

PE83363

Military Operating Temperature Range

Product Description

Peregrine's PE83363 is a high performance fractional-N PLL capable of frequency synthesis up to 3.0 GHz. The device is designed for superior phase noise performance while providing an order of magnitude reduction in current consumption, when compared with the existing military PLLs.

The PE83363 features a 10/11 dual modulus prescaler, counters, a delta sigma modulator, a phase comparator and a charge pump as shown in Figure 1. Counter values are programmable through either a serial interface or directly hard-wired.

Fabricated in Peregrine's patented UTSi® (Ultra Thin Silicon) CMOS technology, the PE83363 offers excellent RF performance and versatility.

3.0 GHz Delta-Sigma modulated Fractional-N Synthesizer for Low Phase Noise Applications

Features

- 3.0 GHz operation
- ÷10/11 dual modulus prescaler
- Selectable phase detector or charge pump output
- Serial or Direct Mode interface
- Frequency resolution:
 - Comparison frequency / 2¹⁸
- Low power 25 30 mA at 3V (phase detector / charge pump)
- 50MHz Phase Comparator
- Ultra-low phase noise
- 68-lead CQFJ



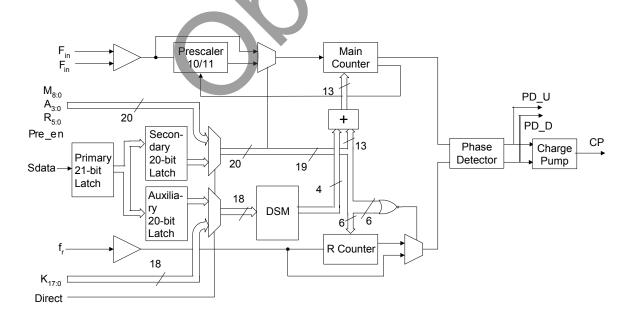


Figure 2. Pin Configuration

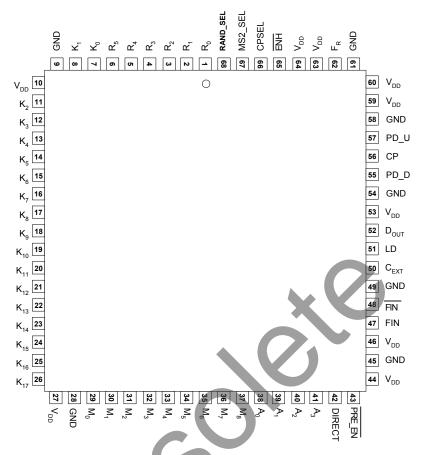


Table 1. Pin Descriptions

Pin No. (68-lead CQFJ)	Pin Name	Valid Mode	Туре	Description
1	R ₀	Direct	Input	R Counter bit0 (LSB).
2	R ₁	Direct	Input	R Counter bit1.
3	R ₂	Direct	Input	R Counter bit2.
4	R ₃	Direct	Input	R Counter bit3.
5	R ₄	Direct	Input	R Counter bit4.
6	R ₅	Direct	Input	R Counter bit5 (MSB).
7	K ₀	Direct	Input	K Counter bit0 (LSB).
8	K ₁	Direct	Input	K Counter bit1.
9	GND		Power	Ground.
10	V _{DD}		Power (Note 1)	ESD & Digital core V _{DD} .
11	K ₂	Direct	Input	K Counter bit2.
12	K ₃	Direct	Input	K Counter bit3.
13	K ₄	Direct	Input	K Counter bit4.



Pin No. (68-lead CQFJ)	Pin Name	Valid Mode	Туре	Description
14	K ₅	Direct	Input	K Counter bit5.
15	K ₆	Direct	Input	K Counter bit6.
16	K ₇	Direct	Input	K Counter bit7.
17	K ₈	Direct	Input	K Counter bit8.
18	K ₉	Direct	Input	K Counter bit9.
19	K ₁₀	Direct	Input	K Counter bit10.
20	K ₁₁	Direct	Input	K Counter bit11.
21	K ₁₂	Direct	Input	K Counter bit12.
22	K ₁₃	Direct	Input	K Counter bit13.
23	K ₁₄	Direct	Input	K Counter bit14.
24	K ₁₅	Direct	Input	K Counter bit15.
25	K ₁₆	Direct	Input	K Counter bit16.
26	K ₁₇	Direct	Input	K Counter bit17 (MSB).
27	V_{DD}		Power	Digital core & ESD V _{DD} .
28	GND		Power	Ground.
29	M ₀	Direct	Input	M Counter bit0 (LSB).
30	M ₁	Direct	Input	M Counter bit1.
31	M ₂	Direct	Input	M Counter bit2
32	M ₃	Direct	Input	M Counter bit3.
	M ₄	Direct	Input	M Counter bit4.
33	S_WR	Serial	Input	Serial load enable input. While S_WR is "low", Sdata can be serially clocked. Primary register data are transferred to the secondary register on S_WR or Hop_WR rising edge.
34	M ₅	Direct	Input	M Counter bit5.
34	SDATA	Serial	Input	Binary serial data input. Input data entered MSB first.
	M ₆	Direct	Input	M Counter bit6.
35	SCLK	Serial	Input	Serial clock input. SDATA is clocked serially into the 20-bit primary register (E_WR "low") or the 8-bit enhancement register (E_WR "high") on the rising edge of Sclk.
36	M ₇	Direct	Input	M Counter bit7.
37	M ₈	Direct	Input	M Counter bit8 (MSB).
38	A ₀	Direct	Input	A Counter bit0 (LSB).
	A ₁	Direct	Input	A Counter bit1.
39	E_WR	Serial	Input	Enhancement register write enable. While E_WR is "high", Sdata can be serially clocked into the enhancement register on the rising edge of Sclk.
40	A ₂	Direct	Input	A Counter bit2.
41	A ₃	Direct	Input	A Counter bit3 (MSB).
42	DIRECT	Both	Input	Direct mode select. "High" enables direct mode. "Low" enables serial mode.
43	Pre_en	Direct	Input	Prescaler enable, active "low". When "high", Fin bypasses the prescaler.



Pin No. (68-lead CQFJ)	Pin Name	Valid Mode	Туре	Description
44	V_{DD}		Power (Note 1)	Digital core V _{DD} .
45	GND		Power	Ground.
46	V _{DD}		Power (Note 1)	ESD & Prescaler V _{DD} .
47	Fin	Both	Input	Prescaler input from the VCO. 3.0 GHz max frequency.
48	F _{in}	Both	Input	Prescaler complementary input. A bypass capacitor should be placed as close as possible to this pin and be connected in series with a 50 Ω resistor directly to the ground plane.
49	GND		Power	Ground.
50	CEXT	Both	Output	Logical "NAND" of PD_U and PD_D terminated through an on chip, 2 k Ω series resistor. Connecting Cext to an external capacitor will low pass filter the input to the inverting amplifier used for driving LD.
51	LD	Both	Output	Lock detect and open drain logical inversion of CEXT. When the loop is in lock, LD is high impedance, otherwise LD is a logic low ("0").
52	D _{OUT}	Both	Output	Data out function, enabled in enhancement mode.
53	V_{DD}		(Note 1)	Output driver/charge pump V _{DD} .
54	GND		Power	Ground.
55	PD_D	Both	Output	PD_D pulses down when fp leads fc. PD_U is driven to GND when CPSEL = "High".
56	СР	Both	Output	Charge pump output. Selected when CPSEL = "1". Tristate when CPSEL = "Low".
57	PD_U	Both	Output	PD_U pulses down when fo leads fp. PD_D is driven to GND when CPSEL = "High".
58	GND		Power	Ground.
59	V _{DD}		Power (Note 1)	Output driver/charge pump V _{DD} .
60	V _{DD}		Power (Note 1)	Phase detector & ESD V _{DD} .
61	GND		Power	Ground.
62	f _r	Both	Input	Reference frequency input.
63	V_{DD}		Power (Note 1)	Reference V _{DD} .
64	V _{DD}		Power (Note 1)	Digital core V _{DD} .
65	ENH	Both	Input	Enhancement mode. When asserted low ("0"), enhancement register bits are functional.
66	CPSEL	Both	Input	Charge pump select. "High" enables the charge pump and disables pins PD_U and PD_D by forcing them "low". A "low" Tri-states the CP and enables PD_U and PD_D.
67	MS2_SEL	Both	Input	MASH 1-1 select. "High" selects MASH 1-1 mode. "Low" selects the MASH 1-1-1 mode.
68	RND_SEL	Both	Input	K register LSB toggle enable. "1" enables the toggling of LSB. This is equivalent to having an additional bit for the LSB of K register. The frequency offset as a result of enabling this bit is the phase detector comparison frequency / 2 ¹⁹ .

 $\textbf{Note 1:} \quad \text{All V_{DD} pins are connected by diodes and must be supplied with the same positive voltage level.}$

Note 2: All digital input pins have 70 k Ω pull-down resistors to ground.



Table 2. Absolute Maximum Ratings

Symbol	Parameter/Conditions	Min	Max	Units
V_{DD}	Supply voltage	-0.3	4.0	V
Vı	Voltage on any input	-0.3	V _{DD} + 0.3	V
I _I	DC into any input	-10	+10	mA
Io	DC into any output	-10	+10	mA
T _{stg}	Storage temperature range	-65	150	°C

Table 3. Operating Ratings

Symbol	Parameter/Conditions	Min	Max	Units
V_{DD}	Supply voltage	2.85	3.15	V
T _A	Operating ambient temperature range	-55	125	°C

Table 4. ESD Ratings

Symbol	Parameter/Conditions	Level	Units
V_{ESD}	ESD voltage human body model (Note 1)	1000	V

Note 1: Periodically sampled, not 100% tested. Tested per MIL-STD-883, M3015 C2

Electrostatic Discharge (ESD) Precautions

When handling this UTSi device, observe the same precautions that you would use with other ESD-sensitive devices. Although this device contains circuitry to protect it from damage due to ESD, precautions should be taken to avoid exceeding the rating specified in Table 4.

Latch-Up Avoidance

Unlike conventional CMOS devices, UTSi CMOS devices are immune to latch-up.





Table 5. DC Characteristics

 V_{DD} = 3.0 V, -55° C < T_A < 125° C, unless otherwise specified

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	Min	Тур	Max	Units
I _{DD}	Operational supply current;	V _{DD} = 2.85 to 3.15 V				
	Prescaler enabled, charge pump disabled			25		mA
I_{DD}	Operational supply current;	V_{DD} = 2.85 to 3.15 V				
	Prescaler enabled, charge pump enabled			30		mA
I_{DD}	Operational supply current;	V_{DD} = 2.85 to 3.15 V		40		4
	Prescaler disabled, charge pump disabled	V 0.05 t- 0.45 V		10		mA
l _{DD}	Operational supply current; Prescaler disabled, charge pump enabled	V_{DD} = 2.85 to 3.15 V		15		mA
All Digital innu	ts: K[17:0], R[5:0], M[8:0], A[3:0], Direct, Pre_en, Ra	and an M2 sal Casal Enhicon	tains a 70 kO nu		etor)	1117 (
V _{IH}	High level input voltage	$V_{DD} = 2.85 \text{ to } 3.15 \text{ V}$	0.7 x V _{DD}	III-down ics	1	V
V _{IL}	Low level input voltage	V _{DD} = 2.85 to 3.15 V	0.7 X VDD		0.3 x V _{DD}	
I _{IH}	High level input current	$V_{IH} = V_{DD} = 3.15 \text{ V}$			+100	μΑ
I _{IL}	Low level input current	$V_{IL} = 0, V_{DD} = 3.15 \text{ V}$			1100	μΑ
Reference Div	· ·	VIL O, VDD O.10 V				μΑ
I _{IHR}	High level input current	V _{IH} = V _{DD} = 3.15 V			+100	μΑ
I _{ILR}	Low level input current	$V_{IL} = 0, V_{DD} = 3.15 \text{ V}$	-100		1100	μA μA
	hase detector outputs: PD_D, PD_U	VIL O, VDD O.10 V	100			μΑ
V _{OLD}	Output voltage LOW	I _{out} = 6 mA) 		0.4	V
V _{OHD}	Output voltage HIGH	I _{out} = +3 mA	V _{DD} - 0.4			V
Digital test out	1 ' '	-out	100 011			
V _{OLD}	Output voltage LOW	I _{out} = -200 μA			0.4	V
V _{OHD}	Output voltage HIGH	I _{out} = 200 μA	V _{DD} - 0.4			V
Charge Pump	output: CP	out				
I _{CP} - Source	Drive current	V _{CP} = V _{DD} / 2	-2.6	2	-1.4	mA
I _{CP} -Sink	Drive current	$V_{CP} = V_{DD} / 2$	1.4	2	2.6	mA
I _{CPL}	Leakage current	$1.0 \text{ V} < \text{V}_{CP} < \text{V}_{DD} - 1.0 \text{ V}$	-1		1	μА
I _{CP} - Source	Sink vs. source mismatch	V _{CP} = V _{DD} / 2			15	%
vs. I _{CP} - Sink		T _A = 25° C				
I _{CP} vs. V _{CP}	Output current magnitude variation vs. voltage	1.0 V < V _{CP} < V _{DD} - 1.0 V			15	%
		T _A = 25° C				
Lock detect ou	rtputs: (Cext, LD)				•	
V _{OLC}	Output voltage LOW, Cext	I _{out} = -0.1 mA			0.4	V
V _{OHC}	Output voltage HIGH, Cext	I _{out} = 0.1 mA	V _{DD} - 0.4			V
V_{OLLD}	Output voltage LOW, LD	I _{out} = 1 mA			0.4	V



Table 6. AC Characteristics

 V_{DD} = 3.0 V, -55° C < T_A < 125° C, unless otherwise specified

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	Min	Тур	Max	Units
Control Interface	e and Latches (see Figures 3, 4)		•			•
f _{Clk}	Serial data clock frequency	(Note 1)			10	MHz
t _{ClkH}	Serial clock HIGH time		30			ns
t _{CIkL}	Serial clock LOW time		30			ns
t _{DSU}	Sdata set-up time to Sclk rising edge		10			ns
t _{DHLD}	Sdata hold time after Sclk rising edge		10			ns
t _{PW}	S_WR pulse width		30			ns
t _{CWR}	Sclk rising edge to S_WR rising edge		30			ns
t _{CE}	Sclk falling edge to E_WR transition		30			ns
t _{wrc}	S_WR falling edge to Sclk rising edge		30			ns
t _{EC}	E_WR transition to Sclk rising edge		30			ns
Main Divider (In	cluding Prescaler)					
F _{in}	Operating frequency	Α.	275		3000	MHz
P _{Fin}	Input level range	External AC coupling	-5		5	dBm
Main Divider (Pr	rescaler Bypassed)					
F _{in}	Operating frequency		50		300	MHz
P _{Fin}	Input level range	External AC coupling	-5		5	dBm
Reference Divid	er					
f _r	Operating frequency	(Note 3)			100	MHz
P _{fr}	Reference input power (Note 2)	Single ended input	-2			dBm
Phase Detector					•	
f _c	Comparison frequency	(Note 3)			50	MHz
SSB Phase Nois	se (F_{in} = 1.9 GHz, f_r = 20 MHz, f_c = 10 MHz, LBW = 5	0 kHz, V _{DD} = 3.0 V, Temp = 25°	C)			
Φ_{N}	Phase Noise	1 kHz Offset		-88		dBc/Hz
Φ_{N}	Phase Noise	10 kHz Offset		-92		dBc/Hz

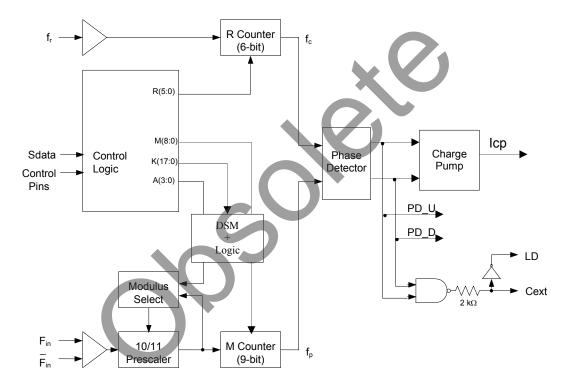
- **Note 1:** fclk is verified during the functional pattern test. Serial programming sections of the functional pattern are clocked at 10 MHz to verify fclk specification.
- **Note 2:** CMOS logic levels can be used to drive reference input if DC coupled. Voltage input needs to be a minimum of 0.5 Vp-p. For optimum phase noise performance, the reference input falling edge rate should be faster than 80mV/ns.
- Note 3: Parameter is guaranteed through characterization only and is not tested.

Functional Description

The PE83363 consists of a prescaler, counters, an 18-bit delta-sigma modulator (DSM), a phase detector and a charge pump. The dual modulus prescaler divides the VCO frequency by either 10 or 11, depending on the value of the modulus select. Counters "R" and "M" divide the reference and prescaler output, respectively, by integer values stored in a 20-bit register. An additional counter ("A") is used in the modulus select logic. The DSM modulates the "A" counter outputs in order to achieve the desired fractional step.

The phase-frequency detector generates up and down frequency control signals. These signals can be configured to drive a tri-state charge pump. Data is written into the internal registers via the three wire serial bus or set directly from device pin configuration (direct mode). There are also various operational and test modes and a lock detect output.

Figure 3. Functional Block Diagram





Main Counter Chain

Normal Operating Mode

Setting the Pre_en control bit "low" enables the ÷10/11 prescaler. The main counter chain then divides the RF input frequency (F_{in}) by an integer or fractional number derived from the values in the "M", "A" counters and the DSM input word K. The accumulator size is 18 bits, so the fractional value is fixed from the ratio K/2¹⁸. There is an additional bit in the DSM that acts as an extra bit (19th bit). This bit is enabled by asserting the pin RAND_SEL to "high". Enabling this bit has the benefit of reducing the spurious levels at the cost of a small frequency offset will occur. This positive frequency offset is calculated with the following equation.

$$f_{\text{offset}} = (f_r / (R + 1)) / 2^{19}$$
 (1)

All of the following equations do not take into account of this frequency offset. If this offset is important to a specific frequency plan, appropriate account needs to be taken.

In the normal mode, the output from the main counter chain (f_p) is related to the VCO frequency (F_{in}) by the following equation:

$$f_p = F_{in} / [10 \times (M + 1) + A + K/2^{18}]$$
 (2)
where $A \le M + 1$, $1 \le M \le 511$

When the loop is locked, F_{in} is related to the reference frequency (f_r) by the following equation:

$$F_{in} = [10 \times (M + 1) + A + K/2^{18}] \times (f_r / (R+1))$$
 (3) where $A \le M + 1$, $1 \le M \le 511$

A consequence of the upper limit on A is that F_{in} must be greater than or equal to 90 x (f_r / (R+1)) to obtain contiguous channels. The A counter can accept values as high as 15, but in typical operation it will cycle from 0 to 9 between increments in M.

Programming the M counter with the minimum allowed value of "1" will result in a minimum divide ratio of "2" or "20", depending on the state of "prescaler enable".

Prescaler Bypass Mode (*)

Setting the frequency control register bit Pre_en "high" allows F_{in} to bypass the ÷10/11 prescaler. In this mode, the prescaler and A counter are powered down, and the input VCO frequency is divided by

the M counter directly. The following equation relates F_{in} to the reference frequency f_r :

$$F_{in} = (M + 1) \times (f_r / (R+1))$$
 where $1 \le M \le 511$

(*) Only integer mode

In prescaler bypass mode, neither the A nor K counter is used. Therefore, only integer-N operation is possible.

Reference Counter

The reference counter chain divides the reference frequency f_r down to the phase detector comparison frequency f_c .

The output frequency of the 6-bit R Counter is related to the reference frequency by the following equation:

$$f_c = f_r / (R + 1)$$
 (5)
where $0 \le R \le 63$

Note that programming R with "0" will pass the reference frequency (f_r) directly to the phase detector.

Register Programming

Serial Interface Mode

While the E_WR input is "low" and the S_WR input is "low", serial input data (Sdata input), B₀ to B₂₀, are clocked serially into the primary register on the rising edge of Sclk, MSB (B₀) first. The LSB is used as address bit. When "0", the contents from the primary register are transferred into the secondary register on the rising edge of either S_WR according to the timing diagrams shown in Figure 4. When "1", data is transferred to the auxiliary register according to the same timing diagram. The secondary register is used to program the various counters, while the auxiliary register is used to program the DSM.

Data are transferred to the counters as shown in Table 7 on page 9.

While the E_WR input is "high" and the S_WR input is "low", serial input data (Sdata input), B_0 to B_7 , are clocked serially into the enhancement register on the rising edge of Sclk, MSB (B_0) first. The enhancement register is double buffered. Buffer capture of the serially entered data occurs on the falling edge of E_WR according to the timing diagram shown in Figure 4. After the falling edge of E_WR, the data control bits (shown in Table 8 on page 9) will have their function enabled by asserting the Enh input "low". **NOTE:** Bits B_2 , B_4 , B_5 , and B_6 are only selectable one at a time.

Direct Interface Mode

Direct Interface Mode is selected by setting the DIRECT input (pin 42) "high".

Counter control bits are then set directly at the pins as shown in Tables 7 and 8.

Table 7. Seconadry Register Programming

Interface Mode	Enh	R ₅	R ₄	M ₈	M ₇	Pre_en	M ₆	M ₅	M ₄	M ₃	M ₂	M ₁	M ₀	R ₃	R ₂	R ₁	R ₀	A ₃	A ₂	A ₁	A ₀	Addr
Direct	1	R ₅	R ₄	M ₈	M ₇	Pre_en	M_6	M ₅	M_4	M ₃	M_2	M ₁	M_0	R ₃	R ₂	R ₁	R_0	A_3	A_2	A_1	A_0	Х
Serial*	1	B ₀	B ₁	B ₂	B ₃	B ₄	B ₅	B ₆	B ₇	B ₈	B ₉	B ₁₀	B ₁₁	B ₁₂	B ₁₃	B ₁₄	B ₁₅	B ₁₆	B ₁₇	B ₁₈	B ₁₉	0

^{*}Serial data clocked serially on Sclk rising edge while E_WR "low" and captured in secondary register on S_WR rising edge.



(last in) LSB

Table 8. Auxiliary Register Programming

Interface Mode	Enh	K ₁₇	K ₁₆	K ₁₅	K ₁₄	K ₁₃	K ₁₂	K ₁₁	K ₁₀	K ₉	K ₈	K ₇	K ₆	K ₅	K ₄	K ₃	K ₂	K ₁	K ₀	Rsrv	Rsrv	Addr
Direct	1	K ₁₇	K ₁₆	K ₁₅	K ₁₄	K ₁₃	K ₁₂	K ₁₁	K ₁₀	K ₉	K ₈	K ₇	K ₆	K ₅	K ₄	K ₃	K ₂	K ₁	K ₀	Χ	Х	Χ
Serial*	1	B ₀	B ₁	B ₂	B ₃	B ₄	B ₅	B ₆	B ₇	B ₈	B ₉	B ₁₀	B ₁₁	B ₁₂	B ₁₃	B ₁₄	B ₁₅	B ₁₆	B ₁₇	B ₁₈	B ₁₉	1

^{*}Serial data clocked serially on Sclk rising edge while E_WR "low" and captured in secondary register on S_WR rising edge.





Table 9. Enhancement Register Programming

Interface Mode	Enh	Reserved	Reserved	f _p output	Power Down	Counter load	MSEL output	f _c output	LD Disable
Serial*	0	B ₀	B ₁	B ₂	B ₃	B ₄	B ₅	B ₆	B ₇

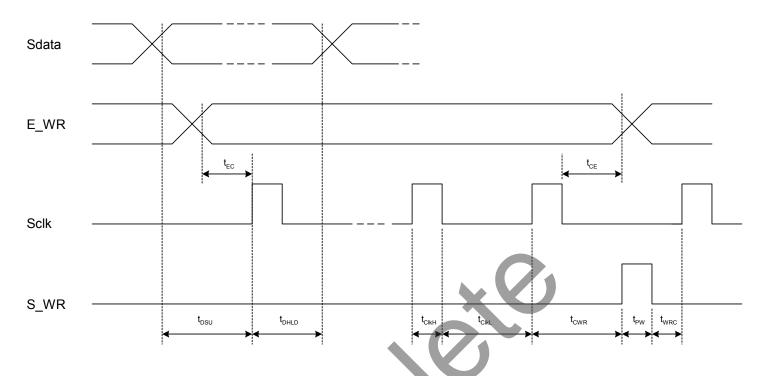
^{*}Serial data clocked serially on Sclk rising edge while E_WR "high" and captured in the double buffer on E_WR falling edge.







Figure 4. Serial Interface Mode Timing Diagram



Enhancement Register

The functions of the enhancement register bits are shown below with all bits active "high".

Table 10. Enhancement Register Bit Functionality

Bi	t Function	Description
Bit 0	Reserved **	Reserved.
Bit 1	Reserved **	Reserved.
Bit 2	f _p output	Drives the M counter output onto the Dout output.
Bit 3	Power down	Power down of all functions except programming interface.
Bit 4	Counter load	Immediate and continuous load of counter programming.
Bit 5	MSEL output	Drives the internal dual modulus prescaler modulus select (MSEL) onto the Dout output.
Bit 6	f _c output	Drives the reference counter output onto the Dout output.
Bit 7	LD Disable	Disables the LD pin.

^{**} Program to 0



Phase Detector and Charge Pump

The phase detector is rising edge triggered from the main (f_p) and reference counters (f_c) . It has two outputs, PD_U, and PD_D. If the divided VCO leads the divided reference in phase or frequency (f_p) leads f_c , PD_D pulses "low". If the divided reference leads the divided VCO in phase or frequency (f_c) leads f_p , PD_U pulses "low". The width of either pulse is directly proportional to phase offset between the two input signals, f_p and f_c .

For the UP and DOWN mode, PD_U and PD_D drive an active loop filter which controls the VCO tune voltage. The phase detector gain is equal to VDD / 2 π .

PD_U pulses cause an increase in VCO frequency and PD_D pulses cause a decrease in VCO frequency, when using a positive Kv VCO.

For the charge pump mode, the phase detector outputs are used internally to drive a tri-state charge pump. The PD_U, and PD_D output pins are disabled to logic Lo. The charge pump current is fixed at 2mA.

A lock detect output, LD is also provided, via the pin Cext. Cext is the logical "NAND" of PD_U and PD_D waveforms, which is driven through a series 2 kohm resistor. Connecting Cext to an external shunt capacitor provides low pass filtering of this signal. Cext also drives the input of an internal inverting comparator with an open drain output. The LD output is an AND function of PD_U and PD_D.

Figure 5. Typical Phase Noise

Phase noise results for "Trace 2" is an averaging function of the measurement device.

Test Conditions: Fout = 1.92 GHz, Fcomparison = 10 MHz, V_{DD} = 3 V, Temp = 25 C.

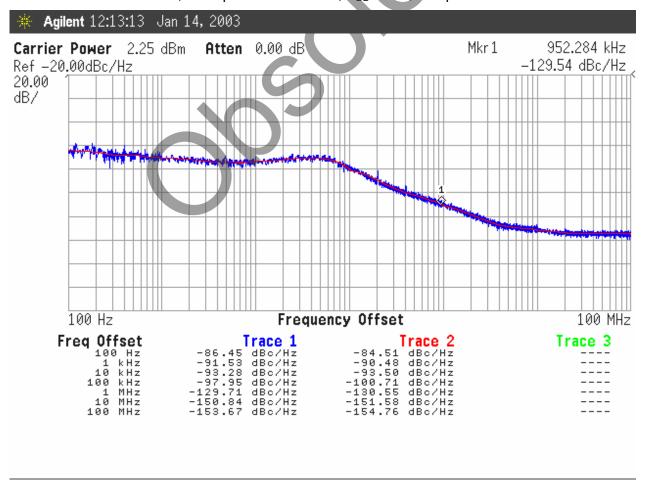




Figure 6. Typical Spurious Plot

Test Conditions: Frequency step = 200 KHz, Loop bandwidth = 50 KHz, Fout = 1.92 GHz,

Fcomparison = 10 MHz, V_{DD} = 3 V, Temp = 25 C.

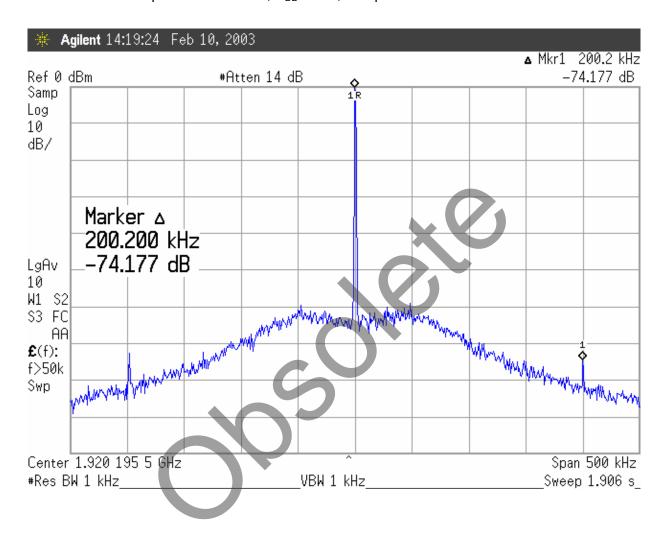




Figure 7. Package Drawing

Package dimensions: 68-lead CQFJ w/o lid

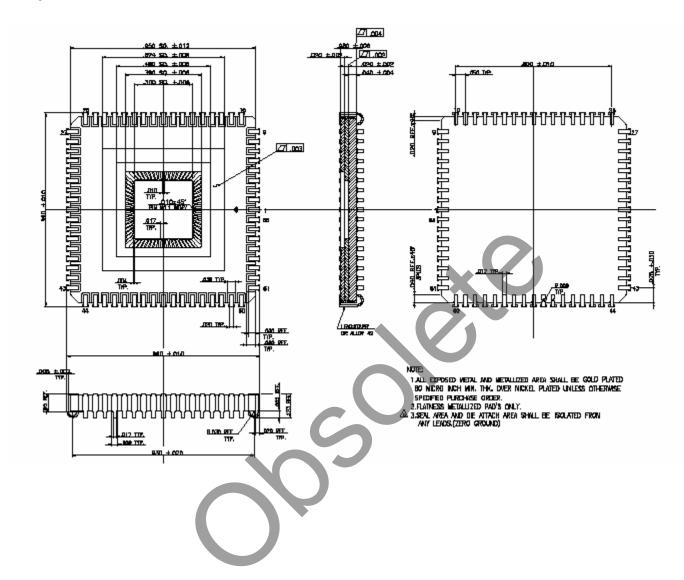


Table 11. Ordering Information

Order Code	Part Marking	Description	Package	Shipping Method
83363-01	PE83363 ES	Engineering Samples	68-pin CQFJ	Tray
83363-11	PE83363	Production Units	68-pin CQFJ	21 units / Tray
83363-00	PE83363 EK	Evaluation Kit		1 / Box

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