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1 Megabyte Flash Memory PC Card

DISTINCTIVE CHARACTERISTICS

- High performance
 - 250 ns maximum access time
- CMOS low power consumption
 - 25 mA typical active current (X8)
 - 400 μA typical standby current
- PCMCIA/JEIDA 68-pin standard
 - Selectable byte or word-wide configuration
- Write protect switch
 - Prevents accidental data loss
- High re-programmable endurance
 - Minimum 100,000 erase/write cycles
- Zero data retention power
 - Batteries not required for data storage
- Separate attribute memory
 - 512 byte EEPROM

- Automated write and erase operations (increases system write performance)
 - 128K byte memory segment
 - Typically <1 second per single memory segment erase
 - Random address writes to previously erased bytes (10 μs typical per byte)
- Total system integration solution
 - Support from independent software and hardware vendors
- Insertion and removal force
 - State of art connector allows for minimum card insertion and removal effort
- Write and erase voltage, 12.0 V ± 5%
- Read voltage, 5 V + 5%
- Manufactured by DuPont Connector Systems

GENERAL DESCRIPTION

AMD's Flash Memory PC Card provides the highest system level performance for data and file storage solutions to the portable PC market segment. Data files and application programs can be stored on the AmC001AFLKA. This allows OEM manufacturers of portable system to eliminate the weight, extreme power consumption and reliability issues associated with electro-mechanical disk-based systems. AmC001AFLKA also allows today's bulky and heavy battery packs to be reduced in weight and size. Typically only two "AA" alkaline batteries are required for total system operation. AMD's Flash Memory PC Cards provide the most efficient method to transfer useful work between different hardware platforms. The enabling technology of the AmC001AFLKA enhances the productivity of mobile workers.

Widespread acceptance of the AmC001AFLKA is assured due to its compatibility with the 68-pin PCMCIA/JEIDA international standard. AMD's Flash

Memory Cards can be read in either a byte-wide or word-wide mode which allows for flexible integration into various system platforms. Compatibility is assured at the hardware interface and software interchange specification. The Card Information Structure (CIS) or Metaformat, can be written by the OEM at the Memory Card's attribute memory address space beginning at address 00000H by using a format utility. The CIS appears at the beginning of the Card's attribute memory space and defines the low-level organization of data on the PC Card. The AmC001AFLKA contains a separate 512 byte EEPROM memory for the card's attribute memory space. This allows all of the Flash Memory to be used for the common memory space.

Third party software solutions such as Microsoft's Flash File System (FFS), enable AMD's Flash Memory PC Card to replicate the function of traditional disk-based memory systems.

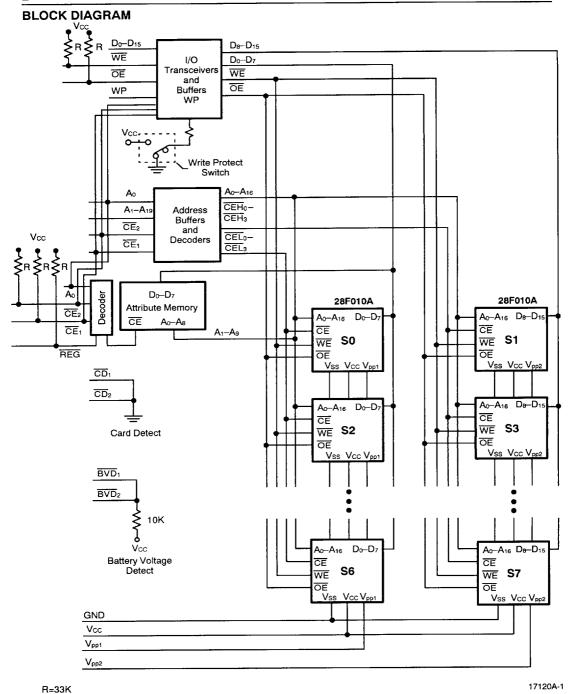
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PC CARD PIN ASSIGNMENTS

Pin#	Signal	I/O	Function	Pin#	Signal	I/O	Function
1	GND		Ground	35	GND		Ground
2	Dз	1/0	Data Bit 3	36	CD₁	0	Card Detect (Note 1)
3	D4	1/0	Data Bit 4	37	D11	1/0	Data Bit 11
4	D ₅	1/0	Data Bit 5	38	D12	1/0	Data Bit 12
5	D ₆	1/0	Data Bit 6	39	D13	1/0	Data Bit 13
6	D ₇	I/O	Data Bit 7	40	D14	1/0	Data Bit 14
7	CE ₁	1	Card Enable (Note 1)	41	D ₁₅	1/0	Data Bit 15
8	A 10	1	Address Bit 10	42	CE ₂	1	Card Enable 2 (Note 1)
9	ŌĒ	1	Output Enable	43	NC		No Connect
10	A11	1	Address Bit 11	44	RFU		Reserved
11	A9	1	Address Bit 9	45	RFU		Reserved
12	A 8	1	Address Bit 8	46	A17	ı	Address Bit 17
13	A13	1	Address Bit 13	47	A18	1	Address Bit 18
14	A14	1	Address Bit 14	48	A19	1	Address Bit 19
15	WE	1	Write Enable	49	NC		No Connect
16	NC		No Connect	50	NC		No Connect
17	Vcc		Power Supply	51	Vcc		Power Supply
18	Vpp1		Pgm Sply Vltg 1	52	Vpp2		Pgm Sply Vltg 2
19	A16	1	Address Bit 16	53	NC		No Connect
20	A15	1	Address Bit 15	54	NC	:	No Connect
21	A12	1	Address Bit 12	55	NC		No Connect
22	A 7	1	Address Bit 7	56	NC		No Connect
23	A 6	1	Address Bit 6	57	NC		No Connect
24	A 5	1	Address Bit 5	58	NC		No Connect
25	A4	1	Address Bit 4	59	NC		No Connect
26	Аз	ł	Address Bit 3	60	NC		No Connect
27	A2	1	Address Bit 2	61	REG	1	Register Select
28	A ₁	1	Address Bit 1	62	BVD ₂	0	Battery VItg Detect 2 (Note 2)
29	Ao	ı	Address Bit 0	63	BVD ₁	0	Battery Vitg Detect 1 (Note 2)
30	Do	I/O	Data Bit 0	64	D8	1/0	Data Bit 8
31	D ₁	I/O	Data Bit 1	65	D9	I/O	Data Bit 9
32	D ₂	I/O	Data Bit 2	66	D10	1/0	Data Bit 10
33	WP	0	Write Protect (Note 1)	67	CD ₂	0	Card Detect
34	GND	l	Ground	68	GND		Ground

Notes:

I = Input to card, O = Output from card

I/O = Bi-directional

NC = No connect

In systems which switch Vcc individually to cards, no signal should be directly connected between cards other than ground.

1. Signal must not be connected between cards

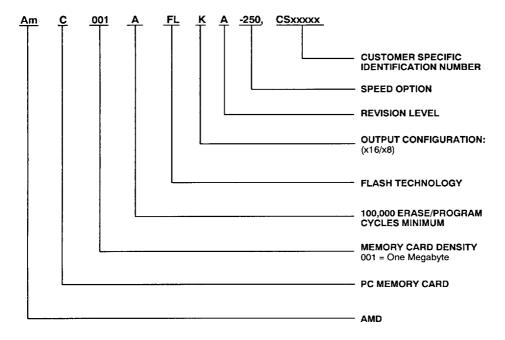
2. \overline{BVD} = Internally pulled-up

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PIN DESCRIPTION

Symbol	Туре	Name and Function
A ₀ A ₁₉	INPUT	ADDRESS INPUTS are internally latched during write cycles.
D ₀ – D ₁₅	INPUT/ OUTPUT	DATA INPUT/OUTPUT: Data inputs are internally latched on write cycles. Data outputs during read cycles. Data pins are active high. When the memory card is de-selected or the outputs are disabled the outputs float to tri-state.
CE ₁ , CE ₂	INPUT	CARD ENABLE is active low. The memory card is de-selected and power consumption is reduced to stand-by levels when \overline{CE} is high. \overline{CE} activates the internal memory card circuitry that controls the high and low byte control logic of the card, input buffers segment decoders, and associated memory devices.
ŌĒ	INPUT	OUTPUT ENABLE is active low and enables the data buffers through the card outputs during read cycles.
WE	INPUT	WRITE ENABLE is active low and controls the write function of the command register to the memory array. The target address is latched on the falling edge of the WE pulse and the appropriate data is latched on the rising edge of the pulse.
VPP1,VPP2		ERASE/WRITE POWER SUPPLY for erase and programming. V _{PP} enables the command register which controls all functions required to alter the memory array contents.
		Note: The Memory Card functions in a read-only memory when V _{PP} < V _{cc} +2 V.
Vcc		PC CARD POWER SUPPLY for device operation (5.0 V ± 5%)
GND		GROUND
CD ₁ , CD ₂	OUTPUT	CARD DETECT. When card detect 1 and 2 = ground the system detects the card.
WP	OUTPUT	WRITE PROTECT is active high and disables all card write operations.
NC		NO CONNECT - corresponding pin is not connected internally to the die.
BVD ₁ , BVD ₂	OUTPUT	BATTERY VOLTAGE DETECT. Internally pulled-up.

MEMORY CARD OPERATIONS

The AmC001AFLKA Flash Memory Card is organized as an array of individual devices. Each device is 128K bytes in size. Although the address space is continuous each physical device defines a logical address segment size. Erase operations are performed in increments of this segment size. Multiple segments may be erased concurrently when additional $V_{\rm PP}$ current is supplied to the device. Once a memory segment is erased any address location may be programmed. Flash technology allows any logical "1" data bit to be programmed to a logical "0". The only way to reset bits to a logical "1" is to erase the entire memory segment of 128K bytes. High voltage is required on $V_{\rm PP1}$ and $V_{\rm PP2}$ to perform program and erase operations.

The common memory space data contents are altered in a similar manner as writing to individual Flash Memory devices. On-card address and data buffers activate the appropriate Flash device in the memory array. Each device internally latches address and data during write cycles. Refer to Table 2A.

Attribute memory is a separately accessed card memory space. The register memory space is active when the REG pin is driven low. The Card Information Structure describes the capabilities and specification of

a card. The CIS is stored in the attribute memory space beginning at address 00000H. The AmC001AFLKA contains a separate 512 byte EEPROM memory for the Card Information Structure. Alternatively, the CIS can be stored at the beginning of the common memory address space. Do-Dr are active during attribute memory accesses. De-D15 should be ignored. Odd order bytes present invalid data. Refer to Table 2B.

Word-Wide Operations

The AmC001AFLKA provides the flexibility to operate on data in a byte-wide or word-wide format. In word-wide operations the Low-bytes are controlled with V_{pp1} and \overline{CE}_1 when A0=0. The High-bytes are controlled with V_{pp2} and \overline{CE}_2 , A0= don't care.

Erase operations are the only operations that work on entire memory segments. All other operations such as word-wide programming are not affected by the physical memory segments.

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Byte-Wide Operations

Byte-wide data is available on Do-D7 for read and write operations ($\overline{CE}_1 = low, \overline{CE}_2 = high$). Even and odd bytes are stored in separate memory segments (i.e. So and S1) and are accessed when A0 is low and high respectively. The even byte is the low order byte and the odd byte is the high order byte of a 16-bit word.

Erase operations in the byte-wide mode must account for data multiplexing on Do-D7 by changing the state of A0. Each memory segment pair must be addressed separately for erase operations.

Card Detection

Each CD (output) pin should be read by the host system to determine if the memory card is adequately seated in the socket. \overline{CD}_1 and \overline{CD}_2 are internally tied to ground. If both bits are not detected, the system should indicate that the card must be re-inserted.

Write Protection

The AMD Flash memory card has three types of write protection. The PCMCIA/JEIDA socket itself provides the first type of write protection. Power supply and control pins have specific pin lengths in order to protect the card with proper power supply sequencing in the case of hot insertion and removal.

A mechanical write protect switch provides a second type of write protection. When this switch is activated, WE is internally forced high. The Flash memory command register is disabled from accepting any write

The third type of write protection is achieved with Vpp1 and V_{pp2} at logic low levels to reset the Flash devices to read-only mode. Memory contents can not be changed in this state. The command register of individual Flash memory segments is only active when Vpp1 and/or Vpp2 are at high voltage (VppH).

Each Flash memory device that comprises a Flash memory segment will reset the command register to the read-only mode when Vcc is below VLKO. VLKO is the voltage below which write operations to individual command registers are disabled.

MEMORY CARD BUS OPERATIONS

Read Enable

Two Card Enable (CE) pins are available on the memory card. Both CE pins must be active low for word-wide read accesses. Only one CE is required for byte-wide accesses. The CE pins control the selection and gates power to the high and low memory segments. The Output Enable (OE) controls gating accessed data from the memory segment outputs.

Output Disable

Data outputs from the card are disabled when OE is at a logic-high level. Under this condition, outputs are in the high-impedance state.

Standby Operations

Byte-wide read accesses only require half of the read/write output buffer (x16) to be active. In addition, only one memory segment is active with in either the high order or low order bank. Activation of the appropriate half of the output buffer is controlled by the combination of both CE pins. The CE pins also control power to the high and low-order banks of memory. Outputs of the memory bank not selected are placed in the high impedance state. The individual memory segment is activated by the address decoders. The other memory segments operate in standby. An active memory segment continues to draw power until completion of a write, erase, or verify operation if the card is de-selected in the process of one of these operations.

Auto Select Operation

A host system or external card reader/writer can determine the on-card manufacturer and device I.D.

codes. Codes are available after writing the 90H command to the command register of a memory segment. Reading from address location 00000H in any segment provides the manufacturer I.D. while address location 00002H provides the device I.D.

Write Operations

Write and erase operations are valid only when Vpp1 and V_{pp2} are at high voltage. This activates the state machine of an addressed memory segment. The command register is a latch which saves address, commands, and data information used by the state machine and memory array.

When Write Enable (WE) and appropriate CE(s) are a logic-level low, the command register is enabled for write operations. The falling edge of WE latches address information and the rising edge latches data/ command information.

Memory Segment Command Definitions

When the Vpp pin(s) are at low voltage the command register of each Flash memory segment defaults to 00H, the Read only mode.

With high voltage on the V_{pp} pin(s), the Flash memory segments are active for either read, write, or erase operations.

Write or erase operations are performed by writing appropriate data patterns to the command register of accessed Flash memory segments.

The byte-wide and word-wide commands are defined in Tables 3 and 4 respectively.

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Table 2A. Common Memory Bus Operations

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Pins/ Operation	REG	CE ₂	CE ₁	ŌĒ	WE	(1, 6) V _{PP2}	(1, 6) V _{PP1}	A0	D8D15	D ₀ -D ₇	
READ-ONLY											
Read (x8) (Note 7)	Viн	VIH	VIL	VIL	ViH	VPPL	V _{PPL}	VIL	High Z	Data Out-Even	
Read (x8) (Note 8)	ViH	ViH	VIL	VIL	Viн	VPPL	VPPL	ViH	High Z	Data Out-Odd	
Read (x8) (Note 9)	Viн	VIL	ViH	VIL	ViH	V _{PPL}	VPPL	X	Data Out- Odd	High Z	
Read (x16) (Note 10)	ViH	VıL	VIL	VIL	V _{IH}	VPPL	V _{PPL}	Х	Data Out Odd	Data Out-Even	
Output Disable	Viн	Х	х	ViH	Vін	V _{PPL}	V _{PPL}	Х	High Z	High Z	
Standby	х	ViH	ViH	х	х	VPPL	VPPL	Х	High Z	High Z	
READ/WRITE											
Read (x8) (Notes 2, 7)	ViH	ViH	VIL	ViL	Viн	V _{PPX}	V _{PPH}	VIL	High Z	Data Out-Even	
Read (x8) (Notes 2, 8)	ViH	ViH	VIL	VIL	Vıн	VPPH	V _{PPX}	ViH	High Z	Data Out-Odd	
Read (x8) (Notes 2, 9)	Viн	VIL	Vıн	V _{IL}	ViH	VPPH	VPPX	х	Data Out- Odd	High Z	
Read (x16) (Notes 2, 10)	Viн	VIL	VIL	VIL	ViH	V _{PPH}	VPPH	Х	Data Out- Odd	Data Out-Even	
Write (x8) (Notes 4, 7)	ViH.	ViH	VIL	Viн	VIL	V_{PPX}	V _{PPH}	VIL	High Z	Data In-Even	
Write (x8) (Notes 4, 8)	ViH	Viн	ViL	ViH	VIL	V _{PPH}	V _{PPX}	Viн	High Z	Data In-Odd	
Write (x8) (Notes 4, 9)	VIH	VIL	ViH	Vıн	VIL	V _{PPH}	V _{PPX}	Х	Data In	High Z	
Write (x16) (Notes 5, 10)	ViH	VIL	VIL	V _{IH}	ViL	V _{РРН}	VPPH	×	Data In Odd	Data In-Even	
Output Disable	Viн	X	Х	Viн	VIL	Vpph	VPPH	Х	High Z	High Z	
Standby (Note 3)	Х	ViH	Viн	Х	×	V _{PPH}	VPPH	Х	High Z	High Z	

Legend:

X = Don't Care, where Don't Care is either V_{IL} or V_{IH} levels, $V_{PPL} = V_{PP} < V_{CC} + 2 V$, See DC Characteristics for voltage levels of V_{PPH} , $0 \ V < An$, $V_{CC} + 2 \ V$, (normal TTL or CMOS input levels, where n = 0 or 9).

Notes:

- V_{PPL} may be grounded, connected with a resistor to ground, or < V_{CC} +2 V. V_{PPL} is the programming voltage specified for the device. Refer to the DC characteristics. When V_{PP} = V_{PPL}, memory contents can be read but not written or erased.
- 2. Read operation with VPP = VPPH may access array data or the Auto select codes. Manufacturer and device codes may also be accessed via a command register write sequence. Refer to Table 3.
- 3. With VPP at high voltage, the standby current is Icc + IPP (standby).
- 4. Refer to Table 3 for valid D_{IN} during a byte write operation.
- 5. Refer to Table 4 for valid D_{IN} during a word write operation.
- 6. VPPX = VPPH Of VPPL
- 7. Byte access Even. In this x8 mode, $A_0 = V_{IL}$ outputs or inputs the "even" byte (low byte) of the x16 word on $D_0 D_7$.
- Byte access Odd. In this x8 mode, A₀ = V_{IH} outputs or inputs the "odd" byte (high byte) of the x16 word on D₀–D₇. This is accomplished internal to the card by transposing D₈–D₁₅ to D₀–D₇.
- 9. Odd byte only access. In this x8 mode, Ao = X outputs or inputs the "odd" byte (high byte) of the x16 word on De-D₁₅.
- 10. x16 word accesses present both "even" (low) and "odd" (high) bytes. $A_0 = V_{IL}$ or $V_{IH} =$ "Don't Care".

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Table 2B. Attribute Memory Bus Operations

Pins/ Operation	REG	CE ₂	Œ₁	ŌĒ	WE	(1, 6) V _{PP2}	(1, 6) V _{PP1}	Α0	D ₈ D ₁₅	D ₀ D ₇
READ-ONLY										
Read (x8) (Notes 7, 9)	VIL	ViH	VIL	VIL	ViH	V _{PPL}	VPPL	VIL	High Z	Data Out-Even
Read (x8) (Notes 8, 9)	VIL	ViH	VIL	VIL	Viн	VPPL	VPPL	Vін	High Z	Not Valid
Read (x8) (Note 8)	VIL	VIL	ViH	VIL	Viн	VPPL	VPPL	Х	Not Valid	High Z
Read (x16) (Notes 8, 9, 10)	VIL	VIL	VIL	VIL	Viн	VPPL	VPPL	Х	Not Valid	Data Out-Even
Output Disable	VIL	Х	Х	Vıн	ViH	V _{PPL}	VPPL	Х	High Z	High Z
Standby	X	Viн	ViH	Х	Х	VPPL	VPPL	Х	High Z	High Z
READ/WRITE										
Read (x8) (Notes 2, 7, 9)	VIL	Vih	Vı∟	VIL	ViH	VPPX	VPPH	VIL	High Z	Data Out-Even
Read (x8) (Notes 2, 8, 9)	VIL	ViH	VIL	ViL	Viн	VPPH	V _{PPX}	ViH	High Z	Not Valid
Read (x8) (Note 9)	ViL	VIL	Vін	VIL	Viн	VPPH	VPPX	Х	Not Valid	High Z
Read (x16) (Notes 2, 9)	VIL	VIL	VIL	VIL	V ін	VPPH	Vррн	X	Not Valid	Data Out-Even
Write (x8) (Notes 4, 7, 10)	VIL	ViH	VIL	Viн	VIL	V _{PPX}	Vррн	VIL	High Z	Data In-Even
Write (x8) (Notes 4, 8, 10)	VIL	ViiH	VIL	ViH	ViL	Vррн	V _{PPX}	Viн	High Z	Not Valid
Write (x8) (Notes 4, 9, 10)	VIL	VIL	ViH	ViH	VIL	Vppн	V _{PPX}	X	Not Valid	High Z
Write (x16) (Note 10)	VıL	VIL	VIL	Vін	VIL	VPPH	VРРН	X	Not Valid	Data In-Even
Output Disable	VIL	Х	Х	ViH	VIL	V _{PPH}	VPPH	Х	High Z	High Z
Standby (Note 3)	X	ViH	ViH	X	Х	VPPH	VPPH	Х	High Z	High Z

Legend:

X = Don't Care, where Don't Care is either V_{IL} or V_{IH} levels, V_{PPL} = V_{PP} < V_{CC} + 2 V, See DC Characteristics for voltage levels of V_{PPH}, 0 V < An, V_{CC} + 2 V, (normal TTL or CMOS input levels, where n = 0 or 9).

Notes

- V_{PPL} may be grounded, connected with a resistor to ground, or < V_{CC} +2 V. V_{PPL} is the programming voltage specified for the device. Refer to the DC characteristics. When V_{PP} = V_{PPL}, memory contents can be read but not written or erased.
- Read operation with V_{PP} = V_{PPH} may access array data or the Auto select codes. Manufacturer and device codes may also be accessed via a command register write sequence. Refer to Table 3.
- 3. With VPP at high voltage, the standby current is lcc + lPP (standby).
- 4. Refer to Table 3 for valid D_{IN} during a write operation.
- 5. Refer to Table 4 for valid D_{IN} during a write operation.
- 6. VPPX = VPPH Or VPPL
- 7. In this x8 mode, $A_0 = V_{IL}$ outputs or inputs the "even" byte (low byte) of the x16 word on D_0 – D_7 .
- 8. Only even-byte data is valid during Attribute Memory Read function.
- 9. During Attribute Memory Read function, REG and OE must be active for the entire cycle.
- During Attribute Memory Write function, REG and WE must be active for the entire cycle, OE must be inactive for the entire cycle.

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Table 3. Command Definitions for Byte-Wide Operations

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	F	irst Bus Cyc	cle	Second Bus Cycle			
Command	Operation (Note 1)	Address (Note 2)	Data (Note 3)	Operation (Note 1)	Address (Note 2)	Data (Note 3)	
Read Memory (Note 6)	Write	Х	00H/FFH	Read	RA	RD	
Read Auto Select (Note 7)	Write	Х	90H	Read	00H/01H	01H/A2H	
Embedded Set-up/Erase Embedded Erase™ (Note 4)	Write	Х	30H	Write	×	30H	
Embedded Set-up Program/ Embedded Program™ (Note 5)	Write	×	50H	Write	PA	PD	
Reset (Note 6)	Write	Х	FFH	Write	Х	FFH	

Notes:

- 1. Bus operations are defined in Table 2A.
- 2. RA = Address of the memory location to be read.
 - EA = Address of the memory location to be read during erase-verify.
 - PA = Address of the memory location to be programmed.
 - SA = Address of memory segment to be erased.
 - Addresses are latched on the falling edge of the WE pulse.
- 3. RD = Data read from location RA during read operation.
 - EVD = Data read from location EA during erase-verify.
 - PD = Data to be programmed at location PA. Data latched on the rising edge of WE.
- PVD = Data read from location PA during program-verify. PA is latched on the Program command.
- 4. Figure 1 illustrates the Embedded Erase Algorithm.
- 5. Figure 2 illustrates the Embedded Programming Algorithm.
- 6. Please reference Reset Command section.
- 7. Please reference Auto Select section.
 - Address: 00H/01H = MFG code / Device code addresses.
 - Data: 01H/A2H = MFG code data / Device code data.



Table 4. Command Definitions for Word-Wide Operations

	F	irst Bus Cyc	:le	Second Bus Cycle			
Command	Operation (Note 1)	Address (Note 2)	Data (Note 3)	Operation (Note 1)	Address (Note 2)	Data (Note 3)	
Read Memory (Note 6)	Write	×	0000H/ FFFFH	Read	RA	RD	
Read Auto Select (Note 7)	Write	Х	9090H	Read	0000H/ 0101H	0101H/ A7A7H	
Embedded Erase Set-up/Erase	Write	SA	3030H	Write	Х	3030H	
Embedded Set-up Program/ Embedded Program	Write	×	5050H	Write	PA	PD	
Reset (Note 6)	Write	Х	FFFFH	Write	×	FFFFH	

Notes:

- 1. Bus operations are defined in Table 2A.
- 2. RA = Address of the memory location to be read.
- EA = Address of the memory location to be read during erase-verify.
 - PA = Address of the memory location to be programmed.
 - SA = Address of memory segment to be erased.
 - Addresses are latched on the falling edge of the WE pulse.
- 3. RD = Data read from location RA during read operation.
 - EVD = Data read from location EA during erase-verify.
 - PD = Data to be programmed at location PA. Data latched on the rising edge of WE.
 - PVD = Data read from location PA during program-verify. PA is latched on the Program command.
- 4. Figure 1 illustrates the Embedded Electrical Erase Algorithm.
- 5. Figure 2 illustrates the Embedded Programming Algorithm.
- 6. Please reference Reset Command section.
- 7. Please reference Auto Select section.

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FLASH MEMORY PROGRAM/ERASE OPERATIONS

Details of AMD's Embedded Program and Erase Operations

Embedded Erase™ Algorithm

The automatic memory segment erase does not require the device to be entirely pre-programmed prior to executing the Embedded erase set-up command and Embedded erase command. Upon executing the Embedded erase command, the addressed memory segment automatically will program and verify the entire memory for an all zero data pattern. The system is not required to provide any controls or timing during these operations.

When the memory segment is automatically verified to contain an all zero pattern, a self-timed chip erase and verify begin. The erase and verify operation are complete when the data on DQ7 of the memory segment is "1" (see Write Operation Status section) at which time the device returns to Read mode. The system is not required to provide any control or timing during these operations.

When using the Embedded Erase algorithm, the erase automatically terminates when adequate erase margin has been achieved for the memory array (<u>no</u> erase verify command is required). The margin voltages are internally generated in the same manner as when the standard erase verify command is used.

The Embedded erase set-up command is a command only operation that stages the memory segment for automatic electrical erasure of all bytes in the array. Embedded erase set-up is performed by writing 30H to the command register of the addressed memory segment.

To commence automatic segment erase, the command 30H must be written again to the command register. The automatic erase begins on the rising edge of the WE and terminates when the data on DQ7 of the memory segment is "1" (see Write Operation Status section) at which time the device returns to Read mode.

Figure 1 and Table 5 illustrate the Embedded Erase algorithm, a typical command string and bus operations.

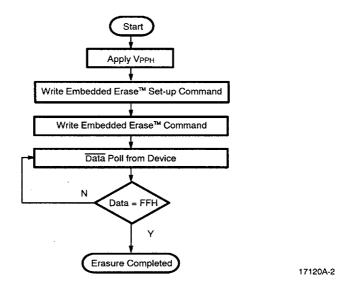


Figure 1. Embedded Erase™ Algorithm in Byte-Wide Mode

Table 5. Embedded Erase Algorithm

Bus Operations	Command	Comments
Standby		Wait for Vpp Ramp to Vppн (1)
Write	Embedded Erase Set-up Command	Data = 30H
Write	Embedded Erase Command	Data = 30H
Read		Data Polling to Verify Erasure
Standby		Compare Output to FFH
Read		Available for Read Operations

Note:

 See DC Characteristics for value of V_{PPL}. The V_{PP} power supply can be hard-wired to the device or switchable. When V_{PP} is switched, V_{PPL} may be ground, no connect with a resistor tied to ground, or less than V_{CC} + 2.0 V. Refer to Principles of Operation.

Embedded Program™ Algorithm

The Embedded Program Set-up is a command only operation that stages the addressed memory segment for automatic programming. Embedded Program Set-up is performed by writing 50H to the command register.

Once the Embedded Program Set-up operation is performed, the next \overline{WE} pulse causes a transition to an active programming operation. Addresses are internally latched on the falling edge of the \overline{WE} pulse. Data is internally latched on the rising edge of the \overline{WE} pulse. The rising edge of \overline{WE} also begins the programming operation. The system is <u>not</u> required to provide further controls or timings. The device will automatically provide an adequate internally generated program pulse and verify margin. The automatic programming operation is completed when the data on DQ7 of the addressed memory segment is equivalent to data written to this bit (see

Write Operation Status section) at which time the device returns to Read mode (<u>no</u> program verify command is required).

Figure 2 and Table 6 illustrate the Embedded Program algorithm, a typical command string, and bus operation.

Reset Command

The reset command initializes the memory segment to the read mode. In addition, it also provides a safe method to abort any memory segment operation (including program or erase). The reset command must be written two consecutive times after the program set-up command. This will safely reset the segment memory to the read mode. Memory contents are not altered. Following any other command, write the reset command once to the segment. This will safely abort any operation and reset the device to the Read mode.

Table 6. Embedded Programming Algorithm

Bus Operations	Command	Comments
Standby		Wait for VPP Ramp to VPPH (1)
Write	Embedded Program Set-up Command	Data = 50H
Write	Embedded Program Command	Valid Address/Data
Read		Data Polling to Verify Completion
Read		Available for Read Operations

Note:

 See DC Characteristics for value of V_{PPH}. The V_{PP} power supply can be hard-wired to the device or switchable. When V_{PP} is switched, V_{PPL} may be ground, no connect with a resistor tied to ground, or less than V_{CC} + 2.0 V. Refer to Principles of Operation. Device is either powered-down, erase inhibit or program inhibit.

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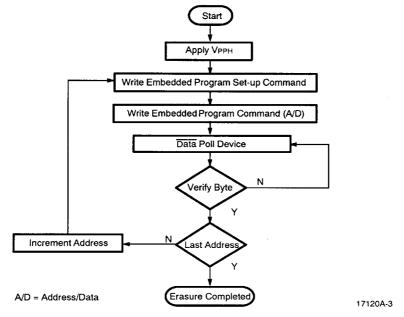


Figure 2. Embedded Programming Algorithm in Byte-Wide Mode

Write Operation Status Data Polling—DQ7

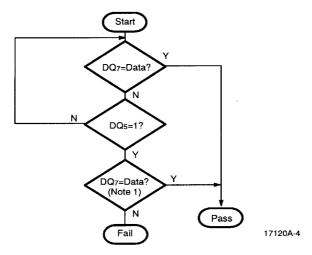
The Flash Memory PC Card features Data Polling as a method to indicate to the host system that the Embedded algorithms are either in progress or completed.

While the Embedded Programming algorithm is in operation, an attempt to read the device will produce the compliment of expected Valid data on DQ7 of the addressed memory segment. Upon completion of the Embedded Program algorithm an attempt to read the device will produce Valid data on DQ7. The Data Polling feature is valid after the rising edge of the second WE pulse of the two write pulse sequence.

While the Embedded Erase algorithm is in operation, DQ7 will read "0" until the erase operation is completed. Upon completion of the erase operation, the data on DQ7 will read "1". The Data Polling feature is valid after the rising edge of the second WE pulse of the two Write pulse sequence.

The Data Polling feature is only active during Embedded Programming or erase algorithms.

See Figures 3a and 4a for the $\overline{\text{Data}}$ Polling timing specifications and diagrams.



Note:

1. DQ₇ is rechecked even if DQ₅ = 1 because DQ₇ may change simultaneously with DQ₅.

Figure 3a. Data Polling Algorithm

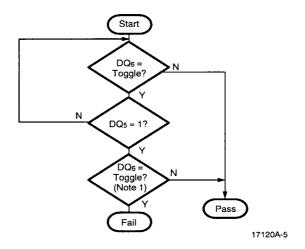
Toggle Bit—DQ6

The Flash Memory PC Card also features a "Toggle Bit" as a method to indicate to the host system that the Embedded algorithms are either in progress or completed.

While the Embedded Program or Erase algorithm is in progress, successive attempts to read data from the device will result in DQ6 toggling between one and zero. Once the Embedded Program or Erase algorithm is completed, DQ6 will stop toggling and valid data will be

read. The toggle bit is valid after the rising edge of the first WE pulse of the two write pulse sequence, unlike Data Polling which is valid after the rising edge of the second WE pulse. This feature allows the user to determine if the device is partially through the two write pulse sequence.

See Figures 3b and 4a for the $\overline{\text{Data}}$ Polling timing specifications and diagrams.



Note:

1. DQ₅ is rechecked even if DQ₅ = 1 because DQ₅ may stop toggling at the same time as DQ₅ changing to "1".

Figure 3b. Toggle Bit Algorithm

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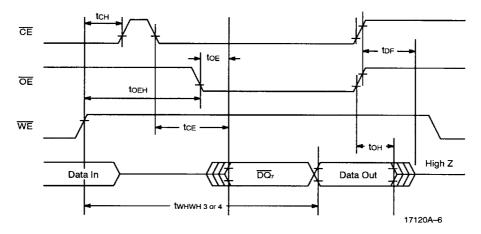
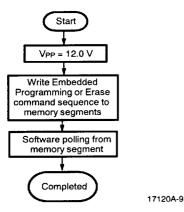


Figure 4a. AC Waveforms for Data Polling During Embedded Algorithm Operations

EMBEDDED ALGORITHM BYTE-WIDE PROGRAMMING AND ERASURE OVERVIEW



The Embedded Algorithm operations completely automate the programming and erase procedure by internally executing the algorithmic command sequence of original AMD devices. The devices automatically provide Write Operation Status information with standard read operations (addresses are a don't care).

Figure 5.

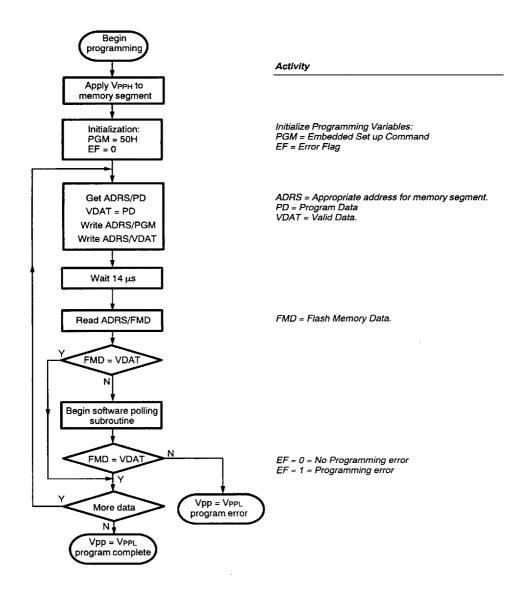
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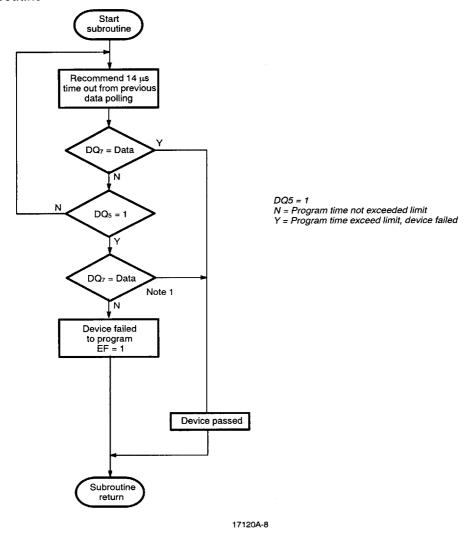
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Figure 6.

EMBEDDED ALGORITHM BYTE-WIDE SOFTWARE POLLING FOR PROGRAMMING Subroutine



Note:

 DQ₇ is checked even if DQ₅ = 1 because DQ₇ may have changed simultaneously with DQ₅ or immediately after DQ₅.

Figure 7.

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EMBEDDED ALGORITHM BYTE-WIDE ERASURE FLOW CHART

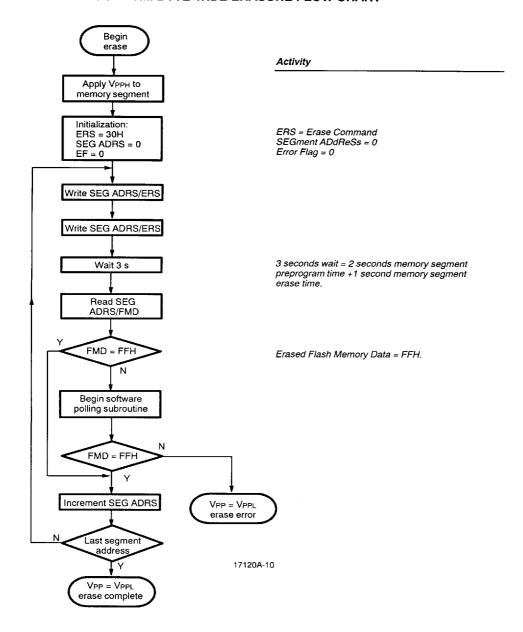


Figure 8.

EMBEDDED ALGORITHM BYTE-WIDE SOFTWARE POLLING ERASE SUBROUTINE

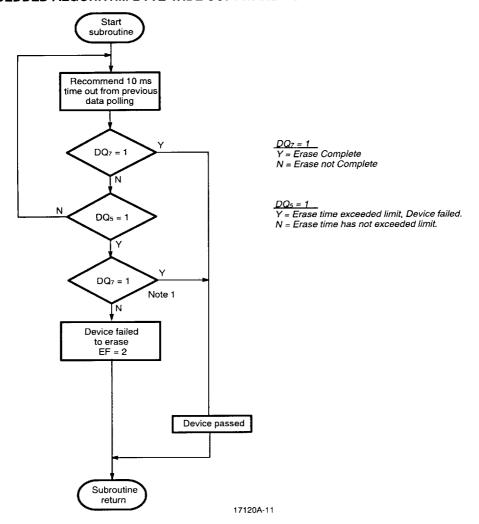


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WORD-WIDE PROGRAMMING AND ERASING Word-Wide Programming

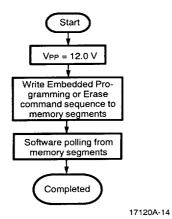
The word-wide programming sequence will be as usual. The program word command is 5050H. Each byte is independently programmed. For example, if the high byte of the word indicates the successful completion of programming via one of its program status bits such as DQ7, software polling should continue to monitor the low byte for program completion and data verification. During the Embedded Programming operations the device executes programming pulses in 14 µs increments. Status reads provide information on the progress of the byte programming relative to the last complete program pulse. Status information is automatically updated upon completion of each internal program pulse. Status information does not change within the 14 µs program pulse width.

Word-Wide Erasing

The word-wide erasing is similar to word-wide programming. The erase word command is 3030H. Each byte is independently erased and verified. Word-wide erasure reduces total erase time when compared to byte erasure. Each Flash memory device in the card may erase at different rates. Therefore each device (byte) must be verified separately. The alternate method mentioned above also apply to erasure. Since the same 40 MHz system, 1 second of CPU time is equivalent to 40 million clock cycles.



EMBEDDED ALGORITHM WORD-WIDE PROGRAMMING AND ERASURE OVERVIEW



The Embedded Algorithm operations completely automate the parallel programming and erase procedures by internally executing the algorithmic command sequences of AMD's Flashrite and Flasherase algorithms. The devices automatically provide Write Operation Status information with standard read operations.

Figure 10.

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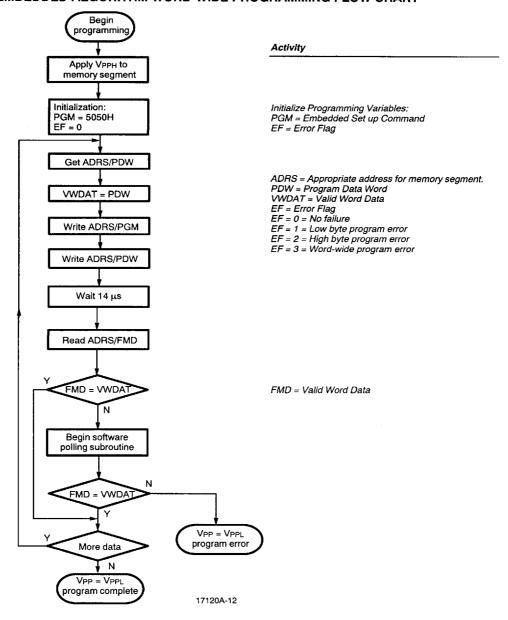


Figure 11.

EMBEDDED ALGORITHM WORD-WIDE SOFTWARE POLLING PROGRAM SUBROUTINE

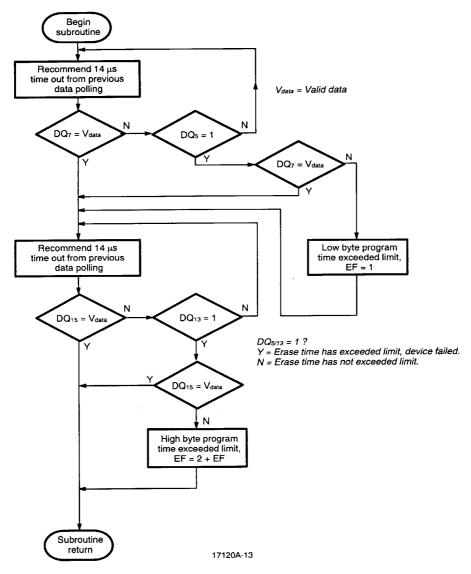


Figure 12.

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EMBEDDED ALGORITHM WORD-WIDE ERASURE FLOW CHART

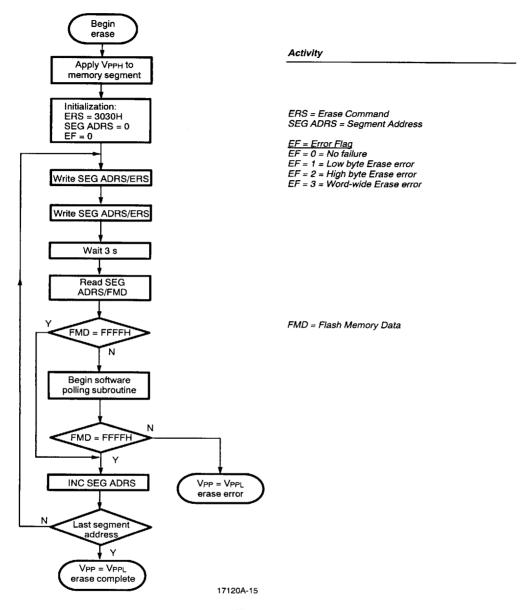


Figure 13.

EMBEDDED ALGORITHM WORD-WIDE SOFTWARE POLLING ERASE SUBROUTINE

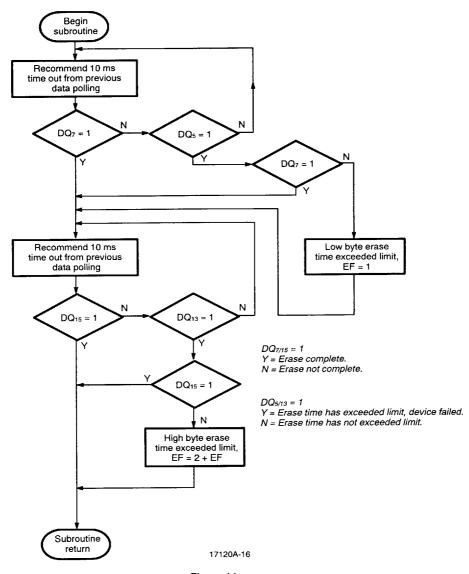


Figure 14.

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PRELIMINARY

ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS

Storage Temperature 30°C to +70°C	,
Ambient Temperature vith Power Applied – 10°C to +70°C	
oltage with Respect To Ground	١
All pins except VPP (Note 1) 2.0 V to +7.0 V	1
/cc (Note 1)	١
^r PP (Note 2)	١
Output Short Circuit Current (Note 3) 200 mA	(
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- Minimum DC voltage on input or I/O pins is -0.5 V. During voltage transitions, inputs may overshoot Vss to -2.0 V for periods of up to 20 ns. Maximum DC voltage on output and I/O pins is Vcc + 0.5 V. During voltage transitions, outputs may overshoot to Vcc + 2.0 V for periods up to 20 ns.
- Minimum DC input voltage on VPP pins is -0.5 V. During voltage transitions, VPP may overshoot Vss to -2.0 V for periods of up to 20 ns. Maximum DC input voltage on VPP is +13.5 V which may overshoot to 14.0 V for periods up to 20 ns.
- No more than one output shorted at a time. Duration
 of the short circuit should not be greater than one second.
 Conditions equal Vout = 0.5 V or 5.0 V, Vcc = Vcc
 max. These values are chosen to avoid test problems
 caused by tester ground degradation. This parameter is
 sampled and not 100% tested, but guaranteed by characterization.

Stresses above those listed under "Absolute Maximum Ratings" may cause permanent damage to the device. This is a stress rating only; functional operation of the device at these or any other conditions above those indicated in the operational sections of this specification is not implied. Exposure of the device to absolute maximum rating conditions for extended periods may affect device reliability.

OPERATING RANGES

Commercial (C) De	
Case Temperatu	re (Tc) 0°C to +60°C
Vcc Supply Volta	ges +4.75 V to 5.25 V
VPP Supply Voltage Read Only	s 0 V to +6.5 V
Program, Erase, and Read	Verify, +11.4 V to +12.6 V
Operating ranges defin	e those limits between which the func-

Operating ranges define those limits between which the functionality of the device is guaranteed.



DC CHARACTERISTICS

Byte Wide Operation

Parameter Symbol	Parameter Description	Test Conditions	Min.	Тур.	Max.	Unit
lu	Input Leakage Current	Vcc = Vcc Max., V _{IN} = Vcc or Vss		1.0	±20	μΑ
lLO	Output Leakage Current	Vcc = Vcc Max., Vout = Vcc or Vss		1.0	20	μА
Iccs	V _{CC} Standby Current	Vcc = Vcc Max. CE = Vcc ± 0.2 V		0.4	0.8	mA
Icc1	V _{cc} Active Read Current	Vcc - Vcc Max.,CE = Vil., OE = ViH,Iout = 0 mA, at 6 MHz		25	50	mA
lcc2	Vcc Programming Current	CE = V _{IL} Programming in Progress		3.0	30	mA
Icca	V _{CC} Erase Current	CE = V _{IL} Erasure in Progress		5.0	30	mA
IPPS	V _{PP} Standby Current	V _{PP} ≤ V _{CC}			10	μΑ
I _{PP1}	V _{PP} Read Current	VPP > VCC		0.2	0.4	mA
		V _{PP} ≤ V _{CC}			0.04	
IPP2	V _{PP} Programming Current	V _{PP} = V _{PPL} Programming in Progress		8.0	30	mA
I _{РР3}	V _{PP} Erase Current	V _{PP} = V _{PPH} Erasure in Progress		10	30	mA
V _{1L}	Input Low Voltage		0.5		0.8	V
VIH	Input High Voltage	Except CE, REG = 3.2 V Min.	2.4		Vcc + 0.3	V
Vol	Output Low Voltage	I _{OL =} 3.2 mA V _{CC =} V _{CC} Min.		:	0.40	V
Vон1	Output High Voltage	I _{OH =} -2.0 mA V _{CC =} V _{CC} Min.	3.8			٧
V _{PPL}	V _{PP} During Read-Only Operations	Note: Erase/Program are inhibited when V _{PP} = V _{PPL}	0.0		V _{cc} +2	٧
V _{PPH}	V _{PP} During Read/Write Operations		11.4		12.6	٧
VLKO	Low Vcc Lock-Out Voltage		3.2			٧

Notes:

1. One Flash device active, seven in standby.

2. Only one Vpp is active.

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DC CHARACTERISTICS Word-Wide Operation

Parameter Symbol	Parameter Description	Test Conditions	Min.	Тур.	Max.	Unit
lu	Input Leakage Current	Vcc = Vcc Max., Vin = Vcc or Vss		1.0	±20	μА
lLO	Output Leakage Current	Vcc = Vcc Max., Vout = Vcc or Vss		1.0	20	μΑ
lccs	V∞ Standby Current	V _{CC =} V _{CC} Max. CE = V _{CC} ± 0.2 V		0.4	0.8	mA
Icc1	V∞ Active Read Current	Vcc = Vcc Max.,CE = V _{IL.} OE = V _{IH} , I _{OUT} = 0 mA, at 6 MHz		40	80	mA
lcc2	Vcc Programming Current	CE = V _{IL} Programming in Progress		6	60	mA
Іссз	Vcc Erase Current	CE = V _{IL} Erasure in Progress		10	60	mA
I _{PPS}	V _{PP} Standby Current	V _{PP} ≤ V _{CC}			10	μΑ
I _{PP1}	V _{PP} Read Current	VPP > VCC		0.4	0.8	mA
		V _{PP} ≤ V _{CC}			0.08	111/1
I _{PP2}	V _{PP} Programming Current	V _{PP} = V _{PPL} Programming in Progress		16	60	mA
I _{РР3}	V _{PP} Erase Current	V _{PP} = V _{PPH} Erasure in Progress		20	60	mA
ViL	Input Low Voltage		0.5		0.8	٧
VIH	Input High Voltage	Except CE, REG = 3.2 V Min.	2.4		V _{CC} + 0.3	٧
Vol	Output Low Voltage	loL = 3.2 mA Vcc = Vcc Min.			0.40	٧
Vон1	Output High Voltage	lo _{H =} 2.0 mA Vcc = Vcc Min.	3.8			V
V _{PPL}	V _{PP} During Read-Only Operations	Note: Erase/Program are inhibited when V _{PP} = V _{PPL}	0.0		V _{cc} +2	V
V _{PPH}	V _{PP} During Read/Write Operations		11.4		12.6	٧
V _{LKO}	Low Vcc Lock-Out Voltage		3.2			V

Notes:

- 1. Two Flash devices active, six in standby.
- 2. V_{pp1} and V_{pp2} are active.



PIN CAPACITANCE

Parameter Symbol	Parameter Description	Test Conditions	Тур.	Max.	Unit
Cin1	Address Capacitance	Vin = 0		21	pF
Соит	Output Capacitance	Vout = 0		21	pF
Cin2	Control Capacitance	Vin = 0 (CE, REG)		47	рF
C _{I/O} I/O Capacitance		V _{I/O} = 0		21	pF

Notes:

- 1. Sampled, not 100% tested.
- 2. Test conditions TA = 25°C, f = 1.0 MHz.

SWITCHING AC CHARACTERISTICS

Read Only Operation (Note 1)

Parameter Symbols					
JEDEC	Standard	Parameter Description	Min.	Max.	Unit
tavav	tac	Read Cycle Time	250		ns
tELQV	tce	Chip Enable Access Time		250	ns
tavov	tacc	Address Access Time		250	ns
tgLav	toE	Output Enable Access Time		150	ns
telax	tuz	Chip Enable to Output in Low Z	5		ns
tehoz	tor	Chip Disable to Output in High Z		60	ns
tglax	toLz	Output Enable to Output in Low Z	5		ns
tghaz	tor	Output Disable to Output in High Z		60	ns
taxox	tон	Output Hold from first of Address, CE, or OE Change	5		ns
twngL		Write Recovery Time before Read	6		μS

Note:

 Input Rise and Fall Times (10% to 90%): ≤ 10 ns, Input Pulse levels: VoL and VoH, Timing Measurement Reference Level – Inputs: V_{IL} and V_{IH} Outputs: V_{IL} and V_{IH}

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AC CHARACTERISTICS

Write/Erase/Program Operations

Parameter Symbols					
JEDEC	Standard	Parameter Description	Min.	Max.	Unit
tavav	two	Write Cycle Time	250		ns
tavwl	tas	Address Set-Up Time	0		ns
twlax	tан	Address Hold Time	100		ns
to∨wн	tos	Data Set-Up Time	80	····	ns
twnpx	tон	Data Hold Time	30		ns
toeh		Output Enable Hold Time for Embedded Algorithm	30		ns
twhal	twR	Write Recovery Time before Read	6		μS
tghwl		Read Recovery Time before Write	0		μS
twLoz		Output in High-Z from Write Enable	5		ns
twнoz		Output in Low-Z from Write Enable		60	ns
telwl	tcs	Chip Enable Set-Up Time	40		ns
twheh	tсн	Chip Enable Hold Time	0		ns
twLwH	twp	Write Pulse Width	100		ns
twhwL	twpH	Write Pulse Width HIGH	50		ns
twnwha		Embedded Programming Operation (Notes 1, 2, 3)	14		μS
twhwh4		Embedded Erase Operation for each 128 KB Memory Segment (Notes 1, 2, 4)	3		S
tvpel		VPP Set-Up Time to Chip Enable LOW	100		ns

Notes:

- 1. Rise/Fall < = 10 ns.
- 2. Maximum specification not needed due to the devices internal stop timer that will stop any erase or write operation that exceed the device specification.
- 3. Embedded Program Operation of 14 μs consist of 10 μs program pulse and 4 μs write recovery before read. This is the minimum time for one pass through the programming algorithm.
- 4. Embedded Erase Operation of 3 seconds consists of 2 seconds memory segment pre-programming times and 1 second memory segment erase time for each 128K byte memory segment. This is typical time for embedded erase operation.

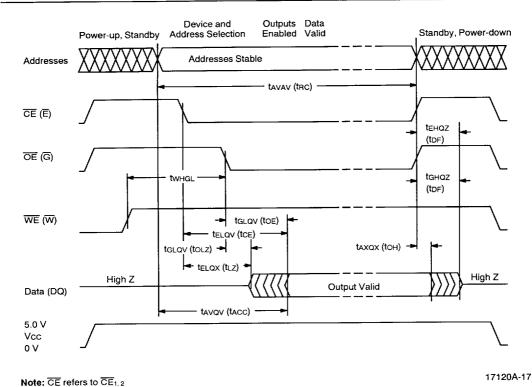
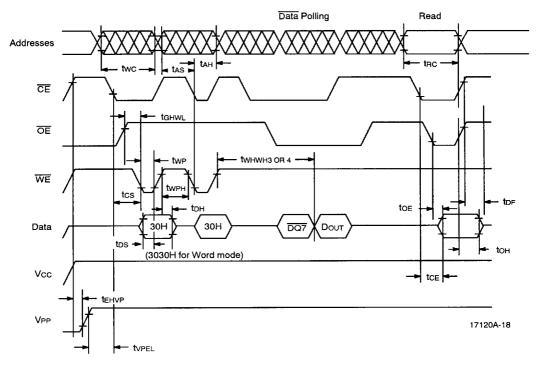


Figure 15. AC Waveforms for Read Operations

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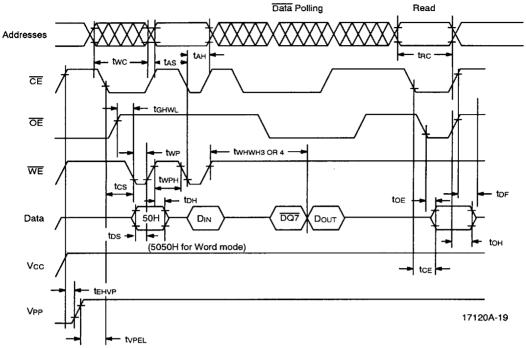


Notes:

- 1. DIN is data input to the device.
- 2. DQ7 is the output of the complement of the data written to the device.
- 3. DOUT is the output of the data written to the device.

Figure 16. AC Waveforms for Embedded Erase Operation

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Notes:

- 1. DIN is data input to the device.
- 2. Do7 is the output of the complement of the data written to the device.
- 3. Dout is the output of the data written to the device.

Figure 17. AC Waveforms for Embedded Programming Operation

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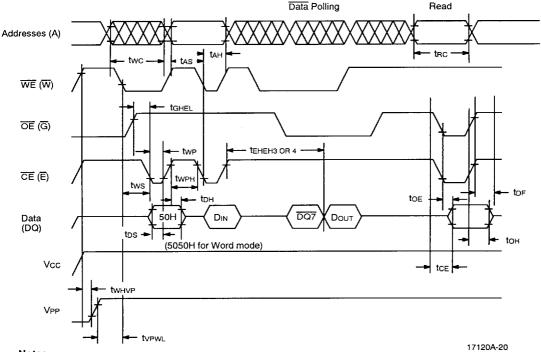
AC CHARACTERISTICS-ALTERNATE CE CONTROLLED WRITES

Write/Erase/Program Operations

Parameter Symbols					
JEDEC	Standard	Parameter Description	Min.	Max.	Unit
tavav	twc	Write Cycle Time	250		ns
tavel	tas	Address Set-Up Time	0		ns
telax	tан	Address Hold Time	100		ns
t DVEH	tos	Data Set-Up Time	80		ns
t EHDX	tон	Data Hold Time	30		ns
tGLDV	toe	Output Enable Hold Time for Embedded Algorithm	10	150	ns
tghel		Read Recovery Time before Write	0		μS
twlel	tws	WE Set-Up Time before CE	0		ns
tehwh	tcp	WE Hold Time	0		ns
teleh	tcp	Write Pulse Width	100		пѕ
tehel	tсрн	Write Pulse Width HIGH (Note 3)	50		ns
tененз		Embedded Programming Operation (Note 4)	14		μS
tенен4		Embedded Erase Operation for each 128 KB Memory Segment (Notes 1, 2, 4)	3		s
tvpwl.		V _{PP} Set-Up Time to Write Enable LOW	100		ns

Notes:

- 1. Rise/Fall < =10 ns
- 2. Maximum specification not needed due to the internal stop timer that will stop any erase or write operation that exist the device specification.
- 3. Chip Enable Controlled Programming: Flash Programming is controlled by the valid combination of the Chip Enable (CE_{1, 2}) and Write Enable (WE) signals. For system that uses the Chip Enable signal(s) to define the write pulse width, all Set-up, Hold, and inactive Write Enable timing should be measured relative to the Chip Enable signal(s).
- Embedded Program Operation of 14 μs consist of 10 μs program pulse and 4 μs write recovery before read. This is the
 minimum time for one pass through the programming algorithm.
- Embedded Erase Operation of 3 seconds consists of 2 seconds memory segment pre-programming times and 1 second memory segment erase time for each 128K byte memory segment. This is typical time for embedded erase operation.



- Notes:
- 1. DIN is data input to the device.
- 2. Do7 is the output of the complement of the data written to the device.
- 3. Dout is the output of the data written to the device.

Figure 18. Alternate AC Waveforms for CE Controlled Embedded Programming or Erasing Operation

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CARD INFORMATION STRUCTURE

The AmC001AFLKA contains a separate 512 byte EEPROM memory for the Card Information Structure. All or part of the 512 byte could be used for the card's attribute memory space. This allows all of the Flash memory to be used for the common memory space. Part of the common memory space could also be mapped into the attribute memory space if more than 512 bytes of CIS are needed.

The EEPROM used in the AmC001AFLKA is a NEC μ PD28C05GX-20-EJA designed to operate from a 5 V single power supply. The μ PD28C05 provides a DATA polling function that provides the End of Write Cycle, Chip Erase and Auto Erase and Programming functions.

SYSTEM DESIGN AND INTERFACE INFORMATION

Power Up and Power Down Protection

The PCMCIA standard socket provides for proper power up and power down sequencing via different pin lengths to ensure that hot insertion and removal of the PC card will not result in card damage or data loss.

AMD's Flash memory devices are designed to protect against accidental programming or erasure caused by spurious system signals that might exist during hot insertion, hot removal, or power transitions. The AMD PC card will power-up into a READ mode and the card will function as a read only memory as long as V_{pp} is less than V_{co} +2V. Erasing of the memory segments can be

accomplished only by writing the proper Erase command to the card twice along with the proper Chip Enable, Output Enable and Write Enable control signals.

System Power Supply Decoupling

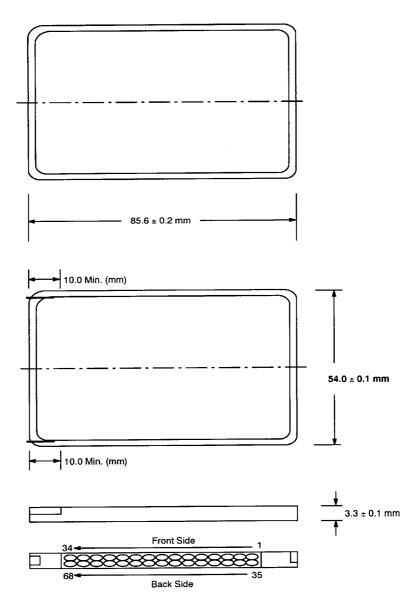
The AMD Flash memory card has a 0.1 μ F decoupling capacitor between the V_{cc} and the GND pins, and between the V_{pp} and the GND pins. It is recommended the system side also have a 4.7 μ F capacitor between the V_{cc} and the GND pins, and between the V_{pp} and the GND pi ns.

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