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Si5345/44/42 Rev D Data Sheet

10-Channel, Any-Frequency, Any-Output Jitter Attenuator/ Clock Multiplier

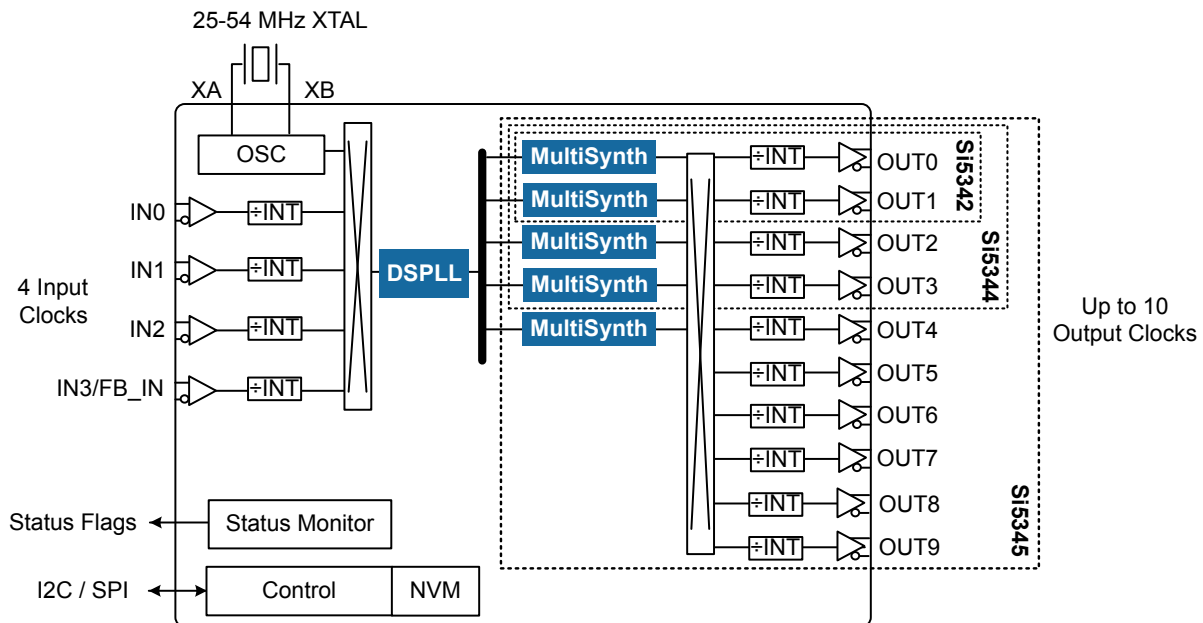
These jitter attenuating clock multipliers combine fourth-generation DSPLL™ and MultiSynth™ technologies to enable any-frequency clock generation and jitter attenuation for applications requiring the highest level of jitter performance. These devices are programmable via a serial interface with in-circuit programmable non-volatile memory (NVM) so they always power up with a known frequency configuration. They support free-run, synchronous, and holdover modes of operation, and offer both automatic and manual input clock switching. The loop filter is fully integrated on-chip, eliminating the risk of noise coupling associated with discrete solutions. Furthermore, the jitter attenuation bandwidth is digitally programmable, providing jitter performance optimization at the application level. Programming the Si5345/44/42 is easy with Silicon Labs' [ClockBuilder Pro™](#) software. Factory preprogrammed devices are also available.

Applications:

- OTN muxponders and transponders
- 10/40/100 G networking line cards
- GbE/10 GbE/100 GbE Synchronous Ethernet (ITU-T G.8262)
- Carrier Ethernet switches
- SONET/SDH line cards
- Broadcast video
- Test and measurement
- ITU-T G.8262 (SyncE) compliant

KEY FEATURES

- Generates any combination of output frequencies from any input frequency
- Ultra-low jitter of 90 fs rms
- External Crystal: 25 to 54 MHz
- Input frequency range
 - Differential: 8 kHz to 750 MHz
 - LVCMOS: 8 kHz to 250 MHz
- Output frequency range
 - Differential: 100 Hz to 1028 MHz
 - LVCMOS: 100 Hz to 250 MHz
- Meets G.8262 EEC Option 1, 2 (SyncE)
- Highly configurable outputs compatible with LVDS, LVPECL, LVCMOS, CML, and HCSL with programmable signal amplitude
- Si5345: 4 input, 10 output, 64-QFN 9×9 mm
- Si5344: 4 input, 4 output, 44-QFN 7×7 mm
- Si5342: 4 input, 2 output, 44-QFN 7×7 mm



1. Features List

The Si5345/44/42 Rev D features are listed below:

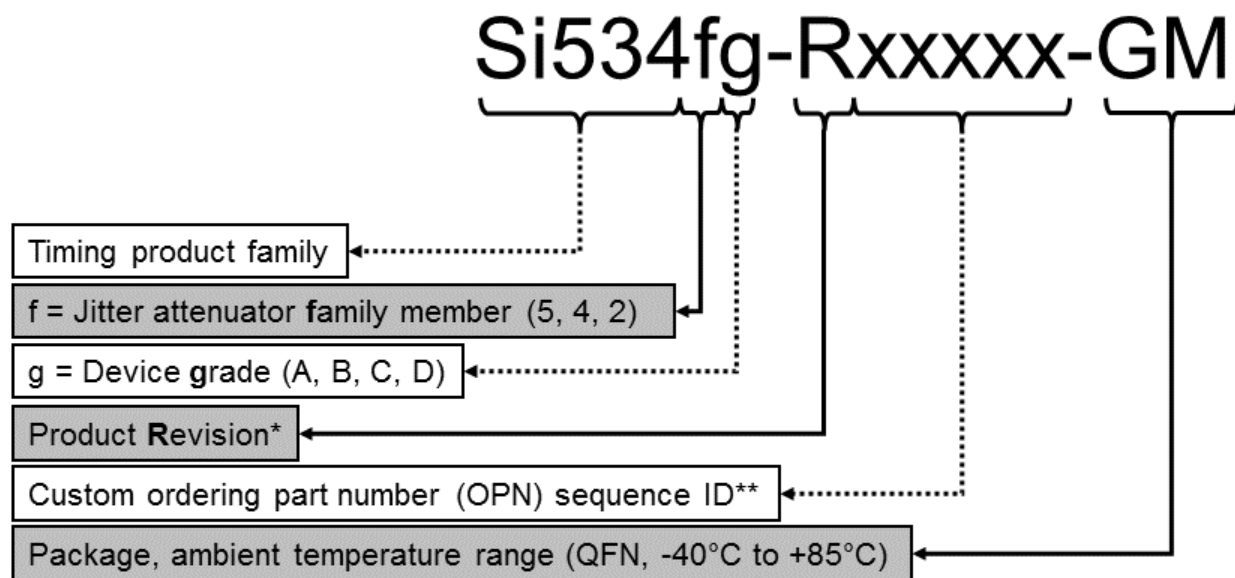
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- Ultra-low jitter of 90 fs rms
- Input frequency range
 - Differential: 8 kHz–750 MHz
 - LVCMOS: 8 kHz–250 MHz
- Output frequency range
 - Differential: 100 Hz to 1028 MHz
 - LVCMOS: 100 Hz to 250 MHz
- Programmable jitter attenuation bandwidth: 0.1 Hz to 4 kHz
- Meets G.8262 EEC Option 1, 2 (SyncE)
- Highly configurable outputs compatible with LVDS, LVPECL, LVCMOS, CML, and HCSL with programmable signal amplitude
- Status monitoring (LOS, OOF, LOL)
- Hitless input clock switching: automatic or manual
- Locks to gapped clock inputs
- Free-run and holdover modes
- Optional zero delay mode
- Fastlock feature for low nominal bandwidths
- Glitchless on the fly output frequency changes
- DCO mode: as low as 0.001 ppb step size
- Core voltage
 - V_{DD} : 1.8 V \pm 5%
 - V_{DDA} : 3.3 V \pm 5%
- Independent output clock supply pins
 - 3.3 V, 2.5 V, or 1.8 V
- Serial interface: I²C or SPI
- In-circuit programmable with non-volatile OTP memory
- ClockBuilder Pro software simplifies device configuration
- Si5345: 4 input, 10 output, 64-QFN 9×9 mm
- Si5344: 4 input, 4 output, 44-QFN 7×7 mm
- Si5342: 4 input, 2 output, 44-QFN 7×7 mm
- Temperature range: –40 to +85 °C
- Pb-free, RoHS-6 compliant

2. Ordering Guide

Ordering Part Number (OPN)	Number of Input/ Output Clocks	Output Clock Frequency Range (MHz)	Supported Frequency Synthesis Modes	Package	Temperature Range
Si5345					
Si5345A-D-GM ^{1, 2}	4/10	0.001 to 1028 MHz	Integer and Fractional	64-QFN 9×9 mm	–40 to 85 °C
Si5345B-D-GM ^{1, 2}		0.001 to 350 MHz			
Si5345C-D-GM ^{1, 2}		0.001 to 1028 MHz	Integer Only		
Si5345D-D-GM ^{1, 2}		0.001 to 350 MHz			
Si5344					
Si5344A-D-GM ^{1, 2}	4/4	0.001 to 1028 MHz	Integer and Fractional	44-QFN 7×7 mm	–40 to 85 °C
Si5344B-D-GM ^{1, 2}		0.001 to 350 MHz			
Si5344C-D-GM ^{1, 2}		0.001 to 1028 MHz	Integer Only		
Si5344D-D-GM ^{1, 2}		0.001 to 350 MHz			
Si5342					
Si5342A-D-GM ^{1, 2}	4/2	0.001 to 1028 MHz	Integer and Fractional	44-QFN 7×7 mm	–40 to 85 °C
Si5342B-D-GM ^{1, 2}		0.001 to 350 MHz			
Si5342C-D-GM ^{1, 2}		0.001 to 1028 MHz	Integer Only		
Si5342D-D-GM ^{1, 2}		0.001 to 350 MHz			
Si5345/44/42-D-EVB					
Si5345-D-EVB	—	—	—	Evaluation Board	—
Si5344-D-EVB					
Si5342-D-EVB					

Notes:

- Add an R at the end of the OPN to denote tape and reel ordering options.
- Custom, factory preprogrammed devices are available. Ordering part numbers are assigned by Silicon Labs and the ClockBuilder Pro software utility. Custom part number format is “Si5345A-Dxxxx-GM” where “xxxx” is a unique numerical sequence representing the preprogrammed configuration.



*See Ordering Guide table for current product revision

** 5 digits; assigned by ClockBuilder Pro

Figure 2.1. Ordering Part Number Fields

3. Functional Description

The Si5345's internal DSPLL provides jitter attenuation and any-frequency multiplication of the selected input frequency. Fractional input dividers (P) allow the DSPLL to perform hitless switching between input clocks (IN_x) that are fractionally related. Input switching is controlled manually or automatically using an internal state machine. The oscillator circuit (OSC) provides a frequency reference which determines output frequency stability and accuracy while the device is in free-run or holdover mode. The high-performance MultiSynth dividers (N) generate integer or fractionally related output frequencies for the output stage. A crosspoint switch connects any of the MultiSynth generated frequencies to any of the outputs. Additional integer division (R) determines the final output frequency.

3.1 Frequency Configuration

The frequency configuration of the DSPLL is programmable through the serial interface and can also be stored in non-volatile memory. The combination of fractional input dividers (P_n/P_d), fractional frequency multiplication (M_n/M_d), fractional output MultiSynth division (N_n/N_d), and integer output division (R_n) allows the generation of virtually any output frequency on any of the outputs. All divider values for a specific frequency plan are easily determined using the ClockBuilder Pro utility.

3.2 DSPLL Loop Bandwidth

The DSPLL loop bandwidth determines the amount of input clock jitter attenuation. Register configurable DSPLL loop bandwidth settings in the range of 0.1 Hz to 4 kHz are available for selection. Since the loop bandwidth is controlled digitally, the DSPLL will always remain stable with less than 0.1 dB of peaking regardless of the loop bandwidth selection.

3.3 Fastlock Feature

Selecting a low DSPLL loop bandwidth (e.g. 0.1 Hz) will generally lengthen the lock acquisition time. The fastlock feature allows setting a temporary Fastlock Loop Bandwidth that is used during the lock acquisition process. Higher fastlock loop bandwidth settings will enable the DSPLLs to lock faster. Fastlock Loop Bandwidth settings of in the range of 100 Hz to 4 kHz are available for selection. The DSPLL will revert to its normal loop bandwidth once lock acquisition has completed.

3.4 Modes of Operation

Once initialization is complete the DSPLL operates in one of four modes: Free-run Mode, Lock Acquisition Mode, Locked Mode, or Holdover Mode. A state diagram showing the modes of operation is shown in [Figure 3.1 Modes of Operation on page 5](#). The following sections describe each of these modes in greater detail.

3.4.1 Initialization and Reset

Once power is applied, the device begins an initialization period where it downloads default register values and configuration data from NVM and performs other initialization tasks. Communicating with the device through the serial interface is possible once this initialization period is complete. No clocks will be generated until the initialization is complete. There are two types of resets available. A hard reset is functionally similar to a device power-up. All registers will be restored to the values stored in NVM, and all circuits including the serial interface will be restored to their initial state. A hard reset is initiated using the RSTb pin or by asserting the hard reset register bit. A soft reset bypasses the NVM download. It is simply used to initiate register configuration changes.

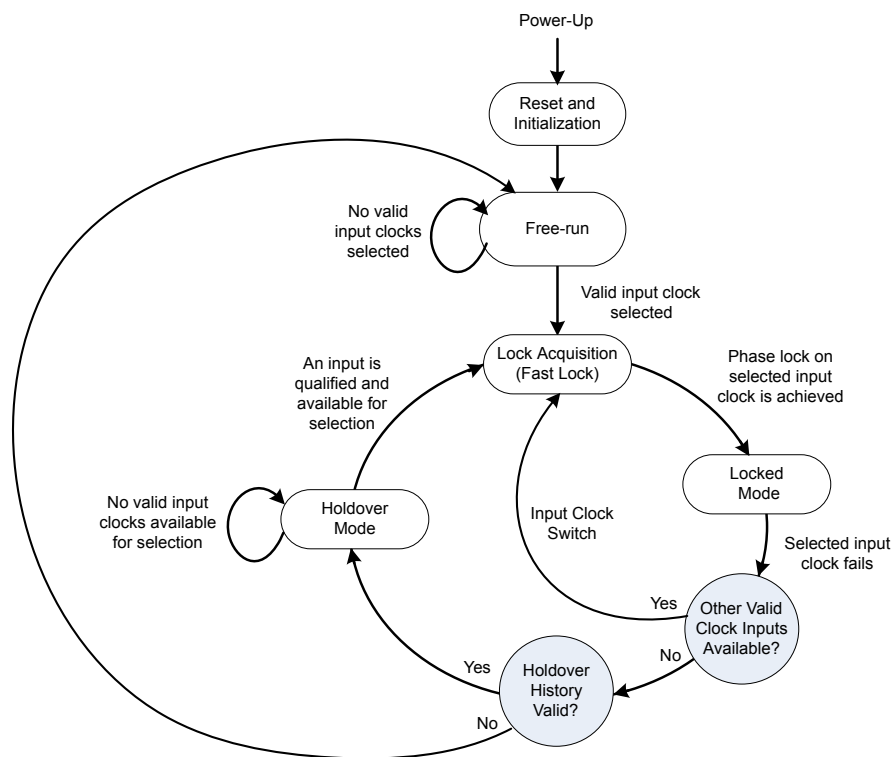


Figure 3.1. Modes of Operation

3.4.2 Freerun Mode

The DSPLL will automatically enter freerun mode once power is applied to the device and initialization is complete. The frequency accuracy of the generated output clocks in freerun mode is entirely dependent on the frequency accuracy of the external crystal or reference clock on the XA/XB pins. For example, if the crystal frequency is ± 100 ppm, then all the output clocks will be generated at their configured frequency ± 100 ppm in freerun mode. Any drift of the crystal frequency will be tracked at the output clock frequencies. A TCXO or OCXO is recommended for applications that need better frequency accuracy and stability while in freerun or holdover modes.

3.4.3 Lock Acquisition Mode

The device monitors all inputs for a valid clock. If at least one valid clock is available for synchronization, the DSPLL will automatically start the lock acquisition process. If the fast lock feature is enabled, the DSPLL will acquire lock using the Fastlock Loop Bandwidth setting and then transition to the DSPLL Loop Bandwidth setting when lock acquisition is complete. During lock acquisition the outputs will generate a clock that follows the VCO frequency change as it pulls in to the input clock frequency.

3.4.4 Locked Mode

Once locked, the DSPLL will generate output clocks that are both frequency and phase locked to their selected input clocks. At this point, any XTAL frequency drift will not affect the output frequency. A loss of lock pin (LOL) and status bit indicate when lock is achieved. See [3.8.4 LOL Detection](#) for more details on the operation of the loss-of-lock circuit.

3.4.5 Holdover Mode

The DSPLL will automatically enter holdover mode when the selected input clock becomes invalid and no other valid input clocks are available for selection. The DSPLL uses an averaged input clock frequency as its final holdover frequency to minimize the disturbance of the output clock phase and frequency when an input clock suddenly fails. The holdover circuit for the DSPLL stores up to 120 seconds of historical frequency data while locked to a valid clock input. The final averaged holdover frequency value is calculated from a programmable window within the stored historical frequency data. Both the window size and the delay are programmable as shown in the figure below. The window size determines the amount of holdover frequency averaging. The delay value allows ignoring frequency data that may be corrupt just before the input clock failure.

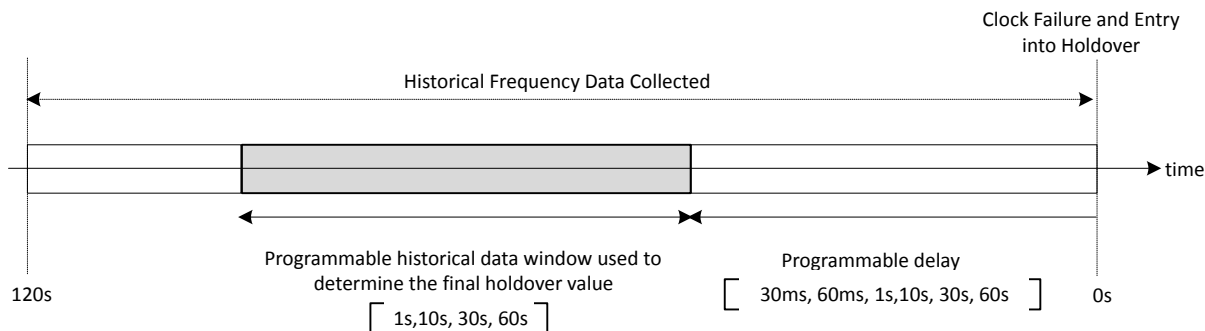


Figure 3.2. Programmable Holdover Window

When entering holdover, the DSPLL will pull its output clock frequency to the calculated averaged holdover frequency. While in holdover, the output frequency drift is entirely dependent on the external crystal or external reference clock connected to the XA/XB pins. If the clock input becomes valid, the DSPLL will automatically exit the holdover mode and re-acquire lock to the new input clock. This process involves pulling the output clock frequency to achieve frequency and phase lock with the input clock. This pull-in process is glitchless and its rate is controlled by the DSPLL or the Fastlock bandwidth.

The DSPLL output frequency when exiting holdover can be ramped (recommended). Just before the exit is initiated, the difference between the current holdover frequency and the new desired frequency is measured. Using the calculated difference and a user-selectable ramp rate, the output is linearly ramped to the new frequency. The ramp rate can be 0.2 ppm/s, 40,000 ppm/s, or any of about 40 values in between. The DSPLL loop BW does not limit or affect ramp rate selections (and vice versa). CBPro defaults to ramped exit from holdover. The same ramp rate settings are used for both exit from holdover and ramped input switching. For more information on ramped input switching, see [3.7.4 Ramped Input Switching](#).

Note: If ramped holdover exit is not selected, the holdover exit is governed either by (1) the DSPLL loop BW or (2) a user-selectable holdover exit BW.

3.5 External Reference (XA/XB)

An external crystal (XTAL) is used in combination with the internal oscillator (OSC) to produce an ultra low jitter reference clock for the DSPLL and for providing a stable reference for the free-run and holdover modes. A simplified diagram is shown in [Figure 3.3 Crystal Resonator and External Reference Clock Connection Options on page 7](#). The device includes internal XTAL loading capacitors which eliminates the need for external capacitors and also has the benefit of reduced noise coupling from external sources. Refer to [Table 5.12 Crystal Specifications on page 36](#) for crystal specifications. A crystal in the range of 48 MHz to 54 MHz is recommended for best jitter performance. Frequency offsets due to CL mismatch can be adjusted using the frequency adjustment feature which allows frequency adjustments of ± 200 ppm. The [Si5345/44/42 Family Reference Manual](#) provides additional information on PCB layout recommendations for the crystal to ensure optimum jitter performance.

To achieve optimal jitter performance and minimize BOM cost, a crystal is recommended on the XA/XB reference input. For SyncE line card PLL applications (e.g. loop bandwidth set to 0.1 Hz), a TCXO is required on the XA/XB reference to minimize wander and to provide a stable holdover reference. See the [Si5345/44/42 Family Reference Manual](#) for more information. Selection between the external XTAL or REFCLK is controlled by register configuration. The internal crystal loading capacitors (CL) are disabled in the REFCLK mode. Refer to [Table 5.3 Input Clock Specifications on page 25](#) for REFCLK requirements when using this mode. A PREF divider is available to accommodate external clock frequencies higher than 54 MHz. Frequencies in the range of 48 MHz to 54 MHz will achieve the best output jitter performance.

3.6 Digitally Controlled Oscillator (DCO) Mode

The output MultiSynths support a DCO mode where their output frequencies are adjustable in predefined steps defined by frequency step words (FSW). The frequency adjustments are controlled through the serial interface or by pin control using frequency increment (FINC) or decrement (FDEC). A FINC will add the frequency step word to the DSPLL output frequency, while a FDEC will decrement it. Any number of MultiSynths can be updated at once or independently controlled. The DCO mode is available when the DSPLL is operating in either free-run or locked mode.

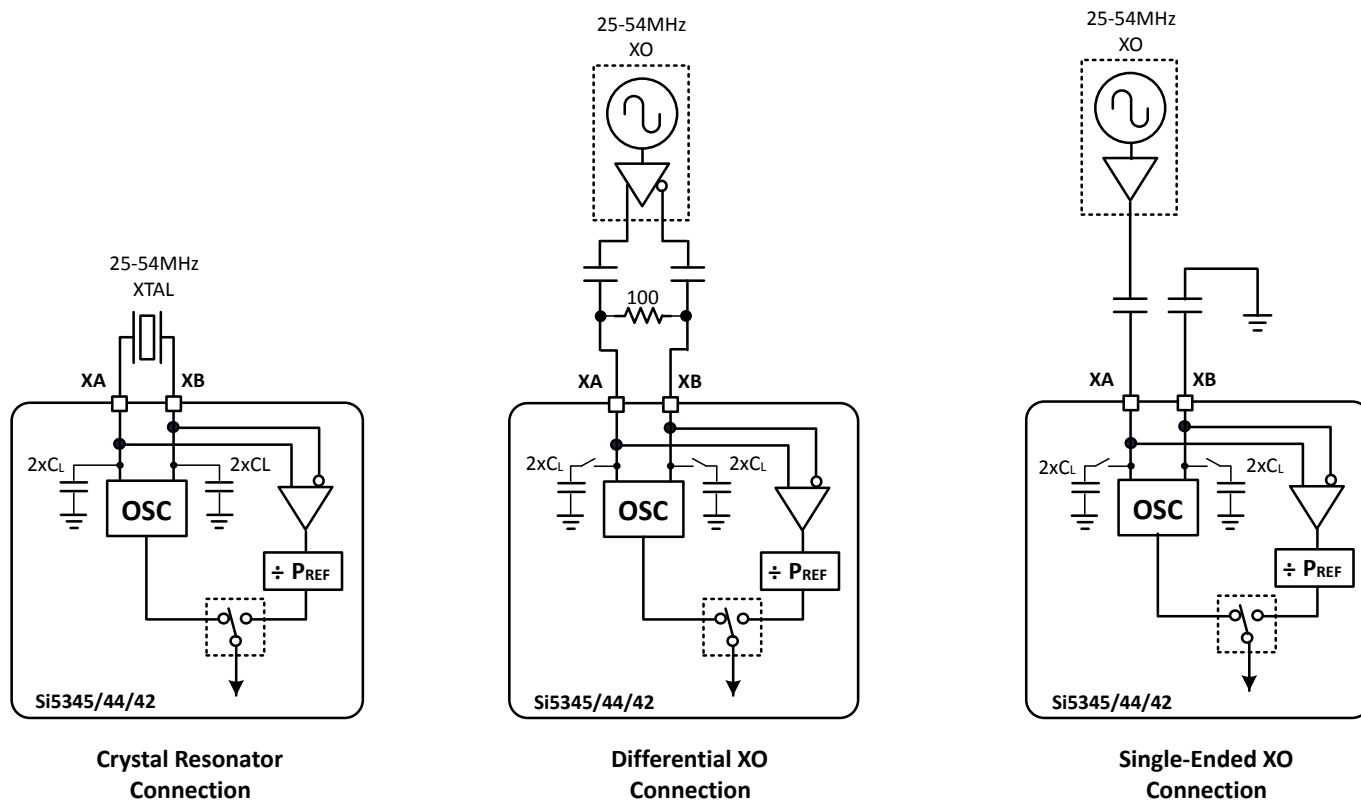


Figure 3.3. Crystal Resonator and External Reference Clock Connection Options

3.7 Inputs (IN0, IN1, IN2, IN3)

There are four inputs that can be used to synchronize the DSPLL. The inputs accept both differential and single-ended clocks. Input selection can be manual (pin or register controlled) or automatic with user definable priorities.

3.7.1 Manual Input Switching (IN0, IN1, IN2, IN3)

Input clock selection can be made manually using the IN_SEL[1:0] pins or through a register. A register bit determines input selection as pin selectable or register selectable. The IN_SEL pins are selected by default. If there is no clock signal on the selected input, the device will automatically enter free-run or holdover mode. When the zero delay mode is enabled, IN3 becomes the feedback input (FB_IN) and is not available for selection as a clock input.

Table 3.1. Manual Input Selection Using IN_SEL[1:0] Pins

IN_SEL[1:0]		Selected Input	
		Zero Delay Mode Disabled	Zero Delay Mode Enabled
0	0	IN0	IN0
0	1	IN1	IN1
1	0	IN2	IN2
1	1	IN3	Reserved

3.7.2 Automatic Input Selection (IN0, IN1, IN2, IN3)

An automatic input selection state machine is available in addition to the manual switching option. In automatic mode, the selection criteria is based on input clock qualification, input priority, and the revertive option. Only input clocks that are valid can be selected by the automatic clock selection state machine. If there are no valid input clocks available the DSPLL will enter the holdover mode. With revertive switching enabled, the highest priority input with a valid input clock is always selected. If an input with a higher priority becomes valid then an automatic switchover to that input will be initiated. With non-revertive switching, the active input will always remain selected while it is valid. If it becomes invalid an automatic switchover to a valid input with the highest priority will be initiated.

3.7.3 Hitless Input Switching

Hitless switching is a feature that prevents a phase offset from propagating to the output when switching between two clock inputs that have a fixed phase relationship. A hitless switch can only occur when the two input frequencies are frequency locked meaning that they have to be exactly at the same frequency, or at a fractional frequency relationship to each other. When hitless switching is enabled, the DSPLL simply absorbs the phase difference between the two input clocks during a input switch. When disabled, the phase difference between the two inputs is propagated to the output at a rate determined by the DSPLL Loop Bandwidth. The hitless switching feature supports clock frequencies down to the minimum input frequency of 8 kHz.

3.7.4 Ramped Input Switching

When switching between two plesiochronous input clocks (i.e., the frequencies are "almost the same" but not quite), ramped input switching should be enabled to ensure a smooth transition between the two inputs. Ramped input switching avoids frequency transients and overshoot when switching between frequencies and so is the default switching mode in CBPro. The feature should be turned off when switching between input clocks that are always frequency locked (i.e., are always the same exact frequency). The same ramp rate settings are used for both holdover exit and clock switching. For more information on ramped exit from holdover see [3.4.5 Holdover Mode](#).

3.7.5 Glitchless Input Switching

The DSPLL has the ability of switching between two input clock frequencies that are up to ± 500 ppm apart. The DSPLL will pull-in to the new frequency using the DSPLL Loop Bandwidth or using the Fastlock Loop Bandwidth if enabled. The loss of lock (LOL) indicator will assert while the DSPLL is pulling-in to the new clock frequency. There will be no abrupt phase change at the output during the transition.

3.7.6 Input Configuration and Terminations

Each of the inputs can be configured as differential or single-ended LVCMOS. The recommended input termination schemes are shown in Figure 14. Differential signals must be ac-coupled, while single-ended LVCMOS signals can be ac or dc-coupled. Unused inputs can be disabled and left unconnected when not in use.

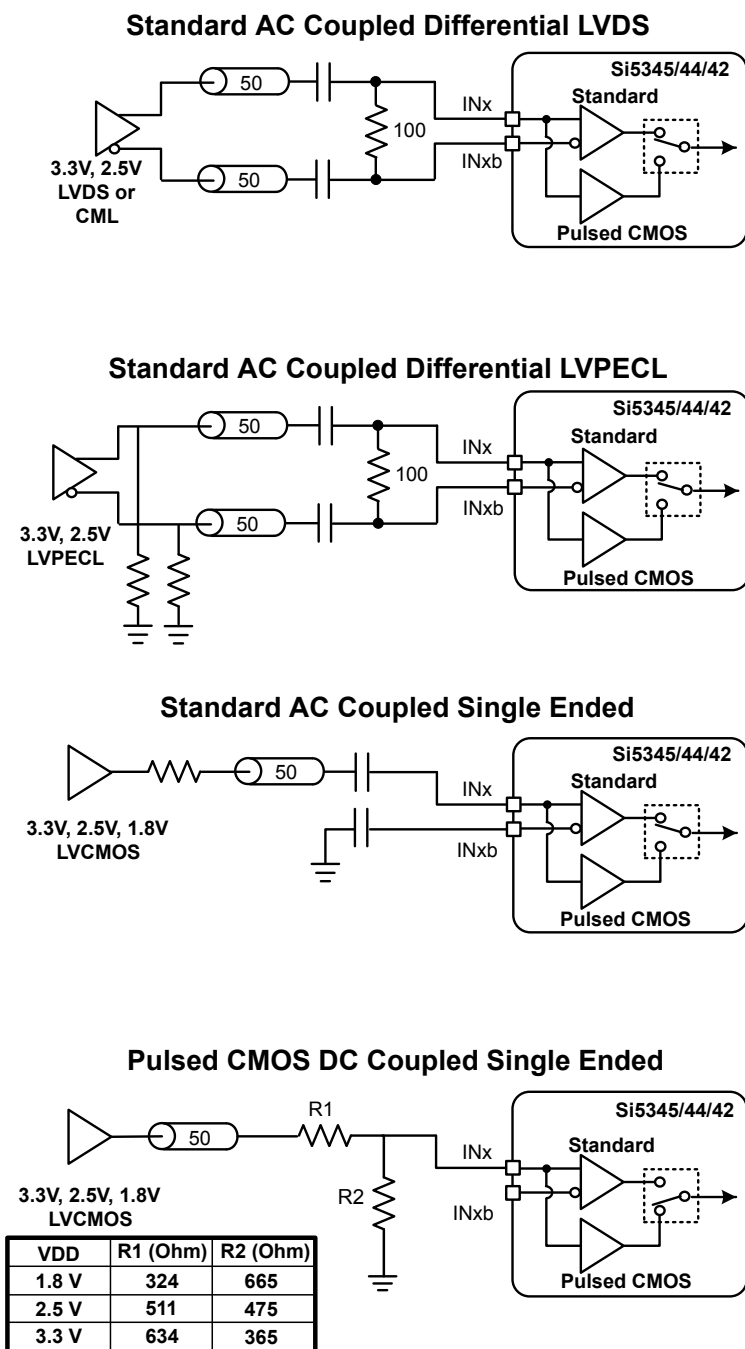


Figure 3.4. Termination of Differential and LVCMOS Input Signals

3.7.7 Synchronizing to Gapped Input Clocks

The DSPLL supports locking to an input clock that has missing periods. This is also referred to as a gapped clock. The purpose of gapped clocking is to modulate the frequency of a periodic clock by selectively removing some of its cycles. Gapping a clock severely increases its jitter so a phase-locked loop with high jitter tolerance and low loop bandwidth is required to produce a low-jitter periodic clock. The resulting output will be a periodic non-gapped clock with an average frequency of the input with its missing cycles. For example, an input clock of 100 MHz with one cycle removed every 10 cycles will result in a 90 MHz periodic non-gapped output clock. This is shown in the following figure. For more information on gapped clocks, see “AN561: Introduction to Gapped Clocks and PLLs”.

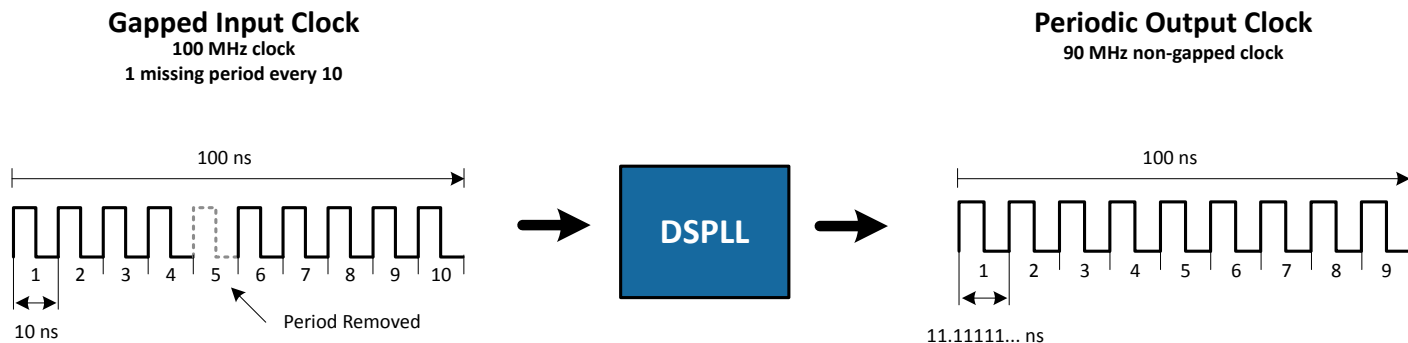


Figure 3.5. Generating an Averaged Clock Output Frequency from a Gapped Clock Input

A valid gapped clock input must have a minimum frequency of 10 MHz with a maximum of two missing cycles out of every eight. Locking to a gapped clock will not trigger the LOS, OOF, and LOL fault monitors. Clock switching between gapped clocks may violate the hitless switching specification in Table 5.8 Performance Characteristics on page 31 when the switch occurs during a gap in either input clock.

3.8 Fault Monitoring

All four input clocks (IN0, IN1, IN2, IN3/FB_IN) are monitored for loss of signal (LOS) and out-of-frequency (OOF) as shown in the figure below. The reference at the XA/XB pins is also monitored for LOS since it provides a critical reference clock for the DSPLL. There is also a Loss Of Lock (LOL) indicator which is asserted when the DSPLL loses synchronization.

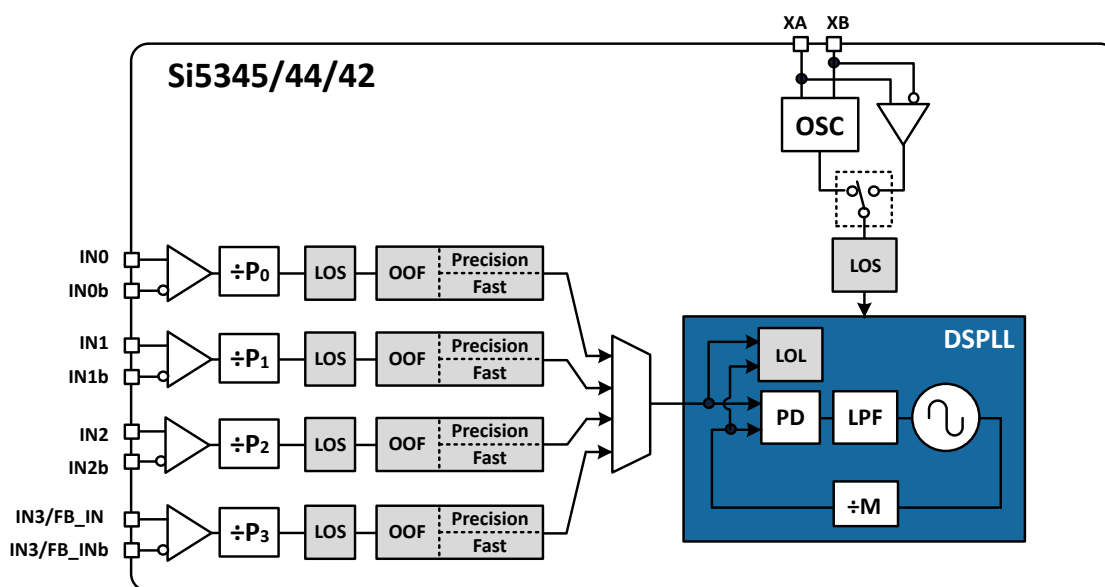


Figure 3.6. Si5345/44/42 Fault Monitors

3.8.1 Input LOS Detection

The loss of signal monitor measures the period of each input clock cycle to detect phase irregularities or missing clock edges. Each of the input LOS circuits has its own programmable sensitivity which allows ignoring missing edges or intermittent errors. Loss of signal sensitivity is configurable using the ClockBuilder Pro utility.

The LOS status for each of the monitors is accessible by reading a status register. The live LOS register always displays the current LOS state and a sticky register always stays asserted until cleared. An option to disable any of the LOS monitors is also available.

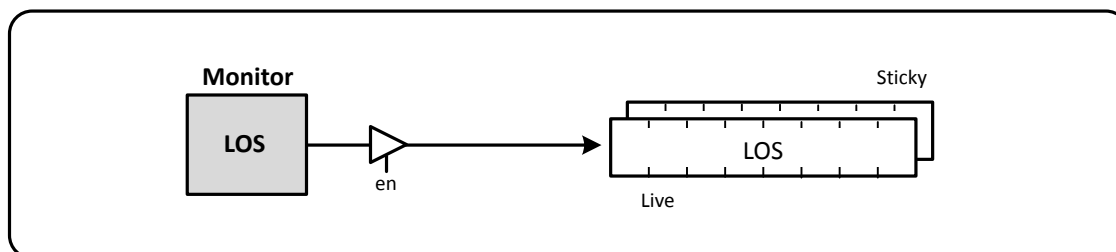


Figure 3.7. LOS Status Indicators

3.8.2 XA/XB LOS Detection

A LOS monitor is available to ensure that the external crystal or reference clock is valid. By default the output clocks are disabled when XAXB_LOS is detected. This feature can be disabled such that the device will continue to produce output clocks when XAXB_LOS is detected.

3.8.3 OOF Detection

Each input clock is monitored for frequency accuracy with respect to a OOF reference which it considers as its "0_ppm" reference. This OOF reference can be selected as either:

- XA/XB pins
- Any input clock (IN0, IN1, IN2, IN3)

The final OOF status is determined by the combination of both a precise OOF monitor and a fast OOF monitor as shown in the figure below. An option to disable either monitor is also available. The live OOF register always displays the current OOF state, and its sticky register bit stays asserted until cleared.

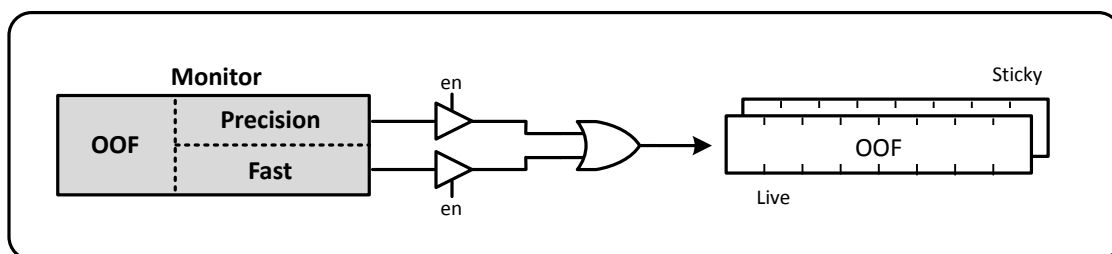


Figure 3.8. OOF Status Indicator

3.8.3.1 Precision OOF Monitor

The precision OOF monitor circuit measures the frequency of all input clocks to within $\pm 1/16$ ppm accuracy with respect to the selected OOF frequency reference. A valid input clock frequency is one that remains within the OOF frequency range which is register configurable up to ± 500 ppm in steps of $1/16$ ppm. A configurable amount of hysteresis is also available to prevent the OOF status from toggling at the failure boundary. An example is shown in the figure below. In this case, the OOF monitor is configured with a valid frequency range of ± 6 ppm and with 2 ppm of hysteresis. An option to use one of the input pins (IN0–IN3) as the 0 ppm OOF reference instead of the XA/XB pins is available. This option is register configurable.

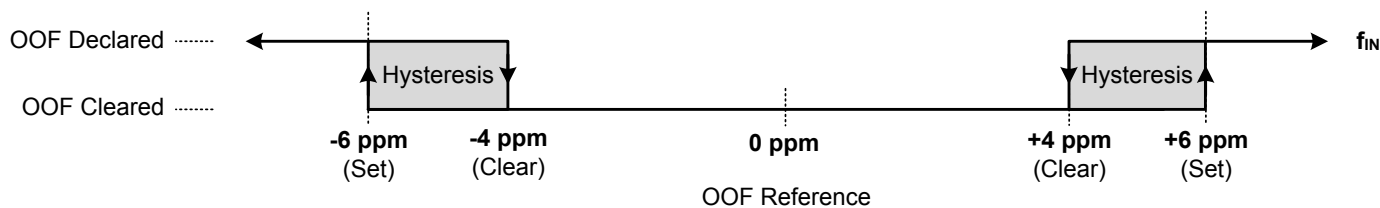


Figure 3.9. Example of Precise OOF Monitor Assertion and Deassertion Triggers

3.8.3.2 Fast OOF Monitor

Because the precision OOF monitor needs to provide $1/16$ ppm of frequency measurement accuracy, it must measure the monitored input clock frequencies over a relatively long period of time. This may be too slow to detect an input clock that is quickly ramping in frequency. An additional level of OOF monitoring called the Fast OOF monitor runs in parallel with the precision OOF monitors to quickly detect a ramping input frequency. The Fast OOF monitor asserts OOF on an input clock frequency that has changed by greater than ± 4000 ppm.

3.8.4 LOL Detection

The Loss Of Lock (LOL) monitor asserts a LOL register bit when the DSPLL has lost synchronization with its selected input clock.

There is also a dedicated loss of lock pin that reflects the loss of lock condition. The LOL monitor functions by measuring the frequency difference between the input and feedback clocks at the phase detector. There are two LOL frequency monitors, one that sets the LOL indicator (LOL Set) and another that clears the indicator (LOL Clear). An optional timer is available to delay clearing of the LOL indicator to allow additional time for the DSPLL to completely lock to the input clock. The timer is also useful to prevent the LOL indicator from toggling or chattering as the DSPLL completes lock acquisition. A block diagram of the LOL monitor is shown in the figure below. The live LOL register always displays the current LOL state and a sticky register always stays asserted until cleared. The LOL pin reflects the current state of the LOL monitor.

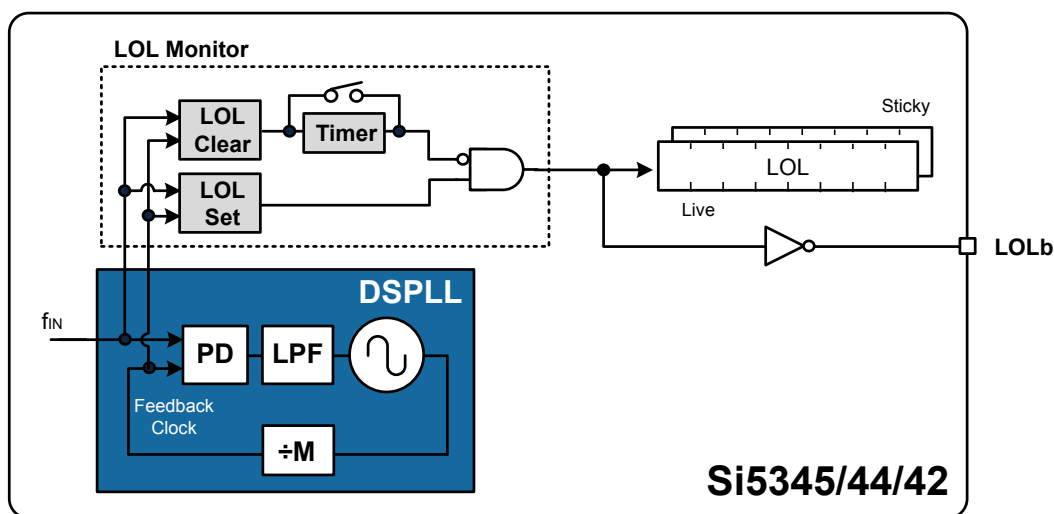


Figure 3.10. LOL Status Indicators

The LOL frequency monitors have an adjustable sensitivity which is register configurable from 0.1 ppm to 10,000 ppm. Having two separate frequency monitors allows for hysteresis to help prevent chattering of LOL status.

An example configuration where LOCK is indicated when there is less than 0.1 ppm frequency difference at the inputs of the phase detector and LOL is indicated when there's more than 1 ppm frequency difference is shown in the following figure.

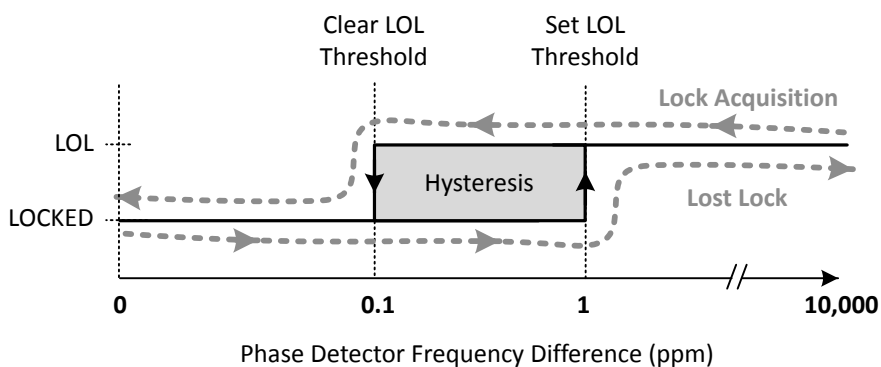


Figure 3.11. LOL Set and Clear Thresholds

Note: In this document, the terms, LVDS and LVPECL, refer to driver formats that are compatible with these signaling standards.

An optional timer is available to delay clearing of the LOL indicator to allow additional time for the DSPLL to completely lock to the input clock. The timer is also useful to prevent the LOL indicator from toggling or chattering as the DSPLL completes lock acquisition. The configurable delay value depends on frequency configuration and loop bandwidth of the DSPLL and is automatically calculated using the ClockBuilder Pro utility.

3.8.5 Interrupt Pin (INTRb)

An interrupt pin (INTRb) indicates a change in state of the status indicators (LOS, OOF, LOL, HOLD). Any of the status indicators are maskable to prevent assertion of the interrupt pin. The state of the INTRb pin is reset by clearing the status register that caused the interrupt.

3.9 Outputs

Each driver has a configurable voltage swing and common mode voltage covering a wide variety of differential signal formats. In addition to supporting differential signals, any of the outputs can be configured as single-ended LVCMOS (3.3 V, 2.5 V, or 1.8 V) providing up to 20 single-ended outputs, or any combination of differential and single-ended outputs.

3.9.1 Output Crosspoint

A crosspoint allows any of the output drivers to connect with any of the MultiSynths as shown in the figure below. The crosspoint configuration is programmable and can be stored in NVM so that the desired output configuration is ready at power up.

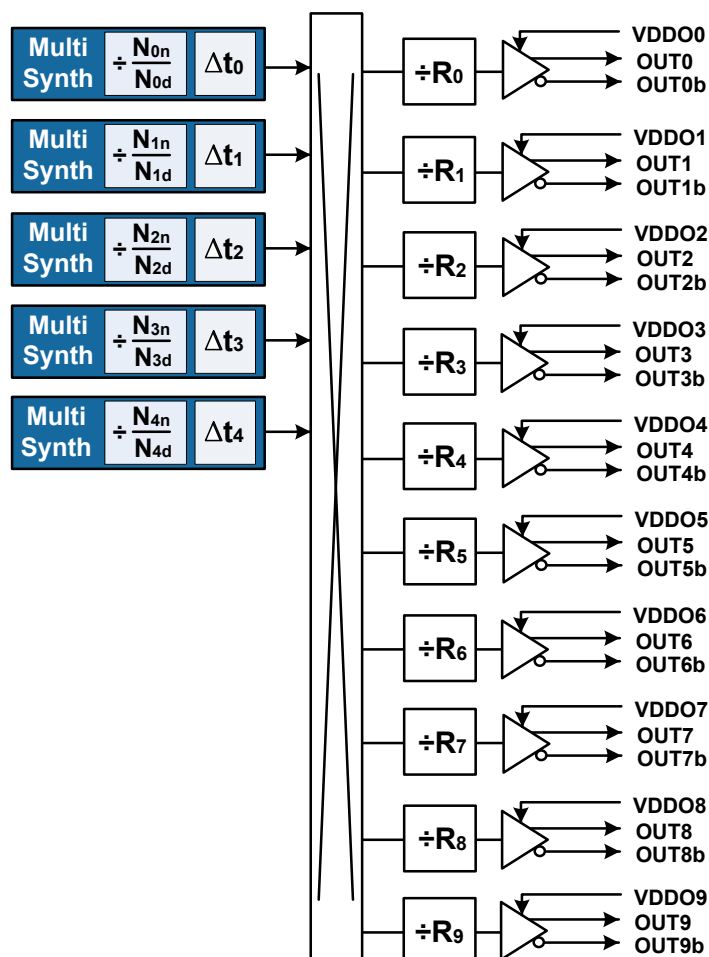


Figure 3.12. MultiSynth to Output Driver Crosspoint

3.9.2 Output Signal Format

The differential output swing and common mode voltage are both fully programmable covering a wide variety of signal formats including LVDS and LVPECL. In addition to supporting differential signals, any of the outputs can be configured as LVCMOS (3.3 V, 2.5 V, or 1.8 V) drivers providing up to 20 single-ended outputs, or any combination of differential and single-ended outputs.

3.9.3 Differential Output Terminations

The differential output drivers support both ac-coupled and dc-coupled terminations as shown in the figure below.

Note: In this document, the terms, LVDS and LVPECL, refer to driver formats that are compatible with these signaling standards.

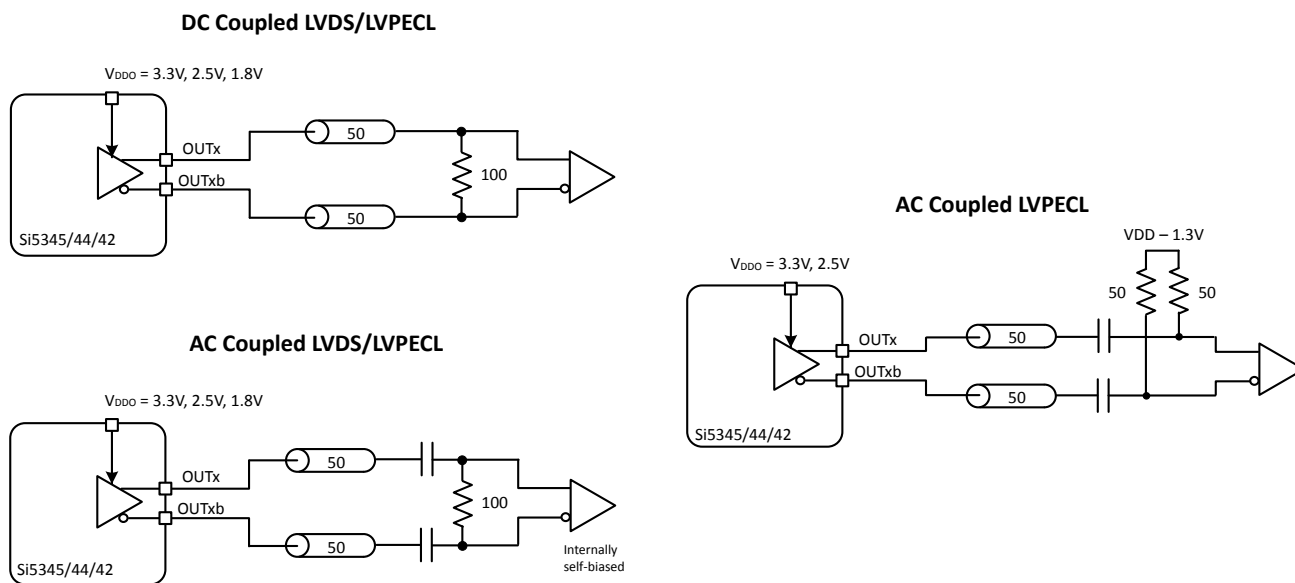


Figure 3.13. Supported Differential Output Terminations

3.9.4 LVCMOS Output Terminations

LVCMOS outputs are dc-coupled, as shown in the following figure.

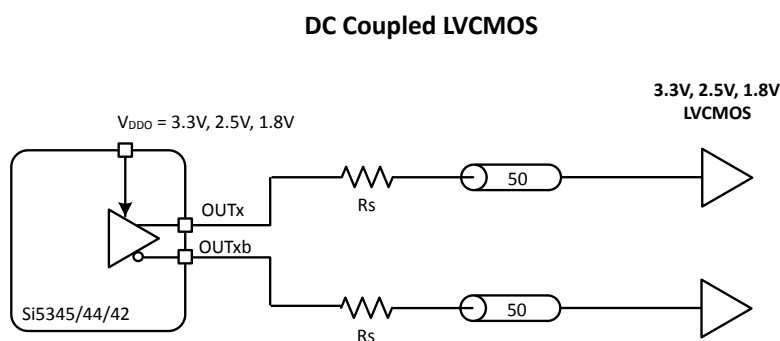


Figure 3.14. LVCMOS Output Terminations

3.9.5 Programmable Common Mode Voltage For Differential Outputs

The common mode voltage (V_{CM}) for the differential modes are programmable so that LVDS specifications can be met and for the best signal integrity with different supply voltages. When dc coupling the output driver, it is essential that the receiver have a relatively high common mode impedance so that the common mode current from the output driver is very small.

3.9.6 LVCMOS Output Impedance Selection

Each LVCMOS driver has a configurable output impedance to accommodate different trace impedances. A source termination resistor is recommended to help match the selected output impedance to the trace impedance, where R_s = Transmission line impedance – Z_O . There are three programmable output impedance selections (CMOS1, CMOS2, CMOS3) for each VDDO option as shown in the following table.

Table 3.2. Typical Output Impedance (Z_S)

VDDO	CMOS Drive Selections		
	OUTx_CMOS_DRV = 1	OUTx_CMOS_DRV = 2	OUTx_CMOS_DRV = 3
3.3 V	38 Ω	30 Ω	22 Ω
2.5 V	43 Ω	35 Ω	24 Ω
1.8 V	—	46 Ω	31 Ω

3.9.7 LVCMOS Output Signal Swing

The signal swing (V_{OL}/V_{OH}) of the LVCMOS output drivers is set by the voltage on the VDDO pins. Each output driver has its own VDDO pin allowing a unique output voltage swing for each of the LVCMOS drivers.

3.9.8 LVCMOS Output Polarity

When a driver is configured as an LVCMOS output, it generates a clock signal on both pins (OUTx and OUTxb). By default, the clock on the OUTx pin is generated with the same polarity (in phase) as the clock on the OUTxb pin. The polarity of these clocks is configurable, enabling complementary clock generation and/or inverted polarity with respect to other output drivers.

3.9.9 Output Enable/Disable

The OEb pin provides a convenient method of disabling or enabling the output drivers. When the OEb pin is held high, all outputs are disabled. When held low, the outputs are enabled. Outputs in the enabled state can be individually disabled through register control.

3.9.10 Output Driver State When Disabled

The disabled state of an output driver is configurable as disable low or disable high.

3.9.11 Synchronous Output Disable Feature

The output drivers provide a selectable synchronous disable feature. Output drivers with this feature turned on will wait until a clock period has completed before the driver is disabled. This prevents unwanted runt pulses from occurring when disabling an output. When this feature is turned off, the output clock will disable immediately without waiting for the period to complete.

3.9.12 Output Skew Control ($\Delta t_0 - \Delta t_4$)

The Si5345/44/42 uses independent MultiSynth dividers ($N_0 - N_4$) to generate up to five unique frequencies to its ten outputs through a crosspoint switch. By default, all clocks are phase-aligned. A delay path ($\Delta t_0 - \Delta t_4$) associated with each of these dividers is available for applications that need a specific output skew configuration. This is useful for PCB trace length mismatch compensation. The resolution of the phase adjustment is approximately 0.28 ps per step, definable in a range of ± 9.14 ns. Phase adjustments are register-configurable. An example of generating two frequencies with unique configurable path delays is shown in the following figure.

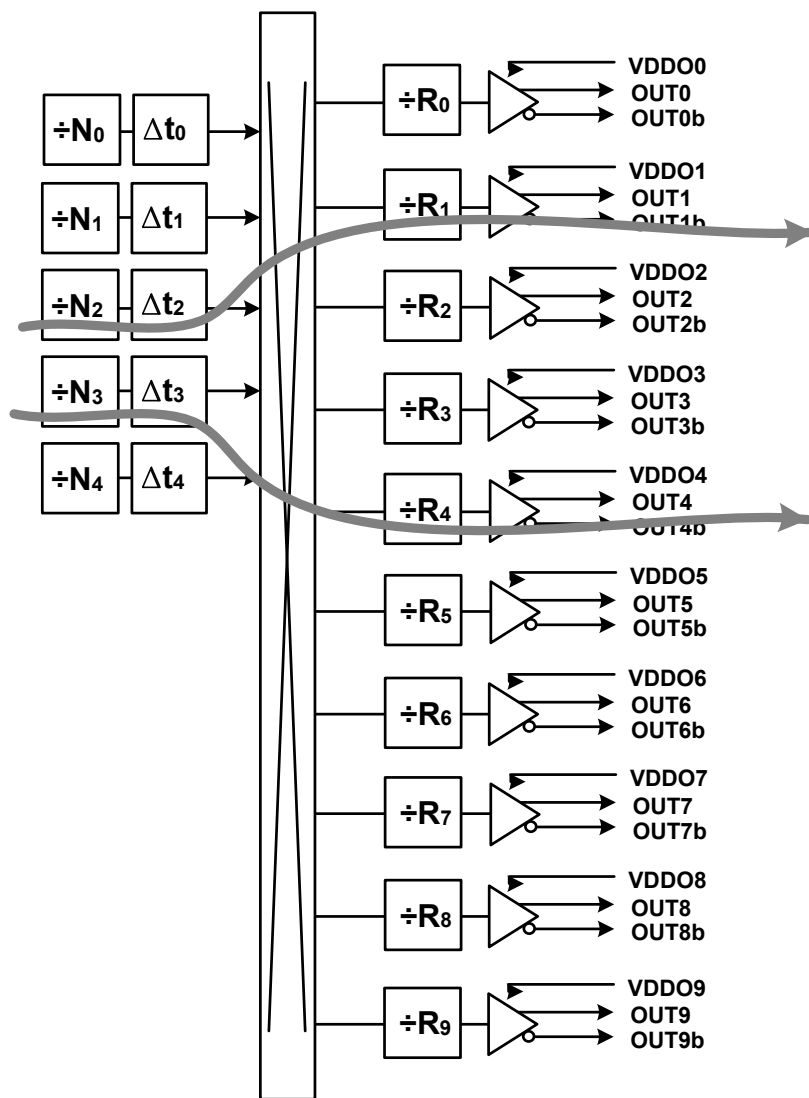


Figure 3.15. Example of Independently-Configurable Path Delays

All phase delay values are restored to their default values after power-up, hard reset, or a reset using the RSTb pin. Phase delay default values can be written to NVM, allowing a custom phase offset configuration at power-up or after power-on reset, or after a hardware reset using the RSTb pin.

3.9.13 Zero Delay Mode

A zero delay mode is available for applications that require fixed and consistent minimum delay between the selected input and outputs. The zero delay mode is configured by opening the internal feedback loop through software configuration and closing the loop externally as shown in the figure below.

This helps to cancel out the internal delay introduced by the dividers, the crosspoint, the input, and the output drivers. Any one of the outputs can be fed back to the FB_IN pins, although using the output driver that achieves the shortest trace length will help to minimize the input-to-output delay. The OUT9 and FB_IN pins are recommended for the external feedback connection. The FB_IN input pins must be terminated and ac-coupled when zero delay mode is used. A differential external feedback path connection is necessary for best performance. Note that the hitless switching feature is not available when zero delay mode is enabled.

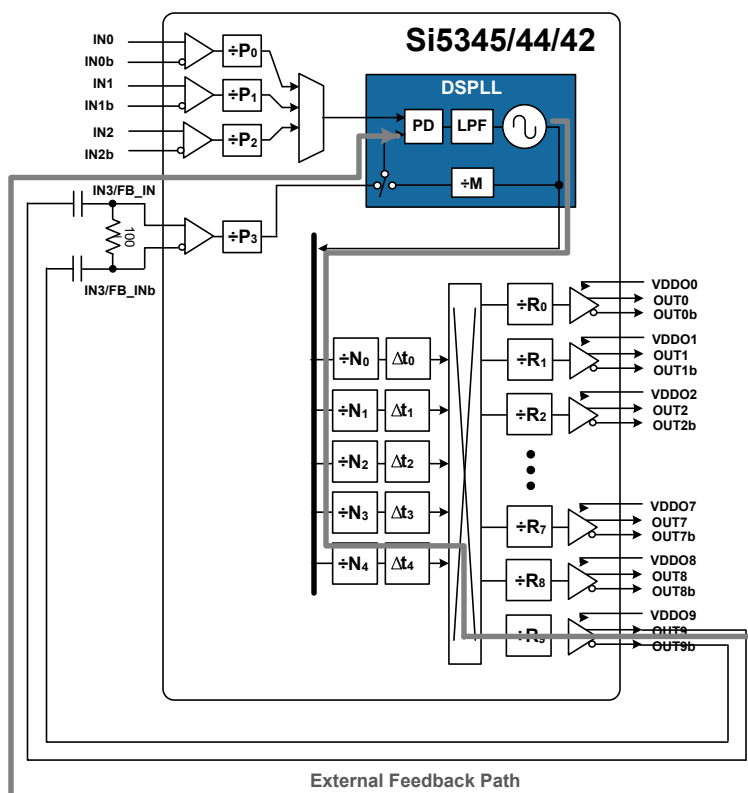


Figure 3.16. Si5345 Zero Delay Mode Setup

3.9.14 Output Divider (R) Synchronization

All the output R dividers are reset to a known state during the power-up initialization period. This ensures consistent and repeatable phase alignment across all output drivers. Resetting the device using the RSTb pin or asserting the hard reset bit will have the same result. Asserting the sync register bit provides another method of realigning the R dividers without resetting the device.

3.10 Power Management

Unused inputs and output drivers can be powered down when unused. Consult the [Family Reference Manual](#) and ClockBuilder Pro configuration utility for details.

3.11 In-Circuit Programming

The Si5345/44/42 is fully configurable using the serial interface (I²C or SPI). At power-up the device downloads its default register values from internal non-volatile memory (NVM). Application specific default configurations can be written into NVM allowing the device to generate specific clock frequencies at power-up. Writing default values to NVM is in-circuit programmable with normal operating power supply voltages applied to its V_{DD} and V_{DDA} pins. The NVM is two time writable. Once a new configuration has been written to NVM, the old configuration is no longer accessible. Refer to the [Family Reference Manual](#) for a detailed procedure for writing registers to NVM.

3.12 Serial Interface

Configuration and operation of the Si5345/44/42 is controlled by reading and writing registers using the I²C or SPI interface. The I2C_SEL pin selects I²C or SPI operation. Communication with both 3.3 V and 1.8 V host is supported. The SPI mode operates in either 4-wire or 3-wire. See the [Family Reference Manual](#) for details.

3.13 Custom Factory Preprogrammed Parts

For applications where a serial interface is not available for programming the device, custom pre-programmed parts can be ordered with a specific configuration written into NVM. A factory preprogrammed part will generate clocks at power-up. Custom, factory-preprogrammed devices are available. The ClockBuilder Pro [custom part number wizard](#) can be used to quickly and easily generate a custom part number for your configuration.

In less than three minutes, you will be able to generate a custom part number with a detailed data sheet addendum matching your design's configuration. Once you receive the confirmation email with the data sheet addendum, simply place an order with your local Silicon Labs sales representative. Samples of your preprogrammed device will typically ship in about two weeks.

3.14 Enabling Features and/or Configuration Settings Unavailable in ClockBuilder Pro for Factory Preprogrammed Devices

As with essentially all modern software utilities, ClockBuilder Pro is continually being updated and enhanced. By registering at www.silabs.com, you will be notified about changes and their impact. This update process will ultimately enable ClockBuilder Pro users to access all features and register setting values documented in this data sheet and the [Family Reference Manual](#).

However, if you must enable or access a feature or register setting value so that the device starts up with this feature or a register setting, but the feature or register setting is not yet available in CBPro, you must contact a Silicon Labs applications engineer for assistance. One example of this type of feature or custom setting is the customizable output amplitude and common voltages for the clock outputs. After careful review of your project file and requirements, the Silicon Labs applications engineer will email back your CBPro project file with your specific features and register settings enabled using what's referred to as the manual "settings override" feature of CBPro. "Override" settings to match your request(s) will be listed in your design report file. Examples of setting "overrides" in a CBPro design report are shown in the following table.

Table 3.3. Setting Overrides

Location	Name	Type	Target	Dec Value	Hex Value
0x04535[0]	FORCE_HOLD	No NVM	N/A	1	0x1
0x0B48[0:4]	OOF_DIV_CLK_DIS	User	OPN&EVB	0	0x00

Once you receive the updated design file, simply open it in CBPro. The device will begin operation after startup with the values in the NVM file. The flowchart for this process is shown in the following figure.

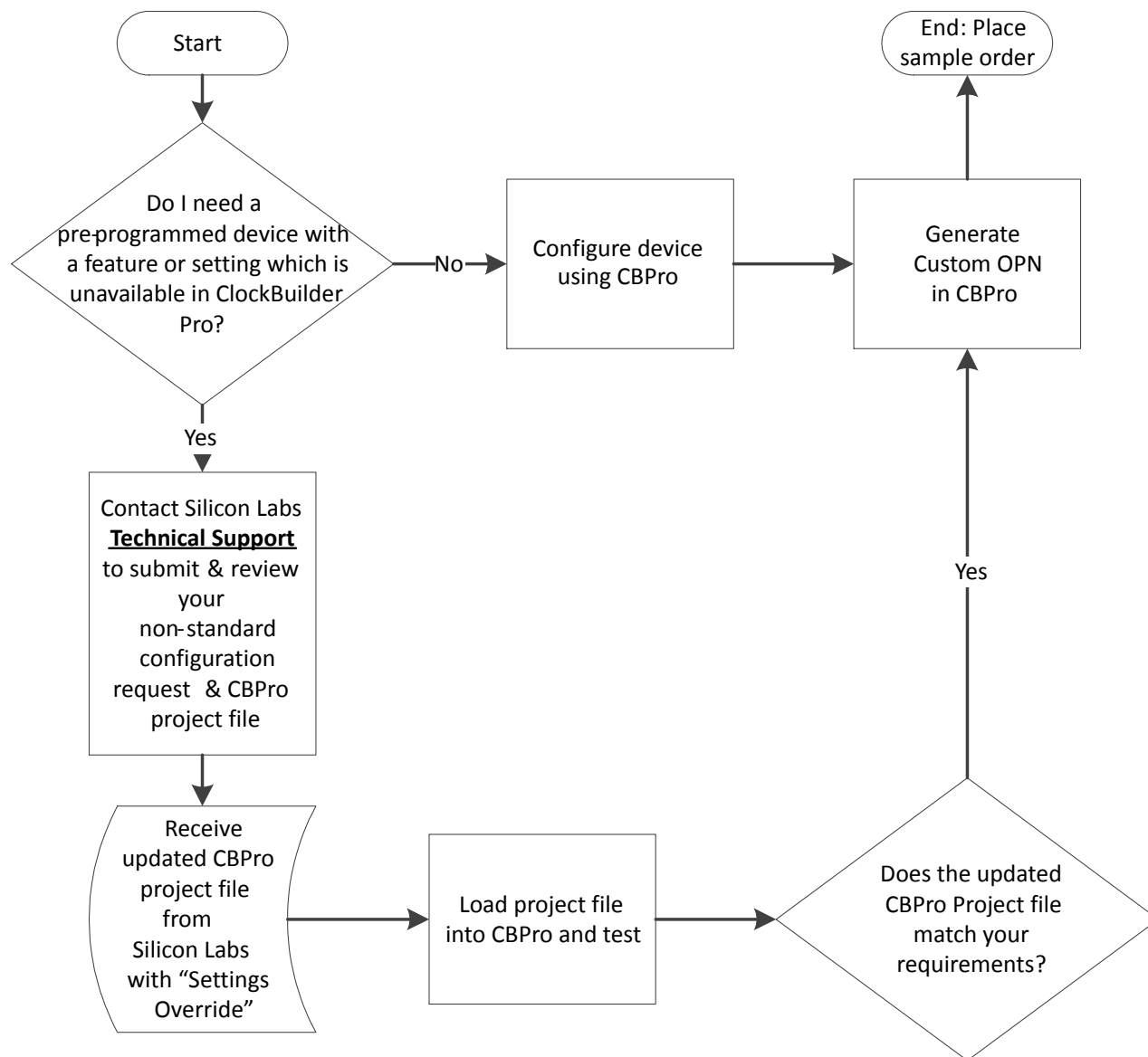


Figure 3.17. Process for Requesting Non-Standard CBPro Features

Note: Contact Silicon Labs Technical Support at www.silabs.com/support/Pages/default.aspx.

4. Register Map

The register map is divided into multiple pages where each page has 256 addressable registers. Page 0 contains frequently accessible registers, such as alarm status, resets, device identification, etc. Other pages contain registers that need less frequent access such as frequency configuration, and general device settings. A high level map of the registers is shown in "6.2. High-Level Register Map". Refer to the [Family Reference Manual](#) for a complete list of register descriptions and settings. Silicon Labs strongly recommends using [ClockBuilder Pro](#) to create and manage register settings.

4.1 Addressing Scheme

The device registers are accessible using a 16-bit address that consists of an 8-bit page address plus an 8-bit register address. By default, the page address is set to 0x00. Changing to another page is accomplished by writing to the "Set Page Address" byte located at address 0x01 of each page.

4.2 High-Level Register Map

Table 4.1. High-Level Register Map

16-Bit Address		Content
8-bit Page Address	8-bit Register Address Range	
00	00	Revision IDs
	01	Set Page Address
	02–0A	Device IDs
	0B–15	Alarm Status
	17–1B	INTR Masks
	1C	Reset controls
	1D	FINC, FDEC Control Bits
	2B	SPI (3-Wire vs 4-Wire)
	2C–E1	Alarm Configuration
	E2–E4	NVM Controls
	FE	Device Ready Status
01	01	Set Page Address
	08–3A	Output Driver Controls
	41–42	Output Driver Disable Masks
	FE	Device Ready Status
02	01	Set Page Address
	02–05	XTAL Frequency Adjust
	08–2F	Input Divider (P) Settings
	30	Input Divider (P) Update Bits
	47–6A	Output Divider (R) Settings
	6B–72	User Scratch Pad Memory
	FE	Device Ready Status

16-Bit Address		Content
8-bit Page Address	8-bit Register Address Range	
03	01	Set Page Address
	02–37	MultiSynth Divider (N0–N4) Settings
	0C	MultiSynth Divider (N0) Update Bit
	17	MultiSynth Divider (N1) Update Bit
	22	MultiSynth Divider (N2) Update Bit
	2D	MultiSynth Divider (N3) Update Bit
	38	MultiSynth Divider (N4) Update Bit
	39–58	FINC/FDEC Settings N0–N4
	59–62	Output Delay (Δt) Settings
	FE	Device Ready Status
04	87	Zero Delay Mode Set Up
05	0E–14	Fast Lock Loop Bandwidth
	15–1F	Feedback Divider (M) Settings
	2A	Input Select Control
	2B	Fast Lock Control
	2C–35	Holdover Settings
	36	Input Clock Switching Mode Select
	38–39	Input Priority Settings
	3F	Holdover History Valid Data
06–08	00–FF	Reserved
09	01	Set Page Address
	1C	Zero Delay Mode Settings
	43	Control I/O Voltage Select
	49	Input Settings
10–FF	00–FF	Reserved

5. Electrical Specifications

Table 5.1. Recommended Operating Conditions¹

$V_{DD} = 1.8\text{ V} \pm 5\%$, $V_{DDA} = 3.3\text{ V} \pm 5\%$, $T_A = -40\text{ to }85\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$

Parameter	Symbol	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
Ambient Temperature	T_A	-40	25	85	$^\circ\text{C}$
Junction Temperature	T_{JMAX}	—	—	125	$^\circ\text{C}$
Core Supply Voltage	V_{DD}	1.71	1.80	1.89	V
	V_{DDA}	3.14	3.30	3.47	V
Clock Output Driver Supply Voltage	V_{DDO}	3.14	3.30	3.47	V
		2.37	2.50	2.62	V
		1.71	1.80	1.89	V
Status Pin Supply Voltage	V_{DDS}	3.14	3.30	3.47	V
		1.71	1.80	1.89	V

Note:

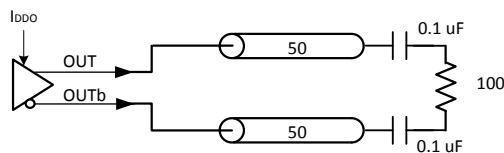
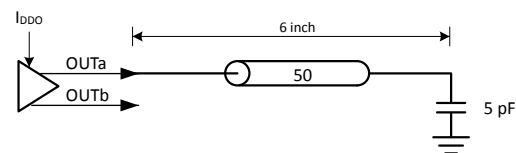
1. All minimum and maximum specifications are guaranteed and apply across the recommended operating conditions. Typical values apply at nominal supply voltages and an operating temperature of $25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ unless otherwise noted.

Table 5.2. DC Characteristics
 $V_{DD} = 1.8\text{ V} \pm 5\%$, $V_{DDA} = 3.3\text{ V} \pm 5\%$, $V_{DDO} = 1.8\text{ V} \pm 5\%$, $2.5\text{ V} \pm 5\%$, or $3.3\text{ V} \pm 5\%$, $T_A = -40\text{ to }85\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$

Parameter	Symbol	Test Condition	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
Core Supply Current ^{1, 2, 3}	I_{DD}		—	135	260	mA
	I_{DDA}		—	120	130	mA
Output Buffer Supply Current	I_{DDOx}	LVPECL Output ⁴ @ 156.25 MHz	—	22	26	mA
		LVDS Output ⁴ @ 156.25 MHz	—	15	18	mA
		3.3 V LVCMOS Output ⁵ @ 156.25 MHz	—	22	30	mA
		2.5 V LVCMOS Output ⁵ @ 156.25 MHz	—	18	23	mA
		1.8 V LVCMOS Output ⁵ @ 156.25 MHz	—	12	16	mA
Total Power Dissipation ⁶	P_d	Si5345 ¹	—	900	1200	mW
		Si5344 ²	—	730	1000	mW
		Si5342 ³	—	670	950	mW

Notes:

- Si5345 test configuration: 7 x 2.5 V LVDS outputs enabled at 156.25 MHz. Excludes power in termination resistors.
- Si5344 test configuration: 4 x 2.5 V LVDS outputs enabled at 156.25 MHz. Excludes power in termination resistors.
- Si5342 test configuration: 2 x 2.5 V LVDS outputs enabled at 156.25 MHz. Excludes power in termination resistors.
- Differential outputs terminated into an AC-coupled 100 Ω load.
- LVCMOS outputs measured into a 6 inch 50 Ω PCB trace with 5 pF load. Measurements were made in CMOS3 mode.

Differential Output Test Configuration**LVCMOS Output Test Configuration**

- Detailed power consumption for any configuration can be estimated using [ClockBuilder Pro](#) when an evaluation board (EVB) is not available. All EVBs support detailed current measurements for any configuration.