Intel[®] PC Card (PCMCIA) Controllers



Product Line Overview

Intel[®] PC Card controllers are highly integrated, small form factor, power-efficient devices that support industry standards, including PCMCIA 2.1 and JEIDA 4.1, with ExCA* compatibility and ATA disk interface support. They provide an efficient way to install software in a wide variety of products, including routers, bridges, network switches, servers, digital subscriber line access multiplexers (DSLAM), customer premises equipment (CPE) multi-service access devices, portable and wireless equipment, navigation systems, printers, and test equipment. Intel dual-slot controllers feature ZV (Zoom Video) support for video and multimedia applications.

The Intel family of single-chip PC Card controllers supports single-slot (Intel[®] PD6710) and dual-slot (Intel[®] PD6722) ISA-to-PC Card interfaces and a dual-slot PCI-to-PC Card interface (Intel[®] PD6729). All include programmable features, including suspend mode, memory and I/O windows, and card access cycle timing. In addition, Intel PC Card controllers are designed with sophisticated power saving features, including support for mixed voltage and automatic low-power dynamic mode. Energy-efficient mixed voltage technology can reduce system power consumption by 50 percent or more compared to conventional designs.

PC Card controllers provide a flexible, compact, and cost-effective software transport solution for communications devices and embedded systems that require a combination of field upgradability, small form factor, and power savings.

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Intel[®] PD6710/ Intel[®] PD6722 ISA-to-PC Card Controllers

Product Highlights

- Single-chip PC Card controllers
- Supports single or dual PC Card sockets
- Compliant with PCMCIA 2.1, JEIDA 4.1
- 82365SL-compatible register set
- Automatic low-power mode
- Programmable suspend mode
- Hardware-enabled super-suspend mode
- 5 programmable memory windows per socket
- 2 programmable I/O windows per socket
- Programmable card access cycle timing
- Supports 8- or 16-bit system bus interface
- Supports 8- and 16-bit PC Card interface
- Supports ATA disk interface
- DMA support (Intel[®] PD6722)
- Card-voltage sensing
- PC Card activity indicator
- 3.3/5.0 V mixed-voltage operation
- Single socket: 144-pin LQFP
- Dual socket: 208-pin MQFP and LQFP



Product Overview

The Intel® PD6710 and Intel® PD6722 PC Card controllers are single-chip solutions that provide direct connection to the ISA (PC-AT) bus and one (Intel PD6710) or two (Intel PD6722) PC Card sockets. PC Card interfaces are useful for supporting software updates, memory expansion, configuration storage and event logs, and both wireless and wire-line communications in applications including customer premises equipment (CPE), routers, network switches, remote access servers, DSL access multiplexers (DSLAMs), and intelligent handheld devices. The controllers are optimized for embedded applications where reduced form factor and low-power consumption are important design considerations. Excluding the socket connectors, the Intel PD6710 singlesocket controller occupies less than 1.5 square inches, including power control logic. The Intel PD6722 controller with power control logic occupies less than two square inches.

The controllers accommodate various PC Card functions including wireless, flash, and 10/100 Ethernet. They are fully compatible with PCMCIA 2.1 and JEIDA 4.1 standards. The controllers feature mixed voltage technology that can significantly reduce system power consumption. Suspend mode stops the internal clock. Automatic low-power dynamic mode stops transactions on the PCMCIA bus, stops internal clock distribution, and turns off internal circuitry. Fully buffered PCMCIA signals allow hot insertion and removal without requiring external logic to buffer incoming and outgoing signals, and allowpower consumption to be controlled by limiting signal transitions on the PCMCIA bus.

Intel[®] PD6729 PCI-to-PC Card Controller

Product Highlights

- Single-chip PC Card controller
- Supports dual PC Card sockets
- Compliant with PCI 2.1
- Compliant with PCMCIA 2.1, JEIDA 4.1
- 82365SL-compatible register set
- Automatic low-power mode
- Programmable suspend mode
- 5 programmable memory windows per socket
- 2 programmable I/O windows per socket
- Programmable card access cycle timing
- Supports 8- or 16-bit PC Card interface
- Supports ATA disk interface
- Automatic flash timing support
- Multimedia capability with Zoom Video Port
- Card-voltage sense support
- PC Card activity indicator
- +3.3 V, +5 V, or 3.3/5.0 V mixed-voltage operation
- Supports PC Card low-voltage card specification
- 208-pin MQFP and LQFP



Product Overview

The Intel[®] PD6729 PCI-to-PC Card controller is a singlechip solution that provides direct connection to the PCI bus. It is optimized for embedded applications where reduced form factor and low-power consumption are important design objectives. Applications include customer premises equipment (CPE), routers, network switches, remote access servers, DSL access multiplexers (DSLAMs), and intelligent hand-held devices. The PC Card interface can be used to support software updates, memory expansion, configuration storage and event logs, and both wireless and wire-line communications.

The Intel PD6729 accommodates various PC Card functions, including wireless, flash memory, and 10/100 Ethernet. It is capable of controlling two fully independent PC Card sockets and is fully compatible with PCMCIA 2.1 and JEIDA 4.1. Fully buffered PCMCIA signals require no external logic to buffer incoming and outgoing signals, and allow power consumption to be controlled by limiting signal transitions on the PCMCIA bus. The controller features energy efficient mixed voltage technology that can significantly reduce system power consumption. Suspend mode stops the internal clock, and automatic low-power dynamic mode stops transactions on the PCMCIA bus, stops internal clock distribution, and turns off internal circuitry.

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