Specialty Memory Products

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Multi-port Memories

IDT is the world leader in specialty memory with a dominant market position, a long history of innovation, and best-in-class support for FIFO and multi-port products. With hundreds of products and thousands of customers, IDT continues to provide the highest quality, fastest, and most diverse line of specialty memory in the industry.

The IDT multi-port memories portfolio includes more than 120 types of asynchronous and synchronous dual-ports, four-ports and and bank-switchable dual-ports. These multi-port memory devices are ideal for switches, routers, hubs, industrial equipment, fibre channel line cards and RAID controllers.

Our family of dual-port memories are the industry standard, with innovative features and speeds that provide superior value and performance to system level designs. IDT strives to reduce the cost of high performance shared SRAM based dual-port memory solutions. We are and will continue to be the leading provider of Dual-Port synchronous and asynchronous memories in the semiconductor industry.

MULTI-PORT MEMORY BENEFITS

- Increases bandwidth (~2x SRAM)
- Reduces design complexity by solving inter-chip connection issues
- Solves bus matching issues from x8, x9, x16, x18, x36 up to x72 bit bus widths
- Allows mismatched voltage parts to be used together. 1.8, 2.5, 3.3 and 5V I/O’s can be adapted
- Buffers bus speed mismatch from DC to 200 MHz
- Densities range from 8 Kb up to 36 Mb allowing a wide range of applications
- Improves time-to-market by using proven off-the-shelf devices
MULTI-PORT PRODUCT FAMILY

Asynchronous Dual-Port RAMs
An asynchronous dual-port is a memory with non-clocked inputs and outputs for data, address, and control functions.

Bank-Switchable Dual-Port RAMs
IDT synchronous bank-switchable dual-ported RAMS offer increased density, while retaining many of the features of true dual-ports including access to the shared array, separate clocks per port, 200 MHz operating speed, full-boundary counters, and pinouts compatible to the dual-port family.

FourPort RAMs
IDT four-port RAMs are cost-effective low-power multiports that provide maximum functionality while taking up minimum board space to address the needs of high-end multimedia handset applications.

Synchronous Dual-Port RAMs
IDT synchronous dual-port RAM memory cells allow access to simultaneous access of address from both ports.

Asynchronous Low-Power Dual-Port RAMs
IDT low-power dual-ports simplify the design process for hand held devices. IDT LPDPs provide exceptionally low power consumption and the ability to buffer voltage, speed, and bus width mismatch between processors.

TYPICAL MULTI-PORT APPLICATION BLOCK DIAGRAMS

Storage Area Network

Data Acquisition

MULTI-PORT END APPLICATIONS INCLUDE

Flight control | Video conference system | Sonar | Gas sensor
Semiconductor equipment | Aircraft mission recorder
PC for railway system | Industrial robot | Motor drive controller
FIFO PRODUCT FAMILY

Asynchronous FIFOs
IDT asynchronous FIFOs are a form of memory with separate strobes for reading and writing. When used to buffer data transmissions, they permit processing of data to proceed before the transmission has completed. They do this by preventing data overflow and underflow using logic to allow for unlimited expansion capability in both word size and depth.

Bi-Directional FIFOs
IDT bi-directional FIFOs can transfer data in two directions, enabling optimized inter-processor and inter-DSP communication. To achieve the bi-directional transfer capability, especially useful in communication network equipment. The highly integrated devices provide two side-by-side FIFO memory arrays. They accelerate cycle times, reduce board space and allow more efficient bus utilization.

Queuing FIFOs
The IDT FIFO Multi-Queue device is a fully programmable device, providing the user with flexibility in how queues are configured.

Synchronous FIFOs
IDT synchronous FIFOs are particularly appropriate for network, video, tele-communications, data communications and other applications that need to buffer large amounts of data.

FIFO PRODUCTS
IDT is the FIFO market leader with more than 170 synchronous, asynchronous and bi-directional products to help designers solve interchip communications problems, such as rate matching, buffering and bus matching.

TYPICAL FIFO APPLICATION BLOCK DIAGRAMS

Test Equipment Application

Data Buffering: High Bandwidth LineCards

FIFO END APPLICATIONS INCLUDE
Medical recorder | Repeater | Ultrasound | Densitometer | Surgical instrument
ATM | Electroencephalograph | Cell phone tester | Commercial avionics | Printer
Specialty Memory Products

**SRAM BENEFITS**

- A wide range of products from 16-Kbit to 18-Mbit densities
- Synchronous and asynchronous architectures
- IDT invented ZBT technology, the communications SRAM standard

**SRAM**

**ASYNCHRONOUS SRAMS | SYNCHRONOUS BURST SRAMS | ZERO BUS TURNAROUND (ZBT) SRAMS**

In addition to our FIFOs and Multi-ports, IDT offers a line of high-speed, industry-standard SRAMs that are used in communications, industrial and military markets. IDT has been in the SRAM business for more than 35 years with a track record of consistent, innovative, high-quality products.

**SPECIALTY MEMORY END APPLICATIONS**

Industrial controls | Medical applications | Elevator controls
Brewery controls | Robotic welding

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