

# 3V, 256M-BIT [x 1/x 2/x 4] CMOS MXSMIO® (SERIAL MULTI I/O) FLASH MEMORY

# Key Features

- Protocol Support Single I/O, Dual I/O and Quad I/O
- Quad Peripheral Interface (QPI) available
- Support clock frequency up to 133MHz
- Program/Erase Suspend and Resume
- 4-bytes address interface



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#### 1. FEATURES

#### **GENERAL**

- Supports Serial Peripheral Interface -- Mode 0 and Mode 3
- Single Power Supply Operation
  - 2.7 to 3.6 volt for read, erase, and program operations
- 268,435,456 x 1 bit structure
   or 134,217,728 x 2 bits (two I/O mode) structure
   or 67,108,864 x 4 bits (four I/O mode) structure
- Protocol Support
  - Single I/O, Dual I/O and Quad I/O
- Latch-up protected to 100mA from -1V to Vcc +1V
- · Fast read for SPI mode
  - Support clock frequency up to 133MHz for all protocols
  - Support Fast Read, 2READ, DREAD, 4READ, QREAD instructions.
  - Configurable dummy cycle number for fast read operation
- · Quad Peripheral Interface (QPI) available
- Equal Sectors with 4K byte each, or Equal Blocks with 32K byte each or Equal Blocks with 64K byte each
  - Any Block can be erased individually
- · Programming:
  - 256byte page buffer
  - Quad Input/Output page program(4PP) to enhance program performance
- Typical 100,000 erase/program cycles
- 20 years data retention
- 4-bytes address interface

#### **SOFTWARE FEATURES**

- Input Data Format
  - 1-byte Command code
- · Advanced Security Features
  - Block lock protection

The BP0-BP3 and T/B status bit defines the size of the area to be protection against program and erase instructions

- Advanced sector protection function (Solid Protect)
- Additional 8K bit security OTP
  - Features unique identifier
  - Factory locked identifiable, and customer lockable

- Command Reset
- Program/Erase Suspend and Resume operation
- Electronic Identification
  - JEDEC 1-byte manufacturer ID and 2-byte device ID
  - RES command for 1-byte Device ID
  - REMS command for 1-byte manufacturer ID and 1-byte device ID
- Support Serial Flash Discoverable Parameters (SFDP) mode

# **HARDWARE FEATURES**

- SCLK Input
  - Serial clock input
- SI/SIO0
  - Serial Data Input or Serial Data Input/Output for 2 x I/O read mode and 4 x I/O read mode
- SO/SIO1
  - Serial Data Output or Serial Data Input/Output for 2 x I/O read mode and 4 x I/O read mode
- WP#/SIO2
  - Hardware write protection or Serial Data Input/ Output for 4 x I/O read mode
- HOLD#/SIO3
  - Hardware HOLD# pin or Serial Data Input/Output for 4 x I/O read mode
- PACKAGE
  - -16-pin SOP (300mil)
  - All devices are RoHS Compliant and Halogenfree



#### 2. GENERAL DESCRIPTION

MX25L25733F is 256Mb bits Serial NOR Flash memory, which is configured as 33,554,432 x 8 internally. When it is in two or four I/O mode, the structure becomes 134,217,728 bits x 2 or 67,108,864 bits x 4. MX25L25733F features a serial peripheral interface and software protocol allowing operation on a simple 3-wire bus while it is in single I/O mode. The three bus signals are a clock input (SCLK), a serial data input (SI), and a serial data output (SO). Serial access to the device is enabled by CS# input.

When it is in two I/O read mode, the SI pin and SO pin become SIO0 pin and SIO1 pin for address/dummy bits input and data output. When it is in four I/O read mode, the SI pin, SO pin, WP# and HOLD# pin become SIO0 pin, SIO1 pin, SIO2 pin, while SIO3 pin is also enabled for address/dummy bits input and data output.

The MX25L25733F MXSMIO<sup>®</sup> (Serial Multi I/O) provides sequential read operation on the whole chip.

After program/erase command is issued, auto program/erase algorithms which program/erase and verify the specified page or sector/block locations will be executed. Program command is executed on byte basis, or page (256 bytes) basis, or word basis. Erase command is executed on 4K-byte sector, 32K-byte block, or 64K-byte block, or whole chip basis.

To provide user with ease of interface, a status register is included to indicate the status of the chip. The status read command can be issued to detect completion status of a program or erase operation via WIP bit.

Advanced security features enhance the protection and security functions, please refer to the security features section for more details.

When the device is not in operation and CS# is high, it will remain in standby mode.

The MX25L25733F utilizes Macronix's proprietary memory cell, which reliably stores memory contents even after 100,000 program and erase cycles.

**Table 1. Read performance Comparison** 

Numbers of Dummy Cycles	Fast Read (MHz)	Dual Output Fast Read (MHz)	Quad Output Fast Read (MHz)	Dual IO Fast Read (MHz)	Quad IO Fast Read (MHz)
4	-	-	-	84*	60/66R
6	104	104	84	104	80/84R*
8	104*	104*	104*	104	95/104R
10	133	133	133	133	120

#### Notes:

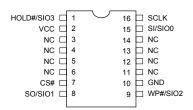
- 1. \* mean default status.
- 2. R means VCC range = 3.0V-3.6V.





# 3. PIN CONFIGURATIONS

# 16-PIN SOP (300mil)



# 4. PIN DESCRIPTION

SYMBOL	DESCRIPTION
CS#	Chip Select
	Serial Data Input (for 1 x I/O)/ Serial
SI/SIO0	Data Input & Output (for 2xI/O or 4xI/
	O read mode)
	Serial Data Output (for 1 x I/O)/ Serial
SO/SIO1	Data Input & Output (for 2xI/O or 4xI/
	O read mode)
SCLK	Clock Input
	Write protection Active low or Serial
WP#/SIO2	Data Input & Output (for 4xI/O read
	mode)
	Hardware HOLD# Pin Active low or
HOLD#/SIO3	Serial Data Input & Output (for 4xI/O
	read mode)
VCC	+ 3V Power Supply
GND	Ground

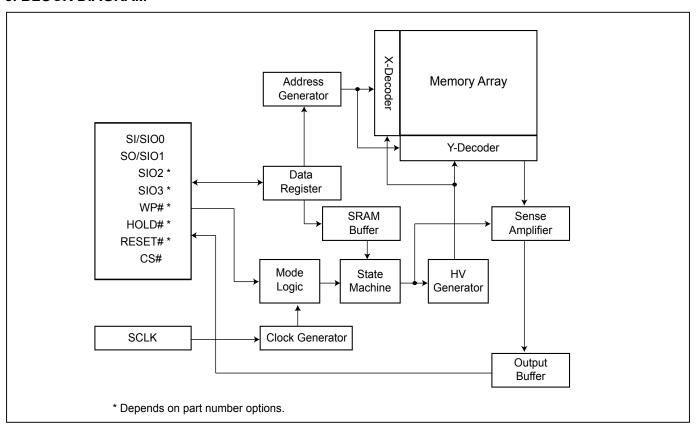
#### Notes:

The pin of HOLD#/SIO3 or WP#/SIO2 will remain internal pull up function while this pin is not physically connected in system configuration.

However, the internal pull up function will be disabled if the system has physical connection to HOLD#/SIO3 or WP#/SIO2 pin.



# 5. BLOCK DIAGRAM





#### 6. DATA PROTECTION

During power transition, there may be some false system level signals which result in inadvertent erasure or programming. The device is designed to protect itself from these accidental write cycles.

The state machine will be reset as standby mode automatically during power up. In addition, the control register architecture of the device constrains that the memory contents can only be changed after specific command sequences have completed successfully.

In the following, there are several features to protect the system from the accidental write cycles during VCC power-up and power-down or from system noise.

- Valid command length checking: The command length will be checked whether it is at byte base and completed on byte boundary.
- Write Enable (WREN) command: WREN command is required to set the Write Enable Latch bit (WEL) before other command to change data.
- Deep Power Down Mode: By entering deep power down mode, the flash device also is under protected from writing all commands except Release from deep power down mode command (RDP) and Read Electronic Signature command (RES), and softreset command.
- Advanced Security Features: there are some protection and security features which protect content from inadvertent write and hostile access.





#### I. Block lock protection

- The Software Protected Mode (SPM) use (BP3, BP2, BP1, BP0 and T/B) bits to allow part of memory to be protected as read only. The protected area definition is shown as "Table 2. Protected Area Sizes", the protected areas are more flexible which may protect various area by setting value of BP0-BP3 bits.
- The Hardware Protected Mode (HPM) use WP#/SIO2 to protect the (BP3, BP2, BP1, BP0) bits and Status Register Write Protect bit.
- In four I/O and QPI mode, the feature of HPM will be disabled.

**Table 2. Protected Area Sizes** 

# Protected Area Sizes (T/B bit = 0)

	Statu	ıs bit		Protect Level
BP3	BP2	BP1	BP0	256Mb
0	0	0	0	0 (none)
0	0	0	1	1 (1 block, protected block 511 <sup>th</sup> )
0	0	1	0	2 (2 blocks, protected block 510 <sup>h</sup> -511 <sup>th</sup> )
0	0	1	1	3 (4 blocks, protected block 508 <sup>th</sup> -511 <sup>th</sup> )
0	1	0	0	4 (8 blocks, protected block 504 <sup>th</sup> -511 <sup>th</sup> )
0	1	0	1	5 (16 blocks, protected block 496 <sup>th</sup> -511 <sup>th</sup> )
0	1	1	0	6 (32 blocks, protected block 480 <sup>th</sup> -511 <sup>th</sup> )
0	1	1	1	7 (64 blocks, protected block 448 <sup>th</sup> -511 <sup>th</sup> )
1	0	0	0	8 (128 blocks, protected block 384 <sup>th</sup> -511 <sup>th</sup> )
1	0	0	1	9 (256 blocks, protected 256 <sup>th</sup> -511 <sup>th</sup> )
1	0	1	0	10 (512 blocks, protected all)
1	0	1	1	11 (512 blocks, protected all)
1	1	0	0	12 (512 blocks, protected all)
1	1	0	1	13 (512 blocks, protected all)
1	1	1	0	14 (512 blocks, protected all)
1	1	1	1	15 (512 blocks, protected all)

# Protected Area Sizes (T/B bit = 1)

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	Statu	ıs bit	•	Protect Level
BP3	BP2	BP1	BP0	256Mb
0	0	0	0	0 (none)
0	0	0	1	1 (1 block, protected block 0 <sup>th</sup> )
0	0	1	0	2 (2 blocks, protected block 0 <sup>th</sup> -1 <sup>st</sup> )
0	0	1	1	3 (4 blocks, protected block 0 <sup>th</sup> -3 <sup>rd</sup> )
0	1	0	0	4 (8 blocks, protected block 0 <sup>th</sup> -7 <sup>th</sup> )
0	1	0	1	5 (16 blocks, protected block 0 <sup>th</sup> -15 <sup>th</sup> )
0	1	1	0	6 (32 blocks, protected block 0 <sup>th</sup> -31 <sup>st</sup> )
0	1	1	1	7 (64 blocks, protected block 0 <sup>th</sup> -63 <sup>rd</sup> )
1	0	0	0	8 (128 blocks, protected block 0 <sup>th</sup> -127 <sup>th</sup> )
1	0	0	1	9 (256 blocks, protected block 0 <sup>th</sup> -255 <sup>th</sup> )
1	0	1	0	10 (512 blocks, protected all)
1	0	1	1	11 (512 blocks, protected all)
1	1	0	0	12 (512 blocks, protected all)
1	1	0	1	13 (512 blocks, protected all)
1	1	1	0	14 (512 blocks, protected all)
1	1	1	1	15 (512 blocks, protected all)



**II. Additional 8K-bit secured OTP** for unique identifier: to provide 8K-bit One-Time Program area for setting device unique serial number - Which may be set by factory or system maker.

The 8K-bit secured OTP area is composed of two rows of 4K-bit. Customer could lock the first 4K-bit OTP area and factory could lock the other.

- Security register bit 0 indicates whether the second 4K-bit is locked by factory or not.
- Customer may lock-down the customer lockable secured OTP by writing WRSCUR(write security register) command to set customer lock-down bit1 as "1". Please refer to "Table 12. Security Register Definition" for security register bit definition and "Table 3. 8K-bit Secured OTP Definition" for address range definition.
- To program 8K-bit secured OTP by entering secured OTP mode (with ENSO command), and going through normal program procedure, and then exiting secured OTP mode by writing EXSO command.

**Note:** Once lock-down whatever by factory or customer, the corresponding secured area cannot be changed any more. While in 8K-bit Secured OTP mode, array access is not allowed.

**Table 3. 8K-bit Secured OTP Definition** 

Address range	Size	Customer Lock	Standard Factory Lock
xxx000-xxx1FF	4096-bit Determined by customer		N/A
xxx200-xxx3FF	4096-bit	N/A	Determined by factory

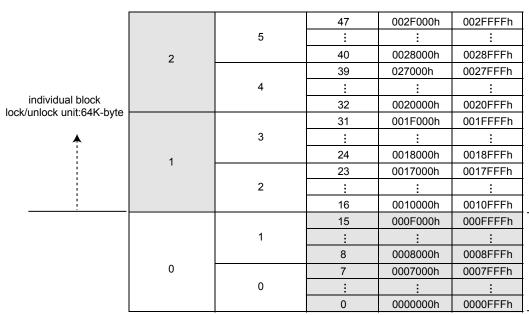


# 7. Memory Organization

**Table 4. Memory Organization** 

	Block(64K-byte)	Block(32K-byte)	Sector	Address	s Range	
			8191	1FFF000h	1FFFFFFh	-
		1023	:		:	<b>*</b>
	511		8184	1FF8000h	1FF8FFFh	individual 16 sectors
	311		8183	1FF7000h	1FF7FFFh	lock/unlock unit:4K-byte
		1022		:	:	<b>^</b>
			8176	1FF0000h	1FF0FFFh	
			8175	1FEF000h	1FEFFFFh	
	510	1021	:	:	1	
į			8168	1FE8000h	1FE8FFFh	
÷		1020	8167	1FE7000h	1FE7FFFh	
•			:	:	1	
individual block			8160	1FE0000h	1FE0FFFh	
lock/unlock unit:64K-byte			8159	1FDF000h	1FDFFFFh	
		1019		:	ŧ	
	509		8152	1FD8000h	1FD8FFFh	
	000		8151	1FD7000h	1FD7FFFh	
		1018		:	:	
			8144	1FD0000h	1FD0FFFh	

individual block lock/unlock unit:64K-byte





#### 8. DEVICE OPERATION

- 1. Before a command is issued, status register should be checked to ensure device is ready for the intended operation.
- 2. When incorrect command is inputted to this device, this device becomes standby mode and keeps the standby mode until next CS# falling edge. In standby mode, SO pin of this device should be High-Z.
- 3. When correct command is inputted to this device, this device becomes active mode and keeps the active mode until next CS# rising edge.
- 4. Input data is latched on the rising edge of Serial Clock (SCLK) and data shifts out on the falling edge of SCLK. The difference of Serial mode 0 and mode 3 is shown as "Figure 1. Serial Modes Supported".
- 5. For the following instructions: RDID, RDSR, RDSCUR, READ, FAST\_READ, 2READ, DREAD, 4READ, QREAD, RDSFDP, RES, REMS, QPIID, RDDPB, RDSPB, RDLR, RDCR the shifted-in instruction sequence is followed by a data-out sequence. After any bit of data being shifted out, the CS# can be high. For the following instructions: WREN, WRDI, WRSR, SE, BE32K, BE, CE, PP, 4PP, DP, ENSO, EXSO, WRSCUR, WPSEL, GBLK, GBULK, SUSPEND, RESUME, NOP, RSTEN, RST, EQIO, RSTQIO the CS# must go high exactly at the byte boundary; otherwise, the instruction will be rejected and not executed.
- 6. While a Write Status Register, Program, or Erase operation is in progress, access to the memory array is neglected and will not affect the current operation of Write Status Register, Program, Erase.

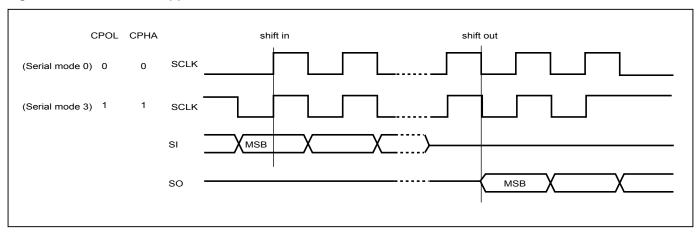


Figure 1. Serial Modes Supported

#### Note:

CPOL indicates clock polarity of Serial master, CPOL=1 for SCLK high while idle, CPOL=0 for SCLK low while not transmitting. CPHA indicates clock phase. The combination of CPOL bit and CPHA bit decides which Serial mode is supported.



Figure 2. Serial Input Timing

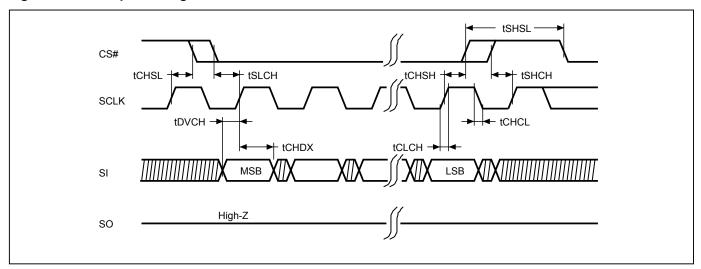
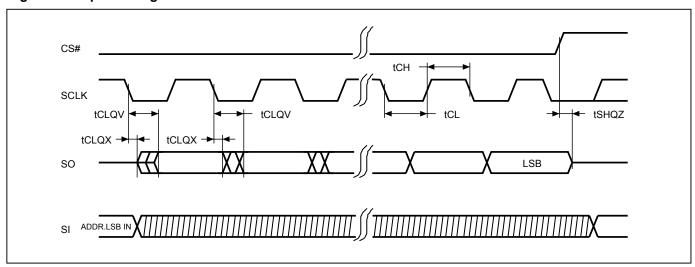


Figure 3. Output Timing





#### 8-1. 256Mb Address Protocol

The original 24 bit address protocol of Serial NOR Flash can only access density size below 128Mb. For the memory device of 256Mb and above, the 32bit address is requested for access higher memory size. The MX25L25733F provides whole new 4-Byte address protocol, for backward compatible to the legacy commands. All the command request for 4-Byte (32 bit) address cycle in this device.

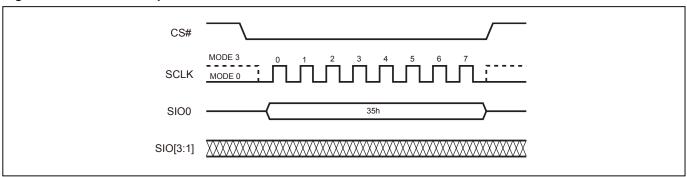
#### 8-2. Quad Peripheral Interface (QPI) Read Mode

QPI protocol enables user to take full advantage of Quad I/O Serial NOR Flash by providing the Quad I/O interface in command cycles, address cycles and as well as data output cycles.

#### **Enable QPI mode**

By issuing EQIO command (35h), the QPI mode is enabled. After QPI mode has been enabled, the device enter quad mode (4-4-4) without QE bit status changed.

Figure 4. Enable QPI Sequence



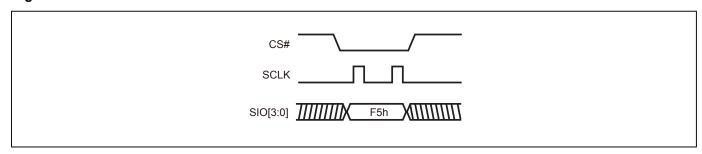
#### Reset QPI (RSTQIO)

To reset the QPI mode, the RSTQIO (F5h) command is required. After the RSTQIO command is issued, the device returns from QPI mode (4 I/O interface in command cycles) to SPI mode (1 I/O interface in command cycles).

#### Note:

For EQIO and RSTQIO commands, CS# high width has to follow "From Write/Erase/Program to Read Status Register spec" tSHSL (as defined in "Table 19. AC CHARACTERISTICS") for next instruction.

Figure 5. Reset QPI Mode



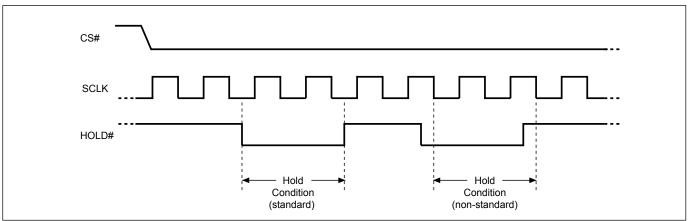


#### 9. HOLD FEATURES

HOLD# pin signal goes low to hold any serial communications with the device. The HOLD feature will not stop the operation of write status register, programming, or erasing in progress.

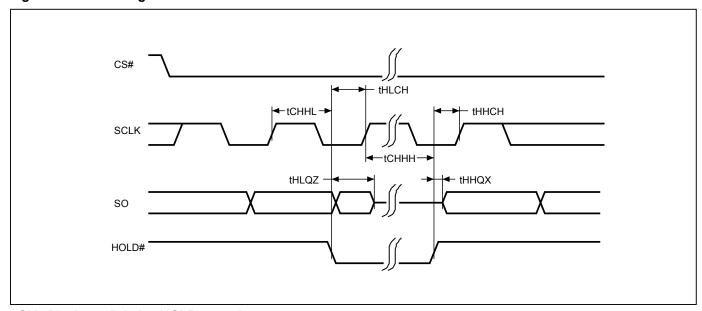
The operation of HOLD requires Chip Select(CS#) keeping low and starts on falling edge of HOLD# pin signal while Serial Clock (SCLK) signal is being low (if Serial Clock signal is not being low, HOLD operation will not start until Serial Clock signal being low). The HOLD condition ends on the rising edge of HOLD# pin signal while Serial Clock(SCLK) signal is being low (if Serial Clock signal is not being low, HOLD operation will not end until Serial Clock being low), please refer to the Figure below.

Figure 6. Hold Condition Operation



The Serial Data Output (SO) is high impedance, both Serial Data Input (SI) and Serial Clock (SCLK) are don't care during the HOLD operation. If Chip Select (CS#) drives high during HOLD operation, it will reset the internal logic of the device. To re-start communication with chip, the HOLD# must be at high and CS# must be at low.

Figure 7. Hold Timing



<sup>\*</sup> SI is "don't care" during HOLD operation.



# 10. COMMAND DESCRIPTION

# Table 5. Command Set

	Command					Dummi	Data					
	Command Code	SPI	QPI	Total ADD Byte	Byte 1	Byte 2	Byte 3	Byte 4	Dummy Cycle	Byte		
Array access												
READ (normal read)	03 (hex)	V		4	ADD1	ADD2	ADD3	ADD4	0	1- ∞		
FAST READ (fast read data)	0B (hex)	٧		4	ADD1	ADD2	ADD3	ADD4	8 *	1- ∞		
2READ (2 x I/O read command)	BB (hex)	V		4	ADD1	ADD2	ADD3	ADD4	4 *	1- ∞		
DREAD (1I 2O read)	3B (hex)	V		4	ADD1	ADD2	ADD3	ADD4	8 *	1- ∞		
4READ (4 I/O read)	EB (hex)	V	V	4	ADD1	ADD2	ADD3	ADD4	6 *	1- ∞		
QREAD (1I 4O read)	6B (hex)	V		4	ADD1	ADD2	ADD3	ADD4	8 *	1- ∞		
PP (page program)	02 (hex)	٧	V	4	ADD1	ADD2	ADD3	ADD4	0	1-256		
4PP (quad page program)	38 (hex)	٧		4	ADD1	ADD2	ADD3	ADD4	0	1-256		
SE (sector erase)	20 (hex)	٧	V	4	ADD1	ADD2	ADD3	ADD4	0	0		
BE 32K (block erase 32KB)	52 (hex)	V	V	4	ADD1	ADD2	ADD3	ADD4	0	0		
BE (block erase 64KB)	D8 (hex)	V	V	4	ADD1	ADD2	ADD3	ADD4	0	0		

<sup>\*</sup> Dummy cycle numbers will be different depending on the bit6 & bit 7 (DC0 & DC1) setting in configuration register.



		1	1	Address Byte								
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	Command Code	SPI	QPI	Total ADD Byte	Byte 1	Byte 2	Byte 3	Byte 4	Dummy Cycle	Data Byte		
Device operation												
WREN (write enable)	06 (hex)	٧	V	0					0	0		
WRDI (write disable)	04 (hex)	٧	V	0					0	0		
WPSEL (Write Protect Selection)	68 (hex)	٧	٧	0					0	0		
EQIO (Enable QPI)	35 (hex)	٧		0					0	0		
RSTQIO (Reset QPI)	F5 (hex)		V	0					0	0		
PGM/ERS Suspend (Suspends Program/ Erase)	75 or B0 (hex)	V	V	0					0	0		
PGM/ERS Resume (Resumes Program/ Erase)	7A or 30 (hex)	V	٧	0					0	0		
DP (Deep power down)	B9 (hex)	V	٧	0					0	0		
RDP (Release from deep power down)	AB (hex)	V	V	0					0	0		
NOP (No Operation)	00 (hex)	V	V	0					0	0		
RSTEN (Reset Enable)	66 (hex) (Note2)	٧	٧	0					0	0		
RST (Reset Memory)	99 (hex) (Note2)	V	V	0					0	0		
GBLK (gang block lock)	7E (hex)	٧	V	0					0	0		
GBULK (gang block unlock)	98 (hex)	٧	V	0					0	0		
FMEN (factory mode enable)	41 (hex)	٧	٧	0					0	0		



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	Command Code	SPI	SPI QPI		Byte 1	Byte 2	Byte 3	Byte 4	Dummy Cycle	Data Byte			
Register Access													
RDID (read identification)	9F (hex)	V		0					0	3			
RES (read electronic ID)	AB (hex)	V	V	0					0	3			
REMS (read electronic manufacturer & device ID)	90 (hex)	V		0					0	3			
QPIID (QPI ID Read)	AF (hex)		V	0					0	3			
RDSFDP (Read SFDP Table)	5A (hex)	V		3	ADD1	ADD2	ADD3		0	0			
RDSR (read status register)	05 (hex)	V	V	0					0	1			
RDCR (read configuration register)	15 (hex)	V	V	0					0	1			
WRSR (write status/configuration register)	01 (hex)	V	V	0					0	1-2			
RDSCUR (read security register)	2B (hex)	٧	V	0					0	0			
WRSCUR (write security register)	2F (hex)	V	V	0					0	0			
SBL (Set Burst Length)	C0 (hex)	V	V	0					0	1			
ENSO (enter secured OTP)	B1 (hex)	V	V	0					0	0			
EXSO (exit secured OTP)	C1 (hex)	V	V	0					0	0			
WRLR (write Lock register)	2C (hex)	V		0					0	1			
RDLR (read Lock register)	2D (hex)	V		0					0	1			
WRSPB (SPB bit program)	E3 (hex)	V		4	ADD1	ADD2	ADD3	ADD4	0	0			
ESSPB (all SPB bit erase)	E4 (hex)	V		0					0	0			
RDSPB (read SPB status)	E2 (hex)	V		4	ADD1	ADD2	ADD3	ADD4	0	1			
WRDPB (write DPB register)	E1 (hex)	V		4	ADD1	ADD2	ADD3	ADD4	0	1			
RDDPB (read DPB register)	E0 (hex)	V		4	ADD1	ADD2	ADD3	ADD4	0	1			

Note 1: It is not recommended to adopt any other code/address not in the command definition table, which will potentially enter the hidden mode.

Note 2: The RSTEN command must be executed before executing the RST command. If any other command is issued in-between RSTEN and RST, the RST command will be ignored.



# 10-1. Write Enable (WREN)

The Write Enable (WREN) instruction is for setting Write Enable Latch (WEL) bit. For those instructions like PP, 4PP, SE, BE32K, BE, CE and WRSR which are intended to change the device content WEL bit should be set every time after the WREN instruction setting the WEL bit.

The sequence of issuing WREN instruction is: CS# goes low→sending WREN instruction code→ CS# goes high.

Both SPI (8 clocks) and QPI (2 clocks) command cycle can accept by this instruction. The SIO[3:1] are don't care in SPI mode.

Figure 8. Write Enable (WREN) Sequence (SPI Mode)

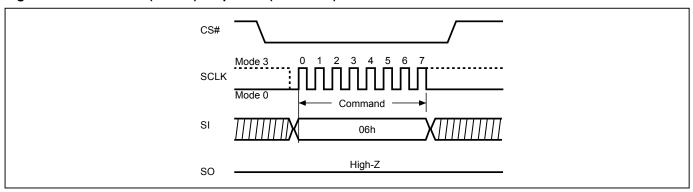
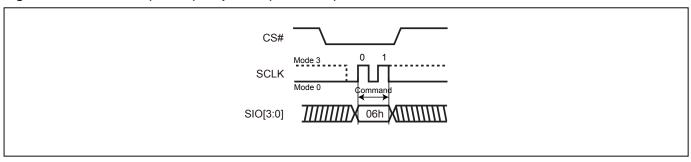


Figure 9. Write Enable (WREN) Sequence (QPI Mode)





#### 10-2. Write Disable (WRDI)

The Write Disable (WRDI) instruction is to reset Write Enable Latch (WEL) bit.

The sequence of issuing WRDI instruction is: CS# goes low→sending WRDI instruction code→CS# goes high.

Both SPI (8 clocks) and QPI (2 clocks) command cycle can accept by this instruction. The SIO[3:1] are don't care in SPI mode.

The WEL bit is reset by following situations:

- Power-up
- WRDI command completion
- WRSR command completion
- PP command completion
- 4PP command completion
- SE command completion
- BE32K command completion
- BE command completion
- CE command completion
- PGM/ERS Suspend command completion
- Softreset command completion
- WRSCUR command completion
- WPSEL command completion
- GBLK command completion
- GBULK command completion
- WRLR command completionWRSPB command completion
- ESSPB command completion
- WRDPB command completion

Figure 10. Write Disable (WRDI) Sequence (SPI Mode)

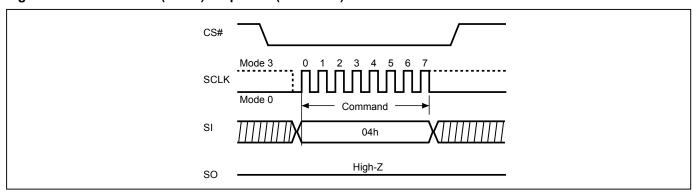
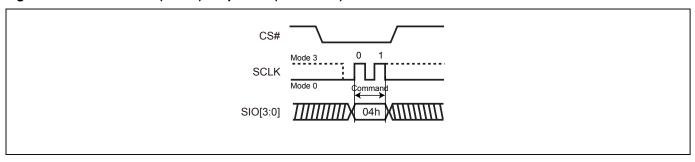


Figure 11. Write Disable (WRDI) Sequence (QPI Mode)





# 10-3. Factory Mode Enable (FMEN)

The Factory Mode Enable (FMEN) instruction is for enhance Program and Erase performance for increase factory production throughput. The FMEN instruction need to combine with the instructions which are intended to change the device content, like PP, 4PP, SE, BE32K, BE, and CE.

The sequence of issuing FMEN instruction is: CS# goes low→sending FMEN instruction code→ CS# goes high. A valid factory mode operation need to included three sequences: WREN instruction → FMEN instruction→ Program or Erase instruction.

Suspend command is not acceptable under factory mode.

The FMEN is reset by following situations

- Power-up
- PP command completion
- 4PP command completion
- SE command completion
- BE32K command completion
- BE command completion
- CE command completion
- Softreset command completion

Both SPI (8 clocks) and QPI (2 clocks) command cycle can accept by this instruction. The SIO[3:1] are don't care in SPI mode.

Figure 12. Factory Mode Enable (FMEN) Sequence (SPI Mode)

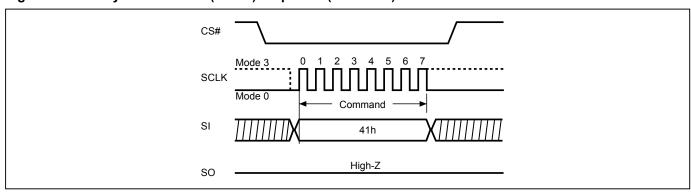
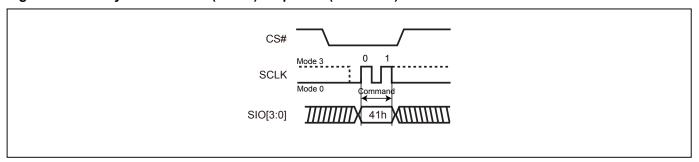


Figure 13. Factory Mode Enable (FMEN) Sequence (QPI Mode)





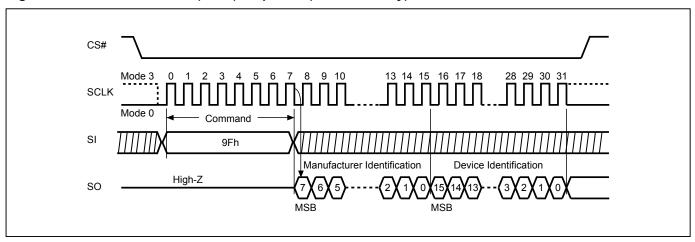
# 10-4. Read Identification (RDID)

The RDID instruction is for reading the manufacturer ID of 1-byte and followed by Device ID of 2-byte. The Macronix Manufacturer ID and Device ID are listed as "Table 6. ID Definitions".

The sequence of issuing RDID instruction is: CS# goes low $\rightarrow$  sending RDID instruction code $\rightarrow$ 24-bits ID data out on SO $\rightarrow$  to end RDID operation can drive CS# to high at any time during data out.

While Program/Erase operation is in progress, it will not decode the RDID instruction, therefore there's no effect on the cycle of program/erase operation which is currently in progress. When CS# goes high, the device is at standby stage.

Figure 14. Read Identification (RDID) Sequence (SPI mode only)





#### 10-5. Release from Deep Power-down (RDP), Read Electronic Signature (RES)

The Release from Deep Power-down (RDP) instruction is completed by driving Chip Select (CS#) High. When Chip Select (CS#) is driven High, the device is put in the Stand-by Power mode. If the device was not previously in the Deep Power-down mode, the transition to the Stand-by Power mode is immediate. If the device was previously in the Deep Power-down mode, though, the transition to the Stand-by Power mode is delayed by tRES1, and Chip Select (CS#) must remain High for at least tRES1(max), as specified in "Table 19. AC CHARACTERISTICS". Once in the Stand-by Power mode, the device waits to be selected, so that it can receive, decode and execute instructions. The RDP instruction is only for releasing from Deep Power Down Mode.

RES instruction is for reading out the old style of 8-bit Electronic Signature, whose values are shown as "Table 6. ID Definitions". This is not the same as RDID instruction. It is not recommended to use for new design. For new design, please use RDID instruction.

Even in Deep power-down mode, the RDP and RES are also allowed to be executed, only except the device is in progress of program/erase/write cycle; there's no effect on the current program/erase/write cycle in progress.

Both SPI (8 clocks) and QPI (2 clocks) command cycle can accept by this instruction. The SIO[3:1] are don't care when during SPI mode.

The RES instruction is ended by CS# goes high after the ID been read out at least once. The ID outputs repeatedly if continuously send the additional clock cycles on SCLK while CS# is at low. If the device was not previously in Deep Power-down mode, the device transition to standby mode is immediate. If the device was previously in Deep Power-down mode, there's a delay of tRES2 to transit to standby mode, and CS# must remain to high at least tRES2(max). Once in the standby mode, the device waits to be selected, so it can be receive, decode, and execute instruction.

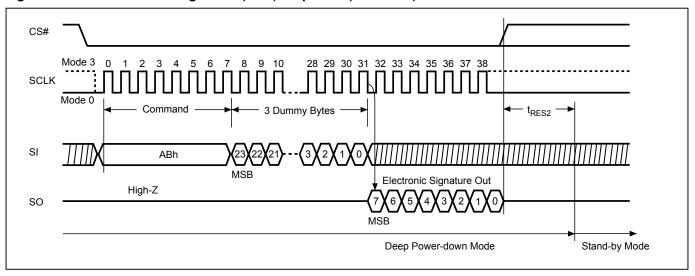


Figure 15. Read Electronic Signature (RES) Sequence (SPI Mode)



Figure 16. Read Electronic Signature (RES) Sequence (QPI Mode)

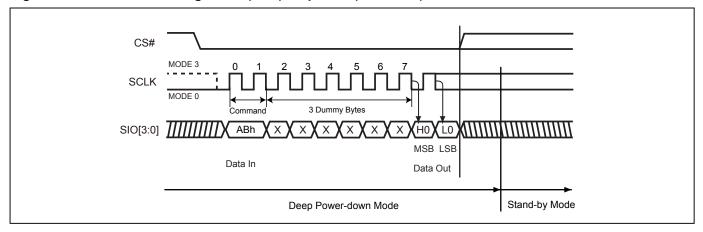


Figure 17. Release from Deep Power-down (RDP) Sequence (SPI Mode)

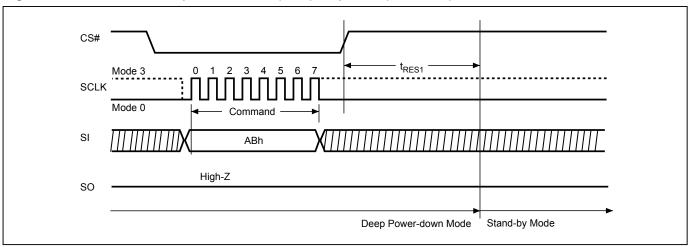
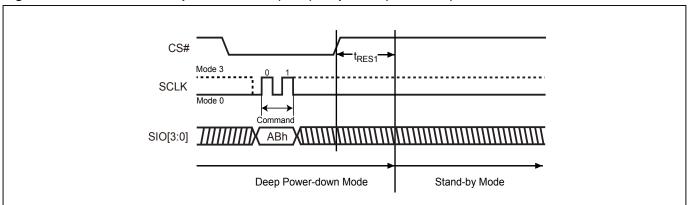


Figure 18. Release from Deep Power-down (RDP) Sequence (QPI Mode)





#### 10-6. Read Electronic Manufacturer ID & Device ID (REMS)

The REMS instruction returns both the JEDEC assigned manufacturer ID and the device ID. The Device ID values are listed in "Table 6. ID Definitions".

The REMS instruction is initiated by driving the CS# pin low and sending the instruction code "90h" followed by two dummy bytes and one address byte (A7~A0). After which the manufacturer ID for Macronix (C2h) and the device ID are shifted out on the falling edge of SCLK with the most significant bit (MSB) first. If the address byte is 00h, the manufacturer ID will be output first, followed by the device ID. If the address byte is 01h, then the device ID will be output first, followed by the manufacturer ID. While CS# is low, the manufacturer and device IDs can be read continuously, alternating from one to the other. The instruction is completed by driving CS# high.

CS# SCLK Mode 0 Command 2 Dummy Bytes SI 90h High-Z SO CS# **SCLK** ADD (1) SI Manufacturer ID Device ID SO **MSB** MSB MSB

Figure 19. Read Electronic Manufacturer & Device ID (REMS) Sequence (SPI Mode only)

Note: (1) ADD=00H will output the manufacturer's ID first and ADD=01H will output device ID first.



# 10-7. QPI ID Read (QPIID)

User can execute this QPIID Read instruction to identify the Device ID and Manufacturer ID. The sequence of issue QPIID instruction is CS# goes low→sending QPI ID instruction→Data out on SO→CS# goes high. Most significant bit (MSB) first.

After the command cycle, the device will immediately output data on the falling edge of SCLK. The manufacturer ID, memory type, and device ID data byte will be output continuously, until the CS# goes high.

**Table 6. ID Definitions** 

Command T	уре		MX25L25733F	
RDID	9Fh	Manufacturer ID	Memory Type	Memory Density
טוטא	9511	C2	20	19
RES	ABh		Electronic ID	
KES	ADII		18	
DEMO	006	Manufacturer ID	Device ID	
REMS	90h	C2	18	
OBIID	ΛEh	Manufacturer ID	Memory Type	Memory Density
QPIID	AFh	C2	20	19



## 10-8. Read Status Register (RDSR)

The RDSR instruction is for reading Status Register Bits. The Read Status Register can be read at any time (even in program/erase/write status register condition). It is recommended to check the Write in Progress (WIP) bit before sending a new instruction when a program, erase, or write status register operation is in progress.

The sequence of issuing RDSR instruction is: CS# goes low→ sending RDSR instruction code→ Status Register data out on SO.

Both SPI (8 clocks) and QPI (2 clocks) command cycle can accept by this instruction. The SIO[3:1] are don't care when during SPI mode.

Figure 20. Read Status Register (RDSR) Sequence (SPI Mode)

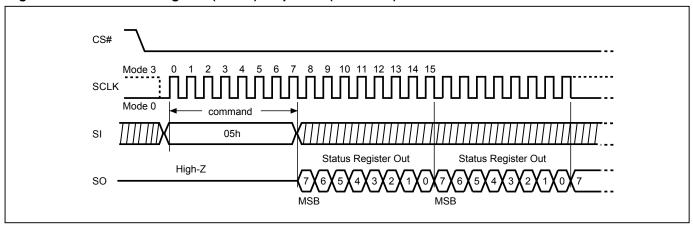
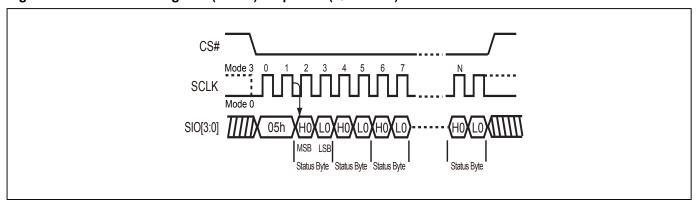


Figure 21. Read Status Register (RDSR) Sequence (QPI Mode)





## 10-9. Read Configuration Register (RDCR)

The RDCR instruction is for reading Configuration Register Bits. The Read Configuration Register can be read at any time (even in program/erase/write configuration register condition). It is recommended to check the Write in Progress (WIP) bit before sending a new instruction when a program, erase, or write configuration register operation is in progress.

The sequence of issuing RDCR instruction is: CS# goes low→ sending RDCR instruction code→ Configuration Register data out on SO.

Both SPI (8 clocks) and QPI (2 clocks) command cycle can accept by this instruction. The SIO[3:1] are don't care when during SPI mode.

Figure 22. Read Configuration Register (RDCR) Sequence (SPI Mode)

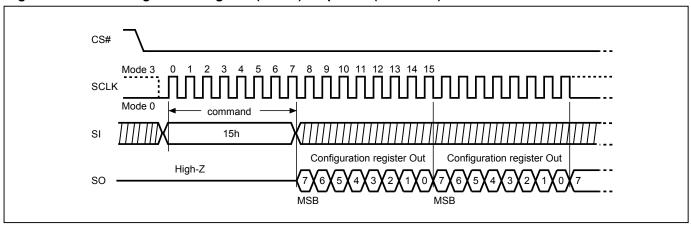
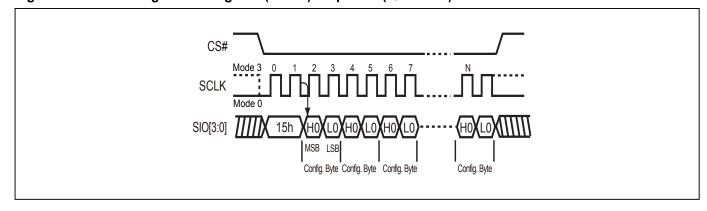


Figure 23. Read Configuration Register (RDCR) Sequence (QPI Mode)





For user to check if Program/Erase operation is finished or not, RDSR instruction flow are shown as follows:

Figure 24. Program/Erase flow with read array data

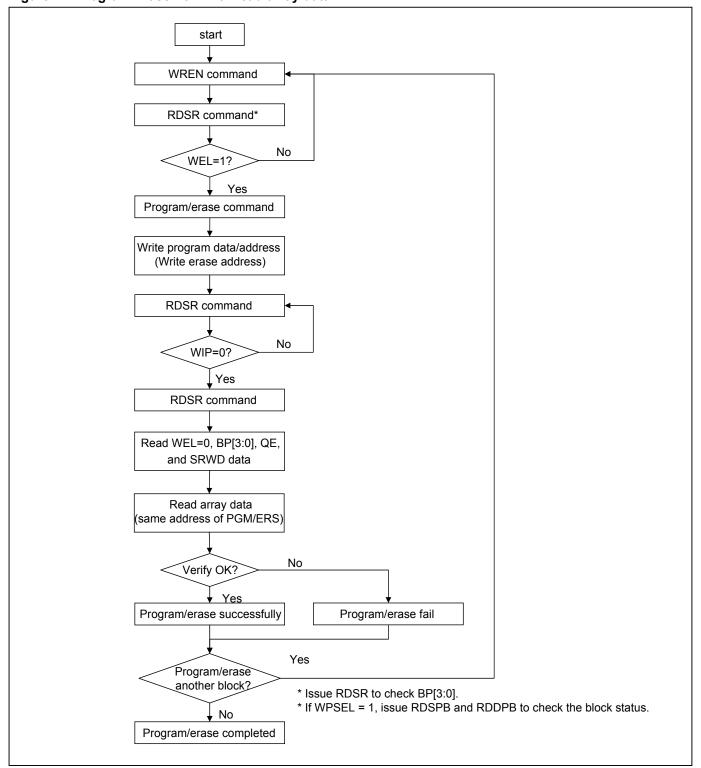
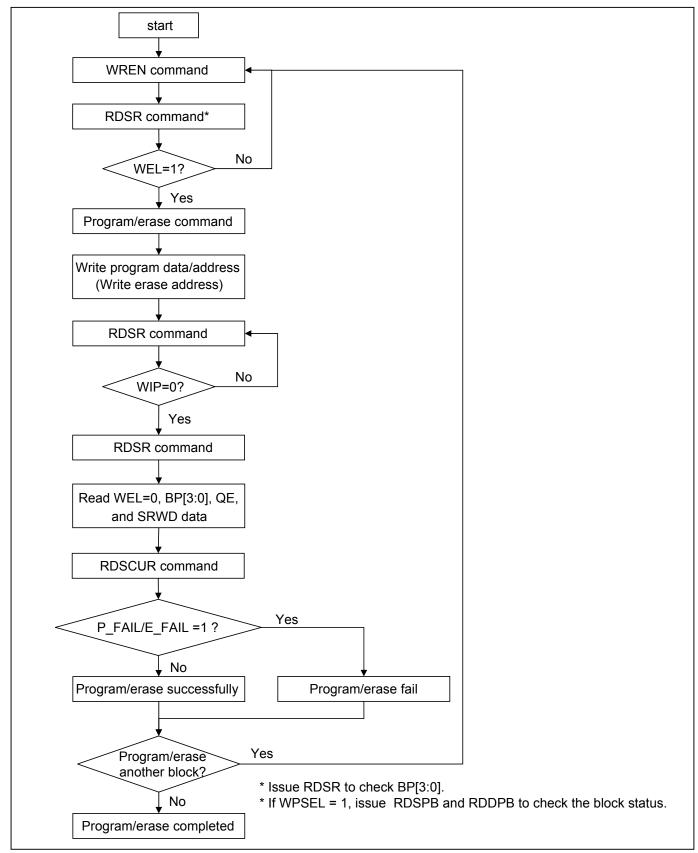




Figure 25. Program/Erase flow without read array data (read P\_FAIL/E\_FAIL flag)





## **Status Register**

The definition of the status register bits is as below:

**WIP bit.** The Write in Progress (WIP) bit, a volatile bit, indicates whether the device is busy in program/erase/write status register progress. When WIP bit sets to 1, which means the device is busy in program/erase/write status register progress. When WIP bit sets to 0, which means the device is not in progress of program/erase/write status register cycle.

**WEL bit.** The Write Enable Latch (WEL) bit is a volatile bit that is set to "1" by the WREN instruction. WEL needs to be set to "1" before the device can accept program and erase instructions, otherwise the program and erase instructions are ignored. WEL automatically clears to "0" when a program or erase operation completes. To ensure that both WIP and WEL are "0" and the device is ready for the next program or erase operation, it is recommended that WIP be confirmed to be "0" before checking that WEL is also "0". If a program or erase instruction is applied to a protected memory area, the instruction will be ignored and WEL will clear to "0".

**BP3**, **BP2**, **BP1**, **BP0** bits. The Block Protect (BP3, BP2, BP1, BP0) bits, non-volatile bits, indicate the protected area (as defined in "Table 2. Protected Area Sizes") of the device to against the program/erase instruction without hardware protection mode being set. To write the Block Protect (BP3, BP2, BP1, BP0) bits requires the Write Status Register (WRSR) instruction to be executed. Those bits define the protected area of the memory to against Page Program (PP), Sector Erase (SE), Block Erase 32KB (BE32K), Block Erase (BE) and Chip Erase (CE) instructions (only if Block Protect bits (BP3:BP0) set to 0, the CE instruction can be executed). The BP3, BP2, BP1, BP0 bits are "0" as default. Which is unprotected.

**QE bit.** The Quad Enable (QE) bit is a non-volatile bit with a factory default of "0". When QE is "0", Quad mode commands are ignored; pins WP#/SIO2 and HOLD#/SIO3 function as WP# and HOLD#, respectively. When QE is "1", Quad mode is enabled and Quad mode commands are supported along with Single and Dual mode commands. Pins WP#/SIO2 and the HOLD#/SIO3 function as SIO2 and SIO3, respectively, and their alternate pin functions are disabled. Enabling Quad mode also disables the HPM feature and HOLD feature.

**SRWD bit.** The Status Register Write Disable (SRWD) bit, non-volatile bit, is operated together with Write Protection (WP#/SIO2) pin for providing hardware protection mode. The hardware protection mode requires SRWD sets to 1 and WP#/SIO2 pin signal is low stage. In the hardware protection mode, the Write Status Register (WRSR) instruction is no longer accepted for execution and the SRWD bit and Block Protect bits (BP3, BP2, BP1, BP0) are read only. The SRWD bit defaults to be "0".

Table 7. Status Register

bit7	bit6	bit5	bit4	bit3	bit2	bit1	bit0
SRWD (status register write protect)	QE (Quad Enable)	BP3 (level of protected block)	BP2 (level of protected block)	BP1 (level of protected block)	BP0 (level of protected block)	WEL (write enable latch)	WIP (write in progress bit)
1=status register write disabled 0=status register write enabled	1=Quad Enabled 0=not Quad Enabled	(note 1)	(note 1)	(note 1)	(note 1)	1=write enabled 0=not write enabled	1=write operation 0=not in write operation
Non-volatile bit	Non-volatile bit	Non-volatile bit	Non-volatile bit	Non-volatile bit	Non-volatile bit	volatile bit	volatile bit

Note 1: Please refer to the "Table 2. Protected Area Sizes".





#### **Configuration Register**

The Configuration Register is able to change the default status of Flash memory. Flash memory will be configured after the CR bit is set.

#### **ODS** bit

The output driver strength (ODS2, ODS1, ODS0) bits are volatile bits, which indicate the output driver level (as defined in *Output Driver Strength Table*) of the device. The Output Driver Strength is defaulted as 30 Ohms when delivered from factory. To write the ODS bits requires the Write Status Register (WRSR) instruction to be executed.

#### TB bit

The Top/Bottom (TB) bit is a non-volatile OTP bit. The Top/Bottom (TB) bit is used to configure the Block Protect area by BP bit (BP3, BP2, BP1, BP0), starting from TOP or Bottom of the memory array. The TB bit is defaulted as "0", which means Top area protect. When it is set as "1", the protect area will change to Bottom area of the memory device. To write the TB bits requires the Write Status Register (WRSR) instruction to be executed.

**Table 8. Configuration Register Table** 

bit7	bit6	bit5	bit4	bit3	bit2	bit1	bit0
DC1	DC0			TB	ODS 2	ODS 1	ODS 0
(Dummy	(Dummy	Reserved	Reserved	(top/bottom	(output driver	(output driver	(output driver
cycle 1)	cycle 0)			selected)	strength)	strength)	strength)
(note 2)	(note 2)	x	x	0=Top area protect 1=Bottom area protect (Default=0)	(note 1)	(note 1)	(note 1)
volatile bit	volatile bit	Х	Х	OTP	volatile bit	volatile bit	volatile bit

Note 1: Please refer to "Table 9. Output Driver Strength Table"

Note 2: Please refer to "Table 10. Dummy Cycle and Frequency Table (MHz)"



**Table 9. Output Driver Strength Table** 

ODS2	ODS1	ODS0	Resistance (Ohm)
0	0	0	Reserved
0	0	1	90 Ohms
0	1	0	45 Ohms
0	1	1	45 Ohms
1	0	0	Reserved
1	0	1	15 Ohms
1	1	0	15 Ohms
1	1	1	30 Ohms (Default)

Table 10. Dummy Cycle and Frequency Table (MHz)

DC[1:0]	Numbers of Dummy clock cycles	Fast Read	Dual Output Fast Read	Quad Output Fast Read
00 (default)	8	104	104	104
01	6	104	104	84
10	8	104	104	104
11	10	133	133	133

DC[1:0]	Numbers of Dummy clock cycles	Dual IO Fast Read
00 (default)	4	84
01	6	104
10	8	104
11	10	133

DC[1:0]	Numbers of Dummy clock cycles	Quad IO Fast Read
00 (default)	6	80/84R
01	4	60/66R
10	8	95/104R
11	10	120

Notes: R means VCC range = 3.0V-3.6V.



#### 10-10. Write Status Register (WRSR)

The WRSR instruction is for changing the values of Status Register Bits and Configuration Register Bits. Before sending WRSR instruction, the Write Enable (WREN) instruction must be decoded and executed to set the Write Enable Latch (WEL) bit in advance. The WRSR instruction can change the value of Block Protect (BP3, BP2, BP1, BP0) bits to define the protected area of memory (as shown in "Table 2. Protected Area Sizes"). The WRSR also can set or reset the Quad enable (QE) bit and set or reset the Status Register Write Disable (SRWD) bit in accordance with Write Protection (WP#/SIO2) pin signal, but has no effect on bit1(WEL) and bit0 (WIP) of the status register. The WRSR instruction cannot be executed once the Hardware Protected Mode (HPM) is entered.

The sequence of issuing WRSR instruction is: CS# goes low→ sending WRSR instruction code→ Status Register data on SI→CS# goes high.

The CS# must go high exactly at the 8 bits or 16 bits data boundary; otherwise, the instruction will be rejected and not executed. The self-timed Write Status Register cycle time (tW) is initiated as soon as Chip Select (CS#) goes high. The Write in Progress (WIP) bit still can be check out during the Write Status Register cycle is in progress. The WIP sets 1 during the tW timing, and sets 0 when Write Status Register Cycle is completed, and the Write Enable Latch (WEL) bit is reset.

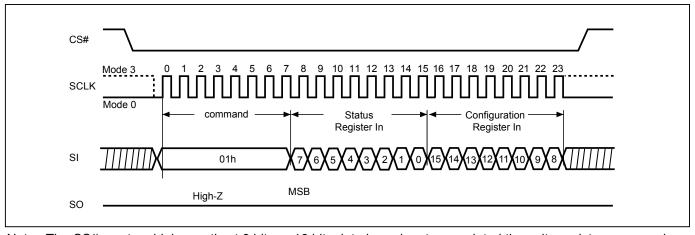
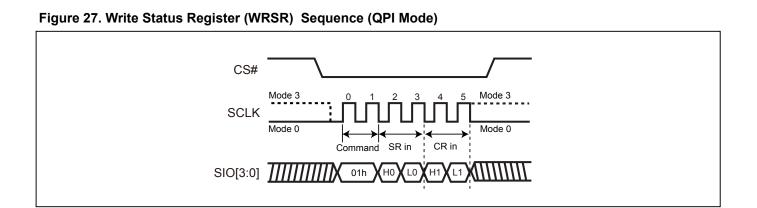


Figure 26. Write Status Register (WRSR) Sequence (SPI Mode)

Note: The CS# must go high exactly at 8 bits or 16 bits data boundary to completed the write register command.





#### **Software Protected Mode (SPM):**

- When SRWD bit=0, no matter WP#/SIO2 is low or high, the WREN instruction may set the WEL bit and can change the values of SRWD, BP3, BP2, BP1, BP0. The protected area, which is defined by BP3, BP2, BP1, BP0 and T/B bit, is at software protected mode (SPM).
- When SRWD bit=1 and WP#/SIO2 is high, the WREN instruction may set the WEL bit can change the values of SRWD, BP3, BP2, BP1, BP0. The protected area, which is defined by BP3, BP2, BP1, BP0 and T/B bit, is at software protected mode (SPM)

#### Note:

If SRWD bit=1 but WP#/SIO2 is low, it is impossible to write the Status Register even if the WEL bit has previously been set. It is rejected to write the Status Register and not be executed.

#### **Hardware Protected Mode (HPM):**

- When SRWD bit=1, and then WP#/SIO2 is low (or WP#/SIO2 is low before SRWD bit=1), it enters the hardware protected mode (HPM). The data of the protected area is protected by software protected mode by BP3, BP2, BP1, BP0 and T/B bit and hardware protected mode by the WP#/SIO2 to against data modification.

#### Note:

To exit the hardware protected mode requires WP#/SIO2 driving high once the hardware protected mode is entered. If the WP#/SIO2 pin is permanently connected to high, the hardware protected mode can never be entered; only can use software protected mode via BP3, BP2, BP1, BP0 and T/B bit. If the system enter QPI or set QE=1, the feature of HPM will be disabled.

**Table 11. Protection Modes** 

Mode	Status register condition	WP# and SRWD bit status	Memory
Software protection mode (SPM)  Status register can be written in (WEL bit is set to "1") and the SRWD, BP0-BP3 bits can be changed		WP#=1 and SRWD bit=0, or WP#=0 and SRWD bit=0, or WP#=1 and SRWD=1	The protected area cannot be program or erase.
Hardware protection mode (HPM)  The SRWD, BP0-BP3 of status register bits cannot be changed		WP#=0, SRWD bit=1	The protected area cannot be program or erase.

#### Note:

 As defined by the values in the Block Protect (BP3, BP2, BP1, BP0) bits of the Status Register, as shown in "Table 2. Protected Area Sizes".



Figure 28. WRSR flow

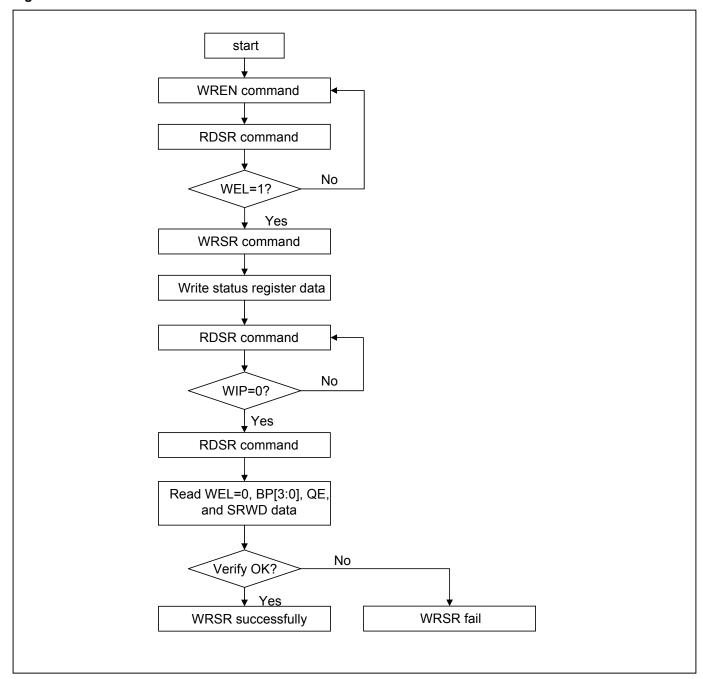
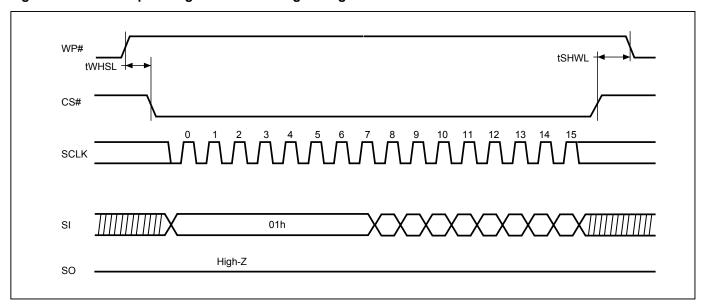




Figure 29. WP# Setup Timing and Hold Timing during WRSR when SRWD=1



Note: WP# must be kept high until the embedded operation finish.

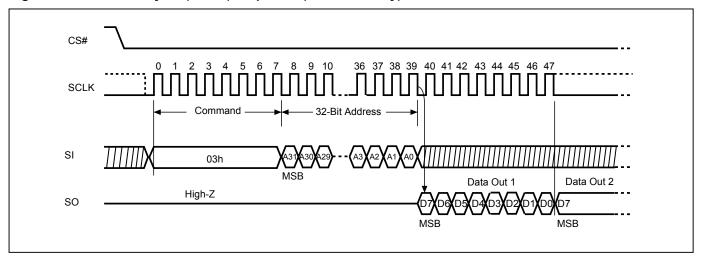


### 10-11.Read Data Bytes (READ)

The read instruction is for reading data out. The address is latched on rising edge of SCLK, and data shifts out on the falling edge of SCLK at a maximum frequency fR. The first address byte can be at any location. The address is automatically increased to the next higher address after each byte data is shifted out, so the whole memory can be read out at a single READ instruction. The address counter rolls over to 0 when the highest address has been reached.

The sequence of issuing READ instruction is: CS# goes low→sending READ instruction code→ 4-byte address on SI→ data out on SO→to end READ operation can use CS# to high at any time during data out.

Figure 30. Read Data Bytes (READ) Sequence (SPI Mode only)





### 10-12. Read Data Bytes at Higher Speed (FAST\_READ)

The FAST\_READ instruction is for quickly reading data out. The address is latched on rising edge of SCLK, and data of each bit shifts out on the falling edge of SCLK at a maximum frequency fC. The first address byte can be at any location. The address is automatically increased to the next higher address after each byte data is shifted out, so the whole memory can be read out at a single FAST\_READ instruction. The address counter rolls over to 0 when the highest address has been reached.

**Read on SPI Mode** The sequence of issuing FAST\_READ instruction is: CS# goes low $\rightarrow$  sending FAST\_READ instruction code $\rightarrow$  4-byte address on SI $\rightarrow$  8 dummy cycles (default) $\rightarrow$  data out on SO $\rightarrow$  to end FAST\_READ operation can use CS# to high at any time during data out.

In the performance-enhancing mode, P[7:4] must be toggling with P[3:0]; likewise P[7:0]=A5h,5Ah,F0h or 0Fh can make this mode continue and reduce the next 4READ instruction. Once P[7:4] is no longer toggling with P[3:0]; likewise P[7:0]=FFh,00h,AAh or 55h and afterwards CS# is raised and then lowered, the system then will escape from performance enhance mode and return to normal operation.

While Program/Erase/Write Status Register cycle is in progress, FAST\_READ instruction is rejected without any impact on the Program/Erase/Write Status Register current cycle.

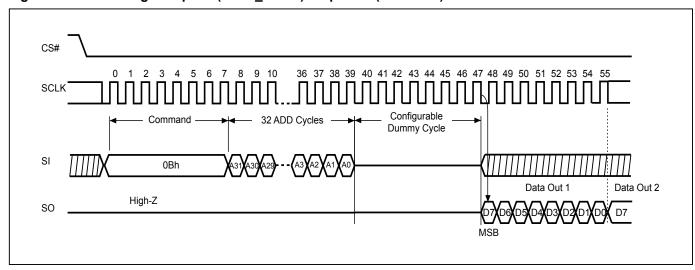


Figure 31. Read at Higher Speed (FAST\_READ) Sequence (SPI Mode)

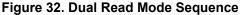


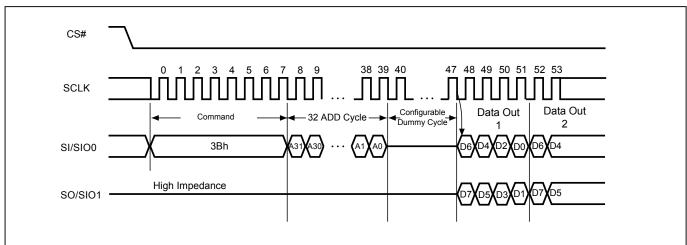
### 10-13. Dual Output Read Mode (DREAD)

The DREAD instruction enable double throughput of Serial NOR Flash in read mode. The address is latched on rising edge of SCLK, and data of every two bits (interleave on 2 I/O pins) shift out on the falling edge of SCLK at a maximum frequency fT. The first address byte can be at any location. The address is automatically increased to the next higher address after each byte data is shifted out, so the whole memory can be read out at a single DREAD instruction. The address counter rolls over to 0 when the highest address has been reached. Once writing DREAD instruction, the following data out will perform as 2-bit instead of previous 1-bit.

The sequence of issuing DREAD instruction is: CS# goes low $\rightarrow$  sending DREAD instruction $\rightarrow$  4-byte address on SIO0 $\rightarrow$  8 dummy cycles (default) on SIO0 $\rightarrow$  data out interleave on SIO1 & SIO0 $\rightarrow$  to end DREAD operation can use CS# to high at any time during data out.

While Program/Erase/Write Status Register cycle is in progress, DREAD instruction is rejected without any impact on the Program/Erase/Write Status Register current cycle.







### 10-14. 2 x I/O Read Mode (2READ)

The 2READ instruction enable double throughput of Serial NOR Flash in read mode. The address is latched on rising edge of SCLK, and data of every two bits (interleave on 2 I/O pins) shift out on the falling edge of SCLK at a maximum frequency fT. The first address byte can be at any location. The address is automatically increased to the next higher address after each byte data is shifted out, so the whole memory can be read out at a single 2READ instruction. The address counter rolls over to 0 when the highest address has been reached. Once writing 2READ instruction, the following address/dummy/data out will perform as 2-bit instead of previous 1-bit.

The sequence of issuing 2READ instruction is: CS# goes low  $\rightarrow$  sending 2READ instruction  $\rightarrow$  4-byte address interleave on SIO1 & SIO0  $\rightarrow$  4 dummy cycles (default) on SIO1 & SIO0  $\rightarrow$  data out interleave on SIO1 & SIO0  $\rightarrow$  to end 2READ operation can use CS# to high at any time during data out.

While Program/Erase/Write Status Register cycle is in progress, 2READ instruction is rejected without any impact on the Program/Erase/Write Status Register current cycle.

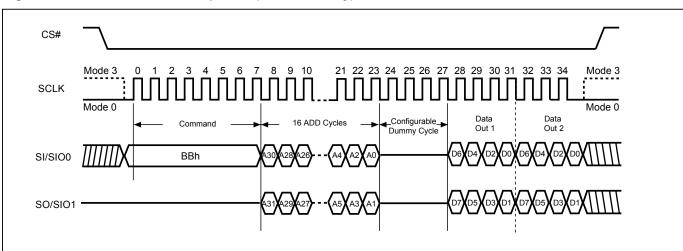


Figure 33. 2 x I/O Read Mode Sequence (SPI Mode only)



### 10-15. Quad Read Mode (QREAD)

The QREAD instruction enable quad throughput of Serial NOR Flash in read mode. A Quad Enable (QE) bit of status Register must be set to "1" before sending the QREAD instruction. The address is latched on rising edge of SCLK, and data of every four bits (interleave on 4 I/O pins) shift out on the falling edge of SCLK at a maximum frequency fQ. The first address byte can be at any location. The address is automatically increased to the next higher address after each byte data is shifted out, so the whole memory can be read out at a single QREAD instruction. The address counter rolls over to 0 when the highest address has been reached. Once writing QREAD instruction, the following data out will perform as 4-bit instead of previous 1-bit.

The sequence of issuing QREAD instruction is: CS# goes low $\rightarrow$  sending QREAD instruction  $\rightarrow$  4-byte address on SI  $\rightarrow$  8 dummy cycle (Default)  $\rightarrow$  data out interleave on SIO3, SIO2, SIO1 & SIO0 $\rightarrow$  to end QREAD operation can use CS# to high at any time during data out.

While Program/Erase/Write Status Register cycle is in progress, QREAD instruction is rejected without any impact on the Program/Erase/Write Status Register current cycle.

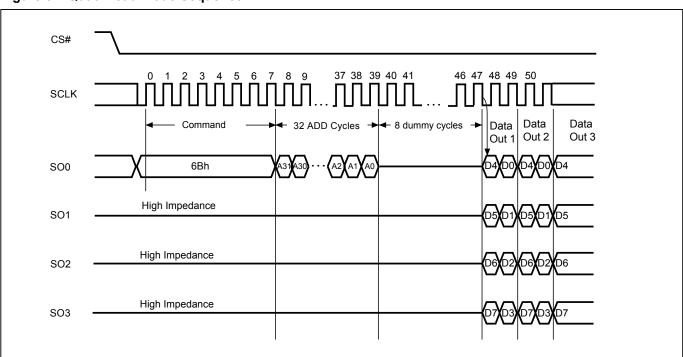


Figure 34. Quad Read Mode Sequence





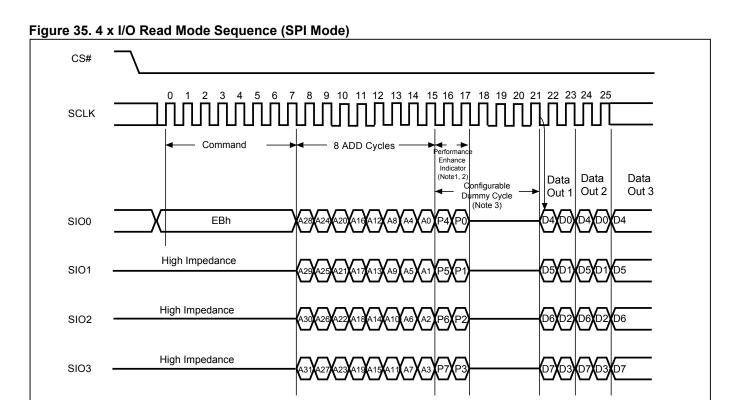
#### 10-16. 4 x I/O Read Mode (4READ)

The 4READ instruction enable quad throughput of Serial NOR Flash in read mode. A Quad Enable (QE) bit of status Register must be set to "1" before sending the 4READ instruction. The address is latched on rising edge of SCLK, and data of every four bits (interleave on 4 I/O pins) shift out on the falling edge of SCLK at a maximum frequency fQ. The first address byte can be at any location. The address is automatically increased to the next higher address after each byte data is shifted out, so the whole memory can be read out at a single 4READ instruction. The address counter rolls over to 0 when the highest address has been reached. Once writing 4READ instruction, the following address/dummy/data out will perform as 4-bit instead of previous 1-bit.

- **4 x I/O Read on SPI Mode (4READ)** The sequence of issuing 4READ instruction is: CS# goes low→ sending 4READ instruction→ 4-byte address interleave on SIO3, SIO2, SIO1 & SIO0→ 6 dummy cycles (Default) →data out interleave on SIO3, SIO2, SIO1 & SIO0→ to end 4READ operation can use CS# to high at any time during data out.
- **4 x I/O Read on QPI Mode (4READ)** The 4READ instruction also support on QPI command mode. The sequence of issuing 4READ instruction QPI mode is: CS# goes low $\rightarrow$  sending 4READ instruction $\rightarrow$  4-byte address interleave on SIO3, SIO2, SIO1 & SIO0 $\rightarrow$  6 dummy cycles (Default)  $\rightarrow$ data out interleave on SIO3, SIO2, SIO1 & SIO0 $\rightarrow$  to end 4READ operation can use CS# to high at any time during data out.

While Program/Erase/Write Status Register cycle is in progress, 4READ instruction is rejected without any impact on the Program/Erase/Write Status Register current cycle.

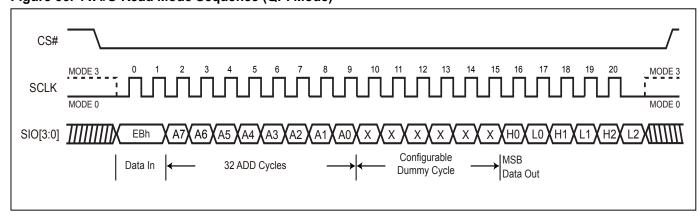




#### Notes:

- 1. Hi-impedance is inhibited for the two clock cycles.
- 2. P7≠P3, P6≠P2, P5≠P1 & P4≠P0 (Toggling) is inhibited.
- 3. Configuration Dummy cycle numbers will be different depending on the bit6 & bit 7 (DC0 & DC1) setting in configuration register.







#### 10-17. Burst Read

The Burst Read feature allows applications to fill a cache line with a fixed length of data without using multiple read commands. Burst Read is disabled by default at power-up or reset. Burst Read is enabled by setting the Burst Length. When the Burst Length is set, reads will wrap on the selected boundary (8/16/32/64-bytes) containing the initial target address. For example if an 8-byte Wrap Depth is selected, reads will wrap on the 8-byte-page-aligned boundary containing the initial read address.

To set the Burst Length, drive CS# low  $\rightarrow$  send SET BURST LENGTH instruction code  $\rightarrow$  send WRAP CODE  $\rightarrow$  drive CS# high. Refer to the table below for valid 8-bit Wrap Codes and their corresponding Wrap Depth.

Data	Wrap Around	Wrap Depth	
00h	Yes	8-byte	
01h	Yes	16-byte	
02h	Yes	32-byte	
03h	Yes	64-byte	
1xh	No	X	

Once Burst Read is enabled, it will remain enabled until the device is power-cycled or reset. The SPI and QPI mode 4READ read commands support the wrap around feature after Burst Read is enabled. To change the wrap depth, resend the Burst Read instruction with the appropriate Wrap Code. To disable Burst Read, send the Burst Read instruction with Wrap Code 1xh. Both QPI and SPI "EBh" support wrap around feature after wrap around is enabled. Both SPI (8 clocks) and QPI (2 clocks) command cycle can be accepted by this instruction. The SIO[3:1] are don't care during SPI mode.

Figure 37. Burst Read - SPI Mode

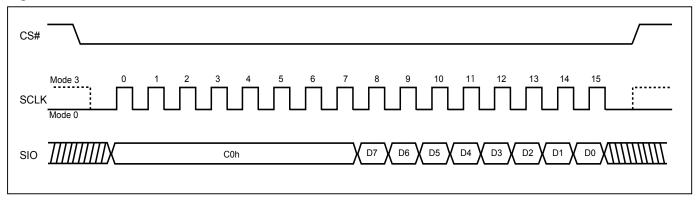
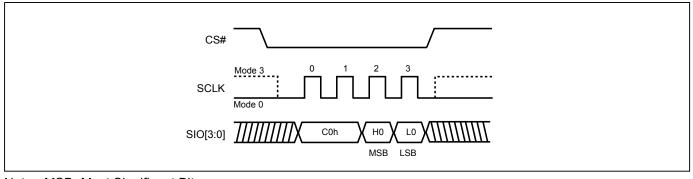


Figure 38. Burst Read - QPI Mode



Note: MSB=Most Significant Bit LSB=Least Significant Bit



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### 10-18. Performance Enhance Mode

The device could waive the command cycle bits if the two cycle bits after address cycle toggles.

Performance enhance mode is supported in both SPI and QPI mode.

In QPI mode, "EBh" and SPI "EBh" commands support enhance mode. The performance enhance mode is not supported in dual I/O mode.

After entering enhance mode, following CS# go high, the device will stay in the read mode and treat CS# go low of the first clock as address instead of command cycle.

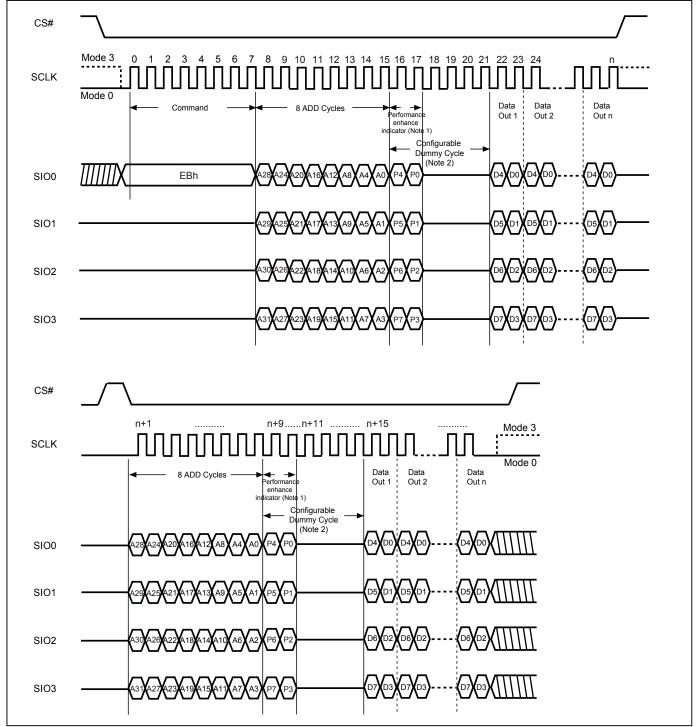
To exit enhance mode, a new fast read command whose first two dummy cycles is not toggle then exit in SPI mode, FFh data cycle, 8 clocks, should be issued in 1I/O sequence. In QPI Mode, FFFFFFFh command code, 8 clocks, in 4I/O should be issued.

If the system controller is being Reset during operation, the flash device will return to the standard SPI operation.

Upon Reset of main chip, SPI instruction would be issued from the system. Instructions like Read ID (9Fh) or Fast Read (0Bh) would be issued.



Figure 39. 4 x I/O Read Performance Enhance Mode Sequence (SPI Mode)

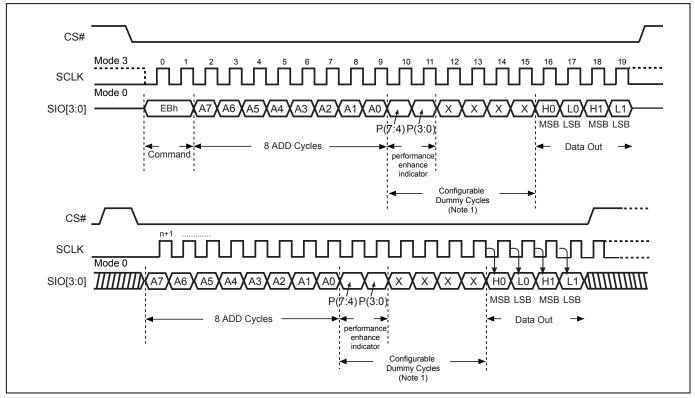


### Notes:

- 1. If not using performance enhance recommend to keep 1 or 0 in performance enhance indicator.
- 2. Configuration Dummy cycle numbers will be different depending on the bit6 & bit 7 (DC0 & DC1) setting in configuration register.
- 3. Reset the performance enhance mode, if P7=P3 or P6=P2 or P5=P1 or P4=P0, ex: AA, 00, FF.



Figure 40. 4 x I/O Read Performance Enhance Mode Sequence (QPI Mode)



#### Notes:

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- 1. Configuration Dummy cycle numbers will be different depending on the bit6 & bit 7 (DC0 & DC1) setting in configuration register.
- 2. Reset the performance enhance mode, if P7=P3 or P6=P2 or P5=P1 or P4=P0, ex: AA, 00, FF.



### 10-19. Sector Erase (SE)

The Sector Erase (SE) instruction is for erasing the data of the chosen sector to be "1". The instruction is used for any 4K-byte sector. A Write Enable (WREN) instruction must execute to set the Write Enable Latch (WEL) bit before sending the Sector Erase (SE). Any address of the sector (please refer to "Table 4. Memory Organization") is a valid address for Sector Erase (SE) instruction. The CS# must go high exactly at the byte boundary (the least significant bit of the address byte been latched-in); otherwise, the instruction will be rejected and not executed.

The sequence of issuing SE instruction is: CS# goes low→ sending SE instruction code→ 4-byte address on SI→ CS# goes high.

Both SPI (8 clocks) and QPI (2 clocks) command cycle can accept by this instruction. The SIO[3:1] are don't care when during SPI mode.

The self-timed Sector Erase Cycle time (tSE) is initiated as soon as Chip Select (CS#) goes high. The Write in Progress (WIP) bit still can be checked while the Sector Erase cycle is in progress. The WIP sets 1 during the tSE timing, and clears when Sector Erase Cycle is completed, and the Write Enable Latch (WEL) bit is cleared. If the Block is protected by BP bits (WPSEL=0; Block Lock (BP) protection mode) or SPB/DPB (WPSEL=1; Individual Sector protection mode), the Sector Erase (SE) instruction will not be executed on the block.

Figure 41. Sector Erase (SE) Sequence (SPI Mode)

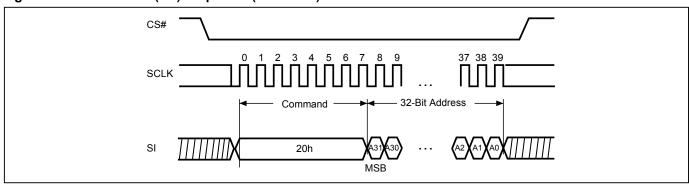
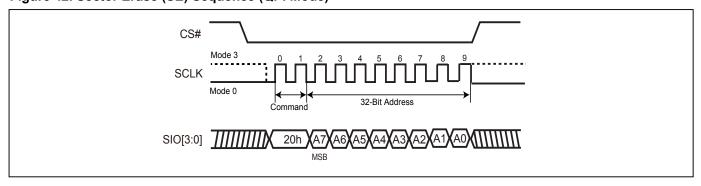


Figure 42. Sector Erase (SE) Sequence (QPI Mode)





### 10-20. Block Erase (BE32K)

The Block Erase (BE32K) instruction is for erasing the data of the chosen block to be "1". The instruction is used for 32K-byte block erase operation. A Write Enable (WREN) instruction be executed to set the Write Enable Latch (WEL) bit before sending the Block Erase (BE32K). Any address of the block (Please refer to "Table 4. Memory Organization") is a valid address for Block Erase (BE32K) instruction. The CS# must go high exactly at the byte boundary (the least significant bit of address byte been latched-in); otherwise, the instruction will be rejected and not executed.

Address bits [Am-A15] (Am is the most significant address) select the 32KB block address.

The sequence of issuing BE32K instruction is: CS# goes low $\rightarrow$  sending BE32K instruction code $\rightarrow$  4-byte address on SI $\rightarrow$ CS# goes high.

Both SPI (8 clocks) and QPI (2 clocks) command cycle can accept by this instruction. The SIO[3:1] are don't care when during SPI mode.

The self-timed Block Erase Cycle time (tBE32K) is initiated as soon as Chip Select (CS#) goes high. The Write in Progress (WIP) bit still can be checked while during the Block Erase cycle is in progress. The WIP sets during the tBE32K timing, and clears when Block Erase Cycle is completed, and the Write Enable Latch (WEL) bit is cleared. If the Block is protected by BP bits (WPSEL=0; Block Lock (BP) protection mode) or SPB/DPB (WPSEL=1; Individual Sector protection mode), the Block Erase (BE32K) instruction will not be executed on the block.

Figure 43. Block Erase 32KB (BE32K) Sequence (SPI Mode)

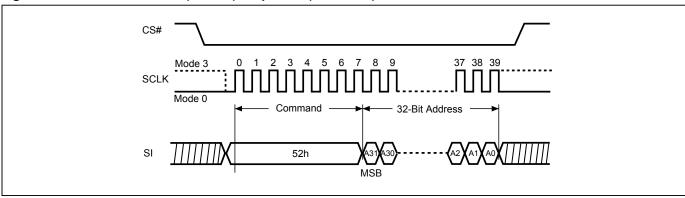
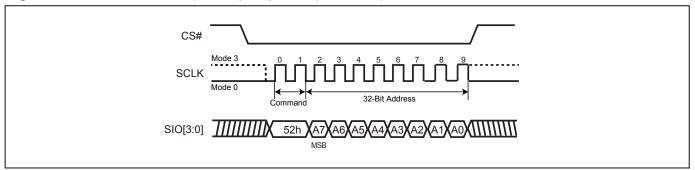


Figure 44. Block Erase 32KB (BE32K) Sequence (QPI Mode)





### 10-21. Block Erase (BE)

The Block Erase (BE) instruction is for erasing the data of the chosen block to be "1". The instruction is used for 64K-byte block erase operation. A Write Enable (WREN) instruction must be executed to set the Write Enable Latch (WEL) bit before sending the Block Erase (BE). Any address of the block (Please refer to "Table 4. Memory Organization") is a valid address for Block Erase (BE) instruction. The CS# must go high exactly at the byte boundary (the least significant bit of address byte been latched-in); otherwise, the instruction will be rejected and not executed.

The sequence of issuing BE instruction is: CS# goes low $\rightarrow$  sending BE instruction code $\rightarrow$  4-byte address on SI $\rightarrow$  CS# goes high.

Both SPI (8 clocks) and QPI (2 clocks) command cycle can accept by this instruction. The SIO[3:1] are don't care when during SPI mode.

The self-timed Block Erase Cycle time (tBE) is initiated as soon as Chip Select (CS#) goes high. The Write in Progress (WIP) bit still can be checked while the Block Erase cycle is in progress. The WIP sets during the tBE timing, and clears when Block Erase Cycle is completed, and the Write Enable Latch (WEL) bit is reset. If the Block is protected by BP bits (WPSEL=0; Block Lock (BP) protection mode) or SPB/DPB (WPSEL=1; Individual Sector protection mode), the Block Erase (BE) instruction will not be executed on the block.

Figure 45. Block Erase (BE) Sequence (SPI Mode)

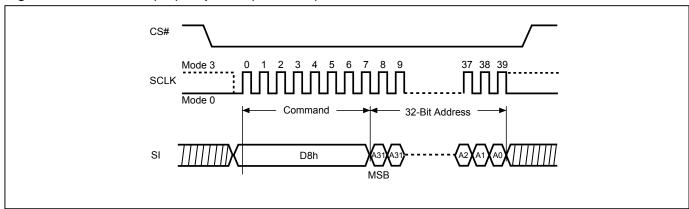
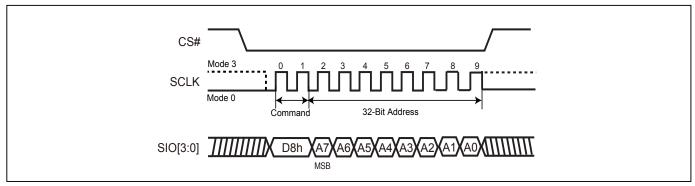


Figure 46. Block Erase (BE) Sequence (QPI Mode)





### 10-22. Chip Erase (CE)

The Chip Erase (CE) instruction is for erasing the data of the whole chip to be "1". A Write Enable (WREN) instruction must be executed to set the Write Enable Latch (WEL) bit before sending the Chip Erase (CE). The CS# must go high exactly at the byte boundary, otherwise the instruction will be rejected and not executed.

The sequence of issuing CE instruction is: CS# goes low→sending CE instruction code→CS# goes high.

Both SPI (8 clocks) and QPI (2 clocks) command cycle can accept by this instruction. The SIO[3:1] are don't care when during SPI mode.

The self-timed Chip Erase Cycle time (tCE) is initiated as soon as Chip Select (CS#) goes high. The Write in Progress (WIP) bit still can be checked while the Chip Erase cycle is in progress. The WIP sets during the tCE timing, and clears when Chip Erase Cycle is completed, and the Write Enable Latch (WEL) bit is cleared.

When the chip is under "Block Lock (BP) protection mode" (WPSEL=0): The Chip Erase(CE) instruction will not be executed, if one (or more) sector is protected by BP3-BP0 bits. It will be only executed when BP3-BP0 all set to "0".

When the chip is under "Individual Sector protection mode" (WPSEL=1): The Chip Erase (CE) instruction will be executed on unprotected block. The protected Block will be skipped. If one (or more) 4K byte sector was protected in top or bottom 64K byte block, the protected block will also skip the chip erase command.

Figure 47. Chip Erase (CE) Sequence (SPI Mode)

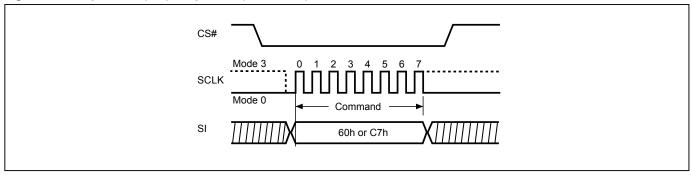
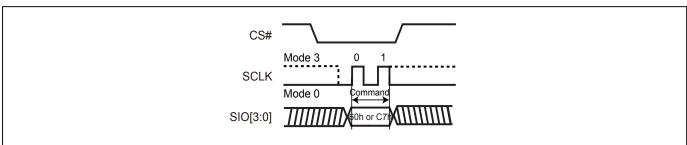


Figure 48. Chip Erase (CE) Sequence (QPI Mode)





#### 10-23. Page Program (PP)

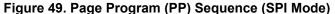
The Page Program (PP) instruction is for programming memory bits to "0". One to 256 bytes can be sent to the device to be programmed. A Write Enable (WREN) instruction must be executed to set the Write Enable Latch (WEL) bit before sending the Page Program (PP). If more than 256 data bytes are sent to the device, only the last 256 data bytes will be accepted and the previous data bytes will be disregarded. The Page Program instruction requires that all the data bytes fall within the same 256-byte page. The low order address byte A[7:0] specifies the starting address within the selected page. Bytes that will cross a page boundary will wrap to the beginning of the selected page. The device can accept (256 minus A[7:0]) data bytes without wrapping. If 256 data bytes are going to be programmed, A[7:0] should be set to 0.

The sequence of issuing PP instruction is: CS# goes low $\rightarrow$  sending PP instruction code $\rightarrow$  4-byte address on SI $\rightarrow$  at least 1-byte on data on SI $\rightarrow$  CS# goes high.

The CS# must be kept to low during the whole Page Program cycle; The CS# must go high exactly at the byte boundary ( the latest eighth bit of data being latched in), otherwise the instruction will be rejected and will not be executed.

The self-timed Page Program Cycle time (tPP) is initiated as soon as Chip Select (CS#) goes high. The Write in Progress (WIP) bit still can be checked while the Page Program cycle is in progress. The WIP sets during the tPP timing, and clears when Page Program Cycle is completed, and the Write Enable Latch (WEL) bit is cleared. If the Block is protected by BP bits (WPSEL=0; Block Lock (BP) protection mode) or SPB/DPB (WPSEL=1; Individual Sector protection mode) the Page Program (PP) instruction will not be executed.

Both SPI (8 clocks) and QPI (2 clocks) command cycle can accept by this instruction. The SIO[3:1] are don't care when during SPI mode.



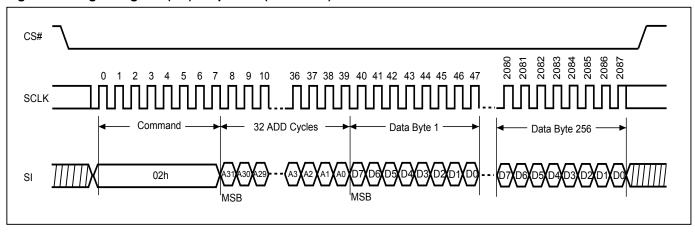
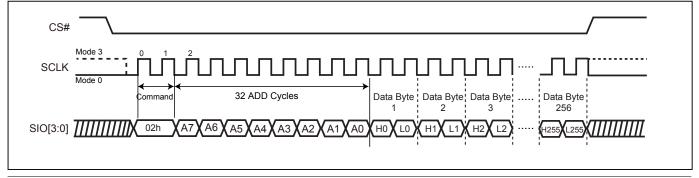


Figure 50. Page Program (PP) Sequence (QPI Mode)





## 10-24. 4 x I/O Page Program (4PP)

The Quad Page Program (4PP) instruction is for programming the memory to be "0". A Write Enable (WREN) instruction must be executed to set the Write Enable Latch (WEL) bit and Quad Enable (QE) bit must be set to "1" before sending the Quad Page Program (4PP). The Quad Page Programming takes four pins: SIO0, SIO1, SIO2, and SIO3 as address and data input, which can improve programmer performance and the effectiveness of application. The other function descriptions are as same as standard page program.

The sequence of issuing 4PP instruction is: CS# goes low $\rightarrow$  sending 4PP instruction code $\rightarrow$  4-byte address on SIO[3:0] $\rightarrow$  at least 1-byte on data on SIO[3:0] $\rightarrow$ CS# goes high.

If the page is protected by BP bits (WPSEL=0; Block Lock (BP) protection mode) or SPB/DPB (WPSEL=1; Individual Sector protection mode), the Quad Page Program (4PP) instruction will not be executed.

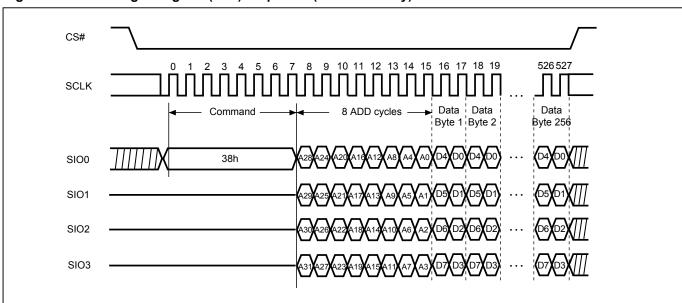


Figure 51. 4 x I/O Page Program (4PP) Sequence (SPI Mode only)



### 10-25. Deep Power-down (DP)

The Deep Power-down (DP) instruction places the device into a minimum power consumption state, Deep Power-down mode, in which the guiescent current is reduced from ISB1 to ISB2.

The sequence of issuing DP instruction: CS# goes low— send DP instruction code— CS# goes high. The CS# must go high at the byte boundary (after exactly eighth bits of the instruction code have been latched-in); otherwise the instruction will not be executed. Both SPI (8 clocks) and QPI (2 clocks) command cycle can be accepted by this instruction. SIO[3:1] are "don't care".

After CS# goes high there is a delay of tDP before the device transitions from Stand-by mode to Deep Power-down mode and before the current reduces from ISB1 to ISB2. Once in Deep Power-down mode, all instructions will be ignored except Release from Deep Power-down (RDP).

The device exits Deep Power-down mode and returns to Stand-by mode if it receives a Release from Deep Power-down (RDP) instruction, power-cycle, or reset.

Figure 52. Deep Power-down (DP) Sequence (SPI Mode)

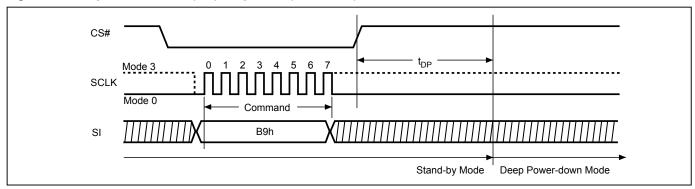
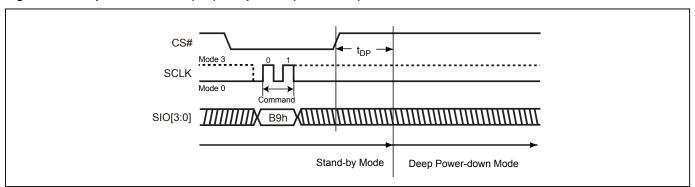


Figure 53. Deep Power-down (DP) Sequence (QPI Mode)





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### 10-26. Enter Secured OTP (ENSO)

The ENSO instruction is for entering the additional 8K-bit secured OTP mode. The additional 8K-bit secured OTP is independent from main array, which may use to store unique serial number for system identifier. After entering the Secured OTP mode, and then follow standard read or program procedure to read out the data or update data. The Secured OTP data cannot be updated again once it is lock-down.

The sequence of issuing ENSO instruction is: CS# goes low $\rightarrow$  sending ENSO instruction to enter Secured OTP mode $\rightarrow$  CS# goes high.

Both SPI (8 clocks) and QPI (2 clocks) command cycle can be accepted by this instruction. The SIO[3:1] are don't care when during SPI mode.

Please note that after issuing ENSO command user can only access secure OTP region with standard read or program procedure. Furthermore, once security OTP is lock down, only read related commands are valid.

### 10-27. Exit Secured OTP (EXSO)

The EXSO instruction is for exiting the additional 8K-bit secured OTP mode.

The sequence of issuing EXSO instruction is: CS# goes low $\rightarrow$  sending EXSO instruction to exit Secured OTP mode $\rightarrow$  CS# goes high.

Both SPI (8 clocks) and QPI (2 clocks) command cycle can be accepted by this instruction. The SIO[3:1] are don't care when during SPI mode.

# 10-28. Read Security Register (RDSCUR)

The RDSCUR instruction is for reading the value of Security Register bits. The Read Security Register can be read at any time (even in program/erase/write status register/write security register condition) and continuously.

The sequence of issuing RDSCUR instruction is : CS# goes low $\rightarrow$ sending RDSCUR instruction $\rightarrow$ Security Register data out on SO $\rightarrow$  CS# goes high.

Both SPI (8 clocks) and QPI (2 clocks) command cycle can accept by this instruction. The SIO[3:1] are don't care when during SPI mode.

#### 10-29. Write Security Register (WRSCUR)

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The WRSCUR instruction is for changing the values of Security Register Bits. The WREN (Write Enable) instruction is required before issuing WRSCUR instruction. The WRSCUR instruction may change the values of bit1 (LDSO bit) for customer to lock-down the 1<sup>st</sup> 4K-bit Secured OTP area. Once the LDSO bit is set to "1", the Secured OTP area cannot be updated any more.

The sequence of issuing WRSCUR instruction is :CS# goes low $\rightarrow$  sending WRSCUR instruction  $\rightarrow$  CS# goes high.

Both SPI (8 clocks) and QPI (2 clocks) command cycle can accept by this instruction. The SIO[3:1] are don't care when during SPI mode.

The CS# must go high exactly at the boundary; otherwise, the instruction will be rejected and not executed.



### **Security Register**

The definition of the Security Register bits is as below:

Write Protection Selection bit. Please reference to "10-30. Write Protection Selection (WPSEL)".

**Erase Fail bit.** The Erase Fail bit shows the status of last Erase operation. The bit will be set to "1" if the erase operation failed or the erase region was protected. It will be automatically cleared to "0" if the next erase operation succeeds. Please note that it will not interrupt or stop any operation in the flash memory.

**Program Fail bit.** The Program Fail bit shows the status of the last Program operation. The bit will be set to "1" if the program operation failed or the program region was protected. It will be automatically cleared to "0" if the next program operation succeeds. Please note that it will not interrupt or stop any operation in the flash memory.

**Erase Suspend bit**. Erase Suspend Bit (ESB) indicates the status of Erase Suspend operation. Users may use ESB to identify the state of flash memory. After the flash memory is suspended by Erase Suspend command, ESB is set to "1". ESB is cleared to "0" after erase operation resumes.

**Program Suspend bit.** Program Suspend Bit (PSB) indicates the status of Program Suspend operation. Users may use PSB to identify the state of flash memory. After the flash memory is suspended by Program Suspend command, PSB is set to "1". PSB is cleared to "0" after program operation resumes.

**Lock-down Secured OTP (LDSO) bit.** By writing WRSCUR instruction, the LDSO bit may be set to "1" for customer lock-down purpose. However, once the bit is set to "1" (lock-down), the LDSO bit and the 1<sup>st</sup> 4K-bit Secured OTP area cannot be updated any more. While it is in 8K-bit secured OTP mode, main array access is not allowed.

**Secured OTP Indicator bit.** The Secured OTP indicator bit shows the 2<sup>nd</sup> 4K-bit Secured OTP area is locked by factory or not. When it is "0", it indicates non-factory lock; "1" indicates factory-lock.

Table 12. Security Register Definition

bit7	bit6	bit5	bit4	bit3	bit2	bit1	bit0
WPSEL	E_FAIL	P_FAIL	Reserved	ESB (Erase Suspend bit)	PSB (Program Suspend bit)	LDSO (lock-down 1 <sup>st</sup> 4K-bit Secured OTP)	Secured OTP Indicator bit (2 <sup>nd</sup> 4K-bit Secured OTP)
0= Block Lock (BP) protection mode 1= Individual Sector protection mode (default=0)	0= normal Erase succeed 1= indicate Erase failed (default=0)	0= normal Program succeed 1= indicate Program failed (default=0)	-	0= Erase is not suspended 1= Erase suspended (default=0)	0= Program is not suspended 1= Program suspended (default=0)	0= not lockdown 1= lock-down (cannot program/ erase OTP)	0= nonfactory lock 1= factory lock
Non-volatile bit (OTP)	Volatile bit	Volatile bit	Volatile bit	Volatile bit	Volatile bit	Non-volatile bit (OTP)	Non-volatile bit (OTP)



### 10-30. Write Protection Selection (WPSEL)

There are two write protection methods provided on this device, (1) Block Protection (BP) mode or (2) Individual Sector Protection mode. The protection modes are mutually exclusive. The WPSEL bit selects which protection mode is enabled. If WPSEL=0 (factory default), BP mode is enabled and Individual Sector Protection mode is disabled. If WPSEL=1, Individual Sector Protection mode is enabled and BP mode is disabled. The WPSEL command is used to set WPSEL=1. A WREN command must be executed to set the WEL bit before sending the WPSEL command. Please note that the WPSEL bit is an OTP bit. Once WPSEL is set to "1", it cannot be programmed back to "0".

# When WPSEL = 0: Block Lock (BP) protection mode,

The memory array is write protected by the BP3-BP0 bits.

#### When WPSEL =1: Individual Sector protection mode,

Blocks are individually protected by their own SPB or DPB. On power-up, all blocks are write protected by the Dynamic Protection Bits (DPB) by default. The Individual Sector Protection instructions WRLR, RDLR, WRSPB, ESSPB, WRDPB, RDDPB, GBLK, and GBULK are activated. The BP3-BP0 bits of the Status Register are disabled and have no effect. Hardware protection is performed by driving WP#=0. Once WP#=0 all blocks and sectors are write protected regardless of the state of each SPB or DPB.

The sequence of issuing WPSEL instruction is: CS# goes low  $\rightarrow$  send WPSEL instruction to enable the Individual Sector Protect mode  $\rightarrow$  CS# goes high.



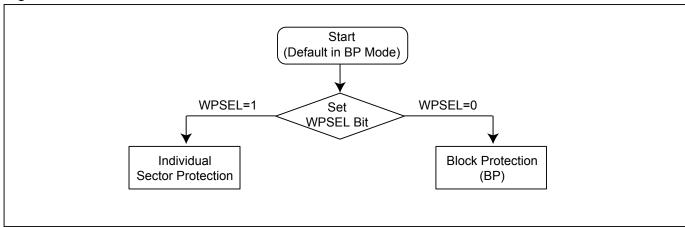
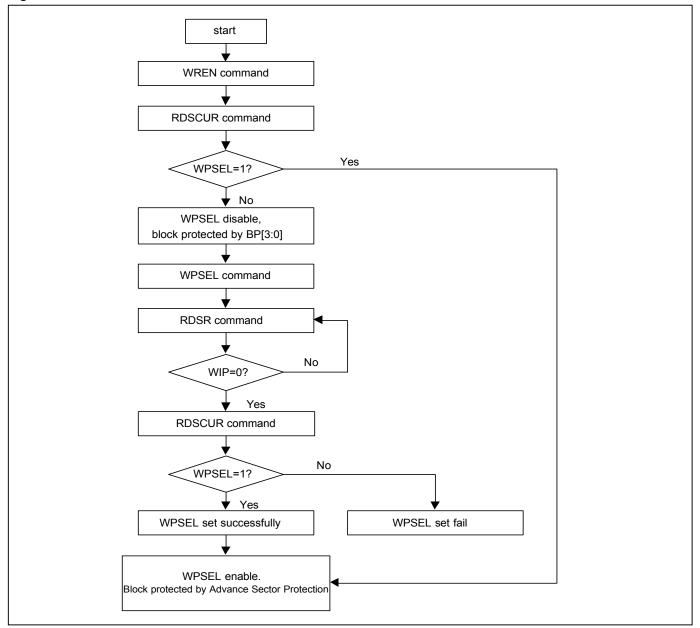




Figure 55. WPSEL Flow





#### 10-31. Advanced Sector Protection

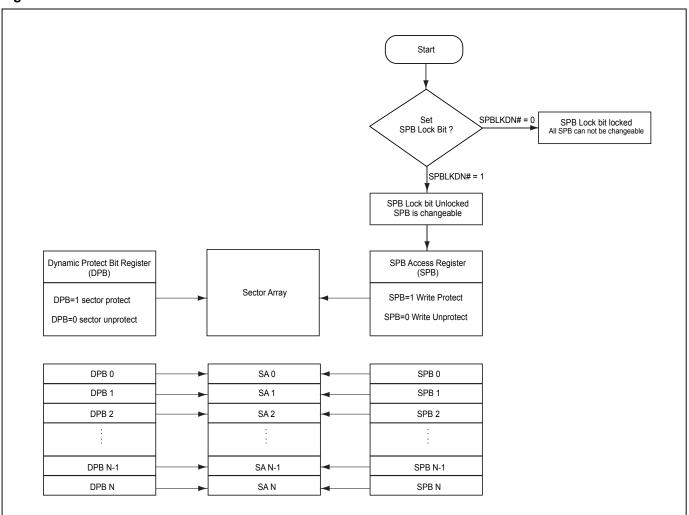
Advanced Sector Protection can protect individual 4KB sectors in the bottom and top 64KB of memory and protect individual 64KB blocks in the rest of memory.

There is one non-volatile Solid Protection Bit (SPB) and one volatile Dynamic Protection Bit (DPB) assigned to each 4KB sector at the bottom and top 64KB of memory and to each 64KB block in the rest of memory. A sector or block is write-protected from programming or erasing when its associated SPB or DPB is set to "1".

The figure below helps describing an overview of these methods. The device is default to the Solid mode when shipped from factory. The detail algorithm of advanced sector protection is shown as follows:

Solid Protection mode permits the SPB bits to be modified after power-on or a reset. The figure below is an overview of Advanced Sector Protection.

Figure 56. Advanced Sector Protection Overview





### 10-31-1. Lock Register

The Lock Register is a 16-bit one-time programmable register. Lock Register bit [6] is SPB Lock Down Bit (SPBLKDN) which is an unique bit assigned to control all SPB bit status.

When SPBLKDN is 1, SPB can be changed. When it is locked as 0, all SPB can not be changed anymore, and SPBLKDN bit itself can not be altered anymore, either.

The Lock Register is programmed using the WRLR (Write Lock Register) command. A WREN command must be executed to set the WEL bit before sending the WRLR command.

Table 13. Lock Register

Bits	Field Name	Function	Туре	Default State	Description
15 to 7	RFU	Reserved	OTP	OTP 1 Reserved for Future Use	
6	SPBLKDN	SPB Lock Down	OTP 1		1 = SPB changeable 0 = freeze SPB
5 to 0	RFU	Reserved	OTP	1	Reserved for Future Use

Figure 57. Read Lock Register (RDLR) Sequence

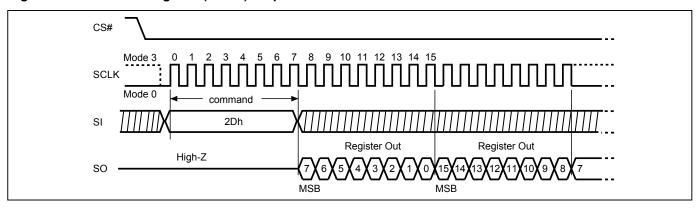
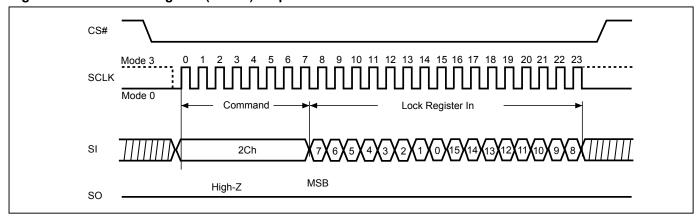


Figure 58. Write Lock Register (WRLR) Sequence





#### 10-31-2. Solid Protection Bits

The Solid Protection Bits (SPBs) are nonvolatile bits for enabling or disabling write-protection to sectors and blocks. The SPB bits have the same endurance as the Flash memory. An SPB is assigned to each 4KB sector in the bottom and top 64KB of memory and to each 64KB block in the remaining memory. The factory default state of the SPB bits is "0", which has the sector/block write-protection disabled.

When an SPB is set to "1", the associated sector or block is write-protected. Program and erase operations on the sector or block will be inhibited. SPBs can be individually set to "1" by the WRSPB command. However, the SPBs cannot be individually cleared to "0". Issuing the ESSPB command clears all SPBs to "0". A WREN command must be executed to set the WEL bit before sending the WRSPB or ESSPB command.

The RDSPB command reads the status of the SPB of a sector or block. The RDSPB command returns 00h if the SPB is "0", indicating write-protection is disabled. The RDSPB command returns FFh if the SPB is "1", indicating write-protection is enabled.

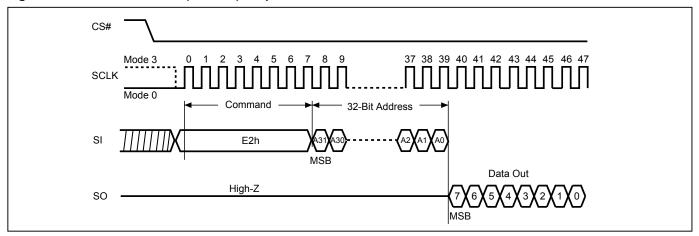
Note: If SPBLKDN=0, commands to set or clear the SPB bits will be ignored.

Table 14. SPB Register

Bit	Description	Bit Status	Default	Type
7 to 0	SPB (Solid Protection Bit)	00h = Unprotect Sector / Block FFh = Protect Sector / Block	00h	Non-volatile



# Figure 59. Read SPB Status (RDSPB) Sequence



## Figure 60. SPB Erase (ESSPB) Sequence

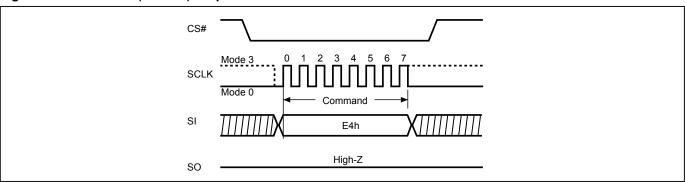
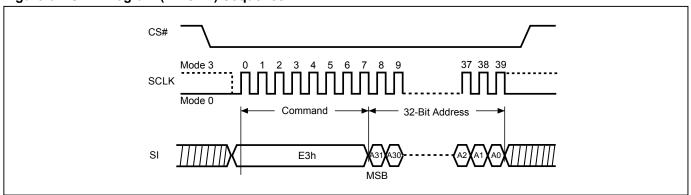


Figure 61. SPB Program (WRSPB) Sequence





### 10-31-3. Dynamic Protection Bits

The Dynamic Protection Bits (DPBs) are volatile bits for quickly and easily enabling or disabling write-protection to sectors and blocks. A DPB is assigned to each 4KB sector in the bottom and top 64KB of memory and to each 64KB block in the rest of the memory. The DBPs can enable write-protection on a sector or block regardless of the state of the corresponding SPB. However, the DPB bits can only unprotect sectors or blocks whose SPB bits are "0" (unprotected).

When a DPB is "1", the associated sector or block will be write-protected, preventing any program or erase operation on the sector or block. All DPBs default to "1" after power-on or reset. When a DPB is cleared to "0", the associated sector or block will be unprotected if the corresponding SPB is also "0".

DPB bits can be individually set to "1" or "0" by the WRDPB command. The DBP bits can also be globally cleared to "0" with the GBULK command or globally set to "1" with the GBLK command. A WREN command must be executed to set the WEL bit before sending the WRDPB, GBULK, or GBLK command.

The RDDPB command reads the status of the DPB of a sector or block. The RDDPB command returns 00h if the DPB is "0", indicating write-protection is disabled. The RDDPB command returns FFh if the DPB is "1", indicating write-protection is enabled.

Table 15. DPB Register

Bit	Description	Bit Status I		Туре
7 to 0	DPB (Dynamic Protection Bit)	00h = Unprotect Sector / Block FFh = Protect Sector / Block	FFh	Volatile



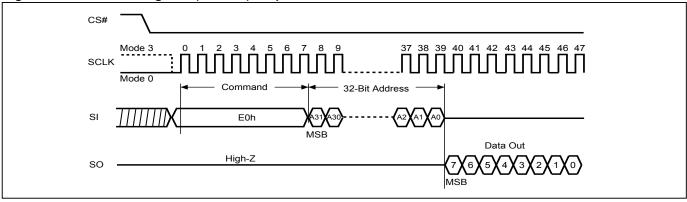
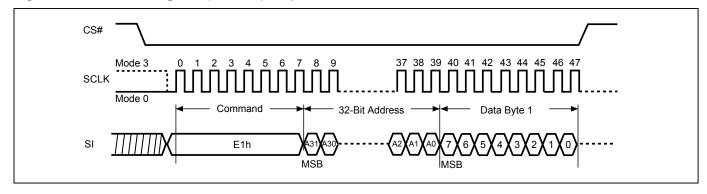


Figure 63. Write DPB Register (WRDPB) Sequence







### 10-31-4. Gang Block Lock/Unlock (GBLK/GBULK)

These instructions are only effective if WPSEL=1. The GBLK and GBULK instructions provide a quick method to set or clear all DPB bits at once.

The WREN (Write Enable) instruction is required before issuing the GBLK/GBULK instruction. The sequence of issuing GBLK/GBULK instruction is: CS# goes low → send GBLK/GBULK (7Eh/98h) instruction →CS# goes high.

The GBLK and GBULK commands are accepted in both SPI and QPI mode.

The CS# must go high exactly at the byte boundary, otherwise, the instruction will be rejected and not be executed.

10-31-5. Sector Protection States Summary Table

Protection Status		Sector/Block	
DPB	SPB	Protection State	
0	0	Unprotected	
0	1	Protected	
1	0	Protected	
1	1	Protected	





### 10-32. Program/Erase Suspend/Resume

The device allow the interruption of Sector-Erase, Block-Erase or Page-Program operations and conduct other operations.

After issue suspend command, the system can determine if the device has entered the Erase-Suspended mode through Bit2 (PSB) and Bit3 (ESB) of security register. (please refer to "Table 12. Security Register Definition")

Both SPI (8 clocks) and QPI (2 clocks) command cycle can accept by this instruction. The SIO[3:1] are don't care when during SPI mode.

## 10-33. Erase Suspend

Erase suspend allow the interruption of all erase operations. After the device has entered Erase-Suspended mode, the system can read any sector(s) or Block(s) except those being erased by the suspended erase operation. Reading the sector or Block being erase suspended is invalid.

After erase suspend, WEL bit will be clear, only read related, resume and reset command can be accepted. (including: 03h, 08h, 38h, 68h, 88h, 88h, 5Ah, C0h, 06h, 04h, 28h, 9Fh, AFh, 05h, A8h, 90h, 81h, C1h, 80h, 30h, 66h, 99h, 00h, 35h, F5h, 15h, 2Dh, E2h, E0h)

If the system issues an Erase Suspend command after the sector erase operation has already begun, the device will not enter Erase-Suspended mode until tESL time has elapsed.

Erase Suspend Bit (ESB) indicates the status of Erase Suspend operation. Users may use ESB to identify the state of flash memory. After the flash memory is suspended by Erase Suspend command, ESB is set to "1". ESB is cleared to "0" after erase operation resumes.

### 10-34. Program Suspend

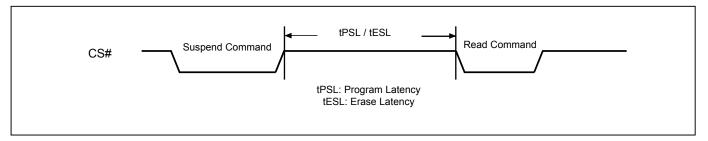
Program suspend allows the interruption of all program operations. After the device has entered Program-Suspended mode, the system can read any sector(s) or Block(s) except those being programmed by the suspended program operation. Reading the sector or Block being program suspended is invalid.

After program suspend, WEL bit will be cleared, only read related, resume and reset command can be accepted. (including: 03h, 0Bh, 3Bh, 6Bh, BBh, EBh, 5Ah, C0h, 06h, 04h, 2Bh, 9Fh, AFh, 05h, ABh, 90h, B1h, C1h, B0h, 30h, 66h, 99h, 00h, 35h, F5h, 15h, 2Dh, E2h, E0h)

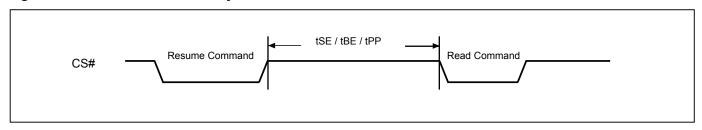
Program Suspend Bit (PSB) indicates the status of Program Suspend operation. Users may use PSB to identify the state of flash memory. After the flash memory is suspended by Program Suspend command, PSB is set to "1". PSB is cleared to "0" after program operation resumes.



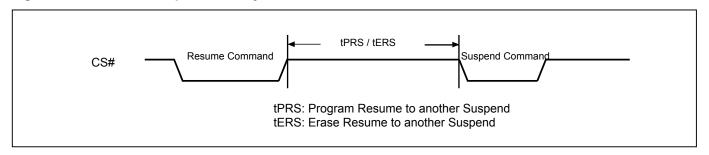
# Figure 64. Suspend to Read Latency



# Figure 65. Resume to Read Latency



### Figure 66. Resume to Suspend Latency







#### 10-35. Write-Resume

The Write operation is being resumed when Write-Resume instruction issued. ESB or PSB (suspend status bit) in Status register will be changed back to "0".

The operation of Write-Resume is as follows: CS# drives low  $\rightarrow$  send write resume command cycle (30H)  $\rightarrow$  drive CS# high. By polling Busy Bit in status register, the internal write operation status could be checked to be completed or not. The user may also wait the time lag of tSE, tBE, tPP for Sector-erase, Block-erase or Page-programming. WREN (command "06") is not required to issue before resume. Resume to another suspend operation requires latency time of 1ms.

Please note that, if "performance enhance mode" is executed during suspend operation, the device can not be resumed. To restart the write command, disable the "performance enhance mode" is required. After the "performance enhance mode" is disabled, the write-resume command is effective.

### 10-36. No Operation (NOP)

The "No Operation" command is only able to terminate the Reset Enable (RSTEN) command and will not affect any other command.

Both SPI (8 clocks) and QPI (2 clocks) command cycle can accept by this instruction. The SIO[3:1] are don't care during SPI mode.

#### 10-37. Software Reset (Reset-Enable (RSTEN) and Reset (RST))

The Software Reset operation combines two instructions: Reset-Enable (RSTEN) command following a Reset (RST) command. It returns the device to a standby mode. All the volatile bits and settings will be cleared then, which makes the device return to the default status as power on.

To execute Reset command (RST), the Reset-Enable (RSTEN) command must be executed first to perform the Reset operation. If there is any other command to interrupt after the Reset-Enable command, the Reset-Enable will be invalid.

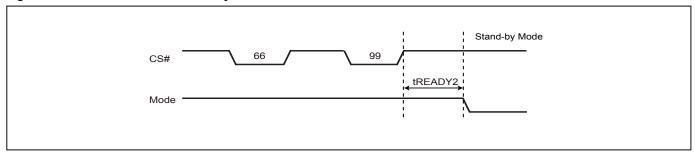
Both SPI (8 clocks) and QPI (2 clocks) command cycle can accept by this instruction. The SIO[3:1] are don't care when during SPI mode.

If the Reset command is executed during program or erase operation, the operation will be disabled, the data under processing could be damaged or lost.

The reset time is different depending on the last operation. For details, please refer to "Table 19. AC CHARACTER-ISTICS" for tREADY2.



Figure 67. Software Reset Recovery



Note: Refer to "Table 19. AC CHARACTERISTICS" for tREADY2.

Figure 68. Reset Sequence (SPI mode)

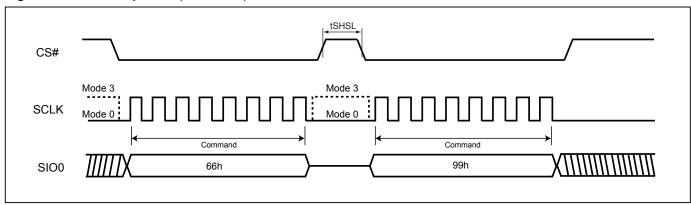
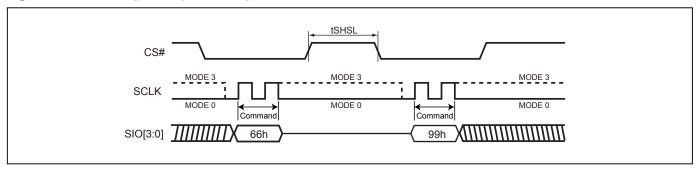


Figure 69. Reset Sequence (QPI mode)

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### 10-38. Read SFDP Mode (RDSFDP)

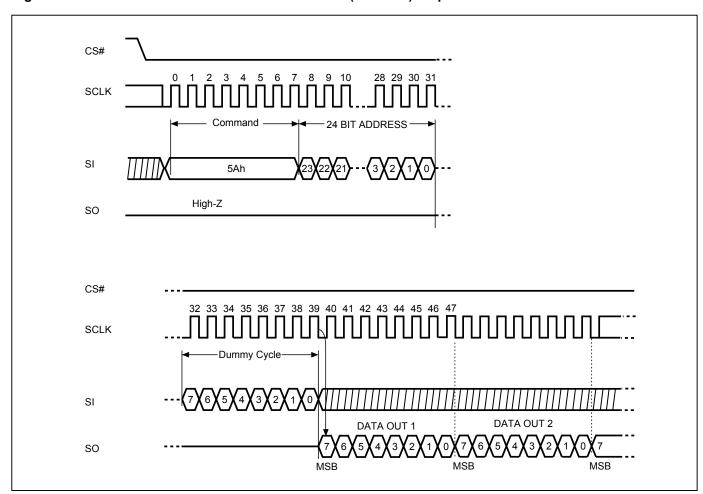
The Serial Flash Discoverable Parameter (SFDP) standard provides a consistent method of describing the functional and feature capabilities of serial flash devices in a standard set of internal parameter tables. These parameter tables can be interrogated by host system software to enable adjustments needed to accommodate divergent features from multiple vendors. The concept is similar to the one found in the Introduction of JEDEC Standard, JESD68 on CFI.

The sequence of issuing RDSFDP instruction is CS# goes low→send RDSFDP instruction (5Ah)→send 3 address bytes on SI pin→send 1 dummy byte on SI pin→read SFDP code on SO→to end RDSFDP operation can use CS# to high at any time during data out.

SFDP is a JEDEC Standard, JESD216B.

For SFDP register values detail, please contact local Macronix sales channel for Application Note.

Figure 70. Read Serial Flash Discoverable Parameter (RDSFDP) Sequence





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#### 11. POWER-ON STATE

The device is at below states when power-up:

- Standby mode (please note it is not deep power-down mode)
- Write Enable Latch (WEL) bit is reset

The device must not be selected during power-up and power-down stage unless the VCC achieves below correct level:

- VCC minimum at power-up stage and then after a delay of tVSL
- GND at power-down

Please note that a pull-up resistor on CS# may ensure a safe and proper power-up/down level.

An internal power-on reset (POR) circuit may protect the device from data corruption and inadvertent data change during power up state. When VCC is lower than VWI (POR threshold voltage value), the internal logic is reset and the flash device has no response to any command.

For further protection on the device, if the VCC does not reach the VCC minimum level, the correct operation is not guaranteed. The read, write, erase, and program command should be sent after the below time delay:

- tVSL after VCC reached VCC minimum level

Please refer to the "Figure 78. Power-up Timing".

#### Note:

- To stabilize the VCC level, the VCC rail decoupled by a suitable capacitor close to package pins is recommended. (generally around 0.1uF)
- At power-down stage, the VCC drops below VWI level, all operations are disable and device has no response to any command. The data corruption might occur during the stage while a write, program, erase cycle is in progress.



### 12. ELECTRICAL SPECIFICATIONS

**Table 16. ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS** 

RATING	VALUE		
Ambient Operating Temperature	-40°C to 85°C		
Storage Temperature	-65°C to 150°C		
Applied Input Voltage	-0.5V to VCC+0.5V		
Applied Output Voltage	-0.5V to VCC+0.5V		
VCC to Ground Potential	-0.5V to 4.0V		

#### NOTICE:

- 1. Stresses greater than those listed under ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS may cause permanent damage to the device. This is stress rating only and functional operational sections of this specification is not implied. Exposure to absolute maximum rating conditions for extended period may affect reliability.
- 2. Specifications contained within the following tables are subject to change.
- 3. During voltage transitions, all pins may overshoot Vss to -2.0V and Vcc to +2.0V for periods up to 20ns, see *Figure 71* and *Figure 72*.

Figure 71. Maximum Negative Overshoot Waveform

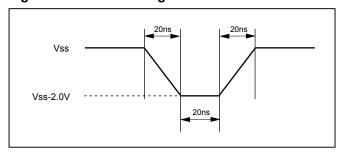


Figure 72. Maximum Positive Overshoot Waveform

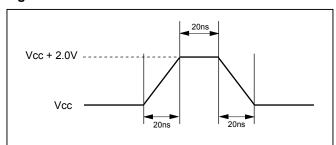
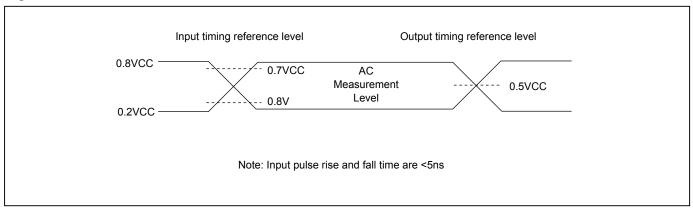


Table 17. CAPACITANCE TA = 25°C, f = 1.0 MHz

Symbol	Parameter	Min.	Тур.	Max.	Unit	Conditions
CIN	Input Capacitance			6	pF	VIN = 0V
COUT	Output Capacitance			8	pF	VOUT = 0V



### Figure 73. DATA INPUT TEST WAVEFORMS AND MEASUREMENT LEVEL



### Figure 74. OUTPUT LOADING

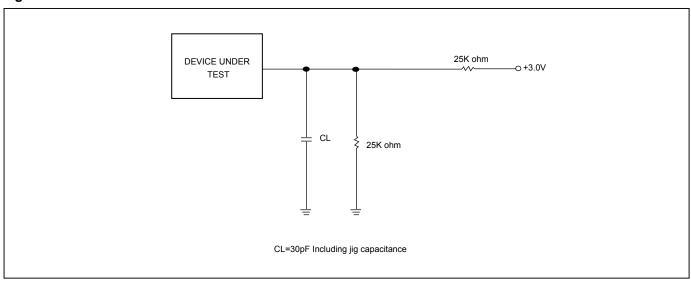
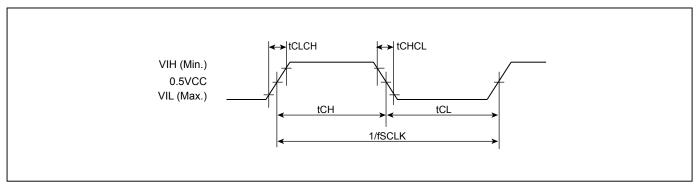


Figure 75. SCLK TIMING DEFINITION







#### **Table 18. DC CHARACTERISTICS**

(Temperature = -40°C to 85°C, VCC = 2.7V - 3.6V)

Symbol	Parameter	Notes	Min.	Тур.	Max.	Units	Test Conditions
ILI	Input Load Current	1			±2	uA	VCC = VCC Max, VIN = VCC or GND
ILO	Output Leakage Current	1			±2	uA	VCC = VCC Max, VOUT = VCC or GND
ISB1	VCC Standby Current	1		10	50	uA	VIN = VCC or GND, CS# = VCC
ISB2	Deep Power-down Current			2	20	uA	VIN = VCC or GND, CS# = VCC
					25	mA	f=133MHz, (4 x I/O read) SCLK=0.1VCC/0.9VCC, SO=Open
ICC1	VCC Read	1		14	20	mA	f=104MHz, (4 x I/O read) SCLK=0.1VCC/0.9VCC, SO=Open
					15	mA	f=84MHz, SCLK=0.1VCC/0.9VCC, SO=Open
ICC2	VCC Program Current (PP)	1		14	20	mA	Program in Progress, CS# = VCC
ICC3	VCC Write Status Register (WRSR) Current			10	12	mA	Program status register in progress, CS#=VCC
ICC4	VCC Sector/Block (32K, 64K) Erase Current (SE/BE/BE32K)	1		14	25	mA	Erase in Progress, CS#=VCC
ICC5	VCC Chip Erase Current (CE)	1		14	25	mA	Erase in Progress, CS#=VCC
VIL	Input Low Voltage		-0.5		0.8	V	
VIH	Input High Voltage		0.7VCC		VCC+0.4	V	
VOL	Output Low Voltage				0.2	V	IOL = 100uA
VOH	Output High Voltage		VCC-0.2			V	IOH = -100uA

#### Notes:

- 1. Typical values at VCC = 3.3V, T = 25°C. These currents are valid for all product versions (package and speeds).
- 2. Typical value is calculated by simulation.



### **Table 19. AC CHARACTERISTICS**

(Temperature = -40°C to 85°C, VCC = 2.7V - 3.6V)

Symbol		Parameter			Min.	Тур.	Max.	+
fSCLK	fC	Clock Frequency for all comm		ad)	D.C.		133	MHz
fRSCLK	fR	Clock Frequency for READ ins					50	MHz
fTSCLK	fT	Clock Frequency for 2READ/D					84 <sup>(5)</sup>	MHz
TTOOLIK	fQ	Clock Frequency for 4READ/C	READ instruction	ns			84 <sup>(5)</sup>	MHz
			Others > 66MHz		45% x (1/fSCLK)			ns
tCH <sup>(1)</sup>	tCLH	Clock High Time	(fSCLK)	≤ 66MHz	7			ns
			Normal Read (fl	ļ	7			ns
			`	> 66MHz	1			
101 (1)			Others		45% x (1/fSCLK)			ns
tCL <sup>(1)</sup>	tCLL	Clock Low Time	(fSCLK)	≤ 66MHz	7			ns
			Normal Read (fl	RSCLK)	7			ns
tCLCH <sup>(10)</sup>		Clock Rise Time (peak to peak	<b>(</b> )		0.1			V/ns
tCHCL <sup>(10)</sup>		Clock Fall Time (peak to peak)			0.1			V/ns
tSLCH	tCSS	CS# Active Setup Time (relative			3			ns
tCHSL		CS# Not Active Hold Time (rel	ative to SCLK)		3			ns
tDVCH		Data In Setup Time			2			ns
tCHDX	tDH	Data In Hold Time			2			ns
tCHSH		CS# Active Hold Time (relative		,	3			ns
tSHCH		CS# Not Active Setup Time (re	·		3			ns
			From Read to n		7			ns
tSHSL	tCSH	CS# Deselect Time						ns
(10)			to Read Status	Register	30			1
tSHQZ <sup>(10)</sup>	tDIS	Output Disable Time	l				8	ns
tCLQV	t∨	Clock Low to Output Valid	Loading: 30pF				8	ns
		Loading: 30pF/15pF	Loading: 15pF				6	ns
tCLQX	tHO	Output Hold Time	Loading: 30pF		1			ns
411.011		HOLD# Oaton Time (maletine to	Loading: 15pF		1		-	ns
tHLCH		HOLD# Setup Time (relative to			5			ns
tCHHH		HOLD# Hold Time (relative to			5 5			ns
tHHCH tCHHL		HOLD Setup Time (relative to			5			ns
tHHQX <sup>(10)</sup>		HOLD Hold Time (relative to S	OCLK)		3		0	ns
tHLQZ <sup>(10)</sup>		HOLD to Output Ligh 7					8	ns
tWHSL <sup>(3)</sup>		HOLD# to Output High-Z Write Protect Setup Time	_		20		0	ns
tSHWL <sup>(3)</sup>		Write Protect Hold Time			100			ns ns
tDP <sup>(10)</sup>		CS# High to Deep Power-dow	n Modo		100		10	+
		CS# High to Standby Mode wi		Signaturo			10	us
tRES1 <sup>(10)</sup>		Read	thout Electronic	Signature			30	us
tRES2 <sup>(10)</sup>		CS# High to Standby Mode wi	th Electronic Sig	nature Read			30	us
tW		Write Status/Configuration Re					40	ms
		Reset Recovery time (During i	<u> </u>		40			us
		Reset Recovery time (for read		···· <i>3</i> /	35			us
		Reset Recovery time (for prog			310			us
tREADY2		Reset Recovery time (for SE4h			12			ms
		Reset Recovery time (for BE6	<del></del>	ration)	25			ms
		Reset Recovery time (for Chip			100			ms
		, , ,	set Recovery time (for WRSR operation)					ms



#### Table 20. AC CHARACTERISTICS-continued

Symbol	Alt.	Parameter	Min.	Тур.	Max.	Unit
tBP		Byte-Program		16	40	us
tPP		Page Program Cycle Time		0.33	1.2	ms
tSE		Sector Erase Cycle Time		25	120	ms
tBE32		Block Erase (32KB) Cycle Time		140	650	ms
tBE		Block Erase (64KB) Cycle Time		250	650	ms
tCE		Chip Erase Cycle Time		110	150	S
tESL <sup>(6)</sup>		Erase Suspend Latency			25	us
tPSL <sup>(6)</sup>		Program Suspend Latency			25	us
tPRS <sup>(7)</sup>		Latency between Program Resume and next Suspend	0.3	100		us
tERS <sup>(8)</sup>		Latency between Erase Resume and next Suspend	0.3	400		us

#### Notes:

- 1. tCH + tCL must be greater than or equal to 1/ Frequency.
- 2. Typical values given for TA=25°C. Not 100% tested.
- 3. Only applicable as a constraint for a WRSR instruction when SRWD is set at 1.
- 4. Test condition is shown as "Figure 73. DATA INPUT TEST WAVEFORMS AND MEASUREMENT LEVEL" and "Figure 74. OUTPUT LOADING".
- 5. By default dummy cycle value. Please refer to the "Table 1. Read performance Comparison".
- 6. Latency time is required to complete Erase/Program Suspend operation until WIP bit is "0".
- 7. For tPRS, minimum timing must be observed before issuing the next program suspend command. However, a period equal to or longer than the typical timing is required in order for the program operation to make progress.
- 8. For tERS, minimum timing must be observed before issuing the next erase suspend command. However, a period equal to or longer than the typical timing is required in order for the erase operation to make progress.
- 9. Not 100% tested.
- 10. The value guaranteed by characterization, not 100% tested in production.



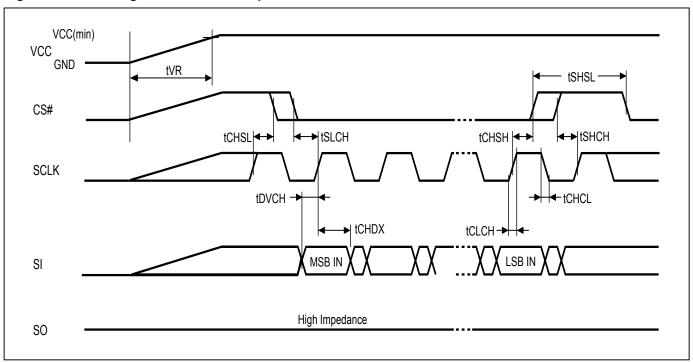
#### 13. OPERATING CONDITIONS

#### At Device Power-Up and Power-Down

AC timing illustrated in "Figure 76. AC Timing at Device Power-Up" and "Figure 77. Power-Down Sequence" are for the supply voltages and the control signals at device power-up and power-down. If the timing in the figures is ignored, the device will not operate correctly.

During power-up and power-down, CS# needs to follow the voltage applied on VCC to keep the device not to be selected. The CS# can be driven low when VCC reach Vcc(min.) and wait a period of tVSL.

Figure 76. AC Timing at Device Power-Up



Symbol	Parameter	Notes	Min.	Max.	Unit
tVR	VCC Rise Time	1		500000	us/V

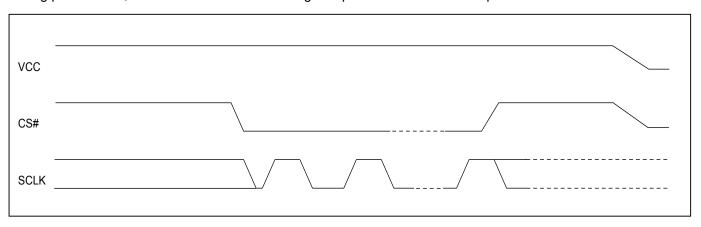
#### Notes:

- 1. Sampled, not 100% tested.
- 2. For AC spec tCHSL, tSLCH, tDVCH, tCHDX, tSHSL, tCHSH, tSHCH, tCHCL, tCLCH in the figure, please refer to "Table 19. AC CHARACTERISTICS".

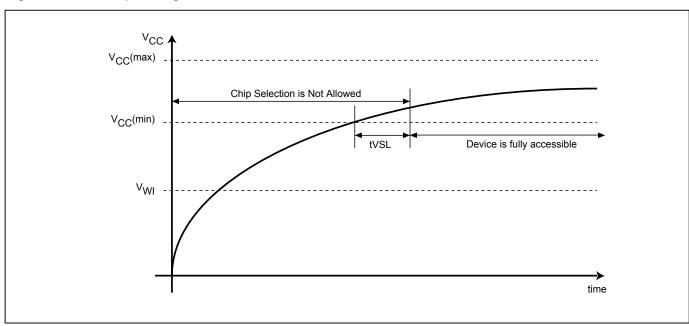


## Figure 77. Power-Down Sequence

During power-down, CS# needs to follow the voltage drop on VCC to avoid mis-operation.



## Figure 78. Power-up Timing





### Figure 79. Power Up/Down and Voltage Drop

When powering down the device, VCC must drop below V<sub>PWD</sub> for at least tPWD to ensure the device will initialize correctly during power up. Please refer to "Figure 79. Power Up/Down and Voltage Drop" and "Table 21. Power-Up/Down Voltage and Timing" below for more details.

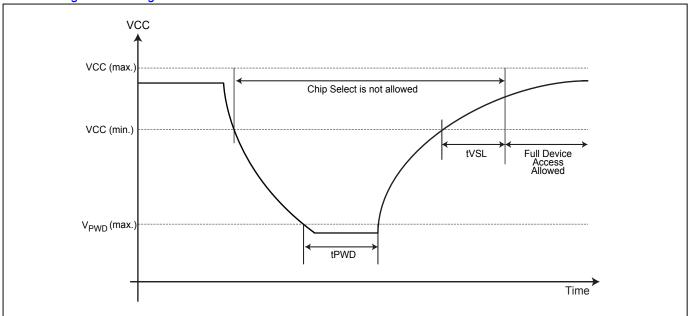


Table 21. Power-Up/Down Voltage and Timing

Symbol	Parameter	Min.	Max.	Unit
tVSL	VCC(min.) to device operation	800		us
VWI	Write Inhibit Voltage	1.5	2.5	V
$V_{PWD}$	VCC voltage needed to below V <sub>PWD</sub> for ensuring initialization will occur		0.9	V
tPWD	The minimum duration for ensuring initialization will occur	300		us
VCC	VCC Power Supply	2.7	3.6	V

Note: These parameters are characterized only.

#### 13-1. INITIAL DELIVERY STATE

The device is delivered with the memory array erased: all bits are set to 1 (each byte contains FFh). The Status Register contains 00h (all Status Register bits are 0).

#### 14. ERASE AND PROGRAMMING PERFORMANCE

Parameter	Min.	Typ. <sup>(1)</sup>	Max. <sup>(2)</sup>	Unit
Write Status Register Cycle Time			40	ms
Sector Erase Cycle Time (4KB)		25	120	ms
Block Erase Cycle Time (32KB)		0.14	0.65	S
Block Erase Cycle Time (64KB)		0.25	0.65	S
Chip Erase Cycle Time		110	150	S
Byte Program Time (via page program command)		16	40	us
Page Program Time		0.33	1.2	ms
Erase/Program Cycle		100,000		cycles

#### Note:

- 1. Typical program and erase time assumes the following conditions: 25°C, 3.3V, and checkerboard pattern.
- 2. Under worst conditions of 85°C and 2.7V.
- 3. System-level overhead is the time required to execute the first-bus-cycle sequence for the programming command.

### 15. ERASE AND PROGRAMMING PERFORMANCE (Factory Mode)

Parameter	Min.	Тур.	Max.	Unit
Sector Erase Cycle Time (4KB)		15		ms
Block Erase Cycle Time (32KB)		100		ms
Block Erase Cycle Time (64KB)		200		ms
Chip Erase Cycle Time		25		S
Page Program Time		0.33		ms
Erase/Program Cycle			50	cycles

#### Notice:

- 1. Factory Mode must be operated in 20°C to 45°C and VCC 3.0V-3.6V.
- 2. In Factory mode, the Erase/Program operation should not exceed 50 cycles, and "ERASE AND PROGRAMMING PERFORMANCE" 100k cycles will not be affected.
- 3. During factory mode, Suspend command (B0h) cannot be executed.



## **16. DATA RETENTION**

Parameter	Parameter Condition			
Data retention	55°C	20		years

## 17. LATCH-UP CHARACTERISTICS

	Min.	Max.
Input Voltage with respect to GND on all power pins		1.5 VCCmax
Input Current on all non-power pins	-100mA	+100mA
Test conditions: VCC = VCCmax, one pin at a time (compliant to JEDEC JESD7	78 standard).	



## 18. ORDERING INFORMATION

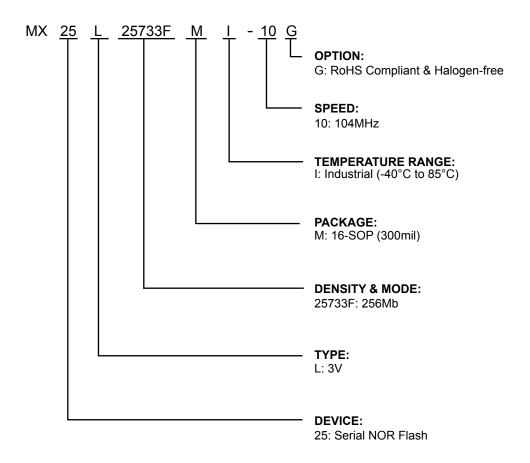
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### 19. PART NAME DESCRIPTION

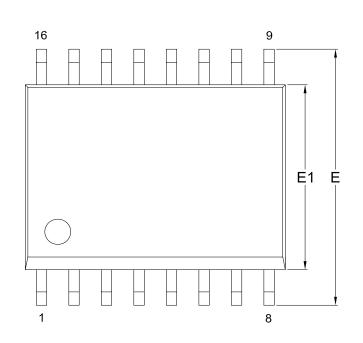


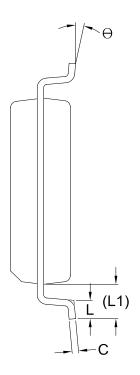


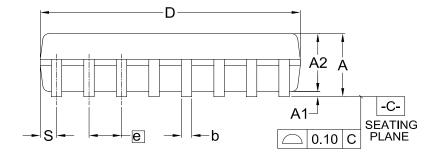
### 20. PACKAGE INFORMATION

### 20-1. 16-pin SOP (300mil)

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Dimensions (inch dimensions are derived from the original mm dimensions)

SY UNIT	MBOL	Α	<b>A</b> 1	A2	b	С	D	E	E1	е	L	L1	s	θ
	Min.		0.10	2.25	0.31	0.20	10.10	10.10	7.42		0.40	1.31	0.51	0°
mm	Nom.		0.20	2.35	0.41	0.25	10.30	10.30	7.52	1.27	0.84	1.44	0.64	5°
	Max.	2.65	0.30	2.45	0.51	0.30	10.50	10.50	7.60		1.27	1.57	0.77	8°
	Min.		0.004	0.089	0.012	0.008	0.397	0.397	0.292		0.016	0.052	0.020	0°
Inch	Nom.		0.008	0.093	0.016	0.010	0.405	0.405	0.296	0.050	0.033	0.057	0.025	5°
	Max.	0.104	0.012	0.096	0.020	0.012	0.413	0.413	0.299		0.050	0.062	0.030	8°



### **21. REVISION HISTORY**

Revision	Descriptions	Page
March 08, 2018		
0.00	1. Initial Release.	All
September 09, 201	9	
1.0	1. Removed "Advanced Information" to align with the product status.	All
	2. Feature modifications	P1, 4
	3. Content modification	P73, 80
	4. Modified the descriptions of "17. LATCH-UP CHARACTERISTICS".	P81



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