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Details

Product Status	Obsolete
Core Processor	XCore
Core Size	32-Bit 8-Core
Speed	1000MIPS
Connectivity	-
Peripherals	-
Number of I/O	42
Program Memory Size	1MB (1M x 8)
Program Memory Type	FLASH
EEPROM Size	-
RAM Size	256K x 8
Voltage - Supply (Vcc/Vdd)	0.95V ~ 3.6V
Data Converters	-
Oscillator Type	External
Operating Temperature	0°C ~ 70°C (TA)
Mounting Type	Surface Mount
Package / Case	64-TQFP Exposed Pad
Supplier Device Package	64-TQFP (10x10)
Purchase URL	https://www.e-xfl.com/product-detail/xmos/xlf208-256-tq64-c10

1 xCORE Multicore Microcontrollers

The xCORE200 Series is a comprehensive range of 32-bit multicore microcontrollers that brings the low latency and timing determinism of the xCORE architecture to mainstream embedded applications. Unlike conventional microcontrollers, xCORE multicore microcontrollers execute multiple real-time tasks simultaneously and communicate between tasks using a high speed network. Because xCORE multicore microcontrollers are completely deterministic, you can write software to implement functions that traditionally require dedicated hardware.

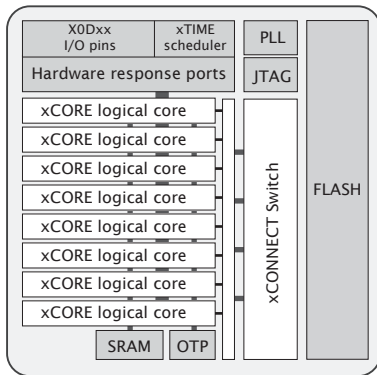


Figure 1:
XLF208-256-
TQ64 block
diagram

Key features of the XLF208-256-TQ64 include:

- ▶ **Tiles:** Devices consist of one or more xCORE tiles. Each tile contains between five and eight 32-bit xCOREs with highly integrated I/O and on-chip memory.
- ▶ **Logical cores** Each logical core can execute tasks such as computational code, DSP code, control software (including logic decisions and executing a state machine) or software that handles I/O. Section [6.1](#)
- ▶ **xTIME scheduler** The xTIME scheduler performs functions similar to an RTOS, in hardware. It services and synchronizes events in a core, so there is no requirement for interrupt handler routines. The xTIME scheduler triggers cores on events generated by hardware resources such as the I/O pins, communication channels and timers. Once triggered, a core runs independently and concurrently to other cores, until it pauses to wait for more events. Section [6.2](#)
- ▶ **Channels and channel ends** Tasks running on logical cores communicate using channels formed between two channel ends. Data can be passed synchronously or asynchronously between the channel ends assigned to the communicating tasks. Section [6.5](#)
- ▶ **xCONNECT Switch and Links** Between tiles, channel communications are implemented over a high performance network of xCONNECT Links and routed through a hardware xCONNECT Switch. Section [6.6](#)

2 XLF208-256-TQ64 Features

► Multicore Microcontroller with Advanced Multi-Core RISC Architecture

- Eight real-time logical cores
- Core share up to 500 MIPS
 - Up to 1000 MIPS in dual issue mode
- Each logical core has:
 - Guaranteed throughput of between $\frac{1}{5}$ and $\frac{1}{8}$ of tile MIPS
 - 16x32bit dedicated registers
- 167 high-density 16/32-bit instructions
 - All have single clock-cycle execution (except for divide)
 - 32x32→64-bit MAC instructions for DSP, arithmetic and user-definable cryptographic functions

► Programmable I/O

- 42 general-purpose I/O pins, configurable as input or output
 - Up to 16 x 1bit port, 5 x 4bit port, 3 x 8bit port, 1 x 16bit port
 - 1 xCONNECT link
- Port sampling rates of up to 60 MHz with respect to an external clock
- 32 channel ends for communication with other cores, on or off-chip

► Memory

- 256KB internal single-cycle SRAM for code and data storage
- 8KB internal OTP for application boot code
- 2MB internal flash for application code and overlays

► Hardware resources

- 6 clock blocks
- 10 timers
- 4 locks

► JTAG Module for On-Chip Debug

► Security Features

- Programming lock disables debug and prevents read-back of memory contents
- AES bootloader ensures secrecy of IP held on external flash memory

► Ambient Temperature Range

- Commercial qualification: 0 °C to 70 °C
- Industrial qualification: -40 °C to 85 °C

► Speed Grade

- 10: 500 MIPS

► Power Consumption

- 310 mA (typical)

► 64-pin TQFP package 0.5 mm pitch

4 Signal Description

This section lists the signals and I/O pins available on the XLF208-256-TQ64. The device provides a combination of 1bit, 4bit, 8bit and 16bit ports, as well as wider ports that are fully or partially (gray) bonded out. All pins of a port provide either output or input, but signals in different directions cannot be mapped onto the same port.

Pins may have one or more of the following properties:

- PD/PU: The IO pin has a weak pull-down or pull-up resistor. On GPIO pins this resistor can be enabled. This resistor is designed to ensure defined logic input state for unconnected pins. It should not be used to pull external circuitry. Note that the resistors are highly non-linear and only a maximum pull current is specified in Section 12.2.
- ST: The IO pin has a Schmitt Trigger on its input.
- IOL/IOR: The IO pin is powered from VDDIOL, and VDDIOR respectively

Power pins (7)			
Signal	Function	Type	Properties
GND	Digital ground	GND	
OTP_VCC	OTP power supply	PWR	
PLL_AGND	Analog ground for PLL	PWR	
PLL_AVDD	Analog PLL power	PWR	
VDD	Digital tile power	PWR	
VDDIOL	Digital I/O power (left)	PWR	
VDDIOR	Digital I/O power (right)	PWR	

JTAG pins (5)			
Signal	Function	Type	Properties
RST_N	Global reset input	Input	IOL, PU, ST
TCK	Test clock	Input	IOL, PD, ST
TDI	Test data input	Input	IOL, PU
TDO	Test data output	Output	IOL, PD
TMS	Test mode select	Input	IOL, PU

I/O pins (42)			
Signal	Function	Type	Properties
X0D00	1A ⁰	I/O	IOL, PD
X0D01	1B ⁰	I/O—	IOL, PD
X0D02	4A ⁰ 8A ⁰ 16A ⁰ 32A ²⁰	I/O	IOL, PD
X0D03	4A ¹ 8A ¹ 16A ¹ 32A ²¹	I/O	IOL, PD

(continued)

Signal	Function	Type	Properties
X0D04	$4B^0$ $8A^2$ $16A^2$ $32A^{22}$	I/O—	IOL, PD
X0D05	$4B^1$ $8A^3$ $16A^3$ $32A^{23}$	I/O—	IOL, PD
X0D06	$4B^2$ $8A^4$ $16A^4$ $32A^{24}$	I/O—	IOL, PD
X0D07	$4B^3$ $8A^5$ $16A^5$ $32A^{25}$	I/O—	IOL, PD
X0D08	$4A^2$ $8A^6$ $16A^6$ $32A^{26}$	I/O	IOL, PD
X0D09	$4A^3$ $8A^7$ $16A^7$ $32A^{27}$	I/O	IOL, PD
X0D10	$1C^0$	I/O—	IOL, PD
X0D11	$1D^0$	I/O	IOL, PD
X0D12	$1E^0$	I/O	IOR, PD
X0D13	$1F^0$	I/O	IOR, PD
X0D14	$4C^0$ $8B^0$ $16A^8$ $32A^{28}$	I/O	IOR, PD
X0D15	$4C^1$ $8B^1$ $16A^9$ $32A^{29}$	I/O	IOR, PD
X0D16	$4D^0$ $8B^2$ $16A^{10}$	I/O	IOR, PD
X0D17	$4D^1$ $8B^3$ $16A^{11}$	I/O	IOR, PD
X0D18	$4D^2$ $8B^4$ $16A^{12}$	I/O	IOR, PD
X0D19	$4D^3$ $8B^5$ $16A^{13}$	I/O	IOR, PD
X0D20	$4C^2$ $8B^6$ $16A^{14}$ $32A^{30}$	I/O	IOR, PD
X0D21	$4C^3$ $8B^7$ $16A^{15}$ $32A^{31}$	I/O	IOR, PD
X0D22	$1G^0$	I/O	IOR, PD
X0D23	$1H^0$	I/O	IOR, PD
X0D24	$1I^0$	I/O	IOR, PD
X0D25	$1J^0$	I/O	IOR, PD
X0D26	$4E^0$ $8C^0$ $16B^0$	I/O	IOR, PD
X0D27	$4E^1$ $8C^1$ $16B^1$	I/O	IOR, PD
X0D28	$4F^0$ $8C^2$ $16B^2$	I/O	IOR, PD
X0D29	$4F^1$ $8C^3$ $16B^3$	I/O	IOR, PD
X0D32	$4E^2$ $8C^6$ $16B^6$	I/O	IOR, PD
X0D33	$4E^3$ $8C^7$ $16B^7$	I/O	IOR, PD
X0D34	$1K^0$	I/O	IOR, PD
X0D35	$1L^0$	I/O	IOR, PD
X0D36	$1M^0$ $8D^0$ $16B^8$	I/O	IOL, PD
X0D37	$1N^0$ $8D^1$ $16B^9$	I/O	IOL, PD
X0D38	$1O^0$ $8D^2$ $16B^{10}$	I/O	IOL, PD
X0D39	$1P^0$ $8D^3$ $16B^{11}$	I/O	IOL, PD
X0D40	$X_0LO_{in}^1$ $8D^4$ $16B^{12}$	I/O	IOL, PD
X0D41	$X_0LO_{in}^0$ $8D^5$ $16B^{13}$	I/O	IOL, PD
X0D42	$X_0LO_{out}^0$ $8D^6$ $16B^{14}$	I/O	IOL, PD
X0D43	$X_0LO_{out}^1$ $8D^7$ $16B^{15}$	I/O	IOL, PD

System pins (1)			
Signal	Function	Type	Properties
CLK	PLL reference clock	Input	IOL, PD, ST

If a different tile frequency is required (eg, 500 MHz), then the PLL must be reprogrammed after boot to provide the required tile frequency. The XMOS tools perform this operation by default. Further details on configuring the clock can be found in the xCORE-200 Clock Frequency Control document.

8 Boot Procedure

The device is kept in reset by driving RST_N low. When in reset, all GPIO pins have a pull-down enabled. The processor must be held in reset until VDDIOL is in spec for at least 1 ms. When the device is taken out of reset by releasing RST_N the processor starts its internal reset process. After 15-150 μ s (depending on the input clock) the processor boots.

The device boots from a QSPI flash (IS25LQ016B) that is embedded in the device. The QSPI flash is connected to the ports on Tile 0 as shown in Figure 8. An external 1K resistor must connect X0D01 to VDDIOL. X0D10 should ideally not be connected. If X0D10 is connected, then a 150 ohm series resistor close to the device is recommended. X0D04..X0D07 should be not connected.

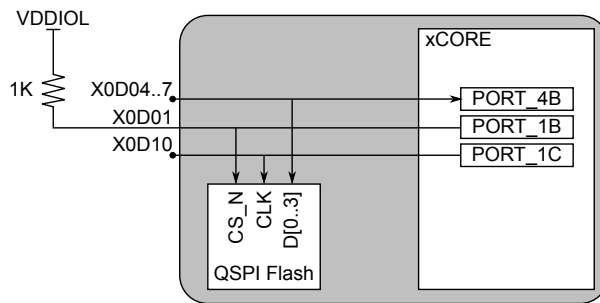


Figure 8:
QSPI port
connectivity

The xCORE Tile boot procedure is illustrated in Figure 9. If bit 5 of the security register (see §9.1) is set, the device boots from OTP. Otherwise, the device boots from the internal flash.

The boot image has the following format:

- ▶ A 32-bit program size s in words.
- ▶ Program consisting of $s \times 4$ bytes.
- ▶ A 32-bit CRC, or the value 0x0D15AB1E to indicate that no CRC check should be performed.

The program size and CRC are stored least significant byte first. The program is loaded into the lowest memory address of RAM, and the program is started from that address. The CRC is calculated over the byte stream represented by the program size and the program itself. The polynomial used is 0xEDB88320 (IEEE 802.3); the CRC register is initialized with 0xFFFFFFFF and the residue is inverted to produce the CRC.

Feature	Bit	Description
Disable JTAG	0	The JTAG interface is disabled, making it impossible for the tile state or memory content to be accessed via the JTAG interface.
Disable Link access	1	Other tiles are forbidden access to the processor state via the system switch. Disabling both JTAG and Link access transforms an xCORE Tile into a “secure island” with other tiles free for non-secure user application code.
Secure Boot	5	The xCORE Tile is forced to boot from address 0 of the OTP, allowing the xCORE Tile boot ROM to be bypassed (see §8).
Redundant rows	7	Enables redundant rows in OTP.
Sector Lock 0	8	Disable programming of OTP sector 0.
Sector Lock 1	9	Disable programming of OTP sector 1.
Sector Lock 2	10	Disable programming of OTP sector 2.
Sector Lock 3	11	Disable programming of OTP sector 3.
OTP Master Lock	12	Disable OTP programming completely: disables updates to all sectors and security register.
Disable JTAG-OTP	13	Disable all (read & write) access from the JTAG interface to this OTP.
	21..15	General purpose software accessible security register available to end-users.
	31..22	General purpose user programmable JTAG UserID code extension.

Figure 10:
Security
register
features

10 JTAG

The JTAG module can be used for loading programs, boundary scan testing, in-circuit source-level debugging and programming the OTP memory.

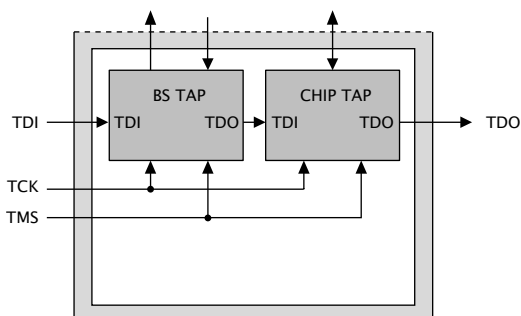


Figure 11:
JTAG chain
structure

12.3 ESD Stress Voltage

Figure 17:
ESD stress
voltage

Symbol	Parameter	MIN	TYP	MAX	UNITS	Notes
HBM	Human body model	-2.00		2.00	KV	
CDM	Charged Device Model	-500		500	V	

12.4 Reset Timing

Figure 18:
Reset timing

Symbol	Parameters	MIN	TYP	MAX	UNITS	Notes
T(RST)	Reset pulse width	5			μs	
T(INIT)	Initialization time			150	μs	A

A Shows the time taken to start booting after RST_N has gone high.

12.5 Power Consumption

Figure 19:
xCORE Tile
currents

Symbol	Parameter	MIN	TYP	MAX	UNITS	Notes
I(DDCQ)	Quiescent VDD current		45		mA	A, B, C
PD	Tile power dissipation		325		μW/MIPS	A, D, E, F
IDD	Active VDD current		310	375	mA	A, G
I(ADDPLL)	PLL_AVDD current		5	7	mA	H

A Use for budgetary purposes only.

B Assumes typical tile and I/O voltages with no switching activity.

C Includes PLL current.

D Assumes typical tile and I/O voltages with nominal switching activity.

E Assumes 1 MHz = 1 MIPS.

F PD(TYP) value is the usage power consumption under typical operating conditions.

G Measurement conditions: VDD = 1.0 V, VDDIO = 3.3 V, 25 °C, 500 MHz, average device resource usage.

H PLL_AVDD = 1.0 V



The tile power consumption of the device is highly application dependent and should be used for budgetary purposes only.

More detailed power analysis can be found in the XS1-LF Power Consumption document,

Appendices

A Configuration of the XLF208-256-TQ64

The device is configured through banks of registers, as shown in Figure 26.

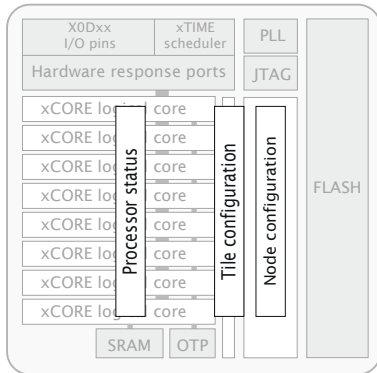


Figure 26:
Registers

The following communication sequences specify how to access those registers. Any messages transmitted contain the most significant 24 bits of the channel-end to which a response is to be sent. This comprises the node-identifier and the channel number within the node. If no response is required on a write operation, supply 24-bits with the last 8-bits set, which suppresses the reply message. Any multi-byte data is sent most significant byte first.

A.1 Accessing a processor status register

The processor status registers are accessed directly from the processor instruction set. The instructions GETPS and SETPS read and write a word. The register number should be translated into a processor-status resource identifier by shifting the register number left 8 places, and ORing it with 0x0B. Alternatively, the functions `getps(reg)` and `setps(reg,value)` can be used from XC.

A.2 Accessing an xCORE Tile configuration register

xCORE Tile configuration registers can be accessed through the interconnect using the functions `write_tile_config_reg(tileref, ...)` and `read_tile_config_reg(tile ↪ ref, ...)`, where `tileref` is the name of the xCORE Tile, e.g. `tile[1]`. These functions implement the protocols described below.

Instead of using the functions above, a channel-end can be allocated to communicate with the xCORE tile configuration registers. The destination of the channel-end should be set to `0xnnnnC20C` where `nnnnn` is the tile-identifier.

A write message comprises the following:

B Processor Status Configuration

The processor status control registers can be accessed directly by the processor using processor status reads and writes (use `getps(reg)` and `setps(reg,value)` for reads and writes).

Number	Perm	Description
0x00	RW	RAM base address
0x01	RW	Vector base address
0x02	RW	xCORE Tile control
0x03	RO	xCORE Tile boot status
0x05	RW	Security configuration
0x06	RW	Ring Oscillator Control
0x07	RO	Ring Oscillator Value
0x08	RO	Ring Oscillator Value
0x09	RO	Ring Oscillator Value
0x0A	RO	Ring Oscillator Value
0x0C	RO	RAM size
0x10	DRW	Debug SSR
0x11	DRW	Debug SPC
0x12	DRW	Debug SSP
0x13	DRW	DGETREG operand 1
0x14	DRW	DGETREG operand 2
0x15	DRW	Debug interrupt type
0x16	DRW	Debug interrupt data
0x18	DRW	Debug core control
0x20 .. 0x27	DRW	Debug scratch
0x30 .. 0x33	DRW	Instruction breakpoint address
0x40 .. 0x43	DRW	Instruction breakpoint control
0x50 .. 0x53	DRW	Data watchpoint address 1
0x60 .. 0x63	DRW	Data watchpoint address 2
0x70 .. 0x73	DRW	Data breakpoint control register
0x80 .. 0x83	DRW	Resources breakpoint mask
0x90 .. 0x93	DRW	Resources breakpoint value
0x9C .. 0x9F	DRW	Resources breakpoint control register

Figure 27:
Summary

B.4 xCORE Tile boot status: 0x03

This read-only register describes the boot status of the xCORE tile.

0x03:
xCORE Tile
boot status

Bits	Perm	Init	Description
31:24	RO	-	Reserved
23:16	RO		Processor number.
15:9	RO	-	Reserved
8	RO		Overwrite BOOT_MODE.
7:6	RO	-	Reserved
5	RO		Indicates if core1 has been powered off
4	RO		Cause the ROM to not poll the OTP for correct read levels
3	RO		Boot ROM boots from RAM
2	RO		Boot ROM boots from JTAG
1:0	RO		The boot PLL mode pin value.

B.5 Security configuration: 0x05

Copy of the security register as read from OTP.

0x05:
Security
configuration

Bits	Perm	Init	Description
31	RW		Disables write permission on this register
30:15	RO	-	Reserved
14	RW		Disable access to XCore's global debug
13	RO	-	Reserved
12	RW		lock all OTP sectors
11:8	RW		lock bit for each OTP sector
7	RW		Enable OTP redundancy
6	RO	-	Reserved
5	RW		Override boot mode and read boot image from OTP
4	RW		Disable JTAG access to the PLL/BOOT configuration registers
3:1	RO	-	Reserved
0	RW		Disable access to XCore's JTAG debug TAP

B.6 Ring Oscillator Control: 0x06

There are four free-running oscillators that clock four counters. The oscillators can be started and stopped using this register. The counters should only be read when the ring oscillator has been stopped for at least 10 core clock cycles (this can be achieved by inserting two nop instructions between the SETPS and GETPS). The counter values can be read using four subsequent registers. The ring oscillators are asynchronous to the xCORE tile clock and can be used as a source of random bits.

0x06: Ring Oscillator Control	Bits	Perm	Init	Description
	31:2	RO	-	Reserved
	1	RW	0	Core ring oscillator enable.
	0	RW	0	Peripheral ring oscillator enable.

B.7 Ring Oscillator Value: 0x07

This register contains the current count of the xCORE Tile Cell ring oscillator. This value is not reset on a system reset.

0x07: Ring Oscillator Value	Bits	Perm	Init	Description
	31:16	RO	-	Reserved
	15:0	RO	0	Ring oscillator Counter data.

B.8 Ring Oscillator Value: 0x08

This register contains the current count of the xCORE Tile Wire ring oscillator. This value is not reset on a system reset.

0x08: Ring Oscillator Value	Bits	Perm	Init	Description
	31:16	RO	-	Reserved
	15:0	RO	0	Ring oscillator Counter data.

B.9 Ring Oscillator Value: 0x09

This register contains the current count of the Peripheral Cell ring oscillator. This value is not reset on a system reset.

0x70 .. 0x73: Data breakpoint control register	Bits	Perm	Init	Description
	31:24	RO	-	Reserved
	23:16	DRW	0	A bit for each thread in the machine allowing the breakpoint to be enabled individually for each thread.
	15:3	RO	-	Reserved
	2	DRW	0	When 1 the breakpoints will be triggered on loads.
	1	DRW	0	Determines the break condition: 0 = A AND B, 1 = A OR B.
	0	DRW	0	When 1 the instruction breakpoint is enabled.

B.26 Resources breakpoint mask: 0x80 .. 0x83

This set of registers contains the mask for the four resource watchpoints.

0x80 .. 0x83:
Resources
breakpoint
mask

Bits	Perm	Init	Description
31:0	DRW		Value.

B.27 Resources breakpoint value: 0x90 .. 0x93

This set of registers contains the value for the four resource watchpoints.

0x90 .. 0x93:
Resources
breakpoint
value

Bits	Perm	Init	Description
31:0	DRW		Value.

B.28 Resources breakpoint control register: 0x9C .. 0x9F

This set of registers controls each of the four resource watchpoints.

0x04: Control PSwitch permissions to debug registers	Bits	Perm	Init	Description
	31	CRW	0	When 1 the PSwitch is restricted to RO access to all CRW registers from SSwitch, XCore(PS_DBG_Scratch) and JTAG
	30:1	RO	-	Reserved
	0	CRW	0	When 1 the PSwitch is restricted to RO access to all CRW registers from SSwitch

C.5 Cause debug interrupts: 0x05

This register can be used to raise a debug interrupt in this xCORE tile.

0x05: Cause debug interrupts	Bits	Perm	Init	Description
	31:2	RO	-	Reserved
	1	CRW	0	1 when the processor is in debug mode.
	0	CRW	0	Request a debug interrupt on the processor.

C.6 xCORE Tile clock divider: 0x06

This register contains the value used to divide the PLL clock to create the xCORE tile clock. The divider is enabled under control of the [tile control register](#)

0x06: xCORE Tile clock divider	Bits	Perm	Init	Description
	31	CRW	0	Clock disable. Writing '1' will remove the clock to the tile.
	30:16	RO	-	Reserved
	15:0	CRW	0	Clock divider.

C.7 Security configuration: 0x07

Copy of the security register as read from OTP.

0x41:
PC of logical
core 1

Bits	Perm	Init	Description
31:0	CRO		Value.

C.11 PC of logical core 2: 0x42

Value of the PC of logical core 2.

0x42:
PC of logical
core 2

Bits	Perm	Init	Description
31:0	CRO		Value.

C.12 PC of logical core 3: 0x43

Value of the PC of logical core 3.

0x43:
PC of logical
core 3

Bits	Perm	Init	Description
31:0	CRO		Value.

C.13 PC of logical core 4: 0x44

Value of the PC of logical core 4.

0x44:
PC of logical
core 4

Bits	Perm	Init	Description
31:0	CRO		Value.

C.14 PC of logical core 5: 0x45

Value of the PC of logical core 5.

0x45:
PC of logical
core 5

Bits	Perm	Init	Description
31:0	CRO		Value.

0x62:
SR of logical
core 2

Bits	Perm	Init	Description
31:0	CRO		Value.

C.20 SR of logical core 3: 0x63

Value of the SR of logical core 3

0x63:
SR of logical
core 3

Bits	Perm	Init	Description
31:0	CRO		Value.

C.21 SR of logical core 4: 0x64

Value of the SR of logical core 4

0x64:
SR of logical
core 4

Bits	Perm	Init	Description
31:0	CRO		Value.

C.22 SR of logical core 5: 0x65

Value of the SR of logical core 5

0x65:
SR of logical
core 5

Bits	Perm	Init	Description
31:0	CRO		Value.

C.23 SR of logical core 6: 0x66

Value of the SR of logical core 6

0x66:
SR of logical
core 6

Bits	Perm	Init	Description
31:0	CRO		Value.

D.8 System JTAG device ID register: 0x09

0x09: System JTAG device ID register	Bits	Perm	Init	Description
	31:28	RO		
	27:12	RO		
	11:1	RO		
	0	RO		

D.9 System USERCODE register: 0x0A

0x0A: System USERCODE register	Bits	Perm	Init	Description
	31:18	RO		JTAG USERCODE value programmed into OTP SR
	17:0	RO		metal fixable ID code

D.10 Directions 0-7: 0x0C

This register contains eight directions, for packets with a mismatch in bits 7..0 of the node-identifier. The direction in which a packet will be routed is governed by the most significant mismatching bit.

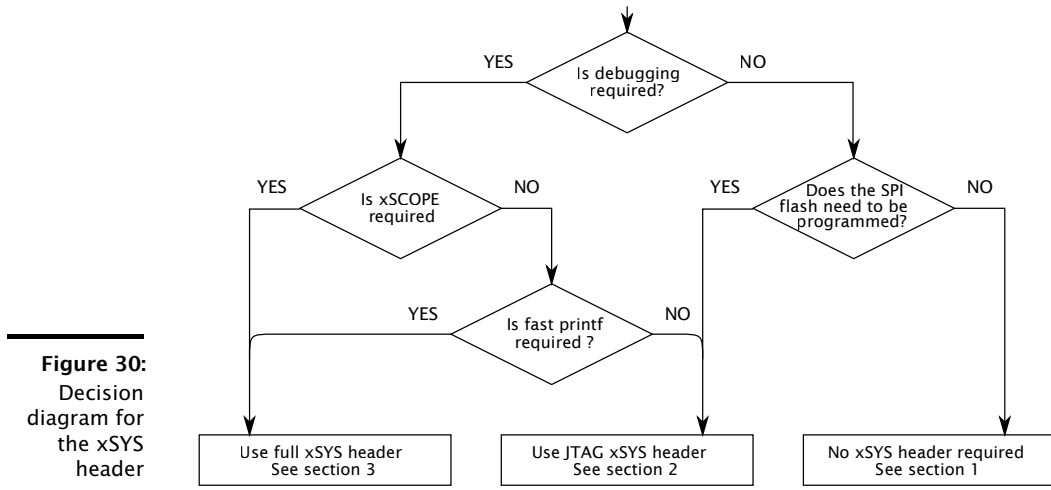
0x0C: Directions 0-7	Bits	Perm	Init	Description
	31:28	RW	0	The direction for packets whose dimension is 7.
	27:24	RW	0	The direction for packets whose dimension is 6.
	23:20	RW	0	The direction for packets whose dimension is 5.
	19:16	RW	0	The direction for packets whose dimension is 4.
	15:12	RW	0	The direction for packets whose dimension is 3.
	11:8	RW	0	The direction for packets whose dimension is 2.
	7:4	RW	0	The direction for packets whose dimension is 1.
	3:0	RW	0	The direction for packets whose dimension is 0.

D.11 Directions 8-15: 0x0D

This register contains eight directions, for packets with a mismatch in bits 15..8 of the node-identifier. The direction in which a packet will be routed is governed by the most significant mismatching bit.

E JTAG, xSCOPE and Debugging

If you intend to design a board that can be used with the XMOS toolchain and xTAG debugger, you will need an xSYS header on your board. Figure 30 shows a decision diagram which explains what type of xSYS connectivity you need. The three subsections below explain the options in detail.



E.1 No xSYS header

The use of an xSYS header is optional, and may not be required for volume production designs. However, the XMOS toolchain expects the xSYS header; if you do not have an xSYS header then you must provide your own method for writing to flash/OTP and for debugging.

E.2 JTAG-only xSYS header

The xSYS header connects to an xTAG debugger, which has a 20-pin 0.1" female IDC header. The design will hence need a male IDC header. We advise to use a boxed header to guard against incorrect plug-ins. If you use a 90 degree angled header, make sure that pins 2, 4, 6, ..., 20 are along the edge of the PCB.

Connect pins 4, 8, 12, 16, 20 of the xSYS header to ground, and then connect:

- ▶ TDI to pin 5 of the xSYS header
- ▶ TMS to pin 7 of the xSYS header
- ▶ TCK to pin 9 of the xSYS header
- ▶ TDO to pin 13 of the xSYS header

The RST_N net should be open-drain, active-low, and have a pull-up to VDDIO.

E.3 Full xSYS header

For a full xSYS header you will need to connect the pins as discussed in Section E.2, and then connect a 2-wire xCONNECT Link to the xSYS header. The links can be found in the Signal description table (Section 4): they are labelled XL0, XL1, etc in the function column. The 2-wire link comprises two inputs and outputs, labelled XL_{out}^1 , XL_{out}^0 , XL_{in}^0 , and XL_{in}^1 . For example, if you choose to use XL0 for xSCOPE I/O, you need to connect up XL_{out}^1 , XL_{out}^0 , XL_{in}^0 , XL_{in}^1 as follows:

- ▶ XL_{out}^1 (X0D43) to pin 6 of the xSYS header with a 33R series resistor close to the device.
- ▶ XL_{out}^0 (X0D42) to pin 10 of the xSYS header with a 33R series resistor close to the device.
- ▶ XL_{in}^0 (X0D41) to pin 14 of the xSYS header.
- ▶ XL_{in}^1 (X0D40) to pin 18 of the xSYS header.

F.5 Boot

- ☐ X0D01 has a 1K pull-up to VDDIOL (Section 8).
- ☐ The device is kept in reset for at least 1 ms after VDDIOL has reached its minimum level (Section 8).

F.6 JTAG, XScope, and debugging

- ☐ You have decided as to whether you need an XSYS header or not (Section E)
- ☐ If you have not included an XSYS header, you have devised a method to program the SPI-flash or OTP (Section E).

F.7 GPIO

- ☐ You have not mapped both inputs and outputs to the same multi-bit port.
- ☐ Pins X0D04, X0D05, X0D06, and X0D07 are output only and are, during and after reset, pulled low or not connected (Section 8)

F.8 Multi device designs

Skip this section if your design only includes a single XMOS device.

- ☐ One device is connected to a QSPI or SPI flash for booting.
- ☐ Devices that boot from link have, for example, X0D06 pulled high and have link XL0 connected to a device to boot from (Section 8).

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