



Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel® FPGA IP Core User Guide

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1. Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP Overview

The Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP core offers low round-trip latency and small size to implement the *IEEE 802.3ba and 802.3bj High Speed Ethernet Standard*.

The Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP is used in multiple variants of the Intel® Stratix® 10 and Intel Agilex™ device families. Refer to the *Ethernet IP Naming Convention* table to view the device-specific IP name.

Table 1. Ethernet IP Naming Convention

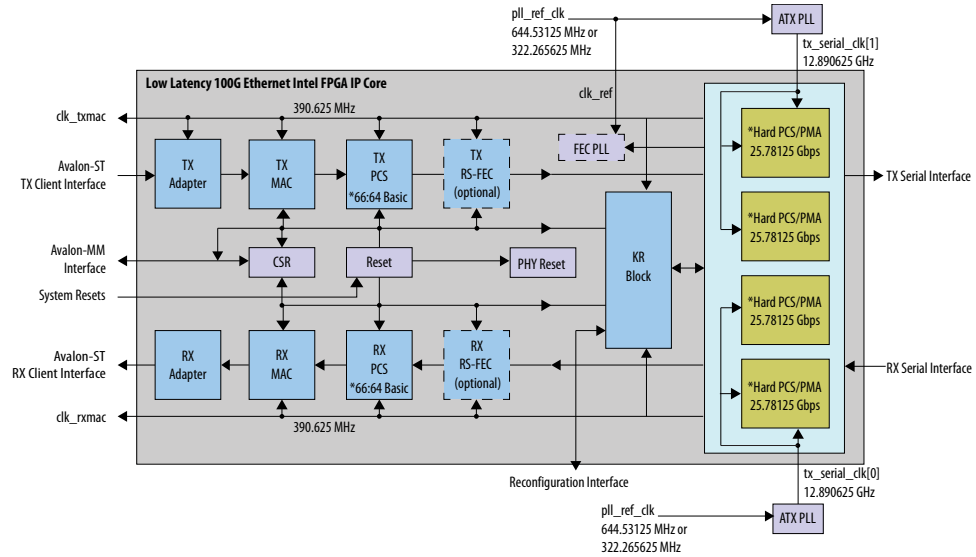
The IP core is included in the Intel FPGA IP Library and is available from the Intel Quartus® Prime Pro Edition IP Catalog.

Supported Device Family	IP Name displayed in IP Catalog
Intel Stratix 10	Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA
Intel Agilex	Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel Agilex FPGA IP

Attention: In this document, unless specified, the Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP refers to all supported device families.

Figure 1. Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP Core

Main blocks, internal connections, and external block requirements.



*The IP core uses TX PCS and RX PCS to do 66:64 bit encoding/decoding. Hard PCS is used for other link related functions.

The MAC client-side Avalon® streaming interface (Avalon-ST) data bus is 512 bits wide. The client-side data maps to four 25.78125 Gbps transceiver PHY links.



The FPGA serial transceivers are compliant with the IEEE 802.3ba standard CAUI-4 specification. You can connect the transceiver interfaces directly to an external physical medium dependent (PMD) optical module or to another device.

Related Information

- [Functional Description](#) on page 28
Provides detailed descriptions of Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP core operation and functions.
- [Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel Stratix 10 FPGA IP Design Example User Guide](#)
- [Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel Agilex FPGA IP Design Example User Guide](#)

1.1. Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP Core Supported Features

The IP core is designed to the *IEEE 802.3ba-2010 and 802.3bj High Speed Ethernet Standard* available on the IEEE website (www.ieee.org). The MAC provides cut-through frame processing to optimize latency, and supports full wire line speed with a 64-byte frame length and back-to-back or mixed length traffic with no dropped packets. All Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP core variations include both a MAC and a PHY, and all variations are in full-duplex mode. These IP core variations offer the following features:

- PHY features:
 - Soft PCS logic that interfaces seamlessly to Intel Stratix 10 and Intel Agilex FPGA 25.78125 Gbps serial transceivers.
 - CAUI-4 external interface consisting of four FPGA hard serial transceiver lanes operating at 25.78125 Gbps.
 - Auto negotiation (AN) as defined in IEEE Standard 802.3-2015 Clause 73 and the 25G Ethernet Consortium Schedule Draft 1.6.
 - Link training (LT) as defined in IEEE Standard 802.3-2015 Clauses 92 and 93 and the 25G Ethernet Consortium Schedule Draft 1.6.
 - Optional Reed-Solomon forward error correction RS-FEC(528,514).
- Frame structure control features:
 - Support for jumbo packets.
 - TX and RX CRC pass-through control.
 - Optional TX CRC generation and insertion.
 - RX and TX preamble pass-through options for applications that require proprietary user management information transfer.
 - TX automatic frame padding to meet the 64-byte minimum Ethernet frame length at the Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP Ethernet connection.
 - Inter-packet Gap modulation capability for alignment marker insertion.



- Frame monitoring and statistics:
 - RX CRC checking and error reporting.
 - Optional RX strict SFD checking per IEEE specification.
 - RX malformed packet checking per IEEE specification.
 - Received control frame type indication.
 - Optional statistics counters.
 - Optional fault signaling reports local fault and generates remote fault, with *IEEE 802.3ba-2012 Ethernet Standard* Clause 66 support.
- Flow control:
 - Optional IEEE 802.3 Clause 31 Ethernet flow control operation using the pause registers or pause interface.
 - Optional priority-based flow control that complies with the *IEEE Standard 802.1Qbb-2011—Amendment 17: Priority-based Flow Control*, using the pause registers for fine control.
 - Pause frame filtering control.
- Debug and testability features:
 - Optional serial PMA loopback (TX to RX) at the serial transceiver for self-diagnostic testing.
 - TX error insertion capability supports test and debug.
 - Optional access to Native PHY Debug Master Endpoint (NPDME) for debugging or monitoring PHY signal integrity.
- User system interfaces:
 - Avalon Memory-Mapped (Avalon-MM) management interface to access the IP core control and status registers.
 - Avalon-ST data path interface connects to client logic with the start of frame in the most significant byte (MSB). Interface has data width 512 bits, to ensure the data rate despite this RX client interface SOP alignment and RX and TX preamble pass-through option.
 - Hardware and software reset control.

For a detailed specification of the Ethernet protocol refer to the *IEEE 802.3ba-2010 High Speed Ethernet Standard*.

Related Information

IEEE website

The *IEEE 802.3ba-2010 High Speed Ethernet Standard* and the *IEEE Standard 802.1Qbb-2011—Amendment 17: Priority-based Flow Control* are available on the IEEE website.

1.2. IP Core Device Family and Speed Grade Support

The following sections list the device family and device speed grade support offered by the Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP core:

[Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP Core Device Family Support](#) on page 8



Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP Core Device Speed Grade Support on page 8

1.2.1. Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP Core Device Family Support

Table 2. Intel FPGA IP Core Device Support Levels

Device Support Level	Definition
Advance	The IP core is available for simulation and compilation for this device family. Timing models include initial engineering estimates of delays based on early post-layout information. The timing models are subject to change as silicon testing improves the correlation between the actual silicon and the timing models. You can use this IP core for system architecture and resource utilization studies, simulation, pinout, system latency assessments, basic timing assessments (pipeline budgeting), and I/O transfer strategy (datapath width, burst depth, I/O standards tradeoffs).
Preliminary	The IP core is verified with preliminary timing models for this device family. The IP core meets all functional requirements, but might still be undergoing timing analysis for the device family. It can be used in production designs with caution.
Final	The IP core is verified with final timing models for this device family. The IP core meets all functional and timing requirements for the device family and can be used in production designs.

Table 3. Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP Core Device Family Support

Shows the level of support offered by the Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP core for each Intel FPGA device family.

Device Family	Support
Intel Stratix 10	Final
Intel Agilex	Preliminary
Other device families	No support

Related Information

Timing and Power Models

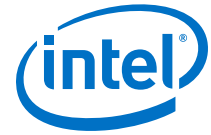
Reports the default device support levels in the current version of the Quartus Prime Pro Edition software.

1.2.2. Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP Core Device Speed Grade Support

Table 4. Slowest Supported Device Speed Grades

Lists the slowest supported device speed grades for the Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP core.

Device Family	Slowest Supported Speed Grades
Intel Stratix 10	E2
Intel Agilex	E2



1.3. IP Core Verification

To ensure functional correctness of the Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP core, Intel performs extensive validation through both simulation and hardware testing. Before releasing a version of the Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP core, Intel runs comprehensive regression tests in the current or associated version of the Intel Quartus Prime software.

Intel verifies that the current version of the Intel Quartus Prime software compiles the previous version of each IP core. Any exceptions to this verification are reported in the *Intel FPGA IP Release Notes*. Intel does not verify compilation with IP core versions older than the previous release.

Related Information

- [Knowledge Base Errata for Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP core](#)
Exceptions to functional correctness that first manifest in software releases 17.1 and later are documented in the Intel Stratix 10 Low Latency 100GbE IP core errata.
- [Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel Stratix 10 FPGA IP Core Release Notes](#)
The IP Release Notes list IP changes in a particular release.
- [Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel Agilex FPGA IP Core Release Notes](#)
The IP Release Notes list IP changes in a particular release.

1.3.1. Simulation Environment

Intel performs the following tests on the Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP core in the simulation environment using internal and third-party standard bus functional models (BFM):

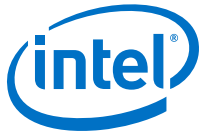
- Constrained random tests that cover randomized frame size and contents
- Randomized error injection tests that inject Frame Check Sequence (FCS) field errors, runt packets, and corrupt control characters, and then check for the proper response from the IP core
- Assertion based tests to confirm proper behavior of the IP core with respect to the specification
- Extensive coverage of our runtime configuration space and proper behavior in all possible modes of operation

1.3.2. Compilation Checking

Intel performs compilation testing on an extensive set of Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP core variations and designs that target different devices, to ensure the Intel Quartus Prime software places and routes the IP core ports correctly.

1.3.3. Hardware Testing

Intel performs hardware testing of the key functions of the Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP core using standard 100Gbps Ethernet network test equipment and optical modules. The Intel hardware tests of the Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP core also ensure reliable solution coverage for hardware related areas such as performance, link synchronization, and reset recovery.



1.4. Performance and Resource Utilization

Resource utilization changes depending on the parameter settings you specify in the Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP parameter editor. For example, if you turn on RS-FEC in the Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA parameter editor, the IP core requires additional resources to implement the additional functionality.

Table 5. IP Core Variation Encoding for Resource Utilization Tables

"On" indicates the parameter is turned on. The symbol "—" indicates the parameter is turned off or not available.

IP Core Variation	A	B	C	D	E
Parameter					
Enable RS-FEC	—	—	On	—	On
Enable TX CRC insertion	—	On	On	On	On
Enable preamble passthrough	—	—	—	On	On
Enable RX/TX statistics counters	—	On	On	On	On

Table 6. IP Core FPGA Resource Utilization for Intel Stratix 10 Devices

Lists the resources and expected performance for selected variations of the IP core, from one compilation of each IP core variation. Your results may vary depending on your overall design.

These results were obtained using the Intel Quartus Prime Pro Edition v20.3 software.

Note: Resource utilization numbers for variations with RS-FEC enabled, reflect preliminary results for the RS-FEC feature. The resource utilization for this block might vary by up to 5% in the final implementation of this feature.

- The numbers of ALMs and logic registers are rounded up to the nearest 100.
- The numbers of ALMs, before rounding, are the **ALMs needed** numbers from the Intel Quartus Prime Fitter Report.

LL 100GbE Variation	ALMs	Dedicated Logic Registers	Memory M20K
A	24,877	58,120	40
B	29,557	67,190	40
C	57,472	135,615	100
D	29,380	66,876	40
E	57,053	134,649	100



Table 7. IP Core FPGA Resource Utilization for Intel Agilex Devices

Lists the resources and expected performance for selected variations of the IP core, from one compilation of each IP core variation. Your results may vary depending on your overall design.

These results were obtained using the Intel Quartus Prime Pro Edition v20.3 software.

Note: Resource utilization numbers for variations with RS-FEC enabled, reflect preliminary results for the RS-FEC feature. The resource utilization for this block might vary by up to 5% in the final implementation of this feature.

- The numbers of ALMs and logic registers are rounded up to the nearest 100.
- The numbers of ALMs, before rounding, are the **ALMs needed** numbers from the Intel Quartus Prime Fitter Report.

LL 100GbE Variation	ALMs	Dedicated Logic Registers	Memory M20K
A	25,292	59,751	40
B	29,979	68,751	40
C	57,817	136,742	101
D	29,830	68,004	40
E	57,665	136,694	100

1.5. Release Information

IP versions are the same as the Intel Quartus Prime Design Suite software versions up to v19.1. From Intel Quartus Prime Design Suite software version 19.2 or later, IP cores have a new IP versioning scheme. If an IP core version is not listed, the user guide for the previous IP core version applies.

The IP versioning scheme (X.Y.Z) number changes from one software version to another. A change in:

- X indicates a major revision of the IP. If you update your Intel Quartus Prime software, you must regenerate the IP.
- Y indicates the IP includes new features. Regenerate your IP to include these new features.
- Z indicates the IP includes minor changes. Regenerate your IP to include these changes.

Table 8. Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP Current Release Information

Item	Description
Version	19.2.0
Release Date	2020.04.13
Ordering Codes	Low Latency 100G Ethernet MAC and PHY: IP-100GEUMACPHY

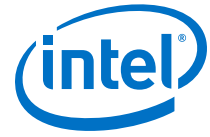


Table 9. Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel Agilex FPGA IP Current Release Information

Item	Description
Version	20.3.0
Release Date	2020.09.28
Ordering Codes	100GEUMACPHY

Related Information

- [Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel Stratix 10 FPGA IP Core Release Notes](#)
The IP Release Notes list IP changes in a particular release.
- [Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel Agilex FPGA IP Core Release Notes](#)
The IP Release Notes list IP changes in a particular release.



2. Getting Started

The following sections explain how to install, parameterize, simulate, and initialize the Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP:

[Installing and Licensing Intel FPGA IP Cores](#) on page 13

[Specifying the IP Core Parameters and Options](#) on page 14

[Simulating the IP Core](#) on page 15

[Generated File Structure](#) on page 16

[Integrating Your IP Core in Your Design](#) on page 18

[IP Core Testbenches](#) on page 22

[Compiling the Full Design and Programming the FPGA](#) on page 22

Related Information

- [Introduction to Intel FPGA IP Cores](#)
Provides general information about all Intel FPGA IP cores, including parameterizing, generating, upgrading, and simulating IP cores.
- [Generating a Combined Simulator Setup Script](#)
Create simulation scripts that do not require manual updates for software or IP version upgrades.
- [Project Management Best Practices](#)
Guidelines for efficient management and portability of your project and IP files.

2.1. Installing and Licensing Intel FPGA IP Cores

The Intel Quartus Prime software installation includes the Intel FPGA IP library. This library provides many useful IP cores for your production use without the need for an additional license. Some Intel FPGA IP cores require purchase of a separate license for production use. The Intel FPGA IP Evaluation Mode allows you to evaluate these licensed Intel FPGA IP cores in simulation and hardware, before deciding to purchase a full production IP core license. You only need to purchase a full production license for licensed Intel IP cores after you complete hardware testing and are ready to use the IP in production.

The Intel Quartus Prime software installs IP cores in the following locations by default:

Figure 2. IP Core Installation Path

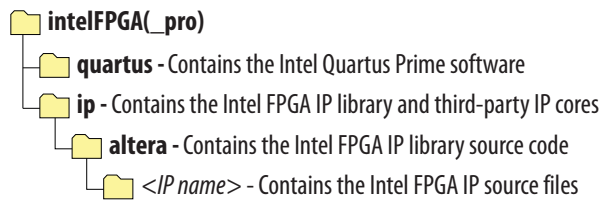


Table 10. IP Core Installation Locations

Location	Software	Platform
<drive>:\intelFPGA_pro\quartus\ip\altera	Intel Quartus Prime Pro Edition	Windows*
<home directory>:/intelFPGA_pro/quartus/ip/altera	Intel Quartus Prime Pro Edition	Linux*

2.2. Specifying the IP Core Parameters and Options

The Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA parameter editor allows you to quickly configure your custom IP variation. Use the following steps to specify IP core options and parameters in the Intel Quartus Prime Pro Edition software.

- If you do not already have an Intel Quartus Prime Pro Edition project in which to integrate your Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP core, you must create one.
 - In the Intel Quartus Prime Pro Edition, click **File > New Project Wizard** to create a new Intel Quartus Prime project, or **File > Open Project** to open an existing Intel Quartus Prime project. The wizard prompts you to specify a device.
 - Specify the device family and select a device that meets all of these requirements:
 - Transceiver tile is L-tile or H-tile
 - Transceiver speed grade is -1 or -2
 - Core speed grade is -1 or -2

Note: For Intel Stratix 10 devices, 1SG280L ES1 is not a device (part name 1SG280L...VGS1).

Note: For Intel Agilex devices, supported device is AGFB014R17A2E2V.
 - Click **Finish**.
- In the IP Catalog, locate and select **Low Latency 100G Ethernet**. The **New IP Variation** window appears.
- Specify a top-level name for your new custom IP variation. The parameter editor saves the IP variation settings in a file named <your_ip>.ip.
- Click **OK**. The parameter editor appears.
- Specify the parameters for your IP core variation. Refer to [IP Core Parameters](#) on page 23 for information about specific IP core parameters.
- Optionally, to generate a simulation testbench or compilation and hardware design example, follow the instructions in the *Design Example User Guide*.



7. Click **Generate HDL**. The **Generation** dialog box appears.
8. Specify output file generation options, and then click **Generate**. The IP variation files generate according to your specifications.
Note: A functional VHDL IP core is not available. Specify Verilog HDL only, for your IP core variation.
9. Click **Finish**. The parameter editor adds the top-level `.ip` file to the current project automatically. If you are prompted to manually add the `.ip` file to the project, click **Project > Add/Remove Files in Project** to add the file.
10. After generating and instantiating your IP variation, make appropriate pin assignments to connect ports.

Related Information

- [Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel Stratix 10 FPGA IP Design Example User Guide](#)
Information about generating the design example.
- [Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel Agilex FPGA IP Design Example User Guide](#)
Information about generating the design example.

2.3. Simulating the IP Core

You can simulate your IP core variation with the functional simulation model and the testbench generated with the IP core. The functional simulation model is a cycle-accurate model that allows for fast functional simulation of your IP core instance using industry-standard Verilog HDL simulators. If your IP core variation does not generate a matching testbench, you can create your own testbench to exercise the IP core functional simulation model.

The functional simulation model and testbench files are generated in project subdirectories. These directories also include scripts to compile and run the example design.

Note: Use the simulation models only for simulation and not for synthesis or any other purposes. Using these models for synthesis creates a nonfunctional design.

In the top-level wrapper file for your simulation project, you can set the following RTL parameters to enable simulation optimization. These optimizations significantly decrease the time to reach link initialization.

- `SIM_SHORT_AM`: Shortens the interval between alignment markers to accelerate alignment marker lock. Alignment markers are used when Reed-Solomon FEC is enabled.

In general, parameters are set through the IP core parameter editor and you should not change them manually. The only exceptions are these simulation parameters.

To set the simulation optimization parameters on the PHY blocks, add the following lines to the top-level wrapper file:

```
defparam <dut instance>.SIM_SHORT_AM = 1'b1;
```

Note: You can use the example testbench as a guide for setting the simulation parameters in your own simulation environment. These lines are already present in the Intel-provided testbench for the IP core.

Related Information

[Simulating Intel FPGA IP Cores](#)

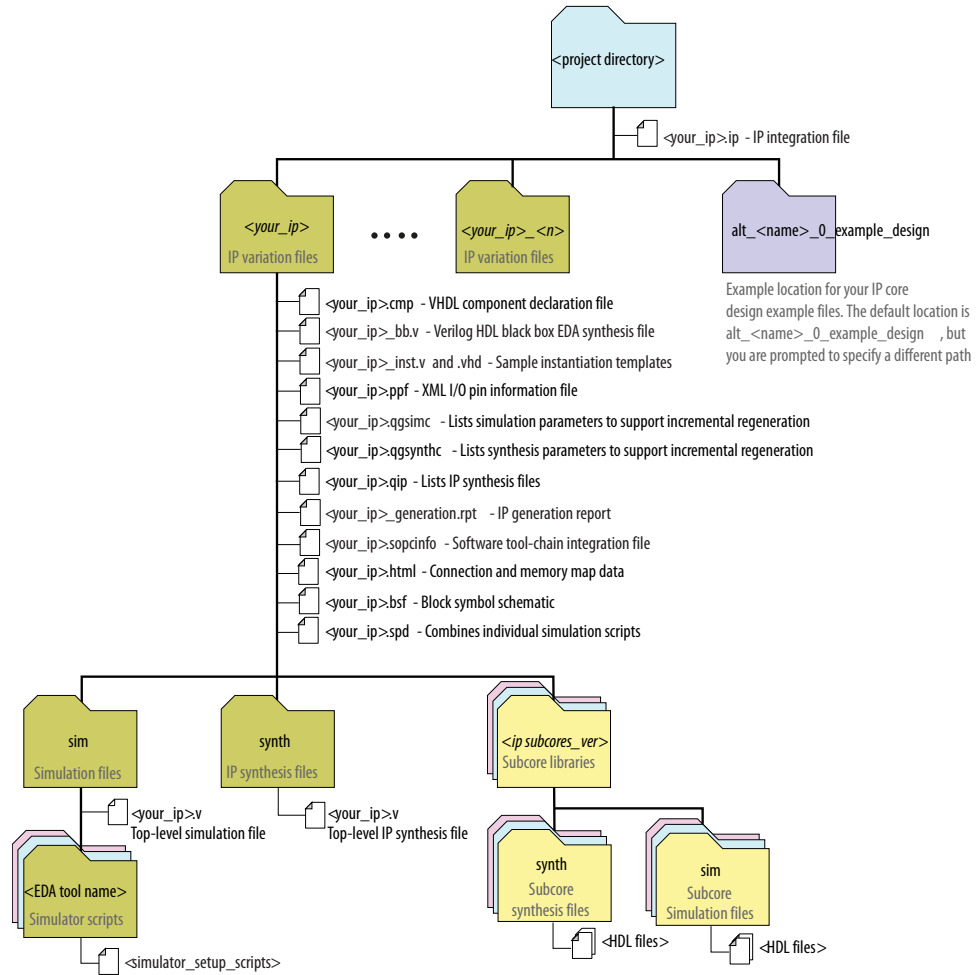
2.4. Generated File Structure

The Intel Quartus Prime Pro Edition software generates the following IP core output file structure.

For information about the file structure of the design example, refer to the *Design Example User Guide*.

Figure 3. Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP Core Generated Files

For Intel Stratix 10 devices, the example design directory name is alt_e100s10_0_example design. For Intel Agilex devices, the example design directory name is alt_e100fmh_0_example design.



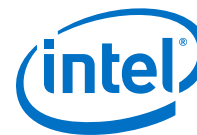


Table 11. IP Core Generated Files

File Name	Description
<your_ip>.ip	The Platform Designer system or top-level IP variation file. <your_ip> is the name that you give your IP variation.
<your_ip>.cmp	The VHDL Component Declaration (.cmp) file is a text file that contains local generic and port definitions that you can use in VHDL design files. This IP core does not support VHDL. However, the Intel Quartus Prime Pro Edition software generates this file.
<your_ip>.html	A report that contains connection information, a memory map showing the address of each slave with respect to each master to which it is connected, and parameter assignments.
<your_ip>_generation.rpt	IP or Platform Designer generation log file. A summary of the messages during IP generation.
<your_ip>.qgsimc	Lists simulation parameters to support incremental regeneration.
<your_ip>.qgsynthc	Lists synthesis parameters to support incremental regeneration.
<your_ip>.qip	Contains all the required information about the IP component to integrate and compile the IP component in the Intel Quartus Prime software.
<your_ip>.sopcinfo	Describes the connections and IP component parameterizations in your Platform Designer system. You can parse its contents to get requirements when you develop software drivers for IP components. Downstream tools such as the Nios® II tool chain use this file. The <code>.sopcinfo</code> file and the <code>system.h</code> file generated for the Nios II tool chain include address map information for each slave relative to each master that accesses the slave. Different masters may have a different address map to access a particular slave component.
<your_ip>.csv	Contains information about the upgrade status of the IP component.
<your_ip>.bsf	A Block Symbol File (.bsf) representation of the IP variation for use in Quartus Prime Block Diagram Files (.bdf).
<your_ip>.spd	Required input file for <code>ip-make-simscript</code> to generate simulation scripts for supported simulators. The .spd file contains a list of files generated for simulation, along with information about memories that you can initialize.
<your_ip>.ppf	The Pin Planner File (.ppf) stores the port and node assignments for IP components created for use with the Pin Planner.
<your_ip>_bb.v	You can use the Verilog black-box (_bb.v) file as an empty module declaration for use as a black box.
<your_ip>_inst.v or _inst.vhd	HDL example instantiation template. You can copy and paste the contents of this file into your HDL file to instantiate the IP variation. This IP core does not support VHDL. However, the Intel Quartus Prime Pro Edition software generates the <code>_inst.vhd</code> file.
<your_ip>.regmap	If IP contains register information, .regmap file generates. The .regmap file describes the register map information of master and slave interfaces. This file complements the .sopcinfo file by providing more detailed register information about the system. This enables register display views and user customizable statistics in the System Console.
<your_ip>.svd	Allows hard processor system (HPS) System Debug tools to view the register maps of peripherals connected to HPS within a Platform Designer system. During synthesis, the .svd files for slave interfaces visible to System Console masters are stored in the .sof file in the debug section. System Console reads this section, which Platform Designer can query for register map information. For system slaves, Platform Designer can access the registers by name.
<your_ip>.v	HDL files that instantiate each submodule or child IP core for synthesis or simulation.
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File Name	Description
mentor/	Contains a ModelSim script <code>msim_setup.tcl</code> to set up and run a simulation.
aldec/	Contains a Riviera-PRO script <code>rivierapro_setup.tcl</code> to setup and run a simulation.
synopsys/vcs/ synopsys/vcsmx/	Contains a shell script <code>vcs_setup.sh</code> to set up and run a VCS® simulation. Contains a shell script <code>vcsmx_setup.sh</code> and <code>synopsys_sim.setup</code> file to set up and run a VCS MX® simulation.
cadence/	Contains a shell script <code>ncsim_setup.sh</code> and other setup files to set up and run an NCSIM simulation.
submodules/	Contains HDL files for the IP core submodules.
<child IP cores>/	For each generated child IP core directory, Platform Designer generates <code>synth/</code> and <code>sim/</code> sub-directories.

Related Information

- [Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel Stratix 10 FPGA IP Design Example User Guide](#)
- [Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel Agilex FPGA IP Design Example User Guide](#)

2.5. Integrating Your IP Core in Your Design

When you integrate your IP core instance in your design, you must pay attention to the following items:

[Pin Assignments](#) on page 18

[Adding the Transceiver PLLs](#) on page 19

[Placement Settings for the Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP Core](#) on page 21

Related Information

- [Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel Stratix 10 FPGA IP Design Example User Guide](#)
- [Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel Agilex FPGA IP Design Example User Guide](#)

2.5.1. Pin Assignments

When you integrate your Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP core instance in your design, you must make appropriate pin assignments. You can create a virtual pin to avoid making specific pin assignments for top-level signals until you are ready to map the design to hardware.

Related Information

- [Adding the Transceiver PLLs](#) on page 19
- [Quartus Prime Help](#)
For information about the Quartus Prime software, including virtual pins and the IP Catalog.
- [L- and H-Tile Transceiver PHY User Guide](#)
Information about constraints on transceiver configuration in Intel Stratix 10 devices.



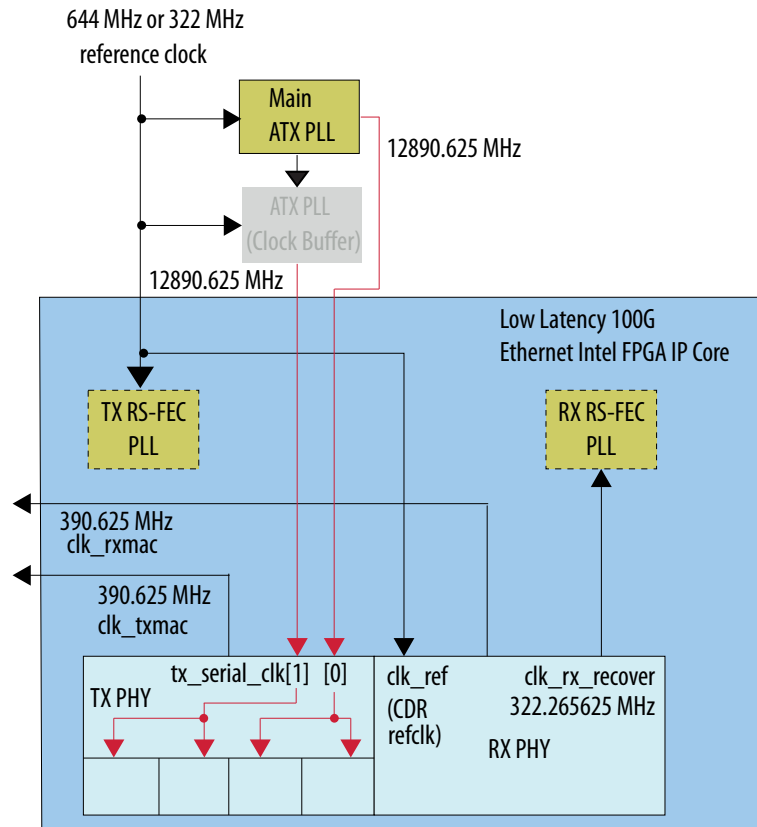
2.5.2. Adding the Transceiver PLLs

The IP core requires two external TX transceiver PLLs to compile and to function correctly in hardware. The ATX PLL supports the required data rate.

The transceiver PLLs you configure are physically present on the device, but the IP core does not configure and connect them. The number of required ATX PLLs is two. Each ATX PLL drives the clocks for two transceiver channels.

Figure 4. PLL Configuration Example

The TX transceiver PLLs are instantiated with two ATX PLL IP cores, one as the main ATX PLL and another as a clock buffer. The TX transceiver PLLs must always be instantiated outside the Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP Core.





To configure an ATX PLL as the main ATX PLL:

- Select **L-Tile/H-Tile Transceiver ATX PLL FPGA IP**.
- In the parameter editor, set the following parameter values:
 - Set **VCCR_GXB and VCCT_GXB supply voltage for the Transceiver** to **1_1V**.
 - Set **Primary PLL clock output buffer** to **GXT clock output buffer**.
 - Turn on **Enable GXT clock output port to above ATX PLL (gxt_output_to_abv_atx)** or **Enable GXT clock output port to below ATX PLL (gxt_output_to_blw_atx)**.
 - Turn on **Enable GXT local clock output port (tx_serial_clk_gxt)**.
 - Turn on **Enable GXT clock buffer to above ATX PLL**.
 - Set **GXT output clock source** to **Local ATX PLL**.
 - Set **PLL output frequency** to **12890.625 MHz**. The transceiver performs dual edge clocking, using both the rising and falling edges of the input clock from the PLL. Therefore, this PLL output frequency setting supports a 25.78125 Gbps data rate through the transceiver.
 - Set **PLL auto mode reference clock frequency** to the value you specified for the **PHY Reference Frequency** parameter.

To configure an ATX PLL as a GXT transmit PLL with GXT clocks to adjacent GXT channels and GXT clock buffer ATX PLLs:

- Set the **ATX PLL operation mode** drop-down as **GXT mode**.
- Set the **Enable GXT local clock output port (tx_serial_clk_gxt)** .
- Set the **GXT output clock source** drop-down as **Local ATX PLL**.
- Select the **Enable GXT output port** to **Input from ATX PLL above (gxt_input_from_abv_atx)** or **Input from ATX PLL below (gxt_input_from_blw_atx)**.
- Tie off the `pll_refclk0` pin to `REFCLK` pin, if the GXT clock buffer ATX PLL is not reconfigured to a GXT transmit PLL or GX transmit PLL.

When you generate a Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP core, the software also generates the HDL code for an ATX PLL, in the file `<variation_name>/atx_pll_s100.v`. However, the HDL code for the Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP core does not instantiate the ATX PLL. If you choose to use the ATX PLL provided with the Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP core, you must instantiate and connect the instances of the ATX PLL with the Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP core in user logic. Connect the ATX PLL input reference clock to the dedicated reference clock pin. Do not use the reference clock network for this connection.

Note:

If your design includes multiple instances of the Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP core, do not use the ATX PLL HDL code provided with the IP core. Instead, generate new TX PLL IP cores to connect in your design.

You must drive the reference clock input ports of the two PLLs with the same clock to minimize PMM differences. This clock can be but need not be the same as the clock that drives the Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP core reference clock.



Each PLL drives the `tx_serial_clk` input of two of the Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP core PHY links. You must connect the PLLs to the Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP core as follows:

PLL	PLL Signal	Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP Core Signal
A	<code>tx_serial_clk</code>	<code>tx_serial_clk[0]</code>
A	<code>pll_locked</code>	<code>tx_pll_locked[0]</code>
B	<code>tx_serial_clk</code>	<code>tx_serial_clk[1]</code>
B	<code>pll_locked</code>	<code>tx_pll_locked[1]</code>

Refer to the example compilation project or design example for working user logic that demonstrates one correct method to instantiate and connect the external PLLs.

Related Information

- [L- and H-Tile Transceiver PHY User Guide](#)
Information about the correspondence between PLLs and transceiver channels in Intel Stratix 10 devices, and information about how to configure an external transceiver PLL for your own design. Refer to the sections about the GXT clock network and about using the ATX PLL for GXT channels.
- [Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel Stratix 10 FPGA IP Design Example User Guide](#)
Information about the Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA design example, which connects two external PLLs to the IP core PHY links.
- [Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel Agilex FPGA IP Design Example User Guide](#)
Information about the Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel Agilex IP design example, which connects two external PLLs to the IP core PHY links.

2.5.3. Placement Settings for the Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP Core

The Intel Quartus Prime Pro Edition software provides the options to specify design partitions and Logic Lock regions for block-based design, to control placement on the device. To achieve timing closure for your design, you might need to provide floorplan guidelines using one or both of these features.

The appropriate floorplan is always design-specific, and depends on your full design.

Related Information

- [Intel Quartus Prime Pro Edition Handbook Volume 2: Design Implementation and Optimization](#)
Describes design constraints and Logic Lock Plus regions.
- [Block-Based Design Flows](#)

2.6. IP Core Testbenches

Intel provides a compilation-only design example and a testbench with certain variations of the Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP core.

To generate the testbench, in the IP parameter editor, you must first set the parameter values for the IP core variation you intend to generate in your end product. If you do not set the parameter values for your DUT to match the parameter values in your end product, the testbench you generate does not exercise the IP core variation you intend. If your IP core variation does not meet the criteria for a testbench, the parameter editor provides warnings and the design example generation process creates a testbench that does not function correctly.

The testbench demonstrates a basic test of the IP core. It is not intended to be a substitute for a full verification environment.

Related Information

- [Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel Stratix 10 FPGA IP Design Example User Guide](#)
Information about generating and running the design example and testbench files for the Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel Stratix 10 FPGA IP core. This testbench demonstrates a basic test of the IP core. It is not intended to be a substitute for a full verification environment.
- [Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel Agilex FPGA IP Design Example User Guide](#)
Information about generating and running the design example and testbench files for the Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel Agilex FPGA IP core. This testbench demonstrates a basic test of the IP core. It is not intended to be a substitute for a full verification environment.

2.7. Compiling the Full Design and Programming the FPGA

You can use the **Start Compilation** command on the Processing menu in the Intel Quartus Prime Pro Edition software to compile your design. After successfully compiling your design, program the targeted Intel device with the Programmer and verify the design in hardware.

Note: The Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP core design example synthesis directories include Synopsys Constraint (.sdc) files that you can copy and modify for your own design.

Related Information

- [Block-Based Design Flows](#)
- [Programming Intel FPGA Devices](#)
- [Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP Design Example User Guide](#)
- [Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel Agilex FPGA IP Design Example User Guide](#)

3. IP Core Parameters

The Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP parameter editor provides the parameters you can set to configure the Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP core and simulation and hardware design examples.

Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP parameter editor includes an **Example Design** tab. For information about that tab, refer to the *Design Example User Guide*.

Table 12. Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP Parameters: Main Tab

Describes the parameters for customizing the Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP core on the Main tab of the Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP parameter editor.

Parameter	Type	Range	Default Setting	Parameter Description
General Options				
Device family	String	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Stratix 10 Agilex 	Default is set according to your Quartus project target device.	Selects the device family.
Target transceiver tile	String	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> H-Tile L-Tile 	Default is set according to your Quartus project target device.	Selects the Intel Stratix 10 target transceiver tile. The value is set automatically according to your Quartus project target device.
PCS/PMA Options				
Enable RS-FEC	Boolean	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> True False 	False	If this parameter is turned on, the IP core implements Reed-Solomon forward error correction (FEC) RS-FEC(528, 514).
PHY reference frequency	Integer (encoding)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 644.53125 MHz 322.265625 MHz 	644.53125 MHz	Sets the expected incoming PHY <code>clk_ref</code> reference frequency. The input clock frequency must match the frequency you specify for this parameter ($\pm 100\text{ppm}$).
Flow Control Options				
Enable MAC Flow Control	Boolean	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> True False 	False	If turned on, the IP core enables the flow control mechanism and generates the <code>pause_insert_tx [1:0]</code> and <code>pause_receive_rx</code> signals. If turned off, the IP core disables the flow control mechanism.
Number of queues in priority flow control	Integer	1–8	1	Number of distinct priority queues for priority-based flow control.
MAC Options				
Enable link fault generation	Boolean	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> True False 	False	If turned on, the IP core includes the link fault signaling modules and relevant signals. If turned off, the IP core is configured without these modules and without these signals. Turning on link fault

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Parameter	Type	Range	Default Setting	Parameter Description
				signaling provides your design a tool to improve reliability, but increases resource utilization.
Enable TX CRC insertion	Boolean	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • True • False 	True	<p>If turned on, the IP core inserts a 32-bit Frame Check Sequence (FCS), which is a CRC-32 checksum, in outgoing Ethernet frames. If turned off, the IP core does not insert the CRC-32 sequence in outgoing Ethernet communication. Turning on TX CRC insertion improves reliability but increases resource utilization and latency through the IP core.</p> <p>If you turn on flow control, the IP core must be configured with TX CRC insertion, and this parameter is not available.</p>
Enable preamble passthrough	Boolean	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • True • False 	False	<p>If turned on, the IP core is in RX and TX preamble pass-through mode. In RX preamble pass-through mode, the IP core passes the preamble and SFD to the client instead of stripping them out of the Ethernet packet. In TX preamble pass-through mode, the client specifies the preamble to be sent in the Ethernet frame.</p>
Enable RX/TX statistics counters	Boolean	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • True • False 	True	<p>If turned on, the IP core includes built-in TX and RX statistics counters. If turned off, the IP core is configured without statistics counters. In any case, the IP core outputs frame status flags for the current input or output data.</p>
Enable Strict SFD check	Boolean	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • True • False 	False	<p>If turned on, the IP core can implement strict SFD checking, depending on register settings.</p>
Configuration, Debug and Extension Options				
Enable Native PHY Debug Master Endpoint (NPDME)	Boolean	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • True • False 	False	<p>If turned on, the IP core turns on the following features in the Native PHY IP core that is included in the Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP core:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Enable Native PHY Debug Master Endpoint (NPDME) • Enable capability registers <p>If turned off, the IP core is configured without these features.</p>
Enable JTAG to Avalon Master Bridge	Boolean	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • True • False 	False	<p>If turned on, the IP core includes a JTAG to Avalon-MM Master bridge connecting internally to status and reconfiguration registers. This allows to run the Ethernet Link Inspector using the System Console.</p>
AN/LT Options				
Enable AN/LT	Boolean	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • True • False 	False	<p>If this parameter is turned on, the IP core supports auto negotiation as defined in <i>IEEE Standard 802.3-2015</i> Clause 73 and the <i>25G Ethernet Consortium Schedule Draft 1-6</i>, and link training as defined in <i>IEEE Standard 802.3-2015</i> Clauses 92 and 93 and the <i>25G Ethernet Consortium Schedule Draft 1-6</i>.</p>

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Parameter	Type	Range	Default Setting	Parameter Description
				If this parameter is turned off, the IP core does not support these features, and the other parameters on this tab are not available.
Status clock rate	Integer	100–162 MHz	100 MHz	Sets the expected incoming <code>i_reconfig_clk</code> frequency. The input clock frequency must match the frequency you specify for this parameter. The IP core is configured with this information to ensure the IP core measures the link fail inhibit time accurately (determines the value of the Link Fail Inhibit timer (IEEE 802.3 clause 73.10.2) correctly).
Auto Negotiation				
Enable Auto Negotiation	Boolean	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • True • False 	True	If this parameter is turned on, the IP core includes logic to implement auto negotiation as defined in Clause 73 of <i>IEEE Std 802.3–2015</i> . If this parameter is turned off, the IP core does not include auto negotiation logic and cannot perform auto negotiation.
Link fail inhibit time	Integer	500–510 ms	504 ms	Specifies the time before link status is set to FAIL or OK. A link fails if the time duration specified by this parameter expires before link status is set to OK. For more information, refer to <i>Clause 73 Auto Negotiation for Backplane Ethernet in IEEE Standard 802.3–2015</i> . The IP core asserts the <code>o_rx_pcs_ready</code> signal to indicate link status is OK.
Enable CR Technology Ability	Boolean	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • True • False 	True	If this parameter is turned on, the IP core advertises CR capability by default. If this parameter is turned off, but auto negotiation is turned on, the IP core advertises KR capability by default.
Auto Negotiation Master	Option	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lane 0 • Lane 1 • Lane 2 • Lane 3 	Lane 0	Selects the master channel for auto negotiation. The IP core does not provide a mechanism to change the master channel dynamically. The value you set in the parameter editor cannot be changed during operation. For 100G Ethernet rate , all options are available.
Pause ability–C0	Boolean	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • True • False 	True	If this parameter is turned on, the IP core indicates on the Ethernet link that it supports symmetric pauses as defined in <i>Annex 28B of Section 2 of IEEE Std 802.3–2015</i> .
Pause ability–C1	Boolean	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • True • False 	True	If this parameter is turned on, the IP core indicates on the Ethernet link that it supports asymmetric pauses as defined in <i>Annex 28B of Section 2 of IEEE Std 802.3–2015</i> .
Link Training				
<i>continued...</i>				



Parameter	Type	Range	Default Setting	Parameter Description
Enable Link Training	Boolean	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> True False 	True	If this parameter is turned on, the IP core includes the link training module, which configures the remote link partner TX PMD for the lowest Bit Error Rate (BER). LT is defined in Clause 92 of <i>IEEE Std 802.3-2015</i> .
Number of frames to send at end of training	Integer	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 127 255 	127	Specifies the number of additional training frames the local link partner delivers after training is complete to ensure that the link partner can correctly detect the local receiver state.
Enable Clause 72 PRBS11 generation	Boolean	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> True False 	False	If turned on, the IP core includes logic to generate the legacy Clause 72 PRBS pattern, in addition to the 25G Link Training patterns specified in Clause 92 of the <i>IEEE Std 802.3-2015</i> . If turned off, the IP core generates only the 25G Link Training patterns specified in Clause 92 of the <i>IEEE Std 802.3-2015</i> .
Link Training: PMA Parameters				
VMAXRULE	Integer	0-31	30	Specifies the maximum V_{OD} . The default value, 30, represents 1200 mV. This default value is the maximum value the device should drive.
VMINRULE	Integer	0-31	6	Specifies the minimum V_{OD} . The default value, 6, represents 165 mV. This default value is the minimum value the device should drive.
VODMINRULE	Integer	0-31	14	Specifies the minimum V_{OD} for the first tap. The default value, 14, represents 440 mV.
VPOSTRULE	Integer	0-25	25	Specifies the maximum value that the internal algorithm for pre-emphasis will ever test in determining the optimum post-tap setting.
VPRERULE	Integer	0-16	16	Specifies the maximum value that the internal algorithm for pre-emphasis will ever test in determining the optimum pre-tap setting.
PREMAINVAL	Integer	0-31	30	Specifies the Preset V_{OD} value. This value is set by the Preset command of the link training protocol, defined in Clause 72.6.10.2.3.1 of <i>IEEE Std 802.3-2015</i> .
PREPOSTVAL	Integer	0-25	0	Specifies the preset Post-tap value.
PREPREVAL	Integer	0-16	0	Specifies the preset Pre-tap value.
INITMAINVAL	Integer	0-31	25	Specifies the initial V_{OD} value. This value is set by the Initialize command of the link training protocol, defined in Clause 72.6.10.2.3.2 of <i>IEEE Std 802.3-2015</i> .
INITPOSTVAL	Integer	0-25	13	Specifies the initial Post-tap value.
INITPREVAL	Integer	0-16	3	Specifies the initial Pre-tap value.



Related Information

- [Clocks](#) on page 53
The **PHY reference frequency** value is the required frequency of the transceiver reference clock.
- [L- and H-Tile Transceiver PHY User Guide](#)
Information about the Stratix 10 L-tile Native PHY IP core features, including NPDME.
- [Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel Stratix 10 FPGA IP Design Example User Guide](#)
Information about the **Example Design** tab in the Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel Stratix 10 FPGA IP parameter editor.
- [Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel Agilex FPGA IP Design Example User Guide](#)
Information about the **Example Design** tab in the Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel Agilex FPGA IP parameter editor.

4. Functional Description

The Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP core implements an Ethernet MAC in accordance with the *IEEE 802.3 Ethernet Standard*. The IP core handles the frame encapsulation and flow of data between client logic and an Ethernet network through a 100-Gbps Ethernet PCS and PMA (PHY).

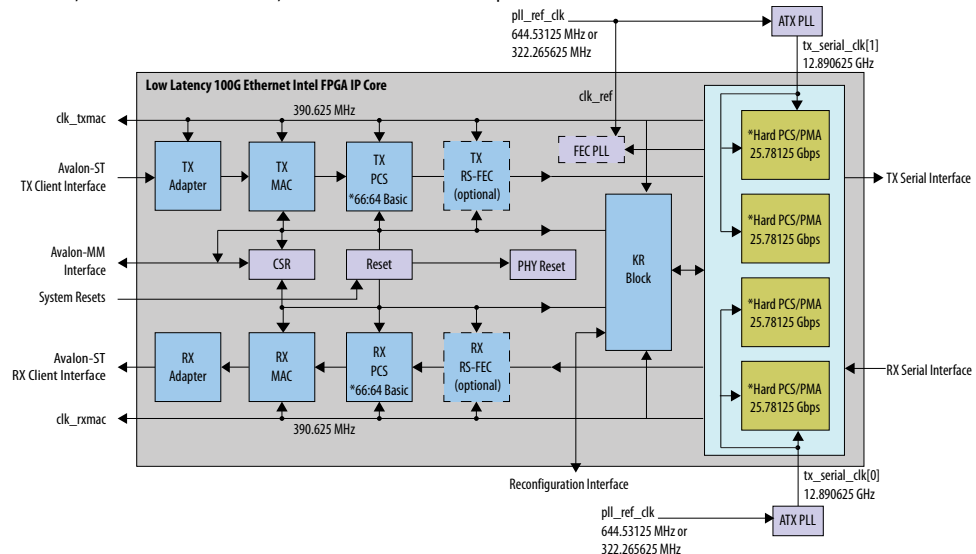
In the transmit direction, the MAC accepts client frames, and inserts inter-packet gap (IPG), preamble, start of frame delimiter (SFD), padding, and CRC bits before passing them to the PHY. The MAC also updates the TX statistics counters if they are present. The PHY encodes the MAC frame as required for reliable transmission over the media to the remote end.

In the receive direction, the PHY passes frames to the MAC. The MAC accepts frames from the PHY, performs checks, updates statistics counters if they are present, strips out the CRC, preamble, and SFD, and passes the rest of the frame to the client. In RX preamble pass-through mode, the MAC passes on the preamble and SFD to the client instead of stripping them out. In RX CRC pass-through mode (bit 1 of the CRC_CONFIG register has the value of 1), the MAC passes on the CRC bytes to the client and asserts the EOP signal in the same clock cycle with the final CRC byte.

4.1. High Level System Overview

Figure 5. Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP Core

Main blocks, internal connections, and external block requirements.



*The IP core uses TX PCS and RX PCS to do 66:64 bit encoding/decoding. Hard PCS is used for other link related functions.

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4.2. Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP Core TX Datapath

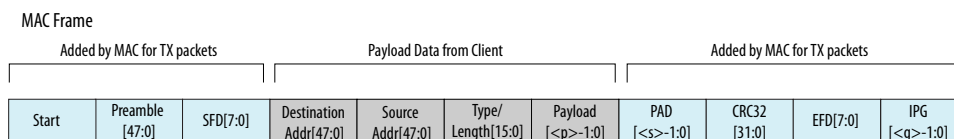
The TX MAC module receives the client payload data with the destination and source addresses and then adds, appends, or updates various header fields in accordance with the configuration specified. The MAC does not modify the destination address, the source address, or the payload received from the client. However, the TX MAC module adds a preamble (if the IP core is not configured to receive the preamble from user logic), pads the payload of frames greater than eight bytes to satisfy the minimum Ethernet frame payload of 46 bytes, and if you set **Enable TX CRC insertion** or turn on flow control, calculates the CRC over the entire MAC frame. (If padding is added, it is also included in the CRC calculation. If you turn off **Enable TX CRC insertion**, the client must provide the CRC bytes and must provide frames that have a minimum size of 64 bytes and therefore do not require padding). The TX MAC module always inserts IDLE bytes to maintain an average IPG.

The Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP core does not process incoming frames of less than nine bytes correctly. You must ensure such frames do not reach the TX client interface.

Figure 6. Typical Client Frame at the Transmit Interface

Illustrates the changes that the TX MAC makes to the client frame when **Enable preamble passthrough** is turned off. This figure uses the following notational conventions:

- $\langle p \rangle$ = payload size, which is arbitrarily large.
- $\langle s \rangle$ = number of padding bytes (0–46 bytes)
- $\langle g \rangle$ = number of IPG bytes (full bytes)



The following sections describe the functions performed by the TX MAC:

[Preamble, Start, and SFD Insertion](#) on page 29

[Length/Type Field Processing](#) on page 30

[Frame Padding](#) on page 30

[Frame Check Sequence \(CRC-32\) Insertion](#) on page 30

[Inter-Packet Gap Adjustment](#) on page 31

[Error Insertion Test and Debug Feature](#) on page 31

[TX PCS](#) on page 31

[TX RSFEC](#) on page 32

4.2.1. Preamble, Start, and SFD Insertion

In the TX datapath the MAC appends an eight-byte preamble that begins with a Start byte (0xFB) to the client frame. If you turn on **Enable link fault generation**, this MAC module also incorporates the functions of the reconciliation sublayer.



The source of the preamble depends on whether you turn on the preamble pass-through feature by turning on **Enable preamble passthrough** in the Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP parameter editor.

If the preamble pass-through feature is turned on, the client provides the eight-byte preamble (including Start byte) on the data bus. The client is responsible for providing the correct Start byte.

4.2.2. Length/Type Field Processing

This two-byte header represents either the length of the payload or the type of MAC frame. When the value of this field is equal to or greater than 1536 (0x600) it indicates a type field. Otherwise, this field provides the length of the payload data that ranges from 0–1500 bytes. The TX MAC does not modify this field before forwarding it to the network.

4.2.3. Frame Padding

When the length of client frame is less than 64 bytes (meaning the payload is less than 46 bytes) and greater than eight bytes, the TX MAC module inserts pad bytes (0x00) after the payload to create a frame length equal to the minimum size of 64 bytes.

Caution: The Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP core does not process incoming (egress) frames of less than nine bytes correctly. You must ensure such frames do not reach the TX client interface.

4.2.4. Frame Check Sequence (CRC-32) Insertion

The TX MAC computes and inserts a CRC32 checksum in the transmitted MAC frame. The frame check sequence (FCS) field contains a 32-bit CRC value. The MAC computes the CRC32 over the frame bytes that include the source address, destination address, length, data, and pad (if applicable). The CRC checksum computation excludes the preamble, SFD, and FCS. The encoding is defined by the following generating polynomial:

$$FCS(X) = X^{32} + X^{26} + X^{23} + X^{22} + X^{16} + X^{12} + X^{11} + X^{10} + X^8 + X^7 + X^5 + X^4 + X^2 + X + 1$$

CRC bits are transmitted with MSB (X32) first.

If you configure your Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP core with no flow control, you can configure your IP core TX MAC to implement TX CRC insertion or not, by turning **Enable TX CRC insertion** on or off in the Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA parameter editor. By default, the CRC insertion feature is enabled.

Related Information

[Order of Transmission](#) on page 38

Illustrations of the byte order and octet transmission order on the Avalon-ST client interface.



4.2.5. Inter-Packet Gap Adjustment

You can program the IPG adjustment to compensate for Alignment Marker insertion by the PHY by setting the number IDLE columns to be removed in the `IPG_COL_REM` register at offsets `0x406`. By default, the IP core removes 20 IDLE columns in every Alignment Marker period (for 20 virtual lanes). You may set the this register to a larger value for clock compensation.

4.2.6. Error Insertion Test and Debug Feature

The client can specify the insertion of a TX error in a specific packet. If the client specifies the insertion of a TX error, the Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP core inserts an error in the frame it transmits on the Ethernet link. The error appears as a 66-bit error block that consists of eight `/E/` characters (EBLOCK_T) in the Ethernet frame.

To direct the IP core to insert a TX error in a packet, the client should assert the `l8_tx_error` signal in the EOP cycle of the packet.

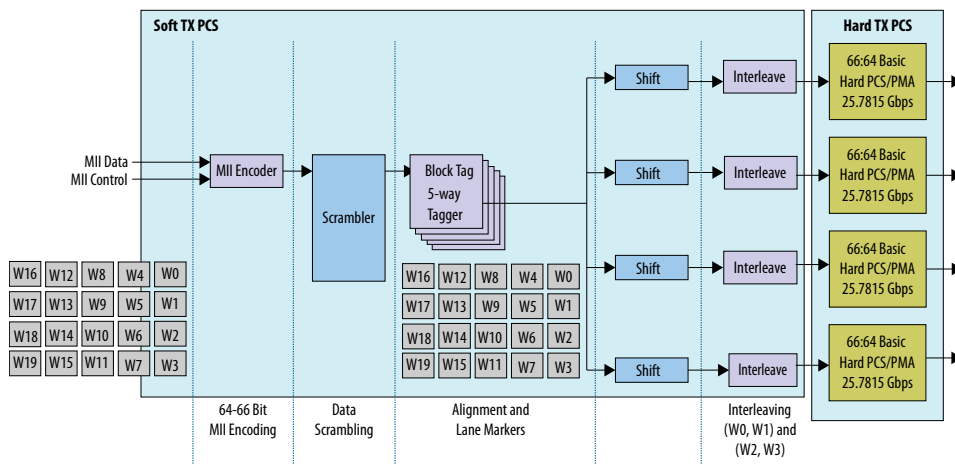
The IP core overwrites Ethernet frame data with an EBLOCK_T error block when it transmits the Ethernet frame that corresponds to the packet EOP.

This feature supports test and debug of your IP core. In loopback mode, when the IP core receives a deliberately errored packet on the Ethernet link, the IP core recognizes it as a malformed packet.

4.2.7. TX PCS

The soft TX PCS implements MII encoding, scrambling, block tagging, shifting, and interleaving. The 66-bit output stream is input to the hard PCS and PMA block.

Figure 7. High Level Block Diagram of the Soft TX PCS



The Hard PCS and PMA blocks are configured in 66:64 bit basic generic 25G PCS mode. These blocks use FIFOs in elastic-buffer mode. The PMA operates at 25.78125 Gbps.

4.2.8. TX RSFEC

If you turn on **Enable RS-FEC** in the Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP parameter editor, the IP core includes Reed-Solomon forward error correction (FEC) in both the receive and transmit datapaths.

The IP core implements Reed-Solomon FEC per Clause 91 of the IEEE Standard 802.3bj. The Reed-Solomon FEC algorithm includes the following modules:

- 64B/66B to 256B/257B Transcoding
- High-Speed RS-FEC(528,514) Reed-Solomon Encoder

When RS-FEC feature is enabled, the IP core instantiates an IOPLL to provide clock to the RS-FEC logic. In the IP core version 18.1 and after, you can dynamically control the RS-FEC block.

4.3. Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP Core RX Datapath

The Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP RX MAC receives Ethernet frames from the PHY and forwards the payload with relevant header bytes to the client after performing some MAC functions on header bytes.

Figure 8. Flow of Frame Through the MAC RX Without Preamble Pass-Through

Illustrates the typical flow of frame through the MAC RX when the preamble pass-through feature is turned off. In this figure, $\langle p \rangle$ is payload size, and $\langle s \rangle$ is the number of pad bytes (0–46 bytes).

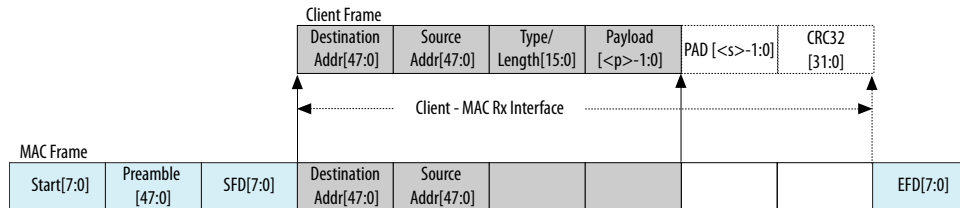
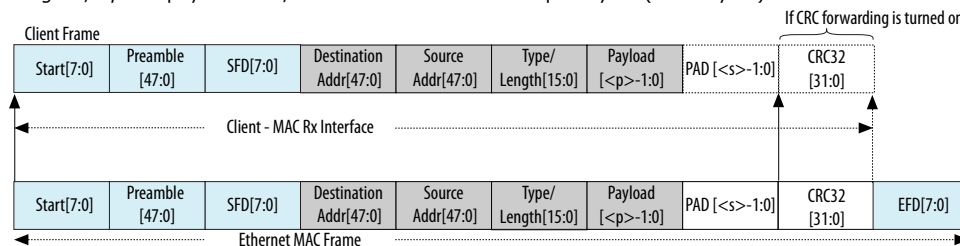


Figure 9. Flow of Frame Through the MAC RX With Preamble Pass-Through Turned On

Illustrates the typical flow of frame through the MAC RX when the preamble pass-through feature is turned on. In this figure, $\langle p \rangle$ is payload size, and $\langle s \rangle$ is the number of pad bytes (0–46 bytes).



The following sections describe the functions performed by the RX MAC:

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[Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP Core FCS \(CRC-32\) Removal](#) on page 33

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[RX PCS](#) on page 35

[RX RSFEC](#) on page 36

4.3.1. Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP Core Preamble Processing

The preamble sequence is Start, six preamble bytes, and SFD. The Start byte must be on receive lane 0 (most significant byte). The IP core uses the Start byte (0xFB) to identify the preamble. The MAC RX looks for the Start, six preamble bytes and SFD, depending on the strict SFD checking settings of the IP core.

By default, the MAC RX removes all Start, SFD, preamble, and IPG bytes from accepted frames. However, if you turn on **Enable preamble passthrough** in the Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA parameter editor, the MAC RX does not remove the eight-byte preamble sequence.

4.3.2. IP Core Strict SFD Checking

The Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP core RX MAC checks all incoming packets for a correct Start byte (0xFB). If you turn on **Enable Strict SFD check** in the Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA parameter editor, you enable the RX MAC to check the incoming preamble and SFD for the following values:

- SFD = 0xD5
- Preamble = 0x555555555555

The RX MAC checks one or both of these values depending on the values in bits [4:3] of the `RXMAC_CONTROL` register at offset 0x50A.

Table 13. Strict SFD Checking Configuration

Enable Strict SFD check	0x50A[4]: Preamble Check	0x50A[3]: SFD Check	Fields Checked	Behavior if Check Fails
Off	Don't Care	Don't Care	Start byte	IP core does not recognize a malformed Start byte as a Start byte
On	0	0	Start byte	
	0	1	Start byte and SFD	IP Core drops the packet
	1	0	Start byte and preamble	
	1	1	Start byte and preamble and SFD	

4.3.3. Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP Core FCS (CRC-32) Removal

Independent user configuration register bits control FCS CRC removal at runtime. Bit 0 of the `MAC_CRC_CONFIG` register enables and disables CRC removal; by default, CRC removal is enabled.



In the user interface, the EOP signal (`18_rx_endofpacket`) indicates the end of CRC bytes if CRC is not removed. When CRC is removed, the EOP signal indicates the final byte of payload.

4.3.4. Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP Core CRC Checking

The 32-bit CRC field is received in the order: X32, X30, . . . X1, and X0, where X32 is the most significant bit of the FCS field and occupies the least significant bit position in the first FCS byte.

If the RX MAC detects a CRC32 error, it marks the frame invalid by asserting `18_rx_error[1]`.

4.3.5. Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP Core Malformed Packet Handling

The malformed packet handling feature ensures the client receives the expected SOP-EOP sequences on the RX client interface. While receiving an incoming packet from the Ethernet link, the Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP core expects to detect a terminate character at the end of the packet. When it detects an expected terminate character, the IP core generates an EOP on the client interface. However, sometimes the IP core detects an unexpected control character when it expects a terminate character. The Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP core detects and handles the following forms of malformed packets:

- If the IP core detects an Error character, it generates an EOP and asserts a malformed packet error (`18_rx_error[0]`). If the IP core subsequently detects a terminate character, it does not generate another EOP indication.
- If the IP core detects any other control character (for example, an IDLE or Start character) when it is waiting for an EOP indication (terminate character), the IP core generates an EOP indication, asserts a malformed packet error (`18_rx_error[0]`), and asserts a CRC error (`18_rx_error[1]`). If the IP core subsequently detects a terminate character, it does not generate another EOP indication.

When the IP core receives a packet that contains an error deliberately introduced on the Ethernet link using the Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA TX error insertion feature, the IP core identifies it as a malformed packet.

4.3.6. RX CRC Forwarding

The CRC-32 field is forwarded to the client interface after the final byte of data, if the CRC removal option is not enabled.

4.3.7. Inter-Packet Gap

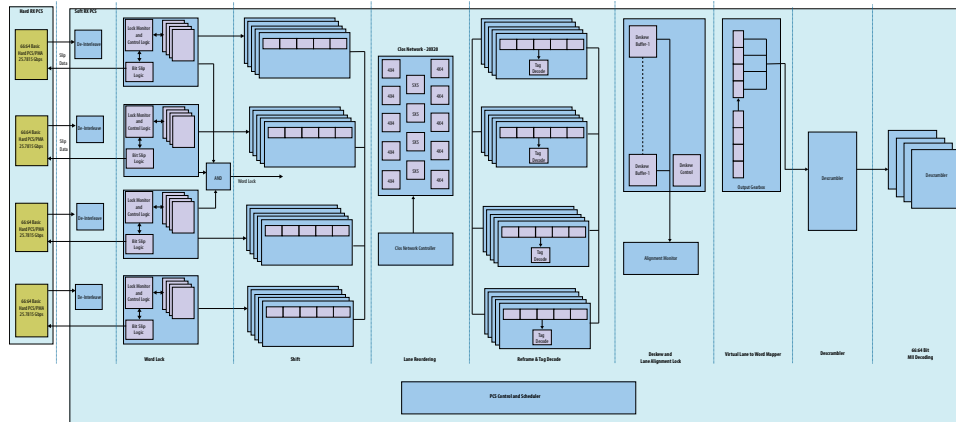
The MAC RX removes all IPG octets received, and does not forward them to the client interface.



4.3.8. RX PCS

The soft RX PCS interfaces to the hard PCS and PMA blocks configured in 66:64 25G PCS Basic Generic Mode, with bitslip enabled. The hard PCS drives two, 66-bit output streams containing four virtual lanes to the soft RX PCS. The soft RX PCS implements word lock, lane reordering, descrambling, and MII decoding.

Figure 10. High Level Block Diagram of the Soft RX PCS



PCS Compliance

The Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP RX PCS individual lock stages are designed to offer maximum compliance while reducing design resources. Hence, the design is not fully compliant to IEEE 802.3 Clause 82 specification. The non-compliance lock and unlock processes are listed in the following table.

Table 14. RX PCS Non-Compliance List

Lock and unlock processes which are not listed in this table are compliance to the IEEE 802.3 specification.

Process	Description
Virtual lane re-ordering lock	IEEE specification: The virtual lanes re-ordering is initiated when alignment lock gets acquired. Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP core: The virtual lane reordering is initiated by block lock.
PCS lane deskew lock	IEEE specification: Deskew lock is acquired when the following conditions are met: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Alignment lock is acquired Virtual lanes re-ordering completed Lanes deskew completed Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP core: The PCS lane deskew lock is initiated after virtual lanes reordering is complete.
PCS alignment lock	IEEE specification: Alignment lock is acquired when the following conditions are met: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Block lock is acquired All virtual lanes alignment markers are received at proper alignment interval of 2^{14} words per virtual lanes for two consecutive cycles

continued...



Process	Description
	Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP core: The alignment lock happens after PCS lane deskew lock is completed and interval frequency checking of individual markers for each virtual lane is complete.

4.3.9. RX RSFEC

If you turn on **Enable RS-FEC** in the Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA parameter editor, the IP core includes Reed-Solomon forward error correction (FEC) in both the receive and transmit datapaths.

The IP core implements Reed-Solomon FEC per Clause 91 of the IEEE Standard 802.3bj. The Reed-Solomon FEC algorithm includes the following modules:

- Alignment marker lock
- High-speed Reed-Solomon decoder
- 256B/257B to 64B/66B Transcoding

When RS-FEC feature is enabled, the IP core instantiates an IOPLL to provide clock to the RS-FEC logic.

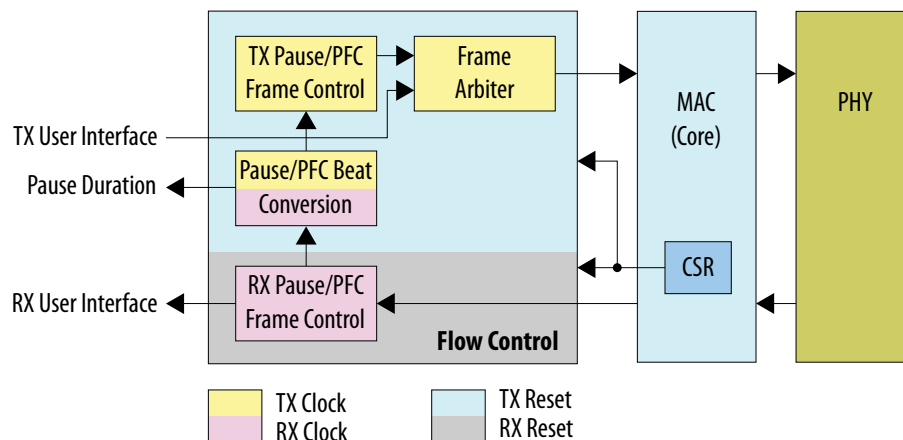
4.4. Flow Control

Flow control reduces congestion at the local or remote link partner. When either link partner experiences congestion, the respective transmit control sends pause frames. XOFF Pause frames stop the remote transmitter. XON Pause frames let the remote transmitter resume data transmission. Flow control supports both Pause and Priority Flow Control (PFC) control frames:

- IEEE 802.3 flow control—implements the IEEE 802.3 Annex 31B standard to manage congestion. This flow control is a mechanism to manage congestion at the local or remote partner. When the receiving device experiences congestion, it sends an XOFF pause frame to the emitting device to instruct the emitting device to stop sending data for a duration specified by the congested receiver. Data transmission resumes when the emitting device receives an XON pause frame (pause quanta = zero) or when the timer expires.
- Priority-based flow control (PFC)—implements the IEEE 802.1Qbb standard. PFC manages congestion based on priority levels. It supports up to 8 priority queues. When the receiving device experiences congestion on a priority queue, it sends a PFC frame requesting the emitting device to stop transmission on the priority queue for a duration specified by the congested receiver. When the receiving device is ready to receive transmission on the priority queue again, it sends a PFC frame instructing the emitting device to resume transmission on the priority queue.

Figure 11. Flow Control Module Conceptual Overview

The flow control module acts as a buffer between client logic and the TX and RX MAC.



Flow Control includes the following features:

- Pause or PFC frame generation and transmission:
 - Configurable selection of standard or priority-based flow control
 - Programmable 1- or 2-bit XON/XOFF request mode
 - In 2-bit request mode, programmable selection of register or signal-based control
 - Programmable per-queue XOFF frame separation
 - Programmable destination and source addresses in outgoing pause and PFC frames
 - Programmable pause and PFC quanta
- Client versus Pause or PFC frame transmission based on a priority-based arbitration scheme with frame-type indication for external downstream logic
- Stopping the next client frame transmission on the reception of a valid Pause frame
- Stopping the per queue client frame transmission on the reception of a valid PFC frame from the client. Includes per-queue PFC Pause quanta duration indicator
- Pause or PFC frame reception and decode:
 - Programmable destination address for filtering incoming pause and PFC frames
 - Configurable Pause or PFC per-queue enable, directing the IP core to ignore incoming pause frames on disabled queues
 - Per-queue client frame transmission pause duration indicator

4.4.1. TX Pause/PFC Flow Control Transmission

An XON/XOFF request triggers the IP core to transmit a Pause or PFC flow control frame on the Ethernet link. You can control XON/XOFF requests using the TX flow control registers or the `pause_insert_tx0` and `pause_insert_tx1` input signals.



You can specify whether the IP core accepts XON/XOFF requests in 1-bit or 2-bit format by updating the TX Flow Control CSR XON/XOFF Request register field. By default, the IP core assumes 1-bit requests.

4.4.2. XON/XOFF Pause Frames

The sender transmits a PFC frame with the specified PFC pause quanta value when it receives an XOFF request. If an enabled priority queue is in the XOFF condition, a new PFC frame is transmitted after the minimum time gap. You specify the minimum time gap in the per priority queue TX Flow Control Signal XOFF Request Hold Quanta register. The minimum time gap between two consecutive PFC frames is 1 pause quanta or 512-bit times. PFC frame transmission ends when none of the PFC interfaces of all enabled priority queues is requesting PFC frames.

A transition from XOFF to XON in any enabled priority queue triggers the IP core to transmit a PFC frame with pause quanta of 0 for the associated priority queue. The IP core sends a single XON flow control frame. In the rare case that the XON frame is lost or corrupted, the remote partner should still be able to resume transmission. The remote partner resumes transmission after the duration specified in the previous XOFF flow control frame expires.

In the case of standard flow control, the IP core transmits Pause frames instead of PFC frames. The transmission behavior is identical.

When the IP core is in standard flow control mode and receives a Pause frame, the IP core stops processing TX client data, either immediately or at the next frame boundary. Client data transmission resumes when all of the following conditions are true:

- The time specified by the pause quanta has elapsed and there is no new quanta value
- A valid pause frame with 0 pause duration has been received

A Pause frame has no effect if the associated TX Flow Control Enable register bit is set to disable XON and XOFF flow control.

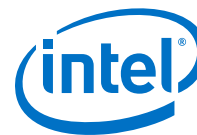
4.5. User Interface to Ethernet Transmission

The IP core reverses the bit stream for transmission per Ethernet requirements. The transmitter handles the insertion of the inter-packet gap, frame delimiters, and padding with zeros as necessary. The transmitter also handles FCS computation and insertion.

The Ethernet MAC and PHY transmit complete packets. After transmission begins, it must complete with no IDLE insertions. Between the end of one packet and the beginning of the next packet, the data input is not considered and the transmitter sends IDLE characters. An unbounded number of IDLE characters can be sent between packets.

4.5.1. Order of Transmission

The IP core transmits bytes on the Ethernet link starting with the preamble and ending with the FCS in accordance with the IEEE 802.3 standard. On the transmit client interface, the IP core expects the client to send the most significant bytes of the frame



first, and to send each byte in big-endian format. Similarly, on the receive client interface, the IP core sends the client the most significant bytes of the frame first, and orders each byte in big-endian format.

Figure 12. Byte Order on the Client Interface Lanes Without Preamble Pass-Through

Describes the byte order on the Avalon-ST interface when the preamble pass-through feature is turned off. Destination Address[40] is the broadcast/multicast bit (a type bit), and Destination Address[41] is a locally administered address bit.

	Destination Address (DA)						Source Address (SA)						Type/ Length (TL)		Data (D)		
Octet	5	4	3	2	1	0	5	4	3	2	1	0	1	0	00	...	NN
Bit	[47:40]	[39:32]	[31:24]	[23:16]	[15:8]	[7:0]	[47:40]	[39:32]	[31:24]	[23:16]	[15:8]	[7:0]	[15:8]	[7:0]	MSB[7:0]	...	LSB[7:0]

For example, the destination MAC address includes the following six octets AC-DE-48-00-00-80. The first octet transmitted (octet 0 of the MAC address described in the 802.3 standard) is AC and the last octet transmitted (octet 6 of the MAC address) is 80. The first bit transmitted is the low-order bit of AC, a zero. The last bit transmitted is the high order bit of 80, a one.

The preceding table and the following figure show that in this example, 0xAC is driven on DA5 (DA[47:40]) and 0x80 is driven on DA0 (DA[7:0]).

Figure 13. Octet Transmission on the Avalon-ST Signals Without Preamble Pass-Through

Illustrates how the octets of the client frame are transferred over the TX datapath when preamble pass-through is turned off.

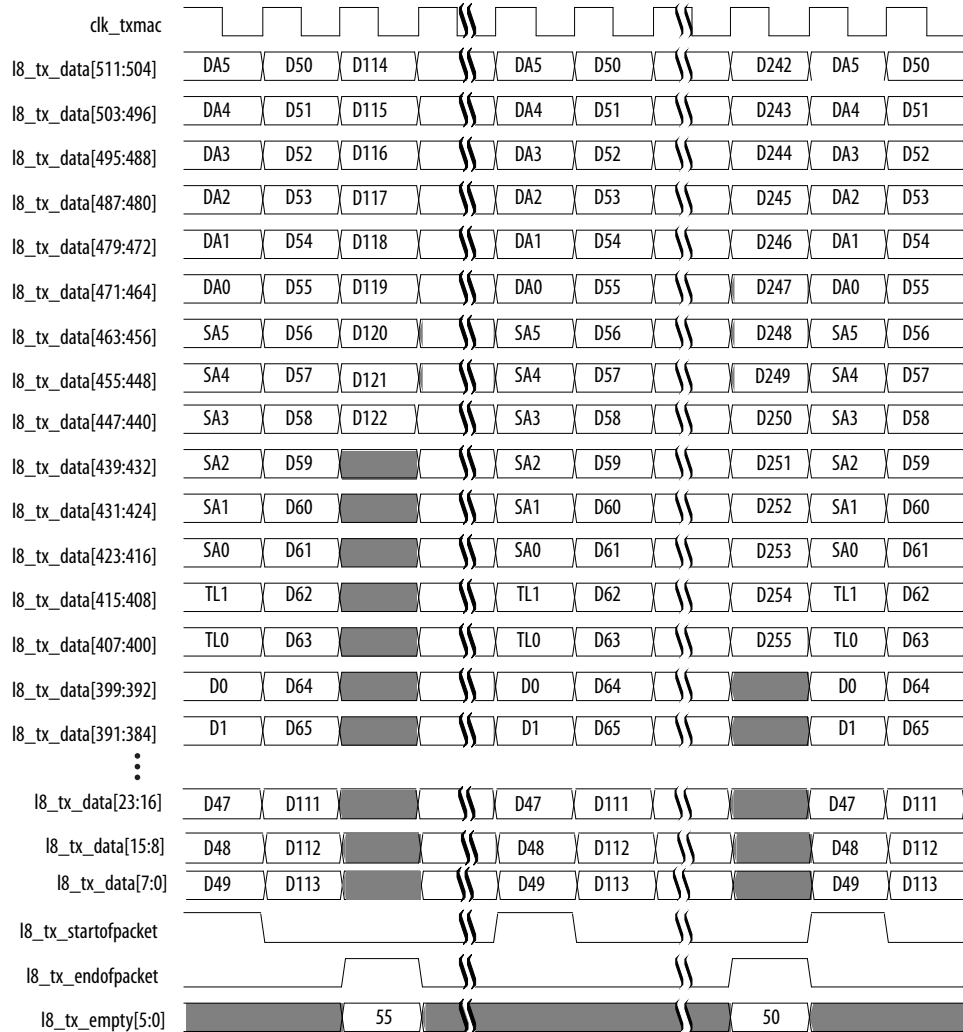


Figure 14. Byte Order on the Avalon-ST Interface Lanes With Preamble Pass-Through

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Destination Address[40] is the broadcast/multicast bit (a type bit), and Destination Address[41] is a locally administered address bit.

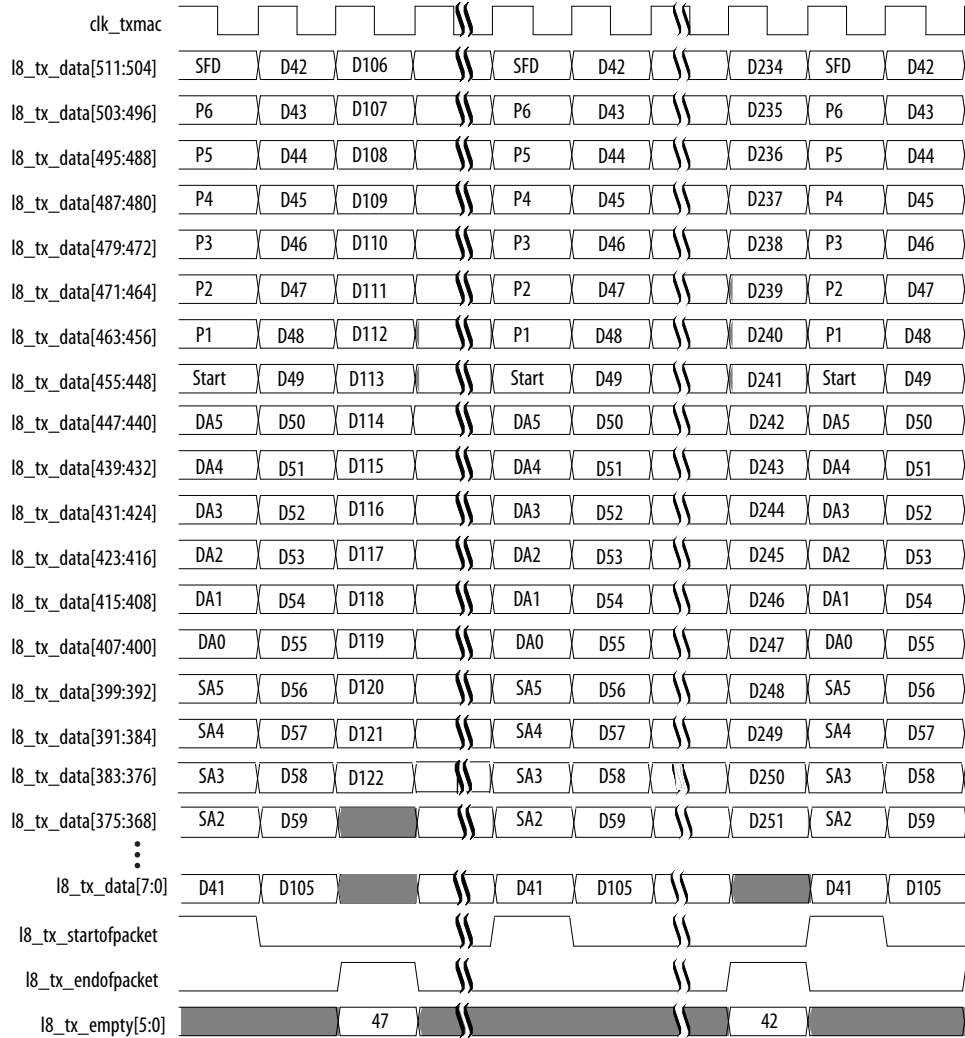
	SFD	Preamble					Start	Destination Address (DA)					Source Address (SA)					Type/Length	Data (D)						
Octet	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0	5	4	3	2	1	0	5	4	3	2	1	0	1	0	00	...	NN
Bit	[63:56]	[55:48]	[47:40]	[39:32]	[31:24]	[23:16]	[15:8]	[7:0]	[47:40]	[39:32]	[31:24]	[23:16]	[15:8]	[7:0]	[47:40]	[39:32]	[31:24]	[23:16]	[15:8]	[7:0]	[15:8]	[7:0]	MSB[7:0]	...	LSB[7:0]



Figure 15. Octet Transmission on the Avalon-ST Signals With Preamble Pass-Through

Illustrates how the octets of the client frame are transferred over the TX datapath when preamble pass-through is turned on. The eight preamble bytes precede the destination address bytes. The preamble bytes are reversed: the application must drive the Start byte on `l8_tx_data[455:448]` and the SFD byte on `l8_tx_data[511:504]`.

The destination address and source address bytes follow the preamble pass-through in the same order as in the case without preamble pass-through.



4.5.2. Bit Order For TX and RX Datapaths

The TX bit order matches the placement shown in the PCS lanes as illustrated in *IEEE Standard for Ethernet, Section 4, Figure 49-5*. The RX bit order matches the placement shown in *IEEE Standard for Ethernet, Section 4, Figure 49-6*.

Related Information

[IEEE website](#)

The *IEEE Standard for Ethernet, Section 4* is available on the IEEE website.

4.6. Auto Negotiation and Link Training

The Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP core variations with auto negotiation and link training implement the *IEEE Backplane Ethernet Standard 802.3-2012*.

The IP core includes the option to implement the following features:

- Auto negotiation provides a process to explore coordination with a link partner on a variety of different common features. Turn on the **Enable AN/LT** and **Enable Auto Negotiation** parameters to configure support for auto negotiation.
- Link training provides a process for the IP core to train the link to the data frequency of incoming data, while compensating for variations in process, voltage, and temperature. Turn on the **Enable AN/LT** and **Enable Link Training** parameters to configure support for link training.

The Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP core includes separate link training modules for each of the four Ethernet lanes, and a single auto negotiation module. You specify the master lane for performing auto negotiation in the parameter editor.

4.7. Auto Adaptation

The auto adaptation controls the RX PMA adaptation in the Transceiver PHY IP.

The auto adaptation, controlled by the auto adaptation module, continuously polls `rx_is_lockedtoata` signal. Asserting the `rx_is_lockedtoata` signal low triggers the auto adaptation module state machine. The auto adaptation state machine waits for the `rx_is_lockedtoata` signal to assert high. Once asserted and stable, the auto adaptation starts the RX PMA adaptation by accessing register `0x14c`. For more information on RX PMA adaptation and specific register, refer to the *L- and H-Tile Transceiver PHY User Guide*.

In the H-tile production devices, the auto adaptation and background calibration shares the access to the transceiver reconfiguration interface. When the auto adaptation wants to gain the access to the transceiver reconfiguration interface, it disables the background calibration access (to the same transceiver reconfiguration interface).

In the H-tile ES devices, the background calibration is not supported. The auto adaptation module can directly access the transceiver reconfiguration interface.

Note:

If a transceiver toolkit wants to gain access to the transceiver reconfiguration interface, you must hold the auto adaptation state machine in idle state by programming `0x325[12]` bit. For steps on disabling the background calibration, refer to the [Disabling Background Calibration](#) on page 51.

Related Information

- [L- and H-Tile Transceiver PHY User Guide](#)
Information on RX PMA adaptation.
- [L- and H-Tile Transceiver PHY User Guide: Adaptation Control - Start](#)
- [Disabling Background Calibration](#) on page 51

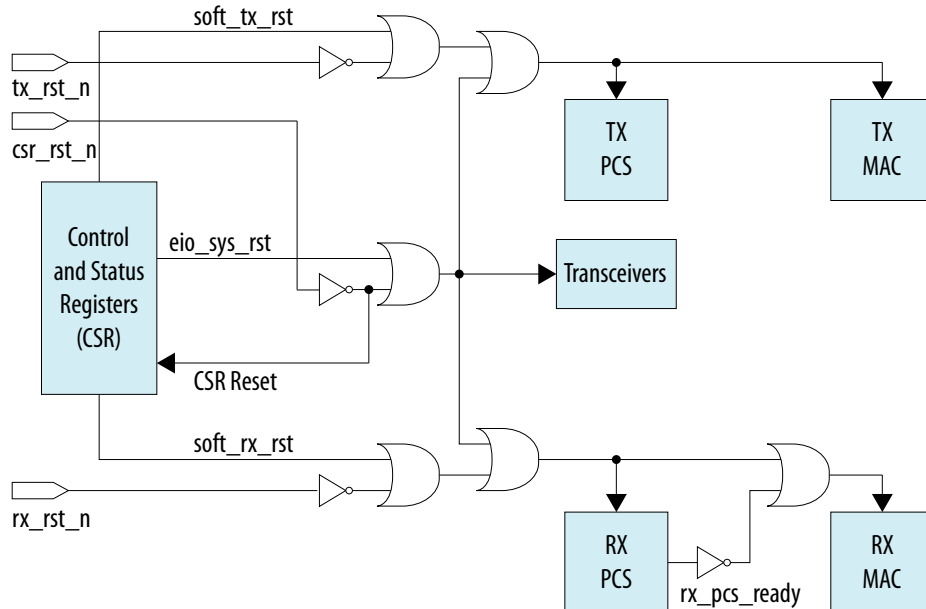
5. Reset

Control and Status registers control three parallel soft resets. These soft resets are not self-clearing. Software clears them by writing to the appropriate register. In addition, the IP core has three hard reset signals.

Asserting the external hard reset `csr_rst_n` returns all Control and Status registers to their original values, including the statistics counters. An additional dedicated reset signal resets the transceiver reconfiguration interface.

Figure 16. Conceptual Overview of General IP Core Reset Logic

The three hard resets are top-level ports. The three soft resets are internal signals which are outputs of the `PHY_CONFIG` register. Software writes the appropriate bit of the `PHY_CONFIG` to assert a soft reset.



The general reset signals reset the following functions:

- `soft_tx_rst`, `tx_rst_n`: Resets the IP core in the TX direction. Resets the TX PCS, TX MAC, and digital portion of the transceiver. This reset leads to deassertion of the `tx_lanes_stable` output signal.
- `soft_rx_rst`, `rx_rst_n`: Resets the IP core in the RX direction. Resets the RX PCS and RX MAC. This reset leads to deassertion of the `rx_pcs_ready` output signal.
- `sys_rst`, `csr_rst_n`: Resets the IP core. Resets the TX and RX MACs, PCS, and transceivers.

Note: `csr_rst_n` resets the Control and Status registers, including the statistics counters. `sys_rst` does not reset any Control and Status registers.

This reset leads to deassertion of the `tx_lanes_stable` and `rx_pcs_ready` output signals.

In addition, the synchronous `reconfig_reset` signal resets the IP core transceiver reconfiguration interface, an Avalon-MM interface. Associated clock is the `reconfig_clk`, which clocks the transceiver reconfiguration interface.

System Considerations

You should perform a system reset before beginning IP core operation, preferably by asserting the `csr_rst_n` signal.

If you assert the transmit reset when the downstream receiver is already aligned, the receiver loses alignment. Before the downstream receiver loses lock, it might receive some malformed frames.

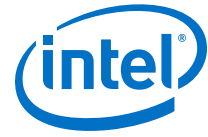
If you assert the receive reset while the upstream transmitter is sending packets, the packets in transit are corrupted.

If the ATX PLL loses lock, the IP core forces a transmit side reset. After the ATX PLL acquires lock, the IP core deasserts the transmit reset.

If the IP core suffers loss of signal on the serial links, it asserts the receive reset.

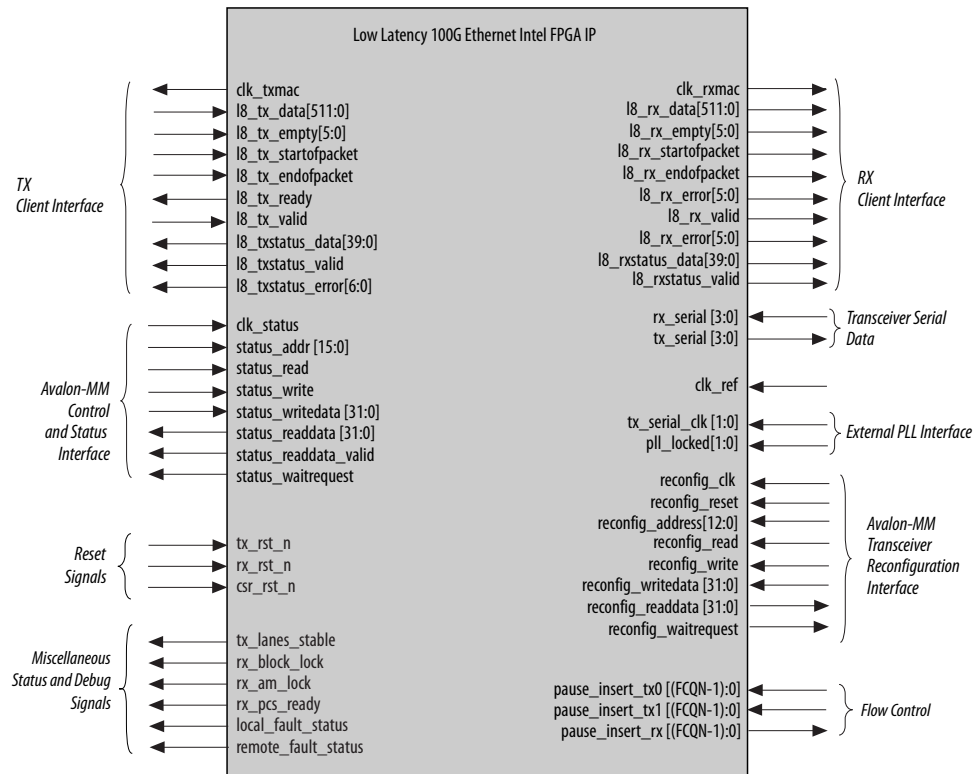
Related Information

- [Reset Signals](#) on page 53
Information about the required behavior of the hard reset signals. To trigger a reset, you must assert the desired reset signal at least ten clock cycles.
- [PHY Registers](#) on page 57
Information about the reset fields in the `PHY_CONFIG` register at offset 0x310.



6. Interfaces and Signal Descriptions

Figure 17. Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP Signals and Interfaces



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6.1. TX MAC Interface to User Logic

The Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP core TX client interface employs the Avalon streaming interface protocol. The Avalon streaming interface protocol is a synchronous point-to-point, unidirectional interface that connects the producer of a data stream (source) to a consumer of data (sink). The key properties of this interface include:

- Start of packet (SOP) and end of packet (EOP) signals delimit frame transfers.
- The SOP must always be in the MSB, simplifying the interpretation and processing of incoming data.
- A valid signal qualifies signals from source to sink.
- The sink applies backpressure to the source by using the ready signal. The source typically responds to the deassertion of the ready signal from the sink by driving the same data until the sink can accept it. The `readyLatency` defines the relationship between assertion and deassertion of the ready signal, and cycles which are considered to be ready for data transfer. The `readyLatency` on the TX client interface is zero cycle.

The client acts as a source and the TX MAC acts as a sink in the transmit direction.

Table 15. Signals of the Avalon TX Client Streaming Interface

All interface signals are clocked by the `clk_txmac` clock.

Signal Name	Direction	Description
<code>clk_txmac</code>	Output	The TX clock for the IP core is <code>clk_txmac</code> . The frequency of this clock is 390.625 MHz.
<code>18_tx_data[511:0]</code>	Input	TX data. If the preamble pass-through feature is enabled, data begins with the preamble. The Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP core does not process incoming frames of less than nine bytes correctly. You must ensure such frames do not reach the TX client interface. You must send each TX data packet without intermediate IDLE cycles. Therefore, you must ensure your application can provide the data for a single packet in consecutive clock cycles. If data might not be available otherwise, you must buffer the data in your design and wait to assert <code>18_tx_startofpacket</code> when you are assured the packet data to send on <code>18_tx_data[511:0]</code> is available or will be available on time.
<code>18_tx_empty[5:0]</code>	Input	Indicates the number of empty bytes on <code>18_tx_data[511:0]</code> when <code>18_tx_endofpacket</code> is asserted.
<code>18_tx_startofpacket</code>	Input	When asserted, indicates the start of a packet. The packet starts on the MSB.
<code>18_tx_endofpacket</code>	Input	When asserted, indicates the end of packet.
<code>18_tx_ready</code>	Output	When asserted, the MAC is ready to receive data. The <code>18_tx_ready</code> signal acts as an acknowledge. The source drives <code>18_tx_valid</code> and <code>18_tx_data[511:0]</code> , then waits for the sink to assert <code>18_tx_ready</code> . The <code>readyLatency</code> is zero cycle, so that the IP core accepts valid data in the same cycle in which it asserts <code>18_tx_ready</code> . The <code>18_tx_ready</code> signal indicates the MAC is ready to receive data in normal operational mode. However, the <code>18_tx_ready</code> signal might not be an adequate indication following reset. To avoid sending packets before the Ethernet link is able to transmit them

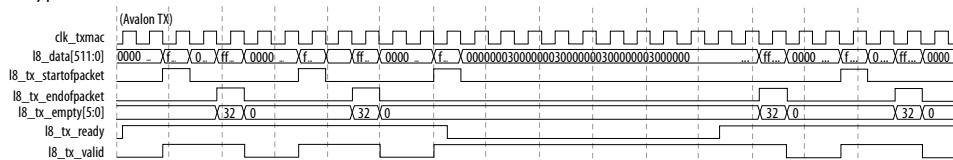
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Signal Name	Direction	Description
		reliably, you should ensure that the application does not send packets on the TX client interface until after the tx_lanes_stable signal is asserted.
18_tx_valid	Input	When asserted 18_tx_data is valid. This signal must be continuously asserted between the assertions of 18_tx_startofpacket and 18_tx_endofpacket for the same packet.
18_tx_error	Input	When asserted in an EOP cycle (while 18_tx_endofpacket is asserted), directs the IP core to insert an error in the packet before sending it on the Ethernet link.
18_txstatus_valid	Output	When asserted, indicates that 18_txstatus_data and 18_txstatus_error[6:0] are driving valid data.
18_txstatus_data[39:0]	Output	Specifies information about the transmit frame. The following fields are defined: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bit[39]: When asserted, indicates a PFC frame • Bit[38]: When asserted, indicates a unicast frame • Bit[37]: When asserted, indicates a multicast frame • Bit[36]: When asserted, indicates a broadcast frame • Bit[35]: When asserted, indicates a pause frame • Bit[34]: When asserted, indicates a control frame • Bit[33]: When asserted, indicates a VLAN frame • Bit[32]: When asserted, indicates a stacked VLAN frame • Bits[31:16]: Specifies the frame length from the first byte of the destination address to the last byte of the FCS • Bits[15:0]: Specifies the payload length
18_txstatus_error[6:0]	Output	Specifies the error type in the transmit frame. The following fields are defined: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bits[6:3]: Reserved • Bit[2]: Payload length error • Bit[1]: Oversized frame • Bit[0]: Reserved. This signal is valid when 18_txstatus_valid is asserted.

Figure 18. Traffic on the TX Avalon-ST Client Interface for Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP

Shows typical traffic for the TX client interface of the IP core.



Related Information

Avalon Interface Specifications

For more information about the Avalon streaming interface.

6.2. RX MAC Interface to User Logic

The Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP core RX datapath employs the Avalon streaming interface protocol. The Avalon streaming interface protocol is a synchronous point-to-point, unidirectional interface that connects the producer of a data stream (source) to a consumer of data (sink). The key properties of this interface include:

- Start of packet (SOP) and end of packet (EOP) signals delimit frame transfers.
- The SOP must always be in the MSB, simplifying the interpretation and processing of data you receive on this interface.
- A valid signal qualifies signals from source to sink.

The RX MAC acts as a source and the client acts as a sink in the receive direction.

Table 16. Signals of the Avalon RX Client Streaming Interface

All interface signals are clocked by the `clk_rxmac` clock.

Name	Direction	Description
<code>clk_rxmac</code>	Output	The RX clock for the IP core is <code>clk_rxmac</code> . The IP core recovers this clock from the incoming data. This clock is guaranteed stable when <code>rx_pcs_ready</code> is asserted. The frequency of this clock is 390.625 MHz.
<code>18_rx_data[511:0]</code>	Output	RX data. Bit 511 is the MSB and bit 0 is the LSB. Bytes are read in the usual left to right order. The IP core reverses the byte order to meet the requirements of the Ethernet standard.
<code>18_rx_empty[5:0]</code>	Output	Indicates the number of empty bytes on <code>18_rx_data[511:0]</code> when <code>18_rx_endofpacket</code> is asserted, starting from the least significant byte (LSB).
<code>18_rx_startofpacket</code>	Output	When asserted, indicates the start of a packet. The packet starts on the MSB.
<code>18_rx_endofpacket</code>	Output	When asserted, indicates the end of packet. In the case of an undersized packet, or in the case of a packet that is exactly 64 bytes long, <code>18_rx_startofpacket</code> and <code>18_rx_endofpacket</code> are asserted in the same clock cycle.
<code>18_rx_error[5:0]</code>	Output	Reports certain types of errors in the Ethernet frame whose contents are currently being transmitted on the client interface. This signal is valid in EOP cycles only. The individual bits report different types of errors: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bit [0]: Malformed packet error. If this bit has the value of 1, the packet is malformed. The IP core identifies a malformed packet when it receives a control character that is not a terminate character, while receiving the packet. • Bit [1]: CRC error. If this bit has the value of 1, the IP core detected a CRC error in the frame. • Bit [2]: undersized payload. If this bit has the value of 1, the frame size is between nine and 63 bytes, inclusive. The IP core does not recognize an incoming frame of size eight bytes or less as a frame, and those cases are not reported here. The <code>18_rx_error[1]</code> bit also signals an FCS error. • Bit [3]: oversized payload. If this bit has the value of 1, the frame size is greater than the maximum frame size programmed in the <code>RXMAC_SIZE_CONFIG</code> register at offset 0x506. • Bit [4]: payload length error. If this bit has the value of 1, the payload received in the frame did not match the length field value, and the value in the length field is less than 1536 bytes. • Bit [5]: Reserved.

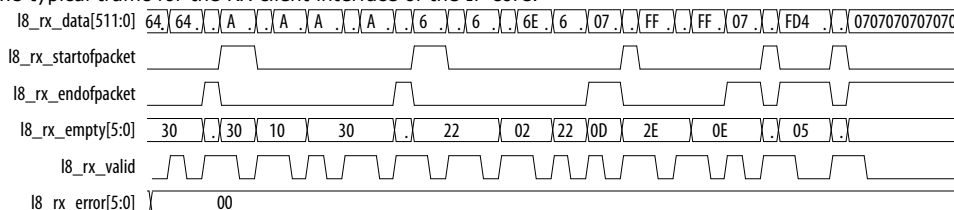
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Name	Direction	Description
l8_rx_valid	Output	When asserted, indicates that RX data is valid. Only valid between the l8_rx_startofpacket and l8_rx_endofpacket signals. This signal might be deasserted between the assertion of l8_rx_startofpacket and l8_rx_endofpacket.
l8_rxstatus_valid	Output	When asserted, indicates that l8_rxstatus_data is driving valid data. This signal behaves identically to the l8_rx_endofpacket signal.
l8_rxstatus_data[39:0]	Output	Specifies information about the received frame. The following fields are defined: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bit[39]: When asserted, indicates a PFC frame • Bit[38]: When asserted, indicates a unicast frame • Bit[37]: When asserted, indicates a multicast frame • Bit[36]: When asserted, indicates a broadcast frame • Bit[35]: When asserted, indicates a pause frame • Bit[34]: When asserted, indicates a control frame • Bit[33]: When asserted, indicates a VLAN frame • Bit[32]: When asserted, indicates a stacked VLAN frame • Bits[31:16]: Specifies the frame length from the first byte of the destination address to the last byte of the FCS • Bits[15:0]: Specifies the payload length

Figure 19. Traffic on the RX Avalon-ST Client Interface for Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP

Shows typical traffic for the RX client interface of the IP core.



Related Information

- [RX MAC Registers](#) on page 63
- [Avalon Interface Specifications](#)
For more information about the Avalon streaming interface.

6.3. Transceivers

The transceivers implement four CAUI-4 physical lanes at 25.78125 MHz and require two separately instantiated advanced transmit (ATX) PLLs to generate the high speed serial clocks. On Intel Stratix 10 and Intel Agilex devices, only the ATX PLL supports the required data rate.

Table 17. Transceiver Signals

Signal	Direction	Description
tx_serial[3:0]	Output	TX transceiver data. Each tx_serial bit becomes two physical pins that form a differential pair.
rx_serial[3:0]	Input	RX transceiver data. Each rx_serial bit becomes two physical pins that form a differential pair.

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Signal	Direction	Description
clk_ref	Input	The input clock <code>clk_ref</code> is the reference clock for the transceiver RX CDR PLL and the RS-FEC PLLs. This clock must have a frequency of 644.53125 or 322.265625 MHz with a ± 100 ppm accuracy per the <i>IEEE 802.3ba-2010 Ethernet Standard</i> . In addition, <code>clk_ref</code> must meet the jitter specification of the <i>IEEE 802.3ba-2010 Ethernet Standard</i> . The PLL and clock generation logic use this reference clock to derive the transceiver and PCS clocks. The input clock should be a high quality signal on the appropriate dedicated clock pin. Refer to the relevant device datasheet for transceiver reference clock phase noise specifications.
tx_serial_clk[1:0]	Input	High speed serial clocks driven by the two ATX PLLs. The frequency of these clocks is 12.890625 GHz. You must drive these clocks from the two ATX PLLs that you configure separately from the Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA core.
tx_pll_locked[1:0]	Input	Lock signals from the two ATX PLLs. Each bit indicates the corresponding ATX PLL is locked.

Related Information

[L- and H-Tile Transceiver PHY User Guide](#)

Information about the Intel Stratix 10 ATX PLL and Native PHY IP core.

6.4. Transceiver Reconfiguration Signals

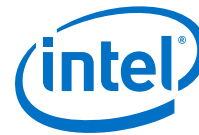
You access the transceiver control and status registers using the transceiver reconfiguration interface. This is an Avalon memory-mapped interface.

The Avalon memory-mapped interface implements a standard memory-mapped protocol. You can connect an Avalon master to this bus to access the registers of the embedded Native Transceiver PHY IP core.

Table 18. Reconfiguration Interface Ports with Shared Native PHY Reconfiguration Interface

All interface signals are clocked by the `reconfig_clk` clock. These signals are provided by a four-channel Intel Stratix 10 Native PHY IP core embedded in the Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP core.

Port Name	Direction	Description
reconfig_clk	Input	Avalon clock. The clock frequency is 100-162 MHz. All transceiver reconfiguration interface signals are synchronous to <code>reconfig_clk</code> .
reconfig_reset	Input	Resets the Avalon memory-mapped interface and all of the registers to which it provides access.
reconfig_write	Input	Write request signal. Signal is active high.
reconfig_read	Input	Read request signal. Signal is active high.
reconfig_address[12:0]	Input	Address bus. Refer to the <i>L- and H-Tile Transceiver PHY User Guide</i> for information about the address fields for the Native PHY four-channel configuration.
reconfig_writedata[31:0]	Input	A 32-bit data write bus. <code>reconfig_address</code> specifies the address.
reconfig_readdata[31:0]	Output	A 32-bit data read bus. Drives read data from the specified address. Signal is valid after <code>reconfig_waitrequest</code> is deasserted.
reconfig_waitrequest	Output	Indicates the Avalon memory-mapped interface is busy. Keep the <code>reconfig_write</code> or <code>reconfig_read</code> asserted until <code>reconfig_waitrequest</code> is deasserted.



Related Information

[L- and H-Tile Transceiver PHY User Guide](#)

Provides more information about the transceiver reconfiguration interface in H-tile devices, including timing diagrams for reads and writes.

6.4.1. Disabling Background Calibration

For Intel Stratix 10 H-tile production devices, disable the background calibration first prior to accessing the transceiver core reconfiguration register. The Intel Stratix 10 H-tile ES devices and all variants of Intel Stratix 10 L-tile devices (ES and production) do not have background calibration.

In Intel Quartus Prime software version 19.2 onwards, use the following steps to access the transceiver core reconfiguration registers:

1. Write 0x1 into register 0x325[12] of the Avalon memory-mapped control and status interface to hold the auto adaptation module in an Idle state.
2. Write 0x0 into register 0x542[0] with the channel offset address of the transceiver control and status registers using the transceiver reconfiguration Avalon memory-mapped interface to disable background calibration. The background calibration must be disabled for all four lanes before accessing the transceiver control and status registers of any of four lanes.
3. Access the transceiver register, for example, to perform the transceiver reconfiguration.
4. Once completed, write 0x1 into register 0x542[0] with the channel offset address of the transceiver control and status registers using the transceiver reconfiguration Avalon memory-mapped interface to enable background calibration. The background calibration must be enabled for all four lanes after accessing the transceiver control and status registers of any of four lanes.
5. Write 0x0 into register 0x325[12] of the Avalon memory-mapped control and status interface to release the auto adaptation module from the Idle state.

6.5. Avalon-MM Management Interface

You access control and status registers using an Avalon-MM management interface. The interface responds regardless of the link status. It also responds when the IP core is in a reset state driven by any reset signal or soft reset other than the `csr_rst_n` signal. Asserting the `csr_rst_n` signal resets all control and status registers except the statistics counters; while this reset is in process, the Avalon-MM management interface does not respond.

Note: This interface cannot handle multiple pending read transfers. Despite the presence of the `status_readdata_valid` signal, this Avalon-MM interface is non-pipelined with variable latency.

Table 19. Avalon-MM Management Interface

Signal	Direction	Description
<code>clk_status</code>	Input	The clock that drives the control and status registers. The frequency of this clock is 100-162 MHz.
<code>status_addr[15:0]</code>	Input	Drives the Avalon-MM register address.
<code>status_read</code>	Input	When asserted, specifies a read request.
<code>status_write</code>	Input	When asserted, specifies a write request.
<code>status_readdata[31:0]</code>	Output	Drives read data. Valid when <code>status_readdata_valid</code> is asserted.
<code>status_readdata_valid</code>	Output	When asserted, indicates that <code>status_read_data[31:0]</code> is valid.
<code>status_writedata[31:0]</code>	Input	Drives the write data.
<code>status_waitrequest</code>	Output	Indicates that the control and status interface is not ready to complete the transaction. <code>status_waitrequest</code> is only used for read transactions.

Related Information

- [Registers](#) on page 56
- [Typical Read and Write Transfers section in the *Avalon Interface Specifications*](#)
Describes typical Avalon-MM read and write transfers with a slave-controlled waitrequest signal.

6.6. Miscellaneous Status and Debug Signals

The miscellaneous status and debug signals are asynchronous.

Table 20. Miscellaneous Status and Debug Signals

Signal	Direction	Description
<code>tx_lanes_stable</code>	Output	Asserted when all four physical TX lanes are stable and ready to transmit data.
<code>rx_block_lock</code>	Output	Asserted when all 20 virtual lanes have identified 66-bit block boundaries in the serial data stream.
<code>rx_am_lock</code>	Output	Asserted when all 20 incoming virtual lanes have been ordered.
<code>rx_pcs_ready</code>	Output	Asserted when the RX lanes are fully aligned and ready to receive data.



6.7. Reset Signals

The IP core has three external hard reset inputs. These resets are asynchronous and are internally synchronized. Assert resets for ten `clk_status` cycles or until you observe the effect of their specific reset. Asserting the external hard reset `csr_rst_n` returns control and status registers to their original values. `rx_pcs_ready` and `tx_lanes_stable` are asserted when the core has exited reset successfully.

Table 21. Reset Signals

Signal	Direction	Description
<code>tx_rst_n</code>	Input	Active low hard reset signal. Resets the TX interface, including the TX PCS and TX MAC. This reset leads to the deassertion of the <code>tx_lanes_stable</code> output signal.
<code>rx_rst_n</code>	Input	Active low hard reset signal. Resets the RX interface, including the RX PCS and RX MAC. This reset leads to the deassertion of the <code>rx_pcs_ready</code> output signal.
<code>csr_rst_n</code>	Input	Active low hard global reset. Resets the full IP core. Resets the TX MAC, RX MAC, TX PCS, RX PCS, transceivers, and control and status registers. This reset leads to the deassertion of the <code>tx_lanes_stable</code> and <code>rx_pcs_ready</code> output signals.

Related Information

- [Reset](#) on page 43
 - [PHY Registers](#) on page 57
- Information about the reset fields in the `PHY_CONFIG` register at offset 0x310.

6.8. Clocks

You must set the transceiver reference clock (`clk_ref`) frequency to a value that the IP core supports. The Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP core supports a `clk_ref` frequency of 644.53125 MHz or 322.265625 MHz ± 100 ppm. The ± 100 ppm value is required for any clock source providing the transceiver reference clock.

Table 22. Clock Inputs

Describes the input clocks that you must provide.

Signal Name	Description
<code>clk_ref</code>	The input clock <code>clk_ref</code> is the reference clock for the transceiver RX CDR PLL and the RS-FEC PLLs. This clock must have a frequency of 644.53125 MHz with a ± 100 ppm accuracy per the <i>IEEE 802.3ba-2010 Ethernet Standard</i> . In addition, <code>clk_ref</code> must meet the jitter specification of the <i>IEEE 802.3ba-2010 Ethernet Standard</i> .

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Signal Name	Description
	The PLL and clock generation logic use this reference clock to derive the transceiver and PCS clocks. The input clock should be a high quality signal on the appropriate dedicated clock pin. Refer to the relevant device datasheet for transceiver reference clock phase noise specifications.
tx_serial_clk[1:0]	These two input clocks are part of the external PLL interface. The IP core fans out each clock to target two of the four transceiver PHY links. You must drive these clocks from two ATX PLLs that you configure separately from the Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP core. The required frequency is 12.890625 GHz.
clk_status	Clocks the control and status interface. clk_status is expected to be a 100–162 MHz clock. If AN/LT option is enabled, the clk_status and reconfig_clk must be connected to the same clock.
reconfig_clk	Clocks the transceiver reconfiguration interface. reconfig_clk is expected to be a 100–162 MHz clock. If AN/LT option is enabled, the clk_status and reconfig_clk must be connected to the same clock.

Table 23. Clock Outputs

Describes the output clocks that the IP core provides. In most cases these clocks participate in internal clocking of the IP core as well.

Signal Name	Description
clk_txmac	The TX clock for the IP core is clk_txmac. The TX MAC clock frequency is 390.625 MHz. This clock is guaranteed stable when tx_lanes_stable is high.
clk_rxmac	The RX clock for the IP core is clk_rxmac. The RX MAC clock frequency is 390.625 MHz. This clock is only reliable when rx_pcs_ready has the value of 1. The IP core generates clk_rxmac from a recovered clock that relies on the presence of incoming RX data.

Related Information

- [Adding the Transceiver PLLs on page 19](#)
Information about configuring and connecting the external PLLs. Includes signal descriptions.
- [Intel Stratix 10 Device Datasheet](#)
Provides transceiver reference clock phase noise specifications.

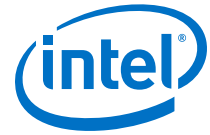
6.9. Flow Control Interface

Flow Control Interface signals become available when you turn on **Enable MAC Flow Control** in the parameter editor.

Table 24. Flow Control Signals

Signal Name	Direction	Description
pause_insert_tx0[(FCQN-1):0] pause_insert_tx1[(FCQN-1):0]	Input	<p>This signal is available if you specify pause on PFC. The signal indicates to the MAC whether XON or XOFF Pause or PFC flow control frame should be sent.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • FCQN = 1 for Pause • FCQN = 1 ~ 8 for PFC <p>The request for XON/XOFF flow control frame transmission can be done in either 1 or 2-bit request mode.</p> <p>1-bit mode request model:</p> <p>The IP core ignores pause_insert_tx1[(FCQN-1):0]. The following encoding is defined:</p>

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Signal Name	Direction	Description
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 0: No request • 0 to 1: Generate XOFF request • 1: Continue to generate XOFF request • 1 to 0: Generate XON request <p>2-bit mode request model:</p> <p>The higher-order bit is in <code>pause_insert_tx1[(FCQN-1):0]</code> and the lower-order bit is in <code>pause_insert_tx0[(FCQN-1):0]</code>.</p> <p>The XON/XOFF request is a level-based request.</p> <p>The following encoding is defined:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 00: No further XON/XOFF request. In an XON/XOFF flow control frame is in progress, it is sent. • 01: Generate XON flow control frame and continuously sends them thereafter • 10: Generate XOFF flow control frame and continuously sends them thereafter • 11: Invalid request
<code>pause_receive_rx[(FCQN-1):0]</code>	Output	<p>Each <code>pause_receive_rx[(FCQN-1):0]</code> bit indicates the corresponding queue is being paused.</p> <p>This is a level-based signal.</p>

7. Registers

This section provides information about the memory-mapped registers. You access these registers using the IP core Avalon-MM control and status interface. The registers use 32-bit addresses; they are not byte addressable.

Write operations to a read-only register field have no effect. Read operations that address a Reserved register return an unspecified result. Write operations to Reserved registers have no effect. Accesses to registers that do not exist in your IP core variation, or to register bits that are not defined in your IP core variation, have an unspecified result. You should consider these registers and register bits Reserved. Although you can only access registers in 32-bit read and write operations, you should not attempt to write or ascribe meaning to values in undefined register bits.

Table 25. Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP Core Register Map Overview

Lists the main ranges of the memory mapped registers for the Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP core. Addresses are word addresses.

Word Offset	Register Category
0x00B0-0x00EB	Auto Negotiation and Link Training registers
0x0300-0x03FF	PHY registers
0x0400-0x04FF	TX MAC registers
0x0500-0x05FF	RX MAC registers
0x0800-0x08FF	TX statistics counters
0x0900-0x09FF	RX statistics counters
0x0C00-0x0CFF	TX RS-FEC registers
0x0D00-0x0DFF	RX RS-FEC registers
0x4000-0x7FFF	PMA registers ⁽¹⁾

Related Information

[Avalon-MM Management Interface](#) on page 52

⁽¹⁾ Each PHY channel has its PMA registers set. PMA registers sets are offset from each other by 0x800 channel offset, starting at the 0x4000 word offset.



7.1. PHY Registers

Table 26. PHY Registers

The global hard reset `csr_rst_n` resets all of these registers. The TX reset `tx_rst_n` and RX reset `rx_rst_n` signals do not reset these registers.

Addr	Name	Description	Reset	Access
0x300	REVID	IP core PHY module revision ID	0x0809 2017	RO
0x301	SCRATCH	Scratch register available for testing	0x0000 0000	RW
0x302	PHY_NAME_0	First characters of IP core variation identifier string, "100".	0x0031 3030	RO
0x303	PHY_NAME_1	Next characters of IP core variation identifier string, "GE".	0x0000 4745	RO
0x304	PHY_NAME_2	Final characters of IP core variation identifier string, "pcs".	0x0070 6373	RO
0x310	PHY_CONFIG	PHY configuration registers. The following bit fields are defined: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bit[0]: <code>eio_sys_rst</code>. Full system reset (except registers). Set this bit to initiate the internal reset sequence. Bit[1]: <code>soft_txp_rst</code>. TX soft reset. Bit[2]: <code>soft_rxp_rst</code>. RX soft reset. Bit[3]: Reserved. Bit[4]: <code>set_ref_lock</code>. Directs the RX CDR PLL to lock to the reference clock. Bit[5]: <code>set_data_lock</code>. Directs the RX CDR PLL to lock to data. Bits[31:6]: Reserved. <p>The reset bits are not self-clearing. To force a reset, you can set and reset a reset bit in back-to-back register write operations.</p>	26'hX_2'b0_1'bX_3'b0 (X= don't care)	RW
0x312	WORD_LOCK	Each of the 20 lower order bits, when asserted, indicates that the corresponding virtual channel has identified 66 bit block boundaries in the serial data stream. If Enable RS-FEC is turned on, the value is always zero.	0xFFFF 0000 (X= don't care)	RO
0x313	EIO_SLOOP	Serial PMA loopback. Setting a bit puts the corresponding transceiver in serial loopback mode. In serial loopback mode, the TX lane loops back to the RX lane on an internal loopback path.	0XXXX XXX0	RW
0x314	EIO_FLAG_SEL	Supports indirect addressing of individual FIFO flags in the 10G PCS Native PHY IP core. Program this register with the encoding for a specific FIFO flag. The flag values (one per transceiver) are then accessible in the <code>EIO_FLAGS</code> register. The value in the <code>EIO_FLAG_SEL</code> register directs the IP core to make available the following FIFO flag: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 3'b000: TX FIFO full 3'b001: TX FIFO empty 3'b010: TX FIFO partially full 3'b011: TX FIFO partially empty 	29'bX_3'b000	RW

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Addr	Name	Description	Reset	Access
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 3'b100: RX FIFO full 3'b101: RX FIFO empty 3'b110: RX FIFO partially full 3'b111: RX FIFO partially empty 		
0x315	EIO_FLAGS	PCS indirect data. To read a FIFO flag, set the value in the EIO_FLAG_SEL register to indicate the flag you want to read. After you specify the flag in the EIO_FLAG_SEL register, each bit [n] in the EIO_FLAGS register has the value of that FIFO flag for the transceiver channel for lane [n].	0xFFFF XXX0	RO
0x321	EIO_FREQ_LOCK	Each of the lower order four bits, when asserted, indicates that the corresponding lane RX clock data recovery (CDR) phase-locked loop (PLL) is locked.	0xFFFF XXX0	RO
0x322	PHY_CLK	The following encodings are defined: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bit[0]: If set to 1, indicates the TX transceivers have completed reset. Bit [1]: If set to 1, indicates the TX core clock is stable. And if the Enable RS-FEC is turned on, the FEC TX PLL has acquired frequency lock. Bit[2]: If set to 1, indicates the RX core clock is stable. And if the Enable RS-FEC is turned on, the FEC RX PLL has acquired frequency lock. 	29'bX_3'b000	RO
0x323	FRM_ERR	Each of the 20 lower order bits, when asserted, indicates that the corresponding virtual lane has a frame error. You can read this register to determine if the IP core sustains a low number of frame errors, below the threshold to lose word lock. These bits are sticky, unless the virtual lane loses word lock. Write 1'b1 to the SCLR_FRM_ERR register to clear. If a virtual lane loses word lock, it clears the corresponding register bit. Each bit in this register has a valid value only if the corresponding bit in the WORD_LOCK register at offset 0x312 has the value of 1. If Enable RS-FEC is turned on, the value is always zero.	0xFFFF 0000	RO
0x324	SCLR_FRM_ERR	Synchronous clear for FRM_ERR register. Write 1'b1 to this register to clear the FRM_ERR register and bit [1] of the LANE_DESKEWED register. A single bit clears all sticky framing errors. This bit does not auto clear. Write a 1'b0 to continue logging frame errors.	0x0000 0000	RW
0x325	EIO_RX_SOFT_PURGE_S	Set bit [0] to clear the RX FIFO for all four physical lanes. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bit[11]: If set to 1, disables the bitslip request from PCS to PMA. Bit[12]: If set to 1, holds auto adaptation module in Idle state. If set to 0, releases auto adaptation module from the Idle state. 	0x0000 0000	RW

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Addr	Name	Description	Reset	Access
0x326	RX_PCS_FULLY_ALIGNED_S	Indicates the RX PCS is fully aligned and ready to accept traffic. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bit[0]: RX PCS fully aligned status. Bit[1]: RX PCS HI BER status. If Enable RS-FEC is turned on, the value is always zero.	30'bX_2'b00	RO
0x327	ERR_INJ	When set to 1, injects an error in the corresponding lane. The register is rising-edge triggered. Write a 0 to clear.	0xXXXX XXX0	RW
0x328	AM_LOCK	When bit [0] is asserted, indicates that the IP core has identified virtual lane alignment markers in the data stream of all 20 virtual lanes, and has ordered the virtual lanes. If Enable RS-FEC is turned on, the value is always zero.	0xXXXX XXX0	RO
0x329	LANE_DESKEWED	The following encodings are defined: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bit [0]: Indicates all lanes are deskewed. Bit [1]: When asserted indicates a change in lanes deskewed status. To clear this sticky bit, write 1'b1 to the corresponding bit of the SCLR_FRM_ERR register. This is a latched signal. If Enable RS-FEC is turned on, the value is always zero.	30'bX_2'b00	RO
0x330	PCS_VLANE0	PCS virtual lane mapping. Identifies the five virtual lanes detected on physical lane 0. Virtual lanes are encoded with the five-bit binary virtual lane number. One virtual lane index is encoded in register bits [4:0], another in register bits [9:5], another in register bits [14:10], another in register bits [19:15], and another in register bits [24:20]. For example, if the value of the register is 25'b00001_00101_00011_00000_01000, virtual lanes 0, 1, 3, 5, and 8 map to physical lane 0. The value 0x1F in any of these fields indicates no virtual lane is recorded yet. Before the IP core asserts <i>rx_pcs_ready</i> , transitional values can appear in the register fields. Therefore, you should read the register three to four times to ensure you read the correct virtual lane indicators. If Enable RS-FEC is turned on, the value remains at the reset value.	0x01FF FFFF	RO
0x331	PCS_VLANE1	PCS virtual lane mapping for physical lane 1. The value 0x1F in any of these fields indicates no virtual lane is recorded yet. Before the IP core asserts <i>rx_pcs_ready</i> , transitional values can appear in the register fields. Therefore, you should read the register three to four times to ensure you read the correct virtual lane indicators. If Enable RS-FEC is turned on, the value remains at the reset value.	0x01FF FFFF	RO
0x332	PCS_VLANE2	PCS virtual lane mapping for physical lane 2. The value 0x1F in any of these fields indicates no virtual lane is recorded yet. Before the IP core asserts <i>rx_pcs_ready</i> ,	0x01FF FFFF	RO

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Addr	Name	Description	Reset	Access
		transitional values can appear in the register fields. Therefore, you should read the register three to four times to ensure you read the correct virtual lane indicators. If Enable RS-FEC is turned on, the value remains at the reset value.		
0x333	PCS_VLANE3	PCS virtual lane mapping for physical lane 3. The value 0x1F in any of these fields indicates no virtual lane is recorded yet. Before the IP core asserts <code>rx_pcs_ready</code> , transitional values can appear in the register fields. Therefore, you should read the register three to four times to ensure you read the correct virtual lane indicators. If Enable RS-FEC is turned on, the value remains at the reset value.	0x01FF FFFF	RO
0x341	KHZ_RX	RX clock (<code>clk_rxmac</code>) frequency in KHz, assuming the <code>clk_status</code> clock has the frequency of 100 MHz. The RX clock frequency is the value in this register times the frequency of the <code>clk_status</code> clock, divided by 100.	0x0000 0000	RO
0x342	KHZ_TX	TX clock (<code>clk_txmac</code>) frequency in KHz, assuming the <code>clk_status</code> clock has the frequency of 100 MHz. The TX clock frequency is the value in this register times the frequency of the <code>clk_status</code> clock, divided by 100.	0x0000 0000	RO
0x343	KHZ_TX_RS	FEC TX clock (<code>clk_tx_rs</code>) frequency in KHz, assuming the <code>clk_status</code> clock has the frequency of 100 MHz. The TX FEC clock frequency is the value in this register times the frequency of the <code>clk_status</code> clock, divided by 100. This register is available only if Enable RS-FEC is turned on.	0x0000 0000	RO
0x344	KHZ_RX_RS	FEC RX clock (<code>clk_rx_rs</code>) frequency in KHz, assuming the <code>clk_status</code> clock has the frequency of 100 MHz. The RX FEC clock frequency is the value in this register times the frequency of the <code>clk_status</code> clock, divided by 100. This register is available only if Enable RS-FEC is turned on.	0x0000 0000	RO
0x350	ENABLE_RSFECD	Allows you to dynamically control the RS-FEC block which is part of the data path. This register is available only if the Enable RS-FEC is turned on. When the RS-FEC block is enabled, writing 1 enables the RS-FEC data path and writing 0 disables the RS-FEC data path. <i>Note:</i> In a configuration where the RS-FEC + KR feature is enabled, this register has no effect because the data path always includes the RS-FEC by default.	0x0000 0001	RW



7.2. TX MAC Registers

Table 27. TX MAC Registers

Addr	Name	Description	Reset	Access
0x400	TXMAC_REVID	TX MAC revision ID.	0x0809 2017	RO
0x401	TXMAC_SCRATCH	Scratch register available for testing.	0x0000 0000	RW
0x402	TXMAC_NAME_0	First 4 characters of IP core variation identifier string, "100g".	0x3130 3067	RO
0x403	TXMAC_NAME_1	Next 4 characters of IP core variation identifier string, "MACT".	0x4D41 4354	RO
0x404	TXMAC_NAME_2	Final 4 characters of IP core variation identifier string, "xCSR".	0x7843 5352	RO
0x405	LINK_FAULT	<p>Link Fault Configuration Register. The following bits are defined:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Force Remote Fault bit[3]: When link fault generation is enabled, stops data transmission and forces transmission of a remote fault. Disable Remote Fault bit[2]: When both link fault reporting and unidirectional transport are enabled, the core transmits data and does not transmit remote faults (RF). This bit takes effect when the value of this register is 28'hX4'b0111. Unidir Enable bit[1]: When asserted, the core includes Clause 66 support for the remote link fault reporting on the Ethernet link. Link Fault Reporting Enable bit[0]: The following encodings are defined: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1'b1: The PCS generates the proper fault sequence on Ethernet link, when conditions are met. 1'b0: The PCS does not generate the fault sequence. 	28'hX_4'b0001	RW
0x406	IPG_COL_REM	<p>Specifies the number of IDLE columns to be removed in every Alignment Marker period to compensate for alignment marker insertion. You can program this register to a larger value than the default value, for clock compensation.</p> <p>The default value is 20 (decimal)..</p> <p>Bits [31:8] of this register are Reserved.</p>	0xXXXX XX14	RW
0x407	MAX_TX_SIZE_CONFIG	<p>Specifies the maximum TX frame length. Frames that are longer are considered oversized. However, the IP core does transmit them.</p> <p>If the IP core transmits an Ethernet frame of size greater than the number of bytes specified in this register, and the IP core includes statistics registers, the IP core increments the 64-bit CNTR_TX_OVERSIZE counter.</p> <p>The minimum value of this register is 64 (decimal).</p>	0xXXXX 2580	RW

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Addr	Name	Description	Reset	Access
		Bits [31:16] of this register are Reserved.		
0x40A	TX_MAC_CONTROL	TX MAC Control Register. A single bit is defined: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Bit [1] – VLAN detection disabled. This bit is deasserted by default, implying VLAN detection is enabled.	30'hX2'b0X	RW



7.3. RX MAC Registers

Table 28. RX MAC Registers

Addr	Name	Description	Reset	Access
0x500	RXMAC_REVID	RX MAC revision ID.	0x0809 2017	RO
0x501	RXMAC_SCRATCH	Scratch register available for testing.	0x0000 0000	RW
0x502	RXMAC_NAME_0	First 4 characters of IP core variation identifier string, "100g".	0x3130 3067	RO
0x503	RXMAC_NAME_1	Next 4 characters of IP core variation identifier string, "MACR".	0x4D41 4352	RO
0x504	RXMAC_NAME_2	Final 4 characters of IP core variation identifier string, "xCSR".	0x7843 5352	RO
0x506	RXMAC_SIZE_CONFIG	Specifies the maximum frame length available. The MAC asserts <code>l8_rx_error[3]</code> when the length of the received frame exceeds the value of this register. If the IP core receives an Ethernet frame of size greater than the number of bytes specified in this register, and the IP core includes statistics registers, the IP core increments the 64-bit <code>CNTR_RX_OVERSIZE</code> counter. The minimum value of this register is 64 (decimal).	0xXXXX 2580	RW
0x507	MAC_CRC_CONFIG	The RX CRC forwarding configuration register. The following encodings are defined: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1'b0 : Remove RX CRC, do not forward it to the RX client interface 1'b1 : Retain RX CRC, forward it to the RX client interface In either case, the IP core checks the incoming RX CRC and flags errors.	31'hX1'b0	RW
0x508	LINK_FAULT	Link Fault Status Register. For unidirectional Link Fault, implements <i>IEEE 802.3 Ethernet Clause 66</i> .	30'hX2'b00	RO
0x50A	RXMAC_CONTROL	RX MAC Control Register. The following bits are defined: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bit[4] – Preamble check. Strict SFD checking option to compare each packet preamble to 0x555555555555. This field is available only if you turn on Enable Strict SFD check. Bit[3] – SFD check. Strict SFD checking option to compare each SFD byte to 0x5D. This field is available only if you turn on Enable Strict SFD check. Bit [1] – VLAN detection disabled. This bit is deasserted by default implying VLAN detection is enabled. 	27'h0_5'b11X0X	RW

7.4. Pause/PFC Flow Control Registers

Some of the registers in this table cannot be updated during normal operation. To ensure correct operation, perform a soft reset by writing Bit[0] of the PHY_CONFIG (0x310) after updating registers that cannot be changed dynamically.

Table 29. TX Flow Control Registers

Addr	Bit	Name	Description	Reset	Access
0x600	31:0	TX Flow Control Revision ID	Specifies the revision ID, "100GFCTx CSR"	0x0809_20017	RO
0x601	31:0	TX Flow Control Scratch Pad	Scratch register for testing.	0	RW
0x602	31:0	TX Flow Control IP Core Variant 0	Specifies first 4 characters of IP core variation identifier ASCII string, "100G".	0x3130_3047	RO
0x603	31:0	TX Flow Control IP Core Variant 1	Next 4 characters of IP core variation identifier ASCII string, "FCTx"	0x4643_5478	RO
0x604	31:0	TX Flow Control IP Core Variant 2	Final 4 characters of IP core variation identifier ASCII string, "xCSR".	0x0043_5352	RO
0x605	7:0	TX Flow Control Enable One bit per queue	Enables the IP core to generate XON and XOFF Pause/PFC flow control frames to the remote partner. The following encodings are defined: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1'b0: XON or XOFF Pause/PFC flow control is disabled 1'b1: XON or XOFF Pause/PFC flow control is enabled. You can change this field dynamically.	0xFF	RW
	31:8	Reserved	Reserved	0	RO
0x606	7:0	TX Flow Control CSR XON/XOFF Request 0	XON/XOF flow control frame request bit 0. Interpretation depends on whether the IP core is in 1-bit FC request mode or in 2-bit FC request mode. This register affects a flow control queue only if the corresponding bit of the TX Flow Control Enable register has the value of 1. In 2-bit mode, in addition, this register is active for a specific flow control queue only if the corresponding bit in the TX 2-bit Flow Control Request Mode register field (bits 7:0 of the register at offset 0x641) specifies that the flow control logic accepts input from this register. The following encodings are defined for 1-bit mode. The IP core reads the 1-bit mode value in TX Flow Control CSR XON/XOFF Request 0. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 0 = No request 0 to 1 = Generate XOFF request 1 = Continue to generate XOFF request 1 to 0 = Generate XON request 	0	RW

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Addr	Bit	Name	Description	Reset	Access
			<p>The following encodings are defined for 2-bit mode. The IP core reads the 2-bit mode value in {TX Flow Control CSR XON/XOFF Request 1, TX Flow Control CSR XON/XOFF Request 1}.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 00 = No request • 01 = XON request • 10 = XOFF request • 11 = Invalid <p>You can modify the value of this field dynamically.</p>		
	15:8	Reserved	Reserved	0	RO
	23:16	TX Flow Control CSR XON/XOFF Request 1	<p>In conjunction with Flow Control XON/XOFF Request 0 specifies a 2-bit request for XON/XOFF flow control frame transmission. This bit is the upper bit of the 2-bit control field.</p> <p>You can change the value of this field dynamically.</p>	0	RW
	31:24	Reserved	Reserved	0	RO
0x60A	0	TX Pause Enable 1-bit	<p>Determines whether receiving a valid Pause frame stops TX user data transmission.</p> <p>1'b0: Transmission is not stopped 1b1: Transmission stops</p> <p>You cannot change the value of this field dynamically.</p>	0	RW
	31:1	Reserved	Reserved	0	RO
0x60D	31:0	TX Flow Control Destination Address Lower	<p>Specifies the 48-bit Destination Address of the flow control frame. Contains the 32 LSB of the address field.</p> <p>You cannot modify the value of this field dynamically.</p>	0xC2000001	RW
0x60E	15:0	TX Flow Control Destination Address Upper	<p>Specifies the 48-bit Destination Address of flow control frame. Contains the 16 MSB of the address field.</p> <p>You cannot modify the value of this field dynamically.</p>	0x0180	RW
	31:16	Reserved	Reserved	0	RO
0x60F	31:0	TX Flow Control Source Address Lower	<p>Specifies the 48-bit Source Address of flow control frame. Contains the 32 LSB of the address field.</p>	0xCBFC5ADD	RW
0x610	15:0	TX Flow Control Source Address Upper	<p>Specifies the 48-bit Source Address of flow control frame. Contains the 16 MSB of the address field.</p> <p>You cannot modify the value of this field dynamically.</p>	0xE100	RW
	31:16	Reserved	Reserved	0	RO
0x620, 0x621, ..., 0x620	15:0	TX Flow Control Quanta 16-bit per FCQN	<p>Specifies the pause quanta of Pause/PFC flow control frames to be sent to remote partner.</p>	0xFFFF	RW

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Addr	Bit	Name	Description	Reset	Access
+ (FCQN-1 where FCQN = 0 to 7)			You cannot modify the value of this field dynamically.		
	31:16	Reserved	Reserved	0	RO
0x628, 0x629, ..., 0x628 + (FCQN-1 where FCQN = 0 to 7)	15:0	TX Flow Control Signal XOFF Request Hold Quanta 16-bit per FCQN	Specifies the separation between 2 consecutive XOFF flow control frames. You cannot modify the value of this field dynamically.	0xFFFF	RW
	31:16	Reserved	Reserved	0	RO
0x640	0	TX Flow Control Select 1-bit	Specifies whether the TX hardware generates Pause or PFC frames. Affects only PFC Queue 0. Usage example: You can synthesize a single PFC queue and use it for both Pause and PFC purpose. 1'b0: Pause 1'b1: PFC You cannot modify the value of this field dynamically.	1	RW
	31:1	Reserved.	Reserved.	0	RO
0x641	(FCQN-1):0	TX 2-bit Flow Control Request Mode 1-bit per FCQN	Determines whether the TX Flow Control CSR XON/XOFF Request register or the pause_insert_tx0 and pause_insert_tx1 signals control XON/XOFF mode in 2-bit control mode. 1'b0: The pause_insert_tx0 and pause_insert_tx1 signals control requests 1'b1: The TX Flow Control CSR XON/XOFF Request register fields control requests You cannot modify the value of this field dynamically.	0	RW
	16	TX Flow Control Request Mode FCQN	Determines whether the IP core is in TX flow control 1-bit mode or 2-bit mode. 1'b0: Use 1-bit mode to make TX flow control requests 1'b1: Use 2-bit mode to make TX flow control requests	0	RW
	31:17	Reserved	Reserved	0	RO

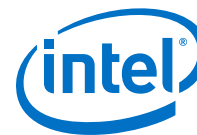


Table 30. RX Flow Control Registers

Addr	Bit	Name	Description	Reset	Access
0x700	31:0	RX Flow Control Revision ID	Specifies the revision ID, "100GFCTx CSR"	0x0809_20017	RO
0x701	31:0	RX Flow Control Scratch Pad	Provides a register for debug.	0	RW
0x702	31:0	RX Flow Control IP Core Variant 0	First 4 characters of IP core variation identifier ASCII string, Specifies first 4 characters of IP core variation identifier ASCII string, "100G".	0x3130_3047	RO
0x703	31:0	RX Flow Control IP Core Variant 1	Next 4 characters of IP core variation identifier ASCII string, "FCRx".	0x4643_5278	RO
0x704	31:0	RX Flow Control IP Core Variant 2	Final 4 characters of IP core variation identifier ASCII string, "0CSR". The "0" is unprintable.	0x0043_5352	RO
0x705	7:0	RX PFC Enable 1 bit per queue	Determines whether receiving a valid PFC frame causes the PFC duration user interface to indicate a valid pause quanta duration to the user logic. 1'b0: Disable 1'b1: Enable If flow control is disabled, RX MAC forwards any flow control packet to the user without generating XON, XOFF, or Pause indicators.	0xFF	RW
	31:8	Reserved	Reserved	0	RO
0x707	31:0	RX Flow Control Destination Address Lower	Specifies the 48-bit Destination Address of the flow control frame. Contains the 32 LSB of the address field. The flow control frame is sent with the destination address matching the address specified in this register or the multicast address. If the address is not a match, the Flow Control block does not respond to the incoming frame; the IP core just passes it through. You cannot modify the value of this field dynamically.	0xC2000001	RW
0x708	15:0	RX Flow Control Destination Address Upper	Specifies the 48-bit Destination Address of flow control frame. Contains the 16 MSB of the address field. The flow control frame is sent with the destination address matching the address specified in this register or the multicast address. If the address is not a match, the Flow Control block does not respond to the incoming frame; the IP core just passes it through. You cannot modify the value of this field dynamically.	0x0180	RW
	31:16	Reserved	Reserved	0	RO

7.5. Statistics Registers

The Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA statistics registers count Ethernet traffic and errors. The 64-bit statistics registers are designed to roll over, to ensure timing closure on the FPGA. However, these registers should never roll over if the link is functioning properly. The statistics registers check the size of frames, which includes the following fields:

- Size of the destination address
- Size of the source address
- Size of the data
- Four bytes of CRC

The statistics counters module is a synthesis option. The statistics registers are counters that are implemented inside the CSR. When you turn on the **Enable RX/TX statistics counters** parameter in the Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA parameter editor, the counters are implemented in the CSR. When you turn off the **Enable RX/TX statistics counters** parameter in the Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA parameter editor, the counters are not implemented in the CSR, and read access to the counters returns undefined results.

After system power-up, the statistics counters have random values. You must clear these registers and confirm the system is stable before using their values. You can clear the registers with the `csr_rst_n` input signal, or with the configuration registers at offsets 0x845 and 0x945.

The configuration register at offset 0x845 allows you to clear all of the TX statistics counters. The configuration register at offset 0x945 allows you to clear all of the RX statistics counters. If you exclude these registers, you can monitor the statistics counter increment vectors that the IP core provides at the client side interface and maintain your own counters.

Reading the value of a statistics register does not affect its value.

To ensure that the counters you read are consistent, you should issue a shadow request to create a snapshot of all of the TX or RX statistics registers, by setting bit [2] of the configuration register at offset 0x845 or 0x945, respectively. Until you reset this bit, the counters continue to increment but the readable values remain constant. You can read bit [1] of the status register at offset 0x846 or 0x946, respectively, to confirm your shadow request has been granted or released.

7.5.1. TX Statistics Registers

Table 31. Transmit Side Statistics Registers

The TX MAC does not check outgoing frames for FCS errors, Therefore, the TX statistics registers do not collect statistics for related categories: all FCS error-related registers should maintain the value of 0. In addition, the TX MAC does not check for undersized frames. Therefore, the `CNTR_TX_FRAGMENTS` and `CNTR_TX_RUNT` registers should maintain the value of 0.

Address	Name-	Description	Access
0x800	CNTR_TX_FRAGMENT_S_LO	Number of transmitted frames less than 64 bytes and reporting a CRC error (lower 32 bits)	RO
0x801	CNTR_TX_FRAGMENT_S_HI	Number of transmitted frames less than 64 bytes and reporting a CRC error (upper 32 bits)	RO
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Address	Name	Description	Access
0x802	CNTR_TX_JABBERS_LO	Number of transmitted oversized frames reporting a CRC error (lower 32 bits)	RO
0x803	CNTR_TX_JABBERS_HI	Number of transmitted oversized frames reporting a CRC error (upper 32 bits)	RO
0x804	CNTR_TX_FCS_LO	Number of transmitted packets with FCS errors. (lower 32 bits)	RO
0x805	CNTR_TX_FCS_HI	Number of transmitted packets with FCS errors. (upper 32 bits)	RO
0x806	CNTR_TX_CRCERR_LO	Number of transmitted frames with a frame of length at least 64 reporting a CRC error (lower 32 bits)	RO
0x807	CNTR_TX_CRCERR_HI	Number of transmitted frames with a frame of length at least 64 reporting a CRC error (upper 32 bits)	RO
0x808	CNTR_TX_MCAST_DATA_ERR_LO	Number of errored multicast frames transmitted, excluding control frames (lower 32 bits)	RO
0x809	CNTR_TX_MCAST_DATA_ERR_HI	Number of errored multicast frames transmitted, excluding control frames (upper 32 bits)	RO
0x80A	CNTR_TX_BCAST_DATA_ERR_LO	Number of errored broadcast frames transmitted, excluding control frames (lower 32 bits)	RO
0x80B	CNTR_TX_BCAST_DATA_ERR_HI	Number of errored broadcast frames transmitted, excluding control frames (upper 32 bits)	RO
0x80C	CNTR_TX_UCAST_DATA_ERR_LO	Number of errored unicast frames transmitted, excluding control frames (lower 32 bits)	RO
0x80D	CNTR_TX_UCAST_DATA_ERR_HI	Number of errored unicast frames transmitted, excluding control frames (upper 32 bits)	RO
0x80E	CNTR_TX_MCAST_CTRL_ERR_LO	Number of errored multicast control frames transmitted (lower 32 bits)	RO
0x80F	CNTR_TX_MCAST_CTRL_ERR_HI	Number of errored multicast control frames transmitted (upper 32 bits)	RO
0x810	CNTR_TX_BCAST_CTRL_ERR_LO	Number of errored broadcast control frames transmitted (lower 32 bits)	RO
0x811	CNTR_TX_BCAST_CTRL_ERR_HI	Number of errored broadcast control frames transmitted (upper 32 bits)	RO
0x812	CNTR_TX_UCAST_CTRL_ERR_LO	Number of errored unicast control frames transmitted (lower 32 bits)	RO
0x813	CNTR_TX_UCAST_CTRL_ERR_HI	Number of errored unicast control frames transmitted (upper 32 bits)	RO
0x814	CNTR_TX_PAUSE_ERR_LO	Number of errored pause frames transmitted (lower 32 bits)	RO
0x815	CNTR_TX_PAUSE_ERR_HI	Number of errored pause frames transmitted (upper 32 bits)	RO
0x816	CNTR_TX_64B_LO	Number of 64-byte transmitted frames (lower 32 bits), including the CRC field but excluding the preamble and SFD bytes	RO
0x817	CNTR_TX_64B_HI	Number of 64-byte transmitted frames (upper 32 bits), including the CRC field but excluding the preamble and SFD bytes	RO
0x818	CNTR_TX_65to127B_LO	Number of transmitted frames between 65–127 bytes (lower 32 bits)	RO

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Address	Name-	Description	Access
0x819	CNTR_TX_65to127B_HI	Number of transmitted frames between 65–127 bytes (upper 32 bits)	RO
0x81A	CNTR_TX_128to255B_LO	Number of transmitted frames between 128–255 bytes (lower 32 bits)	RO
0x81B	CNTR_TX_128to255B_HI	Number of transmitted frames between 128–255 bytes (upper 32 bits)	RO
0x81C	CNTR_TX_256to511B_LO	Number of transmitted frames between 256–511 bytes (lower 32 bits)	RO
0x81D	CNTR_TX_256to511B_HI	Number of transmitted frames between 256–511 bytes (upper 32 bits)	RO
0x81E	CNTR_TX_512to1023B_LO	Number of transmitted frames between 512–1023 bytes (lower 32 bits)	RO
0x81F	CNTR_TX_512to1023B_HI	Number of transmitted frames between 512–1023 bytes (upper 32 bits)	RO
0x820	CNTR_TX_1024to1518B_LO	Number of transmitted frames between 1024–1518 bytes (lower 32 bits)	RO
0x821	CNTR_TX_1024to1518B_HI	Number of transmitted frames between 1024–1518 bytes (upper 32 bits)	RO
0x822	CNTR_TX_1519toMAXB_LO	Number of transmitted frames of size between 1519 bytes and the number of bytes specified in the MAX_TX_SIZE_CONFIG register (lower 32 bits)	RO
0x823	CNTR_TX_1519toMAXB_HI	Number of transmitted frames of size between 1519 bytes and the number of bytes specified in the MAX_TX_SIZE_CONFIG register (upper 32 bits)	RO
0x824	CNTR_TX_OVERSIZE_LO	Number of oversized frames (frames with more bytes than the number specified in the MAX_TX_SIZE_CONFIG register) transmitted (lower 32 bits)	RO
0x825	CNTR_TX_OVERSIZE_HI	Number of oversized frames (frames with more bytes than the number specified in the MAX_TX_SIZE_CONFIG register) transmitted (upper 32 bits)	RO
0x826	CNTR_TX_MCAST_DATA_OK_LO	Number of valid multicast frames transmitted, excluding control frames (lower 32 bits)	RO
0x827	CNTR_TX_MCAST_DATA_OK_HI	Number of valid multicast frames transmitted, excluding control frames (upper 32 bits)	RO
0x828	CNTR_TX_BCAST_DATA_OK_LO	Number of valid broadcast frames transmitted, excluding control frames (lower 32 bits)	RO
0x829	CNTR_TX_BCAST_DATA_OK_HI	Number of valid broadcast frames transmitted, excluding control frames (upper 32 bits)	RO
0x82A	CNTR_TX_UCAST_DATA_OK_LO	Number of valid unicast frames transmitted, excluding control frames (lower 32 bits)	RO
0x82B	CNTR_TX_UCAST_DATA_OK_HI	Number of valid unicast frames transmitted, excluding control frames (upper 32 bits)	RO
0x82C	CNTR_TX_MCAST_CTL_LO	Number of valid multicast frames transmitted, excluding data frames (lower 32 bits)	RO
0x82D	CNTR_TX_MCAST_CTL_HI	Number of valid multicast frames transmitted, excluding data frames (upper 32 bits)	RO

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Address	Name	Description	Access
0x82E	CNTR_TX_BCAST_CTL_LO	Number of valid broadcast frames transmitted, excluding data frames (lower 32 bits)	RO
0x82F	CNTR_TX_BCAST_CTL_HI	Number of valid broadcast frames transmitted, excluding data frames (upper 32 bits)	RO
0x830	CNTR_TX_UCAST_CTL_LO	Number of valid unicast frames transmitted, excluding data frames (lower 32 bits)	RO
0x831	CNTR_TX_UCAST_CTL_HI	Number of valid unicast frames transmitted, excluding data frames (upper 32 bits)	RO
0x832	CNTR_TX_PAUSE_LO	Number of valid pause frames transmitted (lower 32 bits)	RO
0x833	CNTR_TX_PAUSE_HI	Number of valid pause frames transmitted (upper 32 bits)	RO
0x834	CNTR_TX_RUNT_LO	Number of transmitted runt packets (lower 32 bits). The IP core does not transmit frames of length less than nine bytes. The IP core pads frames of length nine bytes to 64 bytes to extend them to 64 bytes. Therefore, this counter does not increment in normal operating conditions.	RO
0x835	CNTR_TX_RUNT_HI	Number of transmitted runt packets (upper 32 bits). The IP core does not transmit frames of length less than nine bytes. The IP core pads frames of length nine bytes to 64 bytes to extend them to 64 bytes. Therefore, this counter does not increment in normal operating conditions.	RO
0x836–0x844	Reserved		
0x845	CNTR_TX_CONFIG	<p>Bits[2:0]: Configuration of TX statistics counters:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bit[2]: Shadow request (active high): When set to the value of 1, TX statistics collection is paused. The underlying counters continue to operate, but the readable values reflect a snapshot at the time the pause flag was activated. Write a 0 to release. Bit[1]: Parity-error clear. When software sets this bit, the IP core clears the parity bit CNTR_TX_STATUS[0]. This bit (CNTR_TX_CONFIG[1]) is self-clearing. Bit[0]: Software can set this bit to the value of 1 to reset all of the TX statistics registers at the same time. This bit is self-clearing. <p>Bits[31:3] are Reserved.</p>	RW
0x846	CNTR_TX_STATUS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bit[1]: Indicates that the TX statistics registers are paused (while CNTR_TX_CONFIG[2] is asserted). Bit[0]: Indicates the presence of at least one parity error in the TX statistics counters. <p>Bits[31:2] are Reserved.</p>	RO
0x847–0x85F	Reserved		
0x860	TxPayloadOctetsOK_LO	Number of transmitted payload bytes in frames with no FCS, undersized, oversized, or payload length errors. If VLAN detection is turned off for the TX MAC (bit[1] of the TX_MAC_CONTROL register at offset 0x40A has the value of 1), the IP core counts the VLAN header bytes (4 bytes for VLAN and 8 bytes for stacked VLAN) as payload bytes. This register is compliant with the requirements for an OctetsTransmittedOK in section 5.2.2.1.8 of the <i>IEEE Standard 802.3-2008</i> .	RO
0x861	TxPayloadOctetsOK_HI		RO
0x862	TxFrameOctetsOK_LO	Number of transmitted bytes in frames with no FCS, undersized, oversized, or payload length errors. This register is compliant with the requirements for ifOutOctets in RFC3635 (Managed Objects for Ethernet-like Interface Types) and TX etherStatsOctets in RFC2819(Remote Network Monitoring Management Information Base (RMON)).	RO
0x863	TxFrameOctetsOK_HI		RO



7.5.2. RX Statistics Registers

Table 32. Receive Side Statistics Registers

Address	Name	Description	Access
0x900	CNTR_RX_FRAGMENTS_LO	Number of received frames less than 64 bytes and reporting a CRC error (lower 32 bits)	RO
0x901	CNTR_RX_FRAGMENTS_HI	Number of received frames less than 64 bytes and reporting a CRC error (upper 32 bits)	RO
0x902	CNTR_RX_JABBERS_LO	Number of received oversized frames reporting a CRC error (lower 32 bits)	RO
0x903	CNTR_RX_JABBERS_HI	Number of received oversized frames reporting a CRC error (upper 32 bits)	RO
0x904	CNTR_RX_FCS_LO	Number of received packets with FCS errors. This register maintains a count of the number of pulses on the l<n>_rx_fcs_error or rx_fcs_error output signal (lower 32 bits)	RO
0x905	CNTR_RX_FCS_HI	Number of received packets with FCS errors. This register maintains a count of the number of pulses on the l<n>_rx_fcs_error output signal (upper 32 bits)	RO
0x906	CNTR_RX_CRCERR_LO	Number of received frames with a frame of length at least 64, with CRC error (lower 32 bits)	RO
0x907	CNTR_RX_CRCERR_HI	Number of received frames with a frame of length at least 64, with CRC error (upper 32 bits)	RO
0x908	CNTR_RX_MCAST_DATA_ERR_LO	Number of errored multicast frames received, excluding control frames (lower 32 bits)	RO
0x909	CNTR_RX_MCAST_DATA_ERR_HI	Number of errored multicast frames received, excluding control frames (upper 32 bits)	RO
0x90A	CNTR_RX_BCAST_DATA_ERR_LO	Number of errored broadcast frames received, excluding control frames (lower 32 bits)	RO
0x90B	CNTR_RX_BCAST_DATA_ERR_HI	Number of errored broadcast frames received, excluding control frames (upper 32 bits)	RO
0x90C	CNTR_RX_UCAST_DATA_ERR_LO	Number of errored unicast frames received, excluding control frames (lower 32 bits)	RO
0x90D	CNTR_RX_UCAST_DATA_ERR_HI	Number of errored unicast frames received, excluding control frames (upper 32 bits)	RO
0x90E	CNTR_RX_MCAST_CTRL_ERR_LO	Number of errored multicast control frames received (lower 32 bits)	RO
0x90F	CNTR_RX_MCAST_CTRL_ERR_HI	Number of errored multicast control frames received (upper 32 bits)	RO
0x910	CNTR_RX_BCAST_CTRL_ERR_LO	Number of errored broadcast control frames received (lower 32 bits)	RO
0x911	CNTR_RX_BCAST_CTRL_ERR_HI	Number of errored broadcast control frames received (upper 32 bits)	RO
0x912	CNTR_RX_UCAST_CTRL_ERR_LO	Number of errored unicast control frames received (lower 32 bits)	RO
0x913	CNTR_RX_UCAST_CTRL_ERR_HI	Number of errored unicast control frames received (upper 32 bits)	RO
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Address	Name	Description	Access
0x914	CNTR_RX_PAUSE_ERR_LO	Number of errored pause frames received (lower 32 bits)	RO
0x915	CNTR_RX_PAUSE_ERR_HI	Number of errored pause frames received (upper 32 bits)	RO
0x916	CNTR_RX_64B_LO	Number of 64-byte received frames (lower 32 bits), including the CRC field but excluding the preamble and SFD bytes	RO
0x917	CNTR_RX_64B_HI	Number of 64-byte received frames (upper 32 bits), including the CRC field but excluding the preamble and SFD bytes	RO
0x918	CNTR_RX_65to127B_LO	Number of received frames between 65–127 bytes (lower 32 bits)	RO
0x919	CNTR_RX_65to127B_HI	Number of received frames between 65–127 bytes (upper 32 bits)	RO
0x91A	CNTR_RX_128to255B_LO	Number of received frames between 128 –255 bytes (lower 32 bits)	RO
0x91B	CNTR_RX_128to255B_HI	Number of received frames between 128 –255 bytes (upper 32 bits)	RO
0x91C	CNTR_RX_256to511B_LO	Number of received frames between 256 –511 bytes (lower 32 bits)	RO
0x91D	CNTR_RX_256to511B_HI	Number of received frames between 256 –511 bytes (upper 32 bits)	RO
0x91E	CNTR_RX_512to1023B_LO	Number of received frames between 512–1023 bytes (lower 32 bits)	RO
0x91F	CNTR_RX_512to1023B_HI	Number of received frames between 512 –1023 bytes (upper 32 bits)	RO
0x920	CNTR_RX_1024to1518B_LO	Number of received frames between 1024–1518 bytes (lower 32 bits)	RO
0x921	CNTR_RX_1024to1518B_HI	Number of received frames between 1024–1518 bytes (upper 32 bits)	RO
0x922	CNTR_RX_1519toMAXB_LO	Number of received frames between 1519 bytes and the maximum size defined in the RXMAC_SIZE_CONFIG register (lower 32 bits)	RO
0x923	CNTR_RX_1519toMAXB_HI	Number of received frames between 1519 bytes and the maximum size defined in the RXMAC_SIZE_CONFIG register (upper 32 bits)	RO
0x924	CNTR_RX_OVERSIZE_LO	Number of oversized frames (frames with more bytes than the number specified in the RXMAC_SIZE_CONFIG register) received (lower 32 bits)	RO
0x925	CNTR_RX_OVERSIZE_HI	Number of oversized frames (frames with more bytes than the number specified in the RXMAC_SIZE_CONFIG register) received (upper 32 bits)	RO
0x926	CNTR_RX_MCAST_DATA_OK_LO	Number of valid multicast frames received, excluding control frames (lower 32 bits)	RO
0x927	CNTR_RX_MCAST_DATA_OK_HI	Number of valid multicast frames received, excluding control frames (upper 32 bits)	RO
0x928	CNTR_RX_BCAST_DATA_OK_LO	Number of valid broadcast frames received, excluding control frames (lower 32 bits)	RO

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Address	Name	Description	Access
0x929	CNTR_RX_BCAST_DATA_OK_HI	Number of valid broadcast frames received, excluding control frames (upper 32 bits)	RO
0x92A	CNTR_RX_UCAST_DATA_OK_LO	Number of valid unicast frames received, excluding control frames (lower 32 bits)	RO
0x92B	CNTR_RX_UCAST_DATA_OK_HI	Number of valid unicast frames received, excluding control frames (upper 32 bits)	RO
0x92C	CNTR_RX_MCAST_CTRL_LO	Number of valid multicast frames received, excluding data frames (lower 32 bits)	RO
0x92D	CNTR_RX_MCAST_CTRL_HI	Number of valid multicast frames received, excluding data frames (upper 32 bits)	RO
0x92E	CNTR_RX_BCAST_CTRL_LO	Number of valid broadcast frames received, excluding data frames (lower 32 bits)	RO
0x92F	CNTR_RX_BCAST_CTRL_HI	Number of valid broadcast frames received, excluding data frames (upper 32 bits)	RO
0x930	CNTR_RX_UCAST_CTRL_LO	Number of valid unicast frames received, excluding data frames (lower 32 bits)	RO
0x931	CNTR_RX_UCAST_CTRL_HI	Number of valid unicast frames received, excluding data frames (upper 32 bits)	RO
0x932	CNTR_RX_PAUSE_LO	Number of received pause frames, with or without error (lower 32 bits)	RO
0x933	CNTR_RX_PAUSE_HI	Number of received pause frames, with or without error (upper 32 bits)	RO
0x934	CNTR_RX_RUNT_LO	Number of received runt packets (lower 32 bits) A run is a packet of size less than 64 bytes but greater than eight bytes. If a packet is eight bytes or smaller, it is considered a decoding error and not a runt frame, and the IP core does not flag it nor count it as a runt.	RO
0x935	CNTR_RX_RUNT_HI	Number of received runt packets (upper 32 bits) A run is a packet of size less than 64 bytes but greater than eight bytes. If a packet is eight bytes or smaller, it is considered a decoding error and not a runt frame, and the IP core does not flag it nor count it as a runt.	RO
0x936–0x944	Reserved		
0x945	CNTR_RX_CONFIG	Bits[2:0]: Configuration of RX statistics counters: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bit[2]: Shadow request (active high): When set to the value of 1, RX statistics collection is paused. The underlying counters continue to operate, but the readable values reflect a snapshot at the time the pause flag was activated. Write a 0 to release. Bit[1]: Parity-error clear. When software sets this bit, the IP core clears the parity bit CNTR_RX_STATUS[0]. This bit (CNTR_RX_CONFIG[1]) is self-clearing. Bit[0]: Software can set this bit to the value of 1 to reset all of the RX statistics registers at the same time. This bit is self-clearing. Bits[31:3] are Reserved.	RW
0x946	CNTR_RX_STATUS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bit[1]: Indicates that the RX statistics registers are paused (while CNTR_RX_CONFIG[2] is asserted). Bit[0]: Indicates the presence of at least one parity error in the RX statistics counters. Bits [31:2] are Reserved.	RO

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Address	Name	Description	Access
0x947–0x95F	Reserved		
0x960	RxPayloadOctetsOK_LO	Number of received payload bytes in frames with no FCS, undersized, oversized, or payload length errors. If VLAN detection is turned off for the RX MAC (bit [1] of the RXMAC_CONTROL register at offset 0x50A has the value of 1), the IP core counts the VLAN header bytes (4 bytes for VLAN and 8 bytes for stacked VLAN) as payload bytes. This register is compliant with the requirements for an OctetsReceivedOK in section 5.2.2.1.14 of the <i>IEEE Standard 802.3-2008</i> .	RO
0x961	RxPayloadOctetsOK_HI		RO
0x962	RxFrameOctetsOK_LO	Number of received bytes in frames with no FCS, undersized, oversized, or payload length errors. This register is compliant with the requirements for ifInOctets in RFC3635 (Managed Objects for Ethernet-like Interface Types) and RX etherStatsOctets in RFC2819 (Remote Network Monitoring Management Information Base (RMON)).	RO
0x963	RxFrameOctetsOK_HI		RO

7.6. TX Reed-Solomon FEC Registers

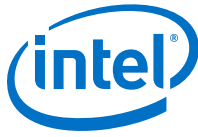
Table 33. TX Reed-Solomon FEC Registers

Addr	Name	Bit	Description	Reset	Access
0xC00	REVID	[31:0]	Reed-Solomon FEC TX module revision ID.	0x0809 2017	RO
0xC01	TX_RSFECS_SCRATCH	[31:0]	Scratch register available for testing.	32'b0	RW
0xC02	TX_RSFECS_NAME_0	[31:0]	Final 4 characters of IP core variation identifier string, "100gRSFECScoTX".	0x436F 5458	RO
0xC03	TX_RSFECS_NAME_1	[31:0]	Middle 4 characters of IP core variation identifier string, "100gRSFECScoTX".	0x5253 4645	RO
0xC04	TX_RSFECS_NAME_2	[31:0]	Initial 4 characters of IP core variation identifier string, "100gRSFECScoTX".	0x3130 3067	RO
0xC05	ERR_INS_EN	[31:5]	Reserved.	0x00000000	RW
		[4]	When 1'b1, enables error insertion for single FEC codeword. This bit self-clears after the Reed-Solomon FEC transmitter inserts the error.		
		[3:1]	Reserved.		
		[0]	When 1'b1, enables error insertion for every FEC codeword. Specifies that the Reed-Solomon FEC transmitter should insert the error in every FEC codeword.		
0xC06	ERR_MASK	[31:25]	Reserved.	0x00000000	RW
		[24]	SYM_32: Each FEC codeword consists of 16 groups of 33 symbols. This register field specifies whether the RS-FEC transmitter corrupts symbol 32 (of symbols 0-32) in each corrupted group. Specifically, the value of 1 directs the IP core to corrupt symbol 32 according to BIT_MASK.		
		[23:18]	Reserved.		
		[17:8]	BIT_MASK: Specifies which of the ten bits the RS-FEC transmitter corrupts in each corrupted symbol. Specifically, the value of 1 in bit [n+8] directs the IP core to corrupt bit [n] in each corrupted symbol.		
		[7:4]	Reserved.		
		[3:0]	GROUP_NUM: Each FEC codeword consists of 16 groups of 33 symbols. This register field specifies the single group of 33 symbols that the RS-FEC transmitter corrupts in the current FEC codeword.		

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Addr	Name	Bit	Description	Reset	Access
			<p>The following values are defined:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 4'b000: First group of 33 symbols (symbols 0-32) • 4'b0001: Second group of symbols (symbols 33-65) • ... • 4'b1110: Second-to-final group of symbols (symbols 462-494) • 4'b1111: Final group of symbols (symbols 495-527, or {chk[13:0],sym[514:495]}) <p>Continuous corruption of groups 0-3 might lead to strange behavior as a result of alignment marker corruption.</p>		
0xC07	SYMBOL_ERR_MASK	[31:0]	Each FEC codeword consists of 16 groups of 33 symbols. This register specifies which of the lower order 32 symbols in a group the RS-FEC transmitter corrupts. Specifically the value of 1 in bit [n] directs the IP core to corrupt symbol n.	32'b0	RW



7.7. RX Reed-Solomon FEC Registers

Table 34. RX Reed-Solomon FEC Registers

Addr	Name	Bit	Description	Reset	Access
0xD00	REVID	[31:0]	RSFEC RX module revision ID	0x0809 2017	RO
0xD01	RX_RSFEC_SCRATCH	[31:0]	Scratch register available for testing.	32'b0	RW
0xD02	RX_RSFEC_NAME0	[31:0]	Final 4 characters of IP core variation identifier string, "100gRSFECorX".	0x436F 5258	RO
0xD03	RX_RSFEC_NAME1	[31:0]	Middle 4 characters of IP core variation identifier string, "100gRSFECorX".	0x5253 4645	RO
0xD04	RX_RSFEC_NAME2	[31:0]	Initial 4 characters of IP core variation identifier string, "100gRSFECorX".	0x3130 3067	RO
0xD05	BYPASS_RESTART	[4]	Restart state machines. When 1'b1, specifies the IP core restarts the FEC synchronization and alignment state machines. Bit self-clears after alignment marker synchronization is restarted. (Refer to Figure 91-8 and Figure 91-9 in <i>IEEE Standard 802.3bj-2014</i>).	0x0000 0000	RW
		[3:1]	Reserved.		
		[0]	Bypass RS-FEC decoder. When 1'b1, specifies the IP core bypasses the RS-FEC decoder. When 1'b0, enables RS-FEC error correction.		
0xD06	RX_FEC_STATUS	[15:8]	<i>fec_lane</i> : Two bits per lane hold the FEC lane number when the corresponding <i>amps_lock</i> bit (in register bits [3:0]) has the value of 1. The following encodings are defined: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bits[15:14]: <i>fec_lane</i> for lane 3 Bits[13:12]: <i>fec_lane</i> for lane 2 Bits[11:10]: <i>fec_lane</i> for lane 1 Bits[9:8]: <i>fec_lane</i> for lane 0 	0x0000 FF00	RO
		[7:5]	Reserved.		
		[4]	<i>fec_align_status</i> : Alignment marker lock status. When 1'b1, indicates all lanes are synchronized and aligned. When 1'b0, indicates the deskew process is not yet complete. (Refer to Figure 91-9 in <i>IEEE Standard 802.3bj-2014</i>).		
		[3:0]	<i>amps_lock</i> : Each bit indicates that the receiver has detected the location of the alignment marker payload sequence for the corresponding FEC lane. (Refer to Figure 91-8 in <i>IEEE Standard 802.3bj-2014</i>).		
0xD07	CORRECTED_CW	[31:0]	32-bit counter that contains the number of corrected FEC codewords processed. The value resets to zero upon read and holds at max count.	0x0000 0000	RC

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Addr	Name	Bit	Description	Reset	Access
			This register gets updated based on the error correction logic even when BYPASS_RESTART bit [0] is 1.		
0xD08	UNCORRECTED_CW	[31:0]	32-bit counter that contains the number of uncorrected FEC codewords processed. The value resets to zero upon read and holds at max count. This register gets updated based on the error correction logic even when BYPASS_RESTART bit [0] is 1.	0x0000 0000	RC

7.8. Auto Negotiation and Link Training Registers

7.8.1. AN/LT Sequencer Config

Provides the following config bits:

- Reset AN/LT Sequencer
- Disable AN Timer
- Disable Link Fail Timer
- Force Sequencer Mode
- Link Training failure response
- Link Fail if HiBER on/off
- Skip LT on AN timeout when HiBER not used on/off

Offset: 0xB0

Access: RW

AN/LT Sequencer Config Fields

Bit	Name	Description	Access	Reset
14	skip_lt_on_an_timeout	Skip Link Training on Auto Negotiation Timeout 1: If AN times out skip LT before attempting data mode, and use the previous LT settings 0: Use the normal AN/LT sequence, even if <code>link_fail_if_hiber=0</code> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • This option is provided to speed up re-lock times when the link is known not to be resetting due to problems with link integrity 	RW	0x0
13	link_fail_if_hiber	Link Fail if HiBER 1: Trigger a link failure if a HiBER condition is detected in the PCS during data mode (default) 0: Ignore HiBER	RW	0x1
12	lt_failure_response	Link Training Failure Response 1: Upon LT failure, PHY will go to data mode 0: Upon LT failure, PHY will restart AN, or if AN is disabled, skip AN and restart LT <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • This CSR defaults to 0 in hardware (synthesis) • We recommend setting this to 1 for simulation to avoid the need to model line conditions 	RW	0x0

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Bit	Name	Description	Access	Reset
7:4	seq_force_mode	Force the sequencer into a specific protocol 4'b0000: No force 4'b0011: 100GBASE-R4 All other settings are reserved <ul style="list-style-type: none">Forces the AN/LT Sequencer into a specific protocol, ignoring the AN resultAN/LT will still be cycled if enabled; configure AN and LT using their respective CFG registers	RW	0x0
2	disable_lf_timer	Disable Link Fail Inhibit Timer 1: Disable the link fail inhibit timer 0: If PCS link fails, then AN will restart <ul style="list-style-type: none">The most common reason to disable the link fail inhibit timer is to characterize the link's behavior with link trainingTurning off the link fail inhibit timer prevents link training from cycling, allowing each failure to be examined individually	RW	0x0
1	disable_an_timer	Disable Auto Negotiation Timer 1: AN will wait for valid partner without timing out (default) 0: If AN fails, the Sequencer will try a different protocol	RW	0x1
0	reset_seq	Reset AN/LT Sequencer 1: Reset only the AN/LT Sequencer. May initiate a PCS reconfiguration and/or AN/LT reset 0: Normal operation	RW	0x0

7.8.2. AN/LT Sequencer Status

Provides the following status bits:

- Link Ready
- AN Timeout
- LT Timeout
- Sequencer mode for PCS reconfiguration

Offset: 0xB1

Access: RO

AN/LT Sequencer Status Fields

Bit	Name	Description	Access	Reset
13:8	seq_reconfig_mode	Sequencer mode for PCS reconfiguration 6'b000001: AN mode 6'b000010: LT mode (Clause 93) 6'b100000: 100G data mode All other settings are reserved <ul style="list-style-type: none">The sequencer modifies the datapath as required to move through the stages of AN/LTThis status register lets you know which step is in progress, and how the datapath is configured	RO	0x0
2	seq_lt_timeout	Sequencer Link Training Timeout 1: Sequencer had LT Timeout	RO	0x0

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Bit	Name	Description	Access	Reset
		0: No timeout occurred This status bit is sticky, and stays high until the next time LT restarts		
1	seq_an_timeout	Sequencer Auto Negotiation Timeout 1: Sequencer had AN Timeout 0: No timeout occurred This status bit is sticky, and stays high until the next time AN restarts	RO	0x0
0	seq_link_ready	Sequencer Link Ready 1: The AN/LT Sequencer thinks the link is ready for data mode 0: Link not ready <ul style="list-style-type: none"> This bit is determined by the RX PCS lane alignment status and hi_ber indication, depending on the setting of 0xB0[13] Link Fail if HiBER If 0xB0[2] Disable Link Fail Timer is set, then the sequencer continues to indicate Link Ready and stay in data mode even if the link status goes down 	RO	0x0

7.8.3. Auto Negotiation Config Register 1

Provides the following configuration options:

- Enable AN
- Enable User controlled base pages
- Enable User controlled next pages
- Local device remote fault
- Force TX nonce value
- Override AN parameters
- Ignore Nonce field

Offset: 0xC0

Access: RW

Auto Negotiation Config Register 1 Fields

Bit	Name	Description	Access	Reset
7	ignore_nonce_field	Ignore Nonce Field 1: Ignore the Nonce field during AN 0: Normal operation <ul style="list-style-type: none"> AN will normally fail in loopback due to the Nonce field To use AN with loopback, disable Nonce bit checking using this feature In simulation, the default value is 1. In synthesis, the default value is 0. 	RW	0x0
5	override_an_parameters_enable	Override AN Parameters 1: Use the bits from parameter override CSRs to compose the default base page 0: Normal operation	RW	0x0
4	force_tx_nonce_value	Force TX Nonce value 1: Force the TX Nonce value to support UNH testing	RW	0x0

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Bit	Name	Description	Access	Reset
		0: Normal operation		
3	local_device_remote_fault	Force Local device remote fault 1: Signal a remote fault using appropriate bit in the AN pages 0: Normal operation	RW	0x0
2	an_next_pages_ctrl	Enable User Controlled AN Next Pages 1: User controlled next pages are enabled; the User Next page CSRs control the next page use for AN 0: The AN logic will automatically generate next pages based on the Ethernet Core Variant and its parameters <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Enable this feature if you need to control the content of the AN Next page • Leave this feature disabled if you want the core to perform default negotiation for its type 	RW	0x0
1	an_base_pages_ctrl	Enable User Controlled AN Base Pages 1: User controlled base pages are enabled; the User Base page CSRs control the base page used for AN 0: The AN logic will automatically generate base pages based on the Ethernet Core Variant and its parameters <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Enable this feature if you need to control the content of the AN Base page • Leave this feature disabled if you want the core to perform default negotiation for its type 	RW	0x0
0	enable_an	Enable Auto Negotiation 1: Enable Auto negotiation (default) 0: Disable Auto negotiation <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Equivalent to state variable mr_autoneg_enable in IEEE 802.3 CL73.10.1 	RW	0x1

7.8.4. Auto Negotiation Config Register 2

Provides the following configuration options:

- Reset AN
- Restart AN TXSM
- AN Next Page

Offset: 0xC1

Access: RW

Auto Negotiation Config Register 2 Fields

Bit	Name	Description	Access	Reset
8	an_next_page	AN Next Page 1: Indicate new next page info to send. The data in the XNP TX registers 0: No next pages to send, send TX Null pages	RW	0x0
4	restart_an_txsm	Restart AN TXSM 1: Restart the AN Transmit State Machine 0: Normal operation		

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Bit	Name	Description	Access	Reset
		Maps to state variable mr_restart_negotiation in IEEE 802.3 CL 73.10.1.		
0	reset_an	Reset all AN state machines 1: Reset all the AN state machines 0: Normal operation Maps to state variable mr_main_reset in IEEE 802.3 CL 73.10.1	RW	0x0

7.8.5. Auto Negotiation Status Register

Provides the following status information:

- AN page received
- AN complete
- AN ADV Remote Fault
- AN RXSM Idle
- AN Ability
- AN Status
- LP An Ability
- SEQ AN Failure
- Negotiation Failure
- IEEE Negotiated Port Type

Offset: 0xC2

Access: RO

Auto Negotiation Status Register Fields

Bit	Name	Description	Access	Reset
22:1 2	ieee_negotiated_port_type	IEEE Negotiated Port Type [7]: 100GBASE-KP4 [8]: 100GBASE-KR4 [9]: 100GBASE-CR4	RO	0x0
11	negotiation_failure	AN complete, but unable to resolve PHY 1: AN completed, but was unable to find a Highest Common Denominator rate, or a common FEC 0: Normal operation	RO	0x0
9	an_failure	Auto Negotiation Failure 1: AN failure detected 0: Normal operation	RO	0x0
7	an_lp_ability	Link Partner Auto Negotiation Ability 1: Link Partner is able to perform AN 0: Link Partner is not able to perform AN <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • This bit is set when the AN Arbitration state successfully enters ACKNOWLEDGE_DETECT • This bit is cleared upon entering ABILITY_DETECT, or upon AN restart in the case of link failure or an incompatible link 	RO	0x0

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Bit	Name	Description	Access	Reset
6	an_status	Auto Negotiation Status 1: Link is up 0: Link is down	RO	0x0
5	an_ability	PHY Auto Negotiation Ability 1: PHY is able to perform AN 0: PHY is not able to perform AN <ul style="list-style-type: none"> This bit is tied high when AN module is included in the Ethernet core, low otherwise 	RO	0x0
4	an_rxsm_idle	AN RX State Machine Idle 1: The AN RXSM is in the Idle state. This means the incoming data is not CL73 compatible 0: AN operating normally	RO	0x0
3	an_adv_remote_fault	Auto Negotiation ADV Remote Fault 1: Fault information sent to link partner 0: Normal operation <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Remote Fault is encoded in bit D13 of the Base link codeword See IEEE 802.3 CL 73.6.7 for more information See mr_adv_ability in CL 73.10.1 	RO	0x0
2	an_complete	Auto Negotiation Complete 1: AN Complete 0: AN in progress <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Corresponds to state variable mr_autoneg_complete in CL 73.10.1 	RO	0x0
1	an_page_received	AN Page Received 1: A page has been received 0: No page received <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Corresponds to state variable mr_page_rx in IEEE 802.3 CL 73.10.1 	RO	0x0

7.8.6. Auto Negotiation Config Register 3

Provides the following configuration options:

- User base page low
- Override AN_TECH [7:0]
- Override AN_PAUSE

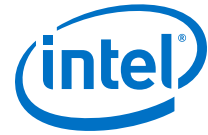
Offset: 0xC3

Access: RW

Auto Negotiation Config Register 3 Fields

Bit	Name	Description	Access	Reset
30:2 8	override_an_pause	AN_PAUSE Override Value When Override AN Parameters is enabled (override_an_parameters_enable =1), this register controls the value of AN_PAUSE used in the AN Base page [0]: Pause Ability [1]: Asymmetric Direction	RW	0x0

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Bit	Name	Description	Access	Reset
		[2]: Reserved		
23:1 6	override_an_tech	AN_TECH Override Value, bits [7:0] When Override AN Parameters is enabled (override_an_parameters_enable=1), this register controls the value of AN_TECH used in the AN Base page [6]: 100GBASE-KP4 [7]: 100GBASE-KR4	RW	0x0
15:0	user_base_page_low	User Controlled AN Base page (lower bits) When User Controlled Base pages are turned on (an_base_pages_ctrl=1), this register provides the lower bits of the User base page that is used instead of the default page [15]: Next page bit [14]: ACK bit (controlled by State Machine) [13]: Remote Fault bit [12:10]: Pause bits [9:5]: Echoed Nonce (set by SM) [4:0]: Selector <i>Note:</i> Bit 49 (the PRBS bit of the AN BASE page) is generated by the SM.	RW	0x0

7.8.7. Auto Negotiation Config Register 4

Provides the upper bits of the User Controlled Auto Negotiation Base Page

Offset: 0xC4

Access: RW

Auto Negotiation Config Register 4 Fields

Bit	Name	Description	Access	Reset
31:0	user_base_page_high	User Controlled AN Base page (upper bits) [29:5]: Technology Ability bits [4:0]: TX Nonce bits	RW	0x0

7.8.8. Auto Negotiation Config Register 5

Provides the following configuration options

- User next page (lower bits)
- Override AN_TECH []

Offset: 0xC5

Access: RW

Auto Negotiation Config Register 5 Fields

Bit	Name	Description	Access	Reset
31:1 6	override_an_tech_22_8	AN_TECH Override Value, bits [22:8] When Override AN Parameters is enabled (override_an_parameters_enable=1), this register controls the upper bits of AN_TECH used in the AN Base page [0]: 100GBASE-CR4	RW	0x0

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Bit	Name	Description	Access	Reset
		All other settings Reserved		
15:0	user_next_page_low	User Controlled AN Next page (lower bits) When User Controlled next gates are turned on (an_next_pages_ctrl=1), this register provides the lower bits of the User Next page that is used instead of the default page [15]: Next page bit [14]: ACK bit (controlled by the TX SM) [13]: MP bit (Message vs. Unformatted) [12]: ACK2 bits [11]: Toggle bit (controlled by the TX SM) [10:0]: Message code field [10:0]/Unformatted code field[10:0]	RW	0x0

7.8.9. Auto Negotiation Config Register 6

Provides the upper bits of the User Controlled Auto Negotiation Next Page

Offset: 0xC6

Access: RW

Auto Negotiation Config Register 6 Fields

Bit	Name	Description	Access	Reset
31:0	user_next_page_high	User Controlled AN Next page (upper bits) [31:0]: Unformatted Code Field (or [47:16] when MP bit is low)	RW	0x0

7.8.10. Auto Negotiation Status Register 1

This register provides the lower bits of the AN RX Base page received from the link partner

Offset: 0xC7

Access: RO

Auto Negotiation Status Register 1 Fields

Bit	Name	Description	Access	Reset
15:0	lp_base_page_low	Link Partner Base Page (lower bits) [15]: Link partner next page bit [14]: Link partner ACK [13]: Link partner RF bit [12:10]: Link partner PAUSE bits [9:5]: Link partner Echoed Nonce bits [4:0]: Link partner Selector bits	RO	0x0

7.8.11. Auto Negotiation Status Register 2

This register provides the upper bits of the AN RX Base page received from the link partner.



Offset: 0xC8

Access: RO

Auto Negotiation Status Register 2 Fields

Bit	Name	Description	Access	Reset
31:0	lp_base_page_high	Link Partner Base Page (upper bits) [29:5]: Link partner Technology Ability bits [4:0]: TX Nonce bits	RO	0x0

7.8.12. Auto Negotiation Status Register 3

This register provides the lower bits of the AN RX Next page received from the link partner.

Offset: 0xC9

Access: RO

Auto Negotiation Status Register 3 Fields

Bit	Name	Description	Access	Reset
15:0	lp_next_page_low	Link Partner Next Page (lower bits) [15]: Link partner next page bit [14]: Link partner ACK [13]: Link partner MP bit [12]: Link partner ACK2 bit [11]: Link partner Toggle bit [10:0]: Link partner Message/Unformatted bits	RO	0x0

7.8.13. Auto Negotiation Status Register 4

This register provides the upper bits of the AN RX Next page received from the link partner.

Offset: 0xCA

Access: RO

Auto Negotiation Status Register 4 Fields

Bit	Name	Description	Access	Reset
31:0	lp_next_page_high	Link Partner Next Page (upper bits) [31:0]: Link partner Unformatted bits [47:16] or [31:0]	RO	0x0

7.8.14. Auto Negotiation Status Register 5

This register provides the following status information:

- Link Partner Technology Ability Field
- Link Partner Remote Fault
- Link Partner PAUSE Ability



Offset: 0xCB

Access: RO

Auto Negotiation Status Register 5 Fields

Bit	Name	Description	Access	Reset
30:2 8	an_lp_adv_pause	Link Partner PAUSE Ability bits [0]: PAUSE as defined in Annex 28B [1]: ASM_DIR as defined in Annex 28B [2]: Reserved	RO	0x0
27	an_lp_adv_remote_fault	Link Partner Remote Fault Remote fault bit from Link Partner	RO	0x0
22:0	an_lp_adv_tech_a	Link Partner Technology Ability Field [6]: 100GBASE-KP4 [7]: 100GBASE-KR4 [8]: 100GBASE-CR4 [22:11]: Reserved	RO	0x0

7.8.15. Link Training Config Register 1

Provides CSRs for the following link training features:

- Enable Link Training
- Disable Max Wait Timer
- Disable Initialize PMA on Max Wait Timeout
- Enable Link Partner TX EQ Coefficient Override
- Enable Local TX EQ Coefficient Override
- Enable Manual RX Settings for Link Training
- Manual CTLE AC set by IP during Link Training
- Manual CTLE DC set by IP during Link Training
- Manual VGA set by IP during Link Training

Offset: 0xD0

Access: RW

Link Training Config Register 1 Fields

Bit	Name	Description	Access	Reset
31:2 8	lt_rx_vga	Manual VGA set by IP during Link Training The IP multiply the value set in this field by 2, e.g. if the value is 7, VGA is set to 14. This file is only valid when lt_rx_manual_mode is set to 1.	RW	0x0
27:2 3	lt_rx_clte_dc	Manual CTLE DC set by IP during Link Training The IP multiply the value set in this field by 2, e.g. if the value is 7, the CTLE DC is set to 14. This file is only valid when lt_rx_manual_mode is set to 1.	RW	0x0
22:2 0	lt_rx_clte_ac	Manual CTLE AC set by IP during Link Training	RW	0x0

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Bit	Name	Description	Access	Reset
		The IP multiply the value set in this field by 2, e.g. if the value is 7, the CTLE AC is set to 14. This file is only valid when lt_rx_manual_mode is set to 1.		
19	lt_rx_manual_mode	Enable Manual RX Settings for Link Training 1: Link training use manual RX settings from this register. 0: Link training automatically adapt RX settings. The default value is 1 in simulation and 0 in synthesis.	RW	0x0
17	ovrider_local_coef_enable	Enable Local TX EQ Coefficient Override 1: Override the Local device TX EQ coefficients 0: Let the Link Partner decide the local TX EQ coefficients	RW	0x0
16	ovrider_lp_coef_enable	Enable Link Partner Coefficient Override 1: Override the Link Partner EQ coefficients 0: Use the Link Training logic to decide the Link Partner TX EQ coefficients When this field is set to 1, user logic must decide the Link Partner TX EQ coefficient values.	RW	0x0
15	disable_initialize_pma_on_max_wait_timeout	Disable initialize PMA on max_wait_timeout 1: Don't initialize TX EQ to INIT values upon entry into the Training_Failure state of link training 0: Set TX EQ to INIT values upon entry into the Training_Failure state of link training (default)	RW	0x0
14:1 2	fine_tune_rounds	Number of Fine Tuning Rounds to perform: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • May need to be reduced for interoperation with slower Link Partners • Defaults to 0 in simulation, 0 in synthesis 	RW	0x0
11:8	main_pre_steps	Number of Main Tap Steps to create headroom for Preset Condition <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • When using Start from Preset setting in 0xd0[7], the headroom must be created by decrementing the Main Tap before TX training can continue. • Defaults to 0 in simulation, 0 in synthesis 	RW	0x0
7	lt_start_init	Start from Initialize Condition on Link Partner TX Taps <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1: Start from Initialize Condition • 0: Start from Preset Condition Initialize condition may result in more stable Link Training on challenging links. Defaults to 1 in simulation, 0 in synthesis.	RW	0x1
6	dis_post_fine_tune	Disable Fine Tuning on Link Partner TX Post-Tap <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1: Disable Post-Tap Fine-Tuning • 0: Enable Post-Tap Fine-Tuning(default) • Defaults to 1 in simulation, 0 in synthesis 	RW	0x1
5	dis_pre_fine_tune	Disable Fine Tuning on Link Partner TX Pre-Tap <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1: Disable Pre-Tap Fine-Tuning • 0: Enable Pre-Tap Fine-Tuning(default) • Defaults to 1 in simulation, 0 in synthesis 	RW	0x1
4	dis_main_train	Disable Training Link Partner TX Main-Tap <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1: Disable Main-Tap Training • 0: Enable Main-Tap Training(default) If Start from Preset is selected in 0xd0[7], The Link Partner Main Tap is still be adjusted for headroom based on 0xd0[11:8]. Defaults to 1 in simulation, 0 in synthesis	RW	0x1

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Bit	Name	Description	Access	Reset
3	dis_post_train	Disable Training Link Partner TX Post-Tap <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1: Disable Post-Tap Training 0: Enable Post-Tap Training(default) Defaults to 1 in simulation, 0 in synthesis	RW	0x1
2	dis_pre_train	Disable Training Link Partner TX Pre-Tap <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1: Disable Pre-Tap Training 0: Enable Pre-Tap Training(default) Defaults to 1 in simulation, 0 in synthesis	RW	0x1
1	dis_max_wait_tmr	Disable Max Wait Timer <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1: Disable Max Wait Timer 0: Use Max Wait Timer (default) When the Max Wait Timer is disabled, the Link Training does not fail, but the IP can potentially stay in the LT state indefinitely. Intel recommends to enable this bit when using Link Training without Auto negotiation. When this bit is enabled, Link Fail Timeout is ignored during Link Training	RW	0x0
0	enable_link_training	Enable Link Training <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1: Enable link training 0: Disable link training 	RW	0x1

7.8.16. Link Training Config Register 2

Provides CSRs for the following link training features:

- Restart Link Training on Lane 0
- Restart Link Training on Lane 1
- Restart Link Training on Lane 2
- Restart Link Training on Lane 3
- Updated Link Partner TX EQ Override Settings ready to be sent for Lane 0
- Updated Link Partner TX EQ Override Settings ready to be sent for Lane 1
- Updated Link Partner TX EQ Override Settings ready to be sent for Lane 2
- Updated Link Partner TX EQ Override Settings ready to be sent for Lane 3
- Updated Local TX EQ Override Settings ready to be sent for Lane 0
- Updated Local TX EQ Override Settings ready to be sent for Lane 1
- Updated Local TX EQ Override Settings ready to be sent for Lane 2
- Updated Local TX EQ Override Settings ready to be sent for Lane 3

Offset: 0xD1

Access: RW

Link Training Config Register 2 Fields

Bit	Name	Description	Access	Reset
11	updated_local_coef_ln3	Updated Local TX EQ Override Settings ready to be set for Lane 3	RW	0x0
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Bit	Name	Description	Access	Reset
		1: Trigger LT logic to set new Local TX EQ Override settings for Lane 3 0: Normal operation Valid only when <code>ovr_override_local_coef_enable=1</code> . Takes values from corresponding TX EQ Override CSR.		
10	<code>updated_local_coef_ln2</code>	Updated Local TX EQ Override Settings ready to be set for Lane 2 1: Trigger LT logic to set new Local TX EQ Override settings for Lane 2 0: Normal operation Valid only when <code>ovr_override_local_coef_enable=1</code> . Takes values from corresponding TX EQ Override CSR	RW	0x0
9	<code>updated_local_coef_ln1</code>	Updated Local TX EQ Override Settings ready to be set for Lane 1 1: Trigger LT logic to set new Local TX EQ Override settings for Lane 1 0: Normal operation Valid only when <code>ovr_override_local_coef_enable=1</code> . Takes values from corresponding TX EQ Override CSR.	RW	0x0
8	<code>updated_local_coef_ln0</code>	Updated Local TX EQ Override Settings ready to be set for Lane 0 1: Trigger LT logic to set new Local TX EQ Override settings for Lane 0 0: Normal operation Valid only when <code>ovr_override_local_coef_enable=1</code> Takes values from corresponding TX EQ Override CSR	RW	0x0
7	<code>updated_lp_coef_ln3</code>	Updated Link Partner TX EQ Override Settings ready to be sent for Lane 3 1: Trigger LT logic to transmit new TX EQ Override settings for Link Partner Lane 3 0: Normal operation Valid only when <code>ovr_override_lp_coef_enable=1</code> Takes values from corresponding TX EQ Override CSR.	RW	0x0
6	<code>updated_lp_coef_ln2</code>	Updated Link Partner TX EQ Override Settings ready to be sent for Lane 2 1: Trigger LT logic to transmit new TX EQ Override settings for Link Partner Lane 2 0: Normal operation Valid only when <code>ovr_override_lp_coef_enable=1</code> . Takes values from corresponding TX EQ Override CSR.	RW	0x0
5	<code>updated_lp_coef_ln1</code>	Updated Link Partner TX EQ Override Settings ready to be sent for Lane 1 1: Trigger LT logic to transmit new TX EQ Override settings for Link Partner Lane 1 0: Normal operation Valid only when <code>ovr_override_lp_coef_enable=1</code> Takes values from corresponding TX EQ Override CSR.	RW	0x0
4	<code>updated_lp_coef_ln0</code>	Updated Link Partner TX EQ Override Settings ready to be sent for Lane 0 1: Trigger LT logic to transmit new TX EQ Override settings for Link Partner Lane 0 0: Normal operation Valid only when <code>ovr_override_lp_coef_enable=1</code> .	RW	0x0

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Bit	Name	Description	Access	Reset
		Takes values from corresponding TX EQ Override CSR.		
3	restart_link_training_ln3	Restart Link Training on lane 3 1: Restart Clause 93 start-up protocol 0: Normal operation • Corresponds to state variable mr_restart_training as defined in IEEE 802.3 CL 72.6.10.3.1	RW	0x0
2	restart_link_training_ln2	Restart Link Training on lane 2 1: Restart Clause 93 start-up protocol 0: Normal operation • Corresponds to state variable mr_restart_training as defined in IEEE 802.3 CL 72.6.10.3.1	RW	0x0
1	restart_link_training_ln1	Restart Link Training on lane 1 1: Restart Clause 93 start-up protocol 0: Normal operation • Corresponds to state variable mr_restart_training as defined in IEEE 802.3 CL 72.6.10.3.1	RW	0x0
0	restart_link_training_ln0	Restart Link Training on lane 0 1: Restart Clause 93 start-up protocol 0: Normal operation • Corresponds to state variable mr_restart_training as defined in IEEE 802.3 CL 72.6.10.3.1	RW	0x0

7.8.17. Link Training Status Register 1

Provides Status for the following link training features:

- Receiver Trained (Lanes 0 to 3)
- Link Training Frame Lock Achieved (Lanes 0 to 3)
- Link Training Startup Protocol Status (Lanes 0 to 3)
- Link Training Failure on Lane 0 (Lanes 0 to 3)

Offset: 0xD2

Access: RO

Link Training Status Register 1 Fields

Bit	Name	Description	Access	Reset
27	link_training_failure_ln3	Link Training Failure on Lane 3 1: Link Training Failed on Lane 3 0: Normal operation • Corresponds to state variable training_failure as defined in IEEE 802.3 CL72.6.10.3.1	RO	0x0
26	link_training_startup_ln3	Link Training Startup up Protocol in Progress on Lane 3 1: Start-up protocol in progress 0: Start-up protocol complete • Corresponds to state variable training as defined in IEEE 802.3 CL72.6.10.3.1	RO	0x0
25	link_training_frame_lock_ln3	Link Training Frame Lock Achieved on Lane 3 1: Training frame delineation detected	RO	0x0

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Bit	Name	Description	Access	Reset
		0: Searching for training frame boundaries <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Corresponds to state variable frame_lock as defined in IEEE 802.3 CL72.6.10.3.1 		
24	link_trained_ln3	Receiver Trained on Lane 3 1: Receiver training completed 0: Training in progress <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Corresponds to state variable rx_trained as defined in IEEE 802.3 CL72.6.10.3.1 	RO	0x0
19	link_training_failure_ln2	Link Training Failure on Lane 2 1: Link Training Failed on Lane 2 0: Normal operation <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Corresponds to state variable training_failure as defined in IEEE 802.3 CL72.6.10.3.1 	RO	0x0
18	link_training_startup_ln2	Link Training Startup up Protocol in Progress on Lane 2 1: Start-up protocol in progress 0: Start-up protocol complete <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Corresponds to state variable training as defined in IEEE 802.3 CL72.6.10.3.1 	RO	0x0
17	link_training_frame_lock_ln2	Link Training Frame Lock Achieved on Lane 2 1: Training frame delineation detected 0: Searching for training frame boundaries <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Corresponds to state variable frame_lock as defined in IEEE 802.3 CL72.6.10.3.1 	RO	0x0
16	link_trained_ln2	Receiver Trained on Lane 2 1: Receiver training completed 0: Training in progress <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Corresponds to state variable rx_trained as defined in IEEE 802.3 CL72.6.10.3.1 	RO	0x0
11	link_training_failure_ln1	Link Training Failure on Lane 1 1: Link Training Failed on Lane 1 0: Normal operation <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Corresponds to state variable training_failure as defined in IEEE 802.3 CL72.6.10.3.1 	RO	0x0
10	link_training_startup_ln1	Link Training Startup up Protocol in Progress on Lane 1 1: Start-up protocol in progress 0: Start-up protocol complete <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Corresponds to state variable training as defined in IEEE 802.3 CL72.6.10.3.1 	RO	0x0
9	link_training_frame_lock_ln1	Link Training Frame Lock Achieved on Lane 1 1: Training frame delineation detected 0: Searching for training frame boundaries <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Corresponds to state variable frame_lock as defined in IEEE 802.3 CL72.6.10.3.1 	RO	0x0
8	link_trained_ln1	Receiver Trained on Lane 1 1: Receiver training completed 0: Training in progress <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Corresponds to state variable rx_trained as defined in IEEE 802.3 CL72.6.10.3.1 	RO	0x0
3	link_training_failure_ln0	Link Training Failure on Lane 0 1: Link Training Failed on Lane 0	RO	0x0

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Bit	Name	Description	Access	Reset
		0: Normal operation <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Corresponds to state variable training_failure as defined in IEEE 802.3 CL72.6.10.3.1 Upon training failure, the IP stops sending the LT traffic 		
2	link_training_startup_ln0	Link Training Startup up Protocol in Progress on Lane 0 1: Start-up protocol in progress 0: Start-up protocol complete <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Corresponds to state variable training as defined in IEEE 802.3 CL72.6.10.3.1 Bit is cleared upon training completion or training failure 	RO	0x0
1	link_training_frame_lock_ln0	Link Training Frame Lock Achieved on Lane 0 1: Training frame delineation detected 0: Searching for training frame boundaries <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Corresponds to state variable frame_lock as defined in IEEE 802.3 CL72.6.10.3.1 	RO	0x0
0	link_trained_ln0	Receiver Trained on Lane 0 1: Receiver training completed 0: Training in progress <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Corresponds to state variable rx_trained as defined in IEEE 802.3 CL72.6.10.3.1 Bit is cleared upon training failure 	RO	0x0

7.8.18. Link Training Config Register for Lane 0

Provides CSRs for the following link training features:

- LT PRBS Pattern Select for lane 0
- LT PRBS Seed for lane 0

Offset: 0xD3

Access: RW

Link Training Config Register for Lane 0 Fields

Bit	Name	Description	Access	Reset
26:16	lt_prbs_seed_ln0	Link Training PRBS Seed for Lane 0 Sets the initial seed for PRBS. Default value is 11'h57e	RW	0x57E
2:0	lt_prbs_pattern_select_ln0	Link Training PRBS Pattern Select for Lane 0 0: Use Clause 92 Polynomial 0 1: Use Clause 92 Polynomial 1 2: Use Clause 92 Polynomial 2 3: Use Clause 92 Polynomial 3 4: Use Clause 72 Polynomial (if CL72 PRBS parameter is enabled) All other settings reserved <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Default value for lane 0 is 0 	RW	0x0

7.8.19. Link Training Frame Contents for Lane 0

Provides CSRs for the following fields that are transmitted during link training to the link partner for Lane 0



- TX EQ Coefficient Request to Link Partner on Lane 0
- INIT Coefficients command to Link Partner on Lane 0
- PRESET Coefficients command to Link Partner on Lane 0
- Local TX EQ Coefficient Status for Lane 0
- Local Receiver Ready Status for Lane 0
- Most Recent TX EQ Coefficient Request from Link Partner on Lane 0
- Most Recent INIT command from Link Partner on Lane 0
- Most Recent PRESET command from Link Partner on Lane 0
- Most Recent TX EQ Status from Link Partner on Lane 0
- Most Recent Receiver Ready Status from Link Partner on Lane 0

Offset: 0xD4

Access: RO and RW

Link Training Frame Contents Fields

Bit	Name	Description	Access	Reset
30	lp_receiver_ready_ln0	Link Partner Receiver Ready Status for Lane 0 1: The link partner receiver has determined that training is complete and is prepared to receive data 0: The link partner receiver is requesting that training continue	RO	0x0
29:2 4	lp_coefficient_status_ln0	TX EQ Coefficient Status from Link Partner for Lane 0 [5:4] Status of Link Partner (+1) TX EQ Coefficient [3:2] Status of Link Partner (0) TX EQ Coefficient [1:0] Status of Link Partner (-1) TX EQ Coefficient The Coefficient values are encoded as follows: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2'b00: Hold • 2'b01: Increment • 2'b10: Decrement • 2'b11: Reserved 	RO	0x0
23	lp_preset_coefficients_ln0	PRESET Command from Link Partner on Lane 0 1: Set local TX EQ to PRESET 0: Normal Operation This Field is normally Read-only, and the values are normally controlled by the Remote Partner Link Training SM. When <code>override_local_coef_enable=1</code> , this Field becomes writable, and is used to set the local values. When <code>override_local_coef_enable=1</code> , use <code>updated_local_coef_ln0=1</code> to write the local values.	RW	0x0
22	lp_initialize_coefficients_ln0	INIT Command from Link Partner on Lane 0 1: Set local TX EQ to INIT 0: Normal Operation This Field is normally Read-only, and the values are normally controlled by the Remote Partner Link Training SM. When <code>override_local_coef_enable=1</code> , this field becomes writable, and is used to set the local values. When <code>override_local_coef_enable=1</code> , use <code>updated_local_coef_ln0=1</code> to write the local values.	RW	0x0
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Bit	Name	Description	Access	Reset
21:1 6	lp_coefficient_update_ln0	<p>TX EQ Coefficient Request from Link Partner on Lane 0</p> <p>[5:4]: Control for Local (+1) TX EQ Coefficient [3:2]: Control for Local (0) TX EQ Coefficient [1:0]: Control for Local (-1) TX EQ Coefficient</p> <p>This Field is normally Read-only, and the values are normally controlled by the Remote Partner Link Training SM.</p> <p>When <code>ovride_local_coef_enable=1</code>, this field becomes writable, and is used to set the local values.</p> <p>When <code>ovride_local_coef_enable=1</code>, use <code>updated_local_coef_ln0=1</code> to write the local values.</p> <p>The Coefficient values are encoded as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2'b00: Hold • 2'b01: Increment • 2'b10: Decrement • 2'b11: Reserved 	RW	0x0
14	ld_receiver_ready_ln0	<p>Local Receiver Ready Status for Lane 0</p> <p>1: The local device receiver has determined that training is complete and is prepared to receive data 0: The local device receiver is requesting that training continue</p>	RO	0x0
13:8	ld_coefficient_status_ln0	<p>Local TX EQ Coefficient Status for Lane 0</p> <p>[5:4] Status of Local (+1) TX EQ Coefficient [3:2] Status of Local (0) TX EQ Coefficient [1:0] Status of Local (-1) TX EQ Coefficient</p> <p>The Coefficient values are encoded as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2'b00: Hold • 2'b01: Increment • 2'b10: Decrement • 2'b11: Reserved 	RO	0x0
7	ld_preset_coefficients_ln0	<p>PRESET Coefficients command to Link Partner on Lane 0</p> <p>1: PRESET Coefficients 0: Normal Operation</p> <p>This Field is normally Read-only, and the values are normally controlled by the Link Training SM.</p> <p>When <code>ovride_lp_coef_enable=1</code>, this field becomes writable, and is used to set the values sent to the Link Partner.</p> <p>When <code>ovride_lp_coef_enable=1</code>, use <code>updated_lp_coef_ln0=1</code> to transmit the values to the Link Partner.</p> <p>The PRESET command is defined in IEEE 802.3 CL72.6.10.2.3.1.</p>	RW	0x0
6	ld_initialize_coefficients_ln0	<p>INIT Coefficients command to Link Partner on Lane 0</p> <p>1: INIT Coefficients 0: Normal Operation</p> <p>This Field is normally Read-only, and the values are normally controlled by the Link Training SM.</p> <p>When <code>ovride_lp_coef_enable=1</code>, this field becomes writable, and is used to set the values sent to the Link Partner.</p> <p>When <code>ovride_lp_coef_enable=1</code>, use <code>updated_lp_coef_ln0=1</code> to transmit the values to the Link Partner.</p>	RW	0x0

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Bit	Name	Description	Access	Reset
		The INIT command is defined in IEEE 802.3 CL72.6.10.2.3.2.		
5:0	ld_coefficient_update_ln0	<p>TX EQ Coefficient Request to Link Partner on Lane 0</p> <p>[5:4] Control for Link Partner (+1) TX EQ Coefficient [3:2] Control for Link Partner (0) TX EQ Coefficient [1:0] Control for Link Partner (-1) TX EQ Coefficient</p> <p>This Field is normally Read-only, and the values are normally controlled by the Link Training SM</p> <p>When <code>override_lp_coef_enable=1</code>, this field becomes writable, and is used to set the values sent to the Link Partner.</p> <p>When <code>override_lp_coef_enable=1</code>, use <code>updated_lp_coef_ln0=1</code> to transmit the values to the Link Partner</p> <p>The Coefficient values are encoded as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2'b00: Hold • 2'b01: Increment • 2'b10: Decrement • 2'b11: Reserved 	RW	0x0

7.8.20. Local Transceiver TX EQ 1 Settings for Lane 0

Provides the following Local TX EQ 1 Settings for Lane 0

- Local TX EQ VOD Setting for Lane 0
- Local TX EQ Post-Tap Setting for Lane 0
- Local TX EQ Pre-Tap Setting for Lane 0

Offset: 0xD5

Access: RO

Local Transceiver TX EQ 1 Settings for Lane 0 Fields

Bit	Name	Description	Access	Reset
20:16	lt_pretap_setting_ln0	<p>Local TX EQ Pre-tap Setting for Lane 0</p> <p>This register returns the most recent Pre-tap setting that was written to the local transceiver</p>	RO	0x0
13:8	lt_posttap_setting_ln0	<p>Local TX EQ Post-tap Setting for Lane 0</p> <p>This register returns the most recent Post-tap setting that was written to the local transceiver .</p>	RO	0x0
4:0	lt_vod_setting_ln0	<p>Local TX EQ VOD Setting for Lane 0</p> <p>This register returns the most recent VOD setting that was written to the local transceiver</p>	RO	0x0

7.8.21. Local Transceiver TX EQ 2 Settings for Lane 0

Provides the following Local TX EQ 2 Settings for Lane 0

- VMAXRULE Override value
- Enable VMAXRULE Override
- VODMINRULE Override value
- Enable VODMINRULE Override



- VPOSTRULE Override value
- Enable VPOSTRULE Override
- VPRERULE Override value
- Enable VPRERULE Override

Offset: 0xD6

Access: RW

Local Transceiver TX EQ 2 Settings Fields

Bit	Name	Description	Access	Reset
29	lt_vpre_ovrd_en_ln0	Enable VPRERULE Override for Lane 0 1: Use the value of lt_vpre_ovrd to set VPRERULE 0: Use the value of VPRERULE set by the parameters that were used at compile time	RW	0x0
28:2 4	lt_vpre_ovrd_ln0	VPRERULE Override value for Lane 0 When lt_vpre_ovrd_en=1, this CSR sets the maximum value of the Pre-tap on Lane 0. VPRERULE must be set to a value greater than INITPREVAL.	RW	0x0
22	lt_vpost_ovrd_en_ln0	Enable VPOSTRULE Override for Lane 0 1: Use the value of lt_vpost_ovrd to set VPOSTRULE. 0: Use the value of VPOSTRULE set by the parameters that were used at compile time.	RW	0x0
21:1 6	lt_vpost_ovrd_ln0	VPOSTRULE Override value for Lane 0 When lt_vpost_ovrd_en=1, this CSR sets the maximum value of the Post-tap on Lane 0. VPOSTRULE must be set to a value greater than INITPOSTVAL.	RW	0x0
13	lt_vodmin_ovrd_en_ln0	Enable VODMINRULE Override for Lane 0 1: Use the value of lt_vodmin_ovrd to set VODMINRULE 0: Use the value of VODMINRULE set by the parameters that were used at compile time	RW	0x0
12:8	lt_vodmin_ovrd_ln0	VODMINRULE Override value for Lane 0 When lt_vodmin_ovrd_en=1, this CSR sets the minimum setting of VOD allowed during link training for Lane 0. VODMINRULE must be set to a value less than INITMAINVAL. VODMINRULE must also be set to a value greater than VMINRULE.	RW	0x0
5	lt_vodmax_ovrd_en_ln0	Enable VMAXRULE Override for Lane 0 1: Use the value of lt_vodmax_ovrd to set VMAXRULE 0: Use the value of VMAXRULE set by the parameters that were used at compile time	RW	0x0
4:0	lt_vodmax_ovrd_ln0	VMAXRULE Override Value for Lane 0 When lt_vodmax_ovrd_en=1, this CSR sets the maximum Voltage allowed during link training for Lane 0. VMAXRULE must be set to a value greater than INITMAINVAL. Note that this value also changes PREMAINVAL.	RW	0x0

7.8.22. Local Link Training Parameters

Provides the following Link Training Parameters



- Max wait timeout multiplier
- Enable Wait for frame lock before starting max wait timer
- Disable canceling link ready if remote_rx_ready deasserts

Offset: 0xD7

Access: RO and RW

Local Link Training Parameters Fields

Bit	Name	Description	Access	Reset
9	disable_link_ready_cancel	Disable canceling link ready if remote_rx_ready deasserts 1: Link ready will not be automatically canceled when remote_rx_ready is deasserted. 0: Link ready will be canceled if remote_rx_ready is deasserted (default).	RW	0x0

7.8.23. Link Training Config Register for Lane 1

Provides CSRs for the following link training features:

- LT PRBS Pattern Select for lane 1
- LT PRBS Seed for lane 1

Offset: 0xE0

Access: RW

Link Training Config Register for Lane 1 Fields

Bit	Name	Description	Access	Reset
26:16	lt_prbs_seed_ln1	Link Training PRBS Seed for Lane 1 Sets the initial seed for PRBS. Default value is 11'h645	RW	0x645
2:0	lt_prbs_pattern_select_ln1	Link Training PRBS Pattern Select for Lane 1 0: Use Clause 92 Polynomial 0 1: Use Clause 92 Polynomial 1 2: Use Clause 92 Polynomial 2 3: Use Clause 92 Polynomial 3 4: Use Clause 72 Polynomial (if CL72 PRBS parameter is enabled) All other settings reserved • Default value for lane 1 is 1	RW	0x1

7.8.24. Link Training Frame Contents for Lane 1

Provides CSRs for the following fields that are transmitted during link training to the link partner for Lane 1

- TX EQ Coefficient Request to Link Partner on Lane 1
- INIT Coefficients command to Link Partner on Lane 1
- PRESET Coefficients command to Link Partner on Lane 1
- Local TX EQ Coefficient Status for Lane 1



- Local Receiver Ready Status for Lane 1
- Most Recent TX EQ Coefficient Request from Link Partner on Lane 1
- Most Recent INIT command from Link Partner on Lane 1
- Most Recent PRESET command from Link Partner on Lane 1
- Most Recent TX EQ Status from Link Partner on Lane 1
- Most Recent Receiver Ready Status from Link Partner on Lane 1

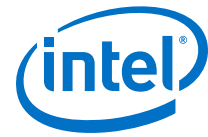
Offset: 0xE1

Access: RO and RW

Link Training Frame Contents for Lane 1 Fields

Bit	Name	Description	Access	Reset
30	lp_receiver_ready_lnl	Link Partner Receiver Ready Status for Lane 1 1: The link partner receiver has determined that training is complete and is prepared to receive data 0: The link partner receiver is requesting that training continue	RO	0x0
29:2 4	lp_coefficient_status_lnl	TX EQ Coefficient Status from Link Partner for Lane 1 [5:4] Status of Link Partner (+1) TX EQ Coefficient [3:2] Status of Link Partner (0) TX EQ Coefficient [1:0] Status of Link Partner (-1) TX EQ Coefficient The Coefficient values are encoded as follows: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2'b00: Hold • 2'b01: Increment • 2'b10: Decrement • 2'b11: Reserved 	RO	0x0
23	lp_preset_coefficients_lnl	PRESET Command from Link Partner on Lane 1 1: Set local TX EQ to PRESET 0: Normal Operation This Field is normally Read-only, and the values are normally controlled by the Remote Partner Link Training SM. When <code>ovr_override_local_coef_enable=1</code> , this field becomes writable, and is used to set the local values. When <code>ovr_override_local_coef_enable=1</code> , use <code>updated_local_coef_lnl=1</code> to write the local values.	RW	0x0
22	lp_initialize_coefficients_lnl	INIT Command from Link Partner on Lane 1 1: Set local TX EQ to INIT 0: Normal Operation This field is normally Read-only, and the values are normally controlled by the Remote Partner Link Training SM. When <code>ovr_override_local_coef_enable=1</code> , this field becomes writable, and is used to set the local values. When <code>ovr_override_local_coef_enable=1</code> , use <code>updated_local_coef_lnl=1</code> to write the local values	RW	0x0
21:1 6	lp_coefficient_update_lnl	TX EQ Coefficient Request from Link Partner on Lane 1 [5:4] Control for Local (+1) TX EQ Coefficient [3:2] Control for Local (0) TX EQ Coefficient [1:0] Control for Local (-1) TX EQ Coefficient This field is normally Read-only, and the values are normally controlled by the Remote Partner Link Training SM.	RW	0x0

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Bit	Name	Description	Access	Reset
		<p>When <code>ovrider_local_coef_enable=1</code>, this field becomes writable, and is used to set the local values.</p> <p>When <code>ovrider_local_coef_enable=1</code>, use <code>updated_local_coef_lnl=1</code> to write the local values.</p> <p>The Coefficient values are encoded as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 2'b00: Hold 2'b01: Increment 2'b10: Decrement 2'b11: Reserved 		
14	<code>ld_receiver_ready_lnl</code>	<p>Local Receiver Ready Status for Lane 1</p> <p>1: The local device receiver has determined that training is complete and is prepared to receive data</p> <p>0: The local device receiver is requesting that training continue</p>	RO	0x0
13:8	<code>ld_coefficient_status_lnl</code>	<p>Local TX EQ Coefficient Status for Lane 1</p> <p>[5:4] Status of Local (+1) TX EQ Coefficient</p> <p>[3:2] Status of Local (0) TX EQ Coefficient</p> <p>[1:0] Status of Local (-1) TX EQ Coefficient</p> <p>The Coefficient values are encoded as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 2'b00: Hold 2'b01: Increment 2'b10: Decrement 2'b11: Reserved 	RO	0x0
7	<code>ld_preset_coefficients_lnl</code>	<p>PRESET Coefficients command to Link Partner on Lane 1</p> <p>1: PRESET Coefficients</p> <p>0: Normal Operation</p> <p>This Field is normally Read-only, and the values are normally controlled by the Link Training SM.</p> <p>When <code>ovrider_lp_coef_enable=1</code>, this field becomes writable, and is used to set the values sent to the Link Partner.</p> <p>When <code>ovrider_lp_coef_enable=1</code>, use <code>updated_lp_coef_lnl=1</code> to transmit the values to the Link Partner.</p> <p>The PRESET command is defined in IEEE 802.3 CL72.6.10.2.3.1.</p>	RW	0x0
6	<code>ld_initialize_coefficients_lnl</code>	<p>INIT Coefficients command to Link Partner on Lane 1</p> <p>1: INIT Coefficients</p> <p>0: Normal Operation</p> <p>This field is normally Read-only, and the values are normally controlled by the Link Training SM.</p> <p>When <code>ovrider_lp_coef_enable=1</code>, this field becomes writable, and is used to set the values sent to the Link Partner.</p> <p>When <code>ovrider_lp_coef_enable=1</code>, use <code>updated_lp_coef_lnl=1</code> to transmit the values to the Link Partner.</p> <p>The INIT command is defined in IEEE 802.3 CL72.6.10.2.3.2.</p>	RW	0x0
5:0	<code>ld_coefficient_update_lnl</code>	<p>TX EQ Coefficient Request to Link Partner on Lane 1</p> <p>[5:4] Control for Link Partner (+1) TX EQ Coefficient</p> <p>[3:2] Control for Link Partner (0) TX EQ Coefficient</p> <p>[1:0] Control for Link Partner (-1) TX EQ Coefficient</p> <p>This field is normally Read-only, and the values are normally controlled by the Link Training SM.</p>	RW	0x0

Bit	Name	Description	Access	Reset
		<p>When <code>ovriderp_coef_enable=1</code>, this field becomes writable, and is used to set the values sent to the Link Partner.</p> <p>When <code>ovriderp_coef_enable=1</code>, use <code>updated_lp_coef_ln0=1</code> to transmit the values to the Link Partner.</p> <p>The Coefficient values are encoded as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 2'b00: Hold 2'b01: Increment 2'b10: Decrement 2'b11: Reserved 		

7.8.25. Local Transceiver TX EQ 1 Settings for Lane 1

Provides the following Local TX EQ 1 Settings for Lane 1

- Local TX EQ VOD Setting for Lane 1
- Local TX EQ Post-Tap Setting for Lane 1
- Local TX EQ Pre-Tap Setting for Lane 1

Offset: 0xE2

Access: RO

Local Transceiver TX EQ 1 Settings for Lane 1 Fields

Bit	Name	Description	Access	Reset
20:16	<code>lt_pretap_setting_ln1</code>	<p>Local TX EQ Pre-tap Setting for Lane 1</p> <p>This register returns the most recent Pre-tap setting that was written to the local transceiver.</p>	RO	0x0
13:8	<code>lt_posttap_setting_ln1</code>	<p>Local TX EQ Post-tap Setting for Lane 1</p> <p>This register returns the most recent Post-tap setting that was written to the local transceiver.</p>	RO	0x0
4:0	<code>lt_vod_setting_ln1</code>	<p>Local TX EQ VOD Setting for Lane 1</p> <p>This register returns the most recent VOD setting that was written to the local transceiver.</p>	RO	0x0

7.8.26. Local Transceiver TX EQ 2 Settings for Lane 1

Provides the following Local TX EQ 2 Settings for Lane 1

- VMAXRULE Override value
- Enable VMAXRULE Override
- VODMINRULE Override value
- Enable VODMINRULE Override
- VPOSTRULE Override value
- Enable VPOSTRULE Override
- VPRERULE Override value
- Enable VPRERULE Override

Offset: 0xE3



Access: RW

Local Transceiver TX EQ 2 Settings for Lane 1 Fields

Bit	Name	Description	Access	Reset
29	lt_vpre_ovrd_en_ln1	Enable VPRERULE Override for Lane 1 1: Use the value of lt_vpre_ovrd to set VPRERULE 0: Use the value of VPRERULE set by the parameters that were used at compile time	RW	0x0
28:2 4	lt_vpre_ovrd_ln1	VPRERULE Override value for Lane 1 When lt_vpre_ovrd_en=1, this CSR sets the maximum value of the Pre-tap on Lane 1. VPRERULE must be set to a value greater than INITPREVAL.	RW	0x0
22	lt_vpost_ovrd_en_ln1	Enable VPOSTRULE Override for Lane 1 1: Use the value of lt_vpost_ovrd to set VPOSTRULE. 0: Use the value of VPOSTRULE set by the parameters that were used at compile time.	RW	0x0
21:1 6	lt_vpost_ovrd_ln1	VPOSTRULE Override value for Lane 1 When lt_vpost_ovrd_en=1, this CSR sets the maximum value of the Post-tap on Lane 1. VPOSTRULE must be set to a value greater than INITPOSTVAL.	RW	0x0
13	lt_vodmin_ovrd_en_ln1	Enable VODMINRULE Override for Lane 1 1: Use the value of lt_vodmin_ovrd to set VODMINRULE 0: Use the value of VODMINRULE set by the parameters that were used at compile time	RW	0x0
12:8	lt_vodmin_ovrd_ln1	VODMINRULE Override value for Lane 1 When lt_vodmin_ovrd_en=1, this CSR sets the minimum setting of VOD allowed during link training for Lane 1. VODMINRULE must be set to a value less than INITMAINVAL. VODMINRULE must also be set to a value greater than VMINRULE.	RW	0x0
5	lt_vodmax_ovrd_en_ln1	Enable VMAXRULE Override for Lane 1 1: Use the value of lt_vodmax_ovrd to set VMAXRULE 0: Use the value of VMAXRULE set by the parameters that were used at compile time	RW	0x0
4:0	lt_vodmax_ovrd_ln1	VMAXRULE Override Value for Lane 1 When lt_vodmax_ovrd_en=1, this CSR sets the maximum Voltage allowed during link training for Lane 1. VMAXRULE must be set to a value greater than INITMAINVAL. Note that this value also changes PREMAINVAL.	RW	0x0

7.8.27. Link Training Config Register for Lane 2

Link Training Config Register for Lane 2 Provides CSRs for the following link training features

- LT PRBS Pattern Select for lane 2
- LT PRBS Seed for lane 2

Offset: 0xE4

Access: RW

Link Training Config Register for Lane 2 Fields

Bit	Name	Description	Access	Reset
26:16	lt_prbs_seed_ln2	Link Training PRBS Seed for Lane 2 Sets the initial seed for PRBS. Default value is 11'h72d	RW	0x72D
2:0	lt_prbs_pattern_select_ln2	Link Training PRBS Pattern Select for Lane 2 0: Use Clause 92 Polynomial 0 1: Use Clause 92 Polynomial 1 2: Use Clause 92 Polynomial 2 3: Use Clause 92 Polynomial 3 4: Use Clause 72 Polynomial (if CL72 PRBS parameter is enabled) All other settings reserved • Default value for lane 2 is 2	RW	0x2

7.8.28. Link Training Frame Contents for Lane 2

Provides CSRs for the following fields that are transmitted during link training to the link partner for Lane 2

- TX EQ Coefficient Request to Link Partner on Lane 2
- INIT Coefficients command to Link Partner on Lane 2
- PRESET Coefficients command to Link Partner on Lane 2
- Local TX EQ Coefficient Status for Lane 2
- Local Receiver Ready Status for Lane 2
- Most Recent TX EQ Coefficient Request from Link Partner on Lane 2
- Most Recent INIT command from Link Partner on Lane 2
- Most Recent PRESET command from Link Partner on Lane 2
- Most Recent TX EQ Status from Link Partner on Lane 2
- Most Recent Receiver Ready Status from Link Partner on Lane 2

Offset: 0xE5

Access: RO and RW

Link Training Frame Contents for Lane 2 Fields

Bit	Name	Description	Access	Reset
30	lp_receiver_ready_ln2	Link Partner Receiver Ready Status for Lane 2 1: The link partner receiver has determined that training is complete and is prepared to receive data 0: The link partner receiver is requesting that training continue	RO	0x0
29:24	lp_coefficient_status_ln2	TX EQ Coefficient Status from Link Partner for Lane 2 [5:4] Status of Link Partner (+1) TX EQ Coefficient [3:2] Status of Link Partner (0) TX EQ Coefficient [1:0] Status of Link Partner (-1) TX EQ Coefficient The Coefficient values are encoded as follows:	RO	0x0

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Bit	Name	Description	Access	Reset
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 2'b00: Hold 2'b01: Increment 2'b10: Decrement 2'b11: Reserved 		
23	lp_preset_coefficients_ln2	<p>PRESET Command from Link Partner on Lane 2</p> <p>1: Set local TX EQ to PRESET 0: Normal Operation</p> <p>This Field is normally Read-only, and the values are normally controlled by the Remote Partner Link Training SM.</p> <p>When <code>override_local_coef_enable=1</code>, this field becomes writable, and is used to set the local values.</p> <p>When <code>override_local_coef_enable=1</code>, use <code>updated_local_coef_ln2=1</code> to write the local values.</p>	RW	0x0
22	lp_initialize_coefficients_ln2	<p>INIT Command from Link Partner on Lane 2</p> <p>1: Set local TX EQ to INIT 0: Normal Operation</p> <p>This Field is normally Read-only, and the values are normally controlled by the Remote Partner Link Training SM.</p> <p>When <code>override_local_coef_enable=1</code>, this field becomes writable, and is used to set the local values.</p> <p>When <code>override_local_coef_enable=1</code>, use <code>updated_local_coef_ln2=1</code> to write the local values.</p>	RW	0x0
21:16	lp_coefficient_update_ln2	<p>TX EQ Coefficient Request from Link Partner on Lane 2</p> <p>[5:4] Control for Local (+1) TX EQ Coefficient [3:2] Control for Local (0) TX EQ Coefficient [1:0] Control for Local (-1) TX EQ Coefficient</p> <p>This Field is normally Read-only, and the values are normally controlled by the Remote Partner Link Training SM.</p> <p>When <code>override_local_coef_enable=1</code>, this Field becomes writable, and is used to set the local values.</p> <p>When <code>override_local_coef_enable=1</code>, use <code>updated_local_coef_ln2=1</code> to write the local values.</p> <p>The Coefficient values are encoded as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 2'b00: Hold 2'b01: Increment 2'b10: Decrement 2'b11: Reserved 	RW	0x0
14	ld_receiver_ready_ln2	<p>Local Receiver Ready Status for Lane 2</p> <p>1: The local device receiver has determined that training is complete and is prepared to receive data 0: The local device receiver is requesting that training continue</p>	RO	0x0
13:8	ld_coefficient_status_ln2	<p>Local TX EQ Coefficient Status for Lane 2</p> <p>[5:4] Status of Local (+1) TX EQ Coefficient [3:2] Status of Local (0) TX EQ Coefficient [1:0] Status of Local (-1) TX EQ Coefficient</p> <p>The Coefficient values are encoded as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 2'b00: Hold 2'b01: Increment 2'b10: Decrement 2'b11: Reserved 	RO	0x0
7	ld_preset_coefficients_ln2	<p>PRESET Coefficients command to Link Partner on Lane 2</p>	RW	0x0

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Bit	Name	Description	Access	Reset
		<p>1: PRESET Coefficients 0: Normal Operation</p> <p>This Field is normally Read-only, and the values are normally controlled by the Link Training SM.</p> <p>When <code>ovride_lp_coef_enable=1</code>, this field becomes writable, and is used to set the values sent to the Link Partner.</p> <p>When <code>ovride_lp_coef_enable=1</code>, <code>useupdated_lp_coef_ln2=1</code> to transmit the values to the Link Partner.</p> <p>The PRESET command is defined in IEEE 802.3 CL72.6.10.2.3.1.</p>		
6	<code>ld_initialize_coefficients_ln2</code>	<p>INIT Coefficients command to Link Partner on Lane 2</p> <p>1: INIT Coefficients 0: Normal Operation</p> <p>This field is normally Read-only, and the values are normally controlled by the Link Training SM.</p> <p>When <code>ovride_lp_coef_enable=1</code>, this field becomes writable, and is used to set the values sent to the Link Partner.</p> <p>When <code>ovride_lp_coef_enable=1</code>, <code>useupdated_lp_coef_ln2=1</code> to transmit the values to the Link Partner.</p> <p>The INIT command is defined in IEEE 802.3 CL72.6.10.2.3.2.</p>	RW	0x0
5:0	<code>ld_coefficient_update_ln2</code>	<p>TX EQ Coefficient Request to Link Partner on Lane 2</p> <p>[5:4] Control for Link Partner (+1) TX EQ Coefficient [3:2] Control for Link Partner (0) TX EQ Coefficient [1:0] Control for Link Partner (-1) TX EQ Coefficient</p> <p>This field is normally Read-only, and the values are normally controlled by the Link Training SM.</p> <p>When <code>ovride_lp_coef_enable=1</code>, this field becomes writable, and is used to set the values sent to the Link Partner.</p> <p>When <code>ovride_lp_coef_enable=1</code>, use <code>updated_lp_coef_ln2=1</code> to transmit the values to the Link Partner.</p> <p>The Coefficient values are encoded as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2'b00: Hold • 2'b01: Increment • 2'b10: Decrement • 2'b11: Reserved 	RW	0x0

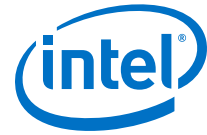
7.8.29. Local Transceiver TX EQ 1 Settings for Lane 2

Provides the following Local TX EQ 1 Settings for Lane 2

- Local TX EQ VOD Setting for Lane 2
- Local TX EQ Post-Tap Setting for Lane 2
- Local TX EQ Pre-Tap Setting for Lane 2

Offset: 0xE6

Access: RO



Local Transceiver TX EQ 1 Settings for Lane 2 Fields

Bit	Name	Description	Access	Reset
20:1 6	lt_pretap_setting_ln2	Local TX EQ Pre-tap Setting for Lane 2 This register returns the most recent Pre-tap setting that was written to the local transceiver.	RO	0x0
13:8	lt_posttap_setting_ln2	Local TX EQ Post-tap Setting for Lane 2 This register returns the most recent Post-tap setting that was written to the local transceiver	RO	0x0
4:0	lt_vod_setting_ln2	Local TX EQ VOD Setting for Lane 2 This register returns the most recent VOD setting that was written to the local transceiver	RO	0x0

7.8.30. Local Transceiver TX EQ 2 Settings for Lane 2

Provides the following Local TX EQ 2 Settings for Lane 2

- VMAXRULE Override value
- Enable VMAXRULE Override
- VODMINRULE Override value
- Enable VODMINRULE Override
- VPOSTRULE Override value
- Enable VPOSTRULE Override
- VPRERULE Override value
- Enable VPRERULE Override

Offset: 0xE7

Access: RW

Local Transceiver TX EQ 2 Settings for Lane 2 Fields

Bit	Name	Description	Access	Reset
29	lt_vpre_ovrd_en_ln2	Enable VPRERULE Override for Lane 2 1: Use the value of lt_vpre_ovrd to set VPRERULE 0: Use the value of VPRERULE set by the parameters that were used at compile time	RW	0x0
28:2 4	lt_vpre_ovrd_ln2	VPRERULE Override value for Lane 2 When lt_vpre_ovrd_en=1, this CSR sets the maximum value of the Pre-tap on Lane 2. VPRERULE must be set to a value greater than INITPREVAL.	RW	0x0
22	lt_vpost_ovrd_en_ln2	Enable VPOSTRULE Override for Lane 2 1: Use the value of lt_vpost_ovrd to set VPOSTRULE. 0: Use the value of VPOSTRULE set by the parameters that were used at compile time.	RW	0x0
21:1 6	lt_vpost_ovrd_ln2	VPOSTRULE Override value for Lane 2 When lt_vpost_ovrd_en=1, this CSR sets the maximum value of the Post-tap on Lane 2. VPOSTRULE must be set to a value greater than INITPOSTVAL.	RW	0x0

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Bit	Name	Description	Access	Reset
13	lt_vodmin_ovrd_en_ln2	Enable VODMINRULE Override for Lane 2 1: Use the value of lt_vodmin_ovrd to set VODMINRULE 0: Use the value of VODMINRULE set by the parameters that were used at compile time	RW	0x0
12:8	lt_vodmin_ovrd_ln2	VODMINRULE Override value for Lane 2 When lt_vodmin_ovrd_en=1, this CSR sets the minimum setting of VOD allowed during link training for Lane 2. VODMINRULE must be set to a value less than INITMAINVAL. VODMINRULE must also be set to a value greater than VMINRULE.	RW	0x0
5	lt_vodmax_ovrd_en_ln2	Enable VMAXRULE Override for Lane 2 1: Use the value of lt_vodmax_ovrd to set VMAXRULE 0: Use the value of VMAXRULE set by the parameters that were used at compile time	RW	0x0
4:0	lt_vodmax_ovrd_ln2	VMAXRULE Override Value for Lane 2 When lt_vodmax_ovrd_en=1, this CSR sets the maximum Voltage allowed during link training for Lane 2. VMAXRULE must be set to a value greater than INITMAINVAL. Note that this value also changes PREMAINVAL.	RW	0x0

7.8.31. Link Training Config Register for Lane 3

Provides CSRs for the following link training features:

- LT PRBS Pattern Select for lane 3
- LT PRBS Seed for lane 3

Offset: 0xE8

Access: RW

Link Training Config Register for Lane 3 Fields

Bit	Name	Description	Access	Reset
26:16	lt_prbs_seed_ln3	Link Training PRBS Seed for Lane 3 Sets the initial seed for PRBS. Default value is 11'h7b6	RW	0x7B6
2:0	lt_prbs_pattern_select_ln3	Link Training PRBS Pattern Select for Lane 3 0: Use Clause 92 Polynomial 0 1: Use Clause 92 Polynomial 1 2: Use Clause 92 Polynomial 2 3: Use Clause 92 Polynomial 3 4: Use Clause 72 Polynomial (if CL72 PRBS parameter is enabled) All other settings reserved • Default value for lane 3 is 3	RW	0x3

7.8.32. Link Training Frame Contents for Lane 3

Provides CSRs for the following fields that are transmitted during link training to the link partner for Lane 3



- TX EQ Coefficient Request to Link Partner on Lane 3
- INIT Coefficients command to Link Partner on Lane 3
- PRESET Coefficients command to Link Partner on Lane 3
- Local TX EQ Coefficient Status for Lane 3
- Local Receiver Ready Status for Lane 3
- Most Recent TX EQ Coefficient Request from Link Partner on Lane 3
- Most Recent INIT command from Link Partner on Lane 3
- Most Recent PRESET command from Link Partner on Lane 3
- Most Recent TX EQ Status from Link Partner on Lane 3
- Most Recent Receiver Ready Status from Link Partner on Lane 3

Offset: 0xE9

Access: RO and RW

Link Training Frame Contents for Lane 3 Fields

Bit	Name	Description	Access	Reset
30	lp_receiver_ready_ln3	Link Partner Receiver Ready Status for Lane 3 1: The link partner receiver has determined that training is complete and is prepared to receive data 0: The link partner receiver is requesting that training continue	RO	0x0
29:2 4	lp_coefficient_status_ln3	TX EQ Coefficient Status from Link Partner for Lane 3 [5:4] Status of Link Partner (+1) TX EQ Coefficient [3:2] Status of Link Partner (0) TX EQ Coefficient [1:0] Status of Link Partner (-1) TX EQ Coefficient The Coefficient values are encoded as follows: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2'b00: Hold • 2'b01: Increment • 2'b10: Decrement • 2'b11: Reserved 	RO	0x0
23	lp_preset_coefficients_ln3	PRESET Command from Link Partner on Lane 3 1: Set local TX EQ to PRESET 0: Normal Operation This Field is normally Read-only, and the values are normally controlled by the Remote Partner Link Training SM. When <code>override_local_coef_enable=1</code> , this field becomes writable, and is used to set the local values. When <code>override_local_coef_enable=1</code> , use <code>updated_local_coef_ln3=1</code> to write the local values.	RW	0x0
22	lp_initialize_coefficients_ln3	INIT Command from Link Partner on Lane 3 1: Set local TX EQ to INIT 0: Normal Operation This Field is normally Read-only, and the values are normally controlled by the Remote Partner Link Training SM. When <code>override_local_coef_enable=1</code> , this field becomes writable, and is used to set the local values. When <code>override_local_coef_enable=1</code> , use <code>updated_local_coef_ln3=1</code> to write the local values.	RW	0x0
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Bit	Name	Description	Access	Reset
21:1 6	lp_coefficient_update_ln3	<p>TX EQ Coefficient Request from Link Partner on Lane 3</p> <p>[5:4] Control for Local (+1) TX EQ Coefficient [3:2] Control for Local (0) TX EQ Coefficient [1:0] Control for Local (-1) TX EQ Coefficient</p> <p>This Field is normally Read-only, and the values are normally controlled by the Remote Partner Link Training SM.</p> <p>When <code>ovride_local_coef_enable=1</code>, this Field becomes writable, and is used to set the local values.</p> <p>When <code>ovride_local_coef_enable=1</code>, use <code>updated_local_coef_ln3=1</code> to write the local values.</p> <p>The Coefficient values are encoded as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2'b00: Hold • 2'b01: Increment • 2'b10: Decrement • 2'b11: Reserved 	RW	0x0
14	ld_receiver_ready_ln3	<p>Local Receiver Ready Status for Lane 3</p> <p>1: The local device receiver has determined that training is complete and is prepared to receive data 0: The local device receiver is requesting that training continue</p>	RO	0x0
13:8	ld_coefficient_status_ln3	<p>Local TX EQ Coefficient Status for Lane 3</p> <p>[5:4] Status of Local (+1) TX EQ Coefficient [3:2] Status of Local (0) TX EQ Coefficient [1:0] Status of Local (-1) TX EQ Coefficient</p> <p>The Coefficient values are encoded as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2'b00: Hold • 2'b01: Increment • 2'b10: Decrement • 2'b11: Reserved 	RO	0x0
7	ld_preset_coefficients_ln3	<p>PRESET Coefficients command to Link Partner on Lane 3</p> <p>1: PRESET Coefficients 0: Normal Operation</p> <p>This field is normally Read-only, and the values are normally controlled by the Link Training SM.</p> <p>When <code>ovride_lp_coef_enable=1</code>, this field becomes writable, and is used to set the values sent to the Link Partner.</p> <p>When <code>ovride_lp_coef_enable=1</code>, use <code>updated_lp_coef_ln3=1</code> to transmit the values to the Link Partner.</p> <p>The PRESET command is defined in IEEE 802.3 CL72.6.10.2.3.1.</p>	RW	0x0
6	ld_initialize_coefficients_ln3	<p>INIT Coefficients command to Link Partner on Lane 3</p> <p>1: INIT Coefficients 0: Normal Operation</p> <p>This field is normally Read-only, and the values are normally controlled by the Link Training SM.</p> <p>When <code>ovride_lp_coef_enable=1</code>, this field becomes writable, and is used to set the values sent to the Link Partner.</p> <p>When <code>ovride_lp_coef_enable=1</code>, use <code>updated_lp_coef_ln3=1</code> to transmit the values to the Link Partner.</p>	RW	0x0

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Bit	Name	Description	Access	Reset
		The INIT command is defined in IEEE 802.3 CL72.6.10.2.3.2.		
5:0	ld_coefficient_update_ln3	<p>TX EQ Coefficient Request to Link Partner on Lane 3</p> <p>[5:4] Control for Link Partner (+1) TX EQ Coefficient [3:2] Control for Link Partner (0) TX EQ Coefficient [1:0] Control for Link Partner (-1) TX EQ Coefficient</p> <p>This field is normally Read-only, and the values are normally controlled by the Link Training SM.</p> <p>When <code>override_lp_coef_enable=1</code>, this field becomes writable, and is used to set the values sent to the Link Partner.</p> <p>When <code>override_lp_coef_enable=1</code>, use <code>updated_lp_coef_ln3=1</code> to transmit the values to the Link Partner.</p> <p>The Coefficient values are encoded as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2'b00: Hold • 2'b01: Increment • 2'b10: Decrement • 2'b11: Reserved 	RW	0x0

7.8.33. Local Transceiver TX EQ 1 Settings for Lane 3

Provides the following Local TX EQ 1 Settings for Lane 3

- Local TX EQ VOD Setting for Lane 3
- Local TX EQ Post-Tap Setting for Lane 3
- Local TX EQ Pre-Tap Setting for Lane 3

Offset: 0xEA

Access: RO

Local Transceiver TX EQ 1 Settings for Lane 3 Fields

Bit	Name	Description	Access	Reset
20:16	lt_pretap_setting_ln3	<p>Local TX EQ Pre-tap Setting for Lane 3</p> <p>This register returns the most recent Pre-tap setting that was written to the local transceiver.</p>	RO	0x0
13:8	lt_posttap_setting_ln3	<p>Local TX EQ Post-tap Setting for Lane 3</p> <p>This register returns the most recent Post-tap setting that was written to the local transceiver</p>	RO	0x0
4:0	lt_vod_setting_ln3	<p>Local TX EQ VOD Setting for Lane 3</p> <p>This register returns the most recent VOD setting that was written to the local transceiver</p>	RO	0x0

7.8.34. Local Transceiver TX EQ 2 Settings for Lane 3

Provides the following Local TX EQ 2 Settings for Lane 3

- VMAXRULE Override value
- Enable VMAXRULE Override
- VODMINRULE Override value
- Enable VODMINRULE Override



- VPOSTRULE Override value
- Enable VPOSTRULE Override
- VPRERULE Override value
- Enable VPRERULE Override

Offset: 0xEB

Access: RW

Local Transceiver TX EQ 2 Settings for Lane 3 Fields

Bit	Name	Description	Access	Reset
29	lt_vpre_ovrd_en_ln3	Enable VPRERULE Override for Lane 3 1: Use the value of lt_vpre_ovrd to set VPRERULE 0: Use the value of VPRERULE set by the parameters that were used at compile time	RW	0x0
28:2 4	lt_vpre_ovrd_ln3	VPRERULE Override value for Lane 3 When lt_vpre_ovrd_en=1, this CSR sets the maximum value of the Pre-tap on Lane 3. VPRERULE must be set to a value greater than INITPREVAL.	RW	0x0
22	lt_vpost_ovrd_en_ln3	Enable VPOSTRULE Override for Lane 3 1: Use the value of lt_vpost_ovrd to set VPOSTRULE. 0: Use the value of VPOSTRULE set by the parameters that were used at compile time.	RW	0x0
21:1 6	lt_vpost_ovrd_ln3	VPOSTRULE Override value for Lane 3 When lt_vpost_ovrd_en=1, this CSR sets the maximum value of the Post-tap on Lane 3. VPOSTRULE must be set to a value greater than INITPOSTVAL.	RW	0x0
13	lt_vodmin_ovrd_en_ln3	Enable VODMINRULE Override for Lane 3 1: Use the value of lt_vodmin_ovrd to set VODMINRULE 0: Use the value of VODMINRULE set by the parameters that were used at compile time	RW	0x0
12:8	lt_vodmin_ovrd_ln3	VODMINRULE Override value for Lane 3 When lt_vodmin_ovrd_en=1, this CSR sets the minimum setting of VOD allowed during link training for Lane 3. VODMINRULE must be set to a value less than INITMAINVAL. VODMINRULE must also be set to a value greater than VMINRULE.	RW	0x0
5	lt_vodmax_ovrd_en_ln3	Enable VMAXRULE Override for Lane 3 1: Use the value of lt_vodmax_ovrd to set VMAXRULE 0: Use the value of VMAXRULE set by the parameters that were used at compile time	RW	0x0
4:0	lt_vodmax_ovrd_ln3	VMAXRULE Override Value for Lane 3 When lt_vodmax_ovrd_en=1, this CSR sets the maximum voltage allowed during link training for Lane 3. VMAXRULE must be set to a value greater than INITMAINVAL. Note that this value also changes PREMAINVAL.	RW	0x0

8. Debugging the Link

Use the Ethernet Link Inspector (ELI) tool to debug your link.

The ELI is an inspection tool that can continuously monitor an Ethernet link that contains an Ethernet IP, which includes Ethernet lane alignment status, clock data recovery (CDR) lock, media access controller (MAC) statistics, Forward Error Correction (FEC) statistics, and others. If needed, the ELI can capture an event with the help of Signal Tap Logic Analyzer to further examine the link behavior during Auto-negotiation (AN), Link Training (LT), or any other event during the link operation. The ELI also creates a graphical user interface (GUI) to represent the link behavior and is available in the Intel Quartus Prime Pro software.

To use ELI, turn on Enable JTAG to Avalon Master Bridge feature in the IP, For more information, refer to the [IP Core Parameters](#) on page 23.

Begin debugging your link at the most basic level, with word lock. Then, consider higher level issues.

The following steps should help you identify and resolve common problems that occur when bringing up a Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP core link:

1. Establish word lock—The RX lanes should be able to achieve word lock even in the presence of extreme bit error rates. If the IP core is unable to achieve word lock, check the transceiver clocking and data rate configuration. Check for cabling errors such as the reversal of the TX and RX lanes. Check the clock frequency monitors in the Control and Status registers.

To check for word lock: Clear the `FRM_ERR` register by writing the value of 1 followed by another write of 0 to the `SCLR_FRM_ERR` register at offset 0x324. Then read the `FRM_ERR` register at offset 0x323. If the value is zero, the core has word lock. If non-zero the status is indeterminate.

2. When having problems with word lock, check the `EIO_FREQ_LOCK` register at address 0x321. The values in this register define the status of the recovered clock. In normal operation, all the bits should be asserted. A non-asserted (value-0) or toggling logic value on the bit that corresponds to any lane, indicates a clock recovery problem. Clock recovery difficulties are typically caused by the following problems:
 - A high bit error rate (BER)
 - Failure to establish the link
 - Incorrect clock inputs to the IP core
3. Check the PMA FIFO levels by selecting appropriate bits in the `EIO_FLAG_SEL` register and reading the values in the `EIO_FLAGS` register. During normal operation, the TX and RX FIFOs should be nominally filled. Observing a the TX FIFO is either empty or full typically indicates a problem with clock frequencies. The RX FIFO should never be full, although an empty RX FIFO can be tolerated.



4. Establish lane integrity—When operating properly, the lanes should not experience bit errors at a rate greater than roughly one per day. Bit errors within data packets are identified as FCS errors. Bit errors in control information, including IDLE frames, generally cause errors in XL/CGMII decoding.
5. If the IP core acquires word lock but the link is still not established, check the `AM_LOCK` register at offset 0x328 by reading it repeatedly. If it is deasserted or toggling, check the cables and connections.
6. If the IP core acquires alignment marker lock on all virtual lanes (bit [0] of the `AM_LOCK` has the consistent value of 1), but the link is still not established, check the `LANE_DESKEWED` register at offset 0x329. If this register remains at the value of 0, the skew is greater than the deskew limit.
7. Verify packet traffic—The Ethernet protocol includes automatic lane reordering so the higher levels should follow the PCS. If the PCS is locked, but higher level traffic is corrupted, there may be a problem with the remote transmitter virtual lane tags.
8. Tuning—You can adjust analog parameters to improve the bit error rate. IDLE traffic is representative for analog purposes.

In addition, your IP core can experience loss of signal on the Ethernet link after it is established. In this case, the TX functionality is unaffected, but the RX functionality is disrupted. The following symptoms indicate a loss of signal on the Ethernet link:

- The IP core deasserts the `rx_pcs_ready` signal, indicating the IP core has lost alignment marker lock.
- The IP core deasserts the RX PCS fully aligned status bit (bit [0]) of the `RX_PCS_FULLY_ALIGNED_S` register at offset 0x326. This change is linked to the change in value of the `rx_pcs_ready` signal.
- If **Enable link fault generation** is turned on, the IP core sets `local_fault_status` to the value of 1.
- The IP core asserts the `Local Fault Status` bit (bit [0]) of the `Link_Fault` register at offset 0x508. This change is linked to the change in value of the `local_fault_status` signal.
- The IP core triggers the RX digital reset process by asserting `soft_rxp_rst`.

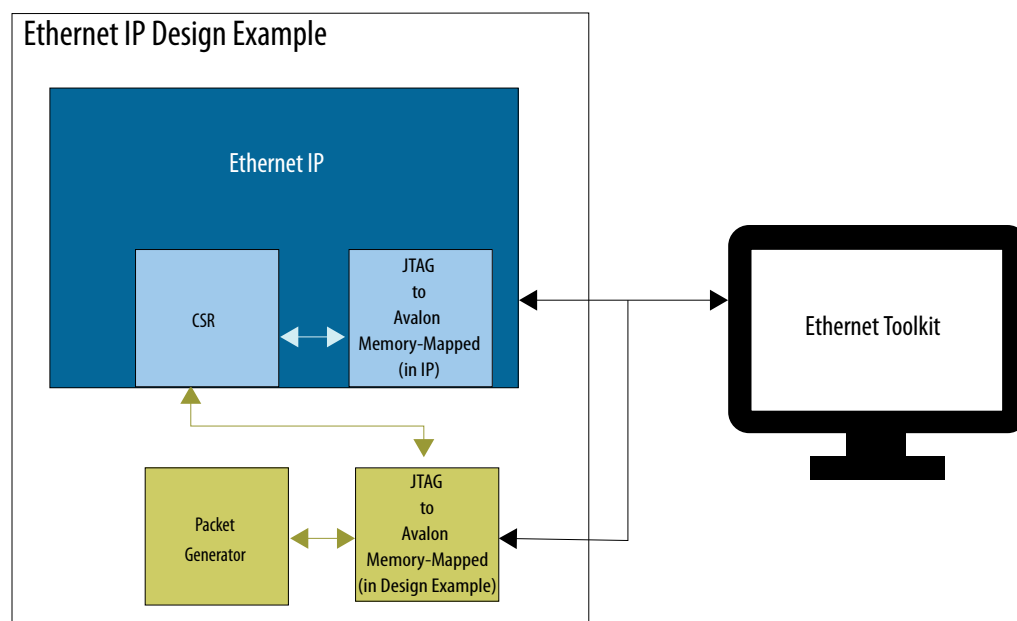
Related Information

- [L- and H-Tile Transceiver PHY User Guide](#)
Information about the analog parameters for Stratix 10 production devices.
- [Ethernet Link Inspector User Guide for Intel Stratix 10 Devices](#)
Information about the Ethernet Link Inspector tool.

9. Ethernet Toolkit Overview

The Ethernet Toolkit is a TCL based debugging tool that allows you to interact with an Ethernet Intel FPGA IP in real time.

Figure 20. Block Diagram of the Ethernet Toolkit



You can use the Ethernet Toolkit with hardware design that has standalone Ethernet IP. You can also use the Ethernet Toolkit with an Intel Quartus Prime generated Ethernet IP design example.

9.1. Features

The Ethernet Toolkit offers the following features when used with hardware design that has standalone Ethernet IP as well as with an Intel Quartus Prime generated Ethernet IP design example:

- Verifies the status of the Ethernet link.
- Reads and writes to status and configuration registers of the IP.
- Displays the values of TX/RX status and statistics registers.
- Ability to assert and deassert IP resets.
- Verifies the IP's error correction capability.

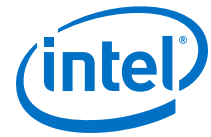


The Ethernet Toolkit also offers some additional features when used with an Intel Quartus Prime generated Ethernet IP design example:

- Provides access to the example design packet generator.
- Execute testing procedures to verify the functionality of Ethernet IPs.
- Enable and disable MAC loopback.
- Set source and destination MAC addresses.

Related Information

[Ethernet Toolkit User Guide](#)



10. Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA IP Core User Guide Archives

IP versions are the same as the Intel Quartus Prime Design Suite software versions up to v19.1. From Intel Quartus Prime Design Suite software version 19.2 or later, IP cores have a new IP versioning scheme. If an IP core version is not listed, the user guide for the previous IP core version applies.

Intel Quartus Prime Version	User Guide
20.1	Intel Stratix 10 Low Latency 100-Gbps Ethernet IP Core User Guide 20.1
19.4	Intel Stratix 10 Low Latency 100-Gbps Ethernet IP Core User Guide 19.4
19.2	Intel Stratix 10 Low Latency 100-Gbps Ethernet IP Core User Guide 19.2
18.1	Intel Stratix 10 Low Latency 100-Gbps Ethernet IP Core User Guide 18.1
18.0	Intel Stratix 10 Low Latency 100-Gbps Ethernet IP Core User Guide 18.0
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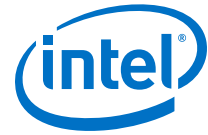
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2018.07.18	18.0	—	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Added flow control, TX error insertion, and RX control frame indication features in supported features list. Updated release information for the IP core. Added 322.265625 MHz clock option to the PHY reference frequency parameter. Added Enable MAC Flow Control, Number of queues in priority flow control, and Enable link fault generation parameters in the IP core parameter table. Added PCS compliance table <i>Functional Description</i> section. Added <code>pause_insert_tx0</code>, <code>pause_insert_tx1</code>, and <code>pause_receive_rx</code> signals in the <i>Low Latency 100G Ethernet Intel FPGA Signals and Interfaces</i> diagram. Updated <code>PHY_CONFIG</code> and <code>RX_FEC_STATUS</code> registers' default value. Added <code>ERR_INJ</code>, <code>LINK_FAULT</code>, <code>Pause/PFC Flow Control</code> registers in the <i>Registers</i> section. Added <i>Inter-Packet Gap Adjustment</i> topic. Updated the <code>clk_status</code> and <code>reconfig_clk</code> frequency to 100 - 162 MHz.
2017.11.06	17.1	—	Initial public release.