



# **FORCE GATE ARRAY FGA-002**

## **User's Manual**

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## **CAUTION**

The FGA-002 gate array contains registers, which are used to configure the gate array for special external hardware requirements.

These registers are reserved and will be setup by the boot software according to the hardware environment in which the gate array is implemented.

**These registers must not be changed by the user.**

Some of these hardware configuration registers also contain user selectable bits.

Programming the contents of these registers has to be done carefully without changing the bits initialized by the boot software.

Registers not described must not be programmed.

Unqualified changes of register bits may have unpredictable consequences for the gate array and external hardware.

**It is expressly forbidden to change register bits, except those defined for the user.**

User selectable registers and register bits are given in the Register Format Short Description in section 7 of this manual. They are designated with capital letters in the register format scheme.

## **NOTE**

Throughout the description, the terms active and inactive, asserted and negated or set and cleared are used to designate a signal or a register bit as true or false, independent of whether the signal is active in the logic "1" state or the logic "0" state.

The default contents given for the register is the value after the gate array has been reset and not the value which is programmed by the boot software.

If no reference is made concerning the gate array support for dual ported memory structure / shared memory structure, the described gate array functions are common to both structures.

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### INTRODUCTION

The FGA-002 gate array is a high speed CMOS device manufactured in 1.2 micron technology and containing 24,000 gates in a 281 pin PGA package.

It provides interfaces to the 68020/30 microprocessor as well as a VMEbus compatible interface.

The auxiliary interface of the gate array is a high speed data channel used by the internal 32 bit DMA controller. The interface allows data transfer rates of up to 6 MByte/second.

The timing of the local I/O interface is programmable and provides easy interfacing of local I/O devices.

All control, address and data lines of the CPU and the VMEbus are either directly connected or connected via buffers to the gate array allowing easy implementation and usage.

The gate array registers are programmed by the local CPU.

#### **FEATURES :**

- Programmable decoding for CPU and VME access to the local main memory
- Interrupt management for internal and external interrupt sources
- 32 bit multi-port DMA Controller
- FORCE Message Broadcast slave interface with 2 message channels
- 8 interrupt capable MAILBOXES
- 8 bit TIMER with 16 selectable internal source clocks

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### 1. The CPU Interface

#### 1.1 Connected signals

The FGA-002 is directly connected to signal lines of the 68020/30 microprocessor. The following signals are connected:

|   | PROCESSOR<br>Signals                  | FGA-002<br>Signals                       |
|---|---------------------------------------|--|
| 32 address signals  | A31..A00                              | ACPU31..0                                |
| 32 data signals   | D31..D00                              | DCPU31..0                                |
| Function code signals                                       | FC2..FC0                              | FC2..FC0                                 |
| Transfer size   | SIZ0, SIZ1                            | SIZE 0,1                                 |
| Asynchronous bus control                                    | AS,ECS,<br>R/W,RMC,<br>DSACK0,DSACK1  | ASCPU,ECS,<br>RWCPU,RMC<br>DSACK0,DSACK1 |
| Synchronous bus control signal                              | STERM,CIIN,CIOUT                      | STERM,INHIN,INHOUT                       |
| Bus arbitration control signals                             | BR,BG,<br>BGACK                       | BRCPU,BGCPU,<br>BGACK                    |
| Interrupt control signals,<br>Bus exception control signals | IPL2..IPL0<br>RESET,<br>HALT,<br>BERR | IPL2..IPL0<br>RESCPU<br>HALT<br>BERRC    |
| Processor clock   | CLK                                   | CKCPU                                    |

#### 1.2 Decoding signals

The FGA-002 gate array decodes local address areas, secondary bus areas and several areas for a VMEbus access. The following decoding outputs are supplied:

|                                     |        |
|-------------------------------------|--------|
| Local MAIN memory decoding signal   | CSDPR  |
| System eprom decoding signal        | CSPROM |
| Local I/O area decoding signal      | CSLIO  |
| Secondary or VSBbus decoding signal | CSVSB  |
| Co-processor decoding               | CSCOPR |

The local main memory map is software programmable. The memory capacity is selectable from 64 Kbyte to 256 MByte. The areas which decode accesses to the VMEbus are specially designed to serve the needs of multi-processor applications.

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### 2. The VMEbus Interface

The FGA-002 gate array is connected to the VMEbus via the receiver/transmitter circuits. The control signals for the transceiver circuitry is also provided by the gate array. Control of bus mastership/addressing in slave mode as well as a single level bus arbiter and the bus mastership request/release logic are also included in the FGA002.

The following VMEbus signals are applied to the gate array:

|                          | VMEbus signals                                  | FGA-002 signals  |
|--------------------------|---|--|
| Addressing signals       | A31..A01<br>LWORD                               | AVME31..01<br>LWDVME                                       |
| Address Modifier signals | AM5..AM0  | AM5..0   |
| Data signals             | D31..D00  | DVME31..00   |
| Asynchronous bus control | AS*,DS1*,DS0*<br>WRITE*,DTACK*<br>DTACK*, BERR* | ASVME,DS1,DS0<br>RWVME<br>DTACK,BERRV                      |
| Bus arbitration signals  | BRx*<br>BGxIN*<br>BGxOUT*<br>BBSY*<br>BCLR*     | BRVME0, BRVMEI<br>BGVMEI<br>BGVME0<br>BBSYO,BBSYI<br>BCLRI |
| Interrupt signals        | IRQ 7..1  | VIRQ 7..1  |
| Utility signals          | SYSRESET*<br>ACFAIL*<br>SYSFAIL*                | RESVO, RESVI<br>ACFAIL<br>SFAILO, SFAILI                   |

There is a decoding range defined for accesses from the VMEbus to the local main memory. The FGA-002 gate array decodes all address and address modifier signals. The address range for the main memory is software programmable with the lowest boundary at 4 KByte. Several Address Modifier Codes are selectable for a valid memory decoding. It is selectable if the decoding is valid for Read only or Read and Write cycles. This allows on-board memory to be protected from being overwritten by VMEbus accesses.

The gate array includes slot 1 functions such as the Single Level Arbiter and the SYSRESET generator. Several release options for the VMEbus are provided. Timing and enable of the bus release options are software selectable.

The following bus release functions can be selected:

|                      |           |
|----------------------|-----------|
| Release on request   | (ROR)     |
| Release on Bus Clear | (RBCLR)   |
| Release voluntary    | (RV)      |
| Release on ACFAIL    | (RACFAIL) |

### 3. The Interrupt Management

The FGA002 includes several internal interrupt sources which are fully under software control.

Additionally, 11 interrupt inputs are provided for utility interrupts and those from local I/O devices. The 7 interrupts from the VMEbus may also be connected.

The interrupt of each source can be mapped to any level for service request from the local CPU.

Except for the VMEbus interrupts, the gate array supplies an individual interrupt vector for each interrupt source.

Four local interrupt request channels support fetching the interrupt vector from the interrupting device through the local I/O interface.

### 4. The DMA Controller

The 32 bit high speed DMA controller operates to the local cpu bus, the VMEbus and to the auxiliary bus.

The DMA controller uses an internal 32 byte deep FIFO to minimize the number of transfer cycles. If the source and destination addresses are aligned, the data is transferred in bursts of 32 bytes.

The DMA controller uses the local bus or the VMEbus continuously only for the time of a transfer burst. This guarantees realtime capability of the system since neither the VME master nor the local cpu is blocked in its operation.

The DMA controller executes 68020/30 compatible cycles on the local side and uses the VME interface for VMEbus compatible transfer cycles.

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### 5. FORCE MESSAGE BROADCAST -FMB-

The FORCE Message Broadcast Concept is realized inside the FGA-002 gate array.

The FMB concept allows up to 20 CPU boards on the VMEbus to be synchronized using interrupts. The interrupt is performed by simultaneously sending each board a message byte. Any VME master with 32 bit addressing capability can accomplish an FMB broadcast cycle.

The implementation of the FMB concept in the FGA-002 is realized with two individual message channels, each able to perform two interrupt requests.

While the 8 byte FIFO of channel 0 allows several messages to be sent in succession, channel 1 with its one byte FIFO can be used for prioritized messages.

In the current version of the FGA-002 gate array, 8 bit wide messages can be received.

### 6. THE MAILBOXES

The FGA-002 includes 8 mailboxes. The dual ported mailboxes are accessible by the local processor as well as by VME masters.

The mailboxes provide a means to synchronize multiple cpu boards by sending them an interrupt.

The mailboxes also can be used as semaphores for the allocation of system resources used by several masters in common.

### 7. The Timer

There is an 8 bit timer included in the FGA-002 gate array. The timer can be used as a periodical timer or as a watchdog timer, generating a sysfail signal to the VMEbus.

The timer generates an interrupt request with a software programmable level.

The clock source for the timer is software selectable from one of 16 internally generated clocks.

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### 1 CPU INTERFACE

#### 1.1 FEATURES

- programmable main memory decoding
- programmable main memory size
- programmable DSACK/STERM timing for main memory access
- programmable DSACK timing for user eprom access
- Supervisor/User mode select for gate array register access
- programmable DSACK timing for gate array register access
- LOCAL I/O decoding pages with selectable timing parameters

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### 1.2 ADDRESS DECODING STRUCTURE

The Gate Array decoding logic involves a 4 GByte address space to control the access to the local MAIN MEMORY, the VMEbus, the VSB bus, the secondary bus and the Local I/O Area.

The decoding logic contains hard wired decoding logic and software programmable decoding logic.

Software programmable decoding is realized for the local MAIN MEMORY. The size and the base address can be selected.

For the remaining areas hard wired decoding is included.

The address range \$0000 0000 - \$FAFF FFFF is shared by the local MAIN MEMORY, the Extended VMEbus address range and the VSB bus selection.

The address range \$FB00 0000 ...\$FFFF FFFF contains five 16MByte pages, four pages for additional VMEbus and secondary bus decoding and one page for the SYSTEM EPROM and the LOCAL I/O Area.

The LOCAL I/O decoding area is provided to select devices which are connected to the Gate Array's Local I/O bus such as the BOOT SRAM, the BOOT EPROM and diverse I/O devices.

The following table shows the 32bit decoding map for the 4GByte address space of the CPU.

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**Table 1-1: The 32bit Address Decoding Map**

|                  |                               |                            |
|------------------|-------------------------------|----------------------------|
| <b>0000 0000</b> |                               |                            |
| : : : : : : : :  | MAIN MEMORY                   | A32 : D32                  |
| : : : : : : : :  | VSB Bus                       | A32 : D32<br>: D16<br>: D8 |
| : : : : : : : :  | VMEbus Extended Address Range | A32 : D32<br>: D16         |
| <b>FAFF FFFF</b> |                               |                            |

|   |   |           |
|---|---|-----------|
| <b>FBXX XXXX</b>                          |   |           |
| FB00 0000<br>: : : : : : : :<br>FBFE FFFF | <b>VMEbus Standard</b> Address Range<br>with <b>32</b> bit data bus | A24 : D32 |
| FBFF XXXX                                 | <b>VMEbus Short</b> Address Range<br>with <b>32</b> bit data bus    | A16 : D32 |

|   |   |           |
|---|---|-----------|
| <b>FCXX XXXX</b>                          |   |           |
| FC00 0000<br>: : : : : : : :<br>FCFE FFFF | <b>VMEbus Standard</b> Address Range<br>with <b>16</b> bit data bus | A24 : D16 |
| FCFF XXXX                                 | <b>VMEbus Short</b> Address Range<br>with <b>16</b> bit data bus    | A16 : D16 |

|   |   |           |
|---|---|-----------|
| <b>FDXX XXXX</b>                          |   |           |
| FD00 0000<br>: : : : : : : :<br>FDFF FFFF | <b>SECONDARY bus</b> Address Range<br>with <b>32</b> bit data bus | A24 : D32 |

|   |   |           |
|---|---|-----------|
| <b>FEXX XXXX</b>                          |   |           |
| FE00 0000<br>: : : : : : : :<br>FEFF FFFF | <b>SECONDARY bus</b> Address Range<br>with <b>16</b> bit data bus | A24 : D16 |

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**Table 1-1 : cont'd**

| FFXX XXXX                           |                                  |           |
|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------|-----------|
| FF00 0000<br>:::: ::::<br>FF7F FFFF | <b>SYSTEM EPROM Area</b>         | A23 : D32 |
|                                     | <b>LOCAL I/O Area</b>            | A23 : D08 |
| FF80 0000<br>:::: ::::              | FF8X XXXX : LOCAL I/O Page A     | A20 : D08 |
|                                     | FF9X XXXX : LOCAL I/O Page B     | A20 : D08 |
|                                     | FFAX XXXX : LOCAL I/O Page C     | A20 : D08 |
|                                     | FFBX XXXX : LOCAL I/O Page D     | A20 : D08 |
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| :::: ::::                           | FFEX XXXX : BOOT EPROM           | A20 : D08 |
| FFFF FFFF                           | FFFX XXXX : LOCAL I/O Page E     | A20 : D08 |

### 1.3 MAIN MEMORY

#### 1.3.1 The MAIN MEMORY Decoding Registers

The local MAIN MEMORY decoding is realized as software programmable decoding logic. The decoding logic includes registers for the selection of the memory size and the local base address. The registers can be programmed by the local cpu.

A set of two registers has to be programmed for the memory size as well as for the base address selection.

The local sided MAIN MEMORY decoding can be enabled/disabled by a single bit in the register CTL11.

During the initialization of the MAIN MEMORY decoding registers, the decoding should be disabled by this bit.

To terminate access cycles to the MAIN MEMORY, the STERM signal or the DSACKx termination signal can be selected. Both termination modes indicate to the processor a long word port size. The timing of these signals is controlled by the CTL11 and the CTL16 registers.

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The first of the following tables gives an overview of the registers and the corresponding bits, which are used to select the local sided decoding area and the cycle termination mode for MAIN MEMORY accesses.  
The second table shows the address assignment for these registers.

**Table 1-2: MAIN MEMORY control overview**

|        | REGISTER      |               |                |                |               |
|--------|---------------|---------------|----------------|----------------|---------------|
|        | CTL11<br>Bits | CTL10<br>Bits | MAINUU<br>Bits | MAINUM<br>Bits | CTL16<br>Bits |
| SIZE   | 3210          | 76543210      |                |                |               |
| BASE   |               |               | 76543210       | 76543210       |               |
| ENABLE | 7             |               |                |                |               |
| DSACK  | 654           |               |                |                |               |
| STERM  |               |               |                |                | 210           |

**Table 1-3: Address assignment of the local MAIN MEMORY control registers**

| Register             | Mnemonic | Address    | R/W | Default |
|----------------------|----------|------------|-----|---------|
| Control Register 10  | CTL10    | \$FFD002C0 | R/W | \$00    |
| Control Register 11  | CTL11    | \$FFD002C4 | R/W | \$00    |
| Base Address Reg. UM | MAINUM   | \$FFD002C8 | R/W | \$00    |
| Base Address Reg. UU | MAINUU   | \$FFD002CC | R/W | \$00    |
| Control Register 16  | CTL16    | \$FFD0035C | R/W | \$00    |

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### 1.3.2 The MAIN MEMORY ENABLE Bit

Bit 7 of the CTL11 register selects if the local sided MAIN MEMORY decoding is enabled or disabled.

After reset, the register is cleared to 0 which disables the decoding.

During the initialization of the MEMORY SIZE and the MEMORY BASE address, the bit should be cleared to disable the decoding logic.

#### 1.3.2.1 Register CTL11

| 7               | 6          | 5 | 4 | 3   | 2   | 1   | 0   |
|-----------------|------------|---|---|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| <b>MAIN ENA</b> | MAIN DSACK |   |   | S27 | S26 | S25 | S24 |

|   |
|---|
| 7 |
|---|

**MAIN ENA -**

This bit is used to enable/disable the local sided MAIN MEMORY decoding area.

1  
0

enabled  
disabled

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### 1.3.3 The MAIN MEMORY SIZE

The SIZE of the local MAIN MEMORY is programmed in the CTL10 and CTL11 registers. The bits S27..S16 select the SIZE in ranges of 64 KByte up to 256 MByte.

#### 1.3.3.1 Register CTL11

|             |            |   |   |     |     |     |     |
|-------------|------------|---|---|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| 7           | 6          | 5 | 4 | 3   | 2   | 1   | 0   |
| MAIN<br>ENA | MAIN DSACK |   |   | S27 | S26 | S25 | S24 |

#### 1.3.3.2 Register CTL10

|     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| 7   | 6   | 5   | 4   | 3   | 2   | 1   | 0   |
| S23 | S22 | S21 | S20 | S19 | S18 | S17 | S16 |

The following table summarizes the selectable memory sizes. Other combinations are not allowed!

**Table 1-4: MAIN MEMORY SIZE**

|             | CTL11 |     |     |     | CTL10 |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
|-------------|-------|-----|-----|-----|-------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
|             | S27   | S26 | S25 | S24 | S23   | S22 | S21 | S20 | S19 | S18 | S17 | S16 |
| MEMORY SIZE |       |     |     |     |       |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| 256 MByte   | 0     | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0     | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0   |
| 128 MByte   | 1     | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0     | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0   |
| 64 MByte    | 1     | 1   | 0   | 0   | 0     | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0   |
| 32 MByte    | 1     | 1   | 1   | 0   | 0     | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0   |
| 16 MByte    | 1     | 1   | 1   | 1   | 0     | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0   |
| 8 MByte     | 1     | 1   | 1   | 1   | 1     | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0   |
| 4 MByte     | 1     | 1   | 1   | 1   | 1     | 1   | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0   |
| 2 MByte     | 1     | 1   | 1   | 1   | 1     | 1   | 1   | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0   |
| 1 MByte     | 1     | 1   | 1   | 1   | 1     | 1   | 1   | 1   | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0   |
| 512 KByte   | 1     | 1   | 1   | 1   | 1     | 1   | 1   | 1   | 1   | 0   | 0   | 0   |
| 256 KByte   | 1     | 1   | 1   | 1   | 1     | 1   | 1   | 1   | 1   | 1   | 0   | 0   |
| 128 KByte   | 1     | 1   | 1   | 1   | 1     | 1   | 1   | 1   | 1   | 1   | 1   | 0   |
| 64 KByte    | 1     | 1   | 1   | 1   | 1     | 1   | 1   | 1   | 1   | 1   | 1   | 1   |

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### 1.3.4 The MAIN MEMORY BASE ADDRESS

The base address for the local main memory has to be defined within the address range \$0000 0000 ... \$FAFF FFFF.

A set of two registers is provided for the base address selection:

MAINUU register  
MAINUM register

The following terms are used to designate the address bytes of a 32 bit address value.

| Address bits | Address byte      |
|--------------|-------------------|
| A31..A24     | Upper-Upper Byte  |
| A23..A16     | Upper-Middle Byte |
| A15..A08     | Lower-Middle Byte |
| A07..A00     | Lower-Lower Byte  |

The local base address of the main memory can be selected by assigning the value of the upper-upper address byte (A31..A24) to the MAINUU register and the upper-middle byte (A23..A16) to the MAINUM register.

The base address decoding is performed by a comparison of the CPU address lines A31..A16 with the register bits B31..B16 of the BASEUU and the BASEUM register. The main memory is addressed when the CPU address signals match the register bit pattern stored in the bits B31..B16.

To determine which values have to be written into the base address registers, the programmed main memory size also has to be taken into account.

When the memory size is selected to be greater than 64 Kbyte, the base address register bits B27..B16 will be masked by the SIZE bits S27..S16. In this case, the masked base address bits can be ignored and need not be initialized.

A base address register bit is masked, if "0" is stored in the corresponding SIZE register bit.

A masked base address register bit will not be compared for the base address decoding.

The masking scheme is demonstrated in figure 1-1.



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### 1.3.5 The MAIN MEMORY DSACK/STERM

Access cycles to the MAIN MEMORY area are terminated either with the DSACKx signals for a long word port, or with the synchronous STERM output signal, generated by the gate array. The timing of the signals can be selected by the registers CTL11 for the DSACK signal and CTL16 for the STERM signal. The timing is given as a number of waitstates, which the processor has to insert before the cycle will be terminated. Three timing options are offered for the DSACK signals and the STERM signal. After reset, the registers are cleared to zero and no termination mode is selected.

#### 1.3.5.1 Register CTL11

| 7           | 6          | 5 | 4 | 3   | 2   | 1   | 0   |
|-------------|------------|---|---|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| MAIN<br>ENA | MAIN DSACK |   |   | S27 | S26 | S25 | S24 |

|             |
|-------------|
| <b>6..4</b> |
|-------------|

**MAINDSACK -**

This bit field is used to select the DSACK timing for an access to the local MAIN MEMORY.

|     |                     |
|-----|---------------------|
| 000 | No DSACK Generation |
| 001 | 0-Waitstate DSACK   |
| 010 | 1-Waitstate DSACK   |
| 100 | 2-Waitstate DSACK   |

#### 1.3.5.2 Register CTL16

| 7    | 6          | 5 | 4   | 3   | 2          | 1 | 0 |
|------|------------|---|-----|-----|------------|---|---|
| URMW | VMETIMEOUT |   | PEB | PEA | MAIN STERM |   |   |

|             |
|-------------|
| <b>2..0</b> |
|-------------|

**MAINSTERM -**

This bit field is used to select the STERM timing for an access to the local MAIN MEMORY.

|     |                     |
|-----|---------------------|
| 000 | No STERM Generation |
| 001 | 0-Waitstate STERM   |
| 010 | 1-Waitstate STERM   |
| 100 | 2-Waitstate STERM   |

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### 1.4 VSB BUS SELECT

An access to the VSB bus is indicated by the VSB select signal CSVSB. This signal is low when the VSBbus is decoded. A register bit in the CTL3 register enables the VSB bus selection.

If the bit "VSBENA" is set, all accesses to the decoded VMEbus Extended Address Range will lead to a VSB bus access.

The VSB bus access will be refused and redirected to a VMEbus access when the gate array input pin NOVSB is asserted low.

#### 1.4.1 Register CTL3

| Register           | Mnemonic | Address    | R/W | Default |
|--------------------|----------|------------|-----|---------|
| Control 3 Register | CTL3     | \$FFD00250 | R/W | \$00    |

Format of CTL3

| 7 | 6 | 5 | 4 | 3                        | 2 | 1             | 0     |
|---|---|---|---|--------------------------|---|---------------|-------|
|   |   |   |   | VECTOR<br>BIT 7    BIT 6 |   | <b>VSBENA</b> | OPT16 |

|          |  |
|----------|--|
| <b>7</b> | <b>VSBENA</b> - This bit is used to control the VSB bus decoding |
| 1        | VSB bus decoding enabled   |
| 0        | VSB bus decoding disabled  |

### 1.5 SECONDARY Bus (D32)

The address range \$FD00 0000 ... \$FDFF FFFF is decoded for accesses to a Secondary bus with 32 bit data bus width. A valid decoding of this area is indicated by the output signal CSVSB.

### 1.6 SECONDARY Bus (D16)

The address range \$FE00 0000 ... \$FFEF FFFF is decoded for accesses to a Secondary bus with 16 bit data bus width. A valid decoding of this area is indicated by the output signal CSVSB.

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### 1.7 SYSTEM EPROM Decoding Area

The SYSTEM EPROM area is decoded in the address range

\$FF000000 - \$FF7FFFFF.

The Gate Array pin CSPROM is low when this area is decoded. By default, only read accesses to this area are allowed. However, a control bit can be programmed to enable write accesses as well. This feature may be useful in special board hardware configurations.

The enable bit SEEPROMWRITE for write accesses to the SYSTEM EPROM area is contained in the register CTL14.

#### 1.7.0.1 Register CTL14

| Register            | Mnemonic | Address    | R/W | Default |
|---------------------|----------|------------|-----|---------|
| Control 14 Register | CTL14    | \$FFD00354 | R/W | \$00    |

Format of CTL14

| 7                        | 6     | 5            | 4 | 3          | 2 | 1       | 0 |
|--------------------------|-------|--------------|---|------------|---|---------|---|
| <b>SEEPROM<br/>WRITE</b> | BSCUT | VMEDTACKEVAL |   | DSVMEWRITE |   | ASTOVME |   |

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**SEEPROMWRITE** - This bit selects if the SYSTEM EPROM area is also decoded for write cycles.

1

read and write cycles possible

0

only read cycles possible

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### 1.7.1 SYSTEM EPROM DSACK Control

Access cycles to the SYSTEM EPROM area will be terminated by a Long Word DSACK signal, generated by the Gate Array. The timing of the DSACK signals can be selected in the CTL9 register.

This register selects the number of waitstates the processor has to insert before the cycle will be terminated. After reset, the CTL9 register is cleared to 0 and the DSACK generation for SYSTEM EPROM accesses is disabled by default.

#### 1.7.1.1 Register CTL9

| Register           | Mnemonic | Address    | R/W | Default |
|--------------------|----------|------------|-----|---------|
| Control 9 Register | CTL9     | \$FFD0027C | R/W | \$00    |

Format of CTL9

| 7 | 6 | 5 | 4 | 3               | 2                  | 1 | 0 |
|---|---|---|---|-----------------|--------------------|---|---|
| - | - | - | - | RESET<br>OPTION | <b>SEPROMDSACK</b> |   |   |

|             |
|-------------|
| <b>2..0</b> |
|-------------|

**SEPROMDSACK** - This bit field selects the number of waitstates for data cycles to the SYSTEM EPROM decoding area.

|     |                     |
|-----|---------------------|
| 000 | No DSACK Generation |
| 001 | 0 Waitstate DSACK   |
| 010 | 1 Waitstate DSACK   |
| 011 | 2 Waitstate DSACK   |
| 100 | 3 Waitstate DSACK   |
| 101 | 4 Waitstate DSACK   |
| 110 | 5 Waitstate DSACK   |
| 111 | 6 Waitstate DSACK   |

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### 1.8 LOCAL I/O AREA

The Gate Array decodes the LOCAL I/O Area in the following address range:

\$FF80 0000 ... \$FFFF FFFF

The LOCAL I/O Area is split into eight pages. Six pages can be used to decode onboard devices connected to the Gate Array's byte wide LOCAL I/O bus.

When these pages are accessed, the Data transfer to the onboard devices is performed via the LOCAL I/O interface of the gate array, which executes an individual timing protocol, selectable in the register LIOTIMING for the LOCAL I/O pages A - D.

One page selects the Gate Array itself and another one a special LOCAL I/O page, which is not supported by the LOCAL I/O interface.

A valid decoding of the LOCAL I/O Area is indicated by a low level on the output pin CSLIO of the gate array.

The various pages of the LOCAL I/O Area have to be decoded with external hardware using the processor address lines A22..A20 and the signal CSLIO, generated by the gate array.

In order to decode the BOOT EPROM area during the boot-up procedure, the address signal A23 needs to be included as well. Please refer to the chapter "BOOT DECODING FEATURES" for more details.

The LOCAL I/O interface is implemented with a byte wide data bus and consists of the following signals:

| Signal Name | Function              |
|-------------|-----------------------|
| CSLIO       | LOCAL I/O Area Select |
| RDLIO       | Read Strobe           |
| WRLIO       | Write Strobe          |
| DLIO 0-7    | Data Lines            |

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The LOCAL I/O Pages are defined as follows:

| Address Range | Definition           |
|---------------|----------------------|
| FF8X XXXX :   | LOCAL I/O Page A     |
| FF9X XXXX :   | LOCAL I/O Page B     |
| FFAX XXXX :   | LOCAL I/O Page C     |
| FFBX XXXX :   | LOCAL I/O Page D     |
| FFCX XXXX :   | BOOT SRAM            |
| FFDX XXXX :   | GATE ARRAY Registers |
| FFEX XXXX :   | BOOT EPROM           |
| FFFX XXXX :   | LOCAL I/O Page E     |

The LOCAL I/O pages A - D can be used to select onboard devices whose access protocol meets one of the timing parameters provided for the LOCAL I/O pages A - D. The devices must be connected to the LOCAL I/O interface. Accesses to these pages are terminated with a byte DSACK to the processor.

### **1.8.1 LOCAL I/O Page A: FF8X XXXX**

This page selects the LOCAL I/O Interface with an access time for R/W cycles, defined by the bits 1..0 of the LIOTIMING register.

### **1.8.2 LOCAL I/O Page B: FF9X XXXX**

This page selects the LOCAL I/O Interface with an access time for R/W cycles, defined by the bits 3..2 of the LIOTIMING register.

### **1.8.3 LOCAL I/O Page C: FFAx XXXX**

This page selects the LOCAL I/O Interface with an access time for R/W cycles, defined by the bits 5..4 of the LIOTIMING register.

### **1.8.4 LOCAL I/O Page D: FFBX XXXX**

This page selects the LOCAL I/O Interface with an access time for R/W cycles, defined by the bits 7..6 of the LIOTIMING register.

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### **1.8.5 BOOT SRAM : FFCX XXXX**

This LOCAL I/O page is decoded for the BOOT SRAM device. A DSACK signal code for an 8 bit port is generated to terminate accesses to this page.

### **1.8.6 THE GATE ARRAY ITSELF: FFDX XXXX**

This page selects the Gate Array itself. Cycle termination is performed with long DSACK. Accesses to the gate array registers are indicated by a low CSLIO signal. For more details please refer to the chapter "Access to FGA-002 Registers" in this section.

### **1.8.7 BOOT EPROM: FFEX XXXX**

This page is reserved for the BOOT EPROM device. A byte DSACK signal is generated for this page. Please refer to the chapter "BOOT Decoding Features" for more details.

### **1.8.8 LOCAL I/O Page E: FFFX XXXX**

This page is usable as a special decoding area and for devices whose timing does not meet the protocols provided for the timed LOCAL I/O pages. Since the interface does nothing if this page is addressed, the device has to be directly connected to the CPU data bus. An access to this address range is indicated by a low CSLIO signal.

The FGA-002 Gate Array does not generate a DSACK for this page.

## **1.9 ACCESS TO FGA-002 REGISTERS**

The FGA-002 Gate Array Registers can only be accessed via the cpu interface of the gate array. The address range, which decodes the gate array registers, is located within the LOCAL I/O Area from \$FFD00000 to \$FFDFFFFFFF.

The 8 bit registers can be accessed with byte, word or longword operand sizes. 32 bit registers must be accessed with longword operands.

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### 1.9.1 Supervisor/User Access

The 680X0 processor family defines two privileged levels of operation: the Supervisor privilege level and the User privilege level.

In which privilege level the processor has to perform a legal access to the gate array is defined by bit 3 of the control register CTL1.

Bit 3 of the register CTL1 selects either the Supervisor access type or Supervisor and User access type to be valid.

If the bit is cleared, the gate array can be accessed not only in the Supervisor access mode but also in the User access mode. The Supervisor privilege level is selected if the bit is set to 1.

After reset, the CTL1 register bits are cleared to 0. This selects both the User and the Supervisor privilege levels as being valid access types.

#### 1.9.1.1 Register CTL1

| Register           | Mnemonic | Address    | R/W | Default |
|--------------------|----------|------------|-----|---------|
| Control 1 Register | CTL1     | \$FFD00238 | R/W | \$00    |

Format of CTL1

| 7 | 6 | 5 | 4 | 3                   | 2       | 1    | 0 |
|---|---|---|---|---------------------|---------|------|---|
| - | - | - | - | <b>SUP/<br/>USR</b> | ARBITER | CSCO |   |

**3**

**SUP/USR** - The bit selects the access mode to the FGA-002 registers

1

Access **only** in Supervisor mode

0

Access in Supervisor and User mode

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### 1.9.2 DSACK Control

The gate array terminates an access to its registers by asserting the DSACK0 and DSACK1 output pins to 0, indicating a Long Word port size to the processor.

The timing of the DSACKx signals is software selectable by the register CTL6.

This register is used to select the number of waitstates the processor has to insert before the cycle is complete.

After reset, the CTL6 register is cleared to 0 and the gate array will terminate bus cycles with 4 waitstates.

#### 1.9.2.1 Register CTL6

| Register           | Mnemonic | Address    | R/W | Default |
|--------------------|----------|------------|-----|---------|
| Control 6 Register | CTL6     | \$FFD00270 | R/W | \$00    |

Format of CTL6

| 7 | 6 | 5 | 4 | 3              | 2 | 1 | 0 |
|---|---|---|---|----------------|---|---|---|
| - | - | - | - | <b>MYDSACK</b> |   |   |   |

**3..0**

**MYDSACK** - This bit field selects the number of waitstates for access cycles to the gate array registers.

|      |                   |
|------|-------------------|
| 0000 | 4 Waitstate DSACK |
| 0001 | 0 Waitstate DSACK |
| 0010 | 1 Waitstate DSACK |
| 0100 | 2 Waitstate DSACK |
| 1000 | 3 Waitstate DSACK |

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### 1.10 BOOT DECODING FEATURES

After the gate array has been reset, the normal address decoding structure will be disabled and a special area decoding (BOOT decoding) is active. This BOOT decoding comes into effect when the BOOTFLAG is zero. The decoding is used to support the boot procedure for the processor. The BOOTFLAG is a readable/writable register bit, which is cleared to 0 after every boot reset. The BOOTFLAG is bit 0 of the CTL4 Register in the Gate Array.

As long as the BOOTFLAG = 0, the decoding structure is changed in such way that the LOCAL I/O Area will be selected in the whole 32 bit address space.

When the BOOT decoding is active, the LOCAL I/O Interface has the timing parameters of the BOOT EPROM page.

The BOOT EPROM and the Gate Array itself are always accessible at their correct address according to the LOCAL I/O Page decoding address map.

In order to boot the 680X0 processors from the address 0, the BOOT EPROM must to be the only device selected when the BOOTFLAG is active.

Therefore, external decoding logic has to provide the decoding signal for the BOOT EPROM, which is then asserted in the following cases:

1. The decoding area of the BOOT EPROM is addressed. (FFEX XXXX)
2. The output pin CSLIO is asserted and one of the CPU address lines A31-A23 is in a low state.

The boot information has to lead the program flow to the normal address range of the BOOT EPROM decoding area. Then, the first action should be to write a 1 to the BOOTFLAG bit. Thereafter, the decoding logic operates as described above.

For the processor, the boot EPROM and boot SRAM are byte wide memory locations with a byte DSACK\* generated by the gate array.

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### 2 VME MASTER INTERFACE

#### 2.1 FEATURES

- Extended(A32), Standard(A24), and Short(A16) addressing capability
- D32 Master, D16 Master and D08 Master capability
- Unaligned cycles and Read-Modify-Write cycles supported
- Support for Unaligned Read-Modify-Write cycles.
  
- Internal single level VMEbus arbiter module
- Automatic re-arbitration
- Special ACFAIL handler option
- Fair VMEbus request option
- Various bus release options:
  - Release Voluntary (RV)
  - Release On Request (ROR)
  - Release On BUSCLEAR (RBCLR)
  - Release On ACFAIL (RACFAIL)

### 2.2 Description

The VMEbus interface of the gate array supports the transfer of 8, 16 or 32 bit data operands. All basic transfer types as well as read-modify-write and unaligned transfers are provided.

Although unaligned read-modify-write cycles are not defined in the VMEbus specification, the gate array is able to accomplish this operation by using VMEbus compatible cycles. The register bit URMW of the CTL16 register enables this option.

The specified ranges have the addressing capabilities of Short (A16), Standard (A24) and Extended (A32) addressing. Together with the appropriate Address Modifier generation, all peripheral VMEbus boards can be addressed.

To provide high data throughput on the VMEbus, the gate array has implemented the D32, D16 and D08 MASTER data transfer capabilities. They are specified for each decoding area.

Assigned to the various VMEbus decoding areas, the available capabilities allow the use of slave boards with different data bus sizes in a single VMEbus system. Additionally, these features allow for a maximum data transfer rate and may avoid additional overhead in the software.

### 2.3 Addressing Capability

The decoding logic of the gate array identifies accesses to the address ranges outlined in table 2-1 as VMEbus areas.

Each VMEbus area has a specific addressing and data transfer capability assigned to it. The addressing capability of the various areas is supported by an address modifier code, which will be generated in addition to the VMEbus address.

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The local main memory is mapped somewhere in the Extended VMEbus area. If the CPU addresses local main memory the gate array's decoding logic recognizes this and selects local memory. If the address is not local memory then the gate array's decoding logic assumes it to be a VME address and initiates a VME cycle. In other words the whole of the Extended addressing range, \$0000 0000 ... \$FAFF FFFF, is available as a VME address with the exception of the local memory range.

The following table shows the address ranges of the various VMEbus areas with their addressing and data capabilities.

**Table 2-1: Address ranges of the VMEbus areas with addressing capability and data transfer capability (Axx : Dxx)**

| Range                             | Area            | Address/Data Capability              | Mnemonic                   |
|-----------------------------------|-----------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------|
| 0000 0000<br>::: :::<br>FAFF FFFF | <b>Extended</b> | Address: 32 bit<br>Data: 32/16/8 bit | A32 : D32<br>: D16<br>: D8 |
| <b>FBXX XXXX</b>                  |                 |                                      |                            |
| FB00 0000<br>::: :::<br>FBFE FFFF | <b>Standard</b> | Address: 24 bit<br>Data: 32/16/8 bit | A24 : D32<br>: D16<br>: D8 |
| FBFF XXXX                         | <b>Short</b>    | Address: 16 bit<br>Data: 32/16/8 bit | A16 : D32<br>: D16<br>: D8 |
| <b>FCXX XXXX</b>                  |                 |                                      |                            |
| FC00 0000<br>::: :::<br>FCFE FFFF | <b>Standard</b> | Address: 24 bit<br>Data: 16/8 bit    | A24 : D16<br>: D8          |
| FCFF XXXX                         | <b>Short</b>    | Address: 16 bit<br>Data: 16/8 bit    | A16 : D16<br>: D8          |

### 2.3.1 Address Modifier Signal Generation

The VMEbus specification defines five address modifier lines which may be used for additional addressing purposes, such as the selection of address spaces or privilege levels.

The Gate Array supports the generation of address modifier signals and drives the AM-code on the pins AM5-0.

The AM-code signals 5..3 determine if the address, broadcast by the master, is to be used as an Extended (32 bit), Standard (24 bit), or Short (16 bit) address. The AM-code signals 2..0 specify the privilege level of the address space (supervisor or non-privileged), the use of the memory area (program or data) and the type of transfer (standard or block transfer).

When the gate array internal DMA Controller accesses the VMEbus, the address modifier signals are supplied by the lower five bits of the DMA attribute registers DMASRCATT and DMADSTAT. This allows all AM-codes, which are defined in the VMEbus specification, to be generated for DMA transfers. The attribute register bits have to be programmed with the correct AM-code for the intended transfer.

When the local CPU is master on the VMEbus, the AM-signals are generated by the gate array and the processor.

The AM-signals 5..3 are directly generated by the gate array's decoding logic. Depending on the selected VMEbus area, the AM-signals 5..3 indicate the code for Extended, Standard or Short address decoding.

The AM-signals 2..0 are generated by the processor by driving the function code inputs FC2-0 of the gate array. The CPU uses the FC2-0 signals to select the address space for every bus cycle it is executing.

According to the address space encodings, which are defined for 680x0 processors, the AM-codes outlined in table 2-2 may be generated when the CPU accesses the specified ranges for VMEbus areas:

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**Table 2-2: Supported Address Modifier Codes for CPU access to the VMEbus areas**

| <b>Range</b>                     | <b>Area</b> | <b>Addressing Capability</b> |                          | <b>AM-Code<br/>543210</b>            |
|----------------------------------|-------------|------------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| 0000 0000<br>:<br>:<br>FAFF FFFF | Extended    | A32                          | SPA<br>SDA<br>NPA<br>NDA | 001110<br>001101<br>001010<br>001001 |
| FB00 0000<br>:<br>:<br>FBFE FFFF | Standard    | A24                          | SPA<br>SDA<br>NPA<br>NDA | 111110<br>111101<br>111010<br>111011 |
| FBFF XXXX                        | Short       | A16                          | SDA<br>NDA               | 101101<br>101001                     |
| FC00 0000<br>:<br>:<br>FCFE FFFF | Standard    | A24                          | SPA<br>SDA<br>NPA<br>NDA | 111110<br>111101<br>111010<br>111001 |
| FCFF XXXX                        | Short       | A16                          | SDA<br>NDA               | 101101<br>101001                     |

SPA = Supervisor            Program Access  
 SDA = Supervisor            Data            Access  
 NPA = Non Privileged Program Access  
 NDA = Non Privileged Data    Access

### 2.4 Data Transfer Capability

The basic data transfer capabilities of the VMEbus master interface are defined as D32 MASTER, D16 MASTER and D08 MASTER.

The D32 MASTER capability includes the D16 and D08 capability and the D16 MASTER capability includes the D08 capability.

The master interface of the gate array provides for the simultaneous transfer of 32 bit, 16 bit and 8 bit operands. In addition, 24 bit data can be transferred if an unaligned transfer cycle makes this necessary. The support of all defined unaligned transfer types results in a reduction of bus cycles.

The data transfer capability is defined by the VMEbus areas, which are addressed for the transfer cycles. Together with the addressing capabilities of the areas, a comprehensive flexibility is provided.

The various VME areas and their capabilities allow easy interfacing of peripheral boards with different data bus sizes in a single VMEbus system.

In addition to the data transfer capabilities specified in table 2-3, a general limitation for all VMEbus areas to the D16 MASTER capability can be chosen. This option is selected by a register bit and is described in the chapter "D16 MASTER Option".

Tables 2-3 and 2-4 summarize the supported data transfer types of the VMEbus interface with either the D16/D08 MASTER capability or the D32/D16/D08 capability.

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**Table 2-3: Supported Data Transfer Types for D16 MASTER and D08 MASTER capability**

| Transfer Type   | D31..24 | D23..16 | D15..08    | D07..00        |
|---|---------|---------|------------|----------------|
| <u>Byte</u><br>Byte(0)<br>Byte(1)<br>Byte(2)<br>Byte(3)     |         |         | x<br><br>x | <br>x<br><br>x |
| <u>Word</u><br>Byte(0-1)<br>Byte(2-3)                       |         |         | x<br>x     | x<br>x         |
| <u>RMW Byte</u><br>Byte(0)<br>Byte(1)<br>Byte(2)<br>Byte(3) |         |         | x<br><br>x | <br>x<br><br>x |
| <u>RMW Word</u><br>Byte(0-1)<br>Byte(2-3)                   |         |         | x<br>x     | x<br>x         |

RMW = Read-Modify-Write

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**Table 2-4: Supported Data Transfer Types for D32, D16 and D08 MASTER capability**

| Transfer Type   | D31..24 | D23..16     | D15..08     | D07..00        |
|---|---------|-------------|-------------|----------------|
| <u>Byte</u><br>Byte(0)<br>Byte(1)<br>Byte(2)<br>Byte(3)     |         |             | x<br><br>x  | <br>x<br><br>x |
| <u>Word</u><br>Byte(0-1)<br>Byte(2-3)                       |         |             | x<br>x      | x<br>x         |
| <u>Long</u><br>Byte(0-3)                                    | x       | x           | x           | x              |
| <u>RMW Byte</u><br>Byte(0)<br>Byte(1)<br>Byte(2)<br>Byte(3) |         |             | x<br><br>x  | <br>x<br><br>x |
| <u>RMW Word</u><br>Byte(0-1)<br>Byte(2-3)                   |         |             | x<br>x      | x<br>x         |
| <u>RMW Long</u><br>Byte(0-3)                                | x       | x           | x           | x              |
| <u>Unaligned</u><br>Byte(0-2)<br>Byte(1-2)<br>Byte(1-3)     | x       | x<br>x<br>x | x<br>x<br>x | <br><br>x      |

RMW = Read-Modify-Write

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### 2.4.1 D16 Master Option

As described above, each VMEbus area has specific data transfer capabilities assigned to it, which provide an optimum interfacing to slaves with 32 bit, 16 bit and 8 bit data bus size. However, in a VMEbus system with 16 bit data bus, the 32 bit transfer capability may be undesirable, since 32 bit operands cannot be transferred.

In order to allow the use of all decoded VME address ranges in a VME system with 16 bit databus, the gate array provides a limitation for the VME areas to the D16/D08 MASTER capability.

A register bit selects, whether the transfer cycles are executed with the 16/8 bit data format or according to the capabilities of the decoded VME areas.

When the D16 MASTER option is enabled, only 16 and 8 bit transfer types will be executed by the VMEbus master interface.

The selection is to be made in register CTL3 by the bit named OPT16. After reset, the bit selects no limitation and the data transfer capabilities of the areas are available as predefined.

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### 2.4.1.1 Register CTL3

| Register           | Mnemonic | Address    | R/W | Default |
|--------------------|----------|------------|-----|---------|
| Control 3 Register | CTL3     | \$FFD00250 | R/W | \$00    |

Format of CTL3

| 7 | 6 | 5 | 4 | 3                        | 2 | 1      | 0            |
|---|---|---|---|--------------------------|---|--------|--------------|
|   |   |   |   | VECTOR<br>BIT 7    BIT 6 |   | VSBENA | <b>OPT16</b> |

|   |   |
|---|---|
| 0 | <b>OPT16</b> - This bit selects if the VMEbus master interface supports only D16/D08 data transfer capability |
| 1 | VME data transfer capability is limited to 16/8 Bit cycle types   |
| 0 | VME data transfer capability is according to the VME areas  |

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### 2.4.2 Support for Unaligned RMW cycles

The VMEbus specification allows Read-Modify-Write cycles to be executed only if they are aligned. This is guaranteed by the gate array, which supports VMEbus compatible RMW-cycles according to the data transfer types outlined in table 2-4. If a RMW operation by the cpu were to generate unaligned transfer types on the VMEbus, the cycle would be terminated by a bus error signal to the cpu. The gate array would not initiate a cycle to the VMEbus.

This is the default setting of the gate array after reset.

However, unaligned RMW-cycle support can be selected by the URMW option bit in the CTL16 register.

When this bit is set, all RMW cycles will be executed as standard read and write cycles on the VMEbus. This allows RMW cycles to be performed also with unaligned data cycle types.

The correct execution of the RMW operation on the VMEbus is ensured, since the control of the VMEbus is continuously kept for the CPU during the whole RMW operation.

#### 2.4.2.1 Register CTL16

| Register            | Mnemonic | Address    | R/W | Default |
|---------------------|----------|------------|-----|---------|
| Control Register 16 | CTL16    | \$FFD0035C | R/W | \$00    |

Format of CTL16

| 7           | 6          | 5 | 4   | 3   | 2          | 1 | 0 |
|-------------|------------|---|-----|-----|------------|---|---|
| <b>URMW</b> | VMETIMEOUT |   | PEB | PEA | MAIN STERM |   |   |

|   |               |  |
|---|---------------|--|
| 7 | <b>URMW</b> - | Unaligned Read-Modify-Write option bit.  |
| 1 |               | Unaligned RMW operation to VME is <b>supported</b> . Cycle will be executed as individual Read and Write cycles. |
| 0 |               | Unaligned RMW operation to VME is <b>not supported</b> . Cycle is terminated with bus error to the processor.    |

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### 2.5 VMEbus ARBITRATION

The FGA-002 gate array is equipped with an arbiter module to control the allocation of the VME data transfer bus (DTB) to VMEbus masters.

The arbiter module provides mastership arbitration on a single level and its function can be enabled or disabled.

When the processor or the onchip DMA controller intend to access the VMEbus, the gate array requests mastership over the VME data transfer bus (DTB) by asserting its bus request output "BRVMEO". This signal is evaluated by the internal arbiter together with the requests of other bus participants, coming in on the "BRVMEI" input pin. The mastership will be given to the requester which is detected earlier.

If the bus is granted to an external requester, the BGVMEO pin of the gate array will be asserted.

Otherwise, the BBSYO output signal will be driven to 0, reflecting that the bus is allocated for processor or DMA controller operation.

If the internal arbiter module is disabled, the gate array will occupy the VMEbus when it has asserted the BRVMEO pin to signal its mastership request and detects a falling edge on the BGVMEI input signal. The mastership is taken over by the gate array in driving the BBSYO output to 0.

When the gate array receives the BGVMEI signal asserted while it has no bus request pending, the BGVMEI signal is passed on to the BGVMEO output, permitting further requesters to take control of the VMEbus.

The internal arbiter module can be reset only with the VMEbus signal SYSRES\*.

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### 2.5.1 Automatic Re-Arbitration

The internal single level arbiter prevents a hangup of the VMEbus in the case where a master has requested control of the VMEbus and does not respond to the busgrant by driving the BBSY\* signal line low.

The bus will be re-arbitrated, if the arbitration cycle is not terminated within 32 microseconds by the assertion of the VMEbus signal BBSY\*.

After this time, the arbiter will negate its bus grant signal "BGVME0" automatically and start a new arbitration cycle.

### 2.5.2 Internal/External Arbiter select

The FGA-002 gate array is equipped with an arbiter module which supports arbitration of the VME data transfer bus. The internal arbiter function can be enabled/disabled by a register bit inside the gate array.

The bit named "ARBITER" is contained in the CTL1 register and selects the internal arbiter function if it is set to 1.

After reset, the arbiter module is disabled and the bus mastership has to be controlled by an external arbiter.

#### 2.5.2.1 Register CTL1

| Register           | Mnemonic | Address    | R/W | Default |
|--------------------|----------|------------|-----|---------|
| Control 1 Register | CTL1     | \$FFD00238 | R/W | \$00    |

Format of CTL1

| 7 | 6 | 5 | 4 | 3           | 2              | 1    | 0 |
|---|---|---|---|-------------|----------------|------|---|
| - | - | - | - | SUP/<br>USR | <b>ARBITER</b> | CSCO |   |

**2**

**ARBITER** - The bit selects the internal or external arbiter for VMEbus control.

1

Internal arbiter is selected

0

External arbiter is selected

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### 2.6 VMEbus REQUEST

The VMEbus will be requested by the gate array, if the processor accesses a VME decoded address area or the DMA controller is programmed to transfer data on the VMEbus.

#### 2.6.1 VMEbus request on power fail detection

The gate array provides a special bus request handling in case of a power fail detection on its ACFAIL input pin.

The handling depends on the state of the "HANDLER" option bit in the register CTL8, which is used to define a certain board in a system as the ACFAIL handler board.

If the ACFAIL handler option is disabled ("HANDLER" bit = 0), the gate array will be prevented from requesting the VMEbus if an active power fail signal is pending.

More details can be found in the section "MISCELLANEOUS", where the ACFAIL Handler option is described completely.

#### 2.6.2 FAIR request option

The VMEbus specifies four bus request levels. To support several requesters on an individual level, a bus-grant daisy chain is assigned to each request level.

On a specific level, the priority of bus allocation is determined by the position of each requester within the bus grant daisy chain.

In system configurations, where requesters are arbitrated on a single level, low prioritized masters might have problems with getting mastership on the VMEbus.

This difficulty can be solved when a special protocol for requests to the VMEbus is practiced, but this requires that the protocol is respected by all requesters on the VMEbus.

The gate array supports this protocol by offering the FAIR request option.

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When the FAIR request option is enabled, the gate array will not request VMEbus mastership until the bus request line BRx\* of the VMEbus is released by all requesters. This is the beginning of a new arbitration round. Each requester, who has sampled the bus request line high, is now allowed to request control of the VMEbus.

After the request line has been asserted again, the participants of the current round are defined. The mastership will be given to the requesters in the order of priority, starting at the most prioritized location in the daisy chain, which is closest to the bus arbiter. On gaining the mastership, the new master releases his bus request line, whilst the other requesters leave theirs asserted.

When the master has finished with the bus (BBSY goes inactive) the next arbitration round begins without him, since the FAIR request option prevents him from asserting his bus request line until BRx\* has been released by all other requesters. This guarantees that low prioritized masters can obtain the bus.

The gate array samples the VMEbus requests at the BRVMEI\* input pin, and recognizes it negated when it is high for a minimum of 20 nanoseconds.

In order that all participants are able to sample the high state of the request signal line, the gate array asserts its request output not earlier than 50 nanoseconds after it has detected the BRx\* signal high.

The FAIR request option bit is contained in the CTL8 register. The FAIR request option is enabled after reset.

### 2.6.2.1 Register CTL8

| Register           | Mnemonic | Address    | R/W | Default |
|--------------------|----------|------------|-----|---------|
| Control 8 Register | CTL8     | \$FFD00278 | R/W | \$00    |

Format of CTL8

| 7 | 6 | 5 | 4 | 3       | 2       | 1           | 0     |
|---|---|---|---|---------|---------|-------------|-------|
| - | - | - | - | BSYSBIT | SSYSBIT | <b>FAIR</b> | ROACF |

|          |                                       |
|----------|---------------------------------------|
| <b>1</b> | <b>FAIR</b> - FAIR request option bit |
|----------|---------------------------------------|

|   |                                     |
|---|-------------------------------------|
| 1 | FAIR request option <b>disabled</b> |
| 0 | FAIR request option <b>enabled</b>  |

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### 2.7 VMEbus RELEASE

The gate array provides various bus release functions to minimize arbitration overhead in multi-master VMEbus systems. Depending on which device has become the current bus master (the local processor or the DMA controller), the bus will be released in different ways.

The DMA Controller only releases the VMEbus only at its own discretion, irrespective of the release functions which are implemented additionally.

Every time the DMA controller switches from the source mode to the destination mode, it releases the bus which it had occupied for its task. The bus occupation time between two switchovers is approximately the time the DMA controller needs to transfer a block of 32 bytes on the appropriate bus. This is dependent on the access time of the devices and the alignment of the source and destination address.

When the local processor has been granted the mastership for the VMEbus, the following release options can come into effect:

- Release on Request (ROR)
- Release on BUSCLEAR (RBCLR)
- Release Voluntary (RV)
- Release on ACFAIL (RACFAIL)
- Release Every Cycle (REC)

#### 2.7.1 Release On Request (ROR)

The "Release On Request" function (ROR) demands the actual bus master to release the mastership if another requester has a request for bus control pending .

The gate array releases the bus on the request of another master provided that a predetermined interval has elapsed. The interval starts when the board becomes master and the length of the interval is selectable in the CTL7 register by the 'RORINHIBIT' bitfield. This guarantees the master a minimum occupation time on the VMEbus. Once the interval has elapsed and a bus request is pending then the bus will be released after completion of the current bus cycle.

The ROR function cannot be disabled.

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### 2.7.1.1 Register CTL7

| Register           | Mnemonic | Address    | R/W | Default |
|--------------------|----------|------------|-----|---------|
| Control 7 Register | CTL7     | \$FFD00274 | R/W | \$00    |

Format of CTL7

| 7 | 6 | 5 | 4 | 3     | 2                 | 1 | 0 |
|---|---|---|---|-------|-------------------|---|---|
| - | - | - | - | RBCLR | <b>RORINHIBIT</b> |   |   |

**2..0**

**RORINHIBIT** - Release-On-Request inhibit time.

|     |        |
|-----|--------|
| 000 | 0.5 us |
| 001 | 1 us   |
| 010 | 2 us   |
| 011 | 4 us   |
| 100 | 8 us   |
| 101 | 16 us  |
| 110 | 32 us  |
| 111 | 64 us  |

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### 2.7.2 Release on Bus Clear (RBCLR)

The gate array releases the VMEbus mastership, if the RBCLR option is enabled and the BCLR\* signal line is recognized asserted on the BCLRI input pin. The CTL7 register provides bit 3 to enable this release function.

The bus will be released immediately after the processor has finished the current cycle.

An active read-modify-write cycle on the VMEbus will not be interrupted.

The Release On BUSCLEAR function is enabled after reset.

#### 2.7.2.1 Register CTL7

| Register           | Mnemonic | Address    | R/W | Default |
|--------------------|----------|------------|-----|---------|
| Control 7 Register | CTL7     | \$FFD00274 | R/W | \$00    |

Format of CTL7

| 7 | 6 | 5 | 4 | 3            | 2          | 1 | 0 |
|---|---|---|---|--------------|------------|---|---|
| - | - | - | - | <b>RBCLR</b> | RORINHIBIT |   |   |

**3**

**RBCLR** - Release-On-Busclear option bit.

1

disables RBCLR function

0

enables RBCLR function

### **2.7.3 Release Voluntary (RV)**

If the local processor is bus master on the VMEbus, the release on request counter inhibits the gate array from releasing the bus for the specified time (See ROR function).

After this time has passed, the gate array may release the bus voluntary if the local cpu does not perform accesses to the VMEbus within a 100 microsecond time period.

After each new access to VME, this 100 us time period has to pass until the bus will be released voluntary.

### **2.7.4 Release on ACFAIL\* (RACFAIL)**

The gate array releases the VMEbus mastership on the detection of a power failure, immediately after the processor has finished its current bus cycle. The power fail signal is sampled on the ACFAIL input pin and is normally attached to the ACFAIL\* signal of the VMEbus.

The RACFAIL function will be performed if the gate array is initialized not to support the ACFAIL Handler option.

After reset, the RACFAIL option is enabled.

The ACFAIL Handler option is described in the section "MISCELLANEOUS".

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### 2.7.5 Release Every Cycle (REC)

If the REC option is enabled the gate array releases the bus mastership immediately after the processor has finished the current cycle irrespective of the state of the BCLR\* pin. An active read-modify-write cycle on the VMEbus will not be interrupted.

The Release Every Cycle option is disabled after reset.

#### 2.7.5.1 Register CTL12

| Register            | Mnemonic | Address    | R/W | Default |
|---------------------|----------|------------|-----|---------|
| Control 12 Register | CTL12    | \$FFD0032C | R/W | \$00    |

Format of CTL7

| 7      | 6 | 5 | 4 | 3 | 2           | 1          | 0 |
|--------|---|---|---|---|-------------|------------|---|
| RECENA | - | - | - | - | DMA-FASTVME | ASDMATOVME |   |

**7**

**RECENA** - Release Every Cycle option bit

1  
0

enables REC function  
disables REC function

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#### 3.1 FEATURES

- Programmable DPR/SHARED memory address interval decoding
- 4 AM-Codes selectable for accesses to the DPR/SHARED memory
- Support for RMW cycle to the SHARED memory
- Programmable VME decoding page for the gate array
- 2 AM-Codes selectable for VME access to gate array functions
- Reset Call function from the VMEbus
- SYSFAIL and HALT Status report to VME

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### 3.2 VME Access to the local MAIN MEMORY

The gate array supports accesses from the VMEbus to the local MAIN memory by providing address decoding and Address Modifier decoding, both software selectable.

Accesses from the VME bus to the local main memory are decoded in the 32 bit address space of the VMEbus. The 4 Gbyte total address space is decoded into 16 pages each of 256 Mbyte. The page can be defined by the VMEPAGE register, whose register bits are compared with the VME address lines A31..A28.

The VMEPAGE is then further decoded into intervals. This is performed by two address comparators, one decoding a bottom page and the other decoding a top page.

The bottom page decoder accomplishes a higher-or-equal comparison and the top page decoder a lower-or-equal comparison of the applied VME address.

The VME address is valid when both comparisons are valid.

The address interval, in which a VMEbus access is decoded, ranges from the lowest (bottom) page to the highest (top) addressable page.

The address comparators evaluate the VME address lines A27..A12 for the interval decoding.

The remaining address lines A11..A00 are not decoded, which allows the interval size to be selected in steps of 4KByte.

An interval contains the address range that starts with the base address of the bottom page and finishes with the end address of the top page.

Accesses from the VMEbus to the local MAIN memory have to be executed with a valid Address Modifier Code. Four AM codes can be selected in the ENAMCODE register.

Selecting one of the Address Modifier codes enables the decoding range.

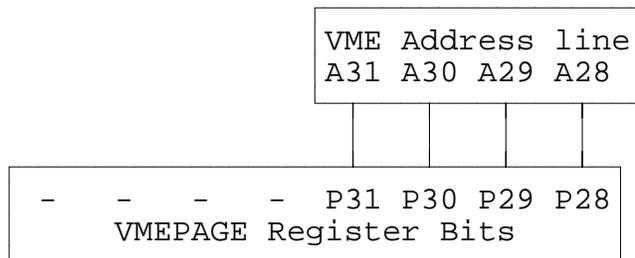
Additionally, the gate array provides write protection for the decoding interval. The access qualification is available for each selected AM code separately.

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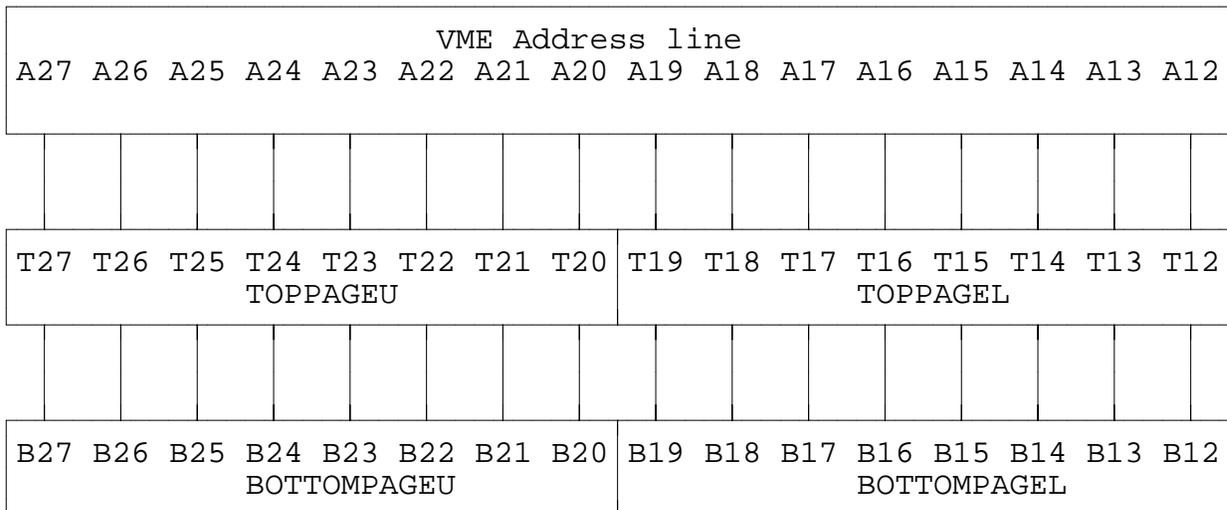
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### 3.2.1 Decoding scheme for accesses to the local MAIN memory from the VMEbus side

VME Page Decoding:



Address Interval Decoding:



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### 3.2.2 VME Page Decoding

The access page to the local MAIN memory from VMEbus side is a 256 MByte page, specified by the VMEPAGE register of the gate array.

The four register bits P31..P28 are compared with the VME address lines A31..A28, in this order. They define the highest nibble of the 32 bit VMEbus access address.

#### 3.2.2.1 Register VMEPAGE

| Register          | Mnemonic | Address    | R/W | Default |
|-------------------|----------|------------|-----|---------|
| VME PAGE register | VMEPAGE  | \$FFD00200 | R/W | \$00    |

Format of VMEPAGE

| 7 | 6 | 5 | 4 | 3   | 2   | 1   | 0   |
|---|---|---|---|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| - | - | - | - | P31 | P30 | P29 | P28 |

**3..0**

**P[31..28] -**

This bitfield selects the page in which the local main ram can be accessed from the VME side.

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### 3.2.3 VME Interval Decoding

The following registers define the decoding interval for VME accesses to the local MAIN memory.

#### 3.2.3.1 Registers for Bottom and Top page selection

| Register               | Mnemonic    | Address    | R/W | Default |
|------------------------|-------------|------------|-----|---------|
| Bottom Page Register U | BOTTOMPAGEU | \$FFD002D0 | R/W | \$00    |
| Bottom Page Register L | BOTTOMPAGEL | \$FFD002D4 | R/W | \$00    |
| Top Page Register U    | TOPPAGEU    | \$FFD002D8 | R/W | \$00    |
| Top Page Register L    | TOPPAGEL    | \$FFD002DC | R/W | \$00    |

The interval decoding of the access range is accomplished by two page decoders. One page decoder selects the BOTTOM page and the other the TOP page of the address interval.

Between these pages all VME addresses are valid.

Each page decoder compares 16 address lines (A27..A11) of the VMEbus with the contents of two 8-bit registers.

The bottom page decoder compares the address lines A27..A20 with the BOTTOMPAGEU register and the address lines A19..A12 with the BOTTOMPAGEL register.

Likewise, the top page decoder compares the VME address lines A27..A20 and A19..A12 with the registers TOPPAGEU and TOPPAGEL respectively.

Each register set (bottom or top) specifies the base address of its respective 4 KByte page.

The register contents of the top page do not define the end address of an interval, but specify the base address of its top page.

The address interval, selected by these registers, ranges from the base address of the bottom page to the end address of the top page.

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Format of BOTTOMPAGEU

|     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| 7   | 6   | 5   | 4   | 3   | 2   | 1   | 0   |
| B27 | B26 | B25 | B24 | B23 | B22 | B21 | B20 |

7..0

**B[27..20]** These bits are compared with the VMEbus address lines A27..A20 and select the upper portion of the bottom page address.

Format of BOTTOMPAGEL

|     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| 7   | 6   | 5   | 4   | 3   | 2   | 1   | 0   |
| B19 | B18 | B17 | B16 | B15 | B14 | B13 | B12 |

7..0

**B[19..12]** These bits are compared with the VMEbus address lines A19..A12 and select the lower portion of the bottom page address.

Format of TOPPAGEU

|     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| 7   | 6   | 5   | 4   | 3   | 2   | 1   | 0   |
| T27 | T26 | T25 | T24 | T23 | T22 | T21 | T20 |

7..0

**T[27..20]** These bits are compared with the VMEbus address lines A27..A20 and select the upper portion of the top page address.

Format of TOPPAGE L

|     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| 7   | 6   | 5   | 4   | 3   | 2   | 1   | 0   |
| T19 | T18 | T17 | T16 | T15 | T14 | T13 | T12 |

7..0

**B[27..20]** These bits are compared with the VMEbus address lines A27..A20 and select the lower portion of the top page address.

### 3.2.4 Enable Address Modifier Decoding

The address modifier code, which the VME master has to broadcast for a valid access to the main memory, is selectable in the ENAMCODE register.

After reset, no access to the main memory from VME side is possible since the register is cleared and all address modifier code selections are disabled.

Additionally, the decoding area can be protected from write accesses by VMEbus masters.

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### 3.2.4.1 Register ENAMCODE

| Register                | Mnemonic | Address    | R/W | Default |
|-------------------------|----------|------------|-----|---------|
| Enable AM code Register | ENAMCODE | \$FFD002B4 | R/W | \$00    |

Format of ENAMCODE

| 7   | 6 | 5   | 4 | 3   | 2 | 1   | 0 |
|-----|---|-----|---|-----|---|-----|---|
| XSP |   | XSD |   | XUP |   | XUD |   |

|             |              |  |
|-------------|--------------|--|
| <b>7..6</b> | <b>XSP -</b> | Extended Supervisor Program Access AM code |
| 00          |              | disabled                                   |
| 01          |              | disabled                                   |
| 10          |              | enabled for READ-Access                    |
| 11          |              | enabled for R/W -Access                    |

|             |              |   |
|-------------|--------------|---|
| <b>5..4</b> | <b>XSD -</b> | Extended Supervisor Data Access AM code |
| 00          |              | disabled                                |
| 01          |              | disabled                                |
| 10          |              | enabled for READ-Access                 |
| 11          |              | enabled for R/W -Access                 |

|             |              |                                      |
|-------------|--------------|--------------------------------------|
| <b>3..2</b> | <b>XUP -</b> | Extended User Program Access AM code |
| 00          |              | disabled                             |
| 01          |              | disabled                             |
| 10          |              | enabled for READ-Access              |
| 11          |              | enabled for R/W -Access              |

|             |              |                                   |
|-------------|--------------|-----------------------------------|
| <b>1..0</b> | <b>XUD -</b> | Extended User Data Access AM code |
| 00          |              | disabled                          |
| 01          |              | disabled                          |
| 10          |              | enabled for READ-Access           |
| 11          |              | enabled for R/W -Access           |

### 3.3 Shared Memory Structure Support

When the gate array is initialized to support the shared memory structure ( selected in the SPECIAL register bit 5), an access from VME to the local MAIN memory causes the gate array to request control of the local bus from the processor.

Depending on the selection for RMW cycle support (CTL15 register/"SHARED RMW" bit), the gate array either performs a fast execution of the memory access cycle or the memory cycle is terminated only on completion of the VMEbus cycle.

In the fast execution mode, the gate array first finishes the memory cycle and then completes the VME cycle.

A memory read cycle is terminated by the gate array after the data has been latched. A memory write cycle is finished after the data is stored in the memory. The local bus is released immediately after the cycle is terminated.

If the gate array is programmed to support RMW cycles from the VMEbus (SHARED RMW bit = 1), the slow access mode to the memory is selected.

In this mode, the local memory cycle is not terminated until the VME cycle is finished by a negated VME address strobe. In this mode, the local bus will be occupied about twice as long as is the case in the fast access mode.

The gate array terminates a VMEbus access to the local main memory with VMEbus error, if a parity error is decoded by the gate array.

This feature is available, if the gate array is configured for the shared memory structure (defined in the SPECIAL register) and any option for parity error support by the gate array is enabled.

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### 3.3.1 RMW Cycles from VME to the MAIN Memory

When the gate array is initialized to support the Shared memory structure (selected in the SPECIAL register bit 5), read-modify-write cycles from VME can be performed only if the SHARED<sub>RMW</sub> bit enables this type of access.

In this mode, the local bus is kept for the VME master until the RMW operation is finished.

With the SHARED<sub>RMW</sub> option disabled, a correct RMW operation cannot be guaranteed since the local bus will always be released for the processor between two consecutive accesses from VME to the main memory.

Note: If this option is enabled, not only read-modify-write cycles from VME to the shared main memory, but also standard cycles cause the gate array to keep the local bus mastership for the VME master, until the VME address strobe is negated to finish the cycle. This will reduce performance of the local processor!

#### 3.3.1.1 Register CTL15

| Register            | Mnemonic | Address    | R/W | Default |
|---------------------|----------|------------|-----|---------|
| Control 15 Register | CTL15    | \$FFD00358 | R/W | \$00    |

Format of CTL15

| 7                 | 6 | 5              | 4              | 3              | 2      | 1           | 0                     |
|-------------------|---|----------------|----------------|----------------|--------|-------------|-----------------------|
| VSBSEC<br>TIMEOUT |   | BURST<br>TRANS | BURST<br>CYCLE | CINH<br>OFFBRD | CINH16 | CINH<br>LIO | <b>SHARED<br/>RMW</b> |

|   |                               |   |
|---|-------------------------------|---|
| 0 | <b>SHARED<sub>RMW</sub></b> - | The bit selects if read modify write cycles from VME to the shared RAM will be supported by the gate array. |
| 1 |                               | supports RMW cycles   |
| 0 |                               | no support for RMW cycles   |

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### 3.4 VME Access to FGA-002 functions

The gate array provides several functions which are available from the VMEbus side.

The following functions and status reports, provided by the gate array, are accessible:

- MAILBOX Locations
- RESET Call function
- STATUS report of the SYSFAIL output signal and the processor HALT signal line.

The gate array is accessible by all VMEbus masters, which have short addressing capability (A16). Additionally, the bus master has to present an address modifier code for the Short I/O decoding range.

Before a VMEbus master can perform a valid access to the gate array, two registers have to be initialized by the local processor.

One register defines the VME page and another selects the code for the Address Modifier signals which the VME master has to broadcast for a valid access to the gate array. If no selection for the address modifier code is made, an access to these gate array functions from VME side is not possible.

The VME page of the gate array is a 256 byte page which is decoded by the VME address signals A15..A8. within the short addressing range of the VMEbus. Within the VME page, the functions are assigned fixed offsets.

The VME page is programmable in the register "MYVMEPAGE". The Address Modifier Code selection is to be made in the "CTL5" register. The bitfield "MYAMCODE" selects the valid VME Address Modifier Code or disables the page decoding.

The function of the mailboxes together with their access addresses, is described in the section MAILBOXES.

A description of the RESET call, together with its location, can be found in the section MISCELLANEOUS.

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For the status readout of the SFAIL0 output signal and the HALT signal the address location

\$XXFD

is provided. The status of the SFAIL0 signal is displayed at data bit 6 and the HALT signal at data bit 5. The HALT signal is driven by the 68020 processor to indicate that it stopped processing. Therefore the HALT signal can only be evaluated when the 68020 processor is implemented as the local CPU (the 68030 processor does not have a HALT output signal). No care has to be taken on the other data bits.

### 3.4.1 VME page selection

The register "MYVMEPAGE" is used to select the VME page, in which the gate array can be accessed from VME side. A valid decoding page can be selected by writing the upper byte (\$UU) of a short address (\$UUX) into the 8 bit register. This register holds the bits Y15..Y08, which are compared with the VMEbus address lines A15..A08. The decoding is valid when the register bit pattern matches the corresponding VME address signals.

#### 3.4.1.1 Register MYVMEPAGE

| Register         | Mnemonic  | Address    | R/W | Default |
|------------------|-----------|------------|-----|---------|
| FGA-002 VME Page | MYVMEPAGE | \$FFD002FC | R/W | \$00    |

Format of MYVMEPAGE

| 7   | 6   | 5   | 4   | 3   | 2   | 1   | 0   |
|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| Y15 | Y14 | Y13 | Y12 | Y11 | Y10 | Y09 | Y08 |

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**Y15..Y08 -**

These bits select the VME page for accesses from the VMEbus to the gate array functions. The bits are compared with the VME address signals A15..A08.

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### 3.4.2 Address Modifier Code selection

The Control Register 5 (CTL5) provides two bits to select the address modifier code, which has to be broadcast by the bus master for a valid access to the gate array.

If the bits are zero, which is the case after reset, no VME access to the gate array is possible.

#### 3.4.2.1 Register CTL5

| Register           | Mnemonic | Address    | R/W | Default |
|--------------------|----------|------------|-----|---------|
| Control 5 Register | CTL5     | \$FFD00264 | R/W | \$00    |

Format of CTL5

| 7 | 6 | 5 | 4 | 3               | 2 | 1       | 0       |
|---|---|---|---|-----------------|---|---------|---------|
| - | - | - | - | <b>MYAMCODE</b> |   | AUXOPTB | AUXOPTA |

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#### **MYAMCODE -**

This bitfield selects the AM-Code for VME accesses to the gate array.

|    |                                     |
|----|-------------------------------------|
| 00 | = VME page decoding disabled        |
| 01 | = Short Non-Privileged AM code \$29 |
| 10 | = Short Supervisory AM code \$2D    |
| 11 | = Both Short AM-Codes allowed       |

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### 1. GENERAL DESCRIPTION

The FGA-002 Gate Array provides high end support for interrupt functionality.

It manages interrupt sources within the gate array as well as external sources connected to the gate array.

The FGA-002 Gate Array is an efficient interface for various interrupt sources to the local CPU, and supports up to 18 external interrupters.

Interrupt inputs provided for external interrupt sources (exclusive of the VMEbus interrupt inputs) offer maximum flexibility as they may be configured to be level/edge sensitive or low/high active.

The control of these features is performed by two bits contained in the extended interrupt control registers. The Interrupt Auto Clear bit in the extended interrupt control register determines, whether the interrupt of an edge sensitive input is cleared automatically during the interrupt acknowledge cycle or has to be cleared by the interrupt service routine.

Each interrupt source is bound to an individual interrupt channel which has its own assigned vector number.

The interrupt channels are configured by the Interrupt Control Registers where a 3 bit code for the level and a bit for enable/disable control are stored. Each interrupt channel may be programmed to interrupt the processor at any level.

The vector table of the gate array is a group of 64 vectors. The two most significant bits of the 8 bit vector are programmable via register bits.

The rest of the bits are assigned by gate array hardware. Not all of the 64 vectors are used in the present gate array, and those not used are reserved for future extensions.

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The following groups of interrupt sources are supported:

1. Internal Interrupt Sources

- DMA CONTROLLER
- TIMER
- FORCE MESSAGE BROADCAST -FMB-
- PARITY ERROR
- 8 MAILBOXES

2. External Interrupt Sources

**Onboard interrupts:**

- LOCAL 0-7 inputs
- ABORT Key input
- ACFAIL input
- SYSFAIL input

**VMEbus interrupts:**

- 7 VMEbus interrupt inputs

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### 2. DESCRIPTION OF OPERATION

#### 2.1 INTERRUPT REQUEST

The FGA-002 Gate Array requests service from the processor when the interrupt channel recognizes the interrupt of an external or internal source.

A pending interrupt from an interrupt source will be recognized when the IRQ enable bit in the interrupt control register is set to 1. An interrupt level greater than 0 has to be programmed in order that the gate array sends the interrupt request to the processor.

The gate array supports seven interrupt levels for service requests to the local CPU. Each interrupt can be converted to any of the seven interrupt levels by programming the lower three bits of the interrupt control register, which stores the interrupt request level code.

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### 2.1.1 Internal Interrupt Sources

The following table shows the FGA-002 Gate Array internal interrupt sources and their assigned interrupt channels:

| Interrupt Source   | Interrupt Channel  |
|--|--|
| DMA CONTROLLER:<br>Normal Termination Interrupt<br>Error Termination Interrupt   | DMA Normal<br>DMA Error  |
| TIMER:<br>Timer Interrupt:   | Timer  |
| FORCE MESSAGE BROADCAST:<br>Channel0 Message Interrupt<br>Channel1 Message Interrupt<br>Channel0 Refused Interrupt<br>Channel1 Refused Interrupt   | FMB0 Message<br>FMB1 Message<br>FMB0 Refused<br>FMB1 Refused   |
| PARITY ERROR:<br>Parity Error Interrupt:   | PARITY Error   |
| MAILBOXES:<br>Mailbox 0 Interrupt<br>Mailbox 1 Interrupt<br>Mailbox 2 Interrupt<br>Mailbox 3 Interrupt<br>Mailbox 4 Interrupt<br>Mailbox 5 Interrupt<br>Mailbox 6 Interrupt<br>Mailbox 7 Interrupt | Mailbox 0<br>Mailbox 1<br>Mailbox 2<br>Mailbox 3<br>Mailbox 4<br>Mailbox 5<br>Mailbox 6<br>Mailbox 7 |

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### 2.1.1.1 DMA CONTROLLER

Two interrupts are assigned to the DMA controller:

Normal termination interrupt  
Error termination interrupt

The DMA controller generates a normal termination interrupt request if its task is successfully terminated.

An error termination interrupt occurs if the DMA operation is aborted by a stop command. The stop command is issued if bit 0 in the DMARUNCTL register is written with 0.

Also the DMA operation is forced to stop when a bus error condition occurs.

The active interrupt state is when bit 7 in the Interrupt status registers ISDMANORM and ISDMAERR is zero.

The interrupts can be cleared by writing the corresponding status register with any data.

### 2.1.1.2 TIMER

The timer triggers its interrupt request when the counter decrements from \$01 to \$00.

A pending interrupt request is displayed as a low in bit 7 of the timer interrupt status register.

Writing the timer interrupt status register clears the interrupt. The written data will be ignored.

After reset the timer interrupt is cleared.

### 2.1.1.3 FORCE MESSAGE BROADCAST -FMB-

The gate array contains two FMB message channels to receive messages from the VMEbus.

Each FMB message channel can generate the "message" interrupt request and the "refused" interrupt request.

The message interrupt request is pending as long as there are messages contained in the message fifo. After the last message has been read by the local CPU, the message interrupt request disappears. An active message interrupt request is displayed in the interrupt status register bit 7. The bit is low if the interrupt is asserted.

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The refused interrupt request is edge triggered and can be cleared by a write cycle to the corresponding interrupt status register. The status register displays 1 at bit 7 if the refused interrupt is pending.

### **2.1.1.4 PARITY ERROR**

If one of the parity error options is enabled, an interrupt request is triggered when the gate array internal parity checkers detect a parity error.

A pending interrupt is displayed in the parity error status register. Bit 7 returns zero if the interrupt request is asserted. The interrupt is cleared through a write cycle to the status register location.

### **2.1.1.5 MAILBOXES**

A mailbox interrupt request is active when a read access to the mailbox location in the FGA-002 gate array is performed.

The mailbox interrupt is pending until a write access to the same mailbox location will clear the interrupt.

The read/write accesses can be performed not only from VME side but also from the local processor.

For details please refer to the section entitled "THE MAILBOXES".

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### 2.1.2 External Interrupt Sources

The FGA-002 gate array contains 18 interrupt request inputs to provide for external interrupt sources. The inputs are assigned to the interrupt channels as shown in the following table:

| Interrupt Source    | Interrupt Channel |
|---------------------|-------------------|
| LOCAL INTERRUPTS:   |                   |
| LIRQ0 input pin     | LOCAL0            |
| LIRQ1 input pin     | LOCAL1            |
| LIRQ2 input pin     | LOCAL2            |
| LIRQ3 input pin     | LOCAL3            |
| LIRQ4 input pin     | LOCAL4            |
| LIRQ5 input pin     | LOCAL5            |
| LIRQ6 input pin     | LOCAL6            |
| LIRQ7 input pin     | LOCAL7            |
| UTILITY INTERRUPTS: |                   |
| ABOKEY input pin    | ABORT             |
| ACFAIL input pin    | ACFAIL            |
| SFAILI input pin    | SYSFAIL           |
| VME INTERRUPTS:     |                   |
| VIRQ7 input pin     | VIRQ7*            |
| VIRQ6 input pin     | VIRQ6*            |
| VIRQ5 input pin     | VIRQ5*            |
| VIRQ4 input pin     | VIRQ4*            |
| VIRQ3 input pin     | VIRQ3*            |
| VIRQ2 input pin     | VIRQ2*            |
| VIRQ1 input pin     | VIRQ1*            |

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### 2.1.2.1 LOCAL INTERRUPTS

The LOCAL 0-7 interrupt inputs may be configured to be high or low active and edge or level sensitive. The configuration is to be selected in the corresponding Extended Interrupt Control Register.

Edge sensitive configured LOCAL interrupt inputs trigger an interrupt on the active edge of the input signal. Active low inputs trigger the interrupt on the high-to-low edge and active high inputs on the low-to high edge.

A pending interrupt request of a LOCAL interrupt input is readable on the respective status register location.

Reading bit 7 of the interrupt status register returns the active state of the interrupt request.

The bit is low if the interrupt is pending and high when no interrupt is pending, independent of the selected input activity.

The interrupt of edge sensitive configured inputs can be cleared either with a write access to the interrupt status register location or automatically when the processor executes the interrupt acknowledge cycle. For this mode, the autoclear option has to be enabled in the extended interrupt control register.

The clear operation of the interrupt request with a write access to the interrupt status register can be accomplished with any data.

### 2.1.2.2 UTILITY INTERRUPTS

The utility interrupt inputs for ABORT, ACFAIL and SYSFAIL can be configured like the local interrupt inputs as edge/level sensitive and high/low active inputs. The configuration has to be programmed in the corresponding extended interrupt control register.

When a utility interrupt input is configured edge sensitive, the status of a pending interrupt can be read at the location of the interrupt status register (bit 7).

The status bit indicates low if the interrupt is pending and high when no interrupt is pending.

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Edge sensitive utility interrupts can be cleared by a write access (data is ignored) to the respective status register location or automatically in the acknowledge cycle if the autoclear option is enabled (see extended interrupt control register).

The active state of level sensitive ABORT, ACFAIL and SYSFAIL interrupt inputs can be identified by reading back the instantaneous level of the respective input pin.

The level is read back at bit 7 of the following registers locations:

| Register   | Address    |
|------------|------------|
| ABORTPIN   | \$FFD004D4 |
| ACFAILPIN  | \$FFD004D8 |
| SFAILINPIN | \$FFD004DC |

### 2.1.2.3 VME INTERRUPTS

The inputs provided for VMEbus interrupt requests are level sensitive inputs. The interrupt is active when the input signal is asserted low.

The VMEbus interrupt channels have no associated interrupt status registers.

As in the case for all other interrupt sources the gate array can map the VMEbus interrupts to any interrupt level for the CPU.

### 2.2 INTERRUPT ACKNOWLEDGE

The FGA-002 gate array decodes interrupt acknowledge cycles from the processor and responds to the cycle by presenting an interrupt vector on the data pins DCPU31-DCPU24. The vector which is presented to the processor may be supplied by the gate array internal interrupt logic or by the external interrupter.

External Vector response is supported for the VMEbus interrupts and for the local interrupts LOCAL4-LOCAL7.

The vector which is supplied by an external interrupter is transmitted by the gate array from the LOCAL I/O bus or the VMEbus to the CPU data bus.

VMEbus interrupts are supported as external vector responses. The gate array requires the interrupt vector to be presented at the data pins DVME0-DVME7 of the gate array. After being read in, the vector is presented to the CPU data pins DCPU24-DCPU31.

#### 2.2.1 Internal Vector Response

When the gate array responds to an interrupt acknowledge cycle with an Internal Vector, it places the vector number of the acknowledged interrupt channel on the CPU data pins DCPU24 - DCPU29. To complete the 8 bit vector information, the two uppermost vector bits determining the Interrupt Vector Page are provided by the CTL3 register and are driven on the DCPU30 - DCPU31 pins.

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The gate array supports interrupt acknowledge cycles with the internal vector number when the following interrupt channels are decoded:

| INTERRUPT CHANNEL | VECTOR NUMBER |
|-------------------|---------------|
| Mailbox 0         | \$00          |
| Mailbox 1         | \$01          |
| Mailbox 2         | \$02          |
| Mailbox 3         | \$03          |
| Mailbox 4         | \$04          |
| Mailbox 5         | \$05          |
| Mailbox 6         | \$06          |
| Mailbox 7         | \$07          |
| Timer             | \$20          |
| FMB1 Refused      | \$24          |
| FMB0 Refused      | \$25          |
| FMB1 Message      | \$26          |
| FMB0 Message      | \$27          |
| ABORT             | \$28          |
| ACFAIL*           | \$29          |
| SYSFAIL*          | \$2A          |
| DMA Error         | \$2B          |
| DMA Normal        | \$2C          |
| PARITY Error      | \$2D          |
| LOCAL0            | \$30          |
| LOCAL1            | \$31          |
| LOCAL2            | \$32          |
| LOCAL3            | \$33          |
| Empty Interrupt   | \$3F          |

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### 2.2.2 Local I/O Vector Response or Internal Vector Response

The LOCAL4 - LOCAL7 interrupts are supported by three different modes of response to an interrupt acknowledge cycle of the processor.

#### The modes are:

1. Response with Internal Vector Number
2. Response with External Interrupt Vector
3. No response

The modes are selected in the control register LOCALIACK.

The register also controls the timing of the access on the LOCAL I/O bus which fetches the vector from the interrupting device. The contents of this register have to be programmed according to the external hardware configuration.

| INTERRUPT CHANNEL | VECTOR NUMBER              |
|-------------------|----------------------------|
| LOCAL4            | \$34 or from Local I/O bus |
| LOCAL5            | \$35 or from Local I/O bus |
| LOCAL6            | \$36 or from Local I/O bus |
| LOCAL7            | \$37 or from Local I/O bus |

When internal vector response is selected, the associated vector number of the acknowledged interrupt channel is presented to the processor.

For external vector response, the gate array fetches the interrupt vector on the Local I/O bus and transmits it to the CPU data bus. In this case, the external device connected to the Local I/O data bus of the gate array has to provide the interrupt vector.

The third selection is that the gate array does not respond to the IACK cycle of the processor. This mode supports interrupting devices which are directly connected to the CPU data bus.

External interrupters connected to the LOCAL4 - LOCAL7 interrupt channels are supported by the gate array's four acknowledge outputs LIACK 4-7, respectively. A LIACKx output will be asserted low when the processor acknowledges the corresponding LOCALx interrupt.

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### 2.2.2.1 Local IACK control register LOCALIACK

The 8 bit control register LOCALIACK is assigned to the LOCAL 4-7 interrupts and selects the internal or external vector response mode for these interrupts.

Also selectable by the LOCALIACK control register is the access time to the LOCAL I/O bus in an interrupt acknowledge cycle when the external response mode is needed.

The register is grouped into four bit fields where each field stores a 2 bit code to control the vector response mode of one of the LOCAL 4-7 interrupts.

| Register                | Mnemonic  | Address    | R/W | Default |
|-------------------------|-----------|------------|-----|---------|
| Local IACK Control Reg. | LOCALIACK | \$FFD00334 | R/W | \$00    |

Format of LOCALIACK

| 7      | 6 | 5      | 4 | 3      | 2 | 1      | 0 |
|--------|---|--------|---|--------|---|--------|---|
| LOCAL7 |   | LOCAL6 |   | LOCAL5 |   | LOCAL4 |   |

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**LOCAL7**

This bit field controls the vector response mode of the gate array for the LOCAL 7 interrupt.

**5..4**

**LOCAL6**

This bit field controls the vector response mode of the gate array for the LOCAL 6 interrupt channel.

**3..2**

**LOCAL5**

This bit field controls the vector response mode of the gate array for the LOCAL 5 interrupt.

**1..0**

**LOCAL4**

This bit field controls the vector response mode of the gate array for the LOCAL 4 interrupt.

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The 2 bit code stored in the LOCALIACK register for the control of the vector response mode of the LOCAL 4-7 interrupts has the following selections:

- 00 = The gate array answers with an internal vector. The vector of the corresponding LOCAL interrupt is driven on the CPU data bus signals DCPU31..DCPU24. The corresponding LIACKx pin will be asserted.
- 01 = During the processor's IACK cycle the gate array does not intervene but merely asserts the corresponding LIACK pin as soon as possible.
- 10 = Upon IACK, the gate array responds to the CPU with an external vector. The corresponding LIACKx signal will be asserted and the interrupting device has to supply the interrupt vector. The vector is read on the local I/O bus and presented on the CPU data bus. The access time to the interrupting device on the local I/O bus is 1 us.
- 11 = Upon IACK, the gate array responds to the CPU with an external vector. The corresponding LIACKx pin will be asserted and the interrupting device has to supply the interrupt vector. The vector is read on the local I/O bus and presented on the CPU data bus. The access time to the interrupting device on the local I/O bus is 500ns.

### 2.2.3 VMEbus Vector Response

VMEbus interrupts are handled by the gate array with an external vector response.

If a VMEbus interrupt is serviced by the processor, the FGA-002 gate array awaits vector data delivered by the VMEbus interrupter on data pins DVME0-DVME7.

The vector will be read in and transmitted to the CPU data pins DCPU24-DCPU31.

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| INTERRUPT CHANNEL | VECTOR NUMBER     |
|-------------------|-------------------|
| VIRQ7*            | external from VME |
| VIRQ6*            | external from VME |
| VIRQ5*            | external from VME |
| VIRQ4*            | external from VME |
| VIRQ3*            | external from VME |
| VIRQ2*            | external from VME |
| VIRQ1*            | external from VME |

### 2.2.4 EMPTY Vector Response

The gate array responds to the IACK cycle of the CPU by presenting an interrupt vector. This is normally the interrupt channel vector which is decoded by the gate array interrupt logic or the external vector supplied by the interrupting device.

In order to guarantee that the interrupt channel which is addressed by the processor in the IACK cycle is decoded successfully by the gate array, the interrupt source must hold the request stable in the asserted state.

Care has been taken with the design of the gate array interrupt circuitry to prevent the IACK cycle from being terminated with a timeout bus error if a decoding fault occurs.

However, if an interrupt source could not be decoded in an IACK cycle, the gate array always supplies the **EMPTY** interrupt vector to the processor.

The EMPTY interrupt vector is assigned to the EMPTY interrupt channel and carries the vector number \$3F.

The EMPTY interrupt channel is a virtual channel which means that there is no interrupt source to trigger this interrupt. Accordingly it does not own an interrupt control register or an interrupt status register.

### 2.3 Interrupt Priority Structure

The FGA-002 Gate Array interrupt management provides a software controllable method of prioritization for the interrupts using programmable interrupt levels.

Seven different interrupt levels are supported by the interrupt management. Highest priority is given to level 7 and lowest priority to level 1.

Each level is coded so that the interrupt priority level signals (IPL2 - IPL0) of the 68020/68030 processor can be directly connected to the FGA-002 Gate Array.

If the interrupt request level is programmed to zero, no interrupt will be sent to the processor. This is similar to the interrupt being disabled by clearing the enable bit in the corresponding interrupt control register.

A second kind of prioritization is hardware defined inside the gate array and is designated as the interrupt daisy chain. The interrupt daisy chain structure defines the order in which interrupts on the same level will be serviced. The daisy chain operates such that interrupt priority decreases with ascending vector numbers.

The main priority is always determined by the interrupt level. This means that prioritization according to the interrupt daisy chain is only given for interrupt sources which are programmed on the same interrupt level.

Therefore, an interrupt source programmed to interrupt level 6 always has priority over a level 5 interrupt, although its channel may be after the other channel in the daisy chain.

The order of the interrupt daisy chain is given in Table 2-1 "Interrupt Vector Number Assignment".

### 2.4 Interrupt Vector Page

The 8 bit interrupt vector information, which is presented by the gate array when it responds to IACK cycles with an internal vector, is set together from the lower 6 bit field for the vector number and the upper 2 bit field for the vector page. The lower six bits are provided by the prioritization logic and determine the vector number of the corresponding interrupt channel. The upper two bits are programmable in the CTL3 register and are common for all vector numbers of the gate array.

For details please refer to "Interrupt Vector Page Programming" later in this description.

The interrupt vector table of the FGA-002 Gate Array consists of a contiguous block of 64 vector numbers. Unused vector number entries are reserved for future extensions.

**NOTE:** The zero vector page (the two most significant bits of the interrupt vector are 0) is a reserved area for system vectors of 68020/68030 processors. Since all bits of the CTL3 register are set to zero after reset, the default gate array vector page is the zero page. Therefore the bootup software has to initialize this register to select one of the remaining vector pages.

The vector page (binary "11XXXXXX") generating the interrupt vectors \$C0 - \$FF is used by FORCE bootup software and reserved for future interrupt enhancement.

The following table shows the interrupt channels and the assigned vector numbers:

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**Table 2-1: Interrupt Vector Number Assignment**

| INTERRUPT CHANNEL | VECTOR NUMBER    | DAISY CHAIN                           |
|-------------------|------------------|---------------------------------------|
| Mailbox 0         | \$00             | highest<br>priority                   |
| Mailbox 1         | \$01             |                                       |
| Mailbox 2         | \$02             |                                       |
| Mailbox 3         | \$03             |                                       |
| Mailbox 4         | \$04             |                                       |
| Mailbox 5         | \$05             |                                       |
| Mailbox 6         | \$06             |                                       |
| Mailbox 7         | \$07             |                                       |
| reserved          | \$08             | <br>descending<br>priority<br>  <br>↓ |
| :                 | :                |                                       |
| reserved          | \$1F             |                                       |
| Timer             | \$20             |                                       |
| reserved          | \$21             |                                       |
| reserved          | \$22             |                                       |
| reserved          | \$23             |                                       |
| FMB1 Refused      | \$24             |                                       |
| FMB0 Refused      | \$25             |                                       |
| FMB1 Message      | \$26             |                                       |
| FMB0 Message      | \$27             |                                       |
| ABORT             | \$28             |                                       |
| ACFAIL*           | \$29             |                                       |
| SYSFAIL*          | \$2A             |                                       |
| DMA Error         | \$2B             |                                       |
| DMA Normal        | \$2C             |                                       |
| PARITY Error      | \$2D             |                                       |
| reserved          | \$2E             |                                       |
| reserved          | \$2F             |                                       |
| LOCAL0            | \$30             |                                       |
| LOCAL1            | \$31             |                                       |
| LOCAL2            | \$32             |                                       |
| LOCAL3            | \$33             |                                       |
| LOCAL4            | \$34 or external |                                       |
| LOCAL5            | \$35 or external |                                       |
| LOCAL6            | \$36 or external |                                       |
| LOCAL7            | \$37 or external |                                       |
| reserved          | \$38             |                                       |
| reserved          | \$39             |                                       |
| reserved          | \$3A             |                                       |
| reserved          | \$3B             |                                       |
| reserved          | \$3C             |                                       |
| reserved          | \$3D             |                                       |
| reserved          | \$3E             |                                       |

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**Table 2-1: Interrupt Vector Number Assignment(cont'd)**

| INTERRUPT CHANNEL | VECTOR NUMBER     | DAISY CHAIN   |
|-------------------|-------------------|---|
| VIRQ7*            | external from VME | descending<br>priority<br><br>lowest<br>priority |
| VIRQ6*            | external from VME |   |
| VIRQ5*            | external from VME |   |
| VIRQ4*            | external from VME |   |
| VIRQ3*            | external from VME |   |
| VIRQ2*            | external from VME |   |
| VIRQ1*            | external from VME |   |
| Empty Interrupt   | \$3F              |   |

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### 2.4.1 Interrupt Vector Page Programming

The interrupt vector page is to be programmed in the Control Register 3 (CTL3). A two bit field of this register defines the common most significant bits of the internal interrupt vectors supplied by the FGA-002 gate array. Register bit 3 is used as vector bit 7, register bit 2 as vector bit 6.

The bits 1 and 0 of the CTL3 register are used to control other internal functions. Therefore, the register bits 1 and 0 must retain their value when the contents of the vector bits are altered.

| Register           | Mnemonic | Address    | R/W | Default |
|--------------------|----------|------------|-----|---------|
| Control Register 3 | CTL3     | \$FFD00250 | R/W | \$00    |

### 2.4.2 Register CTL3

| 7 | 6 | 5 | 4 | 3                       | 2                       | 1      | 0     |
|---|---|---|---|-------------------------|-------------------------|--------|-------|
| - | - | - | - | <b>VECTOR<br/>BIT 7</b> | <b>VECTOR<br/>BIT 6</b> | VSBENA | OPT16 |

" - " Denotes nonexistent bits.

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The two bit field defines the uppermost bits of the interrupt vector which is supplied by the gate array when it responds to IACK cycles with an internal vector number.

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#### 2.5.1 Register Map of INTERRUPT CONTROL and STATUS REGISTER

The following chart displays the register map for the interrupt control and status register.

| INTERRUPT CHANNEL | CONTROL REGISTER |            | STATUS REGISTER |            |
|-------------------|------------------|------------|-----------------|------------|
|                   | Mnemonic         | Address    | Mnemonic        | Address    |
| Mailbox 0         | ICRMBOX0         | \$FFD00000 | -               | -          |
| Mailbox 1         | ICRMBOX1         | \$FFD00004 | -               | -          |
| Mailbox 2         | ICRMBOX2         | \$FFD00008 | -               | -          |
| Mailbox 3         | ICRMBOX3         | \$FFD0000C | -               | -          |
| Mailbox 4         | ICRMBOX4         | \$FFD00010 | -               | -          |
| Mailbox 5         | ICRMBOX5         | \$FFD00014 | -               | -          |
| Mailbox 6         | ICRMBOX6         | \$FFD00018 | -               | -          |
| Mailbox 7         | ICRMBOX7         | \$FFD0001C | -               | -          |
| Timer             | ICRTIM0          | \$FFD00220 | ISTIM0          | \$FFD004A0 |
| FMB1 Refused      | ICRFMB1REF       | \$FFD00244 | ISFMB1REF       | \$FFD004BC |
| FMB0 Refused      | ICRFMB0REF       | \$FFD00240 | ISFMB0REF       | \$FFD004B8 |
| FMB1 Message      | ICRFMB1MES       | \$FFD0024C | ISFMB1MES       | \$FFD004E4 |
| FMB0 Message      | ICRFMB0MES       | \$FFD00248 | ISFMB0MES       | \$FFD004E0 |
| ABORT             | ICRABORT         | \$FFD00280 | ISABORT         | \$FFD004C8 |
| ACFAIL*           | ICRACFAIL        | \$FFD00284 | ISACFAIL        | \$FFD004CC |
| SYSFALL*          | ICRSYSFAIL       | \$FFD00288 | ISSYSFAIL       | \$FFD004D0 |
| DMA Error         | ICRDMAERR        | \$FFD00234 | ISDMAERR        | \$FFD004B4 |
| DMA Normal        | ICRDMANORM       | \$FFD00230 | ISDMANORM       | \$FFD004B0 |
| PARITY Error      | ICRPARITY        | \$FFD00258 | ISPARITY        | \$FFD004C0 |
| LOCAL0            | ICRLOCAL0        | \$FFD0028C | ISLOCAL0        | \$FFD00480 |
| LOCAL1            | ICRLOCAL1        | \$FFD00290 | ISLOCAL1        | \$FFD00484 |
| LOCAL2            | ICRLOCAL2        | \$FFD00294 | ISLOCAL2        | \$FFD00488 |
| LOCAL3            | ICRLOCAL3        | \$FFD00298 | ISLOCAL3        | \$FFD0048C |
| LOCAL4            | ICRLOCAL4        | \$FFD0029C | ISLOCAL4        | \$FFD00490 |
| LOCAL5            | ICRLOCAL5        | \$FFD002A0 | ISLOCAL5        | \$FFD00494 |
| LOCAL6            | ICRLOCAL6        | \$FFD002A4 | ISLOCAL6        | \$FFD00498 |
| LOCAL7            | ICRLOCAL7        | \$FFD002A8 | ISLOCAL7        | \$FFD0049C |
| VIRQ7*            | ICRVME7          | \$FFD0021C | -               | -          |
| VIRQ6*            | ICRVME6          | \$FFD00218 | -               | -          |
| VIRQ5*            | ICRVME5          | \$FFD00214 | -               | -          |
| VIRQ4*            | ICRVME4          | \$FFD00210 | -               | -          |
| VIRQ3*            | ICRVME3          | \$FFD0020C | -               | -          |
| VIRQ2*            | ICRVME2          | \$FFD00208 | -               | -          |
| VIRQ1*            | ICRVME1          | \$FFD00204 | -               | -          |

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### 2.5.2 The Interrupt Control Register

There are two different types of interrupt control registers implemented in the FGA-002 gate array:

1. **Standard Interrupt control registers**
2. **Extended interrupt control registers**

Both types of Interrupt Control registers are used to configure the interrupt channels of the corresponding interrupt source. They provide selection of the interrupt level generation and enable/disable control. Extended Interrupt Control Registers have additional bits to select characteristics of the corresponding interrupt input. Extended interrupt control registers are used to control the LOCAL interrupts as well as the ABORT-, ACFAIL- and SYSFAIL interrupts. All other interrupt channels of the gate array are configured by standard interrupt control registers.

The following chart shows the assignment of control registers to the corresponding interrupts in detail.

| INTERRUPT CONTROL REGISTERS |          |
|-----------------------------|----------|
| STANDARD                    | EXTENDED |
| Mailbox 0                   | LOCAL0   |
| Mailbox 1                   | LOCAL1   |
| Mailbox 2                   | LOCAL2   |
| Mailbox 3                   | LOCAL3   |
| Mailbox 4                   | LOCAL4   |
| Mailbox 5                   | LOCAL5   |
| Mailbox 6                   | LOCAL6   |
| Mailbox 7                   | LOCAL7   |
| Timer                       | ABORT    |
| FMB1 Refuse                 | ACFAIL*  |
| FMB0 Refused                | SYSFAIL* |
| FMB1 Message                |          |
| FMB0 Message                |          |
| DMA Error                   |          |
| DMA Normal                  |          |
| PARITY Error                |          |
| VMEbus IRQ7*                |          |
| VMEbus IRQ6*                |          |
| VMEbus IRQ5*                |          |
| VMEbus IRQ4*                |          |
| VMEbus IRQ3*                |          |
| VMEbus IRQ2*                |          |
| VMEbus IRQ1*                |          |

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The standard interrupt control registers contain four register bits while the extended interrupt control registers contain seven control bits. Unused register bits have to be programmed to zero.

Both register types have in common the control function of the lower four register bits. These bits configure the interrupt channel. The bits 2-0 store the level code and determine on which level service is requested from the CPU. Bit 3 enables or disables the interrupt channel.

Bits 6-4 of the extended interrupt control registers configure the interrupt input provided for external interrupt sources and select the autoclear option. Bit 4 enables/disables the autoclear option while bit 5 selects the activity of the interrupt input to be high/low active. Bit 6 determines if the IRQ input is edge or level sensitive.

All interrupt control registers of the FGA-002 Gate Array are initialized to \$00 after reset.

### Format of Standard Interrupt Control Register

| 7 | 6 | 5 | 4 | 3          | 2                      | 1 | 0 |
|---|---|---|---|------------|------------------------|---|---|
| - | - | - | - | IRQ Enable | Interrupt Level Select |   |   |

### Format of Extended Interrupt Control Register

| 7 | 6          | 5        | 4          | 3          | 2                | 1 | 0 |
|---|------------|----------|------------|------------|------------------|---|---|
| - | Edge/Level | Activity | Auto clear | IRQ Enable | IRQ Level Select |   |   |

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**Edge/Level -**

Extended interrupt control register bit.

The bit selects whether the interrupt input is level or edge sensitive. If the bit is set to 1, the interrupt input is selected to be edge sensitive. An active edge at the interrupt input pin triggers the interrupt. If the bit is 0, the interrupt input is level sensitive. As bit 6 is cleared to zero after reset, level sensitivity is selected by default.

1

Interrupt input is edge sensitive

0

Interrupt input is level sensitive

5

**Activity -**

Extended Interrupt Control Register Bit.

This bit configures the interrupt input to be active high or active low. An active low input means that the interrupt will be triggered by a high-to-low edge for an edge sensitive input or a low level on the interrupt input pin for a level sensitive input. An active high input means that the interrupt will be triggered by a low-to-high edge or a high level on the interrupt input pin.

After reset, the bit is cleared and the input activity is active low!

1

Interrupt input is active high

0

Interrupt input is active low

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|             |                     |  |
|-------------|---------------------|--|
| <b>4</b>    | <b>Autoclear</b> -  | Extended interrupt control register bit.<br>If this bit is cleared, an interrupt acknowledge cycle that answers the interrupt will clear the edge triggered interrupt automatically. |
| 0           |                     | Autoclear option is enabled  |
| 1           |                     | Autoclear option is disabled   |
|             |                     |  |
| <b>3</b>    | <b>IRQ Enable</b> - | The bit enables or disables the interrupt channel. If the bit is 0, the interrupt request is not recognized by the interrupt channel.  |
| 1           |                     | Interrupt channel is enabled   |
| 0           |                     | Interrupt channel is disabled  |
|             |                     |  |
| <b>2..0</b> | <b>IRQ Level</b> -  | This bit field defines the interrupt request level. If no interrupt level is selected, the interrupt channel is disabled   |
| 000         |                     | No level selected  |
| 001         |                     | Level 1  |
| 010         |                     | Level 2  |
| 011         |                     | Level 3  |
| 100         |                     | Level 4  |
| 101         |                     | Level 5  |
| 110         |                     | Level 6  |
| 111         |                     | Level 7  |

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### 2.5.3 Interrupt Status Register

The Interrupt Status Registers contain a single bit position which reflects whether or not an interrupt is pending. A read access to the status register bit returns zero if there is an interrupt pending. A logical one is read when no interrupt is pending. The status bit is readable at bit 7 of the interrupt status register.

The status register is always readable and does not effect device operation.

Format of the Interrupt Status Register

| 7          | 6 | 5 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
|------------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| IRQ Status | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |

|   |
|---|
| 7 |
|---|

#### **IRQ Status**

The IRQ Status register bit reflects whether there is an interrupt request pending or not.

1  
0

is returned, if **no** interrupt is pending  
is returned, if an interrupt request is pending

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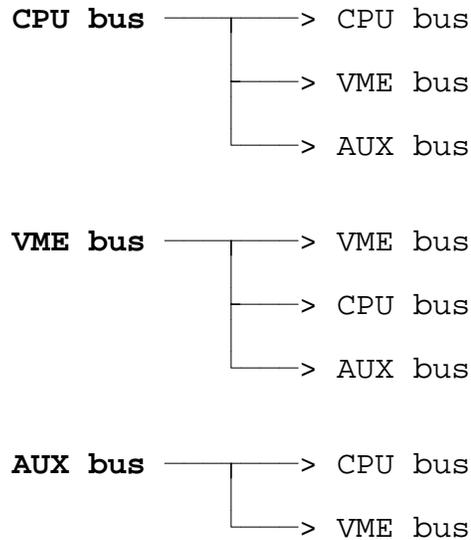
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### 1. FEATURES

The FGA-002 Gate Array contains a high speed 32 bit DMA Controller Module providing the following features:

- 32 bit Addressing Range
- 32 bit Count Register
- Multiport Data Transfer Capability



- 32 Byte deep internal FIFO
- 32 bit Data Port on Local and VME side
- Up to 25 Mbyte/second transfer rate
- 2 vectored interrupts
- Internal registers allow complete software control by the local CPU

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### 2. GENERAL DESCRIPTION

The FGA-002 Gate Array includes a multi-interface 32 bit DMA Controller Module.

The DMA Controller can be programmed and started from the local CPU side. The source and destination ports can be selected as follows:

| Port    | Device        | Data Bus Width |
|---------|---------------|----------------|
| CPU Bus | MAIN MEMORY   | 32 bit         |
| CPU Bus | Secondary Bus | 32 bit         |
| CPU Bus | Secondary Bus | 16 bit         |
| CPU Bus | Secondary Bus | 8 bit          |
| VMEbus  |               | 32 bit         |
| VMEbus  |               | 16 bit         |
| VMEbus  |               | 8 bit          |
| AUX Bus |               | 8 bit          |

The DMA controller reads data from the source port into a 32 byte deep gate array internal FIFO as long as it is requested to or until the FIFO is full. Data is then transferred from the internal FIFO to the destination port, until the FIFO is empty. Then the FIFO is filled again and the process continues until the transfer is completed.

Source and destination addressing is the full 32 bit address space and the count register has 32 bits.

The DMA controller can transfer any number of bytes from any (unaligned) start address to any (unaligned) destination address.

The DMA controller uses the internal FIFO to minimize the number of transfer cycles. If unaligned transfers are necessary, they only occur at the beginning and/or end of the transfer.

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The DMA controller generates 68020/68030 compatible cycles to the local CPU bus and VMEbus compatible cycles to the VMEbus.

The DMA controller operates only on the source or destination port at the same time.

Both CPU and VME arbitration structures have been designed so that if the source and destination port are identical, upon switchover from source to destination, the bus will be released and requested again for new mastership. This guarantees that the DMA does not block any of the buses.

The DMA controller can be selected for the source and destination individually to count up or not to count. Counting down is not possible.

The DMA controller does not have dynamical bus sizing in the sense of the 68020/68030. The program has to define the port of operation, and is not subject to the decoding logic.

It is not possible to initiate a DMA transfer for a datablock which crosses a port boundary in contiguous memory. A port boundary being the boundary between local memory and VMEbus memory and/or secondary bus memory.

For example, if a contiguous memory block contains local memory ranging from \$0000 - \$1FFF and VME memory ranging from \$2000 - \$FFFF, it is not possible to transfer the block located at memory \$1000 - \$3000 to the destination address in a single DMA task. Such a transfer has to be split into two tasks, one transferring the block of the local memory \$1000 - \$1FFF, and the other task for the transfer of the VMEbus block \$2000 - \$3000.

DSACK0 and DSACK1 are not distinguished, and any assertion is a valid transfer acknowledge.

When the DMA controller has finished its task successfully, it generates the Normal termination interrupt.

If the DMA operation is stopped due to a bus error or a stop command, the Error termination interrupt is generated.

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### 3. DMA REGISTERS

#### 3.1 DMA Controller Register Organization

The following outlines the organization of the DMA controller registers.

|            |    |  |   |
|------------|----|--|---|
| 31         | 24 |  |   |
| ICRDMANORM |    | Interrupt Control Normal Termination         |   |
| ICRDMAERR  |    | Interrupt Control Error Termination          |   |
| DMASRCATT  |    | Source Attribute Register                    |   |
| DMADSTATT  |    | Destination Attribute Register               |   |
| DMAGENERAL |    | General Control Register                     |   |
| ISDMANORM  |    | Interrupt Status Register Normal Termination |   |
| ISDMAERR   |    | Interrupt Status Register Error Termination  |   |
| DMARUNCTL  |    | Run Control Register                         |   |
| DMAMODE    |    | Mode Status Register                         |   |
| 31         |    |  | 0 |
| DMASRCADR  |    | Source Address                               |   |
| DMADSTADR  |    | Destination Address                          |   |
| DMATRFCNT  |    | Transfer Count                               |   |

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### 3.2 DMA Controller Register Address Assignment

The following chart outlines the address assignment of the DMA controller registers.

| DMA Control Register                                     | Mnemonic   | Address    | R/W   | Default    |
|--|------------|------------|-------|------------|
| Interrupt Control Norm.                                  | ICRDMANOR  | \$FFD00230 | R/W   | \$00       |
| Interrupt Control Error                                  | ICRDMAERR  | \$FFD00234 | R/W   | \$00       |
| Source Attribute   | DMASRCATT  | \$FFD00320 | R/W   | \$00       |
| Destination Attribute                                    | DMADSTATT  | \$FFD00324 | R/W   | \$00       |
| General Control  | DMAGENERAL | \$FFD00328 | R/W   | \$00       |
| Interrupt Status Normal                                  | ISDMANORM  | \$FFD004B0 | R/W   | \$80       |
| Interrupt Status Error                                   | ISDMAERR   | \$FFD004B4 | R/W   | \$80       |
| Run Control  | DMARUNCTL  | \$FFD004C4 | R/W   | \$00       |
| Mode Status  | DMAMODE    | \$FFD004EC | R/W   | \$80       |
| Source Address   | DMASRCADR  | \$FFD00500 | R/W * | \$00000000 |
| Destination Address                                      | DMADSTADR  | \$FFD00504 | R/W * | \$00000000 |
| Transfer Count   | DMATRFCNT  | \$FFD00508 | R/W * | \$FFFFFFFF |
| * Register is to be accessed only with Long Operand Size |            |            |       |            |

### 3.3 DMA Controller Register Description

#### 3.3.1 Source Attribute Register DMASRCATT

The DMASRCATT register is to be programmed with the attribute code for the source operation port. The code has to define the source operating port with the appropriate bus width. If the port is selected to be the local bus, the least significant three bits have to hold the function code according to the address space type of 68020/68030 processor. If the VMEbus port is selected as source, the lower six bits must be programmed with the proper Address Modifier code for the access to the VMEbus.

|                                    |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
|------------------------------------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 7                                  | 6 | 5 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Attribute code for the source port |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |

|             |   |
|-------------|---|
| <b>7..0</b> | Attribute code for the operation on the source port. Please refer to table 3-1. |
|-------------|---|

#### 3.3.2 Destination Attribute Register DMADSTATT

The DMADSTATT register is to be programmed with the attribute code for the destination operation port. The code has to define the destination operating port with the appropriate bus width. If the port is selected to be the local bus, the least significant three bits have to hold the function code according to the address space type of 68020/68030 processor. If the VMEbus port is selected as destination, the lower six bits must hold the proper Address Modifier code for the access to the VMEbus.

|   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 7                                       | 6 | 5 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Attribute code for the destination port |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |

|             |  |
|-------------|--|
| <b>7..0</b> | Attribute code for the operation on the destination port. Please refer to table 3-1. |
|-------------|--|

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**Table 3-1: Attribute Code for the Source/Destination Port**

| Attribute Code |   |   |         |   |   |    |   | Port        | Device        | Data Bus With |        |
|----------------|---|---|---------|---|---|----|---|-------------|---------------|---------------|--------|
| 7              | 6 | 5 | 4       | 3 | 2 | 1  | 0 |             |               |               |        |
| 1              | 1 | 0 | 0       | 0 | — | FC | — | CPU Bus     | MAIN MEMORY   | 32 bit        |        |
| 1              | 1 | 1 | 0       | 0 | — | FC | — | CPU Bus     | Secondary Bus | 32 bit        |        |
| 1              | 1 | 1 | 1       | 0 | — | FC | — | CPU Bus     | Secondary Bus | 16 bit        |        |
| 1              | 1 | 1 | 0       | 1 | — | FC | — | CPU Bus     | Secondary Bus | 8 bit         |        |
| 1              | 1 | 1 | 1       | 1 | X | X  | X | Forbidden ! |               |               |        |
| 0              | 0 | — | AM Code |   | — |    |   |             |               | VMEbus        | 32 bit |
| 1              | 0 | — | AM Code |   | — |    |   |             |               | VMEbus        | 16 bit |
| 0              | 1 | — | AM Code |   | — |    |   |             |               | VMEbus        | 8 bit  |
| 1              | 1 | 0 | 0       | 1 | 0 | 0  | 0 | AUX Bus     | 8 bit         |               |        |

FC = Function Code according to address space type encoding of the 68020/68030 processor

AM Code = Address Modifier Code defined in the VMEbus specification

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### 3.3.3 General Control Register DMAGENERAL

The DMAGENERAL Register is used to enable the DMA Controller function and selects the count mode for the source and destination addresses.

|        |        |               |   |   |   |   |        |
|--------|--------|---------------|---|---|---|---|--------|
| 7      | 6      | 5             | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0      |
| CNTSRC | CNTDST | reserved bits |   |   |   |   | DMAENA |

|          |                 |  |
|----------|-----------------|--|
| <b>7</b> | <b>CNTSRC</b> - | This bit selects the count mode for the source address register. |
| 1        |                 | The source address register does <b>not</b> count.               |
| 0        |                 | The source address register counts up.                           |

|          |                 |   |
|----------|-----------------|---|
| <b>6</b> | <b>CNTDST</b> - | This bit selects the count mode for the destination address register. |
| 1        |                 | The destination address register does <b>not</b> count.               |
| 0        |                 | The destination address register counts up.                           |

|             |                 |   |
|-------------|-----------------|---|
| <b>5..1</b> | <b>Reserved</b> | This bitfield is reserved for future use. The bits have to be written with "0". |
|-------------|-----------------|---|

|          |                 |   |
|----------|-----------------|---|
| <b>0</b> | <b>DMAENA</b> - | This bit is a general enable bit for the DMA Controller function. |
| 1        |                 | The DMA Controller is enabled                                     |
| 0        |                 | The DMA Controller is under reset                                 |

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### 3.3.4 Run Control Register DMARUNCTL

The DMARUNCTL Register is used for the evaluation of the DMA operating state and to start and stop the DMA Controller function. The OPSTATE bit is read only and indicates whether the DMA Controller is running or idle. Writing the OPSTATE bit with any data has no effect. The START/STOP bit is used to start DMA operation and to stop the DMA controller before it has completed the task. The START/STOP bit always returns zero when the register is read.

| 7       | 6 | 5 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0              |
|---------|---|---|---|---|---|---|----------------|
| OPSTATE | - | - | - | - | - | - | START/<br>STOP |

|          |
|----------|
| <b>7</b> |
|----------|

**OPSTATE** - The bit reflects the operating state of the DMA Controller.

|   |   |
|---|---|
| 1 | The DMA Controller is running           |
| 0 | The DMA Controller is in the idle state |

|          |
|----------|
| <b>0</b> |
|----------|

**START/STOP** - Writing this bit will start or stop the DMA Controller operation. Writing this bit ...

|   |                          |
|---|--------------------------|
| 1 | starts the DMA operation |
| 0 | stops the DMA operation  |

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### 3.3.5 Mode Status Register DMAMODE

The DMAMODE status register contains a status bit which indicates if the DMA Controller is operating in the source mode or in the destination mode.

|      |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
|------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 7    | 6 | 5 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| MODE | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |

|          |               |   |
|----------|---------------|---|
| <b>7</b> | <b>MODE -</b> | The bit indicates the operating mode of the DMA Controller. |
| 1        |               | The DMA Controller is operating in the source mode          |
| 0        |               | The DMA Controller is operating in the destination mode     |

### 3.3.6 Source Address Register DMASRCADR

The 32 bit wide Source Address Register DMASRCADR is to be initialized with the start address for the source port. It is used to generate the source addressing sequence and holds the actual source address after termination of the transfer.

|                |    |    |    |    |   |   |   |
|----------------|----|----|----|----|---|---|---|
| 31             | 24 | 23 | 16 | 15 | 8 | 7 | 0 |
| Source Address |    |    |    |    |   |   |   |

### 3.3.7 Destination Address Register DMADSTADR

The 32 bit wide Destination Address Register DMADSTADR is to be initialized with the start address of the destination port. It is used to generate the destination addressing sequence and holds the actual destination address after termination of the transfer.

|                     |    |    |    |    |   |   |   |
|---------------------|----|----|----|----|---|---|---|
| 31                  | 24 | 23 | 16 | 15 | 8 | 7 | 0 |
| Destination Address |    |    |    |    |   |   |   |

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### 3.3.8 Transfer Count Register DMATRFCNT

The 32 bit wide Transfer Count Register DMATRFCNT is used to define the number of bytes to be transferred in a DMA task. The contents of the Transfer Count Register after reset or after a successful completion of the DMA job are \$FFFFFFFF. If a transfer cycle is terminated by a bus error or the DMA was forced to stop the operation, the register holds the remaining number of bytes the DMA Controller was not able to transfer.

|                     |    |    |    |    |   |   |   |
|---------------------|----|----|----|----|---|---|---|
| 31                  | 24 | 23 | 16 | 15 | 8 | 7 | 0 |
| Byte Transfer Count |    |    |    |    |   |   |   |

### 3.3.9 Interrupt Control Register Normal Termination ICRDMANOR

The ICRDMANOR control register is used to configure the interrupt channel "DMA Normal" for the normal termination interrupt. Please refer to the section INTERRUPT MANAGEMENT for more details.

|   |   |   |   |               |           |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|---------------|-----------|---|---|
| 7 | 6 | 5 | 4 | 3             | 2         | 1 | 0 |
| - | - | - | - | IRQ<br>Enable | IRQ Level |   |   |

|          |                     |  |
|----------|---------------------|--|
| <b>3</b> | <b>IRQ Enable -</b> | The bit enables or disables the interrupt channel. |
|----------|---------------------|--|

|   |                               |
|---|-------------------------------|
| 1 | Interrupt channel is enabled  |
| 0 | Interrupt channel is disabled |

|             |                    |   |
|-------------|--------------------|---|
| <b>2..0</b> | <b>IRQ Level -</b> | This bit field defines the interrupt request level. |
|-------------|--------------------|---|

|     |                   |
|-----|-------------------|
| 000 | No level selected |
| 001 | Level 1           |
| 010 | Level 2           |
| 011 | Level 3           |
| 100 | Level 4           |
| 101 | Level 5           |
| 110 | Level 6           |
| 111 | Level 7           |

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### 3.3.10 Interrupt Control Register Error Termination ICRDMAERR

The ICRDMAERR control register is used to configure the interrupt channel "DMA Error" which is assigned to the error termination interrupt. Please refer to the section INTERRUPT MANAGEMENT for more details.

|   |   |   |   |               |           |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|---------------|-----------|---|---|
| 7 | 6 | 5 | 4 | 3             | 2         | 1 | 0 |
| - | - | - | - | IRQ<br>Enable | IRQ Level |   |   |

|          |
|----------|
| <b>3</b> |
|----------|

**IRQ Enable** - The bit enables or disables the interrupt channel.

|   |                               |
|---|-------------------------------|
| 1 | Interrupt channel is enabled  |
| 0 | Interrupt channel is disabled |

|             |
|-------------|
| <b>2..0</b> |
|-------------|

**IRQ Level** - This bit field defines the interrupt request level.

|     |                    |
|-----|--------------------|
| 000 | Interrupt disabled |
| 001 | Level 1            |
| 010 | Level 2            |
| 011 | Level 3            |
| 100 | Level 4            |
| 101 | Level 5            |
| 110 | Level 6            |
| 111 | Level 7            |

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### 3.3.11 Interrupt Status Register Normal Termination ISDMANORM

The ISDMANORM status register contains the IRQ Status bit for the Normal termination interrupt. The bit indicates zero if the interrupt request is pending. A write access to the status register location clears the normal termination interrupt. The written data will be ignored.

|            |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
|------------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 7          | 6 | 5 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| IRQ Status | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |

|   |  |
|---|--|
| 7 | <b>IRQ Status</b> - The IRQ Status register bit displays if an interrupt request is pending. |
| 1 | is returned, if <b>no</b> interrupt is pending   |
| 0 | is returned, if the interrupt is pending   |

### 3.3.12 Interrupt Status Register Error Termination ISDMAERR

The ISDMAERR status register contains the IRQ Status bit for the Error termination interrupt. The bit indicates zero if an interrupt request is pending. A write access to the status register location clears the error termination interrupt. The written data will be ignored.

|            |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
|------------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 7          | 6 | 5 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| IRQ Status | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |

|   |  |
|---|--|
| 7 | <b>IRQ Status</b> - The IRQ Status register bit displays if an interrupt request is pending. |
| 1 | is returned, if <b>no</b> interrupt is pending   |
| 0 | is returned, if the interrupt is pending   |

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### 1. THE CONCEPT OF FMB

Consider the situation where a master wants to transfer data to several slaves at the same time.

Normally the master, which transfers the data, would have to address each slave in turn and runs the risk of losing the bus mastership (if a higher priority master requests it) before it has transferred the data to all slaves.

Likewise the master could receive an interrupt which would also disturb the transfer (disabling the interrupts for such a length of time is not a good solution).

To solve this problem FORCE COMPUTERS defined the FORCE Message Broadcast -FMB- as a means of transferring data to several boards (up to 20) simultaneously.

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## **2. FMB DEFINITION**

### **2.1 Introduction**

The FMB concept defines a slave interface which makes it possible to transfer data simultaneously to one or more (possibly all) boards in a VMEbus system. All operations of the FMB slave are compatible with the existing VMEbus Specification Rev.C.

Any VME Master with 32 bit addressing capability can accomplish an FMB broadcast cycle. That is a write cycle to one or more slaves on the VMEbus. The slaves need to have a special FMB protocol handling. The master needs absolutely no special FMB hardware.

From the master's point of view, the Message Broadcast cycle is a write cycle to the Extended Address Space (A32) with the Address Modifier code \$09 or \$0D for Extended User/ Supervisory Data Access.

The FMB definition includes two channels where a message can be sent to. The slave has to store the messages in dual ported registers or fifos.

In order that the register/fifo is emptied from messages as soon as possible, each FMB channel must be connected to the CPU interrupt logics. The channel has to request service when there is message data stored in its register/fifo.

If the FMB channel FIFO or buffer is full, then no new FMB transfer to that channel is possible. The concept that all boards addressed should react the same way requires that if one board cannot accept the message, then any other board should be prevented from fetching the message. Therefore, the board that is incapable of fetching the message has to send out a signal that the cycle is to be aborted. This action is performed via the BERR\* signal of the VMEbus.

In an FMB cycle, each addressed slave monitors the BERR\* signal line. This line is driven low immediately by a slave if it is not able to read in the message. If the BERR\* signal is asserted within a specified time window, each other addressed slave refuses to store the message in its register.

Otherwise, all addressed slaves fetch the message data and terminate the cycle. The master that wanted to transfer the message can react to the bus error exception by trying the message passing cycle repeatedly. A successful FMB cycle is terminated by DTACK\* assertion. It is possible that several boards assert DTACK\* at the same time.

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### 2.2 The FMB Data Format Definition

The FORCE Message broadcast definition allows message data to be sent in a Byte, Word or Long data format. The message is transferred on the data lines D00 - D31 of the VMEbus backplane. The VMEbus signal lines A1 and LWORD\* should be used according to the VMEbus addressing conventions for data transfer. In the same way, DS1\* and DS0\* have to be driven according to the VMEbus specification.

The following FMB message transfers are defined:

| DATA FORMAT  | A1 | LWORD* | DS1* | DS0* | Data Lines |
|--------------|----|--------|------|------|------------|
| Byte Message | 1  | 1      | 1    | 0    | D07...D0   |
| Word Message | 1  | 1      | 0    | 0    | D15...D0   |
| Long Message | 0  | 0      | 0    | 0    | D31...D0   |

**Note:** To ensure that slave boards with Byte, Word or Long data formats can be used together in a system, it is necessary that each FMB Slave board accepts any data format without generating a bus error to the VMEbus. This guarantees that data sent on the D7-D0 signal lines will be accepted by every slave as message data.

### 2.3 The FMB Decoding Definition

#### 2.3.1 FMB Area Decoding

The FMB area decoding is performed with the VMEbus address lines A31 - A24. They select the FMB area from the 4 Gbyte total address space. There must not be any slave responding in the defined FMB area other than according to the FMB protocol.

#### 2.3.2 FMB Channel Decoding

The address line A23 selects one of two FMB channels. Channel 0 is addressed with A23=0 (low), channel 1 is addressed with A23=1(high).

### **2.3.3 FMB Board Decoding**

The FMB board decoding is performed by the address lines A22 to A2. The VMEbus specifies a maximum of 21 slots in a VMEbus rack where boards can be installed. Each address line is assigned to one slot in the VMEbus rack. Address lines A22 through A2 address slots 21 through 1 respectively.

A logical one (1) on these address lines means that the FMB slave in the corresponding slot is addressed. A logical zero on the address line means that the board is not addressed.

Any combination is allowed. For example, if the address lines A2, A3 and A15 are high, the boards installed in slot 1, slot 2 and slot 14 are addressed.

Naturally, an FMB slave needs to have a register or other logic built in where the respective slot number is available for the decoding logic.

The following table shows the assignment of the address lines to the slot numbers.

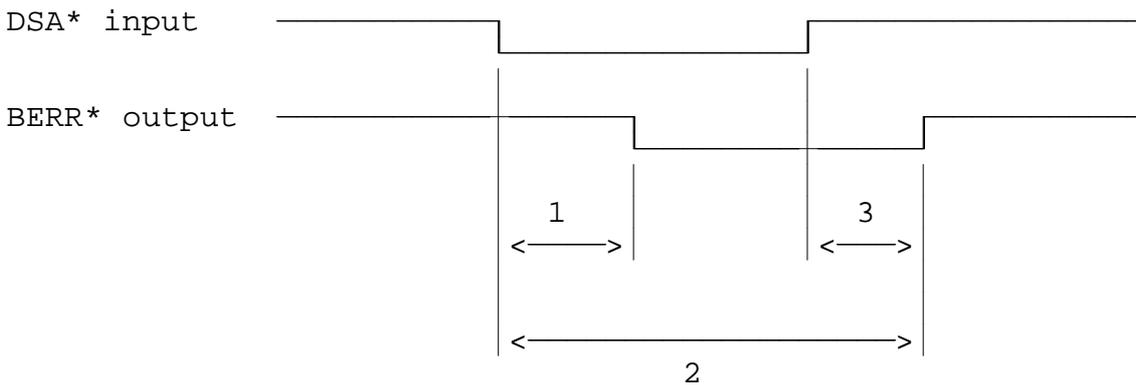
| VMEbus Address Line | Slot Number |
|---------------------|-------------|
| A2                  | 1           |
| A3                  | 2           |
| A4                  | 3           |
| A5                  | 4           |
| A6                  | 5           |
| A7                  | 6           |
| A8                  | 7           |
| A9                  | 8           |
| A10                 | 9           |
| A11                 | 10          |
| A12                 | 11          |
| A13                 | 12          |
| A14                 | 13          |
| A15                 | 14          |
| A16                 | 15          |
| A17                 | 16          |
| A18                 | 17          |
| A19                 | 18          |
| A20                 | 19          |
| A21                 | 20          |
| A22                 | 21          |

**2.4     The Timing of FMB Cycles**

**2.4.1   Own Refused Message Cycle**

If a slave recognises that it is addressed as an FMB slave, but cannot accept a message, then the board asserts the BERR\* signal of the VMEbus as soon as possible, according to the timing given in Figure 2-1, so that all the other FMB slaves have enough time to abort a possible fetch of the message data. The BERR\* output must stay asserted for the specified time to make sure that a contiguous BERR\* assertion occurs if more than one FMB slave cannot accept the message. Also, the BERR\* assertion timing guarantees that all other FMB slaves have enough time to abort the cycle and thus prevent the master from starting a new data cycle as long as the slaves are not ready.

**Figure 2-1:   Refused Cycle Timing Due to Own Decision**



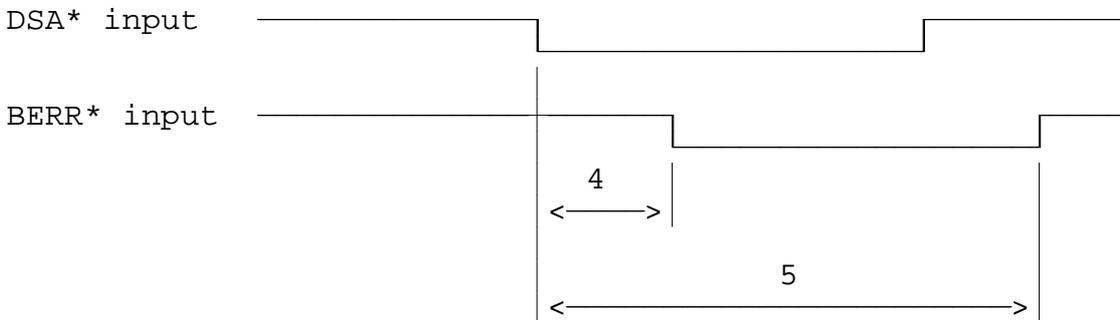
**Table 2-1:   Timing Parameters for a Refused Cycle Due to Own Decision**

| Parameter | min(ns) | max(ns) |
|-----------|---------|---------|
| 1         | 50      | 140     |
| 2         | 540     | ---     |
| 3         | 0       | ---     |

**2.4.2 Foreign Refused Message Cycle Timing**

If a slave recognises that it is addressed as an FMB slave, and it is ready to accept message data, then it first checks whether or not another FMB slave has asserted BERR\* to abort the FMB transmission. If BERR\* is sensed asserted in the time window as defined in Figure 2-2, then the cycle will not be executed and neither the DTACK\* output nor the BERR\* output will be asserted to the VMEbus.

**Figure 2-2: Refused Cycle Timing Due to the Decision of Another Slave**



**Table 2-2: Timing Parameters for a Refused Cycle Due to the Decision of Another Slave**

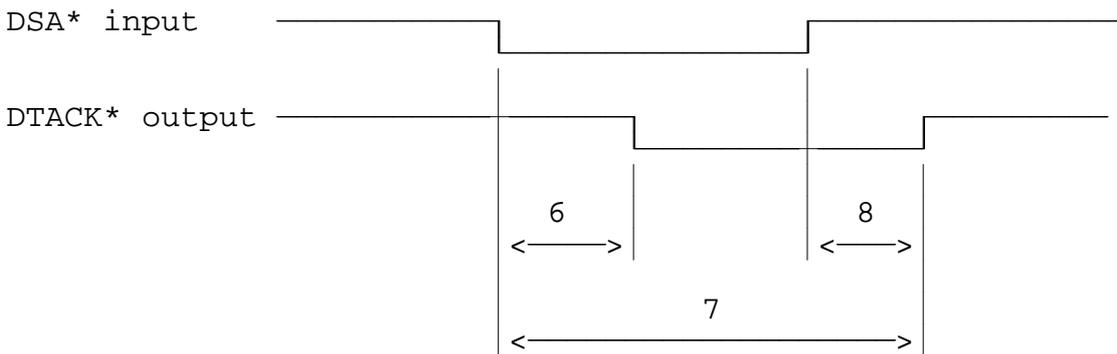
| Parameter | min(ns) | max(ns) |
|-----------|---------|---------|
| 4         | ---     | 170     |
| 5         | 350     | ---     |

**2.4.3 Accepted Message Cycle Timing**

If a slave recognizes that it is addressed as an FMB slave, and is ready to accept message data, then it first observes the BERR\* input signal. If BERR\* is not asserted in the specified time widow, then the message data will be fetched and DTACK\* will be asserted according to the timing given in the following table.

The minimum time before releasing DTACK\* guarantees that if several slaves respond to the same FMB cycle, then a continuous DTACK\* assertion will take place. The master will be prevented from starting a new data cycle too early by the slaves holding DTACK\* asserted for a defined time.

**Figure 2-3: Accepted Cycle Timing**



**Table 2-3: Timing Parameters for an Accepted Cycle**

| Parameter | min(ns) | max(ns) |
|-----------|---------|---------|
| 6         | 420     | 510     |
| 7         | 540     | ---     |
| 8         | 0       | ---     |

3. FEATURES OF THE FGA-002 FMB INTERFACE

- Full compatibility with the VMEbus Specification Rev C.
- 2 FMB Channels for high and low prioritized messages
- 8 bit wide message data
- FIFO depth of 8 Bytes on FMB Channel 0
- FIFO depth of 1 Byte on FMB Channel 1
- Software selectable FMB address decoding
- 2 vectored interrupts for each FMB channel
- Programmable interrupt levels
- Software selectable address modifier decoding
- No special hardware requirements for the message broadcasting master

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### 4. GENERAL DESCRIPTION

The FGA-002 Gate Array has implemented the FMB structure with byte wide message data. The message is to be sent by the broadcasting master on the D7 - D0 data lines of the VMEbus. With the FGA-002 Gate Array, any FMB data cycle (Byte, Word or Long data format) is allowed. The message data will always be fetched from the VME Data Bus on the D7 - D0 signal lines.

The FMB Slave interface on the FGA-002 gate array includes two channels. The channels are selected by the VMEbus address line A23. A low state (logical 0) on A23 selects channel 0 while the high state (logical 1) selects channel 1.

FMB channel 0 can receive data through a dual ported FIFO. In the current version of the gate array, the FIFO contains eight entries of 1 byte each. Transfer bursts of some bytes are possible, but the reaction delay of different slaves to the same message can vary significantly. Data received for FMB channel 1 is stored in a latch of one entry only (1 byte). No new message will be accepted until the register contents are fetched by the local CPU. This structure means that variations in reaction delay are limited or at least more predictable.

The received messages are available for the local CPU by reading the registers FMBCH0 and FMBCH1.

A read access to an empty FMB FIFO will lead to a bus error termination of the cycle.

With the FGA-002 gate array the FMB area decoding is software selectable by the FMBAREA register. The FMB area is reserved only for message broadcast cycles. There must not be any slave responding in the defined FMB Area other than according to the FMB protocol.

The code for the VME slot, in which the board is installed, is programmable in the control register FMBCTL. This register controls further functions for the FMB channels like enable/ disable control and Supervisor/User access control.

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5. FMB INTERRUPT

For each FMB channel, a "message" interrupt and a "refused" interrupt is available.

The message interrupt request is generated if one or more messages are received. As long as the FIFO has a message stored, the message interrupt is pending. The message interrupt will be negated after the FIFO has been emptied. The state of the "FMB message" interrupt is readable at the register ISFMBOMES for channel 0 and register ISFMB1MES for channel 1.

A second interrupt source which is available for each FMB channel is the "FMB refused" interrupt request. This interrupt becomes active if an FMB cycle is attempted and the addressed slave cannot accept the message because its FIFO is full. The interrupt could be used by the slave CPU to count unsuccessful message cycles. The FMB refused interrupt is cleared by writing the corresponding interrupt status register with any data.

The FMB interrupt channels can be configured to interrupt the cpu at any level. If both message interrupts are programmed to the same level, higher interrupt priority is given to messages sent to FMB Channel 1, since the FMB1 message interrupt is ahead of the FMB0 message interrupt in the daisy chain.

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### 6. FMB REGISTERS

#### 6.1 FMB Register Organization

The following outlines the organization of the FMB registers.

|  |            |                                    |  |
|--|------------|------------------------------------|--|
| 31   | 24         |                                    |  |
| <table border="1"><tr><td>FMBCTL</td></tr></table>     | FMBCTL     | FMB Control Register               |  |
| FMBCTL   |            |                                    |  |
| <table border="1"><tr><td>FMBAREA</td></tr></table>    | FMBAREA    | FMB Area Register                  |  |
| FMBAREA  |            |                                    |  |
| <table border="1"><tr><td>ICRFMB0MES</td></tr></table> | ICRFMB0MES | Interrupt Control FMB0 Message     |  |
| ICRFMB0MES   |            |                                    |  |
| <table border="1"><tr><td>ICRFMB0REF</td></tr></table> | ICRFMB0REF | Interrupt Control FBM0 Refused     |  |
| ICRFMB0REF   |            |                                    |  |
| <table border="1"><tr><td>ICRFMB1MES</td></tr></table> | ICRFMB1MES | Interrupt Control FMB1 Message     |  |
| ICRFMB1MES   |            |                                    |  |
| <table border="1"><tr><td>ICRFMB1REF</td></tr></table> | ICRFMB1REF | Interrupt Control FMB1 Refused     |  |
| ICRFMB1REF   |            |                                    |  |
| <table border="1"><tr><td>ISFMB0MES</td></tr></table>  | ISFMB0MES  | Interrupt Status FMB0 Message      |  |
| ISFMB0MES  |            |                                    |  |
| <table border="1"><tr><td>ISFMB0REF</td></tr></table>  | ISFMB0REF  | Interrupt Status FMB0 Refused      |  |
| ISFMB0REF  |            |                                    |  |
| <table border="1"><tr><td>ISFMB1MES</td></tr></table>  | ISFMB1MES  | Interrupt Status FMB1 Message      |  |
| ISFMB1MES  |            |                                    |  |
| <table border="1"><tr><td>ISFMB1REF</td></tr></table>  | ISFMB1REF  | Interrupt Status FMB1 Refused      |  |
| ISFMB1REF  |            |                                    |  |
| 31   |            | 0                                  |  |
| <table border="1"><tr><td>FMBCH0</td></tr></table>     | FMBCH0     | Channel 0 Message Readout Register |  |
| FMBCH0   |            |                                    |  |
| <table border="1"><tr><td>FMBCH1</td></tr></table>     | FMBCH1     | Channel 1 Message Readout Register |  |
| FMBCH1   |            |                                    |  |

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### 6.2 FMB Register Address Assignment

The following chart details the address assignment of the FMB register.

| FMB Register            | Mnemonic   | Address    | R/W | Default |
|-------------------------|------------|------------|-----|---------|
| FMB Control Register    | FMBCTL     | \$FFD00338 | R/W | \$00    |
| FMB Area Register       | FMBAREA    | \$FFD0033C | R/W | \$00    |
| Int.Ctl. FMB0 Message   | ICRFMB0MES | \$FFD00248 | R/W | \$00    |
| Int.Ctl. FMB0 Refused   | ICRFMB0REF | \$FFD00240 | R/W | \$00    |
| Int.Ctl. FMB1 Message   | ICRFMB1MES | \$FFD0024C | R/W | \$00    |
| Int.Ctl. FMB1 Refused   | ICRFMB1REF | \$FFD00244 | R/W | \$00    |
| Int.Status FMB0 Message | ISFMB0MES  | \$FFD004E0 | R/W | \$80    |
| Int.Status FMB0 Refused | ISFMB0REF  | \$FFD004B8 | R/W | \$80    |
| Int.Status FMB1 Message | ISFMB1MES  | \$FFD004E4 | R/W | \$80    |
| Int.Status FMB1 Refused | ISFMB1REF  | \$FFD004BC | R/W | \$80    |
| MessageReadout Channel0 | FMBCH0     | \$FFDC0000 | R   | -       |
| MessageReadout Channel1 | FMBCH1     | \$FFDC0004 | R   | -       |

### 6.3 FMB Register Description

#### 6.3.1 FMB Control Register FMBCTL

The FMBCTL register is a general control register for both channels, the FMB0 channel and FMB1 channel. The bit field 4..0 is used to store the slot which corresponds to the slot number where the board is installed in the VMEbus system. Bits 5 and 6 enables/disables the FMB channels 0 and 1 for FMB cycles. Bit 7 selects if the FMB cycle is to be performed with the Address Modifier Code for Extended Supervisory data access \$0D, or also with the AM-Code for Extended Non-Privileged Data Access \$09.

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Format of FMBCTL

|              |        |        |           |   |   |   |   |
|--------------|--------|--------|-----------|---|---|---|---|
| 7            | 6      | 5      | 4         | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| USER<br>MODE | ENACH1 | ENACH0 | SLOT CODE |   |   |   |   |

|          |                   |  |
|----------|-------------------|--|
| <b>7</b> | <b>USERMODE -</b> | This bit selects the Address Modifier code, which the master has to send to address the FMB slave in an FMB cycle. |
| 1        |                   | FMB slave is accessible with Extended User/Supervisor Data Access AM-Code \$0D/\$09                                |
| 0        |                   | FMB slave is accessible <b>only</b> with Extended Supervisory Data Access AM-Code \$0D.                            |
| <b>6</b> | <b>ENACH1 -</b>   | This bit enables or disables the FMB Channel 1 for FMB cycles.   |
| 1        |                   | Enabled  |
| 0        |                   | Disabled   |
| <b>5</b> | <b>ENACH0 -</b>   | This bit enables or disables the FMB Channel 0 for FMB cycles.   |
| 1        |                   | Enabled  |
| 0        |                   | Disabled   |

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**SLOTCODE** - The bit field is used to store the slot code which corresponds to the VMEbus slot number where the board is installed.

| 4..0 | Slot Number |
|------|-------------|
| \$01 | 1           |
| \$02 | 2           |
| \$03 | 3           |
| \$04 | 4           |
| \$05 | 5           |
| \$06 | 6           |
| \$07 | 7           |
| \$08 | 8           |
| \$09 | 9           |
| \$0A | 10          |
| \$0B | 11          |
| \$0C | 12          |
| \$0D | 13          |
| \$0E | 14          |
| \$0F | 15          |
| \$10 | 16          |
| \$11 | 17          |
| \$12 | 18          |
| \$13 | 19          |
| \$14 | 20          |
| \$15 | 21          |

### 6.3.2 FMB Area Register FMBAREA

The FMBAREA register defines the address space of the FMB Area. The area is selected from the 4 GByte total address space by a comparison of the VMEbus address signals A31..A24 with the register bits F31..F24. The area is addressed when the address signals match the register bit pattern.

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Format of FMBAREA

|     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| 7   | 6   | 5   | 4   | 3   | 2   | 1   | 0   |
| F31 | F30 | F29 | F28 | F27 | F26 | F25 | F24 |

7..0

**F31..F24** - The bits define the FMB decoding area

The register bits correspond to the VME address lines as follows:

|              |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
|--------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| Register Bit | F31 | F30 | F29 | F28 | F27 | F26 | F25 | F24 |
| Address line | A31 | A30 | A29 | A28 | A27 | A26 | A25 | A24 |

### 6.3.3 Interrupt Control Register Channel0 Message ICRFMB0MES

The ICRFMB0MES control register is used to configure the interrupt channel "FMB0 Message", handling the channel 0 message interrupt.

Format of ICRFMB0MES

|   |   |   |   |            |           |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|------------|-----------|---|---|
| 7 | 6 | 5 | 4 | 3          | 2         | 1 | 0 |
| - | - | - | - | IRQ Enable | IRQ Level |   |   |

### 6.3.4 Interrupt Control Register Channel0 Refused ICRFMB0REF

The ICRFMB0REF control register is used to configure the interrupt channel "FMB0 Refused" which is assigned to the channel 0 refused interrupt.

Format of ICRFMB0REF

|   |   |   |   |            |           |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|------------|-----------|---|---|
| 7 | 6 | 5 | 4 | 3          | 2         | 1 | 0 |
| - | - | - | - | IRQ Enable | IRQ Level |   |   |

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### 6.3.5 Interrupt Control Register Channel 1 Message ICRFMB1MES

The ICRFMB1MES control register is used to configure the interrupt channel "FMB1 Message" , handling the message interrupt of Channel 1.

Format of ICRFMB1MES

| 7 | 6 | 5 | 4 | 3          | 2         | 1 | 0 |
|---|---|---|---|------------|-----------|---|---|
| - | - | - | - | IRQ Enable | IRQ Level |   |   |

### 6.3.6 Interrupt Control Register Channel 1 Refused ICRFMB1REF

The ICRFMB1REF control register is used to configure the interrupt channel "FMB1 Refused" which is assigned to the channel 1 refused interrupt.

Format of ICRFMB1REF

| 7 | 6 | 5 | 4 | 3          | 2         | 1 | 0 |
|---|---|---|---|------------|-----------|---|---|
| - | - | - | - | IRQ Enable | IRQ Level |   |   |

Bit function of the FMB interrupt control registers:

|   |
|---|
| 3 |
|---|

**IRQ Enable** - The bit enables or disables the interrupt channel.

0

Interrupt channel is disabled

1

Interrupt channel is enabled

2..0

**IRQ Level** - This bit field defines the interrupt request level.

| 2..0 | Interrupt Level    |
|------|--------------------|
| 000  | Interrupt disabled |
| 001  | Level 1            |
| 010  | Level 2            |
| 011  | Level 3            |
| 100  | Level 4            |
| 101  | Level 5            |
| 110  | Level 6            |
| 111  | Level 7            |

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### 6.3.7 Interrupt Status Register Channel0 Message ISFMB0MES

The ISFMB0MES status register contains the IRQ status bit assigned to the channel0 message interrupt. The status bit displays zero on a pending message interrupt request for FMB channel 0. The interrupt condition is negated when the FMB FIFO is empty.

| 7          | 6 | 5 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
|------------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| IRQ Status | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |

**7** **IRQ Status** - The IRQ Status register bit shows if an interrupt is pending.

1 is returned, if **no** interrupt is pending  
0 is returned, if an interrupt is pending

### 6.3.8 Interrupt Status Register Channel0 Refused ISFMB0REF

The ISFMB0REF status register contains the IRQ Status flag assigned to the channel0 refused interrupt request. A write access to the ISFMB0REF register clears the "Refused interrupt".

| 7          | 6 | 5 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
|------------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| IRQ Status | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |

**7** **IRQ Status** - The IRQ Status register bit shows if an interrupt is pending. Writing the status register with any data clears the interrupt.

1 is returned, if **no** interrupt is pending  
0 is returned, if an interrupt is pending

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### 6.3.9 Interrupt Status Register Channel 1 Message ISFMB1MES

The ISFMB1MES status register contains the IRQ Status flag assigned to the channel 1 message interrupt request. The status bit displays zero on a pending message interrupt request of FMB channel 1. The interrupt condition is negated when the FMB FIFO is empty.

| 7          | 6 | 5 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
|------------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| IRQ Status | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |

**7**      **IRQ Status** - The IRQ Status register bit shows if an interrupt is pending.

1                      is returned, if **no** interrupt is pending  
0                      is returned, if an interrupt is pending

### 6.3.10 Interrupt Status Register Channel 1 Refused ISFMB1REF

The ISFMB1REF status register contains the IRQ Status flag assigned to the channel 1 refused interrupt request. A write access to the ISFMB0REF register clears the "Refused interrupt".

| 7          | 6 | 5 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
|------------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| IRQ Status | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |

**7**      **IRQ Status** - The IRQ Status register bit shows if an interrupt is pending. Writing the status register with any data clears the interrupt.

1                      is returned, if **no** interrupt is pending  
0                      is returned, if an interrupt is pending

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### 6.3.11 Message Readout Register Channel 0 FMBCH0

The FMBCH0 register is used to read the messages sent to FMB channel 0. The register can only be read. The message data is presented on the data bits 7-0.

|    |    |    |    |    |   |   |         |
|----|----|----|----|----|---|---|---------|
| 31 | 24 | 23 | 16 | 15 | 8 | 7 | 0       |
| -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | - | - | MESSAGE |

|             |                |   |   |
|-------------|----------------|---|---|
| <b>7..0</b> | <b>MESSAGE</b> | - | These bits contain the message data from FMB channel 0. |
|-------------|----------------|---|---|

### 6.3.12 Message Readout Register Channel 1 FMBCH1

The FMBCH0 register is used to read the messages sent to FMB channel 1. The register can only be read. The message data is presented on the data bits 7-0.

|    |    |    |    |    |   |   |         |
|----|----|----|----|----|---|---|---------|
| 31 | 24 | 23 | 16 | 15 | 8 | 7 | 0       |
| -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | - | - | MESSAGE |

|             |                |   |   |
|-------------|----------------|---|---|
| <b>7..0</b> | <b>MESSAGE</b> | - | These bits contain the message data from FMB channel 1. |
|-------------|----------------|---|---|

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### 1. FEATURES

- 8 Mailboxes
- Mailboxes accessible from CPU side and VME side
- Interrupt capability for each mailbox
- Programmable interrupt level
- 8 Individual interrupt vectors

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### 2. GENERAL DESCRIPTION

The FGA-002 Gate Array includes eight dual ported mailboxes. The mailboxes are specified as address locations which are able to trigger interrupts if an access to them is performed. The mailboxes can be accessed from the local and VME side.

Each mailbox is assigned to an interrupt channel and is thus able to interrupt to the local CPU. The interrupts can be triggered from the local side as well as from the VME side. The accessibility of mailbox locations from the local side allows the local CPU to generate interrupt requests to itself.

The mailboxes provide a means to synchronize multiple CPU boards in a VMEbus environment by interrupts. In using the mailbox interrupt capability, interrupts can be sent by each board to any other board individually. Additionally, this method of interrupt generation reduces VMEbus load as the local CPUs will fetch the vector from the FGA-002 Gate Array and not from the VME bus.

The Interrupt level for each mailbox interrupt is software selectable and an individual interrupt vector for each mailbox interrupt is provided by the gate array.

For processor-to-processor communication, the mailboxes also can be used as semaphores. The allocation of a mailbox is done only by a standard read cycle instead of a read-modify-write operation to a global or a dual-ported memory location.

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### 3. MAILBOX INTERRUPT REGISTERS

#### 3.1 Register Organization

The following is an organizational outline of the mailbox interrupt control registers.

|          |    |                                      |  |
|----------|----|--------------------------------------|--|
| 31       | 24 |                                      |  |
| ICRMBOX0 |    | Interrupt Control Register Mailbox 0 |  |
| ICRMBOX1 |    | Interrupt Control Register Mailbox 1 |  |
| ICRMBOX2 |    | Interrupt Control Register Mailbox 2 |  |
| ICRMBOX3 |    | Interrupt Control Register Mailbox 3 |  |
| ICRMBOX4 |    | Interrupt Control Register Mailbox 4 |  |
| ICRMBOX5 |    | Interrupt Control Register Mailbox 5 |  |
| ICRMBOX6 |    | Interrupt Control Register Mailbox 6 |  |
| ICRMBOX7 |    | Interrupt Control Register Mailbox 7 |  |

#### 3.2 Register Addressing Assignments

| Mailbox Interrupt Reg. | Mnemonic | Address    | R/W | Default |
|------------------------|----------|------------|-----|---------|
| Int.Ctl. Mailbox0      | ICRMBOX0 | \$FFD00000 | R/W | \$00    |
| Int.Ctl. Mailbox1      | ICRMBOX1 | \$FFD00004 | R/W | \$00    |
| Int.Ctl. Mailbox2      | ICRMBOX2 | \$FFD00008 | R/W | \$00    |
| Int.Ctl. Mailbox3      | ICRMBOX3 | \$FFD0000C | R/W | \$00    |
| Int.Ctl. Mailbox4      | ICRMBOX4 | \$FFD00010 | R/W | \$00    |
| Int.Ctl. Mailbox5      | ICRMBOX5 | \$FFD00014 | R/W | \$00    |
| Int.Ctl. Mailbox6      | ICRMBOX6 | \$FFD00018 | R/W | \$00    |
| Int.Ctl. Mailbox7      | ICRMBOX7 | \$FFD0001C | R/W | \$00    |

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### 3.3 Register Description

#### 3.3.1 Interrupt Control Register ICRMBOX 0-7

The ICRMBOX 0-7 control registers are used to configure the interrupt channels for interrupts initiated by mailboxes 0-7.

Format of ICRMBOX 0-7

|   |   |   |   |            |           |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|------------|-----------|---|---|
| 7 | 6 | 5 | 4 | 3          | 2         | 1 | 0 |
| - | - | - | - | IRQ Enable | IRQ Level |   |   |

**3** **IRQ Enable** - The bit enables or disables the interrupt channel.

1 Interrupt channel is enabled  
0 Interrupt channel is disabled

**2..0** **IRQ Level** - This bit field defines the interrupt request level.

|      |                    |
|------|--------------------|
| 2..0 | Interrupt Level    |
| 000  | Interrupt disabled |
| 001  | Level 1            |
| 010  | Level 2            |
| 011  | Level 3            |
| 100  | Level 4            |
| 101  | Level 5            |
| 110  | Level 6            |
| 111  | Level 7            |

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### 4. DESCRIPTION OF OPERATION

#### 4.1 Mailbox Operation

The Mailboxes of the FGA-002 gate array are readable and writable address locations. Each Mailbox is capable of storing a single bit of data. The special feature of a Mailbox is that data will be stored not only in a write cycle, but also when accessing the Mailbox location with a read cycle. A read access to this location will internally be executed as a read-and-write operation. There is no difference in the function of the Mailboxes whether they are accessed from the VME side or from the local side.

##### 4.1.1 Write cycles to a Mailbox

A write cycle to a Mailbox location causes the Mailbox to store a logical 0 (zero).

The data written to the location is irrelevant.

##### 4.1.2 Read cycles to a Mailbox

A read cycle to a Mailbox location returns the value which is actually stored in the Mailbox.

The following conditions may occur:

If the previous cycle was a write to the Mailbox, the read access will return a logical 0. If the previous cycle was a read cycle, a logical 1 will be returned.

This is so because not only a write access, but also a read access changes the contents of a Mailbox.

A read access appears as a standard read cycle to the master, but internally a read-and-write operation will be executed in the same cycle. The access is performed in such a way that after the data, which is actually stored in the Mailbox, has been latched, a logical 1 (one) is written into the Mailbox. This means that after a read cycle has been performed, the contents of a Mailbox is always a logical 1.

The states of a Mailbox can be described in terms of released and occupied. After reset the Mailbox locations are initialized to the released state. This state is characterized such that a read access will return 0 (zero). Only the first read access to a free Mailbox reflects this condition, since the read operation causes the Mailbox to be occupied. Subsequent read accesses will always return a "1" until the



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### 4.2.2 Mailbox Register Format MBOX 0-7

The following chart outlines the mailbox register format for MBOX 0-7.

| 7    | 6 | 5 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
|------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| DATA | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |

|   |   |
|---|---|
| 7 | <b>DATA -</b> The bit reflects the contents of the Mailbox. |
|---|---|

1 is returned, if the Mailbox is already occupied

0 is returned, if a released Mailbox could be occupied successfully.

### 4.3 Mailbox Access from VMEbus Side

From VME side, the Mailboxes are accessible within the decoding page for VME accesses to the FGA-002 Gate array.

This area is software programmable in the register "MYVMEPAGE" (Address \$FFD002FC), which defines the decoding page for all VME accesses to the FGA-002 Gate Array. Accesses from VMEbus side can be performed in the short address range with the SHORT USER and/or SHORT SUPERVISOR Address Modifier Code.

The Address Modifier code selection can be made in the register "CTL5" (Address \$FFD00264) by the bits 3 and 2.

Please refer to the VME Slave Interface chapter of section 1 "CPU AND VME INTERFACE" for more information about accesses to the FGA-002 gate array from VME side.

In read accesses to the Mailboxes from VME, the data is driven from the DVME15 signal of the gate array to the data line D15 on the VMEbus.

If the Mailbox locations are accessed with a Byte or Word operand, the data appears at the position of the most significant bit of the operand.

Otherwise, with long operands, the data appears at data bit 15.

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### 4.3.1 Access Addresses

The following chart displays the mailbox access addresses from VMEbus side.

| Mailbox   | VME Address |
|-----------|-------------|
| MAILBOX 0 | \$XX00      |
| MAILBOX 1 | \$XX04      |
| MAILBOX 2 | \$XX08      |
| MAILBOX 3 | \$XX0C      |
| MAILBOX 4 | \$XX10      |
| MAILBOX 5 | \$XX14      |
| MAILBOX 6 | \$XX18      |
| MAILBOX 7 | \$XX1C      |

### 4.4 Mailbox Interrupts

The active state of a Mailbox with regard to the interrupt request generation is when its contents is a logical 1 (one). This is equal to the condition when a Mailbox is occupied.

So if a read access to a Mailbox is performed, the Mailbox interrupt request will go active and is pending until the mailbox is released by a write access.

The eight Mailboxes are assigned to the Interrupt channels Mailbox 0-7.

The Mailbox interrupt channels are controlled by a set of interrupt control registers where the interrupt level and interrupt enable/ disable can be selected.

The following chart shows the assignment of the Mailboxes to the interrupt channels and the corresponding interrupt control registers:

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| Mailbox   | Interrupt Channel | Interrupt Control Register |
|-----------|-------------------|----------------------------|
| MAILBOX 0 | Mailbox 0         | \$FFD00000                 |
| MAILBOX 1 | Mailbox 1         | \$FFD00004                 |
| MAILBOX 2 | Mailbox 2         | \$FFD00008                 |
| MAILBOX 3 | Mailbox 3         | \$FFD0000C                 |
| MAILBOX 4 | Mailbox 4         | \$FFD00010                 |
| MAILBOX 5 | Mailbox 5         | \$FFD00014                 |
| MAILBOX 6 | Mailbox 6         | \$FFD00018                 |
| MAILBOX 7 | Mailbox 7         | \$FFD0001C                 |

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### I. FEATURES

- 8 bit Synchronous Counter
- 16 selectable clocks with frequencies from 1MHz to 0.5 Hz
- Autopreload and Zerostop operating modes
- Watchdog Timer operation
- SYSFAIL and/or interrupt generation
- Vectored interrupt
- Interrupt levels selectable by software

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### II. GENERAL DESCRIPTION

The FGA-002 Gate Array includes an 8 bit Timer/Counter. It can be programmed to generate periodical interrupts or a single interrupt after a programmed time period. The interrupt level is software programmable and is supported by a fixed interrupt vector.

The timer also can be used as a system watchdog timer to generate sysfail information for the VMEbus.

The generation of an interrupt or a sysfail may be enabled/disabled independently.

The clock source of the Timer/Counter can be selected from one of 16 internally generated clocks with frequencies from 0.5Hz to 1MHz.

The Timer/Counter is realised as an 8 bit synchronous down counter which can be loaded from an 8 bit preload register. The Timer/Counter function and clock selection are fully controlled by the 8 bit Timer Control Register.

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#### A. Register Organization

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TIMOPRELOAD

Timer Preload Register

TIM0CTL

Timer Control Register

TIM0COUNT

Timer Count Register

ICRTIM0

Timer Interrupt Control Register

ISTIM0

Timer Interrupt Status Register

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### B. Register Address Assignment

The following chart details the register address assignment.

| Register                | Mnemonic    | Address    | R/W   | Default |
|-------------------------|-------------|------------|-------|---------|
| Timer Preload Register  | TIMOPRELOAD | \$FFD00300 | R/W   | \$00    |
| Timer Control Register  | TIMOCTL     | \$FFD00310 | R/W   | \$00    |
| Timer Count Register    | TIMOCOUNT   | \$FFD00C00 | R/W*  | \$FF    |
| Timer Int. Control Reg. | ICRTIMO     | \$FFD00220 | R/W   | \$00    |
| Timer Int. Status Reg.  | ISTIMO      | \$FFD004A0 | R/W** | \$80    |

\* Write access causes special data transfer

\*\* Write access clears the timer interrupt

### C. Register Description

#### 1. Timer Preload Register TIMOPRELOAD

The Timer Preload Register TIMOPRELOAD contains the preset value which can be loaded into the counter circuit. The default value of this register after reset is \$00. The TIMOPRELOAD register can be read at any time but must not be altered if the timer is running.

| 7                           | 6 | 5 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
|-----------------------------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Timer/Counter preload value |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |

**7..0**

The Timer Preload register contains the 8 bit value that is loaded into the counter if the Autopreload option in the TIMOCTL register is selected and the counter reaches the value zero. Also, if a write access to the TIMOCOUNT register is performed, the counter is loaded with the value stored in the Timer Preload Register.

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### 2. Timer Control Register TIMOCTL

In the Timer Control Register TIMOCTL the operating mode and the clock source of the timer can be selected. The Timer Control Register is grouped into two major fields. Bits 7-4 define the operating mode of the timer and the sysfail option. Bits 3-0 select the source clock applied to the timer. The TIMOCTL register is cleared to \$00 after any reset operation.

| 7         | 6            | 5        | 4          | 3                   | 2 | 1 | 0 |
|-----------|--------------|----------|------------|---------------------|---|---|---|
| Zero Stop | Auto preload | Sys fail | Start Stop | source clock select |   |   |   |

|          |                 |  |
|----------|-----------------|--|
| <b>7</b> | <b>Zerostop</b> | This bit selects whether the counter stops when reaching zero count or continues counting down. The value the counter will decrement to next depends on the setting of bit 6 of this register, which is the Autopreload bit. |
| 1        |                 | The counter continues counting down.   |
| 0        |                 | The counter stops on zero count.   |

|          |                    |  |
|----------|--------------------|--|
| <b>6</b> | <b>Autopreload</b> | This bit selects whether the counter rolls over from \$00 to the value \$FF and continues counting down or is preset by the contents of the timer preload register after reaching the zero count. The Autopreload option may be ignored if the counter is programmed to stop on zero count.      |
| 1        |                    | The Autopreload option is enabled. When the counter has passed from \$01 to \$00, the value stored in the Preload register will be transferred to the counter on the first clock edge following the zero count clock. After that transfer the counter continues decrementing from the new value. |
| 0        |                    | The Autopreload option is disabled. After the counter has reached zero it will roll over to the value \$FF and continue counting down.   |

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**5**    **Sysfail**    This bit enables/disables the sysfail generation by the timer. If this option is enabled, the SFAIL0 output pin of the FGA-002 gate array will be asserted low when the timer triggers the timer interrupt. The sysfail signal is negated when the timer interrupt is cleared.

1                    Timer Sysfail generation is enabled.

0                    Timer Sysfail generation is disabled.

**4**    **Start/Stop:**    This bit controls the timer start and stop operation. Writing this bit with 1 enables counting. The timer stops if the bit is cleared to 0.

1                    starts timer operation

0                    stops timer operation

**3..0**            **Clock select**    This bitfield provides selection of the source clock for timer operation.

| 3..0 | source clock period |
|------|---------------------|
| 0000 | 1 microsecond       |
| 0001 | 2 microseconds      |
| 0010 | 4 microseconds      |
| 0011 | 8 microseconds      |
| 0100 | 16 microseconds     |
| 0101 | 32 microseconds     |
| 0110 | 64 microseconds     |
| 0111 | 128 microseconds    |
| 1000 | 256 microseconds    |
| 1001 | 512 microseconds    |
| 1010 | 2 milliseconds      |
| 1011 | 8 milliseconds      |
| 1100 | 32 milliseconds     |
| 1101 | 125 milliseconds    |
| 1110 | 500 milliseconds    |
| 1111 | 2 seconds           |

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### 3. Timer Count Register TIMOCOUNT

The Timer Count Register TIMOCOUNT contains the current value of the timer/counter. A write access to this register will load the counter with the value stored in the Timer Preload Register. The written data will be ignored.

It is permitted to perform read/write accesses to the Timer Count Register when the timer is running. The Timer Count Register is initialized to the value \$FF after reset.

|                   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
|-------------------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 7                 | 6 | 5 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Timer Count Value |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |

### 4. Timer Interrupt Control Register ICRTIMO

Timer Interrupt Control is performed by the Timer Interrupt Control Register ICRTIMO which enables/disables the interrupt and selects the interrupt level.

|   |   |   |   |               |           |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|---------------|-----------|---|---|
| 7 | 6 | 5 | 4 | 3             | 2         | 1 | 0 |
| - | - | - | - | IRQ<br>Enable | IRQ Level |   |   |

|          |                     |  |
|----------|---------------------|--|
| <b>3</b> | <b>IRQ Enable</b> - | The bit enables or disables the timer interrupt channel. |
|----------|---------------------|--|

|   |                               |
|---|-------------------------------|
| 1 | Interrupt channel is enabled  |
| 0 | Interrupt channel is disabled |

|             |                    |   |
|-------------|--------------------|---|
| <b>2..0</b> | <b>IRQ Level</b> - | This bit field defines the interrupt request level. |
|-------------|--------------------|---|

|     |                    |
|-----|--------------------|
| 000 | Interrupt disabled |
| 001 | Level 1            |
| 010 | Level 2            |
| 011 | Level 3            |
| 100 | Level 4            |
| 101 | Level 5            |
| 110 | Level 6            |
| 111 | Level 7            |

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### 5. Timer Interrupt Status Register ISTIM0

The Timer Interrupt Status Register ISTIM0 displays a pending timer interrupt. This bit is always readable and indicates 0 if the timer interrupt has been triggered. A write access to the ISTIM0 register clears the timer interrupt. The data written to this register will be ignored.

Format of ISTIM0

| 7          | 6 | 5 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
|------------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| IRQ Status | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |

**7** **IRQ Status** - The IRQ Status register bit displays if a timer interrupt request is pending.

1 is returned, if **no** interrupt is pending  
0 is returned, if the interrupt is pending

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### IV. OPERATION DESCRIPTION

#### A. Timer/Counter

##### 1. Timer Registers

The timer function includes the following registers:

| Register               | Mnemonic    | Address    | R/W   | Default |
|------------------------|-------------|------------|-------|---------|
| Timer Preload Register | TIMOPRELOAD | \$FFD00300 | R/W   | \$00    |
| Timer Control Register | TIMOCTL     | \$FFD00310 | R/W   | \$00    |
| Timer Count Register   | TIMOCOUNT   | \$FFD00C00 | R/W * | \$FF    |

\* Write access causes special data transfer

The Timer/Counter may be clocked by 16 different internally generated clocks. The timer source clock is selected by the lower 4 bits of the TIMOCTL register. After reset, the Timer Control Register is cleared and therefore the timer will be clocked by the 1 MHz clock.

The counter circuitry is cleared to the value \$00 only after the powerup reset, while the preload- and control register are cleared by any reset.

Timer run control is performed by the START/STOP bit in the timer control register. Writing this bit with 1 will enable timer operation in the selected operating mode. This bit also allows the timer to be stopped during operation and to be restarted again.

The maximum resolution of a start-stop period is the period of the source clock. This also implies that the counter may not be clocked if the start-stop period is shorter than the selected source clock period. Of course, toggling the start/stop bit does not clock the counter.

The timer operating modes are controlled by the AUTOPRELOAD and the ZEROSTOP bits.

The ZEROSTOP bit determines if the counter terminates when it has reached the zerocount or continues counting. If the bit is set to 1, the timer continues counting and the further action is determined by the contents of the AUTOPRELOAD bit.

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When the AUTOPRELAD bit is set, the timer will be loaded by the value stored in the TIMOPRELOAD register everytime the counter decrements from \$01 to \$00. Otherwise the counter wraps around decrementing to the value \$FF.

The synchronous 8-bit Timer/Counter is loaded with the contents of the timer preload register on every write access to the timer count register. The data written to this location will be ignored.

The counter state is readable in the timer count register TIMOCOUNT. Since the contents of the counter are latched, the data is always valid.

It is permitted to perform read/write accesses to the Timer Count Register when the timer is running.

### B. Timer Interrupt

#### 1. Timer Interrupt Registers

The following chart outlines the timer interrupt registers.

| Register                | Mnemonic | Address    | R/W   | Default |
|-------------------------|----------|------------|-------|---------|
| Timer Int. Control Reg. | ICRTIMO  | \$FFD00220 | R/W   | \$00    |
| Timer Int. Status Reg.  | ISTIMO   | \$FFD004A0 | R/W * | \$80    |

\* A write access clears the timer interrupt

The timer interrupt is controlled by the timer interrupt control register, providing selection of the interrupt request level and enables/disables the timer interrupt channel.

The timer interrupt is recognized if the enable bit is 1 and an interrupt request level greater than zero is programmed. If the interrupt request level is selected to be 0, the timer interrupt will not request service from the CPU, although the enable bit may be set to 1 and the timer may have entered the interrupt condition.

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The timer interrupt is actually initiated when the counter decrements from \$01 to \$00. This is indicated by the interrupt status bit in the Timer Interrupt Status Register ISTIM0. The timer interrupt is pending if the the interrupt status bit is low. The timer interrupt status bit is bit 7 of the interrupt status register. The bit is always readable.

A write access to the Timer Interrupt Status Register clears the timer interrupt. If the timer sysfail option is enabled, this will also negate the sysfail signal. The data written to the status register will be ignored.

The timer interrupt is acknowledged with a single vector. The least significant five bits of the timer interrupt vector are fixed and define the default value for the vector as \$20 after reset.

For further information please refer to the section "Interrupt Management" in the FGA-002 Gate Array description.

### C. SYSFAIL Generation

The timer can be configured to operate as a system watchdog timer, generating a sysfail signal to the VMEbus.

The timer generates the sysfail signal if the sysfail enable bit in the timer control register TIMOCTL is set to 1 and the timer decrements from \$01 to \$00. This will also trigger the timer interrupt. The IRQ enable bit in the interrupt control register ICRTIM0 determines if the timer interrupt is recognized by the interrupt logic to request service from the CPU.

The sysfail signal can be released by a clear operation of the timer interrupt. The clear operation is performed by a write access to the ISTIM0 register location.

The sysfail signal is also released when the sysfail enable bit is cleared to 0.

The sysfail signal will be driven on the SFAIL0 output of the gate array. The SFAIL0 signal is an active low signal.

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## 1. BUS ERROR GENERATION

The BUS ERROR Logic of the gate array supports bus error generation for the VMEbus as well as for the local processor.

The BERRVO output provides the active low error termination signal for the VMEbus.

On the BERRVI input, the gate array detects when a bus error condition occurred on the VMEbus.

The BERRC signal is generated as an active low bus error signal for the local processor. This signal is also generated for the gate array internal DMA controller.

### 1.1 BUS ERROR GENERATION TO VME

The gate array drives the signal BERRVO low for a VMEbus error termination in the following cases:

- a. Bus error during an FMB cycle
- b. Bus error due to a parity error detection
- c. Bus error due to a VMEbus timeout

#### 1.1.1 FMB bus error

If the gate array is addressed in a FORCE Message Broadcast cycle and the message cannot be stored because of a full FMB fifo, the BERRVO signal will be asserted. Please refer to the FMB section of this manual for more details.

#### 1.1.2 Bus error on parity error detection

The gate array drives the VME bus error signal BERRVO, if the internal parity logic detects an error during a VME access to the local main memory.

The generation of the VME bus error signal due to a parity error detection assumes that the gate array is programmed to support the shared memory structure and that one of the parity error options (Option A or B) is enabled.

For more information please refer to chapter "Parity Support."

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### **1.1.3 VME timeout bus error**

A timeout bus error is generated to the VMEbus to terminate a cycle which addresses a nonpresent location or a device which does not respond.

The BERRVO signal is driven if the device does not respond within a defined time.

The timeout is monitored by the gate array's internal VMEbus timeout counter which is restarted on CPU accesses and DMA controller accesses to the VMEbus.

Please refer to chapter "VME bus access timeout" later in this section.

### **1.2 BUS ERROR GENERATION FOR THE CPU AND DMA CONTROLLER**

The gate array indicates a bus error to the processor or to the DMA controller in the following cases:

- a. Bus error due to an ONBOARD access timeout
- b. Bus error due to a VSB/SECONDARY bus access timeout
- c. Bus error due to a PARITY error detection
- d. Bus error due to a VMEbus access timeout
- e. Bus error due to an UNALIGNED RMW cycle to VME
- f. Bus error due to a LONG timeout.

#### **1.2.1 Onboard timeout Bus error**

A timeout counter is provided inside the gate array for local processor accesses to the MAIN memory decoding area, the USER Eprom area or the LOCAL I/O area.

The timeout counter for onboard accesses starts counting when the gate array samples a low on the ASCPU input signal. In addition, the decoding logic of the gate array has to decode the respective decoding area.

Accesses by the DMA controller to the MAIN memory will also start the timeout counter for onboard accesses.

The Local Bus Error counter of the gate array will terminate the current cycle after 16 microseconds, driving the BERRC output signal low. This action will not take place if the cycle is terminated regularly.

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### 1.2.2 VSB/SECONDARY timeout bus error

If the gate array decodes an access to the VSB bus or to the SECONDARY bus address ranges, the VSB/SECONDARY bus timeout counter is started.

The current cycle will be terminated with a bus error by the VSB/SECONDARY bus timeout counter after the bus error time has elapsed. The gate array finishes the cycle by asserting its BERRC output low.

The VSB/SECONDARY timeout counter is not only started if the processor executes cycles to the secondary or the VSB bus, but also if the DMA controller accesses these areas.

Using bits 6 and 7 in the CTL15 register, the bus error timeout can be set to 16, 1000 or 64000 microseconds or can be disabled.

#### 1.2.2.1 Register CTL15

| Register            | Mnemonic | Address    | R/W | Default |
|---------------------|----------|------------|-----|---------|
| Control 15 Register | CTL15    | \$FFD00358 | R/W | \$00    |

Format of CTL15

| 7                         | 6 | 5              | 4              | 3              | 2      | 1           | 0             |
|---------------------------|---|----------------|----------------|----------------|--------|-------------|---------------|
| <b>VSBSEC<br/>TIMEOUT</b> |   | BURST<br>TRANS | BURST<br>CYCLE | CINH<br>OFFBRD | CINH16 | CINH<br>LIO | SHARED<br>RMW |

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#### **VSBSECTIMEOUT**

The bitfield selects the bus error timeout for accesses to the VSB bus or to the SECONDARY bus decoding area.

|    |            |
|----|------------|
| 00 | = 64000 us |
| 01 | = 1000 us  |
| 10 | = 16 us    |
| 11 | = disabled |

### **1.2.3 Bus error on parity error detection**

The gate array drives the bus error signal BERRC for the local processor and the DMA when a parity error is detected on an access to the main memory. For this bus error, the parity error option A must be enabled. More information can be found in the chapter PARITY Support.

### **1.2.4 VMEbus timeout bus error**

The gate array provides a timeout counter for accesses of the local processor or the DMA controller to the VMEbus.

The counter is started if any VME data strobe output of the gate array (DS0 or DS1) is asserted.

If the VMEbus timeout counter has counted out because the addressed device was not responding, the gate array generates an active low BERRVO bus error signal, which is driven as BERR\* signal to the VMEbus.

In order to inform the processor or the DMA controller of an unsuccessful VME cycle, the VME bus error signal is monitored on the BERRVI input of the gate array. The BERRC signal is driven low, when the BERR\* signal is detected low during a VMEbus cycle of the CPU or the DMA controller.

One of four possible timeouts can be programmed in register CTL16: 16, 64, 1000 or 64000 microseconds. The 64000 microsecond timeout is the default selection after reset.

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### 1.2.4.1 Register CTL16

| Register            | Mnemonic | Address    | R/W | Default |
|---------------------|----------|------------|-----|---------|
| Control Register 16 | CTL16    | \$FFD0035C | R/W | \$00    |

Format of CTL16

| 7    | 6          | 5 | 4   | 3   | 2          | 1 | 0 |
|------|------------|---|-----|-----|------------|---|---|
| URMW | VMETIMEOUT |   | PEB | PEA | MAIN STERM |   |   |

**6..5**      **VMETIMEOUT** -      The bitfield selects the bus error timeout for accesses to the VME bus

|    |            |
|----|------------|
| 00 | = 64000 us |
| 01 | = 1000 us  |
| 10 | = 64 us    |
| 11 | = 16 us    |

### 1.2.5 Unaligned RMW cycle to VME

When the processor executes a read modify write operation to an unaligned address location on the VMEbus, the gate array drives the bus error signal BERRC low.

No cycle on the VMEbus will be started in this case. This is the default handling after reset.

However, the gate array can support the execution of unaligned read modify write cycles on the VMEbus by programming bit 7 of the register CTL16. If this bit is set to 1, the "unaligned" bus error will not be generated.

Please refer to the chapter "Support for unaligned RMW cycles" in the section "VME and CPU interface".

### 1.2.6 LONG timeout

The Long Timeout Counter is started anytime the gate array detects that the ASCPU input is asserted.

If the current cycle is not terminated regularly 3 seconds after it was started, the Long Timeout Counter will generate a bus error to the processor or the DMA controller by asserting

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the BERRC output pin of the gate array.

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## 2. RESET FUNCTION

The gate array supports the initialization of the VMEbus and the CPU by generating reset signals for the VMEbus and for the local processor.

Software and hardware triggerable reset sources are provided.

The reset signal for the VMEbus is driven on the RESVO output while the RESCPU I/O pin of the gate array drives the CPU reset signal.

### 2.1 GATE ARRAY RESET

The gate array itself is reset by several sources.  
The reset sources are:

- Power-up input
- Reset key input
- Local switch input
- CPU reset call
- VME reset call
- SYSRESET\* from VME input

After the power-up reset has been active, all functions and registers inside the gate array will be initialized, the "SPECIAL" register and the "SPECIALENA" register included.

All other reset sources initialize the gate array functions and registers with the exception of the special registers. The special registers are only reset by the power-up reset.

The gate array internal VMEbus arbiter is reset only with the VMEbus reset signal SYSRES\*, which is monitored at the RESVI input pin.

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### 2.2 VMEbus RESET

The gate array contains a VME reset generator which generates a VMEbus compatible reset signal.

The VME reset signal is driven on the RESVO output pin of the gate array.

The reset generator is triggered by the following reset sources:

- Power-up input
- Reset key input
- CPU reset call
- Processor opcode reset (if enabled)

### 2.3 PROCESSOR RESET

The processor is reset by the signal RESCPU, generated by the gate array as an active low signal.

The processor will be reset if one of the following reset sources are active:

- Power-up input
- Reset key input
- Local switch input
- CPU reset call
- VME reset call
- SYSRESET\* from VME input

## **2.4 RESET SOURCES**

### **2.4.1 Power-up Input**

A power-up reset is triggered when the PWUP input pin of the gate array is asserted low. The input has to be driven by external logic when power is applied to the gate array. The PWUP pin is typically driven by a voltage sensor, which asserts the pin to low during the power-up phase.

The gate array will be initialized completely. All functions inside the gate array, including the VME arbiter and the registers SPECIAL and SPECIALENA, are reset.

The power-up reset input triggers the VMEbus reset generator, generating a VMEbus compatible reset signal on the RESVO output pin.

Also the RESCPU output signal will be driven low, resetting the processor and peripheral devices as long as the VMEbus reset generator drives the RESVO reset signal.

### **2.4.2 Reset Key Input**

The RESKEY input pin of the gate array is provided for the connection of a panel reset key.

The reset is active when the pin is asserted low.

The key reset initializes the gate array functions without initializing the special registers.

The VMEbus reset generator is triggered and the RESCPU output will be asserted low, resetting the local processor.

### **2.4.3 Local Switch Reset**

If the LOCSW input of the gate array is asserted low, the gate array will be reset.

In addition, this reset source drives the reset signal for the CPU.

The VMEbus reset generator is not triggered.

More details can be found in the chapter LOCAL SWITCH of this section.

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### 2.4.4 Processor Opcode Reset

The processor will reset external devices, which are connected to its reset signal, when it executes a reset opcode.

A reset option bit inside the gate array determines if the reset signal of the processor will also trigger the internal VMEbus reset generator for a system reset.

The execution of the reset opcode by the processor is independent of the reset option bit, and does not initialize any gate array registers.

However, the single level bus arbiter will be initialized if the reset option bit is programmed to enable a VMEbus system reset.

In this case, the bus arbiter is reset by the VMEbus signal SYSRESET\*, which is monitored on the RESVI input of the gate array.

The reset option bit is available in the CTL9 register. After reset, the bit is cleared to 0.

#### 2.4.4.1 Register CTL9

| Register           | Mnemonic | Address    | R/W | Default |
|--------------------|----------|------------|-----|---------|
| Control 9 Register | CTL9     | \$FFD0027C | R/W | \$00    |

Format of CTL9

| 7 | 6 | 5 | 4 | 3                       | 2           | 1 | 0 |
|---|---|---|---|-------------------------|-------------|---|---|
| - | - | - | - | <b>RESET<br/>OPTION</b> | SEPROMDSACK |   |   |

|          |   |
|----------|---|
| <b>3</b> | <b>RESETOPTION</b> - The bit controls the generation of a VMEbus system reset when the processor executes the RESET opcode. |
| 1        | enables generation of a VMEbus system reset   |
| 0        | disables generation of a VMEbus system reset  |

#### **2.4.5 CPU Reset Call**

A CPU reset call is triggered, when the local processor addresses the gate array location

\$FFD00E00

either in a read or a write cycle. Data written to this location will be ignored.

The CPU reset call has the same effect as the key reset. Accessing this location will reset the entire gate array except the SPECIAL and SPECIALENA registers.

The VMEbus reset generator of the gate array will be triggered and drives the RESVO output low for a system reset. Also the RESCPU output will go low to initialize the processor.

#### **2.4.6 VME Reset Call**

A reset call from VMEbus side resets the gate array without affecting the registers SPECIAL and SPECIALENA. In addition, the RESCPU output will be asserted to reset the local CPU and peripheral devices.

The reset call can be placed in the short decoding page of the gate array when the location \$XXFF is addressed in a read or write cycle. Please refer to the section "VME AND CPU INTERFACE" how to select the VME decoding page for accesses from the VMEbus to gate array functions.

The execution of the VME reset call has to be enabled by the bit VMERESCALL in the CTL2 register. Writing this bit with 1 enables the VME reset call function.

If this bit is cleared, the gate array does not respond to the reset call access from VME, neither with DTACK nor by generating a bus error to the VMEbus.

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### 2.4.6.1 Register CTL2

| Register           | Mnemonic | Address    | R/W | Default |
|--------------------|----------|------------|-----|---------|
| Control 2 Register | CTL2     | \$FFD0023C | R/W | \$00    |

Format of CTL2

| 7 | 6 | 5 | 4 | 3      | 2                      | 1     | 0      |
|---|---|---|---|--------|------------------------|-------|--------|
| - | - | - | - | PTYOUT | <b>VMERES<br/>CALL</b> | CSDPR | STBCTL |

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**VMERESCALL** - The bit enables/disables the VMEbus Reset Call function of the gate array.

1 enables VMEbus reset call function  
0 disables VMEbus reset call function

### 2.4.7 SYSRESET\* Signal From VME

The RESVI input pin of the gate array is connected to the VMEbus signal SYSRESET\*.

Asserting the RESVI pin low will reset the gate array including the single level VMEbus arbiter.

The special registers will not be affected by this reset.

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### 2.5 RESET SOURCE READOUT LOCATIONS

The gate array allows the local CPU to determine which reset source had triggered the last reset.

Each reset source has an associated status register. If bit 7 of the status register is low then that particular source was active.

The following table shows the address locations of the status registers provided to identify the active reset source:

| Reset Source       | Address    |
|--------------------|------------|
| VME Reset call     | \$FFD004F0 |
| LOCAL Switch Reset | \$FFD004F4 |
| CPU Reset Call     | \$FFD004F8 |
| Reset KEY          | \$FFD004FC |

Additionally, the power-up reset can be identified by reading bit 7 of the SPECIALENA register. This bit will be set to 1 by the boot software and is cleared only if a power-up reset was active.

If none of the above reset sources are active then the reset will have been caused by a VMEbus SYSRESET\*.

|                  |   |
|------------------|---|
| Power Up reset   | \$FFD00424<br>(SPECIALENA<br>Register, Bit 7)     |
| VMEbus SYSRESET* | If no other reset<br>source can be<br>identified. |

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### 3. ACFAIL Handler Option

The ACFAIL input of the gate array is used for power fail detection.

Asserting the ACFAIL pin low generates an interrupt to the CPU if it is enabled.

In addition, the gate array provides the ACFAIL handler option, which can be used to define a certain board in a system as the ACFAIL handler board.

The ACFAIL handler bit designates a board either as the acfail handler board, which is privileged in gaining the bus mastership on the VMEbus, or as a non-privileged board, which releases the VMEbus mastership immediately if the powerfail input is detected low.

A board which is defined as the ACFAIL handler ( "HANDLER bit = 1) will not release the VMEbus mastership due to a request of another master or the assertion of busclear (see Release On BUSCLEAR\*) if the acfail input is detected low. However, if the internal DMA controller operates on the VMEbus, it will release the bus mastership after each transfer burst for the local processor.

If the ACFAIL handler option is disabled ("HANDLER" bit = 0), and the power fail input is asserted, the gate array releases the VMEbus mastership immediately after the processor has finished the current cycle.

The gate array will be prevented from requesting the VMEbus mastership again for the local CPU or the DMA controller.

After reset, the ACFAIL handler option is disabled.

The following table shows the board operation on the detection of an active acfail signal, depending on the configuration of the HANDLER bit:

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|                   |   |  |
|-------------------|---|--|
|                   | The board <b>is</b><br>ACFAIL Handler<br>HANDLER bit = 1      | The board is <b>not</b><br>the ACFAIL Handler<br>HANDLER bit = 0 |
| VMEbus<br>Request | The VMEbus will<br>be granted on the<br>request               | Bus cannot be<br>requested                                       |
| VMEbus<br>Release | Bus will not be<br>released (except by<br>the DMA controller) | Bus will be<br>released<br>immediately                           |

### 3.1 Register CTL8

| Register           | Mnemonic | Address    | R/W | Default |
|--------------------|----------|------------|-----|---------|
| Control 8 Register | CTL8     | \$FFD00278 | R/W | \$00    |

Format of CTL8

| 7 | 6 | 5 | 4 | 3       | 2       | 1    | 0              |
|---|---|---|---|---------|---------|------|----------------|
| - | - | - | - | BSYSBIT | SSYSBIT | FAIR | <b>HANDLER</b> |

|          |                |  |
|----------|----------------|--|
| <b>0</b> | <b>HANDLER</b> | The ACFAIL handler bit is used to select the handler option. |
| 1        |                | The board is ACFAIL handler                                  |
| 0        |                | The board is <b>not</b> ACFAIL handler                       |

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### 4. SYSFAIL

#### 4.1 SYSFAIL Input

The gate array provides the SFAILI input, which is used to monitor the VMEbus signal SYSFAIL\*.

If this input is asserted low, the gate array will generate an interrupt, if it is enabled (please refer to the section INTERRUPT MANAGEMENT for the interrupt initialization).

The level of the SFAILI input can be read back locally at the status register location SFAILINPIN bit 7.

#### 4.1.1 Register SFAILINPIN

| Register             | Mnemonic   | Address    | R/W | Default |
|----------------------|------------|------------|-----|---------|
| Sysfail Input Status | SFAILINPIN | \$FFD004DC | R/W | \$00    |

Format of SFAILINPIN

| 7           | 6 | 5 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
|-------------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| SFPIN STATE | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |

**7**

**SFPINSTATE** - The bit reflects the level of the SFAILI input.

1

input is high (1)

0

input is low (0)

## 4.2 SYSFAIL Output

The gate array supplies the SFAIL0 output for the generation of the VMEbus signal SYSFAIL\*.

The status of the SFAIL0 signal can be read from the VME side and allows a VME master in a multiprocessor system to determine which board drove the SYSFAIL\* signal. The access from VME has to be performed in the short I/O decoding range with the correct address modifier code. Please refer to the section "VME and CPU INTERFACE", chapter "VME access to FGA-002 functions" for details on the decoding selection.

The SFAIL0 signal status is displayed when the address location  
\$XXFD

is accessed. The status is supplied by the DVME6 signal of the gate array and appears on D06 of the VMEbus.

Data bit 6 returns a logical 0 if the sysfail signal is driven low by the gate array and a logical 1 if the sysfail output of the gate array is high.

The generation of the SYSFAIL signal is inhibited if the LOCSW input (provided for the connection of the local switch) is asserted low.

The active low SFAIL0 signal may be driven by any of the following sources:

- a. Bootsysfail bit BSYSBIT
- b. Softsysfail bit SSYSBIT
- c. WATCHDOG SYSFAIL of the timer

### 4.2.1 Bootsysfail Bit BSYSBIT

The bootsysfail bit is included in the control register CTL8 as bit 3. The bit is readable and can be modified by writing the control register. Any reset operation which resets the gate array will clear the bit to 0.

When the bit is cleared, it will drive the SFAIL0 signal low.

The bootsysfail bit is qualified to drive the SFAIL0 signal low if the SPECIAL[7] bit contained in the SPECIAL register enables this.

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The SPECIAL[7] register bit is cleared after power-up reset and with this default value, the sysfail signal will be generated by the BSYSBIT everytime the gate array is reset.

Writing the SPECIAL[7] bit with 1 overrides the BSYSBIT function. This inhibits the generation of sysfail after every device reset.

The following table displays the function of the sysfail bit and the SPECIAL[7] bit.

| BSYSBIT cleared on any reset | SPECIAL[7] cleared on powerup reset | SFAIL0 signal level |
|------------------------------|-------------------------------------|---------------------|
| 0                            | 0                                   | 0                   |
| X                            | 1                                   | 1                   |
| 1                            | X                                   | 1                   |

X = don't care

### 4.2.1.1 Register CTL8

| Register           | Mnemonic | Address     | R/W | Default |
|--------------------|----------|-------------|-----|---------|
| Control 8 Register | CTL8     | \$FFFD00278 | R/W | \$00    |

Format of CTL8

| 7 | 6 | 5 | 4 | 3       | 2       | 1    | 0       |
|---|---|---|---|---------|---------|------|---------|
| - | - | - | - | BSYSBIT | SSYSBIT | FAIR | HANDLER |

|   |
|---|
| 3 |
|---|

**BSYSBIT** - Depending on the contents of the SPECIAL[7] register bit, the bit determines the level of the SFAIL0 signal. The bit is cleared when the gate array is reset.

|   |                             |
|---|-----------------------------|
| 1 | SFAIL0 signal is tristated  |
| 0 | SFAIL0 signal is driven low |

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**4.2.1.2 Register SPECIAL**

| Register         | Mnemonic | Address    | R/W | Default |
|------------------|----------|------------|-----|---------|
| Special Register | SPECIAL  | \$FFD00420 | R/W | \$00    |

Format of SPECIAL

| 7              | 6 | 5 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
|----------------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| SPECIAL<br>[7] | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |

- |          |
|----------|
| <b>7</b> |
|----------|
- SPECIAL[7] -** This bit cleared enables the BSYSBIT. When set this bit overrides the BSYSBIT bit, and negates the SFAIL0 signal.
- 1 Negates the SFAIL0 signal.  
 0 Enables the function of the BSYSBIT in the CTL8 register

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### 4.2.2 Softsysfail Bit SSYSBIT

An additional source for the generation of the SYSFAIL\* signal by the gate array is the bit named SSYSBIT contained in the CTL8 register.

By default, the register is cleared and the SSYSBIT will not originate a sysfail signal.

When the bit is set the SFAILO signal will be driven low.

#### 4.2.2.1 Register CTL8

| Register           | Mnemonic | Address     | R/W | Default |
|--------------------|----------|-------------|-----|---------|
| Control 8 Register | CTL8     | \$FFFD00278 | R/W | \$00    |

Format of CTL8

| 7 | 6 | 5 | 4 | 3       | 2              | 1    | 0       |
|---|---|---|---|---------|----------------|------|---------|
| - | - | - | - | BSYSBIT | <b>SSYSBIT</b> | FAIR | HANDLER |

**2**

**SSYSBIT** - The bit asserts or releases the SFAILO output signal.

1

SFAILO signal is asserted low

0

SFAILO signal is negated high

### 4.2.3 Watchdog Sysfail

The watchdog sysfail can be generated by the gate array timer when the sysfail control bit in the timer control register enables this function.

The sysfail output signal SFAILO will be driven if the timer interrupt has been triggered.

The sysfail signal is released when the timer interrupt is cleared. A write access to the timer interrupt status register ISTIMO clears the interrupt and negates the sysfail signal. The written data is ignored.

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5.     **LOCAL SWITCH Input**

A low level applied to the LOCSW input of the gate array will disable the operation of the local processor by generating a processor reset signal.

The main memory and the gate array will not be accessible from the VMEbus side, since the gate array is also reset and therefore the software selectable decoding areas are disabled.

VMEbus operation is not affected by the local switch function since neither a VME reset is generated by the gate array nor will the single level arbiter be initialized.

Additionally, asserting the LOCSW input will prevent the gate array from generating a SYSFAIL\* signal at its SFAIL0 output.

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### 6. PARITY SUPPORT

#### 6.1 PARITY GENERATION/CHECK

The gate array provides parity generators for even byte parity generation and checking.

The parity generation/check function can be used only if the gate array is programmed to support the shared memory structure (defined in the SPECIAL register, bit 5).

Each data byte of the processor bus has an associated parity I/O pin.

The following table shows the assignment of the byte parity I/O signals to the CPU data bytes:

| Parity Signal | Data Bits |
|---------------|-----------|
| PTYUU         | 31-24     |
| PTYUM         | 23-16     |
| PTYLM         | 15-08     |
| PTYLL         | 07-00     |

During read cycles the parity is always checked.

During write cycles, if the gate array is used to generate parity, the parity I/O signals will be driven by the gate array.

It is possible to disable parity generation by the gate array.

It may sometimes be advantageous to generate parity with external hardware to gain a speed improvement. The PTYOUT bit in the CTL2 register determines whether the gate array generates parity or not. If the bit is set, the parity signals will be driven during write cycles.

##### 6.1.1 Registers CTL2

3 PTYOUT - This bit enables parity generation by the gate array.

1 Parity generation is enabled.

0 Parity generation is disabled.

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Depending on whether parity is being generated or only checked, the function of the parity I/O pins can be configured for the appropriate purpose. If the gate array is used to generate parity, the signals will be driven in write cycles. The parity data is always checked by the gate array, but the result is evaluated only in a read cycle.

The generation of the parity data outside the gate array may sometimes be advantageous to gain speed.

The option, whether the parity signals will be driven or not, is selectable in the CTL2 register, bit 2 "PTYOUT".

If the bit is set the parity signals will be driven during write cycles.

### 6.1.2 Register CTL2

| Register           | Mnemonic | Address    | R/W | Default |
|--------------------|----------|------------|-----|---------|
| Control 2 Register | CTL2     | \$FFD0023C | R/W | \$00    |

Format of CTL2

| 7 | 6 | 5 | 4 | 3             | 2              | 1     | 0      |
|---|---|---|---|---------------|----------------|-------|--------|
| - | - | - | - | <b>PTYOUT</b> | VMERES<br>CALL | CSDPR | STBCTL |

|          |               |   |  |
|----------|---------------|---|--|
| <b>3</b> | <b>PTYOUT</b> | - | The bit selects parity generation and check or only parity check by the gate array |
| 1        |               |   | Parity is generated and checked  |
| 0        |               |   | Parity is only checked   |

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### 6.2 PARITY ERROR EVALUATION

The gate array offers two options to evaluate a parity error, which is detected by the internal parity checkers in a read access to the local main memory.

The options are to be enabled in the CTL16 register, where each option is assigned a register bit. It is not allowed to enable both options at the same time. After reset, the options are disabled.

A parity error triggers the parity error interrupt if any option is enabled. In addition, the access address of the cycle will be latched inside the gate array when the interrupt is triggered.

The error address remains latched until the parity interrupt is cleared. The interrupt is cleared by a write access to the interrupt status register of the parity error interrupt.

#### 6.2.1 Register CTL16

| Register            | Mnemonic | Address    | R/W | Default |
|---------------------|----------|------------|-----|---------|
| Control Register 16 | CTL16    | \$FFD0035C | R/W | \$00    |

Format of CTL16

| 7    | 6          | 5 | 4          | 3          | 2          | 1 | 0 |
|------|------------|---|------------|------------|------------|---|---|
| URMW | VMETIMEOUT |   | <b>PEB</b> | <b>PEA</b> | MAIN STERM |   |   |

|          |              |  |
|----------|--------------|--|
| <b>4</b> | <b>PEB -</b> | <b>The bit selects the parity error option B</b> |
| 1        |              | Option B enabled                                 |
| 0        |              | Option B disabled                                |

|          |              |  |
|----------|--------------|--|
| <b>3</b> | <b>PEA -</b> | <b>The bit selects the parity error option A</b> |
| 1        |              | Option A enabled                                 |
| 0        |              | Option A disabled                                |

**6.2.2 PARITY ERROR OPTION A**

If parity option A is selected, a parity error will initiate the following response from the gate array:

1. The local processor accesses the main memory:

A parity error, detected during a CPU access to the main memory, will trigger the parity error interrupt, indicating a malfunction in memory. The access address and the attributes of the access will be latched in five gate array registers (see Parity Error Address Readout).

In addition, the parity error causes the gate array to drive the CPU bus error signal (BERRC) low. The bus error signal is generated according to the late bus error timing specified for 68020/30 processors.

2. The main memory is accessed from the VMEbus

If a parity error is detected during an access of a VMEbus master to the shared main memory, the cycle will be terminated with a bus error signal, which is driven by the gate array on the BERRVO output to the VMEbus.

The parity interrupt will be generated. The memory access address can be determined by the local CPU, since it is latched inside the gate array.

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### 6.2.3 PARITY ERROR OPTION B

If parity option B is selected, a parity error will initiate the following response from the gate array:

1. The local processor accesses the main memory:

A parity error, detected during a CPU access to the main memory, will trigger the parity error interrupt, indicating a malfunction in memory. The access address and the attributes of the access will be latched in five gate array registers (see Parity Error Address Readout).

2. The main memory is accessed from the VMEbus

Same response as option A.

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### 6.3 PARITY ERROR ADDRESS READOUT

The gate array provides five register locations for parity error evaluation.

The address, on which the parity error occurred, will be latched in four 8-bit registers named PTYUU, PTYUM, PTYLM and PTYLL.

The cycle attribute register PTYATR stores information about the access conditions such as the transfer size, the access type and who has accessed the memory.

The address of the accessed memory location is latched when the parity interrupt is triggered. A write access to the parity interrupt status register clears the interrupt and releases the latches.

Reading the parity error address registers when no error is latched, will return the following data:

```
PTYUU = $FF
PTYUM = $D0
PTYLM = $04
PTYLL = $00
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The default value of the parity attribute register cannot be given since it depends on the access conditions.

| Error<br>Attributes  | Parity error address |                     |                     |                     |
|----------------------|----------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
|                      | 31.....24            | 23.....16           | 15.....08           | 07.... 00           |
| PTYATT<br>\$FFD00410 | PTYUU<br>\$FFD0040C  | PTYUM<br>\$FFD00408 | PTYLM<br>\$FFD00404 | PTYLL<br>\$FFD00400 |

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**6.4 Register PTYATT**

| Register              | Mnemonic | Address    | R/W | Default |
|-----------------------|----------|------------|-----|---------|
| Parity Attribute Reg. | PTYATT   | \$FFD00410 | R   | -       |

Format of PTYATT

| 7   | 6   | 5   | 4   | 3   | 2   | 1   | 0   |
|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| VME | DMA | RMC | FC2 | FC1 | FC0 | SZ1 | SZ0 |

|          |              |   |
|----------|--------------|---|
| <b>7</b> | <b>VME</b> - | This bit indicates if the parity error occurred during a VMEbus access to the shared main memory. |
| 1        |              | No VME access   |
| 0        |              | Parity error during VME access  |

|          |              |  |
|----------|--------------|--|
| <b>6</b> | <b>DMA</b> - | This bit indicates if the parity error occurred during a DMA access to the shared main memory. |
| 1        |              | No DMA access  |
| 0        |              | Parity error during DMA access   |

|          |              |  |
|----------|--------------|--|
| <b>5</b> | <b>RMC</b> - | This bit indicates if the parity error occurred during a Read-Modify-Write operation |
| 1        |              | No RMC operation   |
| 0        |              | Parity error during a RMC operation  |

|             |                 |  |
|-------------|-----------------|--|
| <b>4..2</b> | <b>FC[2..0]</b> | This bitfield reflects the state of the function code signals FC2..FC0 according to the address space encoding for 68020/30 processors |
|-------------|-----------------|--|

|             |                 |  |
|-------------|-----------------|--|
| <b>1..0</b> | <b>SZ[1..0]</b> | This bitfield reflects the state of the transfer size signals SZ1 and SZ0. |
| 00          |                 | = 4 byte transfer size   |
| 01          |                 | = 1 byte transfer size   |
| 10          |                 | = 2 byte transfer size   |
| 11          |                 | = 3 byte transfer size   |

REGISTER FORMAT SHORT DESCRIPTION

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## PREFACE

The following notations are used for the register bits in the register format short description.

Register bits written in capital letters are user programmable bits.

**CAUTION:** Register bits written in small letters will be programmed by the boot software. The user is **not** allowed by any means to change these bits.

- = don't care (e.g. bit is not existent)

R , r = Read only bit

W , w = Write only bit

X , x = Read/Write bit

S , s = Readable bit / write cycle sets it to 1

T , t = Readable bit / write cycle causes special  
data transfer

Q , q = Readable bit / read cycle sets it to 1;  
write cycle clears it to 0

| <u>STANDARD INTERRUPT CONTROL REGISTER FORMAT</u> | <u>ICRMBOX0</u>   | <u>\$FFD00000</u> |
|---|-------------------|-------------------|
|   | <u>ICRMBOX1</u>   | <u>\$FFD00004</u> |
|   | <u>ICRMBOX2</u>   | <u>\$FFD00008</u> |
|   | <u>ICRMBOX3</u>   | <u>\$FFD0000C</u> |
|   | <u>ICRMBOX4</u>   | <u>\$FFD00010</u> |
|   | <u>ICRMBOX5</u>   | <u>\$FFD00014</u> |
|   | <u>ICRMBOX6</u>   | <u>\$FFD00018</u> |
|   | <u>ICRMBOX7</u>   | <u>\$FFD0001C</u> |
|   | <u>ICRVME1</u>    | <u>\$FFD00204</u> |
|   | <u>ICRVME2</u>    | <u>\$FFD00208</u> |
|   | <u>ICRVME3</u>    | <u>\$FFD0020C</u> |
|   | <u>ICRVME4</u>    | <u>\$FFD00210</u> |
|   | <u>ICRVME5</u>    | <u>\$FFD00214</u> |
|   | <u>ICRVME6</u>    | <u>\$FFD00218</u> |
|   | <u>ICRVME7</u>    | <u>\$FFD0021C</u> |
|   | <u>ICRTIM0</u>    | <u>\$FFD00220</u> |
|   | <u>ICRDMANORM</u> | <u>\$FFD00230</u> |
|   | <u>ICRDMAERR</u>  | <u>\$FFD00234</u> |
|   | <u>ICRFMB0REF</u> | <u>\$FFD00240</u> |
|   | <u>ICRFMB1REF</u> | <u>\$FFD00244</u> |
|   | <u>ICRFMB0MES</u> | <u>\$FFD00248</u> |
|   | <u>ICRFMB1MES</u> | <u>\$FFD0024C</u> |
|   | <u>ICRPARITY</u>  | <u>\$FFD00258</u> |

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**BITS**            76543210  
**Byte**            ----XXXX

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Reset Value:        \$00

**BIT 3:**        IRQENABLE                    1 = Interrupt channel is enabled  
    0 = Interrupt channel is disabled

**BIT 2..0:**    IRQLEVEL                    Interrupt Request Level Code

   000 = No level selected  
    001 = Level 1  
    010 = Level 2  
    011 = Level 3  
    100 = Level 4  
    101 = Level 5  
    110 = Level 6  
    111 = Level 7



**BITS**            7654**3210**  
 Byte             ----XXXX

Reset Value:       \$00

**BIT 3..0 :**    P[31..28]

Decoding page for the local Main  
 Memory from VME-Side (\$Pxxxxxxx)  
 The page is decoded when the VME  
 Address lines A31..A28 match the  
 value of the corresponding bits  
 P31..P28







**BITS**            7654**3210**  
**Byte**            ----**XXXX**

Reset Value:        \$00

**BIT 3..1:**        IACKDSACK                    001 = IACKDSACK 1-Waitstate  
    010 = IACKDSACK 2-Waitstates  
    100 = IACKDSACK 3-Waitstates  
    000 = IACKDSACK 4-Waitstates

**BIT 0:**            BOOTFLAG                        1 = Normal Decoding activ  
    0 = BOOT     Decoding activ





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|-------------|------------------|
| <b>BITS</b> | 7654 <b>3210</b> |
| Byte        | ---- <b>xxxx</b> |

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Reset Value:        \$00

**BIT 3..0:**        AUXFIFWEX[3..0]

|     |   |         |       |        |    |
|-----|---|---------|-------|--------|----|
| \$0 | = | AUXFIFO | Write | Timing | 0  |
| \$1 | = | AUXFIFO | Write | Timing | 1  |
| \$2 | = | AUXFIFO | Write | Timing | 2  |
| \$3 | = | AUXFIFO | Write | Timing | 3  |
| \$4 | = | AUXFIFO | Write | Timing | 4  |
| \$5 | = | AUXFIFO | Write | Timing | 5  |
| \$6 | = | AUXFIFO | Write | Timing | 6  |
| \$7 | = | AUXFIFO | Write | Timing | 7  |
| \$8 | = | AUXFIFO | Write | Timing | 8  |
| \$9 | = | AUXFIFO | Write | Timing | 9  |
| \$A | = | AUXFIFO | Write | Timing | 10 |
| \$B | = | AUXFIFO | Write | Timing | 11 |
| \$C | = | AUXFIFO | Write | Timing | 12 |
| \$D | = | AUXFIFO | Write | Timing | 13 |
| \$E | = | AUXFIFO | Write | Timing | 14 |
| \$F | = | AUXFIFO | Write | Timing | 15 |





**BITS**            7654**3210**  
**Byte**            ----XXXX

Reset Value:        \$00

**BIT 3:**            RBCLR                    Release-On-Busclear option.  
    VMEbus will be released on  
    asserted BCLR\*  
    1 = no  
    0 = yes

**BIT 2..0:**        RORINHIBIT                Release-On-Request inhibit time.  
    000 = 0.5us  
    001 = 1 us  
    010 = 2 us  
    011 = 4 us  
    100 = 8 us  
    101 = 16 us  
    110 = 32 us  
    111 = 64 us





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|             |                 |
|-------------|-----------------|
| <b>BITS</b> | <b>76543210</b> |
| Byte        | XXXXXXXX        |

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Reset Value:       \$00

**BIT 7..6:**       XSP                   MAIN MEMORY-Access from VME with  
Extended Supervisor Program  
Address Modifier Code \$0E  
00 = disabled  
01 = disabled  
10 = enabled for READ-cycles  
11 = enabled for R/W -cycles

**BIT 5..4:**       XSD                   MAIN MEMORY-Access from VME with  
Extended Supervisor Data Address  
Modifier Code \$0D  
00 = disabled  
01 = disabled  
10 = enabled for READ-Cycles  
11 = enabled for R/W -Cycles

**BIT 3..2:**       XUP                   MAIN MEMORY-Access from VME with  
Extended User Program Address  
Modifier Code \$0A  
00 = disabled  
01 = disabled  
10 = enabled for READ-Cycles  
11 = enabled for R/W -Cycles

**BIT 1..0:**       XUD                   MAIN MEMORY-Access from VME with  
Extended User Data Address  
Modifier Code \$09  
00 = disabled  
01 = disabled  
10 = enabled for READ-Cycles  
11 = enabled for R/W -Cycles

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**BITS**            **76543210**  
Byte            xxxxxxxx

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Reset Value:        \$00

**BIT 7..0:**        MS[23..16]

MAIN Memory Size selection:  
The register bits have to be  
programmed according to the  
following table:

- 00000000 = 256 MByte
- 00000000 = 128 MByte
- 00000000 = 64 MByte
- 00000000 = 32 MByte
- 00000000 = 16 MByte
- 10000000 = 8 MByte
- 11000000 = 4 MByte
- 11100000 = 2 MByte
- 11110000 = 1 MByte
- 11111000 = 512 KByte
- 11111100 = 256 KByte
- 11111110 = 128 KByte
- 11111111 = 64 KByte



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|             |                 |
|-------------|-----------------|
| <b>BITS</b> | <b>76543210</b> |
| Byte        | XXXXXXXX        |

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Reset Value:       \$00

**BIT 7..0:**       B[23..16]

Upper-Middle address byte of the  
MAIN       MEMORY       Base       address  
(\$xxBBxxxx).

The decoding is valid when the VME  
Address lines A23..A16 match the  
value of the corresponding bits  
B23..B16

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|             |                 |
|-------------|-----------------|
| <b>BITS</b> | <b>76543210</b> |
| Byte        | XXXXXXXX        |

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Reset Value:       \$00

**BIT 7..0:**       B[31..24]

Upper-Upper address byte of the  
MAIN       MEMORY       Base       address  
(\$BBxxxxxx).

The decoding is valid when the VME  
Address lines A31..A24 match the  
value of the corresponding bits  
B31..B24

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**BITS**            **76543210**  
Byte            XXXXXXXX

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Reset Value:        \$00

**BIT 7..0:**    B[27..20]

Selection for the decoding interval of the local MAIN memory from VMEbus side. Upper portion of the Bottom Page base address (\$xBBxxxxx). For a valid decoding, the VME Address lines A27..A20 must match the value of the corresponding bits B27..B20.

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**BITS**            **76543210**  
Byte            XXXXXXXX

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Reset Value:        \$00

**BIT 7..0:**    B[19..12]

Selection for the decoding interval of the local MAIN memory from VMEbus side. Lower portion of the Bottom Page base address (\$xxxBBxxx). For a valid decoding, the VME Address lines A19..A12 must match the value of the corresponding bits B19..B12.

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**BITS**            **76543210**  
Byte            XXXXXXXX

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Reset Value:        \$00

**BIT 7..0:**        T[27..20]

Selection for the decoding interval of the local MAIN memory from VMEbus side. Upper portion of the Top Page base address (\$xTTxxxxx). For a valid decoding, the VME Address lines A27..A20 must match the value of the corresponding bits T27..T20.

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**BITS**            **76543210**  
Byte            XXXXXXXX

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Reset Value:        \$00

**BIT 7..0:**        T[19..12]

Selection for the decoding interval of the local MAIN memory from VMEbus side. Lower portion of the Top Page base address (\$xxxTTxxx). For a valid decoding, the VME Address lines A19..A12 must match the value of the corresponding bits T19..T12.

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|             |                 |
|-------------|-----------------|
| <b>BITS</b> | <b>76543210</b> |
| Byte        | XXXXXXXX        |

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Reset Value:       \$00

**BIT 7..0:**       Y[15..8]

Decoding Page for access to  
FGA-002 functions from VME side  
(\$YYxx)  
The decoding is valid when the VME  
Address lines A15..A8 match the  
value of the corresponding bits  
Y15..Y8

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|             |                 |
|-------------|-----------------|
| <b>BITs</b> | <b>76543210</b> |
| Byte        | XXXXXXXX        |

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Reset Value:       \$00

**BIT 7..0:**   TIM0PRELOAD           Preload Register for Timer0



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|             |                 |
|-------------|-----------------|
| <b>BITs</b> | <b>76543210</b> |
| Byte        | XXXXXXXX        |

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Reset Value:       \$00

**BIT 7..0:**       DMASRCATT                   DMA Source Attribute

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|             |                 |
|-------------|-----------------|
| <b>BITs</b> | <b>76543210</b> |
| Byte        | XXXXXXXX        |

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Reset Value:       \$00

**BIT 7..0:**       DMADSTAT                   DMA Destination Attribute





**BITS**            **76543210**  
**Byte**            **xxxxxxxx**

Reset Value:        \$00

- BIT 7..6:**        LIOTIM[7..6]        Access timing for the Local I/O  
page D: \$FFBX XXXX  
00 = Access time 2 us.  
01 = Access time 1 us.  
10 = Access time 500ns.  
11 = Access time 250ns.
- BIT 5..4:**        LIOTIM[5..4]        Access timing for the Local I/O  
page C: \$FFAX XXXX  
00 = Access time 2 us.  
01 = Access time 1 us.  
10 = Access time 500ns.  
11 = Access time 250ns.
- BIT 3..2:**        LIOTIM[3..2]        Access timing for the Local I/O  
page B: \$FF9X XXXX  
00 = Access time 2 us.  
01 = Access time 1 us.  
10 = Access time 500ns.  
11 = Access time 250ns.
- BIT 1..0:**        LIOTIM[1..0]        Access timing for the Local I/O  
page A: \$FF8X XXXX  
00 = Access time 2 us.  
01 = Access time 1 us.  
10 = Access time 500ns.  
11 = Access time 250ns.

**BITS**            **76543210**  
**Byte**            **xxxxxxxx**

Reset Value:        \$00

**BIT 7..6:**        LOCAL7                    IACK control for LOCAL7 interrupt  
**BIT 5..4:**        LOCAL6                    IACK control for LOCAL6 interrupt  
**BIT 3..2:**        LOCAL5                    IACK control for LOCAL5 interrupt  
**BIT 1..0:**        LOCAL4                    IACK control for LOCAL4 interrupt

00 = The vector number of the corresponding interrupt channel is presented. Vector is placed on CPU data bus D31..D24.

The corresponding LIACKx signal will be asserted.

01 = No handling on Local I/O bus and CPU bus.

The corresponding LIACKx signal will be asserted.

10 = Vector read on Local I/O bus and presented on CPU bus. Access time 1 us.

11 = Vector read on Local I/O bus and presented on CPU bus. Access time 500 ns.



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| <b>BITS</b> | <b>76543210</b> |
| Byte        | XXXXXXXX        |

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Reset Value:       \$00

**BIT 7..0:**       F[31..24]

FMB Area decoding (\$FFFFxxxx)  
The decoding is valid when the VME  
Address lines A31..A24 match the  
value of the corresponding bits  
F31..F24

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**BITs**            **76543210**  
**Byte**            **xxxxxxxx**

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Reset Value:        \$00

**BIT 7..4:**        SRCASSACK[7..4]        AUXACK pin is asserted...  
after x cycles of 32mhz clock:  
\$0 = 1    clockcycle  
\$1 = 2    clockcycles  
\$2 = 3    clockcycles  
\$3 = 4    clockcycles  
\$4 = 5    clockcycles  
\$5 = 6    clockcycles  
\$6 = 7    clockcycles  
\$7 = 8    clockcycles  
\$8 = 9    clockcycles  
\$9 = 10   clockcycles  
\$A = 11   clockcycles  
\$B = 12   clockcycles  
\$C = on AUXREQ pin asserted  
\$D = on AUXREQ pin asserted  
      (AUXRDY pin must be released)  
\$E = after data has been read  
      into the fifo.  
\$F = on AUXRDY pin asserted

**BIT 3..0:**        SRCRDY[3..0]        READY after...  
\$0 = 1    clockcycle  
\$1 = 2    clockcycles  
\$2 = 3    clockcycles  
\$3 = 4    clockcycles  
\$4 = 5    clockcycles  
\$5 = 6    clockcycles  
\$6 = 7    clockcycles  
\$7 = 8    clockcycles  
\$8 = 9    clockcycles  
\$9 = 10   clockcycles  
\$A = 11   clockcycles  
\$B = 12   clockcycles  
\$C = AUXREQ pin asserted  
\$D = AUXREQ pin asserted  
      (AUXRDY pin must be released)  
\$E = data has been read  
      into the fifo.  
\$F = AUXRDY pin asserted

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BITS            76543210  
 Byte            xxxxxxxx

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Reset Value:        \$00

**BIT 7..4:**        DSTASSACK[7..4]        AUXACK pin is asserted...  
 after x cycles of 32mhz clock:  
 \$0 = 1    clockcycle  
 \$1 = 2    clockcycles  
 \$2 = 3    clockcycles  
 \$3 = 4    clockcycles  
 \$4 = 5    clockcycles  
 \$5 = 6    clockcycles  
 \$6 = 7    clockcycles  
 \$7 = 8    clockcycles  
 \$8 = 9    clockcycles  
 \$9 = 10   clockcycles  
 \$A = 11   clockcycles  
 \$B = 12   clockcycles  
 \$C = on AUXREQ pin asserted  
 \$D = on AUXREQ pin asserted  
       (AUXRDY pin must be released)  
 \$E = after data has been read  
       into the fifo.  
 \$F = on AUXRDY pin asserted

**BIT 3..0:**        DSTRDY[3..0]        READY after...  
 \$0 = 1    clockcycle  
 \$1 = 2    clockcycles  
 \$2 = 3    clockcycles  
 \$3 = 4    clockcycles  
 \$4 = 5    clockcycles  
 \$5 = 6    clockcycles  
 \$6 = 7    clockcycles  
 \$7 = 8    clockcycles  
 \$8 = 9    clockcycles  
 \$9 = 10   clockcycles  
 \$A = 11   clockcycles  
 \$B = 12   clockcycles  
 \$C = AUXREQ pin asserted  
 \$D = AUXREQ pin asserted  
       (AUXRDY pin must be released)  
 \$E = data has been read  
       into the fifo.  
 \$F = AUXRDY pin asserted

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| <b>BITs</b> | <b>76543210</b> |
| Byte        | xxxxxxxx        |

Reset Value: \$00

**BIT 7..4:** SRCRELACK[7..4] AUXACK pin is released...  
x cycles of 32mhz clock  
after READY  
\$0 = 1 clockcycle  
\$1 = 2 clockcycles  
\$2 = 3 clockcycles  
\$3 = 4 clockcycles  
\$4 = 5 clockcycles  
\$5 = 6 clockcycles  
\$6 = 7 clockcycles  
\$7 = 8 clockcycles  
\$8 = 9 clockcycles  
\$9 = 10 clockcycles  
\$A = 11 clockcycles  
\$B = 12 clockcycles  
\$C = after AUXRDY pin is asserted  
\$D = not allowed  
\$E = after data has been read  
into the fifo.  
\$F = on valid READY

**BIT 3..0:** SRCNEWCYC[3..0] NEWCYCLE starts...  
x cycles of 32mhz clock  
after READY  
\$0 = 1 clockcycle  
\$1 = 2 clockcycles  
\$2 = 3 clockcycles  
\$3 = 4 clockcycles  
\$4 = 5 clockcycles  
\$5 = 6 clockcycles  
\$6 = 7 clockcycles  
\$7 = 8 clockcycles  
\$8 = 9 clockcycles  
\$9 = 10 clockcycles  
\$A = 11 clockcycles  
\$B = 12 clockcycles  
\$C = after AUXRDY pin is asserted  
\$D = after AUXACK pin is asserted  
\$E = after data has been read  
into the fifo.  
\$F = on valid READY

|             |                 |
|-------------|-----------------|
| <b>BITS</b> | <b>76543210</b> |
| Byte        | xxxxxxxx        |

Reset Value: \$00

**BIT 7..4:** DSTRELACK[7..4] AUXACK pin is released...  
 x cycles of 32mhz clock  
 after READY  
 \$0 = 1 clockcycle  
 \$1 = 2 clockcycles  
 \$2 = 3 clockcycles  
 \$3 = 4 clockcycles  
 \$4 = 5 clockcycles  
 \$5 = 6 clockcycles  
 \$6 = 7 clockcycles  
 \$7 = 8 clockcycles  
 \$8 = 9 clockcycles  
 \$9 = 10 clockcycles  
 \$A = 11 clockcycles  
 \$B = 12 clockcycles  
 \$C = after AUXRDY pin is asserted  
 \$D = not allowed  
 \$E = after data has been read  
 into the fifo.  
 \$F = on valid READY

**BIT 3..0:** DSTNEWCYC[3..0] NEWCYCLE starts...  
 x cycles of 32mhz clock  
 after READY  
 \$0 = 1 clockcycle  
 \$1 = 2 clockcycles  
 \$2 = 3 clockcycles  
 \$3 = 4 clockcycles  
 \$4 = 5 clockcycles  
 \$5 = 6 clockcycles  
 \$6 = 7 clockcycles  
 \$7 = 8 clockcycles  
 \$8 = 9 clockcycles  
 \$9 = 10 clockcycles  
 \$A = 11 clockcycles  
 \$B = 12 clockcycles  
 \$C = after AUXRDY pin is asserted  
 \$D = after AUXACK pin is asserted  
 \$E = after data has been read  
 into the fifo.  
 \$F = on valid READY

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|-------------|-----------------|
| <b>BITS</b> | <b>76543210</b> |
| Byte        | rrrrrrrr        |

---

Reset Value:       \$00

**BIT 7..0:**       BRIDGE

This register is for test purposes only.  
All bits are cleared to 0 after reset.  
Changing the contents of the register will have unpredictable consequences!







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|             |                 |
|-------------|-----------------|
| <b>BITs</b> | <b>76543210</b> |
| Byte        | RRRRRRRR        |

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Reset Value:       \$00

**BIT 7..0:**                               **Readonly** Register for the parity error address evaluation. LL-Byte of the latched parity error address \$xxxxxxLL (A7..A0).

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|             |                 |
|-------------|-----------------|
| <b>BITS</b> | <b>76543210</b> |
| Byte        | RRRRRRRR        |

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Reset Value:       \$04

**BIT 7..0:**                               **Readonly** Register for the parity error address evaluation. LM-Byte of the latched parity error address \$xxxxLMxx (A15..A8).

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|             |                 |
|-------------|-----------------|
| <b>BITS</b> | <b>76543210</b> |
| Byte        | RRRRRRRR        |

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Reset Value:        \$D0

**BIT 7..0:**

**Readonly** Register for the parity error address evaluation.  
UM-Byte of the latched parity error address    \$xxUMxxxx (A23..A16).

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|             |                 |
|-------------|-----------------|
| <b>BITs</b> | <b>76543210</b> |
| Byte        | RRRRRRRR        |

---

Reset Value:       \$FF

**BIT 7..0:**                               **Readonly** Register for the parity error address evaluation. UU-Byte of the latched parity error address   \$UUxxxxxx (A31..A24).

**BITS**            **76543210**  
**Byte**            **RRRRRRRR**

Reset Value: Dependent on access conditions

**Readonly** Register of parity error attributes:

- BIT 7:**            0 = Local RAM accessed from VME  
                   1 = inactiv
- BIT 6:**            0 = Local RAM accessed by DMA  
                   1 = inactiv
- BIT 5:**            0 = RAM Access was RMC operation  
                   1 = inactiv
- BIT 4:**            FC2 pin status information
- BIT 3:**            FC1 pin status information
- BIT 2:**            FC0 pin status information
- BIT 1..0:**        State of transfer size pins SZ1 and SZ0  
                   00 = 4 byte transfer size  
                   01 = 1 byte transfer size  
                   10 = 2 byte transfer size  
                   11 = 3 byte transfer size

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|             |                 |
|-------------|-----------------|
| <b>BITs</b> | <b>76543210</b> |
| Byte        | rrrrrrrr        |

---

**Readonly** Register location

**BIT 7..4:**

FGA-002 revision number

**BIT 3..0:**

FGA-002 ident number





**ISLOCALx REGISTER FORMAT**

|                 |            |
|-----------------|------------|
| <b>ISLOCAL0</b> | \$FFD00480 |
| <b>ISLOCAL1</b> | \$FFD00484 |
| <b>ISLOCAL2</b> | \$FFD00488 |
| <b>ISLOCAL3</b> | \$FFD0048C |
| <b>ISLOCAL4</b> | \$FFD00490 |
| <b>ISLOCAL5</b> | \$FFD00494 |
| <b>ISLOCAL6</b> | \$FFD00498 |
| <b>ISLOCAL7</b> | \$FFD0049C |

---

**BITS**            76543210  
**Byte**            S-----

---

Reset Value:        \$80

**BIT 7:**            ISLOCALx

**Read Access:**

Interrupt Status readback  
1 = LOCALx interrupt cleared  
0 = LOCALx interrupt pending

**Write Access:**

Clears the edge triggered LOCALx  
interrupt

---

**BITS**            76543210  
**Byte**            S-----

---

Reset Value:        \$80

**BIT 7:**            ISTIMO

**Read Access:**

Interrupt Status readback  
1 = TIMERO interrupt cleared  
0 = TIMERO interrupt pending

**Write Access:**

Clears the Timer0 interrupt

---

**BITS**            76543210  
**Byte**            S-----

---

Reset Value:        \$80

**BIT 7:**            ISDMANORM

**Read Access:**

Interrupt Status readback  
1 = DMA normal termination  
   interrupt cleared  
0 = DMA normal termination  
   interrupt pending

**Write Access:**

Clears the DMA normal termination  
interrupt

---

**BITS**            76543210  
**Byte**            S-----

---

Reset Value:        \$80

**BIT 7:**            ISDMAERR

**Read Access:**

Interrupt Status readback  
1 = DMA error termination  
    interrupt cleared  
0 = DMA error termination  
    interrupt pending

**Write Access:**

Clears the DMA error termination  
interrupt

---

**BITS**            76543210  
**Byte**            S-----

---

Reset Value:        \$80

**BIT 7:**            ISFMB0REF

**Read Access:**

Interrupt Status readback  
1 = FMB0    Refused    interrupt  
             cleared  
0 = FMB0    Refused    interrupt  
             pending

**Write Access:**

Clears the FMB0 Refused interrupt

---

**BITS**            76543210  
**Byte**            S-----

---

Reset Value:        \$80

**BIT 7:**            ISFMB1REF

**Read Access:**

Interrupt Status readback  
1 = FMB1    Refused    interrupt  
             cleared  
0 = FMB1    Refused    interrupt  
             pending

**Write Access:**

Clears the FMB1 Refused interrupt

---

**BITS**            76543210  
**Byte**            S-----

---

Reset Value:        \$80

**BIT 7:**            ISPARITY

**Read Access:**

Interrupt Status readback  
1 = PARITY        error        interrupt  
                  cleared  
0 = PARITY        error        interrupt  
                  pending

**Write Access:**

Clears the Parity interrupt

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|             |                 |
|-------------|-----------------|
| <b>BITS</b> | <b>76543210</b> |
| Byte        | R-----W         |

---

Reset Value:       \$00

**BIT 7:**           OPSTATE

**Read Access:**

DMA operation state bit

1 = DMA is running

0 = DMA is idle

**BIT 0:**           START/STOP

**Write Access:**

writing the bit...

1 = starts DMA controller

0 = stops DMA controller

---

**BITS**            76543210  
**Byte**            S-----

---

Reset Value:        \$80

**BIT 7:**            ISABORT

**Read Access:**

Interrupt Status readback  
1 = ABORT interrupt cleared  
0 = ABORT interrupt pending

**Write Access:**

Clears the edge triggered ABORT  
interrupt

---

**BITS**            76543210  
**Byte**            S-----

---

Reset Value:        \$80

**BIT 7:**            ISACFAIL

**Read Access:**

Interrupt Status readback  
1 = ACFAIL interrupt cleared  
0 = ACFAIL interrupt pending

**Write Access:**

Clears the edge triggered ACFAIL  
interrupt

---

**BITS**            76543210  
**Byte**            S-----

---

Reset Value:        \$80

**BIT 7:**            ISSYSFAIL

**Read Access:**

Interrupt Status readback  
1 = SYSFAIL interrupt cleared  
0 = SYSFAIL interrupt pending

**Write Access:**

Clears the edge triggered SYSFAIL  
interrupt

---

|             |                 |
|-------------|-----------------|
| <b>BITs</b> | <b>76543210</b> |
| Byte        | R-----          |

---

**BIT 7:**

**Read Only Location:**

ABORT input pin level readback

1 = ABORT input is 1

0 = ABORT input is 0

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|             |                 |
|-------------|-----------------|
| <b>BITS</b> | <b>76543210</b> |
| Byte        | R-----          |

---

**BIT 7:**

**Read Only Location:**

ACFAIL input pin level readback

1 = ACFAIL input is high

0 = ACFAIL input is low

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|             |                 |
|-------------|-----------------|
| <b>BITs</b> | <b>76543210</b> |
| Byte        | R-----          |

---

**BIT 7:**

**Read Only Location:**

SYSFAIL input pin level readback

1 = SYSFAIL input is high

0 = SYSFAIL input is low

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|             |                 |
|-------------|-----------------|
| <b>BITs</b> | <b>76543210</b> |
| Byte        | S-----          |

---

Reset Value:       \$80

**BIT 7:**           ISFMB0MES           Interrupt Status readback  
1 = FMB0 message interrupt not pending  
0 = FMB0       message       interrupt pending



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**BITS**            76543210  
**Byte**            R-----

---

Reset Value:        \$80

**BIT 7:**            DMASRCDST

**Read Only Location:**

Mode readback of the DMA controller

1 = DMA operates in source mode

0 = DMA operates in destination mode

---

**BITS**            76543210  
**Byte**            R-----

---

Power Up Value:    \$80

**BIT 7:**

**Read Only Location:**

Reset Status of VME Reset call

- 1 = VME Reset call was not activ
- 0 = Reset was initiated by a  
    VME Reset call

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|             |                 |
|-------------|-----------------|
| <b>BITS</b> | <b>76543210</b> |
| Byte        | R-----          |

---

Power Up Value: \$80

**BIT 7:**

**Read Only Location:**

Reset Status of the KEY Reset

- 1 = RESET KEY input was not activ
- 0 = Reset was initiated by the  
RESET KEY input

---

**BITS**            76543210  
**Byte**            R-----

---

Power Up Value:    \$80

**BIT 7:**

**Read Only Location:**

Reset Status for the CPU Reset call

- 1 = CPU Reset call was not activ
- 0 = Reset was initiated by the CPU Reset call

---

**BITS**            76543210  
**Byte**            R-----

---

Power Up Value:    \$80

**BIT 7:**

**Read Only Location:**

Reset Status for the LOCAL SWITCH  
reset

1 = LOCAL SWITCH reset was not  
  activ

0 = Reset was initiated by the  
  LOCSW input

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|             |           |          |          |          |          |
|-------------|-----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| <b>BITS</b> | <b>31</b> |          |          |          | <b>0</b> |
| Long        | XXXXXXXX  | XXXXXXXX | XXXXXXXX | XXXXXXXX |          |

---

Reset Value: \$00000000

**BIT 31..0:**    DMASRCADR[31..0]    DMA Source Address Register

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|             |           |          |          |          |          |
|-------------|-----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| <b>BITS</b> | <b>31</b> |          |          |          | <b>0</b> |
| Long        | XXXXXXXX  | XXXXXXXX | XXXXXXXX | XXXXXXXX |          |

---

Reset Value: \$00000000

**BIT 31..0:** DMADSTADR[31..0] DMA Destination Address Register

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|             |           |          |          |          |          |
|-------------|-----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| <b>BITS</b> | <b>31</b> |          |          |          | <b>0</b> |
| Long        | XXXXXXXX  | XXXXXXXX | XXXXXXXX | XXXXXXXX |          |

---

Reset Value: \$FFFFFFFF

**BIT 31..0:** DMATRFCNT[31..0] DMA Byte Transfer Count Register

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|             |                 |
|-------------|-----------------|
| <b>BITs</b> | <b>76543210</b> |
| Byte        | TTTTTTTT        |

---

Reset Value:       \$FF

**BIT 7..0:**       TIMOCOUNT

**Read Access:**  
Counter State of TIMER0

**Write Access:**  
Loads the contents of the  
TIMOPRELOAD register into the  
TIMER0

A read or write access to this location will reset the FGA-002 Gate Array. The registers SPECIAL and SPECIALENA registers will not be reset.

**MBOXx REGISTER FORMAT**

|              |            |
|--------------|------------|
| <b>MBOX0</b> | \$FFD80000 |
| <b>MBOX1</b> | \$FFD80004 |
| <b>MBOX2</b> | \$FFD80008 |
| <b>MBOX3</b> | \$FFD8000C |
| <b>MBOX4</b> | \$FFD80010 |
| <b>MBOX5</b> | \$FFD80014 |
| <b>MBOX6</b> | \$FFD80018 |
| <b>MBOX7</b> | \$FFD8001C |

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|             |          |
|-------------|----------|
| <b>BITs</b> | 76543210 |
| Byte        | Q-----   |

---

Reset Value:       \$00

**BIT 7:**           MBOXx

**Read Access:**

1 = is returned, if the Mailbox is already occupied. The mailbox interrupt is pending

0 = is returned, if a released Mailbox could be occupied successfully. The mailbox interrupt will be triggered.

**Write Access:**

Releases the Mailbox and clears the Mailbox interrupt.

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|             |           |          |          |
|-------------|-----------|----------|----------|
| <b>BITs</b> | <b>31</b> | <b>7</b> | <b>0</b> |
| Long        | -----     | -----    | RRRRRRR  |

---

**BIT 7..0:** FMBCH0

**Read Only Location:**  
Local Readout for the Message  
received in the Force Message  
Broadcast  
Channel 0.

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|             |       |       |         |
|-------------|-------|-------|---------|
| <b>BITS</b> | 31    | 7     | 0       |
| Long        | ----- | ----- | RRRRRRR |

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**BIT 7..0:** FMBCH1[7..0]

**Read Only Location:**  
Local Readout for the Message  
received in the Force Message  
Broadcast  
Channel 1.

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## 1 Overview

This Boot Software is needed to set up various board specific details to get the board running. Its goal is to relieve the customer's software of initializing the hardware. The Boot Software is the very first code executed from the processor after reset. It exits to the firmware of the board.

The Boot Software is divided into 2 parts, Initialization and Debugger. Initialization is done every time the Boot Software is executed while the debugger is only executed if requested.

## 2 Initialization

The initialization is started directly after a processor reset. Most of the initialization values are fetched from the battery backed up SRAM. If the SRAM content is corrupted default values will be copied to the SRAM prior to initialization.

### 2.1 Changing the SRAM default

The SRAM values control the setting of the FGA-002A. They do not control the FC68165 initialization values.

2 ways are possible to change the SRAM defaults:

- Using the SETUP command of the Debugger  
This is the best way for changing default values. Some bits of FGA-002A registers should not be altered (i.e. timings) to ensure proper functionality of the board. The SETUP command takes care of that and does not allow to change these values.

Additionally the SETUP command is interactive and therefore easy to use.

- Direct  
You can directly change the SRAM content with the debugger. You have to execute the INIT command after you have finished your changes to validate the new values.

#### 2.1.1 Slot number

The VMEbus has no real slot numbering. Because of that this number is only a logical number. In fact it defines the VMEbus base address of the board according to Table 1.

2 ways are possible to set the slot number:

- Using the SETUP command of the Debugger  
This is the easiest way if you have a terminal. Simply invoke the SETUP command and change the slot number. Afterwards execute an INIT command and all is done.
- Changing the Rotary Switches  
Change the rotary switches to the slot number you want to adjust. Press the Abort Switch together with the Reset Switch ( as you do if you start the debugger). The new slot number will be set and the system is halted until you press the Reset Switch again (without the Abort Switch).

Slot number 0 selected with the rotary switches has a special meaning. If the board is able to enable the VMEbus arbiter via software a setting of slot number 0 is in fact setting slot number 1 with arbiter enabled. All other slot numbers disable the VMEbus arbiter automatically.

| Slot | VMEbus address | Short I/O address |
|------|----------------|-------------------|
| 0    | \$80000000     | \$FCFF8000        |
| 1    | \$80000000     | \$FCFF8000        |
| 2    | \$84000000     | \$FCFF8400        |
| 3    | \$88000000     | \$FCFF8800        |
| 4    | \$8C000000     | \$FCFF8C00        |
| 5    | \$90000000     | \$FCFF9000        |
| 6    | \$94000000     | \$FCFF9400        |
| 7    | \$98000000     | \$FCFF9800        |
| 8    | \$9C000000     | \$FCFF9C00        |
| 9    | \$A0000000     | \$FCFFA000        |
| 10   | \$A4000000     | \$FCFFA400        |
| 11   | \$A8000000     | \$FCFFA800        |
| 12   | \$AC000000     | \$FCFFAC00        |
| 13   | \$B0000000     | \$FCFFB000        |
| 14   | \$B4000000     | \$FCFFB400        |
| 15   | \$B8000000     | \$FCFFB800        |
| 16   | \$BC000000     | \$FCFFBC00        |
| 17   | \$C0000000     | \$FCFFC000        |
| 18   | \$C4000000     | \$FCFFC400        |
| 19   | \$C8000000     | \$FCFFC800        |
| 20   | \$CC000000     | \$FCFFCC00        |
| 21   | \$D0000000     | \$FCFFD000        |

Table 1: Slot Numbers - VMEbus address.

### 2.1.2 FGA-002A registers

Some FGA-002A registers can be altered. However a few bits of FGA-002A registers should not be altered (i.e. timings) to ensure proper functionality of the board. The debugger command SETUP takes care of that and does not allow to change these values.

### 2.1.3 FC68165 registers

The FC68165 has no base address after reset. It must be programmed with one. The first FC68165 in the chain is programmed to be at base address \$FEC00000. Every EAGLE module must have connected at chip select 0 of the FC68165 an Identification EPROM (ID-EPROM).

If this ID-EPROM contains 'valid' data the base address initialization will be continued according to this stored information. In the ID-EPROM is located how much FC68165 are on this EAGLE module. Now every new FC68165 will be programmed that its base address is \$200 higher than the previous one. After the initialization of the last FC68165 of this module the same procedure starts for a second module. The base address of the first FC68165 of the second EAGLE module is programmed to be at address \$FEE00000. If the ID-EPROM contains no or invalid data the address of further FC68165s are programmed sequentially. The offset is always \$200.

Every I/O dependent setting (timing, address offset) can be set in the ID-EPROM of the first FC68165 of a module. Please refer to the EAGLE module specification/Board Manual for the correct contents of the ID-EPROM.

Examples:

- The first EAGLE module contains two FC68165 and a valid ID-EPROM. No second EAGLE module is installed.

The base addresses of the FC68165 are:

- \$FEC00000
- \$FEC00200

- The first EAGLE module contains one FC68165 and a valid ID-EPROM. The second EAGLE module contains two FC68165 and a valid ID-EPROM.

The base addresses of the FC68165 are:

- \$FEC00000 (first module)
- \$FEE00000 (second module)
- \$FEE00200 (second module)

- The first EAGLE module contains two FC68165 and an invalid ID-EPROM. The second EAGLE module contains one FC68165 and a valid ID-EPROM.

The base addresses of the FC68165 are:

- \$FEC00000 (first module)
- \$FEC00200 (first module)
- \$FEC00400 (second module)

Please note that the FC68165 is programmed to be only accessible in supervisor mode!

## 2.2 SRAM Layout

First of all the structure of the SRAM:

| Offset | Byte | Default | Description                  |
|--------|------|---------|------------------------------|
| \$0000 | 4    | 'FB40'  | Ident                        |
| \$0004 | 4    | -       | Checksum                     |
| \$0005 | 1    | \$20    | FGA-002A register SPECIAL    |
| \$000B | 1    | \$0C    | FGA-002A register CTL5       |
| \$000E | 1    | \$40    | FGA-002A register CTL15      |
| \$0010 | 1    | \$00    | FGA-002A register ICRMBOX0   |
| \$0011 | 1    | \$00    | FGA-002A register ICRMBOX1   |
| \$0012 | 1    | \$00    | FGA-002A register ICRMBOX2   |
| \$0013 | 1    | \$00    | FGA-002A register ICRMBOX3   |
| \$0014 | 1    | \$00    | FGA-002A register ICRMBOX4   |
| \$0015 | 1    | \$00    | FGA-002A register ICRMBOX5   |
| \$0016 | 1    | \$00    | FGA-002A register ICRMBOX6   |
| \$0017 | 1    | \$00    | FGA-002A register ICRMBOX7   |
| \$0019 | 1    | \$01    | FGA-002A register ICRVME1    |
| \$001A | 1    | \$02    | FGA-002A register ICRVME2    |
| \$001B | 1    | \$03    | FGA-002A register ICRVME3    |
| \$001C | 1    | \$04    | FGA-002A register ICRVME4    |
| \$001D | 1    | \$05    | FGA-002A register ICRVME5    |
| \$001E | 1    | \$06    | FGA-002A register ICRVME6    |
| \$001F | 1    | \$07    | FGA-002A register ICRVME7    |
| \$0020 | 1    | \$00    | FGA-002A register ICRTIM0    |
| \$0021 | 1    | \$00    | FGA-002A register ICRDMANORM |
| \$0022 | 1    | \$00    | FGA-002A register ICRDMAERR  |
| \$0023 | 1    | \$00    | FGA-002A register ICRFMB0REF |
| \$0024 | 1    | \$00    | FGA-002A register ICRFMB1REF |
| \$0025 | 1    | \$00    | FGA-002A register ICRFMB0MES |
| \$0026 | 1    | \$00    | FGA-002A register ICRFMB1MES |
| \$0027 | 1    | \$0C    | FGA-002A register CTL3       |

| Offset | Byte | Default | Description  |
|--------|------|---------|--|
| \$0028 | 1    | \$00    | FGA-002A register ICRPARITY  |
| \$0029 | 1    | \$00    | FGA-002A register CTL7   |
| \$002A | 1    | \$00    | FGA-002A register CTL8   |
| \$002C | 1    | \$00    | FGA-002A register ICRABORT   |
| \$002D | 1    | \$00    | FGA-002A register ICRACFAIL  |
| \$002E | 1    | \$00    | FGA-002A register ICRSYSFAIL   |
| \$002F | 1    | \$00    | FGA-002A register ICRLOCAL0  |
| \$0030 | 1    | \$00    | FGA-002A register ICRLOCAL1  |
| \$0031 | 1    | \$00    | FGA-002A register ICRLOCAL2  |
| \$0032 | 1    | \$00    | FGA-002A register ICRLOCAL3  |
| \$0033 | 1    | \$00    | FGA-002A register ICRLOCAL4  |
| \$0034 | 1    | \$00    | FGA-002A register ICRLOCAL5  |
| \$0035 | 1    | \$00    | FGA-002A register ICRLOCAL6  |
| \$0036 | 1    | \$00    | FGA-002A register ICRLOCAL7  |
| \$0037 | 1    | \$33    | FGA-002A register VMEDPRENA  |
| \$0038 | 1    | \$00    | FGA-002A register MAINUM   |
| \$0039 | 1    | \$00    | FGA-002A register MAINUU   |
| \$003F | 1    | \$61    | FGA-002A register FMBCTL   |
| \$0040 | 1    | \$FA    | FGA-002A register FMBPAGE  |
| \$0800 | 1    | -       | Reset condition.<br>Every bit of this byte represents a reset condition<br>bit 0 - power-on reset<br>bit 1 - VME reset call<br>bit 2 - local key reset<br>bit 3 - soft reset call<br>bit 4 - reset key<br>bit 5 - VME system reset<br>bit 6 - reserved<br>bit 7 - reserved |
| \$0810 | 2    | -       | CPU type (binary coded)  |
| \$0812 | 2    | -       | Memory size<br>0 - 256 kByte   |

| Offset | Byte | Default | Description   |
|--------|------|---------|---|
|        |      |         | 1 - 512 kByte<br>2 - 1 MByte<br>3 - 2 MByte<br>4 - 4 MByte<br>5 - 8 MByte<br>6 - 16 MByte<br>7 - 32 MByte |
| \$0814 | 2    | -       | Processor speed (binary coded)  |
| \$0820 | 1    | -       | Rotary Switch   |
| \$0825 | 1    | -       | Number of FC68165   |
| \$0826 | 4    | -       | Address of first FC68165  |
| \$1F00 | 256  | -       | Free  |

All not listed offsets are internally used/reserved for future use.

## 3 Debugger

The FGA-002A Boot Software normally is fully transparent. This means that it executes silently. However, sometimes it is necessary to change initialization values, and — as everybody agree — this should be possible in a convenient way. For this reason this debugger is designed. You can change the initialization values, initialize the board and test if you still can access all of the peripherals.

### 3.1 How to start

If during the startup of the FGA-002A Boot Software the Abort Switch is pressed, the debugger is started. This means every time a reset is generated while the Abort Switch is pressed the debugger begin to run. You must have a terminal connected to the console port. The terminal is to set for 8-bit, 9600 baud, no parity and 1 stop bit.

The debugger starts with printing an information page. This page shows most of the important board parameters. Afterwards the debugger prompts for a command. All possible commands are described in the following sections.

Every input line has to be finished with a *carriage return*. The command line and every interactive input can be edited with the following control characters:

```
[ESC] = Cancel current line and exit
[CTRL-C] = Cancel current line and exit
[CTRL-I] = Toggle between insert and replace mode.
           First the line editor is in insert mode.
[CTRL-L] = Move right one character
[CTRL-E] = Move to end of line
[CTRL-H] = Move one character left
[CTRL-B] = Move to begin of line
[CTRL-D] = Delete character under cursor
[RUBOUT] = Delete one character to the left
[CTRL-\] = Delete character under cursor to the end of line
[CTRL-O] = Delete whole line
```

### 3.2 Commands

#### 3.2.1 ?

Syntax: ?

Description: Display a help text

The ? command displays a help text, which shows all available commands.

#### 3.2.2 BF

Syntax: BF <begin>, <end>, <value>[, B|W|L|P]

Description: Fill memory

This command fills the specified memory area with a constant. The type of the constant is defined by the fourth parameter and may be a byte, word, long word or a pattern. A pattern is an ASCII string

which is to be put in quotation marks. The maximum length is only restricted by the length of the input line.

If no option is specified, a default of word is assumed.

### 3.2.3 BM

Syntax: **BM** <begin>,<end>,<destination>

Description: Move memory block

The BM command copies a specified memory area.

### 3.2.4 BS

Syntax: **BS** <begin>,<end>,[/]<value>[,B|W|L|P]

Description: Block search

This command searches for a constant in the specified memory area. The type of the constant is defined by the fourth parameter and may be a byte, word, long word or a pattern. A pattern is an ASCII string which is to be put in quotation marks. The maximum length is only restricted by the length of the input line.

If no fourth parameter is specified, a default of word is assumed.

The data which has to be searched for may be preceeded by a '/' to look only for locations not containing the value or pattern.

### 3.2.5 BT

Syntax: **BT** <begin>,<end>[,<count>[,<trigger address>]]

Description: Block test

The Block Test command is used to run several memory tests in the specified block of memory.

The first two command line parameters are begin and end address of the memory block to be tested. These parameters are required to run the memory tests.

The third parameter *count* is an optional loop count. If *count* is omitted, all tests are executed twice. The first test begins at *begin* while the second one begins at *begin + 1*. So normally the memory tests are started on a aligned memory address as well as on a unaligned address. A *count* of zero will force an endless test.

If the fourth parameter *trigger address* is entered, a *TST.B trigger address* instruction is executed directly after any error is detected. This feature may be used to trigger a logic analyzer on error.

The Block Test command executes the following memory tests:

**BYTE PATTERN TEST** Fill the memory block with a byte pattern, read it back and compare. This procedure is done twice, first started at *begin* and increment the address, second started at *end - 1* and decrement the address.

**BYTE SHIFT TEST** This test is performed only for some bytes of the memory block. First a ZERO is shifted over the byte, read back and compared, second a ONE is shifted.

**WORD PATTERN TEST** Fill the memory block with a word pattern, read it back and compare.

**WORD SHIFT TEST** This test is performed only for some words of the memory block. First a ZERO is shifted over the word, read back and compared, second a ONE is shifted.

**LONG PATTERN TEST** Fill the memory block with a byte pattern, read it back and compare.

**LONG SHIFT TEST** This test is performed only for some long words of the memory block. First a ZERO is shifted over the long word, read back and compared, second a ONE is shifted.

**OPCODE TEST** A test subroutine is copied into the memory block and executed. Note, this test is executed only if no error occurred before and only if the *begin* is word aligned.

**RMW TEST** A read modify write test is executed using 'TAS' and 'CAS' instructions.

There are two possibilities to execute the PATTERN TESTS:

- Fill the whole memory area to be tested with a pattern, then read it back and compare.
- Test each byte, word or long separately. This means write a pattern to a memory location, read it back and compare.

Before starting the memory tests this question has to be answered. The DEFAULT is the first possibility, fill the whole memory area with a pattern, then read it back and compare.

The Block Test may be quit earlier after each loop by entering *ESCAPE*.

### 3.2.6 BV

Syntax: `BV <begin>,<end>,<destination>`

Description: Block verify

This command compares two blocks of memory. If the specified blocks are not equal, the different values and the memory address is displayed.

### 3.2.7 EXIT

Syntax: `EXIT`

Description: Exit Debugger

EXIT exits the debugger and starts the firmware.

### 3.2.8 FC68165INIT

Syntax: `FC68165INIT`

Description: Initialize FC68165s

FC68165INIT initializes the FC68165s according to the content of the ID-EPROMs. This includes the timings for every device connected to the FC68165.

### 3.2.9 HELP

Syntax: **HELP**

Description: Display help text

The HELP command displays a help text, which shows all available commands.

### 3.2.10 INIT

Syntax: **INIT**

Description: Initialize board

INIT initialize the complete board according to the SRAM contents. INIT includes the command FC68165INIT. Therefore FC68165INIT need not be run separately.

### 3.2.11 M

Syntax: **M <address>[,B|W|L&N|E|F#]**

Description: Memory Modify

The Memory Modify command is used to inspect and change memory locations. Several options are allowed on the command line to specify the size of the memory and the access type. The following options are allowed:

- B** memory is byte sized (8 bits).
- W** memory is word sized (16 bits). This is the default.
- L** memory is long word sized (32 bits).
- O** memory is byte sized and on odd addresses only.
- E** memory is byte sized and on even addresses only
- N** memory is write only, the current contents is not displayed.
- F#** set the function code lines of the processor to the value directly followed the F. These function codes are only driven for the memory access.

The O and E options are overriding the B/W/L options. All memory accesses check that the write access was successful by performing a read after the write unless N is specified. If the data written and the data read do not match, the command is terminated and an error message is displayed.

The Memory Modify command supports a number of sub-commands, which can be entered instead of a new memory value. These sub-commands do not change the access option specified on the command line.

The following sub-commands are supported:

```
<cr> - open next location
= - open same location again
- - open previous location again
-<count> - go back <count> bytes
+ - open next location
+<count> - go forward <count> bytes
#<address> - open new absolute address
<esc> - exit to the command interpreter
. - exit to the command interpreter
```

### 3.2.12 MD

Syntax: MD <address>[,<count>]

Description: Memory display

The MD command displays the memory contents of the specified address. The data is displayed in hex and ASCII representation, 16 bytes on every line. If the hex value cannot be displayed in ASCII representation, a full stop (".") is displayed instead.

If no count is specified on the command line, the display memory command displays 16 lines, representing 256 bytes of data, and prompts the user to display more or to return to the command interpreter.

If a carriage return is entered, the next 256 bytes are displayed. Any other character returns control back to the command interpreter.

If a count is specified on the command line, the value is interpreted as the number of bytes to be displayed.

### 3.2.13 PROG

Syntax: PROG <source>,<dest>,<length>[,<width>]

Description: Program Flash EPROMs

This command is used to program Flash EPROMs.

The first parameter is the start address of the data which is to program into the Flash EPROM.

The second parameter represents the base address of the Flash EPROM.

The third parameter specifies the length of the Flash EPROM. If 0 is entered the length and width is automatically calculated.

The optional fourth parameter selects the data width of the Flash EPROMs. Three values are possible:

```
'1': Byte width (8-bit)
'2': Word width (16-bit)
'4': Long width (32-bit)
```

Please note that a Flash EPROM must be programmed completely. Therefore programming only parts

of a Flash EPROM is not possible.

### 3.2.14 SELFTEST

Syntax: **SELFTEST**

Description: Start Selftest

The selftest tests the FGA-002A and the FC68165 for proper functionality. First of all the access to these chips is tested. Afterwards special parts of them will be tested, including interrupt generation.

Please note, that a few tests can only be executed if the FGA-002A/FC68165 is initialized. If you need these tests ensure that the INIT command has been executed prior to the SELFTEST command.

### 3.2.15 SETUP

Syntax: **SETUP**

Description: Change initialization values

The SETUP command is used to change the initialization values of the FGA-002A. As mentioned above some bits of FGA-002A registers should not be altered to be sure that the board keeps running. The SETUP command takes care of that and does not allow to change these values.

The SETUP command displays the content of the SRAM value and let you EDIT this value. You can step backward if you enter a single '-'.  
'-'

### 3.2.16 USER

Syntax: **USER**

Description: Start user program

The command USER starts the user defined subroutine. Please refer to section 5.

## 4 System Calls

The FGA-002A Boot Software provides some calls to control the FGA-002A and some useful tools. The following code is a C code example how to access these system calls:

```
#define BOOTUTIL_BASE 0xffe00008
#define FLASHPRG_CALL 34
typedef int (*FLASH_PTR)();

int FlashProgram(source_address, eprom_base_address, length, width)
char *source_address;
char *eprom_base_address;
long length;
short width;
{ FLASHPARAM flashdata;
  FLASH_PTR fga_util = (FLASH_PTR)(*(long *) (BOOTUTIL_BASE));

  flashdata.flashbase = eprom_base_address;
  flashdata.rambase = source_address;
  flashdata.length = length;
  flashdata.width = width;
  return(fga_util((long)FLASHPRG_CALL,&flashdata));
}
```

Any return value except 0 indicates an error.

### 4.1 AUX Dependent Functions

#### 4.1.1 AUX Pin Control

Set the activity levels of the REQUEST, ACKNOWLEDGE, and READY signals. Enable/disable auto request.

```
int fga_util(unsigned long auxpin,
            unsigned long areq,
            unsigned long rdy,
            unsigned long ack,
            unsigned long req)
```

**auxpin** 0

**areq** 0/1, disable/enable autorequest

**rdy** 0/1, active level

**ack** 0/1, active level

**req** 0/1, active level

#### 4.1.2 AUX Source Cycle Control

This routine is used to initialize the AUX port to serve as the DMA source.

```
int fga_util(unsigned long auxsrc,
            unsigned long wtim,
            unsigned long sstrt,
            unsigned long sterm)
```

**auxsrc 1**

**rtim** AUX fifo write timing  
FGA-002 register: AUXSRCWEX

**sstrt** AUX source cycle start  
FGA-002 register: AUXSRCSTART

**sterm** AUX source cycle termination  
FGA-002 register: AUXSRCTERM

**4.1.3 AUX Destination Cycle Control**

This function is used to initialize the AUX port to serve as the DMA destination.

```
int fga_util(unsigned long auxdst,  
            unsigned long rtim,  
            unsigned long dstrt,  
            unsigned long dterm)
```

**auxdst 2**

**wtim** AUX fifo read timing  
FGA-002 register: AUXDSTREX

**dstrt** AUX destination cycle start  
FGA-002 register: AUXDSTSTART

**dterm** AUX destination cycle termination  
FGA-002 register: AUXDSTTERM

**4.2 DMA Channel Dependent Functions****4.2.1 DMA Source Descriptor**

Set up DMA source descriptor with source attribute and source address.

```
int fga_util(unsigned long dmasrc, unsigned long sattr, unsigned long saddr)
```

**dmasrc 3**

**sattr** DMA source attribute  
FGA-002 register: DMASRCATT

**saddr** DMA source address  
FGA-002 register: DMASRCADDR

**4.2.2 DMA Destination Descriptor**

Set up DMA destination descriptor with destination attribute and destination address.

```
int fga_util(unsigned long dmadst, unsigned long dattr, unsigned long daddr)
```

**dmadst 4**

**dattr** DMA destination attribute  
FGA-002 register: DMADSTATT

**daddr** DMA destination address  
FGA-002 register: DMADSTADDR

### 4.2.3 DMA Operation/Sequence Control

Set up the DMA general sequence control.

```
int fga_util(unsigned long dmactl, unsigned long genctl, unsigned long tcount)
```

**dmactl** 5

**genctl** DMA general control  
FGA-002 register: DMAGENERAL

**tcount** DMA byte transfer counter  
FGA-002 register: DMATRFCNT

### 4.2.4 DMA Run Control

Start or stop the DMA channel.

```
int fga_util(unsigned long dmarun, unsigned long flag)
```

**dmarun** 6

**flag** 0 to stop the DMA  
1 to start the DMA

## 4.3 Timer Dependent Functions

### 4.3.1 Timer Initialization

Set up TIMER preload and control register.

```
int fga_util(unsigned long timinit, unsigned long preload, unsigned long tctrl)
```

**timinit** 7

**preload** Timer Preload Value  
FGA-002 Register: TIM0PRELOAD

**tctrl** Timer Control  
FGA-002 Register: TIM0CTL

### 4.3.2 Timer Run Control

Start or stop the timer.

```
int fga_util(unsigned long timrun, unsigned long flag)
```

**timrun** 8

**flag** 0 to stop the timer  
1 to start the timer

## 4.4 IRQ Control Functions

### 4.4.1 VMEbus IRQ Control

Sets up VMEbus IRQ controls. This routine also initializes the 680XX IRQ handler in the vector page.

NOTE: May only be called in the SUPERVISOR mode!

```
int fga_util(unsigned long vmeirq,
             unsigned long inum,
             unsigned long vflag,
             unsigned long vlevel,
             unsigned long vector,
             char *handler)
```

**vmeirq** 9

**inum** 0 - reserved  
VMEbus IRQ 1..7

**vflag** 0 to disable IRQ  
1 to enable IRQ

**vlevel** interrupt request level code

**vector** the 680xx vector number

**handler** the irq handling routine address

### 4.4.2 FMB IRQ Control

Sets up FORCE FMB IRQ controls. The routine also initializes the 680XX IRQ handler in the vector page.

NOTE: May only be called in the SUPERVISOR mode!

```
int fga_util(unsigned long fmbirq,
             unsigned long finum,
             unsigned long fflag,
             unsigned long flevel,
             char *handler)
```

**fmbirq** 10

**finum** 0 - FMB0 error  
1 - FMB1 error  
2 - FMB0 normal  
3 - FMB1 normal

**fflag** 0 to disable IRQ  
1 to enable IRQ

**flevel** interrupt request level code

**handler** address of the irq handling routine

#### 4.4.3 Extended Local IRQ Control

Sets up local IRQ controls. This routine also initializes the 680XX IRQ handler in the vector page.

NOTE: May only be called in the SUPERVISOR mode!

```
int fga_util(unsigned long locirqx,  
            unsigned long linum,  
            unsigned long lflag,  
            unsigned long llevel,  
            unsigned long edge,  
            unsigned long active,  
            unsigned long clear,  
            char *handler)
```

**locirqx** 12

**linum** 0 - abort

- 1 - acfail
- 2 - sysfail
- 3 - local0
- 4 - local1
- 5 - local2
- 6 - local3
- 7 - local4
- 8 - local5
- 9 - local6
- 10 - local7

**lflag** 0 to disable IRQ  
1 to enable IRQ

**llevel** interrupt request level code

**edge** 1 for edge sensitive IRQ  
0 for level sensitive IRQ

**active** 1 for active high  
0 for active low

**clear** 1 for disable autoclear  
0 for enable autoclear

**handler** address of the irq handling routine

#### 4.4.4 Local IRQ Control

Sets up local IRQ controls. This routine also initializes the 680XX IRQ handler in the vector page. It is a short form of the above described locirqx function.

NOTE: May only be called in the SUPERVISOR mode!

```
int fga_util(unsigned long locirq,  
            unsigned long linum,  
            unsigned long lflag,  
            unsigned long llevel,  
            char *handler)
```

**locirq** 11

**linum** 0 ... abort

1 ... acfail

2 ... sysfail

3 ... local0

4 ... local1

5 ... local2

6 ... local3

7 ... local4

8 ... local5

9 ... local6

10 .. local7

**lflag** 0 to disable IRQ

1 to enable IRQ

**llevel** interrupt request level code

**handler** address of the irq handling routine

#### 4.4.5 Mailbox IRQ Control

Sets up mailbox IRQ controls. This routine also initializes the 680XX IRQ handler in the vector page.

NOTE: May only be called in the SUPERVISOR mode!

```
int fga_util(unsigned long mbxirq,
             unsigned long minum,
             unsigned long mflag,
             unsigned long mlevel,
             char *handler)
```

**mbxirq** 13

**minum** Mailbox IRQ 0..7

**mflag** 0 to disable IRQ 1 to enable IRQ

**mlevel** interrupt request level code

**handler** address of the irq handling routine

#### 4.4.6 Other IRQ Control

Sets up miscellaneous IRQ controls. This routine also initializes the 680XX IRQ handler in the vector page.

NOTE: May only be called in the SUPERVISOR mode!

```
int fga_util(unsigned long othirq,
             unsigned long onum,
             unsigned long oflag,
             unsigned long olevel,
             char *handler)
```

**othirq** 14

**onum** 0 ... timer  
1-3.. reserved  
4 ... DMA normal  
5 ... DMA error

**oflag** 0 to disable IRQ  
1 to enable IRQ

**olevel** interrupt request level code

**handler** address of the irq handling routine

## 4.5 Miscellaneous

### 4.5.1 Receive 4 bytes FMB Message and Jump to this Address

This routine is useful when downloading software to the DPR and starting afterwards.

```
int fga_util(unsigned long getmsg)
```

**getmsg** 17

### 4.5.2 Set DPR Address Parameters

This routine sets the address and range parameters for the onboard dual ported/gated memory.

```
int fga_util(unsigned long setdpr,  
            unsigned long locdprbas,  
            unsigned long vmedprbas,  
            unsigned long vmedprtop)
```

**setdpr** 18

**locdprbas** local DPR base address

**vmedprbas** VMEbus DPR base address

**vmedprtop** VMEbus DPR top address

### 4.5.3 Convert Number to Hex String

Converts a binary number (byte, word or long) to a hex ASCII string.

```
int fga_util(unsigned long hexas,  
            unsigned long mode,  
            unsigned long number,  
            char *string)
```

**hexas** 19

**mode** 1 - byte

2 - word

4 - long

\$10 should be added to precede with blanks

**number** binary number

**string** buffer for converted number

#### 4.5.4 Convert Hex ASCII to Binary Number

Convert the given hex ASCII string to a binary number.

```
int fga_util(unsigned long ashex,  
            char *ascii,  
            unsigned long binary,  
            unsigned long digits)
```

**ashex** 25

**ascii** hex ascii digit string

**binary** result storage

**digits** number of hex digits (max is 8)

#### 4.5.5 Broadcast Message via FMB

This routine sends out (via FMB) a message to the given logical slot address(es).

NOTE: May only be called in the SUPERVISOR mode!

```
int fga_util(unsigned long broadc,  
            unsigned long fmbch,  
            unsigned long msg,  
            char *slot,  
            unsigned long retry)
```

**broadc** 29

**fmbch** FMB channel, 0 or 1

**msg** message to send

**slot** destination slot number list, must be NULL terminated

**retry** broadcast retry count, on error

#### 4.5.6 Perform VME Reset Call

This routine performs a VME reset call on the specified board.

NOTE: If the logical slot number is its own, then the own board is reset !

```
int fga_util(unsigned long rstcall,unsigned long slot)
```

**rstcall** 30

**slot** destination slot number

#### 4.5.7 Initiate Mailbox IRQ

This function is used to generate one of the mailbox IRQs on the specified board.

NOTE: If the logical slot number is its own, then an own mailbox IRQ is generated !

```
int fga_util(unsigned long mailbx,  
            unsigned long box,  
            unsigned long slot,  
            unsigned long retry)
```

**mailbx** 31

**slot** destination slot number

**box** mailbox channel (0..7)

**retry** try  $n_i$  times to send IRQ

#### 4.5.8 Program Flash EPROMs

This routine is used to program Flash EPROMs. It must be called in Supervisor Mode.

```
typedef struct { char *flashbase;  
               char *rambase;  
               unsigned long length;  
               int width;  
               unsigned long val1;  
               unsigned long val2;  
               long *firstbad;  
               } FLASHPARM;  
  
int fga_util(unsigned long flashprg, FLASHPARM *flashdata)
```

**flashprg** 34

**flashdata** pointer to struct FLASHPARM

The structure must be filled with:

**flashbase** The base address of the Flash EPROM which is to program

**rambase** The start address of the data which is to program

**length** It specifies the length of the Flash EPROM. If a 0 is given the length and width is calculated automatically.

**width** It selects the data width of the Flash EPROMs. Three values are possible:

- '1': Byte width (8-bit)
- '2': Word width (16-bit)
- '4': Long width (32-bit)

NOTE: The Flash EPROM(s) must be programmed completely. Therefore programming only parts of a Flash EPROM is not possible.

#### 4.5.9 Read EAGLE Module Base Addresses

This function returns the base addresses for I/O, EPROM and RAM of every EAGLE module.

```
typedef struct _module_initparms { unsigned long module1_iobase;
                                   unsigned long module1_idprom;
                                   unsigned long module1_apmem;
                                   unsigned long module2_iobase;
                                   unsigned long module2_idprom;
                                   unsigned long module2_apmem;
                                   } MODULE_INITPARMS;

int fga_util(unsigned long readModuleParms, MODULE_INITPARMS **parmsptr)
```

### readModuleParms 35

**parmsptr** pointer to the a structure MODULE)INITPARMS

The structure is filled with 2 sets of initialization values. The first is for module 1, while the second is for module 2. Each set consists of 3 entries, the ID-EPROM base, an I/O base address and an application memory address.

## 5 Software Structure

### 5.1 Layout

|            |                                       |
|------------|---------------------------------------|
| \$FFE00000 | SP                                    |
| \$FFE00004 | PC                                    |
| \$FFE00008 | Utility Pointer                       |
| \$FFE0000C | Pointer to Address for a User Program |
| \$FFE00010 | Firmware Start Address                |
| \$FFE00014 | Boot Code<br>User Program             |
| \$FFFE0000 |                                       |

Figure 1: EPROM Usage.

The user program pointer points to the end of the boot software. At this point any program can be put. The boot software jumps to this code after initializing the board. The code must be finished with a RTS instruction. Per default only a RTS instruction is included.

### 5.2 Structure

|                                      |
|--------------------------------------|
| Start                                |
| Simulate PDOS Environment            |
| Store Reset Condition                |
| Turn boot decoding off               |
| Get CPU type                         |
| Calculate processor speed            |
| Get Rotary Switch                    |
| Initialize serial communication      |
| Preinitialize FC68165s               |
| Abort Switch pressed ?               |
| Yes Rotary Switch lower than 22 ?    |
| Yes Set new slot number              |
| Stop                                 |
| No Start debugger                    |
| Final initialization of the FC68165s |
| Initialize FGA-002A                  |
| Initialize DRAM                      |
| Start User Program                   |
| End                                  |

Figure 2: Flow Chart

### **5.3 Starting Firmware**

After execution of the FGA-002A Boot Software the firmware is started. Registers D0...D7, A0...A6 and the VBR are cleared.

The default start address of the firmware can be changed in the Boot EPROM. Therefore the address at offset \$10 is to patch. Inserting a 0 (the default) makes the FGA-002A Boot Software jump to the default firmware start. Any other address inserted leads to fetch the data from this address. The firmware acts as if the FGA-002A Boot Software is not present. Therefore at the beginning the stack pointer and the program counter must be located.

## A Incompatibilities to Previous Versions

- It is no longer possible to set Fair VMEbus Arbitration via the rotary switches.
- It is no longer possible to set the VMEbus width via the rotary switches.
- Setting the ACFAIL handler via the rotary switches is no longer possible.
- The SRAM location named "Ident" has changed from 'FGA2' to 'FB40'.

Because of this the SRAM content is always invalid on the very first start of this FGA-002A Boot Software, even if the SRAM content was valid for the previous boot software version 3.

- The following utility calls are no longer supported:
  - `chk_sum`
  - `cpu_info`
  - `putmsg`
  - `putchar`
  - `d_init`
  - `getchar`
  - `getline`
  - `set_ram`
  - `ch_sram`
  - `version`
  - `dmapage`
  - `dmajob`
- There is no longer a fixed address for the user program. Please refer to section 5 for details.