LVPECL differential receiver features	2-137
	The "User I/O Naming Convention" section was updated to include "V" and "z" descriptions	2-159
	The "VCC33PMP Analog Power Supply (3.3 V)" section was updated to include information about avoiding high current draw.	2-224
	The "VCCNVM Flash Memory Block Power Supply (1.5 V)" section was updated to include information about avoiding high current draw.	2-224
	The "VMVx I/O Supply Voltage (quiet)" section was updated to include this statement: VMV and VCCI must be connected to the same power supply and VCCI pins within a given I/O bank.	2-185
	The "PUB Push Button" section was updated to include information about leaving the pin floating if it is not used.	2-228
	The "PTBASE Pass Transistor Base" section was updated to include information about leaving the pin floating if it is not used.	2-228
The "PTM Pass Transistor Emitter" section was updated to include information about leaving the pin floating if it is not used.	2-228	
The heading was incorrect in the "208-Pin PQFP" table. It should be AFS250 and not AFS090.	3-8	