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Applications of Embedded - FPGAs

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

Details

Product Status	Active
Number of LABs/CLBs	-
Number of Logic Elements/Cells	-
Total RAM Bits	55296
Number of I/O	178
Number of Gates	400000
Voltage - Supply	1.425V ~ 1.575V
Mounting Type	Surface Mount
Operating Temperature	0°C ~ 85°C (TJ)
Package / Case	256-LBGA
Supplier Device Package	256-FPBGA (17x17)
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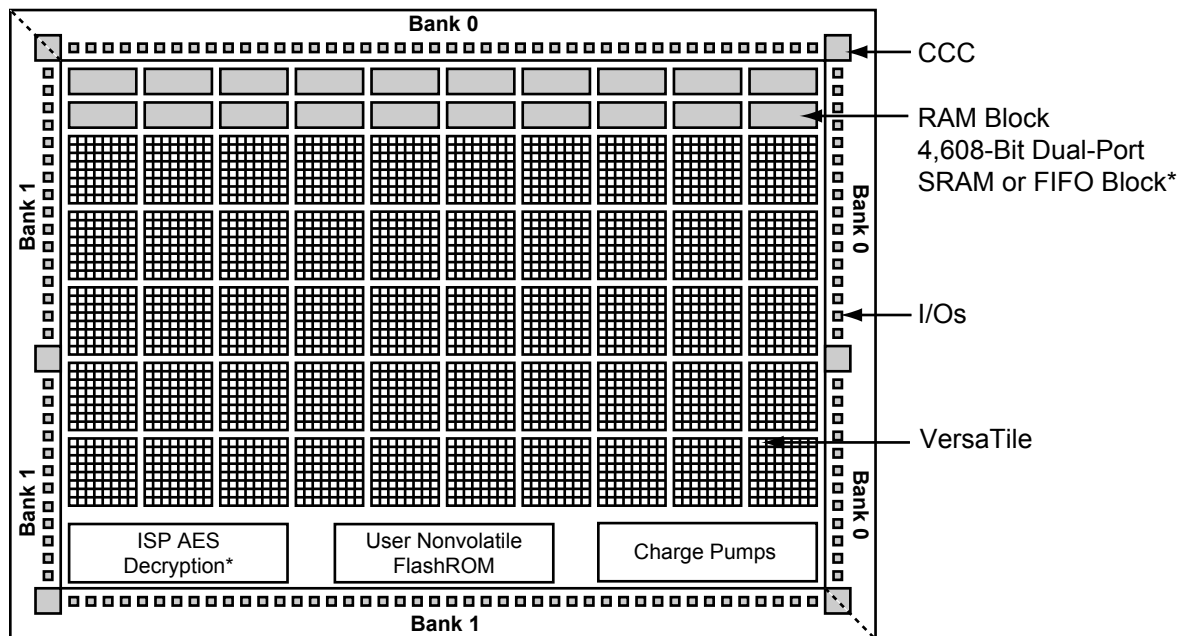
Advanced Flash Technology

The ProASIC3 family offers many benefits, including nonvolatility and reprogrammability through an advanced flash-based, 130-nm LVC MOS process with seven layers of metal. Standard CMOS design techniques are used to implement logic and control functions. The combination of fine granularity, enhanced flexible routing resources, and abundant flash switches allows for very high logic utilization without compromising device routability or performance. Logic functions within the device are interconnected through a four-level routing hierarchy.

Advanced Architecture

The proprietary ProASIC3 architecture provides granularity comparable to standard-cell ASICs. The ProASIC3 device consists of five distinct and programmable architectural features (Figure 1-1 and Figure 1-2 on page 1-4):

- FPGA VersaTiles
- Dedicated FlashROM
- Dedicated SRAM/FIFO memory†
- Extensive CCCs and PLLs†
- Advanced I/O structure



Note: *Not supported by A3P015 and A3P030 devices

Figure 1-1 • ProASIC3 Device Architecture Overview with Two I/O Banks (A3P015, A3P030, A3P060, and A3P125)

† The A3P015 and A3P030 do not support PLL or SRAM.

The CCC block has these key features:

- Wide input frequency range (f_{IN_CCC}) = 1.5 MHz to 350 MHz
- Output frequency range (f_{OUT_CCC}) = 0.75 MHz to 350 MHz
- Clock delay adjustment via programmable and fixed delays from –7.56 ns to +11.12 ns
- 2 programmable delay types for clock skew minimization
- Clock frequency synthesis (for PLL only)

Additional CCC specifications:

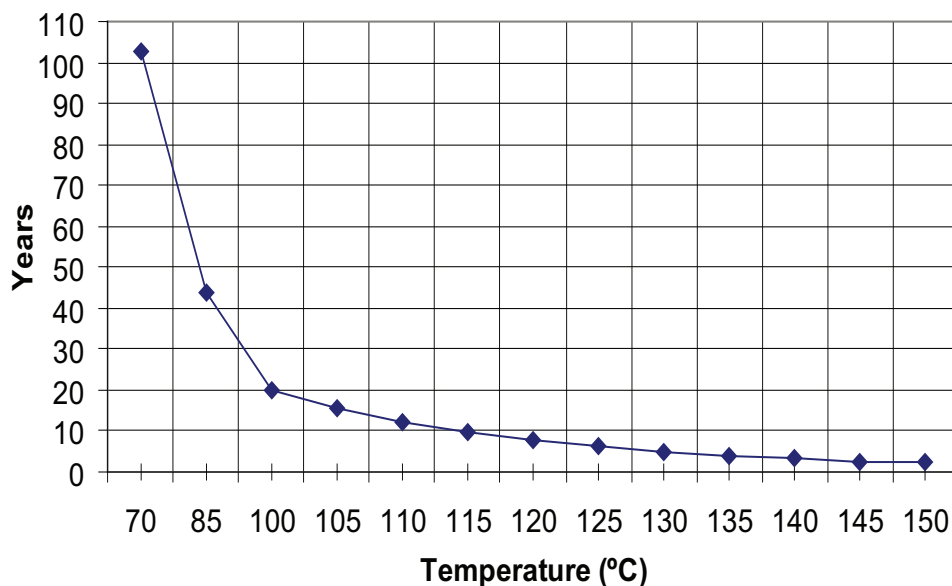
- Internal phase shift = 0°, 90°, 180°, and 270°. Output phase shift depends on the output divider configuration (for PLL only).
- Output duty cycle = 50% ± 1.5% or better (for PLL only)
- Low output jitter: worst case < 2.5% × clock period peak-to-peak period jitter when single global network used (for PLL only)
- Maximum acquisition time = 300 μs (for PLL only)
- Low power consumption of 5 mW
- Exceptional tolerance to input period jitter— allowable input jitter is up to 1.5 ns (for PLL only)
- Four precise phases; maximum misalignment between adjacent phases of 40 ps × (350 MHz / f_{OUT_CCC}) (for PLL only)

Global Clocking

ProASIC3 devices have extensive support for multiple clocking domains. In addition to the CCC and PLL support described above, there is a comprehensive global clock distribution network.

Each VersaTile input and output port has access to nine VersaNets: six chip (main) and three quadrant global networks. The VersaNets can be driven by the CCC or directly accessed from the core via multiplexers (MUXes). The VersaNets can be used to distribute low-skew clock signals or for rapid distribution of high fanout nets.

T _J (°C)	HTR Lifetime (yrs)
70	102.7
85	43.8
100	20.0
105	15.6
110	12.3
115	9.7
120	7.7
125	6.2
130	5.0
135	4.0
140	3.3
145	2.7
150	2.2



Note: HTR time is the period during which you would not expect a verify failure due to flash cell leakage.

Figure 2-1 • High-Temperature Data Retention (HTR)

Table 2-3 • Flash Programming Limits – Retention, Storage and Operating Temperature¹

Product Grade	Programming Cycles	Program Retention (biased/unbiased)	Maximum Storage Temperature T _{STG} (°C)	Maximum Operating Junction Temperature T _J (°C) ²
Commercial	500	20 years	110	100
Industrial	500	20 years	110	100

1. This is a stress rating only; functional operation at any condition other than those indicated is not implied.

2. These limits apply for program/data retention only. Refer to [Table 2-1 on page 2-1](#) and [Table 2-2](#) for device operating conditions and absolute limits.

Table 2-4 • Overshoot and Undershoot Limits¹

VCCI and VMV	Average VCCI–GND Overshoot or Undershoot Duration as a Percentage of Clock Cycle ²	Maximum Overshoot/Undershoot ²
2.7 V or less	10%	1.4 V
	5%	1.49 V
3 V	10%	1.1 V
	5%	1.19 V
3.3 V	10%	0.79 V
	5%	0.88 V
3.6 V	10%	0.45 V
	5%	0.54 V

Notes:

1. Based on reliability requirements at 85°C.

2. The duration is allowed at one out of six clock cycles. If the overshoot/undershoot occurs at one out of two cycles, the maximum overshoot/undershoot has to be reduced by 0.15 V.

3. This table does not provide PCI overshoot/undershoot limits.

Table 2-13 • Summary of I/O Output Buffer Power (Per Pin) – Default I/O Software Settings ¹
Applicable to Standard I/O Banks

	C_{LOAD} (pF)	VCCI (V)	Static Power PDC3 (mW) ²	Dynamic Power PAC10 (μW/MHz) ³
Single-Ended				
3.3 V LVTTTL / 3.3 V LVCMOS	35	3.3	–	431.08
3.3 V LVCMOS Wide Range ⁴	35	3.3	–	431.08
2.5 V LVCMOS	35	2.5	–	247.36
1.8 V LVCMOS	35	1.8	–	128.46
1.5 V LVCMOS (JESD8-11)	35	1.5	–	89.46

Notes:

1. Dynamic power consumption is given for standard load and software default drive strength and output slew.
2. P_{DC3} is the static power (where applicable) measured on VCCI.
3. P_{AC10} is the total dynamic power measured on VCC and VCCI.
4. All LVCMOS 3.3 V software macros support LVCMOS 3.3 V wide range as specified in the JESD8-B specification.

Power Consumption of Various Internal Resources

Table 2-14 • Different Components Contributing to Dynamic Power Consumption in ProASIC3 Devices

Parameter	Definition	Device Specific Dynamic Contributions ($\mu\text{W}/\text{MHz}$)							
		A3P1000	A3P600	A3P400	A3P250	A3P125	A3P060	A3P030	A3P015
PAC1	Clock contribution of a Global Rib	14.50	12.80	12.80	11.00	11.00	9.30	9.30	9.30
PAC2	Clock contribution of a Global Spine	2.48	1.85	1.35	1.58	0.81	0.81	0.41	0.41
PAC3	Clock contribution of a VersaTile row	0.81							
PAC4	Clock contribution of a VersaTile used as a sequential module	0.12							
PAC5	First contribution of a VersaTile used as a sequential module	0.07							
PAC6	Second contribution of a VersaTile used as a sequential module	0.29							
PAC7	Contribution of a VersaTile used as a combinatorial Module	0.29							
PAC8	Average contribution of a routing net	0.70							
PAC9	Contribution of an I/O input pin (standard dependent)	See Table 2-8 on page 2-7 through Table 2-10 on page 2-8 .							
PAC10	Contribution of an I/O output pin (standard dependent)	See Table 2-11 on page 2-9 through Table 2-13 on page 2-10 .							
PAC11	Average contribution of a RAM block during a read operation	25.00							
PAC12	Average contribution of a RAM block during a write operation	30.00							
PAC13	Dynamic contribution for PLL	2.60							

Note: *For a different output load, drive strength, or slew rate, Microsemi recommends using the Microsemi Power spreadsheet calculator or SmartPower tool in Libero SoC software.

Table 2-15 • Different Components Contributing to the Static Power Consumption in ProASIC3 Devices

Parameter	Definition	Device Specific Static Power (mW)							
		A3P1000	A3P600	A3P400	A3P250	A3P125	A3P060	A3P030	A3P015
PDC1	Array static power in Active mode	See Table 2-7 on page 2-7.							
PDC2	I/O input pin static power (standard-dependent)	See Table 2-8 on page 2-7 through Table 2-10 on page 2-8.							
PDC3	I/O output pin static power (standard-dependent)	See Table 2-11 on page 2-9 through Table 2-13 on page 2-10.							
PDC4	Static PLL contribution	2.55 mW							
PDC5	Bank quiescent power (VCCI-dependent)	See Table 2-7 on page 2-7.							

Note: *For a different output load, drive strength, or slew rate, Microsemi recommends using the Microsemi Power spreadsheet calculator or SmartPower tool in Libero SoC software.

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 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
- Toggle rates of I/O pins as well as VersaTiles—guidelines are provided in Table 2-16 on page 2-14.
- Enable rates of output buffers—guidelines are provided for typical applications in Table 2-17 on page 2-14.
- Read rate and write rate to the memory—guidelines are provided for typical applications in Table 2-17 on page 2-14. The calculation should be repeated for each clock domain defined in the design.

Methodology

Total Power Consumption— P_{TOTAL}

$$P_{TOTAL} = P_{STAT} + P_{DYN}$$

P_{STAT} is the total static power consumption.

P_{DYN} is the total dynamic power consumption.

Total Static Power Consumption— P_{STAT}

$$P_{STAT} = P_{DC1} + N_{INPUTS} * P_{DC2} + N_{OUTPUTS} * P_{DC3}$$

N_{INPUTS} is the number of I/O input buffers used in the design.

$N_{OUTPUTS}$ is the number of I/O output buffers used in the design.

Total Dynamic Power Consumption— P_{DYN}

$$P_{DYN} = P_{CLOCK} + P_{S-CELL} + P_{C-CELL} + P_{NET} + P_{INPUTS} + P_{OUTPUTS} + P_{MEMORY} + P_{PLL}$$

Global Clock Contribution— P_{CLOCK}

$$P_{CLOCK} = (P_{AC1} + N_{SPINE} * P_{AC2} + N_{ROW} * P_{AC3} + N_{S-CELL} * P_{AC4}) * F_{CLK}$$

N_{SPINE} is the number of global spines used in the user design—guidelines are provided in the "Spine Architecture" section of the Global Resources chapter in the *ProASIC3 FPGA Fabric User's Guide*.

N_{ROW} is the number of VersaTile rows used in the design—guidelines are provided in the "Spine Architecture" section of the Global Resources chapter in the *ProASIC3 FPGA Fabric User's Guide*.

RAM Contribution— P_{MEMORY}

$$P_{\text{MEMORY}} = P_{\text{AC11}} * N_{\text{BLOCKS}} * F_{\text{READ-CLOCK}} * \beta_2 + P_{\text{AC12}} * N_{\text{BLOCK}} * F_{\text{WRITE-CLOCK}} * \beta_3$$

N_{BLOCKS} is the number of RAM blocks used in the design.

$F_{\text{READ-CLOCK}}$ is the memory read clock frequency.

β_2 is the RAM enable rate for read operations.

$F_{\text{WRITE-CLOCK}}$ is the memory write clock frequency.

β_3 is the RAM enable rate for write operations—guidelines are provided in [Table 2-17 on page 2-14](#).

PLL Contribution— P_{PLL}

$$P_{\text{PLL}} = P_{\text{DC4}} + P_{\text{AC13}} * F_{\text{CLKOUT}}$$

F_{CLKOUT} is the output clock frequency.¹

Guidelines

Toggle Rate Definition

A toggle rate defines the frequency of a net or logic element relative to a clock. It is a percentage. If the toggle rate of a net is 100%, this means that this net switches at half the clock frequency. Below are some examples:

- The average toggle rate of a shift register is 100% because all flip-flop outputs toggle at half of the clock frequency.
- The average toggle rate of an 8-bit counter is 25%:
 - Bit 0 (LSB) = 100%
 - Bit 1 = 50%
 - Bit 2 = 25%
 - ...
 - Bit 7 (MSB) = 0.78125%
 - Average toggle rate = (100% + 50% + 25% + 12.5% + ... + 0.78125%) / 8

Enable Rate Definition

Output enable rate is the average percentage of time during which tristate outputs are enabled. When nontristate output buffers are used, the enable rate should be 100%.

Table 2-16 • Toggle Rate Guidelines Recommended for Power Calculation

Component	Definition	Guideline
α_1	Toggle rate of VersaTile outputs	10%
α_2	I/O buffer toggle rate	10%

Table 2-17 • Enable Rate Guidelines Recommended for Power Calculation

Component	Definition	Guideline
β_1	I/O output buffer enable rate	100%
β_2	RAM enable rate for read operations	12.5%
β_3	RAM enable rate for write operations	12.5%

1. The PLL dynamic contribution depends on the input clock frequency, the number of output clock signals generated by the PLL, and the frequency of each output clock. If a PLL is used to generate more than one output clock, include each output clock in the formula by adding its corresponding contribution ($P_{\text{AC14}} * F_{\text{CLKOUT}}$ product) to the total PLL contribution.

Table 2-44 • 3.3 V LVTTTL / 3.3 V LVCMOS Low Slew**Commercial-Case Conditions: $T_J = 70^\circ\text{C}$, Worst-Case $V_{CC} = 1.425\text{ V}$, Worst-Case $V_{CCI} = 3.0\text{ V}$** **Applicable to Standard Plus I/O Banks**

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
2 mA	Std.	0.66	9.68	0.04	1.00	0.43	9.86	8.42	2.28	2.21	12.09	10.66	ns
	–1	0.56	8.23	0.04	0.85	0.36	8.39	7.17	1.94	1.88	10.29	9.07	ns
	–2	0.49	7.23	0.03	0.75	0.32	7.36	6.29	1.70	1.65	9.03	7.96	ns
4 mA	Std.	0.66	9.68	0.04	1.00	0.43	9.86	8.42	2.28	2.21	12.09	10.66	ns
	–1	0.56	8.23	0.04	0.85	0.36	8.39	7.17	1.94	1.88	10.29	9.07	ns
	–2	0.49	7.23	0.03	0.75	0.32	7.36	6.29	1.70	1.65	9.03	7.96	ns
6 mA	Std.	0.66	6.70	0.04	1.00	0.43	6.82	5.89	2.58	2.74	9.06	8.12	ns
	–1	0.56	5.70	0.04	0.85	0.36	5.80	5.01	2.20	2.33	7.71	6.91	ns
	–2	0.49	5.00	0.03	0.75	0.32	5.10	4.40	1.93	2.05	6.76	6.06	ns
8 mA	Std.	0.66	6.70	0.04	1.00	0.43	6.82	5.89	2.58	2.74	9.06	8.12	ns
	–1	0.56	5.70	0.04	0.85	0.36	5.80	5.01	2.20	2.33	7.71	6.91	ns
	–2	0.49	5.00	0.03	0.75	0.32	5.10	4.40	1.93	2.05	6.76	6.06	ns
12 mA	Std.	0.66	5.05	0.04	1.00	0.43	5.14	4.51	2.79	3.08	7.38	6.75	ns
	–1	0.56	4.29	0.04	0.85	0.36	4.37	3.84	2.38	2.62	6.28	5.74	ns
	–2	0.49	3.77	0.03	0.75	0.32	3.84	3.37	2.09	2.30	5.51	5.04	ns
16 mA	Std.	0.66	5.05	0.04	1.00	0.43	5.14	4.51	2.79	3.08	7.38	6.75	ns
	–1	0.56	4.29	0.04	0.85	0.36	4.37	3.84	2.38	2.62	6.28	5.74	ns
	–2	0.49	3.77	0.03	0.75	0.32	3.84	3.37	2.09	2.30	5.51	5.04	ns

Note: For specific junction temperature and voltage supply levels, refer to [Table 2-6 on page 2-6](#) for derating values.**Table 2-45 • 3.3 V LVTTTL / 3.3 V LVCMOS High Slew****Commercial-Case Conditions: $T_J = 70^\circ\text{C}$, Worst-Case $V_{CC} = 1.425\text{ V}$, Worst-Case $V_{CCI} = 3.0\text{ V}$** **Applicable to Standard I/O Banks**

Drive Strength	Speed Grade	t_{DOUT}	t_{DP}	t_{DIN}	t_{PY}	t_{EOUT}	t_{ZL}	t_{ZH}	t_{LZ}	t_{HZ}	Units
2 mA	Std.	0.66	7.07	0.04	1.00	0.43	7.20	6.23	2.07	2.15	ns
	–1	0.56	6.01	0.04	0.85	0.36	6.12	5.30	1.76	1.83	ns
	–2	0.49	5.28	0.03	0.75	0.32	5.37	4.65	1.55	1.60	ns
4 mA	Std.	0.66	7.07	0.04	1.00	0.43	7.20	6.23	2.07	2.15	ns
	–1	0.56	6.01	0.04	0.85	0.36	6.12	5.30	1.76	1.83	ns
	–2	0.49	5.28	0.03	0.75	0.32	5.37	4.65	1.55	1.60	ns
6 mA	Std.	0.66	4.41	0.04	1.00	0.43	4.49	3.75	2.39	2.69	ns
	–1	0.56	3.75	0.04	0.85	0.36	3.82	3.19	2.04	2.29	ns
	–2	0.49	3.29	0.03	0.75	0.32	3.36	2.80	1.79	2.01	ns
8 mA	Std.	0.66	4.41	0.04	1.00	0.43	4.49	3.75	2.39	2.69	ns
	–1	0.56	3.75	0.04	0.85	0.36	3.82	3.19	2.04	2.29	ns

Table 2-93 • Minimum and Maximum DC Input and Output Levels

DC Parameter	Description	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Units
VCCI	Supply Voltage	3.0		3.3		3.6		V
VOL	Output Low Voltage	0.96	1.27	1.06	1.43	1.30	1.57	V
VOH	Output High Voltage	1.8	2.11	1.92	2.28	2.13	2.41	V
VIL, VIH	Input Low, Input High Voltages	0	3.6	0	3.6	0	3.6	V
VODIFF	Differential Output Voltage	0.625	0.97	0.625	0.97	0.625	0.97	V
VOCM	Output Common-Mode Voltage	1.762	1.98	1.762	1.98	1.762	1.98	V
VICM	Input Common-Mode Voltage	1.01	2.57	1.01	2.57	1.01	2.57	V
VIDIFF	Input Differential Voltage	300		300		300		mV

Table 2-94 • AC Waveforms, Measuring Points, and Capacitive Loads

Input Low (V)	Input High (V)	Measuring Point* (V)
1.64	1.94	Cross point

Note: *Measuring point = V_{trip} . See [Table 2-22 on page 2-22](#) for a complete table of trip points.

Timing Characteristics

Table 2-95 • LVPECL

Commercial-Case Conditions: $T_J = 70^{\circ}\text{C}$, Worst-Case VCC = 1.425 V, Worst-Case VCCI = 3.0 V

Speed Grade	t_{DOUT}	t_{DP}	t_{DIN}	t_{PY}	Units
Std.	0.66	1.80	0.04	1.40	ns
–1	0.56	1.53	0.04	1.19	ns
–2	0.49	1.34	0.03	1.05	ns

Note: For specific junction temperature and voltage supply levels, refer to [Table 2-6 on page 2-6](#) for derating values.

Output Enable Register

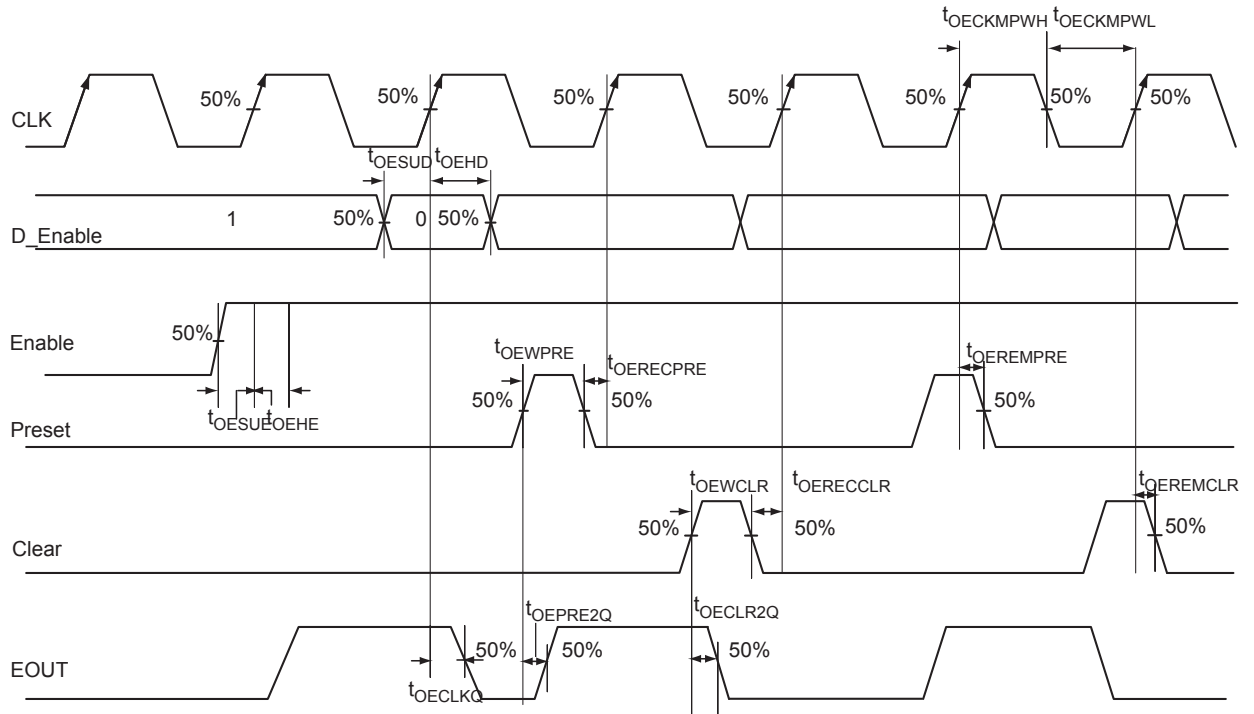


Figure 2-19 • Output Enable Register Timing Diagram

Timing Characteristics

Table 2-107 • A3P015 Global Resource
 Commercial-Case Conditions: $T_J = 70^\circ\text{C}$, $V_{CC} = 1.425\text{ V}$

Parameter	Description	–2		–1		Std.		Units
		Min. ¹	Max. ²	Min. ¹	Max. ²	Min. ¹	Max. ²	
t_{RCKL}	Input Low Delay for Global Clock	0.66	0.81	0.75	0.92	0.88	1.08	ns
t_{RCKH}	Input High Delay for Global Clock	0.67	0.84	0.76	0.96	0.89	1.13	ns
t_{RCKMPWH}	Minimum Pulse Width High for Global Clock	0.75		0.85		1.00		ns
t_{RCKMPWL}	Minimum Pulse Width Low for Global Clock	0.85		0.96		1.13		ns
t_{RCKSW}	Maximum Skew for Global Clock		0.18		0.21		0.25	ns

Notes:

1. Value reflects minimum load. The delay is measured from the CCC output to the clock pin of a sequential element, located in a lightly loaded row (single element is connected to the global net).
2. Value reflects maximum load. The delay is measured on the clock pin of the farthest sequential element, located in a fully loaded row (all available flip-flops are connected to the global net in the row).
3. For specific junction temperature and voltage-supply levels, refer to [Table 2-6 on page 2-6](#) for derating values.

Table 2-108 • A3P030 Global Resource
 Commercial-Case Conditions: $T_J = 70^\circ\text{C}$, $V_{CC} = 1.425\text{ V}$

Parameter	Description	–2		–1		Std.		Units
		Min. ¹	Max. ²	Min. ¹	Max. ²	Min. ¹	Max. ²	
t_{RCKL}	Input Low Delay for Global Clock	0.67	0.81	0.76	0.92	0.89	1.09	ns
t_{RCKH}	Input High Delay for Global Clock	0.68	0.85	0.77	0.97	0.91	1.14	ns
t_{RCKMPWH}	Minimum Pulse Width High for Global Clock	0.75		0.85		1.00		ns
t_{RCKMPWL}	Minimum Pulse Width Low for Global Clock	0.85		0.96		1.13		ns
t_{RCKSW}	Maximum Skew for Global Clock		0.18		0.21		0.24	ns

Notes:

1. Value reflects minimum load. The delay is measured from the CCC output to the clock pin of a sequential element, located in a lightly loaded row (single element is connected to the global net).
2. Value reflects maximum load. The delay is measured on the clock pin of the farthest sequential element, located in a fully loaded row (all available flip-flops are connected to the global net in the row).
3. For specific junction temperature and voltage supply levels, refer to [Table 2-6 on page 2-6](#) for derating values.

Table 2-119 • FIFO (for A3P250 only, aspect-ratio-dependent)
Worst Commercial-Case Conditions: $T_J = 70^\circ\text{C}$, $V_{CC} = 1.425\text{ V}$

Parameter	Description	-2	-1	Std.	Units
t_{ENS}	REN, WEN Setup Time	3.26	3.71	4.36	ns
t_{ENH}	REN, WEN Hold Time	0.00	0.00	0.00	ns
t_{BKS}	BLK Setup Time	0.19	0.22	0.26	ns
t_{BKH}	BLK Hold Time	0.00	0.00	0.00	ns
t_{DS}	Input Data (WD) Setup Time	0.18	0.21	0.25	ns
t_{DH}	Input Data (WD) Hold Time	0.00	0.00	0.00	ns
t_{CKQ1}	Clock High to New Data Valid on RD (flow-through)	2.17	2.47	2.90	ns
t_{CKQ2}	Clock High to New Data Valid on RD (pipelined)	0.94	1.07	1.26	ns
t_{RCKEF}	RCLK High to Empty Flag Valid	1.72	1.96	2.30	ns
t_{WCKFF}	WCLK High to Full Flag Valid	1.63	1.86	2.18	ns
t_{CKAF}	Clock High to Almost Empty/Full Flag Valid	6.19	7.05	8.29	ns
t_{RSTFG}	RESET Low to Empty/Full Flag Valid	1.69	1.93	2.27	ns
t_{RSTAF}	RESET Low to Almost Empty/Full Flag Valid	6.13	6.98	8.20	ns
t_{RSTBQ}	RESET Low to Data Out Low on RD (flow-through)	0.92	1.05	1.23	ns
	RESET Low to Data Out Low on RD (pipelined)	0.92	1.05	1.23	ns
t_{REMRSTB}	RESET Removal	0.29	0.33	0.38	ns
t_{RECRSTB}	RESET Recovery	1.50	1.71	2.01	ns
t_{MPWRSTB}	RESET Minimum Pulse Width	0.21	0.24	0.29	ns
t_{CYC}	Clock Cycle Time	3.23	3.68	4.32	ns
F_{MAX}	Maximum Frequency for FIFO	310	272	231	MHz

mode is not used in the design, the FF pin is available as a regular I/O. For IGLOOe, ProASIC3EL, and RT ProASIC3 only, the FF pin can be configured as a Schmitt trigger input.

When Flash*Freeze mode is used, the FF pin must not be left floating to avoid accidentally entering Flash*Freeze mode. While in Flash*Freeze mode, the Flash*Freeze pin should be constantly asserted.

The Flash*Freeze pin can be used with any single-ended I/O standard supported by the I/O bank in which the pin is located, and input signal levels compatible with the I/O standard selected. The FF pin should be treated as a sensitive asynchronous signal. When defining pin placement and board layout, simultaneously switching outputs (SSOs) and their effects on sensitive asynchronous pins must be considered.

Unused FF or I/O pins are tristated with weak pull-up. This default configuration applies to both Flash*Freeze mode and normal operation mode. No user intervention is required.

JTAG Pins

Low power flash devices have a separate bank for the dedicated JTAG pins. The JTAG pins can be run at any voltage from 1.5 V to 3.3 V (nominal). VCC must also be powered for the JTAG state machine to operate, even if the device is in bypass mode; VJTAG alone is insufficient. Both VJTAG and VCC to the part must be supplied to allow JTAG signals to transition the device. Isolating the JTAG power supply in a separate I/O bank gives greater flexibility in supply selection and simplifies power supply and PCB design. If the JTAG interface is neither used nor planned for use, the VJTAG pin together with the TRST pin could be tied to GND.

TCK Test Clock

Test clock input for JTAG boundary scan, ISP, and UJTAG. The TCK pin does not have an internal pull-up/-down resistor. If JTAG is not used, Microsemi recommends tying off TCK to GND through a resistor placed close to the FPGA pin. This prevents JTAG operation in case TMS enters an undesired state.

Note that to operate at all VJTAG voltages, 500 Ω to 1 k Ω will satisfy the requirements. Refer to [Table 1](#) for more information.

Table 1 • Recommended Tie-Off Values for the TCK and TRST Pins

VJTAG	Tie-Off Resistance
3.3 V	200 Ω –1 k Ω
2.5 V	200 Ω –1 k Ω
1.8 V	500 Ω –1 k Ω
1.5 V	500 Ω –1 k Ω

Notes:

1. Equivalent parallel resistance if more than one device is on the JTAG chain
2. The TCK pin can be pulled up/down.
3. The TRST pin is pulled down.

TDI Test Data Input

Serial input for JTAG boundary scan, ISP, and UJTAG usage. There is an internal weak pull-up resistor on the TDI pin.

TDO Test Data Output

Serial output for JTAG boundary scan, ISP, and UJTAG usage.

TMS Test Mode Select

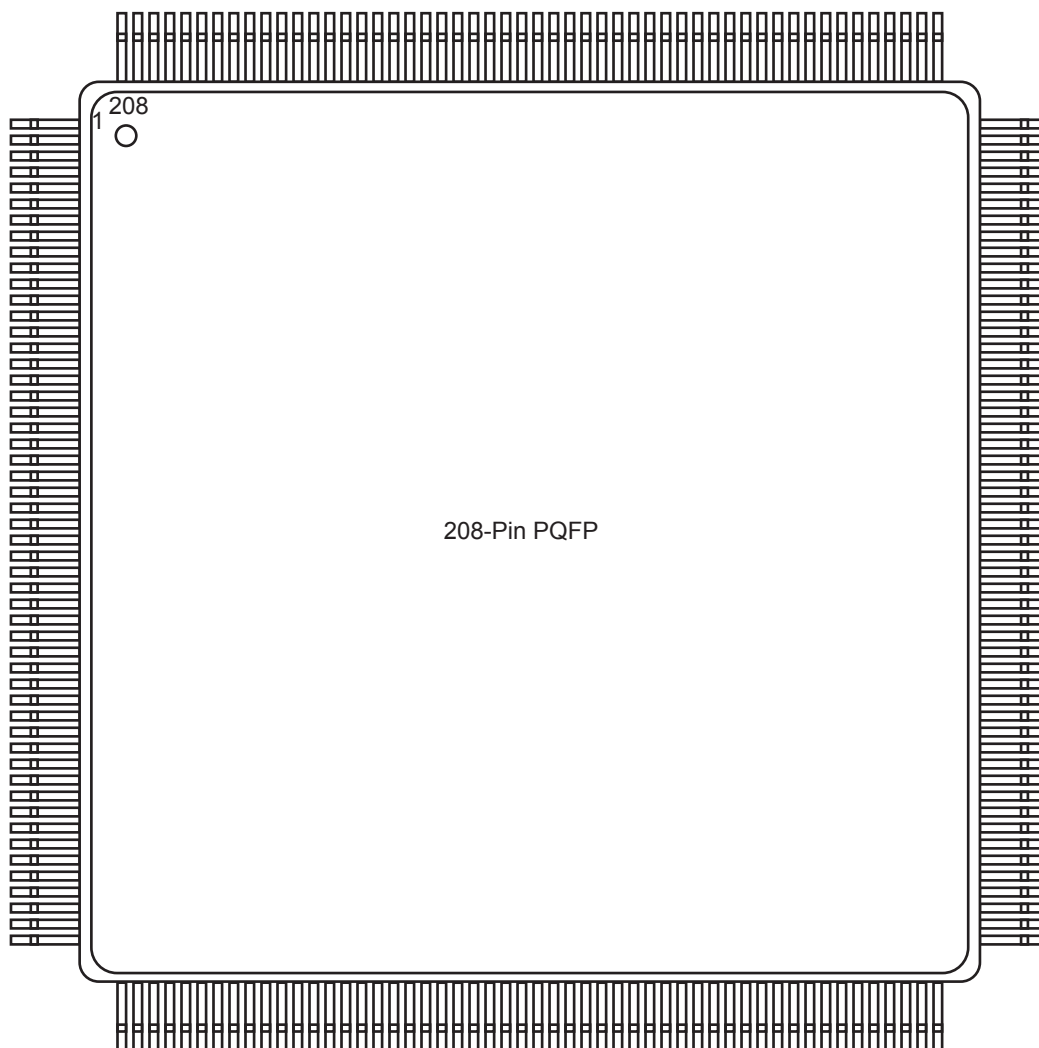
The TMS pin controls the use of the IEEE 1532 boundary scan pins (TCK, TDI, TDO, TRST). There is an internal weak pull-up resistor on the TMS pin.

TRST Boundary Scan Reset Pin

The TRST pin functions as an active low input to asynchronously initialize (or reset) the boundary scan circuitry. There is an internal weak pull-up resistor on the TRST pin. If JTAG is not used, an external pull-down resistor could be included to ensure the test access port (TAP) is held in reset mode. The resistor values must be chosen from [Table 1](#) and must satisfy the parallel resistance value requirement. The values in [Table 1](#) correspond to the resistor recommended when a single device is used, and the equivalent parallel resistor when multiple devices are connected via a JTAG chain.

TQ144	
Pin Number	A3P060 Function
109	NC
110	NC
111	GBA1/IO24RSB0
112	GBA0/IO23RSB0
113	GBB1/IO22RSB0
114	GBB0/IO21RSB0
115	GBC1/IO20RSB0
116	GBC0/IO19RSB0
117	VCCIB0
118	GND
119	VCC
120	IO18RSB0
121	IO17RSB0
122	IO16RSB0
123	IO15RSB0
124	IO14RSB0
125	IO13RSB0
126	IO12RSB0
127	IO11RSB0
128	NC
129	IO10RSB0
130	IO09RSB0
131	IO08RSB0
132	GAC1/IO07RSB0
133	GAC0/IO06RSB0
134	NC
135	GND
136	NC
137	GAB1/IO05RSB0
138	GAB0/IO04RSB0
139	GAA1/IO03RSB0
140	GAA0/IO02RSB0
141	IO01RSB0
142	IO00RSB0
143	GNDQ
144	VMV0

PQ208 – Top View



Note

For more information on package drawings, see [PD3068: Package Mechanical Drawings](#).

PQ208	
Pin Number	A3P125 Function
1	GND
2	GAA2/IO67RSB1
3	IO68RSB1
4	GAB2/IO69RSB1
5	IO132RSB1
6	GAC2/IO131RSB1
7	NC
8	NC
9	IO130RSB1
10	IO129RSB1
11	NC
12	IO128RSB1
13	NC
14	NC
15	NC
16	VCC
17	GND
18	VCCIB1
19	IO127RSB1
20	NC
21	GFC1/IO126RSB1
22	GFC0/IO125RSB1
23	GFB1/IO124RSB1
24	GFB0/IO123RSB1
25	VCOMPLF
26	GFA0/IO122RSB1
27	VCCPLF
28	GFA1/IO121RSB1
29	GND
30	GFA2/IO120RSB1
31	NC
32	GFB2/IO119RSB1
33	NC
34	GFC2/IO118RSB1
35	IO117RSB1
36	NC

PQ208	
Pin Number	A3P125 Function
37	IO116RSB1
38	IO115RSB1
39	NC
40	VCCIB1
41	GND
42	IO114RSB1
43	IO113RSB1
44	GEC1/IO112RSB1
45	GEC0/IO111RSB1
46	GEB1/IO110RSB1
47	GEB0/IO109RSB1
48	GEA1/IO108RSB1
49	GEA0/IO107RSB1
50	VMV1
51	GNDQ
52	GND
53	NC
54	NC
55	GEA2/IO106RSB1
56	GEB2/IO105RSB1
57	GEC2/IO104RSB1
58	IO103RSB1
59	IO102RSB1
60	IO101RSB1
61	IO100RSB1
62	VCCIB1
63	IO99RSB1
64	IO98RSB1
65	GND
66	IO97RSB1
67	IO96RSB1
68	IO95RSB1
69	IO94RSB1
70	IO93RSB1
71	VCC
72	VCCIB1

PQ208	
Pin Number	A3P125 Function
73	IO92RSB1
74	IO91RSB1
75	IO90RSB1
76	IO89RSB1
77	IO88RSB1
78	IO87RSB1
79	IO86RSB1
80	IO85RSB1
81	GND
82	IO84RSB1
83	IO83RSB1
84	IO82RSB1
85	IO81RSB1
86	IO80RSB1
87	IO79RSB1
88	VCC
89	VCCIB1
90	IO78RSB1
91	IO77RSB1
92	IO76RSB1
93	IO75RSB1
94	IO74RSB1
95	IO73RSB1
96	GDC2/IO72RSB1
97	GND
98	GDB2/IO71RSB1
99	GDA2/IO70RSB1
100	GNDQ
101	TCK
102	TDI
103	TMS
104	VMV1
105	GND
106	VPUMP
107	NC
108	TDO

FG144	
Pin Number	A3P600 Function
K1	GEB0/IO145NDB3
K2	GEA1/IO144PDB3
K3	GEA0/IO144NDB3
K4	GEA2/IO143RSB2
K5	IO119RSB2
K6	IO111RSB2
K7	GND
K8	IO94RSB2
K9	GDC2/IO91RSB2
K10	GND
K11	GDA0/IO88NDB1
K12	GDB0/IO87NDB1
L1	GND
L2	VMV3
L3	GEB2/IO142RSB2
L4	IO136RSB2
L5	VCCIB2
L6	IO115RSB2
L7	IO103RSB2
L8	IO97RSB2
L9	TMS
L10	VJTAG
L11	VMV2
L12	TRST
M1	GNDQ
M2	GEC2/IO141RSB2
M3	IO138RSB2
M4	IO123RSB2
M5	IO126RSB2
M6	IO134RSB2
M7	IO108RSB2
M8	IO99RSB2
M9	TDI
M10	VCCIB2
M11	VPUMP
M12	GNDQ

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Revision 9 (Oct 2009) Product Brief v1.3	The CS121 package was added to table under "Features and Benefits" section, the "I/Os Per Package 1" table, Table 1 • ProASIC3 FPGAs Package Sizes Dimensions, "ProASIC3 Ordering Information", and the "Temperature Grade Offerings" table.	I – IV	
	"ProASIC3 Ordering Information" was revised to include the fact that some RoHS compliant packages are halogen-free.	IV	
	Packaging v1.5	The "CS121 – Bottom View" figure and pin table for A3P060 are new.	4-15
Revision 8 (Aug 2009) Product Brief v1.2	All references to M7 devices (CoreMP7) and speed grade –F were removed from this document.	N/A	
	Table 1-1 I/O Standards supported is new.	1-7	
	The I/Os with Advanced I/O Standards section was revised to add definitions of hot-swap and cold-sparing.	1-7	
	DC and Switching Characteristics v1.4	3.3 V LVCMOS and 1.2 V LVCMOS Wide Range support was added to the datasheet. This affects all tables that contained 3.3 V LVCMOS and 1.2 V LVCMOS data.	N/A
	I_{IL} and I_{IH} input leakage current information was added to all "Minimum and Maximum DC Input and Output Levels" tables.	N/A	
	–F was removed from the datasheet. The speed grade is no longer supported.	N/A	
	The notes in Table 2-2 • Recommended Operating Conditions 1 were updated.	2-2	
	Table 2-4 • Overshoot and Undershoot Limits 1 was updated.	2-3	
	Table 2-6 • Temperature and Voltage Derating Factors for Timing Delays was updated.	2-6	
	In Table 2-116 • RAM4K9, the following specifications were removed: t_{WRO} t_{CCKH}	2-96	
	In Table 2-117 • RAM512X18, the following specifications were removed: t_{WRO} t_{CCKH}	2-97	
	In the title of Table 2-74 • 1.8 V LVCMOS High Slew, VCCI had a typo. It was changed from 3.0 V to 1.7 V.	2-58	
Revision 7 (Feb 2009) Product Brief v1.1	The "Advanced I/O" section was revised to add a bullet regarding wide range power supply voltage support.	I	
	The table under "Features and Benefits" section, was updated to include a value for typical equivalent macrocells for A3P250.	I	
	The QN48 package was added to the following tables: the table under "Features and Benefits" section, "I/Os Per Package 1" "ProASIC3 FPGAs Package Sizes Dimensions", and "Temperature Grade Offerings". The number of singled-ended I/Os for QN68 was added to the "I/Os Per Package 1" table.	N/A	
	The Wide Range I/O Support section is new.	1-7	
	Revision 6 (Dec 2008) Packaging v1.4	The "QN48 – Bottom View" section is new.	4-1
	The "QN68" pin table for A3P030 is new.	4-5	

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Advance v0.3	The "PLL Macro" section was updated. EXTFB information was removed from this section.	2-15
	The CCC Output Peak-to-Peak Period Jitter F_{CCC_OUT} was updated in Table 2-11 • ProASIC3 CCC/PLL Specification	2-29
	EXTFB was removed from Figure 2-27 • CCC/PLL Macro.	2-28
	Table 2-13 • ProASIC3 I/O Features was updated.	2-30
	The "Hot-Swap Support" section was updated.	2-33
	The "Cold-Sparing Support" section was updated.	2-34
	"Electrostatic Discharge (ESD) Protection" section was updated.	2-35
	The LVPECL specification in Table 2-43 • I/O Hot-Swap and 5 V Input Tolerance Capabilities in ProASIC3 Devices was updated.	2-64
	In the Bank 1 area of Figure 2-72, VMV2 was changed to VMV1 and VCCIB2 was changed to VCC _I B1.	2-97
	The VJTAG and I/O pin descriptions were updated in the "Pin Descriptions" section.	2-50
	The "JTAG Pins" section was updated.	2-51
	"128-Bit AES Decryption" section was updated to include M7 device information.	2-53
	Table 3-6 was updated.	3-6
	Table 3-7 was updated.	3-6
	In Table 3-11, PAC4 was updated.	3-93-8
	Table 3-20 was updated.	3-20
	The note in Table 3-32 was updated.	3-27
	All Timing Characteristics tables were updated from LVTTTL to Register Delays	3-31 to 3-73
	The Timing Characteristics for RAM4K9, RAM512X18, and FIFO were updated.	3-85 to 3-90
	F_{TCKMAX} was updated in Table 3-110.	3-97
Advance v0.2	Figure 2-11 was updated.	2-9
	The "Clock Resources (VersaNets)" section was updated.	2-9
	The "VersaNet Global Networks and Spine Access" section was updated.	2-9
	The "PLL Macro" section was updated.	2-15
	Figure 2-27 was updated.	2-28
	Figure 2-20 was updated.	2-19
	Table 2-5 was updated.	2-25
	Table 2-6 was updated.	2-25
	The "FIFO Flag Usage Considerations" section was updated.	2-27
	Table 2-13 was updated.	2-30
	Figure 2-24 was updated.	2-31
	The "Cold-Sparing Support" section is new.	2-34

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