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Product Brief

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The PM-22 is a next-generation Codec device that leverages Zoran's years of experience to provide the ultimate in performance for today's multifunction peripherals. With features such as a 75 MHz clock speed, an internal 16 KB of SRAM, an internal Phase-Locked Loop (PLL), a 32-bit I/O

interface, JBIG compression and streamlined multi-tasking, the PM-22 offers the most sophisticated bitonal image compression capabilities available today.

Benefits

- Ultimate performance—bitonal image compression device
- Unparalleled throughput

 Processes 600 dpi documents in less than 150 milliseconds
- Highly integrated—Internal SRAM and Phase-Locked Loop (PLL)
- Improved I/O-32-bit interface
- Multi-standard support-ITU G3, G4 and JBIG
- · Improved system performance-Enhanced multi-tasking

Key Features

- 75 MHz clock speed for high throughput
- Integrated SRAM (16 KB) and Phase-Locked Loop (PLL)
- 32-bit I/O interface mode
- Support for ITU G3, G4 and JBIG bitonal image data formats
- · Enhanced multi-tasking
- · 3.3 Volt power supply
- 16 KB internal SRAM
- High-speed rotation assist function, concurrent with decompression
- Flexible I/O modes include Burst, FIFO, and Full Duplex DMA operation
- · Programmable output palette
- Large image size capacity–handles up to 64 K pixels per line, up to 64 K lines
- · Programmable bit, byte and word ordering on input and output

Description

High Throughput

The PM-22 can handle letter-sized 300 dpi documents in less than 45 milliseconds and 600 dpi documents in less than 150 milliseconds. With a maximum clock speed of 75 MHz, the PM-22 delivers a typical throughput of 225 Mpixels/second for ITU G3 and G4 data. The worst-case throughput for any compression/decompression standard is 75 Mpixels/second.

Integrated SRAM and PLL

To maximize cost-effectiveness, the PM-22 has integrated SRAM and Phase-Locked Loop (PLL). The PM-22's 16 KB of integrated SRAM reduces overall system cost. Its integrated PLL enables the PM-22 to generate its main internal clock frequency from a lower-frequency signal for reduced emissions and simplified board design.

32-bit I/O Interface

The PM-22 features a new interface mode that enables it to be connected directly to 32-bit system busses. It allows use of a 32-bit host port for input, output or both. An 8-bit or 16-bit peripheral port is also provided. Input and output data bit and byte reordering functions have been expanded in the PM-22 to include word-swapping.

JBIG Compression

JBIG offers compression ratios up to four times higher than with two-dimensional ITU Group 4 encoding methods. This improvement significantly increases system performance and reduces image storage and transmission costs.

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Enhanced Multi-Tasking

Like previous PM-2x Codecs, the PM-22 fully supports multitasking for interrupt-driven image processing in multi-function peripherals. In addition, multi-tasking has been optimized on the PM-22 to reduce host processor interrupts during JBIG operations.

PM-22 Capabilities

The PM-22 enables the following combinations of operations to be performed on the data stream during one pass through the device:

- · Decompress, scale, and clip the resulting bitonal data
- · Decompress, scale to gray, and clip the resulting data
- · Decompress, clip and rotate to any multiple of 90 degrees
- · Clip and compress bitonal input

Scale factors for pass-through or decompression operations range from 1:256 to 255:1 in increments of 1/256. The PM-22 supports any combination of bit and byte ordering on both input and output ports. In addition, the PM-22 supports "fast" padding for improved output formatting operations.

The Role of Multi-Tasking

Effective multi-tasking will increase processor efficiency by reducing the overhead involved in multiple simultaneous compression/decompression processes. The PM-22 is capable of halting a process at the end of any line and cleanly restarting. When the processor is halted, the internal state can be read and stored. The PM-22 can then be reconfigured and restarted, either with a process that has been suspended or with an entirely new process.

Design Considerations

The PM-22 requires little in the way of external support chips. The PM-22 includes 16 KB of internal SRAM, sufficient to support most common coding or decoding operations. Rotation, scaling and multi-tasking operations may require an external SRAM (8 KB minimum; supports up to 128 KB), which serves as a local buffer during processing operations. Multi-tasking systems are able to use either internal or external SRAM for any task that fits into available memory.

PM-22 Specifications

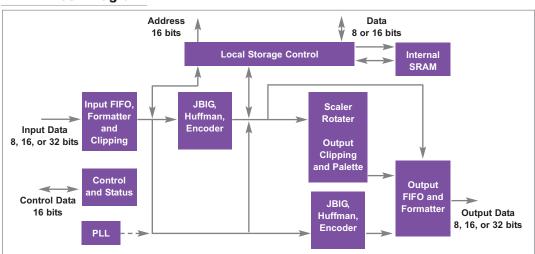
Storage Formats Supported

- ITU Group 3 1D (Modified Huffman coding)
- ITU Group 3 2D (Modified READ coding, programmable K-factor)
- ITU Group 4 2 D (Modified Modified READ (MMR) coding)
- · IBM MMR coding
- TIFF Type 2
- JBIG (ISO IS 11544 compliant) Single progression sequential, Adaptive pixel, Typical prediction, 2 or 3 Line template, Variable stripe size

Electrical Specification

- · 3.3 Volt power supply
- 5 Volt tolerant I/O (TTL-compatible I/O)
- Designed and fabricated in 0.35 micron standard cell technology
- Available in industry-standard 28mm 160 PQFP package
- · Also available in lead-free "green" packaging

PM-22 Block Diagram



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