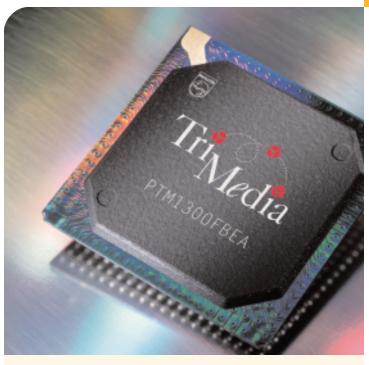
PRELIMINARY

Programmable Media Processor



FEATURES

- Processes audio, video, graphics and communications datastreams on a single chip
- Ideal for video-centric multimedia applications
- Powerful, fine-grain parallel, 143- or 166-MHz VLIW CPU achieving up to 6.5 BOPS
- Versatile instruction set includes traditional microprocessor, special multimedia SIMD, and IEEE floating-point operations
- Comprehensive software development tools enable multimedia application development entirely in the C/C++ programming languages
- On-chip, independent, DMA-driven multimedia I/O and coprocessing units offload the CPU
- PCI/XIO host bus interface supports glueless interface to PCI and eight-bit microcomputer peripherals, including ROM/Flash, EEPROM, 68K, and x86 devices
- + 16- and 64-Mbit SDRAM support up to 143 MHz
- + On-chip DVD playback authentication/descrambling
- TriMedia application libraries available from Philips and thirdparty suppliers provide solutions for MPEG-2 decode, Dolby Digital (AC-3)[®] decode, and more

TriMedia TM-1300

Continuing a tradition of high-performance, low-cost media processors, the TriMedia[™] TM-1300 delivers up to 66% more processing power to multimedia applications at a lower unit cost. By combining a 166-MHz CPU and a full complement of enhanced on-chip I/O and coprocessing units, TM-1300 achieves up to 6.5 billion operations per second—ideal for applications requiring real-time processing of video, audio, graphics, and communications datastreams.

TM-1300 boosts performance through a faster clock speed and a faster main memory interface than previous TriMedia processors. Datastream I/O is enhanced with a new on-chip unit for handling audio output in Sony/Philips digital format (SPDIF). Lower power consumption and a smaller footprint contribute to making the TM-1300 a more efficient and compact processing solution for new multimedia designs.

TM-1300 is an ideal building block for applications requiring simultaneous processing of several types of multimedia data-streams. With ample computational power available to capture, compress and decompress many video and audio data formats in real time, TM-1300 is well suited for a broad range of video-centric applications such as videoconferencing, video editing, video-based security, surveillance, or industrial inspection systems, and multifunctional devices such as digital TV sets and set-top boxes. It also supports applications in a JavaTM virtual machine environment.

With its comprehensive software development environment, the TriMedia SDE, TM-1300 is comparable in ease of programmability to general-purpose processors. The SDE enables multimedia application development entirely in the C and C++ languages improving time-to-market and lowering product development and maintenance costs.

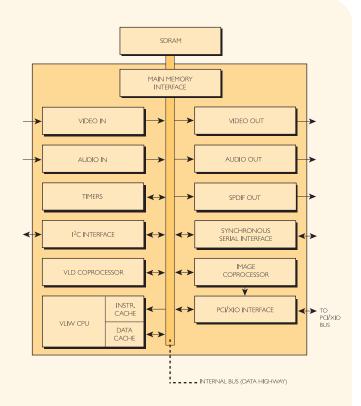
compared to TM-1000 processors





TriMedia TM-1300

System-on-a-chip multimedia engine



TRIMEDIA TM-1300 ARCHITECTURE

On a single chip, the TM-1300 incorporates a powerful CPU and peripherals to accelerate processing of audio, video, graphics, control, and communications datastreams.

The TriMedia TM-1300 strikes a perfect balance between cost and performance. A powerful C/C++-programmable VLIW CPU coordinates on-chip activities. To reap the full benefit of the CPU, independent, on-chip, bus-mastering DMA peripheral units manage and format datastream I/O and accelerate processing of multimedia algorithms. A sophisticated memory hierarchy manages internal I/O and streamlines access to external memory. The result—a single, low-cost, programmable system-on-a-chip uniquely suited for both standalone and hosted multimedia products.

PROGRAMMABLE VLIW CPU

A powerful DSP-like CPU delivers top performance through an elegant implementation of a fine-grain parallel, very-long instruction word (VLIW) architecture. Its five issue-slot instruction length enables up to five simultaneous operations to be scheduled into a single VLIW instruction. These operations can simultaneously target any five of the CPU's 27 pipelined functional units within one clock cycle. Most common operations have their results available in one clock cycle; more complex operations may have multicycle latencies.

Unique to the TriMedia VLIW implementation, parallelism is optimized at compile time by an innovative compilation system. No specialized scheduling hardware is required to parallelize code during execution. Hardware saved by eliminating complex scheduling logic

reduces cost and allows the integration of multimedia-specific features that enhance the power of the CPU.

The TM-1300 CPU implements a 32-bit linear address space and 128 fully general-purpose 32-bit registers. Registers are not separated into banks enabling any operation to use any register for any operand.

High-powered, DSP-like, C/C++-callable special operations—In addition to traditional microprocessor operations and a full complement of 32-bit, IEEE-compliant, floating point operations, the TM-1300 instruction set includes special multimedia and DSP operations (ops) to accelerate the performance of SIMD (single instruction, multiple data) computations common in multimedia applications. These special ops combine multiple simple operations into a single VLIW instruction that can implement up to 12 traditional microprocessor operations in a single clock cycle. When incorporated into application source code, special ops dramatically improve performance and increase the efficiency of the TM-1300 parallel architecture.

Special multimedia ops are invoked with familiar function-call syntax consistent with the C/C++ programming languages. They are automatically scheduled to take full advantage of the TriMedia processor's highly parallel VLIW implementation. As with all other operations generated by the TriMedia VLIW compilation system, the scheduler takes care of register allocation, operation packing, and flow analysis.

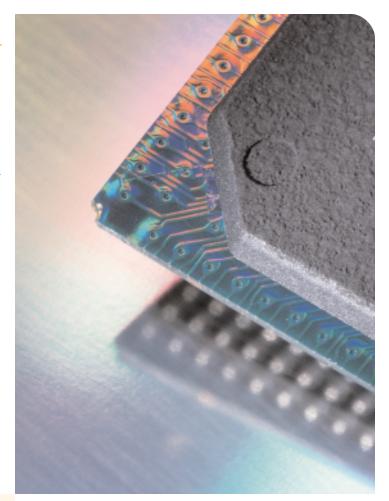
ON-CHIP I/O AND COPROCESSING UNITS

Video input—The video input (VI) unit reads digital video datastreams from an off-chip source into main memory. It accepts signals from any CCIR656-compliant device that outputs eight-bit parallel, 4:2:2 YUV time-multiplexed video data, such as a digital video camera, digital video decoder, or devices connected through ECL-level converters to the standard D1 parallel interface. After input, YUV data is demultiplexed, subsampled as needed, and written to SDRAM.

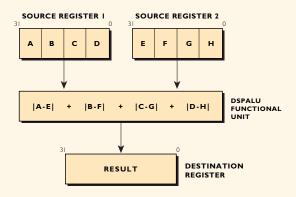
The VI unit can also be programmed to perform on-the-fly 2X horizontal resolution subsampling enabling high-resolution images (720 pixels/line) to be converted to 360 pixels/line without loading the CPU. When low resolution video is desirable, subsampling during data capture reduces initial storage and bus bandwidth requirements. The VI unit can also receive raw data and unidirectional messages from another TM-1300 video out port.

Video output—The video out (VO) unit outputs a digital YUV datastream to off-chip video subsystems such as a digital video encoder chip, digital video recorder, or other CCIR656-compatible device. The output signal is generated by gathering bytes from the separate Y, U, and V planes stored in SDRAM.

While generating the multiplexed stream, the VO unit can perform programmed processing tasks, including horizontal 2X upscaling to



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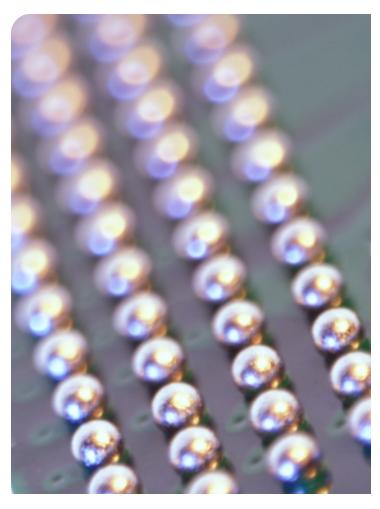
SPECIAL MULTIMEDIA OPERATIONS
The ume8uu operation, commonly used for motion estimation in video compression, implements 11 simple operations in one TriMedia special op.

convert from CIF/SIF to CCIR 601 resolution. For simultaneous display of graphics and live video, the VO unit can perform 129-level alpha blending to generate sophisticated graphics overlays of arbitrary size and position within the output image. Chroma keying, genlock frame synchronization, programmable YUV output clipping are also supported. The VO unit can also be used to pass raw data and unidirectional messages between TriMedia processors.

The VO unit can either supply or receive video clock and/or synchronizing signals from the external interface. Clock and timing registers can be precisely controlled through programmable registers. Programmable interrupts and dual buffers facilitate continuous data streaming by allowing the CPU to set up a buffer while another is being emptied by the VO unit.

Audio input and output—The audio input (AI) and audio output (AO) units provide all signals needed to read and write digital audio datastreams to/from most high-quality, low-cost serial audio oversampling A/D and D/A converters and codecs. Both units connect to off-chip stereo converters through flexible bit-serial interfaces.

The AI and AO units are highly programmable providing tremendous flexibility in handling custom datastreams, adapting to custom protocols, and upgrading to future audio standards. Driven by TM-1300, the programmable audio sampling clock system supports a variety of



sample rates with fine-grain resolution enabling audio and video synchronization in even the most complex multimedia applications.

The AI unit supports up to two channels of audio input. Mono and 16-bit stereo formats are supported. The AO unit delivers up to eight channels of output using one external pin per channel. Output of 16-bit and 32-bit stereo and mono formats are supported. The AO unit can also be used to control highly integrated PC codecs. Software support for decode and output of Dolby ProLogic® and Dolby Digital (AC-3)® multichannel audio is provided through optional TriMedia application library modules.

SPDIF output—The SPDIF out unit allows output of a one-bit high-speed serial datastream. The primary application is output of digital audio data in SPDIF format to external audio equipment. Since datastream content is entirely software controlled, the SPDIF out unit can also be used as a general purpose high-speed datastream output device such as a UART.

The SPDIF out unit supports two-channel linear PCM audio, one or more Dolby Digital six-channel datastreams (embedded per Project 1937), or one or more MPEG-1 or MPEG-2 audio streams (embedded per Project 1937). It supports arbitrary, programmable sample rates independent of and asynchronous to the AO unit sample rate.

Image coprocessor—The image coprocessor (ICP) unit off-loads the CPU of cycle-consuming image processing tasks such as copying an image from SDRAM to a host video frame buffer. The ICP unit can operate as either a memory-to-memory or memory-to-PCI coprocessor device. In both modes, it can perform horizontal or vertical image filtering and scaling and can optionally perform YUV to RGB color-space conversion for screen display (in memory-to-PCI mode).

The ICP also provides display support for live video in occluded windows. The number and sizes of windows processed are limited only by available bandwidth. The final resampled and converted images are transmitted over the PCI bus to an optional off-chip graphics card/frame buffer.

Variable length decoder—A variable length decoder (VLD) unit operates as a memory-to-memory coprocessor to decode Huffman-encoded MPEG-1 and MPEG-2 video datastreams. After processing, the VLD unit outputs a decoded stream optimized for MPEG-2 decompression software. This minimizes communications with the CPU where other steps of MPEG processing are performed.

DVD descrambler—The on-chip digital versatile disc (DVD) descrambler unit provides DVD authentication and descrambling. This enables developers to add low-cost, flexible DVD video playback functions into multimedia products with minimal effort.

I²C interface—An I²C interface provides an external I²C (or compatible interface) for use in hardware or software operation modes. In hardware mode, it can connect to and control a variety of different I²C multimedia devices allowing configuration and status inspection of off-chip peripheral video devices such as digital encoders and decoders, digital cameras, parallel I/O expanders, and more. I²C software mode enables full software control of the I²C interface. The interface can also be used to read the boot program from an off-chip EEPROM.

Synchronous serial interface—A synchronous serial interface (SSI) unit provides serial access for a variety of multimedia and data communications applications. It contains the buffers and logic necessary to interface with simple analog modem front ends. When used with a TriMedia V.34 application, the SSI unit can provide fully V.34-compliant modem capability. Alternatively, it can be connected to an ISDN interface chip to provide advanced digital modem capabilities.

Timers—TM-1300 provides four general purpose timers useful in counting/timing events such as CPU clock cycles, data/instruction breakpoints, cache tracing, audio/video clocks, and more. Three timers are available to programmers, the fourth is reserved for use by system software.

PCI/XIO bus interface—A PCI/XIO interface connects the CPU and on-chip peripheral units to a PCI/XIO bus. In embedded applications where TM-1300 is the main processor, this interface enables

TM-1300 to access off-chip devices implementing functions not provided on-chip. In host-based applications, the interface connects TM-1300 to a standard PCI bus, allowing placement directly on the host mainboard or a plug-in card. For low-cost standalone systems, XIO support allows glueless connection of eight-bit x86 or 68K devices such as ROM, Flash, EEPROM, UARTs, and more.

MEMORY SYSTEM OVERVIEW

To meet the performance requirements of its target applications while maintaining low cost, the TM-1300 memory subsystem couples substantial on-chip caches with a glueless memory interface through a unique internal bus or data highway.

Dedicated instruction and data cache—The TM-1300 CPU is supported by separate, dedicated on-chip data and instruction caches that employ a variety of techniques to improve cache hit ratios and thus CPU performance.

The dual-ported data cache allows two simultaneous accesses. It is non-blocking thus cache misses and CPU cache accesses can be handled simultaneously. Early restart techniques reduce read-miss latency. Background copyback reduces CPU stalls.

To reduce internal bus bandwidth requirements, instructions in main memory and cache use a compressed format. Instructions are decompressed in the instruction cache decompression unit before being processed by the CPU.

To improve cache behavior and thus performance, both caches have a locking mechanism. Cache coherency is maintained by software.

Glueless memory system interface—The TM-1300 couples main memory to substantial on-chip caches through a glueless main memory interface (MMI). The MMI acts as the main memory controller and programmable central arbiter that allocates memory bandwidth for on-chip peripheral unit activities.

Support for a variety of memory configurations enables a wide variety of TM-1300-based systems to be built. The MMI supports 16-Mbit and 64-Mbit SDRAMs and provides sufficient drive capacity for an up to 143-MHz memory system comprising 8-MB (one 2Mx32), 16-MB (two 4Mx16 or two 2Mx32), or 32-MB (four 4Mx16 or four 2Mx32) memories. Larger memories (up to 64 MB) can be implemented using lower memory system clock frequencies or external buffers. Higher bandwidth SDRAM permits TM-1300 to use a narrower and simpler interface than is required to achieve similar performance with standard DRAM. Programmable speed ratios allow SDRAM to have a different clock speed than the TM-1300 CPU.

HIGH-SPEED INTERNAL BUS (DATA HIGHWAY)

The TM-1300 CPU and processing units access external SDRAM through the on-chip internal bus or data highway comprising separate 32-bit address and data buses. Handled by the MMI, programmable bus arbitration enables the data highway to maintain real-time responsiveness in a variety of applications.

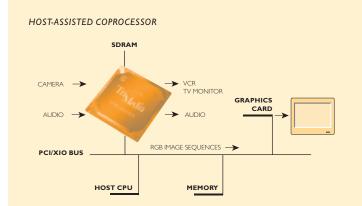
ROBUST SOFTWARE DEVELOPMENT ENVIRONMENT

The TriMedia SDE includes a full suite of system software tools to compile and debug code, analyze and optimize performance, and simulate execution for the TM-1300 processor. The SDE dramatically lowers development costs, reduces time-to-market, and ensures code portability to next generation architecture by enabling development of multimedia applications entirely in the C and C++ programming languages.

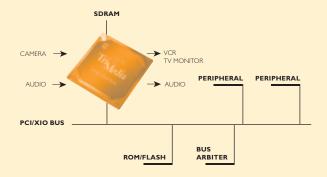
The TriMedia SDE Version 2.0 also supports Metrowerks[®] CodeWarrior[®] plug-ins. These plug-ins enable programmers to develop C code for TriMedia processors using the popular Code-Warrior Integrated Professional Development Environment (IDE).

TRIMEDIA APPLICATION LIBRARIES

Many TriMedia application libraries are available to accelerate product development of common standard-compliant software algorithms



STANDALONE



TM-1300 is designed for use as the sole CPU in standalone systems and as a coprocessor in a hosted or multiprocessor environment.

used in processing multimedia datastreams. These C-callable routines are optimized for top performance on the TriMedia architecture.

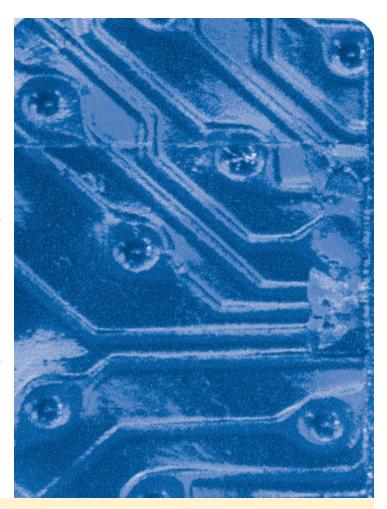
Application libraries are available from Philips and third-party suppliers and include functions such as MPEG-1 encode or decode, MPEG-2 MP@ML decode, MPEG-2 1/2D1 MP@ML encode, H.320, H.324, Dolby ProLogic or Dolby Digital (AC-3) decode, communications protocols, and many more. The TM-1300 can also support Java applications with third-party Java virtual machine environments.

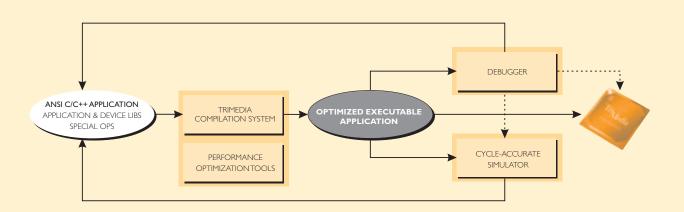
REAL-TIME OPERATION SYSTEM SUPPORT

For multimedia applications requiring system resource and task management, the TM-1300 media processor supports the pSOS+™ embedded real-time operating system kernels. Developed by Integrated Systems, Inc., the pSOS+ kernels are based on open system standards and are optimized for deterministic response essential for multimedia applications.

UPWARD COMPATIBILITY

TriMedia processors preserve investments in software development through software compatibility between family members at the source code level. Powerful, optimizing compilers ensure that programmers never need to resort to non-portable assembler programming.





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TM-I300 Specifications

data 16 KB

instruction $32~\mathrm{KB}$

Size

PHYSICAL		INTERNAL DATA	
Process	0.25-micron CMOS	Protocol	64-byte block-transfer
Packaging	292 T ² BGA (169 functional)		separate 32-bit data and 32-bit address buses
Power	supply core: 2.5 V; I/O: 3.3 V (5 V tol.) consumption 1300 mA; 3.5 W powerdown 300 mA	VIDEO IN Supported Signals	CCIR 601/656: 8-bit video (up to 40 Mpix/
Casa Tamparatura	0 to 85 °C		sec; raw 8-10-bit data up to 80 MB/sec
Case Temperature		Image Sizes	all sizes, subject to sample rate
CENTRAL PROCES		Functions	programmable on-the-fly 2X horizontal
Clock Speed	143 or 166 MHz		resolution subsampling
Instruction Length	variable (2 to 23 bytes); compressed	VIDEO OUT	
Instruction Set	arithmetic and logical ops, load/store ops., special multimedia and DSP ops., IEEE- compliant floating point ops.	Image Sizes	flexible, including CCIR601; max. 4K x 4K pixels (subject to 80 MB/sec data rate)
Issue Slots	5	Input Formats	YUV 4:2:2, YUV 4:2:0
Functional Units	27, pipelined	Output Format	CCIR601/656 8-bit video, PAL or NTSC
Tunctional Cints	integer and floating-point arithmetic units, data-parallel DSP-like units	Clock Rates	programmable (4-80 MHz), typ. 27 MB/sec (13.5 Mpixels/sec for NTSC, PAL)
	name qty latency recovery constant 5 1 1	Transfer Speeds	up to 80 MB/sec in data-streaming and message passing modes; 40 Mpix/sec in YUV 4:2:2 mode
	integer ALU 5 1 1 memory load/store 2 3 1 shift 2 1 1 DSPALU 2 2 1	Functions	full 129-level alpha blending, genlock mode, frame synchronization, chroma key, program mable YUV color clipping
	DSP multiply 2 3 1	AUDIO IN	
	branch 3 3 1 float ALU 2 3 1	No. of Channels	2
	integer/float mul 2 3 1	Sample Size	8- or 16-bit samples per channel
	float compare 1 1 1 float sqrt./divide 1 17 16	Sample Rates	programmable with 0.001 Hz resolution; maximum is application dependent
Registers Special/SIMD Ops	128 (32-bit width) 32	Data Formats	8-bit or 16-bit mono and stereo; PC standard memory data format
MEMORY SYSTEM	1/01/11	External Interface	4 pins; 1 programmable clock; 3 flexible serial input
Speed	143 MHz	Clock Source	internal or external
CPU/Memory Speed Ratios	programmable; 1:1, 5:4, 4:3, 3:2, and 2:1	Native Protocol	I ² S and other serial 3-wire protocols
Memory Size	512 KB to 64 MB (up to four ranks)	AUDIO OUT	
Supported Types	SDRAM (x4, x8, x16); SGRAM (x32);	No. of Channels	8
D 1.1	64-Mbit SDRAM (x16, x32)	Sample Size	16- or 32-bit samples per channel
Recommended Configurations	8 MB: 1 2Mx32 or 2 2Mx32 16 MB: 2 4Mx16 or 2 4Mx16 32 MB: 4 2Mx32 or 4 4Mx16	Sample Rates	programmable with 0.001 Hz resolution; maximum is application dependent
Width	32-bit bus	Data Formats	16-bit (mono and stereo); 32-bit (mono and stereo; PC standard memory data format
Max. Bandwidth Interface	572 MB/sec (at 143 MHz) glueless up to 4 chips (at 143 MHz); more	External Interface	4 pins each; 1 programmable clock; 3 flexible serial output
	chips will require slower clock and/or external buffers	Clock Source Native Protocol	internal or external I ² S and other serial 3-wire protocols
Signal Levels	3.3 V LVTTL		1 5 and other serial 3-wire protocols
CACHES		SPDIF OUT	
Access	data 8-, 16-, 32-bit word	No. of Channels	up to 6
	instruction 64 bytes	Sample Size	16 or 24 bits per channel
Associativity	8-way set-associative with hierarchical LRU	Bit Rate	up to 40 Mbits/sec
-	replacement	External Interface	1 pin, self clocking interface per IEC-958
Block Size	64 bytes	Clock Source	internal
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Native Protocol

IEC-958, 1 wire

TM-1300 Specifications

IMAGE COPROCESSOR

horizontal or vertical scaling and filtering of **Functions**

individual Y, U, or V

horizontal scaling and filtering with color conversion and overlay: YUV to RGB, RGB overlay and alpha blending, bit mask blanking

Scaling programmable scale factor (0.2X to 10X) **Filtering**

32-polyphase, each instance 5-tap, fully pro-

grammable filter coefficients

Performance horizontal scaling and filtering: 110 MB/sec vertical scaling and filtering: 40 MB/sec

VLD

parses MPEG-1 and MPEG-2 elementary **Function**

bitstreams generating run-level pairs and

filling macroblock headers

External Interface none

DVD DESCRAMBLER

Functions authentication; descrambling

External Interface

I²C INTERFACE

Supported Modes single master only

Addressing 7-bit

up to 400 kbps Rates

External Interface 2 pins: 1 serial data, 1 clock

SYNCHRONOUS SERIAL INTERFACE

Data Formats variable slots/frame Frame Sync external or internal

Clock Source separate transmit, receive, frame sync;

> transmit/receive clocks external source; automatic frame sync error detection; settable edge polarity for transmit, receive,

and frame sync

External Interface 6 pins (2 usable for tip and ring for phone

connections); compatible with most telecom devices; can be configured with multiple

chips

PCI/XIO INTERFACE

Speed 33 MHz **Bus Width** 32 bits **Address Space** 32 bits (4 GB)

drive and receive at 3.3 V or 5 V Voltage Standard Compliance PCI Local Bus Specification 2.1

TIMERS

Number 4

Width 32-bits

Sources external clock, (prescaled) CPU clock, data

or instruction breakpoints, cache events, video in/out clocks, audio in/out word strobe, SSI receive/transmit frame sync

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