

# **APB Interconnect Module**

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# **User Guide**



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# **Acronyms in This Document**

A list of acronyms used in this document.

Acronym	Definition
APB	Advanced Peripheral Bus
AMBA	Advanced Microcontroller Bus Architecture
FPGA	Field Programmable Gate Array
RTL	Register Transfer Level



# 1. Introduction

The Lattice Semiconductor APB Interconnect Module is a fully parameterized soft IP for low latency interconnect fabric for APB system. It can be used to connect one or more APB bus requester to one or more APB bus completer. Requester-side arbitration is implemented within the module to minimize resource utilization. This means only one requester can access any of the completers at any given time. The APB Interconnect Module supports round-robin based and fixed priority based arbitration when multiple bus requesters access the same completer port. The arbitration completes in one clock cycle, which means that the transaction is delayed by one clock cycle when arbitration occurs.

The design is implemented in Verilog HDL. The IP can be configured and generated based on Table 1.1.

Table 1.1. FPGA Software for IP Configuration, Generation, and Implementation

Supported Devices	IP Configuration and Generation	IP Implementation (Synthesis, Map, Place and Route)
MachXO2™	Lattice Propel™ Builder software	Lattice Diamond™ software
MachXO3™	Lattice Propel Builder software	Lattice Diamond software
MachXO3D™	Lattice Propel Builder software	Lattice Diamond software
Mach™-NX	Lattice Propel Builder software	Lattice Diamond software
MachXO4™	Lattice Propel Builder software	Lattice Radiant™ software
MachXO5™-NX	Lattice Propel Builder software	Lattice Radiant™ software
CrossLink™-NX	Lattice Propel Builder software	Lattice Radiant software
Certus™-NX	Lattice Propel Builder software	Lattice Radiant software
Certus-N2	Lattice Propel Builder software	Lattice Radiant software
CertusPro™-NX	Lattice Propel Builder software	Lattice Radiant software
Lattice Avant™	Lattice Propel Builder software	Lattice Radiant software
iCE40 UltraPlus™	Lattice Propel Builder software	Lattice Radiant software

### 1.1. Features

The key features of the APB Interconnect Module include:

- Compliance with AMBA 3 APB Protocol v1.0
- Fully parameterized design
- Data Bus width of up to 32 bits [8, 16, 32]
- Address width of up to 32 bits [11,12,...,32]
- Support to up to 32 requesters and 32 completers
- Completer port address decoding
- Requester side arbitration
- Selectable arbitration scheme:
  - Round robin
  - Fixed priority



# 2. Functional Description

## 2.1. Overview

The Lattice Semiconductor APB Interconnect Module is a fully parameterized soft IP, low latency interconnect fabric for AMBA 3 APB based systems, enabling one or more bus requesters to be connected to one or more completers. This module is compliant with AMBA 3 APB Protocol v1.0.

AMBA3 advanced peripheral bus (APB) is a low-cost interface that is optimized for minimal power consumption and reduced interface complexity. APB should be used for any peripherals that are low-bandwidth and do not require the high performance of a pipelined bus interface. For example, UART, I<sup>2</sup>C, and GPIO. The APB is an unpipelined protocol, which means that the APB requester can only initiate a new transfer after the previous transfer is completed.

The APB-3 interface protocol does not have any *size* or *byte enable* signals to indicate transfer size. That is, all APB transfers are accessing the full width of the data bus. Thus, in a 32-bit processor system application, the data bus should be 32 bits.

# 2.2. Interface Description

Figure 2.1 shows the interface diagram for the APB Interconnect Module. The diagram shows all of the available ports for the IP core.

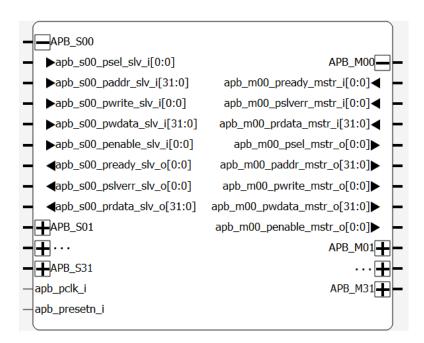


Figure 2.1. APB Interconnect Module Interface Diagram



**Table 2.1. APB Interconnect Module Signal Description** 

Pin Name	Direction	Width (Bits)	Description
Clock and Reset			
apb_pclk_i	In	1	APB clock
apb_presetn_i	In	1	APB active LOW reset
APB Completer Interface 00 (A	PB_M00)		
apb_m00_psel_mstr_o	Out	1	Select signal Indicates that the completer device is selected and that a data transfer is required.
apb_m00_paddr_mstr_o	Out	M_ADDR_WIDTH	Address signal
apb_m00_pwdata_mstr_o	Out	DATA_WIDTH	Write data signal
apb_m00_pwrite_mstr_o	Out	1	Direction signal Write = 1, Read = 0
apb_m00_penable_mstr_o	Out	1	Enable signal Indicates the second and subsequent cycles of an APB transfer.
apb_m00_pready_mstr_i	In	1	Ready signal Indicates transfer completion. Completer uses this signal to extend an APB transfer.
apb_m00_pslverr_mstr_i	In	1	Error signal Indicates a transfer failure. In case APB Completer does not have this signal, it should be tied to 1'b0.
apb_m00_prdata_mstr_i	In	DATA_WIDTH	Read data signal
APB Completer Interface 01 (A	PB_M01)		
apb_m01_psel_mstr_o	Out	1	Select signal Indicates that the completer device is selected and that a data transfer is required.
apb_m01_paddr_mstr_o	Out	M_ADDR_WIDTH	Address signal
apb_m01_pwdata_mstr_o	Out	DATA_WIDTH	Write data signal
apb_m01_pwrite_mstr_o	Out	1	Direction signal Write = 1, Read = 0
apb_m01_penable_mstr_o	Out	1	Enable signal Indicates the second and subsequent cycles of an APB transfer.
apb_m01_pready_mstr_i	In	1	Ready signal Indicates transfer completion. Completer uses this signal to extend an APB transfer.
apb_m01_pslverr_mstr_i	In	1	Error signal Indicates a transfer failure. In case APB Completer does not have this signal, it should be tied to 1'b0.
apb_m01_prdata_mstr_i	In	DATA_WIDTH	Read data signal
			_
APB Completer Interface xx (A	PB_Mxx)	•	
apb_mxx_psel_mstr_o	Out	1	Select signal Indicates that the completer device is selected and that a data transfer is required.
apb_mxx_paddr_mstr_o	Out	M_ADDR_WIDTH	Address signal
apb_mxx_pwdata_mstr_o	Out	DATA_WIDTH	Write data signal
apb_mxx_pwrite_mstr_o	Out	1	Direction signal Write = 1, Read = 0
apb_mxx_penable_mstr_o	Out	1	Enable signal Indicates the second and subsequent cycles of an APB transfer.

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Pin Name	Direction	Width (Bits)	Description
apb_mxx_pready_mstr_i	In	1	Ready signal
			Indicates transfer completion. Completer uses this signal to extend an APB transfer.
apb_mxx_pslverr_mstr_i	In	1	Error signal
			Indicates a transfer failure. In case APB Completer does not have this signal, it should be tied to 1'b0.
apb_mxx_prdata_mstr_i	In	DATA_WIDTH	Read data signal
APB Requester Interface 00 (A	APB_S00)		
apb_s00_psel_mstr_i	In	1	Select signal Indicates that this APB interface is selected and that a data transfer is required.
apb_s00_paddr_mstr_i	In	M_ADDR_WIDTH	Address signal
apb_s00_pwdata_mstr_i	In	DATA_WIDTH	Write data signal
apb_s00_pwrite_mstr_i	In	1	Direction signal Write = 1, Read = 0
apb_s00_penable_mstr_i	In	1	Enable signal Indicates the second and subsequent cycles of an APB transfer.
apb_s00_pready_mstr_o	Out	1	Ready signal Indicates transfer completion. This signal is used to extend an APB transfer.
apb_s00_pslverr_mstr_o	Out	1	Error signal Indicates a transfer failure.
apb_s00_prdata_mstr_o	Out	DATA_WIDTH	Read data signal
APB Requester Interface 01 (A	APB_S01)	-	
apb_s01_psel_mstr_i	In	1	Select signal Indicates that this APB interface is selected and that a data transfer is required.
apb_s01_paddr_mstr_i	In	M_ADDR_WIDTH	Address signal
apb_s01_pwdata_mstr_i	In	DATA_WIDTH	Write data signal
apb_s01_pwrite_mstr_i	In	1	Direction signal Write = 1, Read = 0
apb_s01_penable_mstr_i	In	1	Enable signal Indicates the second and subsequent cycles of an APB transfer.
apb_s01_pready_mstr_o	Out	1	Ready signal Indicates transfer completion. This signal is used to extend an APB transfer.
apb_s01_pslverr_mstr_o	Out	1	Error signal Indicates a transfer failure.
apb_s01_prdata_mstr_o	Out	DATA_WIDTH	Read data signal
APB Requester Interface yy (	APB_Syy)	1	
apb_syy_psel_mstr_i	In	1	Select signal Indicates that this APB interface is selected and that a data transfer is required.
apb_syy_paddr_mstr_i	In	M_ADDR_WIDTH	Address signal
apb_syy_pwdata_mstr_i	In	DATA_WIDTH	Write data signal
apb_syy_pwrite_mstr_i	In	1	Direction signal Write = 1, Read = 0
apb_syy_penable_mstr_i	In	1	Enable signal Indicates the second and subsequent cycles of an APB transfer.



Pin Name	Direction	Width (Bits)	Description
apb_syy_pready_mstr_o	Out	1	Ready signal
			Indicates transfer completion. This signal is used to extend an
			APB transfer.
apb_syy_pslverr_mstr_o	Out	1	Error signal
			Indicates a transfer failure.
apb_syy_prdata_mstr_o	Out	DATA_WIDTH	Read data signal

#### Notes:

- xx Possible values are (02, 03,..., *Total APB Completers -*1).
- yy Possible values are (02, 03,..., Total APB Requesters -1).

All APB Requester/Completer Interfaces are compliant with APB protocol. Refer to AMBA 3 APB Protocol v1.0 Specification for the timing diagrams and for more information on the protocol.

# 2.3. Attributes Summary

Table 2.2 provides a list of the user configurable attributes of the APB Interconnect Module. The attribute values are specified using the IP core configuration user interface in the Propel Builder software as shown in Table 2.2.

Table 2.2. Attributes Table<sup>4</sup>

Attribute	Selectable Values	Default	Dependency on Other Attributes <sup>3</sup>	
General Tab				
General Group				
Total APB Requesters	1–32	2	Total APB Requesters and	
Total APB Completers	1–32	2	Total APB Completers cannot be both 1	
Requester Address Width(bits) (M_ADDR_WIDTH)	11–32	32	_	
Full Address Decoding up to 1kB <sup>1</sup>	Checked, Unchecked	Checked	_	
Data Bus Width(bits) (DATA_WIDTH)	8, 16, 32	32	_	
Registered Output <sup>2</sup>	Checked, Unchecked	Unchecked	_	
Main Settings Tab <sup>3</sup>				
Completer 0 Settings Group				
SO Base Address	$0-(2^{M_{-}ADDR_{-}WIDTH}-'h400)$	32'h00000000	en_s0	
SO Address Range	'h400-2 <sup>M_ADDR_WIDTH</sup>	32'h00000400	en_s0	
Completer 1 Settings Group	_	_	_	
S1 Base Address	$0-(2^{M_{-}ADDR_{-}WIDTH}-'h400)$	32'h00002000	en_s1	
S1 Address Range	'h400-2 <sup>M_ADDR_WIDTH</sup>	32'h00000400	en_s1	
Completer 31 Settings Group	_	_	_	
S31_FRAGMENT_CNT	1–8	1	en_s31	
S31 Base Address	$0-(2^{M\_ADDR\_WIDTH}-'h400)$	32'h0003E000	en_s31	
S31 Address Range	'h400-2 <sup>M_ADDR_WIDTH</sup>	32'h00000400	en_s31	
Requester Priority Settings Tab				
Completer 0 Settings Group				
Arbiter Scheme	Round Robin, Fixed Priority	Round Robin	en_s0	
Requester 0 Priority	0–32	1	en_s0 and en_m1 and	
Requester 1 Priority	0–32	2	(Arbiter Scheme == Fixed Priority)	
Requester 2 Priority	0–32	3	en_s0 and en_m1 and	
	_	_	(Arbiter Scheme == Fixed Priority)	
Requester 31 Priority	0–32	32	en_s0 and en_m2 and	

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Attribute	Selectable Values	Default	Dependency on Other Attributes <sup>3</sup>
Completer 1 Settings Group			
Arbiter Scheme	Round Robin, Fixed Priority	Round Robin	Total APB Completers >= 2
Requester 0 Priority	0–32	1	en_s1 and en_m1 and
Requester 1 Priority	0–32	2	(Arbiter Scheme == Fixed Priority)
Requester 2 Priority	0–32	3	en_s1 and en_m1 and
	_	_	(Arbiter Scheme == Fixed Priority)
Requester 31 Priority	0–32	32	en_s1 and en_m2 and
Completer 31 Settings Group			
Arbiter Scheme	Round Robin, Fixed Priority	Round Robin	en_s31
Requester 0 Priority	0–32	1	en_s31 and en_m1 and
Requester 1 Priority	0–32	2	(Arbiter Scheme == Fixed Priority)
Requester 2 Priority	0–32	3	en_s31 and en_m1 and
	_	_	(Arbiter Scheme == Fixed Priority)
Requester 31 Priority	0–32	32	en_s31 and en_m2 and

#### Notes:

- 1. [Full Address Decoding up to 1kB = Checked] is currently not supported.
- 2. [Registered Output = Unchecked] is currently not supported.
- 3. Settings under Main Settings Tab are not configurable when the IP is being configured using System Builder because the tool manages the address map.
- 4. To simplify the condition, en\_s0, en\_s1 to en\_s31 are used for the condition that the corresponding connection to external completer is enabled. Similarly, en\_m0, en\_m1, en\_m2, and en\_m31 are used for the condition that the corresponding connection to external requester is enabled.

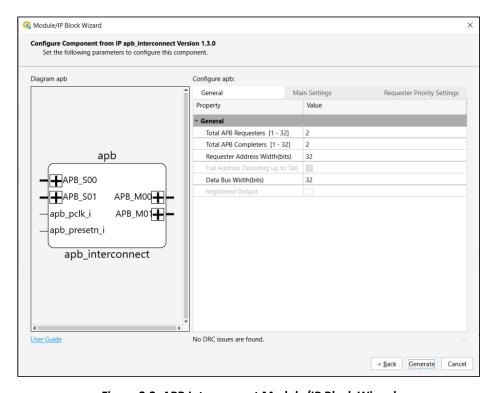


Figure 2.2. APB Interconnect Module/IP Block Wizard



### **Table 2.3. Attributes Description**

Attribute	Description
General Tab	
General Group	
Total APB Requesters	Specifies the number of APB requesters that are connected to this Soft IP.
Total APB Completers	Specifies the number of APB completers that are connected to this Soft IP.
Requester Address Width(bits) (M_ADDR_WIDTH)	Specifies the bit width of the all PADDR signals.
Full Address Decoding up to 1kB	Selects the decoder implementation. Refer to section for more information.
Data Bus Width(bits) (DATA_WIDTH)	Specifies the bit with of the all PWDATA and PRDATA signals.
Registered Output	Unchecked: Output register is disabled (bypassed)
	Checked: Output register is enabled – this option is currently not supported
Main Settings Tab	
Completer <n> Settings Group</n>	
Base Address <n></n>	Specifies base address for APB completer <n>.</n>
	If [Full Address Decoding up to 1kB = Checked]: The value must be aligned to 1 kB
	If [Full Address Decoding up to 1kB = Unchecked]: The value must be aligned to (or multiple
	of ) the value of Address Range rounded up to power of 2.
Address Range <n></n>	Specifies address range for APB completer <n>.</n>
	If [Full Address Decoding up to 1kB = Checked]: The value must be multiple of 1 kB.
Requester Priority Settings Tab	
Completer <n> Settings Group</n>	
Arbiter Scheme	Specifies the arbitration scheme to be implemented for APB completer <n>.</n>
Requester <m> Priority</m>	Specifies priority index of APB requester <m> to access APB completer <n>.</n></m>
	[0]: disabled connection – requester cannot access the completer
	[1]: Highest priority
	[31]: Lowest priority

#### Notes:

- <N> Completer index [0,1,...,(Total APB Completers)-1]
- <M> Requester index [0,1,...,(Total APB Requesters)-1]

## 2.4. Use Models

The APB Interconnect module connects one or more APB requester devices to one or more APB completer devices. Each connected APB requester device could either be:

- A device that originates APB transactions (endpoint requester) or
- A requester interface of an upstream APB Interconnect core being cascaded

Similarly, each connected APB completer device could either be:

- The final target of APB transactions (endpoint completer) or
- A completer interface of a downstream APB Interconnect core being cascaded

In general, APB Interconnect Module can be configured for the following connectivity patterns:

- Single Requester Interconnect refer to the Single Requester Interconnect section.
- Multi-Requester Interconnect refer to the Multi-Requester Interconnect section.

An example of Single Requester Interconnect application is shown in Figure 2.3. The arrows in the figure are APB interface connections, where *M* stands for an APB requester port, and *S* stands for an APB completer port. In this example, AHB-Lite to APB (AHBL2APB) Bridge is the endpoint APB requester. In an embedded system, this module usually converts the register access AHB-Lite transaction to APB. The APB requester must be registered output for better routing in the FPGA fabric.



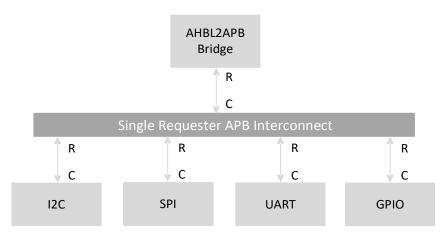


Figure 2.3. Example of Single Requester Interconnect Application

An example of a Multi-Requester Interconnect application is shown in Figure 2.4. This is similar to Figure 2.3 with the addition of the I2CS2APB Bridge. In this example, the I2CS2APB Bridge may be used to perform read and write access to the peripheral registers through the I<sup>2</sup>C interface that is connected to the external I<sup>2</sup>C Requester. If the two APB requesters attempt to access the completers (either the same completer or a different completer) at the same time, arbitration occurs and only the granted requester gains access to the target completer. This requester-side arbitration optimizes resource utilization at the expense of reduced performance. This is acceptable for APB interconnect since APB is not intended for high performance application.

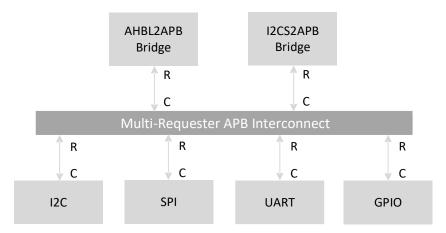


Figure 2.4. Example of Multi-Requester Interconnect Application



## 2.5. Single Requester Interconnect

The Single Requester Interconnect described in this document is a single requester to multiple completer configuration of the Lattice Semiconductor APB Interconnect Module. The bus interconnect logic is encapsulated inside the soft IP, which consists of an address decoder, a completer-to-requester multiplexor, and a default completer. This is shown in Figure 2.5. The requester-to-completer APB signals (PENABLE, PWRITE, PWDATA, PADDR), not including PSELx, are connected directly from the requester to all the completers. The PADDR also goes to the Decoder component, which generates individual PSELx signals to each completers. The completer treats the transaction as valid when its PSELx input is asserted. When no completer is selected, the PSELx going to the Default Completer asserts. In this case, the Default Completer sends an error response to the multiplexor. The Multiplexor uses the PSELx signals from the Decoder to select the completer to requester signals (PREADY, PRDATA, PSLVERR) from the target completer and route it to the requester.

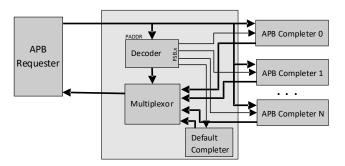


Figure 2.5. Functional Block Diagram of Single Requester Interconnect

### 2.5.1. Decoder

The Decoder component performs address decoding for each bus transfer and provides a select signal for each completer on the bus. Decoding is done by comparing the appropriate address bits with the user-provided memory-map (*Base Address* and *Address Range*) settings during configuration. This is shown in Figure 2.6. The memory map is static setting; it cannot be changed during operation. During a bus transfer, the select signal goes high for a single completer involved in the transfer. The decoder also sends the PSELx signals to the multiplexor.

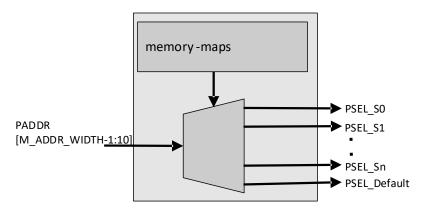


Figure 2.6. Block Diagram of AHB-Lite Decoder

The minimum address space that can be allocated to a single completer is 1 kB. This is done to be consistent with AHB-Lite Interconnect and to reduce the combinatorial delay of address decoding. When configuring the IP, The completer *Address Range* attribute value must be in multiple of 1 kB.

The PSELx signal is a combinatorial decode of the high-order address signals. This is done by comparing the higher bits of the address signal with the *Base Address* and *Address Range* settings. The behavior of decoder is controlled by the *Full Address Decoding up to 1 kB* attribute as follows:

- [Full Address Decoding up to 1kB is Checked]: PSEL signal asserts if the following conditions are met:
- apb\_sxx\_paddr\_slv\_i[M\_ADDR\_WIDTH 1:10] >= Base Address[M\_ADDR\_WIDTH 1:10]

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- apb\_sxx\_paddr\_slv\_i[M\_ADDR\_WIDTH 1:10] <= (Max Address + Address Range)[M\_ADDR\_WIDTH 1:10]</li>
- [Full Address Decoding up to 1kB is Unchecked]: PSEL signal asserts if the following condition is met:
- apb\_sxx\_paddr\_slv\_i[M\_ADDR\_WIDTH 1:XBIT] == Base Address[M\_ADDR\_WIDTH 1: XBIT] Wherein XBIT = Round\_up(log<sub>2</sub>(Address Range))

When *Full Address Decoding up to 1 kB* is Unchecked, the *Address Range* is not in used in comparison because it is in a power of 2 value. Thus, the behavior of the interconnect is undefined if this attribute is not in a power of 2 value.

The user-defined memory maps of the completers are parameters to the decoder IP and are used to select the appropriate completer. If a system design does not contain a completely filled memory map, a default completer is selected when a transfer is attempted to a nonexistent address location.

## 2.5.2. Default Completer

When a transfer is attempted to an address that does not map to a completer, the Default Completer provides an error response to the multiplexor. An error response is the assertion of the PSLVERR signal when PENABLE and PREADY are both asserted. The PRDATA signal from Default Completer is fixed to 0.

## 2.5.3. Multiplexor

A Multiplexor component is a completer-to-requester multiplexor. It selects the PRDATA, PREADY, and PSLVERR signals from the completers going to the requester as shown in Figure 2.7. The Multiplexor registers the PSELx signals from the Decoder and uses it to route the appropriate signals from the selected completer to the requester. The registering of the PSELx signal is necessary to break the combinatorial delay. This is important because the PSELx signals are part of the critical path.

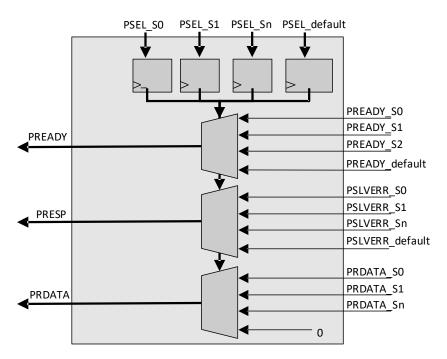


Figure 2.7. Block Diagram of APB Multiplexor

## 2.6. Multi-Requester Interconnect

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The Multi-Requester Interconnect described in this document is a single requester to multiple completer configuration of the Lattice Semiconductor APB Interconnect Module. It implements requester-side arbitration as shown in Figure 2.8. All the APB requesters go to the Arbiter Mux, which selects only one transaction to go through the Single Requester Interconnect. This means that when two or more APB requesters perform transaction to any completers at the same time, arbitration takes place. Only the granted requester can access any of the completers at a given time. You can specify a

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different arbitration scheme for each completer, which is used to select a requester during bus contention. Currently, there are two arbitration scheme options:

- Round-robin (default) Each requester is serviced in round-robin manner, giving each requester equal access to the completer.
- Fixed priority High priority requesters are always given access to the completer in preference over lower priority requesters.

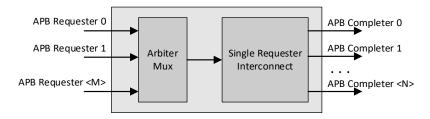


Figure 2.8. Block Diagram of Multi-Requester Interconnect

#### 2.6.1. Arbiter Mux

The Arbiter Mux receives an APB interface from each requester and routes one APB interface to the completer as shown in Figure 2.9. The Arbiter component arbitrates any potential contention between requesters. When PSELx is high from multiple requesters, the Arbiter generates the grant signal to the Multiplexors. The Requester to Completer Multiplexor routes the APB signals from the granted requester to the completer. These signals are PADDR, PSELx PENABLE, PWRITE, and PENABLE. On the other hand, the Completer to Requester multiplexor routes the PREADY, PRDATA, and PSLVERR signals to the granted requester. The requesters that are not granted have their PREADY input low, thus, the transaction is pended. The pended requester that is recently granted is already in access state. The FSM generates the necessary IDLE and SETUP states of the APB transaction for the newly granted requester.

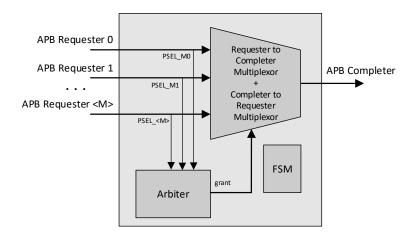


Figure 2.9. Block Diagram of APB Arbiter Mux



# **Appendix A. Resource Utilization**

The following tables show the resource utilization of the AHB Lite Interconnect for different Lattice FPGA devices using the Lattice Radiant software with Synplify Pro as the synthesis tool.

Table A.1. Resource Utilization Using the LAV-AT-X70ES-1LFG1156I Device

Configuration	Requester Address Width	Data Bus Width	Registers	LUTs	EBRs
Total APB Requesters = 1	32	8	3	190	0
Total APB Completers =2					
Total APB Requesters = 1	32	16	3	254	0
Total APB Completers =2					
Total APB Requesters = 1	11	16	2	164	0
Total APB Completers =2					
Total APB Requesters = 2	11	32	2	372	0
Total APB Completers =1					

Table A.2. Resource Utilization Using the LFCPNX-100-8LFG672I Device

Configuration	Requester Address Width	Data Bus Width	Registers	LUTs	EBRs
Total APB Requesters = 1	32	8	3	184	0
Total APB Completers =2					
Total APB Requesters = 2	22	8	7	200	0
Total APB Completers =1					
Total APB Requesters = 1	32	16	3	240	0
Total APB Completers =2					
Total APB Requesters = 1	11	16	2	164	0
Total APB Completers =2					
Total APB Requesters = 2	22	16	12	508	0
Total APB Completers =4					
Total APB Requesters = 4	32	32	15	979	0
Total APB Completers =2					



# References

- APB Interconnect Module Release Notes (FPGA-RN-02077)
- Lattice Radiant Timing Constraints Methodology (FPGA-AN-02059)
- CrossLink-NX web page
- CertusPro-NX web page
- Certus-NX web page
- Certus-N2 web page
- Mach-NX web page
- MachXO2 web page
- MachXO3 web page
- MachXO3D web page
- MachXO4 web page
- MachXO5-NX web page
- iCE40 UltraPlus web page
- Avant-E web page
- Avant-G web page
- Avant-X web page
- Lattice Radiant Software web page
- Lattice Propel Design Environment web page
- Lattice Diamond Software web page
- Lattice Insights for Lattice Semiconductor training courses and learning plans



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# **Revision History**

**Note:** In some instances, the IP may be updated without changes to the user guide. The user guide may reflect an earlier IP version but remains fully compatible with the later IP version. Refer to the IP Release Notes for the latest updates.

## Revision 1.4, IP v1.4.0, December 2025

Section	Change Summary
Introduction	Added MachXO4™ device in Table 1.1. FPGA Software for IP Configuration, Generation, and Implementation.
Resource Utilization	Updated Lattice Radiant software 2025.1 to Lattice Radiant software.
References	Updated references.
Revision History	Added note.

## Revision 1.3, IP v1.3.0, June 2025

Section	Change Summary
All	Renamed document from APB Interconnect Module - Lattice Propel Builder to APB Interconnect Module.
	• Changed instances of Master to Requester and Slave to Completer.
Disclaimers	Updated disclaimers.
Inclusive Language	Added inclusive language boilerplate.
Introduction	Updated Table 1.1. FPGA Software for IP Configuration, Generation, and Implementation as follows:
	<ul> <li>Added MachXO5-NX, Certus-N2, CertusPro-NX, Lattice Avant, and iCE40 UltraPlus devices.</li> </ul>
	Renamed Supported FPGA Family to Supported Devices.
Functional Description	• Updated Table 2.2. Attributes Table4 as follows:
	<ul> <li>Removed Weighted Round Robin option from the Arbiter Scheme attributes.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Removed the note on the Weighted Round Robin Arbiter Scheme.</li> </ul>
	Updated the following figures:
	<ul> <li>Figure 2.2. APB Interconnect Module/IP Block Wizard</li> </ul>
	Figure 2.3. Example of Single Requester Interconnect Application
	Figure 2.4. Example of Multi-Requester Interconnect Application
	Figure 2.5. Functional Block Diagram of Single Requester Interconnect
	Figure 2.8. Block Diagram of Multi-Requester Interconnect
	Figure 2.9. Block Diagram of APB Arbiter Mux
Resource Utilization	Added this section.
References	Updated references.
Technical Support Assistance	Added link to the Lattice Answer Database.

### Revision 1.2, May 2021

Section	Change Summary
Introduction	Updated Table 1.1 to add MachXO2 and MachXO3 as supported FPGA family.
References	Updated content to add reference for MachXO2 and MachXO3.

### Revision 1.1. December 2020

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Section	Change Summary
Introduction	Modified second paragraph and added Table 1.1. FPGA Software for IP Configuration, Generation, and Implementation.
Functional Description	Updated footnote markers in Table 2.2. Attributes Table. Removed footnote markers from Registered Output and Arbiter Scheme in Table 2.3. Attributes Description.

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Section	Change Summary
References	Updated this section.

## Revision 1.0, May 2020

Section	Change Summary
All	Initial release.



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