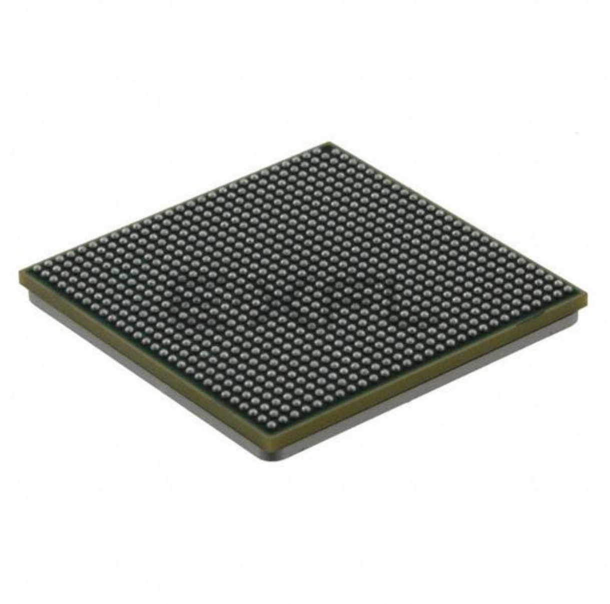

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Number of Cores/Bus Width	1 Core, 32-Bit
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RAM Controllers	DDR, DDR2, SDRAM
Graphics Acceleration	No
Display & Interface Controllers	-
Ethernet	10/100/1000Mbps (2)
SATA	-
USB	-
Voltage - I/O	1.8V, 2.5V, 3.3V
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- Full ECC support
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  - Up to 16 simultaneous open pages for DDR
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- On-die termination support when using DDR2
- Supports auto refreshing
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  - DEU—Data Encryption Standard execution unit
    - DES, 3DES

Figure 1 shows the MPC8544E block diagram.

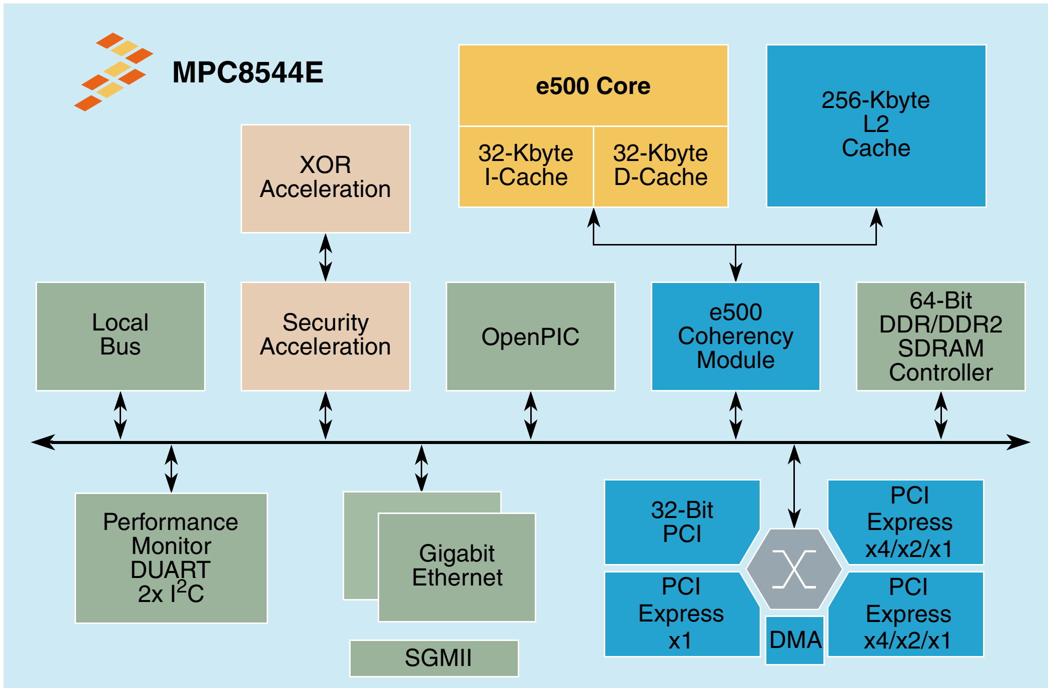

Figure 1. MPC8544E Block Diagram

2 Electrical Characteristics

This section provides the AC and DC electrical specifications and thermal characteristics for the MPC8544E. This device is currently targeted to these specifications. Some of these specifications are independent of the I/O cell, but are included for a more complete reference. These are not purely I/O buffer design specifications.

2.1 Overall DC Electrical Characteristics

This section covers the ratings, conditions, and other characteristics.

2.1.1 Absolute Maximum Ratings

Table 1 provides the absolute maximum ratings.

Table 1. Absolute Maximum Ratings[1]

Characteristic	Symbol	Max Value	Unit	Notes
Core supply voltage	V_{DD}	–0.3 to 1.1	V	—
PLL supply voltage	AV_{DD}	–0.3 to 1.1	V	—
Core power supply for SerDes transceivers	SV_{DD}	–0.3 to 1.1	V	—
Pad power supply for SerDes transceivers	XV_{DD}	–0.3 to 1.1	V	—

Table 12. DDR SDRAM DC Electrical Characteristics for GV_{DD}(typ) = 2.5 V (continued)

Parameter/Condition	Symbol	Min	Max	Unit	Notes
Output low current (V_{OUT} = 0.42 V)	I_{OL}	16.2	—	mA	—

Notes:

1. GV_{DD} is expected to be within 50 mV of the DRAM GV_{DD} at all times.
2. MV_{REF} is expected to be equal to 0.5 × GV_{DD}, and to track GV_{DD} DC variations as measured at the receiver. Peak-to-peak noise on MV_{REF} may not exceed ±2% of the DC value.
3. V_{TT} is not applied directly to the device. It is the supply to which far end signal termination is made and is expected to be equal to MV_{REF}. This rail should track variations in the DC level of MV_{REF}.

Table 13 provides the DDR I/O capacitance when GV_{DD}(typ) = 2.5 V.

Table 13. DDR SDRAM Capacitance for GV_{DD}(typ) = 2.5 V

Parameter/Condition	Symbol	Min	Max	Unit	Notes
Input/output capacitance: DQ, DQS	C_{IO}	6	8	pF	1
Delta input/output capacitance: DQ, DQS	C_{DIO}	—	0.5	pF	1

Note:

1. This parameter is sampled. GV_{DD} = 2.5 V ± 0.125 V, f = 1 MHz, T_A = 25°C, V_{OUT} = GV_{DD}/2, V_{OUT} (peak-to-peak) = 0.2 V.

Table 14 provides the current draw characteristics for MV_{REF}.

Table 14. Current Draw Characteristics for MV_{REF}

Parameter/Condition	Symbol	Min	Max	Unit	Notes
Current draw for MV_{REF}	I_{MVREF}	—	500	μA	1

Note:

1. The voltage regulator for MV_{REF} must be able to supply up to 500 μA current.

6.2 DDR SDRAM AC Electrical Characteristics

This section provides the AC electrical characteristics for the DDR SDRAM interface.

6.2.1 DDR SDRAM Input AC Timing Specifications

Table 15 provides the input AC timing specifications for the DDR SDRAM when GV_{DD}(typ) = 1.8 V.

Table 15. DDR2 SDRAM Input AC Timing Specifications for 1.8-V Interface

At recommended operating conditions.

Parameter	Symbol	Min	Max	Unit	Notes
AC input low voltage	V_{IL}	—	MV_{REF} – 0.25	V	—
AC input high voltage	V_{IH}	MV_{REF} + 0.25	—	V	—

Table 19. DUART DC Electrical Characteristics (continued)

Parameter	Symbol	Min	Max	Unit	Notes
Low-level output voltage (OV_{DD} = min, I_{OL} = 2 mA)	V_{OL}	—	0.4	V	—

Note:
1. Note that the symbol V_{IN}, in this case, represents the OV_{IN} symbol referenced in Table 1 and Table 2.

7.2 DUART AC Electrical Specifications

Table 20 provides the AC timing parameters for the DUART interface.

Table 20. DUART AC Timing Specifications

Parameter	Value	Unit	Notes
Minimum baud rate	CCB clock/1,048,576	baud	1
Maximum baud rate	CCB clock/16	baud	2
Oversample rate	16	—	3

Notes:
1. CCB clock refers to the platform clock.
2. Actual attainable baud rate will be limited by the latency of interrupt processing.
3. The middle of a start bit is detected as the eighth sampled 0 after the 1-to-0 transition of the start bit. Subsequent bit values are sampled each sixteenth sample.

8 Enhanced Three-Speed Ethernet (eTSEC), MII Management

This section provides the AC and DC electrical characteristics for enhanced three-speed and MII management.

8.1 Enhanced Three-Speed Ethernet Controller (eTSEC) (10/100/1000 Mbps)—SGMII/GMII/MII/TBI/RGMII/RTBI/RMII/FIFO Electrical Characteristics

The electrical characteristics specified here apply to all gigabit media independent interface (GMII), 8-bit FIFO interface (FIFO), serial gigabit media independent interface (SGMII), media independent interface (MII), ten-bit interface (TBI), reduced gigabit media independent interface (RGMII), reduced ten-bit interface (RTBI), and reduced media independent interface (RMII) signals except management data input/output (MDIO) and management data clock (MDC). The 8-bit FIFO interface can operate at 3.3 or 2.5 V. The RGMII and RTBI interfaces are defined for 2.5 V, while the MII, GMII, TBI, and RMII interfaces can be operated at 3.3 or 2.5 V. Whether the GMII, MII, or TBI interface is operated at 3.3 or 2.5 V, the timing is compliant with IEEE 802.3. The RGMII and RTBI interfaces follow the *Reduced Gigabit Media-Independent Interface (RGMII) Specification Version 1.3* (12/10/2000). The RMII interface follows the *RMII Consortium RMII Specification Version 1.2* (3/20/1998). The SGMII interfaces follow the *Serial Gigabit Media-Independent Interface (SGMII) Specification Version 1.8*. The electrical characteristics for MDIO and MDC are specified in Section 9, "Ethernet Management Interface Electrical

Figure 7 shows an example of a 4-wire AC-coupled SGMII serial link connection.

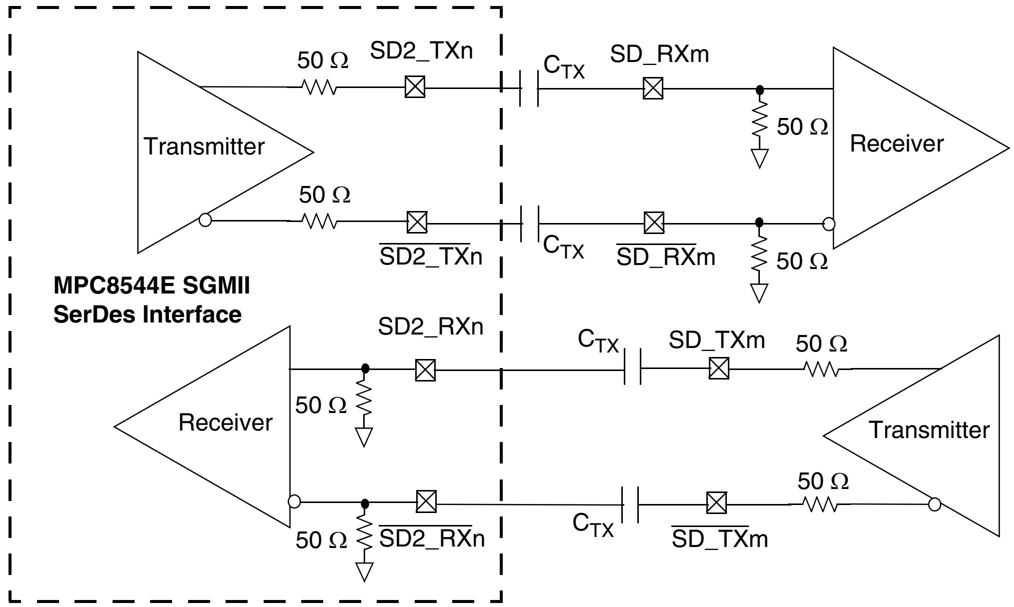

Figure 7. 4-Wire AC-Coupled SGMII Serial Link Connection Example

Figure 8 shows an SGMII transmitter DC measurement circuit.

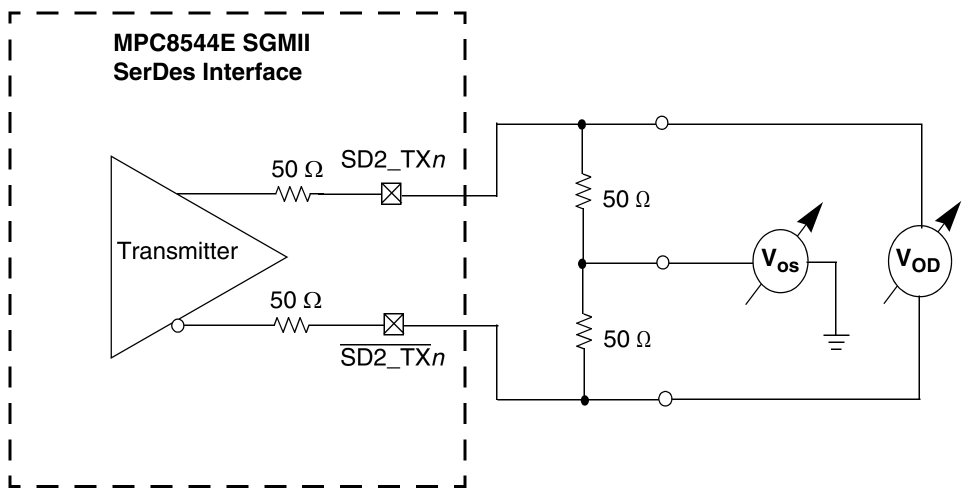

Figure 8. SGMII Transmitter DC Measurement Circuit

Table 25 shows the DC receiver electrical characteristics.

Table 25. DC Receiver Electrical Characteristics

Parameter	Symbol	Min	Typ	Max	Unit	Notes
Supply Voltage	V_{DD_SRDS2}	0.9	1.0	1.05	V	—
DC input voltage range	—	—	—	—	—	1

Table 33. MII Receive AC Timing Specifications (continued)

At recommended operating conditions with L/TVDD of 3.3 V ± 5%.or 2.5 V ± 5%.

Parameter/Condition	Symbol[1]	Min	Typ	Max	Unit	Notes
RXD[3:0], RX_DV, RX_ER setup time to RX_CLK	t_{MRDVKH}	10.0	—	—	ns	—
RXD[3:0], RX_DV, RX_ER hold time to RX_CLK	t_{MRDXKH}	10.0	—	—	ns	—
RX_CLK clock rise (20%–80%)	t_{MRXR}	1.0	—	4.0	ns	—
RX_CLK clock fall time (80%–20%)	t_{MRXF}	1.0	—	4.0	ns	—

Note:

1. The symbols used for timing specifications follow the pattern of $t_{(first two letters of functional block)(signal)(state)(reference)(state)}$ for inputs and $t_{(first two letters of functional block)(reference)(state)(signal)(state)}$ for outputs. For example, t_{MRDVKH} symbolizes MII receive timing (MR) with respect to the time data input signals (D) reach the valid state (V) relative to the t_{MRX} clock reference (K) going to the high (H) state or setup time. Also, t_{MRDXKL} symbolizes MII receive timing (GR) with respect to the time data input signals (D) went invalid (X) relative to the t_{MRX} clock reference (K) going to the low (L) state or hold time. Note that, in general, the clock reference symbol representation is based on three letters representing the clock of a particular functional. For example, the subscript of t_{MRX} represents the MII (M) receive (RX) clock. For rise and fall times, the latter convention is used with the appropriate letter: R (rise) or F (fall).

Figure 17 provides the AC test load for eTSEC.

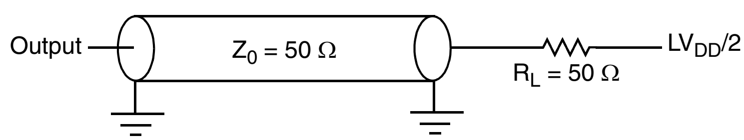

Figure 17. eTSEC AC Test Load

Figure 18 shows the MII receive AC timing diagram.

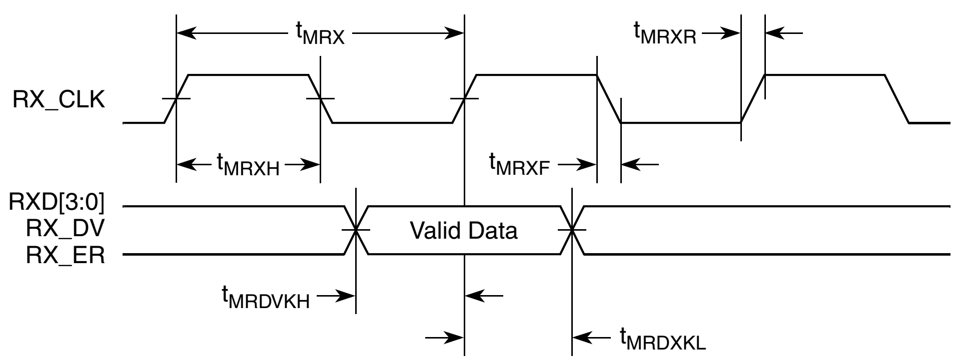

Figure 18. MII Receive AC Timing Diagram

8.7 TBI AC Timing Specifications

This section describes the TBI transmit and receive AC timing specifications.

8.7.1 TBI Transmit AC Timing Specifications

Table 34 provides the TBI transmit AC timing specifications.

Table 34. TBI Transmit AC Timing Specifications

At recommended operating conditions with L/TVDD of 3.3 V ± 5% or 2.5 V ± 5%

Parameter/Condition	Symbol[1]	Min	Typ	Max	Unit	Notes
GTX_CLK clock period	t_{GTX}	—	8.0	—	ns	—
GTX_CLK to TCG[9:0] delay time	t_{TTKHDX}	0.2	—	5.0	ns	2
GTX_CLK rise (20%–80%)	t_{TTXR}	—	—	1.0	ns	—
GTX_CLK fall time (80%–20%)	t_{TTXF}	—	—	1.0	ns	—

Notes:

1. The symbols used for timing specifications follow the pattern of $t_{\text{(first two letters of functional block)(signal)(state)(reference)(state)}}$ for inputs and $t_{\text{(first two letters of functional block)(reference)(state)(signal)(state)}}$ for outputs. For example, t_{TTKHDV} symbolizes the TBI transmit timing (TT) with respect to the time from t_{TTX} (K) going high (H) until the referenced data signals (D) reach the valid state (V) or setup time. Also, t_{TTKHDX} symbolizes the TBI transmit timing (TT) with respect to the time from t_{TTX} (K) going high (H) until the referenced data signals (D) reach the invalid state (X) or hold time. Note that, in general, the clock reference symbol representation is based on three letters representing the clock of a particular functional. For example, the subscript of t_{TTX} represents the TBI (T) transmit (TX) clock. For rise and fall times, the latter convention is used with the appropriate letter: R (rise) or F (fall).
2. Data valid t_{TTKHDV} to GTX_CLK Min setup time is a function of clock period and max hold time (Min setup = cycle time – Max delay).

Figure 19 shows the TBI transmit AC timing diagram.

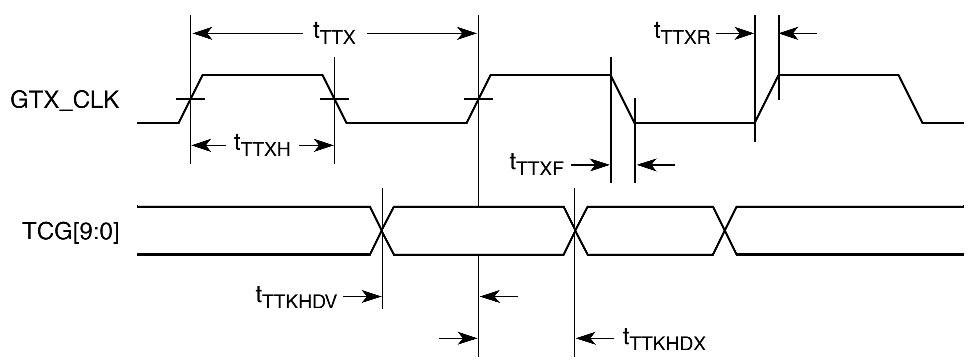

Figure 19. TBI Transmit AC Timing Diagram

8.7.2 TBI Receive AC Timing Specifications

Table 35 provides the TBI receive AC timing specifications.

Table 35. TBI Receive AC Timing Specifications

At recommended operating conditions with L/TVDD of 3.3 V ± 5% or 2.5 V ± 5%.

Parameter/Condition	Symbol[1]	Min	Typ	Max	Unit	Notes
PMA_RX_CLK[0:1] clock period	t_{TRX}	—	16.0	—	ns	—
PMA_RX_CLK[0:1] skew	t_{SKTRX}	7.5	—	8.5	ns	—

Table 41. MII Management AC Timing Specifications (continued)

At recommended operating conditions with OV_{DD} is 3.3 V ± 5%.

Parameter/Condition	Symbol[1]	Min	Typ	Max	Unit	Notes
MDC fall time	t_{MDHF}	—	—	10	ns	—

Notes:

1. The symbols used for timing specifications follow the pattern of $t_{(first\ two\ letters\ of\ functional\ block)(signal)(state)(reference)(state)}$ for inputs and $t_{(first\ two\ letters\ of\ functional\ block)(reference)(state)(signal)(state)}$ for outputs. For example, t_{MDKHDX} symbolizes management data timing (MD) for the time t_{MDC} from clock reference (K) high (H) until data outputs (D) are invalid (X) or data hold time. Also, t_{MDDVKH} symbolizes management data timing (MD) with respect to the time data input signals (D) reach the valid state (V) relative to the t_{MDC} clock reference (K) going to the high (H) state or setup time. For rise and fall times, the latter convention is used with the appropriate letter: R (rise) or F (fall).
2. This parameter is dependent on the platform clock frequency (MIIMCFG [MgmtClk] field determines the clock frequency of the MgmtClk Clock EC_MDC).
3. This parameter is dependent on the platform clock frequency. The delay is equal to 16 platform clock periods ±3 ns. For example, with a platform clock of 333 MHz, the min/max delay is 48 ns ± 3 ns. Similarly, if the platform clock is 400 MHz, the min/max delay is 40 ns ± 3 ns).
4. t_{plb_clk} is the platform (CCB) clock.

Figure 26 shows the MII management AC timing diagram.

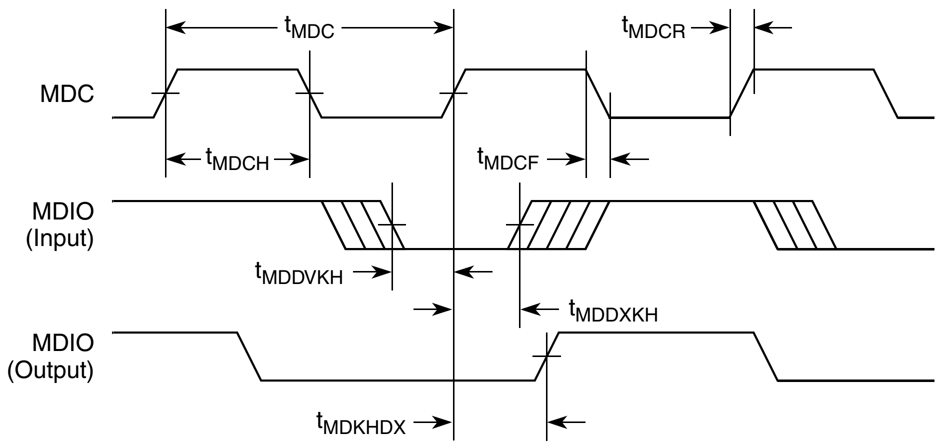

Figure 26. MII Management Interface Timing Diagram

Table 45. Local Bus General Timing Parameters (BV_{DD} = 3.3 V)—PLL Enabled (continued)

Parameter	Symbol[1]	Min	Max	Unit	Notes
Local bus clock to output high impedance for LAD/LDP	$t_{LBKHOZ2}$	—	2.5	ns	5

Notes:
1. The symbols used for timing specifications follow the pattern of $t_{\text{(first two letters of functional block)(signal)(state)(reference)(state)}}$ for inputs and $t_{\text{(first two letters of functional block)(reference)(state)(signal)(state)}}$ for outputs. For example, $t_{LBIXKH1}$ symbolizes local bus timing (LB) for the input (I) to go invalid (X) with respect to the time the t_{LBK} clock reference (K) goes high (H), in this case for clock one (1). Also, t_{LBKHOX} symbolizes local bus timing (LB) for the t_{LBK} clock reference (K) to go high (H), with respect to the output (O) going invalid (X) or output hold time.
2. All timings are in reference to LSYNC_IN for PLL enabled and internal local bus clock for PLL bypass mode.
3. All signals are measured from $BV_{DD}/2$ of the rising edge of LSYNC_IN for PLL enabled or internal local bus clock for PLL bypass mode to $0.4 \times BV_{DD}$ of the signal in question for 3.3-V signaling levels.
4. Input timings are measured at the pin.
5. For purposes of active/float timing measurements, the Hi-Z or off state is defined to be when the total current delivered through the component pin is less than or equal to the leakage current specification.
6. t_{LBOTOT} is a measurement of the minimum time between the negation of LALE and any change in LAD. t_{LBOTOT} is programmed with the LBCR[AHD] parameter.
7. Maximum possible clock skew between a clock LCLK[m] and a relative clock LCLK[n]. Skew measured between complementary signals at $BV_{DD}/2$.

Table 46 describes the general timing parameters of the local bus interface at BV_{DD} = 2.5 V.

Table 46. Local Bus General Timing Parameters (BV_{DD} = 2.5 V)—PLL Enabled

Parameter	Symbol[1]	Min	Max	Unit	Notes
Local bus cycle time	t_{LBK}	7.5	12	ns	2
Local bus duty cycle	t_{LBKH}/t_{LBK}	43	57	%	—
LCLK[n] skew to LCLK[m] or LSYNC_OUT	$t_{LBKSKEW}$	—	150	ps	7
Input setup to local bus clock (except LUPWAIT)	$t_{LBIVKH1}$	2.4	—	ns	3, 4
LUPWAIT input setup to local bus clock	$t_{LBIVKH2}$	1.8	—	ns	3, 4
Input hold from local bus clock (except LUPWAIT)	$t_{LBIXKH1}$	1.1	—	ns	3, 4
LUPWAIT input hold from local bus clock	$t_{LBIXKH2}$	1.1	—	ns	3, 4
LALE output transition to LAD/LDP output transition (LATCH setup and hold time)	t_{LBOTOT}	1.5	—	ns	6
Local bus clock to output valid (except LAD/LDP and LALE)	$t_{LBKHOV1}$	—	2.8	ns	—
Local bus clock to data valid for LAD/LDP	$t_{LBKHOV2}$	—	2.8	ns	3
Local bus clock to address valid for LAD	$t_{LBKHOV3}$	—	2.8	ns	3
Local bus clock to LALE assertion	$t_{LBKHOV4}$	—	2.8	ns	3
Output hold from local bus clock (except LAD/LDP and LALE)	$t_{LBKHOX1}$	0.8	—	ns	3
Output hold from local bus clock for LAD/LDP	$t_{LBKHOX2}$	0.8	—	ns	3
Local bus clock to output high Impedance (except LAD/LDP and LALE)	$t_{LBKHOZ1}$	—	2.6	ns	5

Table 50. JTAG AC Timing Specifications (Independent of SYSCLK)[1] (continued)

At recommended operating conditions (see Table 3).

Parameter	Symbol[2]	Min	Max	Unit	Notes
JTAG external clock to output high impedance:				ns	5
Boundary-scan data	t_{JTKLDZ}	3	19		
TDO	t_{JTKLOZ}	3	9		

Notes:

1. All outputs are measured from the midpoint voltage of the falling/rising edge of t_{TCLK} to the midpoint of the signal in question. The output timings are measured at the pins. All output timings assume a purely resistive 50-Ω load (see Figure 34). Time-of-flight delays must be added for trace lengths, vias, and connectors in the system.
2. The symbols used for timing specifications follow the pattern of $t_{\text{(first two letters of functional block)(signal)(state)(reference)(state)}}$ for inputs and $t_{\text{(first two letters of functional block)(reference)(state)(signal)(state)}}$ for outputs. For example, t_{JTDVKH} symbolizes JTAG device timing (JT) with respect to the time data input signals (D) reaching the valid state (V) relative to the t_{JTG} clock reference (K) going to the high (H) state or setup time. Also, t_{JTDXKH} symbolizes JTAG timing (JT) with respect to the time data input signals (D) went invalid (X) relative to the t_{JTG} clock reference (K) going to the high (H) state. Note that, in general, the clock reference symbol representation is based on three letters representing the clock of a particular functional. For rise and fall times, the latter convention is used with the appropriate letter: R (rise) or F (fall).
3. $\overline{\text{TRST}}$ is an asynchronous level sensitive signal. The setup time is for test purposes only.
4. Non-JTAG signal input timing with respect to t_{TCLK}.
5. Non-JTAG signal output timing with respect to t_{TCLK}.

Figure 34 provides the AC test load for TDO and the boundary-scan outputs.

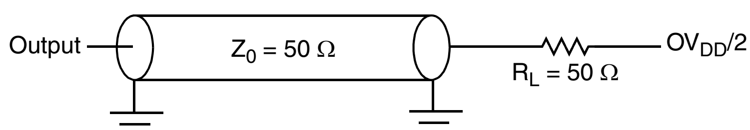

Figure 34. AC Test Load for the JTAG Interface

Figure 35 provides the JTAG clock input timing diagram.

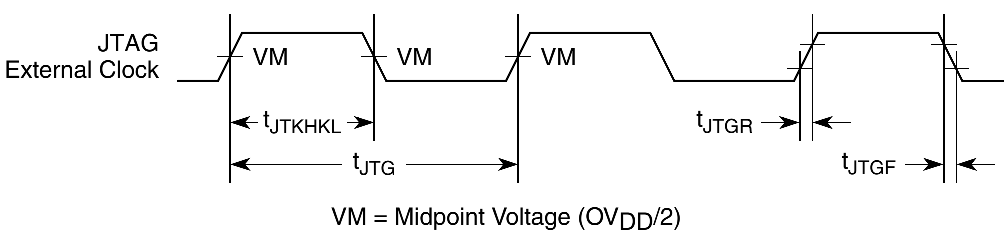

Figure 35. JTAG Clock Input Timing Diagram

Figure 36 provides the $\overline{\text{TRST}}$ timing diagram.

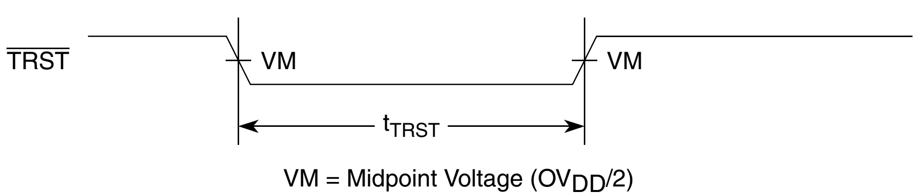

Figure 36. $\overline{\text{TRST}}$ Timing Diagram

— The SerDes reference clock input can be either differential or single-ended. Refer to the differential mode and single-ended mode description below for further detailed requirements.

- The maximum average current requirement that also determines the common mode voltage range:
  — When the SerDes reference clock differential inputs are DC coupled externally with the clock driver chip, the maximum average current allowed for each input pin is 8 mA. In this case, the exact common mode input voltage is not critical as long as it is within the range allowed by the maximum average current of 8 mA (refer to the following bullet for more detail), since the input is AC-coupled on-chip.
  — This current limitation sets the maximum common mode input voltage to be less than 0.4 V (0.4 V/50 = 8 mA) while the minimum common mode input level is 0.1 V above SGND_SRDS*n* (xcorevss). For example, a clock with a 50/50 duty cycle can be produced by a clock driver with output driven by its current source from 0mA to 16mA (0–0.8 V), such that each phase of the differential input has a single-ended swing from 0 V to 800 mV with the common mode voltage at 400 mV.
  — If the device driving the SD*n*_REF_CLK and $\overline{\text{SD}n\text{\_REF\_CLK}}$ inputs cannot drive 50 Ω to SGND_SRDS*n* (xcorevss) DC, or it exceeds the maximum input current limitations, then it must be AC-coupled off-chip.
- The input amplitude requirement
  — This requirement is described in detail in the following sections.

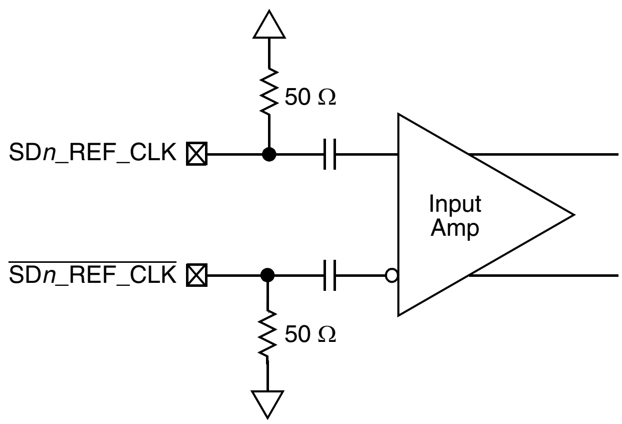

Figure 45. Receiver of SerDes Reference Clocks

16.2.2 DC Level Requirement for SerDes Reference Clocks

The DC level requirement for the MPC8544E SerDes reference clock inputs is different depending on the signaling mode used to connect the clock driver chip and SerDes reference clock inputs as described below.

- **Differential Mode**
  — The input amplitude of the differential clock must be between 400 and 1600 mV differential peak-peak (or between 200 and 800 mV differential peak). In other words, each signal wire of the differential pair must have a single-ended swing less than 800 mV and greater than 200 mV. This requirement is the same for both external DC-coupled or AC-coupled connection.

— For **external DC-coupled** connection, as described in Section 16.2.1, "SerDes Reference Clock Receiver Characteristics," the maximum average current requirements sets the requirement for average voltage (common mode voltage) to be between 100 and 400 mV. Figure 46 shows the SerDes reference clock input requirement for DC-coupled connection scheme.

— For **external AC-coupled** connection, there is no common mode voltage requirement for the clock driver. Since the external AC-coupling capacitor blocks the DC level, the clock driver and the SerDes reference clock receiver operate in different command mode voltages. The SerDes reference clock receiver in this connection scheme has its common mode voltage set to SGND_SRDS*n*. Each signal wire of the differential inputs is allowed to swing below and above the command mode voltage (SGND_SRDS*n*). Figure 47 shows the SerDes reference clock input requirement for AC-coupled connection scheme.

- **Single-ended Mode**

— The reference clock can also be single-ended. The SD*n*_REF_CLK input amplitude (single-ended swing) must be between 400 and 800 mV peak-peak (from Vmin to Vmax) with SD*n*_REF_CLK either left unconnected or tied to ground.

— The SD*n*_REF_CLK input average voltage must be between 200 and 400 mV. Figure 48 shows the SerDes reference clock input requirement for single-ended signaling mode.

— To meet the input amplitude requirement, the reference clock inputs might need to be DC or AC-coupled externally. For the best noise performance, the reference of the clock could be DC or AC-coupled into the unused phase (SD*n*_REF_CLK) through the same source impedance as the clock input (SD*n*_REF_CLK) in use.

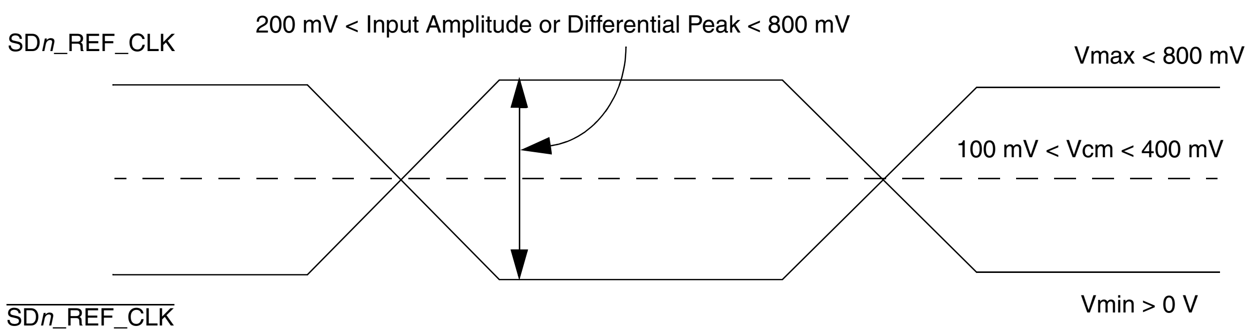

Figure 46. Differential Reference Clock Input DC Requirements (External DC-Coupled)

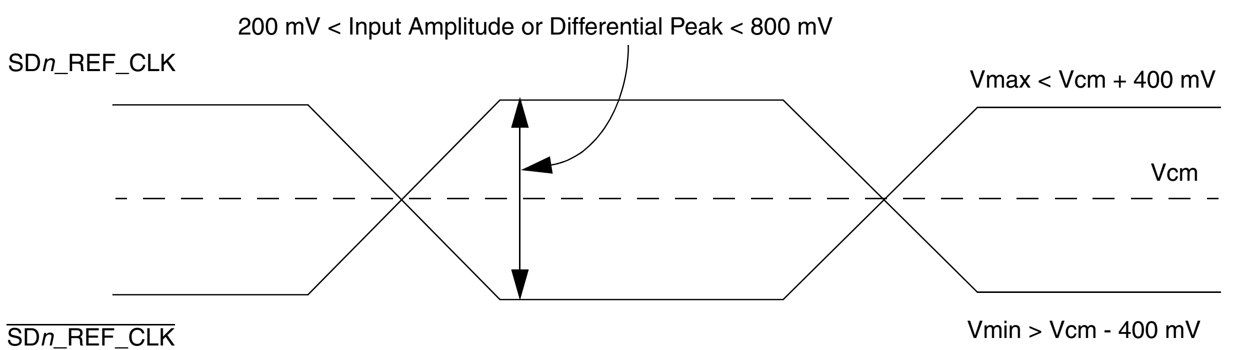

Figure 47. Differential Reference Clock Input DC Requirements (External AC-Coupled)

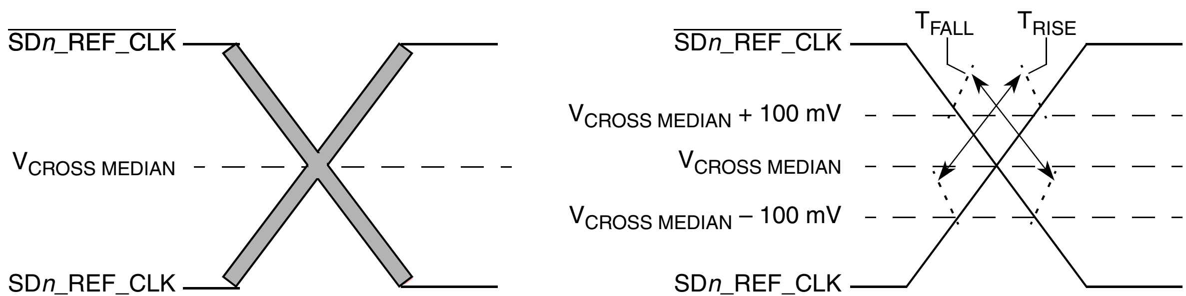

Figure 54. Single-Ended Measurement Points for Rise and Fall Time Matching

The other detailed AC requirements of the SerDes reference clocks is defined by each interface protocol based on application usage. Refer to the following sections for detailed information:

- Section 8.3.1, "The DBWO Signal"
- Section 17.2, "AC Requirements for PCI Express SerDes Clocks"

16.2.4.1 Spread Spectrum Clock

SD1_REF_CLK/SD1_REF_CLK were designed to work with a spread spectrum clock (+0 to –0.5% spreading at 30–33 kHz rate is allowed), assuming both ends have same reference clock. For better results, a source without significant unintended modulation should be used.

SD2_REF_CLK/SD2_REF_CLK are not intended to be used with, and should not be clocked by, a spread spectrum clock source.

16.3 SerDes Transmitter and Receiver Reference Circuits

Figure 55 shows the reference circuits for SerDes data lane's transmitter and receiver.

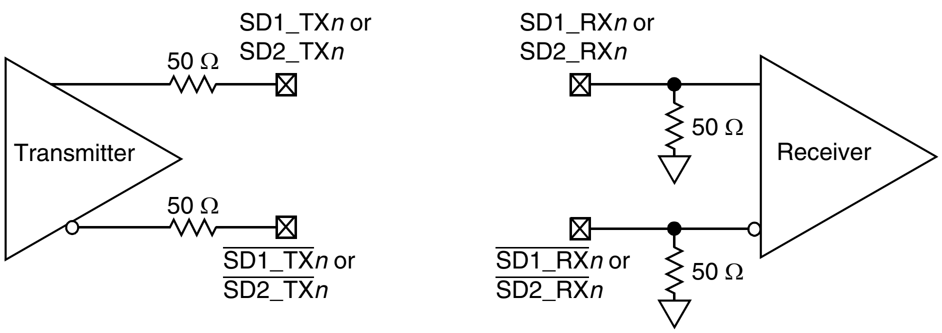

Figure 55. SerDes Transmitter and Receiver Reference Circuits

The DC and AC specification of SerDes data lanes are defined in the section below (PCI Express or SGMII) in this document based on the application usage:

- Section 8.3, "SGMII Interface Electrical Characteristics"
- Section 17, "PCI Express"

Please note that external AC Coupling capacitor is required for the above serial transmission protocols with the capacitor value defined in specification of each protocol section.

17 PCI Express

This section describes the DC and AC electrical specifications for the PCI Express bus of the MPC8544.

17.1 DC Requirements for PCI Express SD_REF_CLK and $\overline{\text{SD\_REF\_CLK}}$

For more information, see Section 16.2, “SerDes Reference Clocks.”

17.2 AC Requirements for PCI Express SerDes Clocks

Table 58 provides the AC requirements for the PCI Express SerDes clocks.

Table 58. SD_REF_CLK and $\overline{\text{SD\_REF\_CLK}}$ AC Requirements

Symbol[2]	Parameter Description	Min	Typ	Max	Units	Notes
t_{REF}	REFCLK cycle time	—	10	—	ns	1
t_{REFCJ}	REFCLK cycle-to-cycle jitter. Difference in the period of any two adjacent REFCLK cycles	—	—	100	ps	—
t_{REFPJ}	Phase jitter. Deviation in edge location with respect to mean edge location	–50	—	50	ps	—

Notes:
1. Typical based on *PCI Express Specification 2.0*.
2. Guaranteed by characterization.

17.3 Clocking Dependencies

The ports on the two ends of a link must transmit data at a rate that is within 600 parts per million (ppm) of each other at all times. This is specified to allow bit rate clock sources with a ±300 ppm tolerance.

17.4 Physical Layer Specifications

The following is a summary of the specifications for the physical layer of PCI Express on this device. For further details as well as the specifications of the transport and data link layer please refer to the *PCI Express Base Specification. Rev. 1.0a*.

Table 59. Differential Transmitter (TX) Output Specifications (continued)

Symbol	Parameter	Min	Nom	Max	Unit	Comments
$V_{TX\text{-}RCV\text{-}DETECT}$	Amount of voltage change allowed during receiver detection	—	—	600	mV	The total amount of voltage change that a transmitter can apply to sense whether a low impedance receiver is present. See Note 6.
$V_{TX\text{-}DC\text{-}CM}$	TX DC common mode voltage	0	—	3.6	V	The allowed DC common mode voltage under any conditions. See Note 6.
$I_{TX\text{-}SHORT}$	TX short circuit current limit	—	—	90	mA	The total current the transmitter can provide when shorted to its ground.
$T_{TX\text{-}IDLE\text{-}MIN}$	Minimum time spent in electrical idle	50	—	—	UI	Minimum time a transmitter must be in electrical idle utilized by the receiver to start looking for an electrical idle exit after successfully receiving an electrical idle ordered set.
$T_{TX\text{-}IDLE\text{-}SET\text{-}TO\text{-}IDLE}$	Maximum time to transition to a valid electrical idle after sending an electrical Idle ordered set	—	—	20	UI	After sending an electrical idle ordered set, the transmitter must meet all electrical idle specifications within this time. This is considered a debounce time for the transmitter to meet electrical idle after transitioning from LO.
$T_{TX\text{-}IDLE\text{-}TO\text{-}DIFF\text{-}DATA}$	Maximum time to transition to valid TX specifications after leaving an electrical idle condition	—	—	20	UI	Maximum time to meet all TX specifications when transitioning from electrical idle to sending differential data. This is considered a debounce time for the TX to meet all TX specifications after leaving electrical idle.
$RL_{TX\text{-}DIFF}$	Differential return loss	12	—	—	dB	Measured over 50 MHz to 1.25 GHz. See Note 4.
$RL_{TX\text{-}CM}$	Common mode return loss	6	—	—	dB	Measured over 50 MHz to 1.25 GHz. See Note 4.
$Z_{TX\text{-}DIFF\text{-}DC}$	DC differential TX impedance	80	100	120	Ω	TX DC differential mode low impedance.
$Z_{TX\text{-}DC}$	Transmitter DC impedance	40	—	—	Ω	Required TX D+ as well as D– DC Impedance during all states.
$L_{TX\text{-}SKEW}$	Lane-to-lane output skew	—	—	500 + 2 UI	ps	Static skew between any two transmitter lanes within a single link.
C_{TX}	AC coupling capacitor	75	—	200	nF	All transmitters shall be AC coupled. The AC coupling is required either within the media or within the transmitting component itself.

Table 59. Differential Transmitter (TX) Output Specifications (continued)

Symbol	Parameter	Min	Nom	Max	Unit	Comments
$T_{crosslink}$	Crosslink random timeout	0	—	1	ms	This random timeout helps resolve conflicts in crosslink configuration by eventually resulting in only one downstream and one upstream port. See Note 7.

Notes:
1. No test load is necessarily associated with this value.
2. Specified at the measurement point into a timing and voltage compliance test load as shown in Figure 58 and measured over any 250 consecutive TX UIs. (Also refer to the transmitter compliance eye diagram shown in Figure 56.)
3. A $T_{TX\text{-}EYE}$ = 0.70 UI provides for a total sum of deterministic and random jitter budget of $T_{TX\text{-}JITTER\text{-}MAX}$ = 0.30 UI for the transmitter collected over any 250 consecutive TX UIs. The $T_{TX\text{-}EYE\text{-}MEDIAN\text{-}to\text{-}MAX\text{-}JITTER}$ median is less than half of the total TX jitter budget collected over any 250 consecutive TX UIs. It should be noted that the median is not the same as the mean. The jitter median describes the point in time where the number of jitter points on either side is approximately equal as opposed to the averaged time value.
4. The transmitter input impedance shall result in a differential return loss greater than or equal to 12 dB and a common mode return loss greater than or equal to 6 dB over a frequency range of 50 MHz to 1.25 GHz. This input impedance requirement applies to all valid input levels. The reference impedance for return loss measurements is 50 Ω to ground for both the D+ and D– line (that is, as measured by a vector network analyzer with 50-Ω probes—see Figure 58.) Note that the series capacitors C_{TX} is optional for the return loss measurement.
5. Measured between 20%–80% at transmitter package pins into a test load as shown in Figure 58 for both $V_{TX\text{-}D+}$ and $V_{TX\text{-}D-}$.
6. See Section 4.3.1.8 of the *PCI Express Base Specifications, Rev 1.0a.*
7. See Section 4.2.6.3 of the *PCI Express Base Specifications, Rev 1.0a.*

17.4.2 Transmitter Compliance Eye Diagrams

The TX eye diagram in Figure 56 is specified using the passive compliance/test measurement load (see Figure 58) in place of any real PCI Express interconnect +RX component.

There are two eye diagrams that must be met for the transmitter. Both eye diagrams must be aligned in time using the jitter median to locate the center of the eye diagram. The different eye diagrams will differ in voltage depending whether it is a transition bit or a de-emphasized bit. The exact reduced voltage level of the de-emphasized bit will always be relative to the transition bit.

The eye diagram must be valid for any 250 consecutive UIs.

A recovered TX UI is calculated over 3500 consecutive unit intervals of sample data. The eye diagram is created using all edges of the 250 consecutive UI in the center of the 3500 UI used for calculating the TX UI.

NOTE

It is recommended that the recovered TX UI is calculated using all edges in the 3500 consecutive UI interval with a fit algorithm using a minimization merit function (that is, least squares and median deviation fits).

18.3 Pinout Listings

Table 62 provides the pinout listing for the MPC8544E 783 FC-PBGA package.

NOTE

The naming convention of TSEC1 and TSEC3 is used to allow the splitting voltage rails for the eTSEC blocks and to ease the port of existing PowerQUICC III software.

NOTE

The $\overline{\text{DMA\_DACK}}$[0:1] and $\overline{\text{TEST\_SEL}}$ pins must be set to a proper state during POR configuration. Please refer to Table 62 for more details.

Table 62. MPC8544E Pinout Listing

Signal	Package Pin Number	Pin Type	Power Supply	Notes
		PCI		
PCI1_AD[31:0]	AE8, AD8, AF8, AH12, AG12, AB9, AC9, AE9, AD10, AE10, AC11, AB11, AB12, AC12, AF12, AE11, Y14, AE15, AC15, AB15, AA15, AD16, Y15, AB16, AF18, AE18, AC17, AE19, AD19, AB17, AB18, AA16	I/O	OV_{DD}	—
PCI1_C_$\overline{\text{BE}}$[3:0]	AC10, AE12, AA14, AD17	I/O	OV_{DD}	—
$\overline{\text{PCI1\_GNT}}$[4:1]	AE7, AG11,AH11, AC8	O	OV_{DD}	4, 8, 24
$\overline{\text{PCI1\_GNT0}}$	AE6	I/O	OV_{DD}	—
$\overline{\text{PCI1\_IRDY}}$	AF13	I/O	OV_{DD}	2
PCI1_PAR	AB14	I/O	OV_{DD}	—
$\overline{\text{PCI1\_PERR}}$	AE14	I/O	OV_{DD}	2
$\overline{\text{PCI1\_SERR}}$	AC14	I/O	OV_{DD}	2
$\overline{\text{PCI1\_STOP}}$	AA13	I/O	OV_{DD}	2
$\overline{\text{PCI1\_TRDY}}$	AD13	I/O	OV_{DD}	2
$\overline{\text{PCI1\_REQ}}$[4:1]	AF9, AG10, AH10, AD6	I	OV_{DD}	—
$\overline{\text{PCI1\_REQ0}}$	AB8	I/O	OV_{DD}	—
PCI1_CLK	AH26	I	OV_{DD}	—
$\overline{\text{PCI1\_DEVSEL}}$	AC13	I/O	OV_{DD}	2
$\overline{\text{PCI1\_FRAME}}$	AD12	I/O	OV_{DD}	2
PCI1_IDSEL	AG6	I	OV_{DD}	—

Table 62. MPC8544E Pinout Listing (continued)

Signal	Package Pin Number	Pin Type	Power Supply	Notes
LCS6/DMA_DACK2	J16	O	BV_{DD}	1
LCS7/DMA_DDONE2	L18	O	BV_{DD}	1
LWE0/LBS0/LSDDQM[0]	J22	O	BV_{DD}	4, 8
LWE1/LBS1/LSDDQM[1]	H22	O	BV_{DD}	4, 8
LWE2/LBS2/LSDDQM[2]	H23	O	BV_{DD}	4, 8
LWE3/LBS3/LSDDQM[3]	H21	O	BV_{DD}	4, 8
LALE	J26	O	BV_{DD}	4, 7, 8
LBCTL	J25	O	BV_{DD}	4, 7, 8
LGPL0/LSDA10	J20	O	BV_{DD}	4, 8
LGPL1/LSDWE	K20	O	BV_{DD}	4, 8
LGPL2/LOE/LSDRAS	G20	O	BV_{DD}	4, 7, 8
LGPL3/LSDCAS	H18	O	BV_{DD}	4, 8
LGPL4/LGTA/LUPWAIT/ LPBSE	L20	I/O	BV_{DD}	28
LGPL5	K19	O	BV_{DD}	4, 8
LCKE	L17	O	BV_{DD}	—
LCLK[0:2]	H24, J24, H25	O	BV_{DD}	—
LSYNC_IN	D27	I	BV_{DD}	—
LSYNC_OUT	D28	O	BV_{DD}	—
DMA				
DMA_DACK[0:1]	Y13, Y12	O	OV_{DD}	4, 8, 9
DMA_DREQ[0:1]	AA10, AA11	I	OV_{DD}	—
DMA_DDONE[0:1]	AA7, Y11	O	OV_{DD}	—
Programmable Interrupt Controller				
UDE	AH15	I	OV_{DD}	—
MCP	AG18	I	OV_{DD}	—
IRQ[0:7]	AG22, AF17, AD21, AF19, AG17, AF16, AC23, AC22	I	OV_{DD}	—
IRQ[8]	AC19	I	OV_{DD}	—
IRQ[9]/DMA_DREQ3	AG20	I	OV_{DD}	1
IRQ[10]/DMA_DACK3	AE27	I/O	OV_{DD}	1
IRQ[11]/DMA_DDONE3	AE24	I/O	OV_{DD}	1
IRQ_OUT	AD14	O	OV_{DD}	2

Table 62. MPC8544E Pinout Listing (continued)

Signal	Package Pin Number	Pin Type	Power Supply	Notes
DFT				
L1_TSTCLK	AC20	I	OV_{DD}	18
L2_TSTCLK	AE17	I	OV_{DD}	18
$\overline{\text{LSSD\_MODE}}$	AH19	I	OV_{DD}	18
$\overline{\text{TEST\_SEL}}$	AH13	I	OV_{DD}	3
Thermal Management				
TEMP_ANODE	Y3	—	—	13
TEMP_CATHODE	AA3	—	—	13
Power Management				
ASLEEP	AH17	O	OV_{DD}	8, 15, 21
Power and Ground Signals				
GND	D5, M10, F4, D26, D23, C12, C15, E20, D8, B10, E3, J14, K21, F8, A3, F16, E12, E15, D17, L1, F21, H1, G13, G15, G18, C6, A14, A7, G25, H4, C20, J12, J15, J17, F27, M5, J27, K11, L26, K7, K8, L12, L15, M14, M16, M18, N13, N15, N17, N2, P5, P14, P16, P18, R13, R15, R17, T14, T16, T18, U13, U15, U17, AA8, U6, Y10, AC21, AA17, AC16, V4, AD7, AD18, AE23, AF11, AF14, AG23, AH9, A27, B28, C27	—	—	—
OV_{DD}[1:17]	Y16, AB7, AB10, AB13, AC6, AC18, AD9, AD11, AE13, AD15, AD20, AE5, AE22, AF10, AF20, AF24, AF27	Power for PCI and other standards (3.3 V)	OV_{DD}	—
LV_{DD}[1:2]	R4, U3	Power for TSEC1 interfaces (2.5 V, 3.3 V)	LV_{DD}	—
TV_{DD}[1:2]	N8, R10	Power for TSEC3 interfaces (2.5 V, 3.3 V)	TV_{DD}	—
GV_{DD}	B1, B11, C7, C9, C14, C17, D4, D6, R3, D15, E2, E8,C24, E18, F5, E14, C21, G3, G7, G9, G11, H5, H12, E22, F15, J10, K3, K12, K14, H14, D20, E11, M1, N5	Power for DDR1 and DDR2 DRAM I/O voltage (1.8 V, 2.5 V)	GV_{DD}	—
BV_{DD}	L23, J18, J19, F20, F23, H26, J21, J23	Power for local bus (1.8 V, 2.5 V, 3.3 V)	BV_{DD}	—

Table 62. MPC8544E Pinout Listing (continued)

Signal	Package Pin Number	Pin Type	Power Supply	Notes
V_{DD}	L16, L14, M13, M15, M17, N12, N14, N16, N18, P13, P15, P17, R12, R14, R16, R18, T13, T15, T17, U12, U14, U16, U18,	Power for core (1.0 V)	V_{DD}	—
SVDD_SRDS	M27, N25, P28, R24, R26, T24, T27, U25, W24, W26, Y24, Y27, AA25, AB28, AD27	Core power for SerDes 1 transceivers (1.0 V)	SV_{DD}	—
SVDD_SRDS2	AB1, AC26, AD2, AE26, AG2	Core power for SerDes 2 transceivers (1.0 V)	SV_{DD}	—
XVDD_SRDS	M21, N23, P20, R22, T20, U23, V21, W22, Y20	Pad power for SerDes 1 transceivers (1.0 V)	XV_{DD}	—
XVDD_SRDS2	Y6, AA6, AA23, AF5, AG5	Pad power for SerDes 2 transceivers (1.0 V)	XV_{DD}	—
XGND_SRDS	M20, M24, N22, P21, R23, T21, U22, V20, W23, Y21	—	—	—
XGND_SRDS2	Y4, AA4, AA22, AD4, AE4, AH4	—	—	—
SGND_SRDS	M28, N26, P24, P27, R25, T28, U24, U26, V24, W25, Y28, AA24, AA26, AB24, AB27, AC24, AD28	—	—	—
AGND_SRDS	V27	SerDes PLL GND	—	—
SGND_SRDS2	Y2, AA1, AB3, AC2, AC3, AC25, AD3, AD24, AE3, AE1, AE25, AF3, AH2	—	—	—
AGND_SRDS2	AF1	SerDes PLL GND	—	—
AVDD_LBIU	C28	Power for local bus PLL (1.0 V)	—	19
AVDD_PCI1	AH20	Power for PCI PLL (1.0 V)	—	19
AVDD_CORE	AH14	Power for e500 PLL (1.0 V)	—	19
AVDD_PLAT	AH18	Power for CCB PLL (1.0 V)	—	19