Semiconductor IP

General Description

The Digital Blocks DB-DMAC-MC2-CS-MM2S-S2MM Verilog RTL IP Core is a Multi-Channel Scatter-Gather DMA Controller that transfers data between AXI4 Memory Map and AXI4-Stream Interfaces.

Descriptor Control is managed by Commands that stream in via dedicated Command, AXI4-Stream Interface, with resulting output Status on Status Stream, AXI4-Stream Interfaces.

Digital Blocks offers two version releases of the DB-DMAC-MC2-CS-MM2S-S2MM:

- High AXI bandwidth throughput version with internal control plane that keeps the data interfaces transferring data at the full AXI Interface capabilities.
- Nominal bandwidth throughput version requiring less control plane VLSI resources at a lower licensing cost

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Figure 1 depicts DB-DMAC-MC2-CS-MM2S-S2MM Verilog IP Core.

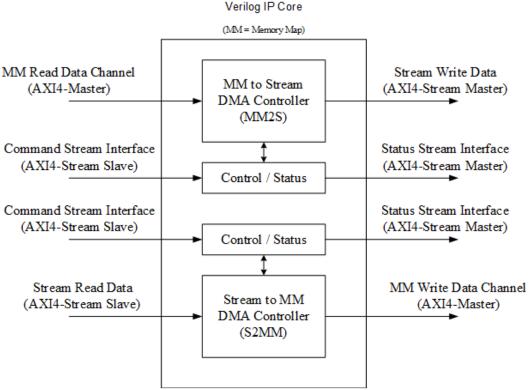


Figure 1: DB-DMAC-MC2-CS-MM2S-S2MM – Top Level View

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Features

- 2 Dedicated DMA Channels, 1 each for data transfers for the following:
 - MM2S: AXI4-Memory Map Read Data to AXI4-Stream Write Data
 - o S2MM: AXI4-Stream Read Data to AXI4-Memory Map Write Data
- Command and Status via AXI4-Stream Interfaces 1 set per MM2S & S2MM:
 - Control input via Descriptor Command AXI4-Stream Interfaces
 - Status output via Status AXI4-Stream Interfaces
 - Commands & Status FIFOs for Queuing Parameters for depth
- MM2S & S2MM DMA Controllers:
 - Read & Write DMA Controller Engines
 - Data FIFO Parameters for width and depth
 - Unaligned data transfers with byte realignment & using byte strobes
 - Releases versions supporting high or nominal AXI bandwidth throughput, with tradeoff in control plane VLSI resources and licensing cost
- Individual Interface Data Widths: 8 / 16 / 32 / 64 / 128 / 256 / 512 / 1024.
- Programmable Data Burst Capability: 1, 4, 8, 16 (fixed) and 1 256 (AXI4)
- 4 KB boundary crossing detection & resizing of AXI transaction
- Compliance with AMBA Specifications:
 - AXI4 Protocol Specification (Memory Map Read/Write Channels)
 - AXI4-Stream Protocol Specification
- Fully synchronous, synthesizable Verilog RTL core, with rising-edge clocking, no gated clocks, and no internal tri-states, for easy integration into FPGA or ASIC design flows.

Verification Method

The DB-DMAC-MC2-CS-MM2S-S2MM IP Core contains a test suite that programs the IP and sources and receives data with checking results.

The DB-DMAC-MC2-CS-MM2S-S2MM Controller IP Core has been implemented in customer unique applications.

Customer Evaluation

Digital Blocks offers a variety of methods for prospective customers to evaluate the DB-DMAC-MC2-CS-MM2S-S2MM Controller IP Core. Please contact Digital Blocks for additional information.

Deliverables

The DB-DMAC-MC2-CS-MM2S-S2MM is available in synthesizable RTL Verilog or a technology-specific netlist for FPGAs, along with Synopsys Design Constraints, a simulation test bench with expected results, datasheet, and user manual.

Ordering Information

Please contact Digital Blocks for additional technical, pricing, evaluation, and support information.

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