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### Understanding [Embedded - FPGAs \(Field Programmable Gate Array\)](#)

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

### Applications of Embedded - FPGAs

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

#### Details

Product Status	Active
Number of LABs/CLBs	216
Number of Logic Elements/Cells	1728
Total RAM Bits	12288
Number of I/O	246
Number of Gates	69000
Voltage - Supply	4.75V ~ 5.25V
Mounting Type	Surface Mount
Operating Temperature	0°C ~ 70°C (TA)
Package / Case	484-BBGA
Supplier Device Package	484-FBGA (23x23)
Purchase URL	<a href="https://www.e-xfl.com/pro/item?MUrl=&amp;PartUrl=epf10k30afc484-1">https://www.e-xfl.com/pro/item?MUrl=&amp;PartUrl=epf10k30afc484-1</a>

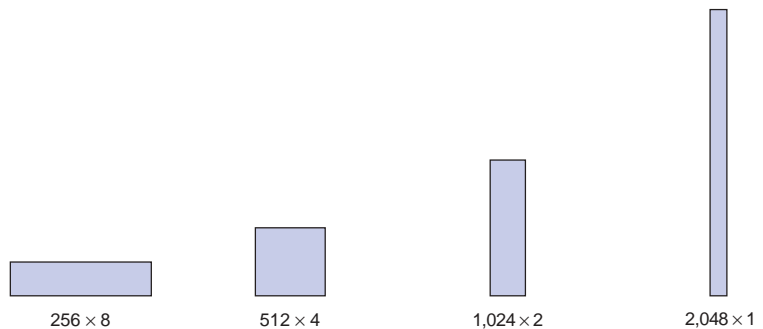
Logic functions are implemented by programming the EAB with a read-only pattern during configuration, creating a large LUT. With LUTs, combinatorial functions are implemented by looking up the results, rather than by computing them. This implementation of combinatorial functions can be faster than using algorithms implemented in general logic, a performance advantage that is further enhanced by the fast access times of EABs. The large capacity of EABs enables designers to implement complex functions in one logic level without the routing delays associated with linked LEs or field-programmable gate array (FPGA) RAM blocks. For example, a single EAB can implement a  $4 \times 4$  multiplier with eight inputs and eight outputs. Parameterized functions such as LPM functions can automatically take advantage of the EAB.

The EAB provides advantages over FPGAs, which implement on-board RAM as arrays of small, distributed RAM blocks. These FPGA RAM blocks contain delays that are less predictable as the size of the RAM increases. In addition, FPGA RAM blocks are prone to routing problems because small blocks of RAM must be connected together to make larger blocks. In contrast, EABs can be used to implement large, dedicated blocks of RAM that eliminate these timing and routing concerns.

EABs can be used to implement synchronous RAM, which is easier to use than asynchronous RAM. A circuit using asynchronous RAM must generate the RAM write enable ( $\overline{WE}$ ) signal, while ensuring that its data and address signals meet setup and hold time specifications relative to the  $\overline{WE}$  signal. In contrast, the EAB's synchronous RAM generates its own  $\overline{WE}$  signal and is self-timed with respect to the global clock. A circuit using the EAB's self-timed RAM need only meet the setup and hold time specifications of the global clock.

When used as RAM, each EAB can be configured in any of the following sizes:  $256 \times 8$ ,  $512 \times 4$ ,  $1,024 \times 2$ , or  $2,048 \times 1$ . See [Figure 2](#).

**Figure 2. EAB Memory Configurations**



Each LAB provides four control signals with programmable inversion that can be used in all eight LEs. Two of these signals can be used as clocks; the other two can be used for clear/preset control. The LAB clocks can be driven by the dedicated clock input pins, global signals, I/O signals, or internal signals via the LAB local interconnect. The LAB preset and clear control signals can be driven by the global signals, I/O signals, or internal signals via the LAB local interconnect. The global control signals are typically used for global clock, clear, or preset signals because they provide asynchronous control with very low skew across the device. If logic is required on a control signal, it can be generated in one or more LEs in any LAB and driven into the local interconnect of the target LAB. In addition, the global control signals can be generated from LE outputs.

### Logic Element

The LE, the smallest unit of logic in the FLEX 10K architecture, has a compact size that provides efficient logic utilization. Each LE contains a four-input LUT, which is a function generator that can quickly compute any function of four variables. In addition, each LE contains a programmable flipflop with a synchronous enable, a carry chain, and a cascade chain. Each LE drives both the local and the FastTrack Interconnect. See [Figure 6](#).

Figure 6. FLEX 10K Logic Element

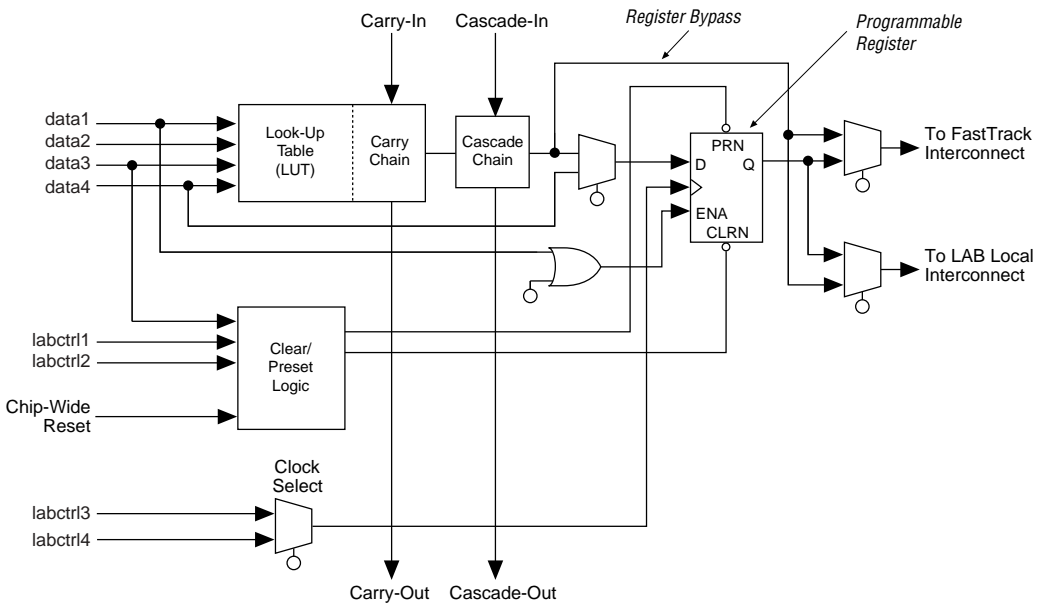
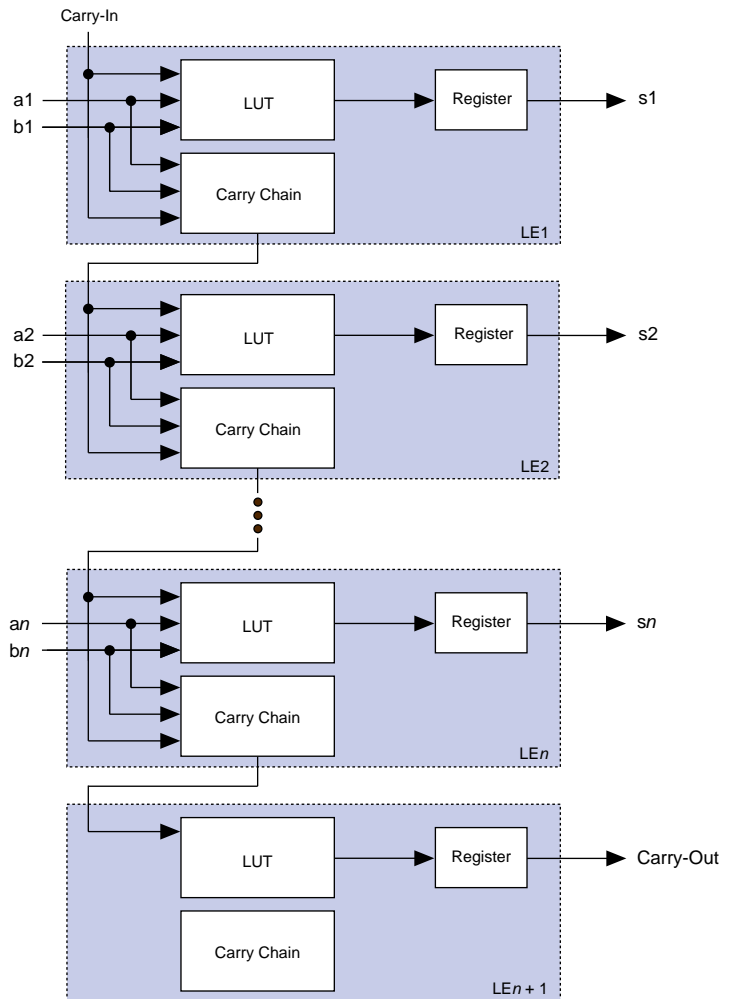


Figure 7 shows how an  $n$ -bit full adder can be implemented in  $n + 1$  LEs with the carry chain. One portion of the LUT generates the sum of two bits using the input signals and the carry-in signal; the sum is routed to the output of the LE. The register can either be bypassed for simple adders or be used for an accumulator function. The carry chain logic generates the carry-out signal, which is routed directly to the carry-in signal of the next higher-order bit. The final carry-out signal is routed to an LE, where it can be used as a general-purpose signal.

**Figure 7. Carry Chain Operation ( $n$ -bit Full Adder)**



### **Asynchronous Preset**

An asynchronous preset is implemented as either an asynchronous load, or with an asynchronous clear. If DATA3 is tied to  $V_{CC}$ , asserting LABCTRL1 asynchronously loads a one into the register. Alternatively, the Altera software can provide preset control by using the clear and inverting the input and output of the register. Inversion control is available for the inputs to both LEs and IOEs. Therefore, if a register is preset by only one of the two LABCTRL signals, the DATA3 input is not needed and can be used for one of the LE operating modes.

### **Asynchronous Preset & Clear**

When implementing asynchronous clear and preset, LABCTRL1 controls the preset and LABCTRL2 controls the clear. DATA3 is tied to  $V_{CC}$ , therefore, asserting LABCTRL1 asynchronously loads a one into the register, effectively presetting the register. Asserting LABCTRL2 clears the register.

### **Asynchronous Load with Clear**

When implementing an asynchronous load in conjunction with the clear, LABCTRL1 implements the asynchronous load of DATA3 by controlling the register preset and clear. LABCTRL2 implements the clear by controlling the register clear; LABCTRL2 does not have to feed the preset circuits.

### **Asynchronous Load with Preset**

When implementing an asynchronous load in conjunction with preset, the Altera software provides preset control by using the clear and inverting the input and output of the register. Asserting LABCTRL2 presets the register, while asserting LABCTRL1 loads the register. The Altera software inverts the signal that drives DATA3 to account for the inversion of the register's output.

### **Asynchronous Load without Preset or Clear**

When implementing an asynchronous load without preset or clear, LABCTRL1 implements the asynchronous load of DATA3 by controlling the register preset and clear.

Signals on the peripheral control bus can also drive the four global signals, referred to as GLOBAL0 through GLOBAL3 in Tables 8 and 9. The internally generated signal can drive the global signal, providing the same low-skew, low-delay characteristics for an internally generated signal as for a signal driven by an input. This feature is ideal for internally generated clear or clock signals with high fan-out. When a global signal is driven by internal logic, the dedicated input pin that drives that global signal cannot be used. The dedicated input pin should be driven to a known logic state (such as ground) and not be allowed to float.

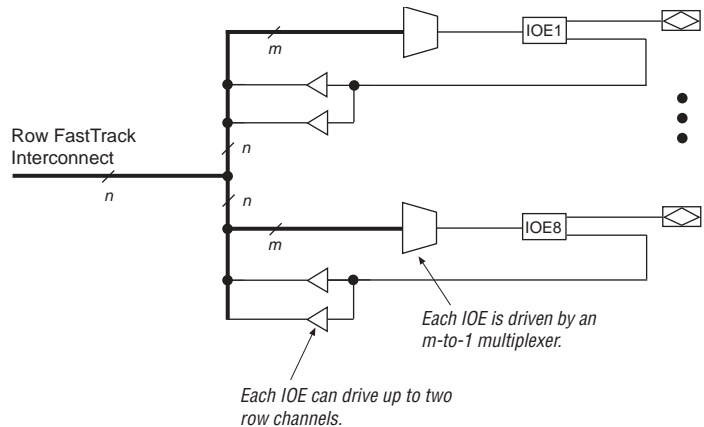
When the chip-wide output enable pin is held low, it will tri-state all pins on the device. This option can be set in the Global Project Device Options menu. Additionally, the registers in the IOE can be reset by holding the chip-wide reset pin low.

### 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 14.

**Figure 14. FLEX 10K Row-to-IOE Connections**

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



## Slew-Rate Control

The output buffer in each IOE has an adjustable output slew rate that can be configured for low-noise or high-speed performance. A slower slew rate reduces system noise and adds a maximum delay of approximately 2.9 ns. The fast slew rate should be used for speed-critical outputs in systems that are adequately protected against noise. Designers can specify the slew rate on a pin-by-pin basis during design entry or assign a default slew rate to all pins on a device-wide basis. The slow slew rate setting affects only the falling edge of the output.

## Open-Drain Output Option

FLEX 10K devices provide an optional open-drain (electrically equivalent to an open-collector) output for each I/O pin. This open-drain output enables the device to provide system-level control signals (e.g., interrupt and write enable signals) that can be asserted by any of several devices. It can also provide an additional wired-OR plane. Additionally, the Altera software can convert tri-state buffers with grounded data inputs to open-drain pins automatically.

Open-drain output pins on FLEX 10K 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.

Output pins on 5.0-V FLEX 10K devices with  $V_{CCIO} = 3.3$  V or 5.0 V (with a pull-up resistor to the 5.0-V supply) can also drive 5.0-V CMOS input pins. In this case, the pull-up transistor will turn off when the pin voltage exceeds 3.3 V. Therefore, the pin does not have to be open-drain.

## MultiVolt I/O Interface

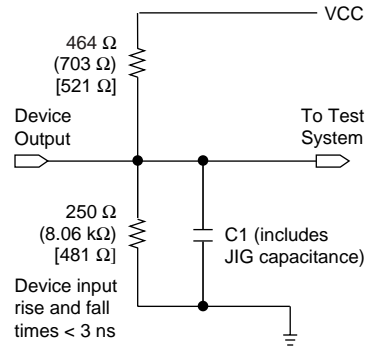
The FLEX 10K device architecture supports the MultiVolt I/O interface feature, which allows FLEX 10K devices to interface with systems of differing supply voltages. These devices have one set of  $V_{CC}$  pins for internal operation and input buffers ( $V_{CCINT}$ ) and another set for I/O output drivers ( $V_{CCIO}$ ).

## Generic Testing

Each FLEX 10K device is functionally tested. Complete testing of each configurable SRAM bit and all logic functionality ensures 100% yield. AC test measurements for FLEX 10K devices are made under conditions equivalent to those shown in Figure 19. Multiple test patterns can be used to configure devices during all stages of the production flow.

**Figure 19. FLEX 10K AC Test Conditions**

Power supply transients can affect AC measurements. Simultaneous transitions of multiple outputs should be avoided for accurate measurement. Threshold tests must not be performed under AC conditions. Large-amplitude, fast-ground-current transients normally occur as the device outputs discharge the load capacitances. When these transients flow through the parasitic inductance between the device ground pin and the test system ground, significant reductions in observable noise immunity can result. Numbers without parentheses are for 5.0-V devices or outputs. Numbers in parentheses are for 3.3-V devices or outputs. Numbers in brackets are for 2.5-V devices or outputs.



## Operating Conditions

Tables 17 through 21 provide information on absolute maximum ratings, recommended operating conditions, DC operating conditions, and capacitance for 5.0-V FLEX 10K devices.

**Table 17. FLEX 10K 5.0-V Device Absolute Maximum Ratings** Note (1)

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	Min	Max	Unit
V <sub>CC</sub>	Supply voltage	With respect to ground (2)	-2.0	7.0	V
V <sub>I</sub>	DC input voltage		-2.0	7.0	V
I <sub>OUT</sub>	DC output current, per pin		-25	25	mA
T <sub>STG</sub>	Storage temperature	No bias	-65	150	°C
T <sub>AMB</sub>	Ambient temperature	Under bias	-65	135	°C
T <sub>J</sub>	Junction temperature	Ceramic packages, under bias		150	°C
		PQFP, TQFP, RQFP, and BGA packages, under bias		135	°C



**Table 18. FLEX 10K 5.0-V Device Recommended Operating Conditions**

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	Min	Max	Unit
$V_{CCINT}$	Supply voltage for internal logic and input buffers	(3), (4)	4.75 (4.50)	5.25 (5.50)	V
$V_{CCIO}$	Supply voltage for output buffers, 5.0-V operation	(3), (4)	4.75 (4.50)	5.25 (5.50)	V
	Supply voltage for output buffers, 3.3-V operation	(3), (4)	3.00 (3.00)	3.60 (3.60)	V
$V_I$	Input voltage		-0.5	$V_{CCINT} + 0.5$	V
$V_O$	Output voltage		0	$V_{CCIO}$	V
$T_A$	Ambient temperature	For commercial use	0	70	°C
		For industrial use	-40	85	°C
$T_J$	Operating temperature	For commercial use	0	85	°C
		For industrial use	-40	100	°C
$t_R$	Input rise time			40	ns
$t_F$	Input fall time			40	ns

**Table 19. FLEX 10K 5.0-V Device DC Operating Conditions** *Notes (5), (6)*

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
$V_{IH}$	High-level input voltage		2.0		$V_{CCINT} + 0.5$	V
$V_{IL}$	Low-level input voltage		-0.5		0.8	V
$V_{OH}$	5.0-V high-level TTL output voltage	$I_{OH} = -4$ mA DC, $V_{CCIO} = 4.75$ V (7)	2.4			V
	3.3-V high-level TTL output voltage	$I_{OH} = -4$ mA DC, $V_{CCIO} = 3.00$ V (7)	2.4			V
	3.3-V high-level CMOS output voltage	$I_{OH} = -0.1$ mA DC, $V_{CCIO} = 3.00$ V (7)	$V_{CCIO} - 0.2$			V
$V_{OL}$	5.0-V low-level TTL output voltage	$I_{OL} = 12$ mA DC, $V_{CCIO} = 4.75$ V (8)			0.45	V
	3.3-V low-level TTL output voltage	$I_{OL} = 12$ mA DC, $V_{CCIO} = 3.00$ V (8)			0.45	V
	3.3-V low-level CMOS output voltage	$I_{OL} = 0.1$ mA DC, $V_{CCIO} = 3.00$ V (8)			0.2	V
$I_I$	Input pin leakage current	$V_I = V_{CC}$ or ground (9)	-10		10	$\mu$ A
$I_{OZ}$	Tri-stated I/O pin leakage current	$V_O = V_{CC}$ or ground (9)	-40		40	$\mu$ A
$I_{CC0}$	$V_{CC}$ supply current (standby)	$V_I =$ ground, no load		0.5	10	mA

**Table 20. 5.0-V Device Capacitance of EPF10K10, EPF10K20 & EPF10K30 Devices** *Note (10)*

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	Min	Max	Unit
$C_{IN}$	Input capacitance	$V_{IN} = 0$ V, $f = 1.0$ MHz		8	pF
$C_{INCLK}$	Input capacitance on dedicated clock pin	$V_{IN} = 0$ V, $f = 1.0$ MHz		12	pF
$C_{OUT}$	Output capacitance	$V_{OUT} = 0$ V, $f = 1.0$ MHz		8	pF

**Table 21. 5.0-V Device Capacitance of EPF10K40, EPF10K50, EPF10K70 & EPF10K100 Devices** *Note (10)*

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	Min	Max	Unit
$C_{IN}$	Input capacitance	$V_{IN} = 0$ V, $f = 1.0$ MHz		10	pF
$C_{INCLK}$	Input capacitance on dedicated clock pin	$V_{IN} = 0$ V, $f = 1.0$ MHz		15	pF
$C_{OUT}$	Output capacitance	$V_{OUT} = 0$ V, $f = 1.0$ MHz		10	pF

**Table 28. FLEX 10KA 3.3-V Device DC Operating Conditions** Notes (6), (7)

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	Min	Typ	Max	Unit	
$V_{IH}$	High-level input voltage		1.7 or $0.5 \times V_{CCINT}$ , whichever is lower		5.75	V	
$V_{IL}$	Low-level input voltage		-0.5		$0.3 \times V_{CCINT}$	V	
$V_{OH}$	3.3-V high-level TTL output voltage	$I_{OH} = -11$ mA DC, $V_{CCIO} = 3.00$ V (8)	2.4			V	
	3.3-V high-level CMOS output voltage	$I_{OH} = -0.1$ mA DC, $V_{CCIO} = 3.00$ V (8)	$V_{CCIO} - 0.2$			V	
	3.3-V high-level PCI output voltage	$I_{OH} = -0.5$ mA DC, $V_{CCIO} = 3.00$ to $3.60$ V (8)	$0.9 \times V_{CCIO}$			V	
	2.5-V high-level output voltage	$I_{OH} = -0.1$ mA DC, $V_{CCIO} = 2.30$ V (8)	2.1			V	
		$I_{OH} = -1$ mA DC, $V_{CCIO} = 2.30$ V (8)	2.0			V	
		$I_{OH} = -2$ mA DC, $V_{CCIO} = 2.30$ V (8)	1.7			V	
$V_{OL}$	3.3-V low-level TTL output voltage	$I_{OL} = 9$ mA DC, $V_{CCIO} = 3.00$ V (9)			0.45	V	
	3.3-V low-level CMOS output voltage	$I_{OL} = 0.1$ mA DC, $V_{CCIO} = 3.00$ V (9)			0.2	V	
	3.3-V low-level PCI output voltage	$I_{OL} = 1.5$ mA DC, $V_{CCIO} = 3.00$ to $3.60$ V (9)			$0.1 \times V_{CCIO}$	V	
	2.5-V low-level output voltage	$I_{OL} = 0.1$ mA DC, $V_{CCIO} = 2.30$ V (9)				0.2	V
		$I_{OL} = 1$ mA DC, $V_{CCIO} = 2.30$ V (9)				0.4	V
		$I_{OL} = 2$ mA DC, $V_{CCIO} = 2.30$ V (9)				0.7	V
$I_I$	Input pin leakage current	$V_I = 5.3$ V to $-0.3$ V (10)	-10		10	$\mu$ A	
$I_{OZ}$	Tri-stated I/O pin leakage current	$V_O = 5.3$ V to $-0.3$ V (10)	-10		10	$\mu$ A	
$I_{CC0}$	$V_{CC}$ supply current (standby)	$V_I =$ ground, no load		0.3	10	mA	
		$V_I =$ ground, no load (11)		10		mA	

**Table 59. EPF10K70 Device EAB Internal Microparameters** *Note (1)*

Symbol	-2 Speed Grade		-3 Speed Grade		-4 Speed Grade		Unit
	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	
$t_{EABDATA1}$		1.3		1.5		1.9	ns
$t_{EABDATA2}$		4.3		4.8		6.0	ns
$t_{EABWE1}$		0.9		1.0		1.2	ns
$t_{EABWE2}$		4.5		5.0		6.2	ns
$t_{EABCLK}$		0.9		1.0		2.2	ns
$t_{EABCO}$		0.4		0.5		0.6	ns
$t_{EABYPASS}$		1.3		1.5		1.9	ns
$t_{EABSU}$	1.3		1.5		1.8		ns
$t_{EABH}$	1.8		2.0		2.5		ns
$t_{AA}$		7.8		8.7		10.7	ns
$t_{WP}$	5.2		5.8		7.2		ns
$t_{WDSU}$	1.4		1.6		2.0		ns
$t_{WDH}$	0.3		0.3		0.4		ns
$t_{WASU}$	0.4		0.5		0.6		ns
$t_{WAH}$	0.9		1.0		1.2		ns
$t_{WO}$		4.5		5.0		6.2	ns
$t_{DD}$		4.5		5.0		6.2	ns
$t_{EABOUT}$		0.4		0.5		0.6	ns
$t_{EABCH}$	4.0		4.0		4.0		ns
$t_{EABCL}$	5.2		5.8		7.2		ns

*Notes to tables:*

- (1) All timing parameters are described in Tables 32 through 38 in this data sheet.
- (2) Using an LE to register the signal may provide a lower setup time.
- (3) This parameter is specified by characterization.

Tables 64 through 70 show EPF10K100 device internal and external timing parameters.

Symbol	-3DX Speed Grade		-3 Speed Grade		-4 Speed Grade		Unit
	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	
$t_{LUT}$		1.5		1.5		2.0	ns
$t_{CLUT}$		0.4		0.4		0.5	ns
$t_{RLUT}$		1.6		1.6		2.0	ns
$t_{PACKED}$		0.9		0.9		1.3	ns
$t_{EN}$		0.9		0.9		1.2	ns
$t_{CICO}$		0.2		0.2		0.3	ns
$t_{CGEN}$		1.1		1.1		1.4	ns
$t_{CGENR}$		1.2		1.2		1.5	ns
$t_{CASC}$		1.1		1.1		1.3	ns
$t_C$		0.8		0.8		1.0	ns
$t_{CO}$		1.0		1.0		1.4	ns
$t_{COMB}$		0.5		0.5		0.7	ns
$t_{SU}$	2.1		2.1		2.6		ns
$t_H$	2.3		2.3		3.1		ns
$t_{PRE}$		1.0		1.0		1.4	ns
$t_{CLR}$		1.0		1.0		1.4	ns
$t_{CH}$	4.0		4.0		4.0		ns
$t_{CL}$	4.0		4.0		4.0		ns

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- (3) This parameter is specified by characterization.

Tables 78 through 84 show EPF10K130V device internal and external timing parameters.

**Table 78. EPF10K130V Device LE Timing Microparameters** *Note (1)*

Symbol	-2 Speed Grade		-3 Speed Grade		-4 Speed Grade		Unit
	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	
$t_{LUT}$		1.3		1.8		2.3	ns
$t_{CLUT}$		0.5		0.7		0.9	ns
$t_{RLUT}$		1.2		1.7		2.2	ns
$t_{PACKED}$		0.5		0.6		0.7	ns
$t_{EN}$		0.6		0.8		1.0	ns
$t_{CICO}$		0.2		0.3		0.4	ns
$t_{CGEN}$		0.3		0.4		0.5	ns
$t_{CGENR}$		0.7		1.0		1.3	ns
$t_{CASC}$		0.9		1.2		1.5	ns
$t_C$		1.9		2.4		3.0	ns
$t_{CO}$		0.6		0.9		1.1	ns
$t_{COMB}$		0.5		0.7		0.9	ns
$t_{SU}$	0.2		0.2		0.3		ns
$t_H$	0.0		0.0		0.0		ns
$t_{PRE}$		2.4		3.1		3.9	ns
$t_{CLR}$		2.4		3.1		3.9	ns
$t_{CH}$	4.0		4.0		4.0		ns
$t_{CL}$	4.0		4.0		4.0		ns

Notes to tables:

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- (2) Using an LE to register the signal may provide a lower setup time.
- (3) This parameter is specified by characterization.

Tables 85 through 91 show EPF10K10A device internal and external timing parameters.

**Table 85. EPF10K10A Device LE Timing Microparameters** *Note (1)*

Symbol	-1 Speed Grade		-2 Speed Grade		-3 Speed Grade		Unit
	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	
$t_{LUT}$		0.9		1.2		1.6	ns
$t_{CLUT}$		1.2		1.4		1.9	ns
$t_{RLUT}$		1.9		2.3		3.0	ns
$t_{PACKED}$		0.6		0.7		0.9	ns
$t_{EN}$		0.5		0.6		0.8	ns
$t_{CICO}$		0.2		0.3		0.4	ns
$t_{CGEN}$		0.7		0.9		1.1	ns
$t_{CGENR}$		0.7		0.9		1.1	ns
$t_{CASC}$		1.0		1.2		1.7	ns
$t_C$		1.2		1.4		1.9	ns
$t_{CO}$		0.5		0.6		0.8	ns
$t_{COMB}$		0.5		0.6		0.8	ns
$t_{SU}$	1.1		1.3		1.7		ns
$t_H$	0.6		0.7		0.9		ns
$t_{PRE}$		0.5		0.6		0.9	ns
$t_{CLR}$		0.5		0.6		0.9	ns
$t_{CH}$	3.0		3.5		4.0		ns
$t_{CL}$	3.0		3.5		4.0		ns

**Table 86. EPF10K10A Device IOE Timing Microparameters** *Note (1) (Part 1 of 2)*

Symbol	-1 Speed Grade		-2 Speed Grade		-3 Speed Grade		Unit
	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	
		1.3		1.5		2.0	ns
$t_{IOC}$		0.2		0.3		0.3	ns
$t_{IOCO}$		0.2		0.3		0.4	ns
$t_{IOCOMB}$		0.6		0.7		0.9	ns
$t_{IOSU}$	0.8		1.0		1.3		ns

**Table 89. EPF10K10A 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		5.0		6.5	ns
$t_{DIN2LE}$		2.2		2.6		3.4	ns
$t_{DIN2DATA}$		4.3		5.2		7.1	ns
$t_{DCLK2IOE}$		4.2		4.9		6.6	ns
$t_{DCLK2LE}$		2.2		2.6		3.4	ns
$t_{SAMELAB}$		0.1		0.1		0.2	ns
$t_{SAMEROW}$		2.2		2.4		2.9	ns
$t_{SAMECOLUMN}$		0.8		1.0		1.4	ns
$t_{DIFFROW}$		3.0		3.4		4.3	ns
$t_{TROWROWS}$		5.2		5.8		7.2	ns
$t_{LEPERIPH}$		1.8		2.2		2.8	ns
$t_{LABCARRY}$		0.5		0.5		0.7	ns
$t_{LABCASC}$		0.9		1.0		1.5	ns

**Table 90. EPF10K10A External Reference Timing Parameters** *Note (1)*

Symbol	-1 Speed Grade		-2 Speed Grade		-3 Speed Grade		Unit
	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	
$t_{DRR}$		10.0		12.0		16.0	ns
$t_{INSU}$ (2), (3)	1.6		2.1		2.8		ns
$t_{INH}$ (3)	0.0		0.0		0.0		ns
$t_{OUTCO}$ (3)	2.0	5.8	2.0	6.9	2.0	9.2	ns

**Table 91. EPF10K10A Device External Bidirectional Timing Parameters** *Note (1)*

Symbol	-2 Speed Grade		-3 Speed Grade		-4 Speed Grade		Unit
	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	
$t_{INSUBIDIR}$	2.4		3.3		4.5		ns
$t_{INHBIDIR}$	0.0		0.0		0.0		ns
$t_{OUTCOBIDIR}$	2.0	5.8	2.0	6.9	2.0	9.2	ns
$t_{XZBIDIR}$		6.3		7.5		9.9	ns
$t_{ZXBIDIR}$		6.3		7.5		9.9	ns

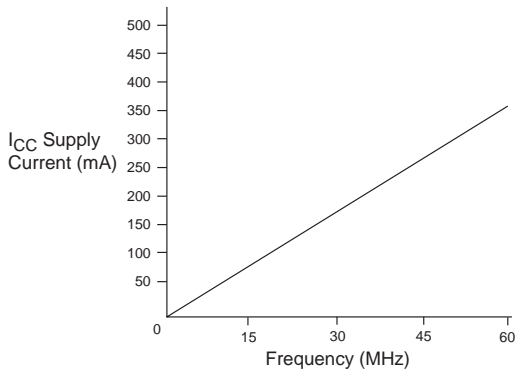


**Table 101. EPF10K100A Device EAB Internal Microparameters** *Note (1)*

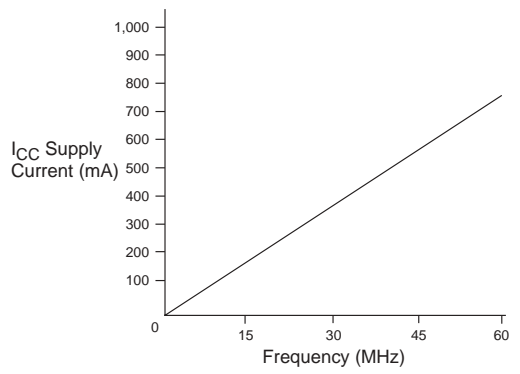
Symbol	-1 Speed Grade		-2 Speed Grade		-3 Speed Grade		Unit
	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	
$t_{EABDATA1}$		1.8		2.1		2.4	ns
$t_{EABDATA2}$		3.2		3.7		4.4	ns
$t_{EABWE1}$		0.8		0.9		1.1	ns
$t_{EABWE2}$		2.3		2.7		3.1	ns
$t_{EABCLK}$		0.8		0.9		1.1	ns
$t_{EABCO}$		1.0		1.1		1.4	ns
$t_{EABBYPASS}$		0.3		0.3		0.4	ns
$t_{EABSU}$	1.3		1.5		1.8		ns
$t_{EABH}$	0.4		0.5		0.5		ns
$t_{AA}$		4.1		4.8		5.6	ns
$t_{WP}$	3.2		3.7		4.4		ns
$t_{WDSU}$	2.4		2.8		3.3		ns
$t_{WDH}$	0.2		0.2		0.3		ns
$t_{WASU}$	0.2		0.2		0.3		ns
$t_{WAH}$	0.0		0.0		0.0		ns
$t_{WO}$		3.4		3.9		4.6	ns
$t_{DD}$		3.4		3.9		4.6	ns
$t_{EABOUT}$		0.3		0.3		0.4	ns
$t_{EABCH}$	2.5		3.5		4.0		ns
$t_{EABCL}$	3.2		3.7		4.4		ns

Figure 32.  $I_{CCACTIVE}$  vs. Operating Frequency (Part 1 of 3)

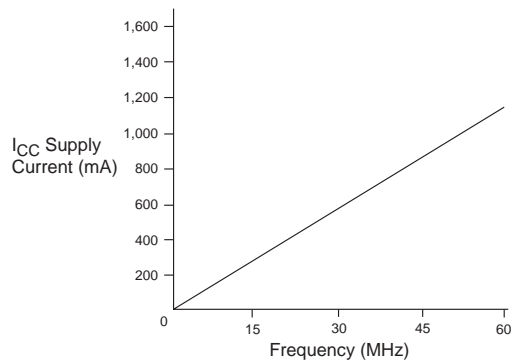
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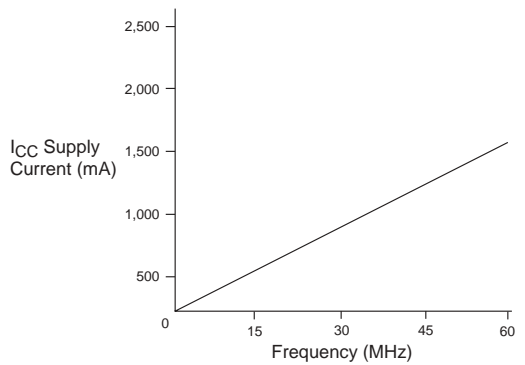
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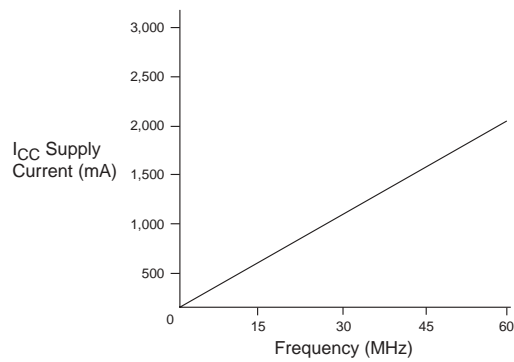
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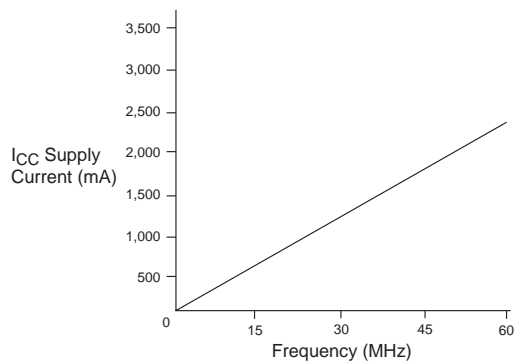
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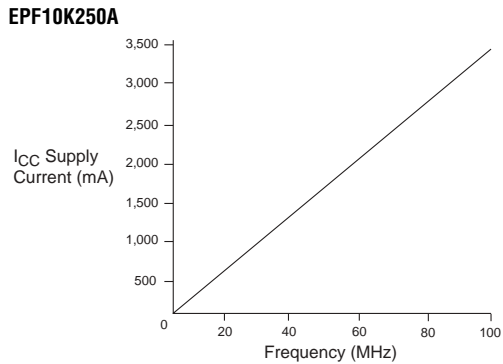


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**Figure 32.  $I_{CCACTIVE}$  vs. Operating Frequency (Part 3 of 3)**

## Configuration & Operation



The FLEX 10K architecture supports several configuration schemes. This section summarizes the device operating modes and available device configuration schemes.

See *Application Note 116 (Configuring APEX 20K, FLEX 10K & FLEX 6000 Devices)* for detailed descriptions of device configuration options, device configuration pins, and for information on configuring FLEX 10K devices, including sample schematics, timing diagrams, and configuration parameters.

### Operating Modes

The FLEX 10K architecture uses SRAM configuration elements that require configuration data to be loaded every time the circuit powers up. The process of physically loading the SRAM data into the device is called *configuration*. Before configuration, as VCC rises, the device initiates a Power-On Reset (POR). This POR event clears the device and prepares it for configuration. The FLEX 10K POR time does not exceed 50  $\mu$ s.

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*.

Multiple FLEX 10K devices can be configured in any of the five configuration schemes by connecting the configuration enable (nCE) and configuration enable output (nCEO) pins on each device.

<b>Table 116. Data Sources for Configuration</b>	
<b>Configuration Scheme</b>	<b>Data Source</b>
Configuration device	EPC1, EPC2, EPC16, or EPC1441 configuration device
Passive serial (PS)	BitBlaster, MasterBlaster, or ByteBlasterMV download cable, or serial data source
Passive parallel asynchronous (PPA)	Parallel data source
Passive parallel synchronous (PPS)	Parallel data source
JTAG	BitBlaster, MasterBlaster, or ByteBlasterMV download cable, or microprocessor with Jam STAPL file or Jam Byte-Code file

## Device Pin-Outs

See the Altera web site (<http://www.altera.com>) or the Altera Digital Library for pin-out information.

## Revision History

The information contained in the *FLEX 10K Embedded Programmable Logic Device Family Data Sheet* version 4.2 supersedes information published in previous versions.

### Version 4.2 Changes

The following change was made to version 4.2 of the *FLEX 10K Embedded Programmable Logic Device Family Data Sheet*: updated [Figure 13](#).

### Version 4.1 Changes

The following changes were made to version 4.1 of the *FLEX 10K Embedded Programmable Logic Device Family Data Sheet*.

- Updated General Description section
- Updated I/O Element section
- Updated SameFrame Pin-Outs section
- Updated Figure 16
- Updated Tables 13 and 116
- Added Note 9 to Table 19
- Added Note 10 to Table 24
- Added Note 10 to Table 28



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