

# **Speedster22i 10/40/100 Gigabit Ethernet User Guide**

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# Overview

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The hardened 10/40/100 Gigabit Ethernet controller available in Achronix Speedster22i FPGAs provides a flexible, high-performance, and power efficient networking interface.

The features include:

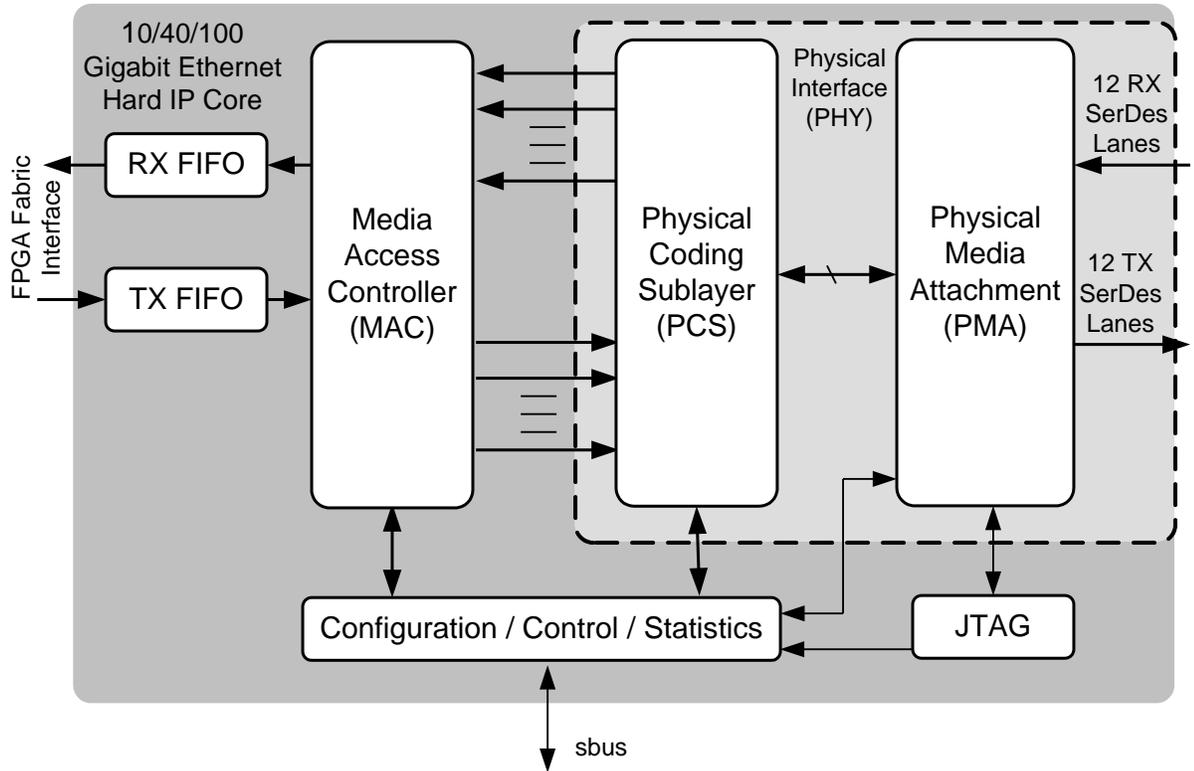
- Fully integrated 10/40/100 Gigabit Ethernet MAC
- Designed to the IEEE Std 802.3ba-2010 specification
- Configurable full-duplex for 10/40/100 Gigabit Ethernet operation
- 5 – configurable modes of operation
  - 1-12 x 10 Gigabit Ethernet Channels
  - 1 x 100 Gigabit, 1-2 x 10 Gigabit Ethernet Channels
  - 1-3 x 40 Gigabit Ethernet Channels
  - 1-4 x 10 Gigabit, 1-2 x 40 Gigabit Ethernet Channels
  - 1-8 x 10 Gigabit, 1 x 40 Gigabit Ethernet Channels
- User-accessible raw statistic vector outputs (IEEE 802.3 basic, mandatory and recommended Management Information packages (clause 30, MIB, MIB-II, IETF RFC 2665, SNMP, RMON in accordance with IETF RFC 2819))
- Provides counters to generate the applicable objects of the Management Information Base (MIB, MIB-II) according to IETF RFC 2665 (including its update to 10 Gbps) for SNMP (Simple Network Management Protocol) managed environments.
- Support for VLAN 802.1q VLAN Tag (VLAN Type and VLAN Info fields) frames
- Configurable in-band Frame Check Sequence (FCS) field passing on both transmit and receive paths
- Auto padding on transmit and stripping on receive paths
- Configured and monitored through a host interface
- Each PCS Layer implements a X/XL/CGMII side loopback to the MAC, which returns all data from the MAC transmit back to the MAC receive side without passing through any the PCS blocks.
  - 10G Base-R: The PCS transmits the constant pattern of 0x00ff to the SerDes line interface.
  - 40G/100G Base-R: The PCS transmits the MAC transmit data unchanged to the SerDes line interface (as defined by IEEE802.3ba).
- Hardware-selectable Device Control Register (DCR) bus or generic host bus interface
- Configurable flow control through Ethernet MAC Control PAUSE frames; symmetrically or asymmetrically enabled
- Configurable support for jumbo frames of any length
- Each PCS layer implements auto-negotiation, but does not include Parallel Detection. Parallel Detection must be implemented in user logic when the remote device does not support auto-negotiation or when auto-negotiation is disabled.
- When operating in 10G mode of operation, the 10G MAC can implement a configurable 10/100/1000 SGMII/1000Base-X PCS layer instead of the normal XGMII/10GBase-R PCS layer to allow operations below 10Gbps.

- Fully configurable Inter-Packet Gap (IPG) supports LAN and WAN with support for Deficit Idle Count (DIC) to reduce bandwidth loss. Configurable in full-duplex operation
- Optional Frame Check Sequence (FCS) checking (add and delete)
- PCS Lane Marker Insertion and deletion..
- MAC support for Link Pause Flow Control and Priority Flow Control (PFC) enables prioritization of up to 8 traffic classes.
- PCS layer timestamp support enables IEEE 1588 precision time protocol.

***Note:** There are restrictions on which interface (10/40/100) can occupy which SerDes Lanes. See Valid Interface Combinations below.*

# Functional Description

The block diagram for the 10/40/100 Gigabit Ethernet MAC and how it connects to the PHY is shown below.



**Figure 1:** 10/40/100 Gigabit Ethernet Block Diagram

On the FPGA Fabric interface, the 10/40/100 Gigabit Ethernet MAC and PCS Core implements a flexible FIFO interface that can be connected to a custom user application.

On the Ethernet line side, the Ethernet Core implements a 12 x 20-Bit line interface to the Physical Media Attachment (PMA) module which consists of 12 x 10G SerDes lanes directly connected to the FPGA I/O pins. The 12 SerDes lanes in the PMA module can be utilized independently of the 10/40/100G Ethernet MAC if the MAC IP is not being used. The physical interface between the MAC and SerDes is configured via the 10/40/100G Ethernet MAC IP configuration wizard. Details of the Achronix SerDes I/O are beyond the scope of the user guide. A separate user guide is available for the SerDes I/O functionality.

## Valid Interface Combinations

The valid mapping of interfaces (10/40/100) onto SerDes Lanes is:

- 12 x 10G (lanes 0-11)
- 1 x 100G (lanes 0-9) 2x10 (lanes 10-11)
- 3 x 40G (lanes 0, 4, 8)
- 4 x 10G (lanes 0-3) 2x40G (lanes 4,8)
- 8 x 10G (lanes 0-7) 1x40G (lane 8)

For each of these configurations a subset may be used. i.e. you can have a 100G on lane 09 without 10G on lanes 10-11, likewise you can have a single 40G interface lane 0-3, 4-7 or 8-11, with the other lanes not occupied. (etc.)

## Detailed Architecture

The figure below shows the internal architecture of the MAC block.

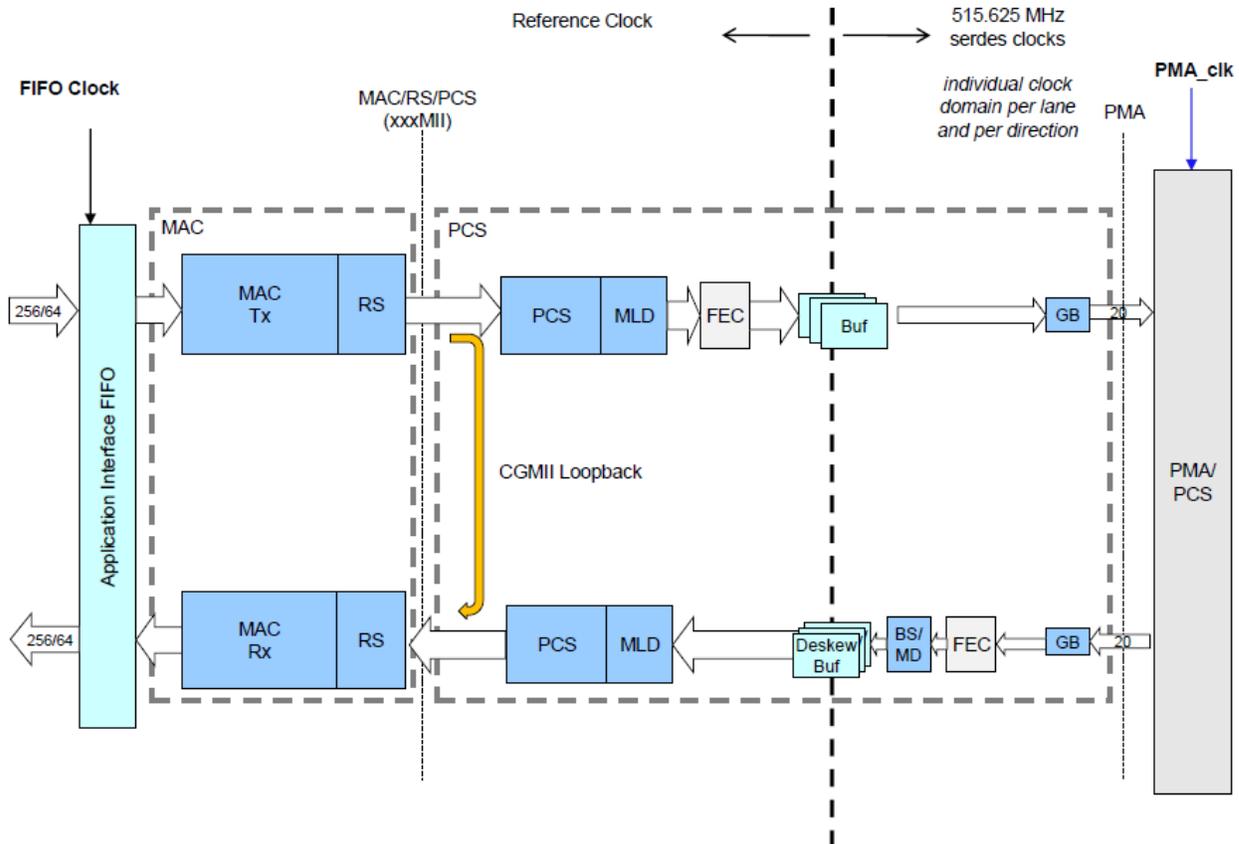


Figure 2 – Ethernet MAC Details

### X/XL/CGMII Loopbacks

Each PCS Layer implements a X/XL/CGMII side loopback to the MAC, which returns all data from the MAC transmit back to the MAC receive side without passing through any of the PCS blocks.

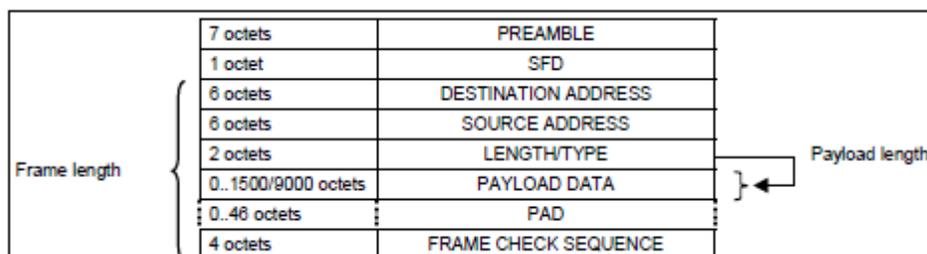
When the loopback is enabled the transmitted data is treated depending on the mode of operation as follows:

- 10G Base-R: The PCS transmits the constant pattern of 0x00ff (8x'1' bits alternating with 8x'0' bits) to the SerDes line interface.
- 40G/100G Base-R: The PCS transmits the MAC transmit data unchanged to the SerDes line interface (as defined by IEEE802.3ba).

## Ethernet MAC Frame Formats

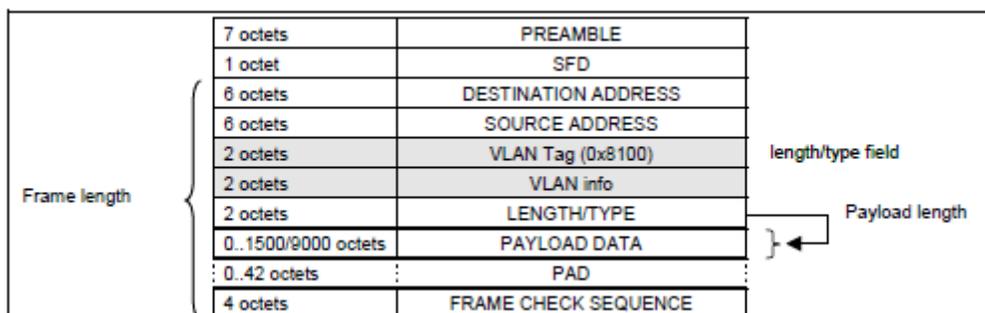
The IEEE 802.3 Standard defines the Ethernet Frame Format as follows: An Ethernet frame has a minimum length of 64 bytes and a maximum length of 1518 bytes, excluding the preamble and the SFD bytes. An Ethernet frame consists of the following fields:

- Seven bytes preamble
- Start frame delimiter (SFD)
- Two address fields
- Length or Type field
- Data field
- Frame check sequence (CRC value)



**Figure 3 MAC Frame Format Overview**

Optionally MAC frames can be VLAN tagged with an additional 4-Byte field (VLAN Tag and VLAN Info) inserted between the MAC Source Address and the Length/Type Field. VLAN tagging is defined by the IEEE P802.1q specification. VLAN tagged frames have a maximum length of 1522 bytes, excluding the preamble and the SFD bytes.



**Figure 4 VLAN Tagged MAC Frame Format Overview**

<i>Term</i>	<i>Description</i>
Frame Length	The length, in octets, defines the length of the complete Frame without preamble and SFD. Legal sizes are: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Standard Ethernet Frame: 64 ... 1518 (payload 0..1500)</li> <li>• Jumbo Frame: 64 ... 9022 (Payload 0..9000)</li> <li>• VLAN Frame: 64 ... 1522 (Payload 0..1500)</li> <li>• Pause and PFC Frame: always 64</li> </ul>
Payload Length	If the length / type field value is <0x600 it indicates a length information for the frame's payload section. Otherwise the field is interpreted as a type.
Destination and Source Address	48-Bit MAC addresses. The least significant byte is sent/received first and the two first bits (Two Least Significant bits) of the MAC address are used to distinguish MAC frames as detailed in chapter 5.2 on page 23.

**Note:**

Although the IEEE specification defines a maximum frame length, the MAC Core provides the flexibility to program any value for the Frame maximum length for example to support non-standard Jumbo frames.

**Figure 5 MAC Frame Definition**

## MAC Receive

The MAC receive engine performs the following tasks:

- Check Frame Framing
- Remove Frame preamble and Frame SFD field
- Frame Discarding based on Frame Destination address field if not in promiscuous mode
- Process Pause and PFC Frames
- Check Frame Length
- Calculate and verify CRC-32
- Write received Frames in the Core Receive FIFO

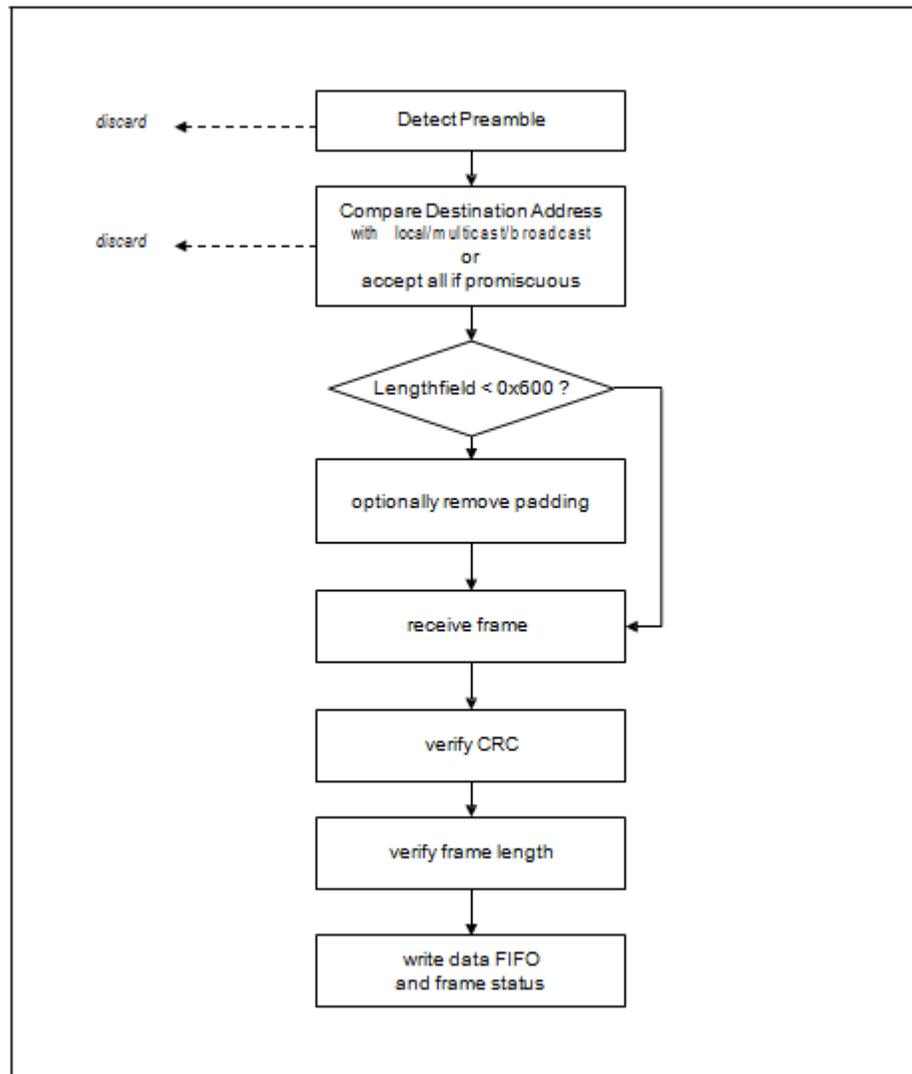
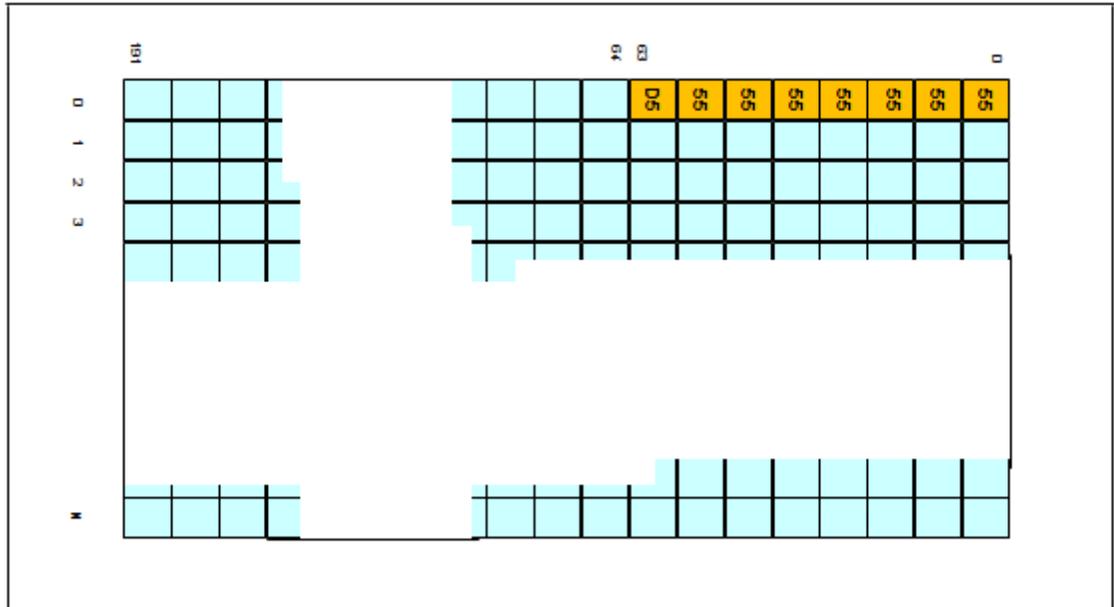


Figure 6: Receive Operation

## Preamble processing

The RS Layer removes all the preamble bytes and the SFD byte.

Although the IEEE standard specifies that Frames should be separated by at least 96-Bit times (Inter Packet Gap or IPG), the IEEE standard also specifies the optional Deficit Idle Count (DIC) mechanism that allows to optimize the IPG between 5 to 19 octets and 5 to 15 octets for 40/100G and 10G respectively. Hence, for 40/100G the next 64-Bit block following the final 64-Bit block of a frame can already contain a new preamble. For 10G a minimum of one XGMII column (4 octets) of IDLE must be present in between two frames.



**Figure 7: Preamble and SFD Field Position (40/100G RS Layer)**

Note that the PCS sub-layer (both 10G and 40/100G) cannot encode a Terminate and Start control character within the same 66-Bit block, therefore it is never possible to receive a preamble starting within the same 64-Bit block that contained the last data bits of a previous frame.

### *User Programmable Preamble Processing*

If the Core is configured to insert and extract User specific non-standard preambles (synthesis option), the seven bytes (PBL1 to PBL7 in Figure 9) following the start control code are extracted from the Frame, stored with the frame data and then provided on the Client interface, along with the Frame data (PBL1 is provided in `ff_rx_preamble(7:0)`). Since the first byte of the preamble is converted from the CGMII Start control character (0xFB) to 0x55, it is considered not significant and is not extracted.

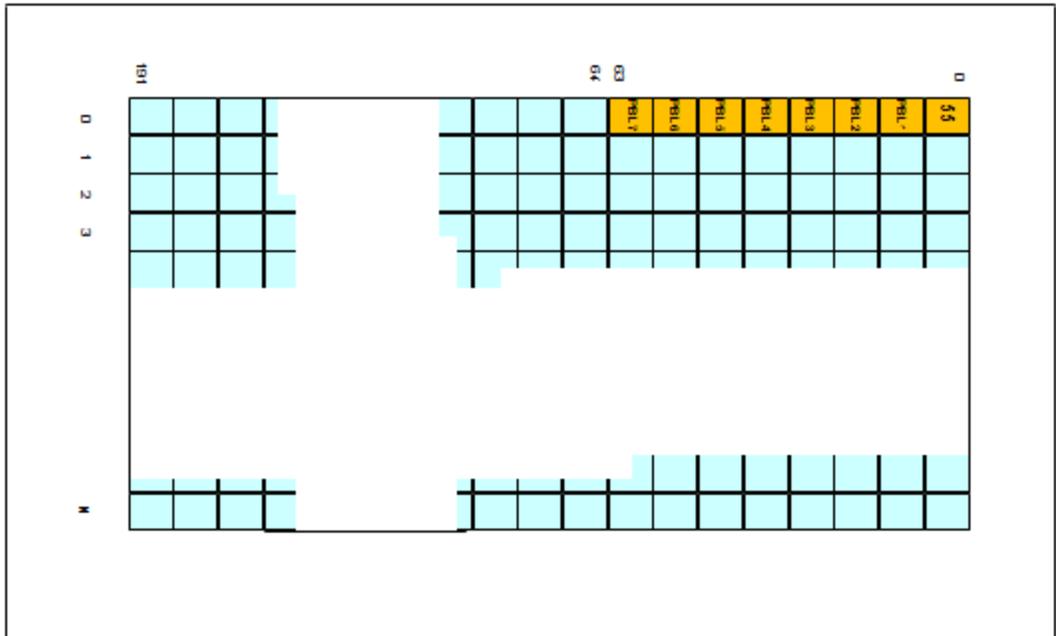


Figure 8: User Specific Preamble (40/100G RS Layer)

**MAC Address Check**

*Overview*

The destination address bit 0 is used to differentiate Multicast and Unicast Addresses: If bit 0 is set to „0”, the MAC address is an individual address (Unicast Address).

If bit 0 is set to „1”, the MAC address defines a group address (Multicast Address). If all 48 bits of the MAC address are set to '1', it indicates a broadcast address.

After reconciliation and preamble processing, the destination MAC address is available as the first 6 Bytes beginning at byte 0 of the first word forwarded to the MAC layer and eventually the client application.

*Unicast Address Check*

When used in non-promiscuous mode (Configuration register PROMIS\_EN set to „0”), when a Unicast frame is received, the frame destination MAC address is compared against the MAC address programmed in the Core registers MAC\_ADDR\_0 and MAC\_ADDR\_1. If the destination address matches the programmed MAC address, the frame is accepted; if the destination address does not match the programmed MAC address, the frame is rejected

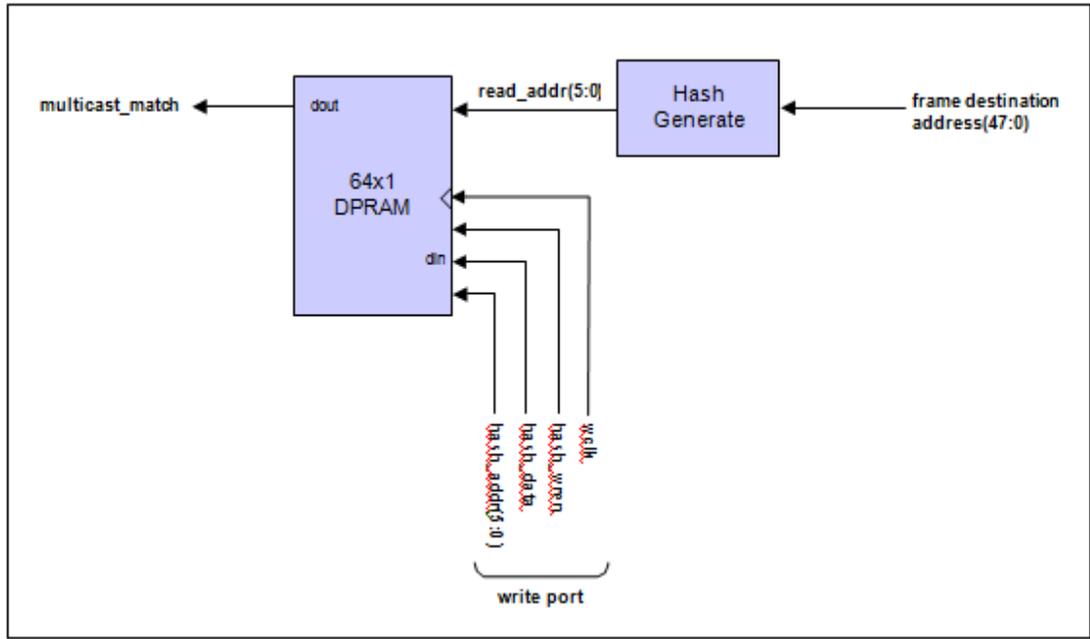
If promiscuous mode is enabled (Configuration register PROMIS\_EN set to „1”), no address check is performed and the MAC Core accepts all Unicast frames.

*Multicast Address Resolution*

Multicast addresses are, in typical implementations, resolved using a software task running on the system host processor. While the Multicast address resolution generates acceptable processor load for 10Mbps or 100Mbps Ethernet connections, with Multi-Gigabit Ethernet connections, this task can significantly load the host processor. To reduce processing load

from the host processor, the MAC Core implements a hardware Multicast address resolution engine.

A 64-entries table (Hash Table) is calculated and written by the host processor into a 64x1 look-up-table (DPRAM). When a Multicast frame is received, the MAC address decoding



**Figure 9: Multicast Address Resolution Overview**

*Note: Each look-up-table entry is typically set to 0x00 after power-up and all Multicast frames are then subsequently rejected until the hash table is programmed.*

To build the hash table, the host processor generates a 6-Bit code for each Multicast address by XOR'ing the MAC address bits as detailed in Table 3. The code is used to address the look-up-table. For each code (look-up address), writing a „1“ indicates that all the multicast MAC addresses represented by the code should be accepted. Writing a '0' indicates that all the multicast MAC addresses represented by the code should be rejected.

*Table 1 – Hash bits*

Hash Code Bit	Value
0	XOR multicast MAC address bits 7:0 (first octet)
1	XOR multicast MAC address bits 15:8
2	XOR multicast MAC address bits 23:16
3	XOR multicast MAC address bits 31:24
4	XOR multicast MAC address bits 39:32
5	XOR multicast MAC address bits 47:40 (last octet)

If promiscuous mode is enabled (Configuration register PROMIS\_EN is set to „1“), all Multicast frames are accepted.

### **Broadcast Frames**

The Core always accepts frames with the destination MAC address set to the Broadcast address.

## Frame Length / Type Field Verification

After reconciliation and preamble processing, the Length / Type field is located at byte offset 12 and 13 from a 16-Byte boundary within the MAC datapath word. The most-significant byte is byte 12 and the least-significant byte is byte 13.

If the Length / Type field has a value less than 1536 (0x0600), then the Core checks the payload length and reports any error in the frame status word (Bit '0' of Core signal `ff_rx_err_stat`). If the Length / Type field has a value greater than 1535, then the Core interprets the field as a type and forwards the frame to the user application.

Control and VLAN frames (Type 0x8808 and 0x8100, respectively) are processed by the Core as described in the following two sections ("5.4" and "5.5").

## VLAN Frames Processing

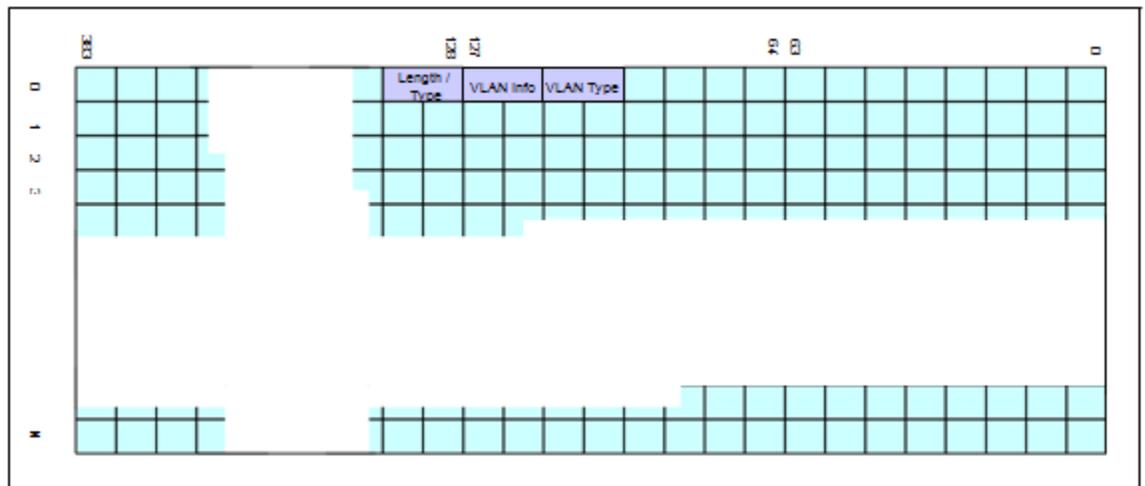


Figure 10: VLAN Tagged Frame

## Pause/PFC Frame Processing

Depending on the setting of `COMMAND_CONFIG(PFC_MODE)`, either Pause frames or PFC frames are processed by the MAC Core. Only one mode can be active at a time: If a frame of the other mode is received it is treated as a regular command frame. Depending on `COMMAND_CONFIG(CMD_FRM_ENA)` it is then either discarded or forwarded to the user application but has no effect within the MAC. See 9 page 48 for more details.

Pause frames are optionally terminated in the Core receive engine if the Core configuration register `PAUSE_FWD` is set to '0' (default). Pause frames can also optionally be transferred to the receive FIFO interface if the Core configuration register `PAUSE_FWD` is set to '1'.

If the configuration register `PAUSE_IGNORE` is set to '0', the Quanta is extracted from the terminated Pause frame and sent to the MAC transmit path via a small internal clock decoupling logic. If a CRC or a length error is detected, the Quanta is ignored.

If the Core configuration register `PAUSE_IGNORE` is set to '1', the Quanta is not extracted from the received Pause frames.

Table 2 – Pause/PFC Control Register

Register		Description
PLEASE_IGNORE	PAUSE_FWD	
0	1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Pause frames terminated.</li> <li>Quanta extracted and sent to the Core transmit path.</li> <li>Pause frames not transferred to the Core FIFO interface.</li> </ul>
0	1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Pause Frames not terminated.</li> <li>Quanta extracted and sent to the Core transmit path. Pause frames transferred to the Core FIFO interface.</li> </ul>
1	0	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Pause frames terminated.</li> <li>Quanta not extracted and not sent to the Core transmit path.</li> <li>Pause frames not transferred to the Core FIFO interface.</li> </ul>
1	1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Pause Frames not terminated.</li> <li>Quanta not extracted and not sent to the Core transmit path.</li> <li>Pause frames transferred to the Core FIFO interface.</li> </ul>

When a Pause frame is received, the statistics counter (aPAUSEMACCtrlFramesReceived) is always incremented, independent from pause ignore or pause forward functions.

A Pause frame is considered valid only, if the following conditions are valid: Length / Type field is set to 0x8808

Opcode field, which is immediately following the Type, is 0x0001 (Pause) or 0x0101 (PFC)

MAC destination address is either the configured Unicast address (programmed in the Core registers MAC\_ADDR\_0 and MAC\_ADDR\_1) or the control frame Multicast address 01-80-c2-00-00-01

- the frame has a valid CRC
- the frame has a length of 64 octets

If any of the first three conditions fails (type, opcode, address), the frame is forwarded to the Client and the MAC takes no further action.

If a Pause frame is not 64 octets in length, it is ignored, even if all other conditions are valid. Depending on the pause-forwarding configuration setting (configuration register bit PAUSE\_FWD), such a frame is either discarded or forwarded to the user application.

### CRC Check

The CRC-32 field is always checked and can optionally be discarded or forwarded to the Core FIFO interface if the Core configuration register bits CRC\_FWD and PAD\_EN are set to '1' and '0', respectively. The CRC polynomial, as specified in the IEEE 802.3 standard, is:

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

The 32 bits of the CRC value are placed in the FCS field so that the X31 term is the right-most bit of the first octet. The CRC bits are thus received in the following order: X31, X30, ..., X1, X0.

If a CRC-32 error is detected, the frame is marked invalid and Bit '1' of the frame status word (Core signal `ff_rx_err_stat`) indicating a CRC error is set to „1“.

## Frame Padding

When a frame is received with a payload length less than 46 Bytes (42 Bytes for VLAN tagged frames), the padding octets are written into the receive FIFO (i.e. no stripping occurs).

This is always the case for the 40/100G MAC datapath. The 10G MAC can optionally be configured to remove the padding octets when the CRC should be removed and the length field shows a value < 46.

## Frame Truncation

In receive, the MAC is always checking the received frame length (total octets following the preamble and SFD) against the configured `FRM_LENGTH` value. If the frame exceeds the programmed value, the frame is truncated and provided to the user application with a length error status (see 7.6 page 43).

When frame truncation happens, the receive FIFO write may stop prior to the actual truncation point. Hence the frame delivered to the client application can be shorter than the given `FRM_LENGTH`, but the truncation is always executed only when the limit is reached exactly. In addition, the last octets of a truncated frame can contain arbitrary data.

Another cause of frame truncation can be a receive FIFO almost full condition during reception, which is reported accordingly in the frame's receive status.

## RS Layer Fault Handling

### *Standard Fault Handling Behavior*

When the RS Layer detects a fault sequence on its receive interface, the transmitter is instructed to abort transmission, possibly truncating an outgoing frame. When a local fault sequence (9c-00-00-01) is detected, the transmitter is instructed to permanently transmit remote fault sequences. When remote fault sequence (9c-00-00-02) is detected, the transmitter permanently transmits idle.

When a fault is reported by the RS receive, the MAC stops serving the transmit FIFO until the fault situation clears.

The fault status is indicated with the toplevel pins `loc_fault/rem_fault` for local and remote fault respectively. In addition, the MAC's `STATUS` register (see Table 29 page 77) provides latched information of fault occurrences.

## MAC Transmit

### Overview

Ethernet Frame transmission starts when the Transmit FIFO holds enough data or a pause condition should be reported to the remote (pause frame trigger event). Once a transfer has started, the transmit engine performs the following tasks:

- Generate Preamble and SFD field before Frame transmission
- Optional, when in Link Pause Mode, generate Pause frames if the receive FIFO reports a congestion or if the pause generation pin `ff_tx_pfc_xoff(0)` is asserted
- When in PFC Mode, generate PFC frames if the pause generation pins `ff_tx_pfc_xoff(7:0)` are asserted
- When in Link Pause Mode, suspend Ethernet Frame transfer (XOFF) if a non zero Pause Quanta is received from the MAC receive path (optional)
- Overwrite MAC source address (optional)

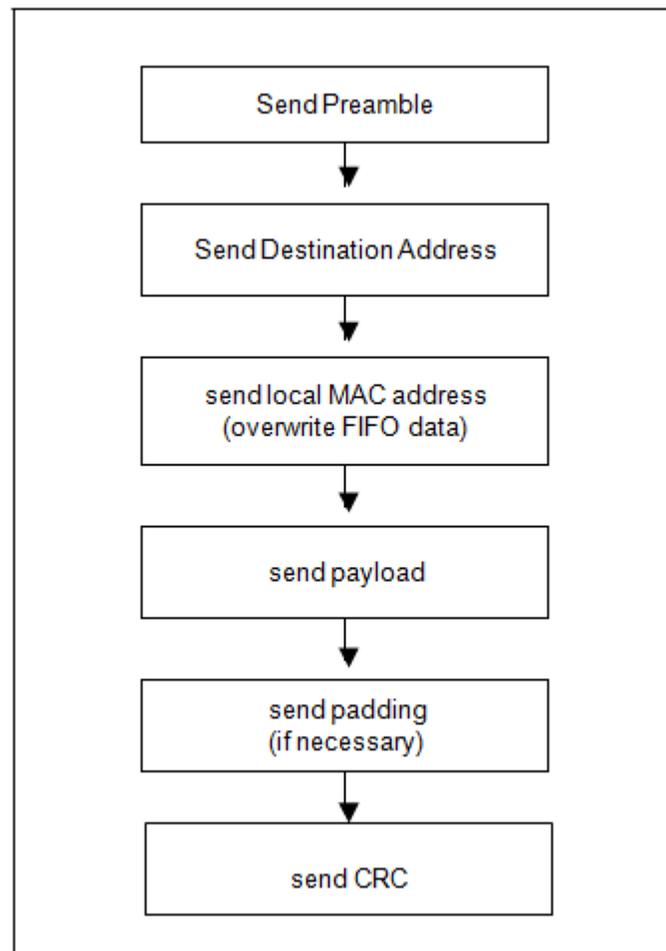


Figure 11 – MAC Transmit Overview

## Frame Payload Padding

The IEEE specification defines a minimum frame length of 64 Bytes. It is the responsibility of the application to ensure frames with at least 60 octets if CRC should be appended, or 64 octets if it includes CRC, are written into the transmit FIFO.

If shorter frames are provided, they are padded automatically by the MAC to the minimum size of 60 octets before CRC. This will lead to correct minimum sized frames only if the MAC is instructed to append CRC (i.e. `ff_tx_crc`, is asserted). Otherwise the MAC may transmit a corrupt (short) frame.

Note that padding can append arbitrary data to the frame.

## MAC Address Overwrite

On each frame transferred from the Core transmit FIFO interface, the source MAC address is optionally replaced by the address programmed on the configuration registers `MAC_ADDR_0` and `MAC_ADDR_1` (if `COMMAND_CONFIG(TX_ADDR_INS)` set to '1') or is transparently forwarded to the Ethernet line (`COMMAND_CONFIG(TX_ADDR_INS)` set to '0').

## CRC-32 Calculation

The CRC-32 field is optionally generated and appended at the end of a frame if the frame is transmitted to the Core with the frame status bit `ff_tx_crc` set to '1'.

The CRC polynomial, as specified in the IEEE 802.3 standard, is:

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

The 32 bits of the CRC value are placed in the FCS field so that the  $X^{31}$  term is the right-most bit of the first octet. The CRC bits are thus transmitted in the following order:  $X^{31}$ ,  $X^{30}$ , ...,  $X^1$ ,  $X^0$ .

## Preamble Generation and Insertion

If the Core is configured to insert and extract User specific non-standard preambles, the Core inserts the preamble provided on the Core pins `ff_tx_preamble(55:0)` and adds a character in front to form the 8-Byte preamble block. The Reconciliation Sub-Layer eventually replaces that added character with the XGMII/CGMII Start control character. The first byte transmitted following the start character is `ff_tx_preamble(7:0)`.

If no custom preamble should be used, the input should be wired to a constant value of `0xd555555555555555` (SFD in MSB, all others `0x55`) for standard operation.

Note: Custom preambles are available for 10G modes or above only. When operating in 1G/SGMII the default preamble/SFD must be set always.

## Inter-Frame Gap

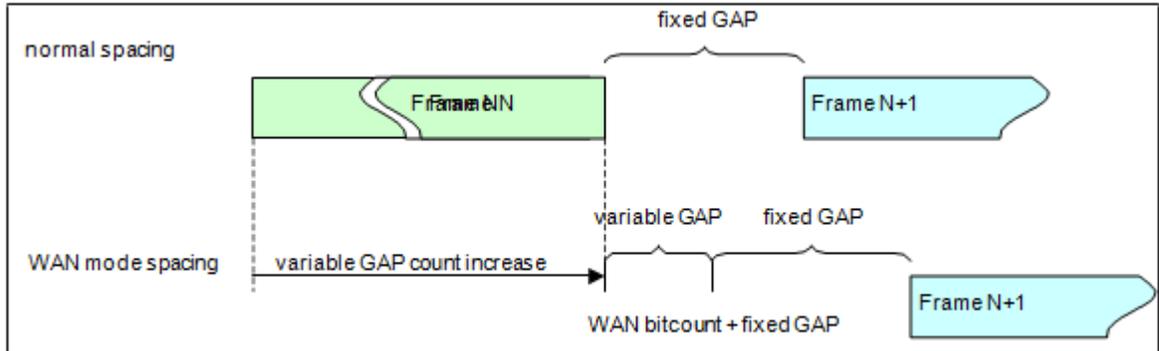
### *Fixed Frame Gap and Deficit Idle Counter (DIC)*

The IEEE standard specifies that between frames an inter-packet gap (IPG) of 96-Bit times (12 octets) is inserted. In addition, the frame Start character must always be aligned to an 8-Byte boundary (40/100G) or 4-Byte boundary (10G), starting with Lane 0.

To maintain the full throughput on the Ethernet line, the IEEE standard also specifies the optional Deficit Idle Count (DIC) mechanism. With DIC, the IPG can be optimized between 5

and 19 octets for 40/100G or 5 to 15 octets for 10G, to keep an average IPG of 12 octets and maintain the nominal maximum data rate.

The DIC mechanism sometimes inserts and deletes Idle characters to align the Start control character to a lane 0 boundary. The TX maintains a Deficit Idle Counter that represents the cumulative count of Idle characters deleted or inserted. The DIC is incremented for each Idle character deleted, decremented for each Idle character inserted, and the decision of whether to insert or delete Idle characters is constrained by bounding the DIC to a minimum value of zero and maximum value of 7 for 40/100G and 3 for 10G.



**Figure 12 – Inter Frame Gap**

### *WAN Mode Variable Inter Frame Gap*

For the 10G MAC only, a special WAN mode is available (see COMMAND\_CONFIG). In WAN mode, and to get an average bandwidth of 9.95328Gbps compatible with OC-192c streams, the MAC Core constantly adapts the gap between Frames. As for the LAN Mode, the minimum gap is 96-Bit time (Fixed Gap in “Figure 13”) and the gap increases with the number of bits transmitted on the line.

The 96 bit-time (12 octets) gap is increased by one 8 bit-time (octet) for every 104 bits transmitted on the line. For example when a 64-Byte Frame is transmitted, the minimum gap with the next Frame is 19 octets (12 Fixed Gap + 7 Dynamic Gap calculated from the Frame length).

Additional gap is introduced to align the start-of-frame control character being sent always on the XGMII interface Lane 0. The DIC mechanism (see above) is used to compensate for adding too much IPG due to the lane 0 alignment.

# Interface Signal List

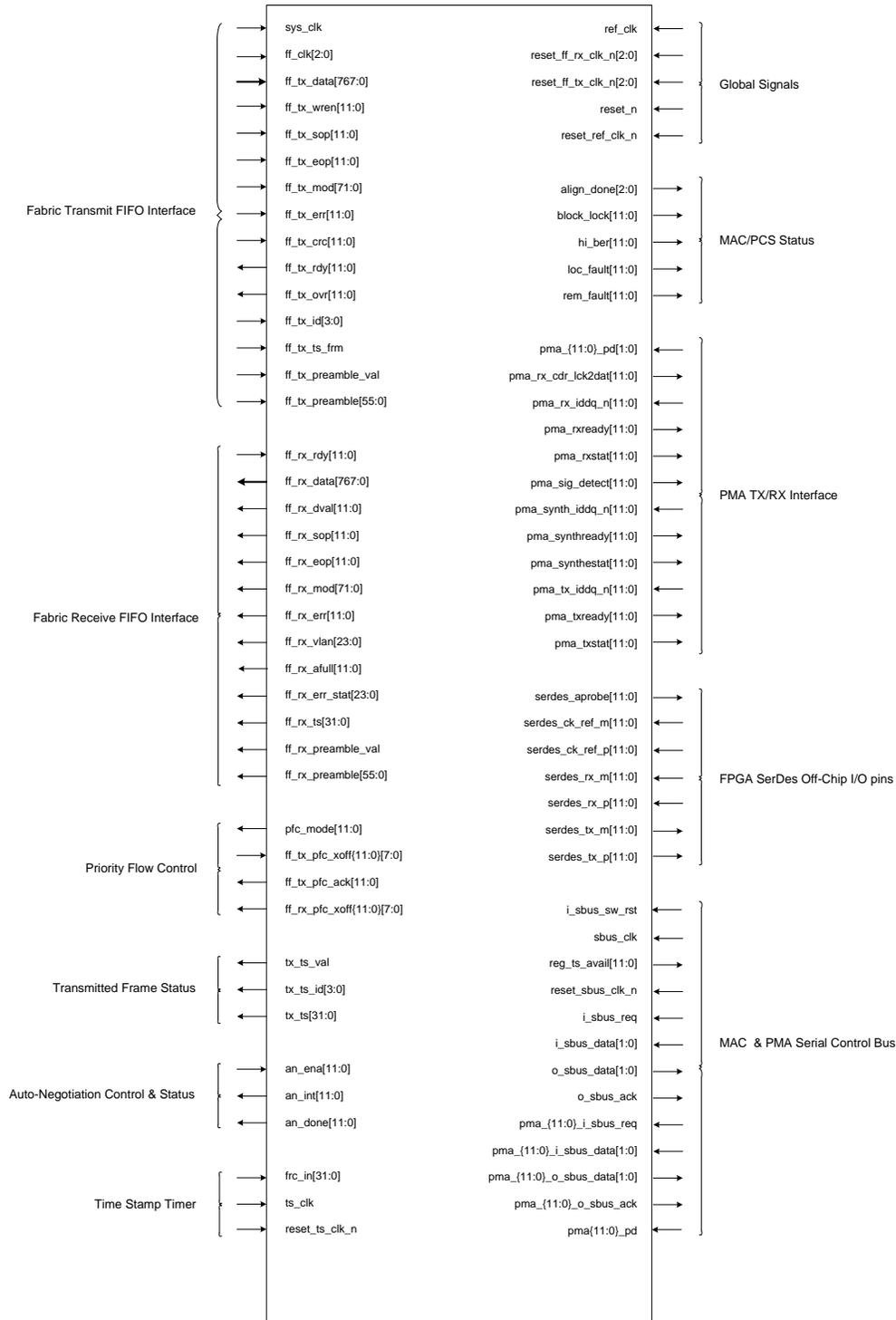


Figure 13: Interface Signal List

# Interface Signal Descriptions

## Global Signals

Table 3 – Global Signals

Signal Name	Mode	Description
ref_clk	In	Reference Clock. Must be at least 652 MHz +/- 100ppm.
pma_rst_hard_n	In	Active low hard reset for all SerDes channels.
reset_ref_clk_n	In	Active low reset signal for ref_clk clock domain.
reset_ts_clk_n	In	Active low reset signal for ts_clk clock domain (if ts_clk is used, see below).
reset_ff_tx_clk_n[2:0]	In	Active low reset signal for ff_tx_clk[2:0] clock domains.
reset_ff_rx_clk_n[2:0]	In	Active low reset signal for ff_rx_clk[2:0] clock domains.

## Receive FIFO Interface

Table 4 – Receive FIFO Interface (All synchronous to sys\_clk at user interface)

Signal Name	Mode	Description
sys_clk	In	FPGA fabric System Clock. All the FIFO signals are synchronized on sys_clk rising edge. The minimum frequency for the system clock is a function of the interface rate: 10G: at least 155 MHz 40G: at least 177 MHz 100G: at least 295 MHz
ff_clk[2:0]	In	FIFO Reference Clocks per FIFO group. Can be set to any value required to get the required bandwidth on the FIFO 768-Bit interface. Can be independent from the System clock, however the FIFO clock has to be at least 400.0 MHz to allow for the start of frame to be always aligned on lane 0 for 40G mode and may be relaxed to at least 320.51 MHz for the 10G or 100G modes.
ff_rx_data [767:0]	Out	Receive Data. Refer to the 'Fabric FIFO Interface' for the details of how to map this 768-bit bus to the individual 10/40/100G channels.
ff_rx_dval[11:0]	Out	Receive Data Valid per segment. Asserted (set to 1) by the MAC to indicate that data on ff_rx_data, ff_rx_sop, ff_rx_eop, ff_rx_mod, ff_rx_err, ff_rx_vlan, ff_rx_err_stat and ff_rx_ts is valid.
ff_rx_sop[11:0]	Out	Receive Start of Frame per segment. Set to 1 when the first data word of a frame is driven on ff_rx_data.
ff_rx_eop[11:0]	Out	Receive End of Frame per segment. Set to 1 when the final data word of a frame is driven on ff_rx_data.
ff_rx_mod [(12*6)-1:0]	Out	Receive Word Modulo per segment. Indicates which portion of the final frame word is valid: <u>Bit 543210</u> 000000 : ff_rx_data [63:0] / [255:0] / [511:0] is valid (for 10/40/100G) 000001 : ff_rx_data [7:0] is valid 000010 : ff_rx_data [15:0] is valid 000011 : ff_rx_data [23:0] is valid 000100 : ff_rx_data [31:0] is valid 000101 : ff_rx_data [39:0] is valid

		<p>000110: <code>ff_rx_data[47:0]</code> is valid  000111: <code>ff_rx_data[55:0]</code> is valid  001000: <code>ff_rx_data[63:0]</code> is valid (40/100G only)  001001: <code>ff_rx_data[71:0]</code> is valid (40/100G only)  .....  .....  011110: <code>ff_rx_data[239:0]</code> is valid (40/100G only)  011111: <code>ff_rx_data[247:0]</code> is valid (40/100G only)  100000: <code>ff_rx_data[255:0]</code> is valid (100G only)  100001: <code>ff_rx_data[263:0]</code> is valid (100G only)  .....  .....  111110: <code>ff_rx_data[495:0]</code> is valid (100G only)  111111: <code>ff_rx_data[503:0]</code> is valid (100G only)</p>
<code>ff_rx_err[11:0]</code>	Out	Receive Frame Error per segment. Asserted with the frame's final data word to indicate that an error was detected when receiving the frame. The type of error is coded on the status word <code>ff_rx_err_stat[23:0]</code> .
<code>ff_rx_rdy[11:0]</code>	In	Receive Ready per segment. The <code>ff_rx_rdy</code> signal is asserted high to indicate to the Receive FIFO that it may transmit <code>ff_rx_data</code> . Deasserting the <code>ff_rx_rdy</code> signal allows the user to pause the reception of <code>ff_rx_data</code> , but the Receive FIFO Almost Full flag, <code>ff_rx_afull</code> , must be monitored to prevent the Receive FIFO from overflowing, resulting in a loss of data.
<code>ff_rx_afull[11:0]</code>	Out	Receive FIFO Almost Full flag per segment. The <code>ff_rx_afull</code> flag is asserted high when there are 15 or fewer empty locations remaining in the Receive FIFO.
<code>ff_rx_vlan</code> [(12*2)-1:0]	Out	Receive Frame VLAN Indication per segment. Asserted with the frame's final data word to indicate that the current frame implements a VLAN Tag (bit 0 asserted) or a Stacked VLAN Tag (bit 1 asserted).
<code>ff_rx_err_stat[23:0]</code>	Out	<p>Receive Frame Status and Error Indications. A status word is available for each received frame with the final word (<code>ff_rx_eop = 1</code>). The receive frame status <code>ff_rx_err_stat[23:0]</code> can be mapped to any segment of FIFO group 0 (10G: SEG0-3, 40G: SEG0, 100G: SEG0).</p> <p><code>_stat[0]</code>: Set to 1 when the current frame has an invalid length, i.e. less than 64 octets or more than the maximum value defined in register <code>FRM_LENGTH</code>, or a mismatch between the payload received and the payload length given within the frame was detected.</p> <p><code>_stat[1]</code>: Set to 1 to indicate that the current frame was received with a CRC-32 error.</p> <p><code>_stat[2]</code>: Set to 1 to indicate that the current frame was received with a wrong or unexpected code during frame reception reported by the reconciliation sub-layer function.</p> <p><code>_stat[3]</code>: Set to 1 to indicate that the current frame was truncated because of a FIFO exception (Overflow).</p> <p><code>_stat[4]</code>: Set to 1 to indicate that a Sequence Error (Local or Remote) was received from the PHY device during frame reception.</p> <p><code>_stat[5]</code>: Set to 1 to indicate that the current Frame implements a Stacked VLAN Tag.</p> <p><code>_stat[6]</code>: Set to 1 to indicate that the current frame was received with an Error control character on the XL/CGMII interface.</p> <p><code>_stat[7]</code>: Set to 1 to indicate that the current Frame implements a VLAN Tag.</p> <p><code>_stat[23:8]</code>: Payload length of the frame. This is a copy of the length/type field as it is found within the frame. For VLAN</p>

		frames it is a copy of the length/type field following the 4-octet VLAN tag.
ff_rx_ts[31:0]	Out	Receive Timestamp Value. Time when the MAC detected the SFD of the frame. Valid with ff_rx_sop. The receive timestamp ff_rx_ts[31:0] can be mapped to any segment of FIFO group 0 (10G: SEG0-3, 40G: SEG0, 100G: SEG0).
ff_rx_preamble_val	Out	Receive Frame Preamble Valid Indication. Asserted (set to 1) to indicate that a valid preamble is available on pin ff_rx_preamble[55:0]. Note: Since the signal ff_rx_preamble_val is not a pulse, the application should sample ff_rx_preamble[55:0] when ff_rx_sop is set to 1.
ff_rx_preamble[55:0]	Out	Receive Frame Preamble. 56-Bit preamble of the current frame, valid when ff_rx_preamble_val is set to 1. The receive frame preamble ff_rx_preamble[55:0] can be mapped to any segment of FIFO group 0 (10G: SEG0-3, 40G: SEG0, 100G: SEG0).

## Transmit FIFO Interface

Table 5 – Transmit FIFO Interface (all synchronous to ff\_tx\_clk[2:0])

Signal Name	Mode	Description
ff_tx_data [767:0]	In	Transmit Data. Refer to the 'Fabric FIFO Interface' for the details of how to map this 768-bit bus to the individual 10/40/100G channels.
ff_tx_wren[11:0]	In	Transmit Data Write Enable per segment. Asserted by the Transmit application to write data into the MAC Core FIFO.
ff_tx_sop[11:0]	In	Transmit Start of Frame per segment. Set to 1 when the first data word of a frame is driven on ff_tx_data.
ff_tx_eop[11:0]	In	Transmit End of Frame per segment. Set to 1 when the final data word of a frame is driven on ff_tx_data.
ff_tx_mod [(12*6)-1:0]	In	Transmit Word Modulo per segment. Indicates which portion of the final frame word is valid: <u>Bit 543210</u> 000000 : ff_tx_data[63:0] / [255:0] / [511:0] is valid (for 10/40/100G) 000001 : ff_tx_data[7:0] is valid 000010 : ff_tx_data[15:0] is valid 000011 : ff_tx_data[23:0] is valid 000100 : ff_tx_data[31:0] is valid 000101 : ff_tx_data[39:0] is valid 000110 : ff_tx_data[47:0] is valid 000111 : ff_tx_data[55:0] is valid 001000 : ff_tx_data[63:0] is valid (40/100G only) 001001 : ff_tx_data[71:0] is valid (40/100G only) ..... ..... 011110 : ff_tx_data[239:0] is valid (40/100G only) 011111 : ff_tx_data[247:0] is valid (40/100G only) 100000 : ff_tx_data[255:0] is valid (100G only) 100001 : ff_tx_data[263:0] is valid (100G only)

		..... ..... 111110: ff_tx_data[495:0] is valid (100G only) 111111: ff_tx_data[503:0] is valid (100G only)
ff_tx_err[11:0]	In	Transmit Frame Error per segment. Asserted with the frame's final data word to indicate that the transmitted frame is invalid. When ff_tx_err is asserted, the frame is transmitted to the XL/CGMII interface with a transmit error.
ff_tx_crc[11:0]	In	Transmit CRC Append per segment. If set, a CRC field will be appended to the frame. If cleared, the MAC does not append a FCS to the frame. This signal must be valid during ff_tx_sop assertion.
ff_tx_rdy[11:0]	Out	Transmit FIFO Ready per segment. When the ff_tx_rdy signal is high, the user may send ff_tx_data to the transmit FIFO of the addressed segment. When the ff_tx_rdy signal is low, the transmit interface FIFO is almost full and the user must stop sending data to the ff_tx_data port.
ff_tx_ovr[11:0]	Out	Transmit Overflow Error per segment. Asserted (set to 1) as long as an overflow condition persists on the application FIFO per segment. This signal can be used to trigger an application interrupt.
ff_tx_id[3:0]	In	Frame Identifier. An arbitrary value that must be valid during ff_tx_eop assertion that can be used to mark specific frames. The frame identifier ff_tx_id[3:0] can be mapped to any segment of FIFO group 0 (10G: SEG0-3, 40G: SEG0, 100G: SEG0). The value is available at the transmit status pins tx_ts_id[3:0] when the frame has been transmitted to the PHY. Has no further meaning inside the MAC besides the forwarding to the transmit status.
ff_tx_ts_frm	In	IEEE 1588 Timing Frame Indication that must be valid during ff_tx_eop assertion. The frame indication ff_tx_ts_frm can be mapped to any segment of FIFO group 0 (10G: SEG0-3, 40G: SEG0, 100G: SEG0). Allows the application to mark specific 1588 event frames. When set for a frame, its transmit timestamp will be returned on tx_ts[31:0]
ff_tx_preamble_val	In	Transmit Frame Preamble Valid Indication. Should be asserted with ff_tx_sop to indicate that the current frame should be sent with the preamble provided on ff_tx_preamble[55:0].
ff_tx_preamble[55:0]	In	Transmit Frame Preamble. 56-Bit preamble inserted in the current frame, must be valid when ff_tx_preamble_val is set to 1. The transmit frame preamble ff_tx_preamble[55:0] can be mapped to any segment of FIFO group 0 (10G: SEG0-3, 40G: SEG0, 100G: SEG0).

## PMA TX/RX Interface

Table 6 – PMA TX/RX Interface

Signal Name	Mode	Description
pma_{11:0}_pd{1:0}	Input	Individual Lane power down state control: 11 – Coma Power State (P2) - Everything but receiver detection + signal detect is disabled. Minimum power consumption 10 – Slumber Power State (P1) - PLL is enabled. CDR and Driver are disabled. Increased power consumption 01 – Doze Power State (P0s) - Everything but transmit driver is enabled. Apprx. 20-30mW saved from the Wake state. 00 – Wake Power State (P0) - Everything is Asserted. Maximum power consumption.
pma_rx_cdr_lck2dat[11:0]	Output	CDR Lock to Data status indicator 0 – CDR is locked to reference clock 1 – CDR is locked to data
pma_rx_iddq_n[11:0]	Input	Individual Receive Lane disable/power-down control 1 – Non-PD State - all analog circuits are enabled 0 – PD State - all analog circuits are disabled. Analog Receiver impedance is placed into High Impedance mode.
pma_rxready[11:0]	Output	Receive Lane Ready Status Signal: 0 – RX Lane is not ready for data transmission 1 – RX Lane is ready for data transmission
pma_rxstat[11:0]	Output	Receive Lane State Transition Status. Indicates when the PMA has completed a requested state transition: 0 – RX Lane has not completed its state change 1 – RX Lane has completed its state change
pma_sig_detect[11:0]	Output	Receiver Data Detection Status Signal. 0 – Indicates no/invalid data on receive pins 1 – Indicates valid data on receive pins
pma_synth_iddq_n[11:0]	Input	Individual Synthesizer disable/power-down control 1 – Non-PD State - all analog circuits are enabled 0 – PD State - all analog circuits are disabled
pma_synthready[11:0]	Output	SYNTH Ready Status Signal: 0 – SYNTH is not ready for data transmission 1 – SYNTH is ready for data transmission
pma_synthstat[11:0]	Output	SYNTH state transition status. Indicates when the PMA has completed a requested state transition: 0 – SYNTH has not completed its state change 1 – SYNTH has completed its state change
pma_tx_iddq_n[11:0]	Input	Individual Transmit Lane disable/power-down control: 1 – Non-PD State - all analog circuits are enabled 0 – PD State - all analog circuits are disabled

## Priority Flow Control Interface

Table 7 – Priority Flow Control Interface

Signal Name	Mode	Description
pfc_mode[11:0]	Out	Per segment Priority Flow Control Mode. For each of the 12 segments, this signal represents the setting of the PFC_MODE configuration register bit. See COMMAND_CONFIG Register Bit Definitions on page 81 for more details.
ff_tx_pfc_xoff{11:0}[7:0]	In	Per segment transmit flow control generate. When PFC Pause mode is enabled, for each of the 12 segments, an 8-bit input vector is used to signal the creation of PFC control frames. When Link Pause mode is enabled, Bit 0 of each segment is used only.
ff_tx_pfc_ack[11:0]	Out	Per segment Transmit Flow Control Acknowledge. Each segment provides an ACK back to the application when it samples the ff_tx_pfc_xoff inputs to indicate that a PFC/Pause control frame is about to be sent according to the provided status.
ff_rx_pfc_xoff [11:0][7:0]	Out	12 – 8bit bus interfaces on a per segment Receive Flow Control Status. For each of the 12 segments, an 8-bit vector indicating the current pause status for the 8 priorities based on the internal pause quanta counters that were set when a PFC control frame was received. When asserted, it indicates that a PFC pause condition is in place for that priority and the upstream core logic should not schedule further traffic for this class. When zero, this indicates the pause condition is no longer present and traffic can be scheduled for this class.  In Link Pause Frame mode, Bit 0 is asserted (set to 1) to indicate that the transmit path is paused as a result of a received XOFF Pause frame. The signal deasserts, when the pause timer has expired and the transmitter is allowed to transmit frames again.

## Auto-Negotiation Control and Status

Table 8 – Auto-Negotiation Control and Status (all synchronous to sbus\_clk)

Signal Name	Mode	Description
an_ena[11:0]	In	Per segment Default Auto-Negotiation Enable. If '1', the auto-negotiation process will start after reset de-assertion for the respective segment. The application can also start the auto-negotiation process by writing the <code>KXAN_CONTROL.an_enable</code> bit with '1'.
an_int[11:0]	Out	Per segment Auto-Negotiation Page Received Interrupt. Asserted when a new page is received. Active only when the Page Received Interrupt pin is enabled by writing the <code>KXAN_CONTROL.page_rcv_int_en</code> bit with '1'. See Control Register Bits (KXAN_CONTROL) page 102 for details.
an_done[11:0]	Out	Per segment Auto-Negotiation Done. If '1', the auto-negotiation process has completed.

## Serial Bus Interface

Table 9 – Serial bus Interface (all synchronous to sbus\_clk)

Signal Name	Mode	Description
sbus_clk	In	Register Access Clock.
reset_sbus_clk_n	In	Active low reset signal for the Ethernet MAC register interface controlled by the sbus_clk clock domain.
i_sbus_data[1:0]	In	Carries read/write indication, address and data to write
i_sbus_req	In	Asserted for 9-cycles in case of read and for 11-cycles in case of write
i_sbus_sw_rst	In	Active high reset signal for the Serial Bus Interface controlled by the sbus_clk clock domain.
o_sbus_ack	Out	Acknowledgment from register i/f once read or write is completed thru SBUS. During write it is valid for one cycle to indicate the end of the transfer. This is asserted for 4-cycles to validate 8-bit data at the end of read.
o_sbus_data[1:0]	Out	Contains read data for 4-cycles when o_sbus_ack is asserted.
pma_[11:0]_i_sbus_data[1:0]	In	Input serial data interface for PHY PMA internal registers.
pma_0_i_sbus_req	In	Request signal for starting a read or write transaction on the serial interface for PHY PMA internal registers.
pma_0_o_sbus_ack	Out	Acknowledge signal for a complete read or write operation on the serial interface for PHY PMA internal registers.
pma_0_o_sbus_data[1:0]	Out	Output serial data interface for PHY PMA internal registers.

## SerDes (off-chip) Interface

Table 10 – FPGA SerDes Off-Chip I/O pins (all synchronous to serdes\_ck\_ref\_\*)

Signal Name	Mode	Description
serdes_ck_ref_m[11:0]	In	Management Data Clock.
serdes_ck_ref_p[11:0]	In	Management Data Input.
serdes_rx_m[11:0]	In	Management Data Output.
serdes_rx_p[11:0]	In	Management Data Output Enable (active low).
serdes_tx_m[11:0]	Out	Management Data transaction is ongoing
serdes_tx_p[11:0]	Out	Management Data transaction is ongoing

## Transmitted Frame Status

Table 11 – Transmitted Frame Status (all synchronous to ff\_tx\_clk[0])

Signal Name	Mode	Description
tx_ts_val	Out	Timestamp Valid. Asserted for one ref_clk clock cycle to indicate that tx_ts_id and tx_ts are valid. The timestamp can be mapped to any segment of FIFO group 0 (10G: SEG0-3, 40G: SEG0, 100G: SEG0). The signal is not asserted for internally generated Pause frames.

tx_ts_id[3:0]	Out	Frame Identifier. The value that was provided by the application at ff_tx_id[3:0] for the frame.
tx_ts[31:0]	Out	Frame Timestamp Value. Transmit timestamp value for the frame sent with the sequence number set on tx_ts_id.

## Timestamp Timer

Table 12 – Timestamp Timer (all synchronous to ts\_clk)

Signal Name	Mode	Description
ts_clk	In	Clock for the timestamp timer. Maximum frequency is 1/4 of the ref_clk to allow for proper clock domain synchronization.
frc_in[31:0]	In	Current value of an externally provided free running counter (FRC). Used for timestamping. The value typically expresses nanoseconds within the current one second interval, hence ranging from 0 to 10 <sup>9</sup> -1.
reg_ts_avail[11:0]	Out	Per segment Register TS_TIMESTAMP contains new data. The pin is the direct representation of the STATUS.ts_avail register bit: It asserts when a new timestamp is stored and it becomes deasserted when writing the STATUS.ts_avail bit with '1'.

## MAC/PCS Status Indications

Table 13 – MAC/PCS Status Indications (all synchronous to ref\_clk)

Signal Name	Mode	Description
loc_fault[11:0]	Out	Local fault state indication from MAC RS layer per segment.
rem_fault[11:0]	Out	Remote fault state indication from MAC RS layer per segment.
block_lock[11:0]	Out	Lane block lock indication (if 1). In 10G Mode and SGMII PCS active it indicates proper sync to 10B comma characters.
align_done[2:0]	Out	Multi-lane alignment done indication. Relevant in 40G/100G mode only. Uses bits 0,1,2 when operating in 40G mode for segments 0,4,8 respectively. Uses bit 0 only when operating in 100G mode.
hi_ber[11:0]	Out	High Bit Error rate indication from HIBER monitor for each lane.

# Implementation with ACE

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## Software/Hardware Requirements

The ACE software suite has the following system requirements:

- Platform:
  - 64-bit Linux (RHEL/Centos)
  - 64-bit Windows 7
- Memory Requirements by design size:
  - Minimum: 12 GB
  - Recommended for < 100k LUTs: 16 GB
  - Recommended for 100k – 400k LUTs: 24 GB
  - Recommended for > 400k LUTs: 32 GB

## Creating an Ethernet Instance

The ACE design suite documentation outlines how to install the software, launch it, and setup your first project. Refer to ACE documentation to learn how to setup your first project.

## Configuring the 10/40/100G Ethernet Core

The 10/40/100G Ethernet core is automatically generated from a design wizard in the ACE design tool suite. Simply launch the IP wizard, select the 10/40/100G Ethernet core from the list of available IP and a configuration wizard will prompt the user for configuration options.

The options that are presented will be based on the number of lanes you chose and the speed of each lane. Only certain combinations are available and the wizard will restrict the user to only those 5 modes available:

*Table 14 – Five modes of operation*

Mode	10G Channels	40G Channels	100G Channels
1	12	0	0
2	2	0	1
3	0	3	0
4	4	2	0
5	8	1	0

The Speedster22i 10/40/100G Ethernet MAC IP wizard configuration menu is shown below. The “Target Device” is selected by the user from a series of drop-down menus that will limit the options in successive option choices. If we were to select zero 100G lanes we could select two 40G and four 10G lanes. These options are bound by the five modes of operation defined above.

Once the lane configuration are chosen, the user will need to define the clock speeds for the reference clock, serial bus interface clock; and the transmit and receive clock for the lane groups. Groups of four lanes share a common clock source.

## Speedster22i 10/40/100G Ethernet Overview

This page contains the top-level, global properties that govern the structure and base configuration of the Ethernet interface wrapper.

✓	Target Device	AC22iHD1000-F53
✓	Number of 100G Lanes	1
✓	Number of 40G Lanes	0
✓	Number of 10G Lanes	0
Total Lanes Used on MAC 10/12		
Lane Configuration and Placement		
✓	Lane Configuration	100G-E-E
✓	MAC Block	MAC0
MAC Clock Settings		
✓	MAC Ref Clock (MHz)	655
✓	MAC FIFO Clock 0 (MHz)	325
✓	MAC FIFO Clock 1 (MHz)	325
✓	MAC FIFO Clock 2 (MHz)	325
✓	MAC System Clock (MHz)	250
✓	MAC Timestamp Clock (MHz)	100
✓	Serial Bus Clock (MHz)	100

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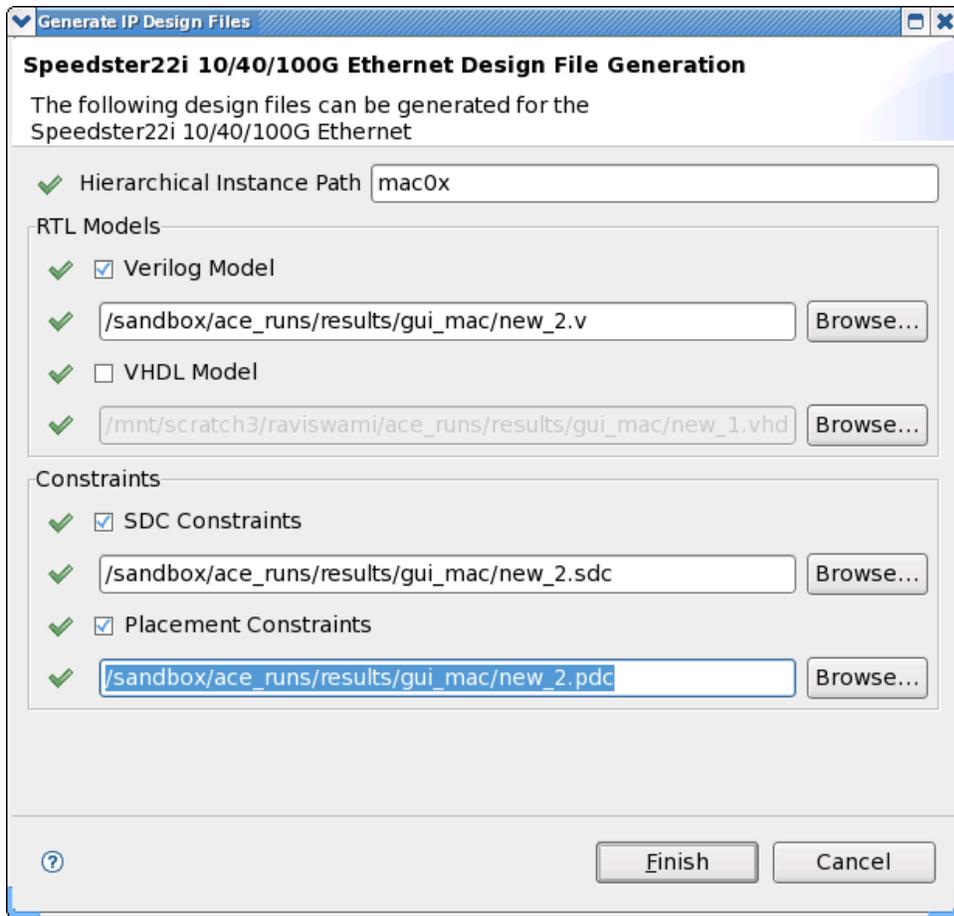
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**Figure 14: 10/40/100G Ethernet MAC IP Wizard**

Additionally, the user will need to select the placement of the core. The MAC cores will be located at the bottom of the device. The individual device datasheets designate the location and number of each core.

Lastly, the user will chose the SerDes lane configuration that determines the positions of the chosen channels. Once the IP configuration options are entered, the user can select the “Generate” button at the bottom of the dialog box and a new screen will appear with options regarding the type and location of the files it will generate. First the user selects the hierarchical instance



**Figure 15:** *Generate IP Design Files dialog box*

## FPGA Fabric Interface

The fabric interface is the primary interface for the user to connect his design to the 10/40/100 Gigabit Ethernet core. The other side of the core is the dedicated PHY SerDes interface.

The user accesses the Ethernet core via asynchronous transmit and receive FIFO's. These FIFO's have programmable watermarks that are configured by the user. All transfers to/from the user application are handled independently of the Core operation, and the Core provides a simple interface to user applications based on a FIFO almost-full flag.

## PHY Interface

The Physical Interface (PHY) side of the core is hardwired to specific external SerDes I/O pins. These pin locations will vary with device and package options, so refer to the datasheet for your device for these locations. The PHY interface is highly configurable with complex interactions between configuration registers. The Achronix IP wizard will manage these configuration options for you. However a small subset of these configuration registers will be exposed to the user. Refer to the detailed specification on internal PHY PMA registers later in this document. Each of the twelve PHY channels has a dedicated serial bus for configuring registers.

## Interfacing the Ethernet Core to the FPGA Fabric

### Data

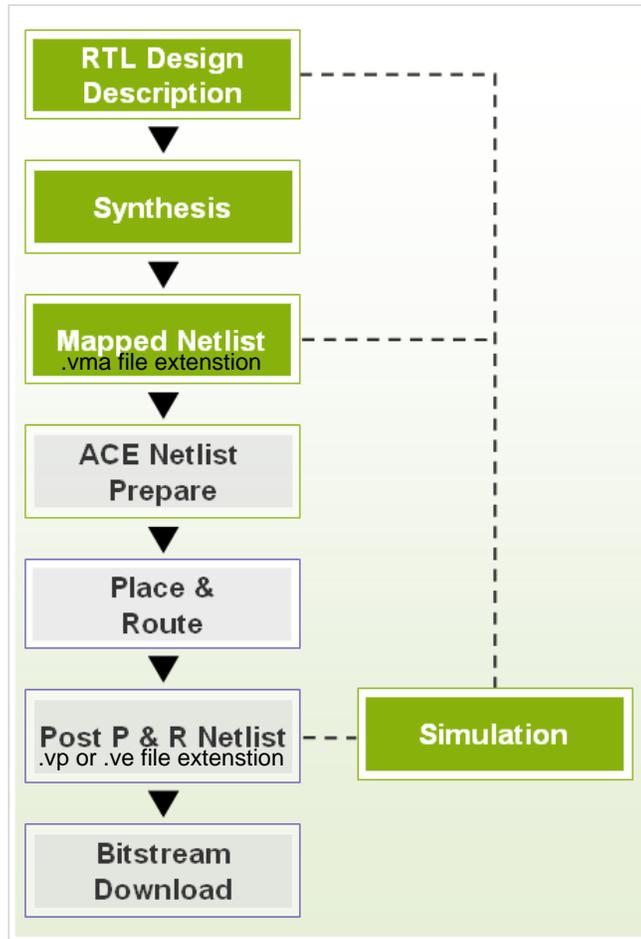
The data connections are labeled (`ff_tx_*` & `ff_rx_*`). In order to support any packet size, the transmit and receive interface clocks have to run faster than the nominal required clock frequency ( $100\text{Gbps}/512\text{b} = 195.31\text{ MHz}$ ). In 100G mode of operation, worst case is 65-byte packets, which require two 64-byte words at the user interface to the Ethernet block. Therefore, for 100G mode, the minimum required transmit/receive interface clock rate is 295 MHz. In the 10G and 40G modes that have narrower interfaces per lane, the data packs more efficiently, so the required transmit/receive clock rates are lower at 155 MHz. and 177 MHz. each. There is a simple flow control interface to user application based on a FIFO flag scheme.

### Serial Bus Interface

All internal registers for in the Ethernet core are configurable though a series of 13 serial bus interfaces. There is one for each for the 12 SERDES channels and one for the MAC/PCS core itself.

### Simulation

In addition to synthesis and place and route functions, the Achronix software flow also supports various stages of simulation.



**Figure 16: Simulation Flow**

Software simulation can be done pre-tool chain at the functional RTL level, post-synthesis at the gate level, and post-route at the Achronix technology specific level.

Throughout the flow, various checkpoints can be done to insure that the design functionality is kept intact. Figure 16 shows what files are generated at each step and how they are used in the simulation framework.

At the RTL Design Description level, the FPGA designer’s behavioral RTL description is compiled by the simulator.

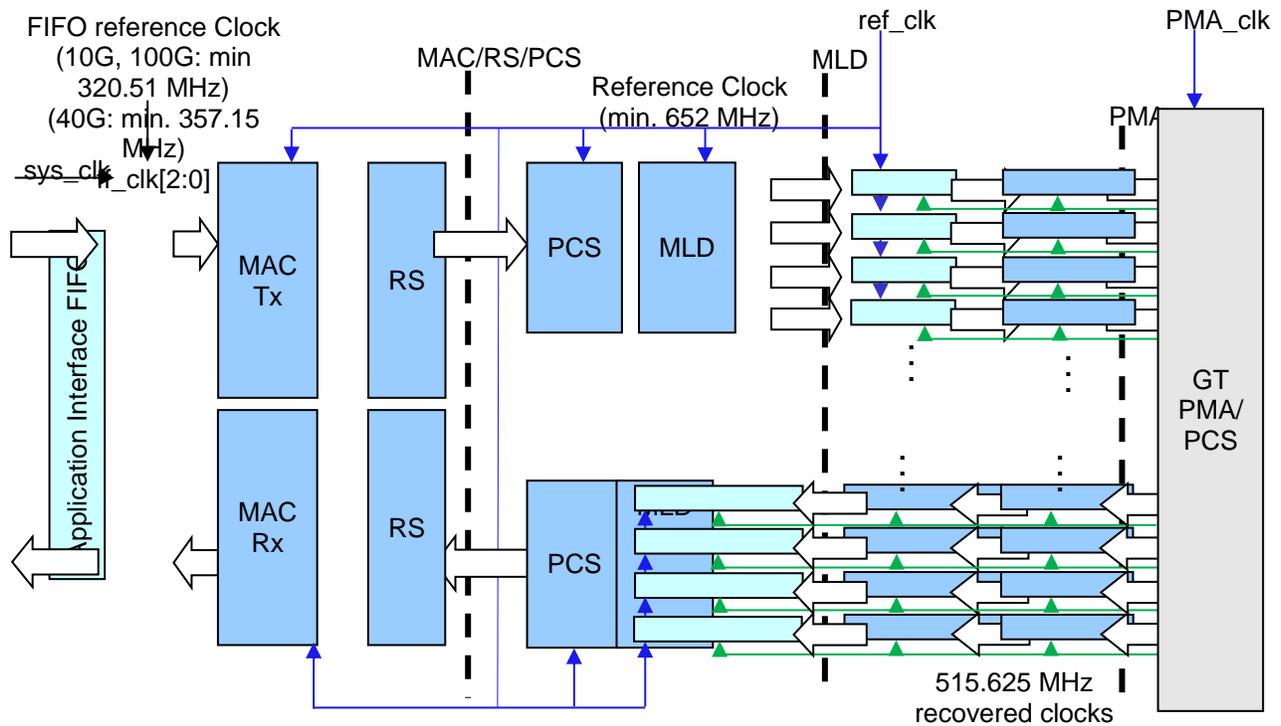
At the Mapped Netlist level, the output of the synthesis tools (Synplify Pro™) is used. This is the synchronous gate-level constructs that Achronix Speedster22i understands. It is a Verilog netlist file that has have a \*.vma extension.

At the Post P&R Netlist level, the output of the Achronix CAD Environment (ACE) will generate a \*\_routed.vp or \*\_routed.ve netlist for simulation. This will exist in the project and active implementation directory under “*output*”. This file is encrypted using the IEEE STD 1364-2005 Verilog encryption standard, but this file can be decrypted correctly by supported simulators.

# Clock Distribution

The clock frequency of the SerDes interface depends on the selected SerDes datapath width (synthesis option). The ACE GUI allows the user to pick one of several frequencies.

The Figure below shows the system clock distribution for the 10/40/100 Gigabit Ethernet MAC and PCS Core for the 20-Bit SerDes interface.



**Figure 17: System clock distribution for the 20-Bit SerDes interface**

On the FIFO interface, 3 individual clock signals are provided for both transmit (ff\_tx\_clk[2:0]) and receive (ff\_rx\_clk[2:0]). When 100G mode of operation is selected, the clock signals ff\_tx\_clk[2:0] and ff\_rx\_clk[2:0] and their respective reset lines have to be driven from the same clock and reset sources. The system clock distribution diagram below shows an example implementation for the external clock and reset multiplexers.

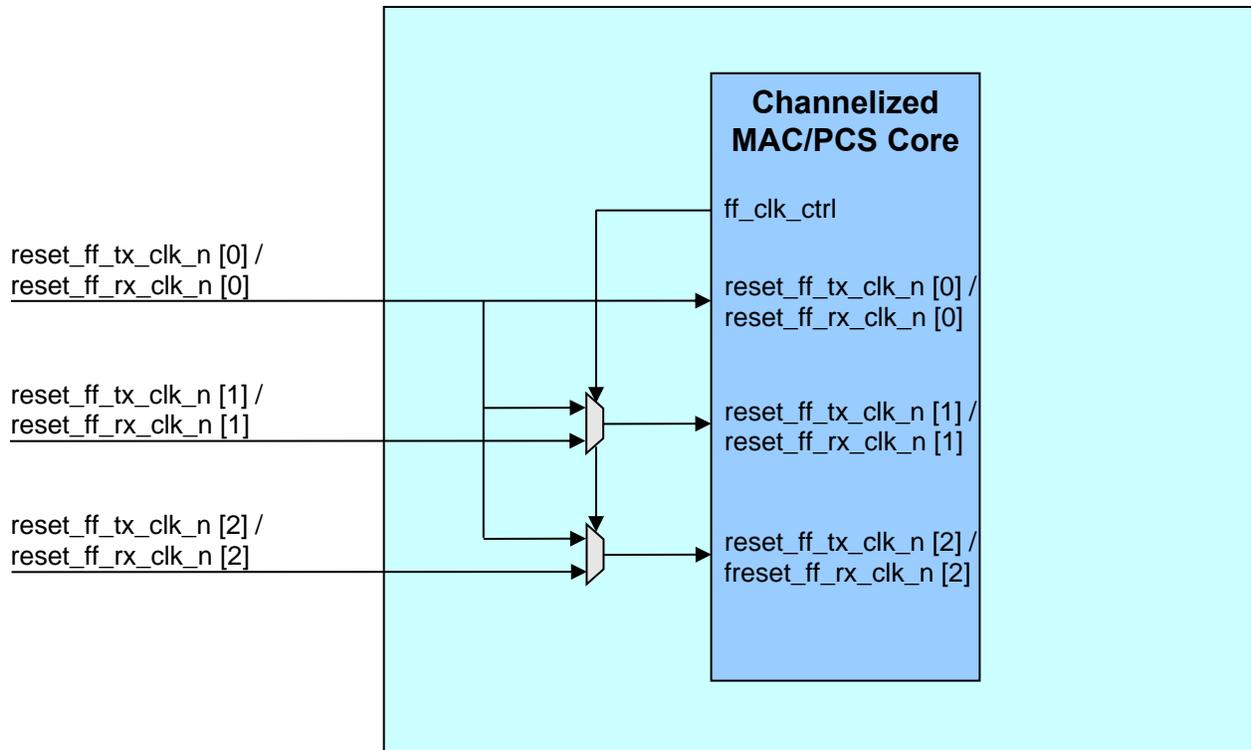


Figure 18: Example implementation for the FIFO clock and reset multiplexers

# Reset Considerations

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## MAC Soft Reset

When the MAC control register (COMMAND\_CONFIG) reset bit is written, the following functions are executed:

- Ongoing receive is terminated when next possible (graceful stop). A currently received frame may be written truncated to the FIFO.
- Transmit is disabled when next possible (graceful stop). This may lead to outgoing frame corruption (frame not terminated but transmit switches to idle immediately).
- Transmit and Receive are disabled (COMMAND\_CONFIG bits 0,1 reset to 0)
- Pause timers are all reset and pause conditions are cleared
- Receive Credit value is cleared (set 0)
- RX and TX FIFOs are reset
- Reset bit clears itself

## FIFO / Credit Counter Reset

The receive FIFO credit counter can be initialized by writing the credit value to the MAC register INIT\_CREDIT followed by a write to register CREDIT\_TRIGGER. This will enable the MAC to begin writing received frame data into the FIFO. As long as the CREDIT\_TRIGGER has not been written, all incoming frames will be discarded.

The credit counter can be re-initialized any time during operation. This will abort any ongoing receive activity and flush the receive FIFO (discarding frame data if any). Once the FIFO has been flushed normal receive resumes. An ongoing transaction on the application interface will be terminated cleanly by producing a final word with EOP and error being asserted to the application.

## PCS Reset

When the PCS control register (CONTROL1) reset bit is written, the following functions are executed:

- Alignment is lost (for 40G and 100G PCS layers) which eventually leads to local fault indication to the MAC on XL/CGMII
- Alignment FIFOs are flushed (for 40G and 100G PCS layers)
- All error counters are reset to 0
- Reset bit clears itself

When the reset is issued in 40G mode, the reset causes the 4 lanes of the segment to be reset. When the reset is issued in 100G mode, the reset causes the 10 lanes used to be reset.

## FPGA I/O Ring Resets

The Speedster22i FPGA has dedicated resets in its I/O ring that are allocated to hard IP blocks, including the 10/40/100G Ethernet MAC. These resets are detailed in the *Clock and Reset User Guide* (UG27).



The MAC\_ACX\_SYNCHRONIZER\_MODE can be set to the following

*Table 16 – MAC\_ACX\_SYNCHRONIZER\_MODE Parameter Settings*

<b>Value</b>	<b>Operation</b>
0	Separate ACX_SYNCHRONIZER per clock input. Total resets used, 3 per Tx, 3 per Rx.
1	One ACX_SYNCHRONIZER per Tx and Rx input. Total resets used 1 per Tx, 1 per Rx.
2	No internal ACX_SYNCHRONIZERS used. User controls numbers of individual reset implemented.

### Other Shared Resets

If more than one MAC is instantiated, then it is possible to share common resets between them to further reduce the I/O ring reset usage:

*Table 17 – Common Resets*

<b>Signal Name</b>	<b>Can be Shared</b>	<b>Requirements</b>
pma_rst_hard_n	Yes	None
reset_ref_clk_n	Yes	Common ref_clk
reset_ts_clk_n	Yes	Common ts_clk
reset_ff_tx_clk_n[2:0]	Yes	Common ff_tx_clk
reset_ff_rx_clk_n[2:0]	Yes	Common ff_rx_clk

The minimum number of I/O ring resets that can be achieved is five per MAC and five in total if all resets were then shared between two MACs.

# Fabric FIFO Interface

## Overview

The following table shows the segment definition and datapath bit assignments for each configuration.

Table 18 – Modes of Operation

Configuration	Segment ID	Datapath Bits	Clocks
1-12 x 10G	SEG0 – SEG11	[63:0] = SEG0 [127:64] = SEG1 [191:128] = SEG2 [255:192] = SEG3 [319:256] = SEG4 [383:320] = SEG5 [447:384] = SEG6 [511:448] = SEG7 [575:512] = SEG8 [639:576] = SEG9 [703:640] = SEG10 [767:704] = SEG11	ff_clk[0] = SEG0-3 ff_clk[1] = SEG4-7 ff_clk[2] = SEG8-11
1 x 100G, 1-2 x 10G	SEG0, SEG10-11	[511:0] = SEG0 [703:640] = SEG10 [767:704] = SEG11	ff_clk[2:0] = SEG0 ff_clk[2] = SEG10-11
1-3 x 40G	SEG0, SEG4, SEG8	[255:0] = SEG0 [511:256] = SEG4 [767:512] = SEG8	ff_clk[0] = SEG0 ff_clk[1] = SEG4 ff_clk[2] = SEG8
1-4 x 10G, 1-2 x 40G	SEG0-3, SEG4, SEG8	[63:0] = SEG0 [127:64] = SEG1 [191:128] = SEG2 [255:192] = SEG3 [511:256] = SEG4 [767:512] = SEG8	ff_clk[0] = SEG0-3 ff_clk[1] = SEG4 ff_clk[2] = SEG8
1-8 x 10G, 1 x 40G	SEG0-7, SEG8	[63:0] = SEG0 [127:64] = SEG1 [191:128] = SEG2 [255:192] = SEG3 [319:256] = SEG4 [383:320] = SEG5 [447:384] = SEG6 [511:448] = SEG7 [767:512] = SEG8	ff_clk[0] = SEG0-3 ff_clk[1] = SEG4-7 ff_clk[2] = SEG8

### Transmit FIFO Interface Block Diagram

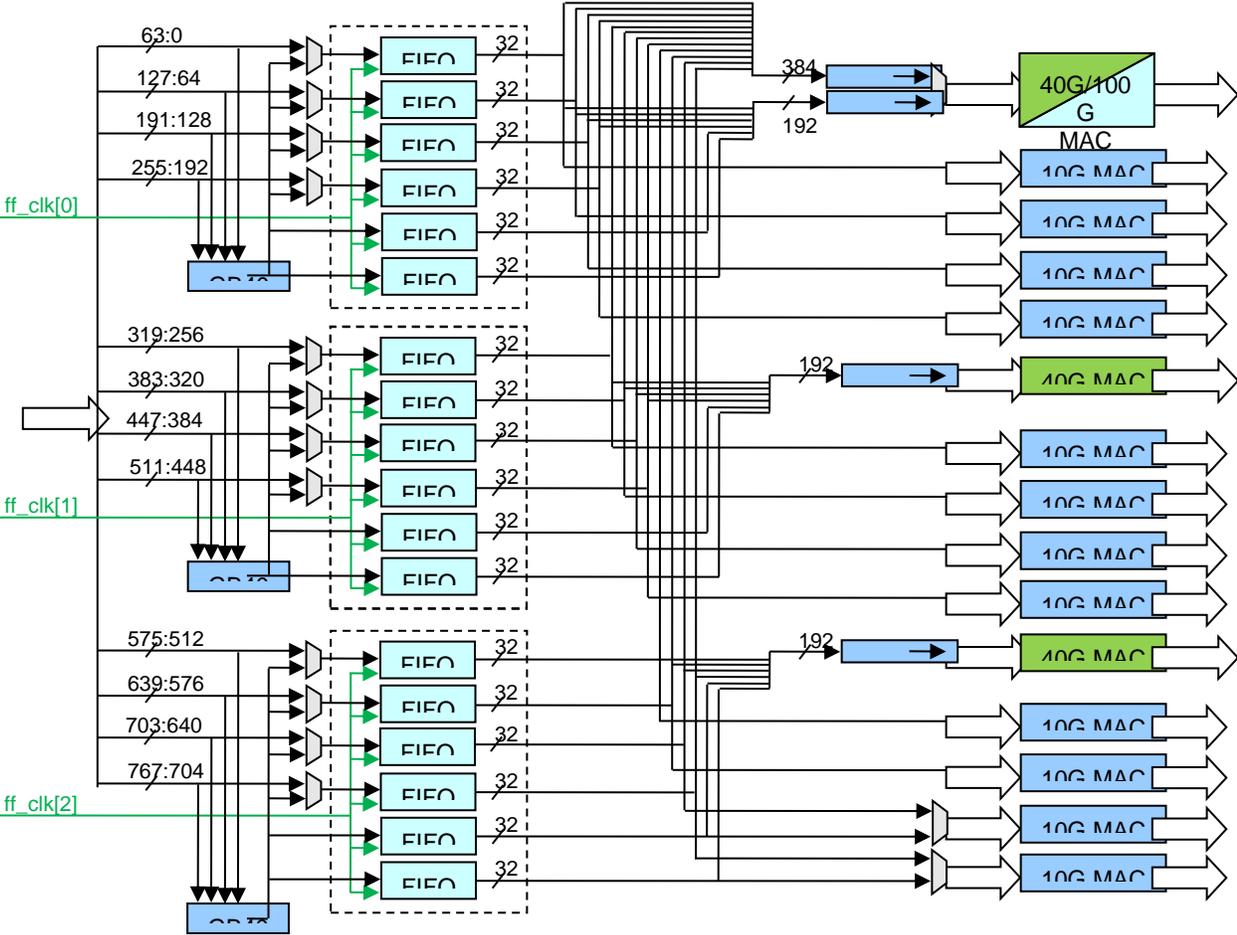


Figure 19: Transmit FIFO Interface Block Diagram

## Receive FIFO Interface Block Diagram

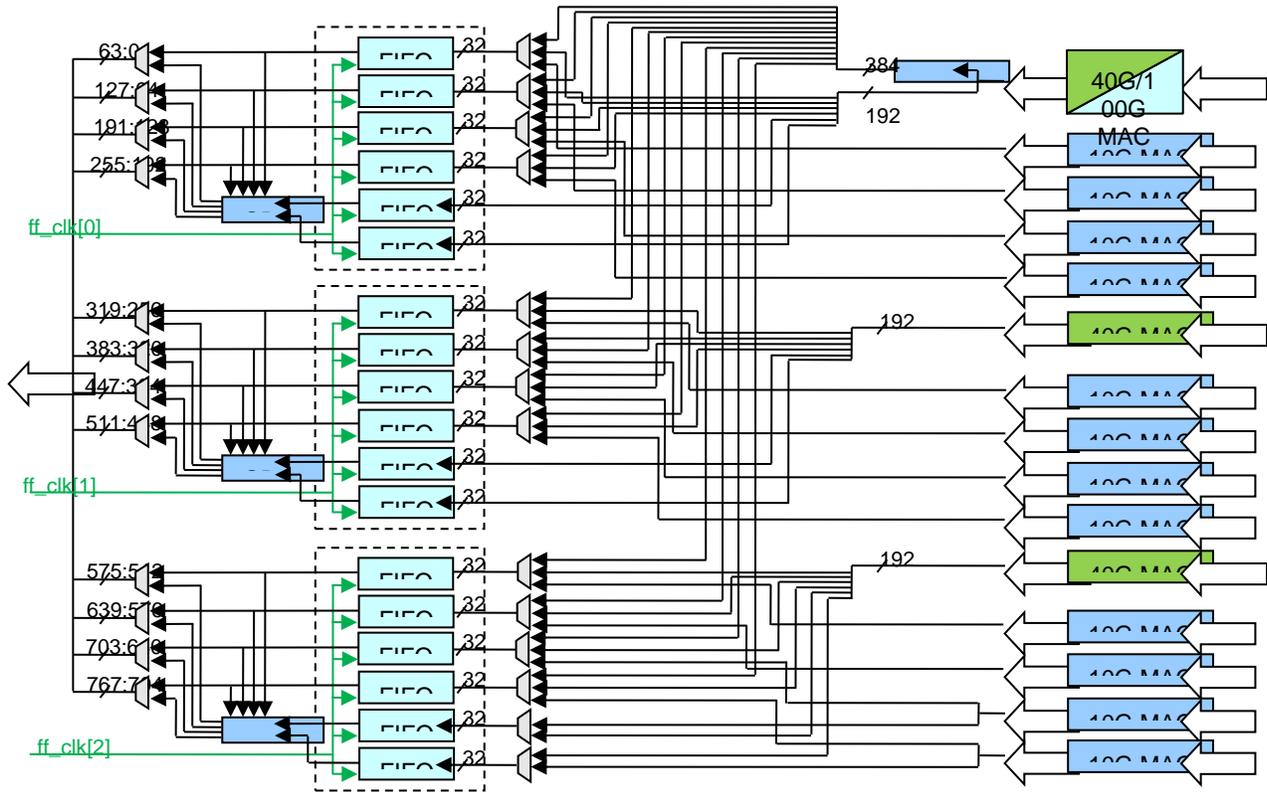


Figure 20: Receive FIFO Interface Block Diagram

## Credit Handling

The following figure provides an overview of the credit based application interface.

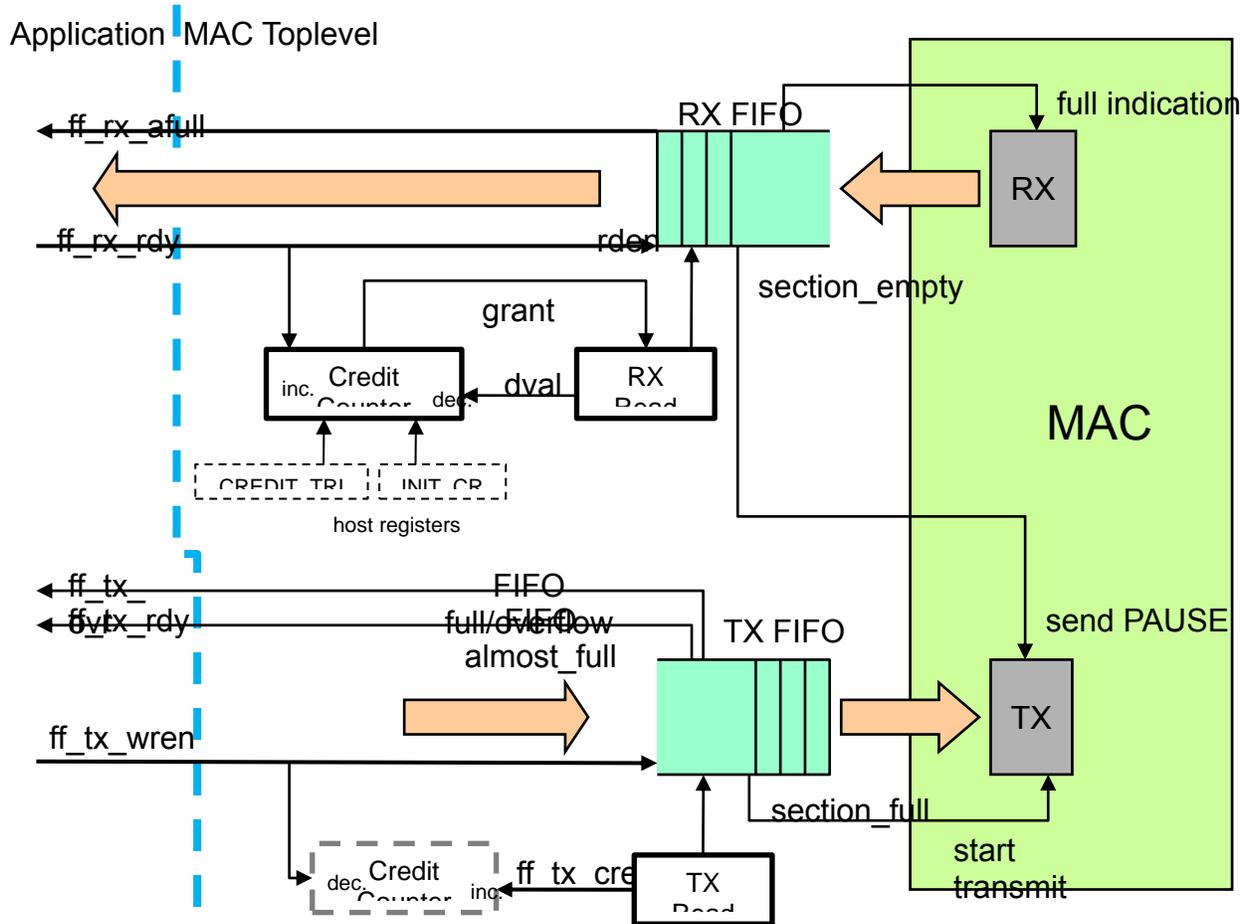


Figure 21: Credit based application interface

### Receive Direction: FIFO to Application

Internally, the receive datapath FIFO implements a credit counter which defines how many words the FIFO is allowed to deliver to the application. The credit counter is initialized by the application at startup, to the maximum burst acceptable by the application (see registers INIT\_CREDIT and CREDIT\_TRIGGER).

Once the credit counter has been initialized, the FIFO will provide data to the application as long as it has credits available and the `ff_rx_rdy` signal is asserted. The user asserts `ff_rx_rdy` to signal to the receive interface that it has consumed the data presently at the `ff_rx_data` output. The user should monitor the `ff_rx_afull` flag if it is not able to continuously read the received data. Alternatively, if the application can guarantee it is always operating faster than the MAC will receive data, it may choose to permanently keep the `ff_rx_rdy` signal high.

## Transmit Direction: Application to FIFO

On transmit, it is the responsibility of the application to monitor the `ff_tx_rdy` signal. The user may only transfer data to the transmit FIFO when the `ff_tx_rdy` signal is high. When the transmit FIFO deasserts the `ff_tx_rdy` signal, the user must stop sending data within the next 8 cycles or the transmit FIFO may overflow. The user may vary the maximum number of writes allowed after the deassertion of the `ff_tx_rdy` signal by changing the threshold value of the transmit FIFO's `ff_tx_rdy` almost-full flag.

## Data Structure

The data structure defined in the following tables for the FIFO interface must be respected to ensure proper data transmission on the Ethernet line.

Table 19 – 100G FIFO Interface Data Structure

	511	504	503	496	...	55	48	47	40	39	32	31	24	23	16	15	8	7	0
word 0	byte 63		byte 62			byte 6		byte 5		byte 4		byte 3		byte 2		byte 1		byte 0	
word 1	byte 127		byte 126			byte 70		byte 69		byte 68		byte 67		byte 66		byte 65		byte 64	
...	...																	...	

Table 20 – 40G FIFO Interface Data Structure

	255	248	247	240	...	55	48	47	40	39	32	31	24	23	16	15	8	7	0
word 0	byte 31		byte 30			byte 6		byte 5		byte 4		byte 3		byte 2		byte 1		byte 0	
word 1	byte 63		byte 62			byte 38		byte 37		byte 36		byte 35		byte 34		byte 33		byte 32	
...	...																	...	

Table 21 – 10G FIFO Interface Data Structure

	31	24	23	16	15	8	7	0	31	24	23	16	15	8	7	0
word 0	byte 7		byte 6		byte 5		byte 4		byte 3		byte 2		byte 1		byte 0	
word 1	byte 15		byte 14		byte 13		byte 12		byte 11		byte 10		byte 9		byte 8	
...	...						...		...						...	

Byte 0 is sent and received first to/from the line (byte 0 is sent on lane 0).

The size of a frame on the FIFO interface may not be a modulo of 512-bit, 256-bit or 64-bit for 100G, 40G or 10G mode of operation, respectively. Together with the last word of the frame, the valid byte(s) of data is (are) defined per segment by the interface signals `ff_tx_mod[5:0]` for transmit and `ff_rx_mod[5:0]` for receive, respectively.

Table 22 – 100G Transmit/Receive FIFO Interface Word Modulo Definition

<code>ff_tx_mod[5:0]</code> <code>ff_rx_mod[5:0]</code>	Valid Bytes
000000	<code>ff_tx_data[511:0]</code> <code>ff_rx_data[511:0]</code>
000001	<code>ff_tx_data[7:0]</code> <code>ff_rx_data[7:0]</code>

000010	ff_tx_data[15:0] ff_rx_data[15:0]
000011	ff_tx_data[23:0] ff_rx_data[23:0]
000100	ff_tx_data[31:0] ff_rx_data[31:0]
...	...
111110	ff_tx_data[495:0] ff_rx_data[495:0]
111111	ff_tx_data[503:0] ff_rx_data[503:0]

Table 23 – 40G Transmit/Receive FIFO Interface Word Modulo Definition

ff_tx_mod[5:0] ff_rx_mod[5:0]	Valid Bytes
000000	ff_tx_data[255:0], ff_rx_data[255:0]
000001	ff_tx_data[7:0], ff_rx_data[7:0]
000010	ff_tx_data[15:0], ff_rx_data[15:0]
000011	ff_tx_data[23:0], ff_rx_data[23:0]
000100	ff_tx_data[31:0], ff_rx_data[31:0]
...	...
011110	ff_tx_data[239:0], ff_rx_data[239:0]
011111	ff_tx_data[247:0], ff_rx_data[247:0]
100000 - 111111	invalid

**Note:** Only datapath bit assignment for segment 0 is shown. The bit assignments for segments 4 and 8 are defined accordingly.

Table 24 – 10G Transmit/Receive FIFO Interface Word Modulo Definition

ff_tx_mod[5:0] ff_rx_mod[5:0]	Valid Bytes
000000	ff_tx_data[63:0], ff_rx_data[63:0]
000001	ff_tx_data[7:0], ff_rx_data[7:0]
000010	ff_tx_data[15:0], ff_rx_data[15:0]
000011	ff_tx_data[23:0], ff_rx_data[23:0]
000100	ff_tx_data[31:0], ff_rx_data[31:0]
000101	ff_tx_data[39:0], ff_rx_data[39:0]
000110	ff_tx_data[47:0], ff_rx_data[47:0]
000111	ff_tx_data[55:0], ff_rx_data[55:0]
001000 - 111111	invalid

**Note:** Only datapath bit assignment for segment 0 is shown. The bit assignments for segments 1 to 11 are defined accordingly.

The user application does not have to manage the Ethernet frame formats in full detail. It needs to provide and will receive an Ethernet frame with the following structure:

- Ethernet MAC Destination Address
- Ethernet MAC Source Address
- Optional 802.1q VLAN Tag (VLAN Type and VLAN Info fields)
- Ethernet Length / Type field
- Payload

Frames on the FIFO interface do not contain preamble and SFD fields, which are inserted and discarded by the MAC on transmit and receive, respectively.

On receive, CRC can be stripped or passed through transparently. The Payload length must not exceed the value programmed in the Core configuration register FRM\_LENGTH.

On transmit, padding and CRC can be provided by the user application, or appended automatically by the MAC independent for each frame. No size restrictions apply.

**Note:** On transmit, if the Core configuration register TX\_ADDR\_INS is set to 1, the byte 6 to 11 of each frame can be set to any value since the MAC will overwrite the bytes with the MAC address programmed in registers MAC\_ADDR\_0 and MAC\_ADDR\_1.

Table 25 – FIFO Interface Frame Format

Byte Number	Field
0 to 5	Destination MAC Address
6 to 11	Source MAC Address
12 to 13	Length / Type Field
14 to N	Payload Data

VLAN tagged frames are also supported on both transmit and receive and implement additional information (VLAN Type and Info fields).

Table 26 – FIFO Interface VLAN Frame Format

Byte Number	Field
0 to 5	Destination MAC Address
6 to 11	Source MAC Address
12 to 15	VLAN Type and VLAN Info
16 to 17	Length / Type Field
18 to N	Payload Data

**Note:** The standard defines that the least significant byte of the MAC address is sent/received first, while for all other header fields (i.e. Length / Type, VLAN Tag, VLAN Info and Pause Quanta), the most significant byte is sent/received first.

## FIFO Interface Transmit Operation

The application layer drives data and controls based on the configuration mode. Note that for improved readability, the following figures only show data transfers for segment 0 in 100G mode of operation. For all other segments in other configuration modes, the corresponding signals need to be defined accordingly.

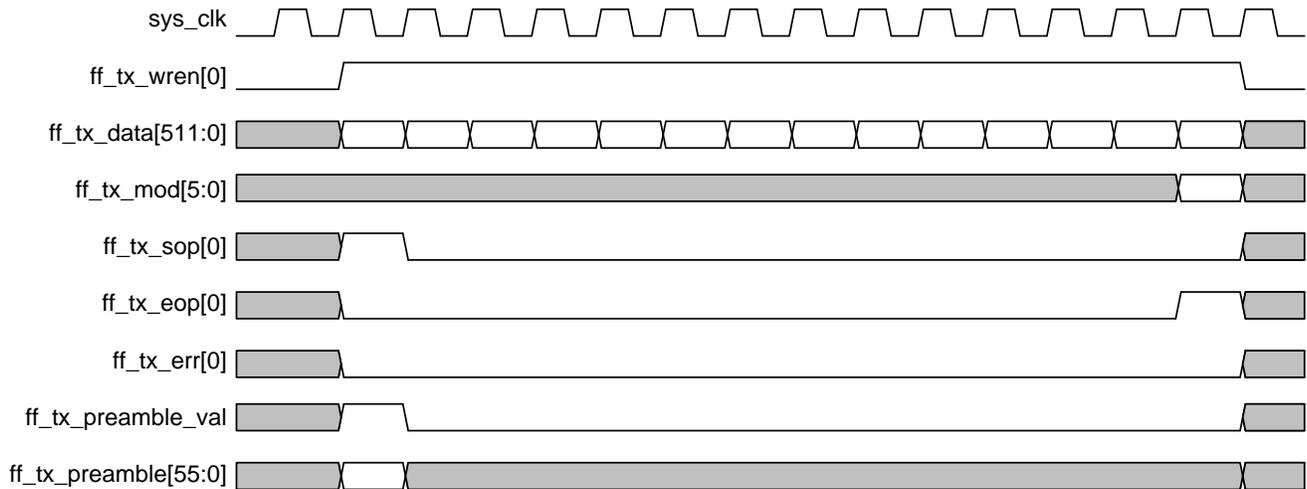
The user application asserts the FIFO write enable signal (`ff_tx_wren[0]`) to transfer data to the MAC Core Transmit FIFO segment 0.

The user application must send the first word of a frame with the start of frame signal (`ff_tx_sop[0]`) and the last word with the end of frame signal (`ff_tx_eop[0]`) asserted.

With the last word, a word modulo signal (`ff_tx_mod[5:0]`) must indicate which portion of the bus is valid. Also the error signal (`ff_tx_err[0]`) and CRC append signal (`ff_tx_crc[0]`) must be valid.

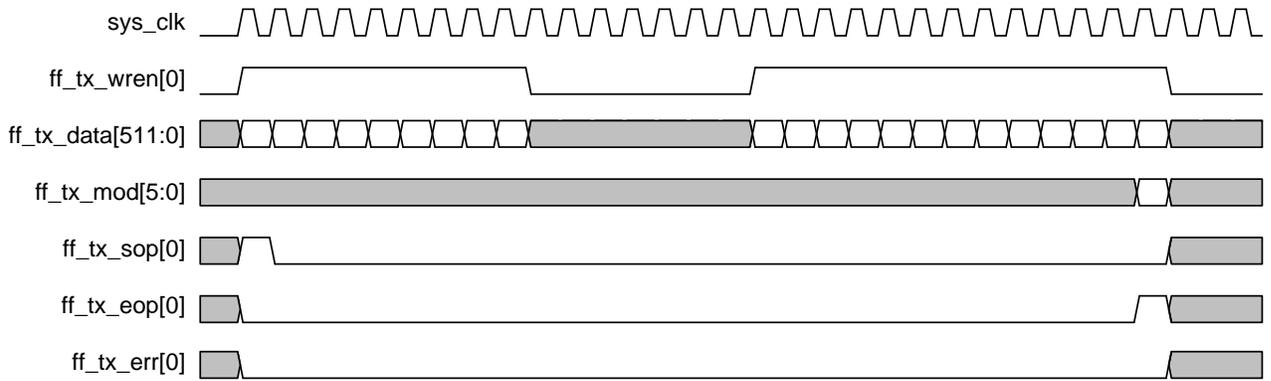
In case of a FIFO overflow, the Core asserts an overflow indication signal (`ff_tx_ovr[0]`) as long as the overflow condition persists.

Optionally a user specific preamble can be provided on `ff_tx_preamble[55:0]`. To indicate a valid preamble, `ff_tx_preamble_val` should be asserted together with `ff_tx_sop`. Note that the user defined preamble signals can only be mapped to any segment of FIFO group 0 (10G: SEG0-3, 40G: SEG0, 100G: SEG0). For all other segments, a user defined preamble can be specified through the control register interface.



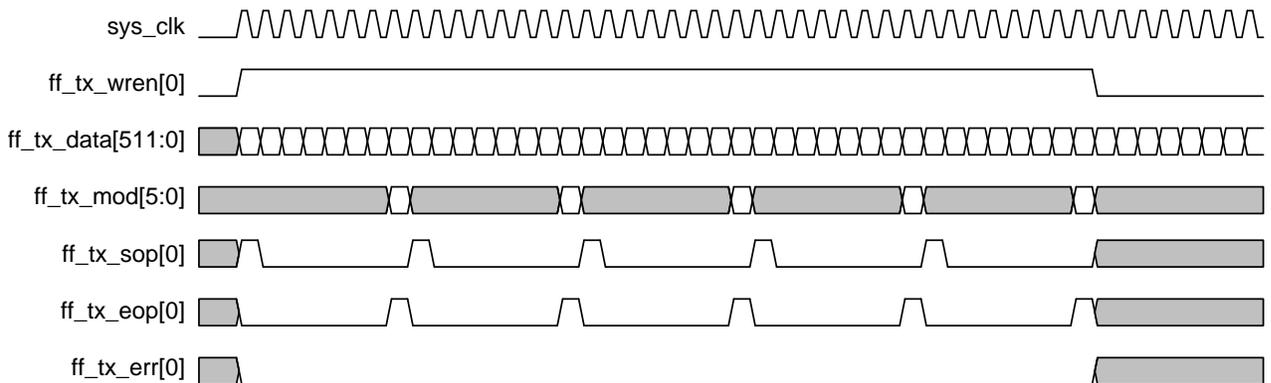
**Figure 22: FIFO Transmit Interface – Single Frame Transfer**

The user application can pause a frame transfer by de-asserting the data write enable signal (`ff_tx_wren[0]`) for one or multiple clock cycles. The data transfer stops immediately when `ff_tx_wren[0]` is de-asserted. The transfer immediately restarts when the user application re-asserts `ff_tx_wren[0]`.



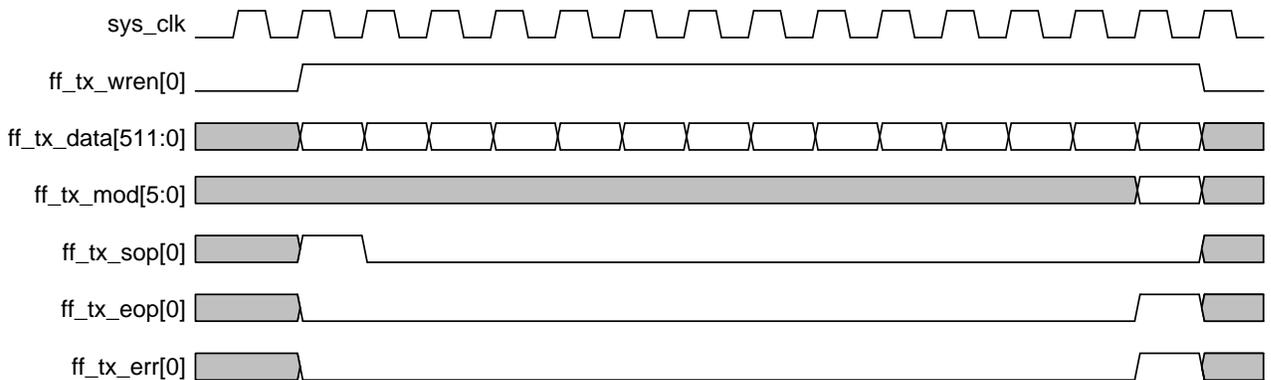
**Figure 23: FIFO Transmit Interface – Frame Transfer with User Application Pause**

By keeping the write enable signal (`ff_tx_wren[0]`) asserted between two consecutive frames, the user application can send back-to-back frames to the MAC Core.



**Figure 24: FIFO Transmit Interface – Back-to-Back Frame Transfer**

An error from the user application can be reported to the MAC Core by asserting `ff_tx_err[0]` at the end of a frame transfer to the FIFO [1]. The frame is then transferred to the PCS with an Error control code during the frame transfer.



**Figure 25: FIFO Transmit Interface – Frame Transfer with Error**

The transmit FIFO interface is protected against the following invalid signaling conditions:

- Missing SOP: All `ff_tx_wren` assertions prior to `ff_tx_sop` assertion are ignored
- Missing EOP: Assertion of `ff_tx_sop` within a frame (i.e. no previous EOP occurred) is ignored. This error condition is latched and will cause the frame to be sent with an error indication (i.e. as if the `ff_tx_err` signal was asserted)

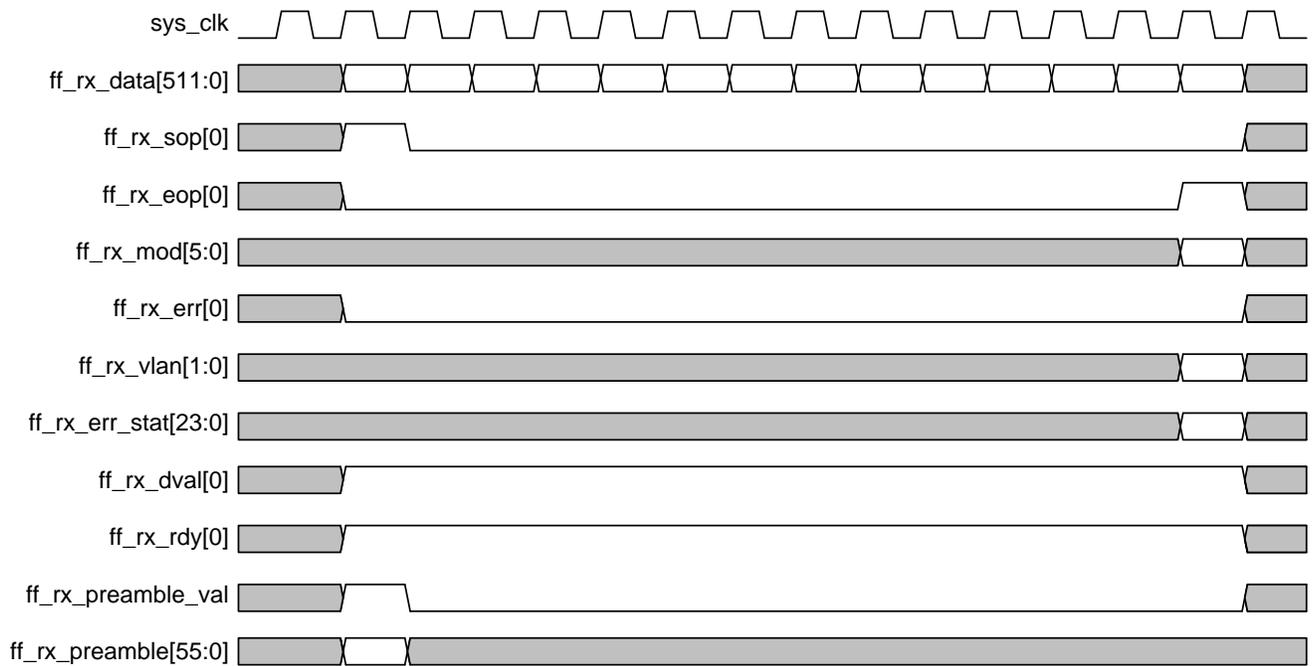
## FIFO Interface Receive Operation

On the receive FIFO interface, the MAC Core initiates frame transfers to the user application. The Core provides data on the FIFO interface based on the configuration. Note that for improved readability, the following figures only show data transfers for segment 0 in 100G mode of operation. For all other segments in other configuration modes, the corresponding signals are provided accordingly.

An internal credit counter is used to determine when the user application is ready to accept data. Upon writing of the credit trigger register, the credit counter is loaded with a programmable initial credit value. For each valid output cycle, the credit counter is debited by 1. When the credit counter reaches 0, the MAC Core stops sending data to the output FIFO. The credit counter is issued credits when the user reads the FIFO by asserting the `ff_rx_rdy[0]` signal. The assertion of `ff_rx_rdy[0]` signals to the FIFO interface that the user has consumed the `ff_rx_data` currently at the output of the FIFO. Upon the assertion of `ff_rx_rdy[0]`, the MAC Core resumes transmitting data to the user application. Valid data is associated with a valid signal (`ff_rx_dval[0]`). If the user application is fast enough to receive the output data continuously, it may tie the `ff_rx_rdy[0]` signal high and consume the FIFO output data when the valid signal `ff_rx_dval[0]` is high. If the user application needs to pause the output FIFO, it may deassert `ff_rx_rdy[0]`, while also monitoring the FIFO's almost-full flag `ff_rx_afull[0]` to prevent the output FIFO from overflowing.

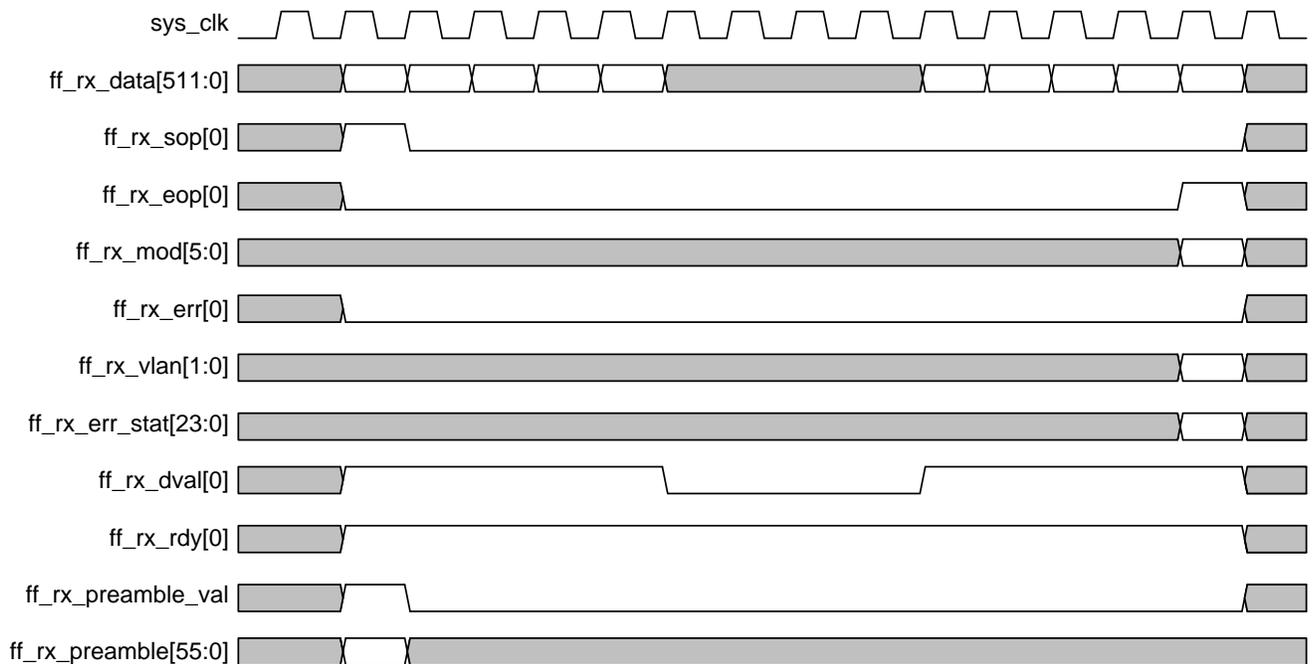
The MAC Core asserts a start of frame signal (`ff_rx_sop[0]`) at the beginning of a frame and an end of frame signal (`ff_rx_eop[0]`) with the last word of the frame. In addition, a word modulo (`ff_rx_mod[5:0]`) and status information (`ff_rx_err_stat[23:0]`) is provided with the last word of the frame. Note that the receive status `ff_rx_err_stat[23:0]` can only be mapped to any segment of FIFO group 0 (10G: SEG0-3, 40G: SEG0, 100G: SEG0).

Optionally a user specific frame preamble is provided on `ff_rx_preamble[55:0]`. To indicate a valid preamble, `ff_rx_preamble_val` is asserted together with `ff_rx_sop[0]`. Note that the user defined preamble signals can only be mapped to any segment of FIFO group 0 (10G: SEG0-3, 40G: SEG0, 100G: SEG0).



**Figure 26: FIFO Receive Interface – Single Frame Transfer**

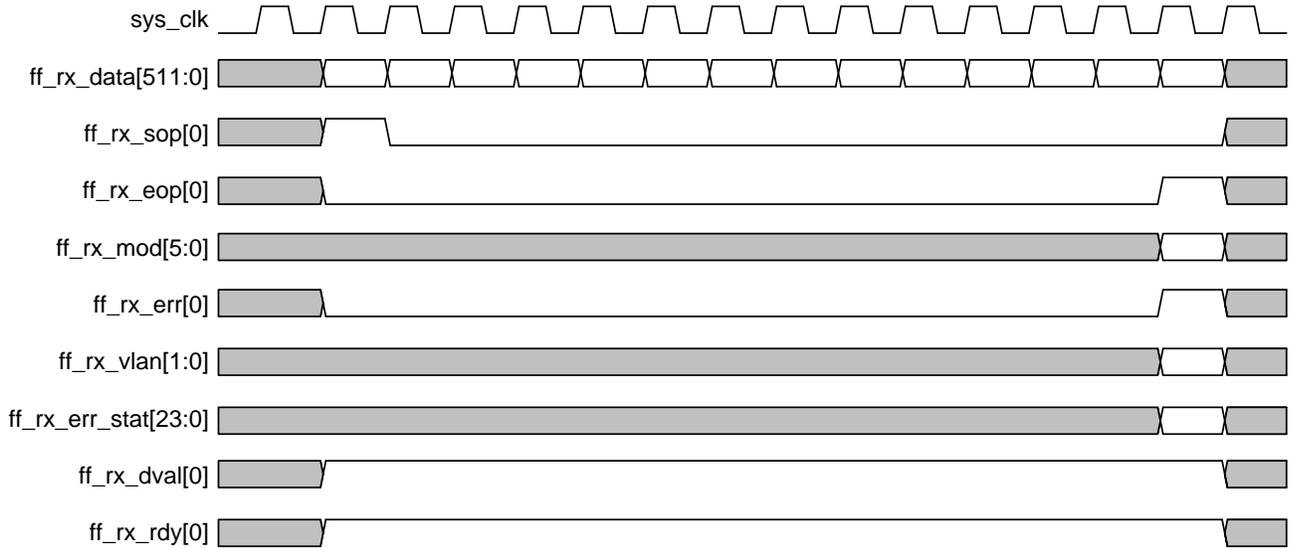
A frame transfer is stopped when the internal credit counter reaches 0. When the user application is able to accept data again, the credit update signal is asserted by the user application, which increments the internal credit counter. When the credit counter is non-zero, the MAC Core restarts the data transfer.



**Figure 27: FIFO Receive Interface – Frame Transfer with data valid signal not continuously high**

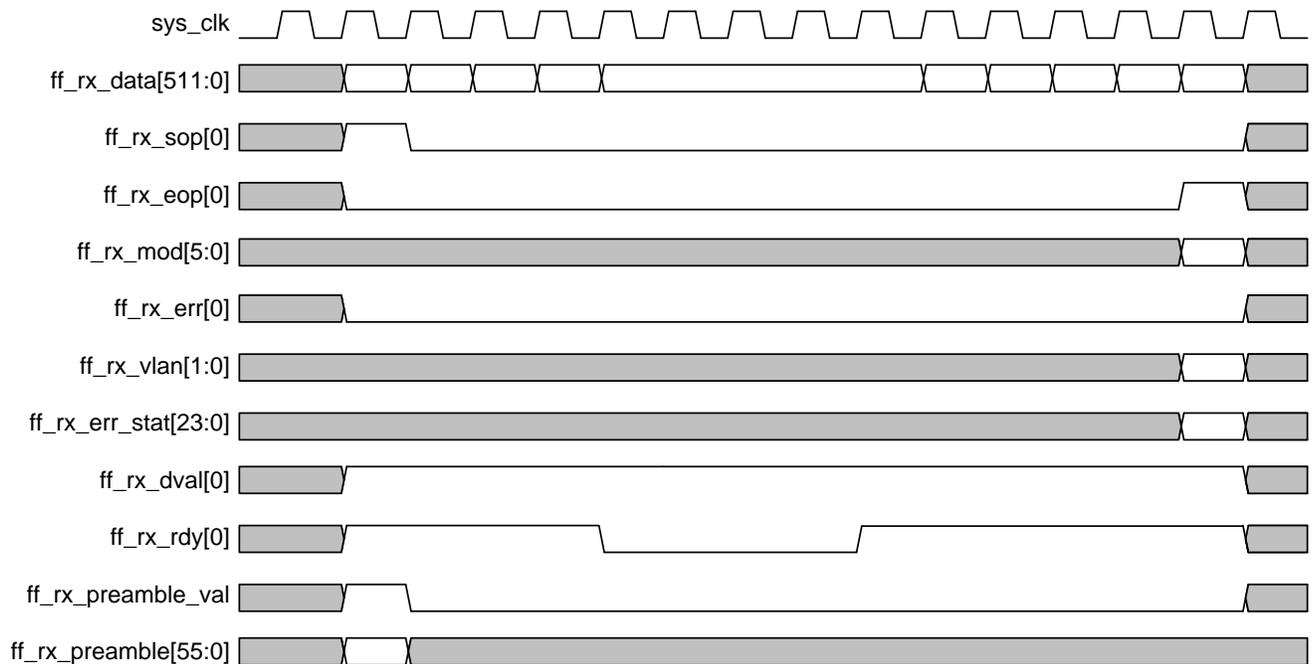
When an Ethernet frame is received with an error, the frame is transmitted to the user application with the frame error signal (`ff_rx_err[0]`) asserted with the last word of the frame.

In addition, the MAC Core provides a 24-Bit error status word (`ff_rx_err_stat[23:0]`) that gives an indication on the error source (see section "" for details). Note that the receive status `ff_rx_err_stat[23:0]` can only be mapped to any segment of FIFO group 0 (10G: SEG0-3, 40G: SEG0, 100G: SEG0).



**Figure 28: FIFO Receive Interface – Frame Transfer with Error**

The user may pause the output of the receive FIFO by deasserting the `ff_rx_rdy[0]` signal. The `ff_rx_rdy[0]` indicates that the user circuit has consumed the current data word at the output of the receive FIFO. The following figure illustrates how the user may pause the data output from the receive FIFO.



**Figure 29: FIFO Receive Interface – Frame Transfer with User Pause**

## Frame Status

When frame reception terminates, the MAC Core writes a status word in a dedicated internal FIFO to report information and events to the user application per frame. The status is available with each frame with the last word of the frame (`ff_rx_eop` asserted) and is presented on the `ff_rx_err_stat[23:0]` data bus.

- Invalid length (frame too long/short)
- CRC-32 error
- Link error (code violation)
- FIFO overflow exception
- Sequence error (e.g. local or remote fault)
- Frame error character
- VLAN/Stacked VLAN frame indication
- Frame length/type field. This is a copy of the length/type field as it is found in the frame. Note that for VLAN frames, the value immediately following the 4-octet VLAN tag is copied here.

If any of the error conditions happened, in addition the `ff_rx_err` signal will be asserted together with the frame's last word. Note that the receive status signals `ff_rx_err_stat[23:0]` can only be mapped to any segment of FIFO group 0 (10G: SEG0-3, 40G: SEG0, 100G: SEG0). The per segment status signals `ff_rx_err` and `ff_rx_vlan[1:0]` provide information about error conditions as well as VLAN/Stacked VLAN frame indications to the user application on a per segment basis.

The frame status word is defined in the table below.

Table 27 – Frame Status Word Bits

Bit #	Name	Description
0	LENGTH_ERROR	Set to '1' if the frame has an invalid length. This can be either a too long frame (length greater than the value programmed in register FRM_LENGTH), or a frame which has a different amount of payload than specified in the frame's payload length field. Frames below 64 octets in length are never delivered to the FIFO interface.
1	CRC_ERROR	Set to '1' if the frame was received with a CRC field that did not match the CRC calculated by the MAC Core. The frame is invalid.
2	PHY_ERROR	Set to '1' if the frame was received with an unknown control character. The frame is invalid.
3	FIFO_OVERFLOW	Set to '1' if a FIFO overflow was detected during frame reception. The received frame is truncated by the MAC Core and is invalid.
4	FAULT_SEQ	Set to '1' if a Sequence Error (local or remote fault) has been received from the PHY during frame reception. The frame is invalid.
5	STACKED_VLAN	Set to '1' to indicate that the frame is a Stacked VLAN frame. This information can be used to switch the received frame to dedicated VLAN frames processing engines.
6	TRANSMIT_ERR	Set to '1' if a transmit error control character (0xFE) has been received from the line. The frame is invalid.
7	VLAN	Set to '1' to indicate that the frame is a VLAN frame. This information can be used to switch the received frame to dedicated VLAN frames processing engines.
23:8	PAYLOAD_LEN	Frame payload length in bytes or type information. The copied value of the frame's length/type field. For VLAN frames the value immediately following the 4-octet VLAN tag is copied.

## FIFO Thresholds

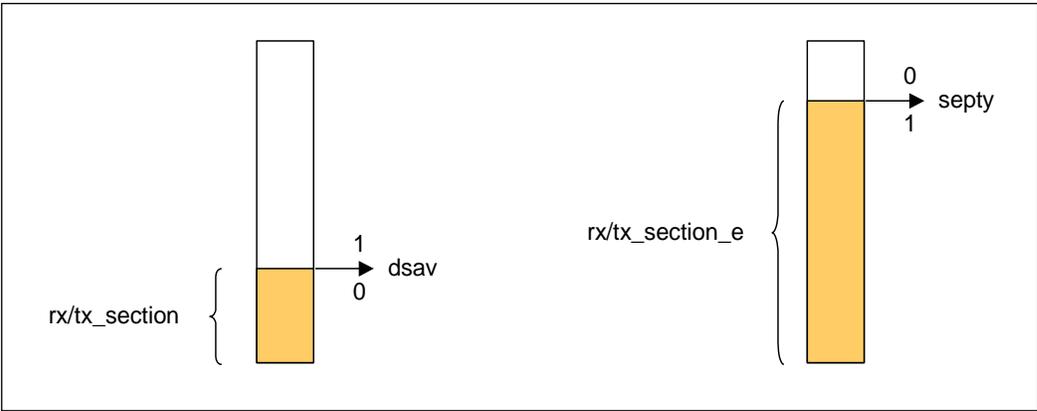
The Core implements programmable FIFO thresholds that provide the possibility to dynamically change the FIFO operation and fixed Almost Full and Almost Empty thresholds for FIFO overflow / underflow protection.

## FIFO Sections Behavior (Watermarks)

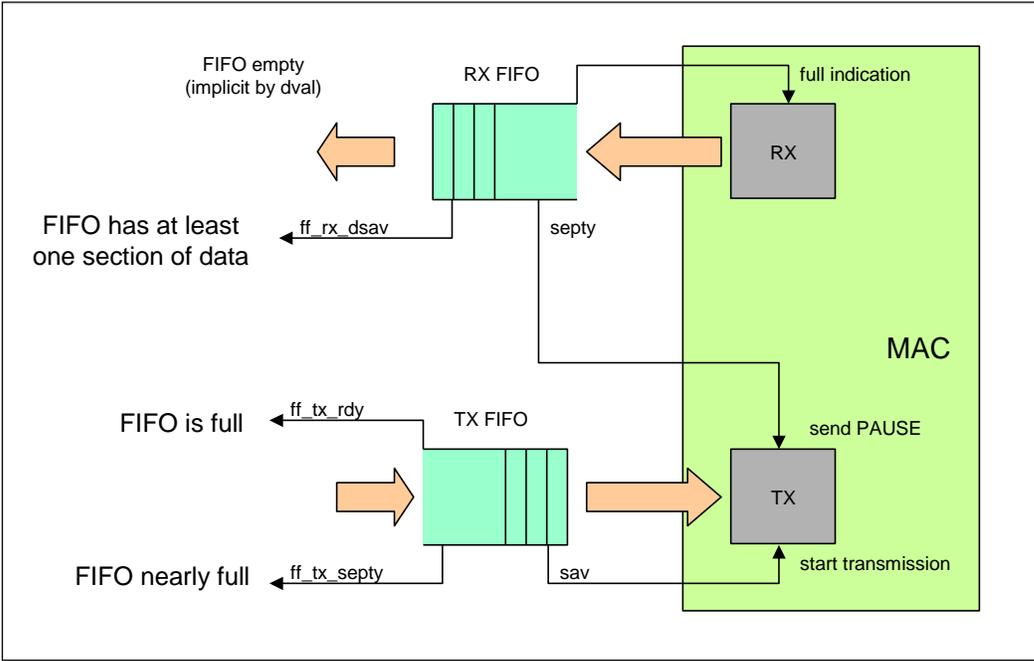
The FIFO logic offers to set high- and low-watermarks by setting the configuration registers RX\_FIFO\_SECTIONS and TX\_FIFO\_SECTIONS. The sections are defined in steps of segment data words (10G: 32-bit, 40G: 128-bit, 100G: 384-bit).

- **tx/rx\_section** (section available) defines a low-watermark that is used to assert an internal signal when this amount of data is available in the FIFO.
- **tx/rx\_section\_e** (section empty) defines a high-watermark that is used to de-assert an internal signal when the FIFO is filled to this level and above.

The following figure shows the relationship of the configuration values and their respective signals and levels above and below the levels.



**Figure 30: FIFO Sections Configuration and Signals**



**Figure 31: FIFO Sections Related Signaling**

The two signals RX FIFO septy and TX FIFO sav are used internally by the MAC to generate pause frames and start transmission of frames to the line, respectively.

The other two signals (TX FIFO septy and RX FIFO dsav) are maintained for legacy reasons only. Note: These signals are not available in this implementation.

Table 28 – FIFO Sections

Configuration Register	Behavior
RX_FIFO_SECTIONS[15:0]	Section Available: Legacy purpose only. Not available in this implementation.
RX_FIFO_SECTIONS[31:16]	Section Empty: If this level is reached during receive of frames, pause frames will be generated to stop the remote side from transmitting further data. If set to 0, no automatic pause frame generation is done. This function can be used only when link pause mode is enabled. It has no effect otherwise.
TX_FIFO_SECTIONS[15:0]	Section Available: If the defined amount of data is written into the TX FIFO, transmission will start. Transmission will also start, when a complete frame has been written, even if this watermark is not reached (e.g. a short frame). As the TX FIFO must not dry out during transmission (this would lead to a corrupted frame sent), this can help to adapt a slower user application to the MAC. Or it can give the user application more flexibility inserting wait states during write, without disturbing the transmission of a frame. If set to 0, the FIFO operates in store-and-forward mode.
TX_FIFO_SECTIONS[31:16]	Section Empty: Legacy purpose only. Not available in this implementation.

# Flow Control Interface

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The MAC supports two modes of flow control:

- Link Pause Flow Control: This is the standard IEEE 802.3 defined pause frame to allow pausing the remote device connected to the link (link local pause). Upon reception (if enabled by configuration) the transmitter is paused for the time received in the pause frame.
- Priority Flow Control (PFC): The PFC mechanism refines the pause mechanism allowing for up to 8 traffic classes which can be paused individually. In this mode the application will get an indication on the pause state of each class. The transmitter is not affected and it is the responsibility of the application to stop scheduling frames for transmission to a congested traffic class.

Only one mode can be active at a time: If a frame of the other mode is received it is treated as a regular command frame. Depending on `COMMAND_CONFIG(CMD_FRM_ENA)` it is then either discarded or forwarded to the user application but has no effect within the MAC.

See the `COMMAND_CONFIG` register for configuration options (Table 40 – page 81)

COMMAND\_CONFIG Register Bit Definitions” on page 81).

## Link Pause Flow Control Frames

The IEEE 802.3 defined pause frame has the following format:

Table 29 – Pause Frame Format (values in hex)

<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b>
55	55	55	55	55	55	55	D5	01	80	C2	00	00	01
Preamble							SFD	Multicast Destination Address					
<b>15</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>27 - 68</b>	
00	00	00	00	00	00	88	08	00	01	hi	lo	00	
Source Address						Type	Opcode	Quanta	pad (42)				
<b>69</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>71</b>	<b>72</b>										
xx	xx	xx	xx										
CRC-32													

There is no Payload Length field found within a Pause Frame and a Pause Frame is always padded with 42 bytes (0x00).

If a pause frame with a pause value greater than zero (XOFF Condition) is received, the MAC stops transmitting data as soon as the current Frame transfer is completed. The MAC stops transmitting data for the value defined in pause quanta. One pause quanta fraction refers to 512 bit times.

If a pause frame with a pause value of zero (XON Condition) is received, the transmitter is allowed to send data immediately.

## Priority Flow Control (PFC) Frames

The PFC frames have the following format:

Table 30 – PFC Frame Format (values in hex)

<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b>	
55	55	55	55	55	55	55	D5	01	80	C2	00	00	01	
Preamble							SFD	Multicast Destination Address						
<b>15</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b>	
00	00	00	00	00	00	88	08	01	01	00	00-FF	0000-FFFF		
Source Address						Type	Opcode	Class Ena	Quanta 0					
<b>29</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>42</b>	
0000-FFFF		0000-FFFF		0000-FFFF		0000-FFFF		0000-FFFF		0000-FFFF		0000-FFFF		
Quanta 1		Quanta 2		Quanta 3		Quanta 4		Quanta 5		Quanta 6		Quanta 7		
<b>43 - 68</b>		<b>69</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>71</b>	<b>72</b>									
00		xx	xx	xx	xx									
Pad (26)		CRC-32												

The PFC frames use the same Length/Type field as Pause frames (0x8808). The Opcode field 0x0101 specifies the PFC frame. The 8 Class Enable bits define for each of the 8 priority classes which class is currently enabled in the PFC frame. For each enabled priority class, a 16-bit Pause Quanta value is provided following the Class Enable field.

## Transmit Pause/PFC Operation

In transmit direction, for each of the 12 segments, an 8-bit input vector (`ff_tx_pfc_xoff<n>[7:0]`) is provided to signal the creation of PFC control frames (XOFF bit). When Link Pause Frame Mode is active, only the first input `ff_tx_pfc_xoff<n>[0]` for segment `n` is used.

After the completion of a frame, the MAC samples these inputs and determines if, depending on the current mode, a PFC or Link Pause control frame should be immediately scheduled. The following cases can exist:

A pause is not in progress and the XOFF bit is set, so the current timer value is 0. In this case a new Pause/PFC frame should be sent with the programmed quanta value.

A pause is already in progress for this priority, but the XOFF bit is now cleared, a new Pause/PFC frame with QUANTA = 0 needs to be sent.

A pause is already in progress for that priority and the XOFF bit is still set, but the quanta timer is between its max value and the threshold value, no new pause update is needed, so send the next application frame.

A pause is already in progress for this priority and the XOFF bit is still set, but the timer threshold has been reached. A refresh PFC/Pause control frame should be scheduled with the programmed quanta timer value.

A pause is not in progress and the XOFF bit is cleared, no pause is needed, so send the next application frame.

## Receive Pause/PFC Operation

### PFC Mode

When a PFC control frame is received with one or more Class Enable bits set, the corresponding internal pause quanta counters are set with the quanta values extracted from the PFC frame and start decrementing. For each of the 12 segments, an 8-bit status vector (`ff_rx_pfc_xoff<n>[7:0]`) indicating the current pause status for the 8 priorities is provided to the application layer. When asserted, it indicates that a PFC pause condition is in place (timer not expired) for that priority and the upstream core logic should not schedule further traffic for this class. When zero, this indicates the pause condition is no longer present and traffic can be scheduled for this class.

When PFC mode is disabled, a received PFC frame is treated as a regular command frame (see `COMMAND_CONFIG(CMD_FRM_ENA)`) and has no effect within the MAC.

### Link Pause Mode

When a Link Pause frame is received, the quanta is extracted and loaded into an internal timer to pause the transmitter. The transmitter continues to complete any ongoing frame transmission and then enters a pause state where it does not read any user frames from the

transmit FIFO. When the transmitter has reached its pause state, the timer starts to decrement. When the timer reaches 0, the transmitter resumes to normal transmission of frames.

Only bit 0 of the segment's status is used. The bit is asserted (1) and stays asserted as long as the transmitter is in pause state (i.e. it will not necessarily assert at the time when the pause frame was received). When the transmitter resumes to normal operation, the status signal becomes 0 again.

A configuration option (see `COMMAND_CONFIG(PAUSE_IGNORE)`) allows ignoring pause frames, preventing the transmitter from being paused. When ignored the timer is not loaded and the status bit will never assert.

# Serial Bus Interface

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## Overview

The Serial Bus (SBUS) Slave module is a low pin count serial interface for data transfer between the Hard IP and the FPGA Fabric. There are 13 independent SBUS interfaces. One 32-bit interface for the 10/40/100G Ethernet MAC/PCS and an additional 12 8-bit interfaces for the 12 PHY SerDes channels. The Serial bus protocol is decoded and converted into a parallel register interface called P1 port to provide access to registers by the fabric/embedded IP.

Any transfer on the SBUS is initiated by asserting REQ. The first bit on the input data bus indicates whether it is a read or a write operation. Refer to the READ/WRITE Operation for more details. Any subsequent READ or WRITE operation should be initiated only after the current operation is completed once o\_sbusr\_ack is asserted by the SBUS Slave interface.

## Port List

The port definitions for SBUS Slave Block are defined in the table below.

Table 31 – Port definition for SBUS Module

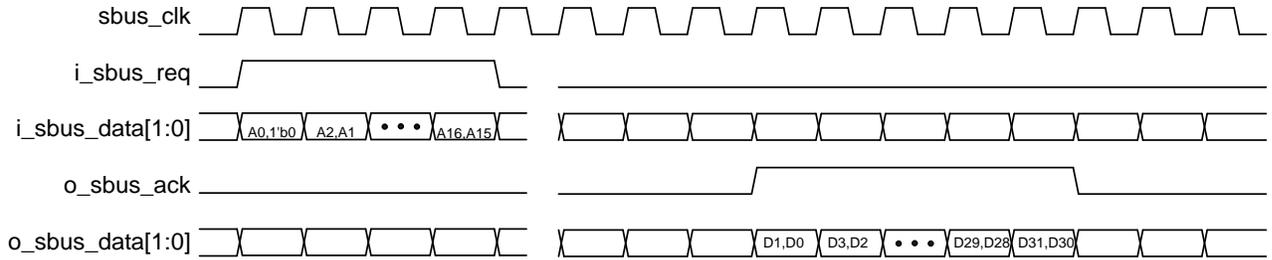
Port	Direction	Description
reset_sbusr_clk	Input	Asynchronous reset
sbusr_clk	Input	Reference clock for the serial and parallel interface – p1_ctl_clk
i_sbusr_req	Input	Request signal for starting a read or write transaction on SBUS.
i_sbusr_data[1:0]	Input	Input serial data of SBUS interface. The data width can be 2bits or 1bits.
o_sbusr_data[1:0]	Output	Output serial data of SBUS interface. The data width can be 2bits or 1bits.
o_sbusr_ack	Output	Acknowledgement signal for read and write operation complete on SBUS interface.

## Read Operation

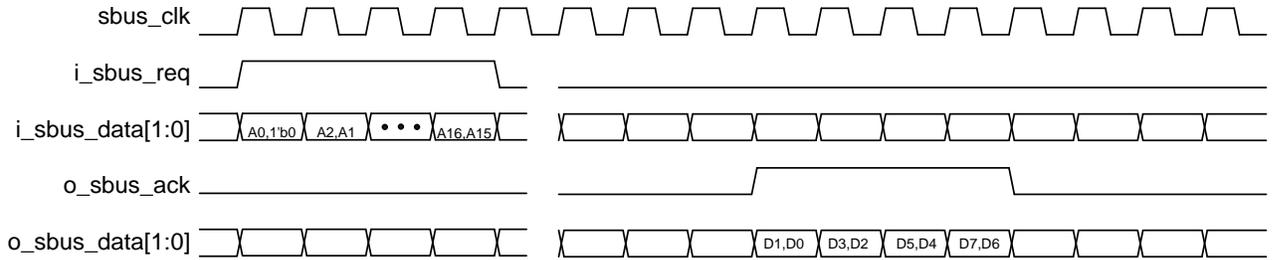
For starting a read operation the i\_sbusr\_req is asserted for 9 cycles with the first data bit of i\_sbusr\_data[0] being de-asserted. The read address which is 17bit long is sent next starting with the least significant bit.

The SBUS slave decodes the read operation and responds. Then it asserts the o\_sbusr\_ack for 16 cycles for the case of the 32-bit data bus of the Ethernet block interface and 4 cycles for the case of a 8-bit data of the SerDes SBUS interfaces..

The figures below show the timing diagram for operation mode on each of the 32-bit and 8-bit SBUS interfaces.



**Figure 32: Read in 32-bit Data Bus Mode**



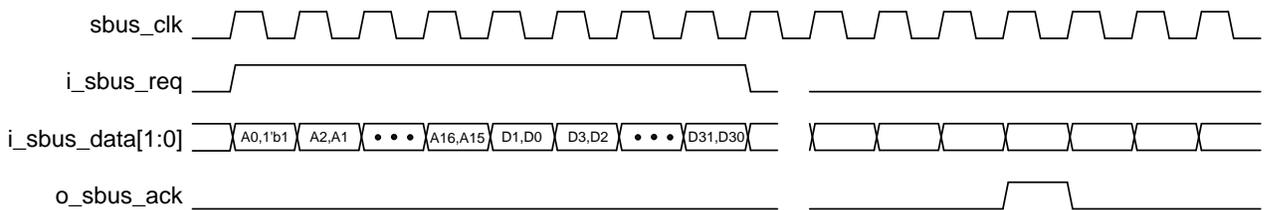
**Figure 33: Read in 8-bit Data Bus Mode**

## Write Operation

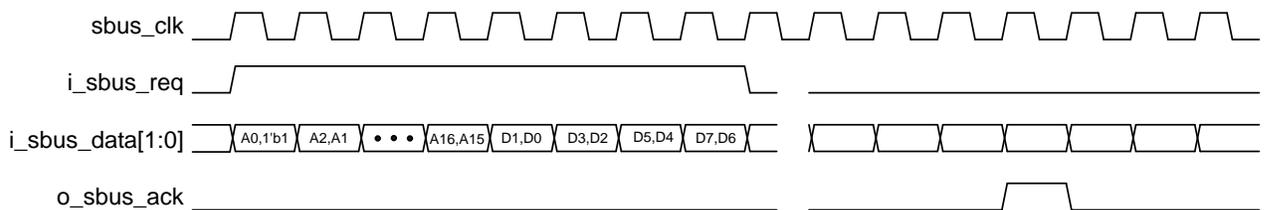
For starting a write operation the *i\_sbus\_req* is asserted for 25 cycles for the case of a 32-bit write to the Ethernet SBUS interface or 13 cycles for the case of an 8-bit write to a SerDes SBUS interface, with the first data bit of *i\_sbus\_d[0]* being asserted. The write address which is 17bit long is sent next with the least significant bit first. The 32-bit or 8-bit write data follows next.

The SBUS slave decodes the write operation and asserts responds. It then asserts the *o\_sbus\_ack* for 1 cycle on the SBUS interface indicating the completion of write operation.

The figures below shows the timing diagram for a write operation on the SBUS interface.



**Figure 34: Write in 32-bit Data Bus Mode**



**Figure 35: Write in 8-bit Data Bus Mode**

# PMA Management Interface

## Power State Descriptions

The PMA supports the following 5 power States. Power state transitions are not allowed to occur, while the following events are still under way:

- Rate Change
- Data Width Change

The user must ensure that any previously initiated event completes, prior to beginning a power state change.

*Table 32 – SerDes Power State Descriptions*

Power State	Power State Description
Power Down	The power-down power state disables the lane completely. All analog blocks are placed in power down. Receiver input terminations are set to high impedance. All digital blocks are placed in reset. All clocks are switched over to keep-alive clock to ensure basic functionality is supported to exit this power state.
P2	The Coma State supports limited functionality: Signal detection and transmit beaconing are supported as required by standards such as PCIe. All remaining analog blocks are powered down; all digital blocks are in reset. All clocks are switched over to keep-alive clock to ensure basic functionality is supported to exit this power state.
P1	The Slumber state is used as a fast power down state, which has a quick recovery time. The synthesizer must be powered up prior to entering the Slumber state. In this state, the transmit driver is disabled in an ultra-low power Doze Mode. The entire transmit path is disabled and relevant clocks are gated. The receiver path is still completely powered down. All clocks derived from the PLL are switched over to their respective clocks, from the keep-alive clock, in a glitch free manner.
P0s	The Doze state is a low power state for the transmit portion of the PMA. The CDR and the receiver are now completely powered up. The PMA can be receiving data in this state, however it is not transmitting data in this state. As a result, the transmit path is reset, and the output driver is disabled in an ultra-low-power Doze Mode. All clocks are now fully active and have switched over to their respective clocks, from the keep-alive clock, in a glitch free manner. The receiver Ready signal OCTL_PCS_RXREADY_Lx_A is asserted in this state.
P0	The Ready state is the fully active state for the PMA. Both the transmit and receive data paths are fully capable to transmit and receive data. All clocks are now fully active and have switched over to their respective clocks, from the keep-alive clock, in a glitch free manner. The transmitter Ready signal OCTL_PCS_TXREADY_Lx_A is asserted in this state.

*Note: The PHY power state can also be controlled via the PMA memory register interface*

Table 33 – Overview of PMA Behavior During the Various Power States

IO Pin Signal	P0	P0s	P1	P2	Power Down	Hard Reset
<b>Power State Controls and Status</b>						
IRST_PCS_POR_B_A	1'b1					
IRST_PCS_HARD_TXRX_Lx_B_A	1'b1					1'b0
IPD_PCS_[TX,RX]_Lx_B	1'b1				1'b0	
IPD_PCS_SYNTH_B	1'b1				1'b0	
ICTL_PCS_PSTATE_Lx_[1:0]	2'b00	2'b01	2'b10	2'b11	2'b??	
OCTL_PCS_[TX,RX]_READY_Lx_A	1'b1			1'b0		
OCTL_PCS_[TX,RX]_STATUS_Lx_A	1'b1					1'b0
OCTL_PCS_SYNTH_READY_A	1'b1	1'b0				
OCTL_PCS_SYNTH_STATUS_A	1'b1					1'b0
<b>Transmit Lane Controls and Status</b>						
OCK_PCS_TXWORD_PMA_Lx	TX Byte Clock			Keepalive		
ICK_PCS_TXWORD_Lx	TX Byte Clock			Keepalive		
IDAT_PCS_TXWORD_Lx_[X:0]	Active	5'h00000				
ICTL_PCS_TXDETECTRXREQ_Lx_A	1'b0		Depends on Interface		1'b0	
OCTL_PCS_TXDETECTRXSTAT_Lx_A	1'b0		Depends on Receiver Detection Results		1'b0	
ICTL_PCS_TXBEACON_Lx_A	1'b0			Depends on Interface	1'b0	
<b>Receive Lane Controls and Status</b>						
OCK_PCS_RXWORD_Lx	RX Byte Clock			Keepalive		
ODAT_PCS_RX[A,B]WORD_Lx_[X:0]	Recovered Data			5'h00000		
OCTL_PCS_RXSIGNALDETEC_Lx_A	Depends on Far End				1'b0	
OCTL_PCS_RXCDRLOCK2DATA_Lx_A	Depends on Far End		1'b0			
<b>Output Clocks</b>						
OCK_PCS_POSTDIV	Postdiv Clock			Keepalive		
OCK_PCS_REF	Reference Clock			Keepalive		

# Power State Sequencing

The following diagram demonstrates the allowed power state transitions for the PMA:

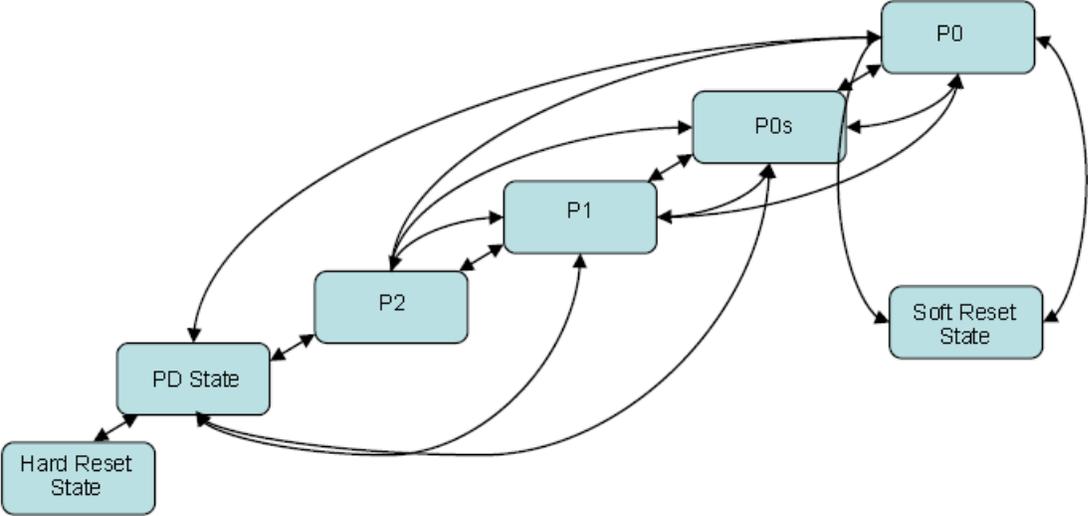


Figure 36: Power State Transitioning Diagram

# Auto-Negotiation

## Overview

Each PCS layer implements an auto-negotiation function that allows the local device to advertise supported modes of operation to another device at the remote end of an Ethernet link, and to detect corresponding operational modes the remote device may be advertising. It is used in backplane applications (Base-KR).

The auto-negotiation function in the PCS layers does not implement Parallel Detection in hardware due to the ambiguity of the PCS interface for 10G, 40G and 100G modes of operation. It is therefore the responsibility of the application layer to perform Parallel Detection when the remote device does not support auto-negotiation or when auto-negotiation is disabled.

The page exchange between link partners is done through the auto-negotiation function registers (KXAN\_CONTROL, KXAN\_STATUS, KXAN\_ABILITY\_0/1/2, KXAN\_REM\_ABILITY\_0/1/2, AN\_XNP\_0/1/2, LP\_AN\_XNP\_0/1/2, BP\_ETH\_STATUS, see Control Register Bits (KXAN\_CONTROL) through Next page Ability Register Bits (AN\_XNP / LP\_AN\_XNP) for details).

## Usage

After reset, auto-negotiation is disabled. To use it, the following steps would be typically needed (as a suggestion) for a channel.

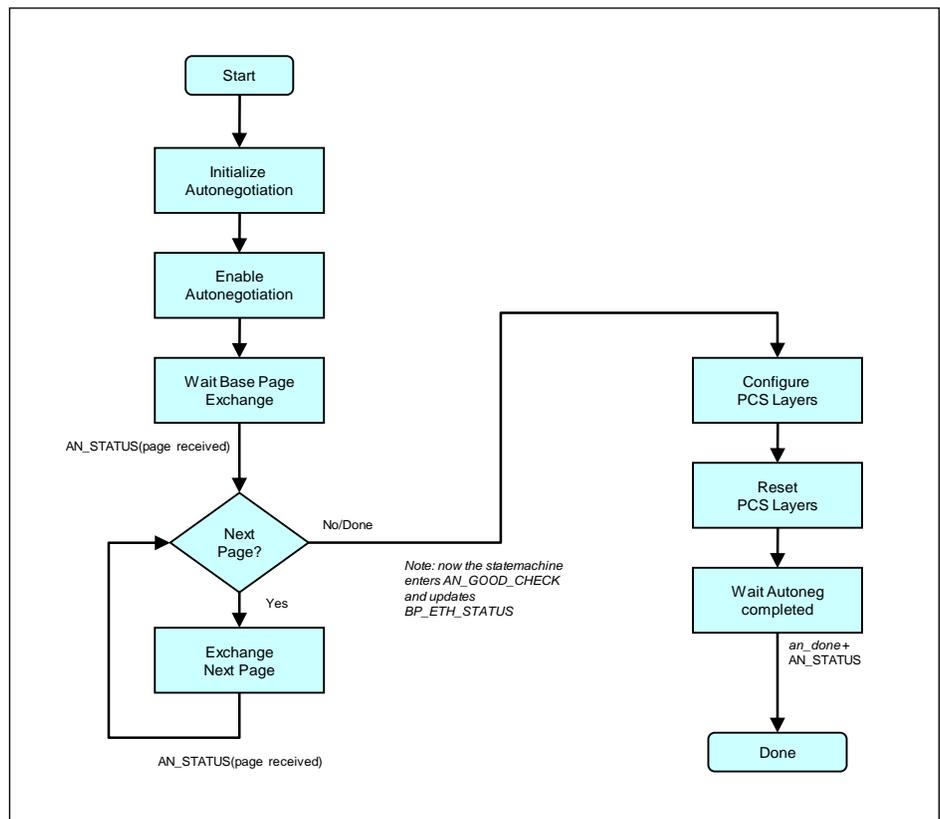


Figure 37: Auto negotiation Use Flow

Table 34 – Auto-Negotiation Usage

Step#	Function	Related Registers	Description
1	Initialize: - Program Ability Registers - Clear Status latches	KXAN_ABILITY0..2 KXAN_STATUS	Defines the base page abilities that are exchanged first during autonegotiation. Needs to be set according to the wanted features before autonegotiation can be enabled. The status register should be read prior to enabling autonegotiation to reset all latches that may be active from a previous use of the autonegotiation.
2	Enable Autonegotiation	KXAN_CONTROL	Enable autonegotiation (bit12). Here also the NextPage control (bit13) must be set if next page exchanges are wanted (i.e. local device needs to transmit next page messages and has set bit15 in AN_ABILITY0). Only after this control bit has been set the AN_XNP registers become writeable. When NextPage control is disabled (bit13=0), a so-called null-next-page is automatically set and will be returned to the remote device for any next page exchanges requested by the remote.
3	Wait for base page exchange completion	KXAN_STATUS	When the <i>Page Received</i> (bit6) is set the base page exchange has completed. The remote device's abilities are then available in the KXAN_REM_ABILITY registers. Note: If the remote device is not capable of autonegotiation the flow will be stuck in this state. A timeout should be implemented to exit autonegotiation if no reaction is found.
4 (opt)	Perform next page exchanges	AN_XNP_0..2 KXAN_STATUS	If required to exchange next page messages, this can be performed after the base page exchange has completed. Otherwise this step is skipped. A write to the AN_XNP2 register forwards the information to the autonegotiation statemachine (i.e. sets <i>mr_next_page_loaded</i> flag), hence must be written after AN_XNP0,1. The <i>Page Received</i> (bit6) status register bit will now indicate whenever a next page message has been exchanged and the next page message's <i>Toggle</i> and <i>Ack</i> bits are used to perform next page handshaking (AN_XNP/LP_AN_XNP).
5	Configure PCS Layers	BP_ETH_STATUS ACT_CTL_SEG MODE_CTL_SEG	Now the PCS layers need to be enabled as indicated by the the remote device's ability received (KXAN_REM_ABILITY) and resolved as indicated in BP_ETH_STATUS. Note: if the remote device continues to send next-page messages (even if the local devices has no or no more next pages to send), the BP_ETH_STATUS will not be updated until all next-page exchanges are completed (i.e. not before statemachine enters AN_GOOD_CHECK state). The BP_ETH_STATUS has none of the

			technology bits set as long as page exchanges are ongoing. See 0, Core Configuration Registers for details on configuring the modes.
6	Reset PCS Layers	PCS_CONTROL	If the PCS layer configurations are changed a soft-reset should be performed after enabling it.
7	Wait for autonegotiation completion	KXAN_STATUS	Once the correct PCS layers (and optional link training) are configured, the Autonegotiation function will wait for a proper link and indicate completion when the link is up. As soon as the PCS has established the link ( <code>block_lock</code> asserted and <code>align_done</code> set accordingly for 40G and 100G mode of operation), the auto-negotiation process completes and asserts the signal <code>an_done</code> . Note that autonegotiation cannot complete until the PCS layer has acquired a valid link. The status register should be inspected

Note that, when the clock for auto-negotiation is selected (`sd_tx_clk_ctrl=00`), the SerDes must be configured to support autonegotiation accordingly.

For a detailed specification of the auto-negotiation core, please refer to the "10 Gigabit / Gigabit Auto-Negotiation Reference Guide".

# IEEE 1588 Timestamping

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The 10 / 40 / 100 Gigabit Ethernet Channelized MAC Core supports IEEE 1588 Receive and Transmit timestamping. The timestamping support can be mapped to any segment of FIFO group 0 (10G: SEG0-3, 40G: SEG0, 100G: SEG0).

## Receive Timestamping

When a frame is received, the MAC latches the value of the timer when the frame SFD field is detected and provides the captured timestamp on `ff_rx_ts[31:0]`. This is done for all received frames.

The DMA controller has to ensure that it transfers the timestamp provided for the frame into the corresponding field within the receive descriptor for software access.

## Transmit Timestamping

On transmit, only IEEE 1588 event frames need to be time-stamped. The client application (e.g. the MAC driver) should detect 1588 event frames and set the signal `ff_tx_ts_frm` together with the frame (must be valid during `ff_tx_eop` assertion).

For every transmitted frame where `ff_tx_ts_frm` is set to '1', the MAC returns the captured timestamp on `tx_ts[31:0]` together with the frame sequence number (`tx_ts_id[3:0]`). Note that it is the responsibility of the user application not to assert `ff_tx_ts_frm` for two consecutive short frames, as correct synchronization of the captured timestamp into the FIFO clock domain could not be guaranteed otherwise.

In addition, the MAC memorizes the timestamp for the frame in the register `TS_TIMESTAMP`. The status bit `STATUS(TS_AVAIL)` is set to indicate that a new timestamp is available.

Software would implement a handshaking procedure by setting the `ff_tx_ts_frm` signal when it transmits the frame it needs a timestamp for, and then waits on the `STATUS(TS_AVAIL)` status bit to know when the timestamp is available. It then can read the timestamp from the `TS_TIMESTAMP` register. This is done for all 1588 event frames; other frames will not use the `ff_tx_ts_frm` indicator and hence will not interfere with the timestamp capture.

# Registers

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## MAC & PCS Configuration Registers

### MAC & PCS Register Overview

The MAC & PCS register address space is divided into 32 register pages with 256 registers each. The register pages are addressed by putting the page number/address on the serial bus interface pins. (`i_sbus_req`, `i_sbus_data[1:0]`, `o_sbus_data[1:0]`, `o_sbus_ack`).

The following register map shows the assignment of the different register pages.

The Address in the table below is given in byte offsets as it would typically appear in a memory mapped address space, however the registers are accessible in steps of 32 bit only (i.e. address offset 0x04 accesses register 1, 0x08 accesses register 2, ...).

Table 35 – Core Register Map – Channelized MAC Registers

Address	Page#	Description	10G	40G	100G
0x0000	0	Segment 0 MAC Configuration, Control and Status Registers See Channelized MAC Registers on page 74.	yes	yes, SEG 0	yes, SEG0
0x0400	1	Segment 1 MAC Configuration, Control and Status Registers	yes	no	no
0x0800	2	Segment 2 MAC Configuration, Control and Status Registers	yes	no	no
0x0c00	3	Segment 3 MAC Configuration, Control and Status Registers	yes	no	no
0x1000	4	Segment 4 MAC Configuration, Control and Status Registers	yes	yes, SEG 4	no
0x1400	5	Segment 5 MAC Configuration, Control and Status Registers	yes	no	no
0x1800	6	Segment 6 MAC Configuration, Control and Status Registers	yes	no	no
0x1c00	7	Segment 7 MAC Configuration, Control and Status Registers	yes	no	no
0x2000	8	Segment 8 MAC Configuration, Control and Status Registers	yes	yes, SEG 8	no
0x2400	9	Segment 9 MAC Configuration, Control and Status Registers	yes	no	no
0x2800	10	Segment 10 MAC Configuration, Control and Status Registers	yes	no	no
0x2c00	11	Segment 11 MAC Configuration, Control and Status Registers	yes	no	no

Table 36 – Core Register Map – Global Registers

Address	Page#	Description	10G	40G	100G
0x3000	12	Core Configuration Registers See Core Configuration Registers on page 91			
0x3400	13	Reserved			
0x3800	14	VLAN Tag Configuration Registers see VLAN Tag Configuration Registers page 92			
0x3c00	15	Reserved			

Table 37 – Core Register Map – Channelized PCS Registers

Address	Page#	Description	10G	40G	100G
0x4000	16	Segment 0 PCS Configuration, Control and Status Registers see VLAN Tag Configuration Registers page 92.	yes	yes, SEG0	yes, SEG0
0x4400	17	Segment 1 PCS Configuration, Control and Status Registers	yes	no	no
0x4800	18	Segment 2 PCS Configuration, Control and Status Registers	yes	no	no
0x4c00	19	Segment 3 PCS Configuration, Control and Status Registers	yes	no	no
0x5000	20	Segment 4 PCS Configuration, Control and Status Registers	yes	yes, SEG4	no
0x5400	21	Segment 5 PCS Configuration, Control and Status Registers	yes	no	no
0x5800	22	Segment 6 PCS Configuration, Control and Status Registers	yes	no	no
0x5c00	23	Segment 7 PCS Configuration, Control and Status Registers	yes	no	no
0x6000	24	Segment 8 PCS Configuration, Control and Status Registers	yes	yes, SEG8	no
0x6400	25	Segment 9 PCS Configuration, Control and Status Registers	yes	no	no
0x6800	26	Segment 10 PCS Configuration, Control and Status Registers	yes	no	no
0x6c00	27	Segment 11 PCS Configuration, Control and Status Registers	yes	no	no
0x7000	28	Auto-Negotiation Control and Status Registers See Auto-Negotiation Registers page 100			
0x7400..0x7FFF	29 - 31	Reserved			

## Channelized MAC Registers

The Channelized MAC Registers are located on pages 0 through 11. Each segment has its own set of MAC configuration, control and status registers. The register map of each register set is identical and shown below.

The following register map shows a 32-Bit register implementation. The address is given in steps of 4 to indicate the 32-bit alignment of the register space in a usual host processor memory map.

Bit 0 is the least significant bit and all registers are initialized to zero upon reset except when stated otherwise.

The following register types are used:

- RW: Read/write register. Unused bits should be written with 0 and ignored on read.
- RO: Read only, write has no effect
- WO: Write only, returns all zero on read
- ROR: Read only and Reset. The value is reset to zero after it has been read.

Table 38 – Channelized MAC Register Map

Reg#	Addr (hex)	Register Name	Type	Description
0	00	REVISION	RO	7:0: Core Revision. 15:8: Core Version. 31:16: Programmable Customer Revision
1	04	SCRATCH	RW	The Scratch Register provides a memory location to test the register access.
2	08	COMMAND_CONFIG	RW	Control/Configuration of the core. <i>See “COMMAND_CONFIG Register Bit Definitions” on page 81.</i>
3	0C	MAC_ADDR_0	RW	The lower 32-Bit of the 48-Bit MAC Address. Bit 0 is LSB.
4	10	MAC_ADDR_1	RW	The upper 16-Bit of the 48-Bit MAC Address. Bit 0 is Bit 32 of MAC address. Bits 31:16 are unused and always set to '0'.
5	14	FRM_LENGTH	RW	13:0: Maximum supported frame length. The MAC supports any frame size up to 16352 bytes (0x3fe0). Typical settings are 1518 for standard. Set to 1536 after Reset. Bits 31:14 are unused and always set to '0'.
6	18	reserved	--	unused
7	1C	RX_FIFO_SECTIONS	RW	15:0: RX section available threshold, reset value is 0x3. 31:16: RX section empty threshold, reset value is 0x00. All threshold values are in steps of segment data words (10G: 32-bit, 40G: 128-bit, 100G: 384-bit).
8	20	TX_FIFO_SECTIONS	RW	15:0: TX section available threshold, reset value is 0x3. 31:16: TX section empty threshold, reset value is 0x0. All threshold values are in steps of segment data words (10G: 32-bit, 40G: 128-bit, 100G: 384-bit).
9	24	RX_FIFO_ALMOST_F_E	RO	15:0: RX FIFO almost empty threshold 31:16: RX FIFO almost full threshold  Read Only Fixed thresholds set with a Core configuration parameter.
10	28	TX_FIFO_ALMOST_F_E	RO	15:0: TX FIFO almost empty threshold 31:16: TX FIFO almost full threshold  Read Only Fixed thresholds set with a Core configuration parameter.
11	2C	HASHTABLE_LOAD	WO	Hash table programming. Write only register. Bits 5:0 specify the hash table address (code). Bit 8 enables (1) or disables (0) multicast frame reception for the entry.
12-15	30-3C	reserved	--	unused

16	40	STATUS	RW	General Purpose Status. Use to monitor the MAC and PHY interface. See Table 41 – on page 84.
17	44	TX_IPG_LENGTH	RW	Transmit Inter-Packet-Gap (IPG) value. A 6-bit value: Depending on LAN or WAN mode of operation (see COMMAND_CONFIG, “0” on page 81), the value has the following meaning:  LAN Mode: Number of octets in steps of 4. Valid values are 8, 12, 16, ..., 100. DIC is fully supported for any setting. A default of 12 (reset value) must be set to conform to IEEE802.3ae. <i>Warning:</i> When set to 8, PCS layers may not be able to perform clock rate compensation. WAN Mode: Stretch factor. Valid values are 4..15. The stretch factor is calculated as (value+1)*8. A default of 12 (reset value) must be set to conform to IEEE 802.3ae (i.e. 13*8=104). A larger value shrinks the IPG (increasing bandwidth).  The reset value 12 leads to IEEE802.3ae conformant behavior in both modes.  <b>Note:</b> WAN mode is only available in 10G mode of operation.
18	48	CREDIT_TRIGGER	RW	Bit 0: Self-clearing Credit Reset. When written with a 1, this bit will trigger a reset of the RX application FIFO and will cause the INIT_CREDIT value to be loaded into the credit register. This bit should be programmed before enabling the MAC and after writing the initial credit value. Bits 31:1 are unused and always set to ‘0’.
19	4C	INIT_CREDIT	RW	7:0: Specifies the initial/max credit value to be loaded. Bits 31:8 are unused and always set to ‘0’.
20	50	CREDIT_REG	RO	7:0: Current credit register value (for debug purpose only). Bits 31:8 are unused and always set to ‘0’.
21	54	CL01_PAUSE_QUANTA	RW	15:0: CL0_PAUSE_QUANTA 31:16: CL1_PAUSE_QUANTA Value to be sent for the PFC quanta value for that class when a class XOFF is triggered.  When normal pause mode is enabled, CL0_PAUSE_QUANTA is used.
22	58	CL23_PAUSE_QUANTA	RW	15:0: CL2_PAUSE_QUANTA 31:16: CL3_PAUSE_QUANTA Value to be sent for the PFC quanta value for that class when a class XOFF is triggered.
23	5C	CL45_PAUSE_QUANTA	RW	15:0: CL4_PAUSE_QUANTA 31:16: CL5_PAUSE_QUANTA

				Value to be sent for the PFC quanta value for that class when a class XOFF is triggered.
24	60	CL67_PAUSE_QUANTA	RW	15:0: CL6_PAUSE_QUANTA 31:16: CL7_PAUSE_QUANTA Value to be sent for the PFC quanta value for that class when a class XOFF is triggered.
25	64	CL01_QUANTA_THRES H	RW	15:0: CL0_QUANTA_THRESH 31:16: CL1_QUANTA_THRESH When a PFC quanta timer counts down and reaches this value, a refresh pause frame should be sent with the programmed full quanta value if the input level indicates that a pause condition still exists.  When normal pause mode is enabled, CL0_QUANTA_THRESH is used for refreshing pause frames.
26	68	CL23_QUANTA_THRES H	RW	15:0: CL2_QUANTA_THRESH 31:16: CL3_QUANTA_THRESH When a PFC quanta timer counts down and reaches this value, a refresh pause frame should be sent with the programmed full quanta value if the input level indicates that a pause condition still exists.
27	6C	CL45_QUANTA_THRES H	RW	15:0: CL4_QUANTA_THRESH 31:16: CL5_QUANTA_THRESH When a PFC quanta timer counts down and reaches this value, a refresh pause frame should be sent with the programmed full quanta value if the input level indicates that a pause condition still exists.
28	70	CL67_QUANTA_THRES H	RW	15:0: CL6_QUANTA_THRESH 31:16: CL7_QUANTA_THRESH When a PFC quanta timer counts down and reaches this value, a refresh pause frame should be sent with the programmed full quanta value if the input level indicates that a pause condition still exists.
29	74	RX_PAUSE_STATUS	RO	7:0: Status bit for software to read the pause status. One bit for each of the 8 classes. Bits 31:8 are unused and always set to '0'.
30	78	reserved	--	unused
31	7C	TS_TIMESTAMP	RO	Timestamp of the last frame transmitted by the Core that had the <code>ff_tx_ts_frm</code> signal asserted from the user application. Valid when the status bit <code>TS_AVAIL</code> is set to '1'.

Table 39 – Channelized MAC Register Map – Statistics Counters

Reg#	Addr (hex)	Register Name	Type	Description
32	80	aFramesTransmittedOK	RO	See Transmit Statistics Vector – IEEE 802.3 oMacEntity and oPauseEntity Managed Objects n
34	88	aFramesReceivedOK	RO	See Receive Statistics Vector - IEEE 802.3 oMacEntity and oPauseEntity Managed Objects"
36	90	aFrameCheckSequence Errors	RO	See Receive Statistics Vector - IEEE 802.3 oMacEntity and oPauseEntity Managed Objects"
38	98	aAlignmentErrors	RO	See Receive Statistics Vector - IEEE 802.3 oMacEntity and oPauseEntity Managed Objects"
40	A0	aPAUSEMACCtrlFrames Transmitted	RO	See Transmit Statistics Vector – IEEE 802.3 oMacEntity and oPauseEntity Managed Objects
42	A8	aPAUSEMACCtrlFrame sReceived	RO	See Receive Statistics Vector - IEEE 802.3 oMacEntity and oPauseEntity Managed Objects"
44	B0	aFrameTooLongErrors	RO	See Receive Statistics Vector - IEEE 802.3 oMacEntity and oPauseEntity Managed Objects"
46	B8	aInRangeLengthErrors	RO	See Receive Statistics Vector - IEEE 802.3 oMacEntity and oPauseEntity Managed Objects"
48	C0	VLANTransmittedOK	RO	See Transmit Statistics Vector – IEEE 802.3 oMacEntity and oPauseEntity Managed Objects
50	C8	VLANReceivedOK	RO	See Receive Statistics Vector - IEEE 802.3 oMacEntity and oPauseEntity Managed Objects"
52	D0	ifOutOctets	RO	See Transmit Statistics Vector – IETF MIB(MIB-II) Objects" Note: The IEEE object 'aOctetsTransmittedOk' equals: ifOutOctets - (18*aFramesTransmittedOk) - (4*VLANTransmittedOK)
54	D8	ifInOctets	RO	See Received Statistics Vector – IETF MIB(MIB-II) Objects" Note: The IEEE object 'aOctetsReceivedOk' equals: ifInOctets - (18*aFramesReceivedOk) - (4*VLANReceivedOK)
56	E0	ifInUcastPkts	RO	See Received Statistics Vector – IETF MIB(MIB-II) Objects"
58	E8	ifInMulticastPkts	RO	See Received Statistics Vector – IETF MIB(MIB-II) Objects"
60	F0	ifInBroadcastPkts	RO	See Received Statistics Vector – IETF MIB(MIB-II) Objects"
62	F8	ifOutErrors	RO	See Transmit Statistics Vector – IETF MIB(MIB-II) Objects"
64	100	reserved		unused
66	108	ifOutUcastPkts	RO	See Transmit Statistics Vector – IETF MIB(MIB-II) Objects"
68	110	ifOutMulticastPkts	RO	See Transmit Statistics Vector – IETF MIB(MIB-II) Objects"

70	118	ifOutBroadcastPkts	RO	See Transmit Statistics Vector – IETF MIB(MIB-II) Objects”
72	120	etherStatsDropEvents	RO	See Receive Statistics Vector 0 IETF RMON MIB Objects”
74	128	etherStatsOctets	RO	See Receive Statistics Vector 0 IETF RMON MIB Objects”
76	130	etherStatsPkts	RO	See Receive Statistics Vector 0 IETF RMON MIB Objects”
78	138	etherStatsUndersizePkts	RO	See Receive Statistics Vector 0 IETF RMON MIB Objects”
80	140	etherStatsPkts64Octets	RO	See Receive Statistics Vector 0 IETF RMON MIB Objects”
82	148	etherStatsPkts65to127Octets	RO	See Receive Statistics Vector 0 IETF RMON MIB Objects”
84	150	etherStatsPkts128to255Octets	RO	See Receive Statistics Vector 0 IETF RMON MIB Objects”
86	158	etherStatsPkts256to511Octets	RO	See Receive Statistics Vector 0 IETF RMON MIB Objects”
88	160	etherStatsPkts512to1023Octets	RO	See Receive Statistics Vector 0 IETF RMON MIB Objects”
90	168	etherStatsPkts1024to1518Octets	RO	See Receive Statistics Vector 0 IETF RMON MIB Objects”
92	170	etherStatsPkts1519toMaxOctets	RO	See Receive Statistics Vector 0 IETF RMON MIB Objects”
94	178	etherStatsOversizePkts	RO	See Receive Statistics Vector 0 IETF RMON MIB Objects”
96	180	etherStatsJabbers	RO	See Receive Statistics Vector 0 IETF RMON MIB Objects”
98	188	etherStatsFragments	RO	See Receive Statistics Vector 0 IETF RMON MIB Objects”
100	190	ifInErrors	RO	See Received Statistics Vector – IETF MIB(MIB-II) Objects”
102	198	aCBFCPAUSEFramesTransmitted_0	RO	See Transmit Statistics Vector – IEEE 802.3 oMacEntity and oPauseEntity Managed Objects
104	1A0	aCBFCPAUSEFramesTransmitted_1	RO	See Transmit Statistics Vector – IEEE 802.3 oMacEntity and oPauseEntity Managed Objects
106	1A8	aCBFCPAUSEFramesTransmitted_2	RO	See Transmit Statistics Vector – IEEE 802.3 oMacEntity and oPauseEntity Managed Objects
108	1B0	aCBFCPAUSEFramesTransmitted_3	RO	See Transmit Statistics Vector – IEEE 802.3 oMacEntity and oPauseEntity Managed Objects
110	1B8	aCBFCPAUSEFramesTransmitted_4	RO	See Transmit Statistics Vector – IEEE 802.3 oMacEntity and oPauseEntity Managed Objects
112	1C0	aCBFCPAUSEFramesTransmitted_5	RO	See Transmit Statistics Vector – IEEE 802.3 oMacEntity and oPauseEntity Managed Objects
114	1C8	aCBFCPAUSEFramesTransmitted_6	RO	See Transmit Statistics Vector – IEEE 802.3 oMacEntity and oPauseEntity Managed Objects
116	1D0	aCBFCPAUSEFramesTransmitted_7	RO	See Transmit Statistics Vector – IEEE 802.3 oMacEntity and oPauseEntity Managed Objects
118	1D8	aCBFCPAUSEFramesReceived_0	RO	See Transmit Statistics Vector – IEEE 802.3 oMacEntity and oPauseEntity Managed Objects
120	1E0	aCBFCPAUSEFramesReceived_1	RO	See Transmit Statistics Vector – IEEE 802.3 oMacEntity and oPauseEntity Managed Objects
122	1E8	aCBFCPAUSEFramesReceived_2	RO	See Transmit Statistics Vector – IEEE 802.3 oMacEntity and oPauseEntity Managed Objects

124	1F0	aCBFCPAUSEFramesReceived_3	RO	See Transmit Statistics Vector – IEEE 802.3 oMacEntity and oPauseEntity Managed Objects
126	1F8	aCBFCPAUSEFramesReceived_4	RO	See Transmit Statistics Vector – IEEE 802.3 oMacEntity and oPauseEntity Managed Objects
128	200	aCBFCPAUSEFramesReceived_5	RO	See Transmit Statistics Vector – IEEE 802.3 oMacEntity and oPauseEntity Managed Objects
130	208	aCBFCPAUSEFramesReceived_6	RO	See Transmit Statistics Vector – IEEE 802.3 oMacEntity and oPauseEntity Managed Objects
132	210	aCBFCPAUSEFramesReceived_7	RO	See Transmit Statistics Vector – IEEE 802.3 oMacEntity and oPauseEntity Managed Objects
134	218	aMACControlFramesTransmitted	RO	See Transmit Statistics Vector – IEEE 802.3 oMacEntity and oPauseEntity Managed Objects
136	220	aMACControlFramesReceived	RO	See Transmit Statistics Vector – IEEE 802.3 oMacEntity and oPauseEntity Managed Objects
138 – 159	228 - 27C			Reserved
160	280	TX_PREAMBLE_0	RW	The lower 32-Bit of the user defined 56-Bit Transmit Preamble. Bit 0 is LSB.
161	284	TX_PREAMBLE_1	RW	The upper 24-Bit of the user defined 56-Bit Transmit Preamble. Bit 0 is Bit 32 of the Transmit Preamble. Bits 31:24 are unused and always set to '0'.
162 - 191	288 - 2FC			Reserved
192 - 223	300 - 37c	SGMII PCS	RW	SGMII PCS registers. The 32 SGMII PCS specific registers when operating in 10G Mode. See “ 10G MAC SGMII PCS Register Map” on page 85.
224- 255	380 - 3fc	reserved	R(W)	Note: The PCS registers are 32 registers within the addresses at 0x300 .. 0x37f. They are mirrored at 0x380..0x3ff for write accesses but not for read. Hence write accesses to this register area should be omitted.

## COMMAND\_CONFIG Register Bit Definitions

Table 40 – COMMAND\_CONFIG Register Description

Bit#	Bit Name	Description
0	TX_ENA	MAC Transmit Path Enable. Should be set to '1' to enable the MAC transmit path, should be set to '0' (Reset value) to disable the MAC transmit path.
1	RX_ENA	MAC Receive Path Enable. Should be set to '1' to enable the MAC receive path, should be set to '0' (Reset value) to disable the MAC receive path.
2	reserved	unused
3	WAN_MODE	Enable WAN Mode. Sets WAN mode (1) or LAN mode (0, default) of operation. <b>Note:</b> When changing the mode, verify correct setting of the transmit Inter-Packet-Gap (IPG) in register TX_IPG_LENGTH. <b>Note:</b> This bit is only available in 10G mode of operation. It is reserved in 40G and 100G mode of operation.
4	PROMIS_EN	Enable MAC Promiscuous Operation. If set to '1', all frames are received without any MAC address filtering. If set to '0' (Reset value), unicast frames with a destination address not matching the Core MAC address (programmed in registers MAC_ADDR_0 and MAC_ADDR_1) are rejected.
5	PAD_EN	Enable Frame Padding Removal in receive path. If set to '1', padding is removed before the frame is conveyed to the MAC client application. If set to '0' (Reset value), no padding is removed on receive by the MAC. <b>Note:</b> Not available in this implementation.
6	CRC_FWD	Terminate / Forward Received CRC. If set to '1', the CRC field of received frames is forwarded with the frame to the user application. If set to '0' (Reset value), the CRC field is stripped from the frame. <b>Note:</b> If padding (Bit PAD_EN set to '1') is enabled, CRC_FWD is ignored.
7	PAUSE_FWD	Terminate / Forward Pause Frames. If set to '1', pause frames are forwarded to the user application. If set to '0' (Reset value), pause frames are terminated and discarded within the MAC.
8	PAUSE_IGNORE	Ignore Pause Frame Quanta. If set to '1', received pause frames are ignored by the MAC. If set to '0' (Reset value), the transmit process is stopped for the amount of time specified in the pause quanta received within a pause frame. This bit is relevant only when PFC_MODE=0.

9	TX_ADDR_INS	Set Source MAC Address on Transmit. If set to '1', the MAC overwrites the source MAC address received from the client interface with the MAC address programmed in registers MAC_ADDR_0 and MAC_ADDR_1 . If set to '0' (Reset value), the source MAC address from the client interface is transmitted unmodified to the line.
10	LOOPBACK_EN	Enable PHY Interface Loopback. If set to '1', the signal <code>loop_ena&lt;n&gt;</code> is set to '1'. If set to '0' (Reset value), the signal <code>loop_ena&lt;n&gt;</code> is set to '0'.
11	TX_PAD_EN	Enable Transmit Padding. If set to '1' (Reset value), the MAC transmit logic inserts padding bytes to always generate frames with a minimum length of 64 bytes with CRC or 60 bytes without CRC. If set to '0', the MAC transmit logic can send unpadded frames. <b>Note:</b> If TX_PAD_EN=0 in 40G and 100G mode of operation, the MAC does not insert padding bytes for frames equal or larger than 32 bytes, frames smaller than 32 bytes are always padded. If TX_PAD_EN=0 in 10G mode of operation, the MAC can send short unpadded frames of any size.
12	SW_RESET	Self-Clearing Software Reset. When written with '1', all Statistics Counters are reset to 0.
13	CMD_FRAME_ENA	Enable Reception of all Command Frames. If set to '1', all command frames are accepted. If set to '0' (Reset Value), only Pause frames are accepted and all other command frames are rejected. A command or control frame is defined as having a MAC address of 01-80-c2-00-00-01 and type of 0x8808 and an opcode field that does not match the pause opcode.
14	RX_ERR_DISC	Enable Receive Errored Frame Discard. If set to '1', any frame received with an error is discarded in the Core and not forwarded to the client interface. If set to '0' (Reset value), errored frames are forwarded to the client interface with <code>ff_rx_err</code> asserted. <b>Note:</b> Not available in this implementation.
15	PHY_TXENA	Enable PHY Transmit. If set to '1', the signal <code>phy_txena&lt;n&gt;</code> is set to '1'. If set to '0' (Reset value), the signal <code>phy_txena&lt;n&gt;</code> is set to '0'.
16	SEND_IDLE	Force Idle Generation. If set to '1', the MAC permanently sends XL/CGMII Idle sequences even when faults are received.
17	NO_LGTH_CHECK	Disable Payload Length Check. If set to '0' (Reset value), the Core checks the frame's payload length with the frame's Length/Type field. If set to '1', the payload length check is disabled.
18	RS_COL_CNT_EXT	If set to '1', sets the reconciliation sublayer parameter <code>col_cnt</code> to the value set in the global register WAN_RS_COL_CNT. When disabled (0), the <code>col_cnt</code> is set as defined by the IEEE 802.3ae standard (128) ignoring the global setting.

19	PFC_MODE	Priority Flow Control Mode. If set to '1', the Core generates and processes PFC control frames according to the Priority Flow Control Interface signals. If set to '0' (Reset Value), the Core operates in legacy Pause Frame mode and generates and processes standard Pause Frames (See Flow Control Interface on page 60).
20	PAUSE_PFC_COMP	Link Pause Compatibility with PFC Mode. If set to '1', Pause frames in legacy pause mode are processed similar to PFC frames in PFC mode, i.e. the transmit path is not paused by incoming Pause frames, only the pause status <code>ff_rx_pfc_xoff&lt;n&gt;(0)</code> is asserted as long as the internal pause timer has not expired. If set to '0' (Reset value). (See Flow Control Interface on page 60). This bit is relevant only when PFC_MODE=0.
21	RX_SFD_ANY	Enables, when set, that any character is allowed at the SFD position of the preamble and the frame will be accepted. Note that when this bit is set, no alignment error can occur. If cleared (default) the frame is accepted only if the 8th byte of the preamble contains the SFD value 0xd5. If another value is received, the frame is discarded and the alignment error counter increments.
22	TX_FLUSH	Egress Flush Enable. If set to '1', the Core reads out the Tx FIFO and drops the data (data is not sent out on the line). The associated pause signals (link pause or priority flow control) are masked.
23 to 31	reserved	unused

## STATUS Register Bit Definitions

Table 41 – STATUS Register Description

Bit#	Bit Name	Type	Description
0	RX_LOC_FAULT	ROR	Latch-High Local Fault Status. Set to '1' when the MAC detects RX Local Fault Sequences on the XL/CGMII receive interface. Reset to '0' after read and after reset.
1	RX_REM_FAULT	ROR	Latch-High Remote Fault Status. Set to '1' when the MAC detects RX Remote Fault Sequences on the XL/CGMII receive interface. Reset to '0' after read and after reset.
2	PHY_LOS	RO	PHY indicates loss-of-signal. Represents value of pin <code>phy_los&lt;n&gt;</code> .
3	TS_AVAIL	RW	Transmit Timestamp Available. Indicates that the timestamp of the last transmitted 1588 event frame is available in the register <code>TS_TIMESTAMP</code> . To clear <code>TS_AVAIL</code> , the bit must be written with a '1'.
4 to 31	reserved	--	unused

## 10G MAC SGMII PCS Register Map

When operating in 10G mode of operation, the 10G MAC can implement a configurable 10/100/1000 SGMII/1000Base-X PCS layer instead of the normal XGMII/10GBase-R PCS layer to allow operations below 10Gbps (See 0 page 85 for further description).

The following registers are accessible to control the SGMII PCS operation. The register set is found in the MAC register space from offset 0x300 onwards for each segment individually.

The registers only have 16-bit of relevant data in the lower 16 bits of each 32-bit word. The upper 16 bits are ignored. The implementation follows the IEEE 802.3 Clause 22 register set layout.

### 1000Base-X / SGMII PCS

Table 1 - SGMII PCS Register Map

Reg#	Addr (hex)	Register Name	Typ	Description	Reset Value
0	300	CONTROL	RW	Control Register. Used to enable / disable functions in the PCS and to initiate commands such as reset. See Table 42 – (SGMII PCS) CONTROL Register Description on page 87	0x1140
1	304	STATUS	RO	Status Register. Provides information on the operation of the PCS. See Table 43 – (SGMII) PCS STATUS Register Description on page 87	0x0009
2	308	PHY_IDENTIFIER	RO	PHY Identification Register. Read only register programmed with a custom value.	0x4950
3	30c		RO	PHY Identification Register. Read only register programmed with a custom value.	0x4d54
4	310	DEV_ABILITY	RW	Device ability register advertised to the link partner during the Auto-negotiation process. Bits 15, 13:0 are programmable. Bit 14 is not relevant and should be written with 0 always. The bit definitions are shown in Table 44 – (SGMII PCS) DEVICE/PARTNER_ABILITY Register Description - 1000Base-X mode on page 88 Note: The register value is typically not relevant in SGMII mode and can be left at its default (must not be 0 in any mode). A SGMII PHY normally does not interpret this value. Please check with the PHY vendor documentation if any value needs to be programmed for SGMII auto-negotiation.	0x01a0

5	314	PARTNER_ABILITY	RO	Received ability from remote device after auto-negotiation has completed. Depending on the mode of operation, the bit definitions are shown in Table 44 – (SGMII PCS) DEVICE/PARTNER_ABILITY Register Description - 1000Base-X mode on page 88 and Table 44 – (SGMII PCS) DEVICE/PARTNER_ABILITY Register Description - SGMII Mode on page 88	0
6	318	AN_EXPANSION	ROR	reserved Bit 0: real-time page receive indication Bit 1: latched high page received indication (cleared on read)	0
7	31c	DEVICE_NP	RO	The PCS does not support next page auto-negotiation.	0
8	320	PARTNER_NP	RO	The PCS does not support next page autonegotiation.	0
9:14	324:338		RO	reserved	0
15	33c	EXTENDED_STATUS	RO	The PCS does not support extended status, always 0.	
16	340	reserved	RO		
17	344	reserved	RO		
18	348	LINK_TIMER_lo	RW	Auto Negotiation Link Timer (RW). Set the Link Timer value from 0 to 16ms in 8ns steps (125MHz clock periods). The reset value sets the Link Timer to 10ms (1250000). Bits 15:0 are stored in the _lo register. Bits 20:16 are stored in the _hi register bits 4:0. Unused bits are reserved and set to read only value 0. Bit 0 is unused (i.e. value in steps of 2 only) and always 0.	0x12d0
19	34c	LINK_TIMER_hi	RW	Bits 20:16 of the timer value are stored in bits 4:0.	0x13
20	350	IF_MODE	RW	SGMII enable and mode configuration. Used to set the PCS interface operation. See Table 47 – (SGMII PCS) IF_MODE Register Description on page 90	0
21:31	354:37C	reserved	RO	unused	

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Table 42 – (SGMII PCS) CONTROL Register Description

Bit(s)	Name	Type	Description
0 to 5	Reserved	RO	Read only bit always set to '0'.
6 and 13	Speed Selection	RO	Read only bits that define that the PCS only operates in Gigabit mode: Bit 13 set to '0'. Bit 6 set to '1'.
7	Collision Test	RO	Half duplex not supported by the PCS, read only bit set to '0'.
8	Duplex Mode	RO	Read only bit always set to '1' to indication that the PCS only supports Full Duplex mode of operation and does not support Half Duplex mode of operation.
9	Restart Auto Negotiation	RW	Self-clearing command bit: Set to '1' to restart an auto negotiation sequence. Set to '0' (Reset value) in normal operation mode.
10	Isolate	RW	When set to '1', the PCS is isolated from the MAC Layer device. Should be set to '0' (Reset value) to enable normal operation. Note: When set keeps the PCS in reset (equals bit15=1 permanently).
11	Power Down	RW	When set to '1', the PCS drives its powerdown output pin. setting not relevant, function not used.
12	Auto Negotiation Enable	RW	When set to '1' (Reset value) Auto Negotiation is enabled, set to '0' to disable Auto Negotiation.
14	Loopback	RW	PHY Loopback Command Register. When set to '1', a serial loopback is implemented in the PMA. Should be set to '0' (Reset value) during normal operation. setting not relevant, function not used.
15	Reset	RW	Self-Clearing Reset Command Register. When set to '1', a synchronous reset pulse is generated which resets all the PCS state machines, the Comma detection function, and the 8b/10b coder / decoder? '0' for normal operation.

Table 43 – (SGMII PCS) STATUS Register Description

Bit(s)	Name	Type	Description
0	Extended Capability	RO	Read Only bit set to '1' to indicate that the PCS supports extended registers.
1	Jabber Detect	RO	Read Only bit always set to '0', the PCS does not support the optional Jabber detection function.
2	Link Status	RO (LL)	Read Only Link Status Register. When read as a logic one, indicates that the PCS has determined that a valid link has been established. When read as a logic zero, indicates that the link is not valid. If the link synchronization is lost a '0' is latched which is cleared only after a register read access.
3	Auto Negotiation Ability	RO	Read Only Bit set to '1' to indicate that the PCS PCS supports Auto-Negotiation.

4	Remote Fault	RO	Read Only Bit always set to '0'. The PCS does not implement a PHY specific remote fault detection optional function.
5	Auto Negotiation Complete	RO	Read Only Bit set to '1' to indicate that the Auto Negotiation process is completed and that the Auto Negotiation control registers are valid. Set to '0' if the Auto Negotiation process is not completed or if Auto Negotiation is disabled.
6	Reserved	RO	
7	Reserved	RO	-
8	Extended Status	RO	Read Only bit always set to '0' to indicate that the PCS does not implement an extended status register.
9	100Base-T2 Half Duplex	RO	Read Only bit set to '0' to indicate that the PCS does not support 100Base-T2 operation.
10	100Base-T2 Half Duplex	RO	
11	10Mbps Half Duplex	RO	Read Only bit set to '0' to indicate that the PCS does not support 10Mbps operation.
12	10Mbps Full Duplex	RO	
13	100Base-X Half Duplex	RO	Read Only bit set to '0' to indicate that the PCS does not support 100Base-X operation.
14	100Base-X Full Duplex	RO	
15	100Base-T4	RO	Read Only bit set to '0' to indicate that the PCS does not support 100Base-T4 operation.

Table 44 – (SGMII PCS) DEVICE/PARTNER\_ABILITY Register Description - 1000Base-X mode

Bit(s)	Name	Type	Description
0 to 4	Reserved	RW	-
5	FD	RW	Full Duplex Support. Set to '1' when the device advertises that it supports Full Duplex Mode of operation. The device-ability (advertisement) register reset value sets the bit to 1 indicating full duplex operation.
6	HD	RW	Half Duplex Support. Set to '1' when the device advertises that it supports Half Duplex Mode of operation.
7	PS1	RW	Advertise that the PCS supports pause on both transmit and receive. PS1 (Pause) indicates pause capability. PS2 (ASM_DIR) indicates pause asymmetry. Refer to IEEE802.3 Clause 37.2.4.2 for pause resolution. The device-ability (advertisement) register reset value sets both bits to 1 indicating full pause support in both directions.
8	PS2	RW	
9 to 11	Reserved	RW	-
12	RF1	RW	Remote fault condition advertise: RF1.RF2: 0.0: no error; normal operation 0.1: offline; device going offline 1.0: link failure; 1.1: autonegotiation error;
13	RF2	RW	

14	ACK	RO	Acknowledgement bit used during autonegotiation. Setting of the bit in the device ability advertisement register is not relevant to the operation of the autonegotiation function. The bit is typically set in the received partner ability register upon successful completion of autonegotiation.
15	NP	RW	Next page capable. Set to '1' to indicate next page capability.

Table 45 – (SGMII PCS) DEVICE/PARTNER\_ABILITY Register Description - SGMII Mode

Bit(s)	Name	Type	Description
0 to 9	Reserved	RW	reserved. Bit 0 should be set to 1.
10 to 11	Copper Speed	RW	Read only bits, used to by the SGMII PHY to advertise the Copper interface speed (Bit 11:10): 00: Copper Interface Speed is 10Mbps 01: Copper Interface Speed is 100Mbps 10: Copper Interface Speed is Gigabit 11: Reserved
12	Copper Duplex Status	RW	Read only bit, used by the SGMII PHY to advertise the Link Partner Copper duplex capability: 0: Copper Interface resolved to Half-Duplex 1: Copper Interface resolved to Full-Duplex
13	Reserved	RW	-
14	ACK	RO	Acknowledgement bit used during autonegotiation. Setting of the bit in the device ability advertisement register is not relevant to the operation of the autonegotiation function. The bit is typically set in the received partner ability register upon successful completion of autonegotiation.
15	Copper Link Status	RW	Read only bit, used by the SGMII PHY to advertise the Link Partner Copper status: 1: Copper interface link is up 0: Copper interface link is down

**Note:** The device ability register (DEV\_ABILITY) in SGMII mode is normally not relevant to the PHY and can contain any value, however must never be 0. The default should be left unchanged if not specifically required by the PHY device.

Table 46 – (SGMII PCS) AN\_EXPANSION Register Description

Bit(s)	Name	Type	Description
0	Real-time Page Receive	RO	Set to '1' to indicate that a new page has been received. This bit is a real-time indication of the page received status.
1	Page Receive	RO (LH)	Set to '1' to indicate that a new page has been received with new partner ability available in the PCS register PARTNER_ABILITY. The bit is set to '0' (Reset value) when the register is read.
2:15	Reserved	RO	-

Table 47 – (SGMII PCS) IF\_MODE Register Description

Bit(s)	Name	Type	Description
0	SGMII_ENA	RW	SGMII Mode Enable. When set to '0' (Reset Value), the PCS operates in standard 1000Base-X Gigabit mode, when set to '1', the PCS operates in SGMII Mode. If the bit is '0' the bits 1..4 of this register are ignored.
1	USE_SGMII_AN	RW	Use the SGMII Auto-Negotiation Results to Program the PCS Speed. When set to '0' (Reset Value), the PCS operation should be programmed with the register bit SGMII_SPEED and SGMII_DUPLEX. When '1', the PCS operation is automatically set according to the Partner abilities advertised during Auto-Negotiation. Ignored when SGMII_ENA is set to '0'.
2 to 3	SGMII_SPEED	RW	SGMII Speed. When the PCS operates in SGMII mode (SGMII_ENA set to '1') and when the PCS is programmed not to be automatically configured (USE_SGMII_AN set to '0'), sets the PCS speed of operation (Bit 4:0): 00: 10Mbps 01: 100Mbps 10: Gigabit 11: Reserved Bits ignored when SGMII_ENA=0 or USE_SGMII_AN=0.
4	SGMII_HDUPLEX	RW	SGMII Halfduplex Mode: When set (1), halfduplex is enabled, when cleared, fullduplex is enabled (default). Note: halfduplex is not supported in this implementation. This bit setting has no effect.
5	SGMII_PCS_ENABLE	RW	Enable SGMII/1000Base-X PCS instead of XGMII/10GBase-R for the 10G MAC. When set (1) the SGMII PCS layer becomes active and the channel is configured for 1G mode of operation. The other bits in this register have no meaning if this bit is not set. When cleared (0, default) the MAC operates in 10G mode with an XGMII (internally) and 10GBase-R PCS Layer. Note: This bit only configures the datapath within the combined MAC and PCS layers. It does not change the PMA/SERDES module, externally to the core. This must be controlled elsewhere to adapt the correct interface width (10-bit) and speed (125MHz). Note: After setting this bit=1, a PCS soft reset should be performed by writing bit15 of the PCS control register.
5 to 15	Reserved	RO	-

## Global Registers

### Core Configuration Registers

The Core Configuration Registers are located on register page 12 (0x3000). The register map of the core configuration registers is shown below.

Table 48 – Core Configuration Register Map

Reg #	Addr (hex)	Register Name	Type	Description
0	00	ACT_CTL_SEG	RW	11:0: Active segment control (1 bit per segment). 0: segment is inactive (Reset value) 1: segment is active  Bits 31:12 are unused and always set to '0'.
1	04	MODE_CTL_SEG	RW	23:0: Segment mode control (2 bits per segment; (1:0)=SEG0, (3:2)=SEG1, ..., (23:22)=SEG11). 00: segment is in 10G mode (Reset value) 01: segment is in 40G mode 10: segment is in 100G mode 11: reserved  Only segments 0, 4 or 8 can be set in 40G mode. Only segment 0 can be set in 100G mode. Bits 31:24 are unused and always set to '0'.
2	08	TXCLK_CTL_SEG	RO	23:0: PMA Transmit Clock Selection control (2 bits per segment; (1:0)=SEG0, (3:2)=SEG1, ..., (23:22)=SEG11). This register reflects the setting of the output pins <code>sd_tx_clk_ctrl</code> (23:0). 00: 525.625 MHz (Auto-negotiation) 01: 125 MHz (1G mode of operation) 10: 515.625 MHz (10/40/100G mode of operation) 11: reserved Bits 31:24 are unused and always return '0' on read.
3	0C	reserved	--	unused
4	10	TX_PRMBL_CTL_SEG	RW	23:0: User defined Tx preamble control (2 bits per segment; (1:0)=SEG0, (3:2)=SEG1, ..., (23:22)=SEG11). 00: use default preamble (Reset value) 01: use TX_PREAMBLE_{1,0} register value 10: use ff_tx_preamble input signals 11: reserved  Only segments 0, 1, 2 or 3 can be set to "10" to use the ff_tx_preamble input signals. It is up to the user application to ensure that "10" is not set for more than 1 segment. Bits 31:24 are unused and always set to '0'.
5	14	RX_PRMBL_CTL_SEG	RW	3:0: User defined Rx preamble control (1 bit per segment). 0: do not extract Rx preamble into ff_rx_preamble 1: extract Rx preamble into ff_rx_preamble Only segments 0, 1, 2 or 3 can be set to "1" to use the ff_rx_preamble output signals. It is up to the user application to ensure that "1" is not set for more than 1 segment. Bits 31:4 are unused and always set to '0'.
6	18	TS_CTL_SEG	RW	3:0: Timestamping support control (1 bit per segment). 0: no support for timestamping

				1: support for timestamping Only segments 0, 1, 2 or 3 can be set to "1" to use the timestamping support. It is up to the user application to ensure that "1" is not set for more than 1 segment. Bits 31:4 are unused and always set to '0'.
7	1C	STAT_CTL_SEG	RW	3:0: Receive status vector control (1 bit per segment). 0: do not provide Rx status on ff_rx_err_stat(23:0) 1: provide Rx status on ff_rx_err_stat(23:0) Only segments 0, 1, 2 or 3 can be set to "1" to use the ff_rx_err_stat output signals. It is up to the user application to ensure that "1" is not set for more than 1 segment. Bits 31:4 are unused and always set to '0'.
8	20	WAN_RS_COL_CNT	RW	Bits 15:0. A 16-bit value used as limit for the column-counter for the 10GBase-R fault statemachine (IEEE802.3ae Clause 46.3.4). Defaults to 127 for IEEE 802.3ae conformant behavior. The setting is relevant only in 12x10G mode of operation and is used by a 10G MAC when it is configured to use the extended column counter (see Command_config(RS_COL_CNT_EXT)). Bits 31:16: reserved, write 0 always.
9-15	24-3C	reserved	--	unused
16	40	VL_INTVL	RW	Bit 0: Virtual Lane Marker Interval. When set to '0' (reset value), alignment markers are inserted and detected after every 16383 blocks according to IEEE 802.3ba standard specification. For test purposes, setting this bit to '1' will change the interval to 1023 blocks. Bits 31:1: reserved, write 0 always.

### VLAN Tag Configuration Registers

The VLAN Tag Configuration Registers are located on register page 14 (0x3800). The register map of the VLAN Tag configuration registers is shown below.

All configuration registers are used simultaneously to detect VLAN frames. If less than eight values are used, all unused registers must be preset with any of the used values as all registers are always active. E.g. if only one value is used, all eight registers must be set to this one same value.

Table 49 – VLAN Tag Configuration Register Map

Reg#	Addr (hex)	Register Name	Type	Description	Reset Value
0	00	VLAN_TPID_0	RW	15:0: VLAN Tag TPID 0. Bits 31:16 are unused and always set to '0'.	0x8100
1	04	VLAN_TPID_1	RW	15:0: VLAN Tag TPID 1. Bits 31:16 are unused and always set to '0'.	0x8100
2	08	VLAN_TPID_2	RW	15:0: VLAN Tag TPID 2. Bits 31:16 are unused and always set to '0'.	0x8100
3	0C	VLAN_TPID_3	RW	15:0: VLAN Tag TPID 3.	0x8100

				Bits 31:16 are unused and always set to '0'.	
4	10	VLAN_TPID_4	RW	15:0: VLAN Tag TPID 4. Bits 31:16 are unused and always set to '0'.	0x8100
5	14	VLAN_TPID_5	RW	15:0: VLAN Tag TPID 5. Bits 31:16 are unused and always set to '0'.	0x8100
6	18	VLAN_TPID_6	RW	15:0: VLAN Tag TPID 6. Bits 31:16 are unused and always set to '0'.	0x8100
7	1C	VLAN_TPID_7	RW	15:0: VLAN Tag TPID 7. Bits 31:16 are unused and always set to '0'.	0x8100

### Channelized PCS Registers

The Channelized PCS Registers are located on pages 16 through 27. Each segment has its own set of PCS configuration, control and status registers. The register map of each register set is identical and shown below.

The following register map shows a 32-Bit register implementation. The address is given in steps of 4 to indicate the 32-bit alignment of the register space. All PCS registers are only 16-bit wide (15:0). Write accesses to the upper 16-bit (31:16) are ignored, and read always return 0 for these.

Bit 0 is the least significant bit and all registers are initialized to zero upon reset except when stated otherwise.

The following register and bit types are used:

- RW: Read/write register. Unused bits should be written with 0 and ignored on read.
- RO: Read only, write has no effect.
- WO: Write only, returns all zero on read.
- ROR: Read only and Reset. The value is reset to zero after reading the register.
- LH: Latch high. Bit stays 1 if event occurred. Latch is cleared after reading the register.
- LL: Latch low. Bit stays 0 if event occurred. Latch is cleared after reading the register.
- SC: Self-clearing.
- NR: Non Roll-over.

Reserved bits or registers default to 0 and are read-only if not stated otherwise.

Table 50 – PCS Register Map – General PCS Information

Reg#	Add. (hex)	Register Name	Type	Description	Reset
0	00	CONTROL 1	RW	[15]: Reset. 1=PCS reset (see PCS Reset on page 40), 0=normal operation. (SC) [14]: Loopback. 1=Enable loopback (see ), 0=normal. [13]: Speed selection. (13,6)=11=bits 5:2 select speed. [12]: Reserved. Always 0, writes ignored. [11]: Low power. 1=Low power mode, 0=normal.	0x2040

				<p>[10:7]: Reserved. Always 0, writes ignored.  [6]: Speed selection. (13,6)=11=bits 5:2 select speed.  [5:2]: Speed selection.  0100: 100 Gb/s  0011: 40 Gb/s  0010: Reserved for 802.3av  0001: 10PASS-TS/2BASE-TL  0000: 10 Gb/s  [1:0]: Reserved. Always 0, writes ignored.</p> <p>Notes:  Only bits 15,14 are writeable. All others are read-only.  Speed Bits (13,6:2) are set to 110100 for 100GBASE-R, 110011 for 40GBASE-R, or 110000 for 10GBASE-R inherited from global configuration.  Low Power Bit 11 is not supported, always 0.</p>	
1	04	STATUS 1	RO	<p>[15:8]: Reserved  [7]: Fault detected. (Not available, always 0)  [6:3]: Reserved  [2]: Receive link status. 1=Link up, 0=link down. (LL)  [1]: Low power ability. not available, always 0.  [0]: Reserved</p>	0
2	08	DEVICE ID0	RO	<p>Bits 15:0 of Device Identifier  Bits 3..0 are used and set identically to the segment number of the PCS. All other bits are 0.</p>	n
3	0C	DEVICE ID1	RO	<p>Bits 31:16 of Device Identifier  Always 0.</p>	0
4	10	SPEED ABILITY	RO	<p>15:9 Reserved  8: 100G capable  7: 40G capable  6:2: Reserved  1: 10PASS-TS/2BASE-TL capable  0: 10G capable</p> <p>Note: Only bit 8 is set for 100GBASE-R, only bit 7 is set for 40GBASE-R, and only bit 0 is set for 10GBASE-R, inherited from global configuration.</p>	0x0001
5	14	DEVICES IN PKG1	RO	<p>15:7: Reserved  6: TC present  5: DTE XS present  4: PHY XS present  3: PCS present (default: 1)  2: WIS present  1: PMD/PMA present  0: Clause 22 registers present</p>	0x0008
6	18	DEVICES IN PKG2	RO	<p>15: Vendor specific device 2 present  14: Vendor specific device 1 present  13: Clause 22 extension present  12:0: Reserved</p>	0
7	1C	CONTROL 2	RO	<p>15:3: Reserved. Always 0, writes ignored.  2:0: PCS type selection.</p>	0x0000

				<p>101: Select 100GBASE-R PCS type  100: Select 40GBASE-R PCS type  011: Select 10GBASE-T PCS type  010: Select 10GBASE-W PCS type  001: Select 10GBASE-X PCS type  000: Select 10GBASE-R PCS type</p> <p>Note: Bits 2:0 are set to 101 for 100GBASE-R, 100 for 40GBASE-R, or 000 for 10GBASE-R, inherited from global configuration.</p>	
8	20	STATUS 2	RO	<p>15:14: Device present. 10=device responding at this address.  13:12: Reserved  11: Transmit fault. 1=Fault condition on transmit path. (LH)  10: Receive fault. 1=Fault condition on receive path. (LH)  9:6: Reserved  5: 100GBASE-R capable  4: 40GBASE-R capable  3: 10GBASE-T capable  2: 10GBASE-W capable  1: 10GBASE-X capable  0: 10GBASE-R capable</p> <p>Notes:  Bits 10,11 are not implemented, always 0.  Bits 5:0 are set to 100000 for 100GBASE-R, 010000 for 40GBASE-R, or 000001 for 10GBASE-R, inherited from global configuration.</p>	0x8001
9 - 13	24-34			Reserved	0
14	38	PKG ID0	RO	Bits 15:0 of Package Identifier, always 0	0
15	3C	PKG ID1	RO	Bits 31:16 of Package Identifier, always 0	0
16 - 31	40-7C			Reserved	0

Table 51 – PCS Register Map – 10G/40G/100GBASE-PCS Registers

Reg#	Add. (hex)	Register Name	Type	Description	Reset
32	80	10/40/100G BASE-R STATUS 1	RO	<p>15:13: Reserved  12: Receive link status. 1=Link up, 0=link down.  11:4: Reserved  3: 10GBASE-R PRBS9 pattern testing ability.  2: 10GBASE-R PRBS31 pattern testing ability.  1: High BER. 1=PCS reporting a high BER.  0: Block lock. 1=PCS locked to received blocks.</p>	0
33	84	10/40/100G BASE-R STATUS 2	ROR	<p>15: Latched block lock. (LL)  14: Latched high BER. (LH)  13:8: BER counter. (NR)  7:0: Errored blocks counter. (NR)</p>	0
34	88	10G BASE-R SEED A0	RW	Bits 15:0 of Test Pattern Seed A	0

35	8C	10G BASE-R SEED A1	RW	Bits 31:16 of Test Pattern Seed A	0
36	90	10G BASE-R SEED A2	RW	Bits 47:32 of Test Pattern Seed A	0
37	94	10G BASE-R SEED A3	RW	15:10: Reserved. Always 0, writes ignored. 9:0: Bits 57:48 of Test Pattern Seed A	0
38	98	10G BASE-R SEED B0	RW	Bits 15:0 of Test Pattern Seed B	0
39	9C	10G BASE-R SEED B1	RW	Bits 31:16 of Test Pattern Seed B	0
40	A0	10G BASE-R SEED B2	RW	Bits 47:32 of Test Pattern Seed B	0
41	A4	10G BASE-R SEED B3	RW	15:10: Reserved. Always 0, writes ignored. 9:0: Bits 57:48 of Test Pattern Seed B	0
42	A8	10/40/100G BASE-R TEST CONTROL	RW	<p>15:7: Reserved. Always 0, writes ignored. 6: 10GBASE-R PRBS9 transmit test-pattern enable. 5: 10GBASE-R PRBS31 receive test-pattern enable. 4: 10GBASE-R PRBS31 transmit test-pattern enable. 3: Transmit test-pattern enable. 2: Receive test-pattern enable. 1: Test pattern select. 1=Square wave, 0=pseudo random. 0: Data pattern select. 1=Zeros data pattern, 0=LF data pattern.</p> <p><b>Notes:</b> Bits 1:0 are fixed to 00 for 100GBASE-R and 40GBASE-R. When bits 3:2 are enabled, test pattern according to bits 1:0 are generated for 10GBASE-R, or scrambled idle test pattern are generated for 100GBASE-R and 40GBASE-R. Bits 6:4 are not available. Always reads as '0', writes are ignored.</p>	0
43	AC	10/40/100G BASE-R TEST ERR CNT	ROR	Test-pattern error counter. (NR)	0
44	B0	BER HIGH ORDER CNT	RO	15:0: Bits 21:6 of BER counter. (NR)	0
45	B4	ERR BLK HIGH ORDER CNT	RO	15: High order counter present. Always 1, writes ignored. 14: Reserved. Always 0, writes ignored. 13:0: Bits 21:8 of errored blocks counter. (NR)	0
46-49	B8-C4			Reserved	0

50	C8	MULTI-LANE ALIGN STATUS 1	RO	15:13: Reserved 12: Lane alignment status. 1=All Receive lanes locked and aligned. 11:8: Reserved 7: Lane 7 block lock 6: Lane 6 block lock 5: Lane 5 block lock 4: Lane 4 block lock 3: Lane 3 block lock 2: Lane 2 block lock 1: Lane 1 block lock 0: Lane 0 block lock  <b>Note:</b> Bits 7:4 are reserved for 40GBASE-R.	0
51	CC	MULTI-LANE ALIGN STATUS 2	RO	15:12: Reserved 11: Lane 19 block lock 10: Lane 18 block lock 9: Lane 17 block lock 8: Lane 16 block lock 7: Lane 15 block lock 6: Lane 14 block lock 5: Lane 13 block lock 4: Lane 12 block lock 3: Lane 11 block lock 2: Lane 10 block lock 1: Lane 9 block lock 0: Lane 8 block lock  <b>Note:</b> Bits 11:0 are reserved for 40GBASE-R.	0
52	D0	MULTI-LANE ALIGN STATUS 3	RO	15:8: Reserved 7: Lane 7 alignment marker lock 6: Lane 6 alignment marker lock 5: Lane 5 alignment marker lock 4: Lane 4 alignment marker lock 3: Lane 3 alignment marker lock 2: Lane 2 alignment marker lock 1: Lane 1 alignment marker lock 0: Lane 0 alignment marker lock  <b>Note:</b> Bits 7:4 are reserved for 40GBASE-R.	0
53	D4	MULTI-LANE ALIGN STATUS 4	RO	15:12: Reserved 11: Lane 19 alignment marker lock 10: Lane 18 alignment marker lock 9: Lane 17 alignment marker lock 8: Lane 16 alignment marker lock 7: Lane 15 alignment marker lock 6: Lane 14 alignment marker lock 5: Lane 13 alignment marker lock 4: Lane 12 alignment marker lock 3: Lane 11 alignment marker lock 2: Lane 10 alignment marker lock 1: Lane 9 alignment marker lock 0: Lane 8 alignment marker lock  <b>Note:</b> Bits 11:0 are reserved for 40GBASE-R.	0
54 - 89	D8 - 164			Reserved	0

90	168	BIP ERR CNT LANE 0	ROR	15:0: BIP error counter lane 0 (NR)	0
91	16C	BIP ERR CNT LANE 1	ROR	15:0: BIP error counter lane 1 (NR)	0
92	170	BIP ERR CNT LANE 2	ROR	15:0: BIP error counter lane 2 (NR)	0
93	174	BIP ERR CNT LANE 3	ROR	15:0: BIP error counter lane 3 (NR)	0
94	178	BIP ERR CNT LANE 4	ROR	15:0: BIP error counter lane 4 (NR) <b>Note:</b> Bits 15:0 are reserved for 40GBASE-R.	0
95	17C	BIP ERR CNT LANE 5	ROR	15:0: BIP error counter lane 5 (NR) <b>Note:</b> Bits 15:0 are reserved for 40GBASE-R.	0
96	180	BIP ERR CNT LANE 6	ROR	15:0: BIP error counter lane 6 (NR) <b>Note:</b> Bits 15:0 are reserved for 40GBASE-R.	0
97	184	BIP ERR CNT LANE 7	ROR	15:0: BIP error counter lane 7 (NR) <b>Note:</b> Bits 15:0 are reserved for 40GBASE-R.	0
98	188	BIP ERR CNT LANE 8	ROR	15:0: BIP error counter lane 8 (NR) <b>Note:</b> Bits 15:0 are reserved for 40GBASE-R.	0
99	18C	BIP ERR CNT LANE 9	ROR	15:0: BIP error counter lane 9 (NR) <b>Note:</b> Bits 15:0 are reserved for 40GBASE-R.	0
100	190	BIP ERR CNT LANE 10	ROR	15:0: BIP error counter lane 10 (NR) <b>Note:</b> Bits 15:0 are reserved for 40GBASE-R.	0
101	194	BIP ERR CNT LANE 11	ROR	15:0: BIP error counter lane 11 (NR) <b>Note:</b> Bits 15:0 are reserved for 40GBASE-R.	0
102	198	BIP ERR CNT LANE 12	ROR	15:0: BIP error counter lane 12 (NR) <b>Note:</b> Bits 15:0 are reserved for 40GBASE-R.	0
103	19C	BIP ERR CNT LANE 13	ROR	15:0: BIP error counter lane 13 (NR) <b>Note:</b> Bits 15:0 are reserved for 40GBASE-R.	0
104	1A0	BIP ERR CNT LANE 14	ROR	15:0: BIP error counter lane 14 (NR) <b>Note:</b> Bits 15:0 are reserved for 40GBASE-R.	0
105	1A4	BIP ERR CNT LANE 15	ROR	15:0: BIP error counter lane 15 (NR) <b>Note:</b> Bits 15:0 are reserved for 40GBASE-R.	0
106	1A8	BIP ERR CNT LANE 16	ROR	15:0: BIP error counter lane 16 (NR) <b>Note:</b> Bits 15:0 are reserved for 40GBASE-R.	0
107	1AC	BIP ERR CNT LANE 17	ROR	15:0: BIP error counter lane 17 (NR) <b>Note:</b> Bits 15:0 are reserved for 40GBASE-R.	0

108	1B0	BIP ERR CNT LANE 18	ROR	15:0: BIP error counter lane 18 (NR) <b>Note:</b> Bits 15:0 are reserved for 40GBASE-R.	0
109	1B4	BIP ERR CNT LANE 19	ROR	15:0: BIP error counter lane 19 (NR) <b>Note:</b> Bits 15:0 are reserved for 40GBASE-R.	0
110	1B8	LANE MAP 0	RO	4:0: Lane mapping register for PCS lane 0 15:5: reserved	0
111	1BC	LANE MAP 1	RO	4:0: Lane mapping register for PCS lane 1 15:5: reserved	0
112	1C0	LANE MAP 2	RO	4:0: Lane mapping register for PCS lane 2 15:5: reserved	0
113	1C4	LANE MAP 3	RO	4:0: Lane mapping register for PCS lane 3 15:5: reserved	0
114	1C8	LANE MAP 4	RO	4:0: Lane mapping register for PCS lane 4 15:5: reserved <b>Note:</b> Bits 15:0 are reserved for 40GBASE-R.	0
115	1CC	LANE MAP 5	RO	4:0: Lane mapping register for PCS lane 5 15:5: reserved <b>Note:</b> Bits 15:0 are reserved for 40GBASE-R.	0
116	1D0	LANE MAP 6	RO	4:0: Lane mapping register for PCS lane 6 15:5: reserved <b>Note:</b> Bits 15:0 are reserved for 40GBASE-R.	0
117	1D4	LANE MAP 7	RO	4:0: Lane mapping register for PCS lane 7 15:5: reserved <b>Note:</b> Bits 15:0 are reserved for 40GBASE-R.	0
118	1D8	LANE MAP 8	RO	4:0: Lane mapping register for PCS lane 8 15:5: reserved <b>Note:</b> Bits 15:0 are reserved for 40GBASE-R.	0
119	1DC	LANE MAP 9	RO	4:0: Lane mapping register for PCS lane 9 15:5: reserved <b>Note:</b> Bits 15:0 are reserved for 40GBASE-R.	0
120	1E0	LANE MAP 10	RO	4:0: Lane mapping register for PCS lane 10 15:5: reserved <b>Note:</b> Bits 15:0 are reserved for 40GBASE-R.	0
121	1E4	LANE MAP 11	RO	4:0: Lane mapping register for PCS lane 11 15:5: reserved <b>Note:</b> Bits 15:0 are reserved for 40GBASE-R.	0
122	1E8	LANE MAP 12	RO	4:0: Lane mapping register for PCS lane 12 15:5: reserved <b>Note:</b> Bits 15:0 are reserved for 40GBASE-R.	0
123	1EC	LANE MAP 13	RO	4:0: Lane mapping register for PCS lane 13 15:5: reserved <b>Note:</b> Bits 15:0 are reserved for 40GBASE-R.	0
124	1F0	LANE MAP 14	RO	4:0: Lane mapping register for PCS lane 14 15:5: reserved <b>Note:</b> Bits 15:0 are reserved for 40GBASE-R.	0
125	1F4	LANE MAP 15	RO	4:0: Lane mapping register for PCS lane 15 15:5: reserved <b>Note:</b> Bits 15:0 are reserved for 40GBASE-R.	0
126	1F8	LANE MAP 16	RO	4:0: Lane mapping register for PCS lane 16 15:5: reserved <b>Note:</b> Bits 15:0 are reserved for 40GBASE-R.	0
127	1FC	LANE MAP 17	RO	4:0: Lane mapping register for PCS lane 17 15:5: reserved <b>Note:</b> Bits 15:0 are reserved for 40GBASE-R.	0

128	200	LANE MAP 18	RO	4:0: Lane mapping register for PCS lane 18 15:5: reserved <b>Note:</b> Bits 15:0 are reserved for 40GBASE-R.	0
129	204	LANE MAP 19	RO	4:0: Lane mapping register for PCS lane 19 15:5: reserved <b>Note:</b> Bits 15:0 are reserved for 40GBASE-R.	0
130 - 255	208 - 3FC			Reserved	0

## Auto-Negotiation Registers

The Auto-Negotiation Registers are located on page 28. Each segment has its own set of 16 auto-negotiation control and status registers. The register map of each register set is identical and shown below.

The following register map shows a 32-Bit register implementation. The address is given in steps of 4 to indicate the 32-bit alignment of the register space. All auto-negotiation registers are only 16-bit wide (15:0). Write accesses to the upper 16-bit (31:16) are ignored, and read always return 0 for these.

Bit 0 is the least significant bit and all registers are initialized to zero upon reset except when stated otherwise.

The following register and bit types are used:

- RW: Read/write register. Unused bits should be written with 0 and ignored on read.
- RO: Read only, write has no effect.

Reserved bits or registers default to 0 and are read-only if not stated otherwise.

*Table 52 – Auto-Negotiation Register Map Addresses*

Reg#	Address Range (Hex)	Description
[0:15]	00-38	Segment 0 Auto-Negotiation Registers
[16 – 31]	40 - 7C	Segment 1 Auto-Negotiation Registers
[32 – 47]	80 -BC	Segment 2 Auto-Negotiation Registers
[48 – 63]	C0 - FC	Segment 3 Auto-Negotiation Registers
[64 – 79]	100 – 13C	Segment 4 Auto-Negotiation Registers
[80 – 95]	140 - 17C	Segment 5 Auto-Negotiation Registers
[96 – 111]	180 -1BC	Segment 6 Auto-Negotiation Registers
[112 – 127]	1C0 - 1FC	Segment 7 Auto-Negotiation Registers
[128 – 143]	200 – 23C	Segment 8 Auto-Negotiation Registers
[144 – 159]	240 - 27C	Segment 9 Auto-Negotiation Registers
[160 – 175]	280 - 2BC	Segment 10 Auto-Negotiation Registers
[176 – 191]	2C0 - 2FC	Segment 11 Auto-Negotiation Registers
[192 – 255]	300 - 3FC	Reserved

Table 53 – Auto-Negotiation Register Map Offsets

Address Offset (hex)	Register Name	Type	Description	Reset
00	KXAN_CONTROL	RW	Auto-negotiation function control. See “0” on page 102.	0x0000
04	KXAN_STATUS	RO	Auto-negotiation function status. See “0” on page 103.	0x0000
08	KXAN_ABILITY_0	RW	Advertised ability word, bits 15:0. Bit 0 is the ability word bit 0, bit 15 is the ability word bit 15.	0x0001
0C	KXAN_ABILITY_1	RW	Advertised ability word, bits 31:16. Bit 0 is the ability word bit 16, bit 15 is the ability word bit 31.	0x0
10	KXAN_ABILITY_2	RW	Advertised ability word, bits 47:32. Bit 0 is the ability word bit 32, bit 15 is the ability word bit 47.	0x0
14	KXAN_REMOTE_ABILITY_0	RO	Received ability word from remote, bits 15:0. Bit 0 is the ability word bit 0, bit 15 is the ability word bit 15.	0x0001
18	KXAN_REMOTE_ABILITY_1	RO	Received ability word from remote, bits 31:16. Bit 0 is the ability word bit 16, bit 15 is the ability word bit 31.	0x0
1C	KXAN_REMOTE_ABILITY_2	RO	Received ability word from remote, bits 47:32. Bit 0 is the ability word bit 32, bit 15 is the ability word bit 47.	0x0
20	KXAN_MS_CNT	RW	Number of 6.4ns steps required for counting 1ms. Higher 16 bits of 18-bit counter value. The lower 2 bits are fixed to “01” internally. Defaults to 0x9896 representing a timer value of 156249, which defines 1 millisecond.	0x9896
24	AN_XNP_0	RW	Auto negotiation Next page ability word bits 15:0 to be transmitted. Bit 0 is the ability word bit 0; bit 15 is the ability word bit 15.	0x0001
28	AN_XNP_1	RW	Auto negotiation Next page ability word bits 31:16 to be transmitted. Bit 0 is the ability word bit 16; bit 15 is the ability word bit 31.	0x0
2C	AN_XNP_2	RW	Auto negotiation Next page ability word bits 47:32 to be transmitted. Bit 0 is the ability word bit 32; bit 15 is the ability word bit 47.	0x0
30	LP_AN_XNP_0	RO	Received Link partner Auto negotiation Next page ability word bits 15:0. Bit 0 is the ability word bit 0; bit 15 is the ability word bit 15.	0x0001
34	LP_AN_XNP_1	RO	Received Link partner Auto negotiation Next page ability word bits 31:16. Bit 0 is the ability word bit 16; bit 15 is the ability word bit 31.	0x0
38	LP_AN_XNP_2	RO	Received Link partner Auto negotiation Next page ability word bits 47:32. Bit 0 is the ability word bit 32; bit 15 is the ability word bit 47.	0x0

3C	BP_ETH_STATUS	RO	<p>Reflects the currently selected operating mode (information from link_control). See Clause 45.2.7.</p> <p>0 = always '1'</p> <p>1 = 1G KX</p> <p>2 = 10G KX4</p> <p>3 = 10G KR</p> <p>4 = FEC (not supported, always '0')</p> <p>5 = 40G KR4</p> <p>6 = 40G CR4</p> <p>7 = reserved</p> <p>8 = 100G CR10</p> <p><b>Note:</b> 10G-KX4 is not supported in this implementation.</p>	0x01
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### Control Register Bits (KXAN\_CONTROL)

The control register controls the operation of the autonegotiation function.

Table 54 – KXAN\_CONTROL Register Description

Bit	Name	Description	Type
8:0	Reserved	Bits always set to '0'.	RO
9	Restart Auto-Negotiation	Self Clearing bit should be set to '1' to restart the auto-negotiation process.	RW SC
11:10	Reserved	Bits always set to '0'.	RO
12	Auto-Negotiation Enable	Should be set to '1' to enable the auto-negotiation process. Should be set to '0' (Reset value) to disable the auto-negotiation process.	RW
13	Extended Next Page Control	When set to '1', extended next pages are enabled. When set to '0', extended next pages are disabled. When enabled (1) transmission of next page with non-null code field is possible. The next page registers should be initialized and must be set (handshaking) every time a next page is received. When disabled (0) only null next page is transmitted in response to received next pages from link partner.	RW
14	Reserved	Bits always set to '0'.	RO
15	AN Reset	Self Clearing bit should be set to '1' to reset the auto-negotiation process.	RW SC

## Status Register Bits (KXAN\_STATUS)

Table 55 – KXAN\_STATUS Register

Bit	Name	Description	Type
0	Link partner Auto-Negotiation Ability	Set to '1' to indicate that the Link Partner is able to perform Auto-Negotiation. Set to '0' to indicate that the Link Partner is not able to perform Auto-Negotiation.	RO
1	Reserved	Bit always set to '0'.	RO
2	Link Status	Latched Low bit set to '1' to indicate that the PMA link is up. Set to '0' to indicate that the link is/was down. Note: this is a direct result of activity on the external pin <code>phy los</code> .	RO LL
3	Auto-Negotiation Ability	Always set to '1' to indicate that the Core is able to perform Auto-Negotiation.	RO
4	Remote Fault	Latch High bit set to '1' to indicate that a remote fault condition is detected. Set to '0' to indicate that a remote fault condition is not detected.	RO LH
5	Auto-Negotiation Complete	Set to '1' to indicate that the Auto-Negotiation process is completed. Set to '0' to indicate that the Auto-Negotiation process is not completed.	RO
6	Page Received	Latch High bit set to '1' to indicate that a page has been received. Set to '0' to indicate that a page has not been received.	RO LH
7	Extended Next Page Status	Set to '1' to indicate that the Extended next pages are enabled.	RO
8	Reserved	Bit always set to '0'.	RO
9	Parallel Detection Fault	Error with parallel detection. When the remote device does not support autonegotiation the autonegotiation module function falls back to parallel detection only monitoring the sync indications from the PCS layers. If none or more than one sync is detected the error is asserted.	RO LH
15:10	Reserved	Bits always set to '0'.	RO

### Ability Register Bits (KXAN\_ABILITY / KXAN\_REM\_ABILITY)

During auto-negotiation, a 48-bit ability word is exchanged between the local and the remote device. Note that the ability word is split into three registers within the register map of the module (ABILITY\_0/1/2).

Table 56 – KXAN\_ABILITY\_0 / KXAN\_REM\_ABILITY\_0 Register Description

Bit(s)	Name	Description	Reset value
4:0	S (Selector)	The selector field is a constant value defining 802.3ap support. The suggested value is 0x01.	0x1
9:5	E (Echoed nonce)	Echoed Nonce field contains the nonce received from the link partner. When Acknowledge is set to logical zero, the bits in this field shall contain logical zeros. When Acknowledge is set to logical one, the bits in this field shall contain the value received in the Transmitted Nonce field from the link partner.	0x0
12:10	C (Pause ability)	C2 (bit-12) is reserved a) The C0 bit (bit-10) is the PAUSE bit indicating that the device is capable of providing the symmetric PAUSE functions. b) The C1 bit (bit-11) indicates that asymmetric PAUSE is supported. The value of the PAUSE bit (C0) when the C1 is set indicates the direction the PAUSE frames are supported for flow across the link.	0x0
13	Remote Fault	The Remote Fault bit provides a standard transport mechanism for the transmission of simple fault information.	0x0
14	Acknowledge	Acknowledge (Ack) is used by the auto-negotiation function to indicate that a device has successfully received its link partner's Link Codeword.	0x0
15	Next Page	If the device does not have any Next Pages to send, the NP bit shall be set to logical zero. If a device wishes to engage in Next Page exchange, it shall set the NP bit to logical one.	0x0

Table 57 – KXAN\_ABILITY\_1 / KXAN\_REM\_ABILITY\_1 Register Description

Bit(s)	Name	Description	Reset value
4:0	T (Transmitted nonce)	Transmitted Nonce field contains a random or pseudo-random number. A new value shall be generated for each entry to the Ability Detect state.	0x1f
15:5	Technology Ability (A10:A0)	Technology Ability field first 11 bits (A10:A0) Contains information indicating supported technologies specific to the selector field value when used with the auto-negotiation for Backplane Ethernet. Following are the technology ability field encoding: Bit-15 to Bit-11 are reserved. Bit-10: 100GBASE-CR10 Bit-9: 40GBASE-CR4 Bit-8: 40GBASE-KR4 Bit-7: 10GBASE-KR Bit-6: 10GBASE-KX4 Bit-5: 1GBASE-KX <b>Note:</b> 10G-KX4 is not supported in this implementation and should not be set by the application.	0x0

Table 58 – KXAN\_ABILITY\_2 / KXAN\_REM\_ABILITY\_2 Register Description

Bit(s)	Name	Description	Reset value
13:0	Technology Ability (A24:A11)	Bit-13 to Bit-0 are reserved.	0x0
15:14	FEC capability	a) F0 (bit-14) is FEC ability. b) F1 (bit-15) is FEC requested.	0x0

*Next page Ability Register Bits (AN\_XNP / LP\_AN\_XNP)*

During auto-negotiation, a 48-bit next page ability word can be exchanged between the local and the remote device. Note that the ability word is split into three registers within the register map of the module (XNP\_0/1/2).

Table 59 – AN\_XNP\_0 / LP\_AN\_XNP\_0 Register Description

Bit(s)	Name	Description	Reset value
10:0	M (Message)/ U(Unformatted)	These bits can be used as message code field or unformatted code field. When bit-13 is logical one, these bits represent message code field. Predefined message code field should be used as specified in the standard 802.3ap. For the null message code the value is 0x01.	0x1
11	Toggle bit	Flag to keep track of the state of the local device's Toggle bit. Initial value is taken from base page.	0x0
12	Ack2	Acknowledge 2 (Ack2) is used to indicate that the receiver is able to act on the information (or perform the task) defined in the message.	0x0
13	MP	Message page bit. There are two types of Next page word. Message page (1) Unformatted page (0) For the Message Next Pages, the MP bit shall be set to logical one and for the Unformatted Next Pages, the MP bit shall be set to logical zero;	0x1
14	Acknowledge	Acknowledge (Ack) is used by the auto-negotiation function to indicate that a device has successfully received its link partner's Link Codeword.	0x0
15	Next Page	If the device does not have any Next Pages to send, the NP bit shall be set to logical zero. If a device wishes to engage in Next Page exchange, it shall set the NP bit to logical one.	0x0

Table 60 – AN\_XNP\_1 / LP\_AN\_XNP\_1 Register Description

Bit(s)	Name	Description	Reset value
15:0	U(Unformatted)	Unformatted code field. Message code defines how the Unformatted codes will be interpreted.	0x0

Table 61 – AN\_XNP\_2 / LP\_AN\_XNP\_2 Register Description

Bit(s)	Name	Description	Reset value
15:0	U(Unformatted)	Unformatted code field. Message code defines how the Unformatted codes will be interpreted.	0x0

## PMA Registers

The PMA memory contains control registers which can be grouped into two main categories:

- PMA Transmitter/Receiver Control – 1 page of memory.
- PMA Synthesizer/Common Control – 1 page of memory.

The PHY module includes many control registers a majority of them operate as override registers. Changing these register values will override local FSM control values or interface pins. The complex interaction of these registers is automatically managed for the user in the Achronix 10/40/100G Ethernet Core software IP wizard.

## PMA State Control

### *Memory Bus (Membus) Interface*

For access to the internal PMA (SerDes) registers, the SBUS is used to access the internal PMA memory bus (Membus).

The synchronous Membus control port consists of two internal registers: a 16-bit Address Register and an 8-bit Data Register, as well as control signals to perform register reads and writes. The Membus is active in all power states, except for when POR is asserted.

This interface to the Memory Bus Interface is provided through the serial SBUS interface

### *Memory Address Decoding*

The PMA memory is partitioned into 2 pages of memory – called Page 0 and Page 4. Page 4 consists of common registers that are applied to all lanes. Page 0 consist of unique registers for Lanes 0 – 3 of a SerDes quad. The following memory address format is used for identifying the Memory Page and Offset during a read or write transaction:

Table 62 – Memory Address Format

ICTL_PCS_MEM_ADDR [15:0]																
16	15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
Page Select				Offset Select												
Memory Page Select Address Decode																
												Page Select				
3'b1000												Selects Page 0 – Lane 0 - 11				
3'b1100												Selects Page 4 – Common Lane				

## PMA Receive Equalization Registers

The following sections describe registers used to configure the Receive Equalization within the Receiver in the PHY. The Receiver/Transmitter and Synthesizer control registers are split into the two sub-sections.

*Note:* The Register offsets for the PMA control registers are indexed to a base address of 17'h10000

### TX/RX Lane Receive Equalization Registers

Table 63 – TX/RX Lane Receive Equalizer Control Registers

Reg Pg. (hex)	Reg Offset [Start Bit: End Bit] (hex)	Register Field Name	Reg Type RW/R	Default Value (hex)	Description
0	18[2:0]	RXCALEQ_DCGAIN	RW	0	RX agc high frequency dc gain: -3'b000: -3dB -3'b001: -2.5dB -3'b010: -2dB -3'b011: -1.5dB -3'b100: -1dB -3'b101: -0.5dB -3'b110: -0dB -3'b111: 0.5dB
0	18[5:3]	RXCALEQ_DFEPSTAPF3DB	RW	7	DFE post-shaping tap 3dB frequency -3'b000: 684MHz -3'b001: 576MHz -3'b010: 514MHz -3'b011: 435MHz -3'b100: 354MHz -3'b101: 281MHz -3'b110: 199MHz -3'b111: 125MHz
0	56[3:3]	RXCALEQ_LOCWREN	RW	1	RX equalizer control signals override enable. Active Low
0	19[2:0]	RXCALEQ_DFEPSTAPGAIN	RW	0	DFE post-shaping tap gain

					0: no pulse shaping tap 1: -24mVpeak 2: -45mVpeak 3: -64mVpeak 4: -80mVpeak 5: -93mVpeak 6: -101mVpeak 7: -105mVpeak
0	19[6:3]	RXCALEQ_DFETAP1GAIN	RW	0	DFE first tap gain control  -4'b0000: +1mVpeak -4'b0001: +10mVpeak ... -4'b0110: +55mVpeak -4'b0111: +64mVpeak -4'b1000: -1mVpeak -4'b1001: -10mVpeak .. -4'b1110: -55mVpeak -4'b1111: -64mVpeak
0	1A[3:0]	RXCALEQ_DFETAP2GAIN	RW	8	DFE second tap gain control -4'b0000: +0mVpeak -4'b0001: +9mVpeak ... -4'b0110: +46mVpeak -4'b0111: +53mVpeak -4'b1000: -0mVpeak -4'b1001: -9mVpeak ... -4'b1110: -46mVpeak -4'b1111: -53mVpeak
0	1A[7:4]	RXCALEQ_DFETAP3GAIN	RW	0	DFE third tap gain control -4'b0000: +0mVpeak -4'b0001: +7mVpeak ... -4'b0110: +38mVpeak -4'b0111: +44mVpeak -4'b1000: -0mVpeak -4'b1001: -7mVpeak ... -4'b1110: -38mVpeak -4'b1111: -44mVpeak
0	1B[3:0]	RXCALEQ_DFETAP4GAIN	RW	8	DFE fourth tap gain control -4'b0000: +0mVpeak -4'b0001: +6mVpeak ... -4'b0110: +29mVpeak -4'b0111: +33mVpeak -4'b1000: -0mVpeak -4'b1001: -6mVpeak ... -4'b1110: -29mVpeak -4'b1111: -33mVpeak
0	1B[6:4]	RXCALEQ_LOFREQAGCGAIN	RW	7	Low frequency agc gain (att) select -3'b000: Disconnected

					-3'b001: -18.5dB -3'b010: -12.5dB -3'b011: -9dB -3'b100: -6.5dB -3'b101: -4.5dB -3'b110: -2.9dB -3'b111: -1.6dB
0	1C[7:3]	RXCALEQ_HIFREQAGCCAP	RW	10	High frequency agc boost control Min d0: Boost 4.4dB Max d31: Boost 19.6dB

### Common/Synth Lane Receive Equalization Registers

Table 64 – Common/Synth Lane Receive Equalizer Control Registers

Reg Pg. (hex)	Reg Offset [Start Bit: End Bit] (hex)	Register Field Name	Reg Type RW/R	Default Value (hex)	Description
4	53[0:0]	RXAGC_DCCOUPLEEN			
4	53[1:1]	RXAGC_XCOUPLEAGCE N			

### PMA Transmit Control Registers

The following sections describe registers used to control the transmit levels within the PHY. The Receiver/Transmitter and Synthesizer control registers are split into the two sub-sections.

#### TX/RX Lane Transmit Control Registers

Table 65 – TX/RX Lane Transmit Driver Control Registers

Reg Page (hex)	Reg Offset [Start Bit: End Bit] (hex)	Register Field Name	Reg Type (RW/R)	Default Value (hex)	Description
0	15[2:0]	TXDRV_HLEV	RW	5	Transmit Amplitude control signal. Used to define the full-scale maximum swing of the driver. 000 - Not Supported 001 - 952mVdiff-pkpk 010 - 1024mVdiff-pkpk 011 - 1094mVdiff-pkpk 100 - 1163mVdiff-pkpk 101 - 1227mVdiff-pkpk 110 - 1283mVdiff-pkpk 111 - 1331mVdiff-pkpk Equivalent to ICTL_PCS_TXAMP_Lx_[2:0] interface pin. Refer to Section 2.6 for further information.
0	15[7:3]	TXDRV_LEVN	RW	13	Defines the total number of driver units allocated to the sum

					of the driver taps. The maximum value is 5'h1b.
0	16[3:0]	TXDRV_LEVNM1	RW	2	Defines the total number of driver units allocated to the first post-cursor (C+1) tap. The maximum value for C+1 is 4'h9.
0	16[5:4]	TXDRV_LEVNM2	RW	0	Defines the total number of driver units allocated to the second post-cursor (C+2) tap. The maximum value for C+2 is 2'h3.
0	17[4:3]	TXDRV_SLEW	RW	0	TX driver Slew Rate control: 00 - 31ps 01 - 33ps 10 - 68ps 11 - 170ps
0	17[2:0]	TXDRV_LEVNP1	RW	0	Defines the total number of driver units allocated to the first pre-cursor (C-1) tap. The maximum value for C-1 is 3'h6
0	57[3:3]	TXDRV_LOCWREN	RW	1	TXDRV* override enable. Active Low

### Common/Synth Lane Transmit Control Registers

Table 66 – Common/Synth Lane Transmit Driver Control Registers

Reg Page (hex)	Reg Offset [Start Bit: End Bit] (hex)	Register Field Name	Reg Type R/W/R	Default Value (hex)	Description
4	51[3:2]	TXDRV_REPLICAM ODE	RW	2	Defines the drive strength of transmit replica path. Used to reduce the amount of simultaneous switching IO noise generated by the transmit driver. 00 – No replica path enabled 01 – Replica path is 25% scaled version of the main driver 10 – Replica path is 50% scaled version of the main driver 11 – Replica path is 75% scaled version of the main driver
4	53[2:2]	TXDRV_DCMODE	RW		
4	53[3:3]	TXDRV_QPI_MODE	RW		
4	17[2:0]	CMNTXPIPE_HLEV_LUP0	RW	1	TX IO driver HLEV look-up table entry 0
4	17[5:3]	CMNTXPIPE_HLEV_LUP1	RW	1	TX IO driver HLEV look-up table entry 1
4	18[2:0]	CMNTXPIPE_HLEV_LUP2	RW	1	TX IO driver HLEV look-up table entry 2
4	18[7:3]	CMNTXPIPE_LEVN_LUP0	RW	19	TX IO driver LEVN look-up table entry 0
4	19[3:0]	CMNTXPIPE_LEVN M1_LUP0	RW	5	TX IO driver LEVNM1 look-up table entry 0

4	1A[1:0]	CMNTXPIPE_TXDR VSLEW_GEN1	RW	2	TX IO driver slew-rate look-up table entry for PCIE Gen1 if PCIEMODE_SEL=1. This value is not used if PCIEMODE_SEL=0.
4	1A[3:2]	CMNTXPIPE_TXDR VSLEW_GEN2	RW	0	TX IO driver slew-rate look-up table entry for PCIE Gen2 If PCIEMODE_SEL=1. This value is not used if PCIEMODE_SEL=0.
4	1A[5:4]	CMNTXPIPE_TXDR VSLEW_GEN3	RW	0	TX IO driver slew-rate look-up table entry for PCIE Gen3 If PCIEMODE_SEL=1. This value is used if PCIEMODE_SEL=0.

## PMA Adaptive Equalizer Registers

The following sections describe registers used to configure the Adaptive Equalization within the PHY. The Receiver/Transmitter and Synthesizer control registers are split into the two sub-sections.

### *TX/RX Lane Adaptive Equalizer Registers*

Table 67 – TX/RX Lane Adaptive Equalizer FSM Registers

Reg Pg. (hex)	Reg Offset [Start Bit: End Bit] (hex)	Register Field Name	Reg Type RW/R	Default Value (hex)	Description
0	1C[2:0]	PCSRXEQ_PRECAL_CODE_SEL	RW	0	Provides a RX Equalizer Pre-Hint, prior to beginning adaptive equalization Please refer to Datasheet for a description of what backplane ranges the RX-Hint values are intended to support
0	1F[0:0]	PCSRXEQ_START	RW	0	Enables adaptive RX equalization 0 - Disables adaptive RX equalization 1 - Enables adaptive RX equalization
0	55[6:6]	PCSRXEQ_LOCWR EN	RW	1	RX Equalizer control (PCSRXEQ_*) override enable. Active Low
0	1D[7:0] 1E[5:0]	RXEQ_BEST_EYE_VAL	RW	0	Optimum Receive Eye value. Safe for sampling when _DONE_ signal has asserted: 14'h0000 – Completely Closed Eye 14'hFFFF – Completely Open Eye
0	26[3:3]	RXEQ_DONE	RW	0	0 – RX EQ calibration not completed 1 – RX EQ calibration completed

Common/Synth Lane Adaptive Equalizer Registers

Table 68 – Table 6-14: Common/Synth Lane Adaptive Equalizer FSM Registers

Reg Pg. (hex)	Reg Offset [Start Bit: End Bit] (hex)	Register Field Name	Reg Type RW/R	Default Value (hex)	Description
4	8[6:6]	RXEQ_CALEN	RW	1	RX Equalization FSM enable. Active High
4	21[5:1]	RXEQ_COARSE_STEP	RW	2	RX Equalization calibration coarse mode step size. When swept, each variable starts from 0, and is increased by this value until saturated.
4	23[5:1]	RXEQ_FINE_STEP	RW	1	RX Equalization calibration fine mode step size. When swept, each variable starts from 0, and is increased by this value until saturated.
4	25[2:0]	RXEQ_LOOKUP_LASTCODE	RW	7F	RX Equalization calibration lookup table last code control. Specifies the last lookup code in the table to be used.
4	1E[6:0]	RXEQ_COARSE_ITER_NUM	RW	2	Equalization calibration course iteration count control. Sets the number of iterations performed during coarse mode.
4	20[7:0] 21[7:7]	RXEQ_COARSE_RUN_MASK	RW	1FD	Equalization calibration course mode variable control mask. Each bit controls whether or not an equalization variable will be swept during coarse mode. 0 - Do not sweep variable 1 - Sweep variable Bit 0 - AGC low frequency gain Bit 1 - AGC high frequency gain Bit 2 - AGC AC Boost Bit 3 - Pulse-shaping DFE 3dB cut-off frequency Bit 4 - Pulse-shaping DFE gain Bit 5 - Discontinuity DFE N-1 tap gain Bit 6 - Discontinuity DFE N-2 tap gain Bit 7 - Discontinuity DFE N-3 tap gain Bit 8 - Discontinuity DFE N-4 tap gain
4	1F[6:0]	RXEQ_FINE_ITER_NUM	RW	4	Equalization calibration fine iteration count control. Sets the number of iterations performed during fine mode.

4	22[7:0] 23[0:0]	RXEQ_FINE_RUN_MASK	RW	1FD	Equalization calibration fine mode variable control mask. Each bit controls whether or not an equalization variable will be swept during fine mode. 0 - Do not sweep variable 1 - Sweep variable Bit 0 - AGC low frequency gain Bit 1 - AGC high frequency gain Bit 2 - AGC AC Boost Bit 3 - Pulse-shaping DFE 3dB cut-off frequency Bit 4 - Pulse-shaping DFE gain Bit 5 - Discontinuity DFE N-1 tap gain Bit 6 - Discontinuity DFE N-2 tap gain Bit 7 - Discontinuity DFE N-3 tap gain Bit 8 - Discontinuity DFE N-4 tap gain
4	24[7:0]	RXEQ_LOOKUP_CODE_EN	RW	FF	Equalization calibration lookup table code control. When in lookup table mode, this register controls whether or not the associated lookup code is included. Lookup codes 1-7 are predefined, lookup code 0 is defined by *_LUP0 registers described below.
4	2B[2:0]	RXEQ_DCGAIN_LUP0	RW	0	Equalization calibration lookup table code 0 - AGC high frequency gain
4	2E[6:4]	RXEQ_LOFREQAGC_GAIN_LUP0	RW	7	Equalization calibration lookup table code 0 - AGC low frequency gain
4	2C[2:0]	RXEQ_DFEPSTAPGAIN_LUP0	RW	4	Equalization calibration lookup table code 0 - Pulse-shaping DFE gain
4	2F[4:0]	RXEQ_HIFREQAGC_CAP_LUP0	RW	0	Equalization calibration lookup table code 0 - AGC AC Boost
4	2C[6:3]	RXEQ_DFETAP1GAIN_LUP0	RW	0	Equalization calibration lookup table code 0 - Discontinuity DFE N-1 tap gain
4	2D[3:0]	RXEQ_DFETAP2GAIN_LUP0	RW	8	Equalization calibration lookup table code 0 - Discontinuity DFE N-2 tap gain
4	2D[7:4]	RXEQ_DFETAP3GAIN_LUP0	RW	0	Equalization calibration lookup table code 0 - Discontinuity DFE N-3 tap gain
4	2E[3:0]	RXEQ_DFETAP4GAIN_LUP0	RW	8	Equalization calibration lookup table code 0 - Discontinuity DFE N-4 tap gain

4	26[5:3]	RXEQ_DFEPSTAPF 3DB_GEN2	RW	7	PCIE Gen2 Equalization control - Pulse-shaping DFE 3dB cut-off frequency
4	2B[5:3]	RXEQ_DFEPSTAPF 3DB_LUP0	RW	7	Equalization calibration lookup table code 0 - Pulse-shaping DFE 3dB cut-off frequency
4	26[2:0]	RXEQ_DCGAIN_GE N2	RW	1	PCIE Gen2 Equalization control - AGC high frequency gain
4	29[6:4]	RXEQ_LOFREQAGC GAIN_GEN2	RW	7	PCIE Gen2 Equalization control - AGC low frequency gain
4	27[2:0]	RXEQ_DFEPSTAPG AIN_GEN2	RW	0	PCIE Gen2 Equalization control - Pulse-shaping DFE gain
4	2A[4:0]	RXEQ_HIFREQAGC CAP_GEN2	RW	10	PCIE Gen2 Equalization control - AGC AC Boost
4	27[6:3]	RXEQ_DFETAP1GAI N_GEN2	RW	8	PCIE Gen2 Equalization control - Discontinuity DFE N-1 tap gain
4	28[3:0]	RXEQ_DFETAP2GAI N_GEN2	RW	0	PCIE Gen2 Equalization control - Discontinuity DFE N-2 tap gain
4	28[7:4]	RXEQ_DFETAP3GAI N_GEN2	RW	8	PCIE Gen2 Equalization control - Discontinuity DFE N-3 tap gain
4	29[3:0]	RXEQ_DFETAP4GAI N_GEN2	RW	0	PCIE Gen2 Equalization control - Discontinuity DFE N-4 tap gain

## Statistics Data Registers

### Overview

The 10 / 40 / 100 Gigabit Ethernet Channelized MAC Core provides a set of signals per segment which can be used to implement the statistics required in IEEE 802.3 basic, mandatory and recommended Management Information packages (clause 30).

In addition, the MAC Core provides counter values to generate the applicable objects of the Management Information Base (MIB, MIB-II) according to IETF RFC 2665 (including its update to 10 Gbps) for SNMP (Simple Network Management Protocol) managed environments. For monitoring applications, the RMON counters are available according to IETF RFC 2819.

### IEEE 802.3 Management Package

The IEEE Standard 802.3 clause 30 defines the mandatory and recommended IEEE 802.3 Management Packages for the managed objects oMacEntity and oPauseEntity. Please refer to the according standard for a more detailed description of the attributes and objects.

### IETF Management Information Base (MIB, MIB-II) Objects

The IETF RFC 2665 defines the Management Information Base (MIB, MIB-II) objects for the Ethernet-like Interface Types. RFC 2665 details the MIB (MIB-II) objects for Ethernet Interfaces, which are defined in a more generic manner in RFC 2863. RFC 2665 was updated for 10 Gbps and released as RFC 3635.

## IETF Remote Network Monitoring

The IETF RFC 2819 defines objects for managing remote network monitoring devices. These objects are usually implemented in a dedicated device (Monitor/Probe) for traffic monitoring and analysis within a network segment. Such a probe usually samples the values in a periodic manner to give relative usage estimations rather than absolute values.

The RMON MIB counts good and bad packets, defined as follows:

- **Good Packets (valid frames):** Good packets are error-free packets that have a valid frame length. Valid Frame Length is defined as between 64 octets and FRM\_LENGTH (typical 1518 or 1522) octets long. This does not include framing bits (Preamble, SFD) but includes the FCS field. They follow the form defined in IEEE 802.3 section 3.2.

**Bad Packets (invalid frames):** Bad packets are packets that have proper framing and are therefore recognized as packets, but contain errors within the packet or have an invalid length. On Ethernet, bad packets have a valid preamble and SFD, but have a bad CRC, or are either shorter than 64 octets or longer than FRM\_LENGTH (1518/1522) octets.

## Receive Statistics Vector

The Channelized MAC Core provides a Receive Statistics Vector per segment that support the statistics counters as described in the table below.

*Table 69 – Receive Statistics Vector - IEEE 802.3 oMacEntity and oPauseEntity Managed Objects*

Object	Description
aAlignmentErrors	Frame received with an alignment error.
aMACControlFramesReceived	Valid control frame received.
aPAUSEMACCtrlFramesReceived	Valid pause frame received.
aCBFCPAUSEFramesReceived_0 aCBFCPAUSEFramesReceived_1 ... aCBFCPAUSEFramesReceived_7	Set of 8 objects recording the number of CBFC (Class Based Flow Control) pause frames received for each class.
aFrameTooLongErrors	Frame received exceeded the maximum length programmed in register FRM_LENGTH.
aInRangeLengthErrors	A count of frames with a length/type field value between 46 (VLAN: 42) and less than 0x0600, that does not match the number of payload data octets received. Should count also if length/type field is less than 46 (VLAN: 42) and the frame is longer than 64 bytes.
aFramesReceivedOK	Frame received without error (including pause frames).
aFrameCheckSequenceErrors	CRC-32 Error is detected but the frame is otherwise of correct length.
VLANReceivedOK	VLAN frame received without error.

Table 70 – Receive Statistics Vector - IETF MIB (MIB-II) Objects

Object	Description
ifInOctets	All octets received except preamble (i.e. Header, Payload, Padding and FCS) for all valid frames and valid pause frames received.
ifInErrors	Number of frames received with error (FIFO Overflow Error, CRC Error, Frame Too Long Error, Alignment Error) The dedicated Error Code (0xfe, not a code error) was received
ifInUcastPkts	Incremented with each valid frame received on the Receive FIFO interface and bit 0 of the destination address was '0'.
ifInMulticastPkts	Incremented with each valid frame received on the Receive FIFO interface and bit 0 of the destination address was '1' but not the broadcast address (all bits set to '1'). Pause frames are not counted.
ifInBroadcastPkts	Incremented with each valid frame received on the Receive FIFO interface and all bits of the destination address were set to '1'.

Table 71 – Receive Statistics Vector IETF RMON MIB Objects

Object	Description
etherStatsDropEvents	Counts the number of dropped packets due to internal errors of the MAC Client. Occurs when a Receive FIFO overflow condition persists.
etherStatsOctets	Total number of octets received. Good and bad packets.
etherStatsPkts	Total number of packets received. Good and bad packets.
etherStatsUndersizePkts	Total number of packets that were less than 64 octets long with a good CRC. <b>Note:</b> Undersize packets are not delivered to the FIFO interface.
etherStatsPkts64Octets	Incremented when a packet of 64 octets length is received (good and bad frames are counted).
etherStatsPkts65to127Octets	Frames (good and bad) with 65 to 127 octets.
etherStatsPkts128to255Octets	Frames (good and bad) with 128 to 255 octets.
etherStatsPkts256to511Octets	Frames (good and bad) with 256 to 511 octets.
etherStatsPkts512to1023Octets	Frames (good and bad) with 512 to 1023 octets.
etherStatsPkts1024to1518Octets	Frames (good and bad) with 1024 to 1518 octets.
etherStatsPkts1519toMaxOctets	Proprietary RMON extension counter that counts the number of frames with 1519 bytes to the maximum length programmed in register FRM_LENGTH.
etherStatsOversizePkts	Total number of packets longer than the valid maximum length programmed in register FRM_LENGTH (excluding framing bits, but including FCS octets), and with a good Frame Check Sequence.
etherStatsJabbers	Total number of packets longer than the valid maximum length programmed in register FRM_LENGTH (excluding framing bits, but including FCS octets), and with a bad Frame Check Sequence.
etherStatsFragments	Total number of packets that were less than 64 octets long with a wrong CRC. <b>Note:</b> Fragments are not delivered to the FIFO interface.

## Transmit Statistics Vector

The Channelized MAC Core provides a Transmit Statistics Vector per segment that support the statistics counters as described in the table below.

*Table 72 – TX Statistics Vector - IEEE 802.3 oMacEntity and oPauseEntity Managed Objects*

Object	Description
aAlignmentErrors	Frame received with an alignment error.
aMACControlFramesReceived	Valid control frame received.
aPAUSEMACCtrlFramesReceived	Valid pause frame received.
aCBFCPAUSEFramesReceived_0 aCBFCPAUSEFramesReceived_1 ... aCBFCPAUSEFramesReceived_7	Set of 8 objects recording the number of CBFC (Class Based Flow Control) pause frames received for each class.
aFrameTooLongErrors	Frame received exceeded the maximum length programmed in register FRM_LENGTH.
aInRangeLengthErrors	A count of frames with a length/type field value between 46 (VLAN: 42) and less than 0x0600, that does not match the number of payload data octets received. Should count also if length/type field is less than 46 (VLAN: 42) and the frame is longer than 64 bytes.
aFramesReceivedOK	Frame received without error (including pause frames).
aFrameCheckSequenceErrors	CRC-32 Error is detected but the frame is otherwise of correct length.
VLANReceivedOK	VLAN frame received without error.

Table 73 – Transmit Statistics Vector - IETF MIB (MIB-II) Objects

Object	Description
ifOutOctets	All octets transmitted except preamble (i.e. Header, Payload, Padding and FCS) for all valid frames and valid pause frames transmitted.
ifOutErrors	Number of frames transmitted with error: FIFO Overflow Error FIFO Underflow Error User application defined error (ff_tx_err asserted together with ff_tx_eop)
ifOutUcastPkts	Incremented with each frame written to the FIFO interface and bit 0 of the destination address set to '0'.
ifOutMulticastPkts	Incremented with each frame written to the FIFO interface and bit 0 of the destination address set to '1' but not the broadcast address (all bits set to '1').
ifOutBroadcastPkts	Incremented with each frame written to the FIFO interface and all bits of the destination address set to '1'.

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## Revision History

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