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**256Mx8, 128Mx16 2Gb DDR3 SDRAM**

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**FEATURES**

- Standard Voltage:  $V_{DD}$  and  $V_{DDQ} = 1.5V \pm 0.075V$
- Low Voltage (L):  $V_{DD}$  and  $V_{DDQ} = 1.35V + 0.1V, -0.067V$   
- Backward compatible to 1.5V
- High speed data transfer rates with system frequency up to 1066 MHz
- 8 internal banks for concurrent operation
- 8n-Bit pre-fetch architecture
- Programmable CAS Latency
- Programmable Additive Latency: 0, CL-1,CL-2
- Programmable CAS WRITE latency (CWL) based on tCK
- Programmable Burst Length: 4 and 8
- Programmable Burst Sequence: Sequential or Interleave
- BL switch on the fly
- Auto Self Refresh(ASR)
- Self Refresh Temperature(SRT)
- Refresh Interval:  
7.8 us (8192 cycles/64 ms)  $T_c = -40^{\circ}C$  to  $85^{\circ}C$   
3.9 us (8192 cycles/32 ms)  $T_c = 85^{\circ}C$  to  $105^{\circ}C$
- Partial Array Self Refresh
- Asynchronous RESET pin
- TDQS (Termination Data Strobe) supported (x8 only)
- OCD (Off-Chip Driver Impedance Adjustment)
- Dynamic ODT (On-Die Termination)
- Driver strength : RZQ/7, RZQ/6 (RZQ = 240  $\Omega$ )
- Write Leveling
- Up to 200 MHz in DLL off mode
- Operating temperature:  
Commercial ( $T_c = 0^{\circ}C$  to  $+95^{\circ}C$ )  
Industrial ( $T_c = -40^{\circ}C$  to  $+95^{\circ}C$ )  
Automotive, A1 ( $T_c = -40^{\circ}C$  to  $+95^{\circ}C$ )  
Automotive, A2 ( $T_c = -40^{\circ}C$  to  $+105^{\circ}C$ )

**OPTIONS**

- Configuration:  
256Mx8  
128Mx16
- Package:  
96-ball BGA (9mm x 13mm) for x16  
78-ball BGA (8mm x 10.5mm) for x8

**ADDRESS TABLE**

Parameter	256Mx8	128Mx16
Row Addressing	A0-A14	A0-A13
Column Addressing	A0-A9	A0-A9
Bank Addressing	BA0-2	BA0-2
Page size	1KB	2KB
Auto Precharge Addressing	A10/AP	A10/AP
BL switch on the fly	A12/BC#	A12/BC#

**SPEED BIN**

Speed Option	15H	125K	107M	093N	Units
JEDEC Speed Grade	DDR3-1333H	DDR3-1600K	DDR3-1866M	DDR3-2133N	
CL-nRCD-nRP	9-9-9	11-11-11	13-13-13	14-14-14	tCK
tRCD,tRP(min)	13.5	13.75	13.91	13.09	ns

Note: Faster speed options are backward compatible to slower speed options.

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## 1. DDR3 PACKAGE BALLOUT

### 1.1 DDR3 SDRAM package ballout 78-ball BGA – x8

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
A	VSS	VDD	NC				NU/TDQS#	VSS	VDD
B	VSS	VSSQ	DQ0				DM/TDQS	VSSQ	VDDQ
C	VDDQ	DQ2	DQS				DQ1	DQ3	VSSQ
D	VSSQ	DQ6	DQS#				VDD	VSS	VSSQ
E	VREFDQ	VDDQ	DQ4				DQ7	DQ5	VDDQ
F	NC <sup>1</sup>	VSS	RAS#				CK	VSS	NC
G	ODT	VDD	CAS#				CK#	VDD	CKE
H	NC	CS#	WE#				A10/AP	ZQ	NC
J	VSS	BA0	BA2				NC(A15)	VREFCA	VSS
K	VDD	A3	A0				A12/BC#	BA1	VDD
L	VSS	A5	A2				A1	A4	VSS
M	VDD	A7	A9				A11	A6	VDD
N	VSS	RESET#	A13				A14	A8	VSS

Note:

NC balls have no internal connection. NC(A15) is one of NC pins and reserved for higher densities.

**1.2 DDR3 SDRAM package ballout 96-ball BGA – x16**

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
A	VDDQ	DQU5	DQU7				DQU4	VDDQ	VSS
B	VSSQ	VDD	VSS				DQSU#	DQU6	VSSQ
C	VDDQ	DQU3	DQU1				DQSU	DQU2	VDDQ
D	VSSQ	VDDQ	DMU				DQU0	VSSQ	VDD
E	VSS	VSSQ	DQL0				DML	VSSQ	VDDQ
F	VDDQ	DQL2	DQSL				DQL1	DQL3	VSSQ
G	VSSQ	DQL6	DQSL#				VDD	VSS	VSSQ
H	VREFDQ	VDDQ	DQL4				DQL7	DQL5	VDDQ
J	NC	VSS	RAS#				CK	VSS	NC
K	ODT	VDD	CAS#				CK#	VDD	CKE
L	NC	CS#	WE#				A10/AP	ZQ	NC
M	VSS	BA0	BA2				NC(A15)	VREFCA	VSS
N	VDD	A3	A0				A12/BC#	BA1	VDD
P	VSS	A5	A2				A1	A4	VSS
R	VDD	A7	A9				A11	A6	VDD
T	VSS	RESET#	A13				NC(A14)	A8	VSS

Note:  
NC balls have no internal connection. NC(A14) and NC(A15) are one of NC pins and reserved for higher densities.



### 1.3 Pinout Description - JEDEC Standard

Symbol	Type	Function
CK, CK#	Input	Clock: CK and CK# are differential clock inputs. All address and control input signals are sampled on the crossing of the positive edge of CK and negative edge of CK#.
CKE	Input	Clock Enable: CKE HIGH activates, and CKE Low deactivates, internal clock signals and device input buffers and output drivers. Taking CKE Low provides Precharge Power-Down and Self-Refresh operation (all banks idle), or Active Power-Down (row Active in any bank). CKE is asynchronous for Self-Refresh exit. After VREFCA and VREFDQ have become stable during the power on and initialization sequence, they must be maintained during all operations (including Self-Refresh). CKE must be maintained high throughout read and write accesses. Input buffers, excluding CK, CK#, ODT and CKE, are disabled during power-down. Input buffers, excluding CKE, are disabled during Self-Refresh.
CS#	Input	Chip Select: All commands are masked when CS# is registered HIGH. CS# provides for external Rank selection on systems with multiple Ranks. CS# is considered part of the command code.
ODT	Input	On Die Termination: ODT (registered HIGH) enables termination resistance internal to the DDR3 SDRAM. When enabled, ODT is only applied to each DQ, DQSU, DQSU#, DQSL, DQSL#, DMU, and DML signal. The ODT pin will be ignored if MR1 and MR2 are programmed to disable RTT.
RAS#, CAS#, WE#	Input	Command Inputs: RAS#, CAS# and WE# (along with CS#) define the command being entered.
DM, (DMU), (DML)	Input	Input Data Mask: DM is an input mask signal for write data. Input data is masked when DM is sampled HIGH coincident with that input data during a Write access. DM is sampled on both edges of DQS. For x8 device, the function of DM or TDQS/TDQS# is enabled by Mode Register A11 setting in MR1.
BA0 - BA2	Input	Bank Address Inputs: BA0 - BA2 define to which bank an Active, Read, Write, or Precharge command is being applied. Bank address also determines which mode register is to be accessed during a MRS cycle.
A0 - A14	Input	Address Inputs: Provide the row address for Active commands and the column address for Read/Write commands to select one location out of the memory array in the respective bank. (A10/AP and A12/BC# have additional functions; see below). The address inputs also provide the op-code during Mode Register Set commands.
A10 / AP	Input	Auto-precharge: A10 is sampled during Read/Write commands to determine whether Autoprecharge should be performed to the accessed bank after the Read/Write operation. (HIGH: Autoprecharge; LOW: no Autoprecharge). A10 is sampled during a Precharge command to determine whether the Precharge applies to one bank (A10 LOW) or all banks (A10 HIGH). If only one bank is to be precharged, the bank is selected by bank addresses.
A12 / BC#	Input	Burst Chop: A12 / BC# is sampled during Read and Write commands to determine if burst chop (on-the-fly) will be performed. (HIGH, no burst chop; LOW: burst chopped). See command truth table for details.
RESET#	Input	Active Low Asynchronous Reset: Reset is active when RESET# is LOW, and inactive when RESET# is HIGH. RESET# must be HIGH during normal operation. RESET# is a CMOS rail-to-rail signal with DC high and low at 80% and 20% of VDD, i.e., 1.20V for DC high and 0.30V for DC low.
DQ (DQL, DQU)	Input / Output	Data Input/ Output: Bi-directional data bus.
DQS, DQS#, DQSU, DQSU#, DQSL, DQSL#	Input / Output	Data Strobe: output with read data, input with write data. Edge-aligned with read data, centered in write data. For the x16, DQSL corresponds to the data on DQL0-DQL7; DQSU corresponds to the data on DQU0-DQU7. The data strobes DQS, DQSL, and DQSU are paired with differential signals DQS#, DQSL#, and DQSU#, respectively, to provide differential pair signaling to the system during reads and writes. DDR3 SDRAM supports differential data strobe only and does not support single-ended.
TDQS, TDQS#	Output	Termination Data Strobe: TDQS/TDQS# is applicable for x8 DRAMs only. When enabled via Mode Register A11 = 1 in MR1, the DRAM will enable the same termination resistance function on TDQS/TDQS# that is applied to DQS/DQS#. When disabled via mode register A11 = 0 in MR1, DM/TDQS will provide the data mask function and TDQS# is not used. x16 DRAMs must disable the TDQS function via mode register A11 = 0 in MR1.
NC		No Connect: No internal electrical connection is present.

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IS43/46TR82560C, IS43/46TR82560CL**

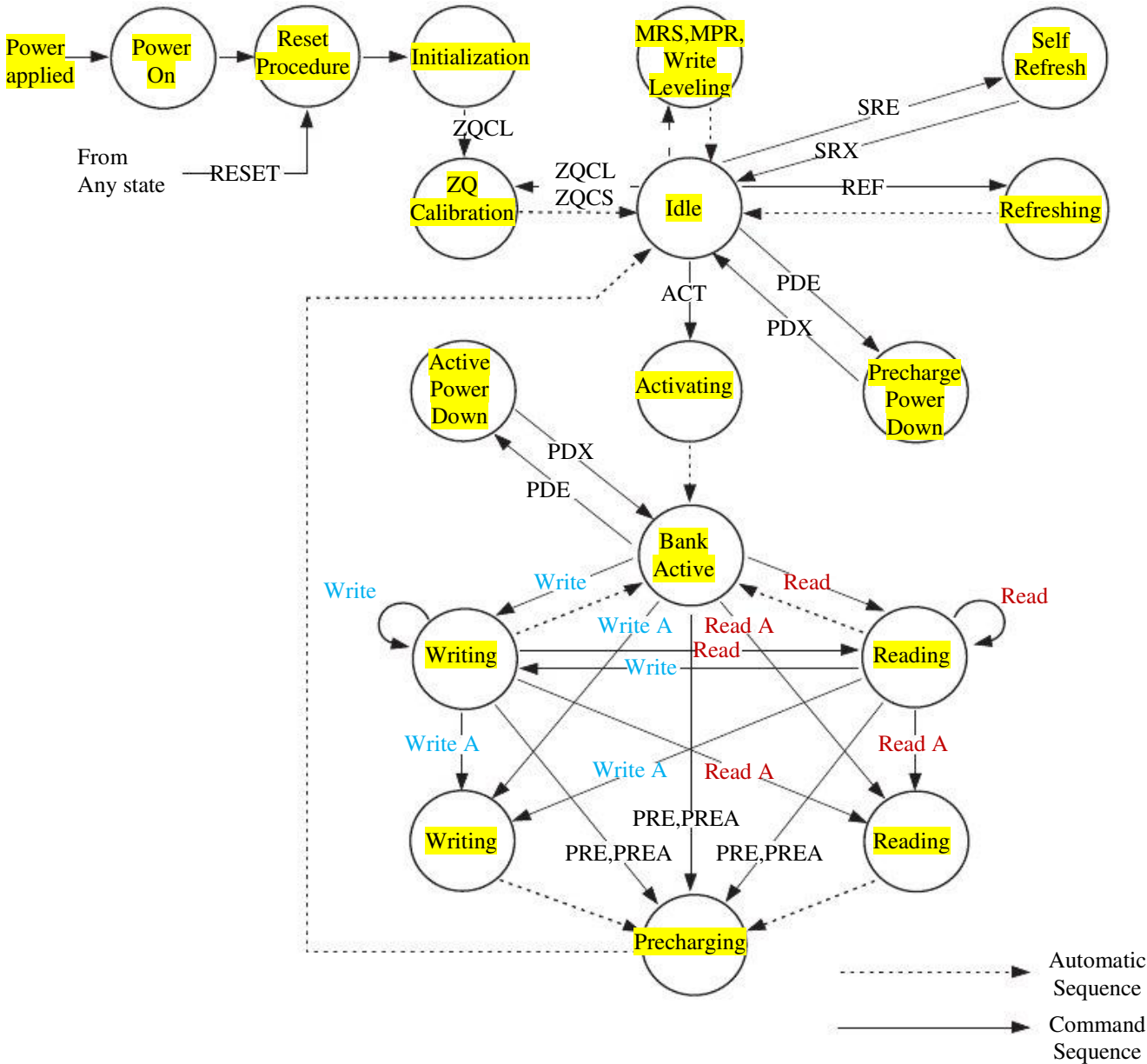


VDDQ	Supply	DQ Power Supply: 1.5 V +/- 0.075 V for standard voltage or 1.35V +0.1V, -0.067V for low voltage
VSSQ	Supply	DQ Ground
VDD	Supply	Power Supply: 1.5 V +/- 0.075 V for standard voltage or 1.35V +0.1V, -0.067V for low voltage
VSS	Supply	Ground
VREFDQ	Supply	Reference voltage for DQ
VREFCA	Supply	Reference voltage for CA
ZQ	Supply	Reference Pin for ZQ calibration

Note: Input only pins (BA0-BA2, A0-A14, RAS#, CAS#, WE#, CS#, CKE, ODT, and RESET#) do not supply termination.

## 2. FUNCTION DESCRIPTION

### 2.1 Simplified State Diagram



Abbreviation	Function	Abbreviation	Function	Abbreviation	Function
ACT	Active	Read	RD, RDS4, RDS8	PDE	Enter Power-down
PRE	Precharge	Read A	RDA, RDAS4, RDAS8	PDX	Exit Power-down
PREA	Precharge All	Write	WR, WRS4, WRS8	SRE	Self-Refresh entry
MRS	Mode Register Set	Write A	WRA, WRAS4, WRAS8	SRX	Self-Refresh exit
REF	Refresh	RESET	Start RESET Procedure	MPR	Multi-Purpose Register
ZQCL	ZQ Calibration Long	ZQCS	ZQ Calibration Short		

## 2.2 RESET and Initialization Procedure

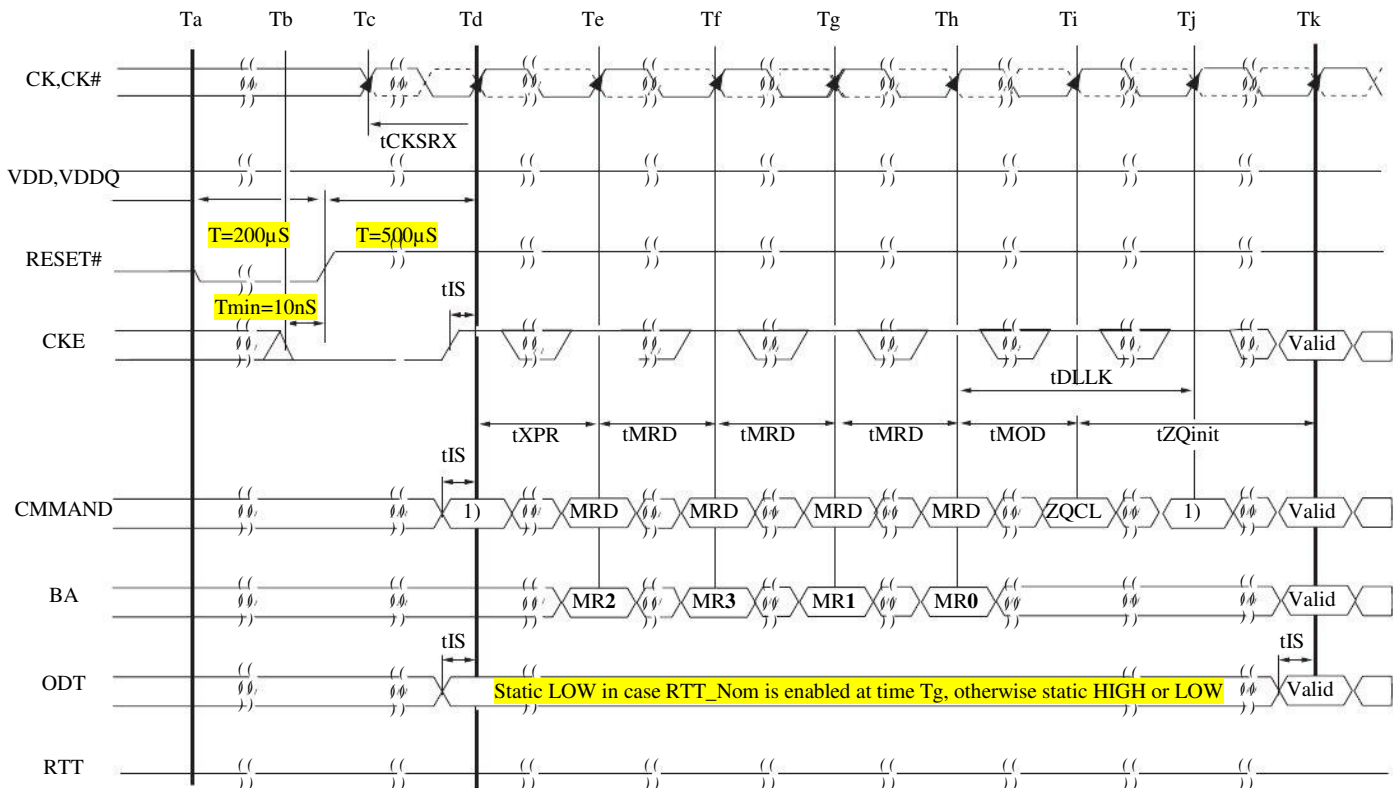
### 2.2.1 Power-up Initialization Sequence

The following sequence is required for POWER UP and Initialization.

1. Apply power (RESET# is recommended to be maintained below  $0.2 \times VDD$ ; all other inputs may be undefined). RESET# needs to be maintained for minimum 200 us with stable power. CKE is pulled "Low" anytime before RESET# being de-asserted (min. time 10 ns). The power voltage ramp time between 300mV to VDD(min) must be no greater than 200 ms; and during the ramp,  $VDD > VDDQ$  and  $(VDD - VDDQ) < 0.3$  volts.
    - VDD and VDDQ are driven from a single power converter output, AND
    - The voltage levels on all pins other than VDD, VDDQ, VSS, VSSQ must be less than or equal to VDDQ and VDD on one side and must be larger than or equal to VSSQ and VSS on the other side. In addition, VTT is limited to 0.95 V max once power ramp is finished, AND
    - Vref tracks VDDQ/2.
- OR
- Apply VDD without any slope reversal before or at the same time as VDDQ.
  - Apply VDDQ without any slope reversal before or at the same time as VTT & Vref.
  - The voltage levels on all pins other than VDD, VDDQ, VSS, VSSQ must be less than or equal to VDDQ and VDD on one side and must be larger than or equal to VSSQ and VSS on the other side.
2. After RESET# is de-asserted, wait for another 500 us until CKE becomes active. During this time, the DRAM will start internal state initialization; this will be done independently of external clocks.
  3. Clocks (CK, CK#) need to be started and stabilized for at least 10 ns or 5 tCK (which is larger) before CKE goes active. Since CKE is a synchronous signal, the corresponding set up time to clock (tIS) must be met. Also, a NOP or Deselect command must be registered (with tIS set up time to clock) before CKE goes active. Once the CKE is registered "High" after Reset, CKE needs to be continuously registered "High" until the initialization sequence is finished, including expiration of tDLLK and tZQinit.
  4. The DDR3 SDRAM keeps its on-die termination in high-impedance state as long as RESET# is asserted. Further, the SDRAM keeps its on-die termination in high impedance state after RESET# deassertion until CKE is registered HIGH. The ODT input signal may be in undefined state until tIS before CKE is registered HIGH. When CKE is registered HIGH, the ODT input signal may be statically held at either LOW or HIGH. If RTT\_NOM is to be enabled in MR1, the ODT input signal must be statically held LOW. In all cases, the ODT input signal remains static until the power up initialization sequence is finished, including the expiration of tDLLK and tZQinit.
  5. After CKE is being registered high, wait minimum of Reset CKE Exit time, tXPR, before issuing the first MRS command to load mode register. ( $tXPR = \max(tXS ; 5 \times tCK)$ )
  6. Issue MRS Command to load MR2 with all application settings. (To issue MRS command for MR2, provide "Low" to BA0 and BA2, "High" to BA1.)
  7. Issue MRS Command to load MR3 with all application settings. (To issue MRS command for MR3, provide "Low" to BA2, "High" to BA0 and BA1.)
  8. Issue MRS Command to load MR1 with all application settings and DLL enabled. (To issue "DLL Enable" command, provide "Low" to A0, "High" to BA0 and "Low" to BA1 – BA2).



9. Issue MRS Command to load MR0 with all application settings and "DLL reset". (To issue DLL reset command, provide "High" to A8 and "Low" to BA0-2).
10. Issue ZQCL command to starting ZQ calibration.
11. Wait for both tDLLK and tZQinit completed.
12. The DDR3 SDRAM is now ready for normal operation.



Note1. From time point "Td" until "Tk" NOP or DES commands must be applied between MRS and ZQCL commands.

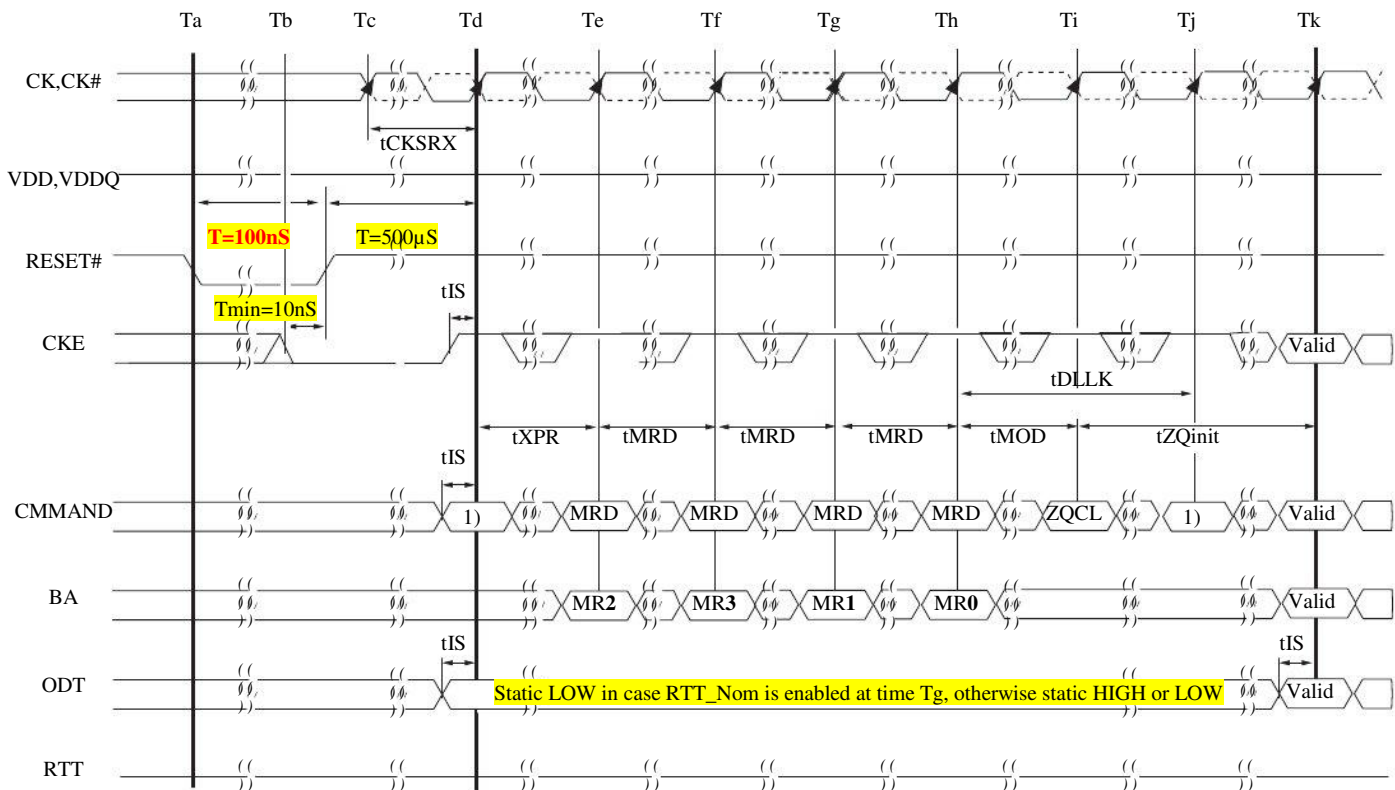
(( ))' Time Break  
□ DON'T CARE

**Figure2.1.1 Reset and Initialization Sequence at Power-on Ramping**

### 2.2.2 Reset Initialization with Stable Power

The following sequence is required for RESET at no power interruption initialization.

- 1 Asserted RESET below  $0.2 * VDD$  anytime when reset is needed (all other inputs may be undefined). RESET needs to be maintained for minimum 100 ns. CKE is pulled "LOW" before RESET being de-asserted (min. time 10 ns).
- 2 Follow Power-up Initialization Sequence steps 2 to 11.
- 3 The Reset sequence is now completed; DDR3 SDRAM is ready for normal operation



Note1. From time point "Td" until "Tk" NOP or DES commands must be applied between MRS and ZQCL commands.

(( )) Time Break  
□ DON'T CARE

Figure2.1.2 Reset Procedure at Power Stable Condition

## 2.3 Register Definition

### 2.3.1 Programming the Mode Registers

For application flexibility, various functions, features, and modes are programmable in four Mode Registers, provided by the DDR3 SDRAM, as user defined variables and they must be programmed via a Mode Register Set (MRS) command. As the default values of the Mode Registers (MR#) are not defined, contents of Mode Registers must be fully initialized and/or re-initialized, i.e. written, after power up and/or reset for proper operation. Also the contents of the Mode Registers can be altered by re-executing the MRS command during normal operation. When programming the mode registers, even if the user chooses to modify only a sub-set of the MRS fields, all address fields within the accessed mode register must be redefined when the MRS command is issued. MRS command and DLL Reset do not affect array contents, which means these commands can be executed any time after power-up without affecting the array contents. The mode register set command cycle time, tMRD is required to complete the write operation to the mode register and is the minimum time required between two MRS commands shown as below.

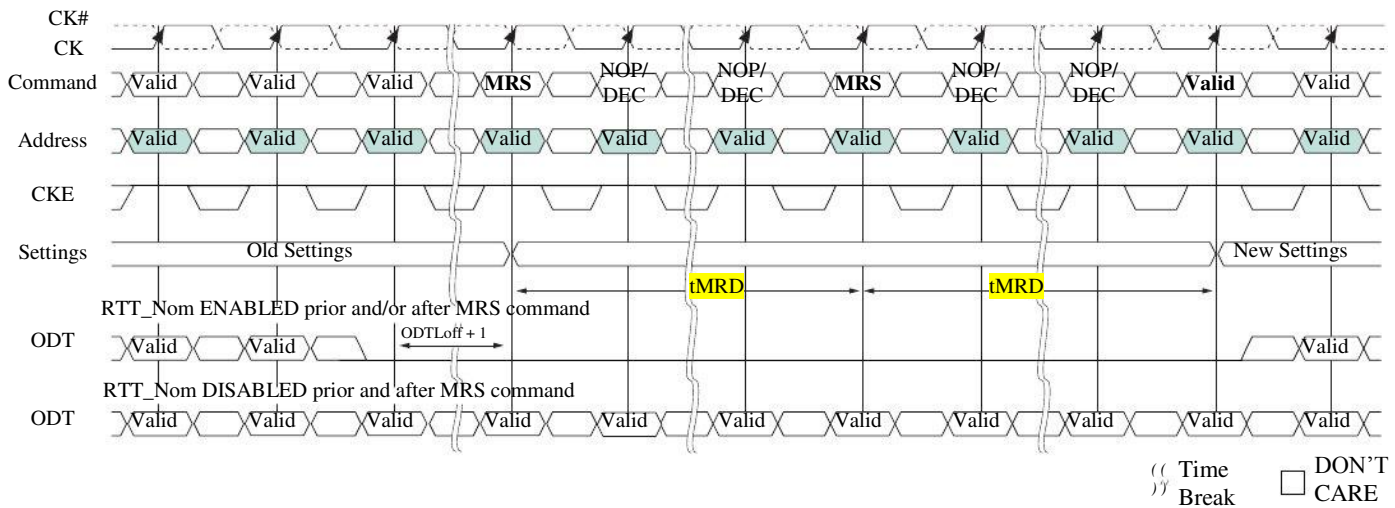


Figure2.3.1a tMRD Timing

The MRS command to Non-MRS command delay, tMOD, is required for the DRAM to update the features except DLL reset, and is the minimum time required from an MRS command to a non-MRS command excluding NOP and DES shown as the following figure.

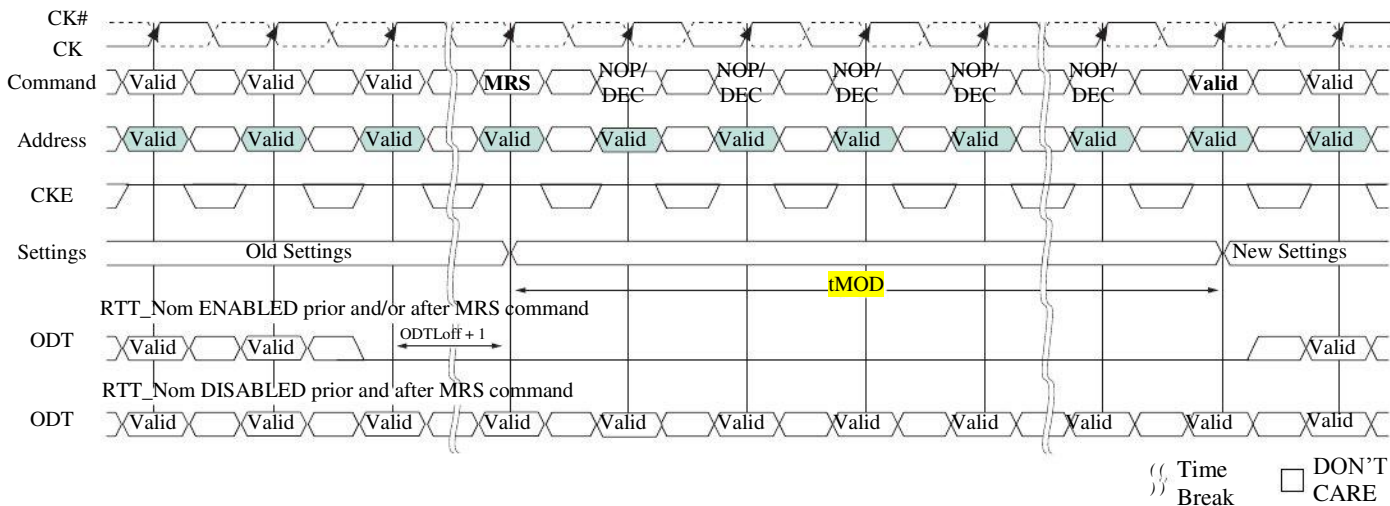


Figure 2.3.1b tMOD Timing

The mode register contents can be changed using the same command and timing requirements during normal operation as long as the DRAM is in idle state, i.e., all banks are in the precharged state with tRP satisfied, all data bursts are completed and CKE is high prior to writing into the mode register. If the RTT\_NOM Feature is enabled in the Mode Register prior and/or after an MRS Command, the ODT Signal must continuously be registered LOW ensuring RTT is in an off State prior to the MRS command. The ODT Signal maybe registered high after tMOD has expired. If the RTT\_NOM Feature is disabled in the Mode Register prior and after an MRS command, the ODT Signal can be registered either LOW or HIGH before, during and after the MRS command. The mode registers are divided into various fields depending on the functionality and/or modes.

### 2.3.2 Mode Register MR0

The mode register MR0 stores the data for controlling various operating modes of DDR3 SDRAM. It controls burst length, read burst type, CAS latency, test mode, DLL reset, WR and DLL control for precharge Power-Down, which include vendor specific options to make DDR3 SDRAM useful for various applications. The mode register is written by asserting low on CS#, RAS#, CAS#, WE#, BA0, BA1, and BA2, while controlling the states of address pins according to the following figure.

BA2	BA1	BA0	A14-A13	A12	A11	A10	A9	A8	A7	A6	A5	A4	A3	A2	A1	A0	Address Field
0	0	0	0*1	PPD	WR			DLL	TM	CAS Latency			RBT	CL	BL		Mode Register 0

A8	DLL Reset	A7	mode	A3	Read Burst Type	A1	A0	BL
0	No	0	Normal	0	Nibble Sequential	0	0	8 (Fixed)
1	Yes	1	Test	1	Interleave	0	1	BC4 or 8 (on the fly)
						1	0	BC4 (Fixed)
						1	1	Reserved

A12	DLL Control for Precharge PD
0	Slow exit (DLL off)
1	Fast exit (DLL on)

BA1	BA0	MR Select
0	0	MR0
0	1	MR1
1	0	MR2
1	1	MR3

Write recovery for autoprecharge

A11	A10	A9	WR(cycles)
0	0	0	Reserved
0	0	1	5*2
0	1	0	6*2
0	1	1	7*2
1	0	0	8*2
1	0	1	10*2
1	1	0	12*2
1	1	1	14*2

A6	A5	A4	A2	CAS Latency
0	0	0	0	Reserved
0	0	1	0	5
0	1	0	0	6
0	1	1	0	7
1	0	0	0	8
1	0	1	0	9
1	1	0	0	10
1	1	1	0	11
0	0	0	1	12
0	0	1	1	13
0	1	0	1	14
0	1	1	1	Reserved
1	0	0	1	Reserved
1	0	1	1	Reserved
1	1	0	1	Reserved
1	1	1	1	Reserved

1. A14 and A13 must be programmed to 0 during MRS.
2. WR (write recovery for autoprecharge)min in clock cycles is calculated by dividing tWR(in ns) by tCK(in ns) and rounding up to the next integer:  $WR_{min}[\text{cycles}] = \text{Roundup}(tWR[\text{ns}] / tCK[\text{ns}])$ . The WR value in the mode register must be programmed to be equal or larger than WRmin. The programmed WR value is used with tRP to determine tDAL.
3. The table only shows the encodings for a given Cas Latency. For actual supported Cas Latency, please refer to speedbin tables for each frequency
4. The table only shows the encodings for Write Recovery. For actual Write recovery timing, please refer to AC timing table.

Figure 2.3.2 — MR0 Definition

#### 2.3.2.1 Burst Length, Type and Order

Accesses within a given burst may be programmed to sequential or interleaved order. The burst type is selected via bit A3 as shown in Figure 2.3.2. The ordering of accesses within a burst is determined by the burst length, burst type, and the starting column address as shown in Table below. The burst length is defined by bits A0-A1. Burst length options include fixed BC4, fixed BL8, and 'on the fly' which allows BC4 or BL8 to be selected coincident with the registration of a Read or Write command via A12/BC#.

Burst Length	READ/ WRITE	Starting Column ADDRESS (A2,A1,A0)	burst type = Sequential (decimal) A3 = 0	burst type = Interleaved (decimal) A3 = 1	Notes
4 Chop	READ	0	0,1,2,3,T,T,T,T	0,1,2,3,T,T,T,T	1, 2, 3
		1	1,2,3,0,T,T,T,T	1,0,3,2,T,T,T,T	1, 2, 3
		10	2,3,0,1,T,T,T,T	2,3,0,1,T,T,T,T	1, 2, 3
		11	3,0,1,2,T,T,T,T	3,2,1,0,T,T,T,T	1, 2, 3
		100	4,5,6,7,T,T,T,T	4,5,6,7,T,T,T,T	1, 2, 3
		101	5,6,7,4,T,T,T,T	5,4,7,6,T,T,T,T	1, 2, 3
		110	6,7,4,5,T,T,T,T	6,7,4,5,T,T,T,T	1, 2, 3
		111	7,4,5,6,T,T,T,T	7,6,5,4,T,T,T,T	1, 2, 3
	WRITE	0,V,V	0,1,2,3,X,X,X,X	0,1,2,3,X,X,X,X	1, 2, 4, 5
1,V,V		4,5,6,7,X,X,X,X	4,5,6,7,X,X,X,X	1, 2, 4, 5	
8	READ	0	0,1,2,3,4,5,6,7	0,1,2,3,4,5,6,7	2
		1	1,2,3,0,5,6,7,4	1,0,3,2,5,4,7,6	2
		10	2,3,0,1,6,7,4,5	2,3,0,1,6,7,4,5	2
		11	3,0,1,2,7,4,5,6	3,2,1,0,7,6,5,4	2
		100	4,5,6,7,0,1,2,3	4,5,6,7,0,1,2,3	2
		101	5,6,7,4,1,2,3,0	5,4,7,6,1,0,3,2	2
		110	6,7,4,5,2,3,0,1	6,7,4,5,2,3,0,1	2
		111	7,4,5,6,3,0,1,2	7,6,5,4,3,2,1,0	2
	WRITE	V,V,V	0,1,2,3,4,5,6,7	0,1,2,3,4,5,6,7	2, 4

Notes:

1. In case of burst length being fixed to 4 by MR0 setting, the internal write operation starts two clock cycles earlier than for the BL8 mode. This means that the starting point for tWR and tWTR will be pulled in by two clocks. In case of burst length being selected on-the-fly via A12/BC#, the internal write operation starts at the same point in time like a burst of 8 write operation. This means that during on-the-fly control, the starting point for tWR and tWTR will not be pulled in by two clocks.
2. 0...7 bit number is value of CA[2:0] that causes this bit to be the first read during a burst.
3. T: Output driver for data and strobes are in high impedance.
4. V: a valid logic level (0 or 1), but respective buffer input ignores level on input pins.
5. X: Don't Care.

### 2.3.2.2 CAS Latency

The CAS Latency is defined by MR0 (bits A9-A11) as shown in Figure 2.3.2. CAS Latency is the delay, in clock cycles, between the internal Read command and the availability of the first bit of output data. DDR3 SDRAM does not support any half-clock latencies. The overall Read Latency (RL) is defined as Additive Latency (AL) + CAS Latency (CL);  $RL = AL + CL$ . For more information on the supported CL and AL settings based on the operating clock frequency, refer to "Standard Speed Bins".

### 2.3.2.3 Test Mode

The normal operating mode is selected by MR0 (bit A7 = 0) and all other bits set to the desired values shown in Figure 2.3.2. Programming bit A7 to a '1' places the DDR3 SDRAM into a test mode that is only used by the DRAM Manufacturer and should NOT be used. No operations or functionality is specified if A7 = 1.

### 2.3.2.4 DLL Reset

The DLL Reset bit is self-clearing, meaning that it returns back to the value of '0' after the DLL reset function has been issued. Once the DLL is enabled, a subsequent DLL Reset should be applied. Any time that the DLL reset function is used, tDLLK must be met before any functions that require the DLL can be used (i.e., Read commands or ODT synchronous operations).

### 2.3.2.5 Write Recovery

The programmed WR value MR0 (bits A9, A10, and A11) is used for the auto precharge feature along with tRP to determine tDAL. WR (write recovery for auto-precharge) min in clock cycles is calculated by dividing tWR (in ns) by tCK



(in ns) and rounding up to the next integer:  $WR_{min}[\text{cycles}] = \text{Roundup}(tWR[\text{ns}]/tCK[\text{ns}])$ . The WR must be programmed to be equal to or larger than  $tWR(\text{min})$ .

### 2.3.2.6 Precharge PD DLL

MR0 (bit A12) is used to select the DLL usage during precharge power-down mode. When MR0 (A12 = 0), or 'slow-exit', the DLL is frozen after entering precharge power-down (for potential power savings) and upon exit requires  $tXPDLL$  to be met prior to the next valid command. When MR0 (A12 = 1), or 'fast-exit', the DLL is maintained after entering precharge power-down and upon exiting power-down requires  $tXP$  to be met prior to the next valid command.

### 2.3.3 Mode Register MR1

The Mode Register MR1 stores the data for enabling or disabling the DLL, output driver strength,  $Rtt\_Nom$  impedance, additive latency, Write leveling enable, TDQS enable and Qoff. The Mode Register 1 is written by asserting low on CS#, RAS#, CAS#, WE#, high on BA0 and low on BA1 and BA2, while controlling the states of address pins according to Figure 2.3.3.

BA2	BA1	BA0	A14-A13	A12	A11	A10	A9	A8	A7	A6	A5	A4	A3	A2	A1	A0	Address Field
0	0	1	0*1	Qoff	TDQS	0*1	Rtt	0*1	Level	Rtt	D.I.C	AL	Rtt	D.I.C	DLL		Mode Register 1

A11	TDQS enable
0	Disabled
1	Enabled

A7	Write leveling enable
0	Disabled
1	Enabled

A4	A3	Additive Latency
0	0	0 (AL disabled)
0	1	CL-1
1	0	CL-2
1	1	Reserved

A9	A6	A2	$Rtt\_Nom$ *3
0	0	0	ODT disabled
0	0	1	RZQ/4
0	1	0	RZQ/2
0	1	1	RZQ/6
1	0	0	RZQ/12*4
1	0	1	RZQ/8*4
1	1	0	Reserved
1	1	1	Reserved

A0	DLL Enable
0	Enable
1	Disable

A12	Qoff *2
0	Output buffer enabled
1	Output buffer disabled *2

\*2: Outputs disabled - DQs, DQSs, DQS#s.

BA1	BA0	MR Select
0	0	MR0
0	1	MR1
1	0	MR2
1	1	MR3

Note:  $RZQ = 240 \Omega$

\*3: In Write leveling Mode (MR1[bit7] = 1) with MR1[bit12]=1, all  $Rtt\_Nom$  settings are allowed; in Write Leveling Mode (MR1[bit7] = 1) with MR1[bit12]=0, only  $Rtt\_Nom$  settings of RZQ/2, RZQ/4 and RZQ/6 are allowed.

\*4: If  $Rtt\_Nom$  is used during Writes, only the values RZQ/2, RZQ/4 and RZQ/6 are allowed.

A5	A1	Output Driver Impedance Control
0	0	RZQ/6
0	1	RZQ/7
1	0	Reserved
1	1	Reserved

\* 1 : A8, A10, A13, and A14 must be programmed to 0 during MRS.

\* TDQS must be disabled for x16 option.

Figure 2.3.3 MR1 Definition

#### 2.3.3.1 DLL Enable/Disable

The DLL must be enabled for normal operation. DLL enable is required during power up initialization, and upon returning to normal operation after having the DLL disabled. During normal operation (DLL-on) with MR1 (A0 = 0), the DLL is automatically disabled when entering Self-Refresh operation and is automatically re-enabled upon exit of Self-Refresh operation. Any time the DLL is enabled and subsequently reset,  $tDLLK$  clock cycles must occur before a Read or synchronous ODT command can be issued to allow time for the internal clock to be synchronized with the external clock.

Failing to wait for synchronization to occur may result in a violation of the tDQSCK, tAON or tAOF parameters. During tDLLK, CKE must continuously be registered high. DDR3 SDRAM does not require DLL for any Write operation, except when RTT\_WR is enabled and the DLL is required for proper ODT operation. For more detailed information on DLL Disable operation refer to “DLL-off Mode”.

The direct ODT feature is not supported during DLL-off mode. The on-die termination resistors must be disabled by continuously registering the ODT pin low and/or by programming the RTT\_Nom bits MR1{A9,A6,A2} to {0,0,0} via a mode register set command during DLL-off mode.

The dynamic ODT feature is not supported at DLL-off mode. User must use MRS command to set Rtt\_WR, MR2 {A10, A9} = {0,0}, to disable Dynamic ODT externally.

### 2.3.3.2 Output Driver Impedance Control

The output driver impedance of the DDR3 SDRAM device is selected by MR1 (bits A1 and A5) as shown in Figure 2.3.3.

### 2.3.3.3 ODT Rtt Values

DDR3 SDRAM is capable of providing two different termination values (Rtt\_Nom and Rtt\_WR). The nominal termination value Rtt\_Nom is programmed in MR1. A separate value (Rtt\_WR) may be programmed in MR2 to enable a unique RTT value when ODT is enabled during writes. The Rtt\_WR value can be applied during writes even when Rtt\_Nom is disabled.

### 2.3.3.4 Additive Latency (AL)

Additive Latency (AL) operation is supported to make command and data bus efficient for sustainable bandwidths in DDR3 SDRAM. In this operation, the DDR3 SDRAM allows a read or write command (either with or without auto-precharge) to be issued immediately after the active command. The command is held for the time of the Additive Latency (AL) before it is issued inside the device. The Read Latency (RL) is controlled by the sum of the AL and CAS Latency (CL) register settings. Write Latency (WL) is controlled by the sum of the AL and CAS Write Latency (CWL) register settings. A summary of the AL register options are shown in Table below.

A4	A3	Additive Latency (AL) Settings
0	0	0 (AL Disabled)
0	1	CL - 1
1	0	CL - 2
1	1	Reserved

NOTE: AL has a value of CL - 1 or CL - 2 as per the CL values programmed in the MR0 register.

### 2.3.3.5 Write leveling

For better signal integrity, DDR3 memory module adopted fly-by topology for the commands, addresses, control signals, and clocks. The fly-by topology has the benefit of reducing the number of stubs and their length, but it also causes flight time skew between clock and strobe at every DRAM on the DIMM. This makes it difficult for the Controller to maintain tDQSS, tDSS, and tDSH specification. Therefore, the DDR3 SDRAM supports a ‘write leveling’ feature to allow the controller to compensate for skew.

### 2.3.3.6 Output Disable

The DDR3 SDRAM outputs may be enabled/disabled by MR1 (bit A12) as shown in Figure 2.3.3. When this feature is enabled (A12 = 1), all output pins (DQs, DQS, DQS#, etc.) are disconnected from the device, thus removing any loading of the output drivers. This feature may be useful when measuring module power, for example. For normal operation, A12 should be set to ‘0’.

### 2.3.3.7 TDQS, TDQS#

TDQS (Termination Data Strobe) is a feature of X8 DDR3 SDRAM that provides additional termination resistance outputs that may be useful in some system configurations. The TDQS function is available in X8 DDR3 SDRAM only and must be disabled via the mode register A11=0 in MR1 for X16 configuration.

### 2.3.4 Mode Register MR2

The Mode Register MR2 stores the data for controlling refresh related features, Rtt\_WR impedance, and CAS write latency. The Mode Register 2 is written by asserting low on CS#, RAS#, CAS#, WE#, high on BA1 and low on BA0 and BA2, while controlling the states of address pins according to the below.

BA2	BA1	BA0	A14-A13	A12	A11	A10	A9	A8	A7	A6	A5	A4	A3	A2	A1	A0	Address Field
0	1	0	0*1			Rtt_WR		0*1	SRT	ASR	CWL			PASR			Mode Register 2

A7	Self-Refresh Temperature (SRT) Range
0	Normal operating temperature range
1	Extended operating temperature range

A6	Auto Self-Refresh (ASR)
0	Manual SR Reference (SRT)
1	ASR enable

A2	A1	A0	Partial Array Self-Refresh (Optional)
0	0	0	Full Array
0	0	1	HalfArray (BA[2:0]=000,001,010, & 011)
0	1	0	Quarter Array (BA[2:0]=000, & 001)
0	1	1	1/8th Array (BA[2:0] = 000)
1	0	0	3/4 Array (BA[2:0] = 010,011,100,101,110, & 111)
1	0	1	HalfArray (BA[2:0] = 100, 101, 110, & 111)
1	1	0	Quarter Array (BA[2:0]=110, & 111)
1	1	1	1/8th Array (BA[2:0]=111)

A10	A9	Rtt_WR *2
0	0	Dynamic ODT off (Write does not affect Rtt value)
0	1	RZQ/4
1	0	RZQ/2
1	1	Reserved

A5	A4	A3	CAS write Latency (CWL)
0	0	0	5 (tCK(avg) ≥ 2.5 ns)
0	0	1	6 (2.5 ns > tCK(avg) ≥ 1.875 ns)
0	1	0	7 (1.875 ns > tCK(avg) ≥ 1.5 ns)
0	1	1	8 (1.5 ns > tCK(avg) ≥ 1.25 ns)
1	0	0	9 (1.25 ns > tCK(avg) ≥ 1.07ns)
1	0	1	10 (1.07 ns > tCK(avg) ≥ 0.935 ns)
1	1	0	Reserved
1	1	1	Reserved

BA1	BA0	MR Select
0	0	MR0
0	1	MR1
1	0	MR2
1	1	MR3

\* 1 : A5, A8, A11 ~ A14 must be programmed to 0 during MRS.

\* 2 : The Rtt\_WR value can be applied during writes even when Rtt\_Nom is disabled. During write leveling, Dynamic ODT is not available.

Figure 2.3.4 MR2 Definition

#### 2.3.4.1 Partial Array Self-Refresh (PASR)

If PASR (Partial Array Self-Refresh) is enabled, data located in areas of the array beyond the specified address range shown in Figure 2.3.4 will be lost if Self-Refresh is entered. Data integrity will be maintained if tREFI conditions are met and no Self-Refresh command is issued.

#### 2.3.4.2 CAS Write Latency (CWL)

The CAS Write Latency is defined by MR2 (bits A3-A5), as shown in Figure 2.3.4. CAS Write Latency is the delay, in clock cycles, between the internal Write command and the availability of the first bit of input data. DDR3 SDRAM does not support any half-clock latencies. The overall Write Latency (WL) is defined as Additive Latency (AL) + CAS Write Latency (CWL); WL = AL + CWL. For more information on the supported CWL and AL settings based on the operating clock frequency, refer to “Standard Speed Bins”.

#### 2.3.4.3 Auto Self-Refresh (ASR) and Self-Refresh Temperature (SRT)

For more details refer to “Extended Temperature Usage”. DDR3 SDRAMs support Self-Refresh operation at all supported temperatures. Applications requiring Self-Refresh operation in the Extended Temperature Range must use the ASR function or program the SRT bit appropriately.

### 2.3.4.4 Dynamic ODT (Rtt\_WR)

DDR3 SDRAM introduces a new feature “Dynamic ODT”. In certain application cases and to further enhance signal integrity on the data bus, it is desirable that the termination strength of the DDR3 SDRAM can be changed without issuing an MRS command. MR2 Register locations A9 and A10 configure the Dynamic ODT settings. In Write leveling mode, only RTT\_Nom is available. For details on Dynamic ODT operation, refer to “Dynamic ODT”.

### 2.3.5 Mode Register MR3

The Mode Register MR3 controls Multi-purpose registers. The Mode Register 3 is written by asserting low on CS#, RAS#, CAS#, WE#, high on BA1 and BA0, and low on BA2 while controlling the states of address pins according to the below.

BA2	BA1	BA0	A14-A13	A12	A11	A10	A9	A8	A7	A6	A5	A4	A3	A2	A1	A0	Address Field
0	1	1	0*1											MPR	MPR Loc	Mode Register 3	

MRP Operation

A2	MPR
0	Normal operation *3
1	Dataflow from MPR

MPR Address

A1	A0	MPR location
0	0	Predefined pattern *2
0	1	RFU
1	0	RFU
1	1	RFU

BA1	BA0	MR Select
0	0	MR0
0	1	MR1
1	0	MR2
1	1	MR3

\* 1 : A3 - A14 must be programmed to 0 during MRS.

\* 2 : The predefined pattern will be used for read synchronization.

\* 3 : When MPR control is set for normal operation (MR3 A[2] = 0) then MR3 A[1:0] will be ignored.

**Figure 2.3.5 MR3 Definition**

#### 2.3.5.1 Multi-Purpose Register (MPR)

The Multi Purpose Register (MPR) function is used to Read out a predefined system timing calibration bit sequence. To enable the MPR, a Mode Register Set (MRS) command must be issued to MR3 register with bit A2=1. Prior to issuing the MRS command, all banks must be in the idle state (all banks precharged and tRP met). Once the MPR is enabled, any subsequent RD or RDA commands will be redirected to the Multi Purpose Register. When the MPR is enabled, only RD or RDA commands are allowed until a subsequent MRS command is issued with the MPR disabled (MR3 bit A2=0). Power down mode, Self-Refresh and any other non-RD/RDA command is not allowed during MPR enable mode. The RESET function is supported during MPR enable mode.

The Multi Purpose Register (MPR) function is used to Read out a predefined system timing calibration bit sequence. The basic concept of the MPR is shown in Figure 2.3.5.1.

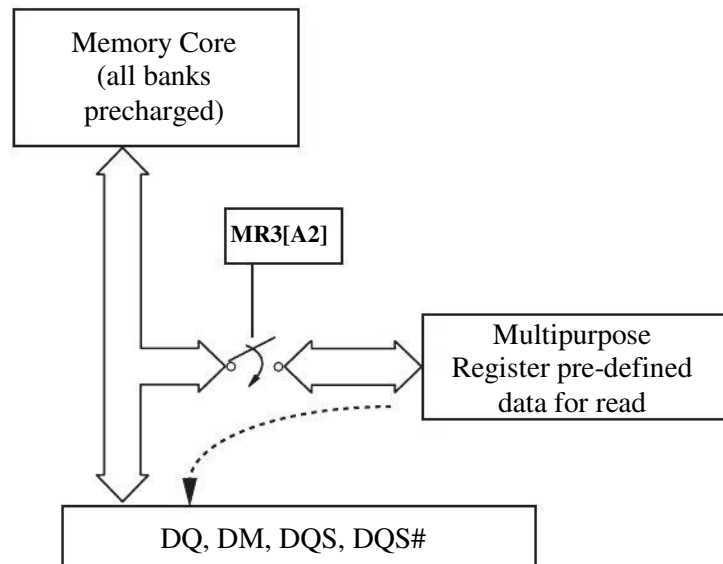


Figure 2.3.5.1 MPR Block Diagram

To enable the MPR, a MODE Register Set (MRS) command must be issued to MR3 Register with bit A2 = 1. Prior to issuing the MRS command, all banks must be in the idle state (all banks precharged and tRP met). Once the MPR is enabled, any subsequent RD or RDA commands will be redirected to the Multi Purpose Register.

The resulting operation, when a RD or RDA command is issued, is defined by MR3 bits A[1:0] when the MPR is enabled. When the MPR is enabled, only RD or RDA commands are allowed until a subsequent MRS command is issued with the MPR disabled (MR3 bit A2 = 0).

Note that in MPR mode RDA has the same functionality as a READ command which means the auto precharge part of RDA is ignored. Power-Down mode, Self-Refresh and any other non-RD/RDA command is not allowed during MPR enable mode. The RESET function is supported during MPR enable mode.

#### MPR MR3 Register Definition

MR3 A[2]	MR3 A[1:0]	Function
MPR	MPR-Loc	
0b	don't care (0b or 1b)	Normal operation, no MPR transaction. All subsequent Reads will come from DRAM array. All subsequent Write will go to DRAM array.
1b	See MPR Definition table	Enable MPR mode, subsequent RD/RDA commands defined by MR3 A[1:0].



### MPR Register Address Definition

The following Table provides an overview of the available data locations, how they are addressed by MR3 A[1:0] during a MRS to MR3, and how their individual bits are mapped into the burst order bits during a Multi Purpose Register Read.

### MPR MR3 Register Definition

MR3 A[2]	MR3 A[1:0]	Function	Burst Length	Read Address A[2:0]	Burst Order and Data Pattern
1b	00b	Read predefined pattern for system Calibration	BL8	000b	Burst order 0,1,2,3,4,5,6,7 Pre-defined Data Pattern [0,1,0,1,0,1,0,1]
			BC4	000b	Burst order 0,1,2,3 Pre-defined Data Pattern [0,1,0,1]
			BC4	100b	Burst order 4,5,6,7 Pre-defined Data Pattern [0,1,0,1]
1b	01b	RFU	BL8	000b	Burst order 0,1,2,3,4,5,6,7
			BC4	000b	Burst order 0,1,2,3
			BC4	100b	Burst order 4,5,6,7
1b	10b	RFU	BL8	000b	Burst order 0,1,2,3,4,5,6,7
			BC4	000b	Burst order 0,1,2,3
			BC4	100b	Burst order 4,5,6,7
1b	11b	RFU	BL8	000b	Burst order 0,1,2,3,4,5,6,7
			BC4	000b	Burst order 0,1,2,3
			BC4	100b	Burst order 4,5,6,7

NOTE: Burst order bit 0 is assigned to LSB and the burst order bit 7 is assigned to MSB of the selected MPR agent

### MPR Functional Description

- One bit wide logical interface via all DQ pins during READ operation.
- Register Read on x16:
  - DQL[0] and DQU[0] drive information from MPR.
  - DQL[7:1] and DQU[7:1] either drive the same information as DQL[0], or they drive 0b.
- Addressing during for Multi Purpose Register reads for all MPR agents:
  - BA[2:0]: don't care
  - A[1:0]: A[1:0] must be equal to '00'b. Data read burst order in nibble is fixed
  - A[2]: For BL=8, A[2] must be equal to 0b, burst order is fixed to [0,1,2,3,4,5,6,7], \*) For Burst Chop 4 cases, the burst order is switched on nibble base A[2]=0b, Burst order: 0,1,2,3 \*) A[2]=1b, Burst order: 4,5,6,7 \*)
  - A[9:3]: don't care
  - A10/AP: don't care
  - A12/BC: Selects burst chop mode on-the-fly, if enabled within MR0.
  - A11, A13, A14: don't care
- Regular interface functionality during register reads:
  - Support two Burst Ordering which are switched with A2 and A[1:0]=00b.
  - Support of read burst chop (MRS and on-the-fly via A12/BC)
  - All other address bits (remaining column address bits including A10, all bank address bits) will be ignored by the DDR3 SDRAM.
  - Regular read latencies and AC timings apply.
  - DLL must be locked prior to MPR Reads.

NOTE: \*) Burst order bit 0 is assigned to LSB and burst order bit 7 is assigned to MSB of the selected MPR agent.

NOTE: Good reference for the example of MPR feature is the JEDEC standard No.93-3D, 4.10.4 Protocol example.

### **Relevant Timing Parameters**

AC timing parameters are important for operating the Multi Purpose Register: tRP, tMRD, tMOD, and tMPRR. For more details refer to “Electrical Characteristics & AC Timing

## 2.4 DDR3 SDRAM Command Description and Operation

### 2.4.1 Command Truth Table

[BA=Bank Address, RA=Row Address, CA=Column Address, BC#=Burst Chop, X=Don't Care, V=Valid]

Function	Abbreviation	CKE		CS#	RAS#	CAS#	WE#	BA0-BA2	A11, A13, A14	A12/BC#	A10/AP	A0-A9	Notes	
		Previous Cycle	Current Cycle											
Mode Register Set	MRS	H	H	L	L	L	L	BA	OP Code					
Refresh	REF	H	H	L	L	L	H	V	V	V	V	V		
Self Refresh Entry	SRE	H	L	L	L	L	H	V	V	V	V	V	7,9,12	
Self Refresh Exit	SRX	L	H	H	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	7,8,9,12
				L	H	H	H	V	V	V	V	V	V	
Single Bank Precharge	PRE	H	H	L	L	H	L	BA	V	V	L	V		
Precharge all Banks	PREA	H	H	L	L	H	L	V	V	V	H	V		
Bank Activate	ACT	H	H	L	L	H	H	BA	Row Address(RA)					
Write (Fixed BL8 or BC4)	WR	H	H	L	H	L	L	BA	RFU	V	L	CA		
Write (BC4, on the Fly)	WRS4	H	H	L	H	L	L	BA	RFU	L	L	CA		
Write (BL8, on the Fly)	WRS8	H	H	L	H	L	L	BA	RFU	H	L	CA		
Write with Auto Precharge (Fixed BL8 or BC4)	WRA	H	H	L	H	L	L	BA	RFU	V	H	CA		
Write with Auto Precharge (BC4, on the Fly)	WRAS4	H	H	L	H	L	L	BA	RFU	L	H	CA		
Write with Auto Precharge (BL8, on the Fly)	WRAS8	H	H	L	H	L	L	BA	RFU	H	H	CA		
Read (Fixed BL8 or BC4)	RD	H	H	L	H	L	H	BA	RFU	V	L	CA		
Read (BC4, on the Fly)	RDS4	H	H	L	H	L	H	BA	RFU	L	L	CA		
Read (BL8, on the Fly)	RDS8	H	H	L	H	L	H	BA	RFU	H	L	CA		
Read with Auto Precharge (Fixed BL8 or BC4)	RDA	H	H	L	H	L	H	BA	RFU	V	H	CA		
Read with Auto Precharge (BC4, on the Fly)	RDAS4	H	H	L	H	L	H	BA	RFU	L	H	CA		
Read with Auto Precharge (BL8, on the Fly)	RDAS8	H	H	L	H	L	H	BA	RFU	H	H	CA		
No Operation	NOP	H	H	L	H	H	H	V	V	V	V	V	10	
Device Deselected	DES	H	H	H	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	11	
Power Down Entry	PDE	H	L	L	H	H	H	V	V	V	V	V	6,12	
				H	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		
Power Down Exit	PDX	L	H	L	H	H	H	V	V	V	V	V	6,12	
				H	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		
ZQ Calibration Long	ZQCL	H	H	L	H	H	L	X	X	X	H	X		
ZQ Calibration Short	ZQCS	H	H	L	H	H	L	X	X	X	L	X		

Notes:

- All DDR3 SDRAM commands are defined by states of CS#, RAS#, CAS#, WE# and CKE at the rising edge of the clock. The MSB of BA, RA and CA are device density and configuration dependant.
- RESET# is Low enable command which will be used only for asynchronous reset so must be maintained HIGH during any function.
- Bank addresses (BA) determine which bank is to be operated upon. For (E)MRS BA selects an (Extended) Mode Register.
- "V" means "H or L (but a defined logic level)" and "X" means either "defined or undefined (like floating) logic level".
- Burst reads or writes cannot be terminated or interrupted and Fixed/on-the-Fly BL will be defined by MRS.
- The Power Down Mode does not perform any refresh operation.
- The state of ODT does not affect the states described in this table. The ODT function is not available during Self Refresh.
- Self Refresh Exit is asynchronous.
- VREF(Both VrefDQ and VrefCA) must be maintained during Self Refresh operation. VrefDQ supply may be turned OFF and VREFDQ may take any value between VSS and VDD during Self Refresh operation, provided that VrefDQ is valid and stable prior to CKE going back High and that first Write operation or first Write Leveling Activity may not occur earlier than 512 nCK after exit from Self Refresh.
- The No Operation command should be used in cases when the DDR3 SDRAM is in an idle or wait state. The purpose of the No Operation command (NOP) is to prevent the DDR3 SDRAM from registering any unwanted commands between operations. A No Operation command will not terminate a pervious operation that is still executing, such as a burst read or write cycle.
- The Deselect command performs the same function as No Operation command.
- Refer to the CKE Truth Table for more detail with CKE transition.

### 2.4.1. CKE Truth Table

Current State <sup>2</sup>	CKE		Command (N) <sup>3</sup> RAS#, CAS#, WE#, CS#	Action (N) <sup>3</sup>	Notes
	Previous Cycle <sup>1</sup> (N-1)	Current Cycle <sup>1</sup> (N)			
Power-Down	L	L	X	Maintain Power-Down	14,15
	L	H	DESELECT or NOP	Power-Down Exit	11,14
Self-Refresh	L	L	X	Maintain Self-Refresh	15,16
	L	H	DESELECT or NOP	Self-Refresh Exit	8,12,16
Bank(s) Active	H	L	DESELECT or NOP	Active Power-Down Entry	11,13,14
Reading	H	L	DESELECT or NOP	Power-Down Entry	11,13,14,17
Writing	H	L	DESELECT or NOP	Power-Down Entry	11,13,14,17
Precharging	H	L	DESELECT or NOP	Power-Down Entry	11,13,14,17
Refreshing	H	L	DESELECT or NOP	Precharge Power-Down Entry	11
All Bank Idle	H	L	DESELECT or NOP	Precharge Power-Down Entry	11,13,14,18
	H	L	REFRESH	Self-Refresh	9.13.18

- Notes:
1. CKE (N) is the logic state of CKE at clock edge N; CKE (N-1) was the state of CKE at the previous clock edge.
  2. Current state is defined as the state of the DDR3 SDRAM immediately prior to clock edge N.
  3. COMMAND (N) is the command registered at clock edge N, and ACTION (N) is a result of COMMAND (N), ODT is not included here.
  4. All states and sequences not shown are illegal or reserved unless explicitly described elsewhere in this document.
  5. The state of ODT does not affect the states described in this table. The ODT function is not available during Self-Refresh.
  6. CKE must be registered with the same value on tCKEmin consecutive positive clock edges. CKE must remain at the valid input level the entire time it takes to achieve the tCKEmin clocks of registration. Thus, after any CKE transition, CKE may not transition from its valid level during the time period of tIS + tCKEmin + tIH.
  7. DESELECT and NOP are defined in the Command Truth Table.
  8. On Self-Refresh Exit DESELECT or NOP commands must be issued on every clock edge occurring during the tXS period. Read or ODT commands may be issued only after tXSDLL is satisfied.
  9. Self-Refresh mode can only be entered from the All Banks Idle state.
  10. Must be a legal command as defined in the Command Truth Table.
  11. Valid commands for Power-Down Entry and Exit are NOP and DESELECT only.
  12. Valid commands for Self-Refresh Exit are NOP and DESELECT only.
  13. Self-Refresh cannot be entered during Read or Write operations.
  14. The Power-Down does not perform any refresh operations.
  15. "X" means "don't care" (including floating around VREF) in Self-Refresh and Power-Down. It also applies to Address pins.
  16. VREF (Both Vref\_DQ and Vref\_CA) must be maintained during Self-Refresh operation. VrefDQ supply may be turned OFF and VREFDQ may take any value between VSS and VDD during Self Refresh operation, provided that VrefDQ is valid and stable prior to CKE going back High and that first Write operation or first Write Leveling Activity may not occur earlier than 512 nCK after exit from Self Refresh.
  17. If all banks are closed at the conclusion of the read, write or precharge command, then Precharge Power-Down is entered, otherwise Active Power-Down is entered.
  18. 'Idle state' is defined as all banks are closed (tRP, tDAL, etc. satisfied), no data bursts are in progress, CKE is high, and all timings from previous operations are satisfied (tMRD, tMOD, tRFC, tZQinit, tZQoper, tZQCS, etc.) as well as all Self-Refresh exit and Power-Down Exit parameters are satisfied (tXS, tXP, tXPDLL, etc).

### 2.4.2 No Operation (NOP) Command

The No operation (NOP) command is used to instruct the selected DDR3 SDRAM to perform a NOP ( CS# low and RAS#,CAS#,WE# high). This prevents unwanted commands from being registered during idle or wait states. Operations already in progress are not affected.

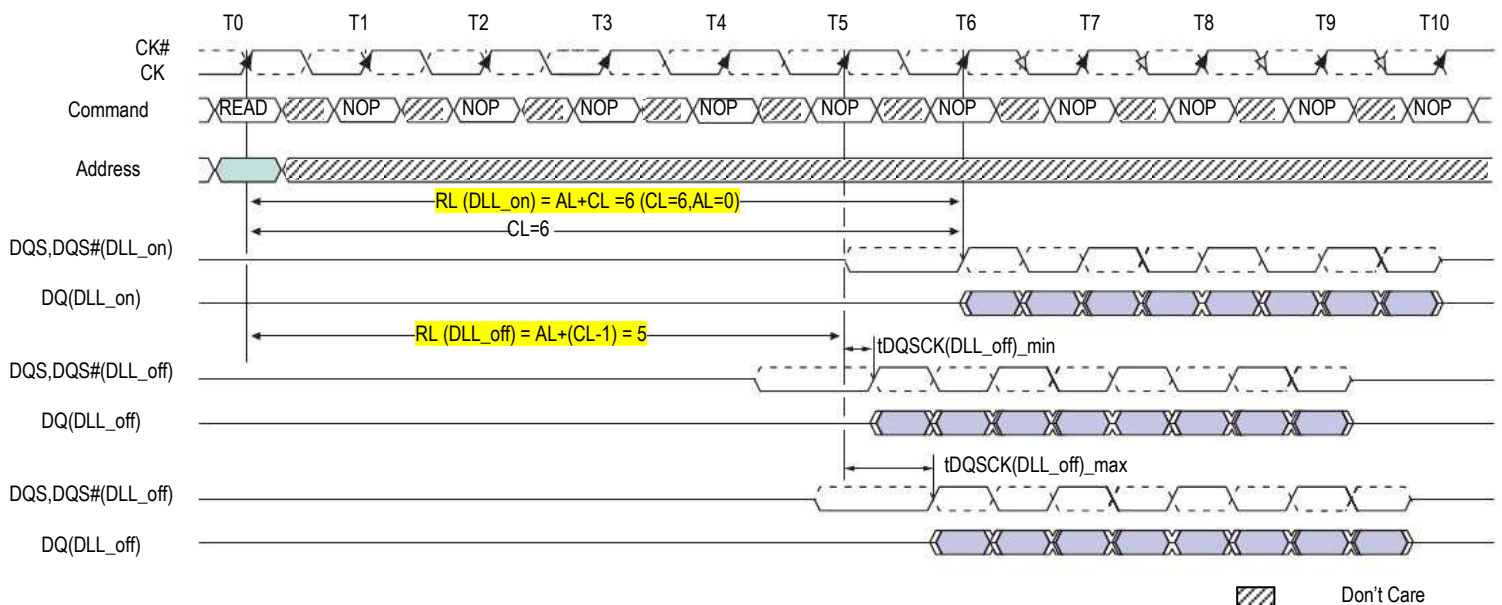
### 2.4.3 Deselect(DES) Command

The Deselect function (CS# HIGH) prevents new commands from being executed by the DDR3 SDRAM. The DDR3 SDRAM is effectively deselected. Operations already in progress are not affected.

### 2.4.4 DLL-off Mode

DDR3 DLL-off mode is entered by setting MR1 bit A0 to "1"; this will disable the DLL for subsequent operations until A0 is set back to "0". The MR1 A0 bit for DLL control can be switched either during initialization or later. The DLL-off Mode operations listed below are an optional feature for DDR3. The maximum clock frequency for DLL-off Mode is specified by the parameter tCKDLL\_OFF. There is no minimum frequency limit besides the need to satisfy the refresh interval, tREFI. Due to latency counter and timing restrictions, only one value of CAS Latency (CL) in MR0 and CAS Write Latency (CWL) in MR2 are supported. The DLL-off mode is only required to support setting of both CL=6 and CWL=6. DLL-off mode will affect the Read data Clock to Data Strobe relationship (tDQSCK) but not the data Strobe to Data relationship (tDQSQ, tQH). Special attention is needed to line up Read data to controller time domain.

Comparing with DLL-on mode, where tDQSCK starts from the rising clock edge (AL+CL) cycles after the Read command, the DLL-off mode tDQSCK starts (AL+CL-1) cycles after the read command. Another difference is that tDQSCK may not be small compared to tCK (it might even be larger than tCK) and the difference between tDQSCKmin and tDQSCKmax is significantly larger than in DLL-on mode. The timing relations on DLL-off mode READ operation have shown at the following Timing Diagram (CL=6, BL=8)



Note: The tDQSCK is used here for DQS, DQS, and DQ to have a simplified diagram; the DLL\_off shift will affect both timings in the same way and the skew between all DQ, DQS, and DQS# signals will still be tDQSQ.

Figure 2.4.4 DLL-off mode READ Timing Operation



#### **2.4.5 DLL on/off switching procedure**

DDR3 DLL-off mode is entered by setting MR1 bit A0 to “1”; this will disable the DLL for subsequent operation until A0 bit set back to “0”.

##### **2.4.5.1 DLL “on” to DLL “off” Procedure**

To switch from DLL “on” to DLL “off” requires the frequency to be changed during Self-Refresh outlined in the following procedure:

1. Starting from Idle state (all banks pre-charged, all timing fulfilled, and DRAMs On-die Termination resistors, RTT, must be in high impedance state before MRS to MR1 to disable the DLL).
2. Set MR1 Bit A0 to “1” to disable the DLL.
3. Wait tMOD.
4. Enter Self Refresh Mode; wait until (tCKSRE) satisfied.
5. Change frequency, in guidance with “Input Clock Frequency Change” section.
6. Wait until a stable clock is available for at least (tCKSRX) at DRAM inputs.
7. Starting with the Self Refresh Exit command, CKE must continuously be registered HIGH until all tMOD timings from any MRS command are satisfied. In addition, if any ODT features were enabled in the mode registers when Self Refresh mode was entered, the ODT signal must continuously be registered LOW until all tMOD timings from any MRS command are satisfied. If both ODT features were disabled in the mode registers when Self Refresh mode was entered, ODT signal can be registered LOW or HIGH.
8. Wait tXS, and then set Mode Registers with appropriate values (especially an update of CL, CWL, and WR may be necessary. A ZQCL command may also be issued after tXS).
9. Wait for tMOD, and then DRAM is ready for next command.

##### **2.4.5.2 DLL “off” to DLL “on” Procedure**

To switch from DLL “off” to DLL “on” (with required frequency change) during Self-Refresh:

1. Starting from Idle state (All banks pre-charged, all timings fulfilled and DRAMs On-die Termination resistors (RTT) must be in high impedance state before Self-Refresh mode is entered.)
2. Enter Self Refresh Mode, wait until tCKSRE satisfied.
3. Change frequency, in guidance with “Input clock frequency change”.
4. Wait until a stable clock is available for at least (tCKSRX) at DRAM inputs.
5. Starting with the Self Refresh Exit command, CKE must continuously be registered HIGH until tDLLK timing from subsequent DLL Reset command is satisfied. In addition, if any ODT features were enabled in the mode registers when Self Refresh mode was entered, the ODT signal must continuously be registered LOW until tDLLK timings from subsequent DLL Reset command is satisfied. If both ODT features are disabled in the mode registers when Self Refresh mode was entered, ODT signal can be registered LOW or HIGH.
6. Wait tXS, then set MR1 bit A0 to “0” to enable the DLL.
7. Wait tMRD, then set MR0 bit A8 to “1” to start DLL Reset.
8. Wait tMRD, then set Mode Registers with appropriate values (especially an update of CL, CWL and WR may be necessary. After tMOD satisfied from any proceeding MRS command, a ZQCL command may also be issued during or after tDLLK.)
9. Wait for tMOD, then DRAM is ready for next command (Remember to wait tDLLK after DLL Reset before applying command requiring a locked DLL!). In addition, wait also for tZQoper in case a ZQCL command was issued.

#### **2.4.6. Input clock frequency change**

Once the DDR3 SDRAM is initialized, the DDR3 SDRAM requires the clock to be “stable” during almost all states of normal operation. This means that, once the clock frequency has been set and is to be in the “stable state”, the clock period is not allowed to deviate except for what is allowed for by the clock jitter and SSC (spread spectrum clocking) specifications.

The input clock frequency can be changed from one stable clock rate to another stable clock rate under two conditions: (1) Self-Refresh mode and (2) Precharge Power-down mode. Outside of these two modes, it is illegal to change the clock frequency.

For the first condition, once the DDR3 SDRAM has been successfully placed in to Self-Refresh mode and tCKSRE has been satisfied, the state of the clock becomes a don't care. Once a don't care, changing the clock frequency is permissible, provided the new clock frequency is stable prior to tCKSRX. When entering and exiting Self-Refresh mode for the sole purpose of changing the clock frequency, the Self-Refresh entry and exit specifications must still be met.

The DDR3 SDRAM input clock frequency is allowed to change only within the minimum and maximum operating frequency specified for the particular speed grade. Any frequency change below the minimum operating frequency would require the use of DLL\_on- mode -> DLL\_off -mode transition sequence, refer to “DLL on/off switching procedure”.

The second condition is when the DDR3 SDRAM is in Precharge Power-down mode (either fast exit mode or slow exit mode). If the RTT\_NOM feature was enabled in the mode register prior to entering Precharge power down mode, the ODT signal must continuously be registered LOW ensuring RTT is in an off state. If the RTT\_NOM feature was disabled in the mode register prior to entering Precharge power down mode, RTT will remain in the off state. The ODT signal can be registered either LOW or HIGH in this case. A minimum of tCKSRE must occur after CKE goes LOW before the clock frequency may change. The DDR3 SDRAM input clock frequency is allowed to change only within the minimum and maximum operating frequency specified for the particular speed grade. During the input clock frequency change, ODT and CKE must be held at stable LOW levels. Once the input clock frequency is changed, stable new clocks must be provided to the DRAM tCKSRX before Precharge Power-down may be exited; after Precharge Power-down is exited and tXP has expired, the DLL must be RESET via MRS. Depending on the new clock frequency, additional MRS commands may need to be issued to appropriately set the WR, CL, and CWL with CKE continuously registered high. During DLL re-lock period, ODT must remain LOW and CKE must remain HIGH. After the DLL lock time, the DRAM is ready to operate with new clock frequency.

#### **2.4.7 Write leveling**

For better signal integrity, the DDR3 memory module adopted fly-by topology for the commands, addresses, control signals, and clocks. The fly-by topology has benefits from reducing number of stubs and their length, but it also causes flight time skew between clock and strobe at every DRAM on the DIMM. This makes it difficult for the Controller to maintain tDQSS, tDSS, and tDSH specification. Therefore, the DDR3 SDRAM supports a ‘write leveling’ feature to allow the controller to compensate for skew.

The memory controller can use the ‘write leveling’ feature and feedback from the DDR3 SDRAM to adjust the DQS - DQS# to CK - CK# relationship. The memory controller involved in the leveling must have adjustable delay setting on DQS - DQS# to align the rising edge of DQS - DQS# with that of the clock at the DRAM pin. The DRAM asynchronously feeds back CK - CK#, sampled with the rising edge of DQS - DQS#, through the DQ bus. The controller repeatedly delays DQS - DQS# until a transition from 0 to 1 is detected. The DQS - DQS# delay established through this exercise would ensure tDQSS specification.

Besides tDQSS, tDSS and tDSH specification also needs to be fulfilled. One way to achieve this is to combine the actual tDQSS in the application with an appropriate duty cycle and jitter on the DQS - DQS# signals. Depending on the actual tDQSS in the application, the actual values for tDQSL and tDQSH may have to be better than the absolute limits provided in the chapter "AC Timing Parameters" in order to satisfy tDSS and tDSH specification. A conceptual timing of this scheme is shown in Figure 2.4.7.

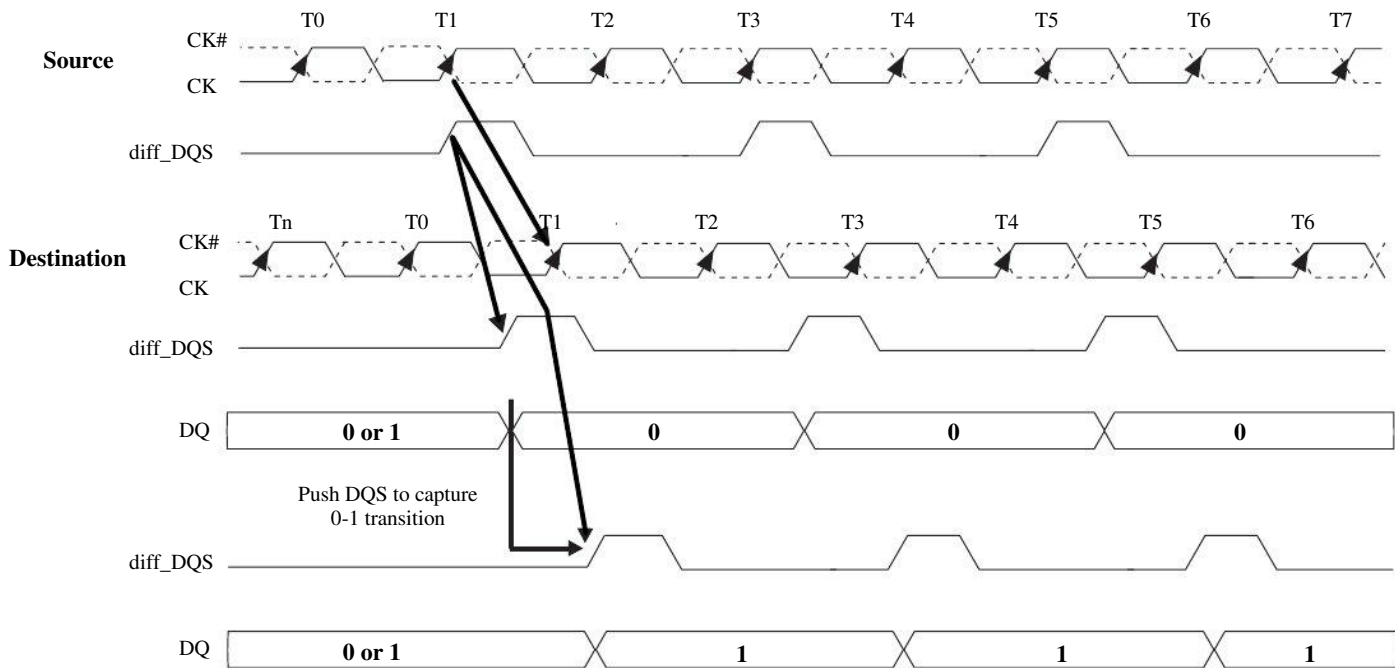


Figure 2.4.7 Write Leveling Concept

DQS - DQS# driven by the controller during leveling mode must be terminated by the DRAM based on ranks populated. Similarly, the DQ bus driven by the DRAM must also be terminated at the controller.

One or more data bits carry the leveling feedback to the controller across the DRAM configurations X8 and X16. On a X16 device, both byte lanes should be leveled independently.

Therefore, a separate feedback mechanism should be available for each byte lane. The upper data bits should provide the feedback of the upper diff\_DQS(diff\_UDQS) to clock relationship whereas the lower data bits would indicate the lower diff\_DQS(diff\_LDQS) to clock relationship.

#### 2.4.7.1 DRAM setting for write leveling & DRAM termination function in that mode

DRAM enters into Write leveling mode if A7 in MR1 set 'High' and after finishing leveling, DRAM exits from write leveling mode if A7 in MR1 set 'Low'. Note that in write leveling mode, only DQS/DQS# terminations are activated and deactivated via ODT pin, unlike normal operation.

##### MR setting involved in the leveling procedure

Function	MR1	Enable	Disable
Write leveling enable	A7	1	0
Output buffer mode (Qoff)	A12	0	1

##### DRAM termination function in the leveling mode

ODT pin @DRAM	DQS/DQS# termination	DQs termination
De-asserted	Off	Off
Asserted	On	Off

NOTE: In Write Leveling Mode with its output buffer disabled (MR1[bit7] = 1 with MR1[bit12] = 1) all RTT\_Nom settings are allowed; in Write Leveling Mode with its output buffer enabled (MR1[bit7] = 1 with MR1[bit12] = 0) only RTT\_Nom settings of RZQ/2, RZQ/4 and RZQ/6 are allowed.