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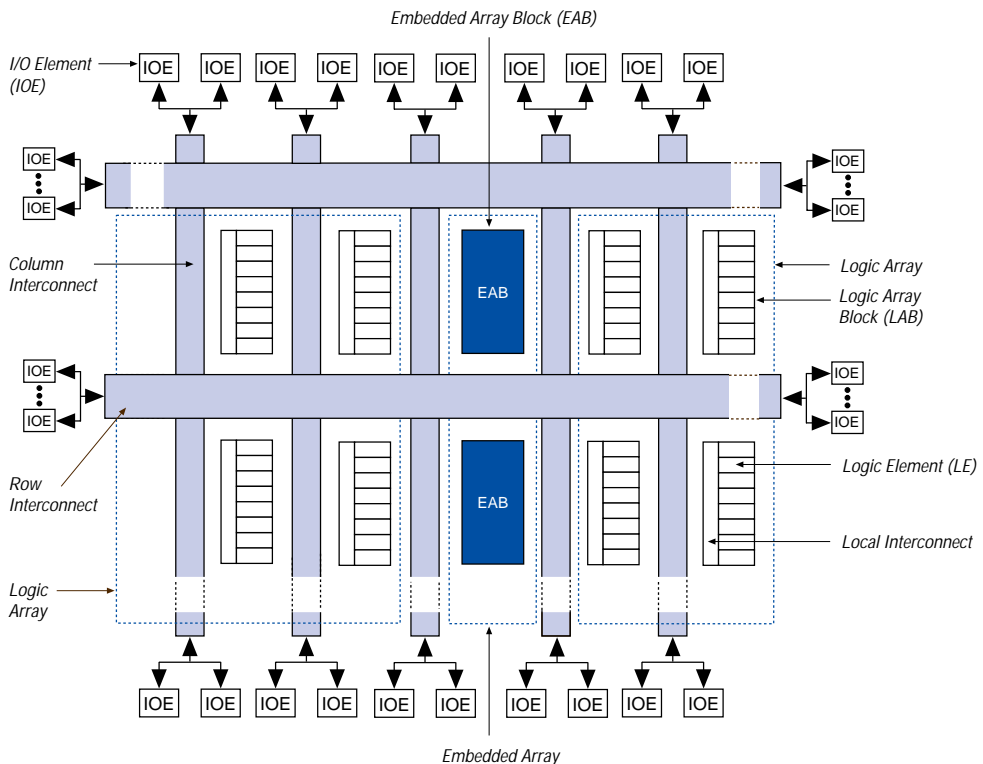
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Details

Product Status	Obsolete
Number of LABs/CLBs	216
Number of Logic Elements/Cells	1728
Total RAM Bits	24576
Number of I/O	220
Number of Gates	119000
Voltage - Supply	2.375V ~ 2.625V
Mounting Type	Surface Mount
Operating Temperature	0°C ~ 70°C (TA)
Package / Case	484-BBGA
Supplier Device Package	484-FBGA (23x23)
Purchase URL	https://www.e-xfl.com/product-detail/intel/epf10k30efc484-1x

Figure 1 shows a block diagram of the FLEX 10KE architecture. Each group of LEs is combined into an LAB; groups of LABs are arranged into rows and columns. Each row also contains a single EAB. The LABs and EABs are interconnected by the FastTrack Interconnect routing structure. IOEs are located at the end of each row and column of the FastTrack Interconnect routing structure.

Figure 1. FLEX 10KE Device Block Diagram

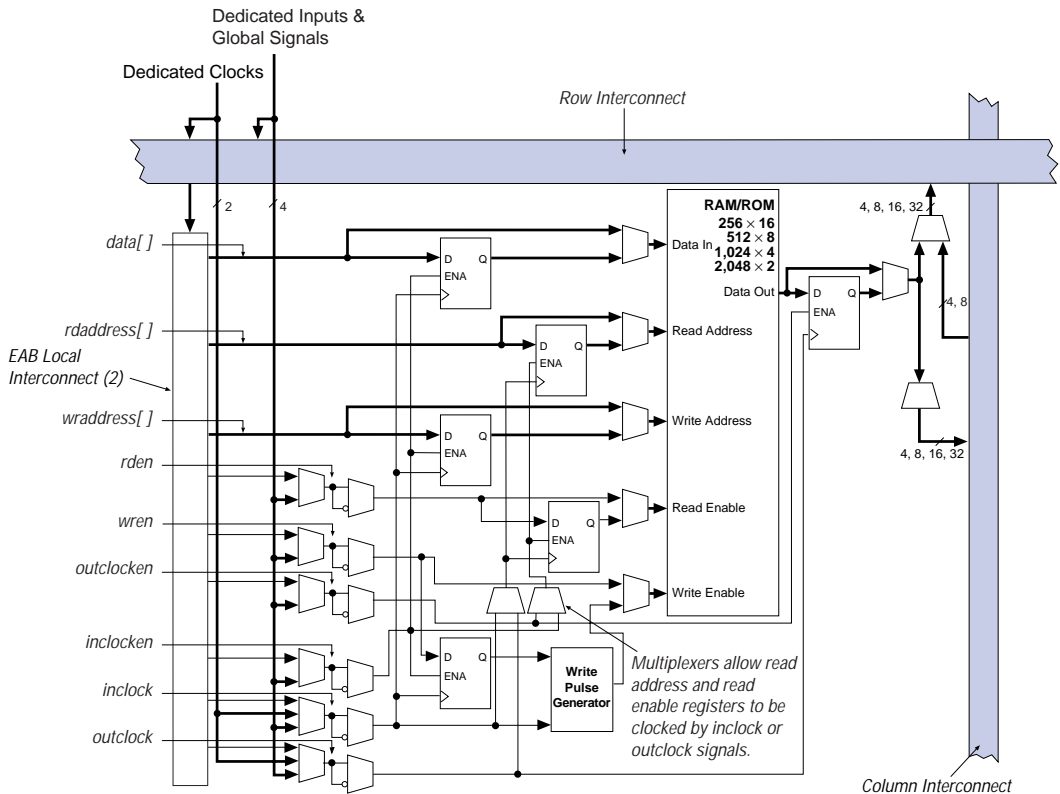


FLEX 10KE devices provide six dedicated inputs that drive the flipflops' control inputs and ensure the efficient distribution of high-speed, low-skew (less than 1.5 ns) control signals. These signals use dedicated routing channels that provide shorter delays and lower skews than the FastTrack Interconnect routing structure. Four of the dedicated inputs drive four global signals. These four global signals can also be driven by internal logic, providing an ideal solution for a clock divider or an internally generated asynchronous clear signal that clears many registers in the device.

The EAB can also be used for bidirectional, dual-port memory applications where two ports read or write simultaneously. To implement this type of dual-port memory, two EABs are used to support two simultaneous read or writes.

Alternatively, one clock and clock enable can be used to control the input registers of the EAB, while a different clock and clock enable control the output registers (see Figure 2).

Figure 2. FLEX 10KE Device in Dual-Port RAM Mode Notes (1)



Notes:

- (1) All registers can be asynchronously cleared by EAB local interconnect signals, global signals, or the chip-wide reset.
- (2) EPF10K30E and EPF10K50E devices have 88 EAB local interconnect channels; EPF10K100E, EPF10K130E, and EPF10K200E devices have 104 EAB local interconnect channels.

For improved routing, the row interconnect consists of a combination of full-length and half-length channels. The full-length channels connect to all LABs in a row; the half-length channels connect to the LABs in half of the row. The EAB can be driven by the half-length channels in the left half of the row and by the full-length channels. The EAB drives out to the full-length channels. In addition to providing a predictable, row-wide interconnect, this architecture provides increased routing resources. Two neighboring LABs can be connected using a half-row channel, thereby saving the other half of the channel for the other half of the row.

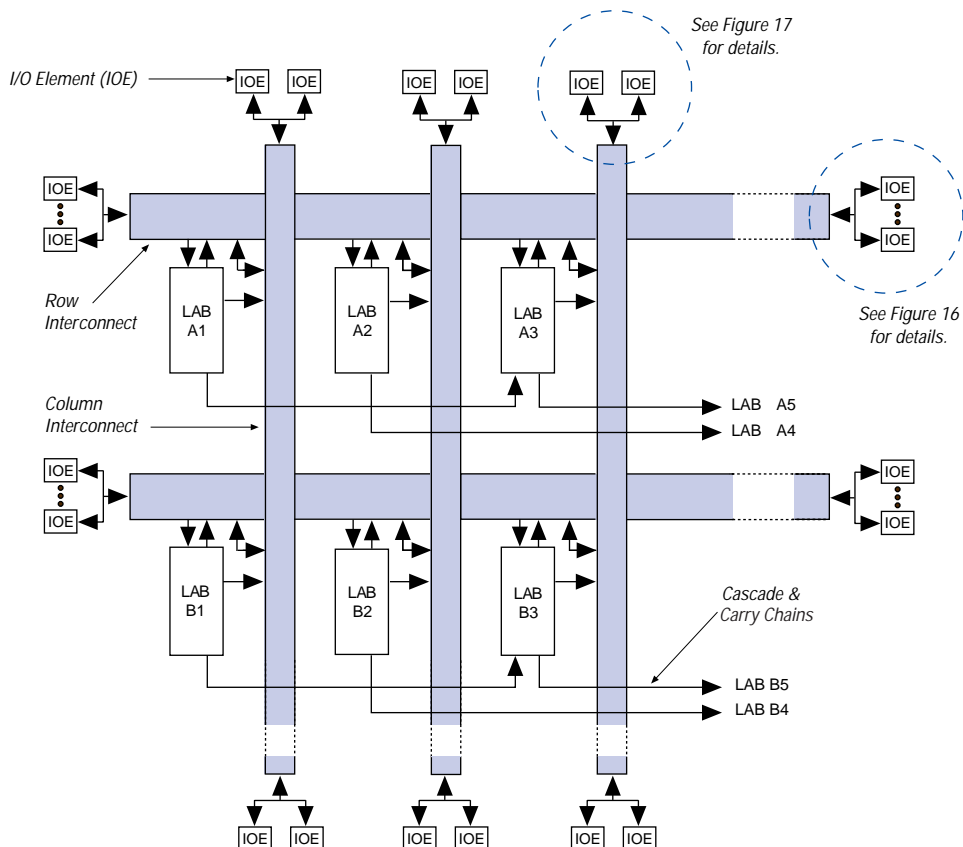
Table 7 summarizes the FastTrack Interconnect routing structure resources available in each FLEX 10KE device.

<i>Table 7. FLEX 10KE FastTrack Interconnect Resources</i>				
Device	Rows	Channels per Row	Columns	Channels per Column
EPF10K30E	6	216	36	24
EPF10K50E EPF10K50S	10	216	36	24
EPF10K100E	12	312	52	24
EPF10K130E	16	312	52	32
EPF10K200E EPF10K200S	24	312	52	48

In addition to general-purpose I/O pins, FLEX 10KE devices have six dedicated input pins that provide low-skew signal distribution across the device. These six inputs can be used for global clock, clear, preset, and peripheral output enable and clock enable control signals. These signals are available as control signals for all LABs and IOEs in the device. The dedicated inputs can also be used as general-purpose data inputs because they can feed the local interconnect of each LAB in the device.

Figure 14 shows the interconnection of adjacent LABs and EABs, with row, column, and local interconnects, as well as the associated cascade and carry chains. Each LAB is labeled according to its location: a letter represents the row and a number represents the column. For example, LAB B3 is in row B, column 3.

Figure 14. FLEX 10KE Interconnect Resources



I/O Element

An IOE contains a bidirectional I/O buffer and a register that can be used either as an input register for external data that requires a fast setup time, or as an output register for data that requires fast clock-to-output performance. In some cases, using an LE register for an input register will result in a faster setup time than using an IOE register. IOEs can be used as input, output, or bidirectional pins. For bidirectional registered I/O implementation, the output register should be in the IOE, and the data input and output enable registers should be LE registers placed adjacent to the bidirectional pin. The Altera Compiler uses the programmable inversion option to invert signals from the row and column interconnect automatically where appropriate. [Figure 15](#) shows the bidirectional I/O registers.

Row-to-IOE Connections

When an IOE is used as an input signal, it can drive two separate row channels. The signal is accessible by all LEs within that row. When an IOE is used as an output, the signal is driven by a multiplexer that selects a signal from the row channels. Up to eight IOEs connect to each side of each row channel (see Figure 16).

Figure 16. FLEX 10KE Row-to-IOE Connections

The values for m and n are provided in Table 10.

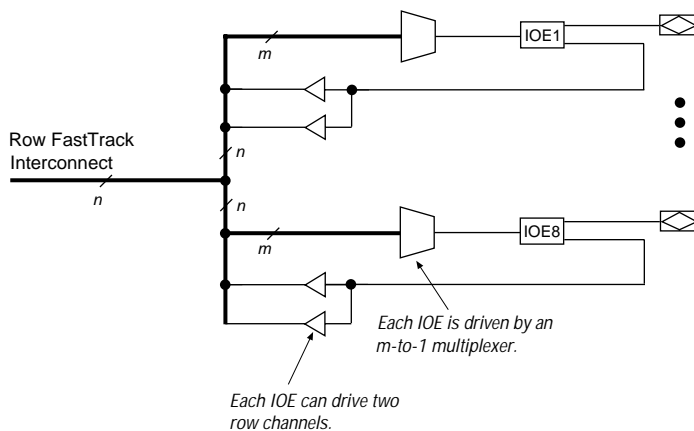


Table 10 lists the FLEX 10KE row-to-IOE interconnect resources.

Table 10. FLEX 10KE Row-to-IOE Interconnect Resources		
Device	Channels per Row (n)	Row Channels per Pin (m)
EPF10K30E	216	27
EPF10K50E EPF10K50S	216	27
EPF10K100E	312	39
EPF10K130E	312	39
EPF10K200E EPF10K200S	312	39

Tables 12 and 13 summarize the ClockLock and ClockBoost parameters for -1 and -2 speed-grade devices, respectively.

Table 12. ClockLock & ClockBoost Parameters for -1 Speed-Grade Devices

Symbol	Parameter	Condition	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
t_R	Input rise time				5	ns
t_F	Input fall time				5	ns
t_{INDUTY}	Input duty cycle		40		60	%
f_{CLK1}	Input clock frequency (ClockBoost clock multiplication factor equals 1)		25		180	MHz
f_{CLK2}	Input clock frequency (ClockBoost clock multiplication factor equals 2)		16		90	MHz
f_{CLKDEV}	Input deviation from user specification in the MAX+PLUS II software (1)				25,000 (2)	PPM
$t_{INCLKSTB}$	Input clock stability (measured between adjacent clocks)				100	ps
t_{LOCK}	Time required for ClockLock or ClockBoost to acquire lock (3)				10	μs
t_{JITTER}	Jitter on ClockLock or ClockBoost-generated clock (4)	$t_{INCLKSTB} < 100$			250	ps
		$t_{INCLKSTB} < 50$			200 (4)	ps
$t_{OUTDUTY}$	Duty cycle for ClockLock or ClockBoost-generated clock		40	50	60	%

The V_{CCINT} pins must always be connected to a 2.5-V power supply. With a 2.5-V V_{CCINT} level, input voltages are compatible with 2.5-V, 3.3-V, and 5.0-V inputs. The V_{CCIO} pins can be connected to either a 2.5-V or 3.3-V power supply, depending on the output requirements. When the V_{CCIO} pins are connected to a 2.5-V power supply, the output levels are compatible with 2.5-V systems. When the V_{CCIO} pins are connected to a 3.3-V power supply, the output high is at 3.3 V and is therefore compatible with 3.3-V or 5.0-V systems. Devices operating with V_{CCIO} levels higher than 3.0 V achieve a faster timing delay of t_{OD2} instead of t_{OD1} .

Table 14 summarizes FLEX 10KE MultiVolt I/O support.

Table 14. FLEX 10KE MultiVolt I/O Support						
V_{CCIO} (V)	Input Signal (V)			Output Signal (V)		
	2.5	3.3	5.0	2.5	3.3	5.0
2.5	✓	✓ (1)	✓ (1)	✓		
3.3	✓	✓	✓ (1)	✓ (2)	✓	✓

Notes:

- (1) The PCI clamping diode must be disabled to drive an input with voltages higher than V_{CCIO} .
- (2) When $V_{CCIO} = 3.3$ V, a FLEX 10KE device can drive a 2.5-V device that has 3.3-V tolerant inputs.

Open-drain output pins on FLEX 10KE devices (with a pull-up resistor to the 5.0-V supply) can drive 5.0-V CMOS input pins that require a V_{IH} of 3.5 V. When the open-drain pin is active, it will drive low. When the pin is inactive, the trace will be pulled up to 5.0 V by the resistor. The open-drain pin will only drive low or tri-state; it will never drive high. The rise time is dependent on the value of the pull-up resistor and load impedance. The I_{OL} current specification should be considered when selecting a pull-up resistor.

Power Sequencing & Hot-Socketing

Because FLEX 10KE devices can be used in a mixed-voltage environment, they have been designed specifically to tolerate any possible power-up sequence. The V_{CCIO} and V_{CCINT} power planes can be powered in any order.

Signals can be driven into FLEX 10KE devices before and during power up without damaging the device. Additionally, FLEX 10KE devices do not drive out during power up. Once operating conditions are reached, FLEX 10KE devices operate as specified by the user.

Table 23. FLEX 10KE Device Capacitance *Note (14)*

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	Min	Max	Unit
C_{IN}	Input capacitance	$V_{IN} = 0\text{ V}$, $f = 1.0\text{ MHz}$		10	pF
C_{INCLK}	Input capacitance on dedicated clock pin	$V_{IN} = 0\text{ V}$, $f = 1.0\text{ MHz}$		12	pF
C_{OUT}	Output capacitance	$V_{OUT} = 0\text{ V}$, $f = 1.0\text{ MHz}$		10	pF

Notes to tables:

- (1) See the *Operating Requirements for Altera Devices Data Sheet*.
- (2) Minimum DC input voltage is -0.5 V . During transitions, the inputs may undershoot to -2.0 V for input currents less than 100 mA and periods shorter than 20 ns .
- (3) Numbers in parentheses are for industrial-temperature-range devices.
- (4) Maximum V_{CC} rise time is 100 ms , and V_{CC} must rise monotonically.
- (5) All pins, including dedicated inputs, clock, I/O, and JTAG pins, may be driven before V_{CCINT} and V_{CCIO} are powered.
- (6) Typical values are for $T_A = 25^\circ\text{ C}$, $V_{CCINT} = 2.5\text{ V}$, and $V_{CCIO} = 2.5\text{ V}$ or 3.3 V .
- (7) These values are specified under the FLEX 10KE Recommended Operating Conditions shown in [Tables 20 and 21](#).
- (8) The FLEX 10KE input buffers are compatible with 2.5-V , 3.3-V (LVTTTL and LVCMOS), and 5.0-V TTL and CMOS signals. Additionally, the input buffers are 3.3-V PCI compliant when V_{CCIO} and V_{CCINT} meet the relationship shown in [Figure 22](#).
- (9) The I_{OH} parameter refers to high-level TTL, PCI, or CMOS output current.
- (10) The I_{OL} parameter refers to low-level TTL, PCI, or CMOS output current. This parameter applies to open-drain pins as well as output pins.
- (11) This value is specified for normal device operation. The value may vary during power-up.
- (12) This parameter applies to -1 speed-grade commercial-temperature devices and -2 speed-grade-industrial temperature devices.
- (13) Pin pull-up resistance values will be lower if the pin is driven higher than V_{CCIO} by an external source.
- (14) Capacitance is sample-tested only.

Figure 25. FLEX 10KE Device LE Timing Model

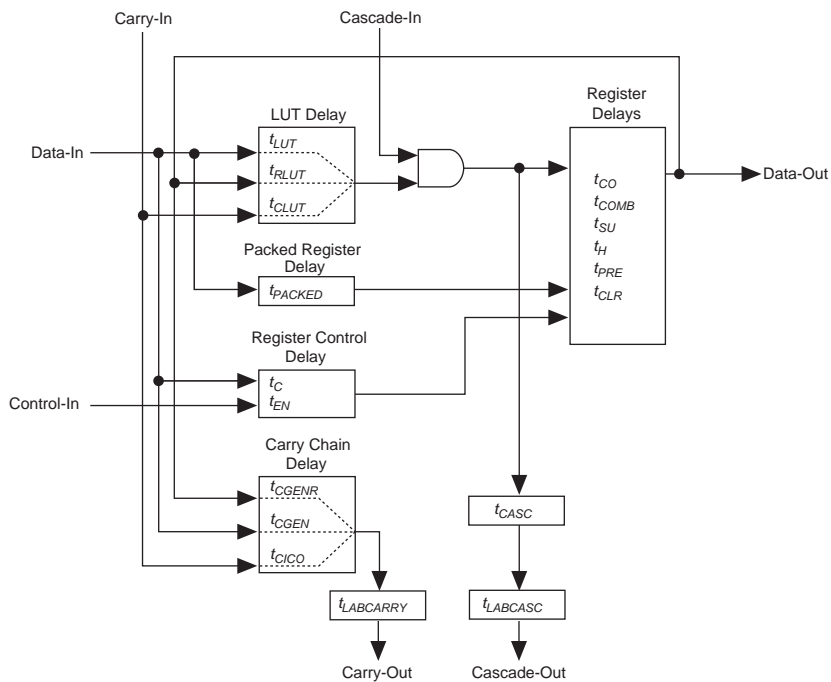


Figure 26. FLEX 10KE Device IOE Timing Model

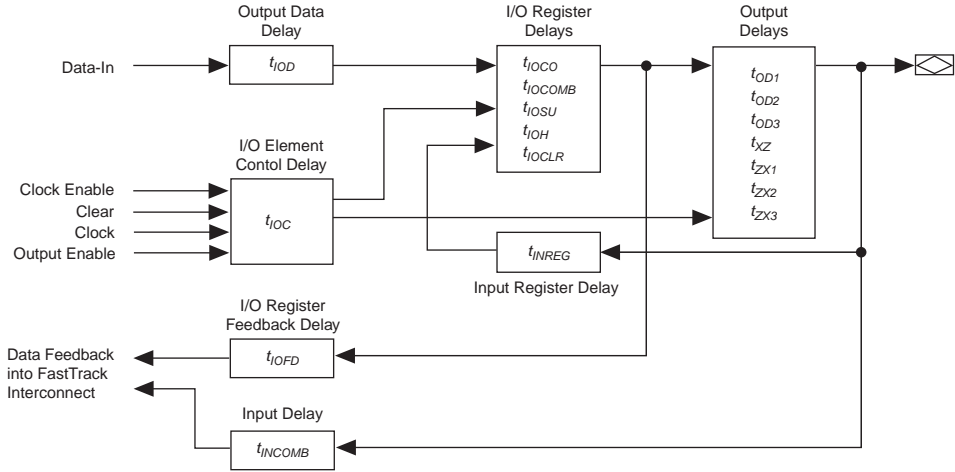


Figure 27. FLEX 10KE Device EAB Timing Model

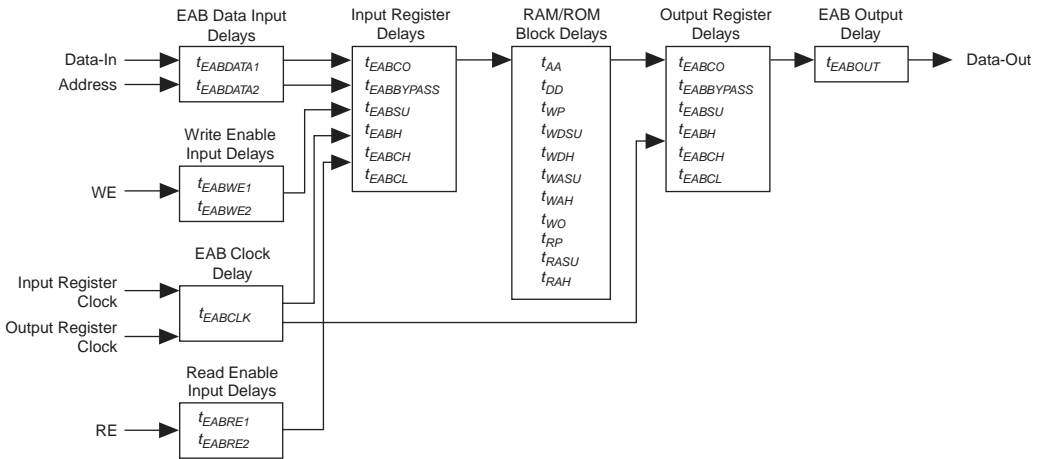


Table 28. Interconnect Timing Microparameters *Note (1)*

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions
$t_{DIN2IOE}$	Delay from dedicated input pin to IOE control input	(7)
t_{DIN2LE}	Delay from dedicated input pin to LE or EAB control input	(7)
$t_{DCLK2IOE}$	Delay from dedicated clock pin to IOE clock	(7)
$t_{DCLK2LE}$	Delay from dedicated clock pin to LE or EAB clock	(7)
$t_{DIN2DATA}$	Delay from dedicated input or clock to LE or EAB data	(7)
$t_{SAMELAB}$	Routing delay for an LE driving another LE in the same LAB	
$t_{SAMEROW}$	Routing delay for a row IOE, LE, or EAB driving a row IOE, LE, or EAB in the same row	(7)
$t_{SAMECOLUMN}$	Routing delay for an LE driving an IOE in the same column	(7)
$t_{DIFFROW}$	Routing delay for a column IOE, LE, or EAB driving an LE or EAB in a different row	(7)
$t_{TROWROWS}$	Routing delay for a row IOE or EAB driving an LE or EAB in a different row	(7)
$t_{LEPERIPH}$	Routing delay for an LE driving a control signal of an IOE via the peripheral control bus	(7)
$t_{LABCARRY}$	Routing delay for the carry-out signal of an LE driving the carry-in signal of a different LE in a different LAB	
$t_{LABCASC}$	Routing delay for the cascade-out signal of an LE driving the cascade-in signal of a different LE in a different LAB	

Table 29. External Timing Parameters

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions
t_{DRR}	Register-to-register delay via four LEs, three row interconnects, and four local interconnects	(8)
t_{INSU}	Setup time with global clock at IOE register	(9)
t_{INH}	Hold time with global clock at IOE register	(9)
t_{OUTCO}	Clock-to-output delay with global clock at IOE register	(9)
t_{PCISU}	Setup time with global clock for registers used in PCI designs	(9),(10)
t_{PCIH}	Hold time with global clock for registers used in PCI designs	(9),(10)
t_{PCICO}	Clock-to-output delay with global clock for registers used in PCI designs	(9),(10)

Table 34. EPF10K30E Device EAB Internal Timing Macroparameters *Note (1)*

Symbol	-1 Speed Grade		-2 Speed Grade		-3 Speed Grade		Unit
	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	
t_{EABAA}		6.4		7.6		8.8	ns
$t_{EABRCOMB}$	6.4		7.6		8.8		ns
$t_{EABRCREG}$	4.4		5.1		6.0		ns
t_{EABWP}	2.5		2.9		3.3		ns
$t_{EABWCOMB}$	6.0		7.0		8.0		ns
$t_{EABWCREG}$	6.8		7.8		9.0		ns
t_{EABDD}		5.7		6.7		7.7	ns
$t_{EABDATACO}$		0.8		0.9		1.1	ns
$t_{EABDATASU}$	1.5		1.7		2.0		ns
$t_{EABDATAH}$	0.0		0.0		0.0		ns
$t_{EABWESU}$	1.3		1.4		1.7		ns
t_{EABWEH}	0.0		0.0		0.0		ns
$t_{EABWDSU}$	1.5		1.7		2.0		ns
t_{EABWDH}	0.0		0.0		0.0		ns
$t_{EABWASU}$	3.0		3.6		4.3		ns
t_{EABWAH}	0.5		0.5		0.4		ns
t_{EABWO}		5.1		6.0		6.8	ns

Table 41. EPF10K50E Device EAB Internal Timing Macroparameters *Note (1)*

Symbol	-1 Speed Grade		-2 Speed Grade		-3 Speed Grade		Unit
	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	
t_{EABAA}		6.4		7.6		10.2	ns
$t_{EABRCOMB}$	6.4		7.6		10.2		ns
$t_{EABRCREG}$	4.4		5.1		7.0		ns
t_{EABWP}	2.5		2.9		3.9		ns
$t_{EABWCOMB}$	6.0		7.0		9.5		ns
$t_{EABWCREG}$	6.8		7.8		10.6		ns
t_{EABDD}		5.7		6.7		9.0	ns
$t_{EABDATACO}$		0.8		0.9		1.3	ns
$t_{EABDATASU}$	1.5		1.7		2.3		ns
$t_{EABDATAH}$	0.0		0.0		0.0		ns
$t_{EABWESU}$	1.3		1.4		2.0		ns
t_{EABWEH}	0.0		0.0		0.0		ns
$t_{EABWDSU}$	1.5		1.7		2.3		ns
t_{EABWDH}	0.0		0.0		0.0		ns
$t_{EABWASU}$	3.0		3.6		4.8		ns
t_{EABWAH}	0.5		0.5		0.8		ns
t_{EABWO}		5.1		6.0		8.1	ns

Table 42. EPF10K50E Device Interconnect Timing Microparameters *Note (1)*

Symbol	-1 Speed Grade		-2 Speed Grade		-3 Speed Grade		Unit
	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	
$t_{DIN2IOE}$		3.5		4.3		5.6	ns
t_{DIN2LE}		2.1		2.5		3.4	ns
$t_{DIN2DATA}$		2.2		2.4		3.1	ns
$t_{DCLK2IOE}$		2.9		3.5		4.7	ns
$t_{DCLK2LE}$		2.1		2.5		3.4	ns
$t_{SAMELAB}$		0.1		0.1		0.2	ns
$t_{SAMEROW}$		1.1		1.1		1.5	ns
$t_{SAMECOLUMN}$		0.8		1.0		1.3	ns
$t_{DIFFROW}$		1.9		2.1		2.8	ns
$t_{TWOROWS}$		3.0		3.2		4.3	ns
$t_{LEPERIPH}$		3.1		3.3		3.7	ns
$t_{LABCARRY}$		0.1		0.1		0.2	ns
$t_{LABCASC}$		0.3		0.3		0.5	ns

Table 43. EPF10K50E External Timing Parameters Notes (1), (2)

Symbol	-1 Speed Grade		-2 Speed Grade		-3 Speed Grade		Unit
	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	
t_{DRR}		8.5		10.0		13.5	ns
t_{INSU}	2.7		3.2		4.3		ns
t_{INH}	0.0		0.0		0.0		ns
t_{OUTCO}	2.0	4.5	2.0	5.2	2.0	7.3	ns
t_{PCISU}	3.0		4.2		-		ns
t_{PCIH}	0.0		0.0		-		ns
t_{PCICO}	2.0	6.0	2.0	7.7	-	-	ns

Table 44. EPF10K50E External Bidirectional Timing Parameters Notes (1), (2)

Symbol	-1 Speed Grade		-2 Speed Grade		-3 Speed Grade		Unit
	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	
$t_{\text{INSUBIDIR}}$	2.7		3.2		4.3		ns
t_{INHBIDIR}	0.0		0.0		0.0		ns
$t_{\text{OUTCOBIDIR}}$	2.0	4.5	2.0	5.2	2.0	7.3	ns
t_{XZBIDIR}		6.8		7.8		10.1	ns
t_{ZXBIDIR}		6.8		7.8		10.1	ns

Notes to tables:

- (1) All timing parameters are described in Tables 24 through 30 in this data sheet.
 (2) These parameters are specified by characterization.

Tables 45 through 51 show EPF10K100E device internal and external timing parameters.

Table 45. EPF10K100E Device LE Timing Microparameters Note (1)

Symbol	-1 Speed Grade		-2 Speed Grade		-3 Speed Grade		Unit
	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	
t_{LUT}		0.7		1.0		1.5	ns
t_{CLUT}		0.5		0.7		0.9	ns
t_{RLUT}		0.6		0.8		1.1	ns
t_{PACKED}		0.3		0.4		0.5	ns
t_{EN}		0.2		0.3		0.3	ns
t_{CICO}		0.1		0.1		0.2	ns
t_{CGEN}		0.4		0.5		0.7	ns

Table 48. EPF10K100E Device EAB Internal Timing Macroparameters (Part 2 of 2) *Note (1)*

Symbol	-1 Speed Grade		-2 Speed Grade		-3 Speed Grade		Unit
	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	
$t_{EABWCOMB}$	5.9		7.7		10.3		ns
$t_{EABWCREG}$	5.4		7.0		9.4		ns
t_{EABDD}		3.4		4.5		5.9	ns
$t_{EABDATACO}$		0.5		0.7		0.8	ns
$t_{EABDATASU}$	0.8		1.0		1.4		ns
$t_{EABDATAH}$	0.1		0.1		0.2		ns
$t_{EABWESU}$	1.1		1.4		1.9		ns
t_{EABWEH}	0.0		0.0		0.0		ns
$t_{EABWDSU}$	1.0		1.3		1.7		ns
t_{EABWDH}	0.2		0.2		0.3		ns
$t_{EABWASU}$	4.1		5.2		6.8		ns
t_{EABWAH}	0.0		0.0		0.0		ns
t_{EABWO}		3.4		4.5		5.9	ns

Table 49. EPF10K100E Device Interconnect Timing Microparameters *Note (1)*

Symbol	-1 Speed Grade		-2 Speed Grade		-3 Speed Grade		Unit
	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	
$t_{DIN2IOE}$		3.1		3.6		4.4	ns
t_{DIN2LE}		0.3		0.4		0.5	ns
$t_{DIN2DATA}$		1.6		1.8		2.0	ns
$t_{DCLK2IOE}$		0.8		1.1		1.4	ns
$t_{DCLK2LE}$		0.3		0.4		0.5	ns
$t_{SAMELAB}$		0.1		0.1		0.2	ns
$t_{SAMEROW}$		1.5		2.5		3.4	ns
$t_{SAMECOLUMN}$		0.4		1.0		1.6	ns
$t_{DIFFROW}$		1.9		3.5		5.0	ns
$t_{TROWROWS}$		3.4		6.0		8.4	ns
$t_{LEPERIPH}$		4.3		5.4		6.5	ns
$t_{LABCARRY}$		0.5		0.7		0.9	ns
$t_{LABCASC}$		0.8		1.0		1.4	ns

Table 62. EPF10K200E Device EAB Internal Timing Macroparameters (Part 2 of 2) *Note (1)*

Symbol	-1 Speed Grade		-2 Speed Grade		-3 Speed Grade		Unit
	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	
$t_{EABWCOMB}$	6.7		8.1		10.7		ns
$t_{EABWCREG}$	6.6		8.0		10.6		ns
t_{EABDD}		4.0		5.1		6.7	ns
$t_{EABDATAO}$		0.8		1.0		1.3	ns
$t_{EABDATASU}$	1.3		1.6		2.1		ns
$t_{EABDATAH}$	0.0		0.0		0.0		ns
$t_{EABWESU}$	0.9		1.1		1.5		ns
t_{EABWEH}	0.4		0.5		0.6		ns
$t_{EABWDSU}$	1.5		1.8		2.4		ns
t_{EABWDH}	0.0		0.0		0.0		ns
$t_{EABWASU}$	3.0		3.6		4.7		ns
t_{EABWAH}	0.4		0.5		0.7		ns
t_{EABWO}		3.4		4.4		5.8	ns

Table 63. EPF10K200E Device Interconnect Timing Microparameters *Note (1)*

Symbol	-1 Speed Grade		-2 Speed Grade		-3 Speed Grade		Unit
	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	
$t_{DIN2IOE}$		4.2		4.6		5.7	ns
t_{DIN2LE}		1.7		1.7		2.0	ns
$t_{DIN2DATA}$		1.9		2.1		3.0	ns
$t_{DCLK2IOE}$		2.5		2.9		4.0	ns
$t_{DCLK2LE}$		1.7		1.7		2.0	ns
$t_{SAMELAB}$		0.1		0.1		0.2	ns
$t_{SAMEROW}$		2.3		2.6		3.6	ns
$t_{SAMECOLUMN}$		2.5		2.7		4.1	ns
$t_{DIFFROW}$		4.8		5.3		7.7	ns
$t_{TROWROWS}$		7.1		7.9		11.3	ns
$t_{LEPERIPH}$		7.0		7.6		9.0	ns
$t_{LABCARRY}$		0.1		0.1		0.2	ns
$t_{LABCASC}$		0.9		1.0		1.4	ns

Table 76. EPF10K200S Device EAB Internal Timing Macroparameters *Note (1)*

Symbol	-1 Speed Grade		-2 Speed Grade		-3 Speed Grade		Unit
	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	
t_{EABAA}		3.9		6.4		8.4	ns
$t_{EABRCOMB}$	3.9		6.4		8.4		ns
$t_{EABRCREG}$	3.6		5.7		7.6		ns
t_{EABWP}	2.1		4.0		5.3		ns
$t_{EABWCOMB}$	4.8		8.1		10.7		ns
$t_{EABWCREG}$	5.4		8.0		10.6		ns
t_{EABDD}		3.8		5.1		6.7	ns
$t_{EABDATACO}$		0.8		1.0		1.3	ns
$t_{EABDATASU}$	1.1		1.6		2.1		ns
$t_{EABDATAH}$	0.0		0.0		0.0		ns
$t_{EABWESU}$	0.7		1.1		1.5		ns
t_{EABWEH}	0.4		0.5		0.6		ns
$t_{EABWDSU}$	1.2		1.8		2.4		ns
t_{EABWDH}	0.0		0.0		0.0		ns
$t_{EABWASU}$	1.9		3.6		4.7		ns
t_{EABWAH}	0.8		0.5		0.7		ns
t_{EABWO}		3.1		4.4		5.8	ns

Table 77. EPF10K200S Device Interconnect Timing Microparameters (Part 1 of 2) *Note (1)*

Symbol	-1 Speed Grade		-2 Speed Grade		-3 Speed Grade		Unit
	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	
$t_{DIN2IOE}$		4.4		4.8		5.5	ns
t_{DIN2LE}		0.6		0.6		0.9	ns
$t_{DIN2DATA}$		1.8		2.1		2.8	ns
$t_{DCLK2IOE}$		1.7		2.0		2.8	ns
$t_{DCLK2LE}$		0.6		0.6		0.9	ns
$t_{SAMELAB}$		0.1		0.1		0.2	ns
$t_{SAMEROW}$		3.0		4.6		5.7	ns
$t_{SAMECOLUMN}$		3.5		4.9		6.4	ns
$t_{DIFFROW}$		6.5		9.5		12.1	ns
$t_{TWOROWS}$		9.5		14.1		17.8	ns
$t_{LEPERIPH}$		5.5		6.2		7.2	ns
$t_{LABCARRY}$		0.3		0.1		0.2	ns

During initialization, which occurs immediately after configuration, the device resets registers, enables I/O pins, and begins to operate as a logic device. The I/O pins are tri-stated during power-up, and before and during configuration. Together, the configuration and initialization processes are called *command mode*; normal device operation is called *user mode*.

SRAM configuration elements allow FLEX 10KE devices to be reconfigured in-circuit by loading new configuration data into the device. Real-time reconfiguration is performed by forcing the device into command mode with a device pin, loading different configuration data, reinitializing the device, and resuming user-mode operation. The entire reconfiguration process requires less than 85 ms and can be used to reconfigure an entire system dynamically. In-field upgrades can be performed by distributing new configuration files.

Before and during configuration, all I/O pins (except dedicated inputs, clock, or configuration pins) are pulled high by a weak pull-up resistor.

Programming Files

Despite being function- and pin-compatible, FLEX 10KE devices are not programming- or configuration file-compatible with FLEX 10K or FLEX 10KA devices. A design therefore must be recompiled before it is transferred from a FLEX 10K or FLEX 10KA device to an equivalent FLEX 10KE device. This recompilation should be performed both to create a new programming or configuration file and to check design timing in FLEX 10KE devices, which has different timing characteristics than FLEX 10K or FLEX 10KA devices.

FLEX 10KE devices are generally pin-compatible with equivalent FLEX 10KA devices. In some cases, FLEX 10KE devices have fewer I/O pins than the equivalent FLEX 10KA devices. [Table 81](#) shows which FLEX 10KE devices have fewer I/O pins than equivalent FLEX 10KA devices. However, power, ground, JTAG, and configuration pins are the same on FLEX 10KA and FLEX 10KE devices, enabling migration from a FLEX 10KA design to a FLEX 10KE design.



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