Si5518 Data Sheet

NetSync™ Low-Phase-Noise Jitter-Attenuating Clock for 5G/eCPRI/SyncE/IEEE 1588

The Si5518 utilizes fifth-generation DSPLL™ and MultiSynth™ technologies and integrates the functions of a low phase noise 5G/eCPRI wireless jitter attenuator supporting JESD204B/C with a SyncE/IEEE 1588 PTP network synchronizer clock into a single IC device.

The Si5518 may also be combined with optional AccuTime™ IEEE 1588 software offering a complete IEEE 1588v2 solution for phase and frequency synchronization. AccuTime 1588 software consists of a unique servo algorithm paired with a protocol stack that runs on the host processor.

The RFPLL generates high-performance, ultra-low phase noise CPRI clocks for wireless remote radio heads (RRH). Each of the 18 clock outputs are configurable in any combination of DCLK, SYSREF, or other system clocks. The DSPLLs are fully featured network synchronization phase-locked-loops with adjustable DCO for IEEE 1588 Ethernet fronthaul synchronization.

Applications:
• LTE-A and 5G Remote Radio Units (RRU)
• JESD204B/C clock generation
• IEEE1588 slave clocks (T-TSC), Telecom Boundary Clocks (T-BC)
• IEEE 1588 Grandmaster clocks (T-GM)
• Remote Access Networks (RAN), picocells, small cells
• Remote Radio Heads (RRH), wireless repeaters, mobile fronthaul and backhaul

KEY POINTS

Si5518
• Utilizes fifth-generation DSPLL™ and MultiSynth™ technologies
• Ultra high-performance clock generation for LTE-A and 5G RRU with IEEE 1588/SyncE
• Optional AccuTime™ IEEE 1588 software
• Integer output frequencies up to 3.2 GHz
• Fractional output frequencies up to 650 MHz
• JESD204B/C clock generation (DCLK/SYSREF) with synchronization across multiple devices
• Programmable delay at each output
• Ultra-low jitter: 47 fs RMS typical
• Phase Noise:
  • Noise floor –164 dBc/Hz at 491.52 MHz
  • –145 dBc/Hz at 800 kHz offset for a 491.52 MHz carrier frequency
  • Spurs < –95 dBc at 122.88 MHz
• Low-Power Mode
• Support IEEE1588 with DCO adjustable at 1 ppt resolution
• Locks to 1PPS and PP2S
• Full suite of status monitors
• 72 QFN 10x10 mm, 6 inputs, 18 outputs
• AccuTime™ IEEE 1588 Software
  • Field tested and proven with compliance reports available
  • Demonstration Platform Support
• O-RAN compatible
• IEEE 1588 servo loop and protocol stack software runs on host processor
1. Feature List

- **RFPLL (RF DSPLL)**
  - Supports JESD204B/C Subclass 0, 1, and 2 Clocking
  - Ultra-low Phase Noise (example at 491.52 MHz carrier):
    - –164 dBc/Hz noise floor
    - –145 dBc/Hz at 800 kHz offset
  - Ultra-low jitter performance:
    - <50 fs typ XO (12 kHz–20 MHz at 491.52 MHz)
    - <45 fs typ VCXO (12 kHz–20 MHz at 491.52 MHz)
  - Selectable jitter attenuation bandwidth: 10 Hz to 4 kHz, 30 Hz to 4 kHz Dual Reference JA

- **DSPLL A, DSPLL B**
  - Independent network synchronization DSPLLs
  - Programmable loop bandwidth: 1 mHz to 4 kHz
  - Automatic Free-Run, Holdover, and Locked modes
  - Hitless input clock switching: automatic or manual with < 150 ps phase transient

- **PPSPLL**
  - Instant lock for 1PPS/PP2S
  - Programmable loop bandwidth 1 mHz to 25 mHz
  - Programmable phase slope limiting (PSL) and phase pull-in rate (PPI)

- **18 Programmable Clock Outputs:**
  - JESD204B/C DCLK or SYSREF. Up to nine DCLK/SYSREF pairs
  - Integer Q dividers: PP2S/1PPS to 3.2 GHz
  - JESD204B/C SYSREF pulser mode
  - Multisynth Fractional Dividers: PP2S/1PPS to 650 MHz
  - Output-to-Output Static Delay: ±10 ns
  - Output-output skew: ±50 ps
  - LVDS, S-LVDS, AC coupled LVPECL, LVCMOS, Slew Rate Limited (SRL) LVCMOS, HCSL, CML

- **Utilizes fifth-generation DSPLL™ and MultiSynth™ technologies**
- **Zero Delay Mode for all PLLs**
- **4/6 clock inputs:**
  - Differential: 8 kHz to 1 GHz
  - CMOS: 1 PPS, PP2S, 8 kHz to 250 MHz
- **Status monitoring (LOS, OOF, PHMON, FLOL and PLOL)**
- Automatically generates free-running clocks at power up
- Automatically locks to a valid clock input
- **Automatic holdover mode**
- **Core voltage:** 3.3 V, 1.8 V
- **Output driver supply voltages (VDDO):** 3.3 V, 2.5 V, 1.8 V
- **Serial Interface:** I²C or SPI (3 or 4-wire)
- **ClockBuilder Pro™ software tool simplifies device configuration**
- **Package:** 72-Lead QFN, 10x10 mm
- **Extended temperature range:**
  - –40 to +95 °C ambient
  - –40 to +105 °C board
- **Pb-free, RoHS compliant**

**Note:** Specifications given on this page are for reference only. Please refer to for device performance.
2. Package Outline

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**Note:**
1. All dimensions shown are in millimeters (mm) unless otherwise noted.
3. This drawing conforms to JEDEC Solid State Outline MO-220.
3. PCB Land Pattern

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Note:

General
1. All dimensions shown are in millimeters (mm).
2. This Land Pattern Design is based on the IPC-7351 guidelines.
3. All dimensions shown are at Maximum Material Condition (MMC). Least Material Condition (LMC) is calculated based on a Fabrication Allowance of 0.05 mm.

Solder Mask Design
1. All metal pads are to be non-solder mask defined (NSMD). Clearance between the solder mask and the metal pad is to be 60 μm minimum, all the way around the pad.

Stencil Design
1. A stainless steel, laser-cut and electro-polished stencil with trapezoidal walls should be used to assure good solder paste release.
2. The stencil thickness should be 0.125 mm (5 mils).
3. The ratio of stencil aperture to land pad size should be 1:1 for all pads.
4. A 4x4 array of 1.45 mm square openings on a 2.00 mm pitch should be used for the center ground pad.
Card Assembly

1. A No-Clean, Type-3 solder paste is recommended.
2. The recommended card reflow profile is per the JEDEC/IPC J-STD-020 specification for Small Body Components.

*Above notes and stencil design are shared as recommendations only. A customer or user may find it necessary to use different parameters and fine tune their SMT process as required for their application and tooling.*