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Details

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|--------------------------------|---|
| Product Status | Obsolete |
| Number of LABs/CLBs | 8960 |
| Number of Logic Elements/Cells | 224000 |
| Total RAM Bits | 14248960 |
| Number of I/O | 554 |
| Number of Gates | - |
| Voltage - Supply | 0.87V ~ 0.93V |
| Mounting Type | Surface Mount |
| Operating Temperature | 0°C ~ 85°C (TJ) |
| Package / Case | 1152-BBGA, FCBGA |
| Supplier Device Package | 1152-FBGA (35x35) |
| Purchase URL | https://www.e-xfl.com/product-detail/intel/ep2agz225ff35c4n |



Conditions beyond those listed in [Table 1–1](#) and [Table 1–2](#) may cause permanent damage to the device. Additionally, device operation at the absolute maximum ratings for extended periods of time may have adverse effects on the device.

[Table 1–1](#) lists the absolute maximum ratings for Arria II GX devices.

Table 1–1. Absolute Maximum Ratings for Arria II GX Devices

| Symbol | Description | Minimum | Maximum | Unit |
|----------------------|---|---------|---------|------|
| V _{CC} | Supplies power to the core, periphery, I/O registers, PCI Express® (PIPE) (PCIe) HIP block, and transceiver PCS | –0.5 | 1.35 | V |
| V _{CCCB} | Supplies power for the configuration RAM bits | –0.5 | 1.8 | V |
| V _{CCBAT} | Battery back-up power supply for design security volatile key register | –0.5 | 3.75 | V |
| V _{CCPD} | Supplies power to the I/O pre-drivers, differential input buffers, and MSEL circuitry | –0.5 | 3.75 | V |
| V _{CCIO} | Supplies power to the I/O banks | –0.5 | 3.9 | V |
| V _{CCD_PLL} | Supplies power to the digital portions of the PLL | –0.5 | 1.35 | V |
| V _{CCA_PLL} | Supplies power to the analog portions of the PLL and device-wide power management circuitry | –0.5 | 3.75 | V |
| V _I | DC input voltage | –0.5 | 4.0 | V |
| I _{OUT} | DC output current, per pin | –25 | 40 | mA |
| V _{CCA} | Supplies power to the transceiver PMA regulator | — | 3.75 | V |
| V _{CCL_GXB} | Supplies power to the transceiver PMA TX, PMA RX, and clocking | — | 1.21 | V |
| V _{CCH_GXB} | Supplies power to the transceiver PMA output (TX) buffer | — | 1.8 | V |
| T _J | Operating junction temperature | –55 | 125 | °C |
| T _{STG} | Storage temperature (no bias) | –65 | 150 | °C |

[Table 1–2](#) lists the absolute maximum ratings for Arria II GZ devices.

Table 1–2. Absolute Maximum Ratings for Arria II GZ Devices (Part 1 of 2)

| Symbol | Description | Minimum | Maximum | Unit |
|-----------------------|---|---------|---------|------|
| V _{CC} | Supplies power to the core, periphery, I/O registers, PCIe HIP block, and transceiver PCS | –0.5 | 1.35 | V |
| V _{CCCB} | Power supply to the configuration RAM bits | –0.5 | 1.8 | V |
| V _{CCPGM} | Supplies power to the configuration pins | –0.5 | 3.75 | V |
| V _{CCAUX} | Auxiliary supply | –0.5 | 3.75 | V |
| V _{CCBAT} | Supplies battery back-up power for design security volatile key register | –0.5 | 3.75 | V |
| V _{CCPD} | Supplies power to the I/O pre-drivers, differential input buffers, and MSEL circuitry | –0.5 | 3.75 | V |
| V _{CCIO} | Supplies power to the I/O banks | –0.5 | 3.9 | V |
| V _{CC_CLKIN} | Supplies power to the differential clock input | –0.5 | 3.75 | V |
| V _{CCD_PLL} | Supplies power to the digital portions of the PLL | –0.5 | 1.35 | V |
| V _{CCA_PLL} | Supplies power to the analog portions of the PLL and device-wide power management circuitry | –0.5 | 3.75 | V |
| V _I | DC input voltage | –0.5 | 4.0 | V |
| I _{OUT} | DC output current, per pin | –25 | 40 | mA |

Table 1-3. Maximum Allowed Overshoot During Transitions for Arria II Devices

| Symbol | Description | Condition (V) | Overshoot Duration as % of High Time | Unit |
|---------------------|------------------|---------------|--------------------------------------|------|
| V _I (AC) | AC Input Voltage | 4.0 | 100.000 | % |
| | | 4.05 | 79.330 | % |
| | | 4.1 | 46.270 | % |
| | | 4.15 | 27.030 | % |
| | | 4.2 | 15.800 | % |
| | | 4.25 | 9.240 | % |
| | | 4.3 | 5.410 | % |
| | | 4.35 | 3.160 | % |
| | | 4.4 | 1.850 | % |
| | | 4.45 | 1.080 | % |
| | | 4.5 | 0.630 | % |
| | | 4.55 | 0.370 | % |
| | | 4.6 | 0.220 | % |

Maximum Allowed I/O Operating Frequency

Table 1-4 lists the maximum allowed I/O operating frequency for Arria II GX I/Os using the specified I/O standards to ensure device reliability.

Table 1-4. Maximum Allowed I/O Operating Frequency for Arria II GX Devices

| I/O Standard | I/O Frequency (MHz) |
|---------------------------------------|---------------------|
| HSTL-18 and HSTL-15 | 333 |
| SSTL -15 | 400 |
| SSTL-18 | 333 |
| 2.5-V LVCMOS | 260 |
| 3.3-V and 3.0-V LVTTTL | 250 |
| 3.3-V, 3.0-V, 1.8-V, and 1.5-V LVCMOS | |
| PCI and PCI-X | |
| SSTL-2 | |
| 1.2-V LVCMOS HSTL-12 | 200 |

I/O Pin Leakage Current

Table 1-7 lists the Arria II GX I/O pin leakage current specifications.

Table 1-7. I/O Pin Leakage Current for Arria II GX Devices

| Symbol | Description | Conditions | Min | Typ | Max | Unit |
|----------|--------------------|--|-----|-----|-----|---------------|
| I_I | Input pin | $V_I = 0\text{ V to }V_{CCIO\text{MAX}}$ | -10 | — | 10 | μA |
| I_{OZ} | Tri-stated I/O pin | $V_O = 0\text{ V to }V_{CCIO\text{MAX}}$ | -10 | — | 10 | μA |

Table 1-8 lists the Arria II GZ I/O pin leakage current specifications.

Table 1-8. I/O Pin Leakage Current for Arria II GZ Devices

| Symbol | Description | Conditions | Min | Typ | Max | Unit |
|----------|--------------------|--|-----|-----|-----|---------------|
| I_I | Input pin | $V_I = 0\text{ V to }V_{CCIO\text{MAX}}$ | -20 | — | 20 | μA |
| I_{OZ} | Tri-stated I/O pin | $V_O = 0\text{ V to }V_{CCIO\text{MAX}}$ | -20 | — | 20 | μA |

Bus Hold

Bus hold retains the last valid logic state after the source driving it either enters the high impedance state or is removed. Each I/O pin has an option to enable bus hold in user mode. Bus hold is always disabled in configuration mode.

Table 1-9 lists bus hold specifications for Arria II GX devices.

Table 1-9. Bus Hold Parameters for Arria II GX Devices (Note 1)

| Parameter | Symbol | Cond. | $V_{CCIO}\text{ (V)}$ | | | | | | | | | | | | Unit |
|-----------------------------------|------------|----------------------------------|-----------------------|------|-------|-------|------|------|-----|------|-----|------|-----|------|---------------|
| | | | 1.2 | | 1.5 | | 1.8 | | 2.5 | | 3.0 | | 3.3 | | |
| | | | Min | Max | Min | Max | Min | Max | Min | Max | Min | Max | Min | Max | |
| Bus-hold low, sustaining current | I_{SUSL} | $V_{IN} > V_{IL}$ (max.) | 8 | — | 12 | — | 30 | — | 50 | — | 70 | — | 70 | — | μA |
| Bus-hold high, sustaining current | I_{SUSH} | $V_{IN} < V_{IL}$ (min.) | -8 | — | -12 | — | -30 | — | -50 | — | -70 | — | -70 | — | μA |
| Bus-hold low, overdrive current | I_{ODL} | $0\text{ V} < V_{IN} < V_{CCIO}$ | — | 125 | — | 175 | — | 200 | — | 300 | — | 500 | — | 500 | μA |
| Bus-hold high, overdrive current | I_{ODH} | $0\text{ V} < V_{IN} < V_{CCIO}$ | — | -125 | — | -175 | — | -200 | — | -300 | — | -500 | — | -500 | μA |
| Bus-hold trip point | V_{TRIP} | — | 0.3 | 0.9 | 0.375 | 1.125 | 0.68 | 1.07 | 0.7 | 1.7 | 0.8 | 2 | 0.8 | 2 | V |

Note to Table 1-9:

(1) The bus-hold trip points are based on calculated input voltages from the JEDEC standard.

Table 1-11. OCT With and Without Calibration Specification for Arria II GX Device I/Os (Note 1) (Part 2 of 2)

| Symbol | Description | Conditions (V) | Calibration Accuracy | | Unit |
|---|--|--|----------------------|------------|------|
| | | | Commercial | Industrial | |
| 50-Ω R _S 3.0, 2.5, 1.8, 1.5, 1.2 | 50-Ω series OCT with calibration | V _{CCIO} = 3.0, 2.5, 1.8, 1.5, 1.2 | ± 10 | ± 10 | % |
| 100-Ω R _D 2.5 | 100-Ω differential OCT without calibration | V _{CCIO} = 2.5 | ± 30 | ± 30 | % |

Note to Table 1-11:

(1) OCT with calibration accuracy is valid at the time of calibration only.

Table 1-12 lists the OCT termination calibration accuracy specifications for Arria II GZ devices.

Table 1-12. OCT with Calibration Accuracy Specifications for Arria II GZ Devices (Note 1)

| Symbol | Description | Conditions (V) | Calibration Accuracy | | | Unit |
|--|--|--|----------------------|-------|-------|------|
| | | | C2 | C3,I3 | C4,I4 | |
| 25-Ω R _S 3.0, 2.5, 1.8, 1.5, 1.2 (2) | 25-Ω series OCT with calibration | V _{CCIO} = 3.0, 2.5, 1.8, 1.5, 1.2 | ± 8 | ± 8 | ± 8 | % |
| 50-Ω R _S 3.0, 2.5, 1.8, 1.5, 1.2 | 50-Ω internal series OCT with calibration | V _{CCIO} = 3.0, 2.5, 1.8, 1.5, 1.2 | ± 8 | ± 8 | ± 8 | % |
| 50-Ω R _T 2.5, 1.8, 1.5, 1.2 | 50-Ω internal parallel OCT with calibration | V _{CCIO} = 2.5, 1.8, 1.5, 1.2 | ± 10 | ± 10 | ± 10 | % |
| 20-Ω, 40-Ω, and 60-Ω R _S 3.0, 2.5, 1.8, 1.5, 1.2 (3) | 20-Ω, 40-Ω and 60-Ω R _S expanded range for internal series OCT with calibration | V _{CCIO} = 3.0, 2.5, 1.8, 1.5, 1.2 | ± 10 | ± 10 | ± 10 | % |
| 25-Ω R _{S_left_shift} 3.0, 2.5, 1.8, 1.5, 1.2 | 25-Ω R _{S_left_shift} internal left shift series OCT with calibration | V _{CCIO} = 3.0, 2.5, 1.8, 1.5, 1.2 | ± 10 | ± 10 | ± 10 | % |

Notes to Table 1-12:

- (1) OCT calibration accuracy is valid at the time of calibration only.
- (2) 25-Ω R_S is not supported for 1.5 V and 1.2 V in Row I/O.
- (3) 20-Ω R_S is not supported for 1.5 V and 1.2 V in Row I/O.

Table 1-17 lists the pin capacitance for Arria II GZ devices.

Table 1-17. Pin Capacitance for Arria II GZ Devices

| Symbol | Description | Typical | Unit |
|---|--|---------|------|
| C_{IOTB} | Input capacitance on the top and bottom I/O pins | 4 | pF |
| C_{IOLR} | Input capacitance on the left and right I/O pins | 4 | pF |
| C_{CLKTB} | Input capacitance on the top and bottom non-dedicated clock input pins | 4 | pF |
| C_{CLKLR} | Input capacitance on the left and right non-dedicated clock input pins | 4 | pF |
| C_{OUTFB} | Input capacitance on the dual-purpose clock output and feedback pins | 5 | pF |
| C_{CLK1} , C_{CLK3} , C_{CLK8} , and C_{CLK10} | Input capacitance for dedicated clock input pins | 2 | pF |

Internal Weak Pull-Up and Weak Pull-Down Resistors

Table 1-18 lists the weak pull-up and pull-down resistor values for Arria II GX devices.

Table 1-18. Internal Weak Pull-up and Weak Pull-Down Resistors for Arria II GX Devices (Note 1)

| Symbol | Description | Conditions | Min | Typ | Max | Unit |
|----------|---|---------------------------------------|-----|-----|-----|------------|
| R_{PU} | Value of I/O pin pull-up resistor before and during configuration, as well as user mode if the programmable pull-up resistor option is enabled. | $V_{CCIO} = 3.3\text{ V} \pm 5\%$ (2) | 7 | 25 | 41 | k Ω |
| | | $V_{CCIO} = 3.0\text{ V} \pm 5\%$ (2) | 7 | 28 | 47 | k Ω |
| | | $V_{CCIO} = 2.5\text{ V} \pm 5\%$ (2) | 8 | 35 | 61 | k Ω |
| | | $V_{CCIO} = 1.8\text{ V} \pm 5\%$ (2) | 10 | 57 | 108 | k Ω |
| | | $V_{CCIO} = 1.5\text{ V} \pm 5\%$ (2) | 13 | 82 | 163 | k Ω |
| R_{PD} | Value of TCK pin pull-down resistor | $V_{CCIO} = 3.3\text{ V} \pm 5\%$ | 6 | 19 | 29 | k Ω |
| | | $V_{CCIO} = 3.0\text{ V} \pm 5\%$ | 6 | 22 | 32 | k Ω |
| | | $V_{CCIO} = 2.5\text{ V} \pm 5\%$ | 6 | 25 | 42 | k Ω |
| | | $V_{CCIO} = 1.8\text{ V} \pm 5\%$ | 7 | 35 | 70 | k Ω |
| | | $V_{CCIO} = 1.5\text{ V} \pm 5\%$ | 8 | 50 | 112 | k Ω |

Notes to Table 1-18:

- (1) All I/O pins have an option to enable weak pull-up except configuration, test, and JTAG pins. The weak pull-down feature is only available for JTAG TCK.
- (2) Pin pull-up resistance values may be lower if an external source drives the pin higher than V_{CCIO} .

Switching Characteristics

This section provides performance characteristics of the Arria II GX and GZ core and periphery blocks for commercial grade devices. The following tables are considered final and are based on actual silicon characterization and testing. These numbers reflect the actual performance of the device under worst-case silicon process, voltage, and junction temperature conditions.

Transceiver Performance Specifications

Table 1–34 lists the Arria II GX transceiver specifications.

Table 1–34. Transceiver Specifications for Arria II GX Devices (Note 1) (Part 1 of 7)

| Symbol/ Description | Condition | I3 | | | C4 | | | C5 and I5 | | | C6 | | | Unit |
|--|---|------|-----|--------|------|-----|--------|-----------|-----|--------|------|-----|--------|------|
| | | Min | Typ | Max | Min | Typ | Max | Min | Typ | Max | Min | Typ | Max | |
| Reference Clock | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Supported I/O Standards | 1.2-V PCML, 1.5-V PCML, 2.5-V PCML, Differential LVPECL, LVDS, and HCSL | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Input frequency from REFCLK input pins | — | 50 | — | 622.08 | 50 | — | 622.08 | 50 | — | 622.08 | 50 | — | 622.08 | MHz |
| Input frequency from PLD input | — | 50 | — | 200 | 50 | — | 200 | 50 | — | 200 | 50 | — | 200 | MHz |
| Absolute V_{MAX} for a REFCLK pin | — | — | — | 2.2 | — | — | 2.2 | — | — | 2.2 | — | — | 2.2 | V |
| Absolute V_{MIN} for a REFCLK pin | — | -0.3 | — | — | -0.3 | — | — | -0.3 | — | — | -0.3 | — | — | V |
| Rise/fall time (2) | — | — | — | 0.2 | — | — | 0.2 | — | — | 0.2 | — | — | 0.2 | UI |
| Duty cycle | — | 45 | — | 55 | 45 | — | 55 | 45 | — | 55 | 45 | — | 55 | % |
| Peak-to-peak differential input voltage | — | 200 | — | 2000 | 200 | — | 2000 | 200 | — | 2000 | 200 | — | 2000 | mV |
| Spread-spectrum modulating clock frequency | PCIe | 30 | — | 33 | 30 | — | 33 | 30 | — | 33 | 30 | — | 33 | kHz |

Table 1-37 lists the typical V_{OD} for TX term that equals $100\ \Omega$ for Arria II GX and GZ devices.

Table 1-37. Typical V_{OD} Setting, TX Termination = $100\ \Omega$ for Arria II Devices

| Quartus II Setting | V_{OD} Setting (mV) |
|--------------------|-----------------------|
| 1 | 400 |
| 2 | 600 |
| 3 (Arria II GZ) | 700 |
| 4 | 800 |
| 5 | 900 |
| 6 | 1000 |
| 7 | 1200 |

Table 1-38 lists the typical transmitter pre-emphasis levels in dB for the first post tap under the following conditions: low-frequency data pattern (five 1s and five 0s) at 6.375 Gbps. The levels listed in Table 1-38 are a representation of possible pre-emphasis levels under these specified conditions only, the pre-emphasis levels may change with data pattern and data rate.

To predict the pre-emphasis level for your specific data rate and pattern, run simulations using the Arria II GX HSSI HSPICE models.

Table 1-38. Transmitter Pre-Emphasis Levels for Arria II GX Devices

| Arria II GX (Quartus II Software) First Post Tap Setting | Arria II GX (Quartus II Software) V_{OD} Setting | | | | | | |
|--|--|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|------|
| | 1 | 2 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | Unit |
| 0 (off) | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | — |
| 1 | 0.7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | dB |
| 2 | 2.7 | 1.2 | 0.3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | dB |
| 3 | 4.9 | 2.4 | 1.2 | 0.8 | 0.5 | 0.2 | dB |
| 4 | 7.5 | 3.8 | 2.1 | 1.6 | 1.2 | 0.6 | dB |
| 5 | — | 5.3 | 3.1 | 2.4 | 1.8 | 1.1 | dB |
| 6 | — | 7 | 4.3 | 3.3 | 2.7 | 1.7 | dB |

Table 1-39 lists typical transmitter pre-emphasis levels for Arria II GZ devices (in dB) for the first post tap under the following conditions (low-frequency data pattern [five 1s and five 0s] at 6.25 Gbps). The levels listed in Table 1-39 are a representation of possible pre-emphasis levels under the specified conditions only and that the pre-emphasis levels may change with data pattern and data rate.

 To predict the pre-emphasis level for your specific data rate and pattern, run simulations using the [Arria II HSSI HSPICE](#) models.

Table 1-39. Transmitter Pre-Emphasis Levels for Arria II GZ Devices (Part 1 of 2)

| Pre-Emphasis 1st Post-Tap Setting | V _{DD} Setting | | | | | | | |
|--|-------------------------|-----|------|------|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1 | N/A | 0.7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 2 | N/A | 1 | 0.3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 3 | N/A | 1.5 | 0.6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 4 | N/A | 2 | 0.7 | 0.3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 5 | N/A | 2.7 | 1.2 | 0.5 | 0.3 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 6 | N/A | 3.1 | 1.3 | 0.8 | 0.5 | 0.2 | 0 | 0 |
| 7 | N/A | 3.7 | 1.8 | 1.1 | 0.7 | 0.4 | 0.2 | 0 |
| 8 | N/A | 4.2 | 2.1 | 1.3 | 0.9 | 0.6 | 0.3 | 0 |
| 9 | N/A | 4.9 | 2.4 | 1.6 | 1.2 | 0.8 | 0.5 | 0.2 |
| 10 | N/A | 5.4 | 2.8 | 1.9 | 1.4 | 1 | 0.7 | 0.3 |
| 11 | N/A | 6 | 3.2 | 2.2 | 1.7 | 1.2 | 0.9 | 0.4 |
| 12 | N/A | 6.8 | 3.5 | 2.6 | 1.9 | 1.4 | 1.1 | 0.6 |
| 13 | N/A | 7.5 | 3.8 | 2.8 | 2.1 | 1.6 | 1.2 | 0.6 |
| 14 | N/A | 8.1 | 4.2 | 3.1 | 2.3 | 1.7 | 1.3 | 0.7 |
| 15 | N/A | 8.8 | 4.5 | 3.4 | 2.6 | 1.9 | 1.5 | 0.8 |
| 16 | N/A | N/A | 4.9 | 3.7 | 2.9 | 2.2 | 1.7 | 0.9 |
| 17 | N/A | N/A | 5.3 | 4 | 3.1 | 2.4 | 1.8 | 1.1 |
| 18 | N/A | N/A | 5.7 | 4.4 | 3.4 | 2.6 | 2 | 1.2 |
| 19 | N/A | N/A | 6.1 | 4.7 | 3.6 | 2.8 | 2.2 | 1.4 |
| 20 | N/A | N/A | 6.6 | 5.1 | 4 | 3.1 | 2.4 | 1.5 |
| 21 | N/A | N/A | 7 | 5.4 | 4.3 | 3.3 | 2.7 | 1.7 |
| 22 | N/A | N/A | 8 | 6.1 | 4.8 | 3.8 | 3 | 2 |
| 23 | N/A | N/A | 9 | 6.8 | 5.4 | 4.3 | 3.4 | 2.3 |
| 24 | N/A | N/A | 10 | 7.6 | 6 | 4.8 | 3.9 | 2.6 |
| 25 | N/A | N/A | 11.4 | 8.4 | 6.8 | 5.4 | 4.4 | 3 |
| 26 | N/A | N/A | 12.6 | 9.4 | 7.4 | 5.9 | 4.9 | 3.3 |
| 27 | N/A | N/A | N/A | 10.3 | 8.1 | 6.4 | 5.3 | 3.6 |
| 28 | N/A | N/A | N/A | 11.3 | 8.8 | 7.1 | 5.8 | 4 |

Table 1-40. Transceiver Block Jitter Specifications for Arria II GX Devices (Note 1) (Part 2 of 10)

| Symbol/ Description | Conditions | I3 | | | C4 | | | C5, I5 | | | C6 | | | Unit |
|--|--|--------|-----|------|--------|-----|------|--------|-----|------|--------|-----|------|------|
| | | Min | Typ | Max | |
| Jitter tolerance at 2488.32 Mbps | Jitter frequency = 0.06 KHz Pattern = PRBS15 | > 15 | | | > 15 | | | > 15 | | | > 15 | | | UI |
| | Jitter frequency = 100 KHz Pattern = PRBS15 | > 1.5 | | | > 1.5 | | | > 1.5 | | | > 1.5 | | | UI |
| | Jitter frequency = 1 MHz Pattern = PRBS15 | > 0.15 | | | > 0.15 | | | > 0.15 | | | > 0.15 | | | UI |
| | Jitter frequency = 10 MHz Pattern = PRBS15 | > 0.15 | | | > 0.15 | | | > 0.15 | | | > 0.15 | | | UI |
| XAUI Transmit Jitter Generation (3) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total jitter at 3.125 Gbps | Pattern = CJPAT | — | — | 0.3 | — | — | 0.3 | — | — | 0.3 | — | — | 0.3 | UI |
| Deterministic jitter at 3.125 Gbps | Pattern = CJPAT | — | — | 0.17 | — | — | 0.17 | — | — | 0.17 | — | — | 0.17 | UI |
| XAUI Receiver Jitter Tolerance (3) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total jitter | — | > 0.65 | | | > 0.65 | | | > 0.65 | | | > 0.65 | | | UI |
| Deterministic jitter | — | > 0.37 | | | > 0.37 | | | > 0.37 | | | > 0.37 | | | UI |
| Peak-to-peak jitter | Jitter frequency = 22.1 KHz | > 8.5 | | | > 8.5 | | | > 8.5 | | | > 8.5 | | | UI |
| Peak-to-peak jitter | Jitter frequency = 1.875 MHz | > 0.1 | | | > 0.1 | | | > 0.1 | | | > 0.1 | | | UI |
| Peak-to-peak jitter | Jitter frequency = 20 MHz | > 0.1 | | | > 0.1 | | | > 0.1 | | | > 0.1 | | | UI |
| PCIe Transmit Jitter Generation (4) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total jitter at 2.5 Gbps (Gen1) | Compliance pattern | — | — | 0.25 | — | — | 0.25 | — | — | 0.25 | — | — | 0.25 | UI |

Table 1-40. Transceiver Block Jitter Specifications for Arria II GX Devices (Note 1) (Part 5 of 10)

| Symbol/ Description | Conditions | I3 | | | C4 | | | C5, I5 | | | C6 | | | Unit |
|--|--|-------|-----|-----|-------|-----|-----|--------|-----|-----|-------|-----|-----|------|
| | | Min | Typ | Max | Min | Typ | Max | Min | Typ | Max | Min | Typ | Max | |
| SDI Transmitter Jitter Generation (8) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Alignment jitter (peak-to-peak) | Data rate = 1.485 Gbps (HD) pattern = Color Bar Low- frequency Roll-off = 100 KHz | 0.2 | — | — | 0.2 | — | — | 0.2 | — | — | 0.2 | — | — | UI |
| | Data rate = 2.97 Gbps (3G) pattern = Color bar Low- frequency Roll-off = 100 KHz | 0.3 | — | — | 0.3 | — | — | 0.3 | — | — | 0.3 | — | — | UI |
| SDI Receiver Jitter Tolerance (8) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Sinusoidal jitter tolerance (peak-to-peak) | Jitter frequency = 15 KHz Data rate = 2.97 Gbps (3G) Pattern = single line scramble color bar | > 2 | | | > 2 | | | > 2 | | | > 2 | | | UI |
| | Jitter frequency = 100 KHz Data rate = 2.97 Gbps (3G) Pattern = single line scramble color bar | > 0.3 | | | > 0.3 | | | > 0.3 | | | > 0.3 | | | UI |
| | Jitter frequency = 148.5 MHz Data rate = 2.97 Gbps (3G) Pattern = single line scramble color bar | > 0.3 | | | > 0.3 | | | > 0.3 | | | > 0.3 | | | UI |

Table 1-40. Transceiver Block Jitter Specifications for Arria II GX Devices (Note 1) (Part 8 of 10)

| Symbol/ Description | Conditions | I3 | | | C4 | | | C5, I5 | | | C6 | | | Unit |
|--|--|--------|-----|-------|--------|-----|-------|--------|-----|-------|--------|-----|-------|------|
| | | Min | Typ | Max | |
| CPRI Transmit Jitter Generation (11) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total jitter | E.6.HV, E.12.HV Pattern = CJPAT | — | — | 0.279 | — | — | 0.279 | — | — | 0.279 | — | — | 0.279 | UI |
| | E.6.LV, E.12.LV, E.24.LV, E.30.LV Pattern = CJTPAT | — | — | 0.35 | — | — | 0.35 | — | — | 0.35 | — | — | 0.35 | UI |
| Deterministic jitter | E.6.HV, E.12.HV Pattern = CJPAT | — | — | 0.14 | — | — | 0.14 | — | — | 0.14 | — | — | 0.14 | UI |
| | E.6.LV, E.12.LV, E.24.LV, E.30.LV Pattern = CJTPAT | — | — | 0.17 | — | — | 0.17 | — | — | 0.17 | — | — | 0.17 | UI |
| CPRI Receiver Jitter Tolerance (11) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total jitter tolerance | E.6.HV, E.12.HV Pattern = CJPAT | > 0.66 | | | > 0.66 | | | > 0.66 | | | > 0.66 | | | UI |
| Deterministic jitter tolerance | E.6.HV, E.12.HV Pattern = CJPAT | > 0.4 | | | > 0.4 | | | > 0.4 | | | > 0.4 | | | UI |
| Total jitter tolerance | E.6.LV, E.12.LV, E.24.LV, E.30.LV Pattern = CJTPAT | > 0.65 | | | > 0.65 | | | > 0.65 | | | > 0.65 | | | UI |
| | E.60.LV Pattern = PRBS31 | > 0.6 | | | — | | | — | | | — | | | UI |
| Deterministic jitter tolerance | E.6.LV, E.12.LV, E.24.LV, E.30.LV Pattern = CJTPAT | > 0.37 | | | > 0.37 | | | > 0.37 | | | > 0.37 | | | UI |
| | E.60.LV Pattern = PRBS31 | > 0.45 | | | — | | | — | | | — | | | UI |
| Combined deterministic and random jitter tolerance | E.6.LV, E.12.LV, E.24.LV, E.30.LV Pattern = CJTPAT | > 0.55 | | | > 0.55 | | | > 0.55 | | | > 0.55 | | | UI |
| OBSAI Transmit Jitter Generation (12) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total jitter at 768 Mbps, 1536 Mbps, and 3072 Mbps | REFCLK = 153.6 MHz Pattern = CJPAT | — | — | 0.35 | — | — | 0.35 | — | — | 0.35 | — | — | 0.35 | UI |
| Deterministic jitter at 768 Mbps, 1536 Mbps, and 3072 Mbps | REFCLK = 153.6 MHz Pattern = CJPAT | — | — | 0.17 | — | — | 0.17 | — | — | 0.17 | — | — | 0.17 | UI |

Table 1-41. Transceiver Block Jitter Specifications for Arria II GZ Devices (Note 1), (2) (Part 2 of 7)

| Symbol/ Description | Conditions | -C3 and -I3 | | | -C4 and -I4 | | | Unit |
|--|---|-------------|-----|------|-------------|-----|------|------|
| | | Min | Typ | Max | Min | Typ | Max | |
| Jitter tolerance at 2488.32 Mbps | Jitter frequency = 0.06 KHz Pattern = PRBS15 | > 15 | | | > 15 | | | UI |
| | Jitter frequency = 100 KHz Pattern = PRBS15 | > 1.5 | | | > 1.5 | | | UI |
| | Jitter frequency = 1 MHz Pattern = PRBS15 | > 0.15 | | | > 0.15 | | | UI |
| | Jitter frequency = 10 MHz Pattern = PRBS15 | > 0.15 | | | > 0.15 | | | UI |
| Fibre Channel Transmit Jitter Generation (4), (5) | | | | | | | | |
| Total jitter FC-1 | Pattern = CRPAT | — | — | 0.23 | — | — | 0.23 | UI |
| Deterministic jitter FC-1 | Pattern = CRPAT | — | — | 0.11 | — | — | 0.11 | UI |
| Total jitter FC-2 | Pattern = CRPAT | — | — | 0.33 | — | — | 0.33 | UI |
| Deterministic jitter FC-2 | Pattern = CRPAT | — | — | 0.2 | — | — | 0.2 | UI |
| Total jitter FC-4 | Pattern = CRPAT | — | — | 0.52 | — | — | 0.52 | UI |
| Deterministic jitter FC-4 | Pattern = CRPAT | — | — | 0.33 | — | — | 0.33 | UI |
| Fibre Channel Receiver Jitter Tolerance (4), (6) | | | | | | | | |
| Deterministic jitter FC-1 | Pattern = CJTPAT | > 0.37 | | | > 0.37 | | | UI |
| Random jitter FC-1 | Pattern = CJTPAT | > 0.31 | | | > 0.31 | | | UI |
| Sinusoidal jitter FC-1 | Fc/25000 | > 1.5 | | | > 1.5 | | | UI |
| | Fc/1667 | > 0.1 | | | > 0.1 | | | UI |
| Deterministic jitter FC-2 | Pattern = CJTPAT | > 0.33 | | | > 0.33 | | | UI |
| Random jitter FC-2 | Pattern = CJTPAT | > 0.29 | | | > 0.29 | | | UI |
| Sinusoidal jitter FC-2 | Fc/25000 | > 1.5 | | | > 1.5 | | | UI |
| | Fc/1667 | > 0.1 | | | > 0.1 | | | UI |
| Deterministic jitter FC-4 | Pattern = CJTPAT | > 0.33 | | | > 0.33 | | | UI |
| Random jitter FC-4 | Pattern = CJTPAT | > 0.29 | | | > 0.29 | | | UI |
| Sinusoidal jitter FC-4 | Fc/25000 | > 1.5 | | | > 1.5 | | | UI |
| | Fc/1667 | > 0.1 | | | > 0.1 | | | UI |
| XAUI Transmit Jitter Generation (7) | | | | | | | | |
| Total jitter at 3.125 Gbps | Pattern = CJPAT | — | — | 0.3 | — | — | 0.3 | UI |
| Deterministic jitter at 3.125 Gbps | Pattern = CJPAT | — | — | 0.17 | — | — | 0.17 | UI |
| XAUI Receiver Jitter Tolerance (7) | | | | | | | | |
| Total jitter | — | > 0.65 | | | > 0.65 | | | UI |
| Deterministic jitter | — | > 0.37 | | | > 0.37 | | | UI |

Table 1-41. Transceiver Block Jitter Specifications for Arria II GZ Devices (Note 1), (2) (Part 5 of 7)

| Symbol/ Description | Conditions | -C3 and -I3 | | | -C4 and -I4 | | | Unit |
|---|---|-------------|--------|------|-------------|-------|------|------|
| | | Min | Typ | Max | Min | Typ | Max | |
| Sinusoidal jitter tolerance (peak-to-peak) | Jitter Frequency = 38.2 KHz Data rate = 6.375 Gbps Pattern = PRBS31 BER = 10 ⁻¹² | | > 0.5 | | — | — | — | UI |
| | Jitter Frequency = 3.82 MHz Data rate = 6.375 Gbps Pattern = PRBS31 BER = 10 ⁻¹² | | > 0.05 | | — | — | — | UI |
| | Jitter Frequency = 20 MHz Data rate = 6.375 Gbps Pattern = PRBS31 BER = 10 ⁻¹² | | > 0.05 | | — | — | — | UI |
| SDI Transmitter Jitter Generation (12) | | | | | | | | |
| Alignment jitter (peak-to-peak) | Data rate = 1.485 Gbps (HD) Pattern = color bar Low-frequency roll-off = 100 KHz | 0.2 | — | — | 0.2 | — | — | UI |
| | Data rate = 2.97 Gbps (3G) Pattern = color bar Low-frequency roll-off = 100 KHz | 0.3 | — | — | 0.3 | — | — | UI |
| SDI Receiver Jitter Tolerance (12) | | | | | | | | |
| Sinusoidal jitter tolerance (peak-to-peak) | Jitter frequency = 15 KHz Data rate = 2.97 Gbps (3G) Pattern = single line scramble color bar | | > 2 | | | > 2 | | UI |
| | Jitter frequency = 100 KHz Data rate = 2.97 Gbps (3G) Pattern = single line scramble color bar | | > 0.3 | | | > 0.3 | | UI |
| | Jitter frequency = 148.5 MHz Data rate = 2.97 Gbps (3G) Pattern = single line scramble color bar | | > 0.3 | | | > 0.3 | | UI |
| Sinusoidal jitter tolerance (peak-to-peak) | Jitter frequency = 20 KHz Data rate = 1.485 Gbps (HD) pattern = 75% color bar | | > 1 | | | > 1 | | UI |
| | Jitter frequency = 100 KHz Data rate = 1.485 Gbps (HD) Pattern = 75% color bar | | > 0.2 | | | > 0.2 | | UI |
| | Jitter frequency = 148.5 MHz Data rate = 1.485 Gbps (HD) Pattern = 75% color bar | | > 0.2 | | | > 0.2 | | UI |
| SAS Transmit Jitter Generation (13) | | | | | | | | |
| Total jitter at 1.5 Gbps (G1) | Pattern = CJPAT | — | — | 0.55 | — | — | 0.55 | UI |
| Deterministic jitter at 1.5 Gbps (G1) | Pattern = CJPAT | — | — | 0.35 | — | — | 0.35 | UI |
| Total jitter at 3.0 Gbps (G2) | Pattern = CJPAT | — | — | 0.55 | — | — | 0.55 | UI |

Table 1–41. Transceiver Block Jitter Specifications for Arria II GZ Devices (Note 1), (2) (Part 6 of 7)

| Symbol/ Description | Conditions | –C3 and –I3 | | | –C4 and –I4 | | | Unit |
|--|---|-------------|-----|-------|-------------|-----|-------|------|
| | | Min | Typ | Max | Min | Typ | Max | |
| Deterministic jitter at 3.0 Gbps (G2) | Pattern = CJPAT | — | — | 0.35 | — | — | 0.35 | UI |
| Total jitter at 6.0 Gbps (G3) | Pattern = CJPAT | — | — | 0.25 | — | — | 0.25 | UI |
| Random jitter at 6.0 Gbps (G3) | Pattern = CJPAT | — | — | 0.15 | — | — | 0.15 | UI |
| SAS Receiver Jitter Tolerance (13) | | | | | | | | |
| Total jitter tolerance at 1.5 Gbps (G1) | Pattern = CJPAT | — | — | 0.65 | — | — | 0.65 | UI |
| Deterministic jitter tolerance at 1.5 Gbps (G1) | Pattern = CJPAT | — | — | 0.35 | — | — | 0.35 | UI |
| Sinusoidal jitter tolerance at 1.5 Gbps (G1) | Jitter frequency = 900 KHz to 5 MHz Pattern = CJTPAT BER = 1E-12 | > 0.1 | | | > 0.1 | | | UI |
| CPRI Transmit Jitter Generation (14) | | | | | | | | |
| Total jitter | E.6.HV, E.12.HV Pattern = CJPAT | — | — | 0.279 | — | — | 0.279 | UI |
| | E.6.LV, E.12.LV, E.24.LV, E.30.LV Pattern = CJPAT | — | — | 0.35 | — | — | 0.35 | UI |
| Deterministic jitter | E.6.HV, E.12.HV Pattern = CJPAT | — | — | 0.14 | — | — | 0.14 | UI |
| | E.6.LV, E.12.LV, E.24.LV, E.30.LV Pattern = CJPAT | — | — | 0.17 | — | — | 0.17 | UI |
| CPRI Receiver Jitter Tolerance (14) | | | | | | | | |
| Total jitter tolerance | E.6.HV, E.12.HV Pattern = CJPAT | > 0.66 | | | > 0.66 | | | UI |
| Deterministic jitter tolerance | E.6.HV, E.12.HV Pattern = CJPAT | > 0.4 | | | > 0.4 | | | UI |
| Total jitter tolerance | E.6.LV, E.12.LV, E.24.LV, E.30.LV Pattern = CJPAT | > 0.65 | | | > 0.65 | | | UI |
| Deterministic jitter tolerance | E.6.LV, E.12.LV, E.24.LV, E.30.LV Pattern = CJPAT | > 0.37 | | | > 0.37 | | | UI |
| Combined deterministic and random jitter tolerance | E.6.LV, E.12.LV, E.24.LV, E.30.LV Pattern = CJPAT | > 0.55 | | | > 0.55 | | | UI |
| OBSAI Transmit Jitter Generation (15) | | | | | | | | |
| Total jitter at 768 Mbps, 1536 Mbps, and 3072 Mbps | REFCLK = 153.6 MHz Pattern CJPAT | — | — | 0.35 | — | — | 0.35 | UI |
| Deterministic jitter at 768 Mbps, 1536 Mbps, and 3072 Mbps | REFCLK = 153.6 MHz Pattern CJPAT | — | — | 0.17 | — | — | 0.17 | UI |

Table 1-45. PLL Specifications for Arria II GZ Devices (Part 2 of 2)

| Symbol | Parameter | Min | Typ | Max | Unit |
|--------------------------------|--|-----|-----|------|-----------|
| t_{DLOCK} | Time required to lock dynamically (after switchover or reconfiguring any non-post-scale counters/delays) | — | — | 1 | ms |
| f_{CLBW} | PLL closed-loop low bandwidth | — | 0.3 | — | MHz |
| | PLL closed-loop medium bandwidth | — | 1.5 | — | MHz |
| | PLL closed-loop high bandwidth (7) | — | 4 | — | MHz |
| t_{PLL_PSERR} | Accuracy of PLL phase shift | — | — | ±50 | ps |
| t_{ARESET} | Minimum pulse width on the <code>areset</code> signal | 10 | — | — | ns |
| t_{INCCJ} (3), (4) | Input clock cycle to cycle jitter ($F_{REF} \geq 100$ MHz) | — | — | 0.15 | UI (p-p) |
| | Input clock cycle to cycle jitter ($F_{REF} < 100$ MHz) | — | — | ±750 | ps (p-p) |
| t_{OUTPJ_DC} (5) | Period Jitter for dedicated clock output ($F_{OUT} \geq 100$ MHz) | — | — | 175 | ps (p-p) |
| | Period Jitter for dedicated clock output ($F_{OUT} < 100$ MHz) | — | — | 17.5 | mUI (p-p) |
| t_{OUTCCJ_DC} (5) | Cycle to Cycle Jitter for dedicated clock output ($F_{OUT} \geq 100$ MHz) | — | — | 175 | ps (p-p) |
| | Cycle to Cycle Jitter for dedicated clock output ($F_{OUT} < 100$ MHz) | — | — | 17.5 | mUI (p-p) |
| t_{OUTPJ_IO} (5), (8) | Period Jitter for clock output on regular I/O ($F_{OUT} \geq 100$ MHz) | — | — | 600 | ps (p-p) |
| | Period Jitter for clock output on regular I/O ($F_{OUT} < 100$ MHz) | — | — | 60 | mUI (p-p) |
| t_{OUTCCJ_IO} (5), (8) | Cycle to Cycle Jitter for clock output on regular I/O ($F_{OUT} \geq 100$ MHz) | — | — | 600 | ps (p-p) |
| | Cycle to Cycle Jitter for clock output on regular I/O ($F_{OUT} < 100$ MHz) | — | — | 60 | mUI (p-p) |
| $t_{CASC_OUTPJ_DC}$ (5), (6) | Period Jitter for dedicated clock output in cascaded PLLs ($F_{OUT} \geq 100$ MHz) | — | — | 250 | ps (p-p) |
| | Period Jitter for dedicated clock output in cascaded PLLs ($F_{OUT} < 100$ MHz) | — | — | 25 | mUI (p-p) |
| f_{DRIFT} | Frequency drift after PFDENA is disabled for duration of 100 us | — | — | ±10 | % |

Notes to Table 1-45:

- (1) This specification is limited in the Quartus II software by the I/O maximum frequency. The maximum I/O frequency is different for each I/O standard.
- (2) This specification is limited by the lower of the two: I/O F_{MAX} or F_{OUT} of the PLL.
- (3) A high input jitter directly affects the PLL output jitter. To have low PLL output clock jitter, you must provide a clean clock source that is less than 120 ps.
- (4) F_{REF} is f_{IN}/N when $N = 1$.
- (5) Peak-to-peak jitter with a probability level of 10^{-12} (14 sigma, 99.9999999974404% confidence level). The output jitter specification applies to the intrinsic jitter of the PLL, when an input jitter of 30 ps is applied. The external memory interface clock output jitter specifications use a different measurement method and are available in [Table 1-64 on page 1-71](#).
- (6) The cascaded PLL specification is only applicable with the following condition:
 - a. Upstream PLL: $0.59 \text{ Mhz} \leq \text{Upstream PLL BW} < 1 \text{ MHz}$
 - b. Downstream PLL: $\text{Downstream PLL BW} > 2 \text{ MHz}$
- (7) High bandwidth PLL settings are not supported in external feedback mode.
- (8) External memory interface clock output jitter specifications use a different measurement method, which is available in [Table 1-63 on page 1-71](#).

DSP Block Specifications

Table 1-46 lists the DSP block performance specifications for Arria II GX devices.

Table 1-46. DSP Block Performance Specifications for Arria II GX Devices (Note 1)

| Mode | Resources Used | Performance | | | | Unit |
|--|-----------------------|-------------|-----|-------|-----|------|
| | Number of Multipliers | C4 | I3 | C5,I5 | C6 | |
| 9 × 9-bit multiplier | 1 | 380 | 310 | 300 | 250 | MHz |
| 12 × 12-bit multiplier | 1 | 380 | 310 | 300 | 250 | MHz |
| 18 × 18-bit multiplier | 1 | 380 | 310 | 300 | 250 | MHz |
| 36 × 36-bit multiplier | 1 | 350 | 270 | 270 | 220 | MHz |
| 18 × 36-bit high-precision multiplier adder mode | 1 | 350 | 270 | 270 | 220 | MHz |
| 18 × 18-bit multiply accumulator | 4 | 380 | 310 | 300 | 250 | MHz |
| 18 × 18-bit multiply adder | 4 | 380 | 310 | 300 | 250 | MHz |
| 18 × 18-bit multiply adder-signed full precision | 2 | 380 | 310 | 300 | 250 | MHz |
| 18 × 18-bit multiply adder with loopback (2) | 2 | 275 | 220 | 220 | 180 | MHz |
| 36-bit shift (32-bit data) | 1 | 350 | 270 | 270 | 220 | MHz |
| Double mode | 1 | 350 | 270 | 270 | 220 | MHz |

Notes to Table 1-46:

- (1) Maximum is for a fully-pipelined block with **Round** and **Saturation** disabled.
- (2) Maximum is for loopback input registers disabled, **Round** and **Saturation** disabled, pipeline and output registers enabled.

Table 1-47 lists the DSP block performance specifications for Arria II GZ devices.

Table 1-47. DSP Block Performance Specifications for Arria II GZ Devices (Note 1) (Part 1 of 2)

| Mode | Resources Used | Performance | | Unit |
|--|-----------------------|-------------|-----|------|
| | Number of Multipliers | -3 | -4 | |
| 9 × 9-bit multiplier | 1 | 460 | 400 | MHz |
| 12 × 12-bit multiplier | 1 | 500 | 440 | MHz |
| 18 × 18-bit multiplier | 1 | 550 | 480 | MHz |
| 36 × 36-bit multiplier | 1 | 440 | 380 | MHz |
| 18 × 18-bit multiply accumulator | 4 | 440 | 380 | MHz |
| 18 × 18-bit multiply adder | 4 | 470 | 410 | MHz |
| 18 × 18-bit multiply adder-signed full precision | 2 | 450 | 390 | MHz |
| 18 × 18-bit multiply adder with loopback (2) | 2 | 350 | 310 | MHz |
| 36-bit shift (32-bit data) | 1 | 440 | 380 | MHz |

Periphery Performance

This section describes periphery performance, including high-speed I/O, external memory interface, and IOE programmable delay.

I/O performance supports several system interfaces, for example the high-speed I/O interface, external memory interface, and the PCI/PCI-X bus interface. I/O using SSTL-18 Class I termination standard can achieve up to the stated DDR2 SDRAM interfacing speed with typical DDR2 SDRAM memory interface setup. I/O using general purpose I/O (GPIO) standards such as 3.0, 2.5, 1.8, or 1.5 LVTTTL/LVCMOS are capable of typical 200 MHz interfacing frequency with 10pF load.



Actual achievable frequency depends on design- and system-specific factors. You should perform HSPICE/IBIS simulations based on your specific design and system setup to determine the maximum achievable frequency in your system.

High-Speed I/O Specification

Table 1-53 lists the high-speed I/O timing for Arria II GX devices.

Table 1-53. High-Speed I/O Specifications for Arria II GX Devices (Part 1 of 4)

| Symbol | Conditions | I3 | | C4 | | C5,I5 | | C6 | | Unit |
|--|-------------------------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-------|-------|-----|-------|------|
| | | Min | Max | Min | Max | Min | Max | Min | Max | |
| Clock | | | | | | | | | | |
| $f_{\text{HSCLK_IN}}$ (input clock frequency)—Row I/O | Clock boost factor, W = 1 to 40 (1) | 5 | 670 | 5 | 670 | 5 | 622 | 5 | 500 | MHz |
| $f_{\text{HSCLK_IN}}$ (input clock frequency)—Column I/O | Clock boost factor, W = 1 to 40 (1) | 5 | 500 | 5 | 500 | 5 | 472.5 | 5 | 472.5 | MHz |
| $f_{\text{HSCLK_OUT}}$ (output clock frequency)—Row I/O | — | 5 | 670 | 5 | 670 | 5 | 622 | 5 | 500 | MHz |
| $f_{\text{HSCLK_OUT}}$ (output clock frequency)—Column I/O | — | 5 | 500 | 5 | 500 | 5 | 472.5 | 5 | 472.5 | MHz |

Table 1-53. High-Speed I/O Specifications for Arria II GX Devices (Part 2 of 4)

| Symbol | Conditions | I3 | | C4 | | C5,I5 | | C6 | | Unit |
|---|---|-----|-------------|-----|-------------|-------|-------------|-----|-----|------|
| | | Min | Max | Min | Max | Min | Max | Min | Max | |
| Transmitter | | | | | | | | | | |
| $f_{\text{HSDR_TX}}$ (true LVDS output data rate) | SERDES factor, J = 3 to 10 (using dedicated SERDES) | 150 | 1250 (2) | 150 | 1250 (2) | 150 | 1050 (2) | 150 | 840 | Mbps |
| | SERDES factor, J = 4 to 10 (using logic elements as SERDES) | (3) | 945 | (3) | 945 | (3) | 840 | (3) | 740 | Mbps |
| | SERDES factor, J = 2 (using DDR registers) and J = 1 (using SDR register) | (3) | (3) | (3) | (3) | (3) | (3) | (3) | (3) | Mbps |
| $f_{\text{HSDR_TX_E3R}}$ (emulated LVDS_E_3R output data rate) (7) | SERDES factor, J = 4 to 10 | (3) | 945 | (3) | 945 | (3) | 840 | (3) | 740 | Mbps |

Table 1-53. High-Speed I/O Specifications for Arria II GX Devices (Part 4 of 4)

| Symbol | Conditions | I3 | | C4 | | C5,I5 | | C6 | | Unit |
|-------------------------------|---|-----|------------|-----|------------|-------|------------|-----|------------|------|
| | | Min | Max | Min | Max | Min | Max | Min | Max | |
| f_{HSDR} (data rate) | SERDES factor J = 3 to 10 | (3) | 945 (7) | (3) | 945 (7) | (3) | 740 (7) | (3) | 640 (7) | Mbps |
| | SERDES factor J = 2 (using DDR registers) | (3) | (7) | (3) | (7) | (3) | (7) | (3) | (7) | Mbps |
| | SERDES factor J = 1 (using SDR registers) | (3) | (7) | (3) | (7) | (3) | (7) | (3) | (7) | Mbps |
| Soft-CDR PPM tolerance | Soft-CDR mode | — | 300 | — | 300 | — | 300 | — | 300 | ±PPM |
| DPA run length | DPA mode | — | 10,000 | — | 10,000 | — | 10,000 | — | 10,000 | UI |
| Sampling window (SW) | Non-DPA mode (5) | — | 300 | — | 300 | — | 350 | — | 400 | ps |

Notes to Table 1-53:

- (1) $f_{\text{HSCLK_IN}} = f_{\text{HSDR}} / W$. Use W to determine the supported selection of input reference clock frequencies for the desired data rate.
- (2) Applicable for interfacing with DPA receivers only. For interfacing with non-DPA receivers, you must calculate the leftover timing margin in the receiver by performing link timing closure analysis. For Arria II GX transmitter to Arria II GX non-DPA receiver, the maximum supported data rate is 945 Mbps. For data rates above 840 Mbps, perform PCB trace compensation by adjusting the PCB trace length for LVDS channels to improve channel-to-channel skews.
- (3) The minimum and maximum specification depends on the clock source (for example, PLL and clock pin) and the clock routing resource you use (global, regional, or local). The I/O differential buffer and input register do not have a minimum toggle rate.
- (4) The specification is only applicable under the influence of core noise.
- (5) Applicable for true LVDS using dedicated SERDES only.
- (6) Dedicated SERDES and DPA features are only available on the right banks.
- (7) You must calculate the leftover timing margin in the receiver by performing link timing closure analysis. You must consider the board skew margin, transmitter channel-to-channel skew, and the receiver sampling margin to determine the leftover timing margin.

Table 1-54 lists the high-speed I/O timing for Arria II GZ devices.

Table 1-54. High-Speed I/O Specifications for Arria II GZ Devices (Note 1), (2), (10) (Part 1 of 3)

| Symbol | Conditions | C3, I3 | | | C4, I4 | | | Unit |
|--|---------------------------------------|--------|-----|-----|--------|-----|-----|------|
| | | Min | Typ | Max | Min | Typ | Max | |
| Clock | | | | | | | | |
| $f_{\text{HSCLK_in}}$ (input clock frequency) true differential I/O standards | Clock boost factor W = 1 to 40 (3) | 5 | — | 717 | 5 | — | 717 | MHz |
| $f_{\text{HSCLK_in}}$ (input clock frequency) single ended I/O standards (9) | Clock boost factor W = 1 to 40 (3) | 5 | — | 717 | 5 | — | 717 | MHz |
| $f_{\text{HSCLK_in}}$ (input clock frequency) single ended I/O standards (10) | Clock boost factor W = 1 to 40 (3) | 5 | — | 420 | 5 | — | 420 | MHz |

Table 1-68. Glossary (Part 4 of 4)

| Letter | Subject | Definitions |
|---------------------|---------------|---|
| U, V | $V_{CM(DC)}$ | DC common mode input voltage. |
| | V_{ICM} | Input common mode voltage: The common mode of the differential signal at the receiver. |
| | V_{ID} | Input differential voltage swing: The difference in voltage between the positive and complementary conductors of a differential transmission at the receiver. |
| | $V_{DIF(AC)}$ | AC differential input voltage: Minimum AC input differential voltage required for switching. |
| | $V_{DIF(DC)}$ | DC differential input voltage: Minimum DC input differential voltage required for switching. |
| | V_{IH} | Voltage input high: The minimum positive voltage applied to the input which is accepted by the device as a logic high. |
| | $V_{IH(AC)}$ | High-level AC input voltage. |
| | $V_{IH(DC)}$ | High-level DC input voltage. |
| | V_{IL} | Voltage input low: The maximum positive voltage applied to the input which is accepted by the device as a logic low. |
| | $V_{IL(AC)}$ | Low-level AC input voltage. |
| | $V_{IL(DC)}$ | Low-level DC input voltage. |
| W, X, Y, Z | V_{OCM} | Output common mode voltage: The common mode of the differential signal at the transmitter. |
| | V_{OD} | Output differential voltage swing: The difference in voltage between the positive and complementary conductors of a differential transmission at the transmitter. |
| | W | High-speed I/O block: The clock boost factor. |

Document Revision History

Table 1-69 lists the revision history for this chapter.

Table 1-69. Document Revision History (Part 1 of 2)

| Date | Version | Changes |
|---------------|---------|---|
| December 2013 | 4.4 | Updated Table 1-34 and Table 1-35. |
| July 2012 | 4.3 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Updated the $V_{CCH_GXBL/R}$ operating conditions in Table 1-6. ■ Finalized Arria II GZ information in Table 1-20. ■ Added BLVDS specification in Table 1-32 and Table 1-33. ■ Updated input and output waveforms in Table 1-68. |
| December 2011 | 4.2 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Updated Table 1-32, Table 1-33, Table 1-34, Table 1-35, Table 1-40, Table 1-41, Table 1-54, and Table 1-67. ■ Minor text edits. |
| June 2011 | 4.1 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Added Table 1-60. ■ Updated Table 1-32, Table 1-33, Table 1-38, Table 1-41, and Table 1-61. ■ Updated the “Switching Characteristics” section introduction. ■ Minor text edits. |