

# Examples

Note: different constraint files for different boards → inside of backend directory

## 1. Spartan 3A DSP 1800

- a) minsoc/rtl/verilog/minsoc\_defines.v
  - no definitions change, ready to go
- b) minsoc/rtl/verilog/or1200/rtl/verilog/or1200\_defines.v (optional, reduce logic use)
  - uncomment ``define OR1200_XILINX_RAMB16`

## 2. Spartan 3E Starter Kit no Ethernet

- a) minsoc/rtl/verilog/minsoc\_defines.v
  - comment ``define SPARTAN3A`
  - uncomment ``define SPARTAN3E`
  - change `CLOCK_DIVISOR` from 5 to 2
  - comment ``define ETHERNET`
- b) minsoc/rtl/verilog/or1200/rtl/verilog/or1200\_defines.v
  - uncomment ``define OR1200_XILINX_RAMB16`
  - uncomment ``define OR1200_NO_DC`
  - uncomment ``define OR1200_NO_IC`
  - uncomment ``define OR1200_NO_DMMU`
  - uncomment ``define OR1200_NO_IMMU`

## 3. Spartan 3E Starter Kit with Ethernet

- a) Synthesis properties:
  - Optimization Goal: Area
  - Optimization Effort: High
- b) minsoc/rtl/verilog/minsoc\_defines.v
  - comment ``define SPARTAN3A`
  - uncomment ``define SPARTAN3E`
  - let `CLOCK_DIVISOR` at 5
  - change `MEMORY_ADR_WIDTH` from 13 to 12
  - uncomment ``define ETHERNET`
  - comment ``define UART`
    - this is not necessary, though you will get 99% device usage if not commenting, 89% otherwise.

c) minsoc/rtl/verilog/or1200/rtl/verilog/or1200\_defines.v

- uncomment `define OR1200\_XILINX\_RAMB16
- uncomment `define OR1200\_NO\_DC
- uncomment `define OR1200\_NO\_IC
- uncomment `define OR1200\_NO\_DMMU
- uncomment `define OR1200\_NO\_IMMU
- comment `define OR1200\_MULT\_IMPLEMENTED
- comment `define OR1200\_MAC\_IMPLEMENTED
- comment `define OR1200\_PM\_IMPLEMENTED
- comment `define OR1200\_CFGR\_IMPLEMENTED

d) minsoc/rtl/verilog/ethmac/rtl/verilog/eth\_defines.v

- uncomment `define ETH\_FIFO\_XILINX
- uncomment `define ETH\_XILINX\_RAMB4

e) Collateral effects:

- from sw/support/Makefile.inc line 7:
  - GCC\_OPT=-mhard-mul -g to GCC\_OPT=-msoft-mul -g
- change sw/support/orp.ld:
  - ram: LENGTH = from 0x00006E00 to 0x00002E00
  - this is not much memory, I recommend the inclusion of the wb\_dds project to minsoc to use your DDR SRAM memory
- change sw/support/board.h
  - IN\_CLK to 10000000 //(10MHz) this will make the simulation have problems with the uart output but will work on implementation
  - STACK\_SIZE to 0x00180
  - UART\_BAUD\_RATE to 9600 //baudrate 115200 leads to a high baudrate skew due to a truncation. PC cannot recognize the output
- reduce sw/eth.c
  - remove lines 230-231
  - remove lines 215-220
  - remove line 206
  - remove line 202
  - change uart\_print\_long to uart\_print\_short, line 162
  - change lines 98 and 99 to char tx\_data[64] and char rx\_data[64]

- remove lines 53-70 `void uart_print_long(unsigned int ul) {}`
- remove lines 31-42 `void uart_interrupt(){}`

f) Further area optimization possibilities: **(not necessary, DON'T DO)**

- Turn off: pic, tick timer or debug unit

#### 4. Altera Devices

a) `minsoc/rtl/verilog/minsoc_defines.v`

- uncomment ``define ALTERA_FPGA`
- comment ``define XILINX_FPGA`
- comment ``define SPARTAN3A`
- select your memory amount `"`define MEMORY_ADR_WIDTH 13"`
- choose a clock division for your global clock related to your design max speed by changing the definition: `"`define CLOCK_DIVISOR 5"`. Since you have an Altera device please use only even numbers for the division, odd numbers are going to be rounded down.
- Define your RESET polarity uncommenting `"`define POSITIVE_RESET"` or `"`define NEGATIVE_RESET"` and commenting the other.

b) `minsoc/rtl/verilog/or1200/rtl/verilog/or1200_defines.v`

- uncomment ``define OR1200_ALTERA_LPM`
- include ``define OR1200_ALTERA_LPM_XXX`